

Αρχιτεκτονική Προηγμένων Υπολογιστών και Επιταχυντών Lab 2 Report

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Chapter 1

Software Emulation

1.1 Console Output

```
<terminated> (exit value: 0) SystemDebugger_lab2_system_lab2 [OpenCL] /mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2/Emulation-SW/lab2 (12/19/25, 12:47 PM)
[Console output redirected to file:/mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2/Emulation-SW/SystemDebugger_lab2_system_lab2.launch.log]
Found Platform
Platform Name: Xilinx
INFO: Reading /mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2_system/Emulation-SW/binary_container_1.xclbin
Loading: '/mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2_system/Emulation-SW/binary_container_1.xclbin'
Trying to program device[0]: xilinx_u200_gen3x16_xdma_2_202110_1
Kernel Name: imageDiffPosterize_1, CU Number: 0, Thread creation status: success
Device[0]: program successful!
Kernel Name: imageDiffPosterize_1, CU Number: 0, State: Start
Kernel Name: imageDiffPosterize_1, CU Number: 0, State: Running
Kernel Name: imageDiffPosterize_1, CU Number: 0, State: Idle
----- Key execution times -----
Allocate Memory in Host Memory           : 0.410 ms
Fill the buffers                         : 0.168 ms
Run Software Reference                   : 0.334 ms
Load Binary File to Alveo U200          : 29.061 ms
Allocate Buffer in Global Memory         : 0.219 ms
Set the Kernel Arguments                 : 0.040 ms
Copy input data to device global memory : 0.321 ms
Launch the Kernel                       : 0.423 ms
Copy Result from Device Global Memory to Host Local Memory : 2.255 ms
Compare the results of the Device to the simulation : 0.055 ms
TEST PASSED
device process sw_emu_device done
Kernel Name: imageDiffPosterize_1, CU Number: 0, Status: Shutdown
```

Figure 1.1: sw_emu

1.2 Kernels and Compute Units




Kernels & Compute Units													
Kernel Execution													
Kernel	Enqueues	Total Time (ms)	Min Time (ms)	Avg Time (ms)	Max Time (ms)								
 imageDiffPosterize	1	0.959	0.959	0.959	0.959								
Top Kernel Execution													
Kernel	Kernel Instance Address	Context ID	Command Queue ID	Device	Start Time (ms)	Duration (ms)							
 imageDiffPosterize	0x5575039e3120	0	0	xilinx_u200_gen3x16_xdma_2_202110_1-0	30.706	0.959							
Compute Unit Utilization													
Compute Unit	Kernel	Device	Calls	Dataflow Execution	Max Parallel Executions	Dataflow Acceleration	CU Device Utilization (%)	CU Kernel Utilization (%)	Total Time (ms)	Min Time (ms)	Avg Time (ms)	Max Time (ms)	Clock Freq (MHz)
 imageDiffPosterize_1	imageDiffPosterize	xilinx_u200_gen3x16_xdma_2_202110_1-0	1	No	0	1.000000x	92.894	92.894	0.891	0.891	0.891	0.891	300.000

Figure 1.2: sw_kernels

1.3 Host Data Transfers

Host Data Transfers							
Host Transfer							
No data. To generate data run Hardware Emulation or on Hardware Platform. See Profiling the Application							
Top Memory Writes							
Buffer Address	Context ID	Command Queue ID	Start Time (ms)	Duration (ms)	Buffer Size (KB)	Writing Rate (MB/s)	
0x2000	0	0	30.144	N/A	32.768	N/A	
0xa000	0	0	30.575	N/A	49.152	N/A	
Top Memory Reads							
Buffer Address	Context ID	Command Queue ID	Start Time (ms)	Duration (ms)	Buffer Size (KB)	Reading Rate (MB/s)	
0xa000	0	0	31.738	N/A	32.768	N/A	

