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**Transportation Problem - II**  
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Hello friends, welcome to my second lecture on Transportation Problem. In the previous lecture on transportation problem we had considered two methods, they are North West corner rule and then the second one was least cost method, to determine the basic feasible solution for the transportation problem.

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**Unit cost penalty method (Vogel's approximation method)**

In this method we have the following steps:

**Step 1** Identify the smallest and next to smallest costs for each row of the transportation table. Find the difference between them for each row. Write these difference alongside the transportation table against the respective rows by enclosing them in parentheses. Write the similar differences for each column below the corresponding column. These are called penalties.

**Step 2** Now select the row or column for which the penalty is the largest. If a tie occurs, use any arbitrary tie breaking choice. Allocate the maximum possible amount to the cell with lowest cost in that particular row or column. Let the largest penalty correspond to  $i$ th row and let  $c_{ij}$  be the smallest cost in the  $i$ th row. Allocate the amount  $x_{ij} = \min(a_i, b_j)$  in the cell  $(i, j)$ . Then we cross out the  $i$ th row or the  $j$ th column in the usual manner and construct the reduced matrix.

Now, we have third method, which is known as Vogel's approximation method or unit cost penalty method. So, this method is most effective method to find basic feasible solution. Let us discuss this method, so in this method we first step is to identify the smallest and next to smallest cost for each row of the transportation table. So, (we prepare the transportation table) we have the transportation table, we will identify the smallest and the next to smallest cost for each row of the transportation table and then we find the difference between them for each row.

We write these differences alongside the transportation table against the respective rows by enclosing them in parentheses. We write similar differences for each column below the corresponding column. They are called penalties. Okay, these differences are known as penalties. Now, we select the row or column for which the penalty is the largest.

So we inspect all the values, the differences which we found for rows and the differences which we found for penalties we found for columns, okay that is we inspect all the penalties, then we identify the penalty which is the largest, if a tie occurs, we use any arbitrary tie breaking choice.

Suppose if there is tie between two penalties and both penalties are same and they are largest then we can choose either one, either penalty to begin with. Now allocate the maximum possible amount to the cell with lowest cost in that particular row or column, so we identify the penalty which is the largest, then in that particular row we identify the column which has the lowest cost, so in that cell we allocate the maximum possible amount.

Suppose the maximum penalty occurs in the  $i$ -th row, for example, the penalty occurs in the  $i$ -th row, then and the lowest cost cell is the cell where the cost is  $c_{ij}$ , so then to that cell which is having lowest cost  $c_{ij}$  we shall allocate the maximum possible amount that is the minimum of  $a_i$  and  $b_j$ , where  $a_i$  are the amounts which are available, in that row and then the  $b_j$  is the maximum demand for that.

So,  $a_i, b_j$  will take the minimum value of that, so let the largest penalty correspond to  $i$ -th row, largest penalty corresponds to the  $i$ -th row and  $c_{ij}$  be the smallest cost in the  $i$ th row, then we allocate the amount  $x_{ij}$  which is the minimum of  $a_i, b_j$  in the cell  $i,j$ . Then we cross out the  $i$ -th row or the  $j$ -th column in the usual manner and construct the reduced matrix.

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**Step 3** Now compute the row and column penalties for the reduced transportation table and repeat the step 2. We continue this process until all the available quantity is exhausted or all the requirement is satisfied.

**Example** First we write the cost and the requirement matrix and compute the penalties as follows:

	$W_1$	$W_2$	$W_3$	Available	Penalties
$F_1$	5 (2)	(7)	(4)	5	(2) ←
$F_2$	(3)	(3)	(1)	8	(2)
$F_3$	(5)	(4)	(7)	7	(1)
$F_4$	(1)	(6)	(2)	14	(1)
Requirement	7	9	18		
Penalties	(1)	(1)	(1)		

So, in the third step, we compute the row and column penalties for the reduced transportation table because we have deleted the  $i$ -th row of the  $j$ -th column, now we have the reduced transportation table, so we again calculate the penalty and then identify the row or column which has got the maximum penalty and in that row or column we then identify the cell which has got the lowest cost, and in that we allocate the amount  $x_{ij}$  which is the minimum of  $a_i, b_j$  for that cell. So, we continue this process until all the available quantity is exhausted or all the requirement is satisfied.

Now, let us see, this is our transportation table, the cost and requirement matrix, okay, this is our cost and requirement matrix, in the parentheses you can see we have the cost for each cell, 2 is the cost of this cell, 7 is the cost for this cell, 4 is the cost here and 3 and 3 1 they are the cost in this row, 5 4 7 are the cost in third row and 1 6 2 are the cost in the fourth row and with  $F_1, F_2, F_3, F_4$  and 5, 8, 7, 14 units are available and the requirement at the warehouse  $W_1, W_2, W_3$  are 7, 9 and 18.

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$F_4$	(1) ✓	(6)	(2) ✓	14	(1) ✓
Requirement	7	9	18		
Penalties	(1) ✓	(1) ✓	(1) ✓		

Smallest = 2  
Next to smallest = 4  
Max penalty = 2  
There is a tie  
Select the first row  
Lowest cost cell (1,1)  
 $\min(5, 7) = 5$

So, let us first find the penalties, so how do we find the penalties? Let us go to this, we find the difference between the smallest and next to smallest cost for each row, so here smallest is what? Let us take this first row and the smallest is 2 and next to smallest is 4, so the difference is 2, so we write this 2 in the bracket. In the second row the smallest is 1 and the next to smallest is 3 so this difference is 2. In the third row the smallest is 4 and next to smallest is 5 and the difference is 1, so we write 1 here in the bracket and then here smallest is 1 and next to smallest is 2 and the difference is 1, so we write 1 here.

So, we have found the penalties for all the 4 rows, for first row its 2, for the second row its 2, the third row it is 1 and fourth row it is 1, now for the first column, what is the penalty? So, the least cost is 1 and then the next smallest is 2, so the difference is 1, so we have 1 here and here the smallest is 3, next to smallest is 4 again the difference is 1, here smallest is 1, next to smallest is 2 so again the difference is 1, so the penalties row wise are 2, 2, 1, 1 and column wise they are 1, 1, 1 and 1.

Now, let us find the maximum penalty, so maximum penalty occurs along first and second rows, maximum penalty is 2 and it is occurring along first row and second row, so there is a tie. So we have to break this tie, we can select either first row or the second row to begin with, suppose we select the first row, so select the first row, now then we will find the cell in the first row which has got the lowest cost, so this cell, this cell has got the lowest cost and the lowest cost is 2.

So the lowest cost cell is 1,1 and the cost is 2, so to this cell which has got the lowest cost we give the maximum possible amount, now with  $F_1$  5 units are available and the requirement of  $W_1$  is 7, so we can allocate minimum of 5 and 7 that is 5, so allocate 5 here to this cell. Now we can cross out first row, after we have allocated 5, the capacity of  $F_1$  is adjusted, we have delivered all 5 available units with  $F_1$  to the warehouse  $W_1$ , so 5 is also, we will cross out the first row and then we will have three rows, second, third and fourth row, then three columns.

