

Program Analysis & Transformations

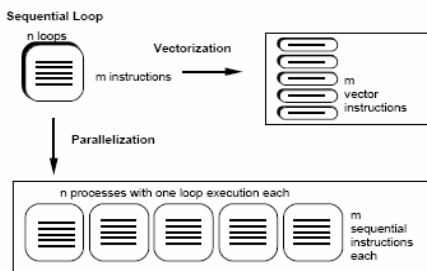
Loop Parallelization and Vectorization

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Background

- Vector processors
- Multi processors
- Vectorizing & parallelizing compilers
- SIMD & MIMD models

Loop Parallelism



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Data Dependence Analysis

- Flow dependence
- Anti dependence
- Output dependence

$$\begin{matrix} S_1 & \mathbf{x} = \dots \\ S_2 & \dots = \mathbf{x} \end{matrix}$$

$S_1 \delta S_2$

$$\begin{matrix} S_1 & \dots = \mathbf{x} \\ S_2 & \mathbf{x} = \dots \end{matrix}$$

$S_1 \delta^{-1} S_2$

$$\begin{matrix} S_1 & \mathbf{x} = \dots \\ S_2 & \mathbf{x} = \dots \end{matrix}$$

$S_1 \delta^0 S_2$

Vectorization

- Exploiting vector architecture

```
DO I = 1, 50
```

```
  A(I) = B(I) + C(I)
```

```
  D(I) = A(I) / 2.0
```

```
ENDDO
```

↓ vectorize

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  A(1:50) = B(1:50) + C(1:50)
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```
vadd A[1], B[1], C[1], 50  
vdiv D[1], A[1], SR, 50
```



```
mov VL, 50  
vload V1, B[1], 1  
vload V2, C[1], 1  
vadd V1, V2, V3  
vstore V3, A[1], 1  
vdiv V3, SR, V4  
vstore V4, D[1], 1
```

Vectorization

Discovery

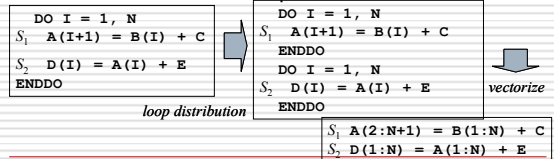
- build data dependence graph
- inspect dependence cycles
- inspect each loop statement to see if target machine has vector instruction to execute accordingly

Proper course of action?

Vectorization

Transformation

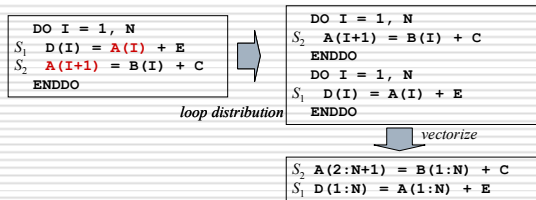
- loops with multiple statements must be transformed using the *loop distribution*
- loops with no loop-carried dependence or has forward flow dependences



Vectorization

Dependence Cycles

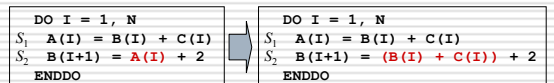
- acyclic
- solution: re-ordering of statements



Vectorization

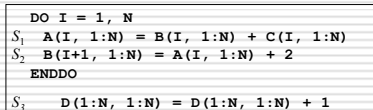
Dependence Cycles

- cyclic
- solution: statement substitution
- otherwise, distribute loop
 - dependence cycle statements in a serial loop
 - rest of the loop as vectorized

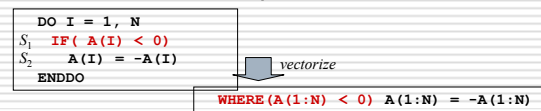


Vectorization

Nested loops



Conditions in loop



Parallelization

- Exploiting multi-processors
- Allocate individual loop iterations to different processors
- Additional synchronization is required depending on data dependences

Parallelization

- Fork/Join parallelism
- Scheduling
 - Static
 - Self-scheduled

Parallelization

```
for i:=1 to n do
  S1: A[i]:= C[i];
  S2: B[i]:= A[i];
end;
```

- Data dependency: S1 $\delta(=)$ S2 (due to A[i])
- Synchronization required: NO

```
doacross i:=1 to n do
  S1: A[i]:= C[i];
  S2: B[i]:= A[i];
enddoacross;
```

Parallelization

- The inner loop is to be parallelized:

```
for i:=1 to n do
  for j:=1 to m do
    S1: A[i,j]:= C[i,j];
    S2: B[i,j]:= A[i-1,j-1];
  end;
end;
```

- Data dependency: S1 $\delta(<, <)$ S2 (due to A[i,j])
- Synchronization required: NO

```
for i:=1 to n do
  doacross j:=1 to m do
    S1: A[i,j]:= C[i,j];
    S2: B[i,j]:= A[i-1,j-1];
  enddoacross;
end;
```

Parallelization

```
for i:= 1 to n do
  S1: A[i] := B[i] + C[i];
  S2: D[i] := A[i] + E[i-1];
  S3: E[i] := E[i] + 2 * B[i];
  S4: F[i] := E[i] + 1;
end;
```

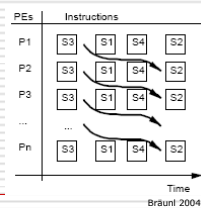
- Data Dependences:
 - S1 $\delta(=)$ S2 (due to A[i]) ← no synch. required
 - S3 $\delta(=)$ S4 (due to E[i]) ← no synch. required
 - S3 $\delta(<)$ S2 (due to E[i]) ← synch. required

Parallelization

- After re-ordering and adding sync code

```
var sync: array [1..n] of semaphore[0];

doacross i:=1 to n do
  S3: e[i] := e[i] + 2 * b[i];
  V(sync[i]);
  S1: a[i] := b[i] + c[i];
  S4: f[i] := e[i] + 1;
  if i>1 then P(sync[i-1]) end;
  S2: d[i] := a[i] + e[i-1];
enddoacross;
```



Review-I

- Data dependence within an instruction

```
for i:= 1 to n do
  S1: A[i] := A[i+1];
end;
```

- Is this loop vectorizable?

Review-II

- Data dependence within an instruction

```
for j:= 1 to n do
S1: X[j+1] := X[j] + C
end;
```

- Is this loop vectorizable?
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