

DYNa3S

Dynamique des algorithmes du pgcd : une approche Algorithmique, Analytique, Arithmétique et Symbolique

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 - Invitations : 11 000
 - Missions internes : 21 000
 - Organisation confs : 10 000
 - Ordies : 1100+ Livres : 1000
- Total missions : 54 100 euros (par pôle)

Compte-rendus intermédiaires

- 6 mois
- 18 mois
- 30 mois

Retombées

- Organization of two international conferences
- Preprints available via a collection within the Hal-Diderot open archive
- Getting young scientists interested through lectures
 - during one of the Ecoles Jeunes Chercheurs of the GDR IM
 - at master level
 - by using simple examples issued e.g. from word combinatorics and discrete geometry during Sage formation days
- Giving popular lectures (eg., Fête de la Science)
- Writing on Images des Mathématiques and Interstices
- If some potential in terms of valorisation emerges during the project, the unit Diderot Valorisation of Université Paris Diderot will follow the project.
- All the implementations will be published in Sage

Rencontres internes

- Organization of two international conferences
- Joint event with ANR HPAC (fin 2015)
High-Performance Computer Algebra
- 2 à 3 rencontres par an de 3 jours

Résumé

Objet : les algorithmes de type Euclide

Un algorithme de pgcd = système dynamique discret et entrées entières

- Problème du **calcul** du pgcd de plusieurs entiers pgcd ou pgcd étendu=coeff. Bezout
- Application en **géométrie discrète** où la compréhension des primitives basiques, les **droites et les plans discrets**, repose sur des algorithmes de type Euclide
a priori **coordonnées entières**

Objectifs principaux

Étude extensive des algorithmes de pgcd qui sont décrits par un système dynamique

- Algorithmes de pgcd
 - Construction d'algorithmes efficaces de pgcd
 - Analyse systématique : pire cas, analyse en moyenne et en distributions
 - Comparaison transverse des performances de ces algorithmes selon une approche algorithmique, analytique, arithmétique et symbolique
- Application en géométrie discrète pour l'étude des droites discrètes et des plans discrets dont la compréhension repose sur des algorithmes de type Euclide
 - ~~ un point de vue supplémentaire concernant les comparaisons entre ces algorithmes

Algorithmes de pgcd

Deux types d'algorithmes de pgcd, tous deux étant associés à des homographies par morceaux

- algorithmes de réduction dans les réseaux qui calculent des vecteurs courts
- algorithmes de fractions continues multidimensionnels qui calculent de bonnes approximations rationnelles

Comparaisons des algorithmes et description des paramètres principaux

Quand les entrées sont

- soit **réelles** : trajectoires génériques
- soit **entières** : trajectoires tronquées

Deux points de vue

- un point de vue **discret**, correspondant aux entrées **rationnelles**
- un point de vue **continu**, correspondant aux entrées **réelles**

deux cadres dynamiques considérés pour eux-mêmes,
mais aussi en interaction, selon la méthodologie de
l'analyse dynamique

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Des approches complémentaires et différentes :

- systèmes dynamiques : ergodique, symbolique, dynamique réelle
- algorithmes de réduction dans les réseaux
- arithmétique informatique
- analyse d'algorithmes

Domaine d'application

- Géométrie discrète

Focus

- LLL en dimension 3
- Algorithme de Brun
- Polynômes à coefficients dans un corps fini

Vers un vocabulaire commun
Une approche Algorithmique,
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How to compare multidimensional gcd algorithms ?

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One **subtracts** the smallest number to the largest as much as we can

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Euclid's algorithm yields the **digits**
for the **continued fraction** expansion of $\frac{u_1}{u_0}$

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$$u_1/u_0 = \cfrac{1}{a_1 + \cfrac{1}{a_2 + \cdots + \cfrac{1}{a_m + \cfrac{1}{a_{m+1}}}}}$$

Discrete dynamical system

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$$T: X \rightarrow X$$

Discrete stands for **discrete time**

The set X is the set of **states**

The map T is the law of **time evolution**

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We consider **orbits/trajectories** of points of X under the action of the map T

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We **partition** X into a finite number of subsets $X = \cup_{i=1}^d X_i$

