

MA/CSSE 473

Day 27

Student questions

Leftovers from
Boyer-Moore

Knuth-Morris-Pratt
String Search
Algorithm



Solution (hide this until after class)

1. banana

k	shift
1	4
2	6
3	2
4	6
5	6

2. wowwow

k	shift
1	2
2	5
3	3
4	3
5	3

3. abcdcbcabcabc

k	shift
1	8
2	6
3	10
4	10
5	3
6	10
7	10
8	10
9	10
10	10
11	10
12	10

Boyer-Moore example (Levitin)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	-
1	2	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6

B E S S _ K N E W _ A B O U T _ B A O B A B S
 B A O B A B

$$d_1 = t_1(K) = 6 \quad B A O B A B$$

$$d_1 = t_1(_) - 2 = 4$$

$$d_2(2) = 5$$

k	pattern	d_2
1	BAOBAB	2
2	BAOBAB	3
3	BAOBAB	5
4	BAOBAB	5
5	BAOBAB	5

B A O B A B

$$d_1 = t_1(_) - 1 = 5$$

$$d_2(1) = 2$$

B A O B A B (success)



Boyer-Moore Example (mine)

```

pattern = abracadabra
text =
abracadabtabradabradabracadabcadaxbrabbracadabraxxxxxxabracadabracadabra
m = 11, n = 67
badCharacterTable: a3 b2 r1 a3 c6 x11
GoodSuffixTable: (1,3) (2,10) (3,10) (4,7) (5,7) (6,7) (7,7) (8,7)
(9,7) (10, 7)

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abracadabtabradabradabracadabcadaxbrabbracadabraxxxxxxabracadabracadabra
abracadabra

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i = 10      k = 1      t1 = 11      d1 = 10      d2 = 3

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abracadabtabradabradabracadabcadaxbrabbracadabraxxxxxxabracadabracadabra
abracadabra

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i = 20      k = 1      t1 = 6      d1 = 5      d2 = 3

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abracadabtabradabradabracadabcadaxbrabbracadabraxxxxxxabracadabracadabra
abracadabra

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i = 25      k = 1      t1 = 6      d1 = 5      d2 = 3

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abracadabtabradabradabracadabcadaxbrabbracadabraxxxxxxabracadabracadabra
abracadabra

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i = 30      k = 0      t1 = 1      d1 = 1

```



Boyer-Moore Example (mine)

First step is a repeat from the previous slide

```
abracadabt abradabracadabcadaxbrab  
brac cadab raxxxxxx abracadabracadabra  
abracadabra  
i = 30      k = 0      t1 = 1      d1 = 1  
abracadabt abradabracadabcadaxbrab  
brac cadab raxxxxxx abracadabracadabra  
abracadabra  
i = 31      k = 3      t1 = 11     d1 = 8      d2 = 10  
abracadabt abradabracadabcadaxbrab  
brac cadab raxxxxxx abracadabracadabra  
abracadabra  
i = 41      k = 0      t1 = 1      d1 = 1  
abracadabt abradabracadabcadaxbrab  
brac cadab raxxxxxx abracadabracadabra  
abracadabra  
i = 42      k = 10     t1 = 2      d1 = 1      d2 = 7  
abracadabt abradabracadabcadaxbrab  
brac cadab raxxxxxx abracadabracadabra  
abracadabra  
i = 49      k = 1      t1 = 11     d1 = 10     d2 = 3  
abracadabt abradabracadabcadaxbrab  
brac cadab raxxxxxx abracadabracadabra  
abracadabra
```

49 Brute force took 50 times through the outer loop; Horspool took 13; Boyer-Moore 9 times.



Boyer-Moore Example

- On Moore's home page
- <http://www.cs.utexas.edu/users/moore/best-ideas/string-searching/fstrpos-example.html>



```

def search(pattern, text):
    n = len(text)
    m = len(pattern)
    badSymbolTable = [m]*128 # ASCII characters
    populateBadSymbolTable(badSymbolTable, pattern, m-1)
    goodSuffixTable = [m]*m
    populateGoodSuffixTable(pattern, goodSuffixTable)

    i = m - 1
    while i < n:
        k = 0
        while k < m and pattern[m-1-k]==text[i-k]:
            k += 1
        if k==m:
            return i - m + 1
        t1 = badSymbolTable[ord(text[i-k])]
        d1 = max(1, t1 - k)
        if k==0:
            i += d1
        else:
            i += max(d1, goodSuffixTable[k])
    return -1

```

This code is online

There is an $O(m)$ algorithm for building the goodSuffixTable. It's complicated.

My code for building the table is $\Theta(m^2)$

This code is $\Theta(n)$

Knuth-Morris-Pratt Search

- Based on the brute force search.
- Does character-by-character matching left-to-right
- In many cases we can shift by more than 1, without missing any matches.
- Depends on repeated characters in p.
- We call the amount of the increment the *shift value*.
- Once we can calculate the correct shift values, the algorithm is fairly simple.
- Principles are like those behind Boyer-Moore Good Suffix shifts.



```

def search(pattern, text):
    n = len(text)
    m = len(pattern)
    table = [-1]*m # most of the -1's will be replaced.
    populateTable(table, pattern)

    i=0
    k=0
    comparisons = 0

    while i + k < n:
        comparisons += 1
        if pattern[k] == text[i + k]:
            if k == m - 1:
                return i
            k += 1
        elif table[k] >= 0:
            i = i + k - table[k]
            k = table[k]
        else:
            k = 0
            i += 1
    return -1

```



```

# build the table that tells how many characters matched.
def populateTable(table, pattern):
    m= len(pattern)
    table[1] = 0
    current = 2
    candidatePosition = 0

    while current < m:
        if pattern[current-1] == pattern[candidatePosition]:
            candidatePosition += 1
            table[current] = candidatePosition
            current += 1
        elif candidatePosition > 0:
            candidatePosition = table[candidatePosition]
        else:
            table[current] = 0
            current += 1

```



```

pattern = participate in parachute
text = apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
m = 24, n = 64
[-1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 2, 3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0]
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute    1
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute    5
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute    6
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute    7
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute    8
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute    9
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute   10
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute   11
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute   21
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute   22

```



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apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute   23
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute   24
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute   25
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    participate in parachute   26
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    |    participate in parachute   27
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    |    participate in parachute   28
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    |    participate in parachute   33
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    |    participate in parachute   34
apartyappisparticipating in partiesparticipate in parachuteparts
    |    participate in parachute   35

```

