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function BIBF-SEARCH(problemF, fF, problemB, fB) returns a solution node, or failure
  nodeF  $\leftarrow$  NODE(problemF.INITIAL) // Node for a start state
  nodeB  $\leftarrow$  NODE(problemB.INITIAL) // Node for a goal state
  frontierF  $\leftarrow$  a priority queue ordered by fF, with nodeF as an element
  frontierB  $\leftarrow$  a priority queue ordered by fB, with nodeB as an element
  reachedF  $\leftarrow$  a lookup table, with one key nodeF.STATE and value nodeF
  reachedB  $\leftarrow$  a lookup table, with one key nodeB.STATE and value nodeB
  solution  $\leftarrow$  failure
  while not TERMINATED(solution, frontierF, frontierB) do
    if fF(TOP(frontierF)) < fB(TOP(frontierB)) then
      solution  $\leftarrow$  PROCEED(F, problemF, frontierF, reachedF, reachedB, solution)
    else solution  $\leftarrow$  PROCEED(B, problemB, frontierB, reachedB, reachedF, solution)
  return solution

function PROCEED(dir, problem, frontier, reached, reached2, solution) returns a solution
  // Expand node on frontier; check against the other frontier in reached2.
  // The variable “dir” is the direction: either F for forward or B for backward.
  node  $\leftarrow$  POP(frontier)
  for each child in EXPAND(problem, node) do
    s  $\leftarrow$  child.STATE
    if s not in reached or PATH-COST(child) < PATH-COST(reached[s]) then
      reached[s]  $\leftarrow$  child
      add child to frontier
    if s is in reached2 then
      solution2  $\leftarrow$  JOIN-NODES(dir, child, reached2[s]))
      if PATH-COST(solution2) < PATH-COST(solution) then
        solution  $\leftarrow$  solution2
  return solution

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