

# CS140: Algorithms

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## Algorithm Design Techniques

- Induction (Self-Reduction)
  - Divide and Conquer
  - **Dynamic Programming**

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## Outline

- **Longest Common Subsequence**
  - Inductive Approach
  - Dynamic Programming
  - Backtracking
- Matrix Chain Multiplication

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## Longest Common Subsequence

- Input: Two sequences (lists) of integers  
 $\mathbf{X} = x_1, x_2, \dots, x_j$  and  $\mathbf{Y} = y_1, y_2, \dots, y_m$
- Output: A longest subsequence of X that is also a subsequence of Y

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## LCS - Example

- Input:  $\mathbf{X} = 1, -2, 3, 4, 9, 18$   
 $\mathbf{Y} = 3, 9, 1, -2, 5, -2, 22, 18$
- Output:  $\mathbf{Z} = 1, -2, 18$

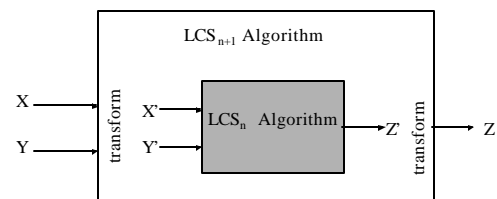
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## $\text{LCS}_{n+1}$ Algorithm

Finds LCS of sequences with  $n+1$  or fewer elements (total)



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## Easy cases: X or Y is empty

- $\text{LCS}(\Phi, Y[1\dots m]) =$
- $\text{LCS}(X[1\dots j], \Phi) =$

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## Harder case

(Assume  $j > 0, m > 0$ )

$\mathbf{X} = x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{j-1}, x_j$   $\mathbf{Y} = y_1, y_2, \dots, y_{m-1}, y_m$

1.  $x_i = y_m$ :
2.  $x_i \neq y_m$ :

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## Run Time

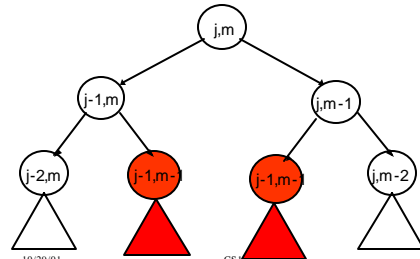
$$\begin{aligned} T(j, m) &= \max(T(j-1, m) + T(j, m-1), T(m-1, n-1)) + c \\ &\geq 2T(j-1, m-1) + c \\ &= \Omega(2^{\min(j, m)}) \end{aligned}$$

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## Run Time Analysis Many duplicated subtrees

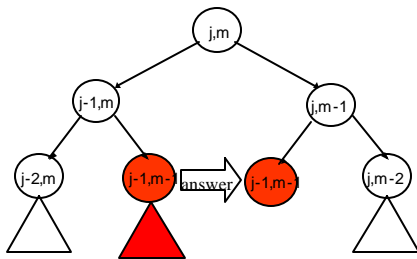


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## Dynamic Programming Don't Recalculate



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## Dynamic Programming

- $A(i, k)$  is the length of a longest common subsequence of  $X[1\dots i]$  and  $Y[1\dots k]$
- $A(i, 0) = A(0, k) = 0$   $0 \leq i \leq j$  and  $0 \leq k \leq m$
- $A(i, k)$  = maximum of  $A(i-1, k)$ ,  $A(i, k-1)$ , and  $A(j-1, k-1) + \text{match}(x_i, y_k)$
- $A(j, m)$  is the length of a longest common subsequence of  $X$  and  $Y$

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|    |   |        |    |   |   |   |    |
|----|---|--------|----|---|---|---|----|
|    |   | A(i,k) |    |   |   |   |    |
|    |   | 1      | -2 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 18 |
|    | 0 | 0      | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0  |
| 3  | 0 | 0      | 0  | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1  |
| 9  | 0 | 0      | 0  | 1 | 1 |   |    |
| 1  | 0 |        |    |   |   |   |    |
| -2 | 0 |        |    |   |   |   |    |
| 18 | 0 |        |    |   |   |   |    |

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|    |   |        |    |   |   |   |    |
|----|---|--------|----|---|---|---|----|
|    |   | A(i,j) |    |   |   |   |    |
|    |   | 1      | -2 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 18 |
|    | 0 | 0      | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0  |
| 3  | 0 | 0      | 0  | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1  |
| 9  | 0 | 0      | 0  | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2  |
| 1  | 0 | 1      | 1  | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2  |
| -2 | 0 | 1      | 2  | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2  |
| 5  | 0 | 1      | 2  | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2  |
| 18 | 0 | 1      | 2  | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3  |

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## LCS - Algorithm

$LCS(X=x_1, x_2, \dots, x_j; Y=y_1, y_2, \dots, y_m)$   
 For  $i=0$  to  $j$ :  $A(i,0)=0$   
 For  $i=0$  to  $m$ :  $A(0,i)=0$   
 For  $i=1$  to  $j$   
   For  $k=1$  to  $m$   
     If  $x_i=y_k$  then  $match=1$  else  $match=0$   
      $A(i,k) = \max(A(i-1,k), A(i,k-1), A(i-1,k-1)+match)$   
 Return  $A(j,m)$

