

# CSCI2100 Data Structures Dynamic Programming

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# Outline

- Coin Changing Problem
- Longest Common Subsequence

Resources:

[http://www.cs.uni.edu/~fienu/cs188s05/lectures/lec6\\_1-27-05.htm](http://www.cs.uni.edu/~fienu/cs188s05/lectures/lec6_1-27-05.htm)

<http://interactivepython.org/runestone/static/pythonds/Recursion/DynamicProgramming.html>

<http://web.stanford.edu/class/cs161/>

<http://www.cs.cmu.edu/afs/cs/academic/class/15451-s15/>



# Coin Changing Problem

- Input:
  - $k$  coins denominations,  $1 = d_1 < d_2 < \dots < d_k$
  - A positive integer  $n$
- Output:
  - The minimum number of coins that changes  $n$
- Example:
  - Making 40 cents change with coin types  $\{1, 5, 10, 25, 50\}$
  - The optimal solution takes 3 coins (25+10+5)



# Greedy Algorithm

- At each iteration, add coin of the largest value that does not take us pass the amount to be paid
- Example:
  - Making 40 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25, 50}
  - {25} //40-25=15 cents left
  - {25, 10} //15-10=5 cents left
  - {25, 10, 5} //5-5=0 cents left
  - Return 3
- Does it always give optimal solution?



# Greedy Algorithm

- Counterexample:
  - Now we have 20-cent coins
  - Making 40 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 20, 25, 50}
  - {25} //40-25=15 cents left
  - {25, 10} //15-10=5 cents left
  - {25, 10, 5} //5-5=0 cents left
  - Return 3
- But the optimal solution should be 2 coins (20+20)
- Greedy algorithm does not guarantee optimality



# Coin Changing Problem

- Coin changing problem has optimal substructure
- Optimal solutions to sub-problems are sub-solutions to the optimal solution of the original problem

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(n) = \min \begin{cases} \text{MinNumCoins}(n - d_1) + 1 \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(n - d_2) + 1 \\ \dots \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(n - d_k) + 1 \end{cases}$$

Can we simply use a recursive function to solve it?



# Recursive Approach

- Example:
  - Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(5) = \min \begin{cases} \text{MinNumCoins}(5 - 1) + 1 \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(5 - 2) + 1 \end{cases}$$

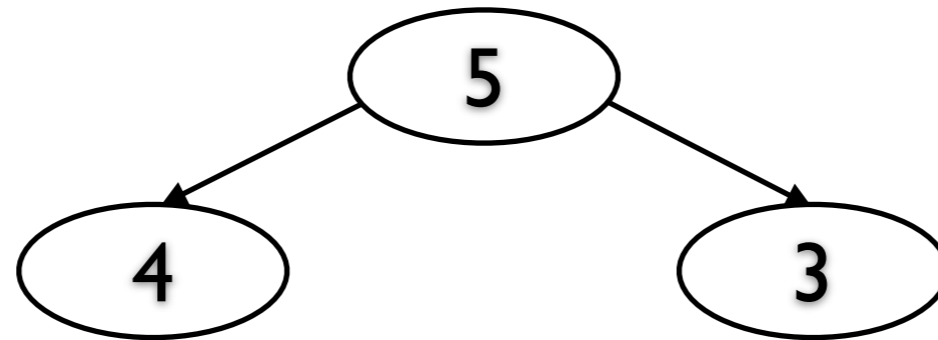
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# Recursive Approach

- Example:
  - Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(5) = \min \begin{cases} \text{MinNumCoins}(4) + 1 \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(3) + 1 \end{cases}$$

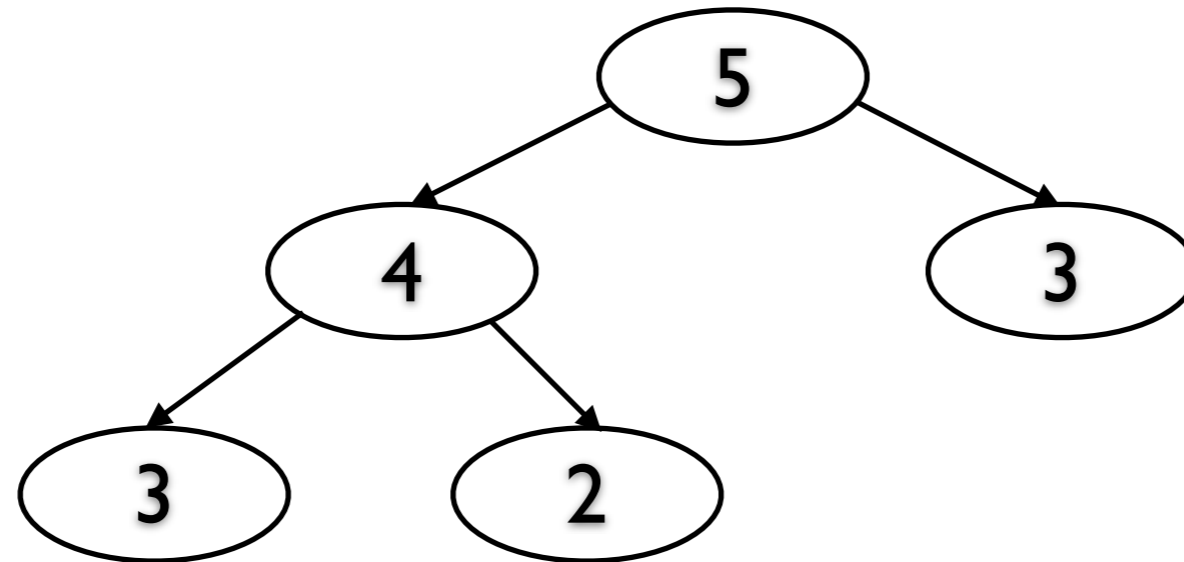




# Recursive Approach

- Example:
  - Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}

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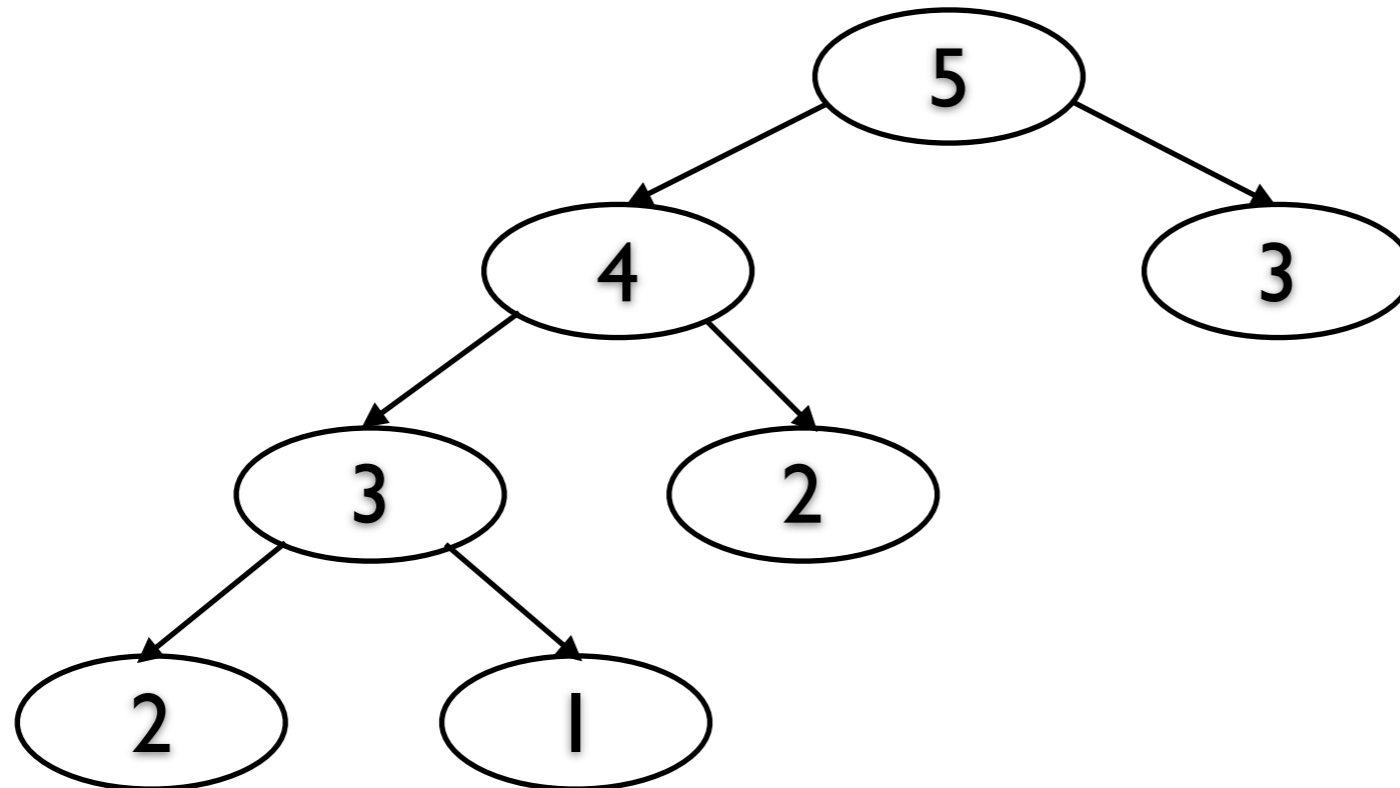


