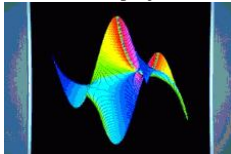


Guaranteed Precision Evaluation of D-finite Functions

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NumGfun

- ▶ A Maple package for symbolic-numeric computation with D-finite functions and sequences in one variable
 - ▶ Guaranteed precision evaluation
 - ▶ Bounds for sequences
 - ▶ ...
- ▶ Version 0.2 available (still experimental!), LGPL
<http://www.marc.mezzarobba.net/code/NumGfun-current.tgz>
- ▶ Integration into [gfun](#) / [algotlib](#) in progress
<http://algo.inria.fr/libraries/>



Bruno Salvy and Paul Zimmermann, Gfun: a Maple package for the manipulation of generating and holonomic functions in one variable, 1994.

Bound Computations

▶ Baxter permutations

- ▶ $(n+2)(n+3)B_n = (7n^2 + 7n - 2)B_{n-1} + 8(n-1)(n-2)B_{n-2}$,
 $B_0 = B_1 = 1$
- ▶ $B_n \leq (n+8)^8 8^n$

▶
$$t_k = \frac{(-1)^k (6k)! (13591409 + 545140134k)}{(3k)! (k!)^3 640320^{3k}}$$

▶
$$\frac{12}{640320^{3/2}} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} t_k = \frac{1}{\pi} \quad (\text{Chudnovsky}^2 \text{ 1988})$$

▶
$$\left| \frac{640320^{3/2}}{12\pi} - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} t_k \right| \leq (0.1n^4 + 0.5n^3 + 1.5n^2 + 2.1n + 1)\alpha^n$$

where
$$\alpha = \frac{1}{151931373056000} \simeq 0,66 \cdot 10^{-14}$$

Function Evaluation

A Familiar Example

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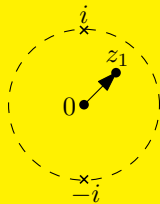
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→ **BOUNDS**
 - ▶ Van der Hoeven 1999, 2001, 2003, 2006
 - ▶ Previous slide: work in progress with B. Salvy
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Algorithms

“If y is D-finite, this strategy (sum the Taylor series) is competitive”

Binary splitting (Chudnovsky² 1988):

a family of algorithms that are

- ▶ General: whole class of D-finite functions
- ▶ Efficient: quasi-linear time complexity w.r.t. size of output
- ▶ Practical
- ▶ Actually used... in special cases only!
(NumGfun = first general implementation?)

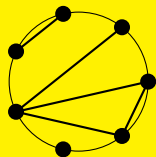


D.V. and G.V. Chudnovsky. Approximations and complex multiplication according to Ramanujan. 1988.

Recurrence Unrolling

An Example from Combinatorics

Motzkin Numbers



$$(n + 3) M_{n+2} = 3n M_n + (2n + 3) M_{n+1},$$

$$M_0 = 0, M_1 = M_2 = 1$$

$$M_{1\,000\,000} = 87836485521410228205552857212867952$$

$$60648460114018772686310027332206011651992742068$$

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$$74956942565741376149791829585290393680786291940$$

(477 112 digits)

0, 1, 1, 2, 4,
9, 21, 51,
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Polynomially Recursive Sequences

Definition

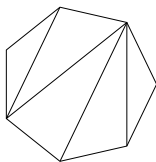
A sequence $(u_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is said to be **P-recursive**, or holonomic, if it satisfies a linear (homogenous) recurrence relation with polynomial coefficients:

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The previous sequences are P-recursive.

