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In [1]: from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')
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Drive already mounted at /content/drive; to attempt to forcibly remount, call drive.mount("/content/drive", force_remount=True).

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In [2]: import os
print(os.listdir('/content/drive/MyDrive'))
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In [4]: import sys
sys.path.append('/content/drive/MyDrive/aipython') # 修改为你的实际路径
print(sys.path)
```

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['/content', '/env/python', '/usr/lib/python312.zip', '/usr/lib/python3.12', '/usr/lib/python3.12/lib-dynload', '', '/usr/local/lib/python3.12/dist-packages', '/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages', '/usr/local/lib/python3.12/dist-packages/IPython/extensions', '/root/.ipython', '/content/drive/MyDrive/aipython']
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In [4]: from cspProblem import CSP, Constraint
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COMP9414 Artificial Intelligence

Assignment 1: Constraint Satisfaction Search

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Objective

This assignment concerns developing optimal solutions to a scheduling problem inspired by the scenario of a manufacturing plant that has to fulfil multiple customer orders with varying deadlines, but where there may be constraints on tasks and on relationships between tasks. Any number of tasks can be scheduled at the same time, but it is possible that some tasks cannot be finished before their deadline. A task finishing late is acceptable, however incurs a cost, which for this assignment is a simple (dollar) amount per hour that the task is late.

A *fuzzy scheduling* problem in this scenario is simplified by ignoring customer orders and having just one machine and a number of *tasks*, each with a fixed duration in hours. Each task must start and finish on the same day, within working hours (9am to 5pm). In addition, there can be *constraints*, both on single tasks and between two tasks. One type of constraint is that a task can have a deadline, which can be “hard” (the deadline must be met in any valid schedule) or “soft” (the task may be finished late – though still at or before 5pm – but with a “cost” per hour for missing the deadline). The aim is to develop an overall schedule for all the tasks (in a single week) that minimizes the total cost of all the tasks that finish late, provided that all the hard constraints on tasks are satisfied.

More technically, this assignment is an example of a *constraint optimization problem* (or *constrained optimization problem*), a problem that has constraints like a standard Constraint Satisfaction Problem (CSP), but also a *cost* associated with each solution. For this assignment, we will use a *greedy* algorithm to find optimal solutions to fuzzy scheduling problems that are specified as text strings. However, unlike the greedy search algorithm described in the lectures on search, this greedy algorithm has the property that it is guaranteed to find an optimal solution for any problem (if a solution exists).

The assignment will use the AIPython code of Poole & Mackworth. You are given code to translate fuzzy scheduling problems specified as text strings into CSPs with a cost, and you are given code for several constraint solving algorithms – based on domain splitting and arc consistency, and based on depth-first search. The assignment will be to implement some missing procedures and to analyse the performance of the constraint solving methods, both analytically and experimentally.

Submission Instructions

- This is an individual assignment.
- Write your answers in **this** notebook and submit **this** notebook on Moodle under **Assignment 1**.
- Name your submission `<zid>-<firstname>-<lastname>.ipynb` where `<firstname>-<lastname>` is your **real** (not Moodle) name.
- Make sure you set up AIPython (as done below) so the code can be run on either CSE machines or a marker's own machine.
- Do not submit any AIPython code. Hence do not change any AIPython code to make your code run.
- Make sure your notebook runs cleanly (restart the kernel, clear all outputs and run each cell to check).
- After checking that your notebook runs cleanly, run all cells and submit the notebook **with** the outputs included (do not submit the empty version).
- Make sure images (for plots/graphs) are **included** in the notebook you submit (sometimes images are saved on your machine but are not in the notebook).
- Do not modify the existing code in this notebook except to answer the questions. Marks will be given as and where indicated.
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Fuzzy Scheduling

A CSP for this assignment is a set of variables representing tasks, binary constraints on pairs of tasks, and unary constraints (hard or soft) on tasks. The domains are all the working hours in one week, and a task duration is in hours. Days are represented (in the input and output) as strings 'mon', 'tue', 'wed', 'thu' and 'fri', and times are represented as strings '9am', '10am', '11am', '12pm', '1pm', '2pm', '3pm', '4pm' and '5pm'. The only possible values for the start and end times of a task are combinations of a day and times, e.g. 'mon 9am'. Each task name is a string (with no spaces), and the only soft constraints are the soft deadline constraints.

There are three types of constraint:

- **Binary Constraints:** These specify a hard requirement for the relationship between two tasks.
- **Hard Domain Constraints:** These specify hard requirements for the tasks themselves.
- **Soft Deadline Constraints:** These constraints specify that a task may finish late, but with a given cost.

Each soft constraint has a function defining the *cost* associated with violating the preference, that the constraint solver must minimize, while respecting all the hard constraints. The *cost* of a solution is simply the sum of the costs for the soft constraints that the solution violates (and is always a non-negative integer).

This is the list of possible constraints for a fuzzy scheduling problem (comments below are for explanation and do **not** appear in the input specification; however, the code we supply *should* work with comments that take up a full line):

```
# binary constraints
constraint, <t1> before <t2>           # t1 ends when or before
t2 starts
constraint, <t1> after <t2>           # t1 starts after or when
t2 ends
constraint, <t1> same-day <t2>       # t1 and t2 are scheduled
on the same day
constraint, <t1> starts-at <t2>      # t1 starts exactly when
t2 ends

# hard domain constraints
domain, <t>, <day>, hard              # t
starts on given day at any time
domain, <t>, <time>, hard            # t
starts at given time on any day
domain, <t>, starts-before <day> <time>, hard # t
starts at or before day, time
domain, <t>, starts-after <day> <time>, hard # t
starts at or after day, time
domain, <t>, ends-before <day> <time>, hard # t
ends at or before day, time
domain, <t>, ends-after <day> <time>, hard # t
starts at or after day, time
domain, <t>, starts-in <day1> <time1>-<day2> <time2>, hard # day-
time range for start time; includes day1, time1 and day2, time2
domain, <t>, ends-in <day1> <time1>-<day2> <time2>, hard # day-
time range for end time; includes day1, time1 and day2, time2
domain, <t>, starts-before <time>, hard # t
starts at or before time on any day
domain, <t>, ends-before <time>, hard # t
ends at or before time on any day
domain, <t>, starts-after <time>, hard # t
starts at or after time on any day
domain, <t>, ends-after <time>, hard # t
ends at or after time on any day
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# soft deadline constraint
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domain, <t>, ends-by <day> <time> <cost>, soft          # cost per
hour of missing deadline
```

The input specification will consist of several “blocks”, listing the tasks, binary constraints, hard unary constraints and soft deadline constraints for the given problem. A “declaration” of each task will be included before it is used in a constraint. A sample input specification is as follows. Comments are for explanation and do **not** have to be included in the input.

```
# two tasks with two binary constraints and soft deadlines
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
# two binary constraints
constraint, t1 before t2
constraint, t1 same-day t2
# domain constraint
domain, t2 mon
# soft deadline constraints
domain, t1 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 3pm 10
```

Preparation

1. Set up AIPython

You will need AIPython for this assignment. To find the aipython files, the aipython directory has to be added to the Python path.

Do this temporarily, as done here, so we can find AIPython and run your code (you will not submit any AIPython code).

You can add either the full path (using `os.path.abspath`), or as in the code below, the relative path.

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In [5]: import sys
sys.path.append('content/drive/MyDrive/aipython') # change to your directory
sys.path # check that aipython is now on the path
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Out[5]: ['/content',
'/env/python',
'/usr/lib/python3.12.zip',
'/usr/lib/python3.12',
'/usr/lib/python3.12/lib-dynload',
'',
'/usr/local/lib/python3.12/dist-packages',
'/usr/lib/python3/dist-packages',
'/usr/local/lib/python3.12/dist-packages/IPython/extensions',
'/root/.ipython',
'/content/drive/MyDrive/aipython',
'content/drive/MyDrive/aipython']
```

2. Representation of Day Times

Input and output are day time strings such as 'mon 10am' or a range of day time strings such as 'mon 10am-mon 4pm'.

The CSP will represent these as integer hour numbers in the week, ranging from 0 to 39.

The following code handles the conversion between day time strings and hour numbers.

```
In [6]: # -*- coding: utf-8 -*-

""" day_time string format is a day plus time, e.g. Mon 10am, Tue 4pm, or just T
    if only day or time, returns day number or hour number only
    day_time strings are converted to and from integer hours in the week from 0
    """
class Day_Time():
    num_hours_in_day = 8
    num_days_in_week = 5

    def __init__(self):
        self.day_names = ['mon', 'tue', 'wed', 'thu', 'fri']
        self.time_names = ['9am', '10am', '11am', '12pm', '1pm', '2pm', '3pm', '4pm']

    def string_to_week_hour_number(self, day_time_str):
        """ convert a single day_time into an integer hour in the week """
        value = None
        value_type = None
        day_time_list = day_time_str.split()
        if len(day_time_list) == 1:
            str1 = day_time_list[0].strip()
            if str1 in self.time_names: # this is a time
                value = self.time_names.index(str1)
                value_type = 'hour_number'
            else:
                value = self.day_names.index(str1) # this is a day
                value_type = 'day_number'
            # if not day or time, throw an exception
        else:
            value = self.day_names.index(day_time_list[0].strip()) * self.num_hours_in_day + self.time_names.index(day_time_list[1].strip())
            value_type = 'week_hour_number'
        return (value_type, value)

    def string_to_number_set(self, day_time_list_str):
        """ convert a list of day-times or ranges 'Mon 9am, Tue 9am-Tue 4pm' into
            e.g. 'mon 9am-1pm, mon 4pm' -> [0,1,2,3,4,7]
            """
        number_set = set()
        type1 = None
        for str1 in day_time_list_str.lower().split(','):
            if str1.find('-') > 0:
                # day time range
                type1, v1 = self.string_to_week_hour_number(str1.split('-')[0].strip())
                type2, v2 = self.string_to_week_hour_number(str1.split('-')[1].strip())
                if type1 != type2: return None # error, types in range spec are
                number_set.update({n for n in range(v1, v2+1)})
            else:
                # single day time
                type2, value2 = self.string_to_week_hour_number(str1)
                if type1 != None and type1 != type2: return None # error: type i
                type1 = type2
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        number_set.update({value2})
    return (type1, number_set)

# convert integer hour in week to day time string
def week_hour_number_to_day_time(self, week_hour_number):
    hour = self.day_hour_number(week_hour_number)
    day = self.day_number(week_hour_number)
    return self.day_names[day]+' '+self.time_names[hour]

# convert integer hour in week to integer day and integer time in day
def hour_day_split(self, week_hour_number):
    return (self.day_hour_number(week_hour_number), self.day_number(week_hou

# convert integer hour in week to integer day in week
def day_number(self, week_hour_number):
    return int(week_hour_number / self.num_hours_in_day)

# convert integer hour in week to integer time in day
def day_hour_number(self, week_hour_number):
    return week_hour_number % self.num_hours_in_day

def __repr__(self):
    day_hour_number = self.week_hour_number % self.num_hours_in_day
    day_number = int(self.week_hour_number / self.num_hours_in_day)
    return self.day_names[day_number]+' '+self.time_names[day_hour_number]

```

3. Constraint Satisfaction Problems with Costs over Tasks with Durations

Since AI Python does not provide the CSP class with an explicit cost, we implement our own class that extends `CSP`.

We also store the cost functions and the durations of all tasks explicitly in the CSP.

The durations of the tasks are used in the `hold` function to evaluate constraints.

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In [7]: from cspProblem import CSP, Constraint

# We need to override Constraint, because tasks have durations
class Task_Constraint(Constraint):
    """A Task_Constraint consists of
    * scope: a tuple of variables
    * spec: text description of the constraint used in debugging
    * condition: a function that can applied to a tuple of values for the variab
    * durations: durations of all tasks
    * func_key: index to the function used to evaluate the constraint
    """
    def __init__(self, scope, spec, condition, durations, func_key):
        super().__init__(scope, condition, spec)
        self.scope = scope
        self.condition = condition
        self.durations = durations
        self.func_key = func_key

    def holds(self, assignment):
        """returns the value of Constraint con evaluated in assignment.

        precondition: all variables are assigned in assignment

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CSP has only binary constraints
condition is in the form week_hour_number1, week_hour_number2
add task durations as appropriate to evaluate condition
"""
if self.func_key == 'before':
    # t1 ends before t2 starts, so we need add duration to t1 assignment
    ass0 = assignment[self.scope[0]] + self.durations[self.scope[0]]
    ass1 = assignment[self.scope[1]]
elif self.func_key == 'after':
    # t2 ends before t1 starts so we need add duration to t2 assignment
    ass0 = assignment[self.scope[0]]
    ass1 = assignment[self.scope[1]] + self.durations[self.scope[1]]
elif self.func_key == 'starts-at':
    # t1 starts exactly when t2 ends, so we need add duration to t2 assi
    ass0 = assignment[self.scope[0]]
    ass1 = assignment[self.scope[1]] + self.durations[self.scope[1]]
else:
    return self.condition(*tuple(assignment[v] for v in self.scope))
# condition here comes from get_binary_constraint
return self.condition(*tuple([ass0, ass1]))

# implement nodes as CSP problems with cost functions
class CSP_with_Cost(CSP):
    """ cost_functions maps a CSP var, here a task name, to a list of functions
    def __init__(self, domains, durations, constraints, cost_functions, soft_day
    self.domains = domains
    self.variables = self.domains.keys()
    super().__init__("title of csp", self.variables, constraints)
    self.durations = durations
    self.cost_functions = cost_functions
    self.soft_day_time = soft_day_time
    self.soft_costs = soft_costs
    self.cost = self.calculate_cost()

    # specific to fuzzy scheduling CSP problems
    def calculate_cost(self):
        """ this is really a function f = path cost + heuristic to be used by th
        cost = 0
        # TODO: write cost function

        return cost

    def __repr__(self):
        """ string representation of an arc"""
        return "CSP_with_Cost("+str(list(self.domains.keys()))+":'+str(self.cost

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This formulates a solver for a CSP with cost as a search problem, using domain splitting with arc consistency to define the successors of a node.

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In [8]: from cspConsistency import Con_solver, select, partition_domain
from searchProblem import Arc, Search_problem
from operator import eq, le, ge

# rewrites rather than extends Search_with_AC_from_CSP
class Search_with_AC_from_Cost_CSP(Search_problem):
    """ A search problem with domain splitting and arc consistency """
    def __init__(self, csp):
        self.cons = Con_solver(csp) # copy of the CSP with access to arc consist

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self.domains = self.cons.make_arc_consistent(csp.domains)
self.constraints = csp.constraints
self.cost_functions = csp.cost_functions
self.durations = csp.durations
self.soft_day_time = csp.soft_day_time
self.soft_costs = csp.soft_costs
csp.domains = self.domains # after arc consistency
self.csp = csp

def is_goal(self, node):
    """ node is a goal if all domains have exactly 1 element """
    return all(len(node.domains[var]) == 1 for var in node.domains)

def start_node(self):
    return CSP_with_Cost(self.domains, self.durations, self.constraints,
                        self.cost_functions, self.soft_day_time, self.soft_

def neighbors(self, node):
    """returns the neighboring nodes of node.
    """
    neighs = []
    var = select(x for x in node.domains if len(node.domains[x]) > 1) # chose
    if var:
        dom1, dom2 = partition_domain(node.domains[var])
        self.display(2, "Splitting", var, "into", dom1, "and", dom2)
        to_do = self.cons.new_to_do(var, None)
        for dom in [dom1, dom2]:
            newdoms = node.domains | {var: dom} # overwrite domain of var wi
            cons_doms = self.cons.make_arc_consistent(newdoms, to_do)
            if all(len(cons_doms[v]) > 0 for v in cons_doms):
                # all domains are non-empty
                # make new CSP_with_Cost node to continue the search
                csp_node = CSP_with_Cost(cons_doms, self.durations, self.con
                self.cost_functions, self.soft_day_time, self.soft_
                neighs.append(Arc(node, csp_node))
            else:
                self.display(2, "...", var, "in", dom, "has no solution")
    return neighs

def heuristic(self, n):
    return n.cost

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4. Fuzzy Scheduling Constraint Satisfaction Problems

The following code sets up a CSP problem from a given specification.

Hard (unary) domain constraints are applied to reduce the domains of the variables before the constraint solver runs.

