CS4102 Algorithms Fall 2018

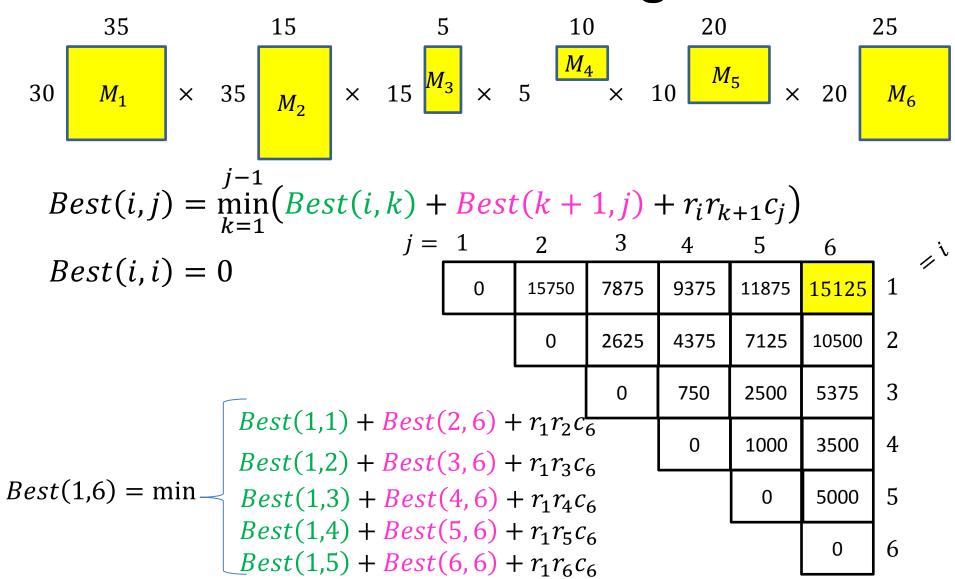
Warm up

Dynamic Programming in General

Generic Top-Down Dynamic Programming Soln

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mem = \{\}
                                       Apply to Matrix Chain Multiplication
def myDPalgo(problem):
      if mem[problem] not blank:
             return mem[problem]
      if baseCase(problem):
             solution = solve(problem)
             mem[problem] = solution
             return solution
      for subproblem of problem:
             subsolutions.append(myDPalgo(subproblem))
      solution = OptimalSubstructure(subsolutions)
      mem[problem] = solution
      return solution
```

Matrix Chaining



Today's Keywords

- Dynamic Programming
- Gerrymandering

CLRS Readings

- Chapter 15
- Chapter 16

Homeworks

- Homework 5 due Friday @ 11pm
 - Dynamic Programming
 - Python or Java

Dynamic Programming

- Requires Optimal Substructure
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DP Algorithms so far

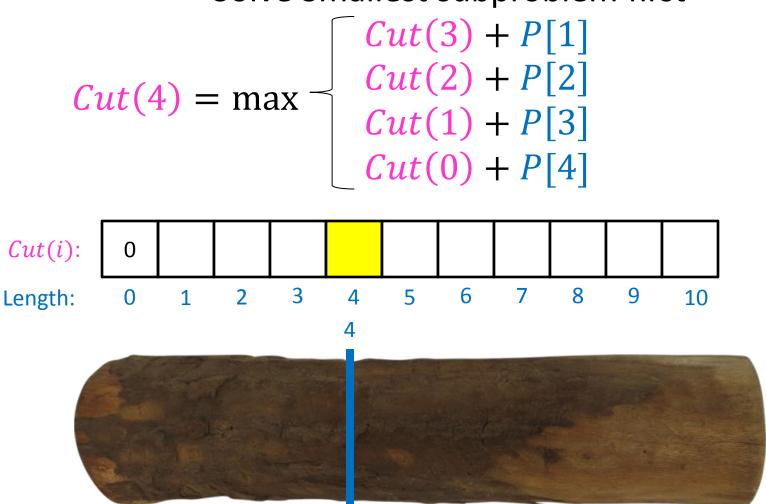
- $2 \times n$ domino tiling (Fibonacci)
- Log cutting
- Matrix Chaining
- Longest Common Subsequence
- Seam Carving

Domino Tiling

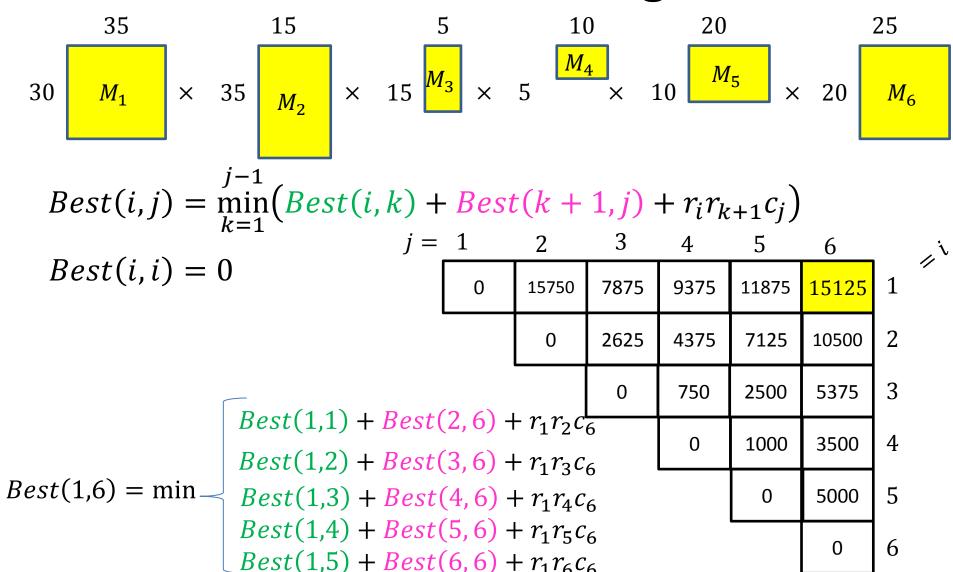
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Tile(n):
                                          M
     Initialize Memory M
     M[0] = 0
     M[1] = 0
     for i = 0 to n:
          M[i] = M[i-1] + M[i-2]
     return M[n]
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Log Cutting

Solve Smallest subproblem first



Matrix Chaining



Longest Common Subsequence

