

# ALGORITHM DESIGN USING DYNAMIC PROGRAMMING METHOD



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# Overview of Algorithm Design

## 1. Initial Solution

- a. Recursive Definition – A set of Solutions
- b. Inductive Proof of Correctness
- c. Analysis Using Recurrence Relations

## 2. Exploration of Possibilities

- a. Decomposition or Unfolding of the Recursion Tree
- b. Examination of Structures formed
- c. Re-composition Properties

divide & conquer  
greedy

## 3. Choice of Solution & Complexity Analysis

- a. Balancing the Split, Choosing Paths
- b. Identical Sub-problems      memorization

## 4. Data Structures & Complexity Analysis

- a. Remembering Past Computation for Future
- b. Space Complexity

## 5. Final Algorithm & Complexity Analysis

- a. Traversal of the Recursion Tree
- b. Pruning

## 6. Implementation

- a. Available Memory, Time, Quality of Solution, etc

## 1. Core Methods

- a. Divide and Conquer ✓
- b. Greedy Algorithms ✓
- c. **Dynamic Programming**
- d. Branch-and-Bound
- e. Analysis using Recurrences
- f. Advanced Data Structuring

## Important Problems to be addressed

- a. Sorting and Searching
- b. Strings and Patterns
- c. Trees and Graphs
- d. Combinatorial Optimization

## 3. Complexity & Advanced Topics

- a. Time and Space Complexity
- b. Lower Bounds
- c. Polynomial Time, NP-Hard
- d. Parallelizability, Randomization

# Basics of Dynamic Programming Method

1. Recursive Decomposition optimization  
↳ optimal sub-structure
2. HANDLING IDENTICAL SUB-PROBLEMS }  
exponential time complexity
3. MEMOIZATION & REUSE  
Remember → Data Storage
4. Evaluation
  - A) Top-down ✓ done [ ]
  - B) Iterative Bottom up ↲
5. Data Structures  
↳ preprocessing

acyclic structure

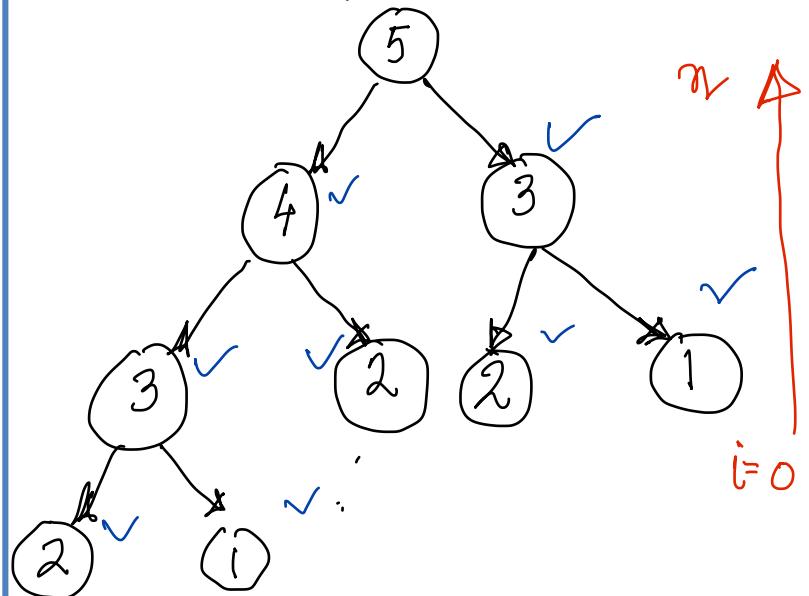
- a) Fibonacci (Pingala) ✓
- b) Matrix Chain Multiplication
- c) String Related
  - Longest Common Subsequence
  - Sequence Alignment
  - NLP related problems
- d) Matrix operations
- e) Graph Algorithms
- f) Coins / knapsack
- g) optimal BST



