

Report

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Space Complexity

In MP5, the space complexity of the code has already been optimized. All the tile images are loaded into a vector in `getTiles()`, occupying $n*w'h'$ memories. Then when matching tile images to the base picture, in `mapTile()` and other called functions, I use a pointer, `TileImage*`, rather than copying the tile image, to link corresponding tile image to each pixel. Therefore, the total space complexity is optimized to $w*h+n*w'h'+n*c$, where the first two terms are unavoidable for loading base and tile images, and the last term refers to when populating tiles, using a pointer to represent each tile image.

As a result, the code will take approximately 800 MB when running on a base png of size 605*453 with 4730 tile images with each of size 75*75. This should be a reasonable number.

Testing by valgrind with `valgrind ./mp6 tests/source.png mp5_pngs/ 400 5 mosaic.png`

```
==34506== HEAP SUMMARY:
==34506==    in use at exit: 827,590,223 bytes in 17,936 blocks
==34506==   total heap usage: 440,324 allocs, 422,388 frees, 4,961,734,372 bytes allocated
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```

Time Complexity

The time complexity of drawing the mosaic is already $O(w*h+n*w'h')$ if take input resolution as a constant, where

$w*h$: two for-loops in `drawMosaic`, traversing through each row and column of the mosaic.

$n*w'h'$: each of the tile image needs to be resized

Therefore, the total time complexity is $O(w*h+n*w'h')$. Although it can be optimized to $O(w*h)$ for [this part](#) by resizing all the tile images at loading step, but this will not contribute to an optimization to the general time complexity. Therefore, I consider it meaningless.

However, the time complexity of `mapTiles()` can be improved. Here a map of size n that mapping the average value to the tile index is generated, and when the function calls `get_match_at_idx()`, it passes this map as an object. This means each time when `get_match_at_index()` is called, it will copy the whole map. It will run for extra $O(n*w*h)$.

Therefore, in MP6, I change the signature of `get_match_at_idx()` as

```
TileImage* get_match_at_idx(const KDTree<3>& tree,
                           map<Point<3>, int>& tile_avg_map,
                           vector<TileImage>& theTiles,
                           const SourceImage& theSource, int row,
                           int col)
```

In such way the map will only be generated once, the theoretical time complexity of `get_match_at_idx()` will be a constant. What's more, I deleted the error detection code in `get_match_at_idx()`, which previously is

```
// Check to ensure the point exists in the map
map< Point<3>, int >::iterator it = tile_avg_map.find(nearestPoint);
if (it == tile_avg_map.end())
    cerr << "Didn't find " << avgPoint << " / " << nearestPoint << endl;
```

This also take an $O(n)$ traversal. By deleting this part the running time gets further improved.

Testing with time with `time ./mp6 tests/source.png mp5_pngs/ 400 5 mosaic.png`

```
• fang@fang-virtual-machine:~/cs225sp23/mp6$ time ./mp6 tests/source.png mp5_pngs/ 400 5 mosaic.png
Loading Tile Images... (4730/4730)... 4479 unique images loaded
Populating Mosaic: setting tile (399, 532)
Drawing Mosaic: resizing tiles (213200/213200)
Saving Output Image... Done

real    0m15.805s
user    0m3.647s
sys     0m4.714s
```