

ADDING NUMBERS

- DETERMINENTAL POINT PROCESSES
- ADDITIVE COMBINATORICS
- WE CAN FIND MATH ANYPLACE

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 8 \\ 8 \\ 5 \\ 1 \\ 6 \\ 2 \\ \hline 37 \end{array} \cdot \begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 5 \\ 3 \\ 8 \\ 9 \\ 5 \\ 7 \end{array}$$

EASY STUFF

- POINT PROCESS ON $\{1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$
P ON $2^{\lfloor n-1 \rfloor}$, "PICK $A \subseteq \{1, \dots, n-1\}$
- SET $X_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{AS } i \in A \\ 0 & \text{OR NOT} \end{cases}$
FOR BASE b CARRIES
$$P\{X_i = 1\} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2b} \in \left(\frac{\binom{b}{1}}{b^1}\right) = \begin{cases} .45 & b=10 \\ .25 & b=2 \end{cases}$$
- $P(X_1 = X_2 = \dots = X_{i-1} = 1) = \frac{\binom{b}{i}}{b^i}$ SO $\text{COV}(X_i, X_j) = -\frac{1}{b} \left(1 - \frac{1}{b}\right)$
- $\{X_i\}$ IS STATIONARY
- $\{X_i\}$ IS ONE-DEPENDENT: $X_1 \dots X_{i-1} \perp X_{i+1} \dots X_{n-1}$

SO ALL STANDARD LIMIT THEOREMS:

CARRIES $T_{n-1} \sim \text{NORMAL}, (n-1)\left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2b}\right), \frac{n-1}{12}\left(1 - \frac{1}{b}\right)$

DETERMINANTS

$$P\{X_1=e_{i_1}, \dots, X_n=e_{i_n}\} = \frac{1}{b^n} \text{DET} \begin{pmatrix} s_{j+1}-s_i+b-1 \\ b-1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$e_i = 1 \text{ AT } S = \{s_1 < s_2 < \dots < s_n\}, (i+1) \times (i+1), s_0=0, s_{n+1}=\pi$$

EX $n=8$ $s_4=s_5=1$ 10000000

$$\frac{1}{b^8} \begin{pmatrix} \binom{1+b-1}{b-1} & \binom{5+b-1}{b-1} & \binom{8+b-1}{b-1} \\ 1 & \binom{4+b-1}{b-1} & \binom{7+b-1}{b-1} \\ 0 & 1 & \binom{3+b-1}{b-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

EG, $b=2$.0352, $b=16$.0104

WHY?

$$\alpha_n(S) = \# \text{ SEQ DESC } \leq S$$

$$\beta_n(S) = \# \text{ SEQ } = S$$

$$\alpha_n(S) = \sum_{T \leq S} \beta_n(T), \quad \beta_n(S) = \sum_{T \leq S} (-1)^{|WT|} \alpha_n(T)$$

WK ↑ SEQ LENGTH l IS $\binom{l+b-1}{b-1}$

$$\alpha_n(S) = \binom{s_1+b-1}{b-1} \binom{s_2-s_1+b-1}{b-1} \dots \binom{\pi-s_n+b-1}{b-1}$$

EG $S = \emptyset$ $P(\text{NO CARRIES}) = \frac{\binom{\pi+b-1}{b-1}}{b^n}$, $\pi=8, b=16 = .0002$

DETERMINANTAL POINT PROCESSES


LET $\rho(A) = P\{X_i = 1, i \in A\}$ "A-POINT CORRELATIONS"

DEF $\{X_i\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ IS DETERMINANTAL IF $\exists K(x,y)$:

$$\rho(A) = \text{DET}_{i,j \in A} (K(x,y))$$

EXAMPLES

• EIGENVALUES OF RANDOM MATRICES

eg CHE: PICK ME U_n ,  $K(\theta, \theta') = \frac{\sin n(\theta - \theta')}{\pi(\theta - \theta')}$
NEUTRON SCATTERING, ANTENNA DESIGN, RIEMANN η

• EDGES IN MST IN A GRAPH 

• RANDOM ANALYTIC FUNCTIONS

$$f(z) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} z_j z^j \quad |z| < 1, \quad z_j \sim \pi(0,1)$$



$$K(z,w) = \frac{1}{\pi(1-z\bar{w})^2}$$

• QUANTUM MECHANICS

$\Psi_i(x, \tau)$ "STATE" (= PROB ELEC. AT x AT TIME τ)

n NONINTERACTING FERMIONS STATES $\Psi_1 \dots \Psi_n$,

ANTI SYMMETRIZE $\prod \Psi_i(x_i, \tau)$ TO

$$\sum_{\sigma \in S_n} \text{sgn}(\sigma) \prod_i \Psi_{\sigma(i)}(x_i, \tau)$$

$$= \text{DET } K(x, y), \quad K(x, y) = \sum_{i=1}^n \Psi_i(x) \bar{\Psi}_i(y)$$

• CARRIES ARE DETERMINENTAL

$$K(i, i) = 1 - i, \quad \sum_{i \geq 2} K(i, i) = \frac{1}{1 - (1-i)^b}$$

MANY MORE EXAMPLES, IN GENERAL SPACES

• $P\{X_y = 1\} = K(x, y), \quad \text{COV}(X_y, X_q) = \text{DET} \begin{pmatrix} K(x, y) & K(x, q) \\ K(y, x) & K(y, q) \end{pmatrix} - K(x, x)K(y, y)$

• IF $K_n(x, y) \rightarrow K(x, y)$ THEN $X^n \Rightarrow X$

• EASIER TO DESCRIBE $K(x, y)$ THEN $PUN 2$.

