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Experiment 3

(Heuristic Search)

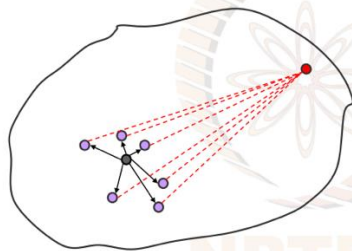
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Aim: Comparative analysis of Heuristic based methods.

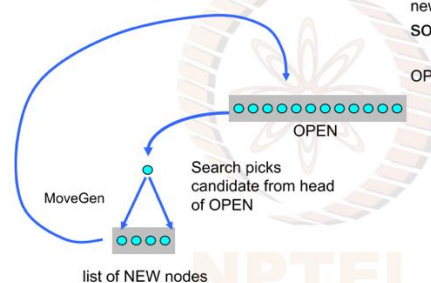
Theory:

Heuristic functions



The heuristic function estimates the distance to the goal.
This estimate, $h(n)$, can be used to decide which node to pick from OPEN

Best First Search



Best First Search inserts new candidates into OPEN sorted on $h(n)$
OPEN = PRIORITY QUEUE

Algorithm for Best First Search

```
Best-First-Search(S)
1 OPEN  $\leftarrow$  (S, null,  $h(S)$ ) []
2 CLOSED  $\leftarrow$  empty list
3 while OPEN is not empty
4   nodePair  $\leftarrow$  head OPEN
5   (N, , )  $\leftarrow$  nodePair
6   if GoalTest(N) = true
7     return ReconstructPath(nodePair, CLOSED)
8   else CLOSED  $\leftarrow$  nodePair
9   neighbours  $\leftarrow$  MoveGen(N)
10  newNodes  $\leftarrow$  RemoveSeen(neighbours, OPEN, CLOSED)
11  newPairs  $\leftarrow$  MakePairs(newNodes, N)
12  OPEN  $\leftarrow$  sorth( newPairs ++ tail OPEN )
13 return empty list
```

Algorithm Hill climbing



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Hill-Climbing(S)

1 $N \leftarrow S$

2 do bestEver $\leftarrow N$

3 $N \leftarrow \text{head sort MoveGen}(\text{bestEver})$

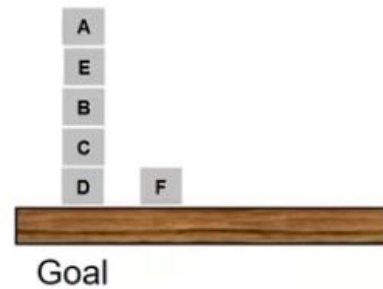
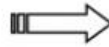
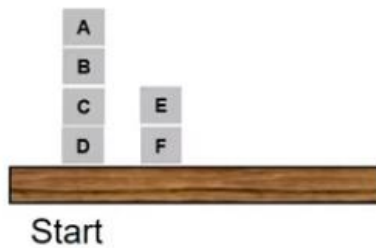
4 while $h(N)$ is better than $h(\text{bestEver})$

5 return bestEver

Lab Assignment to do:

1. Design any two different heuristics for a given blocks world problem and show that one is better than another using Hill Climbing and Best First Search.

A blocks world problem





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▶ print("Enter the initial test's blocks from bottom to top")

i1 = []
i2 = []

n1 = int(input("Enter the number of blocks in i1: "))
for i in range(n1):
    i1.append(input(f"Enter block {i + 1} for i1: "))

n2 = int(input("Enter the number of blocks in i2: "))
for i in range(n2):
    i2.append(input(f"Enter block {i + 1} for i2: "))

print(i1)
print(i2)
```

```
Enter the initial test's blocks from bottom to top
Enter the number of blocks in i1: 4
Enter block 1 for i1: D
Enter block 2 for i1: C
Enter block 3 for i1: B
Enter block 4 for i1: A
Enter the number of blocks in i2: 2
Enter block 1 for i2: F
Enter block 2 for i2: E
['D', 'C', 'B', 'A']
['F', 'E']
```

```
initial_table = [i1, i2]
print(initial_table)
```

```
[['D', 'C', 'B', 'A'], ['F', 'E']]
```



```
print("Enter the goal test's blocks from bottom to top")

i3 = []
i4 = []

n3 = int(input("Enter the number of blocks in i1: "))
for i in range(n3):
    i3.append(input(f"Enter block {i + 1} for i1: "))

n4 = int(input("Enter the number of blocks in i1: "))
for i in range(n4):
    i4.append(input(f"Enter block {i + 1} for i1: "))

print(i3)
print(i4)
```

```
Enter the goal test's blocks from bottom to top
Enter the number of blocks in i1: 5
Enter block 1 for i1: D
Enter block 2 for i1: C
Enter block 3 for i1: B
Enter block 4 for i1: E
Enter block 5 for i1: A
Enter the number of blocks in i1: 1
Enter block 1 for i1: F
['D', 'C', 'B', 'E', 'A']
['F']
```

