Introduction to Programming with OpenMP

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Outline

• What is OpenMP?

• How does OpenMP work?
  – Architecture
  – Fork-Join model of parallelism
  – Communication

• OpenMP Syntax
  – Compiler Directives
  – Runtime Library Routines
  – Environment variables

• What’s new? OpenMP 3.1
What is OpenMP?

- OpenMP stands for **Open Multi-Processing**
- An Application Programming Interface (API) for developing parallel programs for shared memory architectures
- Three primary components of the API are:
  - Compiler Directives
  - Runtime Library Routines
  - Environment Variables
- Standard specifies C, C++, and FORTRAN Directives & API
- [http://www.openmp.org/](http://www.openmp.org/) has the specification, examples, tutorials and documentation
Architecture

- Data: shared or private
- Shared data: all threads can access data in shared memory
- Private data: can only be accessed by threads that own it
- Data transfer is transparent to the programmer
OpenMP Fork-Join Parallelism

• Programs begin as a single process: master thread
• Master thread executes in serial mode until the parallel region construct is encountered
• Master thread creates a team of parallel threads (fork) that simultaneously execute statements in the parallel region
• After executing the statements in the parallel region, team threads synchronize and terminate (join) but master continues
How do threads communicate?

or better:

How do threads synchronize their work

• Every thread has access to “global” memory (shared)

• All threads share the same address space

• Threads communicate by reading/writing to the global memory

• Simultaneous updates to shared memory can create a race condition. Results change with different thread scheduling

• Use mutual exclusion to avoid data sharing - but don’t use too many because this will serialize performance
OpenMP Syntax

• Most of the constructs in OpenMP are compiler directives

  #pragma omp construct [clause [[,]clause]...] C
  !$omp construct [clause [[,]clause]...] F90

• Example

  #pragma omp parallel num_threads(4) C
  !$omp parallel num_threads(4) F90

• Function prototypes and types are in the file:

  #include <omp.h> C
  use omp_lib F90

• Most OpenMP constructs apply to a “structured block”, that is, a block of one or more statements with one point of entry at the top and one point of exit at the bottom
OpenMP Constructs

OpenMP language “extensions”

parallel control structures
- governs flow of control in the program
- parallel directive

parallel control work sharing
- distributes work among threads
- do/parallel do and Section directives

data environment
- specifies variables as shared or private
- shared and private clauses

synchronization
- coordinates thread execution
- critical and atomic directives
- barrier directive

runtime functions, env. variables
- Runtime functions
  - omp_set_num_threads()
  - omp_get_thread_num()
  - OMP_NUM_THREADS
  - OMP_SCHEDULE
- Env. Variable
- scheduling type
OpenMP Directives

• OpenMP directives are comments in source code that specify parallelism for shared memory machines
  
  FORTRAN: directives begin with the `!$OMP, C$OMP` or `*$OMP` sentinel.
  
  F90 : `!$OMP` free-format
  
  C/C++ : directives begin with the `# pragma omp` sentinel

• Parallel regions are marked by enclosing parallel directives

• Work-sharing loops are marked by parallel do/for

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**Fortran**

```
!$OMP parallel
...
!$OMP end parallel

!$OMP parallel do
do ...; enddo
!$OMP end parallel do
```

**C/C++**

```
# pragma omp parallel
{
  ...
}

# pragma omp parallel for
for(){...
```
Parallel Region & Work-Sharing

Use OpenMP directives to specify Parallel Region & Work-Sharing constructs

Parallel

End Parallel

Parallel DO/for

Parallel SECTIONS

**Code block**

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Work-Sharing

Parallel Region
Parallel Regions

```
#pragma omp parallel
{
    code block
    work(...);
}
```

Line 1  Team of threads formed at parallel region
Lines 3-4  Each thread executes code block and subroutine calls. No branching (in or out) in a parallel region
Line 5  All threads synchronize at end of parallel region (implied barrier)

Use the thread number to divide work among threads
Parallel Regions

1 !$OMP PARALLEL
2 code block
3 call work(…)
4 !$OMP END PARALLEL

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Line 4 All threads synchronize at end of parallel region (implied barrier).

Use the thread number to divide work among.
Parallel Region & Number of Threads

• For example, to create a 10-thread Parallel region:

```c
double A[1000];
omp_set_num_threads(10);
#pragma omp parallel
{
    int ID = omp_get_thread_num();
    foo(ID, A);
}
```

But we need to make ID private to the thread—later…

• Each thread redundantly executes the code within the structured block
• Each thread calls foo(ID,A) for ID = 0 to 9
Parallel Region & Number of Threads

- For example, to create a 10-thread Parallel region:

```fortran
real :: A(1000); integer :: ID

call omp_set_num_threads(10)
!
$omp parallel
ID = omp_get_thread_num()
call foo(ID, A);
!
$omp end parallel
```

But we need to make ID private to the thread—later...

