

Algorithm & Data Structure Analysis

Lecture 3: Recursive Multiplication

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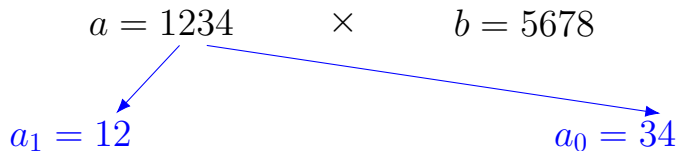
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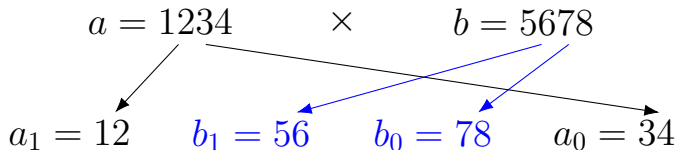
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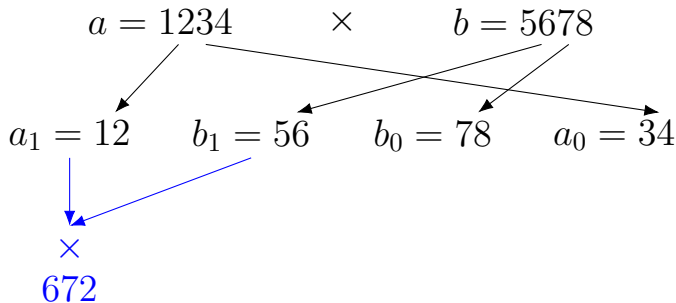
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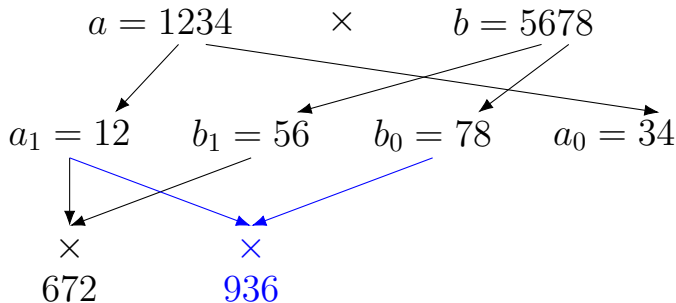
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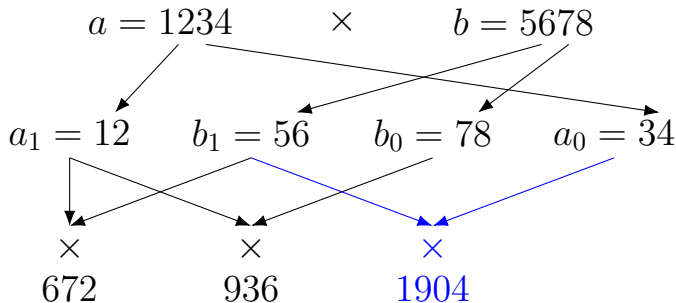
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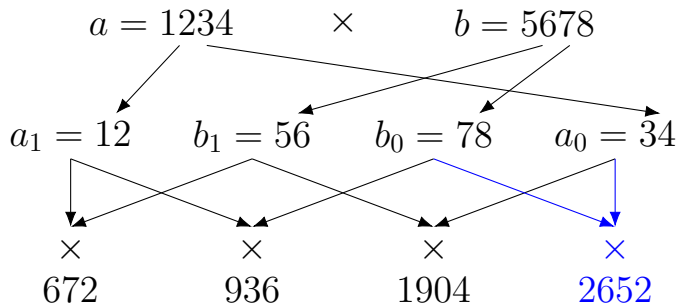
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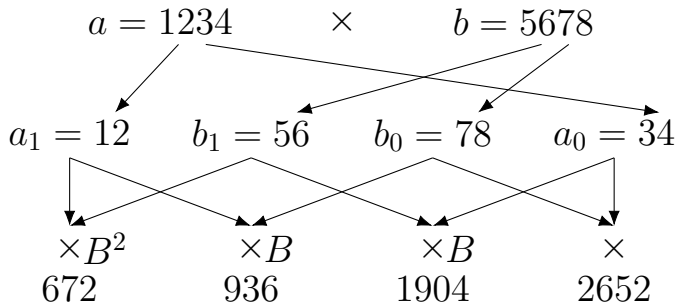
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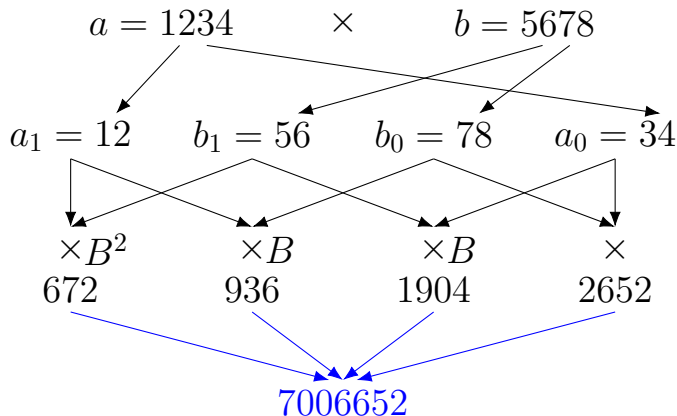
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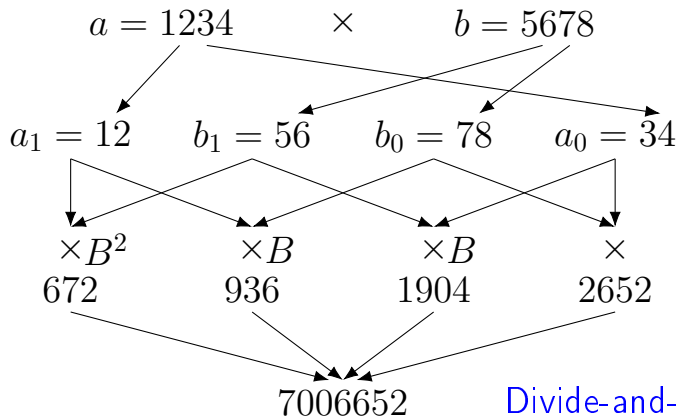
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$$a \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline a_1 & a_0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \overbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}^n \\ \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_k \end{array} \quad a = a_1 \cdot B^k + a_0$$

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We have $T(n) \leq 28n^2$ for all n

Summary

- Divide-and-conquer and recursive multiplication
- Maximal primitive operations required
 - ▶ $7n^2 - 6n$ for n power of 2
 - ▶ $28n^2$ for general n
- Reading: Algorithms and Data Structures
 - ▶ Chapter 1.4: A Recursive Version of the School Method

Next lecture

- Karatsuba multiplication
- Reading: Algorithms and Data Structures
 - ▶ Chapter 1.5: Karatsuba Multiplication