

Artificial Intelligence (AI) :-

Turing Test (1950) :-

The computer is interrogated by a human is a teletype.

If passes, if the human can't tell, if there is a computer or human at the other end, the ability to solve problem (computational problem).

Solving problems (computational problem)-

- Search : Efficient trial and error.
- SPACE / TIME complexity trade off is
- Use of domain knowledge (Heuristics)

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NORWIGER

Popular techniques-

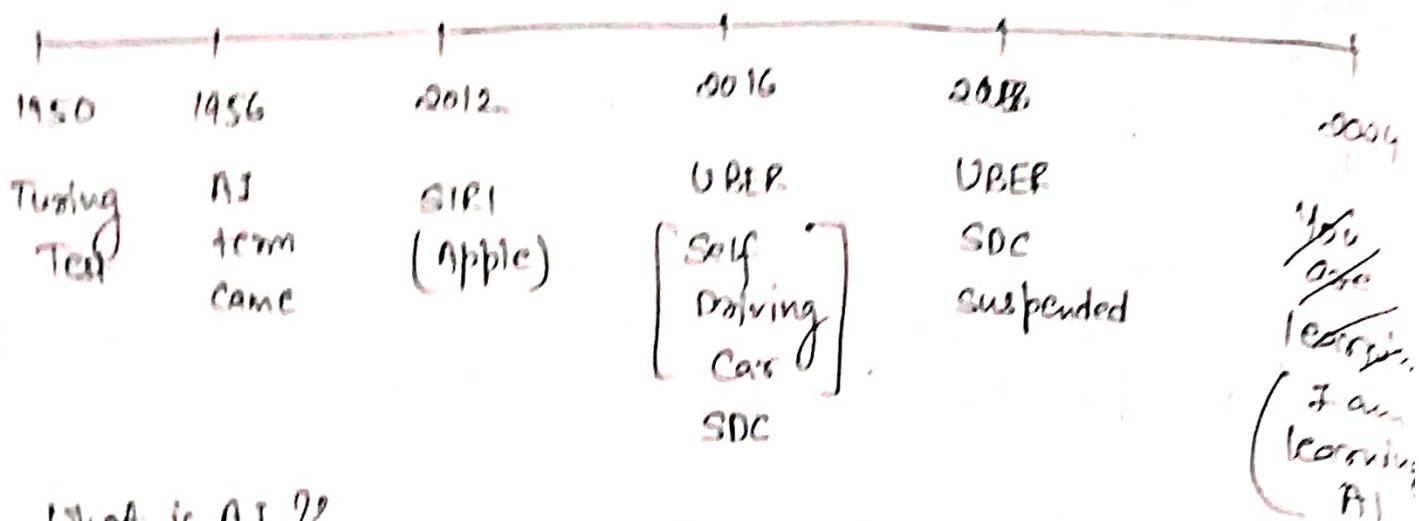
- Linear programming
- Integer programming
- Dynamic programming
- Heuristics programming
- Evolutionary Algorithm.

Insertion
in linked
List O(1)

AGENT- A computer program but it should be capable of doing more.

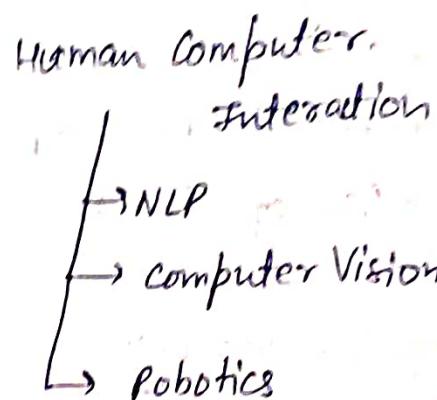
Responsible AI :-

History of AI



What is AI ??

- Automated problem solving
- ML
- Logic and Deduction



Fundamentals :-

- ① The notion of expressing computation as an Algorithm.
- ② Gödel's incompleteness theorem (1931)
- ③ church-turing thesis (1936)
 - Turing machine is capable of computing any computational problem.
- ④ Two notions of interactability
 - NP completeness
 - Reduction.

Logic and Deduction :-

first order logic, temporal logic.

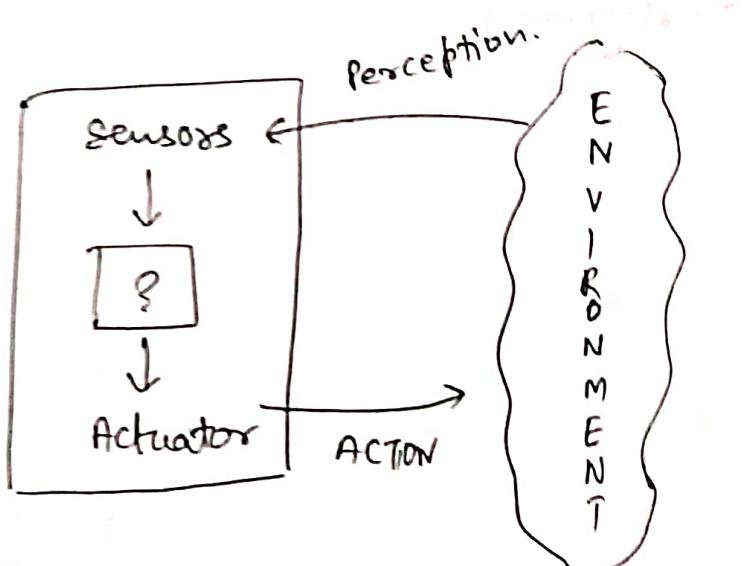
- Planning
- Reasoning under uncertainty
- Learning

An agent is just something that acts

All computational problems do something but AGENT does something more. —

- operate autonomously
- perceive their environment.
- persist over a prolonged time period.
- adapt to change, create and pursue goals

A rational agent is one that acts so as to achieve the best outcome, or when there is uncertainty the best expected outcome.



Rational agent is one that acts so as to achieve the best outcome, if there uncertainty the best expected outcome.

Agent type	Performance Measure	Environment	Actuator	Sensor
taxi driver	safe, fast comfort, legal, luxury	road condition	Steering, accelerator, brake, horn	Speedometer, GPS, Camera, Radar
medical diagnostic system	Health of the patient	Hospital staff, patients	Tests, Treatment, Referrals	Questionnaire
Interactive English Tutor	Students score	Set of students	Test, Exercise	Smart phone keyboard

Environment Types -

↓
Fully observable
single Agent
[cross word puzzle]

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Partially observable
Multi-agent
(chess-game)

↓
Unobservable
[No sensor]

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Agent's sensors give it access to the complete state of the environment needed to choose an action then environment is fully observable.

Episodic vs sequential

discrete | continuous
known | unknown

Unstochastic
Stochastic
Environment
Deterministic

Search Frameworks

Uninformed | Blind
Informed / Heuristic
Problem Reduction
General tree search.

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1813 see
by
yourself

Basic Search Problem

Given $[S, S_0, O, G]$ where S is the [implicitly specified set] set of states $S \subseteq S$ is the start state. O is the state transition operators

$O \subseteq S \times S$ is the set of goals

To find a sequence of state transition leading from S_0 to G

8-puzzle problem

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	

6	7	2
5	1	4
8	b	3

Q:

O: Movement of blank tiles in up, down, left, right direction:

n - Queen Problem :-

G.O.: Placing 8 queen in non attacking position.

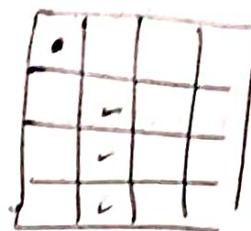
~~State~~: A sequence / state in any arrangement of 0-8 queens on board.

~~Operators~~: add a queen to any sequence

~~8Queen~~ first queen second

(8x56) (8x56)

Total = $(8 \times 56)^8$



$$8^8$$

Why??

(I) Place a queen in the left most empty column

(II) Row-wise placement of queens

Missionary Cannibal Problem :-

MMM
CCC



$$S = \{ \langle x_1, y_1, z_1 \rangle , x_1 \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\}, y_1 \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\} \}$$

$\underbrace{x_1}_{M \text{ left}}$ $\underbrace{y_1}_{C \text{ left}}$

$$z_1 \in \{0, 1\}$$

$$I = \langle 3, 3, 0 \rangle$$

$$G = \langle 0, 0, 1 \rangle$$

$$\langle 0, 0, 0 \rangle$$

$\underbrace{\langle 0, 0, 0 \rangle}_{\text{Not feasible}}$

$\{ \langle 0, 0 \rangle \}$

↑
Number of
missionaries
on boat

case of cannibal
on boat

Minimum
state transition
required to
reach goal state

$\langle 0, 0 \rangle *$

$\langle 1, 0 \rangle$

$\langle 0, 1 \rangle$

$\langle 1, 1 \rangle$

$\langle 0, 2 \rangle$

$\langle 2, 0 \rangle$

$\langle 2, 2 \rangle *$

operators

$\langle 3, 3, 0 \rangle$

$\langle 0, 1 \rangle$

$\langle 1, 0 \rangle$

$\langle 0, 2 \rangle$

$\langle 2, 0 \rangle$

$\langle 0, 2 \rangle$

$\langle 1, 1 \rangle$

$\langle 2, 0 \rangle$

$\langle 2, 3, 1 \rangle$ $\langle 3, 2, 1 \rangle$ $\langle 1, 3, 1 \rangle$

Deterministic vs Stochastic Environment



Next state of the environment can be determined by the current state of environment

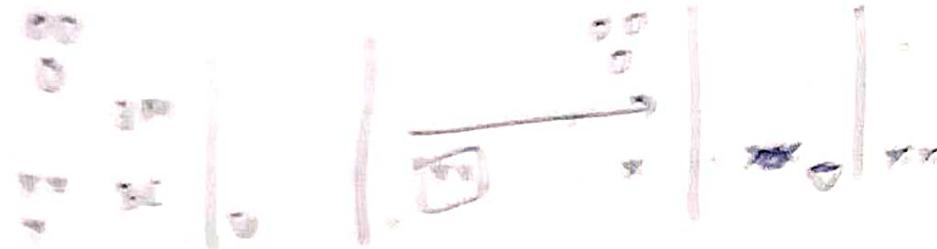


There are multiple, unpredictable outcomes

Environment is fully observable + Deterministic:

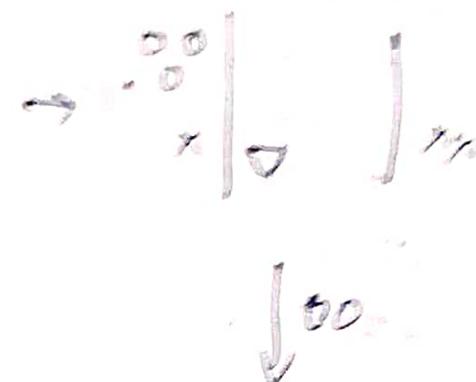


Agent need not to deal with any uncertainty.



