

## MODULE - 5

BACKTRACKING → DFS ①  
BRANCH AND BOUND → BFS

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BACKTRACKING → DFS  
When we discover that we are going wrong in our path, we change our direction, using recursion.

Types:-

- i) Decision → yes (or) no, yes
- ii) Optimization → easiest
- iii) Enumeration → total paths

~~N-QUEENS~~ Brute force approach → try out all types of solution and pick up one desired solution.

Exponential time complexity

\* N-Queens

\* Sum of subset

\* Hamiltonian

\* Knapsack

\* Graph coloring

Eg:- 3 students

B1 B2 G1

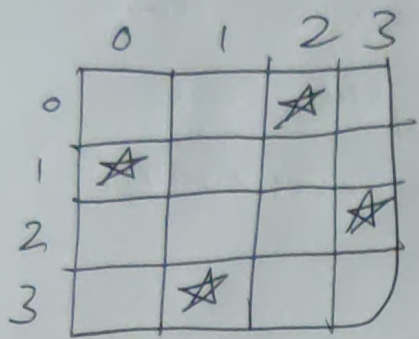
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$n=3$

$3! = 6$  solutions

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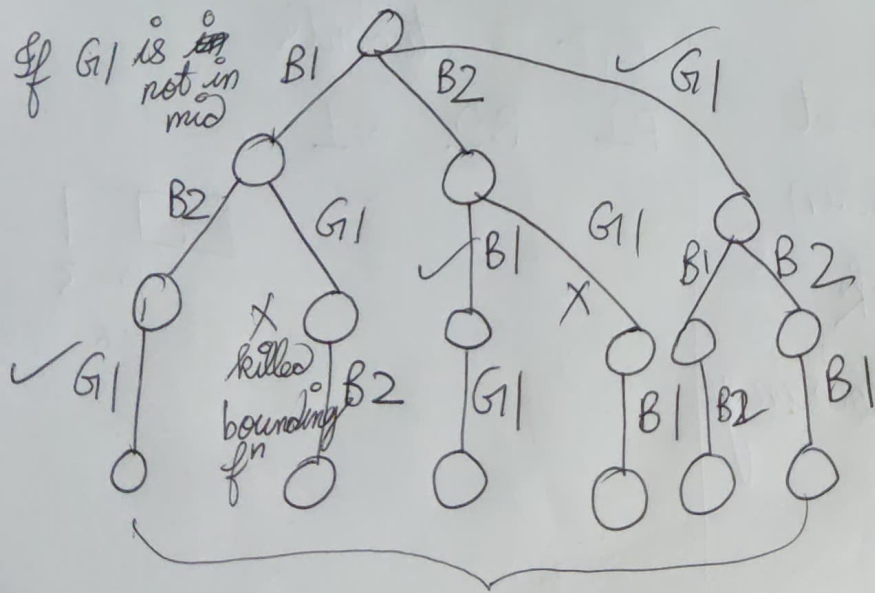
Place  $N$  queens on an  $N \times N$  chessboard such that no 2 queens can attack each other.



- i) All solutions  $\Rightarrow$  char [ ] [ ] '8' ✓ & ' ' 'x' ✗  
 ii) a possible solutions  
 iii) Count solutions

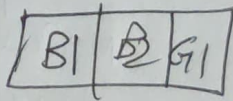
Under attack when they are in the same ~~to~~ row, column or diagonal.

