2-6 Algorithmic Methods

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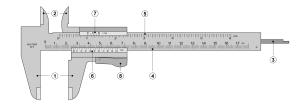
$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$
 $(a > 0, b > 1)$

Assume that T(n) is constant for sufficiently small n.

f(n) is asymptotically positive.

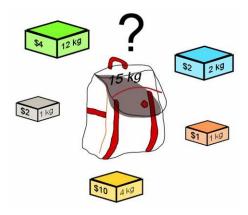
$$T(1) = 0 \text{ vs. } T(1) = d \neq 0$$

Convex Polygon Diameter



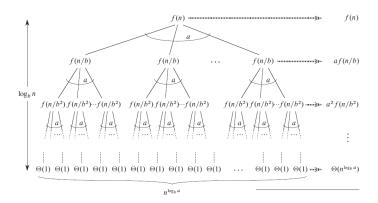
Correctness Proof

Integer Knapsack



Algorithm & Time Complexity

$$T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n)$$



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$$f(n) \ vs. \ n^{\log_b a}$$

$$f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon}) \implies T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$$

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$$a^{\log_b n - 1} f\left(\frac{n}{b^{\log_b n - 1}}\right) = a^{\log_b n - 1} f(b) = a^{\log_b n} \frac{f(b)}{a}$$

$$T(n) = n^{\log_b a} T(1) + \sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} a^j f\left(\frac{n}{b^j}\right)$$
$$= n^{\log_b a} \left(\frac{f(b^{\log_b n})}{a^{\log_b n}} + \dots + \frac{f(b^2)}{a^2} + \frac{f(b)}{a} + T(1)\right)$$

f(n) is asymptotically positive.

$$T(1) = d = \Theta(1), \quad (d \text{ can be } 0)$$

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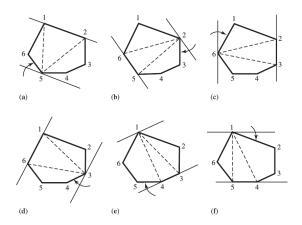
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What if
$$f(n) = 0$$
?

$$T(n) = n^{\log_b a} T(1)$$

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 0, & T(1) = 0 \\ \Theta(n^{\log_b a}), & T(1) = d \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

Convex Polygon Diameter





"Computational Geometry" Ph.D Thesis, Michael Shamos, 1978



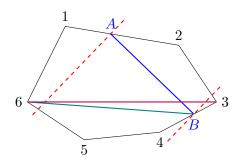
"Solving Geometric Problems with the Rotating Calipers", 1983

Correctness



Theorem (DH 4-8)

If AB is a diameter of a convex polygon P, then A and B are vertices.



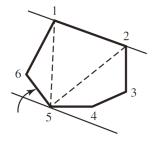
BUT, we have *not* enumerated *all* pairs of vertices.

We have enumerated all antipodals.

Definition (Line of Support)

A line L is a *line of support* of a convex polygon P if

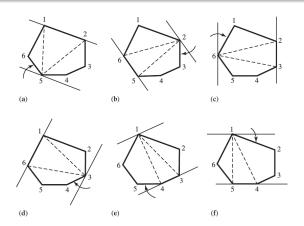
$$L \cap P = \text{ a vertex/an edge of } P.$$



 $L \cap P \neq \emptyset$ P lies entirely on one side of L.

Definition (Antipodal)

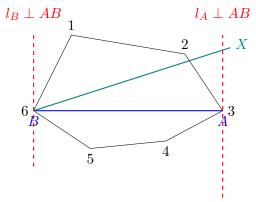
An antipodal is a pair of points that admits parallel supporting lines.



We have enumerated *all* antipodals by *rotating* through all angles.

Theorem (We Won't Miss the Diameter)

If AB is a diameter of a convex polygon P, then AB is an antipodal.

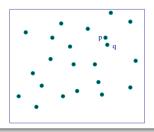


We claim that l_A and l_B are parallel supporting lines.

$$l_A \cap P \neq \emptyset$$

 $l_A \cap P \neq \emptyset$ P lies entirely on one side of l_A .

Finding the Closest Pair of Points (Additional: DH 4-10)



A Classical and Beautiful Divide-Conquer-Combine Algorithm:



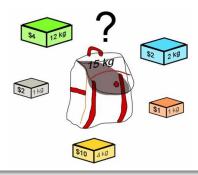
Section 33.4, CLRS

DH 4.13 (Integer Knapsack)

$$N = 5$$

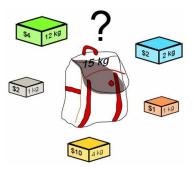
 $Q = [3, 1, 4, 5, 1]$ (quantity)
 $W = [10, 20, 20, 8, 7]$ (weight)
 $P = [17, 42, 35, 16, 15]$ (profit)





0-1 Knapsack

$$\forall i: Q[i] = 1$$



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$$N' = \sum_{i} Q[i]$$

$$W' = [\dots, \underbrace{W_{i}}_{\#=Q_{i}}, \dots]$$

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K[c,i]:

The maximal profit obtained using knapsack of capacity c with items of $x_1 \dots x_i$.

Using the item x_i or not?

$$K[c, i] = \max \begin{cases} K[c, i - 1], \\ K[c - W[i], i - 1] + P[i], & W[i] \le c \end{cases}$$

Time complexity : $\Theta(NC)$

Is this a polynomial algorithm?



Thank You!



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