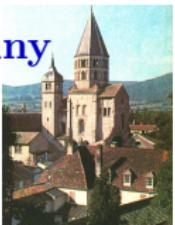


# Fast computation of the $N$ th term of an algebraic series in positive characteristic

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Ubiquity of algebraic functions (combinatorics, number theory)

Confluence of several domains:

- functional equations
- automatic sequences
- complexity theory

*One of the most difficult questions in modular computations is the complexity of computations mod  $p$  for a large prime  $p$  of coefficients in the expansion of an algebraic function.*

D. Chudnovsky & G. Chudnovsky, 1990  
Computer Algebra in the Service of  
Mathematical Physics and Number Theory

Input:

- field  $\mathbb{K}$  of characteristic  $p$
- $f(x) \in \mathbb{K}[[x]]$  solution of  $E(x, f(x)) = 0$  with  $E(x, y) \in \mathbb{K}[x, y]$ ,  
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Main result:

- arithmetic complexity linear in  $\log N$  and almost linear in  $p$

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Kung + Traub, 1976

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$$f(x) = \sum_{n \geq 0} f_n x^n \quad \text{shift} \quad Sf_n = f_{n+1}$$
$$Sf(x) = \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x}$$

vector

o  
p  
e  
r  
a  
t  
o  
r  
s

$$f(x) = f_0 + f_1 x + f_2 x^2 + f_3 x^3 + \dots$$

$$Sf(x) = f_1 + f_2 x + f_3 x^2 + f_4 x^3 + \dots$$

$$S^2 f(x) = f_2 + f_3 x + f_4 x^2 + f_5 x^3 + \dots$$

⋮

$$S^N f(x) = f_N + f_{N+1} x + f_{N+2} x^2 + \dots$$

linear form

$$S^N f(0) \leftarrow f_N$$

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 $\vdots$ pseudo-shift operator  $T$ 

$$Sb^{-1} = b^{-1}T$$

 $\mathbb{K}[x]_{< d_x}$  stable by  $T$ finite dimension  $d_x$

$$L = [ \begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} ]$$

Linear form

basis:  $(1, x, x^2, x^3, x^4)$

Action

$$A = \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$C = \left[ \begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{b} T_1 = S \frac{1}{b} &= \frac{\frac{1}{b} - \frac{1}{b(0)}}{x} \\ &= \frac{1 + 2x + 3x^2 + 4x^3 + 5x^4}{b} \end{aligned}$$

Coordinates

$$a(x) = 1 + x^3$$

$$f_N = S^N f(0) \Leftrightarrow f_N = LA^N C$$

Binary powering

example:  $N = 1234$

$$A^{1234} = A^2 \times A^{16} \times A^{64} \times A^{128} \times A^{1024}$$

arithmetic complexity  $O(\log_2 N)$

Miller + Brown, 1966,  
*An algorithm for evaluation of  
remote terms in a linear recurrence sequence*

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To come: mimicking this approach in the algebraic case

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algebraic equation  $\rightarrow$  differential equation  $\rightarrow$  linear recurrence

Chudnovsky + Chudnovsky, 1988  
Approximations and complex multiplication according to Ramanujan

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Divide and Conquer after precomputing

algebraic equation  $\rightarrow$  Mahler equation  $\rightarrow$  DAC recurrence

Christol + Kamae  
+ Mendès France + Rauzy, 1980,  
Suites algébriques, automates et  
substitutions

Algebraic equation  $y = 2x + 5xy + 4xy^2 + xy^3$

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} & y & y^3 & y^9 & y^{27} & p = 3 \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ y \\ y^2 \end{matrix} & \left[ \begin{matrix} 0 & 1 & \frac{1+2x^2+x^3}{x^3} & \frac{1+2x^2+x^3+2x^5+x^6+x^8+x^9+2x^{11}+x^{12}}{x^{12}} \\ 1 & \frac{1+x}{x} & \frac{1+x+2x^2+x^3+x^4}{x^4} & \frac{1+x+2x^2+x^3+x^4+2x^5+2x^6+2x^7+x^8+x^9+x^{10}+2x^{11}+x^{12}+x^{13}}{x^{13}} \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \frac{1+x+2x^2+x^3}{x^3} & \frac{2+2x+x^2+2x^3+2x^4+x^5+x^6+x^7+2x^8+2x^9+2x^{10}+x^{11}+2x^{12}}{x^{12}} \end{matrix} \right] \end{array}$$

