

Implement N queen algo using backtracking.

Program:

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#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>

int canplace(int r,int c[50])
{
    int i;
    for(i=0;i<r;i++)
    {
        //no 2 queen in same row,same colm and also in same diagonal
        if(c[i]==c[r] || abs(c[i]-c[r])==abs(i-r))
            return 0;
    }
    return 1;
}

void display(int c[50],int n)
{
    int i,j;
    char cb[10][10];
    for(i=0;i<n;i++)
        for(j=0;j<n;j++)
            cb[i][j]='-';
    for(i=0;i<n;i++)
        cb[i][c[i]]='q';
    printf("-----\n");
    for(i=0;i<n;i++)
    {
        for(j=0;j<n;j++)
        {
            printf("%c\t ",cb[i][j]);
        }
        printf("\n");
    }
}

void nqueen(int n)
{
    int r,c[50];
    c[0]=-1;
    r=0;
    while(r>=0)
    {
        c[r]++;
        while(c[r]<n && !canplace(r,c))
            c[r]++;
        if(c[r]<n)
        {
            if(r==n-1)
            {
                display(c,n);
                printf("\n");
            }
            else
                r++;
        }
        else
            r--;
    }
}
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        {
            r++;
            c[r]=-1;
        }
    }
    else
        r--;
}
}

void main()
{
    int n;

    printf("Enter the number of queens\n");
    scanf("%d",&n);
    nqueen(n);

}

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Output screenshot:

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Enter the number of queens
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-   q   -   -
-   -   -   q
q   -   -   -
-   -   q   -
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-   -   q   -
q   -   -   q
-   -   -   q
-   q   -   -
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Process returned 4 (0x4)   execution time : 3.040 s
Press any key to continue.

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