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import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
def parallel cellular shortest path(grid, start, end, max iterations=100):
   Parameters:
blocked cell.
   rows, cols = grid.shape
   distance = np.full((rows, cols), np.inf)
   distance[start] = 0
   directions = [(-1, 0), (1, 0), (0, -1), (0, 1)] # 4-directional
   for iteration in range (max iterations):
       updated = False
       new distance = distance.copy()
        for i in range(rows):
            for j in range(cols):
                if grid[i][j] == 1:
                for d in directions:
                    ni, nj = i + d[0], j + d[1]
                        if distance[ni][nj] + 1 < new distance[i][j]:</pre>
                            new_distance[i][j] = distance[ni][nj] + 1
                            updated = True
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distance = new_distance
       if not updated:
   path = []
   if distance[end] == np.inf:
       print("No path found.")
       visualize grid(grid, start, end, path, distance)
       return distance, path
   current = end
   path.append(current)
   while current != start:
       i, j = current
       for d in directions:
            ni, nj = i + d[0], j + d[1]
            if 0 <= ni < rows and 0 <= nj < cols:</pre>
                if distance[ni][nj] == distance[i][j] - 1:
                    path.append((ni, nj))
   path.reverse()
   visualize grid(grid, start, end, path, distance)
   return distance, path
def visualize grid(grid, start, end, path, distance):
   Parameters:
   - distance: 2D numpy array of distances from the start cell.
   rows, cols = grid.shape
   fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8, 8))
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for i in range(rows):
        for j in range(cols):
            if grid[i, j] == 1:
                ax.add patch(plt.Rectangle((j, rows - i - 1), 1, 1,
color="black"))  # Blocked cells
                ax.add patch(plt.Rectangle((j, rows - i - 1), 1, 1,
edgecolor="gray", facecolor="white"))
    ax.add patch(plt.Rectangle((start[1], rows - start[0] - 1), 1, 1,
color="green", label="Start"))
    ax.add patch(plt.Rectangle((end[1], rows - end[0] - 1), 1, 1,
color="red", label="End"))
   if path:
       for (x, y) in path:
            ax.add patch(plt.Rectangle((y, rows - x - 1), 1, 1,
color="blue", alpha=0.5))
    for i in range (rows):
       for j in range(cols):
            if np.isfinite(distance[i, j]):
                ax.text(j + 0.5, rows - i - 1 + 0.5, f"{int(distance[i, outline)})}
j])}",
                        color="black", ha="center", va="center",
fontsize=8)
   ax.set xlim(0, cols)
   ax.set ylim(0, rows)
   ax.set xticks(range(cols))
   ax.set yticks(range(rows))
   ax.set xticklabels([])
    ax.set yticklabels([])
    ax.grid(True)
    ax.legend(loc="upper left")
   plt.gca().invert yaxis()
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plt.show()

# Example Usage
if __name__ == "__main__":
    # 0: open cell, 1: blocked cell
grid = np.array([
        [0, 0, 0, 0, 1],
        [1, 1, 0, 1, 0],
        [0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
        [0, 1, 1, 1, 0],
        [0, 0, 0, 0, 0]
])

start = (0, 0)
end = (4, 4)

distance, path = parallel_cellular_shortest_path(grid, start, end)
print("Distance Grid:")
print(distance)
print("Shortest Path:")
print(path)
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