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## ABSTRACT

This report documents one phase of an effort to provide users, of the facility operated by the National Bureau of Standards' Computer Services Division, with reliable, well-tested, clearly-described solution algorithms for selected frequently-arising classes of special mathematical problems. The report presents algorithms for the simplex and revised simplex methods of linear programming, as well as their adaptations to quadratic programming. Set up as subroutines, the present versions of these codes use internal storage only, with resultant limitations on the size of the problems which can be treated.

Key Words: Algorithms, linear programming, nonlinear programming, quadratic programming.



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## 1. INTRODUCTION

The "package" documented in this report consists of two subroutines: SIMPLX, which is an implementation of the simplex method for linear programming, and RVSMPX, which is an implementation of the revised simplex method for linear programming. In addition, both subroutines can solve some types of quadratic programming problems.

The primary goal during the development of this package was to provide reliable user-oriented subroutines for solving linear programming problems. Other desirable program attributes, such as efficiency with respect to core usage and time, and the extension of problem size, were considered to be of less importance. An abundance of monitoring prints is available; each is optional and may be printed or suppressed independently of the other outputs. All output appears on unit 6; there are no other references to peripheral devices within the subroutines. Since each program is a subroutine, there is a return to the calling routine regardless of whether the exit is normal (a solution has been found) or abnormal (the problem is infeasible, unbounded, ill-stated, or numerically unstable). Hence the user must, in his calling routine, test a status parameter upon return from the subroutine to determine the cause of the return.

The calling statements for the subroutines are as similar as possible. In all of these, A is the augmented constraint matrix, X is the output vector, L contains the output switches, etc. In fact, in the interests of standardization, the two subroutines were designed

to be as similar as possible with respect to variable names, error-handling, and output messages, without sacrificing any speed or efficiency intrinsic to the respective algorithms.

It is due to this similarity between SIMPLX and RVSMPX, and to an attempt at avoiding duplication, that the documentation here presented is in a somewhat "factored" form: sections 4, 5, and 6 contain information that is common to both subroutines and would have been duplicated had it not been "factored out" into its own section.

It is well-known [7] that the revised simplex method is faster and more efficient computationally than the original simplex method. The main reason for the inclusion of the simplex method is that since its computations are actually performed in the memory space occupied by the A matrix (the A matrix is the simplex tableau) and there is no need to store separately the inverse of the basis matrix, SIMPLX can solve somewhat larger problems than RVSMPX. This should be advantageous to the user whose problem is slightly too large for RVSMPX but not large enough to warrant the use of peripheral storage.

In the interests of completeness we mention here the rule used by RVSMPX and SIMPLX to break ties for the variable to leave the basis. The variable that is chosen to leave the basis when there is a tie is the variable whose pivot element is largest in magnitude. Although this rule does not guarantee the prevention of cycling, practical experience thus far has shown it to be effective.

This report is intended as a user's manual for RVSMPX and SIMPLX. The reader should have some familiarity with both linear and computer programming. Although some parts of the text do require more than a basic familiarity, the user will normally have no need to understand these sections.

## 2. THE SIMPLEX SUBROUTINE (SIMPLX)

SIMPLX finds, using the simplex method for linear programming, the maximum value of a linear objective function subject to a set of linear constraints with non-negative variables and non-negative right-hand-sides.

The problem is:

$$\text{maximize: } \sum_{j=1}^n c_j x_j$$

$$\text{subject to: } \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \leq b_i, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, l$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \geq b_i, \quad i = l+1, l+2, \dots, l+g$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j = b_i, \quad i = l+g+1, l+g+2, \dots, l+g+e$$

$$x_j \geq 0, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$b_i \geq 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

where  $n$  is the number of "real" (i.e., original) variables;  $m$ , which is equal to  $l + g + e$ , is the total number of constraints;  $l$  is the number of constraints with  $\leq$  signs (LE constraints);  $g$  is the number of constraints with  $\geq$  signs (GE constraints);  $e$  is the number of constraints with  $=$  signs (EQ constraints). Note the requirement that all  $b_i \geq 0$ .

Within the SIMPLX subroutine, the constraint set is transformed into a system of equations with an initial basic feasible solution through the addition of slack variables for the LE constraints, surplus variables for the GE constraints, and artificial variables for the GE and EQ constraints. The subroutine then proceeds with the "Two-Phase Method" for solving the problem.

During Phase I, an artificial objective function is constructed in such a way that when simplex iterations have driven it to zero, the basis contains no non-zero artificial variables, and is a basic feasible solution to the original problem. However, if the maximum of the artificial objective function is not zero, there is no solution to the original problem, and that problem is declared infeasible. On the other hand, if at the end of Phase I one or more artificial variables remain in the solution set (basis) at a zero level, then the constraints associated with those artificial variables are redundant (i.e., they are not needed). These variables will remain in the basis at a zero level throughout Phase II, and will be members of the final solution. Note that this allows an arbitrary relationship between the number of constraints and the number of variables in the original problem. Phase I is not required if all the constraints in the original systems are LE constraints, since the slack variables alone provide an initial basic feasible solution in this case.

A few words need to be said about the redundancy indication mentioned above. At the "textbook" end of Phase I (all the indicators, the " $z_j - c_j$ ," non-positive), the NBS simplex and revised simplex subroutines go one step further. If at that point there are any artificial variables in the basis at an "effectively" zero level (see section 5.9), an attempt is made to remove them by replacing them with any non-basic, non-artificial variable whose indicator is zero. Any artificial variable removed in this way was in the basis as a result of degeneracy, and any artificial variable that remains in the basis at a zero level after this procedure, is present as a result of redundancy.

Phase II consists of simplex iterations whose task is to maximize the real (original) objective function. If no maximum exists, the problem is declared unbounded.

SIMPLX consists of approximately 400 FORTRAN V statements that compile into slightly less than 2,000 computer words. Data storage requires approximately  $mn+6m+5n$  words. With a small main program on the NBS UNIVAC 1108, under the EXEC II operating system,  $mn$  may be as large as 44,000.

The calling statement is as follows:

```
CALL SIMPLX (A,MA,MT,NT,L,X,TOLP,KQP).
```

For an explanation of the parameters in the calling statement and a discussion of their meaning on entering and exiting from the subroutine, see Section 5.

For the purpose of illustration, and to give the user an idea of what the output from a run will look like, the output from an example problem is included here. The problem is:

$$\text{maximize: } x_1 + 1.5x_2 + 5x_3 + 2x_4$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{subject to : } & 3x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 + 4x_4 \leq 6 \\ & 2x_1 + x_2 + 5x_3 + x_4 \leq 4 \\ & 2x_1 + 6x_2 - 4x_3 + 8x_4 = 0 \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

The A matrix was set up as follows:

3	2	1	4	6
2	1	5	1	4
2	6	-4	8	0
1	1.5	5	2	0
0	0	0	0	0

The other input parameters were:

MA=100      L(1)=2      L(4) through L(14)=1

MT=5      L(2)=0      TOLP=0

NT=5      L(3)=0      KQP = 0

The following page contains the output from this run.

**NON-ZERO ENTRIS ARE EFFECTIVELY EQUAL TO ZERO.**

PHASE 1 ITERATION 1. PIVOT = 8.00000 • OBJECTIVE FUNCTION = .0000000 X( 4) ENTERED THE BASIS, A( 1 ) LEFT.

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\*  
\* END OF PHASE 1. OBJECTIVE FUNCTION = .000000 THERE WERE 1 ITERATIONS.  
\* MINIMUM PIVOT WAS 8.000 AT ITERATION 1. REAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION = .000000  
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\* END OF PHASE 1. OBJECTIVE FUNCTION = .000000 THERE WERE 1 ITERATIONS.  
\* MINIMUM PIVOT WAS 8.000 AT ITERATION 1. REAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION = .000000  
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$$x(-4) = -0.00000$$

PHASE & ITERATION 1. PIVOT= 5.50000 OBJECTIVE FUNCTION= 4.3636363 X( 3 ) ENTERED THE BASIS, S( 2 ) LEFT.

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$$x(-3) = -727273 \quad x(-4) = -363636$$

\*\*\*\*\*  
\* END OF PHASE 2. OBJECTIVE FUNCTION = 4.3636363 WHERE 1 ITERATIONS.  
\* MINIMUM PIVOT WAS 5.000 AT ITERATION 1.  
\*\*\*\*\*

$$x(-3) = -727273 \quad x(-4) = -363636$$

### 3. THE REVISED SIMPLEX SUBROUTINE (RVSMPX)

The formulation of the problem, restrictions pertaining thereto, and definitions of the variables are the same here as that in section 2 for SIMPLX. The method of solution is, of course, different. The method used is the revised simplex method as presented in chapter 3 of [3], with one important modification. The modification is the provision for re-inverting the basis matrix every  $[m/2]+5$  iterations, in order to reduce round-off error. (The value  $[m/2]+5$  is one that appears in other codes, see[1], and has been shown in practice to be a reasonably good choice. However, if the user feels another value is more appropriate, he may use his value by changing the value of INV on card number 6 of the subroutine.) A discussion of the advantages of re-inverting the basis matrix appears in section 7-8 of [4]. This provision also allows for the "restart" or "advanced start" capability whereby the user may choose to supply the subroutine with an initial basic feasible solution, if known, in order to speed up the algorithm. For instructions on how to use this advanced start capability, see section 5.10.

RVSMPX consists of approximately 450 FORTRAN V statements that compile into slightly more than 2,000 computer words. Data storage is approximately  $mn + m^2 + 2n + 3m$  computer words.

The calling statement is:

```
CALL RVSMPX (A,MA,B,MB,MT,NT,L,X,TOLP,INV,KQP).
```

For an explanation of the parameters in this calling statement and a description of their values on entering and exiting from the subroutines, see section 5.

The output messages that may appear are described in section 6.

#### 4. SOLVING QUADRATIC PROGRAMS.

As was mentioned in the introduction, both RVSMPX and SIMPLX have the capability to solve quadratic programming problems. This is accomplished via the parameter KQP, discussed below in section 5.

A quadratic program is of the following form:

$$\text{maximize: } \sum_{j=1}^n c_j x_j + \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n d_{ij} x_i x_j$$

subject to the same set of constraints that appears in section 2.

There is, however, one important additional restriction--the objective function above must be concave. If it is not concave, although a feasible solution to the quadratic program may be found, there is no guarantee that this solution will be optimal.

