

MANHATTAN ALGEBRA DAY

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Algorithmic theory of free solvable groups: randomized computations

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Abstract:

We devise new deterministic and randomized algorithms for algorithmic problems in free solvable groups. In particular, we prove that the word problem and the power problem can be solved in quasi-linear time by Monte-Carlo type algorithms. This improves the known $O(|w|^3)$ deterministic algorithm for the word problem and $O((|u| + |v|)^6)$ deterministic algorithm for the power problem.