## ▼ Proof of the Holder lower bound on the growth factor of Fast Matrix Multiplication in Strassen's orbit

- restart: with(LinearAlgebra): with(Student[VectorCalculus]): with(PolynomialTools): HolderP:= $\mathbf{proc}(A, p)$  local i, s;  $s \coloneqq 0$ ; for i from 1 to RowDimension(A) do  $s \coloneqq s$ 
  - +  $(MatrixNorm(A[i], Frobenius, conjugate = false))^p$ ; **od**;  $s^{\frac{1}{p}}$ ; **end**:

# ▼ L represents the left linear pre-additions performed by the original Strassen's algorithm on left-hand side of A\*B K represents all the transformation of any L, R or P matrix within Strassen's orbit

> 
$$L := Matrix(7, 4, [[1, 0, 0, 1], [0, 1, 0, -1], [-1, 0, 1, 0], [1, 1, 0, 0], [1, 0, 0, 0], [0, 0, 0, 1], [0, 0, 1, 1]])$$
:

$$W := \left\langle \langle r | x \rangle, \left\langle 0 \middle| \frac{1}{r} \right\rangle \right\rangle : V := \left\langle \langle s | y \rangle, \left\langle 0 \middle| \frac{1}{s} \right\rangle \right\rangle :$$

$$K := K_{vorted} hear Product(W, V) : L, W, V, K_{vorted}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} r & x \\ 0 & \frac{1}{r} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} s & y \\ 0 & \frac{1}{s} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} rs & ry & xs & xy \\ 0 & \frac{r}{s} & 0 & \frac{x}{s} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{s}{r} & \frac{y}{r} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{rs} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(1.1.1)$$

## It is easier to study the Holder norm to the power -1/z, and use a nicer form

$$E := simplify(G^{holderexp}, symbolic):$$

$$simplify(E - HNlk, symbolic);$$

$$G := \left( (r^2 + x^2) (s^2 + y^2) + \frac{2xy + \frac{1}{rs}}{rs} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2z}} + (rs)^{\frac{1}{z}} + \left( s^2 + \left( y + \frac{1}{s} \right)^2 \right)^{-\frac{1}{2z}} \left( (r^2 + x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2z}} + r^{\frac{1}{z}} \right) + \left( r^2 + \left( x - \frac{1}{r} \right)^2 \right)^{-\frac{1}{2z}} \left( (s^2 + y^2)^{-\frac{1}{2z}} + s^{\frac{1}{z}} \right)$$

$$+ ((r^2 + x^2) (s^2 + y^2))^{-\frac{1}{2z}}$$

$$0 \qquad (1.2.1)$$

#### We compute the gradient of the Holder norm, and check its root

- $=\frac{2\cdot r^3}{3}\left\{,\left[r,s,x,y\right]\right)\right\}$ :

subminpoint := solve([r, s, x, y] - explminpoint);*map*(*simplify*, *subs*(*subminpoint*, *gradE*));

subminpoint := 
$$\left\{ r = \frac{3^{1/4}\sqrt{2}}{2}, s = \frac{3^{1/4}\sqrt{2}}{2}, s = \frac{3^{3/4}\sqrt{2}}{6}, y = -\frac{3^{3/4}\sqrt{2}}{6} \right\}$$
 [0, 0, 0, 0] (1.3.1)

#### We now compute the Hessian at that point, then the associated characteristic polynomial and eigenvalues

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\rightarrow H := map(x \rightarrow simplify(radnormal(x, rationalized)), Hessian(E, [r, s, x, y])
        = explminpoint);
   charP := FromCoefficientVector(map(x \rightarrow simplify(x, symbolic),
       CoefficientVector(simplify(expand(CharacteristicPolynomial(H, X)), radical), X))
       (X);
  solutions := map(x \rightarrow simplify(x, symbolic), [solve(charP)]);
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$$\frac{13\sqrt{3}\left(2^{-\frac{1}{z}}\left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}}+63^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)\right)^{-z}\left(183^{\frac{1}{2z}}2^{\frac{1}{2z}}z+\dots\right)}{18z\left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}}+63^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^{-z}\left(-243^{\frac{1}{2z}}2^{\frac{3}{2z}}z^{\frac{3}{2z}}z\right)}\dots$$