# Recursive Approach

- Example:

- Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}

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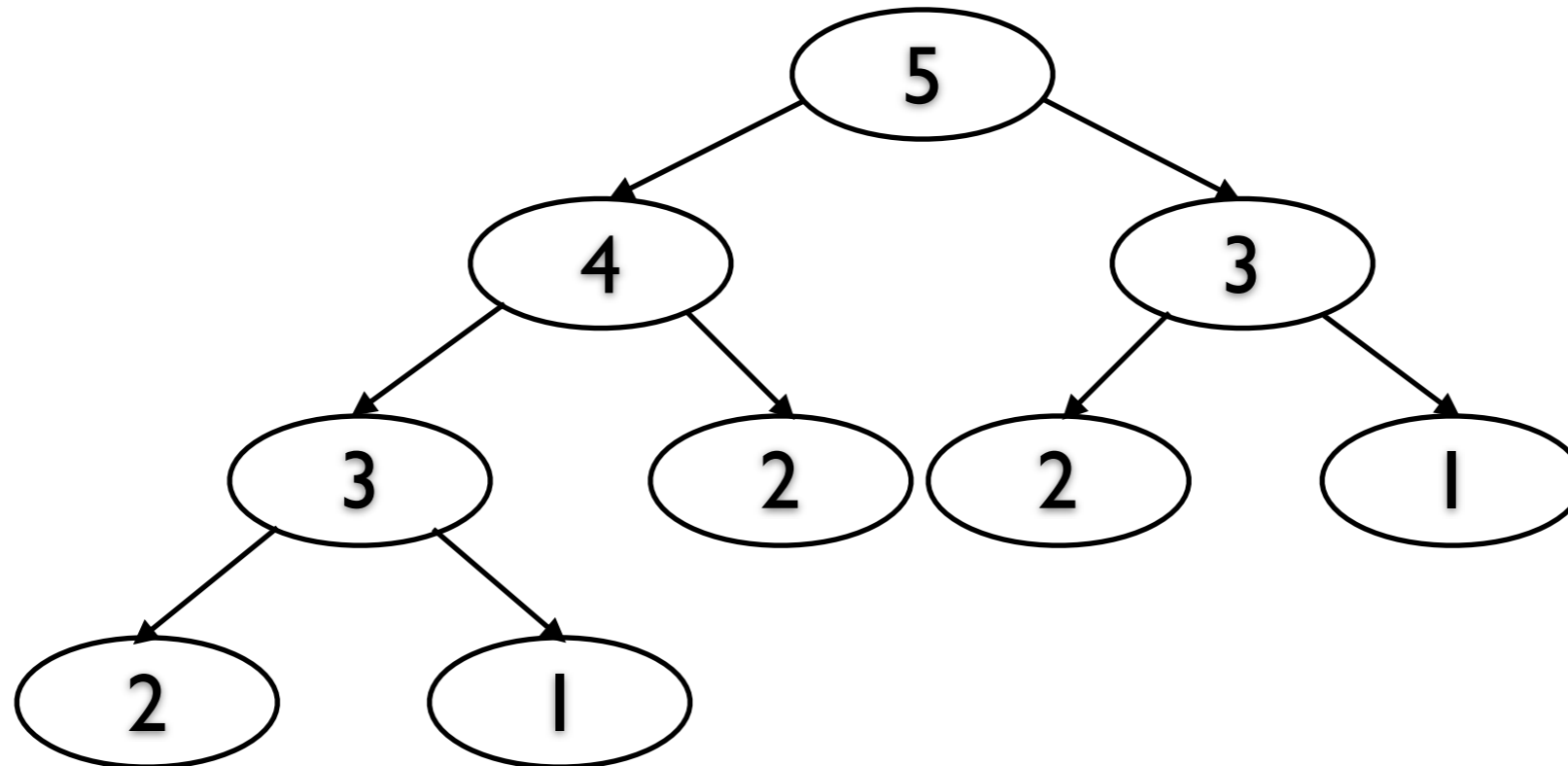


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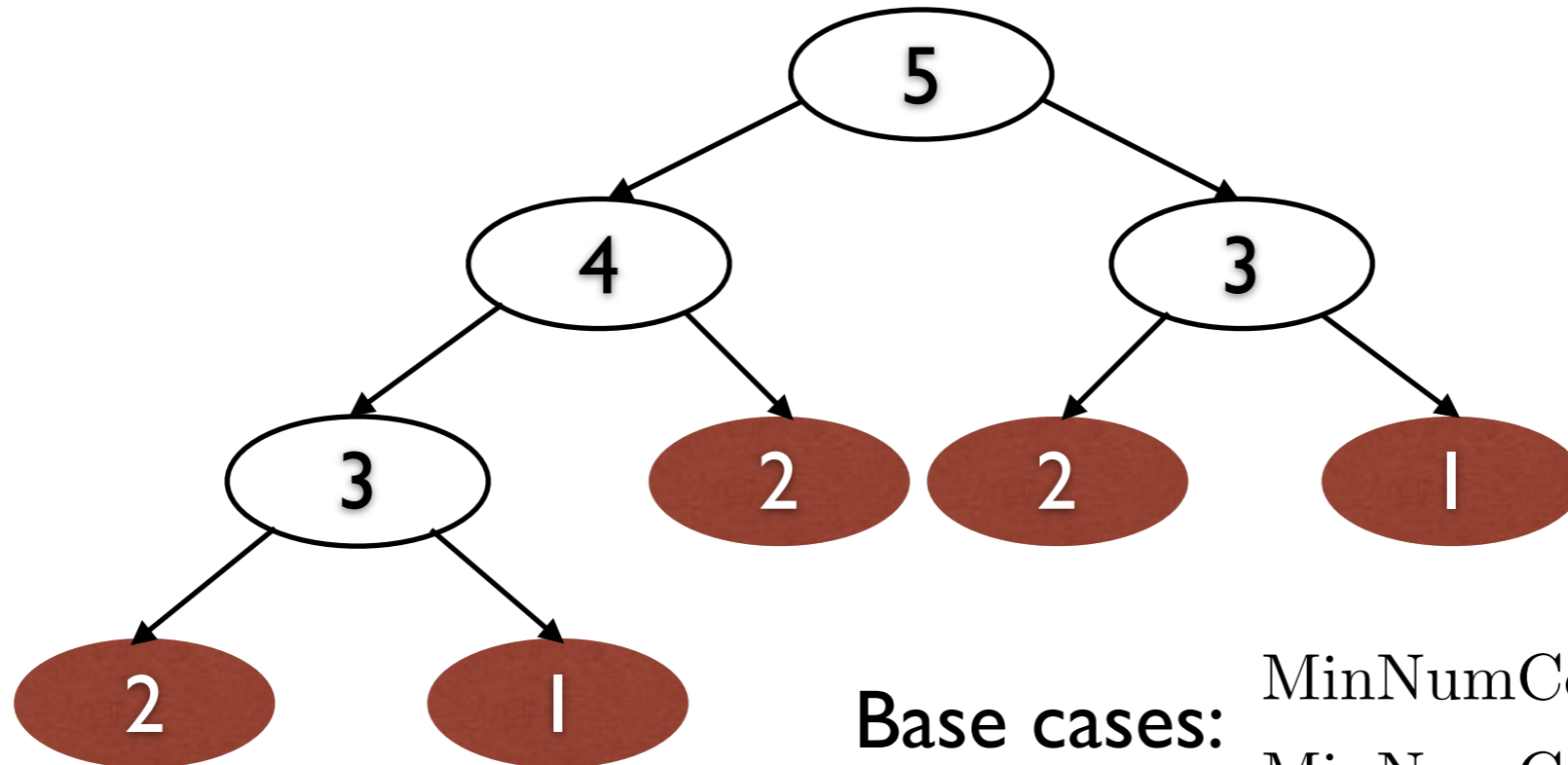


