

PREVIEW QUESTION BANK

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Sr. No.	Client Question ID	Question Body and Alternatives	Marks	Negative Marks
Objective Question				
1	15531001	<p>A solution that satisfies all the constraints of linear programming problem is called</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Feasible solution 2. Bounded solution 3. Unbounded solution 4. Degenerated solution <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
Objective Question				
2	15531002	<p>Any unbounded linear programming problem has</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. no bounded solutions 2. solutions that can be bounded or unbounded 3. a unique optimal solution 4. multiple optimal solutions <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
Objective Question				
3	15531003	<p>A linear programming problem which has no solution that satisfies all constraints simultaneously is</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Feasible 2. Bounded 3. Unbounded 4. Infeasible <p>A1 : 1</p>	2.0	0.00

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

4	15531004	Slack variables are always	2.0	0.00
		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Positive only 2. Non-negative 3. Zero 4. Negative only 		
		A1 : 1		
		A2 : 2		
		A3 : 3		
		A4 : 4		

Objective Question

5	15531005	A variable in a linear programming problem is said to be unconstrained if there is	2.0	0.00
		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. nonnegativity constraint on the variable 2. no nonnegativity constraint on the variable 3. only positivity constraint on the variable 4. only negativity constraint on the variable 		
		A1 : 1		
		A2 : 2		
		A3 : 3		
		A4 : 4		

Objective Question

6	15531006	A linear programming problem can have	2.0	0.00
		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. no solution 2. exactly one solution 3. infinitely many optimal solutions 4. None of the above 		
		A1 : 1		
		A2 : 2		

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

7 15531007

2.0 0.00

What is the optimal objective function value for the following LP:

Maximize $Z = 3x + 4y$

Subject to constraints, $x + y \leq 450$, $2x + y \leq 600$ and $x, y \geq 0$.

- 1. 0
- 2. 900
- 3. 1700
- 4. 1800

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

8 15531008

2.0 0.00

The element found at the intersection of the pivot column and pivot row in a simplex tableau is called

- 1. Basic element
- 2. Pivot element
- 3. Non basic element
- 4. Important element

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

9 15531009

2.0 0.00

A pivot element is

- 1. always negative
- 2. always positive
- 3. always zero
- 4. always non-zero

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

10	15531010	<p>In an LPP the objective function is</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. linear 2. Quadratic 3. Cubic 4. Bi-quadratic <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

11	15531011	<p>If a constraint in the Primal LP is an equality constraint, then the corresponding dual variable in the Dual LP will be:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Positive 2. Negative 3. Unrestricted in sign 4. Zero <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

12	15531012	<p>If there are only _____ variables, Graphical Method can be applied to solve an LPP. Fill in the blank.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. One 2. Two 3. Three 4. Four <p>A1 : 1</p>	2.0	0.00
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	A2 : 2		
	A3 : 3		
	A4 : 4		

Objective Question

13	15531013		2.0	0.00
	<p>If in an LPP, the value of a variable can be made infinitely large without violating the constraints, the optimal solution is:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Infeasible 2. Unique 3. Unbounded 4. Not unique 			
	A1 : 1			
	A2 : 2			
	A3 : 3			
	A4 : 4			

Objective Question

14	15531014		2.0	0.00
	<p>The word "Linear" in LPP means that all constraints are represented by</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Parabola 2. Hyperbola 3. Straight lines 4. Circles 			
	A1 : 1			
	A2 : 2			
	A3 : 3			
	A4 : 4			

Objective Question

15	15531015		2.0	0.00
	<p>A linear programming problem (LPP) that has two optimal solutions will have infinitely many solutions.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The above statement is always FALSE 2. The above statement is always TRUE 3. The above statement can be either TRUE or FALSE depending on the problem 4. An LPP can never have infinitely many optimal solutions 			
	A1 : 1			
	A2 : 2			

		A3 : 3		
		A4 : 4		

Objective Question

16	15531016	<p>If a decision variable is not positive in the optimal solution, its reduced cost is:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. what its objective function value would need to be before it could become positive 2. the amount its objective function value would need to increase before it could become positive 3. the amount its objective function value would need to decrease before it could become positive 4. the amount its objective function value would need to improve before it could become positive 	2.0	0.00
		A1 : 1		
		A2 : 2		
		A3 : 3		
		A4 : 4		

