



Solving equality and inequality constraints FLPP using intuitionistic fuzzy numbers with different techniques

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Abstract

This article explains discovery fuzzy optimal solution without transforming into crisp LP Problems and ranking method. On the other hand, an attempt has been made by newly introducing the triangular and pentagonal IFN to deal with FLP problems with all types of constraints. The maximization and minimization FLP problems are solved by different Big-M techniques which are further compared, and an optimal solution has been found. The purpose of this paper is to arrive at the finest technique for unraveling FLP problems with triangular IFN and pentagonal IFN. The various Big-M methods are compared to solve FLP problems and it is observed that the answers are identical in each case but Ghadle et.al (Alternative Big-M Method) requires less time and minimum iterations with desired IFOS.

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Abbreviation

- LP- Linear Programming
- FS- Fuzzy Set
- FN- Fuzzy Number
- TP- Transportation Problem
- FLP- Fuzzy Linear Programming
- IFS- Intuitionistic Fuzzy Set
- IFN- Intuitionistic Fuzzy Number
- FFLP- Fully Fuzzy Linear Programming

- TIFN- Triangular Intuitionistic Fuzzy Number
- PIFN- Pentagonal Intuitionistic Fuzzy Number
- IFTP- Intuitionistic Fuzzy Transportation Problem
- FOP- Fuzzy Optimal Solution
- IFOP- Intuitionistic Fuzzy Optimal Solution .

1. Introduction

Its quiet possible to transform the real-world issues or problems into LP model as this model is applicable to transportation and manufacturing. The finest result of LP depends upon a limited amount of constraints, and so, ample of the collected facts has a very minute influence on the result, therefore for having certainty and meticulousness of given information and to handle ample information, one have to think about fuzzy data.

Fuzzy sets, offered by Zadeh (1965), gives a flexible structure for handling non-statistical vagueness ideas. It has been aimed to symbolize uncertainty and ambiguity mathematically to deliver formalized tools for dealing with the imprecision inherent many real-life problems. FS theory is having var-

ious applications in clustering, image processing, decision making etc. Yet, fuzzy sets couldn't tackle the circumstances, where the unclear information comprises some degree of hesitancy which essentially arises from the vague data. Atanassov (1986) the idea of the IFS as a simplification of FS, and is more useful in netting the unclear, partial or undefined information that involves some amount of hesitancy and is relevant in several fields of research.

In [5] suggested a innovative technique for discovery the FOS of Fully FLP problems with equality constraints. A novel alternative algorithm is offered for simplex and two-phase simplex method in [6] which reduces the number of iterations while solving LP problems. An innovative efficient method is proposed in [15] based on crisp nonlinear programming for Fully FLP problems with equality constraints using unrestricted variables and parameters. In [10], introduced octagonal IFN with its membership and non-membership functions and offered an innovative algorithm for MODI method to arrive an optimal solution for IFTP using a ranking function. A new algorithm in [11] is developed to solve balanced and unbalanced fuzzy TP which uses mixed constraint with trapezoidal and trivial fuzzy numbers.

2. Preliminaries

In this section, we recall some definitions.

Definition 2.1. [12] A FN is a generalized of a regular real number and which does not refer to a single value but rather to a connected a set of possible values, where each possible value has its weight between 0 and 1. The weight is called the membership function.

A FN \tilde{A} is a convex normalized FS on the real line R such that

i) There exist at least one $x \in R$ with $\mu_{\tilde{A}}(x) = 1$.

ii) $\mu_{\tilde{A}}(x)$ is piecewise continuous.