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We find that the maximum penalty (2) is associated with row 1 and row 2, so we may select any one of these. If we select row 1, then we allocate the maximum amount to the lowest cost cell in this row i.e cell (1, 1). Thus  $x_{11} = \min(5, 7) = 5$ . This exhausts the availability from  $F_1$ . So we cross the row 1. Leaving this row, the reduced cost and requirement matrix is as follows

	$W_1$	$W_2$	$W_3$	Available	Penalties
$F_2$	(3)	(3)	8 (3)	5	(2)
$F_3$	(5)	(4)	(7)	7	(1)
$F_4$	(1)	(6)	(2)	14	(1)
Requirement	2	9	18		
Penalties	(2)	(1)	(1)		

*max penalty = 2  
st occurs in the  
1st row  
& 1st column  
Let no reduce 1st  
column  
 $\min(9, 18) = 9$*

We note that the amount still needed to column 1 is 2. Since the maximum penalty (2) is associated with row 1 and column 1 so we may select any one of these.

So, then the next transportation table is this one, so 3, 3, 1 and 5, 4, 7 and 1, 6, 2 that is the next table after we have deleted the first row, remove the first row. Again we calculate the

penalties, so here the lowest cost is 1 and next to smallest is 3, so the difference is 2, here lowest cost is 4, next to lowest is 5, so we have difference is 1, here smallest cost is 1, next to smallest is 2, so we have difference is 1. So, column wise let us find the penalties, so smallest is 1 next to smallest is 3, so the difference is 2, smallest is 3 here next to smallest is 4 so difference is 1 here, smallest is 1 here next to smallest is 2 so the difference is 1 here.

So, now let us find again the maximum penalty, the maximum penalty is 2 and it occurs in the first row and the first column, so it occurs in the first row, first row and first column. So we can select either the first row or we can select the first column, so let us select first column. Now then we will identify the cell which has got the lowest cost, this cell has got the lowest cost and to this cell we shall allocate the maximum possible amount that is available.

So with  $F_2$  8 units available and the requirement of  $W_3$  is 18, so we can allocate maximum possible amount with  $F_2$  that is 8, so minimum of 8 and 18, that is 8, so we can allocate 8 to  $W_3$ . Now all the available units with  $F_2$  have been allocated, so we will cross out the second row and then we shall have the remaining two rows 5,4,7, 1,6,2 so that will be our next transportation table.

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We select row 1 of this table and allocate the maximum possible amount 8 to the cell with cost 1 (lowest) in this row. This exhausts the availability from  $F_2$  and leaves the requirement 10 for  $W_3$ . Again leaving row of  $F_2$ , the reduced transportation table is as follows:

	$W_1$	$W_2$	$W_3$	Available	Penalties
$F_3$	(5)	(4)	(7)	7	(1) ✓
$F_4$	(1) ✓	(6)	10 (2)	14	(1) ✓
Requirement	2	9	10		
Penalties	(4) ✓	(2) ✓	(5) ✓		

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Max. penalty = 5  
It occurs along  
the 3rd  
column  
 $\min(14, 10) = 10$

	$W_1$	$W_2$	Available
$F_3$	(5)	(4)	7
$F_4$	(1)	(6)	4
Requirement	2	9	

So, this is our next transportation table 5,4,7, 1,6,2, we will again find the penalties, so penalties now are, least, lowest, smallest cost is 4, next to smallest is 5, so difference is 1, smallest cost here is 2, no smallest cost is 1 next to smallest is 2, so the difference is 1 and column wise 1 is here and 5 is there, so smallest is 1 and next smallest is 5, so difference is 4 and here smallest is 4 and next to smallest is 6, so the difference here is 2, here the difference

between the smallest and next to smallest is 5, so maximum penalties is now 5 and it occurs along the third column.

So, let us now find the cell which has got the lowest cost and this cell has got the lowest cost 2, so we allocate the minimum of 14 and 10, so 10 units are allocated to the cell with the cost 2, now what is left with us here? So we have allocated 10, so then after that we cross out this cell because we have already allocated, the capacity of  $W_3$  is now exhausted,  $W_3$  requirement was 10 and we have allocated 10 units to  $W_3$ , so the third column is now removed and we have the transportation table containing two rows, this one 5, 4, 1, 6 and two columns, so this one 5, 4, 1, 6, so this is now reduces, this transportation table reduces to this one, this is  $W_1$ , this is  $W_2$ , this is  $F_3$ ,  $F_4$ .

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In this table, the maximum penalty (5) is associated with column 3 so the maximum possible amount 10 is allocated to the cell with cost 2 in this column. This completes the requirement of  $W_3$ . After leaving the column corresponding to  $W_3$ , the remaining table is as follows:

	$W_1$	$W_2$	Available	Penalties
$F_3$	(5)	7 (4)	7	(1) ✓
$F_4$	2 (1)	2 (6)	4	(5) ✓
Requirement	2	9		
Penalties	(4) ✓	(2) ✓		

*max penalty=5*  
*min(2,4)=2*  
 *$F_3$   $F_4$  #*  
 *$F_4$   $(2,6)$  ✓*

In this table, the maximum penalty (5) is associated with row 2, so the maximum possible amount 2 is allocated to the cell with lowest cost 1 in this row.

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Alright, now we go to the next table. So out of 14, 10 have been given so this is now reduced to 4,  $F_4$  now has 4 units available and  $F_3$  has 7 and here this is 2, this is  $W_2$  2, 9, we have this transportation table, so let us go to this one. We can see again the lowest cost is 4 and next to lowest is 5, so the difference is 1, here the smallest cost is 1 next to smallest is 6, so the difference is 5, here the smallest is 1 next to smallest is 5, so the difference is 4, here smallest is 4 next to smallest is 6, so the difference is 2.

So, what is the maximum penalty? The maximum penalty is 5, it occurs along the second row, so let us identify the cell which has the least cost, so this cell has the lowest cost 1, so we will then allocate minimum of 2 and 7, that is 2, so we allocate 2 to this cell. Now the

requirement of  $W_1$  was 2 and we have allocated 2 units to  $W_1$ , so we can cross out this column and then what are we left with?  $F_3$  and  $F_4$ .

So, we have, from 4 we have given 1, 2, no, we are taking minimum of 2 and, we are giving 2 2, minimum of 2, why 2 and 7, maximum penalty was 5 and this cell has got the lowest cost 1, we take the requirement of  $W_1$  is 2 and the availability of  $F_4$  is 4, so minimum of 2 and 4 we have to take, so we allocate 2 here, so then the requirement of  $W_1$  is fulfilled, we can cross out  $W_1$  and with  $F_4$ , now 2 units are available and  $F_3$  has got 7 and the total requirement of  $W_2$  is 9, so we allocate 7 to  $F_3$ ,  $F_3$  has this and got cost 4, so we allocate 7 to this and we allocate 6 to this and we cross out. So, this is what we do, we had only 7 units available with  $F_3$ , which we have given to  $W_2$  where the cost is 4 and we have given 2 units  $W_2$ , where the cost is 2.

