

ACM/CS 114

Parallel algorithms for scientific applications

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Sequential implementation - user interface

```
77 // main program
78 int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
79     // default values for our user configurable settings
80     size_t N = 10;
81     double tolerance = 1.0e-6;
82     const char* filename = "laplace.csv";
83
84     // read the command line
85     int command;
86     while ((command = getopt(argc, argv, "N:e:o:")) != -1) {
87         switch (command) {
88             // get the convergence tolerance
89             case 'e':
90                 tolerance = atof(optarg);
91                 break;
92             // get the grid size
93             case 'N':
94                 N = (size_t) atof(optarg);
95                 break;
96             // get the name of the output file
97             case 'o':
98                 filename = optarg;
99         }
100     }
```

Sequential implementation - driving the solver

```
102 // allocate space for the solution
103 Grid potential(N);
104
105 // initialize and apply our boundary conditions
106 initialize(potential);
107
108 // call the solver
109 laplace(potential, tolerance);
110
111 // open a stream to hold the answer
112 std::fstream output(filename, std::ios_base::out);
113
114 // build a visualizer and render the solution in our chosen format
115 Visualizer visualizer;
116 visualizer.csv(potential, output);
117
118 // all done
119 return 0;
120 }
```

Sequential implementation - the preamble

- back up to the beginning of the file

```
1 #include <getopt.h>
2 #include <cmath>
3 #include <cstdlib>
4 #include <fstream>
5 #include <iostream>
6
7 // forward declarations
8 class Grid;
9 class Visualizer;
10
11 // the solver; does nothing for the time being
12 void initialize(Grid & grid) {};
13 void laplace(Grid & grid, double tolerance) {};
```

- we have separated out *visualization* in a different object to support different formats without disturbing the data representation
- `initialize` and `laplace` have trivial implementations for now
 - enables testing the scaffolding without worrying about the solver implementation just yet

Sequential implementation - the grid object stub

```
15 // the solution representation
16 class Grid {
17     // interface: TBD
18 public:
19
20     // meta methods
21 public:
22     Grid(size_t size);
23     ~Grid();
24
25     // private data members: TBD
26 private:
27
28     // disabled interface
29     // grid will own dynamic memory, so don't let the compiler screw up
30 private:
31     Grid(const Grid &);
32     const Grid & operator= (const Grid &);
33 };
34
35 // the grid implementation
36 Grid::Grid(size_t size) {
37 }
38
39 Grid::~~Grid() {
40 }
```

Sequential implementation - the visualizer stub

```
97 // the visualizer class
98 class Visualizer {
99     // local type aliases
100 public:
101     typedef std::ostream stream_t;
102
103     // interface
104 public:
105     void csv(const Grid & grid, stream_t & stream);
106
107     // meta methods
108 public:
109     inline Visualizer() {}
110 };
111
112 // the Visualizer class implementation
113 void Visualizer::csv(const Grid & grid, Visualizer::stream_t & stream) {
114     return;
115 }
```

- ▶ the code now compiles and links
 - ▶ consistency check that the object collaborations are ok, for now
 - ▶ can be tested for command line option parsing

Fleshing out the initializer

```
1 // the grid initializer:
2 // clear the grid contents and apply our boundary conditions
3 void initialize(Grid & grid) {
4     // ask the grid to clear its memory
5     grid.clear(1.0);
6     // apply the dirichlet conditions
7     for (size_t cell=0; cell < grid.size(); cell++) {
8         // evaluate sin(pi x)
9         double sin = std::sin(cell * grid.delta() * pi);
10        // along the x axis, at top and bottom
11        grid(cell, 0) = sin;
12        grid(cell, grid.size()-1) = sin * std::exp(-pi);
13        // along the y axis, left and right
14        grid(0, cell) = 0.0;
15        grid(grid.size()-1, cell) = 0.0;
16    }
17
18    return;
19 }
```

- ▶ the grid knows its size, its spacing δ , and can initialize its memory
- ▶ access to grid elements happens through an overloaded operator () so we can *encapsulate* the indexing function

The grid class declaration

```
29 // the solution representation
30 class Grid {
31     // interface
32 public:
33     // set all cells to the specified value
34     void clear(double value=0.0);
35     // the grid dimensions
36     size_t size() const {return _size;}
37     // the grid spacing
38     double delta() const {return _delta;}
39     // access to the cells
40     double & operator()(size_t i, size_t j) {return _block[j*_size+i];}
41     double operator()(size_t i, size_t j) const {return _block[j*_size+i];}
42     // meta methods
43 public:
44     Grid(size_t size);
45     ~Grid();
46     // data members
47 private:
48     const size_t _size;
49     const double _delta;
50     double* _block;
51     // disable these
52 private:
53     Grid(const Grid &);
54     const Grid & operator= (const Grid &);
55 };
```


The grid class implementation

```
57 // the grid implementation
58 // interface
59 void Grid::clear(double value) {
60     for (size_t i=0; i < _size*_size; i++) {
61         _block[i] = value;
62     }
63
64     return;
65 }
66
67 // constructor
68 Grid::Grid(size_t size) :
69     _size(size),
70     _delta((1.0 - 0.0)/(size-1)),
71     _block(new double[size*size]) {
72 }
73
74 // destructor
75 Grid::~Grid() {
76     delete [] _block;
77 }
```

Grid visualization

```
1 // the visualizer class
2 class Visualizer {
3     // local type aliases
4 public:
5     typedef std::ostream stream_t;
6     // interface
7 public:
8     void csv(const Grid & grid, stream_t & stream);
9     // meta methods
10 public:
11     inline Visualizer() {}
12 };
13
14 // the Visualizer class implementation
15 void Visualizer::csv(const Grid & grid, Visualizer::stream_t & stream) {
16     for (size_t j=0; j < grid.size(); j++) {
17         stream << j;
18         for (size_t i=0; i < grid.size(); i++) {
19             stream << ", " << grid(i,j);
20         }
21         stream << std::endl;
22     }
23
24     return;
25 }
```

Printing out the initial grid

- ▶ we should be able to print out the initialized grid

```
1 #> mm laplace
2 #> laplace
3 #> cat laplace.csv
4 0,0,0.3827,0.7071,0.9239,1,0.9239,0.7071,0.3827,1.225e-16
5 1,0,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,0
6 2,0,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,0
7 3,0,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,0
8 4,0,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,0
9 5,0,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,0
10 6,0,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,0
11 7,0,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,0
12 8,0,0.01654,0.0306,0.03992,0.04321,0.0399,0.03056,0.01654,0
```

- ▶ notice that
 - ▶ the top line contains some recognizable values
 - ▶ the left and right borders are set to zero
 - ▶ the interior of the grid is painted with our initial guess
- ▶ still to do:
 - ▶ write the update
 - ▶ build a grid with the exact solution
 - ▶ build the error field (why?)