- Each thread redundantly executes the code within the structured block
- Each thread calls `foo(ID, A)` for `ID = 0` to `9`
Parallel Regions & Modes

There are two OpenMP “modes”

- **static** mode (This is what you will be using!)
  - Fixed number of threads -- set in the `OMP_NUM_THREADS` env.

Or the threads may be set by a function call (or clause) inside the code:

- `omp_set_num_threads` runtime function
  - `num_threads(#)` clause

- **dynamic** mode (This is something for later, if needed at all)
  - Number of threads can change under OS control from one parallel region to another using:

**Note:** the user can only define the maximum number of threads, compiler can use a smaller number
Work-Sharing: Loop

```fortran
1  !$OMP PARALLEL DO
2    do i=1,N
3       a(i) = b(i) + c(i)
4    enddo
5  !$OMP END PARALLEL DO
```

Line 1   Team of threads formed (parallel region).
Line 2-4 Loop iterations are split among threads.
Line 5   (Optional) end of parallel loop (implied barrier at enddo).

Each loop iteration must be independent of other iterations.
Work-Sharing: Loop

```c
#pragma parallel for
for (i=0; i<N; i++)
{
  a[i] = b[i] + c[i];
}
```

Line 1  Team of threads formed (parallel region).
Line 2-5 Loop iterations are split among threads. implied barrier at enddo

Each loop iteration must be independent of other iterations.
Work-Sharing: Sections

1. !$OMP PARALLEL SECTIONS
2. !$OMP SECTION
3. call work_1()
4. !$OMP SECTION
5. call work_2()
6. !$OMP END SECTIONS

Line 1  Team of threads formed (parallel region).
Line 2-5 One thread is working on each section.
Line 6  End of parallel sections with an implied barrier.

Scales only to the number of sections.
Work-Sharing: Sections

```
#pragma omp sections
{
  #pragma omp section
  {
    work_1();
  }
  #pragma omp section
  {
    work_2();
  }
}
```

Line 1  Team of threads formed (parallel region).
Line 3-8 One thread is working on each section.
Line 9  End of parallel sections with an implied barrier.

Scales only to the number of sections.
OpenMP Parallel Constructs

Replicated: Work blocks are executed by all threads.
Work-Sharing: Work is divided among threads.

PARALLEL
{code}
END PARALLEL

PARALLEL DO
do I = 1,N*4
{code}
end do
END PARALLEL DO

PARALLEL
{code1}
DO
  do I = 1,N*4
    {code2}
  end do
{code3}
END PARALLEL

Replicated

Work-Sharing

Combined
OpenMP Clauses

Clauses control the behavior of an OpenMP directive:

1. Data scoping (Private, Shared, Default)
2. Schedule (Guided, Static, Dynamic, etc.)
3. Initialization (e.g. COPYIN, FIRSTPRIVATE)
4. Whether to parallelize a region or not (if-clause)
5. Number of threads used (NUM_THREADS)
Schedule Clause

**schedule**(static)
Each CPU receives one set of contiguous iterations

**schedule**(static, C)
Iterations are divided round-robin fashion in chunks of size C

**schedule**(dynamic, C)
Iterations handed out in chunks of size C as CPUs become available

**schedule**(guided, C)
Each of the iterations are handed out in pieces of exponentially decreasing size, with C minimum number of iterations to dispatch each time

**schedule** (runtime)
Schedule and chunk size taken from the OMP_SCHEDULE environment variable
Comparison of Scheduling Options

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Example - schedule(static,16), threads = 4

```plaintext
#pragma omp parallel do schedule(static,16)
  do i=1,128
    A(i)=B(i)+C(i)
  enddo

do i=1,16
  A(i)=B(i)+C(i)
enddo
do i=65,80
  A(i)=B(i)+C(i)
enddo

do i=17,32
  A(i)=B(i)+C(i)
enddo
do i=81,96
  A(i)=B(i)+C(i)
enddo

thread0:  do i=1,16
              A(i)=B(i)+C(i)
            enddo

thread1:  do i=17,32
              A(i)=B(i)+C(i)
            enddo

thread2:  do i=33,48
              A(i)=B(i)+C(i)
            enddo

thread3:  do i=49,64
              A(i)=B(i)+C(i)
            enddo
```
OpenMP Data Environment

• Data scoping clauses control the sharing behavior of variables within a parallel construct.