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The remaining amount 2 available to  $F_4$  is allocated to the cell with cost 6. Finally, to meet the requirement of  $W_2$ , the amount 7 is allocated to the cell with cost 4. Thus we get the B.F.S as shown in the table.

	$W_1$	$W_2$	$W_3$	Available
$F_1$	5 (2)	(7)	(4)	5
$F_2$	(3)	(3)	8 (1)	8
$F_3$	(5)	7 (4)	(7)	7
$F_4$	2 (1)	2 (6)	10 (2)	14
Requirement	7	9	18	

The total transportation cost  
 $= 5 \times 2 + 8 \times 1 + 7 \times 4 + 2 \times 1 + 2 \times 6 + 10 \times 2 = \text{Rs. } 80$

So ultimately we have this table, 5 from  $F_1$  source we have given all 5 to  $W_1$  with cost 2 and we summarized and then we have given all the 8 that was available with  $F_2$  to  $W_3$  and we have given out of 7 to  $W_2$  which cost 4 and then we have given out of 14 which was available with  $F_4$ , 2 to  $W_1$  and 2 to  $W_2$  and 10 to  $W_3$ , this we can see from here, so we give 5 from  $F_1$  to  $W_1$ , we gave out of 8, all 8 to  $W_3$  and we have given from  $F_4$  out of 14, 10 to  $W_3$  and then we have given out of 7 which was available with  $F_3$  to  $W_2$  with cost 4, 2 to  $W_1$  have been given from  $F_4$  and 2 to  $W_2$  have been given from  $F_4$ , so this is how we have allocated the units that were available with  $F_1$ ,  $F_2$  and  $F_4$  to the warehouses  $W_1$ ,  $W_2$ ,  $W_3$  and  $W_4$ .

Now, we can calculate...so this is B.F.S of which we have got and the total transportation cost is 5 into 2 then 8 into 1 then 7 into 4 then 2 into 1, two into 6 and then 10 into 2 so that is 80 Rs, so that is the transportation cost which we have by the Vogel Approximation Method.

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#### Optimality Test

After getting the initial F.S. of a transportation problem, we test this solution for optimality i.e, we check whether the feasible solution obtained, minimize the total transportation cost or not. Therefore, the optimality test to a F.S. consisting of  $(m + n - 1)$  allocations in independent positions i.e, to a non-degenerated B.F.S. we will discuss the following method for the test of optimality of the solution.

**The Modified Distribution (MODI) Method or u-v Method**



Now, let us discuss the Optimality test, after getting the initial feasible solution of the transportation problem we then test this solution.

We then find, we did not test this solution for optimality okay, let us test this solution for optimality, which I gather the feasible solution obtained, minimise the total transportation cost or not. Okay, therefore the optimality test for a feasible solution consisting of  $M + N - 1$  allocation, see you can see how many allocations we have made, see 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, six allocation we have made and  $M + N$ , there are 4 rows and 3 columns.

So  $M$  is equal to 4 and  $N$  is equal to 3, so  $M + N - 1$  equal to 6. Okay, so we have made 6 allocations okay, so let us test whether this solution which we have got, this one, this solution is optimal or not, and if it is not we will improve this to get this optimal allocation okay, so therefore the optimality test to a feasible solution consisting of  $M + N - 1$  allocations in independent position that is to a non-degenerated because when there are  $M + N - 1$  allocations in independent positions we get non-degenerated BFS okay, so we will discuss this method MODI method okay, or we also call it as U-V method to test the optimality of the solution which we have got from Vogel approximation method okay.



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#### MODI Method

For the solution of a minimization transportation problem proceed systematically as follows. This iterative procedure of determining an optimum solution of a minimization transportation problem is known as MODI Method.

**Step 1** Construct a transportation table entering the capacities  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m$  of the sources and the requirements  $b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n$ . Enter the various costs  $c_{ij}$  at the upper left corners of all the cells. Find an initial B.F.S (allocation in independent positions). Enter the allocations at the centres of the cells.

**Step 2** Find the set of numbers  $u_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, m)$  and  $v_j (j = 1, 2, \dots, n)$  such that for each occupied cell  $(r, s)$ ,  $c_{rs} = u_r + v_s$ .

**Step 3** Find  $u_i + v_j$  for each unoccupied cell  $(i, j)$  and enter at the upper right corner of the corresponding cell  $(i, j)$ .

**Step 4** Find the cell evaluations  $d_{ij} = c_{ij} - (u_i + v_j)$  for each unoccupied cell  $(i, j)$  and enter at the lower right corner of the corresponding cells.



So for the solution of a minimization transportation problem proceeds, let us proceed systematically as follows. Okay, the iterative procedure of determining an optimum solution of a minimization transportation problem is known as MODI method. Now let us, first we construct a transportation table entering the capacities  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m$ , are the capacities of the sources,  $F_1, F_2, \dots, F_m$  and the requirements,  $b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n$  they are the requirements of the  $N$  warehouses,  $W_1, W_2, \dots, W_n$ .

Now, we enter the various cost  $c_{ij}$  at the upper left corner, so we have follow system of allocation here, writing values in the various cells, will write the cost  $c_{ij}$  of in each cell at the upper left corner. Okay, find an initial BFS that is allocation in independent positions. Okay and then enter the allocations at the centre of the cells, so the problem just now we have solved okay, in that problem the allocation that we have made they will be written in the centre of the cell. Okay and the cost  $c_{ij}$  of each cell will be written in the upper left corner.

Now, let us find the set of numbers  $u_i$  and  $v_j$ ,  $i$  runs from 1 to  $m$ ,  $j$  runs from 1 to  $n$ . Okay, such that for each occupied cell, occupied cell means the cell which has been, where the allocation has been made okay and not occupied cell means this cell where no allocation has been made okay, so such that for each occupied cell  $rr$  okay,  $c_{rs} = u_r + v_s$ ,  $c_{rs}$  is the cost of the  $rs$  cell okay, so  $c_{rs} = u_r + v_s$ .

Now find  $u_i + v_j$  for each unoccupied cell okay, for each unoccupied cell, or the cell where the no allocation has been made, so for each such cell we had to find  $u_i + v_j$  and enter the

upper right corner of the corresponding cell  $i, j$  okay, so  $u_i + v_j$  we shall find and  $u_i$  and  $v_j$  we shall find and  $u_i + v_j$  we shall enter at the upper right corner. Okay.

