

h.w. assignment problems for submission on Aug 25 (Monday) from Tutorial sheet 1 (not practice probs) 3, 6, 7, 9

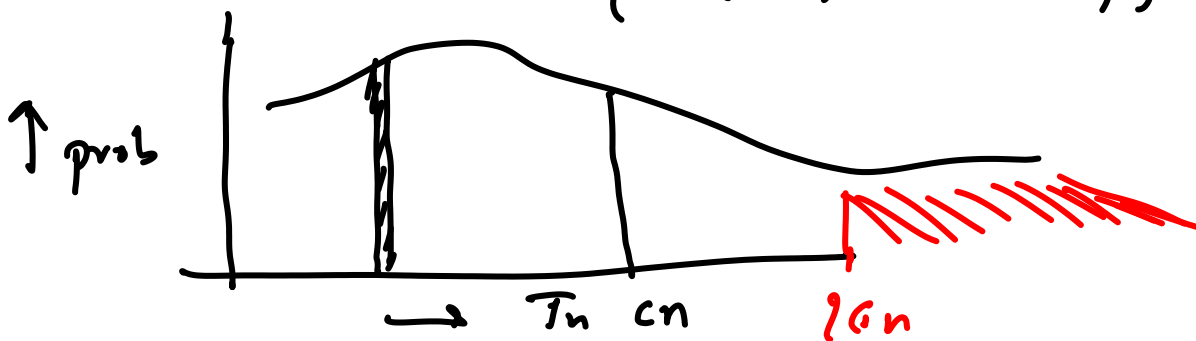
→ What about deterministic algorithms

The previous randomized select algorithm returns the correct element in expected time  $O(n)$ .

$$E[T_n] = c \cdot n \quad c \text{ is a constant}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Prob}[T_n \geq 2 \cdot (c \cdot n)] \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

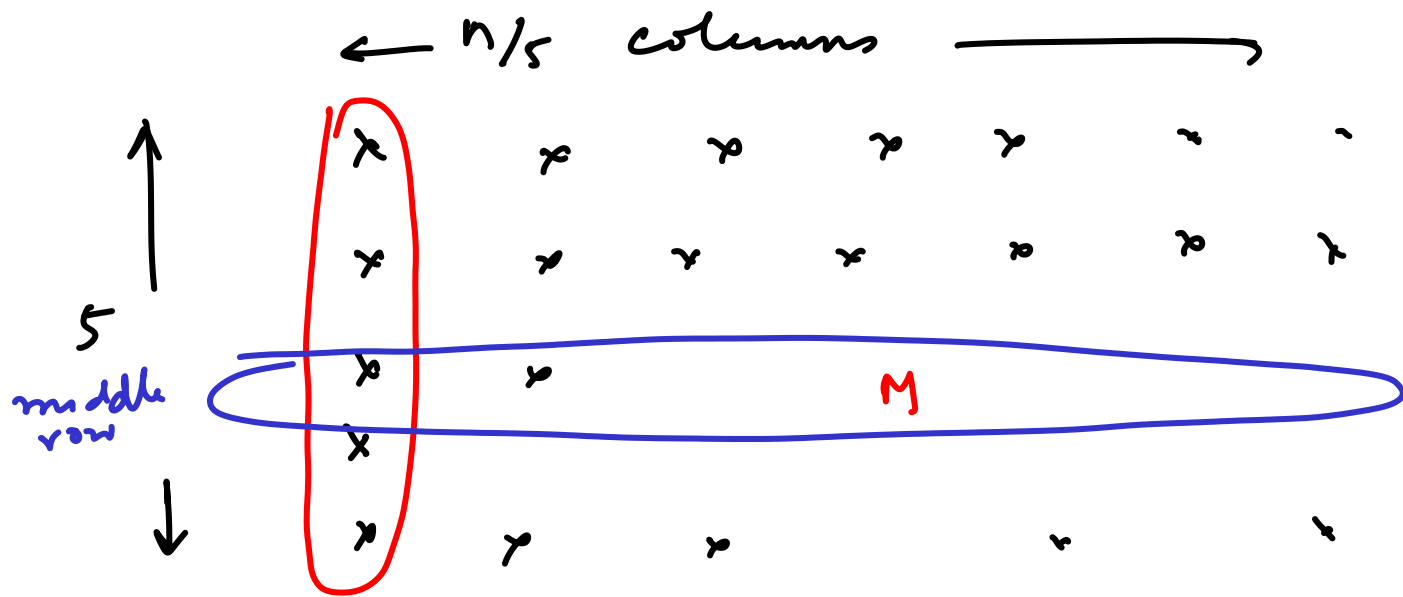
(Markov inequality)



$$P_n [T_n \geq \alpha \cdot E[T_n]] \leq \frac{1}{\alpha}, \quad \alpha \geq 1$$

How do we find a 'good' pivot (splitter) "Prune and Search"

We group the elements in columns of size  $\underline{5}$



We sort the columns :  $O(1) \cdot \frac{n}{5} = O(n)$

After sorting consider the middle row of  $\frac{n}{5}$  elements. Find  $M$ : median of the  $\frac{n}{5}$  elements

