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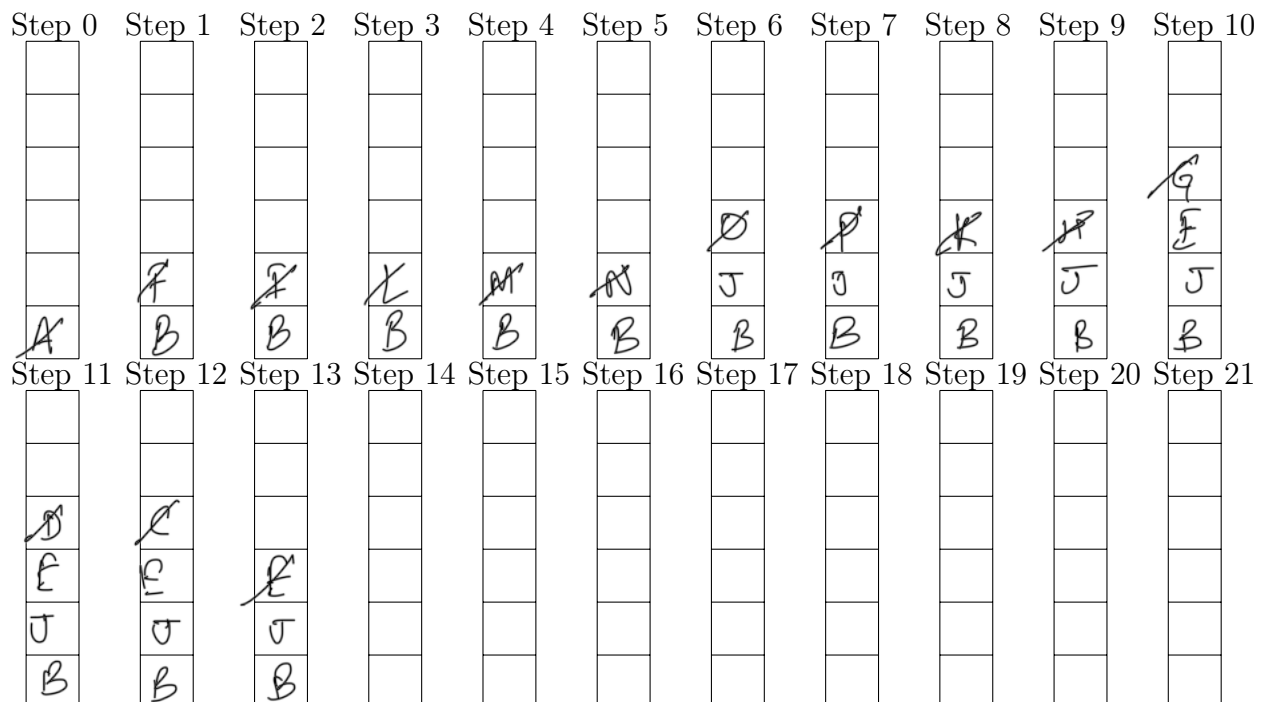
For DFS order of
neighbour matters

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Question 1.1. Consider the discretized environment in the figure below, with a four-connected neighborhood. Manually run the DFS algorithm from the start location **A** to the end location **E**. For each step, keep track of the content of the stack in the provided diagram. For each node, the neighbors should be considered in the order *down, right, up, left*. As you proceed, mark the cells in the figure with an arrow for the backpointer, and a number for the backpointer cost.

3 ↓ L	4 ← M	← 5 N	← 6 O	← 7 P
2 ↓ I		6 J		↑ 8 K
1 ↓ F			10 G	↑ 9 H
0 ↓ A	13 → B	12 → C	11 ↑ D	Goal E

4 connected
graph grid with
up/down left/right
edges



Question 1.2. Give the sequence of letters corresponding to the path found from A to E.

A F I L M N O P K H E

Problem 2: Breadth-First Search

Question 2.1. Repeat question 1.1, but using BFS.

↓ 3 L	← 4 M	N	O	P
↓ 2 I		J		K
↓ 1 F			↓ 4 G	↓ 5 H
0 A	← 1 B	← 2 C	← 3 D	← 4 E

* It is complete
* It is optimal; the path returned is the shortest one

Step 0	Step 1	Step 2	Step 3	Step 4	Step 5	Step 6	Step 7	Step 8	Step 9	Step 10
						G	M			
	F	C	I	D	L	E	G	M		
A	B	F	E	Z	D	K	E	G		
Step 11	Step 12	Step 13	Step 14	Step 15	Step 16	Step 17	Step 18	Step 19	Step 20	

Question 2.2. Give the sequence of letters corresponding to the path found from A to E.

A B C D E

* BFS :- All nodes at a distance d are expanded before any node at distance $d+1$

Problem 3: A star (A^*)

Question optional 3.1. Find the path from node **A** to node **O** using an 8-connected neighborhood.

↓ 3 L 4.0	M 3.0	N 2.0		O 0.0
↓ 2 I 4.12		4.28 J ↘ 2.24		4.28 K ↙ 1.0
↓ 1 F 4.47			3.14 G ↘ 2.24	4.14 H ← 2.0
0 A 5.0	← B 1 4.24	← C 2 3.61	← D 3 3.16	4.28 E ↖ 3.0

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