

# OR-Tools

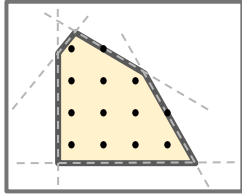
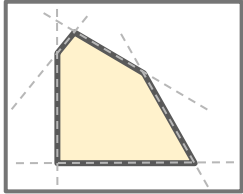
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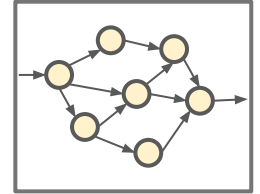
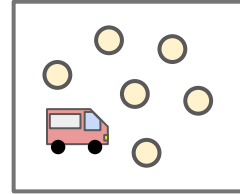
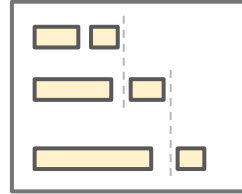
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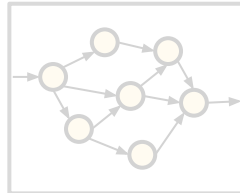
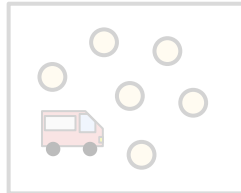
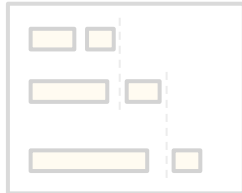
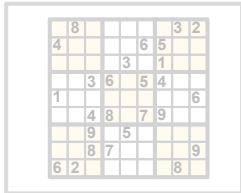
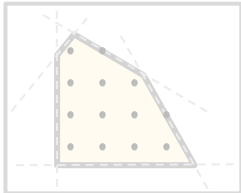
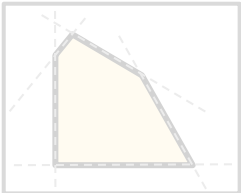
# Combinatorial optimization



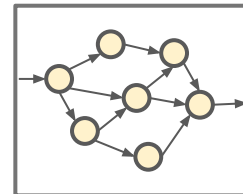
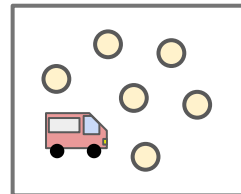
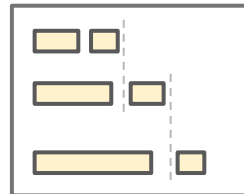
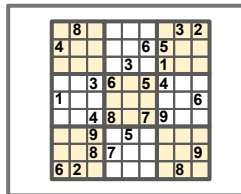
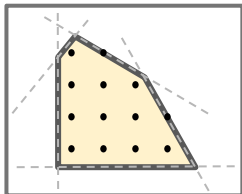
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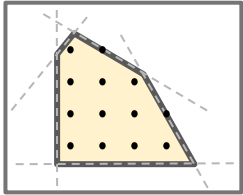
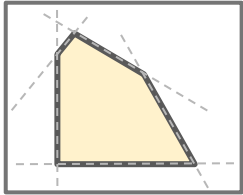
# Solvers



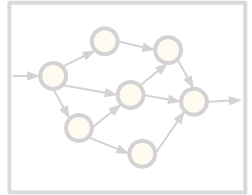
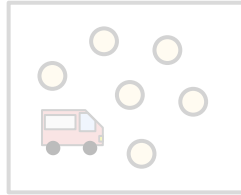
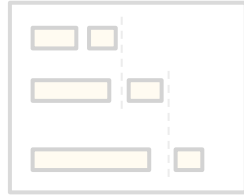
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**LP** **MIP** **SAT** **CP** **VRP** **Graph**



