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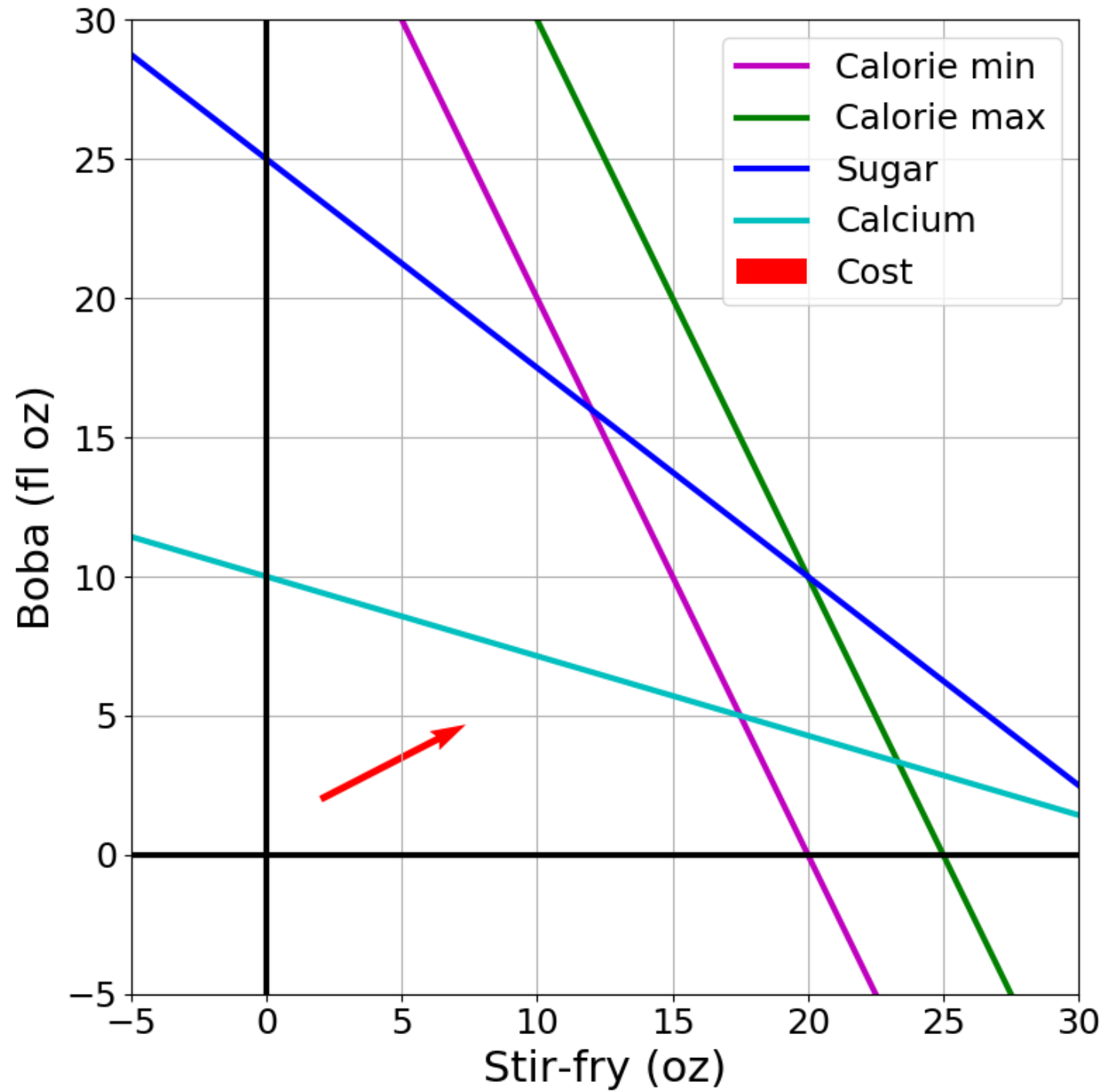
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Assignments:

- HW3 (online)
 - Due Wed 2/6, 10 pm
- P1: Search & Games
 - Due Thu 2/7, 10 pm
- HW4 (written)
 - Released Wed 2/6
 - Due Tue 2/12, 10 pm
- P2: Optimization
 - Released later this week
 - Due Thu 2/21, 10 pm