(3, 5, 0)

(3, 4, 1)



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(3, 3, 0)

(3, 2, 1)

(3, 2, 0)

(3, 0, 1)

(3, 1, 0)

(1, 1, 1)

(2, 2, 0)

(3, 2, 1)

(0, 3, 0)

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(0, 2, 1)

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x

(0, 0, 1)

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(0, 3, 0)

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(0, 1, 0)

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(0, 2, 0)

2016 : Alpha Go :-

Alpha Go defeated Lee Sedol
(4-1)

Deepmind

Geoffrey Hinton
Artificial Neural Network
(Godfather of AI)

Turing Test

A computer passes turing test if a human interrogator after posing some questions cannot tell whether the responses are given by a person or a computer.

To pass test computer would need :-

- ① NLP (Natural language Processing) enable to communicate successfully in English.
- ② knowledge representation
- ③ automated reasoning
- ④ machine learning

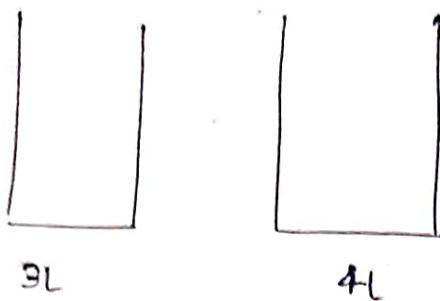
Episodic and sequential

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subsequent episode are independent of the previous episodes

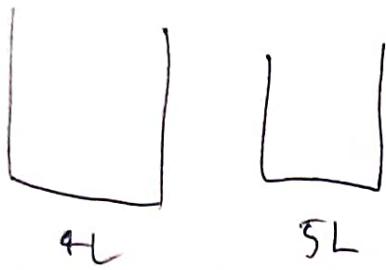
Agent is engaged with sequence of connected episodes.

Jug / Jar Problem

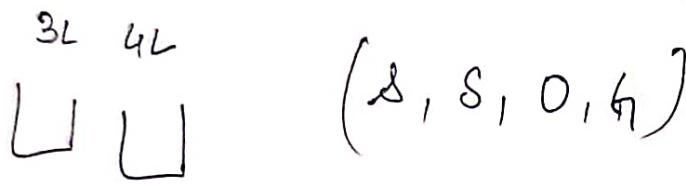
0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7



0 ✓	0
1 ✓	1
2 ✓	2
4 ✓	4
0 ✓	3
1 ✓	5, 6
2 ✓	7



0 ✓	1 ✓	2 ✓	3 ✓	4 ✓	5 ✓	6 ✓	7 ✓	8 ✓
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$\langle x, y \rangle$
 \uparrow \uparrow
Water in Water in
jar 1 Jar 2

S, S, 0, 4

$\{(x, y) | 0 \leq x \leq 4\}$
 $0 \leq y \leq 5\}$

$x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$

operators

Jar 1

(0, y) : making empty ~~jar 1~~

(x, 0) : making jar 2 empty

(3, y) : Fill up Jar 1

(x, 4) : Fill up Jar 2.

(x+k, ~~y-k~~ y-k) Transfer k litres of water from
Jar 1 to Jar 2

$$k = \min(3-x_1, y)$$

(x-k, y+k) Transfer k litres of water from
Jar 1 to Jar 2

$$k = \min(x_1, 4-y)$$

$$G = \{(x, y) \mid 0 \leq x \leq 3, 0 \leq y \leq 4, x, y \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$x+y = T$$

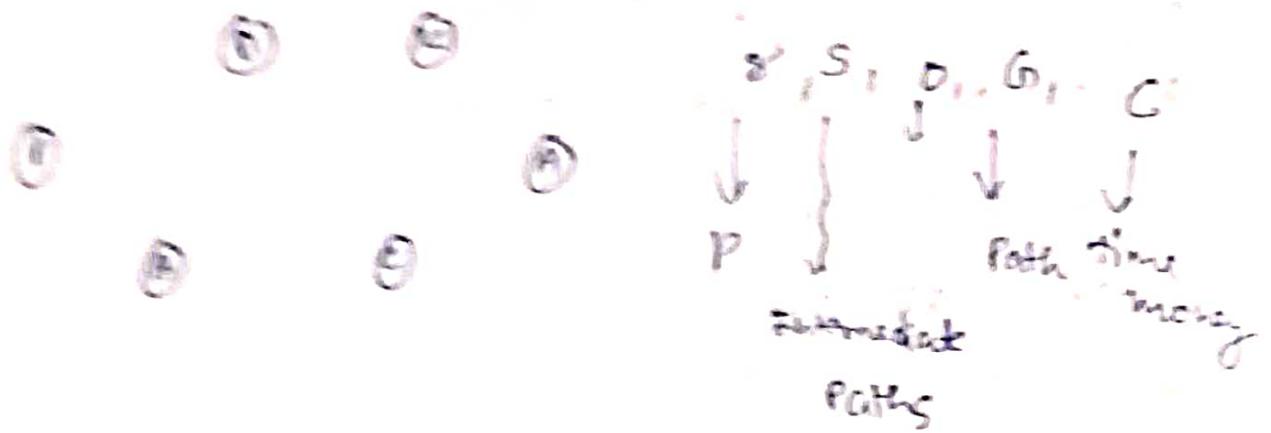
TRAVELLING SALESMAN PROBLEM

• Must visit every city except source

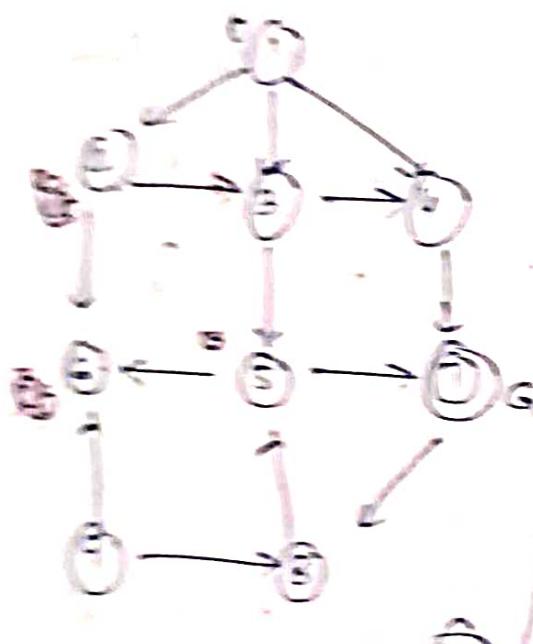
• Start from source and come back to source

one and only once.

• minimise cost



Traversing of



OPEN

(stack)

| 2 |

Visit 1

| 4, 3, 2 |

Visit 2

| 6, 3, 6 |

Visit 3

| 4, 3 |

Visit 4

| 6, 7 |

Visit 5

| 2, 3 |

Visit 6

| 6, 5 |

Goal.

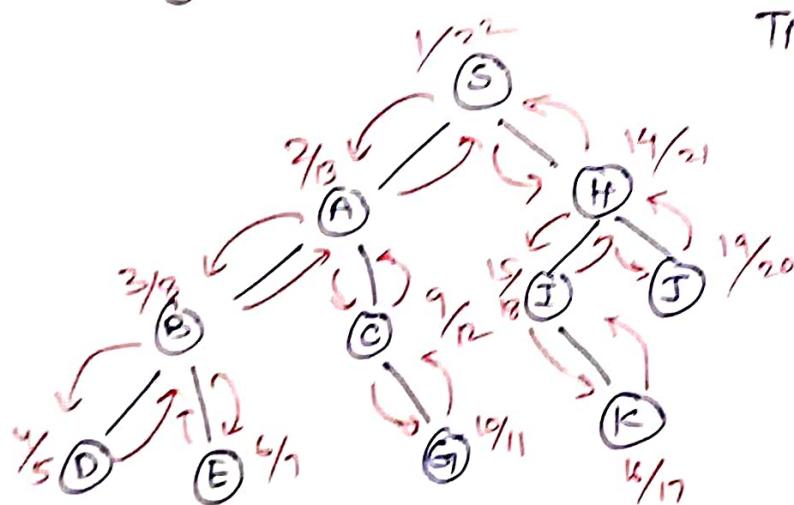
| 6, 7 |

Depth-First Search :-

- Use stack data structure
- Backtracking is used in dfs.
- Required less memory than BFS algo.
- Take less time to reach goal than BFS algo.

