



$$\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \\ n \\ \uparrow \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & e^{-j2\pi \frac{1}{N}} & \dots & e^{-j2\pi \frac{(N-1)}{N}} \\ 1 & e^{-j2\pi \frac{2}{N}} & \dots & e^{-j2\pi \frac{(N-1) \cdot 2}{N}} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & e^{-j2\pi \frac{(N-1)}{N}} & \dots & e^{-j2\pi \frac{(N-1)(N-1)}{N}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f \\ \vdots \\ f \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} F \\ \vdots \\ F \end{bmatrix}$$

$W^0 \quad W^{-1} \quad \dots \quad W^{-(N-1)}$

$O(N^2)$

(1 approach to FFT is to write the DFT matrix as the product of sparse matrices)

$$F[m] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} f[n] e^{-j2\pi \frac{nm}{N}}$$

write the sum as sum over odd indices and over even indices

that is write the N -order DFT as 2 $\frac{N}{2}$ -order DFTs

(Assume N is a power of 2)

Use notation $W[p, q] = e^{j2\pi \frac{pq}{N}}$ $W[p, q_1 + q_2] = W[p, q_1] \cdot W[p, q_2]$

$W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn] = W[N, -2mn]$
 A power (mn) of half-order ($\frac{N}{2}$) exponential
 is an even power ($2mn$) of full order (N) exponential

$$\begin{aligned} W[N, -(2n+m)m] &= W[N, -2nm - m] \\ &= W[N, -2nm] \cdot W[N, -m] \\ &= W[N, -mn] \cdot W[N, -m]
 \end{aligned}$$

even power: $W[N, -2mn] = W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn]$

odd power: $W[N, -(2n+1)m] = W[N, -mn] \cdot W[N, -m]$

$$\begin{aligned} F[m] &= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} f[n] e^{-j2\pi \frac{nm}{N}} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n] \cdot W[N, -2mn] + \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n+1] \cdot W[N, -m(2n+1)] \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn] + \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n+1] \cdot W[N, -2mn] \cdot W[N, -m] \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn] + W[N, -m] \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n+1] \cdot W[N, -2mn] \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn] + W[N, -m] \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n+1] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn]
 \end{aligned}$$

for $0 \leq m \leq \frac{N}{2}-1$, $F[m] = f_{\text{even}}[m] + e^{j2\pi \frac{m}{N}} f_{\text{odd}}[m]$

let $a = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-j2\pi \frac{0}{N}} \\ e^{-j2\pi \frac{1}{N}} \\ e^{-j2\pi \frac{2}{N}} \\ \vdots \\ e^{-j2\pi \frac{N-1}{N}} \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} | & | & | & | & | & | \\ a^0 & a^1 & a^2 & a^3 & a^4 & \dots & a^{N-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

Diagram showing the butterfly operation structure for the FFT, with arrows indicating the combination of even and odd indexed samples.

for $[\frac{N}{2}, N-1]$, write as

$$f[\frac{N}{2} + m] = \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -(m+\frac{N}{2})n] + W[N, -(m+\frac{N}{2})n] \sum_{n=\frac{N}{2}}^N f[2n+1] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -(m+\frac{N}{2})n]$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ a^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ a^{\frac{2}{2}} \\ \vdots \\ a^{\frac{N-1}{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{-j2\pi \frac{1}{N} \frac{N}{2}} \\ e^{-j2\pi \frac{2}{N} \frac{N}{2}} \\ e^{-j2\pi \frac{3}{N} \frac{N}{2}} \\ \vdots \\ e^{-j2\pi \frac{N-1}{N} \frac{N}{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \downarrow \\ N \end{matrix} \text{ periodic}$$

$$= e^{-j2\pi \frac{1}{N} \frac{N}{2}} \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn]$$

$$= 1 \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn] \text{ periodicity}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn] + W[N, -m] \sum_{n=\frac{N}{2}}^N f[2n+1] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn]$$

$$W[N, -N/2] = e^{-j2\pi \frac{N}{N}} = e^{-j2\pi} = 1$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn] - W[N, -m] \sum_{n=0}^{\frac{N}{2}-1} f[2n+1] \cdot W[\frac{N}{2}, -mn]$$

$$f_{\text{odd}} = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\text{odd}}^D \\ f_{\text{odd}}^D \\ \vdots \\ f_{\text{odd}}^D \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} e^{-j2\pi \frac{1}{N}} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_{\text{odd}}^D \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} f_{\text{odd}}^D \\ f_{\text{odd}}^D \\ \vdots \\ f_{\text{odd}}^D \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} e^{-j2\pi \frac{1}{N}} \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_{\text{odd}}^D \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

essence of FFT

$$\begin{bmatrix} e^{-j2\pi \frac{k \cdot 0}{N}} \\ e^{-j2\pi \frac{k \cdot 1}{N}} \\ e^{-j2\pi \frac{k \cdot 2}{N}} \\ \vdots \\ e^{-j2\pi \frac{k \cdot (N-1)}{N}} \end{bmatrix} e^{-j2\pi \frac{k \cdot (N-1)}{N}} = e^{-j2\pi \frac{k \cdot m}{N}} \cdot e^{-k \cdot 2\pi i}$$

for even k , has period $\frac{N}{2}$

for odd k , has period $\frac{N}{2}$ with a flip of sign

$$\begin{bmatrix} + & + & + & + \\ + & - & + & - \\ + & + & + & + \\ + & - & + & - \end{bmatrix} \dots$$

FFT does no more than

"only calculating the 'plus' term"