Definition 2.2. [?] A FN of $\tilde{A} = (j_1, j_2, j_3)$ is said to be a triangular FN if its membership function is given below

$$\mu_{\tilde{A}}(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \leq j_1, \\ \frac{x-j_1}{j_2-j_1}, & j_1 \leq x \leq j_2 \\ 1, & x = j_2 \\ \frac{j_3-x}{j_3-j_2}, & j_2 \leq x \leq j_3 \\ 0, & x > j_3 \end{cases} \quad (2.1)$$

Definition 2.3. [13] A Pentagonal FN $\tilde{A}_p = (j_1, j_2, j_3, j_4, j_5)$ where j_1, j_2, j_3, j_4 and j_5 are real numbers and $j_1 \leq j_2 \leq j_3 \leq j_4 \leq j_5$ with membership function is given below

$$\mu_{\tilde{A}}(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \leq j_1, \\ \frac{x-j_1}{j_2-j_1}, & j_1 \leq x \leq j_2 \\ \frac{x-j_2}{j_3-j_2}, & j_2 \leq x \leq j_3 \\ 1, & x = j_3 \\ \frac{j_4-x}{j_4-j_3}, & j_3 \leq x \leq j_4 \\ \frac{j_5-x}{j_5-j_4}, & j_4 \leq x \leq j_5 \\ 0, & x > j_5 \end{cases} \quad (2.2)$$

Definition 2.4. [14] Let X denote the universe of discourse, then an IFS \tilde{A}^I in X is given by $\tilde{A}^I = \{x, \mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x), \nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x); x \in X\}$ where $\mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x), \nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ are function such that $0 \leq \mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) + \nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) \leq 1$ for all $x \in X$. For each x the membership function $\mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x)$ and $\nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x)$ represent the degree of membership and non-membership of the element $x \in X$ to $A \subset X$ respectively.

Definition 2.5. [14] An IF subset $\tilde{A}^I = \{x, \mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x), \nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x); x \in X\}$ of the real line R is called an IFN if the following holds:

i) There exists $m \in R, \mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(m) = 1$ and $\nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(m) = 0$, m is called the mean value of \tilde{A}^I .

ii) $\mu_{\tilde{A}^I}$ is a continuous mapping from R to the closed interval $[0, 1]$ and for all $x \in R$ the relation $0 \leq \mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) + \nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) \leq 1$ holds.

The membership and non-membership function of \tilde{A}^I is of the following form

$$\mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & -\infty < x \leq m - \alpha, \\ f_1(x), & x \in [m - \alpha, m] \\ 1, & x = m \\ g_1(x), & x \in [m, m + \beta] \\ 0, & m + \beta \leq x \leq \infty \end{cases} \quad (2.3)$$

$$\nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & -\infty < x \leq m - \alpha', \\ f_2(x), & x \in [m - \alpha', m], 0 \leq f_1(x) + f_2(x) \leq 1 \\ 0, & x = m \\ g_2(x), & x \in [m, m + \beta'], 0 \leq g_1(x) + g_2(x) \leq 1 \\ 1, & m + \beta' \leq x \leq \infty \end{cases} \quad (2.4)$$

Here m is the mean value of $\tilde{A}^I(x)$, α and β are called left and right spreads of membership function $\mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x)$ respectively. α', β' represent left and right spreads of non-membership function $\nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x)$ respectively.

Definition 2.6. [2] A triangular IFN $\tilde{A}^I(x)$ is an IF subset in R with the following membership function $\mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x)$ and non-membership function $\nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x)$

$$\mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x-j_1}{j_2-j_1}, & j_1 \leq x \leq j_2 \\ \frac{j_3-x}{j_3-j_2}, & j_2 \leq x \leq j_3 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (2.5)$$

$$\nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{j_2-x}{j_2-j'_1}, & j'_1 \leq x \leq j_2 \\ \frac{x-j_2}{j'_3-j_2}, & j_2 \leq x \leq j'_3 \\ 1, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (2.6)$$

where, $j'_1 \leq j_1 \leq j_2 \leq j_3 \leq j'_3$ and $\mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x), \nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) \leq 0.5$ for $\mu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x) = \nu_{\tilde{A}^I}(x)$ for all $x \in X$. TIFN \tilde{A}^I is denoted by $(j_1, j_2, j_3; j'_1, j_2, j'_3)$.

