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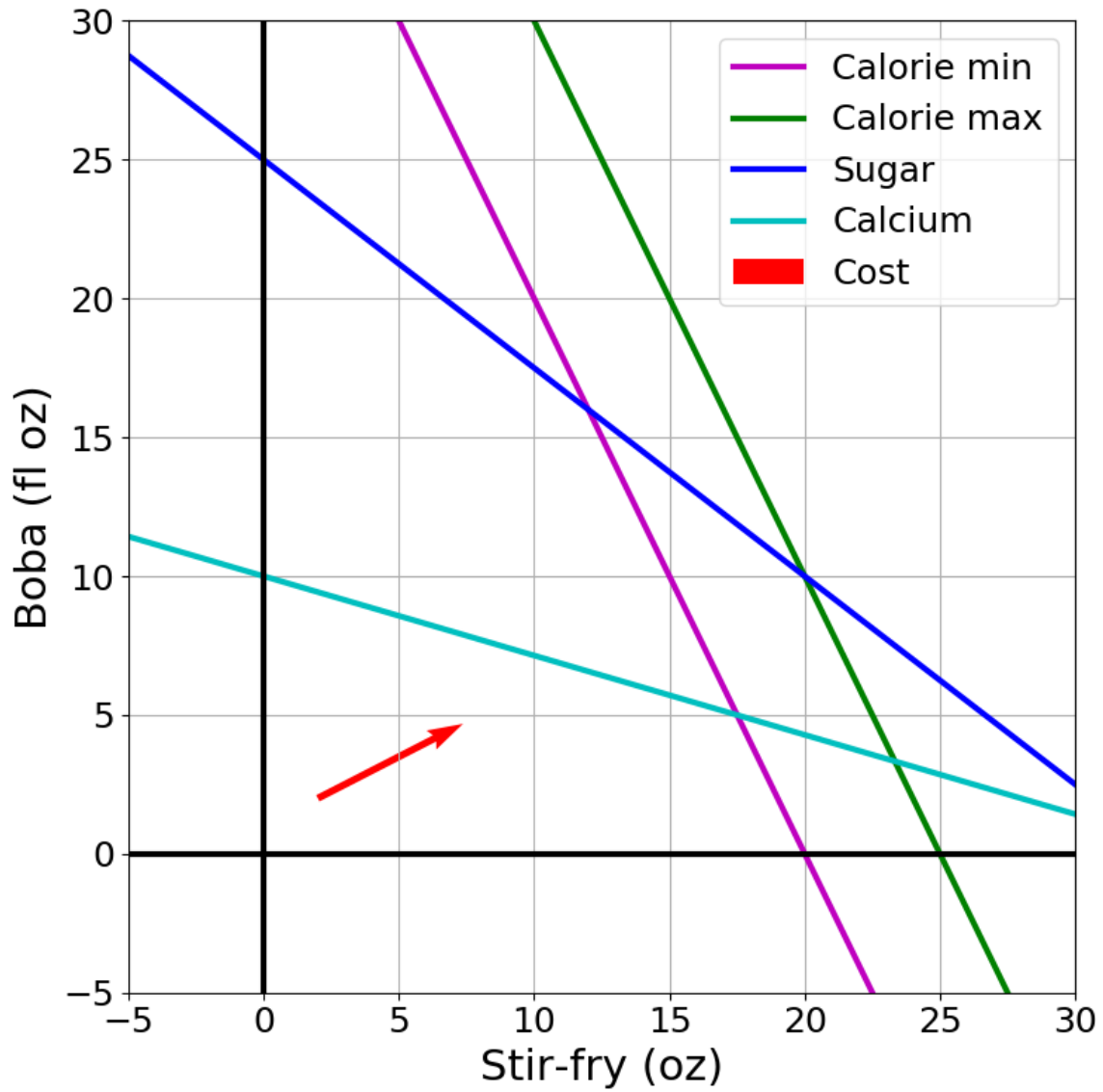
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Announcements

