# Multiplication Modulo A Triangular Set

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# **Triangular Set**

### Definition

A triangular set is a family of polynomial  $\mathbf{T} = (T_1, T_2, ..., T_n)$  in  $R[x_1, ..., x_n]$ , where

- R is our coefficient ring;
- $T_i$  is in  $R[x_1, ..., x_i];$
- T<sub>i</sub> is monic in X<sub>i</sub>;
- $T_i$  is reduced w.r.t.  $T_1, \ldots, T_{i-1}$ .

### Example

$$T_1(x_1) = x_1^2 + 3x_1$$
  
$$T_2(x_1, x_2) = x_2^2 + x_2 x_1$$

# Goal of this work

The goal of this work is to compute  $C \equiv AB \mod T$  where A and B are two polynomials already reduced modulo T.

#### Example (continued)

$$A = x_1x_2 + x_2 + x_1 + 1$$
  

$$B = x_1x_2 + x_2 + x_1 + 1$$
  

$$AB = x_1^2x_2^2 + 2x_2^2x_1 + 2x_2x_1^2 + 4x_1x_2 + x_2^2 + 2x_2 + x_1^2 + 2x_1 + 1$$
  

$$C = -6x_2x_1 + 2x_2 - x_1 + 1$$

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# **Complexity Measure**

The complexity measure is  $\delta = d_1 d_2 \dots d_n$  (which is essentially the input and output size).

Theorem (Li, Moreno Maza, Schost) The product AB mod T can be computed in time  $O^{\sim}(4^n\delta)$ . (the notation  $O^{\sim}$  hides logarithmic factors)

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 $O^{\sim}(\delta \sum_{i=1}^{n} d_{i}).$ 

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# Current work

Our contribution: extending the previous special case.

### Theorem

Let T be a triangular set where, for all i:

- $T_i$  is in  $R[x_i, x_{i-1}]$ ;
- $T_i = t_i(x_i) + q_i(x_{i-1});$
- ▶ all *t<sub>i</sub>* have the same degree *d*.

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# $O^{\sim}(d\delta).$

#### Remarks

- The assumption that all d<sub>i</sub> are equal simplifies the estimates.
- ► Combining this result with the  $O^{\sim}(4^n \delta)$  bound, we can refine the cost to  $O^{\sim}(\delta e^{\sqrt{\log \delta}})$ .

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$$O^{\sim}((2-\frac{1}{d})^{n-1}\delta).$$

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## Application of modular arithmetic

#### Addition of algebraic numbers over $\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$ .

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$$T_{1} = x_{1}^{p}$$

$$T_{2} = x_{2}^{p} - x_{1}$$

$$T_{3} = x_{3}^{p} - x_{2}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$T_{n} = x_{n}^{p} - x_{n-1}$$

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$$T_{2} = x_{2}^{p} + x_{2} + x_{1}^{p-1}$$

$$T_{3} = x_{3}^{p} + x_{3} + x_{2}^{p-1} x_{1}^{p-1}$$

$$\vdots$$

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- The interpolation is essentially same as the evaluation which can be done in O<sup>~</sup>(δ)
- **Total:**  $O^{\sim}(\delta)$ , optimal!

## When the roots are unknown

In general, the roots are not known (they do no exist in *R*).

 Our approach consists in building another triangular set V with

$$V_i = \eta T_i + (1 - \eta) U_i,$$

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where  $U_i$  has known roots (pairwise distinct).

The root of V are series in η. We can compute them by Newton iteration, because the roots of U<sub>i</sub> are known.

• If 
$$\eta = 1$$
, then  $V_i = T_i$ .

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**Question:** What will be the value of *r*?

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The triangular set V is composed of:

$$V_{1} = x_{1}^{3} - \eta x_{1}^{2} - \eta x_{1} - \eta$$
$$V_{2} = x_{2}^{3} - \eta x_{2}^{2} - \eta x_{2} - \eta - \eta x_{1}^{2}$$
$$V_{3} = x_{3}^{3} - \eta x_{3}^{2} - \eta x_{3} - \eta - \eta x_{2}^{2}$$

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A and B are two polynomials mod V in R[x<sub>1</sub>, x<sub>2</sub>, x<sub>3</sub>]
 C = AB mod V in R[η][x<sub>1</sub>, x<sub>2</sub>, x<sub>3</sub>].

# Example of reduction contd.

### **Example (continued)**

- The largest monomial of C, before reduction:  $x_3^4 x_2^4 x_1^4$ .
- ► A single reduction w.r.t. V<sub>3</sub>:

$$\begin{aligned} x_3^4 x_2^4 x_1^4 &= x_3 x_3^3 x_2^4 x_1^4 \\ &= x_3 x_2^4 x_1^4 (\eta x_3^2 + \eta x_3 + \eta + \eta x_2^2) \quad \text{reduction w.r.t. } V_3 \\ &= \eta x_3^3 x_2^4 x_1^4 + \eta x_3^2 x_2^4 x_1^4 + \eta x_3 x_2^4 x_1^4 + \eta x_3 x_2^6 x_1^4 \end{aligned}$$

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• The same process is repeated for  $\eta x_3^3 x_2^4 x_1^4$ 

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- The monomial is  $\eta x_3^3 x_2^4 x_1^4$ .
- The reduction process:

$$\eta x_3^3 x_2^4 x_1^4 = \eta x_2^4 x_1^4 (\eta x_3^2 + \eta x_3 + \eta + \eta x_2^2) \quad \text{reduction w.r.t. } V_3$$
$$= \eta^2 x_3^2 x_2^4 x_1^4 + \eta^2 x_3 x_2^4 x_1^4 + \eta^2 x_2^4 x_1^4 + \eta^2 x_2^6 x_1^4$$

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- Number of steps up to now: 2.
- The largest monomial after reducing w.r.t.  $V_3$ :  $\eta^2 x_2^6 x_1^4$ .