We **code** the trajectory of a point x with respect to (X_i)

$$\{T^n x \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\} \rightsquigarrow (u_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in \{1, 2, \dots, d\}^{\mathbb{N}}$$

From **geometric** dynamical systems to **symbolic** dynamical systems and backwards

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- **Topological dynamics** describes the qualitative/topological asymptotic behaviour of trajectories/orbits
- Ergodicity describes the long term **statistical behaviour** of orbits
- **Dynamical analysis** via transfer operators captures the **statistical behaviour** of all **orbits** (rational + real) + **termes de restes**

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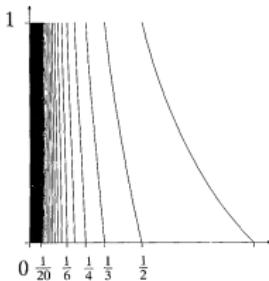
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A measure is said to be T -invariant if

$$\mu(B) = \mu(T^{-1}B), \forall B \in \mathcal{B}$$

Theorem The Gauss measure is T invariant

Proof It suffices to work with intervals $[0, x)$

$$\mu([0, x)) = 1/2 \log(1+x) \quad T^{-1}([0, x)) = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1}{n+x}, \frac{1}{n} \right)$$

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Ergodic theorem For a.e. x (=on a set of measure 1)

$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} f(T^j x) = \int f d\mu, \quad \forall f \in L_1(\mu)$$

Take $f = \mathbf{1}_B$ for some measurable set B

Time mean= Mean value along an orbit =
=mean value of f w.r.t. μ = **Spatial mean**

Measure-theoretic results

Sets of **zero measure** for the Gauss measure = sets of zero measure for the Lebesgue measure

Almost everywhere (a.e.) = on a set of measure 1

- For a.e. $x \in [0, 1]$

$$\lim \frac{\log q_n}{n} = \frac{\pi^2}{12 \log 2}$$

- For a.e. x and for $a \geq 1$

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \{k \leq N; a_k = a\} = \frac{1}{\log 2} \log \frac{(a+1)^2}{a(a+2)}$$

- Gauss measure**

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Rational vs. irrational parameters

Euclid algorithm \rightsquigarrow gcd \rightsquigarrow rational parameters

Continued fractions \rightsquigarrow irrational parameters

Is it relevant to compare generic orbits
and orbits for integer parameters ?

Rational vs. irrational parameters

- When computing a gcd, we work with integer/rational parameters
- This set has zero measure
- Ergodic methods produce results that hold only almost everywhere

Average-case analysis vs. a.e. results

Fact Orbits of rational points tend to behave like generic orbits

And their probabilistic behaviour can be captured thanks to the methods of dynamical analysis of algorithms

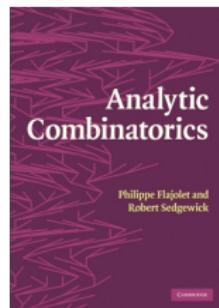
Dynamical analysis of algorithms [Vallée]

It belongs to the area of

- Analysis of algorithms [Knuth'63]

probabilistic, combinatorial, and analytic methods

- Analytic combinatorics [Flajolet-Sedgewick]



generating functions and complex analysis,
analytic functions, analysis of the singularities

Dynamical analysis of algorithms [Vallée]

It mixes tools from

- **dynamical systems** (transfer operators, density transformers, Ruelle-Perron-Frobenius operators)
- **analytic combinatorics** (generating functions of Dirichlet type)

the **singularities** of (Dirichlet) generating functions
are expressed in terms of **transfer** operators

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- [limit law] What is the limit law of X

$$\mathbb{P}_n \left[\frac{X - a_n}{\sqrt{b_n}} \in [x, x + dx] \right] \underset{n \rightarrow \infty}{\sim} f(x)$$

ex : what is asymptotically the probability that X is in the interval $[a, b]$?

