Data Structures and Algorithms

By Unsigned Long

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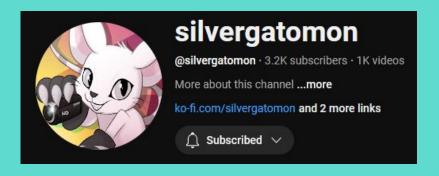


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 - I've been coding for most of my life
 - If you don't understand things,
 that's on me
 - I'm out of touch with reality



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https://www.furaffinity.net/user/tienlong/

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Measuring Information

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Byte: 8 bits

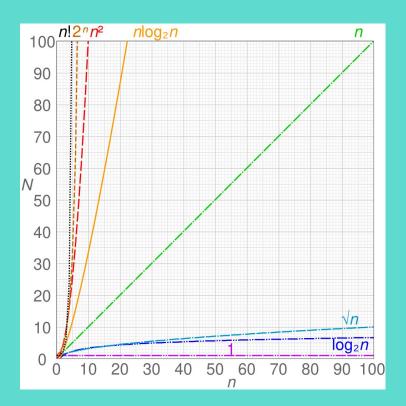
Nibble: 4 bits = half a byte

Not commonly used

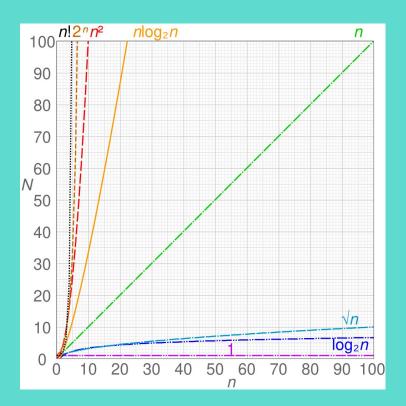


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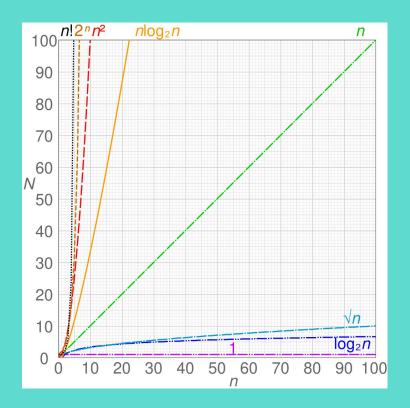
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- Some people ignore bigger factors
 - $\circ \quad n^3 \log^4(n) = \widetilde{O}\left(n^3\right) = O\left(n^c\right)$
 - The more you ignore, the more theoretical your analysis is



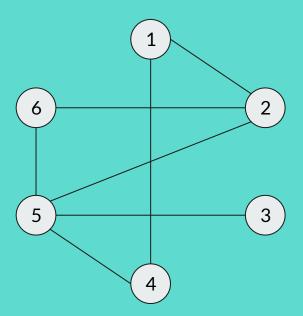
Planar Graphs

Thank you Euler:3

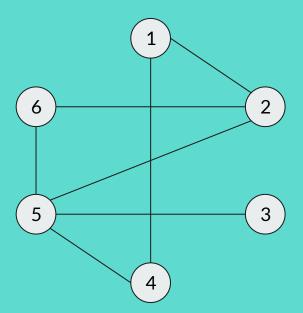
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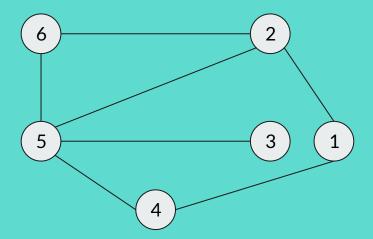
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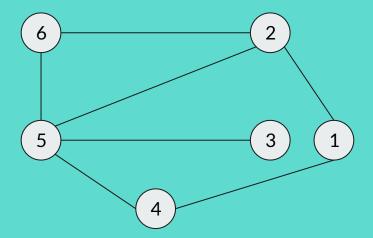
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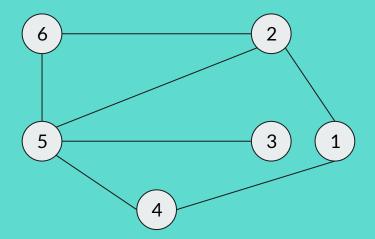
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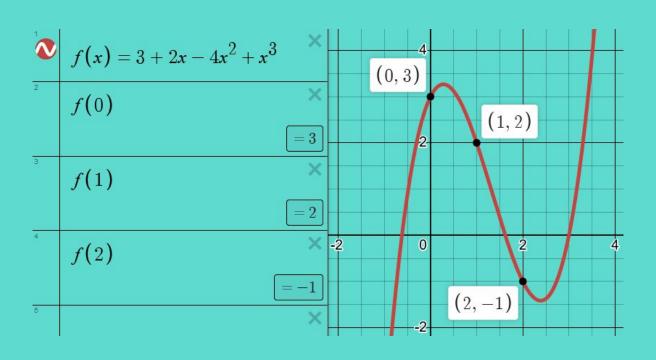


