Travelling Salesman Problem
Design techniques pseudo codes
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1 Backtracking

Algorithm 1 Backtracking design technique for Travelling Salesman Problem

```
1: procedure TSPBacktracking(level, optcost, optx, n)
2:     Input: level, n
3:     Output: optcost, optx
4:
5:     if lev == n then
6:         C = cost of x
7:         if C <optcost then
8:             optcost = C
9:             optx = x
10:        end if
11:    else
12:        Compute B = B(x)
13:        x[level] = 2
14:        while B <optcost and x[level] ≤ n do
15:            if x[level] is distinct from x[1],...,x[level-1] then
16:                TSPBacktracking(level+1, optcost, optx, n)
17:            end if
18:            x[level] = x[level] + 1
19:        end while
20:    end if
21: end procedure
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2 Branch & Bound

Algorithm 2 Branch & Bound design technique for Travelling Salesman Problem

```
1: procedure TSPBranchAndBound(level, optcost, optx, n)
2:     Input: level, n
3:     Output: optcost, optx
4:     Var: B, C, Count, NextCoord, NextB
5:
6:     if lev == n then
7:         C = cost of x
8:         if C <optcost then
9:             optcost = C
10:            optx = x
11:        end if
12:    else
13:        Count = 0
14:        for x[level] = 2 to n do
15:            if x[level] is distinct from x[1],...,x[level-1] then
16:                Count = Count + 1
17:                NextCoord[Count] = x[level]
18:                NextB[Count] = B(x)
19:            end if
20:        end for
21:        Sort NextCoord according to NextB values
22:        Count = 1
23:        while Count ≤ n − level and NextB[count] <optcost] do
24:            if x[level] is distinct from x[1],...,x[level-1] then
25:                x[level] = NextCoord[Count]
26:                TSPBranchAndBound(level+1, optcost, optx, n)
27:            end if
28:            Count = Count + 1
29:        end while
30:    end if
31: end procedure
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