

# Artificial Intelligence:

- Intelligence

- ability to understand
- problem solving
- trial & error learning (experience based)
- + Intuition, awareness ?
- + Creativity
- decision making
- search
- ability to reason (deductive, inductive)
- Analogy

AGENT = Program + Archi.  
(agent)  
to do

## Five Tribes (AI Algorithms)

- Evolutionaries (Evolving Structure)
- Connectionists (Learning Parameters)
- Symbolists (Composition of elements)
- Bayesians (Weighing evidences)
- Analogizers (mapping to new situation)

- Master Algorithm

## Thinking Humanly

- machines with mind
- + Cognitive Science

## Thinking Rationally

- study of mental faculties through the use of comp models
- + Laws of thought, Game Theory

## Acting Humanly + Turing Test

- make comp do things at which, at the moment, people are better

## Acting Rationally

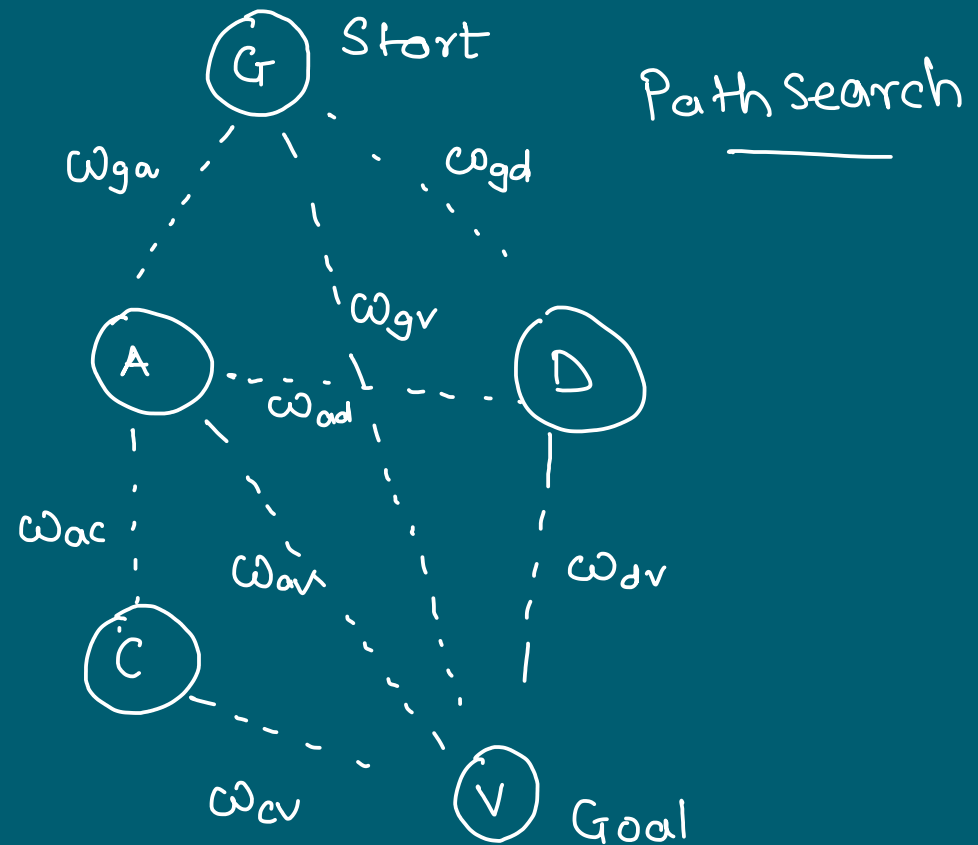
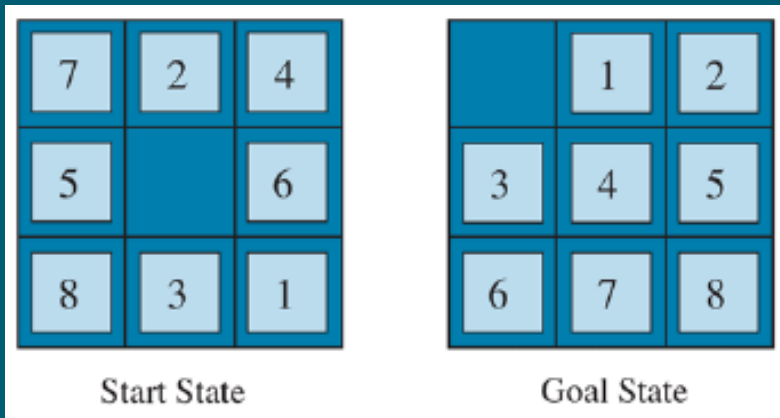
- study of design of intelligent agents
- + Correct Inference

# AI Foundations:

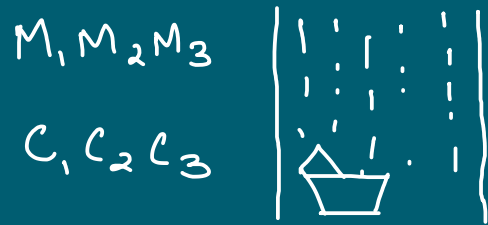
- Philosophy
- Mathematics
  - Gödel Incompleteness
  - Turing computa.
  - D Hofstadter (GEB)
  - Tractability
  - Uncertainty
- Economics - max pay off - far in future
- Neuroscience • Psychology • CE + build eff comp
- Control - Cybernetics • Linguistics



## 8 - Puzzle



## Missionaries & Cannibals

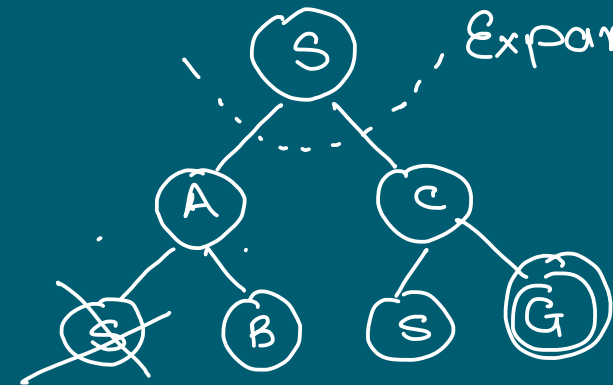


- Initial Configuration  $\longrightarrow$  End configuration
- Tree - Graph traversals

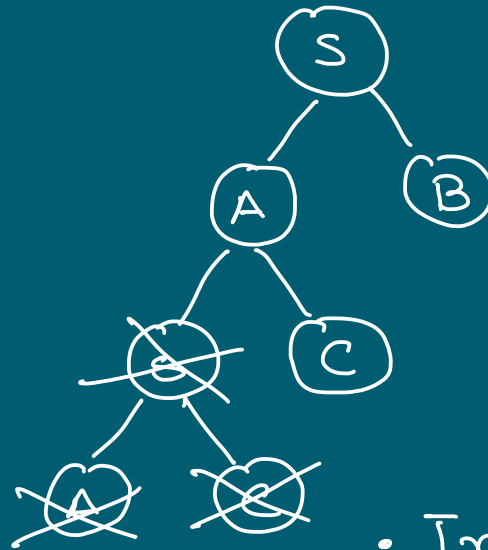
# • Breadth / Depth First Search

BFS

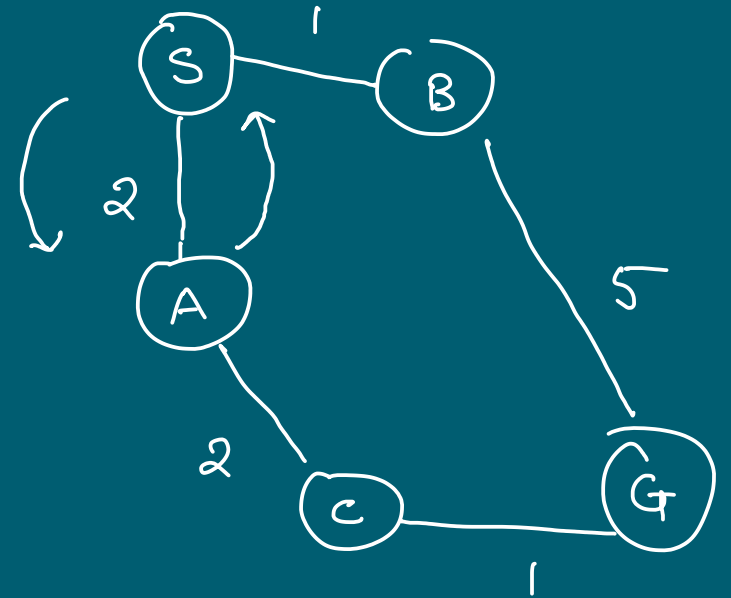
Neighborhood  
Expansion



DFS



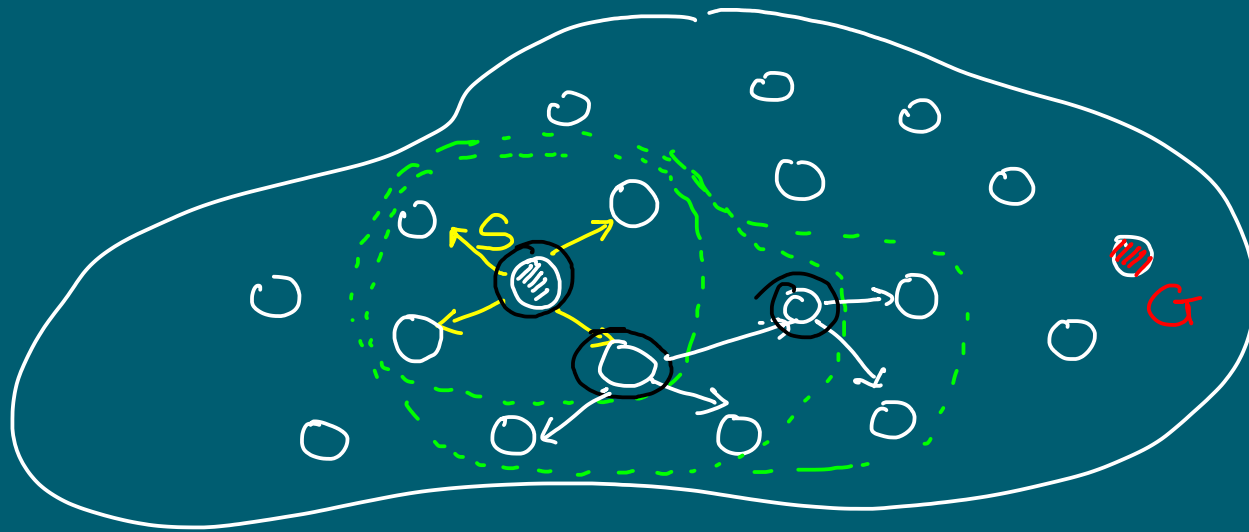
State  
Transition



• Adjacency  
matrix / list

- start node
- List to keep track of visited nodes / Hashtable
- Set of nodes to be explored in a queue [FIFO | STACK]
- Goal Test

# State Space Search:



— Frontier

— Visited

State vs Node

node.state

node.parent

node.action

node.path\_cost

Frontier

pop, top

is\_empty

add



# Best First Search

Init

~~$(S, \phi, 0)$~~

Frontier

~~$\{ (S, \phi, 0) \}$~~

~~$\{ (A, S, 1), (B, S, 1) \}$~~

~~$\{ (B, S, 1), (C, A, 2) \}$~~

~~$\{ (G, B, 2) \}$~~

$\{ (G, B, 2), (D, C, 3) \}$

~~$(A, C, 3)$~~

~~$(B, C, 3)$~~

~~$(G, C, 3)$~~

$(D, C, 3)$

(Explored!)