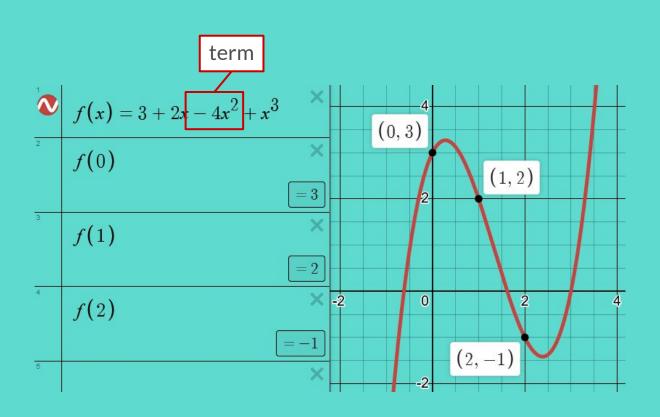
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- Fursuits are planar graphs
 - Vertices are fabric patches
 - Edges are seams
 - Number of seams is O(n)

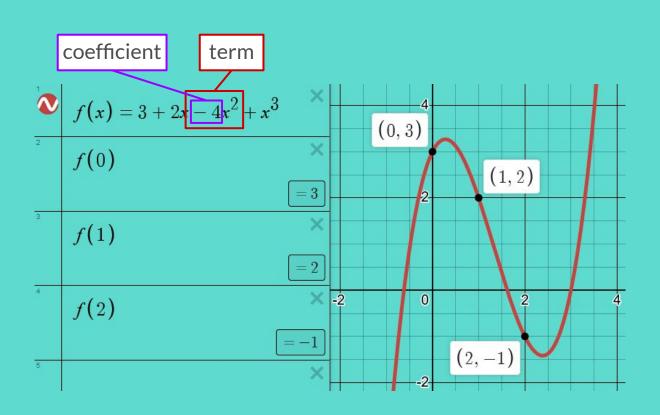


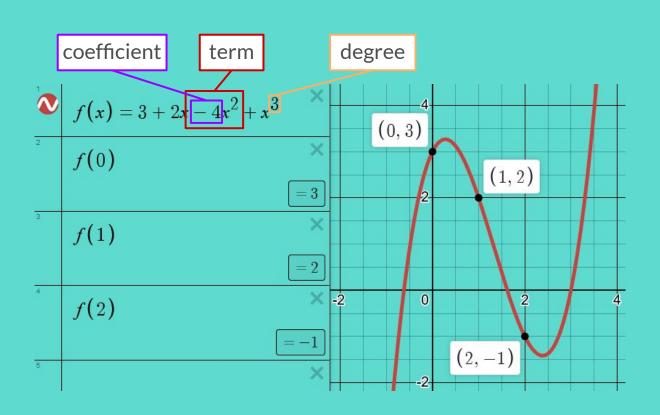
Fast Fourier Transform (FFT)