# Recursive Approach

- Example:

- Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}

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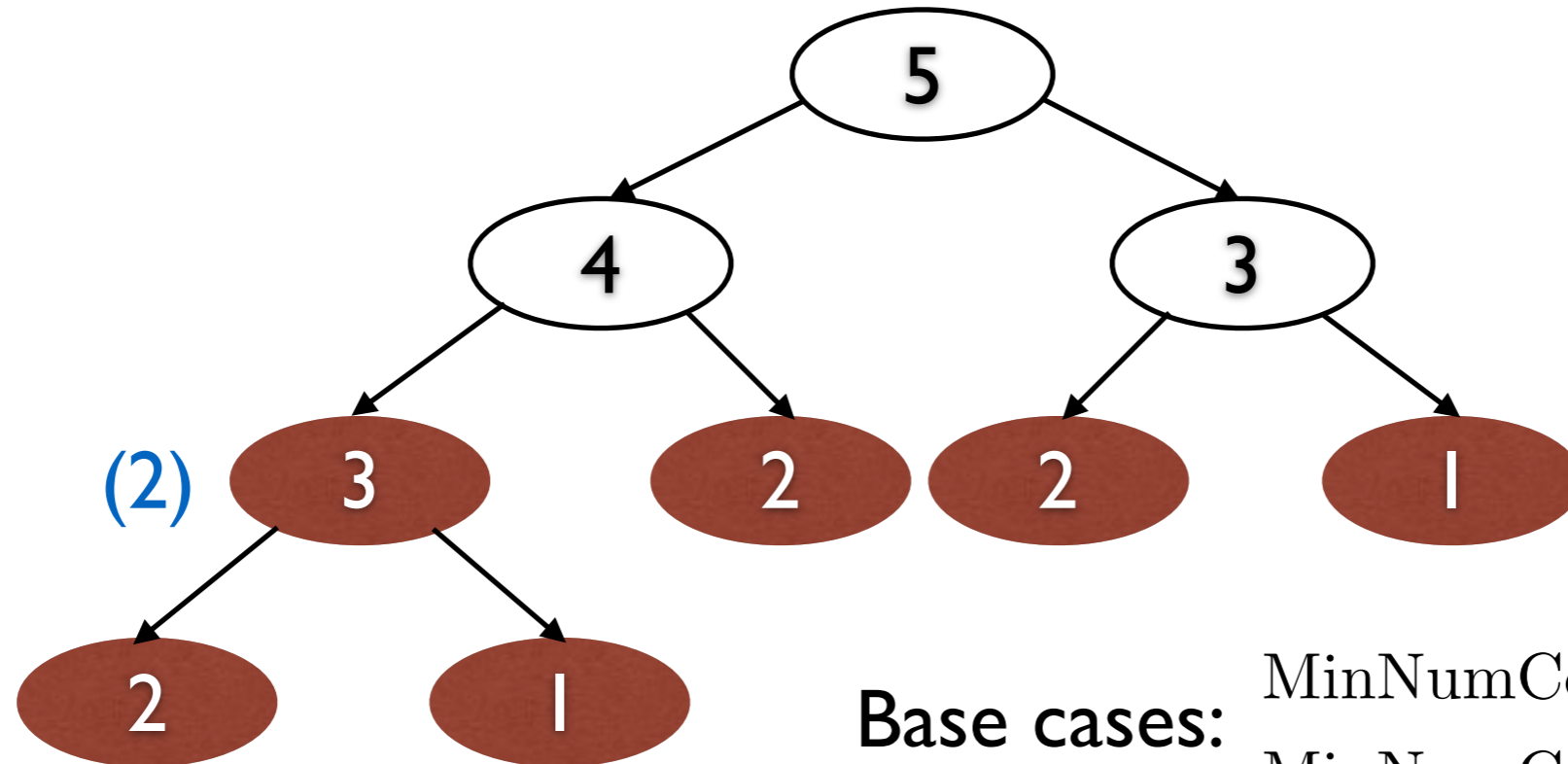
Base cases:  $\text{MinNumCoins}(2) = 1$   
 $\text{MinNumCoins}(1) = 1$



# Recursive Approach

- Example:
  - Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(3) = \min \begin{cases} 1 + 1 \\ 1 + 1 \end{cases} = 2$$



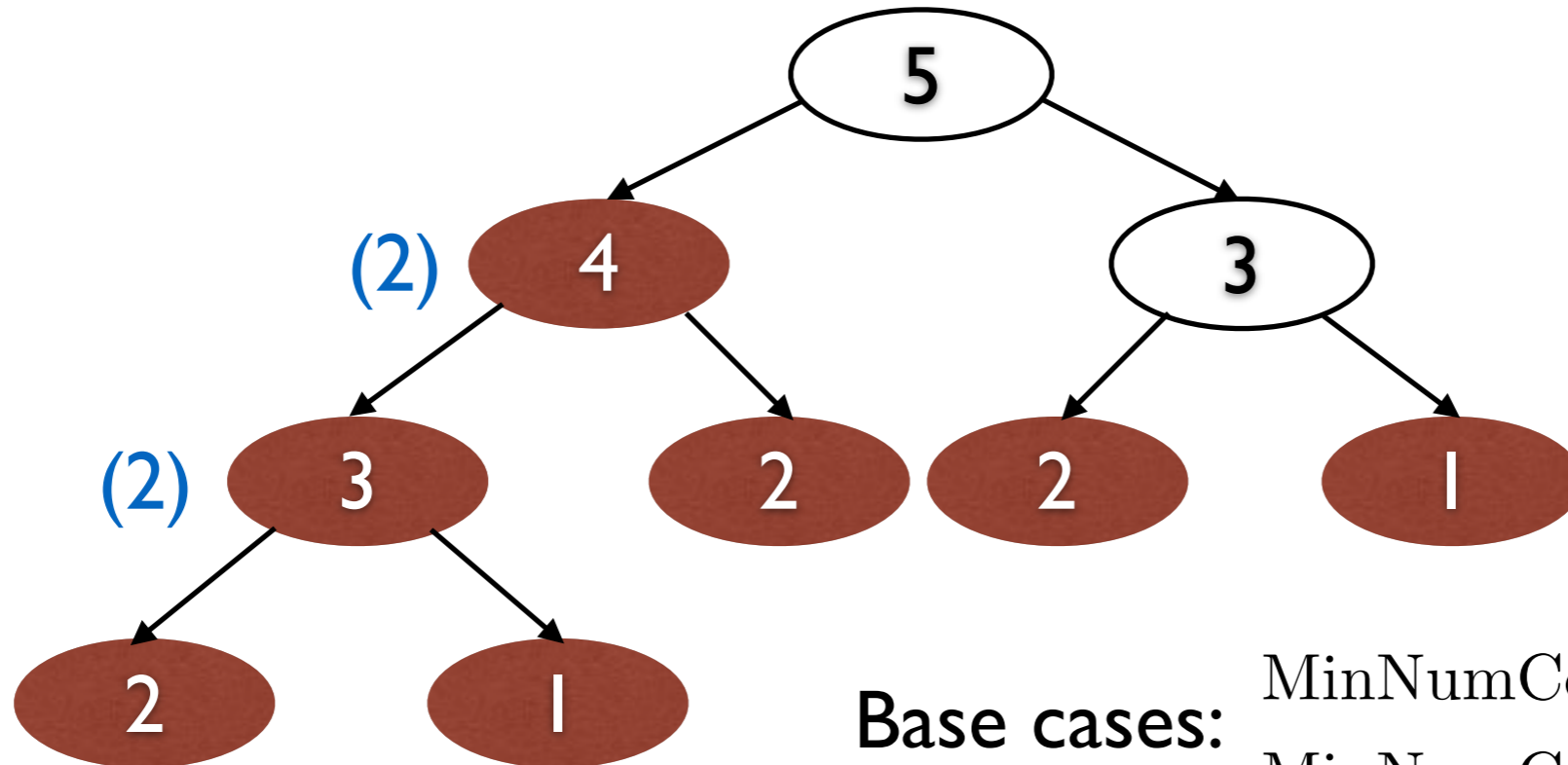
Base cases:  $\text{MinNumCoins}(2) = 1$   
 $\text{MinNumCoins}(1) = 1$



