



VEHICLE ROUTING PROBLEM CONSIDERING GREEN CRITERIA

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Abstract- The vehicle routing problem is a critical issue as it relates to the cost of transport, vehicle emissions, traffic congestions. This paper addresses the issues related to green criteria as environment sustainability has become the need of the hour optimization of cost, and green criteria are taken as objectives in the paper. Multi-objective formulation is done, and a suitable metaheuristic is applied to solve the problem.

Keywords:- VRP, green criteria, traffic, heuristic

I. INTRODUCTION

The distribution effectiveness of remanufactured products becomes a critical focal point as the selling price is lesser (Ferrer & Swaminathan 2010) than the original price. Minimization of cost & management of vehicle route is a very important step to make remanufactured products cost-effective. A vehicle routing problem (VRP) is projected with a view of dispensing the products. New once & remanufactured products at the same time in different marketing places, taking into account the minimization of emitted pollution limits.

The model also views that the end spots are the customer destinations for new and remanufactured products & returned products assortment centers. Some of the factors like statutory regulation, traffic condition, time sense, fuel costs, green sustainability factors make the decision-making process complex for reducing the transportation cost. Thus, VRP is categorized as NP-Hard problems (Lenstra and Kan 1981) and needs sound knowledge of mathematics for solving.

Secondhand products and residuals of a primary product are treated as essential supply sources for remanufacturing/repair activity. The efficient remanufacturing activity has numerous gains for the people who use/manufacture and increase of consumption cycle of the product in use, like a reduction of the cost of the raw materials, low manpower cost and discarding advantages. Many organizations are moving towards multiple layers of recycling and remanufacturing/repairing of the products for better utilization as the natural resources are turning into scarce. This necessitates to discover new ways out for best pickup and dispatch of all types of products during vehicle routing problems.

Effective VRP is possible for remanufactured products only when green sustainability activities such as vehicular emissions, fuel economy etc are considered, (Michaud and Llerena 2011). (Kara et al. 2007) mentioned minimization of the fuel consumption is one of the social responsibilities. The lack of pollution containment issues in the green logistics is absent in an analysis of studies conducted on vrp of Braekers et al. 2016, Montoya-Torres et al. 2015.

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Static versus Dynamic Vehicle Routing

The traditional vehicle static routing issues are different from dynamic vehicle routing as per Psaraftis [36], [37]

- a) Time factor is indispensable. The time schedule is not an essential factor in the static vehicle routing problem. In dynamic routing, it is a must.
- b) The process may be open-ended. The routes begin and stop at the depot. The static routing is time bounded and close in nature. Dynamic vehicle routing, the timing may be unbounded.
- c) Future information may not be precise or not known in advance in the dynamic routing problem, the upcoming event is never known with accuracy, whereas in static routing case, it is contrary.
- d) Near-term significant events, an event has the same priority as the other event in a static routing problem. In dynamic routing near term, events carry priority over future events
- e) Information update mechanisms are essential. Information renewal mechanisms are pertinent in the dynamic context. Immaterial within a static context.
- f) Reassigning decision common. In dynamic situations, new requirements arise; hence assignment decisions have to be reviewed and

II. DIFFERENT OBJECTIVE FUNCTION

Time constraints may be different. Time constraints like pickup times tend to be adaptive in a dynamic routing problem

3. vehicle fleet size changes. In dynamic scheduling, timely availability of backup vehicle is minimum

Considerations of queuing. The algorithms produce meaningless results when the customer demand rate goes over a certain threshold limit. The algorithms will become crammed Psaraftis [37] also proposes terminology used for attributes to be used for the vrp.

4. Evolution of information. The timing and customer information will unfold as time progress in dynamic settings

- information quality. Inputs could be either;
- (1) deterministic, 2) uncertainty (forecasts) or 3) (probabilistic).
- Availability of information. Information sharing with the advent of technology instant/remote etc.
- Information Processing. The central unit collects information and processes it in a *centralized* system. A distributed system does the information collection and processing in decentralization.

A model is dynamic if it explicitly incorporates the interaction of activities over time. Here one should distinguish between deterministic dynamic models and stochastic models.