Figure 1.3: sw_data_trans

1.4 Timeline

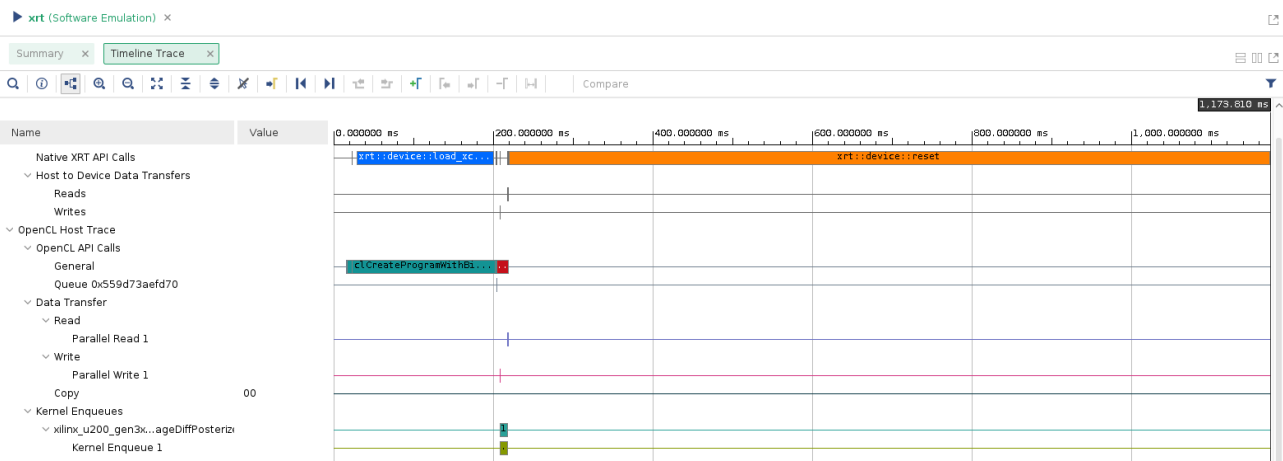


Figure 1.4: sw_timeline

Chapter 2

Hardware Emulation

2.1 Console Output

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<terminated> (exit value: 0) SystemDebugger_lab2_system_1_lab2 [OpenCL] /mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2/Emulation-HW/lab2 (12/19/25, 2:19 PM)
[Console output redirected to file:/mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2/Emulation-HW/SystemDebugger_lab2_system_1_lab2.launch.log]
Found Platform
Platform Name: Xilinx
INFO: Reading /mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2_system/Emulation-HW/binary_container_1.xclbin
Loading: '/mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2_system/Emulation-HW/binary_container_1.xclbin'
Trying to program device[0]: xilinx_u200_gen3x16_xdma_2_202110_1
INFO: [HW-EMU 05] Path of the simulation directory : /mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2/Emulation-HW/.run/15940/hw_em/device0/binary_0/be
INFO: [HW-EMU 01] Hardware emulation runs simulation underneath. Using a large data set will result in long simulation times. It is reco
configuring dataflow mode with ert polling
scheduler config ert(1), dataflow(1), slots(16), cudma(0), cuisr(0), cdma(0), cus(1)
Device[0]: program successful!
----- Key execution times -----
Allocate Memory in Host Memory          :    0.528 ms
Fill the buffers                        :    0.268 ms
Run Software Reference                  :   17.265 ms
Load Binary File to Alveo U200         : 43448.398 ms
Allocate Buffer in Global Memory        :   141.558 ms
Set the Kernel Arguments                :    0.043 ms
Copy input data to device global memory :    0.305 ms
Launch the Kernel                      :    0.060 ms
Copy Result from Device Global Memory to Host Local Memory : 171210.906 ms
Compare the results of the Device to the simulation :    0.052 ms
TEST PASSED


