

Eigenvalues of Fibonacci stochastic adding machine

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Let $N \in \mathbb{N}$

$$N = \sum_{i=0}^k \varepsilon_i(N) 2^i = \varepsilon_k(N) \dots \varepsilon_0(N)$$

where

$\varepsilon_i(N) = 0$ or 1 for all i .

It is known that there exists an algorithm that computes the digits of $N + 1$.

Ex:

$$1011 + 1 = 1100$$

${}^01^10^111$

1

1100

This algorithm can be described by the following manner:

$$c_{-1}(N + 1) = 1,$$

$$\varepsilon_i(N + 1) = \varepsilon_i(N) + c_{i-1}(N + 1) \bmod(2)$$

$$c_i(N + 1) = \left[\frac{\varepsilon_i(N) + c_{i-1}(N + 1)}{2} \right].$$

What happens if the machine does not work.

P.R. Killeen and T.J. Taylor [KT] consider fallible adding machine by the following:

They consider the algorithm:

$$\varepsilon_i(N + 1) = \varepsilon_i(N) + e_i(N)c_{i-1}(N + 1) \bmod(2)$$

$$c_i(N + 1) = \left\lceil \frac{\varepsilon_i(N) + e_i(N)c_{i-1}(N + 1)}{2} \right\rceil,$$

where

$$e_i(N) = 1 \text{ with probability } p$$

$$e_i(N) = 0 \text{ with probability } 1 - p$$

is an independent, identically distributed family of random variables.

Hence the transition graph is:

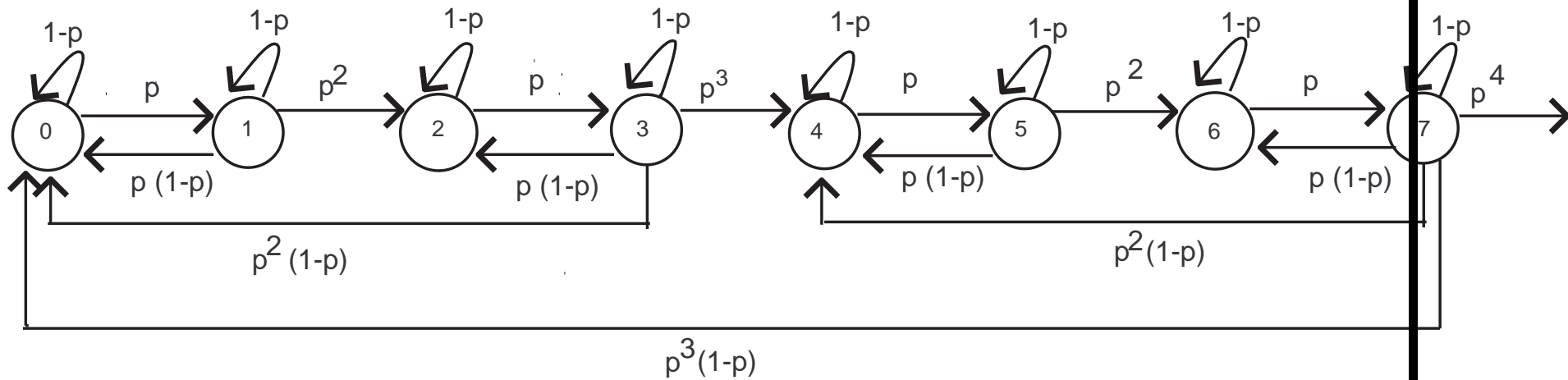


Figure 1: Transition graph of adding machine in base 2

The transition operator P associated to the transition graph is:

$$P =$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccccccccc}
 1-p & p & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\
 p(1-p) & 1-p & p^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\
 0 & 0 & 1-p & p & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\
 p^2(1-p) & 0 & p(1-p) & 1-p & p^3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-p & p & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & p(1-p) & 1-p & p^2 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-p & p & 0 & \dots \\
 p^3(1-p) & 0 & 0 & 0 & p^2(1-p) & 0 & p(1-p) & 1-p & \dots & \dots \\
 \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots
 \end{array} \right)$$

