

1. Write a OpenMP program to sort an array on n elements using both sequential and parallel mergesort (using Section). Record the difference in execution time.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <omp.h>
#define MAX 100000
void merge(int arr[], int l, int m, int r) {
    int i, j, k;
    int n1 = m - l + 1;
    int n2 = r - m;
    int *L = (int *)malloc(n1 * sizeof(int));
    int *R = (int *)malloc(n2 * sizeof(int));
    for (i = 0; i < n1; i++) L[i] = arr[l + i];
    for (j = 0; j < n2; j++) R[j] = arr[m + 1 + j];
    i = 0; j = 0; k = l;
    while (i < n1 && j < n2) {
        arr[k++] = (L[i] <= R[j]) ? L[i++] : R[j++];
    }
    while (i < n1) arr[k++] = L[i++];
    while (j < n2) arr[k++] = R[j++];
    free(L); free(R);
}
void sequentialMergeSort(int arr[], int l, int r) {
    if (l < r) {
        int m = (l + r) / 2;
        sequentialMergeSort(arr, l, m);
        sequentialMergeSort(arr, m + 1, r);
        merge(arr, l, m, r);
    }
}
void parallelMergeSort(int arr[], int l, int r) {
    if (l < r) {
        int m = (l + r) / 2;
        #pragma omp parallel sections
        {
            #pragma omp section
            parallelMergeSort(arr, l, m);
            #pragma omp section
            parallelMergeSort(arr, m + 1, r);
        }
        merge(arr, l, m, r);
    }
}
void copyArray(int *src, int *dest, int n) {
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) dest[i] = src[i];
}
```

```
}
int main() {
    int n;
    int *arr_seq, *arr_par;
    printf("Enter number of elements: ");
    scanf("%d", &n);
    if (n > MAX) {
        printf("Max limit exceeded (%d)\n", MAX);
        return 1;
    }
    arr_seq = (int *)malloc(n * sizeof(int));
    arr_par = (int *)malloc(n * sizeof(int));
    // Generate random data
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        arr_seq[i] = rand() % 10000;
    }
    copyArray(arr_seq, arr_par, n);
    double start, end;
    // Sequential sort
    start = omp_get_wtime();
    sequentialMergeSort(arr_seq, 0, n - 1);
    end = omp_get_wtime();
    printf("Sequential MergeSort Time: %.6f seconds\n", end - start);
    // Parallel sort
    start = omp_get_wtime();
    #pragma omp parallel
    {
        #pragma omp single
        parallelMergeSort(arr_par, 0, n - 1);
    }
    end = omp_get_wtime();
    printf("Parallel MergeSort Time: %.6f seconds\n", end - start);
    free(arr_seq); free(arr_par);
    return 0;
}
```

**Step 1: Install GCC with OpenMP Support**

```
sudo apt update
sudo apt install gcc
```

Ensure OpenMP is supported:

