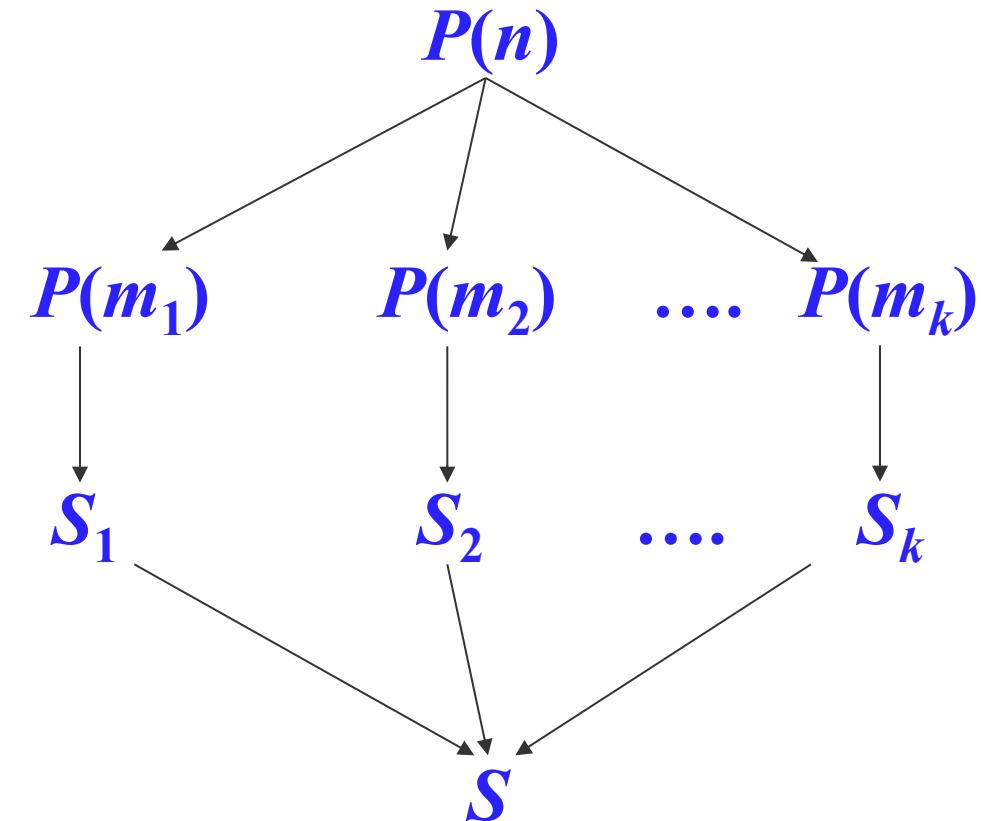


# Dynamic Programming

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經常被用來解決最佳化問題

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- 與 divide-and-conquer 法類似，是依遞迴方式設計的演算法。
- 與 divide-and-conquer 的最大差別在於子問題間不是獨立的，而是重疊的。

# 鐵條切割問題 (Rod cutting problem)

給一段長度為N(整數)單位的鐵條, 令*i*為任一正整數,  
假設p[i]表示長度為*i*的鐵條可以賣出的價格, 試問應  
如何切割該鐵條使得其總賣價最高?

例：

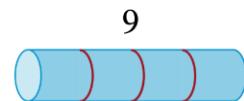
長度 i	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
價格 p[i]	1	5	8	9	10	17	17	20	24	30

$$N=7,$$

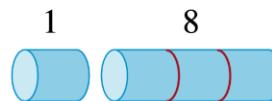
7=3+4可賣得17

7=1+6=2+2+3 可賣得18.

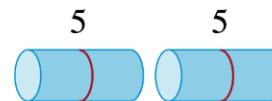
$\text{length } i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
$\text{price } p_i$	1	5	8	9	10	17	17	20	24	30



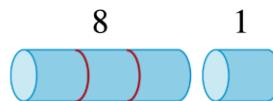
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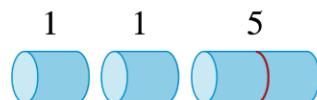
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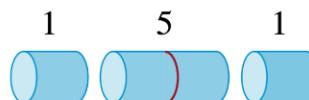
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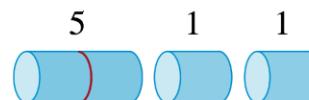
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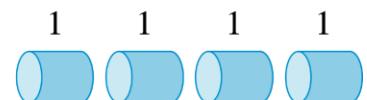
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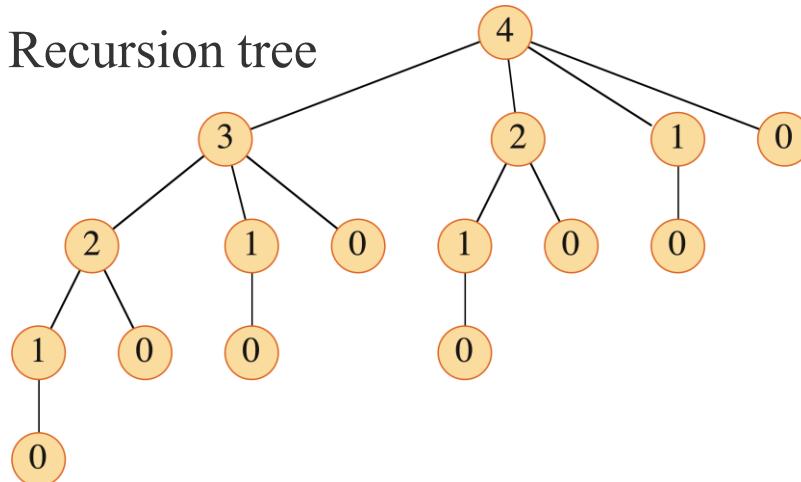