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## Run Time Analysis

- Number of table entries:
- Time to compute one entry:
- Run time:

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## Backtracking

|    |   |   |    |   |   |   |    |
|----|---|---|----|---|---|---|----|
|    |   | 1 | -2 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 18 |
|    | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0  |
| 3  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1  |
| 9  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2  |
| 1  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2  |
| -2 | 0 | 1 | 2  | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2  |
| 18 | 0 | 1 | 2  | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3  |

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## Matrix Chain Multiplication

- A is an  $n \times m$  matrix
- B is an  $m \times k$  matrix
- How many scalar multiplications are needed to compute AB?

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## Matrix Chain Multiplication

- A is a  $2 \times 5$  matrix
- B is a  $5 \times 1000$  matrix
- C is a  $1000 \times 2$  matrix.
- How many scalar multiplications are needed to compute ABC?
  - (AB)C
  - A(BC)

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## Matrix Chain Multiplication

- Input: A list of  $n+1$  integers  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_{n+1}$
- Output: The minimum number of scalar multiplications needed to compute  $\prod_{i=1 \dots n} A_i$  where  $A_i$  is a  $p_i \times p_{i+1}$  matrix.

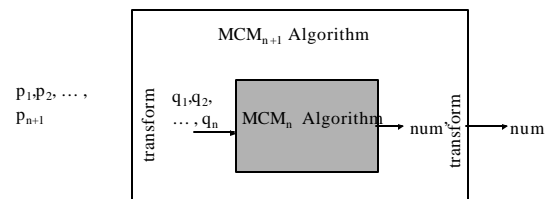
(Assume a standard matrix multiplication procedure is used; i.e. no Strassen-like improvements.)

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## MCM<sub>n+1</sub> Algorithm



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## Inductive Approach

- Consider an input:  $p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, p_5, p_6$
- Imagine an optimal solution: 10773

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## Inductive Approach

- Consider an input:  $p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, p_5, p_6$
- Imagine an optimal way of multiplying matrices  $A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4, A_5$ :

$$(A_1(A_2A_3))(A_4A_5)$$

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## Inductive Approach

- There is some last multiplication

$$(A_1(A_2A_3)) \mid (A_4A_5)$$

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## Inductive Approach cont.

- There is some last multiplication

$$(A_1(A_2A_3)) \mid (A_4A_5)$$

- So  $\text{OPT}(A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4, A_5) = \text{OPT}(A_1, A_2, A_3) + \text{OPT}(A_4, A_5) + p_1 p_4 p_5$

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## Inductive Approach

- We don't know where the top split occurs ... but clearly  $\text{OPT}(A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4, A_5) =$

$$\min_{0 < k < 5} \text{OPT}(A_1, \dots, A_k) + \text{OPT}(A_{k+1}, \dots, A_5) + p_1 p_{k+1} p_5$$

- where  $\text{OPT}(A) = 0$

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## Running Time

- $T(n) = \sum_{0 < k < n} T(k) + T(n-k) + c$   
 $\geq 2T(n-1) + c$   
 $= \Omega(2^n)$

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## Dynamic Programming

- Use a table to store results
- What kind of results?
  - $M(k, j)$  = Minimum number of multiplications to compute  $\Pi_{i=k} \dots j A_i$

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## $M(k, j)$ for $k \leq j$

|   | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 2 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 3 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 4 |   |   |   |   |   |
| 5 |   |   |   |   |   |

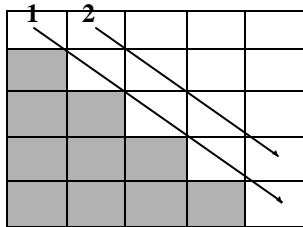
$M(3, 5)$  needs:  
 $M(3, 3), M(4, 5),$   
 $M(3, 4), M(5, 5)$

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$M(k,j)$  needs  $M(i,m)$   
where  $m-i < j-k$



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$M(k,j)$  needs  $M(i,m)$   
where  $m-i < j-k$

|   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 |   |   |   |   |
|   | 0 |   |   |   |
|   |   | 0 |   |   |
|   |   |   | 0 |   |
|   |   |   |   | 0 |

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## Dynamic Programming Algorithm

$M(k,k)=0$

For  $j,k$  such that  $j-k = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$

$M(k,j) = \min_{i=k \dots j-1} M(k,i) + M(i+1,j) + p_k p_{i+1} p_j$

Return  $M(1,n)$

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Input: 2,3,1,5,4,8  
( $A_1$  is 2x3,  $A_2$  is 3x1, ...)

|   |   |    |    |     |
|---|---|----|----|-----|
| 0 | 6 |    |    |     |
|   | 0 | 15 |    |     |
|   |   | 0  | 20 |     |
|   |   |    | 0  | 160 |
|   |   |    |    | 0   |

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## MCM Algorithm

- Recursive Algorithm takes exponential time.
- Dynamic Programming takes \_\_\_\_\_.

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