```
gcc -version
```

**Step 2: Save the Program:** Save the code above into a file named `mergesort_openmp.c`.

**Step 3: Compile with OpenMP:** `gcc -fopenmp -o mergesort_openmp mergesort_openmp.c`

**Step 4: Run the Program:** `./mergesort_openmp`

**Output:**

Enter number of elements: 100000  
Sequential MergeSort Time: 0.092385 seconds  
Parallel MergeSort Time: 0.039472 seconds

**Viva Questions:**

- **What is the primary goal of this program?**  
The program aims to compare the execution time of merge sort implemented sequentially and in parallel using OpenMP to highlight the performance benefits of parallel processing.
- **Why is merge sort suitable for parallelization?**  
Merge sort is a divide-and-conquer algorithm that naturally splits the array into independent subproblems, which can be sorted concurrently before merging, making it highly suitable for parallelization.
- **How is parallelism achieved in this program?**  
Using `#pragma omp parallel` sections, the two recursive calls of merge sort (left and right sub-arrays) are executed in parallel sections when performing `parallelMergeSort`.
- **What is the purpose of the `#pragma omp single` directive in the main function?**  
It ensures that only a single thread initially invokes the recursive parallel merge sort function, preventing redundant recursive calls by all threads.
- **How is memory managed during the merge operation?**  
Temporary arrays (L and R) are dynamically allocated using `malloc` during each merge and freed after use to prevent memory leaks.
- **What would happen if `#pragma omp parallel` sections were not used in `parallelMergeSort`?**  
The program would behave like a sequential merge sort since both recursive calls would execute serially, defeating the purpose of parallelization.
- **Why is array copying done before performing parallel sort?**  
To ensure a fair comparison between sequential and parallel executions by using the same input data, as sorting modifies the array.
- **How does OpenMP handle task creation internally for the sections?**  
Each `#pragma omp` section is treated as a separate task, potentially executed by different threads from the OpenMP thread pool concurrently.
- **What are the limitations of parallel merge sort in this implementation?**  
Excessive thread creation for small sub-arrays can cause overhead. Also, if the number of recursive levels exceeds available threads, parallelism may not yield significant performance gains.
- **How does the use of `omp_get_wtime()` aid in evaluating performance?**  
It provides accurate wall-clock time measurement, allowing objective comparison of execution durations for sequential and parallel versions.

**2. Write an OpenMP program that divides the Iterations into chunks containing 2 iterations, respectively (OMP\_SCHEDULE=static,2). Its input should be the number of iterations, and its output should be which iterations of a parallelized for loop are executed by which thread.**

**For example, if there are two threads and four iterations, the output might be the following:**

**a. Thread 0: Iterations 0 — 1**

**b. Thread 1: Iterations 2 — 3**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <omp.h>
int main() {
    int num_iterations;
    printf("Enter the number of iterations: ");
    scanf("%d", &num_iterations);

    // Optional: Set number of threads (or use OMP_NUM_THREADS)
    omp_set_num_threads(2);

    printf("\nUsing schedule(static,2):\n\n");
    #pragma omp parallel
    {
        int tid = omp_get_thread_num();
        #pragma omp for schedule(static, 2)
        for (int i = 0; i < num_iterations; i++) {
            printf("Thread %d : Iteration %d\n", tid, i);
        }
    }
    return 0;
}
```

**Step 1: Save the Program :** Save the code above into a file named **static\_schedule.c**

**Step 2: Compile with OpenMP:** **gcc -fopenmp -o static\_schedule static\_schedule.c**

**Step 3: Run the Program:** **./static\_schedule**

### **Output:**

Enter the number of iterations: 6

Using schedule(static,2):

```
Thread 0 : Iteration 0
Thread 0 : Iteration 1
Thread 1 : Iteration 2
Thread 1 : Iteration 3
Thread 0 : Iteration 4
Thread 0 : Iteration 5
```

**Viva Questions:**

- **What does OMP\_SCHEDULE=static,2 mean?**  
It assigns fixed-size chunks of 2 iterations to each thread in order.
- **What is the purpose of omp parallel for?**  
It parallelizes the for loop across multiple threads.
- **How does static scheduling work in OpenMP?**  
Iterations are divided before execution and assigned evenly to threads.
- **What is a “chunk”?**  
A group of consecutive loop iterations assigned to a thread.
- **What happens if the number of iterations is not a multiple of the chunk size?**  
The remaining iterations are still assigned, possibly unevenly.
- **What is omp\_get\_thread\_num() used for?**  
It returns the ID of the thread executing the current block.
- **How many threads are created if we use -np 2?**  
Two threads will execute the parallel region.
- **Why is output sometimes unordered in parallel loops?**  
Because threads execute concurrently and write to output at different times.
- **How does this program demonstrate scheduling clearly?**  
It prints which iterations each thread is executing, showing chunk assignments.
- **Can chunk size affect performance?**  
Yes, inappropriate chunk sizes can lead to load imbalance or overhead.