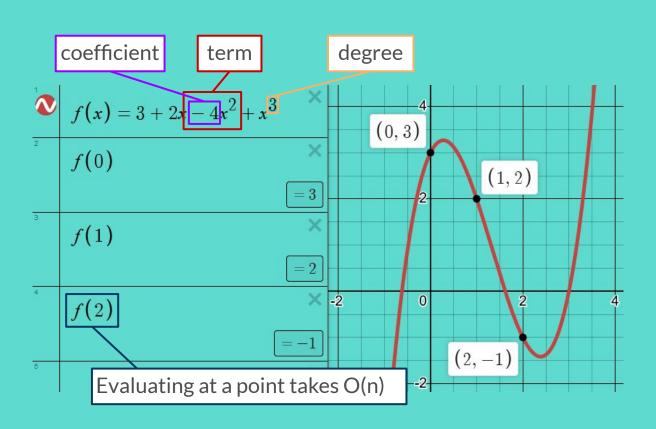
I have butterflies in my stomach >w<





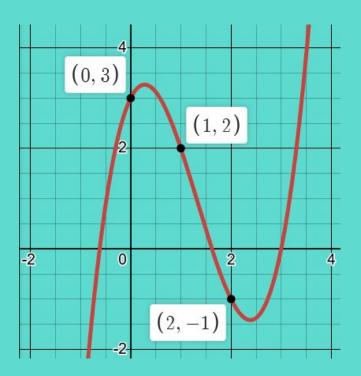






Polynomial Interpolation/Evaluation

- For n points, there is a unique polynomial with degree less than n that passes through all the points
- Evaluating the polynomial to find these points typically takes O(n^2), but if we choose points cleverly, we can do better



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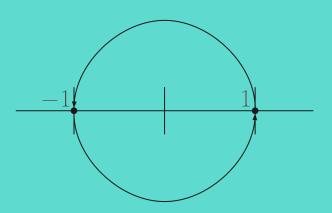
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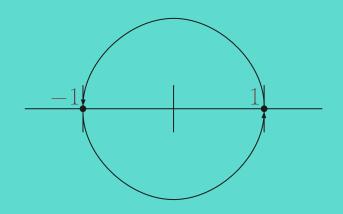
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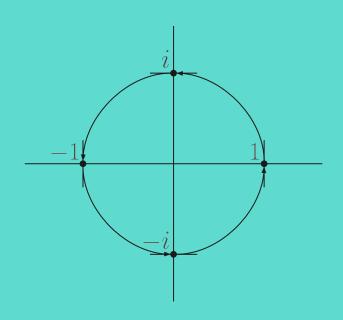
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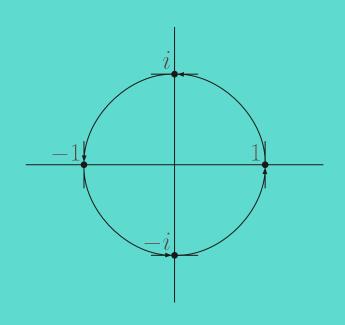
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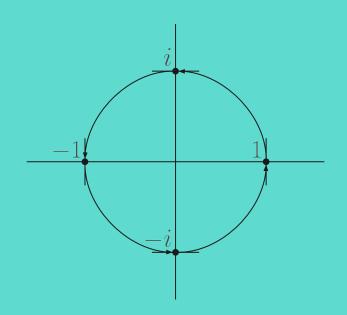


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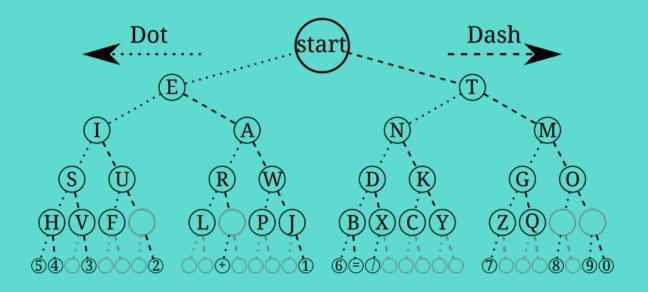
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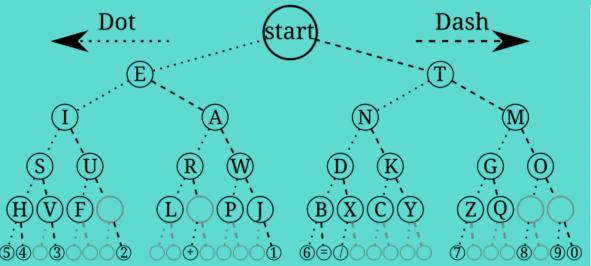
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Morse Code, Braille, and Connections to Coding Theory

