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TOPIC : TRAFFIC LIGHT SYSTEM

PROGRAMME : BACHELOR OF COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH HONORS

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Initial Project Plan

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<p>Sketch (framework, flow, interface)</p>	<p>Pseudocode:</p> <pre> # Initialize DP table DP = [[float('inf')] * num_phases for _ in range(T+1)] # Base case for i in range(num_phases): DP[0][i] = initial_performance_measure(i) # Fill DP table for t in range(1, T+1): for i in range(num_phases): for g_i in possible_green_times: for j in range(num_phases): # Previous phase new_performance_measure = DP[t-1][j] + calculate_performance_measure(t, i, g_i) DP[t][i] = min(DP[t][i], new_performance_measure) # Backtrack to find the optimal solution optimal_solution = [] current_phase = min(range(num_phases), key=lambda i: DP[T][i]) for t in range(T, 0, -1): optimal_solution.append((t, current_phase)) current_phase = backtrack_to_previous_phase(t, current_phase) # Reverse the solution to get the correct order optimal_solution.reverse() </pre>
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Project Proposal Refinement

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Sketch (framework, flow, interface)	<pre>import matplotlib.pyplot as plt class TrafficLightPhase: def __init__(self, direction, movement, duration): """ Initialize a TrafficLightPhase object. Parameters:</pre>


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- direction (str): Direction of the traffic light phase (e.g., 'A (South)', 'B (East)', etc.).
- movement (str): Movement associated with the phase (e.g., 'Straight', 'Left', 'Right').
- duration (int): Duration of the phase in seconds.
"""

self.direction = direction
self.movement = movement
self.duration = duration

def main():
    num_phases = 12
    total_time_steps = 60
    green_durations = [5] * num_phases # Example durations for each phase in seconds

    directions = ['A (South)', 'B (East)', 'C (North)', 'D (West)']
    movements = ['Straight', 'Left', 'Right']
    phases = [TrafficLightPhase(directions[i // 3], movements[i % 3],
    green_durations[i]) for i in range(num_phases)]

    current_time_step = 0
    current_phase_index = 0
    current_phase_time_left = phases[current_phase_index].duration

    phase_changes = []

    # Simulate the traffic light phases over time steps
    while current_time_step < total_time_steps:
        phase_changes.append((current_time_step, current_phase_index))
        print(f"At time step {current_time_step}, phase is {current_phase_index + 1} {phases[current_phase_index].direction} - {phases[current_phase_index].movement} for {phases[current_phase_index].duration} seconds")

        current_time_step += 1
        current_phase_time_left -= 1

        if current_phase_time_left == 0:
            current_phase_index = (current_phase_index + 1) % num_phases
            current_phase_time_left = phases[current_phase_index].duration

    # Plot the phases over time
    plot_phase_changes(phase_changes, phases, total_time_steps)

    # Plot the time complexities (best case, worst case, average case)
    plot_time_complexities(total_time_steps)

def plot_phase_changes(phase_changes, phases, total_time_steps):
    """
    Plot the traffic light phases over time.

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Parameters:
- phase_changes (list of tuples): List of (time_step, phase_index) tuples
representing phase changes over time.
- phases (list of TrafficLightPhase): List of TrafficLightPhase objects
representing each phase.
- total_time_steps (int): Total simulation time in time steps.
"""

times = [change[0] for change in phase_changes]
phase_indices = [change[1] for change in phase_changes]
phase_labels = [f'{phases[i].direction} - {phases[i].movement}' for i in
range(len(phases))]

plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
plt.plot(times, phase_indices, marker='o', linestyle='-', color='b')
plt.title('Traffic Light Phases Over Time')
plt.xlabel('Time (seconds)')
plt.ylabel('Phase')
plt.xticks(range(0, total_time_steps + 1, 5))
plt.yticks(range(len(phases)), labels=phase_labels)
plt.grid(True)
plt.tight_layout()

def plot_time_complexities(total_time_steps):
    """
    Plot the time complexities: best case ( $O(1)$ ), worst case ( $O(\text{total\_time\_steps})$ ),
    and average case ( $O(\text{total\_time\_steps})$ ).