**3. Write a OpenMP program to calculate n Fibonacci numbers using tasks.**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <omp.h>
// Recursive Fibonacci using OpenMP tasks
int fib(int n) {
    int x, y;
    if (n <= 1)
        return n;
    #pragma omp task shared(x)
    x = fib(n - 1);
    #pragma omp task shared(y)
    y = fib(n - 2);
    #pragma omp taskwait
    return x + y;
}
int main()
{
    int n;
    printf("Enter the number of Fibonacci numbers to calculate: ");
    scanf("%d", &n);
    if (n <= 0) {
        printf("Please enter a positive integer.\n");
        return 0;
    }
    printf("First %d Fibonacci numbers using OpenMP tasks:\n", n);
    double start = omp_get_wtime();
    #pragma omp parallel
    {
        #pragma omp single
        {
            for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
                #pragma omp task firstprivate(i)
                {
                    int result = fib(i);
                    #pragma omp critical
                    printf("Fib(%d) = %d\n", i, result);
                }
            }
        }
        double end = omp_get_wtime();
        printf("Execution time: %.6f seconds\n", end - start);
        return 0;
    }
}
```

**Step 1: Save the Program :** Save the code above into a file named **fib\_tasks.c**

**Step 2: Compile with OpenMP:** **gcc -fopenmp -o fib\_tasks fib\_tasks.c**

**Step 3: Run the Program:** **./ fib\_tasks.c**

Enter the number of Fibonacci numbers to calculate: 10

First 10 Fibonacci numbers using OpenMP tasks:

Fib(0) = 0  
Fib(1) = 1  
Fib(2) = 1  
Fib(3) = 2  
Fib(4) = 3  
Fib(5) = 5  
Fib(6) = 8  
Fib(7) = 13  
Fib(8) = 21  
Fib(9) = 34  
Execution time: 0.001234 seconds

### **Viva Questions**

- **What is the purpose of using omp task in this Fibonacci program?**  
omp task is used to create separate tasks for recursive Fibonacci calls so that they can be executed in parallel, exploiting task-level parallelism.
- **Why is omp taskwait used in the fib function?**  
omp taskwait ensures that both recursive tasks (fib(n-1) and fib(n-2)) complete before computing the final result  $x + y$ .
- **What is the role of the firstprivate(i) clause in the task creation?**  
firstprivate(i) ensures each task receives its own private copy of the loop variable i, preserving its value at the time the task was created.
- **Why is omp single used in the main function?**  
omp single ensures that only one thread (from the parallel region) creates the set of tasks in the loop, avoiding redundant task creation.
- **What happens if we remove the omp parallel directive in main()?**   
Without omp parallel, no threads will be available to execute the created tasks in parallel; the program will execute serially.
- **What is the purpose of omp critical in this program?**  
omp critical prevents concurrent writes to the output stream (printf), avoiding mixed or corrupted output from multiple threads.
- **Is this program efficient for large values of n? Why or why not?**  
No, it is inefficient for large n due to redundant recursive calls and exponential time complexity. It demonstrates tasking, not optimized computation.
- **How does task parallelism differ from data parallelism in OpenMP?**  
Task parallelism divides the program into independent tasks (e.g., recursive calls), while data parallelism splits data into chunks and applies the same operation.
- **How many tasks are generated when calculating fib(n) using this method?**  
Approximately  $2^n$  tasks are generated because each Fibonacci call spawns two subtasks, leading to exponential task creation.
- **What optimization could you apply to improve this Fibonacci task-based program?**  
Memoization (caching results) or switching to an iterative Fibonacci approach would significantly reduce redundant computations.

- 4. Write a OpenMP program to find the prime numbers from 1 to n employing parallel for directive. Record both serial and parallel execution times.**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <omp.h>
#include <math.h>

// Function to check if a number is prime
int is_prime(int num) {
    if (num < 2) return 0;
    if (num == 2) return 1;
    if (num % 2 == 0) return 0;
    for (int i = 3; i <= sqrt(num); i += 2)
        if (num % i == 0)
            return 0;
    return 1;
}

int main() {
    int n;
    printf("Enter the upper limit (n): ");
    scanf("%d", &n);

    if (n < 2) {
        printf("There are no prime numbers less than %d.\n", n);
        return 0;
    }

    printf("\n--- Serial Execution ---\n");
    double start_serial = omp_get_wtime();
    int serial_count = 0;
    for (int i = 2; i <= n; i++) {
        if (is_prime(i)) {
            serial_count++;
            // printf("%d ", i); // Optional: Uncomment to display primes
        }
    }
    double end_serial = omp_get_wtime();
    printf("Total primes found (serial): %d\n", serial_count);
    printf("Serial Execution Time: %.6f seconds\n", end_serial - start_serial);

    printf("\n--- Parallel Execution (OpenMP) ---\n");

    // Set number of threads explicitly
    omp_set_num_threads(4);

    double start_parallel = omp_get_wtime();
    int parallel_count = 0;
```



```
#pragma omp parallel for reduction(+:parallel_count)
for (int i = 2; i <= n; i++) {
    if (is_prime(i)) {
        parallel_count++;
        // #pragma omp critical
        // printf("%d ", i); // Optional: Uncomment to display primes
    }
}
double end_parallel = omp_get_wtime();
printf("Total primes found (parallel): %d\n", parallel_count);
printf("Parallel Execution Time: %.6f seconds\n", end_parallel - start_parallel);

return 0;
}
```

