

Welcome to Ma221! (Feb 8)

Last time: "optimal" matmul

minimized **comm** by blocking,
depending on $M = \text{cache size}$

Problems: depends on M , #levels in cache

Eg 2 levels of cache \Rightarrow 9 nested loops

Goal: optimal matmul independent of HW

Use recursion:

function $C = \text{RMM}(A, B)$

... $\text{RMM} = \text{Recursive Matmul}$

... Simplicity: assume $A^{n \times n}, B^{n \times n}$

... and $n = 2^m$

... $C = \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} \end{bmatrix}_{n/2}$

... if $n=1$ $C = A \cdot B$ else

... $C_{11} = \text{RMM}(A_{11}, B_{11}) + \text{RMM}(A_{12}, B_{21})$

... ditto for C_{12}, C_{21}, C_{22}

Correctness by induction

Cost analysis:

$$A(n) = \# \text{ arithmetic ops} \\ = 8A\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 4\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)^2, \quad A(1) = 1$$

$$\text{Solve } n = 2^m$$

$$\frac{a(m)}{8^m} = \frac{A(2^m)}{8^m} = \frac{8 \cdot a(m-1) + 2^{2m}}{8^m}$$

$$b(m) = \frac{a(m)}{8^m} = b(m-1) + \frac{1}{2^m}$$

geometric sum

$$W(n) = \# \text{ words moved} \\ = 8W\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 4 \cdot 3 \cdot \left(\frac{n}{2}\right)^2 \\ = 8W\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 3n^2$$

Base case when all 3 matrices fit in cache

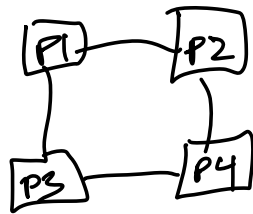
$$W(b) = 3b^2 \text{ if } 3b^2 \leq M$$

$$b = \sqrt{M/3}$$

$$\text{Still geometric sum: } W(n) = O\left(\frac{n^3}{\sqrt{M}}\right)$$

"Cache Oblivious": works for any cache size, any # levels of cache
works for much of linear algebra

Extension to parallel case



want to minimize
comm over network

each processor does $\frac{1}{p}$ of flops
"load balanced"

each processor store $\frac{1}{p}$ of all data

"fast memory" = local to each proc

"slow memory" = all rest on other procs

same lower bound = $\Omega\left(\frac{\# \text{ flops per proc}}{\sqrt{\text{mem per proc}}}\right)$

$$= \Omega\left(\frac{n^3/p}{\sqrt{3n^2/p}}\right) = \Omega\left(\frac{n^2}{\sqrt{p}}\right)$$

attainable by parallel algs (SUMMA)

Going faster than $O(n^3)$ flops

Strassen (1967): matmul possible

in $O(n^{\log_2 7})$ flops $\cong O(n^{2.81})$

Trick: recursion with 7 calls, not 8

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} P_1 = (A_{12} - A_{22}) \cdot (B_{21} + B_{22}) \\ P_2 = (A_{11} + A_{22}) \cdot (B_{11} + B_{22}) \\ \vdots \\ P_7 = \end{array} \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{l} P_1 \\ P_2 \\ \vdots \\ P_7 \end{array}} \right) \begin{array}{l} 7 \text{ calls to} \\ \text{Strassen} \\ \text{(Recursive)} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} C_{11} = P_1 + P_2 - P_4 + P_6 \\ C_{12} = P_4 + P_5 \\ \vdots \end{array} \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{l} C_{11} \\ C_{12} \\ \vdots \end{array}} \right) \begin{array}{l} + \text{total of} \\ 18 \text{ add/sub} \\ \text{of } \left(\frac{n}{2}\right) \times \left(\frac{n}{2}\right) \\ \text{matrices} \end{array}$$

$$A(n) = 7A\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + 18\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$A(n) = O(n^{\log_2 7})$$

$$\omega = \log_2 7$$

$$W(n) = O\left(\frac{n^\omega}{M^{\omega/2-1}}\right)$$

Thm (2010) $W(n)$ attains lower bound

Thm (2015) Extends to all
"Strassen-like" algs

Latest record for smallest exponent w
Thm (2020, Almeida Williams)

$$w = 2.3728596$$

(not practical)

Thm (2008): All linear algebra
can be done in $O(n^w)$ ops
and "stably"

Error Analysis for Strassen
Usual Matmul ($Q(1.0)$)

$$|fl(A \cdot B) - A \cdot B| \leq n \epsilon |A| \cdot |B|$$

Strassen:

$$\|fl(A \cdot B) - A \cdot B\| = O(\epsilon) \cdot \|A\| \cdot \|B\|$$

Gauss's trick for complex matmul

$$(A + iB) \cdot (C + iD)$$

$$T_1 = A \cdot C$$

$$T_2 = B \cdot D$$

$$T_3 = (A + B) \cdot (C + D)$$

$$(A+iB) \cdot (C+iD) = (T_1 - T_2) + i(T_3 - T_1 - T_2)$$

cost : 3 matmuls + 5 adds

vs : 4 matmuls + 2 adds

cost about $\frac{3}{4}$ of traditional alg.

