

CSE 4308 / 5360

ASSIGNMENT 3

PROBLEM 1

MAX

MIN

MAX

MIN

X	O	
O		X
X	O	

+1



X	O	X
O		X
X	O	

-1

X	O	
O	X	X
X	O	

+1

X	O	
O		X
X	O	X

-1

X	O	X
X	O	X
X	O	

-1

X	O	X
X		X
X	O	O

+1

X	O	O
O	X	X
X	O	

+1

X	O	
O	X	X
X	O	O

+1

X	O	O
O		X
X	O	X

+1

X	O	
O	O	X
X	O	X

-1

X	O	X
O	X	X
X	O	O

+1

X	O	O
O	X	X
X	O	X

+1

X	O	X
O	X	X
X	O	O

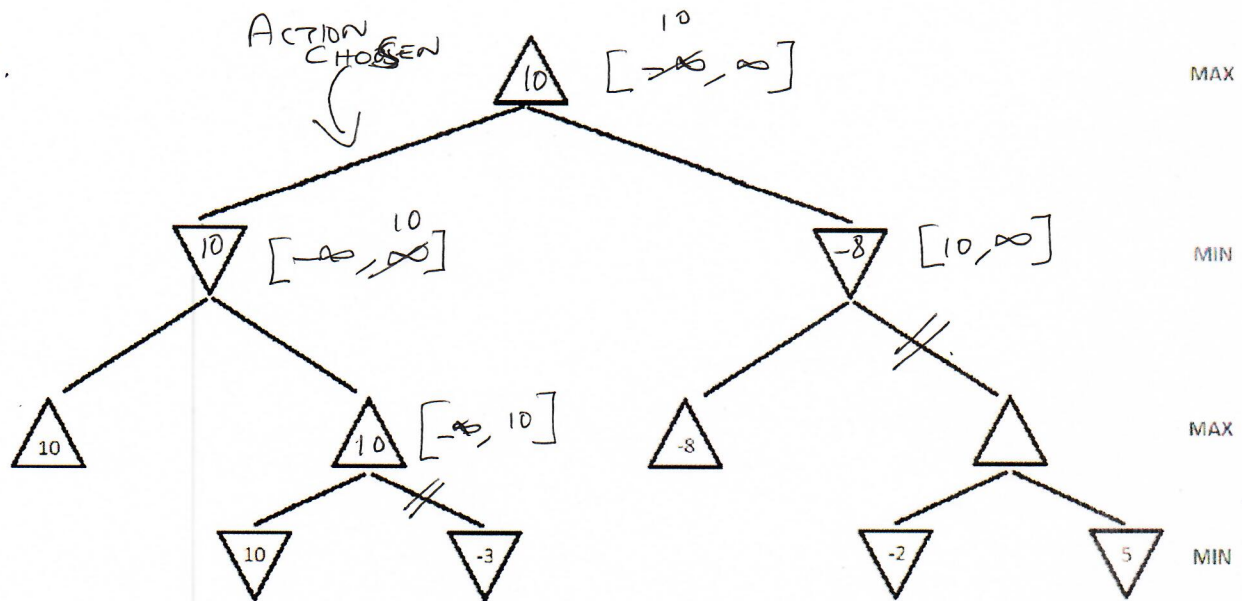
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X	O	O
O	X	X
X	O	X

