bottomup_rodcut.py

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Purpose : Implement a Bottom Up approach to the Rod Cutting Algorithm
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import numpy as np
# Numpy array to store pipe value by length (0 - 10)
prices = np.array([0, 1, 5, 8, 9, 10, 17, 17, 20, 24, 20])
# Use to find optimal rod cutting solution, using a Bottom Up Approach
def bottomup_rodcut(prices, n):
   Given the correlated prices and length for a rod, this returns the optimal rod cutting length
   to maximize profit. This is done effeciently by storing the previous results to avoid copious amounts of recalculations
   :param prices: Prices for each length
   :param n: Length to stop at
   :return: The optimal rod cutting length for each given rod
   \# A Numpy array from zero to N + 1
   rod_{length} = np.arange(n + 1)
   rod_{ength[0]} = 0
   print('Length: \t\t', rod_length)
   for i in range(1, n + 1):
       q = -99999
       for j in range(1, i + 1):
           # Find the max between given price or prev sublength
           val = prices[j] + rod_length[i - j]
           q = max(q, val)
       # Set the max value and move on
       rod_length[i] = q
   return rod_length
test = bottomup_rodcut(prices, 10)
print('Prices:\t\t\t\t', prices)
print("===
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