More Examples

- ▶ Catalan Numbers $C_n = \frac{1}{n+1} \binom{2n}{n}$
 - ▶ Count Dyck words of length $2n$, triangulations of the convex n -gon...
 - ▶ $(n+2)C_{n+1} = (4n+2)C_n$,
 $C_0 = 1$



- ▶ Computing $\Gamma(z)$ for $z \in \mathbb{Q}[i]$

- ▶ Wlog take $1 \leq \operatorname{Re} z \leq 2$

- ▶ $\Gamma(z) = \int_0^\infty e^{-t} t^{z-1} dt$

the partial sums
are P-recursive

$$= k^z e^{-k} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{z \uparrow^{(n+1)}} k^n + \int_k^\infty e^{-t} t^{z-1} dt$$

- ▶ Use bounds on the integral and the rest of the series to conclude

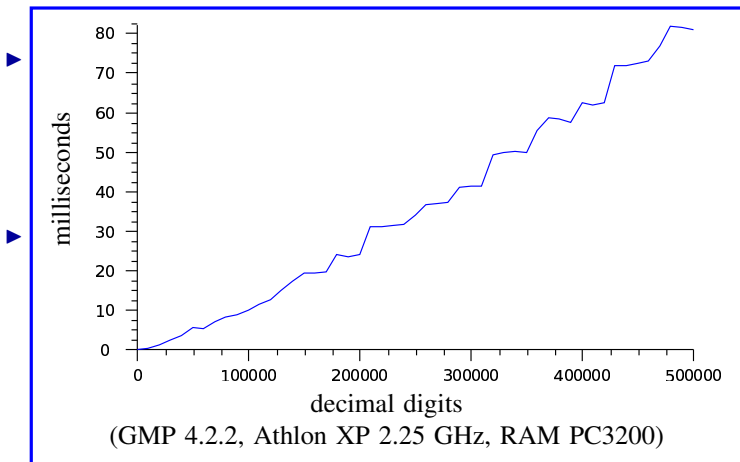
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- ▶ Reduce other operations to $O(\log n)$ or even $O(1)$ multiplications
 - ▶ Division: $O(M(n))$ (using Newton's method)
 - ▶ Gcd: $O(M(n) \log n)$
("that's a lot" \rightarrow avoid gcd computations!)

Matrix Form of Recurrences

► $a_s(n) u_{n+s} + \cdots + a_1(n) u_{n+1} + a_0(n) u_n = 0$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} u_{n+1} \\ \vdots \\ u_{n+s-1} \\ u_{n+s} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ \square & \square & \dots & \square \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_n \\ \vdots \\ u_{n+s-2} \\ u_{n+s-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

rational functions
of n

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polynomials
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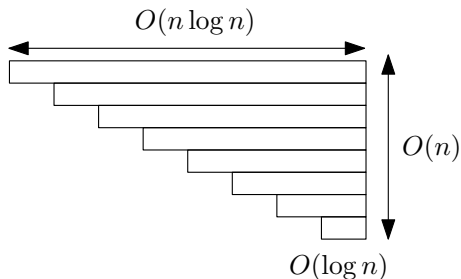
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$$\blacktriangleright \begin{bmatrix} u_N \\ \vdots \\ u_{N+s-1} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{A(N-1) \cdots A(0)}{q(N-1) \cdots q(0)} \begin{bmatrix} u_0 \\ \vdots \\ u_{s-1} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{“Matrix factorial”}$$

Binary Splitting

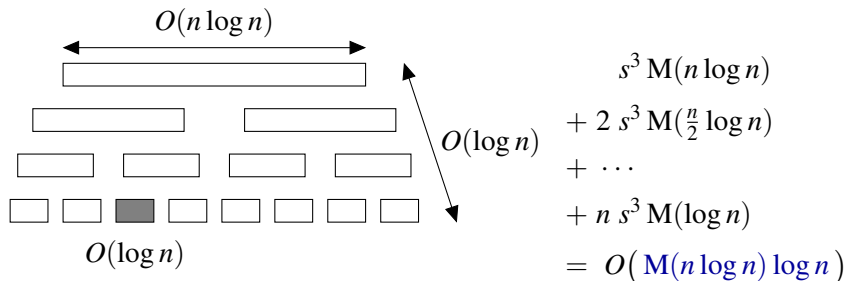
$$A(n-1) \cdots A(1) \cdot A(0)$$



Naive product:
 $\Omega(n^2 \log n)$

Binary Splitting

$$A(n-1) \cdots A(1) \cdot A(0) \\ = (A(n-1) \cdots A(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1)) \cdot (A(\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor) \cdots A(0))$$



