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# Nearly Optimal Computations with Structured Matrices

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## Abstract

We estimate the Boolean complexity of multiplication of structured matrices by a vector and the solution of nonsingular linear systems of equations with these matrices. We study four basic and most popular classes, that is, Toeplitz, Hankel, Cauchy and Vandermonde matrices, for which the cited computational problems are equivalent to the task of polynomial multiplication and division and polynomial and rational multipoint evaluation and interpolation. The Boolean cost estimates for the latter problems have been obtained by Kirrinnis in [10], except for rational interpolation. We supply them now as well as the Boolean complexity estimates for the important problems of multiplication of transposed Vandermonde matrix and its inverse by a vector. All known Boolean cost estimates from [10] for such problems rely on using Kronecker product. This implies the  $d$ -fold precision increase for the  $d$ -th degree output, but we avoid such an increase by relying on distinct techniques based on employing FFT. Furthermore we simplify the analysis and make it more transparent by combining the representations of our tasks and algorithms both via structured matrices and via polynomials and rational functions. This also enables further extensions of our estimates to cover Trummer's important problem and computations with the popular classes of structured matrices that generalize the four cited basic matrix classes, as well as the transposed Vandermonde matrices. It is known that the solution of Toeplitz, Hankel, Cauchy, Vandermonde, and transposed Vandermonde linear systems of equations is generally prone to numerical stability problems, and numerical problems arise even for multiplication of Cauchy, Vandermonde, and transposed Vandermonde matrices by a vector. Thus our FFT-based results on the Boolean complexity of these important computations could be quite interesting because our estimates are reasonable even for more general classes of structured matrices, showing rather moderate growth of the complexity as the input size increases.

**Keywords:** Boolean complexity, approximate computations, structured matrices, polynomials, rational functions, multipoint evaluation, interpolation, Cauchy linear system, Trummer's problem, transposed Vandermonde matrices, precision of computing

## 1 Introduction

Table 1 displays four classes of most popular structured matrices, which are omnipresent in modern computations for Sciences, Engineering, and Signal and Image Processing. These basic classes have been naturally extended to the four larger classes of matrices,  $\mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathcal{H}$ ,  $\mathcal{V}$ , and  $\mathcal{C}$ , that have structures of Toeplitz, Hankel, Vandermonde and Cauchy types, respectively. They include many other important classes of structured matrices such as the products and inverses of the matrices of these four basic classes, as well as the companion, Sylvester, subresultant, Loewner, and Pick matrices. All these matrices can be readily

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**Table 1.** Four classes of structured matrices

<p>Toeplitz matrices <math>T = (t_{i-j})_{i,j=0}^{n-1}</math></p> $\begin{pmatrix} t_0 & t_{-1} & \cdots & t_{1-n} \\ t_1 & t_0 & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & t_{-1} \\ t_{n-1} & \cdots & t_1 & t_0 \end{pmatrix}$	<p>Hankel matrices <math>H = (h_{i+j})_{i,j=0}^{n-1}</math></p> $\begin{pmatrix} h_0 & h_1 & \cdots & h_{n-1} \\ h_1 & h_2 & \ddots & h_n \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ h_{n-1} & h_n & \cdots & h_{2n-2} \end{pmatrix}$
<p>Vandermonde matrices <math>V = V_{\mathbf{s}} = (s_i^{j-1})_{i,j=1}^n</math></p> $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & s_1 & \cdots & s_1^{n-1} \\ 1 & s_2 & \cdots & s_2^{n-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 1 & s_n & \cdots & s_n^{n-1} \end{pmatrix}$	<p>Cauchy matrices <math>C = C_{\mathbf{s},\mathbf{t}} = \left(\frac{1}{s_i - t_j}\right)_{i,j=1}^n</math></p> $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{s_1 - t_1} & \cdots & \frac{1}{s_1 - t_n} \\ \frac{1}{s_2 - t_1} & \cdots & \frac{1}{s_2 - t_n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{1}{s_n - t_1} & \cdots & \frac{1}{s_n - t_n} \end{pmatrix}$

expressed via their displacements of small ranks [15, Chapter 4], which implies their further attractive properties:

- Compressed representation of matrices as well as their products and inverses through a small number of parameters.
- Multiplication by a vector in nearly linear arithmetic time.
- Solution of nonsingular linear systems of equations with these matrices in quadratic or nearly linear arithmetic time.

These properties enable efficient computations, closely linked and frequently equivalent to fundamental computations with polynomials and rational functions, in particular to the multiplication, division, multipoint evaluation and interpolation [19]. Low arithmetic cost is surely attractive, but substantial growth of the computational precision quite frequently affects the known algorithms having low arithmetic cost (see, e.g., [5]). So the estimation of the complexity under the Boolean model is more informative, although technically more demanding.

To the best of our knowledge, the first Boolean complexity bounds for multipoint evaluation are due to Ritzmann [21]. We also wish to cite the papers [28] and [12], although their results have been superseded in the advanced work of 1998 by Kirrinnis, [10], apparently still not sufficiently well known. Namely in the process of studying approximate partial fraction decomposition he has estimated the Boolean complexity of the multipoint evaluation, interpolation, and the summation of rational functions. He required the input polynomials to be normalized, but actually this was not restrictive at all. For simplicity we assume the evaluation at the points of small magnitude, but our estimates can be rather easily extended to the case of general input. Kirrinnis' study as well as all previous estimates of the Boolean complexity of these computational problems rely on multiplying polynomials as integers, by using Kronecker's product, aka binary segmentation, as proposed in [7]. This implies the  $d$ -fold increase of the computational precision for the  $d$ -th degree output. In contrast our results rely on FFT-based algorithms for multiplying univariate polynomials and avoid this precision growth. This does not lead to an improvement of the complexity bounds, but allows us to perform polynomial operations without relying solely on algorithms for fast multiplication of long integers, which are only efficient when the precision of computing grows large.

We represent our FFT-based estimates and algorithms in terms of operations both with structured matrices and with polynomial and rational functions. In both representations the computational tasks and

the solution algorithms are equivalent, and so the results of [10] for partial fraction decomposition can be extended to most, although not all, of these tasks. By using both representations, however, we make our analysis more transparent. Furthermore in Section 7 we extend Kirrinnis' results to the solution of a Cauchy linear system of equations (which unlike [10] covers rational interpolation) and in Section 7.2 to the solution of Trummer's celebrated problem [8], [9], [6], having important applications to mechanics (e.g., to particle simulation) and representing the secular equation, which is the basis for the MPSolve, the most efficient package of subroutines for numerical polynomial root-finding [3].

Our estimates cover multiplication of the matrices of the four basic classes of Table 1 by a vector and solving Vandermonde and Cauchy linear systems of equations. (As we mentioned, these tasks are closely linked and frequently equivalent to the listed tasks of the multiplication, division, multipoint evaluation and interpolation of polynomials and rational functions.) Expressing the solution of these problems in terms of matrices has a major advantage: it can be extended to matrices of the four larger matrix classes  $\mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathcal{H}$ ,  $\mathcal{V}$ , and  $\mathcal{C}$ . We specify these extensions in the last sections of the paper, where we also estimate the Boolean complexity of the important problems of multiplication of the transpose of a Vandermonde matrix by a vector and the solution of the transposed Vandermonde linear system of equations.

It is known that the solution of Toeplitz, Hankel, Cauchy, Vandermonde, and transposed Vandermonde linear system of equations is generally prone to numerical stability problems, and numerical problems arise even for multiplication of Cauchy, Vandermonde, and transposed Vandermonde matrices by a vector. Thus our results on the Boolean complexity of these important computations can be quite interesting, because our FFT-based estimates are reasonable, even for more general classes of structured matrices, showing rather moderate growth of the complexity as the input size increases.

In order to prove asymptotic estimates we must bound the overhead constants. For all the bounds on the required precision that we present, we also estimate the corresponding constants and we do not rely on the  $\mathcal{O}$  notation. The presented constants are not optimal, but allow anyone to verify the proofs.

In our model of computation we assume that we can ask as many bits as we want for the input quantities. In this way our results answer the question of how many bits, say  $\lambda$ , of accuracy we need for the input quantities so that our algorithms guarantee an  $\ell$ -bit (absolute) approximation of their output. It holds that  $\lambda \geq \ell$ . If  $o$  is the true output and  $\bar{o}$  is the computed (approximate) output, then  $|o - \bar{o}| \leq 2^{-\ell}$ . We perform all the computations using fixed point arithmetic and using the precision indicated in the various theorems and lemmata. More specifically, if we require the input to be known up to precision of  $\lambda$  bits, then we assume that we perform all the computation using fixed point arithmetic with this number of bits. In all the cases we consider absolute error bounds. We refer the reader to [25] for a detailed presentation and related references. Naturally, the Boolean complexity results that we present depend on the (bit) size of the input and on  $\ell$ . In the case where the input is exact, for example, if it consists of rational numbers, then we can forget the  $\ell$  in all the bounds that we present.

**Organization of the paper.** We organize our presentation as follows. In the remainder of this section we present our notation. In the next section we recall some known results for the root separation bounds of univariate polynomials and for approximate multiplication of univariate polynomials. In Section 3 we present our results on univariate polynomial division and FFT. Section 4 is dedicated to polynomial multipoint evaluation. Section 5 considers algorithms for multiplication of  $m$  polynomials, sum of rational functions, and modular representation of a univariate polynomial. In Section 6 we present bounds for Lagrange interpolation. We postpone explicit study of structured matrices until Section 7, but Sections 2–6 are implicitly and quite closely linked to that subject because of the close link of the computations with them and ones with polynomials and rational functions. More specifically, in Section 7 we consider the problems of multiplying a Cauchy matrix by a vector, Trummer's problem, and the solution to a Cauchy linear system. In Section 8 we extend our results to Hankel matrices and to transposed Vandermonde matrices, while in Section 9 we extend them to matrices having a small displacement rank.

**Notation** In what follows  $\mathcal{O}_B$ , resp.  $\mathcal{O}$ , means bit, resp. arithmetic, complexity and  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B$ , resp.  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}$ , means that we are ignoring logarithmic factors. “Ops” stands for “arithmetic operations”. For a polynomial  $A = \sum_{i=0}^d a_i x^i \in \mathbb{Z}[x]$ ,  $\deg(A) = d$  denotes its degree and  $\mathcal{L}(A) = \tau$  the maximum bitsize of its coefficients, including a bit for the sign. For  $a \in \mathbb{Q}$ ,  $\mathcal{L}(a) \geq 1$  is the maximum bitsize of the numerator and the denominator.  $\mu(\lambda)$  denotes the bit complexity of multiplying two integers of size  $\lambda$ ; we have  $\mu(\lambda) = \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(\lambda)$ .  $2^\Gamma$  is an upper bound on the magnitude of the roots of  $A$ . We write  $\Delta_\alpha(A)$  or just  $\Delta_\alpha$  to denote the minimum distance between a root  $\alpha$  of a polynomial  $A$  and any other root. We call this quantity *local separation bound*. We also write  $\Delta_i$  instead of  $\Delta_{\alpha_i}$ .  $\Delta(A) = \min_\alpha \Delta_\alpha(A)$  or just  $\Delta$  denotes the *separation bound*, that is the minimum distance between all the roots of  $A$ . The Mahler bound (or measure) of  $A$  is  $\mathcal{M}(A) = a_d \prod_{|\alpha| \geq 1} |\alpha|$ , where  $\alpha$  runs through the complex roots of  $A$ , e.g. [13, 29]. If  $A \in \mathbb{Z}[x]$  and  $\mathcal{L}(A) = \tau$ , then  $\mathcal{M}(A) \leq \|A\|_2 \leq \sqrt{d+1} \|A\|_\infty = 2^\tau \sqrt{d+1}$ . If we evaluate a function  $F$  (e.g.,  $F = A$ ) at a number  $c$  using interval arithmetic, then we denote the resulting interval by  $[F(c)]$ , provided that we fix the evaluation algorithm and the precision of computing. We write  $D(c, r) = \{x : |x - c| \leq r\}$ .  $\tilde{f} \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  denotes a  $\lambda$ -approximation to a polynomial  $f \in \mathbb{C}[x]$ , such that  $\|f - \tilde{f}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$ . In particular  $\tilde{a} \in \mathbb{C}$  denotes a  $\lambda$ -approximation to a constant  $a \in \mathbb{C}$  such that  $|a - \tilde{a}| \leq 2^{-\lambda}$ .  $\lg$  stands for  $\log$ . For an interval  $I$  we use  $\text{wid}(I)$  to denote its width.

## 2 Preliminaries

### 2.1 Univariate Separation Bounds

The following proposition provides upper and aggregate bounds for the roots of a univariate polynomial. There are various version of these bounds. We use the one presented in [26], to which we also refer the reader for further details and a discussion of the literature.

**Proposition 1.** *Let  $f = \sum_{i=0}^d a_i x^i \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  be a square-free univariate polynomial of a degree  $d$  such that  $a_d a_0 \neq 0$ . Let  $\Omega$  be any set of  $k$  pairs of indices  $(i, j)$  such that  $1 \leq i < j \leq d$ , let the complex roots of  $A$  be  $0 < |\gamma_1| \leq |\gamma_2| \leq \dots \leq |\gamma_d|$ , and let  $\text{disc}(f)$  be the discriminant of  $f$ . Then*

$$\frac{|a_0|}{\|f\|_2} \leq |\gamma_i| \leq \frac{\|f\|_2}{|a_d|} , \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \prod_{(i,j) \in \Omega} |\gamma_i - \gamma_j| &\geq 2^{k-d - \frac{d(d-1)}{2}} |a_0|^k \mathcal{M}(f)^{1-d-k} \sqrt{|\text{disc}(f)|} \\ &\geq 2^{k-d - \frac{d(d-1)}{2}} |a_0|^k \|f\|_2^{1-d-k} \sqrt{|\text{disc}(f)|} . \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

If  $f \in \mathbb{Z}[x]$  and the maximum coefficient bitsize is  $\tau$  then

$$2^{-\tau-1} \leq |\gamma_i| \leq 2^{\tau+1} , \quad (3)$$

$$-\lg \prod_{(i,j) \in \Omega} |\gamma_i - \gamma_j| \leq 3d^2 + 3d\tau + 4d \lg d. \quad (4)$$

The following lemma from [27] provides a lower bound on the evaluation of a polynomial that depends on the closest root and on aggregate separation bounds.

**Lemma 2.** *Suppose  $L \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f$  is a square-free polynomial, and its root  $\gamma_1$  is closest to  $L$ . Then*

$$|f(L)| \geq |a_d|^7 |L - \gamma_1|^6 \mathcal{M}(f)^{-6} 2^{\lg \prod_i \Delta_i - 6} .$$

## 2.2 Complex Interval arithmetic

We also need the following bounds for the width of complex intervals when we perform computations with interval arithmetic. We will use them to bound the error when we perform basic computation with complex (floating point) numbers. We refer the reader to [22] for further details.

**Proposition 3 (Complex intervals).** *Given complex intervals  $I$  and  $J$ , where  $|I|$ , resp.  $|J|$ , denotes the modulus of any complex number in the complex interval  $I$ , resp.  $J$ . If  $2^{-\nu} \leq |I| \leq 2^\tau$  and  $|J| \leq 2^\sigma$ , then  $\text{wid}(I + J) \leq 2\text{wid}(I) + 2\text{wid}(J)$ ,  $\text{wid}(IJ) \leq 2^{\tau+1}\text{wid}(J) + 2^{\sigma+1}\text{wid}(I)$ , and  $\text{wid}(1/I) \leq 2^{4\nu+2\tau+3}\text{wid}(I)$ .*

## 2.3 Approximate multiplication of two polynomials

We need the following two lemmata from [19] on the evaluation of a polynomial at the powers of a root of unity and on polynomial multiplication. A result similar to the first lemma appeared in [23, Section 3] where Bluestein's technique from [4] is applied (see also [11, Chapter 4.3.3, Exercise 16]). We use that lemma to provide a bound on the Boolean complexity of multiplying two univariate polynomials when their coefficients are known up to a fixed precision. An algorithm for this problem appeared in [23, Theorem 2.2] based on employing Kronecker's product, but instead we rely on FFT and the estimates of Corollary 4.1 from [2, Chapter 3].

