

In the name of God

**Project 2 — Parallel Programming Course**

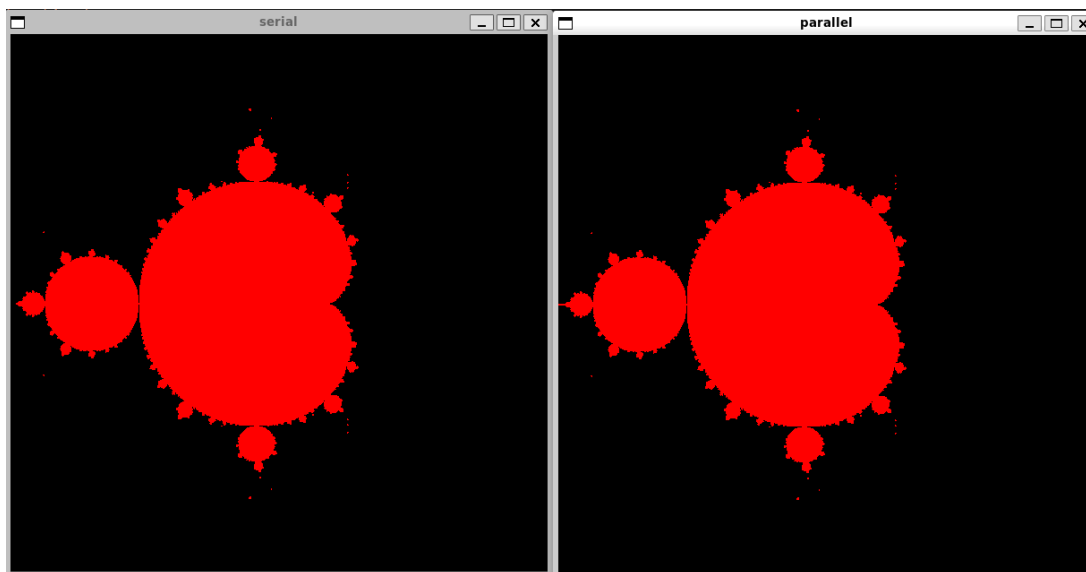
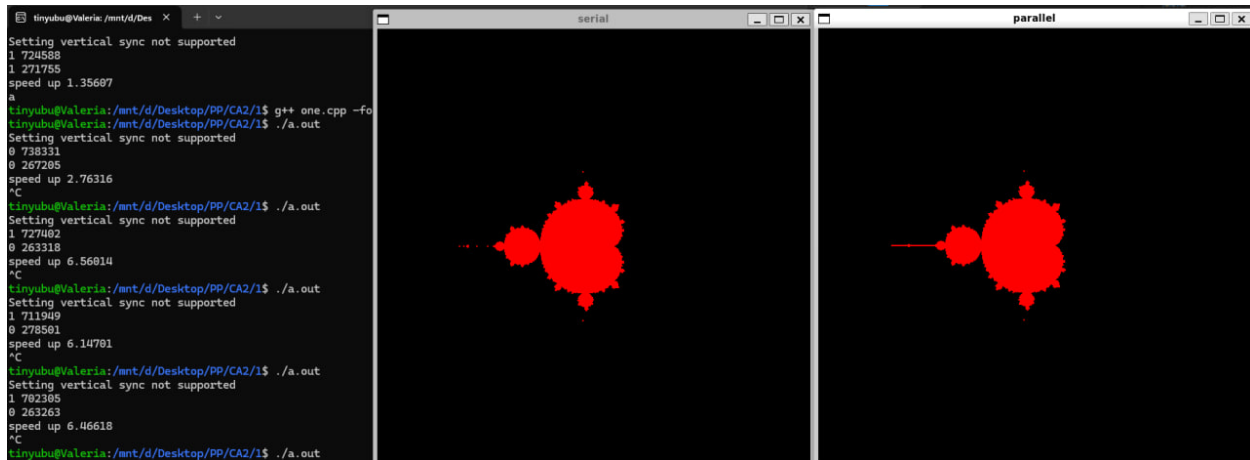
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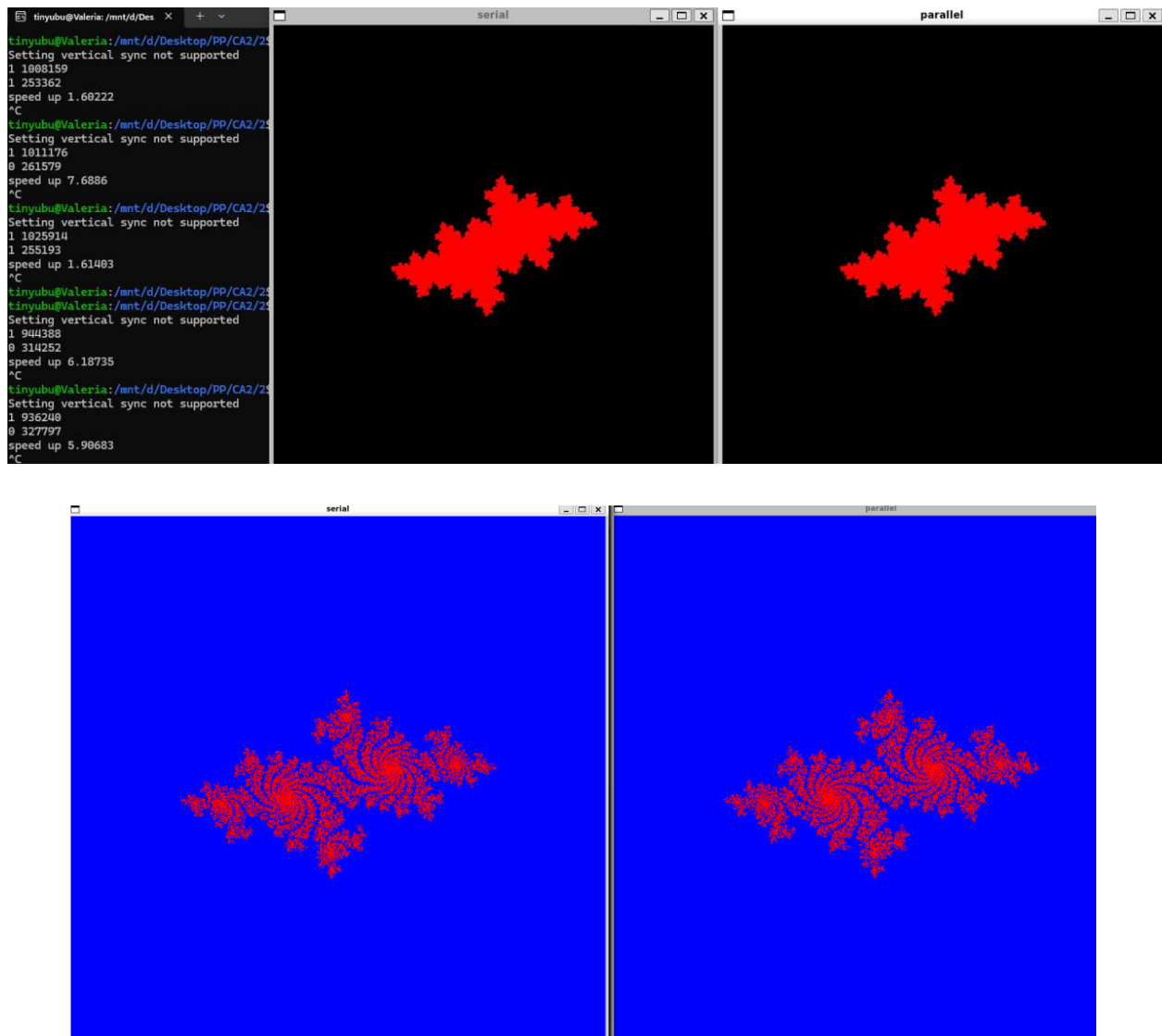
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# Part 1



