

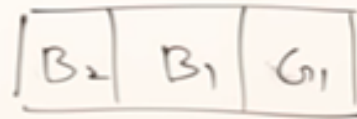


Backtracking

- Brute Force Approach
- Consider a scenario for arranging 2 boys and 1 girl in 3 chairs

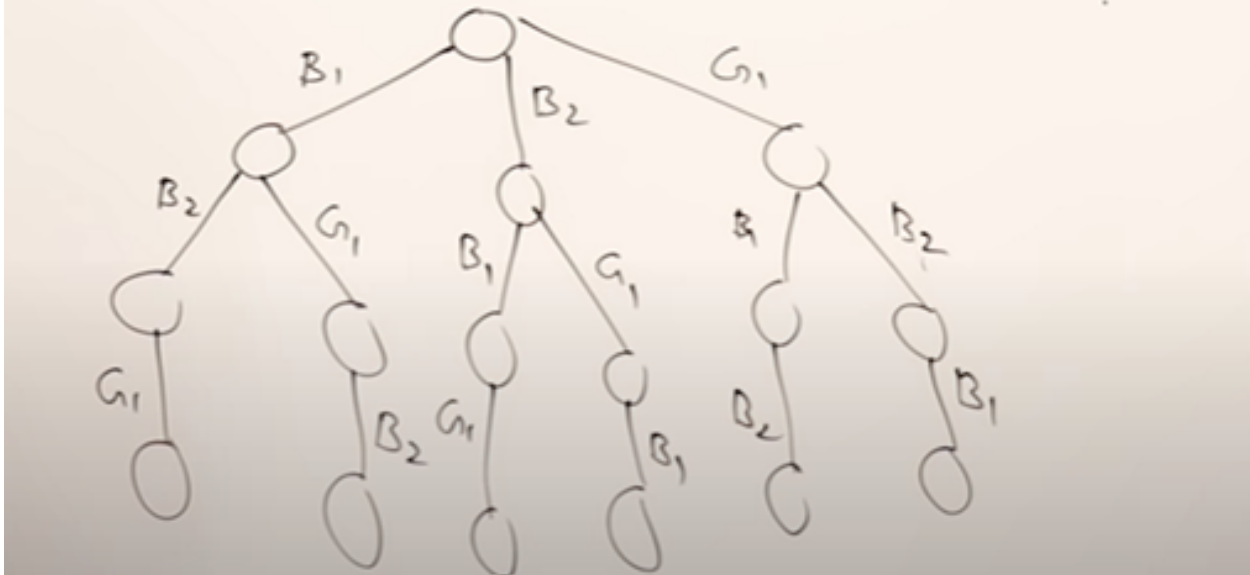
Brute force Approach

B_1, B_2, G_1

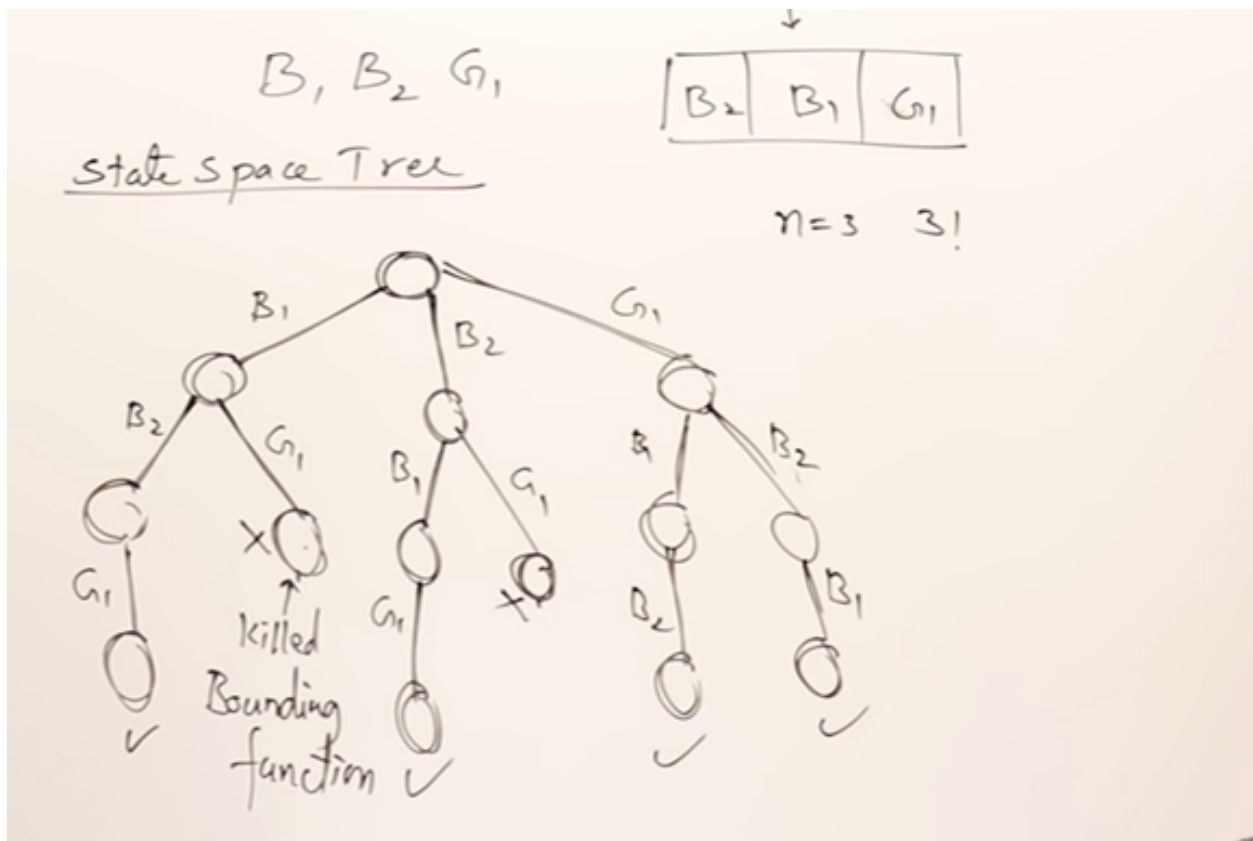


State Space Tree

$$n=3 \quad 3!$$



Now consider a scenario where girls should not be given second position in the seating arrangement.



- Backtracking is a recursion with a twist
- Remove those solutions which are not required



Follows DFS

Branch and Bound

- Similar to Backtracking
- Follows BFS