Definition 2.7. [3] A pentagonal IFN \tilde{A}^I is defined as $\tilde{A}^I = j_1, j_2, j_3, j_4, j_5; j'_1, j'_2, j_3, j'_4, j'_5$. Where all $j_1, j_2, j_3, j_4, j_5; j'_1,$



j'_2, j_3, j'_4, j'_5 are real numbers such that $j'_1 \leq j_1 \leq j'_2 \leq j_2 \leq j_3 \leq j_4 \leq j'_4 \leq j_5 \leq j'_5$ and its membership function $\mu_{\bar{A}^I}(x)$, non-membership function $\nu_{\bar{A}^I}(x)$ are given below

$$\mu_{\bar{A}^I}(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < j_1, \\ \frac{x-j_1}{j_2-j_1}, & j_1 \leq x \leq j_2 \\ \frac{x-j_2}{j_3-j_2}, & j_2 \leq x \leq j_3 \\ 1, & x = j_3 \\ \frac{j_4-x}{j_4-j_3}, & j_3 \leq x \leq j_4 \\ \frac{j_5-x}{j_5-j_4}, & j_4 \leq x \leq j_5 \\ 0, & x > j_5 \end{cases} \quad (2.7)$$

$$\nu_{\bar{A}^I}(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x < j'_1, \\ \frac{j'_2-x}{j'_2-j'_1}, & j'_1 \leq x \leq j'_2 \\ \frac{j_3-x}{j_3-j'_2}, & j'_2 \leq x \leq j_3 \\ 0, & x = j_3 \\ \frac{x-j_3}{j_4-j_3}, & j_3 \leq x \leq j'_4 \\ \frac{x-j'_4}{j'_5-j'_4}, & j'_4 \leq x \leq j'_5 \\ 1, & x > j'_5 \end{cases} \quad (2.8)$$

Definition 2.8. Operations on IFN

i) **Triangular IFN:** [14] Let $\bar{A}^I = (p_1, p_2, p_3; p'_1, p_2, p'_3)$ and $\bar{B}^I = (r_1, r_2, r_3; r'_1, r_2, r'_3)$ be two triangular IFN the arithmetic operations on \bar{A}^I and \bar{B}^I is given below:

Addition: $(p_1, p_2, p_3; p'_1, p_2, p'_3) + (r_1, r_2, r_3; r'_1, r_2, r'_3)$
 $= (p_1 + r_1, p_2 + r_2, p_3 + r_3; p'_1 + r'_1, p_2 + r_2, p'_3 + r'_3)$

Subtraction: $(p_1, p_2, p_3; p'_1, p_2, p'_3) - (r_1, r_2, r_3; r'_1, r_2, r'_3)$
 $= (p_1 - r_3, p_2 - r_2, p_3 - r_1; p'_1 - r'_3, p_2 - r_2, p'_3 - r'_1)$

Multiplication: $(p_1, p_2, p_3; p'_1, p_2, p'_3) * (r_1, r_2, r_3; r'_1, r_2, r'_3)$
 $= (p_1 r_1, p_2 r_2, p_3 r_3; p'_1 r'_1, p_2 r_2, p'_3 r'_3)$

ii) **Pentagonal IFN:** [1] Let $\bar{A}^I = (p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, p_5; p'_1, p'_2, p_3, p'_4, p'_5)$ and $\bar{B}^I = (r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4, r_5; r'_1, r'_2, r_3, r'_4, r'_5)$ be two Pentagonal IFN the arithmetic operations on \bar{A}^I and \bar{B}^I is given below:

Addition: $(p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, p_5; p'_1, p'_2, p_3, p'_4, p'_5) + (r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4, r_5; r'_1, r'_2, r_3, r'_4, r'_5)$
 $= (p_1 + r_1, p_2 + r_2, p_3 + r_3, p_4 + r_4, p_5 + r_5; p'_1 + r'_1, p'_2 + r'_2, p_3 + r_3, p'_4 + r'_4, p'_5 + r'_5)$

Subtraction: $(p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, p_5; p'_1, p'_2, p_3, p'_4, p'_5) - (r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4, r_5; r'_1, r'_2, r_3, r'_4, r'_5)$
 $= (p_1 - r_5, p_2 - r_4, p_3 - r_3, p_4 - r_2, p_5 - r_1; p'_1 - r'_5, p'_2 - r'_4, p_3 - r_3, p'_4 - r'_2, p'_5 - r'_1)$

