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Optimizing programs to run efficiently on modern parallel hardware is hard but crucial for many applications. The predominantly used imperative languages - like C or OpenCL - force the programmer to intertwine the code describing functionality and optimizations. This results in a portability nightmare that is particularly problematic given the accelerating trend towards specialized hardware devices to further increase efficiency.

Many emerging DSLs used in performance demanding domains such as deep learning or high-performance image processing attempt to simplify or even fully automate the optimization process. Using a high-level - often functional - language, programmers focus on describing functionality in a declarative way. In some systems such as Halide or TVM, a separate *schedule* specifies how the program should be optimized. Unfortunately, these schedules are not written in well-defined programming languages. Instead, they are implemented as a set of ad-hoc predefined APIs that the compiler writers have exposed.

In this functional pearl, we show how to employ functional programming techniques to solve this challenge with elegance. We present two functional languages that work together - each addressing a separate concern. **RISE** is a functional language for expressing computations using well known functional data-parallel patterns. **ELEVATE** is a functional language for describing optimization strategies. A high-level **RISE** program is transformed into a low-level form using optimization strategies written in **ELEVATE**. From the rewritten low-level program high-performance parallel code is automatically generated. In contrast to existing high-performance domain-specific systems with scheduling APIs, in our approach programmers are not restricted to a set of built-in operations and optimizations but freely define their own computational patterns in **RISE** and optimization strategies in **ELEVATE** in a composable and reusable way. We show how our holistic functional approach achieves competitive performance with the state-of-the-art imperative systems Halide and TVM.

Why do we care about “*High-Performance*”?

Training modern machine learning models is crazily (computational) expensive

Why do we care about “High-Performance”?



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Holy crap: It costs \$245,000 to train the XLNet model
(the one that's beating BERT on NLP tasks..512 TPU v3
chips * 2.5 days * \$8 a TPU) - arxiv.org/abs/1906.08237

XLNet: Generalized Autoregressive Pretraining for Language Understanding

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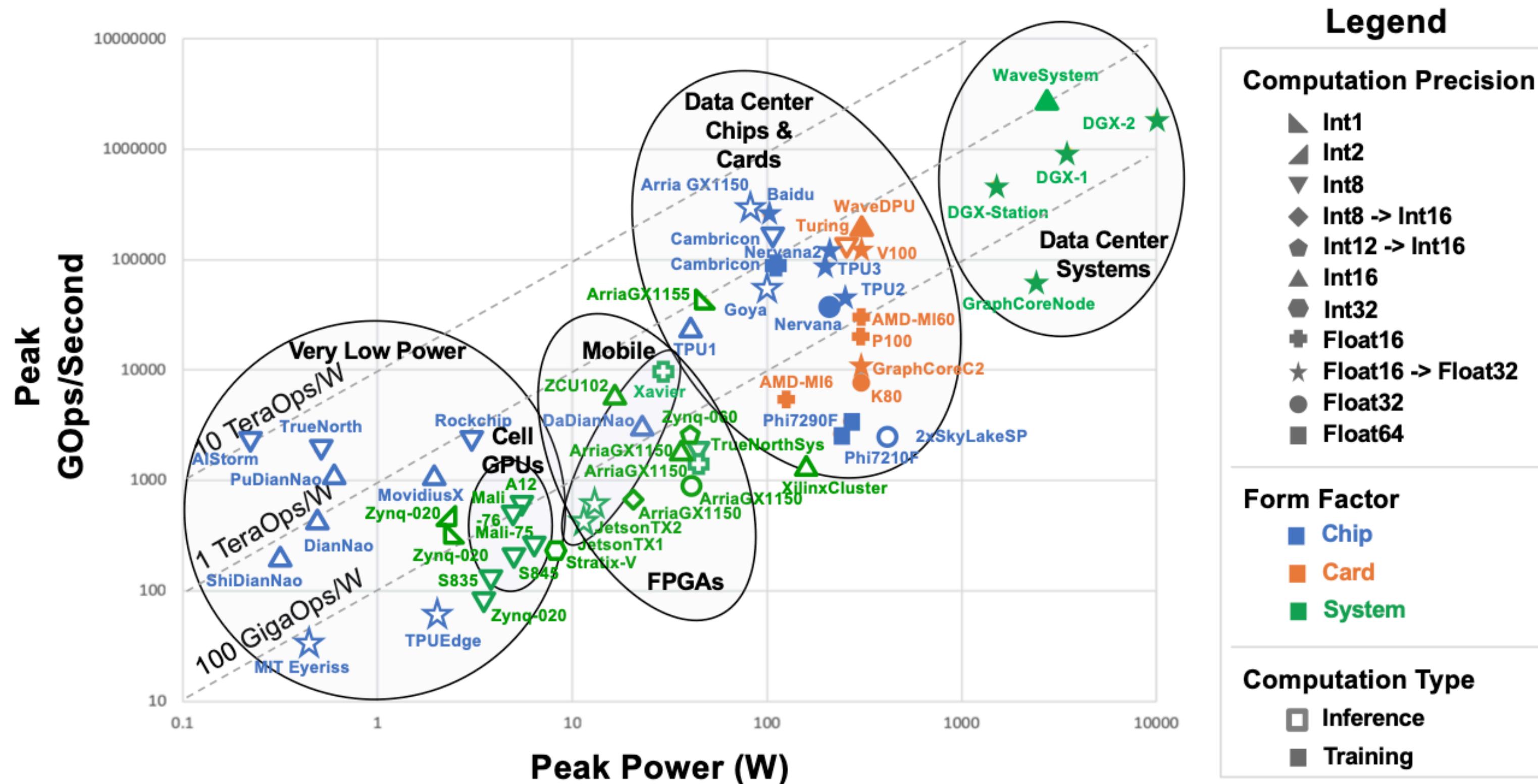
Abstract

With the capability of modeling bidirectional contexts, denoising autoencoding based pretraining like BERT achieves better performance than pretraining approaches based on autoregressive language modeling. However, relying on corrupting the input with masks, BERT neglects dependency between the masked positions and suffers from a pretrain-finetune discrepancy. In light of these pros and cons, we propose XLNet, a generalized autoregressive pretraining method that (1) enables learning bidirectional contexts by maximizing the expected likelihood over all permutations of the factorization order and (2) overcomes the limitations of BERT thanks to its autoregressive formulation. Furthermore, XLNet integrates ideas from Transformer-XL, the state-of-the-art autoregressive model, into pretraining. Empirically, XLNet outperforms BERT on 20 tasks, often by a large margin, and achieves state-of-the-art results on 18 tasks including question answering, natural language inference, sentiment analysis, and document ranking.¹.