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Midterm 1 Exam

- Mon 2/18, in class

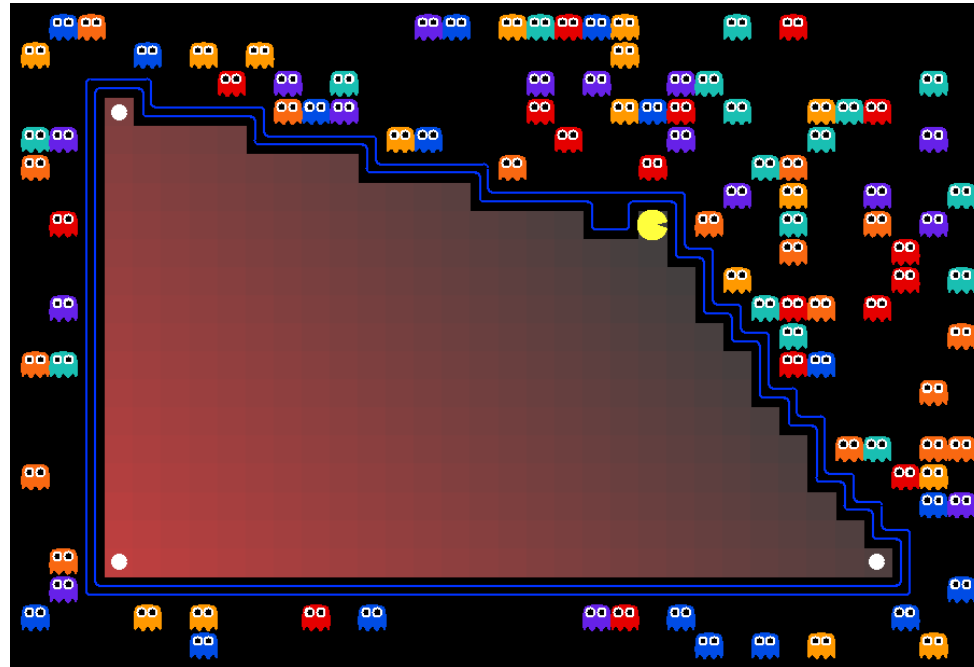
AAAI Conference

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AI: Representation and Problem Solving