Mahler equation

$$c_0(x) = (2x^2 + 2x^3 + x^4)$$

$$c_0(x)f(x)$$

$$+ (1 + x^2 + 2x^3 + 2x^4 + x^5 + 2x^6) f(x^3)$$

$$+ (2 + 2x^3 + 2x^5 + x^6 + 2x^9) f(x^9) + x^9 f(x^{27}) = 0$$

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Divide-and-conquer recurrence

$$2f_{n-2} + 2f_{n-3} + f_{n-4}$$

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$$f_x = 0 \text{ if } x \notin \mathbb{N}_{\geq 0}$$

Divide-and-conquer recurrence

$p = 3$

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100

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12 11 10 9

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arithmetic complexity  $O(N)$  for  $f_N$

Change of unknowns  $f(x) = c_0(x)g(x)$  yields

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= (x^2 + x^3 + x^7 + x^8 + x^9 + x^{10})g(x^3) \\ &\quad + (2x^{14} + 2x^{15} + x^{16} + 2x^{19} + 2x^{20} + x^{21} + x^{22} + 2x^{23} \\ &\quad + 2x^{26} + x^{28} + 2x^{30} + x^{31} + 2x^{32} + x^{33} + 2x^{35} + 2x^{36} + x^{37})g(x^9) \\ &+ (x^{59} + x^{60} + 2x^{61} + 2x^{62} + 2x^{63} + x^{64} + 2x^{65} + 2x^{66} + x^{67} + 2x^{71} \\ &\quad + 2x^{72} + x^{73} + x^{74} + x^{75} + 2x^{76} + x^{77} + x^{78} + 2x^{79} + x^{83} + x^{84} \\ &\quad + 2x^{85} + x^{89} + x^{90} + 2x^{91} + 2x^{92} + 2x^{93} + x^{94} + 2x^{95} + 2x^{96} \\ &\quad + x^{97} + 2x^{101} + 2x^{102} + x^{103} + x^{104} + x^{105} + 2x^{106} + x^{107} \\ &\quad \quad \quad + x^{108} + 2x^{109})g(x^{27}) \end{aligned}$$

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$$S_0 f(x) = f_0 + f_2 x + f_4 x^2 + f_6 x^3 + f_8 x^4 + \dots \quad p = 2$$

$$S_1 f(x) = f_1 + f_3 x + f_5 x^2 + f_7 x^3 + f_9 x^4 + \dots$$

linear operators

$$S_r(g(x) \times h(x^p)) = (S_r g(x)) \times h(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned}100000 &= 5 \times 16807 + 6 \times 2401 + 4 \times 343 + 3 \times 49 + 5 \times 7 + 5 \times 1 \\&= (5, 6, 4, 3, 5, 5)_7\end{aligned}$$

$$f(x) = f_0 + f_1x + f_2x^2 + f_3x^3 + f_4x^4 + f_5x^5 + \dots$$

$$S_5 f(x) = f_5 + f_{12}x + f_{19}x^2 + f_{26}x^3 + f_{33}x^4 + f_{40}x^5 + \dots$$