**Lemma 4.** *Suppose  $A \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  of a degree at most  $d$  such that  $\|A\|_\infty \leq 2^\tau$ . Let  $K = 2^k \geq d$  for a positive integer  $k$ . Assume that we know the coefficients of  $A$  up to the precision  $-\ell - \tau - \lg K - 3$ ; that is, the input is assumed to be a polynomial  $\tilde{A}$  such that  $\|A - \tilde{A}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\ell - \tau - \lg K - 3}$ . Let  $\omega = \exp(\frac{2\pi}{K}\sqrt{-1})$  denote a  $K$ -th root of unity. Then we can evaluate the polynomial  $A$  at  $1, \omega, \dots, \omega^{K-1}$ , using  $\ell + \tau + \lg K + 3$  bits of accuracy, in  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(K \lg K \mu(\ell + \tau + \lg K))$  such that  $\max_{0 \leq i \leq K-1} |A(\omega^i) - \tilde{A}(\omega^i)| \leq 2^{-\ell}$ . Moreover,  $|A(\omega^i)| \leq K \|A\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau + \lg K}$ , for all  $0 \leq i \leq K - 1$ .*

**Lemma 5.** *Let  $A, B \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  of degree at most  $d$ , such that  $\|A\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_1}$  and  $\|B\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_2}$ . Let  $C$  denote the product  $AB$  and let  $K = 2^k \geq 2d + 1$  for a positive integer  $k$ . Write  $\lambda = \ell + 2\tau_1 + 2\tau_2 + 5.1 \lg K + 4$ . Assume that we know the coefficients of  $A$  and  $B$  up to the precision  $\lambda$ , that is that the input includes two polynomials  $\tilde{A}$  and  $\tilde{B}$  such that  $\|A - \tilde{A}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$  and  $\|B - \tilde{B}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$ . Then we can compute in  $\mathcal{O}_B(d \lg d \mu(\ell + \tau_1 + \tau_2 + \lg d))$  a polynomial  $\tilde{C}$  such that  $\|C - \tilde{C}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\ell}$ . Moreover,  $\|C\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_1 + \tau_2 + 2 \lg K}$  for all  $i$ .*

**Remark 6.** *In the sequel, for simplicity we occasionally replace the value  $\lambda = \ell + 2\tau_1 + 2\tau_2 + 5.1 \lg(2d + 1) + 4$  by its simple upper bound  $\ell + 2\tau_1 + 2\tau_2 + 6 \lg d + 15$ .*

## 3 Approximate FFT-based polynomial division

In this section we present an efficient algorithm and its complexity analysis for dividing univariate polynomials approximately. This result is the main ingredient of the fast algorithms for multipoint evaluation and interpolation. The evaluation is involved into our record fast real root-refinement, but all these results are also interesting on their own right because, unlike the previous papers such as [23], [24] and [10], we keep the Boolean cost bounds of these computations at the record level by employing FFT rather than the Kronecker product and thus decreasing the precision of computing dramatically.

Assume two polynomials  $s(x) = \sum_{i=0}^m s_i x^i$  and  $t(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n t_i x^i$  such that  $s_m t_n \neq 0$ ,  $m \geq n$ , and seek the quotient  $q(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{m-n} q_i x^i$  and the remainder  $r(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r_i x^i$  of their division such that  $s(x) = t(x)q(x) + r(x)$  and  $\deg(r) < \deg(t)$ . Further assume that  $t_n = 1$ . This is no loss of generality because we can divide the polynomial  $t$  by its nonzero leading coefficient. We narrow our task to computing the quotient  $q(x)$  because as soon as the quotient is available, we can compute the remainder

$r(x) = s(x) - t(x)q(x)$  at the dominated cost by multiplying  $t(x)$  by  $q(x)$  and subtracting the result from  $s(x)$ .

The complexity analysis that we present relies on root bounds of  $t(x)$ , contrary to [19] where it relies on bounds on the infinity norm of  $t(x)$ . To keep the presentation self-contained we copy from [19] the matrix representation of the algorithm, which occupies the next two pages, up to to Lemma 9.

We begin with an algorithm for the exact evaluation of the quotient. Represent division with a remainder by the vector equation

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ t_{n-1} & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ t_1 \\ t_0 & t_1 & \cdots & 1 \\ & t_0 & t_1 & \vdots \\ & & & t_1 \\ & & & t_0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} q_{m-n} \\ q_{m-n-1} \\ \vdots \\ q_1 \\ q_0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} r_{n-1} \\ r_{n-2} \\ \vdots \\ r_0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_m \\ s_{m-1} \\ \vdots \\ s_n \\ s_{n-1} \\ \vdots \\ s_0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The first  $m - n + 1$  equations form the following vector equation,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ t_{n-1} & 1 \\ t_{n-2} & t_{n-1} & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \\ t_{2n-m-1} & t_{2n-m-2} & \cdots & 1 \\ t_{2n-m} & t_{2n-m-1} & t_{2n-m-2} & \cdots & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} q_{m-n} \\ q_{m-n-1} \\ q_{m-n-2} \\ \vdots \\ q_1 \\ q_0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_m \\ s_{m-1} \\ s_{m-2} \\ \vdots \\ s_{n+1} \\ s_n \end{bmatrix} \Leftrightarrow T \mathbf{q} = \mathbf{s}, \quad (5)$$

where  $t_i = 0$  for  $i < 0$ ,  $\mathbf{q} = (q_i)_{i=0}^{m-n}$ ,  $\mathbf{s} = (s_i)_{i=n}^m$ , and  $T$  is the nonsingular lower triangular Toeplitz matrix, defined by its first column vector  $\mathbf{t} = (t_{n-i})_{i=0}^n$ ,  $t_n = 1$ . Write  $T = Z(\mathbf{t})$  and  $Z = Z(\mathbf{e}_2)$  where  $\mathbf{e}_2 = (0, 1, 0, \dots, 0)^T$  is the second coordinate vector, and express the matrix  $T$  as a polynomial in a generator matrix  $Z = Z_{n+1}$  of size  $(n+1) \times (n+1)$  as follows,

$$Z = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 1 & \ddots & & \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ & & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & \cdots & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad T = Z(\mathbf{t}) = t(Z) = \sum_{i=0}^n t_i Z^i, \quad Z^{n+1} = O.$$

The matrix  $T$  is nonsingular because  $t_n \neq 0$ , and the latter equations imply that the inverse matrix  $T^{-1} = t(Z)^{-1} \bmod Z^{n+1}$  is again a polynomial in  $Z$ , that is again a lower triangular Toeplitz matrix defined by its first column. We compute this column by applying a divide and conquer algorithm. Assume that  $n+1 = \gamma = 2^k$  is a power of two, for a positive integer  $k$ . If this is not the case, embed the matrix  $T$  into a lower triangular Toeplitz  $\gamma \times \gamma$  matrix  $\bar{t}(Z_\gamma)$  for  $\gamma = 2^k$  and  $k = \lceil \lg(n+1) \rceil$  with the leading (that is northwestern) block  $T = t(Z_\gamma)$ , such that  $t(Z_\gamma) = \bar{t}(Z_\gamma) \bmod Z_\gamma^{n+1}$ , compute the inverse matrix and output its leading  $(n+1) \times (n+1)$  block  $T^{-1}$ .

Now represent  $T$  as the  $2 \times 2$  block matrix,  $T = \begin{bmatrix} T_0 & O \\ T_1 & T_0 \end{bmatrix}$  where  $T_0$  and  $T_1$  are  $\frac{\gamma}{2} \times \frac{\gamma}{2}$  Toeplitz submatrices of the Toeplitz matrix  $T$ ,  $T_0$  is invertible, and observe that

$$T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} T_0 & O \\ T_1 & T_0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} T_0^{-1} & O \\ -T_0^{-1} T_1 T_0^{-1} & T_0^{-1} \end{bmatrix}. \quad (6)$$

We only seek the first column of the matrix  $T^{-1}$ . Its computation amounts to solving the same problem for the half-size triangular Toeplitz matrix  $T_0$  and to multiplication of each of the  $\frac{\gamma}{2} \times \frac{\gamma}{2}$  Toeplitz matrices  $T_1$  and  $T_0^{-1}$  by a vector. Let  $TTI(s)$  and  $TM(s)$  denote the arithmetic cost of  $s \times s$  triangular Toeplitz matrix inversion and multiplying an  $s \times s$  Toeplitz matrix by a vector, respectively. Then the above analysis implies that  $TTI(\gamma) \leq TTI(\gamma/2) + 2TM(\gamma/2)$ . Recursively apply this bound to  $TTI(\gamma/2^g)$  for  $g = 1, 2, \dots$ , and deduce that  $TTI(\gamma) \leq \sum_{g=1}^h TM(\gamma/2^g)$ . The following simple lemma (cf. [15, equations (2.4.3) and (2.4.4)]) reduce Toeplitz-by-vector multiplication to polynomial multiplication and the extraction of a subvector of the coefficient vector of the product, thus implying that  $TM(s) \leq cs \lg s$  for a constant  $c$  and consequently  $TTI(\gamma) < 2c\gamma \lg \gamma$ .

**Lemma 7.** *The vector equation*

$$\begin{pmatrix} u_0 & & & O \\ \vdots & \ddots & & \\ \vdots & \ddots & u_0 & \\ u_m & \ddots & \vdots & \\ O & & \ddots & u_m \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_0 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} p_0 \\ \vdots \\ p_m \\ \vdots \\ p_{m+n} \end{pmatrix} \quad (7)$$

is equivalent to the polynomial equation

$$\left( \sum_{i=0}^m u_i x^i \right) \left( \sum_{i=0}^n v_i x^i \right) = \sum_{i=0}^{m+n} p_i x^i. \quad (8)$$

We wish to estimate the Boolean (rather than arithmetic) cost of inverting a triangular Toeplitz matrix  $T$  and then extend this to the Boolean cost bound of computing the vector  $T^{-1}\mathbf{s}$  and of polynomial division. So next we assume that the input polynomials are known up to some precision  $2^{-\lambda}$  and employ the above reduction of the problem to recursive (approximate) polynomial multiplications.

To study the Boolean complexity of this procedure, we need the following corollary, which is a direct consequence of Lemma 5 and the inequality  $\lg(2d+1) \leq 2 + \lg d$ .

**Corollary 8 (Bounds for the product  $P_0^2 P_1$ ).** *Let a polynomial  $P_0 \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  have a degree  $d$ , let its coefficients be known up to a precision  $2^{-\nu}$ , and let  $\|P_0\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_0}$ . Similarly, let  $P_1 \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  have the degree  $2d$ , let its coefficients be known up to a precision  $2^{-\nu}$ , and let  $\|P_1\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_1}$ . Then the polynomial  $P = P_0^2 P_1$  has degree  $4d$ , its coefficients are known up to the precision  $2^{-\nu+8\tau_0+2\tau_1+15\lg d+40}$ , and  $\|P_0^2 P_1\|_\infty \leq 2^{2\tau_0+\tau_1+6\lg d+8}$ .*

The following lemma is a normalized version of Lemma 4.4 in [10].

**Lemma 9.** *Let  $F, G \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  such that  $\deg(F) = m \geq n = \deg(G) \geq 1$ , let  $2^\rho$  be an upper bound on the magnitude of roots of  $G$ , and let  $F = GQ + R$  with  $\deg(Q) = m - n$  and  $\deg(R) = n - 1$ . Then*

$$\|Q\|_\infty \leq 2^{m+\lg m+m\rho} \|F\|_\infty \text{ and } \|R\|_\infty \leq 2^{m+n+\lg m+m\rho} \|F\|_\infty .$$

**Proof:** To bring the roots inside the unit circle, transform the polynomials by scaling the variable  $x$  as follows,  $f(x) = F(x2^\rho)$ ,  $g(x) = G(x2^\rho)$ ,  $q(x) = Q(x2^\rho)$ , and  $r(x) = R(x2^\rho)$ . Now apply [10, Lemma 4.4] to the equation  $f = gq + r$  to obtain  $\|q\|_\infty \leq \|q\|_1 \leq 2^{m-1} \|f\|_1 \leq 2^{m+\lg m} \|f\|_\infty$  and  $\|r\|_\infty \leq \|r\|_1 \leq \frac{3}{4} 2^{m+n} \|f\|_1 \leq 2^{m+n+\lg m} \|f\|_\infty$ .

Combine these inequalities with the equation  $\|f\|_\infty = 2^{m\rho} \|F\|_\infty$  and the inequalities  $\|Q\|_\infty \leq \|q\|_\infty$  and  $\|R\|_\infty \leq \|r\|_\infty$  to deduce the claimed bounds.  $\square$



We will estimate by induction the cost of inverting the matrix  $T$ , by using Eq. (6) recursively. The proof of the following lemma could be found in the Appendix.

**Lemma 10.** *Let  $n+1 = 2^k$  for a positive integer  $k$  and let  $T$  be a lower triangular Toeplitz  $(n+1) \times (n+1)$  matrix of Eq. (5), having ones on the diagonal. Let its subdiagonal entries be complex numbers of magnitude at most  $2^\tau$  known up to a precision  $2^{-\lambda}$ . Let  $2^\rho$  be an upper bound on the magnitude of the roots of the univariate polynomial  $t(x)$  associated with  $T$ . Write  $T^{-1} = (T_{i,j}^{-1})_{i,j=0}^n$ . Then*

$$\max_{i,j} |T_{i,j}^{-1}| \leq 2^{(\rho+1)n + \lg(n)+1} .$$

Furthermore, to compute the entries of  $T^{-1}$  up to the precision of  $\ell$  bits, that is to compute a matrix  $\tilde{T}^{-1} = (\tilde{T}_{i,j}^{-1})_{i,j=0}^n$  such that  $\max_{i,j} |T_{i,j}^{-1} - \tilde{T}_{i,j}^{-1}| \leq 2^{-\ell}$ , it is sufficient to know the entries of  $T$  up to the precision of  $\ell + 10\tau \lg n + 70 \lg^2 n + 8(\rho+1)n \lg n$  or  $\mathcal{O}(\ell + (\tau + \lg n + n\rho) \lg n) = \tilde{\mathcal{O}}(\ell + \tau + n\rho)$  bits.

The computation of  $\tilde{T}^{-1}$  costs  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2(n) \mu(\ell + (\tau + \lg n + n\rho) \lg n))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n\tau + n^2\rho)$ .

As usual in estimating the complexity of approximate division we assume that  $m = 2n$  to simplify our presentation. Recall that  $s(x) = t(x)q(x) + r(x)$ .

**Theorem 11.** *Assume  $s, t \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  of degree at most  $2n$  and  $n$ , such that  $\|s\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_1}$ ,  $\|t\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_2}$ , and  $2^\rho$  is an upper bound on the magnitude of the coefficients of  $t(x)$ . Assume that we know the coefficients of  $s$  and  $t$  up to a precision  $\lambda$ , that is that the input includes two polynomials  $\tilde{s}$  and  $\tilde{t}$  such that  $\|s - \tilde{s}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$  and  $\|t - \tilde{t}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$ , where  $\lambda = \ell + \tau_1 + 12\tau_2 \lg n + 80 \lg^2 n + 10(\rho+1)n \lg n + 30$  or  $\lambda = \mathcal{O}(\ell + \tau_1 + \tau_2 \lg n + n\rho \lg n)$ . Let  $q$  denote the quotient and let  $r$  denote remainder of the division of the polynomials  $s$  by  $t$ , that is  $s = t \cdot q + r$  where  $\deg r < \deg t$ .*

Then we can compute in  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2(n) \mu(\ell + \tau_1 + (\tau_2 + n\rho) \lg n))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n\tau_1 + n\tau_2 + n^2\rho)$  two polynomials  $\tilde{q}$  and  $\tilde{r}$  such that  $\|q - \tilde{q}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\ell}$  and  $\|r - \tilde{r}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\ell}$ ,  $\|q\|_\infty \leq 2^{n + \lg n + 1 + n\rho + \tau_1}$  and  $\|r\|_\infty \leq 2^{3n + \lg n + 1 + n\rho + \tau_1}$ .

