

## PPS-3

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2.)

Input: Chain of matrices  $\langle A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n \rangle$   
where  $A_i$  is a matrix of size  $p_{i-1} \times p_i$ ,  
( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ )

Output: Full parenthization of  $\langle A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n \rangle$   
(which have minimum Scalar Multiplication) and  
minimum Value of Scalar Multiplication

Logic

Recursive approach can be used combined with memoization.

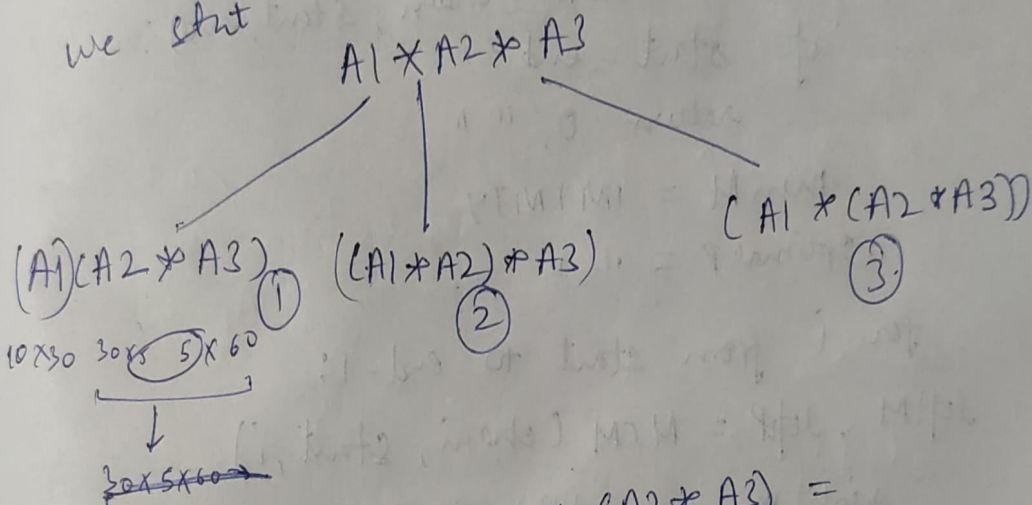
- 1) Define a recursive function,  $MCM$ , that takes the chain of matrices and, start and end indices of the chain.
- 2) If start and end indices are same, return 0 scalar multiplication and an empty parenthesization.
- 3) Iterate over all possible split points within the subchain.
- 4) For each split point, recursively call the  $MCM$  function for the left and right subchains.
- 5) Compute the number of scalar multiplications required for the current split by multiplying the dimensions of the matrices.

- 6) compute total no of multiplication by summing the multiplication in left subchain, right subchain, and current split
- 7) if total number of multiplication for the current split is less than the current minimum, update the minimum and store the optimal parenthization.

### Illustration

chain of matrices  $A_1, A_2, A_3$  with dimension  $A_1(10 \times 30), A_2(30 \times 5), A_3(5 \times 60)$ .

we start



① split at  $A_1$ :  $(A_1) * (A_2 * A_3) =$   
 $(10 \times 30) * ((30 * 5) * (5 * 60)) = (10 \times 30) * (30 * 60) = (10 * 60)$

② split at  $A_2$ :  $((A_1 * A_2) * A_3) =$   
 $= ((10 \times 30) * (30 * 5)) * (5 * 60)$   
 $= (10 * 5) * (5 * 60) = (10 * 60)$

③ split at  $A_3$ :



$$(A1 * (A2 * A3)) = (10 \times 30) * (130 \times 5) *$$

$$(5 \times 60)) = (10 * 30) * (30 * 60) = (10 \times 60)$$

In this case, all possible split yields the same dimension  $(10 \times 60)$ .

∴ The no of scalar multiplications required will be same for all parenthization.

We can choose any valid parenthization.

### Pseudocode.

Start function MCM (chain, start, end);

if start = end:

return 0, ""

minM = INFINITY

optimalP = ""

for i from start to end-1:

leftM, leftP = MCM (chain, start, i)

rightM, rightP = MCM (chain, i+1, end)

currentM = chain[start-1][0] \* chain[i][0]  
\* chain[end][0]

totalM = leftM + rightM + currentM

if totalM < minM:

minM = totalM

optimalP = "(" + leftP + rightP + ")"

return minM, optimalP

# Proof of Correctness (POC)

~~Running~~

- 1) Base Case: When start and end indices are the same, we have a single matrix, and the fn correctly returns 0 scalar multiplications and an empty parenthesis.
- 2) Memoization: We use memoization to avoid redundant calculations. By storing and reusing previously computed results, we ensure that the algorithm runs efficiently.
- 3) Optimal soln: At the end of algorithm, the optimal parenthization and the minimum number of scalar multiplication are returned.

Running Time

$$T(n) = O(n^3)$$

Best Case

When all possible splits have the same number of scalar multiplications.

$$O(n^2)$$

Average Case

$$O(n^2)$$

Worst Case

$O(n^3)$  when no memoization is used.



3)

Input: Chain of matrices  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$   
where  $A_i$  is a matrix of size  $p_{i-1} \times p_i$

Output: Parenthesized product of  $A_1 * A_2 * \dots * A_n$

Logic:

Dynamic Programming is used to solve this problem. The key idea is to break down the problem into subproblems and find the optimal solution for each subproblem.

To compute optimal solution, we use bottom-up approach.

