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SEMESTER - V

20UCSET5001 - Resource Management Techniques

Total Duration : 2 Hrs 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

**Section A**

Answer any **SIX** questions ( $6 \times 5 = 30$  Marks)

1. What are the characteristics of an O.R problem?
2. What is feasibility region in LP problem? Is it necessary that it should always be a convex set?
3. Solve the transportation problem:

	To				Supply
From	1	2	3	4	6
	4	3	2	0	8
	0	2	2	1	10
Demand	4	6	8	6	

4. Define an unbalanced assignment problem. Find the job assignment that will minimize the cost.

	1	2	3	4
A	18	24	28	32
B	8	13	17	19
C	10	15	19	22

5. There are 7 jobs, each of which has to go through the machines A and B in the order AB. Processing times (in hours) are given as follows:

Job	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
M/c A	3	12	15	6	10	11	9
M/c B	8	10	10	6	12	1	3

Determine a sequence of these jobs that will minimise the total elapsed time. Also calculate the various idle times.

6. Solve by graphical method:

	B1	B2	B3
A1	4	-1	0
A2	-1	4	2

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7. Draw the network for the project whose activities and their precedence relationships are as given below:

Activities	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Immediate Predecessors	-	A	A	-	D	B,C,E	F	E	G,H

8. For the following project, draw the network and find the critical path. Also calculate the earliest, latest and slack times for all events

Activity	1-2	2-3	2-4	2-5	3-5	4-6	5-7	6-7
Duration (in weeks)	5	8	7	5	2	9	6	3

### Section B

Answer any **THREE** questions ( $3 \times 10 = 30$  Marks)

9. Find the non-negative values of  $x_1$ ,  $x_2$  and  $x_3$  which

$$\text{Max } z = 3x_1 + 2x_2 + 5x_3$$

$$\text{subject to } x_1 + 4x_2 \leq 420;$$

$$3x_1 + 2x_3 \leq 460 ;$$

$$2x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 \leq 430.$$

10. Solve the transportation problem

		Destination				
Source		A	B	C	D	Supply
	1	11	20	7	8	50
	2	21	16	20	12	40
	3	8	12	18	9	70
	Demand	30	25	35	40	

11. Determine the minimum time needed to process the two jobs on four machines m1,m2,m3,m4. The technological order for these jobs is as given below:

Job1	m1	m2	m3	m4
Job2	m4	m2	m1	m3

Processing time(hours) are as given below:

	m1	m2	m3	m4
Job1	5	7	8	4
Job2	5	8	6	9

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12. Using the dominance property obtain the optimal strategies for both the players and determine the value of the game. The pay off matrix for player A is given below

		Player B				
		I	II	III	IV	V
Player A	I	2	4	3	8	4
	II	5	6	3	7	8
	III	6	7	9	8	7
	IV	4	2	8	4	3

13. The data for a small project is given below:

Activity(i-j) days	A	B	C	D	E	F
optimistic time	9	14	16	24	28	18
most likely time	10	20	20	30	36	20
pessimistic time	14	26	22	36	46	21

Precedence relationships: A,B can start immediately.

$A < C, D$ ;  $B < C, D$ ;  $C < E$ ;  $D, E < F$ .

Find the expected activity time and their variances. Calculate the earliest and latest expected time to reach node.

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