

* Matrix Chain Multiplication

To construct $m[i,j]$ table, the formula is -

i) For $i=1$ to n set $m[i,i] = 0$.

ii) For $i=2$ to n compute $m[i,j]$ using.

$$m[i,j] = \min \{ m[i,k] + m[k+1,j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j \}$$

with $i \leq k \leq j-1$.

Ex. Consider

Matrix	Dimension
A_1	5×4
A_2	4×6
A_3	6×2
A_4	2×7

Compute matrix chain orders.

Solⁿ: \rightarrow Here, $p_0 = 5, p_1 = 4, p_2 = 6, p_3 = 2, p_4 = 7$

for all $i, 1 \leq i \leq n$,

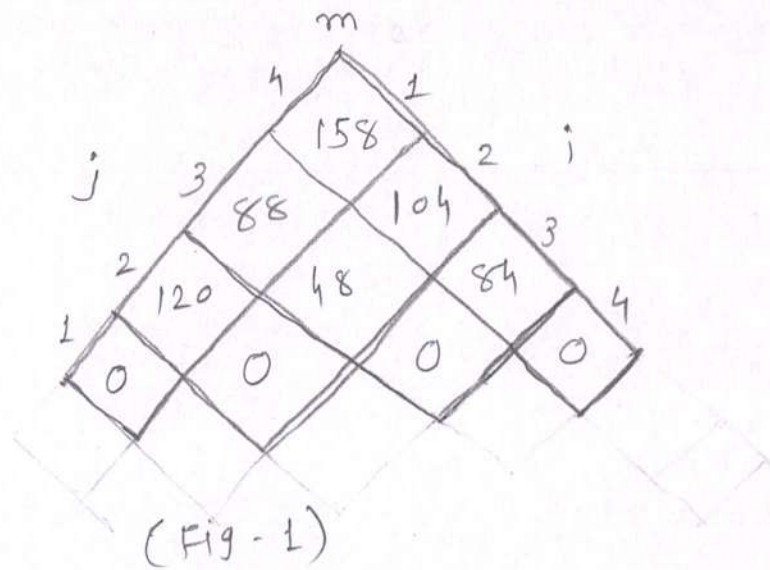
$$m[i,i] = 0.$$

$$\text{Hence } m[1,1] = 0$$

$$m[2,2] = 0$$

$$m[3,3] = 0$$

$$m[4,4] = 0$$



Now, we will fill up the table horizontally from left to right, assuming $i \leq k \leq j-1$.

Let $i=1, j=2, k=1$.

$\Rightarrow m[1,2]$ Here $i=1, j=2, k=1$.

$$\begin{aligned} m[1,2] &= m[i,k] + m[k+1,j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j \\ &= m[1,1] + m[2,2] + p_0p_1p_2 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 5 \times 4 \times 6. \end{aligned}$$

$m[1,2] = 120$ When $k=1$.

$\Rightarrow m[2,3]$ Here, $i=2, j=3, k=2$

$$\begin{aligned} m[2,3] &= m[i,k] + m[k+1,j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j \\ &= m[2,2] + m[3,3] + p_1p_2p_3 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 4 \times 5 \times 2 \end{aligned}$$

$m[2,3] = 48$ When $k=2$

$\Rightarrow m[3,4]$ Here, $i=3, j=4, k=3$

$$\begin{aligned} m[3,4] &= m[i,k] + m[k+1,j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j \\ &= m[3,3] + m[4,4] + p_2p_3p_4 \\ &= 0 + 0 + 6 \times 2 \times 7 \end{aligned}$$

$m[3,4] = 84$ When $k=3$

$\Rightarrow m[1,3]$ Here, $i=1, j=3, k=1$ or $k=2$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 m[1,3] &= \min \{ m[i,k] + m[k+1,j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j \} \\
 &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &(m[1,1] + m[2,3] + p_0p_1p_3), \rightarrow k=1. \\ &(m[1,2] + m[3,3] + p_0p_2p_3), \rightarrow k=2. \end{aligned} \right. \\
 &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &(0 + 48 + 5 \times 4 \times 2) \\ &(120 + 0 + 5 \times 6 \times 2) \end{aligned} \right. \\
 &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &48 + 40 \\ &120 + 60 \end{aligned} \right. \\
 &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &88 \quad \text{when } k=1 \\ &180 \quad \text{when } k=2 \end{aligned} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{m[1,3] = 88} \quad \text{when } k=1.$$

