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easy parts.

# 4 Recurrence Relations

(a)

$$\begin{split} T(n) &= 4T(\frac{n}{4}) + 32n \\ &= 4^{\lceil \log_4 n \rceil} T(\frac{n}{4^{\lceil \log_4 n \rceil}}) + 32 \sum_{d=0}^{\lceil \log_4 n \rceil} \frac{n}{4^d} \cdot 4^d \\ &= \mathcal{O}(n) \cdot \lceil \log_4 n \rceil \\ &= \mathcal{O}(n \log n) \end{split}$$

(b)

$$T(n) = 4T(\frac{n}{3}) + n^2$$

$$= 4^{\lceil \log_3 n \rceil} T(\frac{n}{3^{\lceil \log_3 n \rceil}}) + \sum_{d=0}^{\lceil \log_3 n \rceil} (\frac{n}{3^d})^2 \cdot 4^d$$

$$= \mathcal{O}(n^2) \cdot \frac{\frac{4}{9}^{\lceil \log_3 n \rceil} - 1}{1 - \frac{4}{9}}$$

$$= \mathcal{O}(4^{\log_3 n})$$

$$= \mathcal{O}(n^{\log_3 4})$$

(c)

$$T(n) = T(\frac{3n}{5}) + T(\frac{4n}{5})$$

$$= T((\frac{3}{5})^2 n) + 2T(\frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{5}n) + T((\frac{4}{5})^2 n)$$

$$= \dots$$

$$= (\frac{3}{5} + \frac{4}{5})^{-\log_{\frac{3}{5}}n} \cdot T(n)$$

$$= \mathcal{O}(n^{\log_{\frac{5}{3}}\frac{7}{3}})$$

$$\approx \mathcal{O}(n^{1.658})$$

## 5 In Between Functions

$$\exists d \in \mathbb{R}, \forall a > 1, \frac{f}{a^n} \le d \tag{1}$$

$$\exists h \in \mathbb{R}, \forall c > 0, \frac{n^c}{f} \le h \tag{2}$$

We assume that:

$$f = a^n + n^c$$

such f will be eligible.

*Proof.* We primarily verify formula (1). So we have

$$\frac{f}{a^n} = 1 + \frac{n^c}{a^n}$$

$$= 1 + a^{c \log_a n - n}$$
(3)

$$=1+a^{c\log_a n-n} \tag{4}$$

Because

$$h(x) = c \log_a n - n$$

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get its maximum value at  $x_0 = \frac{a}{\ln a}$ , therefore  $\exists d = 1 + a^{h(x_0)}$ , making formula (1) workable.

Likewise, we treat formula (2) as same as formula (1), So we have

$$\frac{n^c}{f} = 1 - \frac{1}{1 + \frac{n^c}{a^n}}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{1 + a^{c \log_a n - n}}$$
(5)

$$=1 - \frac{1}{1 + a^{c \log_a n - n}} \tag{6}$$

therefore  $\exists h = \frac{a^{h(x_0)}}{1 + a^{h(x_0)}}$ , making formula (2) workable.

## 6 Sequences

(a) Devise an algorithm which computes  $r \equiv A_n \mod 50$  in  $\mathcal{O}(\log n)$  time:

### **Algorithm 1** My algorithm for computing $A_n \mod 50$

**Input:** A value n, an array  $A = (A_{k-1}, ..., A_0)$  and the another array  $b = (b_1, ..., b_k)$ 

**Output:** A integar value  $r \equiv A_n \mod 50$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{M} &\leftarrow \begin{bmatrix} b[1,...,k-1] & b_k \\ I_k & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ A_1 &\leftarrow ExpBySquaring(M^n) * Transpose(A) \end{aligned}$$

 $r \leftarrow A_1[0] \mod 50$ 

return r

Proof. Since

$$A_k = \sum_{i=0}^k b_i A_{k-1-i} \tag{7}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & \dots & b_k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_{k-1} \\ \vdots \\ A_0 \end{bmatrix}$$
 (8)

We reckon upon vectorising formula (8), then

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_k \\ \vdots \\ A_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & b_2 & \dots & b_{k-1} & b_k \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_{k-1} \\ \vdots \\ A_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Suppose 
$$M = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & b_2 & \dots & b_{k-1} & b_k \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
, then

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_n \\ \vdots \\ A_{n-k} \end{bmatrix} = M^{n-1} \begin{bmatrix} A_{k-1} \\ \vdots \\ A_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence we can try out to calculate  $M^{n-1}$  for attaining  $A_n$ .

