Assignment 4 - Print Pretty

1) How to execute the code?

python print neatly test.py

Note: The text files should be in the same folder as the python file.

2) Reflection

In this program the aim is to format the text using dynamic programming so that the final output is pretty to see.

The input given is a text file containing words and the no of characters a line can hold. We have to arrange the words in such a way that the no of empty characters in the end of line is minimum and also to arrange the words so that each line has similar no of empty characters in the end.

We do this using dynamic programming. We first calculate the word length and hold it in an array. And then build the cost matrix which holds the square of empty spaces in the end of line. This is calculated by subtracting the length of all the words in a line + the empty spaces between words by the maximum characters a line can hold and then squaring it.

We then build a cost array which is the cost of including a particular word in a line. By using cost array and cost matrix we find the minimum cost. We hold the index of that word in path array which tells which all words go in a particular line.

3) Testing Output

4) Static Analysis / Compilation Output

Below is the output from flake8

5) Source Code

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import math
INFINITY = float('inf')

cost_matrix = []
cost_array = []
word_length = []
path_array = []
maxWidth = 0
noofwords = 0
words_array = []

def calculate_word_length(words):
    for word in words:
        word_length.append(len(word))

def print_neatly(words, M):
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global noofwords
    global maxWidth
    global cost matrix
    global cost_array
    global word_length
    global path_array
    global words_array
    noofwords = len(words)
    maxWidth = M
    cost_matrix = [[0 for j in range(noofwords)]for i in range(noofwords)]
    cost_array = [0 for j in range(noofwords)]
    word_length = []
    path array = [0 for j in range(noofwords)]
    words array = words
    calculate_word_length(words)
    build_cost_matrix()
    i = j = noofwords-1
    for i in reversed(range(noofwords)):
        j = noofwords - 1
        min_cost = cost_matrix[i][j]
        min_index = j
        if cost_matrix[i][j] is not INFINITY:
            cost_array[i] = cost_matrix[i][j]
            path_array[i] = j + 1
        else:
            while j > i:
                if cost matrix[i][j-1] is not INFINITY:
                    temp_cost = cost_array[j] + cost_matrix[i][j-1]
                    if min_cost > temp_cost:
                        min_cost = temp_cost
                        min_index = j
                    j -= 1
                else:
                    j -= 1
            cost_array[i] = min_cost
            path array[i] = min index
    string_text = string_builder()
    return cost_array, string_text
def build_cost_matrix():
    for i in range(noofwords):
        for j in range(i, noofwords):
            if i != j:
                if cost_matrix[i][j-1] != INFINITY:
                    sub_total_length = maxWidth - int(math.sqrt(cost_matrix[i][j-1]))
                    total_length = word_length[j] + sub_total_length + 1
                    empty_space = maxWidth - total_length
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else:
                     empty\_space = -1
             else:
                 total_length = word_length[j]
                 empty_space = maxWidth - total_length
             if empty_space < 0:</pre>
                 cost_matrix[i][j] = INFINITY
            else:
                 cost_matrix[i][j] = empty_space * empty_space
def string_builder():
    stringer = ''
    i = 0
    while i < noofwords:</pre>
        end_index = path_array[i]
        for j in range(i, end_index):
            stringer += words_array[j]
             if j < end_index-1:</pre>
                 stringer += ' '
        i = path_array[i]
        if i < noofwords:</pre>
             stringer += '\n'
    return stringer
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