In [KT], P.R. Killen and J. Taylor study the spectrum of the operator P . They prove that the spectrum of P in $l^\infty(\mathbb{N})$ is connected to the Julia set of f where $f : \mathbb{C} \mapsto \mathbb{C}$ defined by: $f(z) = (z - (1 - p))^2/p^2$. In particular the set of eigenvalues E satisfies

$$E = \{z \in \mathbb{C}, f^n(z) \text{ bounded} \}$$

1 Fibonacci base

$$F_0 = 1, F_1 = 2, F_n = F_{n-1} + F_{n-2} \forall n \geq 0.$$

$$N = \sum_{i=0}^k \varepsilon_i(N) F_i = \varepsilon_k(N) \dots \varepsilon_0(N)$$

where

$$\varepsilon_i = 0, 1, \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_{i+1} \neq 11, \forall 0 \leq i \leq k(N) - 1$$

$$1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 34, 55, \dots$$

$$51 = 34 + 13 + 3 + 1 = F_7 + F_5 + F_2 + F_0 = 10100101$$

It is known (see Frougny) that the addition of 1 in base $(F_n)_{n \geq 0}$ is given by a finite transductor.

How to construct this transductor

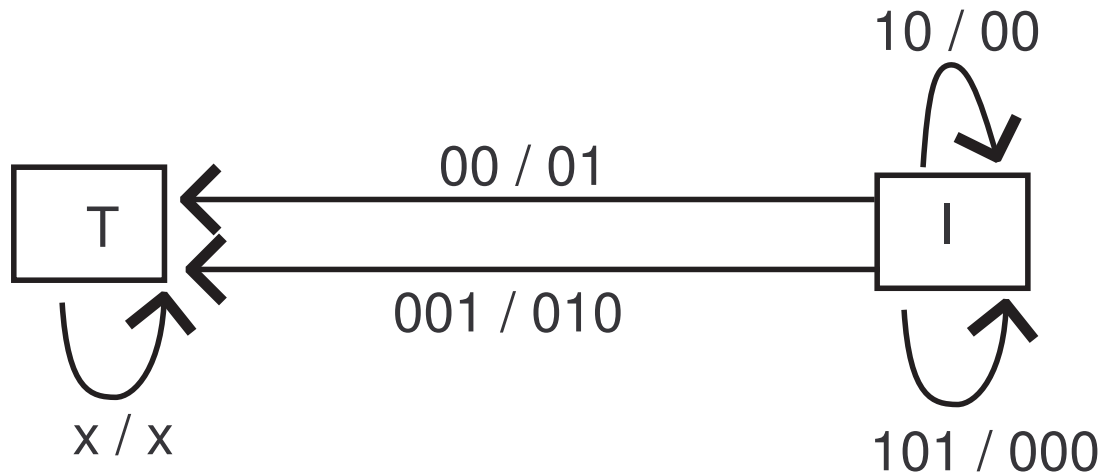


Figure 2: Transducer of Fibonacci adding machine

Ex:

$$N = 10010$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10010 \\ 1 \\ \hline 10011 = 10100 \end{array}$$

