

Today's class

- Fibonacci numbers
- Search algorithms
 - Linear, Binary
- Towers of Hanoi

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- Recursive definition of Fibonacci numbers

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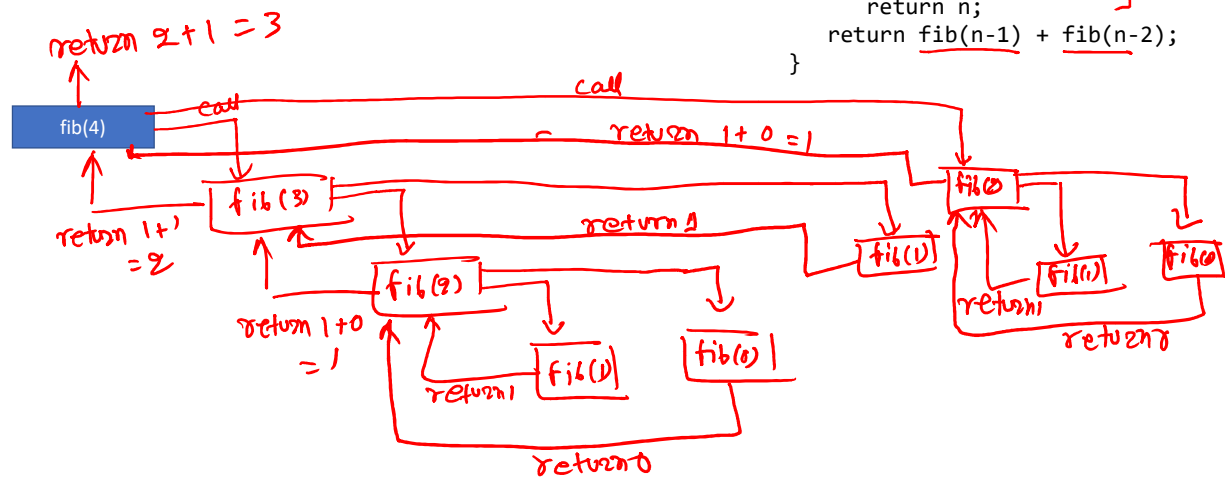
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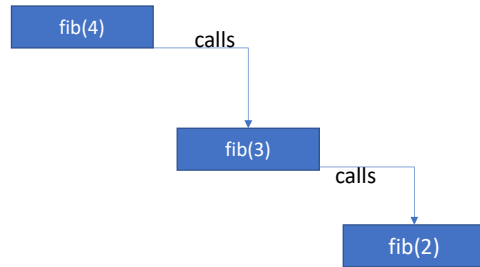
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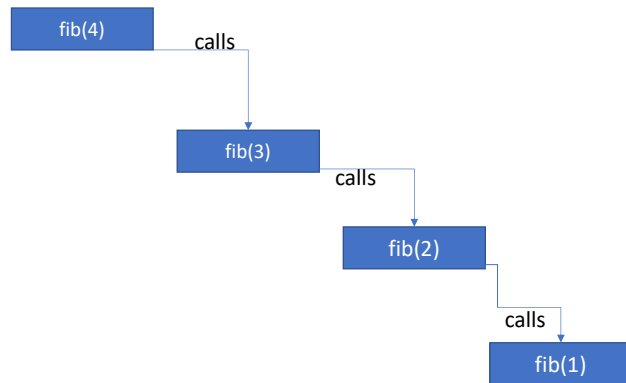
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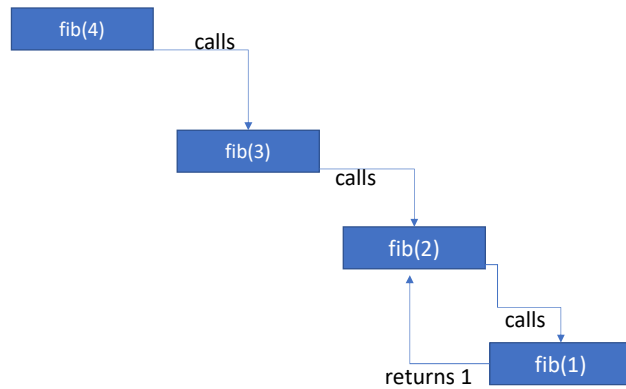
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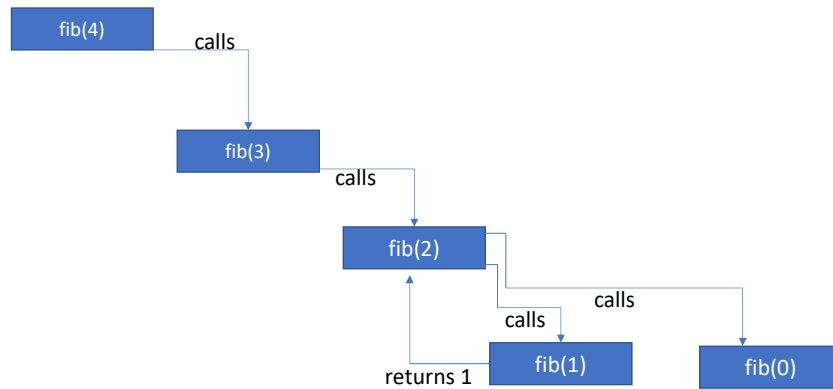
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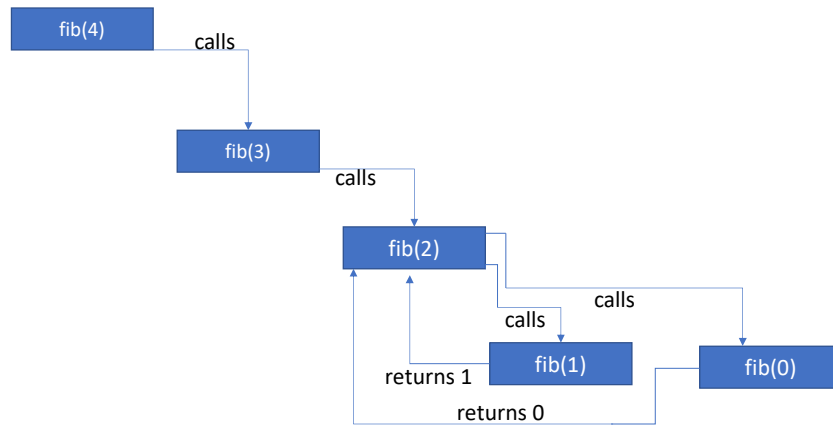
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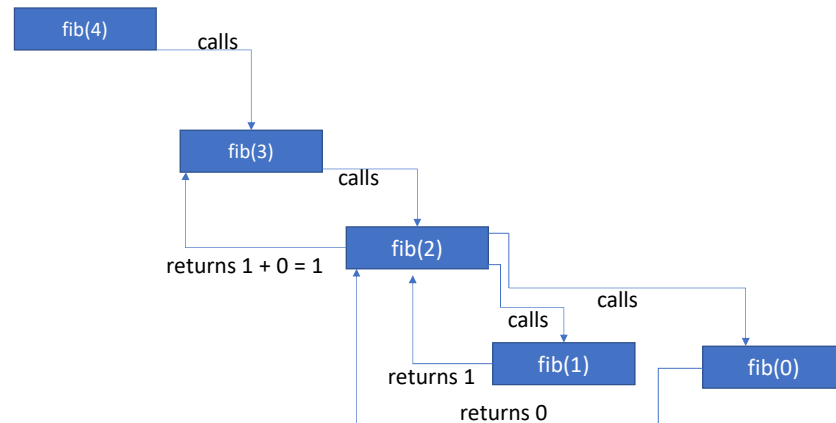
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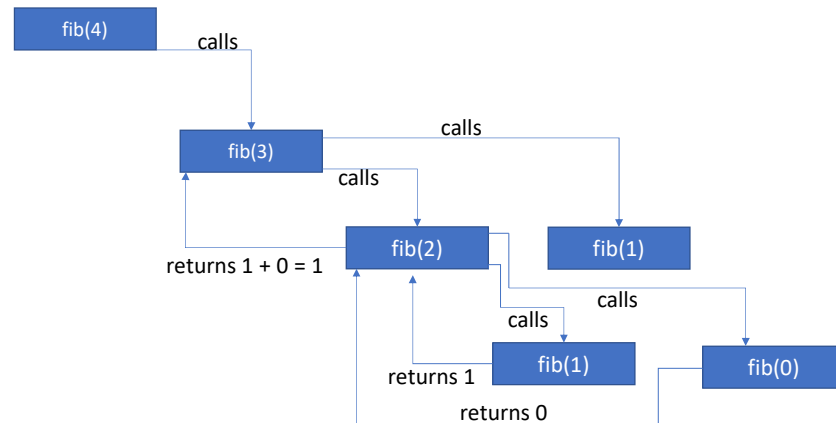
