

## Solution to HW 4

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1. (a) Prove A is a Monge array

$$\Rightarrow \forall i, j, k, l, A[i, j] + A[k, l] \leq A[i, l] + A[k, j]$$

$$\Rightarrow A[i, j] + A[i + 1, j + 1] \leq A[i, j + 1] + A[i + 1, j]$$

Since this is a if and only if statement we have to prove it both ways.

A is a Monge array  $\implies \forall i, j, A[i, j] + A[i + 1, j + 1] \leq A[i, j + 1] + A[i + 1, j]$

If A is a Monge array then  $\forall i, j, k, l, A[i, j] + A[k, l] \leq A[i, l] + A[k, j]$  is true.

$\forall i, j, A[i, j] + A[i + 1, j + 1] \leq A[i, j + 1] + A[i + 1, j]$  is just a special case of the above property where  $k = i + 1, l = j + 1$ .

Hence proved.

To prove that if  $\forall i, j, A[i, j] + A[i + 1, j + 1] \leq A[i, j + 1] + A[i + 1, j]$  is true then A is a monge array.

Proof by induction:

Base Case :  $2 \times 2$  submatrix of A

Yes this is true beacuse  $k = i + 1, l = j + 1$  are the only possible values.

Assume true for  $2 \times n - 1$  say A' submatrix of A

To prove true for  $2 \times n$

if  $j, l \in A'$  then by inductive hypothesis  $\forall i, j, k, l, A[i, j] + A[k, l] \leq A[i, l] + A[k, j]$  is true.

If  $j \in A'$  and  $l \in A$  then we have

Assume  $j = n - 1, l = n, i = 1, k = 2$

So we get

$$A[1, n - 1] + A[2, n] \leq A[1, n] + A[2, n - 1]$$

This is true from  $\forall i, j, A[i, j] + A[i + 1, j + 1] \leq A[i, j + 1] + A[i + 1, j]$  say T1.

Also

$A[1, 1] + A[2, n - 1] \leq A[1, n - 1] + A[2, 1]$  is true from assumption that A' is true say T2.

Adding T1 and T2 we get:

$$A[1, 1] + A[2, n] \leq A[1, n] + A[2, 1]$$

Which proves for  $2 \times n$

Now we consider the rows:

Base Case :  $2 \times n$  submatrix of A

Yes this is true because we already proved it above.

Assume true for  $m - 1 \times n$  say A' submatrix of A

To prove true for  $m \times n$

Assume  $k = n - 1, l = i, r = m - 1$ .

Let  $A[1, k], A[1, l], A[r, k], A[r, l], A[m, k], A[m, l]$  be  $a, b, c, d, e, f$  respectively.

So we get:

$$c + f \leq e + d$$

from  $\forall i, j, A[i, j] + A[i + 1, j + 1] \leq A[i, j + 1] + A[i + 1, j]$  and the previous induction on columns

$$a + d \leq b + c$$

From  $m - 1 \times n$  case and the previous induction on columns

Adding these 2 terms we get:  $a + f \leq e + b$

which proves true for  $m \times n$

Hence A is a Monge array

- (b) From the previous part we know that an matrix is a monge array iff  $\forall i, j, A[i, j] + A[i + 1, j + 1] \leq A[i, j + 1] + A[i + 1, j]$   
The only element not satisfying that property is  $A[1, 3] = 22$  so we replace 22 by any number  $> 24$  say 26.

- (c) Proof by contradiction:

Assume  $f(i) > f(i + 1)$

Let  $m = f(i), n = f(i + 1)$

Therefore,  $A[i, m] + A[i + 1, n]$  must be the smallest sum between any 2 numbers in the row i and i+1.

But by monge array property  $A[i, m] + A[i + 1, n] \leq A[i, n] + A[i + 1, m]$

Contradiction. Therefore,  $f(i) \leq f(i + 1)$

- (d) Let  $a_i$  be the index of the minimum number in row i.

Assume m is an even number.

$$T(m/2) = T(1) + T(3) + \dots T(m - 1)$$

$$\implies f(m) - f(0) + m/2$$

$$\implies n + m/2$$

$$O(n + m)$$

- (e)  $T[s] = T[m/2] + O(m + n)$

$$\implies T[m/4] + m + m/2 + 2n$$

$$\implies n + n \log m + 2m$$

$$\implies n(1 + \log m) + 2m \implies O(m + n \log m)$$

2. Example of quick sort taking  $O(n^2)$  steps:

When the array is sorted and the pivot element is either the first or last element then quicksort takes  $O(n^2)$  time.

$$\begin{aligned}
T(n) &= c(n + n - 1 + n - 2 + \dots + 1) + n.T(0) \\
&\Rightarrow c \cdot \frac{(n+1)n}{2} + 0 \\
&\Rightarrow O(n^2)
\end{aligned}$$

3. Best Possible partition is  $n/5$

So the tree will be of degree 5 i.e each node will have 5 children.

The height of the tree  $i = \log_5 n$

As we keep increasing the number of partitions the tree height decreases but the constant factor increases as the number of children increase. So it is not better than a binary tree. Thus time complexity will be  $O(n \log_5 n)$

Algorithm will be the same in the book except we will be partitioning the array into 5 parts instead of 2 in every step.

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Partition(i,j, p, A)
  x <- A[p]

  while true do
    repeat
      j <- j + 1
    until A[j] <= x && i <= j

    repeat
      i <- i + 1
    until A[i] >= x && j >= i

    if i < j then
      exchange(A[i], A[j])
    else
      return j

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Quicksort(A, f, len)
  i <- f
  j <- len+1 -f
  f1= partition(i,j, p1, A)
  f2= partition(i,j, p2, A)
  f3= partition(i,j, p3, A)
  f4= partition(i,j, p4, A)
  Quicksort(A, f, f1-f+1)
  Quicksort(A, f1+1, f2-f1)
  Quicksort(A, f2+1, f3-f)
  Quicksort(A, f3+1, f4-f)
  Quicksort(A, f4+1, len-f4-1)

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