# Recursive Approach

- Example:
  - Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(4) = \min \begin{cases} 1 + 1 \\ 2 + 1 \end{cases} = 2$$



Base cases:  $\text{MinNumCoins}(2) = 1$   
 $\text{MinNumCoins}(1) = 1$

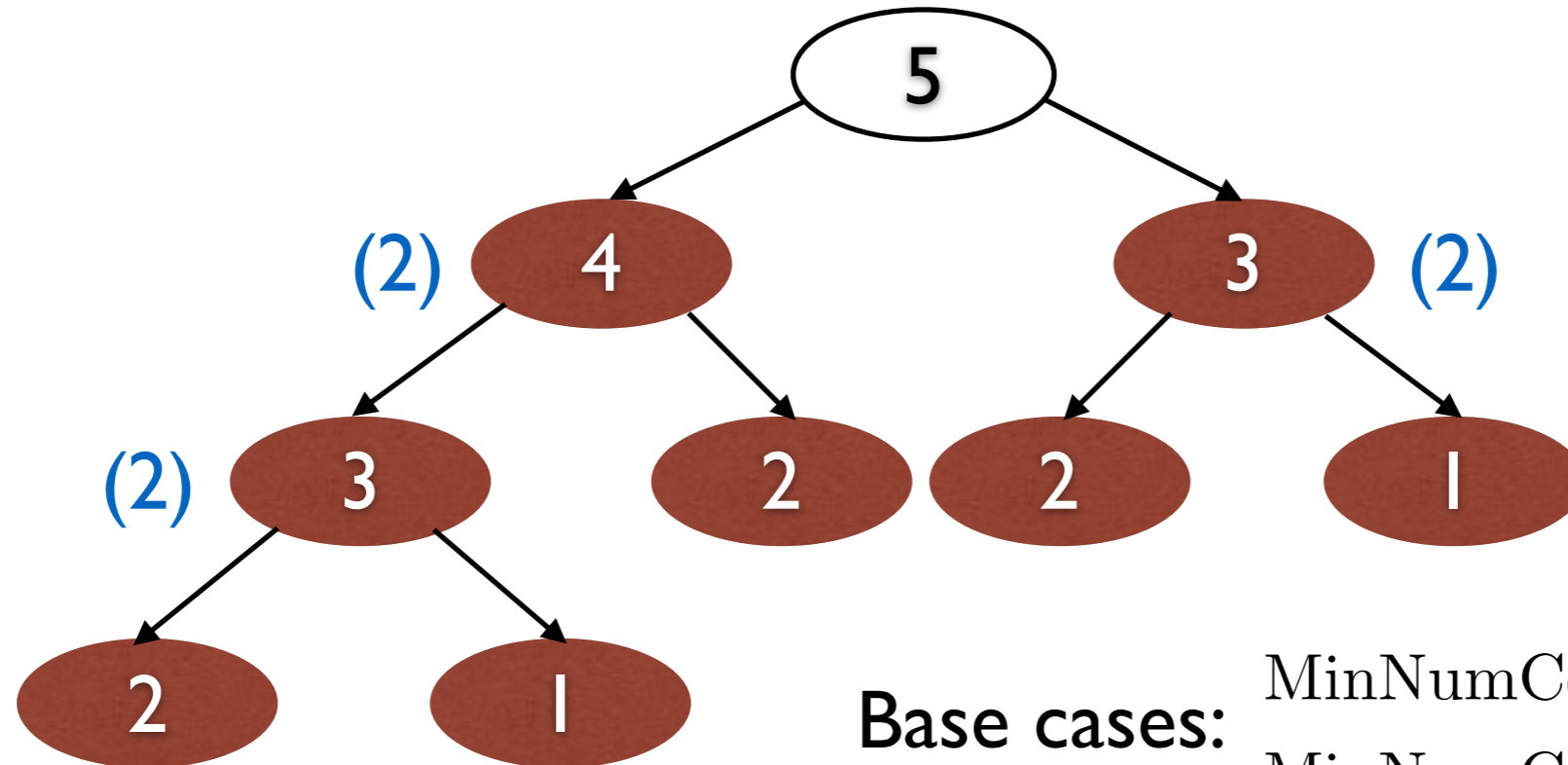


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- Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}

