# **FFT**

- Karl Friedrich Gauss (1777-1855)
- J. W. Cooley and J. W. Tukey, 1965
- Evaluation & Multiplication of Polynomials I
- Evaluation & Multiplication of Polynomials II
- Fast Fourier Transforms
- Interpolation/splines/FEM etc

$$x_k = \omega_N^k = e^{2\pi i k/N}$$

$$y_k \equiv \mathcal{FT}_N[a_n] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} (\omega_N^k)^n a_n = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} e^{i2\pi nk/N} a_n$$

The trick:  $n = n_0 + 2 n_1 + 2^2 n_2 + ... + 2^p n_p$ 

$$\omega_N^n = \omega_N^{n_0} \ \omega_{N/2}^{n_1} \ \omega_{N/4}^{n_2} \cdots \ \omega_2^{n_p}$$

$$\sum_{n} \omega_{N}^{nk} = \sum_{n_{0}=0,1} \omega_{N}^{n_{0}k} \sum_{n_{1}=0,1} \omega_{N/2}^{n_{1}k} \cdots \sum_{n_{p}=0,1} \omega_{2}^{n_{p}k}$$

### HIGH BIT FIRST

$$y_k \equiv \mathcal{FT}_N[a_n] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} (\omega_N^k)^n a_n = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} e^{i2\pi nk/N} a_n$$

spit polynomial into low/high pieces:

$$y_k = \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} e^{i2\pi nk/N} a_n + e^{i\pi k} \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} e^{i2\pi nk/N} a_{n+N/2}$$

 $\rightarrow$  One N = Two N/2 Fourier transforms

even k 
$$y_{2\tilde{k}} = \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} e^{i2\pi n\tilde{k}/(N/2)} [a_n + a_{n+N/2}]$$

odd k 
$$y_{2\tilde{k}+1} = \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} e^{i2\pi n\tilde{k}/(N/2)} \omega_N^n [a_n - a_{n+N/2}]$$

### LOW BIT FIRST

$$y_k \equiv \mathcal{FT}_N[a_n] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} (\omega_N^k)^n a_n = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} e^{i2\pi nk/N} a_n$$

spit polynomial into even/odd pieces:

$$y_k = \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} e^{i2\pi nk/(N/2)} a_{2n} + \omega_N^k \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} e^{i2\pi nk/(N/2)} a_{2n+1}$$

 $\rightarrow$  One N = Two N/2 Fourier transforms

$$y_k = \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} e^{i2\pi nk/(N/2)} [a_n + \omega_N^k a_{n+N/2}]$$

$$y_{k+N/2} = \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} e^{i2\pi nk/(N/2)} [a_n - \omega_N^k a_{n+N/2}]$$

# THUS $T(N) = 2 T(N/2) + C_O N: T(N) \gg NLOG(N)$

$$y_{2k} = \mathcal{FT}_{N/2}[a_n + a_{n+N/2}]$$

$$y_{2k+1} = \mathcal{FT}_{N/2} [\omega_N^n (a_n - a_{n+N/2})]$$

OR

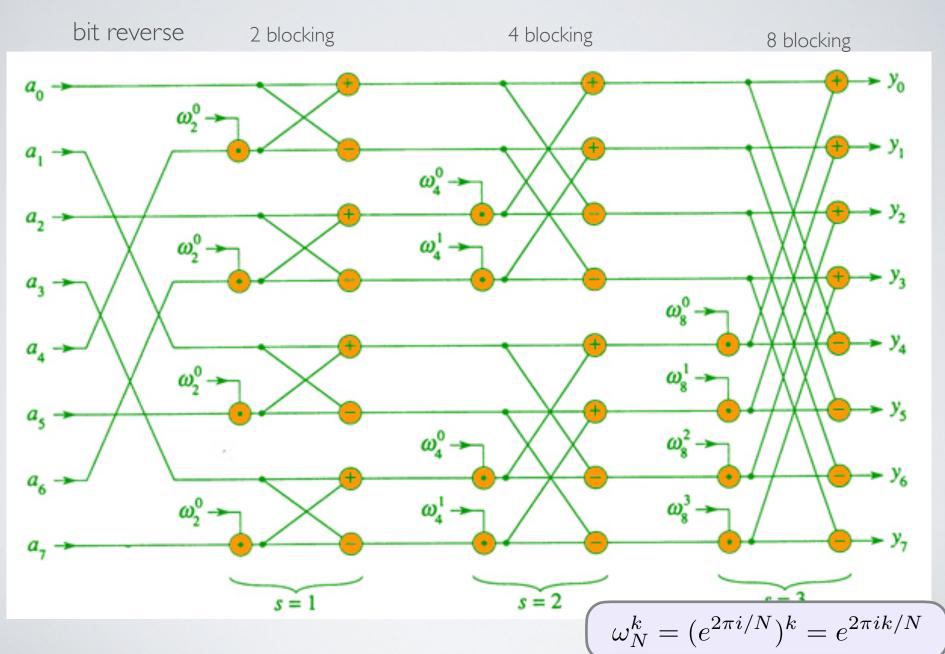
$$y_k = \mathcal{FT}_{N/2}[a_{2n} + \omega_N^k a_{2n+1}]$$

