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A) Code organization:

The code is divided into six .c files,

1. main.c:

- Determine which files the program will work with.
- call the multiplying functions.
- Compute execution time.
- Call the printing functions.

2. read_from_files.c:

- Read the given matrices files.
- Fill the matrices with the given input.

3. matMult.c:

- Compute the matrices multiplication using no threads.

4. Method1.c:

- Compute the multiplication using threads for each row in the output matrix.

5. Method2.c:

- Compute the multiplication using threads for each element in the output matrix.

6. output_to_file.c:

-Prints the output of multiplication to the given output files.

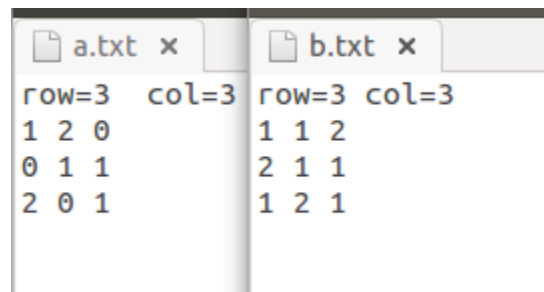
B) Main functions:

- **readMatrices()**
 - reads matrices files.
- **multiplyMatrices()**
 - calls the three multiplying functions.
- **getDimensions()**
 - reads the matrices dimensions in the first line.
- **MultiplyNoThreads()**
 - multiply the matrices using no threads.
- **useMethod1()**
 - creates threads for computing each row.
- **Multiply1()**
 - multiplies the 2 matrices using a thread for each row.
- **useMethod2()**
 - creates threads for computing each element.
- **Multiply2()**

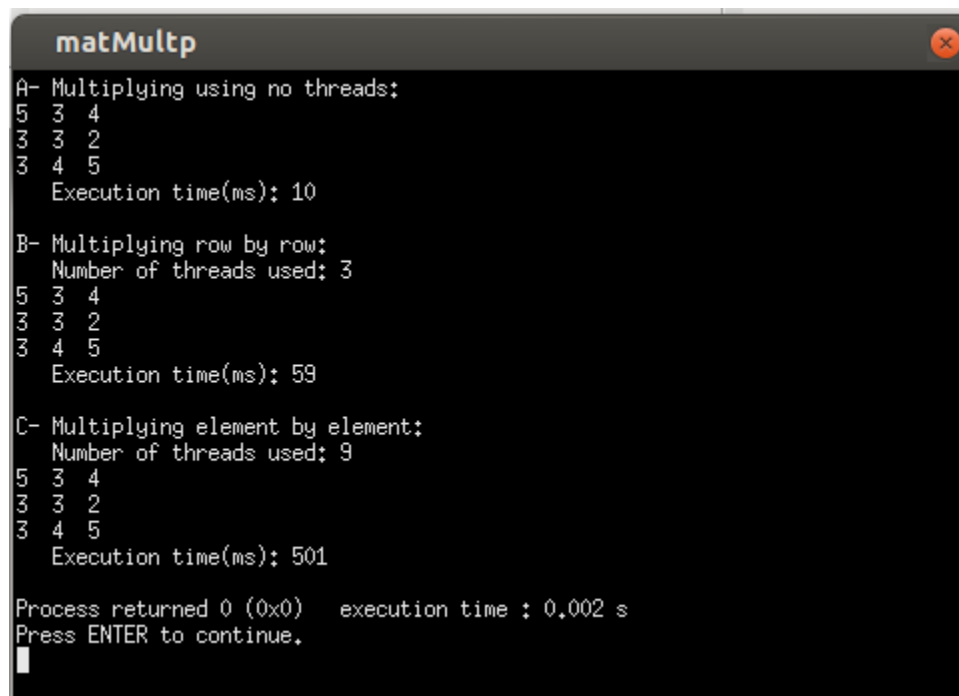
- multiplies the 2 matrices using a thread for each element.
- **writeOutput1() , writeOutput2()**
 - prints the output to external files.

