

WRITTEN

(1.1) q_1 : fraction of work that must be sequential: $\frac{\text{SEQ. WORK}}{\text{TOTAL WORK}}$

q_2 : fraction of work that can use @ most 2 processors: $\frac{2 \text{ proc. WORK}}{\text{TOTAL WORK}}$

$(1 - q_1 - q_2)$: fraction of WORK that can use unbounded # of processors:
 $\underbrace{(1 - q_1 - q_2)}_{q_3}$ \uparrow I think this might be parallel?

(a) Provide the best possible (smallest) upper bound on the Speedup as a function of q_1 and q_2 .

We know that $\text{Speedup} \leq \frac{1}{q_1}$.

Let $q_3 = (1 - q_1 - q_2)$.

Let $Q_1 = q_1 \cdot \text{TOTAL WORK}$.

Let $Q_2 = q_2 \cdot \text{TOTAL WORK}$.

Let $Q_3 = q_3 \cdot \text{TOTAL WORK}$.

We know that $\text{CPL} = Q_1 + \frac{Q_2}{2} + \frac{Q_3}{\infty}$ because q_1, q_2 , and q_3 are disjoint.

We know that $\text{Speedup} = \frac{\text{total WORK}}{\text{CPL}}$.

We can then say that
$$\text{Speedup} = \frac{\text{total WORK}}{Q_1 + \frac{Q_2}{2} + \frac{Q_3}{\infty}}$$

Putting this in terms of q_1 and q_2 , we get

$$\text{Speedup} = \frac{\text{total WORK}}{(q_1 \cdot \text{TOTAL WORK}) + \frac{(q_2 \cdot \text{TOTAL WORK})}{2} + \frac{(q_3 \cdot \text{TOTAL WORK})}{\infty}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{q_1 + \frac{q_2}{2} + \frac{1 - q_1 - q_2}{\infty}}$$

anything divided by ∞ is 0.

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{q_1 + \frac{1}{2}q_2}}$$

b)

By definition, upper bound on speedup assumes that work can be divided into sequential and parallel portions.
This is the upper bound because we said that q_2 has exactly two processors and is thus perfectly parallel.

Case 1: $q_1 = 0$
↳ exclusively parallel

$$\text{speedup} \leq \frac{1}{\frac{q_2}{2}} = 1 \cdot \frac{2}{q_2} = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{q_2}$$

Case 2: $q_2 = 0$
↳ exclusively sequential

$$\text{speedup} \leq \frac{1}{q_1}$$

Case 3: $q_1 = 1$
↳ exclusively sequential

$$\text{speedup} \leq \frac{1}{q_1}$$

Case 4: $q_2 = 1$
↳ exclusively parallel

$$\text{speedup} \leq \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}q_2} = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{q_2}$$

In case 1 vs. case 2 and case 3 vs. case 4, it logically makes sense that the speedup will be 2x as large when the sequential work is divided between two processors.

When $q_1 = 1$ and $q_2 = 0$, we get $\text{speedup} \leq 1$.

When $q_1 = 0$ and $q_2 = 1$, we get $\text{speedup} \leq 2$.

If the program can use at most two processors the program cannot be sped up by more than a factor of 2.
This proves that my speedup is the correct upperbound.

□

1.2

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count0 = 0;
accumulator a = new accumulator(SUM, int.class);
finish(a) {
    for(int i=0; i ≤ N-M; i++) async {
        int j;
        for(j=0; j < M; j++) {
            if(text[i+j] != pattern[j]) {
                break;
            }
        }
        if (j == M) { ← if hasn't broken,
                        it's a match!
                        increment counts
                    }
        count0++;
        a.put(1);
    }
    count1 = a.get();
}
count2 = a.get();
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$\text{Count0} = [0, \dots, Q]$. Assuming that the program works correctly, we know that the if statement on line 11 will pass Q times. Since count0 is a data race, we are not guaranteed the same value of Count0 on each execution. We know that the absolute most that count0 can be is Q . Given that Q is greater than zero, the lowest value that count0 could have is one (because count0 is incremented by one). If Q is 0, then count0 can have the value of zero. Since Q is the maximum number of patterns found, count0 does not rely on N or M .

Count1 = 0 because the accumulator get returns the initial value when called inside the finish. Since count1 cannot be anything but zero, count1 does not rely on N , M , or Q .

Count2 = Q because count2 properly uses and increments the accumulator, thus causing no data races and always getting the same correct output, Q . Since the correct answer is Q , count2 does not rely on N or M .