

Foundations of Algorithms

Homework 3

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1. (a) Use Strassen's algorithm to compute the following matrix product.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 7 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 8 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Show your work.

- (b) Write pseudocode for Strassen's algorithm.
- (c) How would you modify Strassen's algorithm to multiply $n \times n$ matrices in which n is not an exact power of 2? Show that the resulting algorithm runs in time $\Theta(n^{\lg(7)})$.
- (d) Show how to multiply complex numbers $a + bi$ and $c + di$ using only three multiplications of real numbers. The algorithm should take a, b, c , and d as input and produce the real component $ac - bd$ and the imaginary component $ad + bc$ separately.
2. Consider the recurrence $T(1) = 0, T(n) = T(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + T(\lceil n/2 \rceil) + n$.
- (a) Prove that for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lfloor (n+1)/2 \rfloor = \lceil n/2 \rceil$.
- (b) Prove that for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $\lfloor n/2 \rfloor + 1 = \lceil (n+1)/2 \rceil$.
- (c) Let $D(n) = T(n+1) - T(n)$. Prove that $D(1) = 2, D(n) = D(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + 1$.
- (d) Prove using the strong form of induction that for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$, if $n \geq 1$ then $D(n) = \lfloor \lg n \rfloor + 2$.
- (e) Then prove that $T(n) - T(1) = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} D(k)$, and show that an immediate consequence is that $T(n) = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} (\lfloor \lg k \rfloor + 2)$.
- (f) Now show that $T(n) = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} (\lfloor \lg k \rfloor + 2)$ implies that $T(n) = \mathcal{O}(n \log(n))$.
3. **(project)** Transform the tail-recursive binary search algorithm on arrays involving the two functions *search* and *searchHelp* into a single imperative procedure *search* that performs the search using a while-loop. It should take the same arguments and return the same results as the tail-recursive formulation in the notes.
4. **(project)**
- (a) Write a function *sortedHasSum* that takes a sorted array S of n numbers and another number x , and returns a Boolean indicating whether or not there is a pair of numbers in S whose sum is x that is $\mathcal{O}(n)$. Your implementation may *not* use a hash table (or any auxiliary data structure).
- (b) Write a function *hasSum* that is $\mathcal{O}(n \log(n))$ that does the same thing when S is an arbitrary array of numbers. Your implementation may *not* use a hash table (or any auxiliary data structure).

5. **(project)** Implement `quicksort` so that the size of the stack is $\mathcal{O}(\log n)$ regardless of running time. Hint: Consider the order in which sub-problems are executed in the presence of tail-recursion. Your implementation may *not* modify the partition algorithm.