

## Objectives

Algorithm Approach: Divide and Conquer

- Recurrence Review
- Integer Multiplication
- Matrix Multiplication

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## Review: Counting Inversions

Recurrence Relation:

$$T(n) \leq T(n/2) + T(n/2) + O(n)$$

$$\rightarrow T(n) \in O(n \log n)$$

Sort-and-Count(L)

if list L has one element  
return 0 and the list L

Divide the list into two halves A and B

$(r_A, A) \leftarrow \text{Sort-and-Count}(A)$   $T(n/2)$

$(r_B, B) \leftarrow \text{Sort-and-Count}(B)$   $T(n/2)$

$(r, L) \leftarrow \text{Merge-and-Count}(A, B)$   $O(n)$

return  $r = r_A + r_B + r$  and the sorted list L

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## Review: Closest Pair Algorithm

Closest-Pair( $p_1, \dots, p_n$ )

Compute separation line L such that half the points are on one side and half on the other side.  $O(n \log n)$

$\delta_1 = \text{Closest-Pair}(\text{left half})$   $2T(n/2)$

$\delta_2 = \text{Closest-Pair}(\text{right half})$

$\delta = \min(\delta_1, \delta_2)$

Delete all points further than  $\delta$  from separation line L  $O(n)$

Sort remaining points by y-coordinate.  $O(n \log n)$

Scan points in y-order and compare distance between each point and next 7 neighbors. If any of these distances is less than  $\delta$ , update  $\delta$ .  $O(n)$

return  $\delta$

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(n \log n)$$

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## Know Your Recurrence Relations

What algorithm has this recurrence relation?

What is that algorithm's running time?

Recurrence	Algorithm	Running Time
$T(n) = T(n/2) + O(1)$		
$T(n) = T(n-1) + O(1)$		
$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(1)$		
$T(n) = T(n-1) + O(n)$		
$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(n)$	Merge Sort	$O(n \log n)$

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$T(n) = T(n/2) + O(1)$	Binary Search	$O(\log n)$
$T(n) = T(n-1) + O(1)$	Sequential/ Linear Search	$O(n)$
$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(1)$	Binary Tree Traversal	$O(n)$
$T(n) = T(n-1) + O(n)$	Selection Sort	$O(n^2)$
$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(n)$	Merge Sort	$O(n \log n)$

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## INTEGER MULTIPLICATION

## Integer Arithmetic

**Add.** Given two n-digit integers a and b, compute  $a + b$ .

- Algorithm?
- Runtime?

```

  1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1
+ 1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1
+ 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1
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  1 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0

```

$O(n)$  operations

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## Integer Arithmetic

**Multiply.** Given two n-digit integers a and b, compute  $a \times b$

- Algorithm?
- Runtime?

```

  1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1
* 0 1 1 1 1 0 1
-----

```

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## Integer Arithmetic

**Multiply.** Given two n-digit integers a and b, compute  $a \times b$ .

- Brute force solution:  $\Theta(n^2)$  bit operations

Goal: Faster algorithm

```

      1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1
    * 0 1 1 1 1 0 1
    -----
      1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1
     0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
    1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0
   1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0
  1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0
 1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0
0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
-----
0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0

```

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## Divide-and-Conquer Multiplication: Warmup

To multiply two n-digit integers:

- Multiply four  $\frac{1}{2}$  n-digit integers
- Add two  $\frac{1}{2}$  n-digit integers and shift to obtain result

Higher order bits      Lower order bits

Shift

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= 2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0 \\
 y &= 2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0 \\
 xy &= (2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0)(2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0) = 2^n \cdot x_1 y_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot (x_1 y_0 + x_0 y_1) + x_0 y_0
 \end{aligned}$$

A      B      C      D

What is the recurrence relation?

- How many subproblems?
- What is merge cost?
- What is its runtime?

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$$T(n) = 4T(n/2) + \Theta(n) \Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

↑ recursive calls      add, shift

assumes n is a power of 2

Not an improvement over brute force

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## Karatsuba Multiplication

To multiply two n-digit integers:

- Add two  $\frac{1}{2}$  n-digit integers
- Multiply 3  $\frac{1}{2}$  n-digit integers
- Add, subtract, and shift  $\frac{1}{2}$  n-digit integers to obtain result

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= 2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0 \\
 y &= 2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0 \\
 xy &= 2^n \cdot x_1 y_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot (x_1 y_0 + x_0 y_1) + x_0 y_0 \\
 &= 2^n \cdot x_1 y_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot ((x_1 + x_0)(y_1 + y_0) - x_1 y_1 - x_0 y_0) + x_0 y_0
 \end{aligned}$$

A      B      C      C      C

What is the recurrence relation? Runtime?

