

# Artificial Intelligence

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Part To

## Local Search algorithms

Algorithms that perform purely local search in state space, evaluating & modifying one or more current states rather than systematically exploring paths from an initial state.

- Hill - climbing
- Simulated annealing
- Genetic algorithms
- local search in continuous spaces

\* These algorithms are suitable for problems in which all that matters is solution state, not the path cost to reach it.

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## Adversarial Search

### Game playing

#### Types of games

	deterministic	Chance
perfect information	chess, checkers go	backgammon monopoly
imperfect information	battleships, blind tictactoe	poker, nuclear war

→ here we consider games which are deterministic with perfect information like chess, tictactoe etc.

Since no luck factor is involved here and proper logic is there behind the game.

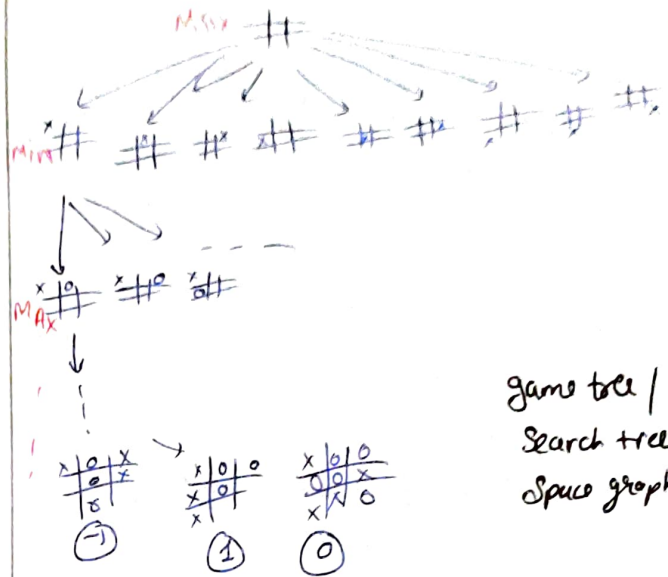
2 methods/algo's are used

- Min-max algorithm
- Alpha-Beta ( $\alpha$ - $\beta$ ) pruning

### Adversarial Search

Adversarial Search is a search, where we examine problem which arises when we try to plan ahead of the world and other agents are planning against us.

1) tictactoe



game tree /  
Search tree /  
Space graph /

here MAX = my chance, MAX refers to increasing prob. of winning

MIN = opponent chance, MIN specify the decreasing prob. of my winning

→ here utility / payoff is what winner will get.

here this is Zero-sum game means  
win = +1, loss = -1 & draw = 0.

• ply → ply is one turn taken by a player.

• here traversal is DFS since each level shows one turn & since games run as alternate turns. so if we use BFS it goes in a level which shows single turns of a player & not an alternate one.

# Minimax Algorithm

→ is Backtracking algorithm

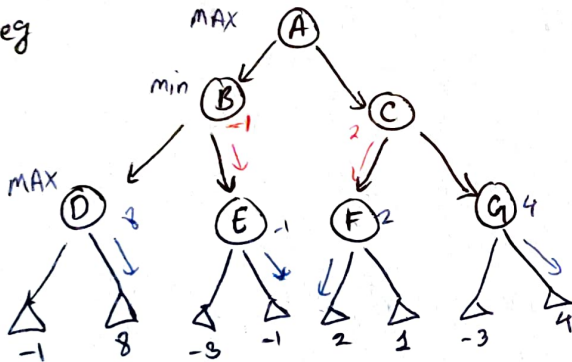
first traveled from root to leaf to see all cases. then again leaf to root to get Best ans.

→ Best move strategy used.

→ Max will try to maximize its utility (Best move)

→ Min will try to minimize utility (worst move for MAX player)

eg



1) first traveled till leaf

2) put scores

→ Min tries to decrease/minimize utility  
So select least one.

→ Now A chooses max one  
= 2

So utility = A

& path =  $A \rightarrow C \rightarrow F \rightarrow 2$

## Properties of mini-max

→ Complete

Yes if tree is finite

→ Optimal

Yes against an optimal opponent

→ Time complexity

$$O(b^m)$$

→ Space complexity

$$O(bm) \quad (\text{depth first exploration})$$

for chess  $b = 35$ ,  $m \approx 100$

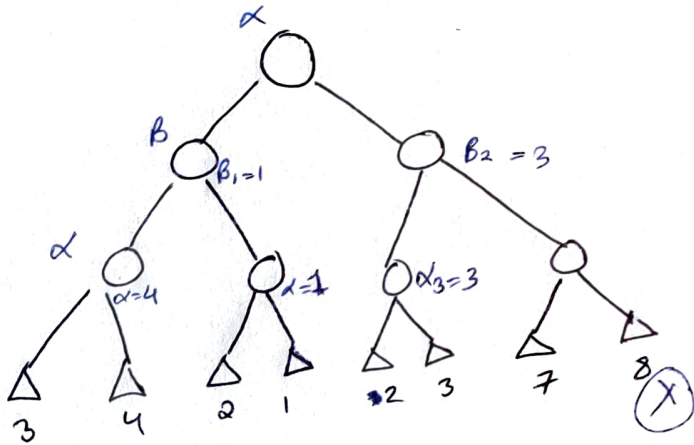
for "reasonable" games

⇒ exact solution completely infeasible

# Alpha - Beta Pruning ( $\alpha$ - $\beta$ )

⇒ See gate smashers video.

