

Programming OpenMP

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Programming OpenMP SIMD, Part 2

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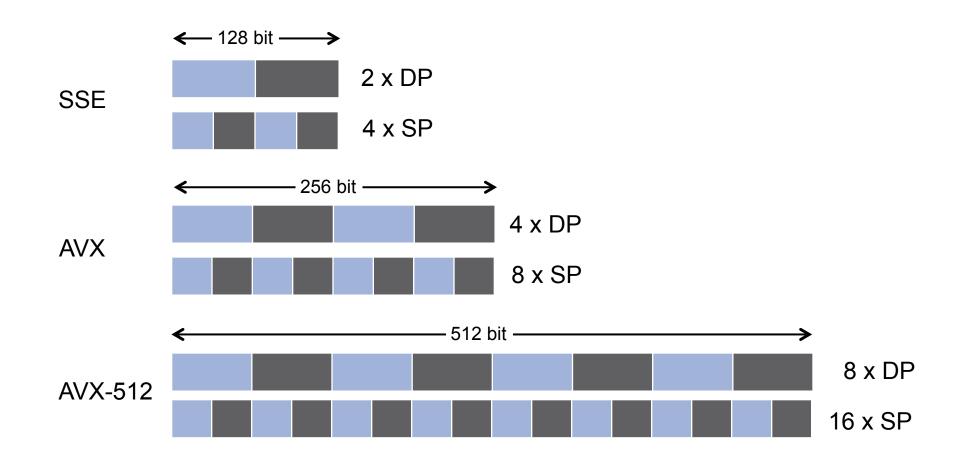
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SIMD on x86 Architectures (Recap)

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You need to trust your compiler to do the "right" thing.

SIMD Loop Construct



- Vectorize a loop nest
 - → Cut loop into chunks that fit a SIMD vector register
 - → No parallelization of the loop body

Syntax (C/C++)

```
#pragma omp simd [clause[[,] clause],...]
for-loops
```

Syntax (Fortran)

```
!$omp simd [clause[[,] clause],...]
do-loops
[!$omp end simd]
```

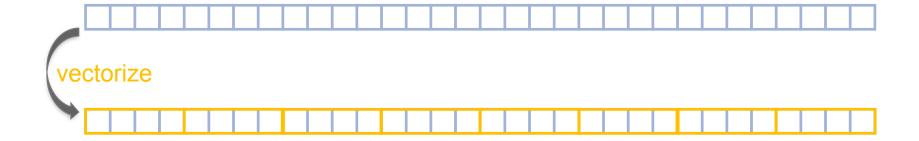






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  float sum = 0.0f;

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  return sum;
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reduction(op:var-list):

Create private variables for var-list and apply reduction operator op at the end of the construct

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1\\2 \end{bmatrix}$$
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SIMD Worksharing Construct



- Parallelize and vectorize a loop nest
 - → Distribute a loop's iteration space across a thread team
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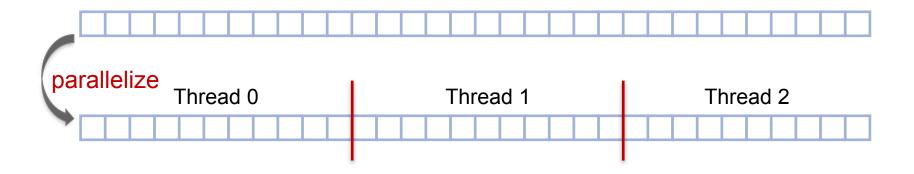






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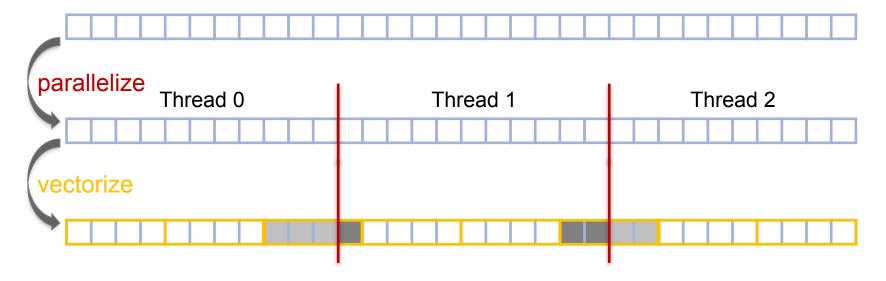
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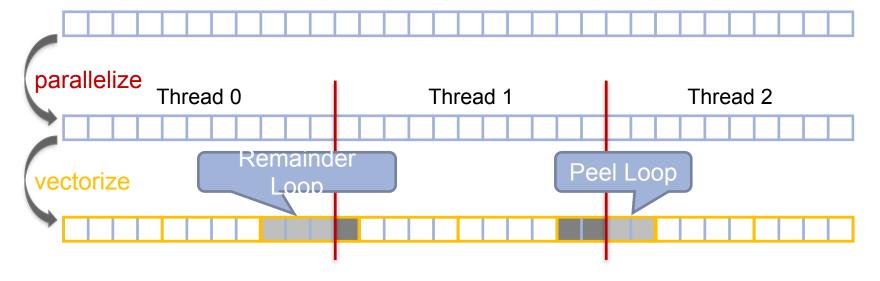
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 - → and AVX2, the code will only execute the remainder loop!
 - → and SSE, the code will have one iteration in the SIMD loop plus one in the remainder loop!

