

B.Tech III Year II Semester (R09) Supplementary Examinations May/June 2017

OPTIMIZING TECHNIQUES

(Common to CSE and CSS)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

Answer any FIVE questions
All questions carry equal marks

- 1 Explain clearly the structure of optimization problems.
- 2 Minimize $f = \frac{1}{2}x_1^2 + \frac{3}{2}x_2^2 - x_1x_2 - 2x_2$ by the Fletcher-Reeves conjugate gradient method, starting from the point (4, -2).
- 3 Old hens can be bought for Rs. 2 each but young ones cost Rs. 5 each. The old hens lay 3 eggs per week and young ones 5 eggs per week, each egg being worth 30 paise. A hen cost Re. 1 per week to feed. If a person has only Rs. 80 to spend on the hens, how many of each kind should he buy to give a profit of more than Rs. 6 per week assuming that he cannot house more than 20 hens? Formulate the problem as LPP.

- 4 Find the optimal solution for the transportation problem.

Source	Destination					Supply
	1	2	3	4	5	
1	5	10	9	1	6	500
2	6	3	6	3	2	500
3	8	9	7	4	8	300
Demand	100	200	300	400	300	

- 5 State and prove Kuhn-Tucker necessary and sufficient conditions in non-linear programming.
- 6 Estimate upper and lower bounds on the variables and obtain a starting feasible solution for the following problem.
Minimize $f(x) = 3x_1^2 - 2x_2$
subject to $g_1(x) = 2x_1 + x_2 \geq 4$
 $g_2(x) = x_1^2 + x_2^2 \leq 40$
- 7 Solve the following nonlinear programming problem.
Minimize $Z = x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 5$
subject to $3x_1^4 + x_2 \leq 16$
 $x_1 + 2x_2^2 \leq 32$
 $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$

- 8 A small project is composed of seven activities whose time estimates are listed in the table below:

activity	Estimated duration (weeks)		
	Optimistic	Most likely	pessimistic
1-2	1	1	7
1-3	1	4	7
1-4	2	2	8
2-5	1	1	1
3-5	2	5	14
4-6	2	5	8
5-6	3	6	15

- (a) Draw the project network.
- (b) Find the expected duration of the each activity
- (c) If the project due date is 19 weeks, what is the probability of meeting the due date