Linear Programming



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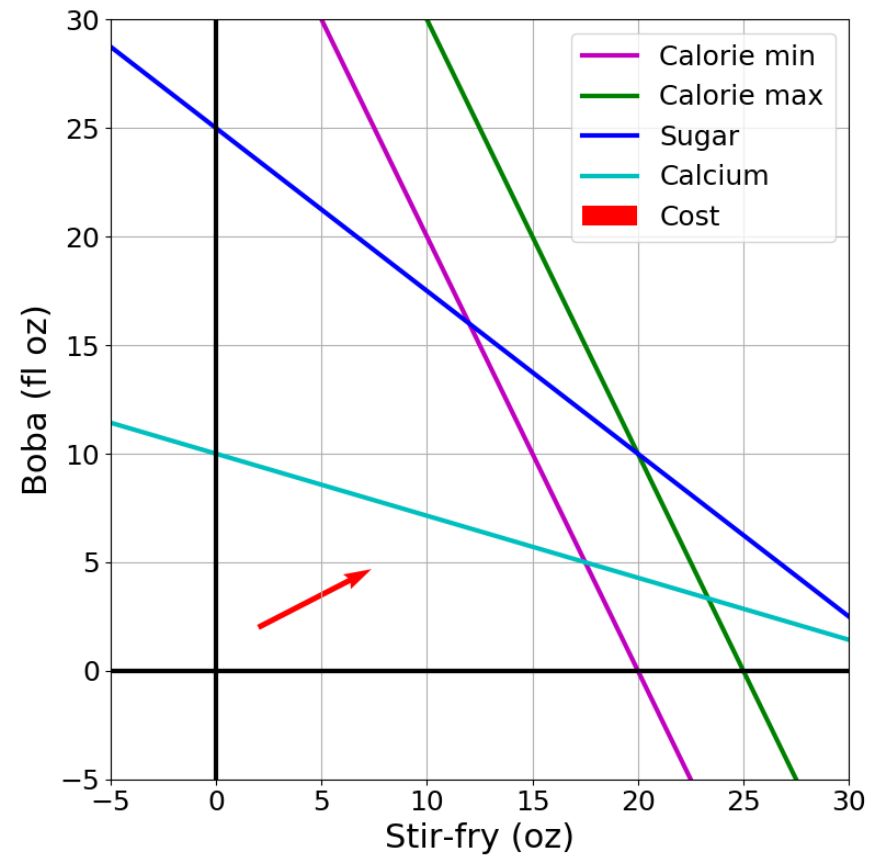
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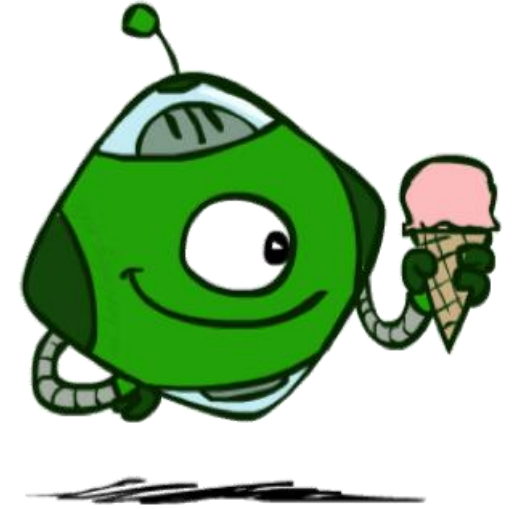
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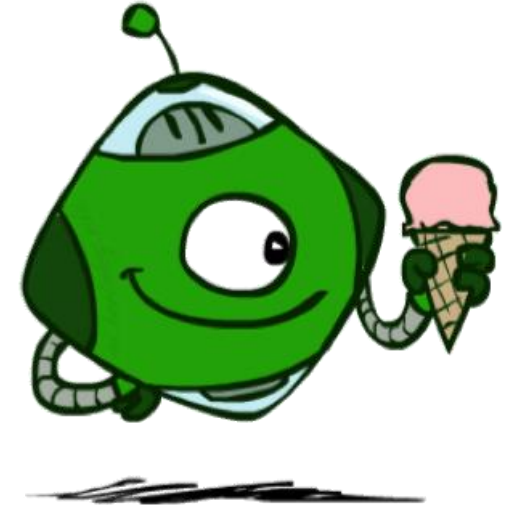
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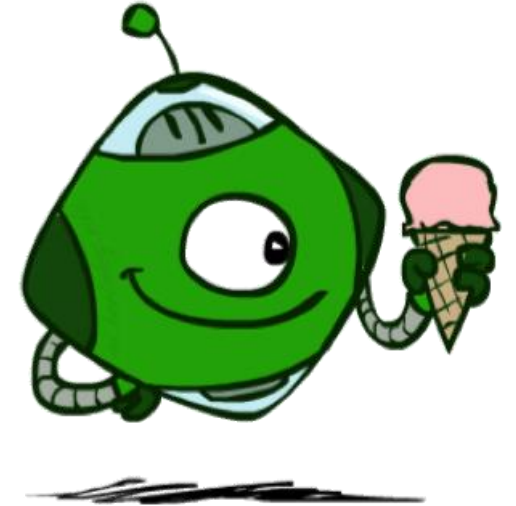
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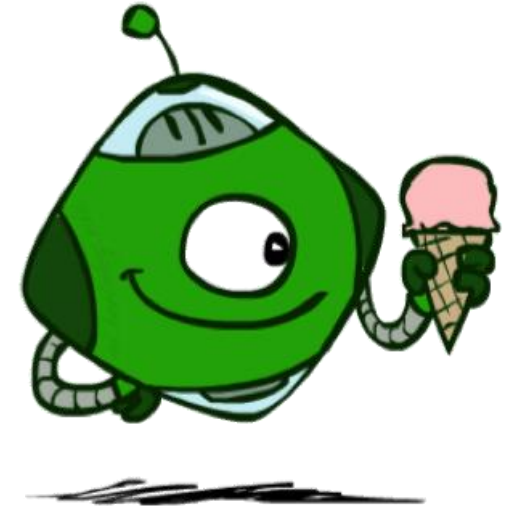
