

Induction

Proof Induction

prove basic($f(0)=x$)

prove induction step, assume $f(n)$ is true, prove $f(n+1)$ based on that

proved

$$x_1, x_2 = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x_1 + x_2 = \frac{-b + \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} + \frac{-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = -b/a$$

$$x_1 x_2 = \frac{-b + \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \times \frac{-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = c/a$$

LRR (linear recurrence relation) of order 1 (the x_n depends on x_{n-1})

• **Equation:** $x_n = ax_{n-1} + b \forall n \geq 1$, and x_0 is a constant given value

- a is a given constant number, i.e., it does not depend on n
- b is a given number, which may or may not be constant

x_0 is called the **initial value**

• **Solution of the recurrence relation of order 1:**

If b is **constant**:

$$x_n = \left(x_0 - \frac{b}{1-a}\right)a^n + \frac{b}{1-a} \quad \text{if } a \neq 1$$

$$x_n = nb + x_0 \quad \text{if } a = 1$$

If b is **NOT constant**: $x_n = Aa^n + \hat{x}_n$ where

\hat{x}_n is **special solution** in the **same form/family as b** :

1. From $\hat{x}_n = a\hat{x}_{n-1} + b$, derive equations to determine \hat{x}_n
2. $A = x_0 - \hat{x}_0$

$$x_n = Aa^n + \text{sp.}x_n$$

$$x_n = ax_{n-1} + b$$

solve b, A using x_n, x_{n-1}

$$x_n = 2x_{n-1} + 2^n, x_0 = 0$$

$$a=2, b=2^n$$

$$\text{sp.}x_n = c2^n + d$$

$$A2^n + c2^n + d = 2(A2^{n-1} + c2^{n-1} + d) + 2^n = A2^n + c2^n + 2d + 2^n$$

$$d = -2^n$$

d is not constant. not working

$$\text{use } sp.x_n = (cn+d)2^{n+e}$$

$$A2^n + (cn+d)2^{n+e} = 2(A2^{n-1} + (cn-c+d)2^{n-1+e}) + 2^n$$

$$A + cn + d = A + cn - c + d + 1$$

$$e = 2e, e = 0$$

$$c = 1$$

LRR of order 2 (x_n depends on x_{n-1}, x_{n-2})

SUMMARY: LINEAR RECURRENCE RELATIONS OF ORDER 2

• **Equation:** $x_n = ax_{n-1} + bx_{n-2} + c \forall n \geq 2; x_0, x_1, a, b$ are given constants, c is given

	Case: $a^2 + 4b > 0$	Case: $a^2 + 4b = 0, a \neq 0$
If $c = 0$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Solve $s^2 - as - b = 0$: $s_1 = \frac{a + \sqrt{a^2 + 4b}}{2}, s_2 = \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 + 4b}}{2}$ $x_n = As_1^n + Bs_2^n$ (A, B are TBD next) $\begin{cases} x_0 = As_1^0 + Bs_2^0 \\ x_1 = As_1^1 + Bs_2^1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow A = \frac{x_1 - s_2 x_0}{\sqrt{a^2 + 4b}}, \text{ and } B = \frac{x_0 s_1 - x_1}{\sqrt{a^2 + 4b}}$ Final solution: $x_n = As_1^n + Bs_2^n$ 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Solve $s^2 - as - b = 0$: $s = \frac{a}{2}$ $x_n = (A + Bn)s^n$ (A, B are TBD next) $\begin{cases} x_0 = (A + B \times 0)s^0 \\ x_1 = (A + B \times 1)s^1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow A = x_0, B = \frac{2x_1}{a} - x_0$ Final solution: $x_n = \left(x_0 + \left(\frac{2x_1}{a} - x_0\right)n\right)\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^n$
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CS 1311 Discrete Structures I

Recurrence Relations - part II

Introduction

$$T(n) = aT\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) + f(n) \text{ for } n > n_0$$

Then $T(n)$ has the following asymptotic bounds:

• If $f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon})$ for some constant $\epsilon > 0$, then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$.