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```
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   return a < b ? a : b;
float distsq(float x, float y) {
   return (x - y) * (x - y);
void example() {
#pragma omp parallel for simd
    for (i=0; i< N; i++) {
        d[i] = min(distsq(a[i], b[i]), c[i]);
```

SIMD Function Vectorization



 Declare one or more functions to be compiled for calls from a SIMDparallel loop

Syntax (C/C++):

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function-definition-or-declaration
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!$omp declare simd (proc-name-list)
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```
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float min(float a, float b) {
                                   vminps %zmm1, %zmm0, %zmm0
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                                   ret
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    /* do something */
    return x * 2.0;
void example() {
#pragma omp simd
    for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)
        if (a[i] < 0.0)
            b[i] = do stuff(a[i]);
```





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#pragma omp declare simd inbranch
float do stuff(float x)
                           vec8 do stuff v(vec8 x, mask m) {
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                               vmulpd x\{m\}, 2.0, tmp
                               return tmp;
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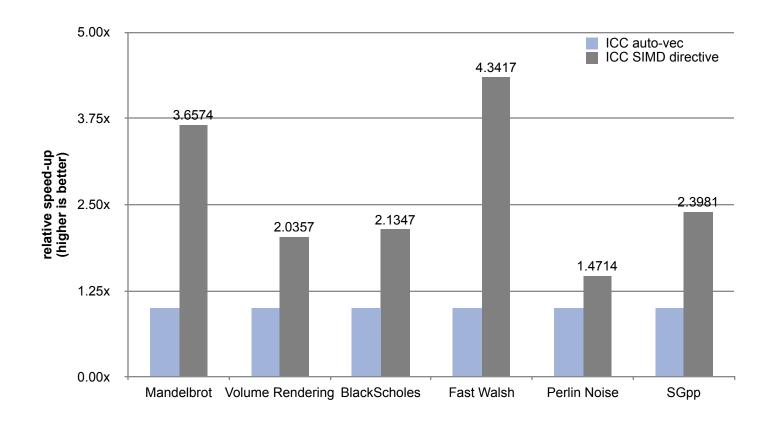