**Step 1: Save the Program : `prime_parallel.c`**

**Step 2: Compile with OpenMP: `gcc -fopenmp -o prime_parallel prime_parallel.c -lm`**

**Step 3: Run the Program: `./ prime_parallel.c`**

### **Output:**

Enter the upper limit (n): 100000

--- Serial Execution ---

Total primes found (serial): 9592  
Serial Execution Time: 0.188745 seconds

--- Parallel Execution (OpenMP) ---

Total primes found (parallel): 9592  
Parallel Execution Time: 0.062341 seconds

### **Viva Questions:**

- **What is the primary objective of this OpenMP program?**  
The objective is to compare the performance of serial and parallel implementations for counting prime numbers up to a given limit n using OpenMP.
- **Why is `sqrt(num)` used in the `is_prime()` function?**  
To optimize prime checking by reducing the number of iterations. A number greater than 1 is non-prime if it has a factor less than or equal to its square root.
- **What is the purpose of the directive `#pragma omp parallel for reduction (+:parallel_count)`?**  
It parallelizes the loop and uses a reduction clause to safely accumulate the number of primes (`parallel_count`) across threads without race conditions.
- **Why is the critical section commented out in the parallel version?**

It was optionally used to safely print prime numbers during parallel execution. However, printing inside parallel regions can slow down performance, so it's often disabled.

- **What are the advantages of using `omp_get_wtime()` in this program?**  
`omp_get_wtime()` provides high-resolution wall-clock timing to accurately measure and compare execution time for serial and parallel blocks.
- **What scheduling type is used in this program's for loop, and why?**  
The default static scheduling is applied here. It evenly divides iterations among threads, which works well when each iteration has nearly equal computational load, as in this case.
- **What is the purpose of `omp_set_num_threads(4)`?**  
It explicitly sets the number of OpenMP threads to 4 for the parallel region. This helps control resource usage and test performance scalability.
- **How does the reduction clause avoid race conditions?**  
Each thread maintains a private copy of the variable (`parallel_count`), and after the loop, these are combined in a thread-safe manner into a single final result.
- **Could this program benefit from dynamic scheduling? Why or why not?**  
Not significantly, because the computation per iteration (checking if a number is prime) is relatively uniform. Dynamic scheduling is more beneficial for irregular workloads.
- **What is the observed performance gain when using OpenMP parallelization in this program?**  
The performance gain depends on the hardware and input size. Typically, parallel execution reduces time compared to serial execution, especially for large `n`, by utilizing multiple cores.

**5. Write a MPI Program to demonstration of MPI\_Send and MPI\_Recv.**

```
#include <mpi.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>

int main(int argc, char *argv[] )
{
    int rank, size;
    MPI_Status status;

    MPI_Init(&argc, &argv);           // Initialize the MPI environment
    MPI_Comm_rank(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &rank); // Get the rank of the process
    MPI_Comm_size(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &size); // Get the total number of processes

    if (size < 2) {
        if (rank == 0) {
            printf("This program requires at least two processes.\n");
        }
        MPI_Finalize();
        return 0;
    }

    if (rank == 0) {
        char message[] = "Hello from Process 0 to Process 1";
        printf("Process %d sending message: %s\n", rank, message);
        MPI_Send(message, strlen(message) + 1, MPI_CHAR, 1, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
    } else if (rank == 1) {
        char received_message[100];
        MPI_Recv(received_message, 100, MPI_CHAR, 0, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD,
        &status);
        printf("Process %d received message: %s\n", rank, received_message);
    }

    MPI_Finalize();
    return 0;
}
```