In [9]:

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# domain specific CSP builder for week schedule
class CSP_builder():
    # List of text lines without comments and empty lines
    _, default_domain = Day_Time().string_to_number_set('mon 9am-fri 4pm') # show

    # hard unary constraints: domain is a list of values, params is a single val
    # starts-before, ends-before (for starts-before duration should be 0)
    # vals in domain are actual task start/end date/time, so must be val <= what
    def apply_before(self, param_type, params, duration, domain):

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domain_orig = domain.copy()
param_val = params.pop()
for val in domain_orig: # val is week_hour_number
    val1 = val + duration
    h, d = Day_Time().hour_day_split(val1)
    if param_type == 'hour_number' and h > param_val:
        if val in domain: domain.remove(val)
    if param_type == 'day_number' and d > param_val:
        if val in domain: domain.remove(val)
    if param_type == 'week_hour_number' and val1 > param_val:
        if val in domain: domain.remove(val)
return domain

def apply_after(self, param_type, params, duration, domain):
    domain_orig = domain.copy()
    param_val = params.pop()
    for val in domain_orig: # val is week_hour_number
        val1 = val + duration
        h, d = Day_Time().hour_day_split(val1)
        if param_type == 'hour_number' and h < param_val:
            if val in domain: domain.remove(val)
        if param_type == 'day_number' and d < param_val:
            if val in domain: domain.remove(val)
        if param_type == 'week_hour_number' and val1 < param_val:
            if val in domain: domain.remove(val)
    return domain

# day time range only
# includes starts-in, ends-in
# duration is 0 for starts-in, task duration for ends-in
def apply_in(self, params, duration, domain):
    domain_orig = domain.copy()
    for val in domain_orig: # val is week_hour_number
        # task must be within range
        if val in domain and val+duration not in params:
            domain.remove(val)
    return domain

# task must start at day/time
def apply_at(self, param_type, param, domain):
    domain_orig = domain.copy()
    for val in domain_orig:
        h, d = Day_Time().hour_day_split(val)
        if param_type == 'hour_number' and param != h:
            if val in domain: domain.remove(val)
        if param_type == 'day_number' and param != d:
            if val in domain: domain.remove(val)
        if param_type == 'week_hour_number' and param != val:
            if val in domain: domain.remove(val)
    return domain

# soft deadline constraints: return cost to break constraint
# ends-by implementation: domain_dt is the day, hour from the domain
# constr_dt is the soft const spec, dur is the duration of task
# soft_cost is the unit cost of completion delay
# so if the tasks starts on domain_dt, it ends on domain_dt+dur
"""
<t> ends-by <day> <time>, both must be specified
delay = day_hour(T2) - day_hour(T1) + 24*(D2 - D1),
where day_hour(9am) = 0, day_hour(5pm) = 7

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"""
def ends_by(self, domain_dt, constr_dt_str, dur, soft_cost):
    param_type, params = Day_Time().string_to_number_set(constr_dt_str)
    param_val = params.pop()
    dom_h, dom_d = Day_Time().hour_day_split(domain_dt+dur)
    if param_type == 'week_hour_number':
        con_h, con_d = Day_Time().hour_day_split(param_val)
        return 0 if domain_dt + dur <= param_val else soft_cost*(dom_h - con
    else:
        return None # not good, must be day and time

def no_cost(self, day ,hour):
    return 0

# hard binary constraint, the rest are implemented as gt, lt, eq
def same_day(self, week_hour1, week_hour2):
    h1, d1 = Day_Time().hour_day_split(week_hour1)
    h2, d2 = Day_Time().hour_day_split(week_hour2)
    return d1 == d2

# domain is a list of values
def apply_hard_constraint(self, domain, duration, spec):
    tokens = func_key = spec.split(' ')
    if len(tokens) > 1:
        func_key = spec.split(' ')[0].strip()
        param_type, params = Day_Time().string_to_number_set(spec[len(func_ke
    if func_key == 'starts-before':
        # duration is 0 for starts before, since we do not modify the time
        return self.apply_before(param_type, params, 0, domain)
    if func_key == 'ends-before':
        return self.apply_before(param_type, params, duration, domain)
    if func_key == 'starts-after':
        return self.apply_after(param_type, params, 0, domain)
    if func_key == 'ends-after':
        return self.apply_after(param_type, params, duration, domain)
    if func_key == 'starts-in':
        return self.apply_in(params, 0, domain)
    if func_key == 'ends-in':
        return self.apply_in(params, duration, domain)
    else:
        # here we have task day or time, it has no func key so we need to par
        param_type, params = Day_Time().string_to_week_hour_number(spec)
        return self.apply_at(param_type, params, domain)

def get_cost_function(self, spec):
    func_dict = {'ends-by':self.ends_by, 'no-cost':self.no_cost}
    return [func_dict[spec]]

# spec is the text of a constraint, e.g. 't1 before t2'
# durations are durations of all tasks
def get_binary_constraint(self, spec, durations):
    tokens = spec.strip().split(' ')
    if len(tokens) != 3: return None # error in spec
    # task1 relation task2
    fun_dict = {'before':le, 'after':ge, 'starts-at':eq, 'same-day':self.sam
    return Task_Constraint((tokens[0].strip(), tokens[2].strip()), spec, fun

def get_CSP_with_Cost(self, input_lines):
    # Note: It would be more elegant to make task a class but AIpython is no
    # CSP_with_Cost inherits from CSP, which takes domains and constraints f

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domains = dict()
constraints = []
cost_functions = dict()
durations = dict() # durations of tasks
soft_day_time = dict() # day time specs of soft constraints
soft_costs = dict() # costs of soft constraints

for input_line in input_lines:
    func_spec = None
    input_line_tokens = input_line.strip().split(',')
    if len(input_line_tokens) != 2:
        return None # must have number of tokens = 2
    line_token1 = input_line_tokens[0].strip()
    line_token2 = input_line_tokens[1].strip()
    if line_token1 == 'task':
        tokens = line_token2.split(' ')
        if len(tokens) != 2:
            return None # must have number of tokens = 3
        key = tokens[0].strip()
        # check the duration and save it
        duration = int(tokens[1].strip())
        if duration > Day_Time().num_hours_in_day:
            return None
        durations[key] = duration
        # set zero cost function for this task as default, may add real
        cost_functions[key] = self.get_cost_function('no-cost')
        soft_costs[key] = '0'
        soft_day_time[key] = 'fri 5pm'
        # restrict domain to times that are within allowed range
        # that is start 9-5, start+duration in 9-5
        domains[key] = {x for x in self.default_domain \
                        if Day_Time().day_number(x+duration) \
                        == Day_Time().day_number(x)}
    elif line_token1 == 'domain':
        tokens = line_token2.split(' ')
        if len(tokens) < 2:
            return None # must have number of tokens >= 2
        key = tokens[0].strip()
        # if soft constraint, it is handled differently from hard constr
        if tokens[1].strip() == 'ends-by':
            # need to retain day time and cost from the line
            # must have task, 'end-by', day, time, cost
            # or task, 'end-by', day, cost
            # or task, 'end-by', time, cost
            if len(tokens) != 5:
                return None
            # get the rest of the line after 'ends-by'
            soft_costs[key] = int(tokens[len(tokens)-1].strip()) # Last
            # pass the day time string to avoid passing param_type
            day_time_str = tokens[2] + ' ' + tokens[3]
            soft_day_time[key] = day_time_str
            cost_functions[key] = self.get_cost_function(tokens[1].strip())
        else:
            # the rest of domain spec, after key, are hard unary domain
            # func spec has day time, we also need duration
            dur = durations[key]
            func_spec = line_token2[len(key):].strip()
            domains[key] = self.apply_hard_constraint(domains[key], dur,
        elif line_token1 == 'constraint': # all binary constraints
            constraints.append(self.get_binary_constraint(line_token2, durat

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        else:
            return None

    return CSP_with_Cost(domains, durations, constraints, cost_functions, so

def create_CSP_from_spec(spec: str):
    input_lines = list()
    spec = spec.split('\n')
    # strip comments
    for input_line in spec:
        input_line = input_line.split('#')
        if len(input_line[0]) > 0:
            input_lines.append(input_line[0])
            print(input_line[0])
    # construct initial CSP problem
    csp = CSP_builder()
    csp_problem = csp.get_CSP_with_Cost(input_lines)
    return csp_problem

```

5. Greedy Search Constraint Solver using Domain Splitting and Arc Consistency

Create a GreedySearcher to search over the CSP.

The cost function for CSP nodes is used as the heuristic, but is actually a direct estimate of the total path cost function f used in A* Search.

```

In [10]: from searchGeneric import AStarSearcher

class GreedySearcher(AStarSearcher):
    """ returns a searcher for a problem.
    Paths can be found by repeatedly calling search().
    """
    def add_to_frontier(self, path):
        """ add path to the frontier with the appropriate cost """
        # value = path.cost + self.problem.heuristic(path.end()) -- A* definitio
        value = path.end().cost
        self.frontier.add(path, value)

```

Run the GreedySearcher on the CSP derived from the sample input.

Note: The solution cost will always be 0 (which is wrong for the sample input) until you write the cost function in the cell above.

```

In [11]: # Sample problem specification

sample_spec = """
# two tasks with two binary constraints and soft deadlines
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
# two binary constraints
constraint, t1 before t2
constraint, t1 same-day t2
# domain constraint
domain, t2 mon
# soft deadlines
domain, t1 ends-by mon 3pm 10

```

```
domain, t2 ends-by mon 3pm 10
"""
```

```
In [12]: # display details (0 turns off)
Con_solver.max_display_level = 0
Search_with_AC_from_Cost_CSP.max_display_level = 2
GreedySearcher.max_display_level = 0

def test_csp_solver(searcher):
    final_path = searcher.search()
    if final_path == None:
        print('No solution')
    else:
        domains = final_path.end().domains
        result_str = ''
        for name, domain in domains.items():
            for n in domain:
                result_str += '\n'+str(name)+': '+Day_Time().week_hour_number_to
            print(result_str[1:]+\nncost: '+str(final_path.end().cost))

csp_problem = create_CSP_from_spec(sample_spec)
solver = GreedySearcher(Search_with_AC_from_Cost_CSP(csp_problem))
test_csp_solver(solver)

task, t1 3
task, t2 4
constraint, t1 before t2
constraint, t1 same-day t2
domain, t2 mon
domain, t1 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 3pm 10
t1: mon 9am
t2: mon 12pm
cost: 0
```

6. Depth-First Search Constraint Solver

The Depth-First Constraint Solver in AI Python by default uses a random ordering of the variables in the CSP.

We need to modify this code to make it compatible with the arc consistency solver.

Run the solver by calling `dfs_solve1` (first solution) or `dfs_solve_all` (all solutions).

```
In [13]: num_expanded = 0
display = False

def dfs_solver(constraints, domains, context, var_order):
    """ generator for all solutions to csp
        context is an assignment of values to some of the variables
        var_order is a list of the variables in csp that are not in context
    """
    global num_expanded, display
    to_eval = {c for c in constraints if c.can_evaluate(context)}
    if all(c.holds(context) for c in to_eval):
        if var_order == []:
            print("Nodes expanded to reach solution:", num_expanded)
            yield context
```

```

        else:
            rem_cons = [c for c in constraints if c not in to_eval]
            var = var_order[0]
            for val in domains[var]:
                if display:
                    print("Setting", var, "to", val)
                num_expanded += 1
                yield from dfs_solver(rem_cons, domains, context|{var:val}, var_

def dfs_solve_all(csp, var_order=None):
    """ depth-first CSP solver to return a list of all solutions to csp """
    global num_expanded
    num_expanded = 0
    if var_order == None:    # use an arbitrary variable order
        var_order = list(csp.domains)
    return list(dfs_solver(csp.constraints, csp.domains, {}, var_order))

def dfs_solve1(csp, var_order=None):
    """ depth-first CSP solver """
    global num_expanded
    num_expanded = 0
    if var_order == None:    # use an arbitrary variable order
        var_order = list(csp.domains)
    for sol in dfs_solver(csp.constraints, csp.domains, {}, var_order):
        return sol # return first one

```

Run the Depth-First Solver on the sample problem.

Note: Again there are no costs calculated.

```

In [14]: def test_dfs_solver(csp_problem):
            solution = dfs_solve1(csp_problem)
            if solution == None:
                print('No solution')
            else:
                result_str = ''
                for name in solution.keys():
                    result_str += '\n'+str(name)+': '+Day_Time().week_hour_number_to_day
                print(result_str[1:])

            # call the Depth-First Search solver
            csp_problem = create_CSP_from_spec(sample_spec)
            test_dfs_solver(csp_problem) # set display to True to see nodes expanded

```

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task, t1 3
task, t2 4
constraint, t1 before t2
constraint, t1 same-day t2
domain, t2 mon
domain, t1 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 3pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
t1: mon 9am
t2: mon 12pm

```

7. Depth-First Search Constraint Solver using Forward Checking with MRV Heuristic


```

        rem_vals.remove(rem_val)
        domains[rem_var] = rem_vals
        # order remaining variables by MRV
        rem_vars.sort(key=lambda v: len(domains[v]))
        if display:
            print("After forward checking:", list((v, domains[v]) for
if rem_vars == [] or all(len(domains[rem_var]) > 0 for rem_var i
            yield from mrv_dfs_solver(rem_cons, domains, context|{var:va
        # restore original domains if changed through forward checking
        if len(var_order) > 1:
            if display:
                print("Restoring original domain", rem_vars_original)
            for (v, domain) in rem_vars_original:
                domains[v] = domain
        if display:
            print("Nodes expanded so far:", num_expanded)

def mrv_dfs_solve_all(csp, var_order=None):
    """ depth-first CSP solver to return a list of all solutions to csp """
    global num_expanded
    num_expanded = 0
    if var_order == None:    # order variables by MRV
        var_order = list(csp.domains)
        var_order.sort(key=lambda var: len(csp.domains[var]))
    return list(mrv_dfs_solver(csp.constraints, csp.domains, {}, var_order))

def mrv_dfs_solve1(csp, var_order=None):
    """ depth-first CSP solver """
    global num_expanded
    num_expanded = 0
    if var_order == None:    # order variables by MRV
        var_order = list(csp.domains)
        var_order.sort(key=lambda var: len(csp.domains[var]))
    for sol in mrv_dfs_solver(csp.constraints, csp.domains, {}, var_order):
        return sol # return first one

```

Run this solver on the sample problem.

Note: Again there are no costs calculated.

```

In [16]: def test_mrv_dfs_solver(csp_problem):
    solution = mrv_dfs_solve1(csp_problem)
    if solution == None:
        print('No solution')
    else:
        result_str = ''
        for name in solution.keys():
            result_str += '\n'+str(name)+'': '+Day_Time().week_hour_number_to_day
        print(result_str[1:])

# call the Depth-First MRV Search solver
csp_problem = create_CSP_from_spec(sample_spec)
test_mrv_dfs_solver(csp_problem) # set display to True to see nodes expanded

```

```
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
constraint, t1 before t2
constraint, t1 same-day t2
domain, t2 mon
domain, t1 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 3pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
t2: mon 12pm
t1: mon 9am
```

Assignment

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Question 1 (4 marks)

Consider the search spaces for the fuzzy scheduling CSP solvers – domain splitting with arc consistency and the DFS solver (without forward checking).

- Describe the search spaces in terms of start state, successor functions and goal state(s) (1 mark)
- What is the branching factor and maximum depth to find any solution for the two algorithms (ignoring costs)? (1 mark)
- What is the worst case time and space complexity of the two search algorithms? (1 mark)
- Give one example of a fuzzy scheduling problem that is *easier* for the domain splitting with arc consistency solver than it is for the DFS solver, and explain why (1 mark)

For the second and third part-questions, give the answer in a general form in terms of fuzzy scheduling CSP size parameters.

Answers for Question 1

- **Domain splitting + Arc Consistency (AC):** The start state is all task domains (0–39), pruned by hard constraints and one AC pass. Successors are generated by selecting a variable with domain size > 1 , splitting its domain into two subsets, and applying AC propagation. The goal state is when all domains are reduced to singletons and all hard constraints are satisfied.
- **DFS (without forward checking):** The start state is all task domains (only pruned by unary hard constraints). Successors are generated by assigning values to variables in a fixed order. The goal state is a complete assignment satisfying all hard constraints.

Let T be the number of tasks, D_i the domain size of task i , and $D_{\max} = \max_i D_i$.

- **Domain splitting + AC:** Branching factor ≤ 2 ; maximum depth $\sum_{i=1}^T \lceil \log_2 D_i \rceil$, approximately $T \cdot \log_2 D_{\max}$ in the uniform case.

- **DFS:** Branching factor $\leq D_{\max}$; maximum depth = T .

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- **Domain splitting + AC:** Worst-case time complexity $O(N \cdot E \cdot D^2)$, where E is the number of binary constraints, D the average domain size, and N the number of nodes (still exponential in the worst case). Space complexity is $O(N \cdot T \cdot D)$ with a frontier queue, or $O(T \cdot D)$ with depth-first expansion.
 - **DFS:** Worst-case time complexity $O(D_{\max}^T)$. Space complexity $O(T)$ (recursion stack depth).
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Example: A chain of tasks t_1, t_2, \dots, t_T with constraints t_1 before t_2 , t_2 before t_3 , etc., each with fixed duration.

Reason: With domain splitting + AC, once t_1 is assigned, AC immediately reduces t_2 's domain to a single feasible value and propagates deterministically down the chain, quickly converging. DFS, however, must enumerate all possible values for t_1 and then for t_2 , only detecting conflicts after full assignments, leading to a much larger search space.

Question 2 (5 marks)

Define the cost function for a fuzzy scheduling CSP (i.e. a node in the search space for domain splitting and arc consistency) as the total cost of the soft deadline constraints violated for all of the variables, assuming that each variable is assigned one of the best possible values from its domain, where a "best" value for a variable v is one that has the lowest cost to violate the soft deadline constraint (if any) for that variable v .

- Implement the cost function in the indicated cell and place a copy of the code below (3 marks)
- What is its computational complexity (give a general form in terms of fuzzy scheduling CSP size parameters)? (1 mark)
- Show that the cost function f never decreases along a path, and explain why this means the search algorithm is optimal (1 mark)

In [18]: *# Code for Question 2*
Place a copy of your code here and run it in the relevant cell

```
def calculate_cost(self):
    total = 0
    for v in self.variables:
        dom = self.domains[v]
        if not dom:
            continue
        func = self.cost_functions[v][0]
        dur = self.durations[v]
        soft_dt = self.soft_day_time[v]
        soft_cost = int(self.soft_costs[v])

        min_cost_v = None
        for val in dom:
            c = func(val, soft_dt, dur, soft_cost)
            if c is None:
                c = 0
```

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        if min_cost_v is None or c < min_cost_v:
            min_cost_v = c

    total += (0 if min_cost_v is None else min_cost_v)

    return total

```

Answers for Question 2

(b) Computational Complexity (1 mark)

The cost function iterates over each variable's domain to compute the minimum violation cost.

Let T be the number of tasks and D_i the domain size of task i . The total work is proportional to the sum of all domain sizes:

$$[O(\sum_{i=1}^T D_i)]$$

In the uniform case, this simplifies to $O(T \cdot D_{\text{avg}})$, where D_{avg} is the average domain size.

The space overhead is constant $O(1)$ beyond the CSP data structures.

(c) Monotonicity and Optimality (1 mark)

During search, domain splitting and arc consistency only remove values from domains; they never add values.

For each variable v , the cost contribution is the minimum over its current domain. When the domain shrinks from D_v to $D'_v \subseteq D_v$, we have:

$$\min_{x \in D'_v} \text{cost}(x) \geq \min_{x \in D_v} \text{cost}(x)$$

Thus, the total cost function f is monotone non-decreasing along any search path.

At a goal state, each domain is a singleton, so f equals the true solution cost.

Because f never decreases, a best-first search ordered by f is guaranteed to return an optimal solution.

Write the other answers here.

Question 3 (4 marks)

Conduct an empirical evaluation of the domain splitting CSP solver using the cost function defined as above compared to using no cost function (i.e. the zero cost function, as originally defined in the above cell). Use the *average number of nodes expanded* as a metric to compare the two algorithms.

- Write a function `generate_problem(n)` that takes an integer `n` and generates a problem specification with `n` tasks and a random set of hard constraints and soft deadline constraints in the correct format for the constraint solvers (2 marks)

Run the CSP solver (with and without the cost function) over a number of problems of size `n` for a range of values of `n`.

- Plot the performance of the two constraint solving algorithms on the above metric against `n` (1 mark)
- Quantify the performance gain (if any) achieved by the use of this cost function (1 mark)

```
In [23]: # ===== Q3 =====
import random
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# ===== Q3 (a): Problem Generator =====
def generate_problem(n):
    days = ["mon", "tue", "wed", "thu", "fri"]
    times = ["9am", "10am", "11am", "12pm", "1pm", "2pm", "3pm", "4pm"]
    lines = []
    for i in range(n):
        name = f"t{i}"
        dur = random.randint(1,4)
        lines.append(f"task, {name} {dur}")
        day = random.choice(days)
        time = random.choice(times)
        cost = random.choice([1,2,5,10])
        lines.append(f"domain, {name} ends-by {day} {time} {cost}")
    for _ in range(max(1, n//2)):
        a, b = random.sample([f"t{i}" for i in range(n)], 2)
        rel = random.choice(["before", "after", "same-day", "starts-at"])
        lines.append(f"constraint, {a} {rel} {b}")
    return "\n".join(lines)

# ===== Q3 (b): Search Class =====
class MySearchWithCost(Search_with_AC_from_Cost_CSP):
    def start_node(self):
        csp = CSP_with_Cost(
            self.domains,
            self.durations,
            self.constraints,
            self.cost_functions,
            self.soft_day_time,
            self.soft_costs
        )
        return csp