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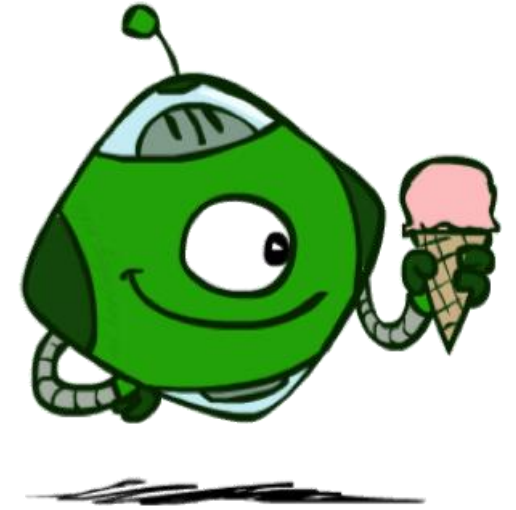
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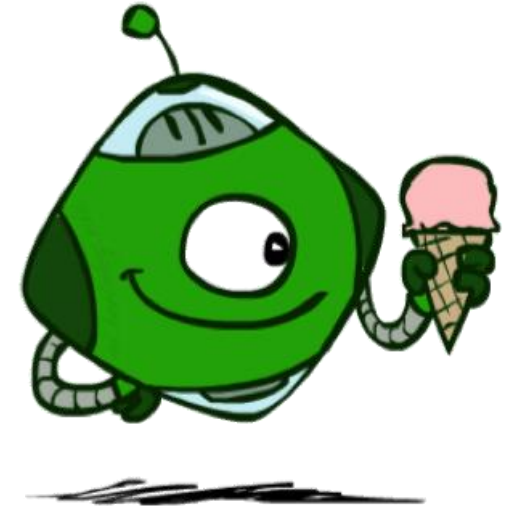
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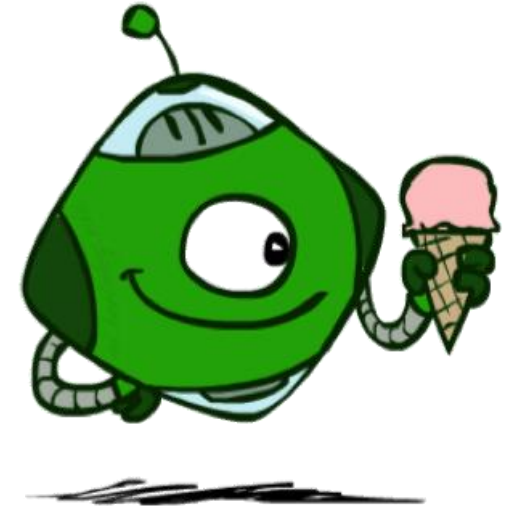
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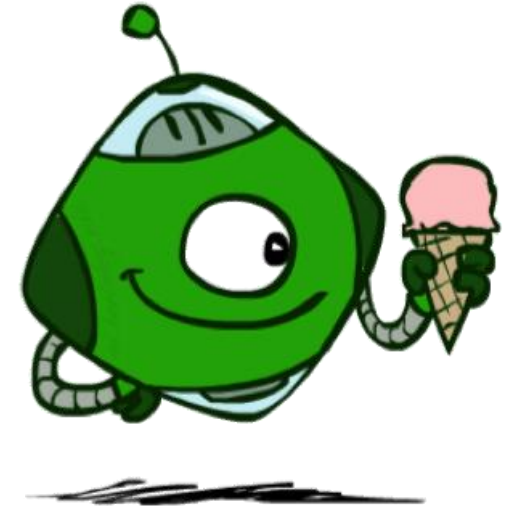
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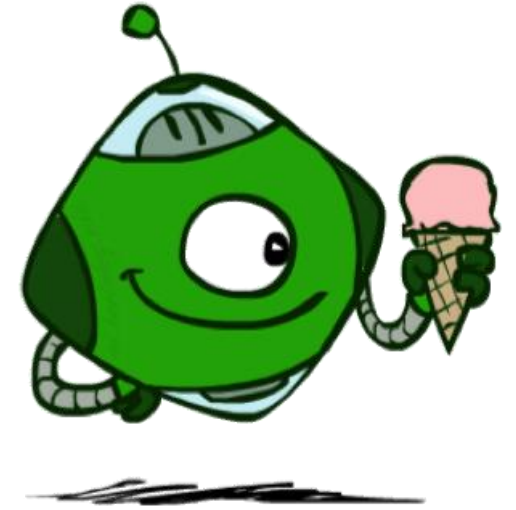