Disadvantages

- There is a possibility that many states keep recurring and no guarantee of solution.
- DFS algo goes for deep down searching and may go to an loop. $O(N! \times E)$

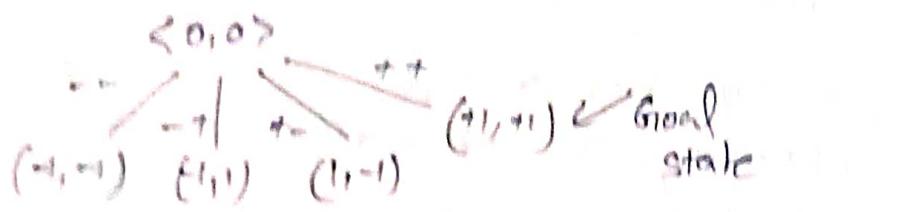


Time complexity
= $O(b^m)$

b : branching factor
~~m~~: maximum depth of any node
max depth of ~~goal~~ any state

Space complexity = $O(bm)$

DFS search is not a optimal search technique



~~(-2,-2)~~ Here we can't reach
Goal state

~~(-3,-3)~~ • Incomplete

~~(-4,-4)~~ • Non-optimal

~~(-5,-5)~~ • Unsound

Completeness



• If every state has a finite number of possible actions, then

• If every action leads to exactly one next state, then

• If every state leads to at least one goal state, then

• If every state leads to at least one non-terminal state, then

• If every state leads to at least one terminal state, then

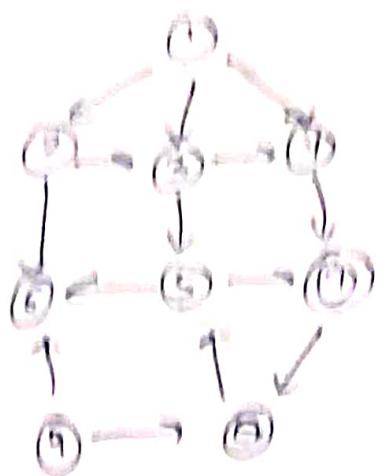
• If every state leads to at least one non-terminal or terminal state, then

• If every state leads to at least one terminal state, then

• If every state leads to at least one non-terminal state, then

• If every state leads to at least one terminal state, then

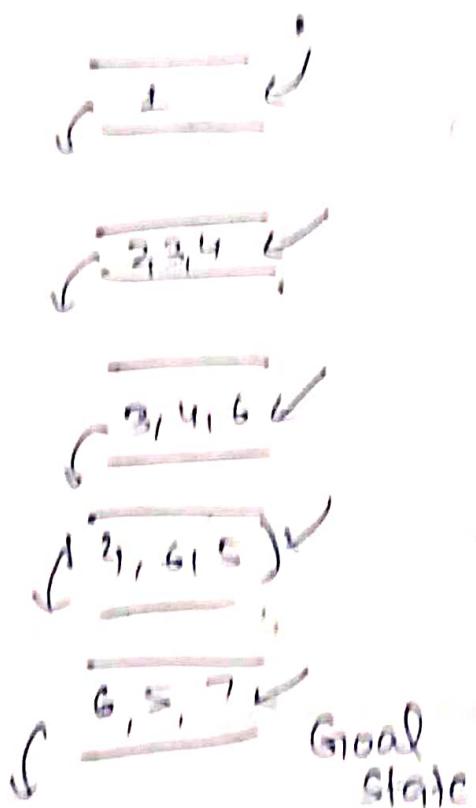
Worst Case



Time Complexity
 $O(W)$

or depth of goal state
or branching factor
Space Complexity
 $O(b^d)$

using Queue



	Time	Space	completeness	Optimality
BFS	b^d	b^d	Yes	Yes
DFS	b^{dm}	$b \cdot m$	No	No

How can we improve DFS??

DFS can be improved if we define certain threshold

depth limited DFS. \Rightarrow DDFS.

Depth Limited BFS	b^L	$b \cdot L$ L: depth limit	✗	✗
Iterative Deepening BFS (IDFS)	$O(b^d)$	$O(b^d)$ $O(b \cdot d)$	✓	✓
Bidirectional BFS if possible	$O(b^{d/2})$	$O(b^{d/2})$	✓	✓

IDDFS

↓ combination of DFS and BFS algorithms.
 Hints out best depth limit and does it by gradually increasing the limit until goal is reached.
 used when search space is large and depth of goal node is not known.

disadvantages

IDDFS - repeats all the work of previous phase

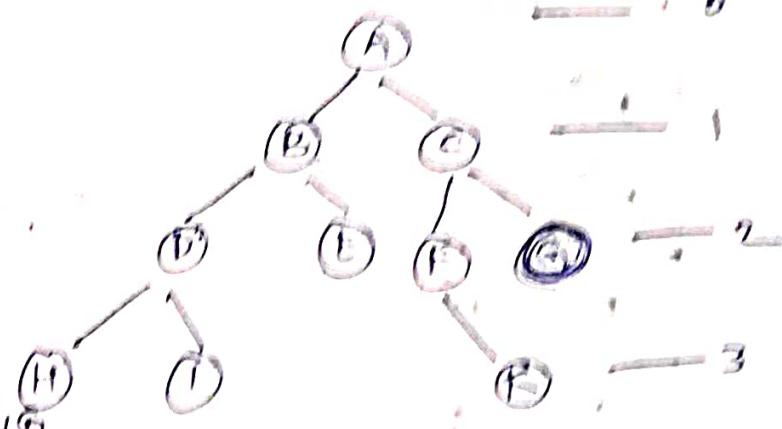
eg

iterations A

2nd " \Rightarrow A, B, C

3rd " \Rightarrow A, B, D, E, F, G

4th iter. \Rightarrow A, B, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M

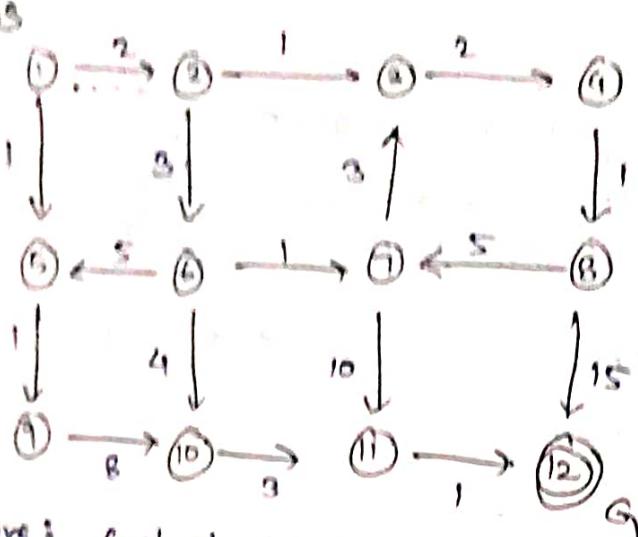


complete and optimal

Bidirectional Bfs

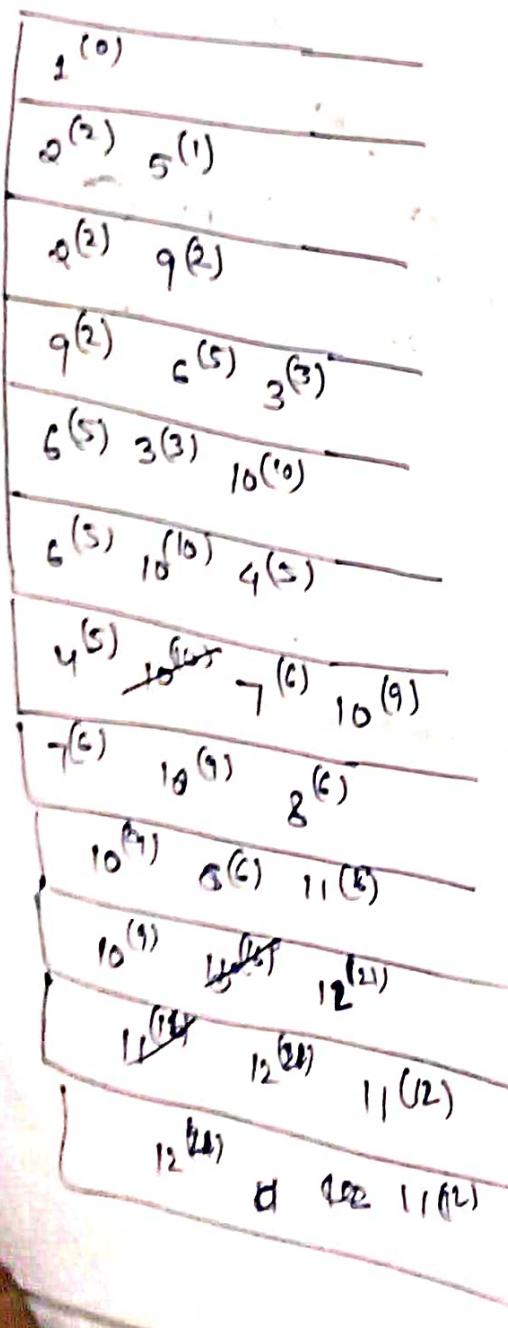
- one should know the goal in advance

- Bidirectional Bfs.

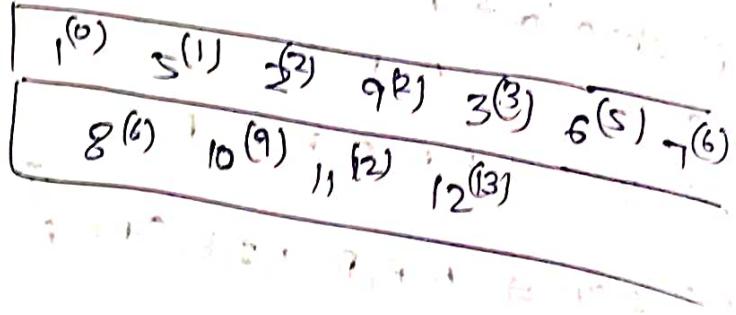


Objective: Cost should be minimum

~~OPEN~~ OPEN

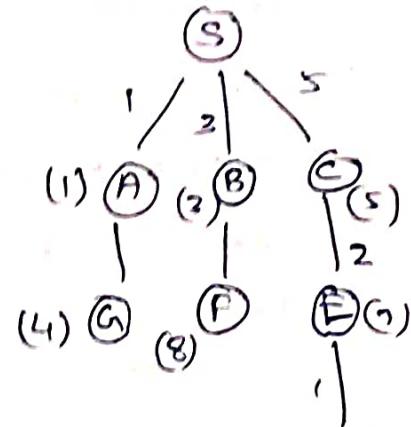
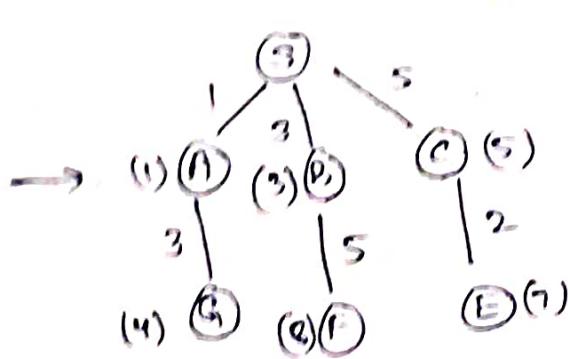
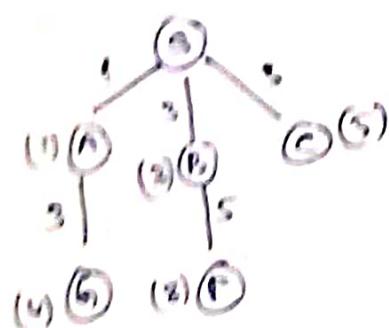
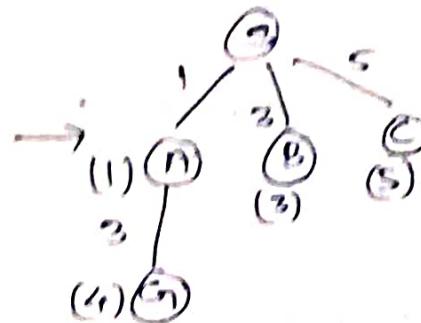


CLOSE



Uniform cost Search

- a variant of Dijkstra's algorithm
- useful for infinite graphs and dead graph which are too large to represent in memory.



