

# AMATH 483/583 High Performance Scientific Computing

## Lecture 14: OpenMP

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# Overview

- Review
  - Summary of C++ features (Parallel)
- Introduction to OpenMP
- OpenMP programming model
- Querying OpenMP environment
- Setting OpenMP environment
- Parallel regions
- Parallel for
- Race conditions
- Reduction

# Race condition

- Race condition
  - An unexpected error arises (or can arise) from concurrent accesses to shared variables
- Critical-section problem
  - when n processes/threads all competing to use some shared data, each process/thread has a code segment, called critical section, in which the shared data is accessed
- Race condition solutions
  - Mutual exclusion

# Summary of C++ features (Parallel)

- `std::thread`
  - `detach()`, `join()`
- `std::mutex`, `std::lock_guard<T>`, `std::lock`
- `std::atomic<T>`
- `std::async`
  - `std::future`, `get()`, `wait()`
  - Async launch strategies
- `std::async` using lambda function

# Two Norm Function (Sequential)

```
double two_norm(const Vector& x) {
    double sum = 0.0;
    for (size_t i = 0; i < x.num_rows(); ++i) {
        sum += x(i) * x(i);
    }
    return std::sqrt(sum);
}
```

# Partitioned Vector

```
class PartitionedVector {
public:
    PartitionedVector(size_t M) : num_rows_(M), storage_(num_rows_) {}

        double& operator()(size_t i) { return storage_[i]; }
    const double& operator()(size_t i) const { return storage_[i]; }

    size_t num_rows() const { return num_rows_; }

    void partition_by_rows(size_t parts) {
        size_t xsize = num_rows_ / parts;
        partitions_.resize(parts+1);
        std::fill(partitions_.begin()+1, partitions_.end(), xsize);
        std::partial_sum(partitions_.begin(), partitions_.end(), partitions_.begin());
    }

private:
    size_t          num_rows_;
    std::vector<double> storage_;
public:
    std::vector<size_t> partitions_;
};
```

# Two Norm (Helper Function)

```
double two_norm_part(const PartitionedVector& x, size_t p) {
    double sum = 0.0;
    for (size_t i = x.partitions_[p]; i < x.partitions_[p+1]; ++i) {
        sum += x(i) * x(i);
    }
    return sum;
}

double two_norm_rx(const PartitionedVector& x) {
    std::vector<std::future<double>> futures_;
    for (size_t p = 0; p < x.partitions_.size()-1; ++p) {
        futures_.push_back(std::async(std::launch::async, two_norm_part, std::cref(x), p));
    }

    double sum = 0.0;
    for (size_t p = 0; p < x.partitions_.size()-1; ++p) {
        sum += futures_[p].get();
    }
    return std::sqrt(sum);
}
```

# Two Norm (Lambda)

```
double two_norm_l(const PartitionedVector& x) {
    std::vector<std::future<double>> futures_;
    for (size_t p = 0; p < x.partitions_.size()-1; ++p) {
        futures_.emplace_back(std::async(std::launch::async, [&](size_t p) {
            double sum = 0.0;
            for (size_t i = x.partitions_[p]; i < x.partitions_[p+1]; ++i) {
                sum += x(i) * x(i);
            }
            return sum;
        }, p));
    }

    double sum = 0.0;
    for (size_t p = 0; p < x.partitions_.size()-1; ++p) {
        sum += futures_[p].get();
    }
    return std::sqrt(sum);
}
```

# Two Norm (Lambda)

This  
(straightforward)

```
double two_norm(const Vector& x) {  
    double sum = 0.0;  
    for (size_t i = 0; i < x.num_rows(); ++i) {  
        sum += x(i) * x(i);  
    }  
    return std::sqrt(sum);  
}
```

Different parts  
of vector

Finding  
Concurrency

Partitioned vector

Algorithm  
Structure

Rewrite algorithm

Supporting  
Structures

PartitionedVector

Implementation  
Mechanisms

Fork/join

C++ tasks/futures

Became this (not  
so straightforward)

