

1. Consider a modification of the rod-cutting problem in which, in addition to a price p_i for each rod, each cut incurs a fixed cost of c . The revenue associated with a solution is now the sum of prices of the peices minus the cost of making the cut.
 - (a) Give a dynamic-programming algorithm to solve this modified problem, including the mathematical expression for the maximum revenue and the pseudocode.
 - (b) Show the maximum revenue r_j and the optimal size s_j of the first piece to cut off, when $c = 1$ and

length i	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
price p_i	1	4	5	9	10	12	15	18	19	20

2. Find an optimal parenthesization of a matrix-chain product $A_1A_2A_3A_4A_5$, whose sequence of dimensions is $p = (5, 6, 3, 7, 5, 3, 4)$.
 - (a) Compute the dynamic programming m -table and s -table.
 - (b) Show the optimal parenthesization.
3. For the sequences $X = \langle B, C, A, A, B, A \rangle$ and $Y = \langle A, B, A, C, B \rangle$,
 - (a) Follow the pseudocode LCS-LENGTH to fill in the dynamic programming c - and b -tables for finding the longest common subsequence (LCS) of X and Y .
 - (b) Follow the pseudocodes PRINT-LCS, list the LCS.
4. Two character strings may have many common substrings. Substrings are required to be contiguous in the original string. For example, *photograph* and *tomography* have several common substrings of length one (i.e., single letters), and common substrings *ph*, *to*, and *ograph* (as well as all the substrings of *ograph*). The maximum common substring (MCS) length is 6.

Let $X = x_1x_2 \cdots x_m$ and $Y = y_1y_2 \cdots y_n$ be two character strings.

 - (a) Give a dynamic programming algorithm to find the MCS length for X and Y .
 - (b) Analyze the worst-case running time and space requirements of your algorithm as functions of n and m .
 - (c) Demonstrate your dynamic programming algorithm for finding the MCS length of character strings *cabccb* and *babcb* by constructing the dynamic programming tables.
5. This problem continues Problem 6 of Homework #4 to solve the following 0-1 knapsack problem by using dynamic programming:

Given six items $\{(v_i, w_i)\}$ for $i = 1, 2, \dots, 6$ as follows:

i	v_i	w_i
1	40	100
2	35	50
3	18	45
4	4	20
5	10	10
6	2	5

and the total weight $W = 100$, where v_i and w_i are the value and weight of item i , respectively. Compute the solution by dynamic programming and comment your findings.

You need to outline your DP algorithm, not just given the answer. Since W is pretty big, you need to write a short program to do the calculation and submit a hardcopy of your program.