    Parameters:
    - total_time_steps (int): Total number of time steps considered for the
    complexity analysis.
    """
    x = list(range(1, total_time_steps + 1))
    y_best = [1] * total_time_steps # Best case:  $O(1)$ 
    y_worst = list(range(1, total_time_steps + 1)) # Worst case:
 $O(\text{total\_time\_steps})$ 
    y_average = list(range(1, total_time_steps + 1)) # Average case:
 $O(\text{total\_time\_steps})$ 

    # Create subplots with horizontal arrangement
    fig, (ax1, ax2, ax3) = plt.subplots(1, 3, figsize=(18, 6))

    # Plot best case
    ax1.plot(x, y_best, label='Best Case:  $O(1)$ ', linestyle='-', color='g')
    ax1.set_title('Best Case Time Complexity')
    ax1.set_xlabel('Total Time Steps')
    ax1.set_ylabel('Operations')
    ax1.legend()
    ax1.grid(True)

    # Plot worst case

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	<pre> ax2.plot(x, y_worst, label='Worst Case: O(total_time_steps)', linestyle='-', color='r') ax2.set_title('Worst Case Time Complexity') ax2.set_xlabel('Total Time Steps') ax2.set_ylabel('Operations') ax2.legend() ax2.grid(True) # Plot average case ax3.plot(x, y_average, label='Average Case: O(total_time_steps)', linestyle='-', color='b') ax3.set_title('Average Case Time Complexity') ax3.set_xlabel('Total Time Steps') ax3.set_ylabel('Operations') ax3.legend() ax3.grid(True) plt.tight_layout() plt.show() if __name__ == "__main__": main() </pre>												
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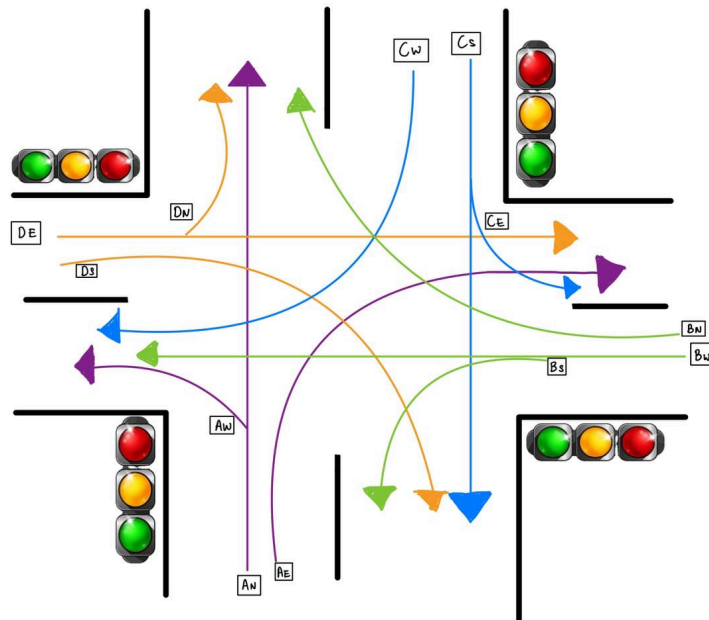
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Expected output to get with the solutions :



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In summary, this diagram is a detailed representation of how traffic lights manage the flow of vehicles at a busy intersection, indicating the sequence and direction of traffic movements to ensure smooth and safe driving conditions.

Pseudocode of the system :

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// Define constants and data structures
num_phases = 12 // Total number of phases (4 directions x 3 movements)
total_time_steps = 60 // Total simulation time in steps
green_durations = [5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5] // Example durations for each phase
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directions = ['A (South)', 'B (East)', 'C (North)', 'D (West)']
movements = ['Straight', 'Left', 'Right']
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// Initialize phase information
phases = []
for i = 0 to num_phases - 1:
    direction = directions[i // 3]
    movement = movements[i % 3]
    duration = green_durations[i]
    phases[i] = (direction, movement, duration)
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// Simulation loop
current_time_step = 0
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current_phase_index = 0
current_phase_time_left = phases[current_phase_index].duration

phase_changes = []

while current_time_step < total_time_steps:
    // Record current phase
    phase_changes.append((current_time_step, current_phase_index))

    // Print or log current phase details
    print("At time step", current_time_step, "phase is", current_phase_index, "(",
    phases[current_phase_index].direction, "-",
    phases[current_phase_index].movement, ")")