C) Sample runs:

1-



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a.txt x  b.txt x
row=3 col=3 row=3 col=3
1 2 0      1 1 2
0 1 1      2 1 1
2 0 1      1 2 1
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matMultp
A- Multiplying using no threads:
5 3 4
3 3 2
3 4 5
Execution time(ms): 10

B- Multiplying row by row:
Number of threads used: 3
5 3 4
3 3 2
3 4 5
Execution time(ms): 59

C- Multiplying element by element:
Number of threads used: 9
5 3 4
3 3 2
3 4 5
Execution time(ms): 501

Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 0.002 s
Press ENTER to continue.
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2-

a.txt x	b.txt x
row=4 col=4	row=4 col=4
5 2 6 1	7 5 8 0
0 6 2 0	1 8 2 6
3 8 1 4	9 4 3 8
1 8 5 6	5 3 7 9

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matMultp
A- Multiplying using no threads:
96 68 69 69
24 56 18 52
58 95 71 92
90 107 81 142
Execution time(ms): 18

B- Multiplying row by row:
Number of threads used: 4
96 68 69 69
24 56 18 52
58 95 71 92
90 107 81 142
Execution time(ms): 128

C- Multiplying element by element:
Number of threads used: 16
96 68 69 69
24 56 18 52
58 95 71 92
90 107 81 142
Execution time(ms): 1401

Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time = 0.002 s
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3- 50 x 50 and 50 x 50

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Activities @gedit Sat 3:30 AM
test.txt (-Desktop/Projects/matMultp) - gedit
File Edit View Search Tools Documents
Open Save Undo Redo Find Replace
test.txt x
row=50 col=50
121 541 255 338 836 371 177 510 68 240 425 624 79 345 167 599 760 724 181 730 75 54 741 289 608 675
540 69 950 198 812 723 569 611 849 393 99 649 265 815 391 444 768 811 715 556 510 369 117 785
620 270 190 817 78 40 521 659 88 174 221 379 928 576 110 484 970 204 58 714 976 508 129 754 441 244
92 944 583 886 395 715 521 666 778 514 53 474 228 282 18 897 117 162 780 137 596 894 637 966
759 515 922 227 989 816 282 186 6 729 46 394 777 662 733 338 446 420 596 63 711 265 981 14 497 264
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196 952 368 195 17 328 551 123 882 170 887 549 995 999 147 651 664 463 822 323 969 743 98 385 696 159
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793 870 449 958 686 263 417 883 911 357 48 114 267 415 587 316 780 710 516 577 186 728 878 734
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681 648 588 884 524 3 565 346 375 749 989 518 38 580 396 489 253 713 698 693 986 789 498 518 280 946
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445 351 298 947 339 388 479 792 31 751 749 178 121 17 790 97 469 645 36 847 689 981 762 384
289 277 253 504 56 44 578 289 446 841 898 81 867 216 613 885 138 948 769 343 913 188 883 228 585 881
283 212 938 138 432 799 537 542 422 128 186 384 980 119 181 888 19 461 489 098 13 190 778 259
628 394 485 989 479 39 538 496 496 681 965 122 312 146 773 118 149 285 434 240 62 63 425 388 251 388
153 985 132 26 562 299 74 789 386 285 773 747 28 851 332 534 315 990 661 238 113 91 718 63
357 862 769 859 816 175 685 387 251 494 289 354 970 544 565 728 715 419 19 936 552 770 582 139 364 4
691 391 657 554 535 86 659 124 41 664 583 458 589 845 279 588 963 456 48 880 434 365 386 894
688 482 285 678 382 348 823 554 148 668 748 883 257 472 678 332 851 748 978 651 526 483 587 331 404 318
141 458 772 684 173 152 703 766 473 712 606 646 646 647 643 102 16 455 685 646 653 64 788 688
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oot@Aya:/home/aya/Desktop/Projects/matMultp#
oot@Aya:/home/aya/Desktop/Projects/matMultp# ./matmult.out test.txt test.txt testoutput
- Multiplying using no threads:
  Execution time(s): 0
  Execution time(us): 2908

