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 Department of Mathematics, School of Physical Sciences  
 Mid Semester Examination, Even Semester 2017-18

Class : Int.M.Sc.Mathematics  
 Course: Linear Programming  
 Time Allowed : 2 Hours

Semester : VI  
 Course Code: MAD-353  
 Max Marks : 30

**Note:** Attempt all **Four** questions in Section A. Each question carries **1.5** marks.  
 Attempt any **Three** questions in Section B. Each question carries **4** marks.  
 Attempt any **Two** questions in Section C. Each question carries **6** marks.

**Section: A**

(Very Short Answer Type Questions)

Attempt all Four questions.

[4×1.5 = 6 Marks]

1. Describe the following terms (i) Basic feasible solution (ii) Convex hull (iii) Hyperplane.
2. Examine the convexity of the set  $S = \{(x_1, x_2) : x_1 \leq 2, x_2 \leq 3, x_1 \geq 0, x_2 \geq 0\}$ .
3. Write the dual of the linear programming problem(LPP):  
 Maximize  $Z = 2x_1 + 3x_2 + 4x_3$   
 Subject to:  $2x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 \leq 4$ ;  $3x_1 + 4x_2 + 5x_3 \geq 5$ ;  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 7$ ,  $x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0$ .
4. Prove that dual of the dual is primal.

**Section B**

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Attempt any Three questions.

[3×4 = 12 Marks]

5. Prove that a set  $S$  is convex iff every convex linear combination of points in  $S$  belongs to  $S$ .
6. Prove that in a LPP if the optimum of  $f(X)$  occurs at an interior point  $X_0$  of  $S_F$ , then  $f(X)$  is constant throughout  $S_F$  (set of feasible solutions).
7. Use Graphical method for solving the following LPP:  
 Maximize  $Z = 5x_1 + 3x_2$   
 Subject to:  $4x_1 + 5x_2 \leq 10$ ;  $5x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 10$ ;  $3x_1 + 8x_2 \leq 12$ ;  $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$ .
8. Use Simplex method to solving the following LPP:  
 Maximize  $Z = 2x_1 + 5x_2 + 7x_3$   
 Subject to:  $3x_1 + 2x_2 + 4x_3 \leq 100$ ;  $x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 \leq 100$ ;  $x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 \leq 100$ ;  $x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0$ .

**Section C**

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Attempt any Two questions.

[2×6 = 12 Marks]

9. Prove that a vertex of  $S_F \iff$  a basic feasible solution(B.F.S.).
10. Solve the following LPP using Two-Phase method:  
 Minimize  $Z = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$   
 Subject to:  $x_1 - 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 5$ ;  $x_1 - 2x_2 \leq 3$ ;  $2x_2 + x_3 \geq 4$ ;  $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$  and  $x_3$  is unrestricted.
11. Solve the following LPP using Big-M method:  
 Maximize  $Z = x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 - x_4$   
 Subject to:  $x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 - x_4 = 15$ ;  $2x_1 + x_2 + 5x_3 = 20$ ;  $x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 10$ ;  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 \geq 0$ .