Dijkstra Algo - Applicable on explicit graph
 Uniform cost search - Applicable on both explicit and implicit graph.

Search and Optimisation

Given - (S, S_0, G, C)

To find :-

- A minimum cost sequence of transition to a goal state.
- A sequence of transition to the minimum cost goal. \hookrightarrow [think of example]

Basic ~~first~~ search Algo :-

- ① Initialise set OPEN = { S_0 }
- ② Fail if $OPEN = \{\}$ Terminate with failure
- ③ SELECT : select a state n from OPEN
- ④ Terminate : If $n \in G$, terminate with success
- ⑤ Expand : Generate the successors of n using O and T operator
insert in OPEN.
- ⑥ LOOP : Go to step 2.

Best first algo in AI finds the shortest path from a starting node to goal node in graph.

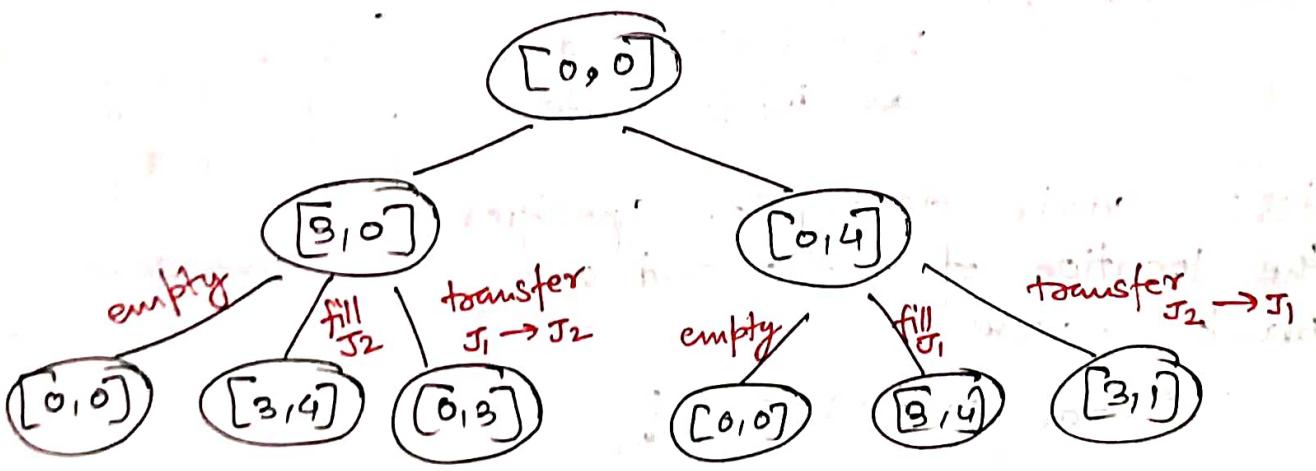
Uses two lists to monitor the traversal while searching

- ① Open list : Monitors the immediate nodes available to traverse at the moment.
- ② Closed list : Monitor nodes that are being transferred already.

Algo works by expanding graph nodes in order of increasing the distance from goal node starting node until goal node is reached.

saving Explicit space:-

- ① Initialise $\text{CLOSED} = \{\}$ and $\text{OPEN} = \{s\}$
- ② ~~(*)~~
- ③ Select a state m from OPEN and ~~SAVE~~ m is CLOSED
- ④ ~~(*)~~
- ⑤ For each successor m , insert m is OPEN only if $m \notin [\text{OPEN} \cup \text{CLOSED}]$



Bfs \rightarrow Queue
Dfs \rightarrow stack

III Problem Solving Agents

well defined problems and solutions

s - initial state

S - state space

O - successor function

g - goal state

c - path cost

eg -

8 Puzzle Problem :-

7	2	4
5		6
8	3	1

(initial state)

A nine × nine grid with one blank space tile. Blank space tile can move or can slide into the space. Goal is to reach the goal state.

Initial state :- Any state can be designated as initial state

States :- State description specifies the location of 8 tile and one blank square.

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	*

Goal state

Total states = $9!$

Successor function :

up, down, left, right. Legal sliding action like (move

Goal state :-

Final state that need to be is required.

8 Queen Problem :

S₀ - Any arrangement of 0 to 8 queens on the board.

S₁ - No queens on the board
→

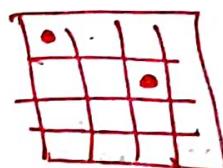
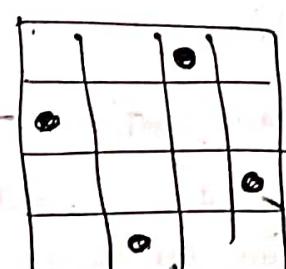
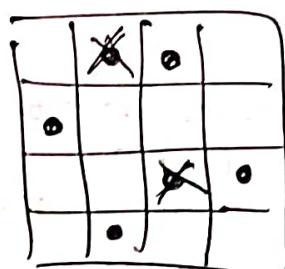
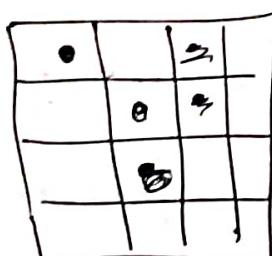
O - Add a queen to any empty square

G - 8 queens on the boards in non-attacking positions.

In this formulation there are $\frac{64}{C_8}$ possibilities
ie 3×10^{14}

Better formulation will be - one per column
State : Arrangement of queens, one per column
in the leftmost n columns, with no queen
attacking another. → (now 2^{n^2} possibilities)

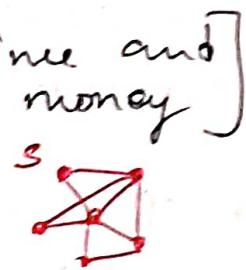
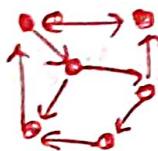
Successor function : Add a queen in the left most
empty column such that it is not attacked by
other queen.



Goal state

- # Traveling salesman Problem (NP-hard)
- Each city must be visited exactly once
 - Aim is to find shortest tour.
 - Visit every city except source once and only once.
 - Start from source and return back to the source.
 - Minimise cost [cost can be time and money]

s : source



g : find a path with min cost so that every city is travelled exactly once and salesman returns back to ~~its~~ ~~the~~ source.

s : Multiple Paths available.

o : The different transition to go from one city to another

Real life problems -

1. Robot Navigation - Generalisation of root finding problem.
2. VLSI layout - Positioning of millions of components and connection on chip to minimise area.
3. Automatic assembly sequencing

Aim is to find an order in which to assemble the parts so as to ~~maximise~~ minimise labour and time.

Expanding & puzzle

Goal state

1	2	3
4	5	8
-	7	6

0	1	3
4	2	6
7	5	8

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	0

3x3

4	1	3
0	2	6
7	5	8

1	0	3
4	2	6
7	5	8

branching factor = 3

4	1	3
7	2	6
0	5	8

4	1	3
2	0	6
7	5	8

4	1	3
7	2	6
5	0	8

1	2	3
4	0	6
7	5	8

1	3	0
4	2	6
7	5	8

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7	5	8

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	0	8

1	2	3
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7	5	8

searching for solution

set of all nodes (leaf) available for expansion at any given point is called frontier.

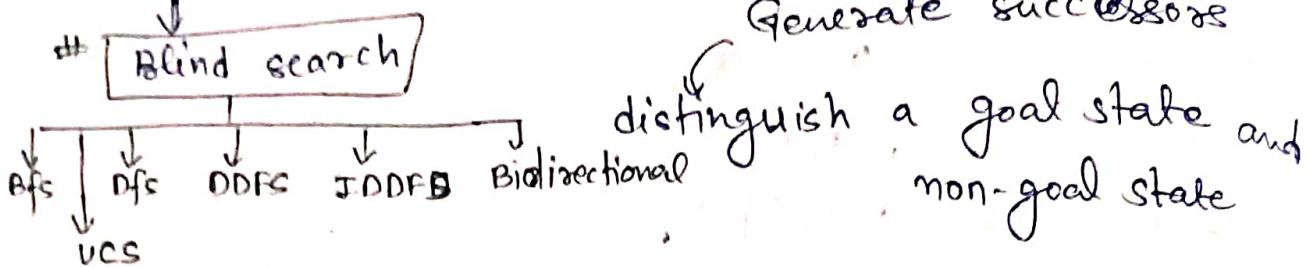
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(Open list)

Closed list

↑ explored set of nodes.

Branching factor - no. of successor node
maximum

Uninformed Search Strategies :-



Informed / Heuristic search :-

strategies that known whether one goal is more promising than other one.

↓
Heuristic search strategies.

- Best first search
- Heuristic search
- Hill Climbing
- Steepest Hill climbing

① Bfs - Queue is used

↓
Bfs always has shallowest path to every node on frontier.

- Always give shortest path.

Completeness - If there exist a solution to problem, and algorithm is able to find to find the solution is called complete algo.

