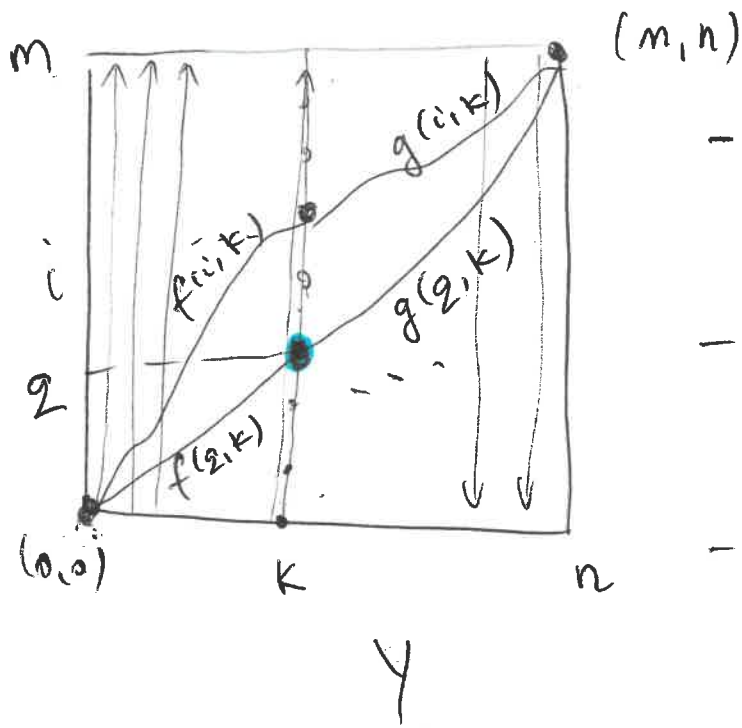


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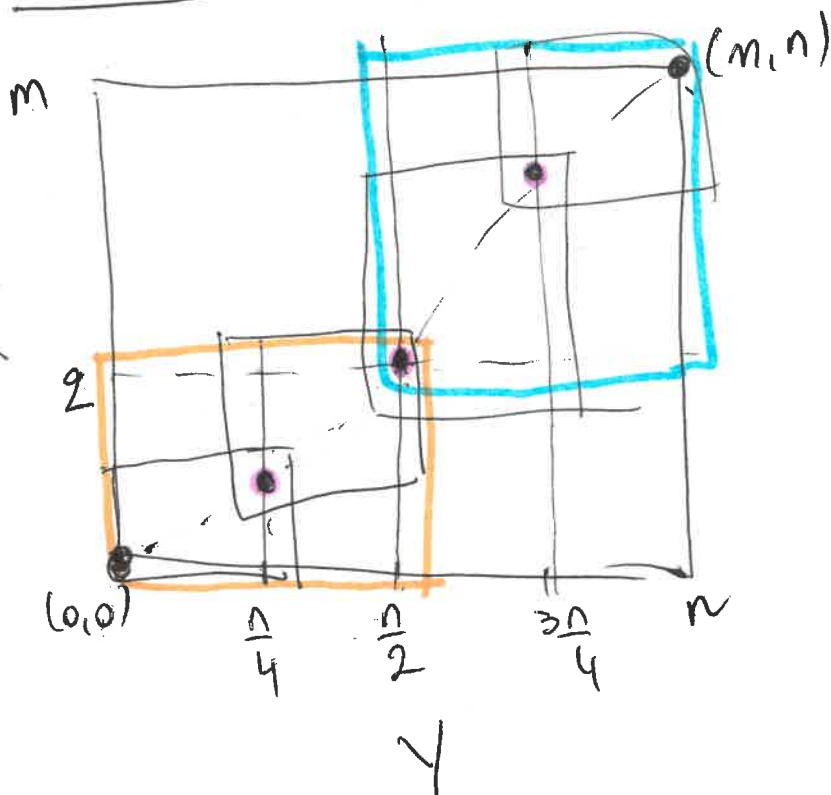
- compute  $f(i,k)$  for every index  $i$

- compute  $g(i,k)$  for every index  $i$

- for every index  $i$  compute  $f(i,k) + g(i,k)$

- let  $q$  be the index for which  $f(q,k) + g(q,k)$  is minimized  
Then  $(q,k)$  is a point on the shortest-path from  $(0,0)$  to  $(m,n)$   
(is also part of an optimal alignment)

