Programming in CUDA C: the Mandelbrot set

Don't use the Sun compiler for this exercise, please use gcc from now on.

Use your exercise from last week as the starting point. If you used the Fortran version for OpenMP, you now have to consider the C version for CUDA C. A Makefile template is provided on DTU Inside.

Exercise 3:

- 1. Write CUDA C code for generating the mandelbrot set on the GPU. Setup the GPU \rightarrow CPU transfer of the resulting output. Run the executable and check the output in the mandelbrot.png file.
 - Hints: Work initially with only one thread until the result is correct, then go for a 2D launch configuration that uses one thread per pixel. Use cudaMallocHost and cudaFreeHost instead of malloc and free in order to get pinned transfers.
- 2. Time your code and calculate the speed-up compared to the OpenMP version from week 2. Consider what influence warming up the device has.
- 3. How much time is used for compute and how much for the GPU \rightarrow CPU transfer of the output? Calculate both the speed-up including transfer and excluding transfer.