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linear form

$$E(x, f(x)) = 0 \quad E(x, y) \in \mathbb{K}[x, y]$$



$$f(x) = DF(x, y) \quad F(x, y) \in \mathbb{K}(x, y)$$

Furstenberg, 1967,  
*Algebraic functions over  
finite fields*

Christol, 1974,  
*Éléments algébriques*

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 $\Updownarrow$ 

$$f(x) = DF(x, y) \quad F(x, y) \in \mathbb{K}(x, y)$$

$$E_y(0, 0) \neq 0$$

$$F(x, y) = y^2 \frac{E_y(xy, y)}{E(xy, y)}$$

$$E(x, y) = 2x + (5x - 1)y + 4xy^2 + xy^3$$

$$F(x, y) = \frac{y(1 - 5xy - 8xy^2 - 3xy^3)}{1 - 2x - 5xy - 4xy^2 - xy^3}$$

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$$p = 7$$

$$F(x, y) =$$

$$\begin{aligned}
y &+ 2xy &+ 4x^2y &+ x^3y &+ 2x^4y &+ 4x^5y &+ x^6y &+ 2x^7y &+ 4x^8y &+ x^9y &+ 2x^{10}y \\
&+ 3x^2y^2 &+ 5x^3y^2 &+ x^4y^2 &+ 5x^5y^2 &+ 2x^6y^2 &+ 2x^7y^2 & &+ 6x^9y^2 &+ 3x^{10}y^2 \\
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&+ x^3y^9 &+ x^4y^9 &+ 3x^5y^9 &+ 6x^6y^9 &+ 6x^7y^9 & &+ x^9y^9 &+ 6x^{10}y^9 \\
&+ 5x^3y^{10} & &+ 6x^5y^{10} &+ 2x^6y^{10} & &+ x^8y^{10} & &+ 4x^{10}y^{10} \\
& &+ x^4y^{11} &+ x^5y^{11} &+ 5x^6y^{11} &+ 4x^7y^{11} &+ 4x^8y^{11} &+ 2x^9y^{11} & \\
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& &+ \dots & & & & &
\end{aligned}$$

$$S_r f = \mathcal{S}_r \mathcal{D} F = \mathcal{D} S_{r,r} F$$

$$\begin{aligned} F &= \frac{a}{b} = b^{-1}a \\ b(0,0) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$S_r f = \mathcal{D} S_{r,r} b^{-1} a$$

$$= \mathcal{D} S_{r,r} b^{-p} b^{p-1} a = \mathcal{D} b^{-1} S_{r,r} b^{p-1} a$$

$$S_r f = \mathcal{D} b^{-1} T_r a \qquad \qquad T_r = S_{r,r} b^{p-1}$$

$T_r$  pseudo-section operator

$$S_{r,r} b^{-p} = b^{-1} T_r$$

$$f \text{ is algebraic} \Leftrightarrow f \text{ is rational with respect to the radix } p$$

Christol + Kamae  
+ Mendès France + Rauzy, 1980,  
Suites algébriques, automates et  
substitutions  
Allouche + Shallit, 1992  
The ring of  $k$ -regular sequences

$f$  is algebraic

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$f$  is rational  
with respect to the radix  $p$

$$f = \mathcal{D} \frac{a}{b}$$

$f$  is algebraic

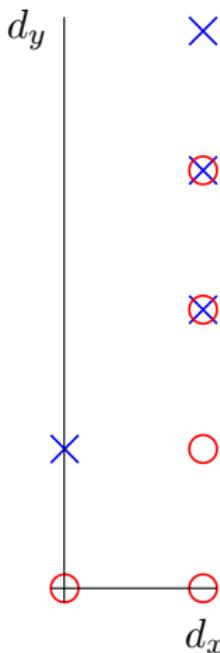
$\leftrightarrow$

*a* generates  
a finite dimensional vector space  
under the action of the  
pseudo-section operators  $T_r$ .

Algebraic equation  $y = 2x + 5xy + 4xy^2 + xy^3$   $f = \mathcal{D} \frac{a}{b}$

