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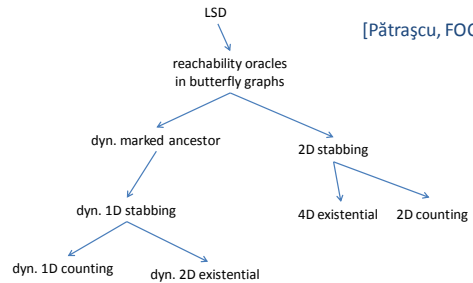
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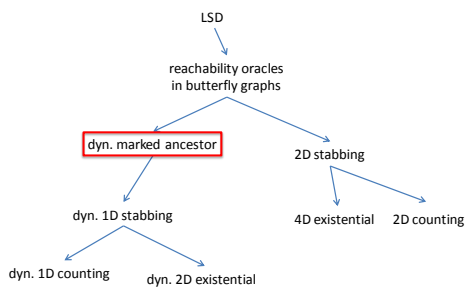
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[Pătraşcu, FOCS'08]

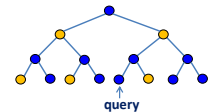


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Marked Ancestor

- $\text{mark}(v) / \text{unmark}(v)$
- $\text{query}(v): \exists? \text{ marked ancestor}$

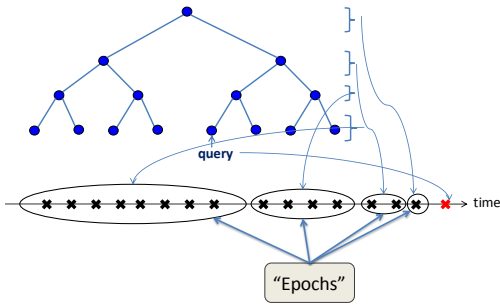


[Alstrup, Husfeldt, Rauhe FOCS'98]

Any data structure with update time $t_u = \lg^{O(1)} n$
requires query time $t_q = \Omega(\lg n / \lg \lg n)$

We may assume any branching factor B :
for each used level, ignore (never mark) the next $\lg B - 1$

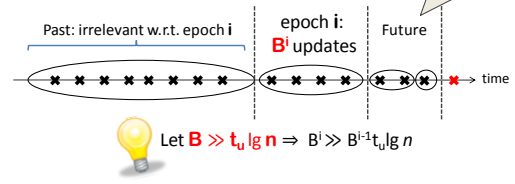
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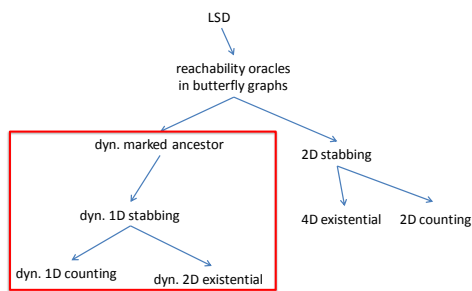
Hardness Intuition

Claim. $(\forall i, \text{ query needs to read one cell from epoch } i \Rightarrow t_q = \Omega(\log_B n)$

Only $O(B^{i-1} t_u \lg n)$ bits are written



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Reductions

Marked ancestor requires time $\Omega(\lg n / \lg \lg n)$

$\Rightarrow$

Dynamic 1D stabbing requires time $\Omega(\lg n / \lg \lg n)$

- marked nodes $\mapsto$ spanning segment
- query has marked ancestor $\Leftrightarrow$ stabs a segment



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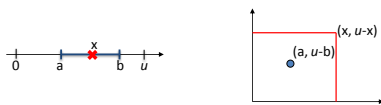
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Dynamic 1D stabbing requires time $\Omega(\lg n / \lg \lg n)$

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Dynamic 2D dominance existential requires $\Omega(\lg n / \lg \lg n)$

In general: dimensional stabbing in d dimensions reduces to dominance queries in $2d$ dimensions



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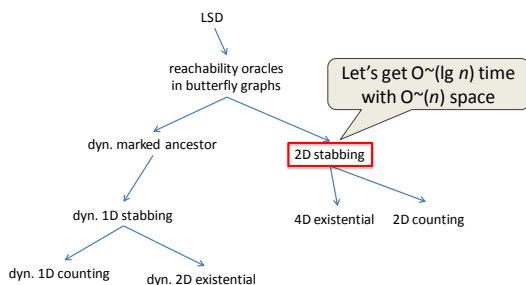
Dynamic 1D dominance counting requires $\Omega(\lg n / \lg \lg n)$

Lower bound holds if #marked ancestors $\in \{0,1\}$

⇒ unweighted version also hard (only parity matters)



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Persistence

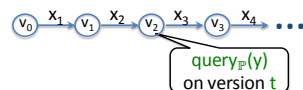
Persistent : { dynamic data structures } $\mapsto$ { static data structures }
An operator on data structure problems!

