

## Assignment No: Group A-3

**Aim:** Implement parallel reduction using Min, Max, Sum and Average Operations.

**Objective:** To study and implementation of directive based parallel programming model.

### Pre-requisites:

64-bit Open source Linux or its derivative

Programming Languages: C/C++

### Theory:

#### OpenMP:

OpenMP is a set of C/C++ pragmas which provide the programmer a high-level front-end interface which get translated as calls to threads. The key phrase here is "higher-level"; the goal is to better enable the programmer to "think parallel" alleviating him/her of the burden and distraction of dealing with setting up and coordinating threads. For example, the OpenMP directive.

#### OpenMP Core Syntax:

Most of the constructs in OpenMP are compiler directives:

**#pragma omp construct [clause [clause]...]**

1. The min\_reduction function finds the minimum value in the input array using the #pragma omp parallel for reduction (min: min\_value) directive, which creates a parallel region and divides the loop iterations among the available threads. Each thread performs the comparison operation in parallel and updates the min\_value variable if a smaller value is found.
2. Similarly, the max\_reduction function finds the maximum value in the array, sum\_reduction function finds the sum of the elements of array and average\_reduction function finds the average of the elements of array by dividing the sum by the size of the array.
3. The reduction clause is used to combine the results of multiple threads into a single value, which is then returned by the function. The min and max operators are used for the min\_reduction and max\_reduction functions, respectively, and the + operator is used for the sum\_reduction and average\_reduction functions. In the main function, it creates a vector and calls the functions min\_reduction, max\_reduction, sum\_reduction, and average\_reduction to compute the values of min, max, sum and average respectively.

## Example:

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#include <iostream>
#include <vector>
#include <omp.h>
using namespace std;
void min_reduction(vector<int>& arr) {
    int min_value = INT_MAX;
    #pragma omp parallel for reduction(min: min_value)for (int i = 0; i < arr.size(); i++) {
        if (arr[i] < min_value) { min_value = arr[i];
    }
    cout << "Minimum value: " << min_value << endl;
}
void max_reduction(vector<int>& arr) {int max_value = INT_MIN;
    #pragma omp parallel for reduction(max: max_value) {
        max_value = arr[i];
    }
    cout << "Maximum value: " << max_value << endl;}
void sum_reduction(vector<int>& arr) {
    int sum = 0;
    #pragma omp parallel for reduction(+: sum)for (int i = 0; i < arr.size(); i++) {
        sum += arr[i]; }
    cout << "Sum: " << sum << endl; }
void average_reduction(vector<int>& arr) {int sum = 0;
    #pragma omp parallel for reduction(+: sum)for (int i = 0; i < arr.size(); i++) {
        sum += arr[i];}
    cout << "Average: " << (double)sum / arr.size() << endl;}
int main() {
    vector<int> arr = {5, 2, 9, 1, 7, 6, 8, 3, 4};
    min_reduction(arr);
    max_reduction(arr);
    sum_reduction(arr);
    average_reduction(arr);
}
```

**Conclusion:** Thus, we have successfully implemented parallel reduction using Min, Max, Sum and Average Operations.