Multiplication: $(p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, p_5; p'_1, p'_2, p_3, p'_4, p'_5) * (r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4, r_5; r'_1, r'_2, r_3, r'_4, r'_5)$
 $= (p_1 r_1, p_2 r_2, p_3 r_3, p_4 r_4, p_5 r_5; p'_1 r'_1, p'_2 r'_2, p_3 r_3, p'_4 r'_4, p'_5 r'_5)$

3. Numerical Examples

3.1 Triangular IFN

Example 3.1.1 Explain FLP problem

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } \bar{Z} &= (2, 4, 6; 0, 4, 8)\bar{x}_1 + (4, 6, 8; 2, 6, 10)\bar{x}_2 \\ \text{Subject to : } &4\bar{x}_1 + 4\bar{x}_2 \leq (48, 54, 60; 42, 54, 66) \\ &3\bar{x}_1 + 6\bar{x}_2 = (42, 48, 54; 36, 48, 60) \\ &\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solution: Standard form of FLP problem:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } \bar{Z} &= (2, 4, 6; 0, 4, 8)\bar{x}_1 + (4, 6, 8; 2, 6, 10)\bar{x}_2 + \\ &0\bar{S}_1 - M\bar{A}_1 \\ \text{Subject to : } &4\bar{x}_1 + 4\bar{x}_2 + \bar{S}_1 = (48, 54, 60; 42, 54, 66) \\ &3\bar{x}_1 + 6\bar{x}_2 + \bar{A}_1 = (42, 48, 54; 36, 48, 60) \\ &\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \bar{S}_1, \bar{A}_1 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

By applying Ghadle et al.,[4] we get

Table 1. Iteration table

		\bar{c}_j	$\begin{pmatrix} 2, 4, 6; \\ 0, 4, 8 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 4, 6, 8; \\ 2, 6, 10 \end{pmatrix}$	0	-M
\bar{c}_B	\bar{y}_B	\bar{x}_B	\bar{x}_1	\bar{x}_2	\bar{S}_1	\bar{A}_1
0	\bar{S}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 48, 54, 60; \\ 42, 54, 66 \end{pmatrix}$	4	4	1	0
-M	\bar{A}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 42, 48, 54; \\ 36, 48, 60 \end{pmatrix}$	3	6*	0	1
0	\bar{S}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 12, 22, 32; \\ 2, 22, 42 \end{pmatrix}$	2*	0	1	$-\frac{2}{3}$
$\begin{pmatrix} 4, 6, 8; \\ 2, 6, 10 \end{pmatrix}$	\bar{x}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 7, 8, 9; \\ 6, 8, 10 \end{pmatrix}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	0	$\frac{1}{6}$
$\begin{pmatrix} 2, 4, 6; \\ 0, 4, 8 \end{pmatrix}$	\bar{x}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 6, 11, 16; \\ 1, 11, 21 \end{pmatrix}$	1	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$
$\begin{pmatrix} 4, 6, 8; \\ 2, 6, 10 \end{pmatrix}$	\bar{x}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} -1, 2.5, 6; \\ -4.5, 2.5, 9.5 \end{pmatrix}$	0	1	$-\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{3}$

IFOS is $\bar{x}_1 = (6, 11, 16; 1, 11, 21)$, $\bar{x}_2 = (-1, 2.5, 6; -4.5, 2.5, 9.5)$ and Maximize $\bar{Z} = (8, 59, 144; 0, 59, 263)$

Table 2. Comparison Table

Different Big-M Method	Ghadle etc al.[4]	Muralidaran etc al.[9]	Khobragade etc al. [7]	Lokhande etc al.[8]
Example 3.1.1 IFOS	(8,59,144; 0,59,263)	(8,59,144; 0,59,263)	(8,59,144; 0,59,263)	(8,59,144; 0,59,263)

Table 2 describes the evaluation as well as confirmation results with different Big-M methods. It is evident from the outcomes that, for **Maximization type of case with TIFN**, though intuitionistic fuzzy optimal values are similar, Ghadle et al (Alternative Big-M Method) proves to be the better method as it gives the required IFOS within minimum time.



