

CS3000: Algorithms & Data

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Lecture 6:

- Master Theorem for Recurrences
- Integer Multiplication
- Divide and Conquer Example – Similar to HW

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$$T(n) = aT\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) + cn^d$$

Solving Recurrences:
“The Master Theorem”

The "Master Theorem"

- Generic divide-and-conquer algorithm:

- Split into a pieces of size $\frac{n}{b}$ and merge in time $O(n^d)$

- Recipe for recurrences of the form:

- $T(n) = a \cdot T(n/b) + Cn^d$

- Three cases:

- $\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right) > 1$: $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$ — cost dominated by base cases (pay polynomial factor)

- $\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right) = 1$: $T(n) = \Theta(n^d \log n)$ — only pay log factor

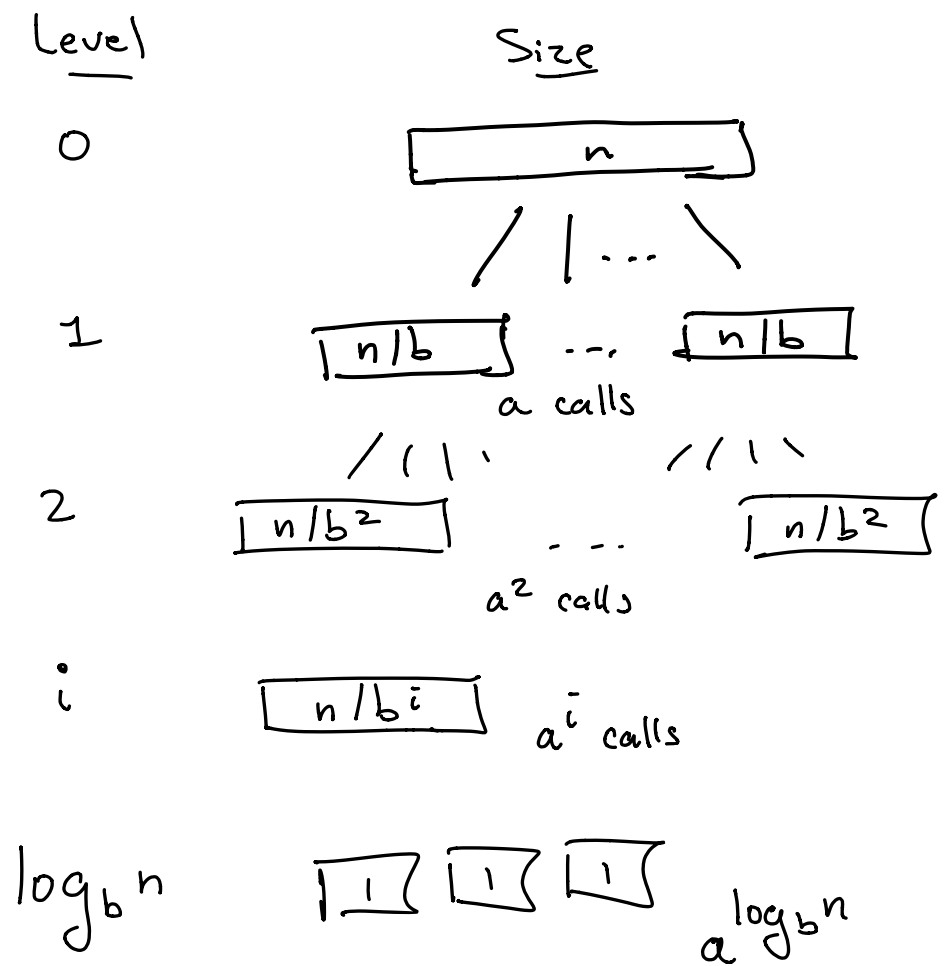
- $\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right) < 1$: $T(n) = \Theta(n^d)$ — cost dominated by merge

not run in parallel

Recursion Tree

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + n^d$$

$$S = \sum_{i=0}^{\ell} r^i = \frac{r^{\ell+1} - 1}{r - 1}$$



Work spent merging
n^d

$$a \times \left(\frac{n}{b}\right)^d = \left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right) \cdot n^d$$

$$a^2 \times \left(\frac{n}{b^2}\right)^d = \left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^2 \cdot n^d$$

$$\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^i \cdot n^d$$

$$a^{\log_b n} = \left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^{\log_b n} \cdot n^d$$