Visited

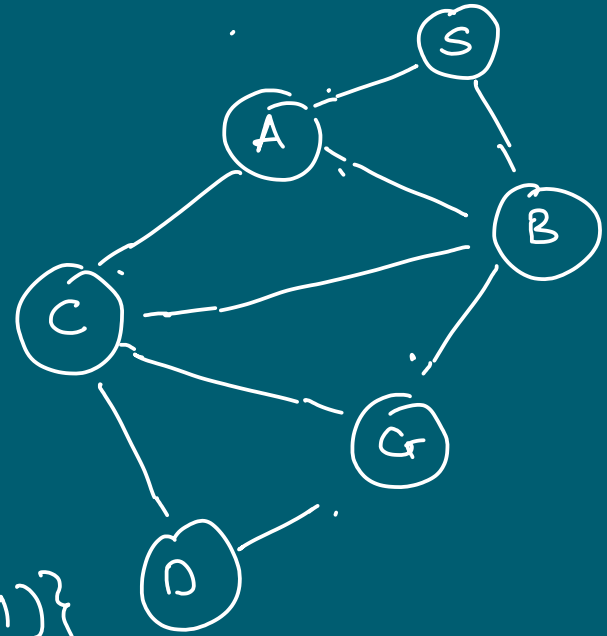
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$\{ (S, \phi, 0) \}$

$\{ (S, \phi, 0), (A, S, 1) \}$

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# Search Performance

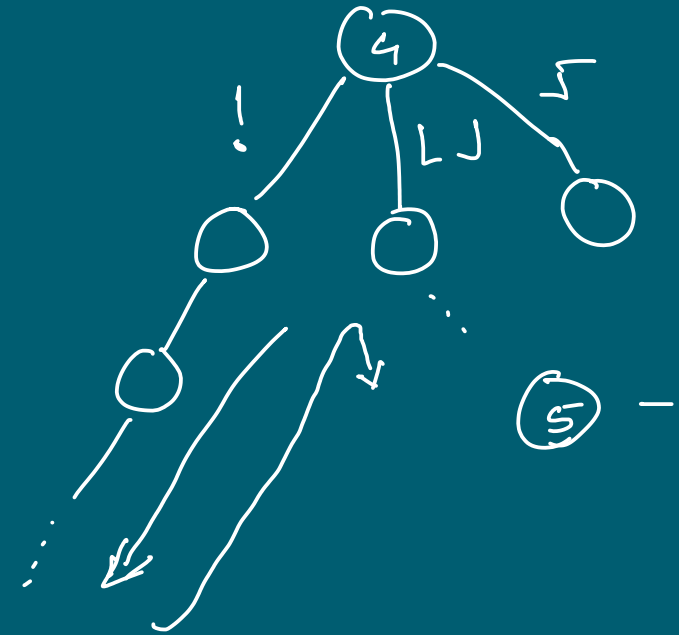
1. Completeness - Is the algorithm guaranteed to find a solution when there is one, and to correctly report failure when there is not?

BFS

DFS

Best FS

2. Optimality - lowest path cost solution - - -



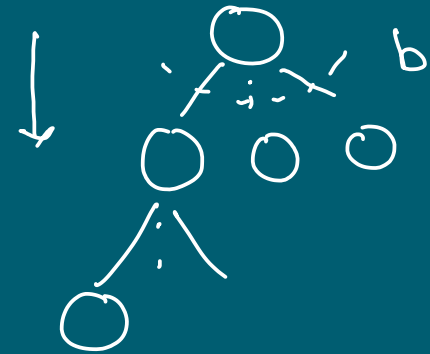
3. Time complexity

4. Space Complexity

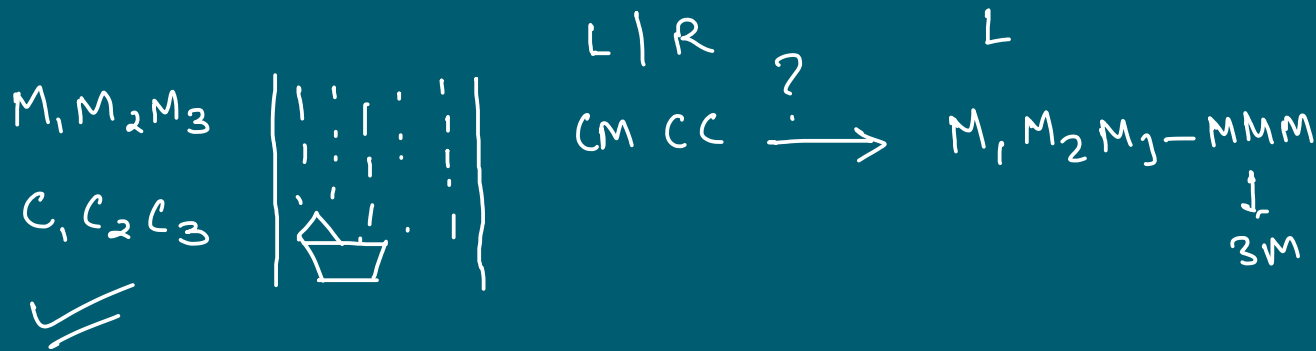
1 Million nodes/sec , 1000 bytes/node

Branching Factor:  $b = 10$

depth	Nodes	Time	Mem	$d \geq 2$
2	$10^2$	11ms	107KB	$d=1$
4	$10^4$	11ms	10.6MB	
6	$10^6$	1.1s	1GB	
8	$10^8$	2min	103GB	
10	$10^{10}$	8hrs	10TB	
12	$10^{12}$	13days	1PB	
14	$10^{14}$	3.5years	99PB	
16	$10^{16}$	350years	10EB	

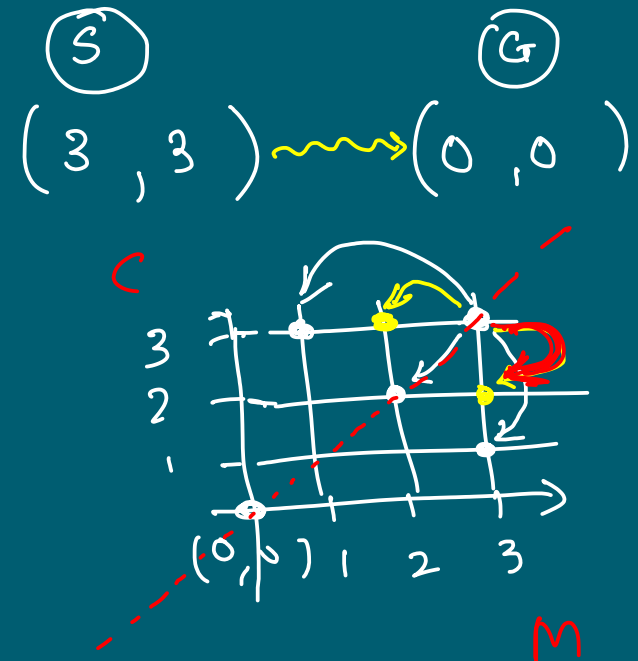


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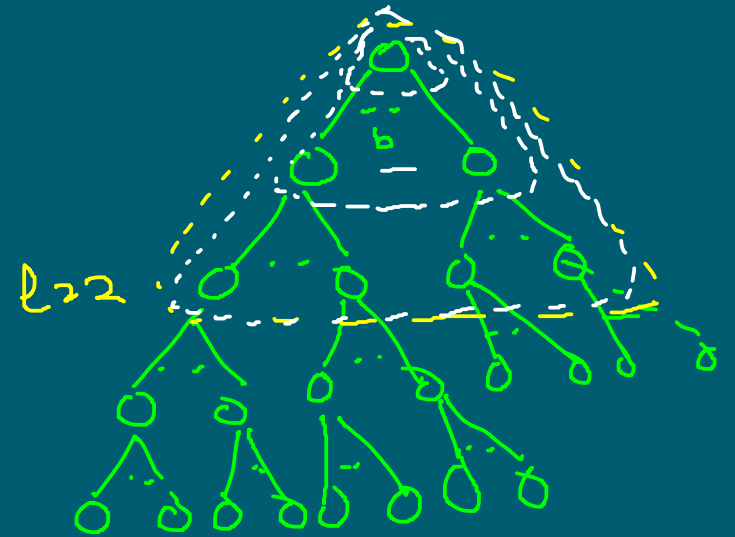
# Frontier

Visited

$$(3, 3, \phi, 0) \quad \{ (3, 3, \phi, 0) \quad \{ \}$$
$$\{(3,2), (3,3), 1\} \quad \{(3,3), \phi, 0\}$$


# Uninformed Search

- Use of info obtained from env
- Blind search - BFS/DFS
- Best First (to root)  $\rightarrow$  Uniform Cost Search
- Depth Limited Search
- Iterative Deepening Search



$l$	0	1	2	3	...	$d$
#	1	$1+b$	$1+b+b^2$	$1+b+b^3$	<u><math>1+b+\dots+b^d</math></u>	

$$\#IDS(d) = d + (d-1)b + (d-2)b^2 + \dots + b^d \sim O(b^d)$$

$$\#BFS(d) = 1 + b + \dots + b^d \sim O(b^d)$$

$$b=10, d=5$$

$$\#IDS = 1, 23, 450$$

$$\#BFS = 1, 11, 110$$

Criterion	Breadth-First	<del>Best First</del> Uniform-Cost	Depth-First	Depth-Limited	Iterative Deepening	Bidirectional (if applicable)
Complete?	Yes <sup>1</sup>	Yes <sup>1,2</sup>	No	No	Yes <sup>1</sup>	Yes <sup>1,4</sup>
Optimal cost?	Yes <sup>3</sup>	Yes	No	No	Yes <sup>3</sup>	Yes <sup>3,4</sup>
Time	$O(b^d)$	$O(b^{1+\lceil C^*/\epsilon \rceil})$	$O(b^m)$	$O(b^\ell)$	$O(b^d)$	$O(b^{d/2})$
Space	$O(b^d)$	$O(b^{1+\lceil C^*/\epsilon \rceil})$	$O(bm)$	$O(b\ell)$	$O(bd)$	$O(b^{d/2})$

Evaluation of search algorithms.  $b$  is the branching factor;  $m$  is the maximum depth of the search tree;  $d$  is the depth of the shallowest solution, or is  $m$  when there is no solution;  $\ell$  is the depth limit. Superscript caveats are as follows: <sup>1</sup> complete if  $b$  is finite, and the state space either has a solution or is finite. <sup>2</sup> complete if all action costs are  $\geq \epsilon > 0$ ; <sup>3</sup> cost-optimal if action costs are all identical; <sup>4</sup> if both directions are breadth-first or uniform-cost.

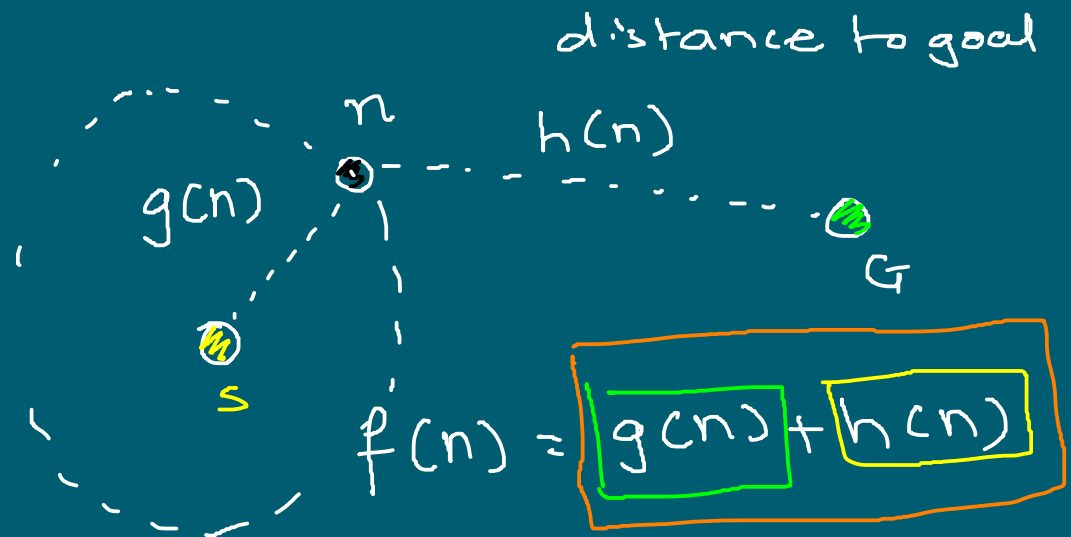
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## Informed Search

- Best First Search

- Hill Climbing

- $A^*$  (A-star)



# Search Infrastructure

- Problem: Initial State, GoalTest, Transition(Successor)



