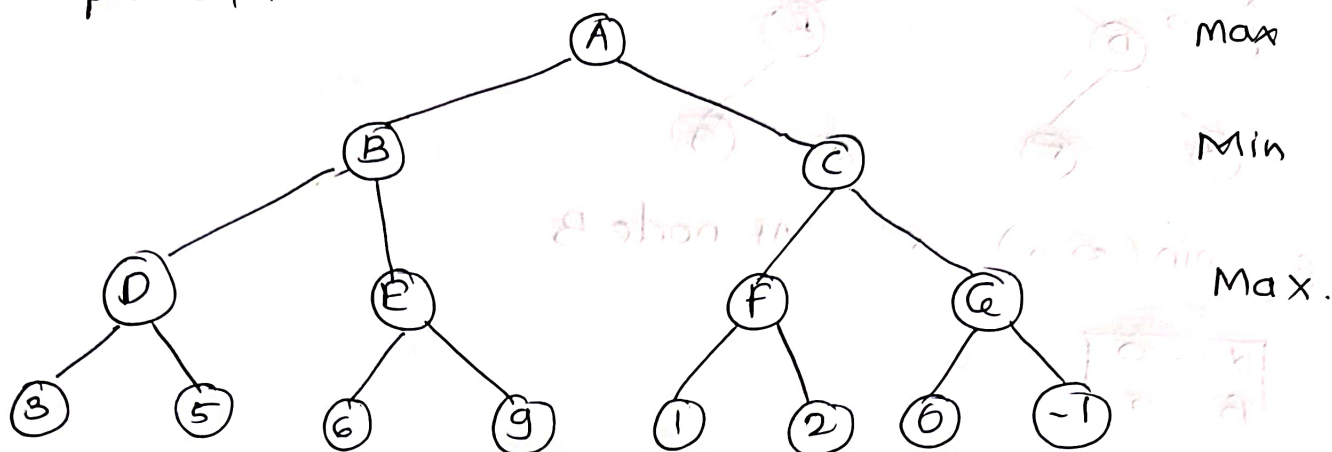


Ques 1. Implement alpha-beta pruning based min-max algorithm on the following graph. Show alpha-beta for each node at the end, and also show which nodes will be pruned.



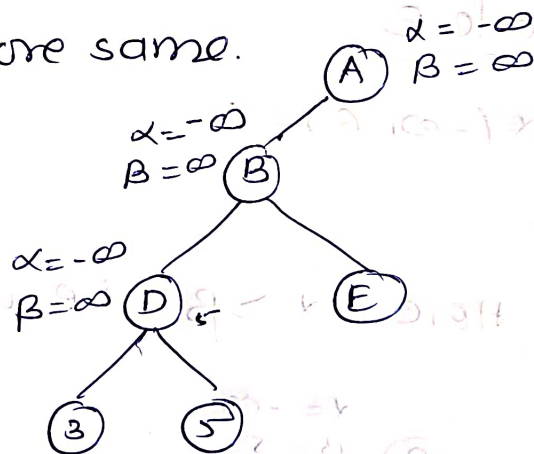
⇒ Initialize α & β

α → represents the best value that the maximizing player (MAX) can guarantee

β → represents the best value that the minimizing player (MIN) can guarantee.

Initially at Node A $\alpha = -\infty$ (for Max)
 $\beta = \infty$ (for MIN)

at node B & D will move same.



∴ At node D (MAX layer)

