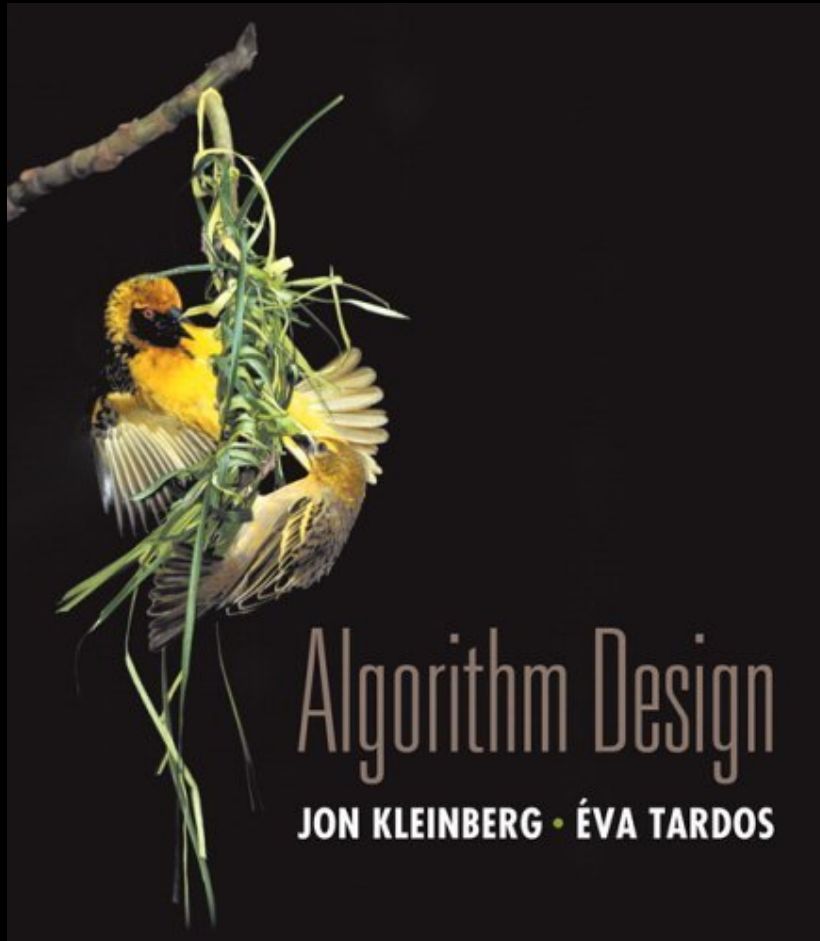




How to Multiply



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A. Yes. [Gauss] $x = ac - bd, y = (a + b)(c + d) - ac - bd$.

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3 multiplications, 5 additions

5.5 Integer Multiplication

Integer Addition

Addition. Given two n -bit integers a and b , compute $a + b$.

Grade-school. $\Theta(n)$ bit operations.

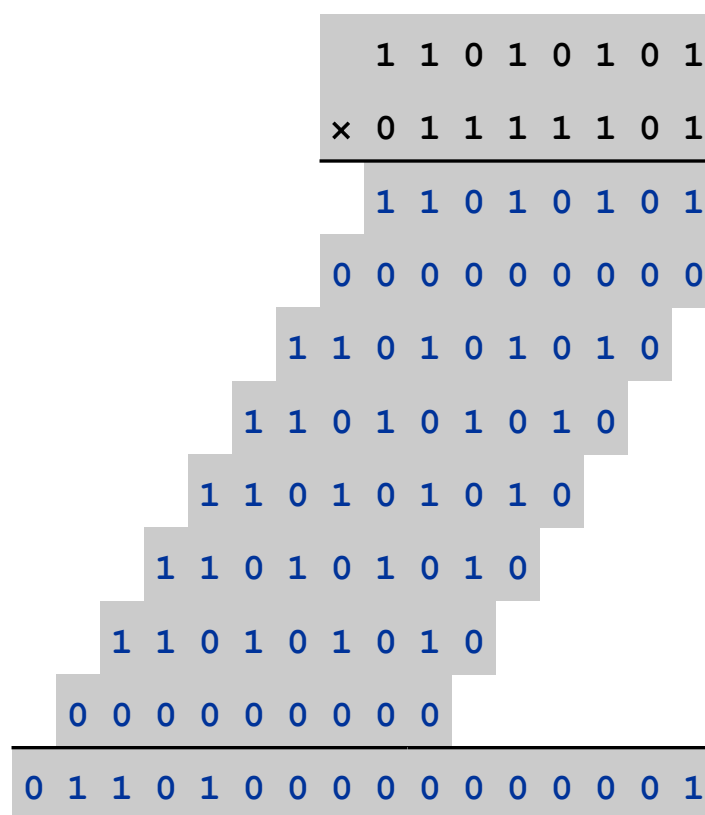
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		1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
+	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1
	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0

Remark. Grade-school addition algorithm is optimal.