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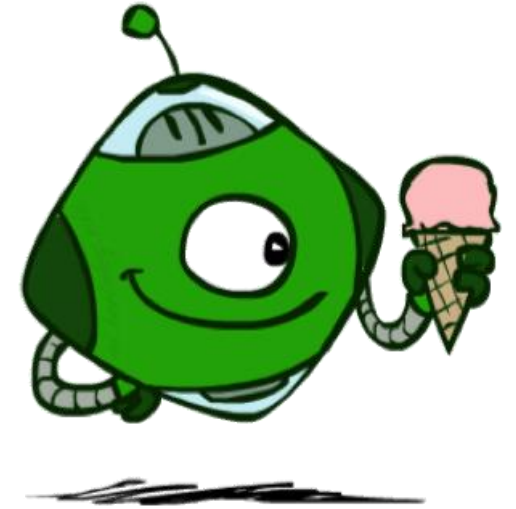
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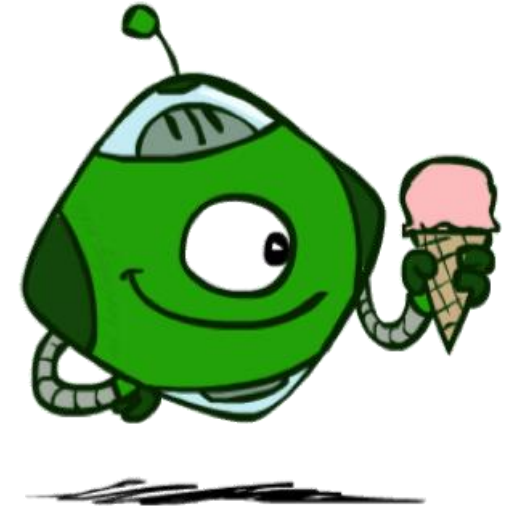
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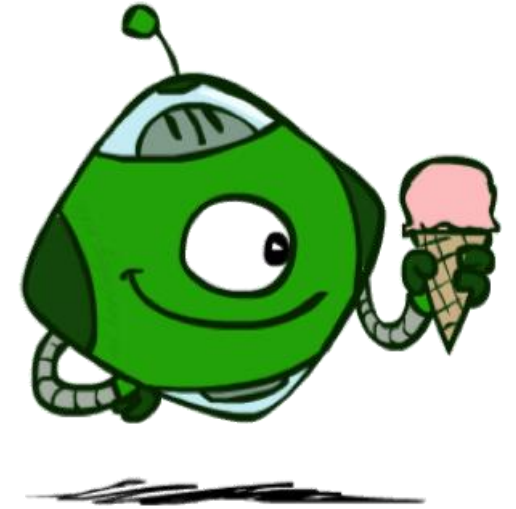
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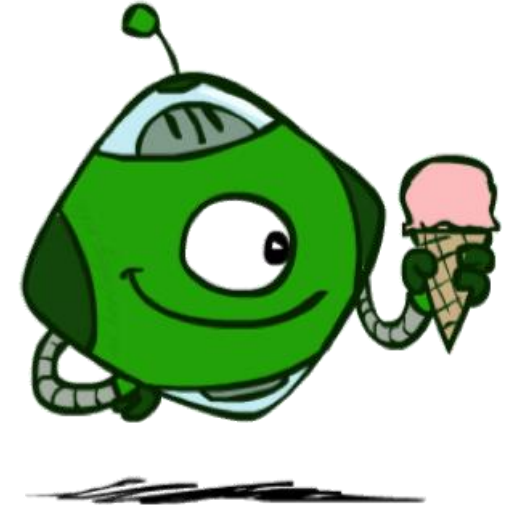
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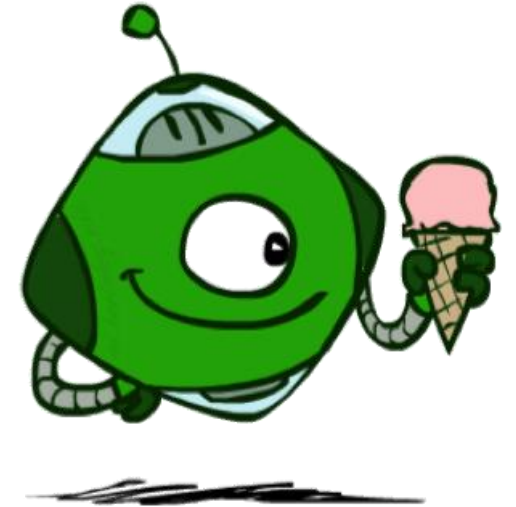
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Linear Programming

