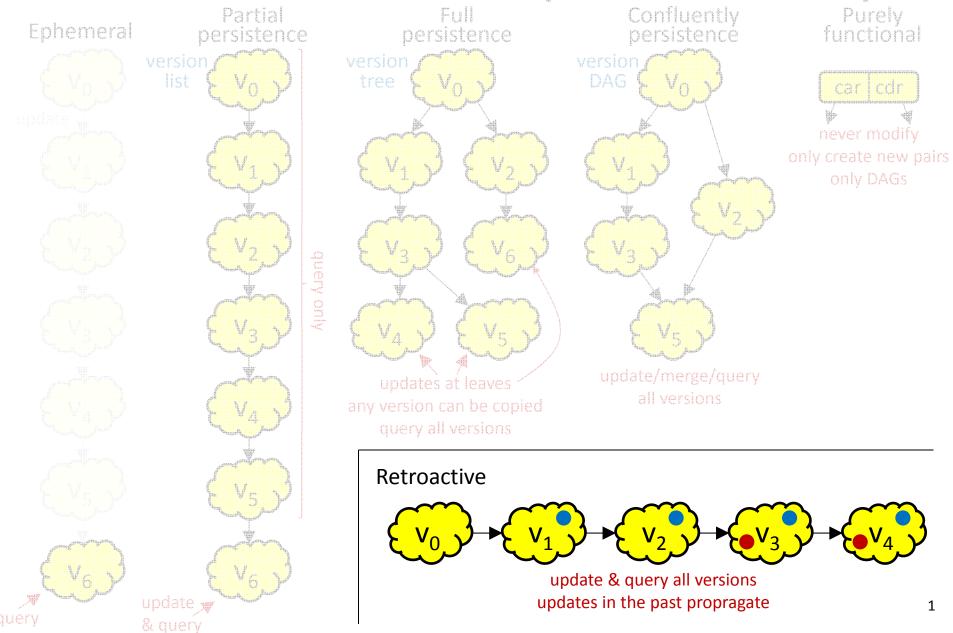
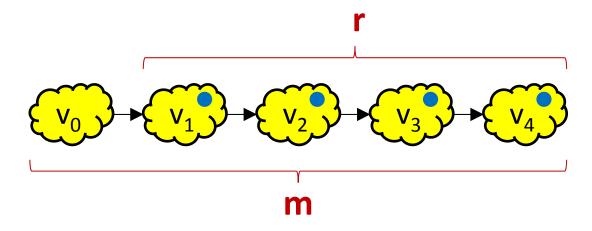
Persistent Data Structures (Version Control)



Retroactive Data Structures

[E.D. Demaine, J. Iacono, S. Langerman, Retroactive Data Structures, Proc. 15th Annual ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms, 274-283, 2004]



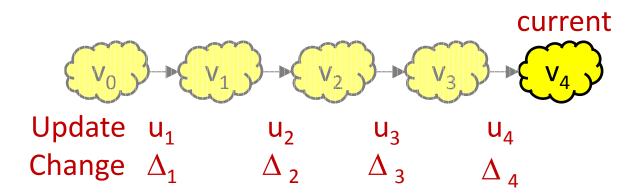
- Total number of updates/versions
- Distance from current time
- Maximal data structure size at any time

Full retroactive

Partial retroactive Update all versions & query current Update & query all versions

Rollback → **Full Retroactivity**

Theorem 3.1. Given any data structure that performs a collection of operations each in worst case T(n) time, there is a corresponding retroactive data structure that supports the same operations in O(T(n)) time, and supports retroactive versions of those operations in O(rT(n)) time.



Lower bounds for Retroactivity

Theorem 3.2. There exists a data structure in the straight-line-program model, supporting O(1) time update operations, but the (partially) retroactive insertions of those operations require $\Omega(r)$ time, worst case or amortized.

$$a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots + a_n x^n$$

(requires $\Omega(n)$ multiplications given x by Motzkin's theorem)

THEOREM 3.3. In the cell-probe model, there exists a data structure supporting partially retroactive updates in O(1) time, but fully retroactive queries of the past require $\Omega(\log n / \frac{\log \log n}{\log n})^*$ time.

