

Cost of Brown's PGCD in $\mathbb{Z}_p[x_1, \dots, x_n]$

Suppose $g = x_1^d + zx_2^d + \dots + nx_n^d$.

Need $\geq (d+1)^{n-1}$ univariate images of g in $\mathbb{Z}_p[x_i]$

$\geq O(d^2)(d+1)^{n-1} = O(d^{n+1})$ arith. ops in \mathbb{Z}_p
 \uparrow Euc. Alg. \uparrow exponential in n

Zippels sparse GCD algorithm 1979.

Suppose $g = c_0 x_1^d + \sum_{i=0}^{d-1} c_i(x_2, \dots, x_n) x_1^i$

Let $t = \max_{i=0}^{d-1} \# c_i$ and $d_i = \deg(g, x_i)$.

Needs $\leq \left(\sum_{i=2}^n d_i \right) \cdot t$ univariate images.

Hu and Monagan's sparse GCD 2016

Needs $2t+2$ univariate images.