The objective function above is concave if

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n d_{ij} x_i x_j \leq 0,$$

for all  $x_i$ , where  $i=1,2,\dots,n$ . This is equivalent to saying that the matrix of the  $d_{ij}$  is negative semi-definite. The quadratic form above may be shown to be concave by showing that it can be written as the negative of a sum of linear forms,

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n d_{ij} x_i x_j = -\sum_k [\mathbf{L}_k(\mathbf{x})]^2 ;$$

in many applications (e.g., least squares estimation) this is known a priori. Equivalently, one could attempt to diagonalize the matrix of the  $d_{ij}$  and check the resulting diagonal elements (the eigenvalues of the  $d_{ij}$  matrix). If all are non-positive, the matrix is negative semi-definite. See chapter 8 of [2] for more on this.

The method of solution that is used was originally developed by Wolfe [9]. He noted that the Kuhn-Tucker conditions (see Appendix A and [6]) for the quadratic programming problem are "almost linear", and that, under the concavity assumption mentioned above, they are necessary and sufficient--which means that if one can find a set of  $x_j$ ,  $j=1, 2 \dots n$ , that satisfy the Kuhn-Tucker conditions, then those  $x_j$  are the optimal  $x_j$  for the original problem. Thus, the emphasis was shifted to solving a set of "almost linear" equations. This was accomplished in [9] by utilizing Phase I of the simplex method for linear programming with one modification. That modification is that certain pairs of variables cannot simultaneously be in the basis; it is implemented by restricting the choice of the entering basic variable. This approach is used in both RVSPMX and SIMPLX.

All that is necessary to solve a quadratic program is to set KQP to n, where n is as defined in this section, and to set up the constraint matrix as follows:

$A_1$	0	0	0	0	0	
$A_2$	0	0	0	0	0	b
$A_3$	0	0	0	0	0	
$-2D$	$A_1^T$	$-A_2^T$	$A_3^T$	$-A_3^T$	$-I_n$	c
	0	0	0	0	0	*
*	*	*	*	*	*	*

where the original constraint matrix has been partitioned into  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  and  $A_3$ , consisting of the LE, GE, and EQ constraint coefficients respectively.  $A^T$  indicates the transpose of the matrix  $A$ ,  $D$  is the matrix of the  $d_{ij}$ , and  $I_n$  is an  $n \times n$  identity matrix. The solution to the quadratic programming problem will be found in  $X(1)$  through  $X(N)$  where  $N$  is the number of real variables in the original problem.

For a more rigorous development of the algorithm and an explanation of some of the information that might be gleaned from the solution, see appendix A.

## 5. THE PARAMETERS.

Listed below are the parameters that appear in either one or both of the subroutines. After the name of each variable appears an (R) if the variable is a parameter of RVSMPX; an (S) if the variable is a parameter of SIMPLX; and an (RS) if the variable is a parameter of both RVSMPX and SIMPLX. All variables conform to the FORTRAN implicit naming conventions regarding mode.

### 1. A (RS)

A is the constraint matrix augmented by a right-hand-side column, an objective function row, and in the case of SIMPLX, a row to be used (by the subroutine) for the coefficients of the artificial objective function. The first  $\ell$  rows of A contain the LE constraint coefficients, the next  $g$  rows contain the GE constraint coefficients, and the next  $e$  rows contain the EQ constraint coefficients. Row  $m+1$  contains the coefficients of the real objective function; row  $m+2$ , whose values are not supplied by the user, contains the artificial objective function coefficients for SIMPLX, and column  $n+1$  contains the non-negative right-hand-sides. Hence, A must be dimensioned at least  $(m+1) \times (n+1)$  for RVSMPX and  $(m+2) \times (n+1)$  for SIMPLX. Pictorially, where "\*" indicates a value that is not supplied by the user, A is:

$a_{11}$	$a_{12}$	.	.	.	$a_{1n}$	$b_1$
$\underline{\underline{a_{11}}}$	$\underline{\underline{a_{12}}}$	.	.	.	$\underline{\underline{a_{1n}}}$	$\underline{\underline{b_1}}$
$a_{l+1,1}$	$a_{l+1,2}$	.	.	.	$a_{l+1,n}$	$b_{l+1}$
$\underline{\underline{a_{l+1,1}}}$	$\underline{\underline{a_{l+1,2}}}$	.	.	.	$\underline{\underline{a_{l+1,n}}}$	$\underline{\underline{b_{l+1}}}$
$a_{l+g+1,1}$	$a_{l+g+1,2}$	.	.	.	$a_{l+g+1,n}$	$b_{l+g+1}$
$\underline{\underline{a_{l+g+1,1}}}$	$\underline{\underline{a_{l+g+1,2}}}$	.	.	.	$\underline{\underline{a_{l+g+1,n}}}$	$\underline{\underline{b_{l+g+1}}}$
$a_{m1}$	$a_{m2}$	.	.	.	$a_{mn}$	$b_m$
$c_1$	$c_2$	.	.	.	$c_n$	*
*	*	.	.	.	*	*

We note, again, that the last row is not needed for RVSMXP.

Since the A matrix is used by SIMPLX as explicit storage for the condensed simplex tableau (see pp. 119 of [8]), the original values in the A matrix will have been completely destroyed by the time SIMPLX returns to the main program. In most cases there is nothing in the A matrix of value to the user at this point. For RVSMXP, however, the A matrix is completely unchanged during the course of the algorithm.

## 2. MA (RS)

This variable contains the value of the first dimension of A, as A is dimensioned in the calling routine; e.g., if A is dimensioned as A(20,50), then MA should be set to 20 in the main program before the subroutine is called.

This parameter is unchanged by either of the subroutines.

. 3. B (R)

This parameter is a matrix whose dimensions must be at least  $(m+2) \times (m+2)$ . Upon exiting from RVSMPX, B will contain the inverse of the matrix of the current basic columns in  $((B(I,J), J=1,M), I=1,M)$ ; the negatives of the current values of the dual variables in  $(B(M+1,J), J=1,M)$ ; the current values of the basic variables in  $(B(I,M+2), I=1,M)$ , in an order specified by a portion of the L vector to be explained later; the negative of the value of the real objective function in  $B(M+1,M+2)$ ; and the negative of the value of the artificial objective function in  $B(M+2,M+2)$ .

. 4. MB (R)

This contains the value of the first dimension of the B matrix as it is dimensioned in the calling routine. It too is unchanged by the subroutine.

. 5. MT (RS)

MT is the number of rows of information in the A matrix, which is  $m+2$  for SIMPLX and  $m+1$  for RVSMPX. Note that MT is less than or equal to MA. This variable is not changed by the subroutines.

. 6. NT (RS)

The value of this variable is the number of columns in A, i.e.,  $n+1$ . It too is unchanged by SIMPLX or RVSMPX.

. 7. L (RS)

L is a multipurpose vector that provides storage space for a number of distinct working vectors constructed by the subroutines, in addition to providing indicators and constants for both entry and exit. It also contains output switches which are used to determine how

much (if any) output from the subroutines is given. For RVSMPX, L must be dimensioned at least  $14+2m+n+g$ ; for SIMPLX,  $14+2(m+n)+g$ . The meaning of L(1) through L(14) is the same for both subroutines for both entry and exit; the differences in the use of the L vector by RVSMPLX and SIMPLX occur beyond L(14). Although the typical user need not understand what happens to this latter portion of the L vector, a description is included here for the user who may wish to modify the subroutines.

L(1): For entry, this must contain the number of LE constraints, or l. The exit value of L(1) is the number of non-zero elements in the original A matrix that are between (-EPS) and EPS and are, therefore, considered by the subroutines to be equal to zero [see 9 below]. If the exit value of L(1) is positive, the user is providing the subroutine with information it does not use. If the exit value of L(1) is large, it is suggested that the user either force the subroutine to use the enumerated small matrix entries by making EPS smaller (see 9 below), or else not provide these numbers (set them to zero). If one of these actions is not taken, numerical problems might arise.

L(2): This should contain the number of GE constraints, or g, when entering the subroutine. The exit value of this variable is the total number of iterations the subroutine performed before termination. It includes the iterations for both phases.

L(3): When entering the subroutines, this is a default print switch. If L(3) is non-zero, the subroutine sets L(4), L(5), L(8), L(12), L(13), and L(14) to 1, and L(6), L(7), L(9), L(10), and L(11) to 0. If L(3) is zero, the user sets L(4) through L(14) to obtain the desired outputs. When leaving the subroutine, the value of L(3) is very important -- it indicates what caused the termination. A value of 0 indicates an

optimal basic feasible solution has been obtained; 1 indicates that an optimal basic feasible solution has been obtained but that numerical difficulties arose during the course of the algorithm, and that the user should question the results; 2 indicates that the problem is infeasible; 3 indicates the problem is unbounded; and 4 indicates a system error.

L(4): If this parameter is non-zero when the subroutines are entered, the values of EPS, CEPS, and L(1) are printed. The value of L(4) remains unchanged by the subroutine.

L(5): For entry, if L(5) is non-zero, a warning message will be printed if necessary. This variable, too, is untouched by the subroutine.

L(6): If L(6) is greater than zero when entering RVSMPX or SIMPLX, the iteration summary will be printed after every L(6) iterations in Phase I. Neither of the subroutines changes the value of L(6).

L(7): If L(7) is greater than zero when entering the subroutines, the basic variables and their values will be printed after every L(7) iterations in Phase I. Neither RVSMPX nor SIMPLX changes this variable.

L(8): If this switch is non-zero when the subroutines are entered, the final summary for Phase I will be printed. No change occurs in the value of this switch.

L(9): This switch, if non-zero when entry occurs, will cause the basic variables and their values to be printed at the end of Phase I. Again, no change occurs in the value of this variable.

L(10) through L(13): These variables perform the same task as L(6) through L(9), except that they refer to Phase II.

L(14): When entering the subroutine, if L(14) is non-zero, error messages will be printed if errors occur. No change in the value of L(14) occurs.

Values for the remaining portions of the L vector are not supplied by the user, and, as was mentioned earlier, the exit values of these variables will probably not be of any importance to the casual user of these subroutines. Nevertheless, in the interests of completeness, their descriptions are provided here.

RVSMPX and SIMPLX use this storage space differently. The description of the manner in which RVSMPX uses this space is provided first. To facilitate the discussion, let

$$\begin{aligned} M &= m \\ N &= n \\ MG &= g \\ L1OFF &= 14 \\ L2OFF &= L1OFF + n + \lambda + g + g + e \\ &= 14 + n + m + g \end{aligned}$$

Then, for  $J = 1$  through  $N + M + MG$ , if  $L(L1OFF + J)$  equals 0,  $X(J)$  is a real variable; if 1,  $X(J)$  is a slack variable; if 2,  $X(J)$  is a surplus variable; if 3,  $X(J)$  is an artificial variable; if 4,  $X(J)$  is an artificial variable that has been removed from the basis, and, therefore, from future consideration (see p. 119 of [4]); if 5,  $X(J)$  is an artificial variable that is in the basis at a zero level and cannot be removed. For  $J = 1$  through  $M$ , if  $L(L2OFF + J) = K$ ,  $X(K)$  is the  $J^{\text{th}}$  basic variable, and its value appears in  $B(J, M + 2)$ .

