ASSIGNMENT: Day 16 and 17

Task 1: The Knight's Tour Problem

Create a function bool SolveKnightsTour(int[,] board, int moveX, int moveY, int moveCount, int[] xMove, int[] yMove) that attempts to solve the Knight's Tour problem using backtracking. The function should return true if a solution exists and false otherwise. The board represents the chessboard, moveX and moveY are the current coordinates of the knight, moveCount is the current move count, and xMove[], yMove[] are the possible next moves for the knight. Fill the chessboard such that the knight visits every square exactly once. Keep the chessboard size to 8x8.

ANS:

```
public class KnightsTour {
  private static int N = 8;
  public static boolean solveKnightsTour(int[][] board, int moveX, int moveY, int moveCount, int[]
xMove, int[] yMove) {
    int nextX, nextY;
    if (moveCount == N * N) {
      return true;
    }
    for (int k = 0; k < 8; k++) {
      nextX = moveX + xMove[k];
      nextY = moveY + yMove[k];
      if (isSafe(nextX, nextY, board)) {
         board[nextX][nextY] = moveCount;
        if (solveKnightsTour(board, nextX, nextY, moveCount + 1, xMove, yMove)) {
           return true;
        } else {
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board[nextX][nextY] = -1; // Backtracking
       }
    }
  }
  return false;
}
private static boolean isSafe(int x, int y, int[][] board) {
  return (x >= 0 && x < N && y >= 0 && y < N && board[x][y] == -1);
}
public static void main(String[] args) {
  int[][] board = new int[N][N];
  for (int x = 0; x < N; x++) {
    for (int y = 0; y < N; y++) {
       board[x][y] = -1;
    }
  }
  int[] xMove = { 2, 1, -1, -2, -2, -1, 1, 2 };
  int[] yMove = { 1, 2, 2, 1, -1, -2, -2, -1 };
  board[0][0] = 0;
  if (!solveKnightsTour(board, 0, 0, 1, xMove, yMove)) {
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System.out.println("Solution does not exist");
    } else {
       printSolution(board);
    }
  }
  private static void printSolution(int[][] board) {
    for (int x = 0; x < N; x++) {
       for (int y = 0; y < N; y++) {
         System.out.print(board[x][y] + " ");
       }
       System.out.println();
    }
  }
}
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```

Task 2: Rat in a Maze

Implement a function bool SolveMaze(int[,] maze) that uses backtracking to find a path from the top left corner to the bottom right corner of a maze. The maze is represented by a 2D array where 1s are paths and 0s are walls. Find a rat's path through the maze. The maze size is 6x6.

ANS:

```
public class RatInMaze {
   private static int N = 6;
```

```
public static boolean solveMaze(int[][] maze) {
  int[][] solution = new int[N][N];
  if (!solveMazeUtil(maze, 0, 0, solution)) {
    System.out.println("Solution doesn't exist");
    return false;
  }
  printSolution(solution);
  return true;
}
private static boolean solveMazeUtil(int[][] maze, int x, int y, int[][] solution) {
  if (x == N - 1 \&\& y == N - 1 \&\& maze[x][y] == 1) {
    solution[x][y] = 1;
    return true;
  }
  if (isSafe(maze, x, y)) {
    solution[x][y] = 1;
    if (solveMazeUtil(maze, x + 1, y, solution)) {
      return true;
    }
    if (solveMazeUtil(maze, x, y + 1, solution)) {
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```
return true;
    }
    solution[x][y] = 0; // Backtracking
    return false;
  }
  return false;
}
private static boolean isSafe(int[][] maze, int x, int y) {
  return (x >= 0 && x < N && y >= 0 && y < N && maze[x][y] == 1);
}
private static void printSolution(int[][] solution) {
  for (int x = 0; x < N; x++) {
    for (int y = 0; y < N; y++) {
      System.out.print(solution[x][y] + "");\\
    }
    System.out.println();
 }
}
public static void main(String[] args) {
  int[][] maze = {
```

Task 3: N Queen Problem

Write a function bool SolveNQueen(int[,] board, int col) in C# that places N queens on an N \times N chessboard so that no two queens attack each other using backtracking. Place N queens on the board such that no two queens can attack each other. Use a standard 8x8 chessboard.

ANS:

```
public class NQueen {
  private static int N = 8;

public static boolean solveNQueen(int[][] board, int col) {
  if (col >= N) {
    return true;
  }
```

```
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++) {
     if (isSafe(board, i, col)) {
       board[i][col] = 1;
       if (solveNQueen(board, col + 1)) {
         return true;
       }
       board[i][col] = 0; // Backtracking
    }
  }
  return false;
}
private static boolean isSafe(int[][] board, int row, int col) {
  for (int i = 0; i < col; i++) {
    if (board[row][i] == 1) {
       return false;
    }
  }
  for (int i = row, j = col; i >= 0 && j >= 0; i--, j--) {
     if (board[i][j] == 1) {
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```
return false;
    }
  }
  for (int i = row, j = col; j >= 0 && i < N; i++, j--) {
    if (board[i][j] == 1) {
       return false;
    }
  }
  return true;
}
private static void printSolution(int[][] board) {
  for (int i = 0; i < N; i++) {
    for (int j = 0; j < N; j++) {
       System.out.print(""+(board[i][j]==1?"N":"X")+"");\\
    }
    System.out.println();
  }
}
public static void main(String[] args) {
  int[][] board = new int[N][N];
```

```
if (!solveNQueen(board, 0)) {
        System.out.println("Solution does not exist");
    } else {
        printSolution(board);
    }
}
//code_by_RUBY
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