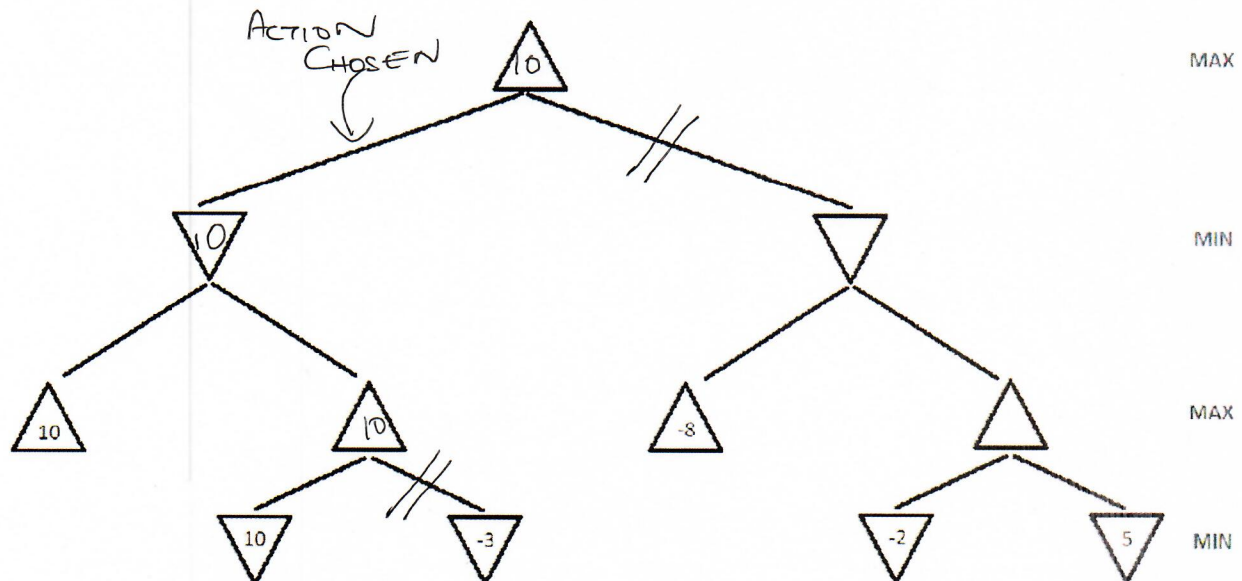
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PROBLEM 2

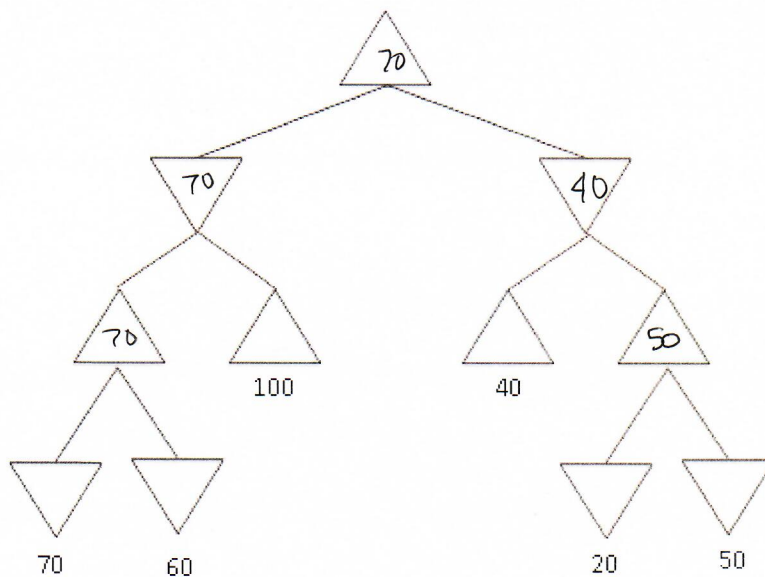
(a).



(b) If MAX knows highest possible value is 10 then it can prune all successors after finding one with value 10.



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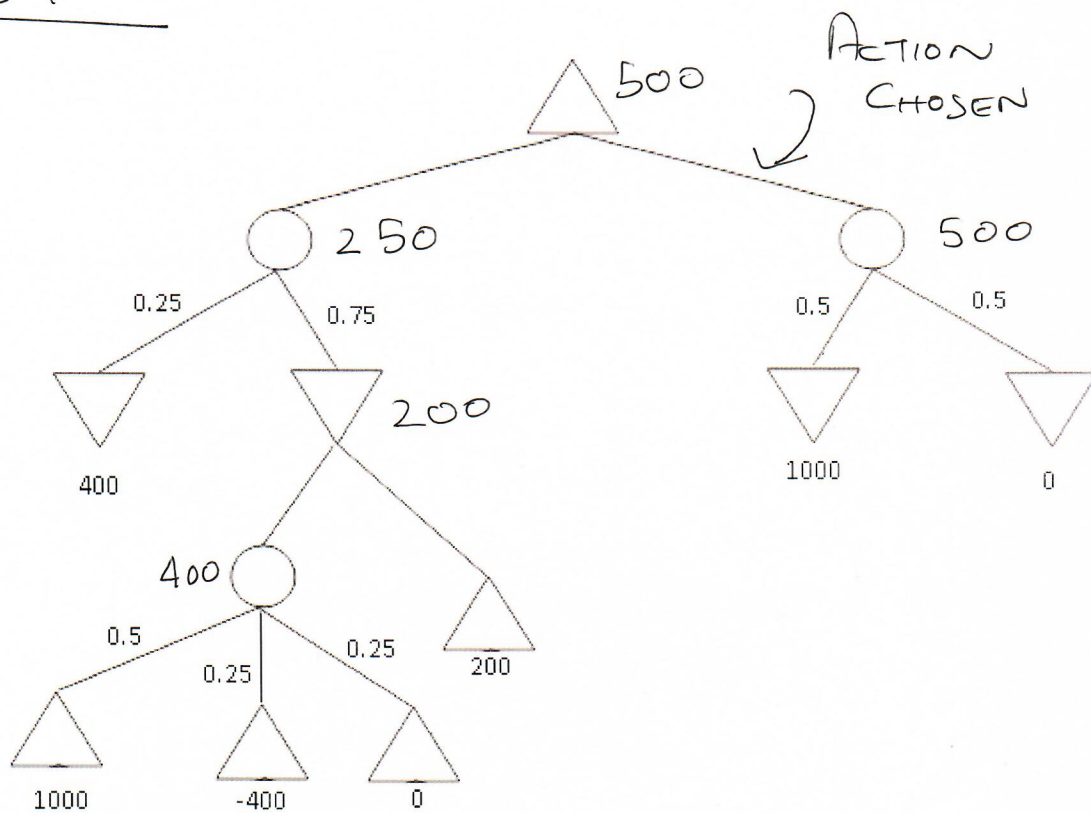


