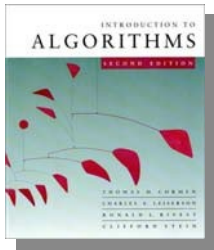# CS60020: Foundations of Algorithm Design and Machine Learning

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DIVIDE AND CONQUER
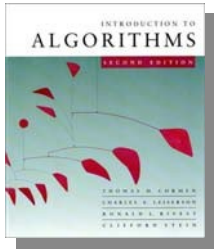
Matrix multiplication

Input: $A = [a_{ij}]$, $B = [b_{ij}]$.
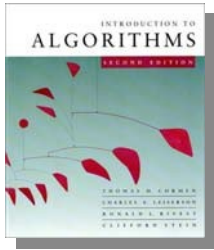**Output:** $C = [c_{ij}] = A \cdot B$. $\left.\right\}$ $i, j = 1, 2, \ldots, n$.

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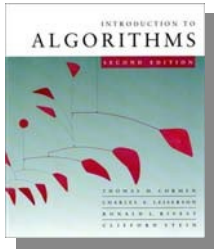$$c_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^{n} a_{ik} \cdot b_{kj}$$

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Running time $= \Theta(n^3)$

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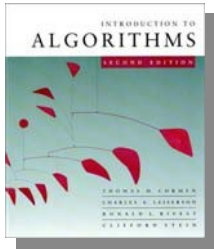$n{\times}n$ matrix = $2{\times}2$ matrix of $(n/2){\times}(n/2)$ submatrices:

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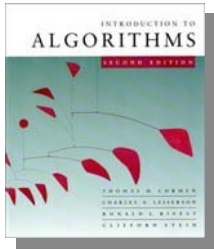
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recursive

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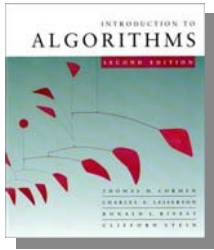
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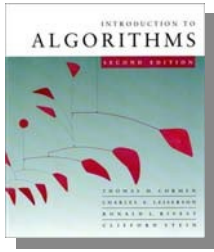
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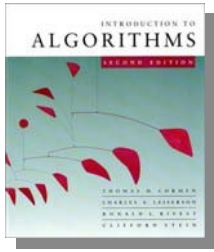
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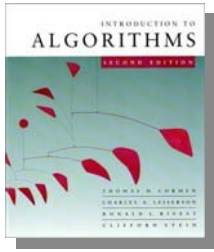
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No better than the ordinary algorithm.

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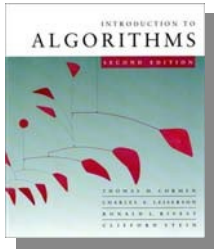
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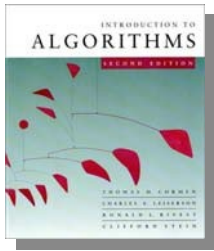$$P_6 = (b - d) \cdot (g + h)$$
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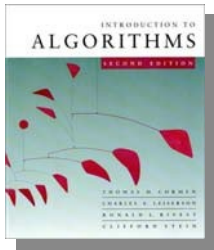
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7 mults, 18 adds/subs.
Note: No reliance on commutativity of mult!

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$$\begin{aligned}
r &= P_5 + P_4 - P_2 + P_6 \\
&= (a + d)(e + h) \\
&\quad + d(g - e) - (a + b)h \\
&\quad + (b - d)(g + h) \\
&= ae + ah + de + dh \\
&\quad + dg - de - ah - bh \\
&\quad + bg + bh - dg - dh \\
&= ae + bg
\end{aligned}$$

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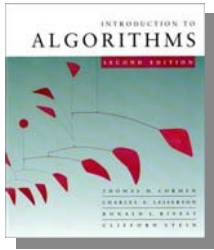3. ***Combine:*** Form C using $+$ and $-$ on $(n/2) \times (n/2)$ submatrices.

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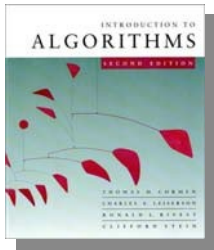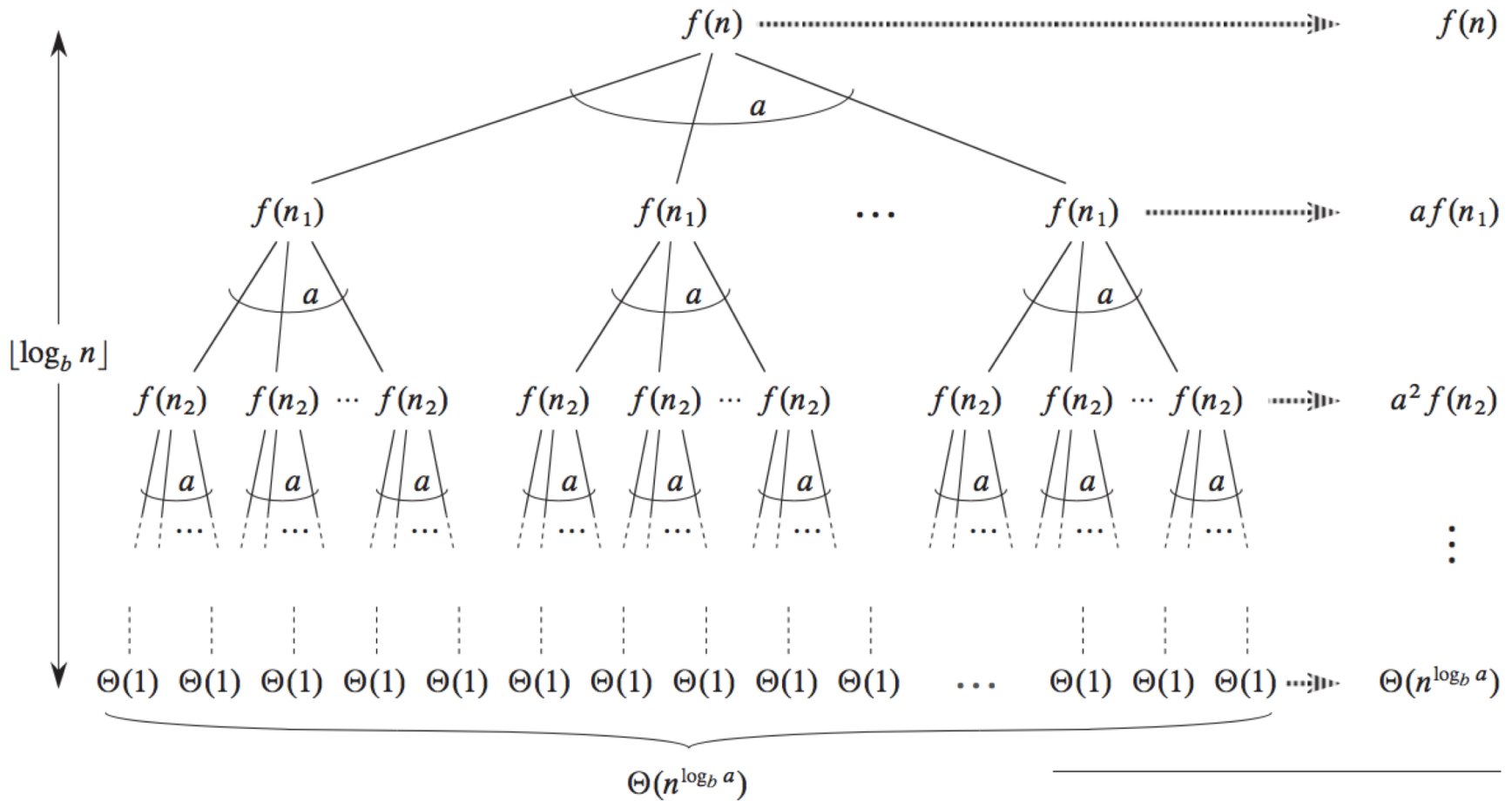
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Master theorem

$$T(n) = a\,T(n/b) + f(n)$$

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$\Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$.

CASE 2: $f(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$

$\Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a} \lg n)$.

CASE 3: $f(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_b a + \varepsilon})$, constant $\varepsilon > 0$,
and regularity condition

$\Rightarrow T(n) = \Theta(f(n))$.

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Lemma 4.3

Let $a \geq 1$ and $b > 1$ be constants, and let $f(n)$ be a nonnegative function defined on exact powers of b. A function $g(n)$ defined over exact powers of b by

$$g(n) = \sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} a^j f(n/b^j) \qquad (4.22)$$

has the following asymptotic bounds for exact powers of b:

1. If $f(n) = O(n^{\log_b a - \epsilon})$ for some constant $\epsilon > 0$, then $g(n) = O(n^{\log_b a})$.

2. If $f(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a})$, then $g(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a} \lg n)$.

3. If $af(n/b) \leq cf(n)$ for some constant $c < 1$ and for all sufficiently large n, then $g(n) = \Theta(f(n))$.

Proof of Master theorem

- Case 1:

$$\sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} a^j \left(\frac{n}{b^j}\right)^{\log_b a - \epsilon} = n^{\log_b a - \epsilon} \sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} \left(\frac{ab^\epsilon}{b^{\log_b a}}\right)^j$$

$$= n^{\log_b a - \epsilon} \sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} (b^\epsilon)^j$$

$$= n^{\log_b a - \epsilon} \left(\frac{b^{\epsilon \log_b n} - 1}{b^\epsilon - 1}\right)$$

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- Case 2:

$$\sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} a^j \left(\frac{n}{b^j}\right)^{\log_b a} = n^{\log_b a} \sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} \left(\frac{a}{b^{\log_b a}}\right)^j$$

$$= n^{\log_b a} \sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} 1$$

$$= n^{\log_b a} \log_b n .$$

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- Case 3:

$$g(n) = \sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} a^j f(n/b^j)$$

$$\leq \sum_{j=0}^{\log_b n - 1} c^j f(n) + O(1)$$

$$\leq f(n) \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} c^j + O(1)$$

$$= f(n) \left(\frac{1}{1-c} \right) + O(1)$$

$$= O(f(n)) \,,$$