

Arithmetic of Fibonacci representations

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Fibonacci codes: $\dots 01001010100001000000010101000100001010000\dots$
 no '11' subwords

The number of length- n words $\dots \{\star^n\} = \{0\star^{n-1}\} \cup \{10\star^{n-2}\}$
 \dots is Φ_{n+2} (Φ_k – Fibonacci numbers: $\Phi_1 = \Phi_2 = 1$, $\Phi_k = \Phi_{k-1} + \Phi_{k-2}$).

0 = 0000, 1 = 0001, 2 = 0010, 3 = 0100, 4 = 0101, 5 = 1000, 6 = 1001, 7 = 1010

Fibonacci (canonical) representation of a number A : $[a_n, \dots, a_3, a_2]$:

$$A = \sum_{k=2}^n a_k \Phi_k, \quad a_k \in \{0, 1\}, \quad a_{k+1}a_k = 0.$$

Lines of research:

- (i) arithmetic operations in Fibonacci encoding (+, -, *)
- (ii) transitions between the Fibonacci and the binary representations of a number

Addition (subtraction) of Fibonacci encodings:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 + \quad 10101010 \\
 = \quad \underline{10100101} \\
 \quad \underline{20201111} \\
 \quad 100301111 \\
 \quad 101102111 \\
 \quad \underline{101111011} \\
 \quad 110011011 \\
 \quad 110100011 \\
 \quad \underline{110100100} \\
 \boxed{1000100100}
 \end{array}$$

Rules:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 020x & \rightarrow 100x' \\
 030x & \rightarrow 110x' \\
 021x & \rightarrow 110x \\
 012x & \rightarrow 101x \\
 011x & \rightarrow 100x
 \end{array}$$

Complexity $O(n)$ [Berstel, Frougny, Ahlback, Usatine, Pippenger \approx 1986–2011]

Multiplication (???)

in binary encoding: $M(n) = O(n \log n)$

[Harvey, van der Hoeven 2019]

Transition to binary encoding: $O(n^2)$

[Ahlback, Usatine, Pippenger 2011]

Schönhage's method: $A = [a_{k-1}, \dots, a_0]_b \longrightarrow A = [a'_{n-1}, \dots, a'_0]_2$

$$A = [A_1]_b \cdot b^{k/2} + [A_0]_b$$

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$$A = [A_1]_2 \cdot [b^{k/2}]_2 + [A_0]_2$$

Complexity:

$$T(n) \leq 2T(n/2) + M(n/2) + O(n)$$

$$\implies T(n) = O(M(n) \log n)$$

Lucas numbers: $L_m = \Phi_{m+1} + \Phi_{m-1} = \varphi_+^m + \varphi_-^m$, where $\varphi_{\pm} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$

$$\Phi_k L_m = \Phi_{m+k} - (-1)^k \Phi_{m-k} \quad (\star)$$

Algorithm: $A = [a_{n-1}, \dots, a_0]_2 \longrightarrow A = [a'_{k-1}, \dots, a'_0]_{\varphi}$

$$A = A_1 \cdot L_m + A_0 \quad \text{division with remainder by } L_m \asymp 2^{n/2}$$

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$$A = [A_1]_{\varphi} \cdot L_m + [A_0]_{\varphi} \stackrel{(\star)}{=} [A^+]_{\varphi} - [A^-]_{\varphi} + [A_0]_{\varphi}$$

Complexity: $T(n) \leq 2T(n/2) + D(n) + O(n) \Rightarrow T(n) = O(M(n) \log n)$

r -Fibonacci representations: no r ones in a row

r -bonacci numbers: $\Phi_n^{(r)} = \Phi_{n-1}^{(r)} + \dots + \Phi_{n-r}^{(r)}$

$$A = \sum_{k=2}^n a_k \Phi_k^{(r)}, \quad a_k \in \{0, 1\}, \quad a_{k+1} \cdot \dots \cdot a_{k+r} = 0.$$

$\langle q \rangle$ -Fibonacci representations: ones are separated by $\geq q - 1$ zeros

$\langle q \rangle$ -bonacci numbers: $\Phi_n^{\langle q \rangle} = \Phi_{n-1}^{\langle q \rangle} + \Phi_{n-q}^{\langle q \rangle}$

$$A = \sum_{k=2}^n a_k \Phi_k^{\langle q \rangle}, \quad a_k \in \{0, 1\}, \quad a_{k+1} + \dots + a_{k+q} \leq 1.$$

transition $[A]_2 \longleftrightarrow [A]_{\varphi(r)}$, $[A]_2 \longleftrightarrow [A]_{\varphi\langle 3 \rangle}$: $T(n) = 2^{O(\sqrt{\log n})} n$.

Addition of Tribonacci encodings: $O(n)$.

Addition/subtraction in other cases: (???)



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