

Experiment: 4

Aim : Program on uninformed search methods

Objective : To make students understand uninformed search methods(Uniform Cost Search)

Theory :

Uniform cost search

Breadth-first search finds the shallowest goal state, but this may not always be the least-cost solution for a general path cost function. Uniform cost search modifies the breadth-first strategy by always expanding the lowest-cost node on the fringe (as measured by the path cost $g(n)$), rather than the lowest-depth node.

It is easy to see that breadth-first search is just uniform cost search with $g(n) = \text{DEPTH}(n)$. When certain conditions are met, the first solution that is found is guaranteed to be the cheapest solution, because if there were a cheaper path that was a solution, it would have been expanded earlier, and thus would have been found first.

Procedure

UniformCostSearch(Graph, start, goal)

node \leftarrow start

cost \leftarrow 0

frontier \leftarrow priority queue containing node only

explored \leftarrow empty set

do

if frontier is empty

return failure

node \leftarrow frontier.pop()

if node is goal

return solution

explored.add(node)

for each of node's neighbors n

if n is not in explored

if n is not in frontier

frontier.add(n)

CODE:

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import java.util.PriorityQueue;
import java.util.HashSet;
import java.util.Set;
import java.util.Collections;
import java.util.List;
import java.util.ArrayList;
import java.util.Comparator;
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//diff between uniform cost search and dijkstra algo is that UCS has a goal

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public class UniformCostSearchAlgo{
    public static void main(String[] args){
        //initialize the graph base on the Romania map
        Node n1 = new Node("Arad");
        Node n2 = new Node("Zerind");
        Node n3 = new Node("Oradea");
        Node n4 = new Node("Sibiu");
        Node n5 = new Node("Fagaras");
        Node n6 = new Node("Rimnicu Vilcea");
        Node n7 = new Node("Pitesti");
        Node n8 = new Node("Timisoara");
        Node n9 = new Node("Lugoj");
        Node n10 = new Node("Mehadia");
        Node n11 = new Node("Drobeta");
        Node n12 = new Node("Craiova");
        Node n13 = new Node("Bucharest");
        Node n14 = new Node("Giurgiu");

        //initialize the edges
        n1.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
            new Edge(n2,75),
            new Edge(n4,140),
            new Edge(n8,118)
        };

        n2.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
            new Edge(n1,75),
            new Edge(n3,71)
        };

        n3.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
            new Edge(n2,71),
            new Edge(n4,151)
        };

        n4.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
            new Edge(n1,140),
            new Edge(n5,99),
            new Edge(n3,151),
            new Edge(n6,80),
        };

        n5.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
            new Edge(n4,99),
            new Edge(n13,211)
        };

        n6.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
            new Edge(n4,80),
            new Edge(n7,97),
            new Edge(n12,146)
        };
    }
}

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};

n7.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
    new Edge(n6,97),
    new Edge(n13,101),
    new Edge(n12,138)
};

n8.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
    new Edge(n1,118),
    new Edge(n9,111)
};

n9.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
    new Edge(n8,111),
    new Edge(n10,70)
};

n10.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
    new Edge(n9,70),
    new Edge(n11,75)
};

n11.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
    new Edge(n10,75),
    new Edge(n12,120)
};

n12.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
    new Edge(n11,120),
    new Edge(n6,146),
    new Edge(n7,138)
};

n13.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
    new Edge(n7,101),
    new Edge(n14,90),
    new Edge(n5,211)
};

n14.adjacencies = new Edge[]{
    new Edge(n13,90)
};
UniformCostSearch(n1,n13);

List<Node> path = printPath(n13);

System.out.println("Path: " + path);
}

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public static void UniformCostSearch(Node source, Node goal){
    source.pathCost = 0;
    PriorityQueue<Node> queue = new PriorityQueue<Node>(20,
        new Comparator<Node>(){

            //override compare method
            public int compare(Node i, Node j){
                if(i.pathCost > j.pathCost){
                    return 1;
                }
                else if (i.pathCost < j.pathCost){
                    return -1;
                }

                else{
                    return 0;
                }
            }
        }
    );
    queue.add(source);
    Set<Node> explored = new HashSet<Node>();
    boolean found = false;

    //while frontier is not empty
    do{
        Node current = queue.poll();
        explored.add(current);
        if(current.value.equals(goal.value)){
            found = true;
        }
        for(Edge e: current.adjacencies){
            Node child = e.target;
            double cost = e.cost;
            child.pathCost = current.pathCost + cost;
            if(!explored.contains(child) && !queue.contains(child)){
                child.parent = current;
                queue.add(child);
                System.out.println(child);
                System.out.println(queue);
                System.out.println();
            }
            else if((queue.contains(child))&&(child.pathCost>current.pathCost)){
                child.parent=current;
                current = child;
            }
        }
    }while(!queue.isEmpty());
}

public static List<Node> printPath(Node target){
    List<Node> path = new ArrayList<Node>();

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        for(Node node = target; node!=null; node = node.parent){
            path.add(node);
        }
        Collections.reverse(path);
        return path;
    }
}

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class Node{
    public final String value;
    public double pathCost;
    public Edge[] adjacencies;
    public Node parent;
    public Node(String val){
        value = val;
    }
    public String toString(){
        return value;
    }
}

class Edge{
    public final double cost;
    public final Node target;
    public Edge(Node targetNode, double costVal){
        cost = costVal;
        target = targetNode;
    }
}

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C:\pooja>javac UniformCostSearchAlgo.java
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Zerind
[Zerind]
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Sibiu
[Zerind, Sibiu]
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Timisoara
[Zerind, Sibiu, Timisoara]
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Oradea
[Timisoara, Sibiu, Oradea]
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Lugoj
[Sibiu, Oradea, Lugoj]
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Fagaras
[Oradea, Lugoj, Fagaras]
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Rimnicu Vilcea
[Oradea, Lugoj, Fagaras, Rimnicu Vilcea]
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Mehadia
[Fagaras, Rimnicu Vilcea, Mehadia]
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Bucharest
[Mehadia, Rimnicu Vilcea, Bucharest]
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Drobeta
[Rimnicu Vilcea, Bucharest, Drobeta]
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Pitesti
[Drobeta, Bucharest, Pitesti]
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Craiova
[Drobeta, Bucharest, Pitesti, Craiova]
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Giurgiu
[Pitesti, Craiova, Giurgiu]
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Path: [Arad, Sibiu, Fagaras, Bucharest]
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