

Home exam 1 - IN3200

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This is an abstract

I. INTRODUCTION

II. METHODS

Shellsort

In order to sort the data in the functions `read_graph_from_file2` and `top_n_webpages`, shellsort was applied. It's therefore instructive to list the actual algorithm.

Algorithm 1 Shellsort (ascending order)

```
for gap =  $N/2$ ; gap > 0; gap /= 2 do
  for  $i = \text{gap}$ ;  $i < N$ ;  $i = i + 1$  do
    tmp = arr[i];
    for  $j = i$ ;  $j \geq \text{gap}$ ;  $j = j - \text{gap}$  do
      if arr[j - gap] < tmp then
        break;
    arr[j] = arr[j - gap];
  arr[j] = tmp;
```

III. RESULTS

Timing of serial codes

The measured time of the serial implementations of the various functions are shown in table I.

Function name	Time in seconds
<code>read_graph_from_file1</code>	0.174369
<code>count_mutual_links1</code>	1133.817
<code>read_graph_from_file2</code>	0.990147
<code>count_mutual_links2</code>	0.008971
<code>top_n_webpages</code>	0.068952

TABLE I. The table shows the measured time using `clock()` from the Ctime-library. `read_graph_from_file1` and `count_mutual_links1` was applied to a web-graph containing $N = 10000$ nodes and $N_{\text{links}} = 37841$ edges as found in the file `test_webpages.txt`. The data in this file was extracted from `web-NotreDame.txt`. `read_graph_from_file2` and `count_mutual_links2` was applied directly to the web-graph contained in `web-NotreDame.txt`. This file contained $N = 325729$ nodes and $N_{\text{links}} = 1479143$ edges.

Parallelized version of `count_mutual_links1`

Using OpenMP to parallelize `count_mutual_links1`, the results in table II were obtained.

Number of threads	Time in seconds
1	1038.65
2	572.79
4	374.42
8	312.68

TABLE II. The table presents the time used by the function `count_mutual_links1` as a function of threads. The web-graph used contained $N = 10000$ nodes and $N_{\text{links}} = 37841$ edges as found in the file `test_webpages.txt`. The data in this file was extracted from `web-NotreDame.txt`. All times were measured using `omp_get_wtime()`.

Parallelized version of `count_mutual_links2`

Using OpenMP to parallelize `count_mutual_links2` and measuring the time used by the function for different number of threads yielded the results shown in table III.

Number of threads	Time in seconds
1	0.007014
2	0.004470
4	0.003221
8	0.004967

TABLE III. The table shows the time used by `count_mutual_links2` when parallelized with OpenMP as a function of number of threads. The function was applied to the web-graph contained in `web-NotreDame.txt` containing $N = 325729$ nodes and $N_{\text{links}} = 1479143$ edges.. The timing was done using the OpenMP library function `omp_get_wtime()`.

IV. DISCUSSION

V. CONCLUSION