

# Enterprise-wide Optimization: Strategies for Integration, Uncertainty, and Decomposition

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1. **Learn about two major issues in Enterprise-wide Optimization (EWO):**  
**Integration and Uncertainty**
2. **Learn how to model EWO problems**  
**Mathematical Programming Framework**
3. **Learn about solution methods for:**  
**Stochastic Programming**  
**Bi-criterion Optimization**  
**Lagrangian decomposition**

**For Background see following sites:**

**Mixed-integer programming:** <http://cepac.cheme.cmu.edu/pasilectures/grossmann.htm>

**Supply Chain Optimization:** <http://cepac.cheme.cmu.edu/pasilectures/pinto.htm>

**Enterprise-wide Optimization:** [http://egon.cheme.cmu.edu/ewocp/slides\\_seminars.html](http://egon.cheme.cmu.edu/ewocp/slides_seminars.html)

# Enterprise-wide Optimization (EWO)

**EWO involves optimizing the operations of R&D, material supply, manufacturing, distribution of a company to reduce costs and inventories, and to maximize profits, asset utilization, responsiveness.**

## *Petroleum industry*

*Dennis Houston (2003)*



Wellhead



Trading



Transfer of  
Crude



Refinery  
Optimization



Schedule  
Products



Transfer of  
Products



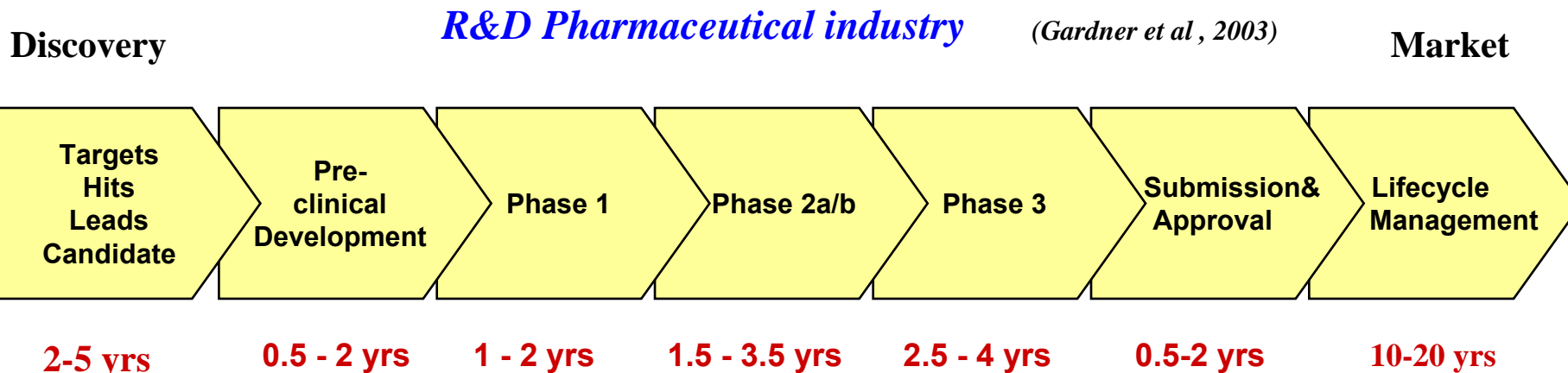
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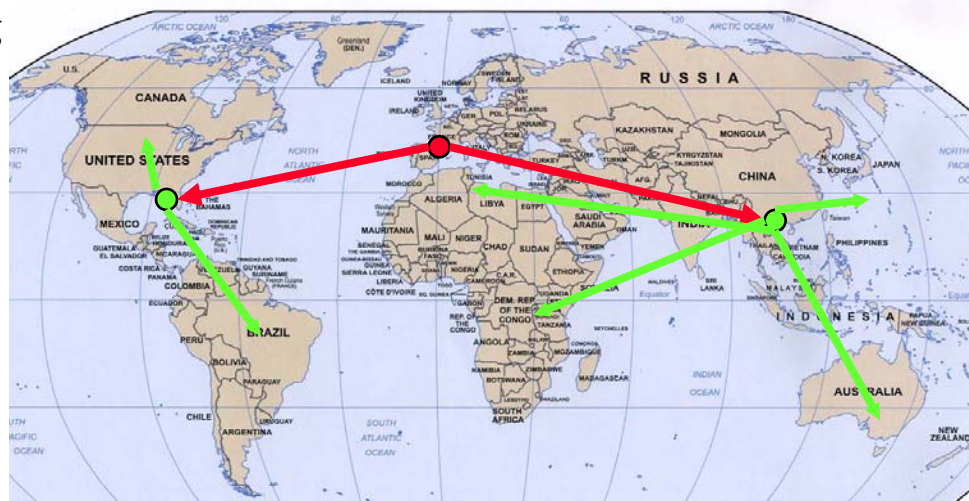
- The supply chain is large, complex, and highly dynamic
- Optimization can have very large financial payout

# Pharmaceutical supply chain



- Pharmaceutical process** (Shah, 2003)

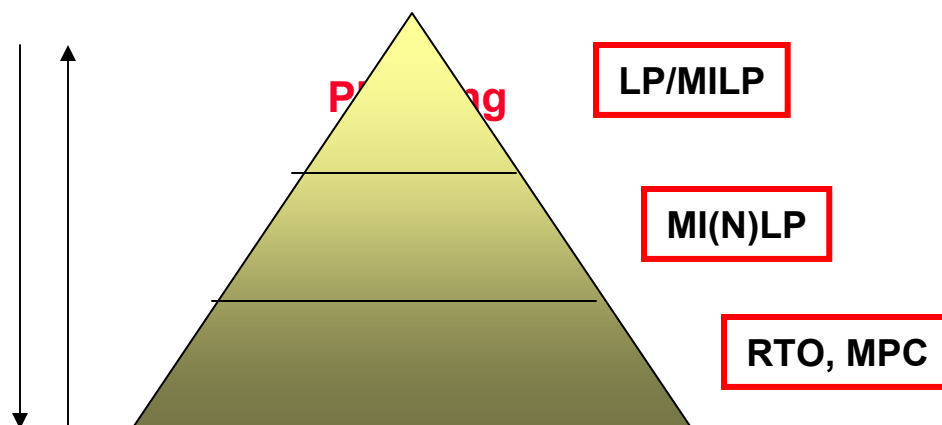
- ◆ Primary production has five synthesis stages
- ◆ Two secondary manufacturing
- ◆ Global market



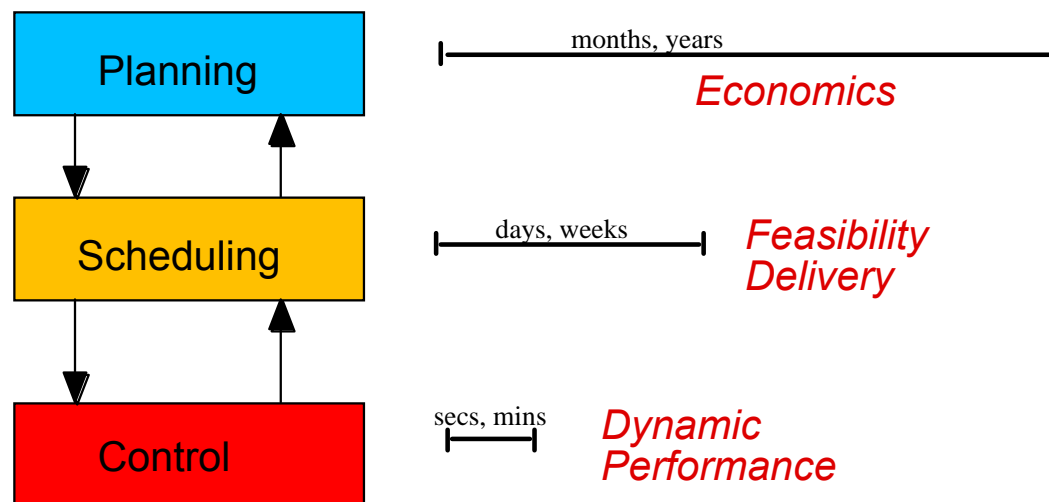
## Key issues:

### I. Integration of planning, scheduling and control

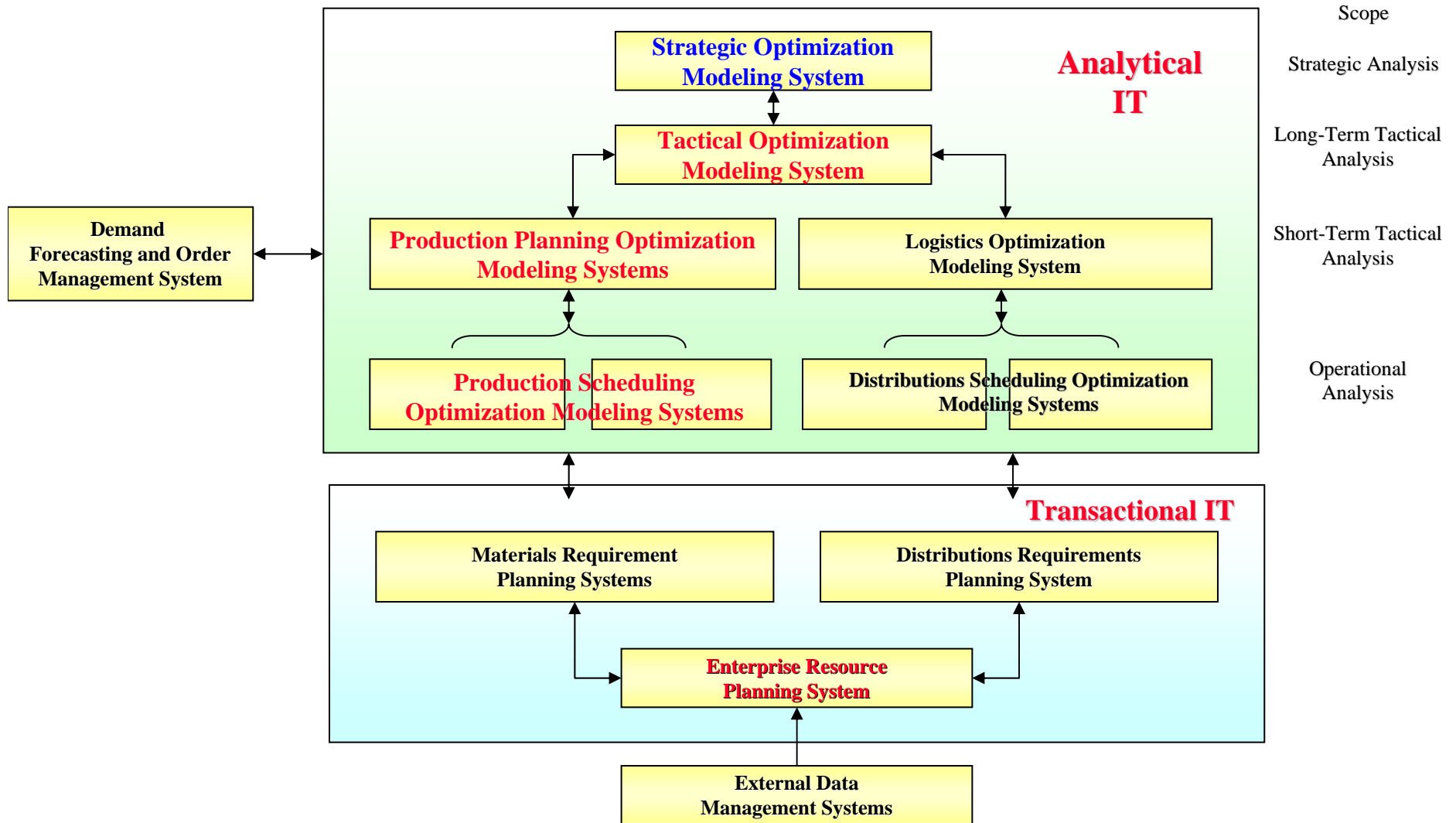
#### Multiple models



#### Multiple time scales



## II. Integration of information, modeling and solution methods



# Research Challenges

## **-The modeling challenge:**

*Planning, scheduling, control models* for the various components of the supply chain, including *nonlinear process* models?

## **- The multi-scale optimization challenge:**

Coordinated planning/scheduling models over *geographically distributed* sites, and over the *long-term* (years), *medium-term* (months) and *short-term* (days, min) decisions?

## **- The uncertainty challenge:**

How to effectively anticipate effect of *uncertainties* ?

## **- Algorithmic and computational challenges:**

How to *effectively solve large-scale* models including *nonconvex problems* in terms of efficient algorithms, decomposition methods and modern computer architectures?



# Examples of EWO problems

## **Multiperiod Supply Chain Design**

*Multiperiod mixed-integer linear programming model*

## **Supply Chain Operation under Uncertainty**

*Two-stage programming LP model*

## **Design of Responsive Process Supply Chains with Uncertain Demand**

*Bi-criterion mixed-integer nonlinear programming*

## **Simultaneous Tactical Planning and Production Scheduling**

*Large-scale mixed integer linear programming*

## **Optimal Planning of Multisite Distribution Network**

*Lagrangian decomposition for nonlinear programming model*

## **Supply Chain Design with Stochastic Inventory Management**

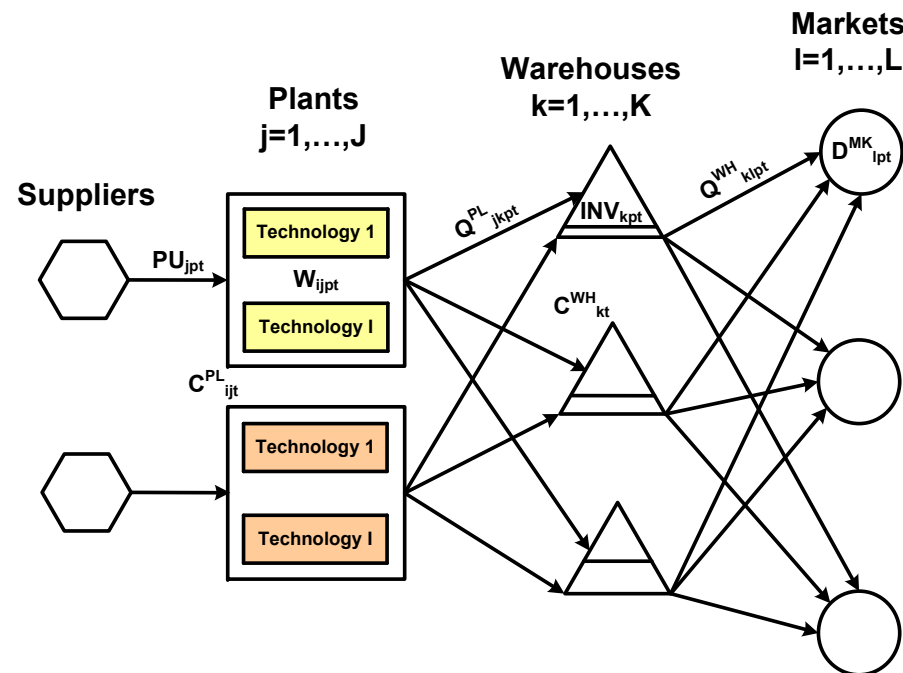
*Lagrangian decomposition for mixed-integer nonlinear programming model*



# Multiperiod Supply Chain Design and Planning

- Three-echelon supply chain
- Different technologies available at plants
- Multi-period model

*Guillen, Grossmann (2008)*



**Model** = Plant location problem (Current et al., 1990) plus  
Long range planning of chemical processes (Sahinidis et al., 1989)

# Notation

$j$	plants
$k$	warehouses
$l$	markets
$p$	products
$t$	time periods

## Variables

$C_{ijt}^{PL}$	capacity of manufacturing technology $i$ at plant $j$ in time period $t$
$CE_{ijt}^{PL}$	capacity expansion of manufacturing technology $i$ at plant $j$ in time period $t$
$C_{kt}^{WH}$	capacity of warehouse $k$ in time period $t$
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$CF_t$	cash flow in period $t$
$FCI$	fixed capital investment
$FTDC_t$	fraction of the total depreciable capital that must be paid in period $t$
$IL_{kt}$	average inventory level at warehouse $k$ in time period $t$
$NE_t$	net earnings in period $t$
$NPV$	net present value
$PU_{jpt}$	purchases of product $p$ made by plant $j$ in period $t$
$Q_{jkpt}^{PL}$	flow of product $p$ sent from plant $j$ to warehouse $k$ in period $t$
$Q_{klpt}^{WH}$	flow of product $p$ sent from warehouse $k$ to market $l$ in period $t$
$SA_{lpt}$	sales of product $p$ at market $l$ in time period $t$
$W_{ijpt}$	input/output flow of product $p$ associated with technology $i$ at plant $j$ in $t$
$X_{ijt}^{PL}$	binary variable (1 if the capacity of manufacturing technology $i$ at plant $j$ is expanded in time period $t$ , 0 otherwise)
$X_{kt}^{WH}$	binary variable (1 if the capacity of warehouse $k$ is expanded in time period $t$ , 0 otherwise)
$Y_{jkt}^{PL}$	binary variable (1 if a transportation link between plant $j$ and warehouse $k$ is established in time period $t$ , 0 otherwise)
$Y_{klt}^{WH}$	binary variable (1 if a transportation link between warehouse $k$ and market $l$ is established in time period $t$ , 0 otherwise)

# Multiperiod MILP formulation (I)

## 1. Mass balances

$$\begin{aligned}
 &PU_{jpt} + \sum_{i \in OUT(p)} W_{ijpt} = \sum_k Q_{jkpt}^{PL} + \sum_{i \in IN(p)} W_{ijpt} \quad \forall j, p, t \quad \left. \vphantom{\sum_k Q_{jkpt}^{PL}} \right\} \text{Plants} \\
 &W_{ijpt} = \mu_{ip} W_{ijp/t} \quad \forall i, j, p, t \quad \forall p' \in MP(i) \\
 &INV_{kpt-1} + \sum_j Q_{jkpt}^{PL} = \sum_l Q_{klpt}^{WH} + INV_{kpt} \quad \forall k, p, t \quad \left. \vphantom{\sum_l Q_{klpt}^{WH}} \right\} \text{Warehouses} \\
 &\underline{D}_{lpt}^{MK} \leq \sum_k Q_{klpt}^{WH} \leq \overline{D}_{lpt}^{MK} \quad \forall l, p, t \quad \left. \vphantom{\sum_k Q_{klpt}^{WH}} \right\} \text{Markets}
 \end{aligned}$$

## 2. Capacity Expansion Plants

$$\begin{aligned}
 &W_{ijpt} \leq C_{ijt}^{PL} \quad \forall i, j, t \quad \forall p \in MP(i) \\
 &C_{ijt}^{PL} = C_{ijt-1}^{PL} + CE_{ijt}^{PL} \quad \forall i, j, t \\
 &\underline{CE}_{ijt}^{PL} X_{ijt}^{PL} \leq CE_{ijt}^{PL} \leq \overline{CE}_{ijt}^{PL} X_{ijt}^{PL} \quad \forall i, j, t
 \end{aligned}
 \quad \left. \vphantom{\sum_k Q_{klpt}^{WH}} \right\} \text{Plants}$$

**Binary variable** (1 if technology i is expanded in plant j in period t)

# Multiperiod MILP formulation (II)

## 3. Capacity Expansion Warehouses

$$\sum_p INV_{kpt} \leq C_{kt}^{WH} \quad \forall k, t$$

$$C_{kt}^{WH} = C_{kt-1}^{WH} + CE_{kt}^{WH} \quad \forall k, t$$

$$\underline{CE_{kt}^{WH}} X_{kt}^{WH} \leq CE_{kt}^{WH} \leq \overline{CE_{kt}^{WH}} X_{kt}^{WH} \quad \forall k, t$$

**Binary variable** (1 if warehouse k is expanded in period t)

Warehouses

## 4. Transportation links

$$\underline{Q_{jkt}^{PL} Y_{jkt}^{PL}} \leq Q_{jkt}^{PL} \leq \overline{Q_{jkt}^{PL} Y_{jkt}^{PL}} \quad \forall j, k, t$$

**Binary variable** (1 if there is a transport link between plant j and warehouse k in period t)

$$\underline{Q_{klt}^{WH} Y_{klt}^{WH}} \leq Q_{klt}^{WH} \leq \overline{Q_{klt}^{WH} Y_{klt}^{WH}} \quad \forall k, l, t$$

**Binary variable** (1 if there is a transport link between warehouse k and market l in period t)

Transport links

# Multiperiod MILP formulation (III)

## 5. Objective function

$$NPV = \sum_t \frac{CF_t}{(1 + ir)^{t-1}} \quad \text{Summation of discounted cash flows}$$

$$CF_t = NE_t - FTDC_t \quad t = 1, \dots, NT - 1$$

$$CF_t = NE_t - FTDC_t + SVFCI \quad t = NT$$

### Net Earnings

$$NE_t = (1 - \varphi) \left[ \sum_l \sum_p \gamma_{lpt}^{FP} SA_{lpt} - \sum_j \sum_p \gamma_{jpt}^{RM} PU_{jpt} - \sum_i \sum_j \sum_{p \in MP(i)} v_{ijpt} W_{ijpt} - \sum_k \pi_{kt} IL_{kt} - \sum_j \sum_k \sum_p \psi_{jkpt}^{PL} Q_{jkpt}^{PL} - \sum_k \sum_l \sum_p \psi_{klpt}^{WH} Q_{klpt}^{WH} \right] + \varphi DEP_t \quad \forall t$$

$$DEP_t = \frac{(1 - SV)FCI}{NT} \quad \forall t$$

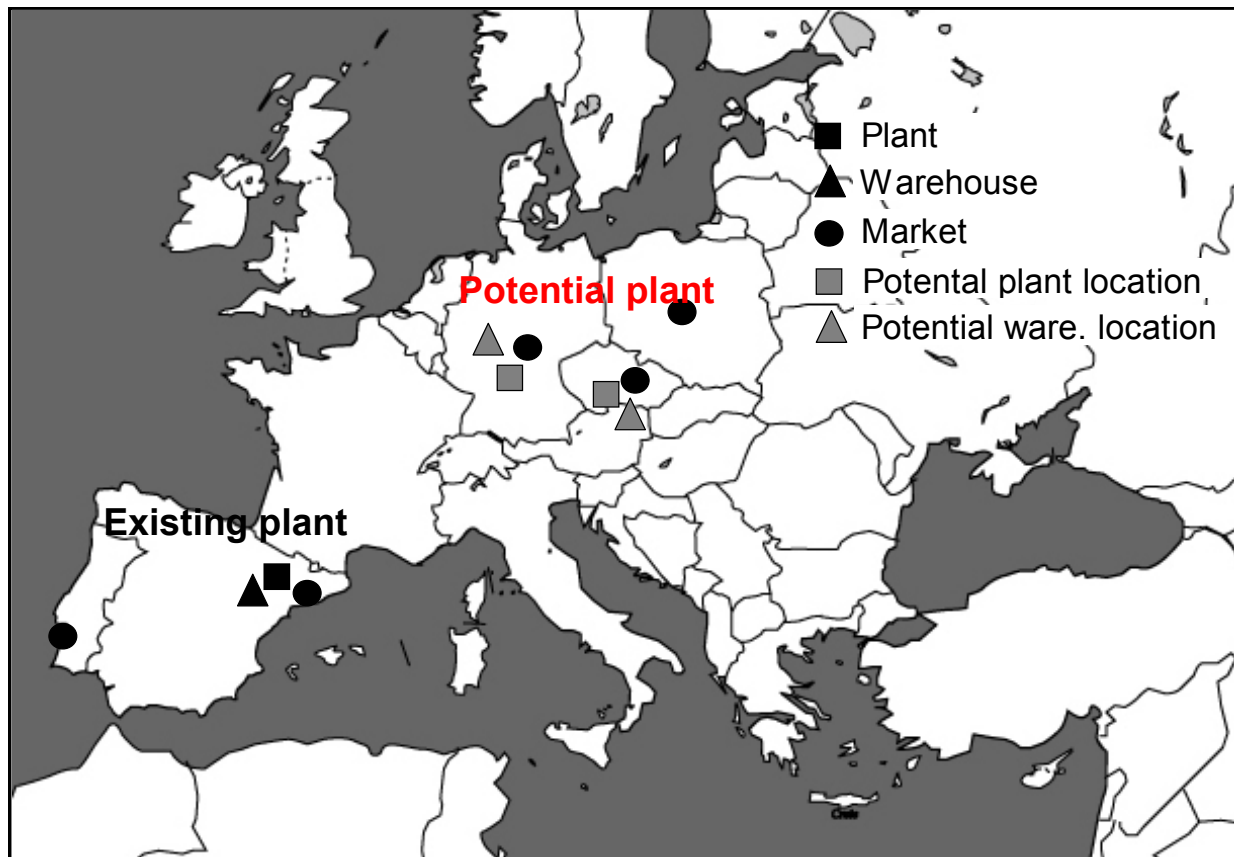
### Fixed cost

$$FCI = \sum_i \sum_j \sum_t (\alpha_{ijt}^{PL} CE_{ijt}^{PL} + \beta_{ijt}^{PL} X_{ijt}^P) + \sum_k \sum_t (\alpha_{kt}^{WH} CE_{kt}^{WH} + \beta_{kt}^{WH} X_{kt}^{WH}) + \sum_j \sum_k \sum_t (\beta_{jkt}^{TPL} Y_{jkt}^{PL}) + \sum_k \sum_l \sum_t (\beta_{klt}^{TWH} Y_{klt}^{WH})$$

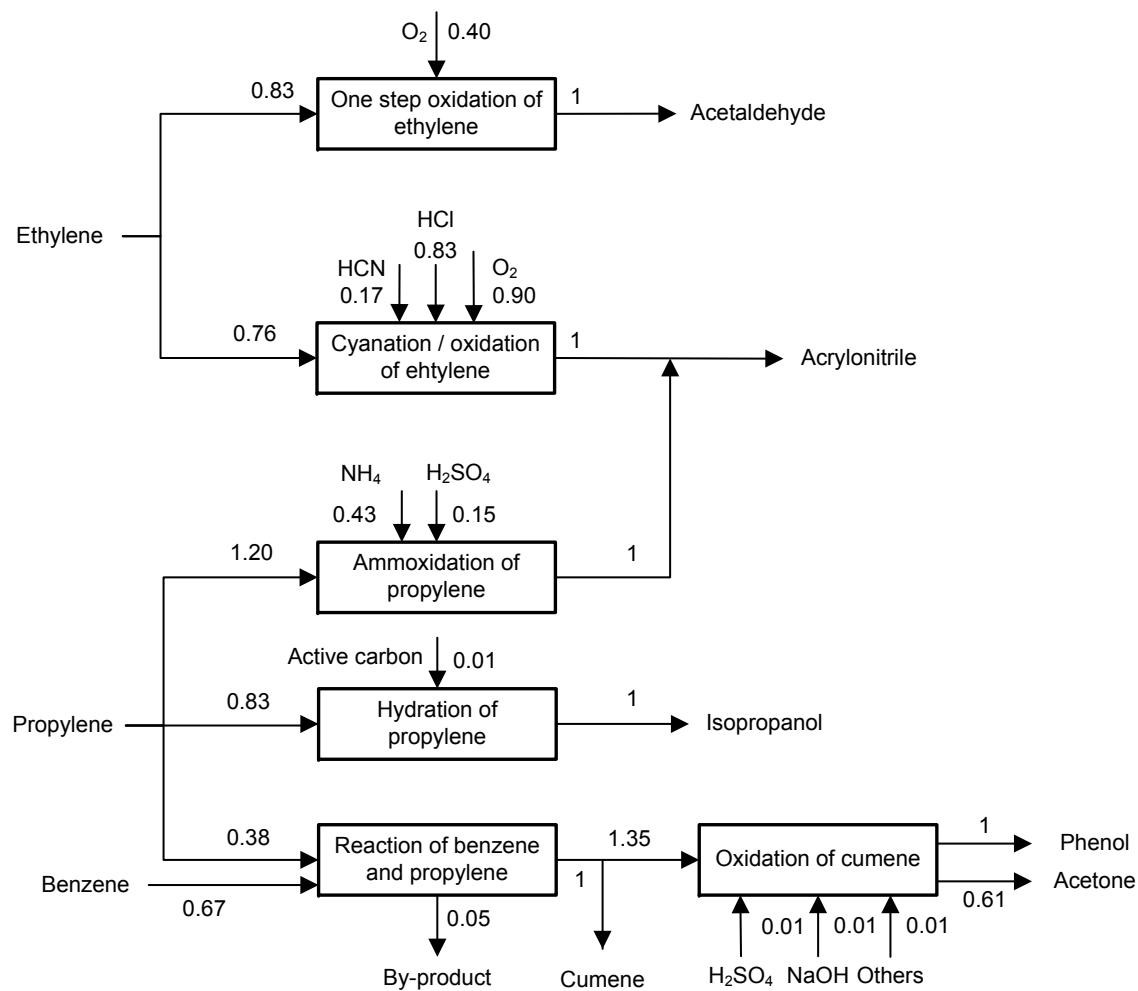
# Case study

## Problem :

- Redesign a petrochemical SC to fulfill future forecasted demand

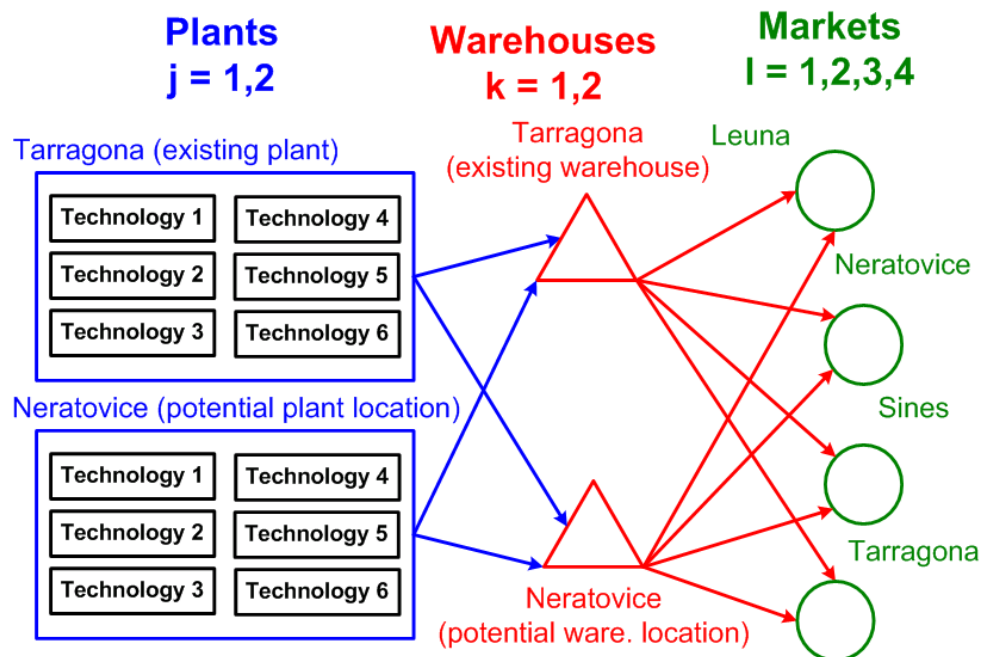


# Technologies in each Plant Site



# Potential Supply Chain

**Horizon: 3 yrs**



## Multiperiod MILP Models:

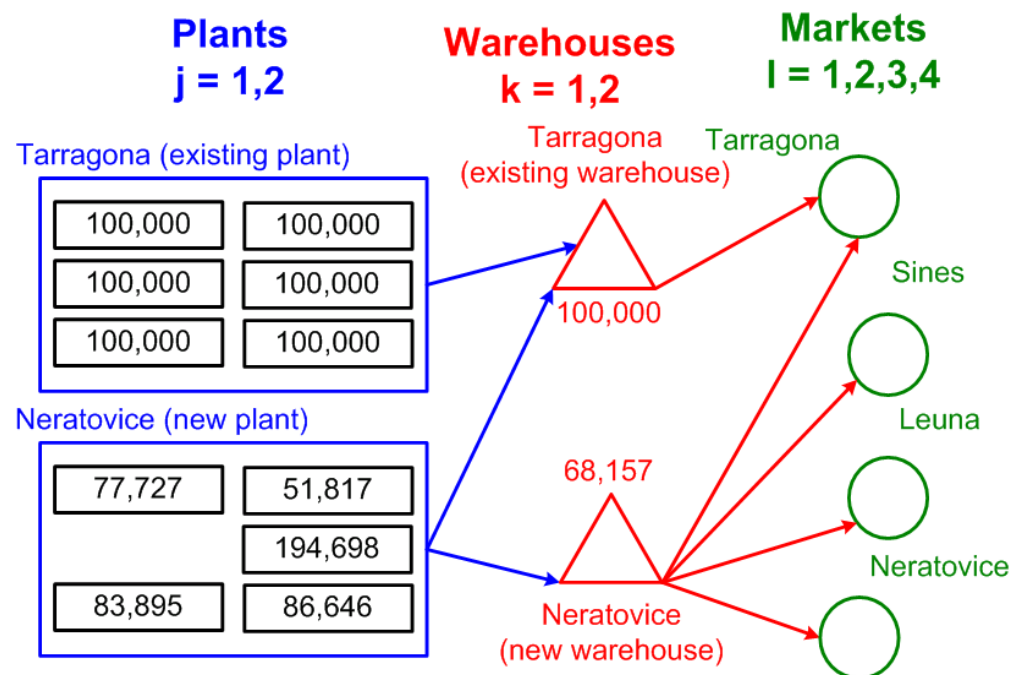
- **Number of 0-1 variables: 450**
- **Number of continuous variables: 4801**
- **Number of equations: 4682**
- **CPU\* time: 0.33 seconds**

\*Solved with GAMS 21.4 / CPLEX 9.0 (Pentium 1.66GHz)



# Optimal Solution

NPV = \$132 million



# Supply Chain Operation under Uncertainty

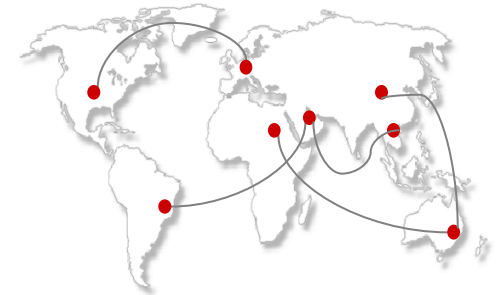
*You, Grossmann, Wassick (2008)*



**Chemical Supply chain:** an integrated network of business units for the supply, production, distribution and consumption of the products.