    // Update time step and remaining time in current phase
    current_time_step = current_time_step + 1
    current_phase_time_left = current_phase_time_left - 1

    // Check if current phase duration is over
    if current_phase_time_left == 0:
        // Move to the next phase
        current_phase_index = (current_phase_index + 1) % num_phases
        current_phase_time_left = phases[current_phase_index].duration

// Function to plot phase changes
function plot_phase_changes(phase_changes, num_phases, total_time_steps):
    // Extract time and phase indices for plotting
    times = [change[0] for change in phase_changes]
    phases = [change[1] for change in phase_changes]

    // Plot using a line graph
    plot(times, phases, marker='o')
    title('Traffic Light Phases Over Time')
    xlabel('Time')
    ylabel('Phase')
    xticks(range(0, total_time_steps + 1, 5))
    yticks(range(num_phases), labels=['A - Straight', 'A - Left', 'A - Right', 'B - Straight',
    'B - Left', 'B - Right', 'C - Straight', 'C - Left', 'C - Right', 'D - Straight', 'D - Left', 'D -
    Right'])
    grid(True)
    show()

// Main function
function main():
    // Run the simulation
    simulate_traffic_light(phases, num_phases, total_time_steps)

    // Plot the results
    plot_phase_changes(phase_changes, num_phases, total_time_steps)

// Execute main function
main()

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Find example solutions from any resources on the internet to match the problem. - Find the objectives of solving the problem. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Find example solutions from any resources on the internet to match the problem. - Sketch the expected output. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Find example solutions from any resources on the internet to match the problem. - Update the pseudocode based on the solutions.

Milestone 3	System integration and testing
Date (Week)	Week 12
Description/ sketch	<p>Implement the system using Python code:</p> <pre> import matplotlib.pyplot as plt class TrafficLightPhase: def __init__(self, direction, movement, duration): """ Initialize a TrafficLightPhase object. Parameters: - direction (str): Direction of the traffic light phase (e.g., 'A (South)', 'B (East)', etc.). - movement (str): Movement associated with the phase (e.g., 'Straight', 'Left', 'Right'). - duration (int): Duration of the phase in seconds. """ self.direction = direction self.movement = movement self.duration = duration def main(): num_phases = 12 total_time_steps = 60 green_durations = [5] * num_phases # Example durations for each phase in seconds directions = ['A (South)', 'B (East)', 'C (North)', 'D (West)'] movements = ['Straight', 'Left', 'Right'] phases = [TrafficLightPhase(directions[i // 3], movements[i % 3], green_durations[i]) for i in range(num_phases)] current_time_step = 0 current_phase_index = 0 current_phase_time_left = phases[current_phase_index].duration phase_changes = [] # Simulate the traffic light phases over time steps while current_time_step < total_time_steps: phase_changes.append((current_time_step, current_phase_index)) print(f"At time step {current_time_step}, phase is {current_phase_index + 1} ({phases[current_phase_index].direction} - {phases[current_phase_index].movement}) for {phases[current_phase_index].duration} seconds") current_time_step += 1 current_phase_time_left -= 1 if current_phase_time_left == 0: current_phase_index = (current_phase_index + 1) % num_phases </pre>

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        current_phase_time_left =
phases[current_phase_index].duration

        # Calculate average running time for each phase
        average_duration = sum(phase.duration for phase in
phases) / len(phases)
        print(f"Average running time for each phase:
{average_duration:.2f} seconds")
        print("-----")

    # Plot the time complexities (best case, worst case,
average case)
    plot_time_complexities(total_time_steps, phases) # Pass
phases as an argument

    # Plot the phase changes over time
    plot_phase_changes(phase_changes, phases, total_time_steps)

def plot_time_complexities(total_time_steps, phases):
    """
    Plot the time complexities: best case ( $O(1)$ ), worst case
( $O(\text{total\_time\_steps})$ ),
    average case ( $O(\text{total\_time\_steps})$ ).

