

# 3. Examples

Show Correctness, Recursion and Recurrences  
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## 3.1 Ancient Egyptian Multiplication

Ancient Egyptian Multiplication– Example on how to show correctness of algorithms.

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# Advantages

- Short description, easy to grasp
- Efficient to implement on a computer: double = left shift, divide by 2 = right shift

## Beispiel

*left shift*     $9 = 01001_2 \rightarrow 10010_2 = 18$

*right shift*     $9 = 01001_2 \rightarrow 00100_2 = 4$

# Questions

- For which kind of inputs does the algorithm deliver a correct result (in finite time)?
- How do you prove its correctness?
- What is a good measure for Efficiency?

# The Essentials

If  $b > 1$ ,  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ , then:

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# Recursively, Functional

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# Implemented as a function

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// pre: b>0
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int f(int a, int b){
    if(b==1)
        return a;
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Remaining to show:  $f(a, b) = a \cdot b$  for  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $b \in \mathbb{N}^+$ .

# Correctnes: Mathematical Proof by Induction

Let  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ , to show  $f(a, b) = a \cdot b \quad \forall b \in \mathbb{N}^+$ .

*Base clause:*  $f(a, 1) = a = a \cdot 1$

*Hypothesis:*  $f(a, b') = a \cdot b' \quad \forall 0 < b' \leq b$

*Step:*  $f(a, b') = a \cdot b' \quad \forall 0 < b' \leq b \stackrel{!}{\Rightarrow} f(a, b + 1) = a \cdot (b + 1)$


$$f(a, b + 1) = \begin{cases} f(2a, \overbrace{\frac{b+1}{2}}^{0 < \cdot \leq b}) \stackrel{i.H.}{=} a \cdot (b + 1) & \text{if } b > 0 \text{ odd,} \\ a + f(2a, \underbrace{\frac{b}{2}}_{0 < \cdot < b}) \stackrel{i.H.}{=} a + a \cdot b & \text{if } b > 0 \text{ even.} \end{cases}$$