## Case Study

- Given
  - ♦ Minimum and initial inventory
  - ♦ Inventory holding cost and throughput cost
  - ♦ Transport times of all the transport links & modes
  - ♦ **Uncertain** customer demands and transport cost
- Determine
  - ♦ Transport amount, inventory and production levels

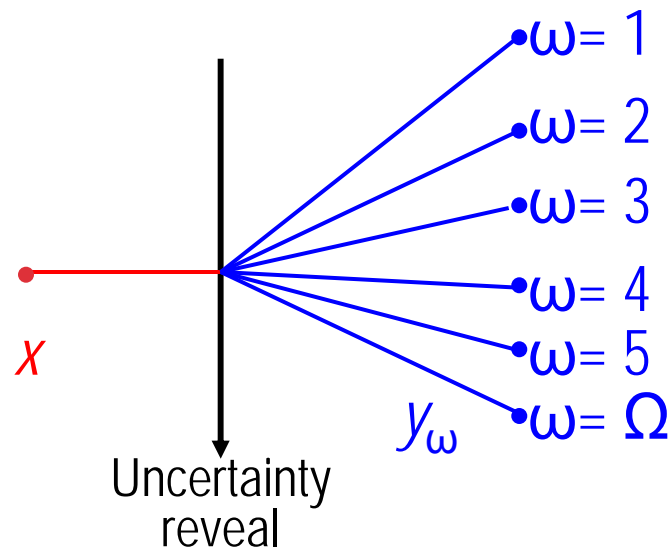


- Objective: **Minimize Cost & Risks**



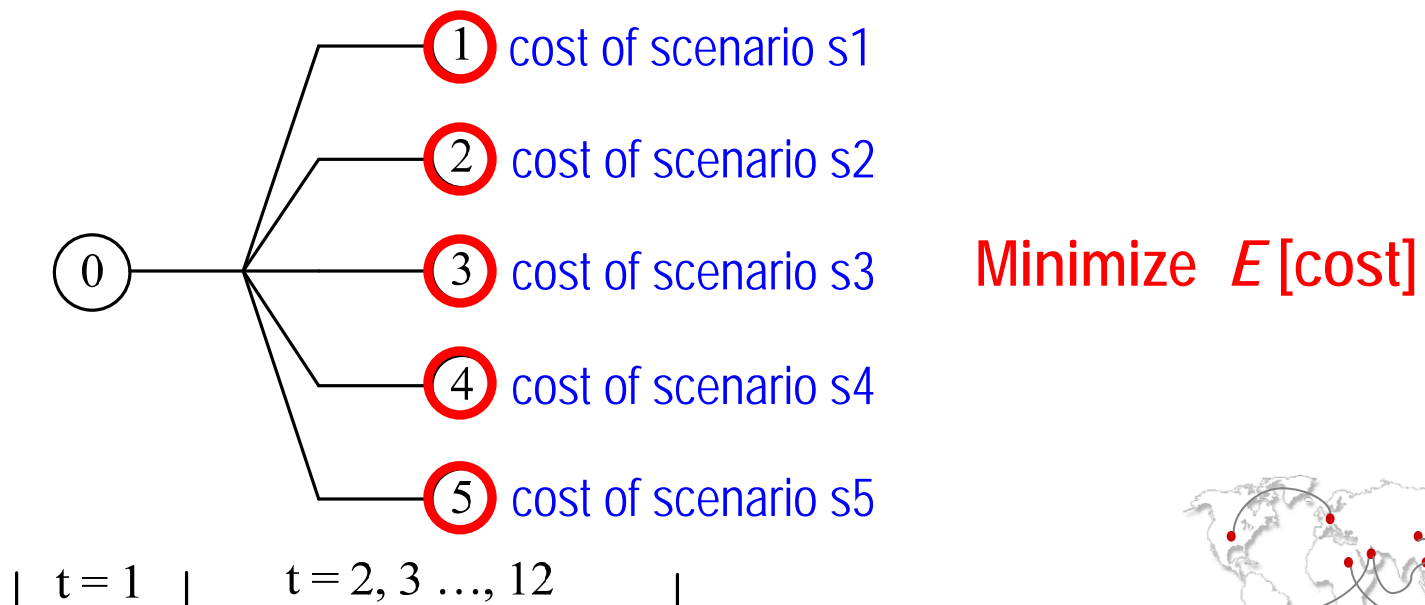
# Stochastic Programming

- Scenario Planning
  - ♦ A scenario is a **future possible outcome** of the uncertainty
  - ♦ Find a solution perform well for all the scenarios
- Two-stage Decisions
  - ♦ Here-and-now: Decisions ( $x$ ) are taken **before** uncertainty  $\omega$  reveals
  - ♦ Wait-and-see: Decisions ( $y_\omega$ ) are taken **after** uncertainty  $\omega$  reveals as "corrective action" - **recourse**

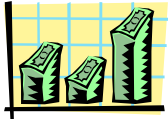


# Stochastic Programming for Case Study

- First stage decisions
  - ◆ Here-and-now: decisions for the **first** month (production, inventory, shipping)
- Second stage decisions
  - ◆ Wait-and-see: decisions for the **remaining** 11 months



# Objective Function



$$E[Cost] = Cost1 + \sum_s P_s \cdot Cost2_s$$



First stage cost

Probability of each scenario

Second stage cost

$Cost1 =$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_k \sum_j \sum_t h_{k,j} I_{k,j,t} \\ & + \sum_k \sum_{k'} \sum_j \sum_t \gamma_{k,k',j} F_{k,k',j,t} \\ & + \sum_k \sum_l \sum_j \sum_t \gamma_{k,l,j} S_{k,l,j,t} \\ & + \sum_k \sum_{k'} \sum_j \sum_t \delta_{k,j} F_{k,k',j,t} \\ & + \sum_k \sum_l \sum_j \sum_t \delta_{k,j} S_{k,l,j,t} \end{aligned}$$

Inventory Costs

Freight Costs

Throughput Costs

Demand Unsatisfied

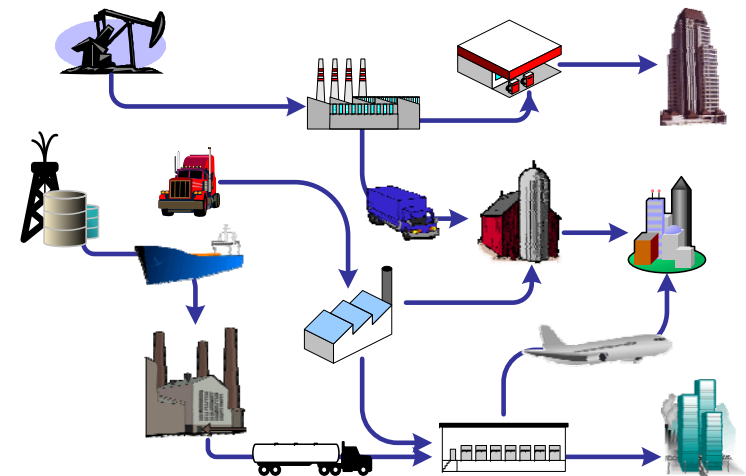
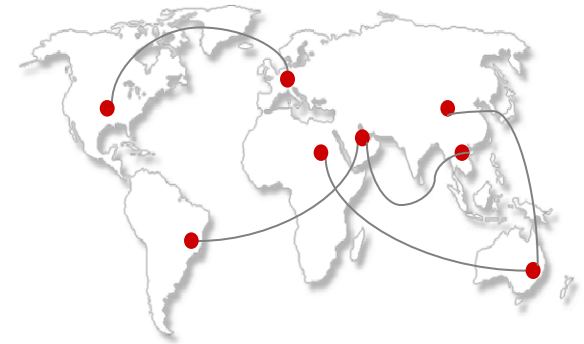
$Cost2_s =$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_k \sum_j \sum_t h_{k,j} I_{k,j,t,s} \\ & + \sum_k \sum_{k'} \sum_j \sum_t \gamma_{k,k',j,s} F_{k,k',j,t,s} \\ & + \sum_k \sum_l \sum_j \sum_t \gamma_{k,l,j,s} S_{k,l,j,t,s} \\ & + \sum_k \sum_{k'} \sum_j \sum_t \delta_{k,j} F_{k,k',j,t,s} \\ & + \sum_k \sum_l \sum_j \sum_t \delta_{k,j} S_{k,l,j,t,s} \\ & + \sum_l \sum_j \sum_t \eta_{l,j} S F_{l,j,t,s} \end{aligned}$$

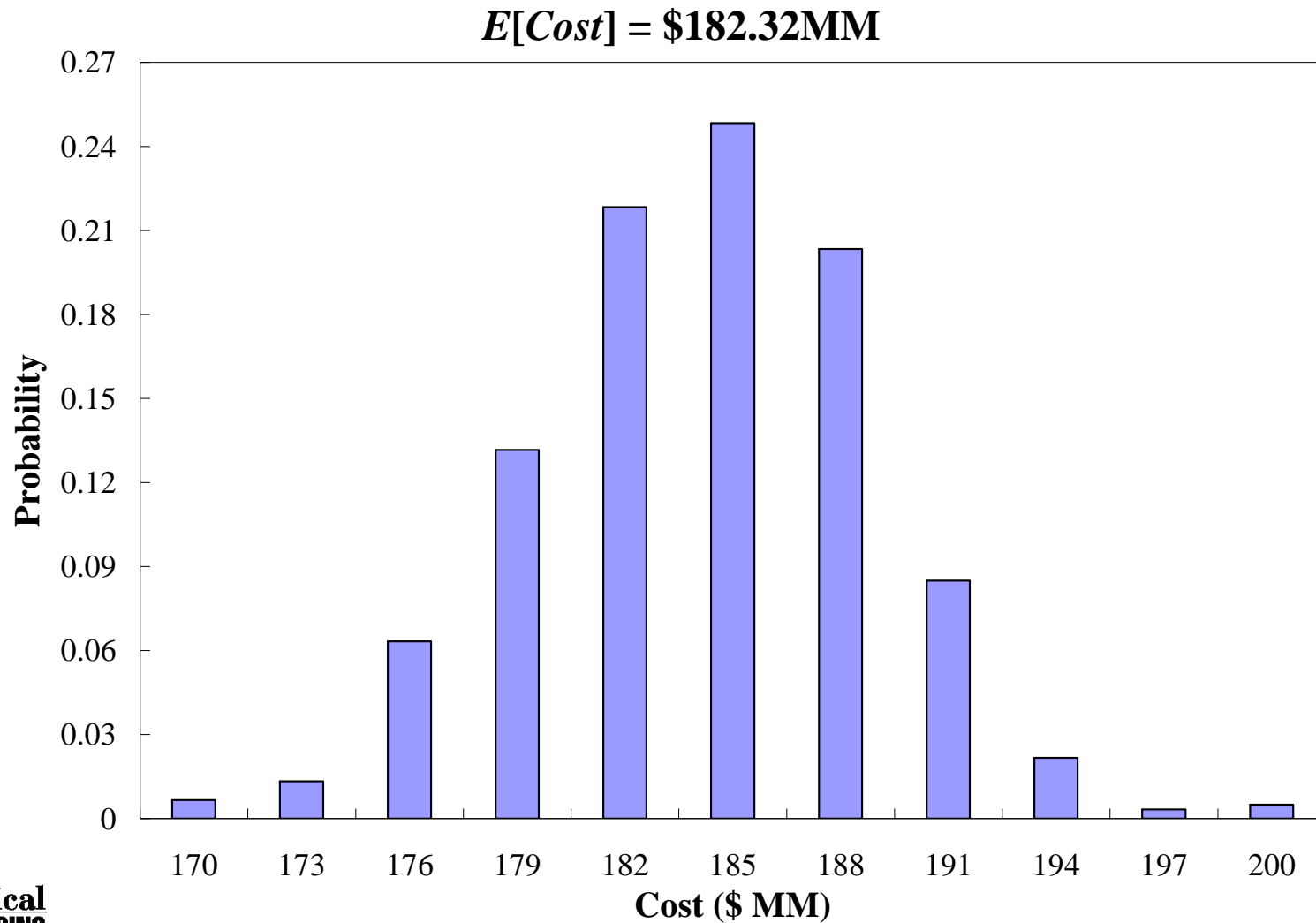


## Multiperiod Planning Model (Case Study)

- Objective Function:
  - ♦ Min: **Total Expected Cost**
- Constraints:
  - ♦ Mass balance for **plants**
  - ♦ Mass balance for **DCs**
  - ♦ Mass balance for **customers**
  - ♦ Minimum **inventory** level constraint
  - ♦ **Capacity** constraints for plants



## Result of Two-stage SP Model





## Problem Sizes

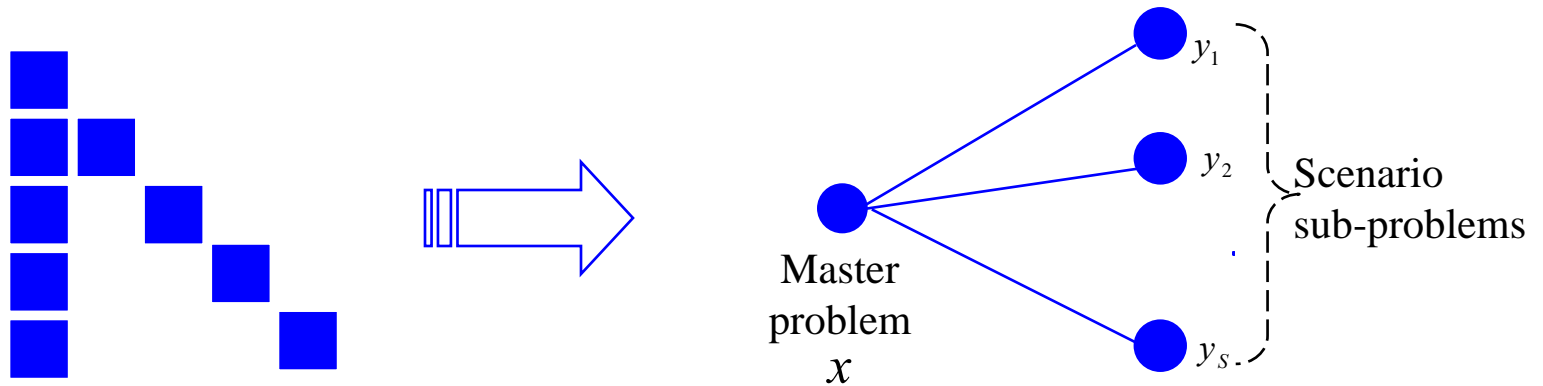
Small Problem	Deterministic Model	Two-stage Stochastic Programming Model		
		10 scenarios	100 scenarios	1,000 scenarios
# of Constraints	1,369	13,080	130,170	1,301,070
# of Variables	3,937	37,248	370,338	3,701,240
# of Non-zeros	8,910	85,451	850,271	8,498,429

Full Problem	Deterministic Model	Two-stage Stochastic Programming Model		
		10 scenarios	100 scenarios	1,000 scenarios
# of Constraints	6,373	61,284	610,374	6,101,280
# of Variables	19,225	182,496	1,815,816	18,149,077
# of Non-zeros	41,899	402,267	4,004,697	40,028,872

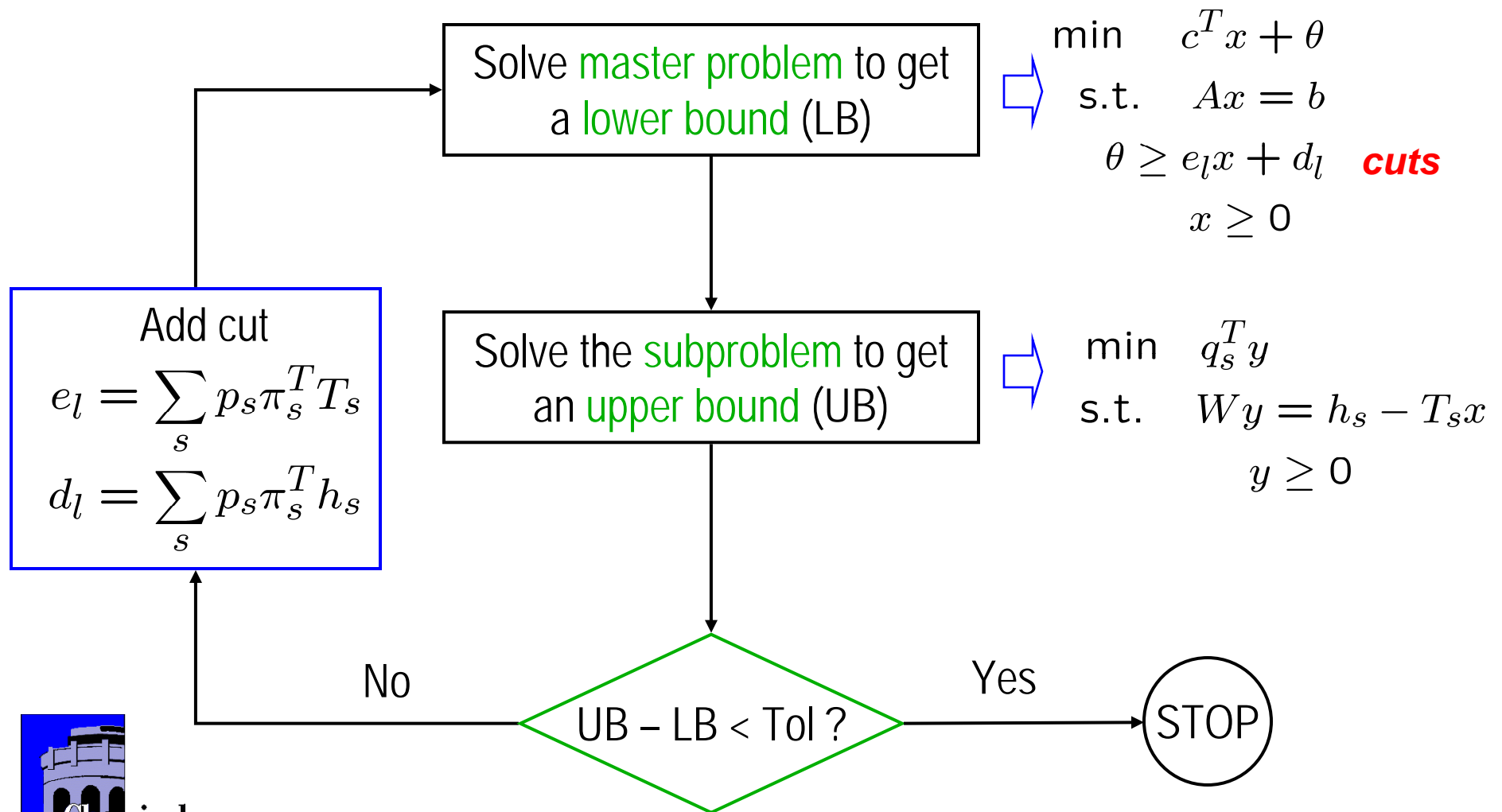


## Two-stage SP Model

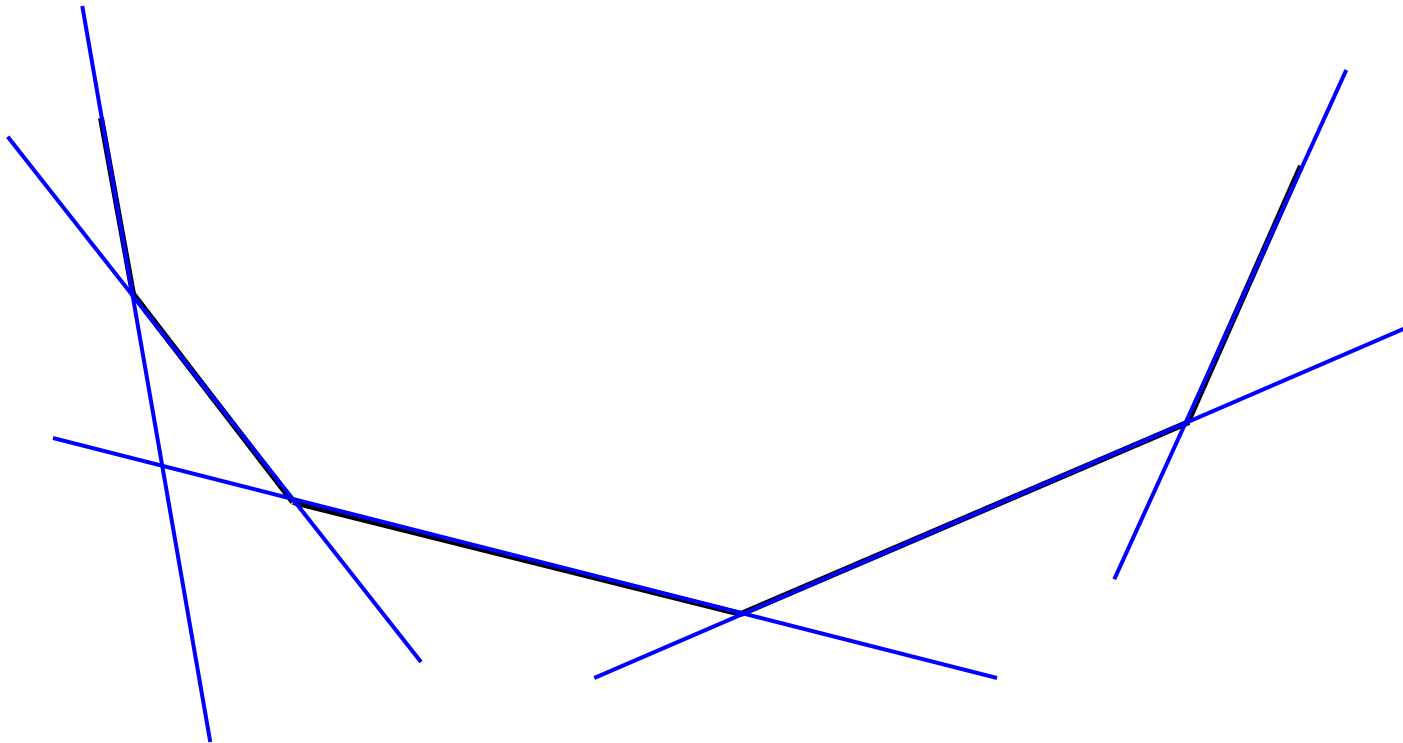
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Min} \quad & c^T x + p_1 q_1^T y_1 + p_2 q_2^T y_2 \cdot \cdot \cdot + p_s q_s^T y_s \\
 \text{s.t.} \quad & Ax = b \rightarrow \text{Master problem} \\
 & T_1 x + W_1 y_1 = h_1 \\
 & T_2 x + W_2 y_2 = h_2 \\
 & \vdots + \cdot = \vdots \\
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 & \vdots + \cdot = \vdots \\
 & T_s x + W_s y_s = h_s \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \text{Scenario sub-problems} \\
 & x \geq 0, y_1 \geq 0, y_2 \geq 0, \cdot \cdot \cdot y_s \geq 0
 \end{aligned}$$



# Standard L-shaped Method

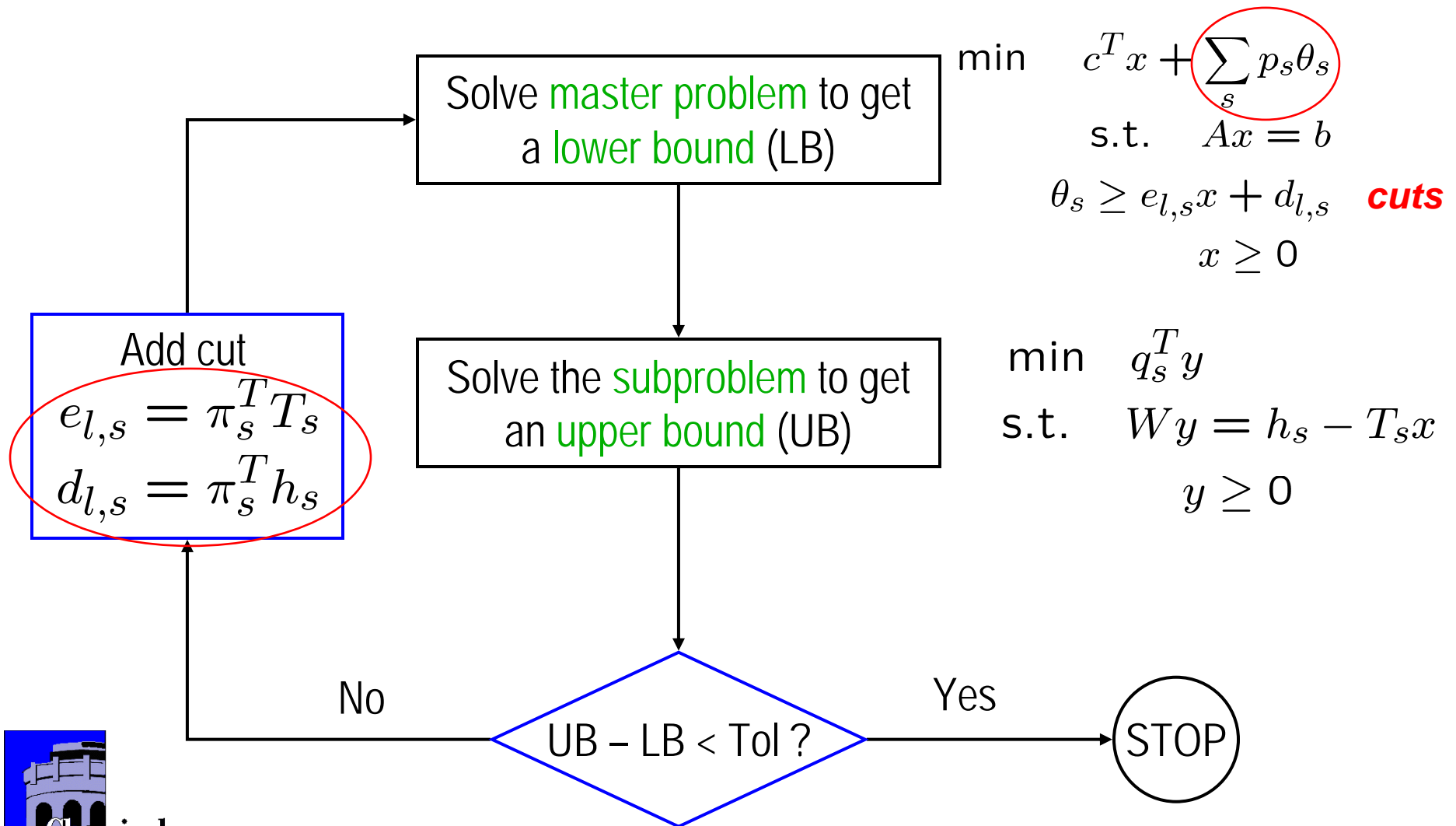


## Expected Recourse Function

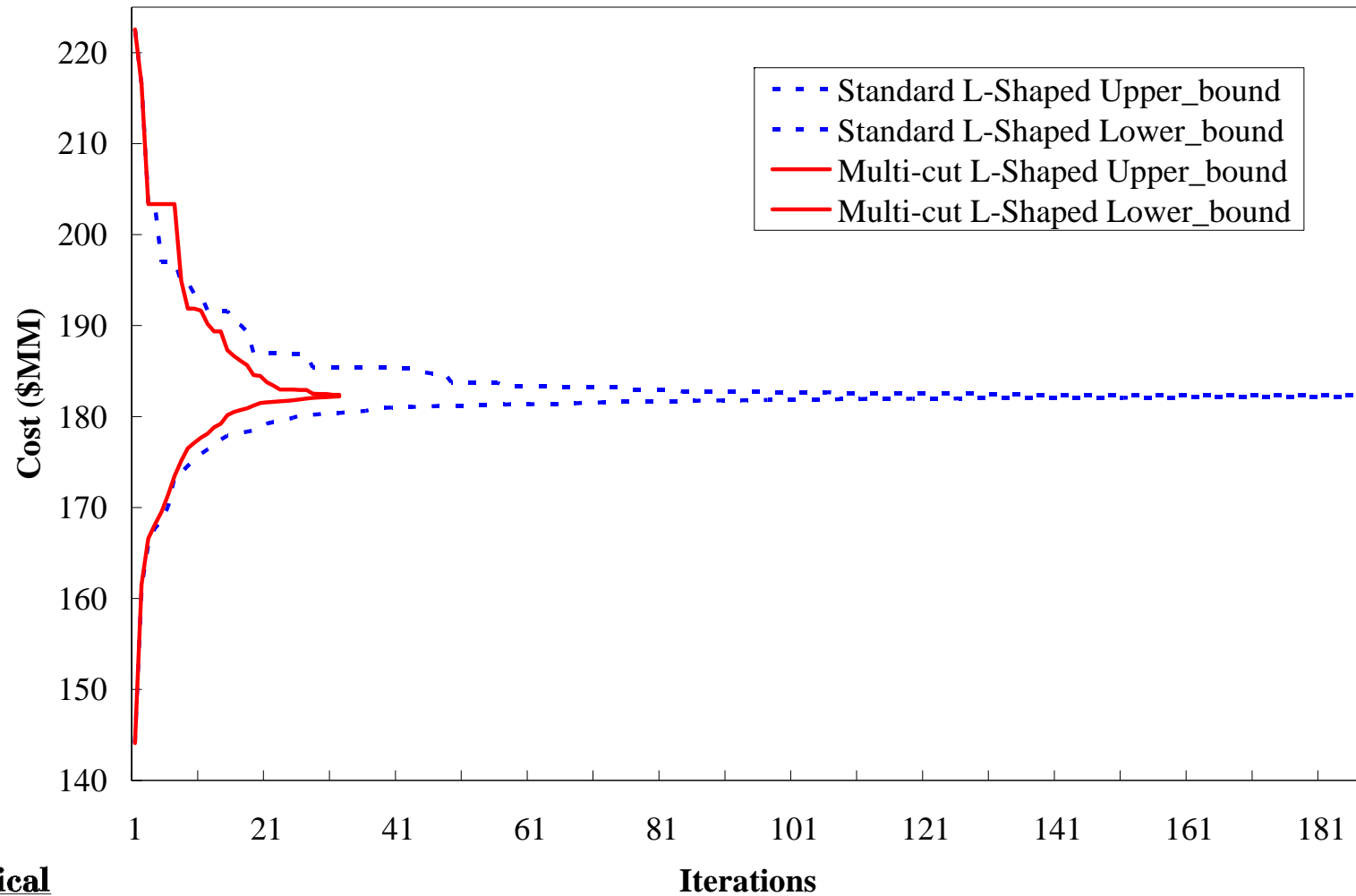


- ◆ The expected recourse function  $Q(x)$  is convex and piecewise linear
- ◆ Each optimality cut supports  $Q(x)$  from below

# Multi-cut L-shaped Method



## Example



# Optimal Design of Responsive Process Supply Chains *You, Grossmann (2008)*



# Problem Statement



Suppliers



Plants

Where?  
What?  
When?