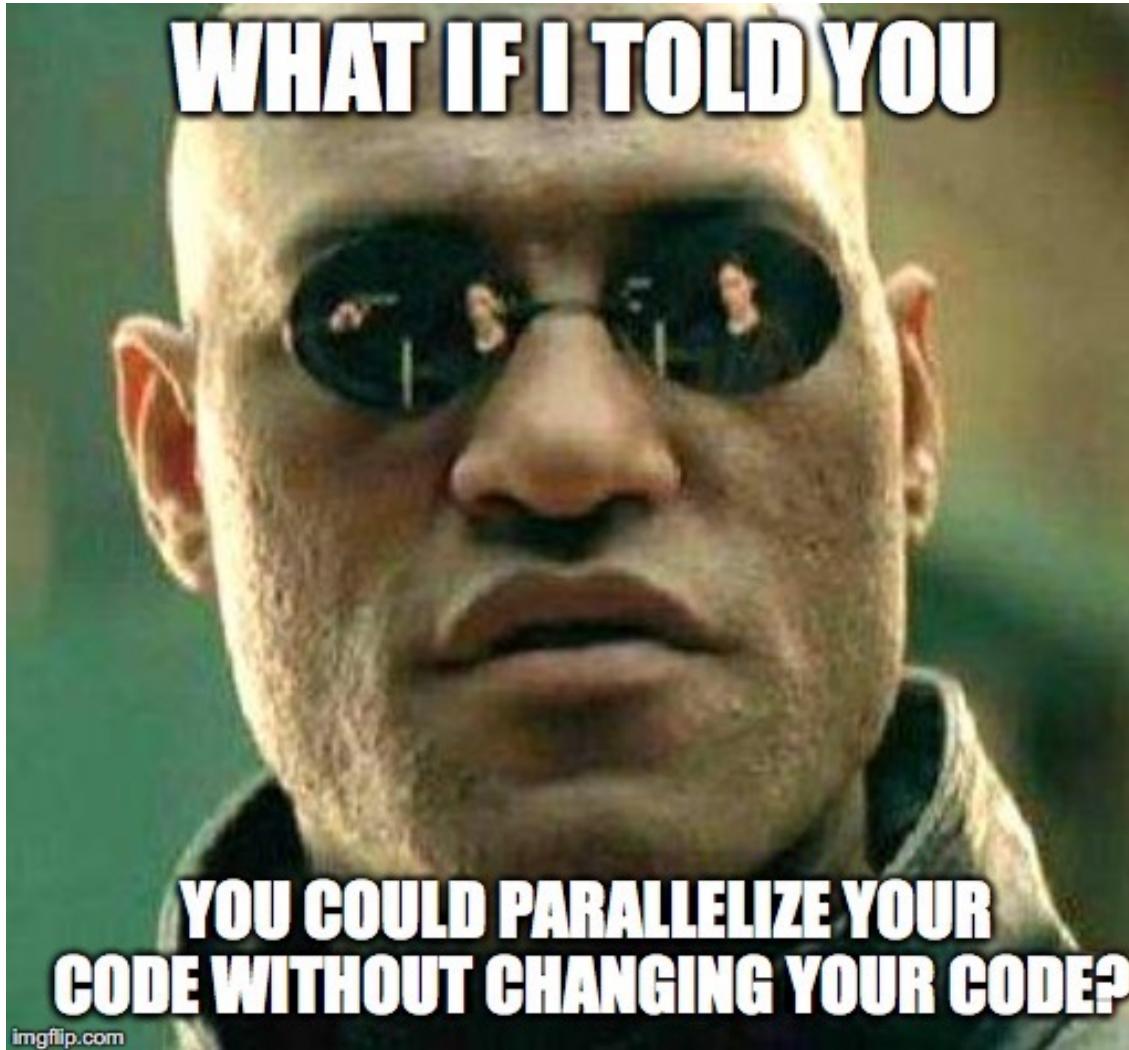
```
double two_norm_l(const PartitionedVector& x) {  
    std::vector<std::future<double>> futures_;  
    for (size_t p = 0; p < x.partitions_.size() - 1; ++p) {  
        futures_.emplace_back(std::async(std::launch::async, [&](size_t p)  
        {  
            double sum = 0.0;  
            for (size_t i = x.partitions_[p]; i < x.partitions_[p+1]; ++i) {  
                sum += x(i) * x(i);  
            }  
            return sum;  
        }, p));  
    }  
  
    double sum = 0.0;  
    for (size_t p = 0; p < x.partitions_.size() - 1; ++p) {  
        sum += futures_[p].get();  
    }  
    return std::sqrt(sum);  
}
```

Would need  
to do for all

Twice as  
much code

Different /  
separate code

# What if I told you



```
double two_norm(const Vector& x) {  
    double sum = 0.0;  
    for (size_t i = 0; i < x.num_rows(); ++i) {  
        sum += x(i) * x(i);  
    }  
    return std::sqrt(sum);  
}
```