# Revising Fibonacci-like Structures

$$f(n) = f(n-1) + f(n-2), n \geq 2$$
$$= 0, n=0$$
$$= 1, n=1$$

$n-k$  constant  $k$



$F[i]$ ,  $\text{Done}[i]$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Done}[0] = \text{Done}[1] = 1 \\ \text{All other } \text{Done}[i] = 0 \end{array} \right\}$$
$$F[0] = 0 \quad F[1] = 1$$

eval-f(n)

{  
  if  $\text{Done}[n] = 1$  return ( $F[n]$ )  
  else

$m = \text{eval-f}(n-1) + \text{eval-f}(n-2)$

$\text{Done}[n] = 1$

$F[n] = m$

} return ( $F[n]$ )

$F[0]=0, F[1]=1$   
for  $i = 2$  to  $n$  do  
 $F[i] = F[i-1] + F[i-2]$

only 2 add'l variables

Ackermann's Function

# Fibonacci-like Structures (cntd.)

$$f(n) = \begin{cases} r(n) & \text{if } c(n) \text{ is true} \\ f(g(n)) + f(h(n)) & \text{if } c(n) \text{ is false} \end{cases}$$

where  $c(n)$ ,  $r(n)$ ,  $g(n)$ ,  
 $h(n)$  are not recursive and  
can be computed deterministically

$F[]$

$\text{Done}[i]$

check for cycles

- 0 if it has not been evaluated
- 1 if evaluation has begun but not completed
- 2 if final value is computed

Top-down

1

eval-f(n)

if ( $\text{Done}[n] = 2$ ) return ( $F[n]$ )

Base

if ( $c(n) = \text{true}$ )

$\text{Done}[n] = 2, F[n] = r(n)$

return ( $F[n]$ )

3

cycle detection

$\text{Done}[n] = 1$

$x = g(n), y = h(n)$

4

Recursive

$z = \text{eval-f}(x) + \text{eval-f}(y)$

$F[n] = z$

$\text{Done}[n] = 2$

return ( $F[n]$ )

2

$M_1 \times M_2 \times \dots \times M_n$ 

## MATRIX CHAIN MULTIPLICATION Problem

 $M_1 \times N_2 \times \dots \times N_n$ 

$$(M_1 \times (M_2 \times (M_3 \times M_4))) = ((M_1 \times M_2) \times (M_3 \times M_4)) = (((M_1 \times M_2) \times M_3) \times M_4) = \\ (M_1 \times (M_2 \times M_3)) \times M_4) \leftarrow M_1 \times ((M_2 \times M_3) \times M_4)$$

BUT THE NUMBER OF MULTIPLICATIONS TO GET THE ANSWER DIFFER !!

Let A be a [p by q] Matrix and B be a [q by r] Matrix. The number of multiplications needed to compute  $A \times B = p^*q^*r$

$$\rightarrow C(1) = 0 \quad C(2) = 1$$

$$M_1 \times M_2 \times M_3 \times M_4$$

associative

$$[P_1, P_2] [P_2, P_3] [P_3, P_4]$$

Thus if M1 be a [10 by 30] Matrix, M2 be a [30 by 5] Matrix and M3 be a [5 by 60] Matrix

Then the number of computations for

$$(M_1 \times M_2) \times M_3 = 10^*30^*5 \text{ for } P = (M_1 \times M_2) \text{ and } 10^*5^*60 \text{ for } P \times M_3. \text{ Total } = 4500$$

$$M_1 \times (M_2 \times M_3) = 30^*5^*60 \text{ for } Q = (M_2 \times M_3) \text{ and } 10^*30^*60 \text{ for } M_1 \times Q. \text{ Total } = 27000$$