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        }
        res += z;
        a *= 2; // neues a
        b /= 2; // neues b
    }
    res += a; // Basisfall b=1
    return res;
}
```

# [Code-Transformation: Simplify]

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int f(int a, int b) {  
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            --b; → Teil der Division  
            z = a; → Direkt in res  
        }  
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    }  
    res += a; → in den Loop  
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Also  $res = x$ .

# Conclusion

The expression  $a \cdot b + res$  is an *invariant*

- Values of  $a, b, res$  change but the invariant remains basically unchanged: The invariant is only temporarily discarded by some statement but then re-established. If such short statement sequences are considered atomic, the value remains indeed invariant
- In particular the loop contains an invariant, called *loop invariant* and it operates there like the induction step in induction proofs.
- Invariants are obviously powerful tools for proofs!

## 3.2 Fast Integer Multiplication

[Ottman/Widmayer, Kap. 1.2.3]

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→  $3 \cdot 3 = 9$  instead of 16 single-digit multiplications.

# Generalization

Assumption: two numbers with  $n$  digits each,  $n = 2^k$  for some  $k$ .

$$\begin{aligned}(10^{n/2}a + b) \cdot (10^{n/2}c + d) &= 10^n \cdot a \cdot c + 10^{n/2} \cdot a \cdot c \\ &+ 10^{n/2} \cdot b \cdot d + b \cdot d \\ &+ 10^{n/2} \cdot (a - b) \cdot (d - c)\end{aligned}$$

Recursive application of this formula: algorithm by Karatsuba and Ofman (1962).

# Analysis

$M(n)$ : Number of single-digit multiplications.

Recursive application of the algorithm from above  $\Rightarrow$  recursion equality:

$$M(2^k) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } k = 0, \\ 3 \cdot M(2^{k-1}) & \text{if } k > 0. \end{cases}$$

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Example: number with 1000 digits:  $1000^2/1000^{1.58} \approx 18$ .

# Best possible algorithm?

We only know the upper bound  $n^{\log_2 3}$ .

There are (for large  $n$ ) practically relevant algorithms that are faster.

Example: Schönhage-Strassen algorithm (1971) based on fast Fouriertransformation with running time  $\mathcal{O}(n \log n \cdot \log \log n)$ . The best upper bound is not known.

Lower bound:  $n$ . Each digit has to be considered at least once.

## 3.3 Maximum Subarray Problem

Algorithm Design – Maximum Subarray Problem [Ottman/Widmayer, Kap. 1.3]

Divide and Conquer [Ottman/Widmayer, Kap. 1.2.2. S.9; Cormen et al, Kap. 4-4.1]

# Algorithm Design

Inductive development of an algorithm: partition into subproblems, use solutions for the subproblems to find the overall solution.

