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Assignment -2 Title: Robot Task Optimization Using Genetic Algorithm

Introduction: The optimization of task assignments in robotic systems is crucial for maximizing efficiency and productivity. In this report, we explore the use of a genetic algorithm (GA) to optimize task assignments considering robot efficiency and task priority. We analyze the influence of these factors on the optimization process and discuss the implications of our findings.

Objective:

The goal of this assignment is to develop and implement a Genetic Algorithm (GA) to optimize the assignment of multiple robots to a set of tasks in a dynamic production environment. Your primary objectives are to minimize the total production time, ensure a balanced workload across robots, and prioritize critical tasks effectively. Additionally, you will create a detailed visualization to illustrate the final task assignments, robot efficiencies, and task priorities.

Approach: My approach involves the following steps:

- Generating mock data for tasks and robots, including task durations, task priorities, and robot efficiencies.
- Defining a fitness function that minimizes total production time while considering workload balance.
- Implementing selection, crossover, and mutation operations for evolving task assignments.
- Visualizing task priorities and optimized task assignments using matplotlib.

Implementation Details:

- I used Python with NumPy and Matplotlib libraries for implementing the genetic algorithm and visualizations.
- The fitness function calculates total production time based on task durations and robot efficiencies, considering workload balance.
- Selection process uses tournament selection to choose parents for crossover.

- Crossover operation employs single-point crossover to create offspring.
- Mutation operation swaps two randomly chosen tasks with a certain probability.
- Task priorities are displayed as a table, and optimized task assignments are visualized using a heatmap.

Assignment Details

Tasks:

Imported Libraries:

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import matplotlib.colors as mcolors
import matplotlib.patches as mpatches
```

Data Preparation: Generate mock data for tasks (including durations and priorities) and robots (including efficiency factors).

Code:

```
# Function to generate mock data for tasks and robots
def generate_mock_data(num_tasks=10, num_robots=5):
    task_durations = np.random.randint(1, 11,
size=num_tasks)  # Random task durations between 1 and 10
hours
    task_priorities = np.random.randint(1, 6,
size=num_tasks)  # Random task priorities between 1 and 5
    robot_efficiencies = np.random.uniform(0.5, 1.5,
size=num_robots)  # Random robot efficiencies between 0.5 and
1.5
    return task_durations, task_priorities, robot_efficiencies
```

GA Implementation: Implemented a Genetic Algorithm to optimize task assignments considering task duration, robot efficiency, and task priority.

```
# GA algorithm implementation
def run_genetic_algorithm(task_durations, task_priorities,
robot_efficiencies):
```

```
population size = 50
    n generations = 100
    population = [np.random.randint(0,
len(robot efficiencies), size=len(task durations)) for in
range(population size)]
   best solution = None
   best fitness = float('-inf')
    for in range (n generations):
        fitness values = [calculate fitness(sol,
task durations, task priorities, robot efficiencies) for sol
in population]
        selected parents = [tournament selection(population,
fitness values, tournament size=5) for in
range(population size // 2)]
        offspring population =
[single point crossover(parents) for parents in
selected parents]
        offspring population = [child for pair in
offspring population for child in pair] # Flatten list of
offspring
        offspring population = [mutation(child,
mutation rate=0.05) for child in offspring population]
        # Combine parents and offspring to form the next
        population = offspring population
        # Find the best solution in the current generation
        for sol, fitness in zip(population, fitness values):
            if fitness > best fitness:
                best solution = sol
                best fitness = fitness
    return best solution
```

Visualization: Created a grid visualization of the task assignments highlighting key information.

