

CS 401

Closest Points / Integer Multiplication / Matrix Multiplication

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Finding the Closest Pair of Points

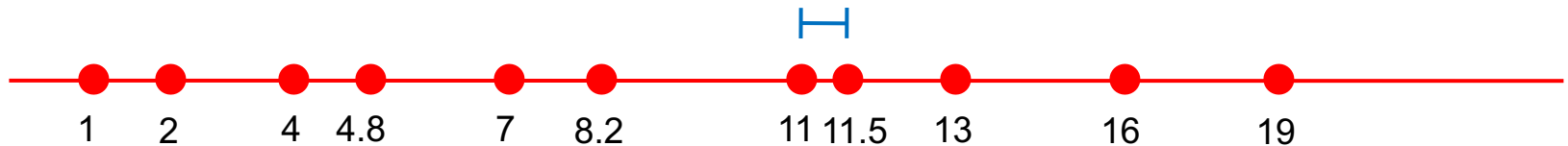
Closest Pair of Points

Given n points, find the closest pair.

Brute force: Check all $\binom{n}{2}$ pairwise distances

1-dim case: 11, 2, 4, 19, 4.8, 7, 8.2, 16, 11.5, 13, 1

find the closest pair



Fact: Closest pair is **adjacent** in ordered list

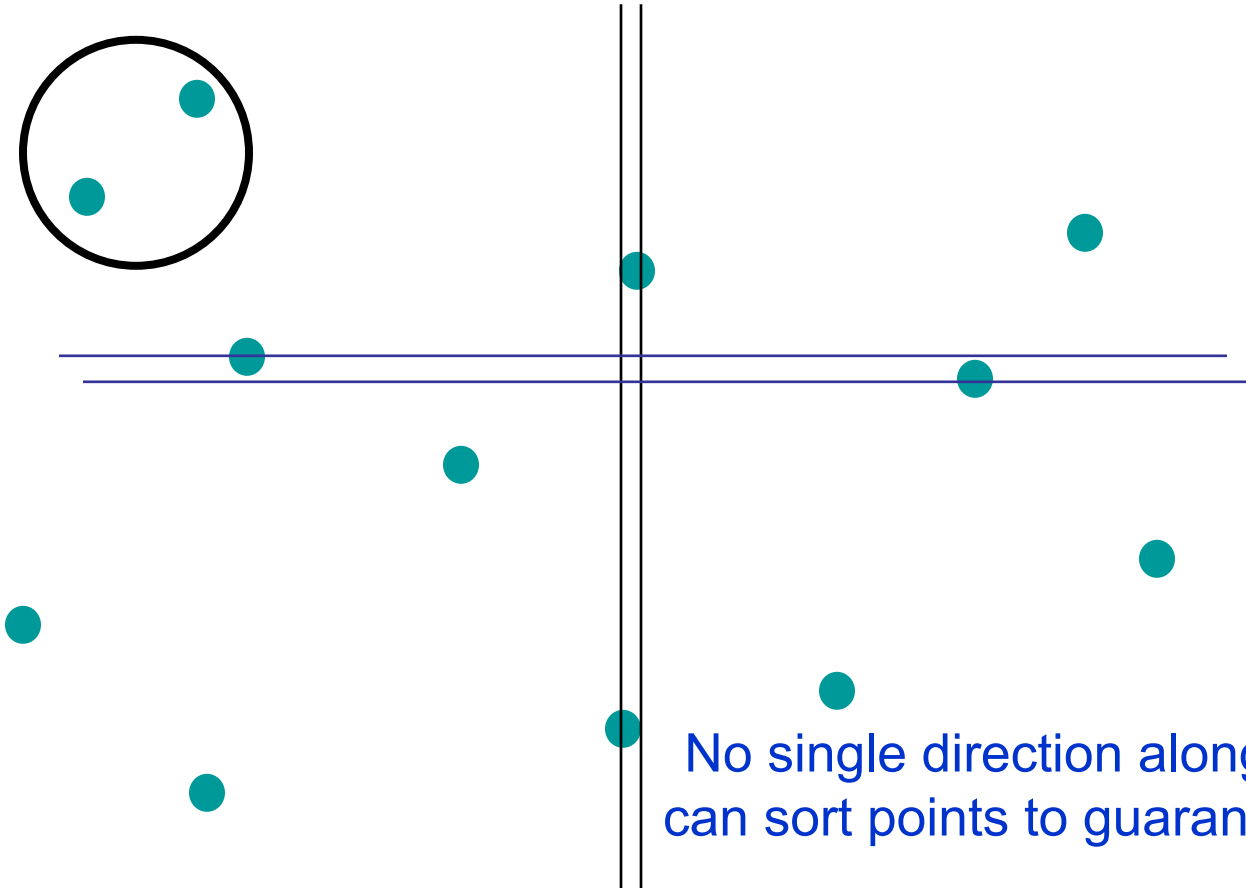
So, first sort, then scan adjacent pairs.

