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Answer (1):

1. def **Evaluate**(A[0...d], v): //returns the value of the polynomial represented by the coefficients in array A at value=v

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    If A.size == 1:

            return A[0]

    for( i=1 to d/3 ) // degree d=3^k-1 for some known k.
    D1[i]=A[3*i]
    D2[i]=A[3*i + 1]
    D3[i]=A[3*i + 2]

    return (Evaluate (D1,v³) + v * Evaluate(D2,v³) + v² * Evaluate(D3,v³))
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The **Evaluate** function is called with the array A[0...d] & the value v. (v is the value at which the polynomial has to be evaluated.)

Line 2-3 (Base Condition): If the size of the polynomial reduces to one single coefficient, then the function returns it.

Line 4-7 (*Pre-processing & Dividing*): The input array is divided into 3 sub-arrays D1,D2 & D3 of degree at most d/3, since the degree **d** is guaranteed to be a multiple of 3.

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D1 contains those \mathbf{A}[i], where (i mod 3) == 0, hence: D1[A_0, A_3, A_6...A_{d-2}] D2 contains those \mathbf{A}[i], where (i mod 3) == 1, hence: D2[A_1, A_4, A_7...A_{d-1}] D3 contains those \mathbf{A}[i], where (i mod 3) == 2, hence: D3[A_2, A_5, A_8...A_d]
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Line 8 (*Delegate & Combine*): It recursively evaluates the polynomial at **v** by dividing it into 3 smaller polynomials each of size one-third of the original size.

Let
$$P_{d}(x) = a_{0} + a_{1}x' + a_{2}x^{2} + \cdots + a_{d-1}x^{d-1} + a_{d}x^{d}$$

We defined $D1(x) = a_{0} + a_{3}x^{3} + a_{6}x^{6} + \cdots + a_{d-2}x^{d-2}$

Let $D1'(y) = a_{0} + a_{3}y' + a_{6}x^{2} + \cdots + a_{d-2}x^{(d-2)/3}$

If we put $y = x^{3}$, then $D1'(y)$ evaluates same as $D1(x)$

$$\frac{D1'(y)}{D1'(y)} = DD((x)^{3}) = D1(x)$$

Similarly, $D2(x) = a_{1}x^{2} + a_{4}x^{4} + a_{7}x^{7} + \cdots + a_{d-1}x^{d-1}$

Let $D2'(x) = a_{1} + a_{4}x^{3} + a_{7}x^{6} + \cdots + a_{d-1}x^{d-2}$

Now.

$$x \cdot D2'(x) = x \cdot (a_{1} + a_{4}x^{3} + a_{7}x^{6} + \cdots + a_{d-1}x^{d-2}) = D2(x)$$

Similarly, $D3(x) = a_{1}x^{2} + a_{5}x^{5} + a_{6}x^{6} + \cdots + a_{d}x^{d}$

Let $D3'(x) = a_{2} + a_{5}x^{3} + a_{8}x^{6} + \cdots + a_{d}x^{d-2}$

$$x^{2} \cdot D3'(x) = x^{2} \cdot (a_{2} + a_{5}x^{3} + a_{6}x^{6} + \cdots + a_{d}x^{d-2}) = 0$$

From $at \cdot 0$, $at \cdot 0$,

Thus the larger **d**-degree polynomial is reduced to **3** smaller **d/3** degree sub-polynomials, thereby implementing *divide* & *conquer* approach, as well as reducing multiplication overhead as we are evaluating the polynomial at \mathbf{v}^3 & not at \mathbf{v} .

Proof of Complexity:

Let T(d): Time complexity of **Evaluate**(A[0...d], v)

Line 3 either takes constant time operation or is a no-op when the conditional at **Line 2** returns False.

Base Case: When the size of the polynomial reduces to one single coefficient, then the function returns it. Hence, T(1) = 1 = c(say)

The for-loop through **Line 4-7** iterates d/3 times & hence takes **O(d)** time. **Line 8** recursively calls the same method thrice with a reduced input size of d/3. Hence, it takes **3** * **T(d/3)** time.

Therefore, T(d) = 3 * T(d/3) + O(d). The solution of the recurrence is **O(d*log(d))**. [By Master's Theorem]

Answer (2a):

1. def **PolynomialEvaluation**(A[0...d]): //returns the DFT of the polynomial of degree d represented by the coefficients in array A.