Example 3.1.2 Explain FLP problem

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Minimize } \tilde{Z} &= (3, 4, 5; 2, 4, 6)\tilde{x}_1 + (1, 2, 3; 0, 2, 4)\tilde{x}_2 + \\ & (1, 2, 3; 0, 2, 4)\tilde{x}_3 \\ \text{Subject to : } & 3\tilde{x}_1 + \tilde{x}_2 - 2\tilde{x}_3 = (24, 27, 30; 21, 27, 33) \\ & \tilde{x}_1 + \tilde{x}_2 = (27, 30, 33; 24, 30, 36) \\ & 1\tilde{x}_1 + 2\tilde{x}_1 - \tilde{x}_3 = (27, 30, 33; 24, 30, 36) \\ & \tilde{x}_1, \tilde{x}_2, \tilde{x}_3 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solution: Standard form of FLP problem:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } \tilde{Z} &= -(3, 4, 5; 2, 4, 6)\tilde{x}_1 - (1, 2, 3; 0, 2, 4)\tilde{x}_2 \\ & - (1, 2, 3; 0, 2, 4)\tilde{x}_3 - M\tilde{A}_1 - M\tilde{A}_2 \\ & - M\tilde{A}_3 \\ \text{Subject to : } & 3\tilde{x}_1 + \tilde{x}_2 - 2\tilde{x}_3 + \tilde{A}_1 = (24, 27, 30; 21, 27, 33) \\ & \tilde{x}_1 + \tilde{x}_2 + \tilde{A}_2 = (27, 30, 33; 24, 30, 36) \\ & 1\tilde{x}_1 + 2\tilde{x}_1 - \tilde{x}_3 + \tilde{A}_3 = (27, 30, 33; 24, 30, 36) \\ & \tilde{x}_1, \tilde{x}_2, \tilde{x}_3, \tilde{A}_1, \tilde{A}_2, \tilde{A}_3 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

By applying Ghadle et al.,[4] we get

Table 3. Iteration table

		\tilde{c}_j	$-\begin{pmatrix} 3,4,5 \\ 2,4,6 \end{pmatrix}$	$-\begin{pmatrix} 1,2,3 \\ 0,2,4 \end{pmatrix}$	$-\begin{pmatrix} 1,2,3 \\ 0,2,4 \end{pmatrix}$	-M	-M	-M
\tilde{c}_B	\tilde{y}_B	\tilde{x}_B	\tilde{x}_1	\tilde{x}_2	\tilde{x}_3	\tilde{A}_1	\tilde{A}_2	\tilde{A}_3
-M	\tilde{A}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 24,27,30 \\ 21,27,33 \end{pmatrix}$	3*	1	-2	1	0	0
-M	\tilde{A}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 27,30,33 \\ 24,30,36 \end{pmatrix}$	1	1	0	0	1	0
-M	\tilde{A}_3	$\begin{pmatrix} 27,30,33 \\ 24,30,36 \end{pmatrix}$	1	2	-1	0	0	1
$-\begin{pmatrix} 3,4,5 \\ 2,4,6 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 8,9,10 \\ 7,9,11 \end{pmatrix}$	1	$\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	0	0
-M	\tilde{A}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 17,21,25 \\ 13,21,29 \end{pmatrix}$	0	$\frac{2}{3}$	0	$-\frac{1}{3}$	1	0
-M	\tilde{A}_3	$\begin{pmatrix} 17,21,25 \\ 13,21,29 \end{pmatrix}$	0	$\frac{5}{3}$ *	-1	$-\frac{1}{3}$	0	1
$-\begin{pmatrix} 3,4,5 \\ 2,4,6 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 3,4,8,6,6 \\ 1,2,4,8,8,4 \end{pmatrix}$	1	0	$-\frac{7}{15}$	$\frac{2}{5}$	0	$-\frac{1}{5}$
-M	\tilde{A}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 7,12,6,18,2 \\ 1,4,12,6,23,8 \end{pmatrix}$	0	0	$\frac{5}{6}$ *	$-\frac{1}{6}$	1	$-\frac{2}{3}$
$-\begin{pmatrix} 1,2,3 \\ 0,2,4 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 10,2,12,6,15 \\ 7,8,12,6,17,4 \end{pmatrix}$	0	1	$-\frac{3}{5}$	$-\frac{1}{5}$	0	$\frac{3}{5}$
$-\begin{pmatrix} 3,4,5 \\ 2,4,6 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 11,1,19,5,27,8 \\ 2,8,19,5,36,1 \end{pmatrix}$	1	0	0	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{7}{6}$	$-\frac{2}{3}$
$-\begin{pmatrix} 1,2,3 \\ 0,2,4 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_3	$\begin{pmatrix} 17,5,31,5,45,5 \\ 3,5,31,5,59,5 \end{pmatrix}$	0	0	1	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{5}{2}$	-1
$-\begin{pmatrix} 1,2,3 \\ 0,2,4 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 20,7,31,5,42,2 \\ 9,9,31,5,53,1 \end{pmatrix}$	0	1	0	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{2}$	0