• If $f(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$, then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a} \log n)$.

• If $f(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_b a + \epsilon})$ for some constant $\epsilon > 0$, and if $af\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) \leq cf(n)$ for some constant $c < 1$ for all sufficiently large n , then $T(n) = \Theta(f(n))$.

Please brush up on logarithms

By default, log is base 2: $\log n = \log_2 n$

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + cn$$

$$\Rightarrow T(n) = O(n \log n)$$

• **Stirling's Approximation:** $n! \cong \sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$, where $e=2.718...$ is the base of natural logarithm

• Useful summation formulas:

$$1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

$$1^3 + 2^3 + \dots + n^3 = \left(\frac{n(n+1)}{2}\right)^2$$

$$1^k + 2^k + \dots + n^k = O(n^{k+1}), \text{ where } k \text{ is a positive constant integer}$$

$$1 + x + x^2 + x^3 \dots + x^n = \frac{x^{n+1}-1}{x-1}, \text{ for all } x \neq 1.$$

$$1 + 2x + 3x^2 \dots + nx^{n-1} = \frac{nx^{n+1} - (n+1)x^n + 1}{(x-1)^2}, \text{ for all } x \neq 1.$$

$$(a+b)^n = \binom{n}{n} a^n b^0 + \binom{n}{n-1} a^{n-1} b^1 + \binom{n}{n-2} a^{n-2} b^2 + \dots + \binom{n}{k} a^{n-k} b^k + \dots + \binom{n}{0} a^0 b^n$$

$$n! = 1 \times 2 \times 3 \times \dots \times n$$

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

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Data structure

stack pop push top, queue dequeue, enqueue

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Define a record type employee:
record employee
begin
    char name[1:30];
    int SSN;
    char address[1:100];
    float salary;
    employeePtr next; // a new field
end
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Tree height: level-1, (root-> level0)

- perfect binary tree: non-leaf have two child and same level
- Almost complete binary tree: last level has lack leafs from right

Binary search tree

- insert
 - search for a, if not exist, create the node containing a
 - see search and insert example
 - constant time in searching
- delete
 - delete pointer, attach the child to parent.

- pick largest value(rightmost) in left brach,use that node as the deleted
 - make left child to the previous parent
- use hash for maps?

MinHeap

- child must be larger than parent.
 - swap child and parent if not
 - become valid, or child become the root
- delete: swap with the last leaf and delete
 - then swap with the smaller leaf
- logN leve

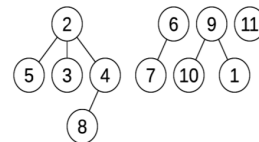
Union find Data structure

- every child has a parent.
- construct an array of index(element number) and it's own parent. use number to find which set it is in.
- single tree is the worst case in union find with only one array.
- path compression, as a find, make every node in the path to point directly to the parent. $O(n)$

-- **2ND IMPLEMENTATION (UNION)** --

- PARENT array of this collection:

i	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
PARENT	9	-5	2	2	2	-2	6	4	-3	9	-1



- At the start, $\text{PARENT}[i] = -1 \forall i$, why?

i :	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
PARENT[i]:	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1

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- mergesort
 - breakdown to single pieces and merge sorted list

TIME COMPLEXITY OF MERGESORT

-- **SOLVING THE RECURRENCE RELATION (2)** --

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

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

$$2^2T\left(\frac{n}{2^2}\right) = 2^3T\left(\frac{n}{2^3}\right) + 2^2c\frac{n}{2^2}$$

$$\dots$$

$$2^{k-1}T\left(\frac{n}{2^{k-1}}\right) = 2^kT\left(\frac{n}{2^k}\right) + 2^{k-1}c\frac{n}{2^{k-1}}$$

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

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$$\dots$$

$$2^{k-1}T\left(\frac{n}{2^{k-1}}\right) = 2^kT\left(\frac{n}{2^k}\right) + cn$$~~

