

# Divided and Conquer

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# Master Theorem

## Theorem

Let  $a \geq 1$ ,  $b > 1$ , and let  $T(n)$  defined by  $T(1) = \Theta(1)$  and  $T(n) = a \cdot T(n/b) + f(n)$ :

- If  $f(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$ , then  $T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a} \cdot \log n)$ ;
- If there is an  $\epsilon > 0$  with  $f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon})$ , then  $T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a})$ .

# Integer Multiplication

## Input

Two integers  $x$  and  $y$

## Output

The multiplication  $x \cdot y$

# Running Time of Naive Algorithm

# Divided and Conquer Approach

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Multiplication( $x, y$ )

- Let  $r \leftarrow n/2$
- Let  $z_1 \leftarrow (x_{n-1}, \dots, x_{r+1})$  and  $z_0 \leftarrow (x_r, \dots, x_0)$
- Let  $w_1 \leftarrow (y_{n-1}, \dots, y_{r+1})$  and  $w_0 \leftarrow (y_r, \dots, y_0)$
- Let  $p_0 \leftarrow \text{Multiplication}(z_0, w_0);$
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- Let  $p_2 \leftarrow \text{Multiplication}(z_1, w_0);$
- Let  $p_3 \leftarrow \text{Multiplication}(z_1, w_1);$
- **Output**  $2^{2(r+1)} \cdot p_3 + 2^{r+1} \cdot (p_2 + p_1) + p_0$

# Analysis of Divided and Conquer

# A New Approach of Divided and Conquer

An observation

$$z_0 \cdot w_1 + z_1 \cdot w_0 = (z_0 + z_1)(w_0 + w_1) - z_0 \cdot w_0 - z_1 \cdot w_1$$

# Improved Approach

Multiplication( $x, y$ )

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- Let  $p_2 \leftarrow \text{Multiplication}(z_0 + z_1, w_0 + w_1);$
- Output  $2^{2(r+1)} \cdot p_1 + 2^{r+1} \cdot (p_2 - p_1 - p_0) + p_0$

# Running Time of the New Approach

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Thanks!