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% Generic interactive Game shell using Minimax search

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% Human is player 1
% Computer is player 2.

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% to utilize the shell, one has to define the rules and states of the
% game. Like the search routines, the shell is designed to take as
% input predicates that tell it, e.g., what are the new states yielded
% by what moves.
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% In particular the code depends on the following game-specific state
% predicates
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%
% * initialize(InitialState,InitialPlyr)
%   - returns an initial game state and Initial player
%     (for the initial game state you can use initBoard(B))
%
% * winner(State,Plyr)
%   - returns winning player if State is a terminal position and
%     Plyr has a higher score than the other player
%
% * tie(State)
%   - true if terminal State is a "tie" (no winner)
%
% * terminal(State)
%   - true if State is a terminal
%
% * showState(State) prints out the current state of the game
%   so that the human player can understand where
%   they are in the game.
%   (You can simply use printGrid(B) here)
%
% * moves(Plyr,State,MvList)
%   - returns list MvList of all legal moves Plyr can make in State
%
% * nextState(Plyr,Move,State,NewState,NextPlyr)
%   - given that Plyr makes Move in State, it determines next state
%     (NewState) and next player to move (NextPlayer). That is, it
%     changes State by playing Move.
%
% * validmove(Plyr,State,Proposed)
%   - true if Proposed move by Plyr is valid at State.
%
% * h(State,Val)
%   - given State, returns heuristic Val of that state
%   - larger values are good for Max, smaller values are good for Min
%   NOTE1. that since we doing depth bounded Min-Max search, we will not
%   always reach terminal nodes. Instead we have to terminate with a
%   heuristic evaluation of the depth-bounded non-terminal states.
%   NOTE2. If State is terminal h should return its true value.
%
% * lowerBound(B)
%   - returns a value B less than the actual utility or heuristic value
%     of any node (i.e., less than Min's best possible value)
%
% * upperBound(B)
%   - returns a value B greater than the actual utility or heuristic value
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%   of any node (i.e., greater than Max's best possible value)
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% Note that lowerBound and upperBound are static properties of the
% game.
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% MAIN PLAY ROUTINE

play :- initialize(InitState,Plyr), playgame(Plyr,InitState).

% playgame(Plyr,State) - plays the game from State with Plyr moving first
% - tests for a winner; if not, get move from player, determine next State
%   and player, and continue from new state/player

playgame(_,State) :-
    winner(State,Winner), !,
    % winner(State,Winner,Score),
    write('Win by Player number '), writeln(Winner).
    % write('Win by Player number '), write(Winner),
    % write('With Score '), writeln(Score).

playgame(_,State) :-
    tie(State), !,
    writeln('Game ended with no winner!').

playgame(Plyr,State) :-
    getmove(Plyr,State,Move),
    write('The move chosen is : '),
    writeln(Move),
    nextState(Plyr,Move,State,NewState,NextPlyr),
    playgame(NextPlyr,NewState).

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% getmove(Player,State,Move)
% If Player = 1, move obtained from stdio
% If Player = 2, move obtained using search

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% Get move for player 1 (human)
% - show state, ask for move, verify if move is valid
% - if move is invalid, recall getmove until a valid move is input

getmove(1,State,Move) :-
    showState(State),
    write('Please input move followed by a period: '),
    read(Proposed),
    read(Proposed),
    validmove(1,State,Proposed), !,
    Move = Proposed.

getmove(1,State,Move) :-
    writeln('Invalid Move Proposed.'),
    getmove(1,State,Move).

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% Get move for player 2 (computer)
% - do this using minimax evaluation
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% SET DEPTH BOUND HERE
% Depth should be set appropriately (last argument of mmeval).

getmove(2,State,Move) :-
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showState(State),
writeln('Computer is moving...'),
mmeval(2,State,_,Move,6,SeF),
write('Compute Move computed by searching '),
write(SeF),
writeln(' states.').

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% mini-max eval
% mmeval(Plyr,State,Value,BestMove,Depth,StatesSearched)
%   - does minimax evaluation
%   of State, assuming move by Plyr (1 = max, 2 = min) to bound Depth.
%   returns Value of the state, as well a BestMove for the player (either
%   the move with max or min value depending on player)
%   Assume evaluation function h

% if State is terminal, use evaluation function
mmeval(_,State,Val,_,_,1) :- terminal(State), !,
    %writeln('Evaluation reached Terminal'),
    h(State,Val).