**Step 1: Install MPI :**     **sudo apt update**

**sudo apt install openmpi-bin openmpi-common libopenmpi-dev**

**Step 2: Check MPI installation:**

**mpirun -version**

**Step 3: Save the MPI Program :** **mpi\_send\_recv.c**

**Step 4: Compile the MPI Program:** **mpicc mpi\_send\_recv.c -o mpi\_send\_recv**

**Step 5: Run the MPI Program:** **mpirun -np 2 ./mpi\_send\_recv**

**Output:**

Process 0 sending message: Hello from Process 0 to Process 1  
Process 1 received message: Hello from Process 0 to Process 1

**Viva Questions:**

- **What is the purpose of MPI\_Send and MPI\_Recv?**  
They are used for point-to-point communication to send and receive messages between processes in MPI.
- **What does the tag parameter signify in MPI\_Send and MPI\_Recv?**  
It identifies the message and helps match send and receive operations correctly.
- **What is MPI\_COMM\_WORLD?**  
It is the default communicator that includes all MPI processes in a given program.
- **What is the role of MPI\_Status?**  
It provides information about a received message, such as the source and tag.
- **What is the output if the program is run with only one process?**  
It prints a message that at least two processes are required and exits.
- **Why do we use strlen(message) + 1 in MPI\_Send?**  
To include the null-terminator \0 so the string can be correctly received and printed.
- **Can MPI\_Send and MPI\_Recv be used in a non-blocking way?**  
Not directly—non-blocking communication uses MPI\_Isend and MPI\_Irecv.
- **What happens if the receiver buffer size is smaller than the message?**  
It can cause a buffer overflow or program crash due to insufficient memory.
- **What ensures synchronization between sender and receiver?**  
Blocking behavior of MPI\_Send and MPI\_Recv ensures synchronization.
- **Can multiple processes use the same tag for different messages?**  
Yes, as long as the source and tag combination is correctly matched.

**6. Write a MPI program to demonstration of deadlock using point to point communication and avoidance of deadlock by altering the call sequence.**

```
#include <mpi.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
    int rank, size;
    int msg_send = 100, msg_rcv;
    MPI_Status status;
    int cause_deadlock = 0;
    // Initialize MPI
    MPI_Init(&argc, &argv);
    MPI_Comm_rank(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &rank); // Get process rank
    MPI_Comm_size(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &size); // Get number of processes
    // Check for mode argument
    if (argc != 2) {
        if (rank == 0)
            printf("Usage: %s --deadlock | --avoid\n", argv[0]);
        MPI_Finalize();
        return 1;
    }
    if (strcmp(argv[1], "--deadlock") == 0) {
        cause_deadlock = 1;
    } else if (strcmp(argv[1], "--avoid") == 0) {
        cause_deadlock = 0;
    } else {
        if (rank == 0)
            printf("Invalid argument. Use --deadlock or --avoid\n");
        MPI_Finalize();
        return 1;
    }
    if (size != 2) {
        if (rank == 0)
            printf("This program requires exactly 2 processes.\n");
        MPI_Finalize();
        return 1;
    }
    // Begin communication
    if (cause_deadlock) {
        // DEADLOCK: both send first, then receive
        if (rank == 0) {
            printf("Process 0 sending to Process 1...\n");
            MPI_Send(&msg_send, 1, MPI_INT, 1, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
            printf("Process 0 receiving from Process 1...\n");
            MPI_Recv(&msg_rcv, 1, MPI_INT, 1, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD, &status);
            printf("Process 0 received from Process 1: %d\n", msg_rcv);
        } else if (rank == 1) {
            printf("Process 1 sending to Process 0...\n");
```

```
MPI_Send(&msg_send, 1, MPI_INT, 0, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
printf("Process 1 receiving from Process 0...\n");
MPI_Recv(&msg_recv, 1, MPI_INT, 0, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD, &status);
printf("Process 1 received from Process 0: %d\n", msg_recv);
}
} else {
// DEADLOCK AVOIDANCE: rank 0 sends first, rank 1 receives first
if (rank == 0) {
printf("Process 0 sending to Process 1...\n");
MPI_Send(&msg_send, 1, MPI_INT, 1, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
printf("Process 0 receiving from Process 1...\n");
MPI_Recv(&msg_recv, 1, MPI_INT, 1, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD, &status);
printf("Process 0 received from Process 1: %d\n", msg_recv);
} else if (rank == 1) {
printf("Process 1 receiving from Process 0...\n");
MPI_Recv(&msg_recv, 1, MPI_INT, 0, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD, &status);
printf("Process 1 received from Process 0: %d\n", msg_recv);
printf("Process 1 sending to Process 0...\n");
MPI_Send(&msg_send, 1, MPI_INT, 0, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
}
}
MPI_Finalize();
return 0;
}
```

