

PARALLEL AND DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING ASSIGNMENT - 1

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1. Objective and description

a) Objective Purpose:

In parallelizing the pre-processing operations involved in an image, flipping an image, rotating it by 90°, and converting it into grayscale to enhance the performance as well as scalability of data augmentation during an image processing pipeline.

b) Description

What:

Image pre-processing is an important part of the computer vision and machine learning pipeline, transforming raw images into a format convenient for analysis or model training. Data augmentation, as a special case of pre-processing, generates more samples artificially from existing images through different applied transformations, thus enhancing the generalization of models.

Why:

- **Inefficiency:** You may need to process very large datasets sequentially in certain contexts. Processing time significantly reduces since you can parallelize tasks.
- **Scalability:** With growth in dimensions of datasets, parallel processing handles pre-processing amicably.
- **Performance:** The faster the pre-processing, the faster the model's training and experimentation cycles.

Where:

This parallelized image pre-processing can be used for following applications

- **Pipelines with Machine Learning:** Improvement of dataset to make it ready to train a model.
- **Real Time Systems:** Satisfying fast pre-processing in applications connected with autonomous vehicle or video real-time analysis.
- **Distributed System Environments of Cloud Computing:** Using distributed systems to process larger image datasets.

2. Algorithm:

1. Start
2. Load the image matrix ($m \times n$ for grayscale, $m \times n \times 3$ for colored).

3. Apply transformations sequentially or in parallel:

a. Flip the image horizontally:

For each row, reverse the column elements.

b. Rotate the image by 90 degrees:

Transpose the matrix, then reverse the rows (or columns).

c. Convert the image to grayscale:

For each pixel (R, G, B), compute luminance using:

$$L = 0.2989 * R + 0.5870 * G + 0.1140 * B$$

4. Display the processed image.

5. End

3. Solution demonstration:

eg: Matrix =

$$\begin{bmatrix} (1, 0, 1) & (4, 5, 6) \\ (2, 3, 4) & (7, 8, 9) \end{bmatrix}$$

Image flip horizontally:

$$\begin{bmatrix} (4, 5, 6) & (1, 0, 1) \\ (7, 8, 9) & (2, 3, 4) \end{bmatrix}$$

Rotate image by 90°:

Transpose:

$$\begin{bmatrix} (1, 0, 1) & (2, 3, 4) \\ (4, 5, 6) & (7, 8, 9) \end{bmatrix}$$

Reverse rows:

$$\begin{bmatrix} (2, 3, 4) & (1, 0, 1) \\ (7, 8, 9) & (4, 5, 6) \end{bmatrix}$$

RGB to BW:

$$0 : 1 \times 0.2989 + 0 \times 0.5870 + 1 \times 0.1140 = 0.4129$$

$$1 : 4 \times 0.2989 + 5 \times 0.5870 + 6 \times 0.1140 = 4.8146$$

$$2 : 2 \times 0.2989 + 3 \times 0.5870 + 4 \times 0.1140 = 2.8148$$

$$3 : 7 \times 0.2989 + 8 \times 0.5870 + 9 \times 0.1140 = 7.8143$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.4129 & 4.8146 \\ 2.8148 & 7.8143 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (0.4129, 0.4129, 0.4129) & (4.8146, 4.8146, 4.8146) \\ (2.8148, 2.8148, 2.8148) & (7.8143, 7.8143, 7.8143) \end{bmatrix}$$

