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1 Introduction

This report is part of the mandatory coursework. It describes the solutions for several chosen exercises from the course book [?].

2 4.1 - Generalization of matrix-vector multiplication

If we keep the same scheme of parallelization as mentioned in the book (outer for...loop), generalization can be implemented rather easy, bascially in the same way as already shown in exercise 1.1:

```
my_first_i = k * m / p + (k < m mod p ? k : m mod p)
my_last_i = (k + 1) * m / p + (k + 1 < m mod p ? k + 1 : m mod p)
```

It is not useful to parallelize into n as one thread needs to process as this would create a mutex for acces to shared variables.

3 4.2 - Physical data distribution

The source code for this exercise can be found in appendix ??.

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- 10 A4.4 Fork/join overhead
- 11 **A4.5** Task queue

A C Source Code for Exercise 4.2

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <pthread.h>
#include "timer.h"

/* Global variables */
int thread_count;
int m, n;
int input_counter = 0;
int output_counter = 0;
pthread_mutex_t mutex_input;
pthread_mutex_t mutex_output;
```

```
pthread_cond_t cond_var_input;
pthread_cond_t cond_var_output;
/* Serial functions */
void Usage(char* prog_name);
void Gen_matrix(double A[], int m, int n);
void Read_matrix(char* prompt, double A[], int m, int n);
void Gen_vector(double x[], int n);
void Read_vector(char* prompt, double x[], int n);
void Print_matrix(char* title, double A[], int m, int n);
void Print_vector(char* title, double y[], double m);
/* Parallel function */
void *Pth_mat_vect(void* rank);
/*----*/
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
 long
           thread;
 pthread_t* thread_handles;
 if (argc != 4) Usage(argv[0]);
 thread_count = strtol(argv[1], NULL, 10);
 m = strtol(argv[2], NULL, 10);
 n = strtol(argv[3], NULL, 10);
# ifdef DEBUG
 printf("thread_count = %d, m = %d, n = %d\n", thread_count, m, n);
# endif
 thread_handles = malloc(thread_count*sizeof(pthread_t));
 for (thread = 0; thread < thread_count; thread++)</pre>
     pthread_create(&thread_handles[thread], NULL,
       Pth_mat_vect, (void*) thread);
  for (thread = 0; thread < thread_count; thread++)</pre>
     pthread_join(thread_handles[thread], NULL);
  return 0;
} /* main */
void Usage (char* prog_name) {
   fprintf(stderr, "usage: %s <thread_count> <m> <n>\n", prog_name);
   exit(0);
} /* Usage */
```

```
void Read_matrix(char* prompt, double A[], int m, int n) {
   int
   printf("%s\n", prompt);
   for (i = 0; i < m; i++)
      for (j = 0; j < n; j++)
         scanf("%lf", &A[i*n+j]);
} /* Read_matrix */
void Gen_matrix(double A[], int m, int n) {
   int i, j;
   for (i = 0; i < m; i++)
      for (j = 0; j < n; j++)
         A[i*n+j] = random()/((double) RAND_MAX);
} /* Gen_matrix */
void Gen_vector(double x[], int n) {
   int i;
   for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
      x[i] = random()/((double) RAND_MAX);
}
void Read_vector(char* prompt, double x[], int n) {
   int i;
   printf("%s\n", prompt);
   for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
      scanf("%lf", &x[i]);
}
void *Pth_mat_vect(void* rank) {
  double* A;
  double* x;
  double* y;
  long my_rank = (long) rank;
  int i;
  int j;
  int local_m = m/thread_count;
  int my_first_row = 0; //my_rank*local_m;
  int my_last_row = m/thread_count; //my_first_row + local_m;
  register int sub = my_first_row*n;
  double start, finish;
  double temp;
```

```
# ifdef DEBUG
 printf("Thread %ld > local_m = %d, sub = %d\n",
        my_rank, local_m, sub);
# endif
 // scheduling data input
 pthread_mutex_lock(&mutex_input);
 while(input_counter != my_rank) {
    pthread_cond_wait(&cond_var_input, &mutex_input);
 A = malloc(m/thread_count*n*sizeof(double));
 x = malloc(n*sizeof(double));
 y = malloc(m/thread_count*sizeof(double));
 Gen_matrix(A, local_m, n);
# ifdef DEBUG
 Print_matrix("We generated", A, local_m, n);
# endif
 Gen_vector(x, n);
# ifdef DEBUG
 Print_vector("We generated", x, n);
# endif
 input_counter++;
 pthread_cond_broadcast(&cond_var_input);
 pthread_mutex_unlock(&mutex_input);
 GET TIME (start);
 for (i = my_first_row; i < my_last_row; i++) {</pre>
    y[i] = 0.0;
     for (j = 0; j < n; j++) {
        temp = A[sub++];
        temp *= x[j];
        y[i] += temp;
 GET_TIME(finish);
 pthread_mutex_lock(&mutex_output);
 while(output_counter != my_rank) {
   pthread_cond_wait(&cond_var_output, &mutex_output);
 printf("Thread %ld > Elapsed time = %e seconds\n",
    my_rank, finish - start);
```

```
# ifdef DEBUG
  Print_vector("The Product is", y, m/thread_count);
# endif
  output_counter++;
  pthread_cond_broadcast(&cond_var_output);
  pthread_mutex_unlock(&mutex_input);
  free(A);
  free (x);
  free(y);
  return NULL;
}
void Print_matrix( char* title, double A[], int m, int n) {
   int
       i, j;
   printf("%s\n", title);
   for (i = 0; i < m; i++) {
      for (j = 0; j < n; j++)
         printf("%6.3f ", A[i*n + j]);
      printf("\n");
  }
}
void Print_vector(char* title, double y[], double m) {
   int i;
   printf("%s\n", title);
   for (i = 0; i < m; i++)
     printf("%6.3f ", y[i]);
  printf("\n");
}
```