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            b[i] = do stuff(a[i]);
                         for (int i = 0; i < N; i+=8) {
                             vcmp lt &a[i], 0.0, mask
                             b[i] = do stuff v(&a[i], mask);
```

SIMD Constructs & Performance





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Improving Tasking Performance: Task Affinity

Motivation



- Techniques for process binding & thread pinning available
 - →OpenMP thread level: OMP PLACES & OMP PROC BIND
 - →OS functionality: taskset -c

OpenMP Tasking:

- In general: Tasks may be executed by any thread in the team
 - → Missing task-to-data affinity may have detrimental effect on performance

OpenMP 5.0:

affinity clause to express affinity to data

affinity clause



- New clause: #pragma omp task affinity (list)
 - → Hint to the runtime to execute task closely to physical data location
 - →Clear separation between dependencies and affinity

Expectations:

- → Improve data locality / reduce remote memory accesses
- → Decrease runtime variability
- Still expect task stealing
 - →In particular, if a thread is under-utilized

Code Example

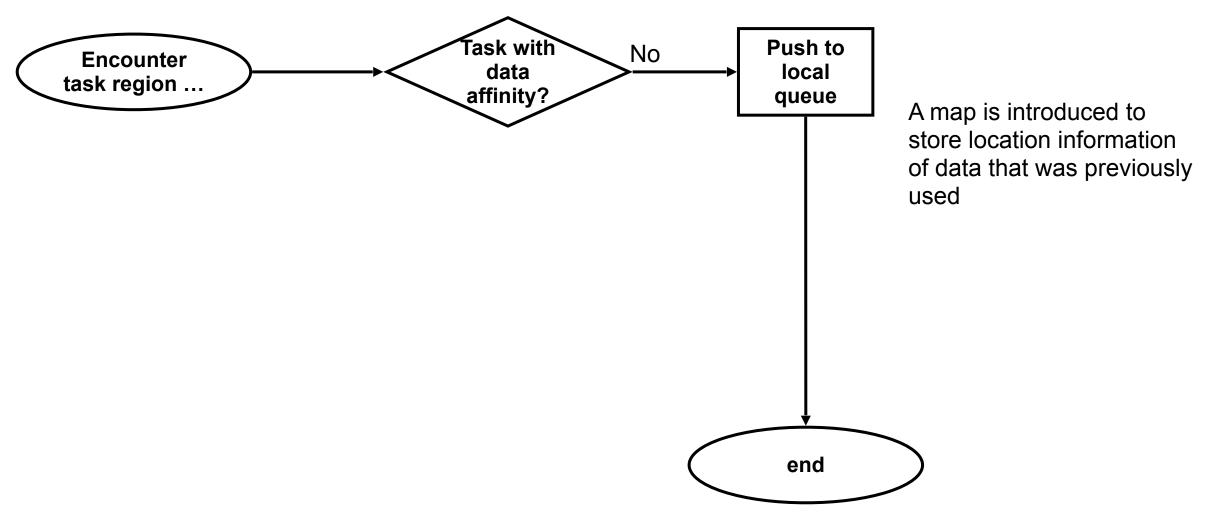


Excerpt from task-parallel STREAM

```
| #pragma omp task \
| shared(a, b, c, scalar) \
| firstprivate(tmp_idx_start, tmp_idx_end) \
| affinity( a[tmp_idx_start] )
| {
| Oobjs have been blocked manually (see tmp_idx_start /end) |
| for(i = tmp_idx_start; i <= tmp_idx_end; i++) |
| Assumption; initialization and computation have same blocking and same affinity |
| 9 }
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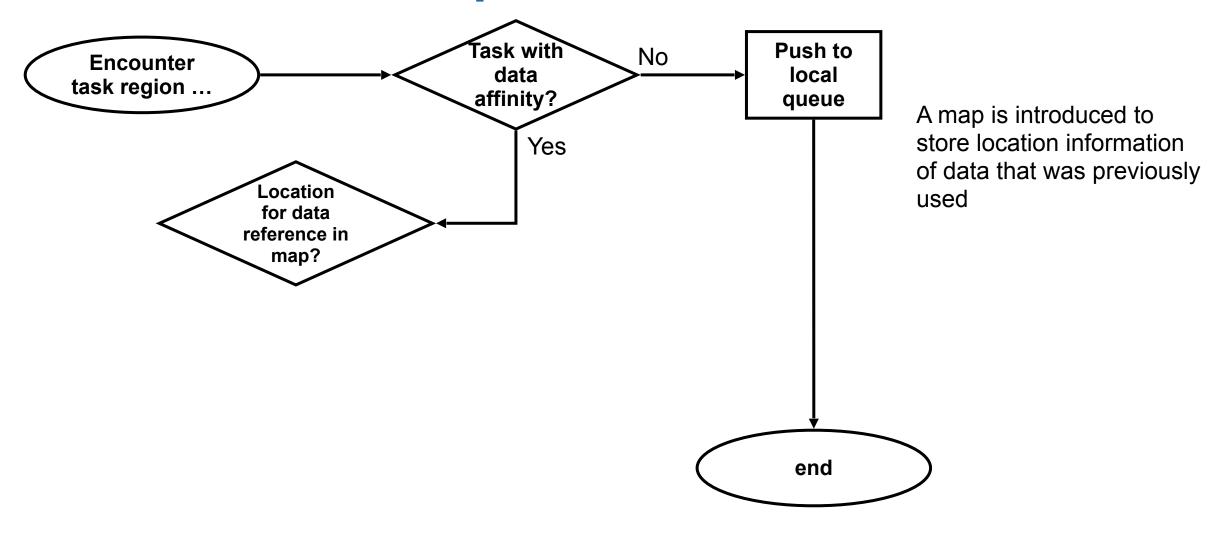