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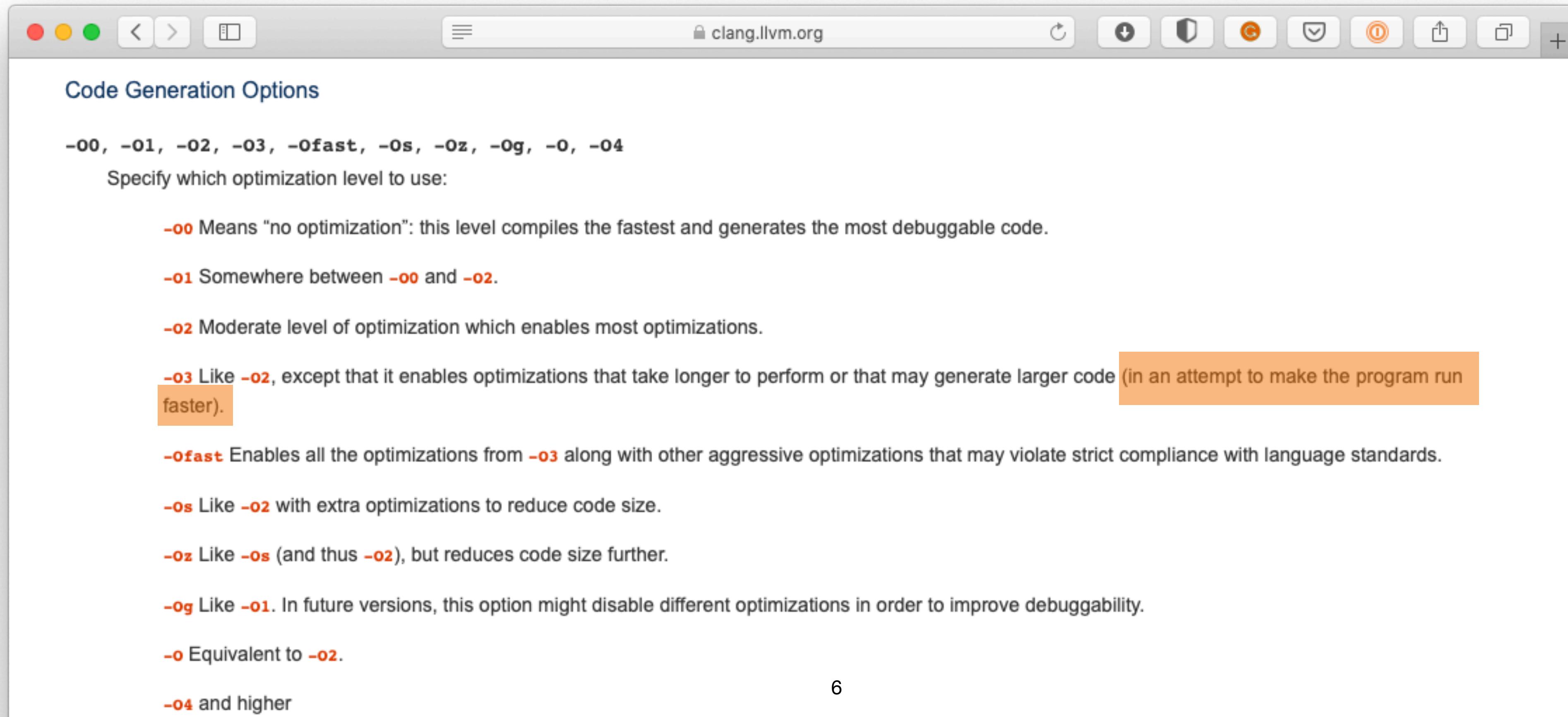
The Boom of Machine Learning Accelerators



Who is going to program (and optimize for) all of these hardware devices?

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- Rely on compiler heuristics



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- O0**, **-O1**, **-O2**, **-O3**, **-Ofast**, **-Os**, **-Oz**, **-Og**, **-O**, **-O4**

