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CS141: Intermediate Data Structures and Algorithms

Divide and Conquer: Design and Analysis

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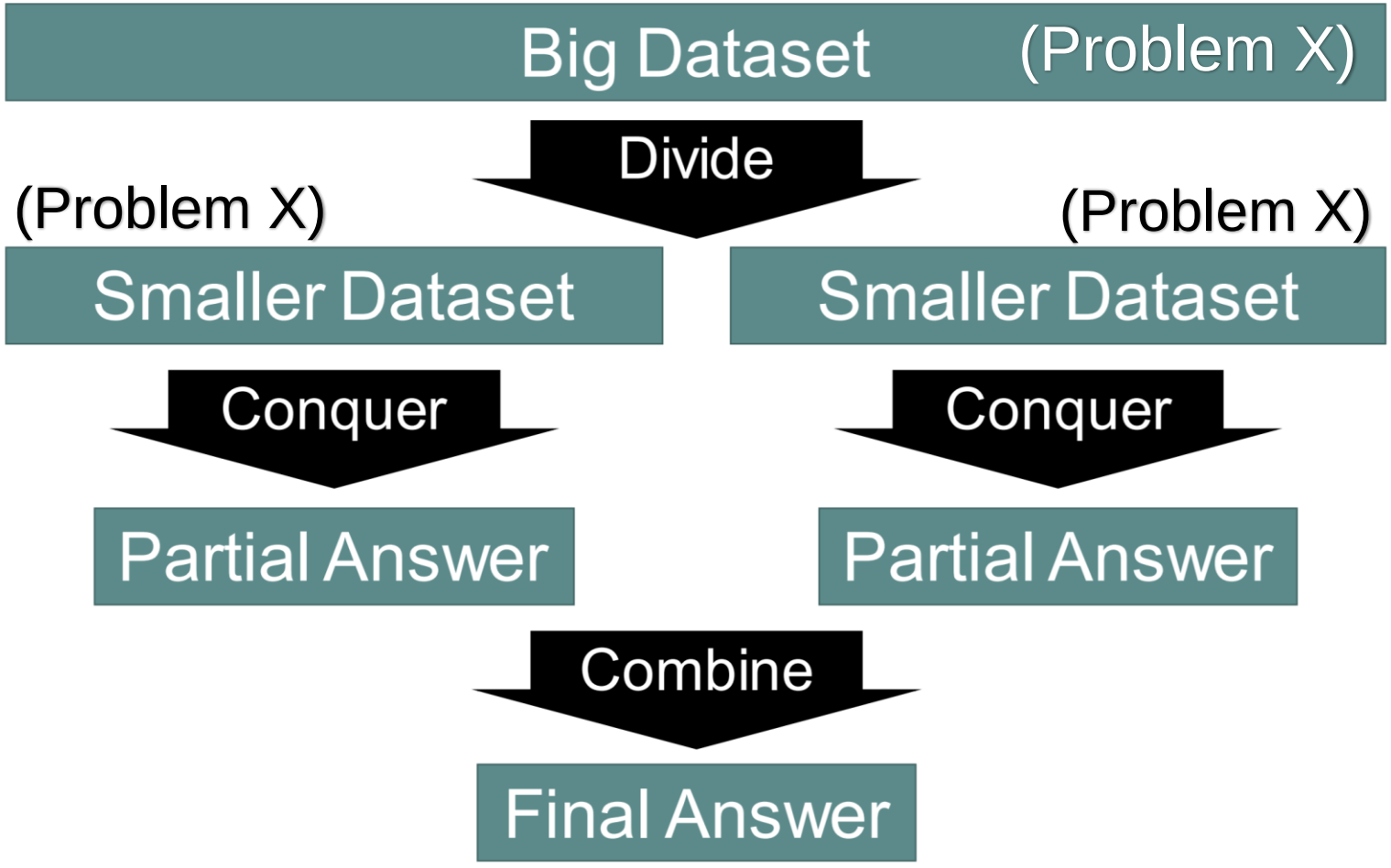
Divide-and-Conquer (D&C)



Merge Sort

```
MERGE-SORT(A, p, r)
  if p < r                                  // check for base case
      q = ⌊(p + r)/2⌋                       // divide
      MERGE-SORT(A, p, q)                   // conquer
      MERGE-SORT(A, q + 1, r)               // conquer
      MERGE(A, p, q, r)                     // combine
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Merge Sort

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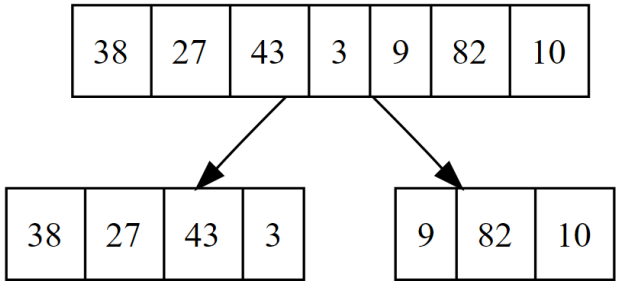

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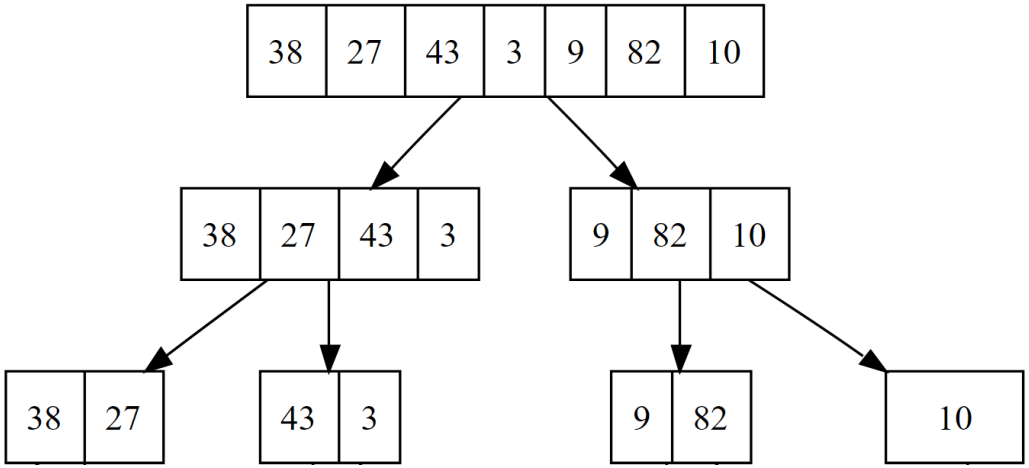

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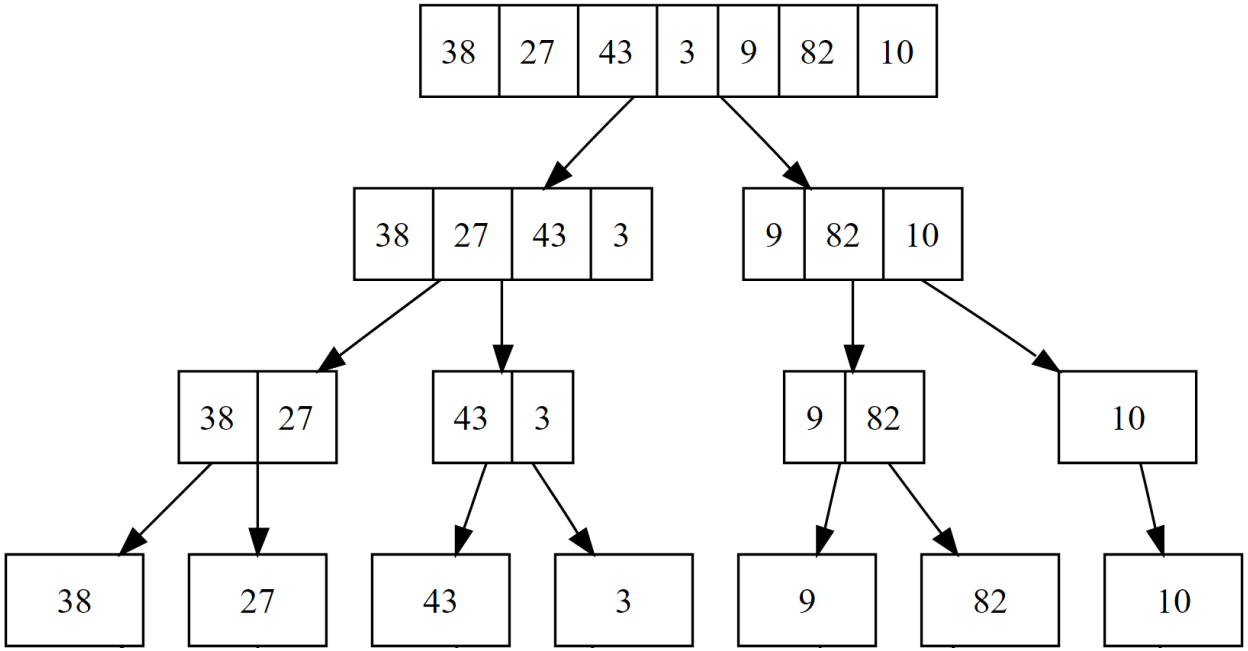

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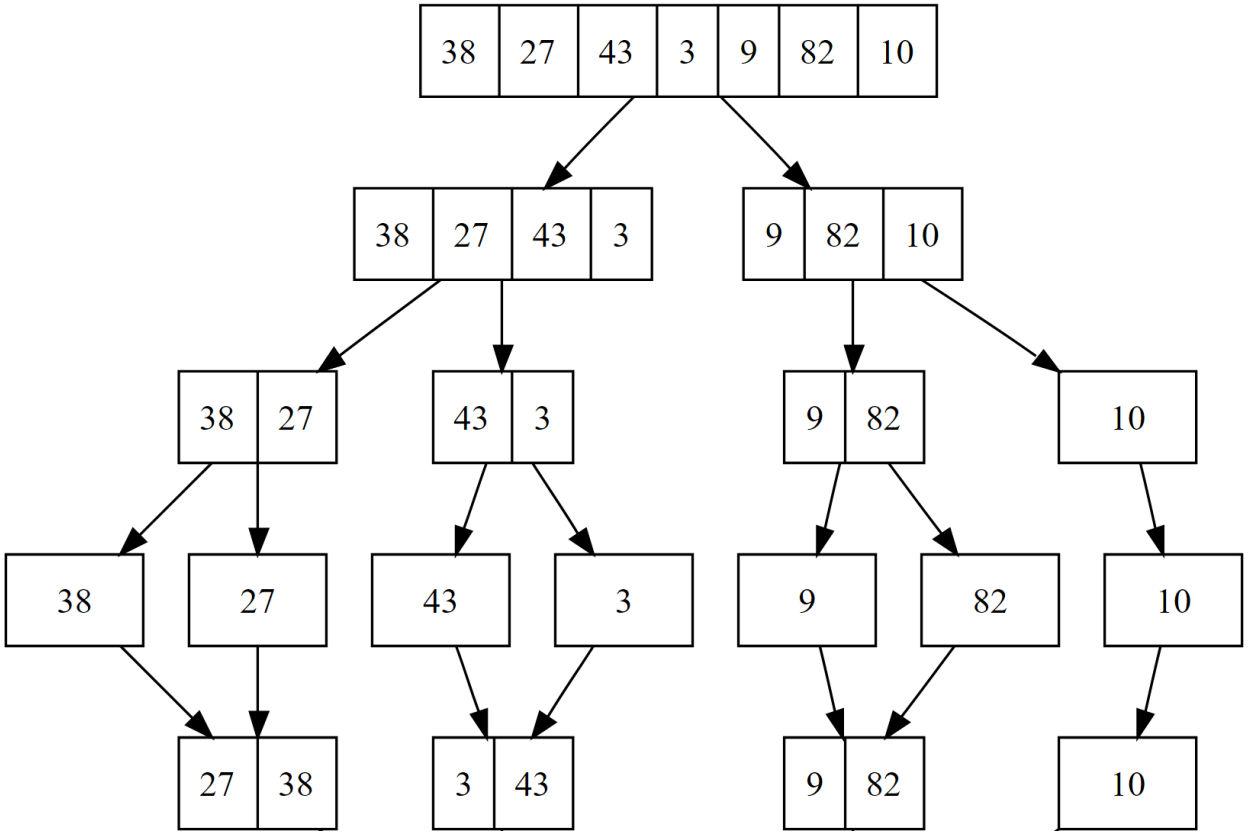
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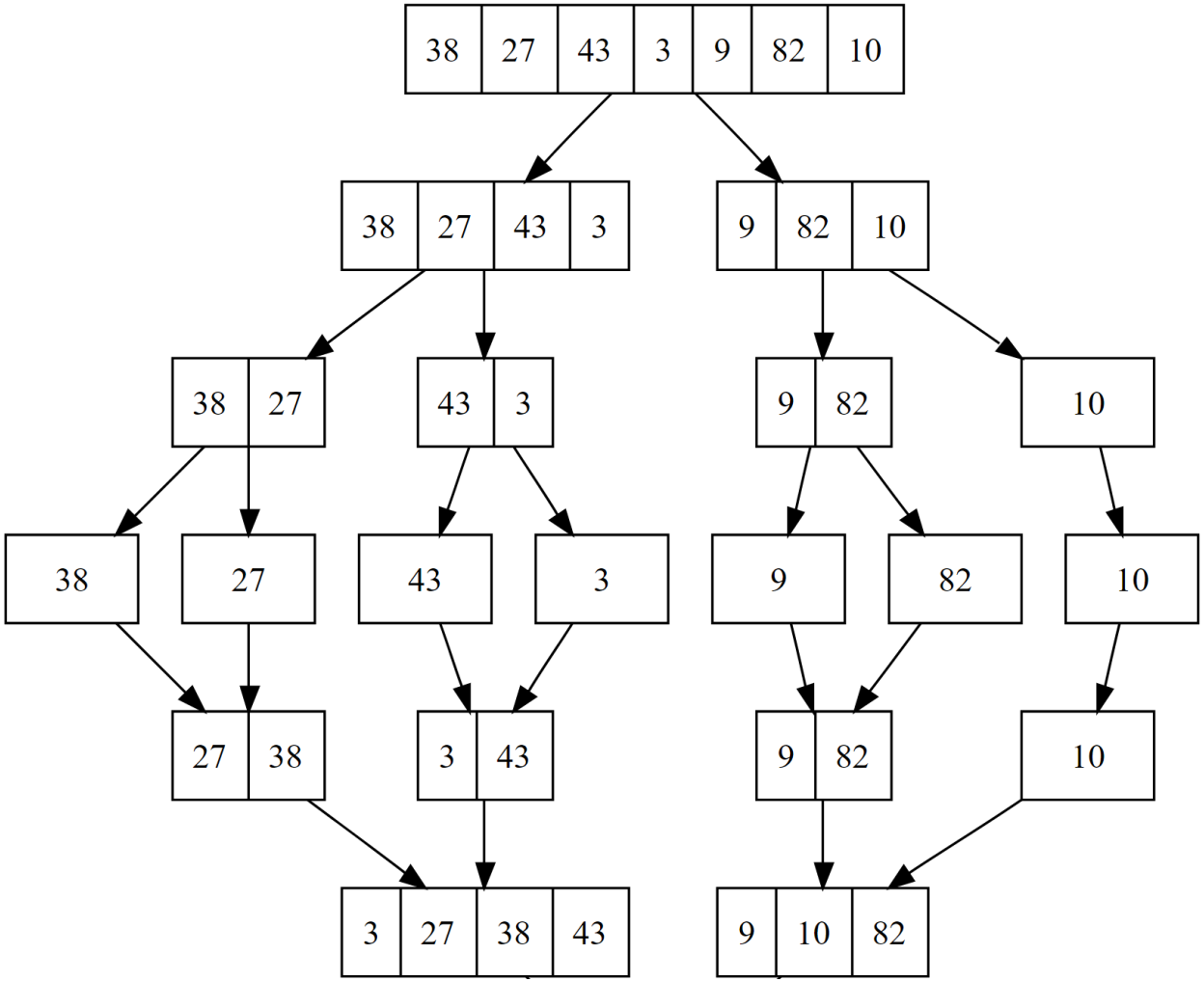
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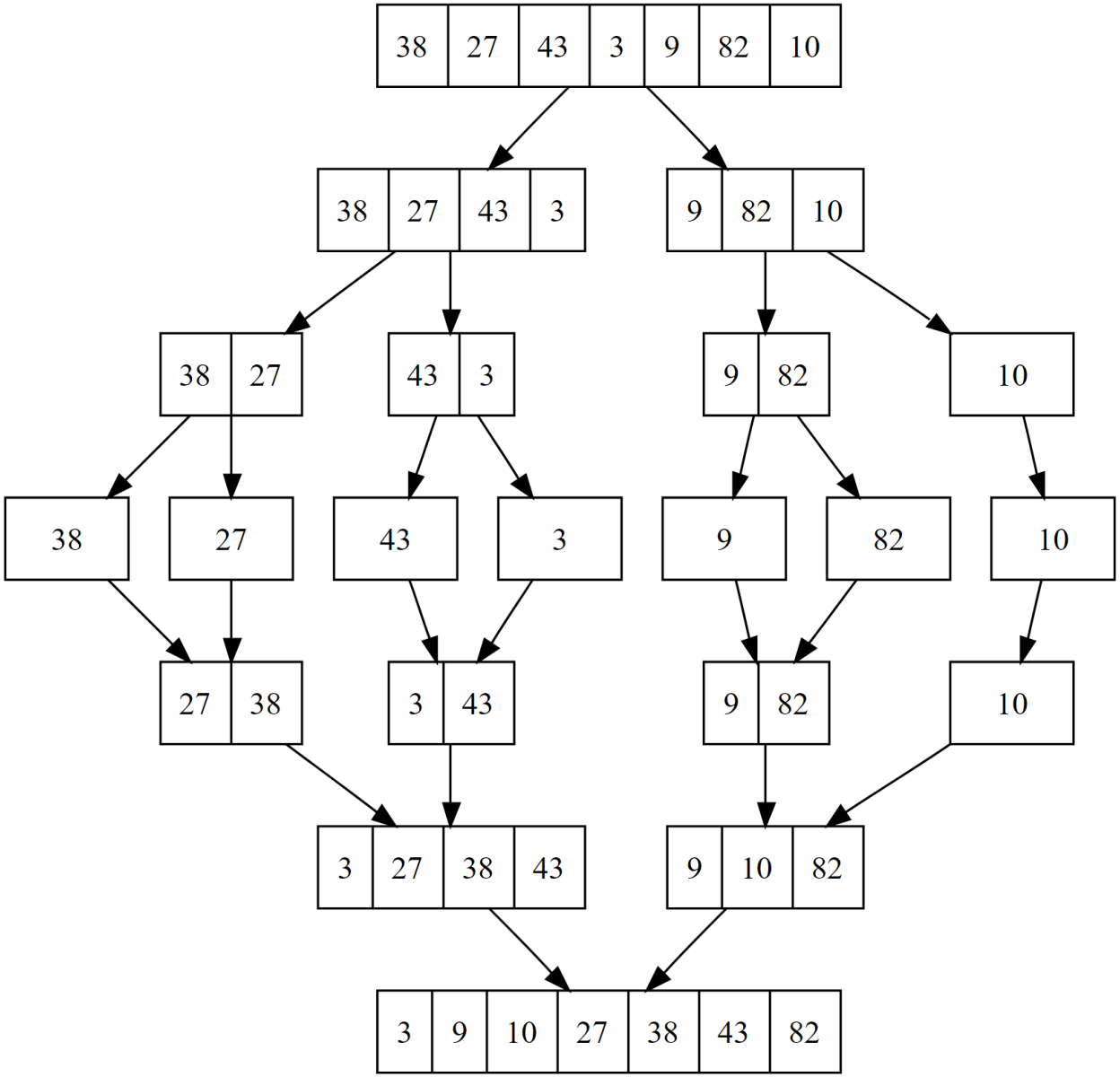
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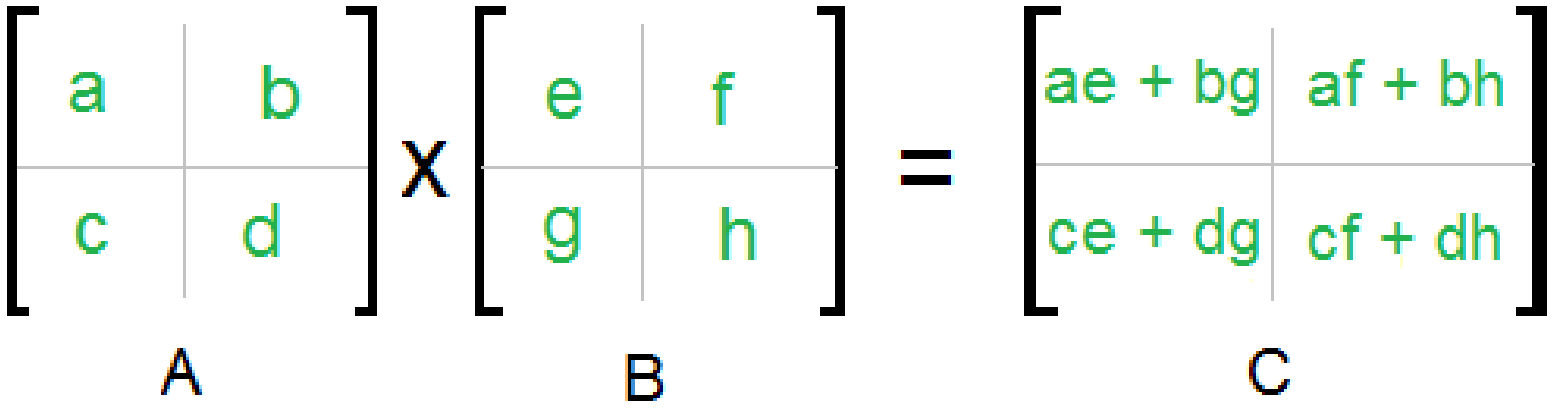
Matrix Multiplication



Matrix Multiplication

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} e & f \\ g & h \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ae + bg & af + bh \\ ce + dg & cf + dh \end{bmatrix}$$

A B C

A, B and C are square metrices of size N x N
a, b, c and d are submatrices of A, of size N/2 x N/2
e, f, g and h are submatrices of B, of size N/2 x N/2

Simple Matrix Multiplication

```
SQUARE-MAT-MULT(A, B, n)
  let C be a new n × n matrix
  for i = 1 to n
      for j = 1 to n
          c_ij = 0
          for k = 1 to n
              c_ij = c_ij + a_ik · b_kj
  return C
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$$T(n) = \Theta(n^3)$$

D&C Matrix Multiplication

- $A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{bmatrix},$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

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

D&C Matrix Multiplication

REC-MAT-MULT(A, B, n)

let C be a new $n \times n$ matrix
if $n == 1$
    $c_{11} = a_{11} \cdot b_{11}$
else partition A, B, and C into $n/2 \times n/2$ submatrices
    $C_{11} =$ REC-MAT-MULT$(A_{11}, B_{11}, n/2)$ + REC-MAT-MULT$(A_{12}, B_{21}, n/2)$
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return C

- Implementation details
  - Partitioning matrices: index calculation not copying
- Is this faster than $\Theta(n^3)$? How to analyze a recursive algorithm?

Analyzing Recursive Algorithms

1. Determine the recursive relation
2. Analyze the complexity of the recursive relation
   - Two methods:
     - Recursive tree expansion (or substitution method)
     - Master theorem

Analyzing Recursive Algorithms: Merge Sort

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      MERGE-SORT(A, p, q)
      MERGE-SORT(A, q + 1, r)
      MERGE(A, p, q, r)
```

Analyzing Recursive Algorithms: Merge Sort


```
MERGE-SORT(A, p, r) ..... T(n)
  if p < r ..... Θ(1)
      q = ⌊(p + r)/2⌋ ..... Θ(1)
      MERGE-SORT(A, p, q) ..... T(n/2)
      MERGE-SORT(A, q + 1, r) ..... T(n/2)
      MERGE(A, p, q, r) ..... Θ(?)
```

Merge Operation

MERGE(A, p, q, r)

```
 1  n1 = q − p + 1
 2  n2 = r − q
 3  let L[1..n1 + 1] and R[1..n2 + 1] be new arrays
 4  for i = 1 to n1
 5      L[i] = A[p + i − 1]
 6  for j = 1 to n2
 7      R[j] = A[q + j]
 8  L[n1 + 1] = ∞
 9  R[n2 + 1] = ∞
10  i = 1
11  j = 1
12  for k = p to r
13      if L[i] ≤ R[j]
14          A[k] = L[i]
15          i = i + 1
16      else A[k] = R[j]
17          j = j + 1
```

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```
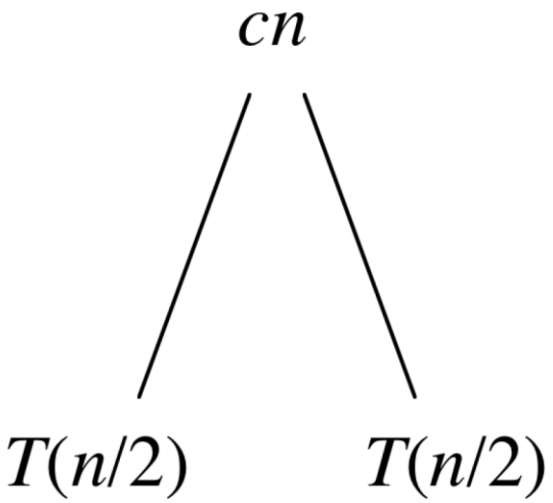

$T(n) = \Theta(1) + \Theta(1) + T(n/2) + T(n/2) + \Theta(n)$

$T(n) = 2\,T(n/2) + \Theta(n)$

Analyzing Recursive Algorithms: Merge Sort

- Recursion tree expansion for T(n) = 2 T(n/2) + Θ(n)



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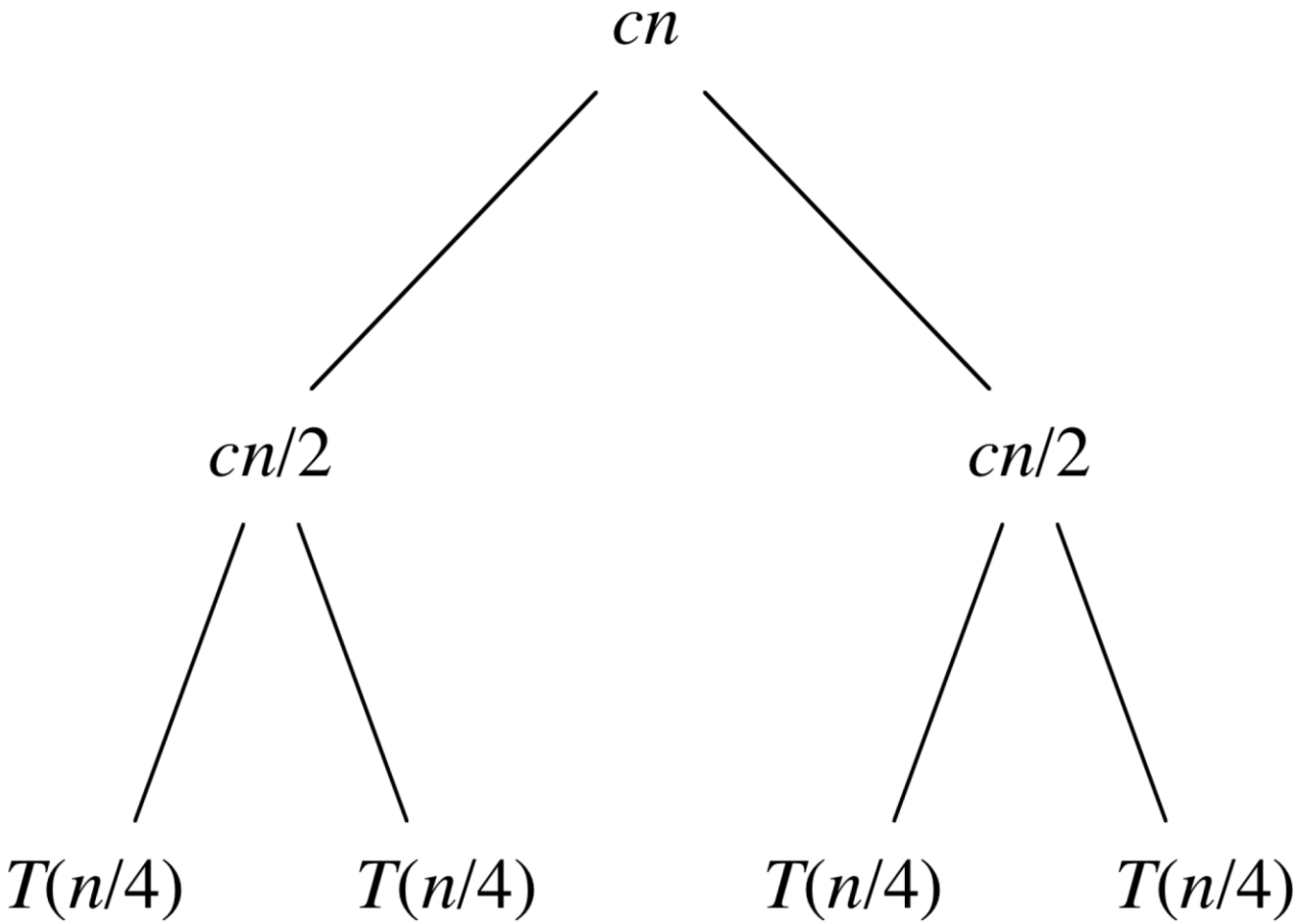

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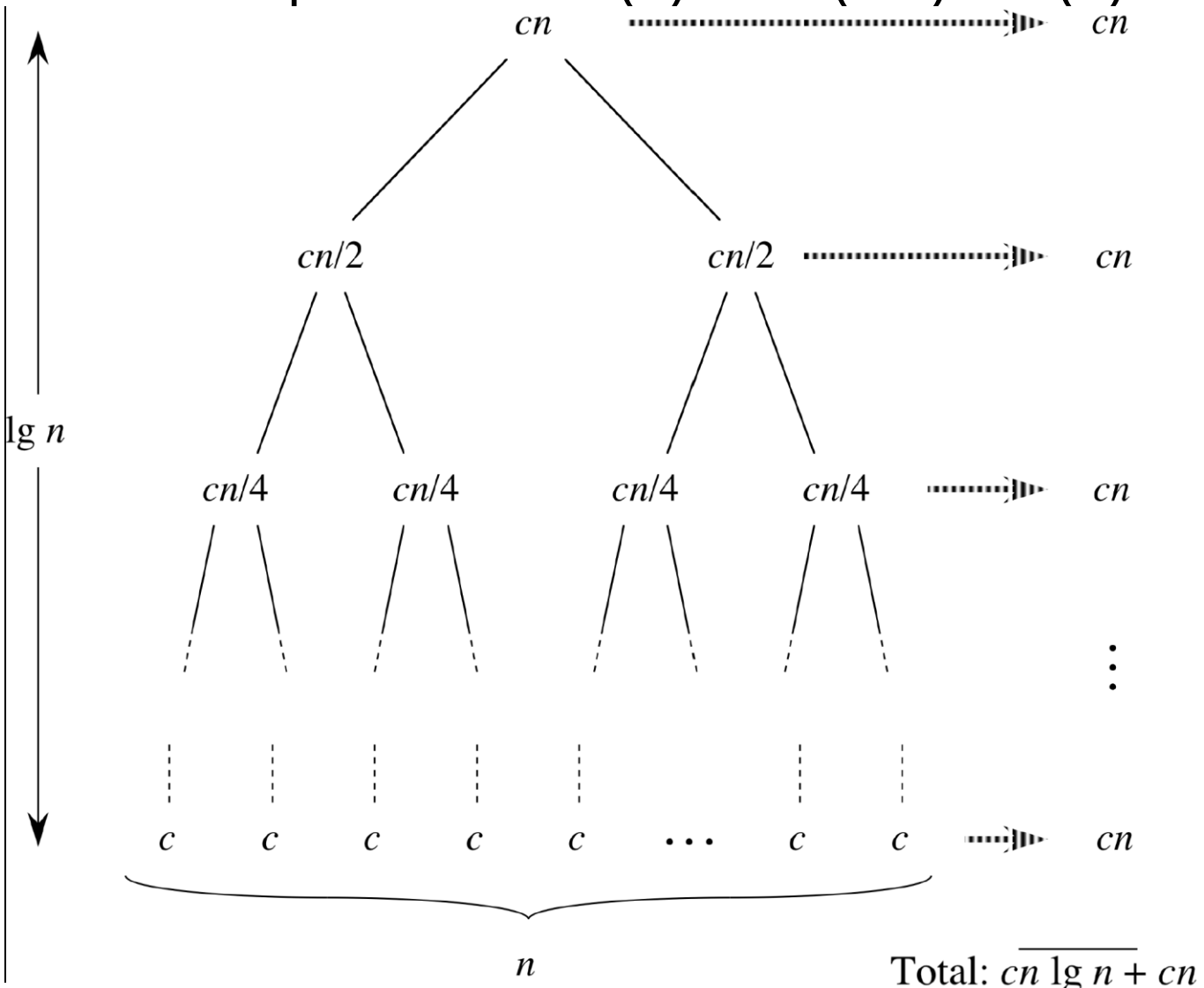
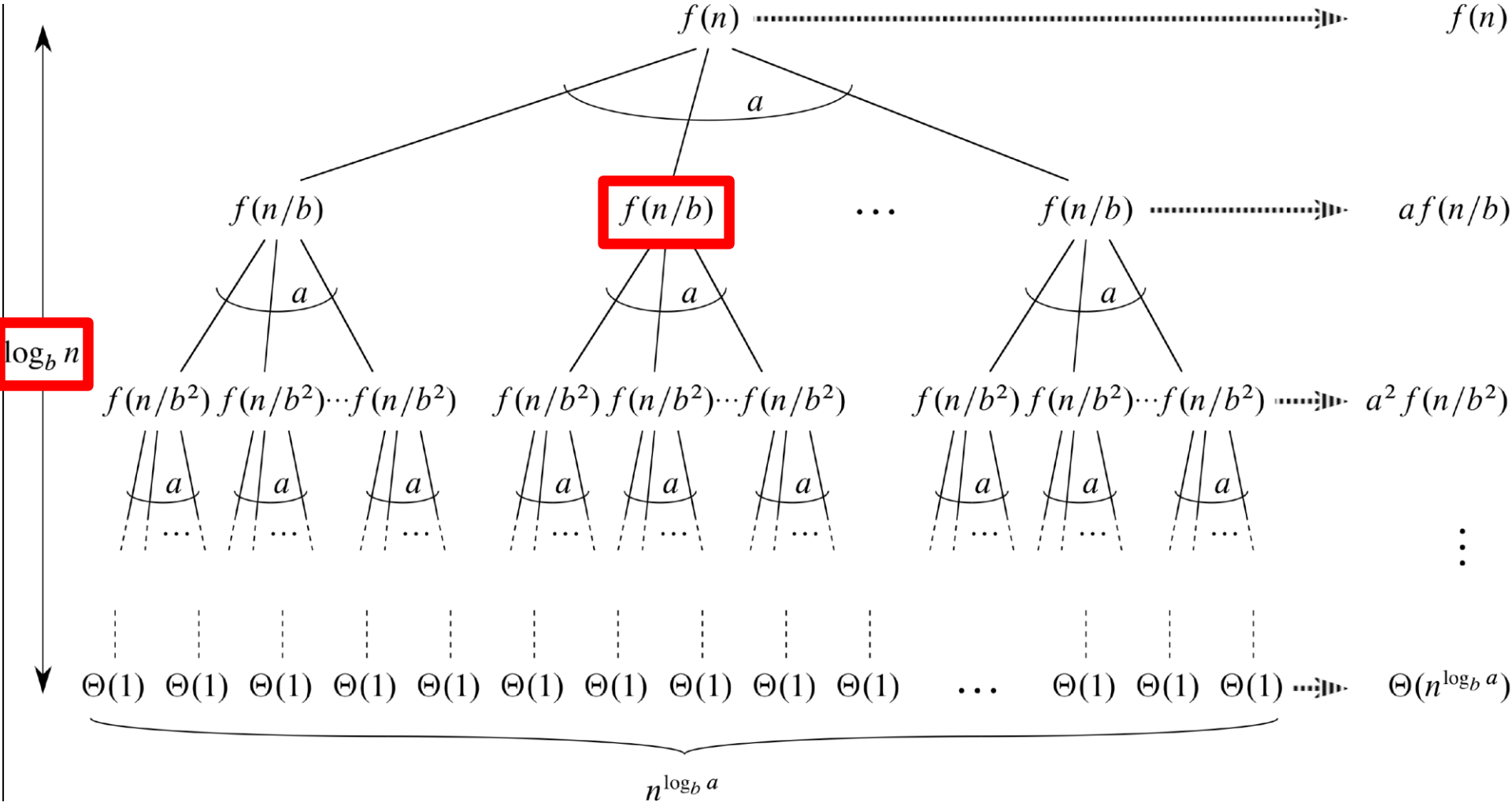


Analyzing Recursive Algorithms

- General recursion tree



Analyzing Recursive Algorithms

- Recursive Fibonacci algorithm?

Analyzing Recursive Algorithms: Master Theorem

- Master Theorem:
  Used to solve recurrences in the form
  T(n) = aT(n/b) + f(n), a >= 1, b > 1,
  f(n) is a function, T(n) defined on nonnegative integers
- T(n) bound depends on **polynomial comparison** between f(n) and $n^{\log_b a}$

if f(n) polynomial less $n^{\log_b a}$ → T(n) = Θ($n^{\log_b a}$)

if f(n) polynomial equal $n^{\log_b a}$ → T(n) = Θ($n^{\log_b a} \log n$)

if f(n) polynomial greater $n^{\log_b a}$ → T(n) = Θ($f(n)$)

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- Formally:

1. If $f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon})$ for some constant $\epsilon > 0$, then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$.
2. If $f(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$, then $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a} \lg n)$.
3. If $f(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_b a + \epsilon})$ for some constant $\epsilon > 0$, and if $af(n/b) \leq cf(n)$ for some constant $c < 1$ and all sufficiently large n, then $T(n) = \Theta(f(n))$. ■

Analyzing Recursive Algorithms: Merge Sort

- T(n) = 2 T(n/2) + Θ(n)
- In the general form of Master theorem, a=2, b=2, f(n)=cn
- $n^{\log_b a} = n^{\log_2 2} = n$
  then f(n) = Θ($n^{\log_b a}$), case 2
- T(n) = Θ($n^{\log_b a} \log n$) = Θ($n \log n$)

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return C

→ $(2T(n/2) + \frac{n}{2} * \frac{n}{2})*4$

- $T(n) = 8\ T(n/2) + \Theta(n^2)$

Analyzing Recursive Algorithms: Matrix Multiplication

- $T(n) = 8\,T(n/2) + \Theta(n^2)$
- In the general form of Master theorem, a=8, b=2, $f(n)= \Theta(n^2)$
- $n^{\log_b a} = n^{\log_2 8} = n^3$
  then $f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \varepsilon}) = O(n^{3-1})$, $\epsilon = 1$, case 1

- $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \Theta(n^3)$

- D&C matrix multiplication is as fast as the simple matrix multiplication

Strassen's Matrix Multiplication

$p1 = a(f - h)$
$p2 = (a + b)h$
$p3 = (c + d)e$
$p4 = d(g - e)$
$p5 = (a + d)(e + h)$
$p6 = (b - d)(g + h)$
$p7 = (a - c)(e + f)$

The A x B can be calculated using above seven multiplications.
Following are values of four sub-matrices of result C

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} e & f \\ g & h \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} p5 + p4 - p2 + p6 & p1 + p2 \\ p3 + p4 & p1 + p5 - p3 - p7 \end{bmatrix}$$

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e, f, g and h are submatrices of B, of size N/2 x N/2
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p1, p2, p3, p4, p5, p6 and p7 are submatrices of size N/2 x N/2

- Each P has T(n/2) and Θ(n^2) (adding two $\frac{n}{2} x \frac{n}{2}$ matrices)
