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# Dynamic Programming

Top down

Memorization

Bottom-up

Tabulation

→ Memorization helps by storing the results of expensive func<sup>n</sup> calls and reusing them when same func<sup>n</sup> / Same input occur again. This avoids the redundant calculation and making the performance of the code efficient. Memorization is used to speed up the computer programs by eliminating the repetitive computation of func<sup>n</sup> calls that process the same input. It is a specific form of ~~cat~~ caching technique i.e. used in dynamic programming where the purpose of caching is to improve the performance of our program and keep the data accessible that can be used later. It basically stores the previously calculated result of subproblem and reuses the stored result for the same subproblem. So, Memorization is mainly used to solve the recursive problems which are involving overlapping subproblems.

Memorization consists of 3 types:

- 1. Argument
- 2. Argument
- 3. Argument memorization

Recursion (fibonacci program)

→ main():

•  $n = 5$

•  $\text{result} = \text{nthfibonacci}(n)$  — passing 5 in this method

→  $\text{nthfibonacci}(5)$ :

if ( $n \leq 1$ ) {

return  $n$  }

↓

return  $\text{nthfibonacci}(n-1) + \text{nthfibonacci}(n-2)$

~~$= 4 + 3$~~

$= 7$

$\text{nthfibonacci}(4) + \text{nthfibonacci}(3)$

→  $\text{nthfibonacci}(3) + \text{nthfibonacci}(2)$

# Tabulation

Tabulation is a process to divide problems into subproblems.

Tabulation creates a table and fills up some one row at a time.

Tabulation begins with resolving the smallest subproblems first and brings up towards the largest subproblem using the results of smallest problems.

## LCS Tabulation

$m=5$

$n=3$

$dp[6][4]$

dp table

		dp					
		a	c	e	a	c	e
a	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
b	0	a	0	1	1	1	1
c		b	0	1	1	1	1
d		c	0	1	2	2	2
e		d	0	1	2	2	2
		e	0	1	2	3	3

er i from  
, and j

→ loop over  $i$  from 1 to  $m$ , and  $j$  from 1 to  $n$ .

return  $dp[5][3]=3$ ;

LCS length: 3

# Quicksort

- > arr = {10, 7, 8, 9, 1, 5}
- > first we call quicksort(arr, 0, 5)

Pivot = 5

- > Partitioning:

10 > 5 → Skip

7 > 5 → skip

8 > 5 → skip

9 > 5 → skip

1 > 5 → swap (10, 1)

After Partitioning:

arr = [1, 7, 8, 9, 10, 5]

swap pivot with 7 (arr[1])

arr = [1, 5, 8, 9, 10, 7]

- > Partition index = 1

- > Now two recursive calls:

- quicksort(arr, 0, 0) → return (single element)

- quicksort(arr, 2, 5)

- > Second call: quicksort(arr, 2, 5)

Pivot = 7

- > Partitioning:

- 8 > 7 → Skip

- 9 > 7 → skip

- 10 > 7 → skip



No Swaps, place pivot before 8

arr : [1, 5, 7, 9, 10, 8]

•  $pi = 2$

calls :

• quicksort(arr, 2, 1) → return

• quicksort(arr, 3, 5)

Final Sorted array: [1, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10]

T.C :  $O(n \log n)$

W.C :  $O(n^2)$

## LCS Memoization

$S_1 = \text{"abcde"}$

$S_2 = \text{"ace"}$

LCS of "abcde" and "ace" is "ace"

So, LCS length = 3

→ func : lcs( $s_1, s_2, m, n, memo$ )

→ recursion + memoization:

•  $m$  = current index of  $s_1$

•  $n$  = current index of  $s_2$

•  $memo[m][n]$  = Stores previously calculated LCS values for  $(m, n)$

→  $m = 5$  (length of "abcde"),  $n = 3$  (length of "ace")

→ characters at  $s_1[4] = 'e', s_2[2] = 'e' \rightarrow$   
match

memo table

m/n	0	1	2	3
0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1		
2	0	1		
3	0		2	
4	0	1	2	
5	0			3

o/p:-

Lengths 3

$$T.C = O(m * n)$$

$$S.C = O(m * n)$$

o/p Knapsack problem.

$$m[i, w] = \max(m[i-1, w], m[i-1, w + w[i]] + p[i])$$

$p_i$	$w_i$
2	3
3	4
4	5
1	6

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1									
2									
3									

→ 1<sup>st</sup> if Condition:-

negative values won't come.

