

cmput 304 2023 study questions 6

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$$6 * x_1 + 2 * x_2 \leq 15$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0$$

1. For the LP above

a) above and to the right, give the dual of the LP. Use format similar to above, i.e. with variables y_1, y_2, \dots

b) here, sketch the feasible region:

c) give an optimal solution and value. Answer like this: (30, 40) 39.5.

d) explain briefly how you know your answer to c) is correct

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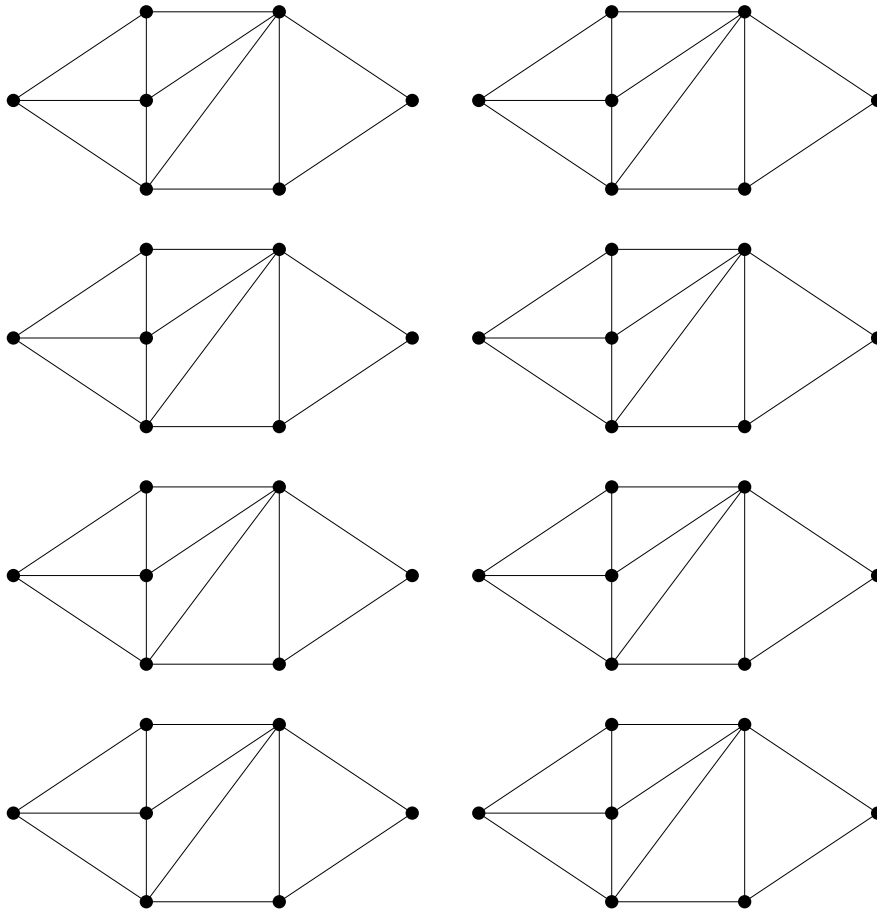
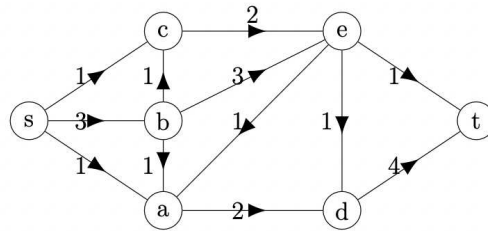
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2. For the LP above

a) above and to the right, rewrite the problem in vector format, give the vectors c, b, x , and give the matrix A .

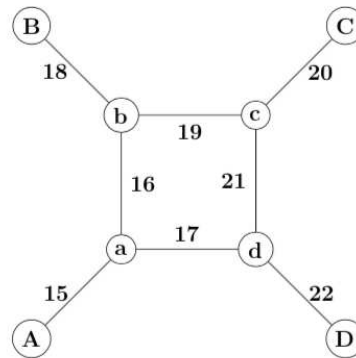
b) below, give the equivalent LP in less-equal format. Explain your work.

3. Using the residual network method, find a max flow and a min cut for this network. Show your work on the diagrams below. Give your final answer like this: 8 {s, a, b, d, t}



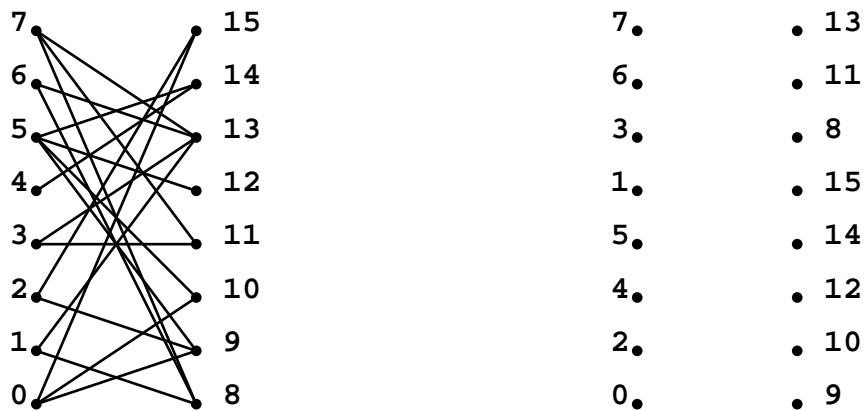
4. Formulate the above max flow problem as an LP. Hint: there will 12 variables, one for each network arc.

5. a) Explain how max flow polytime transforms to LP. b) Explain why there is always an all-integer solution to any max flow problem with all-integer capacities.
6. You manage a communications network with users A,B,C only (D is no longer involved) and bandwidths shown in the figure below. You need to establish connections between A-B, A-C, and B-C, which pay \$5, \$4, \$3 respectively per unit bandwidth. Between each pair of users at least 7 units must be routed.



Each connection has two possible routes. For A-B, x_{AB} is traffic volume along A-a-b-B, y_{AB} is volume along A-a-d-c-b-B; define x_{BC} , y_{BC} , similarly; x_{AC} , y_{AC} is traffic along A-a-b-c-C, A-a-d-c-D respectively. You want to maximize this network's revenue. Using the variables above, formulate this problem as an LP:

- a) Give the objective function.
- b) Give the system of (in)equalities.
- c) Give a feasible solution.



8. Above left is a bipartite graph $G = (V_0, V_1, E)$.

a) In G , give V_0 and V_E .

b) In G , give a matching of size 3. Answer like this: $\{ (1,10), (3, 11), (5, 8) \}$.

c) In G , give a matching of size 7. Answer as in the previous question. Hint: redraw G on the nodes above right.

Below is an s - t flow network H : arrows on middle arcs have been omitted, they are all from left to right; each arc has capacity 1.

d) In H , give a cut of size 7. Hint: look at the redrawing from c).

e) Prove that your matching in c) is a maximum matching.