```
# Function to display task priorities as a table of data
def display_task_priorities(task_priorities):
    num_tasks = len(task_priorities)
    fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(4, 3)) # Adjust the
figure size as needed
    ax.axis('off') # Hide axis

table_data = [["Task", "Priority"]]
for i in range(num_tasks):
    table_data.append([f"{i+1}", f"{task_priorities[i]}"])

table = ax.table(cellText=table_data, loc='center',
cellLoc='center', colWidths=[0.5, 0.5])
table.auto_set_font_size(False)
table.set_fontsize(10) # Adjust font size as needed
table.scale(1, 1.5) # Adjust scaling as needed

plt.title('Task Priorities\n') # Add title if desired
plt.show()
```

```
# Improved visualization function
def visualize_assignments_improved(solution, task_durations,
task_priorities, robot_efficiencies):
    # Create a grid for visualization based on the solution
provided
    grid = np.zeros((len(robot_efficiencies),
len(task_durations)))
    for task_idx, robot_idx in enumerate(solution):
        grid[robot_idx, task_idx] = task_durations[task_idx]

    fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(12, 6))
        cmap = mcolors.LinearSegmentedColormap.from_list("",
["white", "blue"]) # Custom colormap

# Display the grid with task durations
    cax = ax.matshow(grid, cmap=cmap)
    fig.colorbar(cax, label='Task Duration (hours)')
```

```
for i in range(len(robot efficiencies)):
        for j in range(len(task durations)):
            ax.text(j, i, f'{task durations[j]}\n(Priority
{task priorities[j]})',
                    ha='center', va='center', color='black')
    ax.set xticks(np.arange(len(task durations)))
    ax.set yticks(np.arange(len(robot efficiencies)))
    ax.set xticklabels([f'Task {i+1}' for i in
range(len(task durations))], rotation=45, ha="left")
   ax.set yticklabels([f'Robot {i+1} (Efficiency: {eff:.2f})'
for i, eff in enumerate(robot efficiencies)])
   plt.xlabel('Tasks')
   plt.ylabel('Robots')
   plt.title('Task Assignments with Task Duration and
Priority')
   plt.tight layout()
   plt.show()
```

Genetic Algorithm Components:

Implementing genetic operations to evolve population towards optimal solutions.

Fitness Function

```
# Placeholder for the fitness function calculation
def calculate_fitness(solution, task_durations,
task_priorities, robot_efficiencies):
    # Calculate total production time for each robot
    robot_times = np.zeros(len(robot_efficiencies))
    for task_idx, robot_idx in enumerate(solution):
        robot_times[robot_idx] += task_durations[task_idx] /
robot_efficiencies[robot_idx]

# Total production time is the maximum time any robot
takes to complete its tasks
    total_production_time = np.max(robot_times)

# Workload balance
```

```
workload_balance = np.std(robot_times)

# Fitness function: minimize total production time and
workload balance
fitness = 1 / (total_production_time + workload_balance)
return fitness
```

Selection

Code:

```
# Placeholder for the selection process
def tournament_selection(population, fitness_values,
tournament_size):
    selected_parents = []
    for _ in range(2):  # Select 2 parents
        tournament_indices = np.random.choice(len(population),
size=tournament_size, replace=False)
        tournament_fitness = [fitness_values[i] for i in
tournament_indices]
        winner_index =
tournament_indices[np.argmax(tournament_fitness)]
        selected_parents.append(population[winner_index])
    return selected_parents
```

Crossover

Code:

```
# Placeholder for the crossover operation
def single_point_crossover(parents):
        crossover_point = np.random.randint(1, len(parents[0])) #
Choose a random crossover point
        child1 = np.concatenate((parents[0][:crossover_point],
        parents[1][crossover_point:]))
        child2 = np.concatenate((parents[1][:crossover_point],
        parents[0][crossover_point:]))
        return child1, child2
```

Mutation

```
# Placeholder for the mutation operation
def mutation(solution, mutation_rate):
    if np.random.rand() < mutation_rate:</pre>
```

Visualization:

```
# Improved visualization function
def visualize assignments improved (solution, task durations,
task priorities, robot efficiencies):
provided
    grid = np.zeros((len(robot efficiencies),
len(task durations)))
    for task idx, robot idx in enumerate(solution):
        grid[robot idx, task idx] = task durations[task idx]
    fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(12, 6))
    cmap = mcolors.LinearSegmentedColormap.from list("",
["white", "green"]) # Changed color intensity to green
    cax = ax.matshow(grid, cmap=cmap)
    fig.colorbar(cax, label='Task Duration (hours)')
    for i in range(len(robot efficiencies)):
        for j in range(len(task durations)):
            ax.text(j, i, f'{task durations[j]} hr\n(Prio
{task priorities[j]})', # Changed display format
                    ha='center', va='center', color='black')
    ax.set xticks(np.arange(len(task durations)))
    ax.set yticks(np.arange(len(robot efficiencies)))
    ax.set xticklabels([f'Task {i+1}' for i in
range(len(task durations))], rotation=45, ha="left")
    ax.set yticklabels([f'Robot {i+1} (Efficiency: {eff:.2f})'
for i, eff in enumerate(robot efficiencies)])
```

```
plt.xlabel('Tasks')
  plt.ylabel('Robots')
  plt.title('Task Assignments with Task Duration and
Priority')

plt.tight_layout()
  plt.show()
```

Main Execution:

```
# Main execution
if __name__ == "__main__":
    num_tasks = 10
    num_robots = 5
    task_durations, task_priorities, robot_efficiencies =
generate_mock_data(num_tasks, num_robots)

# Display the task priorities as a table of data in a
separate output window
    display_task_priorities(task_priorities)

print("\n")

# Run GA to find the best solution
    best_solution = run_genetic_algorithm(task_durations,
task_priorities, robot_efficiencies)

# Visualize the best solution
    visualize_assignments_improved(best_solution,
task_durations, task_priorities, robot_efficiencies)
```

SOURCE CODE:

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import matplotlib.colors as mcolors
import matplotlib.patches as mpatches
def generate mock data(num tasks=10, num robots=5):
    task durations = np.random.randint(1, 11,
size=num tasks) # Random task durations between 1 and 10
    task priorities = np.random.randint(1, 6,
size=num tasks) # Random task priorities between 1 and 5
    robot efficiencies = np.random.uniform(0.5, 1.5,
size=num robots) # Random robot efficiencies between 0.5 and
    return task durations, task priorities, robot efficiencies
def display task priorities(task priorities):
   num tasks = len(task priorities)
   fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(4, 3)) # Adjust the
   ax.axis('off') # Hide axis
   table data = [["Task", "Priority"]]
   for i in range(num tasks):
        table data.append([f"{i+1}", f"{task priorities[i]}"])
    table = ax.table(cellText=table data, loc='center',
cellLoc='center', colWidths=[0.5, 0.5])
    table.auto set font size(False)
    table.set fontsize(10) # Adjust font size as needed
    table.scale(1, 1.5) # Adjust scaling as needed
   plt.title('Task Priorities\n') # Add title if desired
   plt.show()
# Placeholder for the fitness function calculation
def calculate fitness(solution, task durations,
task priorities, robot efficiencies):
```

```
robot times = np.zeros(len(robot efficiencies))
    for task idx, robot idx in enumerate(solution):
        robot times[robot idx] += task durations[task idx] /
robot efficiencies[robot idx]
    total production time = np.max(robot times)
    # Workload balance
    workload balance = np.std(robot times)
    fitness = 1 / (total production time + workload balance)
    return fitness
def tournament selection (population, fitness values,
tournament size):
    selected parents = []
    for in range(2): # Select 2 parents
        tournament indices = np.random.choice(len(population),
size=tournament size, replace=False)
        tournament fitness = [fitness values[i] for i in
tournament indices]
        winner index =
tournament indices[np.argmax(tournament fitness)]
        selected parents.append(population[winner index])
    return selected parents
def single point crossover(parents):
    crossover point = np.random.randint(1, len(parents[0]))
Choose a random crossover point
    child1 = np.concatenate((parents[0][:crossover point],
parents[1][crossover point:]))
    child2 = np.concatenate((parents[1][:crossover point],
parents[0][crossover point:]))
    return child1, child2
# Placeholder for the mutation operation
def mutation(solution, mutation rate):
```

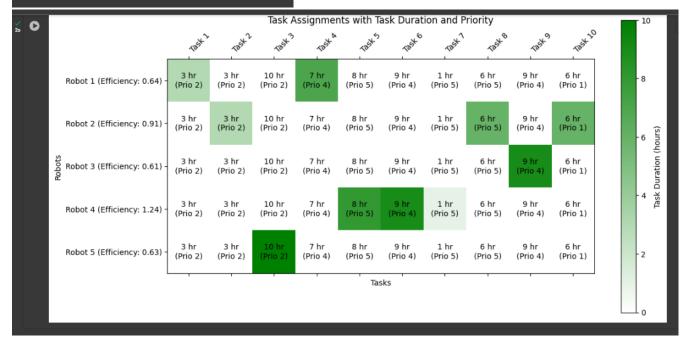
```
if np.random.rand() < mutation rate:</pre>
        idx1, idx2 = np.random.choice(len(solution), size=2,
replace=False)
        solution[idx1], solution[idx2] = solution[idx2],
solution[idx1]
    return solution
def run genetic algorithm (task durations, task priorities,
robot efficiencies):
    population size = 50
    n generations = 100
    population = [np.random.randint(0,
len(robot efficiencies), size=len(task durations)) for in
range(population size)]
   best solution = None
    best fitness = float('-inf')
    for in range(n generations):
        fitness values = [calculate fitness(sol,
task durations, task priorities, robot efficiencies) for sol
in population]
        # Select parents for crossover using tournament
        selected parents = [tournament selection(population,
fitness values, tournament size=5) for in
range(population size // 2)]
        offspring population =
[single point crossover(parents) for parents in
selected parents]
        offspring population = [child for pair in
offspring population for child in pair] # Flatten list of
offspring
        offspring population = [mutation(child,
mutation rate=0.05) for child in offspring population]
```

```
population = offspring population
        # Find the best solution in the current generation
        for sol, fitness in zip(population, fitness values):
            if fitness > best fitness:
                best solution = sol
                best fitness = fitness
    return best solution
def visualize assignments improved (solution, task durations,
task priorities, robot efficiencies):
    # Create a grid for visualization based on the solution
    grid = np.zeros((len(robot efficiencies),
len(task durations)))
    for task idx, robot idx in enumerate(solution):
        grid[robot idx, task idx] = task durations[task idx]
    fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(12, 6))
    cmap = mcolors.LinearSegmentedColormap.from list("",
["white", "green"])  # Changed color intensity to green
    cax = ax.matshow(grid, cmap=cmap)
    fig.colorbar(cax, label='Task Duration (hours)')
    for i in range(len(robot efficiencies)):
        for j in range(len(task durations)):
            ax.text(j, i, f'{task durations[j]} hr\n(Prio
{task priorities[j]})', # Changed display format
    ax.set xticks(np.arange(len(task durations)))
    ax.set yticks(np.arange(len(robot efficiencies)))
    ax.set xticklabels([f'Task {i+1}' for i in
range(len(task durations))], rotation=45, ha="left")
    ax.set yticklabels([f'Robot {i+1} (Efficiency: {eff:.2f})'
for i, eff in enumerate(robot efficiencies)])
```

```
plt.xlabel('Tasks')
    plt.ylabel('Robots')
    plt.title('Task Assignments with Task Duration and
Priority')
    plt.tight layout()
    plt.show()
if name == " main ":
    num tasks = 10
    num robots = 5
    task durations, task priorities, robot efficiencies =
generate mock data(num tasks, num robots)
separate output window
    display task priorities(task priorities)
    print("\n")
    best solution = run genetic algorithm(task durations,
task priorities, robot efficiencies)
    visualize assignments improved (best solution,
task durations, task priorities, robot efficiencies)
```

OUTPUT:

∃	Task Priorities	
	Task	Priority
	1	2
	2	2
	3	2
	4	4
	5	5
	6	4
	7	5
	8	5
	9	4
	10	1



Code With Provided Data in Lab:

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import matplotlib.colors as mcolors
import matplotlib.patches as mpatches

# Function to generate mock data for tasks and robots

def generate_mock_data(num_tasks=10, num_robots=5):
    task_durations = [x for x in range(11)]# Task durations
    task_priorities = [x for x in range(11)] # Task

priorities
    robot_efficiencies = [0.1,0.01,0.2,0.3,0.4] # Robot
efficiencies
```

```
return task durations, task priorities, robot efficiencies
# Function to display task priorities as a table of data
def display task priorities(task priorities):
   num tasks = len(task priorities)
   fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(4, 3)) # Adjust the
figure size as needed
    ax.axis('off') # Hide axis
    table data = [["Task", "Priority"]]
    for i in range(num tasks):
        table data.append([f"{i+1}", f"{task priorities[i]}"])
    table = ax.table(cellText=table data, loc='center',
cellLoc='center', colWidths=[0.5, 0.5])
    table.auto set font size(False)
   table.set fontsize(10) # Adjust font size as needed
   table.scale(1, 1.5) # Adjust scaling as needed
   plt.title('Task Priorities\n\n') # Add title if desired
   plt.show()
def calculate fitness(solution, task durations,
task priorities, robot efficiencies):
   robot times = np.zeros(len(robot efficiencies))
    for task idx, robot idx in enumerate(solution):
        robot times[robot idx] += task durations[task idx] /
robot efficiencies[robot idx]
    total production time = np.max(robot times)
   # Workload balance
   workload balance = np.std(robot times)
    fitness = 1 / (total production time + workload balance)
    return fitness
# Placeholder for the selection process
def tournament selection (population, fitness values,
tournament size):
    selected parents = []
    for in range(2): # Select 2 parents
        tournament indices = np.random.choice(len(population),
size=tournament size, replace=False)
        tournament fitness = [fitness values[i] for i in
tournament indices]
```

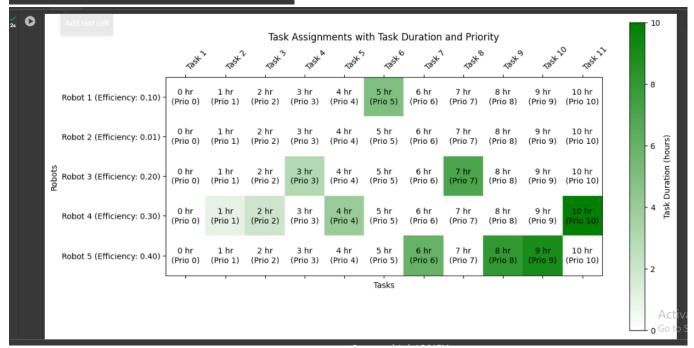
```
winner index =
tournament indices[np.argmax(tournament fitness)]
        selected parents.append(population[winner index])
    return selected parents
def single point crossover(parents):
    crossover point = np.random.randint(1, len(parents[0]))
    child1 = np.concatenate((parents[0][:crossover point],
parents[1][crossover point:]))
    child2 = np.concatenate((parents[1][:crossover point],
parents[0][crossover point:]))
    return child1, child2
def mutation(solution, mutation rate):
    if np.random.rand() < mutation rate:</pre>
        idx1, idx2 = np.random.choice(len(solution), size=2,
replace=False)
        solution[idx1], solution[idx2] = solution[idx2],
solution[idx1]
    return solution
def run genetic algorithm(task durations, task priorities,
robot efficiencies):
    population size = 50
    n generations = 100
    population = [np.random.randint(0,
len(robot efficiencies), size=len(task durations)) for in
range(population size)]
    best solution = None
    best fitness = float('-inf')
   for _ in range(n generations):
        fitness values = [calculate fitness(sol,
task durations, task priorities, robot efficiencies) for sol
in population]
        selected parents = [tournament selection(population,
fitness values, tournament size=5) for in
range(population size // 2)]
```

```
offspring population =
[single point crossover(parents) for parents in
selected parents]
        offspring population = [child for pair in
offspring population for child in pair] # Flatten list of
offspring
        # Apply mutation to the offspring
       offspring population = [mutation(child, mutation rate
= 0.1 ) for child in offspring population]
        population = offspring population
        for sol, fitness in zip(population, fitness values):
            if fitness > best fitness:
                best solution = sol
                best fitness = fitness
    return best solution
def visualize assignments improved (solution, task durations,
task priorities, robot efficiencies):
   grid = np.zeros((len(robot efficiencies),
len(task durations)))
   for task idx, robot idx in enumerate(solution):
        grid[robot idx, task idx] = task durations[task idx]
    fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(12, 6))
    cmap = mcolors.LinearSegmentedColormap.from list("",
["white", "green"])  # Changed color intensity to green
    cax = ax.matshow(grid, cmap=cmap)
    fig.colorbar(cax, label='Task Duration (hours)')
    for i in range(len(robot efficiencies)):
```

```
for j in range(len(task durations)):
            ax.text(j, i, f'{task durations[j]} hr\n(Prio
{task priorities[j]})', # Changed display format
                    ha='center', va='center', color='black')
    ax.set xticks(np.arange(len(task durations)))
    ax.set yticks(np.arange(len(robot efficiencies)))
    ax.set xticklabels([f'Task {i+1}' for i in
range(len(task durations))], rotation=45, ha="left")
    ax.set yticklabels([f'Robot {i+1} (Efficiency: {eff:.2f})'
for i, eff in enumerate(robot efficiencies)])
    plt.xlabel('Tasks')
    plt.ylabel('Robots')
    plt.title('Task Assignments with Task Duration and
Priority')
    plt.tight layout()
    plt.show()
# Main execution
    num tasks = 10
   num robots = 3
    task durations, task priorities, robot efficiencies =
generate mock data(num tasks, num robots)
separate output window
    display task priorities(task priorities)
    print("\n")
    best solution = run genetic algorithm(task durations,
task priorities, robot efficiencies)
    visualize assignments improved (best solution,
task durations, task priorities, robot efficiencies)
```

OUTPUT:

₹	Task Priorities		
	Task	Priority	
	1	0	
	2	1	
	3	2	
	4	3	
	5	4	
	6	5	
	7	6	
	8	7	
	9	8	
	10	9	
	11	10	
	11	10	



Analysis and Report:

- **Robot Efficiency Influence:** Higher robot efficiency led to shorter total production times and better fitness values. The GA favored task assignments to more efficient robots, resulting in faster completion of tasks.
- Task Priority Influence: Task priority guided the optimization process towards efficiently completing high-priority tasks. Higher priority tasks contributed more to workload balance, ensuring their efficient completion.

• Workload Distribution Among Robots: The GA effectively distributed tasks among robots to minimize total time and workload imbalance. However, overloading a single robot could lead to imbalance, necessitating further optimization techniques like dynamic task allocation.

Challenges Faced:

- Balancing the trade-off between total production time and workload balance was challenging. We needed to ensure that efficient completion of tasks did not lead to excessive workload on certain robots.
- Tuning parameters such as mutation rate and tournament size required experimentation to achieve optimal performance.
- Visualizing task assignments in a meaningful way while considering both efficiency and priority posed a challenge.

Insights and Implications:

- The GA helped in optimizing task assignments by efficiently distributing tasks among robots while considering both efficiency and priority.
- Our findings highlight the importance of balancing workload and prioritizing tasks for efficient task assignment in robotic systems.
- Further research could explore advanced optimization techniques and real-world applications of the GA for task assignment in industrial and service robotics.

Conclusion: In conclusion, our study demonstrates the effectiveness of using a genetic algorithm for optimizing task assignments in robotic systems. By considering robot efficiency and task priority, we achieve efficient and balanced task assignments, contributing to overall productivity and performance.