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def partition(data, pivot):
     less = [x for x in data if x < pivot]
      equal = [x for x in data if x == pivot]
      greater = [x for x in data if x > pivot]
      return [less, equal, greater]
  def merge(sorted parts):
  - return sum(sorted parts, [])
      data sizes = [100000, 500000, 1000000, 5000000, 10000000, 50000000, 100000000]
      times parallel = []
      for size in data sizes:
      -- data = np.random.randint(1, 1000000, size)
       --start time = time.time()
      · · · sorted data = parallel sort(data)
     --end time = time.time()
     times parallel.append(end time - start time)
     plt.plot(data sizes, times parallel, marker='o')
      plt.xlabel('Data Size')
      plt.ylabel('Time (s)')
      plt.title('Parallel Quicksort Performance')
      plt.grid(True)
     plt.show()

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