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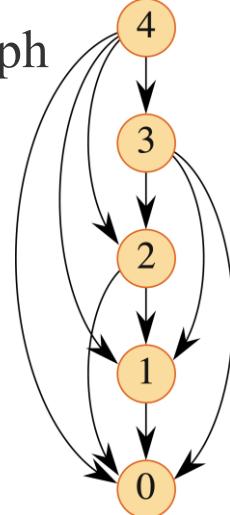


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Recursion tree



Subproblem graph



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# 鐵條切割問題 (Rod cutting problem)

假設最佳的答案是將鐵條切割成  $k$  段, 即

$$N = i_1 + i_2 + \dots + i_k$$

$$r[N] = p[i_1] + \dots + p[i_k] \quad \text{---- 總價格}$$

$$r[N] = \max_{i=1..n} \{ p[i] + r[N-i] \},$$

$$r[0] = 0.$$

CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )

```
1  if  $n == 0$ 
2      return 0
3   $q = -\infty$ 
4  for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ 
5       $q = \max(q, p[i] + \text{CUT-ROD}(p, n - i))$ 
6  return  $q$ 
```

# 鐵條切割問題 (Rod cutting problem)

MEMOIZED-CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )

```
1 let  $r[0..n]$  be a new array  
2 for  $i = 0$  to  $n$   
3      $r[i] = -\infty$   
4 return MEMOIZED-CUT-ROD-AUX( $p, n, r$ )
```

Time =  $O(n^2)$ , why?

MEMOIZED-CUT-ROD-AUX( $p, n, r$ )

```
1 if  $r[n] \geq 0$   
2     return  $r[n]$   
3 if  $n == 0$   
4      $q = 0$   
5 else  $q = -\infty$   
6     for  $i = 1$  to  $n$   
7          $q = \max(q, p[i] + \text{MEMOIZED-CUT-ROD-AUX}(p, n - i, r))$   
8      $r[n] = q$   
9 return  $q$ 
```

### BOTTOM-UP-CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )

```
1 let  $r[0..n]$  be a new array  
2  $r[0] = 0$   
3 for  $j = 1$  to  $n$   
4      $q = -\infty$   
5     for  $i = 1$  to  $j$   
6          $q = \max(q, p[i] + r[j-i])$   
7      $r[j] = q$   
8 return  $r[n]$ 
```

### EXTENDED-BOTTOM-UP-CUT-ROD( $p, n$ )

```
1 let  $r[0..n]$  and  $s[0..n]$  be new arrays  
2  $r[0] = 0$   
3 for  $j = 1$  to  $n$   
4      $q = -\infty$   
5     for  $i = 1$  to  $j$   
6         if  $q < p[i] + r[j-i]$   
7              $q = p[i] + r[j-i]$   
8              $s[j] = i$   
9      $r[j] = q$   
10 return  $r$  and  $s$ 
```

### PRINT-CUT-ROD-SOLUTION( $p, n$ )

```
1  $(r, s) = \text{EXTENDED-BOTTOM-UP-CUT-ROD}(p, n)$   
2 while  $n > 0$   
3     print  $s[n]$   
4      $n = n - s[n]$ 
```

長度 $i$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
價格 $p[i]$	1	5	8	9	10	17	17	20	24	30
$r[i]$	1	5	8	10	13	17	18	22	25	30
$s[i]$	1	2	3	2	2	6	1	2	3	10

# Crazy eights puzzle

- Given a sequence of cards  $c[0], c[1], \dots, c[n-1]$ ,  
e.g. 7H, 6H, 7D, 3D, 8C, JS,...
- Find the longest subsequence  $c[i_1], c[i_2], \dots, c[i_k]$ ,  
( $i_1 < i_2 < \dots < i_k$ ), where  $c[i_j]$  and  $c[i_{j+1}]$  have the  
**same suit** or **rank** or one has rank 8.-- **match**

- Let  $T[i]$  be the length of the longest subsequence starting at  $c[i]$ .
- $T[i] = 1 + \max \{T[j]: c[i] \text{ and } c[j] \text{ have a match and } j < n\}$
- Optimal solution:  $\max \{T[i]\}$ .

# 串列矩陣相乘 (定義)

給一串列的矩陣  $\langle A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n \rangle$ , 其中矩陣  $A_i$  的大小為  $p_{i-1} \times p_i$ , 找一計算  $A_1 A_2 \dots A_n$  乘積的方式, 使得所用 scalar 乘法的計算量為最少.

例： $A_1 \times A_2 \times A_3 \times A_4$

$p_i : 13 \quad 5 \quad 89 \quad 3 \quad 34$

$(A_1(A_2(A_3A_4))), \quad (A_1((A_2A_3)A_4)), \quad ((A_1A_2)(A_3A_4)),$

$((A_1(A_2A_3))A_4), \quad (((A_1A_2)A_3)A_4).$

總共有 5 種方式來計算這 4 個矩陣的乘積：

# 串列矩陣相乘(例)

$(A_1(A_2(A_3A_4))) \rightarrow A_1 \times (A_2A_3A_4) \rightarrow A_2 \times (A_3A_4) \rightarrow A_3 \times A_4$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{cost} &= 13*5*34 + 5*89*34 + 89*3*34 \\ &= 2210 + 15130 + 9078 \\ &= 26418\end{aligned}$$

$A_1 \times A_2 \times A_3 \times A_4$   
13 5 89 3 34

$(A_1(A_2(A_3A_4))), \text{ costs} = 26418$

$(A_1((A_2A_3)A_4)), \text{ costs} = 4055$

$((A_1A_2)(A_3A_4)), \text{ costs} = 54201$

$((A_1(A_2A_3))A_4), \text{ costs} = 2856$

$((((A_1A_2)A_3)A_4)), \text{ costs} = 10582$

# Catalan Number

For any  $n$ , # ways to fully parenthesize the product of a chain of  $n+1$  matrices

- = # binary trees with  $n$  nodes.
- = # permutations generated from 1 2 ...  $n$  through a stack.
- = #  $n$  pairs of fully matched parentheses.
- =  $n$ -th Catalan Number =  $C(2n, n)/(n + 1) = \Omega(4^n/n^{3/2})$

