

Greedy Method:- technique to solve problem like divide and conquer approach.

Exhaustive

* Solve optimization Problem $\begin{cases} \text{Max} \\ \text{Min} \end{cases}$
 \rightarrow Many soln exist. ($\dots m$) \rightarrow Constraint / Condition

Soln. satisfying the condition \Rightarrow feasible soln.
 (satisfy the cond.) \downarrow $\begin{cases} \text{min} \\ \text{max} \end{cases}$

Optimal Soln.
 only 1.

- A problem must be solved in stages
- If soln. is feasible for an input include it in soln.
 * input in picked one after other.

Knapsack $\begin{cases} \text{fractional} \rightarrow \text{Greedy} \\ 0/1 \rightarrow \text{Not Greedy} \end{cases}$

Activity Selection:- $S = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ n activities wish for a resource. that can serve one activity at a time.
 a_i - start time s_i
 - finish time f_i
 $0 \leq s_i \leq f_i < \infty$

Selection of Activity:
 half open interval.

$[s_i, f_i)$, $[s_j, f_j)$

$>$ don't overlap

\rightarrow Activities are compatible.

$s_j > f_i$ "mutually compatible activities"

" $f_1 \leq f_2 \leq f_3 \dots \leq f_{n-1} \leq f_n$ " "activities are sorted in increasing order of finish time."

i	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
s_i	1	3	0	5	3	5	6	8	8	2	12
f_i	4	5	6	7	9	9	10	11	12	14	16

Select with earliest finish time. (first one to finish room for others).

Sorted finish time \rightarrow Select first \max (other option \Rightarrow possible combination available)

Activity Selection.

Choice \rightarrow Greedy

~~pick~~ the activity with earliest finish time then select any activity that satisfies the constraints

Sorted w.r.t finish time — pick 1st

Sol - $i=1$ ✓

$\{a_1\}$, $a_2?$ $s_2 < f_1$ ✗

$a_3?$ $s_3 < f_1$ ✗

$a_4?$ $s_4 \nless f_1$ ✓

$\{a_1, a_4\}$

$a_5?$ $s_5 < f_4$ ✗

$a_6?$ $s_6 < f_4$ ✗

$a_7?$ $s_7 < f_4$ ✗

$a_8?$ $s_8 \nless f_4$ ✓

$\{a_1, a_4, a_8\}$

$a_9?$ $s_9 < f_8$ ✗

$a_{10}?$ $s_{10} < f_8$ ✗

$a_{11}?$ $s_{11} \nless f_8$ ✓

$\{a_1, a_4, a_8, a_{11}\} \Rightarrow$ optimal Soln.

other soln.

$\{a_2, a_3, a_9, a_{11}\}$

KnapSack fractional. $v_i/w_i \rightarrow$ Selection criteria

$$O(n \lg n)$$

\rightarrow Select with max ^{value} per ^{pound}
 \rightarrow Keep all till (exhausted)
 repeat. \rightarrow Within Cap. of Sack.

of items = 3. $\{ \text{item 1 } 10 \text{ pound } \$ 60$
 $W = 50 \text{ pound. } \{ \text{item 2 } 20 \text{ pound } \$ 100$
 $\{ \text{item 3 } 30 \text{ pound } \$ 120 \}$

i	1	2	3
v_i	60	100	120
w_i	10	20	30
v_i/w_i	6	5	4

take $i=1$ (greater value)

$i=2$

$i=3$

$$W = 50 - 10 = 40$$

$$W = 40 - 20 = 20$$

$$W = 20$$

0/1
 \Rightarrow item 2, item 3
 optimal. $20 + 30$
 $100 + 120$
 item 1 included in
 set \Rightarrow sub optimal.
 $V = 60$

$$V = 60 + 100$$

$$V = 160 + 80$$

$$= 240$$

Huffman Codes (data Compression Technique)

	a	b	c	d	e	f
freq. in (1000)	45	13	12	16	9	5

Fixed length code words

000

001

010

011

100

101

bits = 3

Variable length code words.

0

101

100

111 1101 1100

Can do better

Code: Huffman(C)

$n = |C|$

$Q = C$

for $i=1$ to $n-1$

allocate a new node z

$z \cdot \text{left} = x = \text{Extract_Min}(Q)$

$z \cdot \text{right} = y = \text{Extract_Min}(Q)$

$z \cdot \text{freq} = x \cdot \text{freq} + y \cdot \text{freq}$

Insert (Q, z)

return $\text{Extract_Min}(Q)$ Root of tree

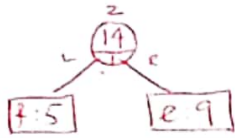
$C \rightarrow$ is a set of n char. and $c \in C$
 $c \cdot \text{freq} \Rightarrow$ freq of character.
 Algo builds Tree (bottom-up)

$|C| \Rightarrow$ leaves $|C| - 1$ merge op.
 Q "min priority Queue."

merge two objects to form new
 obj whose freq is sum of two
 merged objects.