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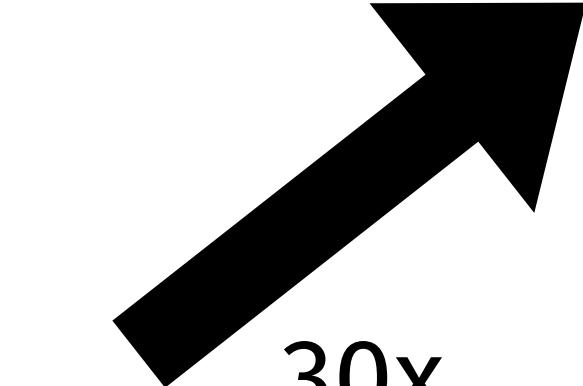
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3     int y = blockIdx.y * blockDim.y + threadIdx.y;
4
5     float acc = 0.0;
6     for (int k = 0; k < K; k++) {
7         acc += A[y * M + k] * B[k * N + x];
8     }
9     C[y * N + x] = acc;
10 }
```

Straightforward matrix multiplication

10-100x
performance

30x
lines of code

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2 // ... 164 lines skipped
3 //pragma unroll
4 for (int mma_k = 1; mma_k < 4; mma_k++) {
5
6     // load A from shared memory to register file
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8     for (int mma_m = 0; mma_m < 4; mma_m++) {
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15            int4 * a_rf_ptr = (int4 *) &A_rf[(mma_k & 1)][mma_m][0][0];
16            *a_rf_ptr = *a_sh_ptr; }}
17
18    // load B from shared memory to register file
19    #pragma unroll
20    for (int mma_n = 0; mma_n < 4; mma_n++) {
21        int swizzle2 = swapBits((swapBits(laneLinearIdx, 2, 3)), 3, 4);
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38            float * c = (float *) &C_rf[mma_m][mma_n][0];
39
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Optimized matrix multiplication
(321 lines of code in total)

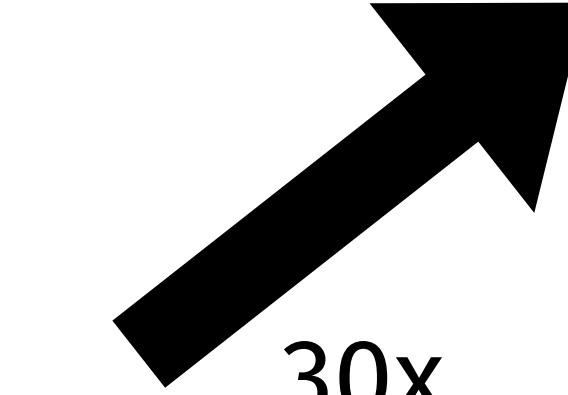
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Low-level code is error prone, hard to debug
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Halide



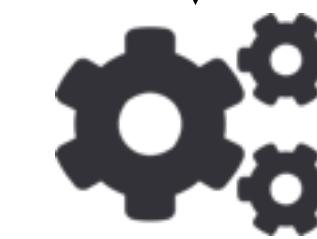
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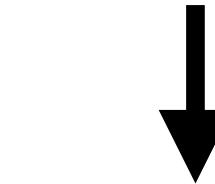
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const int y_unroll  = 8; const int r_unroll  = 1;
Var xi,yi,xio,xii,yii,xo,yo,x_pair,xio,ty; RVar rxo,rxi;
out.bound(x, 0, size).bound(y, 0, size)
  .tile(x, y, xi, yi, x_tile * vec_size * warp_size,
        y_tile * y_unroll)
  .split(yi, ty, yi, y_unroll)
  .vectorize(xi, vec_size)
  .split(xi, xio, xii, warp_size)
  .reorder(xio, yi, xii, ty, x, y)
  .unroll(xio).unroll(yi)
  .gpu_blocks(x, y).gpu_threads(ty).gpu_lanes(xii);
prod.store_in(MemoryType::Register).compute_at(out, x)
  .split(x, xo, xi, warp_size * vec_size, RoundUp)
  .split(y, ty, y, y_unroll)
  .gpu_threads(ty).unroll(xi, vec_size).gpu_lanes(xi)
  .unroll(xo).unroll(y).update()
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  .split(y, ty, y, y_unroll)
  .gpu_threads(ty).unroll(xi, vec_size).gpu_lanes(xi)
  .split(r.x, rxo, rxi, warp_size)
  .unroll(rxi, r_unroll).reorder(xi, xo, y, rxi, ty, rxo)
  .unroll(xo).unroll(y);
Var Bx = B.in().args()[0], By = B.in().args()[1];
Var Ax = A.in().args()[0], Ay = A.in().args()[1];
B.in().compute_at(prod, ty).split(Bx, xo, xi, warp_size)
  .gpu_lanes(xi).unroll(xo).unroll(By);
A.in().compute_at(prod, rxo).vectorize(Ax, vec_size)
  .split(Ax,xo,xi,warp_size).gpu_lanes(xi).unroll(xo)
  .split(Ay,yo,yi,y_tile).gpu_threads(yi).unroll(yo);
A.in().in().compute_at(prod, rxi).vectorize(Ax, vec_size)
  .split(Ax, xo, xi, warp_size).gpu_lanes(xi)
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Halide
compiler



Optimised Code

Optimization Schedule

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clear separation between
computation & optimizations

Detailed control of
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  .unroll(x, "xo", x_tile * vec_size * warp_size,
          y, "yo", y_unroll)
  .unroll(x, "xi", x_tile * vec_size * warp_size,
          y, "yi", y_unroll)
  .gpu_threads(ty).gpu_lanes(xi);
prod.store_in(MemoryType::Register).compute_at(out, x)
  .split(x, xo, xi, warp_size * vec_size, RoundUp)
  .split(y, ty, y, y_unroll)
  .gpu_threads(ty).unroll(xi, vec_size).gpu_lanes(xi)
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  .gpu_threads(ty).unroll(xi, vec_size).gpu_lanes(xi)
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Problems with Scheduling APIs

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Optimization Schedule

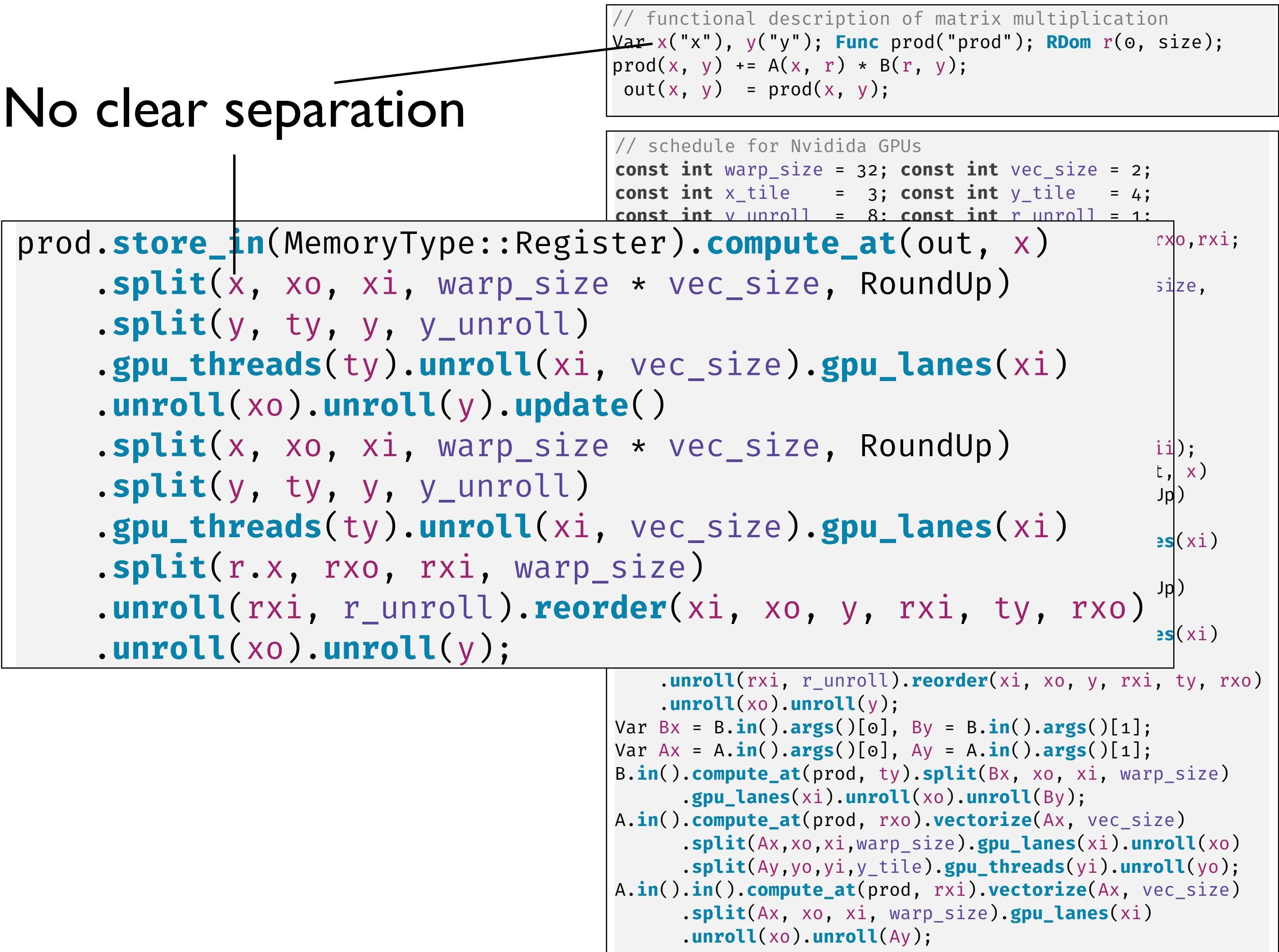


Halide
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Optimised Code

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No clear separation



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No reuse
Hinders reuse

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Not well documented
Hinders understanding

Only fixed built-in
optimisations

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Hinders understanding

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dimensions
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Hinders reuse
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Not well defined semantics

Hinders understanding of schedules

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Var Ax = A.in().args()[0], Ay = A.in().args()[1];
Bx = prod(Ax, Bx);
By = prod(By, Bx);
Ax = prod(Ax, Ay);
Ay = prod(By, Ay);
```