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## Karatsuba Multiplication

**Theorem.** [Karatsuba-Ofman, 1962] Can multiply two  $n$ -digit integers in  $O(n^{1.585})$  bit operations

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0 \\ y &= 2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0 \\ xy &= 2^n \cdot x_1 y_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot (x_1 y_0 + x_0 y_1) + x_0 y_0 \\ &= 2^n \cdot x_1 y_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot \underbrace{(x_1 + x_0)(y_1 + y_0)}_{\text{A}} - \underbrace{x_1 y_1}_{\text{B}} - \underbrace{x_0 y_0}_{\text{C}} + x_0 y_0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &\leq T(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + T(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + T(\lceil 1 + \lfloor n/2 \rfloor \rceil) + \underbrace{\Theta(n)}_{\text{add, subtract, shift}} \\ &\Rightarrow T(n) = O(n^{\log_2 3}) = O(n^{1.585}) \end{aligned}$$

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## MATRIX MULTIPLICATION

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## Matrix Multiplication

Given two  $n$ -by- $n$  matrices  $A$  and  $B$ , compute  $C = AB$

$$c_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik} b_{kj}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & \dots & c_{1n} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & \dots & c_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{n1} & c_{n2} & \dots & c_{nn} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \dots & b_{1n} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \dots & b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_{n1} & b_{n2} & \dots & b_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Example:  $c_{12} = a_{11} b_{12} + a_{12} b_{22} + a_{13} b_{32} + \dots + a_{1n} b_{n2}$

**Brute force.**  $\Theta(n^3)$  arithmetic operations

**Fundamental question:** Can we improve upon brute force?

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## Matrix Multiplication: Warmup

**Divide:** partition  $A$  and  $B$  into  $\frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$  blocks

**Conquer:** multiply  $8 \frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$  recursively

**Combine:** add appropriate products using 4 matrix additions

$$\begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_{11} &= (A_{11} \times B_{11}) + (A_{12} \times B_{21}) \\ C_{12} &= (A_{11} \times B_{12}) + (A_{12} \times B_{22}) \\ C_{21} &= (A_{21} \times B_{11}) + (A_{22} \times B_{21}) \\ C_{22} &= (A_{21} \times B_{12}) + (A_{22} \times B_{22}) \end{aligned}$$

Recurrence relation? Runtime?

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$$T(n) = 8T(n/2) + \underbrace{\Theta(n^2)}_{\text{add, form submatrices}} \Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^3)$$

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## Matrix Multiplication: Key Idea

Multiply 2-by-2 block matrices with only **7** multiplications and **15** additions

- Trading expensive multiplication for less expensive addition/subtraction

$$\begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_1 &= A_{11} \times (B_{12} - B_{22}) \\ P_2 &= (A_{11} + A_{12}) \times B_{22} \\ P_3 &= (A_{21} + A_{22}) \times B_{11} \\ P_4 &= A_{22} \times (B_{21} - B_{11}) \\ P_5 &= (A_{11} + A_{22}) \times (B_{11} + B_{22}) \\ P_6 &= (A_{12} - A_{22}) \times (B_{21} + B_{22}) \\ P_7 &= (A_{11} - A_{21}) \times (B_{11} + B_{12}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_{11} &= P_3 + P_5 - P_2 + P_6 \\ C_{12} &= P_1 + P_2 \\ C_{21} &= P_3 + P_4 \\ C_{22} &= P_3 + P_1 - P_3 - P_7 \end{aligned}$$

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## Fast Matrix Multiplication [Strassen, 1969]

**Divide:** partition A and B into  $\frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$  blocks

**Compute:** 14  $\frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$  matrices via 10 matrix additions

**Conquer:** multiply 7  $\frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$  matrices recursively

**Combine:** 7 products into 4 terms using 8 matrix additions

**Analysis.**

$$T(n) = \underbrace{7T(n/2)}_{\text{recursive calls}} + \underbrace{\Theta(n^2)}_{\text{add, subtract}} \Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 7}) = O(n^{2.81})$$

- Assume  $n$  is a power of 2.
- $T(n)$  = # arithmetic operations.