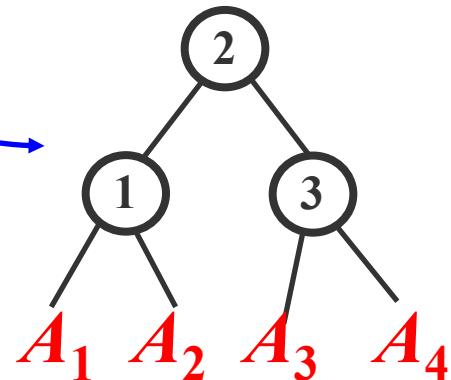
# 乘法樹

$(A_1(A_2(A_3A_4)))$   
 $(A_1((A_2A_3)A_4))$

**$((A_1A_2)(A_3A_4))$**

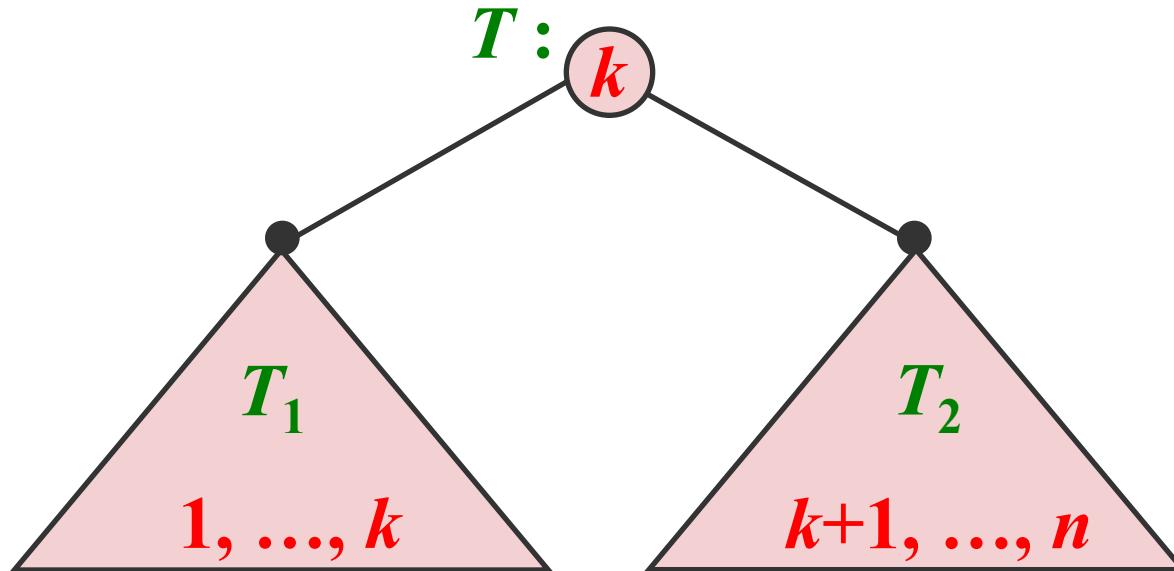
$((A_1(A_2A_3))A_4)$   
 $(((A_1A_2)A_3)A_4)$

$$A_1 \times A_2 \times A_3 \times A_4$$



# 串列矩陣相乘(設計1)

- If  $T$  is an optimal solution for  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$



- then,  $T_1$  (resp.  $T_2$ ) is an optimal solution for  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_k$  (resp.  $A_{k+1}, A_{k+2}, \dots, A_n$ ).

## 串列矩陣相乘 (設計2)

- Let  $m[i, j]$  be the minimum number of scalar multiplications needed to compute the product  $A_i \dots A_j$ , for  $1 \leq i \leq j \leq n$ .
- If the optimal solution splits the product  $A_i \dots A_j = (A_i \dots A_k) \times (A_{k+1} \dots A_j)$ , for some  $k$ ,  $i \leq k < j$ , then  $m[i, j] = m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + p_{i-1} p_k p_j$ . Hence, we have :

$$\begin{aligned}m[i, j] &= \min_{i \leq k < j} \{m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + p_{i-1} p_k p_j\} \\&= 0 \text{ if } i = j\end{aligned}$$

$$\langle P_0, P_1, \dots, P_n \rangle \quad A_{P_0 \times P_1} A_{P_1 \times P_2} \dots A_{P_{n-1} \times P_n}$$