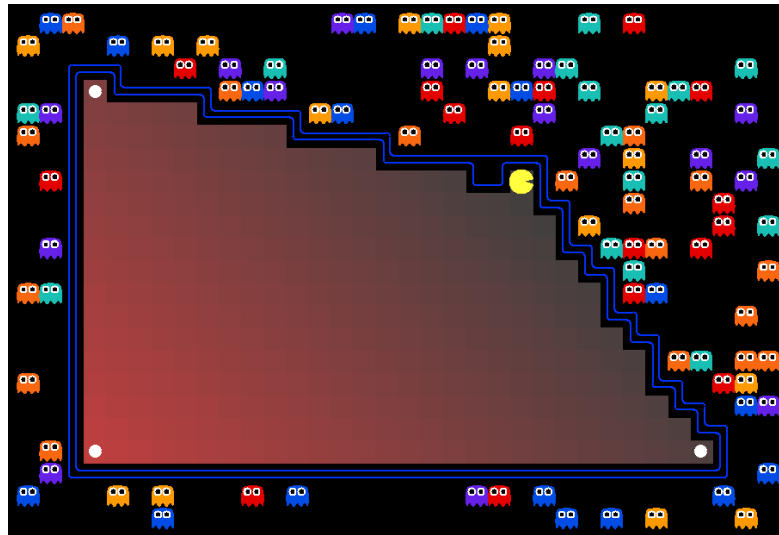
Assignments:

- HW3 (online)
 - Due Tonight, 10 pm
- HW4 (online)
 - Due 2/14, 10 pm
- P1: Search and Games due yesterday!! *Wednesday*
- P2: Linear/Integer Programming
 - Due 2/23, 10pm (1 week after the exam)
- Exam 1 Feb 16!



AI: Representation and Problem Solving

Linear Programming



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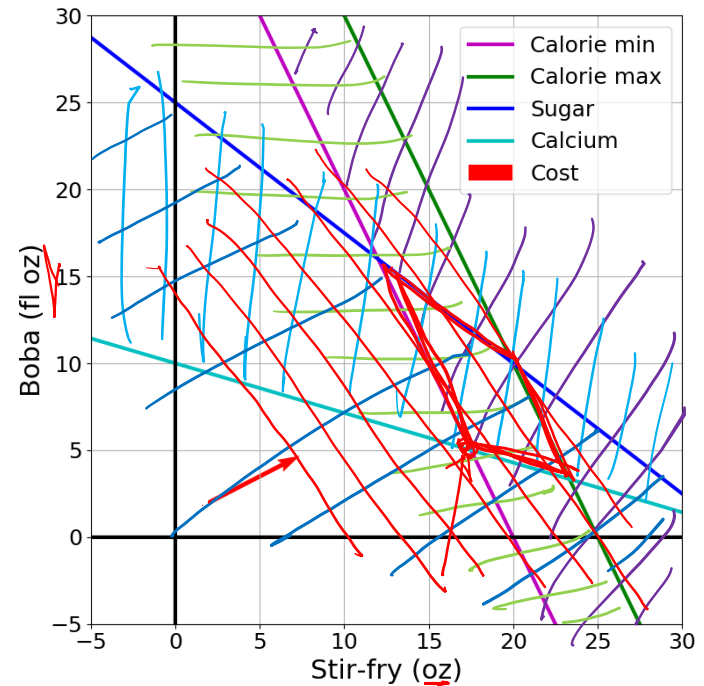
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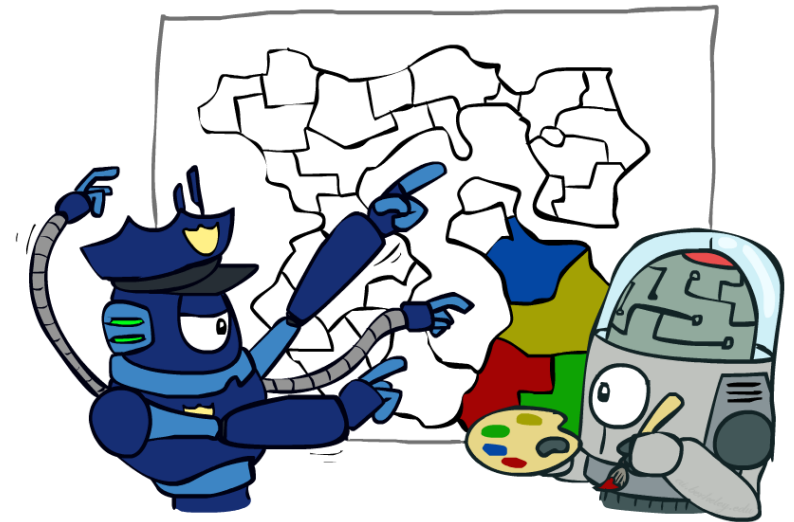
Graphical Representation