Bfs - complete

Time complexity : $O(b^d)$
 b : branching factor
 d : depth of search tree

Tc:

Space complexity : $b + b^2 + b^3 + \dots + b^d = O(b^d)$

$[d]$: depth of shallowest solution

10^4 nodes	\Rightarrow	11 ms	10^{-6} m/s
10^6 nodes	\Rightarrow	1.1 sec.	1 GB

Exponential time complexity - takes \bullet times
to find solution for large problems.
consumes more space.

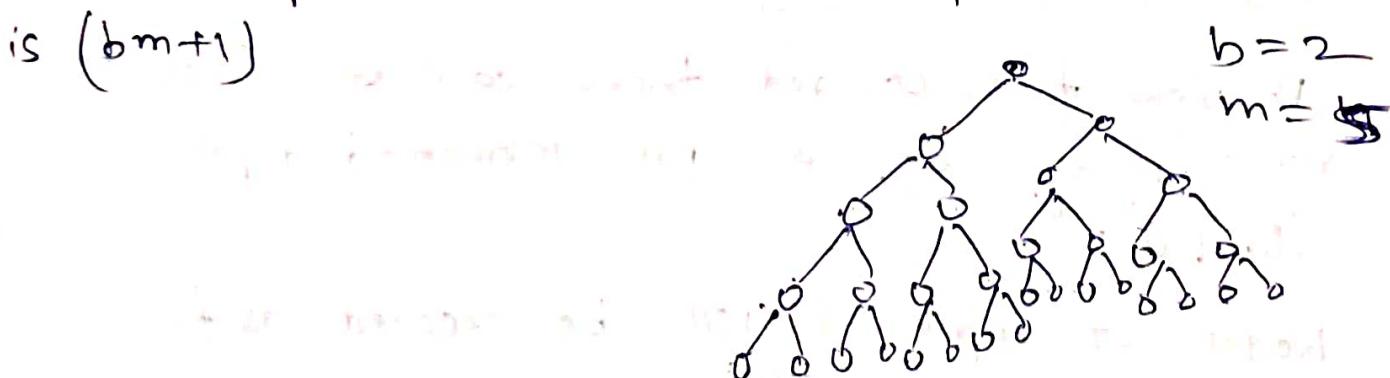
Exponential space complexity - very bad

⑪ Depth First Search

- Uses stack
- Incomplete (not guaranteed to find a solution)
- Not optimal
- Linear space complexity : $O(b \cdot m)$
- Exponential time complexity : $O(b^m)$

Expands deepest node in current fringe

for a state space with branching factor b and maximum depth m , storage required by dfs is $(b^m + 1)$



Depth first search

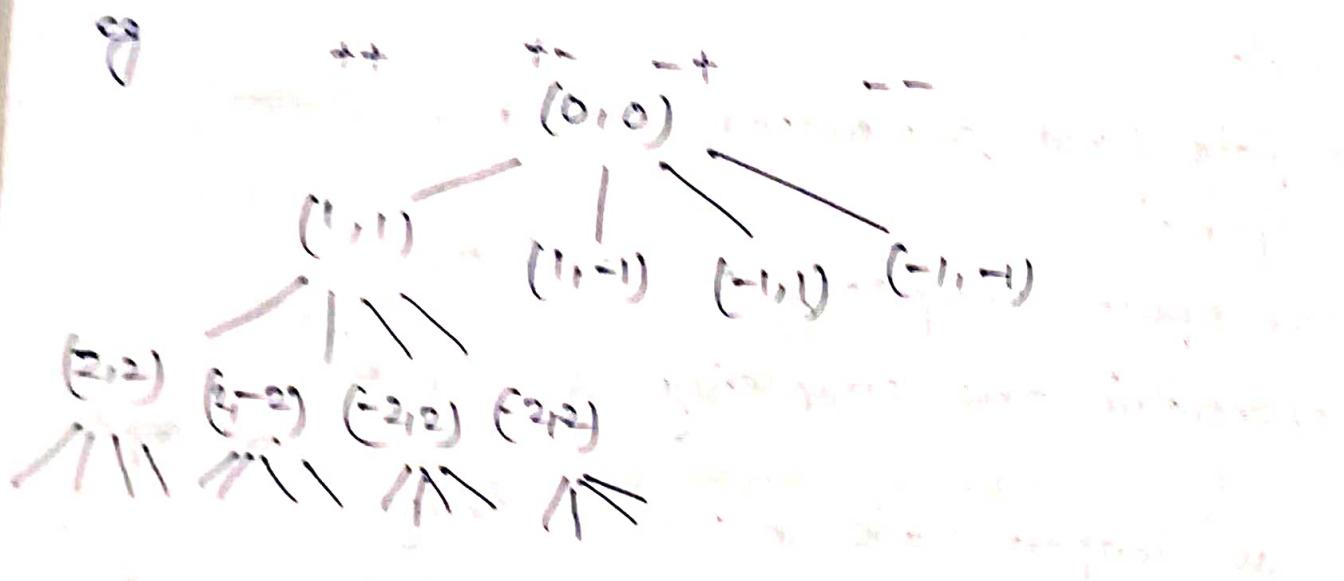
only one successor is generated at a time rather than all successors, each partially expanded node remembers which successor to generate next.

Memory needed $O(bm)$

$O(m)$ rather than $O(bm)$

Disadvantage of dfs :-

- Can make a wrong choice
- Gets stuck on infinite path



Depth limited search

Problem of unbounded trees can be alleviated by supplying dfs a predetermined depth limit d .

Nodes at depth d will be treated as if they have no successor.

It is also incomplete \nexists

e.g. If we choose $l < d$ (depth of solution)
no solution can ~~be~~ not be found.

Time complexity : $O(b^l)$

Space " : $O(b \cdot l)$

+ Iterative Deepening depth-first search (IDDFS) (IDPS)

It search by gradually increasing the
depth limit from 0, 1, 2, 3 to so on

[Combined benefits of dfs and bfs]

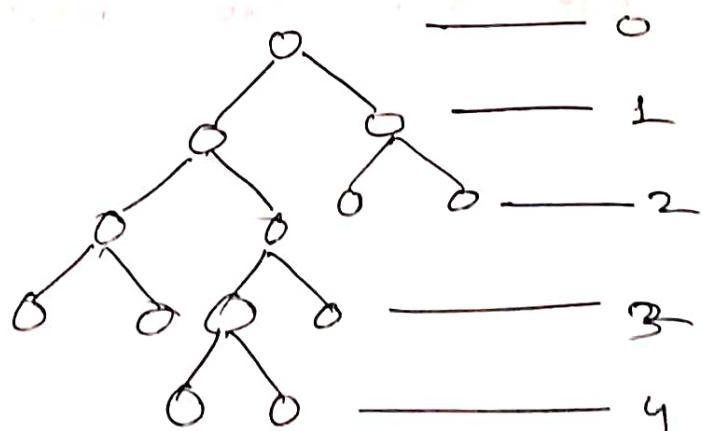
If memory requirements are modest $O(b \cdot d)$

If is complete.

Time complexity : $O(b^d)$

If is optimal.

Space complexity : $O(b \cdot d)$



Bidirectional search

Idea behind bidirectional search is to run two simultaneous searches - one forward from initial state and other backward from goal, stops when two searches meet in the middle.
Motivation is that $b^{d/2}$ and much less than b^d .

Time complexity $O(b^{d/2})$ weakness

Space complexity $O(b^{d/2})$ ← space requirement is more complete & optimal (if both searches are bfs)

Note:

- If there is one goal state, bidirectional search works well.
- Recording from start node is easier than recording from ~~end~~ goal node.
- But there are more than one goal state.

For e.g.
All the states start satisfying the "checkmate" goal test
in chess. A backward search would need to construct
a compact description of all states that lead to
checkmate by one move 'in'.

Those descriptions we have test against the states
generated by forward search. There is no efficient
way to do this.

Alg	Time	space	completeness	optimality
bfs	$O(b^d)$	$O(b^d)$	Yes ✓	Yes ✓
depth first	$O(b^m)$	$O(b \cdot m)$	No ✗	No ✗
depth limited	$O(b^l)$	$O(b \cdot l)$	No ✗	No ✗
breadth first	$O(b^d)$	$O(b \cdot d)$	Yes (if b is finite) ✓	Yes ✓
bidirectional	$O(b^{d/2})$	$O(b^{d/2})$	Yes ✓	Yes ✓

→ space complexity of bfs is less than of dfs.

$$O(b \cdot m)$$

→ bfs → (optimal + complete) $O(b^d)$

bfs → Not optimal + Not complete

Uniform Cost Search

Bfs always gives shortest path if all steps are equal.

Bfs always expands for the shallowest unexpanded node.

but

Note :-

Uniform cost search expands the nodes first with lowest path cost.

Note: if all steps costs are equal it is same as bfs.

does not care about number of steps in path but only cares about total cost.

- Therefore it gets stuck in infinite loop if there is a node with zero cost.

complete + optimal

↓

If all path costs ≥ 1 then greater than 0

Uniform cost search is guided by path costs rather than board so its complexity is complex to determine.

Let c be cost for optimal solution and every action costs at least c . then

Time complexity $O(b^{c/e})$ which is much greater than $O(b^d)$

so it is used only to explore large trees with small steps.

Dijkstra

No negative edge is allowed

UCS

Negative edge is allowed

Instead of inserting all nodes into the priority queue, only source node is added and then one by one insertion when needed

UCS :-

Useful for infinite graphs

assumes all operators have a cost.

1. Initialise : set OPEN = $\{s\}$, CLOSED = \emptyset , $c(s) = 0$
2. Fail : If OPEN = \emptyset , terminate with failure
3. SELECT : Select the min cost state (n) from OPEN and save n in CLOSED.
4. Terminate : If $n \in G$, terminate with success.
5. Expand : Generate the successors of n using O for each success m .

If $m \notin [OPEN \cup CLOSED]$

OPEN U CLOSE

$$c(m) = c(n) + c(n, m)$$

set $c(m) = c(n) + c(n, m)$

If $m \in (OPEN \cup CLOSE)$

set $c(m) = \min \{c(m), c(n) + c(n, m)\}$

(#) If $c(m)$ has decreased and $m \notin CLOSED$, move it to OPEN.