Linear objective with linear constraints

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As opposed to general optimization

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min. & f_0(\mathbf{x}) \\ \text{s.t.} & f_i(\mathbf{x}) \leq 0, \quad i = 1 \dots M \\ & \mathbf{a}_i^T \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}_i, \quad i = 1 \dots P \end{array}$$

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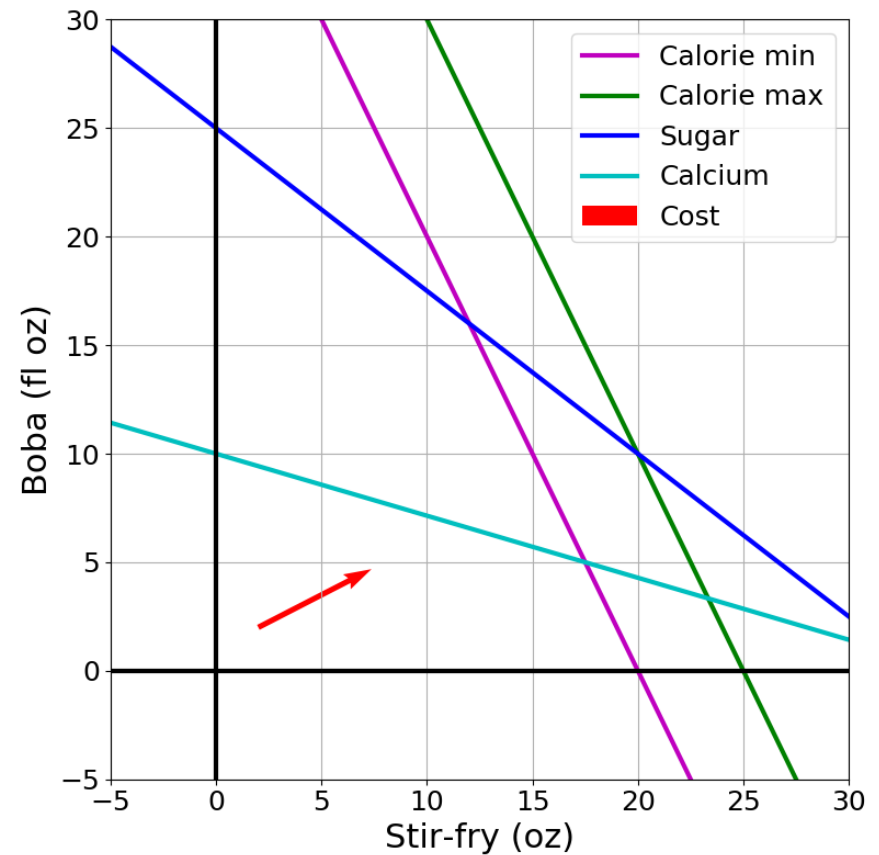
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Geometry / Algebra I Quiz

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Piazza Poll 3

What is the relationship between the half plane:

$$a_1 x_1 + a_2 x_2 \leq b_1$$

and the vector:

$$[a_1, a_2]^T$$

Piazza Poll 4

Given the cost vector $[c_1, c_2]^T$ and initial point $\mathbf{x}^{(0)}$,

Which unit vector step $\Delta \mathbf{x}$ will cause $\mathbf{x}^{(1)} = \mathbf{x}^{(0)} + \Delta \mathbf{x}$ to have the lowest cost $\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}^{(1)}$?

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LP Graphical Representation

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True or False: An minimizing LP with exactly on constraint, will always have a minimum objective at $-\infty$.