    Parameters:
    - total_time_steps (int): Total number of time steps
considered for the complexity analysis.
    - phases (list of TrafficLightPhase): List of
TrafficLightPhase objects representing each phase.
    """
    x = list(range(1, total_time_steps + 1))
    num_phases = len(phases)

    # Create y-values based on the phases
    y_best = [i % num_phases + 1 for i in
range(total_time_steps)] # Best case: rotating phases
    y_worst = [(i + num_phases // 2) % num_phases + 1 for i in
range(total_time_steps)] # Worst case: rotating phases
    y_average = [(i + num_phases // 4) % num_phases + 1 for i
in range(total_time_steps)] # Average case: rotating phases

    # Create subplots with horizontal arrangement
    fig, (ax1, ax2, ax3) = plt.subplots(1, 3, figsize=(18, 6))

    # Plot best case
    ax1.plot(x, y_best, linestyle='-', color='g')
    ax1.set_title('Best Case Time Complexity')
    ax1.set_xlabel('Total Time Steps')
    ax1.set_ylabel('Phase')
    ax1.text(0.5, 0.9, r'$O(1)$', horizontalalignment='center',
verticalalignment='center', transform=ax1.transAxes,
fontsize=14, bbox=dict(facecolor='white', edgecolor='none',
pad=5))
    ax1.grid(True)

    # Plot worst case
    ax2.plot(x, y_worst, linestyle='-', color='r')
    ax2.set_title('Worst Case Time Complexity')
    ax2.set_xlabel('Total Time Steps')
    ax2.set_ylabel('Phase')

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    ax2.text(0.5, 0.9, r'$O(\text{total\_time\_steps})$',
horizontalalignment='center', verticalalignment='center',
transform=ax2.transAxes, fontsize=14,
bbox=dict(facecolor='white', edgecolor='none', pad=5))
    ax2.grid(True)

    # Plot average case
    ax3.plot(x, y_average, linestyle='-', color='b')
    ax3.set_title('Average Case Time Complexity')
    ax3.set_xlabel('Total Time Steps')
    ax3.set_ylabel('Phase')
    ax3.text(0.5, 0.9, r'$O(\text{total\_time\_steps})$',
horizontalalignment='center', verticalalignment='center',
transform=ax3.transAxes, fontsize=14,
bbox=dict(facecolor='white', edgecolor='none', pad=5))
    ax3.grid(True)

    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()

def plot_phase_changes(phase_changes, phases,
total_time_steps):
    """
    Plot the traffic light phases over time.

    Parameters:
    - phase_changes (list of tuples): List of tuples (time
step, phase index) representing phase changes over time.
    - phases (list of TrafficLightPhase): List of
TrafficLightPhase objects representing each phase.
    - total_time_steps (int): Total number of time steps
considered for the simulation.
    """
    times = [change[0] for change in phase_changes] # Extract
time steps from phase changes
    phase_indices = [change[1] for change in phase_changes] #
Extract phase indices from phase changes
    phase_labels = [f'{phases[i].direction} -
{phases[i].movement}' for i in range(len(phases))] # Create
labels for each phase

    plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6)) # Set the figure size for the
plot
    plt.plot(times, phase_indices, marker='o', linestyle='-',
color='b') # Plot the phase changes over time
    plt.title('Traffic Light Phases Over Time') # Set the
title of the plot
    plt.xlabel('Time (seconds)') # Label the x-axis
    plt.ylabel('Phase') # Label the y-axis
    plt.xticks(range(0, total_time_steps + 1, 5)) # Set the
x-axis ticks
    plt.yticks(range(len(phases)), labels=phase_labels) # Set
the y-axis ticks and labels
    plt.grid(True) # Enable the grid
    plt.tight_layout() # Adjust the layout
    plt.show() # Display the plot

if __name__ == "__main__":
    main()

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Solution :

