

CH_01_02

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1 Fast Fourier Transform (FFT)

1.1 Recursive Implementation

The recursive implementation of the FFT consist of the following steps:

1. Generate vectors Y and Z :

$$Y_n = X_{2n}, \quad Z_n = X_{2n+1}, \quad n = 0, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1 \quad (1)$$

2. Compute the 2 FFTs for the half size. (Recursive call)

3. Combine both Y_n and Z_n with the butterfly scheme:

$$x_k = y_k + \omega_N^k z_k \quad (2)$$

$$x_{k+\frac{N}{2}} = y_k - \omega_N^k z_k \quad (3)$$

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[ ]: import numpy as np
import cmath

def rekursion(X,inverse):
    # X requires to be a power of 2
    N = np.size(X)

    # decide if inverse or not
    b = 1 if inverse == 1 else -1

    if (N>1):
        # Initialise variables
        Y = np.empty((np.int16(N/2),),np.complex_)
        Z = np.empty((np.int16(N/2),),np.complex_)

        # Generate Vectors Y and Z
        for i in range(0,np.int16(N/2)):
            Y[i] = X[2*i]
            Z[i] = X[2*i+1]

        # recursive call
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    y = rekursion(Y,inverse)
    z = rekursion(Z,inverse)

    # compute butterfly
    x = np.empty((N,),np.complex_)
    for k in range(0,np.int16(N/2)):
        wz = cmath.exp(b*1J*2*cmath.pi*k/N)*z[k]
        x[k] = y[k]+wz
        x[k+np.int16(N/2)] = y[k]-wz

    else:
        # termination case N == 1
        x=X

    return x

def rekfft(X):
    return rekursion(X,0)

def rekifft(X):
    N = np.size(X)
    return 1/N*rekursion(X,1)

print('System computete FFT: \n',np.fft.fft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))
print('Self implemented FFT:\n',rekfft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]),'\n')

print('System computed iFFT:\n',np.fft.ifft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))
print('Self implemented iFFT:\n',rekifft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))

```

System computete FFT:

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[36.+0.j          -4.+9.65685425j -4.+4.j           -4.+1.65685425j
 -4.+0.j          -4.-1.65685425j -4.-4.j           -4.-9.65685425j]

```

Self implemented FFT:

```

[36.+0.j          -4.+9.65685425j -4.+4.j           -4.+1.65685425j
 -4.+0.j          -4.-1.65685425j -4.-4.j           -4.-9.65685425j]

```

System computed iFFT:

```

[ 4.5+0.j          -0.5-1.20710678j -0.5-0.5j        -0.5-0.20710678j
 -0.5+0.j          -0.5+0.20710678j -0.5+0.5j        -0.5+1.20710678j]

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Self implemented iFFT:

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1.2 Iterative Implementation

In the iterative implementation the FFT is divided into a sorting phase and a computational phase.

1.2.1 Sorting algorithm:

The sorting algorithm can be implemented by bit reversal. For a vector of length $N = 2^p$ we obtain a runtime:

1. Each bit reversal has runtime $\mathcal{O}(p)$
2. Bit reversal is run for N

Given a complete runtime of $\mathcal{O}(N \log N)$

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[ ]: def fftshift(X):  
    # X requires to be a power of 2  
    N = np.size(X)  
    p = np.int16(np.log2(N)) # size(N) = 2^p  
  
    for n in range(0,N):  
        j = 0; m = n  
        for i in range(0,p):  
            j = np.int16(2*j + m%2); m = np.int16(m/2)  
        if (j>n):  
            h = X[j]; X[j] = X[n]; X[n] = h  
  
    return X  
  
print('Indices: ', [0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7])  
print('Shifted Indices: ', fftshift([0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7]))
```

Indices: [0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7]

Shifted Indices: [0, 4, 2, 6, 1, 5, 3, 7]

1.2.2 Iterative Butterfly implemetation

There exist different variants, which will be implemented seperately below:

1. Variant:

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[ ]: def butterfly_v1(X, inverse):  
    # X requires to be a power of 2 and sorted by fftshift  
    X = np.array(X, np.complex_)  
    N = np.size(X)  
    p = np.int16(np.log2(N)) # size(N) = 2^p  
  
    # decide if inverse or not  
    b = 1 if inverse == 1 else -1  
  
    for L in 2**np.array(range(1,p+1)):  
        for k in np.arange(0,N,L):  
            for j in range(0, np.int_(L/2)):  
                wz = cmath.exp(b*1J*2*cmath.pi*j/L)*X[k+j+np.int_(L/2)]  
                X[k+j+np.int_(L/2)] = X[k+j] - wz
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        X[k+j] = X[k+j] + wz
    return X

def itfft_v1(X):
    return butterfly_v1(fftshift(X),0)

def itifft_v1(X):
    return 1/np.size(X)*butterfly_v1(fftshift(X),1)

print('System compute FFT: \n',np.fft.fft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))
print('Self implemented FFT:\n',itfft_v1([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]),'\n')

print('System computed iFFT:\n',np.fft.ifft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))
print('Self implemented iFFT:\n',itifft_v1([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))

```

System compute FFT:

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```

Self implemented FFT:

```

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 -4.+0.j          -4.-1.65685425j -4.-4.j           -4.-9.65685425j]

```

System computed iFFT:

```

[ 4.5+0.j          -0.5-1.20710678j -0.5-0.5j         -0.5-0.20710678j
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```

Self implemented iFFT:

```

[ 4.5+0.j          -0.5-1.20710678j -0.5-0.5j         -0.5-0.20710678j
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```

Variant 1 can also be implemented vectorised with the help of SIMD. Therefore it is possible to speed up computation time

```

[ ]: from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
import time

def butterfly_v1_vec(X,inverse):
    # X requires to be a power of 2 and sorted by fftshift
    X = np.array(X,np.complex_)
    N = np.size(X)
    p = np.int16(np.log2(N)) # size(N) = 2^p

    # decide if inverse or not
    b = 1 if inverse == 1 else -1

    SIMD_LENGTH = 16

    for L in 2**np.array(range(1,p+1)):

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        d = np.min([SIMD_LENGTH,np.int_(L/2)])
        for k in np.arange(0,N,L):
            for j in np.arange(0,np.int_(L/2),SIMD_LENGTH):
                kjStart = k+j
                kjEnde = k+j+d
                wz = np.multiply(np.exp(b*1J*2*np.pi*np.
↪arange(kjStart-k,kjEnde-k)/L),X[kjStart+np.int_(L/2):kjEnde+np.int_(L/2)])
                X[kjStart+np.int_(L/2):kjEnde+np.int_(L/2)] = np.
↪subtract(X[kjStart:kjEnde],wz)
                X[kjStart:kjEnde] = np.add(X[kjStart:kjEnde],wz)
            return X

def itfft_v1_vec(X):
    return butterfly_v1_vec(fftshift(X),0)

def itifft_v1_vec(X):
    return 1/np.size(X)*butterfly_v1_vec(fftshift(X),1)

plt.figure(figsize=(7,7))
size = 2**11
Y = np.random.randn(size)+np.random.randn(size)*1J
X = Y

print('Iterative FFT:')
t = time.time()
fhat = itfft_v1(X)
elapsed = time.time()-t
print('Elapsed time =',elapsed)
plt.subplot(2,1,1)
plt.title('Powerspectrum')
plt.ylabel('$|F^2|$')
plt.plot(np.abs(fhat**2))

X = fftshift(Y) # FFT shift is needed due to modification of X in fftshift

print('Vectorised FFT:')
t = time.time()
fhat = itifft_v1_vec(X)
elapsed = time.time()-t
print('Elapsed time =',elapsed)
plt.plot(np.abs(fhat**2))

plt.subplot(2,1,2)
plt.plot(np.real(fftshift(X)))
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.title('Data')

