



8-puzzle

Algorithm:

Step 1: Create goal configuration of 3x3 matrix

Step 2: where '0' represents the blank tile.

Step 2: defines the possible directions for moving blank tile
up, down, left & right.

Step 3: Manhattan function calculates the distance
which estimates the number of moves required to
reach the goal

Step 4: Create function called is-goal-state
which checks whether a given state matches the
goal-state

Step 5: In neighboring state :-

It iterates through the
puzzle to locate the position of '0'

Algorithm (using DFS)

start-state = [...]

goal-state = [...]

stack.push(start-state)

visited-set = {}

moves = 0

$f(i, j)$

visited-set.add(current state)

if (current state == goal-state)

if (not in visited-set)

left = $f(i, j+1)$

right = $f(i, j-1)$

up = $f(i-1, j)$

down = $f(i+1, j)$

print(moves)

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|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 0 | 8 | 7 |
| 5 | 4 | 6 |

initial

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 | 0 |

goal.



from collections import deque

GOAL_STATE = [

[1, 2, 3],

[4, 5, 6],

[7, 8, 0]

]

Moves = [

(-1, 0),

(1, 0),

(0, -1),

(0, 1)

]

def manhattan_distance(state):

distance = 0

for i in range(3):

for j in range(3):

if state[i][j] != 0:

goal_i, goal_j = divmod(state[i][j]-1, 3)

distance += abs(i - goal_i) + abs(j - goal_j)

return distance

def is_goal(state):

return state == GOAL_STATE

def get_neighbors(state):

neighbors = []

for i in range(3):

for j in range(3):

if state[i][j] != 0:

for move in MOVES:

new_i, new_j = i + move[0], j + move[1]

if 0 <= new_i < 3 and 0 <= new_j < 3:



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new_state = [row[:]] for row in state]
new_state[i][j], new_state[new_i][new_j] =
    new_state[new_i][new_j], new_state[i][j]
neighbors.append(new_state)
return neighbors
def dfs(state):
    queue = deque([state, [state]])
    visited = set()
    while queue:
        current_state, path = queue.popleft()
        if is_goal_state(current_state):
            return path
        if tuple(map, current_state) in visited:
            continue
        visited.add(tuple(map, current_state))
        for neighbor in get_neighbors(current_state):
            queue.append(neighbor, path + [neighbor])
    return None
initial_state = [
    [4, 1, 3],
    [7, 2, 6],
    [5, 8, 0]
]
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path = dfs(initial_state)
if path:
    print("solution found:")
    for state in path:
        for row in state:
            print(row)
        print()
else:
    print("No solution found.")
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o/p: Solution found

[4, 1, 3]

[1, 2, 3]

[7, 2, 6]

[4, 5, 6]

[5, 8, 0]

[7, 8, 0]

[4, 1, 3]

[7, 2, 6]

Total moves = 8

[5, 0, 8]

[4, 1, 3]

[7, 2, 6]

[0, 5, 8]

[4, 1, 3]

[0, 2, 6]

[7, 5, 8]

[0, 1, 3]

[4, 2, 6]

[7, 5, 8]

[1, 0, 3]

[4, 2, 6]

[7, 5, 8]

[1, 2, 3]

[4, 0, 6]

[7, 5, 8]

[1, 2, 3]

[4, 5, 6]

[7, 0, 8]

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[4, 1, 3]

[0, 2, 6]

[7, 5, 8]

[0, 1, 3]

[4, 2, 6]

[7, 5, 8]

[1, 0, 3]

[4, 2, 6]

[7, 5, 8]

[1, 2, 3]

[4, 0, 6]

[7, 5, 8]

[1, 2, 3]

[4, 5, 6]

[7, 0, 8]

[1, 2, 3]

[4, 5, 6]

[7, 8, 0]

=== Code Execution Successful ===

Solution found:

[4, 1, 3]

[7, 2, 6]

[5, 8, 0]

[4, 1, 3]

[7, 2, 6]

[5, 0, 8]

[4, 1, 3]

[7, 2, 6]

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