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1 Homework 3 (Tutorial 7)

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[ ]: #!/rm -r AI2022MA/  
#!/git clone https://github.com/UmbertoJr/AI2022MA.git && /dev/null
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[ ]: # Imports  
  
#from AI2022MA.IO_manager.io_tsp import TSP_Instance_Creator  
# if you are running from your local remove the prefix AI2020 (comment the  
→previous line and uncomment the following line)  
from IO_manager.io_tsp import TSP_Instance_Creator  
  
ic = TSP_Instance_Creator("standard", 'eil76.tsp')  
ic.print_info()  
#ic.plot_data()
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name: eil76  
nPoints: 76  
best_sol: 538.0
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[ ]: ic = TSP_Instance_Creator("standard", 'ch130.tsp')  
ic.print_info()  
#ic.plot_data()
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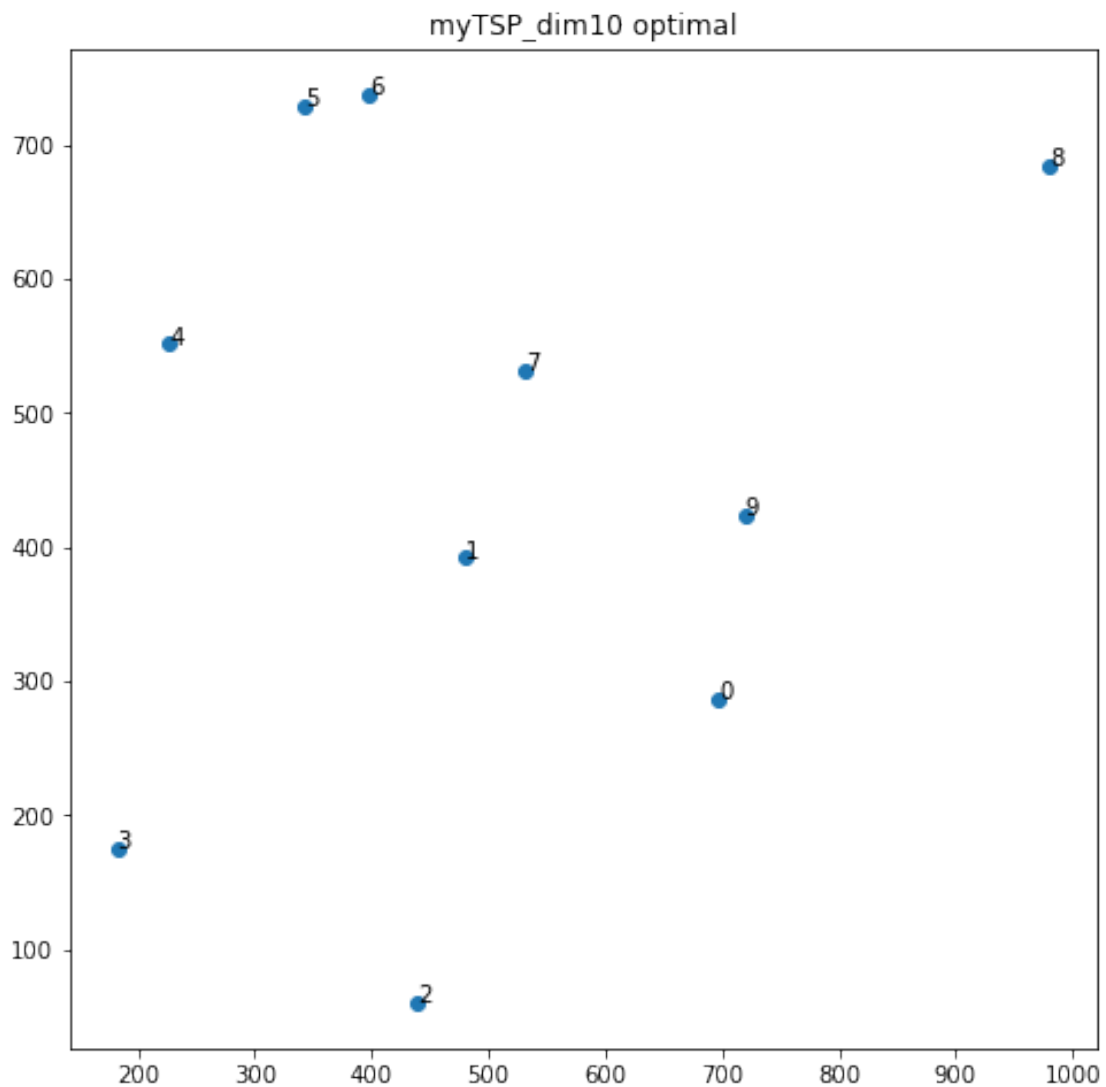
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name: ch130  
nPoints: 130  
best_sol: 6110.0
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[ ]: ic = TSP_Instance_Creator("standard", 'd198.tsp')  
ic.print_info()  
#ic.plot_data()
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name: d198  
nPoints: 198  
best_sol: 15780.0
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[ ]: ic = TSP_Instance_Creator("standard", 'myTSP_dim10.tsp')
ic.print_info()
ic.plot_data()
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name: myTSP_dim10
nPoints: 10
best_sol: 2732.0



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[ ]: import time
from IPython import display
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
%matplotlib notebook
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def plot_tour(instance, tour, ant):
    """plot iteratively the tour for that ant

    Args:
        instance (TSP_Instance_Creator): TSP problem
        tour (list): tour of the ant
        ant (int): ant number
    """
    plt.figure(figsize=(8, 8))
    plt.grid()
    plt.title(f"Tour Ant # {ant}")
    plt.scatter(instance.points[:, 1], instance.points[:, 2])
    for t in range(len(tour)-1):
        xy1, xy2 = tour[t], tour[t+1]
        plt.plot([instance.points[xy1, 1], instance.points[xy2, 1]], [
            instance.points[xy1, 2], instance.points[xy2, 2]],
        color="blue")
        display.clear_output(wait=True)
        display.display(plt.gcf())
        time.sleep(0.1)

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[ ]: import numpy as np
import random
from solvers import local_search
from solvers.constructive_algorithms import nn
from solvers.two_opt_with_candidate import twoOpt_with_cl
from threading import Thread
from time import sleep
# nn takes as input the distance matrix and returns
# the tour and the length constructed with nearest neighbor, i.e.    tour, len_t
    => nn(dist_mat)