$\Rightarrow m[2,4]$ Here, $i=2, j=4, k=2$ or $k=3$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 m[2,4] &= \min \{ m[i,k] + m[k+1,j] + p_{i-1}p_kp_j \} \\
 &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &(m[2,2] + m[3,4] + p_1p_2p_4), \rightarrow k=2. \\ &(m[2,3] + m[4,4] + p_1p_3p_4), \rightarrow k=3. \end{aligned} \right. \\
 &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &(0 + 84 + 4 \times 6 \times 7) \\ &(48 + 0 + 4 \times 2 \times 7) \end{aligned} \right. \\
 &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &84 + 168 \\ &48 + 56 \end{aligned} \right. \\
 &= \min \left\{ \begin{aligned} &252 \\ &104 \quad \text{when } k=3. \end{aligned} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{m[2,4] = 104} \quad \text{when } k=3$$

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$\Rightarrow m[1,4]$ Here, $i=1, j=4, k=1$ or $k=2$ or $k=3$.

$$m[1,4] = \min \{ m[i,k] + m[k+1,j] + p_{i-1} p_k p_j \}$$

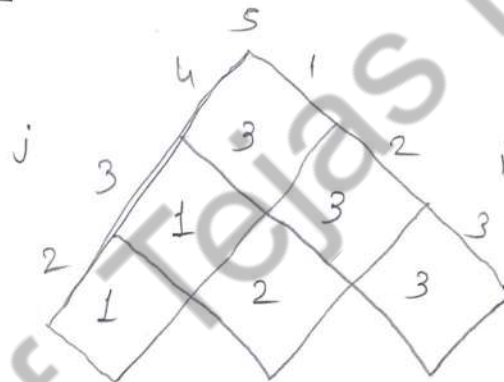
$$= \min \begin{cases} m[1,1] + m[2,4] + p_0 p_1 p_4 & \rightarrow k=1 \\ m[1,2] + m[3,4] + p_0 p_2 p_4 & \rightarrow k=2 \\ m[1,3] + m[4,4] + p_0 p_3 p_4 & \rightarrow k=3. \end{cases}$$

$$= \min \begin{cases} 0 + 104 + 5 \times 4 \times 7 \\ 120 + 84 + 5 \times 6 \times 7 \\ 88 + 0 + 5 \times 2 \times 7 \end{cases}$$

$$= \min \begin{cases} 104 + 140 \\ 204 + 210 \\ 88 + 70 \end{cases}$$

$$= \min \begin{cases} 244 \\ 414 \\ 158 \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{when } k=3.$$

$m[1,4] = 158$ when $k=3$.



(Fig - 2)

\Rightarrow Finding Optimal Parenthesization Algorithm

Algorithm Print-Optimal-Parens (S, i, j)

1. if $i == j$
2. Print "A";
3. else Print "(" // opening Bracket
4. Print-Optimal-Parens ($S, i, S[i,j]$)
5. Print-Optimal-Parens ($S, S[i,j]+1, j$)
6. Print ")" // closing Bracket.