Now find, then we will find the cell evaluations  $d_{ij}$ ,  $d_{ij}$  equal to  $c_{ij} - (u_i + v_j)$ ,  $c_{ij}$  is the entry in the  $ij$  cell at the upper left corner and  $u_i + v_j$  is the entry at the upper right corner, so we will find the difference of  $c_{ij}$  and  $u_i + v_j$  for each unoccupied cell okay and enter at the lower right corner of the corresponding cells okay, so the values of the  $d_{ij}$  will be found for each unoccupied cell and the values of  $d_{ij}$  will be written at the lower right corner of the unoccupied cell.

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**Step 5** Examine the cell evaluations  $d_{ij}$  for unoccupied cells and conclude that (i) if all  $d_{ij} > 0$ , then the solution under test is optimal and unique. (ii) if all  $d_{ij} \geq 0$ , with at least one  $d_{ij} = 0$ , then the solution under test is optimal and alternative optimal solution exists. (iv) if at least one  $d_{ij} < 0$ , then the solution is not optimal. In the last case proceed to the next step 6.

**Step 6** From a new B.F.S. by giving maximum allocation to the cell for which  $d_{ij}$  is minimum and negative, by making an occupied cell empty.

Now, we will examine the cell evaluations  $d_{ij}$  okay, for all unoccupied cells, if it happens that all  $d_{ij} > 0$ . Okay,  $d_{ij} > 0$  for every unoccupied cell, then the solution under test is optimal okay and unique. Okay, so we found the unique optimal solution, if  $d_{ij}$  turns out to be greater than 0 for all  $i$  and  $j$  and they belong to unoccupied cells, now if  $d_{ij} \geq 0$ , with at least one  $d_{ij} = 0$ . Okay, then the solution under test is optimal and alternative optimal solution exists. Okay, so solution under test is optimal, but it is not unique, alternative optimal solution exists.

Now if at least one  $d_{ij} < 0$ , suppose there is one  $d_{ij}$ , at least one which is less than 0, then the solution is not optimal and we have to proceed to the step 6. Okay, this step 6, so we from a new BFS okay, by giving maximum allocation to the cell for which  $d_{ij}$  is minimum okay, we will form a new a BFS okay, by giving maximum allocation to the cell for which  $d_{ij}$  is minimum and negative.

Okay, so this step 6 will go to step 6, if there is at least one  $d_{ij}$  with negative value. Okay, less than 0. Okay, so maximum allocation will be made to the cell for which  $d_{ij}$  is minimum and negative. Okay, so will take that  $d_{ij}$  which is minimum and negative by making an occupied cell empty and occupied cell will be made empty and the allocation will be made to di, this cell, maximum allocation will be made to this cell okay, where  $d_{ij}$  is minimum and negative.

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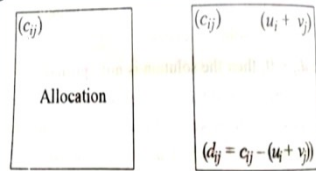
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(iv) if at least one  $d_{ij} < 0$ , then the solution is not optimal. In the last case proceed to the next step 6.

**Step 6** From a new B.F.S. by giving maximum allocation to the cell for which  $d_{ij}$  is minimum and negative, by making an occupied cell empty.

**Step 7** Then repeat the step (2) to (5) to test the optimality to this new B.F.S. Continue improving the B.F.S. Interactively using the step 2 to 6 till an optimal solution is attained. Thus, in the table after making all the entries the occupied (cell having allocations) and the unoccupied cells will be as follows:



Now then we will repeat the step 2 to 5. Okay, 2 to 5 means this steps okay, we will repeat these steps again. Okay, this 2, 3, 4 and 5, these steps will be repeated okay and then we will again the test optimality that is we will again check the value of  $d_{ij}$  okay, we will continue new to improve the this BFS okay, using the step 2 to 6 till an optimal solution is attained. Thus, in the table after making all the entries the occupied cell, that is cell having allocations and the unoccupied cells will be as follows.

Let us see, so this is our first table, where  $c_{ij}$  is are the cost of the  $ij$ -th cell, they are written in upper left corner. Okay, so allocations are there in this table. Okay, now this  $u_i + v_j$  they are the values,  $u_i + v_j$  is the value sum of  $u_i$  and  $v_j$  which is written each unoccupied cell upper right corner. Okay, so upper right corner it is written and in the lower right corner, they are writing  $d_{ij} = c_{ij} - (u_i + v_j)$  and we have to check the sign of  $d_{ij}$  for the optimality.

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Example

		To			Supply
		1	2	3	
From	1	2	7	4	5
	2	3	3	1	8
	3	5	4	7	7
	4	1	6	2	14
Demand		7	9	18	34

So let us say for example we have this table. Okay, this table is given we are sharing 4 sources 1, 2, 3, 4, 4 sources and 3 warehouses 1, 2, 3 and the availability with the 4 sources is 5, 8, 7, 14 and the demand at warehouse 1, 2, 3 are 7, 9, 18 okay, total is 34, so it is a balance transportation problem, now we have got its solution, solution of this problem, we have already got by Vogel approximation method and we have seen the allocations that have been made to the cells here.

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Solution

**Step 1:** The initial B.F.S. of the above problem (by Vogel's method) is given in the following table.

Total transportation cost

$$= 5 \times 2 + 8 \times 1 + 7 \times 4 + 2 \times 1 + 2 \times 6 + 10 \times 2 = \text{Rs. } 80. \text{ (VAM)}$$

(2)	(7)	(4)	$a_i$
5			5
(3)	(3)	(1)	
		8	8
(5)	(4)	(7)	
	7		7
(1)	(6)	(2)	
2	2	10	14
$b_j$	7	9	18

So let us use that initial BFS okay, by VAM method Vogel approximation method, so many applied Vogel approximation method we got the allocation 5 to the cell with cost 2, this is cell 11 okay and then we allocated 8 to this cell, with cost 1 that is second row and third

column. Okay, we allocated cost 7 okay, units to be column with cost 4 to the cell with cost 4 that is third row and second column cell okay, 3, 2 column, 3, 2 cell okay and then we have allocated out of 14 that were available with source 4 to be allocated to the cell which lies at third row and first column.

2 units to the cell which lies at fourth row and second column, so this is of 4, 1 position, these 4, 1 position, this 4, 1 of cell, this is 4, 2 of cell, this is 4, 3 cell okay, cell 4, 1, cell 4, 2, cell 4, 3, so 4 1, 4 2, 4 3 have been given 2, 2 and 10 units out of 14, so this allocation we have made by VAM method. Okay, so we will use this allocation and see whether the solution, this, that we have got, the solution is optimal or not. Okay.