Integer Multiplication

Multiplication. Given two n -bit integers a and b , compute $a \times b$.

Grade-school. $\Theta(n^2)$ bit operations.



Q. Is grade-school multiplication algorithm optimal?

Divide-and-Conquer Multiplication: Warmup

To multiply two n -bit integers a and b :

- Multiply four $\frac{1}{2}n$ -bit integers, recursively.
- Add and shift to obtain result.

$$\begin{aligned}a &= 2^{n/2} \cdot a_1 + a_0 \\b &= 2^{n/2} \cdot b_1 + b_0 \\ab &= \left(2^{n/2} \cdot a_1 + a_0\right) \left(2^{n/2} \cdot b_1 + b_0\right) = 2^n \cdot a_1 b_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot (a_1 b_0 + a_0 b_1) + a_0 b_0\end{aligned}$$

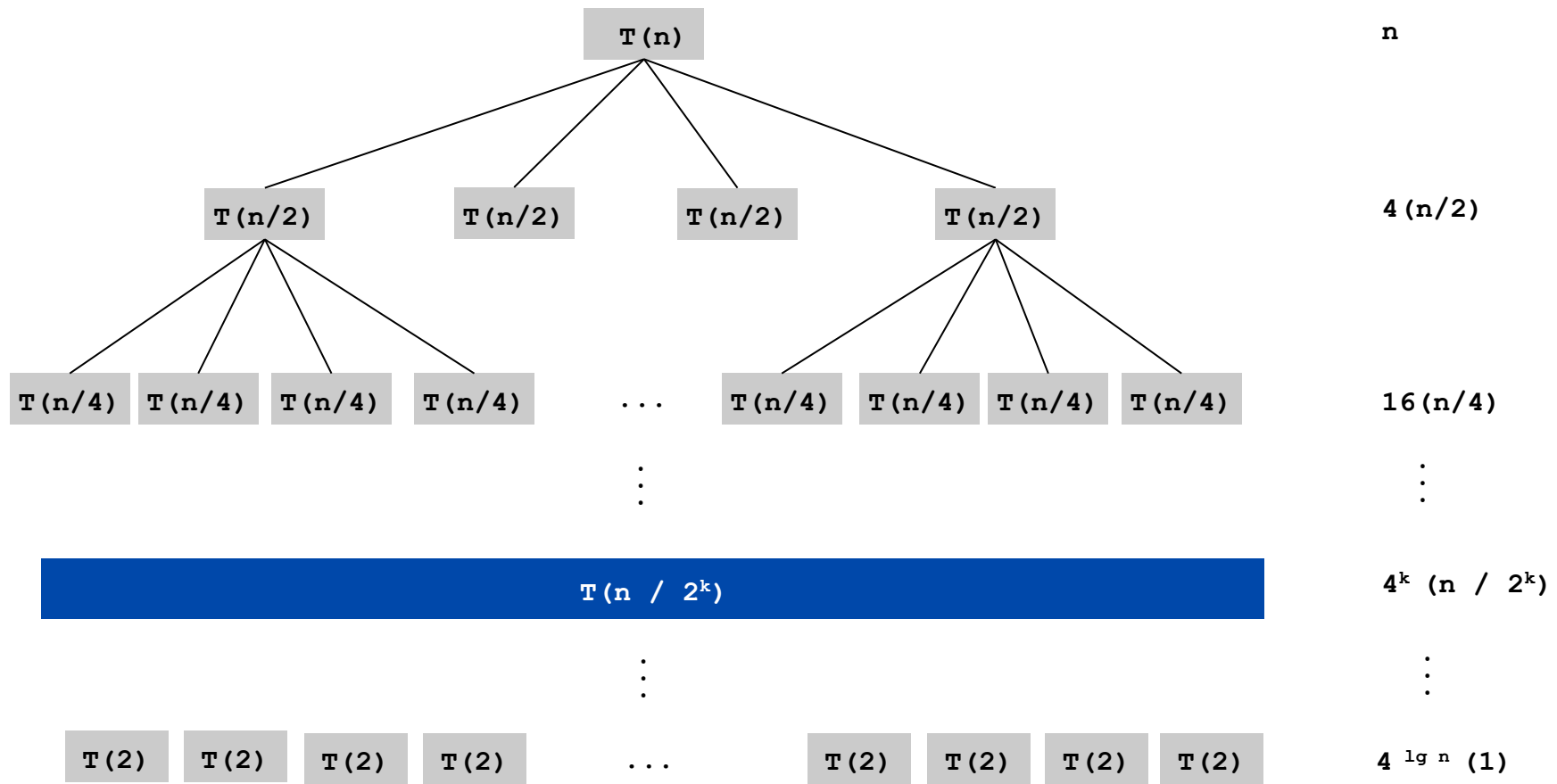
Ex. $a = \underbrace{1000}_{a_1} \underbrace{1101}_{a_0} \quad b = \underbrace{1110}_{b_1} \underbrace{0001}_{b_0}$