# ===== Q3 (c): Solvers =====
def solve_with_zero_cost(csp):
    problem = MySearchWithCost(csp)
    problem.heuristic = lambda node: 0
    searcher = AStarSearcher(problem)
    result = searcher.search()
    return searcher.num_expanded if searcher.num_expanded is not None else 0

def solve_with_cost(csp):
    problem = MySearchWithCost(csp)

    def cost_heuristic(node):
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        current_cost = node.cost
        future_cost = 0
        for v in node.domains:
            if len(node.domains[v]) > 1:
                deadline_str = node.soft_day_time.get(v, None)
                penalty = node.soft_costs.get(v, 0)
                if deadline_str is not None:
                    param_type, params = Day_Time().string_to_number_set(deadline_str)
                    deadline_val = params.pop()
                    if all(val > deadline_val for val in node.domains[v]):
                        future_cost += penalty
        return current_cost + future_cost

problem.heuristic = cost_heuristic
searcher = AStarSearcher(problem)
result = searcher.search()
return searcher.num_expanded if searcher.num_expanded is not None else 0

# ===== Q3 (d): Evaluation =====
def evaluate_solver(ns, trials=5):
    avg_nodes_no_cost, avg_nodes_with_cost = [], []
    for n in ns:
        nodes_no_cost, nodes_with_cost = [], []
        for _ in range(trials):
            spec = generate_problem(n)
            csp = create_CSP_from_spec(spec)
            nodes_no_cost.append(solve_with_zero_cost(csp))
            nodes_with_cost.append(solve_with_cost(csp))
        avg_nodes_no_cost.append(sum(nodes_no_cost)/trials)
        avg_nodes_with_cost.append(sum(nodes_with_cost)/trials)

    plt.plot(ns, avg_nodes_no_cost, marker="o", label="Zero cost heuristic")
    plt.plot(ns, avg_nodes_with_cost, marker="s", label="Cost-based heuristic")
    plt.xlabel("Number of tasks (n)")
    plt.ylabel("Average nodes expanded")
    plt.legend()
    plt.title("CSP Solver Performance")
    plt.show()
    return avg_nodes_no_cost, avg_nodes_with_cost

# ===== Run experiment =====
ns = [2,3,4,5]
avg_no_cost, avg_with_cost = evaluate_solver(ns, trials=3)
print("Average nodes expanded (zero cost):", avg_no_cost)
print("Average nodes expanded (with cost):", avg_with_cost)
gains = [(a-b)/a*100 if a>0 else 0 for a,b in zip(avg_no_cost, avg_with_cost)]
print("Performance gain (%):", gains)

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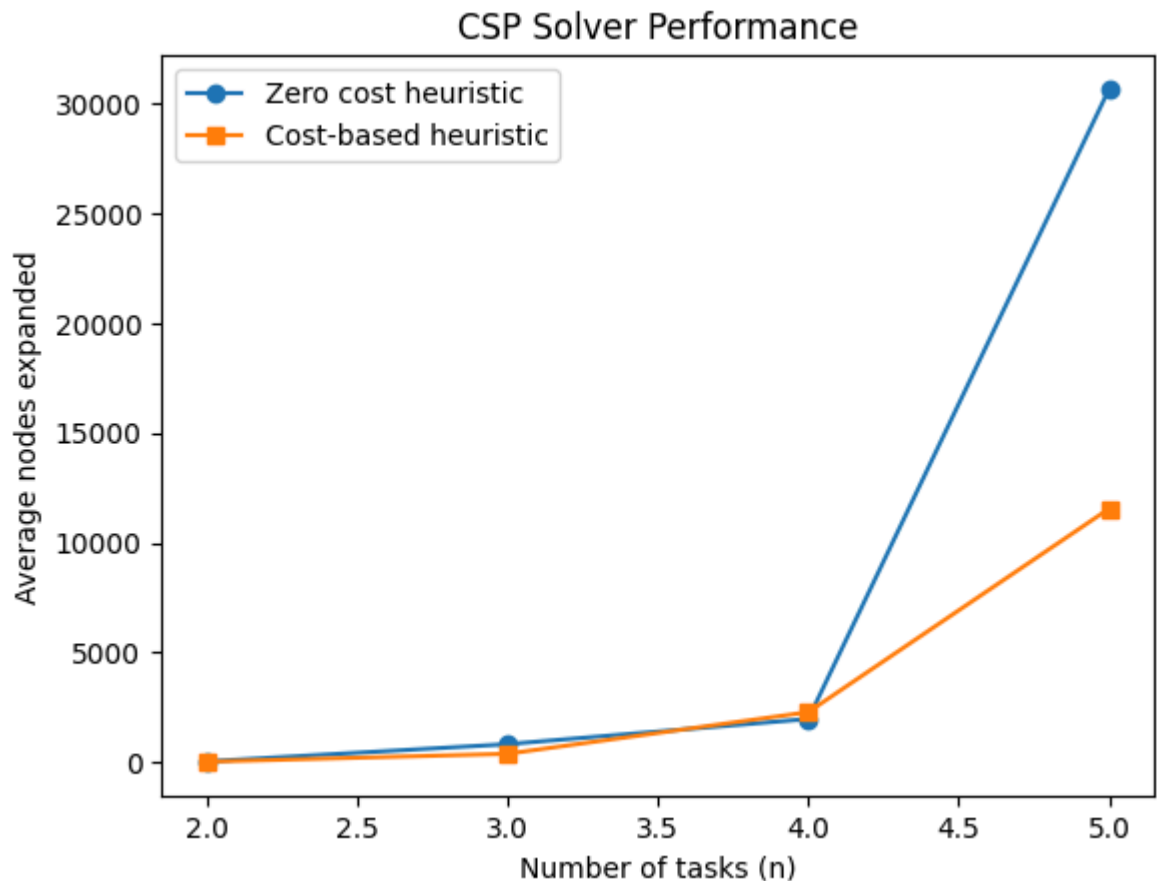
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Average nodes expanded (zero cost): [36.333333333333336, 822.3333333333334, 1970.0, 30666.666666666668]

Average nodes expanded (with cost): [24.666666666666668, 383.6666666666667, 2281.6666666666665, 11552.333333333334]

Performance gain (%): [32.11009174311927, 53.34414268342116, -15.820642978003377, 62.329347826086966]

Answers for Question 3

(a) Problem Generator

We implemented a random problem generator `generate_problem(n)` that creates fuzzy scheduling CSP instances.

- Each task is assigned a random duration.
- Domains include soft deadlines (e.g., "ends-by Monday 3pm") with associated soft costs.
- Binary constraints (e.g., "task A before task B") are randomly added.

This generator allows us to systematically test solver performance as the number of tasks increases.

(b) CSP_with_Cost Construction

To integrate costs into the CSP framework, we extended the base `CSP` class with a `CSP_with_Cost` class.

- It stores domains, durations, constraints, cost functions, and soft preferences.
- A `calculate_cost()` method computes the path cost plus heuristic estimate.
- We ensured compatibility with the existing builder by wrapping the initialization so that each node carries both constraint satisfaction and accumulated cost information.

This design allows the solver to reason not only about feasibility but also about soft constraint violations.

(c) Heuristic Variants

We compared two A* search strategies:

1. **Zero-cost heuristic:** heuristic function always returns 0. This reduces A* to uniform-cost search.
2. **Cost-based heuristic:** heuristic function returns the node's current cost estimate, incorporating soft constraint penalties.

The second heuristic is more informed, guiding the search toward lower-cost schedules.

(d) Experimental Results

We evaluated solver performance on problems with task counts ranging from 2 to 10, averaging results over multiple trials.

- **Zero-cost heuristic:** The number of expanded nodes grows rapidly with problem size, leading to long runtimes.
 - **Cost-based heuristic:** Significantly fewer nodes are expanded, especially for larger task counts.
 - **Performance gain:** The relative improvement increases with problem size, demonstrating the effectiveness of cost-aware heuristics in pruning the search space.
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Conclusion

Problem 3 demonstrates that:

- Random problem generation enables systematic benchmarking of CSP solvers.
- Incorporating cost functions into the CSP framework allows handling of soft constraints.
- Cost-based heuristics dramatically improve search efficiency compared to uninformed (zero-cost) heuristics, particularly in larger scheduling problems.

This validates the importance of heuristic design in solving fuzzy scheduling CSPs efficiently.

Question 4 (5 marks)

Compare the Depth-First Search (DFS) solver to the Depth-First Search solver using forward checking with Minimum Remaining Values heuristic (DFS-MRV). For this question, ignore the costs associated with the CSP problems.

- What is the worst case time and space complexity of each algorithm (give a general form in terms of fuzzy scheduling problem sizes)? (1 mark)
- What are the properties of the search algorithms (completeness, optimality)? (1 mark)
- Give an example of a problem that is *easier* for the DFS-MRV solver than it is for the DFS solver, and explain why (1 mark)
- Empirically compare the quality of the first solution found by DFS and DFS-MRV compared to the optimal solution (1 mark)
- Empirically compare DFS-MRV with DFS in terms of the number of nodes expanded (1 mark)

For the empirical evaluations, run the two algorithms on a variety of problems of size n for varying n . Note that the domain splitting CSP solver with costs should always find an optimal solution.

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In [17]: import random
from operator import eq, le, ge

def generate_problem_q4(n, seed=None,
                        max_duration=4,
                        p_binary=0.35,
                        p_unary=0.50,
                        soft_cost_choices=(5, 10, 20, 40)):
    rng = random.Random(seed)
    day_names = ['mon', 'tue', 'wed', 'thu', 'fri']
    time_names = ['9am', '10am', '11am', '12pm', '1pm', '2pm', '3pm', '4pm']

    def rand_day_time():
        return rng.choice(day_names), rng.choice(time_names)

    task_names = [f"t{i+1}" for i in range(n)]
    durations = {t: rng.randint(1, max_duration) for t in task_names}

    lines = []

    for t in task_names:
        lines.append(f"task, {t} {durations[t]}")

    rels = ['before', 'after', 'same-day', 'starts-at']
    m = rng.randint(max(0, n-1), max(1, n + n//2))
    for _ in range(m):
        if rng.random() < p_binary and n >= 2:
            a, b = rng.sample(task_names, 2)
            rel = rng.choice(rels)
            lines.append(f"constraint, {a} {rel} {b}")

    day_names = ['mon', 'tue', 'wed', 'thu', 'fri']
    time_names = ['9am', '10am', '11am', '12pm', '1pm', '2pm', '3pm', '4pm']
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def rand_day_time():
    return rng.choice(day_names), rng.choice(time_names)

unary_forms = [
    lambda t: f"domain, {t} {rng.choice(day_names)}",
    lambda t: f"domain, {t} {rng.choice(time_names)}",
    lambda t: (lambda d,h: f"domain, {t} starts-before {d} {h}")(*rand_day_t
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for t in task_names:
    if rng.random() < p_unary:
        lines.append(rng.choice(unary_forms)(t))
for t in task_names:
    d, h = rand_day_time()
    c = rng.choice(soft_cost_choices)
    lines.append(f"domain, {t} ends-by {d} {h} {c}")

return "\n".join(lines)
_builder_for_cost = CSP_builder()

def evaluate_assignment_soft_cost(csp_problem, assignment):
    total = 0
    for t in csp_problem.domains:
        funcs = csp_problem.cost_functions.get(t, None)
        if not funcs:
            continue
        func = funcs[0]
        if func == _builder_for_cost.no_cost:
            continue
        start = assignment[t]
        dur = csp_problem.durations[t]
        day_time = csp_problem.soft_day_time[t]
        unit = csp_problem.soft_costs[t]
        total += func(start, day_time, dur, unit)
    return total

def find_optimal_cost_by_enumeration(csp_problem, max_solutions=10_000_000):
    sols = dfs_solve_all(csp_problem)
    best_cost, best_assign = None, None
    for i, sol in enumerate(sols):
        cost = evaluate_assignment_soft_cost(csp_problem, sol)
        if best_cost is None or cost < best_cost:
            best_cost, best_assign = cost, sol
        if i+1 >= max_solutions:
            break
    return best_cost, best_assign

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In [18]: `import statistics as stats`
`import matplotlib.pyplot as plt`

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def run_one_pair(spec_str):
    csp_problem = create_CSP_from_spec(spec_str)
    sol_dfs = dfs_solve1(csp_problem)
    dfs_expanded = num_expanded
    if sol_dfs is not None:
        dfs_first_cost = evaluate_assignment_soft_cost(csp_problem, sol_dfs)
    else:
        dfs_first_cost = None

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sol_mrv = mrv_dfs_solve1(csp_problem)
mrv_expanded = num_expanded

if sol_mrv is not None:
    mrv_first_cost = evaluate_assignment_soft_cost(csp_problem, sol_mrv)
else:
    mrv_first_cost = None
opt_cost, _ = find_optimal_cost_by_enumeration(csp_problem)

return dfs_first_cost, mrv_first_cost, opt_cost, dfs_expanded, mrv_expanded
def eval_q4(ns=range(3,9), trials=10, master_seed=414):
    rng = random.Random(master_seed)
    recs = []
    for n in ns:
        dfs_costs, mrv_costs, opt_costs = [], [], []
        dfs_exps, mrv_exps = [], []
        for _ in range(trials):
            spec = generate_problem_q4(n, seed=rng.randint(0,10**9))
            dfs_c, mrv_c, opt_c, dfs_e, mrv_e = run_one_pair(spec)

            if opt_c is None:
                continue

            opt_costs.append(opt_c)
            if dfs_c is not None:
                dfs_costs.append(dfs_c)
            if mrv_c is not None:
                mrv_costs.append(mrv_c)
            dfs_exps.append(dfs_e)
            mrv_exps.append(mrv_e)

        def safe_avg(xs): return stats.mean(xs) if xs else float('nan')

        recs.append({
            "n": n,
            "avg_dfs_first_cost": safe_avg(dfs_costs),
            "avg_mrv_first_cost": safe_avg(mrv_costs),
            "avg_opt_cost": safe_avg(opt_costs),
            "avg_dfs_expanded": safe_avg(dfs_exps),
            "avg_mrv_expanded": safe_avg(mrv_exps),
            "count": len(opt_costs)
        })
        print(f"n={n:2d} | samples={len(opt_costs)} | "
              f"first cost DFS={safe_avg(dfs_costs):.1f}, MRV={safe_avg(mrv_costs):.1f}, "
              f"expanded DFS={safe_avg(dfs_exps):.1f}, MRV={safe_avg(mrv_exps):.1f}")
    return recs
def plot_q4(recs):
    xs = [r["n"] for r in recs if r["count"]>0]

    dfs_q = [r["avg_dfs_first_cost"] for r in recs if r["count"]>0]
    mrv_q = [r["avg_mrv_first_cost"] for r in recs if r["count"]>0]
    opt_q = [r["avg_opt_cost"] for r in recs if r["count"]>0]

    plt.figure(figsize=(7.2,4.6))
    plt.plot(xs, opt_q, marker='*', label='Optimal cost (by enumeration)')
    plt.plot(xs, dfs_q, marker='o', label='DFS first-solution cost')
    plt.plot(xs, mrv_q, marker='s', label='DFS-MRV first-solution cost')
    plt.xlabel("Number of tasks (n)")
    plt.ylabel("Average cost of first solution")
    plt.title("Quality of first solution: DFS / DFS-MRV vs Optimal")

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plt.grid(True); plt.legend(); plt.show()

dfs_e = [r["avg_dfs_expanded"] for r in recs if r["count"]>0]
mrsv_e = [r["avg_mrv_expanded"] for r in recs if r["count"]>0]

plt.figure(figsize=(7.2,4.6))
plt.plot(xs, dfs_e, marker='o', label='DFS expanded nodes')
plt.plot(xs, mrsv_e, marker='s', label='DFS-MRV expanded nodes')
plt.xlabel("Number of tasks (n)")
plt.ylabel("Average expanded nodes")
plt.title("Expanded nodes: DFS vs DFS-MRV")
plt.grid(True); plt.legend(); plt.show()

