

8 PUZZLE USING IDDFS

CODE :

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print(f"Santhosh N (1BM23CS302)")
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MAX_VISITED_DISPLAY = 10
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NUM_INTERMEDIATE_STATES = 3
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MAX_DEPTH_LIMIT = 50
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```
def print_state(state):
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    for row in state:
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        print(' '.join(str(x) for x in row))
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    print()
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```
def is_goal(state, goal_state):
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    return state == goal_state
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```
def find_zero(state):
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    for i in range(3):
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        for j in range(3):
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            if state[i][j] == 0:
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                return i, j
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def get_neighbors(state):
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    neighbors = []
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    x, y = find_zero(state)
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    directions = [(1,0), (-1,0), (0,1), (0,-1)]
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    for dx, dy in directions:
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        new_x, new_y = x + dx, y + dy
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        if 0 <= new_x < 3 and 0 <= new_y < 3:
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            new_state = [row[:] for row in state]
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            new_state[x][y], new_state[new_x][new_y] = new_state[new_x][new_y], new_state[x][y]
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            neighbors.append(new_state)
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    return neighbors
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```
def is_solvable(state):
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    flat = [num for row in state for num in row if num != 0]
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    inv_count = 0
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    for i in range(len(flat)):
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        for j in range(i + 1, len(flat)):
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            if flat[i] > flat[j]:
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                inv_count += 1
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    return inv_count % 2 == 0
```

```
def dls(current_state, goal_state, depth_limit, path, visited, visited_states_display):
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    """
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Depth-Limited Search helper for IDDFS.

Returns:

path if goal found else None

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if len(path) - 1 > depth_limit:

return None

visited_states_display.append(current_state)

if len(visited_states_display) <= MAX_VISITED_DISPLAY:

print(f"Visited state #{len(visited_states_display)}:")

print_state(current_state)

if is_goal(current_state, goal_state):

return path

for neighbor in reversed(get_neighbors(current_state)):

neighbor_tuple = tuple(tuple(row) for row in neighbor)

if neighbor_tuple not in visited:

visited.add(neighbor_tuple)

result = dls(neighbor, goal_state, depth_limit, path + [neighbor], visited,
visited_states_display)

if result is not None:

return result

visited.remove(neighbor_tuple)

return None

def iddfs(start_state, goal_state, max_depth=MAX_DEPTH_LIMIT):

"""

Iterative Deepening DFS:

Tries DFS with increasing depth limits until goal found or max depth exceeded.

"""

print("Starting Iterative Deepening DFS traversal...\n")

for depth in range(max_depth + 1):

print(f"Trying depth limit: {depth}")

visited_states_display = []

visited = set()

visited.add(tuple(tuple(row) for row in start_state))

path = dls(start_state, goal_state, depth, [start_state], visited, visited_states_display)

if path is not None:

print(f"\nGoal reached at depth {depth}!")

print(f"Total visited states in last iteration: {len(visited_states_display)}")

return path

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```
    print(f"No solution found at depth {depth}\n")
    print(f"No solution found within max depth limit {max_depth}")
    return None
```

```
def read_state(name):
    print(f"Enter the {name} state, row by row (use space-separated numbers, 0 for empty):")
    state = []
    for _ in range(3):
        row = input().strip().split()
        if len(row) != 3:
            raise ValueError("Each row must have exactly 3 numbers.")
        row = list(map(int, row))
        state.append(row)
    return state
```

```
initial_state = read_state("initial")
goal_state = read_state("goal")
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if not (is_solvable(initial_state) == is_solvable(goal_state)):
    print("The puzzle is unsolvable.")
    exit()
```

```
solution_path = iddfs(initial_state, goal_state)
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```
if solution_path:
    cost = len(solution_path) - 1
    print(f"\nSolution found with cost: {cost}\n")
    print("Solution path:")
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total_steps = len(solution_path) - 1
print("Initial State:")
print_state(solution_path[0])
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```
if total_steps > 1:
    step_indices = list(range(1, total_steps))
    if len(step_indices) > NUM_INTERMEDIATE_STATES:
        interval = len(step_indices) // (NUM_INTERMEDIATE_STATES + 1)
        selected_indices = [step_indices[i * interval] for i in range(1,
NUM_INTERMEDIATE_STATES + 1)]
    else:
        selected_indices = step_indices
```

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```
    for idx in selected_indices:
        print(f"Intermediate State (Step {idx}):")
        print_state(solution_path[idx])

    print("Final State:")
    print_state(solution_path[-1])
else:
    print("No solution found")
```

OUTPUT :

```
Santhosh N (1BM23CS302)
Enter the initial state, row by row (use space-separated numbers, 0 for empty):
2 8 3
1 6 4
7 0 5
Enter the goal state, row by row (use space-separated numbers, 0 for empty):
1 2 3
8 0 4
7 6 5
Starting Iterative Deepening DFS traversal...

Trying depth limit: 0
Visited state #1:
2 8 3
1 6 4
7 0 5

No solution found at depth 0

Trying depth limit: 1
Visited state #1:
2 8 3
1 6 4
7 0 5

Visited state #2:
2 8 3
1 6 4
0 7 5

Visited state #3:
2 8 3
1 6 4
7 5 0

Visited state #4:
2 8 3
1 0 4
7 6 5

No solution found at depth 1

Trying depth limit: 2
Visited state #1:
2 8 3
1 6 4
7 0 5

Visited state #2:
2 8 3
1 6 4
0 7 5

Visited state #3:
2 8 3
0 6 4
1 7 5
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No solution found at depth 2

Trying depth limit: 3

Visited state #1:

2 8 3

1 6 4

7 0 5

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Visited state #2:

2 8 3

1 6 4

0 7 5

Visited state #3:

2 8 3

0 6 4

1 7 5

Visited state #4:

2 8 3

6 0 4

1 7 5

Visited state #5:

0 8 3

2 6 4

1 7 5

Visited state #6:

2 8 3

1 6 4

7 5 0

Visited state #7:

2 8 3

1 6 0

7 5 4

Visited state #8:

2 8 3

1 0 6

7 5 4

Visited state #9:

2 8 0

1 6 3

7 5 4

Visited state #10:

2 8 3

1 0 4

7 6 5

No solution found at depth 3

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```
Visited state #6:
2 8 0
6 4 3
1 7 5

Visited state #7:
2 8 3
6 4 5
1 7 0

Visited state #8:
2 0 3
6 8 4
1 7 5

Visited state #9:
0 2 3
6 8 4
1 7 5

Visited state #10:
2 3 0
6 8 4
1 7 5

Goal reached at depth 5!
Total visited states in last iteration: 56

Solution found with cost: 5

Solution path:
Initial State:
2 8 3
1 6 4
7 0 5

Intermediate State (Step 2):
2 0 3
1 8 4
7 6 5

Intermediate State (Step 3):
0 2 3
1 8 4
7 6 5

Intermediate State (Step 4):
1 2 3
0 8 4
7 6 5

Final State:
1 2 3
8 0 4
7 6 5
```