

PRO5802 - Programação de Produção Intermitente (2021)

Aula 3 – Teoria de Scheduling

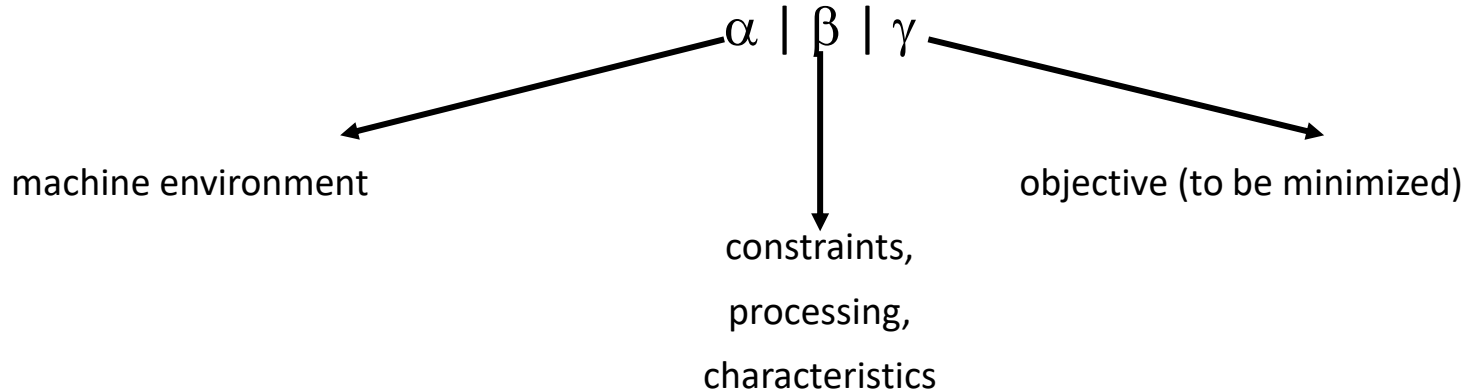
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Jobs and machines

- Data (assumed to be given)

m	number of machines
n	number of jobs
p_{ij}	processing time of job j at machine i
p_j	processing time of job j at when all machines are identical
r_j	release date of job j
d_j	due date of job j
w_j	weight of job j

Description of a Scheduling Problem



Examples:

- Paper bag factory
- Gate assignment
- Tasks in a CPU
- Traveling Salesman

$FF3 \mid r_j \mid \sum w_j T_j$

$P_m \mid r_j, M_j \mid \sum w_j T_j$

$I \mid r_j \text{ prmp} \mid \sum w_j C_j$

$I \mid s_{jk} \mid C_{\max}$

Machine environment α

- Single machine and machines in parallel

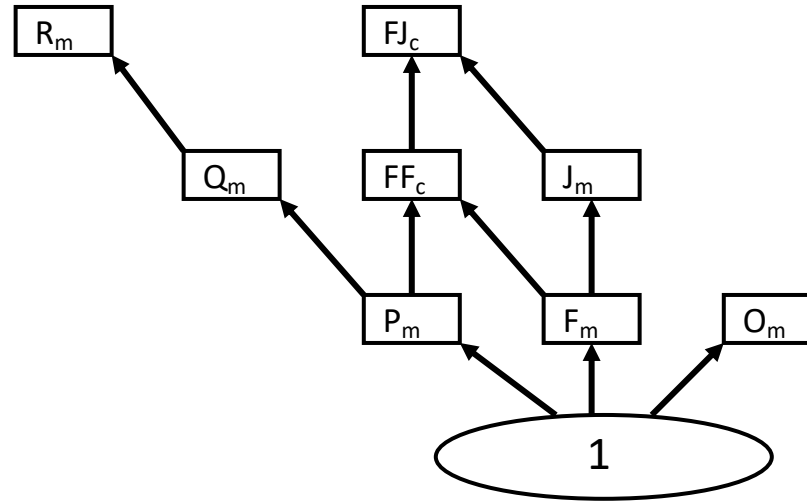
1	single machine
P_m	m identical machines in parallel
Q_m	m machines in parallel w/different speeds v_i
R_m	m unrelated machines in parallel

Machine environment α (2)

- Machines in series

F_m	flow shop: all jobs processed in the same order on the machines
FF_c	flexible flow shop: same as flow shop but with c stages of parallel machines
J_m	job shop: each job has its own routing
FJ_c	flexible job shop: same as job shop but with c stages of parallel machines
O_m	open shop: each job has to be processed on all machines but no routing restrictions

