

COE 379L: Homework 7

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1 Introduction

2 Methodology

2.1 Setup and Execution

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2.3 Parallelization

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3.1 Exercise 8: Speedup Tests

Table 1: Parallelization speedup tests for various problem sizes on Lonestar 6.

Vector Size	100	100,000	1,000,000	10,000,000	100,000,000
Threads	Elapsed Time (s)				
1	0.002	0.275	2.812	31.864	330.914
2	0.006	0.140	1.367	19.537	173.943
4	0.034	0.074	0.655	12.544	114.224
8	0.010	0.066	0.361	10.520	113.571
12	0.049	0.035	0.255	8.639	114.516
16	0.068	0.082	0.246	8.621	115.107

3.2 Exercise 9: Performance Improvements

Table 2: The impact of performance improvements on a large problem size.

Case	n = 10,000,000	nowait Clause	Socket Affinity	Core Affinity	Thread Affinity	First-Touch
Threads	Elapsed Time (s)					
1	31.864	34.719	32.699	32.576	32.519	
2	19.537	20.881	16.389	19.830	19.830	
4	12.544	10.045	12.763	12.747	12.741	
8	10.520	10.826	10.681	10.773	10.753	
12	8.639	12.012	10.463	8.586	8.692	
16	8.621	9.021	8.904	8.884	10.090	

3.3 Exercise 10: Scheduling Improvements

3.4 Exercise 11: Full Parallelization

4 Conclusions