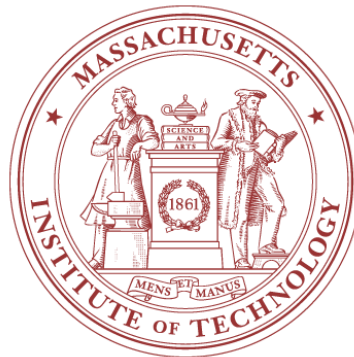


# Fast Fourier Transform: Theory and Algorithms

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# Discrete Fourier Transform – A review

□ Definition  $X_k = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i W_N^{ik}, \quad k=0, \dots, N-1, \quad W_N = e^{-j2\pi/N}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_0 \\ X_1 \\ X_2 \\ \vdots \\ X_{N-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & W_N & W_N^2 & W_N^3 & \dots & W_N^{N-1} \\ 1 & W_N^2 & W_N^4 & W_N^6 & \dots & W_N^{2(N-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & W_N^{N-1} & W_N^{2(N-1)} & \dots & \dots & W_N^{(N-1)(N-1)} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

- $\{X_k\}$  is periodic
  - Since  $\{X_k\}$  is sampled,  $\{x_n\}$  must also be periodic
- From a physical point of view, both are repeated with period N
- Requires  $O(N^2)$  operations

# Fast Fourier Transform History

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## □ Twiddle factor FFTs (non-coprime sub-lengths)

### ■ 1805 Gauss

- Predates even Fourier's work on transforms!

### ■ 1903 Runge

### ■ 1965 Cooley-Tukey

### ■ 1984 Duhamel-Vetterli (split-radix FFT)

Gauss, C. F., "Nachlass: Theoria interpolationis methodo nova tractata," pp. 265–303, in *Carl Friedrich Gauss, Werke, Band 3*, Göttingen: Königlichen Gesellschaft der Wissenschaften, 1866.

## □ FFTs w/o twiddle factors (coprime sub-lengths)

### ■ 1960 Good's mapping

- application of Chinese Remainder Theorem ~100 A.D.

### ■ 1976 Rader – prime length FFT

### ■ 1976 Winograd's Fourier Transform (WFTA)

### ■ 1977 Kolba and Parks (Prime Factor Algorithm – PFA)



# Divide and conquer

$$X_k = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i W_N^{ik}, \quad k=0, \dots, N-1, \quad W_N = e^{-j2\pi/N}$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i z^{-i}, \quad z = W_N^{-k}$$

$$X_k = X(z)_{z=W_N^{-k}}$$

- Divide and conquer always has less computations

$$X(z) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i z^{-i} = \sum_{l=0}^{r-1} \sum_{i \in I_l} x_i z^{-i}$$

Suppose all  $I_l$  sets have same number of elements  $N_1$  so,  $N=N_1 \cdot N_2$ ,  $r=N_2$

$$X(z) = \sum_{l=0}^{r-1} z^{-i_{0l}} \sum_{i \in I_l} x_i z^{-i+i_{0l}}$$

Each inner-most sum takes  $N_1^2$  multiplications

The outer sum will need  $N_2$  multiplications per output point  $N_2 \cdot N$  for the whole sum (for all output points)

- Hence, total number of multiplications

$$N_2 \cdot N + N_2 \cdot N_1^2 = N_1 \cdot N_2(N_1 + N_2) < N_1^2 \cdot N_2^2 \quad \text{if } N_1, N_2 > 2$$



# Generalizations

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$$X(z) = \sum_{l=0}^{r-1} z^{-i_0 l} \sum_{i \in I_l} x_i z^{-i+i_0 l}.$$

- The inner-most sum has to represent a DFT
  - Only possible if the subset (possibly permuted)
    - Has the same periodicity as the initial sequence
  - All main classes of FFTs can be cast in the above form
- Both sums have same periodicity (Good's mapping)
  - No permutations (i.e. twiddle factors)
  - All the subsets have same number of elements  $m=N/r$ 
    - $(m,r)=1$  – i.e.  $m$  and  $r$  are coprime
- If not, then inner sum is one step of radix- $r$  FFT
- If  $r=3$ , subsets with  $N/2$ ,  $N/4$  and  $N/4$  elements
  - Split-radix algorithm

# The cost of mapping

- The goal for divide and conquer

$$X(z) = \sum_{l=0}^{r-1} z^{-l_0 l} \sum_{i \in I_l} x_i z^{-i+i_0 l}.$$

$\sum \text{cost}(\text{subproblems}) + \text{cost}(\text{mapping})$

$< \text{cost}(\text{original problem}).$

- Different types balance mapping with subproblem cost
- E.g. in radix-2
  - subproblems are trivial (only sum and differences)
  - Mapping requires twiddle factors (large number of multiplies)
- E.g. in prime-factor algorithm
  - Subproblems are DFTs with coprime lengths (costly)
  - Mapping trivial (no arithmetic operations)



# FFTs with twiddle factors

## Reintroduced by Cooley-Tukey '65

$$X_k = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i W_N^{ik}, \quad k=0, \dots, N-1, \quad W_N = e^{-j2\pi/N}$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i z^{-i}, \quad z = W_N^{-k}$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i z^{-i} = \sum_{l=0}^{r-1} \sum_{i \in I_l} x_i z^{-i}$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{l=0}^{r-1} z^{-i_0 l} \sum_{i \in I_l} x_i z^{-i+i_0 l}$$

$$I_{n_1} = \{n_2 N_1 + n_1\},$$

$$n_1 = 0, \dots, N_1 - 1, \quad n_2 = 0, \dots, N_2 - 1, \quad N = N_1 \cdot N_2. \quad \{x_i | i=0, \dots, N-1\} \quad \{x_i | i \in I_l\}$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_2 N_1 + n_1} z^{-(n_2 N_1 + n_1)}$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} z^{-n_1} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_2 N_1 + n_1} z^{-n_2 N_1}$$

$$X_k = X(z)|_{z=W_N^{-k}}$$

$$= \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} W_N^{n_1 k} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_2 N_1 + n_1} W_N^{n_2 N_1 k}$$