$$\frac{23\sqrt{3}\left(2^{-\frac{1}{z}}\left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}}+63^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)\right)^{-z}\left(-243^{\frac{1}{2z}}2^{\frac{3}{2z}}z^{\frac{3}{2z}}z\right)}{72z\left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}}+63^{\frac{1}{2z}}z^{\frac{3}{2z}}z^{\frac{3}{2z}}z\right)}\dots$$

$$\frac{\left(93^{\frac{1}{2z}}\left(z-\frac{1}{6}\right)2^{\frac{1}{2z}}+(18z-9)3^{\frac{1}{z}}+32^{\frac{1}{2z}}z^{\frac{3}{2z}}z^{\frac{1}{2z}}+63^{\frac{1}{2z}}z^{\frac{3}{2z}}z^{\frac{1}{2z}}z^{\frac{3}{2z}}z^{\frac{1}{2z}}}\dots$$

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$$-\frac{1}{2}\bigg)\bigg|X\bigg) + \frac{1}{9z^{2}}\bigg(5120\bigg(\frac{11073^{\frac{3}{2z}}}{2}\bigg(z^{2} - \frac{95}{164}z + \frac{95}{1312}\bigg)2^{\frac{5}{2z}}\bigg)$$

$$+3^{\frac{1}{2z}}z\bigg(z - \frac{121}{640}\bigg)2^{\frac{7}{2z}} + \frac{13418^{\frac{1}{z}}}{160}\bigg(z^{2} - \frac{54}{149}z + \frac{95}{4768}\bigg)3^{\frac{1}{z}}\bigg)$$

$$+\frac{11079^{\frac{1}{z}}\bigg(z^{2} - z + \frac{285}{1312}\bigg)4^{\frac{1}{z}}}{40} + \frac{13z^{2}16^{\frac{1}{z}}}{320}\bigg)4^{-\frac{1}{z}}\bigg(2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + 63^{\frac{1}{2z}}\bigg)^{-4}$$

$$-2zz$$

$$X^{2}\bigg) - \frac{1}{9z}\bigg(32\sqrt{3}\bigg(2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + 63^{\frac{1}{2z}}\bigg)^{-2-z}\bigg(183^{\frac{1}{2z}}2^{\frac{1}{2z}}z + 363^{\frac{1}{z}}z\bigg)$$

$$+2^{\frac{z+1}{z}}z - 3^{\frac{2z+1}{2z}}2^{\frac{1}{2z}} - 183^{\frac{1}{z}}\bigg)X^{3}\bigg) + X^{4}$$

$$solutions := \bigg[\bigg\{X = \frac{1}{6z}\bigg(\bigg((32z - 11)3^{\frac{z+1}{2z}} + 4z\sqrt{3}2^{\frac{1}{2z}}\bigg)$$

$$+\sqrt{-384z}\bigg(z - \frac{1}{16}\bigg)3^{\frac{1}{2z}}2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + (1344z^{2} - 384z + 39)3^{\frac{1}{z}} + 482^{\frac{1}{z}}z^{\frac{1}{z}}\bigg)$$

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#### We now look for a nicer form of the eigenvalues for z>0

\[ \] tau := 
$$3^{\frac{1}{2 \cdot z}}$$
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 $d1 := 24(1 - 16 \cdot z) \cdot \tan z \cdot \text{lambda} + (1344 z^2 - 384 z + 39) \cdot \tau^2 + 48 \cdot \lambda^2 \cdot z^2;$ 
 $d2 := 72 (272 \cdot z - 237) \cdot \tan z \cdot z \cdot \text{lambda} + (12096 z^2 - 20736 z + 8991) \cdot \tau^2 + 8112 \lambda^2 z^2;$ 

$$b1 := (32z - 11) \cdot \text{nu} + 4\sqrt{3}z2^{\frac{1}{2z}}; b2 := (96z - 63) \cdot \text{nu} + 52\sqrt{3}z \text{ lambda};$$