Vehicles are designed for a certain capacity, but always they are specified to operate at a load lesser than designed. Hence it is prudent to operate a little bit higher than the specified load. At the same time, we should not operate at much lower than the specified load as it is not economical. Such over and under load limits can be called fuzzy limits specified and follow the triangular membership function. The objective of the paper is on the distribution and delivery of new & remanufactured products along with picking up used products

III. LITERATURE REVIEW

Dantzig and Ramser dealt the truck dispatching problem to minimize the distances traveled (1959). Clarke and Wright (1964) applied first time a linear optimization problem for vrp problem. Malandraki and Daskin (1992) addressed vrp models, which considered step speed within time windows.

Bektas (2006) considered the multiple traveling salesman problem (TSP), Hashimoto et al. (2010), Kok et al. (2012), Kritzing et al. (2012) were instrumental in contributing in solving the routing problems with time windows. Soler et al. (2009) reviewed time-dependent VRP with precision Sbihi and Eglese (2007), Pokharel and Mutha (2009), and Govindan et al. (2015) reviews dealt on the soft & hard windows, the effect of traffic congestion in VRP.

Bektaş and Laporte (2011) described the idea of pollution-path problem considering factors such as vehicle load, speed and cost. Xiao et al. (2012) conducted a research on minimizing cost of vehicles and improving the efficiency of the GVRP issues. Cruz et al. (2012) solved VRP pickup and delivery issues through heuristic algorithm. CO₂ emission were included in the a study conducted by Jabir et al (2015), Kazemian and Aref (2015) projected a green view on capacitated time-dependent VRP with time windows. Technology is progressing very fast. Semiconductors are playing a vital role in the technology. Semiconductors, electronic components are manufactured throughout the globe. Supply chain of these items shall be optimized to minimize the cost. Madankumar and Rajendran (2016) suggested a case of VRP in this field. Xiao and Konak (2016) studied the

GVRP with time scheduling. the greenhouse gases expelled from vehicles causing enormous harm to the environment.

Vrp problems focus on minimizing these effluents in green logistics. mixed integer linear programming methods were applied in solving these issues. Cherkesly et al. (2016) Ting et al. (2017) introduced models using the multi-stack approach and models for the delivery and pickup VRP with time windows. Turkensteen and Hasle (2017) studied carbon releases effect on trucks. The study disclosed that savings on account of reduction in flue discharges are considerable when small automobiles are set for delivery and pickup locations that are somewhat in distance from each other. Alvarez and Munari (2017) formulated a routing model with time windows and many deliverymen and solved with a branch-price-and-cut algorithm.

Finally, Toro et al. (2017) formulated a model for capacitated location routing problem including environmental effect of the distribution system of vehicles. Based on a bi-objective MILP, authors argue that deployment of added vehicles reasonably yields greater fuel reductions in the long run, and thus lowering fuel emission volumes a bi-objective MILP.

The literature review has a given lot of insight on VRP. VRP has addressed to embrace the sustainability issues on costs, the environmental implications of transportation & logistics activities (Lin et al., 2014). The possibility theory suggested by Dubois and Prade in 1988 has become relevant in decision making fields. Possibilistic Linear Programming (PLP) problem is a linear programming with vague coefficients limited by possibilistic distribution. The possibilistic linear programming pioneered by Negoita et al. [14]

IV. PROBLEM

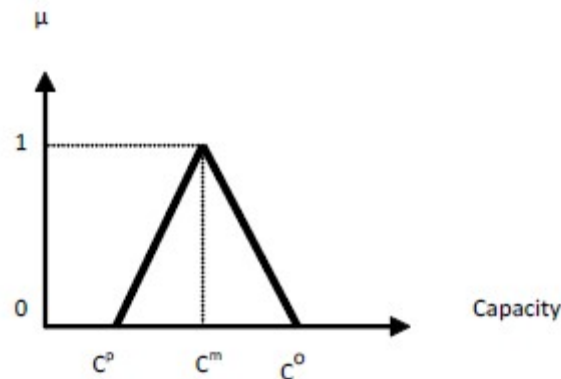
4.1 formulation of a problem

The center distributes the new products and gathers the damaged products from the market to repair/remanufacture. Later again, the new products and repaired products are delivered to the market.

