LAB REPORT FOR PROGRAM-4

Lab4p1, lab4p2 are output file

PART 1) Matrix Multiplication Program.

Checking that the two resulting matrices are equivalent.

The two resulting matrices are equivalent

The compute Structure used for my program are:-

Input Matrix size: 1024 X 1024

1 Grid, 1024 blocks and 1024 threads per block.

My program has 1024 (threads per block) * 1024(blocks per grid) * 1(grid) = 1024 * 1024 = Matrix size

Hence the number of threads spawned would be equal to total number of

elements in the matrix(1024*1024).

GFlops

Matrix Size: 1024 X 1024

Operations performed(Both CUDA and Serial version) = 1024 * 1024 * 1024 * 2 =

2.147483648 * (10^9)

GFlops for serial version is: (2.147483648 * (10^9))/(6.853352 * 10^9)

= 0.31334793

GFlops for CUDA Version is: (2.147483648 * (10^9))/(0.011702 * 10^9)

= 183.51

Resulting Performance

The matrix size of my program: 1024 X 1024

Time taken by serial program: 6.853352 seconds

Time taken by CUDA Version: 0.011702 seconds

Therefore, I observed significant performance improvement with the usage of GPU for

computation. The serial program took nearly 7 sec but with the help of GPU I was able

to compute in 0.011 sec.

PART 2) Sobel Edge Detection Program.

-bash-4.2\$./lab4p2 environment.bmp serial_img.bmp cuda_img.bmp			
Image Info ::			
Height=4160 Width=3120			

Serial and CUDA Sobel edge detection.			
Input image: nature.bmp	(Height is: 4160 pixels, Width is: 3120 pixels)		
Serial output image is:	serial_img.bmp		
CUDA output image is:	cuda_img.bmp		
CUDA computation specifications are:			
Grids = 1 grids			
Blocks= 64 blocks			
tpb= 1024 threads per block			
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Performing serial Sobel edge detection.			
Performing CUDA parallel Sobel edge detection.			

Time taken for serial Sobel edge detection: 27.369054			
Convergence Threshold: 115			
Time taken for CUDA Parallel Sobel edge detection: 5.565523			
Convergence Threshold: 115			

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The compute Structure used for my program are:-

Input Matrix size: 4160(height) X 3120(Width)

1 Grids, 64 blocks and 1024 threads per block.

My program has 1024 (threads per block) * 64(blocks per grid) * 1(grid) = 1024 * 64 = 65,536.

	Serial	CUDA
	Time taken for serial	Time taken for CUDA
	Sobel edge detection:	Parallel Sobel edge
Coins.bmp	0.277660	detection:
		0.117289
246(height) X 300(Width)	Convergence	
300(1114111)	Threshold: 50	Convergence Threshold:
		50
Nature.bmp	Time taken for serial	Time taken for CUDA
4160(height) X 3120(Width)	Sobel edge detection:	Parallel Sobel edge
	27.369054	detection: 5.565523
	Convergence	Convergence Threshold:
	Threshold: 115	115
Fall_img.bmp	Time taken for serial	Time taken for CUDA
	Sobel edge detection:	Parallel Sobel edge
4160(height) X	42.920459	detection: 9.460759
3120(Width		

Convergence	Convergence Threshold:
Threshold: 176	176

Resulting Performance Improvement

Yes, I have seen a significant performance improvement when using GPU for calculation. For example, Nature.bmp took 27.36 seconds for serial version while it took 5.56 seconds for CUDA version with multiple threads and GPU. The performance improvement is nearly 5 times.

NOTE:-

- 1) **CudaMemCpy** takes time to copy contents from Host to device and vice-versa. So, programs with small input might not give very good results. I have checked with two large images of 39Mb size to get to know the benefits of using a GPU.
- 2)Time used to calculate is chrono.
- 3) I have used double type for magnitude calculation. This will give more precision in result.
- 4) Performance exponentially increases compared to serial version as we increase size of image.