Machine Environment



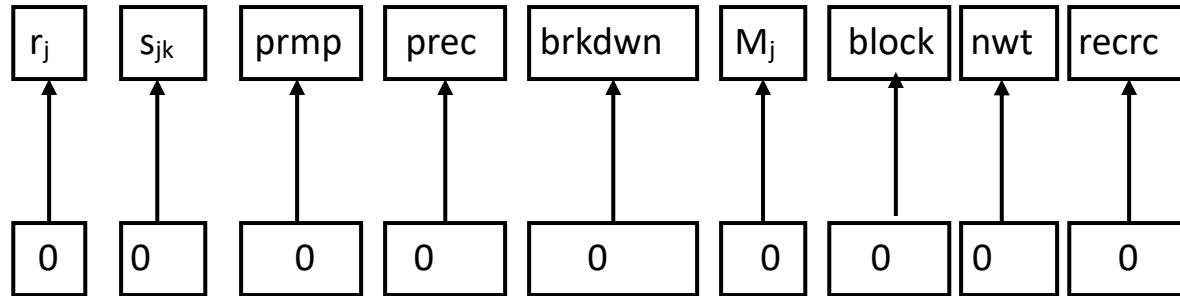
Processing characteristics and constraints β

	could be empty!
r_j	Release dates
s_{jk}	sequence dependent setup times
s_{ijk}	sequence and machine dependent setup times
$prmp$	preemption
$prec$	precedence constraints

Processing characteristics and constraints β (2)

<i>brkdown</i>	breakdowns
<i>M_j</i>	machine eligibility restrictions
<i>prmu</i>	permutation
<i>block</i>	blocking
<i>nwt</i>	no waiting
<i>recrc</i>	recirculation

Processing Restrictions and Constraints



Objectives γ

- Performance measures of individual jobs

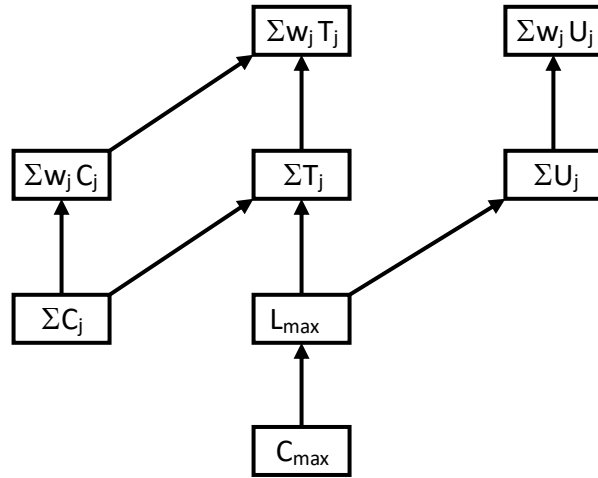
C_j	completion time of job j
L_j	lateness = $C_j - d_j$
T_j	tardiness = $\max(L_j, 0)$
E_j	earliness = $\max(-L_j, 0)$
U_j	unit penalty = 1 if $C_j > d_j$ and 0 otherwise
$h_j(C_j)$	h_j is a non-decreasing cost function

Objectives γ (2)

