

# CS 4402 Assignment 1

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## 1 Problem 1

### 1.1 Question 1

```
// Pseudocode
void inverse(vector<vector<double>> &A, int B,
             int sRow, int sCol, int eRow, int eCol)
{
    // Base Case: Forward substitution
    if (eRow - sRow <= B) {
        for (int i = sRow; i < eRow; i++) {
            for (int j = sCol; j <= i; j++) {
                if (i == j) {
                    A[i][j] = 1 / A[i][j];
                }
                else {
                    double sum = 0;
                    for (int k = j; k < i; k++) {
                        sum += A[i][k] * A[k][j];
                    }
                    A[i][j] = -sum / A[i][i];
                }
            }
        }
    }
    return;
}

int mid = (eRow - sRow) / 2;

// A1 Inverse Multithreading
cilk_spawn inverse(A, B, sRow, sCol, mid, mid);

// A3 Inverse Multithreading
cilk_spawn inverse(A, B, sRow + mid, sCol + mid, eRow, eCol);
cilk_sync;
```

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// A2 * A1^-1
multiply(M, M, sRow + mid, sCol, sRow, sCol, mid);

// A3^-1 Temp
vector<vector<double>> A3(mid, vector<double>(mid, 0));

// Temp for A3^-1
for (int i = 0; i < mid; i++) {
    for (int j = 0; j < mid; j++) {
        A3[i][j] = A[sRow + mid + i][sCol + mid + j];
    }
}