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We should aim for more principled ways to describe and apply optimisations

```
A.in().in().compute_at(prod, rxi).vectorize(Ax, vec_size)
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Optimization Schedule

The Need for a Principled Way to Separate, Describe and Apply Optimizations

Our goals:

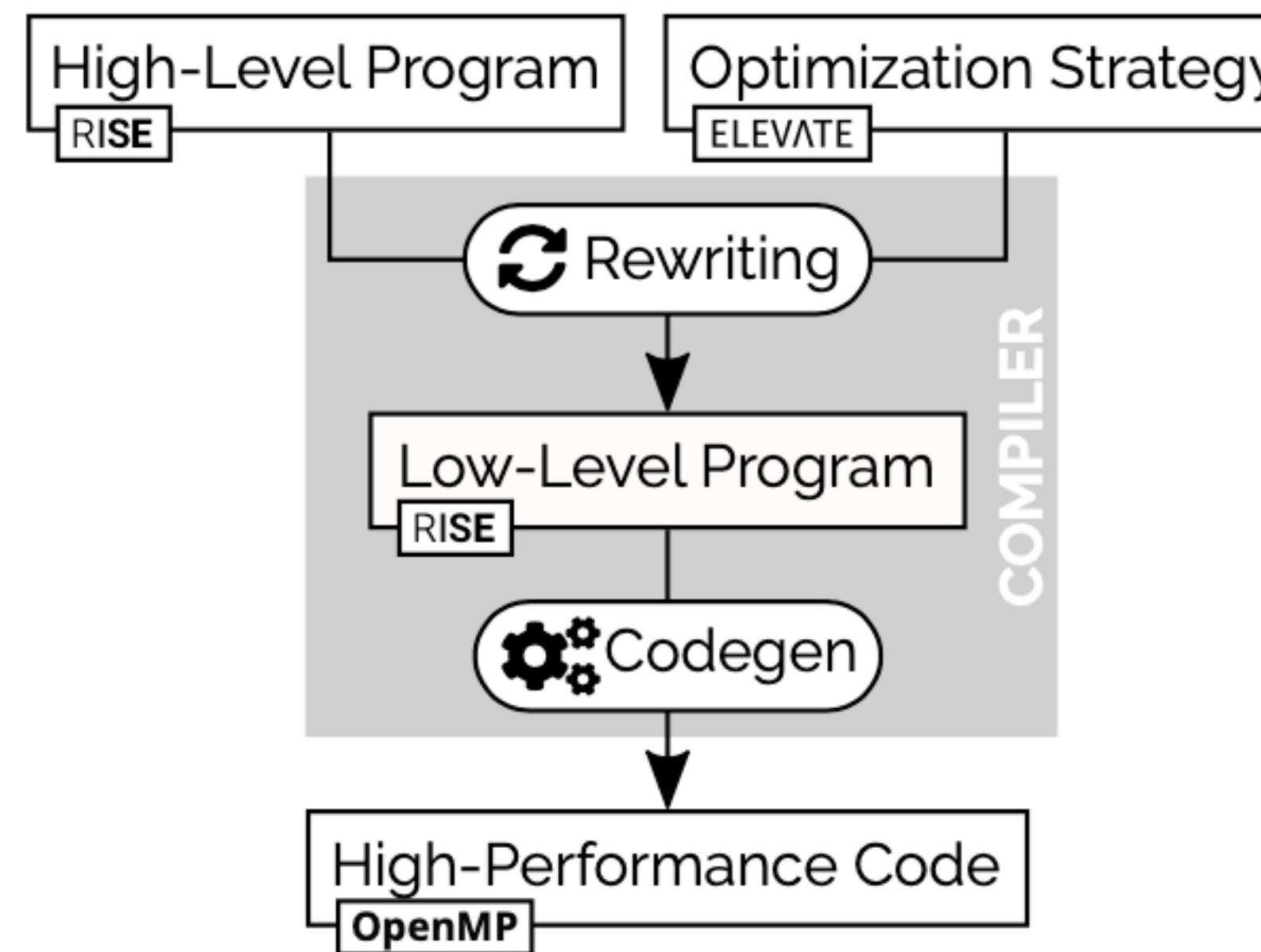
- (1) *Separate concerns*: Computations should be expressed at a high abstraction level only. They should not be changed to express optimizations;
- (2) *Facilitate reuse*: Optimization strategies should be defined clearly separated from the computational program facilitating reusability of computational programs and strategies;
- (3) *Enable composability*: Computations *and* strategies should be written as compositions of user-defined building blocks (possibly domain-specific ones); *both languages* should facilitate the creation of higher-level abstractions;
- (4) *Allow reasoning*: Computational patterns, but also especially strategies, should have a precise, well-defined semantics allowing reasoning about them;
- (5) *Be explicit*: Implicit default behavior should be avoided to empower users to be in control.

Fundamentally we argue that a more principled high-performance code generation approach should be holistic by considering computation and optimization strategies equally important. As a consequence, a strategy language should be built with the same standards as a language describing computation.

“The Functional Way” for Achieving High-Performance

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val dot = fun(as, fun(bs,
  zip(as)(bs) |> map(fun(ab, mult(fst(ab))(snd(ab)))) |> reduce(add)(0) ) )
val mm  = fun(a : M.K.float, fun(b : K.N.float,
  a |> map(fun(arow,
    transpose(b) |> map(fun(bcol,
      dot(arow)(bcol) ))))) ) )
```

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  split(4)       '@' innermost(appliedReduce) ';;'
  reorder(Seq(1,2,5,3,6,4))                   ';;'
  vectorize(32)  '@' innermost(isApp(isApp(isMap)))
  (loopPerm ';' lowerToC)(mm)
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ELEVATE – A Language for Describing Optimisation Strategies

- In ELEVATE Optimisation **Strategies** are encoded as functions

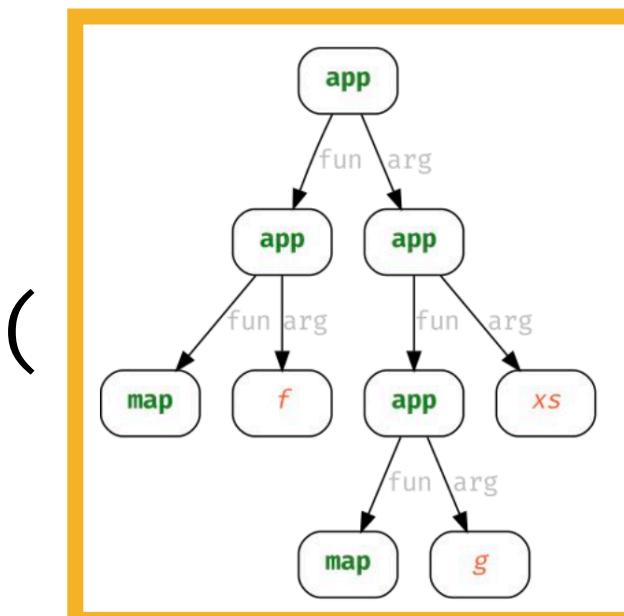
```
type Strategy[P]: P → RewriteResult[P]
```

Rewritten Program
or
Failure

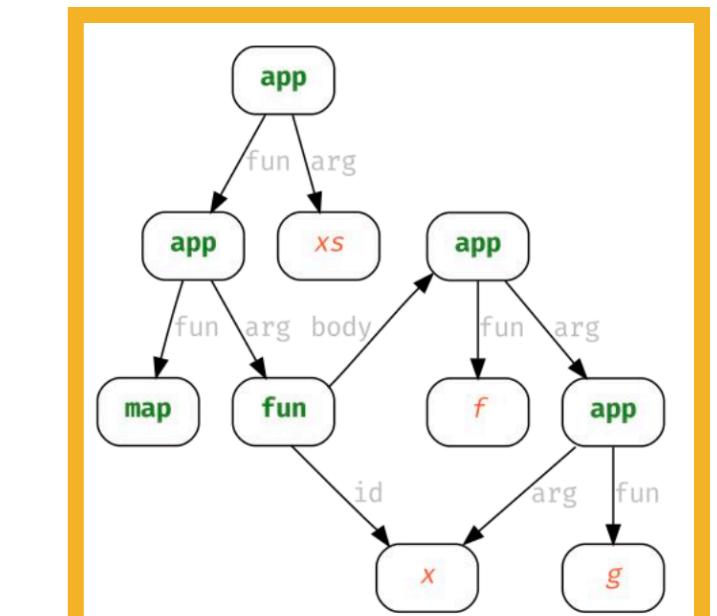
- Rewrite rules* are examples of basic strategies

```
def mapFusion: Strategy = (p) => p match {  
  case app(app(map, f),  
          app(app(map, g), xs)) =  
    Success(map(fun(x => f(g(x))), xs))  
  case _ = Failure()  
}
```

mapFusion(



) =



Strategy Combinators

- Sequential composition (`;`):

```
def seq[P]: Strategy[P] ⇒ Strategy[P] ⇒ Strategy[P]
= fs ⇒ ss ⇒ p ⇒ fs(p) ≻ (q ⇒ ss(p))
```