Constraint Satisfaction Problems

Map coloring

Any \vec{x} $\leftarrow [x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots]$
s.t. x satisfies constraints



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Optimization Formulation

Diet Problem

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Optimization Formulation

Diet Problem

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Objective

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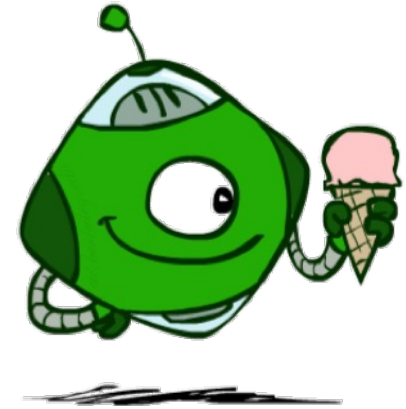
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Optimization Formulation

Diet Problem

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$$\begin{array}{l} \rightarrow \text{cal}(\mathbf{x}) \geq 2000 \\ \text{cal}(\mathbf{x}) \leq 2500 \end{array}$$



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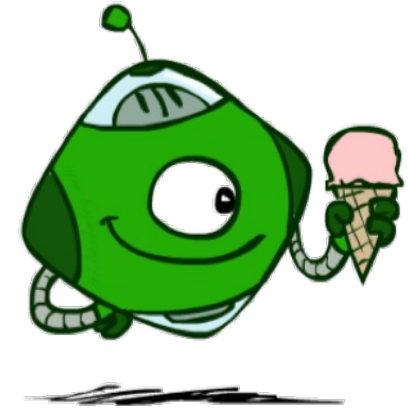
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Diet Problem

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min_{x_1, x_2} & 1 x_1 + 0.5 x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} & \underline{100} x_1 + 50 x_2 \geq \underline{2000} \\ & 100 x_1 + 50 x_2 \leq \underline{2500} \\ & 3 x_1 + 4 x_2 \leq 100 \\ & 20 x_1 + 70 x_2 \geq 700 \end{array}$$

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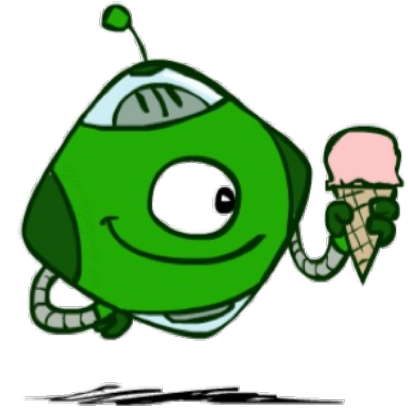
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$\rightarrow X_2$	Boba (per fl oz)	<u>0.5</u>	<u>50</u>	4	70

Optimization Formulation

Diet Problem



$$\begin{aligned} \min_{x_1, x_2} \quad & c_1 x_1 + c_2 x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & a_{1,1} x_1 + a_{1,2} x_2 \geq b_1 \\ & a_{2,1} x_1 + a_{2,2} x_2 \leq b_2 \\ & a_{3,1} x_1 + a_{3,2} x_2 \leq b_3 \\ & a_{4,1} x_1 + a_{4,2} x_2 \geq b_4 \end{aligned}$$

Cost

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix} \times$$

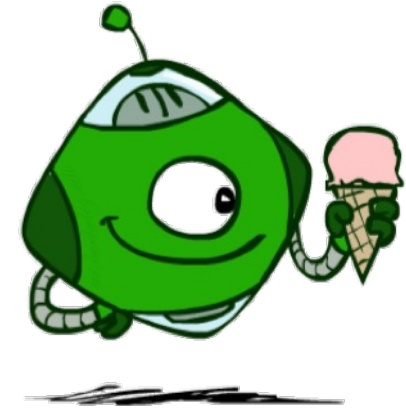
	Stir-fry	Boba	Limit	
$A =$	$\begin{bmatrix} 100 & 50 \\ 100 & 50 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 20 & 70 \end{bmatrix}$		$b =$	$\begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 2500 \\ 100 \\ 700 \end{bmatrix}$
				Calorie min
				Calorie max
				Sugar
				Calcium