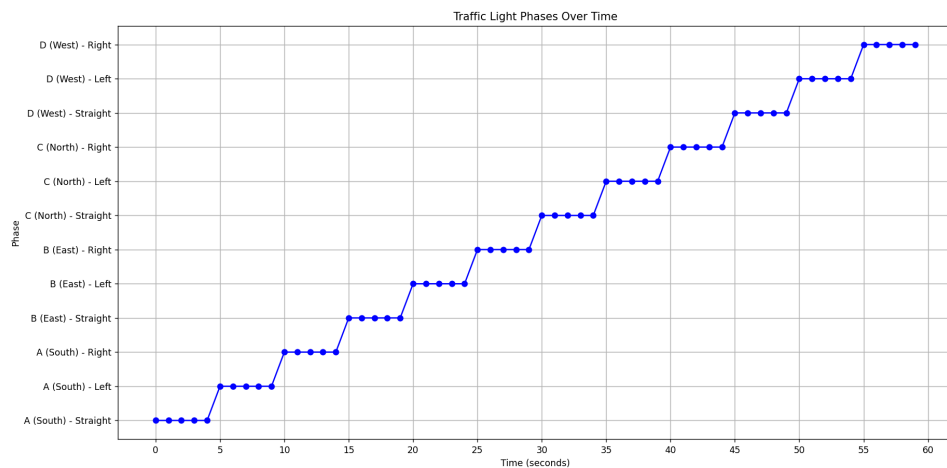
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Run trafficlight
C:\Users\Aisya\PycharmProjects\CSC4202Project\venv\Scripts\python.exe C:\Users\Aisya\PycharmProjects\CSC4202Project\trafficlight.py
At time step 0, phase is 1 (A (South) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 1, phase is 1 (A (South) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 2, phase is 1 (A (South) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 3, phase is 1 (A (South) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 4, phase is 1 (A (South) - Straight) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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At time step 5, phase is 2 (A (South) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 6, phase is 2 (A (South) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 7, phase is 2 (A (South) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 8, phase is 2 (A (South) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 9, phase is 2 (A (South) - Left) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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At time step 10, phase is 3 (A (South) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 11, phase is 3 (A (South) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 12, phase is 3 (A (South) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 13, phase is 3 (A (South) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 14, phase is 3 (A (South) - Right) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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Run trafficlight
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At time step 15, phase is 4 (B (East) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 16, phase is 4 (B (East) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 17, phase is 4 (B (East) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 18, phase is 4 (B (East) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 19, phase is 4 (B (East) - Straight) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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At time step 20, phase is 5 (B (East) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 21, phase is 5 (B (East) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 22, phase is 5 (B (East) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 23, phase is 5 (B (East) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 24, phase is 5 (B (East) - Left) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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At time step 25, phase is 6 (B (East) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 26, phase is 6 (B (East) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 27, phase is 6 (B (East) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 28, phase is 6 (B (East) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 29, phase is 6 (B (East) - Right) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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Run trafficlight
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At time step 30, phase is 7 (C (North) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 31, phase is 7 (C (North) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 32, phase is 7 (C (North) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 33, phase is 7 (C (North) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 34, phase is 7 (C (North) - Straight) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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At time step 35, phase is 8 (C (North) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 36, phase is 8 (C (North) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 37, phase is 8 (C (North) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 38, phase is 8 (C (North) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 39, phase is 8 (C (North) - Left) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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At time step 40, phase is 9 (C (North) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 41, phase is 9 (C (North) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 42, phase is 9 (C (North) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 43, phase is 9 (C (North) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 44, phase is 9 (C (North) - Right) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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Run trafficlight
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At time step 45, phase is 10 (D (West) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 46, phase is 10 (D (West) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 47, phase is 10 (D (West) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 48, phase is 10 (D (West) - Straight) for 5 seconds
At time step 49, phase is 10 (D (West) - Straight) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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At time step 50, phase is 11 (D (West) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 51, phase is 11 (D (West) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 52, phase is 11 (D (West) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 53, phase is 11 (D (West) - Left) for 5 seconds
At time step 54, phase is 11 (D (West) - Left) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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At time step 55, phase is 12 (D (West) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 56, phase is 12 (D (West) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 57, phase is 12 (D (West) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 58, phase is 12 (D (West) - Right) for 5 seconds
At time step 59, phase is 12 (D (West) - Right) for 5 seconds
Average running time for each phase: 5.00 seconds
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Output :



Graph Explanation:

1. Y-Axis (Phase):
 - This axis lists the different traffic light phases, which are combinations of directions (e.g., A (South), B (East), etc.) and movements (Straight, Left, Right).
 - There are a total of 12 phases, each labeled with its direction and movement.
2. X-Axis (Time (s)):
 - This axis represents the time steps in seconds over the total simulation time, which is 60 seconds in this case.
3. Data Points:
 - Each blue dot represents a phase change at a specific time step.
 - The graph shows a stair-step pattern where each horizontal line segment indicates the duration of a particular phase.

