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1 Initialization and termination

1.1 Synopsis

SUBROUTINE KAAPIF_INIT (INTEGER*4 FLAGS) SUBROUTINE KAAPIF_FINALIZE()

1.2 Description

KAAPIF_INIT initializes the runtime. It must be called once per program before using any of the other routines. If successful, there must be a corresponding KAAPIF_FINALIZE at the end of the program.

1.3 Parameters

• FLAGS: if not zero, start only the main thread to avoid disturbing the execution until tasks are actually scheduled. The other threads are suspended waiting for a parallel region to be entered (refer to KAAPIF_BEGIN_PARALLEL).

1.4 Return value

None.

1.5 Example

PROGRAM MAIN

Refer to examples/kaapif/foreach

```
CALL KAAPIF_INIT(1)
...
CALL KAAPIF_FINALIZE()
END PROGRAM MAIN
```

2 Concurrency

2.1 Synopsis

INTEGER*4 FUNCTION KAAPIF.GET.CONCURRENCY()
INTEGER*4 FUNCTION KAAPIF.GET.THREAD.NUM()

2.2 Description

Concurrency related routines.

2.3 Return value

 $KAAPIF_GET_CONCURRENCY$ returns the number of parallel thread available to the X-KAAPI runtime.

 $KAAPIF_GET_THREAD_NUM$ returns the current thread identifier. Note it should only be called in the context of a X-KAAPI thread.

2.4 Example

Refer to examples/kaapif/foreach

3 Performance

3.1 Synopsis

REAL*8 FUNCTION KAAPIF_GET_TIME()

3.2 Description

Capture the current time. Used to measure the time spent in a code region.

3.3 Parameters

None.

3.4 Return value

The current time, in microseconds.

3.5 Example

Refer to examples/kaapif/foreach

```
PROCRAM MAIN

REAL*8 START

REAL*8 STOP

CALL KAAPIF_INIT(1)

START = KAAPIF_GET_TIME()

...

STOP = KAAPIF_GET_TIME()

CALL KAAPIF_FINALIZE()

WRITE(*, *) STOP - START

END PROCRAM MAIN
```

4 Independent loops

4.1 Synopsis

```
SUBROUTINE KAAPIF FOREACH

(
BODY,
INTEGER*4 FIRST, INTEGER*4 LAST,
INTEGER*4 NARGS,
...
)

SUBROUTINE KAAPIF FOREACH WITH FORMAT

(
BODY,
INTEGER*4 FIRST, INTEGER*4 LAST,
INTEGER*4 NARGS,
...
)
```

4.2 Description

Those routines run a parallel loop over the range [FIRST, LAST] (note this is an **inclusive** interval). The loop body is defined by BODY whose arguments are given in parameters. It must have the following prototype:

```
SUBROUTINE BODY(I, J, TID, ...)
```

- [I, J] the subrange to process (note that interval is inclusive)
- *TID* the thread identifier

4.3 Parameters

- BODY: the function body to be called at each iteration
- FIRST, LAST: the iteration range indices, inclusive.
- NARGS: the argument count
- ...: the arguments passed to BODY. For $KAAPIF_FOREACH_WITH_FORMAT$, refer to the $KAAPIF_SPAWN$ documentation.

4.4 Return value

None.

4.5 Example

Refer to examples/kaapif/foreach_with_format

```
! computation task entry point
SUBROUTINE OP(I, J, TID, ARRAY)
DO K = I, J
! process ARRAY(K)
...
END DO
RETURN
END

PROGRAM MAIN
...
! apply the OP routine on ARRAY[1:SIZE]
CALL KAAPIF-FOREACH(OP, 1, SIZE, 1, ARRAY)
...
END PROGRAM MAIN
```

5 Dataflow programming

5.1 Synopsis

```
SUBROUTINE KAAPIF SPAWN

(
BODY,
INTEGER*4 NARGS,
...
)
```

5.2 Description

Create a new computation task implemented by the function BODY.

BODY is called with the user specified arguments, there is no argument added by XKAAPI:

```
SUBROUTINE BODY(ARG0, ARG1, ...)
```

Each task parameter is described by 4 successive arguments including:

- the argument *VALUE*,
- the parameter TYPE,
- the element COUNT,
- \bullet the access MODE.

TYPE is one of the following:

- KAAPIF_TYPE_CHAR=0,
- KAAPIF_TYPE_INT=1,
- KAPAIF_TYPE_REAL=2,
- KAPAIF_TYPE_DOUBLE=3.

If a parameter is an array, COUNT must be set to the array size. For a scalar value, it must be set to 1.

MODE is one of the following:

- KAAPIF_MODE_R=0 for a read access,
- KAAPIF_MODE_W=1 for a write access,
- KAAPIF_MODE_RW=2 for a read write access,
- KAAPIF_MODE_V=3 for a parameter passed by value.

5.3 Parameters

- BODY: the task body.
- \bullet *NARGS*: the argument count.
- ...: the VALUE, TYPE, COUNT, MODE tuple list.

5.4 Return value

None.

5.5 Example

Refer to examples/kaapif/dfg

```
! computation task entry point
SUBROUTINE OP(A, B)
  ! task user specific code
  RETURN
END
PROGRAM MAIN
  ! spawn a task implemented by the OP routine
  call kaapif_spawn(fu, 2,
  ! argument [0]
   &
                     42
   &
                     KAAPIF_TYPE_DOUBLE,
   &
                     KAAPIF_MODE_V,
   &
  ! argument [1]
   &
                     42,
                     KAAPIF_TYPE_DOUBLE,
   &
   &
                     KAAPIF_MODE_V)
   &
END PROGRAM MAIN
```

6 Parallel regions

6.1 Synopsis

```
SUBROUTINE KAAPIF_BEGIN_PARALLEL()
SUBROUTINE KAAPIF_END_PARALLEL(INTEGER*4 FLAGS)
```

6.2 Description

KAAPIF_BEGIN_PARALLEL and KAAPIF_END_PARALLEL mark the start and the end of a parallel region. Regions are used to wakeup and suspend the X-KAAPI system threads so they avoid disturbing the application when idle. This is important if another parallel library is being used. Wether threads are suspendable or not is controlled according by the KAAPIF_INIT parameter.

6.3 Parameters

• *FLAGS*: if zero, an implicit synchronization is inserted before leaving the region.

6.4 Return value

None.

6.5 Example

Refer to examples/kaapif/dfg

```
PROGRAM MAIN
...

CALL KAAPIF_BEGIN_PARALLEL()
...

CALL KAAPIF_END_PARALLEL(1)
...

END PROGRAM MAIN
```

7 Synchronization

7.1 Synopsis

SUBROUTINE KAAPIF_SCHED_SYNC()

7.2 Description

Synchronize the sequential with the parallel execution flow. When this routine returns, every computation task has been executed and memory is consistent for the processor executing the sequential flow.

7.3 Return value

None.

7.4 Example

Refer to examples/kaapif/dfg

```
PROGRAM MAIN
...

CALL KAAPIF-SYNC()
...
END PROGRAM MAIN
```



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