$$\alpha = \max(-\infty, 3) = 3$$

updated $\alpha = 3$
 $\beta = \infty$

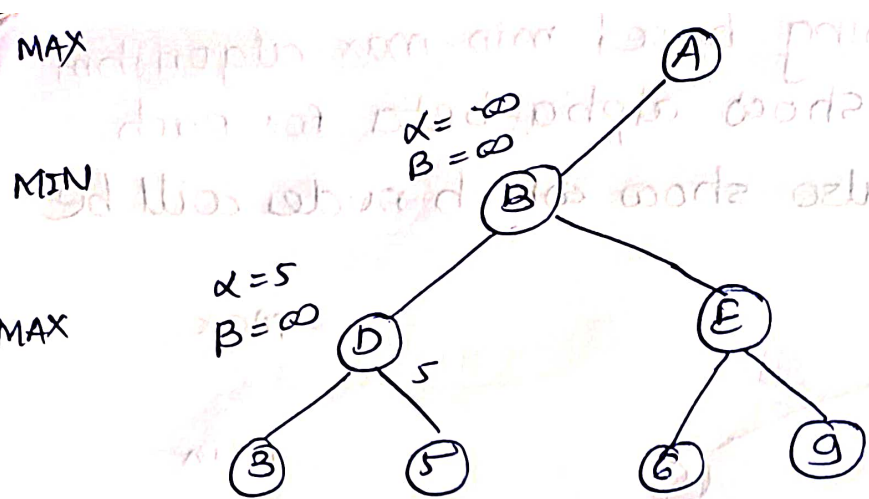
again

$$\alpha = \max(3, 5) = 5$$

updated $\alpha = 5$
 $\beta = \infty$

At node B (MIN layer)

β will be updated



$$\beta = \min(\infty, 5) = 5 \quad \text{At node B.}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\alpha = -\infty, \beta = 5}$$

At node A (MAX node)

~~α will be updated~~ $\alpha = -\infty$
 $\beta = \infty$

~~Now $\alpha = \max(-\infty, \dots)$~~

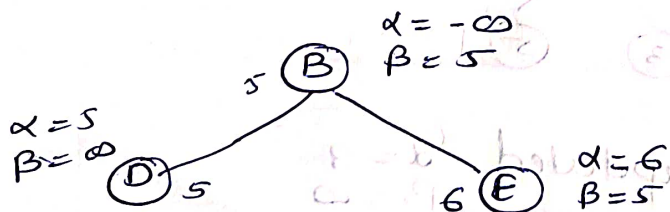
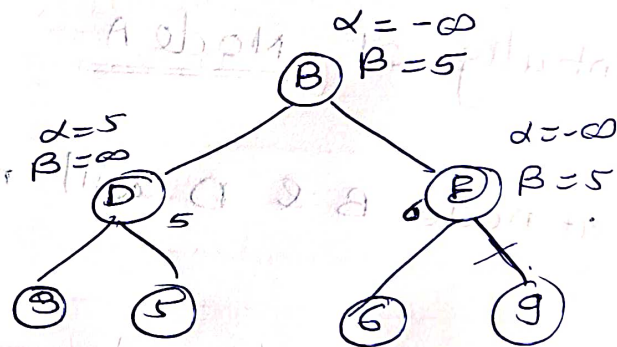
Now will check right side of node B

Now at node E

$$\alpha = \max(-\infty, 6) = 6$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 6, \beta = 5$$

Here $\alpha \geq \beta$ i.e. will prune the 9 node

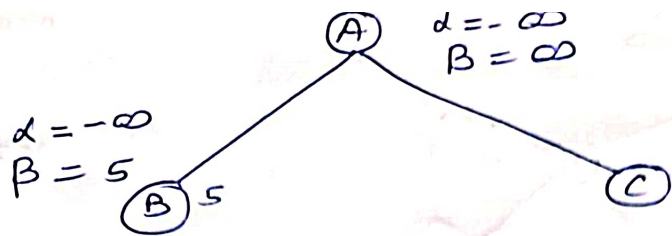


At node B (MIN layer)

β will be updated

$$\beta = \min(5, 6) = 5$$

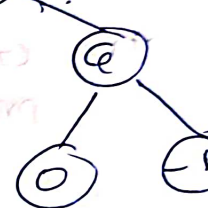
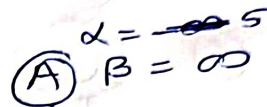
$$\therefore \boxed{\alpha = -\infty, \beta = 5}$$



At Node A (MAX Layer)

$$\alpha = \text{MAX}(-\infty, 5) = 5$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\alpha = 5, \beta = \infty}$$



At Node E (MAX)

$$\alpha = \text{MAX}(5, 1) = 5$$

$$= \text{MAX}(5, 2) = 5$$

$\therefore \alpha = 5, \beta = \infty$ } No change.