This does not  
change

OpenMP™

# OpenMP

- Open Multi-Processing
- Application Program Interface (API) used to explicitly direct ***multi-threaded, shared memory*** parallelism

- Three primary API components:

- Compiler directives
- Runtime library routines
- Environment variables

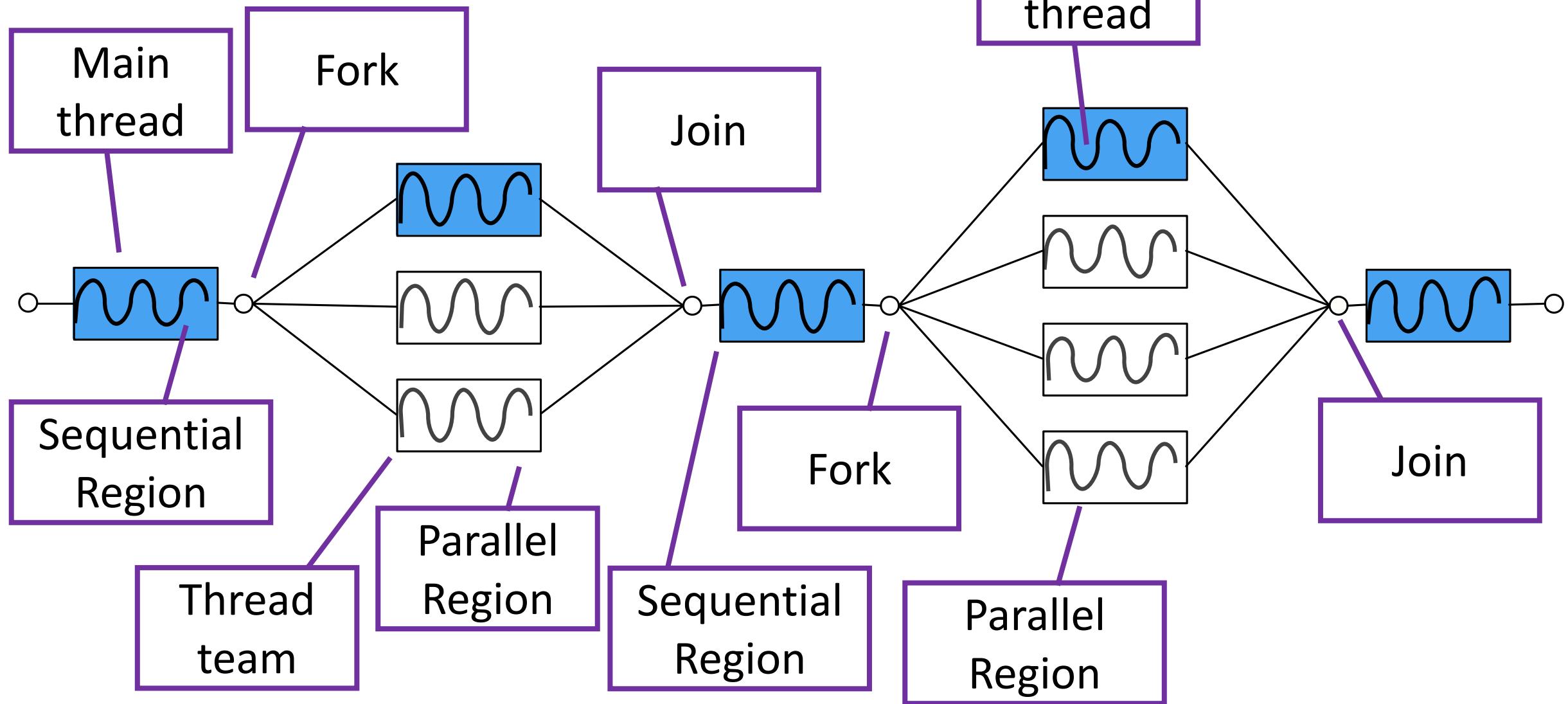
Requires no code changes

Some additions

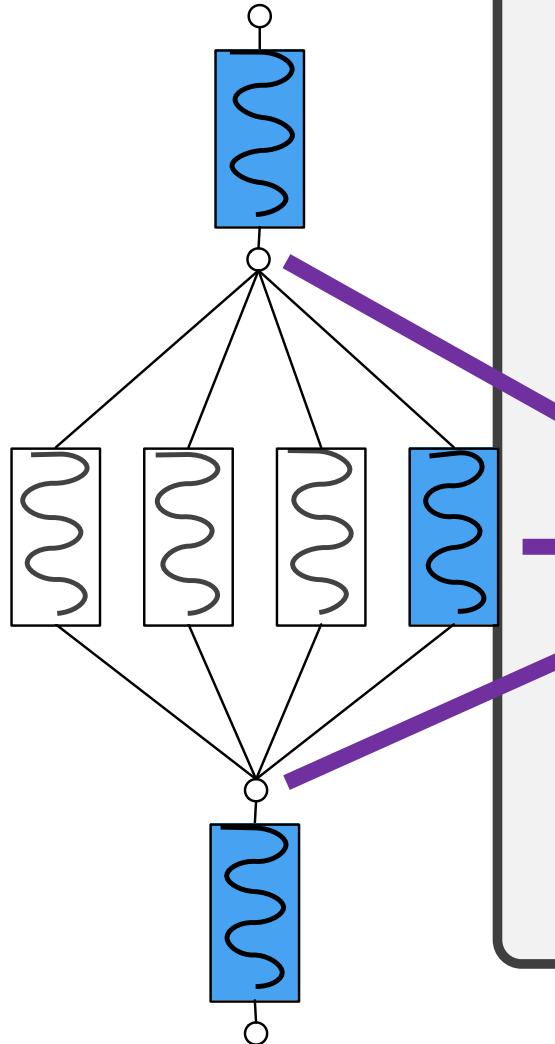
Only for parallel version

Requires no code changes

# OpenMP Execution Model



# Hello OpenMP v.0



```
#include <iostream>
#include <omp.h>

int main () {

#pragma omp parallel
{
    std::cout << "Hello OpenMP World!" << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

# OpenMP Parallel Regions

- A parallel region that is executed by a team consisting of more than one thread

Spawn a team of threads

Each thread will execute the parallel region

```
#include <iostream>