Time $O(n \log n)$ to sort, if needed, Plus $O(n)$ to scan adjacent pairs

Closest Pair of Points (2-dim)

Given n points in the plane, find a pair with smallest Euclidean distance between them.

Idea: make use of 1-dim algorithm (but not in a simple way)



Divide & Conquer

Divide: draw vertical line L with $\approx n/2$ points on each side.

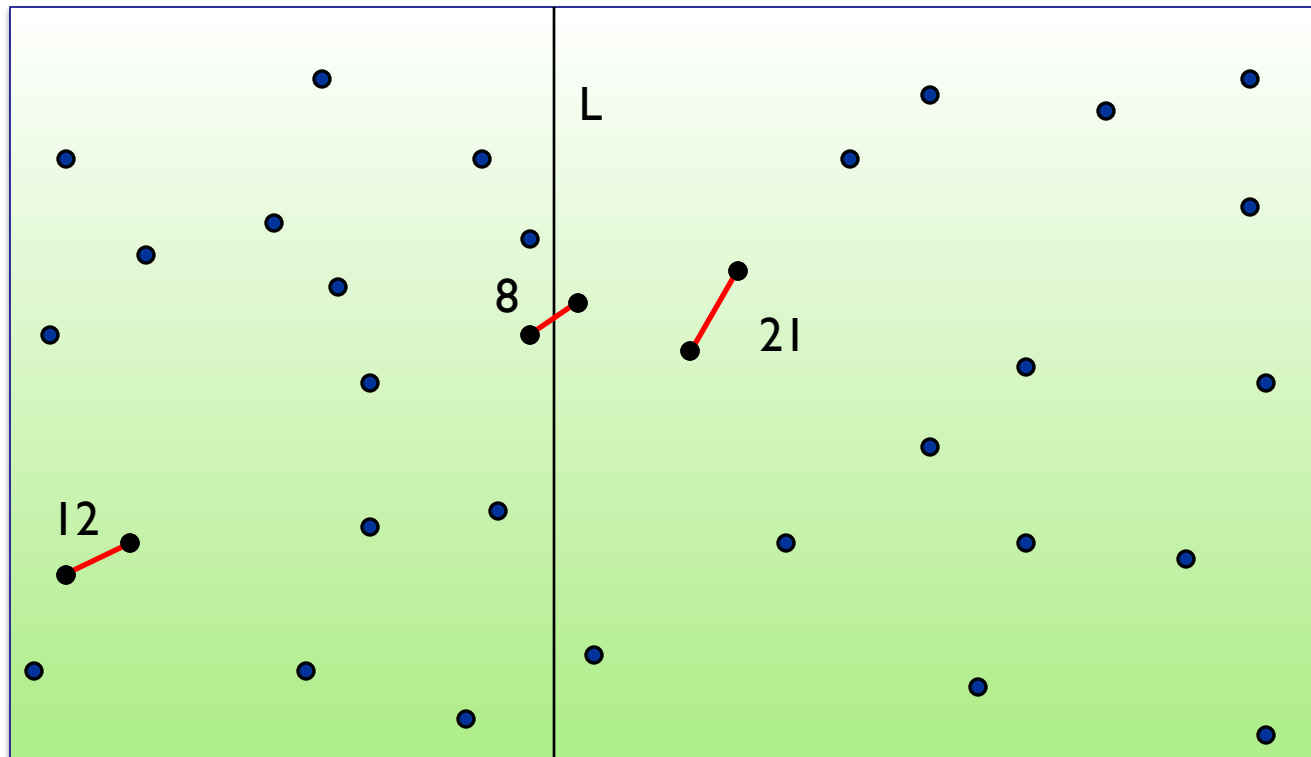
Conquer: find closest pair on each side, recursively.