- T(n) = 7T(n/2) + Θ(n^2)

Analyzing Recursive Algorithms: Strassen's Matrix Multiplication

- $T(n) = 7\,T(n/2) + \Theta(n^2)$
- In the general form of Master theorem, a=7, b=2, $f(n)= \Theta(n^2)$
- $n^{\log_b a} = n^{\log_2 7} = n^{2.807}$
  then $f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \varepsilon}) = O(n^{2.807-0.8})$, $\epsilon = 0.8$, case 1

- $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \Theta(n^{2.807})$

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- $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a}) = \Theta(n^{2.807})$

n	$n^{2.807}$	n^3
10	641.2096	1000
100	411149.7	1000000
1000	2.64E+08	1E+09
10000	1.69E+11	1E+12
100000	1.08E+14	1E+15
1000000	6.95E+16	1E+18
10000000	4.46E+19	1E+21

When Master Theorem Fails?

- When $n^{\log_b a}$ and f(n) are not polynomially comparable
- Example 1: T(n) = 3 T(n/4) + n log n

a=3, b=4, f(n) = n log n

$n^{\log_b a} = n^{\log_4 3} = n^{0.79}$

$$f(n)/n^{\log_b a} = n^{0.21} \log n$$

f(n) is polynomially larger than $n^{\log_b a}$ and case 3 applies

What values of constant c satisfies the condition
a f(n/b) <= cf(n)?

When Master Theorem Fails?

- When $n^{\log_b a}$ and f(n) are not polynomially comparable
- Example 2: T(n) = 2 T(n/2) + n log n

a=2, b=2, f(n) = n log n

$n^{\log_b a} = n^{\log_2 2} = n$

$$f(n)/n^{\log_b a} = \log n$$

f(n) is not polynomially larger than $n^{\log_b a}$ (i.e., there is not polynomial factor n^x in the ratio $f(n)/n^{\log_b a}, no\ \varepsilon > 0$ exists) and Master theorem does not apply

Credits & Book Readings

- Book Readings
  - 2.3, Ch. 4 Intro, 4.2, 4.3, 4.4, 4.5
- Credits
  - Prof. Ahmed Eldawy notes
  - Online Sources
    - https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/e/e6/Merge_sort_algorithm_diagram.svg
    - http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/wp-content/uploads/stressen_formula_new_new.png