

3b) Dynamic non-convex LP model for CHP plant

Maximize profit for 6 hour interval with given heat demand and power price

Variables	Unit	Description
$x(j,t)$	1	Weights for extreme characteristic operating points, $j=1,\dots,9$, $t=1,\dots,6$
$y(k,t)$	1	Binary variables determining in which sub-area plant operates
Parameter	Unit	Description
$P(j)$	MWh/h	Power production at characteristic points
$Q(j)$	MWh/h	Heat production at characteristic points
$F(j)$	MWh/h	Fuel consumption at characteristic points, $F_j=RP_j*P_j+RQ_j*Q_j$
$C_p(t)$	EUR/MWh	Power price for each hour
$Q(t)$	MWh/h	Heat demand for each hour
CF	EUR/MWh	Fuel price
$A(j,k)$	1	Matrix telling if characteristic point j belongs to area k

Objective function

$$\max \quad \text{Sum}(\text{Sum}(C_p(t)*P(j)*x(j,t)) - \text{Sum}(CF*F(j)*x(j,t))) \quad \text{Maximize revenue - costs}$$

Constraints

$$\text{sum}(Q(j)*x(j,t) = Q(t) \quad \text{Heat production each hour } t \text{ must be } Q(t)$$

$$\text{sum}(x(j,t)) = 1 \quad \text{Sum of weights for each hour } t \text{ must be } 1$$

$$x(j,t) \geq 0 \quad \text{All weights must be non-negative}$$

$$x(j,t) \leq \text{sum}(k,A(j,k)*y(k,t)) \quad \text{Disable points not in current area}$$

$$y(k,t) \text{ binary}$$

Configuration for Excel Solver

CF #REF! EUR/MWh Fuel price = 20 plus two last digits of student number as cents

Characteristic operating points

Point j	P(j)	Q(j)	RP(j)	RQ(j)	F(j)	Efficiency
1	20	20	1,2	1,1	46	87,0%
2	100	90	1,2	1,1	219	86,8%
3	70	40	2	1,1	184	59,8%
4	20	0	3	1,1	60	33,3%
5	50	0	2,6	1,1	130	38,5%
6	70	15	2,7	1,1	205,5	41,4%
7	100	65	2,5	1,1	321,5	51,3%
8	40	100	1,2	1,01	149	94,0%
9	80	100	1,2	1,07	203	88,7%

Convex areas

A1	A2	A2
1	1	0
1	0	1
1	1	1
0	1	0
0	1	0
0	1	1
0	0	1
1	0	0
1	0	0

Hour data	1	2	3	4	5	6
Q	40	60	80	100	60	20
Cp	80	50	20	30	50	100

Variables	1	2	3	4	5	6
x1	0	0	0	0	0	0
x2	0	0	0,6	0	0	0
x3	0	0	0	0	0	0

x4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
x5	0	0	0	0	0	0		
x6	0,5	0,1	0	0	0,1	0,9		
x7	0,5	0,9	0,4	0	0,9	0,1		
x8	0	0	0	0	0	0		
x9	0	0	0	1	0	0		
y1	0,5	0,1	0,6	1	0,1	0,1		
y2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
y3	0,5	0,9	0,4	0	0,9	0,9		
Sum(x)	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Sum(y)	1	1	1	1	1	1		
P	85	97	100	80	97	73		
Q	40	60	80	100	60	20		
F	263,5	309,9	260	203	309,9	217,1		
Efficiency	47,4%	50,7%	69,2%	88,7%	50,7%	42,8%		
Revenue	6800	4850	2000	2400	4850	7300	28200	EUR
Costs	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	#REF!	EUR
Profit						#REF!	EUR	

A(j,k)*y(k)

0,5	0,1	0,6	1	0,1	0,1
1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0,5	0,9	0,4	0	0,9	0,9
0,5	0,9	0,4	0	0,9	0,9
0,5	0,1	0,6	1	0,1	0,1
0,5	0,1	0,6	1	0,1	0,1

Each x(j,t) must be <= corresponding matrix element

Note: To compute the above elements easily you can use the Array formula =MMULT(\$I\$37:\$K\$45;\$B\$60:\$G\$62)

To enter an array formula, first select the entire area for the formula, then enter formula and finally press Ctrl-Shift-Enter (instead of normal Enter).

Array formula will appear inside curly braces {}

If you do not want to use array formulas, then you can enter the normal formula =I37*B\$60+J37*B\$61+K37*B\$62 in the first cell and copy it in the entire region.

See how this formula uses absolute column and relative row references when referring to A(j,k) elements; but relative column and absolute row references for y(k,t)

Function key F4 cycles between different combinations of absolute and relative references for selected reference