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**step 2:** Now we determine a set of  $u_i$  and  $v_j$  s.t. for each occupied cell

$$(r, s), c_{rs} = u_r + v_s.$$

For this we choose  $u_4 = 0$  (since row 4 contains maximum number of allocations).

$$\text{Since } c_{41} = 1 = u_4 + v_1, c_{42} = 6 = u_4 + v_2, c_{43} = 2 = u_4 + v_3$$

$$\therefore v_1 = c_{41} - u_4 = 1, v_2 = 6 - u_4 = 6, v_3 = 2 - u_4 = 2.$$

$$\text{Also } c_{11} = 2 = u_1 + v_1, c_{23} = 1 = u_2 + v_3, c_{32} = 4 = u_3 + v_2$$

$$\therefore u_1 = 2 - v_1 = 1, u_2 = 1 - v_3 = -1, u_3 = 4 - v_2 = -2.$$



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$$\therefore u_1 = 2 - v_1 = 1, u_2 = 1 - v_3 = -1, u_3 = 4 - v_2 = -2.$$

$$\begin{aligned} c_{41} = u_4 + v_1 &\Rightarrow 1 = u_4 + v_1 = 0 + v_1 \Rightarrow v_1 = 1 \\ c_{42} = u_4 + v_2 &\Rightarrow 6 = u_4 + v_2 = 0 + v_2 \Rightarrow v_2 = 6 \\ c_{43} = u_4 + v_3 &\Rightarrow 2 = u_4 + v_3 = 0 + v_3 \Rightarrow v_3 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} c_{11} = 2 = u_1 + v_1 &= u_1 + 1 \Rightarrow u_1 = 1 \\ c_{23} = 1 = u_2 + v_3 &= u_2 + 2 \Rightarrow u_2 = -1 \\ c_{32} = 4 = u_3 + v_2 &= u_3 + 6 \Rightarrow u_3 = -2 \end{aligned}$$



So, let us find  $u_i$  and  $v_j$  okay,  $u_i$  and  $v_j$  such that for each occupied cell  $rs$ ,  $c_{rs} = u_r + v_s$ . Now we have to choose this  $u_4$  okay,  $u_4$  we have to choose, so  $u_4$ , see let us inspect all rows and columns. Okay, which have got various allocations, first row has got allocation of 5 units, second row has got allocation of 8 units, third row has got allocation of 7 units and fourth row has got allocation of 14 units.

So the row that has got the maximum allocation, that we have to consider, so this fourth row has got maximum allocation, so we will consider  $u_4 = 0$ , in fact suppose  $i$ th row has got the maximum allocation we shall consider  $u_i = 0$ , so here fourth row has got the maximum allocation, so we consider  $u_4 = 0$ , row 4 contains maximum number of allocations, so we take  $u_4 = 0$ .

Now, making use of,  $c_{rs} = u_r + v_s$ ,  $c_{rs} = u_r + v_s$  you see, this cell has got 2 units okay, the cell has got unit, so it is occupied cell okay, for each occupied cell  $c_{rs}$  should be equal to  $u_r + v_s$ , so this is  $c_{41} = u_4 + v_1$  we have,  $c_{41}$  okay,  $c_{41} = u_4 + v_1$  and  $c_{42} = u_4 + v_2$ ,  $c_{43} = u_4 + v_3$ ,  $c_{41} = 1$ , you see cost is 1 okay,  $c_{42} = 6$ ,  $c_{43}$  is 2 okay, so we have this gives you  $c_{41}$  is 1,  $1 = u_4 + v_1$ , but  $u_4 = 0$ , so we get  $v_1 = 1$  okay.

Then  $c_{42}$  is 6, so this gives you  $6 = u_4 + v_2$  and this equal to  $0 + v_2$ , so we get  $v_2 = 6$  and then  $c_{43}$ ,  $c_{43}$  is 2 okay, so  $2 = u_4 + v_3$  so we get  $v_3 = 2$ . Okay, now, so we got the values of  $v_1$ ,  $v_2$ ,  $v_3$  okay, now we another, other cells which are occupied are  $c_{11}$ ,  $c_{11}$  has been allotted 5 units okay, so  $c_{11}$ , so  $c_{11}$  the cost of associated with  $c_{11}$ ,  $c_{11} = 2$  right, so we have  $c_{11} = 2$ , so  $2 = u_1 + v_1$ ,  $c_{11} = u_1 + v_1$  and  $v_1$  is equal to how much?  $v_1 = 1$  okay, so  $u_1 + 1$ , so this gives you  $u_1 = 1$  okay, we got  $u_1 = 1$  here and then the other occupied cells are let us see.

So this cell okay, this cell we have, this cell we can see, we have, this is third row second column okay, third row second column, so we have okay, let us go to this one. Okay, after first row we go to second row. Okay, so this is second row third column, so  $c_{23}$ ,  $c_{23} = 1$  okay,  $1 = u_2 + v_3$  okay and  $v_3 = 2$ . Okay, so we get  $u_2 + 2$ , so we get  $u_2 = -1$  okay, so we get  $u_2 = -1$  here and then third one is this 7 okay.

So, this is third row second column, so third row second column says third row second column, so  $c_{32} = 4$ , so  $4 = u_3 + v_2$  okay and this is  $u_3 + v_2 = 4$ . Okay,  $v_2 = 6$ , so 6 here, so this

gives you  $u_3 = 6 - 2$ , so we get this - 2. Okay, so we got the values of  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  okay,  $v_1$  is 6,  $v_2$  is 6,  $v_3$  is 1,  $u_1$  is 1,  $u_2$  is 6,  $v_3$  is 2,  $u_1$  is 1,  $u_2$  is - 1,  $u_3$  is - 2. Okay.

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**step 2:** Now we determine a set of  $u_i$  and  $v_j$  s.t. for each occupied cell  $(r, s), C_{rs} = u_r + v_s$ .

For this we choose  $u_4 = 0$  (since row 4 contains maximum number of allocations).

Since  $C_{41} = 1 = u_4 + v_1, C_{42} = 6 = u_4 + v_2, C_{43} = 2 = u_4 + v_3$

$\therefore v_1 = C_{41} - u_4 = 1, v_2 = C_{42} - u_4 = 6, v_3 = C_{43} - u_4 = 2$

Also  $C_{11} = 2 = u_1 + v_1, C_{23} = 1 = u_2 + v_3, C_{32} = 4 = u_3 + v_2$

$\therefore u_1 = 2 - v_1 = 1, u_2 = 1 - v_3 = -1, u_3 = 4 - v_2 = -2$

Handwritten notes:

$$C_{41} = u_4 + v_1 \Rightarrow 1 = u_4 + v_1 = 0 + v_1 \Rightarrow v_1 = 1$$

$$C_{42} = u_4 + v_2 \Rightarrow 6 = u_4 + v_2 = 0 + v_2 \Rightarrow v_2 = 6$$

$$C_{43} = u_4 + v_3 \Rightarrow 2 = u_4 + v_3 = 0 + v_3 \Rightarrow v_3 = 2$$

$$C_{11} = 2 = u_1 + v_1 = u_1 + 1 \Rightarrow u_1 = 1$$

$$C_{23} = 1 = u_2 + v_3 = u_2 + 2 \Rightarrow u_2 = -1$$

$$C_{32} = 4 = u_3 + v_2 = u_3 + 6 \Rightarrow u_3 = -2$$

**Solution**

**Step 1:** The initial B.F.S. of the above problem (by Vogel's method) is given in the following table.

Total transportation cost =  $5 \times 2 + 8 \times 1 + 7 \times 4 + 2 \times 1 + 2 \times 6 + 10 \times 2 = \underline{\underline{Rs. 80}}$  (VAM)

