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#### Program 4

We are comparing the runtime of interpreted and compiled languages. We created three programs on Gaussian Elimination in Python with Numpy, Python without Numpy, and Fortran and compared their runtimes. There are two implementations of Python with Numpy, one using the matrix of numpy to do the elimination and version 2 where it uses the numpy function `linalg.solve()` to solve the equation. We can see the difference in using the module.

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"""
Python With Numpy
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Python Implementation of Gauss Elimination with back substitution using Numpy
"""

import json
import random
import sys
import time

import numpy as np

def createArray(size):
    """
    to create an matrix of random numbers between 1 and 20 with a given size

    size    --size of matrix, N x N+1
    """
    n = np.zeros((size, size + 1))
    for x in range(size):
        for y in range(size + 1):
            n[x, y] = random.randint(1, 20)
    return n

def createArray_2(size):
    """
    to create an matrix of random numbers between 1 and 20 with a given size

    size    --size of matrix, N x N+1
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"""
a = np.zeros((size, size))
b = np.zeros((size, 1))
for x in range(size):
    for y in range(size):
        a[x, y] = random.randint(1, 20)
for y in range(size):
    b[y, 0] = random.randint(1, 20)
return (a, b)

def Gauss(n):
    """
    does Gauss Elimination with back substitution on a given matrix
    based on https://www.codesansar.com/numerical-methods/gauss-elimination-
method-python-program.htm

    n    --matrix to do Gauss Elimination
    """
    size = len(n)

    # creates lower triangular matrix
    for i in range(size):
        for j in range(i + 1, size):
            ratio = n[j, i] / n[i, i]
            n[j] = n[j] - ratio * n[i]

    # Back substitution
    for i in range(size - 1, -1, -1):
        for j in range(i - 1, -1, -1):
            ratio = n[j, i] / n[i, i]
            n[j] = n[j] - ratio * n[i]
        n[i] = n[i] / n[i, i]

def Gauss_2(a, b):
    """
    does Gauss Elimination with back substion on a given matrix using the numpy s
olve linear equations function

    a    -- Coefficient Matrix
    b    -- Ordinate Matrix
    """
    np.linalg.solve(a, b)

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def test_case(size):
    """
    runs test cases on a given size of the matrix. records length of runtime Gauss
    Elimination and returns in milliseconds

    size    --size of matrix
    """
    n = createArray(size)
    start = time.perf_counter()
    Gauss(n)
    end = time.perf_counter()
    return (end - start) * 1000

def test_case_2(size):
    """
    runs test cases on a given size of the matrix. records length of runtime Gauss
    Elimination and returns in milliseconds

    uses Version 2 of Gauss Elimination

    size    --size of matrix
    """
    a, b = createArray_2(size)
    start = time.perf_counter()
    Gauss_2(a, b)
    end = time.perf_counter()
    return (end - start) * 1000

# Sample sizes
sizes = [250, 500, 1000, 1500, 2000]

# Store results into json file for easy copying of data into excel
results = {"Version 1": {}, "Version 2": {}}

# Test Version 1
# Run 5 test runs on the different sizes
print("Python with Numpy Version 1")
for i in range(5):
    print(f"test run {i+1}")
    results["Version 1"].update({f"Test Run {i+1}": {}})
    for size in sizes:
        a = test_case(size)
        results["Version 1"][f"Test Run {i+1}"].update({size: a})

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        print("\t{:4}: {:} milliseconds".format(size, a))

# Test Version 2
print("Python with Numpy Version 2")
for i in range(5):
    print(f"test run {i+1}")
    results["Version 2"].update({f"Test Run {i+1}": {}})
    for size in sizes:
        a = test_case_2(size)
        results["Version 2"][f"Test Run {i+1}"].update({size: a})
        print("\t{:4}: {:} milliseconds".format(size, a))
y = json.dumps(results, indent=4)
f = open("resultsNumpy.json", "w")
f.write(y)
f.close()

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"""
Python Without Numpy
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Python Implmentation of Gauss Elimination with back substitution using without Numpy
"""

import json
import random
import sys
import time

def createArray(size):
    """
    to create an matrix of random numbers between 1 and 20 with a given size

    size    --size of matrix, N x N+1
    """
    n = []
    for x in range(size):
        n.append([])
        for _ in range(size + 1):
            n[x].append(float(random.randint(1, 20)))
    return n

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def Gauss(n):
    """
    does Gauss Elimination with back substitution on a given matrix
    based on https://www.codesansar.com/numerical-methods/gauss-elimination-
method-python-program.htm

    n    --matrix to do Gauss Elimination
    """
    size = len(n)

    # creates lower triangular matrix
    for i in range(size):
        for j in range(i + 1, size):
            ratio = n[j][i] / n[i][i]
            for k in range(size + 1):
                n[j][k] = n[j][k] - ratio * n[i][k]

    # Back substitution
    for i in range(size - 1, -1, -1):
        for j in range(i - 1, -1, -1):
            ratio = n[j][i] / n[i][i]
            for k in range(size + 1):
                n[j][k] = n[j][k] - ratio * n[i][k]
        temp = n[i][i]
        for k in range(size + 1):
            n[i][k] = n[i][k] * (1.0 / temp)

def test_case(size):
    """
    runs test cases on a given size of the matrix. records length of runtime Gauss
Elimination and returns in milliseconds

    size    --size of matrix
    """
    n = createArray(size)
    start = time.perf_counter()
    Gauss(n)
    end = time.perf_counter()
    return (end - start) * 1000

# Sample sizes

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sizes = [250, 500, 1000, 1500, 2000]

# Store results into json file for easy copying of data into excel
results = {}

# Run 5 test runs on the different sizes
for i in range(5):
    print(f"test run {i+1}")
    results.update({f"Test Run {i+1}": {}})
    for size in sizes:
        a = test_case(size)
        results[f"Test Run {i+1}"].update({size: a})
        print("\t{:4}: {:} milliseconds".format(size, a))
y = json.dumps(results, indent=4)
f = open("resultsNotNumpy.json", "w")
f.write(y)
f.close()

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! Fortran
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! Fortran program to test the time it takes to do gaussian elimination on
different samples

! creates a NxN+1 matrix with random numbers
function create_matrix ( N ) result(A)
    implicit NONE
    integer, intent(in) :: N
    integer i,j
    real, dimension(:,,:), allocatable :: A

    ALLOCATE(A(N,N+1))
    do i = 1,N
        do j=1,N+1
            A(i,j) = INT((rand() * (20 - 1 + 1)) + 1 )
        end do
    end do
end function create_matrix

! does Gauss Elimination with back substitution on a given matrix
! source: https://labmathdu.wordpress.com/gaussian-elimination-without-pivoting/

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subroutine gaussian_elimination ( a,n )
    implicit none
    real, dimension(:,,:), intent(inout) ::a
    INTEGER,intent(in)::n
    INTEGER::i,j
    REAL::s

    !   Creates lower triangulr matrix
    DO j=1,n
        DO i=j+1,n
            a(i,:)=a(i,)-a(j,)*a(i,j)/a(j,j)
        END DO
    END DO

    !   Back substitution
    DO i=n,1,-1
        DO j=i-1,1,-1
            s= a(j,i) / a(i,i)
            a(j,:) = a(j,:) - (s*a(i,:))
        END DO
        a(i,:) = a(i,:) / a(i,i)
    END DO

end subroutine gaussian_elimination

! runs test cases on a given size and records time of Gauss Elimination and returns in milliseconds
real function test_case ( N ) result(T)
implicit NONE
interface
    function create_matrix(N) result (A)
        integer, intent(in) :: N
        real, dimension(:,,:), allocatable :: A
    end function
    subroutine gaussian_elimination(A,N)
        real, dimension(:,,:), intent(inout) ::A
        integer,intent(in)::N
    end subroutine
end interface
integer, intent(in) :: N
real, dimension(:,,:),allocatable :: A

REAL :: time_begin, time_end

A=create_matrix(N)

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    CALL CPU_TIME ( time_begin )

    call gaussian_elimination(A,N)

    CALL CPU_TIME ( time_end )

    T= (time_end - time_begin ) *1000

end function test_case

! Main Program
program p4
    implicit NONE
    interface
        real function test_case ( N ) result(T)
            integer, intent(in) :: N
        end function
    end interface

    integer, dimension (5) :: Sizes

    integer :: n
    integer :: j
    integer :: i
    real :: time
    ! Sample sizes
    Sizes(1) = 250
    Sizes(2) = 500
    Sizes(3) = 1000
    Sizes(4) = 1500
    Sizes(5) = 2000

    do j=1,5
        print *, "Test Case ",j
        do n=1,5
            i = Sizes(n)
            time = test_case(i)

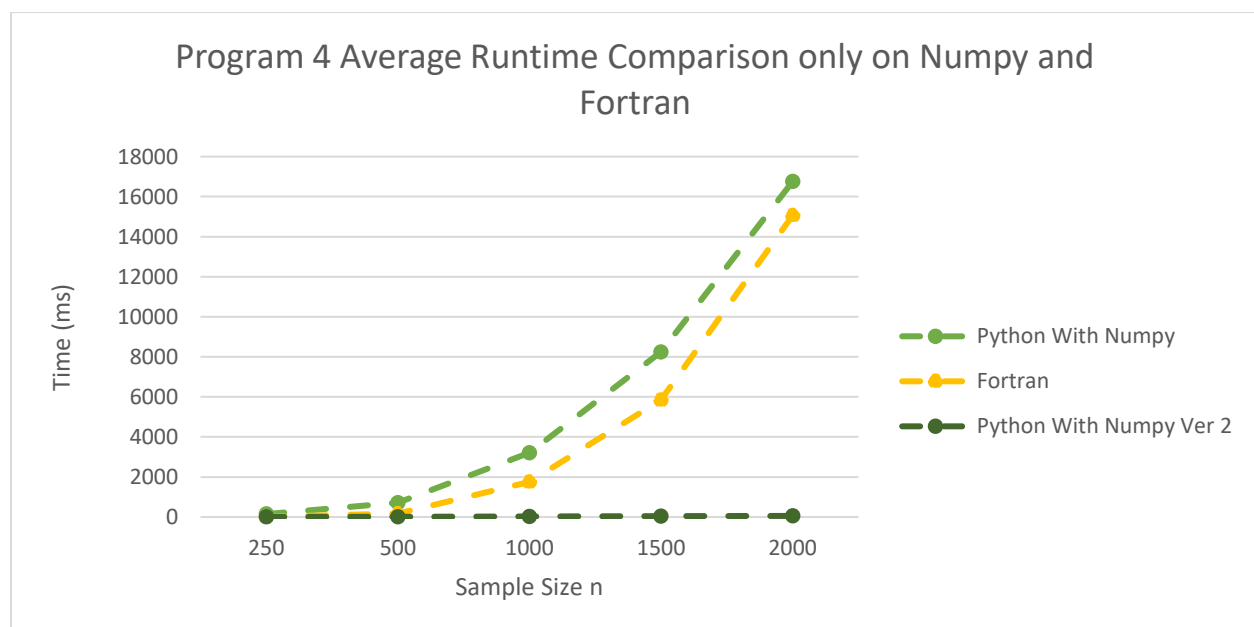
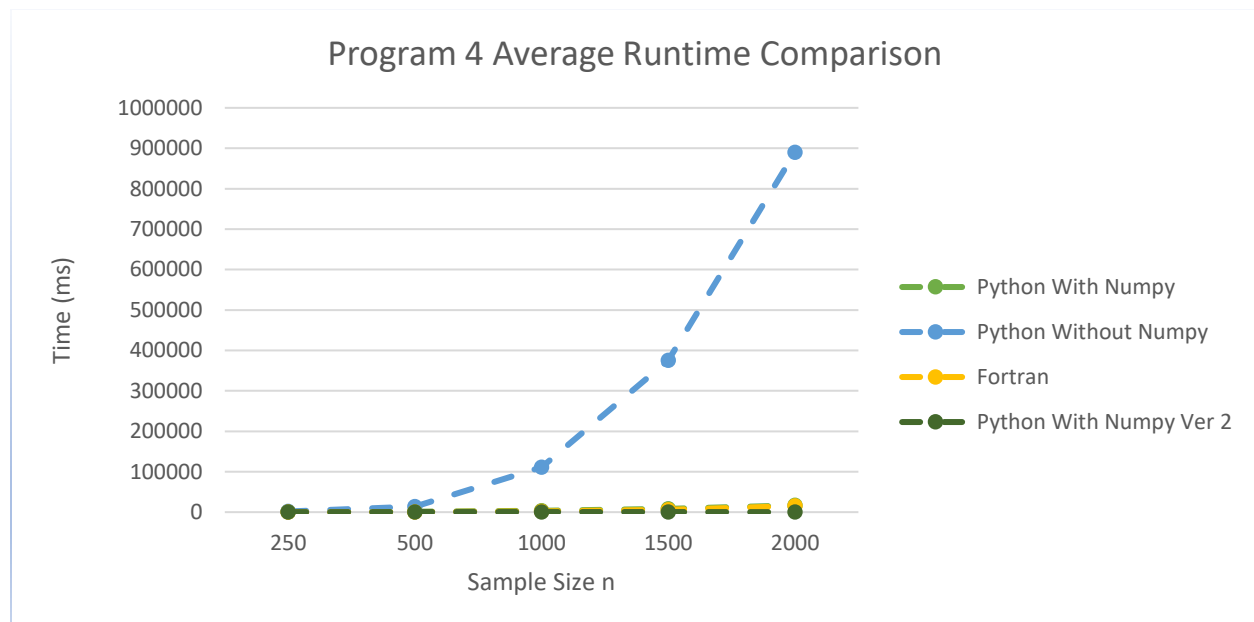
            print *, i, " ", time, "milliseconds"
        end do
    end do

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end program p4
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|                       |      | Python With<br>Numpy Runtime<br>(milliseconds) | Python With<br>Numpy Ver 2<br>(milliseconds) | Python Without<br>Numpy Runtime<br>(milliseconds) | Fortran<br>Runtime<br>(milliseconds) |
|-----------------------|------|--|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| Test Run 1            | 250  | 150.340615                                     | 7.580614001                                  | 1673.531147                                       | 18.2860012                           |
|                       | 500  | 722.451615                                     | 15.230606                                    | 13955.92429                                       | 169.589996                           |
|                       | 1000 | 3248.193132                                    | 25.390997                                    | 112638.4737                                       | 1724.06006                           |
|                       | 1500 | 8267.263848                                    | 35.511681                                    | 376714.8769                                       | 5548.72705                           |
|                       | 2000 | 16802.76659                                    | 53.77538                                     | 890237.1387                                       | 15226.3389                           |
| Test Run 2            | 250  | 148.020904                                     | 6.422822                                     | 1655.63291  | 17.7345276                           |
|                       | 500  | 703.492311                                     | 14.908305                                    | 13640.60448                                       | 172.340393                           |
|                       | 1000 | 3199.850065                                    | 25.308434                                    | 110412.627  | 1826.24438                           |
|                       | 1500 | 8247.976325                                    | 35.186319                                    | 374970.0842                                       | 5569.72314                           |
|                       | 2000 | 16676.37818                                    | 53.391513                                    | 890363.4964                                       | 15145.4521                           |
| Test Run 3            | 250  | 146.565954                                     | 6.447104002                                  | 1655.068345                                       | 17.326355                            |
|                       | 500  | 707.830145                                     | 15.514842                                    | 13631.13695                                       | 166.664124                           |
|                       | 1000 | 3194.521737                                    | 25.329335                                    | 110439.3045                                       | 1739.32263                           |
|                       | 1500 | 8230.046723                                    | 36.029055                                    | 375032.4  | 5933.81104                           |
|                       | 2000 | 16798.94426                                    | 54.493686                                    | 889779.3242                                       | 15062.2363                           |
| Test Run 4            | 250  | 143.991378                                     | 6.620549                                     | 1654.020789                                       | 17.1813965                           |
|                       | 500  | 710.513833                                     | 15.131258                                    | 13620.85476                                       | 164.558411                           |
|                       | 1000 | 3201.064735                                    | 25.658236                                    | 110520.3389                                       | 1755.37866                           |
|                       | 1500 | 8201.293432                                    | 45.031931                                    | 374921.1646                                       | 6179.86279                           |
|                       | 2000 | 16805.92837                                    | 54.318574                                    | 890325.1904                                       | 14898.8262                           |
| Test Run 5            | 250  | 147.493125                                     | 6.514468005                                  | 1656.353108                                       | 17.8604126                           |
|                       | 500  | 717.631964                                     | 15.36279701                                  | 13622.71053                                       | 167.388916                           |
|                       | 1000 | 3227.470055                                    | 25.602421                                    | 110415.7876                                       | 1721.90088                           |
|                       | 1500 | 8221.453807                                    | 35.44697                                     | 374930.7945                                       | 5990.08203                           |
|                       | 2000 | 16669.36816                                    | 54.872416                                    | 890048.4804                                       | 14962.9824                           |
| Average               | 250  | 147.2823952                                    | 6.717111402                                  | 1658.92126  | 17.67773858                          |
|                       | 500  | 712.3839736                                    | 15.2295616                                   | 13694.2462  | 168.108368                           |
|                       | 1000 | 3214.219945                                    | 25.4578846                                   | 110885.3064                                       | 1753.381322                          |
|                       | 1500 | 8233.606827                                    | 37.4411912                                   | 375313.864  | 5844.44121                           |
|                       | 2000 | 16750.67711                                    | 54.1703138                                   | 890150.726  | 15059.16718                          |
| Standard<br>Deviation | 250  | 2.306869784                                    | 0.488757514                                  | 8.211531807                                       | 0.440568975                          |
|                       | 500  | 7.61897715                                     | 0.23022113                                   | 146.4917167                                       | 2.971148925                          |
|                       | 1000 | 22.89822728                                    | 0.161528547                                  | 981.0183965                                       | 42.89934742                          |
|                       | 1500 | 25.21806529                                    | 4.254345888                                  | 784.4104199                                       | 275.9631922                          |
|                       | 2000 | 71.11120187                                    | 0.587792813                                  | 240.6084415                                       | 132.6288361                          |



Looking at the graphs, we can see that Python without Numpy takes a very long time compared to the others. This gives us a clue on how fast purely interpreted languages take compared to compiled languages. The second graph goes into finer details between Python with the module Numpy and Fortran. Here we can see that Python with Numpy can be faster and slower than Fortran based on how it is used. Python With Numpy solution uses Numpy arrays to represent its matrix and probably uses the

module when running the arithmetic on the matrix elements. We can see that we are still have a performance hit on execution speed from Python. When using the Python With Numpy Ver 2, we see that we have a dramatic difference in speed. Ver 2 uses the numpy function `linalg.solve()` to do the Gaussian Elimination within the numpy module. This solution is tons faster than even the Fortran solution, which we would expect to be faster than all three solutions as Fortran is a compiled language. The argument that interpreted languages are slower than compiled languages may not hold up in all cases. Here, Python takes advantage of using modules to help speed it up to make it equivalent to a compiled language, or even faster than it. Though the data is very noisy, especially when we reach higher runtimes when more than likely the OS would start to impede on runtime.