DCs



Customers

Production Network



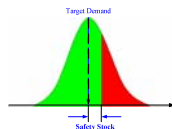
Costs and prices



Production and transportation time

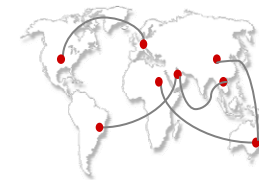


Demand information



Max: Net present value

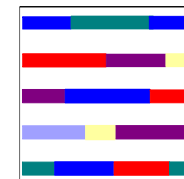
Max: Responsiveness



Network Structure



Operational Plan



Production Schedule



# Production Network of Polystyrene Resins

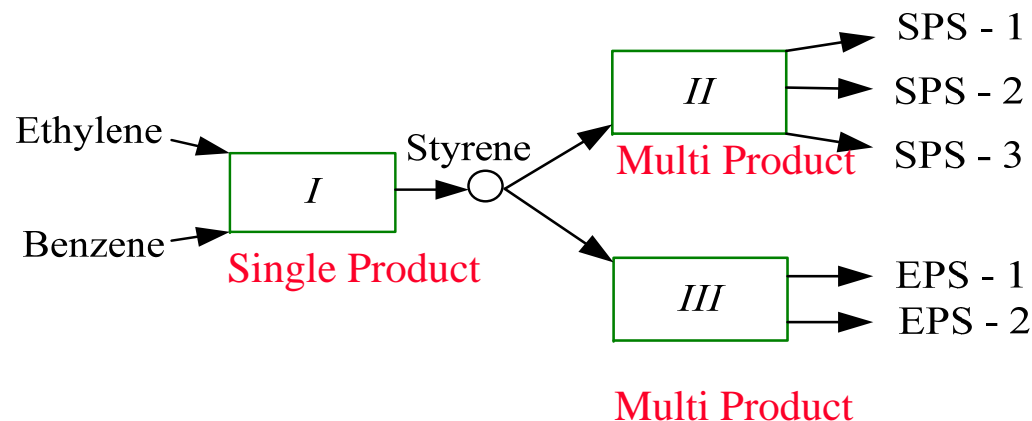
## Three types of plants:

Plant I: *Ethylene + Benzene*  $\longrightarrow$  *Styrene* (1 products)

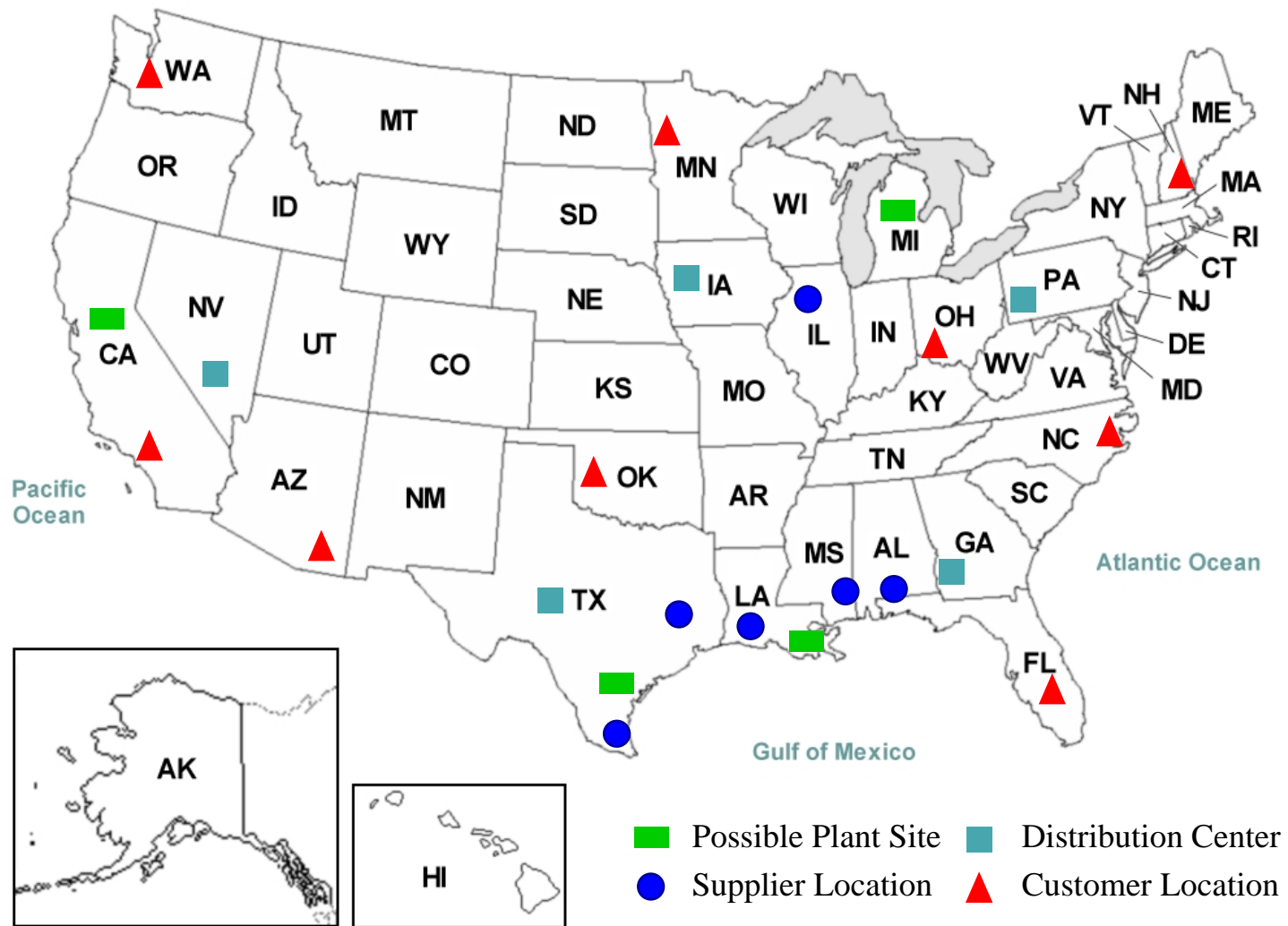
Plant II: *Styrene*  $\longrightarrow$  *Solid Polystyrene (SPS)* (3 products)

Plant III: *Styrene*  $\longrightarrow$  *Expandable Polystyrene (EPS)* (2 products)

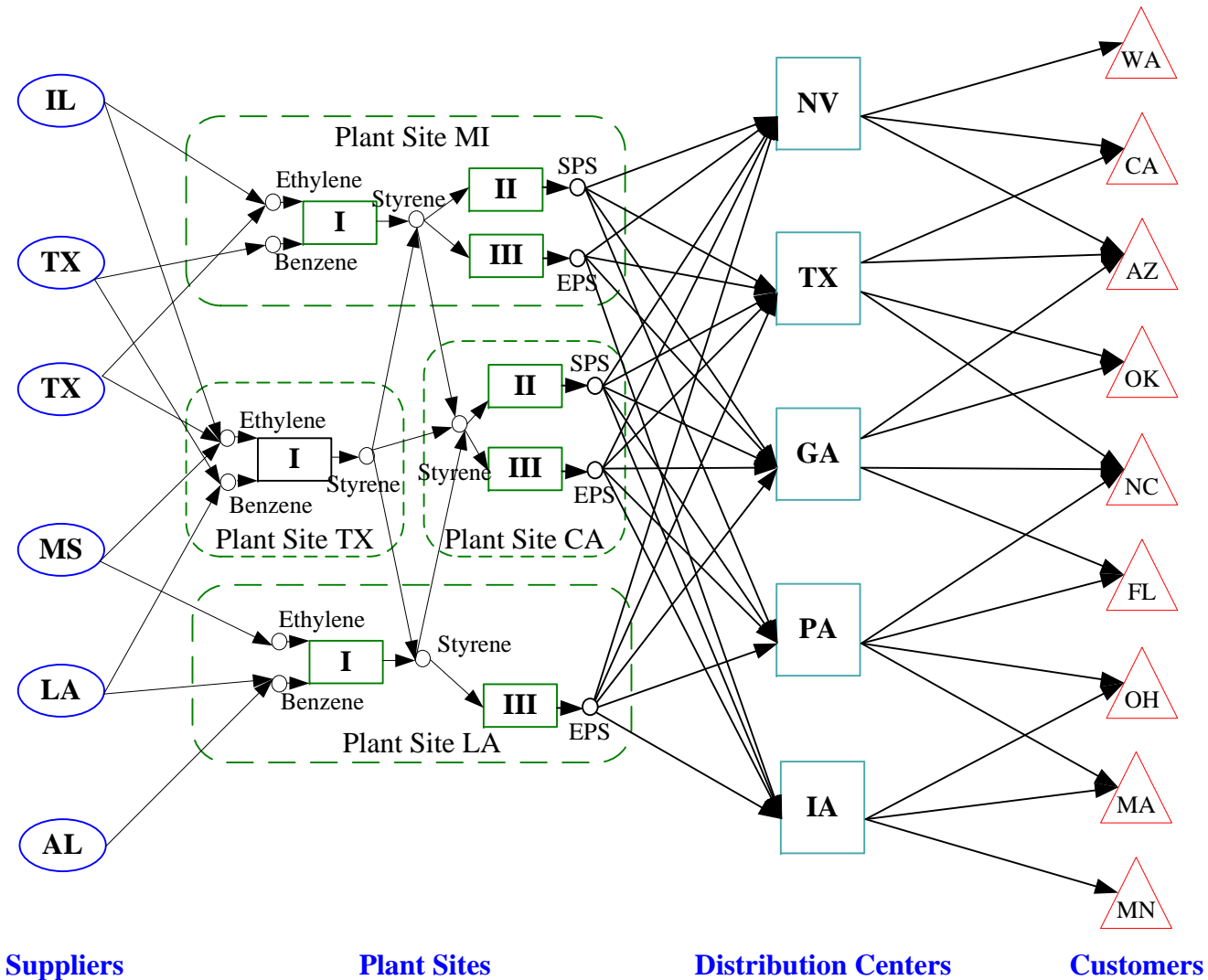
## Basic Production Network



# Location Map

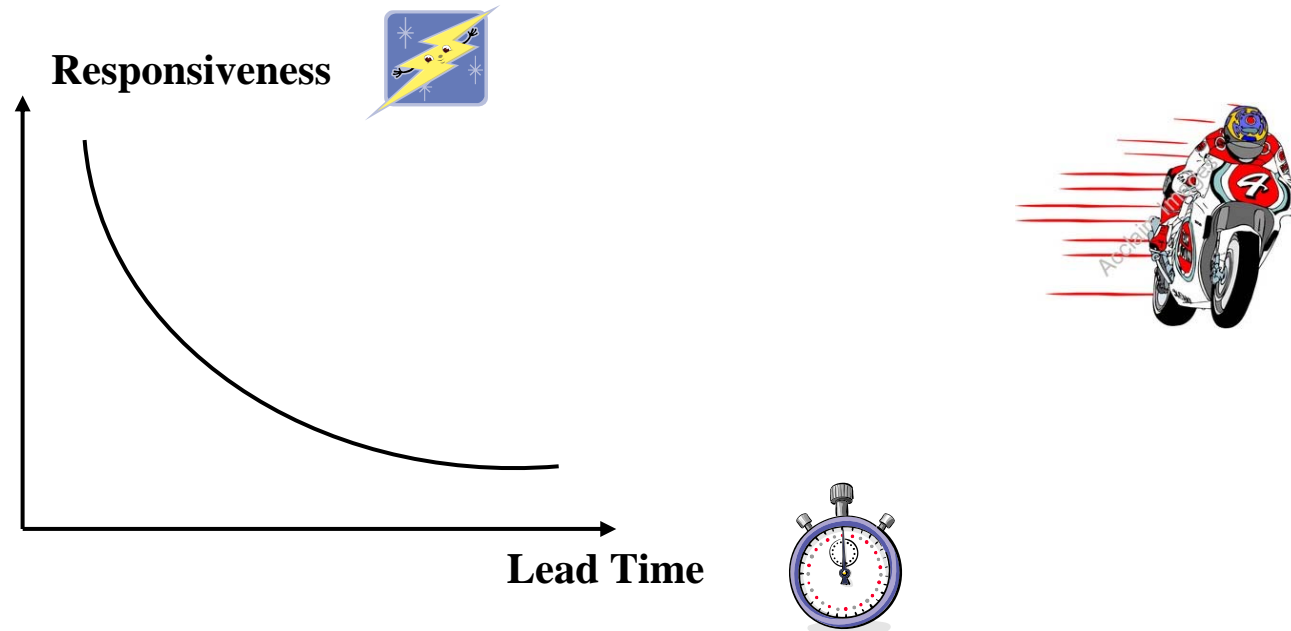


# Potential Network Superstructure



# Responsiveness - Lead Time

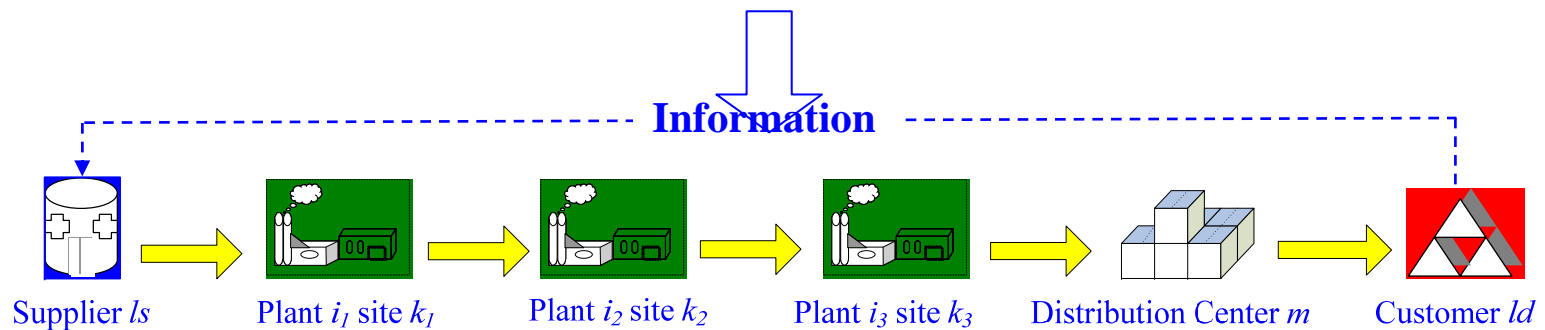
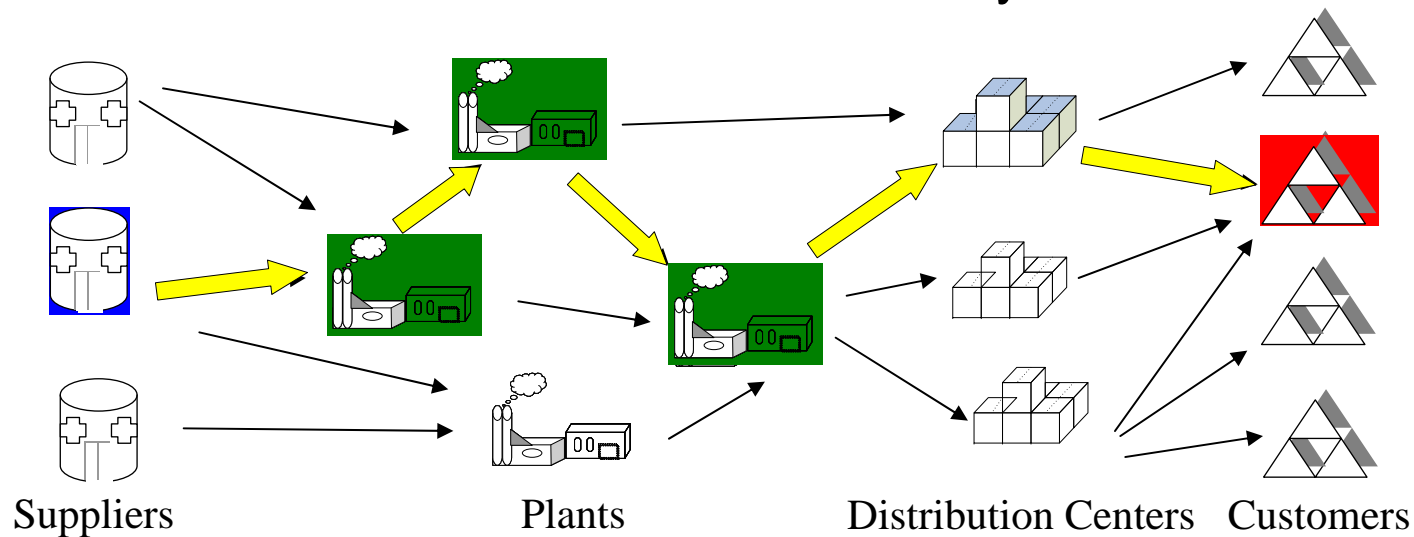
- ♦ **Lead Time**: The **time** of a supply chain network to respond to customer demands and preferences in the **worst case**



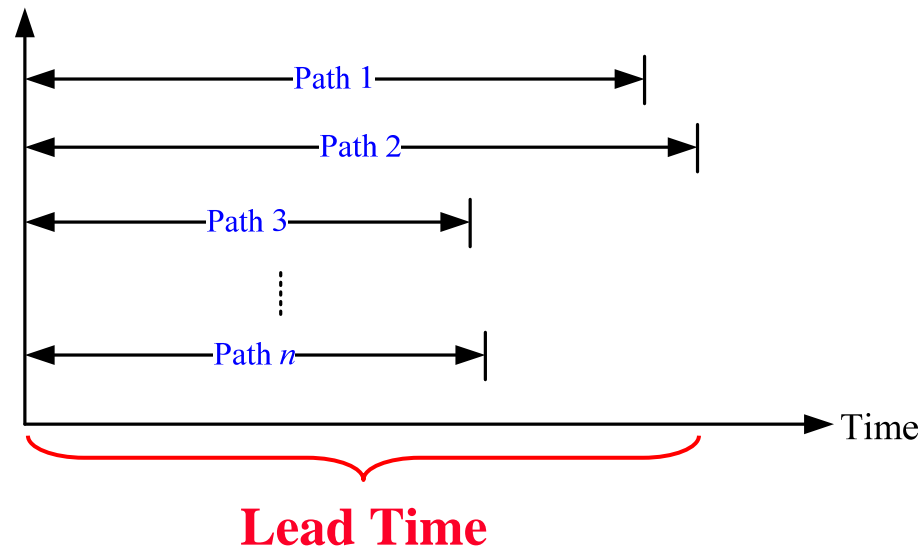
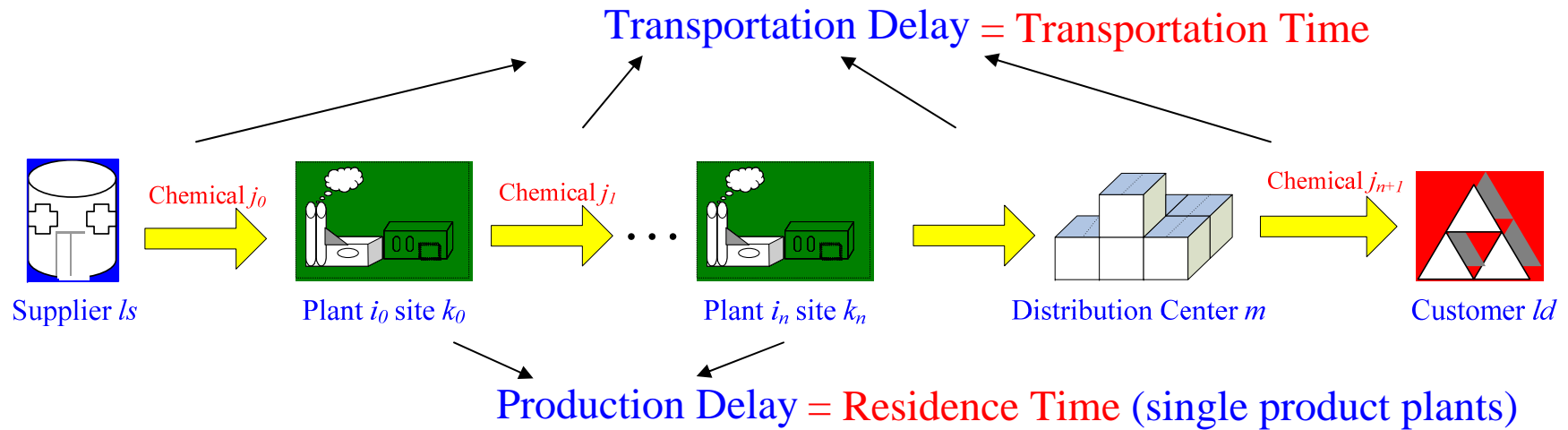
**Lead Time is a measure of responsiveness in SCs**

# Lead Time for A Linear Supply Chain

- A supply chain network =  $\sum$  Linear supply chains
  - ◆ Assume information transfer instantaneously

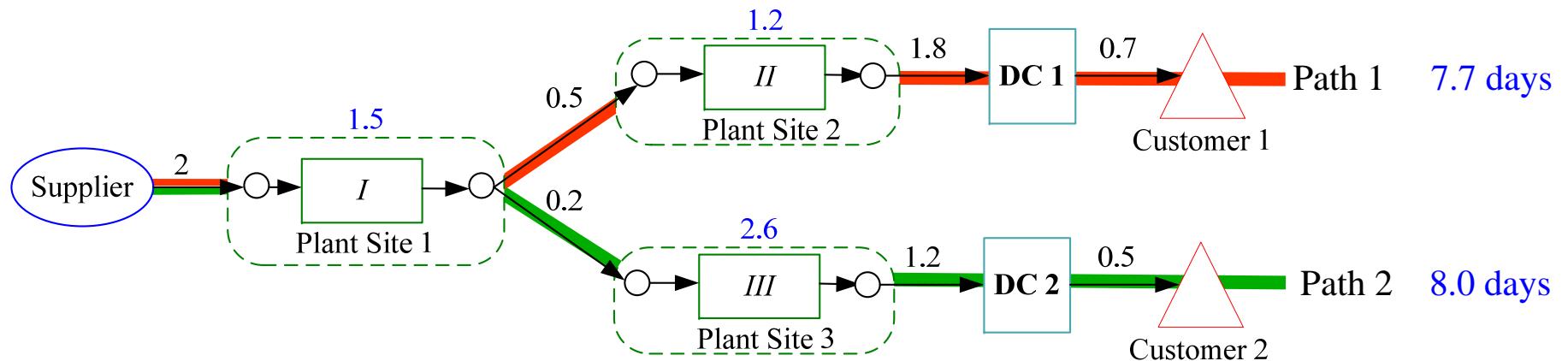


# Lead Time for Deterministic Demand



# Lead Time of SCN

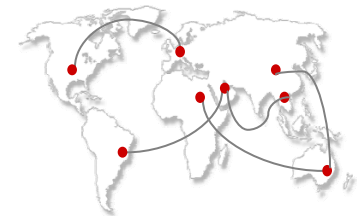
- Lead time of a supply chain network (**deterministic demand**)
  - The **longest** lead time for all the paths in the network (**worst case**)
  - Example: A simple SC with all process are **dedicated**



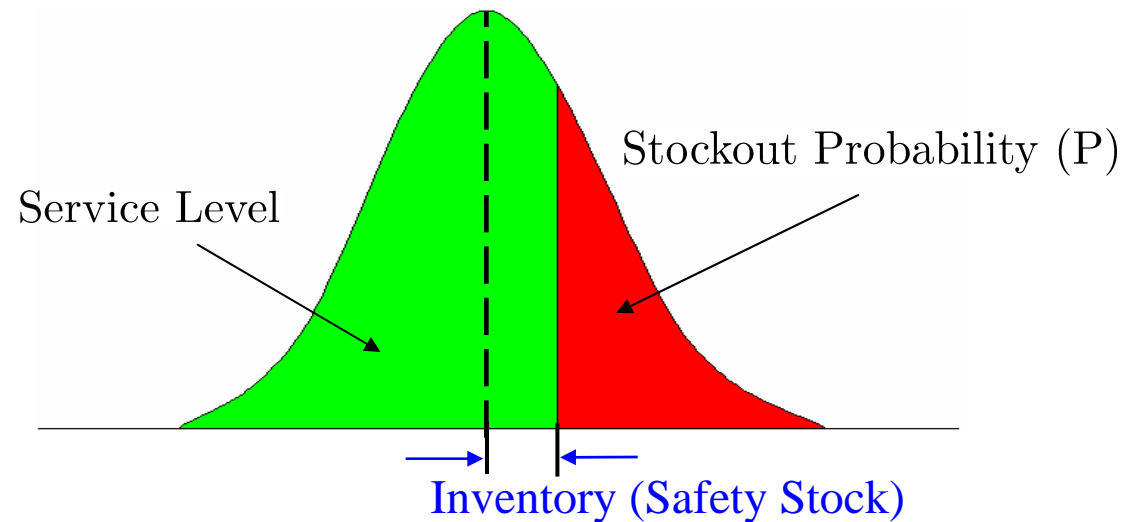
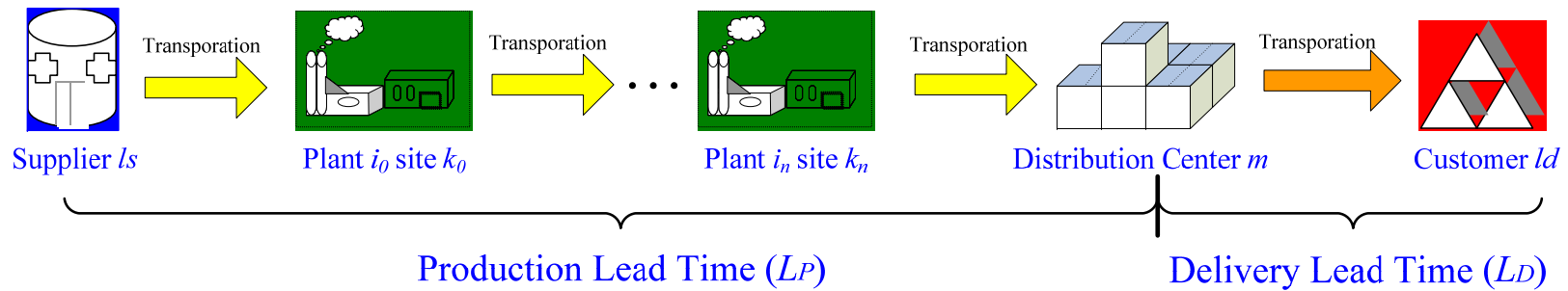
**For Path 1:**  $2 + 1.5 + 0.5 + 1.2 + 1.8 + 0.7 = 7.7$  days