socket connect is not established/broken
INFO: [HW-EMU 06-0] Waiting for the simulator process to exit
INFO: [HW-EMU 06-1] All the simulator processes exited successfully
INFO: [HW-EMU 07-0] Please refer the path "/mnt/data2/lab_fpga/student8/lab2/Emulation-HW/.run/15940/hw_em/device0/binary_0/behav_wavefo
```

Figure 2.1: hw_emu


2.2 Kernels and Compute Units

Kernels & Compute Units

Kernel Execution (includes estimated device times)

Kernel	Enqueues	Total Time (ms)	Min Time (ms)	Avg Time (ms)	Max Time (ms)	
 Name of kernel	1	0.513	0.513	0.513	0.513	

Top Kernel Execution

Kernel	Kernel Instance Address	Context ID	Command Queue ID	Device	Start Time (ms)	Duration (ms)	
 imageDiffPosterize	0x559d10396e30	0	0	xilinx_u200_gen3x16_xdma_2_202110_1-0	0.039	0.513	

Compute Unit Utilization (includes estimated device times)


Compute Unit	Kernel	Device	Calls	Dataflow Execution	Max Parallel Executions	Dataflow Acceleration	CU Device Utilization (%)	CU Kernel Utilization (%)	Total Time (ms)	Min Time (ms)	Avg Time (ms)	Max Time (ms)	Clock Freq (MHz)
 imageDiffPosterize_1	imageDiffPosterize	xilinx_u200_gen3x16_xdma_2_202110_1-0	1	Yes	1	1.000000x	98.061	98.061	0.503	0.503	0.503	0.503	300.000

Figure 2.2: hw_kernels