Runtime Analysis. With using exponentiation by squaring algorithm to calculate Matrices multiplication, which by the master theorem works out to  $\mathcal{O}(k^3 \log n)$ .

(b) Devise an even faster algorithm which doesn't use matrix multiplication at all:

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**Algorithm 2** My algorithm for computing  $A_n \mod 50$ 

**Input:** A value n, an array  $A = (A_{k-1}, ..., A_0)$  and the another array  $b = (b_1, ..., b_k)$ 

Output: A integar value  $r \equiv A_n \mod 50$ Suppose  $P(x) \leftarrow x^k - \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} b_{i+1} x^i$ Suppose  $D(x) \leftarrow x^n$ 

 $R(x) \leftarrow ExpBySquaring(D(x), Q(x))$ 

Get coefficients from R(x) to compute r, then  $r \leftarrow r \mod 50$ 

return r

*Proof.* We try to prove a theorem by means of generating function  $G(x) = \sum a_i x^i$ :

**Theorem.** Each term of a series determined by the linear recursion of the k-order order can be obtained by the linear combination of the first k-terms of the series.

*Proof.* Apparently true when n < k. When  $n \ge k$ , it is obtained by recursion:

$$G(x) = A_n x^n = \sum_{i=1}^k b_i x^i A_{n-i} x^{n-i}$$

So the theorem holds.

Given  $F\left(\sum c_i x^i\right) = \sum c_i b_i$ , so the answer is  $F\left(x^n\right)$ . Due to

$$A_n = \sum_{i=1}^k A_{n-i} b_i$$

We can prove these formulas as follows:

$$F(x^n) = F\left(\sum_{i=1}^k b_i x^{n-i}\right)$$

$$\Longrightarrow F\left(x^{n} - \sum_{i=1}^{k} b_{i} x^{n-i}\right) = F\left(x^{n}\right) - F\left(\sum_{i=1}^{k} b_{i} x^{n-i}\right) = 0$$

Let

$$G(x) = x^k - \sum_{i=1}^k b_i x^{k-i}$$

$$A(x) = x^n$$

then F(A(x)+G(x))=F(A(x))+F(G(x))=F(A(x)). Then you can reduce the order of A(x) by adding or subtracting multiples of G(x) to A(x) multiplicative times. That is to find  $F(A(x) \mod G(x))$ . The order of  $A(x) \mod G(x)$ G(x) does not exceed k-1, and  $A_{0..k-1}$  has been given, it can be counted.

**Runtime Analysis.** The problem is transformed into quickly finding  $x^n \mod G(x)$ , as long as the multiplication and modulo in exponentiation by squaring algorithm are replaced by polynomial multiplication and polynomial modulo, it can be done in  $\mathcal{O}(k \log k \log n)$ . This problem is solved within the time complexity.

# 7 Decimal to Binary

Given the n-digit decimal representation of a number, converting it into binary in the natural way takes  $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$  steps. Give a divide and conquer algorithm to do the conversion and show that it does not take much more time than Karatsuba's algorithm for integer multiplication:

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## Algorithm 3 My algorithm for converting decimal to binary: DivAndCoqD2B(d)

Input: A n-digit decimal representation of a number d Output: A binary number b if n == 1 then return NormalD2B(d) end if  $d_l, d_r \leftarrow \text{leftmost} \left\lceil \frac{n}{2} \right\rceil$ , rightmost  $\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor$  digits of d  $b_l, b_r \leftarrow DivAndCoqD2B(d_l), DivAndCoqD2B(d_r)$  return  $b_l * DivAndCoqD2B(10^{\left\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \right\rfloor}) + b_r$ 

*Proof.* Its context is omitted due to some restriction of this question.

Runtime Analysis. Since our method for converting n-digit decimals starts by making recursive calls to convert these three pairs of n/2-digit decimals (three subproblems of half the size), and then evaluates the preceding expression in  $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$  time. Writing T(n) for the overall running time on n-digit inputs, we get the recurrence relation

$$T(n) = 3T(\frac{n}{2}) + \mathcal{O}(n^2)$$

Hence in the meantime, this particular one works out to  $\mathcal{O}(n^{\log_2 3})$ , the same running time as Karatsuba's algorithm for integer multiplication.