Combine to find closest pair overall



How ?

Return best solutions



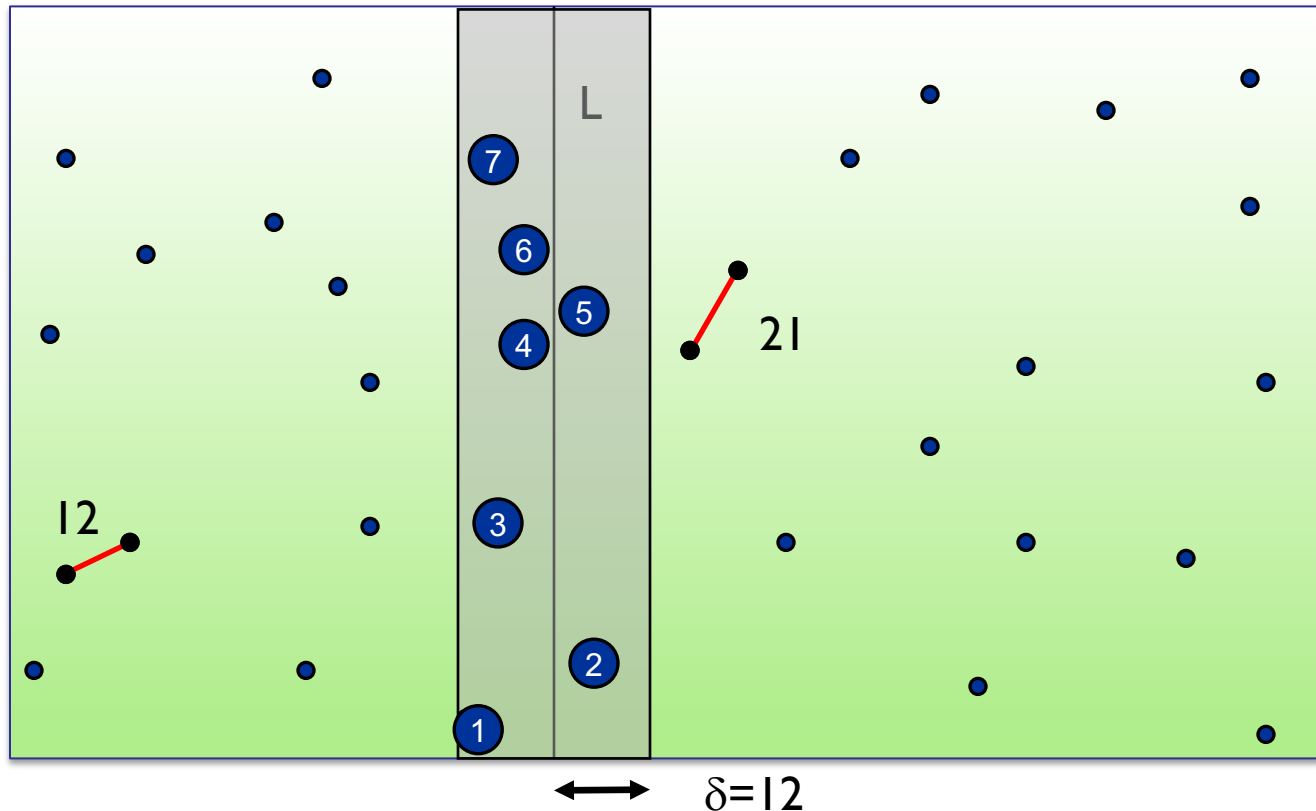
Key Observation

Suppose δ is the minimum distance of all pairs in left/right of L .

$$\delta = \min(12, 21) = 12.$$

Key Observation: suffices to consider points within δ of line L .