**Step 1: Save the MPI Program : `mpi_deadlock_demo.c`**

**Step 2: Compile the MPI Program:**

**`mpicc mpi_deadlock_demo.c -o mpi_deadlock_demo`**

**Step 3: Run the MPI Program: `mpirun -np 2 ./mpi_deadlock_demo -deadlock`**

**Step 4: Run the MPI Program: `mpirun -np 2 ./mpi_deadlock_demo --avoid`**

**Output 1:**

**Process 0 sending to Process 1...**

**Process 1 sending to Process 0...**

**Output 2:**

**Process 0 sending to Process 1...**

**Process 1 receiving from Process 0...**

**Process 1 received from Process 0: 100**

**Process 1 sending to Process 0...**

**Process 0 receiving from Process 1...**

**Process 0 received from Process 1: 100**

**Viva Questions:**

- **What is deadlock in MPI?**  
Deadlock occurs when two or more processes wait indefinitely for each other to complete communication.
- **What MPI functions are used in point-to-point communication?**  
MPI\_Send() and MPI\_Recv().
- **How can deadlock occur using MPI\_Send() and MPI\_Recv()?**  
If both processes use blocking MPI\_Send() before MPI\_Recv(), they can wait indefinitely.
- **How can deadlock be avoided in point-to-point communication?**  
By changing the order of send/receive operations or using non-blocking functions like MPI\_Isend() and MPI\_Irecv().
- **What is a blocking communication?**  
The function waits until the operation completes before moving forward.
- **What is a tag in MPI communication?**  
A message identifier used to match sends and receives.
- **Why is it necessary to use MPI\_COMM\_WORLD?**  
It defines the default communicator including all processes.
- **What is MPI\_STATUS\_IGNORE used for?**  
It ignores the status return of a receive operation.
- **What is the role of MPI\_Init and MPI\_Finalize?**  
They initialize and clean up the MPI environment.
- **How many processes are required to demonstrate deadlock?**  
At least two.

**7. Write a MPI Program to demonstration of Broadcast operation.**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <mpi.h>
int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
    int rank, size;
    int data;

    // Initialize the MPI environment
    MPI_Init(&argc, &argv);

    // Get the rank (ID) of the current process
    MPI_Comm_rank(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &rank);

    // Get the total number of processes
    MPI_Comm_size(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &size);

    if (rank == 0) {
        // Root process initializes the data
        data = 42;
        printf("Process %d (Root) broadcasting data = %d\n", rank, data);
    }

    // Broadcast the data from root (process 0) to all processes
    MPI_Bcast(&data, 1, MPI_INT, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);

    // All processes (including root) receive the broadcasted data
    printf("Process %d received data = %d\n", rank, data);