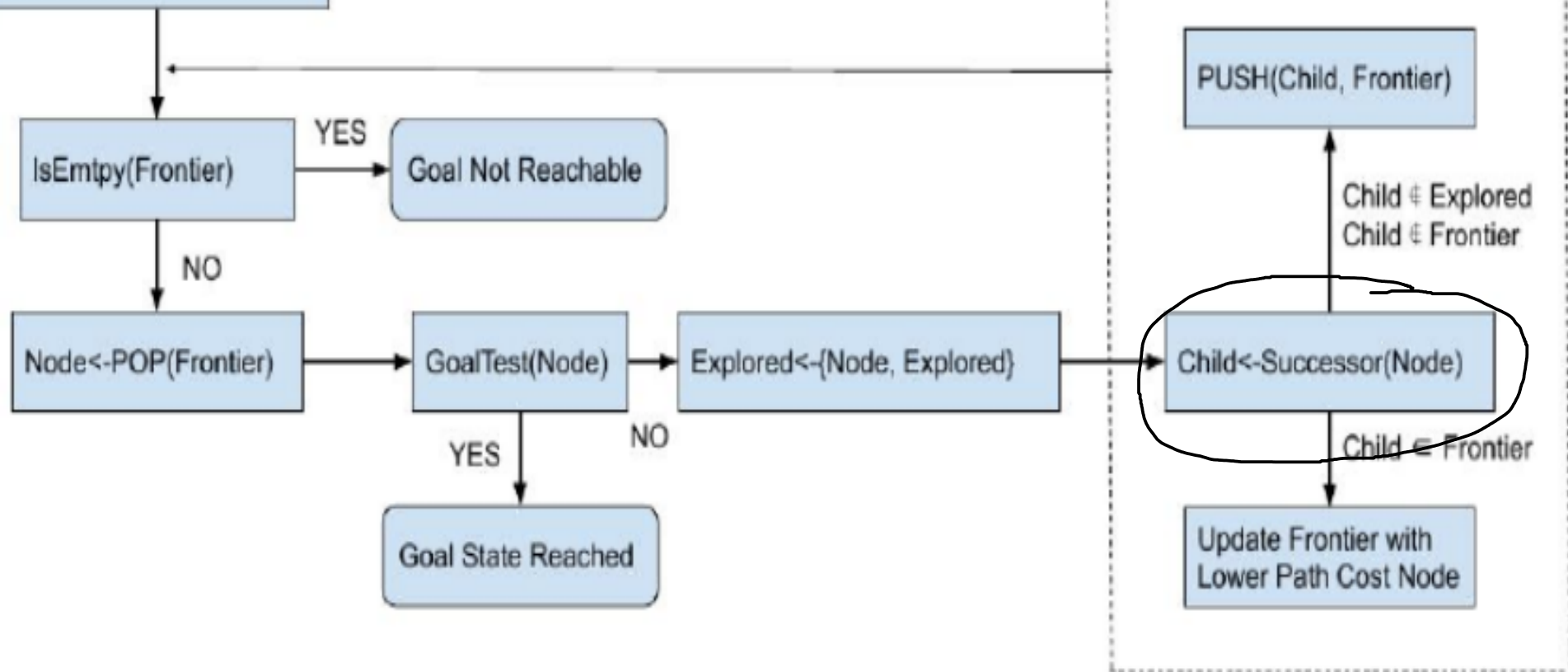
- Agent: Node - state, parent, action, path cost/evaluationfun  $\rightarrow f(n)$

Explored set (visited) - List / Hash table

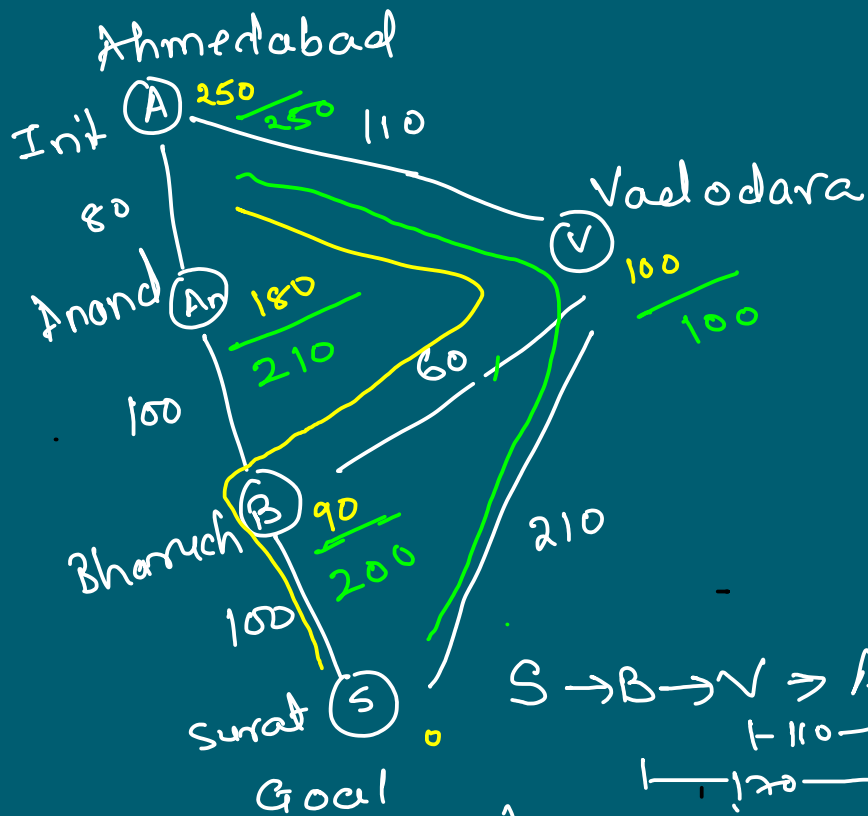
Frontier: Queue - (FIFO, LIFO, Priority)

**Initialization:**

RootNode  $\leftarrow \{ \text{InitState}, \phi, f(n) \}$   
Explored  $\leftarrow \{ \}$   
Frontier  $\leftarrow$  RootNode







$$f(n) = g(n) + w \cdot h(n)$$

$$w = 0$$

$$w = 1$$

$$w = \infty$$

$$1 < w < \infty$$

Dijkstra / Unif cost  
Best FS

$A^*$

Greedy Best FS

weighted  $A^*$

$w = 0$

Frontier

Visited

Frontier

Visited

$\{(A, \phi, 0)\}$

$\{\}$

$\{(A, \phi, 250)\}$

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$\{(An, A, 80)\}$

$\{(V, A, 110)\}$

$\{(A, \phi, 0)\}$

$\{(An, A, 260)\}$

$\{(V, A, 210)\}$

$\{(A, \phi, 250)\}$

$\{(V, A, 110)\}$

$\{(B, An, 180)\}$

$\{(A, \phi, 0), (An, A, 80)\}$

$\{(An, A, 260), (B, V, 260)\}$

$\{(S, V, 320)\}$

$\{(A, \phi, 250), (V, A, 210)\}$

$\{(A, \phi, 250), (An, A, 260), (B, V, 260)\}$

$\{(B, V, 170)\}$

$\{(S, V, 320)\}$

$\{(A, \phi, 0), (V, A, 110)\}$

$\{(An, A, 80), (B, V, 170)\}$

$\{(B, V, 260), (S, V, 320)\}$

$\{(A, \phi, 250), (An, A, 260), (B, V, 260)\}$

$\{(S, B, 270)\}$

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1964 Nilson improves Dijkstra's algo, "invented" heuristic based approach — A1

1967 B Raphael — A2

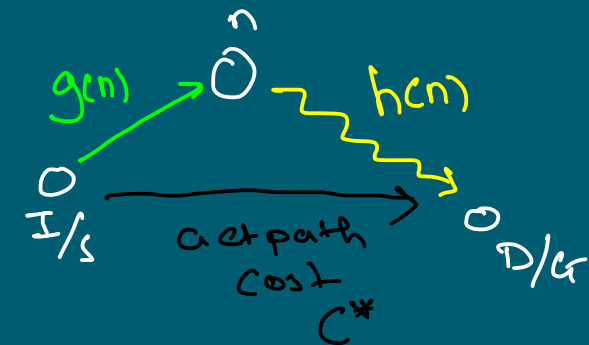
1968 Peter E Hart — A\*

(Duda & Hart  
Pattern Classification)

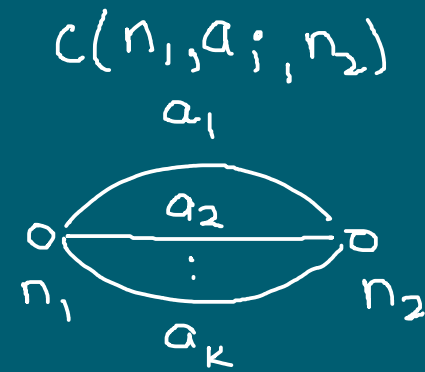
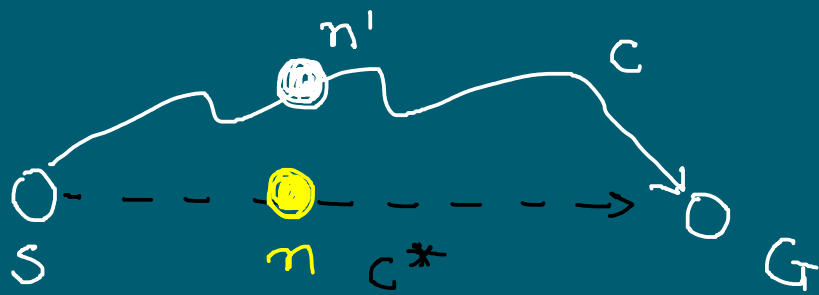
## Heuristic Function

- Admissible — it never overestimates the cost to reach a goal.