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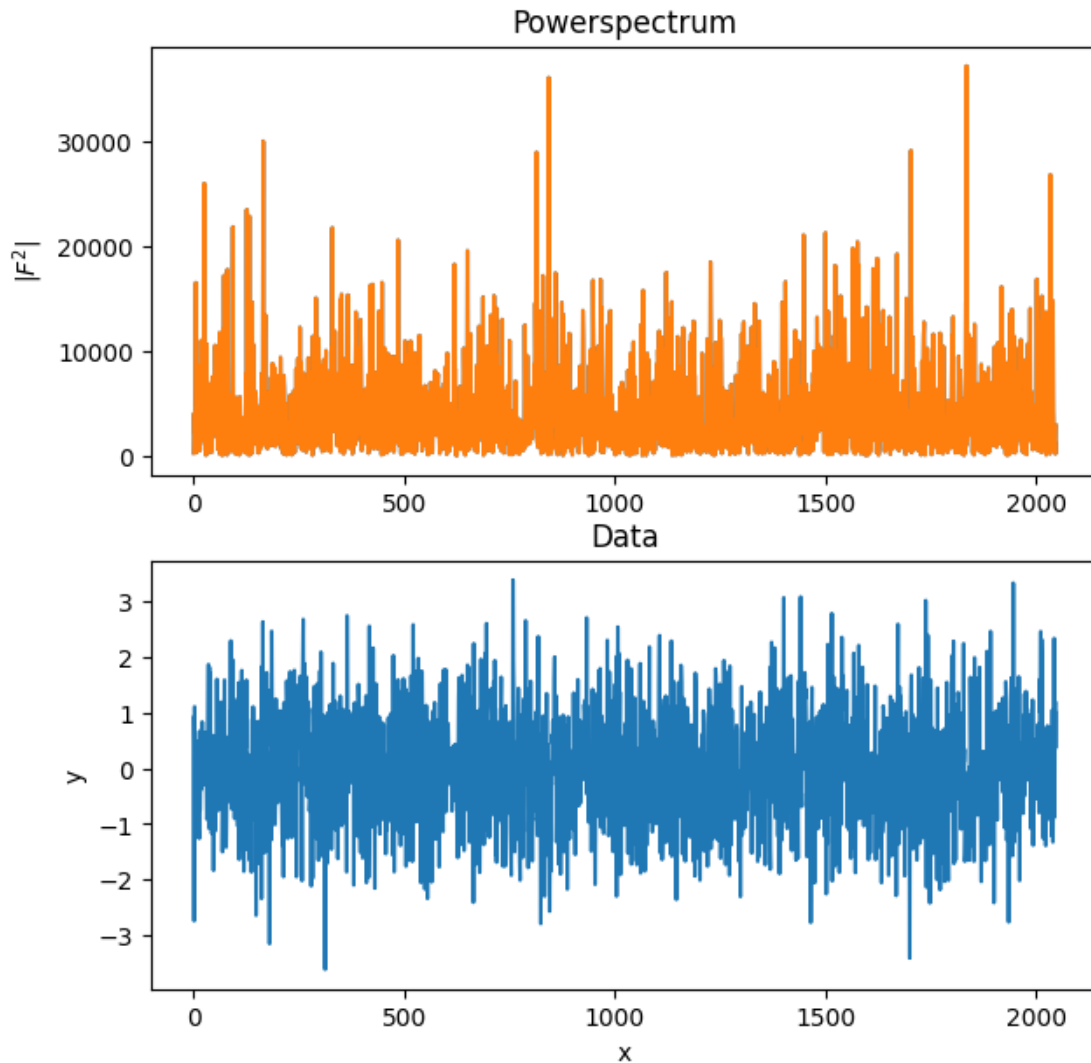
```
plt.show()
```

Iterative FFT:

Elapsed time = 0.3464686870574951

Vectorised FFT:

Elapsed time = 0.26685214042663574



2. Variant : In the second variant the k and j loops can be permuted, such that ω_L^j is computed in the outer loop and therefore reduces computation complexity.

```
[ ]: def butterfly_v2(X,inverse):  
    # X requires to be a power of 2 and sorted by fftshift  
    X = np.array(X,np.complex_)  
    N = np.size(X)
```