All possible solutions  $\rightarrow$  State Space Tree



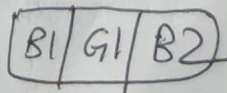
6 solutions

→ 4 optimized <sup>remove 6/1, 8/2</sup> solution



remove G1 X

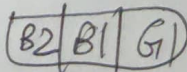
Remove G1, B2 ✓



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remove Bz, G1 X

remove B1, G1, B2



acetone GLX

remove G1, B12

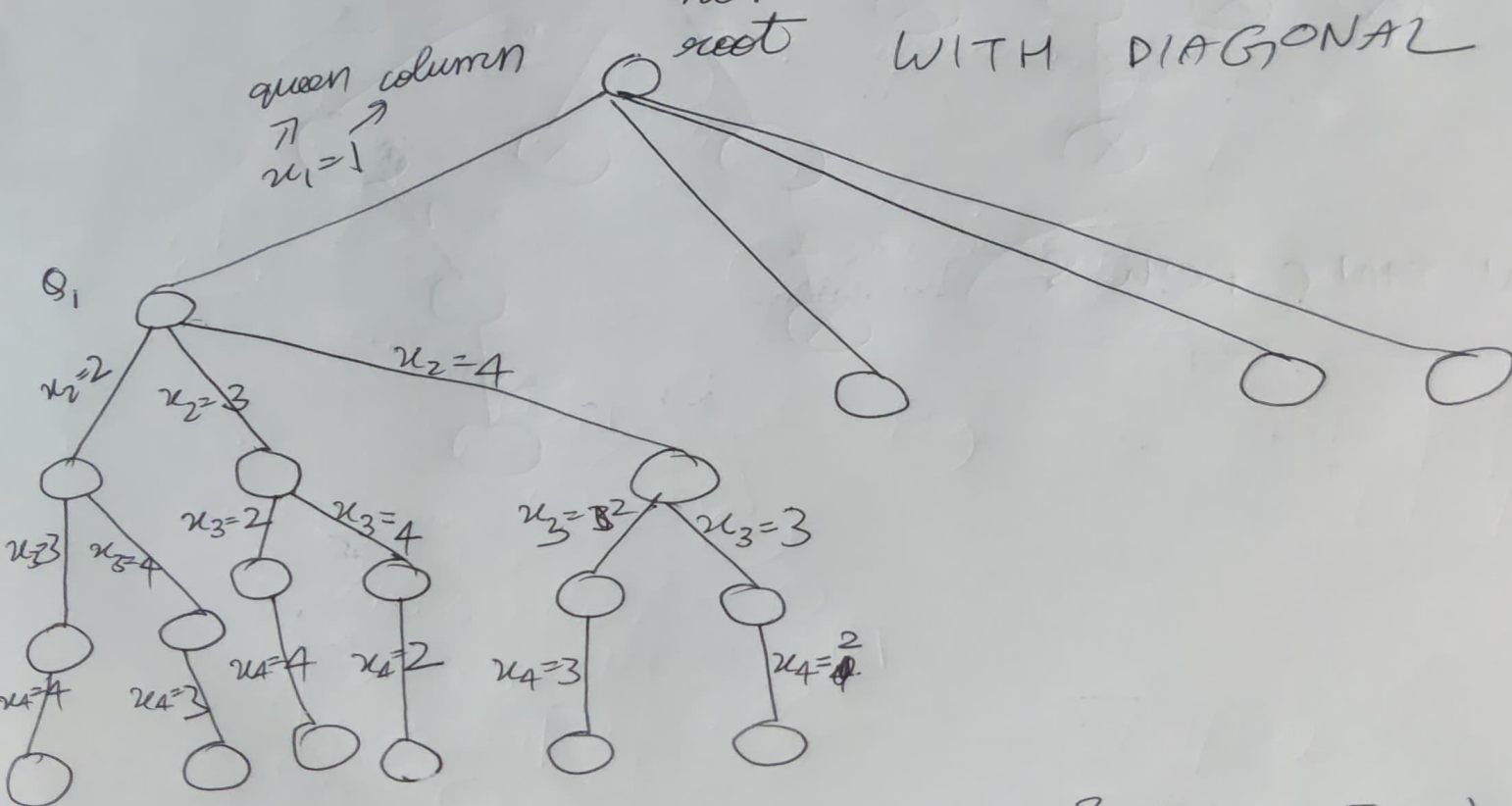
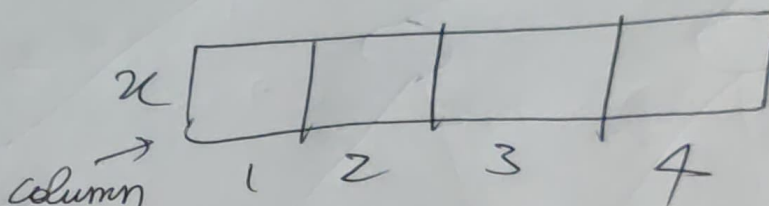
# N-QUEEN'S SOLVING

$${}^6C_4 = 1820 \text{ ways}$$

No same  
columns

row  
column  
diagonal

	1	2	3	4
1	Q <sub>1</sub>	Q <sub>2</sub>		
2		Q <sub>2</sub>	Q <sub>2</sub>	Q <sub>2</sub>
3		Q <sub>3</sub> Q <sub>3</sub>	Q <sub>3</sub>	Q <sub>3</sub> Q <sub>3</sub>
4		Q <sub>4</sub>	Q <sub>4</sub>	Q <sub>4</sub> Q <sub>4</sub>



$$1 + 4 + 2 \times 3 + 4 \times 3 \times 2 + 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1$$