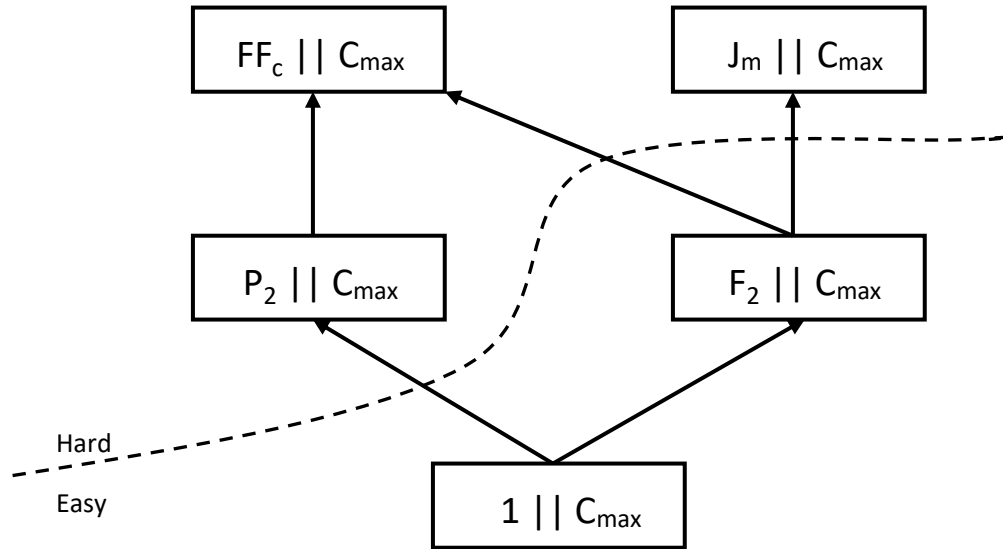
- Functions to be minimized

$C_{\max} = \max C_j$	makespan
$L_{\max} = \max L_j$	maximum lateness
$\sum w_j C_j$	total weighted completion time
$\sum w_j (1 - e^{-rC_j})$	total weighted discounted C_j
$\sum w_j T_j$	total weighted tardiness
$\sum w_j U_j$	weighted number of tardy jobs
$\sum w_j' E_j + \sum w_j'' T_j$	total weighted earliness and tardiness

Objective Functions



Complexity of Makespan Problems



Classes of Schedules

- Nondelay (greedy) schedule
 - No machine is kept idle while a task is waiting for processing.

An optimal schedule need not be nondelay!

Example: $P_2 \mid \mid C_{\max}$

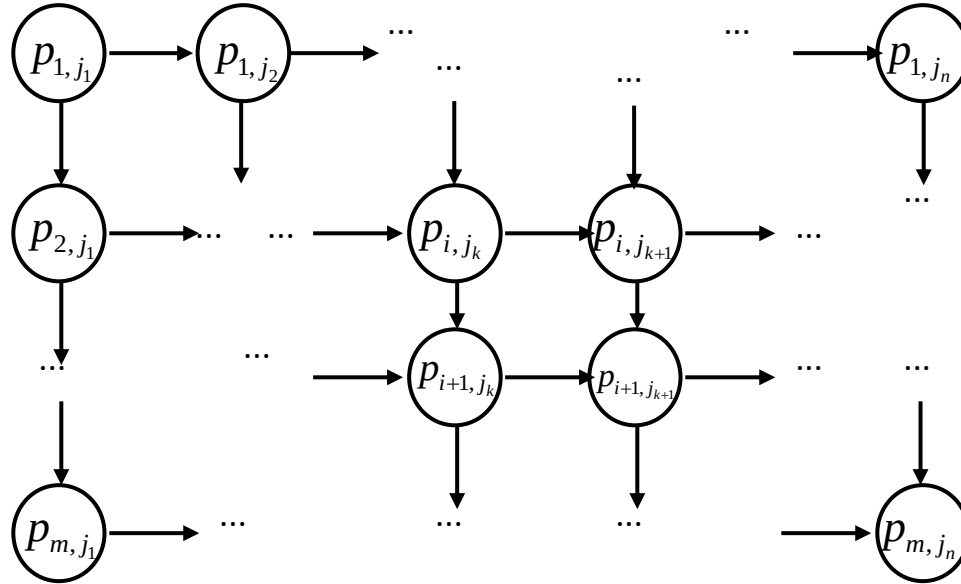
jobs	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
p_j	8	7	7	2	3	2	2	8	8	15

Como funciona na prática?

Flow Shops

- Each job must follow the same route.
 - There is a sequence of machines.
- There may be limited buffer space between neighboring machines.
 - The job must sometimes remain in the previous machine: **Blocking**.
- The main objective in flow shop scheduling is the makespan.
 - It is related to utilization of the machines.
- If the First-come-first-served principle is in effect, then jobs cannot pass each other.
 - **Permutation flow shop**

