High Performance Computing

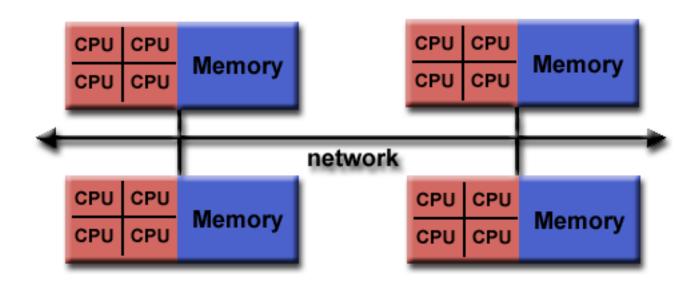
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Lecture 15

Notes

- HW3, animations: need ffmpeg to save movies
 - guidance notes are online let me know if you have difficulties
 - basic animations are completely fine
- OpenMP final notes
 - Loops cannot have breaks or exit statements
 - There is a lastprivate label as well as firstprivate
 - References posted on webpage

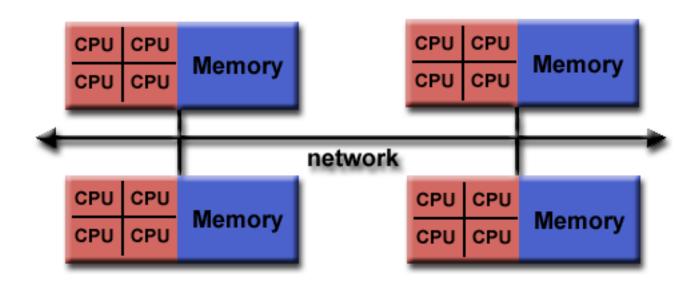
Parallel computing paradigms



Distributed memory

- Each (4-core) chip has its own memory
- The chips are connected by network 'cables'
- MPI coordinates communication between two or more CPUs

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Related approaches:

- Hybrid programming: mix of shared-memory (OpenMP) and distributed-memory (MPI) programming
- GPU's: Shared memory programming (CUDA or OpenCL)
- Coprocessors and co-array programming

- MPI: Message Passing Interface
- Standard for exchanging data between processors
- Supports Fortran, c, C++
- Can also be used with Python

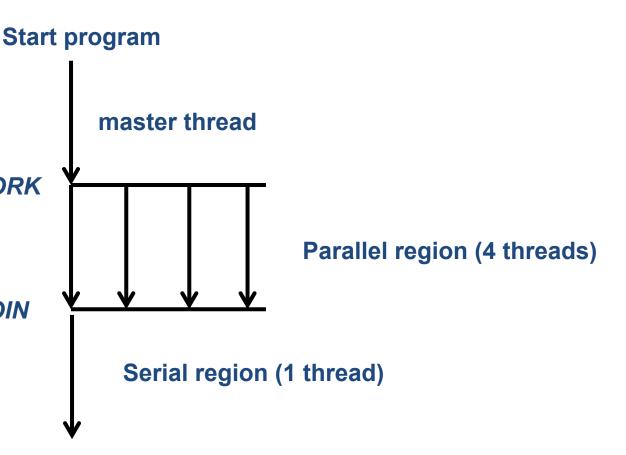
OpenMP schematic

Program starts with single *master thread*

Then, launch parallel region with multiple threads.

Each thread has access to all FORK variables introduced previously

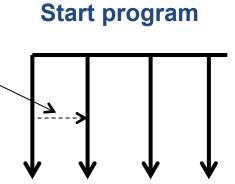
Can end parallel JOIN region if/when desired and launch parallel regions again in future as needed



MPI schematic

Program starts with all processes running

MPI controls communication > between processes



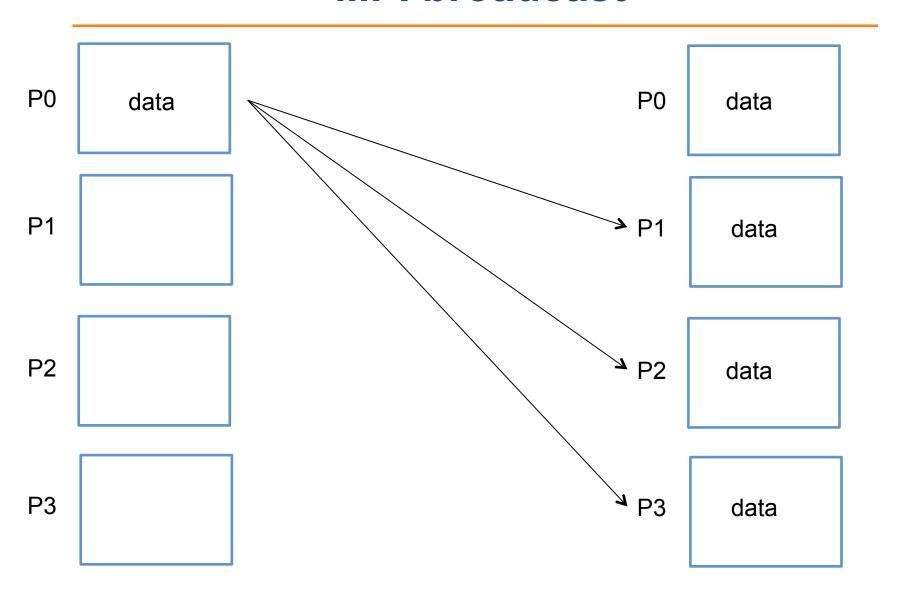
Parallel region (4 processes)

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Generally, need to specify:

- source and/or destination of message
- size of data contained in message
- type of data contained in message (integer, double precision, ...)
- the data itself (or its location)

Fortran code structure

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program template
    !2. Variable declarations (e.g. integers, real numbers,...)
    !3. basic code: input, loops, if-statements, subroutine calls
    print *, 'template code'
!4. End program
end program template
! To compile this code:
! $ gfortran -o f90template.exe f90template.f90
! To run the resulting executable: $ ./f90template.exe
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    integer :: myid, numprocs, ierr
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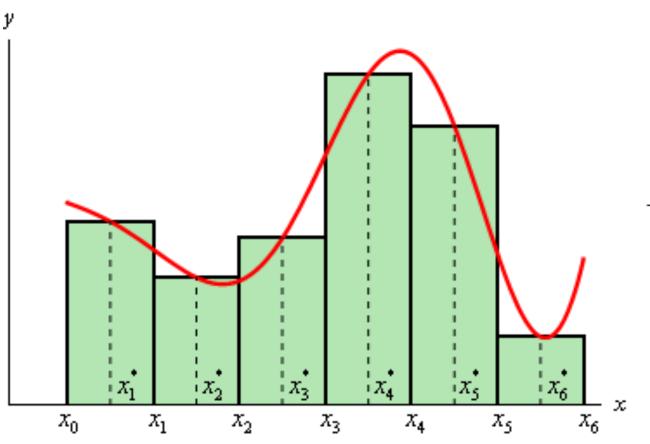
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Compile + run:

```
$ mpif90 -o mpif90template.exe mpif90template.f90
$ mpiexec -n 4 mpif90template.exe
this is proc # 0 of 4
this is proc # 3 of 4
this is proc # 1 of 4
this is proc # 2 of 4
```

Note: The number of processes specified with mpiexec can be larger than the number of cores on your machine, but then tasks are run sequentially.

MPI+Fortran example: computing an integral



Estimate integral with midpoint rule,

$$I = \int_0^1 \frac{4}{1+x^2} dx$$

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- But, if N <= numprocs, N/numprocs = 0

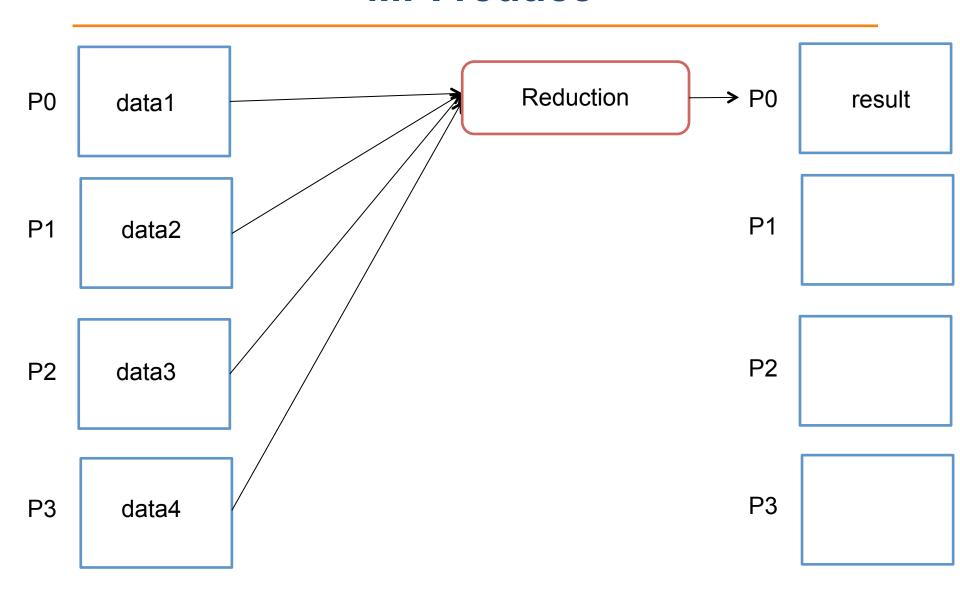
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call MPI_REDUCE(data, result, 1, MPI_DOUBLE_PRECISION, MPI_SUM, 0, MPI_COMM_WORLD, ierr)
```

This will:

- Collect the double precision variable data which has size 1 from each processor.
- 2. Compute the sum (because we have chosen MPI_SUM) and store the value in result on processor 0.

Note: Only processor 0 will have the final sum. With MPI_ALLREDUCE, the result will be on every processor.

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!starting and ending points for processor
  istart = myid * Nper_proc + 1
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!collect double precision variable, sum, with size 1 on process 0 using
the MPI SUM option
    call MPI REDUCE(sum proc, sum, 1, MPI DOUBLE PRECISION, MPI SUM,
0,MPI_COMM_WORLD,ierr)
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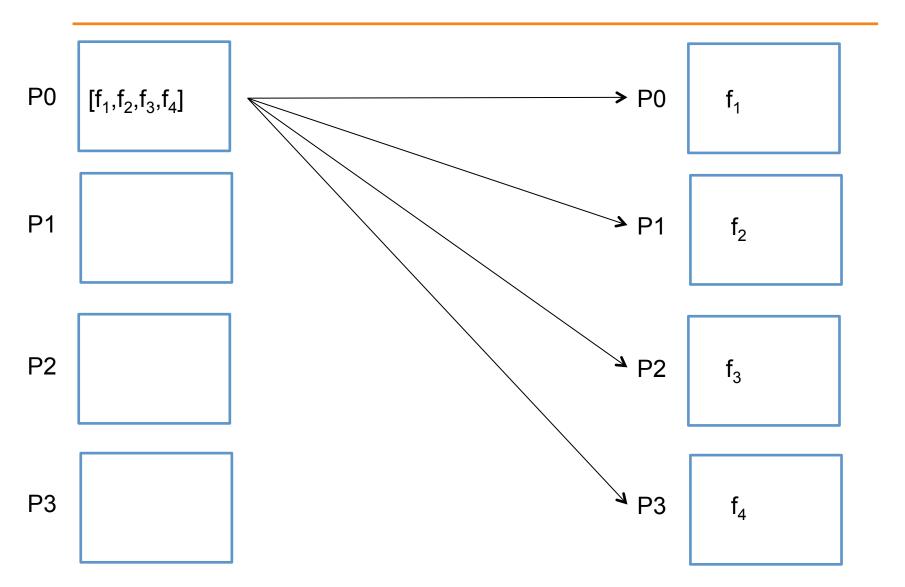
Compile and run:

```
$ mpif90 -o midpoint p.exe midpoint p.f90
$ mpiexec -n 2 midpoint_p.exe
number of intervals =
                              1000
number of procs =
Nper proc=
                    500
The partial sum on proc #
                                    0 is: 1.8545905426699112
The partial sum on proc #
                                    1 is:
                                            1.2870021942532193
          1000
N=
sum= 3.1415927369231307
error= 8.3333337563828991E-008
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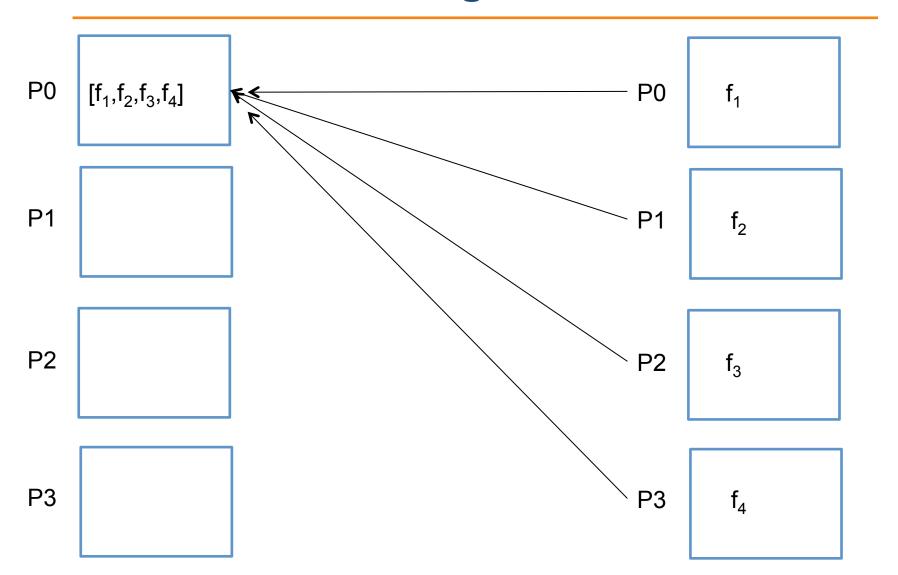
Other collective operations

Scatter and gather

MPI scatter



MPI gather



Other collective operations

- Scatter and gather
 - Gather all particles on processor
 - Compute interaction forces for particles on that processor

$$\frac{d^2 \mathbf{x}_i}{dt^2} = \sum_{j=1}^{N} f(|\mathbf{x_i} - \mathbf{x_j}|), \ i = 1, 2, ..., N$$

Avoid for big problems (why?)

MPI collective data movement