$$LCS(i,j) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ LCS(i-1,j-1) + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \\ \max(LCS(i,j-1), LCS(i-1,j)) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$X = \begin{cases} A & T & C & T & G & A & T \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \end{cases}$$

$$0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ T & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ G & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ C & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ A & 4 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 3 \\ T & 5 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 3 & 3 & 4 \\ A & 6 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 3 & 4 & 4 \end{cases}$$

To fill in cell (i, j) we need cells (i - 1, j - 1), (i - 1, j), (i, j - 1)Fill from Top->Bottom, Left->Right (with any preference)

Seam Carving

Start from bottom of image (row 1), solve up to top

Initialize $S(1,k) = e(p_{1,k})$ for each pixel $p_{1,k}$

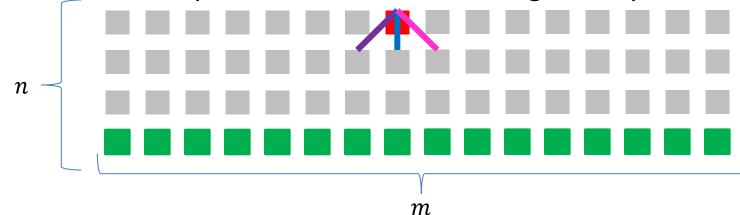
For i > 2 find S(i, k) =

$$S(n-1,k-1) + e(p_{n,k})$$

$$S(n-1,k) + e(p_{n,k})$$

$$S(n-1,k+1) + e(p_{n,k})$$

Pick smallest from top row, backtrack, removing those pixels



Energy of the seam initialized to the energy of that pixel



Supreme Court Associate Justice Anthony Kennedy gave no sign that he has abandoned his view that extreme partisan gerrymandering might violate the Constitution. I Eric Thayer/Getty Images

Supreme Court eyes partisan gerrymandering

Anthony Kennedy is seen as the swing vote that could blunt GOP's map-drawing successes.