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- Jacobi-Perron

[Fischer-Schweiger'75]

- Brun

[B.-Lhote-Steiner-Vallée, work in progress]

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- Formal power series with coefficients in a finite field and polynomials with degree less than m

$$\frac{2}{2\frac{q}{q-1}} m = \frac{q-1}{q} m$$

[Knopfmacher-Knopfmacher'88, Friesen-Hensley'96, Lhote-Vallée]

A substitution on words : the Fibonacci substitution

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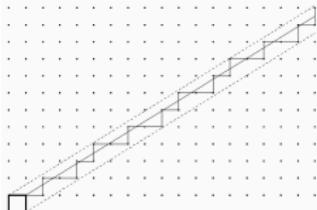
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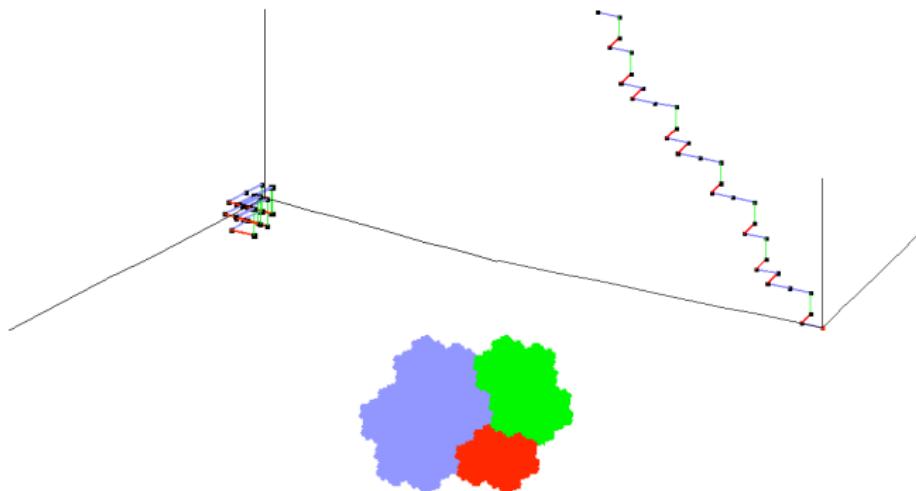


La substitution de Tribonacci [Rauzy'82]

$$\sigma : 1 \mapsto 12, 2 \mapsto 13, 3 \mapsto 1$$

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On représente $\sigma^\infty(1)$ comme une **ligne brisée**. On remplace 1 par le vecteur \vec{e}_1 etc. On la projète selon les **espaces propres** de M_σ .



Euclid algorithm and discrete segments

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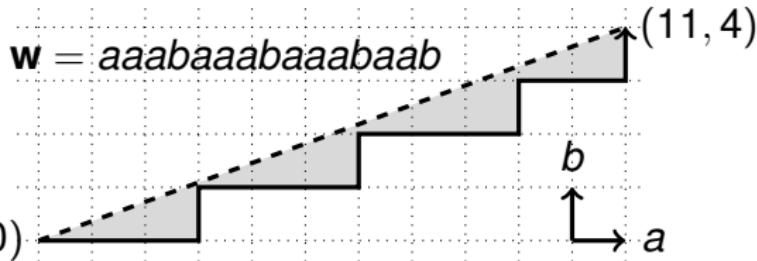
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Our strategy

- We apply a multidimensional continued fraction algorithm to the line in \mathbb{R}^3 directed by a given vector $\mathbf{u} = (u_1, u_2, u_3)$
- We then associate with the matrices produced by the algorithm substitutions, with these substitutions having the matrices produced by the continued fraction algorithm as incidence matrices

$$\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u}_0 \xleftarrow{M_1} \mathbf{u}_1 \xleftarrow{M_2} \mathbf{u}_2 \xleftarrow{M_3} \dots \xleftarrow{M_k} \mathbf{u}_k$$

$$w = w_0 \xleftarrow{\sigma_1} w_1 \xleftarrow{\sigma_2} w_2 \xleftarrow{\sigma_3} \dots \xleftarrow{\sigma_k} w_k \in \{1, 2, 3\}$$

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Applying Brun algorithm on (7, 4, 6)