Start from general divide and conquer

Keep periodicity compatible with periodicity of the input sequence

Use decimation

$$W_N^{i N_1} = e^{-j2\pi N_1 i / N} = e^{-j2\pi i / N_2} = W_{N_2}^i$$

$$X_k = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} W_N^{n_1 k} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_2 N_1 + n_1} W_{N_2}^{n_2 k}$$

almost  $N_1$  DFTs of size  $N_2$



# Cooley-Tukey FFT contd.

$$X_k = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} W_N^{n_1 k} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_2 N_1 + n_1} W_{N_2}^{n_2 k}.$$

can be taken mod  $N_2$

$$W_{N_2}^k = W_{N_2}^{N_2+k'} = W_{N_2}^{N_2} \cdot W_{N_2}^{k'} = W_{N_2}^{k'}.$$

$$Y_{n_1, k} = \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_2 N_1 + n_1} W_{N_2}^{n_2 k}.$$

$$Y_{n_1, k} = Y_{n_1, k_2} \quad \boxed{1. N_1 \text{ DFTs of length } N_2}$$

$$X_k = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} Y_{n_1, k} W_N^{n_1 k}.$$

$$k = k_1 N_2 + k_2$$

$$k_1 = 0, \dots, N_1-1, \quad k_2 = 0, \dots, N_2-1.$$

$$X_{k_1 N_2 + k_2} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} Y_{n_1, k_2} W_N^{n_1 (k_1 N_2 + k_2)},$$

$$X_{k_1 N_2 + k_2} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} Y_{n_1, k_2} W_N^{n_1 k_2} W_{N_1}^{n_1 k_1}.$$

$$Y'_{n_1, k_2} = Y_{n_1, k_2} W_{N_1}^{n_1 k_2}. \quad \boxed{2. N \text{ multiplications with twiddle factors}}$$

$$X_{k_1 N_2 + k_2} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} Y'_{n_1, k_2} W_{N_1}^{n_1 k_1}.$$

$$\boxed{3. N_2 \text{ DFTs of length } N_1}$$





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- ❑ Step 1: Evaluate  $N_1$  DFTs of length  $N_2$
  - ❑ Step 2:  $N$  multiplications with twiddle factors
  - ❑ Step 3: Evaluate  $N_2$  DFTs of length  $N_1$
  
  - ❑ Vector  $x_i$  mapped to matrix  $x_{n_1, n_2}$  ( $N_1 \times N_2$ )
  - ❑ Compute  $N_1$  DFTs of length  $N_2$  on each row
  - ❑ Point-to-point multiply with twiddle factors
  - ❑ Compute  $N_2$  DFTs of length  $N_1$  on the columns

# 2-D view of Cooley-Tukey mapping

- $N=15$  ( $N_1=3$ ,  $N_2=5$ )

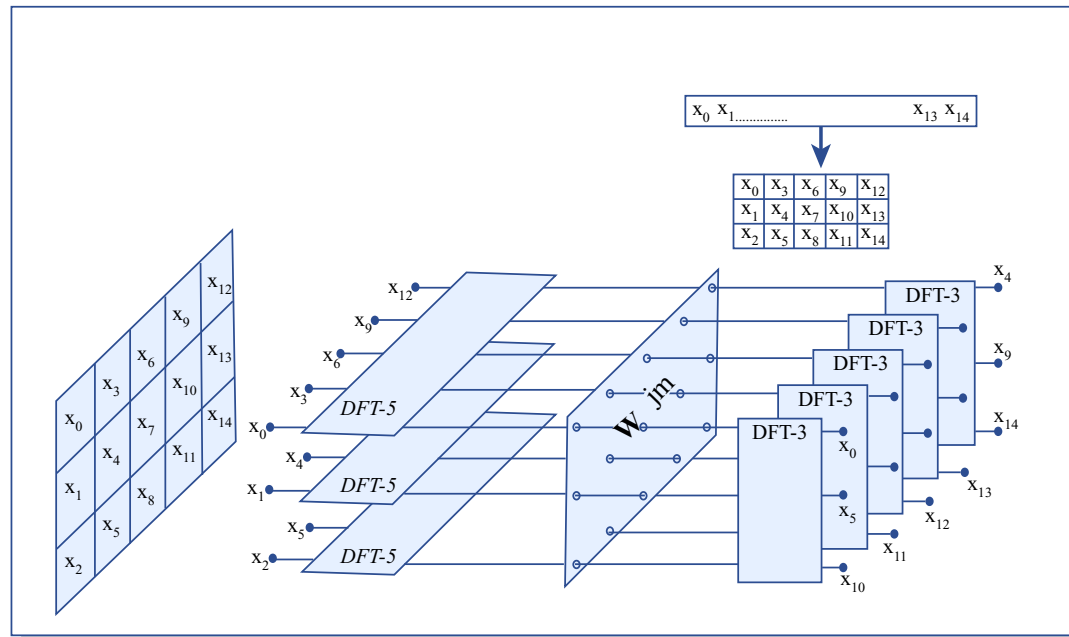


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- Cannot exchange the order of DFTs
  - Because of twiddle multiply
  - Different mapping for  $N_1=5$ ,  $N_2=3$ 
    - Not just transpose

$x_0$	$x_5$	$x_{10}$
$x_1$	$x_6$	$x_{11}$
$x_2$	$x_7$	$x_{12}$
$x_3$	$x_8$	$x_{13}$
$x_4$	$x_9$	$x_{14}$

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# Radix 2 and radix 4 algorithms

Lengths as powers of 2 or 4 are most popular

Assume  $N=2^n$

- $N_1=2, N_2=2^{n-1}$  (divides input sequence into even and odd samples – decimation in time – DIT)

$$X_{k_2} = \sum_{n_2=0}^{N/2-1} x_{2n_2} W_{N/2}^{n_2 k_2}$$

$$+ W_N^{k_2} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N/2-1} x_{2n_2+1} W_{N/2}^{n_2 k_2}$$

$$X_{N/2+k_2} = \sum_{n_2=0}^{N/2-1} x_{2n_2} W_{N/2}^{n_2 k_2}$$

$$- W_N^{k_2} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N/2-1} x_{2n_2+1} W_{N/2}^{n_2 k_2}$$

$$Y_{n_1, k} = \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_2 N_1 + n_1} W_{N_2}^{n_2 k} \quad Y'_{n_1, k_2} = Y_{n_1, k_2} W_N^{n_1 k_2}$$

$$X_{k_1 N_2 + k_2} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} Y'_{n_1, k_2} W_{N_1}^{n_1 k_1}$$