If $N = 10010$ then

$$N = (I, 10/00, I) (I, 00/01, T) (T, 1, T).$$

Hence

$$N + 1 = 10100.$$

Now we define the stochastic adding machine by the following manner

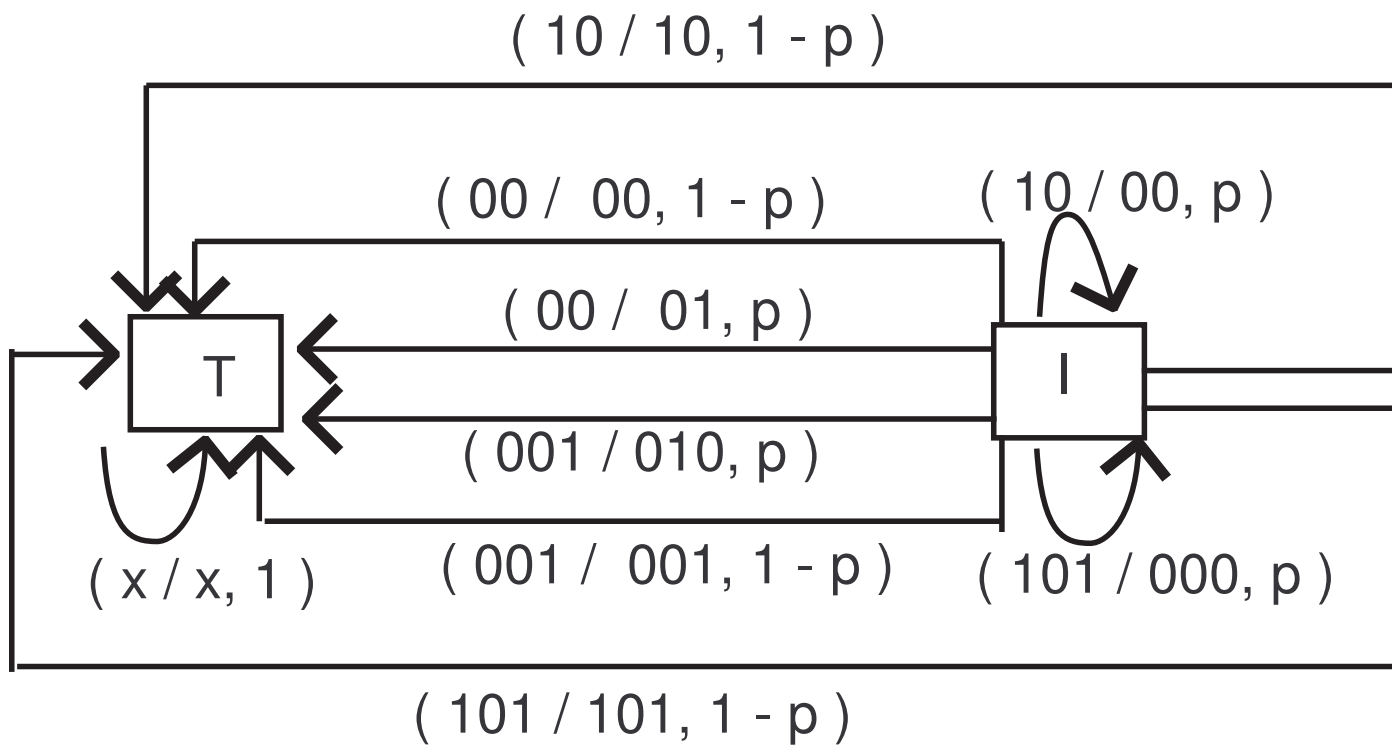


Figure 3: Transducer of Fibonacci fallible adding machine

If we have a path $(p_0, (a_0/b_0, t_0), p_1) \dots (p_n, (a_n/b_n, t_n), p_{n+1})$ where $p_0 = I$ and $p_{n+1} = T$, then we say that the number $a_n \dots a_0$ transitions to the number $b_n \dots b_0$ and we can remark that the probability of transition is $t_0 t_1 \dots t_n$.

Example: 10101 transitions to 100000 with probability p^3 and 10101 transitions to 10000 with probability $p(1 - p)$.

The transition graph:

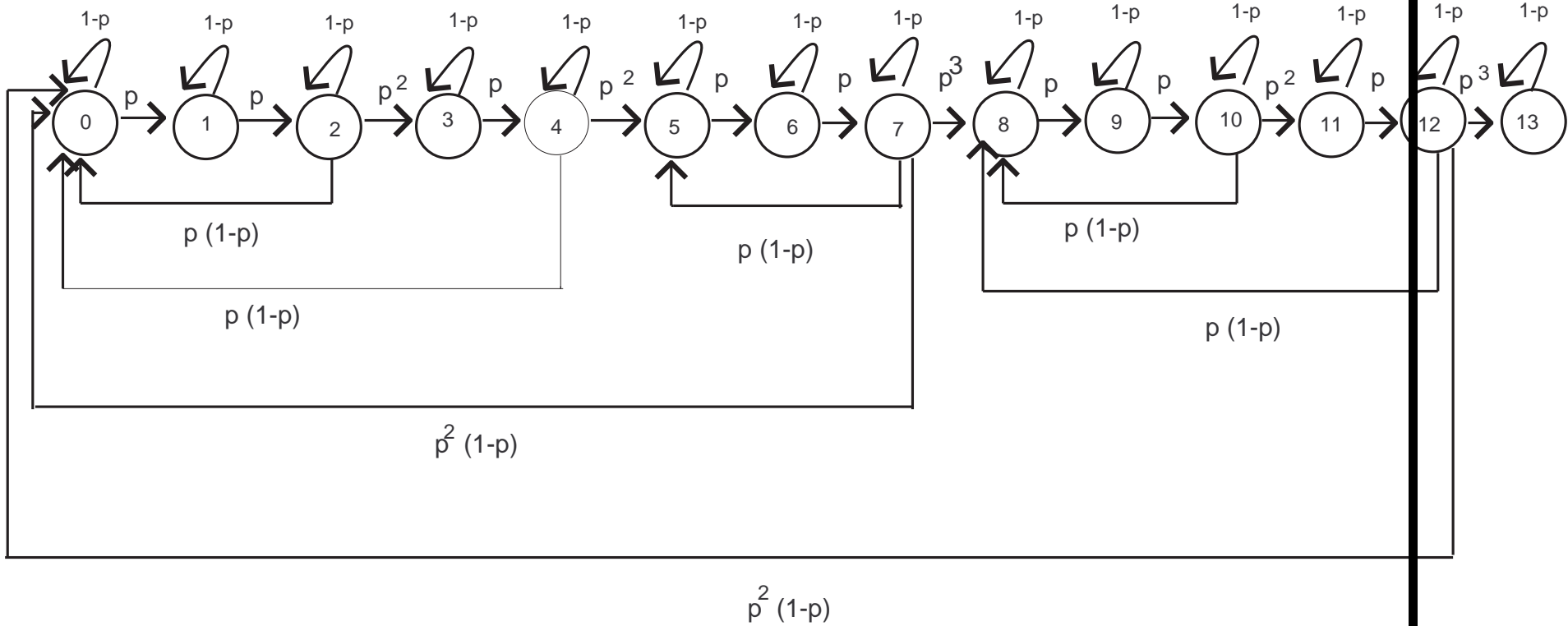


Figure 4: Transition graph of Fibonacci fallible adding machine

The transition operator P is:

$$P = \begin{pmatrix}
1-p & p & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 1-p & p & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
p(1-p) & 0 & 1-p & p^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 1-p & p & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
p(1-p) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-p & p^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-p & p & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-p & p & 0 & 0 \\
p^2(1-p) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & p(1-p) & 0 & 1-p & p^3 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1-p \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & p(1-p) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots
\end{pmatrix}$$

Remark 1.1 *The diagonal region of the transition matrix is formed*

by two blocs A and B where $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1-p & p & 0 \\ 0 & 1-p & p \\ p(1-p) & 0 & 1-p \end{pmatrix}$ and

$B = \begin{pmatrix} 1-p & p \\ 0 & 1-p \end{pmatrix}$. We can prove that the sequence of occurrences of A and B is given by the fixed point of Fibonacci substitution.

