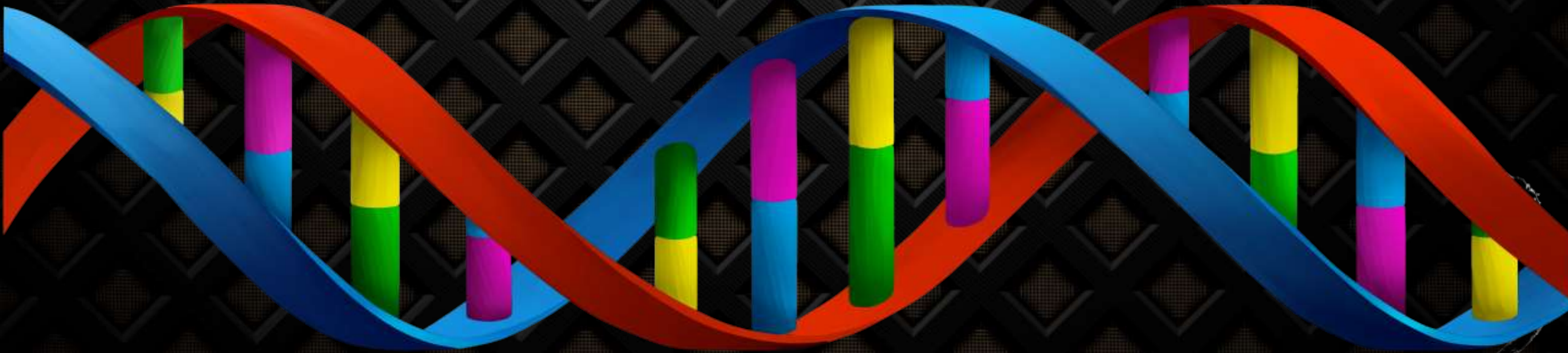




# LONGEST COMMON SUBSEQUENCE (LCS)





# LONGEST COMMON SUBSEQUENCE

What is Longest common subsequence ?

The longest common subsequence (LCS) problem is the problem of finding the longest subsequence common to all sequences in a set of sequences (often just two sequences).





# WHAT IS SUBSEQUENCES ?

Suppose you have a sequence

$$X = \langle A, B, C, D, E, F, G \rangle$$

of elements over a finite set  $S$ .

A sequence  $Y = \langle B, C, E, G \rangle$

over  $S$  is called a subsequence of  $X$  if and only if it can be obtained from  $X$  by deleting elements.



# WHAT IS COMMON SUBSEQUENCES ?

Suppose that  $X$  and  $Y$  are two sequences over a set  $S$ .

If ,  $A = \langle A, B, C, E, D, G, F, H, K \rangle$

$B = \langle A, B, D, F, H, K \rangle$

then a common subsequence of  $X$  and  $Y$  could be

$Z = \langle A, F, K \rangle$

We say that  $Z$  is a **common subsequence** of  $X$  and  $Y$  if and only if

$Z$  is a subsequence of  $X$

$Z$  is a subsequence of  $Y$



# THE LONGEST COMMON SUBSEQUENCE PROBLEM

Given two sequences  $X$  and  $Y$  over a set  $S$ , the **longest common subsequence** problem asks to find a common subsequence of  $X$  and  $Y$  that is of maximal length.





# NAÏVE SOLUTION

Let  $X$  be a sequence of length  $m$ ,  
and  $Y$  a sequence of length  $n$ .

Check for every subsequence of  $X$  whether it is a subsequence of  $Y$ , and return the longest common subsequence found.

There are  $2^m$  subsequences of  $X$ . Testing a sequence whether or not it is a subsequence of  $Y$  takes  $O(n)$  time. Thus, the naïve algorithm would take  $O(n2^m)$  time.



# FACTS OF LCS

INPUT: two strings

OUTPUT: longest common subsequence

ACTGA ACTCTGTGCACT

TGACTCAGCACAAAAC





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OUTPUT: longest common subsequence

ACTGA**ACTCTGTGCACT**

TG**ACTCAGCAC**AAAAC





# FACTS OF LCS

## Brute Force

**X= ABCBDAB**

**Y= BDCABA**

**Elements of X is  $m=7$**

**Elements of Y is  $n=6$**

**So, the complexity will calculate by  $O(n2^m)$**



# FACTS OF LCS

## Brute Force

### Strength

- ❖ Wide applicability, simplicity
- ❖ Reasonable algorithms for some important problems such as searching, string matching, and matrix multiplication
- ❖ Standard algorithms for simple computational tasks such as sum and product of  $n$  numbers, and finding maximum or minimum in a list



# FACTS OF LCS

## Brute Force

### Weakness

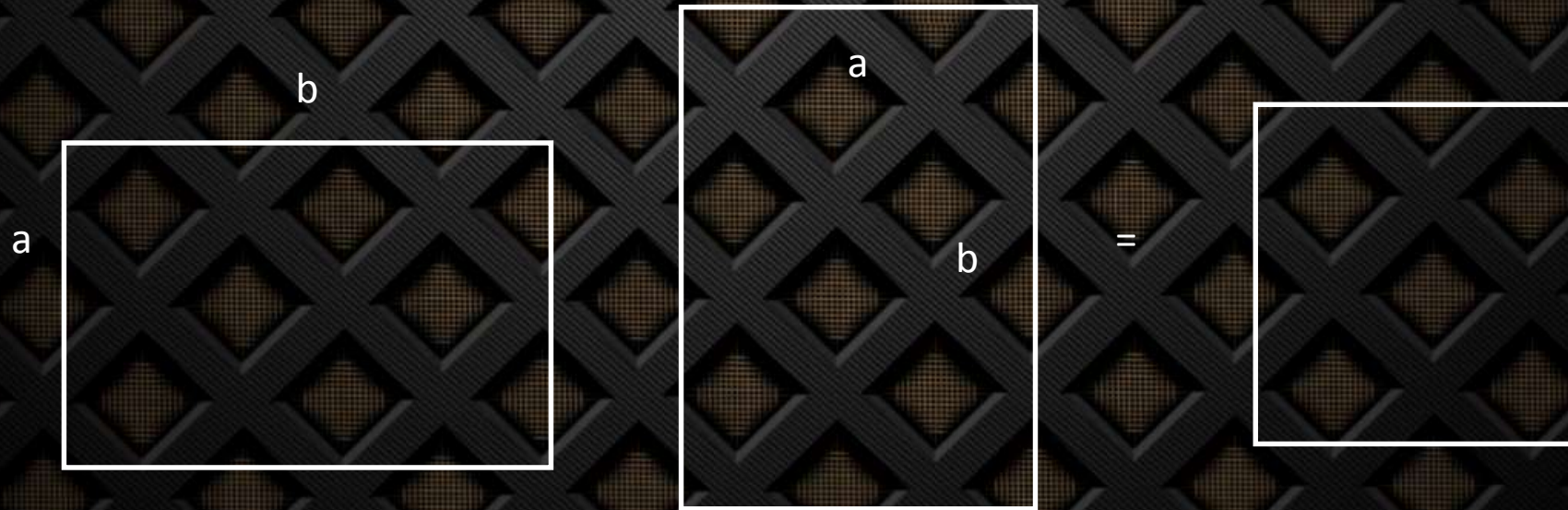
- ❖ Brute Force approach rarely yields efficient algorithms
- ❖ Some brute force algorithms are unacceptably slow
- ❖ Brute Force approach is neither as constructive nor creative as some other design techniques