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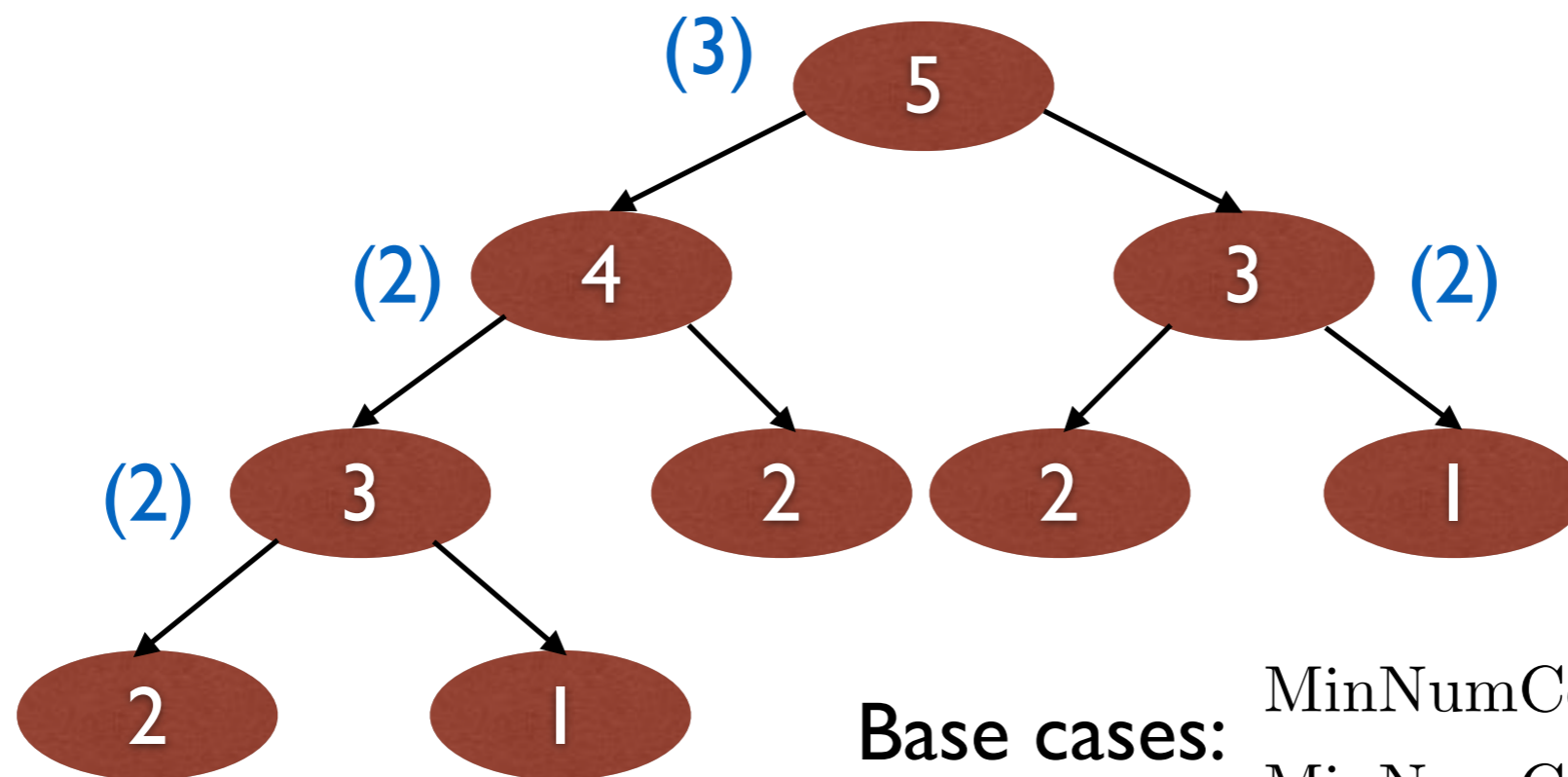
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# Recursive Approach

- Example:
  - Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(5) = \min \begin{cases} 2 + 1 \\ 2 + 1 \end{cases} = 3$$



Base cases:  $\text{MinNumCoins}(2) = 1$   
 $\text{MinNumCoins}(1) = 1$

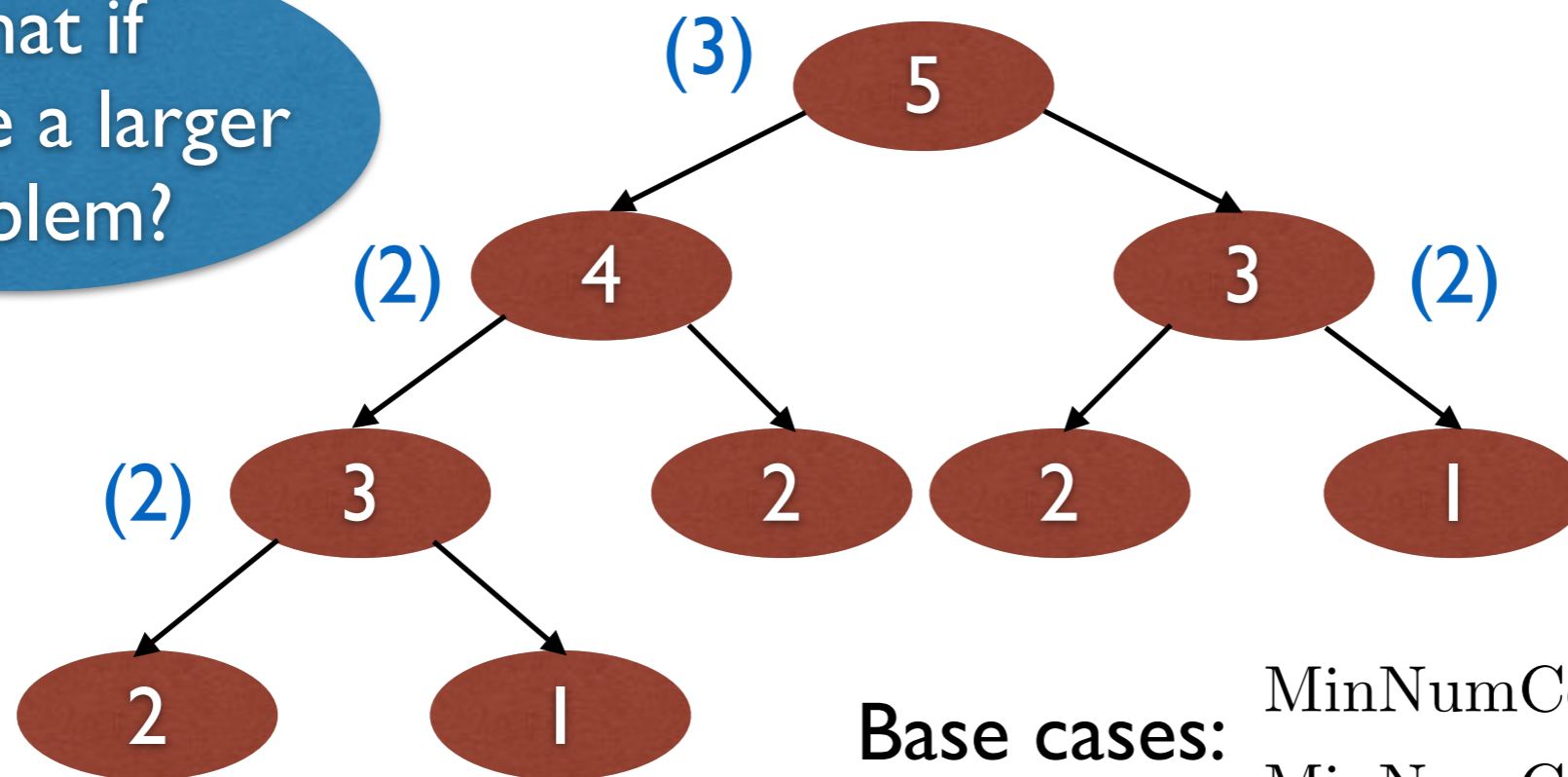




# Recursive Approach

- Example:
  - Making 5 cents change with coin types {1, 2}
  - Output 3, which is the optimal solution

What if we have a larger problem?



