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INITIAL SOLUTION TO THE ZERO-ONE INTEGER LINEAR
PROGRAMMING PROBLEM

1. Procedure declaration.

procedure *initsol* (*m*, *n*, *a*, *y*, *c*, *inf*, *opsol*, *x*, *z1*);
 value *m*, *n*, *inf*;
 integer *m*, *n*, *opsol*;
 real *z1*, *inf*;
 integer array *x*;
 array *a*, *y*, *c*;
 comment *initsol* finds an initial solution to the zero-one linear programming problem:

$$\text{minimize } z = \sum_{j=1}^n c_j x_j,$$

$$\text{where } c_j \geq 0 \quad (j = 1, 2, \dots, n),$$

$$(1) \text{ provided } \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j + y_i \geq 0 \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, m),$$

$$x_j = 0 \text{ or } 1 \quad (j = 1, 2, \dots, n).$$

Data:

m — number of constraints,
n — number of variables,
a[1 : *m*, 1 : *n*] — coefficient matrix of the constraints,
y[1 : *m*] — free terms of the constraints,
c[1 : *n*] — coefficients of the objective function,
inf — maximum positive number of type **real**.

Results:

opsol — integer number describing the type of the initial solution *x* found:

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        if opsol = 0, then  $x[j] = 0$  ( $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ )
        is a feasible, thus also an optimum, solution,
        if opsol = 1, then an initial solution has
        been found,
        opsol = -1, in all other cases,
    x[1 : n] — initial solution (if opsol = 1),
    y[1 : m] — values of the left sides of the constraints
        (1) for the initial solution,
        z1 — the value of the objective function;
begin
    integer i, j, jmax, k, w, w1;
    real ej, max, p, q, r, sumyi;
    Boolean f, f1;
    procedure exchange(zw, fc, zs);
        integer zw;
        real fc, zs;
        begin
            for i := 1 step 1 until m do y[i] := y[i] + zs;
            z1 := z1 + fc;
            x[zw] := 0;
            f1 := true
        end exchange;
    opsol := -1;
    f := true;
    z1 := sumyi := 0.0;
    for i := 1 step 1 until m do
        begin
            r := y[i];
            sumyi := sumyi + r;
            if r < 0.0
                then f := false
        end i;
    if f
        then begin
            opsol := 0;
            go to end
        end f;
    for j := 1 step 1 until n do x[j] := 0;
    initpartsol : max := -inf;
    f := false;
    for j := 1 step 1 until n do
        if x[j] = 0

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then begin
   $r := 0.0$ ;
  for  $i := 1$  step 1 until  $m$  do
    begin
       $q := y[i]$ ;
       $p := a[i, j] + q$ ;
       $r := r +$  (if  $p < 0.0$ 
        then  $p$ 
        else  $0.0$ )  $-$  (if  $q < 0.0$ 
          then  $q$ 
          else  $0.0$ )
    end  $i$ ;
    if  $r \geq 0.0$ 
      then begin
         $q := c[j]$ ;
         $ej :=$  if  $q > 0.0$ 
          then  $r/q$ 
          else  $r - \text{sum}y_i$ 
        end  $r \geq 0.0$ 
        else  $ej := r$ ;
        if  $ej > \text{max}$ 
          then begin
             $\text{max} := ej$ ;
             $j\text{max} := j$ 
          end  $ej > \text{max}$ 
        end  $x[j] = 0, j$ ;
    if  $\text{max} \geq 0.0$ 
      then begin
         $x[j\text{max}] := 1$ ;
         $z1 := z1 + c[j\text{max}]$ ;
        for  $i := 1$  step 1 until  $m$  do
          begin
             $r := a[i, j\text{max}]$ ;
             $q := y[i] := y[i] + r$ ;
             $\text{sum}y_i := \text{sum}y_i + r$ ;
            if  $q < 0.0$ 
              then  $f := \text{true}$ 
            end  $i$ ;
          if  $f$ 
            then go to initpartsol
            else begin
               $\text{opsol} := 1$ ;
            end

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    f := f1 := true;
mod 2a : if f1
    then begin
        f1 := false;
    mod 2a1 : max := inf;
        for k := 1 step 1 until n do
            if x[k] = 0
            then begin
                r := c[k];
                for j := 1 step 1 until n do
                    if x[j] = 1
                    then begin
                        for i := 1 step 1 until m do
                            if a[i, k] < a[i, j]
                            then go to kk;
                        if r < c[j] ∧ r < max
                        then begin
                            w := j;
                            w1 := k;
                            max := r
                        end r < c[j] ...;
                        kk : end x[j] = 1, j;
                    end x[k] = 0, k;
            end max < inf
            then begin
                exchange (w, c[w1] − c[w],
                    a[i, w1] − a[i, w]);
                x[w1] := 1;
                go to mod 2a1
            end max < inf;
        if f ∨ f1
        then begin
            f1 := false;
        mod 2b : max := 0.0;
            for j := 1 step 1 until n do
                if x[j] = 1
                then begin
                    for i := 1 step 1 until m do
                        if y[i] < a[i, j]
                        then go to kkk;
                    r := c[j];
                    if r > max

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                                then begin
                                    w1 := j;
                                    max := r
                                end r > max;
kkk : end x[j] = 1, j;
    if max > 0.0
        then begin
            exchange (w1, -c[w1],
                    -a[i, w1]);
            go to mod2b
        end max > 0.0;
        f := false;
        go to mod2a
    end f ∨ f1
    end f1;
    end ¬f
    end max ≥ 0.0
    else if max = -inf
        then opsol := 1;
end: end initsol

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2. Method used. The algorithm is based on paper [1].

