

• RECALL

LECTURE 4

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ch 2.6

FAST

FOURIER

TRANSFORM

→ integer multiplication

$$O(n^2) \rightarrow O(n^{\log_2 3})$$

→ matrix multiplication

$$O(n^3) \rightarrow O(n^{\log_2 7})$$

by saving one multiplication

• POLYNOMIAL MULTIPLICATION (EVALUATION)

⇒ example of polynomial multiplication

$$(1+2x+3x^2) \cdot (4+3x+2x^2)$$

→ expect polynomial of degree 4

- we have to find list of coefficients.

x^0	1 · 4	1 way
x^1	1 · 3 + 2 · 4	2
x^2	3 · 4 + 2 · 1 + 2 · 3	3
x^3	:	
x^4	:	

⇒ in general

$$\text{input: list: } a_0, a_1, \dots, a_d \quad (A(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + \dots + a_d x^d)$$

$$\text{list: } b_0, b_1, \dots, b_d$$

$$\text{output: list: } c_0, c_1, \dots, c_{2d} \quad (P(x) = A(x) \cdot B(x))$$

→ STRAIGHT FORWARD way

for $i=0, \dots, 2d$:

$$c_i = \sum_{k=0}^i a_k b_{i-k}$$

→ all possible combinations
to get power i

→ runtime

$$(1+2+\dots+d)+\dots+2+1$$

first sum third sum = problem of size 3

$$= O(d^2)$$

- suppose I want to know $C(1)$

→ compute $A(1)$

→ compute $B(1)$

→ multiply $A(1) \cdot B(1)$

suppose I want $C(1), \dots, C(m)$

→ compute $A(1), \dots, A(m)$

→ compute $B(1), \dots, B(m)$

→ multiply $A(1) \cdot B(1), \dots, A(m) \cdot B(m)$

⇒ if you have bunch of evaluations of A and B , you can
in linear time derive from them evaluation of C

⇒ approach to find C

→ evaluate $A: A(1), A(2), \dots$ (evaluate it at many points)

→ evaluate $B: B(1), B(2), \dots$ $\nearrow \text{Eval}(A, S), \text{Eval}(B, S)$

→ pointwise multiply $C(1), C(2), \dots$ $O(|S|)$

→ interpolate to find C

evaluation (FFT)

points
 $|S| \geq 2d+1$

A as
evaluation

A as
coefficient

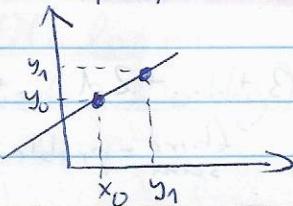
interpolation (IFFT)

↳ inverse Fast Fourier Transform

⇒ example

- line (degree 1 polynomials)

$$a_0 + a_1 x$$



2 points to identify the line

polynomial can
be characterized
by coefficients

$$a_0, \dots, a_d$$

→ by values

$$A(x_0), \dots, A(x_d)$$

⇒ example

- parabola (degree 2 polynomial)

$$a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2$$

- need 3 distinct points

\Rightarrow in general

- degree d polynomial \rightarrow need $(d+1)$ evaluation points
- $|S|$ should be at least $(2d+1) \quad |S| \geq 2d+1$
- \rightarrow we need to evaluate A and B at $(2d+1)$ points

POLYNOMIAL INPUT

- input: a_0, a_1, \dots, a_d \rightarrow coefficients
- output: $A(d_0), A(d_1), \dots, A(d_d)$ \rightarrow we pick d_s

\Rightarrow straight forward way

$$A(1), \dots, A(d+1)$$

for $i=1, \dots, d+1$:
compute $A(i)$ \rightarrow by Horner's Rule $O(d)$
- runtime $O(d^2)$

FAST FOURIER TRANSFORM

\rightarrow group together odd and even terms

$$A(x) = A_e(x^2) + x A_o(x^2)$$

\rightarrow example

$$\begin{aligned} A(x) &= 4 + 12x + 20x^2 + 13x^3 + 6x^4 + 7x^5 \\ &= \underbrace{(4 + 20x^2 + 6x^4)}_{A_e(x)} + x \underbrace{(12 + 13x^3 + 7x^5)}_{A_o(x)} \end{aligned}$$