4. Serial code in C:

```
#define STB_IMAGE_IMPLEMENTATION

#include "stb_image.h"

#define STB_IMAGE_WRITE_IMPLEMENTATION

#include "stb_image_write.h"

#include <stdio.h>

#include <stdlib.h>

#include <time.h>


// Function to flip the image horizontally
void flipImageHorizontally(unsigned char *img, int width, int height, int channels) {
    for (int i = 0; i < height; i++) {
        for (int j = 0; j < width / 2; j++) {
            for (int c = 0; c < channels; c++) {
                int left_idx = (i * width + j) * channels + c;
                int right_idx = (i * width + (width - j - 1)) * channels + c;

                // Swap pixels
                unsigned char temp = img[left_idx];
                img[left_idx] = img[right_idx];
                img[right_idx] = temp;
            }
        }
    }
}


// Function to rotate the image by 90 degrees clockwise
unsigned char* rotateImage90(unsigned char *img, int width, int height, int channels) {
    unsigned char *rotatedImg = (unsigned char*)malloc(width * height * channels);

    // Perform 90-degree clockwise rotation
```

```

for (int i = 0; i < height; i++) {
    for (int j = 0; j < width; j++) {
        for (int c = 0; c < channels; c++) {
            // Map the original pixel (i, j) to the new position (j, height - i - 1)
            rotatedImg[(j * height + (height - i - 1)) * channels + c] = img[(i * width + j) * channels + c];
        }
    }
}

return rotatedImg;
}

```

```

// Function to convert the image to grayscale (assuming 3 channels RGB)
void convertToGrayscale(unsigned char *img, int width, int height, int channels) {
    for (int i = 0; i < width * height; i++) {
        unsigned char r = img[i * channels];
        unsigned char g = img[i * channels + 1];
        unsigned char b = img[i * channels + 2];

        // Calculate grayscale value using luminosity method
        unsigned char gray = (unsigned char)(0.2989 * r + 0.5870 * g + 0.1140 * b);

        // Set all RGB channels to the grayscale value
        img[i * channels] = gray;
        img[i * channels + 1] = gray;
        img[i * channels + 2] = gray;
    }
}

```

```

int main() {
    srand(time(NULL)); // Seed for random number generation

```

```
int width, height, channels;
```

```
// Load image
```

```
unsigned char *img = stbi_load("download.jpeg", &width, &height, &channels, 0);
```

```
printf("Image loaded: %dx%d, %d channels\n", width, height, channels);
```

```
int choice;
```

```
printf("Choose an operation:\n");
```

```
printf("1. Flip Image Horizontally\n");
```

```
printf("2. Rotate Image 90 Degrees\n");
```

```
printf("3. Convert Image to Grayscale\n");
```

```
printf("Enter your choice (1-3): ");
```

```
scanf("%d", &choice);
```

```
unsigned char *resultImg = NULL;
```

```
switch (choice) {
```

```
    case 1:
```

```
        flipImageHorizontally(img, width, height, channels);
```

```
        resultImg = img;
```

```
        printf("Image flipped horizontally.\n");
```

```
        break;
```

```
    case 2:
```

```
        resultImg = rotateImage90(img, width, height, channels);
```

```
        printf("Image rotated by 90 degrees.\n");
```

```
        // Swap width and height after rotation
```

```
        int temp = width;
```

```
        width = height;
```

```
        height = temp;
```

```
        break;
```

```
    case 3:
```

```
        convertToGrayscale(img, width, height, channels);

        resultImg = img;

        printf("Image converted to grayscale.\n");

        break;
default:
    printf("Invalid choice.\n");

    return -1;
}

// Save the processed image
if (choice == 2) {
    stbi_write_jpg("processed_image.jpg", height, width, channels, resultImg, 100);
} else {
    stbi_write_jpg("processed_image.jpg", width, height, channels, resultImg, 100);
}

printf("Image processing complete. Saved as 'processed_image.jpg'.\n");

return 0;
}
```

Input:





Output:

Test 1:

```
PS D:\College\Sem5\Parallel computing> ./a.exe
Image loaded: 254x180, 3 channels
Choose an operation:
1. Flip Image Horizontally
2. Rotate Image 90 Degrees
3. Convert Image to Grayscale
Enter your choice (1-3): 1
Image flipped horizontally.
Image processing complete. Saved as 'processed_image.jpg'.
```



Test2:

```
PS D:\College\Sem5\Parallel computing> ./a.exe
Image loaded: 254x180, 3 channels
Choose an operation:
1. Flip Image Horizontally
2. Rotate Image 90 Degrees
3. Convert Image to Grayscale
Enter your choice (1-3): 3
Image converted to grayscale.
Image processing complete. Saved as 'processed_image.jpg'.
```



