

File for the algorithms

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1 Introduction

Algorithm 1 Manhattan Distance

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1: procedure MANDIST(state)                                ▷ The current puzzle configuration
2:   total  $\leftarrow$  0
3:   puzzleLength  $\leftarrow$  state.size()
4:   dimensions  $\leftarrow$   $\sqrt{\textit{puzzleLength}}$ 
5:   for i  $\leftarrow$  1, puzzleLength do                      ▷ Loops through each tile of the puzzle
6:     tileValue  $\leftarrow$  state[i]
7:     expectedRow  $\leftarrow$  (tileValue - 1)  $\div$  dimensions
8:     expectedCol  $\leftarrow$  (tileValue - 1) mod dimensions
9:     rowNum  $\leftarrow$  i  $\div$  dimensions
10:    rowNum  $\leftarrow$  i mod dimensions
11:    total  $\leftarrow$  total + | expectedRow - rowNum | + | expectedCol - colNum |
12:  return total                                           ▷ The heuristic is the total
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Algorithm 2 Iterative Deepening A Star

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1: state                                ▷ The current puzzle configuration
2:  $g(state)$                             ▷ The cost to reach the current state
3:  $h(state)$                             ▷ Estimated cost of the cheapest path from state to goal
4:  $f(state) \leftarrow g(state) + h(state)$ 
5:  $neighbours(state)$     ▷ Expands possible moves from current state ordered by  $g + h$ 

6: procedure IDASTAR(state)
7:    $bound \leftarrow f(state)$ 
8:   while not solved do                ▷ Loops until a solution is found
9:      $bound \leftarrow DFS(state, bound)$     ▷ Performs a bounded depth-first search

10: procedure DFS(state, bound)
11:   if  $f(state) > bound$  then
12:     return  $f(state)$ 
13:   if  $h(state) == 0$  then              ▷ No more moves needed to reach goal state
14:     return solved
15:    $min \leftarrow \infty$ 
16:   for neighbour in  $neighbours(state)$  do
17:      $temp \leftarrow DFS(neighbour, bound)$ 
18:     if  $temp < min$  then
19:        $min \leftarrow temp$ 
20:   return  $min$                         ▷ Returns the smallest of the neighbours
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Algorithm 3 Breadth-First Search

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1: procedure BFS(state)
2:    $s \leftarrow \text{empty set}$ 
3:    $q \leftarrow \text{empty queue}$ 
4:    $q.add(state)$ 
5:    $q.enqueue(state)$ 
6:   while  $q.size() > 0$  do
7:      $currentState \leftarrow q.dequeue()$ 
8:     if  $currentState == goal$  then
9:       return current
10:    for neighbour in  $neighbours(currentState)$  do
11:      if neighbour is not in  $s$  then
12:         $s.add(neighbour)$ 
13:         $q.enqueue(neighbour)$ 
```

Algorithm 4 Is Current State Solvable

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1: procedure ISSOLVABLE(state)
2:    $stateLength \leftarrow state.size()$ 
3:    $gridWidth \leftarrow \sqrt{stateLength}$ 
4:    $row \leftarrow 0$  ▷ The current row we are on
5:    $blankRow \leftarrow 0$  ▷ The row with the blank tile
6:   for  $i \leftarrow 1, puzzleLength$  do
7:     if  $i \bmod gridWidth == 0$  then
8:        $row++$ 
9:     if  $state[i] == 0$  then
10:       $blankRow \leftarrow row$ 
11:      continue
12:     for  $j \leftarrow i+1, puzzleLength$  do
13:       if  $state[i] > state[j]$  and  $state[i] \neq 0$  then
14:          $parity++$ 
15:   if  $gridWidth \bmod 2 == 0$  then
16:     if  $blankRow \bmod 2 == 0$  then
17:       return  $parity \bmod 2 == 0$ 
18:     else
19:       return  $parity \bmod 2 \neq 0$ 
20:   else
21:     return  $parity \bmod 2 == 0$ 
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Progress report

Description of project: aims, motivation	First	2.1	2.2	3	Fail
Description and understanding of issues and problems addressed in the project	First	2.1	2.2	3	Fail
Achievement so far according to what is reasonably expected for the type of project	First	2.1	2.2	3	Fail
Discussion and justification of changes to project aims, scope, workplan	First	2.1	2.2	3	Fail

Quality of writing

Clarity, structure correctness of writing	First	2.1	2.2	3	Fail
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