1. phpc_bfs.cpp — Parallel Breadth First Search (BFS)

→ WHAT:

This program performs **Breadth First Search (BFS)** traversal of a binary tree **using** parallel processing.

→ HOW:

- A binary tree is created where users insert nodes.
- During BFS traversal:
 - o At each tree level, nodes are collected.
 - Nodes of the same level are processed in parallel using #pragma omp parallel for.
 - Outputs and queue updates are protected using #pragma omp critical to avoid race conditions.

- In BFS, all nodes at the same level are **independent** and can be processed simultaneously.
- Using OpenMP parallelism speeds up BFS traversal for trees with a large number of nodes.

2. phpc_bubble.cpp — Parallel Bubble Sort

→ WHAT:

This program performs **Bubble Sort** on an array in two ways: **sequentially** and **parallelly** using OpenMP.

→ HOW:

- Array elements are compared and swapped:
 - o **Even** indexed pairs are processed together.
 - Odd indexed pairs are processed together.
- #pragma omp parallel for is used to allow multiple comparisons/swaps in the same phase to happen at the same time.
- Execution time is measured and compared between sequential and parallel versions.

- Bubble Sort is naturally slow (0(n²)) for large arrays.
- Parallelizing the comparisons reduces total time significantly by handling multiple adjacent swaps simultaneously.

→ WHAT:

This program performs **Depth First Search (DFS)** traversal of a binary tree **using OpenMP parallel tasks**.

→ HOW:

- Binary Search Tree (BST) is created by inserting nodes based on value.
- DFS traversal starts at the root:
 - A parallel region is created with a single initial task.
 - Each recursive call to left and right children is done as a separate
 OpenMP task (#pragma omp task).
 - #pragma omp taskwait ensures tasks are completed properly before moving up the tree.

- In DFS, traversing left and right subtrees can be done independently.
- Parallelizing recursive DFS improves performance, especially for large and balanced trees.

→ WHAT:

This program sorts an array using **Merge Sort** both **sequentially** and **in parallel** with OpenMP.

→ HOW:

- Array is divided into halves recursively.
- For the first few levels (depth < 3), **parallel sections** are used to sort the left and right halves simultaneously.
- After sorting, the halves are merged into a sorted array.
- Execution time for sequential and parallel versions is compared.

- Merge Sort naturally divides the problem into independent subproblems.
- Parallelizing the early levels reduces overall sorting time dramatically for large arrays.

→ WHAT:

This program finds the **minimum**, **maximum**, **sum**, and **average** values of an array **using OpenMP reduction operations**.

→ HOW:

- Array values are entered by the user.
- For each operation (min, max, sum, average):
 - OpenMP reduction clause is used to combine partial results calculated by different threads safely and efficiently.
- Results are printed after reduction.

- Reductions avoid manual locking or critical sections, making operations **faster** and cleaner.
- Useful when you need to **aggregate** results like sum, min, or max in **parallel loops**.

6. | hpc_addition.ipynb — Parallel Matrix Addition

→ WHAT:

This program performs **parallel addition of two matrices** using Python libraries like **NumPy** and **joblib**.

→ HOW:

- Two matrices of the same size are generated randomly.
- Element-wise addition is normally very fast with NumPy.
- To simulate parallelism manually:
 - The matrix is divided into chunks (rows).
 - Each chunk is added in parallel using joblib's Parallel and delayed functions.
- Final result is the sum of two matrices, computed faster.

- Matrix operations are **computationally heavy** for very large matrices (1000x1000, 5000x5000, etc.).
- Parallel addition splits work between multiple CPU cores, significantly **reducing computation time** when matrix size is large.

7. | hpc_multiplication.ipynb — Parallel Matrix Multiplication

→ WHAT:

This program performs **parallel matrix multiplication** — multiplying two matrices together using Python with **parallel computing techniques**.

→ HOW:

- Two matrices (A and B) are randomly generated.
- Normal matrix multiplication is done by:
 - Row of matrix A × Column of matrix B.
- For parallelism:
 - Each row's computation is split into independent tasks using joblib or NumPy with parallel tricks.
- Final product matrix contains the result of A × B multiplication.

- Matrix multiplication (0(n^3)) becomes extremely slow for large matrices.
- By distributing rows (or parts of rows) to different CPU cores, parallelism speeds up the computation drastically, especially useful in fields like AI, physics simulations, or graphics.

8. DLPr1_updated.ipynb — Basic Perceptron for Logic Gates

→ WHAT:

This program implements a simple **Perceptron model** to simulate basic **logic gates** (like AND, OR) using **Deep Learning** concepts.

→ HOW:

- Inputs (x) and corresponding outputs (y) for a logic gate (like AND) are defined.
- A **simple neuron** (perceptron) is built with:
 - Random initial weights and bias.
 - Forward propagation to calculate output using a weighted sum.
 - An **activation function** (like step function) to decide final output (0 or 1).
 - Training loop where:
 - Error between predicted and actual output is calculated.
 - Weights and bias are updated based on error using Perceptron learning rule.
- After enough epochs (training cycles), the model correctly learns the logic gate behavior.

- Perceptron is the fundamental building block of Deep Learning.
- Simulating logic gates shows how neural networks can mimic real logical decision-making, and it teaches basics like weights, bias, activation, and learning in a very simple and visual way.

9. DLPr2.ipynb — Single-Layer Neural Network (Sigmoid Activation)

→ WHAT:

This program builds a **single-layer neural network** that uses the **Sigmoid activation function** for predicting outputs from input data.

→ HOW:

- Data points (x) and outputs (y) are set up (often non-linearly separable).
- Initialize random weights and bias.

Forward pass:

- Compute weighted sum.
- Apply Sigmoid function to output a value between 0 and 1.
- Backward pass (training):
 - Calculate error between prediction and actual output.
 - Update weights and bias using gradient descent (using derivative of Sigmoid during weight adjustment).
- After training for several epochs, the network can make good predictions.

- Sigmoid activation helps to handle outputs that are probabilistic (between 0 and 1).
- It also introduces **non-linearity**, which simple perceptrons can't handle properly.
- This is the first step towards understanding deep neural networks.

10. DLPr3.ipynb — Multi-Layer Perceptron (MLP) from Scratch

→ WHAT:

This program implements a **Multi-Layer Perceptron (MLP)** — a small **deep neural network** with one or more hidden layers manually coded from scratch.

→ HOW:

- The input data is prepared.
- A neural network structure is defined:
 - o Input Layer → Hidden Layer(s) → Output Layer.
- Forward Pass:
 - Each layer computes a weighted sum + bias.
 - Activation functions (like Sigmoid or ReLU) are applied between layers.
- Backward Pass (Training):
 - Backpropagation is manually implemented to compute errors layer-by-layer.
 - Gradients are calculated using derivatives.
 - Weights and biases are updated using Gradient Descent.
- After multiple epochs, the model learns the mapping between inputs and outputs.

- MLPs can **model complex relationships** that single-layer networks cannot.
- They are the base structure behind modern deep learning architectures.
- Building an MLP manually helps you deeply understand how deep learning models learn (forward and backward passes).