Objective Question

17	15531017	<p>Constraints in an LPP model represent</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Limitations 2. Requirements 3. Balancing limitations and requirements 4. All the above 	2.0	0.00
		A1 : 1		
		A2 : 2		
		A3 : 3		
		A4 : 4		

Objective Question

18	15531018	<p>Rounding the solution of an LP Relaxation (of an IP minimization problem) to the nearest integer values provides:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. a feasible but not necessarily optimal integer solution 2. an integer solution that is optimal 3. an integer solution that might be neither feasible nor optimal 4. an infeasible solution 	2.0	0.00
		A1 : 1		
		A2 : 2		

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

19	15531019	<p>A toy company manufactures two types of toys A and B. Demand for toy B is at most half of that of toy A. Write the corresponding constraint if x toys of type A and y toys of type B are manufactured.</p> <p>1. $x/2 \leq y$ 2. $2y - x \geq 0$ 3. $x - 2y \geq 0$ 4. $x < 2y$</p> <p>A1 : 1 A2 : 2 A3 : 3 A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

20	15531020	<p>Infeasibility means that the number of solutions to the linear programming models that satisfies all constraints are</p> <p>1. Only one 2. An infinite number 3. Zero 4. At least two</p> <p>A1 : 1 A2 : 2 A3 : 3 A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

21	15531021	<p>The objective function for a L.P model is $3x_1 + 2x_2$, if the optimal solution is at (20,30), What is the value of the objective function?</p> <p>1. 50 2. 130 3. 600 4. 120</p> <p>A1 : 1 A2 : 2</p>	2.0	0.00
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A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

22 15531022

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In integer programming problems, binary variables are those which can take:

1. Only positive integer values
2. Any value between 0 and 1
3. Only 0 or 1 values
4. Any integer value

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

23 15531023

2.0

0.00

An integer variable in an integer programming problem can take values that are:

1. Any real number
2. Only odd numbers
3. Only even numbers
4. Only integers

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

24 15531024

2.0

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Binary variables are often used in integer programming to represent:

1. number of units to produce
2. number of units to transport from origin i to destination j
3. number of facilities (such as service centres) to be made available
4. Either/or decisions

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

25	15531025	<p>Which of the following statements is true regarding the optimal solution of the LP relaxation of a problem with integer variables?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Will be an integer valued solution 2. Can be an integer valued solution but not always 3. Can never be an integer valued solution 4. Can be rounded off to obtain the optimal solution to the integer problem 	2.0	0.00
		A1 : 1		
		A2 : 2		
		A3 : 3		
		A4 : 4		

Objective Question

26	15531026	<p>A binary variable is sometimes called a:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Continuous variable 2. Integer variable 3. Dummy variable 4. Logical variable 	2.0	0.00
		A1 : 1		
		A2 : 2		
		A3 : 3		
		A4 : 4		

Objective Question

27	15531027	<p>Region represented by $x \geq 0$, $y \geq 0$ on a graph is the:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. First Quadrant 2. Second Quadrant 3. Third Quadrant 4. Fourth Quadrant 	2.0	0.00
		A1 : 1		
		A2 : 2		
		A3 : 3		

A4 : 4

Objective Question

28	15531028	<p>Which of the following is NOT a characteristic of binary variables in integer programming?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. They can only take the values 0 or 1 2. They represent yes/no decisions 3. They are used to model logical decisions 4. They are continuous variables <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

29	15531029	<p>Which statement characterizes standard form of a linear programming problem?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Constraints are given by inequalities of any type 2. Constraints are given by a set of linear equations 3. Constraints are given only by inequalities of \geq type 4. Constraints are given only by inequalities of \leq type <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

30	15531030	<p>The Goals in multi-criteria decision making are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fixed targets 2. Optional targets 3. Unimportant targets 4. Flexible targets <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

31	15531031	<p>What is the main difference between goals and hard constraints in decision making?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Goals can be ignored, while hard constraints cannot be. Goals are flexible, while hard constraints are fixed Goals are fixed, while hard constraints are flexible Hard constraints are subordinate to goals <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

32	15531032	<p>Satisficing solutions in decision making refer to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Solutions that barely meet the minimum requirements Solutions that are constantly changing Solutions that completely satisfy all criteria Solutions that achieve the best possible outcome <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

33	15531033	<p>The variable that is introduced in the simplex method to eliminate greater-than (>) constraints:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Artificial Variable Basic Variable Surplus Variable Slack Variable <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

