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# **IMPROVED APPROACH FOR EXACT PATTERN MATCHING**

**(BIDIRECTIONAL EXACT PATTERN MATCHING)**



# Outlines

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## • Abstract & Introduction

- ❑ In this paper we will talk about present Bidirectional exact pattern matching algorithm .
- ❑ This algorithm focus to reduce the number of character comparisons and processing time.
- ❑ Bidirectional (BD) exact pattern matching (EPM) introduced anew idea to compare pattern with select text by using two pointer (right and left) simultaneously .
- ❑ **BD** solve the problem of time complexity which take  **$O(m)$**  to find the pattern in Text and searching phase takes  **$O(MN/2)$**  SO **BD** effective than the number of existing algorithms in many cases .
- ❑ The purpose of **BD** string matching algorithm is to find all occurrences of pattern in the text string and we will compare between **BD** and other algorithm .

## • Literature Review

- **Naive algorithm** this algorithm compares a given pattern with all substring of the text in case of mismatch make shift by one position until find all pattern in text the time complexity of this algorithm  $O(mn)$  .
- **Knuth-Morris-Pratt (KMP)** algorithm is proposed in 1977 to speed up the procedure of exact pattern matching by improving the lengths of the shifts . we compares the characters from left to right of pattern . The time complexity of preprocessing phase is  $O(m)$  and of searching phase is  $O(nm)$ .
- **Boyer-Moore Horspool (BMH)** did not use the shifting as BoyerMoore algorithm used. it used only the occurrence to maximizethe length of the shifts . time complexity is  $O(mn)$  .

- **Bidirectional Exact Pattern Matching cases**

- **Working of Bidirectional EPM :**

Bidirectional EPM algorithm has number of cases to shift the pattern maximum to right of text window. Suppose  $T(1..n)$  is the text string and  $P(1..m)$  is the pattern and we compare  $P(1..m)$  with  $T(i..i+m-1)$  from both sides of the pattern, one character at a time, start from right side of the pattern.

- **Case 1:** If mismatch cause by right pointer at most right position  $T(i+j-1) \neq P(j)$  or by left pointer at most left position  $T(i) \neq P(1)$  of the pattern here  $j = m$  then scan  $P(j-1..1)$  for character  $P(j')$  which is equal to  $T(i+j-1)$ . If character found in the pattern then align character  $P(j')=P(j-1..1)$  with  $T(i+j-1)$  as in Figure 2.

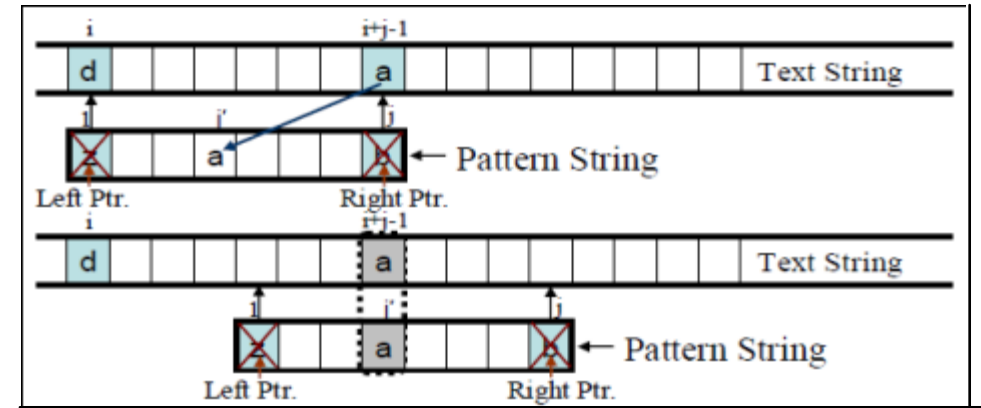


Figure 2: When right most or left most character mismatched.

- Case 2:** If mismatch cause by right pointer at position  $T(i+j-1) \neq P(j)$  where  $1 \leq j \leq m$  and it is not the right most character of the pattern then scan  $P(j-1 \dots 1)$  for character  $P(j'')$  which is equal to  $T(i+j-1)$ . And also scan  $P(m-1 \dots 1)$  for the character  $P(j')$  which is equal to  $T(i+m-1)$ . If characters found in the pattern then align character  $P(j'')=P(j-1 \dots 1)$  with  $T(i+j-1)$  and  $P(j')=P(m-1 \dots 1)$  with  $T(i+m-1)$ , if shift's length of both characters are equal as shown in Figure 3.

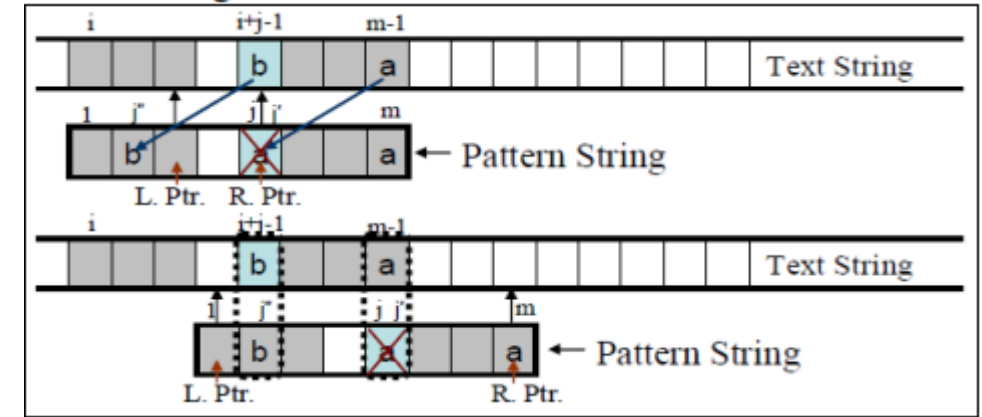


Figure 3: Mismatch by right pointer other than rightmost character.