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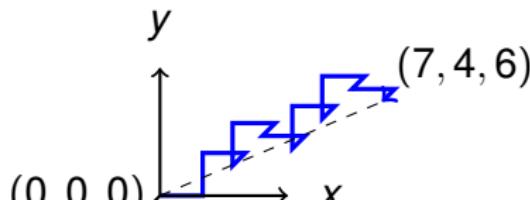
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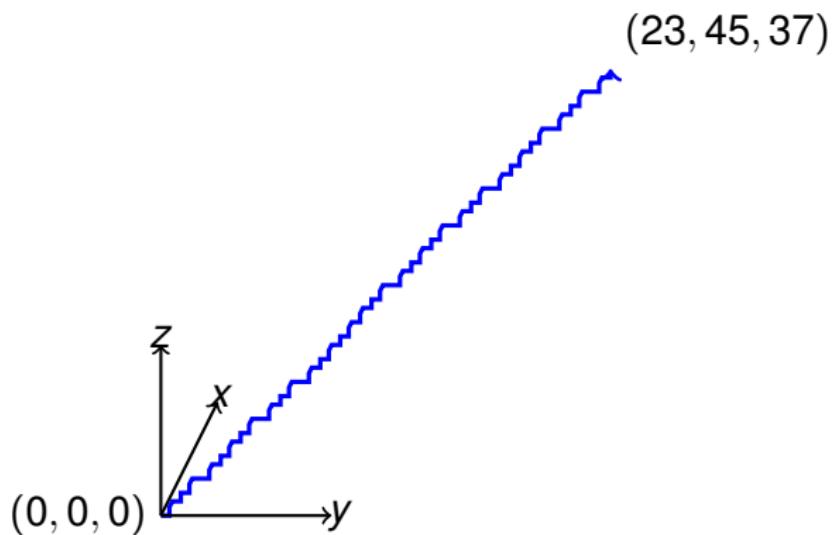
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Applying Brun algorithm on (23, 45, 37)



S-adic expansions

Definition An infinite word ω is said ***S*-adic** if there exist

- a finite set of substitutions \mathcal{S}
- an infinite sequence of substitutions $(\sigma_n)_{n \geq 1}$ with values in \mathcal{S}

such that

$$\omega = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sigma_1 \circ \sigma_2 \circ \cdots \circ \sigma_n(0)$$

The terminology comes from Veech adic transformations

Context

- Fusion and hierarchical tilings
[N. Priebe Frank, L. Sadun, Fusion : a general framework for hierarchical tilings of \mathbb{R}^d]
- Adic transformation
[S. Ferenczi, A. Fisher, and M. Talet, Minimality and unique ergodicity for adic transformations]
- Arithmetic dynamics
[N. Sidorov-A. Vershik] arithmetic codings of dynamical systems that preserve their arithmetic structure
- Numeration dynamics [Keane]

S -adic expansions

$$u = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \cdots \sigma_n(0)$$

Algebraically Generalized Perron–Frobenius eigendirection

One considers infinite products of matrices with entries in \mathbb{N}

$$M_1 \cdots M_n \cdots$$

The M_i are the incidence matrices of the substitutions

Does there exist a vector \mathbf{u} such that

$$\bigcap_k M_1 \cdots M_k (\mathbb{R}_+^d) = \mathbb{R}_+ \mathbf{u} \quad ?$$

\mathbf{u} is the vector of letter frequencies associated with the infinite word u

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Arithmetically Weak and strong convergence of multidimensional continued fraction algorithms

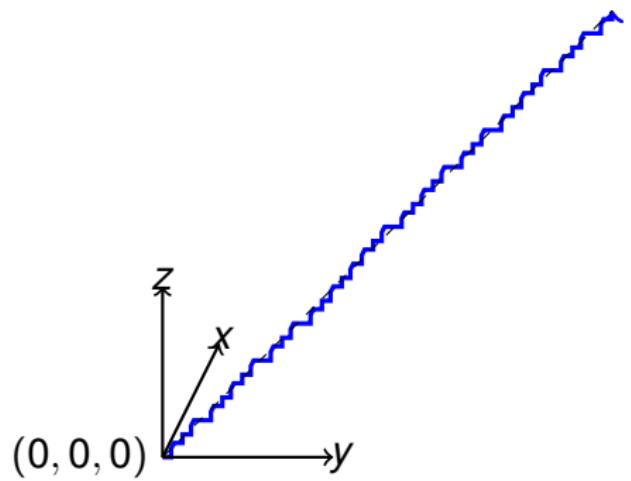
Theorem There exists $\delta > 0$ s.t. for almost every (α, β) , there exists $n_0 = n_0(\alpha, \beta)$ s.t. for all $n \geq n_0$