**For Path 2:**  $2 + 1.5 + 0.2 + 2.6 + 1.2 + 0.5 = 8.0$  days

**Lead Time** =  $\max \{7.7, 8.0\} = 8.0$  days



# Lead Time under Demand Uncertainty

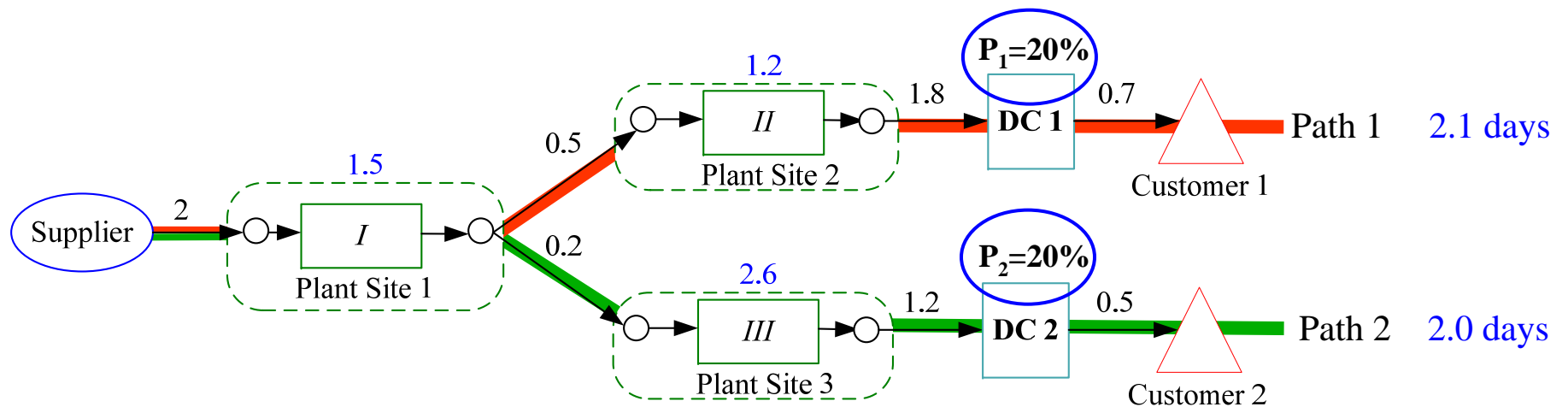


$$\text{Expected Lead Time} = L_D + P(\text{Stockout}) \cdot L_P$$



# Expected Lead Time of SCN

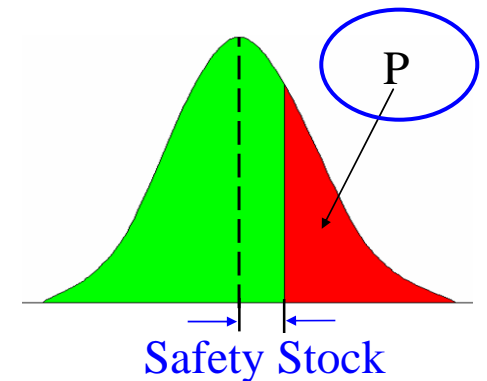
- Expected Lead time of a supply chain network (**uncertain demand**)
  - The **longest** expected lead time for all the paths in the network (**worst case**)
  - Example: A simple SC with all process are **dedicated**



**For Path 1:**  $(2 + 1.5 + 0.5 + 1.2 + 1.8) \times 20\% + 0.7 = 2.1$  days

**For Path 2:**  $(2 + 1.5 + 0.2 + 2.6 + 1.2) \times 20\% + 0.5 = 2.0$  days

**Expected Lead Time** =  $\max \{2.1, 2.0\} = 2.1$  days



# Stock-out Probability (P)



- Chance constraint for stockout probability
  - ◆ Integrate lead time, inventory management, demand uncertainty

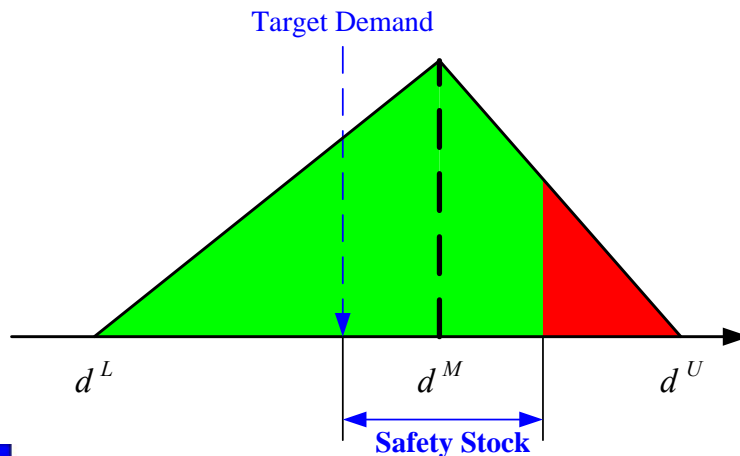
$$Prob_{j,ld,t} = \Pr(QS_{j,ld,t} \leq d_{j,ld,t})$$

Chance constraint

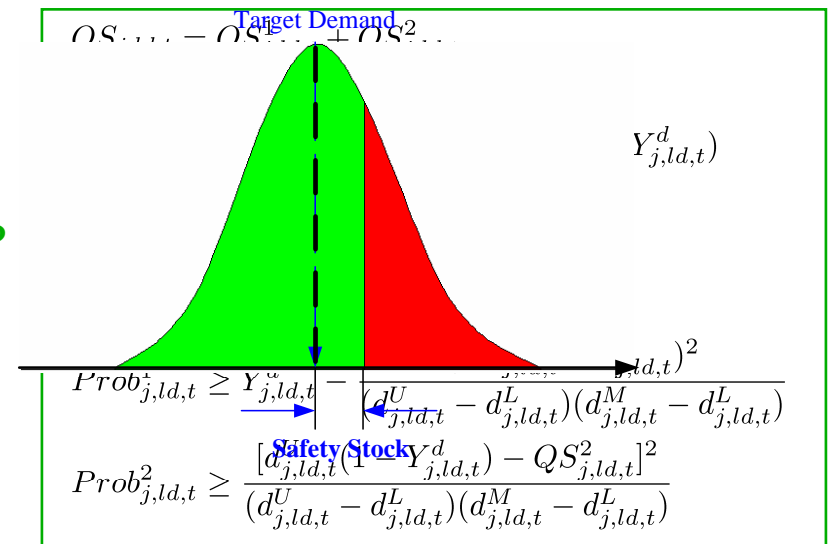


$$\left[ \begin{array}{c} d^L \leq QS \leq d^M \\ Prob = 1 - \frac{(QS - d^L)^2}{(d^U - d^L)(d^M - d^L)} \end{array} \right] \vee \left[ \begin{array}{c} d^M \leq QS \leq d^U \\ Prob = \frac{(d^U - QS)^2}{(d^U - d^L)(d^U - d^M)} \end{array} \right]$$

## Generalized Disjunctive Programming



MINLP



# Objective Functions

## • Responsiveness

- ♦ Measured by **expected lead time**



$$TP \geq Prob_{j,ld} Y_{k,ls}^I \lambda_{k,ls}^I + \sum_{x=1}^n Prob_{j,ld} Y_{k_x,i_x}^P + \sum_{x=1}^{n-1} Prob_{j,ld} Y_{k_x,i_{x+1}}^N \lambda_{k_x,i_x}^N + Prob_{j,ld} Y_{k_n,m}^O \lambda_{k_n,m}^O + Y_{m,ld}^S \lambda_{m,ld}^S$$

## • Economics

- ♦ Measured by **net present value (NPV)**



$$NPV = \sum_j \sum_{ld} \sum_t Sales_{j,ld,t} \cdot Price_{j,ld,t}$$

→ Sales income

$$- \sum_k \sum_j \sum_{ls} \sum_t Purch_{j,ls,t} \cdot RMCost_{k,j,ls,t}$$

→ Purchase cost

$$- \sum_k \sum_i \sum_s \sum_{j \in JP_{i,s}} \sum_t prod_{k,i,j,s,t} \cdot UCost_{i,ls,t} - \sum_k \sum_i \sum_t SchCost_{k,i,t}$$

→ Operating cost

$$- \sum_k \sum_j \sum_{ls} \sum_t tr_{k,j,ls,t} \cdot TCost_{k,j,ls,t} - \sum_j \sum_m \sum_{ld} \sum_t S_{j,m,ld,t} \cdot TCost_{j,m,ld,t}$$

→ Transport cost

$$- \sum_k \sum_i Y_{k,i} \cdot IPCost_{k,i} - \sum_m \sum_{ld} Y_{m,ld} \cdot IDCost_{m,ld} - \sum_k \sum_{k'} Y_{k,k'} \cdot ILCost_{m,ld}$$

→ Investment cost

$$- \sum_j \sum_m \sum_{ld} \sum_t S_{j,m,t} \cdot ICost_{j,m,ld,t} - \sum_k \sum_j \sum_t WI_{k,j,t} \cdot WICost_{k,j,t}$$

→ Inventory cost



# Bi-criterion Multiperiod MINLP Formulation

Choose Discrete (0-1), continuous variables

- Objective Function:

- Max: Net Present Value
  - Min: Expected Lead time
- } Bi-criterion

- Constraints:

- Network structure constraints



Suppliers – plant sites Relationship

Plant sites – Distribution Center

Input and output relationship of a plant

Distribution Center – Customers

Cost constraint

- Operation planning constraints



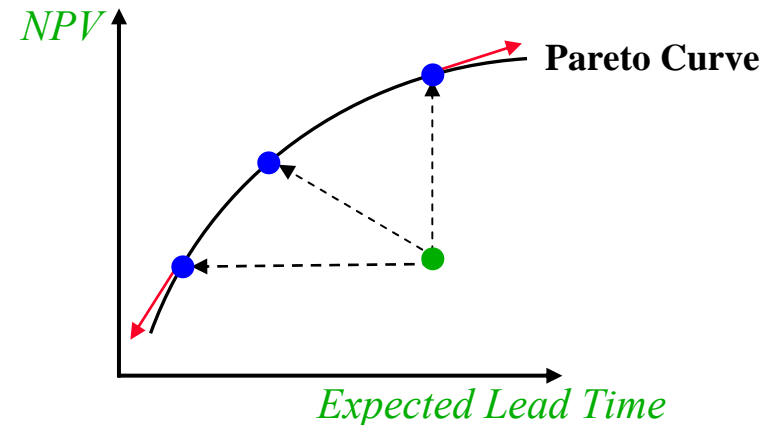
Production constraint

Capacity constraint

Mass balance constraint

Demand constraint

Upper bound constraint



- Cyclic scheduling constraints

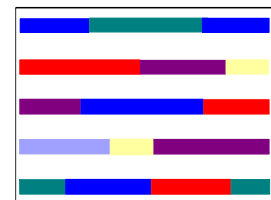
Assignment constraint

Sequence constraint

Demand constraint

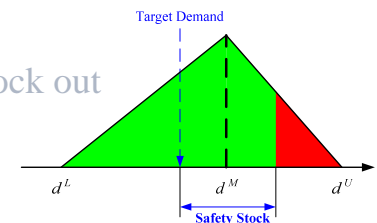
Production constraint

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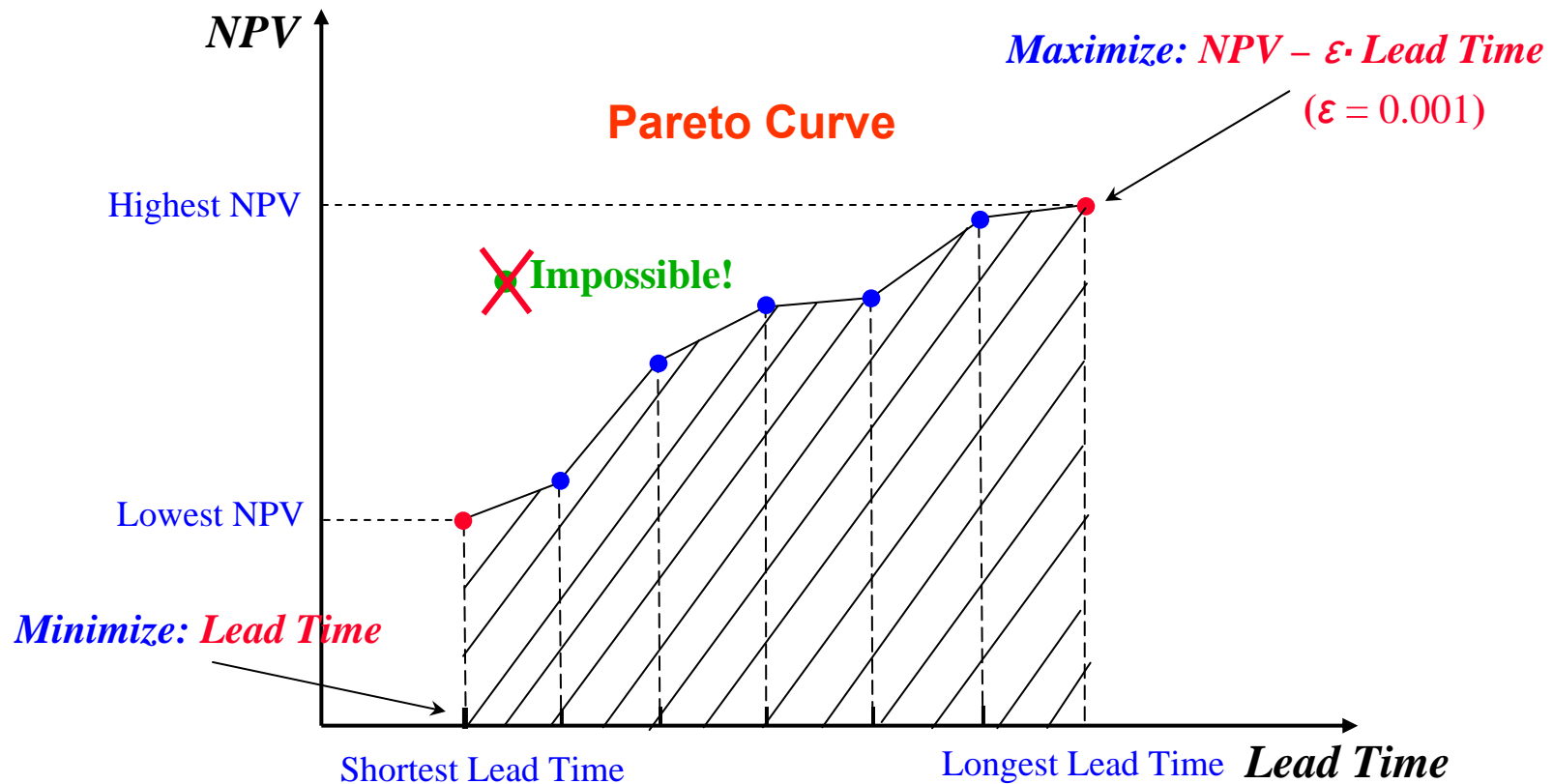


- Probabilistic constraints

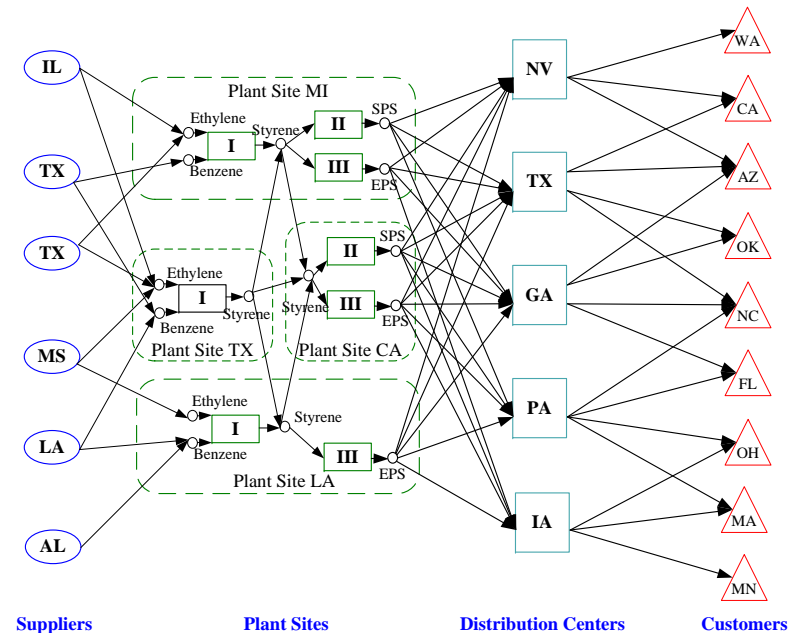
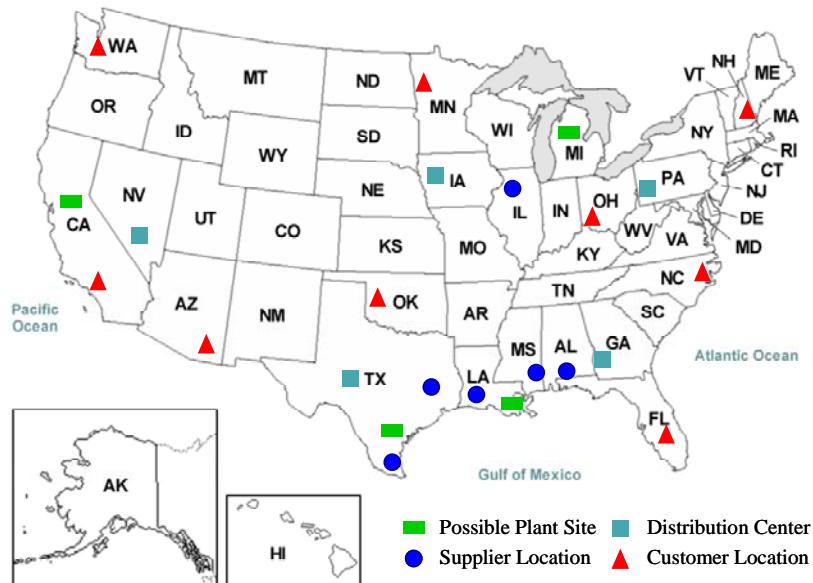
Chance constraint for stock out  
(reformulations)



# Procedure for Pareto Optimal Curve



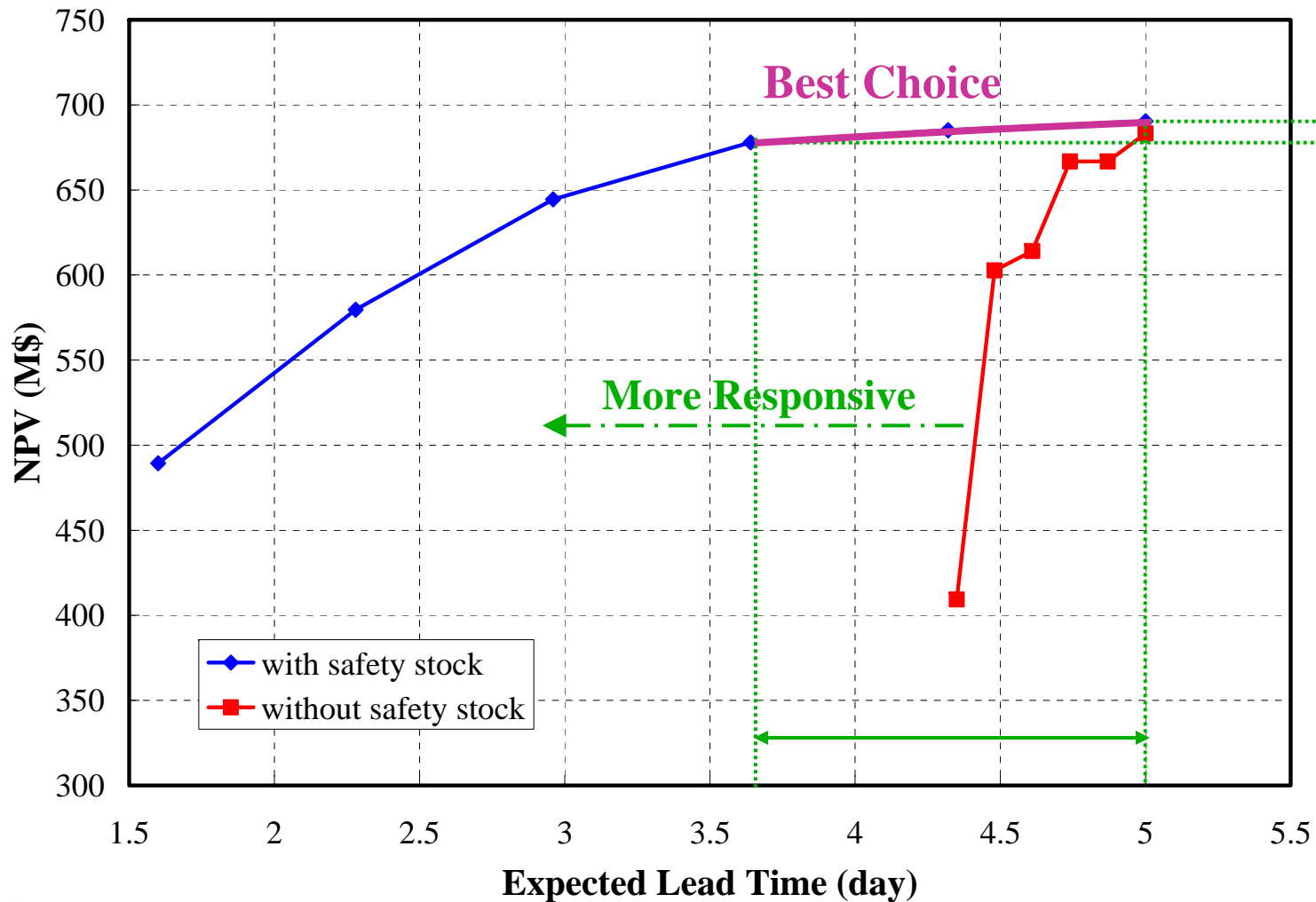
# Case Study



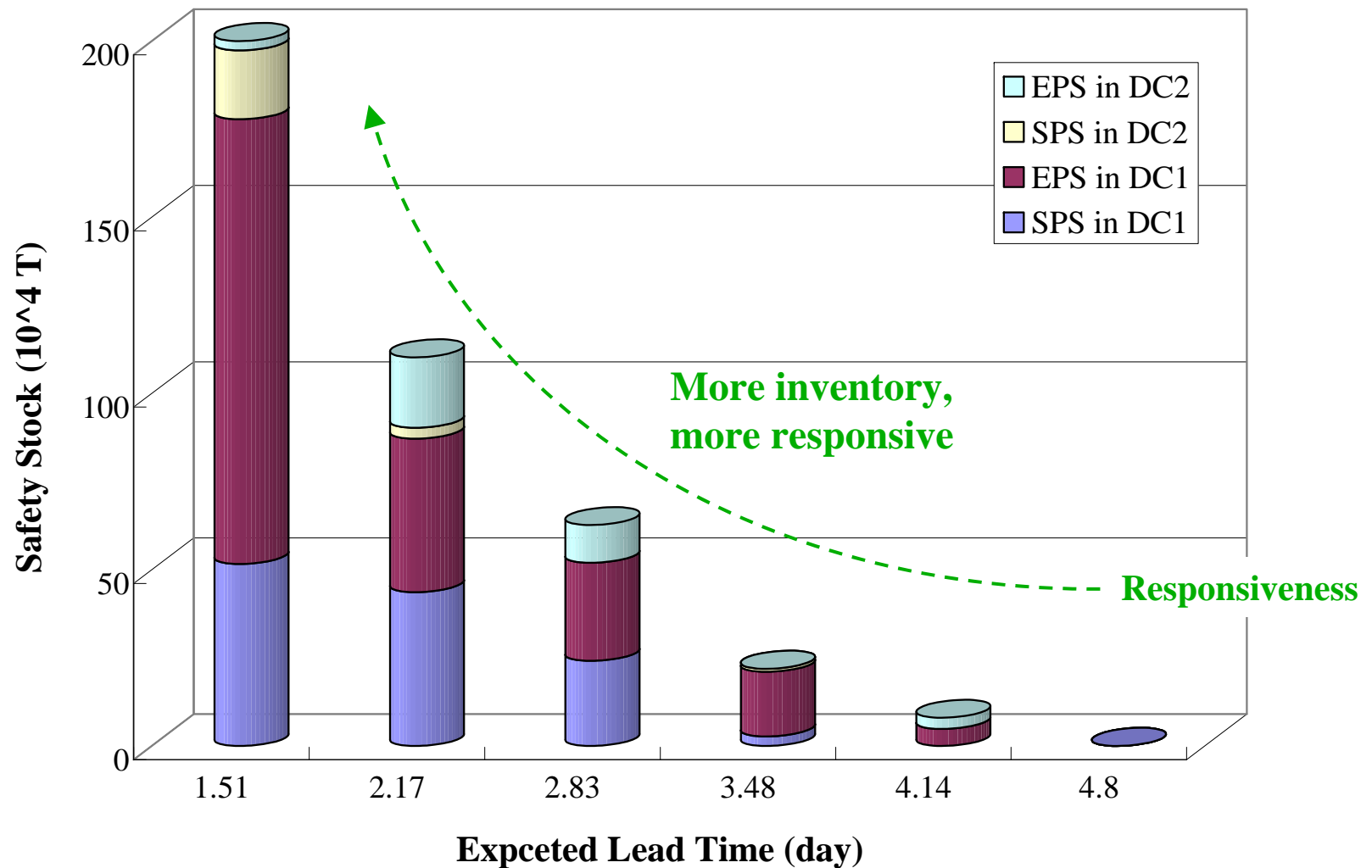
- Problem Size:
  - ◆ # of Discrete Variables: 215
  - ◆ # of Continuous Variables: 8126
  - ◆ # of Constraints: 14617

- Solution Time:
  - ◆ Solver: GAMS/BARON
  - ◆ Direct Solution: > 2 weeks
  - ◆ Proposed Algorithm: ~ 4 hours

# Pareto Curves – with and without safety stock

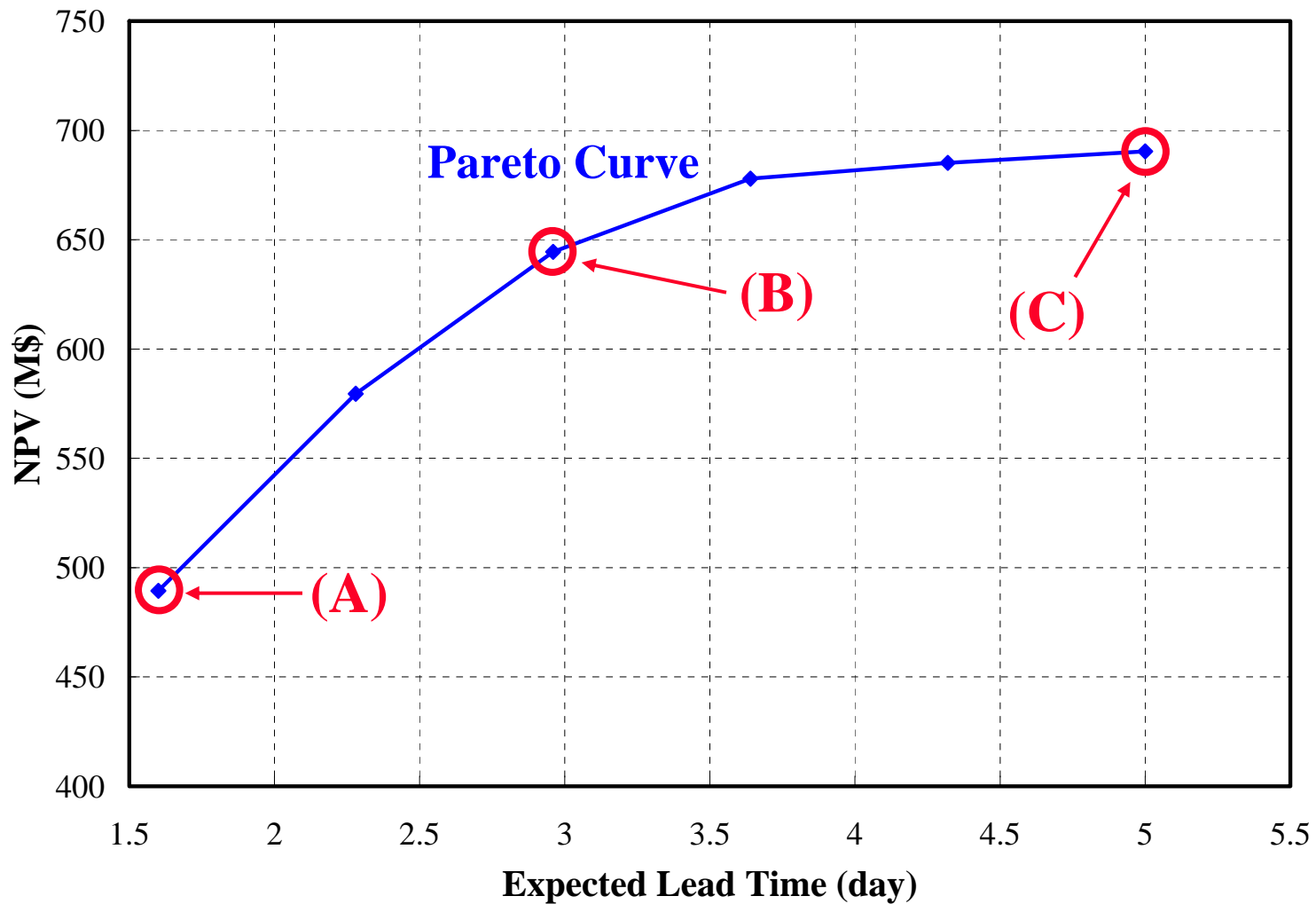


# Safety Stock Levels - Expected Lead Time



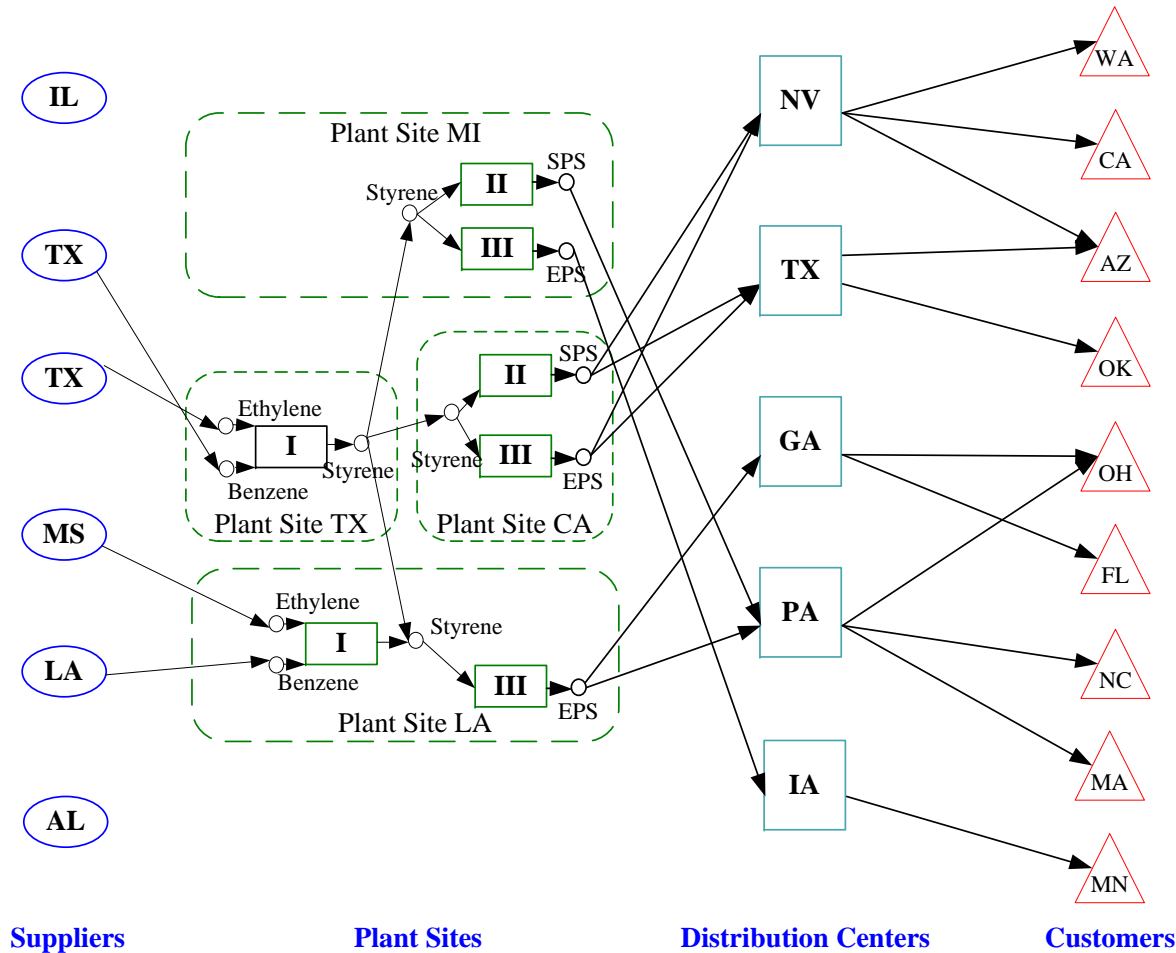


# Optimal Network Structure



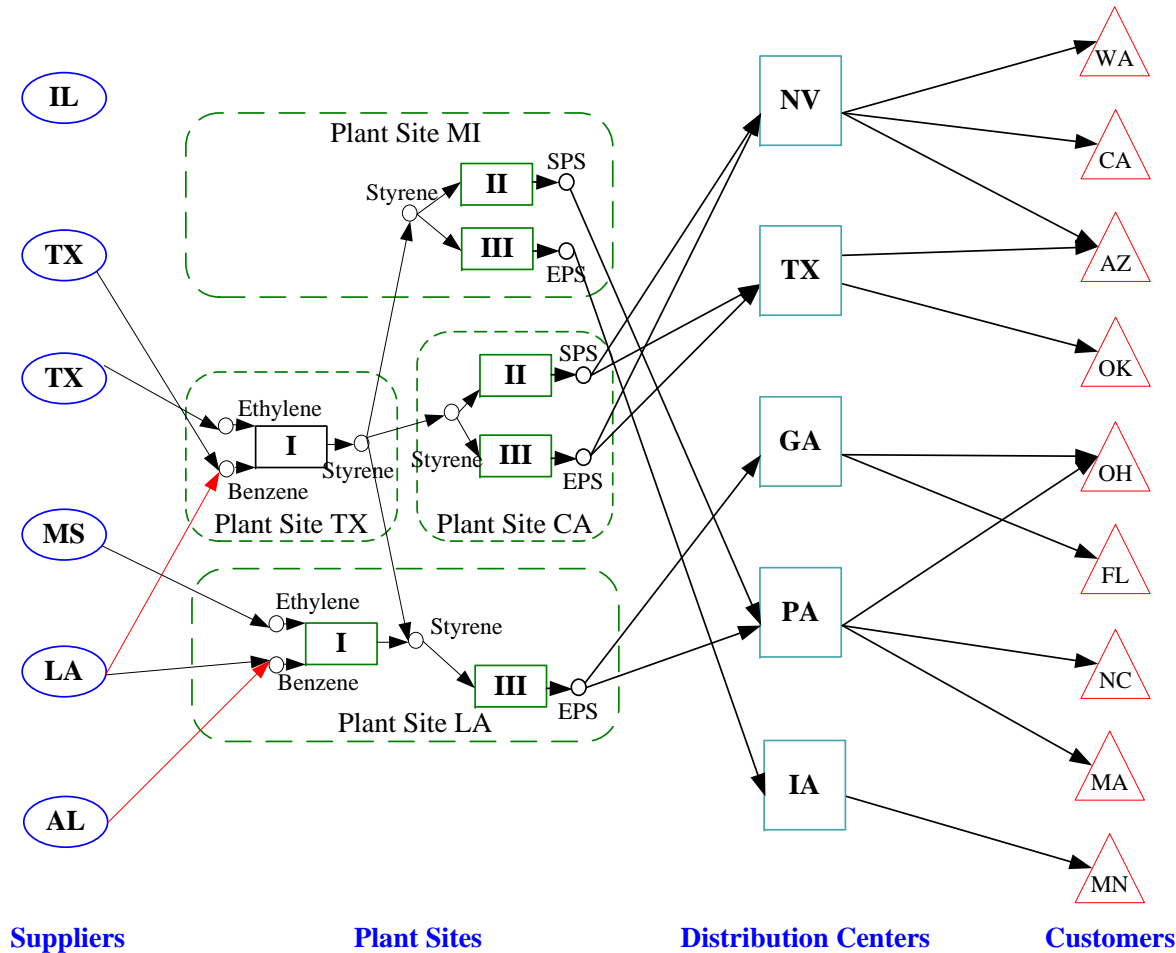
# Optimal Network Structure – (A)

