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Lab 4

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Parallel Periodic-Pattern Matching using MPI

For this lab you have to search for given periodic pattern(s) in a given text using MPI. You must use the Algorithm 7.3 'Text Analysis, Periodic Case', Chapter 7 of An introduction to Parallel Algorithms by Joseph JáJá. The relevant sections of the Chapter have been provided in 'PatternMatching.pdf' on Moodle. The technique has been briefly discussed in this document.

1 Preliminary setup

1.1 Periodicity in Strings

Let Y be a string of length m. Length of the shortest substring X of Y such that $Y = X^k X'$, where X' is a proper prefix of X, is called the *period* of Y. The period is represented by p.

For example, let Y = ababababa, X = ab (X' = a). The period of Y = |X| = 2. The string Y is called *periodic* if its period $p \le m/2$.

Let Z be an arbitrary string of length $n \geq m$, then the following two statements hold;

- If Y occurs in Z at positions i and j, then |i-j| > p.
- If Y occurs in Z at positions i and i+d, where $d \le m-p-1$, then d must be a multiple of p. If 0 < d < m/2, then Y must occur at positions i+kp, where k is an integer such that $kp \le d$.

As a consequence, Y can occur in Z at most n/p times.

1.2 Witness Array

For a string Y of length m and period p, let $\pi(Y) = min(p, \lceil m/2 \rceil)$. $(\pi(Y) = p \text{ if } Y \text{ is periodic, otherwise } \pi(Y) = \lceil m/2 \rceil$.

A witness function Φ_Y is defined as:

- $\Phi_Y(0) = 0$,
- $\Phi_Y(i) = k$, where k is any index such that $Y(k) \neq Y(i+k)$, for $1 \leq i < \pi(Y)$.

For example, let $Y_1 = abcaabcab$ and $Y_2 = abcabcab$. $\pi(Y_1) = \lceil m_{Y_1}/2 \rceil = 5$ and $\pi(Y_2) = p_{Y_2} = 3$. $\Phi_{Y_1} = [0, 0, 0, 1, 4]$ $\Phi_{Y_2} = [0, 1, 1]$ (there are other correct values of Φ_{Y_1} and Φ_{Y_2} possible.)

Given a string Z of length $n \ge m$, consider the problem of determining all positions where a string Y can occur in Z. Let i and j be two positions in Z such that $|i-j| < \pi(Y)$, Y cannot occur at positions i and j simultaneouly. $\Phi_Y(j-i)$ provides a position where two copies of Y starting at i and j would differ.

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1: function \text{DUEL}(Z(0:n-1),\ Y(0:m-1),\ \Phi_Y,\ i,\ j) \triangleright 0 \leq i < j < n

2: k := \Phi_Y[j\text{-i}]

3: if Z(j+k) is not a valid index or Z(j+k) \neq Y(k) then return i

4: else return j

5: end if

6: end function
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2 Pattern Matching

Consider a text T of length n and a pattern P of length m. In this section we will discuss a $O(\log m)$ time parallel string matching algorithm using O(n+m) operations. The algorithm consists of two steps:

- 1. Pattern Analysis: This step involves processing of the pattern to extract information about the structure of pattern. In this phase we compute the witness function Φ as discussed above.
- 2. Text Analysis: This step involves processing of the text using the information gathered in step 1. This step has been explained in Algorithms 12.

Algorithm 1 Non-periodic Pattern Matching

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1: function NP-TextAnalysis(T(0:n-1), P(0:m-1), \Phi_P)
                                                                                 ▷ It is assumed that P is
   non-periodic
       Partition T into \frac{n}{\lceil m/2 \rceil} blocks T_0, ..., T_b. with at most \lceil m/2 \rceil consecutive characters of T.
2:
        for bi := 0 to b do
 3:
           i := |T_0| + \dots + |T_{bi-1}|
 4:
           for j := i + 1 to (|T_0| + ... + |T_{bi}|) - 1 do
 5:
               i := DUEL(T, P, \Phi_P, i, j)
 6:
           end for
 7:
 8:
           potential-positions[bi] := i
       end for
9:
       match-positions := emptySet
10:
       for each i in potential-positions do
11:
           if P occurs at i in T then
                                                                             ▷ compute using brute-force
12:
               add i to match-positions
13:
14:
           end if
15:
       end for
       return match-positions
16:
17: end function
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Example: Consider T = babaababaaba and P = abaab. Clearly, P is non-periodic. $\pi(P) = \lceil 5/2 \rceil = 3$, $\Phi(P) = [0, 0, 1]$.

- T is partitioned into $\frac{12}{\lceil 5/2 \rceil} = 4$ blocks, i.e., $T_0 = bab$, $T_1 = aab$, $T_2 = aba$ and $T_3 = aba$. (All these blocks are handled concurrently.)
- After 1st round of duels we get, DUEL(0,1) = 1, DUEL(3,4) = 4, DUEL(6,7) = 6 and DUEL(9,10) = 9. After 2nd round of duels we get, DUEL(1,2) = 1, DUEL(4,5) = 4, DUEL(6,8) = 6 and DUEL(9,11) = 9.

- We get the potential candidates, 1, 4, 6, 9.
- \bullet We can check that P occurs at locations 1 and 6.

Algorithm 2 Periodic Pattern Matching

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1: function P-TextAnalysis(T(0:n-1), P(0:m-1))
       p := period of P
       P' := P(0:2p-2)
 3:
       \Phi_{P'} := \text{WITNESS}(P')
4:
       pos := NP-TEXTANALYSIS(T, P', \Phi_{P'})
 5:
       u := P(0:p-1)
 6:
 7:
       k := \lfloor m/p \rfloor
       v := P(kp : m - 1)
 8:
       for i := 0 to n - 1 do
9:
           M[i] := 0
10:
           if i \in pos and u^2v occurs at i then M[i] := 1
11:
           end if
12:
13:
       end for
       for i := 0 to p - 1 do
14:
           S[i] := (M[i], M[i+p], M[i+2p], ...)
15:
           for j := 0 to |S[i]| - 1 do
16:
               C[i][j] := 0
17:
               if there are k-1 consequetive 1s starting at i then
18:
19:
                   C[i][j] := 1
               end if
20:
           end for
21:
       end for
22:
       for j := 0 to n - m do
23:
           if \exists i, l \text{ such that } 0 \leq i < p, l \geq 0 \text{ and } j = i + lp \text{ then}
24:
25:
               MATCH[j] := C[i][l]
           end if
26:
       end for
27:
28: end function
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Examples: Consider text $T = bababababababababababa = (ba)^6 (ab)^2$ and pattern $P = abababa = (ab)^3 a$. Pattern P has a period p = 2 (ab).

- P' = P(0:2) = aba. (P' represents the longest non-periodic substring of P).
- $\Phi_{P'} = [0, 0]$. (This is one of the correct $\Phi_{P'}$ values.)
- Algorithm 1 identifies locations pos = 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 and 12 that P' occurs at in T.
- Occurances 1, 3, 5, 7 can be extended to $(ab^2)a$.
- Hence, M = [0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0].
- S[0] = [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0], S[1] = [1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0].
- C[0] = [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0], C[1] = [1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0].
- Therefore, MATCH = [0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0].
- Pattern P occurs in text T at positions 1, 3 and 5.

3 Lab submission details

3.1 Problem Statement

- Your task is to implement parallel periodic pattern matching for single text, multiple patterns.
- You must adapt the Algorithm 2 for multiple patterns.
- You will be provided a text, *Text*, a set of patterns *PatternSet*, and a set of periods *p_set* corresponding to each pattern in *PatternSet*.
- You have to return a set of MATCH arrays corresponding to the patterns in PatternSet.

3.2 Input format

The input file format and the main file to calculate the time taken by your implementation can be cloned from https://github.com/dvynjli/col380_lab4_suite. Read the README file for details.

3.3 Plagiarism policy

Make sure the code is not plagiarized. We have a repository of online codes. If you are found copying code from online sources or your peers, you will be penalized with a grade-drop + zero in the lab.

3.4 Late submission policy

10% penalty for each day over the deadline. Maximum of 2 days allowed after which summary zero will be awarded (unless there is a medical emergency – for which you will have to provide a letter from the doctor).

3.5 Evaluation scheme

1. Correct parallel implementation.

50 Marks

2. Performance 50 Marks

Note: The grading for component 2 (Performance) will be relative.