Laboratory practice No. 3: Backtracking

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3) Practice for final project defense presentation

- **3.1** The other techniques that are used are Djikstra and A*.
- **3.2** The amount of roads in a complete directed graph is the total amount of vertexs.

3.3

Valor de N	Tiempo ejecución BF	Tiempo ejecución BT
4	24	16
32	2.6×10^{35}	4. 2 <i>x</i> 10 ⁹
N	O(n!)	O (2 ⁿ)

- **3.4** It's better to use BFS if you want to get all the possible solutions on the shortest way problem or so, but, if you only need the first solution, the DFS is the best option.
- **3.5** We used lists to represent the nodes that were already visited and another to keep track of the nodes we have visited already. What the program does is to find a path to node n, and then keeps traversing to see if it finds a better path. It keeps track of the current weight and compares it to the weight of the first answer, in case that is higher it skips and then continues with the next one.
- **3.6** From each vertex there are v vertices that can be visited from the current vertex so the complexity is $(V^{N}V)$.
- 3.7 V is the number of vertex.
- **3.8** We implemented backtracking on this code, we saved all the possible total weights of the paths between two vertexs in a list and then we called the min function to return the minimum weight.

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4) Practice for midterms

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4.1 Wilkenson and Sofronio Algorithm
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4.1.1 Line number 4: int res = solucionar (n-a,a,b,c)+1;

4.1.2 Number 5: res = Math.max(solucionar (n-b,a,b,c)+1, res);

4.1.3 Number 6: res = Math.max(solucionar (n-c,a,b,c)+1, res);
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4.2 Hamiltonian Cycle

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4.2.1 Line number 02: if (pos == graph.length)
4.2.2 Line number 09: if (sePuede(v, graph, path, pos))
4.2.3 Line number 11: if (cicloHamilAux(graph, path, pos+1))
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- 4.3 Optional
- 4.4 Optional

4.5 Longest subsequence

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4.5.1 Line number 7: return 1 + lcs(i-1, j-1, s1, s2);

4.5.2 Line number 11: return Math.max(ni,nj), Complexity: O(n).

4.5.3 T(n) = n instructions.
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4.6 DFS and BFS

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4.6.1 c) 0,1,4,3,2
4.6.2 a) 0,1,2,3,4
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4.7 N-Queens

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4.7.1 Line number 3: if(r == N)

4.7.2 Line number 8: a[r] = i

4.7.3 Line number 9: sol(a,r+1)
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5) Recommended reading (optional)

Summary

Search Tree Strategies

The solution to many problems becomes search tree problems. There are several problems that can be described by search trees, for example: given a set of logical clauses we have to determine if the set is satisfactory by trying all combinations. Also, the puzzle problem with 9 spaces and 8 pieces, where one is empty. The objective is to organize the pieces

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from 1-8 in order around the square. This problem can turn into a search tree problem because the solution tree can expand too.

There are some ways in which we can solve search tree problems:

- BFS: is a direct way in which we check the first level of nodes before analyzing the next one.
- DFS: the deepest node is used to expand to the others.
- **Hill Climbing:** it's a variant of the DFS algorithm, it uses the greedy method to decide in which way is better to move.
- **Best-First Search:** a combination of both BFS and DFS algorithms. It selects the node with the lower cost from the ones that have been expanded at the moment.
- **Branch and Bound:** it focuses on optimization. It's efficient in solving large combinatorial problems with many solutions.

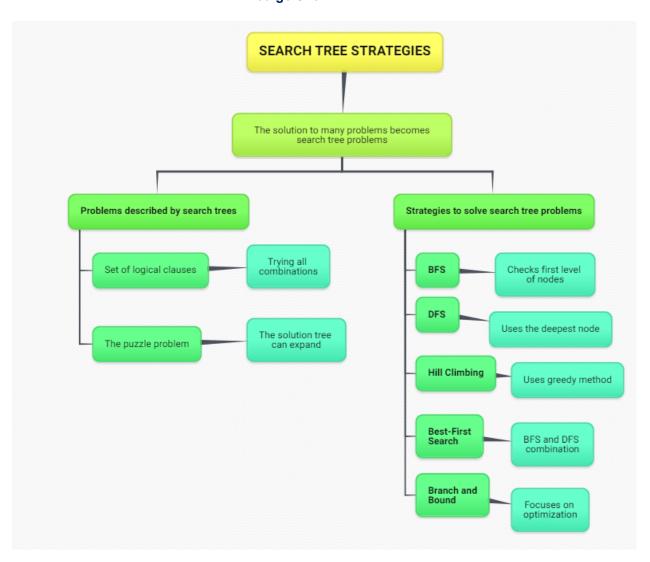
Conceptual Map



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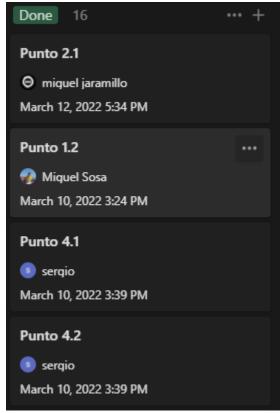
6) Teamwork and gradual progress (optional) 6.1 Kanban Board

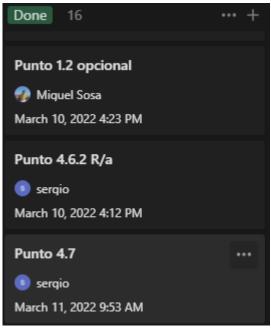
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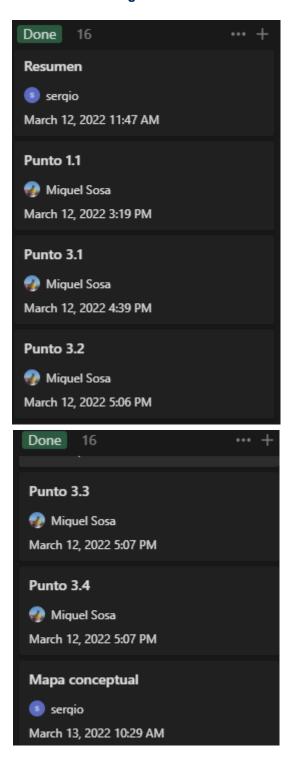
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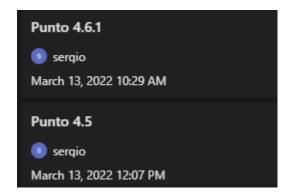




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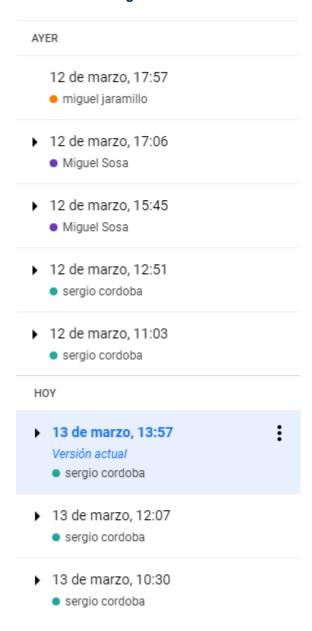
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