#include <omp.h>

int main () {
    #pragma omp parallel
    {
        std::cout << "Hello OpenMP World!" << std::endl;
    }

    return 0;
}
```

# Programming with OpenMP

- How do we start a parallel region?
- How do we end a parallel region?
- What can we do with / in a parallel region?
- Do we need to worry about race conditions? And if so, what do we do about them?
- How do we optimize?
- Do we really not need to change our code?
- What else can we do with OpenMP?
- Example(s)

# Querying environment

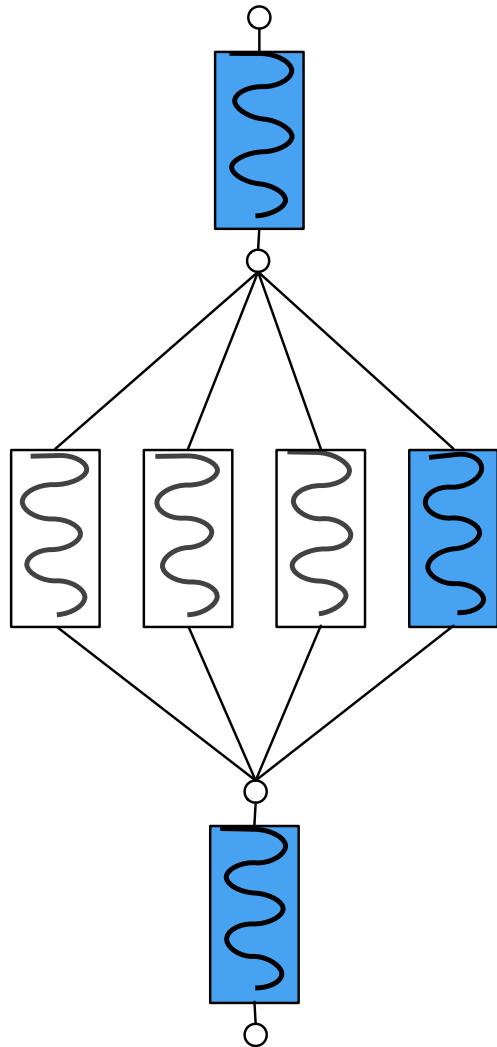
```
#include <omp.h>

int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {

    size_t numthreads = omp_get_num_threads();
    size_t maxthreads = omp_get_max_threads();
    std::cout << "Number of threads: " << numthreads << std::endl;
    std::cout << "Max threads: " << maxthreads << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