Almost the one-D problem again: Sort points in 2δ -strip by their y coordinate.



Almost 1D Problem

Partition each side of L into $\frac{\delta}{2} \times \frac{\delta}{2}$ squares

Claim: No two points lie in the same $\frac{\delta}{2} \times \frac{\delta}{2}$ box.

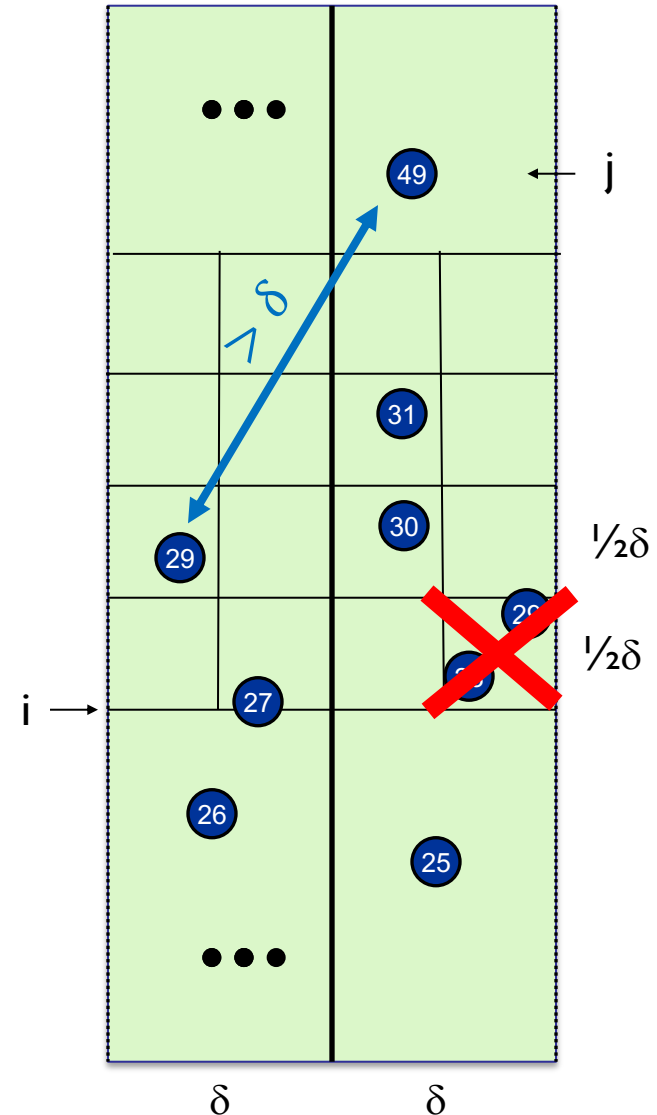
Proof: Such points would be within

$$\sqrt{\left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\delta}{2}\right)^2} = \delta \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \approx 0.7\delta < \delta$$

Let s_i have the i^{th} smallest y -coordinate among points in the 2δ -width-strip.

Claim: If $|i - j| > 11$, then the distance between s_i and s_j is $> \delta$.

Proof: only 11 boxes within δ of $y(s_i)$.



