

Automatic Generation and Analysis of Algorithms

Assignment #4

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Matrix-matrix product

Operation:

$$C := C + AB$$

Setup:

- $A \in \mathbb{R}^{8 \times 8}$, $B \in \mathbb{R}^{8 \times 40}$, and $C \in \mathbb{R}^{8 \times 40}$.
- The matrix is stored by columns.

Goal:

Automatic generation of implementations.

What to do

- 1) Initialize A , B and C with single precision random floating point numbers.
- 2) Vectorize with intrinsics the building blocks of size (up to) 4 -by hand-.
- 3) Write a program (in any language) that generates at least 10 different C vectorized implementations for the given product.
- 4) For each implementation,
 - verify the result (BLAS)
 - measure the execution time
 - compare the execution time with an optimized BLAS
- 5) Submit a report containing your automation strategy (where do these implementations come from?), a performance comparison and the winning implementation.

Submission

- Individual assignment.
- Submission by email to `pauldj@aices.rwth-aachen.de`
- Email's subject: “AGAA-14 HW4 `your_last_name`”
- Submit both your generator and the generated implementations. Submit your Makefile and all the files necessary to execute the generator.
- Make sure everything executes correctly.
- Indicate your name inside each file.
- Submit an archive: `your_name.zip` or `your_name.tgz`
- **Deadline: oral exam**