

**30.1-2** Since  $A(x) = (x - x_0)q(x) + r$  and

$$A(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i x^i, \quad q(x) = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} q_j x^j$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} (x - x_0)q(x) + r &= (x - x_0) \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} q_j x^j + r \\ &= q_{n-1}x^n + (q_{n-2} + x_0 q_{n-1})x^{n-1} + (q_{n-3} + x_0 q_{n-2})x^{n-2} + \dots + (q_0 + x_0 q_1)x + q_0 x_0 + r \end{aligned}$$

Equating coefficients on both sides of  $A(x) = (x - x_0)q(x) + r$ , one obtains

$$\begin{aligned} q_{n-1} &= a_n \\ q_{n-2} &= a_{n-1} - x_0 q_{n-1} \\ &\vdots \\ q_{n-k} &= a_{n-k+1} - x_0 q_{n-k+1} \\ &\vdots \\ q_0 &= a_1 - x_0 q_1 \\ r &= a_0 - x_0 q_0 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, setting  $q_{n-1} := a_n$  and applying formulas  $q_{n-k} := a_{n-k+1} - x_0 q_{n-k+1}$  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, n$  gives an  $\Theta(n)$  algorithm for computing  $q(x)$  and  $r$  by  $r := a_0 - x_0 q_0$

**30.1-3** Assume that  $(x_i, a_i)$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) is given point-value representation of  $A(x)$ , i.e.  $a_i = A(x_i)$ . Since  $A^{\text{rev}}(x) = x^{n-1}A(x^{-1})$  then  $A^{\text{rev}}(x_i^{-1}) = x_i^{-(n-1)}A(x_i) = x_i^{-(n-1)}a_i$  for every  $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ . In other words  $(x_i, x_i^{-(n-1)}a_i)$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) is required point-value representation of  $A^{\text{rev}}(x)$ .

**30.1-4** Assume that  $(x_i, p_i)$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, k$ ) are given point-value pairs where  $k < n-1$ . Choose arbitrary distinct  $x_{k+1}, x_{k+2}, \dots, x_{n-1} \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_k\}$  and arbitrary values  $p_{k+1}, p_{k+2}, \dots, p_{n-1}$ . Then, according to Theorem 30.1 exists a unique polynomial  $p(x)$  of degree-bound  $n$  satisfying  $p(x_i) = p_i$  for all  $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ . Now choosing different  $p'_{k+1}, p'_{k+2}, \dots, p'_{n-1}$ , in the same way, one gets a new polynomial  $p'(x)$  such that  $p(x_i) = p_i$  for all  $i = 0, 1, \dots, k$  and  $p(x_i) = p'_i$  for all  $i = k+1, k+2, \dots, n-1$ . Now  $p'(x_i) = p'_i \neq p_i = p(x_i)$  ( $i = k+1, k+2, \dots, n-1$ ) implies that  $p$  and  $p'$  are distinct polynomials passing through point-value pairs  $(x_i, p_i)$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, k$ ).

**30.1-7** Let us introduce polynomials

$$P_A(x) = \sum_{i \in A} x^i, \quad P_B(x) = \sum_{j \in B} x^j.$$

Then

$$Q(x) = P_A(x)P_B(x) = \left[ \sum_{i \in A} x^i \right] \left[ \sum_{j \in B} x^j \right] = \sum_{\substack{i \in A \\ j \in B}} x^{i+j} = \sum_{k=0}^{20n} c_k x^k$$

where  $c_k$  is the number of appearances of the term  $x^k$  in the previous sum, for  $k = 0, 1, \dots, 20n$ . Since each  $k$  is obtained as the sum  $k = i + j$ ,  $i \in A$  and  $j \in B$ , we conclude that  $C = \{k \mid c_k > 0, k = 0, 1, \dots, 2n\}$  and that  $c_k$  is required number of times.