(2)	(7)	(4)	$a_i$
5	3	5	5
(3)	(3)	(1)	8
0	5	1	8
(5)	(4)	(7)	7
-1	7	0	7
(1)	(6)	(2)	$b_j$
$(u_1, 1)$ 2	$(u_2, 2)$ 2	$(u_3, 3)$ 10	14
7	9	18	

Handwritten notes:

$$u_1 + v_2 = 1 + 6 = 7$$

$$u_1 + v_3 = 1 + 2 = 3$$

$$u_2 + v_1 = -1 + 1 = 0$$

$$u_2 + v_2 = -1 + 6 = 5$$

$$u_3 + v_1 = -2 + 1 = -1$$

$$u_3 + v_3 = -2 + 2 = 0$$



**Step 3:** Then we find the cell evaluations  $u_i + v_j$  for each unoccupied cell  $(i, j)$  and enter at the upper right corner of the corresponding unoccupied cell.

**Step 4:** Then we find the cell evaluations  $d_{ij} = c_{ij} - (u_i + v_j)$  (i.e, the difference of the upper right corner entry from the upper left corner entry) for each unoccupied cell  $(i, j)$  and enter at the lower right corner of the corresponding unoccupied cell.

Now let us see, we then can write  $u_i + v_j$  for each unoccupied cell okay, so  $u_i + v_j$  for each unoccupied cells, so say for example, this is occupied cell we have allocated 5 units here okay, this is unoccupied cell, so we can allocate, so here we have first row that is  $u_1 + v_2$  okay, first or second column, so  $u_1 + v_2$  will be how much?  $u_1 = 1$  and  $v_2 = 6$ , so we will have  $u_1 + v_2 = 1 + 6 = 7$ , so this will be, 7 will be written here and then this is also unoccupied cell.

So we have  $u_1 + v_3$  okay, first row third column, so  $u_1 + v_3 = 3$ ,  $u_1 = 1$ ,  $v_3 = 2$ , so we have  $1 + 2 = 3$ , so  $1 + 2 = 3$ , so 3 here we shall write, there in the second row first column okay, so  $u_2 + v_1$  okay,  $u_2 + v_1$ ,  $u_2 = -1$  and  $u_2 + v_1$ ,  $v_1 = 1$ , so  $-1 + 1 = 0$ , so we get  $-1 + 1 = 0$ . Okay, then, so this will be 0 here and then we will have this one, so  $u_2 + v_2$ , second row second column  $u_2 + v_2$  is how much?  $u_2 = -1$ ,  $v_2 = 6$ , so  $-1 + 6$ , so we have 5, so will write 5 here.

Now, this is occupied cell we go to left unoccupied cell, so  $u_3 + v_1$ ,  $u_3 + v_1$ , so what is  $u_3$ ?  $u_3 = -2$  and  $v_1 = 1$ , so  $-2 + 1$  that is equal to  $-1$  okay, so  $-2 + 1$  okay, so will get  $-1$  here and then this is occupied cell, next unoccupied cell is  $u_3 + v_3$ , so  $u_3 + v_3$  is how much?  $u_3 = -2$ ,  $v_3 = 2$ , so  $-2 + 2 = 0$ , so we get 0 here and then this, this, they are all occupied cells okay, so we have got the values of  $u_i + v_j$  okay, so this  $u_i + v_j$  we have got.

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Thus, we get the following table

		$u_i$			
		(7)	(7)	(4)	(3)
(2)	5		✓(0)		✓(1)
(3)	(0)	(3)	(5)	(1)	8
		✓(3)	✓(-2*)		
(5)	(-1)	(4)	(7)	(0)	
		✓(6)	7		✓(7)
(1)	2	(6)	(2)	(10)	
		$v_j$			
		1	6	2	
		( $v_1$ )	( $v_2$ )	( $v_3$ )	

$$d_{ij} = c_{ij} - (u_i + v_j)$$

$$d_{12} = c_{12} - (u_1 + v_2)$$

$$= 7 - 7 = 0$$

$$d_{13} = 4 - 3 = 1$$

**Step 5:** Since cell evaluation  $d_{22} = -2 < 0$ , so the solution under test is not optimal. ✓

And these are the values 7, 3. Okay, this unoccupied cell, this is unoccupied cell okay, this also unoccupied cell we have got 0 here, these is also unoccupied cell we got 5 here, this unoccupied cell we got - 1 here, this is unoccupied cell we got 0 here, these all are occupied cells okay, so we got the values.

Now we calculate  $d_{ij} = c_{ij} - (u_i + v_j)$  for each unoccupied cell okay, so unoccupied cell is this one, this is first unoccupied cell, so we get the  $d_{12}$  okay, first row second column, so  $c_{12} - (u_1 + v_2)$  okay and  $c_{12} = 7$ , so  $7 - 7$  which is equal to 0, so we got 0 here, this is also unoccupied cell, so we take the difference of 4 and 3. Okay, so  $d_{13}$ , first row third column, so  $4 - 3 = 1$ , so we get 1 here and then here for this cell  $3 - 0$  equal to 3, 4 this cell  $3 - 5$  is  $- 2$ . Okay, this is occupied cells, so we will leave it, for this cell, which is unoccupied the difference is  $5 - 1$ , so 6 here and this is occupied cells will leave it, then  $7 - 0$  is 7 okay.

So we have got  $d_{ij}$  values for all unoccupied cells, now let us check their sign. Okay, so here  $d_{ij} = 0$ , here  $d_{ij}$  is 1, here it is 3, here it is  $- 2$ , here it is 6, here it is 7, so there is one  $d_{ij}$ , which is negative. Okay, if  $d_{ij} < 0$ , for at least 1 i, j okay, then the solution obtain is not optimal okay and we have to then proceed further, so since cell evaluation  $d_{22} = - 2 < 0$ , so the solution under test is not optimal okay.

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**Step 6:** Since minimum  $d_{ij}$  is  $d_{22} = -2 < 0$ , so we give maximum allocation  $\theta$  to this cell from an occupied cell and make the necessary changes in other allocations as shown in the following table.

