

Implement A* algorithm to solve 8-Puzzle game (You can use any heuristic and $g(n)$ is the level number of the state). You can start any random state and the final state is fixed whis was discussed in the previous class.

code:

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import heapq
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class PuzzleNode:
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    def __init__(self, state, parent=None, move=None, level=0):
        self.state = state
        self.parent = parent
        self.move = move
        self.level = level
        self.cost = self.compute_cost()
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    def compute_cost(self):
        cost = self.level
        for i in range(3):
            for j in range(3):
                if self.state[i][j] != 0:
                    x, y = divmod(self.state[i][j] - 1, 3)
                    cost += abs(i - x) + abs(j - y)
        return cost
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    def __lt__(self, other):
        return self.cost < other.cost
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def is_valid_position(x, y):
    return 0 <= x < 3 and 0 <= y < 3
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def generate_neighbors(node):
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    x, y = None, None
    for i in range(3):
        for j in range(3):
            if node.state[i][j] == 0:
                x, y = i, j
                break
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    neighbors = []
    moves = [(1, 0), (-1, 0), (0, 1), (0, -1)]
    for dx, dy in moves:
        new_x, new_y = x + dx, y + dy
        if is_valid_position(new_x, new_y):
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        new_state = [list(row) for row in node.state]
        new_state[x][y], new_state[new_x][new_y] = new_state[new_x][new_y], new_state[x][y]
        neighbors.append(PuzzleNode(new_state, node, (dx, dy), node.level + 1))
    return neighbors

def solve_puzzle_astar(initial_state, goal_state):
    open_list = []
    closed_set = set()

    initial_node = PuzzleNode(initial_state)
    goal_node = PuzzleNode(goal_state)

    heapq.heappush(open_list, initial_node)

    while open_list:
        current_node = heapq.heappop(open_list)

        if current_node.state == goal_node.state:
            path = []
            while current_node:
                path.append(current_node.state)
                current_node = current_node.parent
            return list(reversed(path))

        closed_set.add(tuple(map(tuple, current_node.state)))

        for neighbor in generate_neighbors(current_node):
            if tuple(map(tuple, neighbor.state)) not in closed_set:
                heapq.heappush(open_list, neighbor)

    return None

if __name__ == "__main__":
    initial_state = [[1, 2, 3], [4, 0, 5], [6, 7, 8]]
    goal_state = [[1, 2, 3], [4, 5, 6], [7, 8, 0]]

    solution_path = solve_puzzle_astar(initial_state, goal_state)
    if solution_path:
        for state in solution_path:
            for row in state:
                print(row)
            print()
    else:
        print("No solution found.")

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