

N-Queen's Problem

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#include <stdio.h>
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#include <stdbool.h>
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#define N 4 // You can change this to any value of N
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// Function to print the solution (optional, can be removed if not needed)
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void printSolution(int board[N][N]) {
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    for (int i = 0; i < N; i++) {
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        for (int j = 0; j < N; j++) {
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            if (board[i][j] == 1)
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                printf(" Q ");
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            else
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                printf(" . ");
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        }
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        printf("\n");
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    }
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    printf("\n");
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}
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// Function to check if a queen can be placed on board[row][col]
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bool isSafe(int board[N][N], int row, int col) {
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    int i, j;
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    // Check this row on left side
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    for (i = 0; i < col; i++)
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        if (board[row][i])
            return false;

// Check upper diagonal on left side
for (i = row, j = col; i >= 0 && j >= 0; i--, j--)
    if (board[i][j])
        return false;

// Check lower diagonal on left side
for (i = row, j = col; j >= 0 && i < N; i++, j--)
    if (board[i][j])
        return false;

return true;
}

// Function to solve the N-Queens problem using backtracking and count solutions
int solveNQUtil(int board[N][N], int col) {
    if (col >= N)
        return 1; // All queens placed successfully

    int count = 0;

    for (int i = 0; i < N; i++) {
        if (isSafe(board, i, col)) {

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        board[i][col] = 1;

        count += solveNQUtil(board, col + 1);

        board[i][col] = 0; // Backtrack
    }
}

return count;
}

// Function to count solutions for the N-Queens problem
int countNQSolutions() {
    int board[N][N] = {0};
    return solveNQUtil(board, 0);
}

int main() {
    int numSolutions = countNQSolutions();

    printf("Number of solutions for %d-Queens problem: %d\n", N,
numSolutions);

    return 0;
}

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Output:

Number of solutions for 4-Queens problem: 2