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Abstract

Here documented the results of exercise 6.

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1 Task1 : Inclusive and Exclusive Scan (0/4 Points)

1.1 Describe the Workings of the Kernels (1 Point)

wtf is actually going on: scan kernel 1: 256x256 scan within each block and calculate/reduce there calculate workperthread and use according indices of the vector do the reduction: we do inclusive reduction -> then have to use... fancy ternary operator to write 0 first -> threadIdx == 0 -> write 0, all thread write values, except last one

write back result in vector

scan kernel 2: (1x 256) add all the results of the kernels 1 block, 1 thread per block from (1) reduction over all the kernels write to output array accordingly again, s.t. we have exclusive scan -> 0 from threadIdx == 0, else write data at threadIdx-1

scan kernel 3: (256x256) shared variable offset all the 0 threads of all blocks from (1): set offset as carries value from blockIdx add the offset to each value between blockstart and blockstop we added all numbers together except the last one of the last thread

Algorithm scan_kernel_1

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1: calculate work_per_thread from N                                ▷ Yields indices of vector chunk interfaces
2: scan within each block                                          ▷ Done by reduction
3: Inclusive scan within each Buffer
4:
5: resetDeformation
6: initializeParameters  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$                       ▷ Aug. Lag. weights for  $\text{vol}(\Omega_i), \text{bc}_x(\Omega_i), \text{bc}_y(\Omega_i)$ 
7: for  $i < \text{iter}_{\max}$  do
8:   SolveStokes()                                                  ▷ Solve Stokes on  $\Omega_i$ 
9:   SolveDeformationEquation()                                    ▷ Solve Auxiliary Problem on  $\Omega_i$ , yields  $X$ 
10:  Evaluate  $\text{gfxbndnorm} = \|X\|_{L^2(\Gamma_{\infty,i})}$ 
11:  Evaluate  $\text{ScalingParamter} = \frac{0.01}{\|X\|_{L^2(\Omega_i)}}$ 
12:  if  $\text{gfxbndnorm} < \varepsilon$  then
13:    Increase  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ 
14:    if parametersTooBig then
15:      break
16:    end if
17:  end if
18:  Set  $\Omega_{i+1} = \Omega_i - X \cdot \text{ScalingParameter}$               ▷ Gradient Descent Step
19: end for

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scan_kernel_2

scan_kernel_3

1.2 Provide an Implementation of Inclusive Scan (1 Point)

1.3 Modify Exclusive Scan Code to Convert to Inclusive scan (1 Point)

1.4 Compare Performances (1 Point)

2 Task 2: Finite Differences on the GPU (0/5 Points)

2.1 Kernel which counts/stores Number of Nonzero Entries for Rows of A (1 Point)

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2.3 Kernel to Write Column Indices and Nonzero Matrix Values to CSR Arrays (1 Point)

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