

M4GB: An Efficient Gröbner Bases Algorithm

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Motivation

Multivariate Quadratic (MQ) Problem

Given quadratic polynomials $f_1, \dots, f_m \in \mathbb{F}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$, find a $v = (v_1, \dots, v_n) \in \mathbb{F}^n$ such that $f_i(v_1, \dots, v_n) = 0$ for all $i \in \{1, \dots, m\}$

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Improvement

Detect zero reduction in advance – Buchberger's 1st and 2nd criterion (e.g. using Gebauer-Möller installation)

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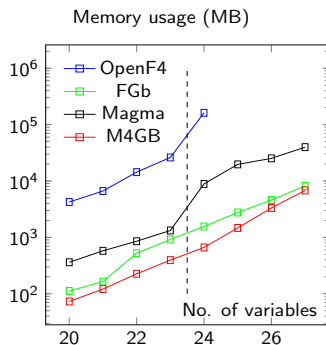
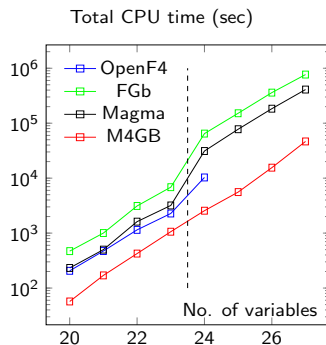
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23	46	1	2.32	3.35	
24	48	1	2.35	13.38	
25	50	1	1.88	13.4	
26	52	1	1.38	7.57	
27	54	1	1.2	5.86	

Benchmark for $m = 2n$: Ratio

		CPU time Ratio			
n	m	M4GB	OpenF4	Magma	FGb
20	40	1	3.61	4.07	8.25
21	42	1	2.78	2.94	5.89
22	44	1	2.70	3.81	7.35
23	46	1	2.15	3.00	6.46
24	48	1	4.03	12.19	25.31
25	50	1	-	13.93	27.2
26	52	1	-	11.83	23.20
27	54	1	-	8.8	16.49

		Memory Usage Ratio			
n	m	M4GB	FGb	Magma	OpenF4
20	40	1	1.53	4.96	58.08
21	42	1	1.36	4.77	54.88
22	44	1	2.32	3.8	63.57
23	46	1	2.32	3.35	66.16
24	48	1	2.35	13.38	244.26
25	50	1	1.88	13.4	-
26	52	1	1.38	7.57	-
27	54	1	1.2	5.86	-

Graph for $m = 2n$



Benchmark for $m = n + 1$: Ratio

		CPU Time Ratio			
n	m	M4GB	OpenF4	Magma	FGb
10	11				
11	12				
12	13				
13	14				
14	15				
15	16				

		Memory Usage Ratio			
n	m				
10	11				
11	12				
12	13				
13	14				
14	15				
15	16				

Benchmark for $m = n + 1$: Ratio

		CPU Time Ratio			
n	m	M4GB	OpenF4	Magma	FGb
10	11	1			
11	12	1			
12	13	1			
13	14	1			
14	15	1			
15	16	1			

		Memory Usage Ratio			
n	m				
10	11				
11	12				
12	13				
13	14				
14	15				
15	16				

Benchmark for $m = n + 1$: Ratio

		CPU Time Ratio			
n	m	M4GB	OpenF4	Magma	FGb
10	11	1	3.05		
11	12	1	3.36		
12	13	1	2.64		
13	14	1	2.96		
14	15	1	3.2		
15	16	1	2.98		

		Memory Usage Ratio			
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13	14	1	2.96	4.92	
14	15	1	3.2	7.15	
15	16	1	2.98	7.12	

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14	15	1			
15	16	1			

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		Memory Usage Ratio			
n	m	M4GB	FGb	Magma	OpenF4
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11	12	1	3.12	4	
12	13	1	3.61	3.68	
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12	13	1	3.61	3.68	47.19
13	14	1	4.36	3.8	103
14	15	1	4.39	4.42	133.84
15	16	1	4.92	3.97	140.26

Graph for $m = n + 1$

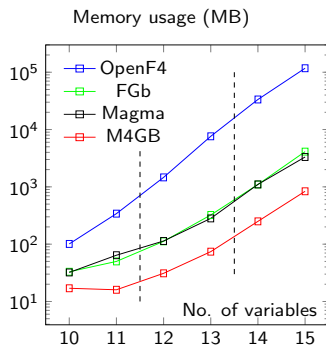
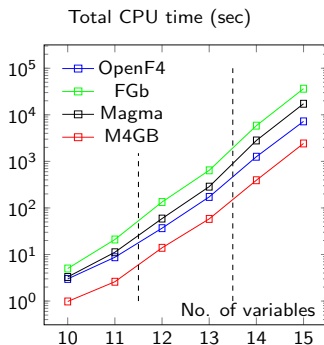


