

4a. Alpha-Beta Pruning

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In [1]: def alphabeta(depth, nodeIndex, maximizingPlayer, values, alpha, beta, path):
    if depth == 3:
        return values[nodeIndex], path + [nodeIndex]

    if maximizingPlayer:
        best = float('-inf')
        best_path = []
        for i in range(2):
            val, new_path = alphabeta(depth + 1, nodeIndex * 2 + i, False, values, alpha, beta, path)
            if val > best:
                best = val
                best_path = new_path
            alpha = max(alpha, best)
            if beta <= alpha:
                break
        return best, best_path
    else:
        best = float('inf')
        best_path = []
        for i in range(2):
            val, new_path = alphabeta(depth + 1, nodeIndex * 2 + i, True, values, alpha, beta, path)
            if val < best:
                best = val
                best_path = new_path
            beta = min(beta, best)
            if beta <= alpha:
                break
        return best, best_path
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In [2]: # Example tree with depth 3 and 8 terminal nodes
values = [3, 5, 2, 9, 12, 5, 23, 23]

# Start the Alpha-Beta Pruning algorithm
optimal_value, optimal_path = alphabeta(0, 0, True, values, float('-inf'), float('inf'))
print("The optimal value is:", optimal_value)
print("The path taken is:", optimal_path)

The optimal value is: 12
The path taken is: [0, 1, 2, 4]
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4b. Box Plot

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In [3]: import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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In [5]: data=pd.read_csv('./corolla.csv')
plt.figure(figsize = ( 4 , 3 ))
plt.boxplot([data["Price"],data["HP"],data["KM"]])
# plt.xticks([1,2,3],["Price","HP","KM"])
plt.show()
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