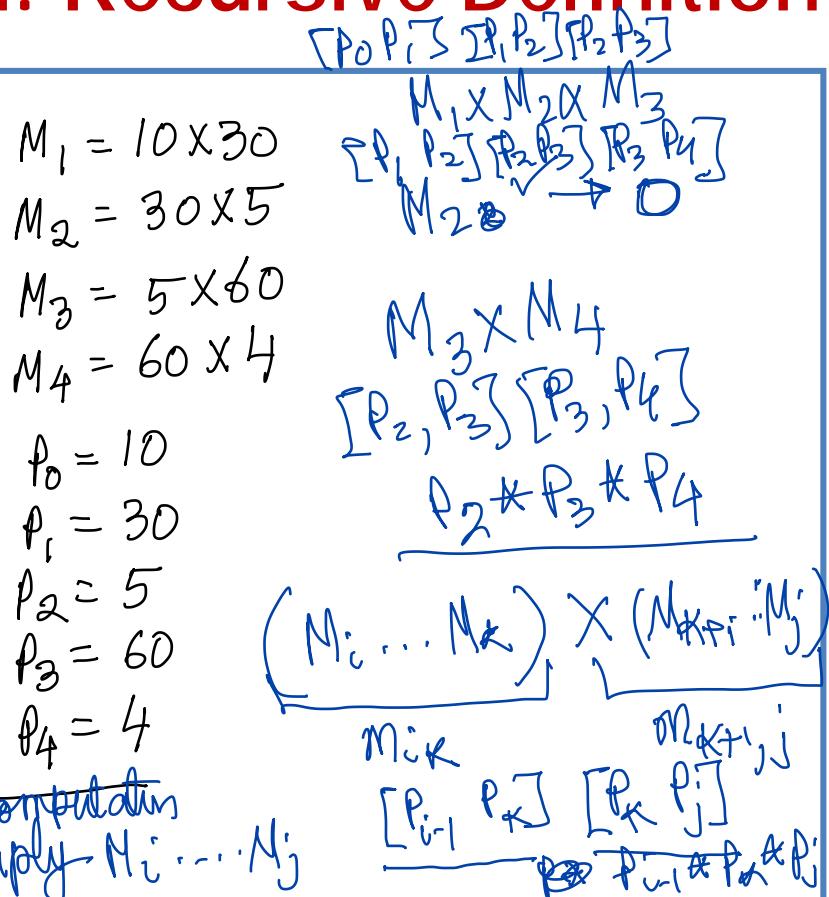
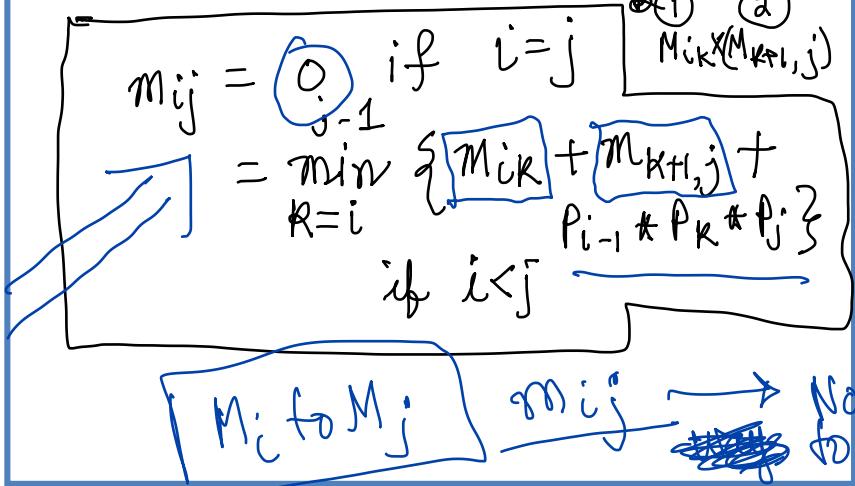
$$C(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} C(i) * C(n-i)$$

