

# Mathematical Programming: Modelling and Applications

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# Writing the mathematical model

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## Preliminary observations:

- There are some quantities (parameters) defined

### *for each product :*

selling price, production cost, production quota, activation cost, minimum batch, storage cost

### *for each month:*

number of production days

### *for each product and each month:*

maximum demand for each product in each month

### *independently on product/month:*

storage capacity.

- Furthermore:

For each product, there is a different quantity produced, sold, stocked during each month and the activation status of each production line is also dependent on the months.



# Writing the mathematical model

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## Sets and indices:

- 3 products → use an index  $i \in I$
- 4 months → use an index  $j \in J$

define parameters / variables indexed on  $i, j$

## What decisions should we take?

product  $i$ , month  $j$   $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{quantity produced} \\ \text{quantity sold} \\ \text{quantity stocked} \end{array} \right.$

also take into account the activation status



# Mathematical model

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- Parameters

$P_j$ : number of production days in month  $j$ ;

$d_{ij}$ : maximum demand for product  $i$  in month  $j$ ;

$v_i$ : selling price for product  $i$ ;

$c_i$ : production cost of product  $i$ ;

$q_i$ : maximum production quota of product  $i$ ;

$a_i$ : activation cost for production  $i$ ;

$b_i$ : minimum batch for production  $i$ ;

$s_i$ : storage cost for product  $i$ ;

$C$ : storage capacity in number of units.

# Mathematical model

- Variables

$x_{ij}$ : quantity of product  $i$  produced during month  $j$ ;

$w_{ij}$ : quantity of product  $i$  sold during month  $j$ ;

$z_{ij}$ : quantity of product  $i$  stocked during month  $j$ ;

$y_{ij}$ : activation status for production  $i$  during month  $j$ ;

All variables are non negative

$$y_{ij} \text{ binary} \quad y_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if product } i \text{ is active during month } j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- Objective function

maximize the total income

total income: 3 products – sum income obtained during each month

$$\max \sum_{i \in I} \left( v_i \sum_{j \in J} w_{ij} - c_i \sum_{j \in J} x_{ij} - s_i \sum_{j \in J} z_{ij} - a_i \sum_{j \in J} y_{ij} \right)$$



# Mathematical model

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- Constraints

- demand:  $\forall i \in I, j \in J \quad w_{ij} \leq d_{ij}$

- production:  $\forall j \in J \quad \sum_{i \in I} \frac{x_{ij}}{q_i} \leq P_j$

- balance:  $\forall i \in I, j \in J \quad z_{i,j-1} + x_{ij} = z_{ij} + w_{ij}$

- capacity:  $\forall j \in J \quad \sum_{i \in I} z_{ij} \leq C$

- activation:  $\forall i \in I, j \in J \quad x_{ij} \leq P_j q_i y_{ij}$

- minimum batch:  $\forall i \in I, j \in J \quad x_{ij} \geq b_i y_{ij}$

- december:  $\forall i \in I \quad z_{i0} = 0$