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# Algorithm Design and Analysis (H)

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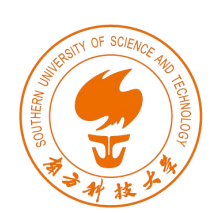
# The power of $O(K^n)$

Rice on a chessboard



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# Dynamic Programming



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# 3. Knapsack Problem



# Knapsack Problem

- Knapsack problem.

- Given  $n$  objects and a "knapsack."
- Item  $i$  weighs  $w_i > 0$  kilograms and has value  $v_i > 0$ .
- Knapsack has capacity of  $W$  kilograms.
- Goal: fill knapsack so as to maximize total value.

- Ex:  $\{ 3, 4 \}$  has value 40.

$$W = 11$$

#	value	weight
1	1	1
2	6	2
3	18	5
4	22	6
5	28	7

- Greedy: repeatedly add item with maximum ratio  $v_i / w_i$ .
- Ex:  $\{ 5, 2, 1 \}$  achieves only value = 35  $\Rightarrow$  greedy not optimal.



# Dynamic Programming: False Start

- Def.  $OPT(i) = \max$  profit subset of items  $1, \dots, i$ .
  - Case 1:  $OPT$  does not select item  $i$ .
    - ✓  $OPT$  selects best of  $\{ 1, 2, \dots, i-1 \}$
  - Case 2:  $OPT$  selects item  $i$ .
    - ✓ accepting item  $i$  does not immediately imply that we will have to reject other items
    - ✓ without knowing what other items were selected before  $i$ , we don't even know if we have enough room for  $i$
- Conclusion. Need more sub-problems!



# Dynamic Programming: Adding a New Variable

•Def.  $OPT(i, w)$  = max profit subset of items  $1, \dots, i$   
with weight limit  $w$ .

- Case 1:  $OPT$  does not select item  $i$ .
  - ✓  $OPT$  selects best of  $\{ 1, 2, \dots, i-1 \}$  using weight limit  $w$
- Case 2:  $OPT$  selects item  $i$ .
  - ✓ new weight limit =  $w - w_i$
  - ✓  $OPT$  selects best of  $\{ 1, 2, \dots, i-1 \}$  using this new weight limit

$$OPT(i, w) = \max (OPT(i - 1, w), v_i + OPT(i - 1, w - w_i))$$



# Knapsack Problem: Bottom-Up

- Knapsack. Fill up an  $n$ -by- $W$  array.

```
Input:  $n, W, w_1, \dots, w_N, v_1, \dots, v_N$ 

for  $w = 0$  to  $W$ 
     $M[0, w] = 0$ 

for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
    for  $w = 1$  to  $W$ 
        if  $(w_i > w)$ 
             $M[i, w] = M[i-1, w]$ 
        else
             $M[i, w] = \max \{M[i-1, w], v_i + M[i-1, w-w_i]\}$ 

return  $M[n, W]$ 
```

$$OPT(i, w) = \max (OPT(i - 1, w), v_i + OPT(i - 1, w - w_i))$$





# Knapsack Algorithm

$W + 1$

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
$\phi$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
{ 1 }	0	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$	$1_{\{1\}}$
{ 1, 2 }	0	$1_{\{1\}}$	$6_{\{2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$
{ 1, 2, 3 }	0	$1_{\{1\}}$	$6_{\{2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$18_{\{3\}}$	$19_{\{1,3\}}$	$24_{\{2,3\}}$	$25_{\{1,2,3\}}$	$25_{\{1,2,3\}}$	$25_{\{1,2,3\}}$	$25_{\{1,2,3\}}$
{ 1, 2, 3, 4 }	0	$1_{\{1\}}$	$6_{\{2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$18_{\{3\}}$	$22_{\{4\}}$	$24_{\{2,3\}}$	$28_{\{2,4\}}$	$29_{\{1,2,4\}}$	$29_{\{1,2,4\}}$	$40_{\{3,4\}}$
{ 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 }	0	$1_{\{1\}}$	$6_{\{2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$7_{\{1,2\}}$	$18_{\{3\}}$	$22_{\{4\}}$	$28_{\{5\}}$	$29_{\{1,5\}}$	$34_{\{2,5\}}$	$34_{\{2,5\}}$	$40_{\{3,4\}}$

OPT: { 3, 4 }  
value = 18 + 22 = 40

$W = 11$

Item	Value	Weight
1	1	1
2	6	2
3	18	5
4	22	6
5	28	7

$$OPT(i, w) = \max (OPT(i - 1, w), v_i + OPT(i - 1, w - w_i))$$



# Knapsack Problem: Running Time

- Running time.  $\Theta(n W)$ .
  - Not polynomial in input size!
  - "Pseudo-polynomial."
  - Decision version of Knapsack is NP-complete. [\[Chapter 8\]](#)
    - ✓ Can a value of at least  $V$  be achieved under a restriction of a certain capacity  $W$ ?
- Knapsack approximation algorithm. There exists a poly-time algorithm that produces a feasible solution that has value within 0.01% of optimum. [\[Section 11.8\]](#)