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p = np.int16(np.log2(N)) # size(N) = 2^p

# decide if inverse or not
b = 1 if inverse == 1 else -1

for L in 2*np.array(range(1,p+1)):
    wz = cmath.exp(b*1J*2*cmath.pi*j/L)*X[k+j+np.int_(L/2)]
    for j in range(0,np.int_(L/2)):
        for k in np.arange(0,N,L):
            X[k+j+np.int_(L/2)] = X[k+j] - wz
            X[k+j] = X[k+j] + wz
    return X

def itfft_v2(X):
    return butterfly_v2(fftshift(X),0)

def itifft_v2(X):
    return 1/np.size(X)*butterfly_v2(fftshift(X),1)

print('System compute FFT: \n',np.fft.fft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))
print('Self implemented FFT:\n',itfft_v1([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]),'\n')

print('System computed iFFT:\n',np.fft.ifft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))
print('Self implemented iFFT:\n',itifft_v1([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))

```

System compute FFT:

```

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 -4.+0.j          -4.-1.65685425j -4.-4.j           -4.-9.65685425j]

```

Self implemented FFT:

```

[36.+0.j          -4.+9.65685425j -4.+4.j           -4.+1.65685425j
 -4.+0.j          -4.-1.65685425j -4.-4.j           -4.-9.65685425j]

```

System computed iFFT:

```

[ 4.5+0.j          -0.5-1.20710678j -0.5-0.5j         -0.5-0.20710678j
 -0.5+0.j          -0.5+0.20710678j -0.5+0.5j         -0.5+1.20710678j]

```

Self implemented iFFT:

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```

Loop Blocking By loop blocking the advantage of recursion, not loading entire X into the cache in each L loop, can be used to enhance performance.

```

[ ]: def butterfly_v1_loop(X,inverse):
    # X requires to be a power of 2 and sorted by fftshift
    X = np.array(X,np.complex_)
    N = np.size(X)
    p = np.int16(np.log2(N)) # size(N) = 2^p

```

```

# decide if inverse or not
b = 1 if inverse == 1 else -1

M = 4

for L in 2*np.array(range(1,p+1)):
    M = np.max([M,L])
    for kb in np.arange(0,N,M):
        for k in np.arange(kb,kb+M,L):
            for j in range(0,np.int_(L/2)):
                wz = cmath.exp(b*1J*2*cmath.pi*j/L)*X[k+j+np.int_(L/2)]
                X[k+j+np.int_(L/2)] = X[k+j] - wz
                X[k+j] = X[k+j] + wz
    return X

def itfft_v1_loop(X):
    return butterfly_v1_loop(fftshift(X),0)

def itiff_t_v1_loop(X):
    return 1/np.size(X)*butterfly_v1_loop(fftshift(X),1)

print('System compute FFT: \n',np.fft.fft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))
print('Self implemented FFT:\n',itfft_v1_loop([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]),'\n')

print('System computed iFFT:\n',np.fft.ifft([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))
print('Self implemented iFFT:\n',itiff_t_v1_loop([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]))

```

System compute FFT:

```

[36.+0.j          -4.+9.65685425j -4.+4.j           -4.+1.65685425j
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```

Self implemented FFT:

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```

System computed iFFT:

```

[ 4.5+0.j          -0.5-1.20710678j -0.5-0.5j        -0.5-0.20710678j
 -0.5+0.j          -0.5+0.20710678j -0.5+0.5j        -0.5+1.20710678j]

```

Self implemented iFFT:

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[ 4.5+0.j          -0.5-1.20710678j -0.5-0.5j        -0.5-0.20710678j
 -0.5+0.j          -0.5+0.20710678j -0.5+0.5j        -0.5+1.20710678j]

```

In the loop blocking scheme we can exchange the kb and L loop. It is more efficient to perform the loop exchange for $L \leq M$ and no loop break in case of $L > M$.