*Goal:* development of the asymptotically most efficient (correct) algorithm.

*Efficiency* towards run time costs (# fundamental operations) or /and memory consumption.



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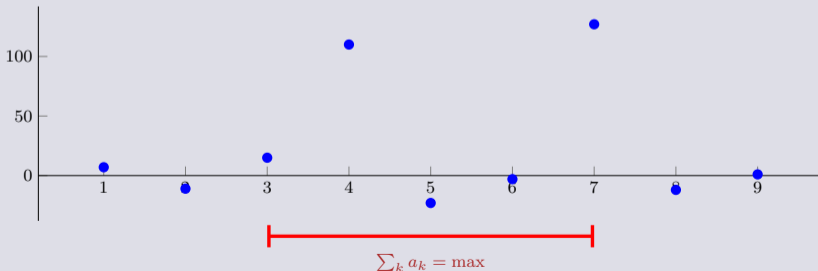
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Example:  $a = (7, -11, 15, 110, -23, -3, 127, -12, 1)$



# Naive Maximum Subarray Algorithm

**Input:** A sequence of  $n$  numbers  $(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)$

**Output:**  $I, J$  such that  $\sum_{k=I}^J a_k$  maximal.

$M \leftarrow 0; I \leftarrow 1; J \leftarrow 0$

**for**  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  **do**

**for**  $j \in \{i, \dots, n\}$  **do**

$m = \sum_{k=i}^j a_k$

**if**  $m > M$  **then**

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**return**  $I, J$

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*Prefix sums*

$$S_i := \sum_{k=1}^i a_k.$$

# Maximum Subarray Algorithm with Prefix Sums

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**Output:**  $I, J$  such that  $\sum_{k=I}^J a_k$  maximal.

$S_0 \leftarrow 0$

**for**  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  **do** // prefix sum

└  $S_i \leftarrow S_{i-1} + a_i$

$M \leftarrow 0; I \leftarrow 1; J \leftarrow 0$

**for**  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$  **do**

└ **for**  $j \in \{i, \dots, n\}$  **do**

└└  $m = S_j - S_{i-1}$

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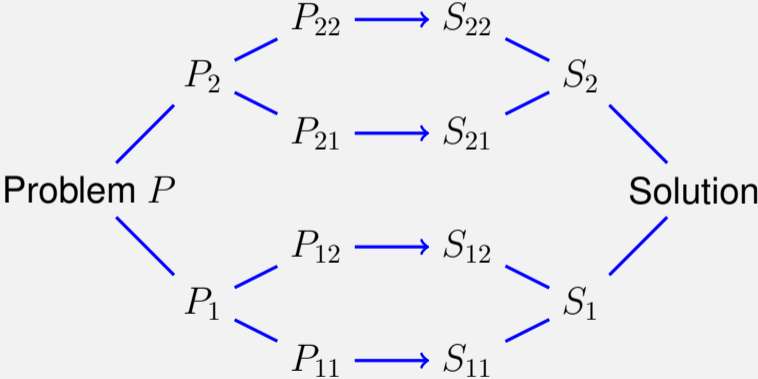


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## Divide and Conquer

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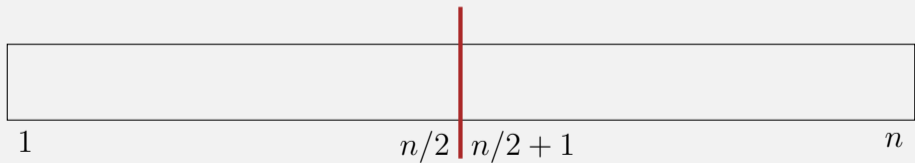
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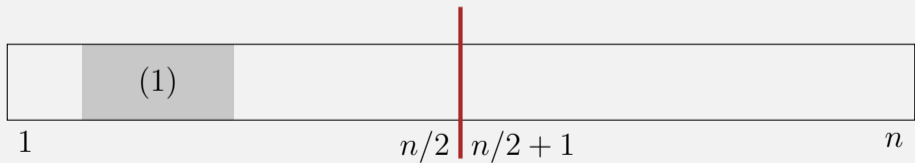
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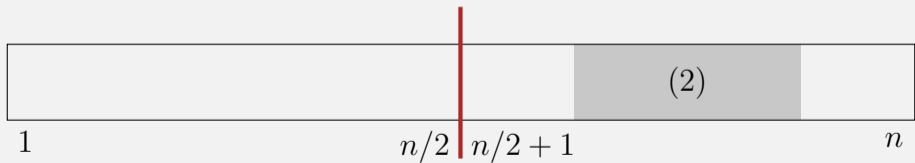




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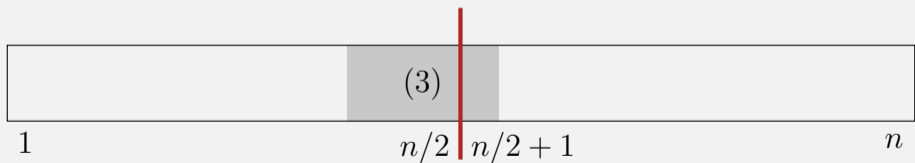
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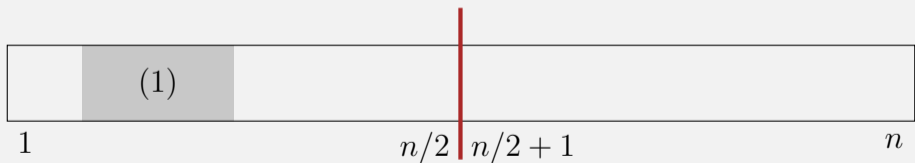
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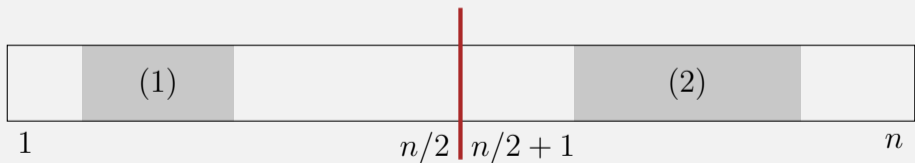
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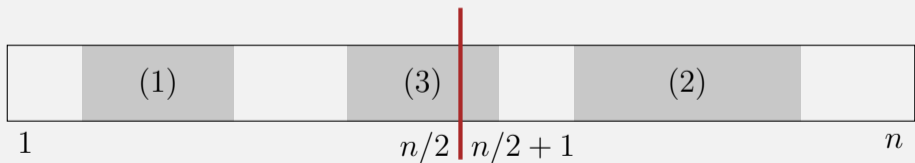
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# Maximum Subarray Divide and Conquer Algorithm

**Input:** A sequence of  $n$  numbers  $(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)$

**Output:** Maximal  $\sum_{k=i'}^{j'} a_k$ .

**if**  $n = 1$  **then**

**return**  $\max\{a_1, 0\}$

**else**

    Divide  $a = (a_1, \dots, a_n)$  in  $A_1 = (a_1, \dots, a_{n/2})$  und  $A_2 = (a_{n/2+1}, \dots, a_n)$

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    Let  $W_3 \leftarrow S + P$

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Recursion equation