- Sum of left terms = sum of right terms
- Cancel terms that occur on both sides of "="
- What remains on the left is: $T(n)$
- What remains on the right: $2^kT\left(\frac{n}{2^k}\right) + cnk = nT(1) + cnk$
- Therefore: $T(n) = nT(1) + cnk = cn + cn \log n = O(n \log n)$
- **$T(n) = O(n \log n)$**

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- Quicksort
 - p==q return

- $r = \text{partition } A[p:q]$
- $\text{quicksort } A[p:r-1]$
- $\text{quicksort } A[r+1:q]$
- $\text{select}(\text{sort})$

THE ORDER STATISTICS PROBLEM

-- A FIRST D&C ATTEMPT --

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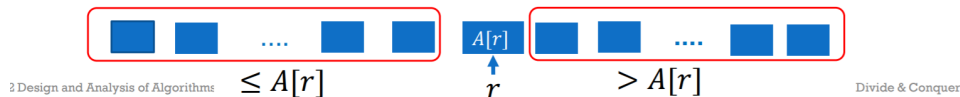
function select( $A[1:n], k$ ) // returns the  $k^{\text{th}}$  smallest value of  $A$ 
// it is assumed that  $1 \leq k \leq n$ 
begin
  if  $n=1$  then           //  $k$  must then be 1
    return ( $A[1]$ );
  endif
   $r := \text{partition}(A[1:n], 1, n);$  // same as in Quicksort
  case
     $k=r$ :      return ( $A[r]$ );
     $k < r$ :    return ( $\text{select}(A[1:r-1], k)$ );
     $k > r$ :    return ( $\text{select}(A[r+1:n], k-r)$ ); // why  $k-r$ , not  $k$ 
  endcase
end

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Time: cn

Time:

- not sum of 3 cases
- the max of the 3 cases



- Theorem: The time complexity $T(n)$ of $\text{QuickSelect}(A[1:n], k)$ satisfies: $T(n) \leq 20cn$

A FEW OTHER QUICK D&C APPLICATIONS

-- POLYNOMIAL EVALUATION (2/3) --

• D&C method:

- Let $m = \frac{n}{2}$
- $P(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_{m-1}x^{m-1} + a_mx^m + \dots + a_{n-1}x^{n-1}$
- $P(x) = [a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_{m-1}x^{m-1}] + [a_mx^m + a_{m+1}x^{m+1} + \dots + a_{n-1}x^{n-1}]$
- $P(x) = [a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_{m-1}x^{m-1}] + x^m[a_m + a_{m+1}x + \dots + a_{n-1}x^{n-m-1}]$
- $P(x) = Q(x) + x^m R(x)$
 Where $Q(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_{m-1}x^{m-1}$, represented by $a[0:m-1]$
 and $R(x) = a_m + a_{m+1}x + \dots + a_{n-1}x^{n-m-1}$, represented by $a[m:n-1]$
- Now we can call the algorithm recursively on $Q(x)$ and $R(x)$
- Merging: compute x^m and then $P(x) = Q(x) + x^m R(x)$ and return $P(x)$;

greedy

MST(minimum spanning tree)

Use unionfind for circle check?

known edge:

tree mapping.(union find)

if edge's two nodes are in different trees, no circle problem

if same tree, no add.

- single source shortest path

GREEDY SSSP ALGORITHM

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Procedure SSSP( in: W[1:n,1:n], s; out: DIST[1:n]);
begin
  for i=1 to n do: DIST[i] := W[s,i]; endfor
  // implement Y as Boolean array Y[1:n] : Y[i]= 1 if i ∈ Y, 0 otherwise
  Boolean Y[1:n];    // initialized to 0
  Y[s] := 1;         // add s to set Y
  for num =2 to n do
    Select a node u from out of Y (i.e., Y[u]==0) such that
      DIST[u] = min {DIST[i] | Y[i] = 0};
    Y[u] := 1;        // Add u to Y
    // update the DIST values of the other nodes
    for all node v where Y[v] = 0 do
      DIST[v] = min (DIST[v], DIST[u]+W[u,v]);
    endfor
  endfor
End SSSP
  