Directed Graph for $F_m | \text{prmu} | C_{\max}$

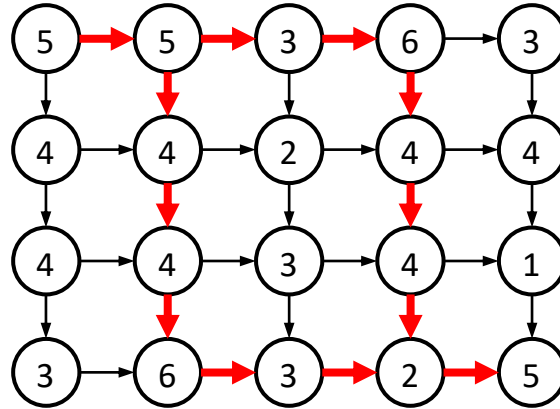


Example F4 | prmu | $C_{\max}$

5 jobs on 4 machines with the following processing times

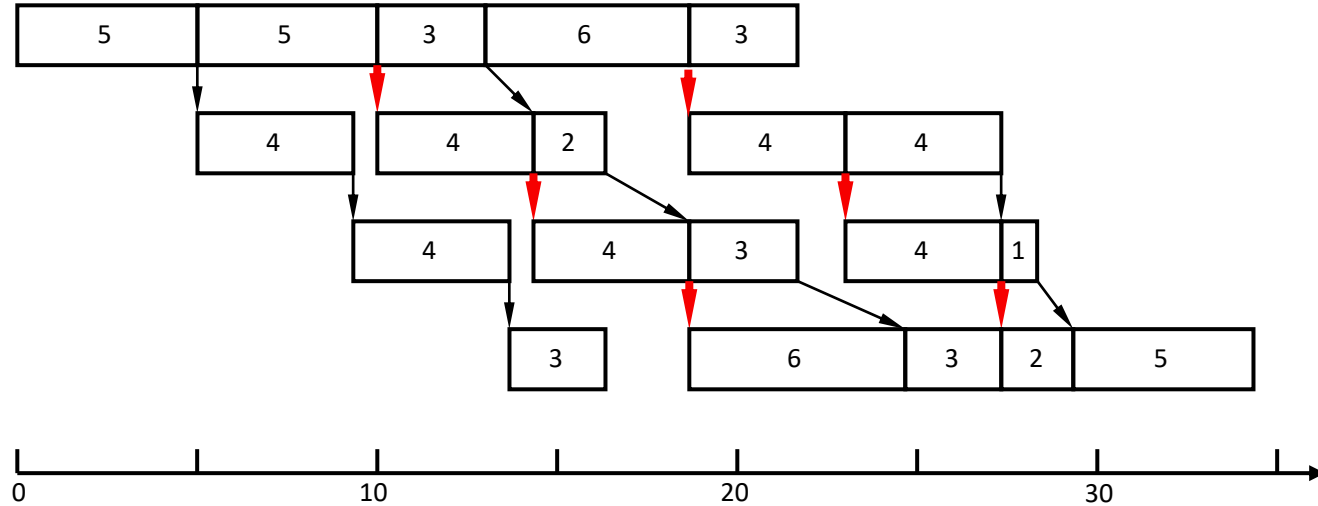
jobs	j_1	j_2	j_3	j_4	j_5
p_{1,j_k}	5	5	3	6	3
p_{2,j_k}	4	4	2	4	4
p_{3,j_k}	4	4	3	4	1
p_{4,j_k}	3	6	3	2	5

Directed Graph in the Example



→ Critical path

Gantt Chart in the Example



Slope Heuristic

- Slope index A_j for job j

$$A_j = -\sum_{i=1}^m (m - (2i - 1))p_{ij}$$

- Sequencing of jobs in decreasing order of the slope index
- Consider 5 jobs on 4 machines with the following processing times

jobs	j_1	j_2	j_3	j_4	j_5
p_{1,j_k}	5	2	3	6	3
p_{2,j_k}	1	4	3	4	4
p_{3,j_k}	4	4	2	4	4
p_{4,j_k}	3	6	3	5	5

Sequences 2,5,3,1,4 and
5,2,3,1,4 are optimal
and the makespan is 32.

$$A_1 = - (3 \times 5) - (1 \times 4) + (1 \times 4) + (3 \times 3) = -6$$

$$A_2 = - (3 \times 5) - (1 \times 4) + (1 \times 4) + (3 \times 6) = +3$$

$$A_3 = - (3 \times 3) - (1 \times 2) + (1 \times 3) + (3 \times 3) = +1$$

$$A_4 = - (3 \times 6) - (1 \times 4) + (1 \times 4) + (3 \times 2) = -12$$

$$A_5 = - (3 \times 3) - (1 \times 4) + (1 \times 1) + (3 \times 5) = +3$$

Classification of Scheduling Problems

5 job single machine exercise

minimize $\sum w_j C_j$

where C_j is the completion time of job j ,

p_j is the processing time of job j ,

w_j is the weight (priority) of job j

j	p_j	w_j
1	4	3
2	1	1
3	3	10
4	10	15
5	2	4

Regular objective functions

- Regular objective functions
 - non-decreasing in $C_1, \dots, C_n$
 - most objective functions considered in this class are regular
- Non-regular objective functions
 - Example: $\sum w_j' E_j + \sum w_j'' T_j$
 - Much harder to solve!