$$= 65$$

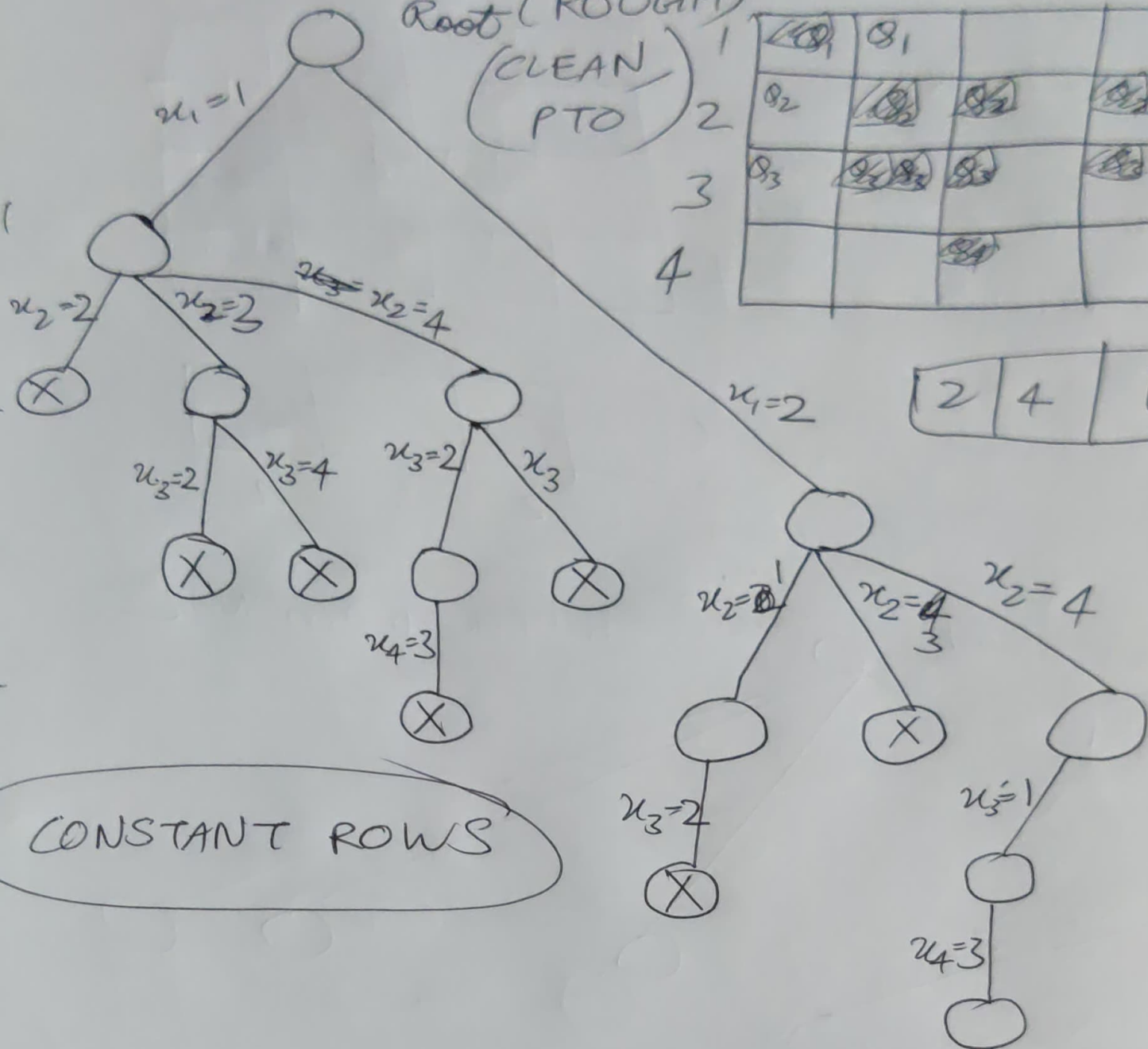


# BOUNDING FUNCTION

Root (ROUGH)  
(CLEAN, PTO)

	1	2	3	4
1	<del>0<sub>1</sub></del>	0 <sub>1</sub>		
2	0 <sub>2</sub>	<del>0<sub>2</sub></del>	<del>0<sub>2</sub></del>	<del>0<sub>2</sub></del>
3	0 <sub>3</sub>	<del>0<sub>3</sub></del>	<del>0<sub>3</sub></del>	<del>0<sub>3</sub></del>
4			<del>0<sub>4</sub></del>	

2	4	1	3
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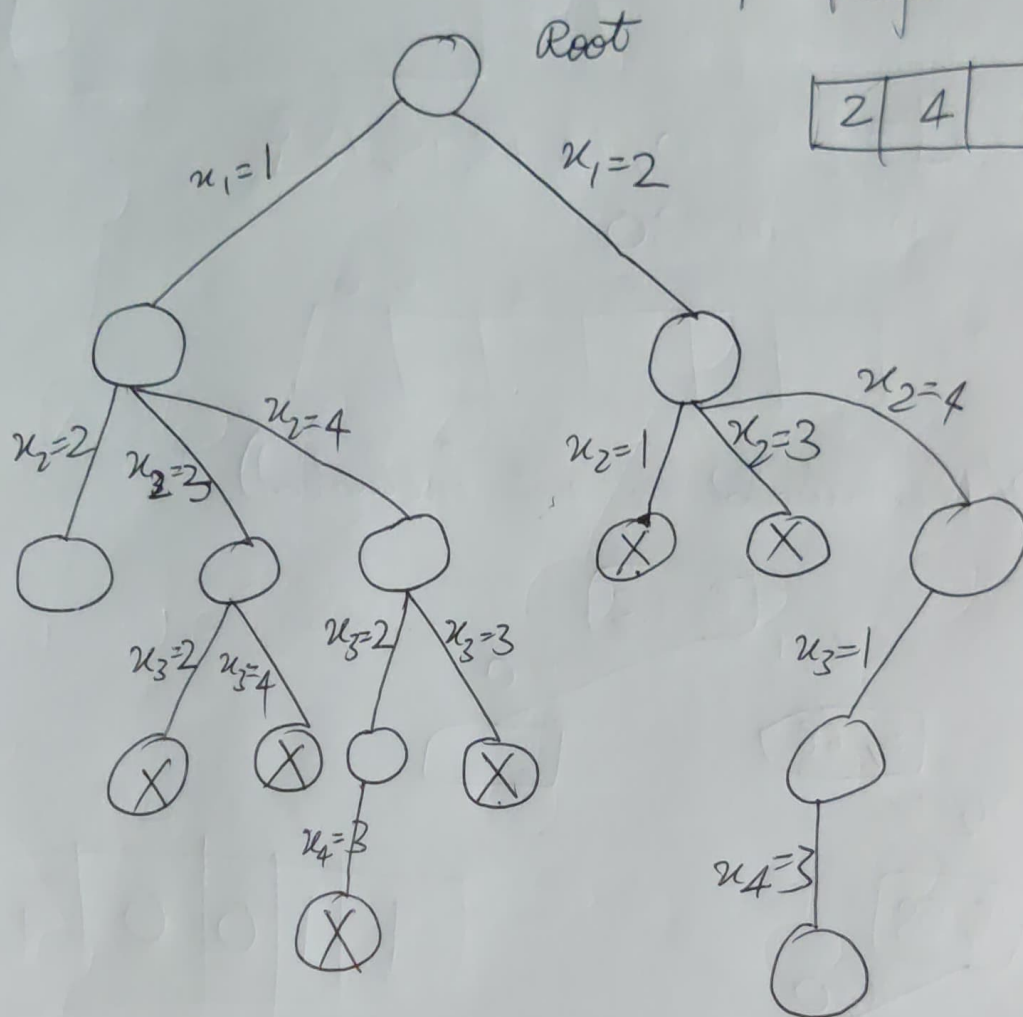
CONSTANT ROWS