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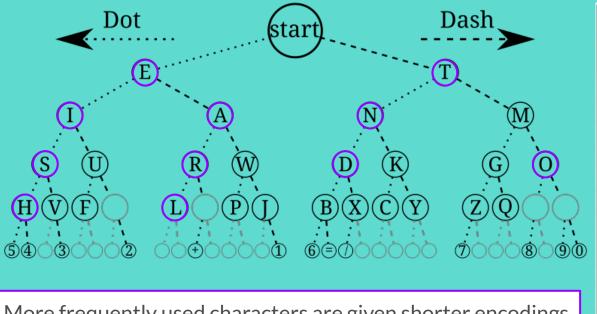


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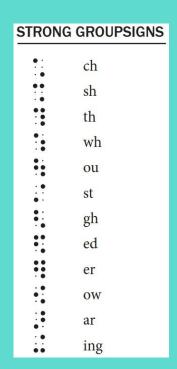
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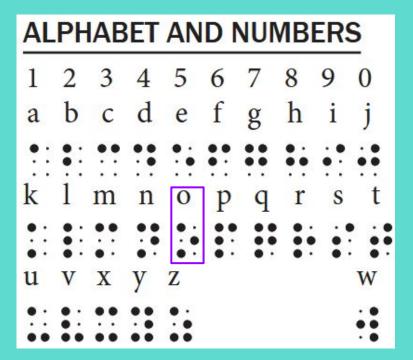
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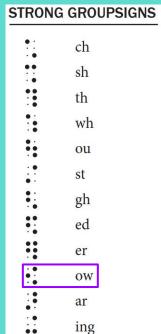
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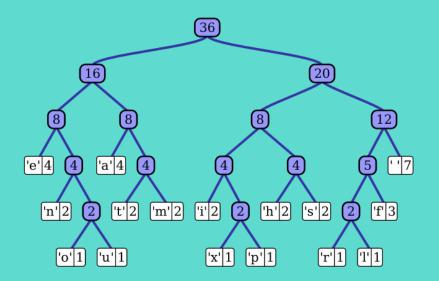




"owo" is ∵∷

Huffman Coding

- More frequent characters get shorter encodings
- Used in .zip files and other compression algorithms
- Won't go over details due to time

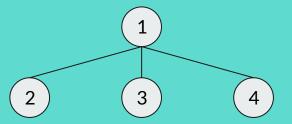


Four russians removing logs in a tree

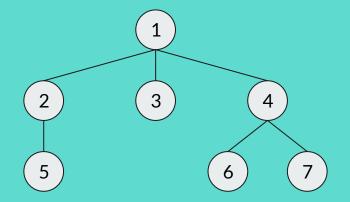
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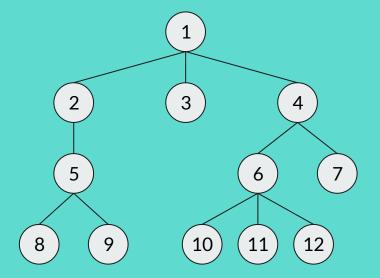


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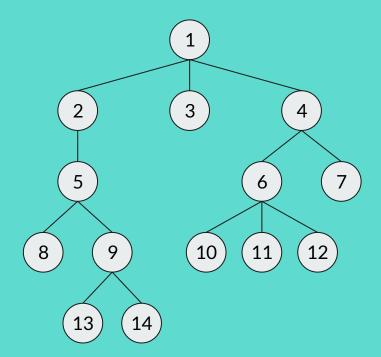
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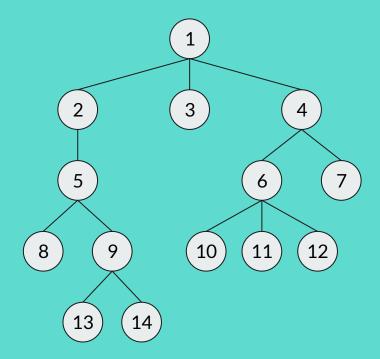