$$T(n) = \underbrace{4T(n/2)}_{\text{recursive calls}} + \underbrace{\Theta(n)}_{\text{add, shift}} \Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^2)$$

Recursion Tree

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ 4T(n/2) + n & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$T(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lg n} n 2^k = n \left(\frac{2^{1+\lg n} - 1}{2 - 1} \right) = 2n^2 - n$$



Karatsuba Multiplication

To multiply two n -bit integers a and b :

- Add two $\frac{1}{2}n$ bit integers.
- Multiply **three** $\frac{1}{2}n$ -bit integers, recursively.
- Add, subtract, and shift to obtain result.

$$a = 2^{n/2} \cdot a_1 + a_0$$

$$b = 2^{n/2} \cdot b_1 + b_0$$

$$ab = 2^n \cdot a_1 b_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot (a_1 b_0 + a_0 b_1) + a_0 b_0$$

$$= 2^n \cdot a_1 b_1 + 2^{n/2} \cdot ((a_1 + a_0)(b_1 + b_0) - a_1 b_1 - a_0 b_0) + a_0 b_0$$

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 &= \underbrace{2^n \cdot a_1 b_1}_{\textcircled{1}} + \underbrace{2^{n/2} \cdot ((a_1 + a_0)(b_1 + b_0) - a_1 b_1 - a_0 b_0)}_{\textcircled{2}} + \underbrace{a_0 b_0}_{\textcircled{3}}
 \end{aligned}$$

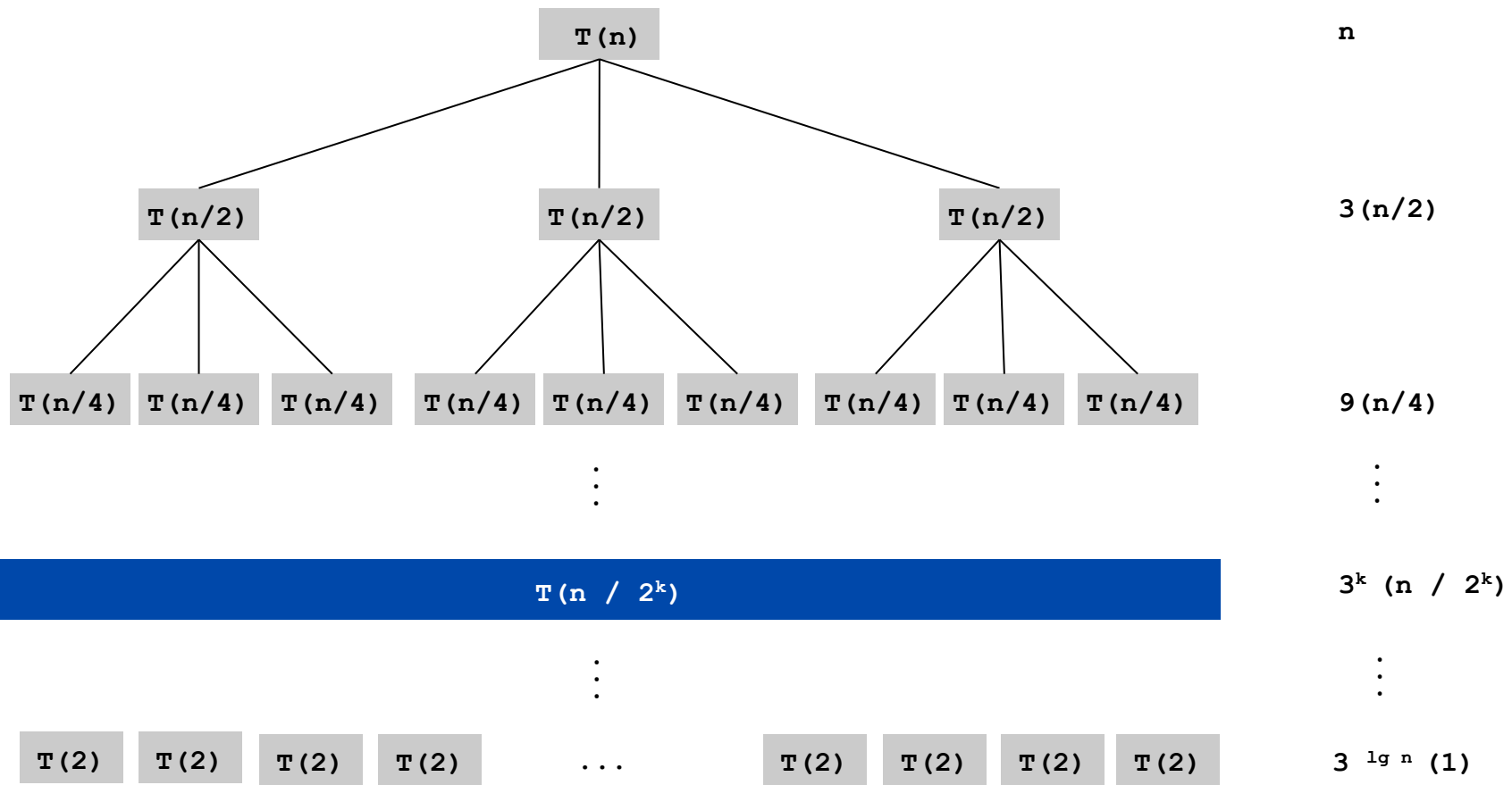
Theorem. [Karatsuba-Ofman 1962] Can multiply two n -bit integers in $O(n^{1.585})$ bit operations.