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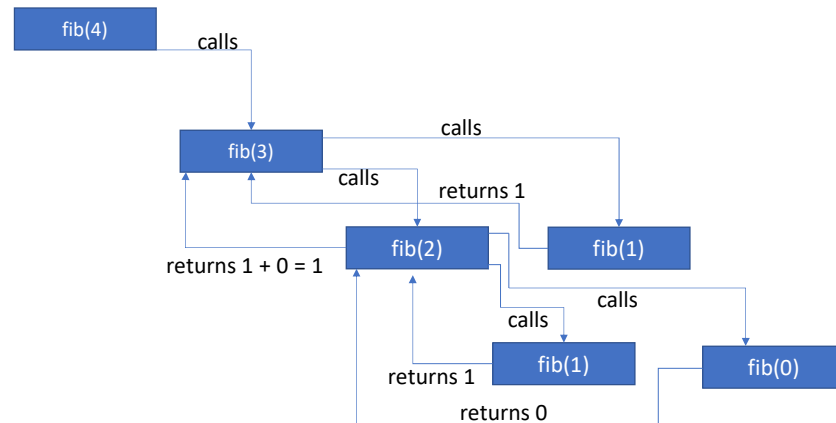
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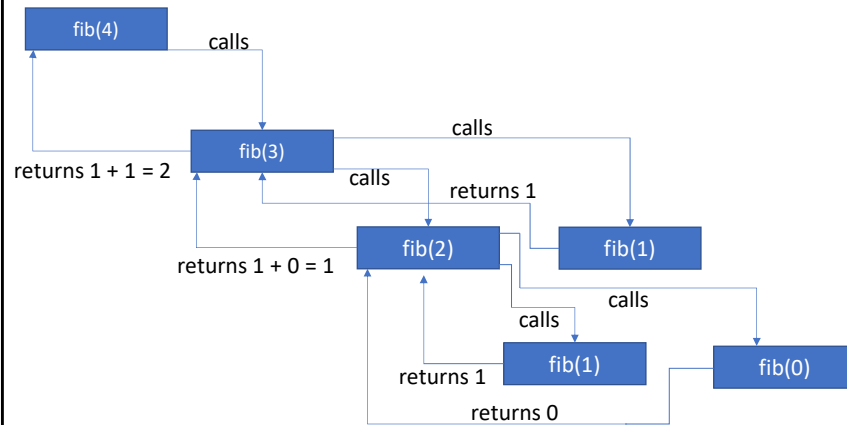
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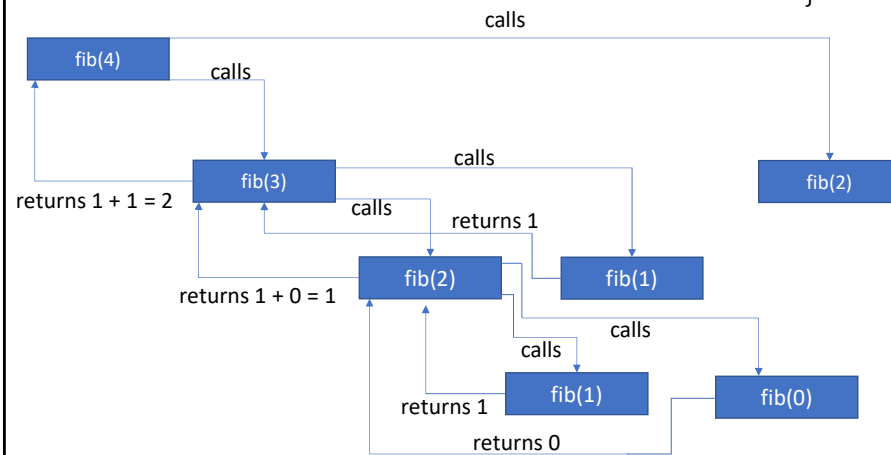
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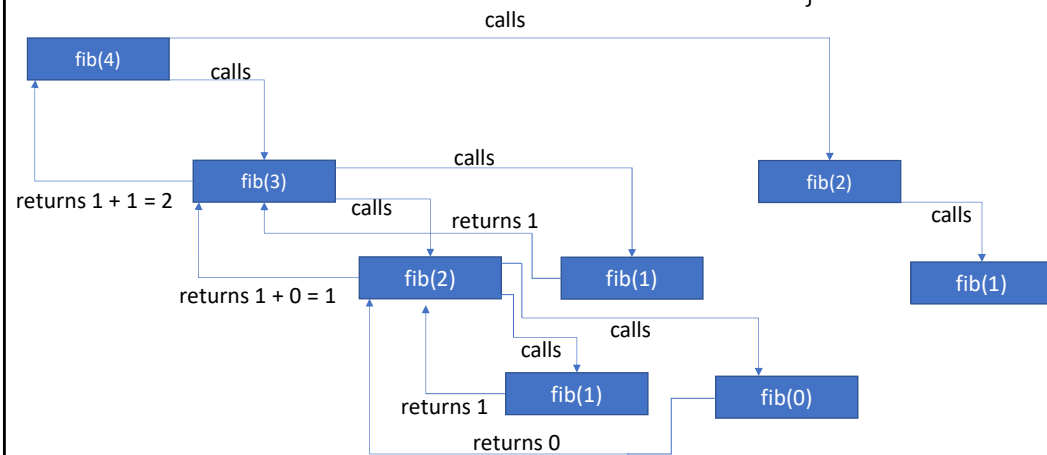
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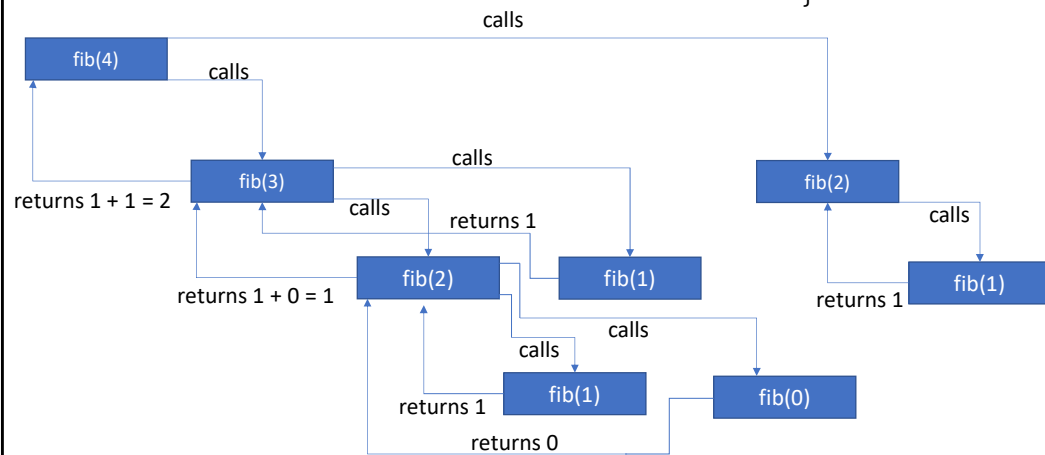
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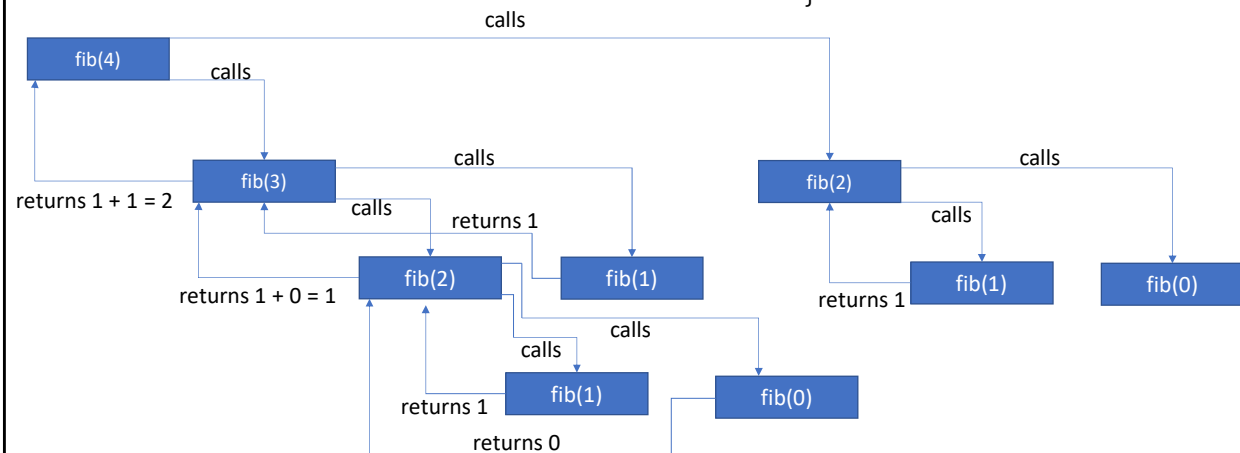
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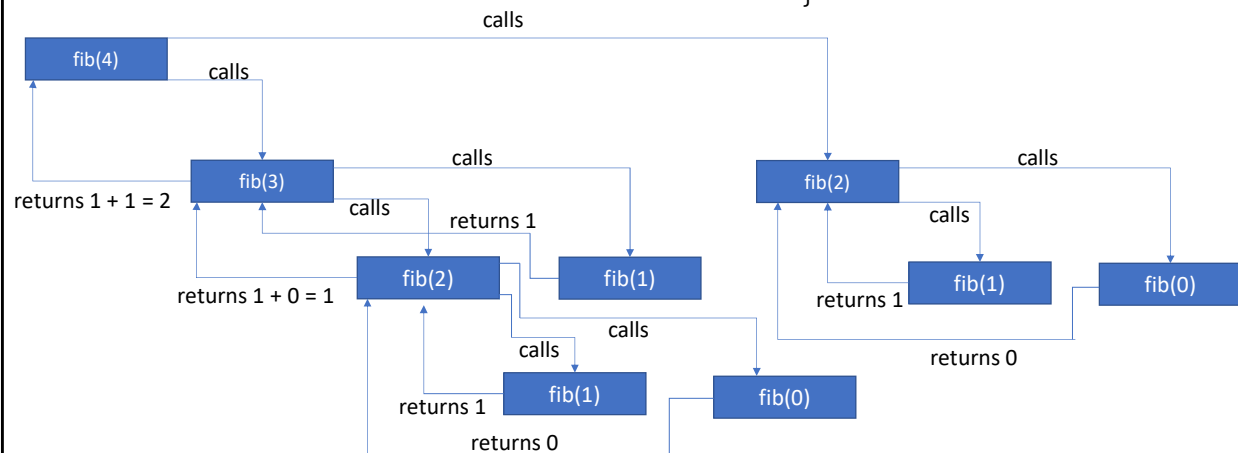
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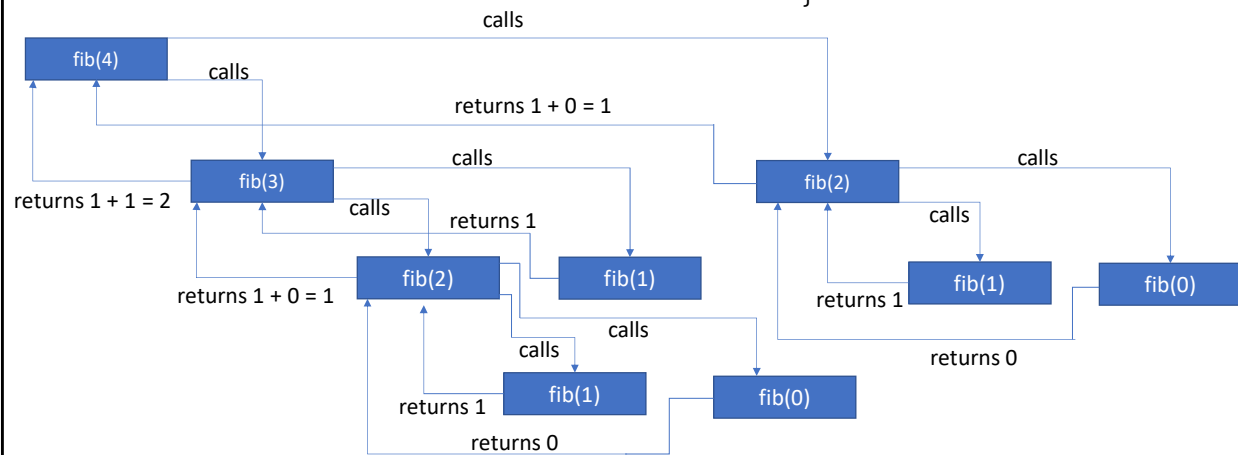
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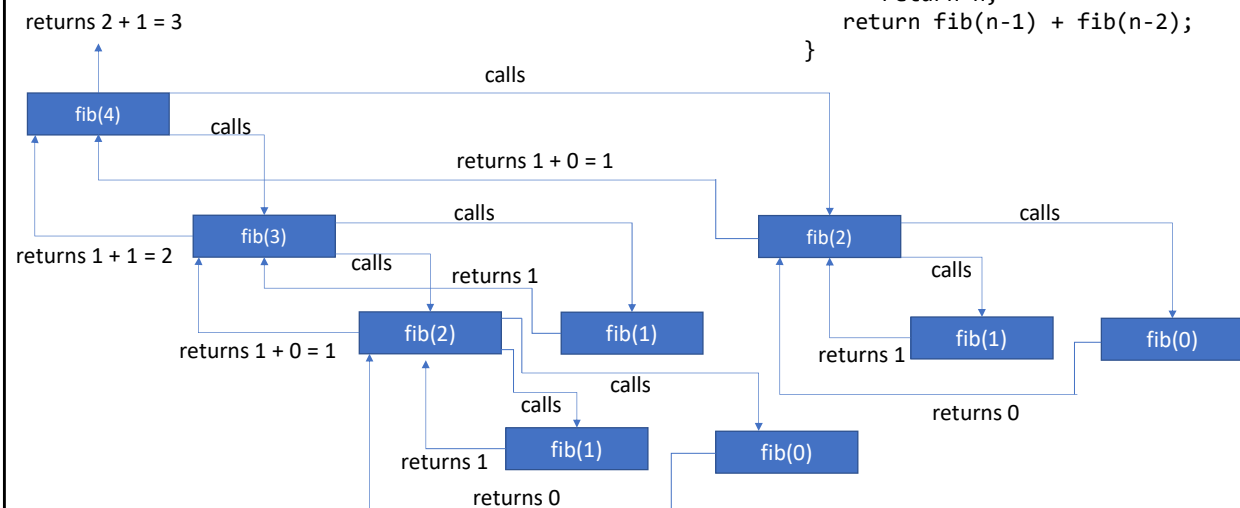
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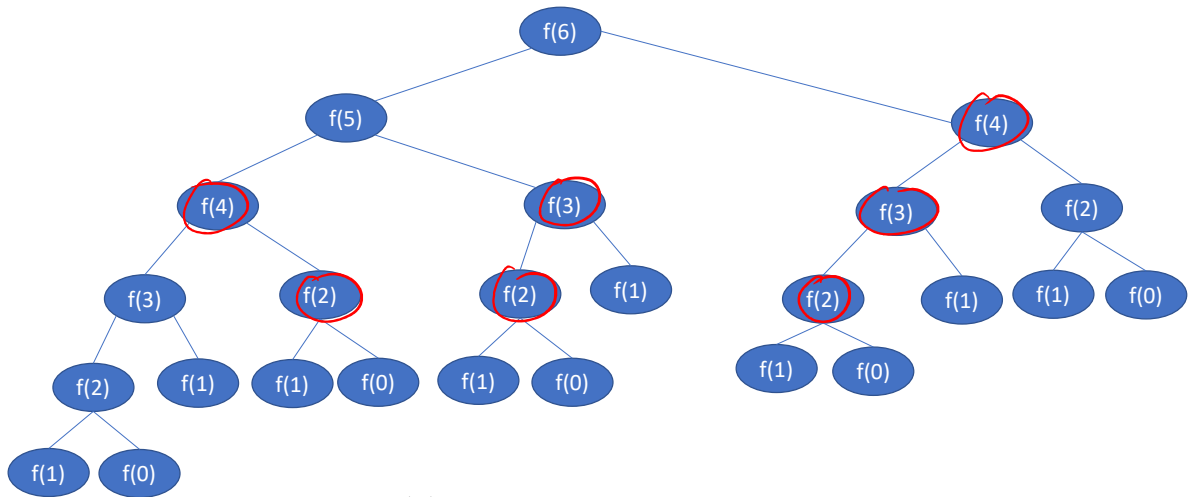
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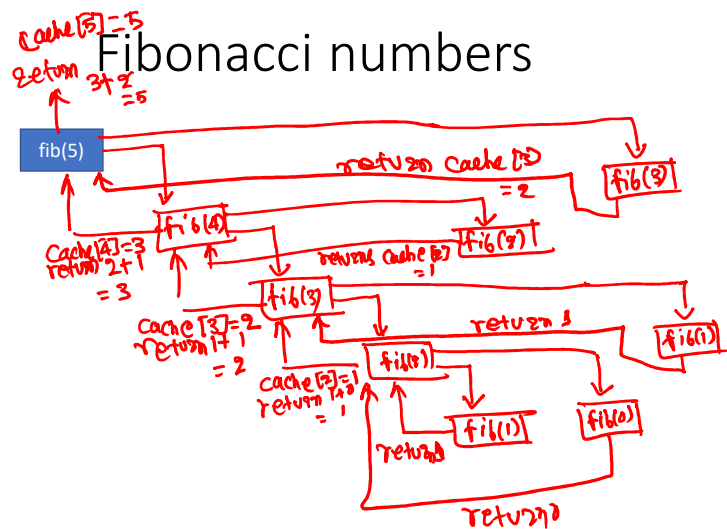