$u \cdot \text{cost} = 0 \quad \text{cost}(u, u)$

$v \cdot \text{cost} = 5 \quad \text{cost}(u, v)$

Dijksra's Algorithm :-

Initialisation : $\text{OPEN}(S) \quad \text{CLOSED} = \{\}$ $s \cdot \text{cost} = 0$

Iteration : Remove the lowest cost state n from
 $\text{OPEN} \quad \text{CLOSED.append}(n)$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Priority Queue} \\ \text{Min heap} \end{array} \right\}$

Terminate : If $m \in G$, then terminate with success.

Selection : Apply all $o \in O$ on n to obtain weight of n

$m \notin (\text{OPEN} \cup \text{CLOSED})$

$$m \cdot \text{cost} = n \cdot \text{cost} + \text{cost}(n, m)$$

if $m \in \text{OPEN}$ and $m \cdot \text{cost} > B$

Revise cost of m as -

$$m \cdot \text{cost} = B$$

* if $m \in \text{CLOSED}$ and $m \cdot \text{cost} > B$

Revise cost of m as -

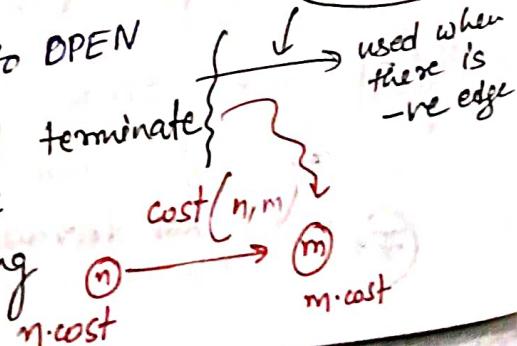
$$m \cdot \text{cost} = B$$

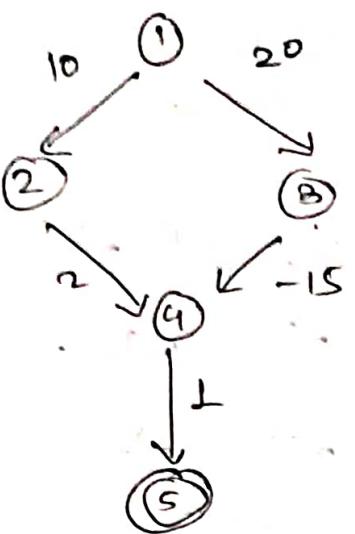
Move m from CLOSED to OPEN

Termination with failure :- If $\text{OPEN} = []$ terminate

Termination condition for graph having
-ve edge [Exhaustive search]

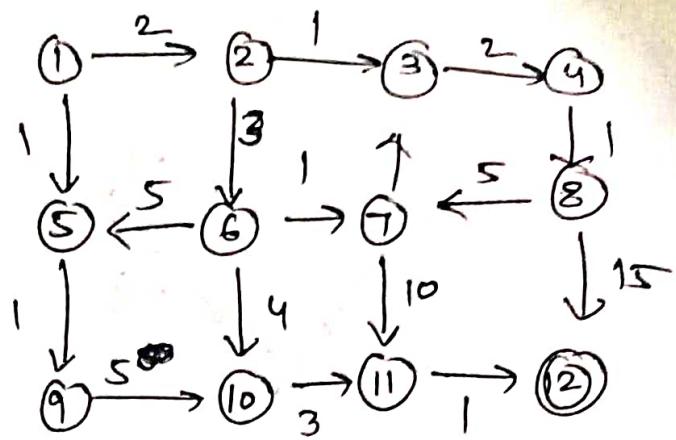
This terminates condition ~~is~~ is used only when all operators are +ve



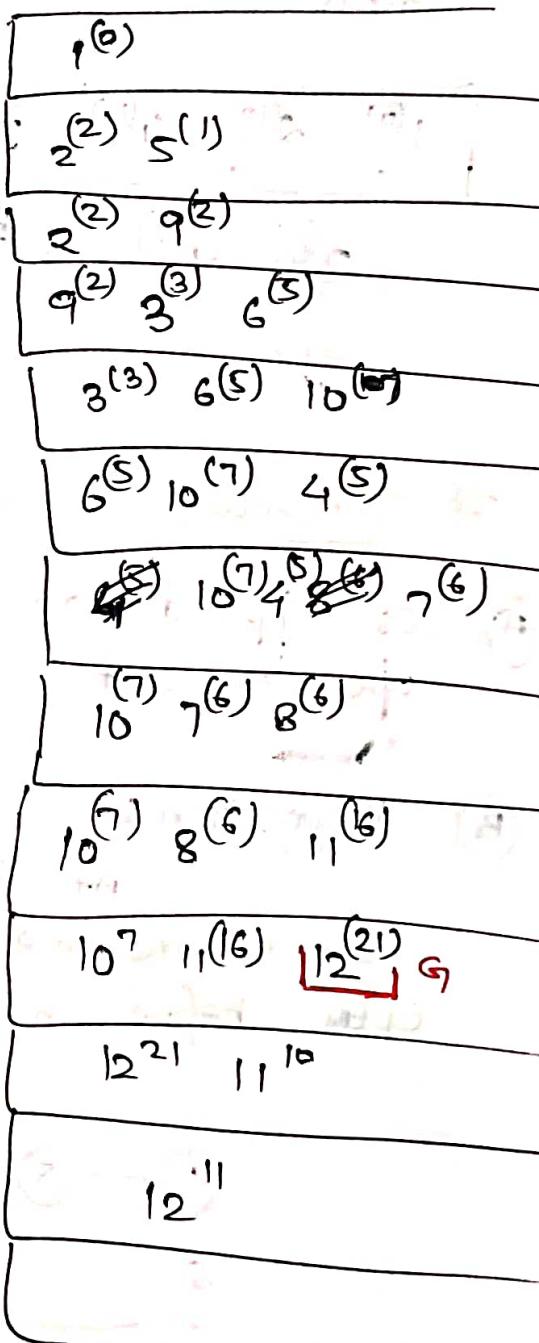


CLOSED

$1^{(1)}$	$2^{(2)}$	$9^{(2)}$	$3^{(3)}$
$6^{(5)}$	$4^{(5)}$	$7^{(6)}$	$8^{(4)}$
$10^{(7)}$	$11^{(10)}$	$12^{(11)}$	

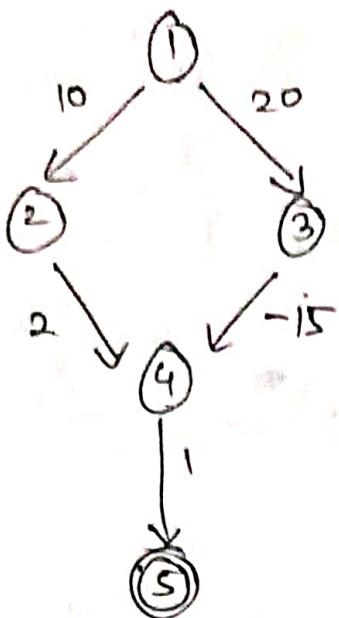


OPEN

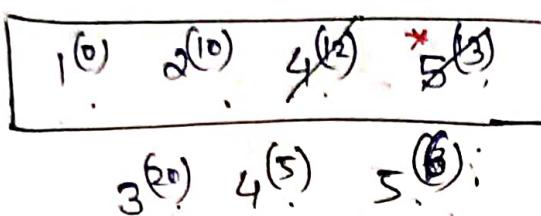


Goal state reach but we are not terminating here because

Goal is still in open



CLOSED



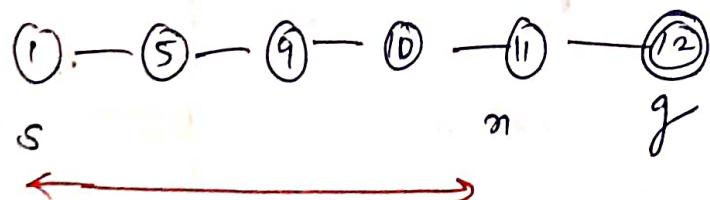
<u>OPEN</u>	
$1^{(0)}$	$2^{(10)}$, $3^{(20)}$
$3^{(20)}$	$4^{(12)}$
$3^{(20)}$	$5^{(13)}$
$3^{(20)}$	
$4^{(5)}$	
$5^{(6)}$	

Theorem:

- (A) VCS applied on a ~~probabilistic~~ problem having the operator cost will return optimal solution.

(B) Proposition:

At least one node in the path from s to the nes [having optimal cost] should be OPEN before n is being removed from [OPEN]



At least one node in the path from s to nes [having optimal cost] should be in OPEN before n is being removed from OPEN.

(c) There does not exist any other path from s to n having lesser cost than n-cost.

(i) At least one node belonging to the path having optimal cost from s to n should be in OPEN always, before retrieving n.

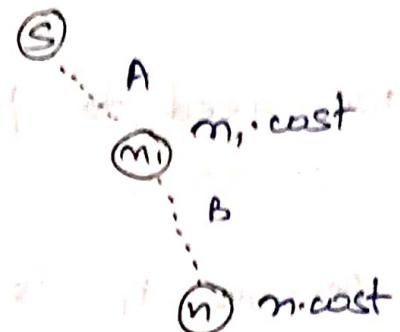
In path-1 :

$$A+B = C^*(n)$$

Assume : $\alpha < A$

$$\alpha + B < C^*(n)$$

$\longrightarrow \leftarrow$



optimal cost from s to n = $C^*(n)$

g E G : closest optimal goal = $A+B$

from s

(d) $c^*(m) \leq c^*(g)$, $\forall m \in S$ will be expanded before g, belonging to optimum path.

Optimal cost of m from s

Optimal cost of goal state from s.

$$C^*(10) = 7$$

$$C^*(9) = 2$$

$$C^*(12) = 11$$

$$C^*(10) \leq C^*(g)$$

$$C^*(9) \leq C^*(g)$$

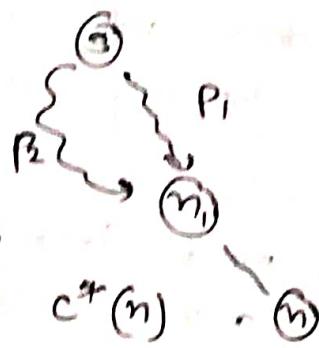
$$C^*(12) \leq C^*(g)$$

True

always.

$$UCS \Rightarrow C^*(n) \leq C^*(g)$$

(2) if $s \rightarrow n$ \rightarrow optimal
then $s \rightarrow n_1 \rightarrow$ optimal



P is the optimal path from s to n through n_1 with cost $c^*(n)$.

