

# Assignment HPC 3

Title:-

Parallel sorting Algorithms.

Problem statement:

For a bubble sort and merge sort based on existing sequential algorithms design and implement parallel algorithms utilizing all resources available.

Objective:-

- To understand concept of Bubble sort and merge sort based on sequential algorithm.
- To understand concept of parallel algorithm.
- To compare performance by varying number of processors used and also with sequential algorithm.

Outcomes:-

After successfully completing this assignment we can,

- Display result for parallel bubble and merge sort
- Analyze performance by varying number of processors used and also with sequential algorithm.

Software and Hardware requirement.

OS : Linux or windows.

Openmp configuration.

Theory :-

+ Bubble sort algorithm

1. Sequential bubble sort algorithm

One of straight forward sorting method.

- cycles through the list.

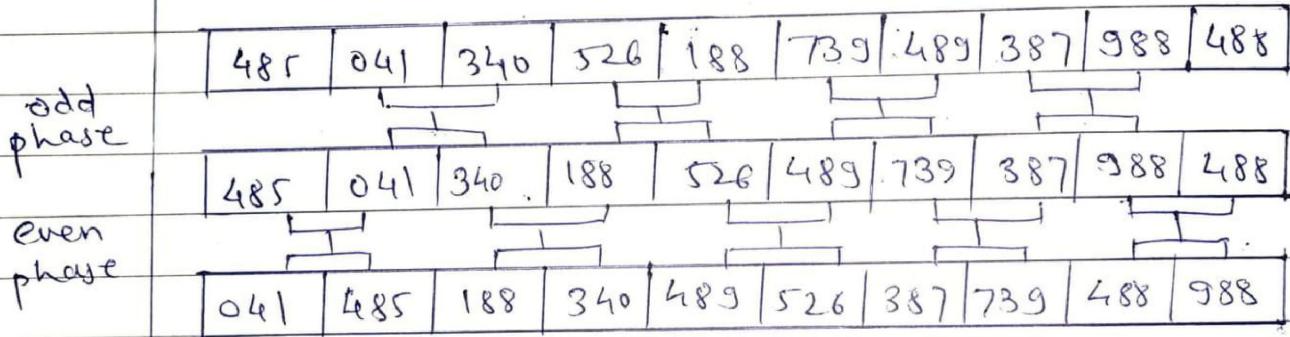
- compares consecutive elements and swap them if necessary.

- stops when no more out of order pair

  - slow and inefficient

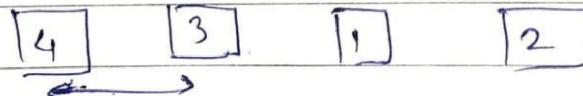
  - Average performance -  $O(n)^2$

2. parallel bubble sort. :- Compare all pair in list in parallel

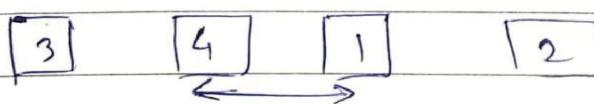


parallel bubble sort complexity.

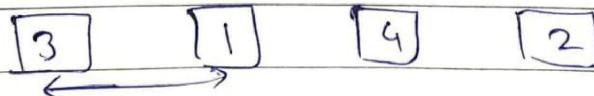
Do  $(n-1)$  comparison for each iteration hence  $O(n)$



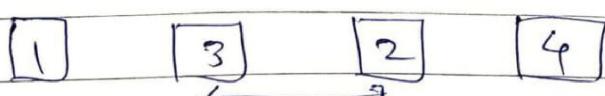
step 1



step 2



step 3



step 4



## \* Merge sort algorithm.

Divide and conquer approach

- Divide problem into subproblems

- Division usually done through recursion

- Solutions from subproblems then combined to give functional solution to original problem

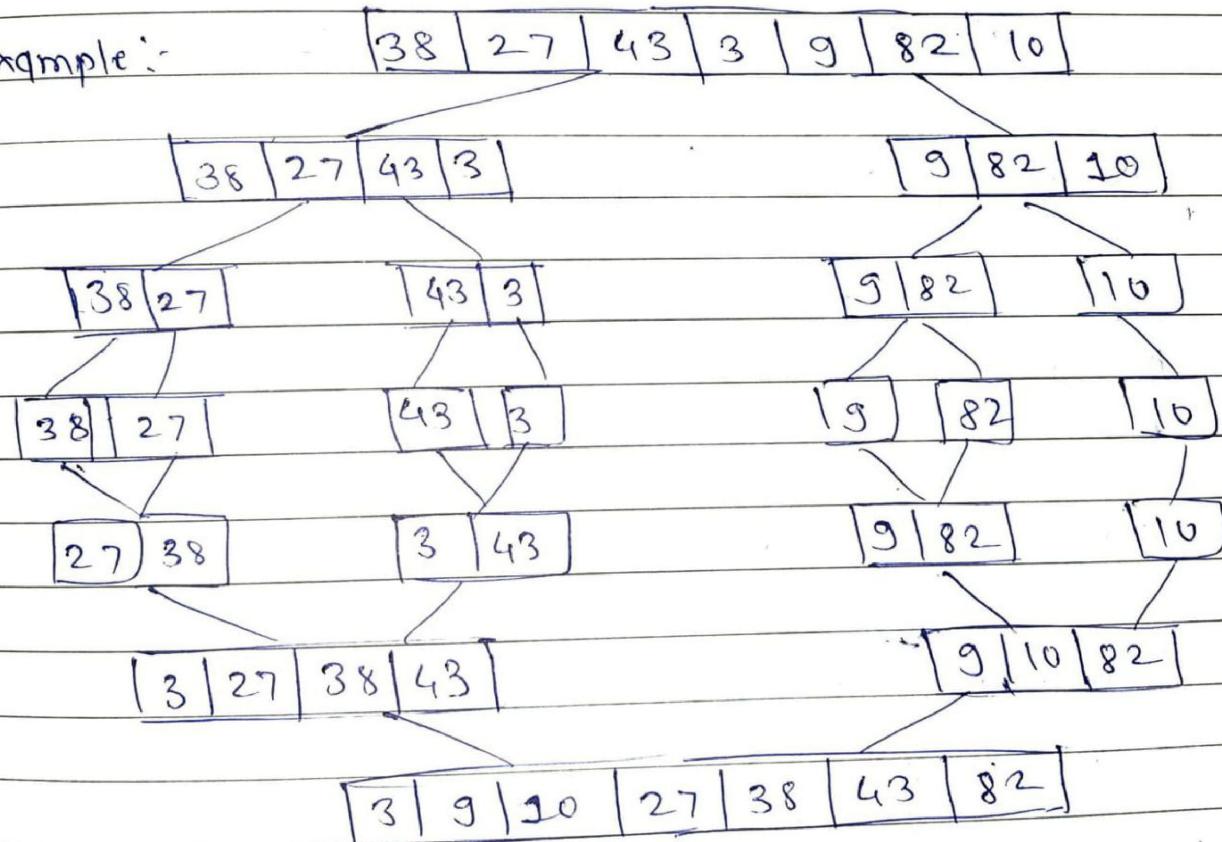
Collect sorted list onto one processor

- Merges element as they come together

- Simple tree structure

- parallelism is limited when near the root

Example:-



Complexity

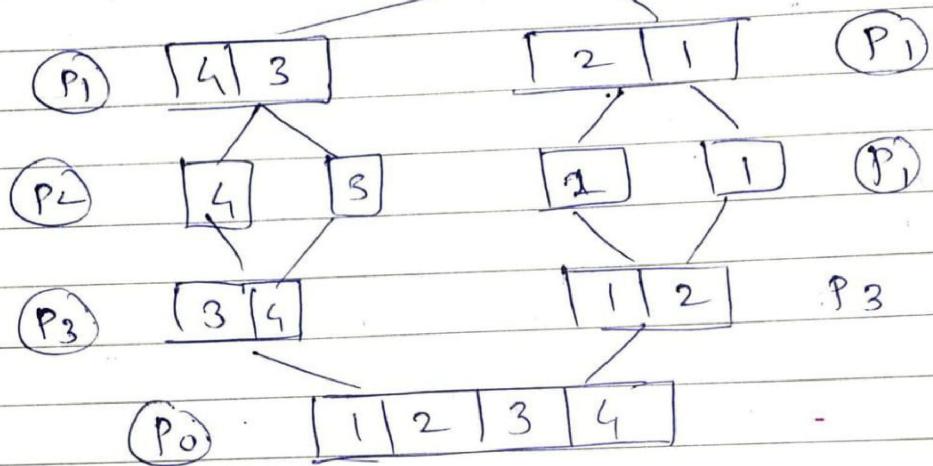
$$T(n) = O(n \log n)$$

parallel merge sort

- parallelize problems

- Max parallelism is achieved with one processor

Example (P<sub>0</sub>) [4 | 3 | 2 | 1]



Complexity :-  $O(\log(n))$

Test cases:- \* Bubble sort -

Array element : 6

elements :- 6 5 4 3 2 1

Sorted array :- 1 2 3 4 5 6

Time required for parallel : 0.0030002

\* merge sort

Array element : 6

elements : 6 5 4 3 2 1

Sorted Array : 1 2 3 4 5 6

Time required for parallel : 0.00039995

Conclusion:- After successful implementation for bubble sort and merge sort using parallel approach calculated time required for parallel bubble sort and merge sort.