1 Introduction to Dynamic Programming

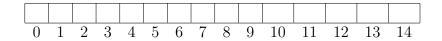
1.1 Fibonacci Numbers

Source code: w06A-fib.pdf

- Draw the recursive call tree for fib(5) invoked on an instance of the FibRec class.
- How many times does fib(2) occur in the tree?
- Why is FibRec.fib() extremely slow?

• Draw the recursive call tree for fib(5) invoked on an instance of the FibMemo class.

FibMemo uses an array ("table") to memoize previously computed results. It turns out we can fill the array in directly. Pick a few cells in the following table. For each one, draw an arrow(s) to the cells that its value depends on.



• Trace the execution of fib(14) invoked on an instance of the FibDP class.

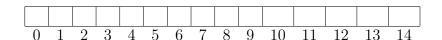
1.2 Text Segmentation

Recall:

$$Splittable(i) = \begin{cases} \text{True} & \text{if } i > n \\ \bigvee_{j=i}^{n} \left(\text{IsWord}(i,j) \land Splittable(j+1) \right) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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\langle\!\langle \text{Is the suffix A}[i..n] \text{ Splittable?} \rangle\!\rangle
\frac{\text{Splittable}(i):}{\text{if } i > n}
\text{return True}
\text{for } j \leftarrow i \text{ to } n
\text{if IsWord}(i,j)
\text{if Splittable}(j+1)
\text{return True}
\text{return False}
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Pick i = 5 (as an example). Which cells of the array S[0..14] does S[5] depend on?



• Write a dynamic programming implementation of Splittable.