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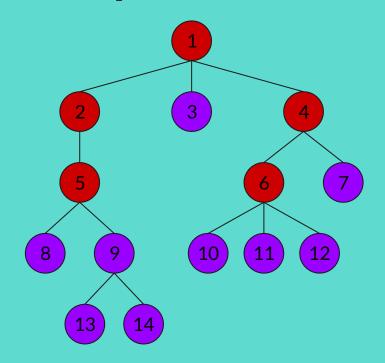
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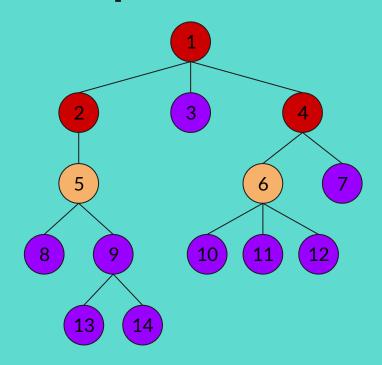
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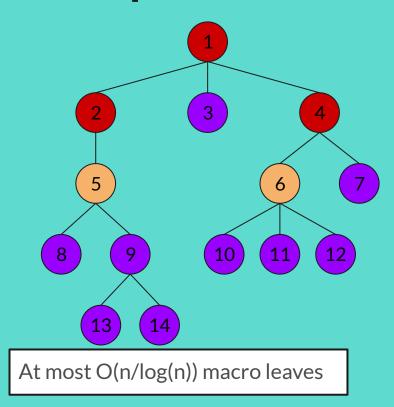
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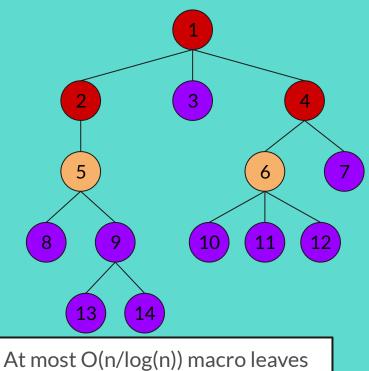
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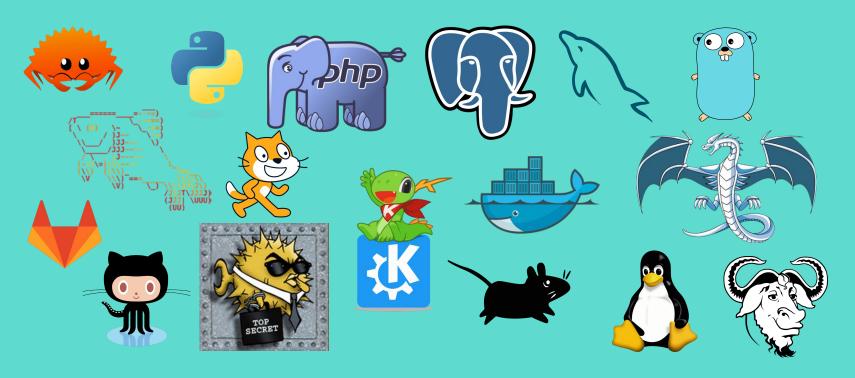
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Powershell

