

# N-Queen using Hill Climbing

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## **Problem Formulation:**

The N-queens problem is the problem of placing 'n' chess queens on an  $n \times n$  chessboard so that no two queens are attacking each other. This means no queen can be in the same row, column or diagonal. We can find the solutions for all the natural numbers except for  $n = 2$  or  $3$ . Here in this report, we are choosing to solve the 8 queens problem by taking a random state by placing 8 queens in the  $8 \times 8$  chessboard by placing each queen in a column.

There are different types of hill-climbing search techniques that can be used to solve this problem. The general hill-climbing search has less percent of success that is around 14%. So, to optimize this search there are a couple of updated searches like Hill Climbing sideways move and Random Restart Hill Climbing.

- Hill climbing search
- Hill climbing search with sideways movement allowed
- Random Restart hill climbing search
- Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement allowed

**Hill Climbing with a sideways move:** This is an optimized version of the regular hill-climbing search algorithm. When a local minimum is reached, continuing search by non-improving "sideways" moves will lead to a significant improvement in the performance of the algorithm.

**Random Restart Hill Climbing:** This is built on top of the hill-climbing search algorithm. It iteratively does hill-climbing, each time with a random initial condition. The best state is kept; if a new run of hill-climbing produces a better state than the store state, it replaces the stored state. This is the most effective algorithm in most of the cases.

We are using a heuristic function to determine the steps each queen takes. The heuristic cost function  $h$  calculates the number of pairs of queens that are attacking each other, either directly or indirectly.

## Code Structure:

### Class 1: HillClimbing

1. `cells_at_state` will return cells with queens in the given state.
2. `print_Nqueen_matrix` will print n queen state as a matrix
3. `Horizontal_cells_right_to_current` return the cells to the horizontal right of the current cell
4. `diagonal_cells_right_to_current` return the cells to the diagonal right of the current cell
5. `total_cells_to_the_right` will return all the horizontal and diagonal cells to the right of current cells
6. `heuristic_value` returns heuristic value for a given state (h calculates the number of pairs of queens that are attacking each other, either directly or indirectly)
7. `heuristic_matrix` calculates heuristic values of each cell and returns heuristic value matrix, least heuristic and numpy array with row and column with least heuristic
8. `randon_state` creates and returns a random state which will be used in random restart function.
9. `hill_climbing_search` function is a recursive implementation of the hill climbing search using steepest ascent. this method will return result and step towards the least heuristic value at each recursion and the result would contain flat local maxima, local maxima and success
10. `hill_climbing_random_restart` function implements random restart algorithm.

### Class 2: project\_analysis

1. `analysis` function will start iterating and performs hill climbing and randon-restart hill climbing with and without sideways movement.
2. `print_results` function prints stats of all 4 algorithms.
3. `print_hillclimbing_stats` will print report of the hill climbing search with and without sideways movement.
4. `print_random_restart_stats` will print report of the random restart hill climbing search with and without sideways movement.

Get N, Iterations and sideways movement as input from the user and run the above classes.

## **Sample Initial and Final configurations:**

Please enter a value for N(number of queens): 5

Please enter a value for number of iterations: 100

Please enter a value for the maximum sideways moves allowed: 10

Hill climbing Search Analysis

Initial state is:

[(3, 0), (3, 1), (4, 2), (3, 3), (2, 4)]

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|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|Q|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (4, 2), (3, 3), (2, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Step is: 3

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (4, 2), (3, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Step is: 4

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (4, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

The Search has failed.

Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis

Initial state is:

[(3, 0), (3, 1), (4, 2), (3, 3), (2, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|Q|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (4, 2), (3, 3), (2, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Step is: 3

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (4, 2), (4, 3), (2, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|Q|\_|

Step is: 4

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (4, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|Q|\_|

Successfully finished:

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (2, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

Random restart hill climbing search Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [3, 4, 2, 4, 1]

Initial state is:

[(3, 0), (4, 1), (2, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|Q|\_|

Successfully finished:

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (2, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [1, 2, 1, 2, 0]

Initial state is:

[(1, 0), (2, 1), (1, 2), (2, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(1, 0), (2, 1), (4, 2), (2, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Step is: 3

[(1, 0), (1, 1), (4, 2), (2, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Successfully finished:

[(3, 0), (1, 1), (4, 2), (2, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Hill climbing Search Analysis

Initial state is:

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|Q|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Step is: 3

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (1, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Successfully finished:

[(2, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (1, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis

Initial state is:

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|Q|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Step is: 3

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (1, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Successfully finished:

[(2, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (1, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Random restart hill climbing search Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [2, 4, 3, 1, 0]

Initial state is:

[(2, 0), (4, 1), (3, 2), (1, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|

The Search has failed.