Shortest Expected Lead Time = 1.5 day   NPV = \$489.39



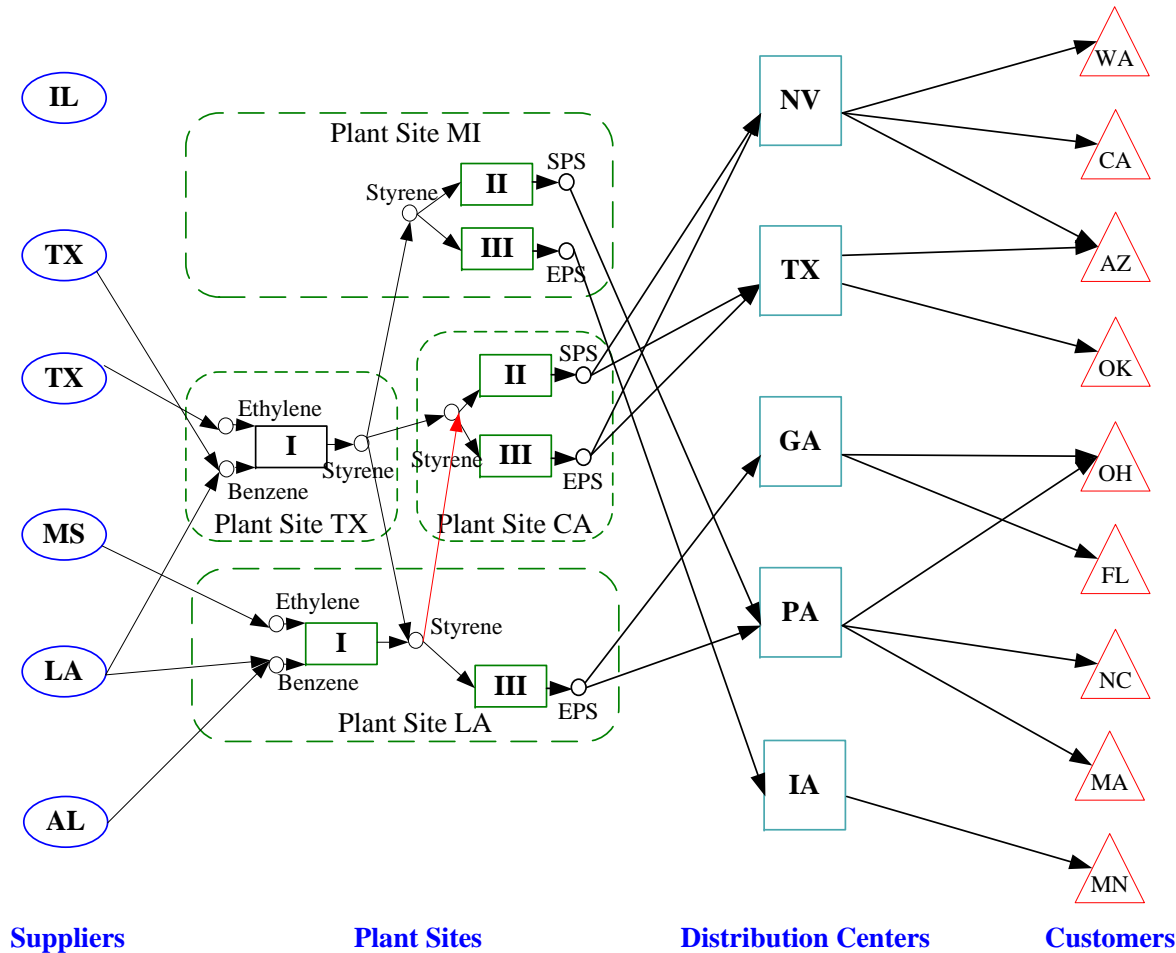
# Optimal Network Structure – (B)

Expected Lead Time = 2.96 days NPV = \$644.46 MM



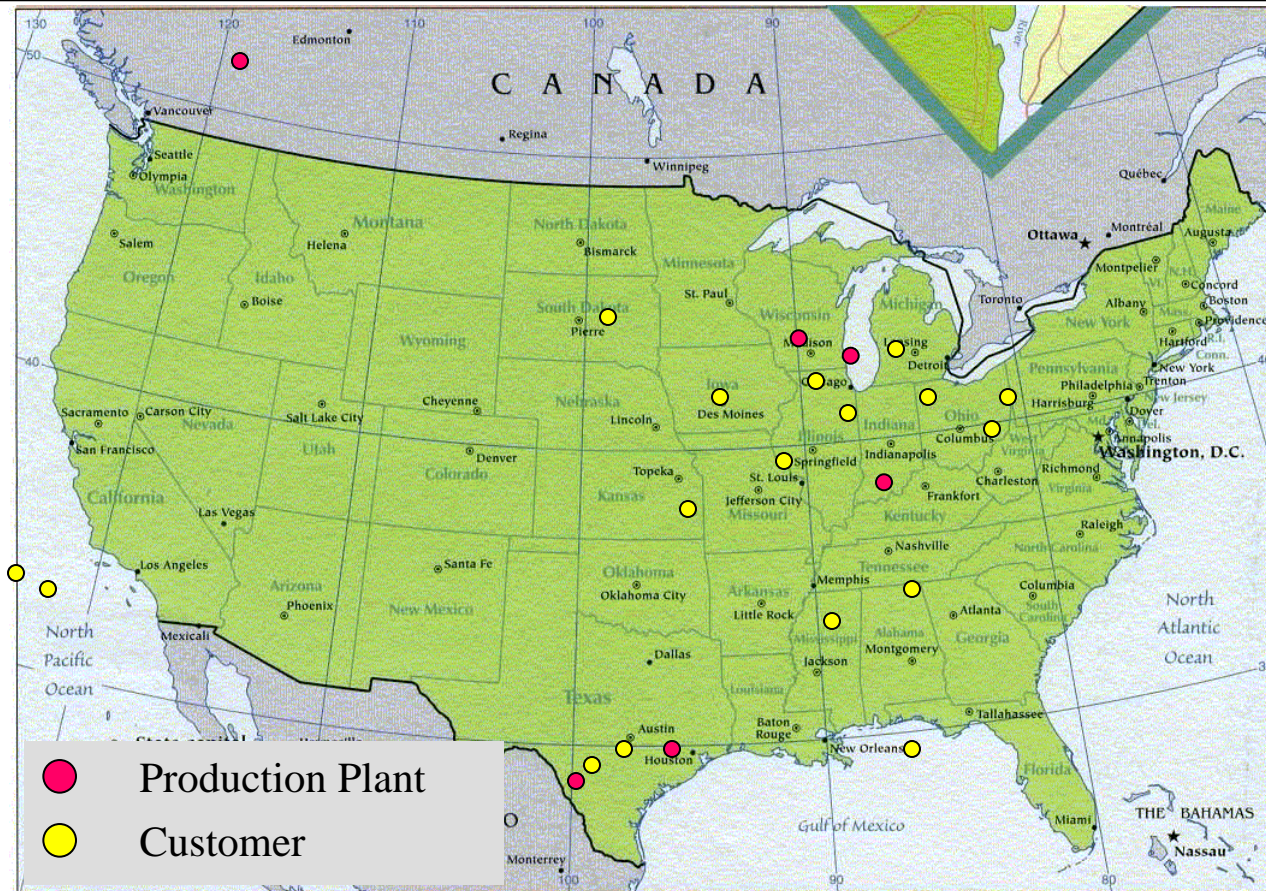
# Optimal Network Structure – (C)

Longest Expected Lead Time = 5.0 day NPV = \$690 MM



# Simultaneous Tactical Planning and Production Scheduling

Goal: Improve the asset utilization of geographically distributed assets and reduce cost to serve by improving enterprise wide tactical production planning.



Multi-scale optimization: temporal and spatial integration



# Production Planning for Parallel Batch Reactors

*Erdirik, Grossmann (2006)*

## Materials:

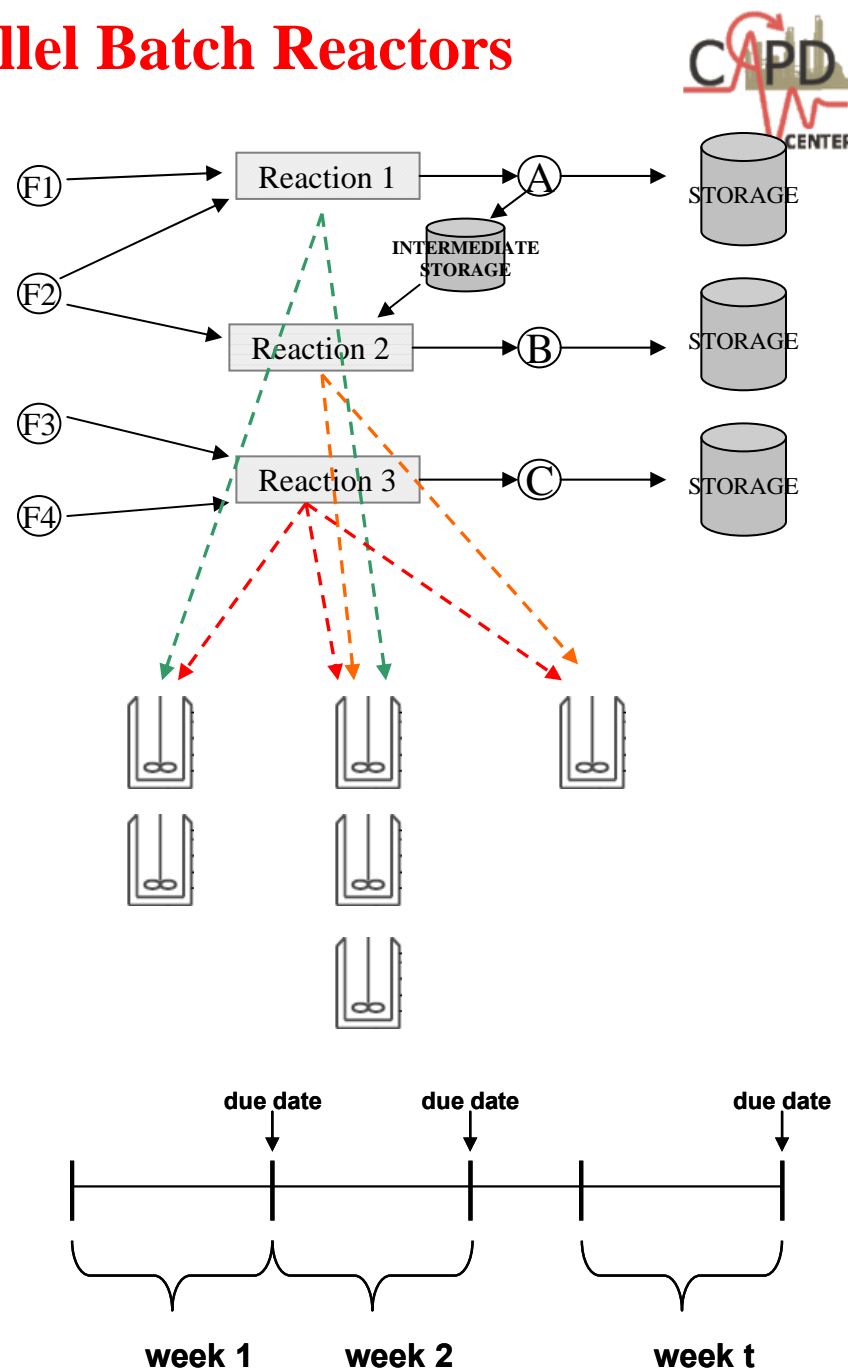
- Raw materials, Intermediates, Finished products
- Unit ratios (lbs of needed material per lb of material produced)

## Production Site:

- ✓ Reactors:
  - ✓ Products it can produce
  - ✓ **Batch sizes** for each product
  - ✓ **Batch process time** for each product (hr)
  - ✓ Operating costs (\$/hr) for each material
  - ✓ **Sequence dependent change-over times /costs**
  - ✓ **=> Lost capacity**  
(hrs per transition for each material pair)
  - ✓ Time the reactor is available during a given month (hrs)

## Customers:

- Monthly forecasted demands for desired products
- Price paid for each product





# Problem Statement

## DETERMINE THE PRODUCTION PLAN:

- ✓ Production quantities
- ✓ Inventory levels
- ✓ Number of batches of each product
- ✓ Assignments of products to available processing equipment
- ✓ **Sequence of production** in each processing equipment

## OBJECTIVE:

To Maximize **Profit**.

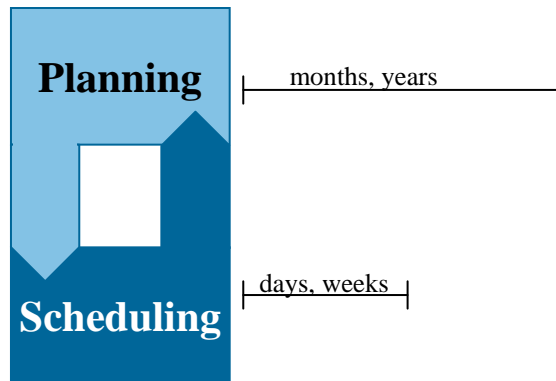
**Profit** = Sales – Costs

**Costs** = Operating Costs + Inventory Costs + Transition Costs

# Approaches to Planning and Scheduling

## Decomposition

### Sequential Hierarchical Approach

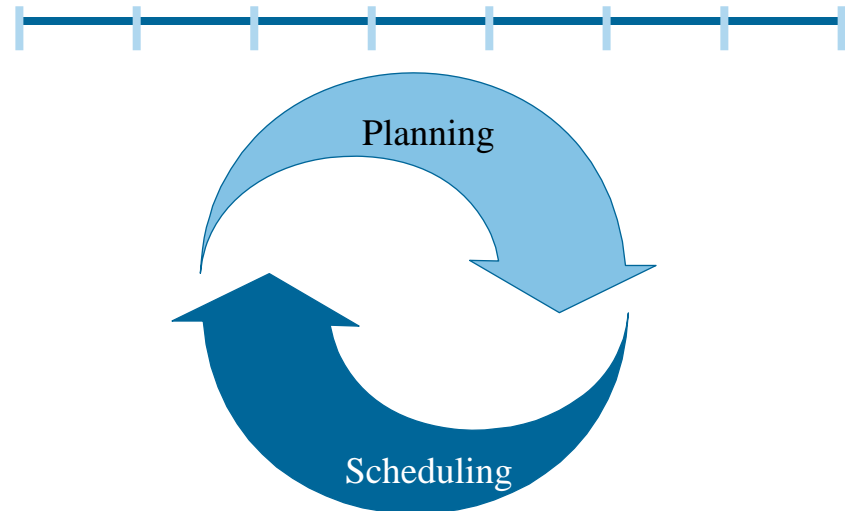


#### Challenges:

- ✓ Different models / different time scales
- ✓ **Mismatches between the levels**

## Simultaneous Planning and Scheduling

### Detailed scheduling over the entire horizon



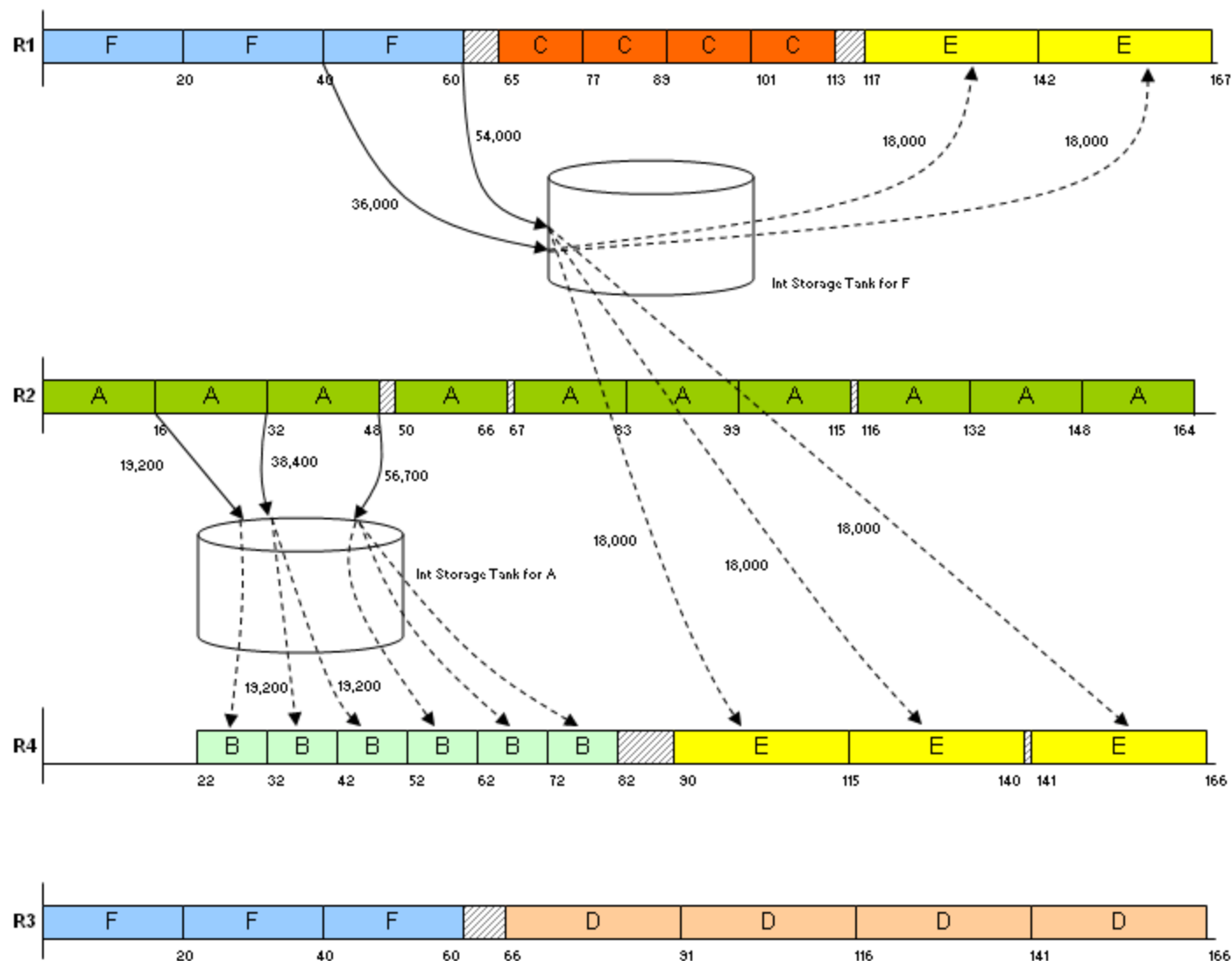
#### Challenges:

- ✓ Very Large Scale Problem
- ✓ **Solution times quickly intractable**

**Goal:** Planning model that integrates major aspects of scheduling



## Results for Detailed MILP Scheduling Model: 4 reactors, 6 products (1 week)



# MILP Detailed Scheduling Model

## Objective Function:

$$Profit = \sum_i \sum_t CP_{i,t} \cdot S_{i,t} - \sum_i \sum_m \sum_l \sum_t COP_{i,t} \cdot XB_{i,m,l,t} - \sum_i \sum_t CINV_{i,t} \cdot (INV_{i,t} + INVFIN_{i,t} + INVINT_{i,t}) - \sum_i \sum_k \sum_m \sum_l \sum_t CTRA_{i,k} \cdot (Z_{i,k,m,l,t} + \tilde{Z}_{i,k,m,l,t} + \hat{Z}_{i,k,m,l,t})$$

## Assignment constraints and Processing times:

$$\sum_i W_{i,m,l,t} \leq 1 \quad i \in IM(m), \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall t$$

$$\sum_{i \in IM(m)} W_{i,m,l,t} \geq \sum_{i \in IM(m)} W_{i,m,l,t} \quad \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), l \neq N(t), \forall m, \forall t$$

$$PT_{i,m,l,t} = BT_{i,m} \cdot W_{i,m,l,t} \quad \forall i \in IM(m), \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall t$$

$$X_{i,m,l,t} = R_{i,m} \cdot BT_{i,m} \cdot W_{i,m,l,t} \quad \forall i \in IM(m), \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall t$$

## Detailed timing constraints and sequence dependent change :

$$Z_{i,i',m,l,t} \geq W_{i,m,l,t} + W_{i',m,l+1,t} - 1 \quad \forall i \in IM(m), \forall i' \in IM(m), i' \neq i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), l \neq Nt, \forall m, \forall t$$

$$TR_{m,l,t} = \sum_i \sum_{i'} \tau_{i,i'} \cdot Z_{i,i',m,l,t} \quad \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), l \neq Nt, \forall m, \forall t$$

$$\tilde{Z}_{i,i',m,l,t} \geq W_{i,m,l,t} + W_{i',m,l',t+1} - 1 \quad \forall i, i' \in IM(m), i' \neq i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall t, t \neq H_t$$

$$Te_{m,l,t} = Ts_{m,l,t} + \sum_i PT_{i,m,l,t} + \sum_i \sum_k \tau_{i,k} \cdot Z_{i,k,m,l,t} + TRT_{m,l,t} - TX_{m,l,t} + (\sum_i \sum_{i'} \tau_{i,i'} \cdot \hat{Z}_{i,i',m,l,t}) \quad \forall m, l, t$$

$$TRT_{m,l,t} = TRT1_{m,l,t} + TRT2_{m,l,t} \quad \forall m, l, t$$

$$TX_{m,l,t} = TRT1_{m,l,t} \quad \forall m, l, t$$

$$TRT1_{m,l,t} \leq UPPER \cdot Y_{m,l+1,t} \quad \forall m, l, t$$

$$TRT2_{m,l,t} \leq UPPER \cdot (1 - Y_{m,l+1,t}) \quad \forall m, l, t$$

# MILP Detailed Scheduling Model

## Mass and Inventory Balances:

$$X_{i,m,l,t} = INVP_{i,m,l,t}^{FIN} + INVINT_{i,m,l,t}^{TRA} \quad i \in IFINT_i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall t$$

$$INVINT_{i,m,l,t}^{TRA} = INVP_{i,m,l,t}^{INT} + \sum_{l' > l, l' \in L(m)} AA_{i,m,l,m',l',t} + \sum_{m' \neq m} \sum_{l' \in L(m')} AA_{i,m,l,m',l',t} \quad i \in IFINT_i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall l' \in L(t), \forall m, \forall m' \neq m, \forall t$$

$$X_{i,m,l,t} = INVP_{i,m,l,t}^{FIN} + INVP_{i,m,l,t}^{INT} + \sum_{l' > l, l' \in L(m)} AA_{i,m,l,m',l',t} + \sum_{m' \neq m} \sum_{l' \in L(m')} AA_{i,m,l,m',l',t} \quad i \in IFINT_i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall l' \in L(t), \forall m, \forall m' \neq m, \forall t$$

$$Ts_{m,l,t} + \sum_i PT_{i,m,l,t} \leq Ts_{m',l',t} + BigW_t \cdot (1 - YY_{l,l',m,m',t}) \quad \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall l' \in (L(m') \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall m' \neq m, \forall t$$

$$Ts_{m',l',t} \leq Ts_{m,l,t} + \sum_i PT_{i,m,l,t} + BigW_t \cdot (YY_{l,l',m,m',t}) \quad \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall l' \in (L(m') \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall m' \neq m, \forall t$$

$$AA_{i,m,l,m',l',t} \leq UBOUND_i \cdot (YY_{l,l',m,m',t}) \quad i \in IFINT_i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall l' \in (L(m') \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall m' \neq m, \forall t$$

$$\sum_{m' \neq m} \sum_{l' \in (L(m') \cap L(t))} AA_{i,m,l,m',l',t} \leq UBOUND_i \cdot (W_{i,m,l,t}) \quad i \in IFINT_i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall t$$

$$\sum_{l' \in (L(m) \cap L(t))} AA_{i,m,l,m',l',t} \leq UBOUND_i \cdot (W_{i,m,l,t}) \quad i \in IFINT_i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall t$$

$$AA_{i,m,l,m',l',t} \leq UBOUND_{i,m} \cdot \sum_{i' \in ENDINT(i',i)} (W_{i',m,l,m',l',t}) \quad i \in IFINT_i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall l' \in (L(m') \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall m' \neq m, \forall t$$

$$INV_{i,t-1}^{INT} + \sum_m \sum_{l \in (L(m) \cap L(t))} INVP_{i,m,l,t}^{INT} = \sum_m \sum_{l \in (L(m) \cap L(t))} INVC_{i,m,l,t} + INV_{i,t}^{INT} \quad i \in IFINT_i, \forall t$$

$$INV_{i,t-1}^{FIN} + \sum_m \sum_{l \in (L(m) \cap L(t))} INVP_{i,m,l,t}^{FIN} = S_{i,t} + INV_{i,t}^{FIN} \quad i \in IFINT_i, \forall t$$

$$X_{i,m,l,t} = \sum_{i'} \alpha_{i,i'} \cdot (INVC_{i',m,l,t} + \sum_{l'' < l} \sum_{l' \in (L(m) \cap L(t))} AA_{i',m,l'',m',l',t} + \sum_{m' \neq m} \sum_{l' \in (L(m') \cap L(t))} AA_{i',m,l',m',l',t}) \quad i \in IE_i, \forall l \in (L(m) \cap L(t)), \forall m, \forall t$$

$$INV_{i,t-1}^{FIN} + \sum_m \sum_{l \in (L(m) \cap L(t))} X_{i,m,l,t} = S_{i,t} + INV_{i,t}^{FIN} \quad i \in (IE_i \cup IF_i), \forall t$$

# Proposed MILP Planning Models

**Replace the detailed timing constraints by:**

**Model A. (Relaxed Planning Model)**

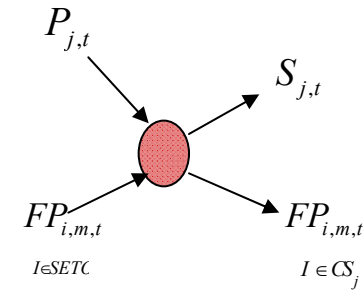
- ✓ Constraints that **underestimate the sequence dependent** changeover times
- ✓ **Weak** upper bounds (**Optimistic Profit**)

**Model B. (Detailed Planning Model)**

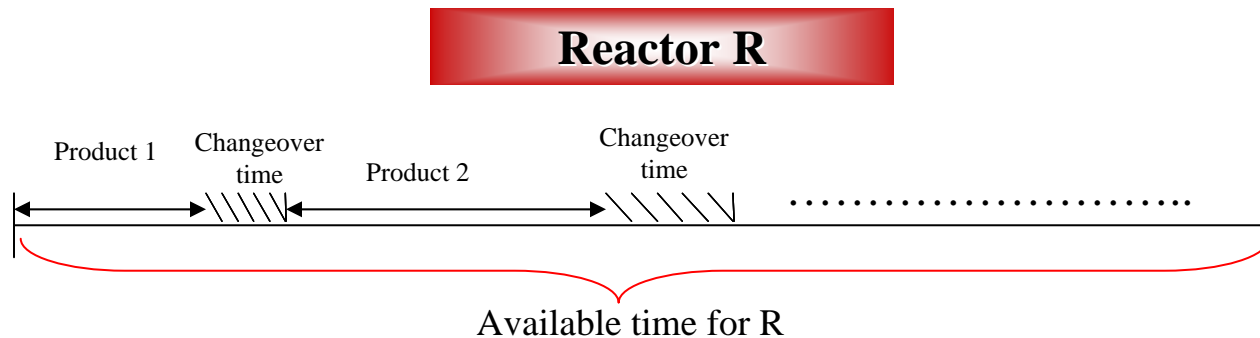
- ✓ **Sequencing constraints** for accounting for transitions rigorously  
(*Traveling salesman constraints*)
- ✓ **Tight** upper bounds (**Realistic estimate Profit**)