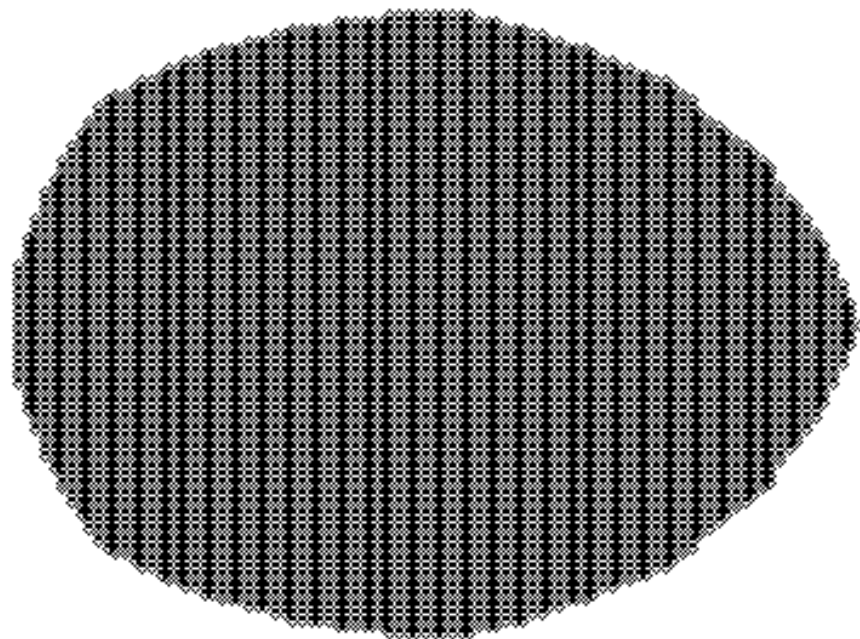


Figure 5: $1/p = 1.1$

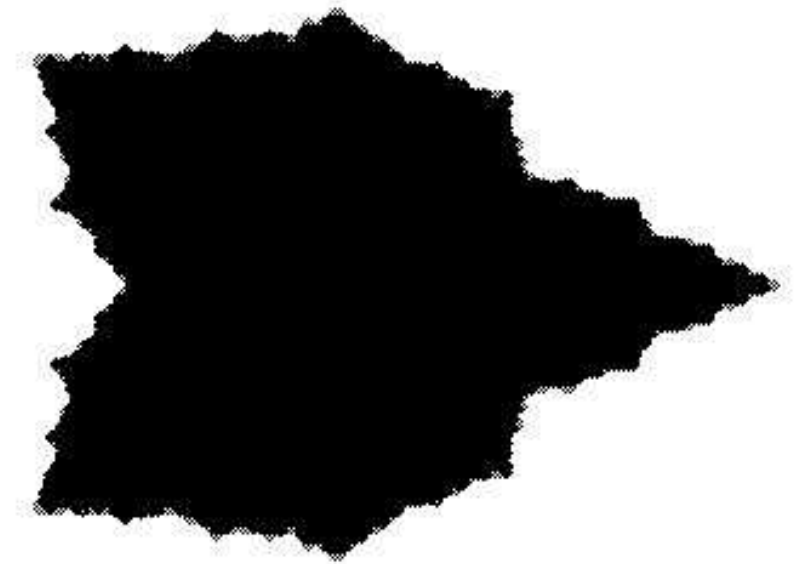


Figure 6: $1/p = 1.5$

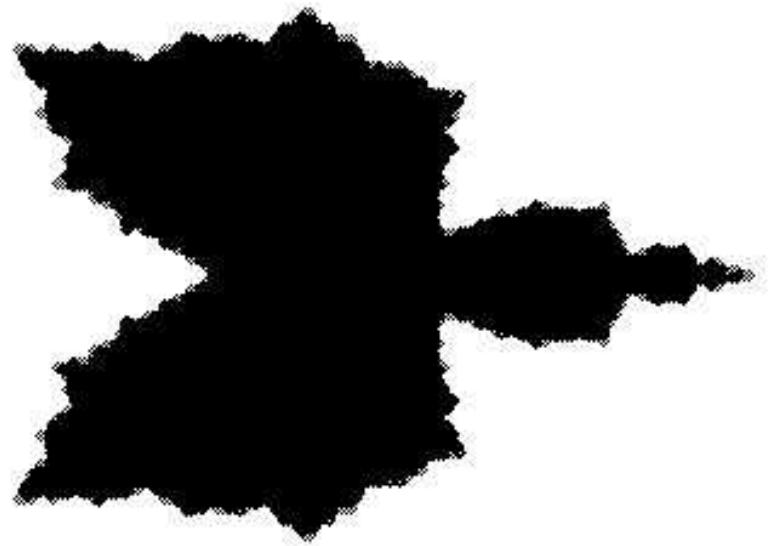


Figure 7: $1/p = 1.6$

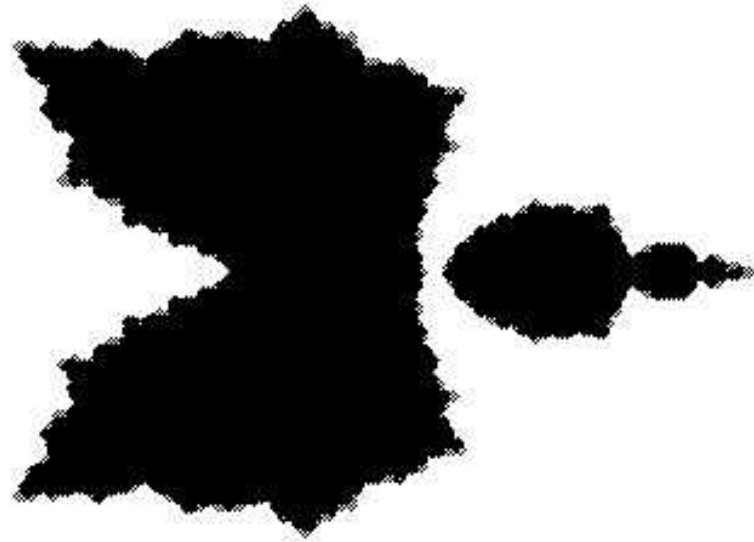


Figure 8: $1/p = 1.61$

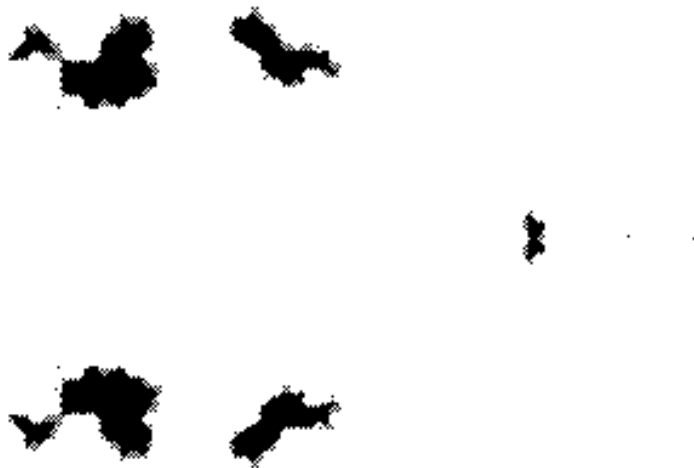


Figure 9: $1/p = 1.8$

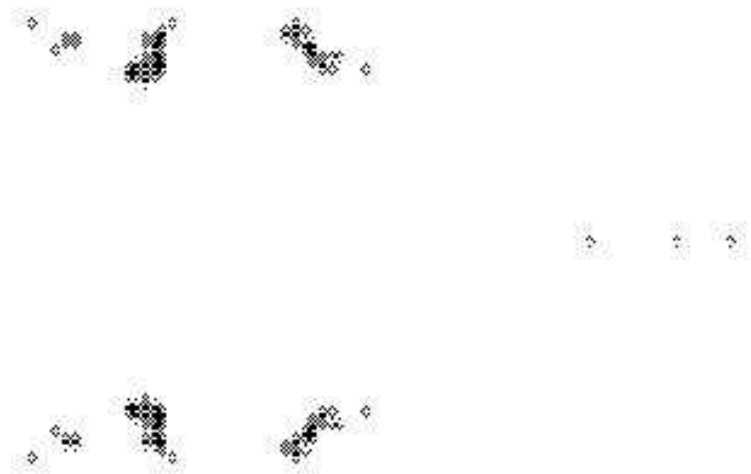


Figure 10: $1/p = 1.9$

Theorem 1 Let $f : \mathbb{C}^2 \mapsto \mathbb{C}^2$ be the function defined by:

$f(x, y) = (\frac{1}{p^2}(x - 1 + p)(y - 1 + p), x)$. Then the point spectrum of P , $S(P)$ in $l^\infty(\mathbb{N})$ is contained in the set $\mathcal{E}_p = \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C} \mid (\lambda_1, \lambda) \in J_f\}$

where J_f is the filled Julia set of f and $\lambda_1 = 1 - p + \frac{(1-\lambda-p)^2}{p}$.

Moreover

The set \mathcal{E}_p satisfies the following topological properties.

1. $\mathbb{C} \setminus \mathcal{E}_p$ is a connected set.
2. If $0 < p < 1/\beta$ where $\beta = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$, then \mathcal{E}_p is a disconnected set .