# twoOpt takes as input the solution, the actual_len and the distance matrix
# and returns the tour and the length created with 2-opt, i.e.    tour, len_t
    => twoOpt(solution, actual_len, dist_mat)

class ACS:
    m = 10
    beta = 2
    alpha = rho = 0.1
    cl = 15
    q0 = 0.98
    stop_after_secs = 0

    @staticmethod

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def take_candidates(j, dist_mat):
    """take candidate list

    Args:
        j (_type_): city name
        dist_mat (_type_): distance matrix

    Returns:
        _type_: np.array containing candidate list
    """
    return (np.argsort(dist_mat[j])[1:ACS.cl+1])

@staticmethod
def take_other_cities(j, dist_mat):
    """return cities not in the candidate list

    Args:
        j (_type_): city
        dist_mat (_type_): distance matrix

    Returns:
        _type_: list of cities close to city but not in candidate list
    """
    return (np.argsort(dist_mat[j])[ACS.cl+1:])

def __init__(self, instance, q0=None, boost=False, timeStop=180):
    """Constructor

    Args:
        instance (_type_): problem to solve
        q0 (float, optional): . Defaults to None.
        boost (bool, optional): applying 2opt or not. Defaults to False.
        timeStop (int, optional): time after which stopping the algorithm.
    """
    Defaults to 180.
    self.boost = boost
    self.stop_after_secs = timeStop
    if (q0 != None):
        self.q0 = q0
    self.instance = instance
    self.n = instance.nPoints
    self.dist_mat = instance.dist_matrix
    _, self.L_nn = nn(instance.dist_matrix,
                      starting_node=np.random.choice(self.n))
    self.tau0 = 1./(float(self.n) * self.L_nn)

    # position collector for the Ants, TO BE UPDATED during the steps

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self.position = {i: None for i in range(ACS.m)}
self.tour = {i: []
              for i in range(ACS.m)} # tour collector for the Ants
#self.pheromone = {r: [self.tau0]*ACS.cl for r in range(self.n)}
self.pheromone = {r: [self.tau0]*(self.n) for r in range(self.n)}
self.candidate_list = {r: ACS.take_candidates(r, instance.dist_matrix)}
↪for r in range(
    self.n)} # per tutte le citta', prende le citta vicine
#self.eta = {r: [1/self.dist_mat[r, s] for s in ACS.take_candidates(r,
↪instance.dist_matrix)] for r in range(self.n)}
self.eta = {r: [1./(self.dist_mat[r, s]+np.finfo(np.double).eps)
               for s in range(self.n)] for r in range(self.n)}
for k in self.eta:
    self.eta[k][k] = 0.
self.tour_len = {i: 0. for i in range(ACS.m)}
self.best_tour = []
self.best_ant = 0
self.best_tour_len = 10e10
self.iterations = 1000000
self.tour_len_global = []
self.current_iteration = 0
self.tour_len_over_iters = []
self.count_exploitation = 0
self.count_exploration = 0
self.best_len = 0.
self.best_tour_tmp = []

def global_update(self):
    """Global pheromone updating
    """
    for k1, val1 in self.pheromone.items():

        for k2, val2 in self.pheromone.items():

            if (k1 == k2):
                self.pheromone[k1][k2] = 0.
            else:
                delta_tau = 0.
                if (k1 in self.best_tour_tmp and k2 in self.best_tour_tmp):
                    delta_tau = 1./self.best_len

                self.pheromone[k1][k2] = (
                    1. - self.alpha) * self.pheromone[k1][k2] + (self.alpha
↪* delta_tau)

                self.pheromone[k2][k1] = (
                    1. - self.alpha) * self.pheromone[k2][k1] + (self.alpha
↪* delta_tau)

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def solve(self):
    """Solving ACS"""
    threeMinutes = Thread(target=lambda: sleep(self.stop_after_secs))
    threeMinutes.start()
    for iteration in range(self.iterations):
        self.current_iteration = iteration

        self.loop()
        best_tour_ant = min(self.tour_len, key=self.tour_len.get)

        self.best_len = self.tour_len[best_tour_ant]

        self.best_tour_tmp = self.tour[best_tour_ant]
        if (self.best_len < self.best_tour_len):
            self.best_tour_len = self.best_len
            self.best_ant = best_tour_ant
            self.best_tour = self.best_tour_tmp

        if (self.boost):
            self.two_Opt_Improvement()
            self.global_update()
            self.tour_len_over_iters.append(self.best_len)
            self.tour_len_global.append(np.mean(list(self.tour_len.values())))

        if not threeMinutes.is_alive():
            break
        self.tour = {i: [] for i in range(ACS.m)}
        self.position = {i: None for i in range(self.m)}
        self.tour_len = {i: 0. for i in range(self.m)}

def local_update(self, k):
    """local pheromone update"""

    Args:
        k (int): ant number
    """
    old_city = self.tour[k][-2]
    next_city = self.position[k]
    old_ph = self.pheromone[old_city][next_city]
    pheromon = ((1.-self.rho) * old_ph) + (self.rho * self.tau0)
    self.pheromone[old_city][next_city] = pheromon
    self.pheromone[next_city][old_city] = pheromon
    self.tour_len[k] += self.dist_mat[old_city, next_city]

def loop(self):

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"""each ant constructs its own tour
    """

for node_idx in range(self.n):

    if (node_idx < self.n-1):

        for k in range(self.m):
            if (self.position[k] == None):
                self.position[k] = np.random.randint(
                    low=0, high=self.n-1)

                self.tour[k].append(self.position[k])
                q = np.random.random()

                eta_beta = np.power(self.eta[self.position[k]], self.beta)

                s_list = eta_beta * \
                    np.array(self.pheromone[self.position[k]])
                s_list_cities = np.argsort(s_list)

                if (q < self.q0):
                    self.count_exploitation += 1
                    #next_city = max(s_dict, key=s_dict.get)

                    for i in range(self.n):
                        if (s_list_cities[self.n-1-i] not in self.tour[k]):
                            next_city = s_list_cities[self.n-1-i]
                            break

                    self.position[k] = next_city
                    self.tour[k].append(next_city)

                else:

                    possible_cities = []
                    new_s_list = []
                    for i in range(self.n):
                        if (i not in self.tour[k]):
                            new_s_list.append(s_list[i])

                            possible_cities.append(i)
                    sum_val = sum(new_s_list)
                    prob = new_s_list/sum_val

                    next_city = random.choices(
                        possible_cities, weights=prob, k=1)[0]

