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<p>Do the results from functions match expectations? Both functions, is_goal_state() and find_successors(), ran just like they should. is_goal_state() checked to see if the tables were in the proper goal state and returns either that it's not or that it is. find_successors() reports back the possible steps you can take, which ended up working just fine.</p>																			

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<p><u>Explain:</u> As expected, A* algorithm had the fastest runtime for all boards. BFS was the slowest out of the 4 algorithms that we have, and DLS had the shortest path to the goal.</p>										

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