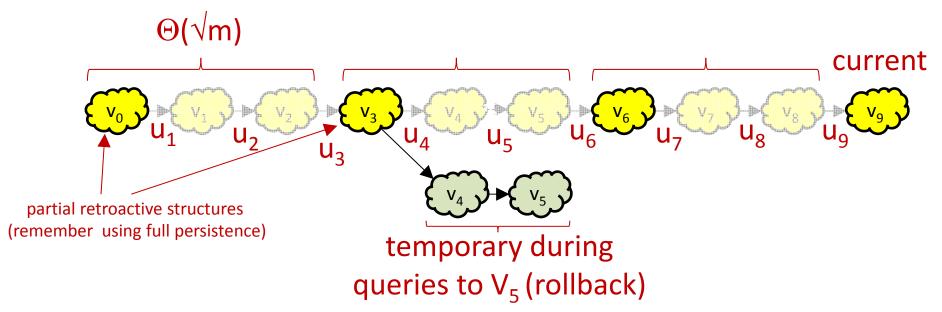
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_0 & x_1 & x_2 & \cdots & x_i & \cdots & x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

(prefix sum queries require $\Omega(\log n)$)

^{* [}M. Patrascu, E.D. Demaine, Logarithmic Lower Bounds in the Cell-Probe Model, SIAM J. of Computing 35(4): 932-963, 2006]

Partial → Full Retroactivity

Theorem 3.4. Any partially retroactive data structure in the pointer-machine model with constant indegree, supporting T(m)-time retroactive updates and Q(m)-time queries about the present can be transformed into a fully retroactive data structure with amortized $O(\sqrt{m}T(m))$ -time retroactive updates and $O(\sqrt{m}T(m)+Q(m))$ -time fully retroactive queries using O(mT(m)) space.



Partial Retroactive Commutative Data Structures

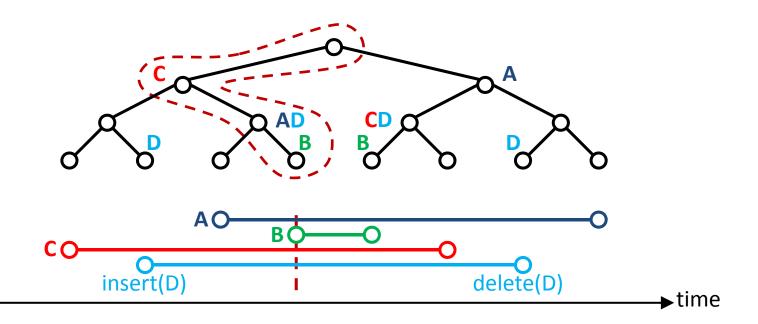
Lemma 4.1. Any data structure supporting a commutative set of operations allows the retroactive insertion of operations in the past (and queries in the present) at no additional asymptotic cost.

LEMMA 4.2. Any data structure supporting a commutative and invertible set of operations can be made partially retroactive at no additional asymptotic cost.

Lemma 4.3. Any data structure for a searching problem can be made partially retroactive at no additional asymptotic cost.

Decomposable Search Problems

Theorem 4.1. Any data structure for a decomposable searching problem supporting insertions, deletions, and queries in time T(n) and space S(n) can be transformed into a fully retroactive data structure with all operations taking time O(T(m)) if $T(2n) \ge (1+\epsilon)T(n)$ for some $\epsilon > 0$, or $O(T(n)\log m)$ otherwise. The space used is $O(S(m)\log m)$.



Specific Retroactive Data Structures

Data	Partially	Fully
Structure	Retroactive	Retroactive
Dictionary (exact)	$O(\log m)$	$O(\log m)$
Dictionary (successor)	$O(\log m)$	$O(\log^2 m)$
Queue	O(1) ?	$O(\log m)$
Stack	$O(\log m)$	$O(\log m)$
DEQUE	$O(\log m)$	$O(\log m)$
Union/Find *	$O(\log m)$	$O(\log m)$
Priority Queue	$O(\log m)$	$O(\sqrt{m}\log m)$

^{* [}D.D. Sleator, R.E. Tarjan, *A Data Structure for Dynamic Trees*, Proc. 13th Annual ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing, 114-122, 1981]