**Proof:** We compute the coefficients of  $q(x)$  using Eq. (5), i.e.,  $q = T^{-1}s$ . Each coefficient of the polynomial  $q$  comes as the inner product of two vectors, i.e.,  $q_i = \sum_{j=0}^n T_{i,j}^{-1} s_j$ .

From Lemma 10 we know that  $\lg |T_{i,j}^{-1}| \leq n(\rho+1) + \lg n + 1 = N$  and  $\lg |T_{i,j}^{-1} - \tilde{T}_{i,j}^{-1}| \leq -\lambda + \ell_2$  for  $\ell_2 = 10\tau_2 \lg n + 70 \lg^2 n + 8(\rho+1)n \lg n$ .

For the coefficients of the polynomials  $s = \sum_{j=0}^{2n} s_j x^j$  and  $t = \sum_{j=0}^n t_j x^j$ , we have assumed the following bounds,  $\lg |s_j| \leq \tau_1$ ,  $\lg |s_j - \tilde{s}_j| \leq -\lambda$ ,  $\lg |t_j| \leq \tau_2$ ,  $\lg |t_j - \tilde{t}_j| \leq -\lambda$ ,  $\lg |T_{i,j}^{-1} s_j| \leq \tau_1 + N$ , and  $\lg |T_{i,j}^{-1} s_j - \tilde{T}_{i,j}^{-1} \tilde{s}_j| \leq -\lambda + \ell_2 + \tau_1$  for all  $i$  and  $j$ . Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \lg \|q - \tilde{q}\|_\infty &\leq \lg \left| \sum_j T_{i,j}^{-1} s_j - \sum_j \tilde{T}_{i,j}^{-1} \tilde{s}_j \right| \leq -\lambda + \ell_2 + \tau_1 + \lg n \\ &\leq -\lambda + 10\tau_2 \lg n + 70 \lg^2 n + 8(\rho+1)n \lg n + \tau_1 + \lg n . \end{aligned}$$

To compute the remainder we apply the formula  $r(x) = s(x) - t(x)q(x)$ . It involves an approximate polynomial multiplication and a subtraction. For the former we use Lemma 5 and obtain the inequality  $\lg \|tq - \tilde{t}\tilde{q}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + 2\tau_2 + 6 \lg n + 26 + \ell_2 + 2N$ .

Let us also cover the impact of the subtraction. After some calculations and simplifications that make the bounds less scary (albeit less accurate w.r.t. the constant involved), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \lg \|r - \tilde{r}\|_\infty &\leq -\lambda + \tau_1 + 2\tau_2 + 6 \lg n + 26 + \ell_2 + 2N \\ &\leq -\lambda + \tau_1 + 2\tau_2 + 6 \lg n + 26 + 10\tau_2 \lg n \\ &\quad + 70 \lg^2 n + 8(\rho+1)n \lg n + 2(n(\rho+1) + \lg n + 1) \\ &\leq -\lambda + \tau_1 + 12\tau_2 \lg n + 80 \lg^2 n + 10(\rho+1)n \lg n + 30 . \end{aligned}$$

By using Lemma 9 we bound the norms of the quotient and the remainder as follows:  $\lg\|r\|_\infty \leq 3n + \lg n + 1 + n\rho + \tau_1$  and  $\lg\|q\|_\infty \leq n + \lg n + 1 + n\rho + \tau_1$ .

The maximum number of bits that we need to compute with is  $\ell + \tau_1 + 12\tau_2 \lg n + 80 \lg^2 n + 10(\rho + 1)n \lg n + 30$  or  $\mathcal{O}(\ell + \tau_1 + \tau_2 \lg n + \lg^2 n + n\rho \lg n)$ .

The complexity of computing  $\tilde{T}_{i,j}^{-1}$  is  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2(n) \mu(\ell + \tau_1 + \tau_2 \lg n + \lg^2 n + n\rho \lg n))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n\tau_1 + n\tau_2 + n^2\rho)$ .

According to Lemma 5 the complexity of computing the product  $\tilde{t}\tilde{q}$  is  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg(n) \mu(\ell + \tau_1 + \tau_2 \lg n + \lg^2 n + n\rho \lg n))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n\tau_1 + n\tau_2 + n^2\rho)$ .  $\square$

**Remark 12.** We can eliminate the dependence of the bounds of Theorem 11 on  $\tau_2$  by applying Vieta's formulae and the following inequality,  $|t_k| \leq \binom{n}{k} (2^\rho)^k \leq 2^{2n+n\rho}$ , where  $t_k$  is the  $k$ -th coefficient of  $t(x)$ . In this way, after some further simplifications, the required precision is  $\ell + \tau_1 + 150(\rho + 1)n \lg n$  and the complexity bound becomes  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2(n) \mu(\ell + \tau_1 + \rho \lg n))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n\tau_1 + n^2\rho)$ .

## 4 Multipoint polynomial evaluation

**Problem 1 (Multipoint polynomial evaluation).** Given the coefficients of a polynomial  $p(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} p_i x^i$  and a set of knots  $t_0, \dots, t_{n-1}$ , compute the values  $r_0 = p(t_0), \dots, r_{n-1} = p(t_{n-1})$  or equivalently compute the vector  $\mathbf{r} = V\mathbf{p}$  where  $\mathbf{r} = (r_i)_{i=0}^{n-1}$ ,  $\mathbf{p} = (p_i)_{i=0}^{n-1}$ , and  $V = (x_i^j)_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$ .

In the case where the knots  $t_i = \omega^i$  are the  $n$ -th roots of 1 for all  $i$ ,  $\omega = \exp(2\pi\sqrt{-1})/n$ , and  $V = \Omega = (\omega^{ij})_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$ , Problem 1 turns into the problem of the DFT( $\mathbf{v}$ ) computation.

**Solution:** The Moenck–Borodin algorithm of [14] solves Problem 1 in  $\mathcal{O}(M(n) \lg n)$  ops for  $M(n)$  in (2.4.1), (2.4.2) based on the two following simple observations.

**Fact 13.**  $p(a) = p(x) \bmod (x - a)$  for any polynomial  $p(x)$  and any scalar  $a$ .

**Fact 14.**  $w(x) \bmod p(x) = (w(x) \bmod (u(x)p(x))) \bmod p(x)$  for any triple of polynomials  $u(x)$ ,  $p(x)$ , and  $w(x)$ .

**Algorithm 4: the Moenck–Borodin algorithm for multipoint polynomial evaluation.**

INITIALIZATION: Write  $k = \lceil \lg_2 n \rceil$ ,  $m_j^{(0)} = x - x_j$ ,  $j = 0, 1, \dots, n - 1$ ;  $m_j^{(0)} = 1$  for  $j = n, \dots, 2^k - 1$  (that is, pad the set of the moduli  $m_j^{(0)} = x - x_j$  with ones, to make up a total of  $2^k$  moduli). Write  $r_0^{(k)} = p(x)$ .

COMPUTATION:

1. *Fan-in process* (see Figure 1). Compute recursively the “supermoduli”  $m_j^{(h+1)} = m_{2j}^{(h)} m_{2j+1}^{(h)}$ ,  $j = 0, 1, \dots, 2^{k-h} - 1$ ;  $h = 0, 1, \dots, k - 2$ .
2. *Fan-out process* (see Figure 2). Compute recursively the remainders  $r_j^{(h)} = r_{\lfloor j/2 \rfloor}^{(h+1)} \bmod m_j^{(h)}$ ,  $j = 0, 1, \dots, \min\{n, \lceil n/2^h \rceil - 1\}$ ;  $h = k - 1, k - 2, \dots, 0$ .

OUTPUT:  $p(x_i) = r_i^{(0)}$ ,  $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ .

Let us include a brief outline of the analysis of the algorithm (cf. [14]). To prove its *correctness*, first apply Fact 14 recursively to obtain that  $r_j^{(h)} = v(x) \bmod m_j^{(h)}$  for all  $j$  and  $h$ . Now, correctness of the output  $p(x_i) = r_i^{(0)}$  follows from Fact 13.

To estimate the *computational cost* of the algorithm, represent its two stages by the same binary tree (see Figures 1 and 2), whose nodes are the “supermoduli”  $m_j^{(h)}$  at the *fan-in* stage 1, but turn into the remainders  $r_j^{(h)}$  at the *fan-out* stage 2.

At each level  $h$  of the tree, the algorithm computes  $2^{k-h}$  products of pairs of polynomials of degree  $2^h$  at stage 1 and  $2^{k-h}$  remainders of the division of polynomials of degree of at most  $2^{h+1}$  by “supermoduli” of degree  $2^h$ . Each time multiplication/division uses  $\mathcal{O}(M(2^h))$  ops for  $M(n)$  in (2.4.1), (2.4.2). So we use  $\mathcal{O}(2^{k-h}M(2^h))$  ops at the  $h$ -th level and  $\mathcal{O}(\sum_{h=0}^{k-1} 2^{k-h}M(2^h)) = \mathcal{O}(M(2^k)k)$  ops at all levels. Recall that  $n \leq 2^k < 2n$  and obtain the claimed bound of  $\mathcal{O}(M(n) \lg n)$  ops.  $\square$

**Remark 15.** *The fan-in computation at stage 1 depends only on the set  $\{t_0, \dots, t_{n-1}\}$  and can be viewed as (cost-free) preprocessing if the knot set is fixed and only the polynomial  $p(x)$  varies. Similar observations hold for the solution of many other problems in this chapter.*

**Remark 16.** *Problem 1 and its solution algorithms are immediately extended to the case where we have  $m$  points  $t_0, \dots, t_{m-1}$  for  $m > n$  or  $m < n$ . The solution requires  $\mathcal{O}(E(l)r/l)$  ops provided  $l = \min\{m, n\}$ ,  $r = \max\{m, n\}$ , and  $E(l)$  ops are sufficient for the solution where  $n = l$ .  $E(l) = \mathcal{O}(M(l) \lg l)$  for a general set  $\{t_i\}$  but decreases to  $\mathcal{O}(M(l))$ , where  $t_i = at^{2i} + bt^i + c$  for fixed scalars  $a, b, c$ , and  $t$  and for all  $i$ . This also leads to a similar improvement of the estimates for the Boolean complexity [1].*

## 4.1 Boolean complexity estimates

In the following two lemmata we present the bit complexity of the fan-in and the fan-out process. These results are of independent interest. We do not estimate the accuracy needed and the bit complexity bound of the algorithm for multipoint evaluation because in Lemma 21 we cover a more general algorithm. Multipoint evaluation is its special case.

**Lemma 17 (Complexity of Fan-in process).** *Suppose  $n$  complex numbers  $x_i$  are known up to a precision  $\lambda = \ell + (4n-4)\tau + 32n - (\lg n + 5)^2 - 7$ , that is  $|x_i - \tilde{x}_i| \leq 2^{-\lambda}$ , and that  $|x_i| \leq 2^\tau$  for a positive integer  $\tau$ . At the cost  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\ell + n\tau + \lg n))$  the Fan-in process of the Moenck–Borodin algorithm approximates the “supermoduli”  $\tilde{m}_j^{(i)}$  within the bounds  $\|m_j^{(i)} - \tilde{m}_j^{(i)}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\ell}$  for all  $i$  and  $j$ . Moreover,  $\lg\|m_j^{(i)}\|_\infty \leq n\tau + 8n - 2 \lg n - 8$  for all  $i$  and  $j$ .*

**Proof:** Assume that  $n = 2^k$ . The proof is by induction on  $k$ . Write  $m_i^{(0)} = x - x_i$  and  $\tilde{m}_i^{(0)} = x - \tilde{x}_i$ . Without loss of generality, we provide the estimates just in the case where  $j = 0$ .

Consider the case where  $k = 1$ . Apply Lemma 5 for  $A = m_0^{(0)}$  and  $B = m_1^{(0)}$ . Verify that  $\lg\|m_0^{(1)}\|_\infty \leq 2\tau \leq 2\tau + 6$  and  $\lg\|m_0^{(1)} - \tilde{m}_0^{(1)}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + 4\tau + 14.2$ . This proves the induction basis.

Now assume that the claimed bounds hold for  $k-1$ , that is  $\deg(m_i^{(k-1)}) = 2^{k-1}$ ,  $\lg\|m_i^{(k-1)}\|_\infty \leq 2^{k-1}\tau + 2^{k+2} - 2k - 6$ , and  $\lg\|m_i^{(k-1)} - \tilde{m}_i^{(k-1)}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + (2^{k+1} - 4)\tau + 2^{k+4} - (k+4)^2 - 7$  for  $i \in \{0, 1\}$ .

Since  $m_0^{(k)} = m_0^{(k-1)} m_1^{(k-1)}$ , it follows that  $\deg(m_0^{(k)}) = 2^k$ . By applying Lemma 5 we deduce that

$$\lg\|m_i^{(k)}\|_\infty = \lg\|m_0^{(k-1)} m_1^{(k-1)}\|_\infty \leq 2^k\tau + 2^{k+3} - 2k - 8,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lg\|m_0^{(k)} - \tilde{m}_0^{(k)}\|_\infty &= \lg\|m_0^{(k-1)} m_1^{(k-1)} - \tilde{m}_0^{(k-1)} \tilde{m}_1^{(k-1)}\|_\infty \\ &\leq -\lambda + (2^{k+2} - 4)\tau + 2^{k+5} - (k+5)^2 - 7 \end{aligned}$$

as claimed. To estimate the overall complexity, note that at the  $h$ -th level of the tree we perform  $n/2^h$  multiplications of polynomials of degrees at most  $2^{h-1}$  for  $h = 2, \dots, k-1$ . We can assume that we perform all the computation with precision  $\mathcal{O}(\ell + n\tau + \lg n)$ , and so the overall cost of the algorithm is  $\sum_k \frac{n}{2^k} \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(2^{k-1} \lg 2^{k-1} \mu(\ell + n\tau + \lg n)) = \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\ell + n\tau + \lg n))$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 18 (Complexity of Fan-out process).** *Let  $v(x) \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  of degree  $n-1$  and  $\|v\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_1}$ , and let  $\tilde{v}$  be a  $\lambda$ -approximation. Let  $m_j^{(k)}$  be the supermoduli of the fan-in process and  $\tilde{m}_j^{(k)}$  their  $\lambda$ -approximations.*

*We can compute an  $\ell$ -approximation of the fan-out process in  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\ell + \tau_1 \lg n + \rho n \lg n))$  provided that  $\lambda = \ell + 2\tau_1 \lg n + 300(\rho + 1)n \lg n$ .*

**Proof:** We keep assuming for simplicity that  $n = 2^k$  and proceed as in the proof of Lemma 17.

Recall that  $|x_i| \leq 2^\rho$  for all the subscripts  $i$ , and so  $2^\rho$  bounds the roots of all polynomials  $m_j^{(k)}$ . We can prove by induction, by using the bounds of Theorem 11 and the simplifications of Remark 12, that the precision of  $\lambda = \ell + 2\tau_1 \lg n + 300(\rho + 1)n \lg n$  bits is sufficient.