IFOS is $\tilde{x}_1 = (11.1, 19.5, 27.8; 2.8, 19.5, 36.1)$, $\tilde{x}_2 = (20.7, 31.5, 42.2; 9.9, 31.5, 53.1)$ and $\tilde{x}_3 = (17.5, 31.5, 45.5; 3.5, 31.5, 59.5)$ and Minimize $\tilde{Z} = (71.6, 204, 402.4; 5.6, 204, 667)$

Table 4. Comparison Table

Different Big-M Method	Ghadle etc al.[4]	Muralidaran etc al.[9]	Khobragade etc al. [7]	Lokhande etc al.[8]
Example 3.1.2 IFOS	(71.6,204, 402.4;5.6, 204,667)	(71.6,204, 402.4;5.6, 204,667)	(71.6,204, 402.4;5.6, 204,667)	(71.6,204, 402.4;5.6, 204,667)

Table 4 describes the evaluation as well as confirmation results with different Big-M methods. It is evident from the outcomes that, for **Minimization type of case with TIFN**, though intuitionistic fuzzy optimal values are similar, Ghadle et al (Alternative Big-M Method) proves to be the better method as it gives the required IFOS within minimum time.

3.2 Pentagonal IFN

Example 3.2.1 Explain FLP problem

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } \tilde{Z} &= (16, 18, 20, 22, 24; 12, 14, 20, 26, 28)\tilde{x}_1 + \\ & (26, 28, 30, 32, 34; 22, 24, 30, 36, 38)\tilde{x}_2 \\ \text{Subject to : } & 1\tilde{x}_1 + 4\tilde{x}_2 \leq (36, 38, 40, 42, 44; 32, 34, 40, \\ & 46, 48) \\ & 2\tilde{x}_1 + 1\tilde{x}_2 = (26, 28, 30, 32, 34; 22, 24, 30, \\ & 36, 38) \\ & \tilde{x}_1, \tilde{x}_2 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solution: Standard form of FLP problem:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } \tilde{Z} &= (16, 18, 20, 22, 24; 12, 14, 20, 26, 28)\tilde{x}_1 + \\ & (26, 28, 30, 32, 34; 22, 24, 30, 36, 38)\tilde{x}_2 + 0\tilde{S}_1 \\ & - M\tilde{A}_1 \\ \text{Subject to : } & 1\tilde{x}_1 + 4\tilde{x}_2 + \tilde{S}_1 = (36, 38, 40, 42, 44; 32, 34, \\ & 40, 46, 48) \\ & 2\tilde{x}_1 + 1\tilde{x}_2 + \tilde{A}_1 = (26, 28, 30, 32, 34; 22, 24, \\ & 30, 36, 38) \\ & \tilde{x}_1, \tilde{x}_2, \tilde{S}_1, \tilde{A}_1 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