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        self.tour[k].append(next_city)
        self.position[k] = next_city

        self.count_exploration += 1

        self.local_update(k)
    else:
        for k in range(self.m):
            self.tour[k].append(self.tour[k][0])
            self.tour_len[k] += self.dist_mat[self.tour[k]
                                                [-2], self.tour[k][-1]]

def two_Opt_Improvement(self):
    """two opt with CL
    """
    best_tour_new, best_tour_len_new = twoOpt_with_cl(
        self.best_tour_tmp, self.best_len, self.dist_mat, self.
↪candidate_list)
    if (best_tour_len_new < self.best_len):
        self.best_len, self.best_tour_tmp = best_tour_len_new, best_tour_new
        if (self.best_len < self.best_tour_len):

            self.best_tour, self.best_tour_len = best_tour_new, ↪
↪best_tour_len_new

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[ ]: import pandas as pd
      %matplotlib tk
      seeds = [0, 42, 123]
      q_s = [0.5, 0.98, 1.]
      instances = ["eil76.tsp", "ch130.tsp", "d198.tsp"]
      results = pd.DataFrame(columns=['q', 'boost', 'best integer len',
                                     '# iterations', 'AVG integer len', 'STD ', 'Optimum', ↪
↪'Rel error'])
      counter = -1
      results.to_csv("CSV/results5.csv")
      list_len_over_iter = []
      list_of_len_global = []
      for q in q_s[1:2]:

          if (q == 1.):
              q = q-(13./ic.nPoints)
              print(f"----- Q0 = {q} -----")
              for seed in seeds:
                  print(f"----- SEED = {seed} -----")
                  random.seed(seed)
                  np.random.seed(seed)

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for boost in [True, False]:
    print(f"----- Boost/2opt = {boost} -----")

    results = {i: [] for i in instances}
    for instance in instances:

        print(f"----- INSTANCE = {instance} -----")
        ic = TSP_Instance_Creator("standard", instance)

        acs = ACS(ic, q, boost, 180)
        # print(acs.pheromone)
        # print(acs.candidate_list)
        acs.solve()
        results[instance].append(q)
        results[instance].append(boost)
        results[instance].append(acs.best_tour_len)
        results[instance].append(acs.current_iteration)
        results[instance].append(np.mean(acs.tour_len_global))
        results[instance].append(np.std(acs.tour_len_global))
        results[instance].append(ic.best_sol)
        results[instance].append(
            ((acs.best_tour_len-ic.best_sol)*100.)/ic.best_sol)
        list_of_len_global.append(np.mean(acs.tour_len_global))
        list_len_over_iter.append(acs.tour_len_over_iters)

        print("best gap (%) = ",
              ((acs.best_tour_len-ic.best_sol)*100.)/ic.best_sol)
        print("best cost = ", acs.best_tour_len)
        print("numbers of tours generated = ",
              acs.current_iteration*acs.m)

    counter += 1
    results = pd.DataFrame(results).T
    results.columns = ['q', 'boost', 'best integer len',
                      '# iterations', 'AVG integer len', 'STD ',
                      'Optimum', 'Rel error']
    results.to_csv("CSV/results5.csv", mode='a', header=False)
    print(results)

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Warning: Cannot change to a different GUI toolkit: tk. Using notebook instead.

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----- Q0 = 0.98 -----
----- SEED = 0 -----
----- Boost/2opt = True -----
----- INSTANCE = eil76.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 2.973977695167286
best cost = 554.0
numbers of tours generated = 26380

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----- INSTANCE = ch130.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 4.25531914893617
best cost = 6370.0
numbers of tours generated = 10480
----- INSTANCE = d198.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 7.522179974651458
best cost = 16967.0
numbers of tours generated = 5420
      q boost best integer len # iterations AVG integer len \
eil76.tsp 0.98 True          554.0          2638      762.828837
ch130.tsp 0.98 True          6370.0          1048      8686.563584
d198.tsp  0.98 True          16967.0          542     22155.424678

      STD Optimum Rel error
eil76.tsp 12.241814   538.0 2.973978
ch130.tsp 145.095826  6110.0 4.255319
d198.tsp  349.936575 15780.0 7.52218
----- Boost/2opt = False -----
----- INSTANCE = eil76.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 10.594795539033457
best cost = 595.0
numbers of tours generated = 90850
----- INSTANCE = ch130.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 17.626841243862522
best cost = 7187.0
numbers of tours generated = 25370
----- INSTANCE = d198.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 15.481622306717364
best cost = 18223.0
numbers of tours generated = 8650
      q boost best integer len # iterations AVG integer len \
eil76.tsp 0.98 False          595.0          9085      761.982468
ch130.tsp 0.98 False          7187.0          2537      8685.18357
d198.tsp  0.98 False          18223.0          865     22182.932333

      STD Optimum Rel error
eil76.tsp 12.267007   538.0 10.594796
ch130.tsp 137.854559  6110.0 17.626841
d198.tsp  345.9232   15780.0 15.481622
----- SEED = 42 -----
----- Boost/2opt = True -----
----- INSTANCE = eil76.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 2.7881040892193307
best cost = 553.0
numbers of tours generated = 27050
----- INSTANCE = ch130.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 3.6824877250409167
best cost = 6335.0

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numbers of tours generated = 10810
----- INSTANCE = d198.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 7.414448669201521
best cost = 16950.0
numbers of tours generated = 5450
      q boost best integer len # iterations AVG integer len \
eil76.tsp 0.98 True          553.0          2705          762.646452
ch130.tsp 0.98 True          6335.0         1081          8682.119131
d198.tsp  0.98 True          16950.0          545          22183.670696

      STD Optimum Rel error
eil76.tsp 12.385073  538.0 2.788104
ch130.tsp 145.839661 6110.0 3.682488
d198.tsp  358.742756 15780.0 7.414449
----- Boost/2opt = False -----
----- INSTANCE = eil76.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 14.312267657992566
best cost = 615.0
numbers of tours generated = 90750
----- INSTANCE = ch130.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 15.793780687397708
best cost = 7075.0
numbers of tours generated = 25290
----- INSTANCE = d198.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 16.134347275031686
best cost = 18326.0
numbers of tours generated = 8630
      q boost best integer len # iterations AVG integer len \
eil76.tsp 0.98 False          615.0          9075          762.041935
ch130.tsp 0.98 False          7075.0         2529          8681.988498
d198.tsp  0.98 False          18326.0          863          22180.026736

      STD Optimum Rel error
eil76.tsp 12.200081  538.0 14.312268
ch130.tsp 139.869648 6110.0 15.793781
d198.tsp  352.19132 15780.0 16.134347
----- SEED = 123 -----
----- Boost/2opt = True -----
----- INSTANCE = eil76.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 2.41635687732342
best cost = 551.0
numbers of tours generated = 27050
----- INSTANCE = ch130.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 4.5499181669394435
best cost = 6388.0
numbers of tours generated = 10750
----- INSTANCE = d198.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 9.024081115335868