3. When p converges to 1 then \mathcal{E}_p is a connected set .

Conjecture $S(P) = \mathcal{E}_p$

Idea of Proof.

Let λ be an eigenvalue of P associated to the eigenvector $v = (v_i)_{i \geq 0}$. Since $P_{i,i+k} = 0$ for all $k \geq 2$ and i , we can prove by induction on k that

$$v_k = q_k(a, \lambda)v_0, \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N} \tag{1}$$

where $a = 1/p$ and $q_k(a, \lambda) \in \mathbb{C}$. We can also prove that for all integer $n \geq 2$,

$$q_{F_n} = aq_{F_{n-1}}q_{F_{n-2}} - (a - 1), \quad \forall n \geq 2.$$

where

$$q_{F_0} = q_1 = -\frac{1 - \lambda - p}{p}$$

and

$$q_{F_1} = q_2 = \frac{(1 - \lambda - p)^2}{p^2}.$$

Let

$$g(x, y) = (axy - (a - 1), x).$$

We have

$$(q_{F_k}, q_{F_{k-1}}) = g(q_{F_{k-1}}, q_{F_{k-2}}) = \cdots = g^{k-1}(q_{F_1}, q_{F_0}). \quad (2)$$

We have $\lambda \in S(P) \Leftrightarrow v_n \text{ bounded} \Leftrightarrow q_n \text{ bounded} \Rightarrow q_{F_n} \text{ bounded} \Rightarrow (q_{F_n}, q_{F_{n-1}}) \text{ bounded}$.