Test 3:

```
PS D:\College\Sem5\Parallel computing> ./a.exe
Image loaded: 305x180, 3 channels
Choose an operation:
1. Flip Image Horizontally
2. Rotate Image 90 Degrees
3. Convert Image to Grayscale
Enter your choice (1-3): 1
Image flipped horizontally.
Image processing complete. Saved as 'processed_image.jpg'.
```



5. Time complexity analysis:

1. Flipping the Image Horizontally

- **Operation:** The image is flipped horizontally by swapping pixels across the vertical axis.
- **Time Complexity:**
 - Outer Loop: Iterates over the height of the image, m .
 - Inner Loop: Iterates over half the width of the image, $n/2$.
 - Innermost Loop: Iterates over the color channels, c .

Total time complexity for flipping the image:

- $T_{\text{flip}} = O(m * (n/2) * c) = O(m * n * c)$

2. Rotating the Image by 90 Degrees

- **Operation:** The image is rotated by 90 degrees by mapping each pixel to its new position.
- **Time Complexity:**
 - Outer Loop: Iterates over the width of the image, n .
 - Inner Loop: Iterates over the height of the image, m .
 - Innermost Loop: Iterates over the color channels, c .

Total time complexity for rotating the image:

- $T_{\text{rotate}} = O(n * m * c) = O(m * n * c)$

3. Converting to Black and White (Grayscale)

- **Operation:** The luminance for each pixel of a colored image is computed to convert it to black and white.
- **Time Complexity:**
 - Outer Loop: Iterates over the height of the image, m .
 - Inner Loop: Iterates over the width of the image, n .
 - Color channels involved for RGB, so the computation is done for each pixel.

Total time complexity for converting to grayscale:

- $T_{\text{bw}} = O(m * n * c)$

Overall Time Complexity

For a single image of size $m \times n$ with c color channels, the overall time complexity for all operations when performed sequentially is:

- $T_{\text{total}} = T_{\text{flip}} + T_{\text{rotate}} + T_{\text{bw}}$
- $T_{\text{total}} = O(m * n * c) + O(m * n * c) + O(m * n * c)$

Assuming that $m' \times n'$ is smaller than or equal to $m \times n$, we can simplify the overall complexity:

- $T_{\text{total}} = O(m * n * c)$

Asymptotic Complexity

- Sequential: $O(m * n * c)$

Results (Serial):

Image size	Function	Time (in secs)
297 x 169	Flip image horizontally	0.001191
	Rotate by 90°	0.002385
	Convert image to grayscale	0.001195
1000 x 1000	Flip image horizontally	0.013568
	Rotate by 90°	0.018863
	Convert image to grayscale	0.011990

MODULE – 2

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6. Identification of Parallelizable Blocks:

1. **Flip Image Horizontally (flipImageHorizontally Function):**
 - **Outer Loop (for (int i = 0; i < height; i++)):** Each iteration processes a different row of the image independently.
 - **Inner Loop (for (int j = 0; j < width / 2; j++)):** Swapping pixels within a row can be done in parallel since each swap is independent of others.
2. **Rotate Image 90 Degrees Clockwise (rotatImage90 Function):**
 - **Outer Loop (for (int i = 0; i < height; i++)):** Each iteration handles a different row of the original image.
 - **Inner Loop (for (int j = 0; j < width; j++)):** Each pixel in a row is mapped to a new position in the rotated image independently.
3. **Convert Image to Grayscale (convertToGrayscale Function):**
 - **Single Loop (for (int i = 0; i < width * height; i++)):** Each pixel's RGB values are processed independently to compute the grayscale value.

Rationale for Parallelization:

- **Data Independence:** Each pixel operation is independent, ensuring no data races or dependencies.
- **Large Data Size:** Images typically contain a large number of pixels, providing ample opportunities for parallelism.
- **Uniform Workload:** Similar processing tasks across pixels allow for balanced workload distribution across threads.

7. Pseudocode:

Function flipImageHorizontally(img, width, height, channels):

Parallelize the outer loop over 'i' using OpenMP

For each row 'i' from 0 to height-1:

Parallelize the inner loop over 'j' using OpenMP

For each column 'j' from 0 to width/2 -1:

For each channel 'c' from 0 to channels-1:

Compute left_idx and right_idx

Swap img[left_idx] with img[right_idx]

Function rotatImage90(img, width, height, channels):

Allocate memory for rotatedImg with size width * height * channels

Parallelize the outer loop over 'i' using OpenMP

For each row 'i' from 0 to height-1:

Parallelize the inner loop over 'j' using OpenMP

For each column 'j' from 0 to width-1:

For each channel 'c' from 0 to channels-1:

Compute source index and destination index

Set rotatedImg[destination index] = img[source index]

Return rotatedImg

Function convertToGrayscale(img, width, height, channels):

Parallelize the loop over 'i' using OpenMP

For each pixel 'i' from 0 to (width * height -1):

Extract R, G, B values

Compute grayscale value using luminosity method

Set all RGB channels of img[i] to grayscale value

8. Solution demonstration:

Matrix =

$$\begin{bmatrix} (1, 2, 1) & (1, 1, 0) & (1, 0, 0) \\ (1, 1, 1) & (0, 1, 1) & (0, 0, 1) \\ (0, 1, 0) & (1, 0, 1) & (1, 1, 0) \end{bmatrix}$$

Image flipping horizontally:

Thread 3 works on (1,0,1) & (1,0,0) & swaps them

Thread 1 works on (1,1,0) & swaps them with itself

Similarly, in all rows happens parallelly.

$$\begin{bmatrix} (1, 0, 0) & (1, 1, 0) & (1, 0, 1) \\ (0, 0, 1) & (0, 1, 1) & (1, 1, 1) \\ (1, 1, 0) & (1, 0, 1) & (0, 1, 0) \end{bmatrix}$$

Rotate image by 90°:

Transpose reverse rows:

The swaps are done parallel & independently.

$$\begin{bmatrix} (0, 1, 0) & (1, 1, 1) & (1, 0, 1) \\ (1, 0, 1) & (0, 1, 1) & (1, 1, 0) \\ (1, 1, 0) & (0, 0, 1) & (1, 0, 0) \end{bmatrix}$$

RGB to BW:

Compute grayscale value:

Set all RGB channels of img[i,j] to grayscale value

$$\text{Thread 3: } 1 \times 0.2989 + 0 \times 0.5870 + 1 \times 0.1140 = 0.4129$$

$$\text{Thread 5: } 1 \times 0.2989 + 1 \times 0.5870 + 0 \times 0.1140 = 0.8859$$

$$\text{Thread 1: } 1 \times 0.2989 + 0 \times 0.5870 + 0 \times 0.1140 = 0.2989$$

$$\text{Thread 4: } 1 \times 0.2989 + 1 \times 0.5870 + 1 \times 0.1140 = 0.9999$$

$$\text{Thread 2: } 0 \times 0.2989 + 1 \times 0.5870 + 1 \times 0.1140 = 0.701$$

$$\text{Thread 6: } 0 \times 0.2989 + 0 \times 0.5870 + 1 \times 0.1140 = 0.1140$$

$$\text{Thread 8: } 0 \times 0.2989 + 1 \times 0.5870 + 0 \times 0.1140 = 0.5870$$

$$\text{Thread 7: } 1 \times 0.2989 + 0 \times 0.5870 + 1 \times 0.1140 = 0.4129$$

$$\text{Thread 9: } 1 \times 0.2989 + 1 \times 0.5870 + 0 \times 0.1140 = 0.8859$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (0.4129, 0.4129, 0.4129) & (0.8859, 0.8859, 0.8859) & (0.2989, 0.2989, 0.2989) \\ (0.9999, 0.9999, 0.9999) & (0.701, 0.701, 0.701) & (0.1140, 0.1140, 0.1140) \\ (0.5870, 0.5870, 0.5870) & (0.4129, 0.4129, 0.4129) & (0.8859, 0.8859, 0.8859) \end{bmatrix}$$

9. Parallel code:

```
#define STB_IMAGE_IMPLEMENTATION

#include "stb_image.h"

#define STB_IMAGE_WRITE_IMPLEMENTATION

#include "stb_image_write.h"

#include <stdio.h>

#include <stdlib.h>

#include <time.h>

#include <omp.h>

// Function to flip the image horizontally
void flipImageHorizontally(unsigned char *img, int width, int height, int channels) {
    #pragma omp parallel for collapse(2)
    for (int i = 0; i < height; i++) {
        printf("The thread processing pixels in column %d is %d\n", i, omp_get_thread_num());
        for (int j = 0; j < width / 2; j++) {
            for (int c = 0; c < channels; c++) {
                int left_idx = (i * width + j) * channels + c;
                int right_idx = (i * width + (width - j - 1)) * channels + c;

                // Swap pixels
                unsigned char temp = img[left_idx];
                img[left_idx] = img[right_idx];
                img[right_idx] = temp;
            }
        }
    }
}

// Function to rotate the image by 90 degrees clockwise using two-pixel swaps
```

```

unsigned char* rotateImage90(unsigned char *img, int width, int height, int channels) {
    unsigned char *rotatedImg = (unsigned char*)malloc(width * height * channels);

    #pragma omp parallel for collapse(2)
    for (int i = 0; i < height; i++) {
        printf("The thread processing pixels in column %d is %d\n", i, omp_get_thread_num());
        for (int j = 0; j < width; j++) {
            for (int c = 0; c < channels; c++) {
                // Map the original pixel (i, j) to the new position (j, width - i - 1)
                rotatedImg[(j * height + (height - i - 1)) * channels + c] = img[(i * width + j) * channels + c];
            }
        }
    }
    return rotatedImg;
}

```

```

// Function to convert the image to grayscale (assuming 3 channels RGB)
void convertToGrayscale(unsigned char *img, int width, int height, int channels) {
    #pragma omp parallel for collapse(2)
    for (int i = 0; i < width * height; i++) {
        unsigned char r = img[i * channels];
        unsigned char g = img[i * channels + 1];
        unsigned char b = img[i * channels + 2];

        // Calculate grayscale value using luminosity method
        unsigned char gray = (unsigned char)(0.2989 * r + 0.5870 * g + 0.1140 * b);

        // Set all RGB channels to the grayscale value
        img[i * channels] = gray;
        img[i * channels + 1] = gray;
        img[i * channels + 2] = gray;
    }
}

```

```
}  
}
```

```
int main() {  
    srand(time(NULL));  
    int width, height, channels;  
  
    // Load image  
    unsigned char *img = stbi_load("download1.jpeg", &width, &height, &channels, 0);  
    printf("Image loaded: %dx%d, %d channels\n", width, height, channels);  
  
    int choice;  
    printf("Choose an operation:\n");  
    printf("1. Flip Image Horizontally\n");  
    printf("2. Rotate Image 90 Degrees\n");  
    printf("3. Convert Image to Grayscale\n");  
    printf("Enter your choice (1-3): ");  
    scanf("%d", &choice);  
  
    unsigned char *resultImg = NULL;  
    double start, end;  
  
    switch (choice) {  
        case 1:  
            start = omp_get_wtime();  
            flipImageHorizontally(img, width, height, channels);  
            end = omp_get_wtime();  
            resultImg = img;  
            printf("Image flipped horizontally.\n");  
            break;  
        case 2:
```



```

    start = omp_get_wtime();
    resultImg = rotateImage90(img, width, height, channels);
    end = omp_get_wtime();
    printf("Image rotated by 90 degrees.\n");
    // Swap width and height after rotation
    int temp = width;
    width = height;
    height = temp;
    break;
case 3:
    start = omp_get_wtime();
    convertToGrayscale(img, width, height, channels);
    end = omp_get_wtime();
    resultImg = img;
    printf("Image converted to grayscale.\n");
    break;
default:
    printf("Invalid choice.\n");
    return -1;
}

printf("Processing Time: %f seconds\n", end-start);
stbi_write_jpg("processed_image.jpg", width, height, channels, resultImg, 100);

printf("Image processing complete. Saved as 'processed_image.jpg'.\n");

return 0;
}

```

Test cases:

Input:



Output:

Test 1:

```
PS D:\College\Sem5\Parallel computing> ./a.exe
Image loaded: 254x180, 3 channels
Choose an operation:
1. Flip Image Horizontally
2. Rotate Image 90 Degrees
3. Convert Image to Grayscale
Enter your choice (1-3): 1
The thread processing pixels in column 158 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 159 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 160 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 161 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 162 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 163 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 164 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 165 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 166 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 92 is 4
The thread processing pixels in column 136 is 6
The thread processing pixels in column 137 is 6
The thread processing pixels in column 138 is 6
The thread processing pixels in column 139 is 6
The thread processing pixels in column 140 is 6
The thread processing pixels in column 141 is 6
```



Test 2:

```

PS D:\College\Sem5\Parallel computing> ./a.exe
Image loaded: 254x180, 3 channels
Choose an operation:
1. Flip Image Horizontally
2. Rotate Image 90 Degrees
3. Convert Image to Grayscale
Enter your choice (1-3): 2
The thread processing pixels in column 158 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 92 is 4
The thread processing pixels in column 0 is 0
The thread processing pixels in column 46 is 2
The thread processing pixels in column 136 is 6
The thread processing pixels in column 137 is 6
The thread processing pixels in column 69 is 3
The thread processing pixels in column 70 is 3
The thread processing pixels in column 159 is 7
The thread processing pixels in column 93 is 4
The thread processing pixels in column 1 is 0
The thread processing pixels in column 2 is 0
The thread processing pixels in column 3 is 0
The thread processing pixels in column 4 is 0
The thread processing pixels in column 23 is 1
The thread processing pixels in column 24 is 1

```



Test 3:

```

PS D:\College\Sem5\Parallel computing> ./a.exe
Image loaded: 254x180, 3 channels
Choose an operation:
1. Flip Image Horizontally
2. Rotate Image 90 Degrees
3. Convert Image to Grayscale
Enter your choice (1-3): 3
Image converted to grayscale.
Image processing complete. Saved as 'processed_image.jpg'.

```



10. Time complexity analysis:

- **Flip Image Horizontally:**
 - **Parallel Complexity:** $O(\text{height} * (\text{width} / 2) * \text{channels} / P)$
 - Where P is the number of available processors/threads.
 - **Speedup:** Ideally, linear speedup with P threads, reducing the processing time by a factor of P .
 - $T_{\text{flip}} = O(m * (n/2) * c) = O(m * n * c / p)$

- **Rotate Image 90 Degrees Clockwise:**
 - **Parallel Complexity:** $O((\text{height} * \text{width} * \text{channels}) / P)$
 - Each thread handles a portion of the pixel mappings.
 - **Speedup:** Close to linear speedup with P threads, as each pixel operation is independent.
 - $T_{\text{rotate}} = O(m * (n/2) * c) = O(m * n * c / p)$

- **Convert Image to Grayscale:**
 - **Parallel Complexity:** $O((\text{width} * \text{height} * \text{channels}) / P)$
 - Each thread processes a subset of the pixels.
 - **Speedup:** Near-linear speedup with P threads due to independent pixel processing.
 - $T_{\text{gray}} = O(m * (n/2) * c) = O(m * n * c / p)$

Overall Time Complexity

For a single image of size $m \times n$ with c color channels, the overall time complexity for all operations when performed sequentially is:

- $T_{\text{total}} = T_{\text{flip}} + T_{\text{rotate}} + T_{\text{gray}}$
- $T_{\text{total}} = O(m * n * c / p) + O(m * n * c / p) + O(m * n * c / p)$

We can simplify the overall complexity:

- $T_{\text{total}} = O(m * n * c / p)$

Asymptotic Complexity

- Parallel: $O(m * n * c / p)$

Results (Parallel):

Image size	Function	Time (seconds)
297x169	Flip image horizontally	0.001647
	Rotate by 90°	0.005666
	Convert image to grayscale	0.001529
	Flip image horizontally	0.012228
	Rotate by 90°	0.023003
	Convert image to grayscale	0.003872