To facilitate the discussion of the manner in which SIMPLX uses this space, let

$$L1OFF = 14$$

$$L2OFF = L1OFF + n = 14 + n,$$

$$L3OFF = L2OFF + m = 14 + n + m$$

$$INOFF = L3OFF + g = 14 + n + m + g,$$

$$NOTOFF = INOFF + m = 14 + n + m + g + m$$

$L10$  = the number of columns in the A matrix after the artificial variables have been removed by the subroutine,

$L20$  = the number of rows in the A matrix after redundant constraints have been implicitly removed by the subroutine.

Then, for  $J = 1$  through  $L10$ , if  $L(L1OFF + J) = K$ , the  $J^{\text{th}}$  column of the current A matrix is the  $K^{\text{th}}$  column of the original A matrix. Also,

for  $J = 1$  through  $L20$ , if  $L(L2OFF + J) = K$ , the  $J^{\text{th}}$  row of the current A matrix is the  $K^{\text{th}}$  row of the original A matrix. Since the surplus

and artificial variables for each GE constraint are never needed at the same time,  $L(L3OFF + J)$  for  $J = 1$  through MG is set up as follows:

if  $L(L3OFF + J)$  equals 1, the artificial variable for the  $J^{\text{th}}$  GE constraint is still in the basis; if  $L(L3OFF + J)$  equals 0, the artificial variable for the  $J^{\text{th}}$  GE constraint has been removed from the basis, and the storage space previously occupied by it is occupied by the surplus variable for that constraint. For  $J = 1$  through M, if  $L(INOFF + J) = K$ , the  $J^{\text{th}}$  basic variable is  $X(K)$ . Finally, for  $J = 1$  through N, if  $L(NOTOFF + J) = K$ , the  $J^{\text{th}}$  non-basic variable is  $X(K)$ .

#### 8. X (RS)

This vector is the solution vector. Its dimension should be at least  $n + l + g + g + e + 1$ , or equivalently,  $n + m + g + 1$ . For the SIMPLX subroutines, the values in the X vector when entry occurs have no effect on the subroutine, since SIMPLX initializes X to zero. For RVSMPX, however, the initial values in the X vector are important when the advanced start option (see 10 below) is used, and unimportant otherwise.

When termination occurs, X contains the terminal values of the variables in the original problem, including any slack, surplus, or artificial variables that were added by the subroutine. The first n elements of X contain the values of  $x_1$  through  $x_n$ . Next in order are the slack variables for the LE constraints, then the surplus variables for the GE constraints, the artificial variables for the GE constraints, the artificial variables for the EQ constraints, and finally, in  $X(N + ML + 2*MG + ME + 1)$ , the value of the objective function when termination occurs.

The scheme by which values are stored in X is as follows: for each  $x_i$  that is not in the basis,  $X(I) = -EPS/100$ ; hence, for each I for which  $X(I)$  is non-negative,  $x_i$  is in the basis at its given level. This scheme was employed so as to permit both easy identification of the basic variables and immediate use of the solution vector at the same time, with no undue round-off error.

X will contain these values according to the scheme noted above regardless of the reason for termination. Of course, if termination is with L(3) greater than 1, all the values in X will be the current ones and not necessarily optimal or even feasible.

#### 9. TØLP (RS)

This is a parameter which is used in the construction of epsilon (EPS) and capital epsilon (CEPS), variables that are used as tolerance parameters. Within the subroutines,  $|a| < EPS$  is equivalent to  $a=0$ . The user has the following options regarding the value of EPS:

If  $TØLP$  is less than zero,  $EPS = \frac{|TØLP| \sum_{i,j} |a_{i,j}|}{m * n}$

$$\text{If } TOLP \text{ equals 0, } EPS = \frac{10^{-5} \sum_{i,j} |a_{i,j}|}{m * n}.$$

If  $TOLP$  is greater than 0,  $EPS = TOLP$ .

Tests have shown the default choice ( $TOLP=0$ ) to be reasonably effective. The word "reasonably" is used here since there are cases when this choice is inappropriate. It is for this reason that the two other choices for  $TOLP$  and  $EPS$  have been provided. Furthermore, to aid the user in determining when an inappropriate value of  $EPS$  has been selected, warning messages have been provided (see section 6) that indicate that numerical problems have arisen. This may possibly be overcome by changing the value of  $EPS$ .

In any case,  $CEPS$  is set to  $10*EPS$  and is used solely to determine when a number is "close to zero".

The value of  $TOLP$  is not changed within either of the subroutines.

#### 10. INV (R)

This is a switch that allows the user to provide  $RVSMXPX$  with an initial basic feasible solution. If  $INV$  is non-zero, an initial basic feasible solution will be expected. If  $INV$  equals zero, the subroutine will start from scratch with Phase I.

The initial basis is passed via the  $X$  vector as follows: for  $i=1$  through  $n + l + g + g + e$ , if  $x_i$  is a member of the basis, then  $X(I)$  is greater than or equal to zero; if  $x_i$  is not a member of the basis, then  $X(I)$  is less than zero. The actual values are irrelevant so long as the signs are correct.  $RVSMXPX$  will form a basis with these variables and proceed with Phase I or Phase II, depending on whether or not the basis contains any artificial variables.

When RVSMPX terminates, INV may have a value of 0,1, or 2.

In any event, its value is irrelevant.

11. KQP (RS)

This is a switch that allows the user to solve quadratic programming problems. If KQP is zero, the subroutines will consider the problem being solved to be a linear programming problem. In order to solve a quadratic programming problem, KQP must be set to n, the number of real variables in the original quadratic programming problem. For a discussion of the quadratic programming algorithm that is used, the method of setting up the problem, and the interpretation of the results, see section 4.

The value of this switch remains unchanged throughout the subroutine.

## 6. OUTPUT

As indicated in section 5.7, the output messages are controlled (with one exception) by the values of L(3) through L(14), which are parameters in the subroutine call. This section discusses the output messages that may result from the use of RVSMPX or SIMPLX. Since there are a few messages that are indigenous to one or the other of the two subroutines, the same notational scheme that was used in section 5 will be used here; i.e., if the message can result from RVSMPX, an (R) will appear after the name of the message; if the message can result from SIMPLX, an (S) will appear after the name of the message; and if the message can result from either one, an (RS) will appear.

### 1. The Negative Right Hand Side Message (RS).

\* \* AT LEAST ONE ELEMENT OF THE RIGHT HAND SIDE COLUMN IS LESS THAN ZERO. SUBROUTINE TERMINATES.

This message is exceptional in that it is not under control of any switch in the L vector. Immediately upon entry, the subroutines examine the problem data. If any entry in column NT of matrix A (i.e., the right hand sides) is negative, this message is printed, the value of L(3) becomes 2, and the subroutine returns to the calling routine. The problem should be reformulated so that all right hand sides are non-negative.

### 2. The Epsilon Print (RS).

EPSILON = .964732-02 CAPITAL EPSILON = .964732-01 0 NON-ZERO ENTRIES ARE EFFECTIVELY EQUAL TO ZERO.

This message is printed whenever L(4) is non-zero. The values of epsilon and capital epsilon are based on TOLP, a parameter in the calling sequence (see section 5.9). Major ways in which these values are used are discussed in 5, 9, and 11 below, and in the discussion of L(1) in section 5.7. The number of non-zero entries in the A matrix that are "effectively" equal to zero is stored in L(1). For a discussion of this value see section 5.7.

### 3. The "Infeasible Initial Basis" Message (R).

```
*****  
* ERROR - THE VARIABLES SPECIFIED AS COMPRISING AN INITIAL SOLUTION DO NOT FORM A BASIC FEASIBLE SOLUTION.  
*  
* THE ERROR WAS DETECTED AT ITERATION 0 OF PHASE 1. AT THAT TIME THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION VALUE WAS -21.000000  
* AND THE FOLLOWING VARIABLES WERE BASIC.  
*****  
  
BASIC VARIABLES  
  
X( 6)= 2.000000 X( 8)= 1.000000 X( 10)= 3.000000 X( 12)= 2.000000 X( 14)= 6.000000  
S( 2)= .5000000  
A( 5)= 11.000000 A( 6)= 10.000000
```

If the advanced start feature is used (INV non-zero), and the variables specified in the X vector as forming a basis do not form a feasible basis, this message is printed, (if L(14) is non-zero), L(3) is set to 2, and RV SMPX returns to the calling routine. The basic variables that are printed are the variables that had been put into the basis before the error was detected.

There are two ways in which this error may occur:

- (i) The number of non-negative variables passed in the X vector is not equal to m. However, in some cases when the number is greater than m, no error will occur. That is, if the m variables that are the first to enter the basis do form a feasible basis, then they are used as the basis and no error is recorded.

(ii) The number of non-negative variables passed in the X vector is equal to m, but these variables do not form a feasible basis. In this case, at least one of the m basic variables printed will be negative.

(Note: if a case (i) error occurs, there may be negative basic variables. There is no cause for alarm; the basis forming procedure (actually a matrix inversion) allows basic variables to become negative during its course since, if the variables do form a feasible basis all the variables will be non-negative at the end of this procedure.)

#### 4. The "Small Pivot" Message (RS):

```
* * WARNING * * SMALL PIVOT ELEMENT AT ITERATION 10 OF PHASE 1. PIVOT = .1234568-06
```

This message is printed if the chosen pivot element is between EPS and CEPS and if L(5) is non-zero. This is considered a warning message; computations continue, but the user is strongly advised to view the results critically.