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best cost = 17204.0
numbers of tours generated = 5490
      q boost best integer len # iterations AVG integer len \
eil76.tsp 0.98 True          551.0          2705          762.657354
ch130.tsp 0.98 True          6388.0         1075          8688.969238
d198.tsp  0.98 True          17204.0          549         22162.425091

      STD Optimum Rel error
eil76.tsp 12.33162  538.0  2.416357
ch130.tsp 150.051927 6110.0 4.549918
d198.tsp 364.426275 15780.0 9.024081
----- Boost/2opt = False -----
----- INSTANCE = eil76.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 14.312267657992566
best cost = 615.0
numbers of tours generated = 90620
----- INSTANCE = ch130.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 12.553191489361701
best cost = 6877.0
numbers of tours generated = 25310
----- INSTANCE = d198.tsp -----
best gap (%) = 15.17743979721166
best cost = 18175.0
numbers of tours generated = 8620
      q boost best integer len # iterations AVG integer len \
eil76.tsp 0.98 False          615.0          9062          762.262992
ch130.tsp 0.98 False          6877.0         2531          8686.274882
d198.tsp  0.98 False          18175.0          862         22198.765933

      STD Optimum Rel error
eil76.tsp 12.353686  538.0 14.312268
ch130.tsp 140.373739 6110.0 12.553191
d198.tsp 349.61374 15780.0 15.17744

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[ ]: %matplotlib inline
n_plots = len(list_len_over_iter)
num_rows = int(n_plots/3)
fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=num_rows, ncols=3 , figsize=(50, 80))
plt.grid()
row = -1
#print(axes.size)
cols = ['TSP Problem {}'.format(instances[col]) for col in range(3)]
rows = ['TSP {}'.format(row) for row in range(int(len(list_len_over_iter)/3))]
# ((np.array(list_len_over_iter[i])-ic.best_sol)*100.)/ic.best_sol
count = -3
for ax, col in zip(axes[0], cols):
    ax.set_title(col)

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boost_list=["2OPT\nMEAN=RED LINE", "NO 2 OPT\nMEAN=RED LINE"]

print(np.array(list_len_over_iter[0]).flatten())
#print("len of array of statistics", np.array(list_len_over_iter))
opt_solutions = [TSP_Instance_Creator("standard", instances[0]).best_sol,
↳TSP_Instance_Creator("standard", instances[1]).best_sol,
↳TSP_Instance_Creator("standard", instances[2]).best_sol]

for i in range(3):
    count_step = 3
    count = -3
    step_mean = int(300./(i+1))
    legend_index = 0
    for ax, row in zip(axes[:,i], rows):
        print("row # ", row)
        ax.set_ylabel("GAP", rotation=0, size='large')
        ax.set_xlabel("Iterations", rotation=0, size='large')
        ax.grid()

        #ax.plot(list(range(len(list_len_over_iter[count+3]))),
↳list_len_over_iter[count+3])
        #ax.plot([np.argmin(list_len_over_iter[count+3])],
↳min(list_len_over_iter[count+3]), color='red')
        means = []

        count_m = -step_mean
        lenght_x = []
        #print("len of the array", len(list_len_over_iter[i+count+count_step]))
        if(count+count_step+i<len(list_len_over_iter)):
            for j in np.array(list_len_over_iter[i+count+count_step]):
↳step_mean]:
                means.append((np.mean(np.
↳array(list_len_over_iter[i+count+count_step]).flatten()[count_m+step_mean:
↳count_m+2*step_mean])-opt_solutions[i])*100./opt_solutions[i])
                lenght_x.append(count_m+step_mean)
                count_m+=step_mean
                #print("len mean ", lenght_x, "values mean ", means)

            ax.
↳plot(list(range(int(len(list_len_over_iter[i+count+count_step])))), ( np.
↳array(list_len_over_iter[i+count+count_step])-opt_solutions[i])*100./
↳opt_solutions[i], label="GAP")
            try:
                ax.plot(lenght_x, means, color='red',
↳label=boost_list[legend_index%2])

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        ax.legend(loc="upper right", shadow=True)
        legend_index+=1

    except:
        print("out of range")

    count+=count_step

    #plt.plot([np.argmax(acs.tour_len_over_iters), np.argmin(acs.
    ↪tour_len_over_iters)], [max(acs.tour_len_over_iters), min(acs.
    ↪tour_len_over_iters)], color="blue")
plt.show()