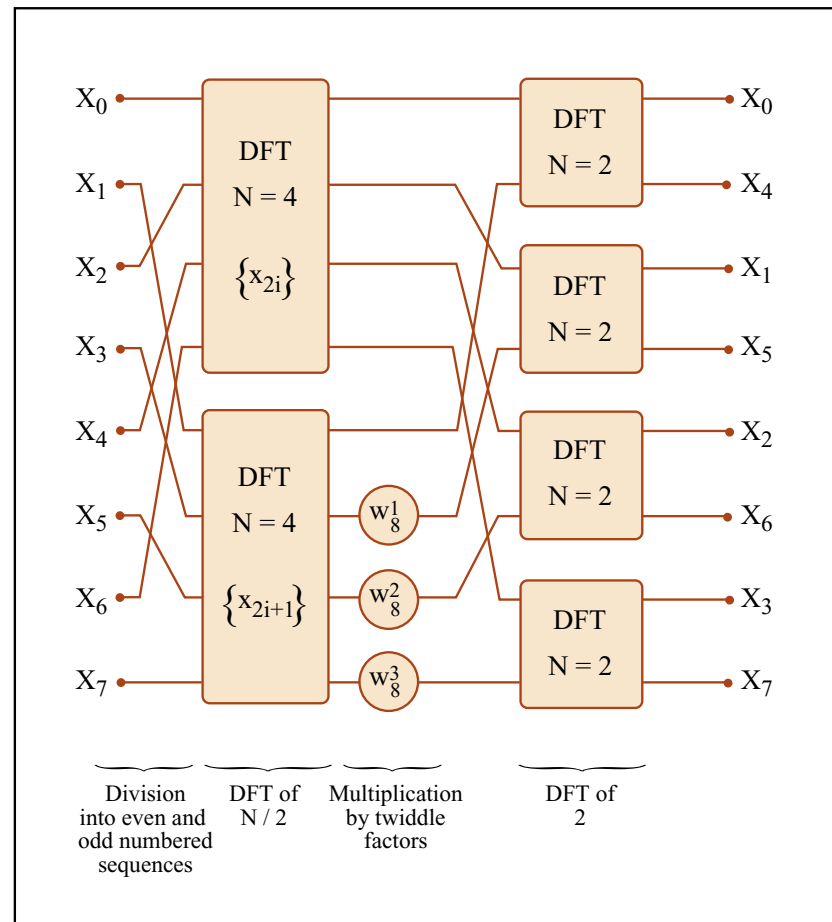
“Butterfly”  
(sum or difference followed or preceded by a twiddle factor multiply)

- $X_m$  and  $X_{N/2+m}$  outputs of  $N/2$  2-pt DFTs on outputs of 2,  $N/2$ -pt DFTs weighted with twiddle factors



# DIT radix-2 implementations

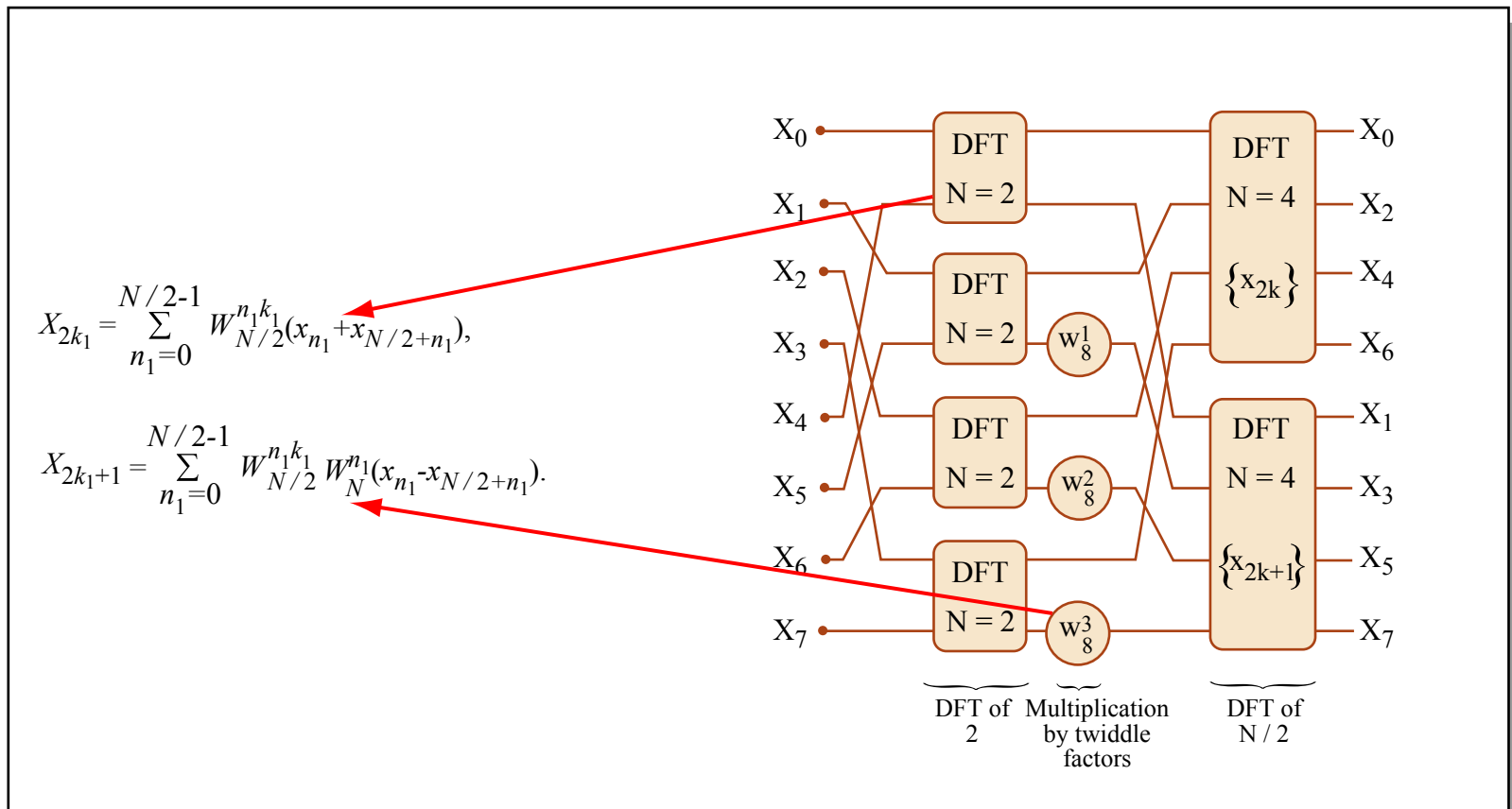
- Several different ways
  - Reorder the input data
    - Input samples for inner DFTs in subsequent locations
    - Results in bit-reversed input, in-order output DIT
  - Selectively compute DFTs on evens and odds
    - Perform in-place computation
    - Output in bit-reversed order (X3 in position six (011->110))



Which type is this implementation?