$$n := \frac{\left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + 63^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^{-1-z}}{6 \cdot z};$$

$$d1 := (24 - 384 z) 3^{\frac{1}{2z}} z 2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + (1344 z^2 - 384 z + 39) \left(3^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^2 + 48 \left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^2 z^2$$

$$d2 := (19584 z - 17064) 3^{\frac{1}{2z}} z 2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + (12096 z^2 - 20736 z + 8991) \left(3^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^2$$

$$+ 8112 \left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^2 z^2$$

$$b1 := (32z - 11) 3^{\frac{z+1}{2z}} + 4z\sqrt{3} 2^{\frac{1}{2z}}$$

$$b2 := (96z - 63) 3^{\frac{z+1}{2z}} + 52z\sqrt{3} 2^{\frac{1}{2z}}$$

$$n := \frac{\left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + 63^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^{-z-1}}{6z}$$
(1.5.1)

sols := [subs(solutions[1], X), subs(solutions[2], X), subs(solutions[3], X), subs(solutions[4], X)]:

 $map(y \rightarrow simplify(y, symbolic), eigs - sols);$ 

$$eigs := \left[ \frac{1}{6z} \left( \left( 2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + 63^{\frac{1}{2z}} \right)^{-z-1} \left( (32z - 11) 3^{\frac{z+1}{2z}} + 4z\sqrt{3} 2^{\frac{1}{2z}} \right) \right] \right]$$

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+ 
$$\left( (19584 z - 17064) 3^{\frac{1}{2z}} z 2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + (12096 z^2 - 20736 z + 8991) \left( 3^{\frac{1}{2z}} \right)^2$$

$$+8112\left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^{2}z^{2}\right)^{1/2}\right), \frac{1}{18z}\left(\left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}}+63^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^{-z-1}\left((96z-63)3^{\frac{z+1}{2z}}\right)^{-z}\right)$$

$$+52 z \sqrt{3} 2^{\frac{1}{2z}}$$

$$-\left((19584 z - 17064) 3^{\frac{1}{2z}} z 2^{\frac{1}{2z}} + (12096 z^2 - 20736 z + 8991) \left(3^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^2 + 8112 \left(2^{\frac{1}{2z}}\right)^2 z^2\right)^{1/2}\right)\right]$$

$$= [0, 0, 0, 0]$$

$$(1.5.2)$$

## We check that the eigenvalues are real on the positive plane: the minimal values of d1 and d2 are positive

> 
$$dd1 := diff(d1, z) : dd2 := diff(d2, z) :$$
  
 $min1 := solve(dd1) : min2 := solve(dd2) : evalf([min1, min2]) ;$   
 $[0.3926777710, 0.5524430714]$  (1.6.1)

# d1 is decreasing before in1, increasing afterwards; d2 is decreasing before min2, increasing afterwards

$$\left[ \left[ evalf \left( subs \left( z = min1 - \frac{1}{10}, dd1 \right) \right), evalf \left( subs \left( z = min1 + \frac{1}{10}, dd1 \right) \right) \right],$$

$$\left[ evalf \left( subs \left( z = min2 - \frac{1}{10}, dd2 \right) \right), evalf \left( subs \left( z = min2 + \frac{1}{10}, dd2 \right) \right) \right] \right];$$

$$\left[ \left[ -4224.401642, 1059.281801 \right], \left[ -107526.9425, 35945.63615 \right]$$

$$(1.6.2)$$

> # Their minimal values are positive:

$$evalf([subs(z=min1, d1), subs(z=min2, d2)]);$$

$$[1121.901516, 184.766516]$$
(1.6.3)

## We end by checking that the eigenvalues are positive after 0.5171, hence the Hessian is definite positive and the extremal point is a local minimum