$a = y + 2xy^2 + 6xy^3 + 4xy^4$   $\times$

$b = 1 + 5x + 2xy + 3xy^2 + 6xy^3$   $\circ$

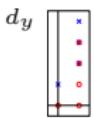


$$d_x = \max(\deg_x a, \deg_x b)$$

$$d_y = \max(\deg_y a, \deg_y b)$$

$$a = y + 2xy^2 + 6xy^3 + 4xy^4 \quad \times$$

$$b = 1 + 5x + 2xy + 3xy^2 + 6xy^3 \quad \circ$$

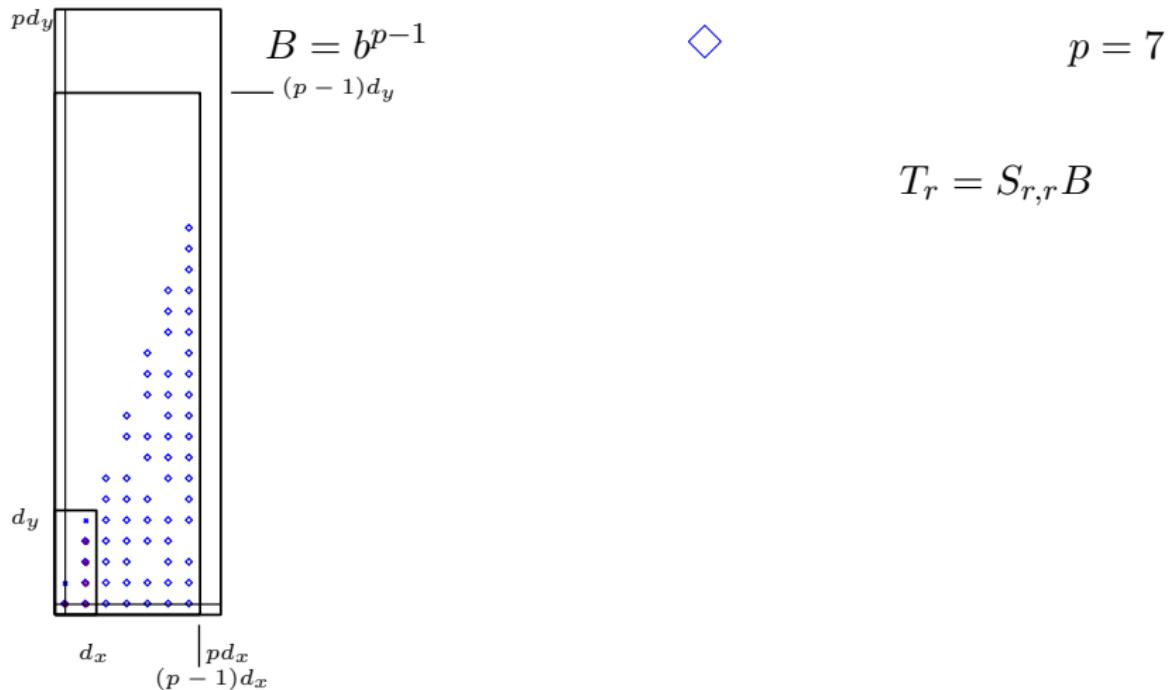


$d_x$

$d_y$

$$a = y + 2xy^2 + 6xy^3 + 4xy^4 \quad \times$$

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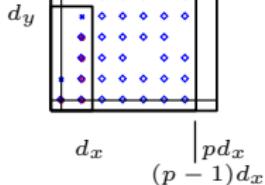
$$b = 1 + 5x + 2xy + 3xy^2 + 6xy^3 \quad \circ$$



$$B = b^{p-1} \quad \diamond \quad p = 7$$

$$T_r = S_{r,r} B$$

$\mathbb{K}[x, y]_{\leq d_x, \leq d_y}$  stable by  $T_r$ ,  $0 \leq r < p$



finite dimension  $(1 + d_x)(1 + d_y)$

$$100000 = 5 \times 16807 + 6 \times 2401 + 4 \times 343 + 3 \times 49 + 5 \times 7 + 5 \times 1$$

$$= (5, 6, 4, 3, 5, 5)_7$$

vector  $\longrightarrow f(x) = f_0 + f_1x + f_2x^2 + f_3x^3 + f_4x^4 + f_5x^5 + \dots$

o  $\longrightarrow S_5 f(x) = f_5 + f_{12}x + f_{19}x^2 + f_{26}x^3 + f_{33}x^4 + f_{40}x^5 + \dots$

p  $\longrightarrow S_5 S_5 f(x) = f_{40} + f_{89}x + f_{138}x^2 + f_{187}x^3 + f_{236}x^4 + f_{285}x^5 + \dots$

r  $\longrightarrow S_3 S_5 S_5 f(x) = f_{187} + f_{530}x + f_{873}x^2 + f_{1216}x^3 + f_{1559}x^4 + f_{1902}x^5 + \dots$

t  $\longrightarrow S_4 S_3 S_5 S_5 f(x) = f_{1559} + f_{3960}x + f_{6361}x^2 + f_{8762}x^3 + f_{11163}x^4 + \dots$

o  $\longrightarrow S_6 S_4 S_3 S_5 S_5 f(x) = f_{15965} + f_{32772}x + f_{49579}x^2 + f_{66386}x^3 + f_{83193}x^4 + \dots$

s  $S_5 S_6 S_4 S_3 S_5 S_5 f(x) = f_{100000} + f_{217649}x + f_{335298}x^2 + f_{452947}x^3 + \dots$

$S_5 S_6 S_4 S_3 S_5 S_5 f(0) = f_{100000}$

linear form

$$100000 = 5 \times 16807 + 6 \times 2401 + 4 \times 343 + 3 \times 49 + 5 \times 7 + 5 \times 1$$

$$= (5, 6, 4, 3, 5, 5)_7$$

vector  $\longrightarrow a(x, y) = y + 2xy^2 + 6xy^3 + 4xy^4$

$\overset{o}{\text{o}} \longrightarrow T_5 a(x, y) = 6 + 6y$

$\overset{p}{\text{p}} \longrightarrow T_5 T_5 a(x, y) = 5 + 5y$

$\overset{e}{\text{r}} \longrightarrow T_3 T_5 T_5 a(x, y) = 5 + 5y$

$\overset{a}{\text{t}} \longrightarrow T_4 T_3 T_5 T_5 a(x, y) = 2 + 2y$

$\overset{t}{\text{o}} \longrightarrow T_6 T_4 T_3 T_5 T_5 a(x, y) = 2 + 2y$

$\overset{r}{\text{s}} \longrightarrow T_5 T_6 T_4 T_3 T_5 T_5 a(x, y) = 4 + 4y$

$T_5 T_6 T_4 T_3 T_5 T_5 a(0, 0) = f_{100000} = 4$

linear form

finite dimension  $(1 + d_x)(1 + d_y)$

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

Linear form 

$$A_0, \quad A_1, \quad \dots \quad A_6$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$1 \quad x$$

Action 

$$y \quad xy$$

$$\text{basis: } y^2 \quad xy^2$$

$$y^3 \quad xy^3$$

$$y^4 \quad xy^4$$



Coordinates

$$a(x, y) = y + 2xy^2 + 6xy^3 + 4xy^4$$

finite dimension  $(1 + d_x)(1 + d_y)$

$$N = (N_{\ell-1} \dots N_1 N_0)_p$$

$$f_N = S_{N_{\ell-1}} \cdots S_{N_0} f(0)$$

 $\Updownarrow$ 

$$f_N = T_{N_{\ell-1}} \cdots T_{N_0} a(0, 0)$$

 $\Updownarrow$ 

$$f_N = L A_{N_{\ell-1}} \cdots A_{N_0} C$$

arithmetic complexity  $O(\log_p N)$

Allouche + Shallit, 1992  
The ring of  $k$ -regular sequences

All information is in  $B = b^{p-1}$ .

$$\text{matrix } A_r: x^n y^m \xrightarrow[\text{translation}]{} x^n y^m B \xrightarrow[\text{selection}]{} S_{r,r} x^n y^m B$$

No computation, except raising  $b$  to the power  $p - 1$

cost:  $\tilde{O}(p^2)$  (binary powering, Kronecker substitution, FFT)

precomputation	computation
$B = b^{p-1}$	$f_N = LA_{N_{\ell-1}} \cdots A_{N_0}C$
$\tilde{O}(p^2)$	$O(\log_p N)$

Theorem [New]: The  $N$ th coefficient can be computed in time

$$\tilde{O}(p^2) + O(\log_p N).$$

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## Introduction

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## Special case of rational series

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## Algorithms with low complexity

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## Sections and diagonal

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## Partial powering

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Task: Computation of  $A_0, A_1, \dots, A_{p-1}$

row index  $i = (k, \ell)$

column index  $j = (n, m)$

$$B = \sum_{\alpha, \beta} c_{\alpha, \beta} x^{\alpha} y^{\beta}$$

$$x^n y^m \xrightarrow[\text{translation}]{} x^n y^m B \xrightarrow[\text{selection}]{} S_{r,r} x^n y^m B$$

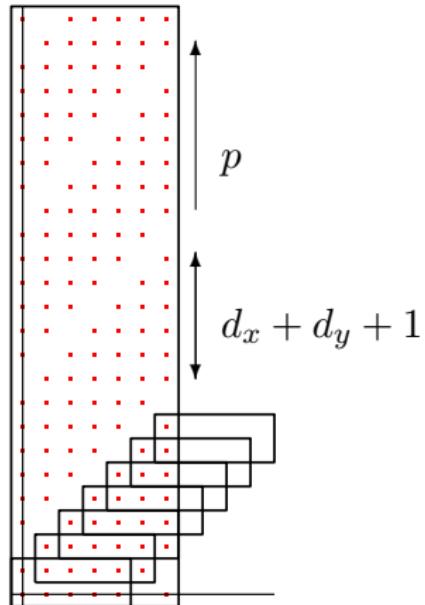
$$x^n y^m \xrightarrow{} \sum_{\alpha, \beta} c_{\alpha, \beta} x^{n+\alpha} y^{m+\beta} \xrightarrow{} \sum_{\substack{\alpha, \beta \\ (C)}} c_{\alpha, \beta} x^k y^{\ell}$$

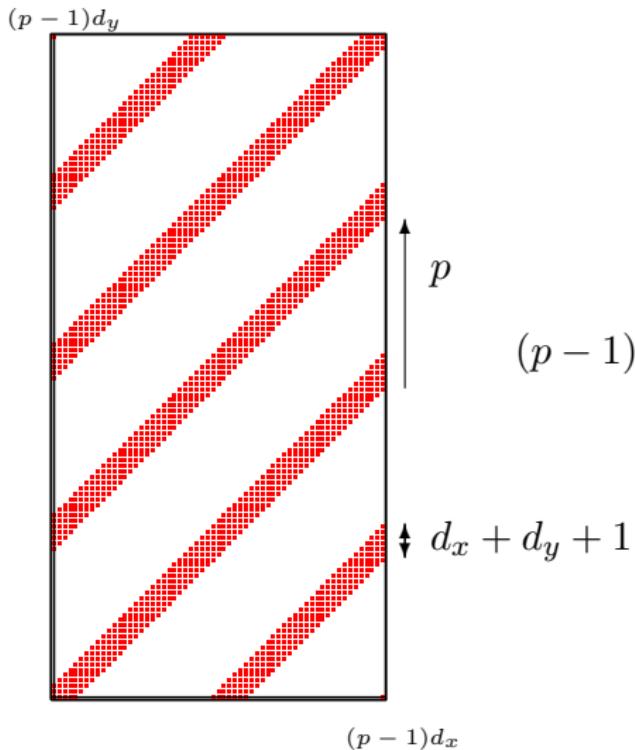
$$(C) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} n + \alpha = pk + r \\ m + \beta = p\ell + r \end{array} \right. \implies \beta - \alpha = p(\ell - k) + n - m$$

$$p = 7$$

$$d_x = 1$$

$$d_y = 4$$



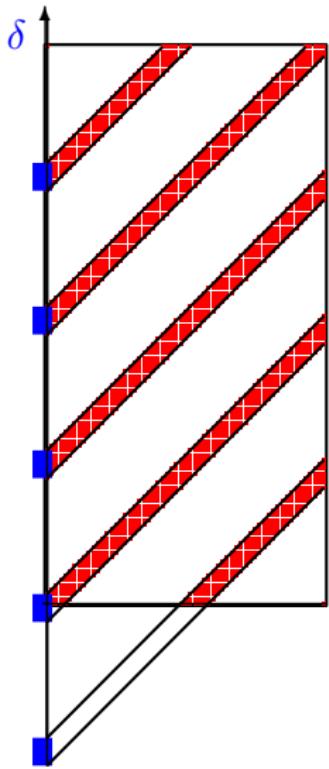


$$(p-1)d_x \times (p-1)d_y \times \frac{d_x + d_y + 1}{p} = O(p)$$

$$\begin{aligned}p &= 31 \\d_x &= 2 \\d_y &= 4\end{aligned}$$

$$B(x/t, t) = \sum_{\alpha, \beta} c_{\alpha, \beta} x^{\alpha} t^{\beta - \alpha} = \sum_{\delta} \pi_{\delta}(x) t^{\delta}$$

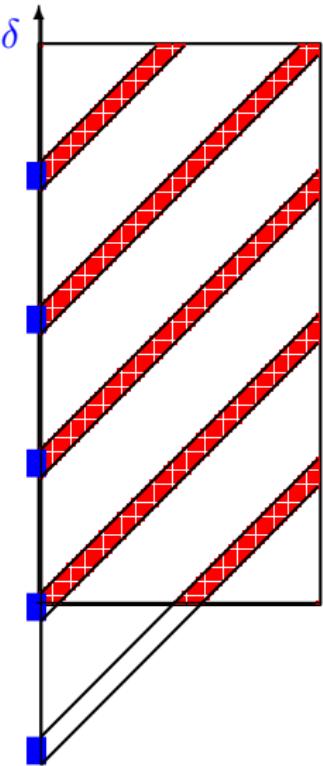
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$$\frac{1}{b(x/t, t)} = \sum_u b_u^{(0)}(x) t^u \quad b(x^p/t^p, t^p) = \sum_v b_v^{(1)}(x^p) t^{pv}$$

