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CS381-16 Assignment 1

Answer to 1.1

Here the variable core_num would refer to the numbers of the core, such as 0, 1, 2...

remaining = n % p

when n is not evenly divisible by p

if core_num < remaining then:

 my_first = core_num * n/p

 my_last = my_first + n/p

when n is evenly divisible by p

else:

 my_first = core_num * n/p

 my_last = my_first + n/p - 1

 # there is a - 1 to account for the even split

 # for example, n = 20, p = 5

 # we have an equal split of 4 data points each core

 # core 0: 0-3 data points

 # core 1: 4-7 data points ...

Answer to 1.2

Pseudocode for sum:

divisor = 2

core_difference = 1

sum = current_core_val

while divisor <= num_of_cores:

 if core_num % divisor == 0:

 val = receive value from sending core

 sum += val

 else

 sending_core = core_num + core_difference

 send value to sending_core

divisor *= 2

core_difference *= 2

Answer to 1.4

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divisor = 2
core_difference = 1
sum = current_core_val
while divisor <= num_of_cores:
    if core_num % divisor == 0:
        val = receive value from sending core
        sum += val
    else
        sending_core = core_num + core_difference
        send value to sending_core
divisor *= 2
core_difference = core_difference << 1
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