

Steps for Graphical Method

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Formulate the LPP

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Construct a graph and plot the constraint lines

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Determine the valid side of each constraint line

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Identify the feasible solution region

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Find the optimum points

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6

Calculate the co-ordinates of optimum points

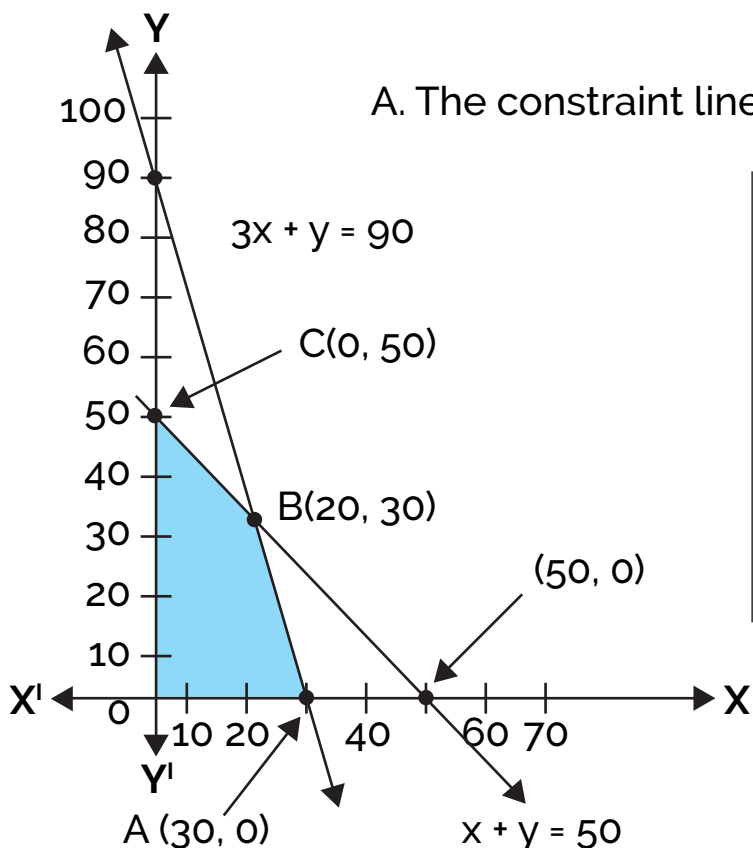
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Evaluate the objective function at optimum points to get the required maximum/minimum value of the objective function

Solved Example

Q. Maximize and minimize $z = 4x + y$ subject to:-
 $x + y \leq 50$
 $3x + y \leq 90$
 $x \geq 0, y \geq 0$

A. The constraint lines are $x + y = 50$, $3x + y = 90$, $x = 0$, $y = 0$



Corner Point	Corresponding value of Z
(0, 0)	0
(30, 0)	120
(20, 30)	110
(0, 50)	50

Hence, maximum value of Z is 120 at the point (30, 0) and the minimum value of z is 0 at the point (0, 0).