## **B** Solutions to Problems

**Solution to Problem 1.** We can model this problem as a dynamic program with the following longest path representation:

- Stage *t* represents considering how many type *t* cakes to bake:
  - ∘  $t = 1 \leftrightarrow$  pound cake
  - ∘  $t = 2 \leftrightarrow$  angel food cake
  - $t = 3 \leftrightarrow$  end of decision-making process
- Node  $t_{n_1,n_2}$  represents having  $n_1$  remaining eggs and  $n_2$  remaining cups of flour at stage t ( $n_1 = 0, 1, ..., 48; n_2 = 0, 1, ..., 32$ )

