## Group A: Assignment No. 2

Title:- Implement A Star Algorithm for any game search problem

## Code:-

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from collections import deque
class Graph:
  # example of adjacency list (or rather map)
  # adjacency_list = {
  # 'A': [('B', 1), ('C', 3), ('D', 7)],
  # 'B': [('D', 5)],
  # 'C': [('D', 12)]
  # }
  def __init__(self, adjacency_list):
     self.adjacency_list = adjacency_list
  def get neighbors(self, v):
     return self.adjacency_list[v]
  # heuristic function with equal values for all nodes
  def h(self, n):
     H = {
       'A': 1,
       'B': 1,
       'C': 1,
       'D': 1
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}
  return H[n]
def a_star_algorithm(self, start_node, stop_node):
  # open_list is a list of nodes which have been visited, but who's neighbors
  # haven't all been inspected, starts off with the start node
  # closed list is a list of nodes which have been visited
  # and who's neighbors have been inspected
  open list = set([start node])
  closed list = set([])
  # g contains current distances from start node to all other nodes
  # the default value (if it's not found in the map) is +infinity
  g = \{\}
  g[start_node] = 0
  # parents contains an adjacency map of all nodes
  parents = {}
  parents[start_node] = start_node
  while len(open_list) > 0:
    n = None
    # find a node with the lowest value of f() - evaluation function
    for v in open_list:
      if n == None \text{ or } g[v] + self.h(v) < g[n] + self.h(n):
         n = v;
    if n == None:
       print('Path does not exist!')
       return None
    # if the current node is the stop_node
    # then we begin reconstructin the path from it to the start node
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if n == stop_node:
  reconst_path = []
  while parents[n] != n:
    reconst_path.append(n)
    n = parents[n]
  reconst path.append(start node)
  reconst path.reverse()
  print('Path found: {}'.format(reconst path))
  return reconst path
# for all neighbors of the current node do
for (m, weight) in self.get neighbors(n):
  # if the current node isn't in both open list and closed list
  # add it to open_list and note n as it's parent
  if m not in open_list and m not in closed_list:
    open list.add(m)
    parents[m] = n
    g[m] = g[n] + weight
  # otherwise, check if it's quicker to first visit n, then m
  # and if it is, update parent data and g data
  # and if the node was in the closed_list, move it to open_list
  else:
    if g[m] > g[n] + weight:
      g[m] = g[n] + weight
      parents[m] = n
      if m in closed list:
        closed_list.remove(m)
        open list.add(m)
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## Output:-

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Path found: ['A', 'B', 'D']
['A', 'B', 'D']
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