

Lecture 8 Jan 26
Induction proofs - part II

Geometric series: $(1 + a + a^2 + a^3 + \dots + a^n)$

claim: $\Rightarrow = \frac{1 - a^{n+1}}{1 - a}$ for all $n \geq 0$ integers
for all $a > 0$ $a \neq 1$
real

Example: $a = 3, n = 4$

$$1 + 3^1 + 3^2 + 3^3 + 3^4 = 1 + 3 + 9 + 27 + 81 = 121$$

$$\frac{1 - 3^{4+1}}{1 - 3} = \frac{1 - 3^5}{1 - 3} = \frac{1 - 243}{1 - 3} = \frac{-242}{-2} = 121$$

Proof: $1 + a + a^2 + \dots + a^n = \frac{1 - a^{n+1}}{1 - a} \rightarrow P(n)$

Base case: $n = 0$: LHS = 1

$$RHS = \frac{1 - a}{1 - a} = 1$$

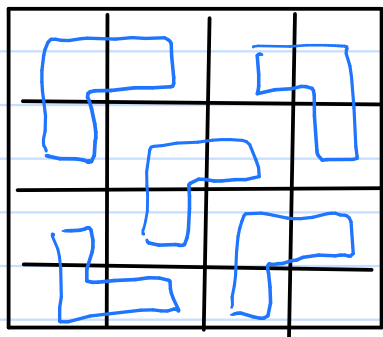
Induction step: Assume $P(k)$ is true, i.e.
 $1 + a + \dots + a^k = \frac{1 - a^{k+1}}{1 - a}$

Goal: Show that $P(k+1)$ is true i.e.

$$1 + a + \dots + a^{k+1} = \frac{1 - a^{(k+1)+1}}{1 - a}$$

$$\underbrace{1 + a + a^2 + \dots + a^k}_{\frac{1 - a^{k+1}}{1 - a} \text{ by IH}} + a^{k+1} = \frac{1 - a^{k+1}}{1 - a} + a^{k+1} = \frac{1 - a^{k+1}}{1 - a} + \frac{a^{k+1} - a^{k+2}}{1 - a} = \frac{1 - a^{k+2}}{1 - a}$$

Tiling problem:

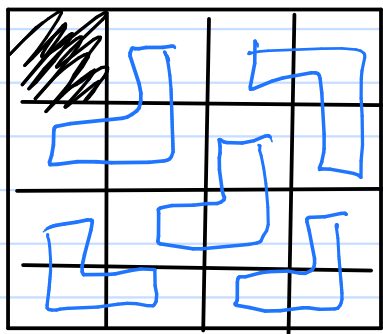


This board cannot be completely covered by trominoes

Goal: cover board with trominoes:

Consider a $2^n \times 2^n$ board where one square is already covered.

Goal: cover the rest with trominoes



Want to prove this is always possible

Proof by induction:

P(n)

Any $2^n \times 2^n$ board with one square already covered can be tiled with trominoes, for $n \geq 1$