# Decimation in frequency (DIF) radix-2 implementation

- If reverse the role of  $N_1$  and  $N_2$ , get DIF
  - $N_1=N/2, N_2=2$



# Duality DIT $\leftrightarrow$ DIF

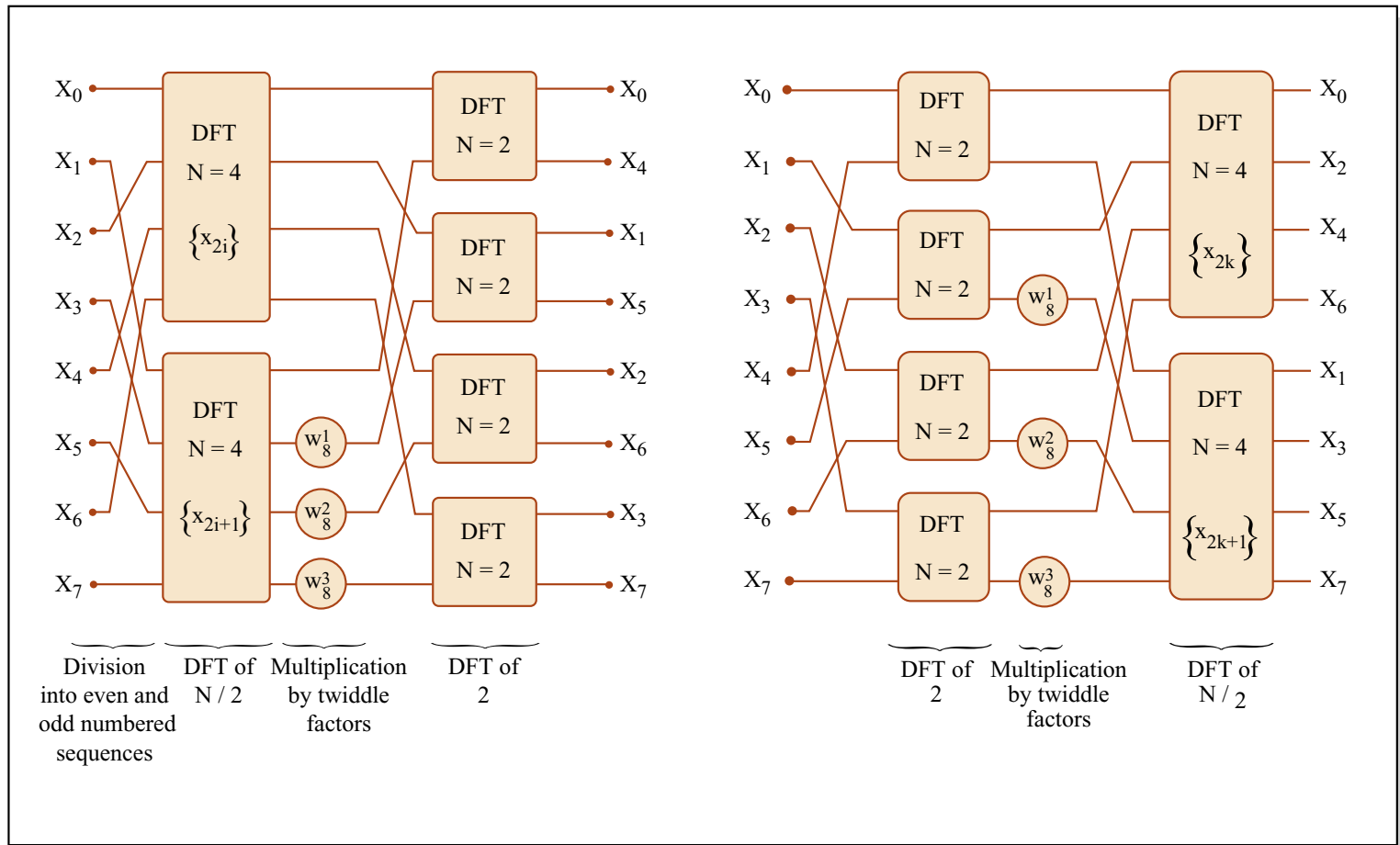


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- ❑ Which one is DIT (DIF)?
- ❑ How can we get one from another?



# Complexity of radix-2 FFTs

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- DFT of length  $N$  replaced by two length- $N/2$ 
  - At the cost of  $N$  complex multiplications (twiddle)
    - And  $N$  complex additions (2pt DFTs)
- Iterate the scheme  $\log_2 N - 1$  times
  - Obtain trivial transforms (length 2) of the length- $N/2$  DFTs

$$O_M[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-2}}] \approx N/2(\log_2 N - 1)$$

$$O_A[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-2}}] \approx N(\log_2 N - 1)$$

- Twiddle multiplies ( $W_N^i$ )
  - Complex multiply – 3 real mult + 3 real add
  - If  $i$  is multiple of  $N/4$ , no arithmetic operation required (why?)

$$M[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-2}}] = 3N/2 \log_2 N - 5N + 8, \quad 4 \text{ butterflies (one general, 3 special cases)}$$

$$A[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-2}}] = 7N/2 \log_2 N - 5N + 8.$$



# Radix-4

- $N=4^n$ ,  $N_1=4$ ,  $N_2=N/4$ 
  - 4 DFTs of length  $N/4$
  - $3N/4$  twiddle multiplies
  - $N/4$  DFTs of length 4
- Cost of length-4 DFT
  - No multiplication
  - Only 16 real additions