SAME  
PROBLEM  
(CLEANER)

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	1	2	3	4
1	<del>0</del>	0 <sub>1</sub>		
2	<del>0</del>	<del>0</del>	<del>0</del>	0 <sub>2</sub>
3	0 <sub>3</sub>	<del>0</del>		<del>0</del>
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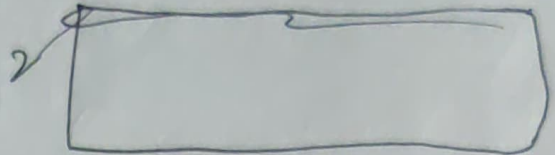


# SUM OF SUBSETS

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## SUM OF SUBSETS

→ Take the weights such that their weight is exactly equal to  $m$ .

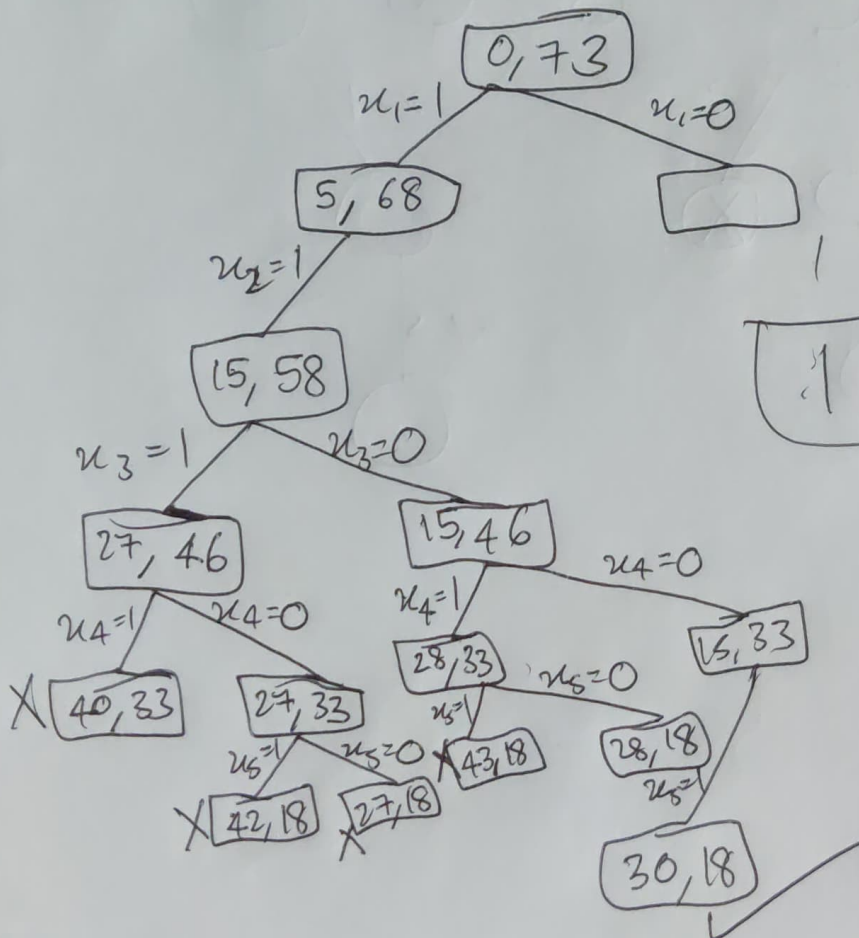


$$w[1:6] = \{5^1, 10^2, 12^3, 13^4, 15^5, 18^6\}$$

$$n=6, m=30$$

	1	2	3	4	5	6
$x$						

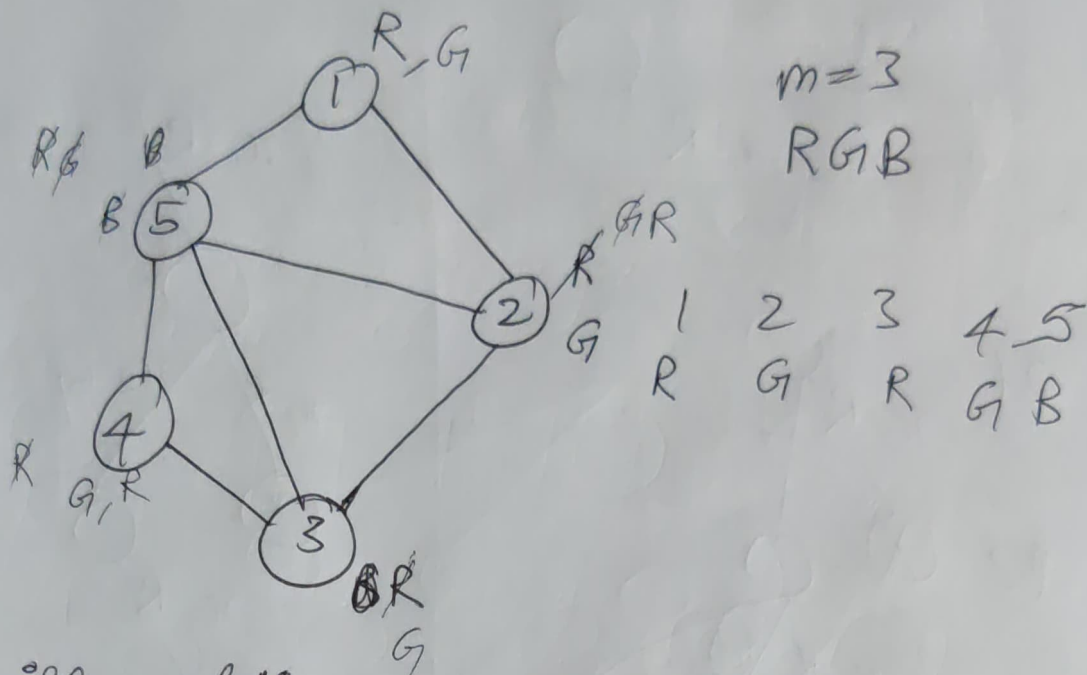
$x_i = 0/1$  (included or not included)



1	2	3	4	5	6
1	1	0	0	1	0

GRAPH COLORING PROBLEM  $\rightarrow C^{n+1}$

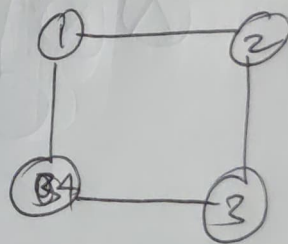
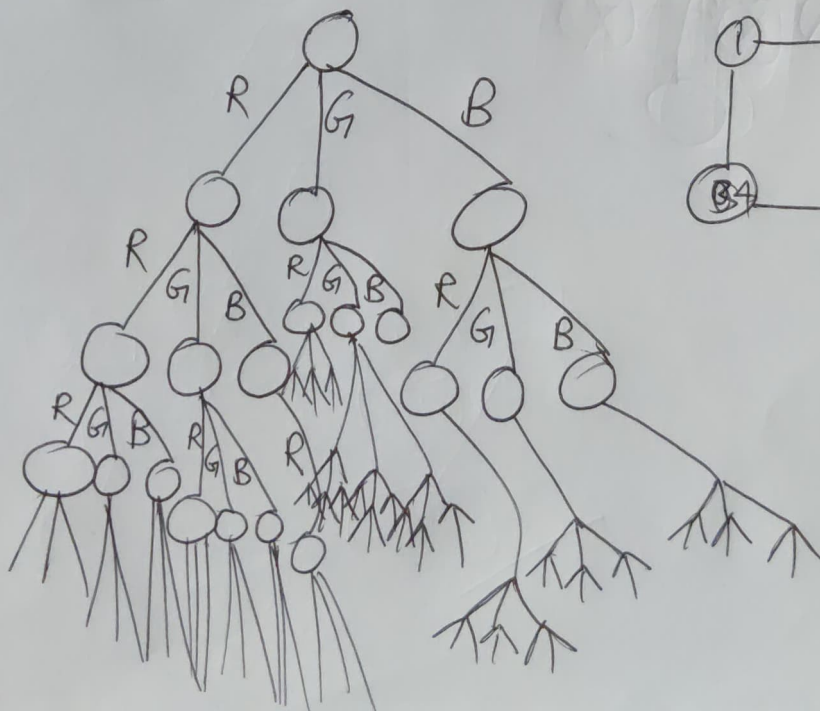
Color the graph such that no 2 vertices must have the same colour.



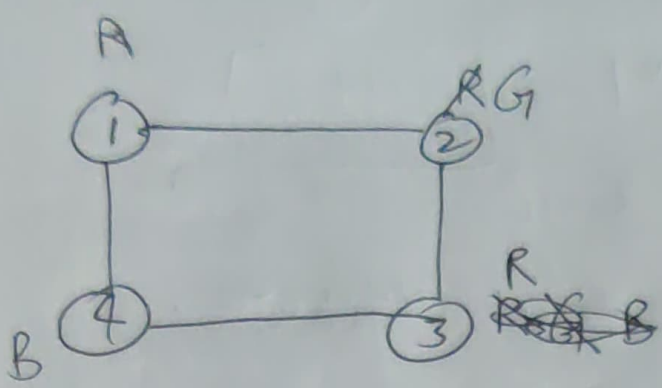
All possible solutions

m-coloring decision problem

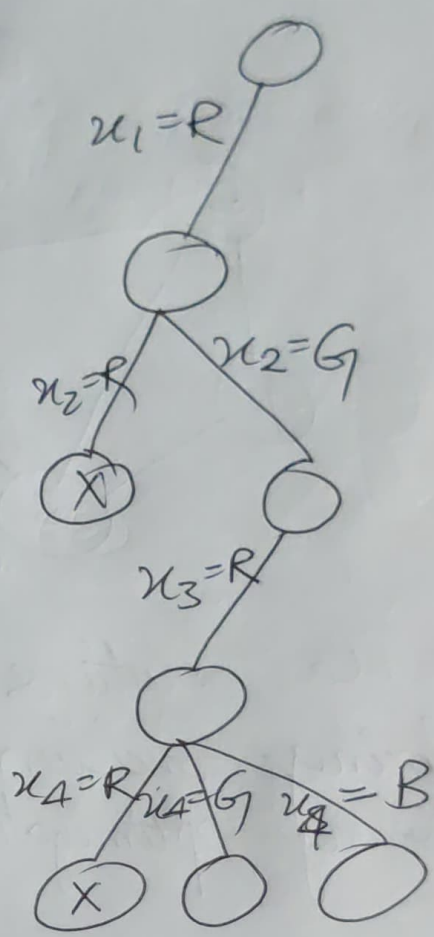
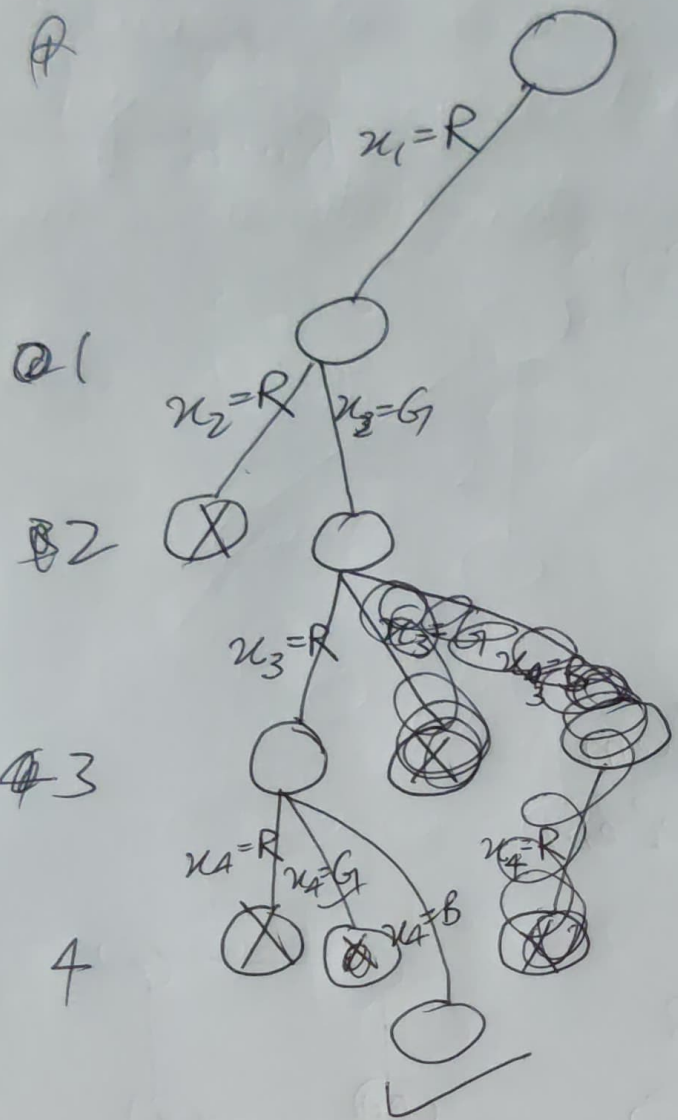
m-coloring optimization problem







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P CLASS PROBLEM  $\rightarrow$  DETERMINISTIC / TRACTABLE

A problem which can be solved in polynomial time by deterministic algorithms.

Eg:- ~~Hamilton~~ Hamiltonian circuit problem  
TSP

Knapsack problem

Sorting and searching

Solved and verified in polynomial time.

Easy to solve and Easy to verify,  
POLYNOMIAL TIME

NP CLASS PROBLEM  $\rightarrow$  NON-DETERMINISTIC  
INTRACTABLE

A problem which cannot be solved in polynomial time but it is verified in polynomial time by non-deterministic algorithms  $\rightarrow$  ~~NON DETC~~

Eg:- Su-Do-Ku

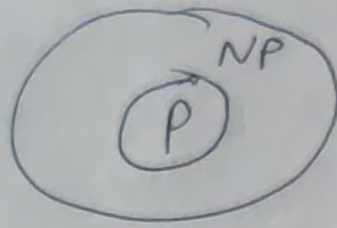
Prime Factor

Scheduling

Hard to solve and easy to verify

Verified in polynomial time.  
~~EXPO~~ EXPONENTIAL

EXPONENTIAL TIME



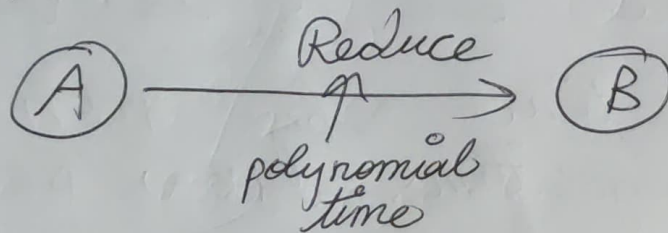
$$P \subseteq NP$$

If  $P = NP$ ,  
Information security is vulnerable to attack  
Everything becomes more efficient such as  
transportation, scheduling, etc.

If  $P \neq NP$ ,  
There are some problems which  
can never be solved.