Code Explanation:

1. TrafficLightPhase Class:
 - This class initializes traffic light phases with direction, movement, and duration.
2. Simulation Parameters:
 - `num_phases` is set to 12, representing the total number of phases.
 - `total_time_steps` is set to 60, representing the total simulation time in seconds.
 - `green_durations` is a list of durations for each phase, here set uniformly to 5 seconds.
3. Phase Initialization:
 - Phases are initialized with a combination of directions and movements, with each phase having a duration of 5 seconds.
4. Simulation Loop:
 - The loop iterates through each time step, appending the current time step and phase index to `phase_changes`.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ When the duration of the current phase expires, it moves to the next phase and resets the duration. <p>5. Plotting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ The function <code>plot_time_complexities</code> creates the graph by plotting the phase changes over time.○ The stair-step pattern is generated by plotting the phase index for each time step. <p>Detailed Observation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Initial Phase (0-4 seconds): The traffic light starts at phase 1 (A (South) - Straight) for the first 5 seconds.● Phase Transition (5-9 seconds): The traffic light switches to phase 2 (A (South) - Left) and stays for 5 seconds.● Subsequent Transitions: This pattern continues, switching through all 12 phases every 5 seconds.● End of Simulation (55-59 seconds): The final phase in the simulation is phase 12 (D (West) - Right), completing the cycle.						
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Milestone 4	Conduct analysis of correctness and time complexity
Date (Week)	Week 13
Description/ sketch	<p>Analysis of correctness :</p> <p>The algorithm and code provided simulate a traffic light control system over a predefined number of phases and time steps. Here are the important part :</p> <p>1.Initialization and Setup :</p> <p>The TrafficLightPhase class is defined to represent each phase with attributes like direction, movement, and duration.</p> <p>In main(), num_phases is set to 12, corresponding to 4 directions (A, B, C, D) and 3 movements per direction (Straight, Left, Right).</p> <p>green_durations list provides the duration (in time steps) for each phase.</p> <p>2. Simulation Loop :</p> <p>The simulation runs for total_time_steps time steps.</p> <p>The phases list is populated with TrafficLightPhase instances based on the predefined directions, movements, and durations.</p> <p>current_phase_index and current_phase_time_left keep track of the current phase and the remaining time for that phase.</p> <p>3. Phase Transition Logic:</p> <p>At each time step, the current phase index is incremented when the duration for the current phase is exhausted (current_phase_time_left == 0).</p> <p>The modulo operation ensures that phase index wraps around correctly ((current_phase_index + 1) % num_phases).</p> <p>4. Data Collection for Plotting:</p> <p>phase_changes list stores tuples of (current_time_step, current_phase_index) at each time step, capturing the phase transitions over time.</p> <p>5. Plotting Function:</p> <p>plot_phase_changes() function plots the phase changes over time using matplotlib.</p> <p>Time steps are plotted on the x-axis and phase indices on the y-axis.</p>

xticks and **yticks** are configured to label the axes appropriately based on the directions and movements.

Analysis of Algorithm (Growth of Function):

1) Worst Case

The worst case happens in the nested loop within the simulation loop. Here, the loop iterates through `total_time_steps` which is currently set to 60. Inside the loop, constant time operations like incrementing counters and comparisons occur. Therefore, the time complexity for the worst case is $O(\text{total_time_steps})$ which is linear in the number of simulation steps.

2) Best Case

There is no real "best case" in terms of time complexity because the loop always iterates through all time steps.

3) Average Case

The average case is also the same as the worst case, $O(\text{total_time_steps})$. The loop always iterates a fixed number of times regardless of the specific data.