Gerrymandering

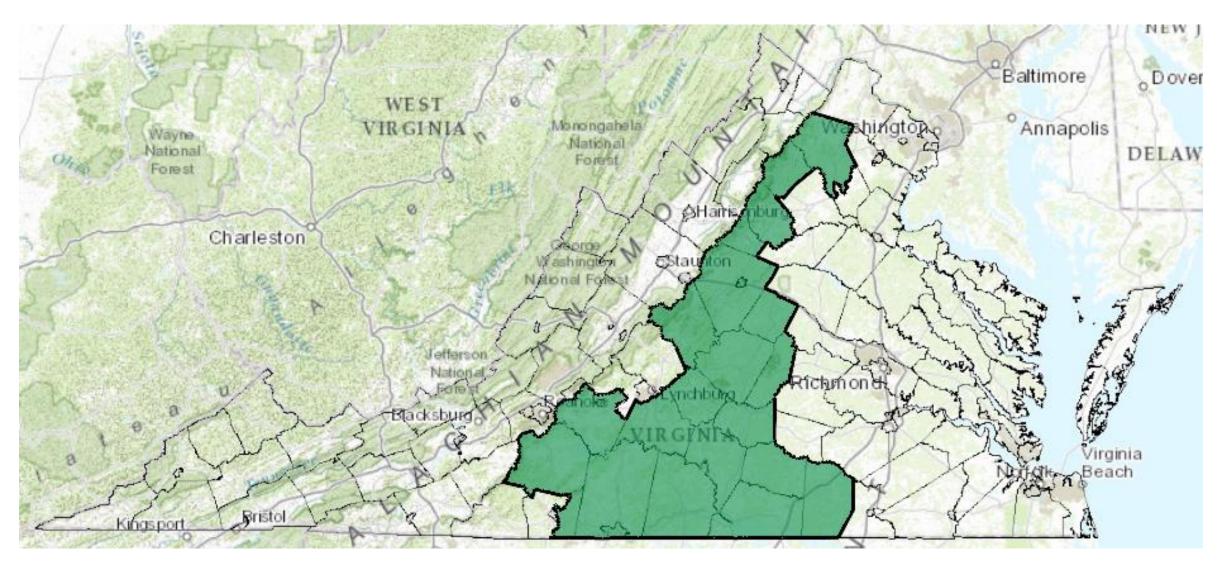
- Manipulating electoral district boundaries to favor one political party over others
- Coined in an 1812 Political cartoon
- Governor Gerry signed a bill that redistricted Massachusetts to benefit his Democratic-Republican Party



According to the Supreme Court

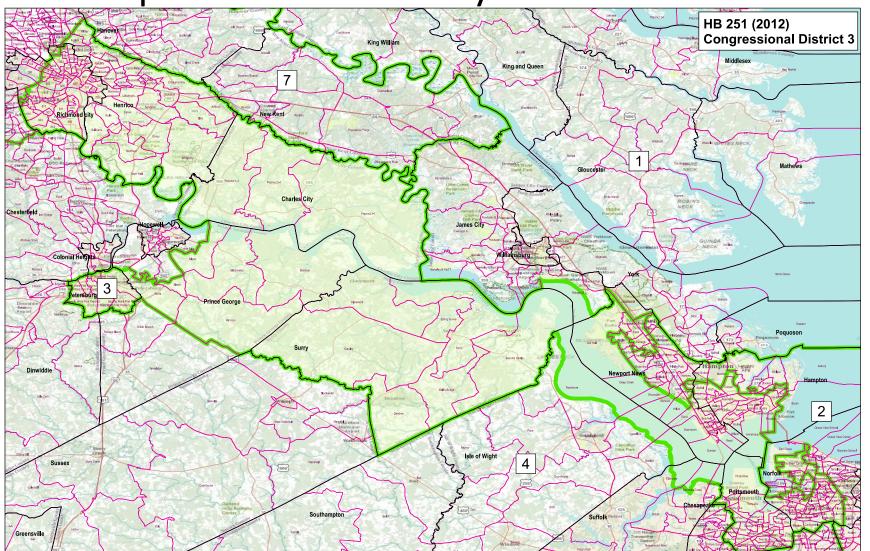
- Gerrymandering cannot be used to:
 - Disadvantage racial/ethnic/religious groups
- It can be used to:
 - Disadvantage political parties