- $h$  — admissible  $\implies A^*$  is optimal



$$f(n) = g(n) + h(n) < C^*$$



- $A^*$  returns a suboptimal path given that  $h$  is admissible

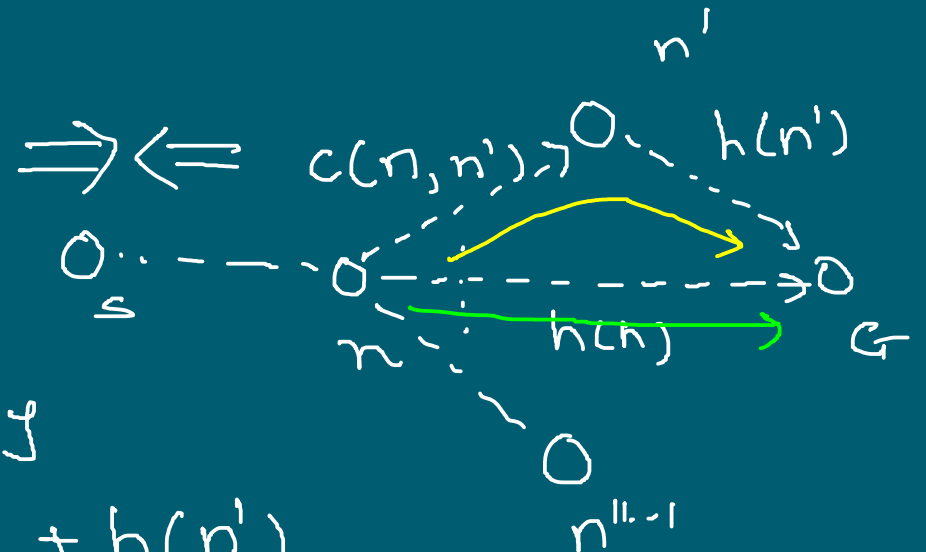
$$f(n) \geq f(n')$$

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

$$f(n) \leq c^*$$

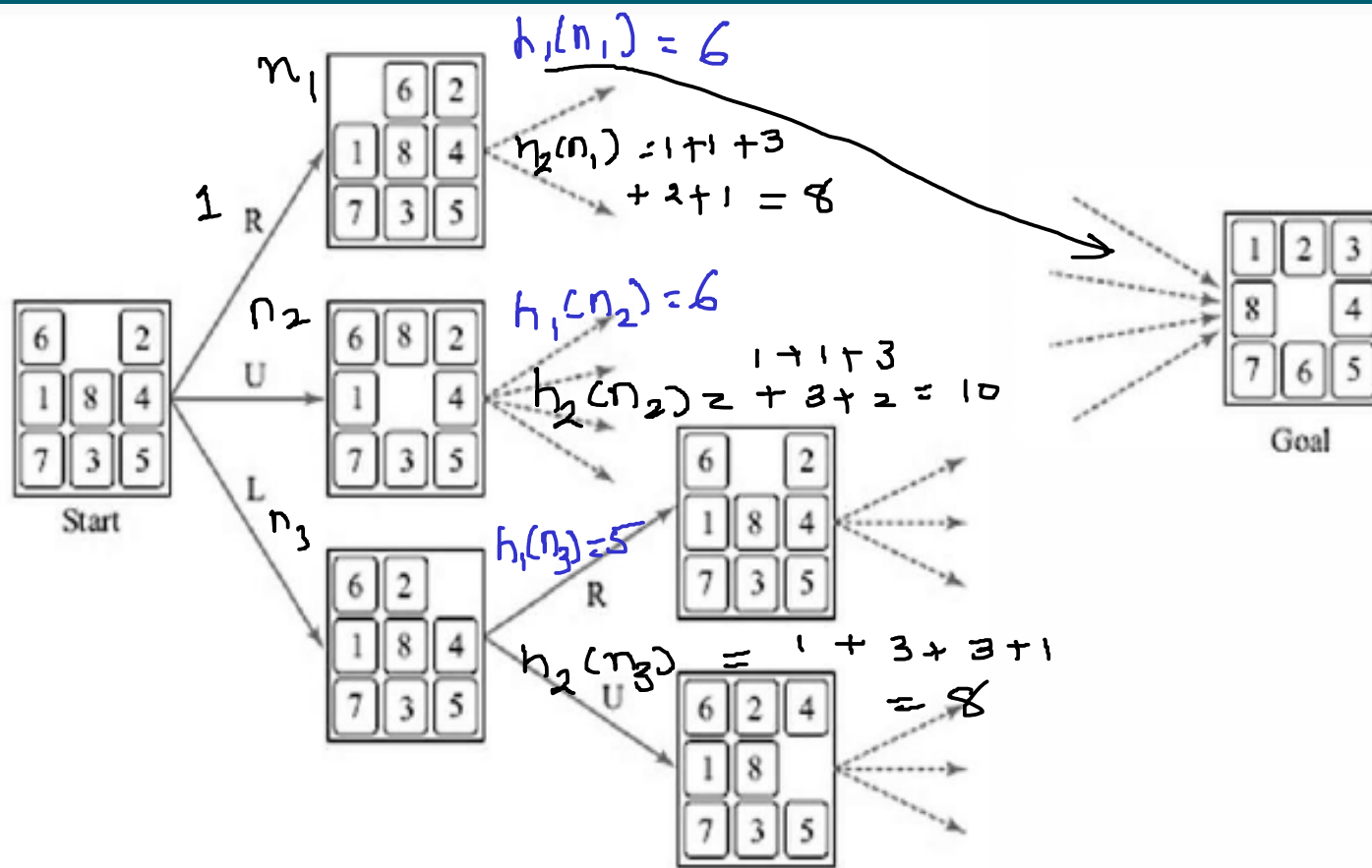
$$g(n) + h(n) \geq c > c^*$$

$$h(n) > c^* - g(n)$$



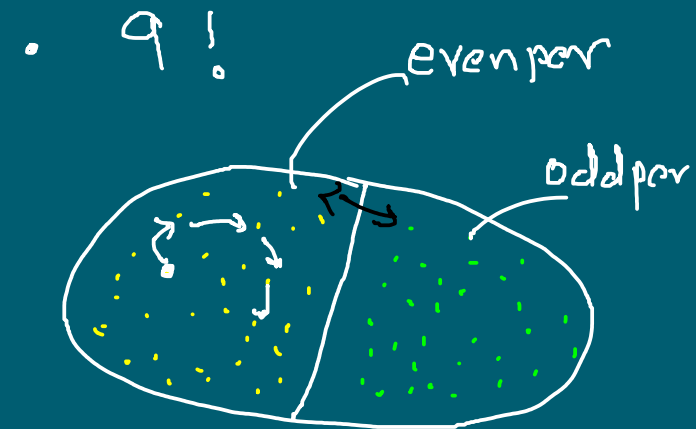
- Slightly Stronger: Consistency

$$h(n) \leq c(n, n') + h(n')$$



<https://www.sfu.ca/~jtmulhol/math302/notes/permutation-puzzles-book.pdf>

S [6 0 2 1 8 4 7 3 5]  
 $\vdots$   
 G [1 2 3 8 0 4 7 6 5]

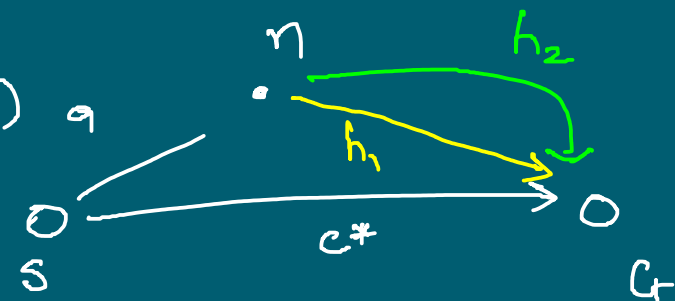


- Alternating Group  
 - Transposition

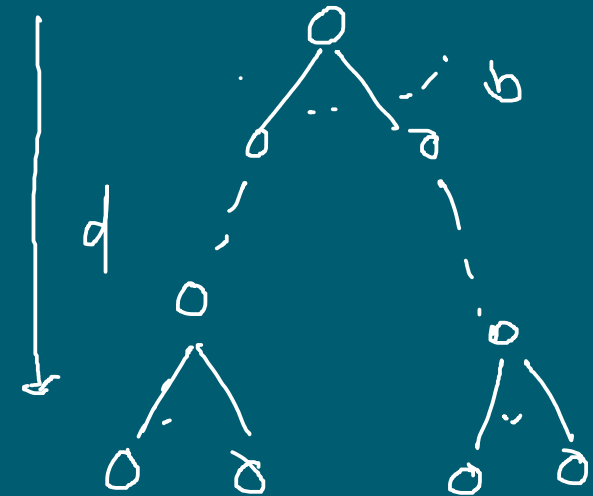
$h_1(n) = \# \text{ misplaced tiles}$ ,  $h_2(n) = \sum \text{Manhattan Distance}$

$h_1(n) \leq h_2(n) < c^* - g(n)$  a

both  
(admissible)



$d$	Search Cost (nodes generated)			Effective Branching Factor		
	BFS	$A^*(h_1)$	$A^*(h_2)$	BFS	$A^*(h_1)$	$A^*(h_2)$
6	128	24	19	2.01	1.42	1.34
8	368	48	31	1.91	1.40	1.30
10	1033	116	48	1.85	1.43	1.27
12	2672	279	84	1.80	1.45	1.28
14	6783	678	174	1.77	1.47	1.31
16	17270	1683	364	1.74	1.48	1.32
18	41558	4102	751	1.72	1.49	1.34
20	91493	9905	1318	1.69	1.50	1.34
22	175921	22955	2548	1.66	1.50	1.34
24	290082	53039	5733	1.62	1.50	1.36
26	395355	110372	10080	1.58	1.50	1.35
28	463234	202565	22055	1.53	1.49	1.36



$$1 + b + \dots + b^d$$

$$= 24, d=6$$

$$= 19, d=6$$



$h_1, h_2$

?  $\frac{h_1 + h_2}{2}$

,  $\max(h_1, h_2)$

# • Beyond Classical Search

- Substitution Cypher

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- Travelling Salesman Problem

a	b	...	z
↓			Perm.
b	z	...	c

- Trajectory planning

- VLSI circuit layout

- Knapsack

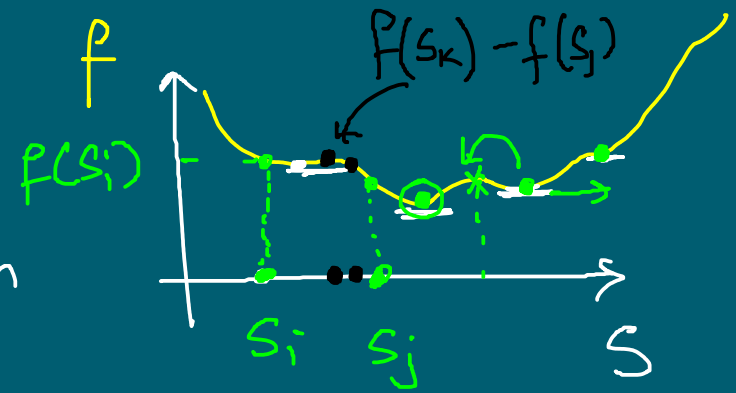
- Cargo shipment
  - Portfolio management

- Satellite channel allocation

- Scheduling problems

# Local Search (Monte Carlo)

- $(S, f)$  - feasible solutions and objective function  
min/max



- $N$  - neighborhood  $N(s_i)$

1. Given  $(S, f)$ , initialize with  $i$ th state  $s_i \in S$

2. Pick  $j$ th state from  $N(i)$ ;  $s_j \in S$

3. If  $f(j) < f(i)$  then replace current state with  $j$ .

4. If  $f(j) \geq f(i)$  then check for  $\forall j \in N(i)$  Break  
i-is local minimum

5. Go to step 2.

Def) A state  $i^* \in S$  is called a local optimum w.r.t.  $N$  for  $(S, f)$  if  $f(i^*) \leq f(j) \forall j \in N(S, i^*)$ .

## Metropolis Algorithm

- 1953 - Metropolis, Rosenbluth, Teller
- Simulate "annealing"

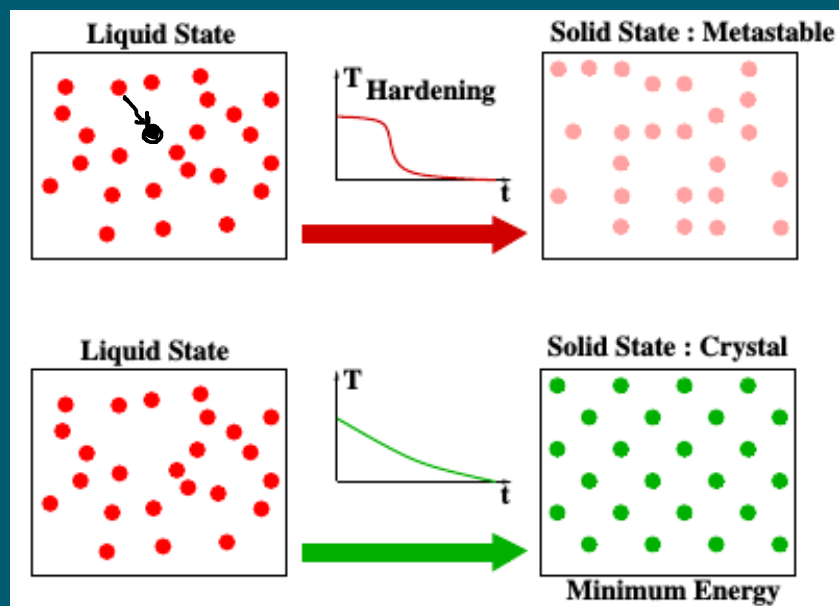
$\Rightarrow$  if  $f(j) > f(i)$

accept  $j$ th state with

(Metropolis  
acceptance)

$$p_c = \exp \left[ -(f(j) - f(i)) / c \right]$$





- Solid to a very high temp  
"melting"

- Cool the solid a very particular temperature decreasing scheme in order to reach a solid state of min energy.