5		
	$+\theta$	$8-\theta$
	7	
2	$2-\theta$	$10+\theta$

$$\min(2-\theta, 8-\theta) = 2-\theta$$

Since minimum allocation containing  $-\theta$  is  $2-\theta$ .  
 $\therefore$  Taking  $2-\theta = 0$ , we get  $\theta = 2$ .

$$\theta = 2$$

Thus, we get the following table

		$u_1$
(2) 5	(7) (7) (4) (3)	$1(u_1)$
(3) (0) (3) (5) (1)	8	$-1(u_2)$
(5) (-1) (4) (7) (0)	7	$-2(u_3)$
(1) 2	(6) (2)	$0(u_4)$
$v_j$	1 (v <sub>1</sub> ) 6 (v <sub>2</sub> ) 2 (v <sub>3</sub> )	

$$d_{12} = c_{12} - (u_1 + v_2) = 7 - 7 = 0$$

$$d_{13} = c_{13} - (u_1 + v_3) = 4 - 3 = 1$$

**Step 5:** Since cell evaluation  $d_{22} = -2 < 0$ , so the solution under test is not optimal.

So what we will do, since minimum  $d_{ij}$  is  $d_{22} = -2$ , so we give maximum allocation  $\theta$  to this cell okay, maximum allocation  $\theta$  to this cell from an occupied cell okay, now let us see, let us look at this yes, so we have this - 2, 8, 2, 10 okay, so we take maximum allocation to this cell from an occupied cell okay, so and make the necessary changes in other allocations.

Now what we will do, we have this loop okay, so we make, suppose we make allocation  $\theta$  to this cell okay, where  $d_{22} = -2$ , then we have 2 subtract  $\theta$  from this 2 okay, this will become  $2 - \theta$ , when it becomes  $2 - \theta$  total has to be 14 for this fourth source, so subtracting  $\theta$  here means we have to add  $\theta$  to this allocation that is 10, so we get  $10 + \theta$  here and then we have added  $\theta$  to this 10, we have 2 subtract  $\theta$  from this allocation 8, so we get  $8 - \theta$  okay, so we

get  $\theta$ , if we have  $\theta$  here we have to make  $2 - \theta$  here, here  $10 + \theta$ , here  $8 - \theta$  and then we consider any allocation containing  $-\theta$  okay.



So containing  $-\theta$  we have 2 allocations,  $2 - \theta$ ,  $8 - \theta$ , so minimum of  $2 - \theta$  and  $8 - \theta$  we have to considered and this is to - data. Okay, so we have to put  $T - \theta = 0$ , minimum allocation is then put is equal to 0, and then we get it  $\theta = 2$ , so we get  $\theta = 2$  means 2 here and this is 6, this is 0, so this occupied cell is now becomes 0 and here we get 12, so this is the modification that we make.

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**Step 7:** The new B.F.S thus obtained is shown in the following table. For this B.F.S. total transportation cost.

$$= \underline{5 \times 2} + \underline{2 \times 1} + \underline{2 \times 3} + 7 \times 4 + 6 \times 1 + 12 \times 2 = \underline{\underline{Rs. 76}}$$

	(2)	(7)	(4)	$a_i$
	5 ✓			5
	(5)	(3)	(1)	
		2	6 ✓	8
	(5)	(4)	(7)	
		7 ✓		7
	(1)	(6)	(2)	
	2 ✓		12	14
$b_j$	7	9	18	



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And after that what we will do have, this is 5 now. Okay to this cell  $\theta$  is 2, so we get to allocation here and this is  $8 - \theta$  so we get 6 here, this becomes 0, this cell allocation become 0, here it was 2 and here 10 becomes 12 okay, so we get now transportation cost as 5 into 2. Okay  $2 \times 1$ , this is  $2 \times 1$ , yes, this one.  $2 \times 1$ , so  $5 \times 2$ ,  $2 \times 1$ , then  $2 \times 3$ , then  $7 \times 4$ , then  $6 \times 1$ , then  $12 \times 2$  so we get Rs. 76. Okay.

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**step 2:** Now we determine a set of  $u_i$  and  $v_j$  s.t. for each occupied cell

$(r, s), C_{rs} = u_r + v_s$ .

For this we choose  $u_4 = 0$  (since row 4 contains maximum number of allocations).

Since  $C_{41} = 1 = u_4 + v_1, C_{42} = 6 = u_4 + v_2, C_{43} = 2 = u_4 + v_3$

$\therefore v_1 = C_{41} - u_4 = 1, v_2 = 6 - u_4 = 6, v_3 = 2 - u_4 = 2$

Also  $C_{11} = 2 = u_1 + v_1, C_{23} = 1 = u_2 + v_3, C_{32} = 4 = u_3 + v_2$

$\therefore u_1 = 2 - v_1 = 1, u_2 = 1 - v_3 = -1, u_3 = 4 - v_2 = -2$

$$\begin{aligned} C_{11} &= u_1 + v_1 \Rightarrow 2 = u_1 + 1 \Rightarrow u_1 = 1 \\ C_{23} &= u_2 + v_3 \Rightarrow 1 = u_2 + 2 \Rightarrow u_2 = -1 \\ C_{32} &= u_3 + v_2 \Rightarrow 4 = u_3 + 6 \Rightarrow u_3 = -2 \\ C_{41} &= u_4 + v_1 \Rightarrow 1 = u_4 + 1 \Rightarrow u_4 = 0 \\ C_{42} &= u_4 + v_2 \Rightarrow 6 = 0 + v_2 \Rightarrow v_2 = 6 \\ C_{43} &= u_4 + v_3 \Rightarrow 2 = 0 + v_3 \Rightarrow v_3 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_{11} &= 2 = u_1 + v_1 = u_1 + 1 \Rightarrow u_1 = 1 \\ C_{23} &= 1 = u_2 + v_3 = u_2 + 2 \Rightarrow u_2 = -1 \\ C_{32} &= 4 = u_3 + v_2 = u_3 + 6 \Rightarrow u_3 = -2 \\ &\Rightarrow u_3 = -2 \end{aligned}$$

**Step 7:** The new B.F.S thus obtained is shown in the following table. For this B.F.S. total transportation cost.

$$= 5 \times 2 + 2 \times 1 + 2 \times 3 + 7 \times 4 + 6 \times 1 + 12 \times 2 = \text{Rs. } 76$$

(2)	(7)	(4)	$a_i$
5			5
(5)	(3)	(1)	8
	2	6	
(5)	(4)	(7)	7
	7		
(1)	(6)	(2)	14
2	12		
$b_j$	7	9	18

**Step 8:** Proceeding as in step 2, 3, and 4 we get the following table

$C_{23} = u_2 + v_3$   
 $1 = u_2 + 2 \Rightarrow u_2 = -1$   
 Since  $u_3 = -1$   
 we get  $v_2 = 4$   
 $C_{32} = u_3 + v_2$   
 $4 = -1 + v_2 \Rightarrow v_2 = 5$   
 $u_1 + v_2 = 1 + 4 = 5$   
 $u_1 + v_3 = 1 + 2 = 3$

$d_{ij} = u_i - (u_j + v_i)$

(2)	(7)	(4)	$a_i$
5			1 (u <sub>1</sub> )
(3)	(3)	(1)	-1 (u <sub>2</sub> )
	2	6	
(5)	(4)	(7)	0 (u <sub>3</sub> )
	7		
(1)	(6)	(2)	0 (u <sub>4</sub> )
2	12		
$b_j$	7	9	18

