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Assignment 3: Job Sequencing Problem

Define a class Job with properties int Id, int Deadline, and int Profit. Then implement a function `List<Job> JobSequencing(List<Job> jobs)` that takes a list of jobs and returns the maximum profit sequence of jobs that can be done before the deadlines. Use the greedy method to solve this problem.

A)

The implement of Job Sequencing Problem using a greedy method in Java.

Java code:

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import java.util.ArrayList;

import java.util.Collections;

import java.util.Comparator;

import java.util.List;

class Job {

    int id;

    int deadline;

    int profit;

    public Job(int id, int deadline, int profit) {

        this.id = id;

        this.deadline = deadline;

        this.profit = profit;

    }

}

class JobSequencing {

    public static List<Job> jobSequencing(List<Job> jobs) {

        // Step 1: Sort jobs in descending order of profit

        Collections.sort(jobs, new Comparator<Job>() {
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@Override

public int compare(Job job1, Job job2) {

    return job2.profit - job1.profit;

}

});

// Find the maximum deadline to determine the size of the time slots array

int maxDeadline = 0;

for (Job job : jobs) {

    if (job.deadline > maxDeadline) {

        maxDeadline = job.deadline;

    }

}

// Create an array to keep track of free time slots

int[] timeSlots = new int[maxDeadline + 1];

for (int i = 0; i <= maxDeadline; i++) {

    timeSlots[i] = -1; // -1 means the slot is free

}

// Resulting list of jobs in the maximum profit sequence

List<Job> result = new ArrayList<>();

// Step 2: Iterate over all jobs to schedule them

for (Job job : jobs) {

    // Find a free slot for this job (from its deadline to the beginning)

    for (int j = job.deadline; j > 0; j--) {

        if (timeSlots[j] == -1) {

            timeSlots[j] = job.id;


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        result.add(job);

        break;
    }
}

return result;
}

public static void main(String[] args) {
    List<Job> jobs = new ArrayList<>();

    jobs.add(new Job(1, 4, 20));
    jobs.add(new Job(2, 1, 10));
    jobs.add(new Job(3, 1, 40));
    jobs.add(new Job(4, 1, 30));

    List<Job> result = jobSequencing(jobs);

    System.out.println("Job sequence for maximum profit:");

    for (Job job : result) {
        System.out.println("Job ID: " + job.id + ", Deadline: " + job.deadline + ", Profit: " + job.profit);
    }
}
}

```

Explanation:

1. *Job Class* : This class represents a job with three properties: id, deadline, and profit.

2. JobSequencing Class:

- jobSequencing Method:

- It first sorts the jobs based on the profit in descending order.*
- It then determines the maximum deadline to create a time slots array.*
- It iterates through the jobs and tries to schedule each job in the latest possible time slot before its deadline.*
- If a time slot is found, the job is added to the result list.*
- main Method: Demonstrates how to use the jobSequencing method by creating a list of jobs, calling the method, and printing the resulting job sequence.*

How the Greedy Method Works:

- Sorting: By sorting jobs by profit, we ensure that we always try to schedule the most profitable jobs first.*
- Time Slot Array: We use an array to keep track of which slots (days) are free.*
- Scheduling: For each job, we find the latest available slot on or before its deadline and schedule it there if possible.*

This approach ensures that we get the maximum profit by scheduling as many profitable jobs as possible within their deadlines.