// -A3^-1 * (A_2 * A_1^-1)
multiply(A3, A, 0, 0, sRow + mid, sCol, mid);
for (int i = 0; i < mid; i++) {
    for (int j = 0; j < mid; j++) {
        A[sRow + mid + i][sCol + j] = -M3[i][j];
    }
}
}

```

## 1.2 Question 2

Work:

- Multiplication - Work is  $\theta(n^3)$ . Utilized Naive iterative matrix multiplication, this is directly from the slides.
- Base Case Forward Substitution - Work is  $\theta(n^2)$ . Comes from the double for loops.
- Processing - Work is  $\theta(2n^2)$ . From double for-loops.
- Recursion - Work is  $\theta(n^2)$  from recursive calls.
- Total -  $\theta(n^5)$

Critical Path:

- Multiplication - Span is  $\theta(n)$ . Utilized Naive iterative matrix multiplication, this is directly from the slides.
- Recursion - Span is  $\theta(\log n)$ . Fork-join model introduces branches and we traverse down the worst case.
- Total -  $\theta(n \log n)$

### 1.3 Question 3

Performance Test Results:

Table 1: Parallel vs Serial Performance

n	B	Parallel Time (s)	Serial Time (s)	Speedup
4	32	1e-05	3.8e-07	0.037
4	64	4.5e-07	3.7e-08	0.082
4	128	9.2e-06	3.6e-08	0.0039
8	32	4.8e-05	2.9e-07	0.0059
8	64	4.8e-07	1.4e-07	0.3
8	128	7.9e-06	8.6e-08	0.011
16	32	6.7e-07	4.6e-07	0.68
16	64	6.1e-07	4.2e-07	0.68
16	128	1.4e-05	3.2e-07	0.023
32	32	1.6e-05	2.2e-06	0.14
32	64	2.2e-06	1.9e-06	0.88
32	128	3.5e-06	1.8e-06	0.5
64	32	9e-05	3.1e-05	0.34
64	64	2.4e-05	1.7e-05	0.7
64	128	2.7e-05	2.6e-05	0.96
128	32	0.00029	0.00025	0.87
128	64	0.00024	0.00023	0.96
128	128	0.00028	0.00017	0.59
256	32	0.00076	0.0018	2.4
256	64	0.00062	0.0018	2.8
256	128	0.00059	0.0015	2.6
512	32	0.0047	0.021	4.5
512	64	0.0035	0.022	6.1
512	128	0.0035	0.021	6
1024	32	0.027	0.19	6.9
1024	64	0.032	0.19	6.1
1024	128	0.029	0.19	6.6
2048	32	0.29	1.9	6.3
2048	64	0.29	1.9	6.3
2048	128	0.31	1.9	6.1

### 1.4 Question 4

Serial Performance Based on B:

The best value for B in the serial elision is 128. Results are very similar among all values, however.

Parallel Performance Based on B:

The best value for B in the parallel example is 128. Results are very similar among all values, however. By looking at  $n = 4096$ , it was more conclusive that

the best value is 128:  $B = 32 = 5.2s$ ;  $B = 64 = 5.1s$ ;  $B = 128 = 4.9s$ .

## 1.5 Question 5

Processor Information:

- Name: Intel Core i5-13600K
- Cores: 14 (6 P-Cores, 8 E-Cores)
- Threads: 20
- Hyperthreading: Enabled
- Speed: 3.5GHz

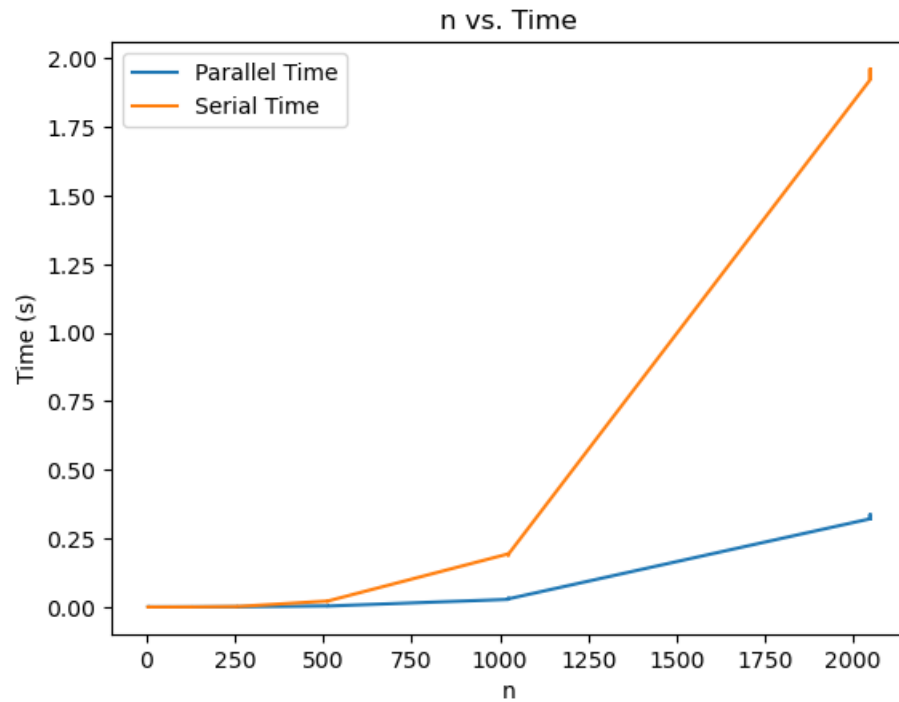


Figure 1: Parallel vs Serial Performance

## 1.6 Question 6

Serial elision cache complexity according to the ideal cache model, using float values instead of double values for simplicity.

Basic Information:

- Cache Information: 32KB, Direct Mapped, 64 Byte Lines, Fits  $2^9 * 2^4 = 2^{13}$  floats. Access = 1 cycle, Memory Access = 100 cycles.
- Number of Values In Cache:  $32768/4 = 8192$  float values can be in the cache at once.
- Number of Lines in Cache:  $8192/n$  lines of a matrix  $M$  can be in the cache at any given time.
- I am using  $n = 64$  and  $B = 4$  for formula construction, to demonstrate examples as I go.

Multiplication Algorithm:

- Temp: Allocation is  $n^2 = 64^2 = 4096$  float values.  $n^2/64$  cold misses.
- Sum: 1 float value, cold miss.
- M1:  $n^2 = 64^2 = 4096$  float value array. Accessed in row-major order.
- M2:  $n^2 = 64^2 = 4096$  float value array. Accessed in column-major order.
- Innermost Loop (k):  $n = 64$  iterations. M1 only has 1 cold miss per invocation. M2 has 64 cold misses per first invocation. Formula:  $100n + n + 99$ .
- Secondmost Loop (j):  $n = 64$  iterations. Sum has 1 cold miss and  $n - 1 = 63$  hits. M1 has 1 cold miss and  $n(n - 1) = 64 * 63$  hits. M2 has  $n^2$  misses. Formula:  $100n^2 + n^2 + 1$ .
- Outermost Loop (i):  $n = 64$  iterations. Formula:  $100n^3 + n^3 + n$ .
- Copying Loop:  $n = 64$  iterations, double-nested. Access to temp and M1 in row-major order.  $8192/2n$  lines of both can be in cache at any given time. Formula:  $100n + n - 1$ .
- Total:  $100n^3 + n^3 + n^2/64 + 102n = n^3$ . This is expected, the algorithm I used is naive MM which is pretty oblivious to blocking.

Forward Substitution Base Case:

- If Case: A miss if  $i \bmod 16 = 0$ , hit otherwise. In other words, hits 15/16 times and misses 1/16 times. There are  $n(n-1)$  iterations of the loops. The if branch is traversed  $n$  times in these. Formula:  $100n/16 + 15n/16$ .
- Else Case: Traversed  $n(n - 1) - n = n^2$  times. Sum is 1 cold miss each time. Inner loop accesses M in both row-major and column-major order simultaneously. Formula:  $n^2(100 + \text{Innermost Loop} + \text{Finalize})$ .
- Innermost Loop (k): M row-major access has  $n(n-1)(n-2)$  total accesses, with 1 miss every  $8192/2n$  iterations. M column-major access has  $n(n-1)(n-2)$  total accesses, with all misses.

- Finalize: M has row-major access with  $n(n-1)$  total accesses, 1 miss every  $8192/2n$  iterations. M has diagonal access with 1 miss every outer-loop iteration, total  $n$  misses.
- Total:  $(n(n-1)(n-2))(8192/2n + 100(1 - 8192/2n)) + n(n-1)(8192/2n + 100(1 - 8192/2n)) + 100n/16 + 15n/16 = n^3$ .

Additional Inverse Matrix Cache Use:

- M3 initialized, and M and M3 accessed in row-major order together. Same thing is done again, making the multiplicand 4 instead of 2. Formula:  $4(15n/16 + 100n/16)$ .

Total Cache Complexity:

- Multiplication:  $2n^3$  total per recursive call.
- Forward Substitution:  $n^3$  total.
- Additional Cache Use:  $4(15n/16 + 100n/16)$  per recursive call.
- Total:  $n^3 + n(2n^3 + 4(15n/16 + 100n/16)) = n^4$ .
- With a better multiplication algorithm that is cache-aware, this could go down to  $n^4/(L\sqrt{Z})$

## 2 Problem 2

### 2.1 Question 1