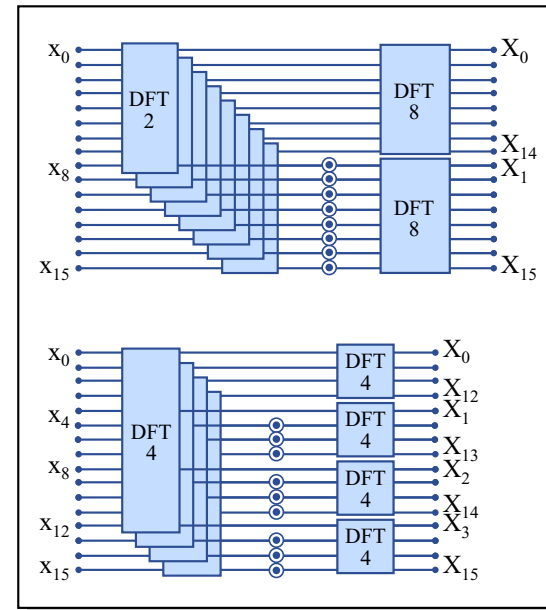


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- Reduces the number of stages to  $\log_4 N$

$$O_M[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-4}}] \approx 3N/4(\log_4 N - 1).$$

$$M[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-4}}]$$

$$= 9N/8 \log_2 N - 43N/12 + 16/3,$$

$$A[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-4}}]$$

$$= 25N/8 \log_2 N - 43N/12 + 16/3.$$

$$O_M[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-2}}] \approx N/2(\log_2 N - 1)$$

$$M[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-2}}] = 3N/2 \log_2 N - 5N + 8,$$

$$A[\text{DFT}_{\text{radix-2}}] = 7N/2 \log_2 N - 5N + 8.$$

- Radix-8 can reduce number of operations even more



# Mixed-radix and Split-radix

- ❑ Mixed-radix
  - Different radices in different stages
- ❑ Split-radix
  - Different radices in the same stage
    - Simultaneously on different parts of the transform
  - Can achieve lowest number of adds and multiplies for length  $2^n$  inputs

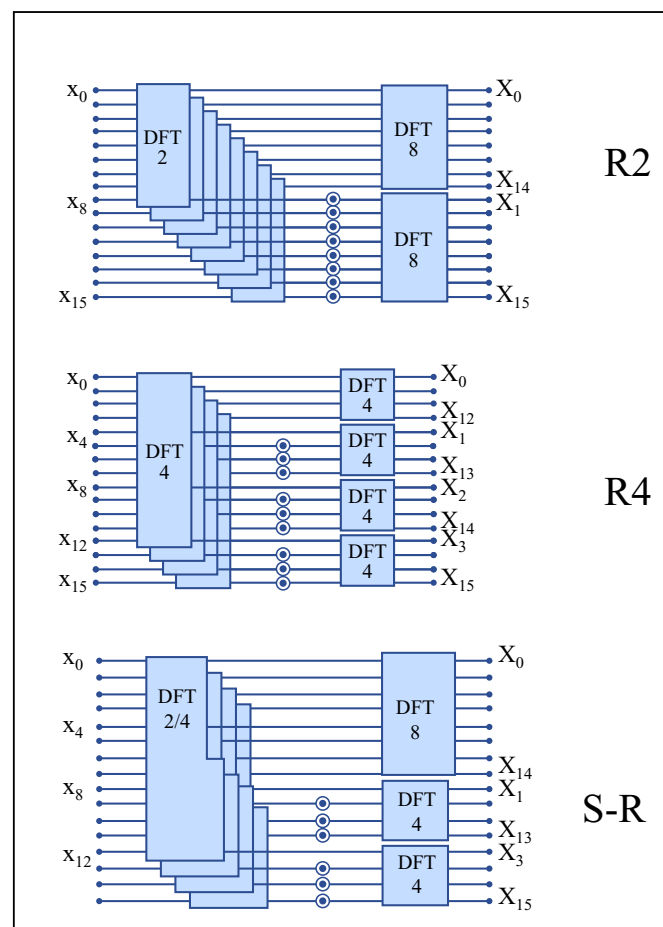


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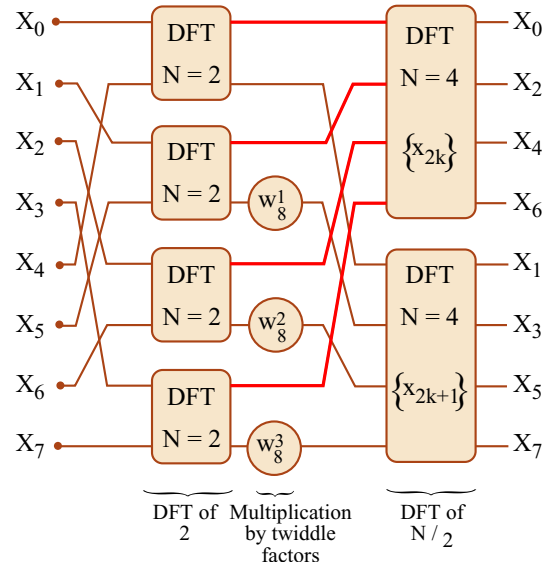
# Split-radix (DIF SRFFT)

## Look at DIF radix-2

- $X_{2k_1}$  don't have twiddles

$$X_{2k_1} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N/2-1} W_{N/2}^{n_1 k_1} (x_{n_1} + x_{N/2+n_1}),$$

$$X_{2k_1+1} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N/2-1} W_{N/2}^{n_1 k_1} W_N^{n_1} (x_{n_1} - x_{N/2+n_1}).$$



$$X_{2k_1} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N/2-1} W_{N/2}^{n_1 k_1} (x_{n_1} + x_{N/2+n_1}),$$

$$X_{4k_1+1} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N/4-1} W_{N/4}^{n_1 k_1} W_N^{n_1}$$

$$X[(x_{n_1} - x_{N/2+n_1}) + j(x_{n_1+N/4} - x_{n_1+3N/4})],$$

$$X_{4k_1+3} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N/4-1} W_{N/4}^{n_1 k_1} W_N^{3n_1}$$

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## Even samples $X_{2k}$ in DIF should be computed separately from other samples

- With same algorithm (recursively) as the original sequence

## No general rule for odd samples

- Radix-4 is more efficient than radix-2
- Higher radices are inefficient

$$X[(x_{n_1} + x_{N/2+n_1}) - j(x_{n_1+N/4} - x_{n_1+3N/4})].$$

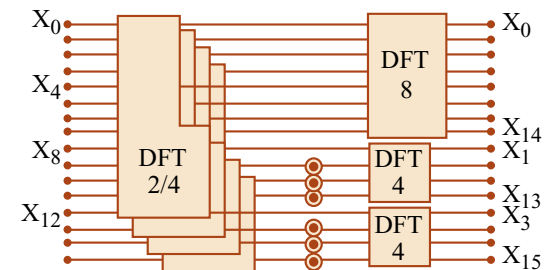


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# Split-radix (DIT SRFFT)

## □ Dual to DIF SRFFT

- Considers separately subsets  $\{x_{2i}\}$ ,  $\{x_{4i+1}\}$  and  $\{x_{4i+3}\}$

$$I_0 = \{2i\}, I_1 = \{4i+1\}, I_2 = \{4i+3\}$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{l=0}^{r-1} z^{-l\omega} \sum_{i \in I_l} x_i z^{-i+\omega l}$$

$$X_k = \sum_{I_0} x_{2i} W_N^{k(2i)} + W_N^k \sum_{I_1} x_{4i+1} W_N^{k(4i+1)-k}$$

$$+ W_N^{3k} \sum_{I_2} x_{4i+3} W_N^{k(4i+3)-3k},$$

- Redundancy in  $X_k, X_{k+N/4}, X_{k+N/2}, X_{k+3N/4}$  computation

$$X_k = \sum_{i=0}^{N/2-1} x_{2i} W_{N/2}^{ik} + W_N^k \sum_{i=0}^{N/4-1} x_{4i+1} W_{N/4}^{ik} + W_N^{3k} \sum_{i=0}^{N/4-1} x_{4i+3} W_{N/4}^{ik}$$

$$X_{k+N/2} = \sum_{i=0}^{N/2-1} x_{2i} W_{N/2}^{ik}$$

$$- W_N^k \sum_{i=0}^{N/4-1} x_{4i+1} W_{N/4}^{ik}$$

$$- W_N^{3k} \sum_{i=0}^{N/4-1} x_{4i+3} W_{N/4}^{ik}$$

$$X_{k+N/4} = \sum_{i=0}^{N/2-1} x_{2i} W_{N/2}^{ik}$$

$$+ j W_N^k \sum_{i=0}^{N/4-1} x_{4i+1} W_{N/4}^{ik}$$

$$- j W_N^{3k} \sum_{i=0}^{N/4-1} x_{4i+3} W_{N/4}^{ik}$$

$$X_{k+3N/4} = \sum_{i=0}^{N/2-1} x_{2i} W_{N/2}^{ik}$$

$$- j W_N^k \sum_{i=0}^{N/4-1} x_{4i+1} W_{N/4}^{ik}$$

$$+ j W_N^{3k} \sum_{i=0}^{N/4-1} x_{4i+3} W_{N/4}^{ik}$$

$$M[\text{DFT}_{\text{split-radix}}] = N \log_2 N - 3N + 4,$$

$$A[\text{DFT}_{\text{split-radix}}] = 3N \log_2 N - 3N + 4.$$



# FFTs without twiddle factors

- Divide and conquer requirements
  - N-long DFT computed from DFTs with lengths that are factors of N (allows the inner sum to be a DFT)

- Provided that subsets  $I_l$  guarantee periodic  $x_i$

$$X(z) = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} z^{-n_1} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_2 N_1 + n_1} z^{-n_2 N_1},$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i z^{-i} = \sum_{l=0}^{r-1} \sum_{i \in I_l} x_i z^{-i},$$

$$\begin{aligned} X_k &= X(z) \Big|_{z=W_N^{-k}} \\ &= \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} W_N^{n_1 k} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_2 N_1 + n_1} W_N^{n_2 N_1 k}. \end{aligned}$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{l=0}^{r-1} z^{-i_0 l} \sum_{i \in I_l} x_i z^{-i+i_0 l}.$$

- When N factors into co-prime factors  $N=N_1 * N_2$ 
  - Starting from any  $x_i$  form subset with compatible periodicity (the periodicity of the subset divides the periodicity of the set)
    - $\{x_{i+N_1 n_2} \mid n_2 = 1, \dots, N_2 - 1\}$  or  $\{x_{i+N_2 n_1} \mid n_1 = 1, \dots, N_1 - 1\}$
  - Both subsets have only one common point  $x_i$
  - Allows a rearrangement of the input (periodic) vector into a matrix with a periodicity in both dimensions (rows and columns), both periodicities being compatible with the initial one



# Good's mapping

- FFTs without twiddle factors all based on the same mapping
  - Turns original transform into a set of small DFTs with coprime lengths

$$\{x_{i+N_1n_2} \mid n_2 = 1, \dots, N_2 - 1\} \text{ or } \{x_{i+N_2n_1} \mid n_1 = 1, \dots, N_1 - 1\}$$

equivalent to

$$i = \langle n_1 \cdot N_2 + n_2 \cdot N_1 \rangle_N,$$

$$n_1 = 1, \dots, N_1 - 1, \quad n_2 = 1, \dots, N_2 - 1$$

$$N = N_1 N_2,$$

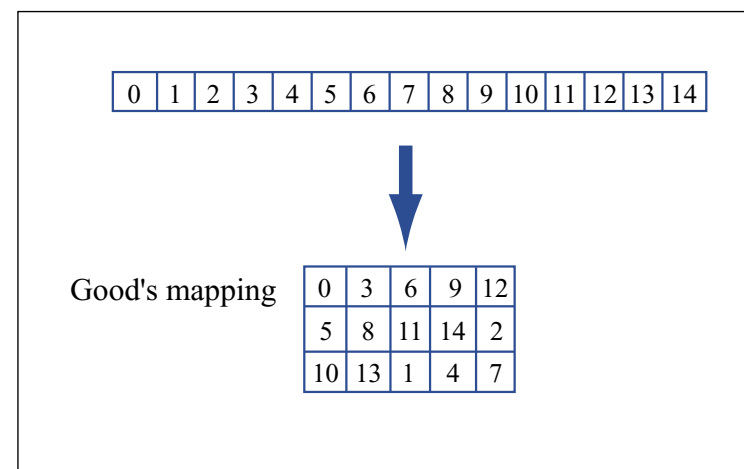


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- This mapping is one-to-one if  $N_1$  and  $N_2$  are coprime
- All congruences modulo  $N_1$  obtained
  - For a given congruence modulo  $N_2$  and vice versa

# Just another arrangement of CRT

## □ Chinese Remainder Theorem (CRT)

- If we know the residue of some number  $k$  modulo two coprime numbers  $N_1$  and  $N_2$   $\langle k \rangle_{N_1}$   $\langle k \rangle_{N_2}$
- It is possible to reconstruct  $\langle k \rangle_{N_1 N_2}$
- Let  $\langle k \rangle_{N_1} = k_1$   $\langle k \rangle_{N_2} = k_2$
- Then  $\langle k \rangle_{N_1 N_2} = \langle N_1 t_1 k_2 + N_2 t_2 k_1 \rangle_N$

$$\langle t_1 N_1 \rangle_{N_2} = 1 \text{ and } \langle t_2 N_2 \rangle_{N_1} = 1$$

$t_1$  multiplicative inverse of  $N_1 \bmod N_2$

$t_2$  multiplicative inverse of  $N_2 \bmod N_1$

$t_1, t_2$  always exist since  $N_1, N_2$  coprime  $(N_1, N_2) = 1$

What are  $t_1, t_2$  for  $N_1=3, N_2=5$ ?

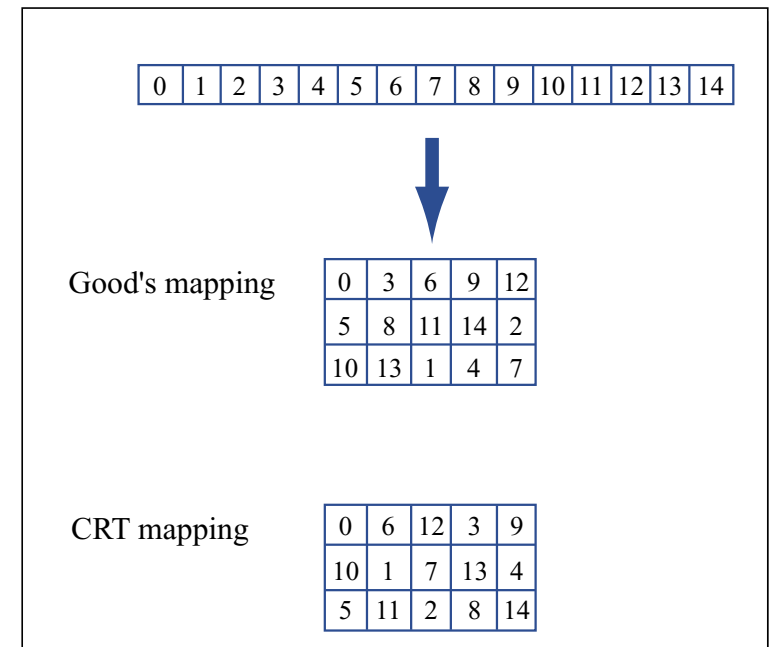


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- Reversing  $N_1$  and  $N_2$ 
  - Results in transposed mapping

# Impact on DFT

## Formulating the true multi-dimensional transform

$$\langle k \rangle_{N_1 N_2} = \langle N_1 t_1 k_2 + N_2 t_2 k_1 \rangle_N$$

$$X_k = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i W_N^{ik} \quad k = 0, \dots, N-1,$$

$$X_{N_1 t_1 k_2 + N_2 t_2 k_1} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_1 N_2 + n_2 N_1} W_N^{(n_1 N_2 + N_1 n_2)(N_1 t_1 k_2 + N_2 t_2 k_1)}$$

$$W_N^{N_2} = W_{N_1} \quad W_{N_1}^{N_2 t_2} = W_{N_1}^{(N_2 t_2) N_1} = W_{N_1}$$

$$X_{N_1 t_1 k_2 + N_2 t_2 k_1} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x_{n_1 N_2 + n_2 N_1} W_{N_1}^{n_1 k_2} W_{N_2}^{n_2 k_2},$$

$$X'_{k_1 k_2} = X_{N_1 t_1 k_2 + N_2 t_2 k_1} \quad x'_{n_1, n_2} = x_{n_1 N_2 + n_2 N_1}$$

$$X'_{k_1 k_2} = \sum_{n_1=0}^{N_1-1} \sum_{n_2=0}^{N_2-1} x'_{n_1 n_2} W_{N_1}^{n_1 k_1} W_{N_2}^{n_2 k_2}$$

True bidimensional transform!  
(no extra twiddle factors)

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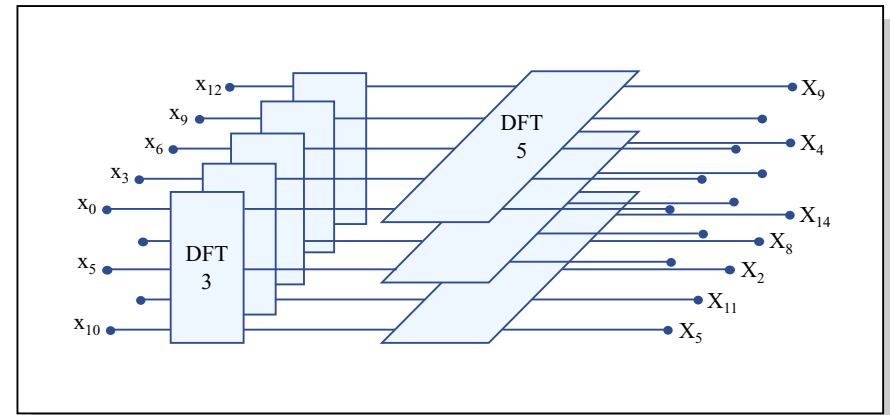


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# Using convolution to compute DFTs

- All sub DFTs are prime length
  - Rader showed that prime-length DFTs can be computed as a result of cyclic convolution
  - E.g. length 5 DFT

Permute last two rows and columns

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_0 \\ X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \\ X_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & W_5^1 & W_5^2 & W_5^3 & W_5^4 \\ 1 & W_5^2 & W_5^4 & W_5^1 & W_5^3 \\ 1 & W_5^3 & W_5^1 & W_5^4 & W_5^2 \\ 1 & W_5^4 & W_5^3 & W_5^2 & W_5^1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} X'_1 \\ X'_2 \\ X'_4 \\ X'_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} W_5^1 & W_5^2 & W_5^4 & W_5^3 \\ W_5^2 & W_5^4 & W_5^3 & W_5^1 \\ W_5^4 & W_5^3 & W_5^1 & W_5^2 \\ W_5^3 & W_5^1 & W_5^2 & W_5^4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_4 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- This is a general result



# Example

- Results in smallest number of multiplies

$$\begin{aligned} & (X'_0, X'_1, \dots, X'_4)^T \\ &= C \cdot D \cdot B \cdot (x_0, x_1, \dots, x_4)^T, \end{aligned}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D = \text{diag}[ & 1, ((\cos u + \cos 2u)/2 - 1), \\ & (\cos u - \cos 2u)/2, -j \sin u, \\ & -j(\sin u + \sin 2u), \\ & j(\sin u - \sin 2u)], \end{aligned}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

# Prime Factor Algorithm

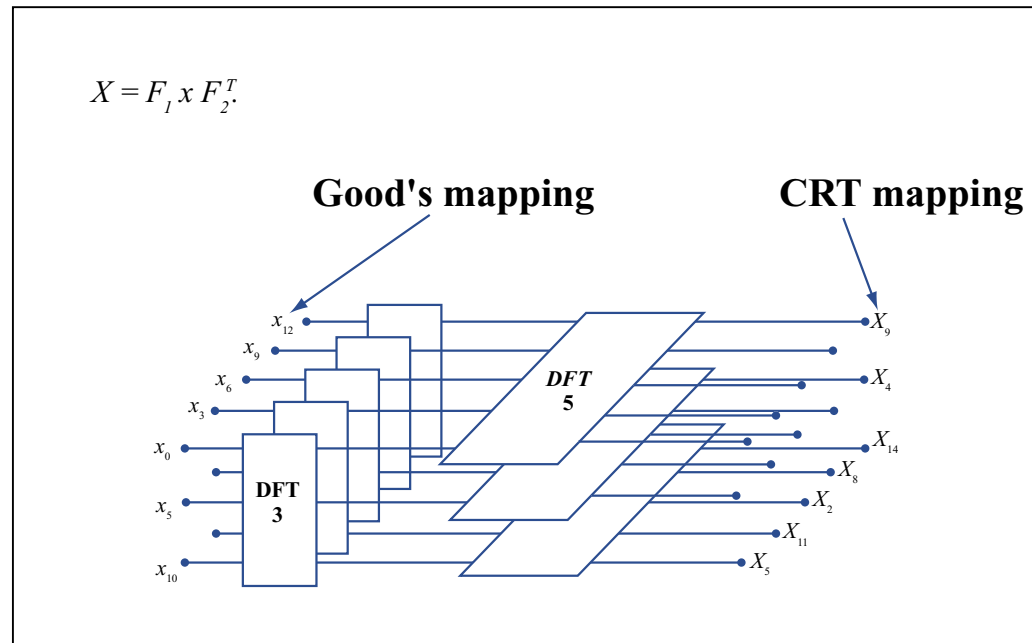


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- Efficient small DFTs are a key to the feasibility of this algorithm

$$M_{N_1 N_2} = N_1 M_2 + N_2 M_1,$$

$$A_{N_1 N_2} = N_1 A_2 + N_2 A_1,$$

$$m_{N_1 N_2 N_3 N_4} = m_{N_1} + m_{N_2} + m_{N_3} + m_{N_4},$$

$$a_{N_1 N_2 N_3 N_4} = a_{N_1} + a_{N_2} + a_{N_3} + a_{N_4}.$$

# Winograd's Fourier Transform Algorithm

$$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{F}_1 \mathbf{x} \mathbf{F}_2^T.$$

$$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{C}_1 \mathbf{D}_1 \mathbf{B}_1 \mathbf{x} \mathbf{B}_2^T \mathbf{D}_2 \mathbf{C}_2^T.$$

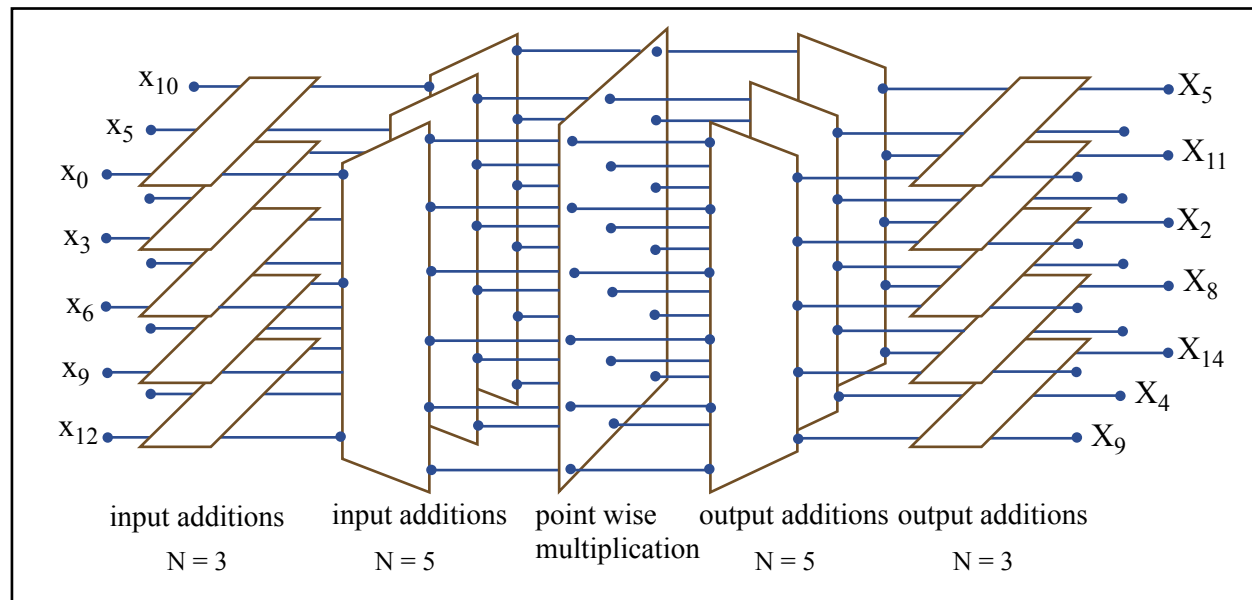


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- ❑  $\mathbf{B}_1 \mathbf{x} \mathbf{B}_2^T$  only involves additions
- ❑  $\mathbf{D}$  – diagonal (so point multiply)
- ❑ Winograd transform has many more additions than twiddle FFTs