• These include shared, private, firstprivate, lastprivate, reduction clauses

Default variable scope:

1. Variables are shared by default
2. Global variables are shared by default
3. Automatic variables within subroutines called from within a parallel region are private (reside on a stack private to each thread), unless scoped otherwise
4. Default scoping rule can be changed with default clause
Private & Shared Data

**SHARED** - Variable is shared (seen) by all processors.

**PRIVATE** - Each thread has a private instance (copy) of the variable.

Defaults: All DO LOOP indices are private, all other variables are shared.

```c
!$OMP PARALLEL DO
  do i=1,N
    A(i) = B(i) + C(i)
  enddo
!$OMP END PARALLEL DO
```

All threads have access to the same storage areas for A, B, C, and N, but each loop has its own private copy of the loop index, i.
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Defaults: The for-loop index is private, all other variables are shared

```c
#pragma omp parallel for shared(a,b,c,n) private(i)
    for (i=0; i<n; i++){
        a[i] = b[i] + c[i];
    }
```

All threads have access to the same storage areas for a, b, c, and n, but each loop has its own private copy of the loop index, i
Private Data Example

• In the following loop, each thread needs its own PRIVATE copy of TEMP.
• If TEMP were shared, the result would be unpredictable since each processor would be writing and reading to/from the same memory location.

!$OMP PARALLEL DO SHARED(A,B,C,N) PRIVATE(temp,i)
  do i=1,N
    temp = A(i)/B(i)
    C(i) = temp + cos(temp)
  enddo
!$OMP END PARALLEL DO

• A lastprivate(temp) clause will copy the last loop(stack) value of temp to the (global) temp storage when the parallel DO is complete.
• A firstprivate(temp) would copy the global temp value to each stack’s temp.
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#pragma omp parallel for shared(a,b,c,n) private(temp,i)
for (i=0; i<n; i++){
    temp = a[i] / b[i];
    c[i] = temp + cos(temp);
}
```

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• A `firstprivate(temp)` would copy the global temp value to each stack’s temp.
Reduction

• Operation that combines multiple elements to form a single result, such as a summation.
• A variable that accumulates the result is called a reduction variable.
• In parallel loops reduction operators and variables must be declared.

```fortran
real*8 asum, aprod
asum = 0.
aprod = 1.
!$OMP PARALLEL DO REDUCTION(+:asum) REDUCTION(*:aprod)
do i=1,N
    asum = asum + a(i)
aprod = aprod * a(i)
endo!
!$OMP END PARALLEL DO
print*, asum, aprod
```

• Each thread has a private ASUM and APROD, initialized to the operator’s identity, 0 & 1, respectively.
• After the loop execution, the master thread collects the private values of each thread and finishes the (global) reduction.
Reduction

• Operation that combines multiple elements to form a single result
• A variable that accumulates the result is called a reduction variable
• In parallel loops reduction operators and variables must be declared

```c
float asum, aprod;
asum  = 0.;
aprod = 1.;
#pragma omp parallel for reduction(+:asum) reduction(*:aprod)
for (i=0; i<n; i++){
    asum  = asum  + a[i];
    aprod = aprod * a[i];
}
```

Each thread has a private `asum` and `aprod`, initialized to the operator’s identity
• After the loop execution, the master thread collects the private values of each thread and finishes the (global) reduction
Synchronization

• Synchronization is used to impose order constraints and to protect access to shared data

• High-Level Synchronization
  – critical
  – atomic
  – barrier
  – ordered

• Low-Level Synchronization
  – locks
Synchronization: Critical/Atomic Directives

- When each thread must execute a section of code serially the region must be marked with `CRITICAL` / `END CRITICAL` directives.
- Use the `!$OMP ATOMIC` directive if executing only one operation serially.

```omp
!$OMP PARALLEL SHARED(sum, X, Y)
...
!$OMP CRITICAL
    call update(x)
    call update(y)
    sum = sum + 1
!$OMP END CRITICAL
...
!$OMP END PARALLEL
```

```omp
!$OMP PARALLEL SHARED(X, Y)
...
!$OMP ATOMIC
    sum = sum + 1
...
!$OMP END PARALLEL
```
Synchronization: Critical/Atomic Directives

• When each thread must execute a section of code serially the region must be marked with `critical/end critical` directives

• Use the `#pragma omp atomic` directive if executing only one operation serially

```c
#pragma omp parallel shared(sum,x,y)
...  
#pragma omp critical 
{ 
    update(x);
    update(y);
    sum=sum+1;
} 
...  
!$OMP END PARALLEL
```

```c
#pragma omp parallel shared(sum)
...  
{ 
    #pragma omp atomic
        sum=sum+1;
    ... 
} 
```

Master Thread

CRITICAL section or atomic operations
Synchronization: Single/Master Directives

- Only one thread executes the statements in the single/master region
- Single: An arbitrary thread is chosen and there is an implied barrier at the end of the single construct

```c
!$OMP PARALLEL SHARED(sum, x, y)
...
!$OMP SINGLE
   icount = icount + 1
!$OMP END SINGLE
   call work1(x)
   call work2(y)
...
!$OMP END PARALLEL
```
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```c
!$OMP PARALLEL SHARED(sum,x,y) 
... 
!$OMP MASTER 
  icount = icount + 1 
!$OMP END MASTER 
  call work1(x) 
  call work2(y) 
... 
!$OMP END PARALLEL
```

```c
#pragma omp parallel shared(sum,x,y) 
... 
#pragma omp master 
  { 
    icount = icount + 1 
  } 
  work1(x); 
  work2(y); 
... 
#pragma omp end parallel
```
Synchronization: Barrier

- **Barrier:** Each thread waits until all threads arrive

```c
#pragma omp parallel shared (A, B, C) private(id)
{
    id=omp_get_thread_num();
    A[id] = big_calc1(id);
    #pragma omp barrier
    #pragma omp for
    for(i=0;i<N;i++){
        C[i]=big_calc3(i,A);
    }  // Implicit barrier
    #pragma omp for nowait
    for(i=0;i<N;i++){
        B[i]=big_calc2(C, i);
    }  // No implicit barrier due to nowait
    A[id] = big_calc4(id);
}  // Implicit barrier
```
Mutual Exclusion: Lock Routines

When each thread must execute a section of code serially locks provide a more flexible way of ensuring serial access than CRITICAL and ATOMIC directives.

```plaintext
call OMP_INIT_LOCK(maxlock)
!$OMP PARALLEL SHARED(X,Y)
...
call OMP_set_lock(maxlock)
call update(x)
call OMP_unset_lock(maxlock)
...
!$OMP END PARALLEL
call OMP_DESTROY_LOCK(maxlock)
```
Synchronization: Ordered

- The ordered region executes in the sequential order

```c
#pragma omp parallel private (tmp)
#pragma omp for ordered reduction(+:countVal)
for (i=0; i<N; i++) {
    tmp = foo(i);
    #pragma omp ordered
    print tmp;
}
```

```c
!$omp parallel private (tmp)
!$omp do ordered reduction(+:countVal)
do i=1, n
    tmp = foo(i)
    !$omp ordered
    write (0,*) tmp
}```
## Mutual Exclusion Overhead

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All measurements made in dedicated mode
Nowait

- When a work-sharing region is exited, a barrier is implied - all threads must reach the barrier before any can proceed.

- By using the NOWAIT clause at the end of each loop inside the parallel region, an unnecessary synchronization of threads can be avoided.

```c
!$OMP PARALLEL
!$OMP DO
  do i=1,n
    work(i)
  enddo
!$OMP END DO NOWAIT
!$OMP DO schedule(dynamic,k)
  do i=1,m
    x(i)=y(i)+z(i)
  enddo
!$OMP END DO
!$OMP END PARALLEL
```
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```c
#pragma omp parallel
{
#pragma omp for nowait
{
    for (i=0; i<n; i++)
        {work(i);}
}
#pragma omp for schedule(dynamic,k)
{
    for (i=0; i<m; i++)
        {x[i]=y[i]+z[i];}
}
}
# Runtime Library Routines

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<td>Thread ID {0 -&gt; N-1}</td>
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<td>Number of machine CPUs</td>
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<td>omp_in_parallel()</td>
<td>True if in parallel region &amp; multiple thread executing</td>
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<td>omp_set_num_threads(#)</td>
<td>Set the number of threads in the team</td>
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<td>omp_get_dynamic()</td>
<td>True if dynamic threading is on</td>
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<td>omp_set_dynamic()</td>
<td>Set state of dynamic threading (true/false)</td>
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<td>OMP_SCHEDULE “schedule[, chunk_size]”</td>
<td>Control how “omp for schedule(RUNTIME)” loop iterations are scheduled</td>
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<td>TRUE/FALSE for enable/disable dynamic threading</td>
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OpenMP Wallclock Timers

