CS314 Fall 2018

Assignment 8

Problem 1 - Dependencies

Suppose we have the following program (a sequence of instructions), with each instruction labeled as S<num>:

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S_1:
      a := 4;
S_2:
      b := 2;
S_3:
      c := 5;
S_4:
      read(d);
S_5:
      a := b + 3;
S_6:
      b := a - 3;
S_7:
      c := d * b;
S_8:
      e := a + 6;
S_9:
      print(c);
S_{10}:
      print(e);
```

- (a) Give the statement-level dependence graph for the above program. A node in the statement-level dependence graph represents a statement, an edge represents dependence between the statements (i.e. the nodes). Label each edge as a **true** data dependence, an **anti** data dependence, or an **output** data dependence.
- (b) Assume that each statement takes 1 cycle to execute. What is the execution time of the sequential code? What is the fastest parallel execution time of the program (i.e. the critical path)? You may assume that I/O operations (read and print) can be done in parallel.

Problem 2 - Dependence Analysis

Give the source and sink references, the type (whether a dependence is **true**, **anti**, or **output**), and the distance vectors for all dependences in the following loops.

Use $a_W(i)$ and $a_R(i)$ to annotate the write access to a(i) and the read access to a(i) respectively.

Problem 3 - Loop Parallelization

Given the following nested loop:

```
do i = 2, 100

do j = 2, 100

S_1: a(i, j) = b(i - 1, j - 1) + 2

S_2: b(i, j) = i + j - 1

enddo

enddo
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- (a) Give the statement-level dependence graph. Show the dependence graph for statement instances in a part of the iteration space: $i = 2 \dots 5$, $j = 2 \dots 5$.
- (b) In its current form, can any loop be parallelized? If so, which loop(s)? If not, justify your answer.
- (c) Provide one valid affine schedule for statements S_1 and S_2 such that $p(S_1) = C_{11}*i + C_{12}*j + d_1$ and $p(S_2) = C_{21}*i + C_{22}*j + d_2$ in order to achieve synchronization-free parallelism. There could be many possible solutions for $\{C_{11}, C_{12}, C_{21}, C_{22}, d_1, d_2\}$. You only need to provide one feasible solution. (Hint: You can let $d_1 = d_2 = 0$.)
- (d) Generate two-level loop code for the affine schedule you provided. Please use p as outermost loop and i as innermost loop in the transformed loop. Calculate the loop bounds for p and i using Fourier-Motzkin elimination. You might need to calculate the overlapping polyhedron for S_1 and S_2 in order to eliminate the j loop. Please refer to the techniques for code generation in lecture 20 and lecture 21.