```
goal_table = [i3, i4]
print(goal_table)
```

```
[['D', 'C', 'B', 'E', 'A'], ['F']]
```



#HILL CLIMBING

```
def heuristic_h1(state, goal_state):
    misplaced_blocks = 0
    for i in range(len(state)):
        for j in range(len(state[i])):
            if state[i][j] not in goal_state[i]:
                misplaced_blocks += 1
    return misplaced_blocks

def heuristic_h2(state, goal_state):
    total_moves = 0
    for i in range(len(state)):
        for block in state[i]:
            if block != ' ':
                if block in goal_state[i]:
                    target_i = goal_state[i].index(block)
                    total_moves += abs(target_i - i)
                else:
                    total_moves += 1
    return total_moves
```



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```
def hill_climbing_with_path(initial_state, heuristic, goal_state):
    current_state = initial_state
    best_state = current_state
    path = [current_state]

    while True:
        neighbors = generate_neighbors(current_state)
        for neighbor in neighbors:
            if heuristic(neighbor, goal_state) < heuristic(best_state, goal_state):
                best_state = neighbor

        if heuristic(best_state, goal_state) >= heuristic(current_state, goal_state):
            break

        current_state = best_state
        path.append(current_state)

    return path

print("Hill Climbing with H1:")
path_h1 = hill_climbing_with_path(initial_table, heuristic_h1, goal_table)
if path_h1:
    for idx, state in enumerate(path_h1):
        print(f"Iteration {idx}:")
        for stack in state:
            print(stack)
        print("-----")
    print("H1 Cost:", heuristic_h1(path_h1[-1], goal_table))
else:
    print("No solution found for H1.")

print("\nHill Climbing with H2:")
path_h2 = hill_climbing_with_path(initial_table, heuristic_h2, goal_table)
if path_h2:
    for idx, state in enumerate(path_h2):
        print(f"Iteration {idx}:")
        for stack in state:
            print(stack)
        print("-----")
    print("H2 Cost:", heuristic_h2(path_h2[-1], goal_table))
else:
    print("No solution found for H2.")
```



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Hill Climbing with H1:
Iteration 0:
['D', 'C', 'B', 'A']
['F', 'E']
-----
Iteration 1:
['D', 'C', 'B', 'A', 'E']
['F']
-----
H1 Cost: 0

Hill Climbing with H2:
Iteration 0:
['D', 'C', 'B', 'A']
['F', 'E']
-----
Iteration 1:
['D', 'C', 'B']
['F', 'E', 'A']
-----
Iteration 2:
['D', 'C']
['F', 'E', 'A', 'B']
-----
H2 Cost: 5
```



```
#BFS
import heapq

def best_first_search(initial_state, heuristic, goal_state):
    OPEN = [(initial_state, 0)]
    CLOSED = set()
    while OPEN:
        current_state, cost = heapq.heappop(OPEN)
        if current_state == goal_state:
            return current_state
        CLOSED.add(tuple(map(tuple, current_state)))
        neighbors = generate_neighbors(current_state)
        for neighbor in neighbors:
            if tuple(map(tuple, neighbor)) not in CLOSED:
                if neighbor not in (state for state, _ in OPEN):
                    heapq.heappush(OPEN, (neighbor, heuristic(neighbor, goal_state)))
    return None

print("Best First Search with H1:")
solution_h1_bfs = best_first_search(initial_table, heuristic_h1, goal_table)
if solution_h1_bfs:
    print("Solution:", solution_h1_bfs)
    print("H1 Cost:", heuristic_h1(solution_h1_bfs, goal_table))
else:
    print("No solution found for Best First Search with H1.")

print("\nBest First Search with H2:")
solution_h2_bfs = best_first_search(initial_table, heuristic_h2, goal_table)
if solution_h2_bfs:
    print("Solution:", solution_h2_bfs)
    print("H2 Cost:", heuristic_h2(solution_h2_bfs, goal_table))
else:
    print("No solution found for Best First Search with H2.")

Best First Search with H1:
Solution: [['D', 'C', 'B', 'E', 'A'], ['F']]
H1 Cost: 0

Best First Search with H2:
Solution: [['D', 'C', 'B', 'E', 'A'], ['F']]
H2 Cost: 11
```