Base case: $n=1$

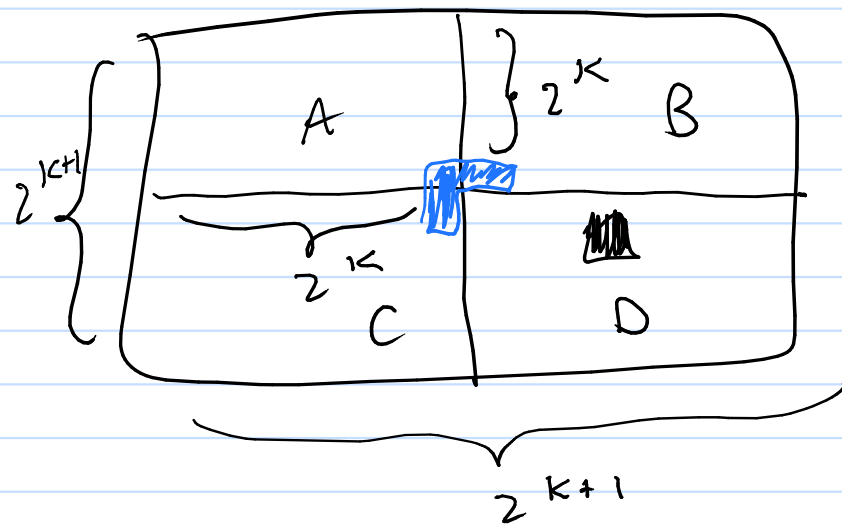


No matter where covered, can always place a tromino

(2) Induction: Assume $P(K)$ is true

$\hookrightarrow 2^K \times 2^K$ board with one sq. - cover can be tiled

Goal: show $P(K+1)$ is true



(1) sub-board D has one square covered and is of size $2^K \times 2^K$

\Rightarrow Because of induction hypothesis, D can be tiled

(2) place tromino in center, to cover one square of A, B & C

Now A, B & C all have one square covered and they are each of size $2^K \times 2^K$
 \Rightarrow Because of IH, the rest of A, B & C can be tiled with trominoes

Bad proof:

Prove: $P(n) \boxed{n+1 \leq n}$ for all n

Induction proof:

Assume $P(k)$ is true, i.e. $k+1 \leq k$

Goal: Show that $P(k+1)$ is true i.e. $(k+1)+1 \leq k+1$

$$\underbrace{(k+1)+1}_{< k} \leq k+1 \quad (\text{because of IH})$$

Problem: No base case

Like toppling over dominoes, need to knock down first one

Claim: $8^n - 3^n$ is divisible by 5 for any $n \geq 1$

Ex: if $n=2$, $8^2 - 3^2 = 64 - 9 = 55$

Proof: Base case: For $n=1$, $8^1 - 3^1 = 5$

Induction step: Assume that $\underbrace{8^k - 3^k \text{ is divisible by } 5}_{8^k - 3^k = 5 \cdot a}$

Goal: $8^{k+1} - 3^{k+1}$ is divisible by 5

$$8^{k+1} - 3^{k+1} = 8 \cdot 8^k - 3 \cdot 3^k = 8 \cdot 8^k - 8 \cdot 3^k + 5 \cdot 3^k$$

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Algo findMin(A, n)

Input: Array A of n integers

Output: Return the smallest element in A

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i ← 1
m ← A[0]
while (i < n)
  if (A[i] < m) then m ← A[i]
  i ← i + 1
return m
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Loop invariant: $\text{At iteration } i, m = \min\{A[0], \dots, A[i-1]\}$

Goal: prove the loop invariant holds

① Initialization: Before the start of the loop
LI holds
 $i = 1, m = A[0] = \min\{A[0], \dots, A[\underbrace{i-1}_0]\}$

Analogous to proving base case

② Maintenance: [Assume LI. holds at beginning of
an iteration of loop.
we must show that LI. holds
at the end of that iteration]

Assume $m = \min\{A[0], \dots, A[i-1]\}$

Two conditions

If $(A[i] < m)$, then replacing m with $A[i]$
results in m being $\min\{A[0], \dots, A[i]\}$

If $(A[i] \geq m)$, then m remains unchanged, m
is now $\min\{A[0], \dots, A[i]\}$

After increasing i by one: $m = \min \{A[0], \dots, A[i-1]\}$
L.I.

(3) Termination: 3.1. Algo will stop because counter variable i gets increased by one at each iteration. so, it will eventually reach n .