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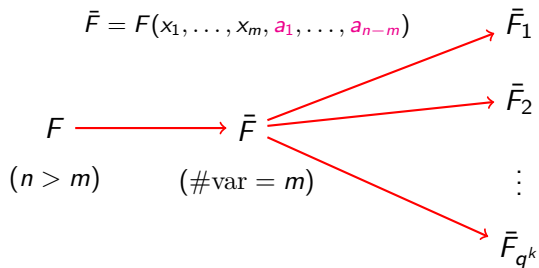
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$$\bar{F} = F(x_1, \dots, x_m, a_1, \dots, a_{n-m})$$

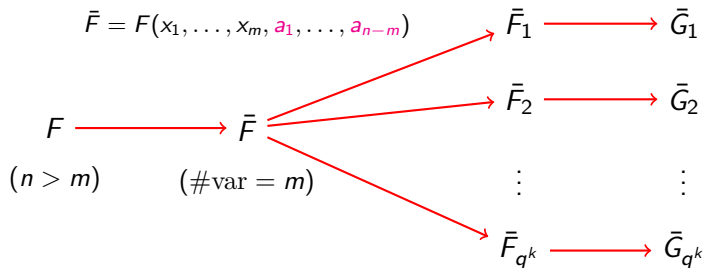
$$F \longrightarrow \bar{F}$$

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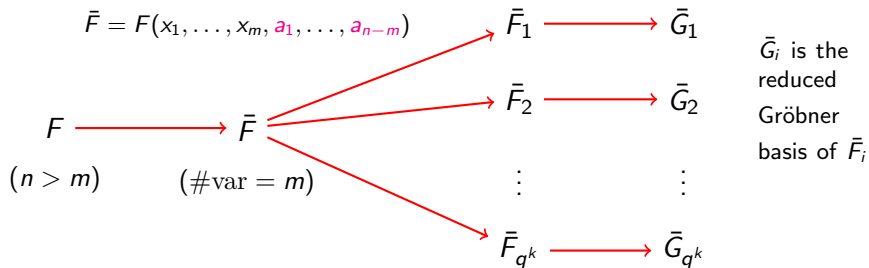
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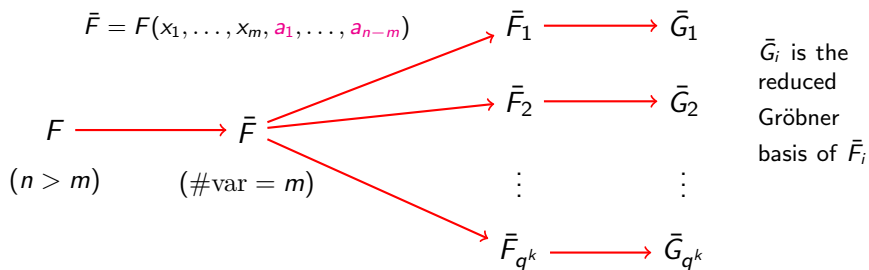
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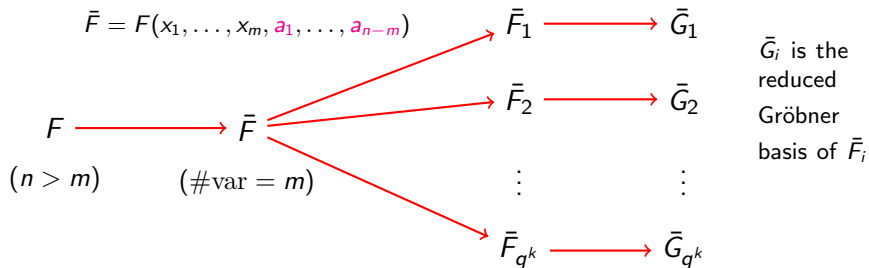
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Solution

$$(-c_1, \dots, -c_m, a_1, \dots, a_{n-m}) \in \mathbb{F}_q^n$$

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VI	28/19	B	2	≈ 7.61 days

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New Record

Type	n/m	Machine Used	# Node	Duration
VI	30/20	B	2	≈ 11.32 days

Future Work

- Implementation for sparse system of equations
- Vectorization / Parallelization using GPU
- Larger finite field
- Adapting signature in M4GB

<https://github.com/cr-marcstevens/m4gb>

Question ?