At the  $h$ th step of the algorithm, for each  $h$ , we perform  $2^h$  approximate polynomial divisions of polynomials of degree  $\frac{n}{2^h}$  using Theorem 11. We assume performing all the operations with the maximum precision, and bound the overall complexity by

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{h=0}^{\lg n} 2^h \mathcal{O}_B\left(\frac{n}{2^h} \left(\lg \frac{n}{2^h}\right)^2 \mu(\ell + \tau_1 \lg n + \rho n \lg n)\right) \\ &= \mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\ell + \tau_1 \lg n + \rho n \lg n)) . \end{aligned}$$

$\square$

## 5 Bounds on the complexity of basic algorithms

**Lemma 19 (Multiplication of  $m$  polynomials).** *Suppose  $P_j \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  has degree  $n$ ,  $\|P_j\|_\infty \leq 2^\tau$ ,  $\tilde{P}_j$  is  $\lambda$ -approximation of  $P_j$ , for  $\lambda = \ell + (4m-4)\tau + (4m+2\lg m-4)\lg n + 32m$  and  $1 \leq j \leq m$ . Then we can compute  $\prod_j \tilde{P}_j$  such that  $\|\prod_j P_j - \prod_j \tilde{P}_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\ell}$  in  $\mathcal{O}_B(m n \lg m \lg(m n) \mu(\lambda))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(m n (\ell + m\tau))$ . Moreover,  $\lg\|\prod_j P_j\|_\infty \leq m\tau + (m-1)\lg n + 4m - \lg m - 4$ .*

**Proof:** The algorithm is similar to the Fan-in process of Moenck-Borodin algorithm. Let  $p_j^{(0)} = P_j$  and compute recursively the polynomials  $p_j^{(h+1)} = p_{2j}^{(h)} p_{2j+1}^{(h)}$ , for  $0 \leq j \leq 2^{k-h}$ ,  $h = 0, \dots, k-2$ . Let  $m = 2^h$ . We prove the bounds on the infinite norm and the approximation using induction on  $h$ .

For  $h = 1$ , compute the polynomials  $p_j^{(1)} = p_{2j}^{(0)} p_{2j+1}^{(0)}$ . Without loss of generality, assume that  $j = 0$ . Then  $\lg\|p_j^{(0)}\|_\infty \leq \tau$  and  $\lg\|p_j^{(0)} - \tilde{p}_j^{(0)}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda$ . Apply Lemma 5 (and Remark 6) for  $K = n$  and  $\tau_1 = \tau_2 = \tau$  to deduce that

$$\lg\|p_0^{(1)}\|_\infty \leq 2\tau + \lg n + 3 ,$$

which agrees with our formula, and

$$\lg\|p_j^{(1)} - \tilde{p}_j^{(1)}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + 4\tau + 5.1 \lg n + 4 \leq -\lambda + 4\tau + 6 \lg n + 64 ,$$

where the right hand-side represents the claimed bound for  $k = 1$ .

Assume the claimed bounds for  $h-1$ , that is

$$\lg\|p_j^{(h-1)}\|_\infty \leq 2^{h-1}\tau + (2^{h-1} - 1)\lg n + 4 \cdot 2^{h-1} - \lg 2^{h-1} - 4$$

and  $\lg\|p_j^{(h-1)} - \tilde{p}_j^{(h-1)}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + (4 \cdot 2^{h-1} - 4)\tau + (4 \cdot 2^{h-1} + 2 \lg 2^{h-1} - 4) \lg n + 32 \cdot 2^{h-1}$  for  $j = 0, 1$ . By applying Lemma 5 for  $2 \lg(K) \leq \lg(n)$ , deduce the following bounds,

$$\lg\|p_j^{(h)}\|_\infty \leq 2^h \tau + (2^h - 1) \lg n + 4 \cdot 2^h - \lg 2^h - 4,$$

which agrees with the claimed norm bound, and  $\lg\|p_j^{(h)} - \tilde{p}_j^{(h)}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + (4 \cdot 2^h - 4)\tau + (4 \cdot 2^h + 2 \lg 2^h - 4) \lg n + 24 \cdot 2^h + 2h - 12$  which is smaller than the claimed bound on the precision.

To estimate the overall complexity note that at each level,  $h$ , of the tree we have to perform  $m/2^h$  multiplications of polynomials of degrees at most  $2^{h-1} n$ . We can assume that we perform all the computations with the precision  $\lambda + (4m - 4)\tau + (4m + 2 \lg m - 4) \lg n + 32m$ , or  $\mathcal{O}(\ell + m\tau + m \lg n)$ , and so the overall Boolean cost of performing the algorithm is  $\sum_h \frac{m}{2^h} \mathcal{O}_B(2^{h-1} n \lg(2^{h-1} n) \mu(\ell + n\tau + m \lg n)) = \mathcal{O}_B(m n \lg m \lg(m n) \mu(\ell + n\tau + m \lg n))$ , which concludes the proof.  $\square$

If the degrees of  $P_j$  vary as  $j$  varies, then we can apply a more pedantic analysis based on Huffman trees, see [10].

The problem of computing (approximately) the sum of rational functions reduces to the problem on multiplying polynomials, which admits the same asymptotic complexity bounds. To estimate the overhead constants, we should also take into account the polynomial additions involved.

We have the following lemma.

**Lemma 20 (Sum of rational functions).** *Suppose  $P_j \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  has degree  $n$ ,  $Q_j \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  has a smaller degree,  $\|P_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_2}$ , and  $\|Q_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_1}$ .*

*Assume  $\lambda$ -approximations of  $P_j$  by  $\tilde{P}_j$  and of  $Q_j$  by  $\tilde{Q}_j$  where  $\lambda = \ell + \tau_1 + (4m - 4)\tau_2 + (5m + 2 \lg m - 4) \lg n + 32m$  and  $1 \leq j \leq m$ .*

*Let  $\frac{Q}{P} = \sum_j \frac{Q_j}{P_j}$ . We can compute an  $\ell$ -approximation of  $Q/P$ , in  $\mathcal{O}_B(m n \lg m \lg(m n) \mu(\lambda))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(m n (\ell + \tau_1 + m\tau_2))$ . Moreover,  $\lg\|Q\|_\infty \leq \tau_1 + (m - 1)(\tau_2 + \lg n) + 5m - \lg m - 4$  and  $\lg\|P\|_\infty \leq m\tau_2 + (m - 1) \lg n + 4m - \lg m - 4$ .*

**Lemma 21 (Modular representation).** *Let  $F \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  of degree  $2mn$  and  $\|F\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_1}$ . Let  $P_j \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  of degree  $n$ , for  $1 \leq j \leq m$ . Moreover,  $2^\rho$  be an upper bound on the magnitude of the roots of all  $P_j$ , for all  $j$ . Assume  $\lambda$ -approximations of  $F$  by  $\tilde{F}$  and of  $P_j$  by  $\tilde{P}_j$  such that  $\|F - \tilde{F}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$  and  $\|P_j - \tilde{P}_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$ .*

*Furthermore assume that  $\lambda = \ell + \tau_1 \lg m + 60 n m (\rho + 3) \lg(m n) + 60 \lg m \lg^2(m + n)$  or  $\lambda = \ell + \mathcal{O}(\tau_1 \lg m + m n \rho)$ . Then we can compute an  $\ell$ -approximation  $\tilde{F}_j$  of  $F_j = F \bmod P_j$  such that  $\|F_j - \tilde{F}_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\ell}$  in*

$$\mathcal{O}_B(m n \lg n \lg^2(m + n) \mu(\ell + \tau_1 \lg m + m n \rho))$$

*or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(m n (\ell + \tau_1 + m n \rho))$ .*

*Moreover,  $\lg\|F_j\|_\infty \leq \tau_1 + (\rho + 1) m n + n + \lg(m n)$ .*

**Proof:** First we perform the Fan-in process with polynomials  $P_j$  using the algorithm of Lemma 19. Assume that  $\|P_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_2}$  and that we are given  $\lambda_1$ -approximations. Following Lemma 19 we compute all the supermoduli,  $P_j^{(i)}$  so that

$$\lg\|P_j^{(i)} - \tilde{P}_j^{(i)}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda_1 + (4m - 4)\tau_2 + (4m + 2 \lg m - 4) \lg n + 32m.$$

Remark 12 implies that  $\tau_2 \leq 2n + n\rho$ , and so  $\lg\|P_j^{(i)} - \tilde{P}_j^{(i)}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + (4m - 4)(2n + \lg n + n\rho) + 2 \lg m \lg n + 32m = -\lambda + \mathcal{O}(m n \rho)$ .

For computing  $\ell$ -approximations of  $F_j = F \bmod P_j$  we mimic the procedure of the Fan-out process. This means that we apply repeatedly Theorem 11, which we can refine by following Remark 12. The bounds accumulate at each step, and so

$$\begin{aligned} \lg \|F_j\|_\infty &\leq \tau_1 + \sum_h 3n2^h + n + h + 2^h n \rho + 1 \\ &\leq (mn - n)(\rho + 3) + m(m + n). \end{aligned}$$

We assume that we are given  $\lambda_2$ -approximations of  $F$  and all the supermoduli. For the required precision we have

$$\begin{aligned} \lg \|F_j - \tilde{F}_j\|_\infty &\leq -\lambda_2 + \sum_h 25(\rho + 2)(h + \lg n)n2^h \\ &\quad + 80(h + \lg n)^2 + \tau_1 + 30 \\ &\leq -\lambda_2 + \tau_1 \lg m + 25nm(\rho + 2) \lg(mn) \\ &\quad + 40 \lg m \lg^2(m + n). \end{aligned}$$

To ensure an  $\ell$ -approximation for  $F_j$  we require  $\lambda = \ell + \tau_1 \lg m + 60nm(\rho + 3) \lg(mn) + 60 \lg m \lg^2(m + n) = \ell + \mathcal{O}(\tau_1 \lg m + mn\rho)$  approximations of the input to ensure the validity of both the Fan-in and Fan-out process.

We assume that we perform all the computations with maximum accuracy. The complexity of computing the super-moduli is  $\mathcal{O}_B(mn \lg m \lg(mn) \mu(\ell + \tau_1 \lg m + mn\rho))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(mn(\ell + \tau_1 + mn\rho))$ .

For the complexity of the Fan-out process we proceed as follows. At each step,  $h$ , of the algorithm we perform  $2^h$  approximate polynomial divisions of polynomials of degree  $\frac{mn}{2^h}$  using Theorem 11. The overall complexity is  $\sum_{h=0}^{\lg m} 2^h \mathcal{O}_B(\frac{mn}{2^h} (\lg \frac{mn}{2^h})^2 \mu(\ell + \tau_1 \lg m + mn\rho))$  which equals to  $\mathcal{O}_B(mn \lg n \lg^2(m + n) \mu(\ell + \tau_1 \lg m + mn\rho))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(mn(\ell + \tau_1 + mn\rho))$ . □

## 6 Lagrange Interpolation

Following [15, Section 3.2] we sketch the connection of structured matrices with the problems of evaluating and interpolating a rational function. We also refer the reader [17], [18] for an algorithm that performs multipoint  $\epsilon$ -approximate polynomial evaluation by using  $\mathcal{O}(n \lg^2(n))$  flops performed with the precision of order  $\lg(1/\epsilon)$ . This matches the bound of the Moenck-Borodin algorithm if  $\lg(1/\epsilon) = O(\lg(n))$ . The approach is not needed for our Boolean complexity estimates, but we recall it because according to formal analysis and numerical tests in [17, 16] it avoids numerical stability problems of the Moenck-Borodin algorithm, which have been consistently observed for  $n > 50$ . Next we list the four fundamental computational problems, including (for the sake of completeness) Problem 1 of Multipoint polynomial evaluation, stated and studied in Section 4.

### 6.1 Four computational problems

**Problem 2 (Multipoint polynomial evaluation or Vandermonde-by-vector multiplication).**

*INPUT:*  $m + n$  complex scalars  $p_0, \dots, p_{n-1}; s_0, \dots, s_{m-1}$ .

*OUTPUT:*  $n$  complex scalars  $v_0, \dots, v_{m-1}$  satisfying

$$v_i = p(s_i) \text{ for } p(x) = p_0 + p_1x + \dots + p_{n-1}x^{n-1} \text{ and } i = 0, \dots, m-1 \quad (9)$$

or equivalently

$$V\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{v} \text{ for } V = V_{\mathbf{s}} = (s_i^j)_{i,j=0}^{m-1, n-1}, \mathbf{p} = (p_j)_{j=0}^{n-1}, \text{ and } \mathbf{v} = (v_i)_{i=0}^{m-1}. \quad (10)$$

**Problem 3 (Polynomial interpolation or the solution of a Vandermonde linear system of equations).**

INPUT:  $2n$  complex scalars  $v_0, \dots, v_{n-1}; s_0, \dots, s_{n-1}$ , the last  $n$  of them distinct.

OUTPUT:  $n$  complex scalars  $p_0, \dots, p_{n-1}$  satisfying equations (9) and (10) for  $m = n$ .

**Problem 4 (Multipoint rational evaluation or Cauchy-by-vector multiplication).**

INPUT:  $2m + n$  complex scalars  $s_0, \dots, s_{m-1}; t_0, \dots, t_{n-1}; u_0, \dots, u_{m-1}$ .

OUTPUT:  $m$  complex scalars  $v_0, \dots, v_{m-1}$  satisfying

$$v_i = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \frac{u_j}{s_i - t_j} \text{ for } i = 0, \dots, m-1 \quad (11)$$

or equivalently

$$C\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v} \text{ for } C = C_{\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}} = \left( \frac{1}{s_i - t_j} \right)_{i,j=0}^{m-1, n-1}, \mathbf{u} = (u_j)_{j=0}^{n-1}, \text{ and } \mathbf{v} = (v_i)_{i=0}^{m-1}. \quad (12)$$

**Problem 5 (Rational interpolation or the solution of a Cauchy linear system of equations).**

INPUT:  $3n$  complex scalars  $s_0, \dots, s_{n-1}; t_0, \dots, t_{n-1}; v_0, \dots, v_{n-1}$ , the first  $2n$  of them distinct.

OUTPUT:  $n$  complex scalars  $u_0, \dots, u_{n-1}$  satisfying equations (11) and (12) for  $m = n$ .

Problem 3 is also called Lagrange interpolation problem. Let us re-introduce it with a slight modification in notation to fit our needs.

**Lagrange polynomial interpolation.** Given the knot set (or vector)  $\{x_i\}_{i=0}^{n-1}$  of  $n$  distinct points  $x_0, \dots, x_{n-1}$  and the set (or vector) of values  $\{y_i\}_{i=0}^{n-1}$ , compute a set (or vector)  $\{a_j\}_{j=0}^{n-1}$  such that  $\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} a_j x_i^j = y_i$ ,  $i = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ , that is, recover the coefficients of a polynomial  $A(X) = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} a_j X^j$  from its values at  $n$  distinct points  $x_0, \dots, x_{n-1}$ .

We follow the approach presented in [15, Section 3.3], to which we also refer for a detailed presentation.

**Lemma 22.** Let  $|x_i| \leq 2^{\tau_1}$ ,  $|y_i| \leq 2^{\tau_2}$ , and  $\Delta_i(x) = \min_j |x_i - x_j|$ , for all  $0 \leq i \leq n-1$ . Assume  $\lambda$ -approximations of  $x_i$  and  $y_i$ , where  $\lambda = \ell + 68n(\tau_1 + 3) \lg n + 4n\tau_2 - 6 \lg \prod_i \Delta_i(x) + 50n + 60 \lg^3 n + 20$  or  $\lambda = \ell + \mathcal{O}(n\tau_1 \lg n + n\tau_2 - \lg \prod_i \Delta_i(x) + \lg^3 n)$ . Then we can compute an  $\ell$ -approximation of the Lagrange polynomial interpolation in  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n^2\tau_1 + n^2\tau_2 - n \lg \prod_i \Delta_i(x))$ .

**Proof:** The input is given as  $\lambda$ -approximations, where  $\lambda$  is to be specified in the sequel. We track the loss of accuracy at each step of the algorithm.

1. Compute  $B(X) = \prod_i (X - x_i) = X^n + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} b_k X^k$ .

For this task we apply Lemma 17. In this case the infinite norm of  $B$  is bounded as follows,  $\lg \|B\|_\infty \leq n\tau_1 + 8n - 2 \lg n - 4$ , and the computed approximation,  $\tilde{B}$ , is such that  $\lg \|B - \tilde{B}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda_0 + (4n - 4)\tau_1 + 16n + 20$ . As by-product we can compute the ‘‘supermoduli’’  $\prod_j (x - x_j)$  and then reuse them at stage L5.