The assumptions

- The vehicles should come back to the depot where they start once goods delivered
- The customer demand and flow for the new and remanufactured goods are decided and related together with a positive association.
- One visit of a vehicle satisfies the demand of each customer & multiple sourcing not required.
- Double experts are considered traveling to increase payments and decrease the possibility of accidents and time-saving.
- Traffic time considered is a uniformly distributed random variable. Violation of time window causes an increase in perishability
- demands of Customer change in different seasons and has exponential distribution the model deals a multi-depot and multi-product situation

There are two types of production with preset spoilage possibility which can be decreased by using better transport vehicles



Indices

- I Product ($1 \leq i \leq I$)
- D Centre ($1 \leq d \leq D$)
- c, c Demand points ($1 \leq c \leq C$)
- v Vehicle ($1 \leq v \leq V$)

$(capa_{id}^{dist-s}, capa_{m_{id}^{dist-s}}, capa_{m_{id}^{dist-s}})$ distribution center supply product capacities fuzzy values

$(capa_{id}^{dist-r}, capa_{m_{id}^{dist-r}}, capa_{b_{id}^{dist-r}})$ distribution center capacity returned products capacity

$(capa_{v}^{veh}, capa_{m_{v}^{veh}}, capa_{b_{v}^{veh}})$ = fuzzy vehicle capacity

$cost_v^{veh}$ vehicle v cost

$cost_d^{dist}$ distribution center d setup cost

$deli_{ic}$ Delivered quantity of product i to point c

$pick_{ic}$ The collected product i (returned) from point c

f_u , specific fuel consumption rate of vehicle v

$cost^{fuel}$ unit fuel cost

θ the rate green house gas emissions per each unit of fuel

$biggm \sim \infty$ largenumber

ψ = satisfaction level

Wag_{cc} = wage payment per unit distance from center c to c'

Variables

$$X_d^{dist} \begin{cases} 1 & \text{If distribution center d exists} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$X_v^{veh} \begin{cases} 1 & \text{If vehicle travels} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$X_{cc} \begin{cases} 1 & \text{If vehicle v travels from demand point c to demand point c'} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$\beta_{vd} \begin{cases} 1 & \text{If vehicle v is assigned to distribution center d} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

α_{ivc}^{del} Integer The number of products in vehicle deliverable to demand points
these servicing to the demand points

α_{ivc}^{pic} Integer The no. of products in vehicle collected from demand points after
servicing demand points

Objective function

$$\text{minimize } Z^1 = \xi \times (\sum_{v,\hat{c}>1} cf_v \times dist_{cc}^{gus} \times X_{v\hat{c}} + \sum_{v,c>1} df_v \times (X_{v1c} + X_{v1}) \times dist_{dc} + \beta_{vd}) \quad (1)$$

The first goal, minimization of the greenhouse gas discharged by fuel consumption reduction

$$\text{minimise } Z^2 = Cost^{fuel} \times (\sum_{v,\hat{c}>1} cf_v \times dist_{cc}^{gus} \times X_{v\hat{c}} + \sum_{v,c>1} df_v \times (X_{v1c} + X_{v1}) \times dist_{dc} \times \beta_{vd}) + \sum_d cost_d^{dist} \times X_d^{dist} + \sum_v cost_v^{veh} \times X_v^{veh} + \sum_{cc} dist_{cc}^{gus} \times Waggc \hat{c} \times X_{v\hat{c}} \quad (2)$$

The second aim, minimization the fuel cost, set up cost of distribution centers and the cost of the vehicles

constraints

$$\sum_{v,c} \alpha_{ivc}^{del} \times \beta_{vd} \leq capa_{id}^{dist-s} \quad \forall i, d \quad (3)$$

$$capa_{id}^{dist-s} \leq (capa_{a_{id}}^{dist-s} + capa_{m_{id}}^{dist-s}) \times \frac{1}{2} \times \psi + (1 - \psi) \times (capa_{b_{id}}^{dist-s} + capa_{m_{id}}^{dist-s}) \quad \forall i, d \quad (4)$$

Capacity of distribution center shall match with the vehicle capacity for the product I to be delivered in vehicles

$$\sum_{v,c} \alpha_{ivc}^{pic} \times \beta_{vd} \leq capa_{id}^{dist-r} \quad \forall i, d \quad (5)$$

$$capa_{id}^{dist-r} = (capa_{a_{id}}^{dist-r} + capa_{m_{id}}^{dist-r}) \times \frac{1}{2} \times \psi + (1 - \psi) \times (capa_{b_{id}}^{dist-r} + capa_{m_{id}}^{dist-r}) \quad \forall i, d \quad (6)$$