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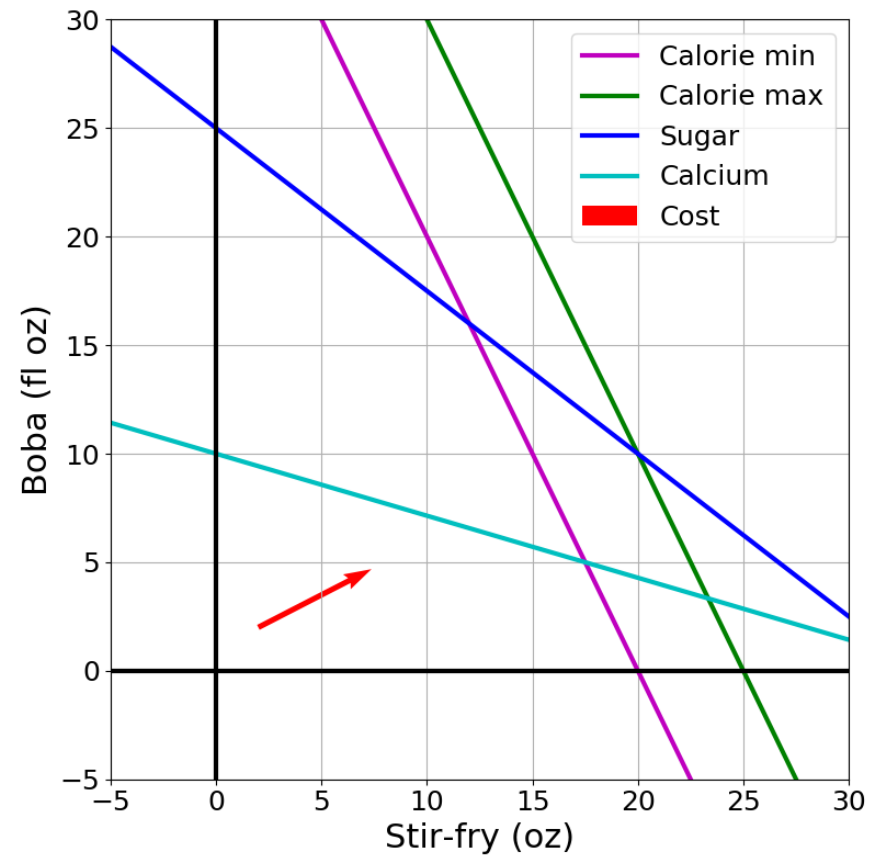
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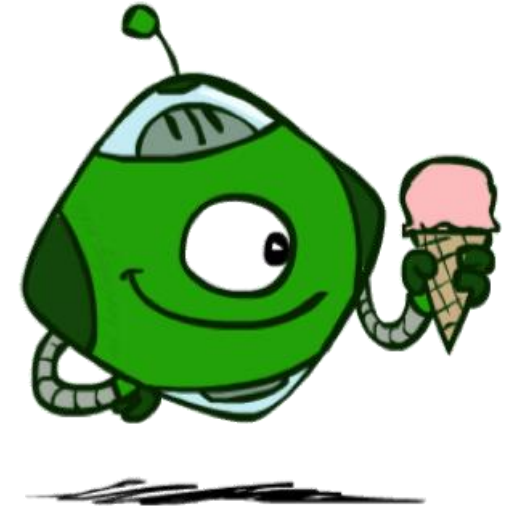
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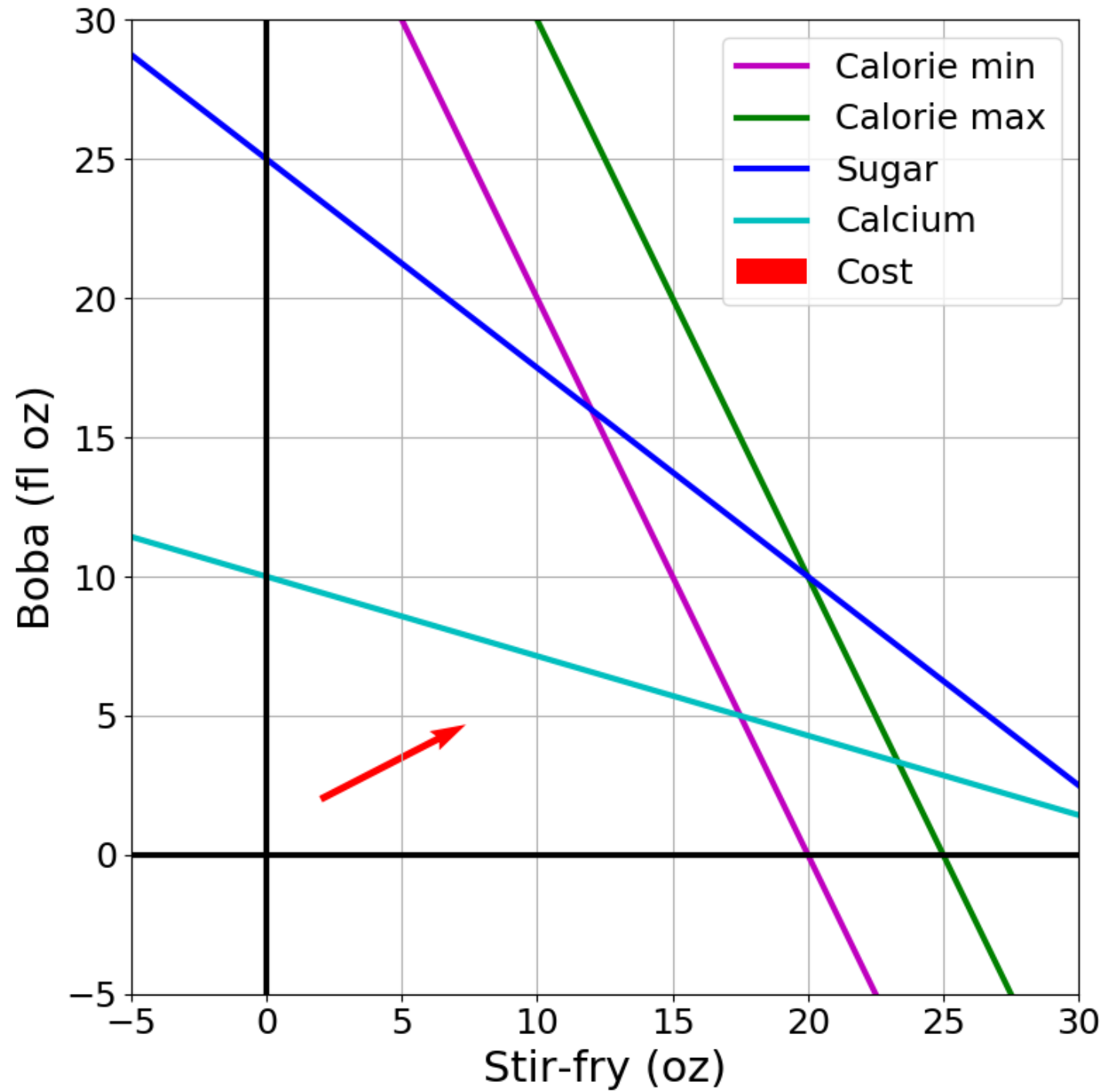