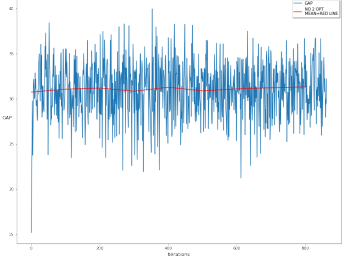
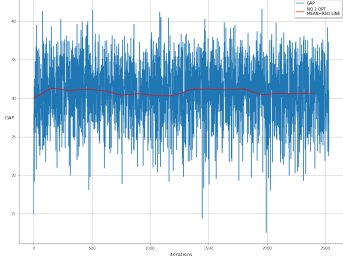
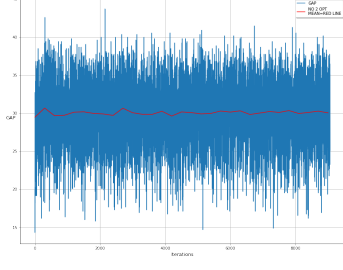
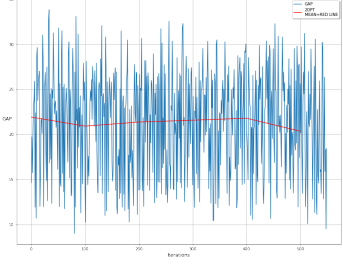
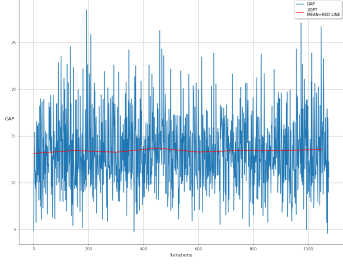
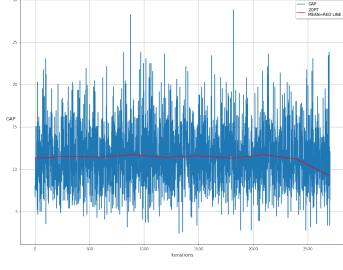
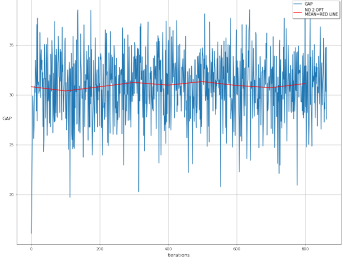
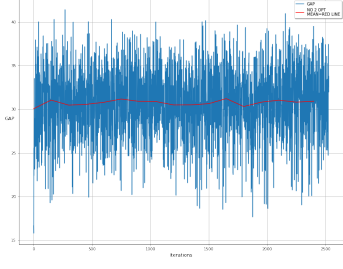
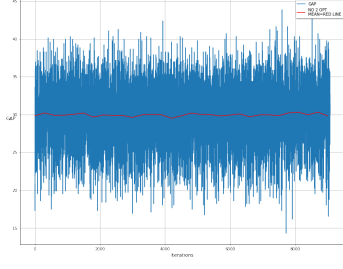
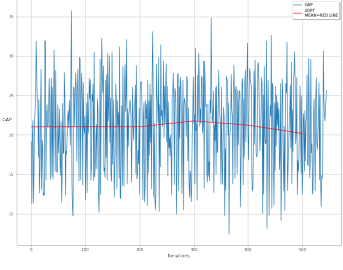
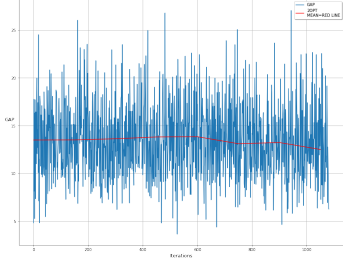
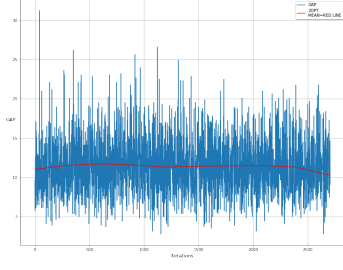
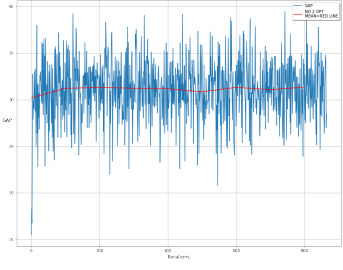
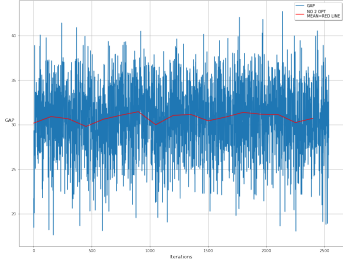
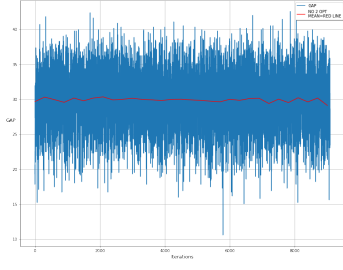
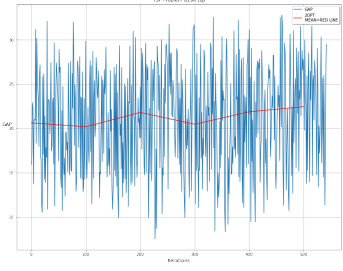
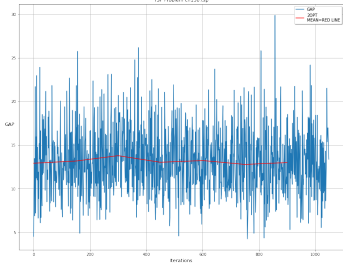
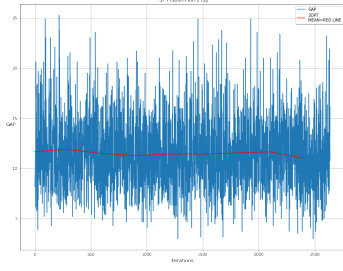
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[582. 585. 589. ... 606. 596. 599.]
```

```

row #   TSP 0
row #   TSP 1
row #   TSP 2
row #   TSP 3
row #   TSP 4
row #   TSP 5
row #   TSP 0
row #   TSP 1
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```



1.1 ANT TOUR (REALTIME)

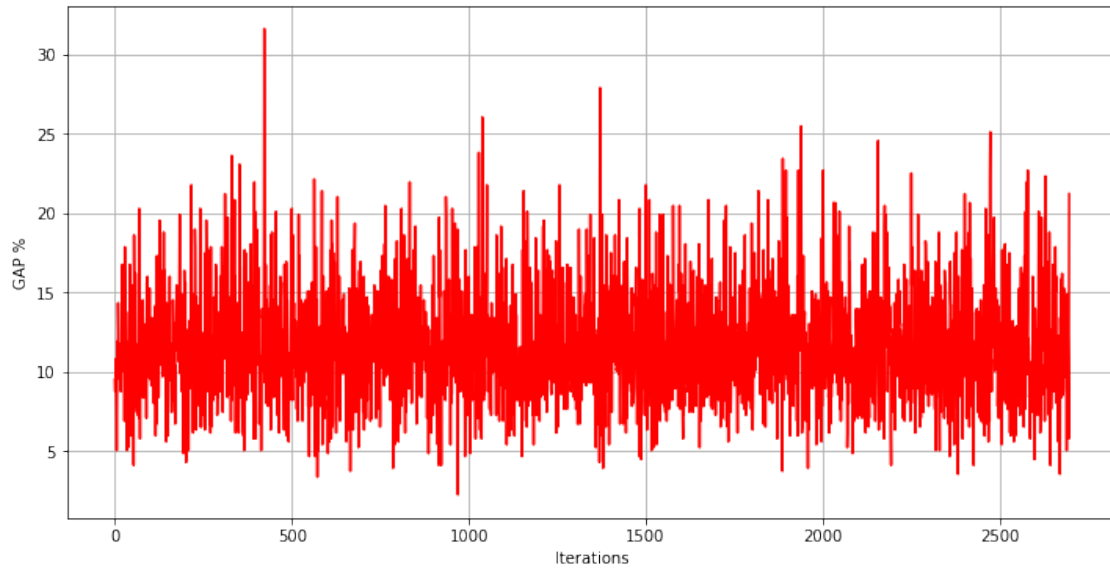
I will show how the best ant will build its own tour on the TSP eil76

```
[ ]: instance = instances[0]
print(instance)
ic = TSP_Instance_Creator("standard", instance)
np.random.seed(43)
acs = ACS(ic, 0.98, boost=True, timeStop=180)
#print(acs.tour_len_over_iters)
#print(acs.eta)
acs.solve()
```