Given problem $\mathbb{P} \in \{ \text{dynamic d.s.} \}$ with $\text{update}_{\mathbb{P}}(x)$, $\text{query}_{\mathbb{P}}(y)$

Persistent($\mathbb{P}$) = the static problem

Preprocess $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_T)$ to answer:

- $\text{query}_{\mathbb{P}}(y, t)$: what would $\text{query}_{\mathbb{P}}(y)$ return after " $\text{update}_{\mathbb{P}}(x_1), \dots, \text{update}_{\mathbb{P}}(x_t)$ "

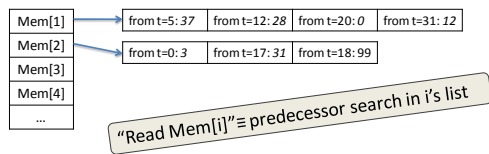


Dynamic $\mapsto$ Persistent

Black-box conversion

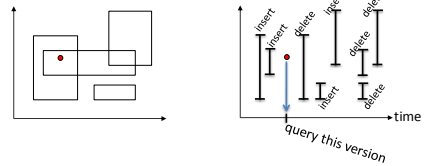
Dynamic data structure: query t_q ; update t_u

$\mapsto$ Persistent data structure: space $O(T \cdot t_u)$; query $O(t_q \cdot \lg T)$



Static 2D Stabbing

Static 2D Stabbing = Persistent(Dynamic 1D stabbing)

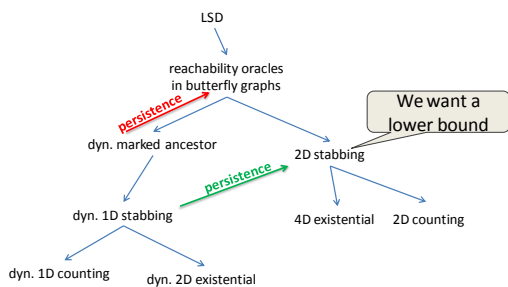


Dynamic 1D stabbing: $O(\lg n)$ by binary search trees

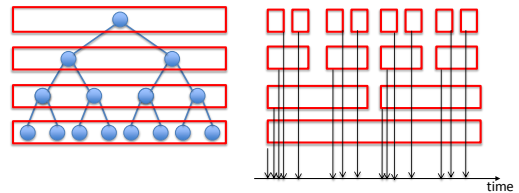
$\Rightarrow$ Static 2D stabbing with space $O(n \lg n)$ and time $O(\lg n \lg \lg n)$

[More care: space $O(n)$, time $O(\lg n / \lg \lg n)$]

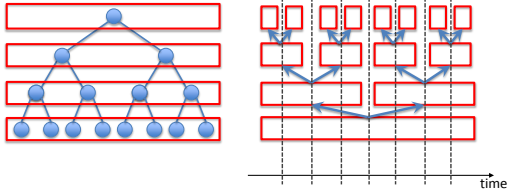
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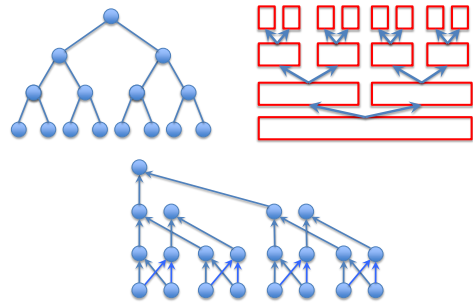
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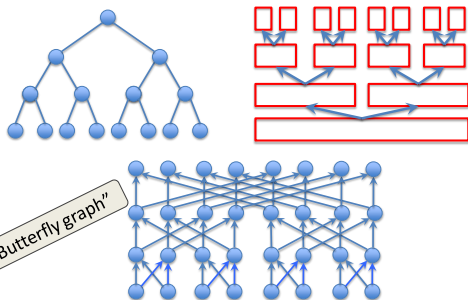
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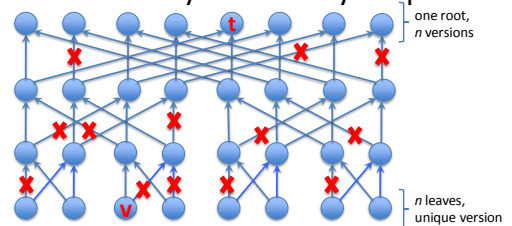
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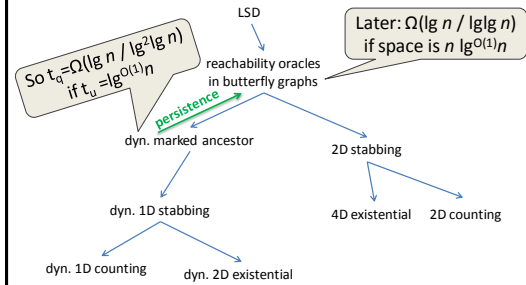


