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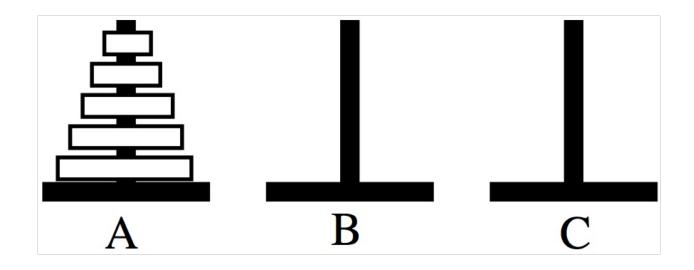
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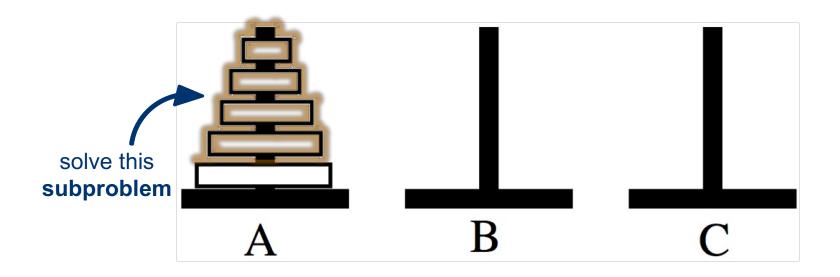
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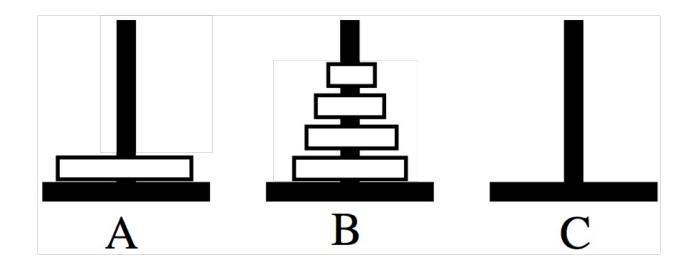
#### **Towers of Hanoi**

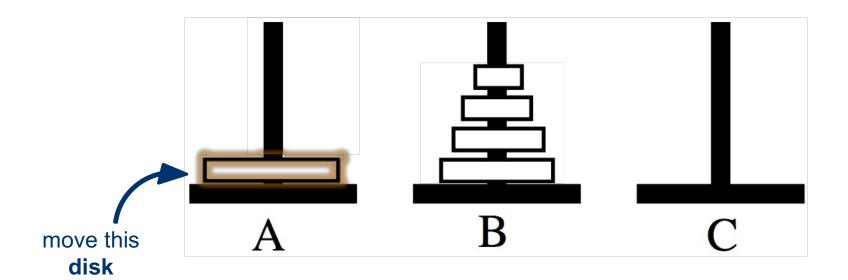


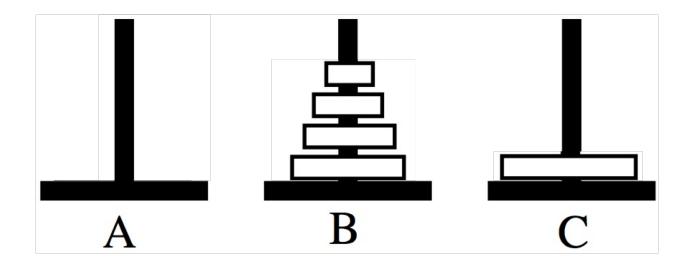
#### Rules of the game

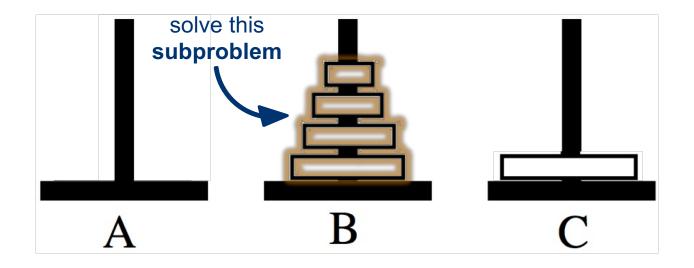
- You can only move one disk at a time
- You can only move a disk to a pole where it will be the smallest (i.e. you can't put a disk on top of a larger one)
- You can only remove the smallest disk from a pole (i.e. you can't lift up the stack to get a larger disk from below)