3. Application. The results of this procedure may be used as an initial solution for any algorithm solving the 0-1 integer linear programming problem, e.g. [2]. In this case it is necessary to form the vectors s and v , and arrange the elements of vector s in terms of the second measure of feasibility contribution [1]. To do this, it is necessary to replace in [2] the procedure body from the beginning to the label $L0$ by the following instructions (Remark: Enter procedure with $nosoln := \neg api$, $A[0, 0] = z1$, $A[i, 0] = y[i]$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, m$) and exclude api from formal parameter list):

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e := 0;
if nosoln
    then begin
        for j := 1 step 1 until n do
            s[j] := v[j] := 0;
            z := 0.0
        end nosoln
    else begin
        z := A[0, 0];
        null := true;
        for i := 1 step 1 until m do

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null := null  $\wedge$   $A[i, 0] \geq 0.0$ ;
if null
then begin
     $k := 1$ ;
    for  $j := 1$  step 1 until  $n$  do
        if  $x[j] = 1$ 
            then begin
                 $r := 0.0$ ;
                for  $i := 1$  step 1 until  $m$  do
                    begin
                         $q := A[i, j] - A[i, 0]$ ;
                         $r := r + (\text{if } q < 0.0$ 
                            then  $0.0$ 
                            else  $q)$ 
                    end  $i$ ;
                    for  $i := 1$  step 1 until  $k - 1$  do
                        if  $v[i] < r$ 
                            then begin
                                for  $d := k$  step  $-1$  until  $i + 1$  do
                                    begin
                                         $s[d] := s[d - 1]$ ;
                                         $v[d] := v[d - 1]$ 
                                    end  $d$ ;
                                     $s[i] := j$ ;
                                     $v[i] := r$ ;
                                    go to con
                                end  $v[i] < r, i$ ;
                                 $s[k] := j$ ;
                                 $v[k] := r$ ;
                                con :  $k := k + 1$ 
                            end  $x[j] = 1, j$ ;
                 $e := k - 1$ 
            end null
        else begin
             $k := 1$ ;
            for  $j := 1$  step 1 until  $n$  do
                if  $x[j] = 1$ 
                    then begin
                         $s[k] := j$ ;
                         $k := k + 1$ 
                    end  $x[j] = 1, j$ 
                end  $\neg$  null;

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for  $j := 1$  step 1 until  $n$  do
   $v[j] :=$  if  $x[j] = 1$ 
    then 3
    else 0;
if null
  then go to L4
end  $\neg$  nosoln;

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4. Certification. The procedure *initsol* has been verified on the examples from [3] and [4] on the Odra 1204 computer. The following table gives also the results obtained by using the solution of *initsol* in the modified procedure IMPLEN [2].

m	n	Optimum value of the objective function	<i>initsol</i>		<i>initsol</i> +IMPLEN		IMPLEN		Ref.
			time in sec.	$z1$	time in sec.	count	time in sec.	count	
15	15	10	26	12	1035	688			[3]
31	31	18	199	20	28800+				[3]
50	15	9	61	9	5452	2367			[3]
30	60	7643-7700	602	7675					[4]
30	60	8685-8698	500	8700					[4]
23	3	352	17	351	1348	1270	1569	1449	
3	4	14	1	14	1	2	2	7	

A (+) means that the problem was unsolved after the indicated time.

In the last 4 examples the function was maximized. In column 3 of examples 4 and 5 are given the intervals containing the approximate solutions obtained by applying the method of [4].

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**ROZWIĄZANIE POCZĄTKOWE ZERO-JEDYNKOWEGO ZAGADNIENIA
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STRESZCZENIE

Procedura *initsol* znajduje rozwiązanie początkowe zero-jedynkowego zagadnienia programowania liniowego metodą opublikowaną w [1].

Dane:

- m — liczba ograniczeń,
- n — liczba zmiennych decyzyjnych,
- $a[1:m, 1:n]$ — tablica współczynników w ograniczeniach(1),
- $y[1:m]$ — tablica wyrazów wolnych w ograniczeniach (1),
- $c[1:n]$ — tablica współczynników funkcji celu,
- inf — maksymalna liczba typu **real**.

Wyniki:

- $opsol$ — liczba całkowita, określająca rodzaj znalezionej rozwiązania x :
jeśli $opsol = 0$, to $x[j] = 0$ ($j = 1, 2, \dots, n$) jest rozwiązaniem dopuszczalnym, a więc i optymalnym, jeśli $opsol = 1$, to znaleziono rozwiązanie początkowe,
 $opsol = -1$, w pozostałych przypadkach,
- $x[1:n]$ — tablica wartości rozwiązania początkowego,
- $y[1:m]$ — tablica wartości lewych stron ograniczeń (1) obliczonych dla rozwiązania początkowego,
- $z1$ — wartość funkcji celu.

Wyniki tej procedury mogą służyć jako rozwiązanie wstępne dla algorytmu znajdującego rozwiązanie optymalne, np. [2]. Podana została także konieczna w tym celu modyfikacja algorytmu [2].

Procedurę przetestowano na przykładach zaczerpniętych z [3] i [4].

