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## Démonstration 8

À partir des corrigés de Maelle Zimmermann

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**Question:** Give an algorithm to make change with as few coins as possible, assuming that each type of coin exists in unlimited quantities.

**Solution:** Let  $c_1, c_2, ..., c_n > 0$  the value of the parts available in unlimited quantities. Suppose we want to make change on M units. We build a T array of  $n \times (M+1)$  size such that T[i,j] is the minimum number of coins to make change over j units using only the i first coins.

Let us first note that 
$$T[i,0]=0$$
 for all  $1\leq i\leq n$  since there is no coin to return. Furthermore, equation \* T [i, j] = min(  $\underbrace{T[i-1,j]}_{\text{do not take part}c_i}, \underbrace{T[i,j-c_i]+1}_{\text{take piece}c_i})$  equation \*

assuming each box outside the table is implicitly  $+\infty$ . Indeed, if we do not use the i th coin, the number of coins returned will be identical to the number of coins needed to make the same amount j using only the i-1 first coins. If we use the i th coin, we will use one more coin than the number of coins needed to make the remaining amount, worth  $j-c_i$ . We will choose whether or not to use the i th coin according to which of these two options requires the least coins.

The minimum number of coins needed to make change over M units will therefore be T[n, M]. It takes another step to identify the parts to render. To do this, simply start at the box T[n, M] of the table and find the path that has been taken since T[0, 0]. If T[i, j] comes from T[i - 1, j], then the piece i is never used. If T[i, j] comes from  $T[i, j - c_i]$  then the i coin has been used. This process is repeated iteratively until it reaches T[0, 0].

Here is an implementation of this algorithm:

```
def nb_pieces(c, M):
  # c = [c1,c2,...,cn] la liste des denominations disponibles
  # M, le montant a retourner
  # retourne le tableau T rempli
  T = [[0]*(M+1) for i in range(len(c))]
  for i in range(len(c)):
     for j in range(1,M+1):
       a = T[i-1][j] \text{ if } i > 0 \text{ else float("inf")}
       b = T[i][j-c[i]] if j \ge c[i] else float("inf")
       T[i][j] = \min(a, b+1)
  return T
def monnaie(c, M):
  # retourne les pieces de monnaie a rendre
  p = [0] * len(c) #nombre de pieces de chaque denomination a rendre
  T = nb\_pieces(c, M)
  i, j = len(c)-1, M
  while (i, j) != (0, 0):
     a = T[i-1][j] if i > 0 else float("inf")
     b = T[i][j-c[i]] if j \ge c[i] else float("inf")
     if T[i][j] == a:
       i -= 1
     else:
        j -= c[i]
       p[i] += 1
  return p
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The exact execution time of | currency | is in  $\Theta(nM)$ .

**Question:** Give an algorithm that makes money even when the number of coins available is limited.

**Solution:** Just create a line for each instance of a part and then use the rule: equation \* T [i, j] =  $\min(\underbrace{T[i-1,j]}_{\text{do not take part}c_i},\underbrace{T[i-1,j-p_i]+1}_{\text{take piece}c_i})$  equation\*

where  $p_i$  is the coin associated with the line *i*. All cells are initialized to  $+\infty$  except for the first column that is initialized to 0. Here is a possible implementation:

```
def nb_pieces(c, s, k):
  T = [[float("inf")] * (k+1) for i in range(sum(s)+1)]
  P = [0] + [p \text{ for } i \text{ in } range(len(c)) \text{ for } p \text{ in } [c[i]] * s[i]]
  for i in range(len(T)):
     T[i][0] = 0
  for i in range(1, len(T)):
     for j in range(1, k+1):
        a = T[i-1][j] if i > 0 else float("inf")
        b = T[i-1][j-c[P[i]]] if j \ge c[P[i]] else float("inf")
        T[i][j] = \min(a, b+1)
  return T
def monnaie(c, s, k):
  T = nb_pieces(c, s, k)
  P = [None] + [x for i in range(len(c)) for x in [i] * s[i]]
  p = [0] * len(c)
  j = k
  for i in reversed(range(1, len(T))):
     a = T[i-1][j]
     b = T[i-1][j-c[P[i]]] if j \ge c[P[i]] else float("inf")
     if T[i][j] != a:
        p[P[i]] += 1
        j -= c[P[i]]
  return p
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Question: RSA between Alice and Bob

#### Solution:

#### Bob:

- 1. Select 2 "big" first p = 19, q = 23
- 2. Calculate their product z = pq = 437
- 3. Also calculate  $\phi = (p-1)(q-1) = 396$
- 4. Randomly choose a number  $1 \le n \le z-1$ : n=13
- 5. Calculates the unique s such that  $ns(\mod \phi) = 1$ : s = 61 (if does not exist or that  $\gcd(n, z) \neq 1$ , then choose a other n as  $\gcd(n, z) \neq 1$ )
- 6. Bob sends publicly z = 437 and n = 13

### Alice:

- 1. Wants to encode the following message  $0 \le m \le z-1$ : m=123
- 2. Encode with  $c = m^n \pmod{z}$  thus: c = 386
- 3. Sends the coded message c = 386

#### Bob

- 1. Get the coded message c = 386
- 2. Decode the message  $m = c^s \pmod{z}$  thus: m = 123

So they managed to exchange a message without a spy discovering it, because finding s would require the factoring of z.