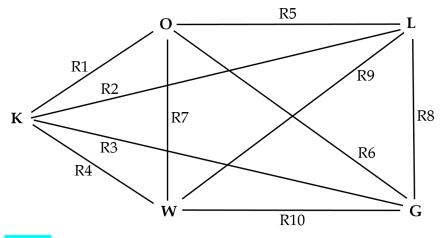
1.

(R1: K-O, R2: K-L, R3: K-G, R4: K-W, R5: O-L, R6: O-G, R7: O-W, R8: L-G, R9: L-W, R10: G-W).



a. <mark>(10 pts.)</mark>

Start from K, go to O, then to L, then to G, and then to W. Return to K from W:

R1, R5, R8, R10, R4

This cycle visits each city exactly once and returns to home city.

There are other feasible solutions:

b. (10 pts.)

Start from K, use R1 to O, then continue with using roads between L, G, W, K, L, W, O, G, K:

R1, R5, R8, R10, R4, R2, R9, R7, R6, R3

This cycle includes each rode exactly once and returns to home city.

There are other feasible solutions:

c. <mark>(5 pts.)</mark>

Hamiltonian cycle is a cycle which visits each vertex (node) exactly once and returns to the starting vertex whereas Euler cycle is a cycle which visits every edge (connection) exactly once and also returns to the starting vertex.

OR

Hamiltonian cycle is a path through a graph that starts and ends at the same vertex (node) but includes every other vertex exactly once while Euler cycle is also a path through a graph which starts and ends at the same vertex and includes every edge (connection) exactly once.

2.

POSSIBLE PAIRINGS AND PAIRING COSTS

Pairing 1: SJ101 – SJ203 – SJ406 – SJ308	Duration: 13h	
Pairing 2: SJ101 – SJ204 – SJ305 - SJ407	Duration: 12h	(1.5 pts.)
Pairing 3: SJ402 – SJ204 – SJ310 – SJ211	Duration: 17h	(1.5 pts.)
Pairing 4: SJ203 - SJ406 - SJ308 - SJ109	Duration: 12.5h	(1.5 pts.)
Pairing 5: SJ204 - SJ305 - SJ407 - SJ109	Duration: 10.5h	(1.5 pts.)
Pairing 6: SJ305 – SJ407 – SJ109 – SJ212	Duration: 11h	(1.5 pts.)
Pairing 7: SJ406 - SJ308 - SJ109 - SJ211	Duration: 10h	(1.5 pts.)
$X_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if pairing } j \text{ is selected} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$		

OBJECTIVE FUNCTION (5 pts.)

min 13 x_1 + 12 x_2 + 17 x_3 + 12.5 x_4 + 10.5 x_5 + 11 x_6 + 10 x_7

CONSTRAINTS (12 constraints: 12 pts.)

$x_1 + x_2 = 1$	(flight 101)
$x_3 = 1$	(flight 402)
$x_1 + x_4 = 1$	(flight 203)
$x_2 + x_3 + x_5 = 1$	(flight 204)
$x_2 + x_5 + x_6 = 1$	(flight 305)
$x_1 + x_4 + x_7 = 1$	(flight 406)
$x_2 + x_5 + x_6 = 1$	(flight 407)
$x_1 + x_4 + x_7 = 1$	(flight 308)
$x_4 + x_5 + x_6 + x_7 = 1$	(flight 109)
<i>x</i> ₃ = 1	(flight 310)
$x_3 + x_7 = 1$	(flight 211)
$x_6 = 1$	(flight 212)

redundant constraint (same as flight 406 constraint)

redundant constraint (same as flight 402 constraint)

SIGN RESTRICTIONS (4 pts.)

 $x_j = 0 \text{ or } 1$ $j = 1, \dots 7$

3. In addition to x_t (t = 1, ..., 7); Define y_t (t = 1, ..., 7) as a binary variable

 $Min \sum_{t=1}^{7} x_t^2 + 5 \sum_{t=1}^{7} y_t$ Subject to

$$\prod_{t=1}^{7} (x_t + 1) = 1000$$

 $1000y_t \ge x_t$ $t = 1, 2, \dots 7.$

 $x_t \ge 0 \text{ and integer } t = 1,2,...7.$ $y_t \in \{0,1\} \quad t = 1,2,...7.$ 2 points

8 points

5 points

2 points

Min f(x) ⇒Steepest descent method Search direction is $-\nabla f(v)$

$$f(\mathbf{X}) = [2,1] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} + [x_1, x_2] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$f(\mathbf{X}) = 2x_1 + x_2 + x_1^2 + 2x_2^2 + x_1x_2$$

$$\frac{df}{dx_1} = 2 + 2x_1 + x_2$$

$$\frac{df}{dx_2} = 1 + 4x_2 + x_1$$

$$\nabla f(\mathbf{X}) = (2 + 2x_1 + x_2, 1 + 4x_2 + x_1)$$

$$v_0 = (0,1) \rightarrow \nabla f(v_0) = \nabla f(0,1) = (3,5)$$

$$-\nabla f(0,1) = (-3,-5)$$

$$v_1 = v_0 + t\nabla f(v_0)$$

$$v_1 = (0,1) + t(-3,-5) = (-3t,1-5t)$$
Solve min $f(v_1)$ subject to $t \ge 0$;

$$f(-3t,1-5t) = 74t^2 - 34t + 3$$

$$f'(-3t,1-5t) = 148t - 34 = 0$$

$$t = 0.2297$$

$$v_1 = (-3t,1-5t) = (-0.6891, -0.1485)$$

$$\nabla f(\mathbf{X}) = (2 + 2x_1 + x_2, 1 + 4x_2 + x_1)$$

$$\nabla f(-0.6891, -0.1485) = (0.4733, -0.2831)$$
The length of the gradient vector at new point is:

$$\| \nabla f(-0.6891, -0.1485) \| = 0.5515$$

4.