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Optimization Formulation

Diet Problem

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \min_x & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\
 \text{s.t.} & a_{1,1} x_1 + a_{1,2} x_2 \geq b_1 \\
 & a_{2,1} x_1 + a_{2,2} x_2 \leq b_2 \\
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 \end{array}$$



Cost

$$\mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix} > \text{variable}$$

	<p style="color: blue;">Stir-fry</p> <p style="color: blue;">Boba</p>		
constraint	$A = \begin{bmatrix} 100 & 50 \\ 100 & 50 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 20 & 70 \end{bmatrix}$	$b = \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 2500 \\ 100 \\ 700 \end{bmatrix}$	<p>Limit</p> <p>Calorie min</p> <p>Calorie max</p> <p>Sugar</p> <p>Calcium</p>

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Optimization Formulation

Diet Problem

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min_x & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{s.t.} & -a_{1,1} x_1 - a_{1,2} x_2 \leq -b_1 \\ & a_{2,1} x_1 + a_{2,2} x_2 \leq b_2 \\ & a_{3,1} x_1 + a_{3,2} x_2 \leq b_3 \\ & -a_{4,1} x_1 - a_{4,2} x_2 \leq -b_4 \end{array}$$

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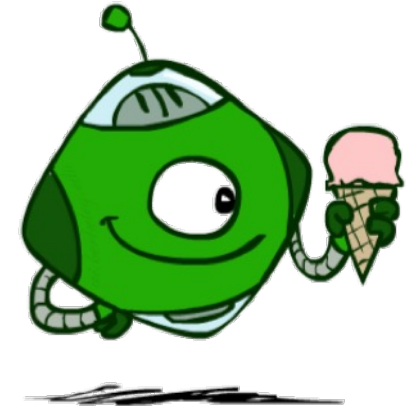
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Optimization Formulation

Diet Problem

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1 number



Cost

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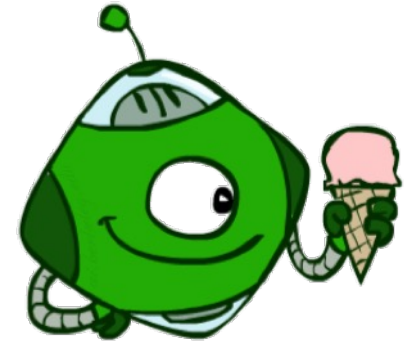
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$\mathbf{b} =$

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Poll 1

What has to increase to add more nutrition constraints?



$$\begin{array}{ll} \min_x & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{s.t.} & \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \end{array}$$

Select all that apply

- A) length \mathbf{x}
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- C) height \mathbf{A}
- D) width \mathbf{A}
- E) length \mathbf{b}



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Poll 2

What has to increase to add more menu items?

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min_x & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{s.t.} & \mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \end{array}$$

$$[x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3]$$



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$$\begin{array}{c} \mathbf{A} \quad \mathbf{x} \\ \left[\begin{array}{|c|} \hline - \\ \hline - \\ \hline - \\ \hline - \\ \hline \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{|c|} \hline - \\ \hline - \\ \hline - \\ \hline - \\ \hline \end{array} \right] \\ \mathbf{c}^T \left[\begin{array}{|c|} \hline 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \mathbf{x} \\ \hline - \\ \hline - \\ \hline \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$

$$\mathbf{b} \left[\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \\ \hline \\ \hline \\ \hline \\ \hline \end{array} \right]$$

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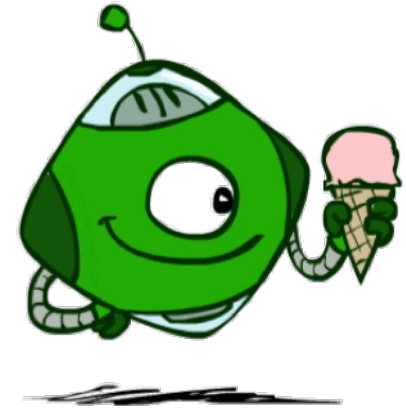
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Poll 3

If $A \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times N}$, which of the following also equals N ?