Capacity of distribution center shall match with the vehicle capacity for the product I to be collected in vehicles

$$\sum_{v,c} \alpha_{ivc}^{del} \leq biggm \times \sum_d \beta_{vd} \quad \forall i, v \quad (7)$$

Ensures vehicle loading or emptiness when it is allotted to distribution center

$$\sum_{v,c} \alpha_{ivc}^{pic} \leq biggm \times \sum_d \beta_{vd} \quad \forall i, v \quad (8)$$

Ensures vehicle loading or emptiness for second hand products when it is allotted to distribution center

$$\sum_d \beta_{vd} \leq 1 \quad \forall i \quad (9)$$

$$\sum_v \beta_{vd} \leq biggm \times X_d^{dist} \quad \forall d \quad (10)$$

distribution setup cost is ensured if vehicle is allotted.

$$\sum_c X_{v\hat{c}c} \leq 1 \quad \forall v, c \quad (11)$$

Ensures travel of vehicle between two center.

$$\sum_{\hat{c}} X_{v\hat{c}c} = \sum_c X_{v\hat{c}c} \quad \forall v, c \quad (12)$$

Ensures vehicle movement in one direction only

$$\alpha_{i\hat{v}c}^{del} \leq biggm \times \sum_{\hat{c}} X_{v\hat{c}c} \quad \forall i, v, c \quad (13)$$

Ensures no idle travel between two centers

$$\alpha_{i\hat{v}c}^{pic} \leq biggm \times \sum_{\hat{c}} X_{v\hat{c}c} \quad \forall i, v, c \quad (14)$$

Ensures non collection of goods if vehicle does not travel

$$\alpha_{i\hat{v}c}^{del} - \alpha_{i\hat{v}\hat{c}}^{del} + capa_v^{veh} \times X_{v\hat{c}c} + (capa_v^{veh} - deli_{i\hat{c}} - deli_{ic}) \times X_{v\hat{c}c} \leq capa_v^{veh} - deli_{i\hat{c}} \quad \forall i, \hat{c}, v, c \quad (15)$$

Ensures deliverablegoods capacity

$$\alpha_{i\hat{v}c}^{pic} - \alpha_{i\hat{v}\hat{c}}^{pic} + capa_v^{veh} \times X_{v\hat{c}c} + (capa_v^{veh} - pick_{i\hat{c}} - pic_{kic}) \times X_{v\hat{c}c} \leq capa_v^{veh} - pick_{i\hat{c}} \quad \forall i, \hat{c}, v, c \quad (16)$$

Ensures pickup of secondary goods.

$$\sum_i \alpha_{i\hat{v}c}^{del} + \sum_i \alpha_{i\hat{v}c}^{pic} - \sum_i deli_{ic} \leq capa_v^{veh} \quad \forall i, v, c \quad (17)$$

Ensures all the products capacity shall confirm to vehicle capacity

$$\alpha_{i\hat{v}\hat{c}}^{del} \geq deli_{i\hat{c}} + \sum_i deli_{ic} \times X_{v\hat{c}c} \quad \forall i, v, c \quad (18)$$

the deliverable goods tothe customer should not be in shortage

$$\alpha_{i\hat{v}c}^{pic} \geq pick_{i\hat{c}} + \sum_i pick_{ic} \times X_{v\hat{c}c} \quad \forall i, v, c \quad (19)$$

$$capa_v^{veh} = (capa_{a_v}^{veh} + capa_{m_v}^{veh}) * 0.5 * \psi + (1 - \psi) * 0.5 * (capa_{b_v}^{veh} + capa_{m_v}^{veh})$$

(20)

Ensures collected goods meet the requirement the problem is nonlinear (NLP)one. By analogy to Karaoglan et al.

