Translator

This document highlights some of the implementation decisions when creating the translator class.

Parser and tree

The parser classifies statements via the <code>gpufort.util.parsing</code> package, and then uses either parsers from that pacakge or a <code>pyparsing</code> grammar to translate statements into a tree representation. While <code>pyparsing</code> subtrees are created via <code><pyparsing_grammar_object>.parse_string(<statement_str>)</code>, tokens identified via <code>util.parsing</code> are translated explicitly into tree nodes via appropriate constructors. (We noticed that a <code>pyparsing-based</code> translation can be rather slow. Therefore, we began replace more and more pyparsing parse expressions by dedicated parse routines from the <code>gpufort.util.parsing</code> package.) While the OpenACC to OpenMP translation relies on a <code>pyparsing</code> grammar for all directives, the OpenACC to HIP conversion relies only on the directives associated with compute constructs and not with directives that are translated to OpenACC runtime calls.

All translator tree nodes are defined in the subpackage translator.tree. They all have the prefix the TT ("translator tree"); as opposed to the ST prefix, which indicates a scanner tree node).

Arithmetic and logical expressions, complex lvalues and rvalues

Complex lvalue and rvalue expressions such as a Fortran derived type member access are implemented via pyparsing.Forward, which can be used to forward declare certain expressions and, therefore, to realize a parser for recursive expressions:

```
Example 1 (Forward, recursive expressions):
```

```
from pyparsing import *
derived_type = Forward()
identifier = pyparsing_common.identifier
derived_type <<= identifier + Literal("%") + (identifier|derived_type)</pre>
```

The pyparsing grammar constructed in Ex. 1 is able to parse arbitrary recursive expressions such as

```
a%b1
a%b1%c2_3%d
```

In order to parse arithmetic and logical expressions as they appear in assignments and conditional expressions as they, e.g., appear in IF, ELSEIF statements, we rely on another pyparsing shortcut, infixNotation, which take an rvalue-expression and a list of operators and their respective number of operands and their associativity. The position of the operator in the list of operators indicates its preference.

```
Example 2 (infixNotation):
```

Loop and compute construct directives

Fortran DO (and DO_CONCURRENT) loops are the main targets for directive-based offloading moels, which annotate the former with information on how to map that particular loop (or loopnest) to a device's compute units. In the

GPUFORT translator tree, D0-loops have a loop annotation for storing subtrees associated with OpenACC (acc loop, acc parallel loop, acc kernels loop) and CUDA Fortran directives (!\$cuf kernel do). These loop annotations implement the interface translator.tree.directives.ILoopAnnotation so that information can be obtained from them in an unified way. A similar interface, translator.tree.directives.IComputeConstruct, exists to represent the different OpenACC compute constructs (acc kernels, acc kernels loop, acc parallel loop, acc parallel, acc serial) and the CUDA Fortran construct !\$cuf kernel do in a unified way.

HIP C++ code geneneration from OpenACC compute constructs

In this section, we investigate how we can map OpenACC compute constructs to equivalent HIP C++ expressions.

Preliminaries

- A HIP C++ "kernel" is written from the viewpoint of a SIMD lane in a AMD GCN/CDNA compute unit (CU) or the SIMT thread of a NVIDIA CUDA streaming multi-processor (SMP). Let us call both entities vector lanes from now on.
- While 64 of such lanes are "running" in lockstep per CU, there are 32 per SMP on current-gen hardware. Such a group is called wavefront or warp. In HIP C++, multiple of such wavefronts are grouped into a threadblock. A threadblock is always processed on the same CU/SMP.
- Flow control constructs like if constructs may mask out individual vector lanes in a wavefront. In this case, the masked out lanes will perform as many no-operations as the masked in lanes perform meaningful computations. This happens per branch of an if or switch-case construct that results in masking out certain vector lanes of a wavefront. In other words, it is pointless to try to spare certain lanes from computations. However, it makes sense to try to reduce the number of whole wavefronts/warps or full threadblocks.

OpenACC parallelism levels

OpenACC considers three levels of parallelism, gang, worker, and vector. Gangs run independently from each other and in arbitrary order. Since we consider NVIDIA and AMD GPU devices, we can map gangs to CUDA/HIP thread blocks, and we can map workers to CUDA warps/HIP wavefronts.