### Divide-and-conquer



- assume that  $n$  is a power of 2

$$T(m, n)$$

• Divide

$$O(m \cdot n)$$

• Conquer - 2 subproblems

$$T(2, \frac{n}{2}) + T(m-2, \frac{n}{2})$$

• Combine - nothing

$$T(m, n) = O(m \cdot n) + T(2, \frac{n}{2}) + T(m-2, \frac{n}{2})$$

divide

conquer

$$T(m, n) = O(m \cdot n)$$

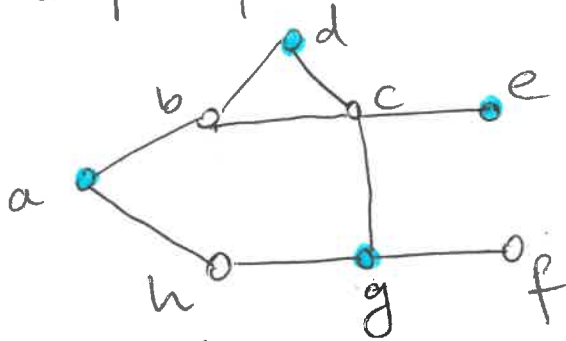
$$\text{space} = O(m+n) \quad \text{linear!}$$

## Independent Set (IS) problem

An independent-set (IS) of a graph  $G=(V, E)$  is a subset  $V' \subseteq V$  s.t. each edge in  $E$  is incident to at most one vertex in  $V'$ .

The independent set problem asks to find a max-size independent set of a given graph  $G$ .  
undirected

- NP-complete problem



independent sets :  $\{a\}, \dots, \{a, \cancel{h}, \cancel{g}, f\}$ ,  $\{a, d, g\}, \dots$   
 $\{a, d, g, e\}, \{b, h, e, f\}, \dots$

Brute Force let  $n = |V|$   $O(2^n \cdot n^2)$

• If the graph  $G$  is a tree, then we can solve the independent set problem using dynamic programming in polynomial time

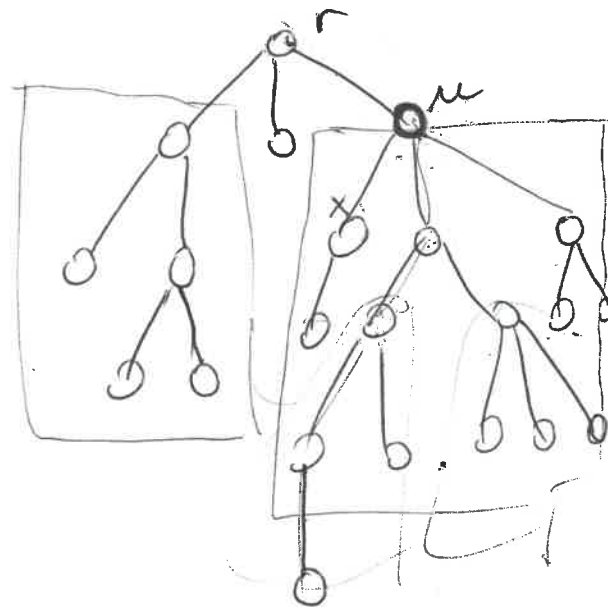
- start by selecting the root  $r$

$I(u)$  = size of a max-size independent-set of the subtree rooted at node  $u$

Final objective:  $I(r)$

DP proceeds from smaller subproblems to larger ones, in increasing order of the height of the node  $u$ .