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BACK TO CARRIES

LET C_b BE CYCLIC GROUP

$C_b \subseteq C_{b^2}$ AS $0, b, 2b, 3b, \dots, (b-1)b$

CHOOSE COSET REPRESENTATIVES

eg $C_{10} \subseteq C_{100}$ REP $0, 1, \dots, 9$

$$\begin{matrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 9 \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & \dots & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \dots 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \binom{b}{2} \text{ CARRIES}$$

ARE THERE DIFFERENT DIGITS, FEWER CARRIES

EG. $b=5, C_5 \subseteq C_{25}$ $\{0, 5, 10, 15, 20\}$

USE $0 \pm 1, \pm 2$ BALANCED REPS

$$\begin{matrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 6 \text{ CARRIES} \\ \text{VERSUS 10 FOR} \\ \text{REPS } \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\} \end{matrix}$$

EX $b=5$, 'DIGITS' $0, \pm 1, \pm 2$, WRITE $-1 = \underline{1}$, ETC

$$\begin{array}{r} \underline{2} \ \underline{5} \ \underline{2} \\ \underline{2} \ \quad \underline{1} \\ \underline{2} \ \quad \underline{1} \\ \underline{1} \ \quad \underline{0} \\ \underline{1} \ \ 5 \ \underline{1} \\ \underline{2} \ \ \underline{2} \\ \underline{2} \end{array}$$

AGAIN IF 'DIGITS' ON LEFT ARE
i.e.d., DIGITS ON RIGHT ARE TOO

'CARRY' OF $\underline{5}$ IF $\begin{matrix} -1 \rightarrow 1 \\ -1 \rightarrow 2 \end{matrix}$
 5 IF $\begin{matrix} 1 \rightarrow 2 \\ 2 \rightarrow -1 \end{matrix}$

- ANY CHOICE OF 'DIGITS' LEADS TO 1-DEPENDENT DETERMINENTAL PROCESS
- (INDEED, COSET REPS FOR ANY $H \trianglelefteq G$ ($H \cong \mathbb{Z}^k$))

• COMPUTER DESIGNERS KNOW ABOUT 'BALANCED' (LOOK UP BALANCED TERNARY IN ^(KNUTH VOL II) WIKIPEDIA)

- USUAL COSET REPS $\{0, 1, \dots, b-1\}$ CARRY $\doteq \frac{1}{2}$
BALANCED " $\{0, \pm 1, \dots, \pm(\frac{b-1}{2})\}$ " $\doteq \frac{1}{4}$

CAN WE DO BETTER?

(WHY MUST WE HAVE AT LEAST SOME CARRIES)

ANSWERS

A) NOPE, FOR $2 \leq b \leq 10$ (COMPUTER)

B) NOPE, IF $b = p$ A SUFF. LARGE PRIME

(☹️), ALAS, PF USES ADDITIVE COMBINATORICS
SO $p \gg 2^{2^{\dots^2}}$ TOWER OF LENGTH $1/\epsilon^5$

TH (WITH SOUND, SHAD): $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists p^* \forall p > p^*$
 \Rightarrow ANY CHOICE OF COSET REPS $C_p \subseteq C_{p^*}$
HAS AT LEAST $p^2(\frac{1}{4} - \epsilon)$ CARRIES.

IDEA

1) PF EASY FOR $A \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$, SAY $A = \{0 < a_1 < a_2 < \dots < a_n\}$

• IF $a_i + a_j = a_k$ AT MOST 1 CHOICES FOR i

• SO # SOLS $= \sum_{k=1}^n 1 = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \leq \frac{1}{2}|A|^2 + |A|$

• GENERAL A # SOLS $= \frac{3}{4}|A|^2 + |A|$

• BEST IS $A = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm \frac{n-1}{2}$

2) FOR $A \subseteq \mathbb{C}_p$ USE $\begin{cases} \text{BALOG} \\ \text{SZEMEREDI} \\ \text{GOWERS} \end{cases}$ TO SHOW

$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists L \ni$

• $A = A_0 \cup A_1 \cup \dots \cup A_L$

• A_i 'LARGE' ($|A_i| \geq \epsilon |A|$) $1 \leq i \leq L$

• A_i 'STRUCTURED' ($|A_i + A_i| \leq \epsilon |A_i|$)

• A_i, A_j 'RANDOM WRT EACH OTHER'

$$E(A_i, A_j) \leq \epsilon |A_i|^{\frac{3}{2}} |A_j|^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

• A_0 'RANDOM' ($E(A_0, A) \leq \epsilon |A|^3$)

($E(A, A) = \# a, a', b, b' : a+a' = b+b'$, eg

eg $E(A, A) = |A|^3 \Leftrightarrow A$ IS A SUBGP.)

3) THEN $A_i \stackrel{F}{\approx}$ SUBSET OF \mathbb{Z} , USE EASY ARG.

A_0 DOESN'T MATTER.

? CAN'T SOMEBODY FIND AN EASY PF?

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