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Sub: Algorithm Analysis and Design

Practical 14

<u>Problem</u>: Chessboard Challenge...!!! You're organizing a friendly chess competition among friends, and you've set up a NxN chessboard. The challenge is for each participant to place 'N' queens on the board in such a way that no queen can threaten another. As the organizer, you need to provide a program that can verify whether each participant's arrangement is valid, ensuring a fair and enjoyable competition for all.

Note: Display chessboard with n queens

Code:

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import numpy as np
import YSL_io

def possible(r2, c2):
global q
for r1 in range(1, r2):
c1 = q[r1]
if (c1 = c2) or (abs(r1 - r2) = abs(c1 - c2)):
return False
return True
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def queens(r, n):
global q
for c in range(1, n+1):
if (possible(r, c)):
q[r] = c
if (r = n):
YSL_io.printCYN('\n\tPossible solution : \n')
disQ(n)
else:
queens(r+1, n)
def disQ(n):
global q
board = np.empty((len(q)-1, len(q)-1), dtype=str)
for i in range(len(q)-1):
if (i % 2 = 0):
for j in range(0,len(q)-1,2):
board[i,j] = '<u>    </u>'
for j in range(1,len(q)-1,2):
board[i,j] = '[ '
else:
for j in range(1,len(q)-1,2):
board[i,j] = '-'
for j in range(0,len(q)-1,2):
board[i,j] = '='
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board = np.reshape(board, (len(q)-1, len(q)-1))
for i in range(1,len(q)):
board[i-1, q[i]-1] = '\footnotemath{\text{\text{board}}}\''
for i in range(len(q)-1):
for j in range(len(q)-1):
if j % n = 0: # to display with '\t' at each line of board

print('\t' + board[i, j], end='')
else:
print(board[i, j], end='')
print()
n = int(YSL_io.inputORNG("\n\tPlease input the number of queens: "))
q = [0 for _ in range(n+1)]

queens(1, n)
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Screenshots:

