

# Dynamic Programming

## 0/1 Knapsack Problem

### \* Informal Description :

- There are 'n' objects, which need to be stored in a knapsack of capacity 'W'.
- Each object 'i' has weight ' $w_i$ ' and some value (benefit, profit, size) ' $v_i$ '.
- We need to find subset of objects to store such that
  - (i) Objects have combined size of at most W.
  - (ii) The total benefit of the stored object is as large as possible.
- We cannot store parts of objects, it is the whole object or nothing.

### \* Formal Description :-

- Given two n-tuples of positive numbers  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  and  $\{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$

and  $W > 0$ , goal is to determine the subset  $T \subseteq \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$  (of objects to store) that

$$\text{maximizes } \sum_{i \in T} v_i,$$

$$\text{subject to } \sum_{i \in T} w_i \leq W.$$

### \* Developing a DP Algorithm for 0/1 knapsack

- I] Characterize the structure of optimal solution :
- Decompose the problem into smaller problems.

- Construct an array  $V[0 \dots n, 0 \dots W]$ .
- For  $1 \leq i \leq n$  and  $0 \leq w \leq W$ , the entry  $V[i, w]$  <sup>combined</sup> stores the maximum benefit value of any subset of object  $\{1, 2, \dots, i\}$  of combined size at most  $w$ .
- If all the entries of this array is computed, then the entry at  $V[n, W]$  will contain the maximum benefit value of objects that can fit into the knapsack.

II] Recursively define the value of an optimal solution.

→ Initial settings :- Set

$$V[0, w] = 0 \quad \text{for } 0 \leq w \leq W$$

$$V[i, 0] = 0 \quad \text{for } 0 \leq i \leq n$$

$$V[i, w] = -\infty \quad \text{for } w < 0$$

→ Recursive step :- To compute  $V[i, w]$  there is only 2 possibilities.

(i) Leave object i :-

With objects  $\{1, 2, \dots, i-1\}$  and storage limit  $w$ ,  
 $V[i, w] = V[i-1, w]$ .

(ii) Take object i :- (Only possible if  $w_i \leq w$ )

- After spending  $w_i$  size of knapsack, if we take object 'i', then benefit value gained is ' $v_i$ '.



$\therefore$  with objects  $\{1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$  and storage limits  $(W - w_i)$ ,

$$V[i, W] = V[i-1, W - w_i] + v_i$$

$\therefore$  To summarize,

$$V[i, W] = \max(V[i-1, W], v_i + V[i-1, W - w_i])$$

for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

for  $1 \leq i \leq n$  and  $0 \leq W \leq W$

### III) compute the maximum benefit value (optimal solution)

- Bottom up computing is used for computing  $V[i, W]$
- Bottom :-  $V[0, W] = 0$  for all  $0 \leq W \leq W$   
 $V[i, 0] = 0$  for all  $0 \leq i \leq n$
- Then table  $V[i, W]$  is computed using equation defined in step II in the row-major form.

$V[i, W]$	$w=0$	1	2	...	$W$
$i=0$	0	0	0	...	0
1	0				
2	0				
3	0				
$\vdots$	$\vdots$				
$n$	0				

bottom

up

## - Algorithm:

Knapsack\_value( $v, w, n, W$ )

$O(W)$

1. for  $w = 0$  to  $W$  step +1 do.
2.  $V[0, w] = 0$   
for  $i = 1$  to  $n$   
 $V[i, 0] = 0$
3. for  $i = 1$  to  $n$  step +1 do
4. for  $w = 1$  to  $W$  step +1 do.
5. if  $(w[i] \leq w)$  and  
if  $(V[i] + V[i-1, w-w[i]] > V[i-1, w])$   
6.  $V[i, w] = V[i] + V[i-1, w-w[i]]$   
7.  $keep[i, w] = 1$   
8. else  
9.  $V[i, w] = V[i-1, w]$   
10.  $keep[i, w] = 0$

$O(n)$   
 $O(n \times W)$

## - Analysis:

Running time of the procedure is  $O(nW)$ , since rest all steps from line 5 to 10 can be computed in  $O(1)$  time.

## [iv] Constructing an optimal solution i.e. (object in knapsack)

- To compute the actual subset, an auxiliary array  $keep[i, w]$  is used in algorithm.

i.e. if  $keep[i, w] = 1$ , then  $i \in T$  and this can be repeated for  $keep[i-1, w-w[i]]$

else if  $keep[i, w] = 0$ , then  $i \notin T$  and this can be repeated for  $keep[i-1, w]$



## Algorithm

print\_knapsack\_subset(keep, n, w1, w)

$\Theta(n)$

1. for  $i = n$  to 1 step -1 do
2.     if  $(w1 > 0 \text{ and } \text{keep}[i, w1] == 'v')$
3.         print  $i$
4.          $w1 = w1 - w[i]$

Analysis :-

Running time of the procedure is  $\Theta(n)$

⇒ Problem 1: Consider the knapsack capacity.  $w1 = 8$  and total no. of elements 4, as shown in table.

$i$	$v_i$	$w_i$
1	1	2
2	2	3
3	5	4
4	6	5

⇒ Solution:  $n = 4$       $w1 = 8$

Step 1: calculation of  $v$  and keep table

$v_i$	$w_i$	$v[i, w]$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
①	2	1	<del>0</del>	X	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
			0	0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
②	3	②	0	X	X	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
			0	0	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
⑤	4	3	0	X	X	X	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
			0	0	1	2	5	5	6	7	7
⑥	⑤	④	0	X	X	X	X	✓	✓	✓	<del>8</del>
			0	0	1	2	4	6	6	7	

∴ Maximum value earned =  $V[n, W] = 8$

Step 2: Printing the items in knapsack.

∴ Items in the knapsack are 2, 4.

⇒ problem 2

Q Solve the following using 0/1 knapsack

item (i)	value (v <sub>i</sub> )	weight (w <sub>i</sub> )
1	18	3
2	25	5
3	27	4
4	10	3
5	15	6

with knapsack capacity 12.

		$V[i, w]$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
$V_i$	$w_i$														
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	3	1	0	X	X	<del>18</del>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
			0	0	0	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18
25	5	2	0	X	X	X	X	✓	✓	✓	<del>43</del>	✓	✓	✓	✓
			0	0	0	18	18	25	25	25	43	43	43	43	43
27	4	3	0	X	X	X	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	<del>70</del>
			0	0	0	18	27	27	27	45	45	52	52	52	70
10	3	4	0	X	X	X	X	X	✓	X	X	X	✓	✓	<del>70</del>
			0	0	0	18	27	27	28	45	45	52	55	55	70
15	6	5	0	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	<del>70</del>
			0	0	0	18	27	27	28	45	45	52	55	55	70

∴ Maximum value earned  $= V[n, W] = 70$ .

Step 2 :- Printing items in knapsack.

Items are 3, 2, 1