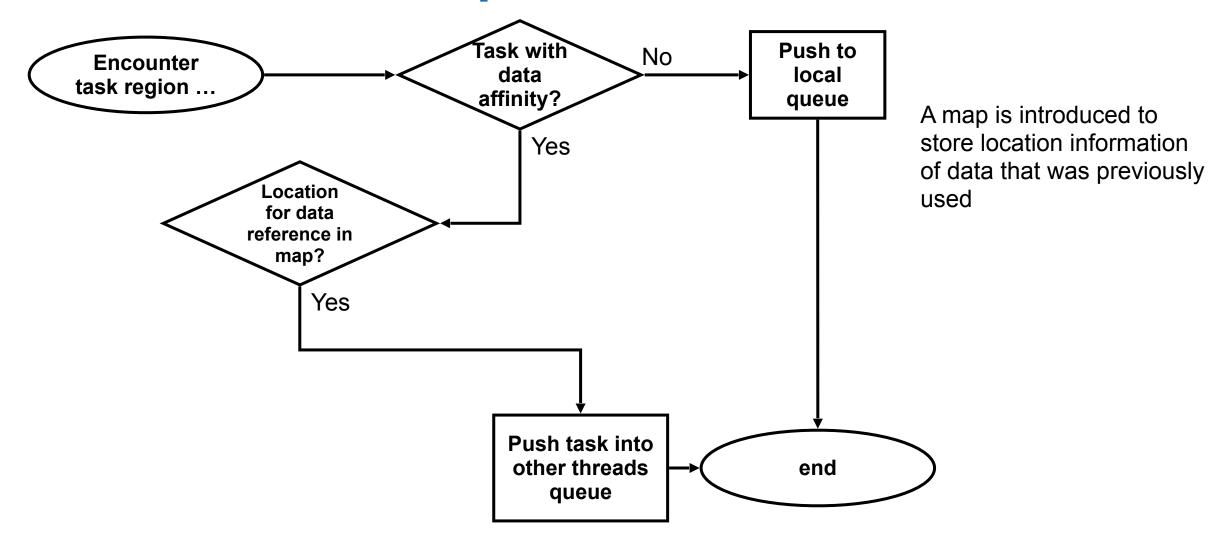
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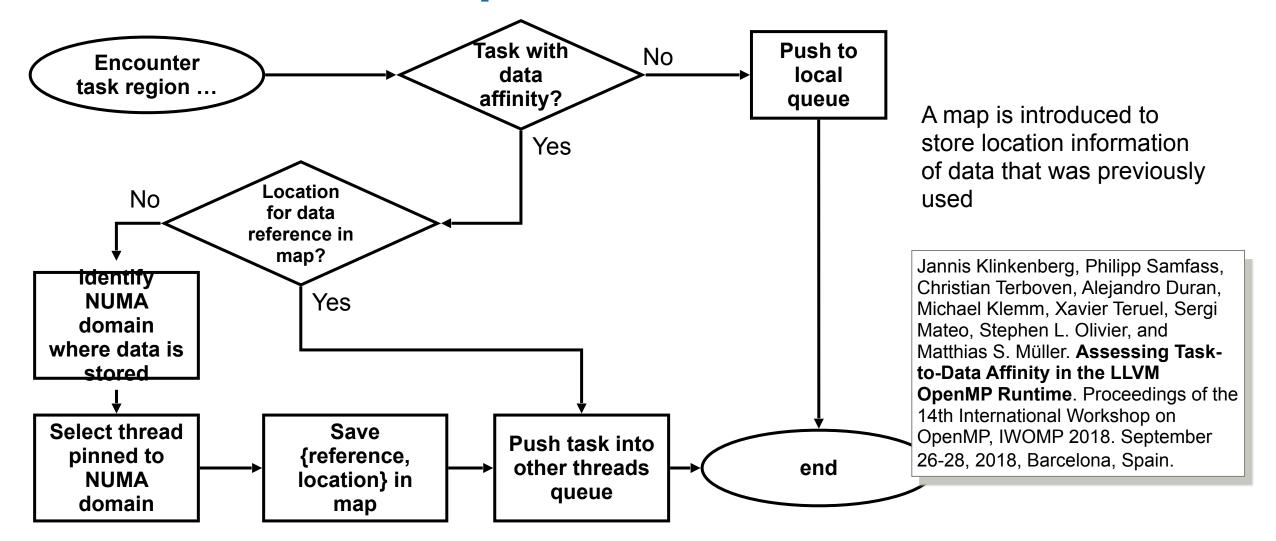
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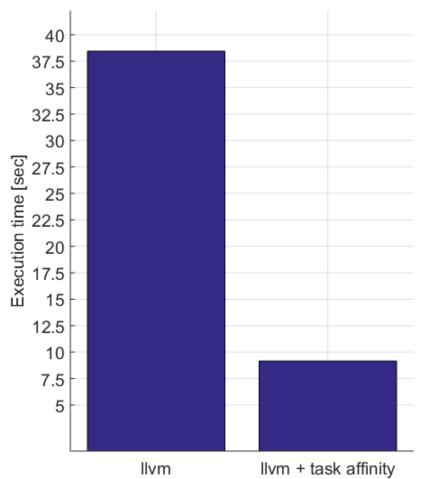