    // Finalize the MPI environment
    MPI_Finalize();
    return 0;
}
```

**Step 1: Save the MPI Program : `mpi_broadcast_demo.c`**

**Step 2: Compile the MPI Program:**

**`mpicc mpi_broadcast_demo.c -o mpi_broadcast_demo`**

**Step 3: Run the MPI Program: `mpirun -np 4 ./mpi_broadcast_demo`**

**Output:**

**Process 0 (Root) broadcasting data = 42**

**Process 0 received data = 42**

**Process 1 received data = 42**

**Process 2 received data = 42**

**Process 3 received data = 42**



**Viva Questions:**

- **What is the purpose of MPI\_Bcast()?**  
It broadcasts data from one process (root) to all other processes.
- **Which process initiates the broadcast?**  
The root process.
- **Can the root process receive the data as well?**  
Yes, it also participates in the broadcast.
- **What kind of data can be broadcasted?**  
Any datatype supported by MPI, such as MPI\_INT, MPI\_FLOAT, etc.
- **What arguments are required by MPI\_Bcast()?**  
Buffer, count, datatype, root rank, and communicator.
- **Does MPI\_Bcast use point-to-point internally?**  
Yes, it is implemented using multiple send/receive operations internally.
- **Is MPI\_Bcast blocking?**  
Yes, it blocks until the broadcast is complete.
- **How many times is MPI\_Bcast called in a program?**  
Once by each process for a broadcast operation.
- **Can we have multiple broadcasts in one program?**  
Yes.
- **What happens if a non-root process calls MPI\_Bcast with a different buffer size?**  
It leads to undefined behavior or runtime errors.

**8. Write a MPI Program demonstration of MPI\_Scatter and MPI\_Gather.**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <mpi.h>
int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
    int rank, size;
    int send_data[100]; // Array for root to scatter
    int recv_data; // Each process receives one element
    int gathered_data[100]; // Root will gather data here
    MPI_Init(&argc, &argv); // Initialize MPI
    MPI_Comm_rank(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &rank); // Get process rank
    MPI_Comm_size(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &size); // Get total processes
    if (rank == 0)
    {
        // Initialize data to scatter (only root does this)
        for (int i = 0; i < size; i++)
        {
            send_data[i] = i * 10; // Example data: 0, 10, 20, ...
        }
        printf("Process 0 (Root): Data prepared for scattering:\n");
        for (int i = 0; i < size; i++) {
            printf("%d ", send_data[i]);
        }
        printf("\n");
    }
    // Scatter: each process receives one element of the send_data array
    MPI_Scatter(send_data, 1, MPI_INT, &recv_data, 1, MPI_INT, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);

    // Each process prints what it received
    printf("Process %d received value: %d\n", rank, recv_data);

    // Each process modifies its data (optional)
    recv_data += 1;

    // Gather: all modified recv_data values are sent back to root
    MPI_Gather(&recv_data, 1, MPI_INT, gathered_data, 1, MPI_INT, 0,
    MPI_COMM_WORLD);

    // Root process prints the gathered data
    if (rank == 0) {
        printf("Process 0 (Root): Data gathered after modification:\n");
        for (int i = 0; i < size; i++) {
            printf("%d ", gathered_data[i]);
        }
        printf("\n");
    }
    MPI_Finalize(); // Finalize MPI
    return 0;
}
```

**Step 1: Save the MPI Program : `mpi_scatter_gather_demo.c`**

**Step 2: Compile the MPI Program:**

**`mpicc mpi_scatter_gather_demo.c -o mpi_scatter_gather_demo`**

**Step 3: Run the MPI Program: `mpirun -np 4 ./mpi_scatter_gather_demo`**

**Output:**

**Process 0 (Root): Data prepared for scattering: 0 10 20 30**

**Process 0 received value: 0**

**Process 1 received value: 10**

**Process 2 received value: 20**

**Process 3 received value: 30**

**Process 0 (Root): Data gathered after modification: 1 11 21 31**

**Viva Questions:**

- **What does MPI\_Scatter do?**  
It divides data from the root and sends portions to all processes.
- **What is MPI\_Gather used for?**  
It collects data from all processes and assembles it at the root.
- **Do all processes need to call MPI\_Scatter/MPI\_Gather?**  
Yes, all processes in the communicator must call them.
- **Is the data distributed equally in MPI\_Scatter?**  
Yes, each process receives an equal portion of the total data.
- **What if the number of elements is not divisible by the number of processes?**  
It may cause errors or incomplete data distribution.
- **What is the role of the root in MPI\_Scatter and MPI\_Gather?**  
The root sends and receives the complete data buffer, respectively.
- **Are MPI\_Scatter and MPI\_Gather blocking?**  
Yes, both are blocking operations.
- **What is the signature of MPI\_Scatter?**  
`MPI_Scatter(sendbuf, sendcount, sendtype, recvbuf, recvcount, recvtype, root, comm)`
- **Can these operations be performed without the root process?**  
No, the root is mandatory for data distribution and collection.
- **Can we use MPI\_Scatter with different datatypes?**  
No, all processes must use the same datatype.