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } n = 1 \\ 2T(\frac{n}{2}) + a \cdot n & \text{if } n > 1 \end{cases}$$



# Analysis

Mit  $n = 2^k$ :

$$\bar{T}(k) = \begin{cases} c & \text{if } k = 0 \\ 2\bar{T}(k-1) + a \cdot 2^k & \text{if } k > 0 \end{cases}$$

Solution:

$$\bar{T}(k) = 2^k \cdot c + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} 2^i \cdot a \cdot 2^{k-i} = c \cdot 2^k + a \cdot k \cdot 2^k = \Theta(k \cdot 2^k)$$

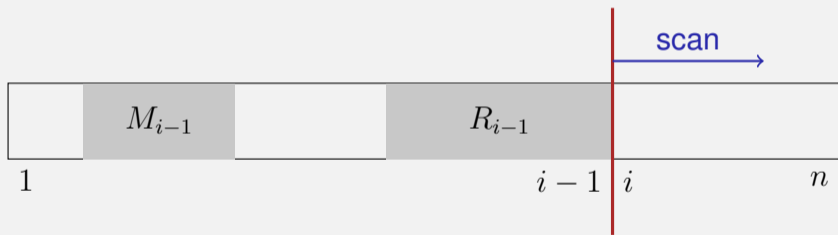
also

$$T(n) = \Theta(n \log n)$$



# Maximum Subarray Sum Problem – Inductively

Assumption: maximal value  $M_{i-1}$  of the subarray sum is known for  $(a_1, \dots, a_{i-1})$  ( $1 < i \leq n$ ).



$a_i$ : generates at most a better interval at the right bound (prefix sum).

$$R_{i-1} \Rightarrow R_i = \max\{R_{i-1} + a_i, 0\}$$

# Inductive Maximum Subarray Algorithm

**Input:** A sequence of  $n$  numbers  $(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)$ .

**Output:**  $\max\{0, \max_{i,j} \sum_{k=i}^j a_k\}$ .

$M \leftarrow 0$

$R \leftarrow 0$

**for**  $i = 1 \dots n$  **do**

$R \leftarrow R + a_i$

**if**  $R < 0$  **then**

$R \leftarrow 0$

**if**  $R > M$  **then**

$M \leftarrow R$

**return**  $M$ ;

# Analysis

## Theorem

*The inductive algorithm for the Maximum Subarray problem conducts a number of  $\Theta(n)$  additions and comparisons.*

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# Complexity of the maximum Subarray Sum Problem

## Theorem

*The Maximum Subarray Sum Problem has Complexity  $\Theta(n)$ .*

Beweis: Inductive algorithm with asymptotic execution time  $\mathcal{O}(n)$ .

Every algorithm has execution time  $\Omega(n)$ .

Thus the complexity of the problem is  $\Omega(n) \cap \mathcal{O}(n) = \Theta(n)$ . ■

## 3.4 Appendix

Derivation of some mathematical formulas

# Sums

$$\sum_{i=0}^n i^2 = \frac{n \cdot (n + 1) \cdot (2n + 1)}{6}$$

Trick:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i^3 - (i - 1)^3 = \sum_{i=0}^n i^3 - \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} i^3 = n^3$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i^3 - (i - 1)^3 = \sum_{i=1}^n i^3 - i^3 + 3i^2 - 3i + 1 = n - \frac{3}{2}n \cdot (n + 1) + 3 \sum_{i=0}^n i^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=0}^n i^2 = \frac{1}{6}(2n^3 + 3n^2 + n) \in \Theta(n^3)$$

Can easily be generalized:  $\sum_{i=1}^n i^k \in \Theta(n^{k+1})$ .

# Geometric Series

$$\sum_{i=0}^n \rho^i \stackrel{!}{=} \frac{1 - \rho^{n+1}}{1 - \rho}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^n \rho^i \cdot (1 - \rho) &= \sum_{i=0}^n \rho^i - \sum_{i=0}^n \rho^{i+1} = \sum_{i=0}^n \rho^i - \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \rho^i \\ &= \rho^0 - \rho^{n+1} = 1 - \rho^{n+1}. \end{aligned}$$

For  $0 \leq \rho < 1$ :

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \rho^i = \frac{1}{1 - \rho}$$