

Description:

C program that solves the Longest Common Subsequence problem, and reports execution time using clock().

Source Code:

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#include <stdio.h>

#include <string.h>

#include <time.h>

// Function to find the maximum of two integers
int max(int a, int b) {
    return (a > b) ? a : b;
}

// Function to find the Longest Common Subsequence (LCS)
int lcs(char *X, char *Y, int m, int n) {
    int L[m + 1][n + 1]; // DP table to store lengths of LCS

    // Fill the L table in bottom-up manner
    for (int i = 0; i <= m; i++) {
        for (int j = 0; j <= n; j++) {
            if (i == 0 || j == 0) {
                L[i][j] = 0; // Base case: if either string is empty, LCS is 0
            } else if (X[i - 1] == Y[j - 1]) {
                L[i][j] = L[i - 1][j - 1] + 1; // Characters match, add 1 to diagonal
            } else {
                L[i][j] = max(L[i - 1][j], L[i][j - 1]); // Characters don't match, take max of above or left
            }
        }
    }
}
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}

// L[m][n] contains the length of LCS. Now, reconstruct the LCS string.

int index = L[m][n];

char lcs_str[index + 1];

lcs_str[index] = '\0'; // Null-terminate the string

int i = m, j = n;

while (i > 0 && j > 0) {
    if (X[i - 1] == Y[j - 1]) {
        lcs_str[index - 1] = X[i - 1]; // Character is part of LCS

        i--;
        j--;
        index--;
    } else if (L[i - 1][j] > L[i][j - 1]) {
        i--; // Move up
    } else {
        j--; // Move left
    }
}

printf("Longest Common Subsequence: %s\n", lcs_str);

return L[m][n]; // Return the length of LCS
}

int main() {
    clock_t start, end;

    double cpu_time_used;

    char X[] = "AGGTAB";
    char Y[] = "GXTXAYB";

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int m = strlen(X);  
int n = strlen(Y);  
start=clock();  
printf("Length of LCS is %d\n", lcs(X, Y, m, n));  
end = clock();  
cpu_time_used = ((double)(end - start) / CLOCKS_PER_SEC);  
printf("Execution time: %f seconds\n", cpu_time_used);  
return 0;  
}
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Output:

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Longest Common Subsequence: GTAB  
Length of LCS is 4  
Execution time: 0.000044 seconds
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