# Matrix Chain Multiplication: Recursive Definition

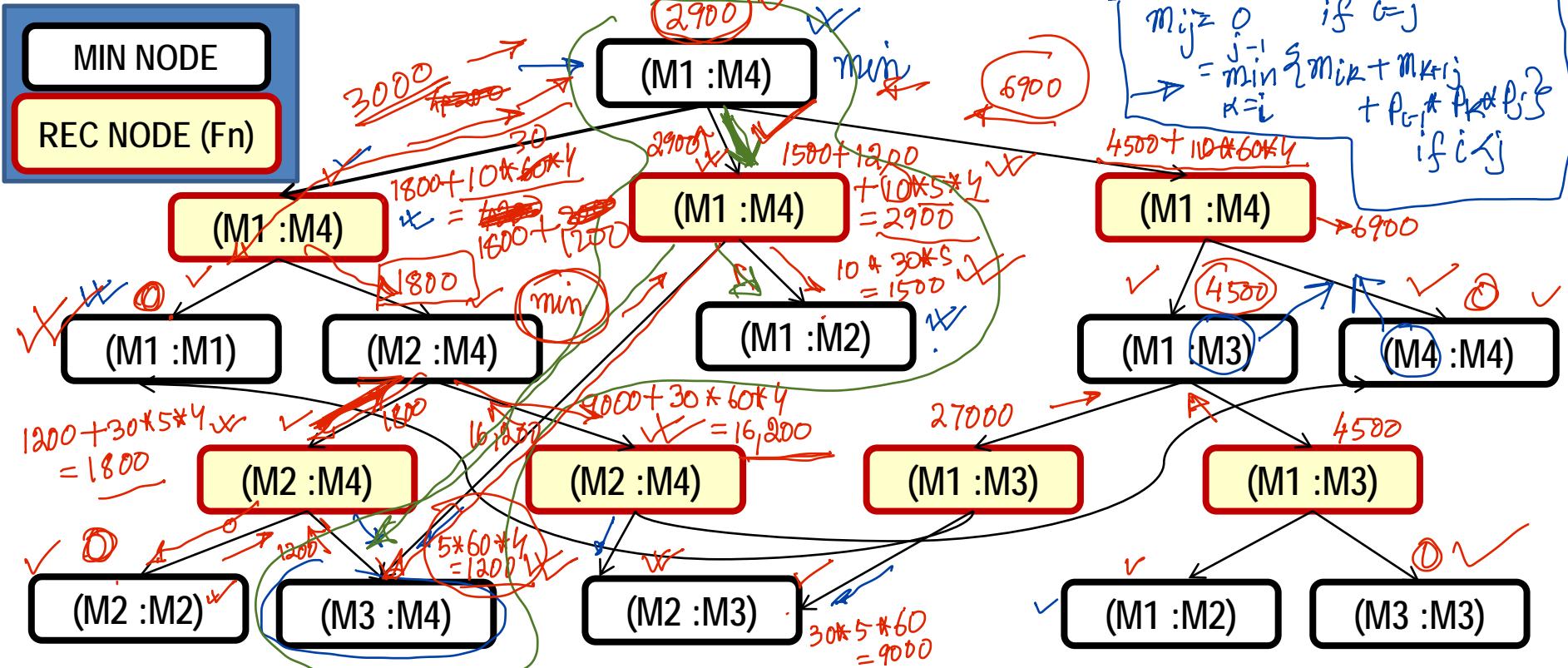
$$M_1 \times M_2 \times M_3 \times \dots \times M_n$$

$$[P_0, P_1] [P_1, P_2] [P_2, P_3] \dots [P_{n-1}, P_n]$$

$m_{ij}$  = optimal multiplications for multiplying  $M_i \times M_{i+1} \dots \times M_j$



# MATRIX CHAIN MULTIPLICATION: RECURSIVE STRUCTURE



$$(M1 \times (M2 \times (M3 \times M4))) = ((M1 \times M2) \times (M3 \times M4)) = (((M1 \times M2) \times M3) \times M4) = (M1 \times (M2 \times M3)) \times M4)$$

M1 [10 by 30], M2 [30 by 5], M3 [5 by 60], M4 [60 by 4]

$p_1 = 10$   $p_2 = 30$   $p_3 = 5$   $p_4 = 60$   $p_5 = 4$

# Matrix Chain Multiplication: Top-Down Evaluation

$M[i, j]$ ,  $\text{Done}[i, j] = 0$

eval-m( $i, j$ )

~~REUSE~~

{ if ( $\text{Done}[i, j] = 1$ ) return ( $M[i, j]$ )

