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- Alpha-Beta pruning:

Alpha-beta pruning = Alpha beta pruning is a modified version of the min max algo.

It is an optimization technique for the minmax algo.

- Alpha (α) = the best (highest-value)

- Initial value of alpha is $-\infty$

- Beta (β) = the best (highest value)

- Initial value is beta is $+\infty$

- Rules & Conditions:

- 1) the max player will only update the value of alpha.

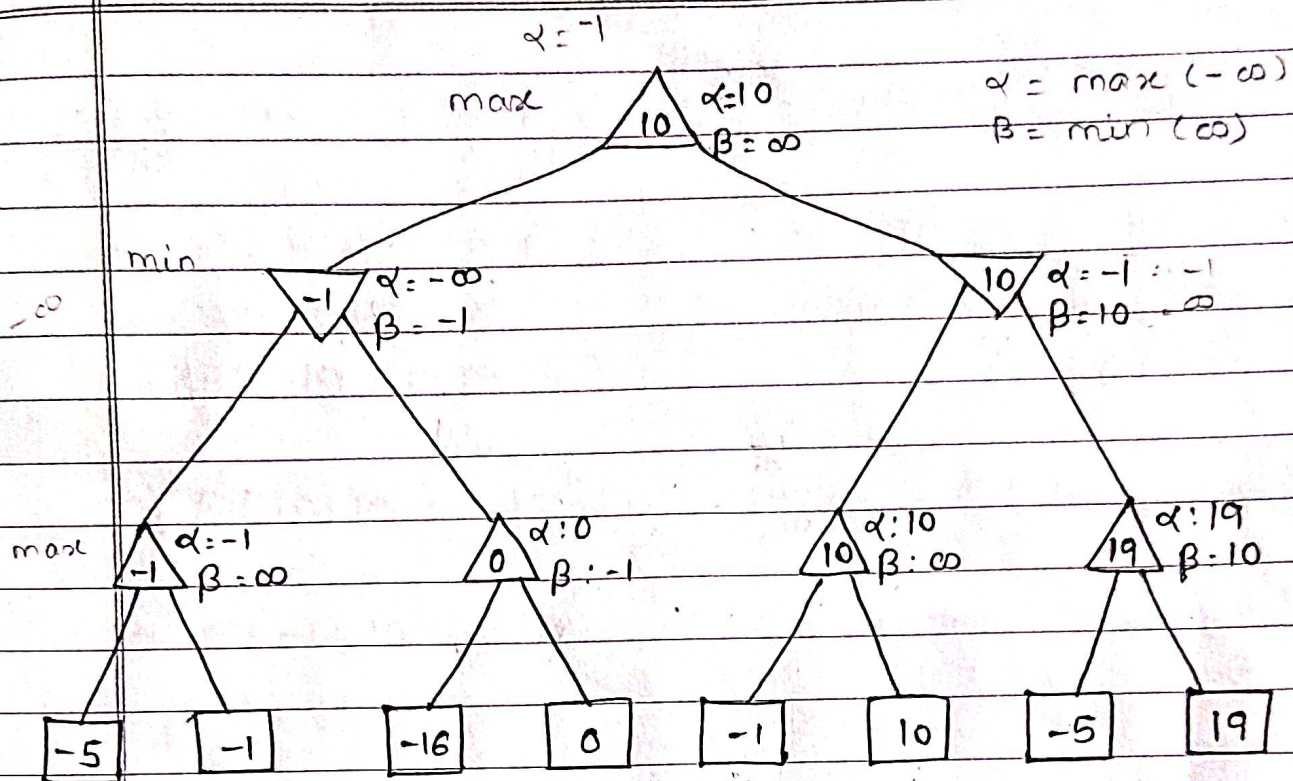
- 2) we will only pass the alpha, beta values to the child nodes.

- 3) the min player will only update the value of β .

- 4) Node values will be passed to upper node instead of values of alpha & beta.

- Condition to prune: $a \geq b$ or $b \leq a$

- when alpha is greater than or equal to beta.



1) $\alpha(-\infty, -5) = -5$ - Max (bottom left)

$$\alpha(-\infty, -1) = -1$$

$$\alpha(-5, -1) = -1$$

2) $\beta(\infty, -1) = -1$ - min (left node)

3) $\alpha(-\infty, -16) = -16$

$$\alpha(-\infty, 0) = 0$$

$$\alpha(-16, 0) = 0$$

- max (bottom ^{left} ~~right~~)
(left node)

4) $\beta(-1, 0) = -1$ - min (left node)

5) $\alpha(-\infty, -1) = -1$ - top (max)

6) $\alpha(-\infty, -1) = -1$ - max (right node)

$$\alpha(-\infty, 10) = 10$$

$$\alpha(-1, 10) = 10$$

(bottom left)

$$7) \beta(\infty, 10) = 10$$

- min (right node)

$$8) \alpha(-\infty, -5) = -5$$

$$\alpha(-\infty, 19) = 19$$

$$\alpha(-5, 19) = 19$$

- max (bottom right)
(right node)

$$9) \beta(10, 19) = 10$$

- min (left node)

$$10) \alpha(-1, 10) = 10$$

= max (Solution).