$$(S, f) - \mathcal{N}$$

1. Initial state  $i$

2.  $j \in \mathcal{N}(i)$

3. If  $f(j) < f(i)$  then  $i := j$   
 Else  $i := j$  with prob  $e^{\frac{-(f(j) - f(i))}{c}}$  ( $f(j) \geq f(i)$ )

4. Goto step 2. And look for convergence.

# Simulated Annealing

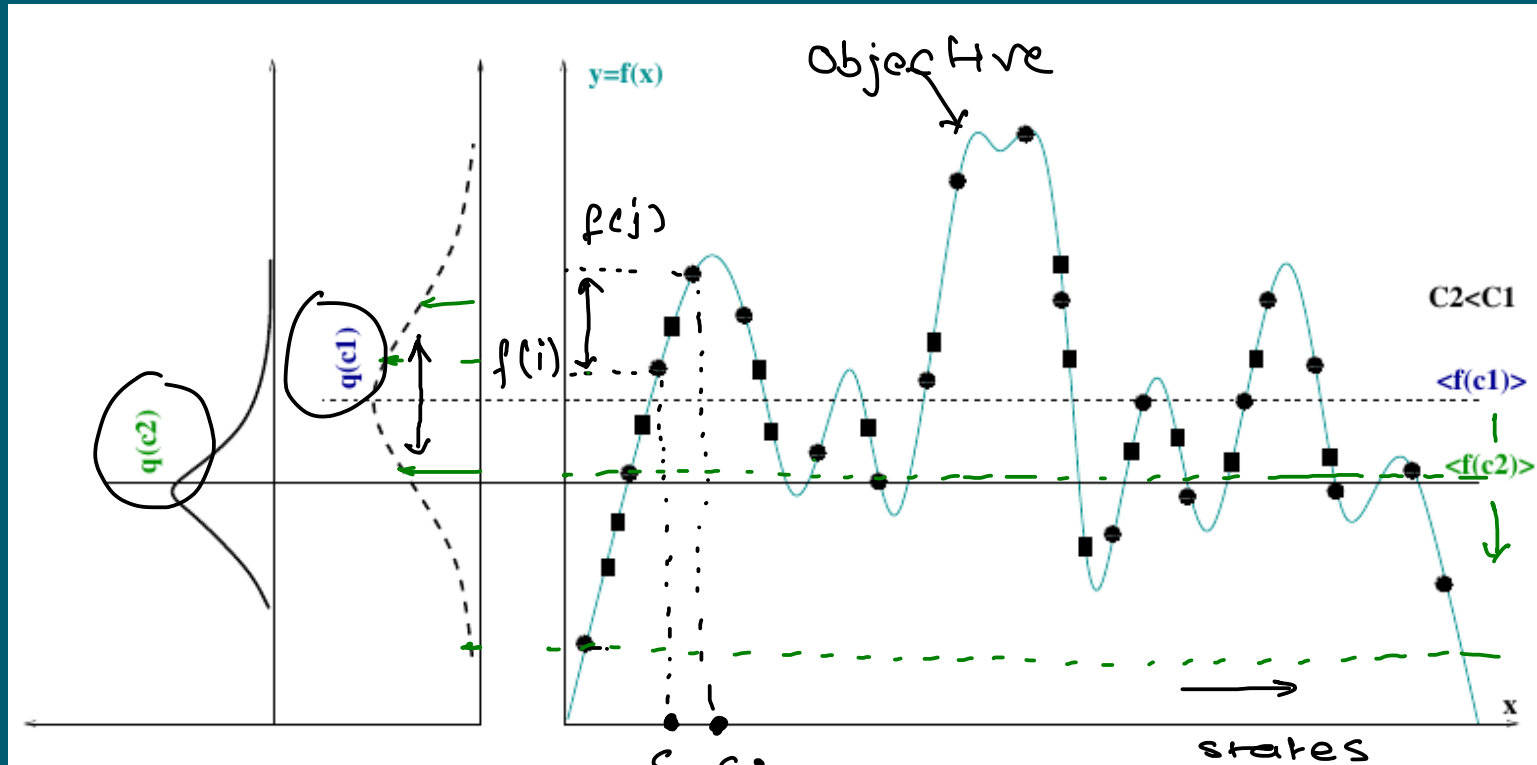
- Fixed "c"

$$p_c(\text{accept } j | s_i)$$

$$= \begin{cases} 1 & f(j) < f(i) \\ e^{\left( \frac{-[f(j) - f(i)]}{c} \right)} & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$p_c(x=i) = \frac{1}{N(c)} e^{-f(c) \cdot i / c}$$

$$= q(c)$$



$$f(s_0) + \dots + f(s_2) + \dots + f(s_{N-1})$$

$$s_0 \rightarrow s_1 \rightarrow s_2 \dots \rightarrow s_{N-1}$$

total = N  
states visited

# Simulated Annealing

temp      Length param  
↓           ↓

1. Initialize  $i = i_{\text{start}}$ ,  $k = 0$ ,  $C_k = C_0$ ,  $L_k = L_0$

2. Repeat (on  $k$ )

3. For  $l = 0$  to  $L_k$  do

- Generate a solution  $j$  from  $\mathcal{N}(s_i)$  of current sol<sup>n</sup>.
- If  $f(j) < f(i)$  then  $i = j$  ( $j$  becomes current sol)
- Else  $j$  becomes current sol<sup>n</sup> with prob  $e^{\frac{-(f(j) - f(i))}{C_k}}$

4.  $k = k + 1$

5. Compute ( $L_k, C_k$ )

6. Until  $C_k \approx 0$ .

# Knapsack Problem:

$x \in \{0,1\}^n$  -  $n$  items - decision (selection) variables

$v \in \mathbb{R}_+^n$  - values associated with each item

$$f(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i v_i \quad \text{objective function} \quad \text{--- (A)}$$

$P$  - weight limit of Knapsack

$w \in \mathbb{R}_+^n$  - weights of items

$$\max f(x)$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \leq P$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i w_i \leq P \quad \text{--- (B)}$$

$n$	10	20	30	40	50	100
$2^n$	$10^3$	$10^6$	$10^9$	$10^{12}$	$10^{15}$	$10^{30}$

excess  $\Delta = \min(0, P - \sum_{i=1}^n \omega_i x_i)$

$$\bar{f}(x) = f(x) + \underbrace{\mu \frac{\Delta}{P}}_{\text{penalty}}$$

set of feasible sol<sup>n</sup>  $(S, f), N$

$x_i$ 

1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
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↓

$x_j$ 

1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1
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$PT \xrightarrow{\phi} CT$

$\phi: \{a, \dots, z, ?\} \rightarrow \{a, \dots, z, ?\}$

↪  $1.1 = 26!$

n	$2^n$	$n!$	$2^n$	$n!$	ratio $\frac{n!}{2^n}$
10	$1.024 \cdot 10^3$	$3.628 \cdot 10^6$	1 micro second	3.6 mili seconds	$3.6 \cdot 10^3$
20	$1.048 \cdot 10^6$	$2.432 \cdot 10^{18}$	1 mili second	77 years	$2.3 \cdot 10^{12}$
30	$1.073 \cdot 10^9$	$2.652 \cdot 10^{32}$	1 second	$8.4 \cdot 10^{15}$ years	$2.47 \cdot 10^{23}$
40	$1.099 \cdot 10^{12}$	$8.159 \cdot 10^{47}$	18 minutes	$2.5 \cdot 10^{31}$ years	$7.4 \cdot 10^{35}$
50	$1.125 \cdot 10^{15}$	$3.041 \cdot 10^{64}$	13 days	$9.6 \cdot 10^{47}$ years	$2.7 \cdot 10^{49}$
60	$1.152 \cdot 10^{18}$	$8.320 \cdot 10^{81}$	36 years	$2.6 \cdot 10^{47}$ years	$7.2 \cdot 10^{63}$
70	$1.180 \cdot 10^{21}$	$1.197 \cdot 10^{100}$	$37 \cdot 10^3$ years	$3.8 \cdot 10^{83}$ years	$1 \cdot 10^{79}$
80	$1.208 \cdot 10^{24}$	$7.156 \cdot 10^{118}$	$38 \cdot 10^6$ years	$2.2 \cdot 10^{102}$ years	$5.9 \cdot 10^{94}$
90	$1.237 \cdot 10^{27}$	$1.485 \cdot 10^{138}$	$39 \cdot 10^9$ years	$4.7 \cdot 10^{121}$ years	$1.2 \cdot 10^{111}$
100	$1.267 \cdot 10^{30}$	$9.332 \cdot 10^{157}$	$40 \cdot 10^{12}$ years	$2.9 \cdot 10^{141}$ years	$7.3 \cdot 10^{127}$

One evaluation  $10^{-9}$  seconds

# Substitution Cypher:

$$(S, f) \quad \mathcal{N}$$

set of perm on  
alphabets 26!

## Codedtext

QAEW QA Z LZNG ICABWN'J  
LZV, IYWA BYW VWRRQI KQT  
YOAT JQ BYCEG ZAL YWZPV CA  
BYW JBNWWBJ QK RQALQA  
BYZB BYW RZDMJ IWNW  
RCTYBWL ZAL BYW JYQM  
ICALQIJ SRZFWL ICBY TZJ ZJ  
BYWV LQ ZB ACTYB, ZA  
QLL-RQQGCAT RCBBRW TCNR  
JZB CA Z EZS ICBY YWN  
KZBYWN ZAL IZJ LNCPWA  
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BYW SCT BYQNQOTYKZNWJ.

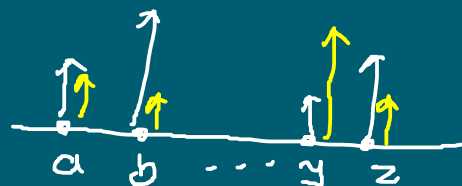
## Plaintext

ONCE ON A DARK WINTER'S  
DAY, WHEN THE YELLOW FOG  
HUNG SO THICK AND HEAVY IN  
THE STREETS OF LONDON  
THAT THE LAMPS WERE  
LIGHTED AND THE SHOP  
WINDOWS BLAZED WITH GAS  
AS THEY DO AT NIGHT, AN  
ODD-LOOKING LITTLE GIRL SAT  
IN A CAB WITH HER FATHER  
AND WAS DRIVEN RATHER  
SLOWLY THROUGH THE BIG  
THOROUGHFARES.

$$p_c(x) = \begin{matrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & x_4 \\ 0.5 & 0.3 & 0.1 & 0.1 \end{matrix}$$

$$p_{M_0}(x) = \begin{matrix} 0.1 & 0.1 & 0.3 & 0.5 \end{matrix}$$

$$p_c(x) \quad p_{M_0}(x)$$



$$x \in \mathcal{A}, \quad p_{M_0}(x)$$

$$p_{M_1}(x_{i+1} | x_i) \quad p_{M_1} \quad \leftarrow \text{first order LM}$$

$$\text{Perm} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & x_4 \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ x_4 & x_3 & x_1 & x_2 \end{matrix}$$

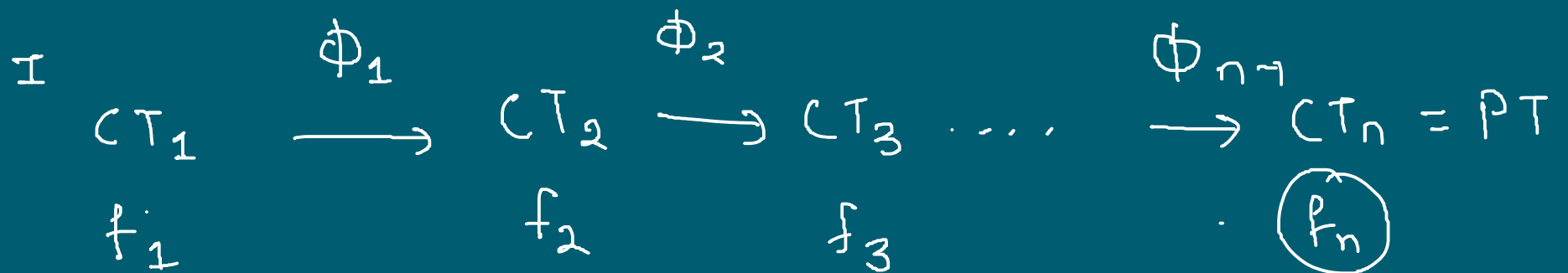
$P_{M_1}(x_{i+1} | x_i)$  Language model

Coded Text =  $t_1 t_2 t_3 t_4 \dots t_k$

$$P(CT | M_1) = P(t_1 t_2 \dots t_k | M_1)$$

Plausibility  $f(\phi = I) = \underbrace{P_{M_1}(t_1)} \cdot P_{M_1}(t_2 | t_1) \dots P_{M_1}(t_k | t_{k-1})$

