

(a). For $g(x) = 3ab + 5ac + 7bc$.
Let $F_w: F^n \rightarrow F^n$ be the Fourier transform.

$$\begin{aligned} F_w(g) &= F_w(3ab + 5ac + 7bc) \\ &= F_w(3ab) + F_w(5ac) + F_w(7bc) \\ &= 3F_w(ab) + 5F_w(ac) + 7F_w(bc) \\ &= 3(F_w(a) \cdot F_w(b)) + 5(F_w(a) \cdot F_w(c)) + 7(F_w(b) \cdot F_w(c)). \end{aligned}$$

F_w is a Linear Transformation.

↑ pointwise products ↑

Hence $g = F_w^{-1}(F_w(g))$.

There are 4 distinct FFTs needed instead of 9.

(b). Let $c = ab = x^{2d} + \Delta(x)$ where $\deg \Delta(x) < 2d$.
Let F_w be the Fourier transform of size $n = 2d$. Then

$$F_w(x^{2d} + \Delta(x)) = F_w(x^{2d}) + F_w(\Delta(x)).$$

$$F_w(x^{2d}) = [(w^i)^{2d} = 1, 0 \leq i < n] = [1, 1, \dots, 1]^T.$$

So to recover $\Delta(x)$ from $F_w(ab) = F_w(a) \cdot F_w(b)$ we need to compute

$$\begin{aligned} &F_w^{-1}(F_w(ab) - F_w(x^{2d})) \\ &= F_w^{-1}(F_w(a) \cdot F_w(b) - [1, 1, \dots, 1]^T) \\ &= F_w^{-1}(F_w(\Delta(x))) \\ &= \Delta(x). \end{aligned}$$

This requires 3 FFTs of size $n = 2d$.