

## Week 10

### Alpha Beta Pruning

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import math

def minimax(node, depth, is_maximizing):
    """
    Implement the Minimax algorithm to solve the decision tree.

    Parameters:
        node (dict): The current node in the decision tree, with the following
        structure:
            {
                'value': int,
                'left': dict or None,
                'right': dict or None
            }
        depth (int): The current depth in the decision tree.
        is_maximizing (bool): Flag to indicate whether the current player is
        the maximizing player.

    Returns:
        int: The utility value of the current node.
    """
    # Base case: Leaf node
    if node['left'] is None and node['right'] is None:
        return node['value']

    # Recursive case
    if is_maximizing:
        best_value = -math.inf
        if node['left']:
            best_value = max(best_value, minimax(node['left'], depth + 1,
False))
        if node['right']:
            best_value = max(best_value, minimax(node['right'], depth + 1,
False))
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        return best_value
    else:
        best_value = math.inf
        if node['left']:
            best_value = min(best_value, minimax(node['left'], depth + 1,
True))
        if node['right']:
            best_value = min(best_value, minimax(node['right'], depth + 1,
True))
        return best_value

# Example usage
decision_tree = {
    'value': 5,
    'left': {
        'value': 6,
        'left': {
            'value': 7,
            'left': {
                'value': 4,
                'left': None,
                'right': None
            },
            'right': {
                'value': 5,
                'left': None,
                'right': None
            }
        },
        'right': {
            'value': 3,
            'left': {
                'value': 6,
                'left': None,
                'right': None
            },
            'right': {
                'value': 9,
                'left': None,
                'right': None
            }
        }
    }
}

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        }
    }
},
'right': {
    'value': 8,
    'left': {
        'value': 7,
        'left': {
            'value': 6,
            'left': None,
            'right': None
        },
        'right': {
            'value': 9,
            'left': None,
            'right': None
        }
    },
    'right': {
        'value': 8,
        'left': {
            'value': 6,
            'left': None,
            'right': None
        },
        'right': None
    }
}
}

# Find the best move for the maximizing player
best_value = minimax(decision_tree, 0, True)
print(f"The best value for the maximizing player is: {best_value}")

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## OUTPUT:

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The best value for the maximizing player is: 6
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