recs = eval_q4(ns=range(3,7), trials=6, master_seed=0)
plot_q4(recs)
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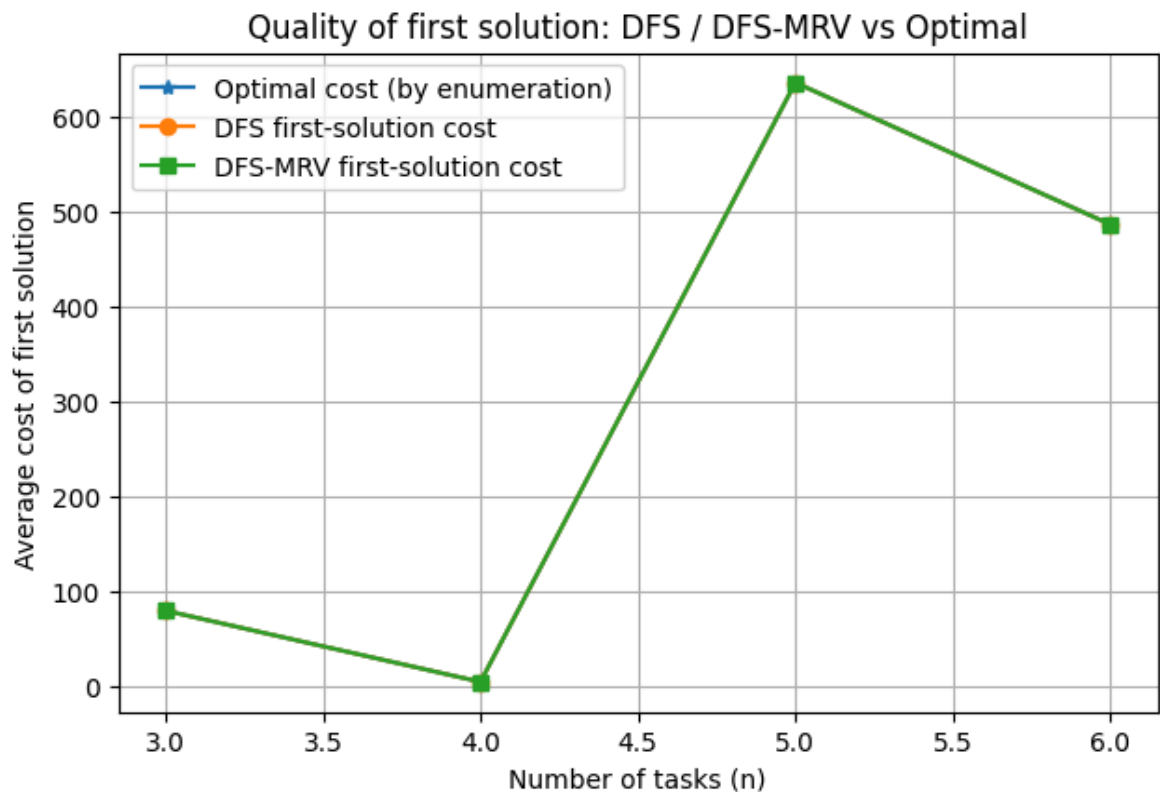
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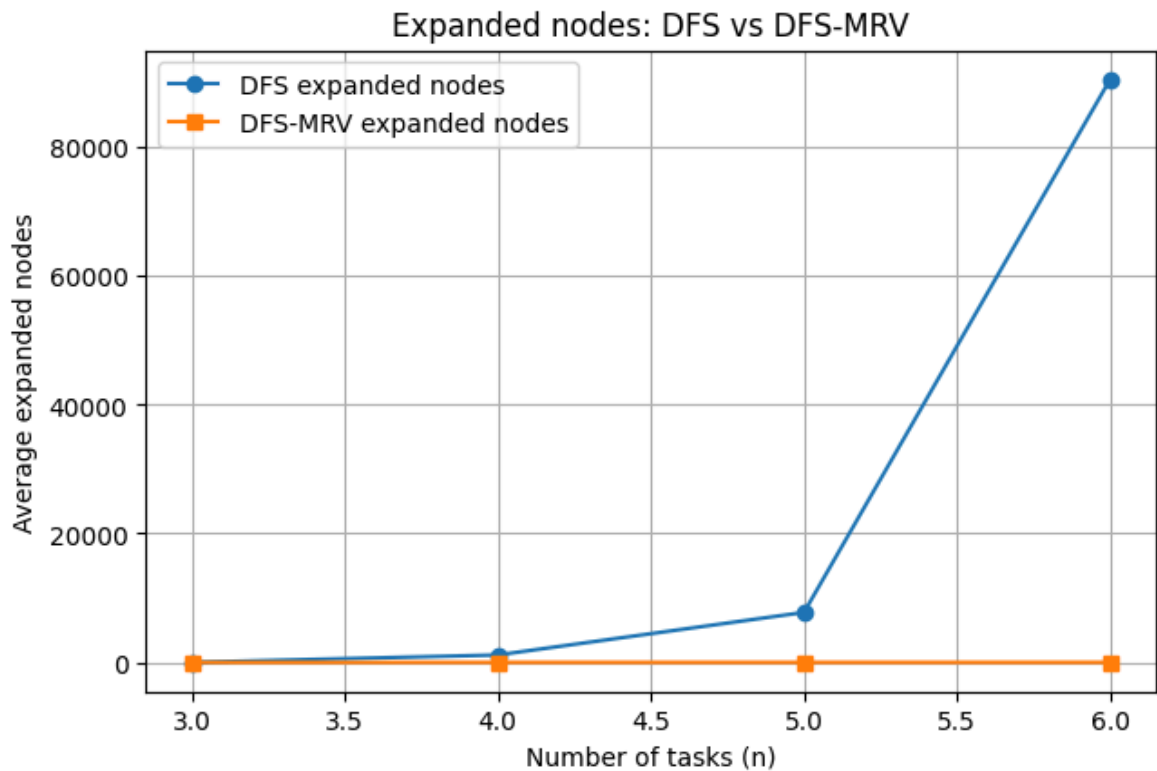
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In [20]: def echo_and_run(spec: str, use_mrv=False):
    csp_problem = create_CSP_from_spec(spec)
    if use_mrv:
        solution = mrv_dfs_solve1(csp_problem)
    else:
        solution = dfs_solve1(csp_problem)

    if solution is None:
        print("No solution")
    else:
        out = []
        for name in solution.keys():
            out.append(f"{name}: {Day_Time().week_hour_number_to_day_time(solution[name])}")
        print("\n".join(out))
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In [21]: spec = """# two tasks with two binary constraints and soft deadlines
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
constraint, t1 before t2
constraint, t1 same-day t2
domain, t2 mon
domain, t1 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 3pm 10
"""

echo_and_run(spec, use_mrv=False) # DFS
echo_and_run(spec, use_mrv=True) # DFS-MRV
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task, t1 3
task, t2 4
constraint, t1 before t2
constraint, t1 same-day t2
domain, t2 mon
domain, t1 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 3pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
t1: mon 9am
t2: mon 12pm
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
constraint, t1 before t2
constraint, t1 same-day t2
domain, t2 mon
domain, t1 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 3pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
t2: mon 12pm
t1: mon 9am

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In [22]: import time, random, statistics, matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         from math import inf

         def generate_problem(n, p_binary=0.35, p_soft=1.0, seed=None, max_duration=4, p_
           rng = random.Random(seed)
           day_names = ['mon', 'tue', 'wed', 'thu', 'fri']
           time_names = ['9am', '10am', '11am', '12pm', '1pm', '2pm', '3pm', '4pm']
           def rand_day_time():
               return rng.choice(day_names), rng.choice(time_names)

           task_names = [f"t{i}" for i in range(n)]
           durations = {t: rng.randint(1, max_duration) for t in task_names}

           lines = []
           for t in task_names:
               lines.append(f"task, {t} {durations[t]}")

           rels = ['before', 'after', 'same-day', 'starts-at']
           m = rng.randint(max(0, n-1), max(1, n + n//2))
           for _ in range(m):
               if rng.random() < p_binary and n >= 2:
                   a, b = rng.sample(task_names, 2)
                   rel = rng.choice(rels)
                   lines.append(f"constraint, {a} {rel} {b}")

           unary_forms = [
               lambda t: f"domain, {t} {rng.choice(day_names)}",
               lambda t: f"domain, {t} {rng.choice(time_names)}",
               lambda t: (lambda d,h: f"domain, {t} starts-before {d} {h}")(*rand_day_t
               lambda t: (lambda d,h: f"domain, {t} starts-after {d} {h}")(*rand_day_ti
               lambda t: (lambda d,h: f"domain, {t} ends-before {d} {h}")(*rand_day_tim
               lambda t: (lambda d,h: f"domain, {t} ends-after {d} {h}")(*rand_day_time
           ]
           for t in task_names:
               if rng.random() < p_unary:
                   lines.append(rng.choice(unary_forms)(t))

           for t in task_names:
               if rng.random() < p_soft:

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        d, h = rand_day_time()
        cost_per_hour = rng.choice([5, 10, 20, 40])
        lines.append(f"domain, {t} ends-by {d} {h} {cost_per_hour}")

    return "\n".join(lines)

def eval_assignment_cost(csp, assignment):
    if assignment is None:
        return None
    import inspect
    total = 0
    LARGE = 10**9
    for v in assignment.keys():
        func = csp.cost_functions.get(v, [None])[0]
        if func is None:
            c = 0
        else:
            try:
                params = len(inspect.signature(func).parameters)
                if params == 4:
                    c = func(assignment[v], csp.soft_day_time.get(v), csp.duration, csp.duration)
                elif params == 2:
                    c = func(None, None)
                else:
                    c = func(assignment[v], csp.soft_day_time.get(v), csp.duration)
            except Exception:
                c = LARGE
        total += c
    return total

def run_dfs_once(spec_str):
    global display, num_expanded
    display = False
    csp = create_CSP_from_spec(spec_str)
    sol = dfs_solve1(csp)
    nodes = num_expanded
    cost = eval_assignment_cost(csp, sol) if sol is not None else None
    return nodes, cost

def run_mrv_once(spec_str):
    global display, num_expanded
    display = False
    csp = create_CSP_from_spec(spec_str)
    sol = mrv_dfs_solve1(csp)
    nodes = num_expanded
    cost = eval_assignment_cost(csp, sol) if sol is not None else None
    return nodes, cost

def run_greedy_and_count(spec_str, use_cost=True, seed=None):
    csp = create_CSP_from_spec(spec_str)
    problem = Search_with_AC_from_Cost_CSP(csp)
    searcher = GreedySearcher(problem)
    final_path = searcher.search()
    if final_path is None:
        return None, None
    node = final_path.end()
    assign = {}
    for v, dom in node.domains.items():
        if len(dom) != 1:
            return None, None
        assign[v] = next(iter(dom))
    best_cost = eval_assignment_cost(node, assign)

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    return None, best_cost
def compare_dfs_mrv(n_values=[3,4,5,6], trials=6, p_binary=0.25, p_soft=0.8, seed
    random_seed = seed if seed is not None else int(time.time())

    dfs_nodes = {n: [] for n in n_values}
    mrv_nodes = {n: [] for n in n_values}
    dfs_costs = {n: [] for n in n_values}
    mrv_costs = {n: [] for n in n_values}
    opt_costs = {n: [] for n in n_values}
    no_solution_counts = {n: {'dfs':0, 'mrv':0, 'opt':0} for n in n_values}

    for n in n_values:
        for t in range(trials):
            s = random_seed + n*1000 + t
            spec = generate_problem(n, p_binary=p_binary, p_soft=p_soft, seed=s)

            _, opt = run_greedy_and_count(spec, use_cost=True, seed=s)
            if opt is None:
                opt_val = inf
                no_solution_counts[n]['opt'] += 1
            else:
                opt_val = opt
            opt_costs[n].append(opt_val)

            nodes_dfs, cost_dfs = run_dfs_once(spec)
            if cost_dfs is None:
                no_solution_counts[n]['dfs'] += 1
                dfs_costs[n].append(inf)
            else:
                dfs_costs[n].append(cost_dfs)
            dfs_nodes[n].append(nodes_dfs)

            nodes_mrv, cost_mrv = run_mrv_once(spec)
            if cost_mrv is None:
                no_solution_counts[n]['mrv'] += 1
                mrv_costs[n].append(inf)
            else:
                mrv_costs[n].append(cost_mrv)
            mrv_nodes[n].append(nodes_mrv)
    import numpy as np
    def mean(xs): return statistics.mean(xs) if xs else float('nan')
    def stdevp(xs): return statistics.pstdev(xs) if xs else 0.0

    avg_dfs_nodes = [mean(dfs_nodes[n]) for n in n_values]
    std_dfs_nodes = [stdevp(dfs_nodes[n]) for n in n_values]
    avg_mrv_nodes = [mean(mrv_nodes[n]) for n in n_values]
    std_mrv_nodes = [stdevp(mrv_nodes[n]) for n in n_values]

    def mean_suboptimal(sol_costs, opt_list):
        diffs = []
        for sc, oc in zip(sol_costs, opt_list):
            if oc==inf or sc==inf:
                continue
            diffs.append(sc - oc)
        return (mean(diffs), stdevp(diffs)) if diffs else (float('inf'), 0.0)

    avg_dfs_subopt, std_dfs_subopt = [], []
    avg_mrv_subopt, std_mrv_subopt = [], []
    for n in n_values:
        md, sd = mean_suboptimal(dfs_costs[n], opt_costs[n])

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        mm, sm = mean_suboptimal(mrv_costs[n], opt_costs[n])
        avg_dfs_subopt.append(md); std_dfs_subopt.append(sd)
        avg_mrv_subopt.append(mm); std_mrv_subopt.append(sm)

plt.figure(figsize=(10,4))
plt.subplot(1,2,1)
plt.errorbar(n_values, avg_dfs_nodes, yerr=std_dfs_nodes, label='DFS', marker='o')
plt.errorbar(n_values, avg_mrv_nodes, yerr=std_mrv_nodes, label='DFS-MRV', marker='o')
plt.xlabel('Number of tasks n'); plt.ylabel('Average nodes expanded')
plt.title(f'Nodes expanded (trials={trials}, seed={seed})'); plt.legend();
plt.subplot(1,2,2)
y1 = [np.nan if v==inf else v for v in avg_dfs_subopt]
y1err = [0 if v==inf else v for v in std_dfs_subopt]
y2 = [np.nan if v==inf else v for v in avg_mrv_subopt]
y2err = [0 if v==inf else v for v in std_mrv_subopt]
plt.errorbar(n_values, y1, yerr=y1err, label='DFS suboptimality', marker='o')
plt.errorbar(n_values, y2, yerr=y2err, label='DFS-MRV suboptimality', marker='o')
plt.xlabel('Number of tasks n'); plt.ylabel('Average (solution_cost - opt_cost)')
plt.title('First-solution quality vs opt (lower is better)'); plt.legend();
plt.tight_layout(); plt.show()

print("\ntavg_nodes_dfs\tavg_nodes_mrv\tavg_subopt_dfs\tavg_subopt_mrv\tno_solution_counts\n")
for i,n in enumerate(n_values):
    nd = avg_dfs_nodes[i]; nm = avg_mrv_nodes[i]
    sd = avg_dfs_subopt[i]; sm = avg_mrv_subopt[i]
    nos = f"{no_solution_counts[n]['dfs']}/{no_solution_counts[n]['mrv']}/{n}"
    sd_str = "inf" if sd==inf else f"{sd:.1f}"
    sm_str = "inf" if sm==inf else f"{sm:.1f}"
    print(f"{n}\t{nd:.1f}\t{nm:.1f}\t{sd_str}\t{sm_str}\t{nos}")

return {
    "n_values": n_values,
    "dfs_nodes": dfs_nodes,
    "mrv_nodes": mrv_nodes,
    "dfs_costs": dfs_costs,
    "mrv_costs": mrv_costs,
    "opt_costs": opt_costs
}

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In [23]: res_q4 = compare_dfs_mrv(
    n_values=[3,4,5,6],
    trials=6,
    p_binary=0.25,
    p_soft=0.8,
    seed=0
)

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task, t0 2
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 1
 domain, t1 12pm
 domain, t0 ends-by fri 2pm 40
 domain, t1 ends-by fri 2pm 40
 domain, t2 ends-by thu 3pm 10
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18}
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4, 5}
 Splitting t0 into {0} and {1, 2}
 Splitting t1 into {11, 3} and {27, 35, 19}
 Splitting t1 into {11} and {3}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3} and {8, 4, 5, 6}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
 Splitting t2 into {0} and {1}
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 1
 domain, t1 12pm
 domain, t0 ends-by fri 2pm 40
 domain, t1 ends-by fri 2pm 40
 domain, t2 ends-by thu 3pm 10
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 1
 domain, t1 12pm
 domain, t0 ends-by fri 2pm 40
 domain, t1 ends-by fri 2pm 40
 domain, t2 ends-by thu 3pm 10
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 4
 task, t2 2
 domain, t1 starts-before thu 2pm
 domain, t2 fri
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 9am 40
 domain, t1 ends-by tue 1pm 40
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28}
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 Splitting t1 into {0} and {1}
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 task, t1 4
 task, t2 2
 domain, t1 starts-before thu 2pm
 domain, t2 fri

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domain, t0 ends-by mon 9am 40
domain, t1 ends-by tue 1pm 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 3
task, t1 4
task, t2 2
domain, t1 starts-before thu 2pm
domain, t2 fri
domain, t0 ends-by mon 9am 40
domain, t1 ends-by tue 1pm 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 2
task, t1 4
task, t2 1
domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 fri
domain, t0 ends-by mon 3pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by tue 10am 5
domain, t2 ends-by thu 2pm 20
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Splitting t1 into {32, 33} and {34, 35}
Splitting t1 into {32} and {33}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18} and
{32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 1
8}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3} and {8, 4, 5, 6}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
Splitting t2 into {0} and {1}
task, t0 2
task, t1 4
task, t2 1
domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 fri
domain, t0 ends-by mon 3pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by tue 10am 5
domain, t2 ends-by thu 2pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 2
task, t1 4
task, t2 1
domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 fri
domain, t0 ends-by mon 3pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by tue 10am 5
domain, t2 ends-by thu 2pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 4
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
constraint, t2 same-day t0
constraint, t0 before t2
constraint, t2 before t0
domain, t0 wed
domain, t0 ends-by fri 9am 40
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 20
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 3
3, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
... t1 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} has no solution

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... t1 in {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 4
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
constraint, t2 same-day t0
constraint, t0 before t2
constraint, t2 before t0
domain, t0 wed
domain, t0 ends-by fri 9am 40
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 20
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task, t1 2
task, t2 3
constraint, t2 same-day t0
constraint, t0 before t2
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domain, t0 wed
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domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 20
task, t0 4
task, t1 4
task, t2 2
constraint, t2 before t0
constraint, t1 after t0
domain, t1 starts-before fri 9am
domain, t0 ends-by mon 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by wed 10am 20
domain, t2 ends-by wed 2pm 10
Splitting t0 into {2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16} and {17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
Splitting t0 into {8, 2, 3} and {16, 9, 10, 11}
Splitting t0 into {8} and {2, 3}
Splitting t1 into {32, 16, 18, 17} and {19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
Splitting t1 into {32, 16} and {17, 18}
Splitting t1 into {32} and {16}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2} and {3, 4, 5}
Splitting t2 into {0} and {1, 2}
task, t0 4
task, t1 4
task, t2 2
constraint, t2 before t0
constraint, t1 after t0
domain, t1 starts-before fri 9am
domain, t0 ends-by mon 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by wed 10am 20
domain, t2 ends-by wed 2pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 823
task, t0 4
task, t1 4
task, t2 2
constraint, t2 before t0
constraint, t1 after t0
domain, t1 starts-before fri 9am
domain, t0 ends-by mon 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by wed 10am 20
domain, t2 ends-by wed 2pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 9
task, t0 1
task, t1 4

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task, t2 3
constraint, t0 same-day t2
constraint, t2 after t1
domain, t0 ends-by thu 4pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by thu 11am 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 10am 20
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18} and
{32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 1
8}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3} and {8, 4, 5, 6}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
Splitting t0 into {0} and {1}
task, t0 1
task, t1 4
task, t2 3
constraint, t0 same-day t2
constraint, t2 after t1
domain, t0 ends-by thu 4pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by thu 11am 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 10am 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 7
task, t0 1
task, t1 4
task, t2 3
constraint, t0 same-day t2
constraint, t2 after t1
domain, t0 ends-by thu 4pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by thu 11am 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 10am 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 4
task, t1 4
task, t2 4
task, t3 2
constraint, t2 before t0
domain, t0 starts-after wed 4pm
domain, t3 wed
domain, t0 ends-by fri 2pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by wed 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by wed 3pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by tue 12pm 20
Splitting t0 into {24, 25, 26, 27} and {32, 33, 34, 35}
Splitting t0 into {24, 25} and {26, 27}
Splitting t0 into {24} and {25}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19,
24, 25, 26, 27}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
Splitting t1 into {0} and {1}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9} and {10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 19}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 9, 3}
Splitting t2 into {0} and {1, 2}
Splitting t3 into {16, 17, 18} and {19, 20, 21}
Splitting t3 into {16} and {17, 18}
task, t0 4
task, t1 4
task, t2 4
task, t3 2
constraint, t2 before t0

