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Posted by [Karl Young](#) on Wed, 20 May 1998 07:00:00 GMT

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The example will work if you set nobj to 3 rather than -4.  
However, the solver seems to be rather slow and inaccurate.  
There are alternatives in PD.

bye, DF

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