Persistent(Marked Ancestor) = Reachability in Butterfly Graphs

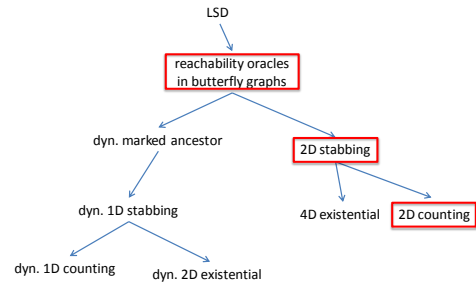


$\text{mark}(v) \mapsto$ delete edge from v to current parent
 $\text{query}(v,t) \mapsto$ can you reach from v to t ?

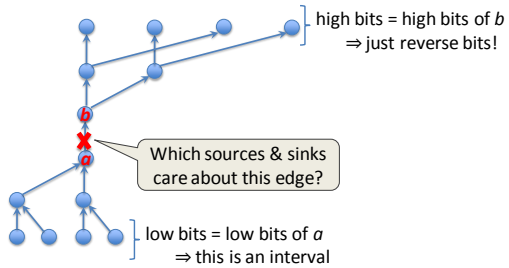
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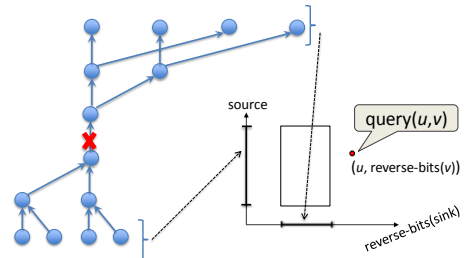
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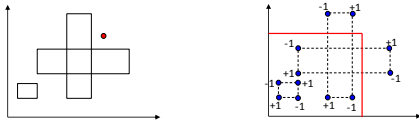
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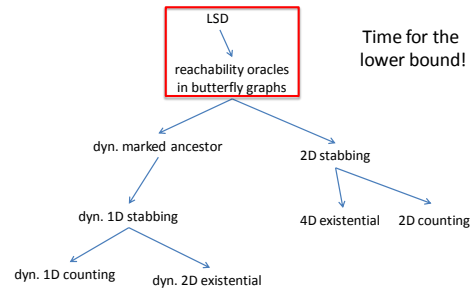
2D Stabbing $\mapsto$ 2D Counting



We can guarantee:

- ⇒ In butterfly query, at most one edge is deleted
- ⇒ In 2D stabbing, at most one rectangle is stabbed
- ⇒ Only parity matters in 2D range counting
- ⇒ unweighted counting also hard

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Communication Complexity



Measures: total # bits communicated by Alice, Bob

Indexing

Alice: $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$
 Bob: $v \in \{0, 1\}^n$

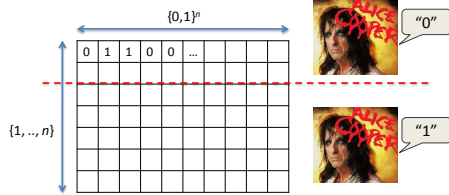
Output: $v[i]$

Trivial solutions:

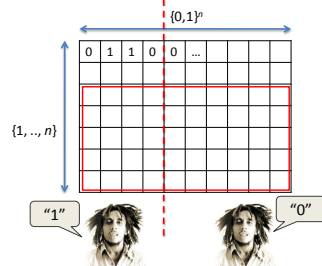
- Alice sends $\lg n$ bits; Bob sends 1 bit
- Bob sends n bits; Alice sends 1 bit
- Alice sends a bits; Bob sends $n/2^a$ bits; Alice sends 1 bit

Theorem. If Alice communicate a bits,
 Bob needs to communicate $\geq n/2^{O(a)}$ bits.