node value 2

At node C (MIN)

$$\beta = \text{MIN}(\infty, 2) = 2$$

β will update

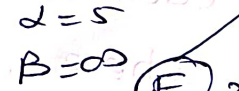
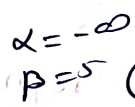
$$\therefore \alpha = 5, \beta = 2$$

will be pruned right side of node C

At node C

$$\alpha = 5, \beta = 2$$

node value = 2



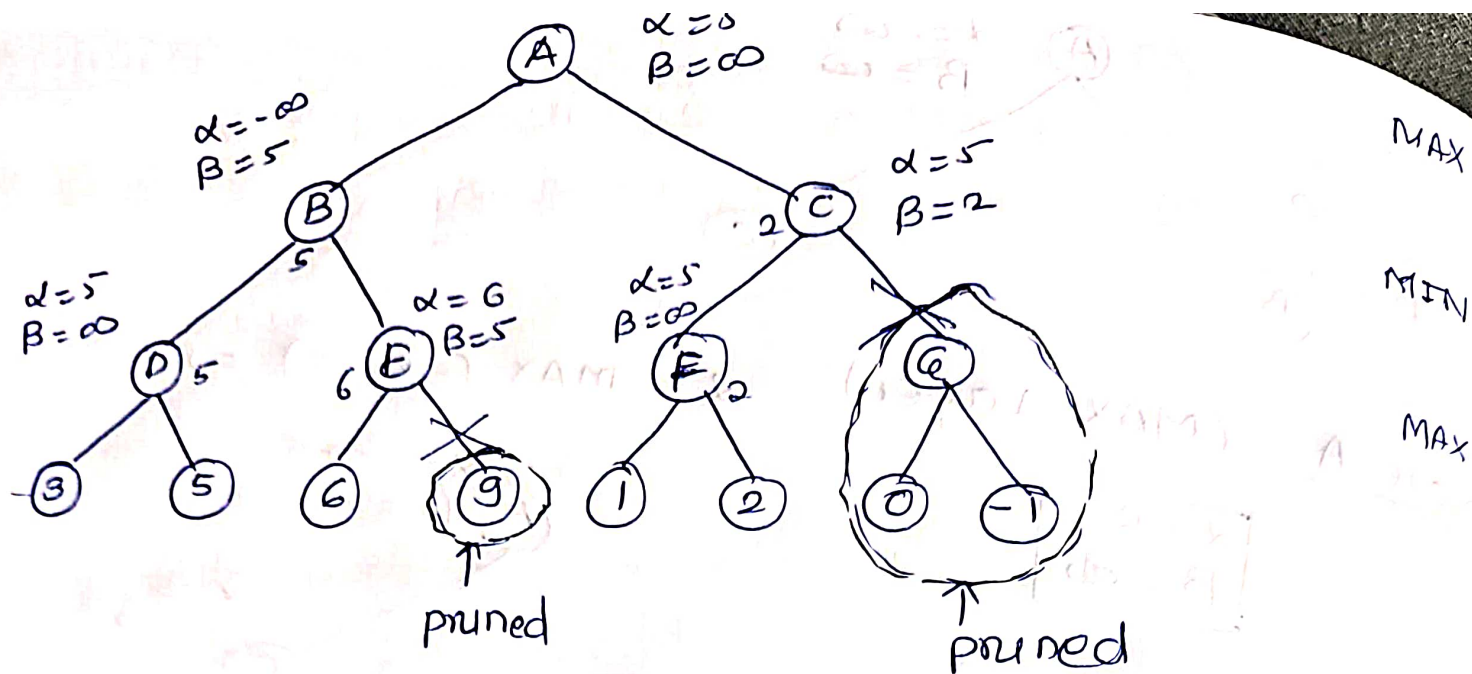
$$\alpha \geq \beta$$

$$\alpha = 5, \beta = 2$$

At node A

$$\alpha = \text{MAX}(5, 2) = 5$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\alpha = 5, \beta = \infty}$$



The E node right side will be pruned.

The G node also i.e right side of C node will be pruned.

Ques 8 Formulate the following problems as CSP search :

- (a) cross word problem (c) Airlines Gate scheduling problem
(b) 4-queen problem (d) map coloring problem.

For each of these problem state : variables, domain, constraints, optimization criteria (if any) and give one assignment to variables which is valid solution.

→ (a) cross word problem :

① Variables :

Each variable represents a slot in the cross word problem where word needs to be placed.

Consider one Example :

variables = {1, 2, 3}.

1		2	
X	X	X	
3			

② Domain :

Now domain for cross word problem is set of words that can fit in the corresponding slot.

In above Example Domain = {frog, word, dog}

③ Constraints :

- The word length must match with the slot length.
- Word must share common letters at intersection.
- No word can be repeated.