3.2 When loop terminates
 $m = \min \{A[0], \dots, A[n-1]\}$

Loop stops when $i = n$

Loop invariant says $m = \min \{A[0], \dots, A[i-1]\}$
 $\Rightarrow m = \min \{A[0], \dots, A[n-1]\}$

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want to see running time growth w/o implementing pseudo
Primitive operations \rightarrow Running time independent
of other things

FindMin analysis

Read each line, see how much "time" each one takes

while condition is a conditional

Best case: Want to not execute optional things
if cond false most/all of the

\rightarrow smallest found at $A[start]$

Worst case: Array is sorted in decreasing order
if is always true

Measuring running time:

How many times will loop be exec: stop-start

This is for worst case:

Out of the loop:

$T_{index} + 3T_{assign} + T_{arith} + T_{comp} + T_{cond} + T_{return}$

Loop:

$(stop - start) \cdot (2T_{comp} + 2T_{cond} + 2T_{index} + 3T_{assign} + T_{arith})$

stop-start because index starts at $start + 1$

ex. $start = 2$

$stop = 5$

$5 - 2 = 3$



Assumption:

All primitive operations take around the same time

Makes it easier for us

→ Need # of primitive operations

Back to worst case, counting primitive ops:

$$8 + (\text{stop} - \text{start}) \cdot 10$$

linear in size of array

intercept is 8

slope 10

selection sort: simpler version than what we saw before, using findMin from before

minIndex → 3 prim op, subtraction, call, assign

$$3 + \text{findMin}(i, n-1) = 3 + 8 + 10(n-1-i) = 3 + 8 + 10n - 10 - i = 3 + (10n - 2) - i$$

As loop executes, array gets smaller (for findMin)
So running time keeps decreasing

$$\underbrace{1 + 2}_{\text{outside loop}} + \underbrace{(22 + 10(n-1-0))}_{\text{iteration 0}} + (22 + 10(n-1-1)) + \dots + (22 + 10(n-1-(n-1)))$$

$$\text{Doing iteration } i: 22 + 10 \cdot (n-1-i)$$

$$= 3 + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (22 + 10(n-1-i)) = 3 + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (10n + 12 - 10i)$$

goes n times

$$= 3 + (10n + 12) + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} -10i = 3 + 10n^2 + 12n - 10 \cdot \left[\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i \right]$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$= 3 + 10n^2 + 12n - 10 \cdot \frac{(n-1)(n-1+1)}{2} = 3 + 10n^2 + 12n - \frac{10(n-1)n}{2}$$

$$\approx 5n^2 + 17n + 3$$

Runtime as func



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Today → Analyzing runtime of recursive algorithms

Factorial (int n)

if (n == 1) — 2
return n; — 1

$T(n)$

else — 0
return n * Factorial(n-1) — ? + 4

$T(n-1)$

can't just plug in runtime of method, because we're counting that now

n	$T(n)$
1	3
2	$2 + 4 + T(1) = 2 + 3 + 3 = 9$
3	$2 + 4 + T(2) = 15$
4	$2 + 4 + T(3) = 21$

$6(n-1) + 3$
 $6n - 3$

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 3 & \text{when } n=1 \\ T(n-1) + 2 + 4 & \text{when } n>1 \end{cases}$$

Want an explicit formula
or else, if you wanted $T(100)$, you'd need $T(99), T(98), \dots$

Substitution Approach

We want to get to $T(1)$

(1) $T(n) = T(n-1) + 6$

$T(n-1) = T(n-1-1) + 6 = T(n-2) + 6$

$$(1) T(n) = (T(n-2) + 6) + 6 = T(n-2) + 12$$

$$T(n-2) = T(n-3) + 6$$

$$(3) T(n) = (T(n-3) + 6) + 12 = T(n-3) + 18$$

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$$(K) T(n) = T(n-K) + 6K \leftarrow \text{guess}$$

$$T(n-K) = T(1)$$

$$n-K = 1$$

$$K = n-1$$

$$T(n) = T(n-(n-1)) + 6(n-1)$$

$$T(n) = T(1) + 6(n-1)$$

$$T(n) = 6n - 6 + 3 = \underline{6n-3}$$

check this with table

1	6 - 3 = 3	✓
2	12 - 3 = 9	✓
3	18 - 3 = 15	✓
4	24 - 3 = 21	✓

$$T(n) = 6n-3 \rightarrow O(n)$$

Binary search (A, start, stop, key) $n = \text{stop} - \text{start} + 1$

if (start == stop) — 2

if (A[start] == key) — 3

return start; — 1

else
return ; — 1

else
mid = $\lfloor (\text{start} + \text{stop}) / 2 \rfloor$ — 3

if (A[mid] <= key) — 3

r = Binary Search(A, start, mid, key); — 1 + $T(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor)$
 ignore meth call act