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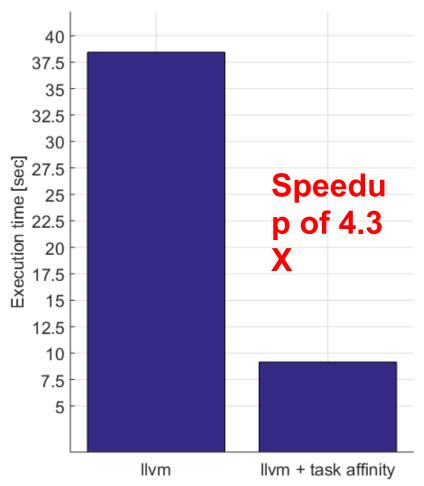


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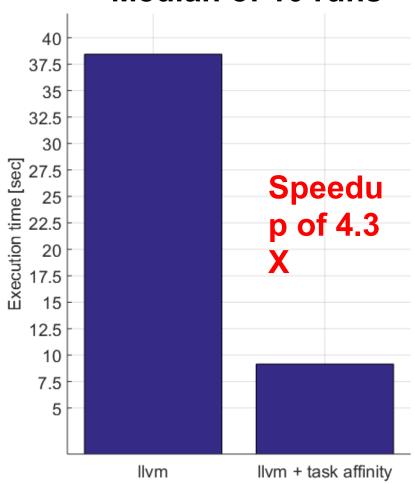
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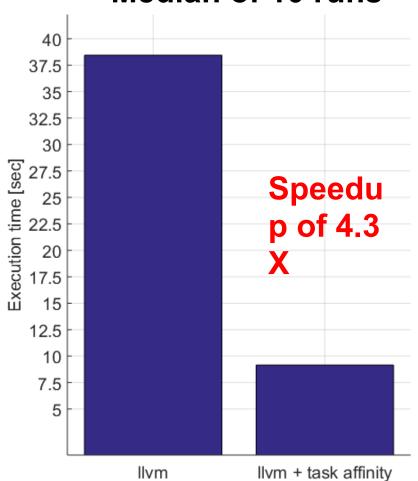
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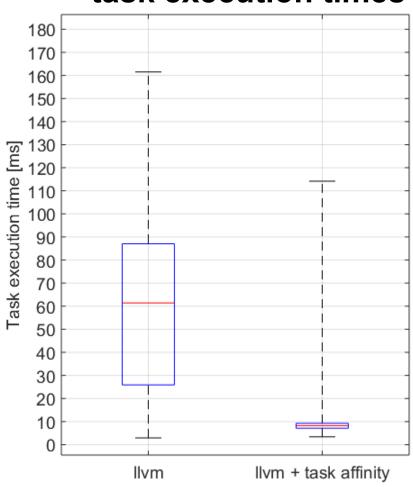
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Distribution of single task execution times



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Summary



Requirement for this feature: thread affinity enabled

- The affinity clause helps, if
 - → tasks access data heavily
 - → single task creator scenario, or task not created with data affinity
 - →high load imbalance among the tasks

Different from thread binding: task stealing is absolutely allowed



Case Study: NWChem TCE CCSD(T)

TCE: Tensor Contraction Engine

CCSD(T): Coupled-Cluster with Single, Double,

and perturbative Triple replacements



NWChem

- Computational chemistry software package
 - Quantum chemistry
 - Molecular dynamics
- Designed for large-scale supercomputers
- Developed at the EMSL at PNNL
 - EMSL: Environmental Molecular Sciences Laboratory
 - PNNL: Pacific Northwest National Lab
- URL: http://www.nwchem-sw.org



Finding Offload Candidates

- Requirements for offload candidates
 - Compute-intensive code regions (kernels)
 - Highly parallel
 - Compute scaling stronger than data transfer, e.g., compute O(n³) vs. data size O(n²)