Since

$$(q_{F_n}, q_{F_{n-1}}) = g^{n-1}(q_{F_1}, q_{F_0}) = h^{-1} f^{n-1} h(q_{F_1}, q_{F_0}) = h^{-1} f^{n-1}(\lambda_1, \lambda)$$

Where h is the \mathbb{C}^2 map defined by:

$$h(x, y) = (ax - (a - 1), ay - (a - 1)).$$

It follows

$$S(P) \subset \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}, f^n(\lambda_1, \lambda) \text{ bounded}\} = J(f).$$

□

To give the exact value of $S(P)$, we need the following lemma.

Lemma 1 for all $0 < k < F_{n-1}$, we have $q_{F_n+k} = q_{F_n} q_k$. In particular for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$ with $n = F_{n_1} + \cdots + F_{n_k}$ (Fibonacci representation), we have $q_n = q_{F_{n_1}} \cdots q_{F_{n_k}}$.

□

Remark 1.2 We have

$S(P) = \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}, q_n(\lambda) \text{ is bounded for all } n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ and
 $\mathcal{E}_p = \{\lambda \in \mathbb{C}, q_{F_n}(\lambda) \text{ is bounded for all } n \in \mathbb{N}\}$.

By doing many computations, we conjecture that $S(P) = \mathcal{E}_p$.

1.1 Properties of \mathcal{E}_p

Let $(f_n)_{n \geq 0}$ be the function sequence defined by:

$$f_0(z) = z, f_1(z) = z^2, f_n(z) = a f_{n-1}(z) f_{n-2}(z) - (a - 1), \forall n \geq 2,$$

Let

$$\mathcal{K} = \mathcal{K}_p = \{z \in \mathbb{C}, f_n(z) \text{ is bounded}\} = \{z \in \mathbb{C}, g^n(z^2, z) \text{ bounded}\}.$$

It is easy to see that

$$\mathcal{E}_p = \psi(\mathcal{K})$$

where

$$\psi(z) = pz + 1 - p,$$

for all $z \in \mathbb{C}$.

Then we will study properties of \mathcal{K}

Proposition 1 *There exists a real number $R > 1$ such that if that $|f_k(z)| > R$ for some integer k , then the sequence $(f_n(z))_{n \geq 0}$ is unbounded.*

With this, we obtain that

$$\mathcal{K} = \bigcap_{n=0}^{+\infty} \overline{f_n^{-1}D(0, R)} \text{ where } \overline{D(0, R)}$$

Working more, we can prove that for all n

$$f_{n+1}^{-1}\overline{D(0, R)} \subset f_n^{-1}\overline{D(0, R)}$$

□

$\mathbb{C} \setminus \mathcal{K}$ is a connected set.

Since

$$\mathcal{K} = \bigcap_{n=0}^{+\infty} \overline{f_n^{-1}D(0, R)}$$

, then

$$\mathbb{C} \setminus \mathcal{K} = \bigcup_{n=0}^{+\infty} \mathbb{C} \setminus \overline{f_n^{-1}D(0, R)}.$$

We have for all n , $f_n^{-1}\overline{D(0, R)}$ is a connected set. Since for every n , $\mathbb{C} \setminus f_n^{-1}\overline{D(0, R)} \subset \mathbb{C} \setminus f_{n+1}^{-1}\overline{D(0, R)}$, we deduce that $\mathbb{C} \setminus \mathcal{K}$ is a connected set.

□

\mathcal{K} is disconnected if $p > 1/\beta$

Remark 1.3 This work extends to all Parry sequences $(F_n)_{n \geq 0}$ given by the relation

$$F_{n+d} = a_1 F_{n+d-1} + \cdots + a_d F_n \quad \forall n \geq 0,$$

and with initial conditions (Parry conditions)

$$F_0 = 1, \quad F_n = a_1 F_{n-1} + \cdots + a_n F_0 + 1 \quad \forall 0 \leq n < d,$$

where $a_i, 1 \leq i \leq d$ are non-negative integers which satisfy the

relations

$$a_j a_{j+1} \dots a_d \leq_{lex} a_1 a_2 \dots a_{d-j+1} \text{ for } 2 \leq j \leq d.$$

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