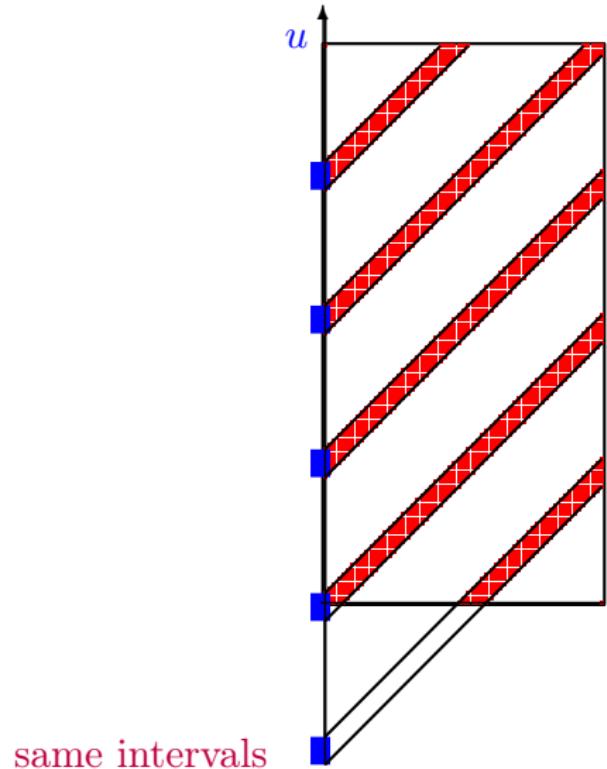
rational series                                                  for free

$$\pi_{\delta}(x) = \sum_{\substack{u+pv=\delta}} b_u^{(0)}(x) b_v^{(1)}(x^p) \quad u + pv = \delta \implies u \equiv \delta \pmod{p}$$

same intervals

$$\frac{1}{b(x/t, t)} = \sum_u b_u^{(0)}(x) t^u \in \mathbb{K}(x)[[t]]$$

rational series



$$\frac{1}{b(x/t, t)} = \sum_u b_{\textcolor{blue}{u}}^{(0)}(x) t^{\textcolor{blue}{u}} \in \mathbb{K}(x)[[t]]$$

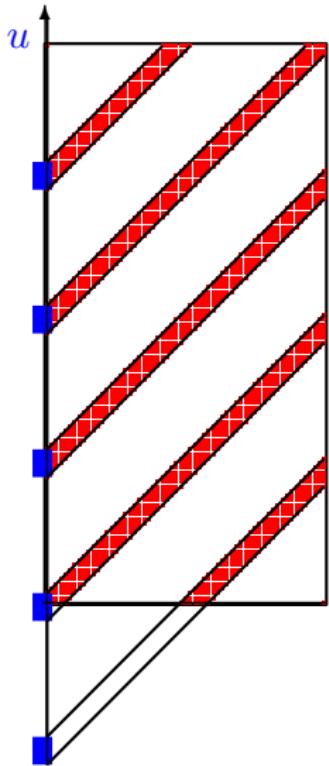
$$\frac{1}{b(\xi/t, t)} = \sum_u b_{\textcolor{blue}{u}}^{(0)}(\xi) t^{\textcolor{blue}{u}} \in \mathbb{K}[[t]], \quad \xi \in \mathbb{K}$$

rational series with coefficients in  $\mathbb{K}$

binary powering

about  $d_x + d_y = O(1)$  large leaps of length  $p$

→ cost  $O(\log p)$



binary powering

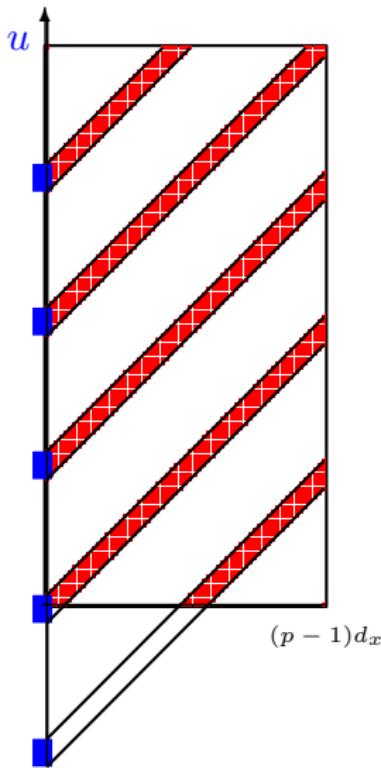
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→ cost  $O(\log p)$