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# LP / MIP solver wrapper

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# ortools/linear\_solver/linear\_solver.proto

$$\begin{aligned} \min/\max \quad & c_0 + c^T x \\ \text{lb}_{ct} \leq & Ax \leq \text{ub}_{ct} \\ \text{lb}_{var} \leq & x \leq \text{ub}_{var} \\ x_j \in & Z, j \in J \end{aligned}$$

```
MPModelProto {
  bool maximize
  double objective_offset
  repeated MPVariableProto variable
  repeated MPCConstraintProto constraint
}
MPVariableProto {
  double lower_bound
  double upper_bound
  double objective_coefficient
  bool is_integer
}
MPCConstraintProto {
  double lower_bound
  double upper_bound
  repeated int32 var_index
  repeated double coefficient
}
```



$$\begin{aligned} \max \quad & 2x_0 + x_1 \\ x_0 + x_1 &= 1 \\ x_0 &\in \{0, 1\} \\ x_1 &\in \{0, 1\} \end{aligned}$$

```
maximize: true
variable {
  lower_bound: 0.0 upper_bound: 1.0
  objective_coefficient: 2.0
  is_integer: true
}
variable {
  lower_bound: 0.0 upper_bound: 1.0
  objective_coefficient: 1.0
  is_integer: true
}
constraint {
  lower_bound: 1.0 upper_bound: 1.0
  var_index: 0 coefficient: 1.0
  var_index: 1 coefficient: 1.0
}
```

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**Constraints**

indicator

SOS

quadratic

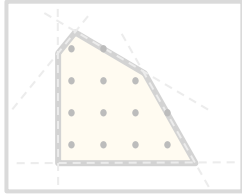
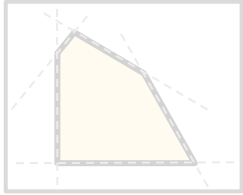
abs

and, or

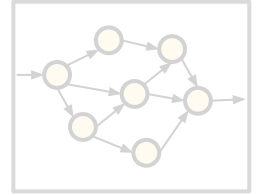
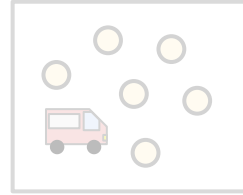
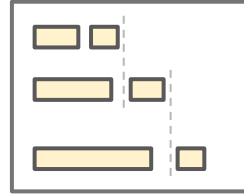
min, max

**Objective**

quadratic



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## Closed open MIPLIB 2017 problems

amaze22012-07-04i (31s)

neos-3209462-rhin (87s)

l2p2i (16s)

neos-3214367-sovi (341s, vs. solved in 21 days with ParaXpress)

stoch-vrpvrp-s5v2c8vrp-v2c8i (30s)

ortools/sat/cp\_model.proto

## Constraints

NoOverlapConstraint

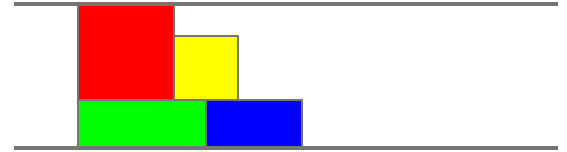


Intervals cannot overlap

## Constraints

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CumulativeConstraint



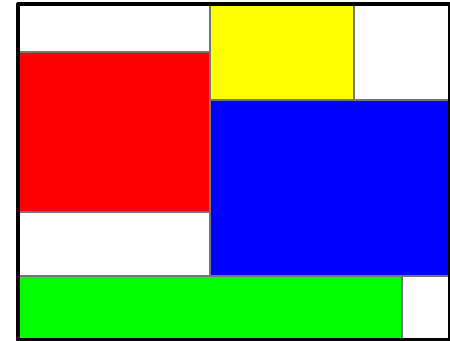
Intervals have heights,  
resource has capacity.  
Interval can overlap without  
overloading capacity