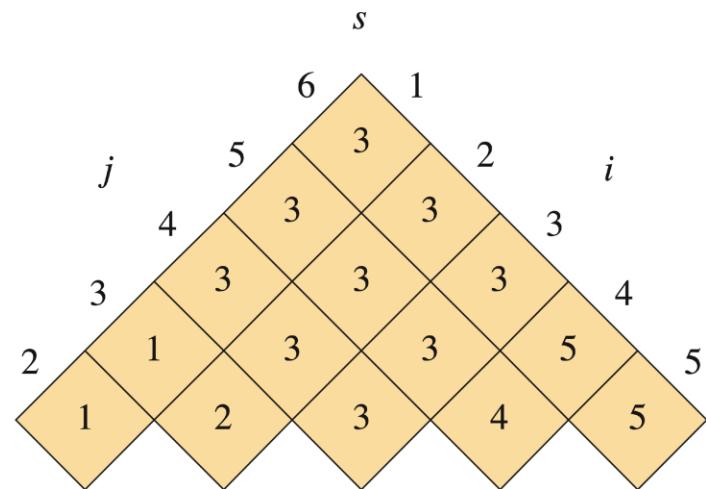
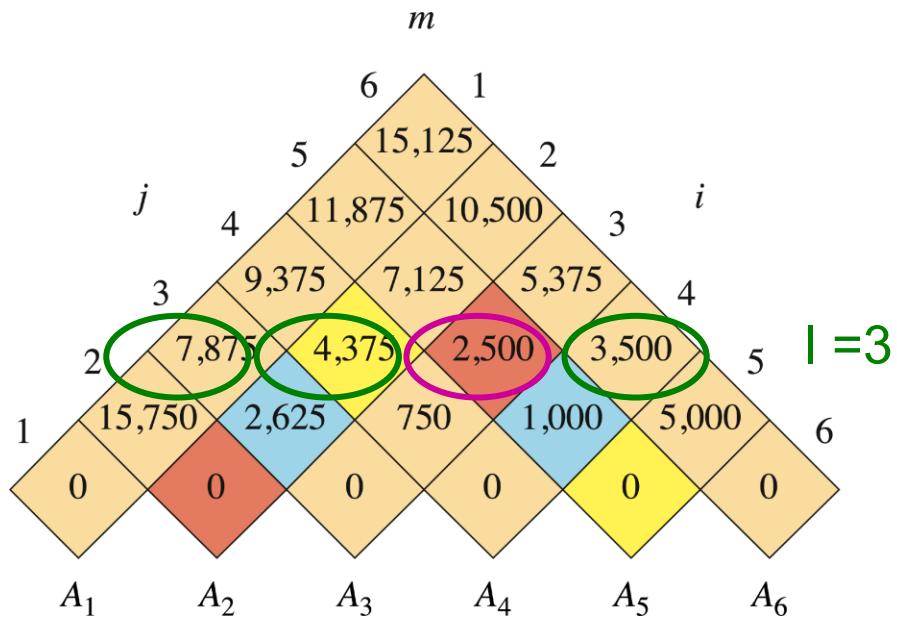
## MATRIX-CHAIN-ORDER(P)

```

1.   n = p.length -1;
2.   let m[1..n, 1..n] and s[1..n-1, 2..n] be new tables;
3.   for i= 1 to n:    m[i, i]=0;
4.   for l= 2 to n:
5.       { for i = 1 to n - l + 1
6.           { j = i + l- 1;
7.               m[i, j] =  $\infty$ ;
8.               for k = i to j-1
9.                   { q = m[i, k] + m[k+1, j]+ P_{i-1}P_kP_j
10.                      if q<m[i, j]
11.                          { m[i, j] = q ; s[i, j] = k ;}
12.                      }
13.               return m and s

```

Time = O(n<sup>3</sup>)



$| = 3$

matrix dimension	$A_1$	$A_2$	$A_3$	$A_4$	$A_5$	$A_6$
	$30 \times 35$	$35 \times 15$	$15 \times 5$	$5 \times 10$	$10 \times 20$	$20 \times 25$

$$m[3,5] = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} m[3,4] + m[5,5] + 15 * 10 * 20 \\ = 750 + 0 + 3000 = 3750 \\ m[3,3] + m[4,5] + 15 * 5 * 20 \\ = 0 + 1000 + 1500 = 2500 \end{array} \right.$$

# 串列矩陣相乘 (實例)

- Consider an example with sequence of dimensions  $\langle 5, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 \rangle$

$$m[i, j] = \min_{i \leq k < j} \{m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + p_{i-1} p_k p_j\}$$

	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	0	30	64	132	226	348
2		0	24	72	156	268
3			0	72	198	366
4				0	168	392
5					0	336
6						0

# Constructing an optimal solution

Each entry  $s[i, j]=k$  records that the optimal parenthesization of  $A_i A_{i+1} \dots A_j$  splits the product between  $A_k$  and  $A_{k+1}$

$A_{i..j} \rightarrow (A_{i..s[i..j]}) (A_{s[i..j]+1..j})$

PRINT-OPTIMAL-PARENS( $s, i, j$ )

```
1  if  $i == j$ 
2      print " $A$ " $_i$ 
3  else print "("
4      PRINT-OPTIMAL-PARENS( $s, i, s[i, j]$ )
5      PRINT-OPTIMAL-PARENS( $s, s[i, j] + 1, j$ )
6      print ")"
```

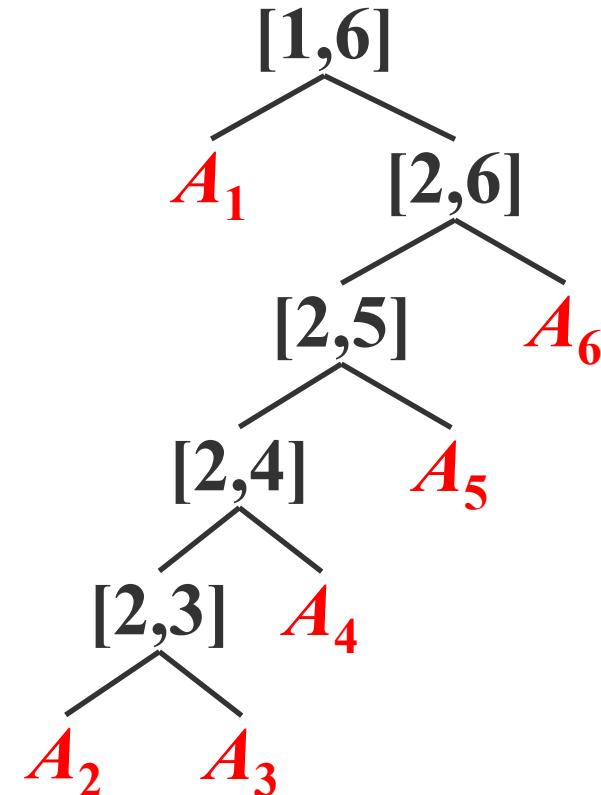
# 串列矩阵相乘 (找解)

$$m[i, j] = \min_{i \leq k < j} \{m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + p_{i-1} p_k p_j\}$$