# Facts OF LCS

## Dynamic programming



$A = a \times b$  matrix

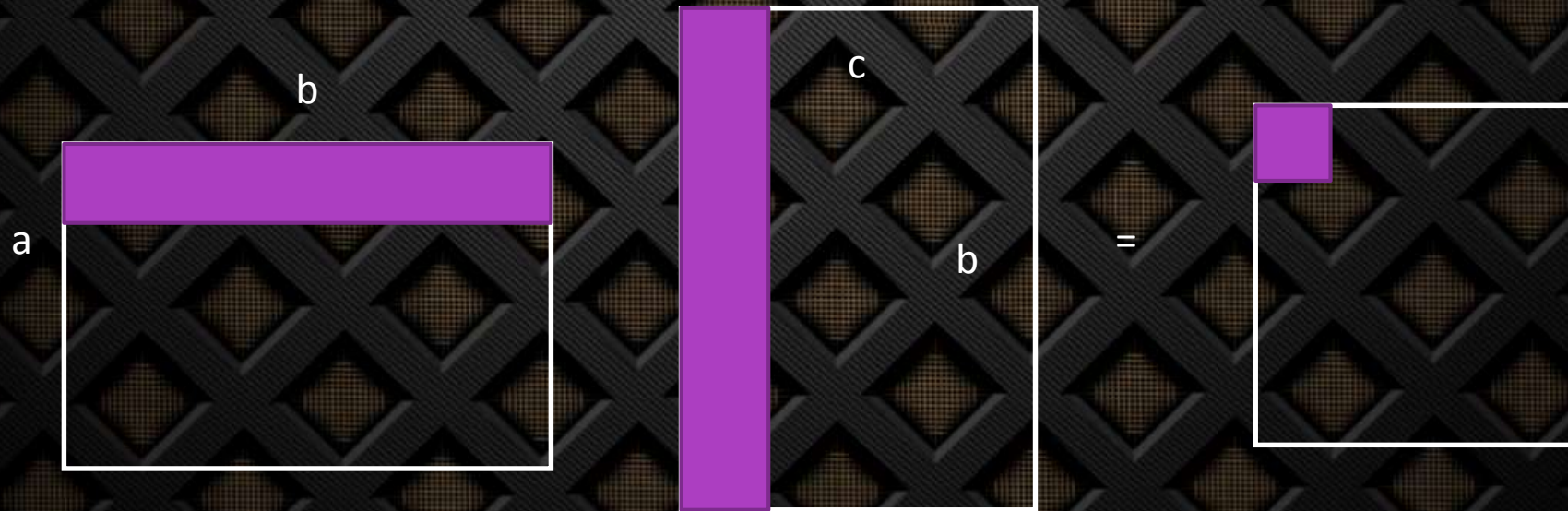
How many operations to compute  $AB$  ?