- Left choice (`<+`):

```
def lChoice[P]: Strategy[P] ⇒ Strategy[P] ⇒ Strategy[P]
= fs ⇒ ss ⇒ p ⇒ fs(p) <⟩ ss(p)
```

- Try:

```
def try[P]: Strategy[P] ⇒ Strategy[P] = s ⇒ p ⇒ (s <+ id)(p)
```

- Repeat:

```
def repeat[P]: Strategy[P] ⇒ Strategy[P] = s ⇒ p ⇒ try(s ; repeat(s))(p)
```

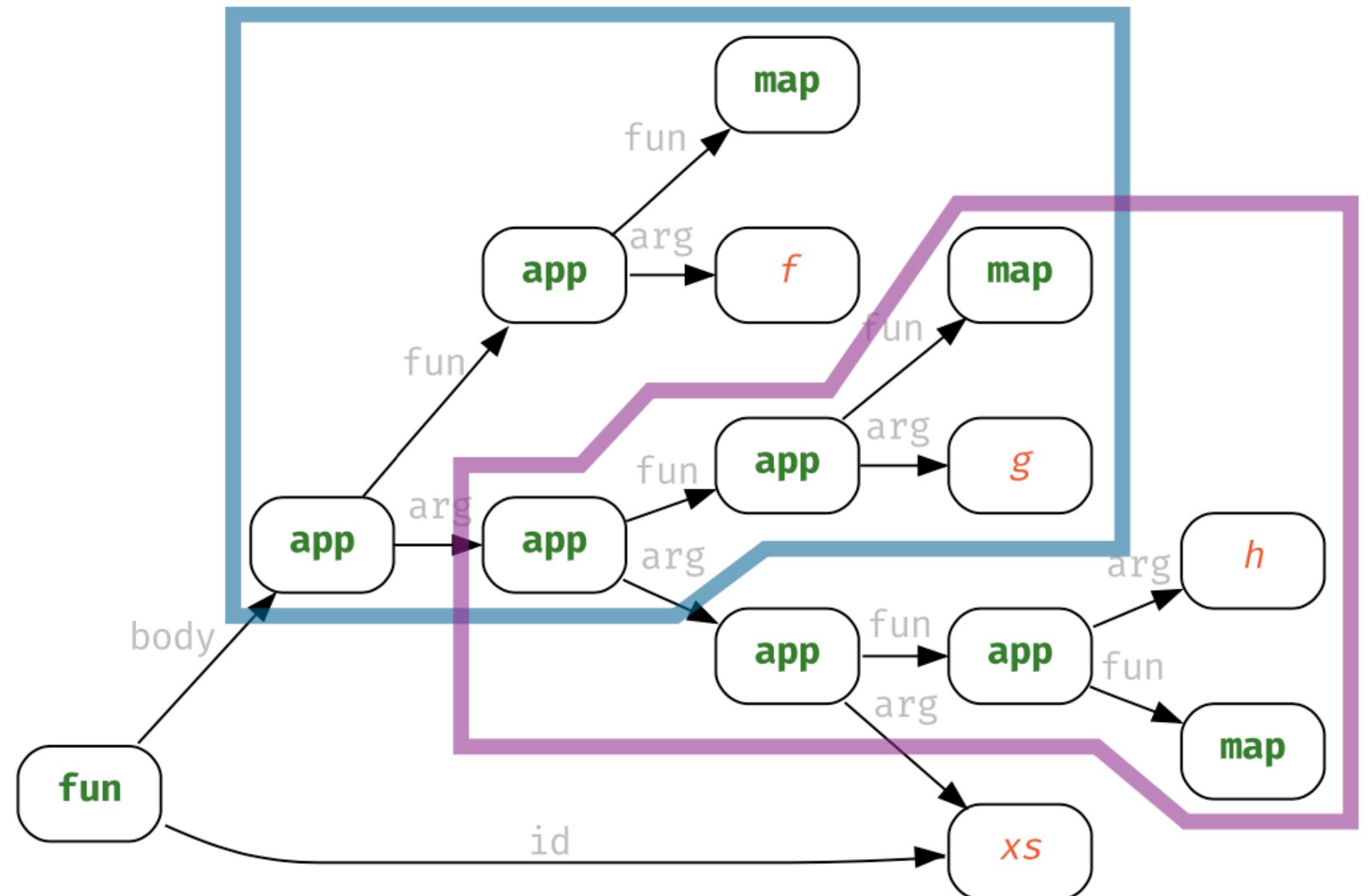
Traversal Strategies

- Where to apply a rewrite strategy?

Two possible locations for applying

```
def mapFusion: Strategy = ...
```

within the same expression



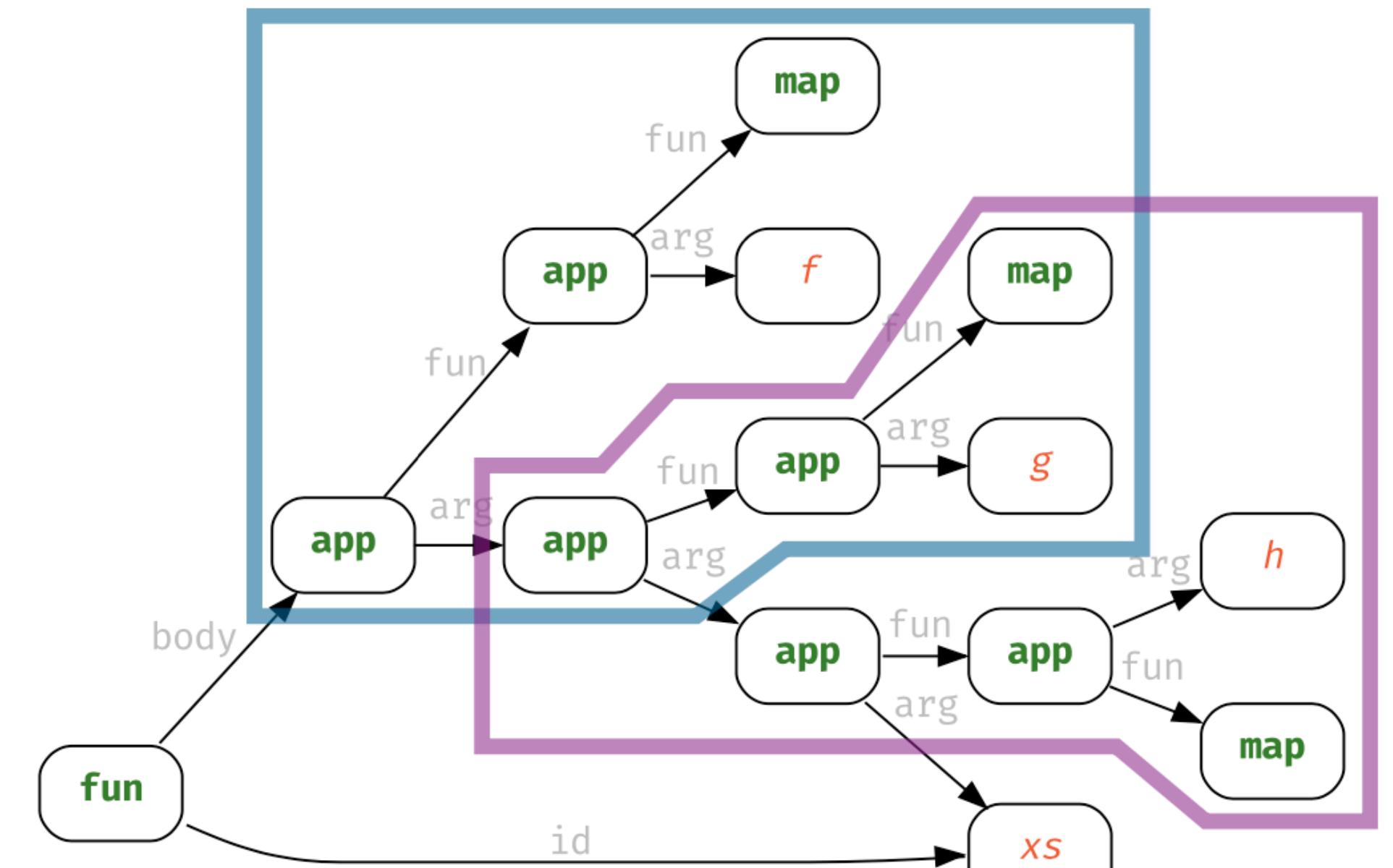
```
threemaps = fun(xs, map(f)(map(g)(map(h)(xs))))
```