Objective function



$$f(\phi) = \sum_{i=1}^k \log(P_{M_1}(\phi(t_i) | \phi(t_{i-1}))) + \overset{\text{Max.}}{\log P_{M_1}(\phi(t_1))}$$

$$\begin{array}{lcl}
 I & \longrightarrow & x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3 \ x_4 \ x_5 \ x_6 \\
 \phi_i & \longrightarrow & x_2 \ \boxed{x_1} \ x_4 \ x_5 \ \boxed{x_6} \ x_3 \\
 \downarrow \mathcal{N} & & \\
 \phi_{i+1} & \longrightarrow & x_2 \ x_6 \ x_4 \ x_5 \ x_1 \ x_3
 \end{array}
 \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{lcl} I \\ \phi_i \\ \phi_{i+1} \end{array}} \right\} \text{transposition}$$

$$\phi_{i+1} \in \mathcal{N}(\phi_i)$$

$$p(\phi_{i+1} \text{ accept}) = \begin{cases} e^{-\frac{f(\phi_{i+1}) - f(\phi_i)}{c}} & f(\phi_{i+1}) \leq f(\phi_i) \\ e^{-\left[ \frac{\log\left(\frac{p(\phi_{i+1})}{p(\phi_i)}\right)}{c} \right]^2} & f(\phi_{i+1}) > f(\phi_i) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & e^{-\left[ \frac{\log\left(\frac{p(\phi_{i+1})}{p(\phi_i)}\right)}{c} \right]^2} \\
 & \approx e^{-\log\left(\frac{p(\phi_{i+1})}{p(\phi_i)}\right) / c} \\
 & = p(\phi_i) / p(\phi_{i+1}) + \mathcal{O}
 \end{aligned}$$

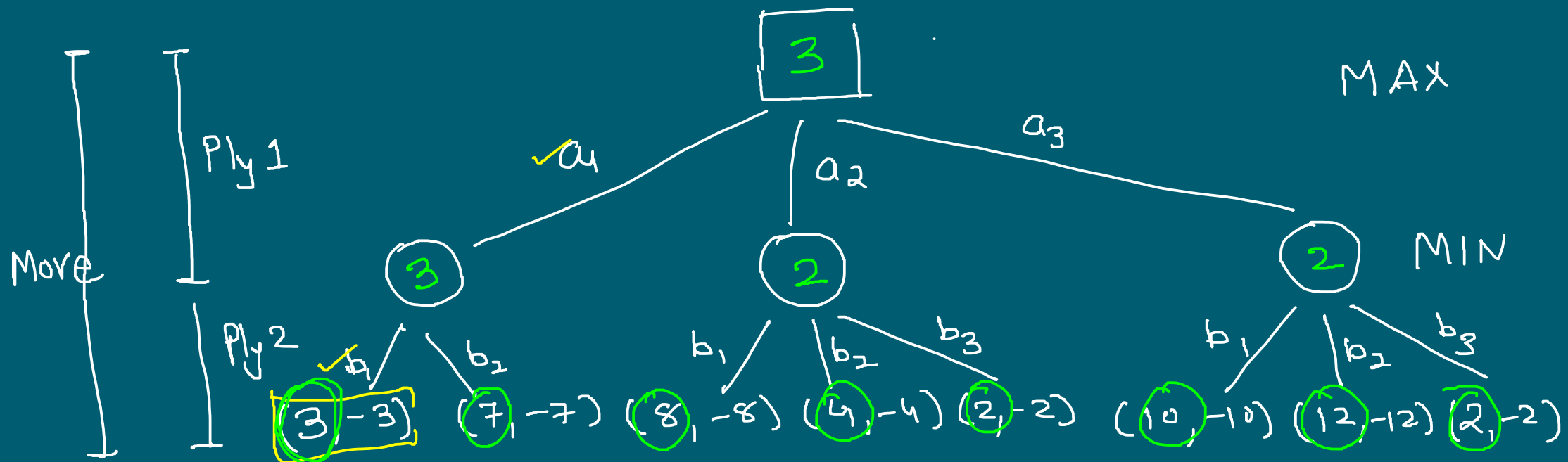


MCMC — Markov Chain Monte Carlo — 20<sup>th</sup> Cent

[Diaconis]

Adversarial Search.

- Zero sum game
- Perfect info (fully observable)

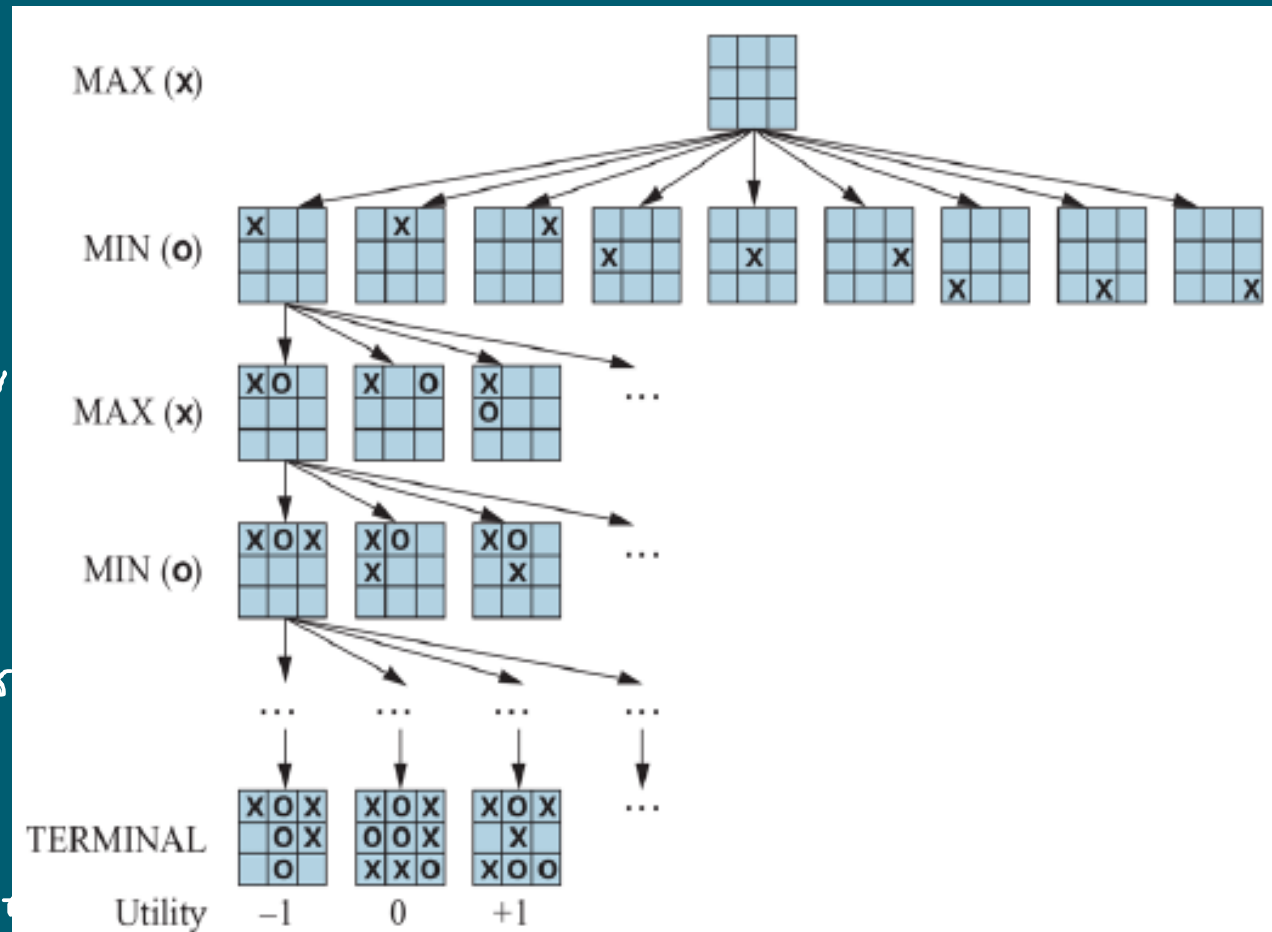


$$\max_{a_1, a_2, a_3} \left\{ \min (u_{i,j}) \right\} \sim \max \left( \min(3, 7), \min(6, 4, 2), \min(10, 12, 2) \right)$$