- Multiplying row by row:
  Number of threads used: 50
  Execution time(s): 0
  Execution time(us): 3180

- Multiplying element by element:
  Number of threads used: 2500
  Execution time(s): 0
  Execution time(us): 144460
oot@Aya:/home/aya/Desktop/Projects/matMultp# █

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4- 100 x 100 and 100 x 100

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root@Aya:/home/aya/Desktop/Projects/matMultp# ./matmult.out test2.txt test2.txt Cout
A- Multiplying using no threads:
  Execution time(s): 0
  Execution time(us): 13799

B- Multiplying row by row:
  Number of threads used: 100
  Execution time(s): 0
  Execution time(us): 12791

C- Multiplying element by element:
  Number of threads used: 10000
  Execution time(s): 1
  Execution time(us): 18446744073709105171
root@Aya:/home/aya/Desktop/Projects/matMultp# █

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5- 100 x 1000 and 1000 x 100

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root@Aya:/home/aya/Desktop/Projects/matMultp# ./matmult.out a1.txt b1.txt Cout
A- Multiplying using no threads:
  Execution time(s): 0
  Execution time(us): 166167

B- Multiplying row by row:
  Number of threads used: 100
  Execution time(s): 1
  Execution time(us): 18446744073708642935

C- Multiplying element by element:
  Number of threads used: 10000
  Execution time(s): 0
  Execution time(us): 682749
root@Aya:/home/aya/Desktop/Projects/matMultp# █

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6- 876 x 876 and 876 x 876

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root@Aya:/home/aya/Desktop/Projects/matMultp# ./matmult.out btest.txt atest.txt Cout
A- Multiplying using no threads:
  Execution time(s): 17
  Execution time(us): 18446744073709113292

B- Multiplying row by row:
  Number of threads used: 876
  Execution time(s): 10
  Execution time(us): 421411

C- Multiplying element by element:
  Number of threads used: 767376
  Error creating thread 32751
root@Aya:/home/aya/Desktop/Projects/matMultp#
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D) Compiling and running :

1. Change the directory to the project's directory.
2. Open a terminal.
3. Type “make” command.
4. Execute by typing “./matmult.out” either by specifying input and output files such as “./matmult.out x.txt y.txt z.out” or just “./matmult.out” and the the program would consider the default values which are a.txt , b.txt for input files and c1.out , c2.out for output files.

E) comparing the two methods of matrix multiplication:

- After several runs for the program with significantly small matrix size, it appears that the execution time is:

T(No threads) < T(Thread for each row) < T(Thread for each element).

And number of threads:

N(Thread for each row) < N(Thread for each element).

Here are several runs for the same input showing the execution time:

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Execution time(ms): 128

C- Multiplying element by element:
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96 68 69 69
24 56 18 52
58 95 71 92
90 107 81 142
Execution time(ms): 1401

Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 0.002 s
```

```
matMultp
24 56 18 52
58 95 71 92
90 107 81 142
Execution time(ms): 14

B- Multiplying row by row:
Number of threads used: 4
96 68 69 69
24 56 18 52
58 95 71 92
90 107 81 142
Execution time(ms): 85

C- Multiplying element by element:
Number of threads used: 16
96 68 69 69
24 56 18 52
58 95 71 92
90 107 81 142
Execution time(ms): 575

Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 0.002 s
Press ENTER to continue.
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- Where as when using larger size matrices such as 100 x 100, it appears that:

$T(\text{Thread for each row}) < T(\text{No Threads}) < T(\text{Thread for each element})$.

- While going for a larger sized matrices (100 x 1000) and as the number of rows increase, it led to a completely different result:

$T(\text{Thread for each row}) > T(\text{Thread for each element})$.