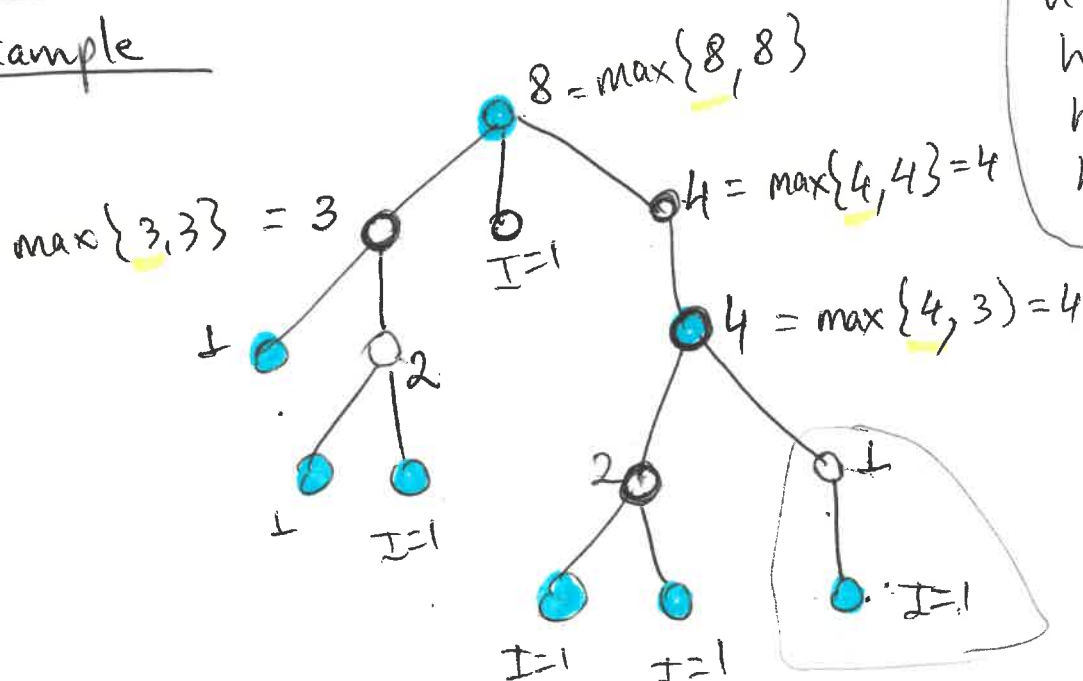
How do we compute  $I(u)$ ?



$$I(u) = \max \left\{ 1 + \sum_{\substack{w \text{ is a} \\ \text{grandchild of } u}} I(w), \sum_{\substack{v \text{ is a} \\ \text{child of } u}} I(v) \right\}$$

$$RT = O(n^2)$$

example



$h=0$  ✓  
 $h=1$  ✓  
 $h=2$  ✓  
 $h=3$  ✓  
 $h=4$  ✓

$$\max(1+0, 1+1) = 2$$

size of a maximum Independent Set  
is 8

class NP

(HC)

Hamiltonian-cycle problem : Given an undirected graph  $G=(V,E)$  find whether  $G$  has a hamiltonian cycle, that is a simple cycle that contains each vertex in  $G$ .

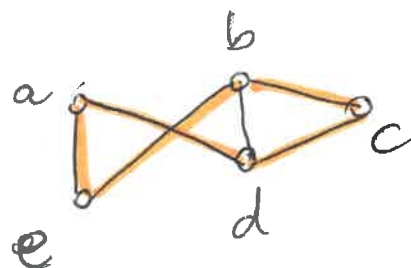
$$n=|V|$$

certificate :  $\langle \overset{\curvearrowright}{v_1}, v_2, \dots, v_n \rangle$

$\langle \overset{\curvearrowright}{a}, b, c, d, e \rangle$  X

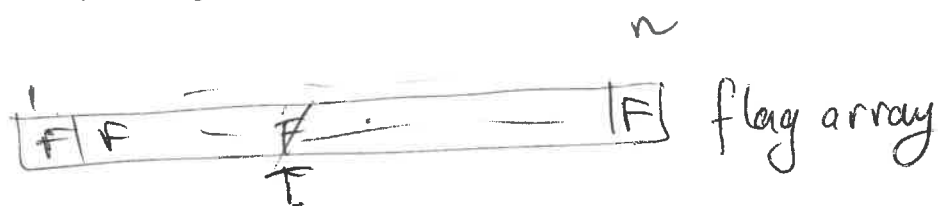
$\langle e, b, e, d, c \rangle$  X

$\langle \overset{\curvearrowright}{c}, d, a, e, b \rangle$  ✓



HC  $\in$  NP

- check if  $(v_i, v_{i+1}) \in E$   $i=1, \dots, n-1$   
 $(v_n, v_1) \in E$
- check that each vertex occurs exactly once
- length of the list



Graph representation

adj. matrix	adj. lists
$O(n)$	$O(n^2)$
$O(n)$	$O(n)$
$O(n)$	$O(n)$

RT =  $O(n)$  |  $O(n^2)$