f(6) makes 24 function calls.

Faster solution

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A cache can be used to reduce the number of repeating computations. We can save the result of a computation that might be used later in a cache (can be implemented using array / other data structures) and retrieve the result from the cache when needed, thus eliminating the need to recompute the result. However, such an approach may take more memory than the algorithm that doesn't use a cache.

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fib(5)

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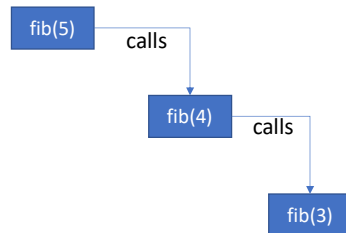


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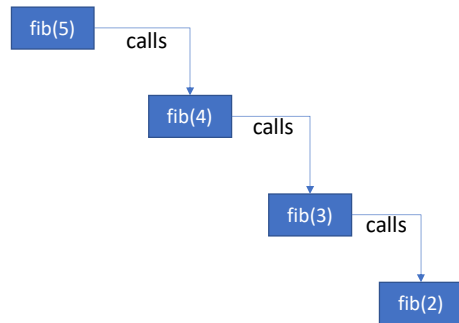


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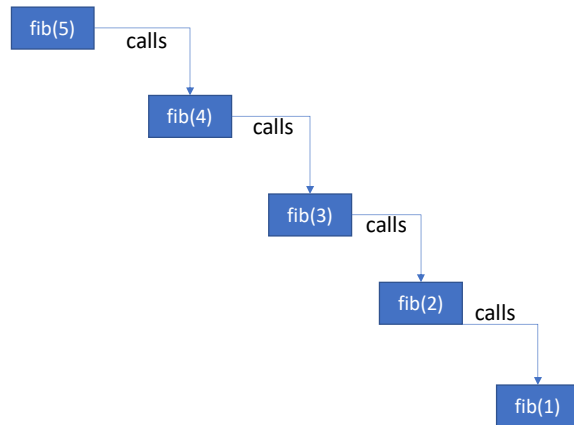


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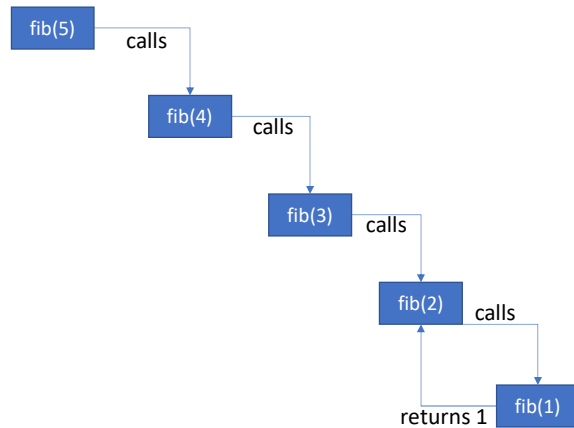


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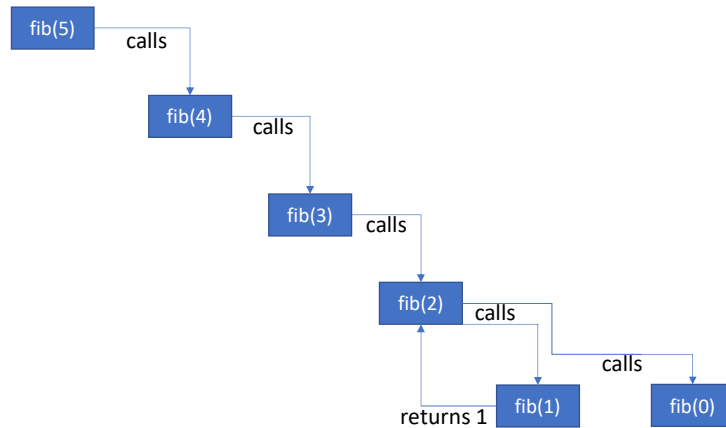


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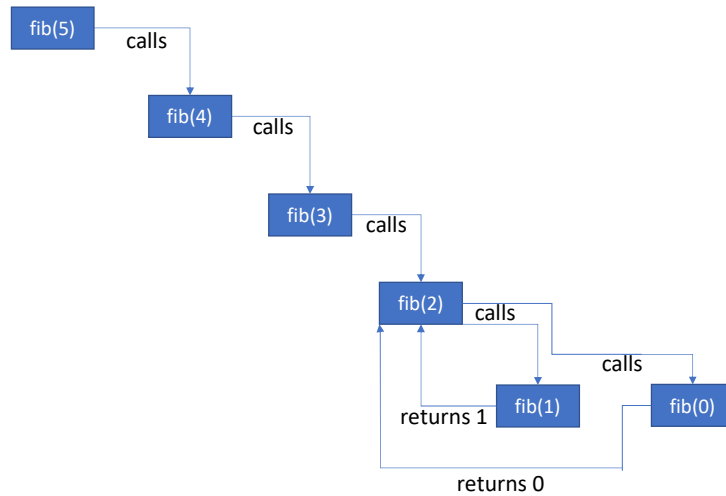


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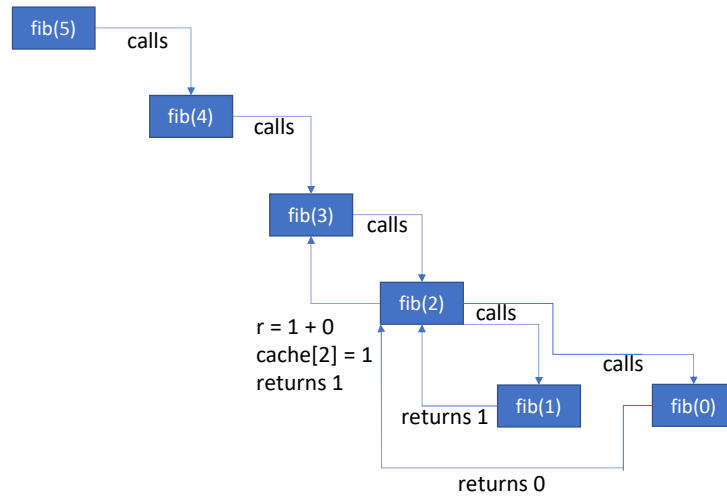


