

Let's start at 8:02 PM

L64

Dynamic Programming : Classical Problems 3

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RECAP

Let's dive right into it

# 1. Matrix Chain Multiplication

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & d \\ e & f & g & h \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 4}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A \times B & = & C \\
 \Downarrow & & \Downarrow \\
 n_1 \times n_2 & & n_1 \times n_3
 \end{array}$$

$$n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & \begin{array}{c} 1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad n_1 \\ \downarrow \downarrow \dots \downarrow \end{array} & \\
 \begin{array}{c} 1 \rightarrow \\ 2 \rightarrow \\ \vdots \\ n_1 \rightarrow \end{array} & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \\ \end{array} \right] & \\
 & & \\
 & \begin{array}{c} 1 \quad 2 \quad \dots \quad n_2 \\ \downarrow \downarrow \dots \downarrow \end{array} & \\
 \begin{array}{c} 1 \rightarrow \\ 2 \rightarrow \\ \vdots \\ n_2 \rightarrow \end{array} & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \\ \end{array} \right] &
 \end{array}$$

Example:

$$[40, 20, 30, 10, 30]$$

$$\begin{matrix} (40 \times 20) & (20 \times 30) & (30 \times 10) & (10 \times 30) \\ A & \times B & \times C & \times D \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 40 \times 10 \\ \text{---} \end{matrix} \left( (A \times B) \times C \right) \times D \Rightarrow 24000 + 12000 + 12000 = 48000$$

$40 \times 30$

$$(A \times B) \times (C \times D)$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 (A \times (B \times C)) \times D \\
 \downarrow \quad \quad \downarrow \quad \quad \downarrow \\
 40 \times 20 \quad 20 \times 10 \quad \quad 10 \times 30 \\
 \underbrace{\quad \quad \quad} \downarrow \\
 40 \times 10
 \end{array}$$

$$6000 + 8000 + 12000 = 26000$$

## Intuition

$M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4, M_5$

$M_1 \times M_{2,3,4,5}$

$M_{1,2,3,4} \times M_5$

$M_{1,2} \times M_{3,4,5}$

$M_{1,2,3} \times M_{4,5}$



$dp[i][j]$



The minimum number of  
multiplication operations required  
to multiply  $[M_i, M_{i+1} \dots M_j]$

$\Rightarrow dp[1][n]$  // n = no of matrices

Base Case(s)

$$i \geq j$$



ans  $\Rightarrow$  0

Recurrence Relation  $\Rightarrow$  How to find  $f(i, j)$

$[i, i+1, i+2, \dots, j]$

$$f(i, j) = \min_{k=i}^{j-1} (f(i, k) + f(k+1, j) + \text{curCost})$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 R_i \times C_k \\
 \uparrow \\
 [i \text{ --- } k]
 \end{array}
 \begin{array}{c}
 R_{k+1} \times C_j \\
 \uparrow \\
 [k+1 \text{ --- } j]
 \end{array}
 \Rightarrow \text{arr}[i-1] * \text{arr}[k] * \text{arr}[j]$$

$$\Rightarrow R_i * (C_k | R_{k+1}) * C_j$$

Solution

Let's implement

### 3. Palindrome Partitioning

$S_2$  "abbabccac"

a | bbabccac  
1 + recur

abba | bccac  
1 + recur

## Intuition

$s_0, s_1, s_2, s_3, \dots, s_{n-1}$

$f(i) \Rightarrow$  Represents the min cuts required  
for  $s[i] \dots n-1$

$\hookrightarrow$  and  $\Rightarrow f(0)$

1.  $s[l \dots n-1]$  pal  $\Rightarrow 0$

2.  $k \Rightarrow s[l \dots k]$  palindrome.  
 $1 + f(k+1)$



## Solution

sliding window

$f(i) \{$

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for ( $k=i$ ;  $k+1 \leq n_i + k$ ) {  
if (!pal(i, k))  
continue;

ans = 1 +  $f(k+1)$ ;  
 $dp[i] = \min(dp[i], ans)$ ;

}

$$\text{pal}(i, j) = s[i] == s[j] \text{ \&\& } \text{pal}(i+1, j-1)$$

Let's implement

# *Thank You!*

Reminder: Going to the gym & observing the trainer work out can help you know the right technique, but you'll muscle up only if you lift some weights yourself.

So, PRACTICE, PRACTICE, PRACTICE!