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## Fast Matrix Multiplication in Practice

Implementation issues.

- Sparsity
- Caching effects
- Numerical stability
  - theoretically correct but possible problems with round off errors, etc
- Odd matrix dimensions
- Crossover to classical algorithm around  $n = 128$

**Common misperception:** "Strassen is only a theoretical curiosity."

- Advanced Computation Group at Apple Computer reports 8x speedup on G4 Velocity Engine when  $n \sim 2,500$
- Range of instances where it's useful is a subject of controversy

**Remark.** Can "Strassenize"  $Ax=b$ , determinant, eigenvalues, and other matrix ops

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## Fast Matrix Multiplication in Theory

Q. Multiply two 2-by-2 matrices with only 7 scalar multiplications?

A. **Yes!** [Strassen, 1969]  $\Theta(n^{\log_2 7}) = O(n^{2.81})$

Q. Multiply two 2-by-2 matrices with only 6 scalar multiplications?

A. **Impossible** [Hopcroft and Kerr, 1971]  $\Theta(n^{\log_2 5}) = O(n^{2.59})$

Q. Two 3-by-3 matrices with only 21 scalar multiplications?

A. **Also impossible**  $\Theta(n^{\log_3 21}) = O(n^{2.77})$

Q. Two 70-by-70 matrices with only 143,640 scalar multiplications?

A. **Yes!** [Pan, 1980]  $\Theta(n^{\log_{70} 143640}) = O(n^{2.80})$

**Decimal wars.**

- December, 1979:  $O(n^{2.521813})$
- January, 1980:  $O(n^{2.521801})$

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## Fast Matrix Multiplication in Theory

**Best known.**  $O(n^{2.376})$  [Coppersmith-Winograd, 1987.]

- But **really** large constant

**Conjecture.**  $O(n^{2+\epsilon})$  for any  $\epsilon > 0$ .

**Caveat.** Theoretical improvements to Strassen are progressively less practical.

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## MIDTERM FEEDBACK

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## Problem 1

$O$  is an *upperbound*

- Defn:** Bounded by a constant

"at least" an upperbound doesn't make sense

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## Problem 2

$$F_6 = \log n$$

$$F_7 = n^{1/2}$$

$$F_4 = n \log n$$

$$F_5 = n^3$$

$$F_1 = 2^n = 2 * 2 * \dots * 2 \quad \text{ } n \text{ times}$$

$$F_3 = n! = n * n-1 * n-2 * \dots * 1$$

$$F_2 = 2^{2^n} = 2^{n+(2^{n-1})} = 2 * 2 * \dots * 2 \quad \text{ } 2^n \text{ times}$$

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## Problem 3

Creating the graph:  $O(n^2)$

Need representation/  
implementation, costs,  
runtimes

- Adjacency matrix
- For each node, keep count of number of red edges, blue edges
  - Saves time later

Removing invalid nodes (nodes w/ less than 5 red or blue edges):  $O(n^2)$

- When removing node, remove its edges  $O(n)$ 
  - Decrease the connected node's red or blue count
- A node will never become valid after invalid nodes are removed

Remaining graph's nodes represent people to invite  
 $O(n^2)$ : *Efficient* algorithm because *polynomial* time

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## Problem 4

Algorithm: Shortest Job First  $O(n \log n)$

- Sort jobs in order of increasing wait time
- Wait on customers in this order

Prove that algorithm is optimal

- Similar to minimizing lateness problem
- What happens if two customers are *inverted*?
  - All previous  $k$  customers have same wait time ( $W$ )
  - Inversion: Customer  $k+1$  and  $k+2$  have service times  $t_{k+1} < t_{k+2}$  but  $k+2$  is served first
  - SJF:  $W + t_{k+1}$  ; Other:  $W + t_{k+2} \rightarrow \text{SJF} < \text{Other}$
  - Inversions  $\rightarrow$  increase wait time

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## Plan for the Week

Chapter 6: Dynamic programming

- More powerful technique

Friday: Problem set due

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