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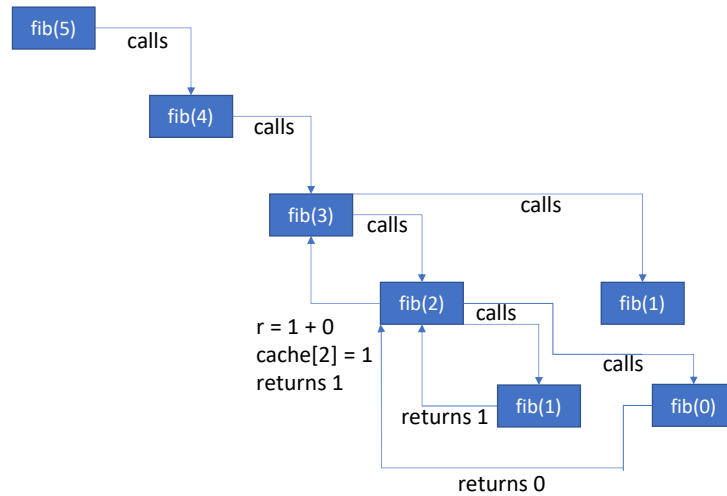


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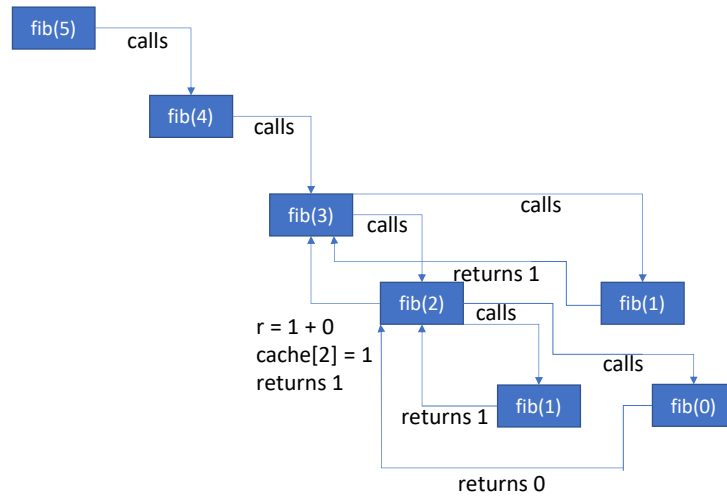
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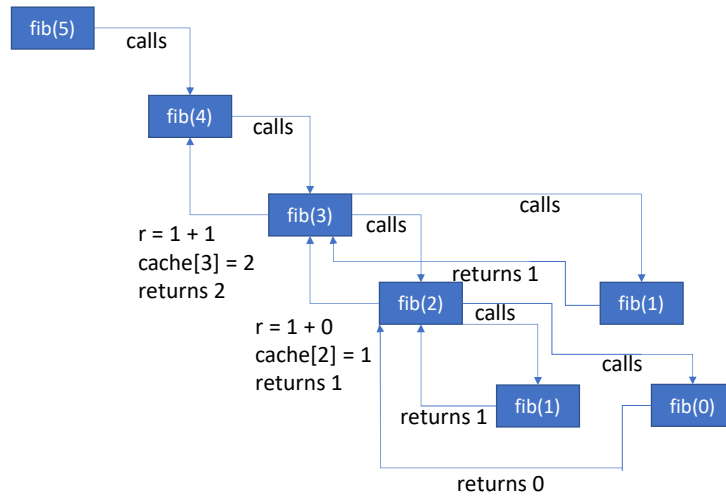
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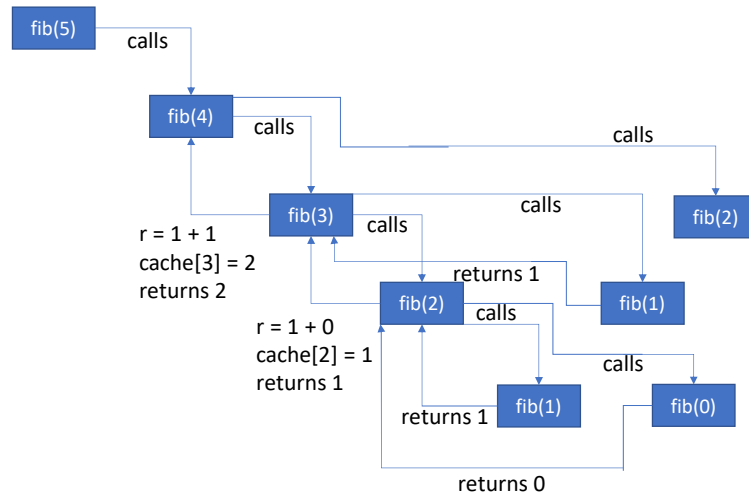
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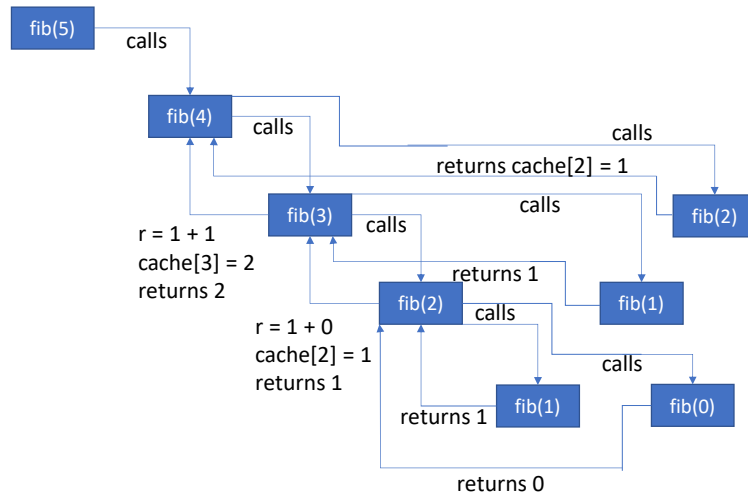
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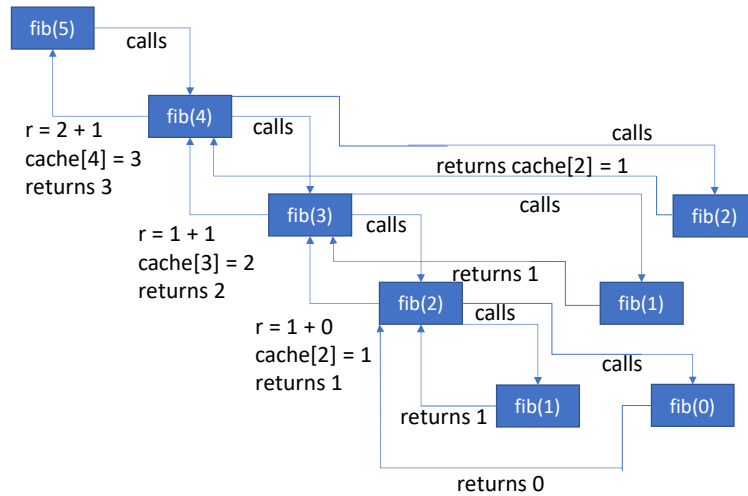
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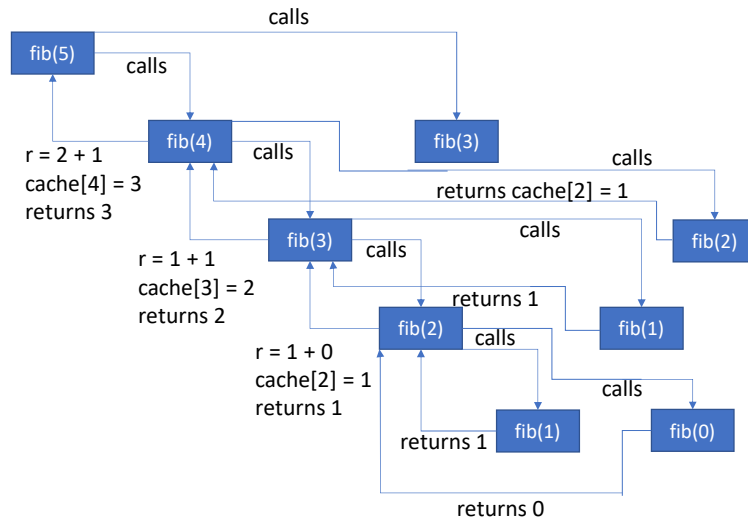


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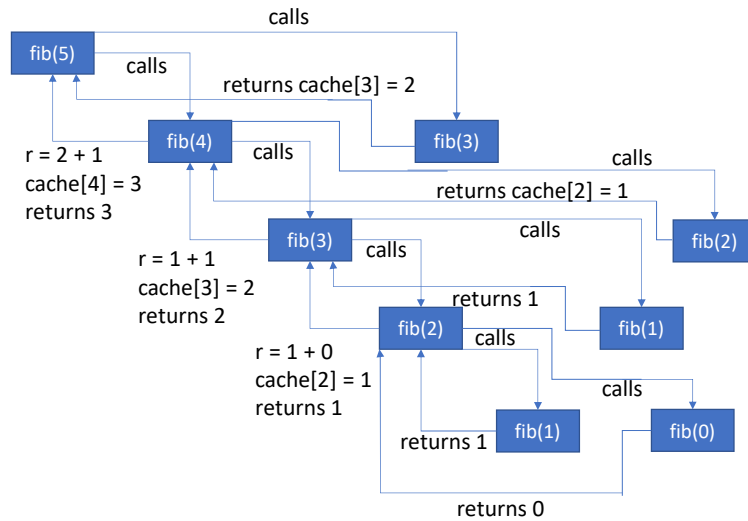


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    return r;
}

int main() {
    int n, r, i;
    for (i = 0; i < 1000; i++) {
        cache[i] = 0;
    }
    printf("enter the value of n\n");
    scanf("%d", &n);
    assert(n < 1000);
    r = fib(n);
    printf("nth fib number is %d\n", r);
    return 0;
}
```

Fibonacci numbers



```

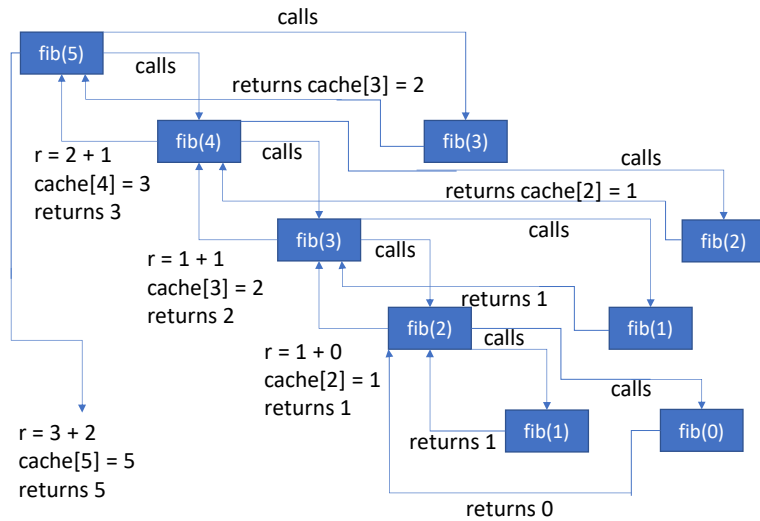
int cache[1000];

int fib(int n) {
    int r;
    if (cache[n] != 0)
        return cache[n];
    if (n == 0 || n == 1)
        return n;
    r = fib(n-1) + fib(n-2);
    cache[n] = r;
    return r;
}

int main() {
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    for (i = 0; i < 1000; i++) {
        cache[i] = 0;
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}

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Fibonacci numbers



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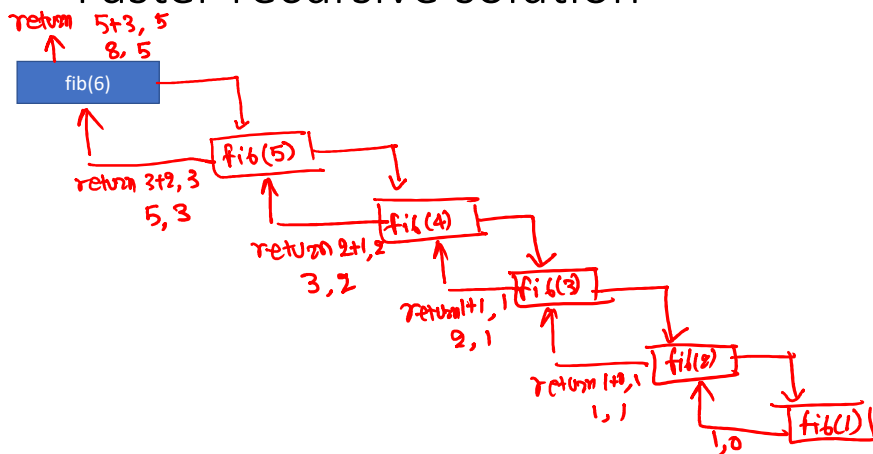
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        cache[i] = 0;
    }
    printf("enter the value of n\n");
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    assert(n < 1000);
    r = fib(n);
    printf("nth fib number is %d\n", r);
    return 0;
}
```

Faster recursive solution without
caching

Faster recursive solution

- Let's say $\text{fib}(n)$ returns two values: $\text{fib}(n)$ and $\text{fib}(n-1)$, i.e.,
 - $\text{fib}(5)$ returns $\text{fib}(5)$ and $\text{fib}(4)$
 - $\text{fib}(4)$ returns $\text{fib}(4)$ and $\text{fib}(3)$
 - $\text{fib}(3)$ returns $\text{fib}(3)$ and $\text{fib}(2)$
 - $\text{fib}(2)$ returns $\text{fib}(2)$ and $\text{fib}(1)$
 - $\text{fib}(1)$ returns 1 and 0
- How many function calls are needed to compute $\text{fib}(6)$?
 - The previous solution without caching requires 24 calls

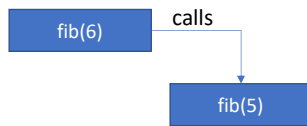
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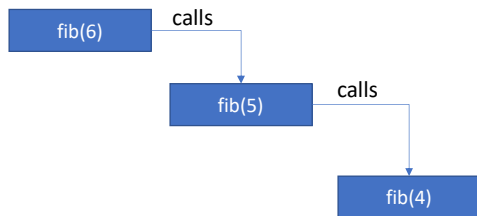
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fib(6)

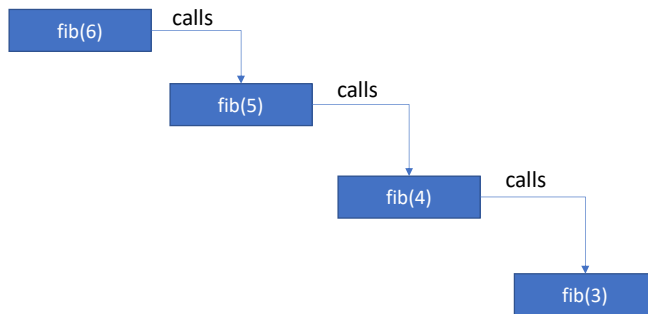
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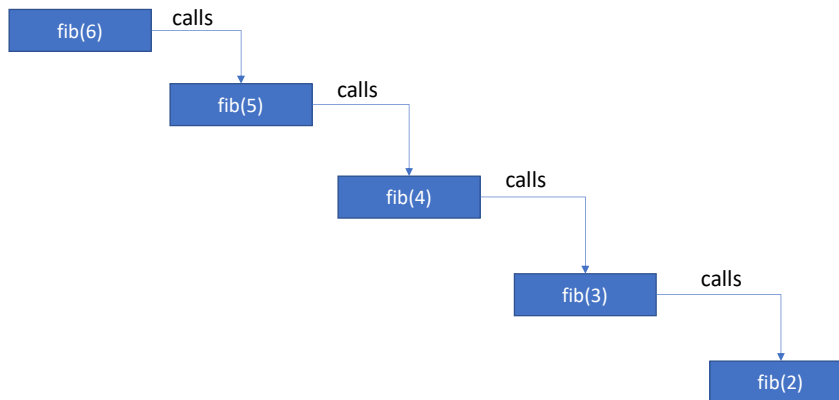
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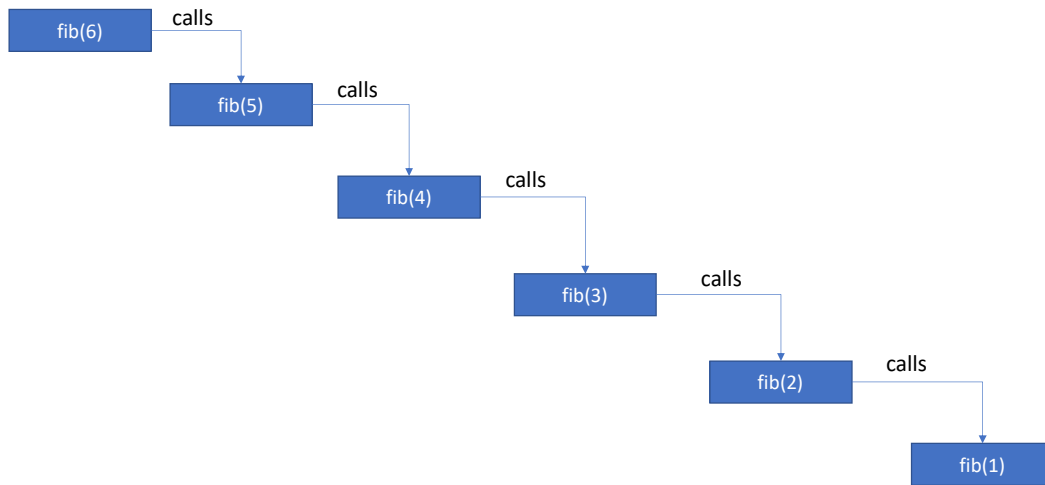
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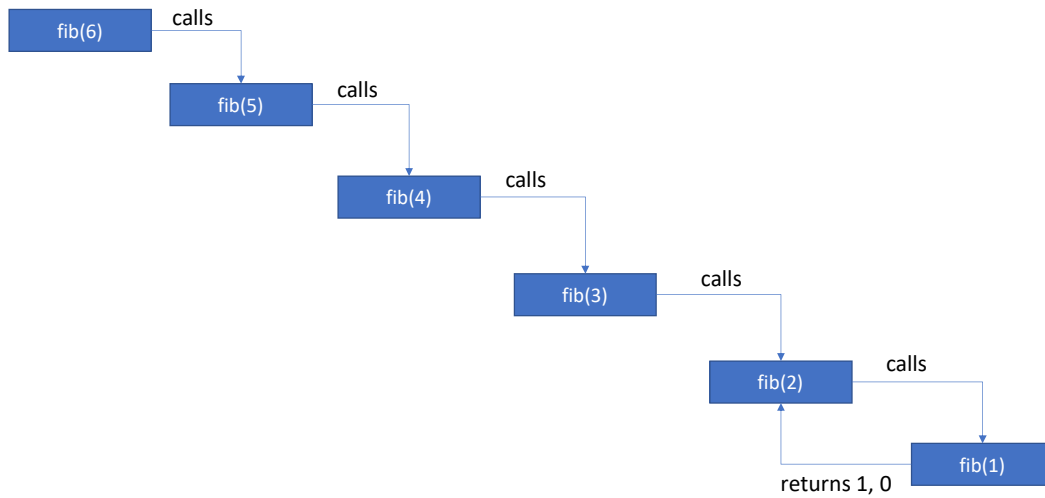
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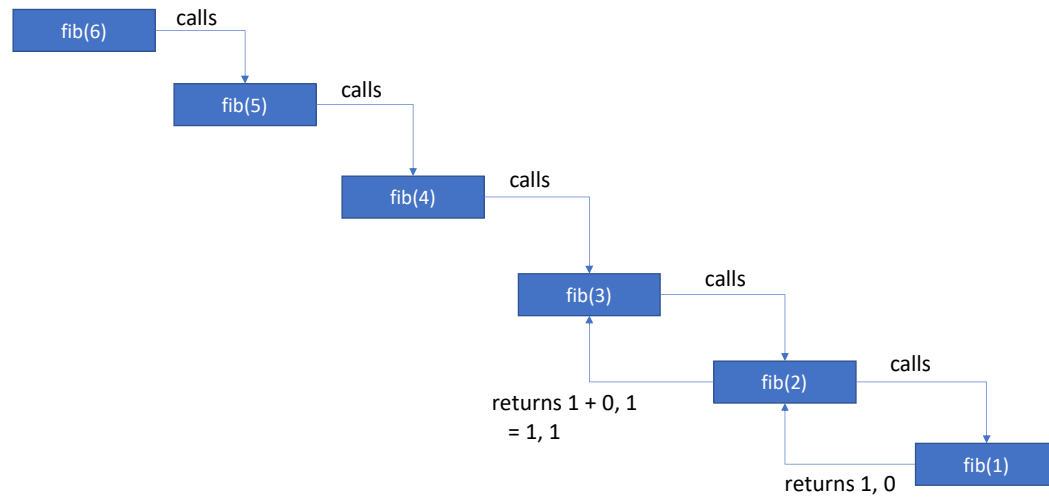
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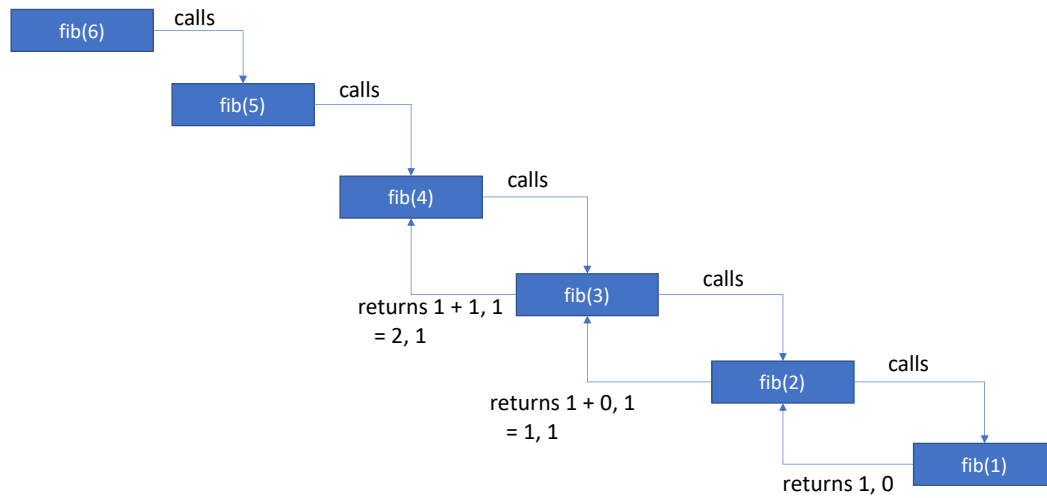
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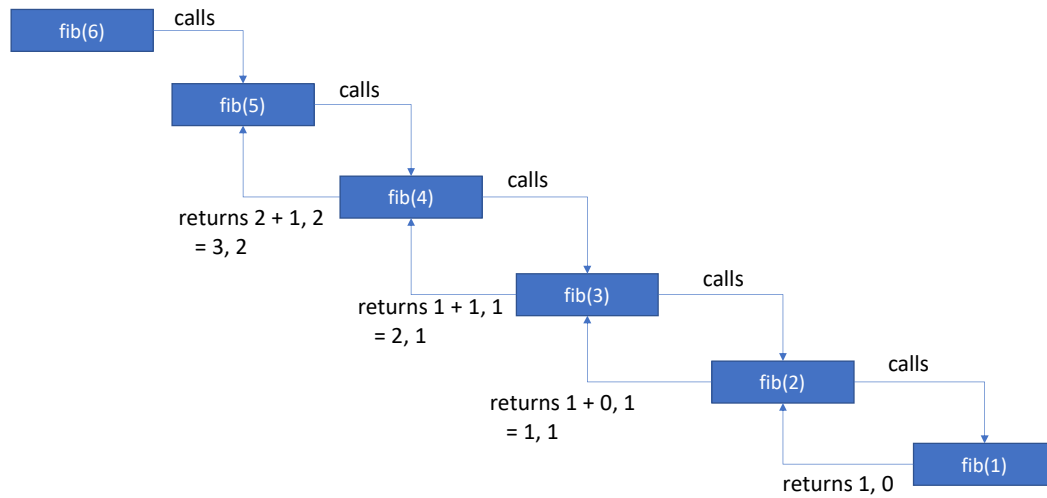
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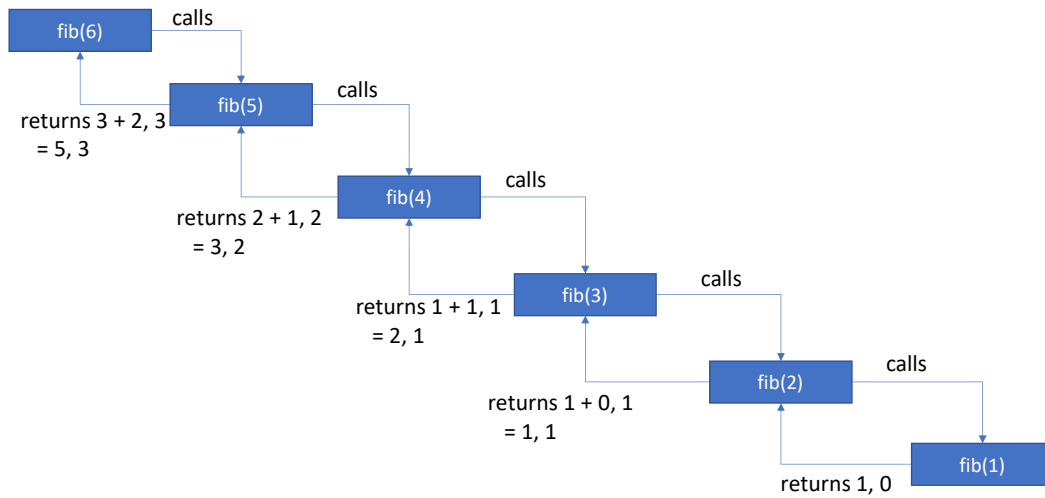
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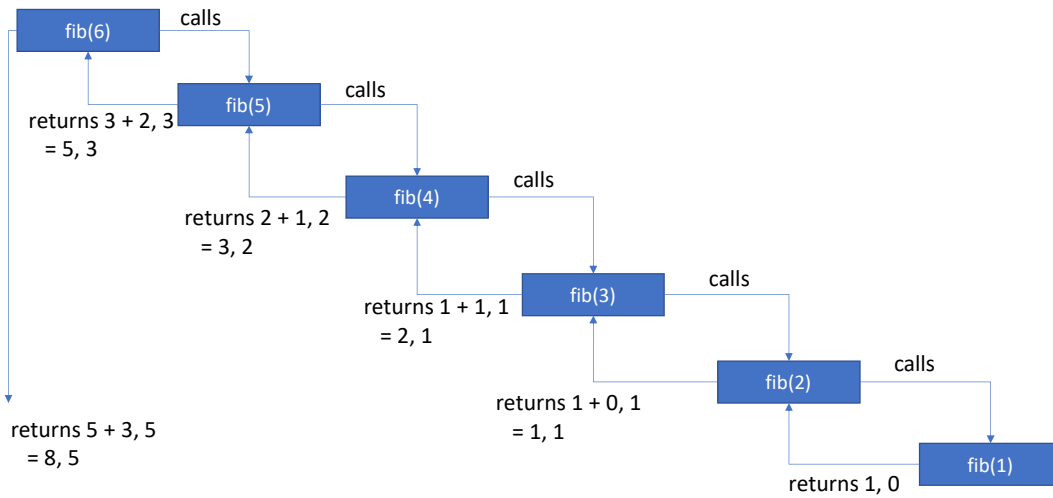
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Faster recursive solution

- Base case
 - if (n == 1) return (1, 0)
- Recursive step
 - Recursively call for n-1 to obtain (x, y) = (fib(n-1), fib(n-2))
 - return (x+y, x)

In this recursive algorithm, instead of just returning fib(n), the fib function returns two values: fib(n) and fib(n-1), resulting in an efficient algorithm that doesn't require multiple recursive calls or caches.

Fibonacci numbers

```
struct retval {  
    int x;  
    int y;  
};  
  
struct retval fib(int n) {  
    struct retval ret;  
    struct retval r;  
    if (n == 1) {  
        r.x = 1;  
        r.y = 0;  
        return r;  
    }  
    ret = fib(n - 1);  
    r.x = ret.x + ret.y;  
    r.y = ret.x;  
    return r;  
}
```

```
struct retval r;    int r;  
r.x = 10;  
r.y = 20;  
int z;  
z = r.x;
```

In C, “struct” is a way to define a new data type. A struct may contain multiple fields of possibly different types, including the struct type.

Iterative solution

Iterative solution for Fibonacci numbers

Iterative solution for Fibonacci numbers

$pprev = fib(0)$ $prev = fib(1)$

$n = 4$

$i = 2; i \leq 4;$

$res = 1 + 0 = 1$ $fib(2)$

$pprev = fib(0) = 1$

$prev = fib(1) = 1$

$i = 3$

$i = 3; i \leq 4$

$res = 1 + 1 = 2$

$pprev = 1$

$prev = 2$

$i = 4$

$i = 4; i \leq 4$

$res = 1 + 2 = 3$

$pprev = 2$

$prev = 3$

$i = 5$

```
int fib(int n) {  
    if (n == 0 || n == 1) {  
        return n;  
    }  
  
    int prev = 1;  
    int pprev = 0;  
    int res, i;  
  
    for (i = 2; i <= n; i++) {  
        res = prev + pprev;  
        pprev = prev;  
        prev = res;  
    }  
    return res;  
}
```

Iterative solution for Fibonacci numbers

<pre>compute fib(5): prev = 1 pprev = 0 iteration 1 : i = 2; i <= 5 res = 1 + 0 = 1 pprev = 1 prev = 1 i = 3 iteration2: i = 3; i <= 5 res = 1 + 1 = 2 pprev = 1 prev = 2 i = 4</pre>	<pre>iteration 3 : i = 4; i <= 5 res = 2 + 1 = 3 pprev = 2 prev = 3 i = 5 iteration4: i = 5; i <= 5 res = 3 + 2 = 5 pprev = 3 prev = 5 i = 6 return res = 5</pre>	<pre>int fib(int n) { if (n == 0 n == 1) { return n; } int prev = 1; int pprev = 0; int res, i; for (i = 2; i <= n; i++) { res = prev + pprev; pprev = prev; prev = res; } return res; }</pre>
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The iterative algorithm computes fib(2), fib(3), fib(4), ..., fib(n) in an iterative manner. It keeps track of the last two Fibonacci numbers needed to compute the next Fibonacci number.

Can we do better?

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- A better solution

$$\begin{bmatrix} f(n) \\ f(n-1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f(n-1) \\ f(n-2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times f(n-1) + 1 \times f(n-2) \\ 1 \times f(n-1) + 0 \times f(n-2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f(n-1) + f(n-2) \\ f(n-1) \end{bmatrix}$$

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- A better solution

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- A better solution

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- Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} f(n) \\ f(n-1) \end{bmatrix} = A^{n-1} * \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} f(n) \\ f(n-1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \gamma_1 & \gamma_2 \\ \gamma_3 & \gamma_4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \gamma_1 \\ \gamma_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

How to compute A^{n-1} fast?

Fibonacci numbers

```
// mul takes a matrix A and R as input
// returns the result of A^n in R
void mul(int A[2][2], int R[2][2], int n) {
    if (n == 1) {
        R[0][0] = A[0][0]; R[0][1] = A[0][1];
        R[1][0] = A[1][0]; R[1][1] = A[1][1];
        return;
    }
    if (n % 2 == 0) {
        mul(A, R, n/2);
        // mul2 takes two 2x2 matrices as input and
        // returns the multiplication in the first
        // matrix
        mul2(R, R); // R <- R * R
    }
    else {
        mul(A, R, (n-1)/2);
        mul2(R, R); // R <- R * R
        mul2(R, A); // R <- R * A
    }
}
```

```
int fib(int n) {
    if (n <= 1) {
        return n;
    }
    int A[2][2];
    int R[2][2];

    A[0][0] = 1; A[0][1] = 1;
    A[1][0] = 1; A[1][1] = 0;

    mul(A, R, n-1);
    // R contains A^{n-1}
    return R[0][0];
}
```

The fib routine initializes A (a 2x2 matrix) with the value discussed in the previous slide. The mul routine takes two 2x2 matrices, A and R; the value of n; and returns $A^{(n-1)}$ in R. The mul2 routine takes two 2x2 matrices, P and Q; computes $P \times Q$; and stores them in P before returning. The recursive algorithm to compute A^n is similar to the faster algorithm we discussed for computing x^n .

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mul2 implementation?

$\text{mul2}(\text{int } A[2][2], \text{int } B[2][2])$

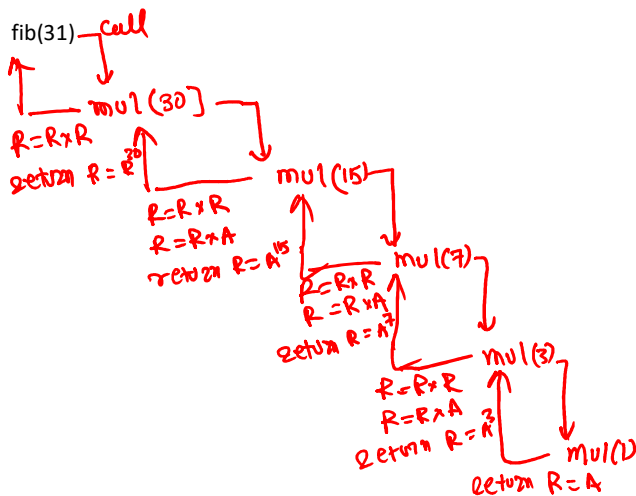
$\text{int } t[2][2];$

$t[0][0] = A[0][0] * B[0][0] + A[0][1] * B[1][0]$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ y_1 & y_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_1 & p_2 \\ q_1 & q_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 p_1 + x_2 q_1 & x_1 p_2 + x_2 q_2 \\ y_1 p_1 + y_2 q_1 & y_1 p_2 + y_2 q_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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        return;
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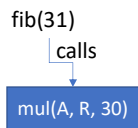
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        return;
    }
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    else {
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```

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fib(31)

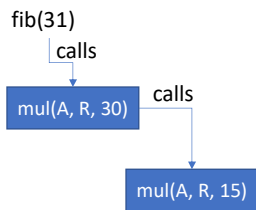
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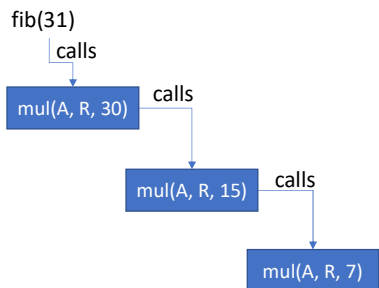
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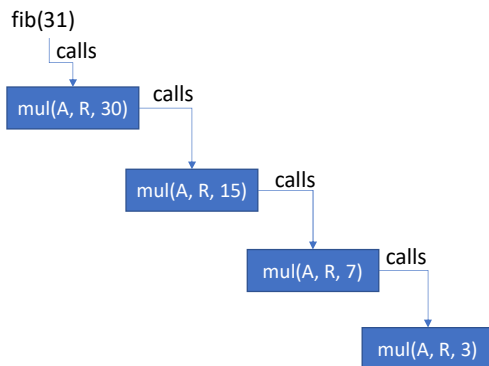
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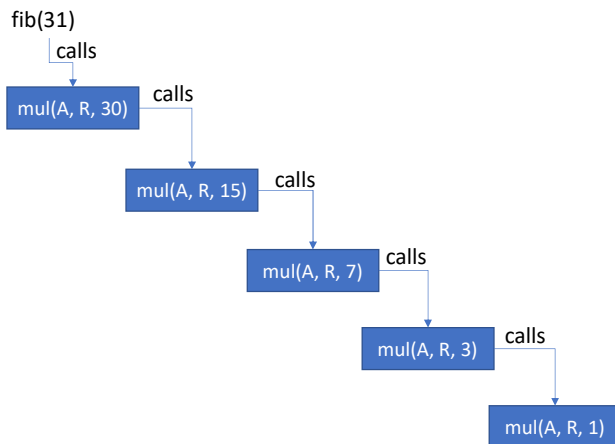
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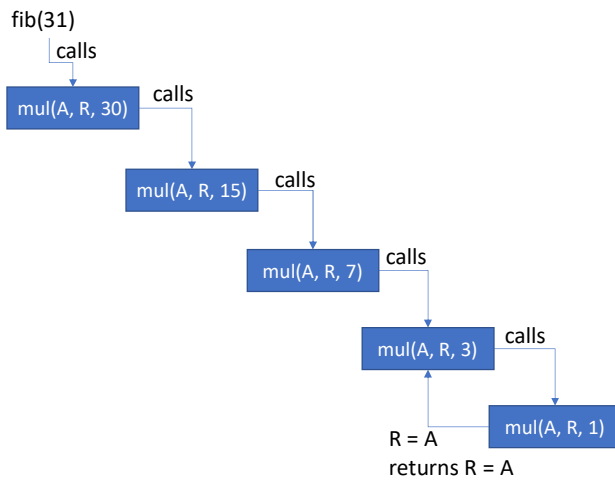
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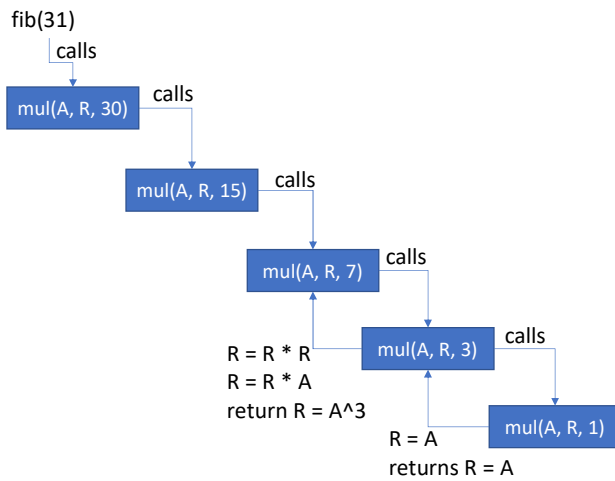


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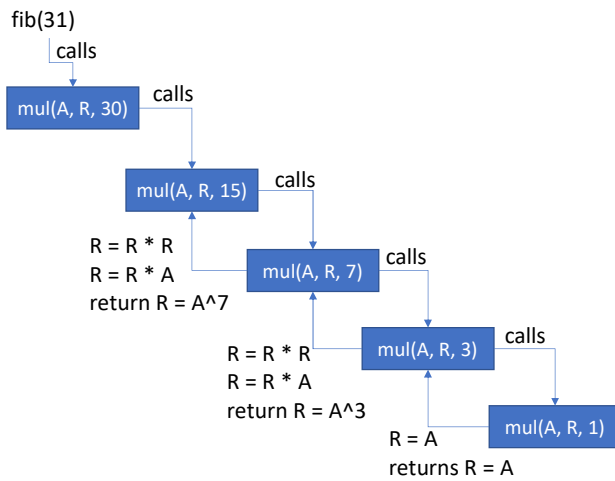
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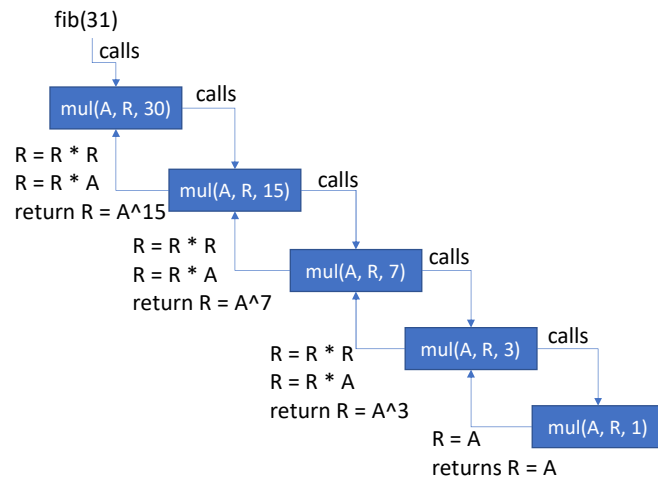
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        mul(A, R, (n-1)/2);
        mul2(R, R); // R <- R * R
        mul2(R, A); // R <- R * A
    }
}
```

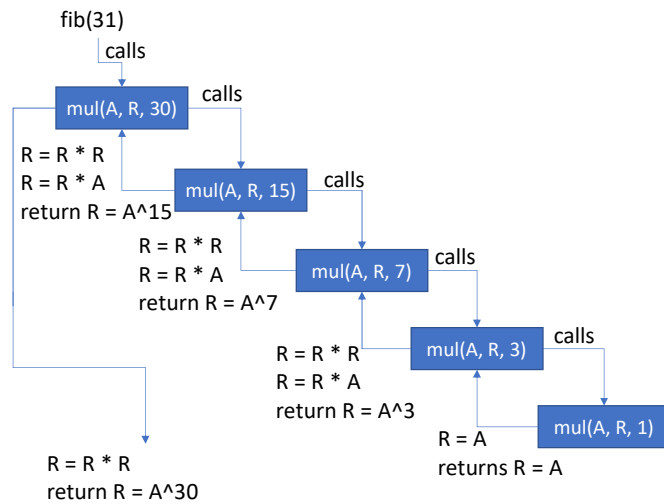
Fibonacci numbers



```

// mul takes a matrix A and R as input
// returns the result of A^n in R
void mul(int A[2][2], int R[2][2], int n) {
    if (n == 1) {
        R[0][0] = A[0][0]; R[0][1] = A[0][1];
        R[1][0] = A[1][0]; R[1][1] = A[1][1];
        return;
    }
    if (n % 2 == 0) {
        mul(A, R, n/2);
        // mul2 takes two 2x2 matrices as input and
        // returns the multiplication in the first
        // matrix
        mul2(R, R); // R <- R * R
    }
    else {
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    }
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```

Notice that this algorithm only makes five recursive calls to compute $f(31)$ in contrast to the previous recursive algorithm that makes around 30 calls.

Homework

- Modify the fib(n) routines (matrix mul and iterative) discussed in the class to return “nth Fibonacci number % 1000” instead of “nth Fibonacci number”
- Compare the runtimes of matrix mul vs. iterative algorithms for various inputs

Search algorithms

Linear search

Linear search

- Let `arr` be an input array of length `n`. Given a value `x`, we want to find an index `i` ($0 \leq i < n$), such that `arr[i] == x`. If no such index exists, then the algorithm returns `-1`.

Linear search

12	11	23	13	41	19	25
0	1	2	3	4	5	6



return 3

```
int lsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);
```

What is the output of lsearch(arr, 7, 13)? 3

What is the output of lsearch(arr, 7, 30)? -1

Iterative linear search

```
int lsearch(int arr[], int val, int len) {  
    int i;  
    for (i = len-1; i >= 0; i--) {  
        if (arr[i] == val)  
            return i;  
    }  
    return -1;  
}
```

This linear search algorithm iterates all the elements in the array, starting from the last index to the start index. If the value of an array element is equals to val, it returns the corresponding index; otherwise, if val is not present in the array, lsearch returns -1.

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- Recursive step
 - Decrement the length of the array and recursively call search

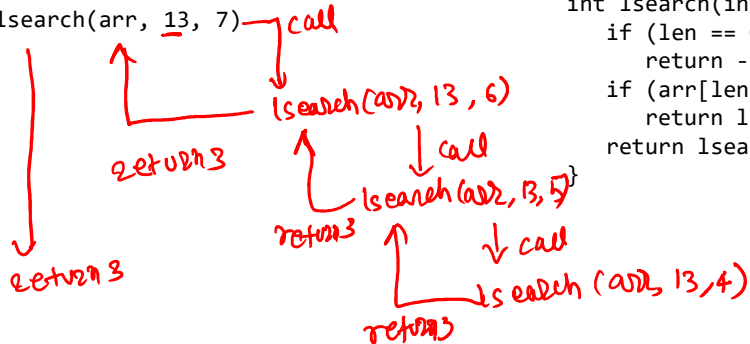
Recursive linear search

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    if (len == 0)  
        return -1;  
    if (arr[len-1] == val)  
        return len-1;  
    return lsearch(arr, val, len-1);  
}
```

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        return len-1;  
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}
```

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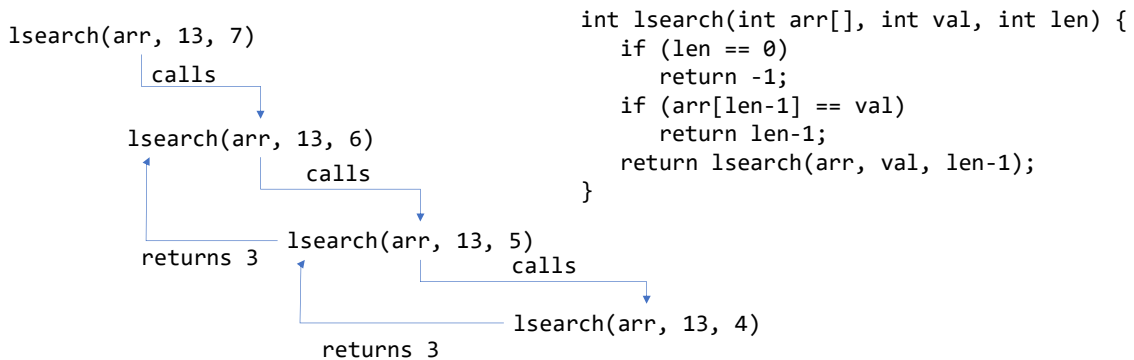
returns 3

```
int lsearch(int arr[], int val, int len) {  
    if (len == 0)  
        return -1;  
    if (arr[len-1] == val)  
        return len-1;  
    return lsearch(arr, val, len-1);  
}
```

`lsearch(arr, 13, 4)` returns 3 because `arr[len-1]`, i.e., `arr[3]` is equal to the value we are searching for, i.e., 13.

Recursive linear search

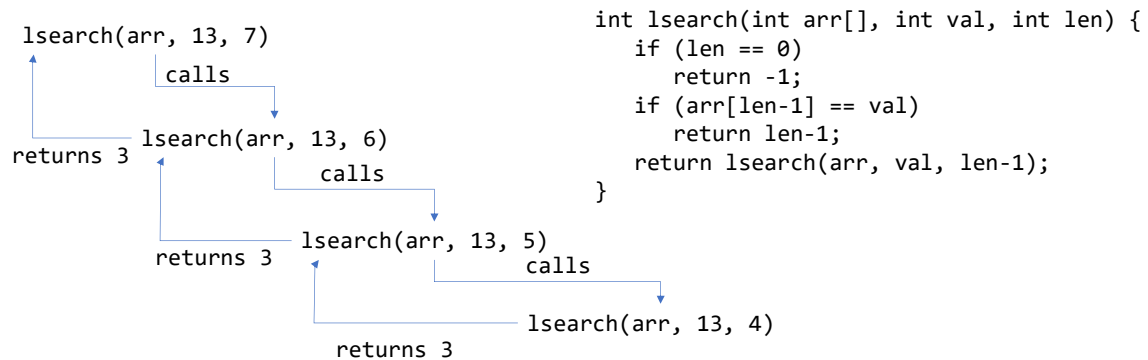
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Recursive linear search

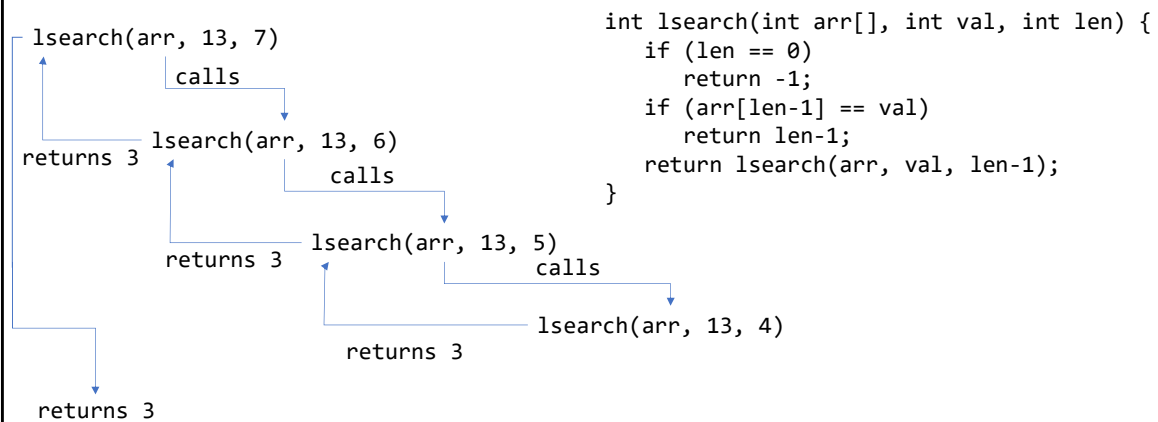
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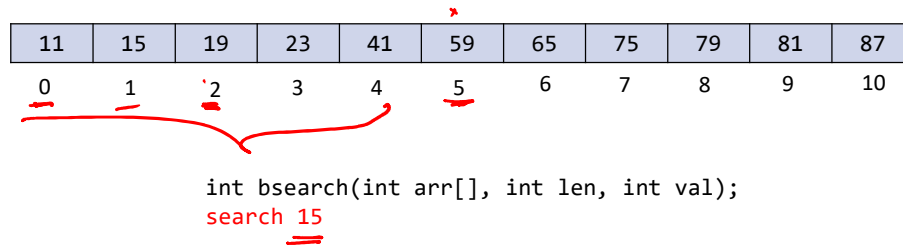
`lsearch(arr, 13, 7)` returns the return value of `lsearch(arr, 13, 6)`, which is 3.

Binary search

Binary search

- Let `arr` be an input sorted array (in ascending order) of length `n`. Given a value `x`, we want to find an index `i` ($0 \leq i < n$), such that `arr[i] == x`. If no such index exists, then the algorithm returns `-1`.

Binary search



The binary search algorithm works on a sorted array. The algorithm first computes the middle index (mid), which is equal to $(\text{start} + \text{end}) / 2$, where start and end are the first and last index of the array. In this case, initially, mid is 5. If the $\text{val} == \text{arr}[\text{mid}]$, then the algorithm simply returns mid; otherwise, if $\text{val} > \text{arr}[\text{mid}]$, then the searching is performed in the subarray starting from mid+1 to end, else we search the element in the subarray starting from start to mid-1. If the element is not present in the array, the start index will eventually become lesser than the end index, and in that case, the algorithm returns -1.

Binary search

11	15	19	23	41	59	65	75	79	81	87
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 15
```

Binary search

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```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 15
```

Searching 15 in the range (0,10). $\text{mid} = (0+10)/2 = 5$. $15 < \text{arr}[5]$, search in the range (0, 4).

Binary search

11	15	19	23	41	59	65	75	79	81	87
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 15
```

Searching 15 in the range (0,4). $\text{mid} = (0+4)/2 = 2$. $15 < \text{arr}[2]$, search in the range (0, 1).

Binary search

11	15	19	23	41	59	65	75	79	81	87
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 15
```

Searching 15 in the range (0,1). $\text{mid} = (0+1)/2 = 0$. $15 > \text{arr}[0]$, search in the range (1, 1).

Binary search

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0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 15
```

Searching 15 in the range (1,1). $\text{mid} = (1+1)/2 = 1$. $15 == \text{arr}[1]$, returns 1.

Binary search

11	15	19	23	41	59	65	75	79	81	87
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```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 74
```


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int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
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```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 74
```

Searching 74 in the range (0,10). $\text{mid} = (0+10)/2 = 5$. $74 > \text{arr}[5]$, search in the range (6, 10).

Binary search

11	15	19	23	41	59	65	75	79	81	87
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 74
```

Searching 74 in the range (6,10). $\text{mid} = (6+10)/2 = 8$. $74 < \text{arr}[8]$, search in the range (6, 7).

Binary search

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0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 74
```

Searching 74 in the range (6,7). $\text{mid} = (6+7)/2 = 6$. $74 > \text{arr}[6]$, search in the range (7, 7).

Binary search

11	15	19	23	41	59	65	75	79	81	87
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 74
```

Searching 74 in the range (7,7). $\text{mid} = (7+7)/2 = 7$. $74 < \text{arr}[7]$, search in the range (7, 6).

Binary search

11	15	19	23	41	59	65	75	79	81	87
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

```
int bsearch(int arr[], int len, int val);  
search 74
```

Searching 74 in the range (7,6). start > end. The value is not present. Returns -1.

Recursive solution

- `int bsearch(int arr[], int val, int lo, int hi);`
 - Initially, lo = 0 and hi = length(arr) - 1
 - val is the value being searched
- Base cases
 - if (lo > hi) return -1
 - mid = (lo + hi)/2
 - if (arr[mid] == val) return mid
- Recursive step
 - If val > arr[mid], search the second half (mid+1, lo), recursively
 - Otherwise, search the first half (lo, mid-1)

Recursive solution

```
int bsearch(int arr[], int val, int lo, int hi) {  
    if (hi < lo)  
        return -1;  
    int mid = (lo + hi) / 2;  
    if (arr[mid] == val)  
        return mid;  
    if (arr[mid] > val)  
        return bsearch(arr, val, lo, mid-1);  
    else  
        return bsearch(arr, val, mid+1, hi);  
}
```