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2. if A.size == 1:
3.
         return A[0]
4. \omega = e^{(2^*\pi^*i)/d} // \omega a d-th root of unity.
5. X = 1
6. Y = \omega^{d/3}
7. Z = (x)^{(2*d)/3}
8. for( i=0 to d/3 ) // degree d=3^k-1 for some known k.
                temp1[i]=A[3*i]
9.
10.
                temp2[i]=A[3*i + 1]
11.
                temp3[i]=A[3*i + 2]
12.
      D1[0,1.2...(d/3)] = PolynomialEvaluation (temp1)
13.
      D2[0,1.2...(d/3)] = PolynomialEvaluation (temp2)
14.
      D3[0,1.2...(d/3)] = PolynomialEvaluation (temp3)
15.
      for (i=0 \text{ to } d/3):
                A[i] = D1[i] + X*D2[i] + X*\omega*D3[i]
16.
                A[i+d/3] = D1[i] + Y*D2[i] + Y*\omega*D3[i]
17.
                A[i + (2^*n)/3] = D1[i] + Z^*D2[i] + Z^*\omega^*D3[i]
18.
                X = X^*(\iota)
19.
               Y = Y^*(x)
20.
                Z = Z^*(\omega)
21.
22.
       return A
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The **PolynomialEvaluation** function is called with the array A[0...d] & it returns the DFT of A(x), i.e, the values { A(a) : a is a d-th root of unity }.

Line 2-3 (Base Condition): If the size of the polynomial reduces to one single coefficient, then the function returns it.

Line 4-7 (*Initialisation*): Initializing the values of ω to **X,Y** & **Z**.

These variables will update the values of ω_d accordingly, which will be further used in the polynomial evaluation.

Line 8-11 (*Dividing*): The input array is divided into 3 sub-arrays temp1, temp2 & temp3 of degree at most d/3, since the degree **d** is guaranteed to be a multiple of 3.

temp1 contains those A[i], where (i mod 3) == 0, hence: D1[A_0 , A_3 , A_6 ... A_{d-2}] temp2 contains those A[i], where (i mod 3) == 1, hence: D2[A_1 , A_4 , A_7 ... A_{d-1}] temp3 contains those A[i], where (i mod 3) == 2, hence: D3[A_2 , A_5 , A_8 ... A_d]

Line 12-14 (*Delegating*): It recursively evaluates the polynomial at the above points (temp1, temp2 & temp3) by dividing it into 3 smaller polynomials each of size one-third of the original size & stores them respectively into the arrays D1, D2 & D3.

Line 15-21 (Combining):

In line 16, A is updated at indexes A_0 , A_3 , A_6 ... A_{d-2} in respective iterations through $\omega^0, \omega^3, \omega^6, \ldots \omega^{d-2}$

In line 17, A is updated at indexes A_1 , A_4 , A_7 ... A_{d-1} in respective iterations through $\omega^1, \omega^4, \omega^7, \ldots \omega^{d-1}$

In line 18, A is updated at indexes A_2 , A_5 , A_8 ... A_d in respective iterations through $\omega^2, \omega^5, \omega^8, ..., \omega^d$.

The general updation formula in the above 3 lines is: $P(x) = D1(x^3) + x * D2(x^3) + x^2 * D3(x^3)$ [From question 1 (ref. previous question)]

X,Y & Z are being updated accordingly to vary the index of ω .

Proof of Complexity:

Let T(d): Time complexity of **PolynomialEvaluation**(A[0...d]) where d is the degree of polynomial.

Line 3 either takes constant time operation or is a no-op when the conditional at Line 2 returns False. Hence, O(1) time.

Base Case: When the size of the polynomial reduces to one single coefficient, then the function returns it. Hence, T(1) = 1 = c(say)

Line 4-7: Initialisation of variables, hence it takes constant time operation.

The for-loop through Line 8-11 iterates d/3 times & hence takes O(d) time.

Line 12-14 recursively calls the same method thrice with a reduced input size of d/3. Hence, it takes **3** * **T(d/3)** time.

The for-loop through **Line 15-21** iterates d/3 times to update the array A, hence takes **O(d)** time

Hence,
$$T(d) = O(1) + O(d) + 3*T(d/3) + O(d)$$

Therefore, $T(d) = 3 * T(d/3) + O(d)$.

The solution of the recurrence is **O(d * log(d)).** [By Master's Theorem]