\rightarrow want $A(1)$ and $A(-1)$, $A(i)$ and $A(-i)$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} A(1) = A_e(1) + 1 \cdot A_o(1) \\ A(-1) = A_e(1) - 1 \cdot A_o(1) \end{array} \right\} \text{need } A_e(1), A_o(1)$$

need $A_e(1), A_e(-1)$ $A(i) = A_e(-1) + i \cdot A_o(-1)$
 $A_o(1), A_o(-1)$ $A(-i) = A_e(-1) - i \cdot A_o(-1)$

\Rightarrow generalize

- start with S of size $d+1=n$

$$|S| = |\{d_0, \dots, d_{n-1}\}| = n$$

some elements
in set have
the same
values

log n
steps

$$|\{d_0^2, \dots, d_{n-1}^2\}| = \frac{n}{2}$$

$$|\{d_0^4, \dots, d_{n-1}^4\}| = \frac{n}{4}$$

:

$$|\{d_0^n, \dots, d_{n-1}^n\}| = n$$

- we want to generalize this pattern

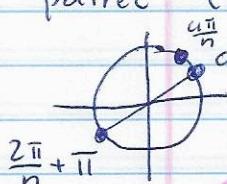
n^{th} complex roots of unity

$$z^n = 1$$

\rightarrow solutions are $z = (1, \theta)$
for multiple of $\frac{2\pi}{n}$

- for even n

- numbers are plus-minus
paired $-(1, \theta) = (1, \theta + \pi)$



- we want n to be power of 2

- because we want a nice structure in the unit circle

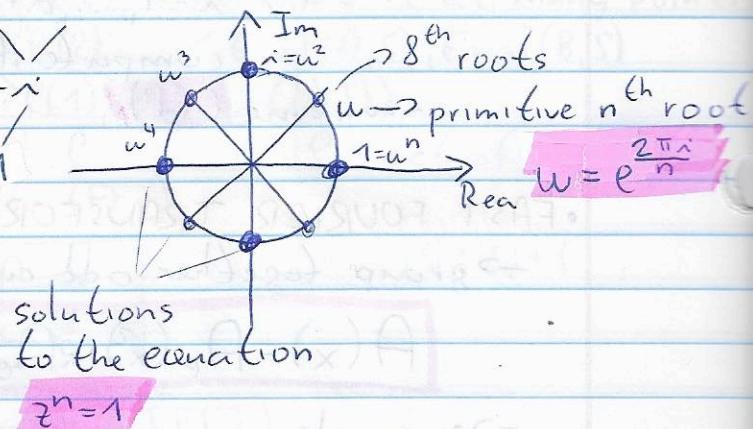
- we can always pad $d+1$ to next power of 2

\rightarrow n^{th} roots are plus-minus pairs: $w^{\frac{n}{2}+j} = -w^j$

\rightarrow squaring them produces $(\frac{n}{2})^{\text{th}}$ roots of unity

- if we start with these numbers for some n that is power of 2, then at successive levels of recursion, we will have $(\frac{n}{2^k})^{\text{th}}$ root of unity

\rightarrow all these sets are numbers plus-minus paired, so divide and conquer works perfectly



• THE FAST FOURIER TRANSFORM ALGORITHM

- input: $a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}, w \in \mathbb{C}$

- output: $A(w^0), A(w^1), \dots, A(w^{n-1})$

$$\begin{aligned} A_e(w^{2 \cdot 0}), A_e(w^{2 \cdot 1}), \dots, A_e(w^{2 \cdot \frac{n}{2}}) &\leftarrow \text{FFT}(A_e, w^2) \\ A_o(w^{2 \cdot 0}), A_o(w^{2 \cdot 1}), \dots, A_o(w^{2 \cdot \frac{n}{2}}) &\leftarrow \text{FFT}(A_o, w^2) \\ \text{for } i=0, 1, \dots, n-1 \\ A(w^i) = A_e(w^{2i}) + w^i A_o(w^{2i}) \end{aligned}$$

for $i=0, 1, \dots, \frac{n}{2}-1$

$$A(w^i) = A_e(w^{2i}) + w^i A_o(w^{2i})$$

$$A(w^{i+\frac{n}{2}}) = A_e(w^{2i}) + w^{i+\frac{n}{2}} A_o(w^{2i})$$

\Rightarrow runtime

$$T(n) = 2 T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + O(n)$$

↑
2 recursive calls ↓
evaluate polynomial
of half of size
in domain of half
a size