~~BASE~~

{ if ( $i = j$ ) {  $\text{Done}[i, j] = 1$  ;  
 $M[i, j] = 0$  ;  
return ( $M[i, j]$ ) }

~~RECURSIVE~~

Val =  $\alpha$   
for ( $k = i$  to  $j - 1$ )  
{  $v_k = \text{eval-m}(i, k) +$   
 $\text{eval-m}(k + 1, j)$   
 $+ p[i-1] * p[k] * p[j]$   
if ( $v_k < \text{val}$ )  $\text{val} = v_k$

( $1, n$ )

$\text{Done}[i, j] = 1$   
 $M[i, j] = \text{val}$   
return ( $M[i, j]$ )

2

$n^2 \rightarrow M[i, j]$

$n$

$O(n^3)$

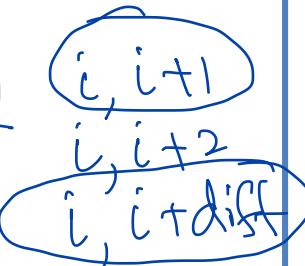
I can decipher my ~~#~~ acyclic dependency structure

$(i, i)$        $O(n^2 * n)$   
 $(i, i+1)$        $= O(n^3)$   
 $(i, i+2)$        $(i, i+3) \dots (i, n)$

Bottom-up iterative algorithm

# Matrix Chain Multiplication: Iterative Evaluation

	1	2	3	4
1	0			
2	0			
3		0		
4			0	



	1	2	3	4
1	10	30	5	60
2		2	3	4
3				
4				

$O(n^2 \times n)$

$O(n^3)$

$\frac{(1,2)}{(1,3)}, \frac{(2,3)}{(2,4)}, \dots$

	1	2	3	4
1	0	1500	1500	2900
2		0	9000	1800
3			0	1200
4				0

iterative eval()

{ for ( $i = 1$  to  $n$ )  $M[i, i] = 0$

for ( $diff = 1$  to  $n-1$ )

for ( $i = 1$  to  $n-diff$ )

$j = i + diff$

$M[i, j] = \alpha$

for ( $k = i$  to  $j-1$ )

$q = M[i, k] + M[k+1, j]$   
 $+ p[i-1] * p[k] * p[j]$

if ( $q < M[i, j]$ )  $M[i, j] = q$

$O(n \cdot n \cdot n) = O(n^3)$

# String Matching Problems

## 1. Pattern Matching in a Text

S: string of characters

P: string of characters

Find occurrences of P in S

(a) Exact Match

(b) Approximate match

S: a abac a ababacaa

P: ababac ↑

S: abababac  
P: aba

## 2. Sequence Alignment Problem

X: INTERACTION

Y: CONTRADICT

N TRACT

CTI

NTRAI

a) All matches of length  $\geq k$

b) Longest match

↳ Longest Common Subsequence  
Protein Alignment

ATCG

X: C G A T A A T T G A G A

Y: G T T C C T A A T A

EDIT  
DISTANCE  
PROBLEMS

# Exact Pattern Matching in a String

$$S = \{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}$$

$$P = \{P_1, P_2, \dots, P_m\}$$

match ( $s, p$ )

