

R-5-12 Sally is hosting an Internet auction to sell n widgets. She receives m bids, each of the form “I want k_i widgets for d_i dollars,” for $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$. Characterize her optimization problem as a knapsack problem. Under what conditions is this a 0-1 versus fractional problem?

Solution:

$\text{bid}_i = (d_i, k_i)$, the weight for each bid is d_i/k_i

a knapsack problem accept bid have $< k_i$ widget

0-1 versus fractional problem: accept if we don't accept any bid $< k_i$

After Lesson 11b on memorization, do the following and submit next week:

A. Based only on the characterizing equations ($B[k, w]$), give a recursive pseudo code algorithm for the 0-1 knapsack problem (do this from the equations and without looking at my solution in the notes), then memorize it so it is efficient. Compare your algorithm to the two given in the lecture notes (iterative dynamic programming version and recursive non-memorized algorithm) in terms of time and space complexity.

Solution:

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Algorithm 01KnapsackRecursive(S, W)
    return 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, W, S.size() - 1)
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Algorithm 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, W, k)
    if S is null v W = 0 then
        return 0
    if k = 0 then
        return 0
     $(b_k, w_k) := S.\text{elemAtRank}(k)$ 
    if  $w_k > W$  then
        return 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, W, k - 1)
    else
        int v1 = 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, W, k - 1)
        int v2 = 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, W -  $w_k$ , k - 1) +  $b_k$ 
        return Max(v1, v2)
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Algorithm 01KnapsackMemorizedRecursive(S, W)
    int[][] arr = new int[k + 1][W + 1]
    for int i = 0 to k then
        for int j = 0 to W then
            arr[i][j] = -1
    return 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, W, S.size() - 1, arr)
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Algorithm 01KnapsackMemorizedRecursiveHelper(S, W, k, arr)
    if S is null v W = 0 then
        return 0
    if k = 0 then
        return 0
    if arr[k][W] <> -1
        return arr[k][W]
     $(b_k, w_k) := S.\text{elemAtRank}(k)$ 
    if  $w_k > W$  then
        int v = 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, W, k - 1, arr)
        arr[k][W] = v
        return v
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else
    int v1 = 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, W, k - 1, arr)
    int v2 = 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, W - wk, k - 1, arr) + bk
    arr[k][W] = Max(v1, v2)
    return arr[k][W]

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C-5.9 How can we modify the dynamic programming algorithm from simply computing the best benefit value for the 0-1 knapsack problem (like A above) to computing the assignment (subset) that gives the maximum benefit? Design a pseudo code algorithm to do the trace back through the 2-dimensional array as we described in the lecture.

Solution:

TBD

B. Suppose we have a set of objects that have different sizes **s₁, s₂, ..., s_n**, and we have some positive upper limit **L**. Design an efficient pseudo code algorithm to determine the subset of objects that produces the largest sum of sizes that is no greater than L. Hint: dynamic programming similar to 0-1 knapsack problem, except only size/weight and no benefit.

Solution

Algorithm **01KnapsackMemorizedRecursive**(S, L)

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    int[][] arr = new int[k + 1][L + 1]
    LO := new List
    for int i = 0 to k then
        for int j = 0 to L then
            arr[i][j] = -1
    return 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, L, S.size() - 1, arr)

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Algorithm **01KnapsackMemorizedRecursiveHelper**(S, L, k, arr, LO)

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    if S is null v L = 0 then
        return 0
    if k = 0 then
        return 0
    if arr[k][L] <> -1
        return arr[k][L]
    objk := S.elemAtRank(k)
    if size(objk) > L then
        (size, LO) = 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, L, k - 1, arr, LO)
        arr[k][LO] = size
        return size
    else
        (size1, LO) = 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, L, k - 1, arr, LO)
        (size2, LO) = 01KnapsackRecursiveHelper(S, L - size(objk), k - 1, arr, LO) +
size(objk)
        arr[k][L] = Max(size1, size2)
        if size2 > size1 then
            LO.insertFirst(objk)
        return (arr[k][W], LO)

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