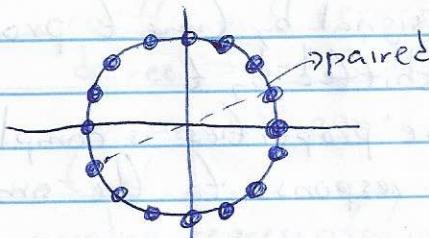
computing linear
combinations

\rightarrow both degree and domain halved
- degree halved because you
look just at even or odd
power

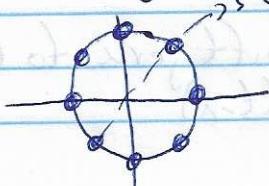
- domain halved because you
squared it

\Rightarrow divide and conquer step

evaluate
 $A(x)$ at
 n^{th} roots
of unity



Evaluate
 $A_e(x)$ and $A_o(x)$
at $(\frac{n}{2})^{\text{th}}$ roots

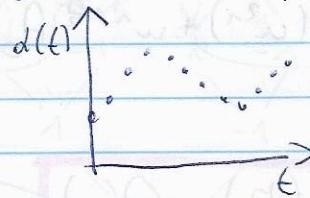


• WHY MULTIPLY POLYNOMIALS?

- fastest algorithms we have for multiplying integers rely heavily on polynomial multiplication
- polynomials and binary integers are quite similar
→ just replace variable x by base two and watch out for carries
- multiplying polynomials is crucial for signal processing
- signal = quantity that is function of time or position
→ examples - capture voice by measuring fluctuation in air pressure close to mouth

- to extract information from signal

1. digitize it by sampling



2. to put it through system we will transform it in some way

- output = response of system

signal → [SYSTEM] → response

- linear systems

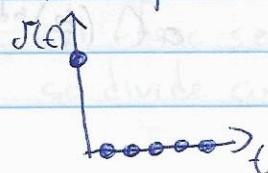
- response to the sum of two signals is just the sum of two individual responses

- time invariant

- shifting the input signal by time t produces the same output, also shifted by t

⇒ any system with these properties is completely characterized by its response to the simplest possible input signal

= unit impulse $\delta(t)$



→ shift jerk to time t :
 $\delta(t-x)$

→ any signal $a(t)$ can be expressed as linear combination of these

$$a(t) = \sum_{i=0}^{T-1} a(i) \cdot J(t-i) \quad (\text{if signal consists of } T \text{ samples})$$

- system response to input $a(t)$ is determined by response to various $J(t-i)$

→ by time variance, these are in turn just shifted copies of impulse response $b(t)$, the response to $J(t)$

→ output of system at time k

$$c(k) = \sum_{i=0}^k a(i) \cdot b(k-i)$$

(formula for polynomial multiplication)

FUNCTION FOR FAST FOURIER TRANSFORM

function FFT(A, ω)

if $\omega = 1$:

return $A(1)$

express $A(x)$ in form $A_e(x^2) + x A_o(x^2)$

call FFT to evaluate A_e at even powers of ω : $\text{FFT}(A_e, \omega^2)$

call FFT to evaluate A_o at even powers of ω : $\text{FFT}(A_o, \omega^2)$

for $j=0$ to $n-1$:

compute $A(\omega^j) = A_e(\omega^{2j}) + \omega^j A_o(\omega^{2j})$

return $A(\omega^0), \dots, A(\omega^{n-1})$

→ input

- coefficient representation of polynomial $A(x)$ of degree $\leq n-1$, where n is power of 2

- ω , an n^{th} power of unity

→ output

- value representation $A(\omega^0), \dots, A(\omega^{n-1})$

• INTERPOLATION

- from value representation to coefficient representation

$$A(x_0), \dots, A(x_{n-1}) \quad a_0, \dots, a_{n-1}$$

→ evaluation

$$\langle \text{values} \rangle = \text{FFT}(\langle \text{coefficients} \rangle, w)$$

→ interpolation

$$\langle \text{coefficients} \rangle = \frac{1}{n} \text{FFT}(\langle \text{values} \rangle, w^{-1})$$

⇒ MATRIX REFORMULATION

- relationship between our two representations for polynomial $A(x)$ of degree $\leq n-1$

→ linear transformation

$$\begin{bmatrix} A(x_0) \\ A(x_1) \\ \vdots \\ A(x_{n-1}) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_0 & x_0^2 & \cdots & x_0^{n-1} \\ 1 & x_1 & x_1^2 & & \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \\ 1 & x_{n-1} & x_{n-1}^2 & \cdots & x_{n-1}^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

