

Practical Session 4: Synchronization and Tasks

1 Number of Threads

Study and correct the following code using two different approaches. You are only allowed to add OpenMP directive without the reduction clause.

```
int main()
{
    size_t nb_threads = 0;
    #pragma omp parallel
    {
        nb_threads++;
    }
    printf("nb_threads = %zu\n", nb_threads);
}
```

2 First Prime Numbers

Study and parallelize the following code:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <omp.h>
int main()
{
    size_t primes[], nb_primes=0;

    size_t divisor;
    bool is_prime;
    for (size_t i = PRIME_MIN; i < PRIME_MAX; i+=2) {
        is_prime = true;
        divisor = PRIME_MIN;
        while ((divisor < i) && is_prime) {
            if ((i % divisor) == 0)
                is_prime = false;
            divisor += 2;
        }
        if (is_prime) {
            primes[nb_primes] = i;
            nb_primes++;
        }
    }
    printf("Nb primes=%d\n", nb_primes);
}
```

3 Exercise - synchronization using lock

Consider the following code:

```
#include <omp.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
    int p;
    #pragma omp parallel sections default(shared)
    {
        #pragma omp section
        {
            p = omp_get_thread_num();
            printf("Th%d: Hello\n",p);
        }
        #pragma omp section
        {
            p = omp_get_thread_num();
            printf("Th%d: World\n",p);
        }
        #pragma omp section
        {
            p = omp_get_thread_num();
            printf("Th%d: Bye\n",p);
        }
    }
    return 0;
}
```

1. Compile the program, and observe the behavior over multiple runs. What do you observe?
2. Modify the program and use locks in order to obtain a correct execution. (Note: you need two locks to obtain the correct behavior).