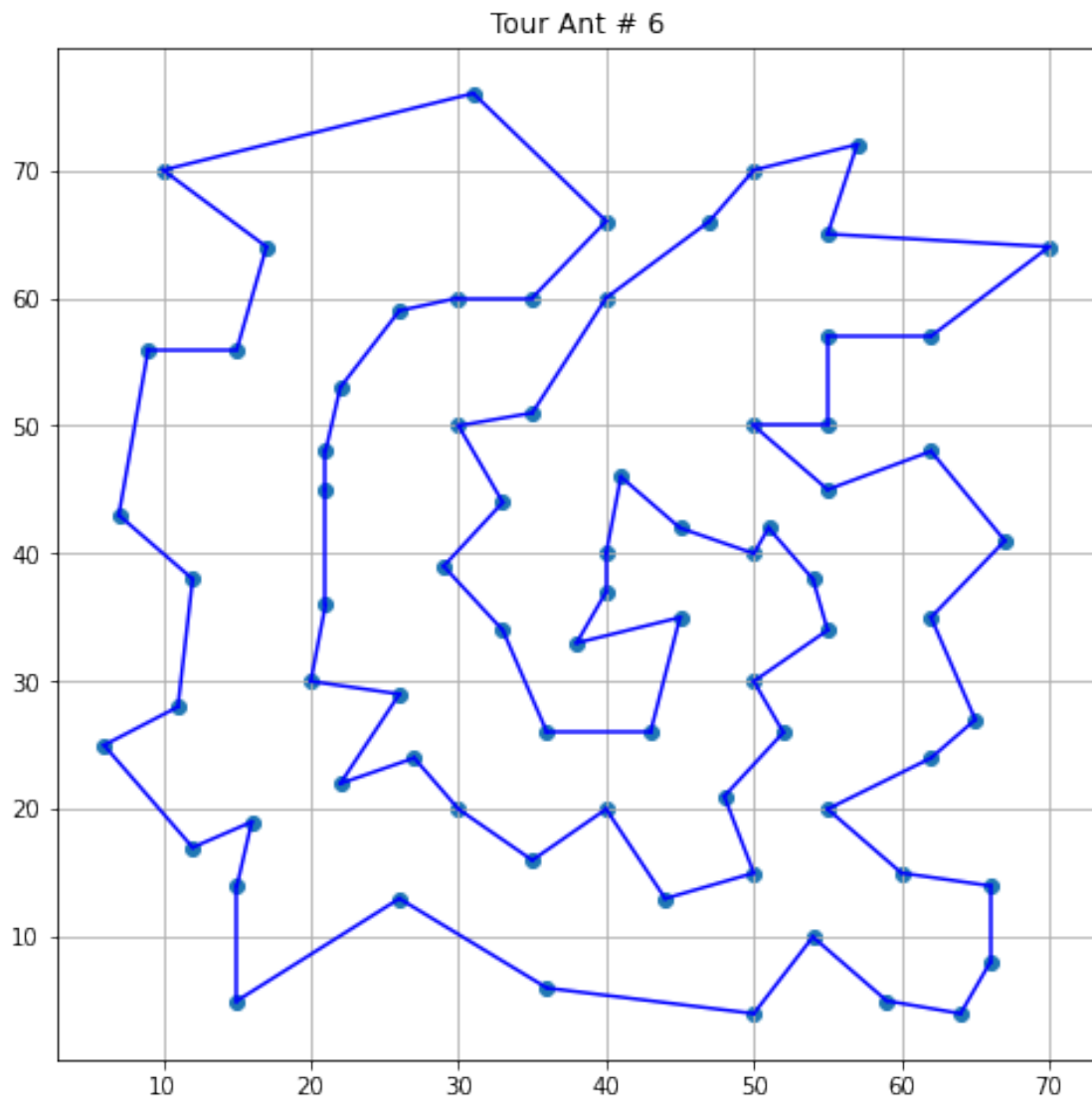
eil76.tsp

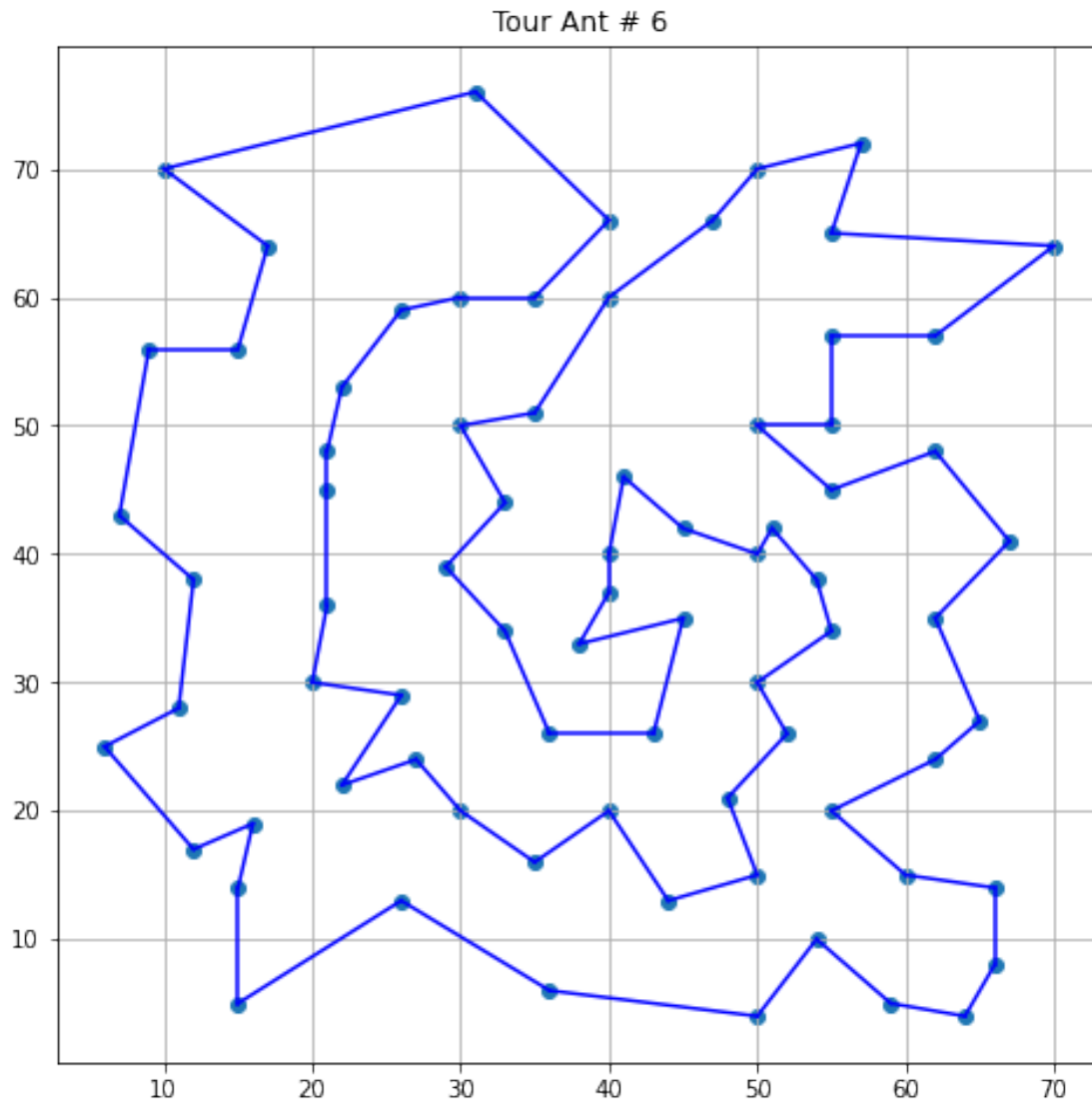
```
[ ]: %matplotlib inline
print(np.argsort(acs.tour_len_over_iters[:]))
print(type(acs.tour_len_over_iters[0]))
total= float(acs.count_exploitation)+float(acs.count_exploration)
print("exploitations= ", float(acs.count_exploitation)*100/total, " % ")
print("solution NN: ", acs.L_nn, " mine: ", acs.best_tour_len)
fig= plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
plt.grid()
plt.ylabel("GAP %")
plt.xlabel("Iterations")
plt.plot(list(range(int(acs.current_iteration)+1)), ((np.array(acs.
