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APPLIED PARALLEL PROGRAMMING

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Final Project

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Milestone 1

1 Kernel Statistics

Time(%)	Time	Calls	Avg	Min	Max	Name
40.10%	$16.788\mathrm{ms}$	20	839.42 us	1.1200 us	$16.155\mathrm{ms}$	[CUDA memcpy HtoD]
20.18%	$8.4497\mathrm{ms}$	1	$8.4497\mathrm{ms}$	$8.4497\mathrm{ms}$	$8.4497\mathrm{ms}$	$void\ cudnn::detail::implicit_convolve_sgemm$
11.81%	$4.9434\mathrm{ms}$	1	$4.9434\mathrm{ms}$	$4.9434\mathrm{ms}$	$4.9434\mathrm{ms}$	$volta_cgemm_64x32_tn$
7.05%	$2.9497\mathrm{ms}$	2	$1.4748\mathrm{ms}$	$25.568\mathrm{us}$	$2.9241\mathrm{ms}$	void op_generic_tensor_kernel
5.69%	$2.3830\mathrm{ms}$	1	$2.3830\mathrm{ms}$	$2.3830\mathrm{ms}$	$2.3830\mathrm{ms}$	void $fft2d_c2r_32x32$
5.59%	$2.3404\mathrm{ms}$	1	$2.3404\mathrm{ms}$	$2.3404\mathrm{ms}$	$2.3404\mathrm{ms}$	$volta_sgemm_128x128_tn$
4.55%	$1.9059\mathrm{ms}$	1	$1.9059\mathrm{ms}$	$1.9059\mathrm{ms}$	$1.9059\mathrm{ms}$	void cudnn::detail::pooling_fw_4d_kernel
4.18%	$1.7480\mathrm{ms}$	1	$1.7480\mathrm{ms}$	$1.7480\mathrm{ms}$	$1.7480\mathrm{ms}$	void fft2d_r2c_32x32

2 CUDA API Statistics

Time(%)	Time	Calls	Avg	Min	Max	Name
41.94%	$2.94373\mathrm{s}$	22	$133.81\mathrm{ms}$	13.721 us	1.52482s	${\it cuda} Stream Create With Flags$
34.43%	$2.41664 \mathrm{s}$	24	$100.69\mathrm{ms}$	$97.853\mathrm{us}$	$2.41057\mathrm{s}$	${\rm cudaMemGetInfo}$
20.93%	1.46898s	19	$77.315 \mathrm{ms}$	$817 \mathrm{ns}$	$393.98 \mathrm{ms}$	cudaFree

3 Differences Between Kernels & API Calls

A CUDA kernel is an extended C function that, when called, are executed multiple times in parallel by different CUDA threads on the GPU. The CUDA APIs are programming interfaces that allow the programmer to use the CUDA device, i.e. the GPU. Kernel functions are written by the programmer and are meant to execute specific (mostly computation-intensive) tasks on the GPU, while API calls are provided by the CUDA library and are to manage the CUDA runtime environment and mostly prepare for the execution of kernels. While kernels are always executed by CUDA cores, CUDA APIs do not necessarily involve the execution of CUDA cores.

4 MXNet CPU Execution

```
Loading fashion-mnist data... done
Loading model... done
New Inference
EvalMetric: {'accuracy': 0.8236}
```

Run Time. 5.06s

5 MXNet GPU Execution

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Loading fashion-mnist data... done
Loading model... done
New Inference
EvalMetric: {'accuracy': 0.8236}
```

Run Time: 4.40s

Milestone 2

Full CPU Time	11.32s	Full CPU Time	0.250576s	Full CPU Time	1.08s
First Layer Time	2.405296s	First Layer Time	0.756567s	First Layer Time	0.035050s
Second Layer Time	7.342860	Second Layer Time	2.03s	Second Layer Time	0.075312s

 $10000 \; \mathrm{images} \qquad \qquad 1000 \; \mathrm{images} \qquad \qquad 100 \; \mathrm{images}$

Table 1: CPU Run Time Statistics