



# A Story of Parallelism: from Imperative and Functional Languages

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### Motivation

Parallel hardware is here to stay, e.g., general-purpose graphic processing units (GPGPU).

Powerful graphical cards are fundamental to gaming ...

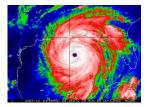




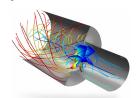
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... and (GPGPUs) have also been used in other areas of less impact:

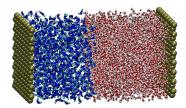
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- Imperative Context: Direction-Vector Analysis of Parallelism
- Imperative Context: Summarization of Array Indexes
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## **Brief Hardware History**

- How did general-purpose graphics-processing units (GPGPU) come to being?
- In the beginning was the Single-CPU, and the single-CPU was sequentially-programmable, and sequential code was programming.
- Then the frequency of the single-CPU could not be further increased and Multi-cores/processors became mainstream.
- And "Hardware Engineers" worked hard to support the illusion that random-access to memory has uniform cost:
  - thrown many transistors to memory-hierarchy coherency and such
  - ... and ultimately (arguably) they have failed (to scale up)!
- But, but, but ... is the sequentially-written code going to benefit?

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```
Memory Sequential Consistency (Memory Reordering)

//Initially x = 0; y = 0;

//CORE 0 //CORE 1
```

```
x = 1;
//mfence;
write(y);
y = 1;
//mfence;
write(x);
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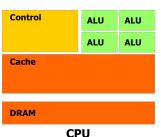
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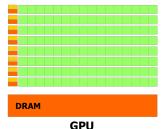
write(x);

```
No possible interleaving of instructions can result in both x and y being 0 at the end. And still it happens. Fixed with mfences.
```

## **Brief Hardware History (Continuation)**

- Then "Hardware Engineers" fixed scalability with GPGPU but took away programming convenience:
  - single-instruction multiple-data (SIMD):
    - cannot make an omelet with one core and a steak with the next,
    - but you can make first an omelet, then a steak, both very fast.
  - non-uniform, explicitly programmable memory hierarchy.
  - no dynamic allocation, no stack.
  - can only synchronize "locally" via barriers,
  - # cores  $\sim$  thousands  $\Rightarrow$  not enough to || only the outermost loop!

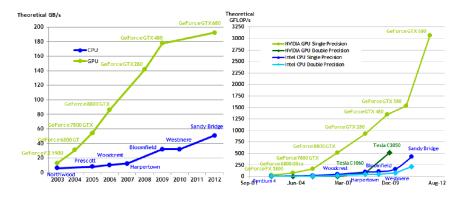






## Theoretical Hardware Comparison: CPU vs GPGPU

GPGPU shows superior peak bandwidth and compute power vs. CPU.



However, peak bandwidth requires coalesced accesses, i.e., if the cores executing the (same) instruction access consecutive memory locations then the data is brought in via a single memory transfer.

## **Example of GPU programming**

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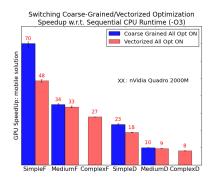
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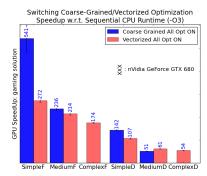
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```
Loop Distribution
Loop Fusion
                                          FLOAT A[N,M]; // global
DO i = 1, N // Parallel
  FLOAT A[M]; // local
                                          DO i = 1, N // Parallel
  DO j = 1, M
                                            DO j = 1, M
   A[i] = \dots f(i) \dots
                                              A[i,j] = \dots f(i) \dots
  ENDDO
                                            ENDDO
                                          ENDDO
  DO i = 1, M
                                          DO i = 1, N // Parallel
    A[j] = \dots g(A[j]) \dots
                                            DO j = 1, M
  ENDDO
                                              A[i,j] = \dots g(A[i,j]) \dots
                                            ENDDO
  FI.OAT sum = 0.0
                                            real sum = 0.0
  DO i = 1, M
                                            DO j = 1, M
   sum += A[j];
                                              sum += A[i,i];
  ENDDO
                                            ENDDO
  X[i] = sum;
                                            X[i] = sum;
ENDDO
                                          ENDDO
```

## Impact of Loop Fusion/Distribution

Speedup on mobile and gaming GPGPUs with loop fusion ON (blue) and loop distribution ON (red). HIGHER is BETTER!



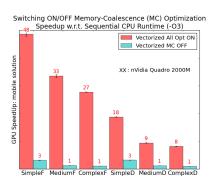


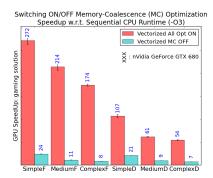
Impact is input-sensitive; but a cost model can chose at runtime the better alternative.



## Impact of Memory-Coalescing Optimization

Speedup on mobile and gaming GPGPUs with memory-coalescing optimization ON (red) and OFF (blue). HIGHER is BETTER!





Not natural but effective transformation, hence suited to be implemented in the repertoire of an optimizing compiler.



- Imperative Context: Direction-Vector Analysis of Parallelism



### **Problem Statement**

Iterations are ordered *lexicographically*, w.r.t. how they occur in the sequential execution, e.g., first loop next, (j=1,i=4) < (j=2,i=3).

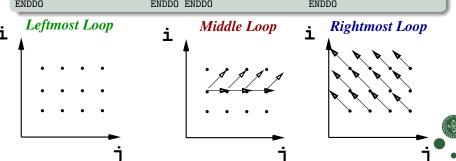
- Which of the three loop nests is amenable to parallelization?
- Loop interchange is one of the most simple and useful code transformations, e.g., used to enhance locality of reference, parallel-loop granularity, and even to "create" parallelism.
- In which loop nest is it safe to interchange the loops?



### **Loop-Nest Dependencies**

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## **Definition of a Dependency**

### Load-Store Classification of Dependencies