Traversal Strategies

```
def body: Traversal[Rise] = s => p => p match {
  case fun(x,b) => (nb => fun(x, nb)) <$> s(b)
  case _ => Failure(body(s)) }

def function: Traversal[Rise] = s => p => p match {
  case app(f,a) => (nf => app(nf, a)) <$> s(f)
  case _ => Failure(function(s)) }

def argument: Traversal[Rise] = s => p => p match {
  case app(f,a) => (na => app(f, na)) <$> s(a)
  case _ => Failure(argument(s)) }
```



threemaps = **fun(xs, map(f)(map(g)(map(h)(xs))))**

body(mapFusion)(**threemaps**) vs body(argument(mapFusion))(**threemaps**)

Complex Traversals + Normalization

- With three basic generic traversals

```
type Traversal[P] = Strategy[P] => Strategy[P]
def all[P]: Traversal[P];    def one[P]: Traversal[P];    def some[P]: Traversal[P]
```

- we define more complex traversals:

```
def topDown[P]: Traversal[P] = s => p => (s <+ one(topDown(s)))(p)
def bottomUp[P]: Traversal[P] = s => p => (one(bottomUp(s)) <+ s)(p)
def allTopDown[P]: Traversal[P] = s => p => (s ';' all(allTopDown(s)))(p)
def allBottomUp[P]: Traversal[P] = s => p => (all(allBottomUp(s)) ';' s)(p)
def tryAll[P]: Traversal[P] = s => p => (all(tryAll(try(s)))) ';' try(s))(p)
```

- With these traversals we define normal forms, e.g. $\beta\eta$ -normal-form:

```
def normalize[P]: Strategy[P] => Strategy[P] = s => p => repeat(topDown(s))(p)
def BENF = normalize(betaReduction <+ etaReduction)
```

Optimizing Matrix Matrix Multiplication with ELEVATE Strategies

- We attempt to express the same optimizations described in the TVM tutorial:

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL tvm.apache.org in the address bar. The page is titled "How to optimize GEMM on CPU". The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with sections like "Installation", "Tutorials" (which is expanded to show "Quick Start Tutorial for Compiling Deep Learning Models", "Cross Compilation and RPC", "Get Started with Tensor Expression", "Compile Deep Learning Models", and "Tensor Expression and Schedules"), "Optimize Tensor Operators" (with "How to optimize convolution on GPU" listed), and "How to optimize GEMM on CPU" (which is also expanded to show "Preparation and Baseline"). A "Note" section at the top right says "Click [here](#) to download the full example code". The main content area starts with the heading "How to optimize GEMM on CPU" and an author note by Jian Weng and Ruofei Yu. It explains that TVM provides abstract interfaces for algorithms and their schedules, allowing for efficient optimization. The text continues with a summary of the tutorial's purpose: demonstrating how to use TVM to optimize square matrix multiplication and achieve 200 times faster performance than baseline by adding 18 lines of code.

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How to optimize GEMM on CPU

Author: [Jian Weng, Ruofei Yu](#)

(TL;DR) TVM provides abstract interfaces which allows users to depict an algorithm and the algorithm's implementing organization (the so-called schedule) separately. Typically, writing algorithm in high-performance schedule breaks the algorithm's readability and modularity. Also, trying various seemingly promising schedules is time-consuming. With the help of TVM, we can try these schedules efficiently to enhance the performance.

In this tutorial, we will demonstrate how to use TVM to optimize square matrix multiplication and achieve 200 times faster than baseline by simply adding 18

Optimizing Matrix Matrix Multiplication with ELEVATE Strategies

Clear separation of concerns

RISE

```
1 // matrix multiplication in RISE
2 val dot = fun(as, fun(bs, zip(as)(bs) |>
3     map(fun(ab, mult(fst(ab))(snd(ab)))) |>
4     reduce(add)(o) ) )
5 val mm = fun(a, fun(b, a |>
6     map( fun(arow, transpose(b) |>
7         map( fun(bcol,
8             dot(arow)(bcol) ))))) )
```

```
1 // baseline strategy in ELEVATE
2 val baseline = ( DFNF ' ;
3     fuseReduceMap '@' topDown )
4 (baseline ';' lowerToC)(mm)
```

Enable composability

ELEVATE

Be explicit

Baseline Strategy

tvm

```
1 # Naive matrix multiplication algorithm
2 K = tvm.reduce_axis((0, K), 'k')
3 A = tvm.placeholder((M, K), name= 'A')
4 B = tvm.placeholder((K, N), name= 'B')
5 C = tvm.compute((M, N), lambda x, y:
6     tvm.sum(A[x, k] * B[k, y],
7     axis=k), name= 'C')
8
9
10
11
12 # TVM default schedule
13 s = tvm.create_schedule(C.op)
```

Implicit behavior

Optimizing Matrix Matrix Multiplication with ELEVATE Strategies

ELEVATE

Facilitate reuse

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1 val loopPerm = (
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6   vectorize(32)    'a' innermost(isApp(isApp(isMap)))
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```

User-defined vs. build in

tvm

```
1 xo, yo, xi, yi = s[C].tile(
2   C.op.axis[0], C.op.axis[1], 32, 32)
3 k,                 = s[C].op.reduce_axis
4 ko, ki             = s[C].split(k, factor=4)
5 s[C].reorder(xo, yo, ko, xi, ki, yi)
6 s[C].vectorize(yi)
```