④ optimization criteria : there is no such optimization criteria for cross word problem.

⑤ Valid Solution :

W	o	r	d
X	X	X	o
f	r	o	g

1. Word
2. dog
3. frog } solution

(b) 4-Queen problem :

① Variables : → Each variable represent a queen's position on the chessboard.

Example : $\{Q_1, Q_2, Q_3, Q_4\}$ where $Q_i \rightarrow$ row position of the queen in i th column.

② Domain : → Each set of possible rows for each queen.

Domain = $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

③ Constraint : → No two queens can be in the same row.
→ No two queens can be in the same column.
→ This is implicitly satisfied by having one variable per column.

Also No two queens can be on the same diagonal.
 $|Q_i - Q_j| \neq |i - j|$ for $i \neq j$.

④ optimization criteria : No optimization, purely constraint based

⑤ Valid solution

	a	b	c	d
1	.	Q ₁	.	.
2	.	.	.	Q ₂
3	Q ₃	.	.	.
4	.	.	Q ₄	.

$Q_1 = (1, b) \quad Q_2 = (2, d) \quad Q_3 = (3, a) \quad Q_4 = (4, c)$

This is valid solution for 4 queen problem.

③ Airline Gate scheduling problem:

① Variables: Each variable represent flight assigned to gate. like, F_1, F_2, \dots, F_n that need to

variables = $\{F_1, F_2, F_3, F_4\}$

F_1 : 6 AM

F_2 : 2 PM

F_3 : 6:05 AM

F_4 : 10 AM

② Domain: set of gates available
domain: $\{G_1, G_2\}$

③ Constraints:

- No two flight can be assigned to same gate at the same time or with less time gap.
- Certain gates might be reserved for certain types of flight (international vs domestic).
- Minimum turnaround time between consecutive flights at same gate must be respected.

④ Optimization criteria:

- Minimize the total delay of flights
- Maximize the efficient use of gates
- Minimize gate changes for passengers transferring between flights

⑤ valid solution:

We have 2 gates G_1, G_2

F_1 : 6 AM

F_2 : 2 PM

F_3 : 6:05 AM

F_4 : 10 AM

As the difference between F_1, F_2 & F_3, F_4 is large so we can assign to same gate.

$\therefore F_1 = G_1, F_2 = G_1, F_3 = G_2, F_4 = G_2$

2) Map coloring Problem:

① Variables: Variables here represent the region or country that needs to be colored.

take example: $\{R_1, R_2, R_3, R_4, R_5\}$

R_1	R_2	R_3
R_4	R_5	

- ② Domain: Here the set of colors = { Red, Blue, Green }
- ③ Constraint:
Adjacent Regions must have different colors (i.e. no two neighbours can share same color).
- ④ Optimising criteria:
The optimization criteria is to minimize the number of colors used.
- ⑤ Valid solution:
We have 5 Regions R_1, R_2, R_3, R_4, R_5 are neighbours
 $\therefore R_1 = \text{Red}, R_2 = \text{Green}, R_4 = \text{Blue}$
 $R_1 = R_5$ color as those are not neighbours
 $\& R_3 = R_4$
 $\therefore R_5 = \text{Red} \& R_3 = \text{Blue}$
 \therefore valid solution is $R_1 = \text{Red}, R_2 = \text{Green}, R_4 = \text{Blue}, R_3 = \text{Blue}, R_5 = \text{Red}$.

Que. 5. Apply BFS, DFS, UCS, Best first & A* search on the following city map. You are starting at Arad and your goal is to reach Bucharest.

⇒ Given Graph with heuristic distance & the actual distance $g(n)$,

Let's assign the unique A-Z letter for each city:

The straight line / heuristic distance given as

Arad (A) = 360	Iasi (I) = 226	(r) Timisoara = (329)
Bucharest (B) = 0	Lugoj (L) = 244	(u) Urziceni = (80)
Craiova (C) = 160	Mehadia (M) = 241	Vaslui (V) = 199
Dobreta (D) = 242	Neamt (N) = 234	Zerind (Z) = 374
Eforie (E) = 161	Oradea (O) = 380	
Fagaras (F) = 178	Pitesti (P) = 98	
Giurgiu (G) = 77	Rimnicu Vilcea (RV) = 193	
Hirsova (H) = 151	Sibiu (S) = 253	