34	15531034	<p>Identify the feasible region given by the set of constraints:</p> <p>$x - y \leq 1$, $x - y \geq 2$ where both x and y are positive.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A triangle 2. A rectangle 3. An unbounded region 4. No feasible region <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

35	15531035	<p>A linear programming problem has 6 main constraints and 3 non negativity constraints corresponding to the variables in the problem.</p> <p>What is the upper bound for the number of extreme point candidates:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 504 2. 120 3. 20 4. 84 <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

36	15531036	<p>Total number of constraints in a linear programming problem are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Greater than the number of variables 2. Can be infinite in number 3. Finite in number 4. Equals to the number of variables <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p>	2.0	0.00
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A4 : 4

Objective Question

37 15531037

The inequality $x_1 + 4x_2 - 7x_3 \leq 11$ can be converted into equality by using:

1. Slack Variable
2. Surplus Variable
3. Artificial variable
4. Any variable

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

2.0 0.00

Objective Question

38 15531038

Which one of the statements is true for a non-basic decision variable in linear programming where all variables have a zero lower bound and no upper bound?

1. A variable that can take any value in the optimal solution.
2. A variable with a non-zero value in the optimal solution.
3. A variable with a zero value in the optimal solution.
4. A slack variable.

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

2.0 0.00

Objective Question

39 15531039

The type of problems that can be solved using prescriptive analytic techniques are:

1. Product Mix decisions
2. Location Decisions
3. Distribution Decisions
4. None of the above options

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

2.0 0.00

A4 : 4

Objective Question

40	15531040	<p>In the primal optimal solution, if the decision variable has non-zero value, then</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The corresponding dual constraint will be a binding constraint 2. The corresponding dual constraint will be a non-binding constraint 3. The corresponding constraint dual variable is non-zero 4. The corresponding dual constraint may or may not be binding <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

41	15531041	<p>In a linear programming problem, what does a non-negativity constraint represent?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the decision variables must be greater than zero. 2. That the decision variables must be less than zero. 3. That the decision variables must be equal to zero. 4. That the decision variables can take any value. <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

42	15531042	<p>For the LPP:</p> <p>Maximize $Z = 3x + 5y$,</p> <p>subject to: $x + 4y \leq 24$, $3x + y \leq 21$, $x + y \leq 9$, $x \geq 0$, $y \geq 0$, the optimal solution is:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. (1, 0) 2. (0, 6) 3. (4, 5) 4. (6, 3) <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p>	2.0	0.00
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A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

43	15531043	<p>The maximum value of $Z = 3x + 4y$</p> <p>subjected to constraints $x + y \leq 4$, $x \geq 0$ and $y \geq 0$ is:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 12 2. 14 3. 16 4. 20 <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

44	15531044	<p>Which of the following problems is best suited for linear integer programming?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Scheduling employees to shifts 2. Modelling the behaviour of gases 3. Simulating the weather 4. Predicting stock market trends and graphs <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

45	15531045	<p>A transportation problem where the total demand or requirement is equal to the total available resources is known as</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Balanced transportation problem 2. Regular transportation problem 3. Resource allocation transportation problem 4. Simple transportation problem <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p>	2.0	0.00
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A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

46 15531046

2.0 0.00

The objective function of a linear programming problem is

1. Not related to the decision variables
2. A function of the decision variables
3. A relationship between the decision variables
4. A function of the slack variables

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

47 15531047

2.0 0.00

The purpose of sensitivity analysis in prescriptive analytics is to analyze the impact of changes in _____ on the optimal solution and objective function value.

1. Decision Variables
2. Input Parameters
3. Constraints
4. Uncertainty

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

48 15531048

2.0 0.00

Sensitivity analysis is more complex in integer programming compared to linear programming because:

1. The constraints are non-linear
2. Integer programming does not involve constraints
3. The feasible region of an integer programming problem is discrete
4. Integer programming problems always have multiple optimal solutions

A1 : 1

A2 : 2

A3 : 3

A4 : 4

Objective Question

49	15531049	<p>If at least one of the basic variables is zero in the optimal solution of an LPP, then the solution is:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Feasible Solution 2. Basic Solution 3. Degenerate basic solution 4. Non-degenerate basic solution <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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Objective Question

50	15531050	<p>The best use of LPP models is to find an optimal use of</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Money 2. Man power 3. Machine 4. All the above <p>A1 : 1</p> <p>A2 : 2</p> <p>A3 : 3</p> <p>A4 : 4</p>	2.0	0.00
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