$$|\alpha - p_n/q_n| < \frac{1}{q_n^{1+\delta}}, \quad |\beta - r_n/q_n| < \frac{1}{q_n^{1+\delta}}$$

where p_n, q_n, r_n are produced by **Brun** or by **Jacobi-Perron** algorithm **Second Lyapunov exponent < 0**

Brun [Ito-Fujita-Keane-Ohtsuki '96]

Jacobi-Perron [Broise-Guivarc'h '99]

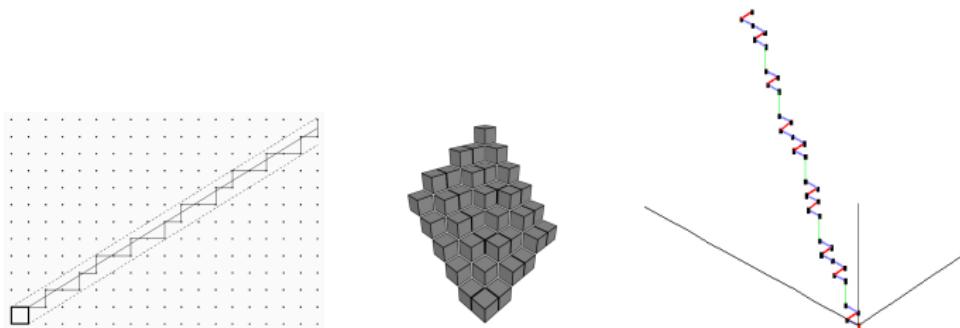


Multidimensional continued fractions

If we start with two parameters (α, β) , one looks for two rational sequences (p_n/q_n) et (r_n/q_n) with the **same denominator** that satisfy

$$\lim p_n/q_n = \alpha, \lim r_n/q_n = \beta.$$

Geometrically



Arithmetically and dynamically

translation on the torus : $R_{\alpha, \beta} : \mathbb{T}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{T}^2, (x, y) \mapsto x + (\alpha, \beta)$

action of \mathbb{Z}^2 on \mathbb{T} : $(m, n).(x, y) = m\alpha + n\beta$

Continued fractions

- Euclid's algorithm Starting with two numbers, one subtracts the smallest to the largest
- Unimodularity

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} p_{n+1} & q_{n+1} \\ p_n & q_n \end{bmatrix} = \pm 1$$

Rem $SL(2, \mathbb{N})$ is a finitely generated free monoid. It is generated by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Best approximation property

Theorem A rational number p/q is a best approximation of the real number α if every p'/q' with $1 \leq q' \leq q$, $p/q \neq p'/q'$ satisfies

$$|q\alpha - p| < |q'\alpha - p'|$$

Every best approximation of α is a convergent

From $SL(2, \mathbb{N})$ to $SL(3, \mathbb{N})$

- $SL(2, \mathbb{N})$ is a free and finitely generated monoid
- $SL(3, \mathbb{N})$ is not free
- $SL(3, \mathbb{N})$ is not finitely generated. Consider the family of matrices

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & n \\ 1 & n-1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & n-1 \end{pmatrix}$$

These matrices are undecomposable for $n \geq 3$ [Rivat]

Multidimensional continued fractions

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Several approaches are possible

- best simultaneous approximations but we then lose unimodularity, and the sequence of best approximations heavily depends on the chosen norm [Lagarias]
- Klein polyhedra and sails [Arnold]
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Jacobi-Perron, Brun, Selmer, Poincaré etc.
[Brentjes, Schweiger]

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Arithmetics A two-dimensional continued fraction algorithm is expected to

- detect integer relations for $(1, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_d)$
- give algebraic characterizations of periodic expansions
- converge sufficiently fast

$$\max_i \text{dist}(b_i^{(k)}, (\alpha, 1)\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow_k 0$$

- and provide good rational approximations

Good means “with respect to **Dirichlet's theorem**” : there exist infinitely many $(p_i/q)_{1 \leq i \leq d}$ such that

$$\max_i |\alpha_i - p_i/q| \leq \frac{1}{q^{1+1/d}}$$

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Dynamics We also want...

- reasonable **ergodic** properties (ergodic invariant measure, natural extension)
- to be able to control the number of executions, the “depth” if the parameters are rational etc.
- to be able to perform a **dynamical analysis** à la Brigitte

How does LLL produce good approximations ?

Let

$$M_t := \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & -\alpha_1 \\ 0 & 1 & \cdots & 0 & -\alpha_2 \\ \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 & -\alpha_d \\ 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 & \textcolor{magenta}{t} \end{pmatrix}$$

- We take t small
- One has $\det(M_t) = t$

Rem : One changes the lattice at each step instead of changing the bases of a fixed lattice

How does LLL produce good approximations ?

LLL produces in **polynomial time** a vector (b_1, \dots, b_{d+1}) such that

$$\forall j, |b_1^j| \leq \|b_1\|_2 \leq 2^{d/4} \det(M_t)^{1/d+1} = 2^{d/4} t^{1/d+1}$$

But

$$b_1 = p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + \dots + p_d e_d + q(-\alpha_1 e_1 - \dots - \alpha_d e_d + t e_{d+1})$$

$$b_1 = (p_1 - q\alpha_1) e_1 + \dots + (p_d - q\alpha_d) e_d + qte_{d+1}$$

One deduces that

$$\forall i, |p_i - \alpha_i q| \leq 2^{d/4} t^{1/d+1}$$

and

$$qt \leq 2^{d/4} t^{1/d+1}$$

We deduce that for all i

$$|p_i - \alpha_i q| \leq 2^{(d+1)/4} 1/q^{1/d}$$

How does LLL produce good approximations ?

Towards continued fractions ? One has a priori to recompute everything from the beginning when one changes t

How to understand algorithms based on lattice reduction in dynamical terms ? [LLL and sandpile models, LAREDA]

For a **dynamical version**, see [\[Kraaikamp-Smeets\]](#). For a study in the 3d case, see [\[Beukers\]](#)

Why working with cf algorithms ?

- They are not the best ones in terms of Diophantine approximation compared to algorithms based on lattice reduction
- They are not the fastest ones experimentally for gcd computation

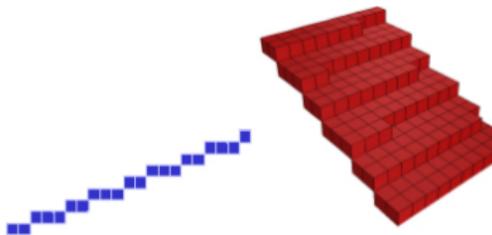
There exist subquadratic gcd algorithms

[GMP= Möller'08]

Why working with cf algorithms ?

But

- They can be described by a **simple dynamical system**
~~ **dynamical analysis** of multidimensional gcd algorithms
- They thus can be easily applied, for instance, in discrete geometry



Multidimensional Euclid's algorithms

- **Jacobi-Perron** We subtract the first one to the two other ones with $0 \leq u_1, u_2 \leq u_3$

$$(u_1, u_2, u_3) \mapsto (u_2 - [\frac{u_2}{u_1}]u_1, u_3 - [\frac{u_3}{u_1}]u_1, u_1)$$

- **Brun** We subtract the second largest entry and we reorder. If $u_1 \leq u_2 \leq u_3$

$$(u_1, u_2, u_3) \mapsto (u_1, u_2, u_3 - u_2)$$

- **Poincaré** We subtract the previous entry and we reorder

$$(u_1, u_2, u_3) \mapsto (u_1, u_2 - u_1, u_3 - u_2)$$

- **Selmer** We subtract the smallest to the largest and we reorder

$$(u_1, u_2, u_3) \mapsto (u_1, u_2, u_3 - u_1)$$

- **Fully subtractive** We subtract the smallest one to the other ones and we reorder

$$(u_1, u_2, u_3) \mapsto (u_1, u_2 - u_1, u_3 - u_1)$$