# Facts OF LCS

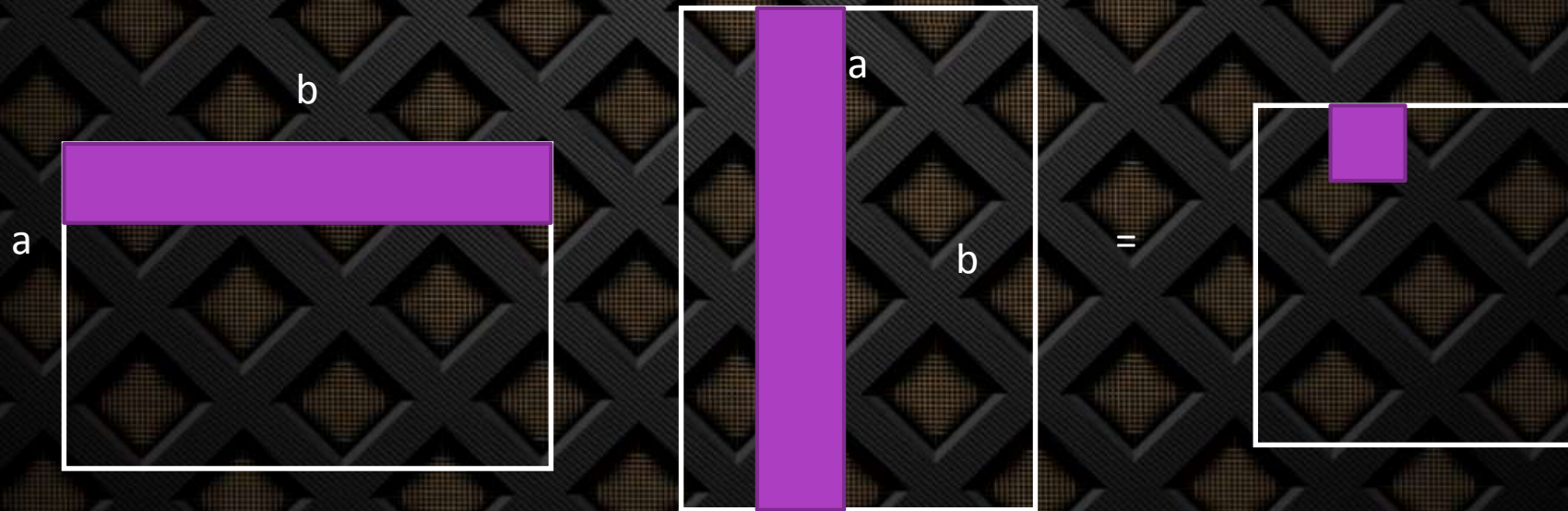
## Dynamic programming





# Facts OF LCS

## Dynamic programming



Need to compute =  $O(a \times b)$

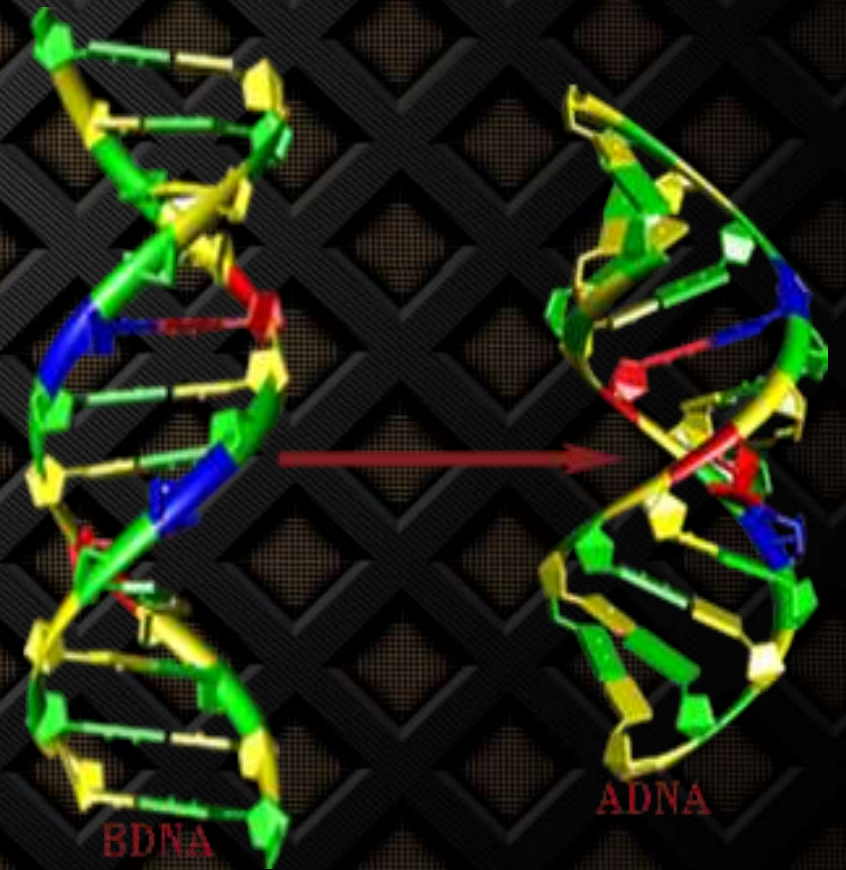




# Work Examples







**To Compare DNA of two (or more ) Different organisms**





# EXAMPLE

Assume two DNA sequence

$X = \{ATGCTTC\}$

$Y = \{GCTCA\}$



# LCS EXAMPLE

$X = \{ATGCTTC\}$

$Y = \{GCTCA\}$

		$Y_j$							
		$\downarrow$							
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
$X_i \rightarrow$			A	T	G	C	T	T	C
0									
1	G								
2	C								
3	T								
4	C								
5	A								



# LCS EXAMPLE

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		$Y_j$							
		$\downarrow$							
$X_i$	$\rightarrow$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	0							
2	C	0							
3	T	0							
4	C	0							
5	A	0							

$z[j,i]$

Here  $i = 1, j = 1$

$z[1,1]$



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		$\downarrow$							
$X_i$	$\rightarrow$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		$X_i$	A	T	G	C	T	T	C
0	$Y_j$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1		G	0						
2		C	0						
3		T	0						
4		C	0						
5		A	0						

Maximum of  
two box  
 $z[J-1, i]$  and  
 $[J, i-1]$

X    Y

A    G

Not Match

$Z[1,1]$

$Z[j-1, i]=Z[1-1, 1]= Z[0,1]$

$Z[j, i-1]=Z[1, 1-1]= Z[1,0]$



# LCS EXAMPLE

		<b>Y<sub>j</sub></b> ↓							
<b>X<sub>i</sub></b> →		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		X <sub>i</sub>	A	T	G	C	T	T	C
	0	Y <sub>j</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	G	0	0					
	2	C	0						
	3	T	0						
	4	C	0						
	5	A	0						

X = {ATGCTTC}

Y = {GCTCA}

X

Y

A

G

Not Match

Lets Take from Upper one

Arrow indicate from where you Take the maximum.



# LCS EXAMPLE

X = {ATGCTTC}

Y = {GCTCA}

		Yj ↓							
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Xi →		Xi	A	T	G	C	T	T	C
0	Yj	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	0	0	0					
2	C	0							
3	T	0							
4	C	0							
5	A	0							

X	Y	Max	arrow
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T	G	0	←
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Not Match

Lets Take from left one

Arrow indicate from where you Take the maximum.



# LCS EXAMPLE

X = {ATGCTTC}

Y = {GCTCA}

		Yj ↓							
Xi →		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Xi	A	T	G	C	T	T	C	
	0	Yj	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	G	0	0					
	2	C							
	3	T							
4	C	0							
5	A	0							

When match arrow will be diagonal because we will increment the value of this cell  $Z[i-1, j-1]$

X	Y	Max	arrow
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G	G		↖
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Match

$$0 + 1 = 1$$



# LCS EXAMPLE

$X = \{ATGCTTC\}$

$Y = \{GCTCA\}$

# LCO EXAMPLE

		Yj								
			0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Xi		Xi	A	T	G	C	T	T	C	
	0	YJ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1	G	0	0	0	1				
	2	C	0							
	3	T	0							
	4	C	0							
5	A	0								

X	Y	Max	arrow
G	G		↖

Match

Incremented value  $X[i-1] Y[j-1]$

$Z[l,j] = Z[3,1]$



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Xi →		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Xi	A	T	G	C	T	T	C
0	Yj	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	0	0	0	1	1			
2	C	0							
3	T	0							
4	C	0							
5	A	0							

X	Y	Max	arrow
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C	G	1	←
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Not Match

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1	G	0	0	0	1	1	1		
2	C	0							
3	T	0							
4	C	0							
5	A	0							

X	Y	Max	arrow
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T	G	1	←
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Not Match

Lets Take from left one



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0	Yj	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	
2	C	0							
3	T	0							
4	C	0							
5	A	0							

X	Y	Max	arrow
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T	G	1	←
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Not Match

Lets Take from left one



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	0	Yj	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	G	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
	2	C	0						
	3	T	0						
	4	C	0						
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X	Y	Max	arrow
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C	G	1	←
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	1	G	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
	2	C	0	0					
	3	T	0						
	4	C	0						
	5	A	0						

X	Y	Max	arrow
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A	C	0	←
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Not Match

Lets Take from left one



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		Yj ↓							
Xi →		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Xi	A	T	G	C	T	T	C
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	1	G	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
	2	C	0	0					
	3	T	0						
	4	C	0						
	5	A	0						

X	Y	Max	arrow
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A	C	0	←
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Not Match

Lets Take from Upper one



# LCS EXAMPLE

X = {ATGCTTC}

Y = {GCTCA}

		Yj ↓							
Xi →		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Xi	A	T	G	C	T	T	C	
	0	Yj	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	1	G	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
	2	C	0	0	1				
	3	T	0						
	4	C	0						
	5	A	0						

X	Y	Max	arrow
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G	C	1	↑
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Not Match

Lets Take from left one



# LCS EXAMPLE

$X = \{ATGCTTC\}$

$Y = \{GCTCA\}$

# ECG EXAM 11

Yj

↓

Xi

→

		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Xi	A	T	G	C	T	T	C	
0	Yj	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
1	G	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	
2	C	0	0	0	1	2			
3	T	0							
4	C	0							
5	A	0							

X	Y	Max	arrow
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C	C		↖
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Match

Increment  $Z[i-1, j-1]$



# LCS EXAMPLE

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Y = {GCTCA}

		Yj ↓							
Xi →		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Xi	A	T	G	C	T	T	C
0	Yj	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
2	C	0	0	0	1	2	2		
3	T	0							
4	C	0							
5	A	0							

X	Y	Max	arrow
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T	C	2	←
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Not Match

Lets Take from left one







# Traceback Approach





# LCS EXAMPLE

$X = \{ATGCTTC\}$

$Y = \{GCTCA\}$

		$Y_j$								
			0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
$X_i$		$X_i$	A	T	G	C	T	T	C	
	0	$Y_j$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	1	G	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	
	2	C	0	0	1	2	2	2	2	
	3	T	0	0	1	1	2	3	3	
	4	C	0	0	1	1	2	3	3	
5	A	0	1	1	1	2	3	3	4	

Firstly have to point out highest value

For left and upper arrow we will follow the direction

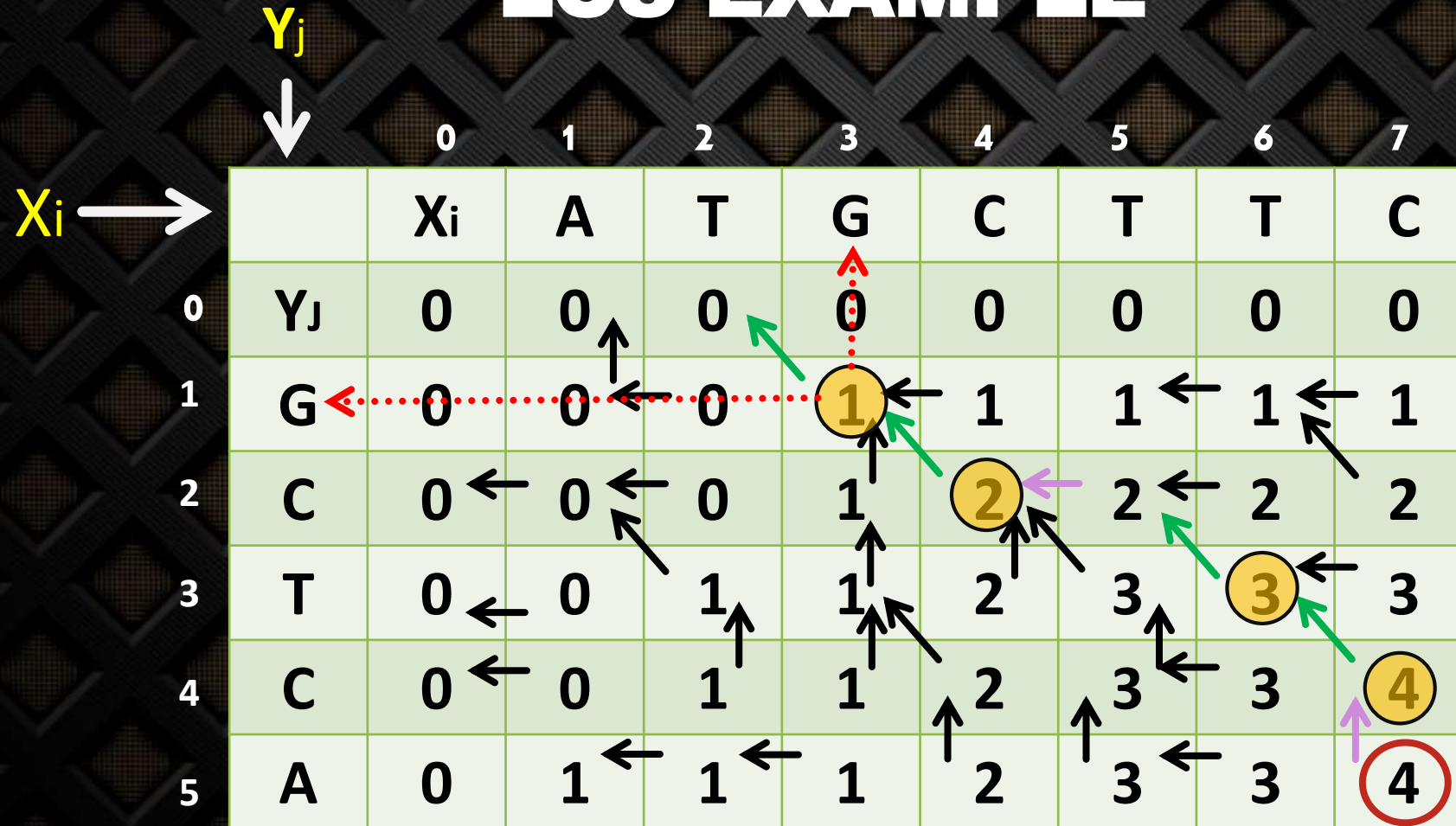
For diagonal arrow we will point out the character for this cell.



# LCS EXAMPLE

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$Y = \{GCTCA\}$



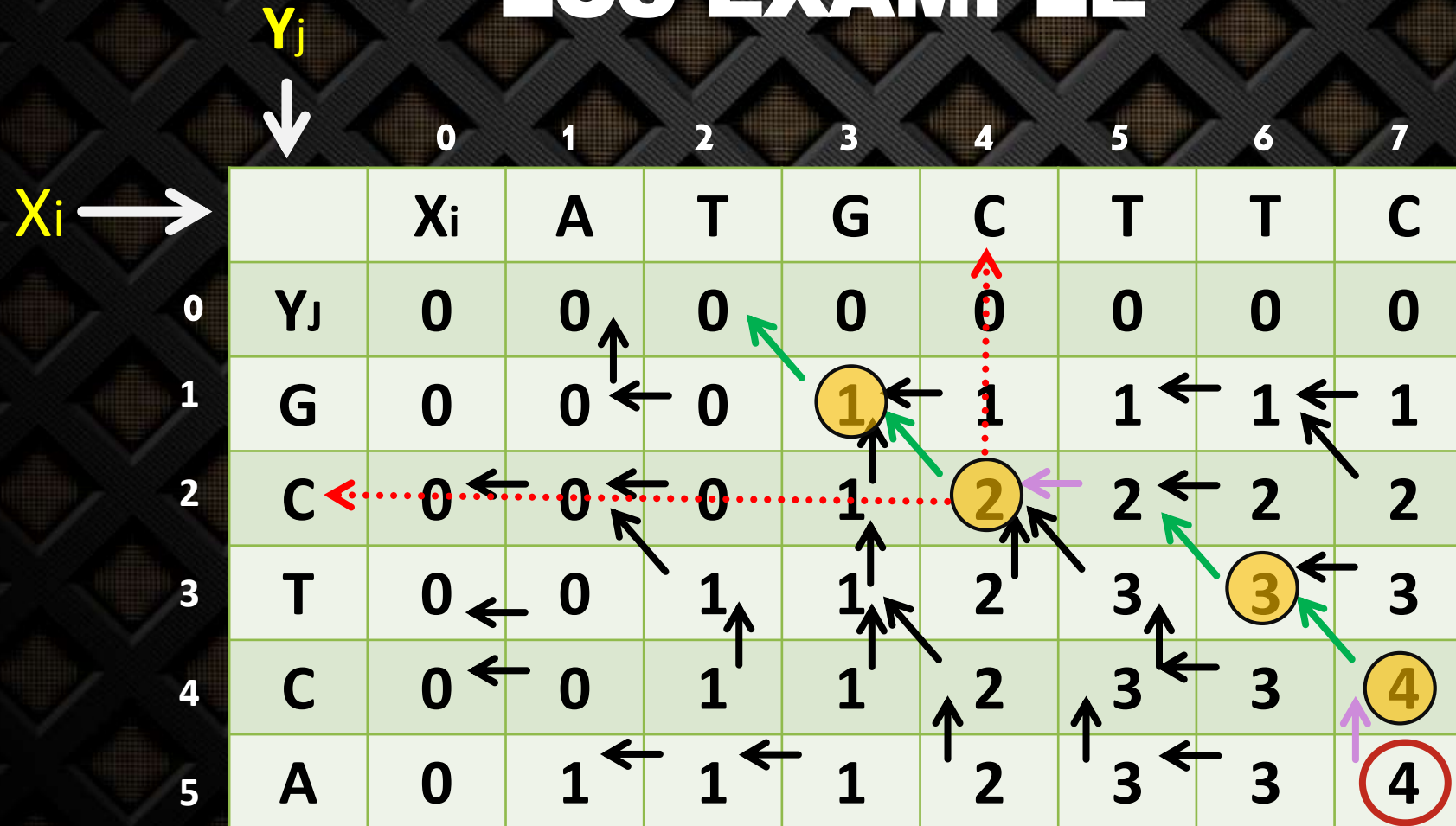
LCS Z = G



# LCS EXAMPLE

X = {ATGCTTC}

Y = {GCTCA}



LCS Z = GC



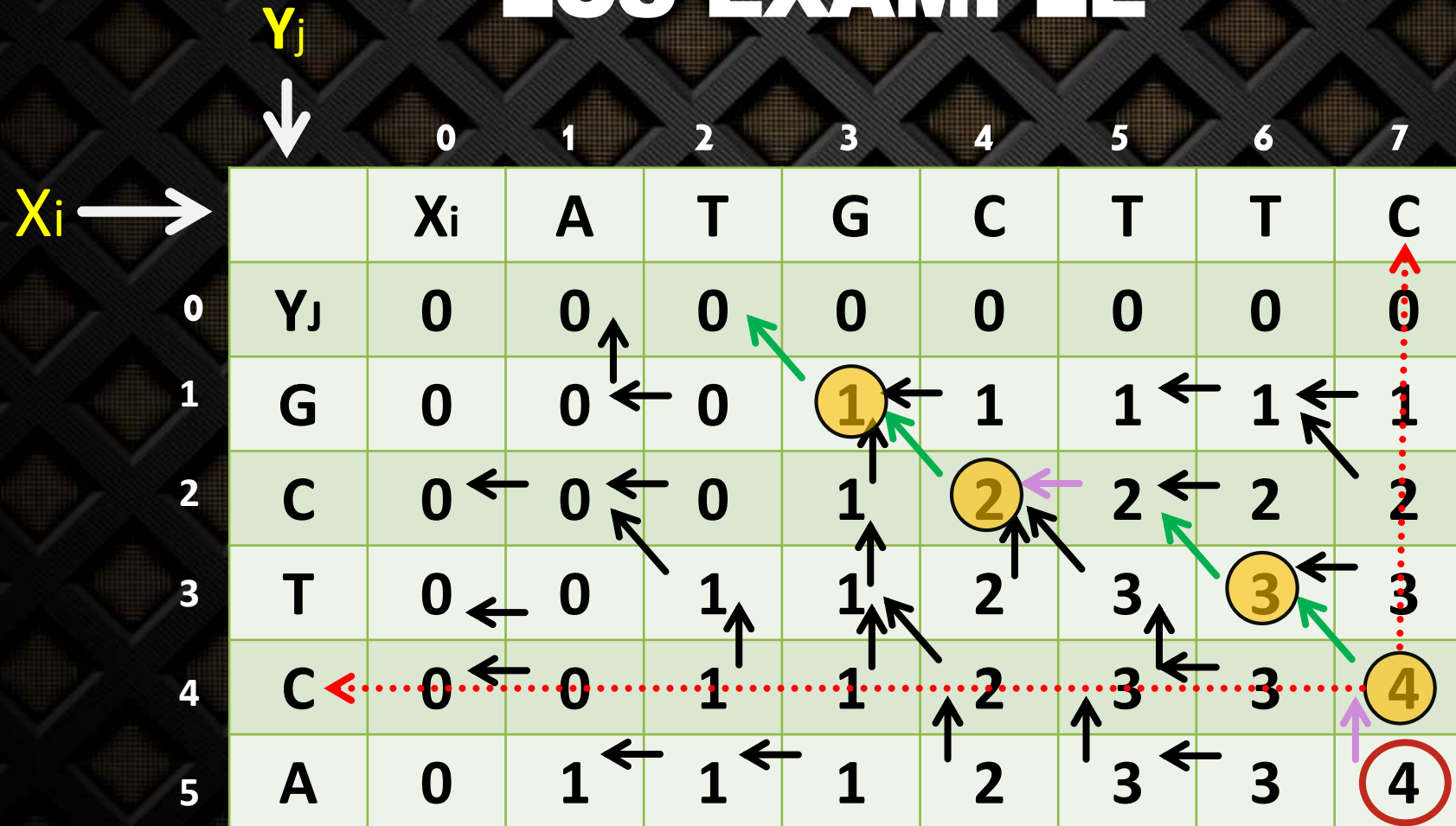
$$Y = \{GCTCA\}$$




# LCS EXAMPLE

$X = \{ATGCTTC\}$

$Y = \{GCTCA\}$



**LCS Z = {GCTC}**



# LCS EXAMPLE

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$Y = \{GCTCA\}$

		$Y_j$ ↓							
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
$X_i$ →		$X_i$	A	T	G	C	T	T	C
0	$Y_j$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	G	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
2	C	0	0	0	1	2	2	2	2
3	T	0	0	1	1	2	3	3	3
4	C	0	0	1	1	2	3	3	4
5	A	0	1	1	1	2	3	3	4