```
True Dependency (RAW) Anti Dependency (WAR) Output dependency (WAW) S1 \quad X = \dots \qquad S1 \quad \dots = X \qquad S1 \quad X = \dots \\ S2 \quad \dots = X \qquad S2 \quad X = \dots \qquad S2 \quad X = \dots
```

**Th. Loop Dependence:** There is a dependence from statement S1 to S2 in a loop nest *iff*  $\exists$  iterations i, j such that:

- 1. i < j or i = j and  $\exists$  a path from S1 to S2 such that
- 2. S1 accesses memory location M on iteration i, and
- 3. S2 accesses memory location M on iteration j, and
- 4. one of these accesses is a write.

We are most interested in cross iteration dependencies, i.e., i < j. If i = j the dependency is within the same iteration, i.e., does not affect parallelism, since an iteration is executed sequentially.



### **Direction Vectors**

### Three Loop Examples

Dependencies depicted via an edge *from* the stmt that executes first in the loop nest, i.e., *the source*, *to* the one that executes later, *the sink*.

**Def. Dependence Direction:** Assume  $\exists$  a dependence from S1 in iteration q to S2 in t (q < t). Dependence-direction vector D(q, t):

- 1.  $D(q, t)_k =$  "<" if  $t_k q_k > 0$ ,
- 2.  $D(q, t)_k =$  "=" if  $t_k q_k = 0$ ,
- 3.  $D(q, t)_k =$ ">" if  $t_k q_k < 0$ .



Let's write the direction vectors for the three loop nests.

## Parallelism and Loop Interchange

```
Direction Vectors/Matrix for Three Loops
  DO i = 1, N DO i = 2, N
                                                    D0 i = 2. N
                                                    DO j = 1, N
    DO j = 1, N DO j = 2, N
S1 A[j,i]=A[j,i].. S1 A[j,i]=A[j-1,i]... S1 A[i,j]=A[i-1,j+1]...
    ENDDO
                       S2 B[j,i]=B[j-1,i-1]...
                                                      ENDDO
  ENDDO
                         ENDDO ENDDO
                                                    ENDDO
For S1 \rightarrow S1: j1 = j2 For S1 \rightarrow S1: j1 = j2-1
                                                       For S1 \rightarrow S1: i1 = i2-1
            i1 = i2
                                   i1 = i2
                                                                   i1 = i2+1
                      (i2, j2)-(i1, j1)=[=,<]
(i2,j2)-(i1,j1)=
                                                       (i2, j2)-(i1, j1)=[<,>]
[=,=]
                       For S2 \rightarrow S2: i1 = i2-1
                                   i1 = i2-1
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```

**Th.** Parallelism: A loop in a loop nest is parallel *iff* all its directions are either = or there exists an outer loop whose corresp. direction is <.

**Th. Loop Interchange:** A column permutation of the loops in a loop nest is legal *iff* permuting the direction matrix in the same way *does NOT result* in a > direction as the leftmost non-= direction in a row.

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                                  i1 = i2
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[=,=]
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```

Interchange is safe for the first and second nests, but not for the third!

e.g., 
$$[=,<]$$
  $\rightarrow$   $[<,=]$  (for the second loop nest)  $[<,<]$ 

After interchange, loop j of the second loop nest is parallel.



## **Dependency Graph and Loop Distribution**

**Def. Dependency Graph:** edges from the source of the dependency, i.e., early iteration, to the sink, i.e., later iteration.

**Th. Loop Distribution:** Statements that are in a dependence cycle remain in one (sequential) loop. The others are distributed to separate loops in graph order; if no cycle then parallel loops.

**Corollary:** It is always legal to distribute a parallel loop; potentially you need array expansion if output dependencies are present.

## Block Tiling via Loop Distribution and Interchange

### Matrix Multiplication Example: First Tile all Loops (Always Safe)

```
DO i = 1, N // Parallel
                                       DO ii = 1. N. L
 DO j = 1, N // Parallel
                                         DO i = ii, ii+L-1
                             T.OOP
   C[i,j] = 0.0
                                           DO jj = 1, N, L
                                             DO j = jj, jj+L-1
                             TILING
   DO k = 1, N
                                               C[i,i] = 0.0
      C[i,j] += A[k,j] * B[i,k]
                                               DO kk = 1. N. L
   ENDDO
                                                 DO k = kk, kk+L-1
                                                   C[i,j] += A[k,j]*B[i,k]
 ENDDO
                                       ENDDO ENDDO ENDDO ENDDO ENDDO
ENDDO
```

### Loops i and j are parallel: Move Inside, Then Distribute

```
DOALL ii = 1, N, L
                                          DOALL jj = 1, N, L
                           DISTRIBUTE
DO ii = 1, N, L
                                           DO i = ii, ii+L-1
                           LOOPS i,j
 DO jj = 1, N, L
                                             DO j = jj, jj+L-1
   DO i = ii, ii+L-1
                           AND MOVE
                                             C[i,j] = 0.0
     DO j = jj, jj+L-1
                           THEM
                                           ENDDO ENDDO
       C[i,j] = 0.0
                           INSIDE kk
                                           DO kk = 1. N. L
       DO kk = 1, N, L
                                              DO i = ii, ii+L-1
         DO k = kk, kk+L-1
                                               D0 j = jj, jj+L-1
           C[i,j] += A[k,j]*B[i,k]
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- 3 Imperative Context: Summarization of Array Indexes



## Interprocedural Summarization of Array Indexes

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- Techniques that analyze read-write pairs of accesses become very conservative on larger loops with non-trivial control flow.
- Alternative: inter-procedural summarization + model loop independence via an equation on summaries of shape  $S = \emptyset$
- Decrease overhead by extracting lightweight predicates that prove independence at runtime, e.g.,  $x \le 0 \ \lor \ \mathbb{N} < 100$ .



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Simplified solvh_do20 from dyfesm
DO i = 1, N
                                          SUBROUTINE geteu(XE, NP, SYM)
    CALL geteu (XE(IA(i)), NP, SYM)
                                            INTEGER NP, SYM, XE(16, *)
    CALL matmul(XE(IA(i)), NS)
ENDDO
                                            IF (SYM .NE. 1) THEN
                                              DO i = 1, NP
SUBROUTINE matmul(XE, NS)
                                                DO j = 1, 16
  INTEGER NS, XE(*)
                                                  XE(j, i) = \dots
  DO j = 1, NS
                                                ENDDO
    \dots = XE(j) \dots
                                              ENDDO
    XE(j) = \dots
                                            ENDIF
  ENDDO
                                          END
END
```

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Speten
        SUBROUTINE geteu(XE, NP, SYM)
          INTEGER NP, SYM, XE(16, *)
S_{IF} IF (SYM .NE. 1) THEN
S_{Li}
          DO i = 1, NP
S_{Li}
           DO i = 1.16
 S_{WF}
                 XE(j, i) = \dots
               ENDDO
            ENDDO
          ENDIF
                                            WF_{Sur}^{XE} = \{16 * i + j - 1\}
        END
```

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S_{matmul}
           SUBROUTINE matmul(XE, NS)
              INTEGER NS, XE(*)
S_{loop} DO j = 1, NS
               \dots = XE(j) \dots
S_{RO}
               XE(j) = \dots
                                                          \begin{array}{lll} RO_{S_{RO}}^{XE} & = & \{j-1\} \\ WF_{S_{WF}}^{XE} & = & \{j-1\} \end{array}
              ENDDO
           END
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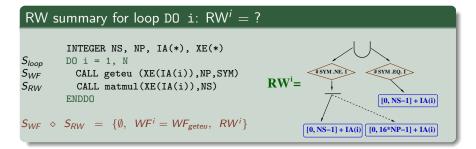


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## Summarizing Accesses for the Target Loop



In our case, a sufficient condition for XE independence is:



## **Summary-Based Independence Equations**

Flow and Anti Independence Equation for loop of index i:

$$S_{find} = \{ (\cup_{i=1}^{N} WF_{i}) \cap (\cup_{i=1}^{N} RO_{i}) \} \cup \{ (\cup_{i=1}^{N} WF_{i}) \cap (\cup_{i=1}^{N} RW_{i}) \} \cup \{ (\cup_{i=1}^{N} RO_{i}) \cap (\cup_{i=1}^{N} RW_{i}) \} \cup \{ \cup_{i=1}^{N} (RW_{i} \cap (\cup_{k=1}^{i-1} RW_{k})) \} = \emptyset$$

$$(1)$$

Output Independence Equation for loop of index i:

$$S_{oind} = \{ \bigcup_{i=1}^{N} (WF_i \cap (\bigcup_{k=1}^{i-1} WF_k)) \} = \emptyset$$
 (2)

Computing  $S_{find}$  and  $S_{oind}$  solves a more difficult problem than we need, i.e., computes the indexes involved in cross-iteration deps.



Loop Independence: when are  $S_{find}$  and  $S_{oind}$  are empty?

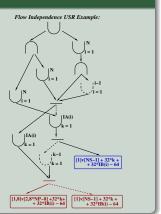
## Key Idea: Predicate-Centric Approach

Approach centered on extracting arbitrarily-shaped predicates.

#### Key Idea

- Source of inaccuracy: summary representation not closed under composition w.r.t. set operations.
- Language representation for summaries ... precise but expensive to compute at runtime
- "Let's reason about it!"

$$8 * NP < NS + 6 \Rightarrow A - B = \emptyset \Rightarrow S = \emptyset!$$



Show Calculix from Spec2006!

- Functional Context: List Homomorphisms and Map-Reduce Style



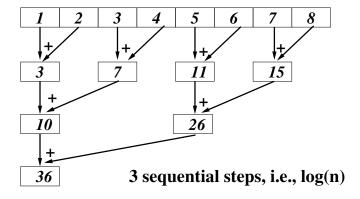
## Bird-Meertens Formalism (BMF)

BMF: small collection of (i) second-order functions on lists, (ii) algebraic identities and theorems, and (iii) a concise notation.

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BMF Notation:
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identity function, i.e., id: T \rightarrow T, id x = x
id
               backward functional composition: (f \cdot g) x = f(g \cdot x)
               binary associative operators, \odot :: T \to T \to T
\oplus, \otimes, \odot
               application of \odot to a pair of equal-length lists:
zipWith ⊙
               zipWith \odot [x_1,...,x_n] [y_1,...,y_n] = [x_1 \odot y_1,...,x_n \odot y_n].
               f :: T_1 \to T_2, map :: [T_1] \to [T_2],
map f
               map f[x_1,...,x_n] = [(f x_1),...,(f x_n)]
               reduce with binary associative operator \odot,
red ①
               \mathtt{red} :: (T \to T \to T) \to T \to [T] \to T
               red \odot e_{\odot} [x_1,...,x_n] = e_{\odot} \odot x_1 \odot ... \odot x_n
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## Reducing in Parallel



We build programs by combining map and reduce. For example, scan (+)  $[1, 2, 3, 4] \rightarrow [1, 1+2, 1+2+3, 1+2+3+4] \rightarrow [1, 3, 6, 10]$ can be efficiently implemented as a map reduce.

### List-Homomorphism and Map-Reduce Equivalence

Those functions that promote through list concatenation (++):

### Definition (List Homomorphism)

 $h: [T_1] \to T_2$  over finite lists is a list homomorphism if there exists an associative binary operator  $\odot: T_2 \to T_2 \to T_2$ , such that:

$$h(x++y)=(h x) \odot (h y)$$

We denote  $h = hom(\odot) f e_{\odot}$ , where f x = h[x] and  $e_{\odot} = h[]$ .

### Theorem (1st List Homomorphism Theorem (LHTh1))

Any list homomorphism can be written as the composition of a reduction and a map:  $h = hom(\odot) f e_{\odot} = (red(\odot) e_{\odot}) \cdot (map f)$  Conversely, each such composition is a homomorphism.

Theorem tells how to parallelize LHs based on map-reduce skeletons.

## List Homomorphisms (LH)

### Examples of List Homomorphisms as Map-Reduce

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len :: [T] -> Integer
len []
                                             -- merges two sorted lists
len [x] = 1
                                             -- into a sorted list
len (x++y) = (len x) + (len y)
                                             merge :: [T] -> [T] -> [T]
                                             merge :: Ord a => [a] -> [a] -> [a]
len \equiv (red (+) 0) . (map (fn x \Rightarrow 1))
-- logical and ∧ :: T -> T -> Bool
                                             merge [] v = v
-- all elems satisfy p :: T \rightarrow Bool ?
                                             merge x [] = x
all_p :: [T] \rightarrow Bool
                                             merge (x::xs) (y::ys) =
all_p [] = True
                                               if (x \le y)
all_p[x] = px
                                               then x :: merge xs (y::ys)
all_D (x++y) = (all_D x) \wedge (all_D y)
                                               else y :: merge (x::xs) ys
all_p \equiv (red (\land) True).
        (map (fn x \Rightarrow p x))
                                             -- [.] x = [x]
↑ :: Integer -> Integer
                                             mSort :: [T] -> T
x \uparrow y = if (x > y) then x else y
                                             mSort [] = []
maxList :: [Integer] -> Integer
                                             mSort[x] = [x]
\max \text{List} [] = -\infty
                                             mSort (x++y) = merge (mSort x)
\max \text{List} [x] = x
                                                                     (mSort v)
\max \text{List } (x++y) = (\max \text{List } x) \uparrow
                   (maxList y)
                                             mSort ≡ (red merge []) . (map [.])
\max \text{List} \equiv (\text{red } (\uparrow) - \infty) . (map id)
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## **List Homomorphism Invariants**

### Theorem (Map Fusion/Distribution)

Given unary functions f and g then:

$$(map f) \cdot (map g) \equiv map (f \cdot g)$$

#### Theorem (List-Homomorphism Promotions)

Given unary function f and an associative binary operator  $\odot$  then:

$$(\operatorname{map} f) \cdot (\operatorname{red} (++)) \equiv (\operatorname{red} (++)) \cdot (\operatorname{map} (\operatorname{map} f))$$

$$(\operatorname{red} \odot) \cdot (\operatorname{red} (++)) \equiv (\operatorname{red} \odot) \cdot (\operatorname{map} (\operatorname{red} \odot))$$

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\begin{array}{ll} (\text{red} \ \odot \ e_\odot) \ . & (\text{map f}) \equiv \\ (\text{red} \ \odot \ e_\odot) \ . & (\text{map ((red} \ \odot \ e_\odot) \ . & (\text{map f)))} \ . & \text{distr}_p, \\ \text{where distr}_p \ :: \ [\alpha] \ \rightarrow \ [[\alpha]]_p, \\ (\text{red (++) [])} \ . & \text{distr}_p \ = \ \text{id}. \end{array}
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### **Exercises**

#### Exercise 1: Function

```
h :: Integral a => [[a]] \rightarrow a
h [] = 0
h (x:xs) = (foldr (+) 0 x) + (h xs)
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- a) Write a list homomorphic implementation of h, name it hh.
- b) Write hh in map-reduce style, name it hMR
- c) Apply the second LH promotion ( $\leftarrow$  direction) theorem to optimize it (for example for load-balancing)
- d) Use the second LH promotion theorem ( $\rightarrow$  direction) to chunk the flattened list into p lists, of roughly same number of elements, and to map the computation on each list on one of the p processors; and to finally reduce at the end. HINT: use (distr p) :: [a]  $\rightarrow$  [[a]] $_p$  to create a list containing p lists, and invariant (red (++)[]).(distr p)=id.
- e) Test all versions in Haskell!

### **Conclusion**

- Imperative language: low-level, "heroic effort", but effective solutions. Compiler reverse-engineers users sequential optimizations (hard).
- Functional language: parallelism via inherently parallel array combinators, that expose a rich algebra at a higher-level of abstraction.
- Combine the advantages: model the transformations that have proven most useful in the imperative context in a simpler way by using the rich algebra of functional constructs.

