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No class Monday.

Review

Fingerprinting:

- Universe of size u
- Map to random fingerprint in universe of size $v \leq u$
- probability of collision $1/v$

Freivald's technique

- verify matrix multiplication $AB = C$
- check $ABr = Cr$ for random r in $\{0, 1\}^n$
- probability of success $1/2$
- works to check any matrix identity, not just product
- useful if matrices "implicit" like AB
- mapping size- n^2 matrices to size- n vectors

In general, many ways to fingerprint explicitly represented objects. But for implicit objects, different methods have different strengths and weaknesses.

We'll fingerprint 3 ways:

- vector multiply
- number mod a random prime
- polynomial evaluation at a random point

String matching

Checksums:

- Alice and Bob have bit strings of length n
- Think of n bit integers a, b
- take a prime number p , compare $a \bmod p$ and $b \bmod p$ with $\log p$ bits.
- trouble if $a = b \pmod{p}$. How avoid? How likely?
 - $c = a - b$ is n -bit integer.

- so at most n prime factors.
- How many prime factors less than k ? $\Theta(k/\ln k)$
- so take $2n^2 \log n$ limit
- number of primes about n^2
- So on random one, $1/n$ error prob.
- $O(\log n)$ bits to send.
- implement by add/sub, no mul or div!

How find prime?

- Well, a randomly chosen number is prime with prob. $1/\ln n$,
- so just try a few.
- How know its prime? Simple randomized test (later)

Pattern matching in strings

- m -bit pattern
- n -bit string
- work mod prime p of size at most t
- prob. error at particular point most $m/(t/\log t)$ from above
- so pick big t , union bound
- implement by add/sub as shift in bits

Fingerprints by Polynomials

Good for fingerprinting “composable” data objects.

- check if $P(x)Q(x) = R(x)$
- P and Q of degree n (means R of degree at most $2n$)
- mult in $O(n \log n)$ using FFT
- evaluation at fixed point in $O(n)$ time
- Random test:
 - $S \subseteq F$
 - pick random $r \in S$
 - evaluate $P(r)Q(r) - R(r)$
 - suppose this poly not 0

- then degree $2n$, so at most $2n$ roots
- thus, prob (discover nonroot) $|S|/2n$
- so, eg, sufficient to pick random int in $[0, 4n]$
- Note: no prime needed (but needed for Z_p sometimes)
- Again, major benefit if polynomial implicitly specified.

String checksum:

- treat as degree n polynomial
- eval a random $O(\log n)$ bit input,
- prob. get 0 small

Multivariate:

- n variables
- degree of term: sum of vars degrees
- total degree d : max degree of term.
- Schwartz-Zippel: fix $S \subseteq F$ and let each r_i random in S

$$\Pr[Q(r_i) = 0 \mid Q \neq 0] \leq d/|S|$$

Note: no dependence on number of vars!

Proof:

- induction. Base done.
- $Q \neq 0$. So pick some (say) x_1 that affects Q
- write $Q = \sum_{i \leq k} x_1^i Q_i(x_2, \dots, x_n)$ with $Q_k() \neq 0$ by choice of k
- Q_k has total degree at most $d - k$
- By induction, prob Q_k evals to 0 is at most $(d - k)/|S|$
- suppose it didn't. Then $q(x) = \sum x_1^i Q(r_2, \dots, r_n)$ is a nonzero univariate poly.
- by base, prob. eval to 0 is $k/|S|$
- add: get $d/|S|$
- why can we add?

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr[E_1] &= \Pr[E_1 \cap \overline{E_2}] + \Pr[E_1 \cap E_2] \\ &\leq \Pr[E_1 \mid \overline{E_2}] + \Pr[E_2] \end{aligned}$$

Small problem:

- degree n poly can generate huge values from small inputs.
- Solution 1:
 - If poly is over Z_p , can do all math mod p
 - Need p exceeding coefficients, degree
 - p need not be random
- Solution 2:
 - Work in Z , deduce nonzero value from schwartz-zippel
 - deduce nonzero mod random q (as in string matching)
 - so do **all** computation mod random q
 - q range must exceed **bits** (not value) of coeff.

Perfect matching

- Define
- Edmonds matrix: variable x_{ij} if edge (u_i, v_j)
- determinant nonzero if PM
- poly nonzero *symbolically*.
 - so apply Schwartz-Zippel
 - Degree is n
 - So number $r \in (1, \dots, n^2)$ yields 0 with prob. $1/n$

Det may be huge!

- We picked random input r , knew evaled to nonzero but maybe huge number
- How big? About $n!r^n$,
- So only $O(n \log n + n \log r)$ prime divisors
- (or, a string of that many bits)
- So compute mod p , where p is $O((n \log n + n \log r)^2)$
- only need $O(\log n + \log \log r)$ bits

Treaps

Dictionaries for **ordered** sets

- New Operations.
 - enumerate in order
 - successor-of, predecessor-of (even if not in set)
 - $\text{join}(S, k, T)$, split, $\text{paste}(S, T)$

Binary tree.

- child and parent pointers
- endogenous: leaf nodes empty.
- *balanced* if depth $O(\log n)$
- average case.
- worst case

Tree balancing

- rotations
- implementing operations.
- red/black, AVL
- splay trees.
 - drawbacks in geometry:
 - auxiliary structure on nodes in subtree
 - rebuild on rotation

Returning to average case:

- Assign random “arrival orders” to keys
- Build tree **as if** arrived in that order
- Average case applies
- No rotations on searches

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Depth $d(x)$ analysis

- Tree is trace of a quicksort
- We proved $O(\log n)$ w.h.p.
- for x rank k , $E[d(x)] = H_k + H_{n-k+1} - 1$
- $S^- = \{y \in S \mid y \leq x\}$
- $Q_x =$ ancestors of x
- Show $E[Q_x^-] = H_k$.

- to show: $y \in Q_x^-$ iff inserted before all z , $y < z \leq x$.
- deduce: item j away has prob $1/j$. Add.
- Suppose $y \in Q_x^-$.
 - The inserted before x
 - Suppose some z between inserted before y
 - Then y in left subtree of z , x in right, so not ancestor
 - Thus, y before every z
- Suppose y first
 - then x follows y on all comparisons (no z splits)
 - So ends up in subtree of y

Rotation analysis

- Insert/Delete time
 - define spines
 - equal left spine of right sub plus right spine of left sub
 - proof: when rotate up, on spine increments, other stays fixed.
- R_x length of right spine of left subtree
- $E[R_x] = 1 - 1/k$ if rank k
- To show: $y \in R_x$ iff
 - inserted after x
 - all z , $y < z < x$, arrive after y .
 - if z before y , then y goes left, so not on spine
- deduce: if r elts between, $r!$ of $(r + 2)!$ permutations work.
- So probability $1/r^2$.
- Expectation $\sum 1/(1 \cdot 2) + 1/(2 \cdot 3) + \dots = 1 - 1/k$
- subtle: do analysis only on elements inserted in real-time before x , but now assume they arrive in random order in virtual priorities.