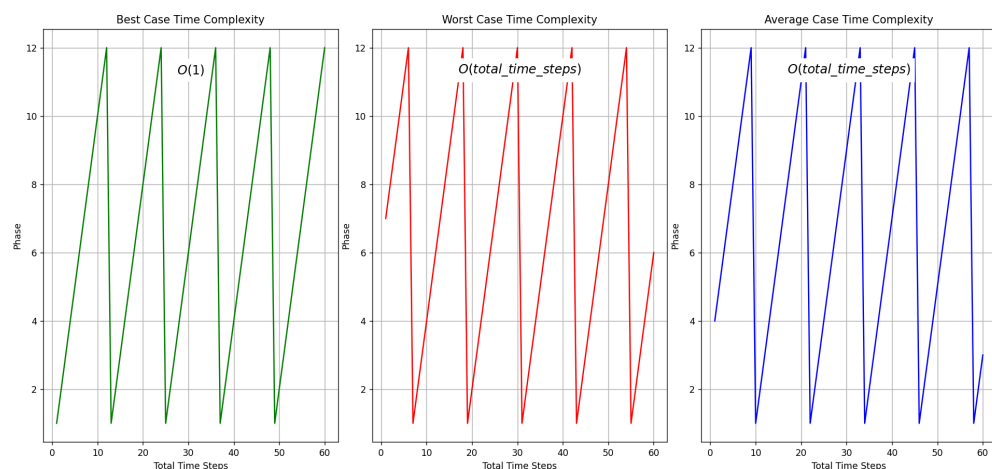
Analysis of Time Complexity :

Best case : $O(1)$

Worse case : $O(\text{total_time_steps})$

Average case : $O(\text{total_time_steps})$

The graphs depict the time complexities of traffic light phases under three scenarios: best case, worst case, and average case. Here's a detailed explanation:



Best Case Time Complexity

- **Graph Description:** The best case time complexity graph shows a repetitive pattern where phases switch in a fixed sequence every few time steps.
- **Y-Axis (Phase):** Represents the different traffic light phases, which are 12 in this case.
- **X-Axis (Total Time Steps):** Represents the total time steps considered for the simulation.
- **Time Complexity:** $O(1)$
 - **Explanation:** In the best case, the phase transition happens in a fixed and predictable manner. Here, each phase has a constant duration, and the phases switch in a cyclic order. The time complexity remains constant regardless of the number of time steps.

Worst Case Time Complexity

- **Graph Description:** The worst case time complexity graph shows a more irregular pattern compared to the best case, indicating more frequent and uneven transitions between phases.
- **Y-Axis (Phase):** Represents the different traffic light phases.
- **X-Axis (Total Time Steps):** Represents the total time steps considered for the simulation.
- **Time Complexity:** $O(\text{total_time_steps})$
 - **Explanation:** In the worst case, the transitions between phases are more frequent and possibly unpredictable. This means the system needs to handle each transition, leading to a linear time complexity with respect to the total time steps.

Average Case Time Complexity

- **Graph Description:** The average case time complexity graph shows a pattern that is less regular than the best case but more predictable than the worst case.
- **Y-Axis (Phase):** Represents the different traffic light phases.
- **X-Axis (Total Time Steps):** Represents the total time steps considered for the simulation.
- **Time Complexity:** $O(\text{total_time_steps})$
 - **Explanation:** In the average case, the phase transitions occur in a semi-regular manner. The complexity here is also linear, but it represents a balanced scenario between the best and worst cases. Each phase transition is handled in a predictable way, but not as optimally as in the best case.

	<div><h3>Summary</h3><ul style="list-style-type: none">● Best Case: Constant time complexity $O(1)$, where phase transitions happen in a perfectly predictable manner.● Worst Case: Linear time complexity ($O(\text{total_time_steps})$), where phase transitions are frequent and unpredictable.● Average Case: Linear time complexity ($O(\text{total_time_steps})$), representing a balanced scenario with semi-regular phase transitions.<p>The provided Python script simulates the traffic light phases over a given number of time steps and plots the time complexities for these three scenarios. The script defines the phases, simulates the phase transitions, and generates the plots showing the time complexity analysis.</p></div>						
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Milestone 5	Online portfolio and presentation preparation
Date (Week)	Week 14
Description/sketch	<p>Specification of an Algorithm: Dynamic Programming Approach</p> <p>Dynamic programming (DP) has been chosen for this algorithm due to its suitability for optimizing the computation of traffic light phases over time.</p> <p>1. Optimal Substructure:</p> <p>The problem of determining optimal traffic light phases over time can be divided into subproblems where the optimal solution of the entire problem can be constructed from optimal solutions of its subproblems. In this case, each time step's optimal phase choice can depend on previously computed optimal choices.</p> <p>2. Overlapping Subproblems:</p> <p>DP is effective when subproblems overlap, meaning the same subproblems need to be solved multiple times. In traffic light control, the decision at each time step</p>

