

Lab Exam 2

In this assignment you are to fix MPI bugs in three codes and program a matrix multiplication using MPI.

- Login to reinhardt via ssh (ssh <yourusername>@reinhardt.cs.wit.edu)
- 2. Copy the folder named LE2 into your home directory. It is located in /assignments
- 3. The three bugged programs are already written, fix them. Include a brief description of the fix in your writeup to submit to Blackboard
- 4. Write a makefile and PBS script for your matrix multiplication program.
- 5. Write a matrix multiplication algorithm using MPI.
- 6. Verify that your code produces the correct result by comparing the serial output to your version of the code.
- 7. Do **NOT** run the program on the login node.
- 8. Time your code with a variety of ranks and create a scaling plot (either strong or weak).
- 9. Upload the completed plots to Blackboard, along with the bug fix descriptions.

A Matrix multiplication can be written as

$$AB = C$$

Matrix $\bf A$ is copied to every processor. Matrix $\bf B$ is divided into blocks, along the rows, and distributed among processors, i.e. the data for matrix $\bf B$ should be distributed among the ranks who perform the actual multiplication. They then send back their results to the rank o for output. Think about how matrix $\bf B$ should be laid out in memory for efficient distribution. Use whatever type of MPI parallelism that you see fit.

Use the following text matrix:

$$A(i,j) = 2i + j$$
$$B(i,j) = i + 3j$$

Confirm that your algorithm works correctly for small matrices first, then increase the size (and turn off the printing) to get the timings.

In your writeup:

- Briefly describe how you fixed the bugged MPI programs.
- For the matrix multiplication, include a scaling plot and a brief description of the MPI algorithm that you used.
- Time the communication in your matrix multiplication code as the size of the matrix increases, and include the plot.