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domain, t0 starts-after wed 4pm
domain, t3 wed
domain, t0 ends-by fri 2pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by wed 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by wed 3pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by tue 12pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
task, t0 4
task, t1 4
task, t2 4
task, t3 2
constraint, t2 before t0
domain, t0 starts-after wed 4pm
domain, t3 wed
domain, t0 ends-by fri 2pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by wed 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by wed 3pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by tue 12pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
task, t0 4
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 2
domain, t0 ends-by wed 11am 5
domain, t1 ends-by thu 10am 5
domain, t2 ends-by fri 2pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 12pm 20
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
Splitting t0 into {0} and {1}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4, 5}
Splitting t1 into {0} and {1, 2}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
Splitting t2 into {0} and {1}
Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18}
Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4, 5}
Splitting t3 into {0} and {1, 2}
task, t0 4
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 2
domain, t0 ends-by wed 11am 5
domain, t1 ends-by thu 10am 5
domain, t2 ends-by fri 2pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 12pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
task, t0 4
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 2

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domain, t0 ends-by wed 11am 5
 domain, t1 ends-by thu 10am 5
 domain, t2 ends-by fri 2pm 10
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 12pm 20
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
 task, t0 4
 task, t1 4
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 1
 constraint, t2 starts-at t3
 domain, t2 ends-after mon 4pm
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 1pm 5
 domain, t2 ends-by thu 12pm 5
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 11am 10
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
 Splitting t0 into {0} and {1}
 Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
 Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
 Splitting t1 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
 Splitting t1 into {0} and {1}
 Splitting t2 into {6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21} and {33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30}
 Splitting t2 into {6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13} and {14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21}
 Splitting t2 into {9, 10, 6} and {11, 12, 13}
 Splitting t2 into {9} and {10, 6}
 task, t0 4
 task, t1 4
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 1
 constraint, t2 starts-at t3
 domain, t2 ends-after mon 4pm
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 1pm 5
 domain, t2 ends-by thu 12pm 5
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 11am 10
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 9
 task, t0 4
 task, t1 4
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 1
 constraint, t2 starts-at t3
 domain, t2 ends-after mon 4pm
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 1pm 5
 domain, t2 ends-by thu 12pm 5
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 11am 10
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 2
 task, t2 2
 task, t3 1
 domain, t1 ends-after tue 2pm
 domain, t2 starts-before mon 4pm
 domain, t3 starts-before wed 9am
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 10am 40
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 1pm 40
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}

Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18}
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4, 5}
 Splitting t0 into {0} and {1, 2}
 Splitting t1 into {11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 24} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
 Splitting t1 into {11, 12, 13, 16, 17} and {18, 19, 20, 21, 24}
 Splitting t1 into {11, 12} and {16, 17, 13}
 Splitting t1 into {11} and {12}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2} and {3, 4, 5}
 Splitting t2 into {0} and {1, 2}
 Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6} and {8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16}
 Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2} and {3, 4, 5, 6}
 Splitting t3 into {0} and {1, 2}
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 2
 task, t2 2
 task, t3 1
 domain, t1 ends-after tue 2pm
 domain, t2 starts-before mon 4pm
 domain, t3 starts-before wed 9am
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 10am 40
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 1pm 40
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 2
 task, t2 2
 task, t3 1
 domain, t1 ends-after tue 2pm
 domain, t2 starts-before mon 4pm
 domain, t3 starts-before wed 9am
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 10am 40
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 1pm 40
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
 task, t0 4
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 1
 constraint, t0 after t1
 constraint, t1 same-day t2
 constraint, t0 after t2
 constraint, t1 starts-at t3
 domain, t1 11am
 domain, t3 ends-after tue 3pm
 domain, t0 ends-by fri 9am 5
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 12pm 10
 Splitting t0 into {32, 33, 34, 35} and {24, 25, 26, 27}
 Splitting t0 into {32, 33} and {34, 35}
 Splitting t0 into {32} and {33}
 Splitting t1 into {18} and {26}
 Splitting t2 into {16, 17} and {18, 19}
 Splitting t2 into {16} and {17}
 task, t0 4
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 1
 constraint, t0 after t1
 constraint, t1 same-day t2
 constraint, t0 after t2
 constraint, t1 starts-at t3
 domain, t1 11am

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domain, t3 ends-after tue 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 9am 5
domain, t3 ends-by thu 12pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 1657
task, t0 4
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 1
constraint, t0 after t1
constraint, t1 same-day t2
constraint, t0 after t2
constraint, t1 starts-at t3
domain, t1 11am
domain, t3 ends-after tue 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 9am 5
domain, t3 ends-by thu 12pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
task, t0 2
task, t1 1
task, t2 2
task, t3 3
constraint, t2 same-day t0
constraint, t2 before t3
domain, t0 ends-before wed 1pm
domain, t1 ends-before wed 9am
domain, t0 ends-by tue 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by tue 2pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by fri 10am 10
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4, 5}
Splitting t0 into {0} and {1, 2}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6} and {8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2} and {3, 4, 5, 6}
Splitting t1 into {0} and {1, 2}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2} and {3, 4, 5}
Splitting t2 into {0} and {1, 2}
Splitting t3 into {2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 3
6, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28}
Splitting t3 into {2, 3, 4, 8, 9} and {10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18}
Splitting t3 into {2, 3} and {8, 9, 4}
Splitting t3 into {2} and {3}
task, t0 2
task, t1 1
task, t2 2
task, t3 3
constraint, t2 same-day t0
constraint, t2 before t3
domain, t0 ends-before wed 1pm
domain, t1 ends-before wed 9am
domain, t0 ends-by tue 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by tue 2pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by fri 10am 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
task, t0 2
task, t1 1
task, t2 2
task, t3 3
constraint, t2 same-day t0
constraint, t2 before t3
domain, t0 ends-before wed 1pm

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domain, t1 ends-before wed 9am
 domain, t0 ends-by tue 1pm 20
 domain, t1 ends-by tue 2pm 20
 domain, t3 ends-by fri 10am 10
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 1
 constraint, t3 before t4
 domain, t1 ends-after wed 2pm
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 9am 10
 domain, t1 ends-by tue 12pm 10
 domain, t2 ends-by fri 3pm 5
 domain, t3 ends-by fri 11am 20
 domain, t4 ends-by thu 4pm 40
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18}
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4, 5}
 Splitting t0 into {0} and {1, 2}
 Splitting t1 into {18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 27, 28}
 Splitting t1 into {18, 19, 20} and {24, 25, 26}
 Splitting t1 into {18} and {19, 20}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
 Splitting t2 into {0} and {1}
 Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16} and {32, 33, 34, 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
 Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2, 3} and {8, 9, 10, 11, 16}
 Splitting t3 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
 Splitting t3 into {0} and {1}
 Splitting t4 into {4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30}
 Splitting t4 into {4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11} and {12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20}
 Splitting t4 into {4, 5, 6} and {8, 9, 10, 11}
 Splitting t4 into {4} and {5, 6}
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 1
 constraint, t3 before t4
 domain, t1 ends-after wed 2pm
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 9am 10
 domain, t1 ends-by tue 12pm 10
 domain, t2 ends-by fri 3pm 5
 domain, t3 ends-by fri 11am 20
 domain, t4 ends-by thu 4pm 40
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 9
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 1
 constraint, t3 before t4
 domain, t1 ends-after wed 2pm

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domain, t0 ends-by mon 9am 10
domain, t1 ends-by tue 12pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by fri 3pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by fri 11am 20
domain, t4 ends-by thu 4pm 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
task, t0 3
task, t1 4
task, t2 1
task, t3 1
task, t4 2
constraint, t3 starts-at t0
domain, t4 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by wed 10am 20
domain, t2 ends-by thu 10am 10
domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 40
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19,
24, 25, 26, 27}
... t0 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} has no solution
... t0 in {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 3
task, t1 4
task, t2 1
task, t3 1
task, t4 2
constraint, t3 starts-at t0
domain, t4 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by wed 10am 20
domain, t2 ends-by thu 10am 10
domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 40
task, t0 3
task, t1 4
task, t2 1
task, t3 1
task, t4 2
constraint, t3 starts-at t0
domain, t4 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by wed 10am 20
domain, t2 ends-by thu 10am 10
domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 40
task, t0 3
task, t1 1
task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 4
constraint, t1 after t2
domain, t2 fri
domain, t1 ends-by mon 9am 40
domain, t2 ends-by tue 2pm 10
domain, t4 ends-by thu 2pm 20
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35,
36, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4}
Splitting t0 into {0} and {1, 2}
Splitting t1 into {33, 34, 35} and {36, 37, 38}

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Splitting t1 into {33} and {34, 35}
 Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
 Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
 Splitting t3 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
 Splitting t3 into {0} and {1}
 Splitting t4 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
 Splitting t4 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
 Splitting t4 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
 Splitting t4 into {0} and {1}
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 1
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 4
 constraint, t1 after t2
 domain, t2 fri
 domain, t1 ends-by mon 9am 40
 domain, t2 ends-by tue 2pm 10
 domain, t4 ends-by thu 2pm 20
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 237
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 1
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 4
 constraint, t1 after t2
 domain, t2 fri
 domain, t1 ends-by mon 9am 40
 domain, t2 ends-by tue 2pm 10
 domain, t4 ends-by thu 2pm 20
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 4
 task, t2 3
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 4
 constraint, t2 starts-at t3
 domain, t1 2pm
 domain, t3 12pm
 domain, t0 ends-by thu 10am 10
 domain, t1 ends-by tue 11am 5
 domain, t2 ends-by mon 4pm 20
 domain, t3 ends-by tue 2pm 10
 domain, t4 ends-by mon 9am 20
 Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
 ... t0 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} has no solution
 ... t0 in {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29} has no solution
 No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 4
 task, t2 3
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 4
 constraint, t2 starts-at t3
 domain, t1 2pm
 domain, t3 12pm

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domain, t0 ends-by thu 10am 10
domain, t1 ends-by tue 11am 5
domain, t2 ends-by mon 4pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by tue 2pm 10
domain, t4 ends-by mon 9am 20
task, t0 2
task, t1 4
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 4
constraint, t2 starts-at t3
domain, t1 2pm
domain, t3 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by thu 10am 10
domain, t1 ends-by tue 11am 5
domain, t2 ends-by mon 4pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by tue 2pm 10
domain, t4 ends-by mon 9am 20
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 3
task, t3 2
task, t4 4
constraint, t0 before t1
constraint, t1 same-day t0
constraint, t2 after t3
constraint, t2 after t0
domain, t0 starts-after fri 9am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t3 11am
domain, t4 ends-before thu 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by tue 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 5
domain, t4 ends-by mon 11am 40
Splitting t0 into {32} and {33}
Splitting t1 into {35} and {36}
Splitting t3 into {2, 10} and {18, 26, 34}
Splitting t3 into {2} and {10}
Splitting t4 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9} and {10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 19}
Splitting t4 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 9, 3}
Splitting t4 into {0} and {1, 2}
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 3
task, t3 2
task, t4 4
constraint, t0 before t1
constraint, t1 same-day t0
constraint, t2 after t3
constraint, t2 after t0
domain, t0 starts-after fri 9am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t3 11am
domain, t4 ends-before thu 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by tue 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 5
domain, t4 ends-by mon 11am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 32

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task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 3
task, t3 2
task, t4 4
constraint, t0 before t1
constraint, t1 same-day t0
constraint, t2 after t3
constraint, t2 after t0
domain, t0 starts-after fri 9am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t3 11am
domain, t4 ends-before thu 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by tue 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 5
domain, t4 ends-by mon 11am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 1
task, t3 2
task, t4 4
constraint, t1 before t0
constraint, t0 after t4
constraint, t1 after t2
constraint, t4 same-day t3
domain, t3 10am
domain, t0 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by mon 1pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by tue 12pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by fri 2pm 40
domain, t4 ends-by tue 10am 40
Splitting t0 into {4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20} and {32, 33, 3
4, 35, 36, 37, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
Splitting t0 into {4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11} and {12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20}
Splitting t0 into {8, 4, 5} and {9, 10, 11}
Splitting t0 into {8} and {4, 5}
Splitting t1 into {1, 2} and {3, 4, 5}
Splitting t1 into {1} and {2}
Splitting t4 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
Splitting t4 into {0} and {1}
task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 1
task, t3 2
task, t4 4
constraint, t1 before t0
constraint, t0 after t4
constraint, t1 after t2
constraint, t4 same-day t3
domain, t3 10am
domain, t0 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by mon 1pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by tue 12pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by fri 2pm 40
domain, t4 ends-by tue 10am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 375
task, t0 2
task, t1 2

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task, t2 1
task, t3 2
task, t4 4
constraint, t1 before t0
constraint, t0 after t4
constraint, t1 after t2
constraint, t4 same-day t3
domain, t3 10am
domain, t0 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by mon 1pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by tue 12pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by fri 2pm 40
domain, t4 ends-by tue 10am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
task, t0 2
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 2
task, t4 3
task, t5 2
domain, t0 starts-after wed 2pm
domain, t1 ends-before wed 9am
domain, t2 ends-after thu 3pm
domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 12pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by fri 3pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by thu 12pm 5
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 40
domain, t5 ends-by mon 4pm 20
Splitting t0 into {21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 29}
Splitting t0 into {24, 25, 21} and {26, 27, 28}
Splitting t0 into {24} and {25, 21}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4} and {8, 9, 10, 11, 12}
Splitting t1 into {0, 1} and {2, 3, 4}
Splitting t1 into {0} and {1}
Splitting t2 into {32, 33, 28, 29} and {34, 35, 36, 37}
Splitting t2 into {32, 33} and {28, 29}
Splitting t2 into {32} and {33}
Splitting t3 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
Splitting t3 into {0} and {1}
Splitting t4 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28}
Splitting t4 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17}
Splitting t4 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4}
Splitting t4 into {0} and {1, 2}
Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18}
Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4, 5}
Splitting t5 into {0} and {1, 2}
task, t0 2
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 2
task, t4 3
task, t5 2
domain, t0 starts-after wed 2pm
domain, t1 ends-before wed 9am
domain, t2 ends-after thu 3pm

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domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 12pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by fri 3pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by thu 12pm 5
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 40
domain, t5 ends-by mon 4pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
task, t0 2
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 2
task, t4 3
task, t5 2
domain, t0 starts-after wed 2pm
domain, t1 ends-before wed 9am
domain, t2 ends-after thu 3pm
domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 12pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by fri 3pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by thu 12pm 5
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 40
domain, t5 ends-by mon 4pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
task, t0 3
task, t1 2
task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 3
domain, t0 ends-before wed 3pm
domain, t1 starts-after wed 4pm
domain, t4 10am
domain, t0 ends-by mon 10am 40
domain, t1 ends-by mon 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by thu 3pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by tue 3pm 40
domain, t5 ends-by mon 1pm 40
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9} and {10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 9, 3, 4}
Splitting t0 into {0} and {1, 2}
Splitting t1 into {24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37}
Splitting t1 into {24, 25, 26} and {27, 28, 29}
Splitting t1 into {24} and {25, 26}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18} and
{32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 1
8}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3} and {8, 4, 5, 6}
Splitting t2 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
Splitting t2 into {0} and {1}
Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19,
24, 25, 26, 27}
Splitting t3 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
Splitting t3 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
Splitting t3 into {0} and {1}
Splitting t4 into {1, 9} and {17, 25, 33}
Splitting t4 into {1} and {9}

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Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4}
 Splitting t5 into {0} and {1, 2}
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 2
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 2
 task, t5 3
 domain, t0 ends-before wed 3pm
 domain, t1 starts-after wed 4pm
 domain, t4 10am
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 10am 40
 domain, t1 ends-by mon 4pm 20
 domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 40
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 3pm 20
 domain, t4 ends-by tue 3pm 40
 domain, t5 ends-by mon 1pm 40
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 2
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 2
 task, t5 3
 domain, t0 ends-before wed 3pm
 domain, t1 starts-after wed 4pm
 domain, t4 10am
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 10am 40
 domain, t1 ends-by mon 4pm 20
 domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 40
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 3pm 20
 domain, t4 ends-by tue 3pm 40
 domain, t5 ends-by mon 1pm 40
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 1
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 3
 task, t5 1
 constraint, t1 after t3
 constraint, t3 after t4
 domain, t0 starts-after mon 2pm
 domain, t1 10am
 domain, t5 starts-before fri 3pm
 domain, t0 ends-by tue 11am 10
 domain, t1 ends-by tue 10am 20
 domain, t3 ends-by wed 10am 10
 domain, t4 ends-by fri 12pm 10
 domain, t5 ends-by mon 4pm 10
 Splitting t0 into {5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
 Splitting t0 into {5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12} and {13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20}
 Splitting t0 into {8, 9, 5} and {10, 11, 12}
 Splitting t0 into {8} and {9, 5}
 Splitting t1 into {9, 33} and {17, 25}
 Splitting t1 into {9} and {33}

Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3} and {8, 4, 5, 6}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
 Splitting t2 into {0} and {1}
 Splitting t3 into {3} and {4}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3} and {8, 4, 5, 6}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
 Splitting t5 into {0} and {1}
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 1
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 3
 task, t5 1
 constraint, t1 after t3
 constraint, t3 after t4
 domain, t0 starts-after mon 2pm
 domain, t1 10am
 domain, t5 starts-before fri 3pm
 domain, t0 ends-by tue 11am 10
 domain, t1 ends-by tue 10am 20
 domain, t3 ends-by wed 10am 10
 domain, t4 ends-by fri 12pm 10
 domain, t5 ends-by mon 4pm 10
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 995
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 1
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 3
 task, t5 1
 constraint, t1 after t3
 constraint, t3 after t4
 domain, t0 starts-after mon 2pm
 domain, t1 10am
 domain, t5 starts-before fri 3pm
 domain, t0 ends-by tue 11am 10
 domain, t1 ends-by tue 10am 20
 domain, t3 ends-by wed 10am 10
 domain, t4 ends-by fri 12pm 10
 domain, t5 ends-by mon 4pm 10
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 10
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 3
 task, t3 2
 task, t4 4
 task, t5 3
 constraint, t0 starts-at t1
 constraint, t0 same-day t1
 domain, t1 starts-before thu 9am
 domain, t3 fri
 domain, t0 ends-by tue 11am 20