VA 5th District



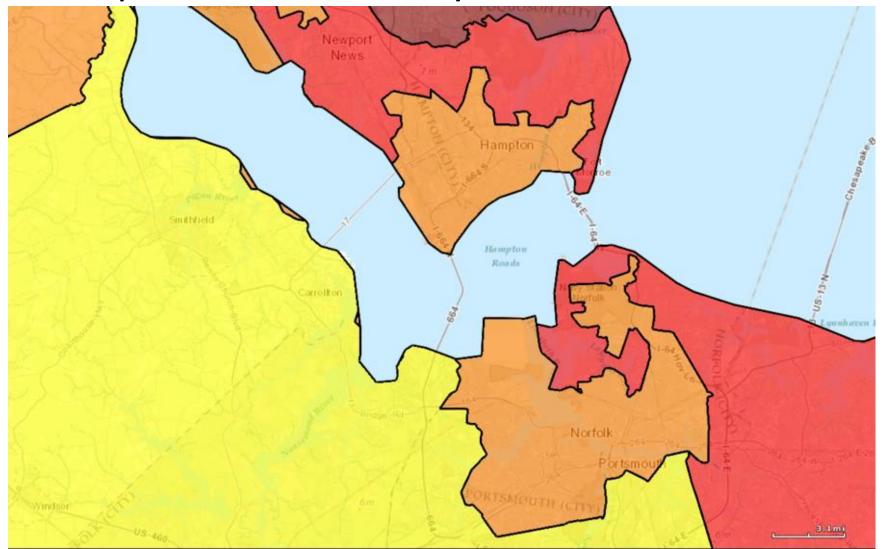
Gerrymandering Today

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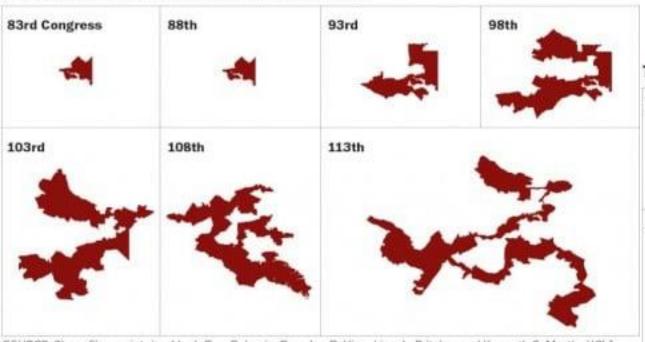
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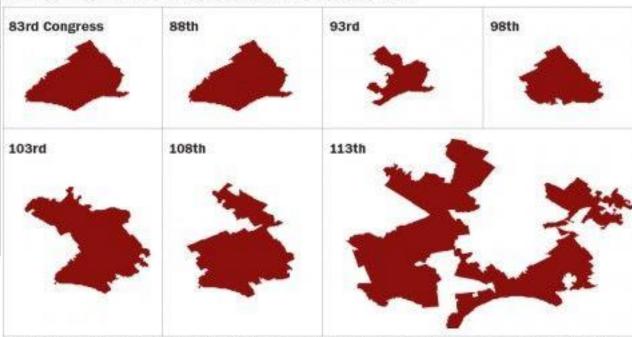
THE EVOLUTION OF MARYLAND'S THIRD DISTRICT



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THE EVOLUTION OF PENNSYLVANIA'S SEVENTH DISTRICT



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How does it work?