% if depth bound reached, use evaluation function
mmeval(_,State,Val,_,0,1) :- !,
    %writeln('Evaluation reached Depth Bnd'),
    h(State,Val).

% FOR MAX PLAYER
% we assume that if player has no moves available, the position is
% terminal and would have been caught above

mmeval(1,St,Val,BestMv,D,SeF) :-
    moves(1,St,MvList), !,
    % length(MvList,L),
    % write('Evaluating '), write(L), write(' moves at Plyr 1 depth '), writeln(D),
    lowerBound(B), % a value strictly less than worst value max can get
    evalMoves(1,St,MvList,B,null,Val,BestMv,D,0,SeI), % Best so far set to lowerbnd
    SeF is SeI + 1. %searched the current state as well as

% FOR MIN PLAYER
% we assume that if player has no moves available, the position is
% terminal and would have been caught above

mmeval(2,St,Val,BestMv,D,SeF) :-
    moves(2,St,MvList), !,
    % length(MvList,L),
    % write('Evaluating '), write(L), write(' moves for Plyr 2 at depth '), writeln(D),
    upperBound(B), % a value strictly less than worst value max can get
    evalMoves(2,St,MvList,B,null,Val,BestMv,D,0,SeI), % Best so far set to upperbnd
    SeF is SeI + 1.

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% evalMoves(Plyr,State,MvList,ValSoFar,MvSoFar,Val,BestMv,D,Se,SeF)
%
% - evaluates all moves in MvList for Plyr at State.
% - returns minimax value Val of State by recursively evaluating each
%   successor state, returning BestMv (move that guarantees this value)
% - it has as arguments, the best ValSoFar and best MvSoFar of any other
%   moves that have already been processed (i.e., that have been
%   removed from the current list of moves).
% - a depth bound D is enforced.
% Se is number of states searched so far.
% SeF is the total number of states searched to evaluate all of these moves.

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% if no moves left, return best Val and Mv so far (and number of
% states searched.
evalMoves(_,_,[],Val,BestMv,Val,BestMv,_,Se,Se) :- !.
%   write('No more moves Val = '), write(Val),
%   write(' BestMv = '), write(BestMv), nl.

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% otherwise evaluate current move (by calling mmeval on the player/state
% that results from this move), and replace current Best move and value
% by this Mv/Value if value is "better"

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evalMoves(1,St,[Mv|Rest],ValSoFar,MvSoFar,Val,BestMv,D,Se,SeF) :-
    nextState(1,Mv,St,NewSt,NextPlyr), !,
    % write('evalMoves 1: '), write(Mv), write(' D='), write(D), write(' S='), write(Se), showS
tate(NewSt),
    Dnew is D - 1,
    mmeval(NextPlyr,NewSt,MvVal,_,Dnew,SeI), !,
    maxMove(ValSoFar,MvSoFar,MvVal,Mv,NewValSoFar,NewMvSoFar),
    SeNew is Se + SeI,
    evalMoves(1,St,Rest,NewValSoFar,NewMvSoFar,Val,BestMv,D,SeNew,SeF).

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evalMoves(2,St,[Mv|Rest],ValSoFar,MvSoFar,Val,BestMv,D,Se,SeF) :-
    nextState(2,Mv,St,NewSt,NextPlyr), !,
    % write('evalMoves 2: '), write(Mv), write(' D='), write(D), write(' S='), write(Se), showS
tate(NewSt),
    Dnew is D - 1,
    mmeval(NextPlyr,NewSt,MvVal,_,Dnew,SeI), !,
    minMove(ValSoFar,MvSoFar,MvVal,Mv,NewValSoFar,NewMvSoFar),
    SeNew is Se + SeI,
    evalMoves(2,St,Rest,NewValSoFar,NewMvSoFar,Val,BestMv,D,SeNew,SeF).

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%% Return the max of best so far and the current move.
maxMove(V1,M1,V2,_,V1,M1) :- V1 >= V2.
maxMove(V1,_,V2,M2,V2,M2) :- V1 < V2.
%% Return the min of best so far and the current move.
minMove(V1,M1,V2,_,V1,M1) :- V1 <= V2.
minMove(V1,_,V2,M2,V2,M2) :- V1 > V2.

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