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%***** Best First Search Strategy *****
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best_first(State,[State]) :- goal(State),!.
best_first(State,[State|Path]) :-
    findall(Dist-Next_State,(cost(State,Next_State,_),
    h(Next_State,Dist)),States),
    keysort(States,[_-BestState|_]),
    best_first(BestState,Path).
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%***** A* search algorithm *****
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solve(Start,Soln) :- f_function(Start,0,F),
    search([F-Start],Soln).
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f_function(State,D,F) :- h(State,H),
    F is D + H.
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search([_-_State| _], [State]) :- goal(State),!.
search([F-State|R],[State|Path]) :- expand(F-State, Children),
    insert_all(Children, R, NewOpen),
    search(NewOpen,Path).
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expand(_-State, All_My_Children) :-
    findall(F-Child,
        (cost(State,Child,D),
        f_function(Child,D,F)) ,
        All_My_Children).
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insert_all([],Open,Open).
insert_all([F|R],Open1,Open3) :- insert(F,Open1,Open2),
    insert_all(R,Open2,Open3).
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insert(B,[],[B]).
insert(_-Node,[_-_Node|R],[_-_Node|R]) :- ! .
insert(B,[C|R],[B,C|R]) :- cheaper(B,C), ! .
insert(B,[B1|R],[B1|S]) :- insert(B,R,S), !.
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cheaper( H1-_, H2-) :- H1 < H2.
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