- > # we search for the minimal value of the derivative of the potentially smallest 2 eigenvalues  $sbd1 := b1^2 d1 : sbd2 := b2^2 d2 :$  bd1 := diff(sbd1, z) : bd2 := diff(sbd2, z) : bin1 := solve(bd1) : bin2 := solve(bd2) : evalf([bin1, bin2]) ; [0.3123021197, 0.3123021197](1.7.1)
- # sdb1 is decreasing before bin1, increasing afterwards; sdb2 is decreasing before bin2, increasing afterwards

$$\left[ \left[ evalf \left( subs \left( z = bin1 - \frac{1}{10}, bd1 \right) \right), evalf \left( subs \left( z = bin1 + \frac{1}{10}, bd1 \right) \right) \right],$$

$$\left[ evalf \left( subs \left( z = bin2 - \frac{1}{10}, bd2 \right) \right), evalf \left( subs \left( z = bin2 + \frac{1}{10}, bd2 \right) \right) \right] \right];$$

$$\left[ \left[ -300500.8617, 6683.547019 \right], \left[ -2.704507802 \times 10^6, 60151.92294 \right] \right]$$

$$(1.7.2)$$

> # Their minimal values are not positive: evalf([subs(z=bin1, sbd1), subs(z=bin2, sbd2)]);

[-1193.675072, -10743.07550] (1.7.3)

> # But sbd1 and sbd2 will be positive after their root: and 
$$b1 > sqrt(d1)$$
 as well as  $b2 > sqrt(d2)$  evalf ([[solve( $b1^2 - d1$ )], [solve( $b2^2 - d2$ )]]);
[[0.5170849365], [0.5170849365]] (1.7.4)

> # b1 & b2 have no real roots and is positive and are thus positive after 0.5171 sin1:= solve(diff(b1, z)): sin2:= solve(diff(b2, z)): evalf([sin1, sin2]);
[0.2724631658 + 0.3178238892], 0.2696570864 + 0.43238702161] (1.7.5)

> # b1 & b2 are thus increasing since their derivative is positive and are thus positive after 0.5171 evalf([subs(z=1, diff(b1, z)), subs(z=1, diff(b2, z))]);
[67.79595805, 316.8478787] (1.7.6)

> # b1 & b2 are thus positive after 0.5171 evalf( subs(z=0.5171, [b1, b2]));
[34.79848790, 24.10032976] (1.7.7)

> # Thereore  $b1 + sqrt(d1)$  &  $b2 + srqrt(d1)$  are positive as well as  $b1 - sqrt(d1)$  &  $b2 - srqrt(d1)$  # since n is positive, all four eigenvalues are positive

> evalf(subs(z=0.5171 + rand(), eigs));
[1.772443547 × 10^{-742450478122}, 5.764470143 × 10^{-742450478123}, 2.861834327 (1.7.8) × 10^{-742450478122}, 3.570157026 × 10^{-742450478123}]

The extremal point is a minimum, we search for the limit of the combined Holder norms at infinity

> MinPoint := simplify(expand(simplify(subs(subminpoint, E))));

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$$MinPoint := \left(2^{-\frac{1}{2z}} + 63^{\frac{1}{2z}}2^{-\frac{1}{z}}\right)^{-z}$$
(1.8.1)

\*# first Holder conjugates:  $\frac{1}{-\frac{1}{z}} + \frac{1}{-\frac{1}{z}} + \frac{1}{-\frac{1}{z}} + (1+3z) = 1$ LowerBound1 := limit(MinPoint<sup>3</sup>·7<sup>1+3·z</sup>, z = infinity);

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 (1.8.2)

\* # second Holder conjugates:  $\frac{1}{-\frac{1}{z}} + \frac{1}{-\frac{1}{z}} + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{1+2z}} = 1$ 

LowerBound2 :=  $limit(MinPoint^2 \cdot subs(z = -(1 + 2 \cdot z), MinPoint), z = infinity);$   $LowerBound2 := \frac{28 2^{11/14} 3^{5/7}}{9}$ 

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$$\frac{28 \, 2^{11/14} \, 3^{5/7}}{9}$$
 (1.8.3)

evalf([LowerBound1, LowerBound2]); [11.75546969, 11.75546969] (1.8.4)