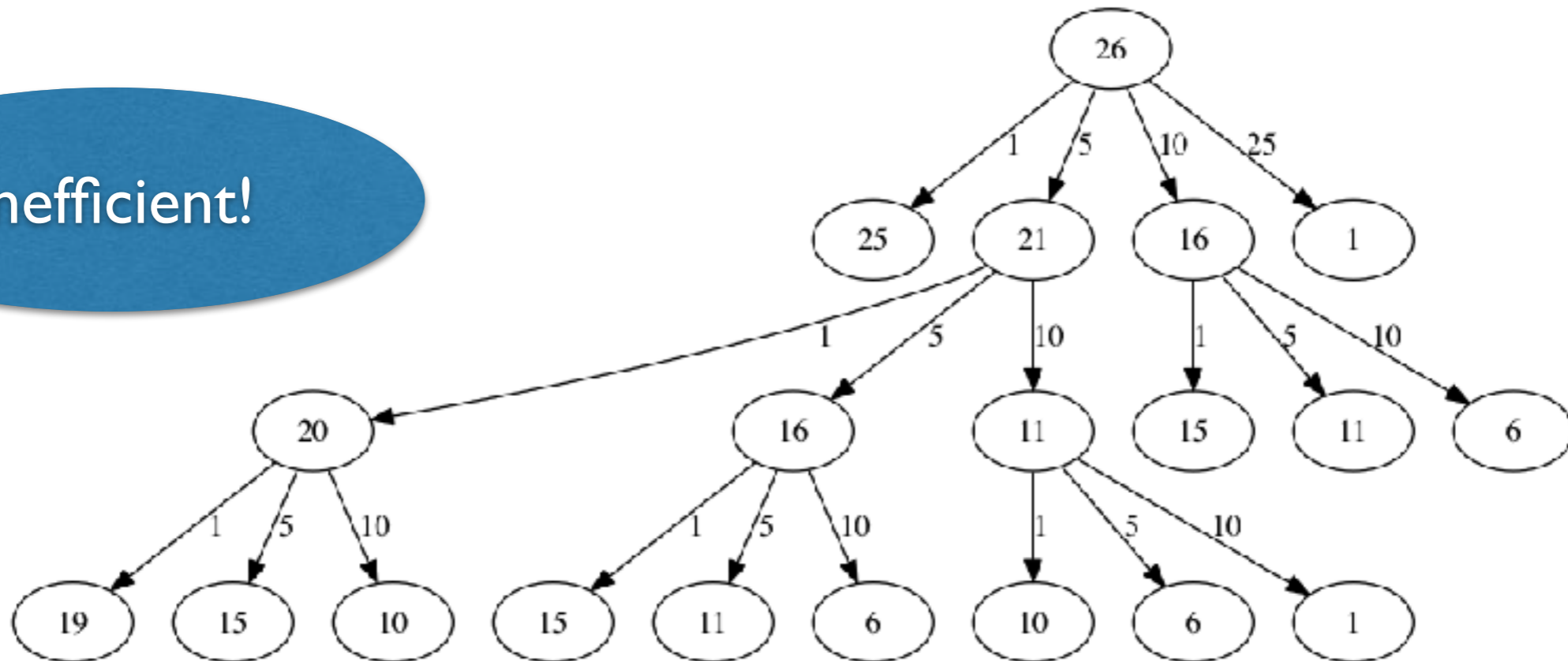
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 $\text{MinNumCoins}(1) = 1$



# Recursive Approach

- Another Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

Inefficient!



- Sub-problems overlap a lot!
  - MinNumCoin(15) is computed at least 3 times!
  - Computing MinNumCoin(15) takes 52 function calls



# Coin Changing Problem

- Two properties of coin changing problem
  - Optimal substructure
    - $$\text{MinNumCoins}(n) = \min \begin{cases} \text{MinNumCoins}(n - d_1) + 1 \\ \dots \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(n - d_k) + 1 \end{cases}$$
  - Overlapping sub-problems
    - Lots of different  $\text{MinNumCoins}(i)$  will use  $\text{MinNumCoins}(j)$
- We should apply dynamic programming (DP) to reuse answers to sub-problems



# Recipe of Applying DP

- Step 1: identify optimal substructure
  - We already have

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(n) = \min \begin{cases} \text{MinNumCoins}(n - d_1) + 1 \\ \dots \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(n - d_k) + 1 \end{cases}$$

- Step 2: devise a table lookup strategy
  - Solve smaller problems before larger ones
  - Look-up answers to smaller problems when solving larger subproblems



# Table Lookup Strategy

- Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
MinNumCoin	0										

...

$$\text{MinNumCoin}(0) = 0$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

- Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
MinNumCoin	0	1									

...

$$\begin{aligned}\text{MinNumCoins}(1) &= \text{MinNumCoins}(1 - 1) + 1 \\ &= \text{MinNumCoins}(0) + 1 \\ &= 1\end{aligned}$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

- Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
MinNumCoin	0	1	2								

...

$$\begin{aligned}\text{MinNumCoins}(2) &= \text{MinNumCoins}(2 - 1) + 1 \\ &= \text{MinNumCoins}(1) + 1 \\ &= 2\end{aligned}$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

- Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
MinNumCoin	0	1	2	3							

...

$$\begin{aligned}\text{MinNumCoins}(3) &= \text{MinNumCoins}(3 - 1) + 1 \\ &= \text{MinNumCoins}(2) + 1 \\ &= 3\end{aligned}$$





# Table Lookup Strategy

- Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
MinNumCoin	0	1	2	3	4						

...

$$\begin{aligned}\text{MinNumCoins}(4) &= \text{MinNumCoins}(4 - 1) + 1 \\ &= \text{MinNumCoins}(3) + 1 \\ &= 4\end{aligned}$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

- Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
MinNumCoin	0	1	2	3	4	1					

...

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(5) = \min \begin{cases} \text{MinNumCoins}(5 - 5) + 1 \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(5 - 1) + 1 \end{cases} = 1$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

- Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
MinNumCoin	0	1	2	3	4	1	2				

...

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(6) = \min \begin{cases} \text{MinNumCoins}(6 - 5) + 1 \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(6 - 1) + 1 \end{cases} = 2$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

- Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
MinNumCoin	0	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5	1

...

$$\text{MinNumCoins}(10) = \min \begin{cases} \text{MinNumCoins}(10 - 10) + 1 \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(10 - 5) + 1 \\ \text{MinNumCoins}(10 - 1) + 1 \end{cases} = 1$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

- Example:
  - Making 26 cents change with coin types {1, 5, 10, 25}

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
MinNumCoin	0	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5	1

$n$	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
MinNumCoin	2	3	4	5	2	3	4	5	6	2	3

$n$	22	23	24	25	26						
MinNumCoin	4	5	6	1	2						

# DP Algorithm

```
int MinNumCoin(int coins[], int num_coin_types, int n){
    int i, j;
    int table[n+1];
    table[0] = 0;
    // In the worst case, we need n coins to change n cents
    for (i=1; i<=n; i++)
        table[i] = i;
    // Compute minimum coins required for all values from 1 to n
    for (i=1; i<=n; i++){
        for (j=0; j<num_coin_types; j++){
            if (coins[j] <= i){
                int sub_res = table[i-coins[j]];
                if (sub_res + 1 < table[i])
                    table[i] = sub_res + 1;
            }
        }
    }
    return table[n];
}
```

Complexity:  
 $O(nk)$



# Longest Common Subsequence

- Input:
  - Two strings:  $X$  and  $Y$
- Output:
  - The longest sequence of characters that appear left-to-right (but not necessarily in a contiguous block) in both  $X$  and  $Y$
- Example:
  - $X = \text{ABCDEF}GH$  and  $Y = \text{ABDF}GHI$
  - Their longest common subsequence (LCS) is  $\text{ABDF}GH$



# Recipe of Applying DP

- Step 1: identify optimal substructure
- Step 2: devise a table lookup strategy





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# Optimal Substructure

- Define prefix  $X_i$  as the first  $i$  consecutive characters in  $X$
- Example:  $X=ACGGT$ ,  $X_4=ACGG$
- Subproblem:
  - Finding LCS of a prefix of  $X$  and a prefix of  $Y$
  - e.g., LCS of  $X_i$  and  $Y_j$



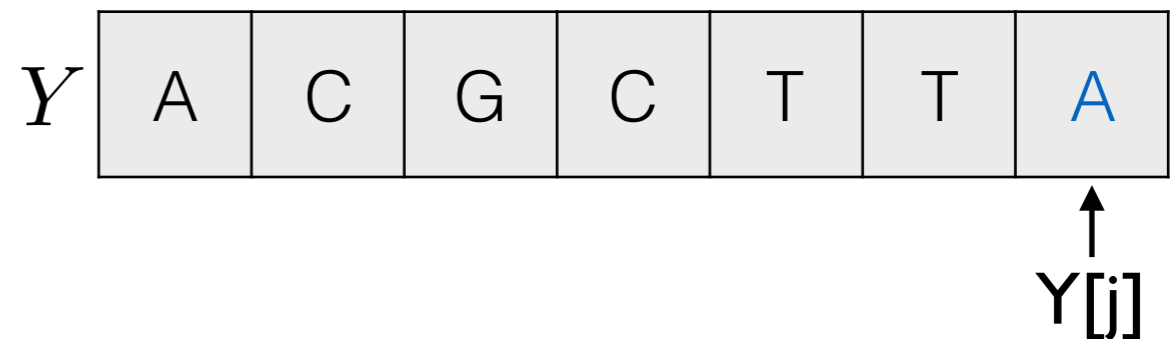
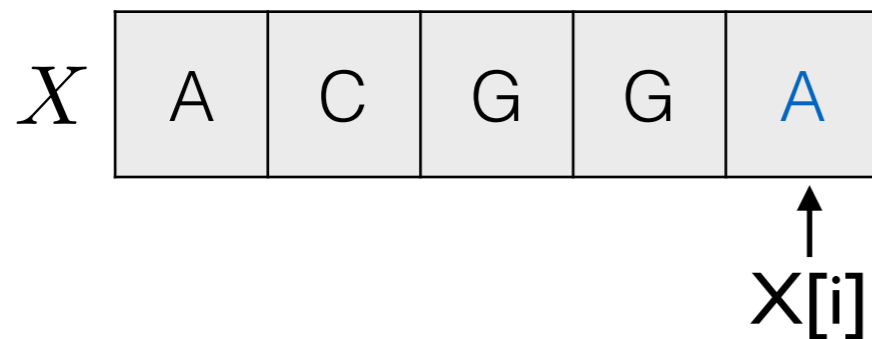
# Optimal Substructure

- For simplicity, let's worry first about finding the length of the LCS
- Then modify the algorithm to produce the LCS
- Problem:
  - Find the length of LCS of  $X$  and  $Y$
- Subproblem:
  - Find the length of LCS of prefixes to  $X$  and  $Y$
  - Let  $C[i,j]=\text{length\_of\_LCS}(X_i, Y_j)$



# Optimal Substructure

- Case 1: If  $X[i]=Y[j]$ , where  $X[i]$  is the  $i$ -th character in  $X$

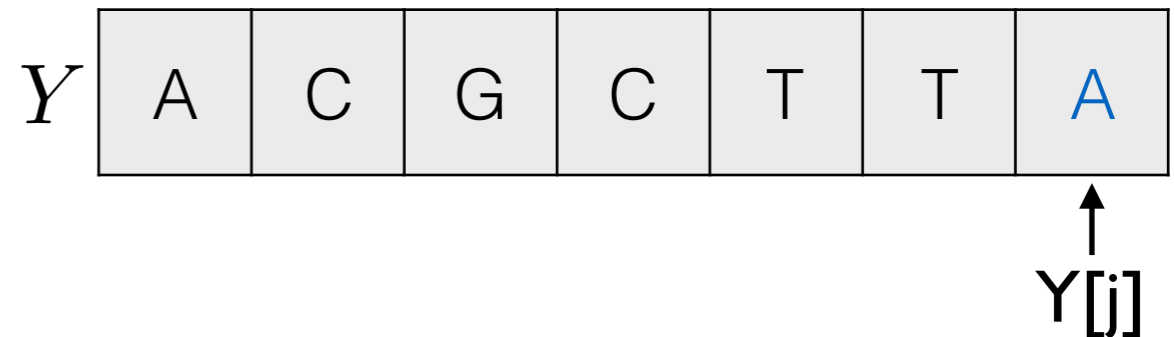
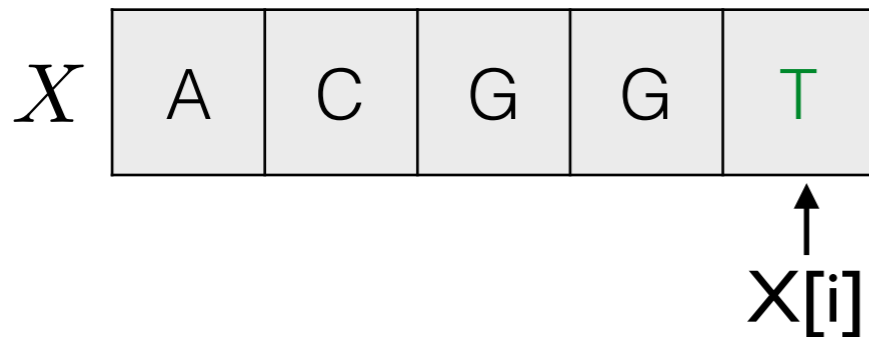


- Then  $C[i,j]=1+C[i-1,j-1]$
- For example:
  - $LCS(X_{i-1},Y_{j-1})=ACG$
  - $LCS(X_i,Y_j)=ACGA = LCS(X_{i-1},Y_{j-1})$  followed by  $A$



# Optimal Substructure

- Case 2: If  $X[i] \neq Y[j]$

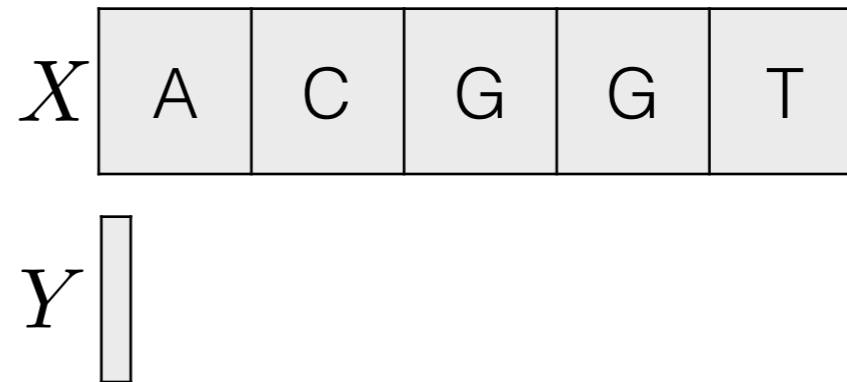


- Then  $C[i,j] = \max\{ C[i-1,j], C[i,j-1] \}$ .
- For example:
  - Either  $\text{LCS}(X_i, Y_j) = \text{LCS}(X_{i-1}, Y_j)$  and **T** is not involved,
  - Or  $\text{LCS}(X_i, Y_j) = \text{LCS}(X_i, Y_{j-1})$  and **A** is not involved



# Optimal Substructure

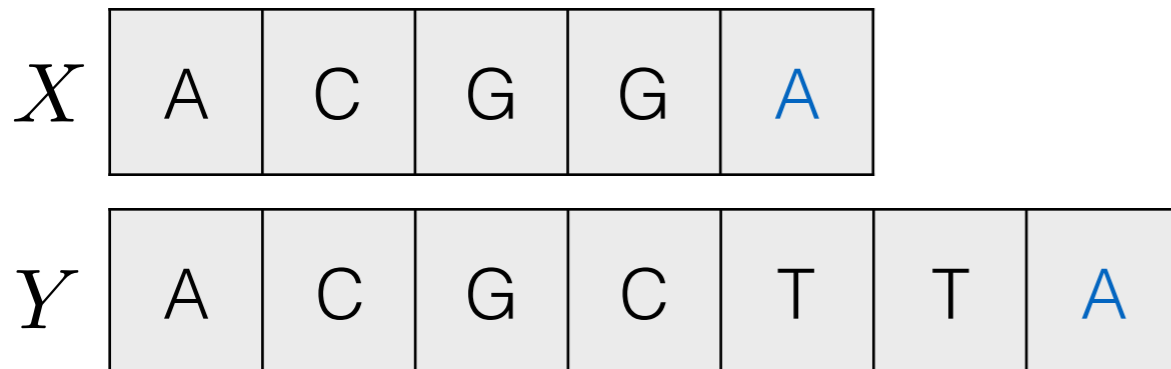
Base case:



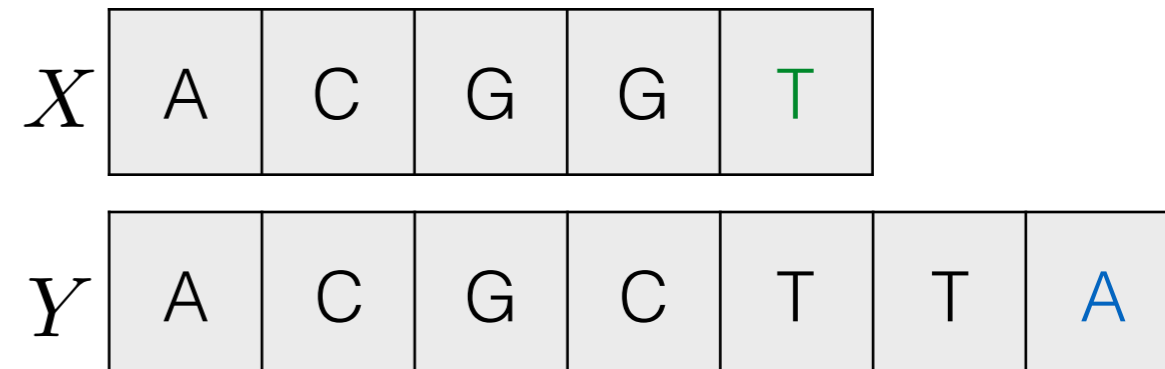
- Recursive Formulation

$$C[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j - 1], C[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$

Case 1:



Case 2:



# Recipe of Applying DP

- Step 1: identify optimal substructure

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- Step 2: devise a table lookup strategy
  - Solve smaller problems before larger ones
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# Table Lookup Strategy

$X$  A C G G A

$Y$  A C T G

$C[i,j]$

0 1 2 3 4

0					
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

$$C[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j - 1], C[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$





# Table Lookup Strategy

$X$  A C G G A

$Y$  A C T G

$C[i,j]$

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0				
2	0				
3	0				
4	0				
5	0				

Base case!

$$C[i,j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i-1, j-1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j-1], C[i-1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

X A C G G A

Y A C T G

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1			
2	0				
3	0				
4	0				
5	0				

$$C[1, 1] = C[0, 0] + 1 = 1$$

$$C[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j - 1], C[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

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C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1		
2	0				
3	0				
4	0				
5	0				

$$C[1, 2] = \max\{C[1, 1], C[0, 2]\} = 1$$

$$C[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j - 1], C[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

X A C G G A

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C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	
2	0				
3	0				
4	0				
5	0				

$$C[1, 3] = \max\{C[1, 2], C[0, 3]\} = 1$$

$$C[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j - 1], C[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

X A C G G A

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C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0				
3	0				
4	0				
5	0				

$$C[1, 3] = \max\{C[1, 3], C[0, 4]\} = 1$$

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# Table Lookup Strategy

X A C G G A

Y A C T G

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1			
3	0				
4	0				
5	0				

$$C[2, 1] = \max\{C[2, 0], C[1, 1]\} = 1$$

$$C[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j - 1], C[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

X A C G G A

Y A C T G

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2		
3	0				
4	0				
5	0				

$$C[2, 2] = C[1, 1] + 1 = 1$$

$$C[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j - 1], C[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$



# Table Lookup Strategy

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Y A C T G

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2	2	
3	0				
4	0				
5	0				

$$C[2, 3] = \max\{C[2, 2], C[1, 3]\} = 2$$

$$C[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j - 1], C[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$





# Table Lookup Strategy

X A C G G A

Y A C T G

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
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1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2	2	2
3	0				
4	0				
5	0				

$$C[2, 4] = \max\{C[2, 3], C[1, 4]\} = 2$$

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Length of LCS of X and Y is 3

$$C[5, 4] = \max\{C[5, 3], C[4, 4]\} = 3$$

$$C[i, j] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i = 0 \text{ or } j = 0 \\ C[i - 1, j - 1] + 1 & \text{if } X[i] = Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \\ \max\{C[i, j - 1], C[i - 1, j]\} & \text{if } X[i] \neq Y[j] \text{ and } i, j > 0 \end{cases}$$



# DP algorithm

```
int lcs(char* X,char* Y){
    int i, j, score[m][n];
    int m = strlen(X), n = strlen(Y);
    for(i=0;i<=m;i++) {
        for(j=0;j<=n;j++){
            if(i==0 || j==0)
                score[i][j]=0;
            else if(X[i] == Y[j] )
                score[i][j] = score[i-1][j-1] + 1;
            else{
                if(score[i][j-1]>score[i-1][j])
                    score[i][j] = score[i][j-1];
                else
                    score[i][j] = score[i-1][j];
            }
        }
    }
    return score[m][n];
}
```

Complexity:  $O(mn)$   
 $m$  is the length of  $X$   
 $n$  is the length of  $Y$



# Longest Common Subsequence

- We have found the length of LCS
- Next step: print out the LCS
- Traverse the table starting from  $L[m][n]$
- For every cell  $C[i][j]$ 
  - If characters (in  $X$  and  $Y$ ) corresponding to  $C[i][j]$  are same
    - Include this character as part of LCS
  - Else
    - Compare values of  $C[i-1][j]$  and  $C[i][j-1]$  and go in direction of greater value.



# Recovering LCS

X A C G G A

Y A C T G

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2	2	2
3	0	1	2	2	3
4	0	1	2	2	3
5	0	1	2	2	3

- $X[5] \neq Y[4]$
- So compare  $C[5,3]$  and  $C[4,4]$
- $C[4,4]$  is greater
- Go to  $C[4,4]$

LCS=""



# Recovering LCS

X A C G G A

Y A C T G

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2	2	2
3	0	1	2	2	3
4	0	1	2	2	3
5	0	1	2	2	3

- X[4]=Y[4]
- Append G to LCS
- Go to X[3,3]

LCS="G"



# Recovering LCS

X A C G G A

Y A C T G

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2	2	2
3	0	1	2	2	3
4	0	1	2	2	3
5	0	1	2	2	3

- $X[3] \neq Y[3]$
- So compare  $C[2,3]$  and  $C[3,2]$
- They are equal, choose either one
- Go to  $C[2,3]$

LCS="G"



# Recovering LCS

X A C G G A

Y A C T G

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
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2	0	1	2	2	2
3	0	1	2	2	3
4	0	1	2	2	3
5	0	1	2	2	3

- $X[2] \neq Y[3]$
- So compare  $C[1,3]$  and  $C[2,2]$
- $C[2,2]$  is greater
- Go to  $C[2,2]$

LCS="G"





# Recovering LCS

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Y A C T G

C[i,j]

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1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2	2	2
3	0	1	2	2	3
4	0	1	2	2	3
5	0	1	2	2	3

- X[2]=Y[2]
- Append C to LCS
- Go to X[1,1]

LCS="CG"



# Recovering LCS

X 

A	C	G	G	A
---	---	---	---	---

Y 

A	C	T	G
---	---	---	---

C[i,j]

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2	2	2
3	0	1	2	2	3
4	0	1	2	2	3
5	0	1	2	2	3

- $X[i]=Y[i]$
- Append **A** to LCS
- Go to  $X[0,0]$

LCS="ACG"



# Recovering LCS

$X$  A C G G A

$Y$  A C T G

$C[i,j]$

	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1
2	0	1	2	2	2
3	0	1	2	2	3
4	0	1	2	2	3
5	0	1	2	2	3

- Reach  $C[0,0]$
- Return LCS

LCS="ACG"



# DP Algorithm

```
// Write this code segment after the table is constructed
int index = score[m][n];
char LCS[index+1];
LCS[index] = '\0';
i = m;
j = n;
while (i > 0 && j > 0)
{
    if (X[i-1] == Y[j-1])
    {
        LCS[index-1] = X[i-1];
        i--; j--; index--;
    }
    else if (score[i-1][j] > score[i][j-1])
        i--;
    else
        j--;
}
printf("LCS: %s\n", LCS );
```



# Longest Common Subsequence

- Building the table:  $O(nm)$
- Recovering the LCS from the table:  $O(n + m)$ 
  - We walk up and left in an  $n$ -by- $m$  array
  - We can only do that for  $n+m$  steps.
- Overall complexity of DP algorithm:  $O(nm)$



# Thank You!