$M[i][j]$   $\rightarrow$  represents minimum number of scalar multiplications needed to multiply matrices from  $A_i$  to  $A_j$

Algorithm

$S[i][j]$   $\rightarrow$  stores the split point that gives the minimum cost.

To obtain full parenthization of optimal solution, we can use a recursive approach.

The  $printP$  (Parenthesis) function takes the  $S$  array and recursively prints the parentheses based on split points.

## Illustration

lets consider 3 matrices.

$A_1 \rightarrow 2 \times 3$  size

$A_2 \rightarrow 3 \times 4$

$A_3 \rightarrow 4 \times 2$

Matrix sizes  $[2, 3, 4, 2]$

1. Initialize the arrays  $M$  and  $S$ .
2. Calculate min cost for each subproblem and update  $M$  &  $S$ .
3. Print full parenthization based on split points stored in  $S$ .

Matrix  $M$ :  $[[0, 24, 20], [0, 0, 24], [0, 0, 0]]$

Matrix  $S$ :  $[[0, 1, 1], [0, 0, 2], [0, 0, 0]]$

Parenthization  $((A_1 (A_2 A_3)))$

## Psendocode

function  $MCM(\text{size})$ :

$n = \text{length}(\text{size}) - 1$

$M = \text{create 2D array of size } n \times n$ .

$S = \text{create 2D array of size } n \times n$

for  $i = 1$  to  $n$ :

$M[i][i] = 0$

for  $\text{chainlength} = 2$  to  $n$ :

for  $i = 1$  to  $n - \text{chainlength} + 1$ :

$j = i + \text{chainlength} - 1$

$M[i][j] = \text{Infinity}$

for  $k = i$  to  $j-1$ :

cost =  $M[i][k] + M[k+1][j] +$

$\text{MatrixSize}[i-1] * \text{MatrixSize}[k] +$

$\text{MatrixSize}[j]$

if cost <  $M[i][j]$ :

$M[i][j] = \text{cost}$

$S[i][j] = k$

print P (S, i, n)

function print P (S, i, j):

if  $i = j$ :

print "A" to i

else:

print "C"

~~print P~~

print P (S, i,  $S[i][j]$ )

print P (S,  $S[i][j] + 1$ , j)

print ")"

Running Time

$$T(n) = \frac{(n-1)(n-2)}{2}$$

Best-case, Avg case and Worst-case

In terms of Matrix Chain Multiplication, the best case, average-case and worst-case running times are same. The algorithm uses bottom-up approach

∴ Running Time is deterministic and solely depends on size of input.



## Time Complexity

$O(n^3)$   $n \rightarrow$  no of matrices in chain.

This is because the algorithm involves 3 nested loops, and each loop iterates up to  $n-1$ .

⑥

Input: chain of matrices  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$ .

Output: Parenthesized product of  $A_1 \times A_2 \times \dots \times A_n$  that involve the minimum number of scalar multiplications.

## Logic

We can extend the existing MCM pseudocode by introducing modifications to store all possible parenthizations when the cost is equal to minimum cost.

## Illustration

Let's consider sequence of Matrices:  $A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4, A_5$  where their dimensions given as  $[3, 2, 4, 2, 5]$

step 1) call  $MCM(p, 1, 5)$

$MCM(p, 1, 1)$

$MCM(p, 2, 5)$

step 2) call  $MCM(p, 1, 1)$

Since  $i = j$ , the cost is 0, and the parenthization is " $A_1$ ".



Step 3) call  $MCM(p, 2, 5)$   
                     $MCM(p, 2, 2)$                        $MCM(p, 3, 5)$

Step 4) call  $MCM(p, 2, 2)$   
           $i=j \rightarrow \text{cost} = 0$     parenthization is " $A_2$ "

Step 5) call  $MCM(p, 3, 5)$   
                     $MCM(p, 3, 3)$                        $MCM(p, 4, 5)$

Step 6) call  $MCM(p, 3, 3)$   
           $i=j \rightarrow \text{cost} = 0$     parenthization is " $A_3$ "

Step 7: call  $MCM(p, 4, 4)$   
           $i=j \rightarrow \text{cost} = 0$  ,    parenthization is " $A_4$ "

Modified pseudocode

function  $MCM(p, i, j)$ :

  if  $i = j$ :

    return 0, ["A" + i]

  else:

    min-cost = infinity

    Optimal P = []

  for  $k = i$  to  $j-1$ :

    cost-left, p-left =  $MCM(p, i, k)$

    cost-right, p-right =  $MCM(p, k+1, j)$

  total-cost = cost-left + cost-right +  $p[i-1] \otimes p[k] \otimes p[j]$

if total-cost < min-cost:

min-cost = total-cost

optimal-P

Optimal P = []

for left-P in p-left:

for right-P in p-right:

Optimal P.append("(" + left-P + ")" +  
"(" + right-P + ")")

else if

total-cost == min-cost:

for left-P in p-left:

for right-P in p-right:

Optimal P.append("(" + left-P + ")" +  
"(" + right-P + ")")

return (min-cost, optimal P)

Running Time  $T(n)$

$T(n) \rightarrow O(n^3)$

Best case: Occurs when given sequence of matrices is already fully parenthesized

Running Time  $\rightarrow O(n^3)$

Average case: depends on distribution of matrix dimension and probability of different parenthesizations

Worst-Case : When all parenthizations need to be considered.

$$O(n^3).$$

Time complexity :  $O(n^3)$  where  $n$  → number of matrices in sequence. This complexity arises from nested loops in algorithm, which iterate over range of matrix positions and involve computations that takes  $O(1)$  Time.