- Case 3:** If mismatch cause by left pointer at position  $T(i+j-1) \neq P(j)$  where  $1 \leq j \leq m$  and it is not the left most character of the pattern then scan  $P(j-1 \dots 1)$  for character  $P(j'')$  which is equal to  $T(i+j-1)$ . And also scan  $P(m-1 \dots 1)$  for the character  $P(j')$  which is equal to  $T(i+m-1)$ . If characters found in the pattern then align character  $P(j'')=P(j-1 \dots 1)$  with  $T(i+j-1)$  and  $P(j')=P(m-1 \dots 1)$  with  $T(i+m-1)$  if shifts of both characters are at equal length as shown in Figure 4.

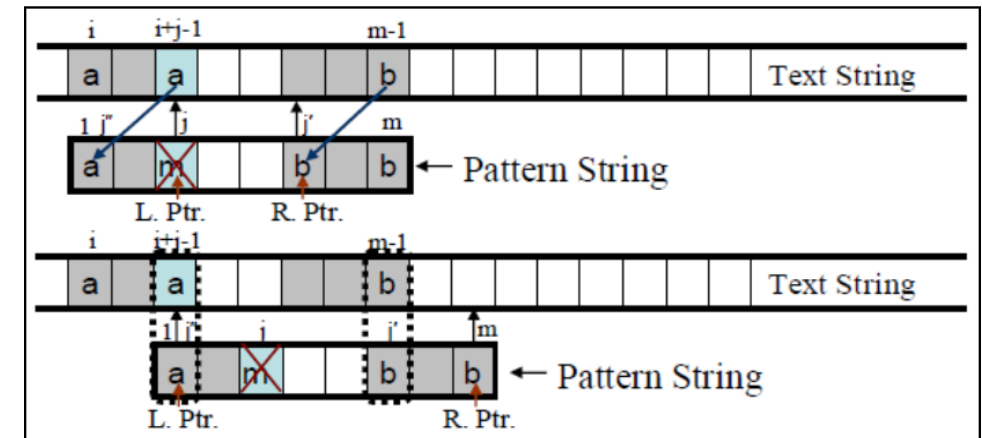


Figure 4: Mismatch by left pointer other than left most character.

- Case 4:** If equal shifts of mismatched (either cause by right or left pointer) and right most characters are not found, and  $P(j') = T(m-1)$  is found at the right of mismatched character  $P(j)$  of the pattern, then align  $P(j')$  with  $T(m-1)$  as in Figure 5.

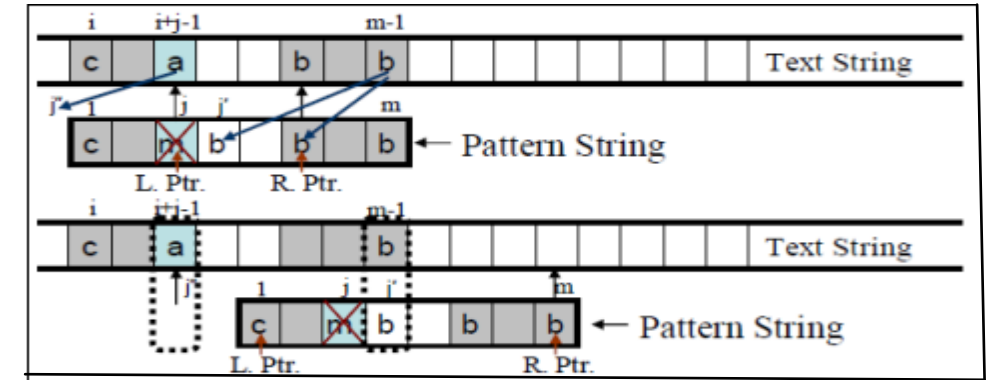


Figure 5: Mismatched character did not find in pattern.

- Case 5:** If equal shifts of mismatched (either cause by right or left pointer) and right most characters, did not find at the left of mismatched character  $P(j)$  of the pattern then align left most character of pattern with  $T(i+m)$  as shown in Figure 6.

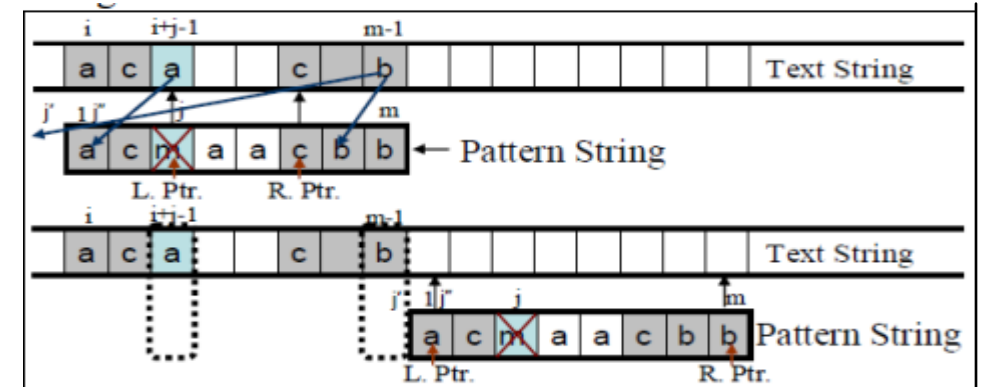


Figure 6: Maximum shift; if rightmost character did not find.

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