If both MAX & MIN follow optimal strategies
MAX will ~~play~~ win 70 (AS MINMAX States)

If MAX plays optimal and MIN plays some
random strategy, MAX can win either 70
or 100

So for MAX: Best: 100
Worst: 70

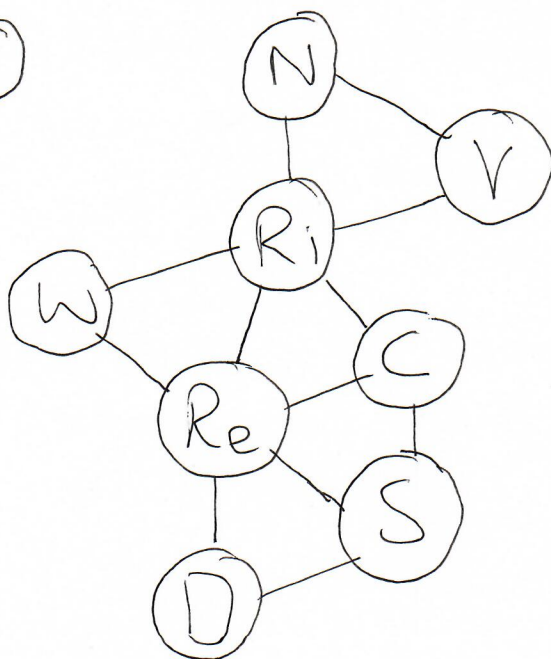
PROBLEM 4



PROBLEM 5

(a)

(1)



I is independent of all other vertices so it can be considered as an independent sub-problem and solved separately.

(b)

All nodes have RV of 3 initially.

Both R_e & R_i have degree heuristic of 5

Pick one.

Let R_e be first variable

Now W, R_i, C, S, D have $MRV(2)$

Of these R_i has Degree heuristic of 4

Pick R_i next

Now W, C have $MRV(1)$

Of these C has Degree heuristic of 1.

Pick. C next.

Now W, S have $MRV(1)$

Of these S has Degree heuristic of 1

Pick S next.

Now W, D have $MRV(1)$.

Of these both D, W have Degree heuristic of 0.

Pick W .

Let us pick W next

Now D has $MRV(1)$.

Pick D next

Now N and V have $MRV(2)$.

Of these both have Degree heuristic of 1.

Pick one.

Let us pick N next.

Now V has $MRV(1)$.

Pick V last followed by I

(c)

$R_e : G.$

$R_i : B$

$C : R.$

$S : B$

$D : R.$

$W : R$

$N : R.$

$V : \cancel{B}$

$I : B$

PROBLEM 6

The modified algorithm is given by.

taking MINMAX and changing MIN-VALUE to.

function MIN-VALUE (state) returns a utility value.

if TERMINAL-TEST (state) then return UTILITY (state)

return MAX-VALUE (DEEPGREEN MOVE (state))

If deep green move picks the optimal strategy then this algorithm will return the exact strategy as MINMAX and have the same payoff but will explore fewer nodes (since we don't iterate over all moves that MIN would make). If deep green move is sub optimal then it is possible for this modified version to get a better result.

because it can take advantage of sub-optimal moves. It will also visit fewer nodes.