Porting an Asteroseismology Code on GPU thanks to MAGMA library

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Rosette mode

Pressure fluctuations

Kinetic energy

Chaotic mode



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Pulsation equations

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda \rho &= -\vec{v} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \rho_o - \rho_o \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v}, \\ \lambda \rho_o \vec{v} &= -\vec{\nabla} p + \rho \vec{g}_o - \rho_o \vec{\nabla} \Psi - 2\Omega \vec{e}_z \times \rho_o \vec{v}, \\ \lambda p - \lambda c_o^2 \rho &= \frac{\rho_o N_o^2 c_o^2}{\|\vec{g}_o\|^2} \vec{v} \cdot \vec{g}_o, \\ 0 &= \Delta \Psi - \rho. \end{aligned}$$

Differential equations expressed in the form of a generalized eigenvalue problem

$$Av = \lambda Bv$$
$$(A - \sigma B)^{-1}Bw = \mu w$$
Equations $\longrightarrow A B \longrightarrow$ LU of $(A - \sigma B) \longrightarrow$ Arnoldi-Chebyshev \longrightarrow n solutions

Using LAPACK for linear algebra computations

Actual state of the code

Elapsed time 1 thread

Speedup =

Elapsed time **N** thread



Number of cores [1:36]

Is there a faster alternative to LAPACK?

ScaLAPACK has been tested and it was slower than LAPACK

Libraries that use GPUs:

SLEPc, MUMPS, cuSOLVER and MAGMA



call DGETRF(matrix_dimX, matrix_dimY, matrix, d_dim, piv_vector, info_lapack)
call magmaf_dgetrf(matrix_dimX, matrix_dimY, matrix, d_dim, piv_vector, info_lapack)

MAGMA was not installed in CALMIP

Mini-project with Atos



Atos 1

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Testing big matrices





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Why TOP do not work with MAGMA int8?



- Checking differences between the examples and TOP

Same flags were used in both cases.

Linked libraries where the same. Checked using "ldd".

- Contact Marc Gates, MAGMA developer => Change all "int" into "int8" within MAGMA.
- TOP is written in Fortran but it is run from a Python interface thanks to F2PY.



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1KL 36 threads/MAGMA

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Conclusion

- Small bugs can take time to be solved...
- MAGMA is faster on GPU than multi-threaded LAPACK for the tests we performed
- It is easy to move from LAPACK to MAGMA
- Thanks to MAGMA our code is prepared for future hardware changes
- Other codes in LPT & IRAP are going to take advantage from MAGMA

Thank you for your attention