# Generic Form of Proposed MILP Planning Models

✓ Mass Balances on State Nodes



✓ Time Balance Constraints on Equipment



✓ Objective Function

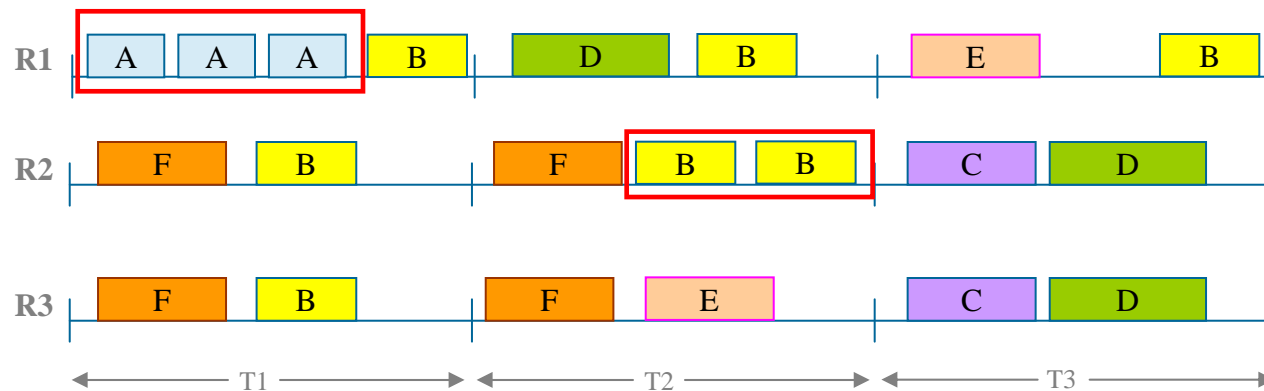
## Key Variables for Model

$YP_{i,m,t}$  :the assignment of products to units at each time period

$NB_{imt}$  :number of each batches of each product on each unit at each period

$FP_{imt}$  :amount of material processed by each task

**Products: A, B, C, D, E, F** → Reactor 1 or Reactor 2 or Reactor 3



$$YP_{A,reactor1,time1} = 1$$

$$NB_{A,reactor1,time1} = 3$$

$$YP_{B,reactor2,time2} = 1$$

$$NB_{B,reactor2,time2} = 2$$

## Proposed Model B (Detailed Planning)

### Sequence dependent changeovers (traveling salesman constraints):

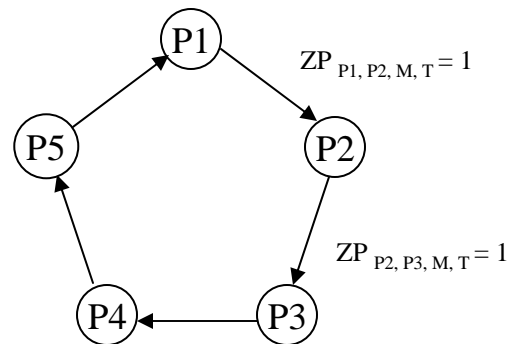
#### ✓ Changeovers within each time period:

1. Generate a cyclic schedule where total transition time is minimized.

##### KEY VARIABLE:

$ZP_{ii'mt}$  : becomes 1 if product i is after product i' on unit m at time period t, zero otherwise

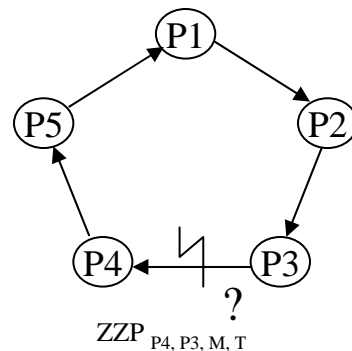
P1, P2, P3, P4, P5



2. Break the cycle at the pair with the maximum transition time to obtain the sequence.

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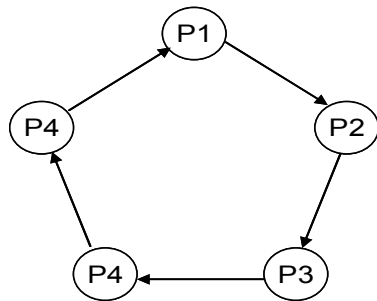
$ZZP_{ii'mt}$  : becomes 1 if the link between products i and i' is to be broken, zero otherwise



=> P4→P5→P1→P2→P3

# MILP Model

According to the location of the link to be broken:



$$P2, P3, P4, P5, P1 \longrightarrow ZZP_{P1, P2, M, T = 1}$$

$$P3, P4, P5, P1, P2 \longrightarrow ZZP_{P2, P3, M, T = 1}$$

$$P4, P5, P1, P2, P3 \longrightarrow ZZP_{P3, P4, M, T = 1}$$

$$P5, P1, P2, P3, P4 \longrightarrow ZZP_{P4, P5, M, T = 1}$$

$$P1, P2, P3, P4, P5 \longrightarrow ZZP_{P5, P1, M, T = 1}$$

The sequence with the minimum total transition time is the **optimal sequence** within time period t.

$$YP_{imt} = \sum_{i'} ZP_{ii'mt} \quad \forall i, m, t$$

$$YP_{i'mt} = \sum_i ZP_{ii'mt} \quad \forall i', m, t$$

$$YP_{imt} \wedge \left[ \bigwedge_{i' \neq i} \neg YP_{i'mt} \right] \Leftrightarrow ZP_{iimt} \quad \forall i, m, t$$

$$YP_{imt} \geq ZP_{i,i,m,t} \quad \forall i, m, t$$

$$ZP_{i,i,m,t} + YP_{i',m,t} \leq 1 \quad \forall i, i' \neq i, m, t$$

$$ZP_{i,i,m,t} \geq YP_{i,m,t} - \sum_{i' \neq i} YP_{i',m,t} \quad \forall i, m, t$$

$$\sum_i \sum_{i'} ZP_{ii'mt} = 1 \quad \forall m, t$$

$$ZZP_{ii'mt} \leq ZP_{ii'mt} \quad \forall i, i', m, t$$

Generate the cycle and break the cycle to find the optimum sequence where transition times are minimized.

Having determining the sequence, we can determine **the total transition time** within each week.

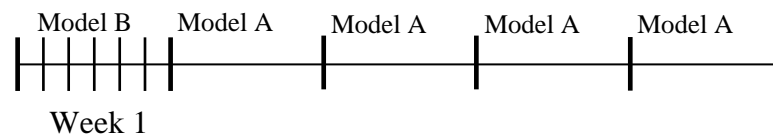


## Limitation: Large Problems

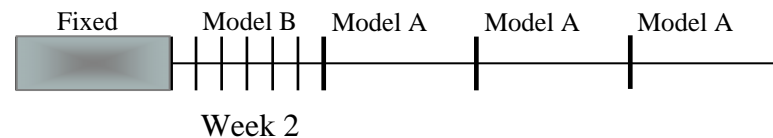
The **proposed planning models** may be expensive to solve for long term horizons.

### ROLLING HORIZON APPROACH :

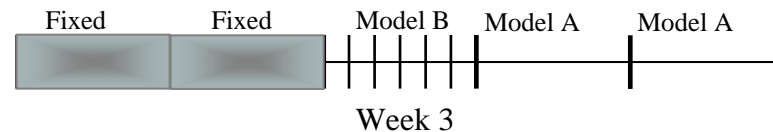
#### Problem 1



#### Problem 2



#### Problem 3



- ✓ The detailed planning period (Model B) moves as the model is solved in time.
- ✓ Future planning periods include only underestimations for transition times.

\*Ref. Dimitriadis et al, 1997

# EXAMPLE: 5 Products, 2 Reactors, 1 Week

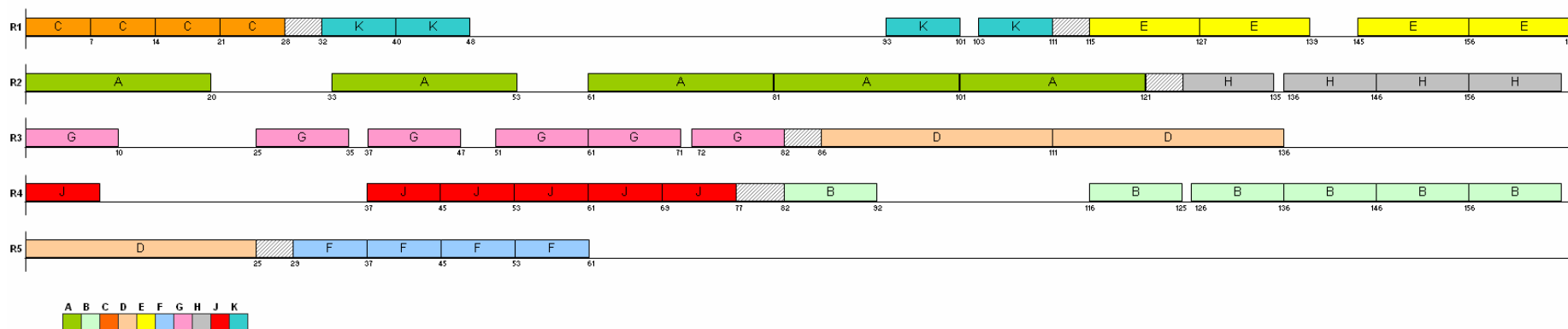
	Method	Number of binary variables	Number of continuous variables	Number of Equations	Time (CPUs)	Solution (\$)
A	Relaxed Planning	20	49	67	0.046	1,680,960.0
B	Detailed Planning	140	207	335	0.296	1,571,960.0
	Scheduling	594	2961	2537	150	1,571,960.0

*% 6.484 Difference*

Obj Function Items (\$)	Relaxed Planning	Detailed Planning	Scheduling
Sales	2,652,800	2,440,000	2,440,000
Operating Costs	971,840	868,000	868,000
Transition Costs	0	40	40
Inventory Costs	0	0	0

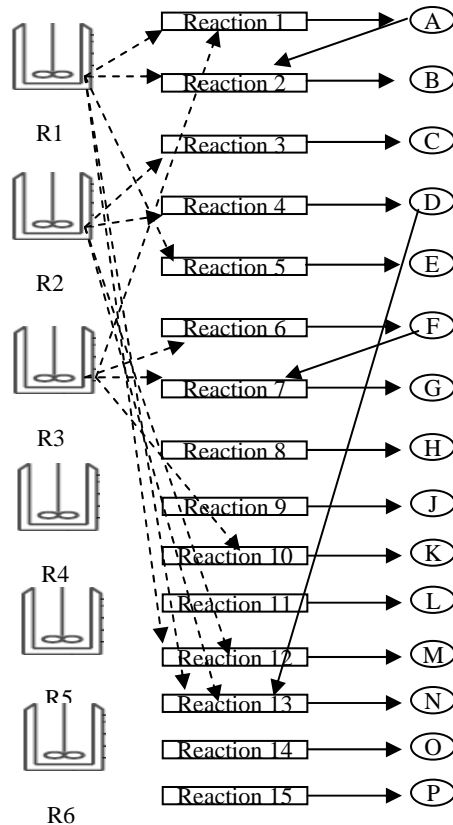
**Detailed Planning and  
Scheduling are Identical!**

## Gantt Chart:



## EXAMPLE 2 - 15 Products, 6 Reactors, 48 Weeks

✓ Determine the plan for 15 products, 6 reactors plant so as to maximize profit.



- 15 Products, A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H,J,K,L,M,N,O,P
- B, G and N are produced in 2 stages.
- 6 Reactors, R1,R2,R3,R4,R5,R6
- End time of the week is defined as due dates
- Demands are lower bounds

*Relaxed planning yields 21% overestimation of profit*

method	number of binary variables	number of continuous variables	number of equations	time (CPU s)	solution (\$)
relaxed planning (A)	2,592	5,905	9,361	362	224,731,683
rolling horizon (RH)	10,092	25,798	28,171	11,656	184,765,965



## Lagrangian Relaxation (*Fisher, 1985*)

- MILP optimization problems can often be modeled as problems with **complicating constraints**.
- The **complicating constraints** are **added** to the **objective function** (i.e. dualized) with a penalty term (**Lagrangian multiplier**) proportional to the amount of violation of the dualized constraints.
- The **Lagrangian problem** is **easier to solve** (*eg. can be decomposed*) than the original problem and provides an upper bound to a maximization problem.

# Lagrangian Relaxation



$$\begin{aligned} Z = \max \quad & cx \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & Ax \leq b \\ & Dx \leq e \\ & x \in Z_+^n \end{aligned} \quad (\text{IP})$$

*Assume integers only*  
*Easily extended cont. vars.*

Assume that  $Ax \leq b$  is **complicating constraint**

$$\begin{aligned} Z_{LR}(u) = \max \quad & cx + u(b - Ax) \\ & Dx \leq e \\ & x \in Z_+^n \end{aligned}$$

where  $u \geq 0$  Lagrange multipliers

## Lagrangian Relaxation

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 Z = \max & cx & Z_{LR}(u) = \max & cx + u(b - Ax) \\
 \text{Complicating Constraint} \rightarrow Ax \leq b & \xrightarrow{\text{blue arrow}} & Dx \leq e \\
 Dx \leq e & & x \in Z_+^n \\
 x \in Z_+^n & & \text{where } u \geq 0
 \end{array}$$

This is a **relaxation of original problem** because:

- i) removing the constraint  $Ax \leq b$  **relaxes** the original feasible space,
- ii)  $Z_{LR}(u) \geq Z$  always **holds as in the original space** since  $(b - Ax) \geq 0$   
and Lagrange multiplier is always  $u \geq 0$ .

Lagrangian Relaxation Yields Upper Bound  $\Rightarrow Z_{LR}(u) \geq Z$

# Lagrangean Relaxation

**Original problem:**

$$Z = \max \quad cx$$

$$s.t. \quad Ax \leq b$$

$$Dx \leq e$$

$$x \in Z_+^n$$

**Relaxed problem:**

$$Z_{LR}(u) = \max \quad cx + u(b - Ax)$$

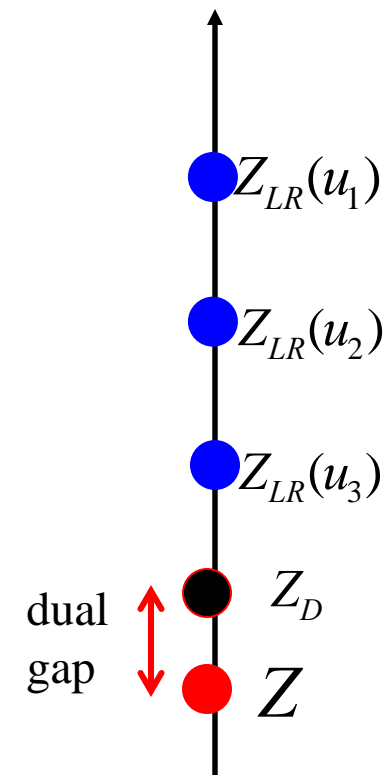
$$Dx \leq e$$

$$x \in Z_+^n$$

**Lagrangean dual:**

$$Z_D = \min Z_{LR}(u)$$

$$u \geq 0$$





**Relaxed problem:**

$$\begin{aligned} Z_{LR}(u) = \max \quad & cx + u(b - Ax) \\ & Dx \leq e \\ & x \in Z_+^n \end{aligned}$$

**Lagrangian dual:**

$$\begin{aligned} Z_D = \min \quad & Z_{LR}(u) \\ & u \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

**Combine Relaxed and  
Lagrangian Dual Problems:**

$$\begin{aligned} Z_D = \min_{u \geq 0} \left\{ \max_{x \geq 0} \quad & cx + u(b - Ax) \right\} \\ & Dx \leq e \\ & x \in Z_+^n \end{aligned}$$

## Graphical Interpretation

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 Z_D = \min_{u \geq 0} \left\{ \max_{x \geq 0} \right. & & Z_D' = \max_{\substack{Ax \leq b \\ x \in \text{Conv}(Dx \leq e, x \in Z_+^n) \\ x \geq 0}} cx \\
 & \longleftrightarrow & \\
 \left. \begin{array}{l} Dx \leq e \\ x \in Z_+^n \end{array} \right\} & \text{Nice Proof} & \\
 & \text{Frangioni (2005)} &
 \end{array}$$

Optimization of Lagrange multipliers (dual) can be interpreted as optimizing the primal objective function on the intersection of the **convex hull of non-complicating** constraints set  $\{x \mid Dx \leq e, x \in Z_+^n\}$  and the **LP relaxation of the relaxed constraints** set  $\{x \mid Ax \leq b, x \in Z_+^n\}$  .

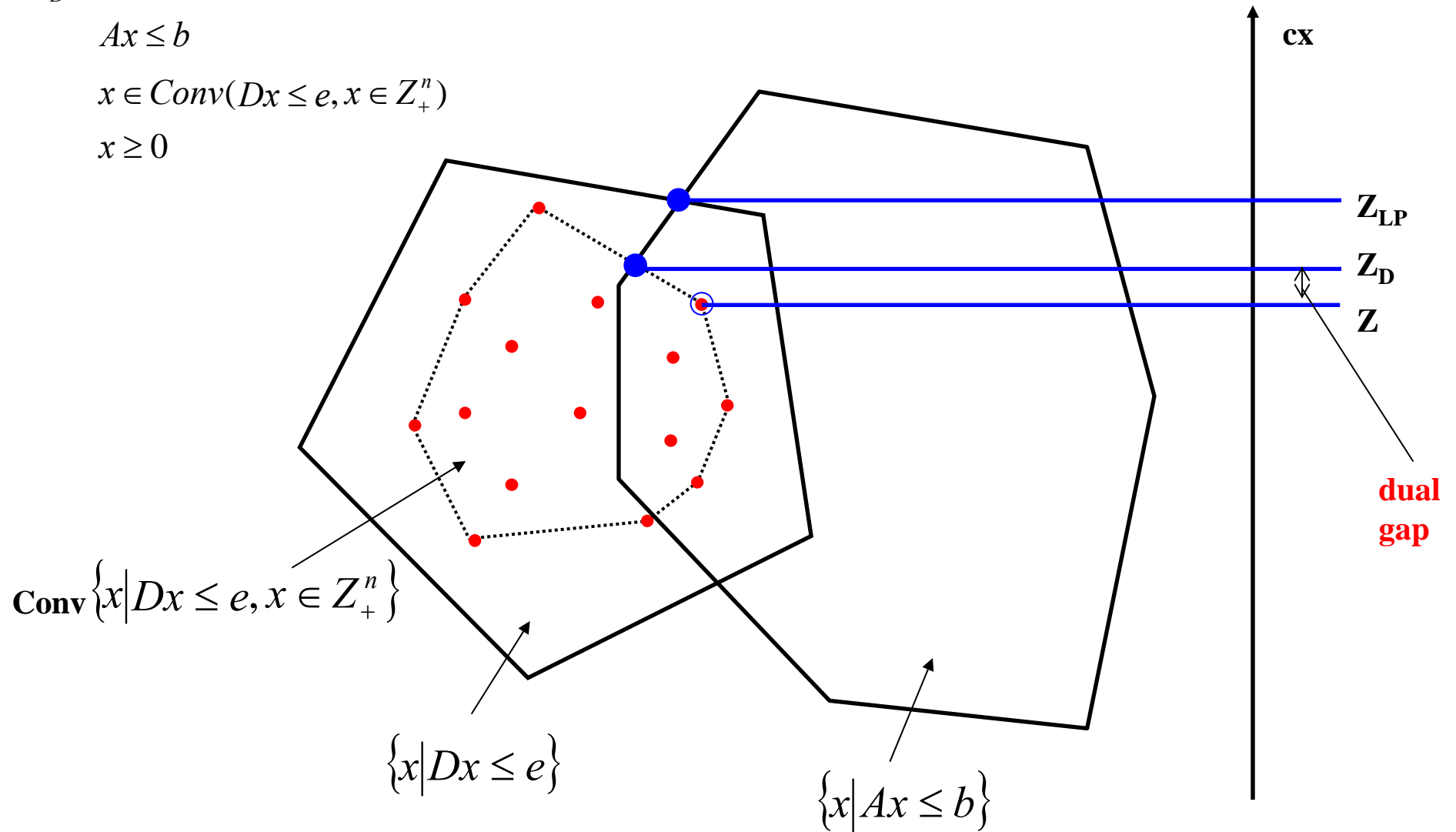
# Graphical Interpretation

$$Z_D' = \max cx$$

$$Ax \leq b$$

$$x \in \text{Conv}(Dx \leq e, x \in Z_+^n)$$

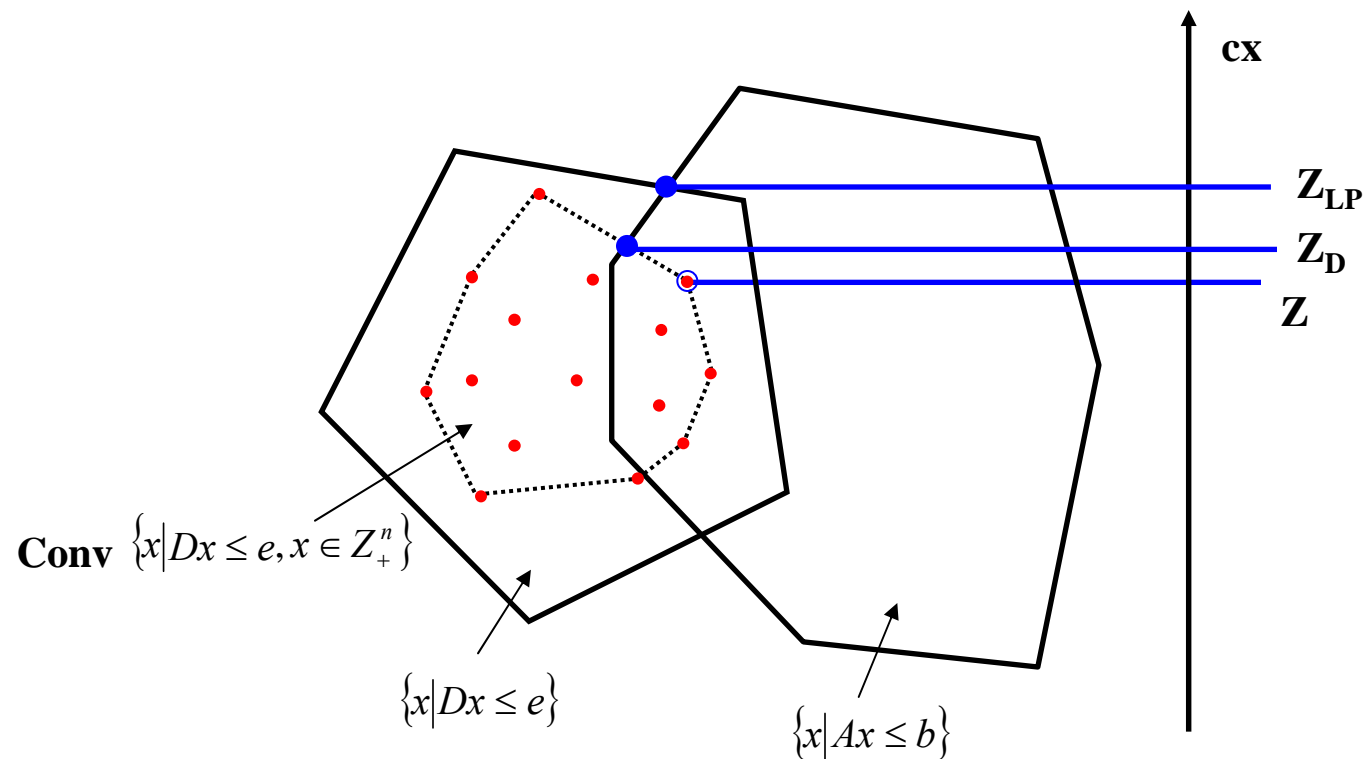
$$x \geq 0$$



## Theorem

**Lagrangian relaxation yields a bound at least as tight as LP relaxation**

$$Z(P) \leq Z_D \leq Z_{LR}(u) \leq Z_{LP}$$



## Lagrangian Decomposition *(Guignard & Kim, 1987)*

- Lagrangian Decomposition is a **special case** of Lagrangian Relaxation.
- Define variables for each set of constrain, add constraints equating different variables *(new complicating constraints)* to the objective function with some penalty terms.

$$Z = \max \quad cx$$

$$s.t. \quad Ax \leq b$$

$$Dx \leq e$$

$$x \in Z_+^n$$

$$Z' = \max \quad cx$$

$$Ax \leq b$$

$$Dy \leq e$$

$$x = y$$

$$x \in Z_+^n$$

$$y \in Z_+^n$$

New complicating  
constraints

$$Z_{LD}(v) = \max \quad cx + v(y - x)$$

$$Ax \leq b$$

$$Dy \leq e$$

$$x \in Z_+^n$$

$$y \in Z_+^n$$

Dualize  $x = y$

$$\begin{aligned} Z_{LD}(v) = \max \quad & cx + v(y - x) \\ & Ax \leq b \\ & Dy \leq e \\ & x \in Z_+^n \\ & y \in Z_+^n \end{aligned}$$

Subproblem 1

$$\begin{aligned} Z_{LD1}(v) = \max \quad & (c - v)x \\ & Ax \leq b \\ & x \in Z_+^n \end{aligned}$$

Subproblem 2

$$\begin{aligned} Z_{LD2}(v) = \max \quad & vy \\ & Dy \leq e \\ & y \in Z_+^n \end{aligned}$$

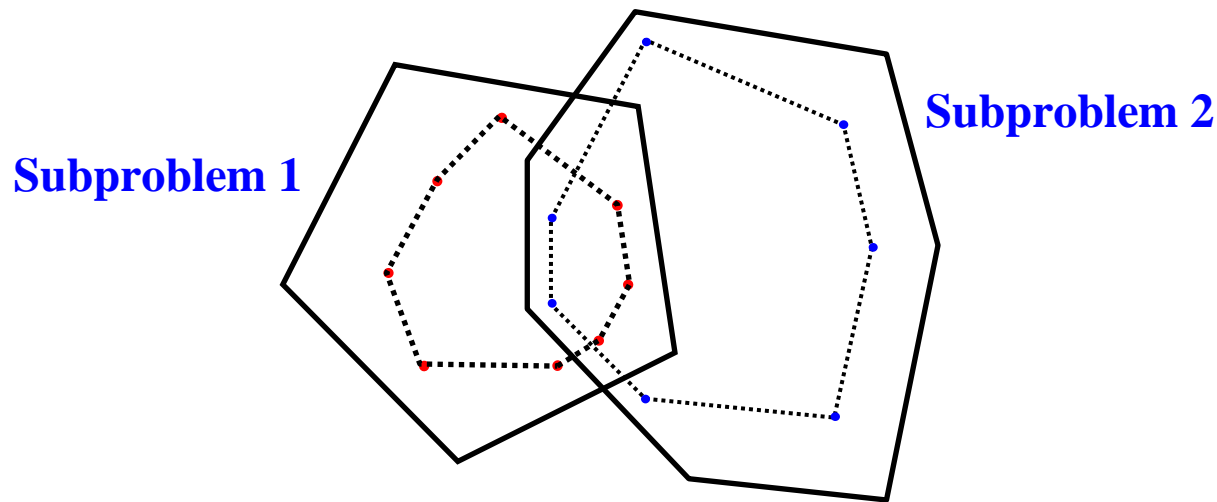
$$Z_{LD} = \min_{v \geq 0} (Z_{LD1}(v) + Z_{LD2}(v))$$

*Lagrangian  
dual*

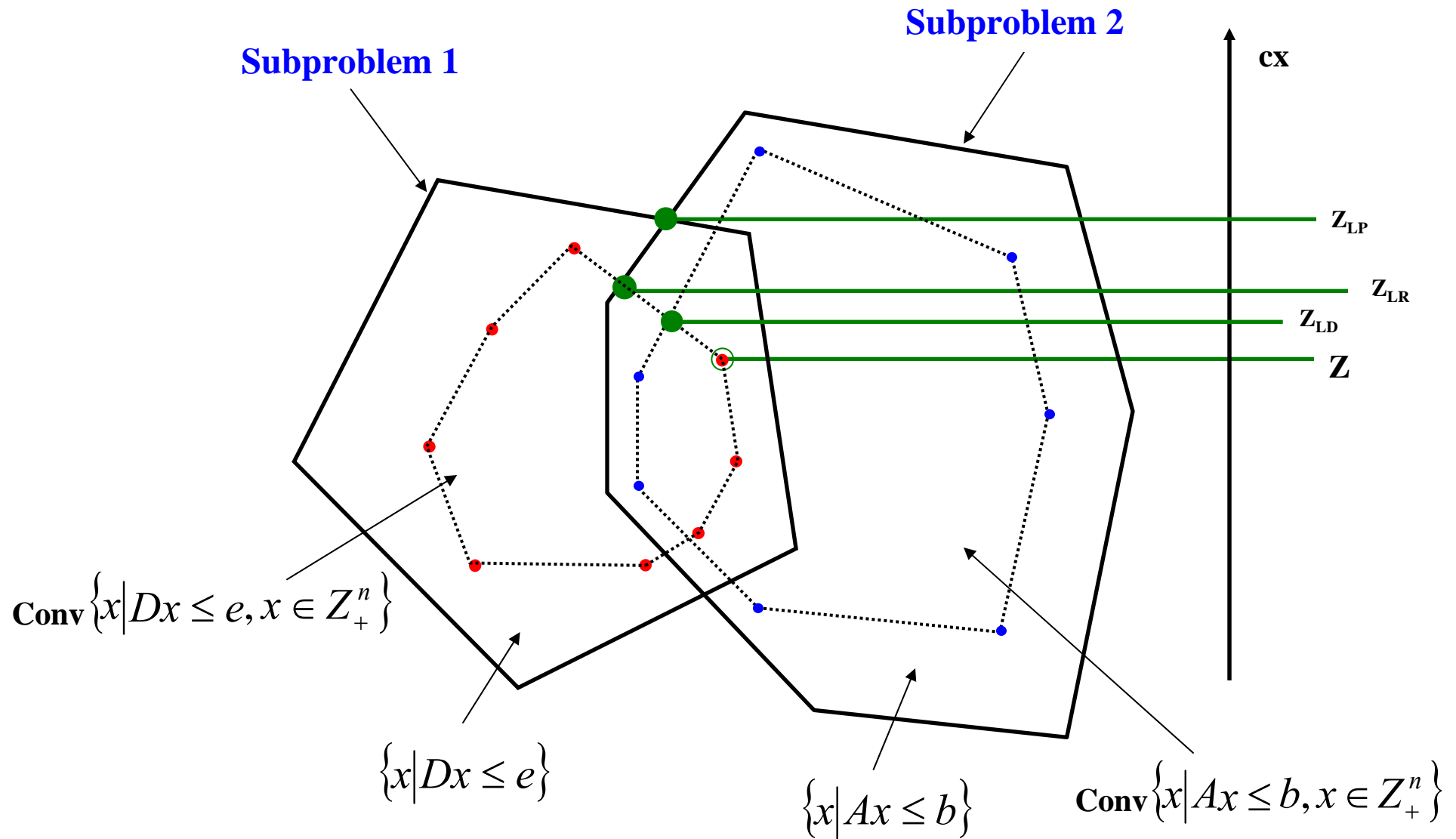
## Notes

➤ **Lagrangian decomposition** is different from other possible relaxations because every constraint in the original problem appears in one of the subproblems.