Total work

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\log_b n} \left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^i n^d$$

geometric series

Recursion Tree

- $T(n) = aT(n/b) + n^d$
- $\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right) > 1$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\log_b n} \left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^i n^d = n^d \frac{\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^{\log_b n + 1} - 1}{\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right) - 1} = \Theta\left(\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^{\log_b n} \cdot n^d\right)$$

apply geometric summation

$$= \Theta\left(n^{\log_b a - d} \cdot n^d\right) = \Theta\left(n^{\log_b a}\right)$$

Fact:
 $x^{\log_b n} = n^{\log_b x}$
 Why?

$$x^{\log_b n} = b^{\log_b(x^{\log_b n})} = b^{\log_b n \log_b x} = (b^{\log_b n})^{\log_b x} = n^{\log_b x}$$

most expensive level of recursion tree is the last

Use $\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^{\log_b n} = n^{\log_b\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)} = n^{\log_b a - d}$

$$T(n) = \Theta\left(n^{\log_b a}\right)$$

Recursion Tree

- $T(n) = aT(n/b) + n^d$
- $\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right) = 1$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\log_b n} \left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^i n^d = \sum_{i=0}^{\log_b n} n^d = \Theta(\log_b n \cdot n^d)$$
$$= \Theta(n^d \log_b n)$$

all levels
of tree are
equally expensive

Recursion Tree

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apply

geometric summation

because $\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right) < 1$,

$\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right)^{\log_b n} \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$

expensive part is
at the 0^{th} level
of recursion tree

Practice

- Use the Master Theorem to Solve:

- $T(n) = 16 \cdot T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + n^2$

- $T(n) = 21 \cdot T\left(\frac{n}{5}\right) + n^2$

- $T(n) = 2 \cdot T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 1$

- $T(n) = 1 \cdot T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 1$

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- $\left(\frac{a}{b^d}\right) < 1 : T(n) = \Theta(n^d)$

Integer Multiplication: Karatsuba's Algorithm

Activity: Arithmetic Algorithms

What is the time complexity of the grade school algorithm for the following?

- Given n -digit numbers x, y output $x + y$

$$\begin{array}{r} \\ \\ + \\ \hline = \\ \end{array}$$

$\Theta(n)$

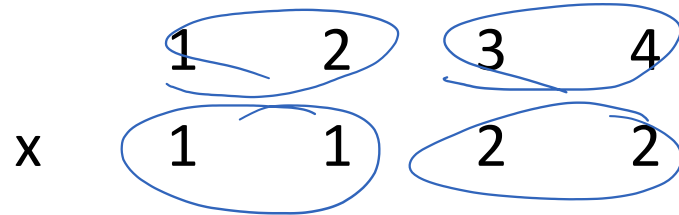
n additions
of #'s w/ at most
 $2n$ digits

- Given n -digit numbers x, y output $x \cdot y$

$$\begin{array}{r} \\ \\ x \\ \hline = \\ \\ + \\ + \\ + \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$\Theta(n^2)$

Divide and Conquer Multiplication



$$x = 10^2 \cdot 12 + 34$$

$$y = 10^2 \cdot 11 + 22$$



$$x = 10^{n/2}a + b$$

$$y = 10^{n/2}c + d$$

Divide and Conquer Multiplication

	a	b
x	c	d

$$x = 10^{n/2}a + b$$

$$y = 10^{n/2}c + d$$

$$x \cdot y = (10^{n/2}a + b)(10^{n/2}c + d)$$

$$= 10^n ac + 10^{n/2}(ad + bc) + bd$$

- Four $n/2$ -digit mults, three n -digit adds
 - Multiplying by 10^n is "free" because it's a shift

Recurrence: $T(n) = 4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 3n$

Total cost of algorithm

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$$T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 4})$$

$$= \Theta(n^2)$$

$$\frac{a}{b^d} = \frac{4}{2} = 2$$

Is this good or bad?
Why? **BAD**

Why did mergesort beat insertion sort but this did not beat naive multiplication?

Karatsuba's Algorithm



$$x = 10^{n/2}a + b$$

$$y = 10^{n/2}c + d$$

$$x \cdot y = 10^n ac + 10^{n/2}(ad + bc) + bd$$

- Key Identity

- $(b - a)(c - d) = ad + bc - ac - bd$

- Only three $n/2$ -digit mults (plus some adds)!

$$\begin{array}{l} ac \\ bd \\ (b-a)(c-d) \end{array}$$

Additions we do are

$$\begin{array}{l} b-a \\ c-d \end{array}$$

$$\text{for } (b-a)(c-d) + ac + bd$$

Karatsuba's Algorithm

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Karatsuba(x, y, n):  
  If (n = 1): Return x · y           // Base Case  
  
  Let m ← ⌊n/2⌋                       // Split  
  Write x = 10ma + b, y = 10mc + d  
  