$s[i, j]$  = a value of  $k$  that gives the minimum

$s$	1	2	3	4	5	6
1		1	1	1	1	1
2			2	3	4	5
3				3	4	5
4					4	5
5						5

$A_1(((A_2 A_3) A_4) A_5) A_6$



# 串列矩阵相乘 (分析)

$$m[i, j] = \min_{i \leq k < j} \{m[i, k] + m[k+1, j] + p_{i-1} p_k p_j\}$$

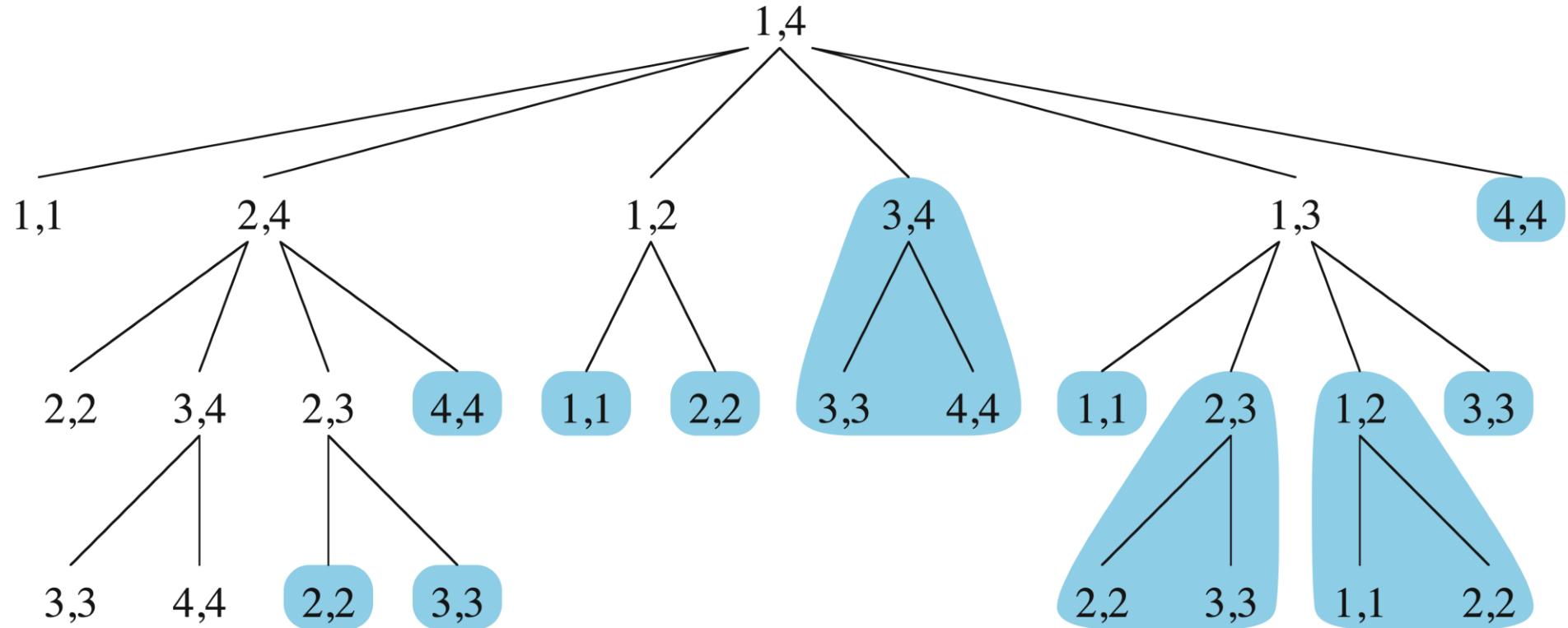
- To fill the entry  $m[i, j]$ , it needs  $\Theta(j-i)$  operations.  
Hence the execution time of the algorithm is

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=i}^n (j-i) &= \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^j (j-i) = \sum_{j=1}^n [j^2 - \frac{j(j+1)}{2}] \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n \Theta(j^2) = \Theta(n^3)\end{aligned}$$

Time:  $\Theta(n^3)$

Space:  $\Theta(n^2)$

# Recursive-Matrix-Chain(p,1,4)



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## MEMOIZED-MATRIX-CHAIN(P)

```
1. n = p.length -1;  
2. let m[1..n, 1..n] be a new table;  
3. for i= 1 to n  
4.     for j= i to n  
5.         m[i, j]=  $\infty$ ;  
6. return Lookup-Chain(m, p, 1, n)
```

$\langle P_0, P_1, \dots, P_n \rangle$

## Lookup-Chain(m, P, i, j)

```
1. if m[i, j] <  $\infty$  return m[i, j];  
2. if i==j m[i, j] = 0  
3. else for k=i to j-1  
4.     { q= Lookup-Chain(m, P, i, k)  
        + Lookup-Chain(m, P, k+1, j) +  $P_{i-1}P_kP_j$  ;  
5.     if q < m[i, j] m[i, j] = q; }  
6. return m[i, j] ; }
```

time:  $O(n^3)$       space:  $\Theta(n^2)$

# 設計 DP 演算法的步驟

1. **Characterize** the structure of an optimal solution.
2. **Derive** a **recursive formula** for computing the values of optimal solutions.
3. **Compute** the value of an optimal solution **in a bottom-up fashion** (top-down is also applicable).
4. **Construct** an optimal solution in a top-down fashion.

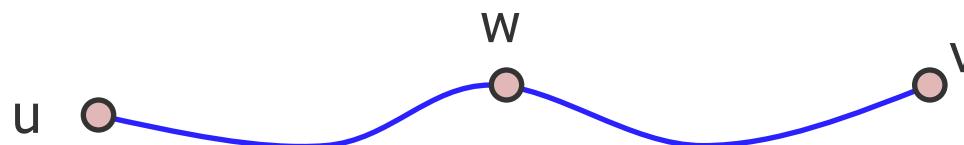
# Elements of Dynamic Programming

- Optimal substructure (a problem exhibits *optimal substructure* if an optimal solution to the problem contains within it optimal solutions to subproblems)
- Overlapping subproblems
- Reconstructing an optimal solution
- Memoization

Given a directed graph  $G=(V, E)$  and vertices  $u, v \in V$

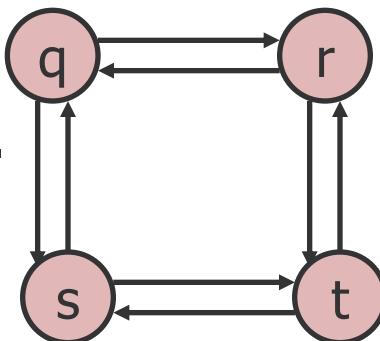
**Unweighted shortest path:** Find a path from  $u$  to  $v$  consisting the fewest edges. Such a path must be simple (no cycle).

