

#LECTURE 9: Amortized Incrementing

“Die ganzen Zahlen hat der liebe Gott gemacht, alles andere ist Menschenwerk”

(“God made the integers, all else is the work of man”)

— Leopold Kronecker, 1886

Given operations op_i between states xs_i :

$$xs_0 \xrightarrow{op_0} xs_1 \xrightarrow{op_1} xs_2 \xrightarrow{op_2} \dots \xrightarrow{op_{n-1}} xs_n$$

Our goal is to establish:

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} C_{op_i}(xs_i) \leq A_{op_i}(xs_i) \quad (*)$$

In the previous lecture, we defined :

- > $\text{tail} :: \text{Deque } a \rightarrow \text{Deque } a$
- > $\text{tail } (\text{Deque } [] \text{ sy}) = \text{empty}$
- > $\text{tail } (\text{Deque } [x] \text{ sy}) = \text{Deque } \text{us } \text{sv}$
- > where
- > $\text{ys} = \text{reverse } \text{sy}$
- > $(\text{us}, \text{vs}) = \text{splitAt } (n \text{ `div` } 2) \text{ ys}$
- > $\text{sv} = \text{reverse } \text{vs}$
- > $n = \text{length } \text{ys}$

What is the cost of :

$$xs_0 \xrightarrow{\text{tail}} xs_1 \xrightarrow{\text{tail}} \dots \xrightarrow{\text{tail}} xs_n$$

We can establish (*) by proving that:

$$C_{\text{op}_i}(xs_i) \leq A_{\text{op}_i}(xs_i) + S(xs_i) - S(xs_{i+1})$$

We apply the 3 steps for amortized analysis:

1. $C_{\text{cons}}(xs) = 1$ $C_{\text{snoc}}(xs) = 1$
 $C_{\text{read}}(xs) = 1$ $C_{\text{tail}}(xs) = 1$
 $C_{\text{tail}}(\text{Deque } \text{us } \text{sv}) = \text{length } \text{sv}$

$$2. A_{op}(xs) = 2$$

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$$A_{cons}(xs) = 2$$

$$A_{head}(xs) = 2$$

$$A_{tail}(xs) = 2$$

$$3. S(\text{Deque } us \text{ } sv) = | \text{length } us - \text{length } sv |$$

$$C_{opi}(xs_i) \leq A_{opi}(xs_i) + S(xs_i) - S(xs_{i+1})$$

Consider $opi = \text{tail}$ in the worst case:

$$xs_i = \text{Deque } [x] \text{ } sy \quad \text{where } \text{length } sy = k$$

$$\text{let } xs_{i+1} = \text{Deque } xs' \text{ } sy' = \text{tail}(\text{Deque } [x] \text{ } sy)$$

$$S(xs_i) = S(\text{Deque } [x] \text{ } sy) = k-1$$

$$S(xs_{i+1}) = S(\text{Deque } xs' \text{ } sy') \leq 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Ctail}(\text{Degre } xs \ sy) &\leq \text{Atail}(\text{Degre } xs \ sy) \\
 &\quad + S(\text{Degre } xs \ sy) \\
 &\quad - S(\text{Degre } xs' \ sy')
 \end{aligned}$$

$$k \leq 2 + (k-1) - 1$$

> data Peano = Zero | Succ Peano.

> micr :: Peano → Peano

> micr n = Succ n

> decr :: Peano → Peano

> decr (Succ n) = n

> add :: Peano → Peano → Peano

> add Zero n = n

> add (Succ m) n = Succ (add m n)

Compare these functions with lists:

> data $[a] = [] \mid a : [a]$

> cons :: $a \rightarrow [a] \rightarrow [a]$

> cons $x \ xs = x : xs$

> tail :: $[a] \rightarrow [a]$

> tail $(x : xs) = xs$

> (++) :: $[a] \rightarrow [a] \rightarrow [a]$

> $[] ++ ys = ys$

> $(x : xs) ++ ys = x : (xs ++ ys)$

What is the cost of `incr` in binary?

> type Binary = [Bit]

(least significant
bit first)

> data Bit = I | O

> incr :: Binary \rightarrow Binary.

> incr $[] = [I]$

> incr $(O : bs) = I : bs$

> incr $(I : bs) = O : \text{incr } bs$

} what's
the complexity?

Let's do amortized analysis:

$$1. C_{\text{incr}}(bs) = t + 1$$

where

$$t = \text{length}(\text{takeWhile}(==I) bs)$$

$$2. A_{\text{incr}}(bs) = 2$$

$$3. S(bs) = \text{length}(\text{filter}(==I) bs)$$

$$\text{Given } bs' = \text{incr } bs$$

$$C_{\text{incr}}(bs) \leq A_{\text{incr}}(bs) + S(bs) - S(bs')$$

$$t + 1 \leq 2 + b - b'$$

$$\text{where } b' = b - t + 1$$

\Rightarrow

$$\cancel{t+1} \leq \cancel{2} + \cancel{b} - (\cancel{b} - \cancel{t} + \cancel{1})$$