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► A single reduction w.r.t. V<sub>2</sub>:

$$\begin{aligned} \eta^2 x_1^4 x_2^6 &= \eta^2 x_1^4 x_2^3 x_2^3 \\ &= \eta^2 x_1^4 x_2^3 (\eta x_2^2 + \eta x_2 + \eta + \eta x_1^2) \quad \text{reduction w.r.t. } V_2 \\ &= \eta^3 x_1^4 x_2^5 + \eta^3 x_1^4 x_2^4 + \eta^3 x_1^4 x_2^3 + \eta^3 x_1^6 x_2^3 \end{aligned}$$

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This process gives us two alternative way to reduce C further.

The following tree structure describes the reduction more concisely.

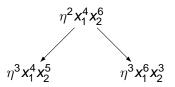
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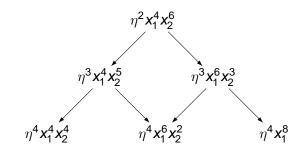
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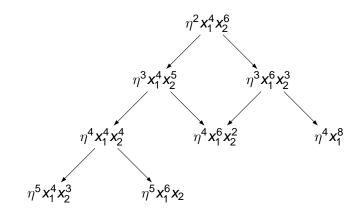
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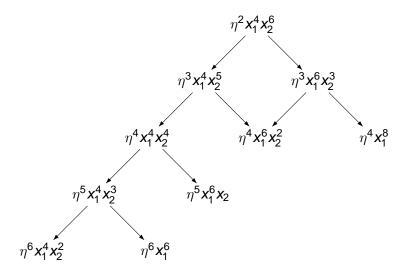
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### Generalization

The previous example generalizes to

$$V_{1} = x_{1}^{d_{1}} + c_{1,...}(\eta) x_{1}^{d_{1}-1} + \dots + c_{1,...}(\eta)$$

$$V_{2} = x_{2}^{d_{2}} + c_{2,...}(\eta) x_{2}^{d_{2}-1} + \dots + c_{2,...}(\eta) + c_{2,...}(\eta) x_{1}^{d_{1}-1} + \dots$$

$$\vdots$$

$$V_{n} = x_{n}^{d_{n}} + c_{n,...}(\eta) x_{n}^{d_{n}-1} + \dots + c_{n,...}(\eta) + c_{n,...}(\eta) x_{n-1}^{d_{n-1}-1} + \dots,$$

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for some coefficients  $c_{i,...}(\eta)$  of degree 1.

## Bound

The degree bound *r* will be:

• if 
$$d_1 \leq d_2 \leq \cdots \leq d_{n-1} \leq d_n$$
  
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• if 
$$d_1 \geq d_2 \geq \cdots \geq d_{n-1} \geq d_n$$

$$r \leq \sum_{i=2}^{n} (d_i - 1) + \sum_{i=2}^{n-1} i + n(d_1 - 1)$$

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In particular, this gives our first theorem, when all  $d_i$  are equal.

## Triangular set for 2nd case

Generalized triangular set for Theorem 2:

$$V_{1} = x_{1}^{d} + c_{1,...}(\eta)x_{1}^{d-1} + \dots + c_{1,...}(\eta)$$

$$V_{2} = x_{2}^{d} + c_{2,...}(\eta)x_{2}^{d-1} + \dots + c_{2,...}(\eta) + c_{2,...}(\eta)x_{1}^{d-1} + \dots$$

$$\vdots$$

$$V_{n} = x_{n}^{d} + c_{n,...}(\eta)x_{n}^{d-1} + \dots + c_{n,...}(\eta) + c_{n,...}(\eta)x_{n-1}^{d-1} \cdots x_{1}^{d-1}$$

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# Degree Changes in two direction:

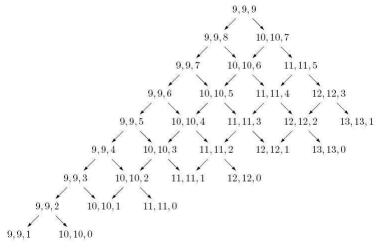
#### Decrement of degrees for this case.

- Degrees in other variable remain same except x<sub>i</sub> (when reducing w.r.t. V<sub>i</sub>) which will be decreased by 1 in left direction
- ▶ Degrees in other variable increased by (*d* − 1) and decreased by *d* in *x<sub>i</sub>* (when reducing w.r.t. *V<sub>i</sub>*) in right direction

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## Degree Changes example:

If d = 2 and a monomial start with 3 variables having degrees 9, 9, 9, then the reduction steps would be:



## Bound

The degree bound *r* will be:

• if 
$$d_1 = d_2 = \cdots = d_{n-1} = d_n = d$$

$$r \leq 2(2-\frac{1}{d})^{n-1}$$

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This gives our second theorem, when all  $d_i$  are equal.

#### Thanks