

**Aim:**

To find the optimum committed units in power plant for given load demand.

**Apparatus Required:**

Sl.No	Apparatus	Specification
1	PC	Dual core, RAM 512 MB 1.2 GHz speed, 80 GB
2	MATLAB	7.5

**Theory:****Algorithm:**

Step 1: Start the program

Step 2: Get the fuel cost parameter and fuel cost of each unit to find the fuel load average product cost

$$C_1 = K_1 \times \frac{H_i(P_{Gi})}{P_{Gi}}$$

Step 3: Form the priority order based on  $C_1$

Step 4: Commit the number of corresponding priority

Step 5: Calculate  $P_{Gi}$  value

Step 6: Form the load curve, draw the priority order

Step 7: Determine the number of hours, H before the unit will be needed again

Step 8: Check for minimum shut down time. If yes go to last step otherwise continue

8.1: Calculate the true cost

8.2: Sum of average production cost

8.3: Recalculate the same for unit shut down and start up cost for either cooling or burn

Step 9: Display the result

Step 10: Stop the program

Program:

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clc;
clear all;
n=input('Enter the number of units:');
for i=1:n
    for j=1:n
        h(i,j)=input('Enter the heat rate characteristics value');
    end
end
for i=1:n
    Unit=i
    pgmin(i)=input('Enter the minimum generating limit:');
    pgmax(i)=input('Enter the maximum generating limit:');
    fuelcost(i)=input('Enter the fuel cost:');
end
pd=input('Enter the load demand:');
for i=1:n
    for j=1:n
        f(i,j)=h(i,j)*fuelcost(i);
    end
end
end
f
for i=1:n
    prodcost(i)=((f(i,1)*pgmax(i)^2)+(f(i,2)*pgmax(i)+f(i,3)));
end
prodcost
for i=1:n
    avgprodcost(i)=prodcost(i)/pgmax(i);
end
avgprodcost
sortlist=sort(avgprodcost)
for i=1:n
    for j=1:n
        if sortlist(i)==avgprodcost(j)
            k(i)=j;
        end
    end
end
end
k
m=n;
for i=1:n
    maxprodlist(i)=sum(pgmax(k(1:m)));
    m=m-1;
end
maxprodlist
z=n;
for i=1:n
    if pd>maxprodlist(z)
        z=z-1;
    end
end
end
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disp('The units committed to satisfy the demand are:');  
k(1:z)
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**Result:**