2. Compute  $B'(X)$ .

This operation increases the norm and the precision bounds by a factor of  $n$  in the worst case. That is  $\lg \|B'\|_\infty \leq n\tau_1 + 8n - \lg n - 4$  and  $\lg \|B' - \tilde{B}'\|_\infty \leq -\lambda_0 + (4n - 4)\tau_1 + 16n + \lg n + 20 = -\lambda_1$ .

3. Evaluate  $B'$  at all points  $x_i$ .

Perform this task using Lemma 21. This lemma implies that  $\lg |B'(x_i)| \leq (n-1)(\tau_1 + 3) + n(n+1)$ . However, in this special case we can decrease the bound as follows,  $|B'(x_i)| \leq \sum_j \|B'\|_\infty |x_i|^{n-1} \leq \sum_j 2^{n\tau_1 + 8n - \lg n - 4} 2^{(n-1)\tau_1}$  and so  $|B'(x_i)| \leq 2^{(2n-1)\tau_1 + 8n - 4}$ .

We achieve the accuracy  $\lg |B'(x_i) - \tilde{B}'(\tilde{x}_i)| \leq -\lambda_1 + (n\tau_1 + n - \lg n - 1) \lg n + 60n(\tau_1 + 3) \lg n + 60 \lg^3 n = -\lambda_2$ .

4. Consider the rational functions  $A_i(X) = \frac{A_{i,0}(X)}{A_{i,1}(X)} = \frac{y_i/B'(x_i)}{(X-x_i)}$ .

Deduce that  $\lg \|A_{i,1}\|_\infty \leq \tau_1$ , and so the approximation bound matches that of  $x_i$ .

To compute the relevant quantities of the numerator(s) we need a lower bound for  $B'(x_i)$ , for all  $i$ . We notice that  $B'(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n \prod_{j \neq i} (X - x_j)$ . Thus  $B'(x_i) = \prod_{j \neq i} (x_i - x_j)$  and so  $|B'(x_i)| \geq \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(x)$ , and  $\lg \|A_{i,0}\|_\infty \leq \tau_2 - \lg \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(x) \leq \tau_2 - \lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x)$ .

For computing an approximation of the denominator we rely on (complex) interval arithmetic, that is,  $|A_{i,0} - \tilde{A}_{i,0}| \leq \text{wid}([A_{i,0}]) = \text{wid}([y_i/B'(x_i)])$ .

We compute  $\text{wid}([y_i/B'(x_i)])$  based on Prop. 3, and so  $\lg \text{wid}([1/B'(x_i)]) \leq -\lambda_2 - 4 \lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x) + 2(2n - 1)\tau_2 + 2n - 8 + 3 = -\lambda_3$ . Finally

$$\begin{aligned} \text{wid}([y_i/B'(x_i)]) &\leq 2^{\tau_2} \text{wid}([1/B'(x_i)]) + 2^{-\lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x)} \text{wid}([y_i]) \\ &\leq 2^{-\lambda_3 + \tau_2 - \lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x)} \leq 2^{-\lambda_4} \end{aligned}$$

5. Compute the sum of the rational functions, i.e.,  $\frac{A_0(X)}{A_1(X)} = \sum_i \frac{A_{i,0}(X)}{A_{i,1}(X)}$ .

Using Lemma 20 we get  $\lg \|A_0\|_\infty \leq \tau_2 - \lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x) + (n - 1)\tau_1 + 4n - \lg n - 4$  and  $\lg \|A_1\|_\infty \leq n\tau_1 + 4n - \lg n - 4$ .

For the approximation we have that  $\lg \|A_0 - \tilde{A}_0\|_\infty \leq -\lambda_4 + \tau_2 - \lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x) + (4n - 4)\tau_1 + 32n$ . If we substitute the various values for  $\lambda_i$  we have  $\lg \|A_0 - \tilde{A}_0\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + 68n(\tau_1 + 3) \lg n + 4n\tau_2 - 6 \lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x) + 50n + 60 \lg^3 n + 20$ .

The numerator,  $A_0$ , is the required polynomial  $A(X)$ . To achieve an  $\ell$ -approximation of  $A(x)$  we assume that we perform all the computations using the maximum precision, that is  $\ell + 68n(\tau_1 + 3) \lg n + 4n\tau_2 - 6 \lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x) + 50n + 60 \lg^3 n + 20$  or  $\lambda = \ell + \mathcal{O}(n\tau_1 \lg n + n\tau_2 - \lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x) + \lg^3 n)$ .

The overall complexity is  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n^2\tau_1 + n^2\tau_2 - n \lg \prod_j \Delta_j(x))$ .  $\square$

**Remark 23 (The hidden costs).** In the previous lemma we have assumed bounds on the minimum distance between the  $x_i$ 's, which we denote by  $\Delta_i(x)$ . The complexity results depend on this quantity, as it is very important in the computation of the number of bits that we need to certify the result to a desired accuracy. It is reasonable to assume that such bounds are part of the input.

However, how do we handle the case where such bounds are not known? As the precision required for the computations depends on these bounds we should be able to compute them, given the points  $x_i$ .

We consider the numbers  $x_i \in \mathbb{C}$  as points on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and we compute their Voronoi diagram. This costs  $\mathcal{O}(n \lg n)$  operations, e.g. [20]. Then for each point  $x_i$  we find its closest in  $\mathcal{O}(\lg n)$  operations. Therefore, we can compute the quantities  $\Delta_i(x)$  in  $\mathcal{O}(n \lg n)$  operations. But what about the required precision? What are the required primitive operations for these computations? We only need to evaluate the signs of  $3 \times 3$  determinants. The precision of Lemma 22 is sufficient for these operations.

## 7 Solution of a Cauchy linear system of equations

### 7.1 Multiplication of a Cauchy matrix by a vector

We consider the problem of computing the matrix vector product  $C\mathbf{v}$ , where  $C = C(s, t) = (\frac{1}{s_i - t_j})_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$  is a Cauchy matrix and  $\mathbf{v} = (v_i)_{i=0}^{n-1}$ . We refer the reader to [15, Problem 3.6.1] for further details of the algorithm. Let  $|s_i| \leq 2^{\tau_1}$ ,  $|t_i| \leq 2^{\tau_2}$ ,  $|v_i| \leq 2^{\tau_3}$ , and  $\Delta_i(t) = \min_j |t_i - t_j|$ , for all  $i$ .

The following quantities are also useful  $\Delta_j(s, t) = \min_i |s_j - t_i|$  and  $\Delta(s, t) = \min_j \Delta_j(s, t)$ .



**Lemma 24.** *If the input is given as a  $\lambda$ -approximation, where  $\lambda = \ell + 90n(\tau_1 + 3) \lg n + 32(n-1)\tau_2 \lg n + 30\tau_3 \lg n - 35 - 24 \lg \Delta(s, t) - 4 \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(t)$ , then we can compute an  $\ell$ -approximation of the vector  $C\mathbf{v}$  in  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n^2\tau_1 + n^2\tau_2 + n\tau_3 - n \lg \Delta(s, t) - n \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(t))$ .*

**Proof:** The input is given as  $\lambda$ -approximations, where  $\lambda$  is to be specified in the sequel. We track the loss of accuracy at each step of the algorithm.

1. Consider the rational functions  $\frac{v_k}{x-t_k} = \frac{P_k}{Q_k}$ .

For the numerators it holds  $\deg(P_k) = 0$ ,  $\|P_k\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_3}$ , and  $\lg\|P_k - \tilde{P}_k\|_\infty \leq -\lambda$ . For the denominators it holds  $\deg(Q_k) = 1$ ,  $\|Q_k\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_2}$ , and  $\lg\|Q_k - \tilde{Q}_k\|_\infty \leq -\lambda$ .

2. Compute the sum  $\frac{P}{Q} = \sum_k \frac{P_k}{Q_k}$ . For this computation we rely on Lemma 20.

For the numerator of the result we have  $\deg(P) \leq n-1$ ,  $\lg\|P\|_\infty \leq \tau_3 + (n-1)\tau_2 + 5n - \lg n - 4$ , and  $\lg\|P - \tilde{P}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + \tau_3 + (4n-4)\tau_2 + 32n = -\lambda_1$ .

For the denominator of the result we have  $\deg(Q) \leq n$ ,  $\lg\|Q\|_\infty \leq n\tau_2 + 4n - \lg n - 4$ , and  $\lg\|Q - \tilde{Q}\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + \tau_3 + (4n-4)\tau_2 + 32n = -\lambda_1$ .

3. Compute  $P(s_i)$  and  $Q(s_i)$  for all  $i$ .

For this multipoint evaluation we use Lemma 21 (with  $m = n$ ,  $n = 1$ ,  $\tau_1 = \lg\|P\|_\infty$ ,  $\rho = \tau_1$ ).

We have  $\lg|P(s_i)| \leq (\tau_1 + 1)n + (n-1)\tau_2 + \tau_3 + 4n - 4$  and  $\lg|P(s_i) - \tilde{P}(\tilde{s}_i)| \leq -\lambda_1 + (\tau_3 + (n-1)\tau_2 + 4n - \lg n - 4) \lg n + 60n(\tau_1 + 3) \lg n + 60 \lg^3 n = -\lambda_2$ .

Similar bounds hold for  $Q(s_i)$ .

4. Compute the fractions  $\frac{P(s_i)}{Q(s_i)}$ . These are the elements of the result of the matrix-vector multiplication  $C\mathbf{v}$ .

For this task we need to perform  $n$  (complex) divisions. We use complex interval arithmetic to compute the loss of precision, as we did for deriving the bounds for Lagrange interpolation. To compute a lower bound for  $|Q(s_i)|$  we use Lemma 2, and so

$$\begin{aligned} |Q(s_i)| &\geq (\Delta_i(s, t))^6 2^{-6 \lg\|Q\|_\infty - 6 \lg n} 2^{\lg \prod_k \Delta_k(t) - 6} \\ &\geq (\Delta_i(s, t))^6 2^{\lg \prod_k \Delta_k(t)} 2^{-6n\tau_2 - 24n + 20} \\ &\geq 2^{-\nu}. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $|Q(s_i)| \leq 2^T$ , where  $T = n\tau_1 + n\tau + 2 + 4n - 4$ . Using Prop. 3,  $\text{wid}[1/Q(s_i)] \leq 2^{4\nu + 2T + 3} 2^{-\lambda_2} \leq 2^{-\lambda_3}$  and  $\text{wid}[P(s_i)/Q(s_i)] \leq 2|P(s_i)|2^{-\lambda_3} + 2|1/Q(s_i)|2^{-\lambda_2} \leq 2^{-\lambda_3 + T + 2}$  which is also the accuracy of the result.

Putting together the various values of  $\lambda_i$ ,  $\nu$ , and  $T$ , we achieve an  $\ell$  approximation by choosing  $\lambda = \ell + 90n(\tau_1 + 3) \lg n + 32(n-1)\tau_2 \lg n + 30\tau_3 \lg n - 35 - 24 \lg \Delta(s, t) - 4 \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(t)$ .

We perform all the computations with maximum required accuracy, and so the overall complexity is  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n^2\tau_1 + n^2\tau_2 + n\tau_3 - n \lg \Delta(s, t) - n \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(t))$ .  $\square$

## 7.2 Trummer's problem

This is the important special case where  $s = t$  and the diagonal entries of the Cauchy matrix are set to zero. In this case we compute the matrix vector product by using the following formula,

$$(Cv)_{i=0}^{n-1} = \left( \frac{2P'(s_i) - v_i Q''(s_i)}{2Q'(s_i)} \right)_{i=0}^{n-1} = \left( \frac{A_{0,i}}{A_{1,i}} \right)_{i=0}^{n-1} \quad (13)$$

We refer the reader to [15, Problem 3.6.3] for further details.

**Corollary 25.** *Using the notation of Lemma 24, we can solve Trummer's problem in  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$ , where  $\lambda = \ell + 70(\tau_1 + 3)n \lg n + 4\tau_3 \lg n - 4 \lg \prod_j \Delta(s)$ .*

**Proof:** First we compute bounds for the numerator of Eq. (13). Following the proof of Lemma 24 we have  $\lg|P'(s_i)| \leq (\tau_1 + 1)n + (n - 1)\tau_2 + \tau_3 + 4n - 4 + \lg n$  and  $\lg|P(s_i) - \tilde{P}(\tilde{s}_i)| \leq -\lambda_2 + \lg n$ . Similarly for  $\lg|Q''(s_i)| \leq (\tau_1 + 1)n + (n - 1)\tau_2 + \tau_3 + 4n - 4 + 2 \lg n$  and  $\lg|Q''(s_i) - \tilde{Q}''(\tilde{s}_i)| \leq -\lambda_2 + 2 \lg n$ . For the first derivative we add to the logarithm of the norm a term  $\lg n$  and for the second a term  $2 \lg n$ . Moreover,  $\tau_1 = \tau_2$ , as  $s = t$ .

Taking into account that  $|v_i| \leq 2^{\tau_3}$  we deduce that

$$\lg|A_{0,i}| \leq (\tau_1 + 1)n + (n - 1)\tau_2 + 2\tau_3 + 4n - 4 + 2 \lg n$$

and  $\lg|A_{0,i} - \tilde{A}_{0,i}| \leq -\lambda_2 + \tau_3 + 2 \lg n + 2$ .

Regarding the denominator we have that  $\lg|Q'(s_i)| \leq (\tau_1 + 1)n + (n - 1)\tau_2 + \tau_3 + 4n - 4 + \lg n = T$ . In addition  $|Q'(s_i)| = \prod_{j \neq i} |s_i - s_j| \geq \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(s)$  and so  $|1/A_{1,i}| = |1/2Q'(s_i)| \leq \prod_{j \neq i} (\Delta_j(s))^{-1}$ . Prop. 3 leads to  $\lg \text{wid}([1/A_{1,i}]) =$

$\lg \text{wid}[1/Q'(s_i)] \leq -\lambda_2 + \lg n - 4 \lg \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(s) + 2T + 3$  where  $\lambda_2$  is defined at the (C3) step of the proof of Lemma 24.

Putting all the pieces together, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{wid}([A_{0,i}/A_{1,i}]) &\leq 2|A_{0,i}| 2^{-\lambda_2 + \lg n - 4 \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(s) + 2T + 3} \\ &\quad + 2|1/A_{1,i}| 2^{-\lambda_2 + \tau_3 + 2 \lg n + 2} \end{aligned}$$

and after many simplifications and overestimations

$$\begin{aligned} \lg \left| \frac{A_{0,i}}{A_{1,i}} - \frac{\tilde{A}_{0,i}}{\tilde{A}_{1,i}} \right| &\leq \text{wid}([A_{0,i}/A_{1,i}]) \\ &\leq -\lambda + 70(\tau_1 + 3)n \lg n \\ &\quad + 4\tau_3 \lg n - 4 \lg \prod_j \Delta(s). \end{aligned}$$

To achieve an  $\ell$ -approximation we need the input to be a  $\lambda$ -approximation, where  $\lambda = \ell + 70(\tau_1 + 3)n \lg n + 4\tau_3 \lg n - 4 \lg \prod_j \Delta(s)$ , and we perform all the computations with this number of bits. The overall complexity is  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$ .  $\square$

### 7.3 Solving a Cauchy linear system

Next we restate Problem 5 of the solution of a Cauchy linear system of equations, which we stated in Section 6.1.