#### 5. The alternate Pivot Element Message (S):

```
* * WARNING * * IN PHASE 1, THERE HAVE BEEN 10 ATTEMPTS TO FIND AN ALTERNATE PIVOT ELEMENT.  
OF THESE, 6 FOUND NO ALTERNATE ELEMENT GREATER THAN CAPITAL EPSILON.
```

This warning message requires a rather detailed explanation. If the pivot element that is chosen using the standard simplex criterion is "close to zero" (between EPS and CEPS), SIMPLX goes into the alternate pivot selection routine. This routine scans the A matrix in

ascending order of the column number, checking the non-basic variables (including the one chosen by the standard simplex criterion, if necessary) for one which has a pivot element greater than CEPS. If one is found, it is used (without scanning the remaining columns) in lieu of the one found by the standard simplex criterion. If none greater than CEPS is found, the largest one is kept. (This may be the one originally found by standard simplex.) If that one is between EPS and CEPS, it is used, and if L(5) is non-zero, the "small pivot" message (number 4 above) is printed. If the largest is less than EPS, the subroutine returns to the column that contained the standard simplex pivot, and sets that pivot element to zero. That column is then scanned and quotients are again formed to get a new minimum quotient, thus determining a new pivot candidate. If this new pivot candidate is acceptable (greater than EPS), Simplex continues and performs the operation. If it is not acceptable, it too is set to zero and this latter process is repeated until either an acceptable pivot element is found or until each element in that column is non-positive and the problem is declared unbounded.

As for the warning message itself, it appears at the end of a phase and gives the number of times the subroutines left the standard simplex pivot and went to the alternate pivot selection routine, and the number of times it returned to the standard simplex pivot from the alternate routine without having found an acceptable pivot.

#### 6. The Iteration Summary (RS):

E 1 ITERATION 16. PIVOT= 14.7H80 OBJECTIVE FUNCTION= .27186017-04 S( 4) ENTERED THE BASIS, A( 16) LEFT.

This message is printed after every L(6)<sup>th</sup> iteration in Phase I if L(6) is positive, and after every L(10)<sup>th</sup> iteration in Phase II if L(10) is positive. It is useful in tracing the progress of the algorithm.

### 7. The Basis Print (RS).

ASIC VARIABLES

X( 1)=	.821961	X( 2)=	.367047	X( 3)=	.002276	X( 4)=	.011872	X( 5)=	.606050
X( n)=	.731610	X( 7)=	.507440	X( 8)=	.684551	X( 9)=	.605375	X( 10)=	.129697
S( 1)=	5.931955	S( 2)=	.234925	S( 3)=	13.179356	S( 4)=	.000000		
A( 5)=	.000000	A( 7)=	.000000	A( 9)=	.000000	A( 10)=	.000000	A( 15)=	.000000
A( 13)=	.000000								

This print occurs after every L(7)<sup>th</sup> iteration in Phase I if L(7) is positive, after every L(11)<sup>th</sup> iteration in Phase II if L(11) is positive, at the end of Phase I if L(9) is non-zero, and at the end of Phase II if L(13) is non-zero. It is also printed if the problem is determined to be infeasible or unbounded and L(14) is non-zero.

This print simply gives the indices and values of the basic variables. The letter X refers to real variables with indices between 1 and n. The letter S refers to slack or surplus variables with indices between 1 and  $\ell + g$ . The letter A refers to artifical variables, with indices between 1 and  $g + e$ .

### 8. The End-of-Phase Summary (RS).

\*\*\*\*\*  
\* END OF PHASE I. OBJECTIVE FUNCTION = .27186017-04 THERE WERE 17 ITERATIONS.  
\* MINIMUM PIVOT WAS .20277 AT ITERATION 12. REAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION = -24.318438  
\*\*\*\*\*

This message is printed at the end of Phase I if L(8) is non-zero, and at the end of Phase II if L(12) is non-zero. The phrase "REAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION =" is printed only at the end of Phase I, since at that point the objective function is the artificial objective function.

#### 9. The Infeasible Message (RS).

```
*****  
* ERROR - THE PROBLEM IS INFEASIBLE. THE CONSTRAINTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ARTIFICIAL VARIABLES BELOW ARE INCONSISTENT.  
* IF ONE APPEARS, NUMERICAL DIFFICULTIES HAVE BEEN ENCOUNTERED. THE LARGEST ENTRY IN THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION ROW  
* IS -5.3214  
*  
* THE ERROR WAS DETECTED AT ITERATION 10 OF PHASE 1. AT THAT TIME THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION VALUE WAS -21.000000  
* AND THE FOLLOWING VARIABLES WERE BASIC.  
*****
```

This is printed when the problem is infeasible and L(14) is non-zero. A problem is said to be infeasible when it is impossible to satisfy one or more constraints. It is detected in the subroutine when all the indicator variables ( $z_j - c_j$ ) are less than EPS and either one or both of the following is true: The value of the artificial objective function is greater than  $(g + e)*CEPS$ , or one or more artificial variables which cannot be made non-basic have value greater than CEPS.

If the maximum value in the objective function row (the indicators) is "close to" EPS and/or the objective function is "close to" CEPS and/or the artificial variables in the basis are "close to" CEPS, then the infeasibility may result from numerical instability. In this case, it may be possible to "achieve" feasibility by changing the value of EPS (see section 5.9). It should be noted, however, that a different value of EPS could cause the algorithm to follow a different path toward the solution. Thus it is not obvious what the direction and magnitude of the change should be.

If this message is printed, it is always followed by a print of the

variables which are basic at the time the error was detected.

Whether or not this message is printed, L(3) is set to 2 and the subroutine returns to the calling routine.

#### 10. The "Re-inversion Infeasibility" Message (R).

```
*****  
* ERROR - THE PROBLEM IS INFEASIBLE. INFEASIBILITY INDICATED DURING RE-INVERSION OF THE BASIS MATRIX.  
*  
* THE ERROR WAS DETECTED AT ITERATION 10 OF PHASE 1. AT THAT TIME THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION VALUE WAS -21.000000  
* AND THE FOLLOWING VARIABLES WERE BASIC.  
*  
*****
```

This message is printed, when L(14) is non-zero, if one or more basic variables became negative as a result of re-inverting the basis matrix. This error, in every case, is a result of numerical difficulties and is an indication that the problem, as it is posed, is just not numerically tractable. To overcome this problem, one might try changing the value of EPS (see section 5.9) or even INVC (see section 3); however, it is suggested that the user modify his problem to make it more numerically stable. Techniques such as normalization, scaling values, removing redundancies, etc. can be used to accomplish this.

#### 11. The "Unbounded" Message (RS).

```
*****  
* ERROR - THE PROBLEM IS UNBOUNDED. THE VARIABLE X( 13) CAN ASSUME AN ARBITRARILY LARGE VALUE, THEREBY YIELDING  
* AN ARBITRARILY LARGE VALUE OF THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION.  
*  
* THE ERROR WAS DETECTED AT ITERATION 4 OF PHASE 2. AT THAT TIME THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION VALUE WAS 43138.5E9  
* AND THE FOLLOWING VARIABLES WERE BASIC.  
*  
*****
```

This error message is printed, when L(14) is nonzero, if the problem is found to be unbounded. A problem is unbounded when at least one variable, together with the objective function, can assume an arbitrarily large value without violating any of the constraints. Unboundedness is detected in the subroutines when all the entries in the column associated with the variable that is about to enter the basis are

less than EPS. It is this variable that is identified as "causing" the unboundedness.

In some problems (those that are numerically unstable), this situation might be alleviated by changing the value of EPS (see section 5.9). However, as was mentioned in 9 above, the direction and magnitude of the required change are not obvious.

If this message is printed, it is always followed by a print of the variables that were in the basis at the time the error was detected.

Whether or not this message is printed, L(3) is set to 3 and the subroutine returns to the calling routine.

## 12. The "Computational Inconsistency" Message (RS).

\*\*\*\*\*  
\* WARNING - COMPUTATIONAL INCONSISTENCY INDICATED AT THE END OF PHASE 1. THE ALGORITHM WILL CONTINUE WITH PHASE 2,  
\* BUT THE USER IS ADVISED TO CRITICIZE THE RESULTS.  
\*\*\*\*\*

If L(14) is non-zero, this message is printed at the end of Phase I if one or more artificial variables which cannot be removed from the basis is between EPS and CEPS, or if the artificial objective function is between EPS and CEPS. This situation is an indication of possible numerical difficulties. The user is advised at least to check the solution for feasibility.

## 7. ADDITIONAL WORK AND FUTURE PLANS

The subroutines described in this report are part of a longer-term effort, in which the goal of the Applied Mathematics Division's Operations Research Section is to provide reliable user-oriented solution algorithms for those mathematical optimization problems which are of particular importance for operations-research applications (they often arise in other contexts as well). In addition to SIMPLX and RVSMPX, we also have operational on the NBS computer:

- (a) a 0-1 integer programming routine acquired from the RAND Corporation;
- (b) a subroutine to solve transportation problems, obtained from the Carnegie-Mellon University;
- (c) a prototype code implementing the Dantzig-Wolf decomposition principle for linear programming;
- (d) a quadratic programming algorithm, limited to "separable" objective functions ( no cross-products of variables), that solves larger problems than SIMPLX or RVSMPX,
- (e) a univariate dynamic programming algorithm, developed at Johns Hopkins University and supported by the National Bureau of Standards under Contract CST-1279,
- (f) a multivariate dynamic programming algorithm, obtained from Johns Hopkins University , and
- (g) several algorithms for finding shortest paths between pairs of nodes in networks.

Except perhaps for (e) and (g), these items have not been tested or documented to the standards set for SIMPLX and RVSMPX. Future work, in addition to such "completion" efforts for selected items from the above list, may include:

- (A) testing of the new UNIVAC mathematical programming package (Functional Mathematical Programming System),
- (B) as appropriate, extension of preceding items (quite likely beginning with RVSMPX) to handle much larger problems through use of peripheral storage,
- (C) provision of capability for parametric and sensitivity analyses,
- (D) extension of (d), above, to more general separable nonlinear problems, and
- (E) provision of a mixed-integer programming capability.

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APPENDIX A: THE "ALMOST LINEAR" KUHN-TUCKER  
CONDITIONS FOR QUADRATIC PROGRAMMING

One form (see section 6-3 of [4]) of the Kuhn-Tucker necessary conditions for the quadratic programming problem given in section 4 to have a solution at  $x_j$  ( $j = 1$  through  $n$ ) is:

$$1. \quad c_j + 2 \sum_{k=1}^n d_{jk} x_k - \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i a_{ij} = 0, \text{ if } x_j > 0, \text{ for } j = 1 \text{ through } n$$

$$c_j + 2 \sum_{k=1}^n d_{jk} x_k - \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i a_{ij} \leq 0, \text{ if } x_j = 0, \text{ for } j = 1 \text{ through } n$$

$$2. \quad \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j = b_i, \text{ if } \lambda_i > 0, \text{ i = 1 through } \ell$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \leq b_i, \text{ if } \lambda_i = 0, \text{ i = 1 through } \ell$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j = b_i, \text{ if } \lambda_i < 0, \text{ i = } \ell + 1 \text{ through } \ell + g$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \geq b_i, \text{ if } \lambda_i = 0, \text{ i = } \ell + 1 \text{ through } \ell + g$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j = b_i, \quad , \quad i = \ell + g + 1 \text{ through } m$$

$$3. \quad \lambda_i \geq 0, \quad i = 1 \text{ through } \ell$$

$$\lambda_i \leq 0, \quad i = \ell + 1 \text{ through } \ell + g$$

$$\lambda_i \text{ unrestricted, } i = \ell + g + 1 \text{ through } m$$

$$x_j \geq 0, \quad j = 1 \text{ through } n$$

As was noted earlier, these conditions are also sufficient when the objective function is concave. Therefore, the problem reduces to one of finding  $x_j$  ( $j = 1$  through  $n$ ) that satisfy conditions 1-3 above for some set of  $\lambda_i$  ( $i = 1$  through  $m$ ).