Closest Pair (2 dimension)

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Closest-Pair( $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n$ ) {
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  if ( $n \leq 2$ ) return distance( $p_1, p_2$ )
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  Compute separation line  $L$  such that half the points  
  are on one side and half on the other side.
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$O(n \log n)$

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   $\delta_1$  = Closest-Pair(left half)
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   $\delta_2$  = Closest-Pair(right half)
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   $\delta$  = min( $\delta_1, \delta_2$ )
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$O(1)$

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  Delete all points further than  $\delta$  from separation line  $L$ 
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$O(n)$

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  Sort remaining points  $p[1] \dots p[m]$  by y-coordinate.
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$O(n \log n)$

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  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$ 
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    for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, 11$ 
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      if  $i + k \leq m$ 
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         $\delta = \min(\delta, \text{distance}(p[i], p[i+k]));$ 
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$O(n)$

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  return  $\delta$ .
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}
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Closest Pair Analysis

Running time?

$$T(n) \leq \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n \leq 2 \\ 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + O(n \log n) & \text{o.w.} \end{cases} \Rightarrow T(n) = O(n \log^2 n)$$

Can we do better?

Closest Pair (2 dimension) Improved

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Closest-Pair( $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n$ ) ← {  
  if ( $n \leq 2$ ) return distance( $p_1, p_2$ )
```

Assume: input sorted by x-coordinate
($O(n \log n)$ overhead initially)

Compute separation line L such that half the points
are on one side and half on the other side. $O(1)$

$(\delta_1, Q_1) = \text{Closest-Pair}(\text{left half})$

$(\delta_2, Q_2) = \text{Closest-Pair}(\text{right half})$ $O(1)$

$\delta = \min(\delta_1, \delta_2)$ $O(1)$

$Q_{\text{sorted}} = \text{merge}(Q_1, Q_2)$ (merge sort it by y-coordinate) $O(n)$

Let S be points (ordered as Q_{sorted}) that is δ from line L . $O(n)$

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for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$ 
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```
  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, 11$   $O(n)$ 
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```
    if  $i + k \leq m$ 
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```
       $\delta = \min(\delta, \text{distance}(S[i], S[i+k]));$ 
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```
return  $\delta$  and  $Q_{\text{sorted}}$ .
```

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}
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Input sorted by
y-coordinate

$$T(n) \leq \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n = 1 \\ 2T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + O(n) & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow T(n) = O(n \log n)$$

Summary

Closest pair in 2-dimension: Given n points in the plane, find a pair with smallest Euclidean distance between them.

Brute Force: Check all pairs of points in $\Theta(n^2)$ time.

Divide and Conquer:

- **Divide:** draw vertical line L with $\approx n/2$ points on each side.
- **Conquer:** find closest pair on each side, recursively.
- **Combine** to find closest pair overall

Exercise: Remove the assumption of “no two points have same x coordinate”?

Integer Multiplication

Divide and Conquer

Let x, y be two n -bit integers

Write $x = 2^{n/2}x_1 + x_0$ and $y = 2^{n/2}y_1 + y_0$

where x_0, x_1, y_0, y_1 are all $n/2$ -bit integers.

$$\begin{aligned}x &= 2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0 \\y &= 2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0 \\xy &= (2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0)(2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0) \\&= 2^n \cdot x_1y_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot (x_1y_0 + x_0y_1) + x_0y_0\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$T(n) = 4T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + \Theta(n)$$

So,

$$T(n) = \Theta(n^2).$$

We only need 3 values
 $x_1y_1, x_0y_0, x_1y_0 + x_0y_1$
Can we find all 3 by only
3 multiplication?

Key Trick: 4 multiplies at the price of 3

$$x = 2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0$$

$$y = 2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0$$

$$\begin{aligned} xy &= (2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0)(2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0) \\ &= 2^n \cdot x_1 y_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot (x_1 y_0 + x_0 y_1) + x_0 y_0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\alpha = x_1 + x_0$$

$$\beta = y_1 + y_0$$

$$\alpha\beta = (x_1 + x_0)(y_1 + y_0)$$

$$= x_1 y_1 + (x_1 y_0 + x_0 y_1) + x_0 y_0$$

$$(x_1 y_0 + x_0 y_1) = \alpha\beta - x_1 y_1 - x_0 y_0$$

Key Trick: 4 multiplies at the price of 3

Idea

$$\begin{aligned}x &= 2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0 \Rightarrow \alpha = x_1 + x_0 \\y &= 2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0 \Rightarrow \beta = y_1 + y_0 \\xy &= (2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0)(2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0) \\&= \underbrace{2^n \cdot x_1 y_1}_A + \underbrace{2^{n/2} \cdot (x_1 y_0 + x_0 y_1)}_{\alpha\beta - A - B} + \underbrace{x_0 y_0}_B\end{aligned}$$

