* ## Alpha-Beta Pruning for 8-Queens

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function is safe (board, row, col):
    for i from 0 to row - 1 :
        if board[i] == col or abs (board[i].
                                         col)
                          == abs (i - row)
            return False
    return True

function miniman (board, row, alpha,
                            beta, is maxi):
    if row == N
        return 1

    if is maxi:
        max score = 0
        for col from 0 to N-1:
            if is safe (board, row, col):
                board[row] = col
                score = miniman (board, row+1,
                           alpha, Beta, False)
                max score += score
                board[row] = -1
                alpha = max (alpha, max score)
                if beta <= alpha:
                    break
        return max score

    else:
        min score = infinity
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for col from 0 to N-1:
    if is_safe (board, row, col)
        board [row] = col
        score = minimum (board, row+1
                    alpha, beta, True)
    min_score = min (min_score, score)
    board [row] = -1
    beta = min (beta, min_score)
    if beta <= alpha:
        break

return min_score
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Output

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