- Optimal substructure? YES.



**Unweighted longest simple path:** Find a simple path from  $u$  to  $v$  consisting the most edges.

- Optimal substructure? NO.
- $q \rightarrow r \rightarrow t$  is longest but  $q \rightarrow r$  is not the longest between  $q$  and  $r$ .



# Printing neatly 定義

- Given a sequence of  $n$  words of lengths  $I[1], I[2], \dots, I[n]$ , measured in characters, want to print it neatly on a number of lines, of which each has at most  $M$  characters.
- If a line has words  $i$  through  $j$ ,  $i \leq j$ , and there is exactly one space between words, the ***cube*** of number of extra space characters at the end of the line is:  
$$B[i, j] = (M - j + i - (I[i] + I[i+1] + \dots + I[j]))^3.$$
- Want to *minimize* the ***sum*** over all lines (except the last line) of ***B[i,j]***'s.
- Let  $c[i]$  denote the minimum cost for printing words  $i$  through  $n$ .
- $c[i] = \min_{i < j \leq i+p} (c[j+1] + B[i, j])$ , where  $p$  is the maximum number of words starting from  $i$ -th word that can be fitted into a line.

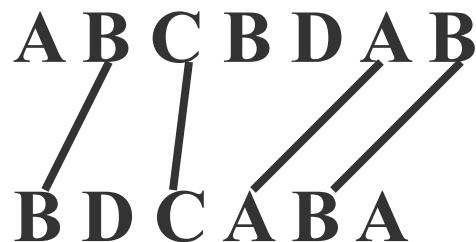
# Longest Common Subsequence (定義)

Given two sequences  $X = \langle x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m \rangle$  and  $Y = \langle y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n \rangle$  find a maximum-length common subsequence of  $X$  and  $Y$ .

例1 : Input:      ABCBDAB                    BDCABA

C.S.'s: AB, ABA, BCB, BCAB, BCBA ...

Longest: BCAB, BCBA, ...      Length = 4



例 2 :  
vintner  
writers

## Step 1: Characterize LCS

Let  $Z = \langle z_1, z_2, \dots, z_k \rangle$  be a LCS of

$X = \langle x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m \rangle$  and  $Y = \langle y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n \rangle$ .

1. If  $x_m = y_n$ , then  $z_k = x_m = y_n$  and  $\langle z_1, z_2, \dots, z_{k-1} \rangle$  is a LCS of  $\langle x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{m-1} \rangle$  and  $\langle y_1, y_2, \dots, y_{n-1} \rangle$ .
1. If  $z_k \neq x_m$ , then  $Z$  is a LCS of  $\langle x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{m-1} \rangle$  and  $Y$ .
2. If  $z_k \neq y_n$ , then  $Z$  is a LCS of  $X$  and  $\langle y_1, y_2, \dots, y_{n-1} \rangle$ .

## Step 2: A recursive solution

- Let  $C[i, j]$  be the length of an LCS of the prefixes  $X_i = \langle x_1, x_2, \dots, x_i \rangle$  and  $Y_j = \langle y_1, y_2, \dots, y_j \rangle$ , for  $1 \leq i \leq m$  and  $1 \leq j \leq n$ . We have :

$$\begin{aligned} C[i, j] &= 0 \text{ if } i = 0, \text{ or } j = 0 \\ &= C[i-1, j-1] + 1 \text{ if } i, j > 0 \text{ and } x_i = y_j \\ &= \max(C[i, j-1], C[i-1, j]) \text{ if } i, j > 0 \text{ and } x_i \neq y_j \end{aligned}$$

# Step 3: Computing the length of an LCS

LCS-Length(X, Y, m, n)

```
1. let b[1..m, 1..n] and c[0..m, 0..n] be new tables;  
2. for I = 1 to m:  
3.     c[i, 0] = 0;  
4.     for j = 0 to n:  
5.         c[0, j] = 0;  
6.     for i= 1 to m:  
7.         for j= 1 to n:  
8.             { if xi == yj:  
9.                 { c[i,j] = c[i-1,j-1]+1; b[i,j] = "↖"; }  
10.                elseif c[i-1, j] ≥ c[i, j-1]:  
11.                    { c[i, j] = c[i-1, j]; b[i, j] = "↑"; }  
12.                else: { c[i, j] = c[i, j-1]; b[i, j] = "←"; }  
13.             }  
14. return b, c
```

## Step 4: Constructing an LCS

Print-LCS(b, X, i, j)

1. if  $i==0$  or  $j==0$ : return;
2. if  $b[i,j] == \nwarrow$ :
3. { Print-LCS(b, X, i-1, j-1);
4. print  $x_i$ ;
5. }
6. elseif  $b[i,j] == \uparrow$ :
7. Print-LCS(b, X, i-1, j);
8. else: Print-LCS(b, X, i, j-1);

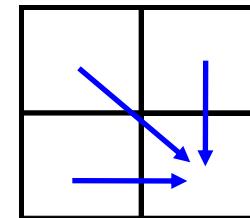
# Longest Common Subsequence (例+分析)

$C[i, j] = 0$  if  $i = 0$ , or  $j = 0$

$= C[i-1, j-1] + 1$  if  $i, j > 0$  and  $x_i = y_j$

$= \max(C[i, j-1], C[i-1, j])$  if  $i, j > 0$  and  $x_i \neq y_j$

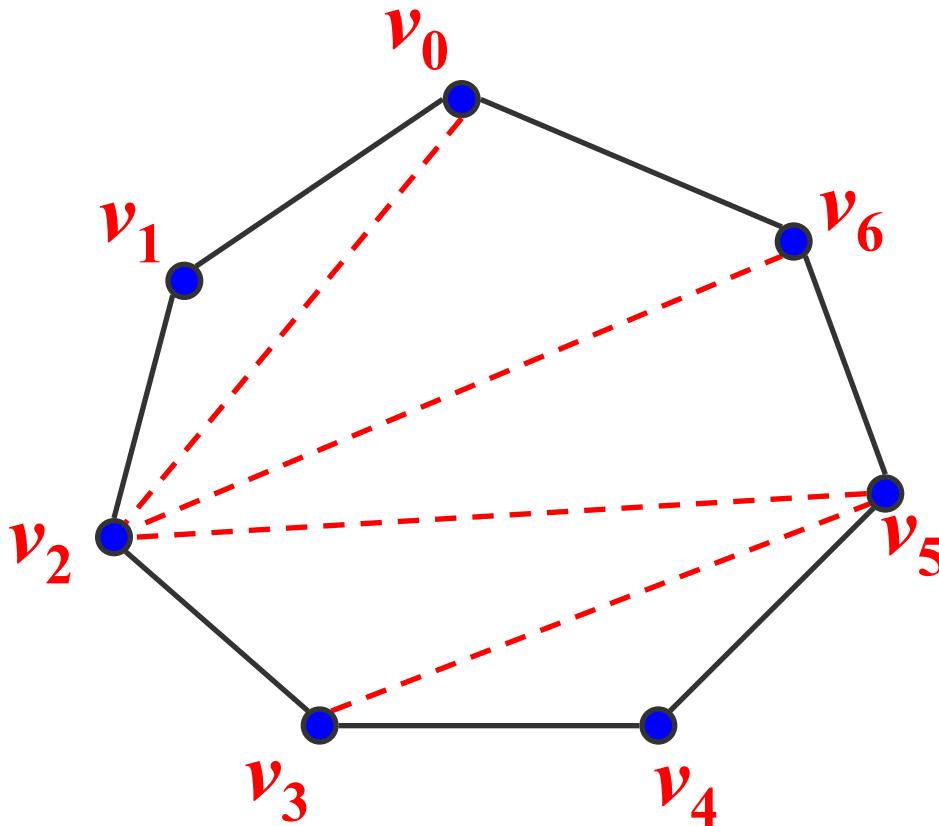
	A	B	C	B	D	A	B
B	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
D	0	1	1	1	2	2	2
C	0	1	2	2	2	2	2
A	1	1	2	2	2	3	3
B	1	2	2	3	3	3	4
A	1	2	2	3	3	4	4



Time:  $\Theta(mn)$   
Space:  $\Theta(mn)$

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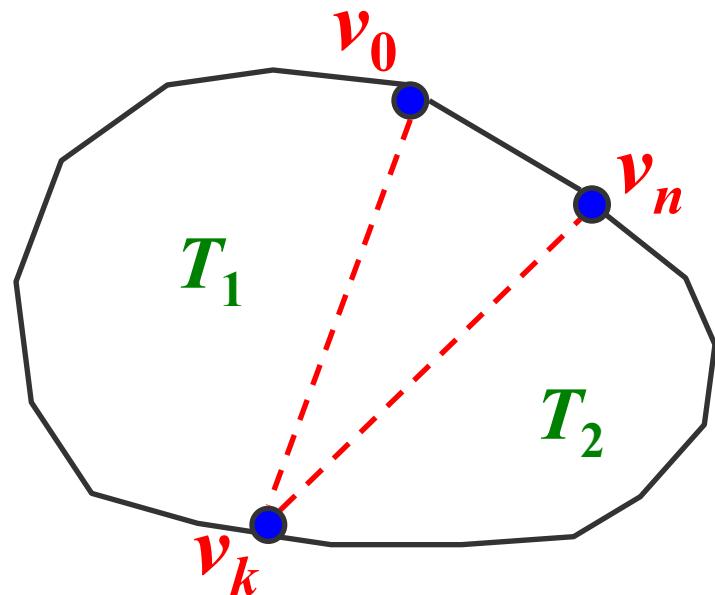
# Optimal Polygon Triangulation



Find a triangulation s.t. the sum of the weights of the triangles in the triangulation is minimized.

# Optimal Polygon Triangulation (設計1)

- If  $T$  is an optimal solution for  $\langle v_0, v_1, \dots, v_n \rangle$



$$T = T_1 \cup T_2 \cup \{\overline{v_0v_k}, \overline{v_kv_n}\}$$

- then,  $T_1$  (resp.  $T_2$ ) is an optimal solution for  $\langle v_0, v_1, \dots, v_k \rangle$  (resp.  $\langle v_k, v_{k+1}, \dots, v_n \rangle$ ),  $1 \leq k < n$ .

# Optimal Polygon Triangulation (設計2)

- Let  $t[i, j]$  be the weight of an optimal triangulation of the polygon  $\langle v_{i-1}, v_i, \dots, v_j \rangle$ , for  $1 \leq i < j \leq n$ .
- If the triangulation splits the polygon into  $\langle v_{i-1}, v_i, \dots, v_k \rangle$  and  $\langle v_k, v_{k+1}, \dots, v_n \rangle$  for some  $k$ , then  $t[i, j] = t[i, k] + t[k+1, j] + w(\Delta v_{i-1} v_k v_j)$ . Hence, we have :

$$\begin{aligned} t[i, j] &= \min_{i \leq k < j} \{t[i, k] + t[k+1, j] + w(\Delta v_{i-1} v_k v_j)\} \\ &= 0 \text{ if } i = j \end{aligned}$$

# Optimal binary search trees:

$k = (k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n)$  of  $n$  distinct keys in sorted order  
 $(k_1 < k_2 < \dots < k_n)$

Each key  $k_i$  has a probability  $p_i$  that a search will be for  $k_i$

Some searches may fail, so we also have  $n+1$  dummy keys:  $d_0, d_1, \dots, d_n$ , where  $d_0 < k_1$ ,  $k_n < d_n$  and  $k_i < d_i < k_{i+1}$  for  $i=1, \dots, n-1$ .