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{ if (IS < IPS) return 0;  
    return 1;
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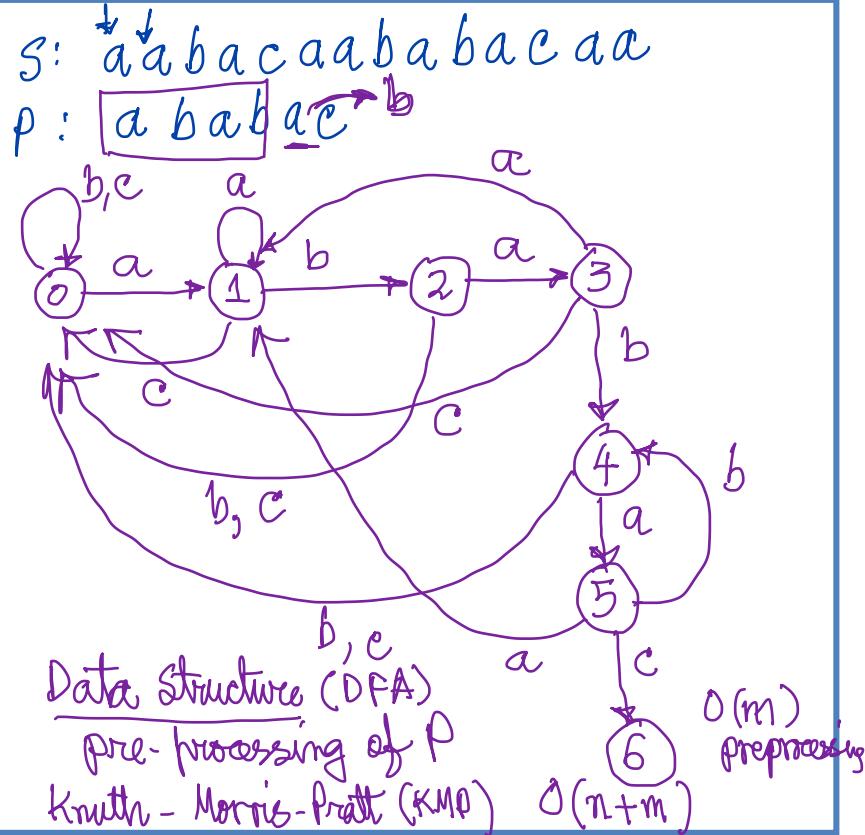
if ( $|P| = 0$ ), return 1.  
 $x = 0$ ;  $y = 0$

if ( $s_1 = p_1$ )  
 $\{ x = \underline{\text{match\_exact}}(S - \{s_1\},$   
 $P - \{p_1\}) \}$

match-exact(S, P)

has to be  
written  
separately

easily converted into iteration



# Longest Common Subsequence (LCS)

X: INTERACTION

Y: CONTRADICT

Z<sub>1</sub>: NTRACT ←

Z<sub>2</sub>: NTRAI

Z<sub>3</sub>: CTI

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S<sub>1</sub>: C GATAA T T GAGA

S<sub>2</sub>: G T T C C TAA TA  
            ↑

a) Longest Common Subsequence

b) All Common Subsequences of  
length  $\geq k$   
or length  $\geq (1-\varepsilon)LCS$

- associative
- mutations / commutativity

More General Formulation

↳ EDIT Distance

# LCS: Recursive Formulation

$\text{LCS}(X, Y)$

{ if ( $X = \text{NULL}$  or  $Y = \text{NULL}$ )  
    return ( $\text{NULL}$ );

let  $X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$

$Y = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_m\}$

if ( $x_1 = y_1$ )

{  $Z_1 = x_1 \parallel \text{LCS}(X - \{x_1\}, Y - \{y_1\})$

return ( $Z_1$ )

}

else

{  $Z_2 = \text{LCS}(X - \{x_1\}, Y);$  ✓  
 $Z_3 = \text{LCS}(X, Y - \{y_1\});$  ✓  
 $Z = \max(Z_2, Z_3)$   
return ( $Z$ )

}

$\boxed{\begin{array}{l} X: \text{YES} \\ Y: \text{YES} \\ \downarrow \text{ET, ES} \end{array}}$

INTERACTION

CONTRADICT

$Z_2: X = \text{INTERACTION}$   
 $Y = \text{CONTRADICT}$

$Z_3: X = \text{INTERACTION}$   
 $Y = \text{ONTRADICT}$

# LCS: Dynamic Programming

$$\text{LCS}(x_i, y_j) = 0 \text{ if } i=0 \text{ or } j=0$$

$$= \text{LCS}(x_{i-1}, y_{j-1}) + 1$$

→  
if  $x_i = y_j$   
 $\& i > 0, j > 0$

$$= \max \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{LCS}(x_{i-1}, y_j), \\ \text{LCS}(x_i, y_{j-1}) \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x = \text{HELLO} \\ y = \text{YELLOW} \end{array} \right\} \boxed{\text{ELLO}}$$

memorize  $L[i:j]$

	Y	E	L	L	O	W
0	+					
H 1	.					
E 2			1	2		
L 3			1	2	3	
L 4			1	2	3	
O 5			1	2	3	

W W

$\text{LCS}(x_i, y_j)$   
Top-down, Bottom-up W W

# LCS: Dynamic Programming Implementation

LCS\_iter( )