- States are broken into precincts
- All precincts have the same size
- We know voting preferences of each precinct
- Group precincts into districts to maximize the number of districts won by my party

Overall: R:217 D:183	
R:65	R:45
D:35	D:55
R:60	R:47
D:40	D:53

R:125	R:92
R:65	R:45
D:35	D:55
R:60	R:47
D:40	D:53

R:112	R:105
R:65	R:45
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Gerrymandering Problem Statement

• Given:

- A list of precincts: $p_1, p_2, ..., p_n$
- Each containing m voters

Output:

- Districts $D_1, D_2 \subset \{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n\}$
- Where $|D_1| = |D_2|$
- $R(D_1), R(D_2) > \frac{mn}{4}$
 - $R(D_i)$ gives number of "Regular Party" voters in D_1
 - $R(D_i) > \frac{\text{mn}}{4}$ means D_i is majority "Regular Party"
- "failure" if no such solution is possible

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Consider the last precinct

 D_1 k precincts x voters for R

If we assign p_n to D_1

 b_1 k+1 precincts $x+R(p_n)$ voters for R

After assigning the first n-1 precincts

 p_n

Valid gerrymandering if:

$$k + 1 = \frac{n}{2},$$

$$x + R(p_n), y > \frac{mn}{4}$$

 D_2 n-k-1 precincts y voters for R

If we assign p_n to D_2

 D_2 n-k precincts $y+R(p_n)$ voters for R

Valid gerrymandering if:

$$n - k = \frac{n}{2},$$

$$x, y + R(p_n) > \frac{mn}{4}$$

Define Recursive Structure

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S(j,k,x,y) = \text{True} if from among the first j precincts: k are assigned to D_1
n \times n \times mn \times mn exactly x vote for R in D_1
exactly y vote for R in D_2
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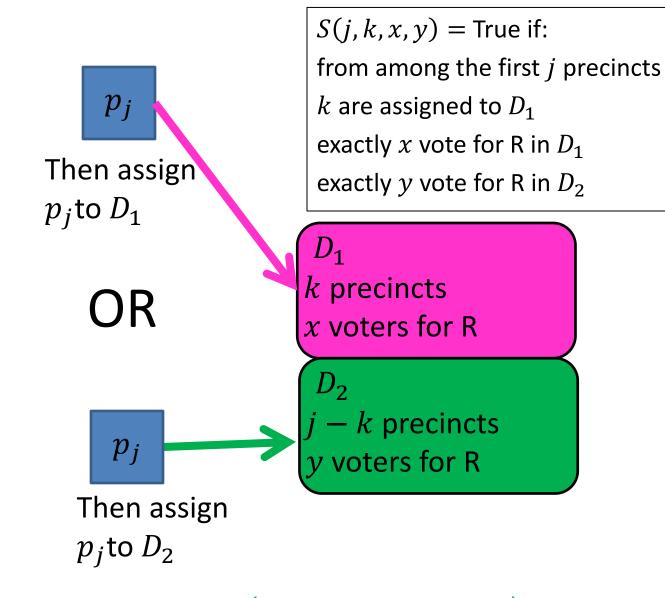
4D Dynamic Programming!!!

Two ways to satisfy S(j, k, x, y):

 D_1 k-1 precincts $x-R(p_j)$ voters for R

 D_2 j - k precincts y voters for R

 D_2 j-1-k precincts $y-R(p_j)$ voters for R



$$S(j, k, x, y) = S(j - 1, k - 1, x - R(p_j), y) \vee S(j - 1, k, x, y - R(p_j))$$

Final Algorithm

$$S(j, k, x, y) = S(j - 1, k - 1, x - R(p_j), y) \vee S(j - 1, k, x, y - R(p_j))$$

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Initialize S(0,0,0,0) = \text{True}
                                                     S(j, k, x, y) = True if:
for j = 1, ..., n:
                                                     from among the first j precincts
  for k = 1, ..., \min(j, \frac{n}{2}):
                                                     k are assigned to D_1
                                                     exactly x vote for R in D_1
     for x = 0, ..., jm:
                                                     exactly y vote for R in D_2
        for y = 0, ..., jm:
           S(j,k,x,y) =
                  S(j-1, k-1, x-R(p_i), y)
                   \vee S(j-1,k,x,y-R(p_j))
Search for True entry at S(n, \frac{n}{2}, > \frac{mn}{4}, > \frac{mn}{4})
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Run Time

$$S(j,k,x,y) = S(j-1,k-1,x-R(p_{j}),y) \vee S(j-1,k,x,y-R(p_{j}))$$
Initialize $S(0,0,0,0) = \text{True}$
 $n \text{ for } j = 1, ..., n$:
$$\frac{n}{2} \text{ for } k = 1, ..., \min(j,\frac{n}{2})$$
:
$$nm \text{ for } x = 0, ..., jm$$
:
$$nm \text{ for } y = 0, ..., jm$$
:
$$S(j,k,x,y) = S(j-1,k-1,x-R(p_{j}),y)$$

$$\vee S(j-1,k,x,y-R(p_{j}))$$
Search for True entry at $S(n,\frac{n}{2},>\frac{mn}{4},>\frac{mn}{4})$

$$\Theta(n^4m^2)$$

- Runtime depends on the *value* of m, not *size* of m
- Run time is exponential in size of input
- Note: Gerrymandering is NP-Complete