```c
double t0, t1, dt, res;
...
t0 = omp_get_wtime();
<work>
t1 = omp_get_wtime();
dt = t1 - t0;
res = 1.0/omp_get_wtick();
printf("Elapsed time = %lf\n",dt);
printf("clock resolution = %lf\n",res);
```
NUM_THREADS clause

• Use the NUM_THREADS clause to specify the number of threads to execute a parallel region

```
!$OMP PARALLEL NUM_THREADS(scalar integer expression)
  <code block>
!$OMP End PARALLEL
```

where scalar integer expression must evaluate to a positive integer

• NUM_THREADS supersedes the number of threads specified by the OMP_NUM_THREADS environment variable or that set by the OMP_SET_NUM_THREADS function
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```c
#pragma omp parallel num_threads(scalar int expression)
{
   <code block>
}
```

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OpenMP 3.0

- First update to the spec since 2005
- Tasking: move beyond loops with generalized tasks and support complex and dynamic control flows
- Loop collapse: combine nested loops automatically to expose more concurrency
- Enhanced loop schedules: Support aggressive compiler optimizations of loop schedules and give programmers better runtime control over the kind of schedule used
- Nested parallelism support: better definition of and control over nested parallel regions, and new API routines to determine nesting structure
Loop Collapse

• Allow collapsing of perfectly nested loops

• Will form a single loop and then parallelize it:

```c
$omp parallel do collapse(2)
do i=1,n
  do j=1,n
    ..... 
    end do
  end do
end do
```
Tasks Parallelism

• Allows to parallelize irregular problems
  – Recursive loops
  – Unbounded algorithms
  – Threads can jump between tasks
What is a Task?

• A specific instance of executable code and its data environment, generated when a thread encounters a task construct or a parallel construct

• Tasks consist of
  – Code to execute
  – Data environment
  – Internal control variables (new from 2.5)

• Each encountering thread creates a new task which packages its own code and data

• Execution of the new task could be immediate, or deferred until later

• Can be nested into
  – Another task or a work sharing construct
What is a Task?

• Tasks have been fully integrated into OpenMP
• Note: OpenMP has always had tasks but they were never called that way before the 3.0 release!
  – Thread encountering parallel construct packages up a set of implicit tasks, one per thread
  – Team of threads is created
  – Each thread in team is assigned to one of the tasks (and tied to it)
  – Barrier holds original master thread until all implicit tasks are finished
• Now we have a way to create a task explicitly for the team to execute
Tasks: Usage

Task Construct:

```
#pragma omp task [clause[,,]clause] ...
```

where clause can be

- Data scoping clauses
  - `shared` (list), `private` (list), `firstprivate` (list), `default` (shared | none)
- Scheduling clauses
  - `untied`
- Other clauses
  - `if` (expression)
While OpenMP 3.0 supports nested parallelism, many implementations may ignore the nesting by serializing the inner parallel regions.
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Additional material for Fortran Users
Default variable scoping  
(Fortran example)

Program Main
Integer, Parameter :: nmax=100
Integer :: n, j
Real*8 :: x(n,n)
Common /vars/ y(nmax)
...
n=nmax; y=0.0
!$OMP Parallel do
do j=1,n
call Adder(x,n,j)
end do
...
End Program Main

Subroutine Adder(a,m,col)
Common /vars/ y(nmax)
SAVE array_sum
Integer :: i, m
Real*8 :: a(m,m)
do i=1,m
  y(col)=y(col)+a(i,col)
end do
array_sum=array_sum+y(col)
End Subroutine Adder
Default data scoping in Fortran (cont.)

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Workshare directive

- **WORKSHARE** directive enables parallelization of Fortran 90 array expressions and **FORALL** constructs

```fortran
Integer, Parameter :: N=1000
Real*8 :: A(N,N), B(N,N), C(N,N)
 !$OMP WORKSHARE
   A=B+C
 !$OMP End WORKSHARE
```

- Enclosed code is separated into units of work
- All threads in a team share the work
- Each work unit is executed only once
- A work unit may be assigned to any thread
Reduction on array variables

- Supported in Fortran only!
- Array variables may now appear in the **REDUCTION** clause

```fortran
Real*8 :: A(N), B(M,N)
Integer :: i, j
A(1:m) = 3.
 !$OMP Parallel Do Reduction(+:A)
   do i=1,n
     A(1:m)=A(1:m)+B(1:m,i)
   end do
 !$OMP End Parallel Do
```

- Assumed size and allocatable arrays are not supported
- Variable must be shared in the enclosing context