    ↳tour_len_over_iters[:])-ic.best_sol)*100.)/ic.best_sol, color="red")
#print(acs.tour_len_over_iters)
#plt.plot([np.argmax(acs.tour_len_over_iters), np.argmin(acs.
    ↳tour_len_over_iters)], [max(acs.tour_len_over_iters), min(acs.
    ↳tour_len_over_iters)], color="blue")
plt.show()
```

```
[ 969  572 2382 ... 1038 1371  422]
<class 'numpy.ndarray'>
exploitations=  97.99090347299469  %
solution NN:  636.0  mine:  550.0
```

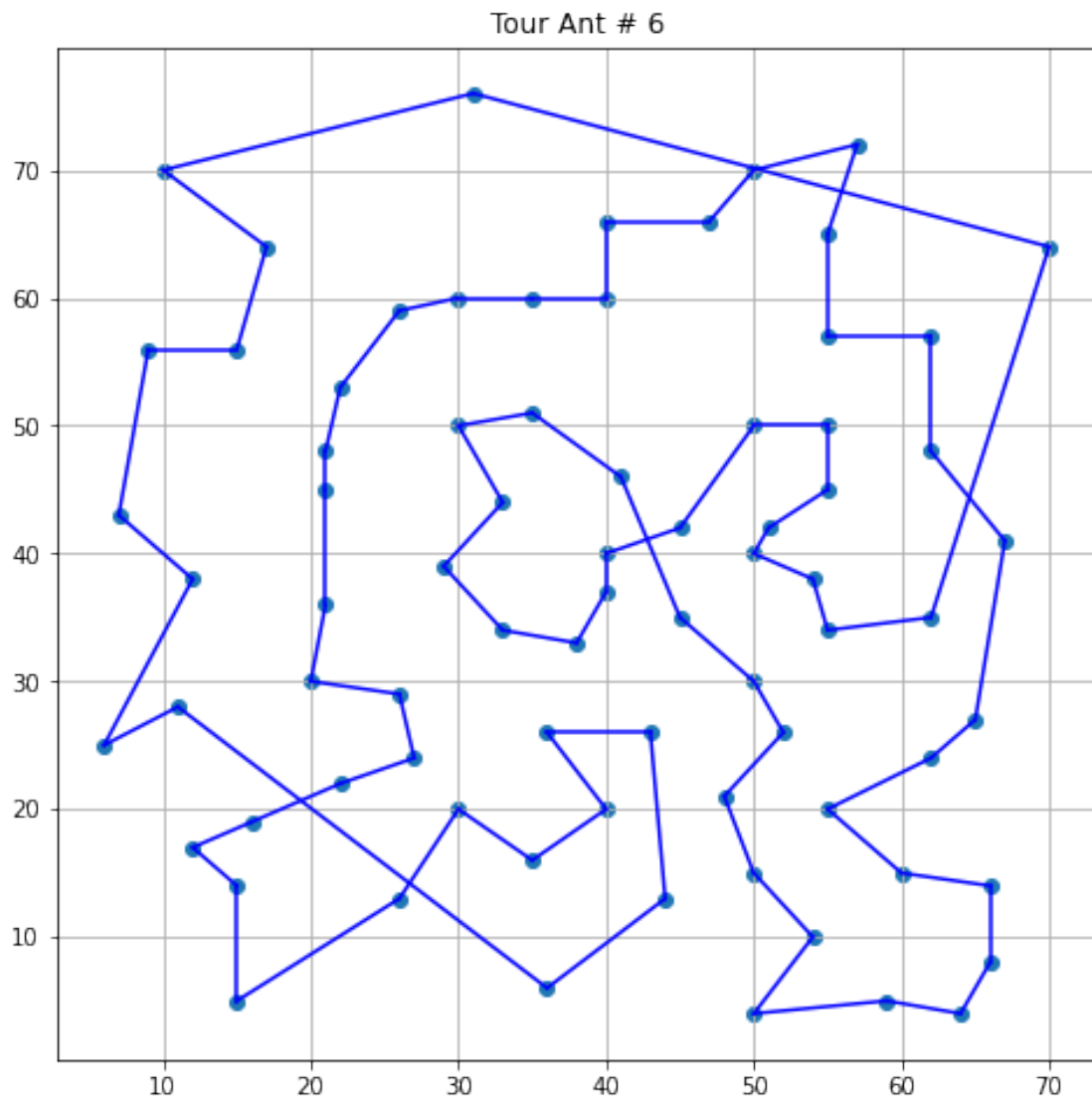
```
[ ]: %matplotlib inline
plot_tour(acs.instance, acs.best_tour, acs.best_ant)
```

