

$C_n = \# \text{ Klammerungen } a_1 \cdots a_n$

$$C_0 = 0$$

$$C_1 = 1$$

$$C_2 = 1: \quad \underline{ab}$$

$$C_3 = 2: \quad a\underline{bc}: \quad \underline{abc}$$

$$C_4 = 5: \quad a\overbrace{bcd}^{\text{Klammerung}}: \quad a\overbrace{bcd}^{\text{Klammerung}}: \quad \overbrace{ab}^{\text{Klammerung}}\overbrace{cd}^{\text{Klammerung}}: \quad \overbrace{abc}^{\text{Klammerung}}d: \quad \overbrace{abd}^{\text{Klammerung}}$$

$$C_4 = C_1 C_3 + C_2 C_2 + C_3 C_1$$

quadratic Recursion

$$\begin{aligned} n \geq 2: \quad C_n &= C_1 C_{n-1} + C_2 C_{n-2} + \cdots + C_{n-2} C_2 + C_{n-1} C_1 \\ &= \sum_{1 \leq m \leq n-1} C_m C_{n-m} = \sum_m^{0|n} C_m C_{n-m} = \sum_{i+j=n} C_i C_j \end{aligned}$$

$$1 \leq m \leq n-1: \quad a_1 \cdots a_n = \overbrace{a_1 \cdots a_m}^{C_m \text{ Klammern}} \overbrace{a_{m+1} \cdots a_n}^{C_{n-m} \text{ Klammern}}$$

$$C(x) = \sum_{n \geq 0} C_n x^n = x + \sum_{n \geq 2} C_n x^n$$

$$C^2(x) - C(x) + x = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} C^2(x) &= C(x) C(x) = \sum_{i \geq 0} C_i x^i \sum_{j \geq 0} C_j x^j = \sum_{n \geq 0} x^n \sum_{i+j=n} C_i C_j \\ &= \sum_{n \geq 2} x^n \sum_{i+j=n} C_i C_j = \sum_{n \geq 2} x^n C_n = C(x) - x \end{aligned}$$

$$C(x) = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - 4x}}{2}$$

$$C(x) = \frac{1}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} - x} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1 - 4x}}{2}$$

$$C(0) = C_0 = 0 \Rightarrow -\text{ sign}$$

$$C_n = \frac{1}{n} \begin{bmatrix} 2n-2 \\ n-1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} (-1)^{n-1} 4^n {}_n(1/2) &= \frac{1}{2} (-1)^{n-1} 4^n \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2} - 1\right) \left(\frac{1}{2} - 2\right) \cdots \left(\frac{1}{2} - n + 1\right) \\ &= 4^{n-1} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \left(2 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \cdots \left(n - \frac{3}{2}\right) = 4^{n-1} \frac{1}{2} \frac{3}{2} \cdots \frac{2n-3}{2} = 2^{n-1} 1 \cdot 3 \cdots (2n-3) = \\ &= \frac{2 \cdot 4 \cdot (2n-2)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdots (n-1)} 1 \cdot 3 \cdots (2n-3) = \frac{(2n-2)!}{(n-1)!} \\ \text{binomial series } 2C(x) &= 1 - \sqrt{1 - 4x} = 1 - (1 - 4x)^{1/2} = 1 - \sum_{n \geq 0} \frac{n(1/2)}{n!} (-4x)^n \\ &= - \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{n(1/2)}{n!} (-1)^n 4^n x^n = \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{n(1/2)}{n!} (-1)^{n-1} 4^n x^n \\ \Rightarrow C_n &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{n(1/2)}{n!} (-1)^{n-1} 4^n = \frac{(2n-2)!}{n! (n-1)!} = \frac{1}{n} \frac{(2n-2)!}{(n-1)! (n-1)!} = \text{ RHS} \end{aligned}$$