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Abstract

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Dedication

To my Mother and Father.

Acknowledgements

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Declaration

I declare that, except where explicit reference is made to the contribution of others, that this dissertation is the result of my own work and has not been submitted for any other degree at the University of Glasgow or any other institution.

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Chapter 1

Introduction

1.1 Context

How to use Macros. The Glasgow Haskell Compiler (GHC) is write.

How to cite. According to Akhter and Roberts [1] write. According to Shende et al. [2] write.

How to use glossaries. The number of Processing Elements (PEs) write. The Haskell on a Shared Memory Multiprocessor (GHC-SMP) is write.

1.2 Thesis Statement

1.3 Contributions

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1.4 Authorship and Publications

1.5 Thesis Structure

The structure of this thesis is as follows:

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Chapter 2

Background

2.1 Introduction

2.2 Parallel Architectures

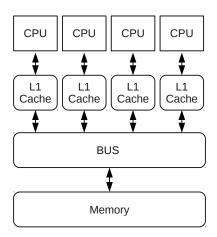


Figure 2.1: Shared Memory SMP Architecture

2.3 Summary

Chapter 3

Conclusion and Future Work

- 3.1 Summary
- 3.2 Limitations
- 3.3 Future Work

Appendix A

Benchmarks

Listing A.1: Fibonacci Benchmark Implementation.

```
2 \ -- \ / \ sequential \ Fibonacci
4 fib :: Int -> Integer
5 \quad \text{fib} \quad n \quad | \quad n <= \ 1
                        = 1
           | otherwise = fib (n-1) + fib (n-2)
  -- / parallel Fibonacci; shared memory
10
11 par_fib :: Int -> Int -> Par Integer
12 par_fib seqThreshold n
      \mid n <= k = force $ fib n
13
14
      | otherwise = do v <- new
                           let job = par_fib seqThreshold (n - 1) >>=
15
16
                                        force >>=
17
18
                           fork job
                            \begin{array}{l} y <- \begin{array}{l} \text{par-fib seqThreshold} & (n-2) \\ x <- \end{array} 
19
                           force $x + y
21
     where k = max 1 seqThreshold
```

A.1 Sum Euler

Listing A.2: Sum Euler Benchmark Implementation.

```
1 — / Euler's totient function (for positive integers)
2
3 totient :: Int -> Integer
4 totient n = toInteger $ length $ filter (\ k -> gcd n k == 1) [1 .. n]
5
6 — / sequential sum of totients
7
8 sum_totient :: [Int] -> Integer
9 sum_totient = sum . map totient
```

Glossary

 ${\bf GHC\text{-}SMP}\,$ Haskell on a Shared Memory Multiprocessor.

PE Processing Element.

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