~~NP HARD PROBLEM~~

REDUCTION



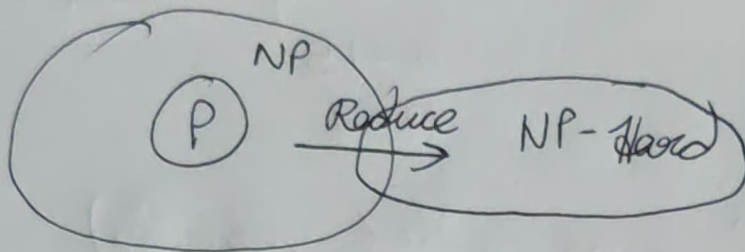
Let  $A$  and  $B$  be 2 problems,  
if  $A$  reduces to  $B$  iff there  
is a way to solve  $A$  by deterministic  
algorithm in polynomial time.

$$A \leq B$$

- i) If  $A$  is reducible to  $B$  and  $B \in P$ , then  $A \in P$ .
- ii) If  $A$  is not in  $P \Rightarrow B$  is not in  $P$ .

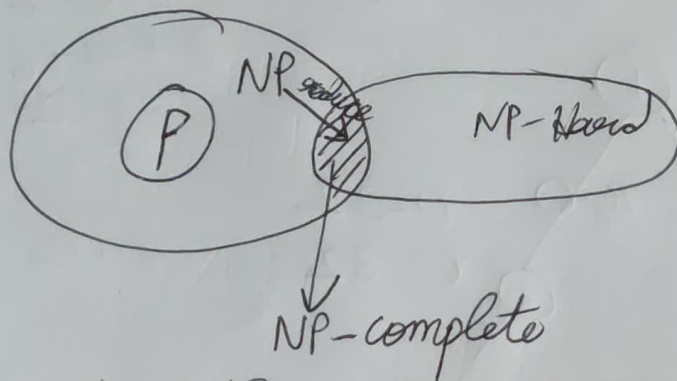
NP HARD PROBLEM  $\rightarrow$  OPTIMIZATION (13)

A problem is NP-Hard if every problem in NP can be polynomially reduced to it



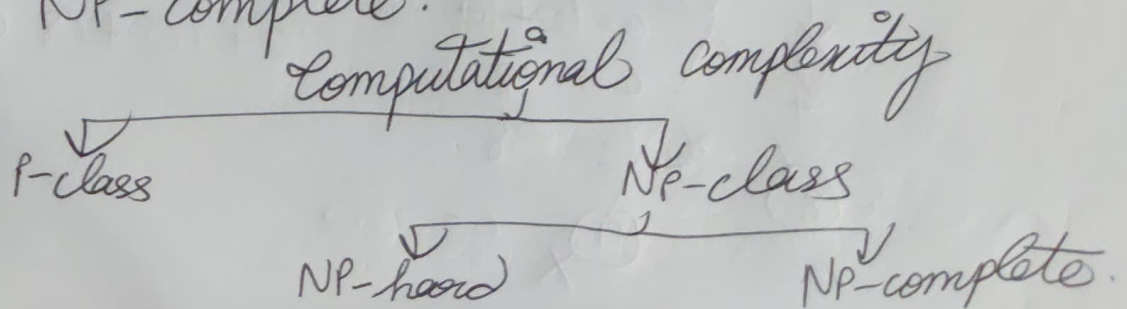
NP COMPLETE PROBLEM  $\rightarrow$  DECISION

A problem is NP-complete if it is in NP and it is NP-Hard



Intersection of NP and NP-hard class.

\* All NP-complete problems are NP-hard but all NP-hard problems are not NP-complete.





# 0/1 KNAPSACK USING LC BRANCH AND BOUND

Max  $\xrightarrow{\text{neg}}$  Min  
 Maximization problem  
 Negative profit.

	1	2	3	4
profit	10	10	12	18
weight	2	4	6	9

$m=15$   
 $n=4$

LC-BB  $\rightarrow$  lowest node

upper node =  $\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i \leq m$  (without fraction)

cost =  $\sum_{i=1}^n p_i x_i$  (with fraction)

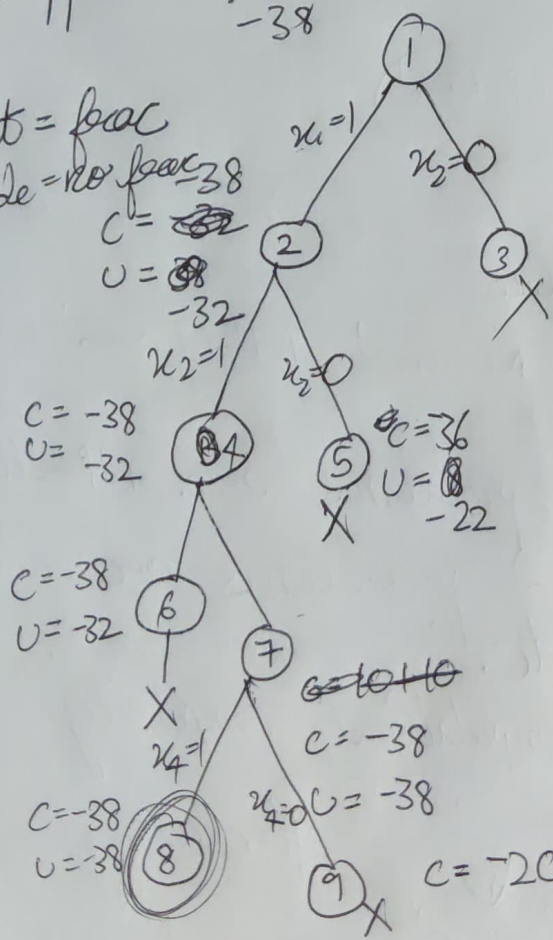
$S = \{x_1, x_3\}$  } both are correct  
 $S = \{1, 0, 1, 0\}$  } fixed sing solution

