

Knapsack Problem

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Recall: Dynamic Programming

1] 0/1 knapsack Problem

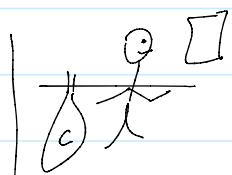
Given a set of items

$$U = \{u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_n\}$$

and knapsack S of capacity C .

Each item u_i has a size s_i

and a value $v_i \in \mathbb{Z}^+$



u_1	u_2	u_3	u_4	u_5	
0	0	0	0	0	
2	3	4	5	7	kg
3	4	5	7	8	\$

Find the max value that can be packed

$$\max \sum_{u_i \in S} v_i \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \sum_{u_i \in S} s_i \leq C$$

2] Greedy Algorithm

1. Compute the ratio $r_i = \frac{v_i}{s_i}$ for all items

2. Sort the items in a decreasing order by r_i

e.g.

u_1	u_2	u_3	u_4	u_5	
2	3	4	5	7	kg
3	4	5	7	8	\$

$$r_i = \frac{v_i}{s_i} \rightarrow \frac{3}{2} \quad \frac{4}{3} \quad \dots \quad \frac{8}{7}$$

1.5 1.33 1.25 1.4 1.13 $\leftarrow \theta(n)$

① ③ ④ ② ⑤ $\leftarrow \theta(n \log n)$

- 3] Note : the greedy algorithm is fast
time complexity : $\Theta(n \log n)$ for sorting.
but does not always give the optimal solution. why? (HW)

S:	6	5	5	kg.
V:	12	8	7	\$
r:	2	1.6	1.4	

① C=10

- 4] Subproblem:

let $V[i, j]$ = max value obtained by filling
a knapsack of capacity j with
items $\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_i\}$
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first i items

$$① \quad V[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i=0 \text{ or } j=0 \\ V[i-1, j] & \text{if } j < s_i \\ \max \left\{ \underbrace{V[i-1, j]}_{\text{leave it}}, \underbrace{V[i-1, j-s_i] + v_i}_{\text{take it}} \right\} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

② Return $V[n, c]$

- 5] e.g.

$C = 9$,

	$u_i \rightarrow$	u_1	u_2	u_3	u_4
size: (s_i)		2	3	4	5
value (v_i)		3	4	5	7

		$j \rightarrow$									
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
$i \downarrow$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	0	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	2	0	3	7	4	7	7	7	7	7	7
	3	0	3	4	5	7	8	9	9	12	12

↓ 1	0	3	3			3		3
2	0	3	4	4	7	7	7	7
3		3	4	5	7	8	9	12
4	0	3	4	5	7	8	10	11
	0	3	4	5	7	8	10	11
	0	3	4	5	7	8	10	11

Algorithm Knapsack

Input: A set of items $U = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$ with sizes s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n and values v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n , respectively and knapsack capacity C .

Output: the maximum value of $\sum_{u_i \in S} v_i$ subject to $\sum_{u_i \in S} s_i \leq C$

for $i := 0$ to n do
 $V[i, 0] := 0;$ } $n+1$ steps

for $j := 0$ to C do
 $V[0, j] := 0;$ } $C+1$ steps

for $i := 1$ to n do

for $j := 1$ to C do

$V[i, j] := V[i-1, j];$

if $s_i \leq j$ then

$V[i, j] := \max\{V[i, j], V[i-1, j-s_i] + v_i\}$

end for;

end for;

return $V[n, C];$

$n C$ steps

6) Time Complexity

To fill the V table, we have $(n+1) \times (C+1)$ cells in the table, each may need one comparison.

\therefore the time complexity is $\Theta(nC)$

Pseudo-polynomial in terms of input size.

7) Space Complexity:

for this algorithm, we use $\Theta(nC)$ space

However, we only need the last row of the table

So, the algorithm can be optimized to use $\Theta(C)$ space.