To multiply two n -bit integers:

Add two $n/2$ bit integers.

Multiply **three** $n/2$ -bit integers.

Add, subtract, and shift $n/2$ -bit integers to obtain result.

$$T(n) = 3T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + O(n)$$

Key Trick: 4 multiplies at the price of 3

Theorem [Karatsuba-Ofman, 1962] Can multiply two n -digit integers in $O(n^{1.585\dots})$ bit operations.

$$\begin{aligned}x &= 2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0 \Rightarrow \alpha = x_1 + x_0 \\y &= 2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0 \Rightarrow \beta = y_1 + y_0 \\xy &= (2^{n/2} \cdot x_1 + x_0)(2^{n/2} \cdot y_1 + y_0) \\&= \underbrace{2^n \cdot x_1 y_1}_A + \underbrace{2^{n/2} \cdot (x_1 y_0 + x_0 y_1)}_{\alpha\beta - A - B} + \underbrace{x_0 y_0}_B\end{aligned}$$

Integer Multiplication (Summary)

- **Amusing exercise:** generalize Karatsuba to do 5 size $n/3$ subproblems

This gives $\Theta(n^{1.46\dots})$ time algorithm

Date	Authors	Time complexity
<3000 BC	Unknown	$O(n^2)$
1962	Karatsuba	$O(n^{\log 3/\log 2})$
1963	Toom	$O(n 2^{5\sqrt{\log n/\log 2}})$
1966	Schönhage	$O(n 2^{\sqrt{2\log n/\log 2}} (\log n)^{3/2})$
1969	Knuth	$O(n 2^{\sqrt{2\log n/\log 2}} \log n)$
1971	Schönhage–Strassen	$O(n \log n \log \log n)$
2007	Fürer	$O(n \log n 2^{O(\log^* n)})$
2014	Harvey-Hoeven-Lecerf	$O(n \log n 8^{\log^* n})$

Still open problem.

Matrix Multiplication

Multiplying Matrices

Let A be an $n \times m$ matrix, B be an $m \times p$ matrix.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1m} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nm} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \cdots & b_{1p} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \cdots & b_{2p} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_{m1} & b_{m2} & \cdots & b_{mp} \end{pmatrix}$$

Then, $C = AB$ is an $n \times p$ matrix

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & \cdots & c_{1p} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & \cdots & c_{2p} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{n1} & c_{n2} & \cdots & c_{np} \end{pmatrix}$$

such that

$$c_{ij} = a_{i1}b_{1j} + \cdots + a_{im}b_{mj} = \sum_{k=1}^m a_{ik}b_{kj},$$

Multiplying Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & a_{24} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} \\ a_{41} & a_{42} & a_{43} & a_{44} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & b_{13} & b_{14} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & b_{23} & b_{24} \\ b_{31} & b_{32} & b_{33} & b_{34} \\ b_{41} & b_{42} & b_{43} & b_{44} \end{bmatrix}$$

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Multiplying Matrices

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Multiplying Matrices

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Simple Divide and Conquer

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{pmatrix} \\ = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11}B_{11}+A_{12}B_{21} & A_{11}B_{12}+A_{12}B_{22} \\ A_{21}B_{11}+A_{22}B_{21} & A_{21}B_{12}+A_{22}B_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