P_1 is the subpath of P from s to n_1 .

We need to prove : P_1 is optimal subpath from s to n_1 .

Assume P_1 is not optimal path from s to n_1 with cost $c(n_1)$.

Let's $\exists P_2$ which is optimal path from s to n_1 $\Rightarrow c^*(n_1) < c(n_1)$

Path from s to $n =$ optimal path from s to n_1
+ Path from n_1 to n
 $= c^*(n_1) + P(n_1, n) < c^*(n)$

Base Case :

N_p : all the nodes reachable directly from s are in OPEN in the first step of algo.

Let b be the optimal path from s to a node $m \in N_p$.
 P consist of at least one node in

Let assume, state n consist of n_1 and n_2 , n_1 is directly reachable from n & is in OPEN

Until n_1 is not being removed,

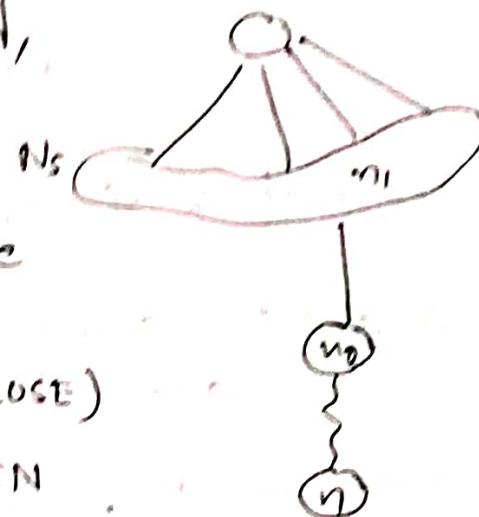
(P) is true.

when n_1 is expanded, n_2 will be visited.

(i) n_2 is not in (OPEN U CLOSE)
 $\Rightarrow n_2$ is brought to OPEN

(ii) $n_2 \in (\text{OPEN} \cup \text{CLOSED}) \Rightarrow$ cost of n_2 will be visited through n_1 because of C.
using induction

(P) can be proved



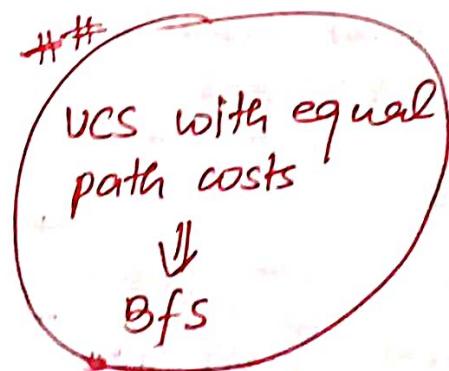
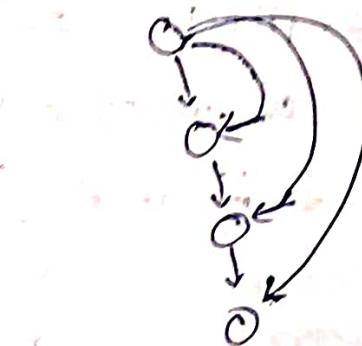
Note:

If Path costs are unit / equal

Ucs



Bfs.



Ucs :-

If all operator costs are the same then the algo finds the min cost sequence of transition to a goal.

Branch and Bound :-

① INITIALISE

set OPEN = [s]

CLOSED = []

set $c[s] = 0$

$c^* = \infty$

Initial bound

② TERMINATE : If OPEN = [] then return c^*

③ SELECT : select a state m from OPEN and save in CLOSED.

④ NEW BOUND ASSIGNMENT : If neg and $c(m) < c^*$ then set $c^* = c(m)$ and Goto step 2. (lesser cost goal found)

⑤ EXPAND If $c(m) < c^*$ generate the successor of m for each successor n

if $m \notin [\text{OPEN} \cup \text{CLOSED}]$

cost of n is less than bound c^*

[find cost of successor if it is not present in OPEN \cup CLOSED]
set $c(n) = c(m) + c(m, n)$ and insert n in OPEN

if

$m \in [\text{OPEN} \cup \text{CLOSED}]$

Bound B
 $B = c(m) + c(m, n)$

set $c(n) = \min(c(n), B)$

Found a better path so $m \in \text{CLOSED}$ move it to OPEN

if $c(n)$ has decreased

and $m \in \text{CLOSED}$ move to OPEN

⑥ Goto Step 2

If one solution is found in one branch, other branches are explored in search of better solution

state space



Branch

Bound

Heuristic

- * method of learning and solving problems through ourselves and learn from people to discover things their own experiences

$$f(n) = g(n) + h(n)$$

Actual cost of
m from s



Estimated
cost of n to
reach by from state

n

source →



$$g(n) \geq 4$$

current →



$$h(n)$$

Goal →



Informed search

$h^*(n)$ = optimal cost to reach G from n

$$h(n) \leq h^*(n)$$

underestimate

$$h(n) > h^*(n)$$

overestimate

eg - Heuristic values are calculated by some functions like Euclidean distance, Manhattan Distance

1	3	2
6	5	4
8	7	



1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	



Blind search take

3²⁰ case to be explored to reach solution

8.5 Billion

348 crore possibilities

Number of tiles misplaced = 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 = 6

Manhattan distance = 0 + 1 + 1 + 2 + 0 + 2 + 2 = 8

↓
no move to get the tiles at correct position.

(1)

12	1	2	3
4	13	14	5
10		15	6
9	8	7	6

→

1	2	3	4
12	13	14	5
11		15	6
10	9	8	7

$f(n) = 12$
 Number of misplaced tiles = 12
 Number of files need to be moved = $h(n) = 12$ } Explore the path in which the number of misplaced files is less

N Queen Problem :-

*			
		*	
*			
	*		
			*

$$h(n) = 2$$

Number of queens in attacking position.

} Explore that path in which no. of queen at attacking pos is less

Heuristic for TSP :-

$$h(n) = \text{cost of MST} \quad (\text{underestimate})$$

$$= 2 \times \text{cost of MST}$$

$$k \geq 2 \quad (\text{overestimate})$$

When we want solution in less time.

$g(n)$: function of state and operator

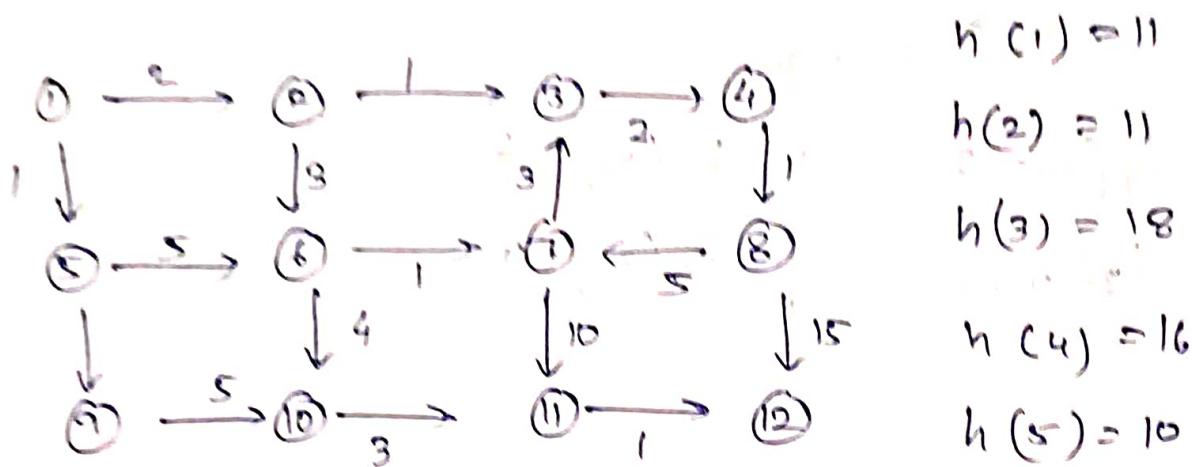
$h(n)$: function of state only (will not change)

Heuristic → gives good solution

but does not guarantee optimality

Informedness

h_1 and h_2 are 2 underestimated heuristics.
 h_1 is more informed than h_2 if $\forall n \in S$
 $h_1(n) \geq h_2(n)$



$$h(9) = 9$$

Optimal path is heuristic

$$h(10) = 4$$

$$h(11) = 1$$

$$h(12) = 0$$

If $\forall n \quad h(n) = h^*(n)$ then only the nodes in the optimal path will be expanded

↑
Retrieved from OPEN

$$f(n) = g(n) + h(n)$$

$$f(1) = g(1) + h(1) = 0 + 11 = 11$$

$$f(2) = g(2) + h(2) = 11 + 2 = 13$$

$$f(3) = g(3) + h(3) = 3 + 18 = 21$$

$$f(4)$$

$$f(5) =$$

$$= 11$$

$$f(n) = g(n) + h(n) = 2+9=11$$

when the heuristic is underestimate ie,

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \cdot h(n) \leq h^*(n)$$

$h^* \Rightarrow$ algo

$$\begin{array}{c|c} h_1(n_1)=5 & h_1(n_1) \geq 6 \\ h_2(n_2)=7 & h_2(n_2) \geq 4 \end{array}$$

Given κ undestimated heuristic, derive the best
heuristic $h_1, h_2, \dots, h_k \Rightarrow \kappa$ undestimates
heuristic.

$$\text{Best: } \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \max(h_1, h_2, \dots, h_k)$$

Note if $h(n)=0$ then κ heuristic will boil
down to ~~is heuristic~~ UCS.

A* Algorithm

Initial: OPEN = [s]; CLOSED = [] s.cost = h(s)
 based on f(n)

Iteration. Remove the lowest \rightarrow cost ↑ state n from open.

Expansion of node n and update f(n) & g(n).