$m=15$   
 $n=4$

upper =  $20 = -32 (-10-10-12)$   
 $-38$

Cost  $10+10+12 \cdot \frac{18}{9}$   
 $2+4+6 = 12$

cost = frac  
 node = no frac



$U=22$   
 $C=-32$

$10+12+\frac{18}{9} \times 5$

$C = 10+10+12$   
 $+ \frac{18}{9} \times 5$   
 $U = 10$   
 $2+6=8$

$x_1+x_2+x_4$   
 $2+4+9=15$   
 $10+10+18 = 38$   
 $C = 10+10+18$   
 $= 2 \quad 4 \quad 9$   
 $= 15$

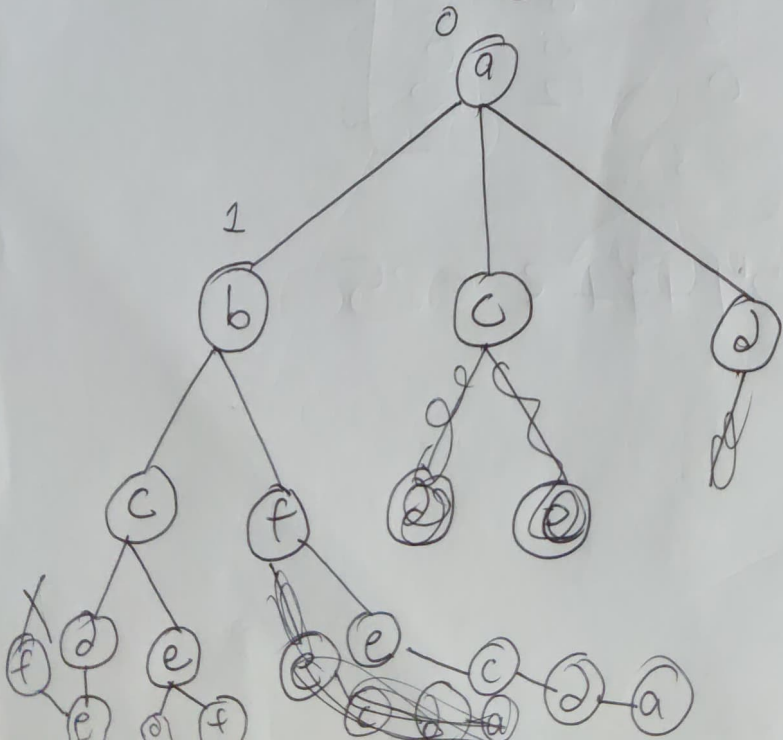
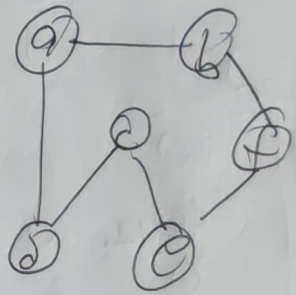
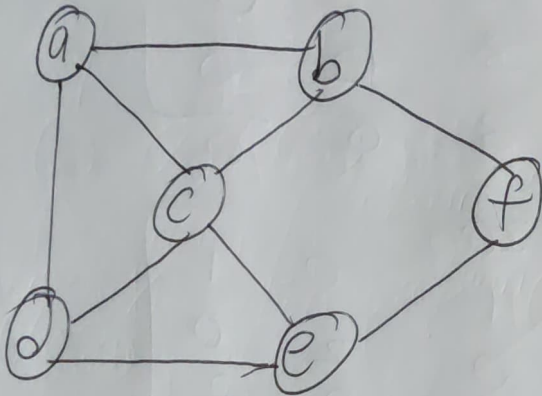
$C = -20$

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# HAMILTONIAN CIRCUIT PROBLEM USING BACKTRACKING

This problem is concerned about finding Hamiltonian circuit in a given graph

Hamiltonian circuit is defined as a cycle that passes all the vertices of graph exactly once except the starting and ending vertices (same vertex)



start and  
come back  
to (a)-

# TRAVELLING SALESPERSON

## PROBLEM BRANCH AND BOUND

(10)

	1	2	3	4	5	
1	∞	20	30	10	11	Min 10
2	15	∞	16	4	2	
3	3	5	∞	2	4	
4	19	6	18	∞	3	
5	16	4	7	16	∞	

	1	2	3	4	5
1	∞	10	20	0	1
2	13	∞	14	2	0
3	1	3	∞	0	2
4	16	3	15	∞	0
5	12	0	3	12	∞

Reduced

= at least  
1 element  
is 0  
shortest  
List.

	1	2	3	4	5
1	∞	10	<del>20</del> 17	0	1
2	<del>13</del> 12	∞	11	0	0
3	0	3	∞	2	0
4	15	3	12	∞	2
5	11	0	0	12	∞

sub 1

sub 3

$$\text{cost} = 21 + 1 + 3 = 25$$