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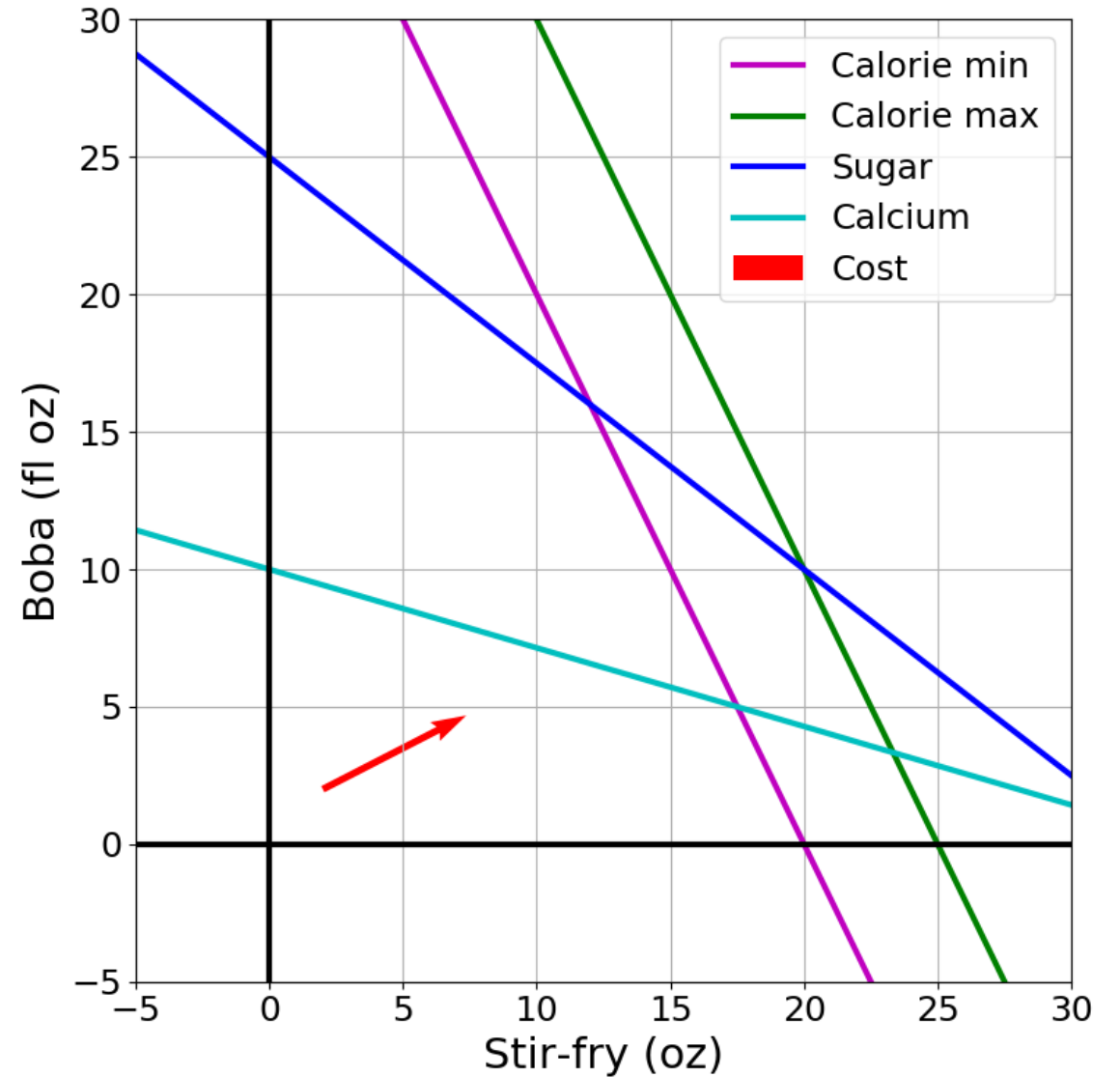
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