These conditions may be written as:

$$1'. \quad c_j + 2 \sum_{k=1}^n d_{ik} x_k - \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i a_{ij} + y_i = 0, \quad j = 1 \text{ through } n$$

$$x_j y_j = 0, \quad j = 1 \text{ through } n$$

$$2'. \quad \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j + s_i = b_i, \quad i = 1 \text{ through } \ell$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j - s_i = b_i, \quad i = \ell + 1 \text{ through } \ell + g$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j = b_i, \quad i = \ell + g + 1 \text{ through } m$$

$$\lambda_i s_i = 0, \quad i = 1 \text{ through } \ell + g$$

$$3'. \quad \lambda_i \geq 0, \quad i = 1 \text{ through } \ell$$

$$\lambda_i \leq 0, \quad i = \ell + 1 \text{ through } \ell + g$$

$$\lambda_i \text{ unrestricted}, \quad i = \ell + g + 1 \text{ through } m$$

$$x_j \geq 0, \quad j = 1 \text{ through } n$$

$$y_j \geq 0, \quad j = 1 \text{ through } n$$

$$s_i \geq 0, \quad i = 1 \text{ through } \ell + g$$

With the exception of the requirements  $x_j y_j = 0$  and  $\lambda_i s_i = 0$ , these conditions form a set of simultaneous linear equations. Furthermore, the variables either are, or can be made to be, non-negative. In order to make all the variables non-negative, substitute  $\lambda_i = y_i$ ,  $i = 1$  through  $\ell$ ;  $\lambda_i = -u_i$ ,  $i = \ell + 1$  through  $\ell + g$ ;  $\lambda_i = u_i - v_i$ ,  $i = \ell + g + 1$  through  $m$ , into (1')-(3') to get:

$$1''. \quad c_j + 2 \sum_{k=1}^n d_{jk} x_k - \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} u_i a_{ij} + \sum_{i=\ell+1}^{\ell+g} u_i a_{ij}$$

$$\sum_{i=\ell+g+1}^m u_i a_{ij} + \sum_{i=\ell+g+1}^m v_i a_{ij} + y_j = 0, \quad j = 1 \text{ through } n$$

$$2''. \quad \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j + s_i = b_i, \quad i = 1 \text{ through } \ell$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j - s_i = b_i, \quad i = \ell + 1 \text{ through } \ell + g$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j = b_i, \quad i = \ell + g + 1 \text{ through } m$$

$$3''. \quad \begin{array}{ll} u_i \geq 0, & i = 1 \text{ through } m \\ x_j \geq 0, & y_j \geq 0, \quad j = 1 \text{ through } n \\ s_i \geq 0, & i = 1 \text{ through } \ell + g \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ll} v_i \geq 0, & i = \ell + g + 1 \text{ through } m \\ x_j y_j = 0, & j = 1 \text{ through } n \\ u_i s_i = 0, & i = 1 \text{ through } \ell + g \end{array}$$

These conditions are a set of simultaneous "almost linear" equations in non-negative variables. The solution to these equations can be found with Phase I of the simplex method with a modification to account for the nonlinear equations above. That modification is that  $x_j$  and  $y_j$  are not allowed to be simultaneously in the basis; nor are  $s_i$  and  $u_i$ .

This modification has been made to both SIMPLX and RVSMPX and is available with the use of the parameter KQP (see section 5.11). Note that in the discussion of this option in section 4, the  $s_i$  do not appear. This is so because RVSMPX and SIMPLX store slack and surplus variables implicitly. Therefore it is necessary only to put the original constraint coefficients in this part of the matrix.

APPENDIX B:

LISTING OF RVSMPX

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SUBROUTINE RVSMPX ENTRY POINT 004300
STORAGE USED (BLOCK, NAME, LENGTH)
      0001   *CODE 004312
      0000   *DATA 000770
      0002   *BLANK 000000

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#### **EXTERNAL REFERENCES (BLOCK NAME)**

003	NW003
004	N1025
005	NEP13
006	N1015
007	NER25
010	NER35

## STORAGE ASSIGNMENT FOR VARIABLES (BLOCK, TYPE, RELATIVE LOCATION, NAME)

00001	000245 1.0L	00001	002560 10025	00001	002635 10236	00001	002725 10506	00001	000701 10501
00001	002744 1J626	00001	002766 10736	00001	000070 1106	00001	000720 1100L	00001	000303 11036
00001	000721 1105L	00001	000746 1110L	00001	001921 1120L	00001	003061 11246	00001	001110 1130L
00001	001156 1140L	00001	001223 1142L	00001	003126 11436	00001	001244 1143L	00001	001313 1150L
00001	001356 1153L	00001	001351 1160L	00001	003235 11746	00001	001356 1170L	00001	001416 1203L
00001	001321 1205L	00001	001546 1215L	00001	003300 12176	00001	001525 1225L	00001	001525 1225L
00001	003330 1230S	00001	001546 1230L	00001	001766 1240L	00001	003344 12426	00001	002000 1250L
00001	002004 1250L	00001	002053 1270L	00001	002122 1290L	00001	002132 1300L	00001	002213 1302L
00001	002311 1305L	00001	002323 1310L	00001	003531 13116	00001	003573 13326	00001	003534 13506
00001	003733 13746	00001	002346 1400L	00001	004005 14106	00001	004015 14166	00001	002456 1420L
00001	004115 14446	00001	004132 14539	00001	004146 14646	00001	000215 1506	00001	004212 15006
00001	004220 15066	00001	002513 1520L	00001	000216 1536	00001	002565 1530L	00001	000257 1612L
00001	002008 1600L	00001	002652 1601L	00001	002677 1602L	00001	002753 1605L	00001	002775 1612L
00001	003051 1616L	00001	003051 1621L	00001	003073 1630L	00001	003076 1635L	00001	00320 1645L
00001	009256 1676	00001	003212 1700L	00001	003304 1730L	00001	003312 1735L	00001	003425 1740L
00001	003457 1750L	00001	003465 1750L	00001	003474 1770L	00001	003505 1780L	00001	003517 1790L
00001	003523 1'000L	00001	003604 1810L	00001	003527 1900L	00001	003566 1905L	00001	003573 1910L
00001	003677 1920L	00001	003702 1930L	00001	003711 1940L	00001	003745 1950L	00001	003751 1955L
00001	004063 1J60L	00001	004065 1970L	00001	004156 1980L	00001	004240 1990L	00001	004246 1995L
00001	004250 13997L	00001	000306 2046	00001	000307 2076	00001	000404 211L	00001	000430 221L
00001	000357 2305	00001	000447 251L	00001	000374 2406	00001	000526 241L	00001	000411 2506
00001	000306 26L	00001	000475 2616	00001	000473 2676	00001	000575 2726	00001	000575 29L
00001	000637 30L	00001	000523 306S	00001	000547 3146	00001	000642 32L	00001	001013 3756
00001	000114 4L	00001	001216 4346	00001	001331 4646	00001	001455 5176	00001	001617 5466
00001	001712 5.576	00001	002040 6306	00001	002056 6426	00001	002270 7116	00001	002377 7336
00001	002406 7416	00001	002451 7506	00000	000105 9000F	00000	000130 9001F	00000	000144 9002F
00000	000175 9003F	00000	000214 9005F	00000	000224 9006F	00000	000231 9007F	00000	000263 9008F
00000	000313 9110F	00000	000343 9011F	00000	000347 9012F	00000	000353 9014F	00000	000357 9015F
00000	000307 9115F	00000	000511 9012F	00000	000511 9013F	00000	000557 9019F	00000	000563 9020F
00000	000313 9135F	00000	000666 APS	00000	000633 ASTAP	00000	000636 EPCS	00000	000636 P



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        L(5)=1
        L(6)=1
        L(1,2)=1
        L(1,3)=1
        L(4,5,4)=1
        1,  CEPS=10.0*EPS
        L(1)=0
        DO 17 I=1,N
        DO 17 J=1,N
        X=L(J,I,J)
        17 IF (XX.LT.LPS.AND.XX.GT.0.0) L(1)=L(1)+1
        IF (L(4).NE.0) WRITE (6,9000) FPS,CEPS,L(1)
C * * SET JP L1(.)-VARIABLE TYPE INDICATOR.
C
        L1OFFEMSMX
        L2OFF=L1OFF+MAX
        I=1
        DO 20 J=1,N
        L(L1OFF+I)=0
        20 IF (ML.EQ.0) GO TO 211
        DO 21 J=1,ML
        L(L1OFF+I)=1
        21 I=I+1
        21 IF (MG.EQ.0) GO TO 221
        IF (L1OFF+I)=2
        L(L1OFF+I+MG)=3
        22 I=I+1
        22 IF (ME.EQ.0) GO TO 231
        DO 23 J=1,ME
        L(L1OFF+I+MG)=3
        23 I=I+1
        23 IF (INV.GT.0) GO TO 241
        C * * INITIALIZE R(.,.), THE BASIS INVERSE, TO THE IDENTITY MATRIX.
        C
        231 DO 26 I=1,M2
        DO 25 J=1,M2
        25 B(I,J)=0.0
        IF (I.GT.J) GO TO 26
        26 B(I,I)=1.0
        C; CONTINUE
        IF (INV.GT.0) GO TO 241
        C * * INITIALIZE THE X'S, B(M2,.)-THE MULTIPLIERS, B(.M2)-THE VALUE
        C * * OF THE BASIC VARIABLES, AND B(M2,M2)-THE ARTIFICIAL ORJ. VALUE.
        C
        DO 26 I=1,MMAX
        26 X(I)=-EPS/100.0
        241 J=1
        DO 32 I=1,NNK
        I=L(L1OFF+I)
        IF ((I1.EQ.0).OR.(I1.EQ.2)) GO TO 32
        IF (I1.NE.0) GO TO 29
        X(I)=A(J, JT)
        L(L2OFF+J)=1
        29 B(J, M2)=A(J, M2)
R14500
R14600
R14700
R14800
R14900
R15000
R15100
R15200
R15300
R15400
R15500
R15600
R15700
R15800
R15900
R16000
R16100
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R16400
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R19300
R19400
R19500
R19600
R19700
R19800
R19900
R20000
R20100
R20200