  Let e ← Karatsuba(a, c, m)           // Recurse  
  f ← Karatsuba(b, d, m)               // Recurse  
  g ← Karatsuba(b-a, c-d, m)          // Recurse  
  
  Return 102me + 10m(e + f + g) + f  // Merge
```

- **Claim:** The algorithm **Karatsuba** is correct

Proof by induction

① Base case. Trivial. $n=1$

② General case.

Assume $H(1), H(2), \dots, H(n-1)$
are true

We prove $H(n)$

By ind Hyp, $e = ac$
 $f = bd$

$g = (b-a)(c-d)$

Returns

$10^{2m}ac + 10^m(e + f + g) + bd$

$x \cdot y = 10^{2m}ac + 10^m(ac + bd + bc - bd - ac + ad) + bd$

Running Time of Karatsuba

Karatsuba (x, y, n) :

If (n = 1) : Return x · y

Let m ← [n/2]

Write x = 10^ma + b, y = 10^mc + d

Let e ← Karatsuba (a, c, m)

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Return 10^{2m}e + 10^m(e + f + g) + f

$T(n)$

$O(n)$

$T(n/2)$

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$O(n)$

$$T(n) = \underbrace{3}_a T\left(\underbrace{\frac{n}{2}}_b\right) + cn^d$$

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$$a = 3$$

$$b = 2$$

$$d = 1$$

$$T(n) = \Theta\left(n^{\log_2 3}\right)$$

$$\frac{a}{b^d} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$= \Theta\left(n^{\log_2 3}\right)$$

$$\approx \Theta\left(n^{1.58}\right)$$

Karatsuba Wrapup

- Multiply n digit numbers in $O(n^{1.59})$ time
 - Improves over naïve $O(n^2)$ time algorithm
 - **Fast Fourier Transform:** multiply in $\approx O(n \log n)$ time
- Divide-and-conquer approach
 - Uses a clever algebraic trick to split
 - **Key Fact:** adding is faster than multiplying
- Prove correctness via induction ~~or the~~
- Analyze running time via recursion tree & Master Thm
 - $T(n) = 3T(n/2) + Cn$

Practice Problem:
Maximum Sum Subarray Problem

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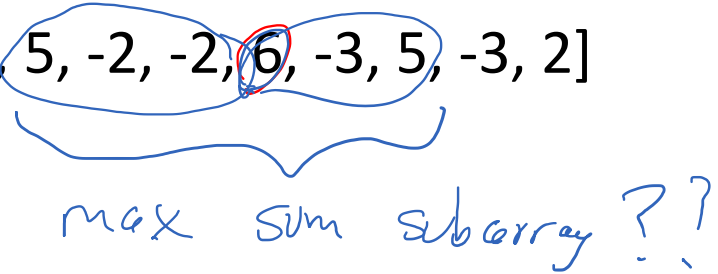
- **Input:** Array $A[1:n]$ of integers
- **Problem:** Find a subarray $A[i:j]$ with the largest possible sum
- **Example:** $A = [3, -4, 5, -2, -2, 6, -3, 5, -3, 2]$
- **Task:** Devise a divide and conquer algorithm to solve this problem. Consider an algorithm that divides A into two halves.

Discuss w/ neighbors. What is a reasonable place to start attacking this problem.
Find 3 things

- Finding an approach you need to beat
 - Study a smaller instance and try to solve it in your head
 - Consider special cases (eg pos/neg entries)
- Do you understand problem/vocabulary

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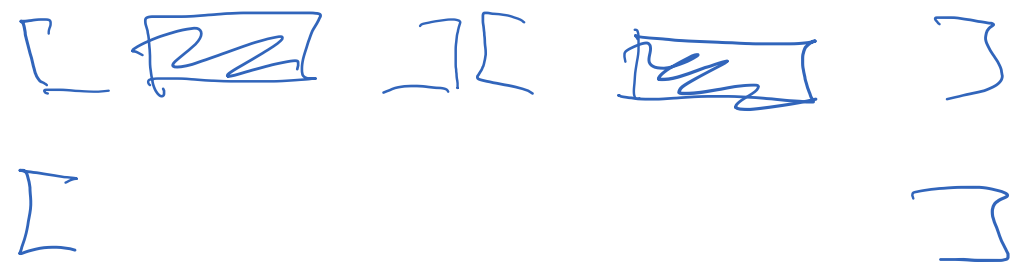


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What do I need to show to get divide + conquer to work?

Base case

If you've solved smaller problems, how do you combine them efficiently



difficulty: combining is hard b/c the max sum subarray may not live in either half alone

