Effiziente Programme WS10/11

tuning stuff for fun and profit

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Warnings

- oprofile statt papiex
- Davids PC statt g0

oprofile

- low-overhead
- Performance Counter bei unseren Tests
- Profilbasierend (Systemweit)
- akkumulativ ⇒ 1000 Durchläufe/Test

oprofile - Beispielsession

```
oprofile --start
./test shortest-path
oprofile -cl shortest-path
opannotate --source --assembly shortest-path
opcontrol --reset
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oprofile - Beispielsession

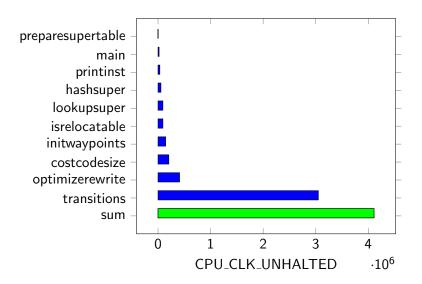
```
1121706 92.6244 optimize_rewrite
 1121706 100.000
                   optimize_rewrite [self]
78016
         6.4421 cost codesize
 78016
         100.000 cost_codesize [self]
11296
         0.9328 main
 11296
          100.000
                  main [self]
         5.8e-04 __libc_csu_init
          100.000 __libc_csu_init [self]
        8.3e-05 _init
          100.000 _init [self]
```

oprofile - Beispielsession

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1121706 \quad 92.6244 \quad \text{optimize\_rewrite} \\ 1121706 \quad 100.000 \quad \text{optimize\_rewrite} \quad \text{[self]}
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CPU_CLK_UNHALTED - unhalted cycles welche CPU in Funktion verbringt

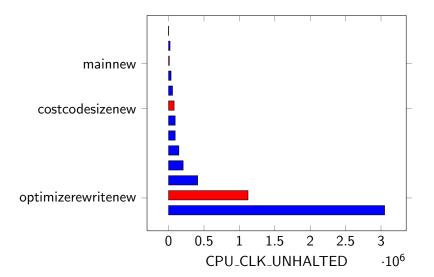
Ursprungsprogramm

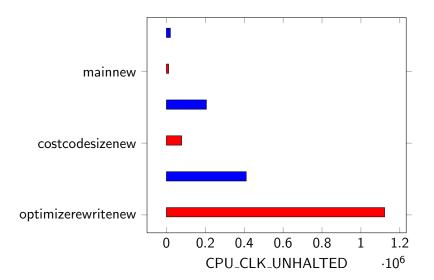


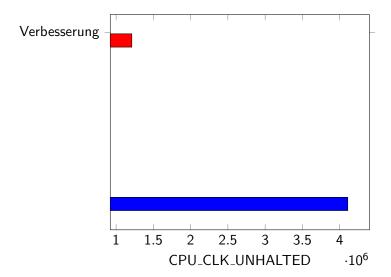
... ask your compiler what he can do for you.



- -03 statt -00
- ⇒ mass inlining
- ⇒ unrolling
- ullet \Rightarrow a lot of other optimizations

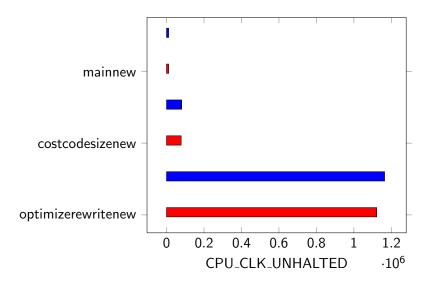




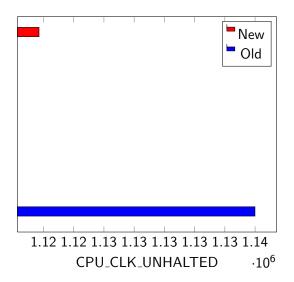


... but don't ask too much of him.

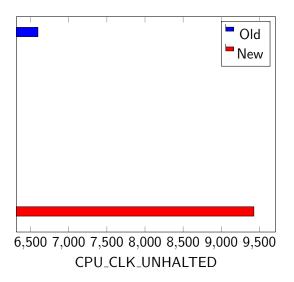
- -funroll-loops
- ullet \Rightarrow GCC unrolled Schleifen aggressiv
- ⇒ Codesize größer
- ⇒ Performance schlechter



- ersetze ss_cost durch cost_codesize
- cost_codesize verschwindet komplett
- main und optimize_rewrite marginal besser



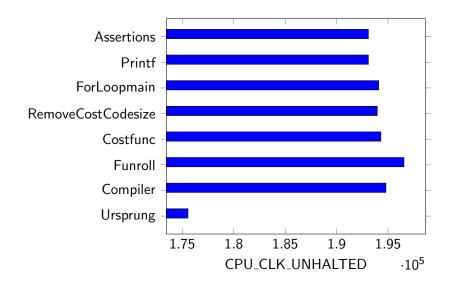
• Verbesserung main Schleife



That's it?

- GCC leistet ganze Arbeit
- viele unserer anderen "Optimierungen" schlecht
- Codesize kann man noch verbessern

Codesize



papiex Endergebnisse

```
PAPI_TOT_CYC ......4.27796 e+08
PAPI_TOT_INS ......5.30222 e+08
PAPI_BR_MSP .....1.28136 e+06
PAPI_FP_OPS ......487
                   Listing 1: "Ursprung"
PAPI_TOT_CYC .....1.44674e+08
PAPI_TOT_INS ..... 2.2851 e+08
PAPI_BR_MSP ........1.04732e+06
PAPI_FP_OPS ......507
                 Listing 2: "Ursprung -O3"
PAPI_TOT_CYC ......1.42435 e+08
PAPI_TOT_INS ......2.00493e+08
PAPI BR MSP
            \dots 1.42997e+06
PAPI FP OPS .......... 486
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Listing 3: "Endergebnis"

Food for Thought

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http://leto.net/docs/C-optimization.php#Compute-bound
http://people.redhat.com/drepper/cpumemory.pdf
http://www.fefe.de/dietlibc/diet.pdf
http://www.fefe.de/know-your-compiler.pdf
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