$$T(n) \leq \underbrace{T(\lfloor n/2 \rfloor) + T(\lceil n/2 \rceil) + T(1 + \lfloor n/2 \rfloor)}_{\text{recursive calls}} + \underbrace{\Theta(n)}_{\text{add, subtract, shift}} \Rightarrow T(n) = O(n^{\lg 3}) = O(n^{1.585})$$

Karatsuba: Recursion Tree

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ 3T(n/2) + n & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$T(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lg n} n \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^k = n \left(\frac{\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{1+\lg n} - 1}{\frac{3}{2} - 1} \right) = 3n^{\lg 3} - 2n$$



Matrix Multiplication

Dot Product

Dot product. Given two length n vectors a and b , compute $c = a \cdot b$.

Grade-school. $\Theta(n)$ arithmetic operations.

$$a \cdot b = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i$$


$$a = [.70 \quad .20 \quad .10]$$

$$b = [.30 \quad .40 \quad .30]$$

$$a \cdot b = (.70 \times .30) + (.20 \times .40) + (.10 \times .30) = .32$$

Remark. Grade-school dot product algorithm is optimal.

Matrix Multiplication

Matrix multiplication. Given two n -by- n matrices A and B , compute $C = AB$.

Grade-school. $\Theta(n^3)$ arithmetic operations.

$$c_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n \overbrace{a_{ik} b_{kj}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & \cdots & c_{1n} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & \cdots & c_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{n1} & c_{n2} & \cdots & c_{nn} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \cdots & b_{1n} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \cdots & b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_{n1} & b_{n2} & \cdots & b_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} .59 & .32 & .41 \\ .31 & .36 & .25 \\ .45 & .31 & .42 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} .70 & .20 & .10 \\ .30 & .60 & .10 \\ .50 & .10 & .40 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} .80 & .30 & .50 \\ .10 & .40 & .10 \\ .10 & .30 & .40 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q. Is grade-school matrix multiplication algorithm optimal?

Block Matrix Multiplication

The diagram shows the following matrix equation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 152 & 158 & 164 & 170 \\ 504 & 526 & 548 & 570 \\ 856 & 894 & 932 & 970 \\ 1208 & 1262 & 1316 & 1370 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \\ 8 & 9 & 10 & 11 \\ 12 & 13 & 14 & 15 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 16 & 17 & 18 & 19 \\ 20 & 21 & 22 & 23 \\ 24 & 25 & 26 & 27 \\ 28 & 29 & 30 & 31 \end{bmatrix}$$

Arrows indicate the following block partitions:

- C_{11} points to the first two columns of the result matrix.
- A_{11} points to the first two columns of the first matrix.
- A_{12} points to the last two columns of the first matrix.
- B_{11} points to the first two rows of the second matrix.
- B_{21} points to the last two rows of the second matrix.

$$C_{11} = A_{11} \times B_{11} + A_{12} \times B_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 16 & 17 \\ 20 & 21 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 24 & 25 \\ 28 & 29 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 152 & 158 \\ 504 & 526 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix Multiplication: Warmup

To multiply two n -by- n matrices A and B :

- Divide: partition A and B into $\frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$ blocks.
- Conquer: multiply 8 pairs of $\frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$ matrices, recursively.
- Combine: add appropriate products using 4 matrix additions.

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_{11} &= (A_{11} \times B_{11}) + (A_{12} \times B_{21}) \\ C_{12} &= (A_{11} \times B_{12}) + (A_{12} \times B_{22}) \\ C_{21} &= (A_{21} \times B_{11}) + (A_{22} \times B_{21}) \\ C_{22} &= (A_{21} \times B_{12}) + (A_{22} \times B_{22}) \end{aligned}$$

$$T(n) = \underbrace{8T(n/2)}_{\text{recursive calls}} + \underbrace{\Theta(n^2)}_{\text{add, form submatrices}} \Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^3)$$

Fast Matrix Multiplication

Key idea. multiply 2-by-2 blocks with only **7 multiplications**.

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_{11} = P_5 + P_4 - P_2 + P_6$$

$$C_{12} = P_1 + P_2$$

$$C_{21} = P_3 + P_4$$

$$C_{22} = P_5 + P_1 - P_3 - P_7$$

$$P_1 = A_{11} \times (B_{12} - B_{22})$$

$$P_2 = (A_{11} + A_{12}) \times B_{22}$$

$$P_3 = (A_{21} + A_{22}) \times B_{11}$$

$$P_4 = A_{22} \times (B_{21} - B_{11})$$

$$P_5 = (A_{11} + A_{22}) \times (B_{11} + B_{22})$$

$$P_6 = (A_{12} - A_{22}) \times (B_{21} + B_{22})$$

$$P_7 = (A_{11} - A_{21}) \times (B_{11} + B_{12})$$

- 7 multiplications.
- $18 = 8 + 10$ additions and subtractions.

Fast Matrix Multiplication

To multiply two n -by- n matrices A and B : [Strassen 1969]

- Divide: partition A and B into $\frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$ blocks.
- Compute: 14 $\frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$ matrices via 10 matrix additions.
- Conquer: multiply 7 pairs of $\frac{1}{2}n$ -by- $\frac{1}{2}n$ matrices, recursively.
- Combine: 7 products into 4 terms using 8 matrix additions.

Analysis.

- Assume n is a power of 2.
- $T(n) = \#$ arithmetic operations.

$$T(n) = \underbrace{7T(n/2)}_{\text{recursive calls}} + \underbrace{\Theta(n^2)}_{\text{add, subtract}} \Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_2 7}) = O(n^{2.81})$$

Fast Matrix Multiplication: Theory

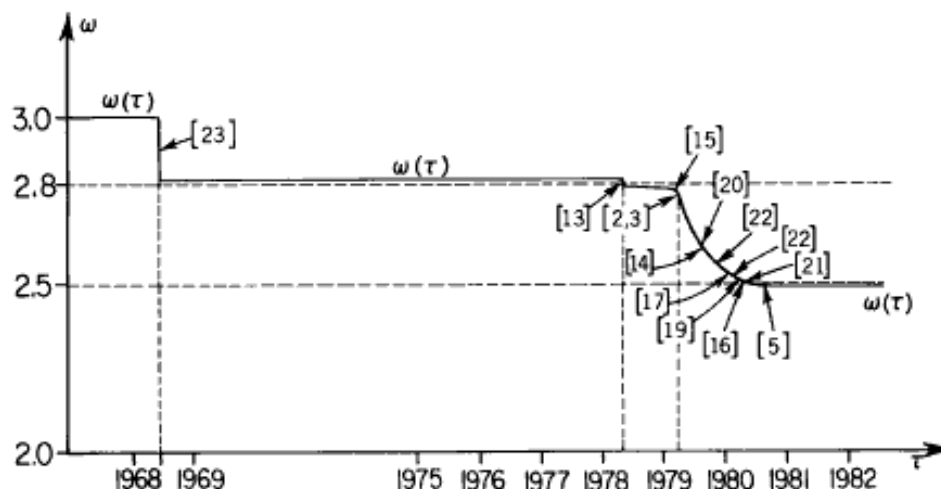


FIG. 1. $\omega(t)$ is the best exponent announced by time τ .

Best known. $O(n^{2.376})$ [Coppersmith-Winograd, 1987]

Conjecture. $O(n^{2+\epsilon})$ for any $\epsilon > 0$.

Caveat. Theoretical improvements to Strassen are progressively less practical.