here  $\alpha$  = for max  
 $\beta$  = for min



- 1) Selects 4 ( $\alpha_1 = 4$ )
- 2) Selects 1 ( $\alpha_2 = 1$ )
- 3)  $\beta$  selects smallest so  $\beta_1$
- 4)  $\alpha_3 = 3$
- 5)  $\alpha_4 = 7$  but it is greater than  $\alpha_3$   
 So prune 8<sup>th</sup>
- 6)  $\alpha = \max(\beta_1, \beta_2)$   
 $= 3$

means don't go to path which don't counts in ans.

So in avg.

$$\begin{matrix} O(b^d) \\ \text{minimax} \end{matrix} \xrightarrow{\text{Time}} \begin{matrix} O(b^{d/2}) \\ \alpha\text{-}\beta \text{ pruning} \end{matrix}$$

Pruning  $\Rightarrow$  is a data compression technique in ml & search algo that reduce size of decision tree by removing sections of tree that are not-critical and redundant to classify instances.

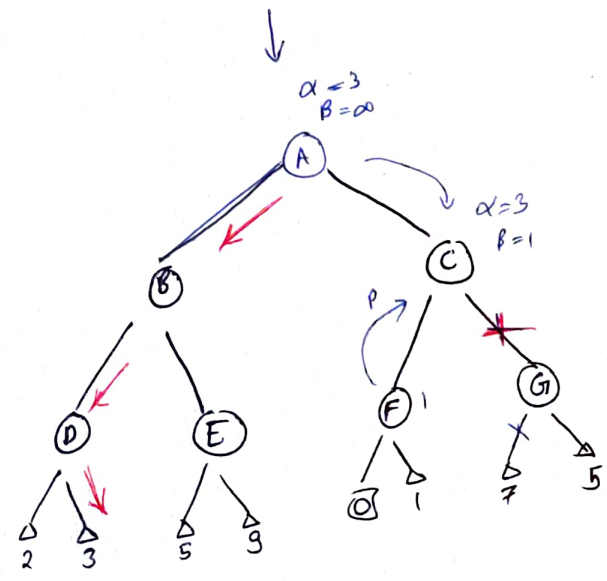
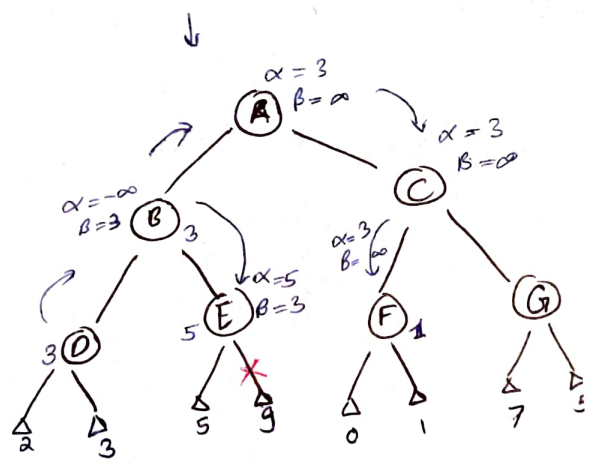
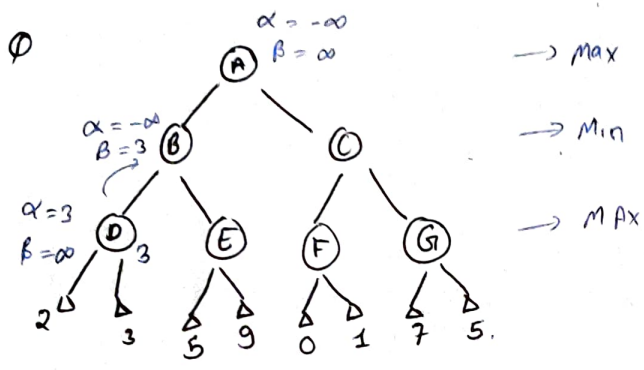
⇒ Alpha-beta pruning is a modified version of minimax algorithm. It is optimization technique for minimax algorithm.

Initial values of  $\alpha = -\infty$   
 $\beta = +\infty$

Main condn required for  $\alpha$ - $\beta$  pruning is  $\alpha \geq \beta$ .

eg)  $\alpha$ - $\beta$  pruning

write in format  $\alpha, \beta$



Ans. = 3 (utility = 3)