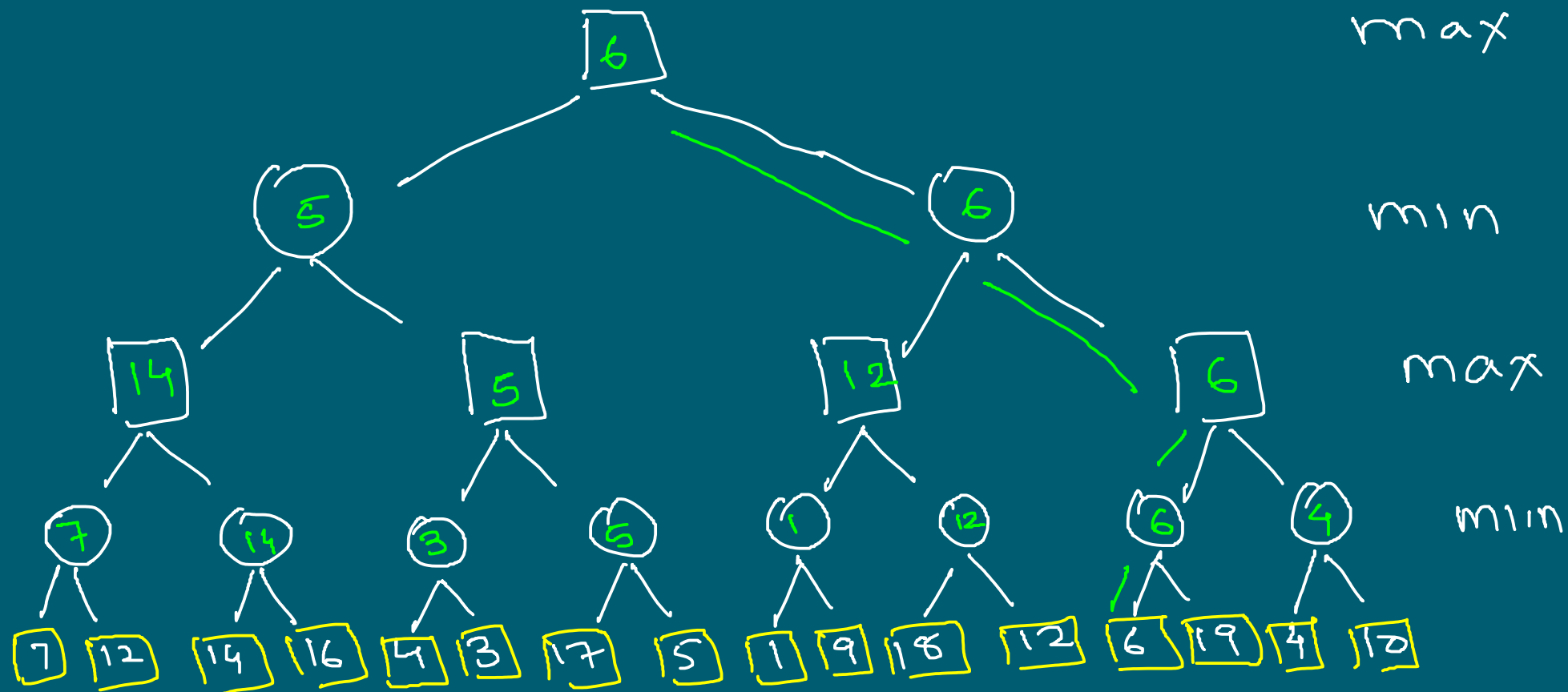
• MINIMAX agent

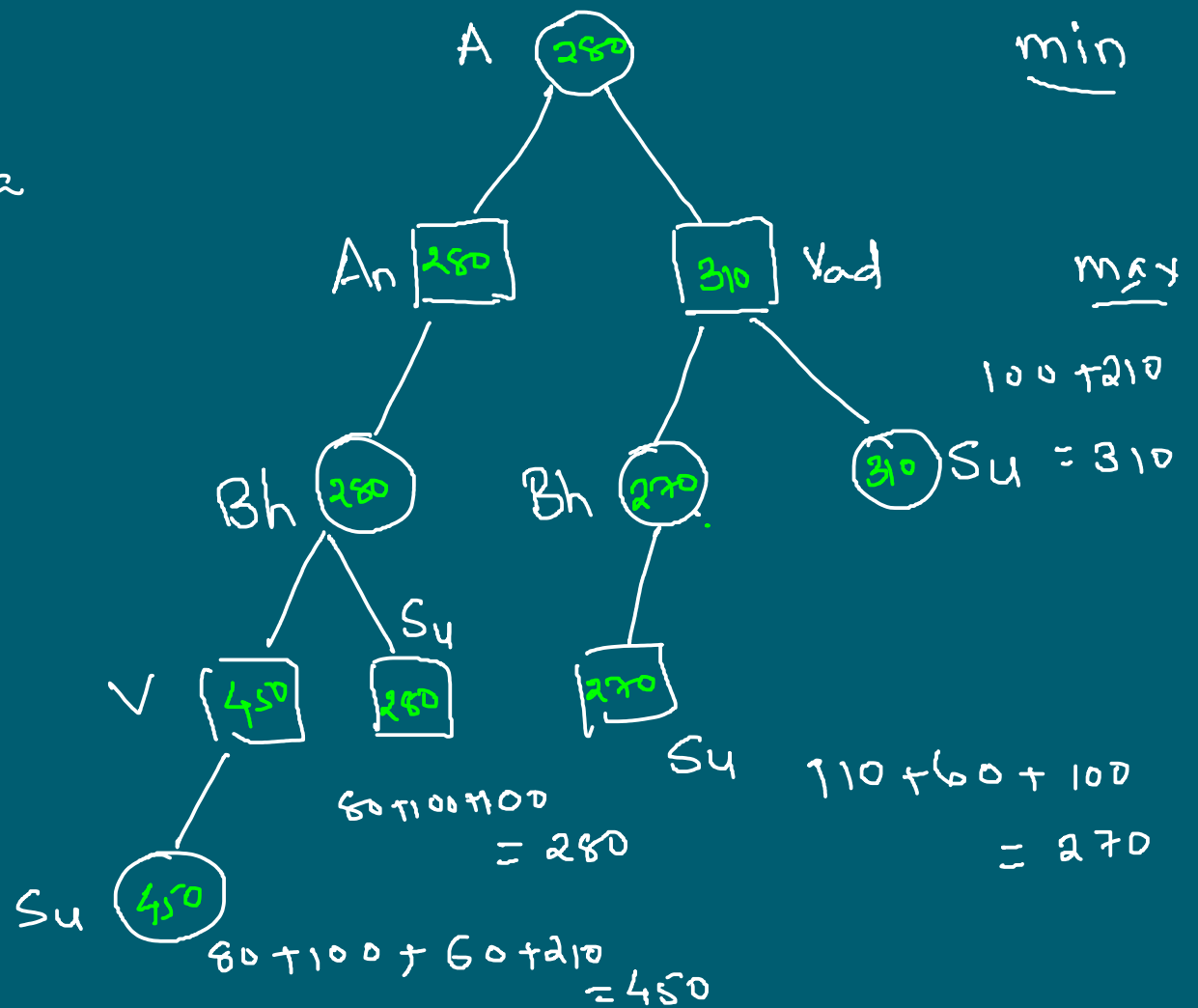
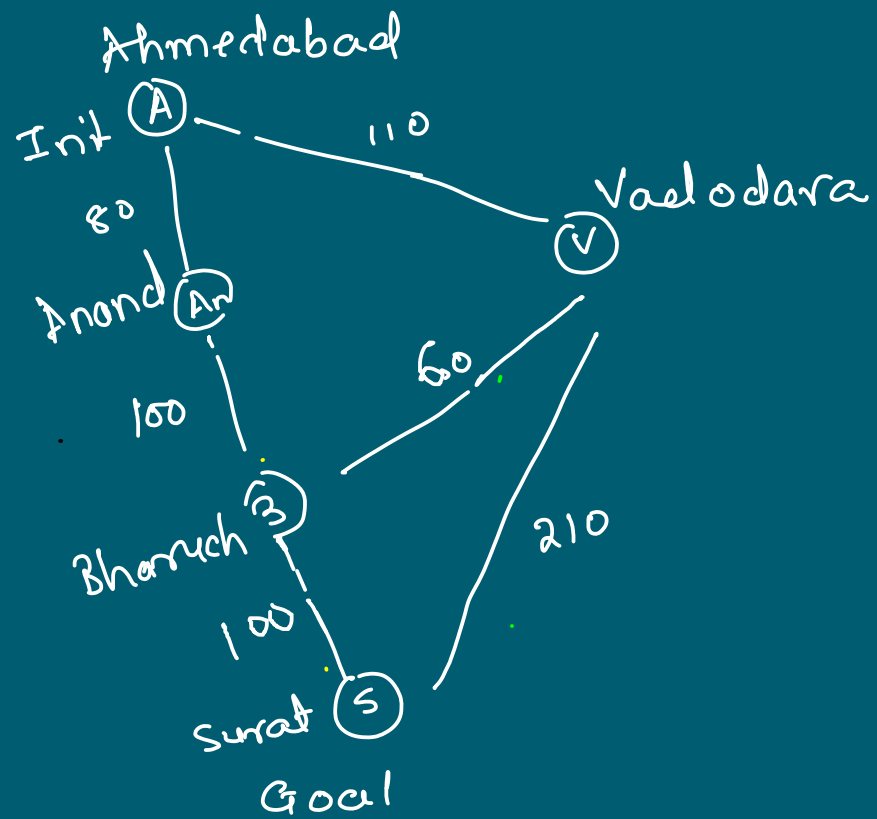
MINIMAX(s)

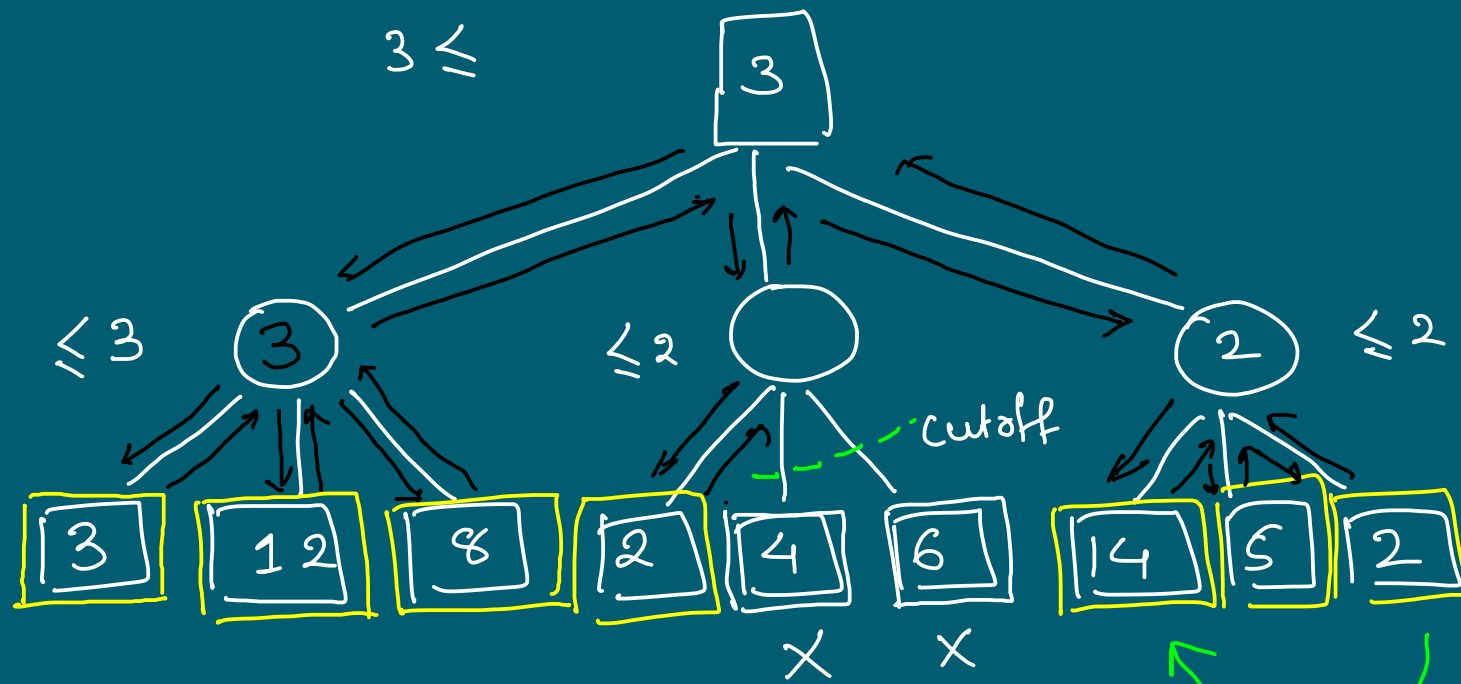
$$= \begin{cases} \text{Utility}(s, \text{max}) & s \text{ is terminal leaf} \\ \min_{a \in A(s)} (\text{MINIMAX}(\text{Re}(s, a))) & \text{minplayer} \\ \max_{a \in A(s)} (\text{MINIMAX}(\text{Re}(s, a))) & \text{maxplayer} \end{cases}$$



Ex.  
1







$\alpha$ - $\beta$  pruning

max

min

$$O(b^m)$$

↓

$$\underline{O(b^{m/2})}$$

$[\alpha, \beta]$



$\alpha \leq \beta$

$[7, \infty]$



max



$[7, 11]$



min



$[8, 7]$



$[8, 11]$



max



$[5, 7]$



$[-\infty, 7]$



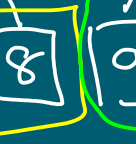
$[7, 5]$



$[7, 11]$



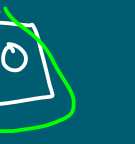
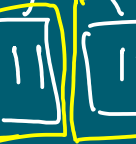
$\leq 7$  min



Beta cutoff

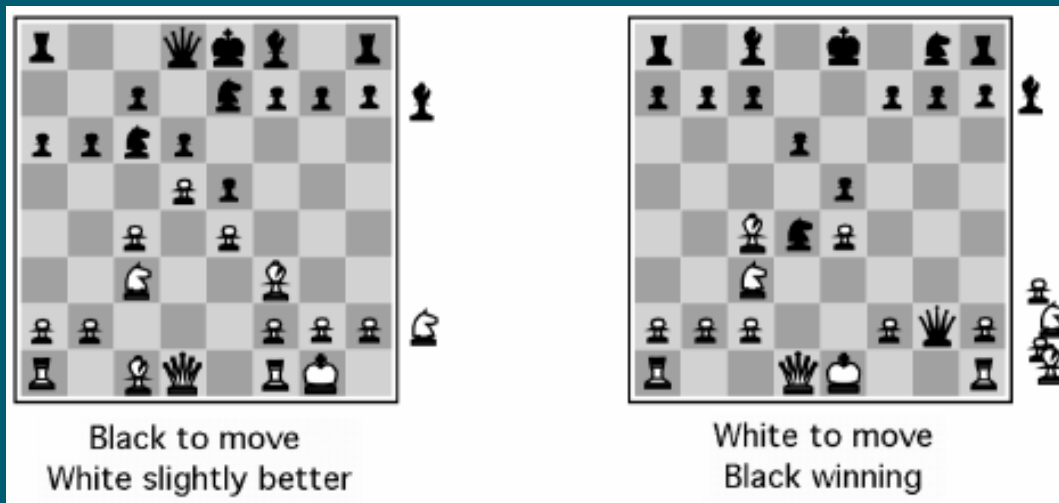


$\alpha$  cutoff



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$$u(x) = \omega_1 f_1(x) + \dots + \omega_n f_n(x).$$

$$f_1(x) = \#w\text{pawns} - \#b\text{pawns}$$

$\vdots$

$$f_i(x) = \#w\text{knight} - \#b\text{knight}$$

Until game is over

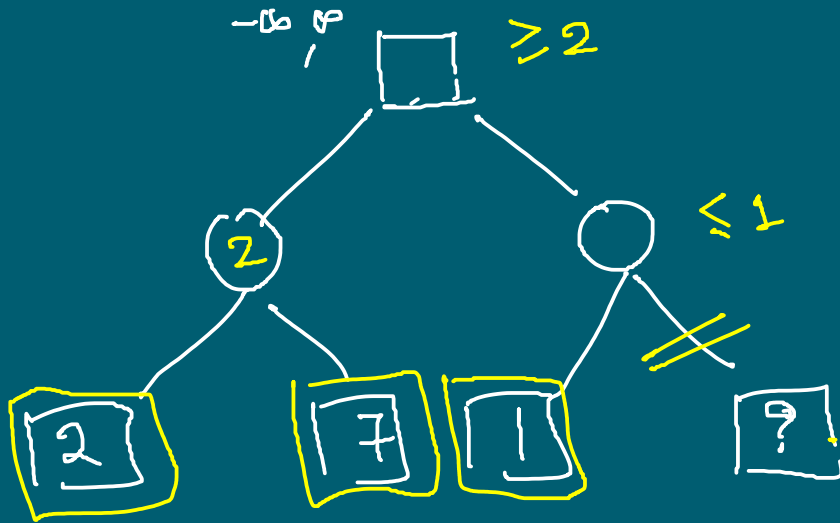
1. Start with the current position as a MAX
2. Expand the game tree a fixed # of ply
3. Apply the evaluation/utility function to each leaf node
4. Back-up values bottom-up (MINIMAX)
5. Pick the move assigned to MAX at root.
6. Wait for opponent to respond