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J00421      162*          J2=J-1
IF (J.GT.N+NL+NG)   J2=J-2
J00422      163*          C * * COMPUTE C* FOR SLACK, SURPLIS, OR ARTIFICIAL VARIABLES.
J00422      164*          C
J00422      165*          C * * COMPUTE C* FOR SLACK, SURPLIS, OR ARTIFICIAL VARIABLES.
J00422      166*          C
J00422      167*          C * * COMPUTE C* FOR SLACK, SURPLIS, OR ARTIFICIAL VARIABLES.
J00422      168*          C
J00424      169*          XX=(-1)*(J1+1)*B(MOBJ,J2)
J00424      170*          IF (J1.EQ.3) XX=XX-1.0
J00425      170*          GO TO 1142
J00427      170*          C * * COMPUTE C* FOR REAL VARIABLES.
J00427      171*          C
J00427      172*          C
J00427      173*          1140  XX=0.0
J00430      174*          IF (IMAGE.EQ.2) XX=A(MP1,J)
J00431      175*          DO 1141  I=1,N
J00433      176*          1141  XX=X+B(MOBJ,I)*A(I,J)
J00435      177*          C * * TRANSFER IF INVERTING OR PIVOTING OUT ARTIFICIALS.
J00436      178*          C
J00436      179*          1142 IF (INV.GT.0.OR.ICPSX.EQ.1) GO TO 1143
J00436      180*          C
J00440      181*          C * * TEST FOR MINIMUM C* IF DOING A NORMAL PIVOT.
J00440      182*          C
J00440      183*          C
J00442      184*          IF (XX.LE.B(MOBJ,MP1)) GO TO 1160
J00444      185*          1143 B(MOBJ,MP1)=XX
J00445      186*          JSE=J
J00445      187*          IF (INV.GT.0) GO TO 1200
J00445      188*          IF (ICPSX.EQ.0) GO TO 1150
J00451      189*          C * * IF TRYING TO PIVOT OUT ARTIFICIALS, CHECK THIS COLUMN. IF OK TO
J00451      190*          C * * ENTER COMPUTE PIVOT ELEMENT. IF PIVOT IS BIG ENOUGH, PIVOT.
J00451      191*          C * * OTHERWISE, CONTINUE ON TO NEXT COLUMN.
J00451      192*          C
J00451      193*          C
J00451      194*          C
J00451      195*          C
J00451      196*          1145 IF (XX.LT.-EPS) GO TO 1150
J00455      197*          JSE=J
J00456      198*          IF (J1.EQ.0) GO TO 1150
J00456      199*          B(IR,MP1)=(-1)**(J1+1)*B(IR,J2)
J00456      200*          1150 B(IR,MP1)=0.0
J00456      201*          DO 1151 K=1,N
J00456      202*          1151 B(IR,MP1)=3*(IR,MP1)+9*(IR,K)*A(K,JS)
J00470      203*          1153 IF (B(IR,MP1).GT.EPS) GO TO 1200
J00472      204*          IF (B(IR,MP1).GT.-EPS) GO TO 1160
J00474      205*          GO TO 1200
J00475      206*          1160 COUNTINUE
J00477      207*          IF (ICPSX.EQ.1) GO TO 1635
J00501      208*          IF (B(MOBJ,MP1).LT.EPS) GO TO 1600
J00501      209*          C
J00501      210*          C * * * * * STEP 3-CALCULATE A*(I,S) * * * * *
J00501      211*          C * * * * * STEP 3-CALCULATE A*(I,S) * * * * *
J00501      212*          C * * * * * STEP 3-CALCULATE A*(I,S) * * * * *
J00501      213*          C
J00503      214*          1200 11=L(L1OFF+JS)
J00504      215*          I3(1)=* X(
J00504      216*          I3(1)=JS
J00504      217*          IF (I1.EQ.0) GO TO 1203
J00506      218*          I3(1)= S(
J00506      219*          I3(1)=JS-

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R49300
R49400
R49500
R49600
R49700
R49800
R49900
R50000
R50100
R50200
R50300
R50400
R50500
R50600
R50700
R50800
R50900
R51000
R51100
R51200
R51300
R51400
R51500
R51600
R51700
R51800
R51900
R52000
R52100
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R53900
R54000
R54100
R54200
R54300
R54400
R54500
R54600
R54700
R54800
R54900
R55000

394*      C   IF (J(MOBJ,M2).GT.CEPS) GO TO 1602
395*      C   * * * IF THE ARTIFICIAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION IS ACCEPTABLE BUT ARTIFICIALS
396*      C   * * * ARE STILL IN THE BASIS, GO TRY TO PIVOT THEM OUT.
397*      C
398*      C   IF (NA>ST.O) GO TO 1612
399*      C
400*      C   * * * IF NO ARTIFICIALS ARE IN THE BASIS AND THE ARTIFICIAL OBJECTIVE
401*      C   * * * FUNCTION IS NOT QUITE ZERO, PRINT WARNING OF ROUND-OFF ERROR.
402*      C
403*      C   IF (J(MOBJ,M2).GT.EPS) GO TO 1605
404*      C
405*      C   GO TO 1700
406*      C   * * * THE PROBLEM IS INFEASIBLE.
407*      C
408*      C   1602 L(J)=2
409*      C   IF(L(MSMX).EQ.0) RETURN
410*      C   WRITE(6,9014) (ASTAR,I=1,120),B(MOBJ,MP1)
411*      C   WRITE(6,9018) ITER,IPHASE,OBJ,(ASTAR,I=1,120)
412*      C
413*      C   1605 IF (L(MSMX).NE.0) WRITE(6,9019) (ASTAR,I=1,240)
414*      C
415*      C   GO TO 1735
416*      C
417*      C   1605 IF (L(MSMX).NE.0) WRITE(6,9019) (ASTAR,I=1,240)
418*      C
419*      C   * * FIND THE ARTIFICIAL STILL IN THE BASIS.
420*      C
421*      C   1612 IJ1=0
422*      C   DO 1615 J=1,NMAX
423*      C   J1=L(L1OFF+J)
424*      C   IF (J1.EQ.3) IJ1=IJ1+1
425*      C   IF (IJ1.GT.IQ) GO TO 1621
426*      C
427*      C   1615 CONTINUE
428*      C   1616 L(J)=4
429*      C   IF (L(MSMX).NE.0) WRITE(6,913)
430*      C   913 FORMAT ('SYSTEM ERROR- COMPUTATIONAL IMPOSSIBILITY')
431*      C
432*      C   1621 DO 1625 I=1,M
433*      C   IEL(L2OFF+IR)
434*      C   IF (I.EQ.J) GO TO 1630
435*      C   1625 CONTINUE
436*      C   GO TO 1616
437*      C
438*      C   * DETERMINE WHICH BASIC VARIABLE IT IS.
439*      C
440*      C   1621 DO 1625 I=1,M
441*      C   IEL(L2OFF+IR)
442*      C   IF (I.EQ.J) GO TO 1630
443*      C   1625 CONTINUE
444*      C   GO TO 1616
445*      C
446*      C   * SET ARTIFICIALS IN AT ZERO SWITCH, AND GO TRY TO PIVOT IT OUT.
447*      C   * * * INCREMENT I0, THE COUNTER FOR CURRENT NUMBER OF ARTIFICIALS THAT
448*      C   * * * CAN'T BE PIVOTED OUT.
449*      C
450*      C   1635 IQ=IQ+1
451*      C   IF (NA.GT.IQ) GO TO 1612

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01137 C * * COUNT AND CHECK THE ARTIFICIALS STILL IN THE BASIS.
01137 C
01141 452* J$=0
01141 453* DO 1645 I=1,4
01142 454* I1=L(L2)FF+I)
01145 455* IF (L(L1)FF+I1).NE.3) GO TO 1645
01146 456* J$=J$+1
01150 457* C * * IF IN AND GT EPSILON, INFEASIBLE. OTHERWISE SET TO 0 AND CONTINUE. R55900
01150 460* C
01150 461* C
01151 462* IF ((I1,M2)*GT.CEPS) GO TO 1602
01151 463* IF ((B(I1,M2)*GT.EPS) L(3)=1
01153 464* X(I1)=0.0
01155 465* L(L1)FF+I1)=5
01155 466* B(I1,M2)=0.0
01157 467* 1640 CONTINUE
01160 468* R56000
01161 469* 1645 CONTINUE
01161 470* IF ((J$*EQ.0)) GO TO 1616
01163 471* IF ((L(3)*EQ.1)) GO TO 1605
01165 472* C * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
01165 473* C * * * SUMMARY PRINT. * * *
01165 474* C * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
01165 475* R56100
01167 476* 1700 I1=5+((IPHASE-1)*4
01170 477* IF (L(L1+3).EQ.0) GO TO 1730
01172 478* WRITE(6,9008) (ASTAR,I=1,120),IPHASE,OBJ,ITER
01203 479* IF (ITER.EQ.0) PIVM=0.0
01205 480* WRITE(6,9001) PIVM,IMP
01211 481* 1710 IF (IPHASE.EQ.1) WRITE(6,9003) X(NMAX+1)
01215 482* WRITE(6,9006) (ASTAR,I=1,120)
01215 483* R56200
01215 484* C * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
01215 485* C * * * BASIS PRINT. * * *
01215 486* C * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
01215 487* C
01223 488* 1730 IF (L(L1+4).EQ.0) GO TO 1810
01225 489* 1735 WRITE(6,9012)
01227 490* DU 1737 I2=1,5
01232 491* I8(I2)=,
01233 492* PR(I2)=0.0
01234 493* 1737 IP(I2)=0
01235 494* I3=0
01237 495* I4=0
01240 496* I91=0
01241 497* DO 1800 I2=1,NMAX
01244 498* IF ((X(I2).LT.0.0.AND.X(I2).GT.-EPS) GO TO 1800
01246 499* IF ((I4.EQ.L(L1)FF+I2)) GO TO 1740
01250 500* IF ((I4.EQ.1.AND.L(L1)FF+I2).EQ.2) GO TO 1740
01252 501* IF ((I4.EQ.3.AND.L(L1)FF+I2).EQ.5) GO TO 1740
01254 502* IF ((L(L1)FF+I2).EQ.4) GO TO 1780
01259 503* I91=1
01257 504* I92=0
01260 505* DO 1740 I2=1,NMAX
01261 506* IF ((I3.EQ.5)) GO TO 1790
01263 507* I3=I3+1
01264 508* PR(I3)=X(I2)
01265 509* I5=I4+1