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      double precision v2sub(h3d*h2d,p6d,h7d)
!$omp target "presence?(triplesx,t2sub,v2sub)"
!$omp teams distribute parallel do
private(p4,p5,p6,h2,h3,h1,h7)
      do p4=1,p4d
      do p5=1,p5d
      do p6=1,p6d
      do h1=1, h1d
      do h7=1,h7d
      do h2h3=1,h3d*h2d
      triplesx(h2h3,h1,p6,p5,p4) = triplesx(h2h3,h1,p6,p5,p4)
         - t2sub(h7,p4,p5,h1)*v2sub(h2h3,p6,h7)
      end do
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        do ...
          call comm and sort(t2sub, v2sub)
!$omp target data map(to:t2sub(t2 size)) map(to:v2sub(v2 size))
          if (...)
            call
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          end if
          same for sd t d1 2 until sd t d1 9
!$omp target end data
        end do
        do ...
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        call sum energy(energy, triplesx)
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Isomp target exit data man(release triples (1.size))

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                                               Allocate 1.5GB data once,
        do ...
                                                    stays on device.
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 - always kept on the target



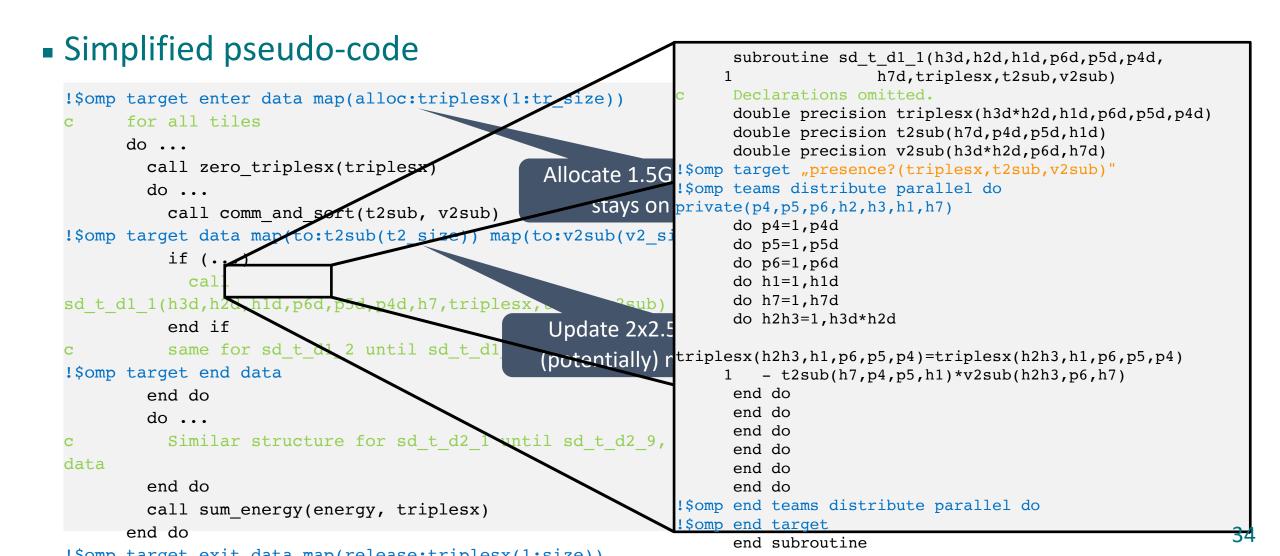
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        do ...
                                                    stays on device.
          call comm and sort(t2sub, v2sub)
!$omp target data map(to:t2sub(t2 size)) map(to:v2sub(v2 size))
          if (...)
            call
sd t d1 1(h3d,h2d,h1d,p6d,p5d,p4d,h7,triplesx,
          end if
                                                Update 2x2.5MB of data for
          same for sd t d1 2 until sd t d1
                                               (potentially) multiple kernels.
!$omp target end data
        end do
        do ...
          Similar structure for sd t d2 1 until sd t d2 9, incl. target
data
        end do
        call sum energy(energy, triplesx)
      end do
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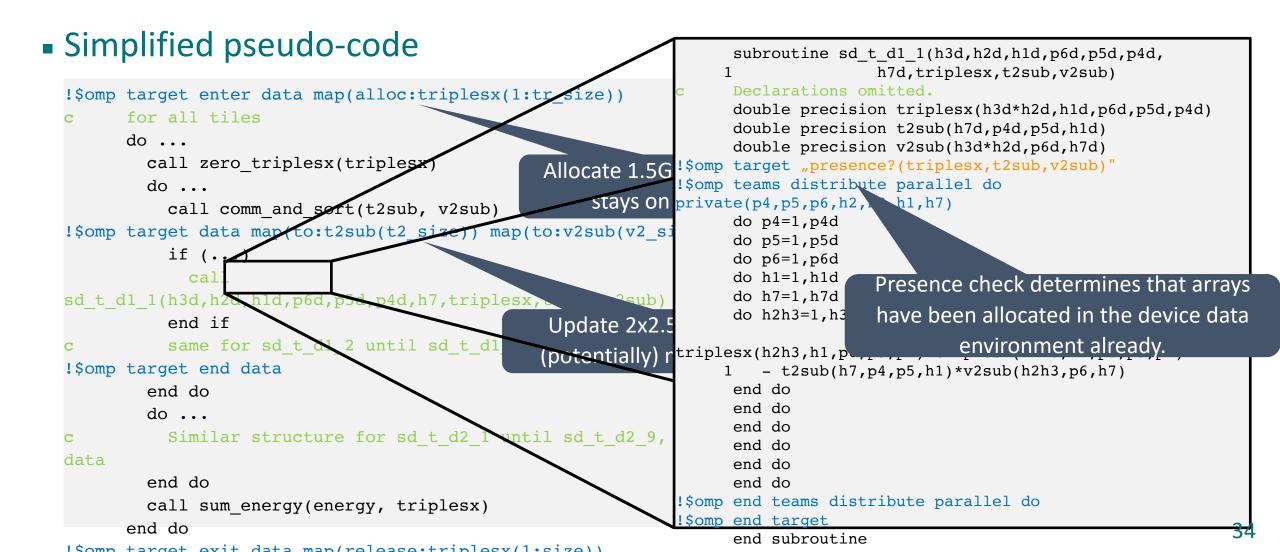
Reduced data transfers:

- triplesx:
 - allocated once
 - always kept on the target
- t2sub, v2sub:
 - allocated after comm.
 - kept for (multiple) kernel invocations











Programming OpenMP

OpenMP and MPI

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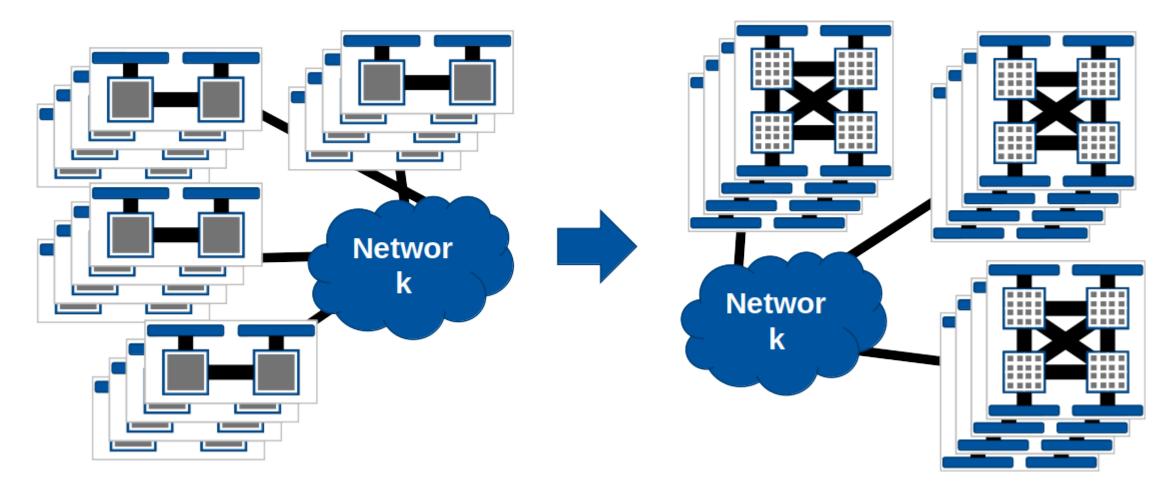


Motivation

Motivation for hybrid programming



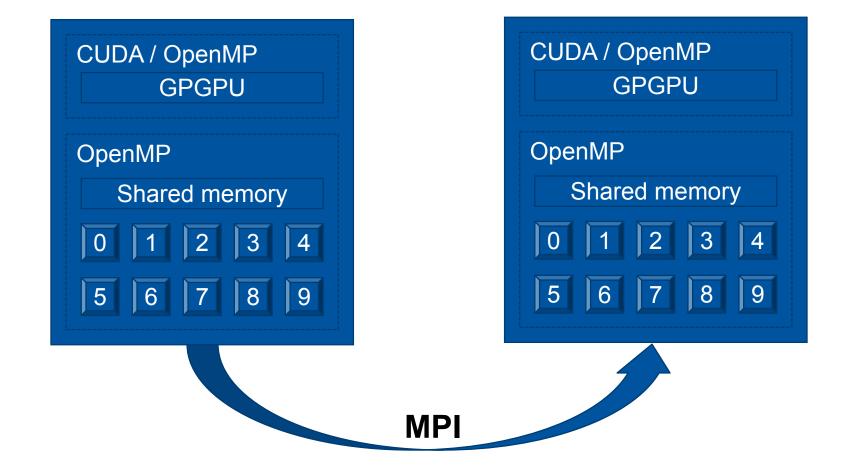
Increasing number of cores per node







• (Hierarchical) mixing of different programming paradigms





MPI and **OpenMP**





- MPI needs special initialization in a threaded environment
 - Use MPI_Init_thread to communicate thread support level
- Four levels of threading support

Higher levels

Level identifier	Description
MPI_THREAD_SINGLE	Only one thread may execute
MPI_THREAD_FUNNELED	Only the main thread may make MPI calls
MPI_THREAD_SERIALIZE D	Any one thread may make MPI calls at a time
MPI_THREAD_MULTIPLE	Multiple threads may call MPI concurrently with no restrictions

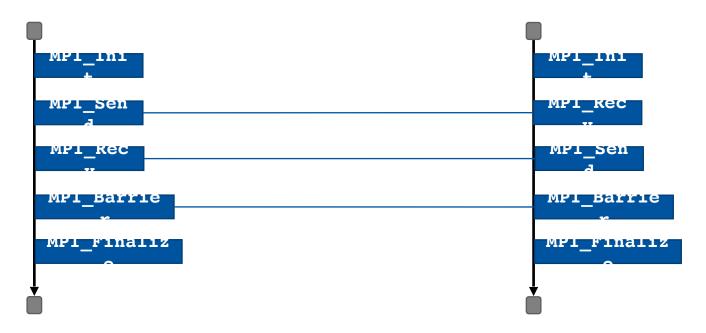
• MPI_THREAD_MULTIPLE may incur significant overhead inside an MPI implementation





- MPI_THREAD_SINGLE
 - Only one thread per MPI rank



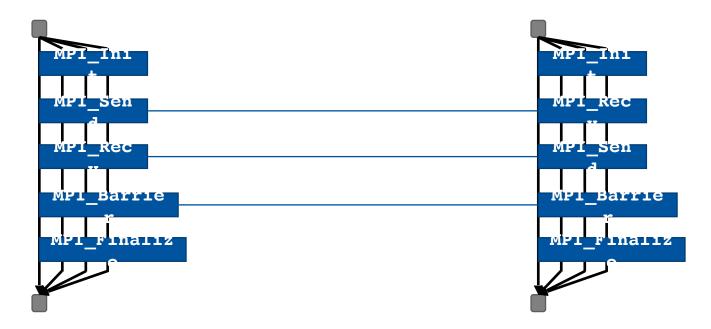






- MPI_THREAD_FUNNELED
 - Only one thread communicates



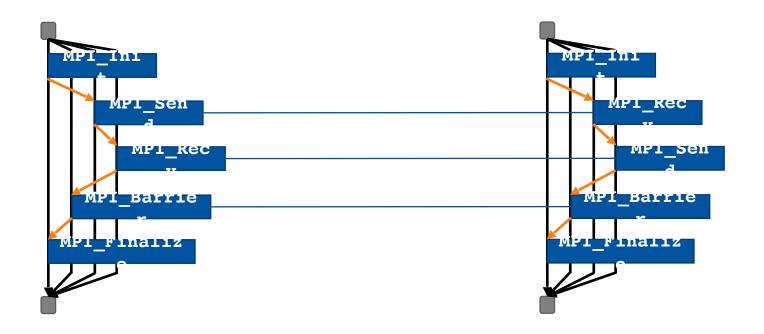




Open**MP**

- MPI_THREAD_SERIALIZED
 - Only one thread communicates at a time

MPI CommunicationThread Synchronization







- MPI_THREAD_MULTIPLE
 - All threads communicate concurrently without synchronizatio

MPI Communication
Thread Synchronization