Graphically: The optimization of Lagrangean multipliers can be interpreted as optimizing the primal objective function on the intersection of the convex hulls of constraint sets.



## Graphical Interpretation?



Note:  $Z_{LR}$ ,  $Z_{LD}$  refer to dual solutions

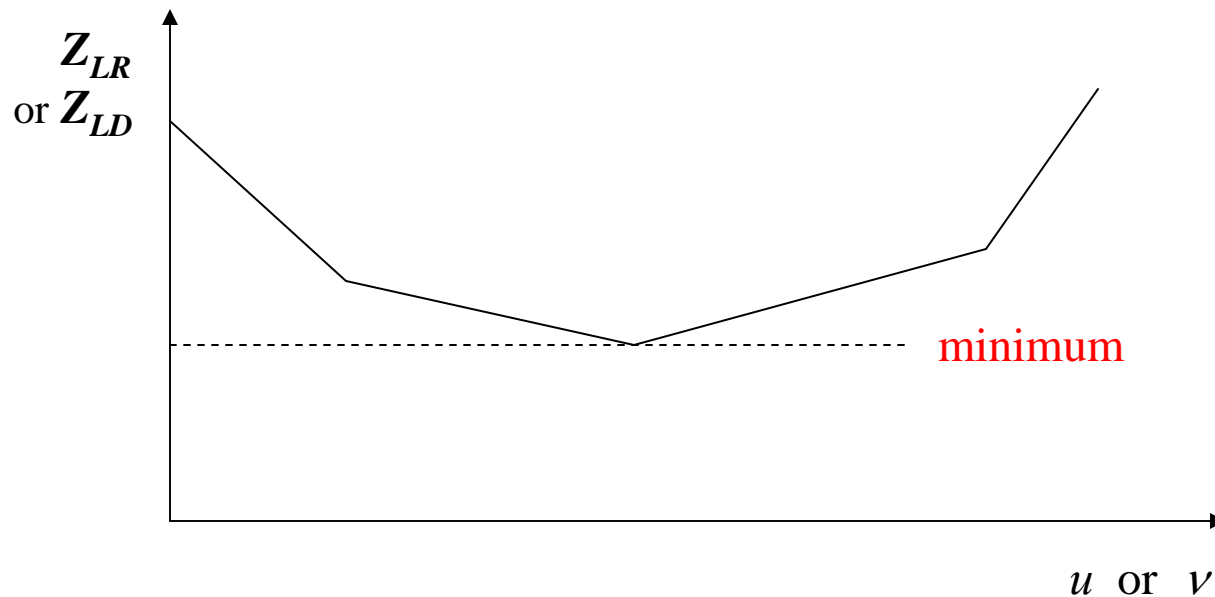


## Theorem

- The **bound** predicted by “**Lagrangian decomposition**” is at **least as tight as** the one provided by “**Lagrangian relaxation**” (*Guignard and Kim, 1987*)
- For a maximization problem

$$Z(P) \leq Z_{LD} \leq Z_{LR} \leq Z_{LP}$$

## Solution of Dual Problem



Piecewise linear



Non-differentiable

Assuming  $Dx \leq d$  is a bounded polyhedron (polytope) with extreme points

$x^k$   $k = 1, 2, \dots, K$ , then

$$\max_x \{ cx + u(b - Ax) \mid Dx \leq d, x \in X \} = \max_{k=1, \dots, K} \{ cx^k + u(b - Ax^k) \}$$

$\Downarrow$

**Dual problem**

$$\min_{u \geq 0} \max_{k=1, \dots, K} \{ cx^k + u(b - Ax^k) \} = \min_{u \geq 0} \{ \eta \mid \eta \geq cx^k + u(b - Ax^k), k = 1, \dots, K \}$$

## Cutting plane approach

$$\min \eta$$

$$s.t. \eta \geq cx^k + u(b - Ax^k), k = 1, \dots, K_n$$

$$u \geq 0, \eta \in R^1$$

subgradient

$K_n$  = no. extreme points  
iteration  $n$

Note:  $x^k$  generated from  $\max \{ cx + u^k(b - Ax) \}$  subproblems

# Subgradient Optimization Approach



Subgradient  $s^k = (b - Ax^k)$

Steepest descent search  $u^{k+1} = u^k + \mu s^k$

**Update formula for multipliers** (*Fisher, 1985*)

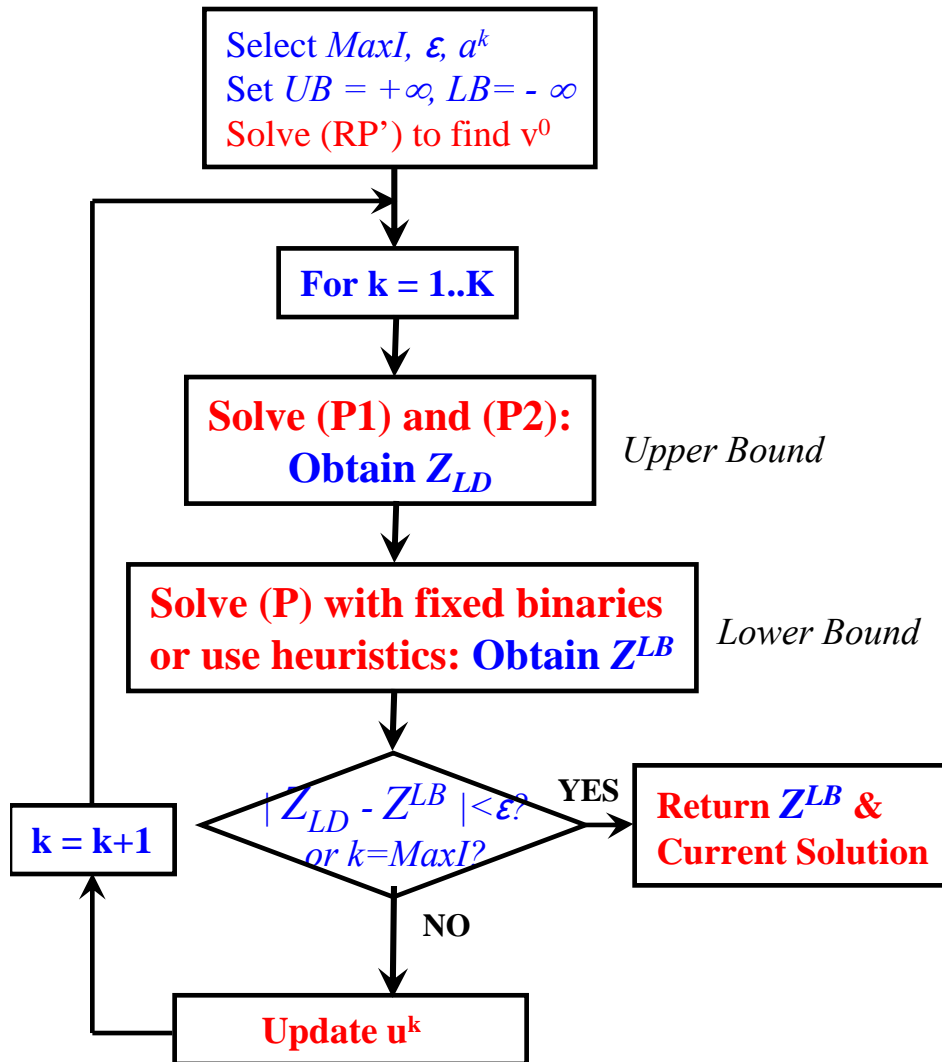
$$u^{k+1} = u^k + \alpha_k (Z^{LB} - Z_{LD}^k)(b - Ax^k) / \|b - Ax^k\|^2$$

where  $\alpha_k \in [0, 2]$

**Note:** Can also use **bundle methods** for nondifferentiable optimization

*Lemarechal, Nemirovski, Nesterov (1995)*

## 1. Iterative search in multipliers of dual



2. Perform **branch and bound** search where LP relaxation is replaced by Lagrangean relaxation/decomposition to
- Obtain tighter bound
  - Decompose MILP

Typically in Stochastic Programming

*Caroe and Schultz (1999)*

*Goel and Grossmann (2006)*

*Tarhan and Grossmann (2008)*

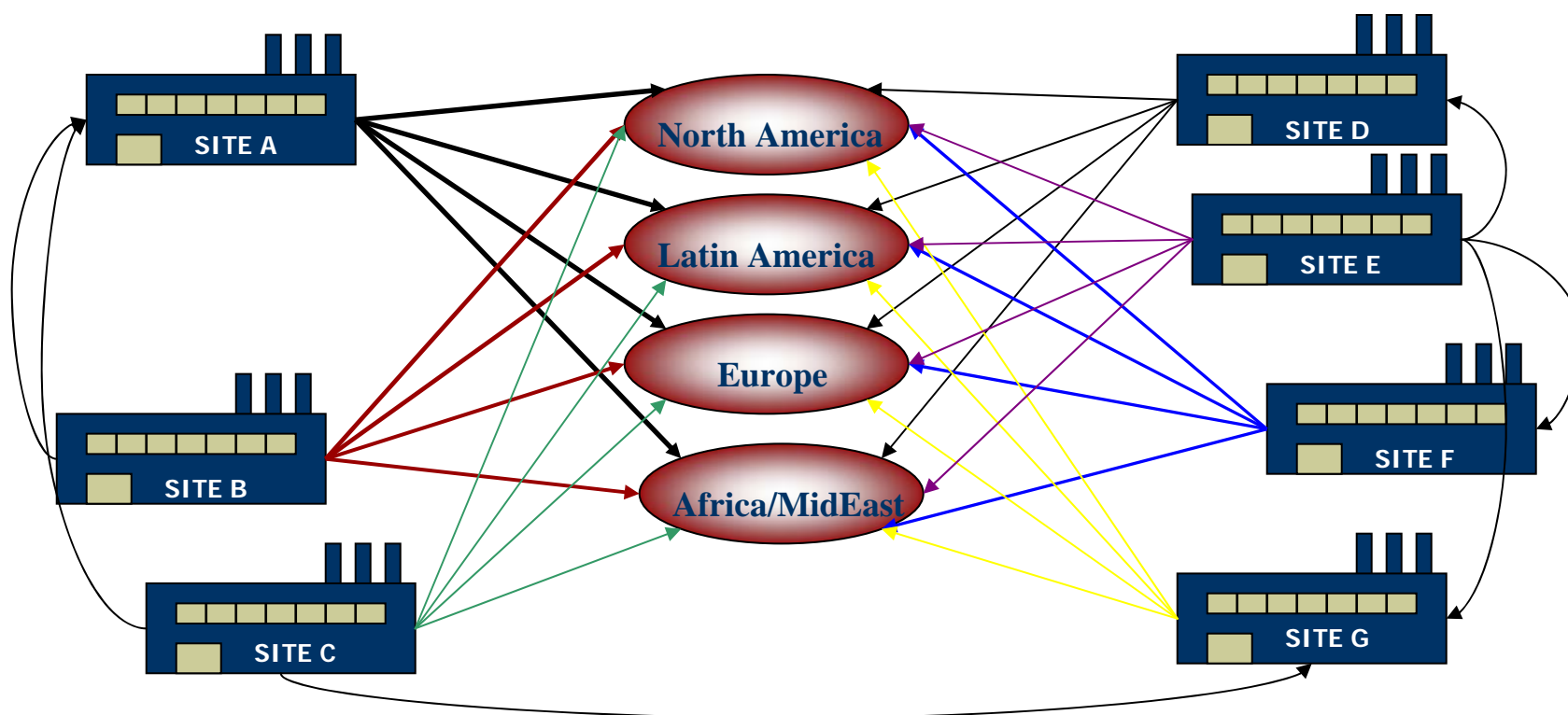
## Remarks

- Methods can be extended to NLP, MINLP
- Size of dual gap depends greatly on how problems are decomposed
- From experience gap often decreases with problem size.

Notes: Heuristic due to dual gap  
Obtaining Lower Bound might be tricky

# Multisite Distribution Network

*Jackson, Grossmann, Wassick, Hoffman (2002)*



- ♦ Objective: Develop model and effective solution strategy for large-scale multiperiod planning with *Nonlinear Process Models*

# Multisite Distribution Model

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- Develop Multisite Model to determine:

- 1)What products to manufacture in each site
- 2)What sites will supply the products for each market
- 3)Production and inventory plan for each site

➤*Objective: Maximize Net Present Value*

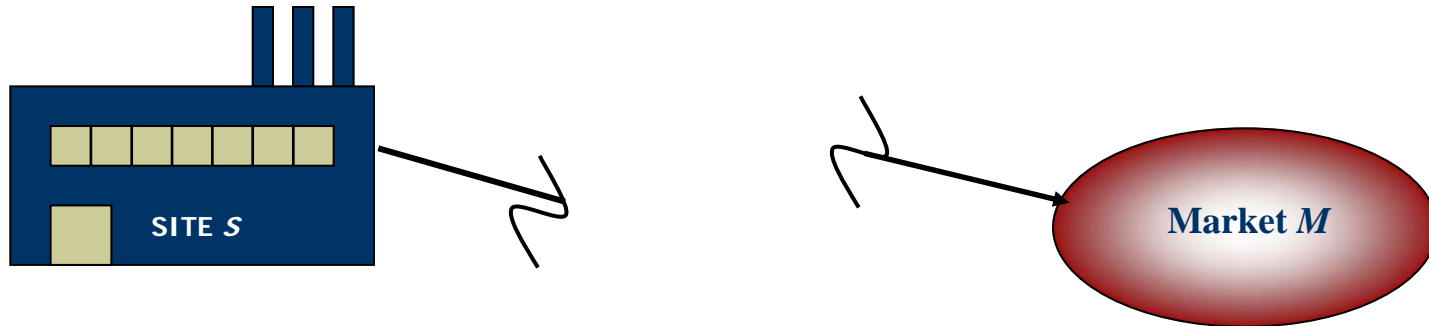
- Challenges/Optimization Bottlenecks: **Large-Scale NLP**

–Interconnections between time periods & sites/markets

➤Apply *Lagrangean Decomposition Method*

# Spatial Decomposition

$$\begin{aligned} \max \text{ PROFIT} &= S\text{Cost}_S^{PR,M} * SALES_S^{PR,M} - P\text{Cost}_S^{PR,M} * PROD_S^{PR,M} \\ &+ \lambda_S^{PR,M} (PROD_S^{PR,M} - SALES_S^{PR,M}) \end{aligned}$$



SITE  $S$  CONSTRAINTS :

$$f(PROD_S^{PR,M}) \leq 0$$

$$\max(-P\text{Cost}_S^{PR,M} PROD_S^{PR,M} + \lambda_S^{PR,M} PROD_S^{PR,M})$$

Market  $M$  CONSTRAINTS :

$$f(SALES_S^{PR,M}) \leq 0$$

$$\max(S\text{Cost}_S^{PR,M} SALES_S^{PR,M} - \lambda_S^{PR,M} SALES_S^{PR,M})$$

Site SUBPROBLEM for all  $S$  (*NLP*)

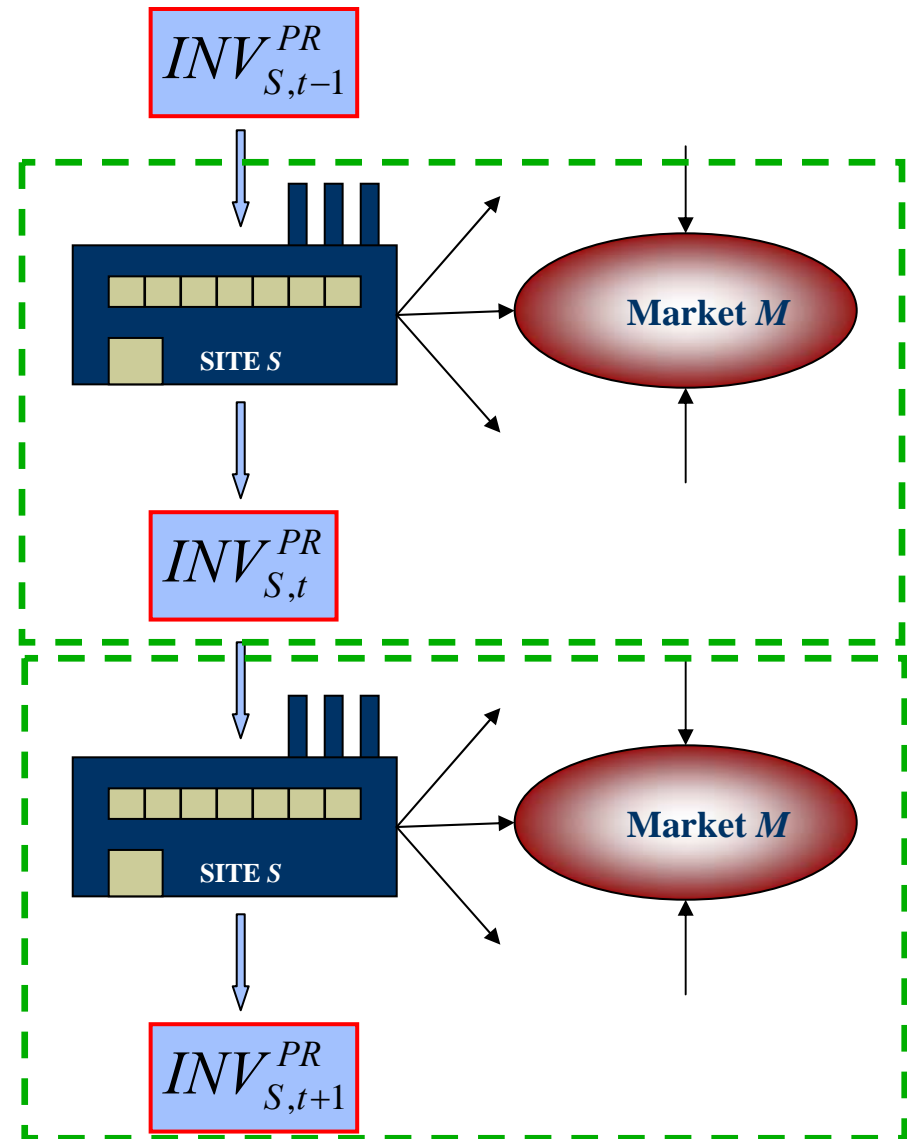
Market SUBPROBLEM for all  $M$  (*LP*)

# Temporal Decomposition

- Decompose at each time period

- Duplicate variables for Inventories for each time period

- Apply Lagrangean Decomposition Algorithm





# Multisite Distribution Model - Spatial



- 3 Multi-Plant Sites, 3 Geographic Markets
- Solved with GAMS/Conopt2

# Time Periods (months)	Variables/ Constraints	Optimal Solution Profit (million-\$)	Full Space Solution Time (CPU sec)	Lagrangian Solution Time (CPU sec)	% Within Full Optimal Solution
2	3345 / 2848	164	52	10	10%
4	6689 / 5698	326	478	127	11%
6	10033 / 8548	497	1605	279	9%
8	13377/11398	666	2350	550	9%

# Multisite Distribution Model - Temporal

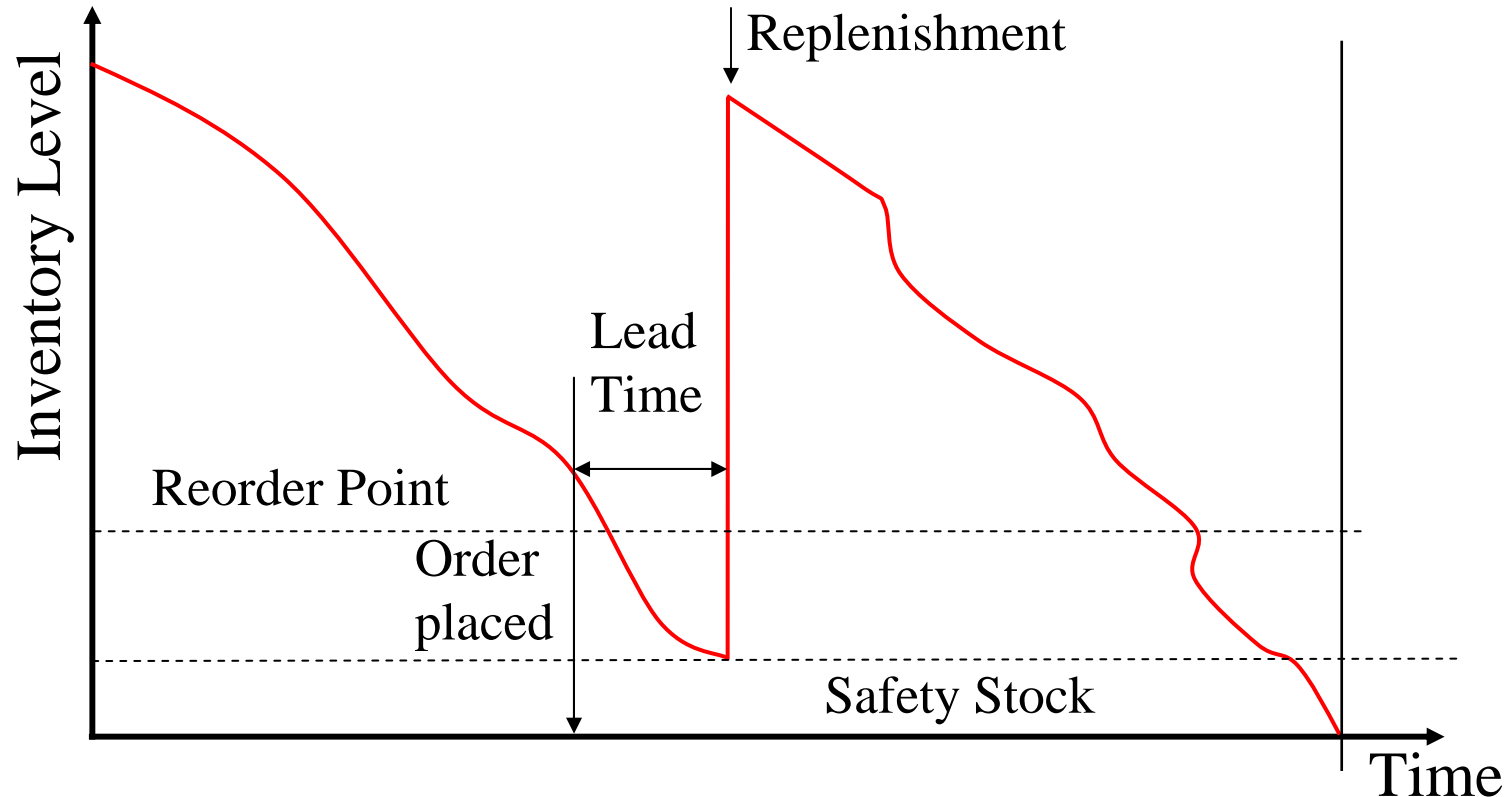


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6	9973 / 8551	236.53	2013	138	2.3
12	19945 / 17101	474.18	10254	278	2.2

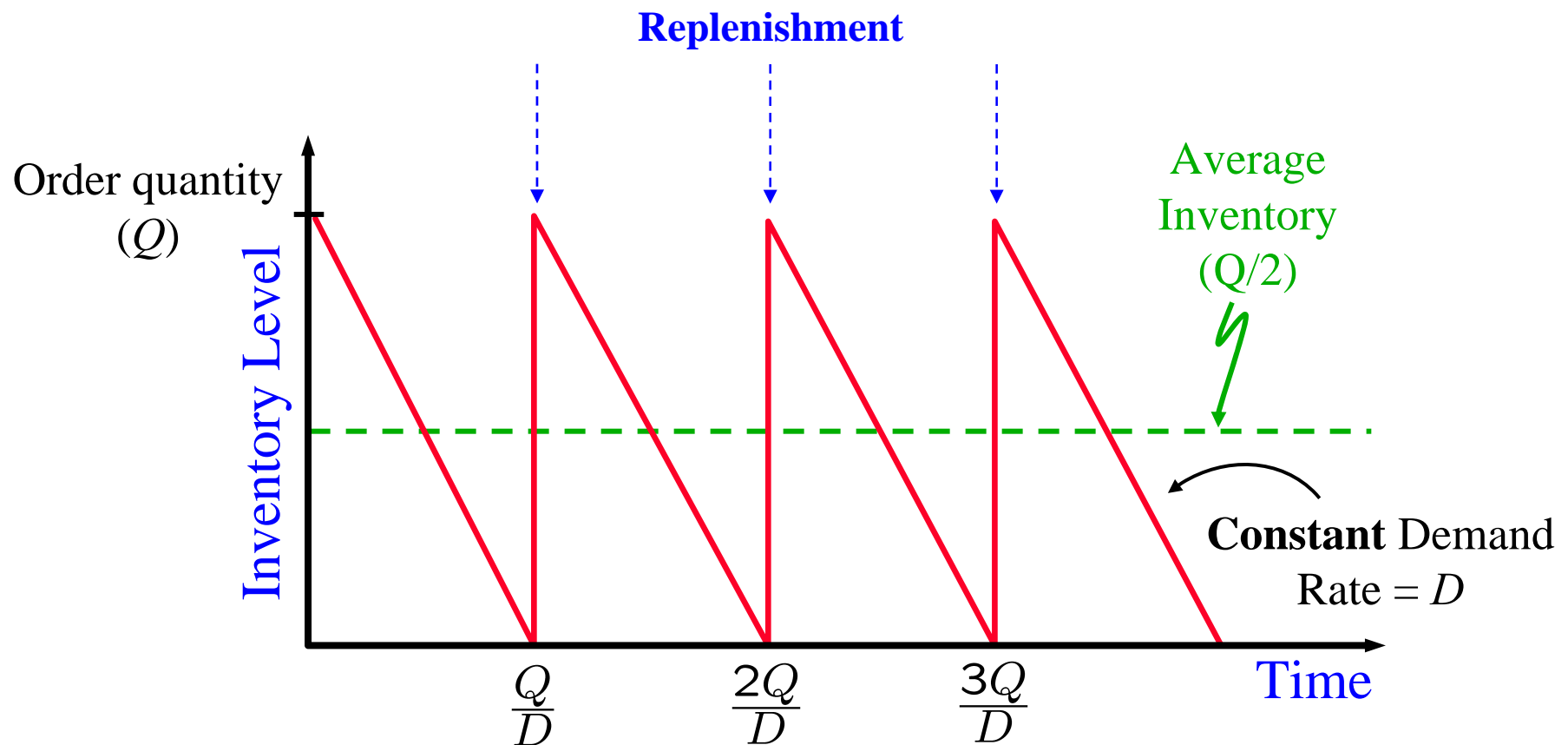
**Temporal much smaller gap!**

# Stochastic Inventory System



- Inventory System under Demand Uncertainty
  - ◆ Total Inventory = Working Inventory (WI) + Safety Stock (SS)
  - ◆ Estimate WI with Economic Order Quantity (EOQ) model

# Economic Order Quantity Model

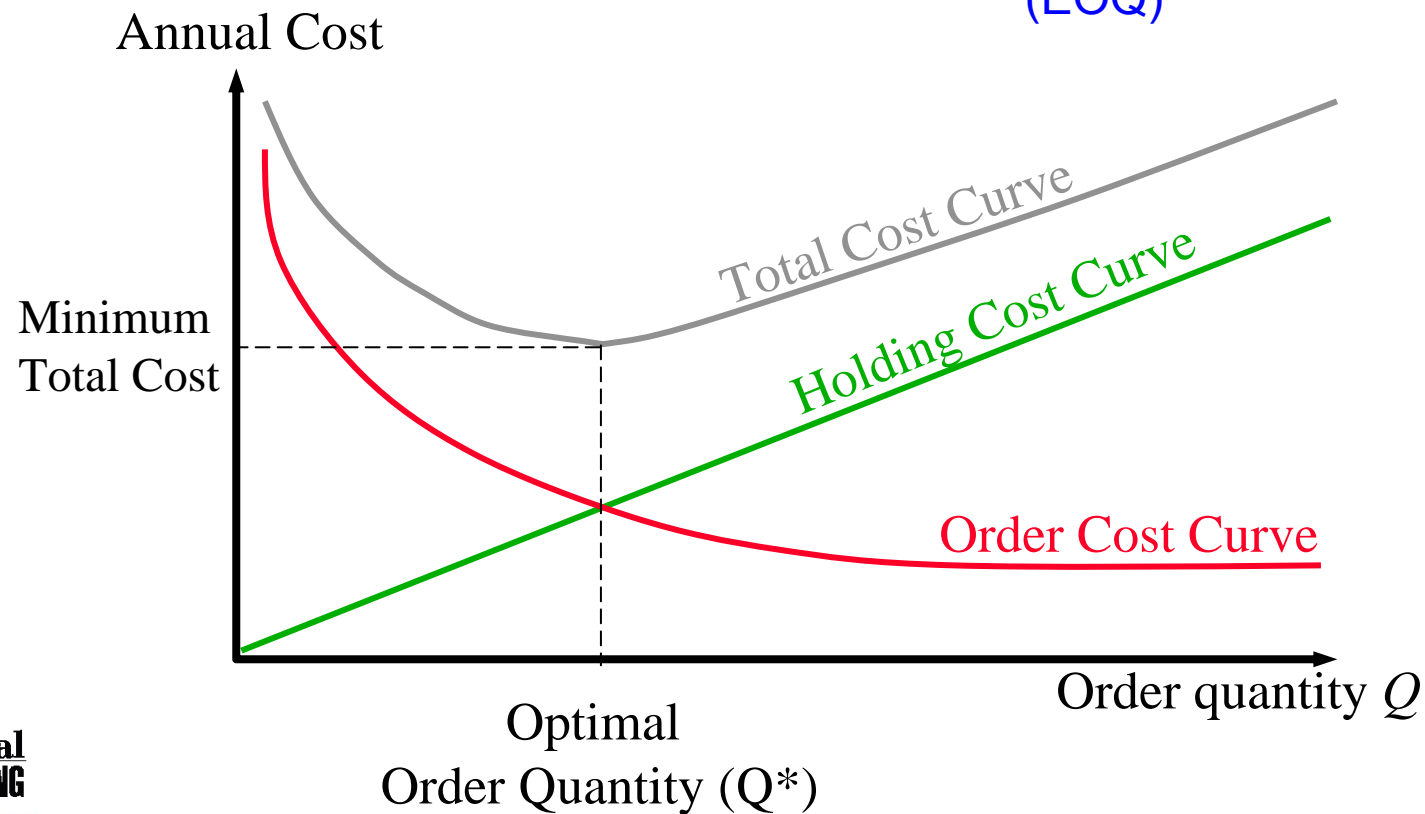


- ◆  $F$  = Fixed ordering cost for each replenishment
- ◆  $h$  = Unit inventory holding cost