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*512* *513* INFEASIBILITY INDICATED DURING RE-INVERSION OF THE BASIS M R72500
U1527 U1527 *ATR IX*.'16X'*') R72600
U1530 U1530 9003 FORMAT(1H+0.5X) REAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION ='G15.8)
U1531 U1531 9005 FORMAT('0*' * WARNING * * SMALL PIVOT ELEMENT AT ITERATION'I4, * OF R72700
U1531 U1531 * PHASE'I2, *' PIVOT ='614•7)
U1532 U1532 9006 FORMAT(' *'11BX'*'/*' *'120A1)
U1532 U1532 9007 FORMAT(' *'11BX'*'/*' *'118X'*'/*' * ERROR - THE VARIABLES SPFCIF R72800
U1533 U1533 *'1ED AS COUPRISING AN INITIAL SOLUTION DO NOT FORM A BASIC FEASIBLE R72900
U1533 U1533 * SOLUTION'I12X'*')
U1534 U1534 9008 FORMAT(' *'11BX'*'/*' *'120A1/*' *'118X'*'/*'/*' *'14X*END OF PHASE'I2, *') OBJ R73000
U1534 U1534 *EFFECTIVE FUNCTION ='G18.R'4X'THERE WERE'I4, * ITERATIONS.'17X'*') R73100
U1535 U1535 9010 FORMAT(' *'OPHASE'I2, * ITERATION'I4, * PIVOT='*G13.6,*' OBJEC R73200
U1535 U1535 *TIVE FUNCTION='*G15.9, *' *A3,I3, *') ENTERED THE BASIS.'*A3,I3, *') LE R73300
U1535 U1535 *FT. *)
U1536 U1536 9011 FORMAT('5(*A3,I3, *')=*F12.6)
U1537 U1537 9012 FORMAT('0$ASIC VARIABLE'S/')
U1538 U1538 9014 FORMAT(' *'120A1/*' *'118X'*'/*' * ERROR - THE PROBLEM IS INFEA R73400
U1540 U1540 *SIBLE. THE CONSTRAINTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ARTIFICIAL VARIABLES RE R73500
U1540 U1540 *LON ARE INCONSISTENT. *'/*' * IF NONE APPEAR, NUMERICAL DIFFICULTI R73600
U1540 U1540 *ES HAVE BEEN ENCOUNTERED. THE LARGEST ENTRY IN THE OBJECTIVE FUNCT R73700
U1540 U1540 *10.4 R0.17A, *'/*' * 15, *'612.5,101X, *') R73800
U1541 U1541 9015 FORMAT(' *'118X'*'/*' *'120A1/*' *'118X'*'/*' * ERROR - THE PROBLEM IS UNROU R73900
U1541 U1541 *UE). THE VARIABLE X(I3, *) CAN ASSUME AN ARBITRARILY LARGE VALUE. R74000
U1541 U1541 * THEREBY YIELDING 7X,*'/*' * AN ARBITRARILY LARGE VALUE OF THE OBJ R74100
U1541 U1541 *ECTIVE FUNCTION.'63X'*')
U1542 U1542 9016 FORMAT('1H')
U1543 U1543 9017 FORMAT('1H')
U1544 U1544 9018 FORMAT(' *'118X'*'/*' * THE ERROR WAS DETECTED AT ITERATION'I4, * 0 R74200
U1544 U1544 *F PHASE'I2, * AT THAT TIME THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION VALUE WAS.'615.8, R74300
U1544 U1544 *4X,*'/*' * AND THE FOLLOWING VARIABLES WERE BASIC.'77X'*'/*' *'118X R74400
U1545 U1545 9019 FORMAT(' *'120A1/*' *'118X'*'/*' * WARNING - COMPUTATIONAL INCONS R74500
U1545 U1545 *ISTENCY INDICATED AT THE END OF PHASE 1. THE ALGORITHM WILL CONTIN R74600
U1545 U1545 *UE WITH PHASE 2.'4X'*'/*' * BUT THE USER IS ADVISED TO CRITICIZE T R74700
U1545 U1545 *HE RESULTS.'67X'*'/*' *'118X'*'/*' *'120A1) R74800
U1546 U1546 9020 FORMAT('0*' * AT LEAST ONE ELEMENT OF THE RIGHT HAND SIDE COLUMN I R74900
U1546 U1546 *S LESS THAN ZERO. SUBROUTINE TERMINATES.')
U1547 U1547 END R75000

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END OF UNIVAC 1108 FORTRAN V COMPILATION. 0 \*DIAGNOSTIC\* MESSAGE(S)

PHASE 1	TIME	=	1 SEC.
PHASE 2	TIME	=	0 SEC.
PHASE 3	TIME	=	3 SEC.
PHASE 4	TIME	=	0 SEC.
PHASE 5	TIME	=	2 SEC.
PHASE 6	TIME	=	1 SEC.

TOTAL COMPIILATION TIME = 7 SEC

APPENDIX C:

LISTING OF SIMPLX

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SUBROUTINE SIMPLX ENTRY POINT NO 3540
STORAGE USED (BLOCK, NAME, LENGTH)
      0.001 *CODE 005704
      0.000 *DATA 000763

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**EXTERNAL REFERENCES (BLOCK, NAME)**

03 NIWJ\$  
04 NIU2\$  
05 NIU1\$  
06 NER2\$  
07 NER3\$

STORAGE ASSIGNMENT FOR VARIABLES (BLOCK, TYPE, RELATIVE LOCATION, NAME)

0001	000<50 1 <u>L</u>	0001	002373 10236	0001	002423 10316	0001	002517 1n516	0001	000120 11L
0001	002<53 1113 <u>s</u>	0001	000074 1126	0001	003004 11476	0001	00324 12L	0001	003173 1226 <u>s</u>
0001	003>01 1233 <u>s</u>	0001	003262 12575	0001	003276 12706	0001	00343 13056	0001	000134 1326
0001	003+01 1324 <u>s</u>	0001	003413 13346	0001	003462 13516	0001	003515 13706	0001	00353 14006
0001	003577 14156	0001	000214 1616	0001	000217 1646	0001	001126 2000L	0001	001126 2001L
0001	001140 2102L	0001	001141 205L	0001	001177 2005L	0001	001155 2007L	0001	001120 2008L
0001	001246 2103L	0001	001276 2010L	0001	001321 2012L	0001	001324 2015L	0001	000136 2025
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SUBROUTINE SIMPLX (A,M,N,T,L,X,TOLP,KAP)
DIMENSION A(M,1),L(1),X(1),IB(5),IP(5),PR(5)
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IWARN = 0
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44*
45* EPS=XMAX*Y/(4*N)
46* 1) CEPS = 10.*EPS
47* L(1) = 0
48* DO 12 I=1,N
49* AA = ABS(A(I,J))
50* IF (AA .LE. 0 .OR. AA .GT. EPS) GO TO 12
51* L(1) = L(1) + 1
52* CONTINUE
53* IF (L(4) .NE. 0) WRITE (6,5000) EPS,CEPS,L(1)
54* C * * CALCULATE L VECTOR OFFSETS AND INITIALIZE L VECTOR.
55* C
56* C
57* L1OFF=14
58* L2OFF=L1OFF+N
59* L3OFF=L2OFF+4
60* L4OFF=L3OFF+WG
61* NOTOFF=L1OFF+4
62* DO 20 J=1,N
63* L(L1OFF+J)=J
64* 20 L(NOFF+J)=J
65* DO 25 I=1,M
66* L(L2OFF+I)=I
67* 25 L(L3OFF+I)=I+N
68* L10EN
69* L20EN
70* IF (ML.EQ.4) GO TO 2000
71* IF (NL.EQ.0) GO TO 32
72* DO 30 L3E1=NG
73* 30 L(L3OFF+I)=1
74* 32 IP-HSEE=1
75* C * * CONSTRUCT ARTIFICIAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION.
76* C
77* C
78* NX=N*L+1
79* DU 35 J=1,NT
80* A(MT,J)=0.0
81* DU 35 IE=NX,M
82* 35 A(MT,J)=A(MT,J)+A(IE,J)
83* M=J*M+2
84* PRINTF=6
85* 60 TO 2001
86* C * * THE FOLLOWING SECTION IS ENTERED IN PHASE 1 WHEN ALL COEFFICIENTS
87* C * * IN THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION ROW ARE NON-POSITIVE. FEASIBILITY AND
88* C * * POSSIBLE COMPUTATIONAL INCONSISTENCIES ARE INVESTIGATED.
89* C
90* 90 IF (A(MT,J) .GT. CEPS) GO TO 90
91* DO 55 IE=1,L20
92* 14=E11
93* 13=L(L2OFF+11)
94* 13=L(L2OFF+13)
95* IF (L(6T-J+ML+M6) .GO TO 60
96* IF (L(1+LE-N+ML) .GO TO 55
97* 12=L(L3OFF+1-N-ML)
98* IF (L(2,EO,1) .GO TO 60
99* 55 CONTINUE
100* IF (A(MT,J) .GT. E25 .OR. IWARN .EQ. 1) L(3) = 1
101* 52000

