

# Lecture 2, Computer Algebra 2014

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a=[1,2,3]
b=a
b.append(4)
print a,b
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[1, 2, 3, 4] [1, 2, 3, 4]
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c=a[:]
c.append(5)
print a,c
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[1, 2, 3, 4] [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
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for i in range(0,2):
    print i
a=[1,2]

b=[x*2 for x in a]
print b
#the previous option is easier than:
c=[]
for x in a:
    c.append(2*x)
print c
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0
1
[2, 4]
[2, 4]
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R.<X>=PolynomialRing(ZZ)
f=1+2*X+5*X^2
g=5+3*X+X^2+2*X^3
h=f*g
print h
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10*X^5 + 9*X^4 + 19*X^3 + 32*X^2 + 13*X + 5
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#Faulty implementation: performs (n+m+1)(n+1) sums instead of nm
def M(a,b):
    n=len(a)-1
    m=len(b)-1
    d=[]
    tmp=[]
    c=[0]*(n+m+1)
    print c
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for i in range(0,n+1):
    tmp=[k * a[i] for k in b]
    for k in range(0,i):
        tmp.insert(0,0) #shift i positions
    for k in range(0,n-i):
        tmp.append(0) #to get arrays of length m+n+1 (faulty
implementation)
    d.append(tmp)
    print d
for j in range(0,n+m+1):
    for i in range(0,n+1):
        c[j]=c[j] + d[i][j]
return c

print M([1,2,5],[5,3,1,2])
[0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0]
[[5, 3, 1, 2, 0, 0]]
[[5, 3, 1, 2, 0, 0], [0, 10, 6, 2, 4, 0]]
[[5, 3, 1, 2, 0, 0], [0, 10, 6, 2, 4, 0], [0, 0, 25, 15, 5, 10]
[5, 13, 32, 19, 9, 10]
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S.<T>=PolynomialRing(GF(3))
ff=1+2*T+5*T^2
gg=5+3*T+T^2+2*T^3
hh=ff*gg
print hh
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$T^5 + T^3 + 2T^2 + T + 2$

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ff.gcd(gg)
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