While we refer to the OpenACC specification for more details, we explain a number of different example OpenACC compute constructs to show the implications of certain directives and attached parallelism clauses.

Gang-redundant, worker-single, vector-single mode

If no acc loop directive have been encountered so far or the associated loops have been marked as non-parallelizable, a compute construct's instructions are run in gang-redundant (GR), worker-single (WS), vector-single (VS) mode. In the CUDA/HIP world, this implies that a number of thread blocks are scheduled that all execute the same instructions with a single worker and a single vector lane enabled per worker, i.e. in CUDA words, only a single thread (and thus single warp) is required to execute the statements.

GR-WS-VS parallelism mode can be used to perform non-parallelizable operations on the device before running other work in parallel on the availabel workers and their vector lanes.

Note that if more workers or wider vectors are required by the compute construct later on, which is typically the case, this means that the additional resources must be masked out.

Let's have a look at an example.

Example 3 (Non-parallelizable loop):

```
! initialization of x and m
! ...
!$acc parallel
!!$acc parallel num_gangs(4)
do i = 1,m
if ( i == 0 ) then
    x(i) = 1
else
```

```
x(i) = 2*x(i-1)
endif
end do
!$acc end parallel
```

where x may be an array of floats here.

The number of gangs depends on other work that appears later on in the compute construct, or defaults to 1. However, the outcome of this analysis can be overwritten via the num_gangs clause as demonstrated in the commented out directive—the one prefixed by !! instead of !).

The above compute construct can be mapped to the following HIP C++ code, which consists of a kernel definition (indicated by the __global__ attribute) plus a kernel launch that is placed somewhere into the host code.

```
// includes
// ...
__global__ void mykernel(float* x,int m) {
 int gang tid = threadIdx.x;
  if ( gang tid == 0 ) { // masks out additional workers and vector lanes if available
   for (int i = 1; i <= m; i++) {</pre>
      if ( i == 0 ) {
        x[i] = 1;
      } else {
        x[i] = 2*x[i-1];
   }
 }
int main(int argc, char** argv) {
 // initialization of x, m, NUM_GANGS, NUM_WORKERS, and VECTOR_LENGTH
 int NUM_THREADS = NUM_WORKERS*VECTOR_LENGTH
 hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(NUM_GANGS),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m)
  //hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(4),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m);
```

(The commented kernel launch statement fixes the number of thread blocks to 4 as has been done in the OpenACC compute construct via the num_gangs(4) clause.)

Gang-partitioned, worker-single, vector-single mode

If the OpenACC compilers encounters a parallelizable loop (gang-loop iterates must be completely independent of each other) marked with the gang clause, it switches to gang-parallel (GP), worker-single (WS), vector-single (VS) mode. In GP-WS-VS mode, the annotated loop is now distributed among all available gangs, but still only a single worker and a single vector lane, i.e. one CUDA / HIP thread are used.

Again, the number of gangs can be derived automatically or forced manually, as shown in the two examples below:

Example 4:

```
!$acc parallel
!$acc loop gang
!!$acc loop gang(4)
do i = 1,m
   x(i) = 1
end do
!$acc end parallel
```

The acc parallel and acc loop directives can be combined and the gang usage can be limited via the argument of the gang clause.

Example 5:

```
!$acc parallel loop gang(4)
do i = 1,m
   x(i) = 1
end do
!$acc end parallel
```

Again, additional available workers and vector lanes must be masked out in an equivalent CUDA/HIP C++ implementation, like the one shown below:

```
// includes
// ...
__host__ __device__ int div_round_up(int x, int y) {
  return x / y + (x % y > 0);
__global__ void mykernel(float* x, int m) {
  int max_num_gangs = gridDim.x;
  int gang_id = blockIdx.x;
  int gang_tid = threadIdx.x;
  if ( gang_tid == 0 ) { // masks out additional workers
                         // and vector lanes if available
    // loop specific
    int num_gangs = max_num_gangs;
    // int num_gangs = 4; // if gang(4) is specified
    int gang_tile_size = div_round_up(m,num_gangs);
    for ( int i = 1+gang_id*gang_tile_size;
              i <= (gang_id+1)*gang_tile_size; i++) {</pre>
      // total number of i iterates across all active gangs:
      // num_gangs*gang_tile_size >= m, due to rounding up
      if ( i <= m) {</pre>
        x[i] = 1;
      }
   }
  }
int main(int argc, char** argv) {
  // initialization of x, m, NUM_WORKERS, and VECTOR_LENGTH
  int NUM_THREADS = NUM_WORKERS*VECTOR_LENGTH
  hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(m),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m)
  //hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(4),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m);
}
```