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The Greedy method

- Heap sort
 - deletemin, and form a new array
- Proof of optimality
 - assume counter example exist
 - • The contradiction means that the assumption that $DIST[u] \neq \text{distance}(s,u)$ must be false • Hence, $DIST[u] = \text{distance}(s,u)$.
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Examples

Induction

Induction step: Assume $S(n-1) = \frac{(n-1)(n-1+1)(2(n-1)+1)}{6} = \frac{(n-1)n(2n-1)}{6}$, prove that $S(n) = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$. (Note: The yellow-highlight portion is called the induction hypothesis (I.H.).)

$$\begin{aligned}
 S(n) &= 1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + n^2 && \text{by definition} \\
 &= 1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + (n-1)^2 + n^2 \\
 &= S(n-1) + n^2 \\
 &= \frac{(n-1)n(2n-1)}{6} + n^2 && \text{by the induction hypothesis} \\
 &= \frac{(n-1)n(2n-1) + 6n^2}{6} \\
 &= \frac{n[(n-1)(2n-1) + 6n]}{6} \\
 &= \frac{n[2n^2 - 3n + 1 + 6n]}{6} \\
 &= \frac{n[2n^2 + 3n + 1]}{6} \\
 &= \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Q.E.D.

d. Let $T(n)$ be defined recursively as follows: $T(n) = 4T(\frac{n}{2}) + n^3$ (note that for sufficiently small n , $T(n)$ is bounded by a constant). Use the Master Theorem to find the Θ value of $T(n)$.

Solution:

$T(n) = 4T(\frac{n}{2}) + n^3$, let $f(n) = n^3 = \Omega(n^3) = \Omega(n^{\log_2 4 + 1})$, and $4f(\frac{n}{2}) = 4(\frac{n}{2})^3 = 4\frac{n^3}{8} = \frac{n^3}{2} \leq \frac{1}{2}f(n)$. So we are in the third case of the Master Theorem.

According to the Master Theorem, $T(n) = \Theta(f(n)) = \Theta(n^3)$.

Bonus Problem:

Let c be a constant > 1 , and let $T(1) = c - 1$, $T(2) = c$, and $T(n) = T(\lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor) + 1$ for all integer $n \geq 3$. Prove that $T(n) = O(\log \log n)$. Hint: Prove that $\forall n \geq 2, T(n) \leq c + \log \log n$, by induction on n .

Solution:

Basis step: For $n = 2$, $T(2) = c \leq c + \log \log 2$ because $c + \log \log 2 = c + \log 1 = c + 0 = c$.

Induction step:

Assumed that $T(k) \leq c + \log \log k$ for all integer $k \leq n - 1$, prove that $T(n) \leq c + \log \log n$.

Since $T(k) \leq c + \log \log k \ \forall k \leq n - 1$, then $T(\lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor) \leq c + \log \log \lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor$ b/c $\lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor \leq n - 1$. We will use that below.

$$\begin{aligned}
 T(n) &= T(\lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor) + 1 && \text{by definition of } T(n) \\
 &\leq c + \log \log \lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor + 1 && \text{using what we concluded above about } T(\lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor) \\
 &\leq c + \log \log \sqrt{n} + 1 && \text{because } \lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor \leq \sqrt{n} \\
 &= c + \log(\frac{1}{2} \log n) + 1 && \text{because } \log \sqrt{n} = \log n^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{2} \log n \\
 &= c + \log(\log n) + \log \frac{1}{2} + 1 && \text{because } \log ab = \log a + \log b \\
 &= c + \log(\log n) - 1 + 1 && \text{because } \log \frac{1}{2} = -\log 2 = -1 \\
 &= c + \log \log n
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $T(n) \leq c + \log \log n$.

This implies that $T(n) = O(\log \log n)$ by definition of big O.

a) func pow(x, n)
 begin
 if n=0 then return 1; endif
 // now, n ≥ 1.
 y := pow(x, ⌊n/2⌋);
 if n is even then
 return y*y;
 else
 return y*y*x;
 endif
end

$$T(n) = T(n/2) + c \Rightarrow T(n) = O(\log n).$$