## Constraints

NoOverlapConstraint

CumulativeConstraint

NoOverlap2D



2D boxes cannot overlap



## Constraints

NoOverlapConstraint

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Boolean constraints

$A \vee B \vee \neg C$

$A \Rightarrow B$

$A \Leftrightarrow \neg B$

$A \wedge \neg B \Rightarrow C$

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Boolean constraints

LinearConstraint

$$3 \leq x + 2y + z \leq 19$$

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CumulativeConstraint

NoOverlap2D

Boolean constraints

LinearConstraint (with enforcement)

$$3 \leq x + 2y + z \leq 19$$

$$B \Rightarrow (x \leq 2)$$

## Constraints

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CumulativeConstraint

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Boolean constraints

LinearConstraint (with enforcement)

ElementConstraint

target = variables[index]

## Constraints

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CumulativeConstraint

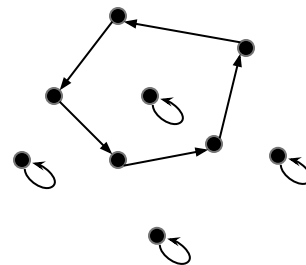
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CircuitConstraint



Graph + boolean variables for arcs  
Boolean variables must form a (sub) circuit

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TableConstraint

(x, y, z) must be in

1 1 2

1 3 1

1 3 4

2 1 3

2 4 5

ortools/sat/cp\_model.proto

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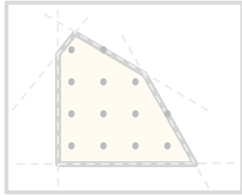
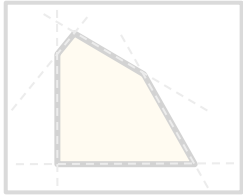
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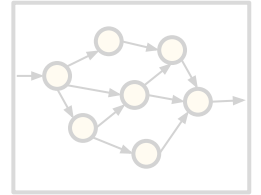
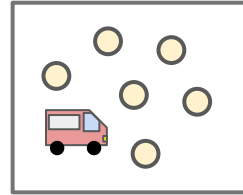
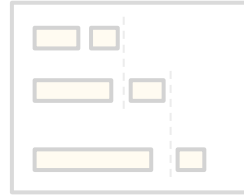
CircuitConstraint

TableConstraint

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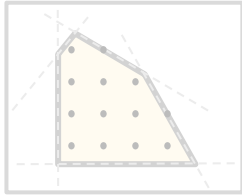
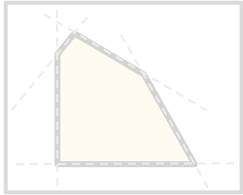


# ortools/constraint\_solver/routing.h

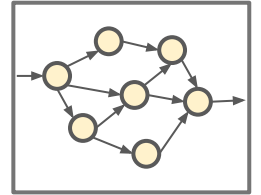
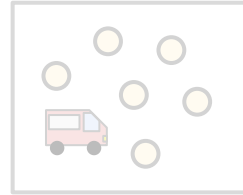
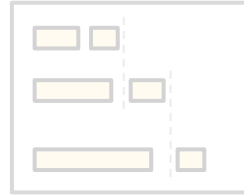
```
from ortools.constraint_solver import pywrapcp
```

```
def distance(from_index, to_index):  
    return from_index + to_index
```

```
indexes = pywrapcp.RoutingIndexManager(num_nodes=10, num_vehicles=1, num_depots=0)  
routing = pywrapcp.RoutingModel(indexes)  
transit = routing.RegisterTransitCallback(distance)  
routing.SetArcCostEvaluatorOfAllVehicles(transit)  
solution = routing.Solve()
```



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# ortools/graph/min\_cost\_flow.h

```
from ortools.graph import pywrapgraph

... # Initialize input data.

min_cost_flow = pywrapgraph.SimpleMinCostFlow()

for arc in num_arcs:
    min_cost_flow.AddArcWithCapacityAndUnitCost(from_node[arc], to_node[arc],
                                                  capacities[arc], unit_costs[arc])

for node in num_nodes:
    min_cost_flow.SetNodeSupply(node, supplies[node])

if min_cost_flow.Solve() == min_cost_flow.OPTIMAL:
    print('Minimum cost:', min_cost_flow.OptimalCost())
```

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