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$\Lambda(I,J) = \Lambda(I,J) + \Lambda(I,JPIV) * \Lambda(IPIV, J)$   
 541.0 C0 J1INJE  
 322\* A(I,NT) =  $\Lambda(I,NT) + \Lambda(I,JPIV) * \Lambda(IPIV, NT)$   
 322\* . IF ((A(I,NT).GE.0.0) .AND. (I,NT)=0) GO TO 541.  
 01041 357\* . IF ((A(I,NT).GE.0.0) .AND. (I,NT)=0) GO TO 541.  
 01042 333\* . IF ((I.LE.J)) A(I,NT)=0.0  
 01044 339\* 541.5 CONTINUE  
 01046 340\* DO 5429 JX = 1,L10  
 01047 J = L(L1OFF+JX)  
 01048 IF ((J,NE.JPIV)) A(IPIV,J) = ?IVX\*A(IPIV,J)  
 01049 542.0 C0 J1INJE  
 01050 344\* A(IPIV,NT) = PIVX\*A(IPIV,NT)  
 01051 345\* OJJE=A(40,IJ,JF)  
 01052 346\* 0JJE=A(40,IJ,JF)  
 01053 347\* ACIPIV,JPIV)=PIVX  
 01054 348\* ISFL(L1OFF+IPIV)  
 01055 349\* L(L1OFF+IPIV)=L(NOTOFF+JPIV)  
 01056 350\* L(NOTOFF+JPIV)=IS  
 01057 351\* IENT = L(1,JOFF+IPIV)  
 01058 352\* ILVE = IS  
 01059 353\* IJ(1) = \* X(\*  
 01060 354\* IF (IENT .LE. N) GO TO 5425  
 01061 355\* IJ(1) = \* S(\*  
 01062 356\* IENT = I(E,IT-N)  
 01063 357\* 5425 IF (IPIASE .EQ. 1) GO TO 5428  
 01064 358\* IJ(2) = \* X(\*  
 01065 359\* IF (ILVE .LE. N) GO TO 5460  
 01066 360\* IJ(2) = \* S(\*  
 01067 361\* ILVE = ILVE-N  
 01068 362\* 5428 IF (IS .LE. N+YL+NG) GO TO 5440  
 01069 363\* C \* \* TRANSFER FOR NON-EQUALITY CONSTRAINT.  
 01070 364\* C \* \* TRANSFER FOR SLACK.  
 01071 365\* . C  
 01072 366\* C  
 01073 367\* IJ(2) = \* A(\*  
 01074 368\* ILVE = ILVE-N-ML  
 01075 369\* J=1  
 01076 370\* DO 5439 I=1,L10  
 01077 371\* II=L(L1OFF+I)  
 01078 372\* IF ((I1.EQ.JPIV) J=J+1  
 01079 373\* L(L1OFF+I)=L(L1OFF+J)  
 01080 374\* 5439 J=J+1  
 01081 375\* L10=L10-1  
 01082 376\* 6J T0 5460  
 01083 377\* 5440 IJ(2) = \* S(\*  
 01084 378\* IF ((IS .LE. N) .AND. (IB(2) = \* X(\*  
 01085 379\* . IF ((IS .GT. N+YL) GO TO 5445  
 01086 380\* IF ((IS .GT. N) ILVE = ILVE-N  
 01087 381\* GO TO 5460  
 01088 382\* C \* \* TRANSFER FOR SLACK.  
 01089 383\* C  
 01090 384\* 5445 KH = L(NOTOFF+JPIV)-YL-N  
 01091 385\* . IF ((L(L3OFF+KH) .NE. 0) GO TO 5448  
 01092 386\* ILVE = ILVE-N  
 01093 387\* 5446 IJ(2) = \* A(\*  
 01094 388\* ILVE = ILVE-N-ML  
 01095 389\* L(L3OFF+KH)=0  
 01096 390\* A(4T,JPIV)=A(4T,JPIV)+1  
 01097 391\* S4R000



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450* WRITE (6,9011) (IB(J),IP(J),PR(J),J=1,13)
J1313 I3 = 0
451* 562 CONTINUE
J1314 N1 = N+1
J1315 N2 = J+1L+1G
J1317 IF (J2 .LT. N1) GO TO 5637
J1322 I3 = 0
J1323 DO 5620 I=1,5
J1324 IB(I) = * S( *
J1325 5620 CONTINUE
J1326 WRITE (6,9017)
DO 5635 I2=N1,N2
IF (X(I2) .LT. 0.) GO TO 5630
I3 = I3+1
PR(I3) = X(I2)
IP(I3) = I2-N1+1
5630 IF ((I3 * LT. 5 .AND. I2 * LT. N2) GO TO 5635
IF ((I3 * E+, 0) GO TO 5635
J1347 WRITE (6,9011) (IB(J),IP(J),PR(J),J=1,13)
I3 = 0
5637 CONTINUE
J1348 471* N1 = N2+1
J1349 472* N2 = NOX
J1350 473* IF (N2 .LT. N1) GO TO 5550
J1351 474* I3 = 0
J1352 DO 5639 I=1,5
J1353 IB(I) = * A( *
J1354 475* 5638 CONTINUE
J1355 WRITE (6,9017)
DO 5645 I2=N1,N2
IF (X(I2) .LT. 0.) GO TO 5640
I3 = I3+1
PR(I3) = X(I2)
IP(I3) = I2-N1+1
5640 IF ((I3 * LT. 5 .AND. I2 * LT. N2) GO TO 5645
IF ((I3 * E+, 0) GO TO 5645
J1357 WRITE (6,9011) (IB(J),IP(J),PR(J),J=1,13)
I3 = 0
5645 CONTINUE
J1358 480* GO TO 5550
J1359 481* 5040 FOR IAT(* EPSILON = 'G13.6.' CAPITAL EPSILON = 'G13.6.' AT
J1360 * PHASE I2. * SMALL PIVOT ELEMENT AT ITERATION I4, OF
J1361 * TEPTS TO FIND AN ALTERNATE PIVOT ELEMENT //19X OF THESE, I3, AT
J1362 * AND NO ALTERNATE ELEMENT GREATER THAN CAPITAL EPSILON.)
J1363 4906 FORMAT (* * '118X * * /' * 120A1)
J1364 4907 FORMAT (* * '118X * * /' * 120A1)
J1365 4908* 9003 FORMAT (1H+65X'REAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION ='G15.8')
J1366 4909* 9005 FOR IAT(* WARNING * * THERE HAVE BEEN 'I3,' AT
J1367 * PHASE I2. * PIVOT = G14.7)
J1368 4910* 9006 FORMAT (* * '118X * * /' * 120A1)
J1369 4911* 9007 FORMAT (* * '118X * * /' * 120A1)
J1370 4912* 9008 FORMAT (* * '118X * * /' * 120A1)
J1371 4913* 9009 FORMAT (* * '118X * * /' * 120A1)
J1372 4914* 9010* 9011 FOR IAT (* //19X OF THESE, I3, AT
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J1441      503*    9014 FORMAT(////////, '120A1/* *11AX**//, * ERROR - THE PROBLEM IS INFEA
J1441      504*          *SIBLE. THE CONSTRAINTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ARTIFICIAL VARIABLES RE
J1441      505*          *LDO ARE INCONSISTENT. *//* IF NONE APPEAR, NUMERICAL DIFFICULTI
J1441      506*          *ES HAVE BEEN ENCOUNTERED. THE LARGEST ENTRY IN THE OBJECTIVE FUNCT
J1441      507*          *ION ROW '7X**//, * IS '512.F.101X**)
J1442      508*          *120A1/* *113X**//, * ERROR - THE PROBLEM IS UNBOU
J1442      509*          *9015 FORMAT(////////, '120A1/* *113X**//, * NDED. THE VARIABLE X('13,') CAN ASSUME AN ARBITRARILY LARGE VALUE.
J1442      510*          * THEREBY YIELDING '7X**//, * AN ARBITRARILY LARGE VALUE OF THE OBJ
J1442      511*          *ECTIVE FUNCTION. '53X**)
J1443      512*          *9016 FORMAT(1.1)
J1444      513*          *9017 FORMAT(1.1)
J1445      514*          *9018 FORMAT( *'11BX**//, * THE ERROR WAS DETECTED AT ITERATION '14, 0
J1445      515*          *F PHASE '12, * AT THAT TIME THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION VALUE WAS '615.8,
J1445      516*          *4X**//, * AND THE FOLLOWING VARIABLES WERE BASIC. '77X**//, *11AX
J1445      517*          * * * * * '120A1)
J1446      518*          *9019 FORMAT( //, *'120A1/* *'118X**//, * WARNING - COMPUTATIONAL INCONS
J1446      519*          *ISTENCY INDICATED AT THE END OF PHASE 1. THE ALGORITHM WILL CONTIN
J1446      520*          *UE WITH PHASE 2, '4X**//, * BUT THE USER IS ADVISED TO CRITICIZE T
J1446      521*          *HE RESULTS. '67X**//, *'118X**//, *'120A1)
J1447      522*          *9020 FORMAT('0*, * AT LEAST ONE ELEMENT OF THE RIGHT HAND SIDE COLUMN 1
J1447      523*          *5 LESS THAN ZERO. SUBROUTINE TERMINATES.')
J1450      524*          *END

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END OF UNIVAC 1104 FORTRAN V COMPILED.

PHASE 1 TIME =	1 SEC.	*DIAGNOSTIC* MESSAGE (S)
PHASE 2 TIME =	0 SEC.	
PHASE 3 TIME =	2 SEC.	
PHASE 4 TIME =	0 SEC.	
PHASE 5 TIME =	1 SEC.	
PHASE 6 TIME =	2 SEC.	

TOTAL COMPILED TIME = 6 SEC

#### APPENDIX D: TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

In order to provide the reader with some idea of the time involved in solving linear programming problems with RVSMPX and SIMPLX, we include the following table of problems that were run on the National Bureau of Standards' UNIVAC 1108. Each of the problems was randomly generated in such a way as to be bounded and feasible; and for each problem, all constraints were "greater than" constraints, so that a full Phase I was required.

Note that, as  $n$  increases from 20 to 120 while  $m$  is held fixed at 20, RVSMPX becomes faster than SIMPLX. The same is true for  $m$  held fixed at 50 and  $n$  increasing from 75 to 200. This illustrates the concept alluded to in section 1, and discussed at length in [7]. Basically, the concept is that for  $n > 3m$ , the revised simplex method unequivocally appears to be better computationally. Furthermore, in [7], Wagner argues that even for smaller  $n$  the revised simplex method is more desirable than the standard simplex method.

TABLE I: RESULTS OF SAMPLE RUNS

<u>m</u>	<u>n</u>	<u>Elapsed Time</u>	<u>Number of Iterations</u>	<u>Time per Iteration</u>	<u>Elapsed Time</u>	<u>Number of Iterations</u>	<u>Time per Iteration</u>
<u>RVSMPX</u>							
10	20	.3984	29	.0137	*	.3686	29
10	20	.3876	28	.0138	*	.3338	28
15	20	.5826	29	.0201	*	.4580	29
20	20	1.0838	44	.0246	*	.7898	44
20	30	1.9954	74	.0270	*	1.6608	74
20	60	2.5174	74	.0340	*	2.9472	74
20	80	4.3960	112	.0393	*	5.6848	112
20	120	3.3164	66	.0502	*	5.0066	66
50	75	43.5036	322	.1351	*	37.1222	329
50	150	58.7630	335	.1754	*	73.0950	339
50	200	87.8642	459	.1914	*	133.0888	474
<u>SIMPLX</u>							
							.0127
							.0119
							.0158
							.0180
							.0224
							.0398
							.0508
							.0759
							.1128
							.2156
							.2808

Note: the times listed above are in seconds.