MINIMAX  
 • [DFS] Time  $O(b^m)$  Space  $O(bm)$

$\alpha - \beta$   $O(b^{m/2})$   
 Best case • Knuth

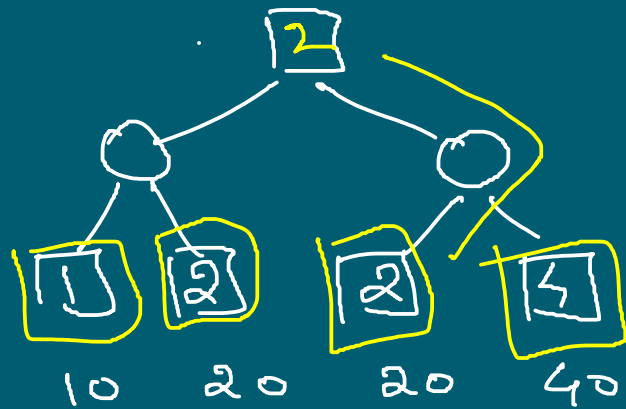
## Alpha-Beta Pruning

- "If you have an idea which is surely bad, don't take the time to see how truly awful it is." — Pat Winston

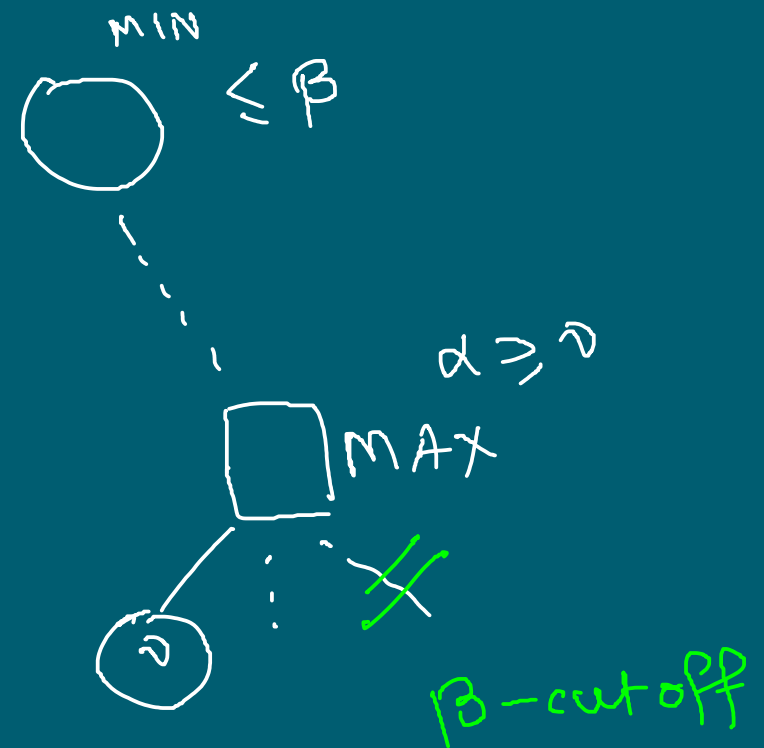
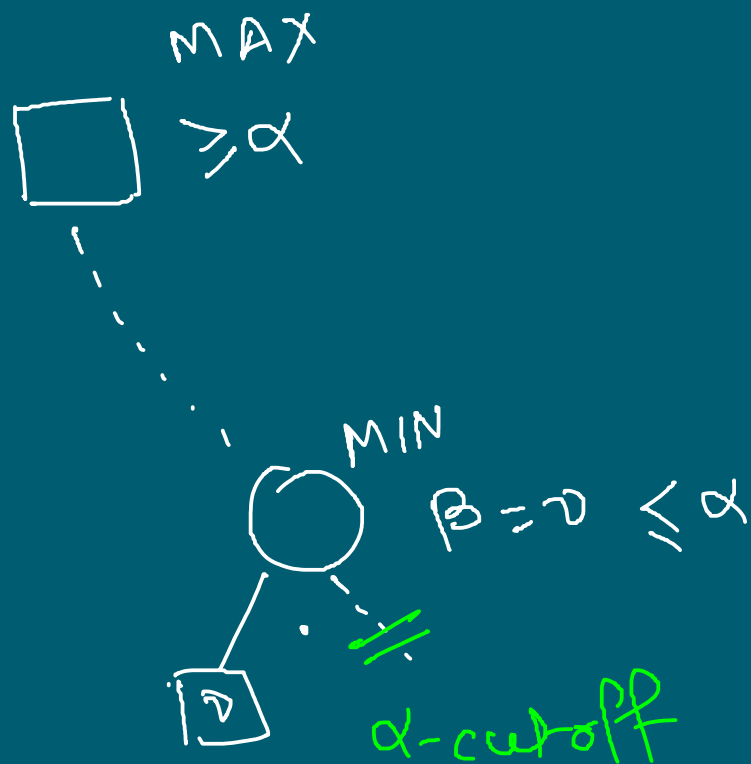
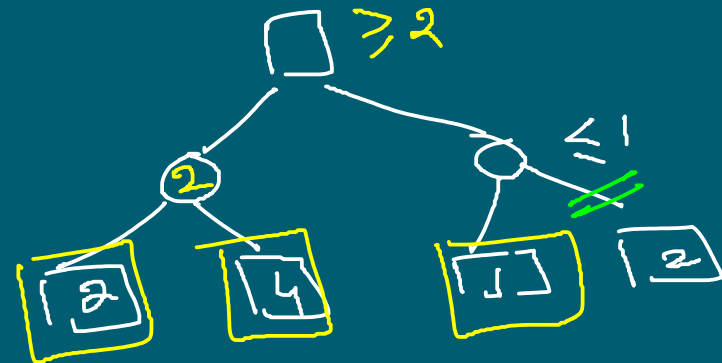


- $\alpha$  - MAX's current LB
- $\beta$  - MIN's current UP
- $\alpha \geq \beta$  pruning
- Pass  $\alpha, \beta$  down to child
- Update  $\alpha, \beta$  during search
  - MAX — updates  $\alpha$
  - MIN — updates  $\beta$





not the value but order!



- 1997 - Deep Blue  
- 200 million/sec

$$b \sim 35 \quad \sim 35^{40}$$

$$m \sim 40$$

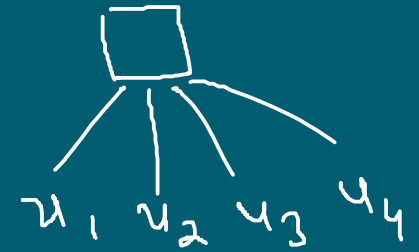
- Lookup

- Othello

- Go 2006 → DeepMind + Go



Smallest utility  
first



Largest utility  
Rest

# Monte Carlo Tree Search



# Probabilistic Inference

Ex. 1     $X : \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$      $Y : \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$

$P_X : \{0.1, 0.2, 0.1, 0.2, 0.4, 0\}$      $P_Y : \{0.3, 0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.1, 0\}$

$Z = X + Y$     Condition  $Z = 5$     Distri / Mass fun Infer about  $X$  ? Query

$$P(X=1, Y=1) = P(X=1) \cdot P(Y=1) \\ = 0.1 \times 0.3 = 0.03$$

$$\underline{P(Z=5)} = \underline{0.1 \times 0.3} + 0.2 \times 0.1 + \\ 0.1 \times 0.1 + 0.2 \times 0.3$$

$$P(X | Z=5) \text{ — } \begin{matrix} P(X=1 | Z=5) \\ P(X=2 | Z=5) \end{matrix}$$

Conditional

$P(X, Y)$	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	0.03			<div style="background-color: yellow; border: 1px solid black; width: 15px; height: 15px;"></div>		
2			<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 15px; height: 15px;"></div>			
3		<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 15px; height: 15px;"></div>				
4	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 15px; height: 15px;"></div>					
5						
6						

$$P(X=3 | Z=5) \quad P(X=5 | Z=5)$$

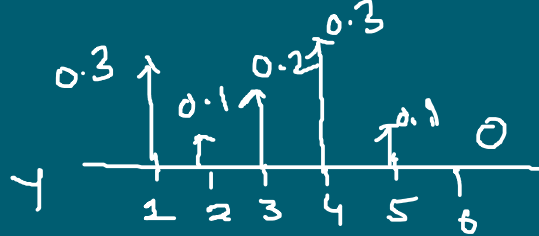
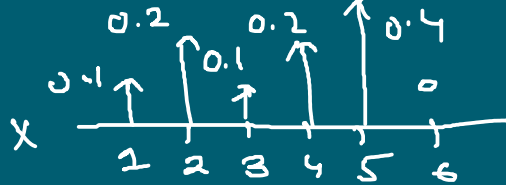
$$P(X=4 | Z=5) \quad P(X=6 | Z=5)$$

[Prob Prog Lang. - Web PP]

$$P_X, P_Y \rightarrow P_Z$$

$$Z = X + Y$$

$X$  &  $Y$  are independent



$$P_Z = P_X * P_Y$$

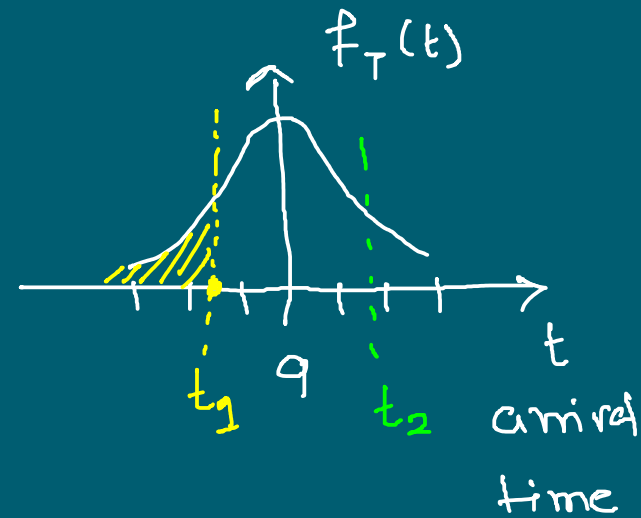
$$P_X(s) = 0.1s + 0.2s^2 + 0.1s^3 + 0.2s^4 + 0.4s^5 + 0.s^6$$

$$P_Y(s) = 0.3s + 0.1s^2 + 0.3s^3 + 0.3s^4 + 0.1s^5 + 0.s^6$$

$$P_Z(s) = P_X(s) \times P_Y(s) = 0.03s^2 + 0.07s^3 + s^4 + s^5 + \dots$$

Ex 2 Normal(9, 0.5) arrival time

$$P(\text{meet me at } t) = 0.9$$



$f_T(t)$  — Prob Density fun

$$P(T \leq t_1)$$

$F_T(t) = P(T \leq t)$  Cumulative Distribution Fun

$$= \int_{-\infty}^t f_T(s) ds$$

- R
- matlab
- Python