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min_x & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{s.t.} & \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \end{array}$$



Select all that apply

- A) length \mathbf{x}
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Notation Alert!

Hand-drawn dimension analysis for the constraint equations:

$$\begin{array}{l} \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ \begin{array}{l} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{l} (M \times N) \quad (N \times 1) \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \\ \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \begin{array}{l} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{l} (1 \times N) \quad (N \times 1) \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{array} \end{array}$$

The diagram shows the dimensions of the matrices and vectors in the constraint equations. For $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b}$, \mathbf{A} is $(M \times N)$, \mathbf{x} is $(N \times 1)$, and \mathbf{b} is $(M \times 1)$. For $\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}$, \mathbf{c}^T is $(1 \times N)$ and \mathbf{x} is $(N \times 1)$. Arrows indicate the multiplication of dimensions.



Linear Programming

Linear objective with linear constraints

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min. & \underline{\underline{\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}}} \\ \text{s.t.} & \mathbf{Ax} \leq \mathbf{b} \end{array}$$

As opposed to general optimization

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min. & f_0(\mathbf{x}) \\ \text{s.t.} & f_i(\mathbf{x}) \leq 0, \quad i = 1 \dots M \\ & \underline{\underline{\mathbf{a}_i^T \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}_i}}, \quad i = 1 \dots P \end{array}$$

Linear Programming

Different formulations

Inequality form

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min. & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{s.t.} & \mathbf{Ax} \leq \mathbf{b} \end{array}$$



General form

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min. & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{d} \\ \text{s.t.} & \mathbf{Gx} \leq \mathbf{h} \\ & \mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b} \end{array}$$

Standard form

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min. & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{s.t.} & \mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Important to pay attention to form!

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Can switch between formulations!

Optimization

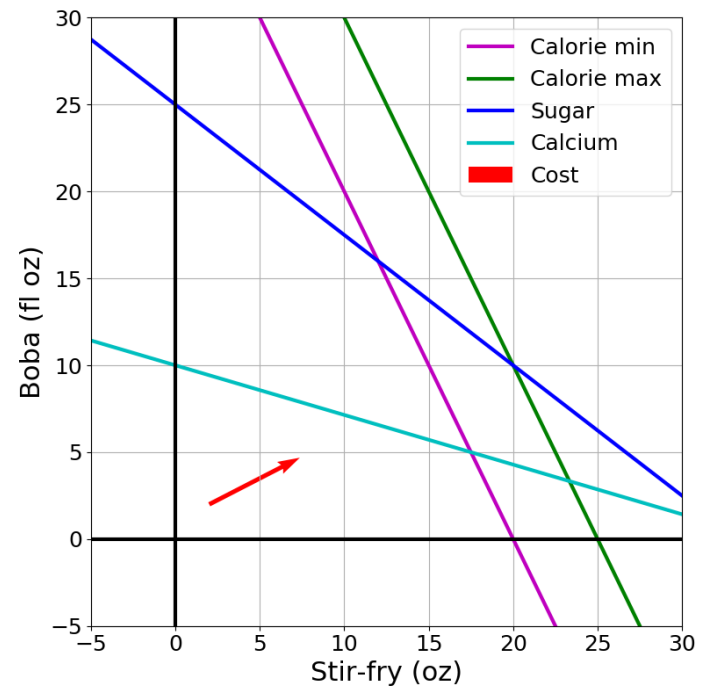
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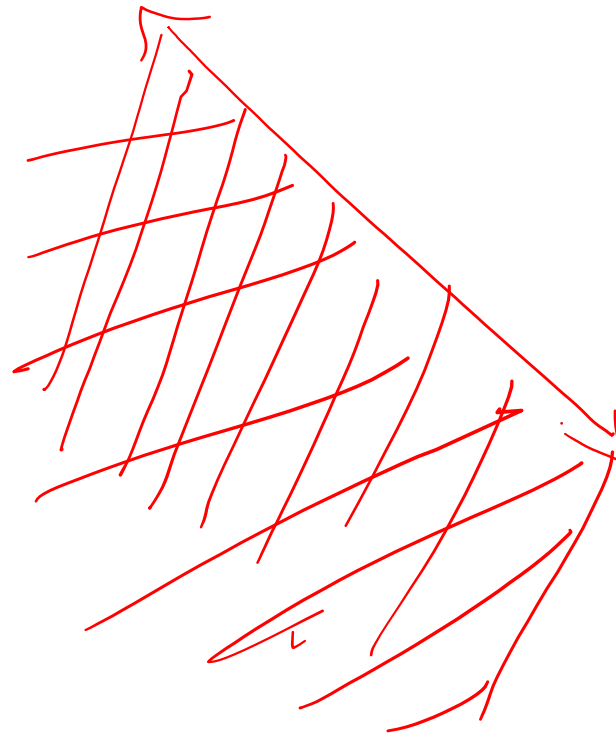


