Topics for Exam on Mathematical Models in Logistics

- 1. Three levels of logistical decisions. Single–echelon single–commodity location models. Comparison of reformulations.
- 2. Basic facility location models: the simple plant location problem; the p-median problem; the p-center problem; the set covering problem.
- 3. Pseudo-Boolean reformulations for the simple plant location problem.
- 4. Lower and upper bounds for the global optimum. Lagrangian relaxation and Lagrangian dual. Lagrangian relaxation for the SPLP.
- 5. Lagrangian heuristics for the capacitated facility location problem.
- 6. Two-echelon capacitated facility location problem. Totally unimodular matrixes.
- 7. The dynamic facility location model and its modifications.
- 8. Facility location with client preferences. Single-level reformulations.
- 9. Leader-follower facility location games. Discrete bilevel models. Well-posed and ill-posed problems. Large scale reformulation.
- 10. The order batching problem. Return policy and traversal policy. Mathematical models for the general case.
- 11. Order batching and batch scheduling problem.
- 12. The bin packing problem. Compact and large scale reformulations. LP-based heuristic.
- 13. The column generation method for the one-dimensional bin packing problem.
- 14. Mathematical models for the two-dimensional strip packing problem.
- 15. Mathematical models for the two-dimensional knapsack problem.
- 16. Mathematical models for the two-dimensional bin packing problem.
- 17. The capacitated vehicle routing problems. Mathematical models and its variants.
- 18. A well-solved case of the CVRP.
- 19. Dynamic programming for the CVRP.
- 20. Set covering reformulation for the CVRP.
- 21. Heterogeneous fixed fleet CVRP.
- 22. Vehicle routing problems in supply chain management.

Yu.A. Kochetov

16.12.2015