**9. Write a MPI Program to demonstration of MPI\_Reduce and MPI\_Allreduce (MPI\_MAX, MPI\_MIN, MPI\_SUM, MPI\_PROD).**

```
#include <mpi.h>
#include <stdio.h>
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    int rank, size;
    int value, sum, product, max, min;
    int all_sum, all_product, all_max, all_min;
    MPI_Init(&argc, &argv); // Initialize the MPI environment
    MPI_Comm_rank(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &rank); // Get the rank of the process
    MPI_Comm_size(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &size); // Get the total number of processes

    // Each process has its own value (for simplicity, we use rank + 1)
    value = rank + 1;
    printf("Process %d has value: %d\n", rank, value);

    // =====
    // Reduce operations (results gathered at root process - rank 0)
    // =====

    MPI_Reduce(&value, &sum, 1, MPI_INT, MPI_SUM, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
    MPI_Reduce(&value, &product, 1, MPI_INT, MPI_PROD, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
    MPI_Reduce(&value, &max, 1, MPI_INT, MPI_MAX, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
    MPI_Reduce(&value, &min, 1, MPI_INT, MPI_MIN, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
    if (rank == 0) {
        printf("\n--- MPI_Reduce Results (at Root Process 0) ---\n");
        printf("Sum = %d\n", sum);
        printf("Product = %d\n", product);
        printf("Maximum = %d\n", max);
        printf("Minimum = %d\n", min);
    }

    // =====
    // Allreduce operations (results available at all processes)
    // =====

    MPI_Allreduce(&value, &all_sum, 1, MPI_INT, MPI_SUM, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
    MPI_Allreduce(&value, &all_product, 1, MPI_INT, MPI_PROD, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
    MPI_Allreduce(&value, &all_max, 1, MPI_INT, MPI_MAX, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
    MPI_Allreduce(&value, &all_min, 1, MPI_INT, MPI_MIN, MPI_COMM_WORLD);
    printf("\nProcess %d - MPI_Allreduce Results:\n", rank);
    printf("Sum = %d\n", all_sum);
    printf("Product = %d\n", all_product);
    printf("Maximum = %d\n", all_max);
    printf("Minimum = %d\n", all_min);
    MPI_Finalize();
    return 0;
}
```

**Step 1: Save the MPI Program : `mpi_reduce_allreduce.c`**

**Step 2: Compile the MPI Program:**

**`mpicc mpi_reduce_allreduce.c -o mpi_reduce_allreduce`**

**Step 3: Run the MPI Program: `mpirun -np 4 ./mpi_reduce_allreduce`**

**Output:**

Process 0 has value: 1

Process 1 has value: 2

Process 2 has value: 3

Process 3 has value: 4

--- MPI\_Reduce Results (at Root Process 0) ---

Sum = 10

Product = 24

Maximum = 4

Minimum = 1

Process 0 - MPI\_Allreduce Results:

Sum = 10

Product = 24

Maximum = 4

Minimum = 1

Process 1 - MPI\_Allreduce Results:

Sum = 10

Product = 24

Maximum = 4

Minimum = 1

Process 2 - MPI\_Allreduce Results:

Sum = 10

Product = 24

Maximum = 4

Minimum = 1

Process 3 - MPI\_Allreduce Results:

Sum = 10

Product = 24

Maximum = 4

Minimum = 1

**Viva Questions:**

- **What is the purpose of MPI\_Reduce?**  
It performs a reduction operation (e.g., sum, max) and returns the result to the root.
- **What does MPI\_Allreduce do?**  
It performs a reduction and distributes the result to all processes.
- **What are some common operations in MPI\_Reduce?**  
MPI\_SUM, MPI\_MAX, MPI\_MIN, MPI\_PROD.
- **How does MPI\_Reduce differ from MPI\_Allreduce?**  
MPI\_Reduce returns result to root; MPI\_Allreduce to all.
- **Are these reduction operations commutative?**  
Yes, MPI reduction operations are assumed to be commutative and associative.
- **Can we define custom reduction operations?**  
Yes, using MPI\_Op\_create.
- **What is the significance of the root parameter in MPI\_Reduce?**  
It specifies which process receives the final result.
- **Can MPI\_Allreduce be used without a root?**  
Yes, it returns results to all processes.
- **Are these operations synchronous?**  
Yes, they are blocking and require participation from all processes.
- **What happens if datatypes mismatch in reduction?**  
The program leads to undefined behavior or runtime errors.