For each dummy key  $d_i$ , we have a probability  $q_i$  that a search will correspond to  $d_i$ .

$$\sum_{i=1}^n p_i + \sum_{i=0}^n q_i = 1$$

# Optimal binary search trees: 範例

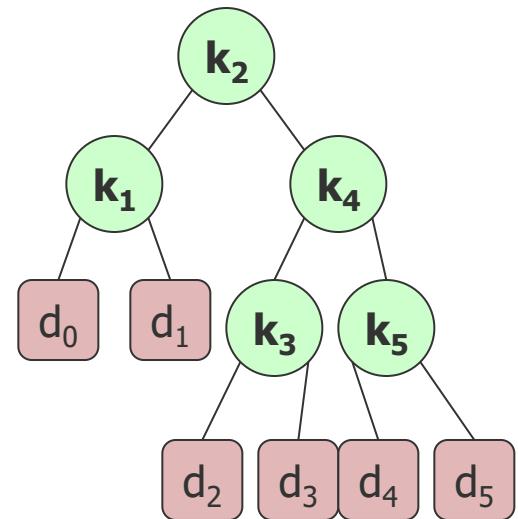
i	0	1	2	3	4	5
p <sub>i</sub>		0.15	0.1	0.05	0.1	0.2
q <sub>i</sub>	0.05	0.1	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.1

Expected search cost: 2.8

E[Search cost in T]

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n (\text{depth}_T(k_i) + 1) \cdot p_i + \sum_{i=0}^n (\text{depth}_T(d_i) + 1) \cdot q_i$$

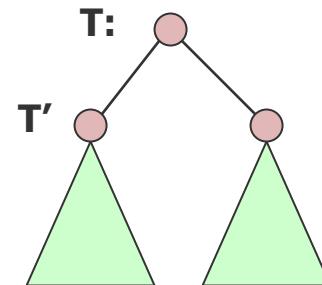
$$= 1 + \sum_{i=1}^n \text{depth}_T(k_i) \cdot p_i + \sum_{i=0}^n \text{depth}_T(d_i) \cdot q_i$$



**Goal: Given a set of probabilities, want to construct a binary search tree whose expected search cost is smallest .**

**Step 1: The structure of an optimal BST.**

Consider any subtree of a BST, which must contain contiguous keys  $k_i, \dots, k_j$  for some  $1 \leq i \leq j \leq n$  and must also have as its leaves the dummy keys  $d_{i-1}, \dots, d_j$  .



Optimal-BST has the property of optimal substructure.

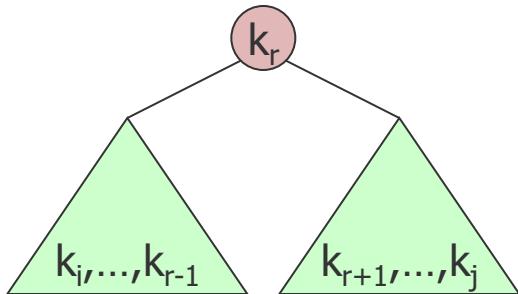
## Step 2: A recursive solution

Find an optimal BST for the keys  $k_i, \dots, k_j$ , where  $j \geq i-1$ ,  $i \geq 1$ ,  $j \leq n$ . (When  $j=i-1$ , there is no actual key, but  $d_{i-1}$ )

Define  $e[i,j]$  as the expected cost of searching an optimal BST containing  $k_i, \dots, k_j$ . Want to find  $e[1,n]$ .

For dummy key  $d_{i-1}$ ,  $e[i,i-1] = q_{i-1}$ .

For  $j \geq i$ , need to select a root  $k_r$  among  $k_i, \dots, k_j$ .



For a subtree with keys  $k_i, \dots, k_j$ , denote

$$w(i,j) = \sum_{\ell=i}^j p_\ell + \sum_{\ell=i-1}^{j-1} q_\ell = w(i, r-1) + p_r + w(r+1, j)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 e[i,j] &= p_r + (e[i,r-1] + w(i,r-1)) + (e[r+1,j] + w(r+1,j)) \\
 &= e[i,r-1] + e[r+1,j] + w(i,j)
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$e[i,j] = \begin{cases} q_{i-1} & \text{if } j = i - 1 \\ \min_{i \leq r \leq j} \{ e[i, r-1] + e[r+1, j] + w(i, j) \} & \text{if } i \leq j \end{cases}$$

**Step 3: Computing the expected search cost of an optimal BST**

Use a table  $w[1..n+1, 0..n]$  for  $w(i,j)$ 's .

$$w[i,i-1] = q_{i-1}$$

$$w[i,j] = w[i,j-1] + p_j + q_j$$

## OPTIMAL-BST( $p, q, n$ )

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1 let  $e[1:n + 1, 0:n]$ ,  $w[1:n + 1, 0:n]$ ,  
    and  $root[1:n, 1:n]$  be new tables  
2 for  $i = 1$  to  $n + 1$           // base cases  
3      $e[i, i - 1] = q_{i-1}$       // equation (14.14)  
4      $w[i, i - 1] = q_{i-1}$   
5 for  $l = 1$  to  $n$   
6     for  $i = 1$  to  $n - l + 1$   
7          $j = i + l - 1$   
8          $e[i, j] = \infty$   
9          $w[i, j] = w[i, j - 1] + p_j + q_j$       // equation (14.15)  
10        for  $r = i$  to  $j$                   // try all possible roots  $r$   
11             $t = e[i, r - 1] + e[r + 1, j] + w[i, j]$  // equation (14.14)  
12            if  $t < e[i, j]$                   // new minimum?  
13                 $e[i, j] = t$   
14                 $root[i, j] = r$   
15 return  $e$  and  $root$ 
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