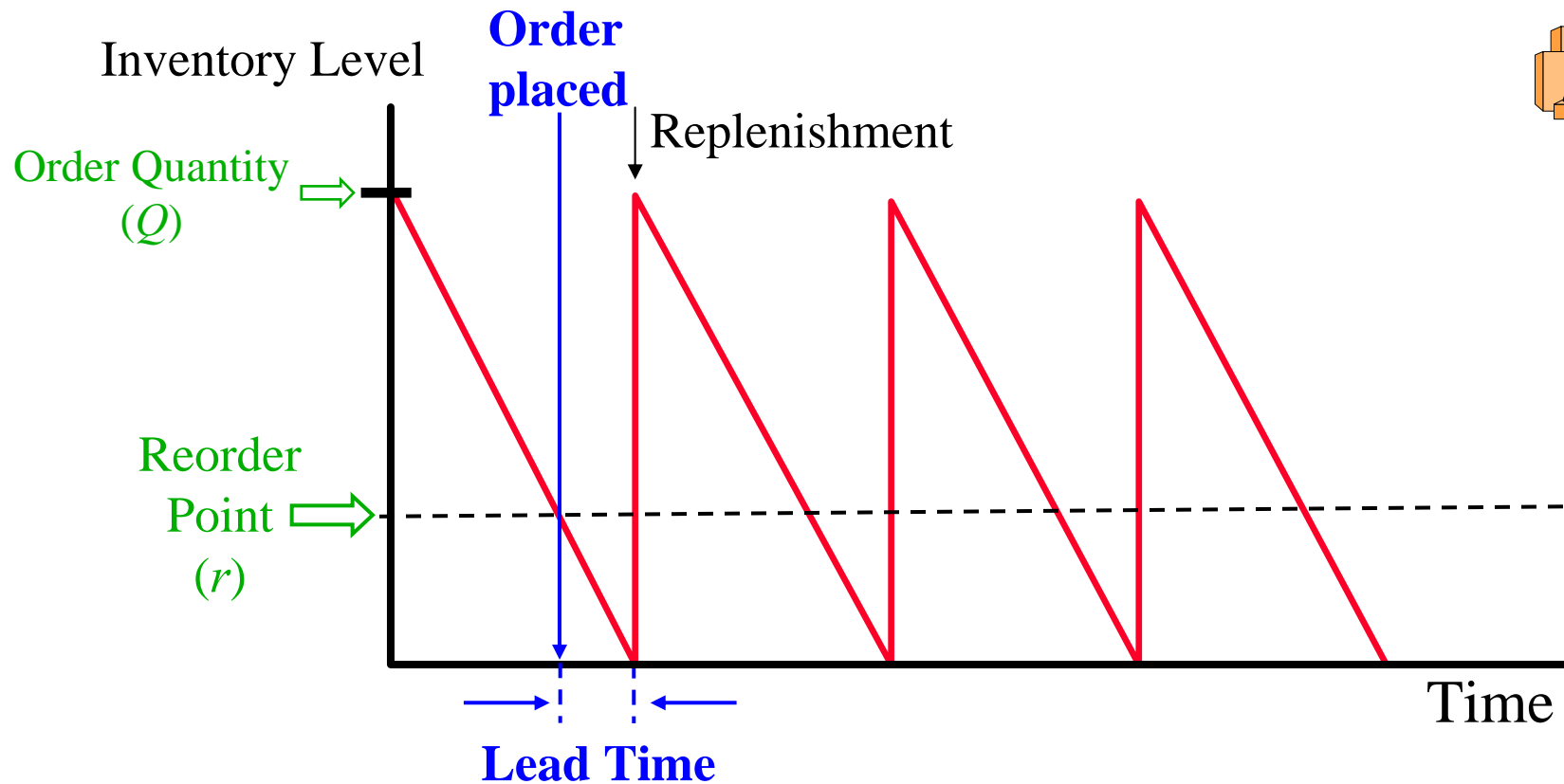
# Economic Order Quantity Model

$$\text{Total Cost} = \underbrace{F \cdot \frac{D}{Q}}_{\text{Order cost}} + \underbrace{h \cdot \frac{Q}{2}}_{\text{Holding cost}} \Rightarrow \boxed{Q^* = \sqrt{\frac{2FD}{h}}}$$

Economic Order Quantity (EOQ)



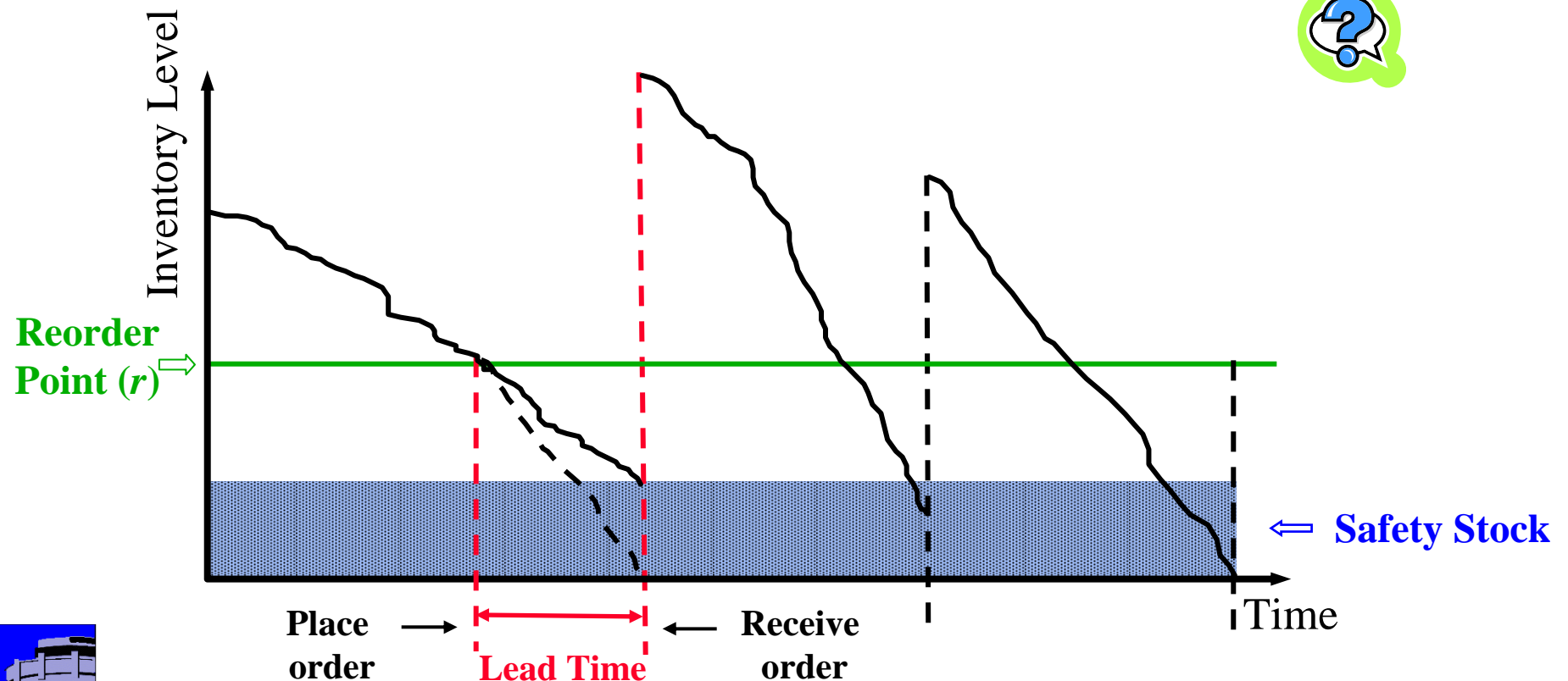
# $(Q, r)$ Inventory Policy



- ◆ When inventory level falls to  $r$ , order a quantity of  $Q$
- ◆ Reorder Point ( $r$ ) = Demand over Lead Time

# Stochastic Inventory Model

Stochastic Inventory = Working Inventory (EOQ) + Safety Stock

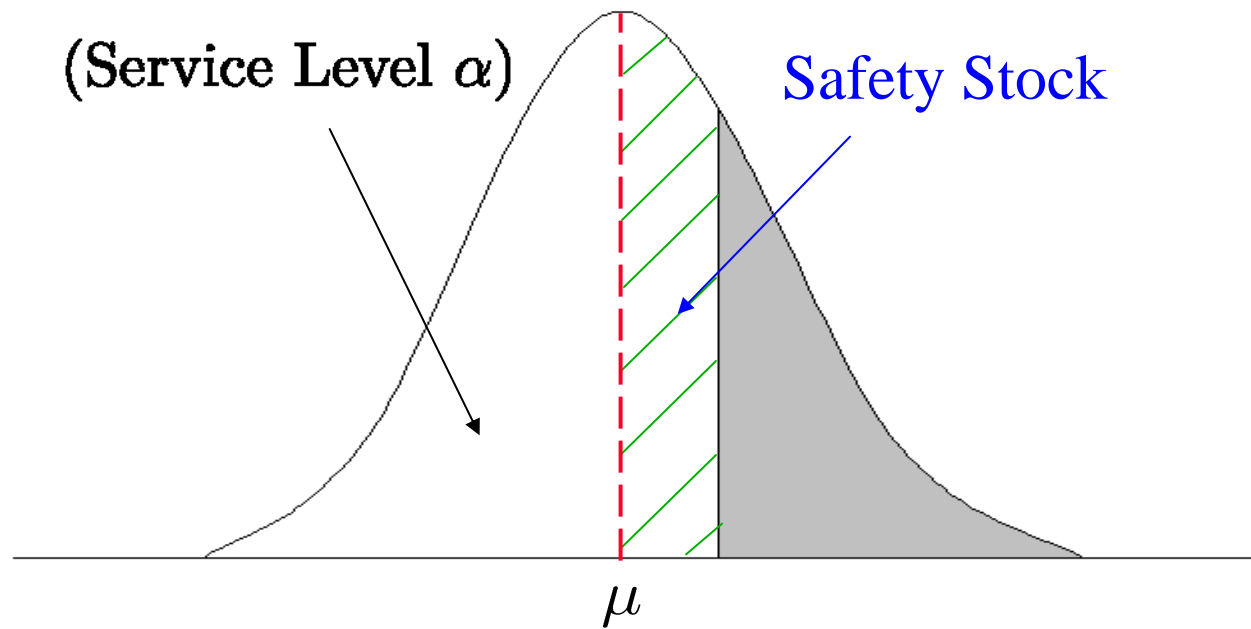


Reorder Point = Expected Demand over Lead Time + Safety Stock

# Safety Stock Level

$$D \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2) \Rightarrow \text{Safety Stock} = z_\alpha \sigma, \quad P(z \leq z_\alpha) = \alpha \text{ (Service Level)}$$

$$\text{Lead time} = L \Rightarrow D \sim N(L \cdot \mu, L \cdot \sigma^2) \Rightarrow \text{Safety Stock} = z_\alpha \sigma \sqrt{L}$$





# Risk-Pooling Effect\*



- Single retailer: safety stock =  $z_\alpha \sigma$
- Decentralized system:
  - ◆ Each retailer maintains its own inventory
  - ◆ Demand at each retailer is  $D_i \sim N(\mu_i, \sigma_i^2)$

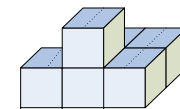
$$\text{safety stock} = z_\alpha \sum_{i=1}^N \sigma_i$$

- Centralized system:
  - ◆ All retailers share common inventory
  - ◆ Integrated demand  $\sum_i D_i \sim N(\sum_i \mu_i, \sum_i \sigma_i^2)$

$$\text{safety stock} = z_\alpha \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^N \sigma_i^2}$$



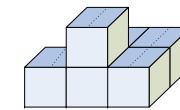
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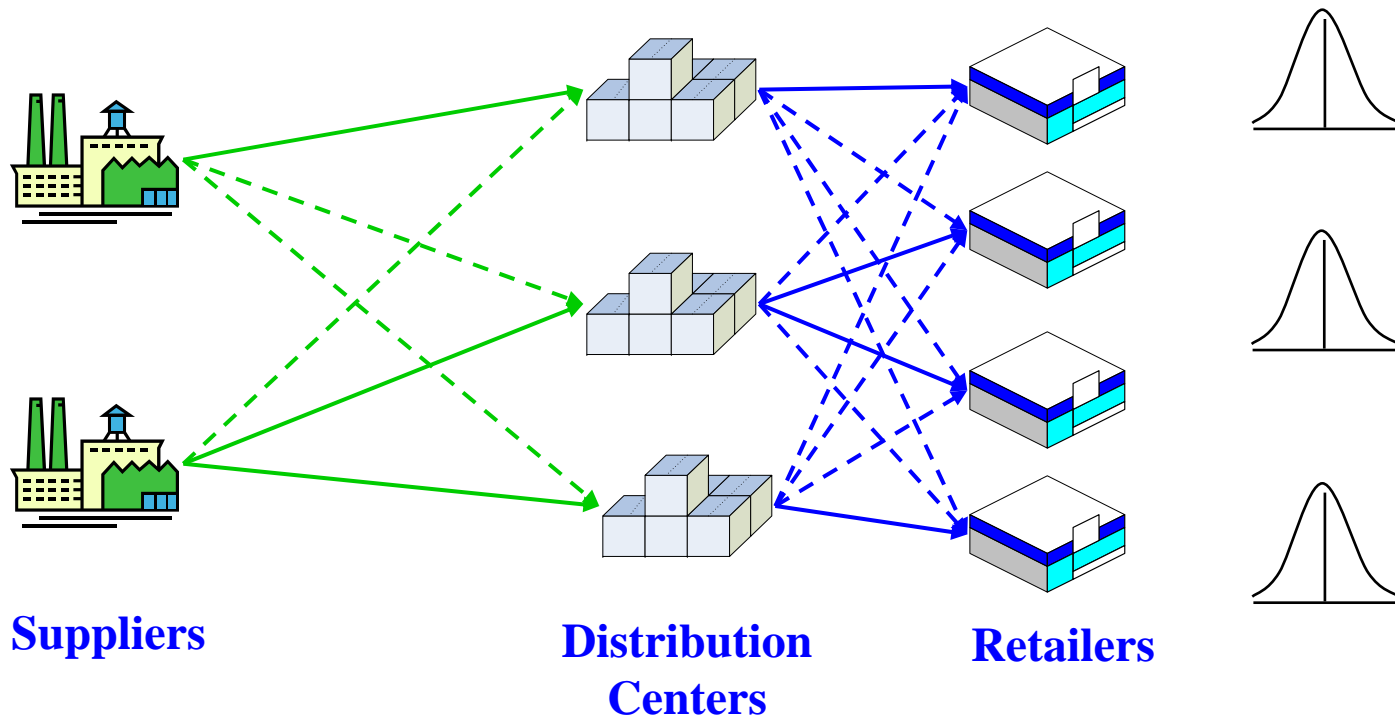
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# Supply Chain Design with Stochastic Inventory Management

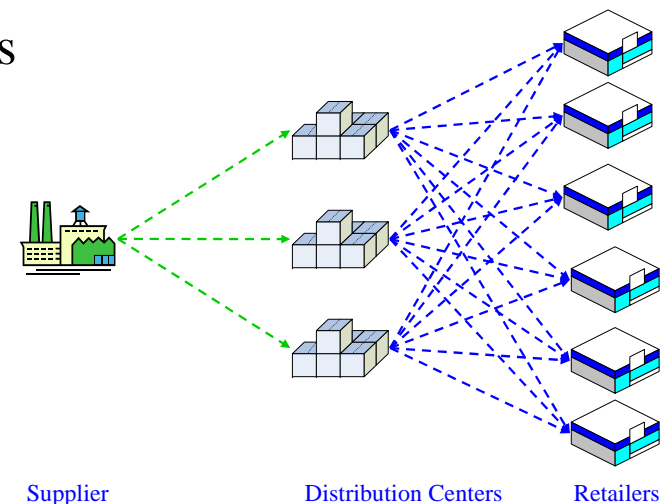
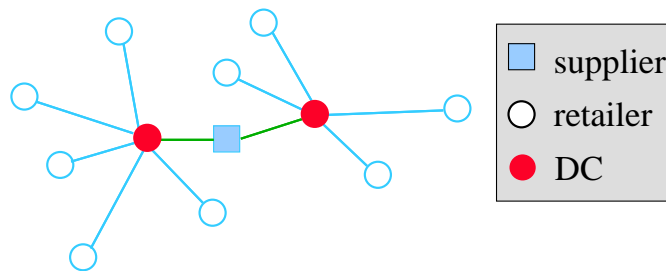


- Given: A potential supply chain *You, Grossmann (2008)*
  - Including fixed suppliers, retailers and potential DC locations
  - Each retailer has **uncertain** demand, using  $(Q, r)$  policy
  - Assume all DCs have identical lead time  $L$  (**lumped to one supplier**)



# Problem Statement

- Objective: (Minimize Cost)
  - ♦ Total cost = DC installation cost + transportation cost + fixed order cost + working inventory cost + safety stock cost
- Major Decisions (Network + Inventory)
  - ♦ Network: number of DCs and their locations, assignments between retailers and DCs (single sourcing), shipping amounts
  - ♦ Inventory: number of replenishment, reorder point, order quantity, neglect inventories in retailers



# EOQ cost



- $D$  = expected annual demand =  $\sum \chi \mu_i Y_{ij}$
- $v(x)$  = cost for shipping a order of size  $x$  from supplier
- $h$  = unit inventory holding cost
- $F$  = fixed cost for place an order
- $n$  = number of orders per year
- $\chi$  = days per year
- $L$  = order lead time
- $\beta$  = weighted factor associated with the transportation cost
- $\theta$  = weighted factor associated with the inventory cost



Annual EOQ cost at a DC:

$$F \cdot n + \beta \cdot n \cdot v\left(\frac{D}{n}\right) + \theta \cdot h \cdot \frac{D}{2n}$$

$v(x) = g + ax$

ordering cost

transportation cost

Working inventory cost

# Working Inventory Cost



Annual working inventory cost at a DC:



$$\underbrace{F \cdot n + \beta \cdot n \cdot \left(g + \frac{aD}{n}\right) + \theta \frac{h \cdot D}{2n}}_{\text{Convex Function of } n}$$

ordering cost      transportation cost      inventory cost

The optimal number of orders is:

$$n^* = \sqrt{((\theta h D) / 2(F + \beta g))}$$

The optimal annual EOQ cost:



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$$Fn + \beta v\left(\frac{D}{n}\right)n + \theta \frac{hD}{2n} = \boxed{\sqrt{2\theta h D(F + \beta g)} + \beta aD}$$

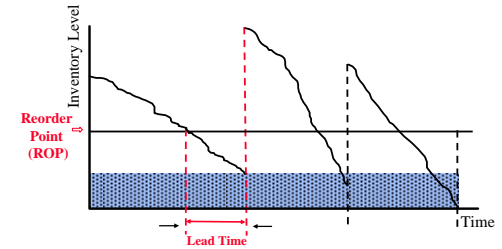
# Safety Stock Cost for DCs



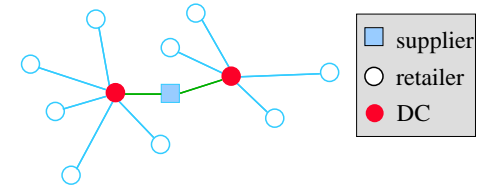
- Demand at retailer  $i \sim N(\mu_i, \sigma_i^2)$
- Centralized system (risk-pooling)
- Expected annual cost of safety stock at a DC is:

$$\text{safety stock cost} = h \cdot z_\alpha \sqrt{L \sum_{i \in I} \sigma_i^2}$$

where  $z_\alpha$  is the standard normal deviate for which  $P(z \leq z_\alpha) = \alpha$



# Other Parameters and Variables



- $I$  set of retailers (DC) indexed by  $i$
- $f_j$  fixed (annual) cost of locating a DC at retailer  $j, j \in I$
- $d_{ij}$  cost per unit to ship from DC  $j$  to retailer  $i$

$$X_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if retailer } j \text{ is selected as a DC} \\ 0 & \text{if not} \end{cases}$$

$$Y_{i,j} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if retailer } i \text{ is served by DC based on retailer } j \\ 0 & \text{if not} \end{cases}$$

# INLP Model Formulation



min

$$\sum_{j \in J} f_j X_j$$

DC installation cost

$$+ \beta \sum_{j \in J} \sum_{i \in I} d_{ij} \chi \mu_i Y_{ij}$$

DC – retailer transportation

$$+ \sum_{j \in J} \sqrt{2\theta h (F_j + \beta g_j) \sum_{i \in I} \chi \mu_i Y_{ij} + \beta \sum_{i \in I} \sum_{j \in J} (a_j \chi \mu_i Y_{ij})}$$

EOQ

$$+ \sum_{j \in J} (\theta h z_\alpha \sqrt{\sum_{i \in I} \sigma_i^2 L_i Y_{ij}})$$

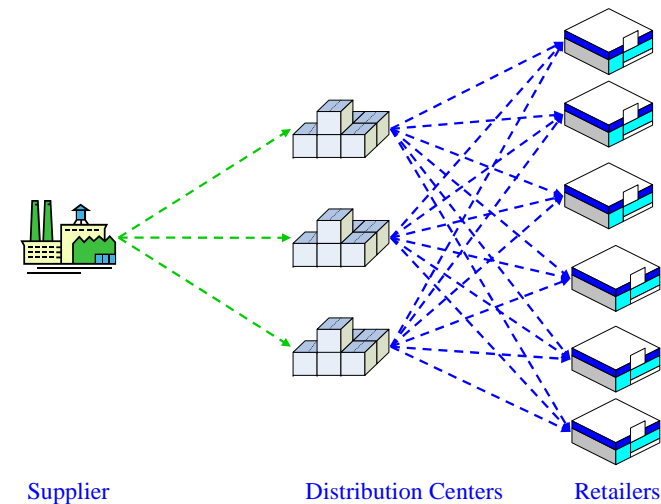
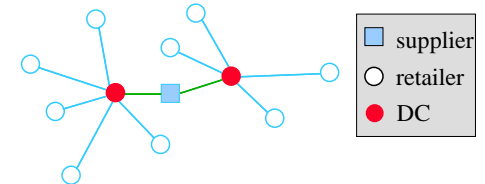
Safety Stock

$$\text{s.t. } \sum_{j \in J} Y_{ij} = 1, \quad \forall i \in I$$

$$Y_{ij} \leq X_j, \quad \forall i \in I, j \in J$$

$$X_j, Y_{ij} \in \{0, 1\}, \quad \forall i \in I, j \in J$$

Assignments



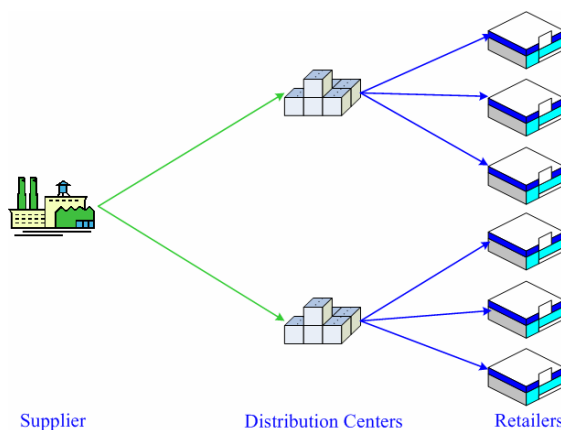
**Nonconvex INLP**



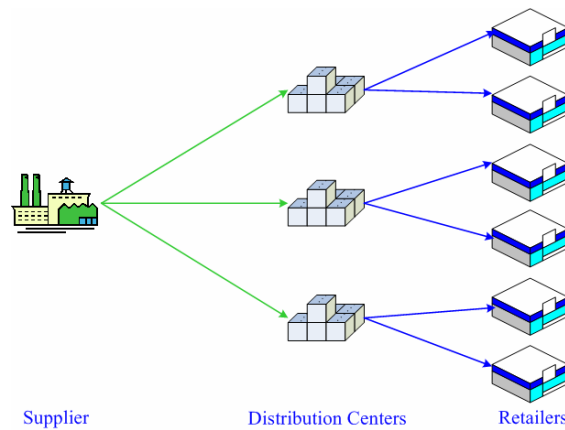
# Illustrative Example

## • Small Scale Example

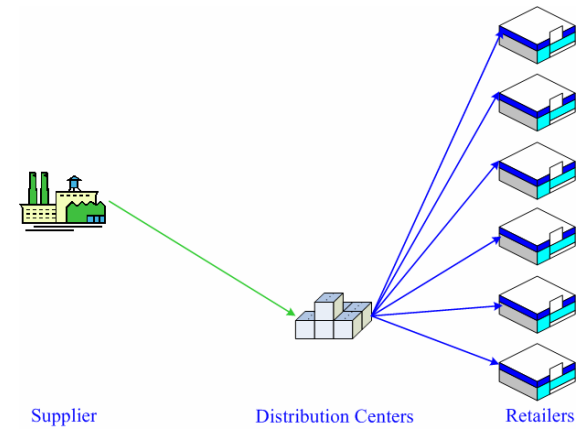
- ♦ A supply chain includes 3 potential DCs and 6 retailers (previous slide)
- ♦ Different weights for transportation ( $\beta$ ) and inventory ( $\theta$ )



$\beta = 0.01, \theta = 0.01$



$\beta = 0.1, \theta = 0.01$



$\beta = 0.01, \theta = 0.1$

## • Model Size for Large Scale Problem

- ♦ **INLP** model for 150 potential DCs and 150 retailers has **22,650 binary variables** and 22,650 constraints – need effective algorithm to solve it ...

# Model Properties

- Variables  $Y_{ij}$  can be relaxed as continuous variables (MINLP)
  - Local or global optimal solution always have all  $Y_{ij}$  at integer
  - If  $h=0$ , it reduces to an “uncapacitated facility location” problem
  - NLP relaxation is very effective (usually return integer solutions)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \min \quad & \sum_{j \in J} f_j X_j + \sum_{i \in I} \sum_{j \in J} \hat{d}_{ij} Y_{ij} + \sum_{j \in J} K_j \underbrace{\sqrt{\sum_{i \in I} \mu_i Y_{ij}}}_{Z1_j} + \sum_{j \in J} q \underbrace{\sqrt{\sum_{i \in I} \hat{\sigma}_i^2 Y_{ij}}}_{Z2_j} \\
 \text{s.t.} \quad & \sum_{j \in J} Y_{ij} = 1 \quad , \quad \forall i \in I \\
 & Y_{ij} \leq X_j \quad , \quad \forall i \in I, j \in J \\
 & Y_{ij} \geq 0 \quad , \quad \forall i \in I, j \in J \\
 & X_j \in \{0, 1\} \quad , \quad \forall j \in J
 \end{aligned}$$

Avoid unbounded gradient

**Non-convex MINLP**

$$\text{where } \hat{d}_{ij} = \beta \mu_i (d_{ij} + a_j), \quad \hat{\sigma}_i^2 = L \sigma_i^2 K_j = \sqrt{2\theta h (F_j + \beta g_j)}, \quad q = \theta h z_\alpha$$



# Lagrangian Relaxation

- Lagrangian Relaxation (LR) and Decomposition

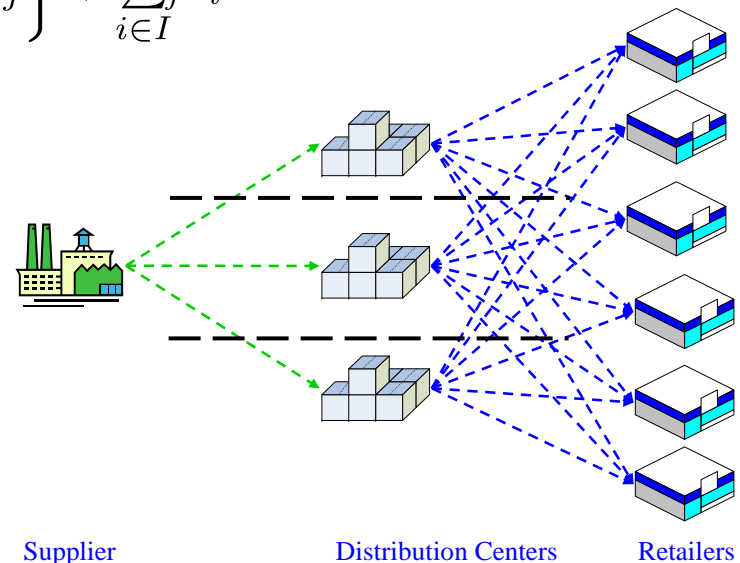
- LR: dualizing the **single sourcing constraint**.  $\sum_{j \in J} Y_{ij} = 1, \forall i \in I$

- Spatial Decomposition**: decompose the problem for each potential DC  $j$   $\sum_{j \in J} X_j \geq 1$

- Implicit constraint**: at least one DC should be installed,

$$\min \sum_{j \in J} \left\{ f_j X_j + \sum_{i \in I} (\hat{\mu}_i Y_{ij} - \hat{\sigma}_i^2 Y_{ij} + Z1_j X_j + Z2_j) \right\} \quad \text{Use (a special case of LR subproblem) that } \sum_{i \in I} X_i = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{s.t.} \quad & Y_{ij} \leq X_j, \quad \forall j \in J, i \in I \\ & Y_{ij} \geq 0, \quad \forall j \in J, i \in I \\ & X_j \in \{0, 1\}, \quad \forall j \in J \\ & -Z1_j^2 + \sum_{i \in I} \mu_i Y_{ij} \leq 0, \quad \forall j \in J \\ & -Z2_j^2 + \sum_{i \in I} \hat{\sigma}_i^2 Y_{ij} \leq 0, \quad \forall j \in J \\ & Z1_j \geq 0, Z2_j \geq 0, \quad \forall j \in J \end{aligned}$$



Supplier

Distribution Centers

Retailers



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decompose by DC  $j$

# Computational Results

- 88 ~150 retailers
  - ♦ Each instance has the same number of potential DCs as the retailers

No. Retailers	$\beta$	$\theta$	Lagrangian Relaxation (Algorithm 2)					BARON (global optimum)		
			Upper Bound	Lower Bound	Gap	Iter.	Time (s)	Upper Bound	Lower Bound	Gap
88	0.001	0.1	867.55	867.54	0.001 %	21	356.1	867.55*	837.68	3.566 %
88	0.001	0.5	1230.99	1223.46	0.615 %	24	322.54	1295.02*	1165.15	11.146 %
88	0.005	0.1	2284.06	2280.74	0.146 %	55	840.28	2297.80*	2075.51	10.710 %
88	0.005	0.5	2918.3	2903.38	0.514 %	51	934.85	3022.67*	2417.06	25.056 %
150	0.001	0.5	1847.93	1847.25	0.037 %	13	659.1	1847.93*	1674.08	10.385 %
150	0.005	0.1	3689.71	3648.4	1.132 %	53	3061.2	3689.71*	3290.18	12.143 %

\* Suboptimal solution obtained with BARON for 10 hour limit.

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