Coefficients  $c_k$  of  $Q(x)$  can be computed in  $\mathcal{O}(n \lg n)$  time using FFT polynomial multiplication.

$$\mathbf{30.2-1} \quad \omega_n^{n/2} = [e^{2\pi i/n}]^{n/2} = e^{2\pi i/n \cdot n/2} = e^{\pi i} = -1 = e^{2\pi i/2} = \omega_2$$

**30.2-5** Consider the polynomial  $A(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} a_k x^k$  with degree  $n-1$  and write it in the following form:

$$A(x) = A^0(x^3) + xA^1(x^3) + x^2A^2(x^3)$$

where

$$A^j(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{n/3-1} a_{3k+j} x^k, \quad j = 0, 1, 2.$$

The goal is to evaluate  $A(x)$  at the points  $\omega_n^0, \omega_n^1, \dots, \omega_n^{n-1}$ . Since

$$A(\omega_n^i) = A^0(\omega_n^{3i}) + \omega_n^i A^1(\omega_n^{3i}) + \omega_n^{2i} A^2(\omega_n^{3i})$$

and  $\omega_n^{3i} = \omega_{n/3}^i$ , it is enough to evaluate  $A^j(x)$  in  $\omega_{n/3}^i$  for  $i = 0, 1, \dots, n/3-1$  and  $j = 0, 1, 2$  and then one can compute required values  $A(\omega_n^i)$  ( $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ) in  $\mathcal{O}(n)$  time.

The whole procedure is given by the following pseudocode:

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**Algorithm 1** RecFFT3(**a**)

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**Require:** **a** =  $(a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1})$ , the coefficients of the polynomial  $A(x)$ .

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1: if  $n = 1$  then
2:   return  $a_0$ 
3: end if
4:  $\omega_n := e^{2\pi i/n}, \quad \omega := 1$ 
5:  $\mathbf{a}^0 := (a_0, a_3, \dots, a_{n-3}), \quad \mathbf{y}^0 := \text{RecFFT}(\mathbf{a}^0)$ 
6:  $\mathbf{a}^1 := (a_1, a_4, \dots, a_{n-2}), \quad \mathbf{y}^1 := \text{RecFFT}(\mathbf{a}^1)$ 
7:  $\mathbf{a}^2 := (a_2, a_5, \dots, a_{n-1}), \quad \mathbf{y}^2 := \text{RecFFT}(\mathbf{a}^2)$ 
8: for  $k = 0$  to  $n-1$  do
9:    $k' := k \bmod n/3$  (corresponds to  $\omega_n^{3k} = \omega_{n/3}^k = \omega_{n/3}^{k \bmod n/3}$ )
10:   $y_k := y_{k'}^0 + \omega \cdot y_{k'}^1 + \omega^2 \cdot y_{k'}^2$ 
11:   $\omega := \omega \omega_n$ 
12: end for
13: return  $\mathbf{y} = (y_0, y_1, \dots, y_{n-1})$ 

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Denote by  $T(n)$  the time complexity of the previous algorithm. Since there are 3 recursive calls and additional  $\mathcal{O}(n)$  operations, the recurrence for  $T(n)$  is given by:

$$T(n) = 3T(n/3) + \mathcal{O}(n)$$

which solution is given by  $\mathcal{O}(n \log_3 n)$ .

**30.2-7** The idea is to divide the roots  $(z_0, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1})$  in two halves, compute the polynomial for both halves recursively, and then multiply obtained polynomials using FFT based multiplication.

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**Algorithm 2** PolyFromRoots( $\mathbf{z}, x$ )

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**Require:**  $\mathbf{z} = (z_0, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1})$  and symbolic variable  $x$ .

- 1:  $k := \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$
  - 2:  $\mathbf{z}' := (z_0, z_1, \dots, z_{k-1})$
  - 3:  $\mathbf{z}'' := (z_k, z_{k+1}, \dots, z_{n-1})$
  - 4:  $P'(x) := \text{PolyFromRoots}(\mathbf{z}', x)$
  - 5:  $P''(x) := \text{PolyFromRoots}(\mathbf{z}'', x)$
  - 6: **return** FFT-MUL( $P'(x), P''(x)$ )
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Note that the time complexity  $T(n)$  of the previous algorithm satisfies

$$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + \mathcal{O}(n \lg n)$$

where  $n \lg n$  term comes from FFT based multiplication. For the sake of simplicity, assume that  $n = 2^k$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} T(2^k) &= 2T(2^{k-1}) + C \cdot k \cdot 2^k \\ &= 4T(2^{k-2}) + C \cdot (k-1)2^k + k \cdot 2^k \\ &\vdots \\ &= 2^k T(1) + C \cdot (1 + 2 + \dots + k) \cdot 2^k \\ &= 2^k T(1) + C \cdot 2^{k-1} k(k+1) \end{aligned}$$

implying  $T(2^k) = \mathcal{O}(2^k k^2) = \mathcal{O}(n \lg^2 n)$ .