Graphics Representation

Geometry / Algebra I Quiz

What shape does this inequality represent?

$$a_1 x_1 + a_2 x_2 \leq b_1$$



Graphics Representation

Geometry / Algebra I Quiz

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$$a_1 x_1 + a_2 x_2 = b_1$$

line

$$a_1 x_1 + a_2 x_2 \leq b_1$$

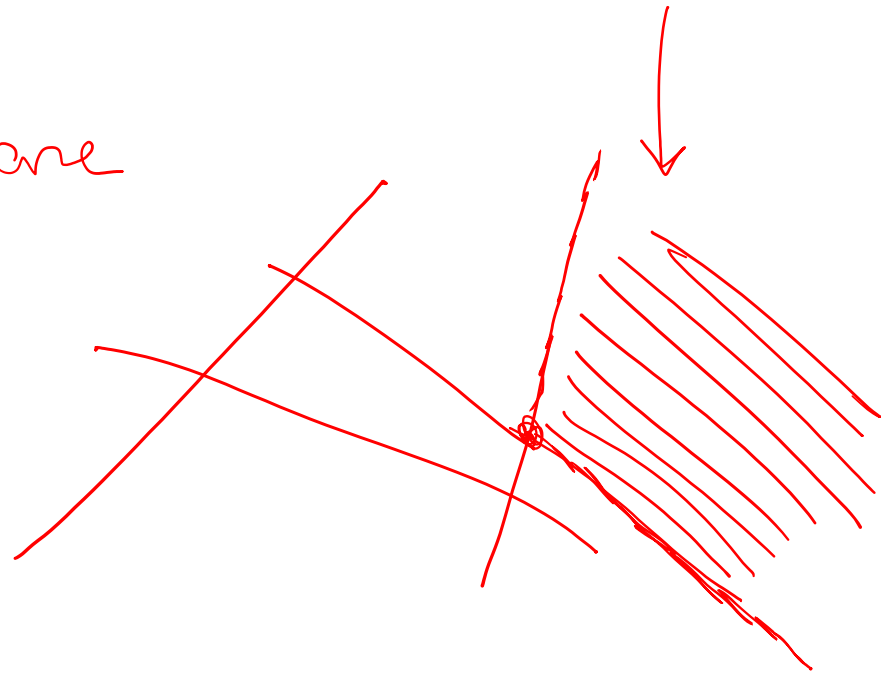
half plane

$$a_{1,1} x_1 + a_{1,2} x_2 \leq b_1$$

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$$a_{3,1} x_1 + a_{3,2} x_2 \leq b_3$$

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Poll 4

What is the relationship between the half plane:

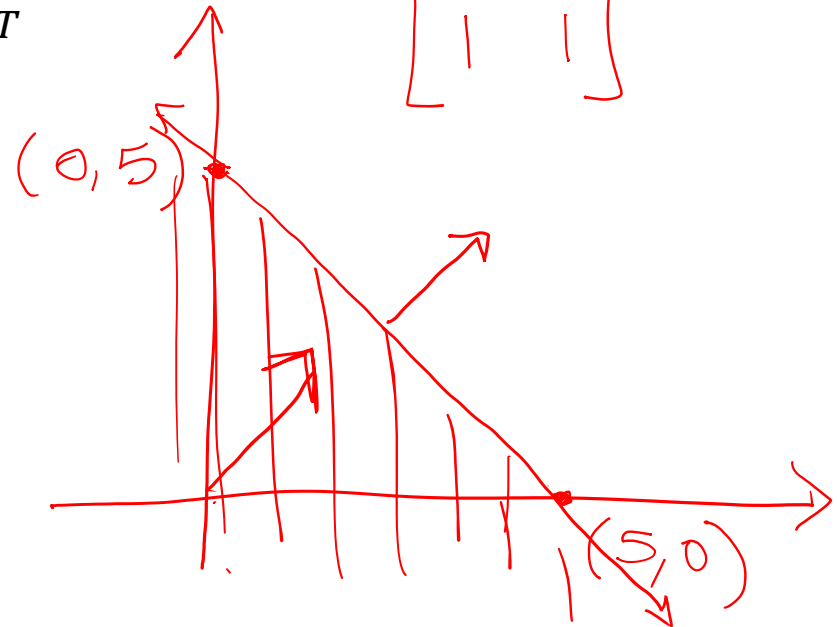
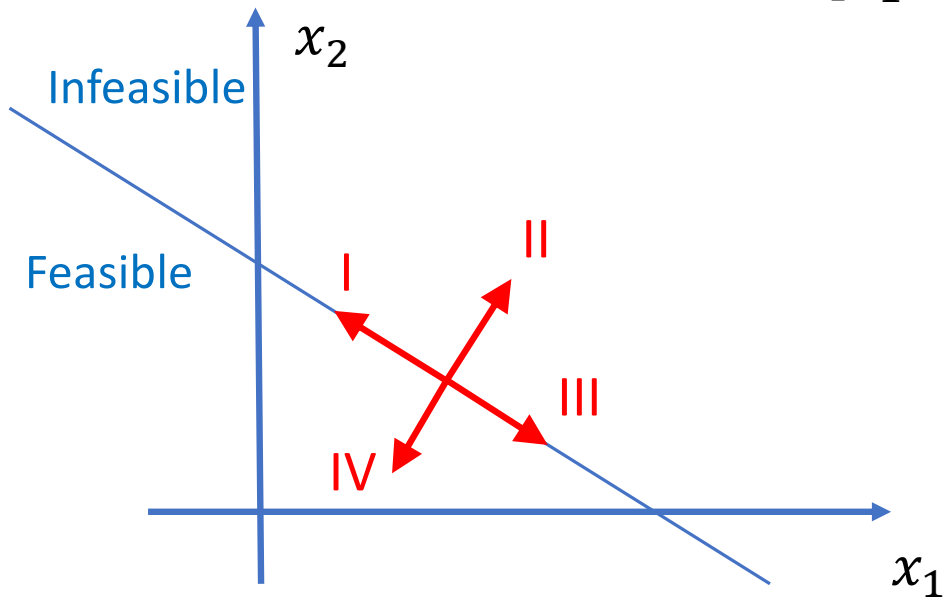
$$\underline{a_1} x_1 + \underline{a_2} x_2 \leq \underline{b_1}$$

and the vector:

$$[a_1, a_2]^T$$

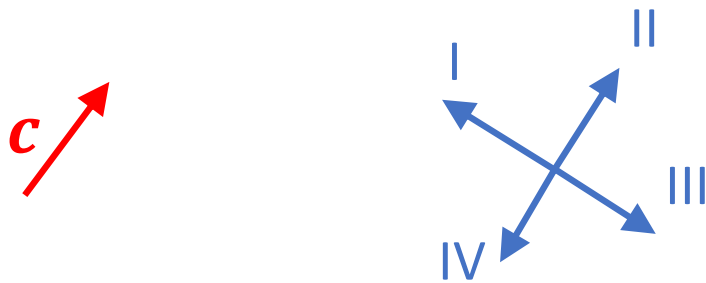
$$1x_1 + 1x_2 \leq 5$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Poll 5 STOP HERE

Given the cost vector $[c_1, c_2]^T$ and initial point $\mathbf{x}^{(0)}$,
Which unit vector step $\Delta \mathbf{x}$ will cause $\mathbf{x}^{(1)} = \mathbf{x}^{(0)} + \Delta \mathbf{x}$
to have the lowest cost $\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}^{(1)}$?



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Cost Contours

Given the cost vector $[c_1, c_2]^T$ where will

$$\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} = 0 ?$$

$$\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} = 1 ?$$

$$\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} = 2 ?$$

$$\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} = -1 ?$$

$$\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} = -2 ?$$

Poll 6

As the magnitude of \mathbf{c} increases, the distance between the contours lines of the objective $\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}$:

A) Increases

B) Decreases