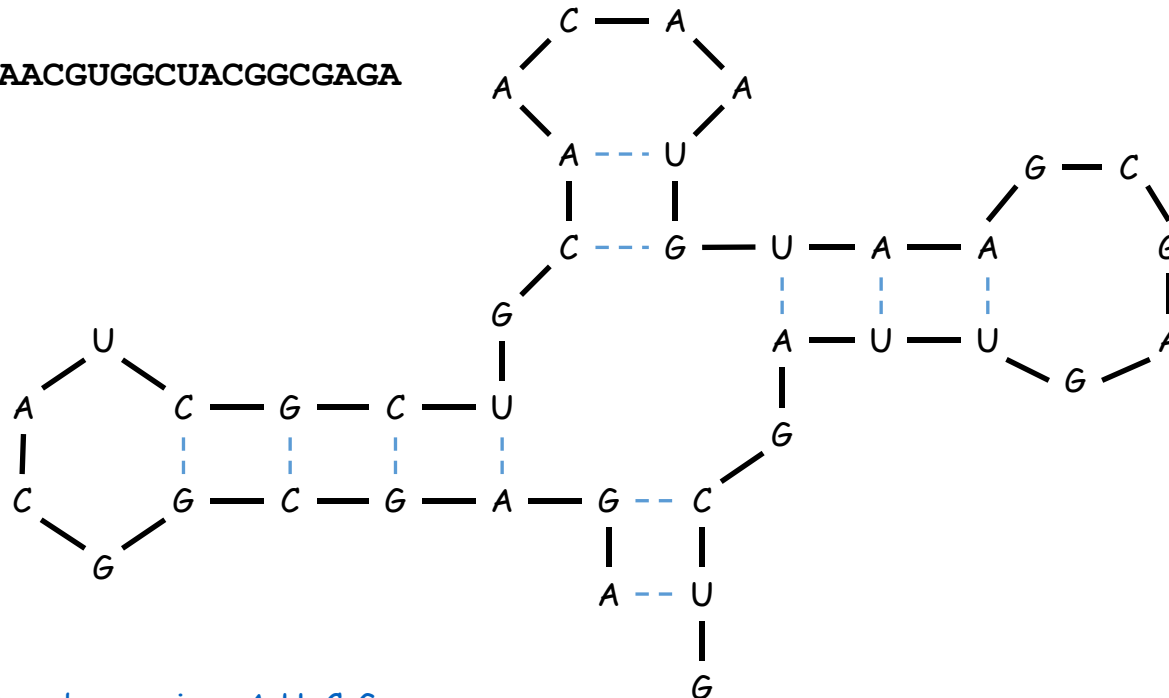


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# 4 RNA Secondary Structure



- Ex: GUCGAUUGAGCGAAUGUAACAACGUGGCUACGGCGAGA

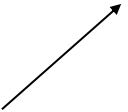




# RNA Secondary Structure

- Secondary structure. A set of pairs  $S = \{ (b_i, b_j) \}$  that satisfy:
  - [Watson-Crick.]  $S$  is a matching and each pair in  $S$  is a Watson-Crick complement: A-U, U-A, C-G, or G-C.
  - [No sharp turns.] The ends of each pair are separated by at least 4 intervening bases. If  $(b_i, b_j) \in S$ , then  $i < j - 4$ .
  - [Non-crossing.] If  $(b_i, b_j)$  and  $(b_k, b_l)$  are two pairs in  $S$ , then we cannot have  $i < k < j < l$ .
- Free energy. Usual hypothesis is that an RNA molecule will form the secondary structure with the optimum total free energy.

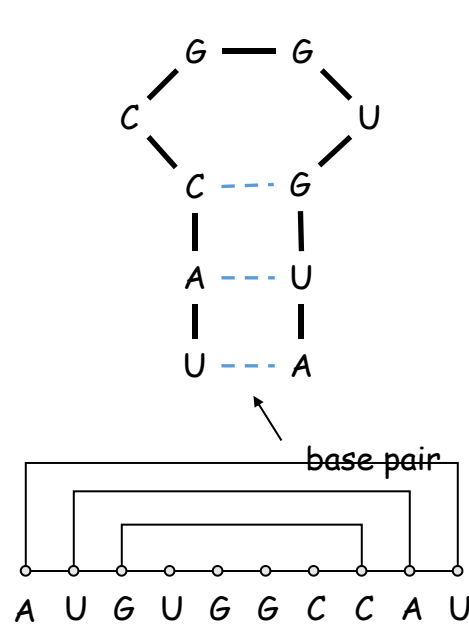
approximate by number of base pairs


- Goal. Given an RNA molecule  $B = b_1b_2\dots b_n$ , find a secondary structure  $S$  that maximizes the number of base pairs.

