

		Serial	Parallel
PC_data_t00100	time	23.000000s	15.000000s
	clock	23.200000s	25.889999s
	command	real 0m23.280s user 0m23.210s sys 0m0.005s	real 0m15.022s user 0m25.871s sys 0m0.023s
PC_data_t01000	time	215.000000s	139.000000s
	clock	215.199997s	239.949997s
	command	real 3m35.259s user 3m35.208s sys 0m0.010s	real 2m19.646s user 3m59.911s sys 0m0.051s
PC_data_t05000	time	1104.000000s	716.000000s
	clock	1103.560000s	1228.940063s
	command	real 18m23.693s user 18m23.558s sys 0m0.012s	real 11m55.630s user 20m28.849s sys 0m0.108s
PC_data_t10000	time	2232.000000s	1473.000000s
	clock	2231.979980s	2512.369873s
	command	real 37m12.130s user 37m11.970s sys 0m0.026s	real 24m33.211s user 41m52.069s sys 0m0.316s

This table is the performance comparison between “serial” and “parallel”. And we can see that by using one thread for the producer module and a second thread for the consumer:

1. “time” is about half of “clock”
2. “real” is about half of “user”
3. “clock” and “user” are a little bit longer than them in “serial”