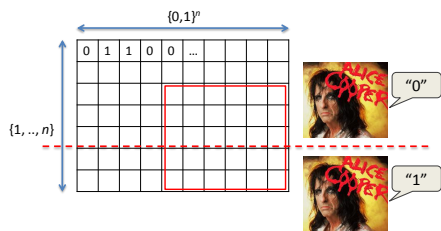
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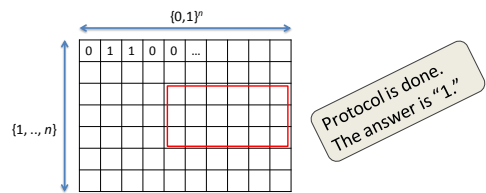
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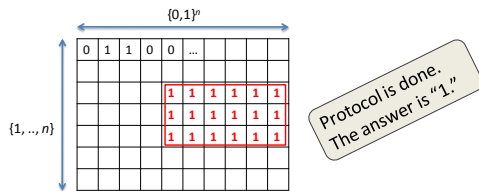
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At the end of a protocol, arrive at a *monochromatic* rectangle

Indexing Lower Bound

Theorem. If Alice communicates a bits,
Bob needs to communicate $\geq n/2^{O(a)}$ bits.

If Alice communicates a bits & Bob communicates b bits
 $\Rightarrow$ end at monochromatic rectangle $A \times B$
 of size $|A| \geq n/2^a$; $|B| \geq n/2^b$

Say output is "1" $\Rightarrow (\forall i \in A, v[i] = 1$

$\Rightarrow$ at most $2^{n-|A|}$ choices for v

$\Rightarrow 2^n/2^b \leq 2^{n-|A|} \Rightarrow b \geq |A| \Rightarrow b \geq n/2^a$ $\square$

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Theorem. If Alice communicates $o(\lg n)$ bits,
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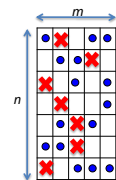
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Lopsided Set Disjointness

- Alice: set $S \subseteq [n \cdot m]$, $|S| = n$
- Bob: set $T \subseteq [n \cdot m]$, $|T| \leq n \cdot m$
- Output: $S \cap T = \emptyset$?

Special case: LSD = $n \times$ Indexing(m)

$A = \{ \text{red crosses} \}$ $B = \{ \text{blue dots} \}$



Theorem. If Alice communicates $o(n \lg m)$ bits,
Bob needs to communicate $\geq n \cdot m^{1-o(1)}$ bits

Lopsided Set Disjointness

Inputs: Alice $(i_1, \dots, i_n) \in [m]^n$, Bob $(v_1, \dots, v_n) \in \{0,1\}^n$

Alice sends $n \cdot a$ bits, Bob sends $n \cdot b$ bits

$\Rightarrow$ rectangle of 1's $A \times B$ of size:

$$\boxed{(\forall)k, v_k[i_k] = 0} \quad \begin{aligned} |A| &\geq m^n / 2^{na} = (m / 2^a)^n \\ |B| &\geq 2^{mn} / 2^{nb} = (2^m / 2^b)^n \end{aligned}$$

$A \subseteq \pi_1(A) \times \dots \times \pi_n(A) \Rightarrow$ for $\frac{1}{2}n+1$ coordinates $|\pi_i(A)| \geq m / 2^{2a}$

$B \subseteq \pi_1(B) \times \dots \times \pi_n(B) \Rightarrow$ for $\frac{1}{2}n+1$ coordinates $|\pi_j(B)| \geq 2^m / 2^{2b}$

So $(\exists)j$: $|\pi_j(A)| \geq m / 2^{2a}$ & $|\pi_j(B)| \geq 2^m / 2^{2b}$
 $\pi_j(A) \times \pi_j(B)$ monochromatic rectangle for Indexing.