The __global__ attribute flags the function mykernel as the device code entry point, i.e. as so-called "GPU kernel". The structs gridDim, blockIdx, and threadIdx are built-in variables that are only available in the body of a CUDA/HIP kernel. These built-ins cannot neither be used in host code not in functions with __device__ attribute, i.e. device subroutines that can be called only from within a GPU kernel or other device subroutines.

Note that the construct

```
// num_gangs*gang_tile_size >= m, due to rounding up
if ( i <= m) {
    // ...
}

masks out all gangs with gang_id > num_gangs as the loop is tiled with respect to num_gangs,
int gang_tile_size = div_round_up(m,num_gangs);
```

Worker-partioned, vector-single mode

In this section, we assume gang-partitioned mode and refer to the previous sections regarding the difference between gang-partitioned mode and gang-redundant mode.

If an OpenACC compiler, encounters a loop or workshare that is annotated with the worker clause, it switches from worker-single to worker-partitioned mode, i.e. more than a single CUDA warp / HIP wavefront may be used to process the loop. Again, the number of workers is determined automatically by the compiler or can be prescribed. The latter can be done either globally for all worker-partitioned loops within the compute construct by adding a num_workers(<int-arg>) clause to the directive that opens the compute construct or locally by adding the worker(<int-arg>) clause to the loop directive. If both are specified, the locally chosen number of workers is constrained to not be larger than the global value.

The amount of workers is constrained by the device's hardware. Only a certain amount of workers can be allocated per gang. On current-gen CUDA devices, the limit is 1024/32 = 32 workers per gang while it is \$1024/64 = 16' for current-gen AMD GPUs as both vendor's device support up to 1024 threads per thread block and have warp/wavefront size of 32 and 64, respectively.

Example 6:

```
Fortran:
!$acc parallel
!$acc loop gang(4)
do j = 1,n
 !$acc loop worker(2)
 do i = 1, m
   x(i,j) = 1 ! column-major
 end do
end do
!$acc end parallel
Equivalent HIP C++ implementation:
// includes
// ...
__host__ __device__ int div_round_up(int x, int y) {
  return x / y + (x \% y > 0);
}
__global__ void mykernel(float* x, int m, int n) {
  int max_num_gangs = gridDim.x;
  int gang_id = blockIdx.x;
  int gang_tid = threadIdx.x;
  int max_num_workers = div_round_up(blockDim.x / warpSize);
  int worker_id = gang_tid / warpSize;
  int worker tid = gang tid % warpSize;
  if ( worker tid == 0 ) { // masks out all other threads/lanes of a worker
```

```
// loop specific
    int num_gangs = max_num_gangs;
    // int num_gangs = 4; // if gang(4) is specified
    int num_workers = max_num_workers;
    // int num_workers = 2; // if worker(2) is specified
    int gang_tile_size = div_round_up(n,num_gangs);
    int worker_tile_size = div_round_up(m,num_workers);
    for ( int j = 1+gang_id*gang_tile_size;
              j <= (gang_id+1)*gang_tile_size; j++) {</pre>
      // total number of j iterates across all gangs:
      // num_gangs*gang_tile_size >= n, due to rounding up
      if ( j <= n ) {</pre>
        for ( int i = 1+worker id*worker tile size;
                  i <= (worker_id+1)*worker_tile_size; i++ ) {</pre>
          // total number of i iterates across all workers:
          // num workers*worker tile size >= m, due to rounding up
          if ( i <= m) {</pre>
            x[i+n*j] = 1;
       }
     }
   }
 }
int main(int argc, char** argv) {
  // initialization of x, m, n, NUM_WORKERS,
  // and MAX VECTOR LENGTH (32 or 64 depending on arch)
 // ...
 int NUM THREADS = 2*MAX VECTOR LENGTH;
 hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(4),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m,n);
}
```

- The warpSize variable in the HIP C++ snippet is another HIP built-in. Its value depends on the target architecture
- The array variable x might have a completely different memory layout that is not related to the loop range in any way.

Vector-partitioned mode

In this section, we assume gang-partitioned and worker-partitioned mode. We refer to the previous sections regarding the difference between gang-partitioned mode and gang-redundant mode and between worker-single and worker-partitioned mode.

If an OpenACC compiler encounters a loop or workshare that is annotated with the vector clause, it switches from vector-single to vector-partitioned mode, i.e. more than a single CUDA thread/HIP SIMD lane may be used to process the loop. As stated before, the number of vector lanes per worker generally depends on the GPU architecture. In HIP C++, it is available via the warpSize builtin variable.

Example 7:

Fortran:

```
!$acc parallel
!$acc loop gang(4)
do k = 1,p
  !$acc loop worker(2)
```

```
do j = 1,n
   !$acc loop vector(8)
   do i = 1,m
     x(i,j,k) = 1 ! column-major
   end do
  end do
end do
!$acc end parallel
Equivalent HIP C++ implementation:
// includes
// ...
__host__ __device__ int div_round_up(int x, int y) {
 return x / y + (x % y > 0);
__global__ void mykernel(float* x, int m, int n, int k) {
  // generic preamble
  int max_num_gangs = gridDim.x;
  int gang_id = blockIdx.x;
  int gang_tid = threadIdx.x;
  //
  int max_num_workers = div_round_up(blockDim.x / warpSize);
  int worker_id = threadIdx.x / warpSize;
  //
  int max_vector_length = warpSize;
  int vector_lane_id = threadIdx.x % warpSize; // renamed from 'worker_tid'
  if ( true ) { // enabled for all vector lanes
    // loop specific
    // int num_gangs = max_num_gangs; // if gang is specified
    // int num_workers = max_num_workers; // if worker is specified
    // int vector_length = max_vector_length; // if vector is specified
    int num_gangs = 4; // gang(4) is specified
    int num_workers = 2; // worker(2) is specified
    int vector_length = 8; // vector(8) is specified
    int gang_tile_size = div_round_up(p,num_gangs);
    int worker_tile_size = div_round_up(n,num_workers);
    int vector_tile_size = div_round_up(m,vector_length);
    //
      for ( int k = 1+gang_id*gang_tile_size;
                k <= (gang_id+1)*gang_tile_size; k++) {</pre>
        if ( k <= p ) {</pre>
          for ( int j = 1+worker_id*worker_tile_size;
                    j <= (worker_id+1)*worker_tile_size; j++ ) {</pre>
              if ( vector_lane_id < vector_length ) { // masks out all other threads/lanes</pre>
                                                        // of a worker
                for ( int i = vector_lane_id; i <= m; i+=vector_tile_size ) {</pre>
                  x[i+m*j+m*n*k] = 1;
                }
              }
           }
```

```
}
}
}

int main(int argc, char** argv) {
   // initialization of x, m, n, NUM_WORKERS,
   // and MAX_VECTOR_LENGTH (32 or 64 depending on arch)
   // ...
   int NUM_THREADS = 2*MAX_VECTOR_LENGTH;
   hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(4),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m,n);
}
```

• The array variable x might have a completely different memory layout that is not related to the loop range in any way.

A HIP or CUDA kernel expresses the work that a single HIP SIMD lane or CUDA thread performs. The memory controller of the compute units of AMD and NVIDIA GPUs can group the memory loads and writes of multiple such entities into larger requests if their collective data access pattern allows so. Therefore, we have used the $vector_tile_size$ as increment in the above loop and not 1 as for the gangs and workers. This ensures that $vector_lane_id\ 1 < vector_length$ writes to datum x[1+...] while $vector_lane_id\ 1+1 < vector_length$ writes to datum $vector_lane_id\ 1+1 < vector_length$

Interim conclusions 1

At this stage, we conclude the following:

• We can use a generic preamble in HIP C++ kernels to query the maximum number of gangs, workers, and vector lanes. as well as the ids of the current gang, worker, and vector lane.

```
// generic preamble
int max_num_gangs = gridDim.x;
int gang_id = blockIdx.x;
int gang_tid = threadIdx.x;
//
int max_vector_length = warpSize;
int max_num_workers = div_round_up(blockDim.x / max_vector_length);
//
int worker_id = threadIdx.x / max_vector_length;
int vector_lane_id = threadIdx.x % max_vector_length;
```

Note that this preamble will look different if a tile clause is specified as more grid and block dimensions are used.

- The vector length must be provided explicitly either by hardcoding it into the kernel or by passing it as kernel argument
- The checks if (vector_lane_id == 0) associated with vector-single mode and if (vector_lane_id < vector_length) associated with vector-partitioned mode can be combined to the latter expression ifvector_length is set to 1 in the former case.

Loops with both gang and worker parallelism

In this section, we investigate loops with both gang and worker clause. Depending on what resource, gang or worker, the compiler can choose freely, different HIP C++ equivalents are possible.

Example 8 (Gang-worker parallelism):

Fortran:

```
!$acc parallel
!$acc loop gang worker
! other variants:
!!$acc loop gang worker(2)
!!$acc loop gang(4) worker
!!$acc loop gang(4) worker(2)
do i = 1, m
 x(i) = 1
end do
!$acc end parallel
A possible HIP C++ implementation:
// includes and definitions
// ...
__global__ void mykernel(float* x, int m) {
  // generic preamble
  int max_num_gangs = gridDim.x;
  int gang_id = blockIdx.x;
  int gang_tid = threadIdx.x;
  //
  int max_vector_length = warpSize;
  int max_num_workers = div_round_up(blockDim.x / max_vector_length);
  int worker_id = threadIdx.x / max_vector_length;
  int vector_lane_id = threadIdx.x % max_vector_length;
  //
  if ( vector_lane_id == 0 ) { // masks out all other vector lanes
    // loop specific
    int num_gangs = max_num_gangs;
    // int num_gangs = 4; // if gang(4) is specified
    int num_workers = max_num_workers;
    // int num_workers = 2; // if worker(2) is specified
    int vector_length = 1;
    if ( gang_id < num_gangs && worker_id < num_workers ) {</pre>
      int gang_worker_id = gang_id*num_workers + worker_id;
      int gang_worker_tile_size = div_round_up(m,num_gangs*num_workers);
      for ( int i = 1+gang_worker_id*gang_worker_tile_size;
                i <= (gang_worker_id+1)*gang_worker_tile_size; i++ ) {</pre>
        if ( i <= m) {</pre>
          x[i] = 1;
        }
     }
   }
 }
int main(int argc, char** argv) {
  // initialization of x, m, NUM_WORKERS,
  // and MAX_VECTOR_LENGTH (32 or 64 depending on arch)
  // ...
  int NUM THREADS = NUM WORKERS*MAX VECTOR LENGTH;
  hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(m/NUM_WORKERS),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m);
}
```

Mixed gang-vector parallelism

In this section, we discuss scenarios where a gang clause appears together with a vector clause on a loop directive. In this case, the compiler switches to gang-partitioned, worker-single, vector-partitioned mode, i.e. the loop is partitioned across all available gangs and all available vector lanes of a single worker.

Example 9 (Gang-vector parallelism):

```
!$acc parallel
!$acc loop gang vector
! other variants:
!!$acc loop gang vector(8)
!!$acc loop gang(4) vector
!!$acc loop gang(4) vector(8)
do i = 1, m
  x(i) = 1
end do
!$acc end parallel
An equivalent HIP C++ implementation may look as follows:
// includes and definitions
// ...
__global__ void mykernel(float* x, int m) {
  // generic preamble
  int max_num_gangs = gridDim.x;
  int gang_id = blockIdx.x;
  int gang_tid = threadIdx.x;
  //
  int max vector length = warpSize;
  int max_num_workers = div_round_up(blockDim.x / max_vector_length);
  int worker_id = threadIdx.x / max_vector_length;
  int vector_lane_id = threadIdx.x % max_vector_length;
  //
  if ( true ) { // all vector lanes are active
    // loop specific
    int num_gangs = max_num_gangs;
    // int num_gangs = 4; // if gang(4) is specified
    int num_workers = 1;
    int vector_length = max_vector_length;
    // int vector_length = 8; // if vector(8) is specified
    if ( gang_id < num_gangs && worker_id < num_workers && vector_lane_id < vector_length ) {</pre>
      int gang_vector_id = gang_id*vector_length + vector_lane_id;
      int gang_vector_tile_size = div_round_up(m,num_gangs*vector_length);
      for ( int i = 1+gang_vector_id; i <= m; i+=gang_vector_tile_size ) {</pre>
        x[i] = 1;
      }
    }
  }
int main(int argc, char** argv) {
  // initialization of x, m, NUM_WORKERS,
  // and MAX_VECTOR_LENGTH (32 or 64 depending on arch)
  // ...
  int NUM THREADS = NUM WORKERS*MAX VECTOR LENGTH;
  hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(m/NUM_WORKERS),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m);
```

}

Mixed gang-worker-vector parallelism

In this section, we discuss scenarios where a gang, worker, and a vector clause appear together on a loop directive. In this case, the compiler switches to gang-partitioned, worker-partitioned, vector-partitioned mode, i.e. the loop is partitioned across all available gangs, workers, and vector lanes.

Example 10 (Gang-worker-vector parallelism):

```
!$acc parallel
!$acc loop gang worker vector
! other variants:
!!$acc loop gang worker vector(8)
!!$acc loop gang worker(2) vector
!!$acc loop gang worker(2) vector(8)
!!$acc loop gang(4) worker vector
!!$acc loop gang(4) worker vector(8)
!!$acc loop gang(4) worker(2) vector(8)
do i = 1,m
 x(i) = 1
end do
!$acc end parallel
An equivalent HIP C++ implementation may look as follows:
// includes and definitions
// ...
__global__ void mykernel(float* x, int m) {
  // generic preamble
  int max_num_gangs = gridDim.x;
  int gang_id = blockIdx.x;
  int gang_tid = threadIdx.x;
  //
  int max_vector_length = warpSize;
  int max_num_workers = div_round_up(blockDim.x / max_vector_length);
  int worker_id = threadIdx.x / max_vector_length;
  int vector_lane_id = threadIdx.x % max_vector_length;
  //
  if (true) { // all vector lanes are active
    // loop specific
    int num_gangs = max_num_gangs;
    // int num_gangs = 4; // if gang(4) is specified
    int num_workers = max_num_workers;
    // int num_workers = 2; // if worker(2) is specified
    int vector_length = max_vector_length;
    // int vector_length = 8; // if vector(8) is specified
    //
    if ( gang_id < num_gangs && worker_id < num_workers && vector_lane_id < vector_length ) {</pre>
      int gang_worker_vector_id = gang_id*num_workers*vector_length
                                   + worker_id*vector_length
                                   + vector_lane_id;
      int gang_worker_vector_tile_size = div_round_up(m,num_gangs*num_workers*vector_length);
      for ( int i = 1+gang_worker_vector_id; i <= m; i+=gang_worker_vector_tile_size ) {</pre>
        x[i] = 1;
      }
   }
  }
```

```
int main(int argc, char** argv) {
    // initialization of x, m, NUM_WORKERS,
    // and MAX_VECTOR_LENGTH (32 or 64 depending on arch)
    // ...
    int NUM_THREADS = NUM_WORKERS*MAX_VECTOR_LENGTH;
    hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(m/NUM_WORKERS),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m);
}
```

From the equivalent HIP C++ implementation, we observe that gang-vector loop parallelism is a special case of gang-worker-vector loop parallelism. However, this is not the case for the gang-worker loop.

Collapsing loopnests

A number of nested loops is collapsed by transforming them into a single loop where the number of iterates is the number of elements of the Cartesian product of the original loop ranges. If needed, e.g. in order to access a multi-dimensional array, the original loop indices can always be recovered from the index of a collapsed loopnest and the ranges of the original loops.

Before we take a look at different OpenACC examples, we introduce two helper routines. One allows us to compute the length of Fortran do-loop iteration range with arbitrary lower and upper bounds and step size. The other, repeatedly applied, allows us to recover the original loop indices from the index of a collapsed loopnest.

```
/**
 * Number of iterations of a loop that runs from 'first' to 'last' (both inclusive)
 * with step size 'step'. Note that 'step' might be negative and 'first' > 'last'.
 * If 'step' lets the loop run into a different direction than 'first' to 'last', this function
 * returns 0.
 * \param[in] first first index of the loop iteration range
 * \param[in] last last index of the loop iteration range
 * \param[in] step step size of the loop iteration range
__host__ __device__ __forceinline__ int loop_len(int first,int last,int step=1) {
  const int len_minus_1 = (last-first) / step;
  return ( len_minus_1 >= 0 ) ? (1+len_minus_1) : 0;
}
 * Variant of outermost_index that takes the length of the loop
 * as additional argument.
 * \param[in] first first index of the outermost loop iteration range
 * \param[in] len the loop length.
 * \param[in] step step size of the outermost loop iteration range
__host__ __device__ __forceinline__ int outermost_index_w_len(
  int& collapsed_idx,
  int& collapsed_len,
  const int first, const int len, const int step = 1
) {
  collapsed_len /= len;
  const int idx = collapsed_idx / collapsed_len; // rounds down
  collapsed_idx -= idx*collapsed_len;
  return (first + step*idx);
}
```

Collapsing gang-partitioned loopnests

```
!$acc parallel
!!$acc loop gang collapse(2)
!!$acc loop gang(4) collapse(2)
do j = 1,n
  do i = 1, m
    x(i,j) = 1;
  end do
end do
!$acc end parallel
Using the above introduced helper routines, an equivalent HIP C++ implementation could look as follows:
// includes and definitions
// ...
__global__ void mykernel(float* x, int m, int n) {
  // generic preamble
  int max_num_gangs = gridDim.x;
  int gang_id = blockIdx.x;
  int gang_tid = threadIdx.x;
  int max_vector_length = warpSize;
  int max_num_workers = div_round_up(blockDim.x / max_vector_length);
  int worker_id = threadIdx.x / max_vector_length;
  int vector_lane_id = threadIdx.x % max_vector_length;
  //
  if ( gang_tid == 0 ) { // masks out additional workers
                         // and vector lanes if available
    // loop specific
    int num_gangs = max_num_gangs;
    // int num_gangs = 4; // if gang(4) is specified
    int loop_len_j = loop_len(1,n);
    int loop_len_i = loop_len(1,m);
    int problem size =
          loop_len_j *
          loop len i;
    int gang_tile_size = div_round_up(problem_size,num_gangs);
    for ( int ij = gang_id*gang_tile_size; // loop bounds not included here
              ij < (gang_id+1)*gang_tile_size; ij++) {</pre>
      if ( ij < problem_size ) {</pre>
        int rem = ij;
        int denom = problem_size;
        int j = outermost_index_w_len(rem,denom,1,loop_len_j);
        int i = outermost_index_w_len(rem,denom,1,loop_len_i);
        //
        x[i+j*m] = 1;
      }
    }
 }
}
int main(int argc, char** argv) {
  // initialization of x, m, n, NUM_GANGS, NUM_WORKERS,
  // and MAX_VECTOR_LENGTH (32 or 64 depending on arch)
  // ...
  int NUM_THREADS = NUM_WORKERS*MAX_VECTOR_LENGTH;
```

```
hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(NUM_GANGS),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m,n);
}
```

- The number of gangs, workers, and vector lanes is irrelevant in the above example. Of course, they should be positive.
- The gang_tile_size is computed with respect of the product of the sizes of the original loop ranges.
- The loop lower bounds do not appear anymore in the gang-partitioned loop but as argument of the outermost_index_w_len function that recovers the original indices from the collapsed loop index.
- The array variable x might have a completely different memory layout that is not related to the loop range in any way.

Collapsing worker-partitioned loopnests

Collapsing worker-partitioned loopnests and gang-worker-partitioned loopnests is conceptually very similar to collapsing gang-partitioned loopnests. Therefore, it is not discussed here explicitly.

Collapsing vector-partitioned loopnests

Vector-partitioned loopnests require a more in-depth investigation as the string is performed differently.

Example XYZ (Collapsing vector-partitioned loopnests):

```
!$acc parallel
!!$acc loop vector collapse(2)
!!$acc loop vector(4) collapse(2)
do j = 1,n
  do i = 1, m
    x(i,j) = 1;
  end do
end do
!$acc end parallel
An equivalent HIP C++ implementation could look as follows:
// includes and definitions
// ...
__global__ void mykernel(float* x, int m, int n) {
 // generic preamble
  int max_num_gangs = gridDim.x;
  int gang_id = blockIdx.x;
  int gang_tid = threadIdx.x;
  //
  int max_vector_length = warpSize;
  int max_num_workers = div_round_up(blockDim.x / max_vector_length);
  int worker_id = threadIdx.x / max_vector_length;
  int vector_lane_id = threadIdx.x % max_vector_length;
  //
  if ( true ) { // all vector lanes are active
    // loop specific
    int vector_length = max_vector_length;
    //int vector_length = 8; // if vector(8) is specified
    int loop_len_j = loop_len(1,n);
    int loop len i = loop len(1,m);
    int problem_size =
          loop_len_j *
          loop_len_i;
```

```
int vector_tile_size = div_round_up(problem_size,vector_length);
    if ( vector_lane_id < vector_length ) { // masks out all other threads/lanes
                                             // of a worker
      for ( int ij = vector_lane_id; ij <= problem_size; ij+=vector_tile_size ) {</pre>
        int rem = ij;
        int denom = problem_size;
        int j = outermost_index_w_len(rem,denom,1,loop_len_j);
        int i = outermost_index_w_len(rem,denom,1,loop_len_i);
       x[i+m*j] = 1;
     }
   }
 }
}
int main(int argc, char** argv) {
  // initialization of x, m, n, NUM GANGS, NUM WORKERS,
 // and MAX VECTOR LENGTH (32 or 64 depending on arch)
  int NUM_THREADS = NUM_WORKERS*MAX_VECTOR_LENGTH;
 hipLaunchKernelGGL((mykernel),dim3(NUM_GANGS),dim(NUM_THREADS),x,m,n);
```

• The array variable x might have a completely different memory layout that is not related to the loop range in any way.

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Tiling loopnests

TBA

Determining a statement's parallelism level

This section investigates how we can assign parallelism levels to statements in the code. The main challenge is that the parallelism level of loops and program flow statements depends on the parallelism-level of the statements in their body.

For example, an if-statement in an gang-redundant or gang-partitioned code section must be evaluated also by all workers if one of the statements is a worker-partitioned loop, and if there is a vector-partitioned loop somewhere in the body, this if-statement has to be evaluated by all vector lanes in the worker. However, other statements in that if-statement's body that do not result in worker- or vector-partitioned loop sections must still only be enabled for resources associated with the original gang-redundant or -partitioned parallelism level.

Let's walk through the following example:

Example XYZ (Determining parallelism levels)

```
end do
  gr_stmt2; // gang-redundant statement
else ! initially gang-redundant,
    ! eventually worker-partioned else branch
    ! of if statement
  gr_stmt3
endif
gr_stmt4;
!$acc end parallel
TBA
```

Implementation

GPUFORT identifies the parallelism level of all statements with one top-down and bottom-up sweep through the translator tree. During the top-down sweep, the currently active parallelism level is forwarded to the statements in the body of program flow control or loop statement. During the backtracing, i.e. the bottom-up sweep, the parallelism level of the program flow control and loop statements is determined by determining the maximum parallelism level of the statements in the body.

Depending on the parallelism level, more or less resources are masked out when executing a statement:

Parallelism level	Activation mask	Remark
GR-WS-VS	<pre>linearize(hipThreadIdx, blockDim) == 0</pre>	
GP-WS-VS	<pre>linearize(hipThreadIdx, blockDim) == 0</pre>	Extraneous gangs masked out via loop tiling.
G[RP]-WP-VS	<pre>linearize(hipThreadIdx, blockDim) % warpSize == 0</pre>	Extraneous gangs & workers masked out via loop tiling or if statements.
G[RP]-W[RP]-VP	true	Extraneous gangs, workers, and vector lanes masked out via loop tiling or if statements.

In the above table, the function linearize computes a linear index from the threadIdx dim3 struct, where blockDim contains the strides: In the python-like pseudocode, the computation looks as follows: