

# Linear transforms

compute

$$y = Tx$$

where  $x$  is the input vector,  $y$  the output vector and  $T$  the transform matrix.

## Example: DFT

1. form (standard in signal processing): given  $x_0, \dots, x_{n-1}$

$$\text{compute } y_k = \sum_{\ell=0}^{n-1} e^{-2\pi i k \ell / n} x_\ell, \text{ for } k=0 \dots n-1 \quad \boxed{i = \sqrt{-1}}$$

$$= \sum_{\ell=0}^{n-1} \omega_n^{k\ell} x_\ell, \text{ for } k=0 \dots n-1, \quad \omega_n = e^{-\frac{2\pi i}{n}}$$

primitive  
nth root of 1

2. form (we will use):  $x = (x_0, \dots, x_{n-1})^T$  is given

$$\text{compute } y = \text{DFT}_n x, \quad \text{DFT}_n = [\omega_n^{k\ell}]_{0 \leq k, \ell < n}$$

$$[y = (y_0, \dots, y_{n-1})^T \text{ is the output}]$$

Examples:

$$\text{DFT}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{DFT}_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -i & -1 & i \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & i & -1 & -i \end{bmatrix}$$

How many  
complex ops  
for  $\text{DFT}_4$ ?

## Transform algorithms

an algorithm for  $y = Tx$  is given by a factorization

$$T = T_1 T_2 \dots T_m$$

Namely, instead of  $y = Tx$  you can compute

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} t_1 = T_m x \\ t_2 = T_{m-1} t_1 \\ \dots \\ y = T_1 t_{m-1} \end{array} \right\} m \text{ steps}$$

This reduces the op count only if

— the  $T_i$  are sparse

—  $m$  is not too large

Note: For generic  $T$ ,  $y = Tx$  is  $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$

Example: Cooley-Tukey FFT for  $n=4$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -i & -1 & i \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & i & -1 & -i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & 1 & & \\ & & i & \\ & & & -i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & 1 & & \\ & & 1 & \\ & & & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Compare (complex) costs:

by definition: 12 adds, 4 mults by  $i$

using FFT: 8 adds, 1 mult by  $i$

The sparse matrices are structured:

$$\mathcal{DFT}_4 = (\mathcal{DFT}_2 \otimes I_2) \text{diag}(1, 1, 1, i) (I_2 \otimes \mathcal{DFT}_2) L_2^T$$

(explained next)

→ back to slides

Structured matrices

- $\mathcal{DFT}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
- $I_n = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- $\text{diag}(a_0, \dots, a_{n-1}) = \begin{pmatrix} a_0 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & a_{n-1} \end{pmatrix}$
- $A \oplus B = \begin{pmatrix} A & \\ & B \end{pmatrix}$
- $A \otimes B = [a_{k,e} \cdot B]_{k,e}$   
where  $A = [a_{k,e}]_{k,e}$

most important:

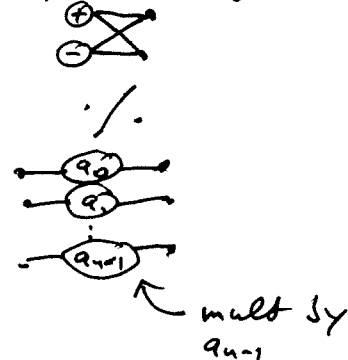
$$I_n \otimes A = \begin{pmatrix} A & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & A \end{pmatrix} \text{ contains } n \text{ A's}$$

$$A \otimes I_n = \begin{pmatrix} \nearrow & \nearrow & \nearrow & \dots & \nearrow \\ \nearrow & \nearrow & \nearrow & \dots & \nearrow \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \end{pmatrix} \xleftarrow{a_{k,e} \cdot I_n}$$

contains  $n$  A's  
e.g., all bullets together  
constitute one A

- $L_n^n$ : stride permutation matrix  
more later

data flow (right to left)



# General radix, recursive Cooley-Tukey FFT

assume  $n = km$

$$\text{DFT}_{km} = (\underbrace{\text{DFT}_k}_{\text{radix}} \otimes \underbrace{I_m}_{\text{diagonal matrix}}) \underbrace{T_m}_{\text{diagonal matrix}} (\underbrace{I_k}_{\text{diagonal matrix}} \otimes \text{DFT}_m) \underbrace{L_k}_{\text{diagonal matrix}}$$

3 key structures:  $I_k \otimes A_m$ ,  $A_k \otimes I_m$ ,  $L_k$

1.)  $y = (I_k \otimes A_m)x$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y \\ y \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A & & \\ & A & \\ & & \ddots \\ & & & A \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}$$

$k$  A's at stride 1

for  $i = 0:k-1$   
 $y[i:m:i+m-1] = A \cdot x[i:m-1]$

2.)  $y = (A_k \otimes I_m)x$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y \\ y \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} A & & & \\ & A & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & A \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix}$$

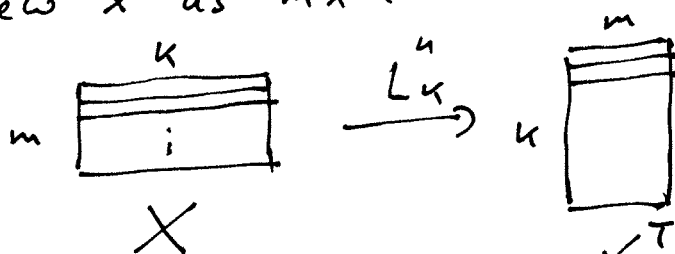
$m$  A's at stride  $m$

for  $i = 0:m-1$   
 $y[i:m:i+(k-1)m] = A \cdot x[i:m-1]$

Permutes  $x$  to obtain  $y$

3.)  $y = L_k^u x$ : different ways of viewing it

a.) view  $x$  as  $m \times k$  matrix:



for  $i = 0:k-1$   
 for  $j = 0:m-1$  //  $m = n/k$   
 $y[i*m+j] = x[i+k*j]$

transposition!

b.)  $L_k^u$  "reads at stride 1 and writes at stride  $m$ "

stride 1  $\rightarrow m$   
 is the same as  
 stride  $k \rightarrow 1$

c.)  $L_k^u$  performs permutation  $im+j \rightarrow jk+i$

$0 \leq i < k$   
 $0 \leq j < m$

FFT again:

$$\text{DFT}_{km} = (\underbrace{\text{DFT}_k \otimes I_m}_{\text{stride } m \rightarrow m}) \underbrace{T_m}_{\text{stride } 1 \rightarrow 1} (\underbrace{I_k \otimes \text{DFT}_m}_{\text{stride } 1 \rightarrow m}) \underbrace{L_k}_{\text{stride } 1 \rightarrow m}$$

stride 1  $\rightarrow m$   
 is the same as  
 stride  $k \rightarrow 1$

this is the "decimation-in-time" version

Decimation in frequency: transpose:

Use: - DFT is symmetric

$$- (L_n^u)^T = L_m$$

$$- (A \otimes B)^T = A^T \otimes B^T$$

Gives:

$$\text{DFT}_{kn} = L_m^u (I_k \otimes \text{DFT}_m) T_m^u (\text{DFT}_k \otimes I_m)$$

Cost analysis: (was in exam for radix 2), assume  $n=2$

Measure: (complex adds, complex mults)

Cost: independent of radix  $(n \log_2(n), \frac{1}{2} n \log_2(n))$

$$\begin{array}{lcl} \text{complex add} & = & 2 \text{ real adds} \\ \text{" mult} & \leq & 4 \text{ real mults} \\ & & 2 \text{ real adds} \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{real cost} \leq 2n \log_2(n) + 3n \log_2(n) = 5n \log_2(n)$$

Iterative radix-2 FFT

$$\text{DFT}_{2^t} = R_{2^t} \prod_{i=1}^t \underbrace{(I_{2^{t-i}} \otimes T_{2^{t-i}}^{2^i})}_{\text{diagonal matrix}} \underbrace{(I_{2^{t-i}} \otimes \text{DFT}_2 \otimes I_{2^{t-i}})}_{2^{t-1} \text{ DFT}_2 \text{'s at varying strides}}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{bit-reversal permutation}}$

Most people consider this "the FFT"