\parallel
 M

coefficient representation

- M - Vandermonde matrix

→ if x_0, \dots, x_{n-1} are distinct numbers, then M is invertible

- existence of M^{-1} allows us to express coefficients in terms of values

- evaluation = multiplication by M

- interpolation = multiplication by M^{-1}

- Vandermonde matrix can be inverted in $O(n^2)$, instead

⇒ INTERPOLATION RESOLVED

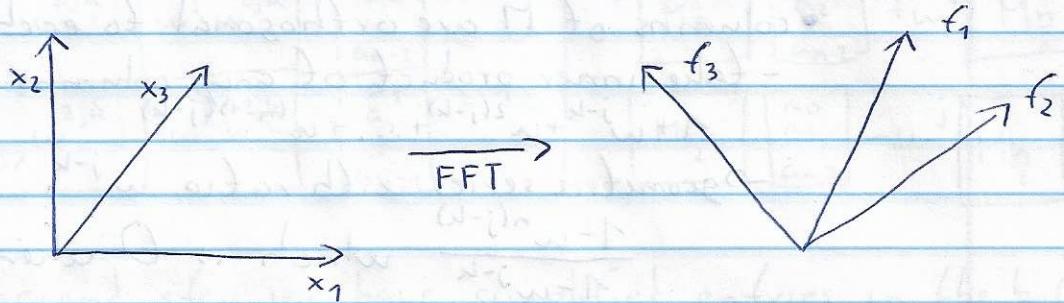
$$M_n(w) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ 1 & w & w^2 & & w^{n-1} \\ 1 & w^j & w^{2j} & & w^{(n-1)j} \\ 1 & w^{(n-1)} & w^{2(n-1)} & \cdots & w^{(n-1)(n-1)} \end{bmatrix}$$

← row for $w^0=1$
← w
← w^j
← w^{n-1}

- its (j,k) entry is w^{jk}

- starting row and column count at 0

- note that columns of M are orthogonal to each other



→ FFT takes points in the standard coordinate system. (axes x_1, x_2, x_3) and rotates them into the Fourier basis, whose axis are columns of $M_n(w)$, shown as f_1, f_2, f_3

- for example points in direction x_1 get mapped into direction f_1

- effect of multiplying vector by M

- rotates it from standard basis into Fourier basis

- Fourier basis = defined by columns of M

- FFT = change of basis (rigid rotation)

- inverse of M = opposite rotation

→ inversion formula

$$M_n(w)^{-1} = \frac{1}{n} M_n(w^{-1})$$

- w^{-1} is n^{th} root of unity

→ interpolation = multiplication by $M_n(w)^{-1}$

= FFT with w replaced by w^{-1}

- take $w = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{n}}$, think about columns of M as vectors in \mathbb{C}^n

- recall angle between vectors $u = (u_0, \dots, u_{n-1})$ and $v = (v_0, \dots, v_{n-1})$ in \mathbb{C}^n is just scaling factor times their inner product

$$u \cdot (v^*) = u_0 v_0^* + u_1 v_1^* + \dots + u_{n-1} v_{n-1}^*$$

↳ complex conjugate ($r e^{i\theta}$ and $r e^{-i\theta}$)

→ PROOF

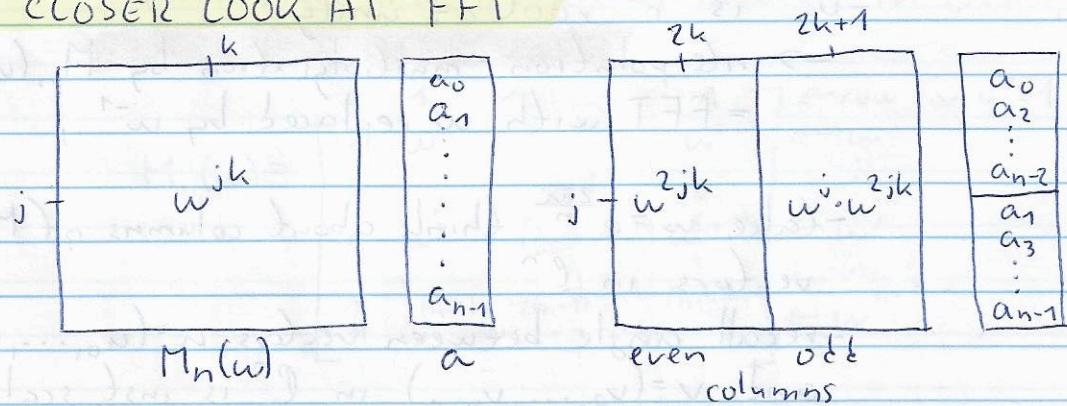
- columns of M are orthogonal to each other
 - take inner product of any columns j and k of M
 - $1 + w^{j-k} + w^{2(j-k)} + \dots + w^{(n-1)(j-k)}$
 - geometric series with ratio w^{j-k}
 - $\frac{1 - w^{n(j-k)}}{1 - w^{j-k}}$ which is 0 when $j=k$

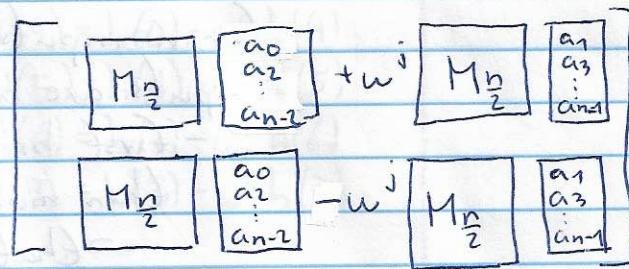
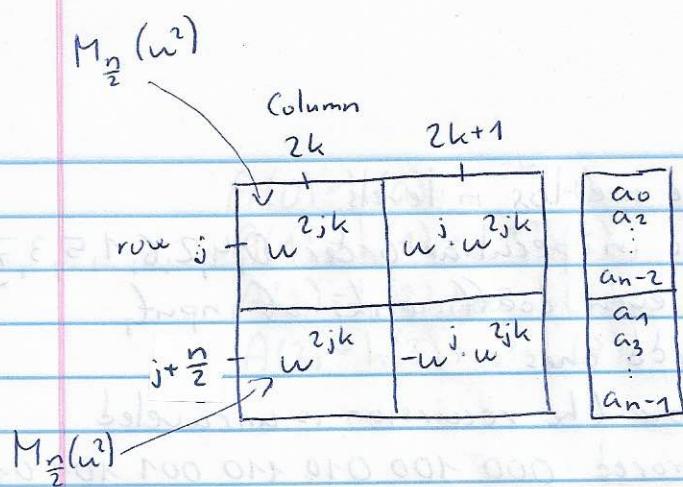
→ therefore

$$MM^* = nI$$

- since $(MM^*)_{ij}$ is the inner product of i^{th} and j^{th} columns of M
- this implies
- $M^{-1} = \frac{1}{n} M^*$ → inversion formula
- because $M^* = M(w^{-1})$
- looking at FFT geometrically
- polynomial multiplication is easier in Fourier basis than in standard basis
- rotate vectors into Fourier basis = evaluation
- perform task = multiplication
- rotate back = interpolation
- [initial] vectors are coefficient representations
- [rotated] counterparts are value representations
- to switch between these use FFT

• A CLOSER LOOK AT FFT





- in second step, we have simplified entries in the bottom half of matrix using $w^{\frac{n}{2}} = -1$ and $w^n = 1$

• FFT ALGORITHM FOR MATRIX APPROACH

FFT(a, u):

if $u=1$:

return a

$$(s_0, s_1, \dots, s_{\frac{n}{2}-1}) = \text{FFT}((a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}), w^2)$$

$$(s'_0, s'_1, \dots, s'_{\frac{n}{2}-1}) = \text{FFT}((a_1, a_3, \dots, a_{n-1}), w^2)$$

for $j=0$ to $\frac{n}{2}-1$:

$$r_j = s_j + w^j s'_j$$

$$r_{j+\frac{n}{2}} = s_j - w^j s'_j$$

return $(r_0, r_1, \dots, r_{n-1})$

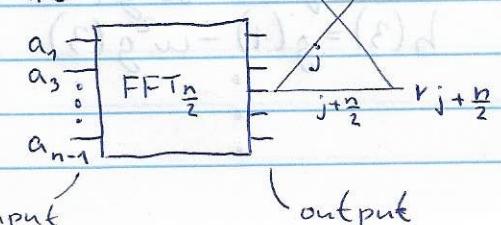
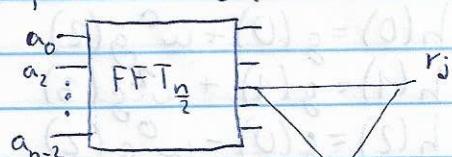
→ input - array $a = (a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1})$, for n of power of 2
- a primitive n^{th} root of unity, w

→ output - $M_n(w) \cdot a$

• THE FFT UNRAVELED

- FFT can be drawn as simple circuit

- pattern of wires = butterfly

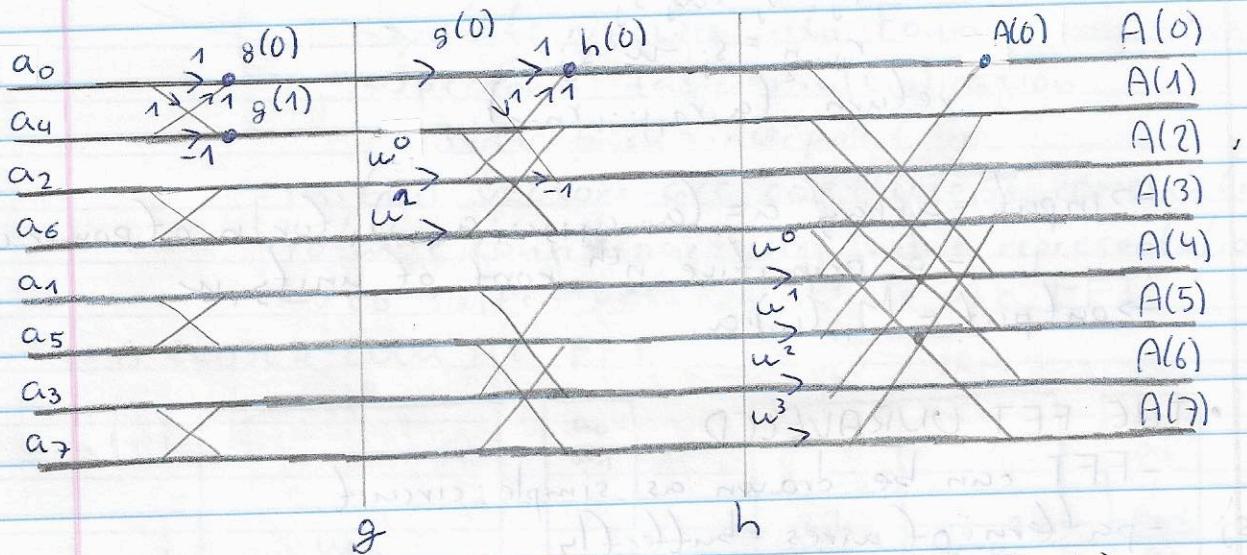


- edges carry complex numbers from left to right

- weight of j means multiply number on this wire by w^j

- when two wires come into junction from left, number they carry get added up

- for n inputs there are $\log n$ levels
- inputs are arranged in peculiar order $0, 4, 2, 6, 1, 5, 3, 7 \rightarrow n=8$
 - first bring up even coefficients of input,
 - then move to odd ones
 - that is how the recursion is unraveled
 - bits are mirrored $000 \ 100 \ 010 \ 110 \ 001 \ 101 \ 011 \ 111$
 $000 \ 001 \ 010 \ 011 \ 100 \ 101 \ 110 \ 111$
- there is unique path between each a_j to each output $A(w^k)$
- on the path between a_j and $A(w^k)$, the labels add up to $(jk \bmod 8)$
 - since $w^8 = 1$, contribution of input a_j to output $A(w^k)$ is $a_j w^{jk}$
 - circuit computes correctly the values of polynomial $A(x)$
- FFT circuit is natural for parallel computation and direct implementation in hardware



$$\begin{aligned} g(0) &= a_0 + a_4 \\ g(1) &= a_0 - a_4 \\ g(2) &= a_2 + a_6 \\ g(3) &= a_2 - a_6 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} h(0) &= g(0) + w^0 g(2) \\ h(1) &= g(1) + w^2 g(3) \\ h(2) &= g(0) - w^0 g(2) \\ h(3) &= g(1) - w^2 g(3) \end{aligned}$$

$$A(0) = h(0) + w^0 \cdot h(4)$$

$$A(1) = h(1) + w^1 \cdot h(5)$$

$$A(2) = h(2) + w^2 \cdot h(6)$$

$$A(3) = h(3) + w^3 \cdot h(7)$$

$$A(4) = h(0) - w^0 \cdot h(4)$$

$$A(5) = h(1) - w^1 \cdot h(5)$$

$$A(6) = h(2) - w^2 \cdot h(6)$$

$$A(7) = h(3) - w^3 \cdot h(7)$$