

to be prepared for 17th October

**Exercise 6.** In your favorite computer algebra system (Maple, Mathematica, Derive, ...) find out about possibilities for solving systems of polynomial equations.

1. Consider the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^4 - 3x^2y + y^4 - 2y^3 + y^2 &= 0 \\ 4x^3 - 3xy &= 0 \\ 4y^3 - 3x^2 - 6y^2 + 2 &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Compute all solutions.

2. The same for

$$\begin{aligned} 1 + 8xy + 2y^2 + 8xy^3 + y^4 - 16x^2 &= 0 \\ 8x + 4y + 24xy^2 + 4y^3 &= 0 \\ 8y + 8y^3 - 32x &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

**Exercise 7.** Consider multiplication of (positive) integers in decimal notation. What is the number of operations on individual digits (time complexity) necessary for multiplying two integers of length  $m$  and  $n$  using

1. the classical algorithm?
2. the Karatsuba method ?

**Exercise 8.** The idea of Karatsuba can also be applied to the multiplication of polynomials. Determine the number of multiplications necessary for multiplying the polynomials

$$a_0x^3 + a_1x^2 + a_2x + a_3 \text{ und } b_1x^2 + b_2x + b_3$$

both with the classical and with the Karatsuba method.

**Exercise 9.** Consider the integers  $a = 215712$ ,  $b = 739914$ . Determine the gcd of  $a$  and  $b$  and  $s, t$  such that  $\text{gcd}(a, b) = s * a + t * b$ .

**Exercise 10.** An integral domain is a commutative ring  $D \neq \{0\}$  without zero divisors, that means,  $rs = 0 \Rightarrow r = 0 \vee s = 0$  ( $\forall r, s \in D$ ). Give a proof for the following statement.

1. If  $D$  is an integral domain, then also the polynomial ring  $D[x]$ .
2. Derive from this that - for arbitrary fields  $k$  - the ring  $k[x_1, \dots, x_n]$  is an integral domain.
3. Give similar arguments for the ring  $D[[x]]$  of formal power series.