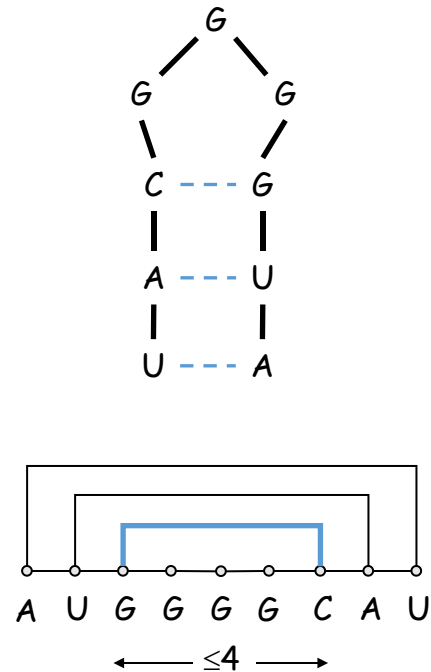


# RNA Secondary Structure: Examples

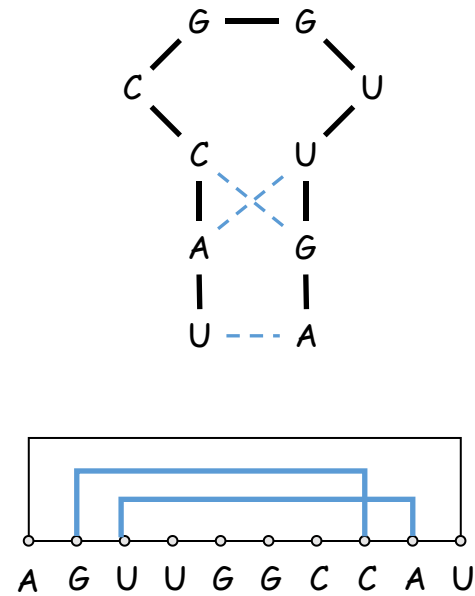
- Examples.



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sharp turn

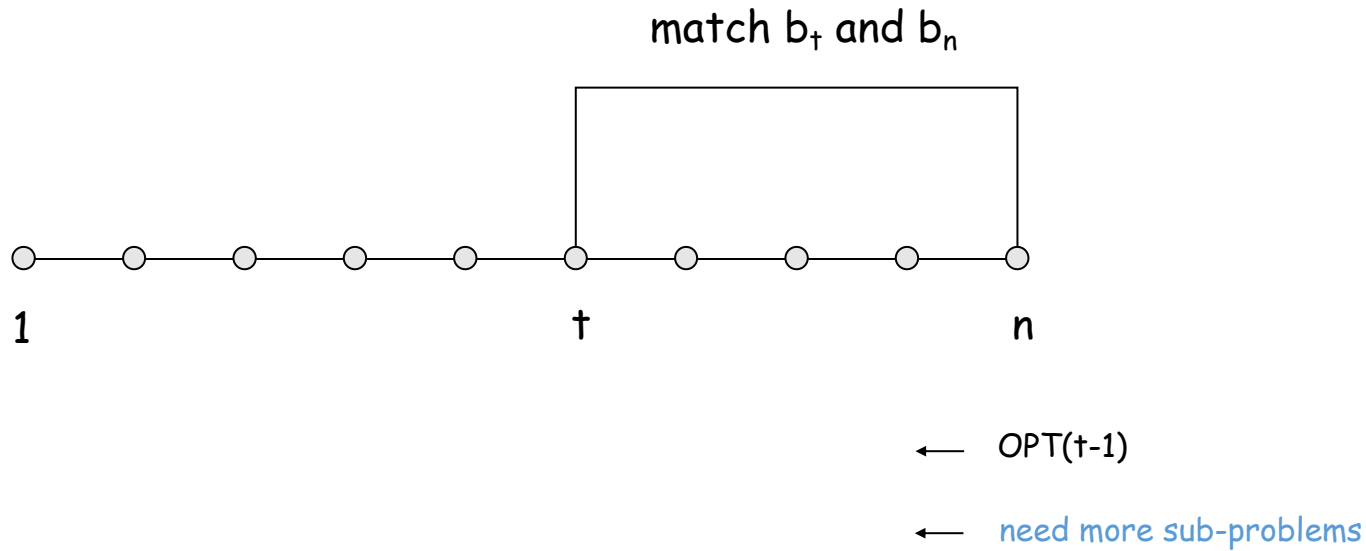


crossing



# RNA Secondary Structure: Subproblems

- First attempt.  $\text{OPT}(j)$  = maximum number of base pairs in a secondary structure of the substring  $b_1b_2\dots b_j$ .



- Difficulty. Results in two sub-problems.
  - Finding secondary structure in:  $b_1b_2\dots b_{t-1}$ .
  - Finding secondary structure in:  $b_{t+1}b_{t+2}\dots b_{n-1}$ .



# Dynamic Programming Over Intervals

•Notation.  $\text{OPT}(i, j)$  = maximum number of base pairs in a secondary structure of the substring  $b_i b_{i+1} \dots b_j$ .

- Case 1. If  $i \geq j - 4$ .
  - ✓  $\text{OPT}(i, j) = 0$  by no-sharp turns condition.
- Case 2. Base  $b_j$  is not involved in a pair.
  - ✓  $\text{OPT}(i, j) = \text{OPT}(i, j-1)$
- Case 3. Base  $b_j$  pairs with  $b_t$  for some  $i \leq t < j - 4$ .
  - ✓ non-crossing constraint decouples resulting sub-problems
  - ✓  $\text{OPT}(i, j) = 1 + \max_t \{ \text{OPT}(i, t-1) + \text{OPT}(t+1, j-1) \}$

↖  
take max over  $t$  such that  $i \leq t < j-4$  and  
 $b_t$  and  $b_j$  are Watson-Crick complements

•Remark. Same core idea in CKY algorithm to parse context-free grammars.





# Example

RNA sequence ACCGGUAGU

4	0	0	0	
3	0	0		
2	0			
$i = 1$				

$j = 6 \quad 7 \quad 8 \quad 9$

Initial values

4	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	1	
2	0	0		
$i = 1$	1			

$j = 6 \quad 7 \quad 8 \quad 9$

Filling in the values  
for  $k = 5$

4	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	1	1
2	0	0	1	
$i = 1$	1	1		

$j = 6 \quad 7 \quad 8 \quad 9$

Filling in the values  
for  $k = 6$

4	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	1	1
2	0	0	1	1
$i = 1$	1	1	1	

$j = 6 \quad 7 \quad 8 \quad 9$

Filling in the values  
for  $k = 7$

4	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	1	1
2	0	0	1	1
$i = 1$	1	1	1	2

$j = 6 \quad 7 \quad 8 \quad 9$

Filling in the values  
for  $k = 8$

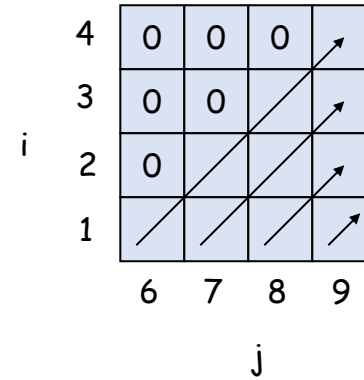
$$OPT(i, j) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } i \geq j - 4 \\ OPT(i, j - 1), & b_j \text{ cannot be paired} \\ 1 + \max_t \{OPT(i, t - 1) + OPT(t + 1, j - 1)\}, & b_j \text{ can be paired} \end{cases}$$



# Bottom Up Dynamic Programming Over Intervals

- Q. What order to solve the sub-problems?
- A. Do shortest intervals first.

```
RNA( $b_1, \dots, b_n$ ) {  
    for  $k = 5, 6, \dots, n-1$   
        for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n-k$   
             $j = i + k$   
            Compute  $M[i, j]$   
  
    return  $M[1, n]$  using recurrence  
}
```



$$OPT(i, j) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } i \geq j - 4 \\ OPT(i, j - 1), & b_j \text{ cannot be paired} \\ 1 + \max_t \{OPT(i, t - 1) + OPT(t + 1, j - 1)\}, & b_j \text{ can be paired} \end{cases}$$

- Running time.  $O(n^3)$ .



# Dynamic Programming Summary

- Recipe.

- Characterize structure of problem.
- Recursively define value of optimal solution.
- Compute value of optimal solution.
- Construct optimal solution from computed information.

- Dynamic programming techniques.

- Binary choice: weighted interval scheduling.
- Multi-way choice: segmented least squares. ← Viterbi algorithm for HMM also uses DP to optimize a maximum likelihood tradeoff between parsimony and accuracy
- Adding a new variable: knapsack.
- Dynamic programming over intervals: RNA secondary structure. ← CKY parsing algorithm for context-free grammar has similar structure

- Top-down vs. bottom-up: different people have different intuitions.