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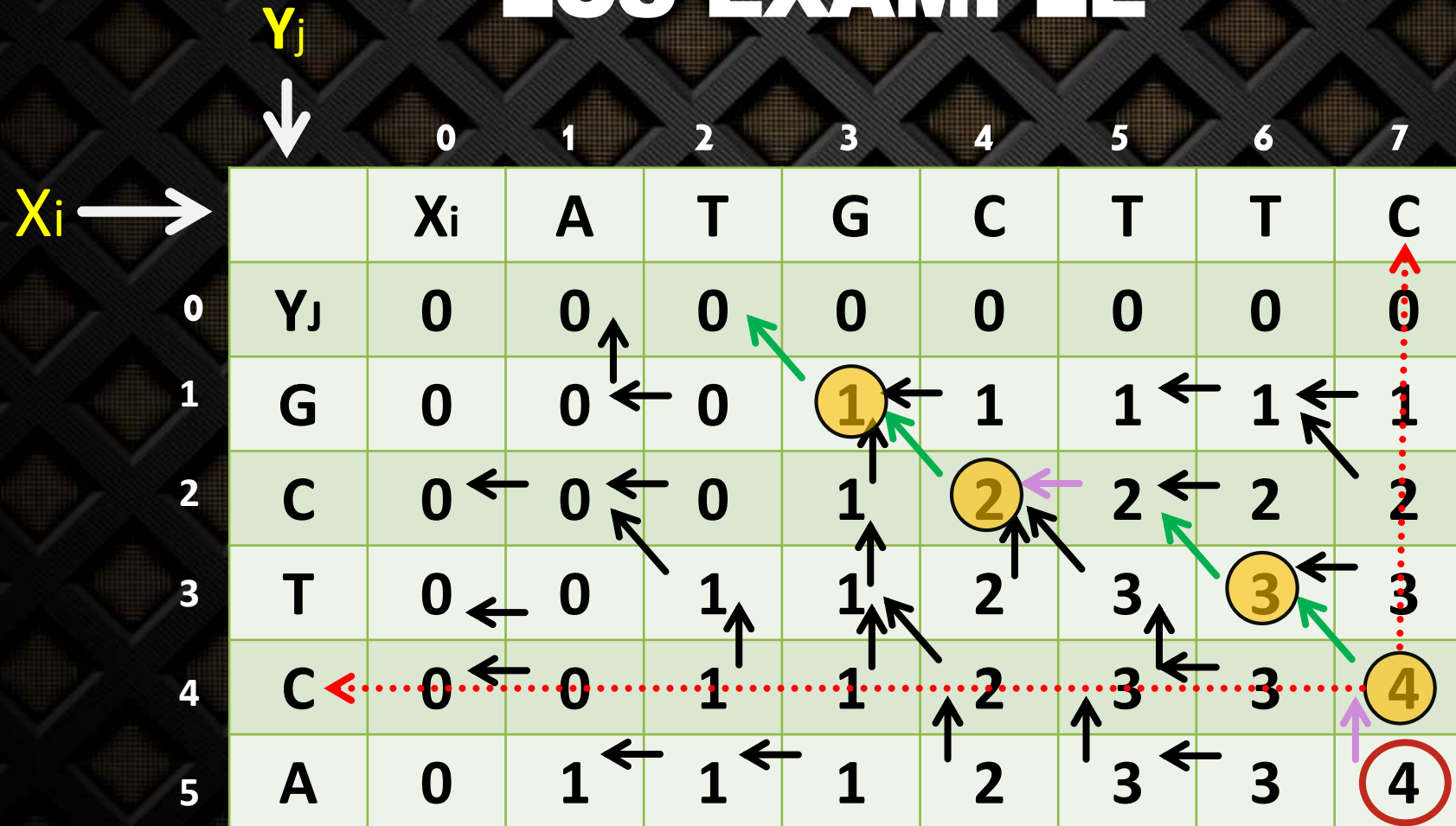
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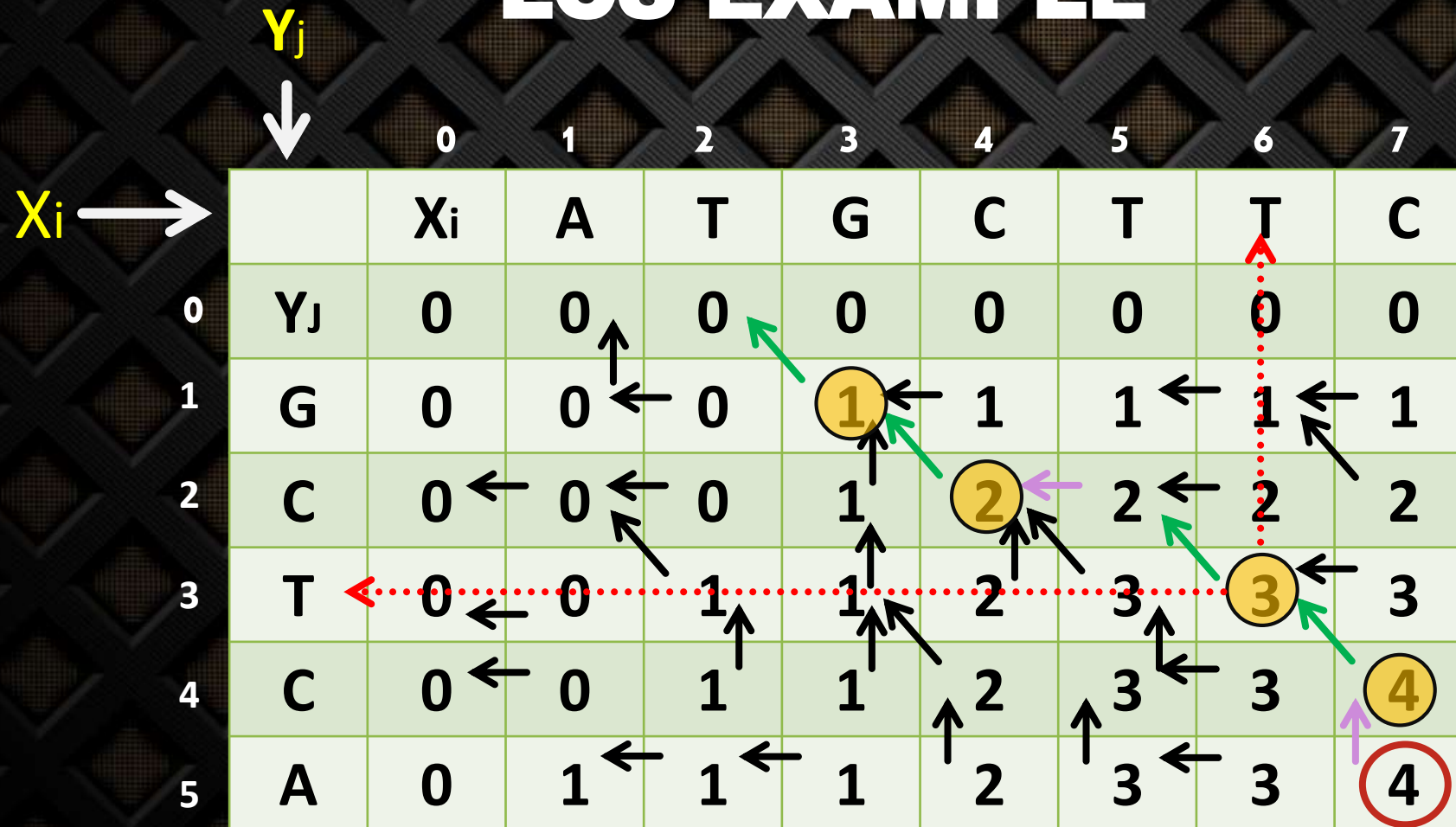
LCS Z= C



