

Assignment 1: Solutions

IS711: Learning and Planning in Intelligent Systems

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1 Question #1

1.1 Answer to Question #1.1

We can formulate the problem with the following definitions:

- **State space:**
 - the top block on the table
- **Initial state:**
 - the top block on the table is the block A
- **Goal state:**
 - the top block on the table is the block C
- **Possible Operators:**
- **Path cost:**

1.2 Answer to Question #1.2

In the initial state con_0 , we can do the operation $moveTo(2,1)$, $moveToTable(2)$, $moveTo(1,2)$, $moveToTable(1)$, and get different configurations respectively, con_1 , con_2 , con_3 , con_4 , based on the formula $f(n) = g(n) + h(n)$, we can get the estimated the cost of each configuration and

the first four nodes with the search tree are shown below, clearly indicate: the order of expansion of each node; the action corresponding to each edge of the tree; the state, $f(n)$ value that sum of heuristic value with real cost.

2 Question #2

Cutting:40hrs, Assembly:42hrs, Finishing: 25hrs Sofa: 201hr of cutting, 2hrsof assembly, 1hr of finishing Chair : 30 2 hrs of cutting, 1 hr of assembly, 1 hr of finishing

The calculation is as follows:

- **Variables:** X1 : manufacture one unit of sofa X2: manufacture one unit of chair
- **Constraints:**
- **Objective:**
- **Solution:**

3 Question #3

Let's use (X,Y) represent the value that the first dice is X , and the second is Y , total 36 possibilities of the results for (X,Y) of rolling two fair six-sided dice at one time.

$$P(\text{win \$1 in first round}) = P(1,1) + P(2,3) + P(3,2) + P(1,4) + P(4,1) + P(1,6) + P(6,1) + P(3,4) + P(4,3) + P(2,5) + P(5,2) + P(4,6) + P(6,4) + P(5,5) = 7/18$$

$$P(\text{lose \$1 in first round}) = P(1,5) + P(5,1) + P(3,3) + P(2,4) + P(4,2) + P(6,6) = 1/6$$

$$P(\text{play one more round}) = 1 - 7/18 - 1/6 = 4/9$$

$$P(\text{win \$2 in second round} \mid \text{play one more round}) = P(2,2) + P(1,3) + P(3,1) + P(1,5) + P(5,1) + P(3,3) + P(4,2) + P(2,4) + P(6,1) + P(6,1) + P(3,4) + P(4,3) + P(2,5) + P(5,2) + P(2,6) + P(6,2) + P(3,5) + P(5,3) + P(4,4) = 19/36$$

$P(\text{lose \$1 in second round} \mid \text{play one more round}) = 1 - 17/36 = 5/9$ Expected value of game: $(7/18)*1 + (1/6)*(-1) + (4/9)*(19/36)*2 + (4/9)*(17/36)*(-1) = 13/27 > 0$ $P(\text{winning}) = P(\text{win \$1 in first round}) + P(\text{play one more round}) * P(\text{win \$2 in second round} \mid \text{play one more round}) = 101/162$ The probability of winning is 101/162 As expected value is much bigger than 0, and win probability is bigger than 0.5, I will play this game.

4 Question #4

4.1 Answer to Question #4.1

4.2 Answer to Question #4.2

4.3 Answer to Question #4.3

5 Question #5

6 Question #6

6.1 Answer to Question #6.a

There are 4 states, $S = (L1, L2, L3, L4)$. Actions, $A = (\text{"wait to pick up a custom"}, \text{"MoveToL1"}, \text{"MoveToL1"}, \text{"MoveToL2"}, \text{"MoveToL3"}, \text{"MoveToL4"})$ Reward function's value are shows as below table

6.2 Answer to Question #6.b