**Problem 6 (Cauchy linear system of equations).** *Solve a non-singular Cauchy linear system of  $n$  equations,  $C(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}) \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{r}$  for an unknown vector  $\mathbf{v}$  and 3 given vectors  $\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{s}$ , and  $\mathbf{t}$ .*

**Theorem 26.** *Let  $|s_i| \leq 2^{\tau_1}$ ,  $|t_i| \leq 2^{\tau_2}$ ,  $|r_i| \leq 2^{\tau_3}$ , and  $\Delta_i(\mathbf{s}) = \min_j |s_i - s_j|$ ,  $\Delta_i(\mathbf{t}) = \min_j |t_i - t_j|$ , for all  $i$ . Let also  $\Delta(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}) = \min_{i,j} |s_i - t_j|$ .*

*If the input is given  $\lambda$ -approximations, where  $\lambda = \ell + 630(\tau_1 + \tau_2)n \lg n + 32\tau_3 \lg n - 35 - 35 \lg n \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}) - 5 \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{t}) - 25 \lg \Delta(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t})$ , then an  $\ell$ -approximation solution to Problem 6 could be obtained in  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$ , or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n^2(\tau_1 + \tau_2) + n\tau_3 - n \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}) - n \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{t}) - n \lg \Delta(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}))$ .*

**Proof:** Following [15, Eq. 3.6.10] then inverse of  $C(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t})$  could be obtained as follows

$$\begin{aligned} C^{-1}(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}) &= \text{diag} \left( \frac{p_{\mathbf{s}}(t_i)}{p_{\mathbf{t}}'(t_i)} \right)_{i=0}^{n-1} C(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{s}) \text{diag} \left( \frac{p_{\mathbf{t}}(s_i)}{p_{\mathbf{s}}'(s_i)} \right)_{i=0}^{n-1}, \\ &= D_1 \cdot C(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{s}) \cdot D_2 \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

where  $p_{\mathbf{t}}(X) = \prod_i (X - t_i)$  and  $p_{\mathbf{s}}(X) = \prod_i (X - s_i)$ .

Using this formula we can solve the linear system as

$$\mathbf{v} = C^{-1}(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}) \mathbf{r} = D_1 \cdot C(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{s}) \cdot D_2 \mathbf{r} .$$

We apply Lemma 17 to analyze the computation of the polynomials  $p_{\mathbf{s}}(x)$  and  $p_{\mathbf{t}}(x)$ . Then we compute the two diagonal matrices  $D_1$  and  $D_2$  by applying the Moenck–Borodin algorithm for multipoint evaluation (see Section 4). At first we perform  $n$  ops to compute the vector  $\mathbf{r}_1 = D_2 \mathbf{r}$ . Then we use Lemma 24 to obtain the vector  $\mathbf{r}_2 = C(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{s}) \mathbf{r}_1$ . Finally we multiply the matrix  $D_1$  by  $\mathbf{r}_2$  to obtain the vector  $\mathbf{v}$ . We track the loss of precision at each of these three steps.

1. Computation of the matrices  $D_1$  and  $D_2$ .

For this task we need to compute  $p_{\mathbf{s}}(t_i)$ ,  $p'_{\mathbf{s}}(s_i)$ ,  $p_{\mathbf{t}}(s_i)$ , and  $p'_{\mathbf{t}}(t_i)$ .

It holds  $\lg \|p_{\mathbf{s}}\|_{\infty} \leq n\tau_1 + 4n - \lg n - 4$  and  $\lg \|p_{\mathbf{s}} - \tilde{p}_{\mathbf{s}}\|_{\infty} \leq -\lambda + (4n - 4)\tau_1 + 32n$ , using Lemma 19. By applying Lemma 21 we get  $\lg \|p_{\mathbf{s}}(t_i)\|_{\infty} \leq n\tau_1 + n\tau_2 + 5n - 3$ . and  $\lg \|p_{\mathbf{s}}(t_i) - \tilde{p}_{\mathbf{s}}(\tilde{t}_i)\|_{\infty} \leq -\lambda + (n \lg n + 4n - 4)\tau_1 + 60n\tau_2 \lg n - 4 \lg n + 184n \lg n + 32n - (\lg n)^2$ .

However, to simplify the calculations we consider the inferior bounds  $\lg \|p_{\mathbf{s}}(t_i)\|_{\infty} \leq 7n(\tau_1 + \tau_2)$  and  $\lg \|p_{\mathbf{s}}(t_i) - \tilde{p}_{\mathbf{s}}(\tilde{t}_i)\|_{\infty} \leq -\lambda + 300(\tau_1 + \tau_2)n \lg n$  for all the involved quantities.

We also need lower bounds for  $|p'_{\mathbf{t}}(t_i)|$  and  $|p'_{\mathbf{s}}(s_i)|$ . It holds  $|p'_{\mathbf{t}}(t_i)| \geq \prod_{j \neq i} |t_i - t_j| \geq \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(\mathbf{t})$ . Similarly  $|p'_{\mathbf{s}}(s_i)| \geq \prod_{j \neq i} |s_i - s_j| \geq \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(\mathbf{s})$ .

This leads to the bounds:  $\left| \frac{p_{\mathbf{s}}(t_i)}{p'_{\mathbf{t}}(t_i)} \right| \leq 2^{7n(\tau_1 + \tau_2) - \lg \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(\mathbf{t})}$  and  $\left| \frac{p_{\mathbf{t}}(s_i)}{p'_{\mathbf{s}}(s_i)} \right| \leq 2^{7n(\tau_1 + \tau_2) - \lg \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(\mathbf{s})}$ .

By combining the previous bounds with the complex interval arithmetic of Prop. 1 we obtain the following estimation for the approximation:

$$\lg \left| \frac{p_{\mathbf{t}}(s_i)}{p'_{\mathbf{s}}(s_i)} - \widetilde{\frac{p_{\mathbf{t}}(s_i)}{p'_{\mathbf{s}}(s_i)}} \right| \leq -\lambda + 315(\tau_1 + \tau_2)n \lg n - 4 \lg \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}),$$

$$\lg \left| \frac{p_{\mathbf{s}}(t_i)}{p'_{\mathbf{t}}(t_i)} - \widetilde{\frac{p_{\mathbf{s}}(t_i)}{p'_{\mathbf{t}}(t_i)}} \right| \leq -\lambda + 315(\tau_1 + \tau_2)n \lg n - 4 \lg \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(\mathbf{t}).$$

2.  $\mathbf{r}_1 = D_2 \mathbf{r}$ .

This computation increases the bounds by a factor of  $\tau_3$ . To be more specific, for the elements of  $\mathbf{r}_1$ ,  $r_{1,i}$  we have  $|r_{1,i}| \leq 2^{7n(\tau_1 + \tau_2) + \tau_3 - \lg \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(\mathbf{s})}$  and

$$\lg |r_{1,i} - \tilde{r}_{1,i}| \leq -\lambda + 316(\tau_1 + \tau_2)n \lg n + \tau_3 - 4 \lg \prod_{j \neq i} \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}).$$

3.  $\mathbf{r}_2 = C(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{s}) \mathbf{r}_1$ .

For this computation we need to apply Lemma 24. We obtain

$$\lg |r_{2,i}| \leq 7n(\tau_1 + \tau_2) + \tau_3 - \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}) - \lg \Delta(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}),$$

$$\lg |r_{2,i} - \tilde{r}_{2,i}| \leq -\lambda + 616(\tau_1 + \tau_2)n \lg n + 31\tau_3 \lg n - 35$$

$$- 34 \lg n \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}) - 4 \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{t}) - 24 \lg \Delta(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}).$$

4.  $\mathbf{v} = D_1 \mathbf{r}_2$ .

This computations leads to the following bounds:

$$\begin{aligned} \lg|v_i| &\leq 14n(\tau_1 + \tau_2) + \tau_3 - \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}) - \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{t}) - \lg \Delta(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}) \\ \lg|v_i - \tilde{v}_i| &\leq -\lambda + 630(\tau_1 + \tau_2)n \lg n + 32\tau_3 \lg n - 35 \\ &\quad - 35 \lg n \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}) - 5 \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{t}) - 25 \lg \Delta(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}). \end{aligned}$$

To achieve an  $\ell$ -approximation of the output we should require a  $\lambda$ -approximation of the input, where  $\lambda = \ell + 630(\tau_1 + \tau_2)n \lg n + 32\tau_3 \lg n - 35 - 35 \lg n \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}) - 5 \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{t}) - 25 \lg \Delta(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t})$ .

As in the previous sections we perform all computations using the maximum precision. The overall complexity of the algorithm is  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$ , or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n^2(\tau_1 + \tau_2) + n\tau_3 - n \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{s}) - n \lg \prod \Delta_j(\mathbf{t}) - n \lg \Delta(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}))$ .  $\square$

## 8 Extension to Computations with Hankel and Transposed Vandermonde Matrices

We need further definitions for this section. We denote by  $\mathbf{e}_j$  the  $j$ th coordinate vector of dimension  $n$ , for  $j = 1, \dots, n$ . Let  $I = I_n = [\mathbf{e}_1, \dots, \mathbf{e}_n]$  and  $J = J_n = [\mathbf{e}_n, \dots, \mathbf{e}_1]$  denote the  $n \times n$  identity and reversion matrices, respectively. Multiplication of a vector  $\mathbf{v} = [v_i]_{i=1}^n$  by the matrix  $I$  does not change, multiplication by the matrix  $J$  and reverses it, that is,  $I\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}$ ,  $J\mathbf{v} = [v_i]_{i=n}^1$ , and so  $J^2 = I$ .

The computation of the eigenvalues and eigenvectors are quite different for Toeplitz and Hankel matrices, but multiplication by a vector and the solution of linear system of equations are solved similarly for both matrix classes. Indeed, observe that  $HJ$  and  $JH$  are Toeplitz matrices if  $H$  is a Hankel matrix and vice versa. Consequently multiplication of Hankel matrices by a vector and the solution of a Hankel linear system of equations are immediately reduced to the same operations with Toeplitz matrices and vice versa, e.g.,  $H\mathbf{v} = T\mathbf{w}$  for  $T = HJ$  and  $\mathbf{w} = J\mathbf{v}$ , and so our complexity estimates are extended from Toeplitz to Hankel matrices. Likewise, essentially the same link to computations with polynomials can be established based on equation (5) and Lemma 7 because the equation  $T\mathbf{q} = \mathbf{s}$  for a Toeplitz matrix  $T$  is equivalent to the equation  $H\mathbf{q}_{\text{reverse}} = \mathbf{s}$  for the Hankel matrix  $H = TJ$  and for the reverse vector  $\mathbf{q}_{\text{reverse}} = J\mathbf{q}$ . Likewise equation (7)  $U\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{p}$  is equivalent to the equation  $H\mathbf{v}_{\text{reverse}} = \mathbf{p}$  for  $H = UJ$  and  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{reverse}} = J\mathbf{v}$ .

With a little more care we similarly extend our study of Vandermonde as well as Cauchy matrices to transposed Vandermonde matrices.

Hereafter, given a vector  $\mathbf{s} = [s_i]_{i=1}^n$ , we write  $D_{\mathbf{s}} = \text{diag}(\mathbf{s}) = \text{diag}(s_i)_{i=1}^n$  to denote the  $n \times n$  diagonal matrix with the diagonal entries  $s_1, \dots, s_n$ . Furthermore hereafter we write  $Z_f = \begin{pmatrix} 0^T & f \\ I_{n-1} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $Z_0 = Z$ . Note that  $Z_f^{-1} = Z_{1/f}$  for  $f \neq 0$ . For any scalar  $f$  and a vector  $\mathbf{v} = [v_i]_{i=1}^n$  define the  $f$ -circulant matrix  $Z_f(\mathbf{v}) = \sum_{i=1}^n v_i Z_f^i$ . For  $f = 0$  this is a triangular Toeplitz matrix  $Z(\mathbf{v})$ .

Recall that a Vandermonde matrix  $V = [s_i^j]_{i,j=1}^n$  is defined by its second column vector  $\mathbf{s} = [s_i]_{i=1}^n$  and that  $\omega = \exp(2\pi\sqrt{-1}/n)$  denotes a primitive root of 1. Write  $V = V(\mathbf{s}) = V_{\mathbf{s}} = [s_i^j]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$ ,  $C(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}) = C_{\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}} = [\frac{1}{s-t}]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$ ,  $V^{-T} = (V^T)^{-1} = (V^{-1})^T$ , and let  $\Omega = [\omega^{ij}]_{i,j=0}^{n-1}$ , denote the  $n \times n$  matrix of the discrete Fourier transform. For a scalar  $f$  and the vector  $\omega = [\omega^i]_{i=0}^{n-1}$  write  $C_{f, \mathbf{t}} = C_{f\omega, \mathbf{t}}$ . The following theorem links Cauchy, Vandermonde and transposed Vandermonde matrices [15].

**Theorem 27.** Assume that  $f$  is a scalar,  $\mathbf{s} = [s_i]_{i=0}^{n-1}$  and  $\mathbf{t} = [t_j]_{j=0}^{n-1}$  are two vectors, and  $t(x) = \prod_{j=0}^{n-1} (x - t_j)$ , and  $w(x) = t(x) - x^n$  and are polynomials with the coefficient vectors  $\mathbf{t}$  and  $\mathbf{w}$ , respectively. Then the following equations hold,

$$(i) \quad V_{\mathbf{s}}^T = -\frac{f^{1-n}}{n} \text{diag}(f^j)_{j=0}^{n-1} \Omega \text{diag}(\omega_n^j)_{j=0}^{n-1} C_{f,\mathbf{s}} \text{diag}(s_i^n - f^n)_{i=0}^{n-1}, \quad (15)$$

$$(ii) \quad V_{\mathbf{s}}^{-T} = -n \text{diag}\left(\frac{f^{n-1}}{s_i^n - f^n}\right)_{i=0}^{n-1} C_{f,\mathbf{s}}^{-1} \text{diag}(\omega_n^{-j})_{j=0}^{n-1} \Omega^H \text{diag}(f^{-j})_{j=0}^{n-1}, \quad (16)$$

$$(iii) \quad V_{\mathbf{t}} J Z_f (\mathbf{w} + f \mathbf{e}_1) V_{\mathbf{t}}^T = \text{diag}(t'(t_i)(f - t_i^n))_{i=0}^{n-1} \text{ for any scalar } f. \quad (17)$$

Equation (17) enables us to extend our study of Vandermonde matrices to the case of transposed Vandermonde matrices. Equations (15) and (16) enable similar extensions from our study of Cauchy matrices. In this way we obtain the following estimates.

**Theorem 28.** Let  $\mathbf{s} = (s_i)_{i=0}^{n-1}$ ,  $\mathbf{w} = (w_i)_{i=0}^{n-1}$ , such that  $|s_i| \leq 2^\tau$  and  $|w_i| \leq 2^\tau$ . If the input is known as a  $\lambda$ -approximation, where  $\lambda = \ell + \mathcal{O}(n^2 + \tau n \lg n - n \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(\mathbf{s}))$ , then we can compute the vector  $V_{\mathbf{s}}^T \mathbf{w}$  in  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n^3 + n^2\tau - n^2 \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(\mathbf{s}))$ .

**Proof:** Assume that  $f$  is an integer such that  $|f| \leq 2^\sigma$ . We will specify it in the sequel. We perform the various matrix-vector multiplications using Eq. 15.

- $\mathbf{a}_1 = \text{diag}(s_i^n - f^n)_{i=0}^{n-1} \mathbf{w}$ .

This computation needs  $\mathcal{O}(n)$  operations. Moreover,

$$\|\mathbf{a}_1\|_\infty \leq 2^{\mathcal{O}(n\tau+n\sigma)} \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{a}_1 - \tilde{\mathbf{a}}_1\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda + \mathcal{O}(\tau + \sigma + n)}$$

by direct computations, see also Sec. 3.

- $\mathbf{a}_2 = C_{f,\mathbf{s}} \mathbf{a}_1$ .