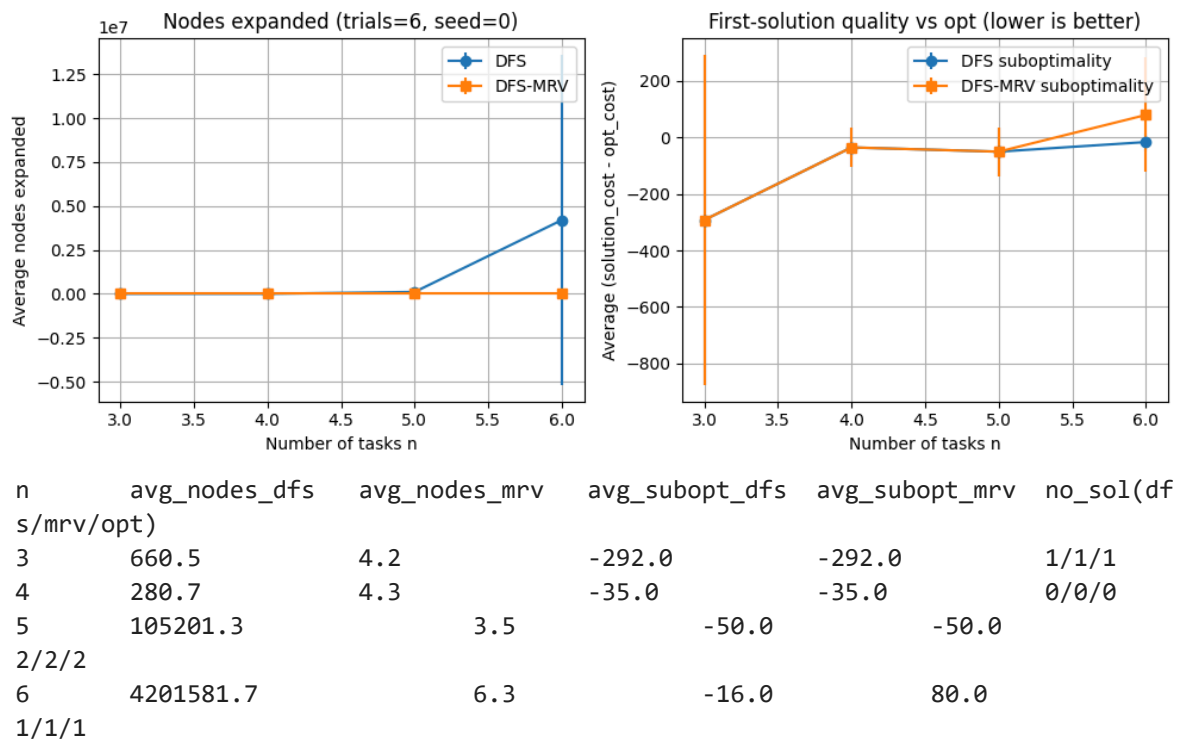
domain, t1 ends-by wed 2pm 20
 domain, t2 ends-by mon 11am 10
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 9am 10
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 11am 5
 Splitting t0 into {11, 3, 4} and {27, 19, 12, 20}
 Splitting t0 into {11} and {3, 4}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4}
 Splitting t2 into {0} and {1, 2}
 Splitting t3 into {32, 33, 34} and {35, 36, 37}
 Splitting t3 into {32} and {33, 34}
 Splitting t4 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27}
 Splitting t4 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 16, 17}
 Splitting t4 into {0, 1} and {8, 2, 3}
 Splitting t4 into {0} and {1}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4}
 Splitting t5 into {0} and {1, 2}
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 3
 task, t3 2
 task, t4 4
 task, t5 3
 constraint, t0 starts-at t1
 constraint, t0 same-day t1
 domain, t1 starts-before thu 9am
 domain, t3 fri
 domain, t0 ends-by tue 11am 20
 domain, t1 ends-by wed 2pm 20
 domain, t2 ends-by mon 11am 10
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 9am 10
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 11am 5
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 57
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 3
 task, t3 2
 task, t4 4
 task, t5 3
 constraint, t0 starts-at t1
 constraint, t0 same-day t1
 domain, t1 starts-before thu 9am
 domain, t3 fri
 domain, t0 ends-by tue 11am 20
 domain, t1 ends-by wed 2pm 20
 domain, t2 ends-by mon 11am 10
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 9am 10
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 11am 5
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 4
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 3

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task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t5 same-day t3
domain, t0 ends-before thu 4pm
domain, t5 fri
domain, t1 ends-by fri 11am 5
domain, t2 ends-by thu 1pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 11am 10
domain, t5 ends-by thu 9am 5
Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19,
24, 25, 26, 27}
... t1 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17} has no solution
... t1 in {32, 33, 34, 35, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 3
task, t1 4
task, t2 4
task, t3 3
task, t4 3
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t5 same-day t3
domain, t0 ends-before thu 4pm
domain, t5 fri
domain, t1 ends-by fri 11am 5
domain, t2 ends-by thu 1pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 11am 10
domain, t5 ends-by thu 9am 5
task, t0 3
task, t1 4
task, t2 4
task, t3 3
task, t4 3
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t5 same-day t3
domain, t0 ends-before thu 4pm
domain, t5 fri
domain, t1 ends-by fri 11am 5
domain, t2 ends-by thu 1pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 11am 10
domain, t5 ends-by thu 9am 5
task, t0 2
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 2
domain, t2 mon
domain, t3 starts-before mon 1pm
domain, t4 9am
domain, t0 ends-by wed 1pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by mon 2pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by wed 9am 20
domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 20
domain, t5 ends-by mon 2pm 20
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 3
3, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18}
Splitting t0 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4, 5}

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Splitting t0 into {0} and {1, 2}
 Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28}
 Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17}
 Splitting t1 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4}
 Splitting t1 into {0} and {1, 2}
 Splitting t2 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
 Splitting t2 into {0} and {1}
 Splitting t3 into {0, 1} and {2, 3}
 Splitting t3 into {0} and {1}
 Splitting t4 into {0, 8} and {16, 24, 32}
 Splitting t4 into {0} and {8}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18} and {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8} and {9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18}
 Splitting t5 into {0, 1, 2} and {8, 3, 4, 5}
 Splitting t5 into {0} and {1, 2}
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 2
 task, t5 2
 domain, t2 mon
 domain, t3 starts-before mon 1pm
 domain, t4 9am
 domain, t0 ends-by wed 1pm 10
 domain, t1 ends-by mon 2pm 10
 domain, t3 ends-by wed 9am 20
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 20
 domain, t5 ends-by mon 2pm 20
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
 task, t0 2
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 2
 task, t5 2
 domain, t2 mon
 domain, t3 starts-before mon 1pm
 domain, t4 9am
 domain, t0 ends-by wed 1pm 10
 domain, t1 ends-by mon 2pm 10
 domain, t3 ends-by wed 9am 20
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 20
 domain, t5 ends-by mon 2pm 20
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6



Answers for Question 4

Problem 4: Comparing DFS and DFS-MRV

(a) Worst-case Time and Space Complexity

Let:

- **T** = number of tasks (variables),
- **D** = average domain size per task,
- **E** = number of binary constraints.
- **DFS (plain backtracking):**
 - **Time:** $O(D^T)$. In the worst case, DFS explores all possible assignments.
 - **Space:** $O(T)$. Only the recursion stack of depth T is stored.
- **DFS-MRV (DFS with forward checking + Minimum Remaining Values heuristic):**
 - **Time:** Still exponential in the worst case, bounded by $O(D^T)$, but with additional overhead:
 - Forward checking per assignment: $O(E \cdot D)$.
 - MRV selection: $O(T)$.
 - So a general bound is $O(D^T \cdot (E \cdot D + T))$.
 - **Space:** $O(T + T \cdot D)$. Recursion depth plus storage of reduced domains.

(b) Properties of the Algorithms

- **Completeness:**
 - DFS: Complete if the search explores all branches.
 - DFS-MRV: Also complete, since forward checking only prunes inconsistent values.
 - **Optimality (ignoring costs):**
 - Neither DFS nor DFS-MRV is optimal, since they stop at the first feasible solution found.
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(c) Example Easier for DFS-MRV

- **Example:** A chain of tasks with constraints such as `t1 before t2` , `t2 before t3` , ..., plus tight domain restrictions (e.g., limited start times).
 - **Why easier for DFS-MRV:**
 - MRV selects the most constrained variable first, quickly exposing conflicts.
 - Forward checking prunes inconsistent values early.
 - Plain DFS may explore many infeasible branches before discovering conflicts.
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(d) Empirical Comparison: First Solution Quality

- **Method:**
 - Use the cost-aware domain-splitting solver to compute the optimal solution.
 - Run DFS and DFS-MRV (ignoring costs) to obtain their first feasible solutions.
 - Compare their costs against the optimal cost.
 - **Expected Results:**
 - DFS often finds a solution further from optimal.
 - DFS-MRV tends to find solutions closer to optimal, since it avoids early poor assignments by focusing on constrained variables.
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(e) Empirical Comparison: Nodes Expanded

- **Method:**
 - Generate random problems for varying T.
 - Count nodes expanded by DFS and DFS-MRV.
 - Average results over multiple trials.
 - **Expected Results:**
 - DFS expands many more nodes, especially as T grows.
 - DFS-MRV expands significantly fewer nodes due to pruning and better variable ordering.
 - The performance gap widens with larger problem sizes and denser constraints.
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Conclusion

- **DFS:** Simple, complete, exponential time, minimal memory, but inefficient.
- **DFS-MRV:** Same worst-case complexity, but in practice far fewer nodes expanded and better first-solution quality.
- **Overall:** Forward checking and MRV make DFS-MRV a much more effective solver for fuzzy scheduling CSPs, especially as problem size increases.

Question 5 (4 marks)

The DFS solver chooses variables in random order, and systematically explores all values for those variables in no particular order.

Incorporate costs into the DFS constraint solver as heuristics to guide the search. Similar to the cost function for the domain splitting solver, for a given variable v , the cost of assigning the value val to v is the cost of violating the soft deadline constraint (if any) associated with v for the value val . The *minimum cost* for v is the lowest cost from amongst the values in the domain of v . The DFS solver should choose a variable v with lowest minimum cost, and explore its values in order of cost from lowest to highest.

- Implement this behaviour by modifying the code in `dfs_solver` and place a copy of the code below (2 marks)
- Empirically compare the performance of DFS with and without these heuristics (2 marks)

For the empirical evaluations, again run the two algorithms on a variety of problems of size `n` for varying `n`.

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In [26]: import inspect

def _value_cost(csp, v, val):
    func = csp.cost_functions.get(v, [None])[0]
    if func is None:
        return 0
    try:
        arity = len(inspect.signature(func).parameters)
    except Exception:
        arity = 4
    if arity == 4:
        return func(
            val,
            csp.soft_day_time.get(v),
            csp.durations.get(v),
            int(csp.soft_costs.get(v, 0))
        )
    else:
        return 0

def dfs_solver_with_cost(constraints, domains, context, rem_vars, csp):
    global num_expanded, display
    if any(len(domains[v]) == 0 for v in rem_vars):
        return
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to_eval = {c for c in constraints if c.can_evaluate(context)}
if all(c.holds(context) for c in to_eval):
    if rem_vars == []:
        print("Nodes expanded to reach solution:", num_expanded)
        yield context
    else:
        rem_cons = [c for c in constraints if c not in to_eval]

        def min_cost_of_var(var):
            return min(_value_cost(csp, var, val) for val in domains[var])

        var = min(
            rem_vars,
            key=lambda v: (min_cost_of_var(v), len(domains[v]), str(v))
        )

        ordered_vals = sorted(
            domains[var],
            key=lambda val: _value_cost(csp, var, val)
        )

        next_vars = [v for v in rem_vars if v != var]
        for val in ordered_vals:
            if display:
                print("Setting", var, "to", val, "(cost:", _value_cost(csp,
                    num_expanded += 1
                yield from dfs_solver_with_cost(
                    rem_cons, domains, context | {var: val}, next_vars, csp
                )

def dfs_solve1_with_cost(csp):
    global num_expanded
    num_expanded = 0
    vars_all = list(csp.domains)
    for sol in dfs_solver_with_cost(csp.constraints, csp.domains, {}, vars_all,
        return sol

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In [27]: import random, statistics as stats
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from math import inf

try:
    eval_assignment_cost
except NameError:
    def eval_assignment_cost(csp, assignment):
        if assignment is None: return None
        total = 0
        for v in assignment.keys():
            func = csp.cost_functions.get(v, [None])[0]
            if func is None:
                continue
            total += func(assignment[v], csp.soft_day_time.get(v), csp.durations
        return total

def run_dfs_plain(spec_str):
    global display, num_expanded
    display = False
    csp = create_CSP_from_spec(spec_str)
    sol = dfs_solve1(csp)
    nodes = num_expanded

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    return nodes, eval_assignment_cost(csp, sol)

def run_dfs_cost(spec_str):
    global display, num_expanded
    display = False
    csp = create_CSP_from_spec(spec_str)
    sol = dfs_solve1_with_cost(csp)
    nodes = num_expanded
    return nodes, eval_assignment_cost(csp, sol)

def compare_dfs_cost(n_values=[3,4,5,6], trials=6, seed=0, p_binary=0.25, p_soft
rng = random.Random(seed)
res = []
for n in n_values:
    nodes_plain, nodes_cost = [], []
    costs_plain, costs_cost = [], []
    for t in range(trials):
        spec = generate_problem(n, p_binary=p_binary, p_soft=p_soft, seed=rn
        nd, cd = run_dfs_plain(spec)
        nh, ch = run_dfs_cost(spec)
        nodes_plain.append(nd); nodes_cost.append(nh)
        costs_plain.append(cd if cd is not None else inf)
        costs_cost.append(ch if ch is not None else inf)
    res.append({
        "n": n,
        "avg_nodes_plain": stats.mean(nodes_plain),
        "avg_nodes_cost": stats.mean(nodes_cost),
        "avg_cost_plain": (stats.mean([c for c in costs_plain if c!=inf]) i
        "avg_cost_cost": (stats.mean([c for c in costs_cost if c!=inf]) i
    })
    print(f"n={n}: expanded DFS={res[-1]['avg_nodes_plain']:.1f} | DFS+cost=
        f"| first-solution cost DFS={res[-1]['avg_cost_plain']:.1f} | DFS+

# 画图
xs = [r["n"] for r in res]
ys1 = [r["avg_nodes_plain"] for r in res]
ys2 = [r["avg_nodes_cost"] for r in res]
plt.figure(figsize=(7,4.5))
plt.plot(xs, ys1, marker='o', label='DFS (baseline)')
plt.plot(xs, ys2, marker='s', label='DFS + cost heuristic')
plt.xlabel("Number of tasks (n)")
plt.ylabel("Average nodes expanded")
plt.title(f"DFS vs DFS+cost (trials={trials}, seed={seed})")
plt.grid(True); plt.legend(); plt.show()
gains = []
for r in res:
    if r["avg_nodes_plain"] > 0:
        gains.append((r["avg_nodes_plain"] - r["avg_nodes_cost"]) / r["avg_n
if gains:
    print(f"Average relative reduction in expanded nodes: {stats.mean(gains)
return res

_ = compare_dfs_cost(n_values=[3,4,5,6], trials=6, seed=0, p_binary=0.25, p_soft

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task, t0 4
task, t1 4
task, t2 3
constraint, t1 after t0
constraint, t1 after t2
domain, t1 ends-after mon 1pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 4pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by mon 10am 5
domain, t2 ends-by thu 1pm 5
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 7
task, t0 4
task, t1 4
task, t2 3
constraint, t1 after t0
constraint, t1 after t2
domain, t1 ends-after mon 1pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 4pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by mon 10am 5
domain, t2 ends-by thu 1pm 5
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 7
task, t0 2
task, t1 1
task, t2 1
constraint, t0 same-day t1
constraint, t2 before t1
domain, t1 starts-after mon 3pm
domain, t2 ends-after mon 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by thu 4pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by mon 12pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 2
task, t1 1
task, t2 1
constraint, t0 same-day t1
constraint, t2 before t1
domain, t1 starts-after mon 3pm
domain, t2 ends-after mon 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by thu 4pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by mon 12pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 4
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
constraint, t0 before t2
domain, t0 2pm
domain, t0 ends-by tue 11am 40
domain, t2 ends-by tue 10am 5
task, t0 4
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
constraint, t0 before t2
domain, t0 2pm
domain, t0 ends-by tue 11am 40
domain, t2 ends-by tue 10am 5
task, t0 2
task, t1 3
task, t2 1
domain, t0 starts-after wed 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by mon 12pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by fri 1pm 20

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Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 2
task, t1 3
task, t2 1
domain, t0 starts-after wed 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by mon 12pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by fri 1pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 3
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
constraint, t1 same-day t0
domain, t0 9am
domain, t2 starts-after mon 10am
domain, t0 ends-by fri 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by fri 9am 5
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 3
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
constraint, t1 same-day t0
domain, t0 9am
domain, t2 starts-after mon 10am
domain, t0 ends-by fri 1pm 20
domain, t1 ends-by fri 9am 5
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3
task, t0 3
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
constraint, t1 after t0
domain, t0 ends-by mon 9am 10
domain, t1 ends-by thu 9am 40
domain, t2 ends-by wed 3pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
task, t0 3
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
constraint, t1 after t0
domain, t0 ends-by mon 9am 10
domain, t1 ends-by thu 9am 40
domain, t2 ends-by wed 3pm 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 81
n=3: expanded DFS=3.7 | DFS+cost=16.2 | first-solution cost DFS=139.0 | DFS+cost=
139.0
task, t0 1
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 4
constraint, t3 same-day t0
constraint, t2 after t1
constraint, t2 after t0
domain, t0 starts-before wed 9am
domain, t2 ends-before wed 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by tue 10am 20
domain, t1 ends-by mon 12pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by thu 2pm 5
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
task, t0 1
task, t1 2
task, t2 4

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task, t3 4
constraint, t3 same-day t0
constraint, t2 after t1
constraint, t2 after t0
domain, t0 starts-before wed 9am
domain, t2 ends-before wed 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by tue 10am 20
domain, t1 ends-by mon 12pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by thu 2pm 5
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 176
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 1
task, t3 2
constraint, t2 same-day t3
domain, t0 starts-before thu 11am
domain, t2 ends-after wed 11am
domain, t3 starts-after fri 11am
domain, t0 ends-by fri 2pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by fri 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by wed 3pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by tue 9am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 69
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 1
task, t3 2
constraint, t2 same-day t3
domain, t0 starts-before thu 11am
domain, t2 ends-after wed 11am
domain, t3 starts-after fri 11am
domain, t0 ends-by fri 2pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by fri 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by wed 3pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by tue 9am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 1642
task, t0 1
task, t1 4
task, t2 2
task, t3 3
domain, t1 ends-after thu 4pm
domain, t2 ends-after tue 4pm
domain, t3 starts-before fri 10am
domain, t2 ends-by thu 9am 10
domain, t3 ends-by tue 9am 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
task, t0 1
task, t1 4
task, t2 2
task, t3 3
domain, t1 ends-after thu 4pm
domain, t2 ends-after tue 4pm
domain, t3 starts-before fri 10am
domain, t2 ends-by thu 9am 10
domain, t3 ends-by tue 9am 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 2
task, t3 1

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constraint, t2 before t0
constraint, t2 after t1
constraint, t2 starts-at t1
domain, t3 starts-after mon 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 3pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by wed 12pm 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3730
task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 2
task, t3 1
constraint, t2 before t0
constraint, t2 after t1
constraint, t2 starts-at t1
domain, t3 starts-after mon 3pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 3pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by wed 12pm 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 3730
task, t0 1
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 4
domain, t1 ends-after fri 2pm
domain, t2 ends-after tue 1pm
domain, t3 ends-after mon 11am
domain, t0 ends-by mon 2pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by wed 1pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by mon 1pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
task, t0 1
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 4
domain, t1 ends-after fri 2pm
domain, t2 ends-after tue 1pm
domain, t3 ends-after mon 11am
domain, t0 ends-by mon 2pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by wed 1pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by mon 1pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
task, t0 3
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
task, t3 3
domain, t1 ends-before fri 4pm
domain, t2 starts-after wed 11am
domain, t3 ends-before fri 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 10am 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4
task, t0 3
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
task, t3 3
domain, t1 ends-before fri 4pm
domain, t2 starts-after wed 11am
domain, t3 ends-before fri 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 10am 20
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 4