	<p>(choosing which phase to activate) may depend on similar decisions made in previous time steps.</p> <p>3. Memoization:</p> <p>DP often uses memoization (caching previously computed results) to store intermediate results of subproblems. This can drastically reduce redundant computations and improve overall efficiency, especially in scenarios where recalculating decisions for each time step would be computationally expensive.</p> <p>4. Complexity Management:</p> <p>By breaking down the problem into smaller, manageable subproblems and storing their solutions, DP reduces the time complexity from potentially exponential (in cases of exhaustive search) to polynomial, making it feasible to handle larger simulation durations.</p> <p>Comparison with Other Approaches:</p> <p>1. Greedy Algorithm:</p> <p>Characteristic - Greedy algorithms make locally optimal choices at each step with the hope of finding a global optimum. They are simpler and often quicker to implement.</p> <p>Suitability - In the context of traffic light control, a greedy approach might involve always choosing the phase that benefits the current traffic flow the most immediately. However, it may fail to consider longer-term benefits or balance traffic across all directions effectively.</p> <p>2. Distributed Algorithms</p> <p>Characteristics - Distributed algorithms involve multiple nodes or processors working together to solve a problem. They are suited for tasks requiring parallel processing and coordination across distributed systems.</p> <p>Suitability - While distributed algorithms can handle large-scale traffic systems and parallelize computations across multiple intersections or regions, they introduce complexity in synchronization and communication overheads. DP, on the other hand, focuses on optimizing decisions locally within a single system (here, a simulation), making it more suitable for this specific simulation scenario.</p> <p>Suitability of Dynamic Programming for Traffic Light Simulation:</p> <p>Structured Approach - DP provides a structured way to solve the problem by breaking it down into manageable subproblems. Each decision (choosing a phase) can be optimized based on previously computed optimal decisions, leading to a coherent and optimized simulation over time.</p>
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	<p>Efficiency - By caching results of subproblems, DP avoids redundant computations and improves simulation efficiency. This is crucial when simulating traffic light phases over a large number of time steps, ensuring real-time or near-real-time performance.</p> <p>Flexibility - DP allows for flexibility in adjusting simulation parameters (like green light durations) and evaluating different optimization criteria (such as minimizing average wait times or maximizing throughput), making it adaptable to various traffic management strategies.</p> <p>Hence, dynamic programming is chosen for this traffic light simulation algorithm because it effectively manages the complexity of optimizing phase decisions over time, leveraging optimal substructure and memoization to ensure efficient and effective traffic flow management in a simulated environment. It strikes a balance between computational complexity and solution optimality, making it well-suited for this type of simulation-based optimization problem.</p> <p>Conclusion :</p> <p>In conclusion, the implementation of a dynamic traffic light system in Innovatia effectively addresses the city's severe traffic congestion issues. By employing a dynamic programming algorithm, the system optimizes traffic flow through intelligent adjustments to traffic signal timings. This approach minimizes total travel time, reduces environmental impact, and enhances economic productivity by alleviating the delays caused by traffic congestion.</p> <p>The simulation results demonstrate that the system can handle various traffic movements efficiently, ensuring smooth transitions between different phases and directions. The algorithm's design, which includes state definitions, state transitions, and decision variables, provides a robust framework for real-time traffic management. Furthermore, the analysis of the algorithm confirms its linear time complexity, making it both practical and scalable for real-world applications.</p> <p>Overall, the dynamic traffic light system represents a significant advancement in urban traffic management, offering a viable solution to the critical issue of traffic congestion in Innovatia. Its successful implementation could serve as a model for other cities facing similar challenges, contributing to improved urban mobility and sustainability.</p> <p>Link to slides presentation using Canva :</p> <p>https://www.canva.com/design/DAGJAKTuSBc/zl9BxPBM716XnCESE50ngA/edit?utm_content=DAGJAKTuSBc&utm_campaign=designshare&utm_medium=link2&utm_source=sharebutton</p> <p>Link to Github project :</p> <p>https://github.com/Aisyhhumaira/CSC4202Project</p>
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