else
r = Binary Search(A, mid+1, stop, key); — 2 +

return r; — 1

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 6 & \text{if } n=1 \\ 2+9 + T(\frac{n}{2}) & \text{if } n \text{ even} \\ 2+9 + T(\frac{n}{2}) + 1 & \text{if } n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

study worst case

$$\begin{cases} T(\frac{n}{2}) & \text{when } n \text{ even} \\ T(\frac{n}{2}) + 1 & \text{when } n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

n	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
T(n)	6	17	28	28	39	39	39	39

Don't care about $n \neq 2^x$
why? exercise

1 2 4 8 16 32

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 6 & \text{if } n=1 \\ 11 + T(\frac{n}{2}) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

(1) $11 + T(\frac{n}{2})$ want to get $T(1)$

$$T(\frac{n}{2}) = 11 + T(\frac{n}{4})$$

$$(2) \quad T(n) = 11 + (11 + T(\frac{n}{4})) = 22 + T(\frac{n}{4})$$

$$T(\frac{n}{4}) = 11 + T(\frac{n}{8})$$

$$(3) \quad T(n) = 22 + (11 + T(\frac{n}{8})) = 33 + T(\frac{n}{8})$$

$$(K) \quad T(n) = 11K + T(\frac{n}{2^K}) \leftarrow \text{guess}$$

$$\text{Base case} \rightarrow \frac{n}{2^K} = 1 \rightarrow 2^K = n \rightarrow \log_2 n = K$$

$$T(n) = 11(\log_2 n) + T(1) = 11(\log_2 n) + 6$$

$$11(\log_2(1)) + 6 = 6$$

$$11(\log_2(2)) + 6 = 17$$

$$11(\log_2(4)) + 6 = 28$$

$$11(\log_2(8)) + 6 = 39$$

$$O(\log n)$$

Merge Sort (A, start, stop)

if (start == stop) — 2

return; — 1

else

mid = $\lfloor (start + stop) / 2 \rfloor$; — 3

MergeSort(A, start, mid); — 0 + $T(\frac{n}{2})$

MergeSort(A, mid+1, stop); — 1 + $T(\frac{n}{2})$

Merge(A, start, mid, stop); — $\sim 9n$

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 3 & \text{in base case } n=1 \\ 6 + 9n + 2T(\frac{n}{2}) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$(1) \quad T(n) = 6 + 9n + 2T(\frac{n}{2})$$

$$(2) \quad T(n) = 6 + 9n + 2(6 + 9(\frac{n}{2}) + 2T(\frac{n}{4}))$$

$$= (1+2)b + a(n+n) + 4T\left(\frac{n}{4}\right)$$

$$(3) \quad T(n) = (1+2)b + a(n+n) + 4\left(b + \frac{a}{4}n + 2T\left(\frac{n}{8}\right)\right)$$

$$= (1+2+4)b + a(n+n+n) + 8\left(T\left(\frac{n}{8}\right)\right)$$

$$\vdots$$

$$(K) \quad T(K) = \left(\sum_{i=0}^{K-1} 2^i\right)b + a(Kn) + 2^K \left(T\left(\frac{n}{2^K}\right)\right)$$

$$\left(\frac{1-2^K}{1-2}\right)b + a(Kn) + 2^K \left(T\left(\frac{n}{2^K}\right)\right)$$

$$= (2^K - 1)b + a(Kn) + 2^K \left(T\left(\frac{n}{2^K}\right)\right)$$

$$2^K = n \rightarrow K = \log_2 n$$

$$= (n-1)b + a(\log_2 n)(n) + n(3)$$

$$O(n \log n)$$