Using above algorithm we get the matrix chain order as

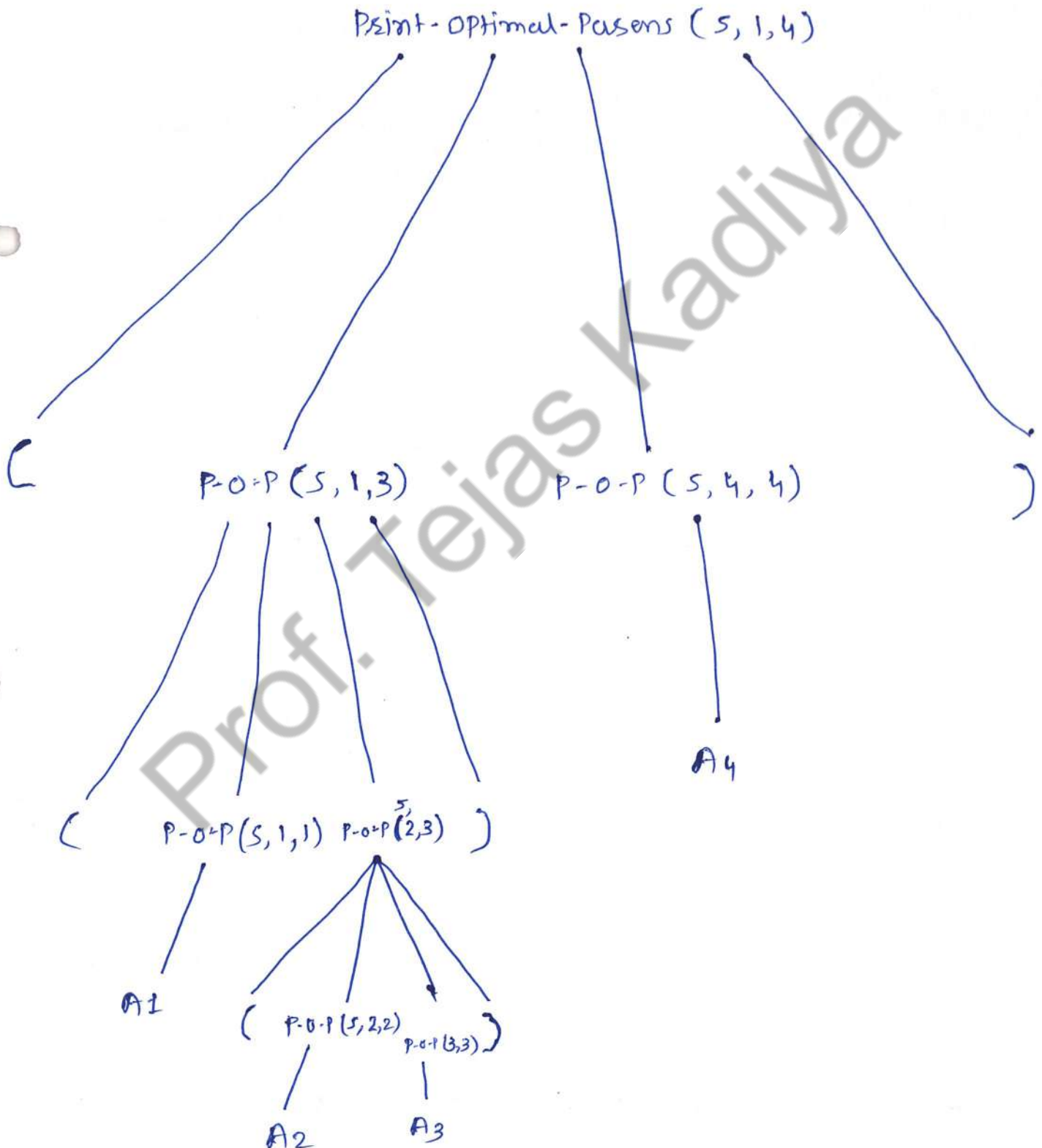
$((A_1(A_2A_3))A_4)$

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⇒ Explanation of optimal Parenthesisization Algorithm

- In figure-2 we get the K value from which we can separately differentiate the matrix chain order.

- Here, we have to start from print-Optimal-Parens (5, 1, 4) because we get the final value is $m[1, 4]$.



\Rightarrow Matrix Chain Multiplication Algorithm

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Algorithm Matrix-Chain-Order (P)

1. $n = P.length - 1$
2. let $m[1 \dots n, 1 \dots n]$ and $s[1 \dots n-1, 2 \dots n]$ be new tables
3. for $i = 1$ to n
4. $m[i, i] = 0$
5. for $len = 2$ to n // len is the chain length
6. for $i = 1$ to $n - len + 1$
7. $j = i + len - 1$.
8. $m[i, j] = \infty$
9. for $k = i$ to $j - 1$.
10. $q = m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + p_{i-1} \cdot p_k \cdot p_j$.
11. if $q < m[i, j]$
12. $m[i, j] = q$.
13. $s[i, j] = k$.
14. return m and s .