

MATH 1310 Assignment 2

[20] 1. Use the corner point method to solve the following linear programming problems.

(a) Find the maximum value of $Z = 20x + 30y$ subject to the following constraints:

$$-x + 2y \leq 40, \quad x + 4y \geq 54, \quad 3x + y \leq 63, \quad x \geq 0, \quad y \geq 0$$

(b) Find the minimum value of $Z = 5x + 3y$ subject to the following constraints:

$$3x + y \geq 30, \quad 4x + 3y \geq 60, \quad x + 2y \geq 20, \quad x \geq 0, \quad y \geq 0$$

[10] 2. A trucker is asked to deliver 2 kinds of desks to a furniture store. The standard desk weighs 50 kilos and the deluxe desk weighs 75 kilos. The truck has a capacity of at most 30 desks. In addition, weight restrictions only allow for the truck to carry at most 1800 kilos. If the trucker receives \$15 for each standard desk and \$20 for each deluxe desk that he delivers, how many desks of each type should he carry in order to maximize his income?

[15] 3. Use the simplex method to maximize $p = 5x + 4y + 3z$ subject to the constraints:

$$x \geq 0, \quad y \geq 0, \quad z \geq 0, \quad x + y + z \leq 30, \quad 2x + y + 3z \leq 60, \quad 3x + 2y + 4z \leq 84$$

[15] 4. Use the simplex method to find the maximum value of $p = 10x + 5y + 12z$ subject to the constraints.

$$x + 3y + 2z \leq 60, \quad 2x + y + 3z \leq 60, \quad 2x + y + 2z \leq 42, \quad x \geq 0, \quad y \geq 0, \quad z \geq 0.$$