## Goroutines for Speed

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```
package main
import (
  "sync"
  "sync/atomic"
 "time"
func isPrime(n int) bool {
  for i := 2; i < n; i++ {
   if n%i == 0 {
     return false
  return true
func main() {
  start := time.Now()
  println(countPrimes(2_000_000, 2_100_000))
  println(time.Since(start).String())
```



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  primes := 0
  for i := from; i < to; i++ {
    if isPrime(i) {
      primes++
    }
  }
  return primes
}</pre>
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```
$ go run serial.go
6872
1m33.88s
```



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func countPrimes(from, to int) int {
 var primes int64
 var wg sync.WaitGroup
 in := make(chan int, 16*10)
  for i := 0; i < 16; i++ { // Start workers.
   wg.Add(1)
   go func() {
     for i := range in {
       if isPrime(i) {
          atomic.AddInt64(&primes, 1)
     wg.Done()
   }()
  for i := from; i < to; i++ { // feed numbers to workers.</pre>
   in <- i
  close(in) // Make sure workers terminate.
 wg.Wait() // Wait for workers to terminate.
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\$ go run workers.go 6872 9.18s



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                                                         $ go run parallel.go
     wg.Done()
                                                         6872
   }(i)
                                                         9.84s
 wg.Wait() // Wait for all goroutines to finish.
 return int(primes)
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## Questions?