(2012) that sub tour removal was illustrated in above equations, was based on using integer variables. The equations are linearised as mentioned below

$$X_{ivdc}^{\text{del}} \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if vehicle } v \text{ of distribution center } d \text{ moves} \\ & \text{to } i \text{ with product } i \text{ to center } c, \text{ else } 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\beta_{ivdc}^{\text{del}} \text{ Integer} \quad \begin{cases} \text{The number of product } i \text{ assigned to vehicle } v \text{ from} \\ \text{distribution center } d \text{ to demand point } c. \end{cases}$$

$$\beta_{ivdc}^{\text{pic}} = \begin{cases} \text{The number of collected products } i \text{ from demand point } c \\ \text{by vehicle } v \text{ from distribution center } d. \end{cases}$$

$$\min Z^1 = Y \times \left(\sum_{v, \hat{c} > 1, c} f_v \times \text{dis}_{\hat{c}c}^{\text{cus}} \times X_{v\hat{c}c} + \sum_{v, c > 1, d} f_v \times (X_{v1c} + X_{vc1}) \times \text{dis}_{dc} + \beta_{vd} \right) \text{First objective function non-linear}$$

$$\min Z^{1n} = Y \times \left(\sum_{v, \hat{c} > 1, c} f_v \times \text{dis}_{\hat{c}c}^{\text{cus}} \times X_{v\hat{c}c} + \sum_{v, c > 1, d} f_v \times (x\beta_{vd1c} + x\beta_{vd c1}) \times \text{dis}_{dc} + \beta_{vd} \right) \text{Linearequivalent (21)}$$

$$x\beta_{vd\hat{c}c} \leq x_{v\hat{c}c} + (1 - \beta_{vd}) \times \text{Biggm} \quad (22)$$

$$x\beta_{vd\hat{c}c} \leq \beta_{vd} + (1 - x_{v\hat{c}c}) \times \text{Biggm} \quad (23)$$

$$x\beta_{vd\hat{c}c} \geq 1 + (x_{v\hat{c}c} + \beta_{vd} - 2) \times \text{Biggm} \quad (24)$$

$$x\beta_{vd\hat{c}c} \leq (x_{v\hat{c}c} + \beta_{vd}) \times \text{Biggm} \quad (25)$$

$$\min Z^2 = \text{Cost}^{\text{fuel}} \times \left(\sum_{v, \hat{c} > 1, c} f_v \times \text{dist}_{\hat{c}c}^{\text{cus}} \times X_{v\hat{c}c} + \sum_{v, c > 1, d} f_v \times (X_{v1c} + X_{vc1}) \times \text{dist}_{dc} + \beta_{vd} \right) + \sum_d \text{cost}_d^{\text{dist}} \times X_d^{\text{dist}} + \sum_v \text{cost}_v^{\text{veh}} \times X_v^{\text{veh}} + \sum_{cc'} \text{dist}_{\hat{c}c}^{\text{cus}} * \text{Wagcc}' * X_{v\hat{c}c} \text{sec 0nd obective function non-linear expansion}$$

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$$\sum_{v, c} \alpha b_{ivc}^{\text{del}} \times \beta_{vd} \leq \text{capa}_{id}^{\text{dist-s}} \times \text{Biggm} \quad \forall v, c \quad \text{Nonlinear expresion}$$

$$\sum_{v,c} \alpha \beta_{ivdc}^{del} \leq cap_{id}^{dist-s} \times Bigm \quad \forall v, c \quad (27)$$

$$x \beta_{ivdc}^{del} \geq \alpha_{ivc}^{del} - (1 - \beta_{vd}) \times Bigm \text{Linearequivalent} \quad (28)$$

$$x \beta_{ivdc}^{del} \geq \alpha_{ivc}^{del} \quad (29)$$

$$x \beta_{ivdc}^{del} \geq Biggm \times \beta_{vd} \quad (30)$$

$$\sum_{v,c} \alpha_{ivc}^{pic} \times \beta_{vd} \leq cap_{id}^{dist-r} \quad \forall i, d \quad \text{Nonlinearexpression} \quad (31)$$

$$\sum_{v,c} \alpha_{ivc}^{pic} \leq capa_{aid}^{dist-r} \quad \forall i, d \quad (32)$$

$$x \beta_{ivdc}^{del} \geq \alpha_{ivc}^{del} - (1 - \beta_{vd}) \times Bigm \text{Linearequivalent} \quad (33)$$