The **speedup** achieved was approximately **6**, which was obtained using **8 hyper-threaded cores**. The reason it is less than 8 is that **drawing on the screen**, performed using the **SFML library**, is in a **critical section**, so the cores could not simultaneously add a point found as a convergence point to the screen. In the second image, as shown, the image is **zoomed in**.

## Part 2



This section is similar to the previous one, with the only difference being that the value of **c** is always **1**, while the initial value of **z** determines whether the point converges or not. The **speedup** in this section is also approximately **6**. Due to the similarity of the code with the previous section and the presence of a **critical section**, the speedup falls short of the maximum possible value of 8.

Microsoft Visual Studio Debug Console

```
Serial Time = 0.420633
Approximate value of Pi = 3.140906
Parallel Time = 0.085840
Approximate value of Pi = 3.139382

Speedup = 4.900215
```

Microsoft Visual Studio Debug Console

```
Serial Time = 0.404840
Approximate value of Pi = 3.141821
Parallel Time = 0.065082
Approximate value of Pi = 3.139246

Speedup = 6.220473
```

Microsoft Visual Studio Debug Console

```
Serial Time = 0.438130
Approximate value of Pi = 3.141448
Parallel Time = 0.090966
Approximate value of Pi = 3.139482

Speedup = 4.816425
```

Microsoft Visual Studio Debug Console

```
Serial Time = 0.414274
Approximate value of Pi = 3.141212
Parallel Time = 0.077628
Approximate value of Pi = 3.139465

Speedup = 5.336651
```

## Part 3

The **average speedup** is approximately **5.5**.

In the **Monte Carlo method**, we consider a **circle with a radius of 1**, and around it, we inscribe a **square with side length 2**.

```
#pragma omp parallel for private(x, y) reduction(+:points_in_circle)
for (long int i = 0; i < num_points; i++) {
    x = (double)rand() / RAND_MAX;
    y = (double)rand() / RAND_MAX;

    if (x * x + y * y <= 1.0) {
        points_in_circle++;
    }
}
```

Then, **random points** are placed inside this square. The probability of a point falling inside the circle is equal to the **area of the circle divided by the area of the square**.

Therefore, a **large number of points** are placed, and if a point falls inside the circle, the variable **points\_in\_circle** is incremented by one. Finally, the **ratio of points inside the circle to the total points** is multiplied by the area of the square, which is 4, and we expect to obtain the value of  **$\pi$**  as the output.

The **parallelized section** is the same as the serial section, with the only difference being that a **parallelization directive** is called before the loop.