

Exp No: 01

N - Queens

Date:

Aim:

To write an algorithm and code for an N - Queens problem such that no two queens attack each other in $N \times N$ chess board.

Algorithm:

Step-1: Start

Step 2: Initialize the board. Create an $N \times N$ chessboard

Step 3: Define the function to check if the queens are placed successfully and print the board

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Step 5: In the function, check if the queen is placed safely and for each column in current row.

Step 6: Initialize the $N \times N$ board and call the recursive function

Step 7: Stop

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Program:
def is_safe(board, row, col, n):
    for i in range(col):
        if board[row][i] == 1:
            return False
    for i, j in zip(range(row-1, -1, -1), range(col-1, -1, -1)):
        if board[i][j] == 1:
            return False
    for i, j in zip(range(row, n), range(col+1, n)):
        if board[i][j] == 1:
            return False
    return True

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def solve_nqueens(board, col, n):
    if col == n:
        return True
    for i in range(n):
        if is_safe(board, i, col, n):
            board[i][col] = 1
            if solve_nqueens(board, col+1, n):
                return True
            board[i][col] = 0
    return False

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def Print_board(board, n):
    for i in range(n):
        for j in range(n):
            Print("Q" if board[i][j] == 1 else ".", end=" ")
    Print()

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def ts_solve_nqueens(n):
    board = [[0 for _ in range(n)] for _ in range(n)]
    if not solve_nqueens(board, 0, n):

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Print ("Solution does not exist")

return

Print - board ! board, n)

n = int / input ("Enter the size of the board:")

n - queens ()

Output

Enter the size of the board 4

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. Q . .  
- . - Q  
Q - - .  
- . Q .
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~~Result:~~

Thus the program for N-queens has been successfully executed