$$x \beta_{ivdc}^{del} \geq \alpha_{ivc}^{del} \quad (34)$$

$$x \beta_{ivdc}^{del} \geq Bigm \times \beta_{vd} \quad (35)$$

4.2. Dynamic vehicle routing

Entire demand information from all the potential customers may not be obtainable from the beginning of the vehicle routing plan. Initial vehicle routing is planned based on the partial information available at that point of time. As time passes, some more customers may join with demand. By that time, some customers who were planned previously for service might not have been served. Hence a need arises to make a suitable vehicle routing plan to incorporate new customers without compromising costs. Such a policy is called dynamic policy without time windows. While making a revised route plan, one should not forget the customers served and their requirements. All the things are added in the formulation suitably.

4.3 Dynamic vehicle routing algorithm considered

- step 1. static vehicle routing. move to step 2
- step 2. Formulate multi-objective nonlinear model
- step 3. convert nonlinear into linear model
- step 4. convert the model into a single objective model
- step 5. finding feasible plan
- step 6. if some more customers added, perform step 7, else end
- step 7: identify served customers and demand. Add new customers demand to go to step 1.

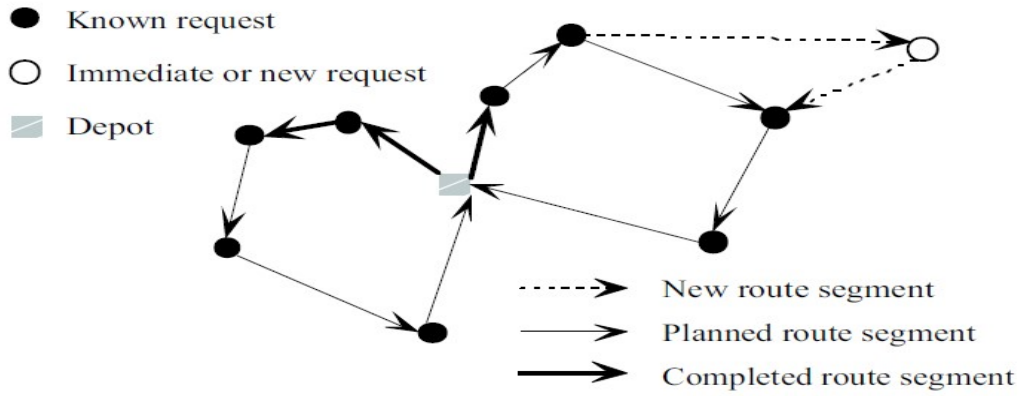


Fig2: Dynamic vehicle routing

V. NUMERICAL RESULTS

The parameters of the problem are shown below. The proposed model is in bi-objective type, using the technique offered by Zimmerman (1978) converted as a single-objective model.

Max λ

Subject to:

$$\lambda \leq \mu_{z_k} \min(x)$$

$$\lambda \leq \mu_{z_1} \max(x)$$

$$\mu_{z_k} \text{ minimize } (x) = \begin{cases} 1 & z_k(x) > z_k^{\text{positive}} \\ 0 & z_k(x) < z_k^{\text{negative}} \\ f\mu_{z_k} \text{ min} = \frac{z_k^{\text{positive}} - z_k(x)}{z_k^{\text{positive}} - z_k^{\text{negative}}} & z_k^{\text{negative}} \leq z_k(x) \leq z_k^{\text{positive}} \end{cases} \quad (36)$$

$$\mu_{z_1} \text{ minimize } (x) = \begin{cases} 1 & z_1(x) > z_1^{\text{positive}} \\ 0 & z_1(x) < z_1^{\text{negative}} \\ f\mu_{z_1} \text{ max} = \frac{z_1(x) - z_1^{\text{negative}}}{z_1^{\text{positive}} - z_1^{\text{negative}}} & z_1^{\text{negative}} \leq z_1(x) \leq z_1^{\text{positive}} \end{cases} \quad (37)$$

In which z_k^{negative} and z_1^{negative} are the lower limits, z_k^{positive} and z_1^{positive} are the higher limits and $\mu_{z_k} \min(x)$ and $\mu_{z_1} \max(x)$ are the lower limits (minimization values), respectively.