Discussion on complexity

What does complexity mean?

- Complexity is an indication of how much computation is required to solve a problem
- Significance of the complexity of a scheduling problem
 - Does an efficient algorithm for solving the problem exist?
 - Worst case analysis

Problems and instances

- A problem is the generic description of a problem
- An instance refers to a problem with a given set of data
- The size of an instance refers to the length of the data string necessary to specify the instance (on a computer)
 - In this class the size of an instance is usually measured in the number of jobs n

The classes $\mathcal{P}$ and $\mathcal{NP}$

- Class $\mathcal{P}$
 - The class $\mathcal{P}$ contains all decision problems for which there exists a Turing machine algorithm that leads to the right yes-no answer in a number of steps bounded by a polynomial in the length of the encoding
- Class $\mathcal{NP}$
 - The class $\mathcal{NP}$ contains all decision problems for which the correct answer, given a proper clue, can be verified by a Turing machine in a number of steps bounded by a polynomial in the length of the encoding

Problem reduction

- Problem P polynomially reduces to problem P' if a polynomial time algorithm for P' implies a polynomial time algorithm for problem P
 - Denoted $P \propto P'$
 - P' is at least as hard as P

The classes NP -hard and NP -complete

- Class NP -hard
 - A problem P is called NP -hard if the entire class NP polynomially reduces to problem P
 - Problem P is at least as hard as all the problems in NP
- Class NP -complete (not in the textbook)
 - A problem P is called NP -complete if it is both in classes NP and NP -hard

Pseudopolynomial algorithms

- Polynomial time algorithms exist for some NP -hard problems under the appropriate encoding of the problem data
- Such problems are referred to as NP -hard in the ordinary sense and the algorithms are called pseudopolynomial
- Problem P is called strongly NP -hard if a pseudopolynomial algorithm for it does not exist

Some NP -hard problems

- NP -hard in the ordinary sense
 - PARTITION
- Strongly NP -hard
 - SATISFIABILITY
 - 3-PARTITION
 - HAMILTONIAN CIRCUIT
 - CLIQUE

<https://news.mit.edu/2009/explainer-pnp>

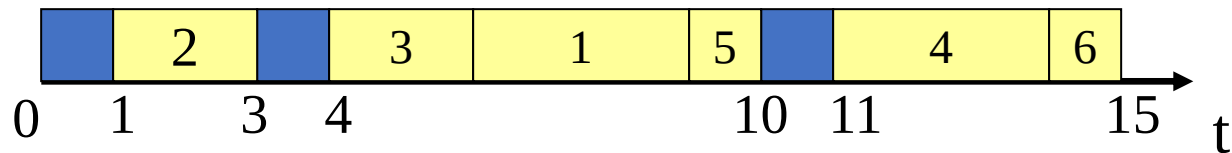
<http://www.claymath.org/sites/default/files/pvsnp.pdf>

- Mãos à obra!!!

Example 2 ($1 \mid \text{batch} \mid \Sigma w_i C_i$)

i	1	2	3	4	5	6
p_i	3	2	2	3	1	1
w_i	1	2	1	1	4	4

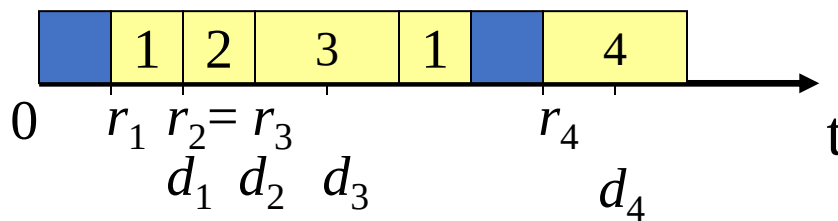
$$s = 1$$



$$\Sigma w_i C_i = 2 \cdot 3 + (1 + 4 + 4) \cdot 10 + (1 + 4) \cdot 15 = 171$$

Example 3 ($1 \mid r_i; pmtn \mid L_{\max}$)

i	1	2	3	4
p_i	2	1	2	2
r_i	1	2	2	7
d_i	2	3	4	8



$$L_{\max} = 4$$

Example 4 ($J3 | p_{ij}=1 | C_{\max}$)

$i \backslash j$	1	2	3	4
1	M_1	M_3	M_2	M_1
2	M_2	M_3		
3	M_3	M_1		
4	M_1	M_3	M_1	
5	M_3	M_1	M_2	M_3

