

8-Puzzle problem using A\* search Algorithm

Enter the Current State

2 8 1

3 4 6

7 5 0

Enter the Goal State

3 2 1

8 0 4

7 5 6

Enter the heuristic number that you want to proceed with

1. Manhattan

2. Misplaced Tiles

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Level 0 - [[2,8,1][3,4,6][7,5,0]]  
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Node Chosen for Level 1 - [[2,8,1][3,4,6][7,5,0]]

Generated Nodes :

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[[2,8,1][3,4,0][7,5,6]] -  $f(n) = 1 + 5 = 6$

[[2,8,1][3,4,6][7,0,5]] -  $f(n) = 1 + 7 = 8$   
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Node Chosen for Level 2 - [[2,8,1][3,4,0][7,5,6]]

Generated Nodes :

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[[2,8,0][3,4,1][7,5,6]] -  $f(n) = 2 + 6 = 8$

[[2,8,1][3,0,4][7,5,6]] -  $f(n) = 2 + 4 = 6$

[[2,8,1][3,4,6][7,5,0]] - Already visited Node!  
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Node Chosen for Level 3 - [[2,8,1][3,0,4][7,5,6]]

Generated Nodes :

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[[2,0,1][3,8,4][7,5,6]] -  $f(n) = 3 + 3 = 6$

[[2,8,1][3,4,0][7,5,6]] - Already visited Node!

[[2,8,1][0,3,4][7,5,6]] -  $f(n) = 3 + 5 = 8$

[[2,8,1][3,5,4][7,0,6]] -  $f(n) = 3 + 5 = 8$   
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Node Chosen for Level 4 - [[2,0,1][3,8,4][7,5,6]]

Generated Nodes :

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[[2,1,0][3,8,4][7,5,6]] -  $f(n) = 4 + 4 = 8$

[[0,2,1][3,8,4][7,5,6]] -  $f(n) = 4 + 2 = 6$

[[2,8,1][3,0,4][7,5,6]] - Already visited Node!  
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Node Chosen for Level 5 - [[0,2,1][3,8,4][7,5,6]]

Generated Nodes :

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[[2,0,1][3,8,4][7,5,6]] - Already visited Node!

[[3,2,1][0,8,4][7,5,6]] -  $f(n) = 5 + 1 = 6$   
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Node Chosen for Level 6 -  $[[3,2,1][0,8,4][7,5,6]]$

Generated Nodes :

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 $[[0,2,1][3,8,4][7,5,6]]$  - Already visited Node!

$[[3,2,1][8,0,4][7,5,6]]$  -  $f(n) = 6 + 0 = 6$

$[[3,2,1][7,8,4][0,5,6]]$  -  $f(n) = 6 + 2 = 8$   
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Node Chosen for Level 7 -  $[[3,2,1][8,0,4][7,5,6]]$

The goal path found...

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 $[[2,8,1][3,4,6][7,5,0]]$

$[[2,8,1][3,4,0][7,5,6]]$

$[[2,8,1][3,0,4][7,5,6]]$

$[[2,0,1][3,8,4][7,5,6]]$

$[[0,2,1][3,8,4][7,5,6]]$

$[[3,2,1][0,8,4][7,5,6]]$

$[[3,2,1][8,0,4][7,5,6]]$   
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Time Taken : 18 milliseconds

The number of nodes that are generated are : 17

The number of nodes that are expanded are : 7