$$k = 0...N/2 - I$$

$$y_{k+N/2} = \mathcal{FT}_{N/2}[a_{2n} - \omega_N^k a_{2n+1}]$$

$$k = N/2...N - I$$

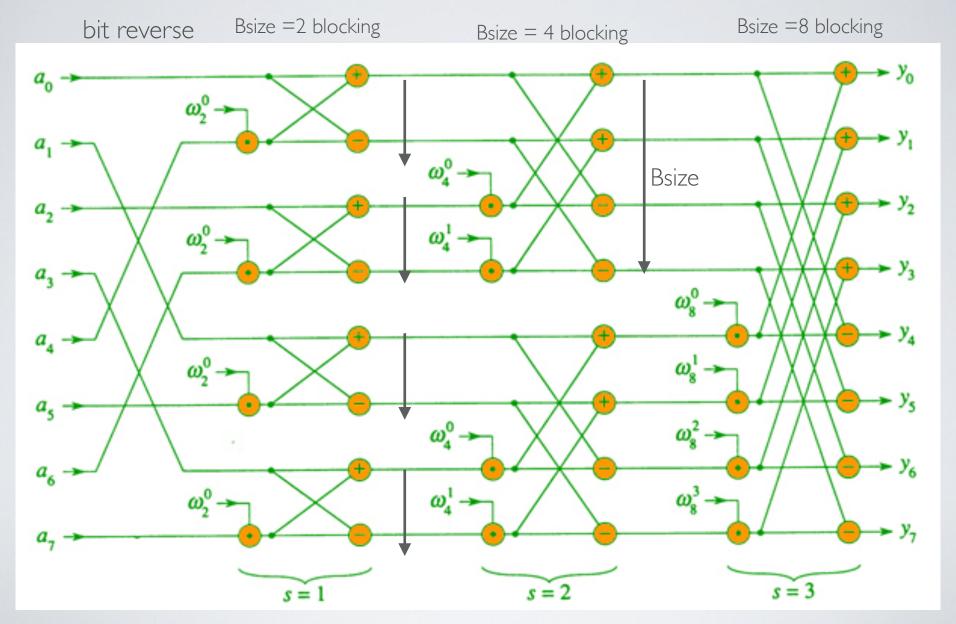
## BUTTERFLY ITERATIVE SOLUTION



#### INDIXING INSIDE BLOCKS AND BETWEEN BLOCKS

Nblocks = N/Bsize

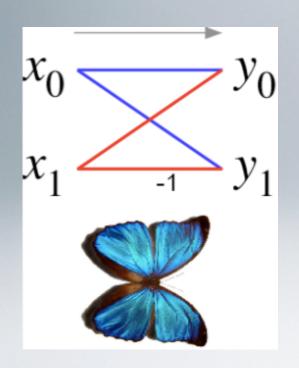
 $\omega_N^k = (e^{2\pi i/N})^k = e^{2\pi i k/N}$ 

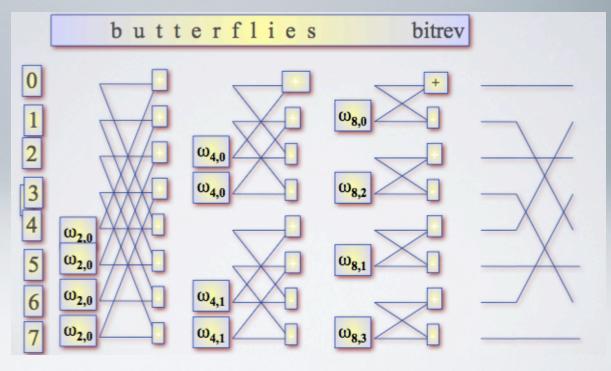


# FFT BUTTERFLY NETWORK

Left to Right High low to even odd

$$\omega_{N,k} = e^{2\pi i k/N}$$





## For Fun Some FFT Coding Style

```
void FFT(Complex * Ftilde, Complex * F, Complex * omega, int N)
 int log2n = log2(N);
 Complex high, low;
 int Bsize = 0:
 int Nblocks = 0:
 for(unsigned int x = 0; x < N; x++)
   Ftilde[reverseBits(x, N)] = F[x]:
 for(int s = 0; s < log2n; s++)
    Bsize = pow(2,s+1);
    Nblocks = N/Bsize:
    for(int nb = 0; nb < Nblocks ; nb++)
                                           // slow to next
Nblocks
    for(int pairs = 0; pairs < Bsize/2; pairs++) // fast index over
nomber of Pairs = Bsize/2
       int k = pairs + nb * Bsize;
                                                //low pairs index : {x
high = low + Bsize/2
       low = Ftilde[k];
       high = omega[Nblocks*pairs]*Ftilde[k
+ Bsize/2]; //(omega_Bsize)^pairs = (omega_N^(Nblocks*pairs)
       Ftilde[k] = low + high;
       Ftilde[k + Bsize/2] = low - high;
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## **Example: Increment Array Elements**

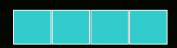


Increment N-element vector a by scalar b



Let's assume N=16, blockDim=4 -> 4 blocks





blockldx.x=0 blockDim.x=4 threadldx.x=0,1,2,3 idx=0,1,2,3 blockldx.x=1 blockDim.x=4 threadldx.x=0,1,2,3 idx=4,5,6,7

blockldx.x=2 blockDim.x=4 threadldx.x=0,1,2,3 idx=8,9,10,11

blockldx.x=3 blockDim.x=4 threadldx.x=0,1,2,3 idx=12,13,14,15

int idx = blockDim.x \* blockld.x + threadldx.x;
will map from local index threadldx to global index

**Common Pattern!** 

NB: blockDim should be >= 32 in real code, this is just an example

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