By applying Ghadle et al.,[4] we get

Table 5. Iteration table

		\tilde{c}_j	$\begin{pmatrix} 16,18,20,22,24 \\ 12,14,20,26,28 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 26,28,30,32,34 \\ 22,24,30,36,38 \end{pmatrix}$	0	-M
\tilde{c}_B	\tilde{y}_B	\tilde{x}_B	\tilde{x}_1	\tilde{x}_2	\tilde{S}_1	\tilde{A}_1
0	\tilde{S}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 36,38,40,42,44 \\ 32,34,40,46,48 \end{pmatrix}$	1	4*	1	0
-M	\tilde{A}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 26,28,30,32,34 \\ 22,24,30,36,38 \end{pmatrix}$	2	1	0	1
$\begin{pmatrix} 26,28,30,32,34 \\ 22,24,30,36,38 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 9,9,5,10,10,5,11 \\ 8,8,5,10,11,5,12 \end{pmatrix}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	1	$\frac{1}{4}$	0
-M	\tilde{A}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 15,17,5,20,22,5,25 \\ 10,12,5,20,27,5,30 \end{pmatrix}$	$\frac{7}{4}$ *	0	$-\frac{1}{4}$	1
$\begin{pmatrix} 26,28,30,32,34 \\ 22,24,30,36,38 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 5,4,6,3,7,1,8,8,9 \\ 3,7,4,5,7,1,9,7,10,5 \end{pmatrix}$	0	1	$\frac{2}{7}$	$-\frac{1}{7}$
$\begin{pmatrix} 16,18,20,22,24 \\ 12,14,20,26,28 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 8,5,10,11,4,12,8,14,2 \\ 5,7,7,1,11,4,15,7,17,1 \end{pmatrix}$	1	0	$-\frac{1}{7}$	$\frac{4}{7}$

IFOS is $\tilde{x}_1 = (8.5, 10, 11.4, 12.8, 14.2; 5.7, 7.1, 11.4, 15.7, 17.1)$, $\tilde{x}_2 = (5.4, 6.3, 7.1, 8, 8.9; 3.7, 4.5, 7.1, 9.7, 10.5)$ and Maximize $\tilde{Z} = (276.4, 356.4, 441, 537.6, 643.4; 149.8, 207.4, 441, 757.4, 877.8)$

Table 6. Comparison Table

Different Big-M Method	Ghadle etc al.[4]	Muralidaran etc al.[9]	Khobragade etc al. [7]	Lokhande etc al.[8]
Example 3.2.1 IFOS	(276.4,356.4 441, 537.6, 643.4;149.8, 207.4,441, 757.4,877.8)	(276.4,356.4 441, 537.6, 643.4;149.8, 207.4,441, 757.4,877.8)	(276.4,356.4 441, 537.6, 643.4;149.8, 207.4,441, 757.4,877.8)	(276.4,356.4 441, 537.6, 643.4;149.8, 207.4,441, 757.4,877.8)

Table 6 describes the evaluation as well as confirmation results with different Big-M methods. It is evident from the outcomes that, for **Maximization type of case with PIFN**, though intuitionistic fuzzy optimal values are similar, Ghadle et al (Alternative Big-M Method) proves to be the better



method as it gives the required IFOS within minimum time.

Example 3.2.2 Explain FLP problem

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Minimize } \tilde{Z} &= (8, 10, 12, 14, 16; 4, 6, 12, 18, 20)\tilde{x}_1 + \\ & (26, 28, 30, 32, 34; 22, 24, 30, 36, 38)\tilde{x}_2 \\ \text{Subject to : } & 6\tilde{x}_1 + 8\tilde{x}_2 = (80, 90, 100, 110, 120; 60, \\ & 70, 100, 130, 140) \\ & 0\tilde{x}_1 + 12\tilde{x}_2 = (100, 110, 120, 130, 140; \\ & 80, 90, 120, 150, 160) \\ & \tilde{x}_1, \tilde{x}_2, \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solution: Standard form of FLP problem:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } \tilde{Z} &= - (8, 10, 12, 14, 16; 4, 6, 12, 18, 20)\tilde{x}_1 \\ & - (26, 28, 30, 32, 34; 22, 24, 30, 36, 38) \\ & \tilde{x}_2 - M\tilde{A}_1 - M\tilde{A}_2 \\ \text{Subject to : } & 6\tilde{x}_1 + 8\tilde{x}_2 + \tilde{A}_1 = (80, 90, 100, 110, 120; \\ & 60, 70, 100, 130, 140) \\ & 0\tilde{x}_1 + 12\tilde{x}_2 + \tilde{A}_2 = (100, 110, 120, 130, \\ & 140; 80, 90, 120, 150, 160) \\ & \tilde{x}_1, \tilde{x}_2, \tilde{A}_1, \tilde{A}_2 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