2.3 Host Data Transfers

Host Data Transfers							
Host Transfer							
Context: Number of Devices	Transfer Type	Number of Buffer Transfers	Transfer Rate (MB/s)	Avg Bandwidth Utilization (%)	Avg Size (KB)	Total Time (ms)	Avg Time (ms)
context0:1	READ	1	0.761	N/A	32.768	N/A	N/A
context0:1	WRITE	2	1.185	N/A	40.960	N/A	N/A
Top Memory Writes							
Buffer Address	Context ID	Command Queue ID	Start Time (ms)	Duration (ms)	Buffer Size (KB)	Writing Rate (MB/s)	
0x800000000	0	0	43602.600	N/A	32.768	N/A	
0x800008000	0	0	43647.300	N/A	49.152	N/A	
Top Memory Reads							
Buffer Address	Context ID	Command Queue ID	Start Time (ms)	Duration (ms)	Buffer Size (KB)	Reading Rate (MB/s)	
0x800008000	0	0	214759.000	N/A	32.768	N/A	

Figure 2.3: hw_host_data_trans

2.4 Kernel Data Transfers

Kernel Data Transfers												
Kernel Transfer												
Compute Unit Port	Kernel Arguments	Device	Memory Resources	Transfer Type	Number of Transfers	Transfer Rate (MB/s)	BW Util wrt Current Port Config (%)	BW Util wrt Ideal Port Config (%)	Max BW on Current Port Config (MB/s)	Max BW on Ideal Port Config (MB/s)	Avg Size (KB)	Avg Latency (ns)
imageDiffPosterize_1/m_axi_gmem	A[B]C[C_filt	xilinx_u200_gen3x16_xdma_2_202110_1-0	DDR[1]	WRITE	592	945.413	78.784	4.924	1200.000	19200.000	0.055	17.568
imageDiffPosterize_1/m_axi_gmem	A[B]C[C_filt	xilinx_u200_gen3x16_xdma_2_202110_1-0	DDR[1]	READ	14487	848.548	70.712	4.420	1200.000	19200.000	0.006	3.987
Top Kernel Transfer												
Compute Unit	Device	Number of Transfers	Avg Bytes per Transfer	Transfer Efficiency (%)	Total Data Transfer (MB)	Total Write (MB)	Total Read (MB)	Total Transfer Rate (MB/s)				
imageDiffPosterize_1	xilinx_u200_gen3x16_xdma_2_202110_1-0	15079	8.000	0.196	0.121	0.033	0.088	872.740				

Figure 2.4: hw_kernel_data_trans

2.5 Timeline

Entire timeline:

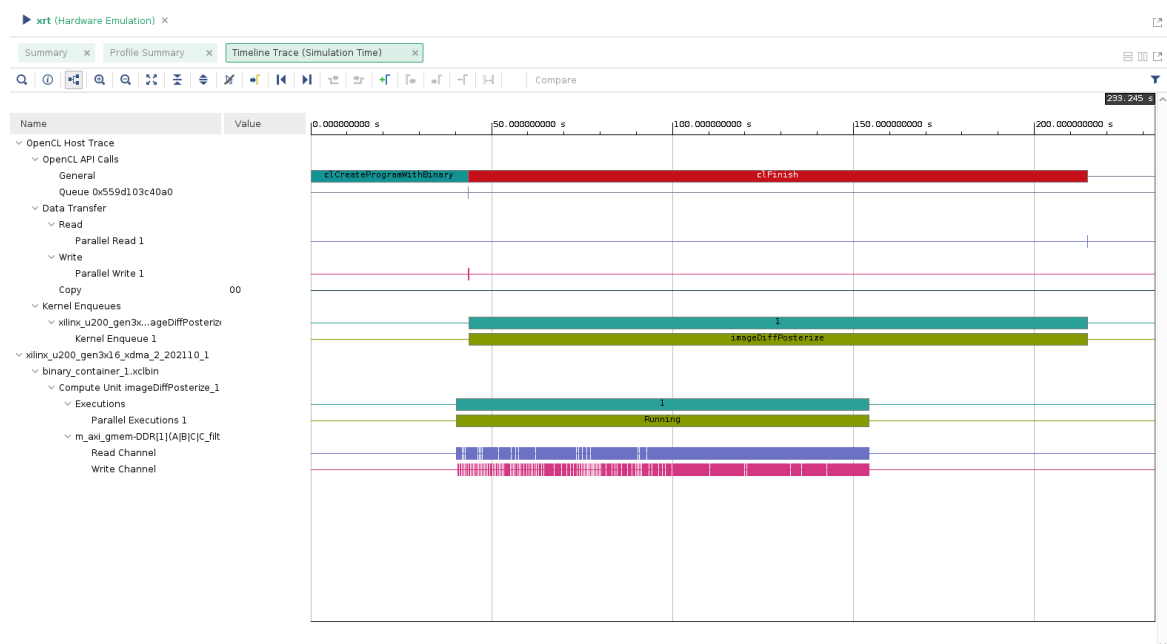


Figure 2.5: hw_timeline

Zoomed in at around 42 - 45 seconds:

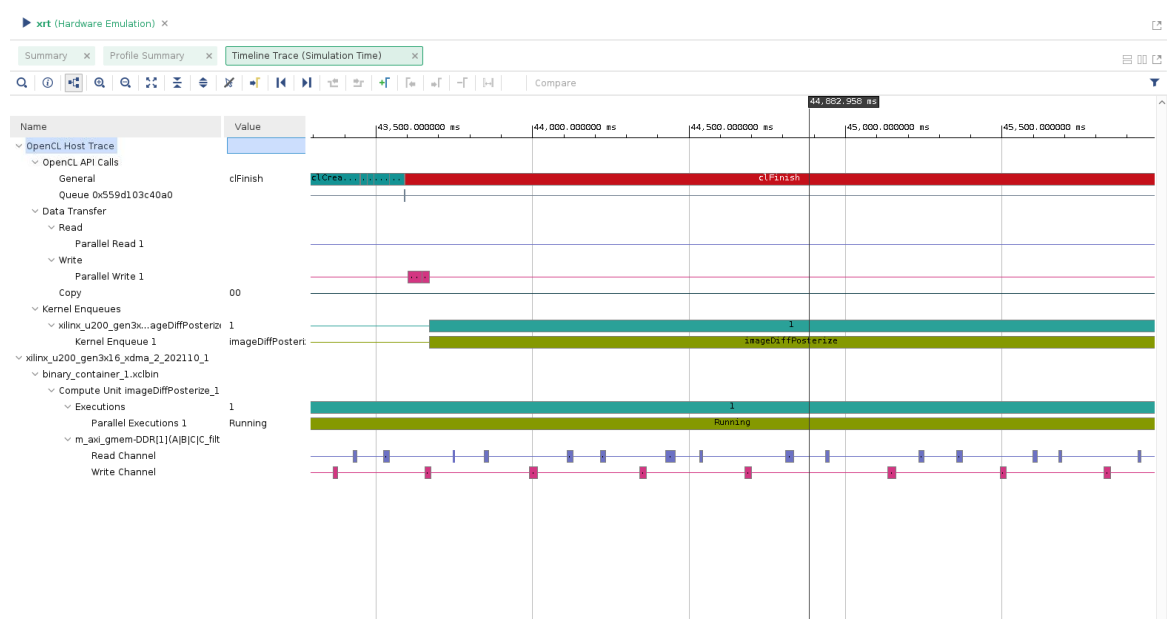


Figure 2.6: hw_timeline_zoom

2.6 API Calls

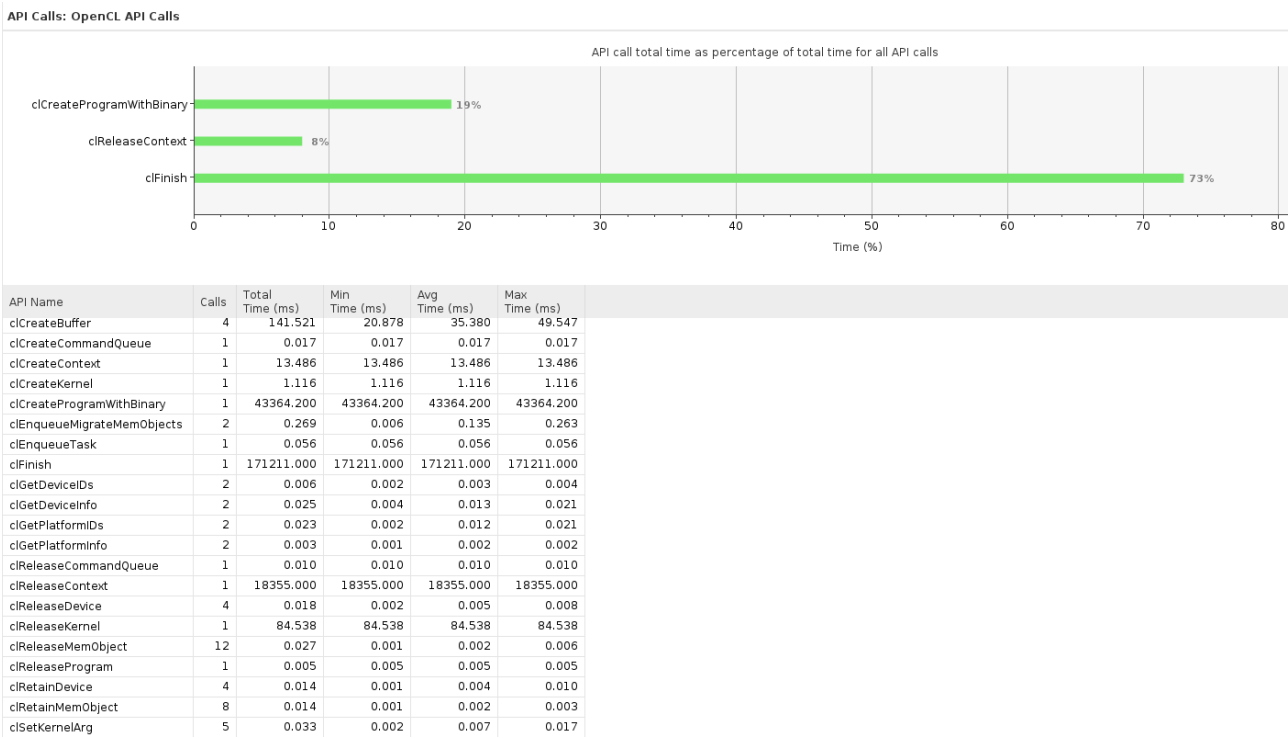


Figure 2.7: hw_api_calls

Chapter 3

Zip Contents

- lab2test.cpp
 - Locally run testing program with fully bufferized matrices.
- lab2test_easy.cpp
 - Locally run testing program, similar to lab2.cpp but doesn't utilize buffers for the calculation of **C_filter**.
- lab2.cpp
 - Final form of lab2's kernel. Run on Vitis.
- tb_lab2.cpp
 - The host which manages the lab2's kernel. Run on Vitis.