interpolation

degree about  $(p - 1)d_x = O(p)$

→ cost  $\tilde{O}(p \log^2 p)$



binary powering

about  $d_x + d_y$  large leaps of length  $p$

$$\rightarrow \text{cost } (d_x + d_y) \log p$$

interpolation

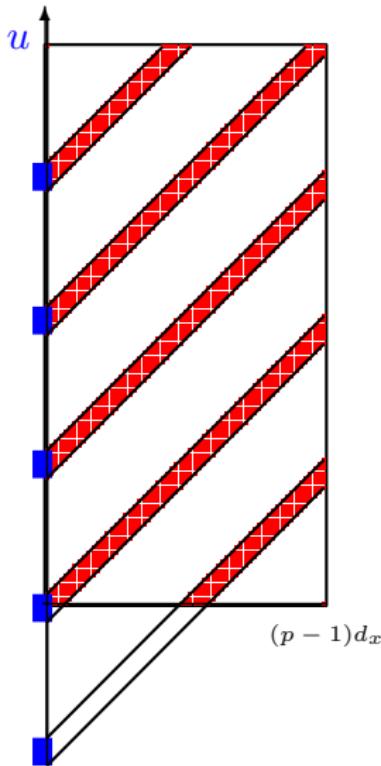
degree about  $pd_x$

$$\rightarrow \text{cost } \tilde{O}(p \log^2 p)$$

gathering

about  $(d_x + d_y)^2 = O(1)$  indices

$$\rightarrow \text{global cost } \tilde{O}(p \log^2 p)$$



Theorem [New and better]: The  $N$ th coefficient can be computed in time

$$\tilde{O}(p) + O(\log_p N).$$

*Not quite obvious result following from the asymptotic expansions of the difference equation, shows that [...] requires only  $O(p \cdot \log_p N)$  operations.*

D. Chudnovsky & G. Chudnovsky, 1990  
Computer Algebra in the Service of  
Mathematical Physics and Number Theory

Theorem [New and better]: The  $N$ th coefficient can be computed in time

$$\tilde{O}(p) + O(\log_p N).$$

*What is the minimal complexity of the computation of  $N$ -th coefficient of a power series expansion of an algebraic function mod  $p$  for a fixed (large) prime  $p$ ? It is reasonable to conjecture that [...] one needs at most  $O(L(p)\log N)$  operations, where  $L(p) = \exp(\sqrt{\log p \log \log p})$  at least for hyperelliptic algebraic functions.*

$$\begin{aligned}
& +5x^{131} + 2x^{130} + 4x^{129} + x^{128} + 2x^{127} + 5x^{126} + 3x^{125} + 2x^{124} + 4x^{123} + x^{122} + x^{121} + 6x^{120} + 6x^{119} \\
& + 2x^{118} + 2x^{117} + 5x^{116} + 3x^{115} + 6x^{114} + 4x^{113} + 2x^{112} + 6x^{111} + 4x^{110} + 6x^{109} + 5x^{108} + 6x^{107} \\
& + 5x^{106} + 6x^{105} + 4x^{104} + 3x^{103} + 4x^{102} + x^{101} + 2x^{100} + 5x^{99} + 3x^{98} + 4x^{97} + 5x^{71} + 4x^{69} + 2x^{68} + 2x^{67} \\
& + 4x^{66} + 5x^{65} + 3x^{64} + x^{62} + 2x^{57} + 3x^{55} + 3x^{54} + 3x^{53} + 6x^{52} + 4x^{51} + 5x^{50} + 4x^{48} + 2x^{46} + 4x^{45} \\
& + 3x^{44} + x^{43} + 6x^{42} + 5x^{41} + 2x^{40} + x^{39} + x^{38} - 6x^{37} + 3x^{36} + 2x^{35} - x^{34} + x^{23} + x^{32} + 6x^{31} + 5x^{30} \\
& + 3x^{29} + 4x^{28} + x^{27} + 3x^{26} + 6x^{25} + 5x^{24} + 5x^{23} + 5x^{22} + 2x^{21} + 4x^{20} + x^{18} + 2x^{17} + 5x^{16} + 5x^{15} + 3x^{14} \\
& \quad + 4x^{13} + 6x^{12} + x^{11} + x^{10} + x^9 + x^8 + 4x^7 + 5x^6 - x^5 + 3x^4 + 4x^3 + 4x^2 + 1) f(x^7) \\
& + (6x^{165} + 5x^{164} + 2x^{163} + 2x^{162} + 4x^{161} + 3x^{160} + 2x^{155} + 3x^{153} + 2x^{151} + 4x^{150} + 3x^{149} + 6x^{147} \\
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& + (x^{165} + 2x^{164} + 5x^{163} + 5x^{162} + 3x^{161} + 4x^{160} + 5x^{155} + 4x^{153} + 5x^{151} + 3x^{150} + 4x^{149} + x^{147}) f(x^{343}) = 0
\end{aligned}$$