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A. Ski

Submission#: 192560785

In this program, I start off with allocating 2 int to get row and column size, two 2D vector for input values(heights) "Resort Matrix" and for path to solve at each point "Matrix to Solve". I start by taking input heights for "Resort Matrix", then I go and compute longest path at each point save path value to "Matrix to Solve". I implemented a function that computes all possible paths at each point, checking 4 possible paths using if[i,j] > [(i-1,j)(i-1,j)], [(i+1,j)(i+1,j)], [(i,j-1)(i,j-1)], [(i,j+1)] then go and compute path. This is done recursively till all points in "Resort Matrix" are computed. Display longest path at the end. Time complexity is $O(n*n) = O(n^2)$.

B. Maximum Tree Path

Submission#: 192804162

In this program, firstly I declared an int that would hold node count n, a vector to hold node weight, a vector to hold node parent and a vector of vectors to hold my AdjacencyList tree representation. After taking all inputs I pass all my all vectors and int n to a helper function to calculate max path sum findMaxSum, inside that function I declare an int maxSum that would hold root weight in case tree size is 1. findMaxSum passes all previous input with new declared int to compute max path sum findMaxSumPath, this function uses recursion below:

$$Weight[i] = max \begin{cases} w_i \\ w_i + f_i \\ w_i + f_j + f_k \end{cases}$$

Where

 w_i = weight of the node

 $w_i + f_i = \text{weight of the node} + \text{weight of max child path}$

 $w_i + f_i + f_k = \text{weight of 1st max child path+weight of 2nd max child path}$

maxSum would be updated when calculating every weight node and checks if theres a higher weight node and updates it. For returning a single path to parent node, this state equation is used:

Single Path =
$$\max \left\{ \begin{array}{c} w_i \\ w_i + f_j \end{array} \right.$$

Where:

 w_i = weight of the node

 $w_i + f_i$ = weight of the node + weight of max child path

Finally I return maxSum which points to the max weighted path in the tree. Visiting all node once would result in a total time complexity = O(n).

C. Symmetry Makes Perfect

Submission#: 192561690

In this program, firstly I declared an *int* that would hold candy string size $string_Size$, an *int* to hold k flavors array size, a list map that would take a pair if chars and ints to order letters and their cost and an array of chars to store our input string.

After inputing all the above, I declare a function $compute_Cost$ that would take our candies string array, string size and the list of letters and their cost. In this function, a 2D Matrix is allocated to compute our DP solutions. Iterating through 2 nested for loops, starting with 1 - size insertion(called it gap) up to n - size, each possibility is computed and stored in DP matrix using recursion below:

Recurrence Relation:

$$dp[i][j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{(when } i == j) \\ dp[i+1][j-1] & \text{(when } s[i] == s[j]) \\ min \begin{cases} dp[i][j-1] + c[s[j]] \\ dp[i+1][j] + c[s[i]] \end{cases} & \text{(when } s[i] \neq s[j]) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Where:} \\ s[i] &= letter \ at \ index \ i \\ s[j] &= letter \ at \ index \ j \\ c[s[i]] &= letter \ cost \ at \ index \ j \\ c[s[j]] &= letter \ cost \ at \ index \ j \end{cases}$$

Lastly, element in 2D Matrix at dp[0][n-1] is displayed. Total time complexity = $O(n^2)$.

D. Longest Unimodal Subsequence

Submission#: 192568801

In this program, firstly I declared an int that would hold array size, then I declare an array with int size. I move on to input all values and store them inside my array. Then I declare a function called $compute_LUS$ that takes my array and it's size as parameters. Inside $compute_LUS$ I compute LIS on all my array elements from LEFT \rightarrow RIGHT iteratively, saving each index LIS value inside a vector called lis_Index_Val using Recurrence Relation below:

$$l_i = max \begin{cases} 1\\ max\\ 0 < j < i, a_j < a_i \end{cases} \left\{ (l_j + 1) \right\}$$

Then I compute LDS on all my array elements from RIGHT \rightarrow LEFT iteratively, saving each index LDS value inside a vector called lds_Index_Val using Recurrence Relation below:

$$l_i = max \begin{cases} 1\\ max\\ 0 < j < i, a_j > a_i \end{cases} \left\{ (l_j + 1) \right\}$$

Lastly I compute LUS max value using Longest Bitonic Subsequence logic, declare an array called lus_Index_Val of size identical to my original array. Iterate through all indices using Recurrence Relation below:

$$lus_Index_Val[i] = (lis_Index_Val[i] + lds_Index_Val[i])) - 1$$

(where we subtract 1 to remove index double counted in LIS and LDS)

Lastly, I display max value in my $array \ lus_Index_Val$ which refers to max LUS value. Total time complexity $= O(n^2) + O(n^2) + O(n) = O(n^2)$.