Q: f:5 e:9 c:12 b:13 d:16 a:45

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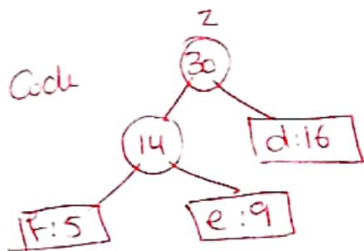
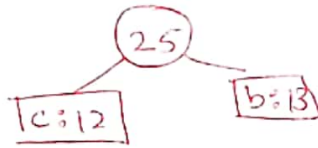
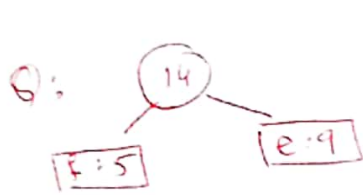


Q: c:12 b:13 d:16 a:45

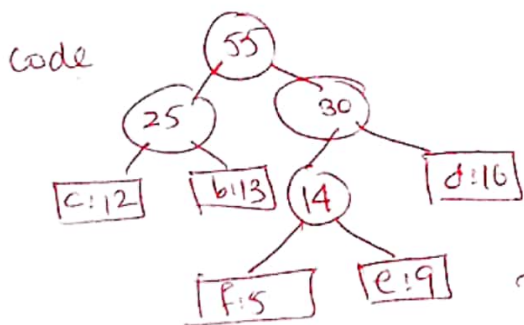
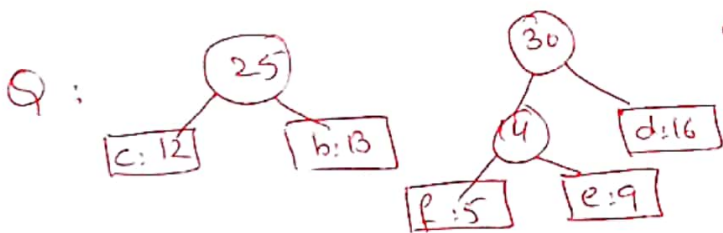
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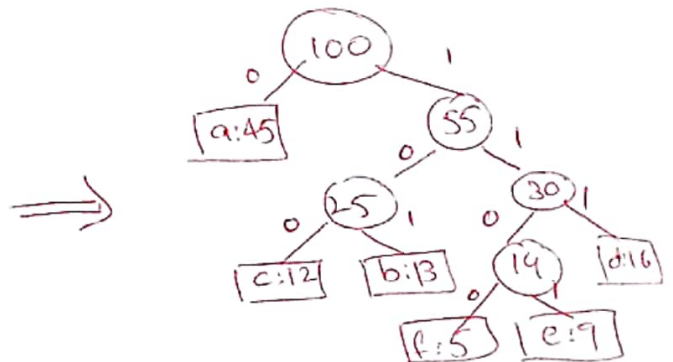
Q: d:16 a:45



Q: a:45



Q: a:45



a:0 d:111
b:101 f:1100
c:100 e:1101 } Codes.

"Analysis"

Why not.

Dynamic Programming

→ Recursive (repeated calls)

→ Memorization.

→ Tabular.

Comment // "Generate an optimal soln. w/o solving the sub problem."

Cormen

Greedy Choice: Select the activity with earliest finish time and select the other compatible with the selected one!

Work Top down with greedy approach

→ make a choice

→ work on sub-prob

Code:

Rec-Act-Selector(s, f, k, n)

$m = k + 1$

while $m \leq n$ and $s[m] < f[k]$

$m = m + 1$

if $m \leq n$

return $\{a_m\} \cup \text{Rec-Act-Selector}(s, f, m, n)$

else return \emptyset

// each activity is examined exactly once in loop
* Loop break when activity is found. *

Code:

Gre-Act-Selector(s, f)

$m = s.length$

$A = \{a_1\}$

$k = 1$

for $m = 2$ to n

if $s[m] \geq f[k]$

$A = A \cup \{a_m\}$

return A

$k = m$

executed n times

runtime $\Theta(n)$

pre Condition: already sorted activities in terms of finish time.

* if sorting required.

Run Time $= O(n \log n)$.

Huffman Analysis

$Q \xrightarrow{\text{Implemented as}} \text{binary Min-heap}$

'C' set of n characters $\rightarrow Q$ is initialized and built in $O(n)$ time using procedure Build-Min-Heap

for loop execution $n-1$ times.

heap operation in loop (Extract Min) $O(\lg n)$

" " " " (Extract Min) $O(\lg n)$

$O(n \lg n)$ run-time of Huffman Code Algo.

*Can be reduced to $O(n \lg \lg n)$ using Van Emde Boas tree. (Common book Ch # 20)

Other:

KnapSack fractional Run time $O(n \lg n)$

if not sorted

Frac-knapSack (W, v, w).

while $w > 0$ and items remaining. $\rightarrow O(n)$

pick item with max v_i/w_i . \uparrow if sorted

$x_i \leftarrow \min(1, w/w_i)$

remove i item from list.

$w \leftarrow w - x_i w_i$.