For this we use Lemma 24. We need to perform  $\mathcal{O}(n \lg^2 n)$  operations. It holds

$$\|\mathbf{a}_2\|_\infty \leq 2^{\mathcal{O}(n\tau+n\sigma)} \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{a}_2 - \tilde{\mathbf{a}}_2\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda + \mathcal{O}(n^2 + \tau n \lg n + \sigma n \lg n - n \lg \Delta(f,\mathbf{s}) - n \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(\mathbf{s}))}.$$

- $\mathbf{a}_3 = \text{diag}(\omega_n^j)_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbf{a}_2$ .

This computation needs  $\mathcal{O}(n)$  operations and it does not alter the asymptotic behavior of the upper and error bounds. That is

$$\|\mathbf{a}_3\|_\infty \leq 2^{\mathcal{O}(n\tau+n\sigma)} \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{a}_3 - \tilde{\mathbf{a}}_3\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda + \mathcal{O}(n^2 + \tau n \lg n + \sigma n \lg n - n \lg \Delta(f,\mathbf{s}) - n \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(\mathbf{s}))}.$$

- $\mathbf{a}_4 = \Omega \mathbf{a}_3$ .

This computation needs  $\mathcal{O}(n \lg^2 n)$  operations. It is an inverse DFT computation and so we use Lemma 4. It holds

$$\|\mathbf{a}_4\|_\infty \leq 2^{\mathcal{O}(n\tau+n\sigma)} \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{a}_4 - \tilde{\mathbf{a}}_4\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda + \mathcal{O}(n^2 + \tau n \lg n + \sigma n \lg n - n \lg \Delta(f,\mathbf{s}) - n \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(\mathbf{s}))}.$$

- $\mathbf{a}_5 = -\frac{f^{1-n}}{n} \text{diag}(f^j)_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathbf{a}_4$ .

This computation needs  $\mathcal{O}(n)$  operations and it does not alter the asymptotic behavior of the upper and error bounds. That is

$$\|\mathbf{a}_5\|_\infty \leq 2^{\mathcal{O}(n\tau+n\sigma)} \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{a}_5 - \tilde{\mathbf{a}}_5\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda + \mathcal{O}(n^2 + \tau n \lg n + \sigma n \lg n - n \lg \Delta(f,\mathbf{s}) - n \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(\mathbf{s}))}.$$

**Table 2.** Operator matrices for the seven classes  $\mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathcal{H}$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s^{-1}$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s^T$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s^{-T}$ , and  $\mathcal{C}_{s,t}$

$\mathcal{T}$	$\mathcal{H}$	$\mathcal{V}_s$	$\mathcal{V}_s^{-1}$	$\mathcal{V}_s^T$	$\mathcal{V}_s^{-T}$	$\mathcal{C}_{s,t}$
$(Z_e, Z_f)$	$(Z_e^T, Z_f)$	$(D_s, Z_e)$	$(Z_e, D_s)$	$(Z_e^T, D_s)$	$(D_s, Z_e^T)$	$(D_s, D_t)$
$(Z_e^T, Z_f^T)$	$(Z_e, Z_f^T)$					

As  $\mathbf{a}_5 = V_s^T \mathbf{w}$ , it remains to specify the properties of the unknown constant  $f$ . A random value for  $f$  would suffice for our purposes, but our goal is to provide worst case bounds. The Cauchy matrix  $C_{f,s}$  should not be singular. Therefore, none of the denominators,  $f\omega^i - s_j$ , should be zero. For this it suffices to consider an  $f$  sufficiently bigger than all the  $s_i$ , say  $f \geq 2^{c\tau}$ , for a small constant  $c$ .

Next, we need to estimate the quantity  $\Delta(f, s)$ , that is the minimum distance between the  $f\omega^i$  and the elements of  $s_j$ , for  $0 \leq i, j \leq n-1$ . Since  $|s_j| \leq 2^\tau$ , we can choose the constant  $c$  of the definition of  $f$  such that  $2^\tau \leq |s_j - f|$ .

This discussion implies the following bounds,

$$\|\mathbf{a}_5\|_\infty \leq 2^{\mathcal{O}(n\tau)} \quad \text{and} \quad \|\mathbf{a}_5 - \tilde{\mathbf{a}}_5\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda + \mathcal{O}(n^2 + \tau n \lg n - n \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(s))}.$$

□

To prove complexity bounds for the case of solving the linear system  $V_s^T \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{w}$  we can use Eq. (16). The proof is similar to the one of Theorem 28. We have the following corollary.

**Theorem 29.** *Let  $\mathbf{s} = (s_i)_{i=0}^{n-1}$ ,  $\mathbf{w} = (w_i)_{i=0}^{n-1}$ , such that  $|s_i| \leq 2^\tau$  and  $|w_i| \leq 2^\tau$ . If the input is known as a  $\lambda$ -approximation, where  $\lambda = \ell + \mathcal{O}(n^2 + \tau n \lg n - n \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(\mathbf{s}))$ , then we can solve the linear system  $V_s^T \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{w}$  in  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2 n \mu(\lambda))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n^3 + n^2\tau - n^2 \lg \prod_k \Delta_k(\mathbf{s}))$ .*

## 9 Extension to Computations with Matrices Having Small Displacement Rank

The four basic classes  $\mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathcal{H}$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s$ , and  $\mathcal{C}_{s,t}$  of structured matrices have been naturally extended to the more general classes  $\mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathcal{H}$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s$ , and  $\mathcal{C}_{s,t}$  of matrices having structures of Toeplitz, Hankel, Vandermonde, and Cauchy types, respectively. These more general classes are defined by using the associated *Sylvester displacement operators* of the form  $M \rightarrow AM - MB$  where the pair of *operator matrices*  $A$  and  $B$  represents the matrix structure. The matrix  $AM - MB$  is called the *displacement* of the matrix  $M$ . In particular for any pair of scalars  $e$  and  $f$  and the pair  $(A, B) = (Z_e, Z_f)$  of operator matrices, the displacement of a Toeplitz matrix has rank at most 2. Accordingly, a matrix  $M$  is said to have the structure of Toeplitz type if the nonnegative integer  $\text{rank}(Z_e M - M Z_f)$  is small in context. Alternatively the same class can be defined by the pair  $(Z_e^T, Z_f^T)$  of operator matrices. In some applications the dual *Stein displacement*  $M - CME$  is considered, defining the same classes of structured matrices if  $C = A^{-1}$  and  $B = E$  or if  $C = A$  and  $E = B^{-1}$ . The Table 2 represents the operator matrices that similarly define other matrix structures (cf. [15]).

One can express any  $n \times n$  matrix  $V$  of rank  $r$  as the product  $FG^T$  for  $n \times r$  matrices  $F$  and  $G$ , that is, can express  $n^2$  entries through  $2nr$  parameters. For  $r \ll n$  this is dramatic compression. Moreover one can operate with displacements instead of operating with the matrices themselves. The critical observation is that (apart from avoidable cases of degeneration) one can readily express the structured matrices of the cited classes through their displacements. The following theorem specifies these expressions (cf. [15]).

**Theorem 30.** Suppose  $s_0, \dots, s_{n-1}, t_0, \dots, t_{n-1}$  are  $2n$  distinct scalars,  $\mathbf{s} = (s_k)_{k=0}^{n-1}$ ,  $\mathbf{t} = (t_k)_{k=0}^{n-1}$ ,  $V = (s_i^{k-1})_{i,k=0}^{n-1}$ ,  $C = (\frac{1}{s_i - t_k})_{i,k=0}^{n-1}$ ,  $e$  and  $f$  are two distinct scalars,  $\mathbf{f}_1, \dots, \mathbf{f}_d, \mathbf{g}_1, \dots, \mathbf{g}_d$  are  $2d$  vectors of dimension  $n$ ,  $\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_n, \mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n$  are  $2n$  row vectors of dimension  $d$ , and  $F$  and  $G$  are  $n \times d$  matrices such that

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{u}_n \end{pmatrix} = (\mathbf{f}_1 \mid \dots \mid \mathbf{f}_d), \quad G = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{v}_n \end{pmatrix} = (\mathbf{g}_1 \mid \dots \mid \mathbf{g}_d). \quad \text{Then}$$

$$(e - f)M = \sum_{j=1}^d Z_e(\mathbf{f}_j)Z_f(J\mathbf{g}_j) \text{ if } Z_e M - MZ_f = FG^T, e \neq f;$$

$$(e - f)M = \sum_{j=1}^d Z_e(J\mathbf{f}_j)^T Z_f(\mathbf{g}_j)^T = J \sum_{j=1}^d Z_e(J\mathbf{f}_j)Z_f(\mathbf{g}_j)J \text{ if } Z_e^T M - MZ_f^T = FG^T, e \neq f,$$

$$(e - f)M = \sum_{j=1}^d Z_e(\mathbf{f}_j)Z_f(\mathbf{g}_j)J \text{ if } Z_e M - MZ_f^T = FG^T, e \neq f;$$

$$(e - f)M = J \sum_{j=1}^d Z_e(J\mathbf{f}_j)Z_f(J\mathbf{g}_j) \text{ if } Z_e^T M - MZ_f = FG^T, e \neq f,$$

$$M = \text{diag}(\frac{1}{s_i^n - e})_{i=0}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^d \text{diag}(\mathbf{f}_j)V Z_e(J\mathbf{g}_j) \text{ if } D_s M - MZ_e = FG^T \text{ and if } s_i^n \neq e \text{ for } i = 0, \dots, n-1;$$

$$(V^T)M = \sum_{j=1}^d Z_e(J\mathbf{f}_j)^T V^T \text{diag}(\mathbf{g}_j) \text{diag}(\frac{1}{e - s_i^n})_{i=0}^{n-1} \text{ if } Z_e^T M - MD_s = FG^T \text{ and if } s_i^n \neq e \text{ for } i = 0, \dots, n-1;$$

$$M = \sum_{j=1}^d \text{diag}(\mathbf{f}_j)C \text{diag}(\mathbf{g}_j) = \left( \frac{\mathbf{u}_i^T \mathbf{v}_j}{s_i - t_j} \right)_{i,j=0}^{n-1} \text{ if } D_s M - MD_t = FG^T.$$

The latter expressions reduce multiplication of a matrix from any of the classes  $\mathcal{T}$ ,  $\mathcal{H}$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s^{-1}$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s^T$ ,  $\mathcal{V}_s^{-T}$ ,  $\mathcal{C}_{s,t}$  essentially to at most  $cd$  multiplications of some matrices from the classes  $Z_f(\mathbf{v})$ ,  $V_s$ ,  $V_s^T$ , or  $\mathcal{C}_{s,t}$  by vectors for constant  $c$ , typically at most 2. This enables simple extension of our results on multiplication of Toeplitz, Vandermonde and Cauchy matrices by a vector.

One can use this theorem towards the extension of our results on the solution of linear systems of equations with the matrices of the latter basic classes. The extension should rely on the divide and conquer MBA algorithm, which equally well works for the structured matrices of the basic classes and the 7 extended classes above (see [15, Chapter 5]). We leave the elaboration upon this direction as our future subject.

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## Appendix

**Lemma 10.** *Let  $n + 1 = 2^k$  for a positive integer  $k$  and let  $T$  be a lower triangular Toeplitz  $(n + 1) \times (n + 1)$  matrix of. Eq. (5), having ones on the diagonal. Let its subdiagonal entries be complex numbers of magnitude at most  $2^\tau$  known up to a precision  $2^{-\lambda}$ . Let  $2^\rho$  be an upper bounds on the magnitude of the roots of the univariate polynomial  $t(x)$  associated with  $T$ . Write  $T^{-1} = (T_{i,j}^{-1})_{i,j=0}^n$ . Then*

$$\max_{i,j} |T_{i,j}^{-1}| \leq 2^{(\rho+1)n + \lg(n)+1} .$$

Furthermore, to compute the entries of  $T^{-1}$  up to the precision of  $\ell$  bits, that is to compute a matrix  $\tilde{T}^{-1} = (\tilde{T}_{i,j}^{-1})_{i,j=0}^n$  such that  $\max_{i,j} |T_{i,j}^{-1} - \tilde{T}_{i,j}^{-1}| \leq 2^{-\ell}$ , it is sufficient to know the entries of  $T$  up to the precision of

$$\ell + 10\tau \lg n + 70 \lg^2 n + 8(\rho + 1)n \lg n \text{ or } \mathcal{O}(\ell + (\tau + \lg n + n\rho) \lg n) = \tilde{\mathcal{O}}(\ell + \tau + n\rho) \text{ bits.}$$

The computation of  $\tilde{T}^{-1}$  costs  $\mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2(n) \mu(\ell + (\tau + \lg n + n\rho) \lg n))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n\ell + n\tau + n^2\rho)$ .

**Proof (of Lemma 10):** We will prove the claimed estimates by reducing the inversion to recursive multiplication of polynomials defined by equation (6) and Lemma 7.

Consider the  $\frac{n+1}{2} \times \frac{n+1}{2}$  Toeplitz matrices  $T_0^{-1}$  and  $T_1$  of equation (6). The Toeplitz matrix  $T_0^{-1}$  is triangular, and so its first column,  $\mathbf{p} = (p_i)_{i=0}^{(n-1)/2}$ , with  $p_0 = 1$ , defines this matrix and the polynomial  $p(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{(n-1)/2} p_i x^i$  of degree  $(n-1)/2$ . Likewise the vector  $\mathbf{t} = (t_{n-i})_{i=1}^n$  (made up of two overlapping vectors, that is, the reversed first row,  $(t_{n-1}, t_{n-2}, \dots, t_{(n-1)/2})$  of the matrix  $T_1$  and its first column,  $(t_{(n-1)/2}, t_{(n-3)/2}, \dots, t_0)^T$ ) defines this matrix and the polynomial  $\tilde{t}(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n t_{n-i} x^{i-1}$  of degree  $n-1$ . The first column of the  $\frac{n+1}{2} \times \frac{n+1}{2}$  Toeplitz matrix  $T_1 T_0^{-1}$  is a subvector,  $\mathbf{v}$ , of dimension  $(n+1)/2$  of the coefficient vector of the polynomial product  $\tilde{t}(x)p(x)$ , having degree  $3(n-1)/2$ . Likewise the first column of the  $\frac{n+1}{2} \times \frac{n+1}{2}$  matrix  $-T_0^{-1} T_1 T_0^{-1}$  is the vector  $\mathbf{q} = -T_0^{-1} \mathbf{v}$ , which is a subvector of dimension  $(n+1)/2$  of the coefficient vector of the polynomial product  $p(x)v(x)$  of degree  $n-1$ , where the polynomial  $v(x)$  of degree  $(n-1)/2$  is defined by its coefficient vector  $\mathbf{v}$ . In sum the vector  $\mathbf{q}$  is the coefficient vector of a polynomial  $\tilde{q}(x)$  obtained by two successive multiplications of polynomials, each followed by the truncation of the coefficient vectors. Namely we first compute the polynomial  $\tilde{t}(x)p(x)$ , then truncate it to obtain the polynomial  $v(x)$ , then compute the polynomial  $-p(x)v(x)$ , and finally truncate it to obtain the polynomial  $\tilde{q}(x)$ .

The truncation can only decrease the degree of a polynomial and the maximum length of its coefficients, and so we can bound the precision and the cost of computing the matrix product  $-T_0^{-1} T_1 T_0^{-1}$  by the bounds on the precision and the cost of computing the polynomial product  $P_0^2 P_1$ , estimated in Corollary 8 for  $P_0 = p(x)$ ,  $P_1 = \tilde{t}(x)$ , and  $d = (n-1)/2$ .

First we prove the upper bound on the elements of  $T^{-1}$ . Consider the division  $\phi_{i,k}(x) = t(x)q(x) + r(x)$ , where  $t(x)$  is the univariate polynomial of degree  $n$  associated with  $\phi_{i,k}(x) = \text{sign}(T_{i,1}^{-1})x^n + \text{sign}(T_{i,k}^{-1})x^k$ ,  $2 \leq k \leq n$  and  $1 \leq i \leq n$ . Then  $\|\phi_{i,k}\|_\infty \leq 1$  and  $\|\phi_{i,k}\|_2 \leq \sqrt{2}$ . By abusing notation we also write  $\phi_{i,k}$  and  $q$  to denote the coefficient vectors of these polynomials. Using Eq. (5) we can compute the elements of  $q$  from the equation  $q = T^{-1} \phi_{i,k}$ . In this way  $|q_i| = |\text{sign}(T_{i,1}^{-1})T_{i,1}^{-1} + \text{sign}(T_{i,k}^{-1})T_{i,k}^{-1}| = |T_{i,1}^{-1}| + |T_{i,k}^{-1}|$ .