~~Subtract~~ Selection: $\{m.\text{cost} = n.\text{cost} + \text{cost}(n, m)\} \times$

$$\begin{cases} f(m) = g(m) + h(m) \\ g(m) = g(n) + \text{cost}(n, m) \end{cases}$$

$m.\text{cost} > n.\text{cost} + \text{cost}(n, m)$ \times

$$g(m) > g(n) + \text{cost}(n, m)$$

$h(m) = 0 \Rightarrow$ UCS \Rightarrow MANY NODES WILL BE EXPANDED.

$$h(n) = h^*(n) \Rightarrow$$

min. nodes will be expanded.

Inference of these two statements

Heuristic
between
these two
Blindly
Searching

we know which path will lead to optimality.

A* uses heuristic search with underestimate heuristic. It always gives optimal solution.

Ques -

Which nodes are expanded in VCS, but not in A*??

Ans:- In A* only nodes in optimal path are expanded.

In VCS nodes other than optimal path nodes may be expanded.

In A*

$$\forall n, \quad f(n) \leq [g^*(g) = f^*(g)] \\ g(n) + h(n)$$

In VCS

$$g(n) \leq \cancel{g^*(g)} \quad g^*(g) \\ c(n) \leq c^*(n)$$

$$g(n) < g^*(n) < f(n)$$

$$|| \\ g(n) + h(n)$$

In UGS



$$f(n) < f(g) \text{ --- } \textcircled{I}$$

These many nodes are expanded

In A*

$$g(n) + h(n) \leq f(g)$$

These nodes are expanded.

Nodes that are not expanded in A*

$$g(n) + h(n) > f(g) \text{ --- } \textcircled{II}$$

Taking intersection of \textcircled{I} and \textcircled{II}

$$g(n) + h(n) > f(g) \cap f(n) < f(g)$$

These nodes are expanded in UGS
but not in A*

8 Puzzle Problem with heuristic

Informed Search

1	2	3
-	4	6
7	5	8

1	2	3
4	-	6
7	8	-

h = 8 m

-	2	3
1	4	6
7	5	8

1	2	3
7	4	6
-	5	8

1	2	3
4	-	6
7	5	8

h=4

h=4

h=2

dead end

1	2	3
4	2	6
7	5	8

h=3

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	-	8

h=1

1	2	3
4	6	-
7	5	8

h=3

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	-

h=0

1	2	3
4	5	6
-	7	8

h=2

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	-

h=3

1
[solution]

A* Algorithm

- ① Initialise : set $OPEN = \{s\}$ $CLOSED = \emptyset$,
 $g(s) = 0$ $f(s) = h(s)$
- ② Fail : if $OPEN = \emptyset$ terminate with failure.
- ③ Select : select the min cost state n from $OPEN$ and save n in $CLOSED$. $f(n) = g(n) + h(n)$.
- ④ Terminate : If $n \in G$, terminate with success and return $f(n)$.
- ⑤ Expand : for each successor m of n
- if $m \notin [OPEN \cup CLOSED]$
- ~~Update the cost of reaching the state m~~ → set $g(m) = g(n) + c(n, m)$ \rightarrow update $f(m) = g(m) + h(m)$ \rightarrow update $f(n)$
- Insert m in $OPEN$. \curvearrowleft Estimated cost
- if $m \in [OPEN \cup CLOSED]$
- ~~If m is already present update the cost $g(m)$ if new cost is less than that.~~
- set $g(m) = \min \{ \underline{g(m)}, \underline{g(n)} + c(n, m) \}$ \curvearrowleft previous cost
- set $f(m) = g(m) + h(m)$ \curvearrowleft new cost
- if $f(n)$ has decreased and $m \in CLOSED$ move m to $OPEN$
- ⑥ Loop : Goto step ⑤

Cannibals and Missionaries

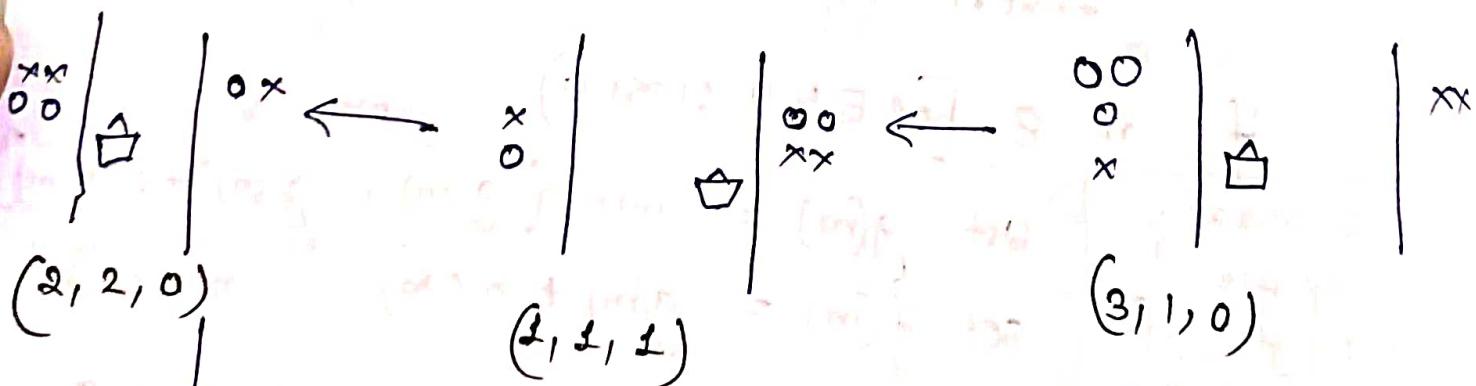
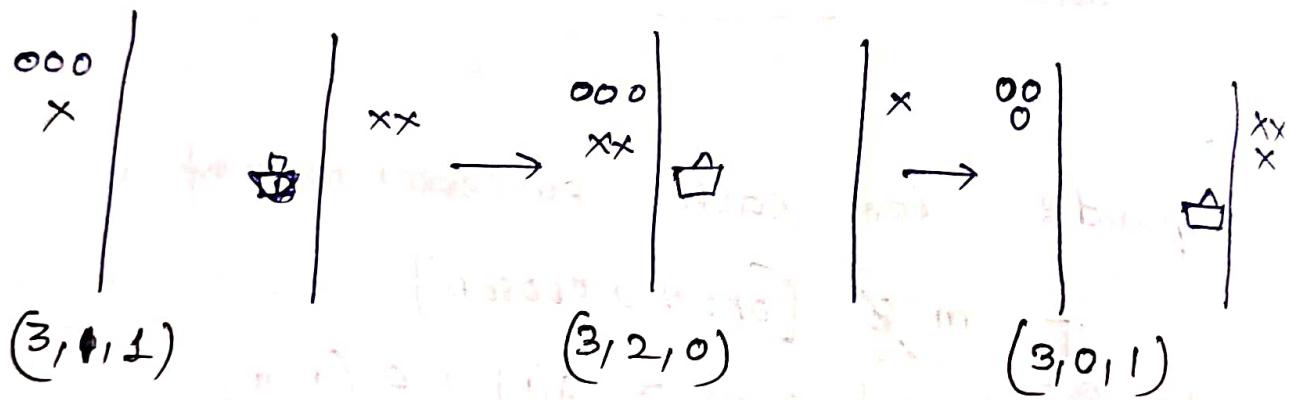
If number of cannibals is greater than missionaries then cannibals kill missionaries

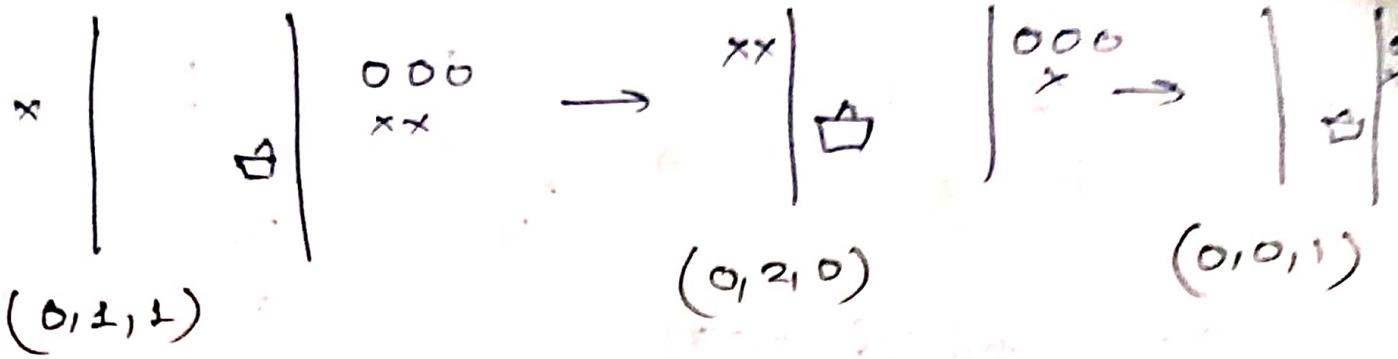
$$S - (3, 3, 0)$$

m c B

Two are allowed at a time.

$$G - (0, 0, 1)$$





solution:

- (3, 3, 0)
- (3, 1, 1)
- (3, 2, 0)
- (3, 0, 1)
- (3, 1, 0)
- (2, 2, 1)
- (2, 2, 0)
- (0, 2, 1)
- (0, 3, 0)
- (0, 2, 2)
- (0, 2, 0)
- (0, 0, 1)

Total 6 sounds

(S, 2, 0, G)

S - start state (3, 3, 0)

G - goal state (0, 0, 1)

S - Intermediate states

O - operators. number of missionaries or cannibals that are transferred.

operators

↓

(0, 2)

(0, 1)

(0, 2)

(0, 1)

(2, 0)

(1, 1)

(2, 0)

(0, 1)

(0, 2)

(0, 1)

(0, 2)

(0, 1)

(m, c)

↑ ↑

missionaries or
cannibals
transferred to
the other side

4. Water flow pattern &
boundary conditions

Let's think of water in
a 2D box,



10 m 10 m

(0,0) (water front)
↓

10 m 30 m

(0,0)
(5,0)
(5,5)
(0,5)

} intermediate
zone

(5,5)

(0,5) = rock