Take  $u_4 = 0$   
 $C_{41} = u_4 + v_1 \Rightarrow 1 = 0 + v_1 \Rightarrow v_1 = 1$   
 $C_{42} = u_4 + v_2 \Rightarrow 6 = 0 + v_2 \Rightarrow v_2 = 6$   
 $C_{43} = u_4 + v_3 \Rightarrow 2 = 0 + v_3 \Rightarrow v_3 = 2$   
 $u_1 + v_2 = 1 + 6 = 7$   
 $u_2 + v_3 = -1 + 2 = 1$   
 $u_3 + v_2 = -2 + 6 = 4$   
 $C_{11} = u_1 + v_1 \Rightarrow 2 = u_1 + 1 \Rightarrow u_1 = 1$   
 $C_{23} = u_2 + v_3 \Rightarrow 1 = u_2 + 2 \Rightarrow u_2 = -1$   
 $C_{32} = u_3 + v_2 \Rightarrow 4 = u_3 + 6 \Rightarrow u_3 = -2$   
 $d_{ij} > 0$

Since, all  $d_{ij} > 0$  hence, the B.F.S. shown by the table in step 8 is an optimal solution which is also unique and the total transportation cost = Rs. 76.

So now we have to check whether this solution that we have got is optimal or not. Okay, so what we will do, let us proceed again as in step 2, 3, 4 okay and what we will do then, proceed in this step 2, 3, 4, so 2, what is the step 2? Now we determine a set of  $u_i$  and  $v_j$  such that for each occupied cell  $rs$ ,  $c_{rs} = u_r + v_s$ , so let us do that. Okay, so we come here to this table. Okay.

So allocations we have to see okay, first row has got allocation 5 okay, second has got allocation 8, third has got allocation 7 and fourth has got allocation 14 okay, so total allocation is maximum along the fourth row. Okay, so taking  $u_4 = 0$ . Okay, let us take  $u_4 = 0$ . Okay, then as we have done earlier. Okay, we have to use  $c_{rs} = u_r + v_s$  okay, so first let us say which one is the occupied cell, occupied cell is this one we are given 2 here, 12 here okay, so this is fourth row first column, so  $c_{41}$ . Okay equal to  $u_4 + v_1$  okay,  $c_{41} = 1$ , so 1 equal to  $u_4$  is  $0 + v_1$ , so we get  $v_1 = 1$  okay.

Then we are giving 12 units to fourth row third column so this means  $c_{43}$ ,  $c_{43} = 2$ . Okay,  $u_4 + v_3$ , so 2 equal to  $0 + v_3$ , so we get  $v_3 = 2$  okay, now then we are giving 5 to  $c_{11}$  okay, so  $c_{11} = u_1 + 5$ , 5 we are giving to cell 11, so  $c_{11} = 2$ , so  $2 = u_1 + v_1$  right, so  $v_1 = 1$  okay, so this gives  $u_1 = 2 - v_1$  that is  $2 - 1 = 1$  okay and then we are giving 2 units to second row second column okay,  $c_{22}$ . Okay,  $c_{22} = 3 = u_2 + v_2$ , we are giving 6 to second row third column, so  $c_{23} = u_2 + v_3$  okay, so what is it, you  $c_{23} = 1$ ,  $1 = u_2 + v_3$ ,  $v_3 = 2$ , so  $u_2 = -1$ , when  $u_2 = -1$ ,  $v_2 = 4$ .

Since  $u_2 = -1$ , we get  $v_2 = 4$  okay, yes, then we have this one, so  $c_{32}$ , third row second column  $c_{32}$ ,  $c_{32} = 4$ ,  $u_3$  is equal to, we have to find  $u_3$ ?,  $v_2 = 4$ , so  $u_3 = 0$ . Okay, so we have used this one. Okay and we have used this two also, have we used fourth row and column 3. Okay, we have that one also right, so now let us find  $u_i + v_j$  for each unoccupied cell okay, so this is unoccupied cell okay.

So  $u_1 + v_2$  okay, because it lies in the first row and second column, so  $u_1 + v_2$ ,  $u_1 = 1$  okay, so  $1 + v_2$ ,  $v_2 = 4$ , so  $1 + 4 = 5$ , so this is 5 here okay, then there is also an unoccupied cell, it lies in the third row, first row and third column, so  $u_1 + v_3$ ,  $u_1$  is equal to 1 and  $v_3$  equal to 2, so we get 3 here okay, then her second row first column, so  $u_2 + v_1$ ,  $u_2$  is equal to -1 okay and  $v_1$  equal to 1, so we get 0, so this is 0 here and this is occupied column, this is occupied

cell, this is also occupied cell, this is unoccupied cell, so we have here third row first column okay.

So  $u_3 + v_1, u_3 = 0$ . Okay and  $v_1, v_1 = 1$ , so we get 1 here. Okay, there is occupied cell, here we have third row and third column, so  $u_3 + v_3, u_3 = 0, v_3 = 2$ , so that gives you 2 here, now this is occupied cell, this is unoccupied cell, so fourth row and second column, so  $u_4 + v_2, u_4 = 0$ . Okay,  $u_4 = 0, v_2 = 4$ , so we get 4, so this is 4 okay, now so we have got the  $u_i + v_j$  for all unoccupied cells.

Let us find  $d_{ij}$  okay, so  $d_{ij} = u_{ij} - (u_i + v_j)$  for all unoccupied cells, so here you see  $7 - 5$  is 2 okay,  $4 - 3$  is 1, here we get  $3 - 0$  3, here we get  $5 - 1$  4,  $7 - 2$  5 and  $6 - 4$  2, so we can see this is 2, this is 1, this is 3, this is 4 okay, this is 5, this is 2, so  $d_{ij} > 0$ , for all I and J which are unoccupied cells okay, so  $d_{ij} > 0$ . Okay and therefore the BFS shown by the table in step 8. Okay, this BFS is an optimal solution. Okay, which is also unique and total transportation costs we can find.

Total transportation costs is 5 into 2 okay, because we are allocated in 5 here and cost is 2, 5 into 2 and then we have 2 into 3 okay, 2 into 3, 6 into 1 and then we have 7 into 4 okay and then we have 2 into 1 and then 12 into 2, so this is  $24 + 2 \cdot 26, 26$  and  $28 \cdot 54, 54 + 6 \cdot 60, 60 + 10 \cdot 70, 70 + 6$  is 76. Okay, so this is the total transportation cost, so this is how we can use this Modis method to get the optimal solution to the problem where we have already found the initial, physical solution by the VM method and then we can find the  $d_{ij}$  at each step as soon as we get  $d_{ij}$  is to be positive for all unoccupied cells we get the optimal solution to the problem, so that is all in this lecture. Thank you very much for your attention.