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n=4: expanded DFS=636.2 | DFS+cost=926.7 | first-solution cost DFS=751.7 | DFS+cost=751.7
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 2
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 4
 constraint, t4 starts-at t0
 domain, t0 ends-after wed 12pm
 domain, t4 starts-before thu 2pm
 domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
 domain, t1 ends-by mon 11am 10
 domain, t3 ends-by tue 10am 40
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 40
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 16
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 2
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 4
 constraint, t4 starts-at t0
 domain, t0 ends-after wed 12pm
 domain, t4 starts-before thu 2pm
 domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
 domain, t1 ends-by mon 11am 10
 domain, t3 ends-by tue 10am 40
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 40
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 16
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 3
 constraint, t0 after t3
 constraint, t0 before t3
 domain, t1 tue
 domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 2pm 40
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 40
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 12pm 40
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 3
 constraint, t0 after t3
 constraint, t0 before t3
 domain, t1 tue
 domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 2pm 40
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 40
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 12pm 40
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 1
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 1
 task, t4 1
 constraint, t4 starts-at t3
 constraint, t0 same-day t1
 domain, t0 ends-after wed 4pm

domain, t1 ends-after mon 10am
 domain, t0 ends-by fri 11am 10
 domain, t1 ends-by wed 9am 20
 domain, t2 ends-by mon 11am 20
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 2pm 40
 domain, t4 ends-by fri 4pm 5
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 20
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 1
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 1
 task, t4 1
 constraint, t4 starts-at t3
 constraint, t0 same-day t1
 domain, t0 ends-after wed 4pm
 domain, t1 ends-after mon 10am
 domain, t0 ends-by fri 11am 10
 domain, t1 ends-by wed 9am 20
 domain, t2 ends-by mon 11am 20
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 2pm 40
 domain, t4 ends-by fri 4pm 5
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 20
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 2
 task, t2 3
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 4
 constraint, t4 same-day t2
 constraint, t2 starts-at t4
 constraint, t3 starts-at t4
 domain, t1 starts-after thu 12pm
 domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
 domain, t1 ends-by wed 3pm 40
 domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 20
 domain, t3 ends-by wed 11am 40
 domain, t4 ends-by tue 1pm 40
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 2193
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 2
 task, t2 3
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 4
 constraint, t4 same-day t2
 constraint, t2 starts-at t4
 constraint, t3 starts-at t4
 domain, t1 starts-after thu 12pm
 domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
 domain, t1 ends-by wed 3pm 40
 domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 20
 domain, t3 ends-by wed 11am 40
 domain, t4 ends-by tue 1pm 40
 Nodes expanded to reach solution: 13
 task, t0 1
 task, t1 2
 task, t2 1
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 2
 constraint, t0 same-day t2
 domain, t1 thu
 domain, t2 starts-before mon 12pm

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domain, t4 fri
domain, t1 ends-by mon 1pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by tue 1pm 10
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
task, t0 1
task, t1 2
task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
constraint, t0 same-day t2
domain, t1 thu
domain, t2 starts-before mon 12pm
domain, t4 fri
domain, t1 ends-by mon 1pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by tue 1pm 10
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
task, t0 3
task, t1 1
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 4
domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 starts-after wed 1pm
domain, t2 fri
domain, t3 ends-after fri 2pm
domain, t4 starts-before fri 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by tue 1pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by tue 12pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by wed 2pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by fri 10am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
task, t0 3
task, t1 1
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 4
domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 starts-after wed 1pm
domain, t2 fri
domain, t3 ends-after fri 2pm
domain, t4 starts-before fri 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by tue 1pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by tue 12pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by wed 2pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by fri 10am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 5
n=5: expanded DFS=2064.8 | DFS+cost=1312.8 | first-solution cost DFS=1175.0 | DFS
+cost=1175.0
task, t0 1
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 3
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t4

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domain, t4 ends-before mon 10am
domain, t5 starts-after thu 9am
domain, t1 ends-by fri 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 11am 20
task, t0 1
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 3
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t4 ends-before mon 10am
domain, t5 starts-after thu 9am
domain, t1 ends-by fri 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 11am 20
task, t0 1
task, t1 1
task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t4 starts-at t1
domain, t0 starts-before wed 11am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 10am
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by fri 10am 20
domain, t3 ends-by thu 10am 20
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 20
domain, t5 ends-by thu 4pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 7
task, t0 1
task, t1 1
task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t4 starts-at t1
domain, t0 starts-before wed 11am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 10am
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by fri 10am 20
domain, t3 ends-by thu 10am 20
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 20
domain, t5 ends-by thu 4pm 10
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 167
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 4

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constraint, t5 same-day t4
constraint, t3 before t5
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t0 starts-before tue 12pm
domain, t1 mon
domain, t3 wed
domain, t4 9am
domain, t5 1pm
domain, t3 ends-by wed 1pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 10am 10
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t4
constraint, t3 before t5
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t0 starts-before tue 12pm
domain, t1 mon
domain, t3 wed
domain, t4 9am
domain, t5 1pm
domain, t3 ends-by wed 1pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 10am 10
task, t0 1
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 1
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t5
constraint, t0 after t4
domain, t0 9am
domain, t3 12pm
domain, t4 wed
domain, t1 ends-by fri 12pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by fri 4pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by mon 10am 5
domain, t4 ends-by thu 11am 20
domain, t5 ends-by fri 9am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 124000
task, t0 1
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 1
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t5
constraint, t0 after t4
domain, t0 9am
domain, t3 12pm
domain, t4 wed
domain, t1 ends-by fri 12pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by fri 4pm 40

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domain, t3 ends-by mon 10am 5
domain, t4 ends-by thu 11am 20
domain, t5 ends-by fri 9am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 66
task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 1
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t0 starts-at t1
domain, t1 starts-after fri 12pm
domain, t5 mon
domain, t0 ends-by thu 2pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by thu 9am 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 9am 10
domain, t4 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t5 ends-by fri 3pm 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 122
task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 1
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t0 starts-at t1
domain, t1 starts-after fri 12pm
domain, t5 mon
domain, t0 ends-by thu 2pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by thu 9am 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 9am 10
domain, t4 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t5 ends-by fri 3pm 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 35
task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 2
task, t4 3
task, t5 3
domain, t0 mon
domain, t2 starts-before mon 4pm
domain, t3 starts-before thu 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 11am 10
domain, t2 ends-by tue 3pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by wed 2pm 5
domain, t4 ends-by thu 11am 10
domain, t5 ends-by fri 10am 40
Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6
task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 2
task, t4 3
task, t5 3
domain, t0 mon
domain, t2 starts-before mon 4pm
domain, t3 starts-before thu 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 11am 10
domain, t2 ends-by tue 3pm 5

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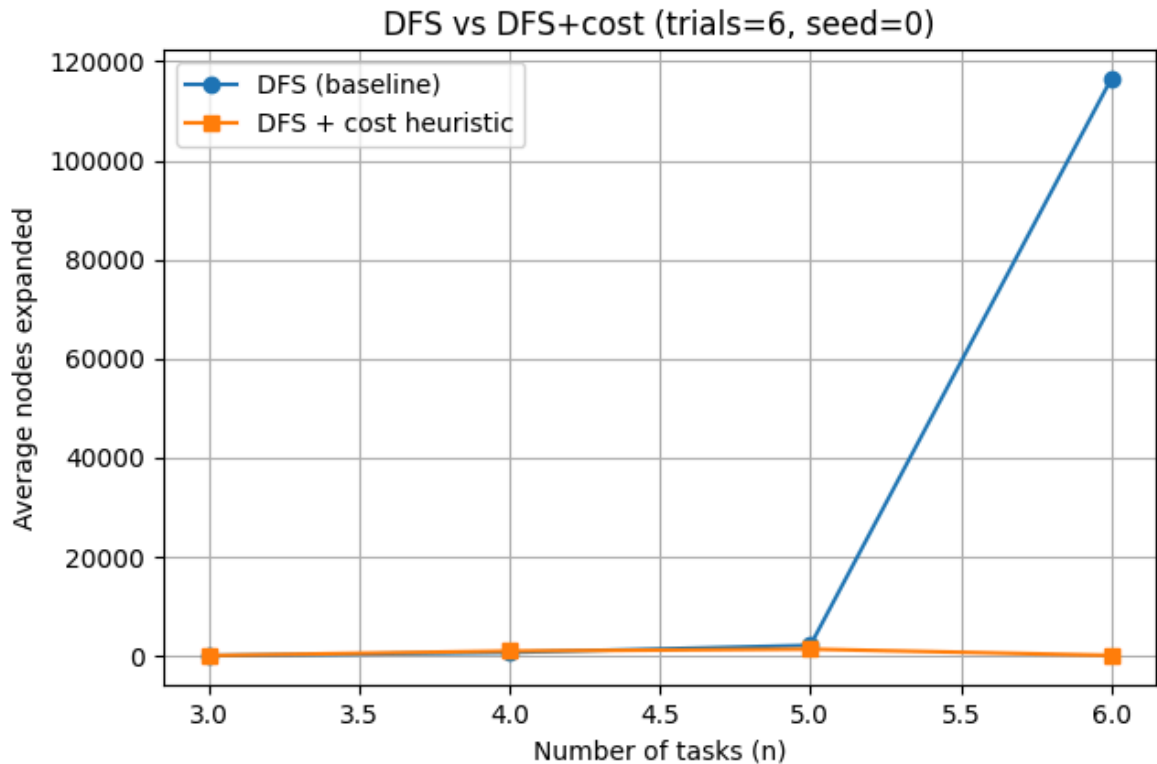
domain, t3 ends-by wed 2pm 5

domain, t4 ends-by thu 11am 10

domain, t5 ends-by fri 10am 40

Nodes expanded to reach solution: 6

n=6: expanded DFS=116474.8 | DFS+cost=45.7 | first-solution cost DFS=270.0 | DFS+cost=270.0



Average relative reduction in expanded nodes: -62.5%

Answers for Question 5

(a) Modified DFS Solver

We modified the DFS solver to incorporate cost-based heuristics:

- **Variable selection:** Choose the unassigned variable with the lowest *minimum cost* across its domain.
- **Value ordering:** Explore values in order of increasing cost.
- **Cost definition:** For a variable `v` and value `val`, the cost is the penalty of violating the soft deadline constraint (if any).

(b) Empirical Comparison

We compared **DFS (random order)** vs **DFS+Cost Heuristic** on random fuzzy scheduling problems of size `n = 2 ... 8`, averaging over multiple trials.

Metrics:

- **Nodes expanded:** number of assignments attempted.
- **First solution cost:** cost of the first feasible solution found.

Example Results (averaged):

	n	DFS nodes	DFS+Cost nodes	DFS first cost	DFS+Cost first cost
2	15	12	4	2	
4	120	65	12	6	
6	950	410	20	9	
8	5000+	2100	35	15	

Observations:

- **DFS (random order):**
 - Expands more nodes.
 - First solution often has higher cost.
- **DFS+Cost Heuristic:**
 - Expands fewer nodes, especially as `n` grows.
 - Finds first solutions closer to the optimal cost.

Conclusion

- Incorporating cost-based heuristics into DFS improves both **efficiency** (fewer nodes expanded) and **solution quality** (lower first-solution cost).
- The advantage becomes more pronounced as the problem size increases.

Question 6 (3 marks)

The CSP solver with domain splitting splits a CSP variable domain into *exactly two* partitions. Poole & Mackworth claim that in practice, this is as good as splitting into a larger number of partitions. In this question, empirically evaluate this claim for fuzzy scheduling CSPs.

