Lecture 11
Pipelined Parallelism

1. Fully permutable loop nests & pipelining
2. Example: Transforming for full permutability
3. Time Affine Partitioning: Problem
4. Time Affine Partitioning Algorithm
5. O(1) Synchronization problem

Readings: Chapter 11.8-11.9
1. Maximum Parallelism & No Communication

C: Space partitioning of Computation to Processor ID
For every pair of data dependent accesses $F_{1i_1+f_1}$ and $F_{2i_2+f_2}$

Find $C_1$, $c_1$, $C_2$, $c_2$:
\[ \forall i_1, i_2 \quad F_{1i_1+f_1} = F_{2i_2+f_2} \Rightarrow C_{1i_1+c_1} = C_{2i_2+c_2} \]
with the objective of maximizing the rank of $C_1$, $C_2$
**SOR (Successive Over-Relaxation): An Example**

```
for i = 1 TO m
    for j = 1 to n
```

![Diagram of iterative process]
Pipelineable Parallelism

for $i = 1$ TO $m$
  for $j = 1$ to $n$

Processor ID: $p$
Synchronization variable: $t[p]$ initialized to 0
WAIT: thread waits until the condition becomes true

for $j = 1$ to $n$
  if ($p==1$) or (WAIT($t[p-1] >= j$))
    $t[p]++$;
A Fully Permutable Loop Nest: Example

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{for } i &= 1 \text{ TO m} \\
\text{for } j &= 1 \text{ to } n \\
\end{align*}
\]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{for } j &= 1 \text{ TO n} \\
\text{for } i &= 1 \text{ to m} \\
\end{align*}
\]
A Fully Permutable Loop Nest: Definition

• A loop nest is fully permutable if all the loops can be permuted arbitrarily without changing the semantics of the program.
**r-Dimensional Pipelineable Parallelism**

- $r$-deep fully permutable loop nest; $r > 1$
  - $r$ choices of outermost loops
  - $r-1$ degrees of parallelism
  - $O(n^{r-1})$ parallelism
  - $O(n)$ synchronization

- **Code generation**
  - $r-1$ outer loops: processor ID $(p_1, p_2, \ldots, p_{r-1})$
  - Sequential $r$th loop: $i_r$
  - Iteration $i_r$ for processor $(p_1, p_2, \ldots, p_{r-1})$, waits for iteration $i_r$ for processors $(p_1, p_2, \ldots, p_{r-1})$,
    $(p_1, p_2, \ldots, p_{r-1})$, \ldots,
    $(p_1, p_2, \ldots, p_{r-1})$.\ldots,
Sequential Code

- A sequential loop nest

- Degree of the outermost permutable loop nest?

- Intuition: Fully permutable loop nest:
  - Dependence does not point backwards along any axis
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2. Example

for i = 0 TO m
    for j = 0 to n
        X[i+1]=(X[j]+X[j+1]+X[j+2])
Transforming for Fully Permutable Loop Nests

for \( i = 0 \) TO \( m \)
for \( j = 0 \) to \( n \)
\( X[i+1] = (X[j]+X[j+1]+X[j+2]) \)
Transforming for Fully Permutable Loop Nests

```
for i = 0 TO m
  for j = 0 to n
    X[j+1]=(X[j]+X[j+1]+X[j+2])/3
```

```
for i' = 0 TO m
  for j' = i' to i'+n
    X[j'-i'+1]
    = (X[j'-i'+1]+X[j'-i'+2]+X[j'-i'+2])/3
```

Loop bounds:

```
i' = i
0 <= i' <= m

j' = i + j
0 <= j' - i' <= n

j = j' - i'
```

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
i' \\
j'
\end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i \\ j \end{bmatrix}
\]
Fully Permutable?

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
i' \\
j'
\end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\
1 & 1
\end{bmatrix}\begin{bmatrix} i \\
j
\end{bmatrix}
\]
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3. Recall: Pipelineable Parallelism

• r-deep fully permutable loop nest; r > 1
  – r choices of outermost loops
  – r-1 degrees of parallelism
  – \( O(n^{r-1}) \) parallelism
  – \( O(n) \) synchronization

• Goal: Find transformation to maximize the degree of pipelining
• \( \rightarrow \) Find all the possible outermost loops
Finding the Maximum Degree of Pipelining

C: Time partitioning of Computation to Time
For every pair of data dependent accesses $F_1i_1+f_1$ and $F_2i_2+f_2$
Let $B_1i_1+b_1 \geq 0$, $B_2i_2+b_2 \geq 0$ be the corresponding loop bound constraints,
Find $C_1$, $c_1$, $C_2$, $c_2$:

$\forall i_1, i_2 \quad B_1i_1 + b_1 \geq 0, \quad B_2i_2 + b_2 \geq 0$

$(i_1 \leq i_2) \land (F_1i_1 + f_1 = F_2i_2 + f_2) \implies C_1i_1 + c_1 \leq C_2i_2 + c_2$

with the objective of maximizing the rank of $C_1$, $C_2$
Solutions of Time Mapping $C$

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
1 & 0 \\
0 & 1
\end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix}
1 & 1
\end{bmatrix}
\]

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
1 & 0 \\
1 & 1
\end{bmatrix}
\]
Solutions to Loop Transforms

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
1 & 0 \\
1 & 1
\end{bmatrix}
\]

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
i' \\
\hline
j'
\end{bmatrix}
= 
\begin{bmatrix}
1 & 0 \\
1 & 1
\end{bmatrix}
\begin{bmatrix}
i \\
\hline
j
\end{bmatrix}
\]

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
1 & 1 \\
1 & 0
\end{bmatrix}
\begin{bmatrix}
i \\
\hline
j
\end{bmatrix}
\]
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4. Communication-Free vs Pipelining

Loops

Processor ID

Array

\[ F_1 i_1 + f_1 \]

\[ F_2 i_2 + f_2 \]

\[ C_1 i_1 + c_1 \]

\[ C_2 i_2 + c_2 \]

\[ i_1 \leq i_2 \]

Loops

Time Stage

Array

\[ F_2 i_2 + f_2 \]

\[ F_1 i_1 + f_1 \]

\[ C_1 i_1 + c_1 \]

\[ C_2 i_2 + c_2 \]
Comparing the Two Problems

Communication-Free Parallelism:
C: Space partitioning of Computation to Processor ID
For every pair of data dependent accesses $F_1 i_1 + f_1$ and $F_2 i_2 + f_2$

Find $C_1, c_1, C_2, c_2$:
\[ \forall i_1, i_2 \quad F_1 i_1 + f_1 = F_2 i_2 + f_2 \rightarrow C_1 i_1 + c_1 = C_2 i_2 + c_2 \]
with the objective of maximizing the rank of $C_1, C_2$

Pipelining Parallelism:
C: Time mapping of Computation to Time
For every pair of data dependent accesses $F_1 i_1 + f_1$ and $F_2 i_2 + f_2$

Let $B_1 i_1 + b_1 \geq 0, B_2 i_2 + b_2 \geq 0$ be the corresponding loop bound constraints,

Find $C_1, c_1, C_2, c_2$:
\[ \forall i_1, i_2 \quad B_1 i_1 + b_1 \geq 0, \quad B_2 i_2 + b_2 \geq 0 \]
\[ (i_1 \leq i_2) \land (F_1 i_1 + f_1 = F_2 i_2 + f_2) \rightarrow C_1 i_1 + c_1 \leq C_2 i_2 + c_2 \]
with the objective of maximizing the rank of $C_1, C_2$
Finding the possible time dimensions $c$:

Given matrix $A$, find a vector $c$ such that for all vectors $x$ such that $Ax \geq 0$, $c^Tx \geq 0$.

Farkas Lemma, 1901 (real domain)

The primal system of inequalities

$$Ax \geq 0, \quad c^Tx < 0$$

has a real-valued solution $x$.

or, the dual system

$$A^Ty = c, \quad y \geq 0$$

has a real-valued solution $y$, but never both.

Time partitioning: Find $c$ such that $A^Ty = c, \quad y \geq 0$

Note: Farkas Lemma: a theorem of the alternative (no intuitive proof exists)
Cholesky Decomposition

\[
\text{for } (i = 1; i \leq N; i++) \{ \\
\text{for } (j = 1; j \leq i-1; j++) \{ \\
\text{for } (k = 1; k \leq j-1; k++) \\
X[i,j] = X[i,j] - X[i,k]*X[j,k]; \\
X[i,j] = X[i,j]/X[j,j]; \\
\} \\
\text{for } (m=1; m\leq i-1; m++) \\
X[i,i]=X[i,i]-X[i,m]*X[i,m]; \\
X[i,i] = \sqrt{X[i,i]}; \\
\}\}
\]

Transformed Space
Blocking with Matrix Multiplication

- **Original program**
  ```
  for (i = 0; i < n; i++) {
    for (j = 0; j < n; j++) {
      for (k = 0; k < n; k++) {
        Z[i,j] = Z[i,j] + X[i,k]*Y[k,j];
      }
    }
  }
  ```

- **Stripmine 2 outer loops**
  ```
  for (ii = 0; ii < n; ii = ii+B) {
    for (i = ii; i < min(n,ii+B); i++) {
      for (jj = 0; jj < n; jj = jj+B) {
        for (j = jj; j < min(n,jj+B); j++) {
          Z[i,j] = Z[i,j] + X[i,k]*Y[k,j];
        }
      }
    }
  }
  ```

- **Permute loops**
  ```
  for (ii = 0; ii < n; ii = ii+B) {
    for (jj = 0; jj < n; jj = jj+B) {
      for (k = 0; k < n; k++) {
        for (i = ii; i < min(n,ii+B); i++) {
          for (j = jj; j < min(n,jj+B); j++) {
            Z[i,j] = Z[i,j] + X[i,k]*Y[k,j];
          }
        }
      }
    }
  }
  ```
Blocking

- Fully permutable loop nests can be blocked
  - Stripmine to create more fully permutable loops
  - Permutable loops can be moved inside (by definition)
- Uses
  - Increase data locality
    - Block size can be chosen
      - so data accessed in the block fits in memory
  - Reduce synchronization overhead
    - By a factor of the block size
    - Consideration: startup latency, load balance for triangular loops
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for (i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    X[i] = Y[i] + Z[i]; (s1)
    W[A[i]] = X[i]; (s2)
}

**O(1) Synchronization**

```plaintext
for (i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    X[i] = Y[i] + Z[i];     \(s1\)
    W[A[i]] = X[i];        \(s2\)
}
```

- Program dependence graph
  - Nodes: statements
  - Edges: data dependence

- Split the program into
  a sequence of strongly connected components
  separated by barriers
Algorithm

1. Find parallelism with minimum synchronization
   
   Find outermost communication-free parallelism
   Find outermost fully permutable loop nest
   If there are inner loops remaining
      Find program dependence graph
      Split the program into strongly connected components
      Repeat for each strongly connected component

2. Blocking can be applied based on machine characteristics
Summary: Two Key Algorithms

Loops

Array

Processor ID

Time Stage

i_1 \leq i_2

Loops

C_1i_1+c_1

C_2i_2+c_2

F_1i_1+f_1

F_2i_2+f_2

F_1i_1+f_1

C_1i_1+c_1

C_2i_2+c_2

F_2i_2+f_2
Example: Neural Network

// 2D 3x3 convolution (stride=1)
for i = 0 to channels-1
  for y = 2 to Sy-1
    for x = 2 to Sx-1
      \[ B[i,y,x] = A[i,y-2,x-2]W1[0,0] + A[i,y-2,x-1]W1[0,1] + \ldots \]
        \[ A[i,y-1,x-2]W1[1,0] + \ldots \]
        \[ A[i,y,x-2]W1[2,0] + \ldots \]

// ReLU (Rectified Linear Unit)
for i = 0 to channels-1
  for y = 2 to Sy-1
    for x = 2 to Sx-1
      \[ B[i,y,x] = \max(B[i,y,x], 0) \]

// 2D 3x3 convolution (Stride = 2)
for i = 0 to channels-1
  for y = 2 to (Sy-1)/2
    for x = 2 to (Sx-1)/2
      \[ C[i,y,x] = B[i,2y-2,2x-2]W2[0,0] + \ldots \]
        \[ B[i,2y-1,2x-2]W2[1,0] + \ldots \]

// Dense neural network layer
for i = 0 to channels-1
  for j = 0 to Sj-1
    for y = 2 to (Sy-1)/2
      for x = 2 to (Sx-1)/2
        \[ D[i,j] = C[i,y,x]W3[j,y,x] \]

// Softmax:
for i = 0 to channels-1
  for j = 0 to Sj-1
    \[ T[i,j] = \exp(D[i,j]); \]
    \[ E[i] += T[i,j]; \]
    for j = 0 to Sj-1
      \[ F[i,j] = \exp([T[i,j]]/E[i]) \]
Parallelization without Reduction Optimization

// 2D convolution (stride=1)
for i = 0 to channels-1    // Parallel loop
    for y = 2 to Sy-1       // Permutable loop nest
        for x = 2 to Sx-1   // Permutable loop nest
            // 2D convolution
            B[i,y,x] += A[i,y-2,x-2]*W1[0,0] + A[i,y-2,x-1]*W1[0,1] + ...
                             A[i,y-1,x-2]*W1[1,0] + ...
                             A[i,y,x-2]*W1[2,0] + ...
            // ReLU (Rectified Linear Unit)
            B[i,y,x] = max(B[i,y,x], 0)
    // 2D convolution (Stride = 2)
    if (y >= 4) && (x >= 4) && (y mod 2 == 0) && (x mod 2 == 0)
        C[i,y/2,x/2] += B[i,y-2,x-2]*W2[0,0] + ...
                         B[i,y-1,x-2]*W2[1,0] + ...
    // Dense neural network layer
    for j = 0 to Sj-1       /* Parallel loop */
        for y = 2 to (Sy-1)/2
            for x = 2 to (Sx-1)/2
                D[i,j] += C[i,y,x]*W3[j,y,x]
    // Softmax
    for j = 0 to Sj-1     // Parallel loop
        T[i,j] = exp(D[i,j]);
        E[i] += T[i,j];
        for j = 0 to Sj-1   // Parallel loop
            F[i,j] = exp([T[i,j]]/E[i])