Lopsided Set Disjointness

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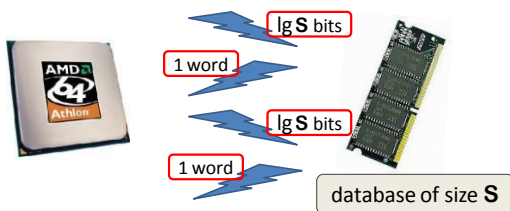
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Communication Complexity $\rightarrow$ Data Structures



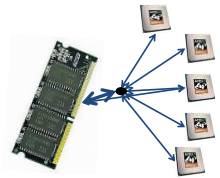
Then what's the difference between
 $S=O(n)$ and $S=O(n^2)$?



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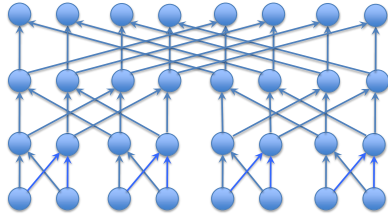
Processor $\rightarrow$ memory bandwidth:

- one processor: $\lg S$
- k processors: $\lg \binom{S}{k} \approx k \lg \frac{S}{k}$
 amortized $\lg(S/k)$ / processor

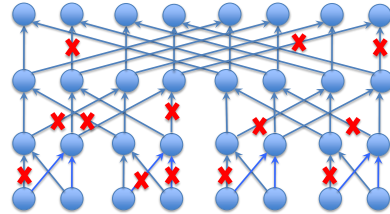


	$S=O(n)$	$S=O(n^2)$
$k = 1$	$\lg n$	$2 \lg n$
$k = n / \lg n$	$\lg \lg n$	$\approx \lg n$

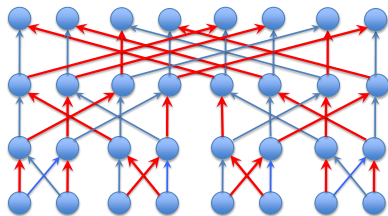
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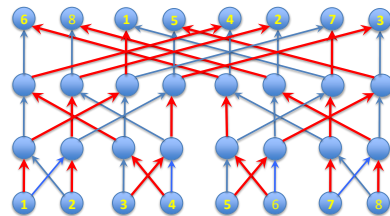
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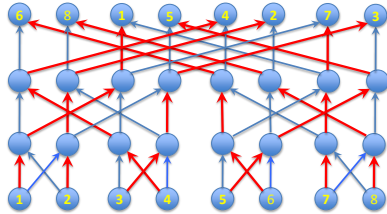
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n queries: source $k \rightarrow$ sink k
 $S \cap T \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow$ some query answer false

LSD → Reachability Oracles

Butterfly

- width n
- degree $B \geq \lg n$

Input size $N = n \cdot B$

Space $S = N \lg^{O(1)} N = n \cdot B \lg^{O(1)} n$

Alice sends $t \cdot n \lg(S/n)$
 $= n \cdot t \cdot O(\lg B)$

Bob sends $n \cdot t \cdot \lg n$

$\Leftrightarrow$ Set disjointness

- $|S| = n \log_B n$
- $|T| = n \cdot B = |S| \cdot (B / \log_B n)$

Thus: $m = B / \log_B n \approx B / \lg B$

If Alice sends $o(|S| \lg m)$
 $= o(n \log_B n \lg B)$

Bob must send $|S| \cdot m^{1-o(1)}$
 $= n \cdot B^{1-o(1)}$

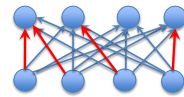
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If $t = o(\log_B n) \Rightarrow t \lg n \geq B^{1-o(1)}$
 Set $B = \lg^3 n \Rightarrow$ contradiction.
 Thus $t = \Omega(\log n / \lg \lg n)$

Alice sends $t \cdot n \lg(S/n)$
 $= n \cdot t \cdot O(\lg B)$
 Bob sends $n \cdot t \cdot \lg n$

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How to Get a Matching



Universe B^2 ; $|S| = B$; $|T| \leq B^2$

S edges form a matching $\Leftrightarrow$ perfect hashing $[B^2] \mapsto [B]$

$O(B)$ bits to describe the perfect hash function
 $\Rightarrow$ negligible communication