

## Experiment 2

**Aim:** Write a program to implement Cuckoo Search Optimization algorithm. .

### Theory:

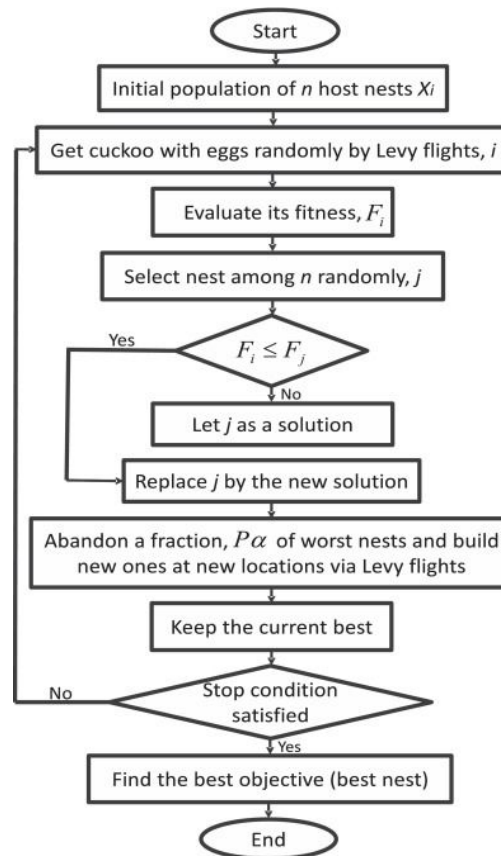
Cuckoo Search (CS) is a meta-heuristic algorithm based on the breeding pattern of certain species of cuckoo birds. In our research, we have implemented CS for the NP-hard optimization problem, the Traveling Salesman Problem (TSP). CS is based on three idealized rules:

1. Each cuckoo lays one egg at a time, and dumps its egg in a randomly chosen nest;
2. The best nests with high quality of eggs will carry over to the next generation;
3. The number of available hosts nests is fixed, and the egg laid by a cuckoo is discovered by the host bird with a probability  $p_a \in (0,1)$ .

Discovering operate on some set of worst nests, and discovered solutions dumped from farther calculations. The algorithm can be extended to more complicated cases in which each nest has multiple eggs representing a set of solutions.

### Algorithm:

**Input:** Input is the distance between cities given in form of a matrix. (distanceMatrix in code).



## Source Code:

**cuckoo.py**

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from random import uniform
from random import randint
import math
distanceMatrix = [
    [0, 29, 20, 21, 16, 31, 100, 12, 4, 31, 18],
    [29, 0, 15, 29, 28, 40, 72, 21, 29, 41, 12],
    [20, 15, 0, 15, 14, 25, 81, 9, 23, 27, 13],
    [21, 29, 15, 0, 4, 12, 92, 12, 25, 13, 25],
    [16, 28, 14, 4, 0, 16, 94, 9, 20, 16, 22],
    [31, 40, 25, 12, 16, 0, 95, 24, 36, 3, 37],
    [100, 72, 81, 92, 94, 95, 0, 90, 101, 99, 84],
    [12, 21, 9, 12, 9, 24, 90, 0, 15, 25, 13],
    [4, 29, 23, 25, 20, 36, 101, 15, 0, 35, 18],
    [31, 41, 27, 13, 16, 3, 99, 25, 35, 0, 38],
    [18, 12, 13, 25, 22, 37, 84, 13, 18, 38, 0]
]

def levyFlight(u):
    return math.pow(u, -1.0/3.0)

def randF():
    return uniform(0.0001, 0.9999)

def calculateDistance(path):
    index = path[0]
    distance = 0
    for nextIndex in path[1:]:
        distance += distanceMatrix[index][nextIndex]
        index = nextIndex
    return distance+distanceMatrix[path[-1]][path[0]]

def swap(sequence, i, j):
    temp = sequence[i]
    sequence[i] = sequence[j]
    sequence[j] = temp

def twoOptMove(nest, a, c):
    nest = nest[0][:]
    swap(nest, a, c)
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    return (nest, calculateDistance(nest))

def doubleBridgeMove(nest, a, b, c, d):
    nest = nest[0][:]
    swap(nest, a, b)
    swap(nest, b, d)
    return (nest, calculateDistance(nest))

numNests = 10
pa = int(0.2*numNests)
pc = int(0.6*numNests)
maxGen = 50
n = len(distanceMatrix)
nests = []
initPath = list(range(0, n))
index = 0
for i in range(numNests):
    if index == n-1:
        index = 0
    swap(initPath, index, index+1)
    index += 1
    nests.append((initPath[:], calculateDistance(initPath)))
nests.sort(key=lambda tup: tup[1])
for t in range(maxGen):
    cuckooNest = nests[randint(0, pc)]
    if(levyFlight(randF()) > 2):
        cuckooNest = doubleBridgeMove(cuckooNest, randint(0, n-1), randint(0, n-1), randint(0,
            n-1), randint(0, n-1))
    else:
        cuckooNest = twoOptMove(cuckooNest, randint(0, n-1), randint(0, n-1))
    randomNestIndex = randint(0, numNests-1)
    if(nests[randomNestIndex][1] > cuckooNest[1]):
        nests[randomNestIndex] = cuckooNest
    for i in range(numNests-pa, numNests):
        nests[i] = twoOptMove(nests[i], randint(0, n-1), randint(0, n-1))
    nests.sort(key=lambda tup: tup[1])
    if (t+1) % 5 == 0:
        print("\nGEN#", t+1, ": ", nests[0])
print("\nCUCKOO's SOLUTION", end=': ')
print(nests[0])

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## Output:

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kunal@DESKTOP-AITAEP7:/mnt/c/Users/Admin/Desktop/webd/projects/Lab Programs/Swarm and Evolutionary Computing$ python3 cuckoo.py

GEN# 5 : ([1, 2, 0, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10], 27)
GEN# 10 : ([1, 2, 0, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10], 27)
GEN# 15 : ([4, 3, 8, 1, 9, 6, 5, 0, 7, 10, 2], 18)
GEN# 20 : ([4, 3, 8, 1, 9, 6, 5, 0, 7, 10, 2], 18)
GEN# 25 : ([4, 3, 8, 1, 9, 6, 5, 0, 7, 10, 2], 18)
GEN# 30 : ([4, 3, 8, 1, 9, 6, 5, 0, 7, 10, 2], 18)
GEN# 35 : ([4, 3, 8, 1, 9, 6, 5, 0, 7, 10, 2], 18)
GEN# 40 : ([4, 3, 8, 1, 9, 6, 5, 0, 7, 10, 2], 18)
GEN# 45 : ([4, 3, 8, 1, 9, 6, 5, 0, 7, 10, 2], 18)
GEN# 50 : ([4, 7, 9, 2, 0, 6, 1, 8, 5, 10, 3], 13)
CUCKOO's SOLUTION: ([4, 7, 9, 2, 0, 6, 1, 8, 5, 10, 3], 13)
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## Finding and Learnings:

We have successfully implemented cuckoo search algorithm technique in python. The optimal solution was calculated using a Naïve brute force approach which has a complexity of  $(n!)$ . An important advantage of this algorithm is its simplicity. In fact, compared with other population- or agent-based metaheuristic algorithms such as particle swarm optimization and harmony search, there is essentially only a single parameter  $p_a$  in Cuckoo Search (apart from the population size  $n$ ). Therefore, it is very easy to implement