Using Lemma 9 we obtain the inequality  $|q_i| \leq \|q\|_\infty \leq 2^{n+\lg n+n\rho} \|\phi_{i,k}\|_\infty$ , which in turn implies

$$|T_{i,k}^{-1}| \leq |T_{i,1}^{-1}| + |T_{i,k}^{-1}| = |q_i| \leq 2^{n+\lg n+n\rho} \|\phi_{i,k}\|_\infty \leq 2^{n+\lg n+n\rho} . \quad (18)$$

Let  $P_0$  and  $P_1$  denote the two polynomials defined earlier in the proof such that  $\max_{i,j} \{|T_{i,j}^{-1}|\} \leq \|P_0^2 P_1\|_\infty$ .

Then Eq. (18) implies the inequality

$$\lg \|P_0^2 P_1\|_\infty \leq n + \lg n + n\rho = N . \quad (19)$$

Recall that  $n + 1 = 2^k$  by assumption and that the polynomial  $P_0^2 P_1$  has degree  $2n - 2$ . Write  $h = \lceil \lg(2n - 2) \rceil$ . Under the assumption that the input elements are known up to the precision of  $\lambda$  bits, we compute a polynomial  $\widetilde{P_0^2 P_1}$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} \lg \left\| P_0^2 P_1 - \widetilde{P_0^2 P_1} \right\|_\infty &\leq \\ &\leq -\lambda + (2 \lg n + 8)\tau + 2 \lg n(4 \lg n + 27) + 8(\lg n - 1)N \\ &\leq -\lambda + (2k + 8)\tau + 2k(4k + 27) + 8(k - 1)N . \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

We proceed by induction. Let the base case be  $n + 1 = 4$ ; then  $k = 2$ . We need to invert the following matrix

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ t_2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ t_1 & t_2 & 1 & 0 \\ t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} T_0 & 0 \\ T_1 & T_0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ where}$$

$$T_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ t_2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, T_0^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -t_2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, T_1 = \begin{bmatrix} t_1 & t_2 \\ t_0 & t_1 \end{bmatrix},$$

and  $|t_i| \leq 2^\tau$ . The associated polynomials are  $P_0(x) = 1 - t_2x$ , for  $T_0^{-1}$ , and  $P_1(x) = t_2 + t_1x + t_0x^2$ , for  $T_1$ . Therefore  $P_1P_0 = (1 - t_2x)(t_2 + t_1x + t_0x^2) = t_2 + (t_1 - t_2^2)x + (t_0 - t_1t_2)x^2 - t_0t_2x^3$ . The subvector  $\mathbf{v} = (t_1 - t_2^2, t_0 - t_1t_2)^T$  of the coefficient vector of the polynomial product  $P_1P_0$  is the first column of the matrix product  $T_1T_0^{-1}$ . Furthermore the vector  $-T_0^{-1}\mathbf{v} = (t_2^2 - t_1, 2t_1t_2 - t_2^3 - t_0)^T$  is a subvector of the coefficient vector of the polynomial product  $-P_0v = -(1 - t_2x)(t_1 - t_2^2 + (t_0 - t_1t_2)x)$  where  $v$  denotes the polynomial  $t_1 - t_2^2 + (t_0 - t_1t_2)x$  with the coefficient vector  $\mathbf{v}$ . As we proved earlier, the subvector is the first column of the matrix

$$-T_0^{-1}T_1T_0^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} t_2^2 - t_1 & -t_2 \\ -t_2^3 + 2t_1t_2 - t_0 & t_2^2 - t_1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(This is not a subvector of the coefficient vector of the polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} P_0^2 P_1 &= (1 - t_2x)^2(t_2 + t_1x + t_0x^2) \\ &= t_2 + (t_1 - 2t_2^2)x + (t_0 - 2t_1t_2 + t_2^3)x^2 + (t_2^2t_1 - 2t_2t_0)x^3 + t_2^2t_0x^4 \end{aligned}$$

because multiplication of polynomials and the truncation of their coefficient vectors are not commutative operations, but as we observed, we still can reduce our study of the product  $T_0^{-1}T_1T_0^{-1}$  to the study of  $\widetilde{P_0^2 P_1}$ .)

We perform the multiplications by using the algorithm of Lemma 5 and the bounds from Cor. 8, to obtain a polynomial  $\widetilde{P_0^2 P_1}$  such that

$$\lg \left\| P_0^2 P_1 - \widetilde{P_0^2 P_1} \right\|_\infty \leq -\lambda + 10\tau + 15 \lg 1 + 40 \leq -\lambda + 12\tau + 140 + 8N ,$$

where the last inequality is obtained by substituting  $k = 2$  in Eq. (20).

It remains to prove the induction. Assume that the claimed bounds are true for  $n + 1 = 2^k$  and extend them to  $n + 1 = 2^{k+1}$ . In our case  $P_0$  is a polynomial of degree  $2^{k-1} - 1$ . By induction hypothesis we know the coefficient of  $P_0$  within  $2^{-\ell}$  for  $\ell$  defined by (20), and we can apply Eq. (19) to obtain  $\|P_0\|_\infty \leq 2^N$ .

The polynomial  $P_1$  has degree  $2^k - 2$ ,  $\|P_1\|_\infty \leq 2^\tau$ . Its coefficients are the entries of the matrix  $T$  and we know them within  $2^{-\lambda}$ .

We apply Cor. 8 for  $d = 2^{k-1} - 1$ ,  $\tau_0 = N$ ,  $\tau_1 = \tau$ , and  $-\nu = -\lambda + (2(k-1) + 8)\tau + 2(k-1)(4(k-1) + 27) + 8(k-2)N$ , substitute  $k \geq 3$ , and obtain the following approximation bound,

$$\begin{aligned} \lg \left\| P_0^2 P_1 - \widetilde{P_0^2 P_1} \right\|_\infty &\leq -\nu + 8\tau_0 + 2\tau_1 + 14k + 42 \\ &\leq -\lambda + (2k + 8)\tau + 8k^2 - 2k + 104 + 8(k - 1)N . \end{aligned}$$

These inequalities imply that all our computations require a precision bound of at most  $\lambda' = \ell + (2k + 8)\tau + 2k(4k + 27) + 8(k - 1)N$ . To simplify the formula, we substitute  $k = \lg(n)$  rather than  $k = \lg(n + 1)$  and then rewrite  $\lambda'$  as follows,  $\ell + (2 \lg n + 8)\tau + 2 \lg n(4 \lg n + 27) + 8(\lg n - 1)(n + \lg n + n\rho + 1)$  bits, which we simplify to the bound of  $\ell + 10\tau \lg n + 70 \lg^2 n + 8(\rho + 1)n \lg n$  or  $\mathcal{O}(\ell + (\tau + \lg n + n\rho) \lg n)$  bits.

To estimate the overall complexity of approximating the first column of the inverse matrix  $T^{-1}$ , we notice that we perform  $k$  steps overall, for  $k = \lg(n + 1)$ , but we will keep writing  $k = \lg(n)$  to simplify the notation.

At each step we perform two multiplications of polynomials of degrees at most  $2^k$  with the coefficients having absolute values less than  $2^{\mathcal{O}(n\tau)}$ , and we use the precision of  $\ell + 10\tau \lg n + 70 \lg^2 n + 8(\rho + 1)n \lg n = \mathcal{O}(\ell + (\tau + \lg n + n\rho) \lg n)$  bits. All these bounds together imply that

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=1}^{\lg(n+1)} k \cdot 2 \cdot \mathcal{O}_B(2^k \cdot \lg 2^k \cdot \mu(\ell + (\tau + \lg n + n\rho) \lg n)) = \\ & = \mathcal{O}_B(n \lg^2(n) \mu(\ell + (\tau + \lg n + n\rho) \lg n)) , \end{aligned}$$

which concludes the proof.  $\square$

## 10 A normalization of Kirrinnis' results

The following results express the bounds of Kirrinnis [10] for polynomials of arbitrary norms; for this an appropriate scaling is applied. The complexity bounds depends on polynomial multiplication algorithms that rely on Kronecker substitution and not on FFT as our results that we presented earlier. The bounds are asymptotically the same as ours, up to logarithmic factors.

The following is from [10, Theorem 3.7 and Algorithm 5.1].

**Lemma 31 (Multiplication of polynomials).** *Let  $P_j \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  of degree  $n_j$  and  $\|P_j\|_\infty \leq 2^\tau$  and  $\tilde{P}_j$  be an approximation of  $P_j$  such that  $\|P_j - \tilde{P}_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$ , with  $\lambda = \ell n(\tau + 2) + n \lg n$ , where  $1 \leq j \leq m$ ,  $n_1 \leq \dots \leq n_m$ , and  $\sum_{n_j} = n$ . We can compute  $\prod_j \tilde{P}_j$  such that  $\|\prod_j P_j - \prod_j \tilde{P}_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\ell}$  in  $\mathcal{O}_B(\mu(n \cdot \lg n \cdot (\ell + n\tau + \sum_j \lg n_j)))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n(\ell + n\tau))$ .*

**Proof:** Let  $p_j = 2^{-\tau - \lg n_j + n_j} P_j$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \|P_j\|_\infty \leq 2^\tau & \Rightarrow \|P_j\|_1 \leq 2^{\tau + \lg n_j} \\ & \Rightarrow 2^{-\tau - \lg n_j + n_j} \|P_j\|_1 \leq 2^{n_j} \Rightarrow \|p_j\|_1 \leq 2^{n_j} . \end{aligned}$$

Moreover,

$$\begin{aligned} \|P_j - \tilde{P}_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda} & \Rightarrow \|P_j - \tilde{P}_j\|_1 \leq 2^{-\lambda + \lg n_j} \\ \Rightarrow \|p_j - \tilde{p}_j\|_1 & \leq 2^{-\tau - \lg n_j + n_j} 2^{-\lambda + \lg n_j} = 2^{-\lambda - \tau + n_j} . \end{aligned}$$

The algorithm of Kirrinnis [10, Theorem 3.7 and Algorithm 5.1] computes and approximation of  $\prod_j p_j$  such that  $\left\| \prod_j p_j - \prod_j \tilde{p}_j \right\|_1 \leq 2^{-s + \tau + 3n}$ , which implies

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\| \prod_j 2^{-\tau - \lg n_j + n_j} P_j - \prod_j 2^{-\tau - \lg n_j + n_j} \tilde{P}_j \right\|_1 \leq 2^{-\lambda + \tau + 3n} \\ & \Rightarrow 2^{-n\tau - \sum_j \lg n_j + n} \left\| \prod_j P_j - \prod_j \tilde{P}_j \right\|_1 \leq 2^{-\lambda + \tau + 3n} , \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$\left\| \prod_j P_j - \prod_j \tilde{P}_j \right\|_1 \leq 2^{-\lambda + n(\tau+2) + n \lg n} .$$

If we want the error to be less than  $2^{-\ell}$ , then we need to choose initial precision  $\lambda \geq \ell n(\tau + 2) + n \lg n$ . The total cost is  $\mathcal{O}_B(\mu(n \cdot \lg n \cdot (\ell + n\tau + \sum_j \lg n_j)))$  or  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n(\ell + n\tau))$ .  $\square$

The algorithm for computing the sum of rational functions [10, Theorem 3.8 and Algorithm 5.2] relies on Lemma 31 and the bounds are similar, so we do not elaborate further.

The following lemma relies on [10, Theorem 3.9 and Algorithm 5.3].

**Lemma 32 (Modular representation).** *Let  $F \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  of degree  $m$  and  $\|F\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_1}$ . Let  $P_j \in \mathbb{C}[x]$  of degree  $n_j$ , for  $1 \leq j \leq \nu$ , such that  $\sum_j n_j = n$  and  $m \geq n$ . Moreover,  $2^\rho$  be an upper bound on the magnitude of the roots of all  $P_j$ . Let  $\tilde{F}$ , resp.  $\tilde{P}_j$ , be an approximation of  $F$ , resp.  $P_j$ , such that  $\|F - \tilde{F}\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$ , resp.  $\|P_j - \tilde{P}_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda}$ .*

*If  $\lambda = \ell + \tau_1 + 2(n + m)\rho$  then we compute approximations  $\tilde{F}_j$  of  $F_j = F \bmod P_j$ , such that  $\|F_j - \tilde{F}_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\ell}$  in  $\mathcal{O}_B(\mu((m + n \lg n)(\ell + \tau_1 + (m + n)\rho))$ .*

**Proof:** The polynomials  $P_j(2^\rho x)$  have all their roots inside the unit disc. We make them monic and then denote them  $p_j$ . It holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \|P_j - \tilde{P}_j\|_\infty \leq 2^{-\lambda} &\Rightarrow \|P_j(2^\rho x) - \tilde{P}_j(2^\rho x)\|_1 \leq 2^{-\lambda + n_j \rho + \lg n_j} \\ &\Rightarrow \|p_j - \tilde{p}_j\|_1 \leq 2^{-\lambda + n_j \rho + \lg n_j + 1} . \end{aligned}$$

We apply the same transformation to  $F$ .

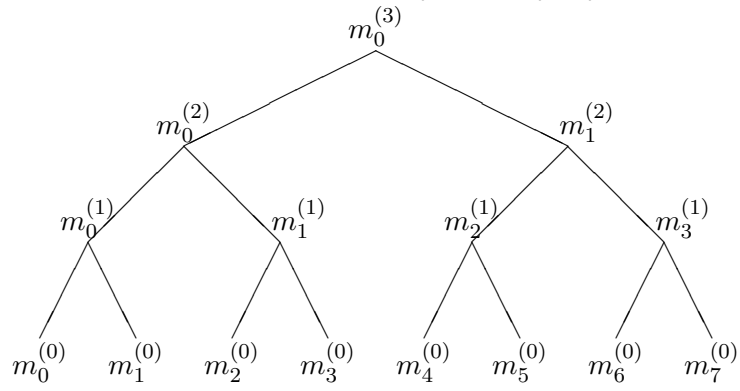
Let  $f = 2^{-\tau_1 - m\rho - \lg m} F(2^\rho x)$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \|F\|_\infty \leq 2^{\tau_1} &\Rightarrow \|F\|_1 \leq 2^{\tau_1 + \lg m} \Rightarrow \|F(2^\rho x)\|_1 \leq 2^{\tau_1 + m\rho + \lg m} \\ &\Rightarrow 2^{-\tau_1 - m\rho + \lg m} \|F(2^\rho x)\|_1 \leq 1 \Rightarrow \|f\|_1 \leq 1 . \end{aligned}$$

Now we can use [10, Theorem 3.9] choosing  $\lambda = \ell + \tau_1 + 2(n + m)\rho$  to guarantee  $\|f \bmod p_j - \tilde{f}_j\|_1 = \|f_j - \tilde{f}_j\|_1 \leq 2^{-\ell}$ . The complexity of the procedure is  $\mathcal{O}_B(\mu((m + n \lg n)(\ell + \tau_1 + (m + n)\rho))$ .  $\square$

**Remark 33.** *In the case where  $m = n$  the latter bound becomes  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_B(n(\ell + \tau_1 + n\rho))$ .*

**Figure 1.** Fan-in process,  $m_j^{(h+1)} = m_{2j}^{(h)} m_{2j+1}^{(h)}$



**Figure 2.** Fan-out process,  $r_j^{(h)} = r_{\lfloor j/2 \rfloor}^{(h+1)} \bmod m_j^{(h)} = v(x) \bmod m_j^{(h)}$