No clear separation
of concerns

Loop Permutation with blocking Strategy

Optimizing Matrix Matrix Multiplication with ELEVATE Strategies

Clear separation of concerns vs No clear separation of concerns

ELEVATE

```
1 val appliedMap = isApp(isApp(isMap))
2 val isTransposedB = isApp(isTranspose)
3
4 val packB = storeInMemory(isTransposedB,
5   permuteB `;;` 
6   vectorize(32) `@` innermost(appliedMap) `;;` 
7   parallel `@` outermost(isMap)
8 ) `@` inLambda
9
10 val arrayPacking = packB `;;` loopPerm
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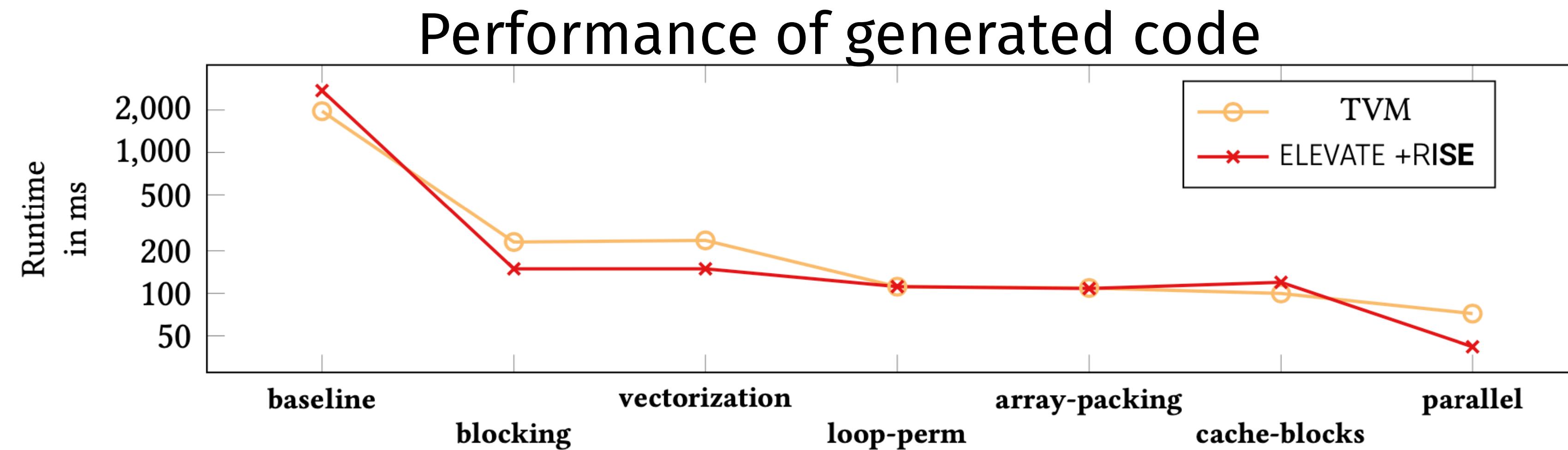
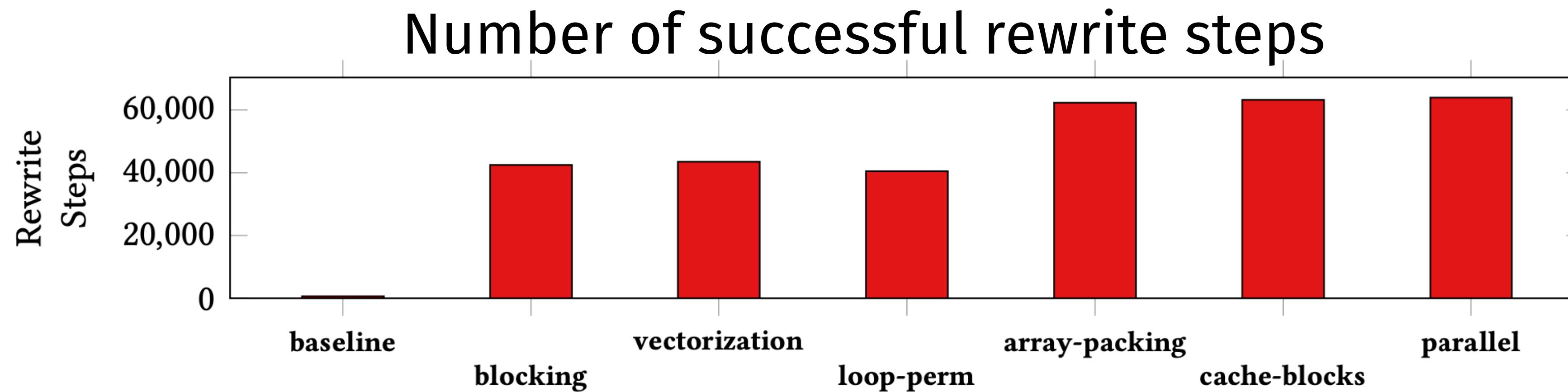
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```
1 # Modified algorithm
2 bn = 32
3 k = tvm.reduce_axis((0, K), 'k')
4 A = tvm.placeholder((M, K), name='A')
5 B = tvm.placeholder((K, N), name='B')
6 pB = tvm.compute((N / bn, K, bn),
7   lambda x, y, z: B[y, x * bn + z], name='pB')
8 C = tvm.compute((M,N), lambda x,y:
9   tvm.sum(A[x,k] * pB[y//bn,k,
10    tvm.indexmod(y, bn)], axis=k), name='C')
11 # Array packing schedule
12 s = tvm.create_schedule(C.op)
13 xo, yo, xi, yi = s[C].tile(
14   C.op.axis[0], C.op.axis[1], bn, bn)
15 k, ko = s[C].op.reduce_axis
16 ko, ki = s[C].split(k, factor=4)
17 s[C].reorder(xo, yo, ko, xi, ki, yi)
18 s[C].vectorize(yi)
19 x, y, z = s[pB].op.axis
20 s[pB].vectorize(z)
21 s[pB].parallel(x)
```

Array Packing Strategy

Optimizing Matrix Matrix Multiplication with ELEVATE Strategies



Types for ELEVATE

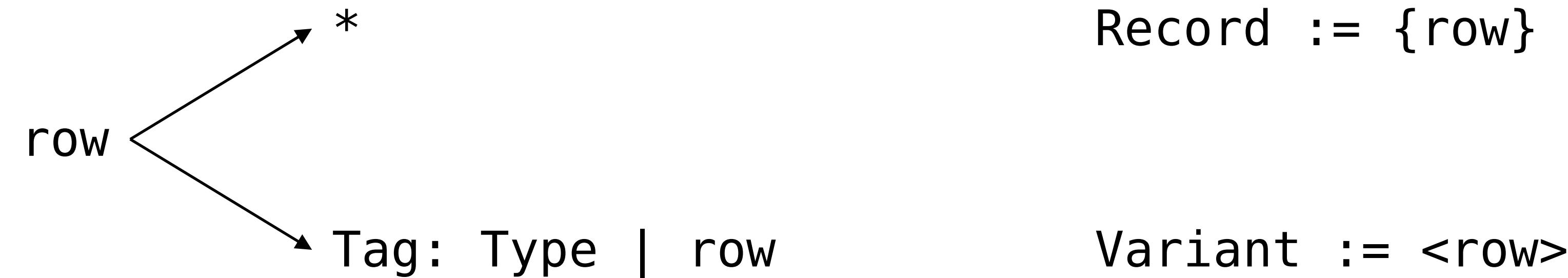
Fundamentally we argue that a more principled high-performance code generation approach should be holistic by considering computation and optimization strategies equally important. As a consequence, a strategy language should be built with the same standards as a language describing computation.