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Elementary and Special Functions

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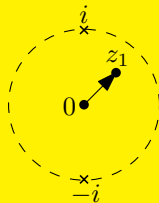
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Differentially Finite Functions

Definition

A function $y(z) : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ is said to be **D-finite** (or **holonomic**) if it is solution to an (homogenous) linear differential equation with polynomial coefficients:

$$a_r(z) y^{(r)}(z) + \cdots + a_1(z) y'(z) + a_0(z) y(z) = 0, \quad a_j \in \mathbb{Q}(i)[z].$$

Examples:

- ▶ Elementary and special functions: $\arctan(z)$, $\cos(z)$, $\text{Ai}(z)$, $\text{erf}(z)$, algebraic functions, hypergeometric functions...
- ▶ More general D-finite function arise in combinatorics, analysis of algorithms and number theory

D-finite Functions, P-recursive Sequences

Why Are They Interesting?

$$y(z) = \arctan(z) \quad \leftrightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} (1 + z^2) y''(z) + 2z y'(z) &= 0 \\ y(0) = 0, y'(0) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Some properties:

- ▶ An analytic function is D-finite iff the sequence of its Taylor coefficients is P-recursive
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Motto

Differential Equation + Initial Values = Data Structure
(Recurrence Relation)

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Solution Space & Radius of Convergence

Cauchy's Existence Theorem for LODE

If $a_r(z_0) \neq 0$, analytic solutions (in the neighborhood of z_0) of

$$a_r(z) y^{(r)}(z) + \cdots + a_1(z) y'(z) + a_0(z) y(z) = 0$$

form an r -dimensional vector space.

Moreover, their Taylor series in z_0 converge (at least) in a disk extending to the nearest zero of a_r .

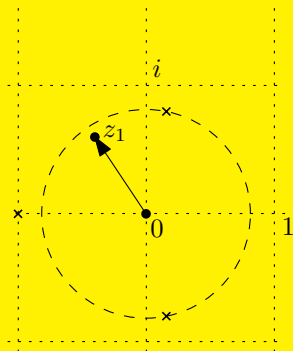
Arbitrary D-finite Functions

A Random Example

$$(z + 1)(3z^2 - z + 2)y''' + (5z^3 + 4z^2 + 2z + 4)y'' + (z + 1)(4z^2 + z + 2)y' + (4z^3 + 2z^2 + 5)y = 0$$

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$$z_1 = \frac{-2 + 3i}{5}$$

Algorithm

Evaluation of D-finite Functions Inside their Disk of Convergence

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► Recurrence for the **Taylor coefficients**

► Indeterminate coefficients:

$$y(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n z^n$$

$$\frac{d}{dz} y(z) = \sum_n (n+1) y_{n+1} z^n$$

$$z \cdot y(z) = \sum_n y_{n-1} z^n$$

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- ▶ Matrix form, binary splitting

Complexity

How Many Terms Do We Need?

► Goal: $\left| y(z) - \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} y_n z^n \right| \leq 10^{-d}$

► If $|y_n| \leq \alpha^n \overbrace{\phi(n)}^{\exp o(n)}$ then $\left| \sum_{n=N}^{\infty} y_n z^n \right| \leq |\alpha z|^N \overbrace{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \phi(N+n) |\alpha z|^n}^{\exp o(N)}$

► Convergence radius: $\rho = 1 / \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} |y_n|^{1/n}$
 \implies best possible $\alpha = 1/\rho$

► Conclusion: $N \simeq \frac{d}{\log(\rho/|z|)}$

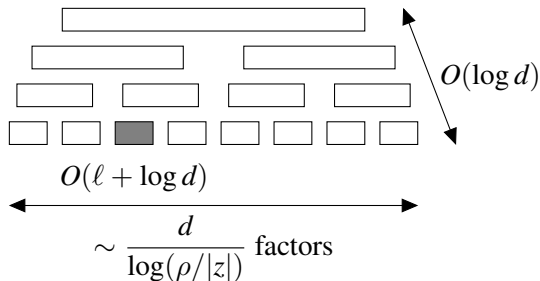
(And we can actually **compute** such an N .)

Complexity

Binary Splitting

When computing $y(z_1)$, the final recurrence involves z_1

$$\ell = \text{size}(z_1)$$



$$M \left(\frac{d (\ell + \log d)}{\log(\rho/|z|)} \right) \log d = \begin{cases} O(\mathbf{M}(d \log^2 d)) & \text{if } \ell = O(\log d) \\ \Omega(n^2) & \text{if } \ell = d \end{cases}$$

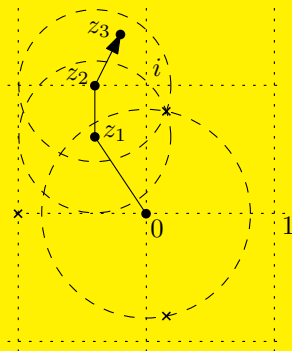
Limitations: $|z_1| < \rho$; $\ell = O(\log d)$

Numerical Analytic Continuation

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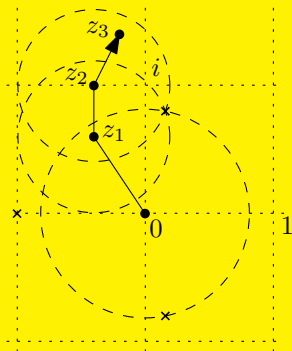
$$z_3 = \frac{-1 + 7i}{5}$$

Transition Matrices (Between Ordinary Points)

$$(z+1)(3z^2 - z + 2)y''' + (5z^3 + 4z^2 + 2z + 4)y'' + (z+1)(4z^2 + z + 2)y' + (4z^3 + 2z^2 + 5)y = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} y(z_3) \\ y'(z_3) \\ y''(z_3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \\ \\ \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y(0) \\ y'(0) \\ y''(0) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.229919181 & -0.710776494 & -1.680450593 \\ +1.222484838i & +1.559848144i & +0.8612944465i \\ 2.192415163 & 1.428307159 & 1.683681888 \\ -0.982260350i & +1.237636972i & +1.443224767i \\ -0.810105380 & 0.949416034 & -0.309094585 \\ -0.813018670i & -0.368995278i & -0.032241130i \end{bmatrix}$$



$$z_3 = \frac{-1 + 7i}{5}$$

Effective Analytic Continuation

- ▶ Solution basis at z_0

$$y_{[z_0,j]}(z) = (z - z_0)^j + \square \cdot (z - z_0)^r + \dots \quad j \in \llbracket 0, r - 1 \rrbracket$$

- ▶ Transition matrix

$$M_{z_0 \rightarrow z_1} = \begin{bmatrix} y_{[z_0,0]}(z_1) & \dots & y_{[z_0,r-1]}(z_1) \\ y'_{[z_0,0]}(z_1) & \dots & y'_{[z_0,r-1]}(z_1) \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{1}{(r-1)!} y_{[z_0,0]}^{(r-1)}(z_1) & \dots & \frac{1}{(r-1)!} y_{[z_0,r-1]}^{(r-1)}(z_1) \end{bmatrix}$$

- ▶ Composition of transition matrices
= analytic continuation

$$M_{z_0 \rightarrow z_1 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow z_m} = M_{z_{m-1} \rightarrow z_m} \cdots M_{z_1 \rightarrow z_2} \cdot M_{z_0 \rightarrow z_1}$$

Points of Large Bit Size

$\operatorname{erf}(\pi) \simeq 0.9999911238536323583947316207812029447123820815$
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9560099884058213492947592606412648383713291083934904913
3976893748259243076371780227275937091363807381587573107

(Bounds not fully implemented yet for this case)

The “Bit Burst” Algorithm

Analytic continuation along

$$z_0 = 0 \rightarrow z_1 = 0.a_1$$

$$\rightarrow z_2 = 0.a_1a_2a_3$$

$$\rightarrow z_3 = 0.a_1a_2a_3a_4a_5a_6a_7$$

$$\rightarrow z_4 = 0.a_1a_2a_3a_4a_5a_6a_7a_8a_9a_{10}a_{11}a_{12}a_{13}a_{14}a_{15}$$

$$\rightarrow \dots$$

$$\rightarrow z = 0.a_1a_2 \dots \dots \dots a_n$$

$$|z_{j+1} - z_j| \leq 2^{2-j}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Step } j} \quad O\left(M\left(\frac{n(\ell + \log n)}{\log(\rho/|\delta z|)} \log n\right)\right) \quad \begin{cases} \ell = O(2^j) \\ |\delta z| \leq 2^{2-j} \end{cases}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Total cost}} \quad O\left(\sum_{j=0}^{O(\log n)} M\left(\frac{n(2^j + \log n)}{2^j} \log n\right)\right) = O(M(n \log^2 n))$$

Some Remarks on Constant Factors

Constant Factors

- ▶ At each node of the binary splitting tree, we are multiplying matrices with coefficients in $\mathbb{Z} / \mathbb{Q} / \mathbb{Q}(i) / \dots$
(or actually elements of any [torsion-free] module-finite \mathbb{Z} -algebra)
- ▶ In the end the whole computation reduces to additions and multiplications of (huge) integers
- ▶ To improve the complexity by a constant factor:
do less multiplications
 - ▶ “Constant”: we regard the order of the recurrence (and thus of the matrices) as fixed
 - ▶ $M(n) \gg n \implies$ trade “actual” multiplications for additions / multiplications by constants

(choose a nice algebra to work in and find an algorithm of low quadratic complexity for this algebra)

A First Example

Spare 20% on Binary Splitting in $\mathbb{Q}(i)$

Karatsuba :

$$(x + iy)(x' + iy') = (u - v) + i(w - u - v)$$

where
$$\begin{cases} u = xx' \\ v = yy' \\ w = (x + y)(x' + y') \end{cases}$$

$3 + 1$ (denominators) = 4 **multiplications** instead of 5

(More generally, for \mathbb{K} of characteristic 0, we can multiply elements of $\mathbb{K}[X]/\langle Q \rangle$ using $2 \deg Q - 1$ multiplications in \mathbb{K} [Toom-Cook].)

Matrix Multiplication

- ▶ Theory: $O(s^\omega)$, where $\omega < 2.376$ (Coppersmith-Winograd)
- ▶ “Practical” for $s > 10^{50}$ or 10^{100} ...

- ▶ We are interested in fast (less multiplications) algorithms for small sizes
- ▶ Usual “bilinear” algorithms work over any ring
- ▶ Commutative ring \implies we may also use “quadratic” algorithms

- ▶ Classical question
- ▶ Already for 3×3 the best bilinear / quadratic algorithms are not known

Multiplication of Small Matrices

Size	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Naive	8	27	64	125	216	343	512	729	1000
NCom	7	23	49	100	161	273	343	529	700
Com	7	22	46	93	141	235	316	473	595

Size	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Naive	1331	1728	2197	2744	3375	4096	4913	5832	6859
NCom	992	1125	1580	1778	2300	2401	3218	3342	4369
Com	831	987	1333	1561	2003	2212	2865	3231	3943

- ▶ Strassen 1977:

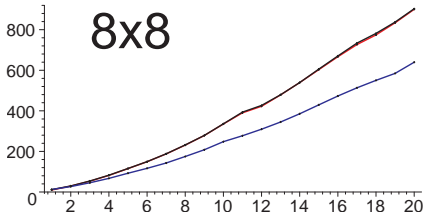
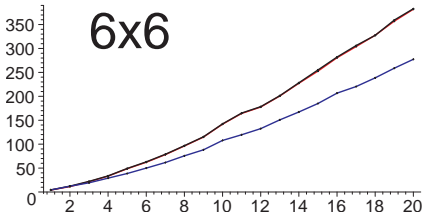
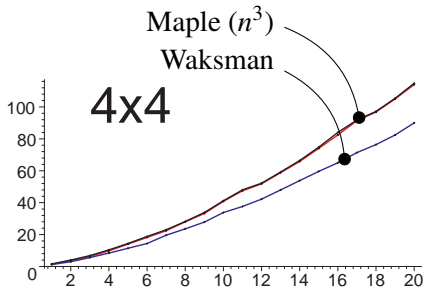
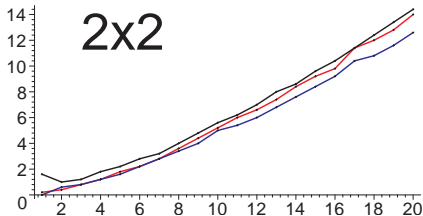
2×2 in 7 (non commutative) mul.

- ▶ Waksman 1970:

$n \times n$ in $n^2 \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + (2n - 1) \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \simeq \frac{n^3}{2} + n^2 - \frac{n}{2}$ commutative mul.

Matrix Product in Maple 10

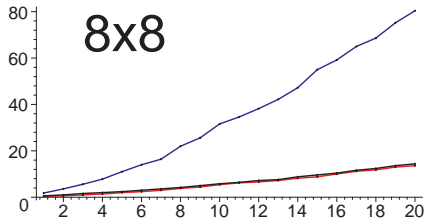
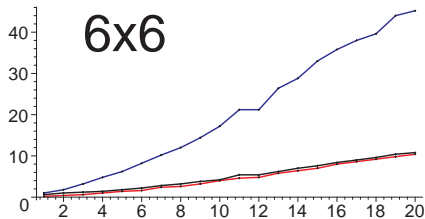
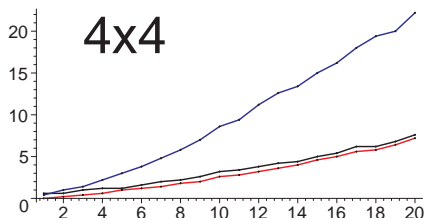
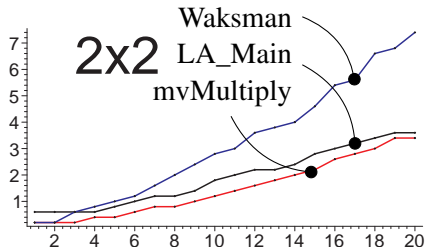
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Entry size (1,000's of decimal digits) / Time (arbitrary unit)

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Companion Matrices



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An Alternative Matrix Form for Recurrences

Assume $L = L_k \cdots L_1$ with $L_j = S^{r_j} - c_{r_j-1}^{[j]} S^{r_j-1} - \cdots - c_0^{[j]}$

$$L \cdot u = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 u^{[1]} &= L_1 \cdot u & u_{n+r_0} &= c_0^{[0]} u_n + \cdots + c_{r_0-1}^{[0]} u_{n+r_0-1} + u_n^{[1]} \\
 u^{[2]} &= L_2 \cdot u^{[1]} & u_{n+r_1}^{[1]} &= c_0^{[1]} u_n^{[1]} + \cdots + c_{r_1-1}^{[1]} u_{n+r_1-1}^{[1]} + u_n^{[0]} \\
 &\vdots & & \\
 u^{[k]} &= L_k \cdot u^{[k-1]} & u_{n+r_k}^{[k]} &= c_0^{[k]} u_n^{[k]} + \cdots + c_{r_k-1}^{[k]} u_{n+r_k-1}^{[k]} = 0 \\
 &= 0 & &
 \end{aligned}$$

Example: for partial sums of P-recursive $L = (S - 1)L'$

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