```
// Pseudocode
struct Point {
    double x, y;
};

// Distance between 2 points
double distance(Point pi, Point pj) {
    return sqrt(pow(pj.x - pi.x, 2) + pow(pj.y - pi.y, 2));
}

// Sorting by y-coordinate
vector<Point> sortY(vector<Point> points) {
    sort(points.begin(), points.end(), [](Point a, Point b) {
        return a.y < b.y;
    });
    return points;
}
```

```

vector<Point> closestPair(vector<Point> points, int start, int end) {
    // Base Case: If there are only two points, return them
    vector<Point> pair;
    if (end - start == 2) {
        pair.push_back(points[start]);
        pair.push_back(points[end]);
        return pair;
    }

    // Find value x to divide in half
    int half = (start + end) / 2;
    double x = (points[half - 1].x + points[half].x) / 2;

    // Recursively find closest pair in L/R
    vector<Point> L = closestPair(points, start, half);
    vector<Point> R = closestPair(points, half, end);
    double dL = distance(L[0], L[1]);
    double dR = distance(R[0], R[1]);

    // Check if L points or R points are closer
    double d;
    if (dL < dR) {
        pair = L;
        d = dL;
    } else {
        pair = R;
        d = dR;
    }

    // Discard all points with xi < x - d or xi > x + d
    vector<Point> S;
    for (int i = 0; i < points.size(); i++) {
        if (points[i].x >= x - d && points[i].x <= x + d) {
            S.push_back(points[i]);
        }
    }

    // Sort S by y-coordinate
    S = sortY(S);

    // Go through S and for each point, compare to next 6
    for (int i = 0; i < S.size(); i++) {
        for (int j = i + 1; j < i + 7 && j < S.size(); j++) {
            if (distance(S[i], S[j]) < d) {
                d = distance(S[i], S[j]);
                pair[0] = S[i];
            }
        }
    }
    return pair;
}

```

```

        pair [1] = S[j];
    }
}
return pair;
}

```

Work:  $W(n) = 2W(n/2) + O(n \log(n))$

- The two recursive calls to `closestPair()` explain the  $2W(n/2)$  portion of the recurrence, as we are branching with two recursive calls each time.
- The base case is  $O(1)$ , as it simply returns the pair.
- The distance calculations are  $O(1)$ , as calculating distance between 2 points is a constant operation between 2 points.
- Sorting the remainder of the points in `S` after discarding points is  $O(n \log n)$ , the complexity of comparison-based sorting algorithms like this one, utilizing `std::sort` from the C++ STL.
- Going through `S` is  $O(6n)$ .
- Total: The recurrence  $W(n) = 2W(n/2) + O(n \log(n))$  properly describes this algorithm because of the sorting portion making up the complexity of the added  $O$  term.

Recurrence Master Theorem:

$T(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(n \log n) \in O(n \log^2 n)$ , where  $a = 2, b = 2, k = 1, i = 1$

## 2.2 Question 2

