



UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL
BBA Honours 3rd Semester Examination, 2020

GE3-BBA (304)

QUANTITATIVE TECHNIQUES FOR MANAGEMENT

Full Marks: 60

ASSIGNMENT

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
All symbols are of usual significance.*

Answer any two assignments

1. (a) Solve graphically the following LPP: 12+18=30
Maximize $z = 8x + 5y$
Subject to the constraints:
 $x \leq 150$,
 $y \leq 250$,
 $2x + y \leq 500$,
and $(x, y) \geq 0$.
- (b) An oil company requires 12,000, 20,000, and 15,000 barrels of high-grade, medium-grade and low-grade oil respectively. Refinery A produces 100, 300 and 200 barrels per day of high-grade, medium-grade and low-grade oil respectively, while refinery B produces 200, 400 and 100 barrels per day of high-grade, medium-grade and low-grade oil respectively. If refinery A cost Rs. 40,000 per day and refinery B cost Rs.30,000 per day to operate, for how many days should each B run to minimize cost while satisfying requirements? (Solve it using Simplex Method).
2. (a) Solve the following LPP by Big-M Method: 20+10=30
Minimize $z = x_1 - 3x_2 + 2x_3$
Subject to the constraints:
 $3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 \leq 7$,
 $-2x_1 + 4x_2 \leq 12$,
 $-4x_1 + 3x_2 + 8x_3 \leq 10$,
and $(x_1, x_2, x_3) \geq 0$.
- (b) Prove that dual of dual is the primal of a Linear Programming Problem.

3. (a) For the following transportation problem obtain the different starting solutions by adopting the North-West corner method and Vogel's approximation method and find out which solution is better? 18+12 = 30

	D_1	D_2	D_3	a_i
O_1	5	1	8	12
O_2	2	4	0	14
O_3	3	6	7	4
b_j	9	10	11	

- (b) Obtain an optimal basic feasible solution to the following transportation problem:

	W_1	W_2	W_3	W_4	
F_1	19	30	50	10	7
F_2	70	30	40	60	9
F_3	40	8	70	20	18
	5	8	7	14	

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