$$n = 4$$

$$n-1 = 3$$

$$w(3) = 4$$

Values  $(n-1)$

$$n-1$$

$$= 3$$

$$6 +$$

include 6 + knapsack

(weights values,

Capacity - w -

$$n-1)$$

$$5 - w(n-1) = 0$$

weights = 

2	3	4	5
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0 1 2 3

values = 

3	4	5	6
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0 1 2 3

Capacity = 5,  $n = 4$

memo

	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	3			
2	0	0				
3	0					
4	0					

1FL  $\text{knapsack}(w, v, 5, 4, \text{memo})$  (4/5)

$$5 \leq 5$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{include} &= \text{value}(3) \\ &= 6 + \text{knapsack}(w, v, 5-5, 3, \text{memo}) \\ &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

~~2FL~~  $\text{knapsack}(w, v, 0, 3, \text{memo})$

1FL  $\text{exclude} = \text{knapsack}(w, v, 5, 3, \text{memo})$

2FL  $\text{knapsack}(w, v, 5, 3, \text{memo})$   
 $4 \leq 5$   
 $\text{include} = 4 + \text{knapsack}(w, v, 1, 2, \text{memo})$



~~3rd FL~~

~~if~~  $\text{Knap}(w, v, l, 2, \text{mem})$   
 $\text{if}(\text{not } 3 \leq 1)$

else  
 $\text{memo}[2][1] = \text{knap}(w, v, 1, 1, \text{mem})$

~~4th FL~~  
 $\text{knap}(w, v, 1, 1, \text{mem})$

$\text{if}(2 \leq 1)$

else  
 $\text{memo}(1)[1] = \text{knap}(w, v, 1, 0, \text{mem})$

~~2nd FL~~  
 $\text{exclude} = \text{knap}(w, v, 5, 2, \text{mem})$

~~3rd FL~~  
 $\text{knap}(w, v, 5, 2, \text{mem})$

$\text{if}(3 \leq 5)$   
include

$\text{knap}(v, v, 2, 1)$

~~4th FL~~  
 $\text{knap}(w, v, 2, 1, \text{mem})$   
 $\text{if}(\text{false})$

include  $3 + \text{knap}(w, v, 0, 0, \text{mem})$   
 $0$

→ Activity Selection problem is a classic example of Greedy alg

It involves selecting maximum no of activities that don't overlap given list of activities with start & finish times

Greedy → Always pick the activity that finishes the Earliest & compatible with previously selected activities.

Activity	Start time	finish time
A <sub>1</sub>	1	4
A <sub>2</sub>	3	5
A <sub>3</sub>	0	6
A <sub>4</sub>	5	7
A <sub>5</sub>	8	9
A <sub>6</sub>	5	9

1.) Sort finish time

A<sub>1</sub> A<sub>2</sub> A<sub>4</sub> A<sub>5</sub> A<sub>6</sub> A<sub>3</sub>

2.) Apply greedy Selection A<sub>1</sub> → finish time = 4

A<sub>2</sub> start = 3 < 4 → skip

A<sub>4</sub> start = 5 ≥ 4 → Select A<sub>4</sub>

A<sub>5</sub> start = 8 ≥ 7 → Select A<sub>5</sub>

A<sub>1</sub> A<sub>4</sub> A<sub>5</sub>

Appln's: Job Scheduling  
Task Scheduling

→ Fractional knapsack ⇒ can be solved by greedy method. Items can be broken  
 Solved Efficiently using greedy alg  
 Ex: filling a bag with grains, oil or gold dust

Ex	A Item	B value	C weight
	1	60	10
	2	100	20
	3	120	30

knapsack capacity  $W=50$

⇒ ratios: 6, 5, 4

Take A, B &  $2/3^{\text{rd}}$  of C

$$1) \text{ ratio} = \frac{V}{W} = \frac{60}{10} = 6, 5, 4$$

A   B   C

$$\text{Total value} = 60 + 100 + 120 \times \frac{2}{3} = 240$$

2) Sort the items based on ratio

3) Take the highest ratio & add to knapsack until we can't add next item

4) At the end add next item as much (fraction) as we can

A	B	C
cap left = 40	cap left = 20	Cap. left = 0
Value = 60	Value = 160	Value = 240
		Now Take $2/3^{\text{rd}}$ of C
		W: $2/3 * 30 = 20$
		V: $2/3 * 120 = 80$

$$\text{Final Total} = 60 + 100 + 80 = 240$$

knapsack is Exactly full =  $10 + 20 + 20 = 50 \text{ kg}$