Random-Restart start\_state: [3, 2, 0, 4, 1]

Initial state is:

[(3, 0), (2, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Step is: 2

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Successfully finished:

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (2, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [4, 1, 0, 4, 0]

Initial state is:

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|

Step is: 2

[(3, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|

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|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|
Step is: 3
[(3, 0), (1, 1), (4, 2), (4, 3), (0, 4)]
|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|Q|_|

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Successfully finished:
[(3, 0), (1, 1), (4, 2), (2, 3), (0, 4)]
|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|_|

```

Hill climbing Search Analysis

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Initial state is:
[(3, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (0, 3), (0, 4)]
|_|_|Q|Q|Q|
|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|
|Q|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|

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```

Step is: 2
[(3, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (0, 4)]
|_|_|Q|_|Q|
|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|Q|Q|_|_|_|
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```

Step is: 3
[(3, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|Q|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|

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```

Successfully finished:
[(1, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|

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|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis

Initial state is:

[(3, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (0, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|Q|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(3, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 3

[(3, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Successfully finished:

[(1, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Random restart hill climbing search Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [4, 0, 4, 2, 4]

Initial state is:

[(4, 0), (0, 1), (4, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|Q|\_|Q|

Step is: 2

[(3, 0), (0, 1), (4, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

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|_|_|Q|_|
|Q|_|_|_|
|_|Q|_|Q|
Step is: 3
[(3, 0), (0, 1), (4, 2), (1, 3), (4, 4)]
|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|
|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|
|_|Q|_|Q|
The Search has failed.
Random-Restart start_state: [2, 1, 0, 0, 0]
Initial state is:
[(2, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (0, 3), (0, 4)]
|_|Q|Q|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|
Step is: 2
[(2, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (0, 4)]
|_|_|Q|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|
|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|
The Search has failed.
Random-Restart start_state: [4, 4, 2, 2, 1]
Initial state is:
[(4, 0), (4, 1), (2, 2), (2, 3), (1, 4)]
|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|Q|_|
|_|_|_|_|
|Q|Q|_|_|
Step is: 2
[(4, 0), (0, 1), (2, 2), (2, 3), (1, 4)]
|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|Q|_|
|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|
Step is: 3
[(4, 0), (0, 1), (2, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]

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|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|Q|_|

```

Successfully finished:

```
[(3, 0), (0, 1), (2, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]
```

```

|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|

```

Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [0, 0, 0, 4, 3]

Initial state is:

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[(0, 0), (0, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (3, 4)]
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|Q|Q|Q|_|_|
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|_|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|_|Q|_|

```

Step is: 2

```
[(0, 0), (2, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (3, 4)]
```

```

|Q|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|_|Q|_|

```

Step is: 3

```
[(0, 0), (2, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]
```

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|Q|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|

```

Step is: 4

```
[(0, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]
```

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|Q|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|

```

Step is: 5

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[(3, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]
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|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|Q|Q|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

Step is: 6

[(0, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]  
|Q|\_|Q|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

Step is: 7

[(0, 0), (3, 1), (1, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|Q|\_|Q|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

Successfully finished:

[(0, 0), (3, 1), (1, 2), (4, 3), (2, 4)]  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|  
|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

Hill climbing Search Analysis

Initial state is:

[(2, 0), (3, 1), (3, 2), (2, 3), (1, 4)]  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|  
|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|  
|\_|Q|Q|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(0, 0), (3, 1), (3, 2), (2, 3), (1, 4)]  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|  
|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|  
|\_|Q|Q|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 3

[(0, 0), (3, 1), (4, 2), (2, 3), (1, 4)]  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

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|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|Q|_|
|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|

```

The Search has failed.

Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis

Initial state is:

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[(2, 0), (3, 1), (3, 2), (2, 3), (1, 4)]
```

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|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|
|Q|_|_|Q|_|
|_|Q|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|

```

Step is: 2

```
[(2, 0), (3, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (1, 4)]
```

```

|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|Q|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|

```

Step is: 3

```
[(2, 0), (3, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (4, 4)]
```

```

|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|Q|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|

```

Step is: 4

```
[(2, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (4, 4)]
```

```

|_|Q|_|Q|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|

```

Successfully finished:

```
[(2, 0), (0, 1), (3, 2), (1, 3), (4, 4)]
```

```

|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|

```

Random restart hill climbing search Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [4, 3, 3, 2, 4]

Initial state is:

[(4, 0), (3, 1), (3, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|Q|Q|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Step is: 2

[(4, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Successfully finished:

[(1, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [4, 2, 2, 0, 1]

Initial state is:

[(4, 0), (2, 1), (2, 2), (0, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(4, 0), (0, 1), (2, 2), (0, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 3

[(4, 0), (0, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 4

[(4, 0), (0, 1), (0, 2), (3, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Successfully finished:

[(4, 0), (2, 1), (0, 2), (3, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Hill climbing Search Analysis

Initial state is:

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (3, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 3

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (2, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

The Search has failed.

Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis

Initial state is:

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (0, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2  
[(4, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (3, 3), (0, 4)]  
|\_|\_|\_|Q|  
|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|Q|Q|\_|  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 3  
[(4, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (0, 4)]  
|\_|\_|\_|Q|Q|  
|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Successfully finished:  
[(4, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (2, 4)]  
|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|  
|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|  
|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Random restart hill climbing search Analysis  
Random-Restart start\_state: [1, 2, 0, 0, 2]  
Initial state is:

[(1, 0), (2, 1), (0, 2), (0, 3), (2, 4)]  
|\_|\_|Q|Q|\_|  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|Q|\_|\_|Q|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2  
[(1, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (0, 3), (2, 4)]  
|\_|\_|Q|Q|\_|  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|  
|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 3  
[(1, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (0, 3), (4, 4)]  
|\_|\_|Q|Q|\_|  
|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|  
|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|



Successfully finished:

[(1, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|

Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [4, 0, 0, 1, 1]

Initial state is:

[(4, 0), (0, 1), (0, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(4, 0), (0, 1), (0, 2), (3, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|Q|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Successfully finished:

[(4, 0), (2, 1), (0, 2), (3, 3), (1, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Hill climbing Search Analysis

Initial state is:

[(0, 0), (2, 1), (4, 2), (0, 3), (2, 4)]

|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(0, 0), (2, 1), (4, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]

|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Successfully finished:

[(0, 0), (2, 1), (4, 2), (1, 3), (3, 4)]

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis

Initial state is:

[(0, 0), (2, 1), (4, 2), (0, 3), (2, 4)]

|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(0, 0), (2, 1), (4, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]

|Q|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Successfully finished:

[(0, 0), (2, 1), (4, 2), (1, 3), (3, 4)]

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Random restart hill climbing search Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [4, 1, 0, 4, 4]

Initial state is:

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (4, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|Q|\_|\_|Q|Q|

Step is: 2

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (2, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

```

|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|Q|_|
Step is: 3
[(4, 0), (1, 1), (1, 2), (4, 3), (2, 4)]
|_|_|_|_|
|_|Q|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|Q|_|

```

The Search has failed.

Random-Restart start\_state: [2, 3, 1, 0, 3]

Initial state is:

```

[(2, 0), (3, 1), (1, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|Q|_|_|Q|
|_|_|_|_|_|

```

Step is: 2

```

[(2, 0), (4, 1), (1, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|_|

```

Step is: 3

```

[(2, 0), (4, 1), (2, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|_|

```

Successfully finished:

```

[(1, 0), (4, 1), (2, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|_|

```

Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [3, 1, 0, 0, 2]

Initial state is:

```

[(3, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (0, 3), (2, 4)]
|_|_|Q|Q|_|

```

```

|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
Step is:  2
[(3, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (2, 4)]
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|
Step is:  3
[(3, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|Q|_|_|Q|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|
Step is:  4
[(3, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|Q|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|
Step is:  5
[(0, 0), (3, 1), (0, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]
|Q|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|
Step is:  6
[(0, 0), (3, 1), (1, 2), (4, 3), (1, 4)]
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|Q|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|_|
Successfully finished:
[(0, 0), (3, 1), (1, 2), (4, 3), (2, 4)]
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|

```

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

Hill climbing Search Analysis

Initial state is:

[(0, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4)]

|Q|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(0, 0), (1, 1), (4, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4)]

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

The Search has failed.

Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis

Initial state is:

[(0, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4)]

|Q|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 2

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (0, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4)]

|\_|\_|Q|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Step is: 3

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (4, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|\_|\_|\_|Q|

|Q|\_|Q|\_|\_|

Step is: 4

[(4, 0), (1, 1), (4, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]

|\_|\_|\_|Q|\_|

|\_|Q|\_|\_|\_|

```
|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|Q|
|Q|_|Q|_|_|
```

Step is: 5

```
[(4, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]
```

```
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|Q|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
```

Successfully finished:

```
[(4, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (2, 4)]
```

```
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
```

Random restart hill climbing search Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [2, 1, 3, 1, 2]

Initial state is:

```
[(2, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (1, 3), (2, 4)]
```

```
|_|_|_|_|_|
|_|Q|_|Q|_|
|Q|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
```

Step is: 2

```
[(2, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (2, 4)]
```

```
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
```

Successfully finished:

```
[(4, 0), (1, 1), (3, 2), (0, 3), (2, 4)]
```

```
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
```

Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis

Random-Restart start\_state: [2, 2, 2, 0, 3]

Initial state is:

```
[(2, 0), (2, 1), (2, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]
```

```

|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|Q|Q|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|_|_|_|_|
Step is:  2
[(2, 0), (4, 1), (2, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|_|_|_|_|_|
|Q|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|_|
Successfully finished:
[(1, 0), (4, 1), (2, 2), (0, 3), (3, 4)]
|_|_|_|Q|_|
|Q|_|_|_|_|
|_|_|Q|_|_|
|_|_|_|_|Q|
|_|Q|_|_|_|

```

## **Output:**

1) N = 5, Iterations = 100 and sideways movement = 10

Hill climbing Search Analysis

=====

N(number of queens) value: 5 (i.e 5 x 5 )

Total number of Runs: 100

Successful Runs: 62

Success Rate: 62.0 %

Average Steps to success: 3.56

Failure Runs: 38

Failure Rate: 38.0 %

Average Steps to failure: 2.63

Flat local maxima: 38

#### Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis

=====

N(number of queens) value: 5 (i.e 5 x 5 )

Total number of Runs: 100

Successful Runs: 100

Success Rate: 100.0 %

Average Steps to success: 4.11

Failure Runs: 0

Failure Rate: - %

Average Steps to failure: -

Flat local maxima: 0

#### Random restart hill climbing search Analysis

=====

N(number of queens) value: 5 (i.e 5 x 5 )

Total number of Runs: 100

Average Restarts: 1.48

Average Steps on last restart: 3.46

Average steps on all restarts: 4.61

#### Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis

=====

N(number of queens) value: 5 (i.e 5 x 5 )

Total number of Runs: 100

Average Restarts: 1.0

Average Steps on last restart: 4.12

Average steps on all restarts: 4.12

**N = 8, Iterations = 500 and sideways movement = 100**

#### Hill climbing Search Analysis

=====

N(number of queens) value: 8 (i.e 8 x 8 )

Total number of Runs: 500



Successful Runs: 55  
Success Rate: 11.0 %  
Average Steps to success: 5.25

Failure Runs: 445  
Failure Rate: 89.0 %  
Average Steps to failure: 4.0

Flat local maxima: 442

#### Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis =====

N(number of queens) value: 8 (i.e 8 x 8 )  
Total number of Runs: 500

Successful Runs: 469  
Success Rate: 93.8 %  
Average Steps to success: 19.54

Failure Runs: 31  
Failure Rate: 6.2 %  
Average Steps to failure: 60.03

Flat local maxima: 17

#### Random restart hill climbing search Analysis =====

N(number of queens) value: 8 (i.e 8 x 8 )  
Total number of Runs: 500

Average Restarts: 7.056  
Average Steps on last restart: 5.088  
Average steps on all restarts: 29.642

#### Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis =====

N(number of queens) value: 8 (i.e 8 x 8 )  
Total number of Runs: 500

Average Restarts: 1.252  
Average Steps on last restart: 19.186  
Average steps on all restarts: 24.052

## Analysis:

|                            | Hill Climbing  | Hill Climbing with sideways movement | Random Restart Hill climbing             | Random restart hill climbing with sideways movement |
|----------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|
| Success Rate               | 62%            | 100                                  | 100                                      | 100   |
| Average Steps to success   | 3.56           | 4.11                                 | Last restart: 3.46<br>All restarts: 4.61 | Last restart: 4.12<br>All restarts: 4.12            |
| Average Number of Restarts | Not applicable | Not applicable                       | 1.48                                     | 1.0   |
| Flat local maxima          | 38             | 0                                    | Not applicable                           | Not applicable                                      |
| Failure Rate               | 38%            | 0                                    | 0  | 0   |
| Average steps to failure   | 2.63           | 0                                    | 0  | 0   |
| Total Runs                 | 100            | 100                                  | 100                                      | 100   |

|                            | Hill Climbing  | Hill Climbing with sideways movement | Random Restart Hill climbing               | Random restart hill climbing with sideways movement |
|----------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|
| Success Rate               | 11%            | 93.8%                                | 100  | 100   |
| Average Steps to success   | 5.25           | 19.54                                | Last restart: 5.088<br>All restarts: 29.64 | Last restart: 19.18<br>All restarts: 24.05          |
| Average Number of Restarts | Not applicable | Not applicable                       | 7.056                                      | 1.0   |
| Flat local maxima          | 442            | 17                                   | Not applicable                             | Not applicable                                      |
| Failure Rate               | 89.0%          | 6.2%                                 | 0  | 0   |
| Average steps to failure   | 4.0            | 60.03                                | 0  | 0   |
| Total Runs                 | 500            | 500                                  | 500  | 500   |

## Program Code:

Program code:

```
import random
```

```
import copy
```

```
import numpy as np
```

```
print_states = True
```

```
class HillClimbing:
```

```
    def __init__(self, state = None, sideways_moves = 0, Number_of_queens = 0):
```

```
        self.start_state = state
```

```
        if(state == None and Number_of_queens == 0):
```

```
            print("Invalid Number of queens value provided so we are going to proceed with 8  
queens.")
```

```
            self.Number_of_queens = 8
```

```
        elif(state == None and Number_of_queens):
```

```
            self.Number_of_queens = Number_of_queens
```

```
        else:
```

```
            self.Number_of_queens = len(state)
```

```
        self.sideways_moves = sideways_moves
```

```
        self.sideways_moves_remaining = sideways_moves
```

```
        self.Number_of_steps = 0
```

```
# 1. cells_at_state will return cells with queens in the given state.
```

```
def cells_at_state(self,state):
```

```
    cells = []
```

```
for column, row in enumerate(state):
    cells.append((row,column))
return cells
```

# 2. print\_Nqueen\_matrix will print n queen state as a matrix

```
def print_Nqueen_matix(self, cellsAtState):
    global print_states
    if print_states:
        print(cellsAtState)
    for r in range(self.Number_of_queens):
        cell = '|'
        for c in range(self.Number_of_queens):
            if (r,c) in cellsAtState:
                cell += 'Q|'
            else:
                cell += '_|'
        print(cell)
```

# 3. Horizontal\_cells\_right\_to\_current return the cells to the horizontal right of the current cell

```
def horizontal_cells_right_to_current(self,row,column):
    j = column+1
    cells=[]
    while j < self.Number_of_queens:
        cells.append((row,j))
        j = j+1
    return cells
```

# 4. diagonal\_cells\_right\_to\_current return the cells to the diagonal right of the current cell

```
def diagonal_cells_right_to_current(self,row,column):
```

```
    j = column+1
```

```
    cells=[]
```

```
    while j < self.Number_of_queens:
```

```
        # top diagonal cells on the right of current cell
```

```
        if row - (j-column) >= 0:
```

```
            cells.append((row-(j-column),j))
```

```
        # bottom diagonal cells on the right of current cell
```

```
        if row + (j-column) <= self.Number_of_queens - 1:
```

```
            cells.append((row+(j-column),j))
```

```
        j = j+1
```

```
    return cells
```

# 5. total\_cells\_to\_the\_right will return all the horizontal and diagonal cells to the right of current cells

```
def total_cells_to_the_right(self,row,column):
```

```
    total = self.horizontal_cells_right_to_current(row,column) +  
    self.diagonal_cells_right_to_current(row,column)
```

```
    return total
```

# 6. heuristic\_value returns heuristic value for a given state

```
def heuristic_value(self,cellsAtState):
```

```
    heuristic_val = 0
```

```
    for row, column in cellsAtState:
```

```
        q_cells = set(cellsAtState)
```

```
        r_cells = set(self.total_cells_to_the_right(row,column))
```

```
intersection = q_cells.intersection(r_cells)
heuristic_val += len(intersection)
```

```
return heuristic_val
```

#7. heuristic\_matrix calculates heuristic values of each cell and returns heuristic value matrix, least heuristic

# and numpy array with row and column with least heuristic

```
def heuristic_matrix(self, cellsAtState):
```

```
    heuristicMatrix = np.zeros((self.Number_of_queens, self.Number_of_queens), int) + (-1)
```

```
    least_heuristic = sum(range(self.Number_of_queens))+1
```

```
    least_heuristic_state = None
```

```
    for (row,column) in cellsAtState:
```

```
        for i in range(self.Number_of_queens):
```

```
            if row == i:
```

```
                pass
```

```
            else:
```

```
                new_state = copy.deepcopy(cellsAtState)
```

```
                new_state[column] = temp = (i, column)
```

```
                heuristicMatrix[i,column] = self.heuristic_value(new_state)
```

```
                least_heuristic = min(least_heuristic, heuristicMatrix[i, column])
```

```
                least_heuristic_state = new_state
```

```
    return heuristicMatrix, least_heuristic, np.where(heuristicMatrix == least_heuristic)
```

#8. random\_state creates and returns a random state which will be used in random restart function.

```
def random_states(self):
```

```

state = []
for i in range(self.Number_of_queens):
    state.append(random.randint(0, self.Number_of_queens - 1))
return state

```

#9. hill\_climbing\_search function is a recursive implementation of the hill climbing search using sttepest ascent.

# this method will return result and step towards the least heuristic value at each recursion and the result would

# contain flat local maxima, local maxima and success

```

def hill_climbing_search(self, state = None, heuristicVal = None, step = 0):

```

```

    cellsAtState = None

```

```

    if(step == 0):

```

```

        state = self.start_state

```

```

        cellsAtState = self.cells_at_state(state)

```

```

        heuristicVal = self.heuristic_value(cellsAtState)

```

```

    else:

```

```

        cellsAtState = self.cells_at_state(state)

```

```

    step = step + 1

```

```

    self.Number_of_steps += 1

```

```

    if heuristicVal == 0:

```

```

        if print_states:

```

```

            print("Successfully finished: ")

```

```

            self.print_Nqueen_matix(cellsAtState)

```

```

            return 3, step

```

```

    if step == 1:

```

```

        if print_states:

```

```

        print("Initial state is: ")
        self.print_Nqueen_matix(cellsAtState)
    else:
        if print_states:
            print("Step is: ", step)
            self.print_Nqueen_matix(cellsAtState)

    heuristicMatrix = self.heuristic_matrix(cellsAtState)
    leastHeuristic = heuristicMatrix[1]
    shuffledMatrix = random.randint(0, len(heuristicMatrix[2][0]) - 1)
    shuffledRow = heuristicMatrix[2][0][shuffledMatrix]
    shuffledCol = heuristicMatrix[2][1][shuffledMatrix]
    newState = copy.deepcopy(state)
    newState[shuffledCol] = shuffledRow

    # result -> 1 => (flat, flat local maxima)
    # result -> 2 => Local Maxima

    if leastHeuristic < heuristicVal:
        return self.hill_climbing_search(newState, leastHeuristic, step)
    #local Maxima condition
    elif leastHeuristic > heuristicVal:
        return 2, step
    #flat condition
    elif leastHeuristic == heuristicVal:
        if self.sideways_moves_remaining:
            self.sideways_moves_remaining -= 1

```



```

        return self.hill_climbing_search(newState, leastHeuristic, step)
    else:
        if print_states:
            print("The Search has failed.")
        return 1, step

```

# 10. hill\_climbing\_random\_restart function implements random restart algorithm.

```

def hill_climbing_random_restart(self):
    number_of_restarts = 0
    while True:
        number_of_restarts += 1
        self.start_state = self.random_states()
        print('Random-Restart start_state: ', self.start_state)
        result = self.hill_climbing_search()
        if result[0] == 3:
            return number_of_restarts, result[1], self.Number_of_steps
        break

```

class project\_analysis:

```

def __init__(self, n, maxIterations, maxSide_moves = 0):
    self.n = n
    self.maxIterations = maxIterations
    self.maxSide_moves = maxSide_moves
    self.hillclimbing_stats = [[0,[]],[0,[]],[0,[]],[0,[]]]
    self.hillclimbing_with_sideways_stats = [[0,[]],[0,[]],[0,[]],[0,[]]]

```

```
self.random_restart_stats = [0, [], [], []]
```

```
self.random_restart_with_sideways_stats = [0, [], [], []]
```

```
# 1. analysis function will start iterating and performs hill climbing and random-restart hill climbing with and without
```

```
# side ways movement.
```

```
def analysis(self):
```

```
    if(self.n in range(4)):
```

```
        print('Invalid Number of queens(N) value. Number of queens should be above 3 !!!')
```

```
        return
```

```
    if(self.maxIterations < 1):
```

```
        print('Invalid number of iterations provided. Number of iterations should be above 1 !!!')
```

```
        return
```

```
    for n in range(self.maxIterations):
```

```
        self.hillclimbing_stats[0][0] += 1
```

```
        self.hillclimbing_with_sideways_stats[0][0] += 1
```

```
        self.random_restart_stats[0] += 1
```

```
        self.random_restart_with_sideways_stats[0] += 1
```

```
        state = []
```

```
        # The for loop below generates random state
```

```
        for i in range(self.n):
```

```
            state.append(random.randint(0,self.n-1))
```

```
        if(print_states):
```

```
            print("Hill climbing Search Analysis")
```

```

hillClimbing = HillClimbing(state)
result = hillClimbing.hill_climbing_search()
self.hillclimbing_stats[result[0]][0] += 1
self.hillclimbing_stats[result[0]][1].append(result[1])

if(print_states):
    print("Hill climbing Search with sideways movement Analysis")
hillClimbing_sideways = HillClimbing(state, self.maxSide_moves)
result = hillClimbing_sideways.hill_climbing_search()
self.hillclimbing_with_sideways_stats[result[0]][0] += 1
self.hillclimbing_with_sideways_stats[result[0]][1].append(result[1])

if(print_states):
    print("Random restart hill climbing search Analysis")
hillClimbing_randomRestart = HillClimbing(None, 0, self.n)
result = hillClimbing_randomRestart.hill_climbing_random_restart()
self.random_restart_stats[1].append(result[0])
self.random_restart_stats[2].append(result[1])
self.random_restart_stats[3].append(result[2])

if(print_states):
    print("Random restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis")
hillClimbing_randomRestart_sideways = HillClimbing(None, self.maxSide_moves, self.n)
result = hillClimbing_randomRestart_sideways.hill_climbing_random_restart()
self.random_restart_with_sideways_stats[1].append(result[0])
self.random_restart_with_sideways_stats[2].append(result[1])
self.random_restart_with_sideways_stats[3].append(result[2])

```

```
self.print_results()
```

# 2. print\_results function prints stats of all 4 algorithms.

```
def print_results(self):
```

```
    self.print_hillclimbing_stats(self.hillclimbing_stats, "Hill climbing Search Analysis")
```

```
    self.print_hillclimbing_stats(self.hillclimbing_with_sideways_stats, "Hill climbing Search  
with sideways movement Analysis")
```

```
    self.print_random_restart_stats(self.random_restart_stats, "Random restart hill climbing  
search Analysis")
```

```
    self.print_random_restart_stats(self.random_restart_with_sideways_stats, "Random  
restart hill climbing search with sideways movement Analysis")
```

# 3. print\_hillclimbing\_stats will print report of the hill climbing search with and without sideways movement.

```
def print_hillclimbing_stats(self, result, title):
```

```
    total_number_of_Runs = result[0][0]
```

```
    successful_runs = result[3][0]
```

```
    if successful_runs:
```

```
        success_rate = round((successful_runs/total_number_of_Runs)*100,2)
```

```
        steps_to_success = result[3][1]
```

```
        average_steps_to_success = round(sum(steps_to_success)/successful_runs, 2)
```

```
    else:
```

```
        success_rate = steps_to_success = average_steps_to_success = '-'
```

```
    failure_runs = result[1][0] + result[2][0]
```

```

if failure_runs:
    failure_rate = round((failure_runs/total_number_of_Runs)*100,2)
    steps_to_failure = result[1][1]+result[2][1]
    average_steps_to_failure = round(sum(steps_to_failure)/failure_runs,2)
else:
    failure_rate = steps_to_failure = average_steps_to_failure = '-'
flat_runs = result[1][0]
print("\n\n")
print(title)
underline = "
for i in range(len(title)):
    underline+="="

print(underline,"\n")
print("N(number of queens) value: ", self.n, " (i.e ",self.n,"x",self.n,")")
print("Total number of Runs: ", total_number_of_Runs,"\n")
print("Successful Runs: ", successful_runs)
print("Success Rate: ", success_rate, "%")
print("Average Steps to success: ", average_steps_to_success, "\n")
print("Failure Runs: ", failure_runs)
print("Failure Rate: ", failure_rate, "%")
print("Average Steps to failure: ", average_steps_to_failure, "\n\n")
print("Flat local maxima: ", flat_runs)
return

```

# 4. print\_random\_restart\_stats will print report of the random restart hill climbing search with and without sideways movement.

```

def print_random_restart_stats(self, result, title):

    total_number_of_runs = result[0]
    average_number_of_restarts = sum(result[1]) / total_number_of_runs
    average_last_steps = sum(result[2]) / total_number_of_runs
    average_total_steps = sum(result[3]) / total_number_of_runs

    print("\n\n")
    print(title)
    underline = "
    for i in range(len(title)):
        underline+="="
    print(underline, "\n")
    print("N(number of queens) value: ", self.n, " (i.e ",self.n,"x",self.n,")")
    print("Total number of Runs: ", total_number_of_runs, "\n")
    print("Average Restarts: ", average_number_of_restarts)
    print("Average Steps on last restart: ", average_last_steps)
    print("Average steps on all restarts: ", average_total_steps)

```

N = iterations = sideways\_movement = 0

# Getting number of queens "N" value

```

while(True):
    try:
        N = int(input("Please enter a value for N(number of queens): "))
        if(N < 4):
            print("Please enter a N(number of queens) greater than 3.")
        else:

```

```
        break
except ValueError:
    print("Please provide a valid input")

# Getting iterations value
while(True):
    try:
        iterations = int(input("Please enter a value for number of iterations: "))
        if(iterations < 1):
            print("Please enter an iterations value that greater than or equal to 1.")
        else:
            break
    except ValueError:
        print("Please provide a valid input")

# Getting maximum sideways movement allowed value
while(True):
    try:
        sideways_movement = int(input("Please enter a value for the maximum sideways moves allowed: "))
        if(sideways_movement < 1):
            print("Please enter a sideways moves value that greater than or equal to 1.")
        else:
            break
    except ValueError:
        print("Please provide a valid input")
```

```
hill_climbing_search_analysis = project_analysis(N, iterations, sideways_movement)
```

```
hill_climbing_search_analysis.analysis()
```