```

...
// Recursively find closest pair in L/R
vector<Point> L = cilk_spawn closestPair(points, start, half);
vector<Point> R = cilk_spawn closestPair(points, half, end);
cilk_sync;
...

```



n	Serial Time (s)	Parallel Time (s)
16	0.000003	0.000468
32	0.000009	0.000382
64	0.000038	0.000136
128	0.000109	0.000273
256	0.000254	0.000163
512	0.000802	0.000238
1024	0.003695	0.002193
2048	0.016838	0.007133
4096	0.079201	0.023694
8192	0.357034	0.049273
16384	1.583258	0.178295
32768	7.014218	0.774193
65536	30.309566	3.524397

Table 2: Performance Testing for Closest Pair Problem

$$T_1(n) = 2T(n/2) + O(n \log n) = O(n \log^2 n)$$

$$T_\infty = T_\infty(n/2) + O(n \log n) = O(n \log n)$$

Therefore, parallelism is  $T_1(n)/T_\infty(n) = O(\log n)$ . This is puny parallelism and a new solution is needed to improve parallelism in question 3.

### 2.3 Question 3

Utilizing P\_MergeSort to sort the points can improve parallelism to  $O(n/\log(n))$ .

```
// Pseudocode
int binarysearch(int *data, int low, int high, int key)
...
void parallel_submerge(int *c, int *data, int lowx,
    int highx, int lowy, int highy, int sp)
...
int parallel_merge(int* c, int* a, int lowx,
    int highx, int lowy, int highy, int sp)
...
void serial_mergesort(int* data, int istart, int iend)
...
void parallel_mergesort(int* c, int* data, int istart,
    int iend, int BASE)
...
vector<Point> parallel(vector<Point> points, int start, int end) {
    ...
    // Sort by y-coordinate using parallel mergesort
    int* data = (int *)malloc(sizeof(int)*S.size());
    for (int i = 0; i < S.size(); i++) {
        data[i] = S[i].y;
```

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    }
    int* c = (int *)malloc(sizeof(int)*S.size());
    int BASE = 32;
    parallel_mergesort(c, data, 0, S.size()-1, BASE);
    for (int i = 0; i < S.size(); i++) {
        S[i].y = data[i];
    }
    free(data);
    free(c);
    ...
}

```

## 2.4 Question 4

Below is a table and corresponding graph showcasing the runtime of the serial implementation, first parallel implementation, and improved parallel implementation. System specs are the same as in problem 1.

n	Serial Time (s)	Parallel Time (s)	Improved Parallel Time (s)
16	0.000005	0.000120	0.000034
32	0.000009	0.000069	0.000070
64	0.000025	0.000041	0.000028
128	0.000131	0.000286	0.000054
256	0.000409	0.000962	0.000084
512	0.001196	0.000361	0.000173
1024	0.004236	0.002644	0.000616
2048	0.016699	0.006194	0.002927
4096	0.078393	0.023355	0.013554
8192	0.353045	0.051048	0.038605
16384	1.552819	0.191419	0.169742
32768	6.849585	0.785731	0.795033
65536	30.173451	3.683205	3.568833

Table 3: Performance Testing for Closest Pair Problem

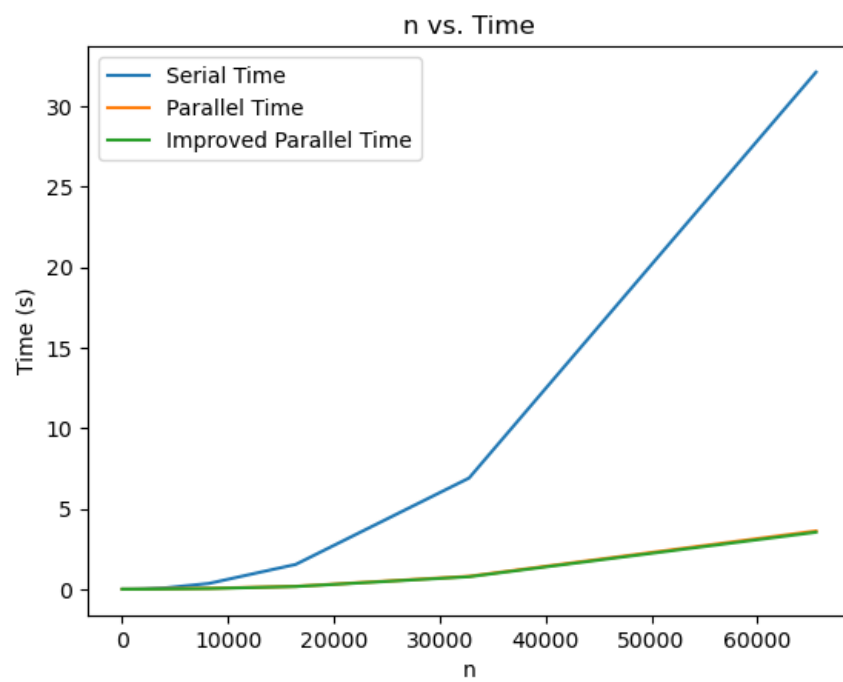


Figure 2: Serial vs Parallel vs Improved Parallel Performance