

**Quiz 3 (Individual) for Statistics 213**  
**Probability and Decision Theory - Spring 1999**  
**Material Covered: Section 4.1 of Workbook and text**  
**For: 26th February**

This is a 15 minute quiz, worth 6% and marked out of 6 points. The total possible points awarded for each question is given in square brackets at the beginning of each question. Anything that can fit on one side of an  $8\frac{1}{2}$  by 11 inch piece of paper may be used as a reference during this quiz. A calculator and appropriate statistical tables may also be used. No other aids are permitted.

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1. Solve the standard maximization problem using the simplex method.

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Maximize} & x + y + z \\ \text{subject to} & x + 2y + z \leq 4 \\ & 2x + y + 3z \leq 6 \\ & x \geq 0 \\ & y \geq 0 \\ & z \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$x$	$y$	$z$	$u$	$v$	$P$	ratio
1	_____	1	1	0	0	4
2	1	3	0	1	0	_____
_____	-1	-1	0	0	1	0

$\frac{1}{2}R_2, R_1 - R_2, R_3 + R_1$   $\longrightarrow$

$x$	$y$	$z$	$u$	$v$	$P$

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Consequently, the optimal solution is  $(x, y, z) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

where  $P =$  \_\_\_\_\_.

1.

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 & 2x & + y + 3z \leq 6 \\
 & x & \geq 0 \\
 & & y \geq 0 \\
 & & z \geq 0
 \end{array}$$

$x$	$y$	$z$	$u$	$v$	$P$	ratio	
1	2	1	1	0	0	4	$\frac{4}{1} = 4$
2	1	3	0	1	0	6	$\frac{6}{2} = 3 \leftarrow \text{smallest ratio}$
-1	-1	-1	0	0	1	0	

most negative

$x$	$y$	$z$	$u$	$v$	$P$	ratio	
0	$\frac{3}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	1	$-\frac{1}{2}$	0	1	$\frac{4}{3/2} = \frac{8}{3} \leftarrow \text{smallest ratio}$
1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{2}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	3	$\frac{6}{1/2} = 6$
0	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$-\frac{1}{2}$	1	3	

most negative

$x$	$y$	$z$	$u$	$v$	$P$	ratio
0	1	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	0	$\frac{2}{3}$
1	0	$\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	0	$\frac{3}{2}$
0	0	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	1	$\frac{10}{3}$

So, the optimal solution is  $(x, y, z) = (\frac{8}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, 0)$  where  $P = \frac{10}{3}$ .