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def minmax(depth, node_index, maximizing_player, values):
    if depth == 3:
        return values[node_index]

    if maximizing_player:
        return max(minmax(depth + 1, node_index * 2, False, values),
                   minmax(depth + 1, node_index * 2 + 1, False, values))
    else:
        return min(minmax(depth + 1, node_index * 2, True, values),
                   minmax(depth + 1, node_index * 2 + 1, True, values))
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values = [-1 ,4 ,2 ,6 ,-3 ,-5 ,0 ,7]
print("The optimal value is :", minmax(0 ,0,True,values))
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The optimal value is : 4

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import math
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def alpha_beta_pruning(depth, node_index, alpha, beta, maximizing_player, values):
    if depth == 3:
        return values[node_index]
    if maximizing_player:
        max_eval = -math.inf
        for i in range(2):
            eval = alpha_beta_pruning(depth + 1, node_index * 2 + i, alpha, beta, False, values)
            max_eval = max(max_eval, eval)

            alpha = max(alpha, eval)
            if beta <= alpha:
                break
        return max_eval
    else:
        min_eval = math.inf
        for i in range(2):
            eval = alpha_beta_pruning(depth + 1, node_index * 2 + i, alpha, beta, True, values)
            min_eval = min(min_eval, eval)
            beta = min(beta, eval)
            if beta <= alpha:
                break
        return min_eval
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values = [-1, 4, 2, 6, -3, -5, 0, 7]
print("The optimal value is :", alpha_beta_pruning(0, 0, -math.inf, math.inf, True, values))
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 The optimal value is : 4