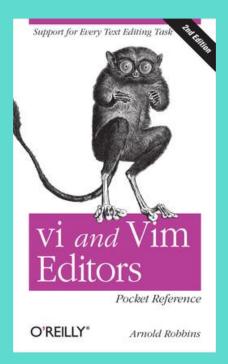


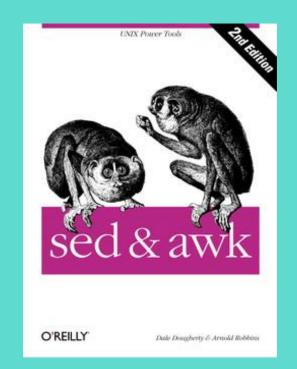
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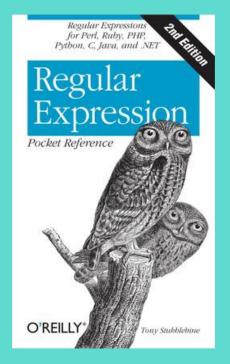
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Subject: WSL
   Date: Mon, 23 Jan 2023 22:50:01 -0500
   To any NSA and FBI agents reading my email: please consider
   whether defending the US Constitution against all enemies,
                                                                   111
[[[ foreign or domestic, requires you to follow Snowden's example.
How about pronouncing (and writing) "WSL" as "weasel"?
Dr Richard Stallman (https://stallman.org)
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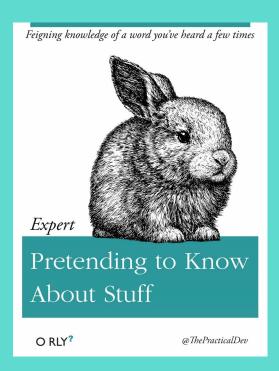
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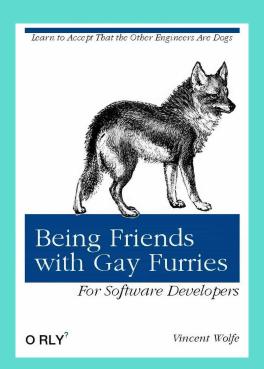


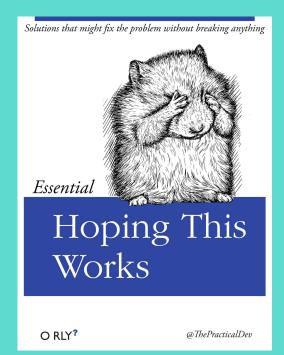




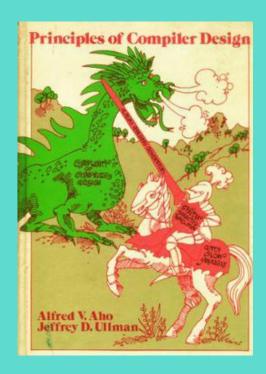
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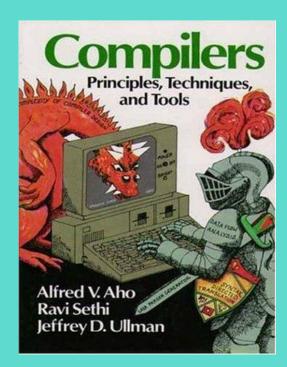


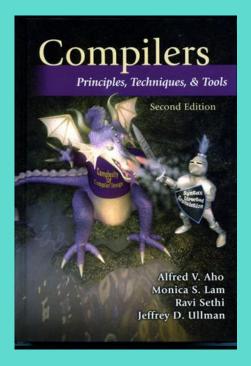




Dragon Books









Primal Dual Methods

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Fuzzing

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American Fuzzy Lop





American Fuzzy Lop

- Fuzzer: program that automatically searches for buggy input
- Initial idea: purely random input
- Add rules/strategies/heuristics to increase chance of buggy input



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american fuzzy lop ++2.65d (libpng harness) [explore] {0}
process timing
                 0 days, 0 hrs, 0 min, 43 sec
 last new path : 0 days, 0 hrs, 0 min, 1 sec
                                                       total paths : 703
last uniq crash : none seen yet
                                                      unia crashes : 0
last uniq hang : none seen yet
                                                        uniq hangs : 0
cycle progress
                                     map coverage
now processing : 261*1 (37.1%)
                                       map density : 5.78% / 13.98%
paths timed out : 0 (0.00\%)
                                     count coverage : 3.30 bits/tuple
                                     findings in depth
stage progress
now trying : splice 14
                                     favored paths : 114 (16.22%)
stage execs : 31/32 (96.88%)
                                     new edges on: 167 (23.76%)
total execs : 2.55M
                                                    0 (0 unique)
exec speed : 61.2k/sec
                                                    0 (0 unique)
fuzzing strategy yields
                                                      path geometry
 bit flips : n/a, n/a, n/a
                                                        levels : 11
byte flips: n/a, n/a, n/a
                                                       pending: 121
arithmetics : n/a, n/a, n/a
                                                      pend fav : 0
known ints : n/a, n/a, n/a
                                                     own finds : 699
dictionary : n/a, n/a, n/a
                                                      imported : n/a
avoc/splice : 506/1.05M, 193/1.44M
                                                     stability: 99.88%
 py/custom : 0/0, 0/0
                                                              [cpu000: 12%]
      trim: 19.25%/53.2k, n/a
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Data Structures and Algorithms

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