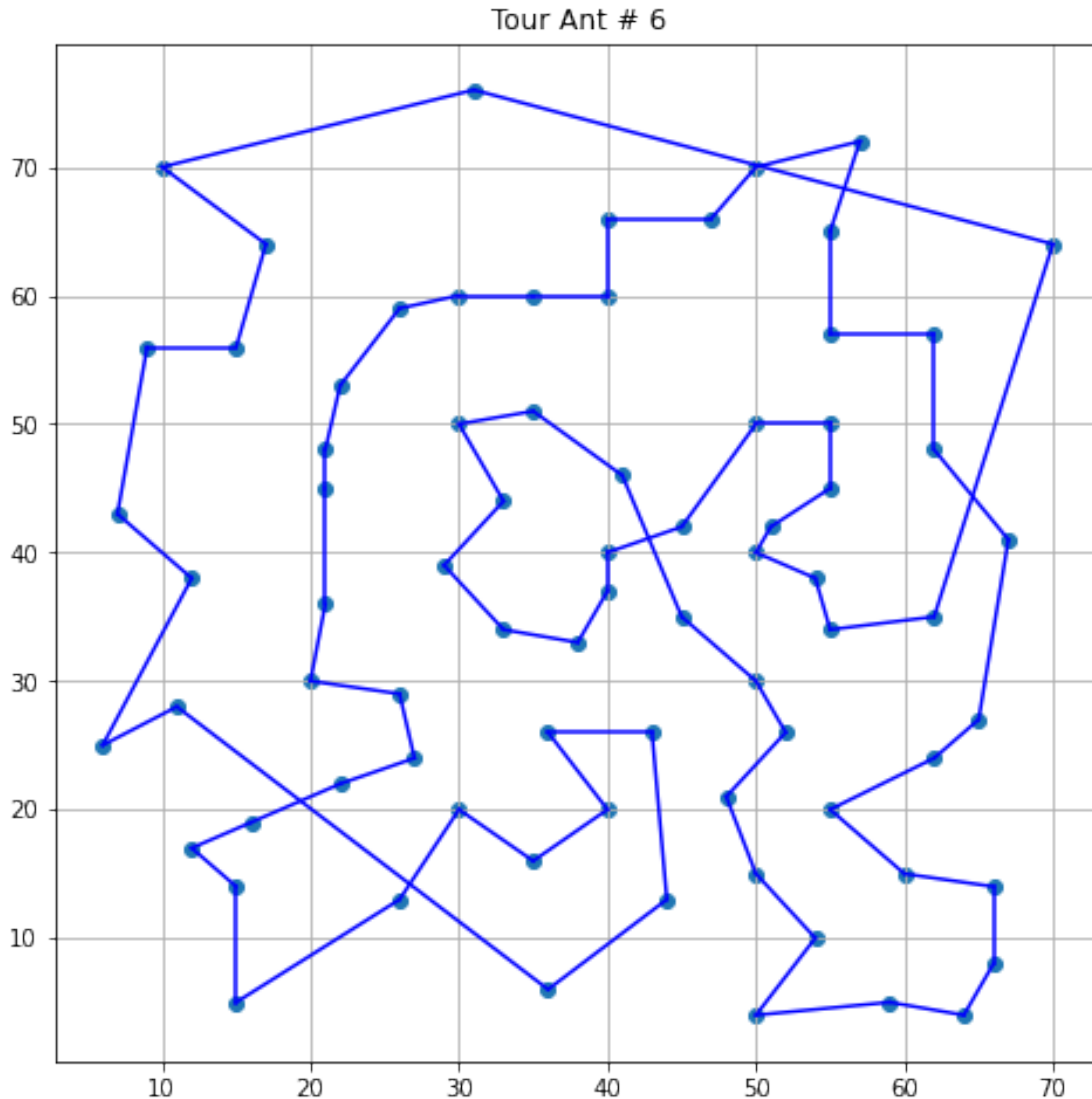




Comparing with NN tour solution

```
[ ]: %matplotlib inline
t, L_nn = nn(acs.instance.dist_matrix,
             starting_node=np.random.choice(acs.n))
t.append(t[0])
plot_tour(acs.instance, t, acs.best_ant)
```





2 REPORT

Overall, I got good results with the ANT colony system as shown in the plots above. Indeed, if one looks at the results called “results_final”. I run different combinations: 3 different q_0 , 2 different variants, 3 different seeds, and 3 different instances.

For instance, for problem eil76 I got the minimum value equal to 2.97. For plots I only considered just ANTS with $q_0=0.98$.

```
[ ]: data = pd.read_csv("CSV/results_final.csv")
data = data.rename(columns={"Unnamed: 0": "Instance"})

print("Min gap % for instance eil76.tsp:\n")
```

```

print(data.loc[data["Instance"] == "eil76.tsp"].min())
print("\nMin gap % for instance ch130.tsp:\n")
print(data.loc[data["Instance"] == "ch130.tsp"].min())
print("\nMin gap % for instance d198.tsp:\n")
print(data.loc[data["Instance"] == "d198.tsp"].min())
array_min_gap = [data.loc[data["Instance"] == "eil76.tsp"]["Rel error"].min(),
↳data.loc[data["Instance"] == "ch130.tsp"]["Rel error"].min(), data.
↳loc[data["Instance"] == "d198.tsp"]["Rel error"].min()]
plt.figure(figsize=(12,8))
plt.bar(instances, array_min_gap)
plt.xlabel("INSTANCES")
plt.ylabel("GAP %")
plt.grid()
plt.title("BEST RESULTS")
plt.show()

```

Min gap % for instance eil76.tsp:

Instance	eil76.tsp
q	0.5
boost	False
best integer len	554.0
# iterations	392
AVG integer len	761.133842
STD	12.307499
Optimum	538.0
Rel error	2.973978
dtype: object	

Min gap % for instance ch130.tsp:

Instance	ch130.tsp
q	0.5
boost	False
best integer len	6314.0
# iterations	217
AVG integer len	8660.843798
STD	145.806526
Optimum	6110.0
Rel error	3.338789
dtype: object	

Min gap % for instance d198.tsp:

Instance	d198.tsp
q	0.5
boost	False

best integer len 16950.0
iterations 54
AVG integer len 21978.785
STD 393.788252
Optimum 15780.0
Rel error 7.414449
dtype: object