Strassen's Divide and Conquer Algorithm

Naive

$$\begin{aligned}C_{1,1} &= \mathbf{A}_{1,1}\mathbf{B}_{1,1} + \mathbf{A}_{1,2}\mathbf{B}_{2,1} \\C_{1,2} &= \mathbf{A}_{1,1}\mathbf{B}_{1,2} + \mathbf{A}_{1,2}\mathbf{B}_{2,2} \\C_{2,1} &= \mathbf{A}_{2,1}\mathbf{B}_{1,1} + \mathbf{A}_{2,2}\mathbf{B}_{2,1} \\C_{2,2} &= \mathbf{A}_{2,1}\mathbf{B}_{1,2} + \mathbf{A}_{2,2}\mathbf{B}_{2,2}\end{aligned}$$

Strassen

$$\begin{aligned}M_1 &:= (\mathbf{A}_{1,1} + \mathbf{A}_{2,2})(\mathbf{B}_{1,1} + \mathbf{B}_{2,2}) \\M_2 &:= (\mathbf{A}_{2,1} + \mathbf{A}_{2,2})\mathbf{B}_{1,1} \\M_3 &:= \mathbf{A}_{1,1}(\mathbf{B}_{1,2} - \mathbf{B}_{2,2}) \\M_4 &:= \mathbf{A}_{2,2}(\mathbf{B}_{2,1} - \mathbf{B}_{1,1}) \\M_5 &:= (\mathbf{A}_{1,1} + \mathbf{A}_{1,2})\mathbf{B}_{2,2} \\M_6 &:= (\mathbf{A}_{2,1} - \mathbf{A}_{1,1})(\mathbf{B}_{1,1} + \mathbf{B}_{1,2}) \\M_7 &:= (\mathbf{A}_{1,2} - \mathbf{A}_{2,2})(\mathbf{B}_{2,1} + \mathbf{B}_{2,2})\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}C_{1,1} &= M_1 + M_4 - M_5 + M_7 \\C_{1,2} &= M_3 + M_5 \\C_{2,1} &= M_2 + M_4 \\C_{2,2} &= M_1 - M_2 + M_3 + M_6\end{aligned}$$

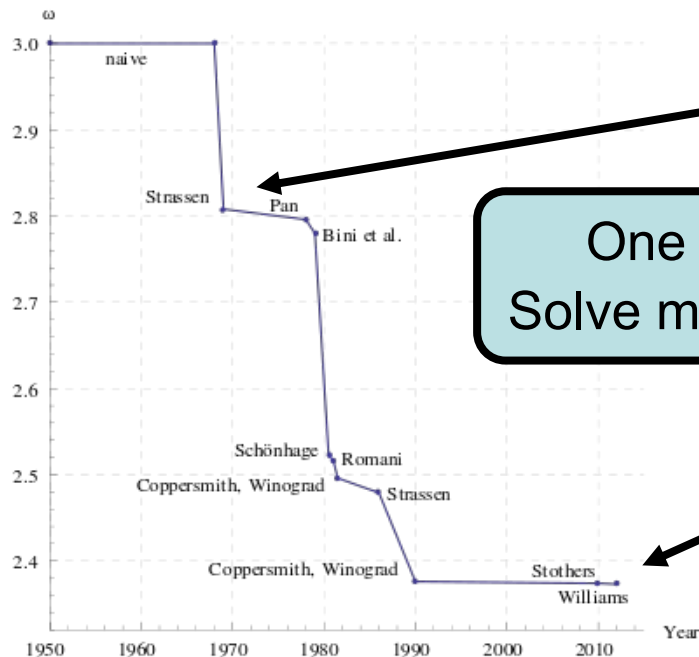
Strassen's Divide and Conquer Algorithm

- Strassen's algorithm

Multiply 2×2 matrices using **7** instead of **8** multiplications (and 18 additions)

$$T(n) = 7T\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 18n^2$$

Hence, we have $T(n) = O(n^{\log_2 7})$.



Useful when $n \sim 500$.

One of the most important open problem:
Solve matrix multiplication in $O(n^2 \log^{O(1)} n)$ time

I am curious how large n need?