

AOA ASSIGNMENT-2

Subset Sum Problem

(using Dynamic Programming)

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PROBLEM STATEMENT:

Subset sum problem is to find if there exists a subset of elements that are selected from a given set whose sum adds up to a given number K. We are considering the set contains non-negative values. It is assumed that the input set is unique (no duplicates are presented)

OBJECTIVE:

The objective is to find if there exists any subsets in a given set that add up to the given sum.

OUTCOME:

The sum subset problem is solved and also verification if subsets are **present or not** is also done.

STRATEGY USED: DYNAMIC PROGRAMMING

DESCRIPTION OF STRATEGY:

- 1) Dynamic Programming is the most powerful design technique for solving optimization problems.
- 2) Dynamic Programming is used when the sub-problems are not independent, e.g. when they share the same sub-problems. In this case, divide and conquer may do more work than necessary, because it solves the same sub problem multiple times.
- 3) Dynamic Programming solves each sub-problems just once and stores the result in a table so that it can be repeatedly retrieved if needed again.
- 4) Dynamic Programming is a **Bottom-up approach**- we solve all possible small problems and then combine to obtain solutions for bigger problems.
- 5) Dynamic Programming is a paradigm of algorithm design in which an optimization problem is solved by a combination of achieving sub-problem solutions and appealing to the "**principle of optimality**".
- 6) The idea is to simply store the results of sub-problems, so that we do not have to re-compute them when needed later. This simple optimization reduces time complexities from exponential to polynomial

ALGORITHM:

Let `isSubSetSum(int set[], int n, int sum)` be the function to find whether there is a subset of `set[]` with sum equal to *sum*. *n* is the number of elements in `set[]`. The `isSubSetSum` problem can be divided into two sub-problems

...a) Include the last element, recur for $n = n-1$, $sum = sum - set[n-1]$

...b) Exclude the last element, recur for $n = n-1$.

If any of the above the above sub-problems return true, then return true

CODE:

```
#include <stdio.h>

#include <conio.h>


int SubsetSum(int set[], int n, int sum);


int main()
{
    int i, n, sum;
    int set[10];
    clrscr();

    printf("\n\nEnter the number of elements : ");
    scanf("%d", &n);
    printf("\nEnter the elements in set : ");
    for(i = 0; i < n; i++)
        scanf("%d", &set[i]);

    printf("\nEnter the value of sum : ");
    scanf("%d", &sum);

    if (SubsetSum(set, n, sum) == 1)
        printf("\nFound a subset with given sum!!!");
    else
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        printf("\nNo subset with given sum!!!");
getch();
return 0;
}

int SubsetSum(int set[], int n, int sum)
{
    int subset[10][10];
    int i, j;

    for (i = 0; i <= n; i++)
        subset[i][0] = 1;

    for (i = 1; i <= sum; i++)
        subset[0][i] = 0;

    for (i = 1; i <= n; i++)
    {
        for (j = 1; j <= sum; j++)
        {
            if(j<set[i-1])
                subset[i][j] = subset[i-1][j];
            if (j >= set[i-1])
                subset[i][j] = subset[i-1][j] || subset[i - 1][j-
set[i-1]];
        }
    }
}

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printf("\nDP Table : \n")
for (i = 0; i <= n; i++)
{
    for (j = 0; j <= sum; j++)
        printf ("%4d", subset[i][j]);
    printf("\n");
}

return subset[n][sum];
}

```

Output Screenshot :

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Enter the number of elements : 6
Enter the elements in set : 3 34 4 12 5 2
Enter the value of sum : 9

DP Table :
  1  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0
  1  0  0  1  0  0  0  0  0  0
  1  0  0  1  0  0  0  0  0  0
  1  0  0  1  1  0  0  1  0  0
  1  0  0  1  1  0  0  1  0  0
  1  0  0  1  1  1  0  1  1  1
  1  0  1  1  1  1  1  1  1  1

Found a subset with given sum!!!

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