# LCS EXAMPLE

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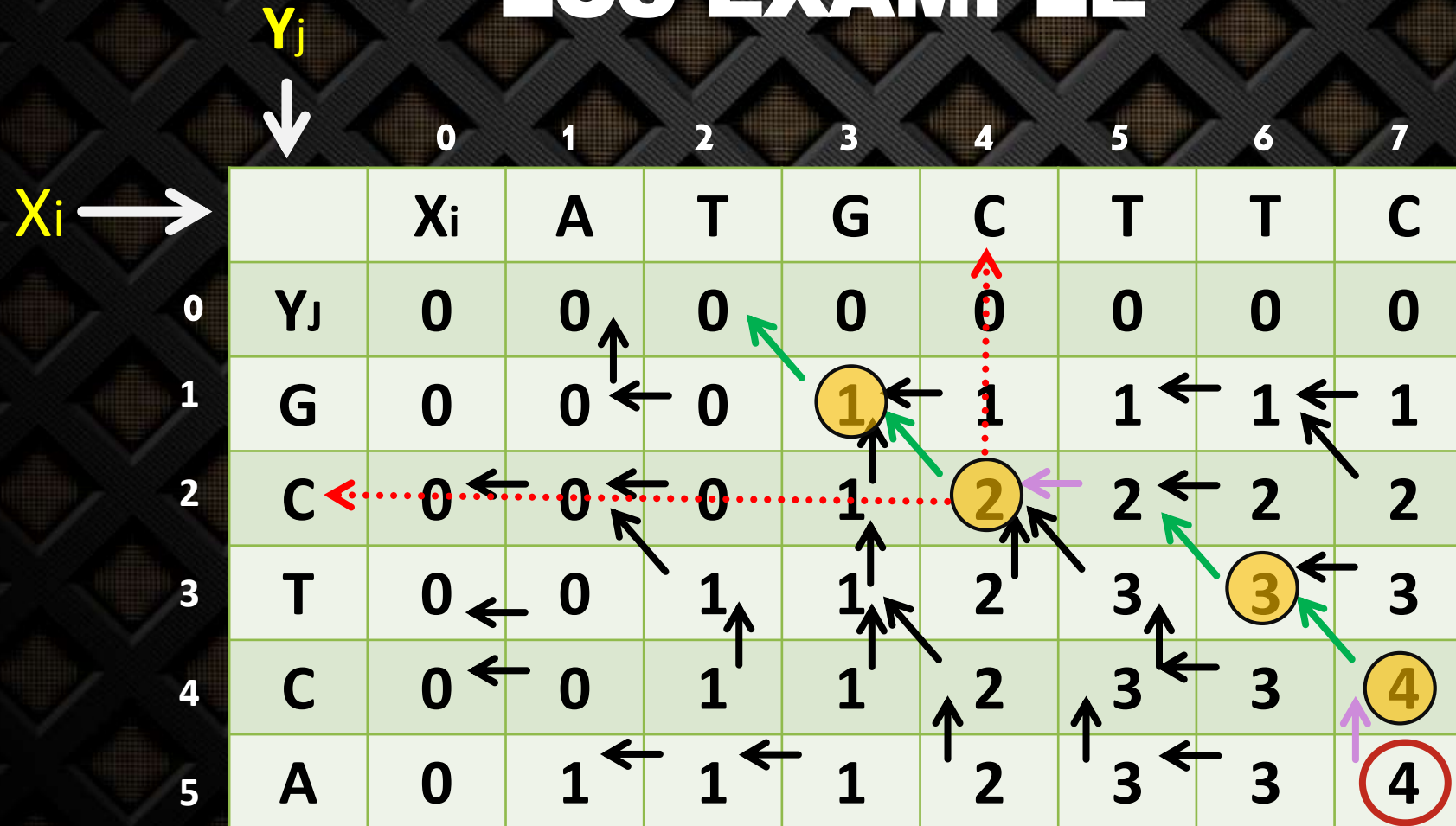
LCS Z = TC



# LCS EXAMPLE

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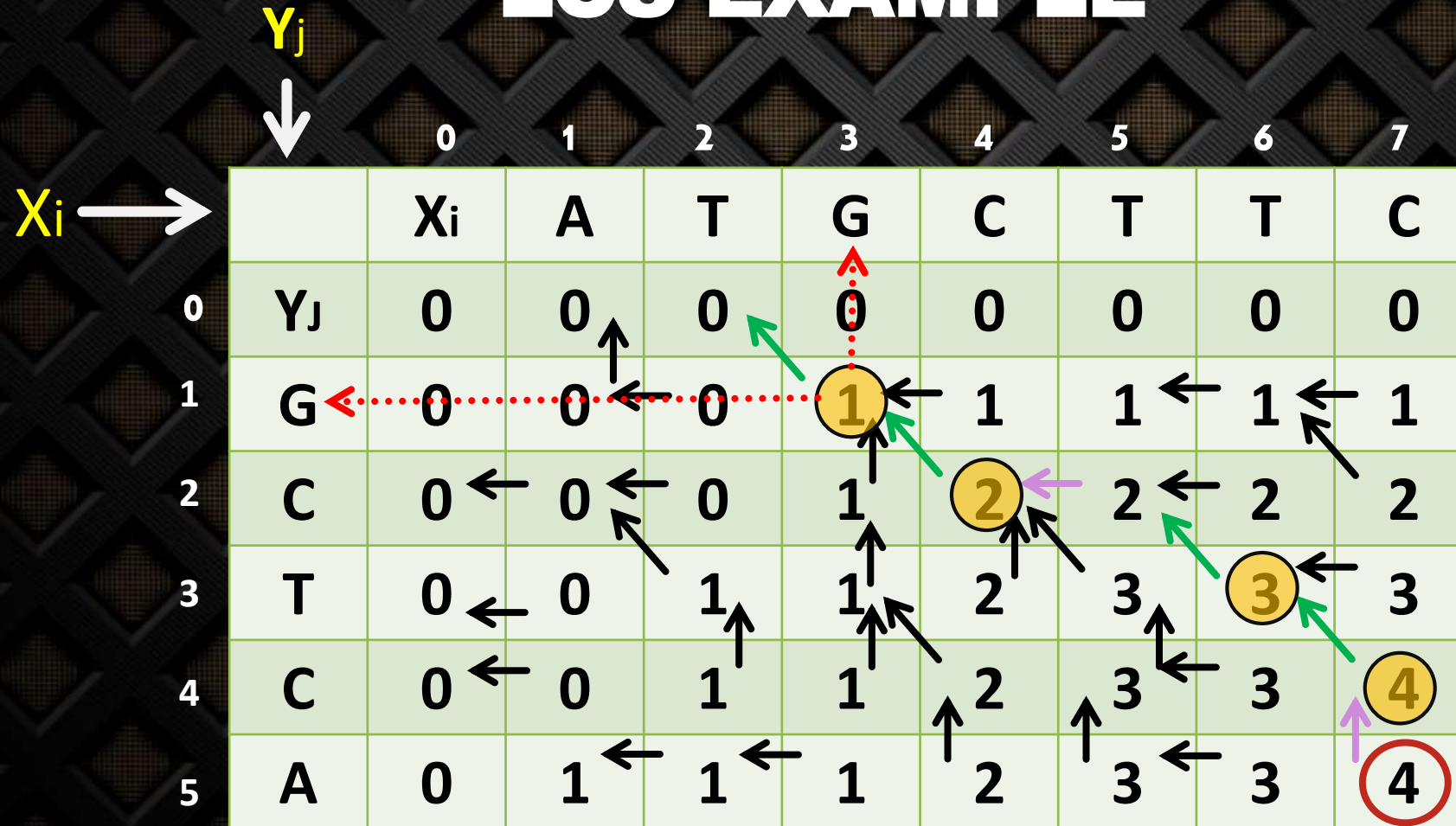
LCS Z = CTC



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$Y = \{GCTCA\}$



LCS  $Z = \{GCTC\}$