

# 0-1 Knapsack Problem (0-1 背包问题)

Suppose that there are objects of number  $n$ , which has weight  $w_i$  and profit  $p_i$ . We should take some of them with weight no more than  $c$  and make the sum of profit (of objects we take) as great as possible.

We will discuss some variants of (0-1) knapsack problem: the set-union knapsack problem (SUKP), the discounted {0-1} knapsack problem (D{0-1}KP), and the bounded knapsack problem (BKP).

# Set-Union Knapsack Problem (SUKP)

- Let  $U = \{1, \dots, m\}$  be the set of objects. Object  $i$  is with weight  $w_i$ .
- Let  $S = \{S_1, \dots, S_n\}$ . Each  $S_i$  is a subset of  $U$ , with profit  $p_i$ .
- Choices we can choose is subsets of  $S$ . When we take  $S_{a_1}, \dots, S_{a_k}$ , the profit is  $p_{a_1} + \dots + p_{a_k}$ , and the weight is sum of weight of objects in ' $S_{a_1} \cup \dots \cup S_{a_k}$ '.
- If  $m=n$  and  $S_i = \{i\}$ , it's a 0-1 knapsack problem.

## Discounted {0-1} Knapsack Problem (D{0,1}KP)

- Let  $U = \{U_{11}, U_{12}, U_{21}, U_{22}, \dots, U_{n1}, U_{n2}\}$ , in which  $U_{i1}$  and  $U_{i2}$  are in a group  $S_i$ , for  $i=1, \dots, n$ . Each  $U_{ij}$  is with weight of  $w_{ij}$  and profit  $p_{ij}$ .
- If we take both  $U_{i1}$  and  $U_{i2}$ , the profit is still  $p_{i1} + p_{i2}$ , but the weight is  $w_i < w_{i1} + w_{i2}$ , which reflect the word 'discounted'.

# Bounded Knapsack Problem (BKP)

- Let  $U=\{1, \dots, n\}$  be the set of objects. Object  $i$  is with weight  $w_i$  and profit  $p_i$ .
- What is different from  $\{0-1\}KP$  is that the number of an object can be more than one, written  $b_i$ . That is to say that we can take  $i$ -th object of number  $b_i$  at most.
- If  $b_i=1$  (for all  $i=1, \dots, n$ ), it's a 0-1 knapsack problem.

# Genetic Algorithm (GA, 遗传算法)

Genetic algorithm can be used in some optimization problems (优化问题). When we want to find the optimal solution (最优解) satisfying some limitations, We can follow these steps.

- Preparations: Generate solutions randomly (or in other ways) of number NP. Let these solutions are of generation 0. Let  $t=0$ . (t is the generation.)

# Genetic Algorithm (GA, 遗传算法)

- Step 1: Act the crossover operator (交叉算子) on some items (written  $x_1, \dots, x_a$ ) of generation  $t$ , and get item  $y$ .
- Step 2: Act the mutation operator (变异算子) on  $y$ .
- Step 3: Because the new  $y$  may be infeasible, we adjust it to make it feasible. This step usually use a simple algorithm, such as greedy algorithm.

# Genetic Algorithm (GA, 遗传算法)

- Step 4: Judge whether  $y$  is fit enough (for example, whether fitness of  $y$  is greater than that of a given item in generation  $t$ ), and put a proper one in the  $t+1$  generation.  $t=t+1$ .
- Repeat steps above so that there is  $NP$  items in the generation.
- Make more generation until the fitness of items don't increase. Then we get the optimal solution.

# Genetic Algorithm (GA, 遗传算法)

The keys of Genetic algorithm are the crossover operator and the mutation operator.