By applying Ghadle et al.,[4] we get

Table 7. Iteration table

\tilde{c}_j	\tilde{y}_R	\tilde{a}_{ij}	\tilde{x}_1	\tilde{x}_2	-M	-M
			$-\begin{pmatrix} 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 \\ 4, 6, 12, 18, 20 \end{pmatrix}$	$-\begin{pmatrix} 26, 28, 30, 32, 34 \\ 22, 24, 30, 36, 38 \end{pmatrix}$		
-M	\tilde{A}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} 80, 90, 100, 110, 120; \\ 60, 70, 100, 130, 140 \end{pmatrix}$	6	8	1	0
-M	\tilde{A}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 100, 110, 120, 130, 140; \\ 80, 90, 120, 150, 160 \end{pmatrix}$	0	12*	0	1
-M	\tilde{A}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} -12.8, 3.6, 20; @ 37.2, 53.6; \\ -46.6, -30, 20, 70, 87.2 \end{pmatrix}$	$\frac{4}{3}$ *	0	1	$\frac{2}{3}$
$-\begin{pmatrix} 26, 28, 30, 32, 34; \\ 22, 24, 30, 36, 38 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 83.9, 10, 10, 10, 8, 11.6; \\ 6.6, 7.5, 10, 12.5, 13.3 \end{pmatrix}$	0	1	0	$\frac{1}{12}$
$-\begin{pmatrix} 8, 10, 12, 14, 16; \\ 4, 6, 12, 18, 20 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_1	$\begin{pmatrix} -9.6, 2.7, 15, 27.9, 40.2; \\ -34.8, -22.5, 15, 52.5, 65.5 \end{pmatrix}$	1	0	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
$-\begin{pmatrix} 26, 28, 30, 32, 34; \\ 22, 24, 30, 36, 38 \end{pmatrix}$	\tilde{x}_2	$\begin{pmatrix} 83.9, 10, 10, 10, 8, 11.6; \\ 6.6, 7.5, 10, 12.5, 13.3 \end{pmatrix}$	0	1	0	$\frac{1}{12}$

IFOS is $\tilde{x}_1 = (-9.6, 2.7, 15, 27.9, 40.2; -34.8, -22.5, 15, 52.5, 65.5)$, $\tilde{x}_2 = (8.3, 9.1, 10, 10.8, 11.6; 6.6, 7.5, 10, 12.5, 13.3)$ and Minimize $\tilde{Z} = (139, 281.8, 480, 736.2, 1037.6; 6, 45, 480, 1395, 1813.4)$

Table 8. Comparison Table

Different Big-M Method	Ghadle etc al.[4]	Muralidaran etc al.[9]	Khobragade etc al. [7]	Lokhande etc al.[8]
Example 3.2.2 IFOS	(139,281.8, 480,736.2, 1037.6;6, 45,480, 1395,1813.4)	(139,281.8, 480,736.2, 1037.6;6, 45,480, 1395,1813.4)	(139,281.8, 480,736.2, 1037.6;6, 45,480, 1395,1813.4)	(139,281.8, 480,736.2, 1037.6;6, 45,480, 1395,1813.4)

Table 8 describes the evaluation as well as confirmation results with different Big-M methods. It is evident from the outcomes that, for **Minimization type of case with PIFN**, though intuitionistic fuzzy optimal values are similar, Ghadle et al (Alternative Big-M Method) proves to be the better method as it gives the required IFOS within minimum time.

4. Conclusion

In this article we have solved FLP problems without converting into CLP problems. The triangular and pentagonal IFLP problems for maximization and minimization cases by different Big-M methods have been solved. Again, the methods of Muralidaran et al., Ghadle et al. (Alternative Big-M Method), Khobragade et al., Lokhande et al. all are compared. We found that Ghadle et al (Alternative Big-M Method) is easy to solve, requires less time and it minimizes the iterations. Therefore it is superior from other method.

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