Gaussian Elimination

Additional goals, on top of
avoiding comm, $O(n^3)$ flops

: Backward stability: exact
solution of $(A+E)x = b+f$
 $\frac{\|E\|}{\|A\|} = O(\epsilon)$, $\frac{\|f\|}{\|b\|} = O(\epsilon)$

: Exploit math. structure of A

A : symmetric, positive definite

"sparse" = depends on $\ll n^2$
parameters, so could have
many 0 entries, or be dense
but depend on few parameters.

Eg: Vandermonde Matrix

$$V_{ij} = x_i^{j-1} \quad \text{given } [x_1, \dots, x_n]$$

$V \cdot c = b$: multiplying by V
= polynomial evaluation

solving $Vc = b$ for c :

polynomial interpolation
much lower cost

Seek Matrix Factorizations.

$A =$ product of simple matrices

SVD: $A = U \cdot \Sigma \cdot V^T$
= orthog · diag · orthog

Gaussian Elim:

$$A = P \cdot L \cdot U$$

$P =$ permutation

$L =$ lower triangular ("unit")
 $L_{ii} = 1$

$U =$ upper "

Least Squares $A = QR$

= orthog · upper triangular

Eigen $A = Q T Q^T$

$Q =$ orthog

$T =$ upper triangular

Def: Permutation Matrix:
: identity matrix with permuted rows

Facts: Let P, P_1, P_2 be perms.

P has exactly one 1 in each row
and each column

$P \cdot X = X$ with permuted rows

$X \cdot P = X$ with permuted cols

$P_1 \cdot P_2 =$ permutation

$P^{-1} = P^T$ ie P orthogonal

proof: note that $(P^T P)_{ii} = 1$
 $\Rightarrow P^T P = I$

$\det(P) = \pm 1$

storing and multiply by P cheap
(store indices of 1s, copy rows)

Thm: (LU decomposition)

Given any $m \times n$ full rank A $m \geq n$

\exists $m \times m$ perm P

$m \times n$ unit lower triangular L

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} \circ & & \\ & \circ & \\ & & \circ \end{bmatrix} \quad L \tilde{u} = 1$$

$n \times n$ nonsingular U :

$$A = P \cdot L \cdot U$$

Cor: A $n \times n$ nonsingular \Rightarrow

\exists $n \times n$ perm P ,

$n \times n$ unit lower Δ L

$n \times n$ nonsingular ∇ U

$$A = P \cdot L \cdot U$$

to solve $Ax = b$

(1) Factor $A = P \cdot L \cdot U$

(expensive part: # flops = $\frac{2}{3}n^3 + O(n^2)$)

(2) Solve $P \cdot L \cdot U \cdot x = b$ for $L \cdot U \cdot x = P^T b$
by permuting b , $O(n)$

(3) Solve $L \cdot U \cdot x = P^T b$ for $U \cdot x = L^{-1} \cdot P^T \cdot b$
by forward substitution
cost = n^2

(4) Solve $Ux = L^{-1} P^T b$ for $x = U^{-1} L^{-1} P^T b$
by back substitution, cost = n^2

Given another b' can solve $Ax' = b'$
in just $O(n^2)$ ops

Note: We do not compute A^{-1} and multiply by A^{-1} because

(1) $3\times$ more expensive in dense case
(can be $O(n^2)\times$ more expensive)
in sparse case

(2) not numerically stable

Proof of $A = P \cdot L \cdot U$ (Gauss. Elim)

If A full rank \Rightarrow first col nonzero

$\Rightarrow \exists$ perm P s.t. $(PA)_{(1,1)} \neq 0$

$$PA = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 1 & n-1 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ m-1 \end{matrix} & \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ \hline A_{21} & A_{22} \end{array} \right] \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 1 & m-1 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ m-1 \end{matrix} & \left[\begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ \hline A_{21} & I \end{array} \right] \end{matrix} \cdot \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 1 & n-1 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ m-1 \end{matrix} & \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ \hline 0 & \underbrace{A_{22} - A_{21} \cdot A_{11}^{-1} \cdot A_{12}}_{S} \end{array} \right] \end{matrix}$$

$S = \text{Schur Complement}$

A full rank $\Rightarrow PA$ full rank

$\Rightarrow S$ full rank! otherwise $\exists x \neq 0 : Sx = 0$

and then $A \begin{bmatrix} -A_{21}^{-1} x \\ x \end{bmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow A$ not full rank

Simpler in square case

$$0 \neq \det(A) = \pm \det(PA) = \pm \det(\text{1st factor}) \cdot \det(\text{2nd factor})$$

$$= \pm 1 \cdot A_{11} \cdot \det(S)$$

Apply induction to $S = P' \cdot L' \cdot U'$

$$PA = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ \hline A_{21} & I \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ \hline 0 & P' \cdot L' \cdot U' \end{array} \right]$$

$$= \left[\begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ \hline A_{21} & P' \cdot L' \end{array} \right] \cdot \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ \hline 0 & U' \end{array} \right]$$

$$= \left[\begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & P' \end{array} \right] \cdot \left[\begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ \hline P'^T A_{21} & L' \end{array} \right] \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ \hline 0 & U' \end{array} \right]$$

$$A = P^T \left[\begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & P' \end{array} \right] \cdot \left[\begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 \\ \hline P'^T A_{21} & L' \end{array} \right] \cdot \left[\begin{array}{c|c} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ \hline 0 & U' \end{array} \right]$$

perm
unit Δ
 ∇
QED

Express induction proof as Gauss. Elim (GE)

for $i = 1$ to n

... when $i = 1$ perform alg in proof

... when $i > 1$ apply same alg. to S

for $i = 1$ to n

$$L(i, i) = 1, L(i+1:n, i) = A(i+1:n, i) / A(i, i)$$

... ignore perms for now

$$U(i, i:n) = A(i, i:n)$$

$$\text{if } (i < n) \quad A(i+1:n, i+1:n) = A(i+1:n, i+1:n) \\ - L(i+1:n, i) \cdot U(i, i+1:n)$$

Add permutations: after "for $i = 1$ to n ", add

if $A(i, i) = 0$ and some $A(j, i) \neq 0$ for $j > i$

swap rows i and j of L of A ,

record swap in P

... how to choose $A(j, i)$ called
"pivoting", details later

Don't waste space: let L and U
overwrite A

row i of U overwrites row i of A :

$$\text{omit } U(i, i:n) = A(i, i:n)$$

col i of L (below diagonal) overwrites
same entries of A , available, because
zeroed out: change first line to

$$A(i+1:n, i) = A(i+1:n, i) / A(i, i)$$

iterate from i to $n-1$

change last line to

$$A(i+1:n, i+1:n) = A(i+1:n, i+1:n) - A(i+1:n, i) \cdot A(i, i+1:n)$$

Summary:

for $i = 1$ to $n-1$

if $A(i, i) = 0 \neq A(j, i)$ for $j > i$,

swap rows i & j of A ,

record swap in P

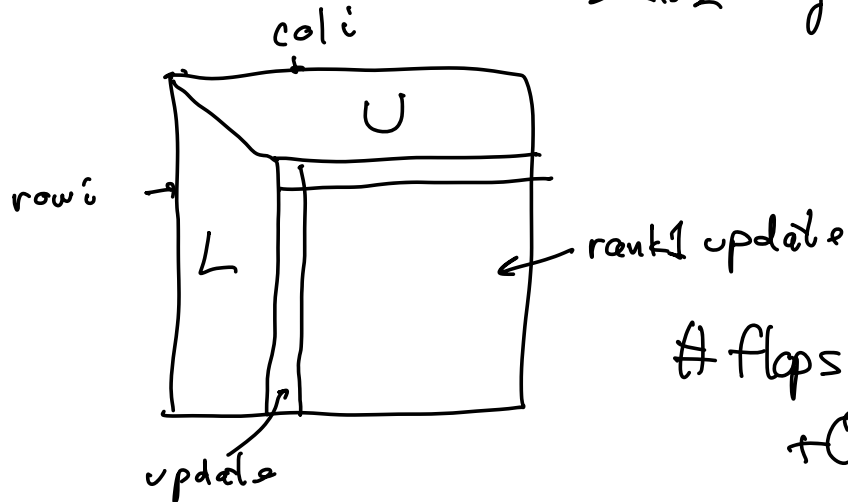
$$A(i+1:n, i) = A(i+1:n, i) / A(i, i)$$

... BLAS1 scal

$$A(i+1:n, i+1:n) = A(i+1:n, i+1:n) -$$

$$A(i+1:n, i) \cdot A(i, i+1:n)$$

-- BLAS2 ger



$$\# \text{ flops} = \frac{2}{3} n^3 + O(n^2)$$