# Residue Classes of Module $n$ (模 $n$ 剩余类)

- $Z_n = \{[0], [1], \dots, [n-1]\}$ , and  $[n] = [0]$ ,  $[n+1] = [1]$ ,  $\dots$ ,  $[k+n] = [k]$ , for all  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .
- $[a] + [b] = [a+b]$ ,  $[a][b] = [ab]$ , and we can prove that  $Z_n$  is a group, even a ring.
- example:  $n=10$ ,  
 $[6] + [7] = [13] = [3]$ ,  $[5] - [9] = [-4] = [6]$ ,  
 $[8][9] (= [-2][19]) = [72] (= [-38]) = [2]$

# Direct Product (直和)

- If  $G_1, \dots, G_n$  are groups, we can define group  $G_1 \times \dots \times G_n = \{(g_1, \dots, g_n) \mid g_i \in G_i, i=1, \dots, n\}$ , in which  $(g_1, \dots, g_n) + (h_1, \dots, h_n) = (g_1 + h_1, \dots, g_n + h_n)$ .
- Moreover, if  $G_1, \dots, G_n$  are rings, then  $(g_1, \dots, g_n)(h_1, \dots, h_n) = (g_1 h_1, \dots, g_n h_n)$ .

# Genetic Algorithm in SUKP

- We use a vector of length of  $n$  (equals to the size of  $S$ ), whose components are all 0 or 1. We can regard a vector as an element in  $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \dots \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ , and use operators in group or ring on it.
- If the  $i$ -th components is 1, it means we take  $S_i$ , otherwise it means we don't take  $S_i$ .
- Preparations: Generate solutions of number  $NP$  randomly.  
 $t=0$ .

## Group Theory-based Optimization Algorithm (GTOA) in SUKP

- Crossover Operator:  $C(X_1, X_2, X_3) = X_1 + F(X_2 - X_3)$ , in which  $X_1$ ,  $X_2$  and  $X_3$  are input vectors, and  $F$  is a random vector with components of 1, 0 or -1.
- Mutation Operator:  $SMO(X)$ . Give a probability  $p$  (in  $(0, 1)$ ). For each component in  $X$  (written  $x_i$ ), generate a random number  $r$  in  $(0, 1)$ . If  $r < p$ , make  $x_i = 1 - x_i$ , else  $x_i$  doesn't change.
- Adjustment: S-GROA (greedy algorithm)

## Group Theory-based Optimization Algorithm (GTOA) in SUKP

- Judgement: Suppose that  $X$  is in the previous generation and  $Y$  is a new item. If the total profit of  $Y$  is greater than that of  $X$ , put  $Y$  into the next generation, otherwise put  $X$  into the next generation.

# Genetic Algorithm in $D\{0,1\}KP$

- We use a vector of length  $n$ , similar to that in  $SUKP$ , but for which group we have 4 choices, so the vector is in  $Z_4 \times \dots \times Z_4$  instead of  $Z_2 \times \dots \times Z_2$ .
- The 0,1,2,3 value of the  $i$ -th components in the vector separately means taking none (in the  $i$ -th group), taking the first one, taking the second one, and taking both of them.
- Preparations: Similar to that in  $SUKP$ .

# GTOA in $D\{0,1\}KP$

- Crossover Operator:  $C(X_1, X_2, X_3) = X_1 + F(X_2 - X_3)$ . Or  $C(X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4) = X_1 + X_2(X_3 - X_4)$ .
- Mutation Operator: IRMO( $X$ ). Give a probability  $p$  (in  $(0, 1)$ ). For each component in  $X$  (written  $x_i$ ), generate a random number  $r$  in  $(0, 1)$ . If  $r < p$ , half-probability make  $[x_i] = [-x_i]$ , another half-probability change  $[x_i]$  to a random value (not equals to  $[x_i]$ ). If  $r \geq p$ ,  $x_i$  doesn't change.
- Adjustment: D-GROA (greedy algorithm)
- Judgement: Similar to that of SUKP

# Genetic Algorithm in BKP

- Suppose that the number of the  $i$ -th object is  $b_i$ .
- We use a vector of length  $n$  in  $Z_{b_1+1} \times \dots \times Z_{b_n+1}$ .
- The  $i$ -th component is the number of the  $i$ -th object we take.
- Preparations: Similar to that in SUKP.



# GTOA in BKP

- Crossover Operator:  $C(X_1, X_2, X_3) = X_1 + F(X_2 - X_3)$ .
- Mutation Operator: IRMO(X).
- Adjustment: B-GROA (greedy algorithm)
- Judgement: Similar to that of SUKP