The objective function while applying weights

$$\text{Max } \lambda = \sum w_i \times \lambda_i \quad (38)$$

subject to:

$$\lambda \leq \mu_i(x) \quad (39)$$

$$\sum w_i = 1 \quad (40)$$

for weights of $w_1=0.5, w_2=0.5$, the obtained results are presented in Table 3 FOR ALL $\psi = 0.5$:

Table 3. Values of the objective function and running time

TABLE 1 : DATA CONSIDERED FOR INDICES

Indices	Number in Districts
I	1
D	2
C	10
V	3

TABLE 2: DATA CONSIDERED FOR PARAMETERS

Parameter	values
$capa_{dist-s}^{dist-s}$, $capa_m^{dist-s}$, $capa_m^{dist-s}$	4500, 5000, 5500
Wage cost per distance km	Varies between rs (20 ..25)
$capa_{veh}$, $capa_{veh}$, $capa_{veh}$	1950, 2000, 2050
$capa_{dist-s}$, $capa_{dist-s}$, $capa_{dist-s}$	5900, 6000 , 6100
ψ	0.5
$dist_{ij}^{dist}$	Euclidian distance
$cost_{dist}$	600000
$deli_{ij}$	100000
$deli_{ij}$	200
$capa_{veh}$	200000
$pick_{ij}$	20
$cost^{fuel}$	100
$bigm \times \alpha$	300000
$\frac{1}{\omega}$	0.00015
$f_{u_{ij}}$	8KMS/LT

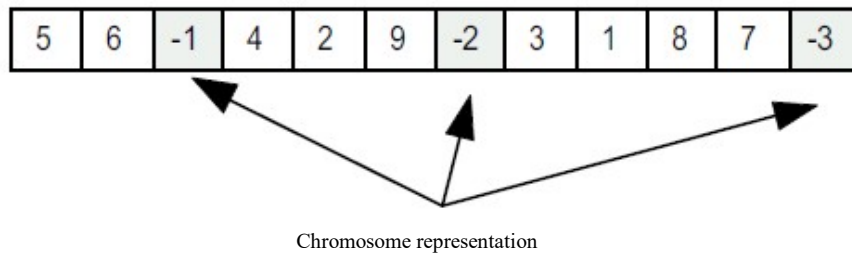
TABLE 3: ANALYSIS OF OBJECTIVE FUNCTION RESULT

	WEIGHT OF OBJECTIVE FUNCTION FIRST	WEIGHT OF OBJECTIVE FUNCTION SECOND	VALUE OF OBJECTIVE FUNCTION FIRST	VALUE OF OBJECTIVE FUNCTION SECOND
PROPOSED APPROACH 1	0.5	0.5	215	4100000
PROPOSED APPROACH 2	0.4	0.6	210	4200000

Table 4: COMPARASION TABLE

	WEIGHT OF OBJECTIVE FUNCTION FIRST	WEIGHT OF OBJECTIVE FUNCTION SECOND	VALUE OF OBJECTIVE FUNCTION FIRST	VALUE OF OBJECTIVE FUNCTION SECOND
PROPOSED APPROACH	0.5	0.5	215	4100000
NORMAL	0.5	0.5	245	4600000

The proposed model is solved as a normal genetic algorithm with PMX cross over and for 500 iterations for a moderate size and found that the run time is shorter than themilpmodel. Thechromosome considered a permutation type.



The customers are represented with positive number vertices(nodes).negative integers represent the group where customers already visited. Whenever new customers are added, integer number will increase .when the chromosome is decoded; old groups will be added with new customers if a vehicle has capacity.

VI. CONCLUSION

The paper is presented for vehicle routing considering pickup and delivery of products. Equations are formulated considering fuzziness in criteria for multi objectives. Small-sized problems can be solved using milp methods. In a dynamic situation, new requirements arise with new customers., the same can be solved by considering previous customers already allotted to vehicles. The new requirement is added to already running vehicles if the capacity of vehicle permits, or altogether new route from the depo. The problem is solved using GA. It is applied to a small-sized problem. Result found effective. The software used Python &R

VII.FUTURE STUDY

Several gaps of research are found and directions for further studies are mentioned here. which are

- 1) stochastic parameter are to be considered for more compatibility with the real distribution systems.
- 2) Using Data envelop analysis for the product distribution search
- 3) Finally, applications of graphtheory in this type of problems and realltimeschedules is highly suggested for future research.

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