Observation  $\frac{n}{10} \leq \text{Rank}(M, S) \leq \frac{3n}{4}$

Suppose  $T(n)$  is the time for selection among  $n$  elements (worst over  $k$ )

$$T(n) \leq O(n) + T\left(\frac{n}{5}\right) + T\left(\frac{3n}{4}\right)$$

↑ initial sorting of columns      ↑ recursively find median      ↑ recursively call on at most  $3n/4$

$$T(1) = O(1)$$

$$T(n) \leq c \cdot n \quad c \text{ is some constant}$$

→ hw exercise      Verify using induction

→ what if we used  $T\left(\frac{9n}{10}\right)$  instead of  $T\left(\frac{3n}{4}\right)$

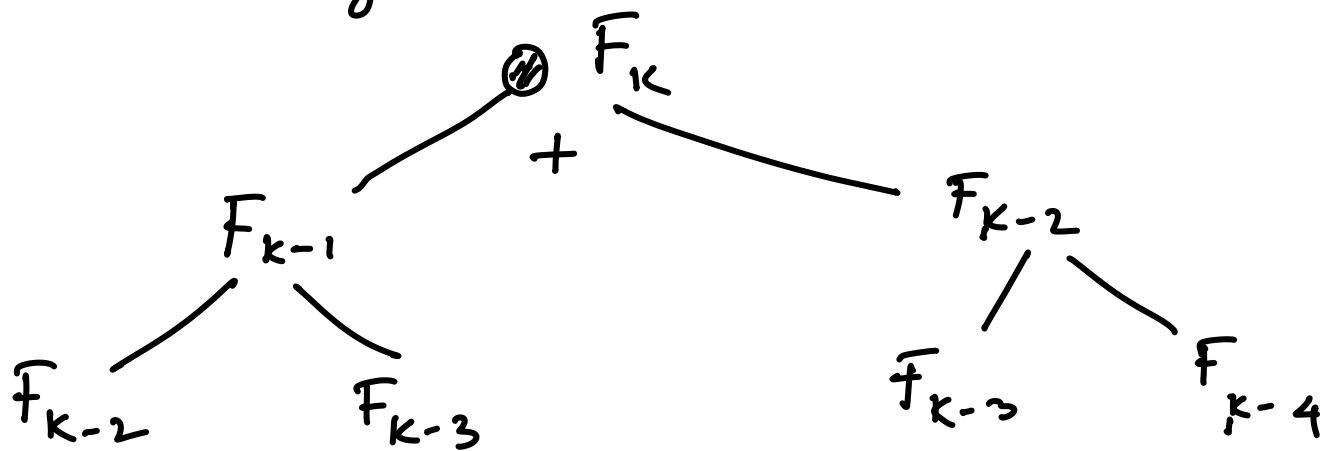
How do we compute Fibonacci numbers

i.e. given  $k$ , find  $F_k$

$$F_0 = 0 \quad F_1 = 1 \quad F_2 = 1, \quad F_3 = 2 \dots$$

$$F_i = F_{i-1} + F_{i-2}$$

• Apply the recurrence



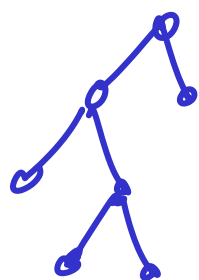
$F_0 \quad F_1 \quad \dots \quad F_1 \quad F_0$

$T(n)$  = cost of computing  $F_n$

$$T(n) = T(n-1) + T(n-2) + O(1)$$

$T(n)$  is roughly the # internal nodes

In a binary tree # internal nodes  
(0 or 2 children) = # Leaf nodes - 1



What is the # leaf nodes  
in the recursion tree  
for Fibonacci?

"Roughly" - the value of  $F_k$

$$F_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} (\phi^n - \hat{\phi}^n)$$

$$\phi = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \quad \hat{\phi} = 1 - \phi$$

$$\sim 2^n$$

Too large for  
realistic computation

What is a better way?

Iteratively compute  $F_k$

from  $F_0, F_1, F_2, \dots, F_3 \dots F_k$

Each iteration takes  $O(1)$  time

$\Rightarrow O(k)$  operations

Each operation is addition of two Fibonacci num

$|F_n| \sim n$   
# of bits

The last addition will take  $\Omega(n)$  time

Suppose addition takes  $O(|x| + |y|)$  time to add  $x + y$

Then computing Fibonacci nos will take time  $\sum_{i=1}^n O(i) = O(n^2)$

Running time is a function of the

input size

Input size for computing  $F_n$

$$|n| = \log_2 n$$

The lower bound for any algorithm is (input size + output size)

The running time of iterative Fib

is  $\left( \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ n \text{ bits}}}{\text{output + input size}} \right)^2$

Can we compute Fibonacci  
faster?

(Tue 9 extra  
lecture)

$$\begin{bmatrix} F_n \\ F_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} F_{n-1} \\ F_{n-2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} F_{n-2} \\ F_{n-3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \dots \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^k \cdot \begin{bmatrix} F_1 \\ F_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$k \sim n$$

How quickly can we compute  $A^k$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

In about  $\log n$  matrix multiplications  
we need to do more detailed  
analysis of each multiplication  
because the individual entries could  
be quite large!