Notes:

Make sure that CUDA is installed and working. For more information check: Module 7.10 Installing and running CUDA

Make sure that python is installed. To install python using Anaconda

https://docs.anaconda.com/anaconda/install/windows/

After installing Anaconda, check that Jupyter notebook is working properly.

Make sure that Numba is installed. To install using Conda, type:

conda install cudatoolkit

If you are not using Conda or if you want to use a different version of CUDA toolkit, check here: https://numba.pydata.org/numba-doc/latest/cuda/overview.html

Exercises

- 1. Review the code Numa_example.ipynb in Jupyter notebook
- 2. Similar to the given example, write a python code with Numba to add two 1D lists Since it is a 1D array, you need to use single dimension instead of 2 Dimension Solution: Numba_exercise.ipynb
 - In this work, the 2D needs to be changed to 1D.
 - Lists should be 1D
 - Memory allocation should be for 1D
 - For blockspergrid, blockspergrid y is not required
 - In the kernel, cud.grid(1) should be used to get thread id
 - Add only the x dimension

Common Pitfalls for Students and Instructors

- Students will need at least some basic knowledge of CUDA concepts and GPU, working with Numba without these prerequisites can make the concept confusing and implementation difficult
- Make sure that CUDA, Python and Numba are installed and set correctly in path if using from command line