$L[i, j]$

{ for ( $i = 1$  to  $n$ )  $L[i, 0] = 0$   
for ( $j = 1$  to  $m$ )  $L[0, j] = 0$   $\times$

for ( $i = 1$  to  $n$ )

$O(n \cdot m)$

for ( $j = 1$  to  $m$ )

{ if ( $X[i] = Y[j]$ )

$L[i, j] = L[i-1, j-1] + 1$

else

$L[i, j] = \max\{L[i-1, j], L[i, j-1]\}$

}

HELLO, YELLOW

$P[i, j]$

	0	Y	E	L	L	O	W	$P[i, j]$
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
H1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
E2	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	
L3	0	0	1	2	2	2	2	
L4	0	0	1	2	3	3	3	
O5	0	0	1	2	3	4	4	

$O(n \cdot m)$  space

ELLO

# Edit Distance

X: HELLO

Y: YELLOW

spelling errors

Letter switches

Typo's

General Approximate Match

S1:



ELLO

} Transforming

S1 to S2  
using  
ins, del,  
subst

S2:

YELLOW

→ subst (H,Y)  
→ delete (H)

or insert (Y)

costs for each of

insert

delete

substitute

match: cost = 0

ex: ins: 1, del: 1, subs: 2

ins(Y), del(H)

match	(HELLO -)	match (YELLOW -)	match (YELLOW -)
~	HELLO (YELLOW)	HELLO (YELLOW)	(W)
(ins Y)	* HELLO (ELLOW)	HELLO (ELLOW)	ins(W)
~	YELLO (ELLOW)	ELLO (ELLOW)	YELLOW (P)
del(H)	YELLO (ELLOW)	ELLO (ELLOW)	
match	YELLO (LOW)	ELLO (LOW)	
match	YELLO (OW)	ELLO (OW)	
match	YELLO ( )	ELLO ( )	

cost 3

# Edit Distance: Formulation

$$d[i, 0] = \sum_{k=1}^i \text{del}_i$$

$$d[0, j] = \sum_{k=1}^j \text{ins}_j$$

$$d[i, j] = d[i-1, j-1] \text{ if } x_i = y_j$$

$$= \min \begin{cases} d[i-1, j] + \text{del}_i, \\ d[i, j-1] + \text{ins}_j, \\ d[i-1, j-1] + \text{sub}_{i,j} \end{cases}$$

Costs:  $\text{ins} = 1, \text{del} = 1$

$\text{subst} = 2$

	O	Y <sub>1</sub>	E <sub>2</sub>	L <sub>3</sub>	L <sub>4</sub>	O <sub>5</sub>	W <sub>6</sub>
O	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
Y <sub>1</sub>	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
E <sub>2</sub>	2	3	2	3	4	5	6
L <sub>3</sub>	3	4	3	2	3	4	5
L <sub>4</sub>	4	5	4	3	2	3	4
O <sub>5</sub>	5	6	5	4	3	2	3
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$O(m, n)$  time

$O(m \cdot n)$  space  $\leftarrow$  memoized space

# Edit Distance using Dynamic Programming

As a practice write down

- a) Top-down algorithm with memoization
- b) Bottom-up iterative algorithm

# Variations

1. More operators like exchanges in rows (commutativity)  
though though
2. Various kinds of approximate matches
3. Multidimensional matching or alignment

→ HASH TABLES

## Dynamic Programming

1. Knapsack Problem
2. Matrix, Graph Path
3. Optimal Weighted BST

**Thank you**

**Any Questions?**