## Q2

We implemented a tiled implementation by using the shared\_block\_size to use the shared memory to reduce the running time.

Here is the running time of 3 different n values between tiled and non-tiled implementation.

n	non-tiled	tiled
32	0.345010 ms	0.331341 ms
64	2.155618 ms	1.971853 ms
128	15.526313 ms	15.104615 ms

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[zhang.yam@d1004 Question2]$ ./Q2
starting CUDA code...
a result 105.6
The total time = 0.345010 ms
[zhang.yam@d1004 Question2]$ ./Q22
starting CUDA code...
a result 105.6
The total time = 0.331341 ms
[zhang.yam@d1004 Question2]$ ./Q2
starting CUDA code...
a result 105.6
The total time = 2.155618 ms
[zhang.yam@d1004 Question2]$ ./Q22
starting CUDA code...
a result 105.6
[zhang.yam@d1004 Question2]$ ./Q2
starting CUDA code...
a result 105.6
The total time = 15.526313 ms
[zhang.yam@d1004 Question2]$ ./Q22
starting CUDA code...
a result 105.6
The total time = 15.104615 ms
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We could tell the running time of tiled implementation is faster but not so obvious.

(2). We could also change to a faster GPU to accelerate the running time of the calculation.

## REFERENCE:

1. <a href="https://github.com/drewtu2/eece5640/blob/master/hw6/src/stencil\_shared.c">https://github.com/drewtu2/eece5640/blob/master/hw6/src/stencil\_shared.c</a> <a href="mailto:u">u</a>