- Can types help to write ELEVATE strategies?
- We are developing a row-polymorphic version of ELEVATE
joined work with Rongxiao Fu and Ornella Dardha

Datatypes in a row

Record: type Point = {X: Int | Y: Int | Z: Int | *}

Variant: type Color = <Red: {*} | Green: {*} | Blue: {*} | *>



Rows are a generalisation of record and variant types

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type Color = <Red: {*} | Green: {*} | Blue: {*} | *>
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type ColorfulPoint = {X: Int | Y: Int | Z: Int | Color: Color | *}
```

```
shiftX: (n: Int) -> (p: Point) -> Point
```

```
setRed: (p: ColorfulPoint) -> ColorfulPoint
```

How do we make `Point` and `ColorfulPoint` compatible?

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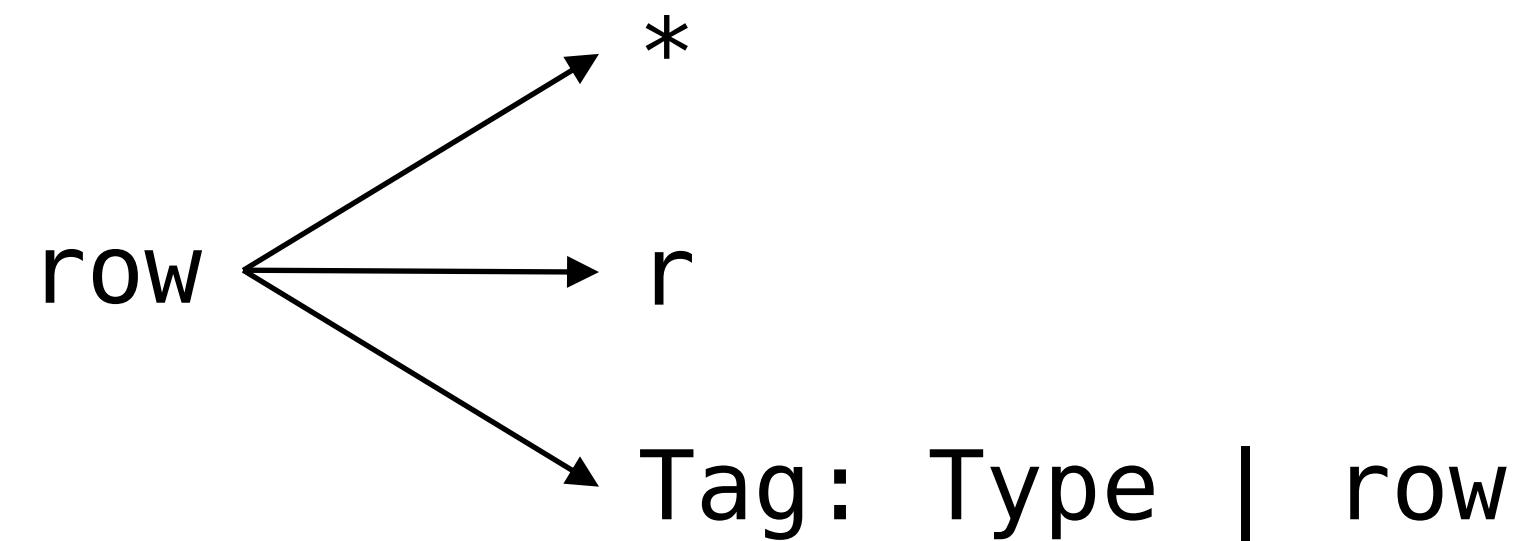
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```

Types are compatible not via subtyping
but by instantiating row variables

Datatypes in a row

```
type Primitive = forall [p]. <Map: {*} | Reduce: {*} | Slide: {*} | p>
type Rise = forall [p]. e as <Id: {Name: Nat | *} |
  Lam: {Param: Nat | Body: e | *} | App: {Fun: e | Arg: e | *} |
  Primitive: Primitive[p] | *>
```



Record := {row}

Variant := <row>

Recursive Variant := a as <row>

We represent RISE expressions using a variant type

Strategic rewriting with Mini-Elevate

```
type Result = forall a b. <Success: a | Failure: b | *>
```

```
type Strategy = forall p q. p -> Result q Nat
```

We give ELEVATE Strategies an appropriate function type

Strategic rewriting with Mini-Elevate

```
let lChoice:  
  (fs: p -> <Success: q | Failure: Nat | *>) ->  
  (ss: p -> <Success: q | r>) -> (p -> <Success: q | r>) =  
    lam: (x: p) -> <Success: q | r> =  
      alter (fs x) (ss x)
```

If ss can fail
lChoice can fail

```
let try: (s: p -> <Success: p | Failure: Nat | *>) ->  
  (p -> <Success: p | r>) =  
    lam: (x: p) -> <Success: p | r> = lChoice s id x
```

No source of failure

We can see based on the inferred types that
lChoice might fail only if ss fails and try can never fail!

Strategic rewriting with Mini-Elevate

```
let mapFusion: Strategy
  <App: {Fun: <App: {Fun: <Primitive: <Map: {*} | r6> | r5> | Arg: f | r4} | r3> | Arg: <App: {Fun: <App: {Fun: <Primitive: <Map: {*} | r12> | r11> | Arg: g | r10} | r9> | Arg: x | r8} | r7> | r1} | r0>
    <App: {Fun: <App: {Fun: <Primitive: <Map: {*} | h5> | h4> | Arg: <Lam: {Param: Nat | Body: <App: {Fun: f |
      Arg: <App: {Fun: g | Arg: <Id: {Name: Nat | h13} | h12> | h11} | h10> | h9} | h8> | h7} | h6> | h3} | h2> | Arg: x | h1} | h0> =
      lam: (x: <App: {Fun: <App: {Fun: <Primitive: <Map: {*} | r6> | r5> | Arg: f | r4} | r3> | Arg: <App: {Fun: <App: {Fun: <Primitive: <Map: {*} | r12> | r11> | Arg: g | r10} | r9> | Arg: x | r8} | r7> | r1} | r0>) ->
        Result < App: {Fun: <App: {Fun: <Primitive: <Map: {*} | h5> | h4> | Arg: <Lam: {Param: Nat | Body: <App: {Fun: f |
          Arg: <App: {Fun: g | Arg: <Id: {Name: Nat | h13} | h12> | h11} | h10> | h9} | h8> | h7} | h6> | h3} | h2> |
          Arg: x | h1} | h0 > Nat = match x with <
            App {Fun: App {Fun: Primitive Map | Arg: f} | Arg: App {Fun: App {Fun: Primitive Map | Arg: g} | Arg: x}} =>
              Success (App {Fun: App {Fun: Primitive Map | Arg: Lam {Param: 0 | Body: App {Fun: f | Arg: App {Fun: g |
                Arg: Id {Name: 0}}}}} | Arg: x})
            | _ => Failure 1
  >
```

Types of strategies quickly become complex ...
How should we deal with this?

Achieving High-Performance the Functional Way

- I have presented a new functional way to achieve high-performance:
 - Computations are expressed using functional patterns
 - Optimization strategies are build in a novel strategy language
 - We achieve performance similar to existing machine learning systems
- We are looking into how row-polymorphic types might help to write strategies

ICFP Paper at: <https://bastianhagedorn.github.io/files/publications/2020/ICFP-2020.pdf>