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Dr. Robert van de Geijn: So let's continue

on with our examination of the different algorithms for computing

matrix-matrix multiplication.

This time we're going to look at how C can be computed one row at a time.



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Recall how the ij entry of C is

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Homework 5.3.3.1

1/1 point (graded)

Let A and B be matrices and AB be well-defined and let A have at least four rows. If the first and fourth rows of A are the same, then the first and fourth rows of AB are the same.

Always ▼

✓ Answer: Always

Explanation

Answer: Always

Partition

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{a}_0^T \\ \tilde{a}_1^T \\ \tilde{a}_2^T \\ \tilde{a}_3^T \\ A_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

where A_4 represents the part of the matrix below the first four rows. Then

$$AB = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{a}_0^T \\ \tilde{a}_1^T \\ \tilde{a}_2^T \\ \tilde{a}_3^T \\ A_4 \end{pmatrix} B = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{a}_0^T B \\ \tilde{a}_1^T B \\ \tilde{a}_2^T B \\ \tilde{a}_3^T B \\ A_4 B \end{pmatrix}.$$

Now, if $\tilde{a}_0^T = \tilde{a}_3^T$ then $\tilde{a}_0^T B = \tilde{a}_3^T B$ and hence the first and fourth rows of AB are equal.

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Homework 5.3.3.2

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Compute each of the following matrix-matrix multiplications:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \overline{1 \quad -2 \quad 2} \\ \hline \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} =$$



$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & -2 & 2 \\ \hline -1 & 2 & 1 \\ \hline \end{array} \right) \left(\begin{array}{ccc} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{array} \right) =$$



$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & -2 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ \hline 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right) \left(\begin{array}{ccc} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{array} \right) =$$



✓ Correct (18/18 points)

Homework 5.3.3.3

1/1 point (graded)

Algorithm: $C := \text{GEMM_UNB_VAR2}(A, B, C)$

Partition $A \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} A_T \\ A_B \end{pmatrix}, C \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} C_T \\ C_B \end{pmatrix}$

where A_T has 0 rows, C_T has 0 rows

while $m(A_T) < m(A)$ **do**

Repartition

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_T \\ A_B \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} A_0 \\ a_1^T \\ A_2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} C_T \\ C_B \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} C_0 \\ c_1^T \\ C_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

where a_1 has 1 row, c_1 has 1 row

$$c_1^T := a_1^T B + c_1^T$$

Continue with

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_T \\ A_B \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \begin{pmatrix} A_0 \\ a_1^T \\ A_2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} C_T \\ C_B \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \begin{pmatrix} C_0 \\ c_1^T \\ C_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

endwhile

Write the routine

- `[C_out] = Gemm_unb_var2(A, B, C)`

that computes $C := AB + C$ using the above algorithm.

Some links that will come in handy:

- [Spark](#) (alternatively, open the file LAFF-2.0xM -> Spark -> index.html)
- [PictureFLAME](#) (alternatively, open the file LAFF-2.0xM -> PictureFLAME -> PictureFLAME.html)

The update $c_1^T := a_1^T B + c_1^T$ can be accomplished by the call to

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laff_gemv( ..., 1, ..., ..., 1, .... )
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(click on the "laff routines" tab at the top of the page for more info). Hint: Revisit [Homework 4.6.1.2](#)

You may want to use the following script to test your implementation:

- [test_Gemm_unb_var2.m](#)

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