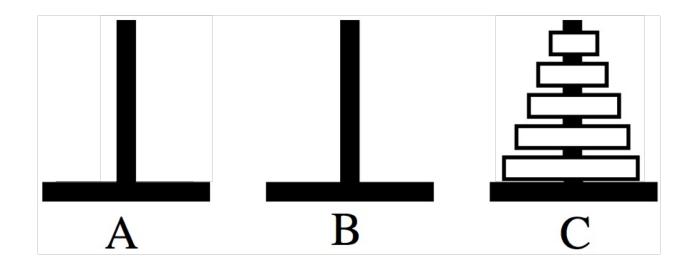


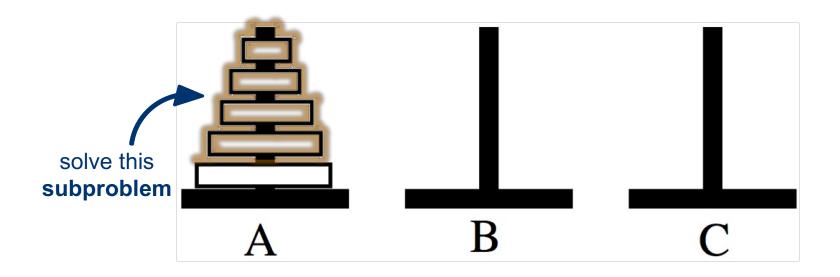


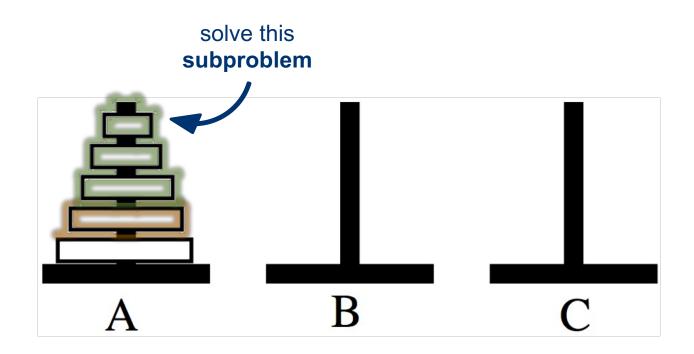


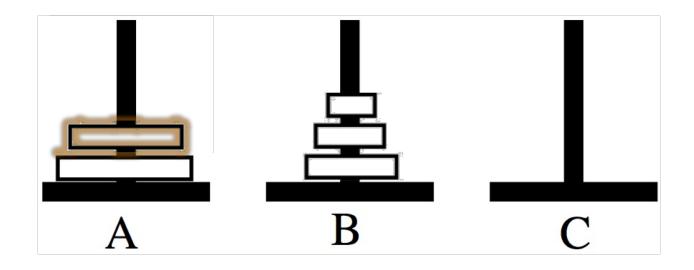


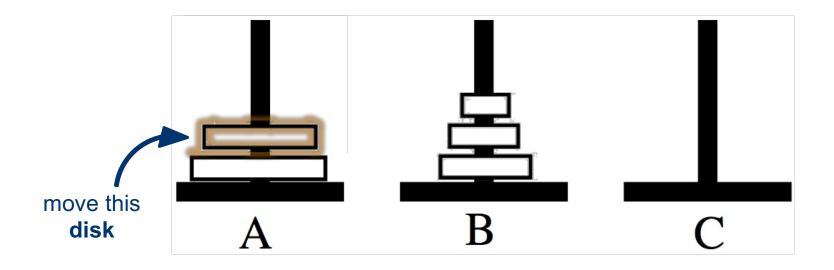


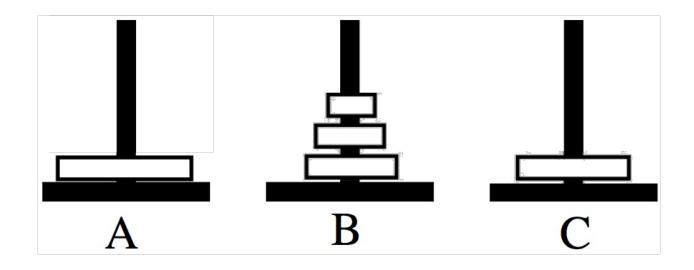


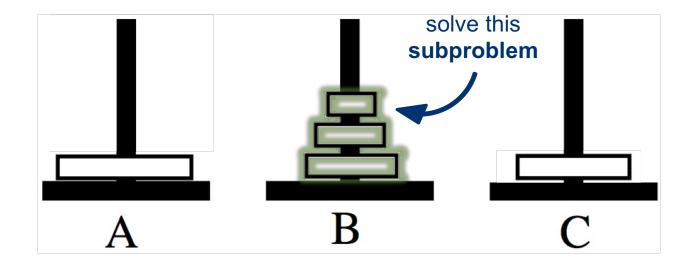


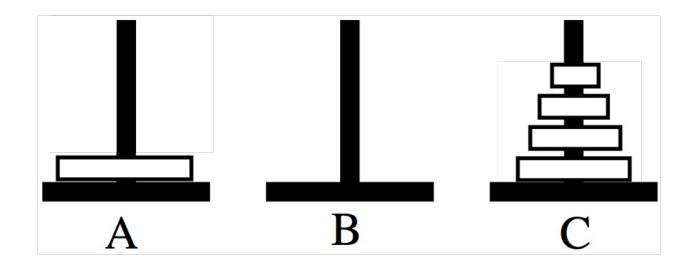












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