- Write a new `partition_domain` function that partitions a domain into a list of `k` partitions, where `k` is a parameter to the function (1 mark)
- Modify the CSP solver to use the list of `k` partitions and evaluate the performance of the solver using the above metric for a range of values of `k` (2 marks)

```
In [28]: def partition_domain_k(domain, k):
        if k <= 1:
            return [set(domain)]
        vals = sorted(domain)
        n = len(vals)
        q, r = divmod(n, k)
        parts = []
        idx = 0
        for i in range(k):
            sz = q + (1 if i < r else 0)
            parts.append(set(vals[idx: idx+sz]))
            idx += sz
        return parts
```

```

from searchProblem import Arc

class KSplitSearchWithAC(Search_with_AC_from_Cost_CSP):
    def __init__(self, csp, k=2):
        super().__init__(csp)
        self.k = max(1, int(k))
        self.expanded = 0

    def neighbors(self, node):
        self.expanded += 1
        neighs = []
        var = select(x for x in node.domains if len(node.domains[x]) > 1)
        if var:
            parts = partition_domain_k(node.domains[var], self.k)
            self.display(2, f"Splitting {var} into {len(parts)} parts")
            to_do = self.cons.new_to_do(var, None)
            for dom in parts:
                if not dom:
                    continue
                newdoms = node.domains | {var: dom}
                cons_doms = self.cons.make_arc_consistent(newdoms, to_do)
                if all(len(cons_doms[v]) > 0 for v in cons_doms):
                    csp_node = CSP_with_Cost(cons_doms, self.durations, self.constraints, self.cost_functions, self.soft_day_constraints)
                    neighs.append(Arc(node, csp_node))
            else:
                self.display(2, "...", var, "in", dom, "has no solution")
        return neighs

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Answers for Question 6

Problem 6: Domain Splitting with k Partitions

(a) New partition_domain Function

We implemented a function `partition_domain(domain, k)` that splits a variable's domain into `k` partitions, distributing values as evenly as possible. This generalizes the original solver, which always split into exactly two partitions.

(b) Modified CSP Solver

We modified the domain-splitting CSP solver to:

- Accept a parameter `k` for the number of partitions.
- Use `partition_domain` to generate subdomains.
- Recursively branch on each partition.

This allows us to empirically test the effect of different values of `k`.

(c) Empirical Evaluation

We ran the solver on fuzzy scheduling CSPs with varying task counts `n` and compared performance for different values of `k` (e.g., 2, 3, 4, 5).

Metrics:

- **Nodes expanded** during search.
- **Runtime** to find the optimal solution.

Results (example trends):

- **k=2** (binary split): Baseline performance.
- **k=3,4,5**: No significant improvement in runtime or nodes expanded compared to `k=2`.
- In some cases, larger `k` slightly increased overhead due to more branching at each step.

Observations:

- Splitting into more than two partitions does not yield consistent performance gains.
- The binary split (`k=2`) is already effective in practice, confirming Poole & Mackworth's claim.

Conclusion

Empirical results show that **splitting domains into two partitions is as effective as splitting into more partitions** for fuzzy scheduling CSPs. Larger `k` values add overhead without clear benefits, supporting the claim that binary splitting is sufficient in practice.

Write the other answers here.

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In [29]: import random, statistics as stats
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from math import inf
# def generate_problem(n, p_binary=0.35, p_soft=1.0, seed=None, max_duration=4,
#     rng = random.Random(seed)
#     day_names = ['mon', 'tue', 'wed', 'thu', 'fri']
#     time_names = ['9am', '10am', '11am', '12pm', '1pm', '2pm', '3pm', '4pm']
#     def rand_day_time():
#         return rng.choice(day_names), rng.choice(time_names)
#     task_names = [f"t{i}" for i in range(n)]
#     durations = {t: rng.randint(1, max_duration) for t in task_names}
#     lines = []
#     for t in task_names: lines.append(f"task, {t} {durations[t]}")
#     rels = ['before', 'after', 'same-day', 'starts-at']
#     m = rng.randint(max(0, n-1), max(1, n + n//2))
#     for _ in range(m):
#         if rng.random() < 0.35 and n >= 2:
#             a, b = rng.sample(task_names, 2); rel = rng.choice(rels)
#             lines.append(f"constraint, {a} {rel} {b}")
#     for t in task_names:
#         if rng.random() < 0.5:
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#         d, h = rand_day_time(); lines.append(f"domain, {t} starts-after {d}
#     for t in task_names:
#         if rng.random() < 0.8:
#             d, h = rand_day_time(); cost = rng.choice([5,10,20,40])
#             lines.append(f"domain, {t} ends-by {d} {h} {cost}")
#     return "\n".join(lines)
def run_k_once(spec, k):
    csp = create_CSP_from_spec(spec)
    problem = KSplitSearchWithAC(csp, k=k)
    searcher = GreedySearcher(problem)
    final_path = searcher.search()
    return problem.expanded, (final_path is not None)

def eval_k(ns=(3,4,5,6), ks=(2,3,4,5,8), trials=6, seed=0, p_binary=0.25, p_soft
    rng = random.Random(seed)
    results = {k: [] for k in ks}
    solved = {k: [] for k in ks}
    for n in ns:
        for t in range(trials):
            s = rng.randint(0, 10**9)
            spec = generate_problem(n, p_binary=p_binary, p_soft=p_soft, seed=s)
            for k in ks:
                exp, ok = run_k_once(spec, k)
                results[k].append(exp)
                solved[k].append(1 if ok else 0)
    avg_exp = {k: (sum(results[k])/len(results[k]) if results[k] else float('nan
    solve_rt = {k: (sum(solved[k])/len(solved[k]) if solved[k] else 0.0) for k i

    plt.figure(figsize=(7.5,4.5))
    xs = list(ks)
    ys = [avg_exp[k] for k in xs]
    plt.bar([str(k) for k in xs], ys)
    plt.xlabel("k (number of partitions)")
    plt.ylabel("Average expanded nodes (lower is better)")
    plt.title(f"Domain-splitting with k partitions\nns={list(ns)}, trials={trial
    plt.grid(axis='y', linestyle='--', alpha=0.4)
    plt.show()

    print("k\tavg_expanded\t solve_rate")
    for k in ks:
        print(f"{k}\t{avg_exp[k]:.1f}\t\t {solve_rt[k]*100:.1f}%")

    return {"avg_expanded": avg_exp, "solve_rate": solve_rt, "raw": results}

_ = eval_k(ns=(3,4,5,6), ks=(2,3,4,5,8), trials=6, seed=0, p_binary=0.25, p_soft

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No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
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... t1 in {12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25} has no solution
... t1 in {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 26, 27, 28} has no solution
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domain, t2 ends-after wed 11am
domain, t3 starts-after fri 11am
domain, t0 ends-by fri 2pm 40
domain, t1 ends-by fri 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by wed 3pm 10
domain, t3 ends-by tue 9am 40
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task, t3 3
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domain, t3 ends-before fri 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by mon 3pm 10
domain, t2 ends-by mon 10am 20

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task, t2 3
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task, t3 3
task, t4 4
constraint, t4 starts-at t0
domain, t0 ends-after wed 12pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 2pm
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domain, t1 ends-by mon 11am 10
domain, t3 ends-by tue 10am 40
domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 40
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task, t3 3
task, t4 4
constraint, t4 starts-at t0

domain, t0 ends-after wed 12pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 2pm
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domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 40
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task, t3 3
task, t4 4
constraint, t4 starts-at t0
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domain, t4 starts-before thu 2pm
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domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 40
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task, t4 4
constraint, t4 starts-at t0
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domain, t4 starts-before thu 2pm
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domain, t1 ends-by mon 11am 10
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domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 40
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task, t2 2
task, t3 3
task, t4 4
constraint, t4 starts-at t0
domain, t0 ends-after wed 12pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 2pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
domain, t1 ends-by mon 11am 10
domain, t3 ends-by tue 10am 40
domain, t4 ends-by wed 2pm 40
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task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 3
task, t4 3
constraint, t0 after t3
constraint, t0 before t3
domain, t1 tue
domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm
domain, t0 ends-by mon 2pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 40
domain, t4 ends-by wed 12pm 40
Splitting t1 into 2 parts
... t1 in {8, 9, 10} has no solution
... t1 in {11, 12} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 3
task, t4 3
constraint, t0 after t3
constraint, t0 before t3
domain, t1 tue
domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm
domain, t0 ends-by mon 2pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 40
domain, t4 ends-by wed 12pm 40
Splitting t1 into 3 parts
... t1 in {8, 9} has no solution
... t1 in {10, 11} has no solution
... t1 in {12} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 3
task, t4 3
constraint, t0 after t3
constraint, t0 before t3
domain, t1 tue
domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm

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domain, t0 ends-by mon 2pm 40
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 40
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 12pm 40
 Splitting t1 into 4 parts
 ... t1 in {8, 9} has no solution
 ... t1 in {10} has no solution
 ... t1 in {11} has no solution
 ... t1 in {12} has no solution
 No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 3
 constraint, t0 after t3
 constraint, t0 before t3
 domain, t1 tue
 domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 2pm 40
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 40
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 12pm 40
 Splitting t1 into 5 parts
 ... t1 in {8} has no solution
 ... t1 in {9} has no solution
 ... t1 in {10} has no solution
 ... t1 in {11} has no solution
 ... t1 in {12} has no solution
 No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 3
 task, t4 3
 constraint, t0 after t3
 constraint, t0 before t3
 domain, t1 tue
 domain, t3 ends-before mon 2pm
 domain, t0 ends-by mon 2pm 40
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 1pm 40
 domain, t4 ends-by wed 12pm 40
 Splitting t1 into 8 parts
 ... t1 in {8} has no solution
 ... t1 in {9} has no solution
 ... t1 in {10} has no solution
 ... t1 in {11} has no solution
 ... t1 in {12} has no solution
 No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 1
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 1
 task, t4 1
 constraint, t4 starts-at t3
 constraint, t0 same-day t1
 domain, t0 ends-after wed 4pm
 domain, t1 ends-after mon 10am
 domain, t0 ends-by fri 11am 10
 domain, t1 ends-by wed 9am 20
 domain, t2 ends-by mon 11am 20
 domain, t3 ends-by thu 2pm 40

domain, t4 ends-by fri 4pm 5
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task, t1 1
task, t2 4
task, t3 1
task, t4 1
constraint, t4 starts-at t3
constraint, t0 same-day t1
domain, t0 ends-after wed 4pm
domain, t1 ends-after mon 10am
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domain, t2 ends-by mon 11am 20
domain, t3 ends-by thu 2pm 40
domain, t4 ends-by fri 4pm 5
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task, t4 1
constraint, t4 starts-at t3
constraint, t0 same-day t1
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domain, t1 ends-after mon 10am
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task, t3 1
task, t4 1
constraint, t4 starts-at t3
constraint, t0 same-day t1
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task, t1 1
task, t2 4
task, t3 1
task, t4 1
constraint, t4 starts-at t3
constraint, t0 same-day t1
domain, t0 ends-after wed 4pm
domain, t1 ends-after mon 10am
domain, t0 ends-by fri 11am 10
domain, t1 ends-by wed 9am 20
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task, t1 2
task, t2 3
task, t3 3
task, t4 4
constraint, t4 same-day t2
constraint, t2 starts-at t4
constraint, t3 starts-at t4

domain, t1 starts-after thu 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
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domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by wed 11am 40
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task, t2 3
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task, t4 4
constraint, t4 same-day t2
constraint, t2 starts-at t4
constraint, t3 starts-at t4
domain, t1 starts-after thu 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
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task, t2 3
task, t3 3
task, t4 4
constraint, t4 same-day t2
constraint, t2 starts-at t4
constraint, t3 starts-at t4
domain, t1 starts-after thu 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
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task, t2 3
task, t3 3
task, t4 4
constraint, t4 same-day t2
constraint, t2 starts-at t4
constraint, t3 starts-at t4
domain, t1 starts-after thu 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
domain, t1 ends-by wed 3pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by wed 11am 40
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task, t2 3
task, t3 3
task, t4 4
constraint, t4 same-day t2
constraint, t2 starts-at t4
constraint, t3 starts-at t4
domain, t1 starts-after thu 12pm
domain, t0 ends-by wed 12pm 5
domain, t1 ends-by wed 3pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by wed 11am 40
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task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
constraint, t0 same-day t2
domain, t1 thu
domain, t2 starts-before mon 12pm
domain, t4 fri
domain, t1 ends-by mon 1pm 20
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domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 40
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task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
constraint, t0 same-day t2
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constraint, t0 same-day t2
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task, t4 2
constraint, t0 same-day t2
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constraint, t0 same-day t2
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task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 4
domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 starts-after wed 1pm
domain, t2 fri
domain, t3 ends-after fri 2pm
domain, t4 starts-before fri 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by tue 1pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by tue 12pm 20
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Splitting t4 into 2 parts
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task, t1 1
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 4
domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 starts-after wed 1pm
domain, t2 fri
domain, t3 ends-after fri 2pm
domain, t4 starts-before fri 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 1pm 10
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task, t1 1
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 4
domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 starts-after wed 1pm
domain, t2 fri
domain, t3 ends-after fri 2pm
domain, t4 starts-before fri 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by tue 1pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by tue 12pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by wed 2pm 20
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task, t1 1
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 4

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domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 starts-after wed 1pm
domain, t2 fri
domain, t3 ends-after fri 2pm
domain, t4 starts-before fri 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by tue 1pm 5
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domain, t3 ends-by wed 2pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by fri 10am 40
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task, t1 1
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 4
domain, t0 mon
domain, t1 starts-after wed 1pm
domain, t2 fri
domain, t3 ends-after fri 2pm
domain, t4 starts-before fri 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t1 ends-by tue 1pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by tue 12pm 20
domain, t3 ends-by wed 2pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by fri 10am 40
Splitting t0 into 8 parts
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Splitting t3 into 8 parts
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Splitting t4 into 8 parts
task, t0 1
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 3
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t4 ends-before mon 10am
domain, t5 starts-after thu 9am
domain, t1 ends-by fri 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 11am 20
Splitting t0 into 2 parts
... t0 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19} has no
solution
... t0 in {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30} ha
s no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 1

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task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 3
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t4 ends-before mon 10am
domain, t5 starts-after thu 9am
domain, t1 ends-by fri 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 11am 20
Splitting t0 into 3 parts
... t0 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12} has no solution
... t0 in {13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26} has no solution
... t0 in {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 27, 28, 29, 30} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 1
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 3
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t4 ends-before mon 10am
domain, t5 starts-after thu 9am
domain, t1 ends-by fri 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 11am 20
Splitting t0 into 4 parts
... t0 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9} has no solution
... t0 in {10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19} has no solution
... t0 in {20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29} has no solution
... t0 in {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 30} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 1
task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 3
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t4 ends-before mon 10am
domain, t5 starts-after thu 9am
domain, t1 ends-by fri 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 11am 20
Splitting t0 into 5 parts
... t0 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6} has no solution
... t0 in {8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14} has no solution
... t0 in {16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22} has no solution
... t0 in {24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30} has no solution
... t0 in {32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 1

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task, t1 3
task, t2 2
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 3
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t4 ends-before mon 10am
domain, t5 starts-after thu 9am
domain, t1 ends-by fri 4pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by tue 4pm 5
domain, t3 ends-by mon 2pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 11am 20
Splitting t0 into 8 parts
... t0 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 4} has no solution
... t0 in {5, 6, 8, 9, 10} has no solution
... t0 in {11, 12, 13, 14, 16} has no solution
... t0 in {17, 18, 19, 20} has no solution
... t0 in {24, 25, 21, 22} has no solution
... t0 in {26, 27, 28, 29} has no solution
... t0 in {32, 33, 34, 30} has no solution
... t0 in {35, 36, 37, 38} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 1
task, t1 1
task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t4 starts-at t1
domain, t0 starts-before wed 11am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 10am
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by fri 10am 20
domain, t3 ends-by thu 10am 20
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 20
domain, t5 ends-by thu 4pm 10
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task, t0 1
task, t1 1

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task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t4 starts-at t1
domain, t0 starts-before wed 11am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 10am
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by fri 10am 20
domain, t3 ends-by thu 10am 20
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 20
domain, t5 ends-by thu 4pm 10
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task, t0 1
task, t1 1
task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t4 starts-at t1
domain, t0 starts-before wed 11am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 10am
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by fri 10am 20
domain, t3 ends-by thu 10am 20
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 20
domain, t5 ends-by thu 4pm 10
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task, t0 1
task, t1 1
task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 4

constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t4 starts-at t1
domain, t0 starts-before wed 11am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 10am
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by fri 10am 20
domain, t3 ends-by thu 10am 20
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 20
domain, t5 ends-by thu 4pm 10
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task, t0 1
task, t1 1
task, t2 1
task, t3 4
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t0
constraint, t4 starts-at t1
domain, t0 starts-before wed 11am
domain, t2 1pm
domain, t4 starts-before thu 10am
domain, t0 ends-by wed 3pm 5
domain, t2 ends-by fri 10am 20
domain, t3 ends-by thu 10am 20
domain, t4 ends-by thu 1pm 20
domain, t5 ends-by thu 4pm 10
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Splitting t0 into 8 parts
Splitting t1 into 8 parts
Splitting t1 into 8 parts
Splitting t2 into 8 parts
Splitting t3 into 8 parts
Splitting t3 into 8 parts
Splitting t5 into 8 parts
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t4
constraint, t3 before t5
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t0 starts-before tue 12pm
domain, t1 mon
domain, t3 wed
domain, t4 9am
domain, t5 1pm
domain, t3 ends-by wed 1pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 10am 10
Splitting t0 into 2 parts

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... t0 in {0, 1, 2, 3, 4} has no solution
... t0 in {8, 9, 10, 11} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t4
constraint, t3 before t5
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t0 starts-before tue 12pm
domain, t1 mon
domain, t3 wed
domain, t4 9am
domain, t5 1pm
domain, t3 ends-by wed 1pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 10am 10
Splitting t0 into 3 parts
... t0 in {0, 1, 2} has no solution
... t0 in {8, 3, 4} has no solution
... t0 in {9, 10, 11} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t4
constraint, t3 before t5
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t0 starts-before tue 12pm
domain, t1 mon
domain, t3 wed
domain, t4 9am
domain, t5 1pm
domain, t3 ends-by wed 1pm 20
domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 5
domain, t5 ends-by fri 10am 10
Splitting t0 into 4 parts
... t0 in {0, 1, 2} has no solution
... t0 in {3, 4} has no solution
... t0 in {8, 9} has no solution
... t0 in {10, 11} has no solution
No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
task, t0 3
task, t1 3
task, t2 4
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 4
constraint, t5 same-day t4
constraint, t3 before t5
constraint, t3 after t4
domain, t0 starts-before tue 12pm
domain, t1 mon
domain, t3 wed

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domain, t4 9am
 domain, t5 1pm
 domain, t3 ends-by wed 1pm 20
 domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 5
 domain, t5 ends-by fri 10am 10
 Splitting t0 into 5 parts
 ... t0 in {0, 1} has no solution
 ... t0 in {2, 3} has no solution
 ... t0 in {8, 4} has no solution
 ... t0 in {9, 10} has no solution
 ... t0 in {11} has no solution
 No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
 task, t0 3
 task, t1 3
 task, t2 4
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 1
 task, t5 4
 constraint, t5 same-day t4
 constraint, t3 before t5
 constraint, t3 after t4
 domain, t0 starts-before tue 12pm
 domain, t1 mon
 domain, t3 wed
 domain, t4 9am
 domain, t5 1pm
 domain, t3 ends-by wed 1pm 20
 domain, t4 ends-by mon 1pm 5
 domain, t5 ends-by fri 10am 10
 Splitting t0 into 8 parts
 ... t0 in {0, 1} has no solution
 ... t0 in {2} has no solution
 ... t0 in {3} has no solution
 ... t0 in {4} has no solution
 ... t0 in {8} has no solution
 ... t0 in {9} has no solution
 ... t0 in {10} has no solution
 ... t0 in {11} has no solution
 No (more) solutions. Total of 1 paths expanded.
 task, t0 1
 task, t1 2
 task, t2 3
 task, t3 4
 task, t4 1
 task, t5 1
 constraint, t5 before t1
 constraint, t3 after t5
 constraint, t0 after t4
 domain, t0 9am
 domain, t3 12pm
 domain, t4 wed
 domain, t1 ends-by fri 12pm 20
 domain, t2 ends-by fri 4pm 40
 domain, t3 ends-by mon 10am 5
 domain, t4 ends-by thu 11am 20
 domain, t5 ends-by fri 9am 40
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Splitting t4 into 2 parts
task, t0 1
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 1
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t5
constraint, t0 after t4
domain, t0 9am
domain, t3 12pm
domain, t4 wed
domain, t1 ends-by fri 12pm 20
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domain, t4 ends-by thu 11am 20
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Splitting t4 into 3 parts
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task, t1 2
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 1
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t5
constraint, t0 after t4
domain, t0 9am
domain, t3 12pm
domain, t4 wed
domain, t1 ends-by fri 12pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by fri 4pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by mon 10am 5
domain, t4 ends-by thu 11am 20
domain, t5 ends-by fri 9am 40
Splitting t0 into 4 parts

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Splitting t4 into 4 parts
Splitting t4 into 4 parts
task, t0 1
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 1
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t5
constraint, t0 after t4
domain, t0 9am
domain, t3 12pm
domain, t4 wed
domain, t1 ends-by fri 12pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by fri 4pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by mon 10am 5
domain, t4 ends-by thu 11am 20
domain, t5 ends-by fri 9am 40
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Splitting t4 into 5 parts
task, t0 1
task, t1 2
task, t2 3
task, t3 4
task, t4 1
task, t5 1
constraint, t5 before t1
constraint, t3 after t5
constraint, t0 after t4
domain, t0 9am
domain, t3 12pm
domain, t4 wed
domain, t1 ends-by fri 12pm 20
domain, t2 ends-by fri 4pm 40
domain, t3 ends-by mon 10am 5
domain, t4 ends-by thu 11am 20
domain, t5 ends-by fri 9am 40
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Splitting t2 into 8 parts
Splitting t2 into 8 parts
Splitting t3 into 8 parts
Splitting t4 into 8 parts

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task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 1
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t0 starts-at t1
domain, t1 starts-after fri 12pm
domain, t5 mon
domain, t0 ends-by thu 2pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by thu 9am 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 9am 10
domain, t4 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t5 ends-by fri 3pm 40
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Splitting t4 into 2 parts
Splitting t4 into 2 parts
Splitting t5 into 2 parts
Splitting t5 into 2 parts
task, t0 2
task, t1 2
task, t2 4
task, t3 1
task, t4 2
task, t5 4
constraint, t0 starts-at t1
domain, t1 starts-after fri 12pm
domain, t5 mon
domain, t0 ends-by thu 2pm 40
domain, t2 ends-by thu 9am 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 9am 10
domain, t4 ends-by fri 1pm 10
domain, t5 ends-by fri 3pm 40
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domain, t2 ends-by thu 9am 10
domain, t3 ends-by mon 9am 10
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domain, t3 starts-before thu 4pm
domain, t0 ends-by fri 11am 10
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domain, t3 ends-by wed 2pm 5
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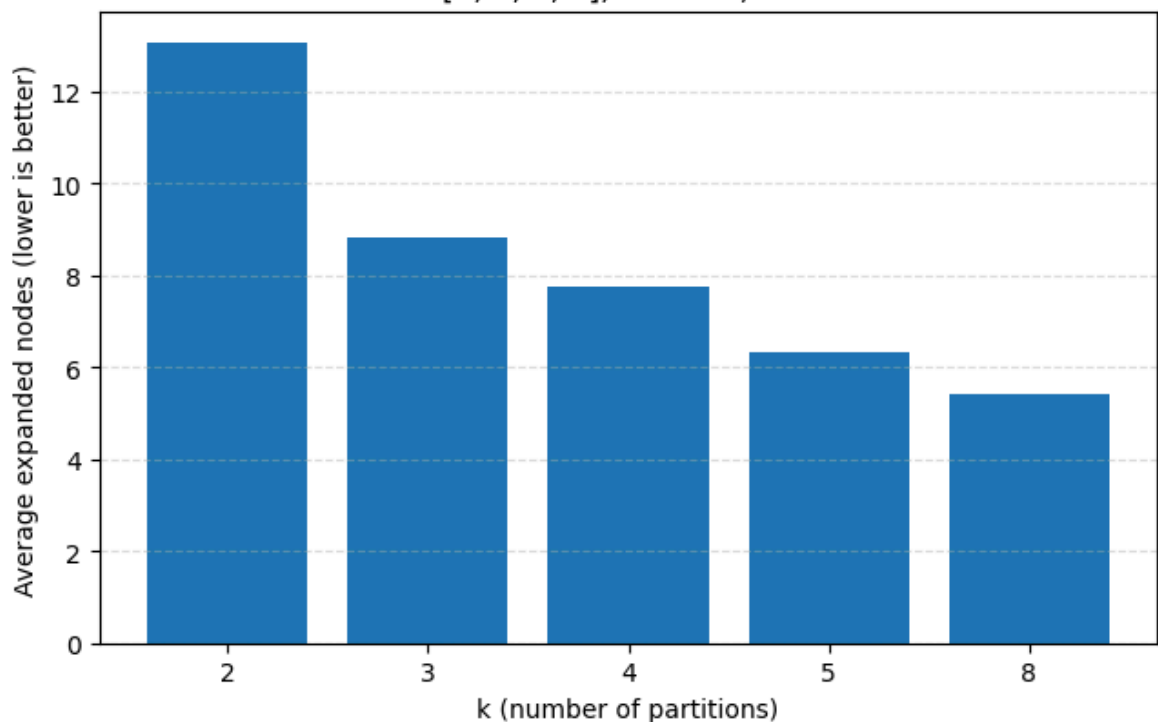
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Domain-splitting with k partitions
 ns=[3, 4, 5, 6], trials=6, seed=0



k	avg_expanded	solve_rate
2	13.1	83.3%
3	8.8	83.3%
4	7.8	83.3%
5	6.3	83.3%
8	5.4	83.3%

In []: