

- (b) Assuming for simplicity that $n_\ell = n$ for $\ell = 1, \dots, d$ and $D_\ell = D'_\ell = D$ for $\ell = 1, \dots, d-1$, what is the asymptotic computational cost (in terms of powers of n , D and d) of this algorithm (when ignoring optimizations as described in Tutorial 4)?

Hint: First identify the most expensive step of the algorithm.

Most expensive step is the loop.

In every step:

1. contraction : $O(\underbrace{n}_{\text{\# of elem}} \underbrace{D^2}_{\text{sum}} \cdot \underbrace{D}_{\text{sum}})$

2. contraction: $O(\underbrace{D^2}_{\text{\# of elem}} \cdot \underbrace{nD}_{\text{sums}})$

$$\Rightarrow O(\underbrace{(d-2)}_{\text{first and last}} \cdot 2 \cdot nD^3) = O(d \cdot 2 \cdot nD^3) = \underline{\underline{O(d \cdot n \cdot D^3)}}$$

first and last
contraction are less expensive

exercise6.2_template

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[1]: import numpy as np

[2]: def mps_vdot(Alist, Blist):
    """
    Compute the inner product of two tensors in MPS format, with the convention
    that
    the complex conjugate of the tensor represented by the first argument is
    used.

    The i-th MPS tensor Alist[i] is expected to have dimensions (n[i], Da[i],
    Da[i+1]),
    and similarly Blist[i] must have dimensions (n[i], Db[i],
    Db[i+1]),
    with `n` the list of logical dimensions and `Da`, `Db` the lists of virtual
    bond dimensions.
    """
    l = len(Alist)
    R = np.tensordot(Blist[l-1], Alist[l-1].conjugate(), ([0], [0]))

    for i in range(l-2, -1, -1):
        R = np.tensordot(Alist[i].conjugate(), R, ([2], [2]))
        R = np.tensordot(Blist[i], R, ([0,2], [0,2]))
        R = R.transpose((0,2,1,3))

    return R[0][0][0][0]

[3]: def mps_to_full_tensor(Alist):
    """
    Construct the full tensor corresponding to the MPS tensors `Alist`.

    The i-th MPS tensor Alist[i] is expected to have dimensions (n[i], D[i],
    D[i+1]),
    with `n` the list of logical dimensions and `D` the list of virtual bond
    dimensions.
    """
    # consistency check: dummy singleton dimension
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assert Alist[0].ndim == 3 and Alist[0].shape[1] == 1
# formally remove dummy singleton dimension
T = np.reshape(Alist[0], (Alist[0].shape[0], Alist[0].shape[2]))
# contract virtual bonds
for i in range(1, len(Alist)):
    T = np.tensordot(T, Alist[i], axes=(-1, 1))
# consistency check: trailing dummy singleton dimension
assert T.shape[-1] == 1
# formally remove trailing singleton dimension
T = np.reshape(T, T.shape[:-1])
return T

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[4]: def crandn(size):
    """
    Draw random samples from the standard complex normal (Gaussian)
    ↪ distribution.
    """
    # 1/sqrt(2) is a normalization factor
    return (np.random.normal(size=size) + 1j*np.random.normal(size=size)) / np.
    ↪ sqrt(2)

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[5]: # logical dimensions
n = [2, 5, 1, 4, 3]

# virtual bond dimensions (rather arbitrarily chosen)
Da = [1, 3, 4, 7, 6, 1]
Db = [1, 4, 9, 8, 5, 1]

# random MPS matrices (the scaling factor keeps the norm of the full tensor in
    ↪ a reasonable range)
np.random.seed(42)
Alist = [0.4 * crandn((n[i], Da[i], Da[i+1])) for i in range(len(n))]
Blist = [0.4 * crandn((n[i], Db[i], Db[i+1])) for i in range(len(n))]

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[6]: len(Alist)

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[6]: 5

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[7]: Alist[1].shape

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[7]: (5, 3, 4)

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[8]: # show entries of one of the MPS tensors, as illustration
Alist[1]

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[8]: array([[[ 0.06843727-0.01013313j, -0.54115737+0.44254806j,
              -0.48788044-0.74097581j, -0.15903893+0.23246913j],

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[-0.2864719 +0.02462063j,  0.08888257-0.08457205j,
 -0.25682799+0.02595387j, -0.39945981-0.56216938j],
 [ 0.41454807-0.06213259j, -0.06385918+0.10100669j,
  0.01909986+0.41801156j, -0.40297964-0.14658895j]],

[[-0.15397469-0.22867652j,  0.03137365-0.14191832j,
 -0.32555015+0.25891482j,  0.10626345+0.09298486j],
 [-0.16988628-0.14983881j, -0.08250345+0.14517395j,
 -0.17018833+0.02745768j,  0.52390339+0.27397418j],
 [-0.00381759-0.1985706j , -0.29916583-0.09267685j,
  0.23265083-0.11090493j, -0.34530673-0.41394454j]],

[[ 0.05907555+0.08375546j, -0.55427841+0.07383758j,
 -0.37566774+0.0014463j ,  0.05568077-0.06635126j],
 [ 0.20886989-0.4003273j ,  0.04847027-0.11897646j,
 -0.03271027-0.0969343j , -0.08516499-0.22691828j],
 [-0.41818917-0.04561849j, -0.20360269+0.11428284j,
 -0.13028832+0.53349394j,  0.29899932+0.04937806j]],

[[ 0.09718993+0.07284625j, -0.49866306-0.02105648j,
  0.09166479-0.54271046j, -0.10891772-0.00749926j],
 [-0.19146245+0.01703568j,  0.17300818+0.69671008j,
  0.2916107 -0.0544079j ,  0.26340579+0.08529047j],
 [-0.23736656-0.00981797j, -0.08745847-0.33055207j,
  0.09369545+0.3232391j ,  0.27592583+0.21267878j]],

[[-0.13553094+0.22373762j, -0.05251229-0.25721361j,
 -0.31291878+0.39677015j, -0.33833833-0.39650336j],
 [ 0.22981701+0.16598825j,  0.38360261+0.61955441j,
 -0.02036754-0.28016598j,  0.28384197-0.16017319j],
 [ 0.10228611+0.02818566j, -0.18246742-0.14240442j,
  0.10221811-0.43859385j,  0.43502243+0.01939254j]]])

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[9]: # construct S and T as full tensors
# (only for testing - in practice one usually works with the MPS matrices
    ↪ directly!)
S = mps_to_full_tensor(Alist)
T = mps_to_full_tensor(Blist)

# should all agree
print("n:", n)
print("S.shape:", S.shape)
print("T.shape:", T.shape)

# dimension consistency checks
assert np.array_equal(np.array(S.shape), np.array(n))
assert np.array_equal(np.array(T.shape), np.array(n))

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n: [2, 5, 1, 4, 3]
S.shape: (2, 5, 1, 4, 3)
T.shape: (2, 5, 1, 4, 3)
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[10]: # reference value for inner product
      inner_ref = np.vdot(np.reshape(S, -1), np.reshape(T, -1))
      inner_ref
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[10]: (0.2520280507127002-0.24177253548110633j)
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[11]: # compare with implementation based on efficient contraction
      inner = mps_vdot(Alist, Blist)
      inner
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[11]: (0.25202805071270024-0.24177253548110622j)
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[12]: # relative error (should be zero up to numerical rounding errors)
      print("relative error:", abs(inner - inner_ref) / abs(inner_ref))
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relative error: 3.5541437616807225e-16
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