# Querying the environment



My machine has 8 cores on it

\$ ./a.out

Number of threads: 1

Max threads: 8

# Querying environment

- **int omp\_get\_num\_threads(void);**
  - returns the number of threads in the current team
- **int omp\_get\_max\_threads(void);**
  - returns an upper bound on the number of threads that could be used

# Querying the environment

```
#include <omp.h>

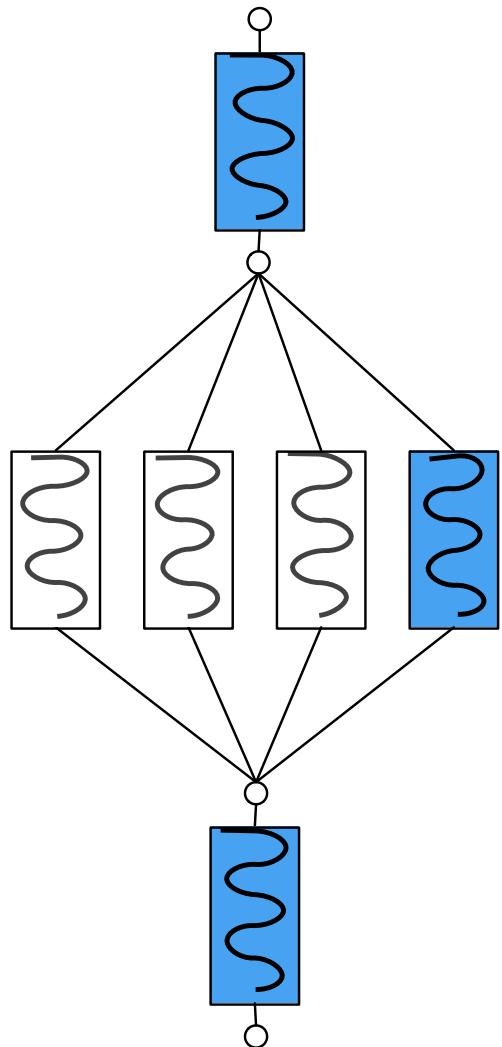
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {

    size_t maxthreads = omp_get_max_threads();
    std::cout << "Max threads: " << maxthreads << std::endl;
#pragma omp parallel
{
    size_t numthreads = omp_get_num_threads();
    std::cout << "Number of threads: " + std::to_string(numthreads) + "\n";
}

return 0;
}
```

The diagram consists of two purple rectangular callout boxes with black outlines. The top box is positioned above the first cout statement, and the bottom box is positioned below the second cout statement. Both boxes contain the text "Guess?" in a large, bold, black font. Purple lines extend from the bottom-right corner of each box to point towards the corresponding std::cout line in the C++ code.

# Querying the environment



Max threads: 8

Number of threads: 8

# Hello OpenMP v.0

```
#include <iostream>
#include <omp.h>

int main () {

#pragma omp parallel
{
    std::cout << "Hello OpenMP World!" << std::endl;
}

return 0;
}
```

Hello OpenMP World!Hello  
OpenMP World!Hello OpenMP  
World!

Hello OpenMP World!Hello  
OpenMP World!

Hello OpenMP World!

Hello OpenMP World!  
Hello OpenMP World!

# Hello OpenMP v.1

```
#include <iostream>
#include <omp.h>

int main () {

#pragma omp parallel
{
    std::cout << "Hello OpenMP World!\n";
}

    return 0;
}
```

Hello OpenMP World!  
Hello OpenMP World!

# Hello OpenMP

```
#include <iostream>
#include <omp.h>

int main () {

#pragma omp parallel
{
    std::cout << "Hello OpenMP World!" << std::endl;
}

return 0;
}
```

Explain

```
#include <iostream>
#include <omp.h>

int main () {

#pragma omp parallel
{
    std::cout << "Hello OpenMP World!\n";
}

return 0;
}
```

Hello OpenMP World!Hello OpenMP  
World!Hello OpenMP World!  
Hello OpenMP World!Hello OpenMP World!  
Hello OpenMP World!

Hello OpenMP World!  
Hello OpenMP World!

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Hello OpenMP World!  
Hello OpenMP World!  
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Hello OpenMP World!

# Hello OMP

```
#include <omp.h>

int main () {
    #pragma omp parallel
    {
        size_t tid = omp_get_thread_num();
        std::cout << "Hello World from thread = " << tid << std::endl

        if (tid == 0) {
            size_t nthreads = omp_get_num_threads();
            std::cout << "Number of threads = " << nthreads << std::endl
        }
    }

    return 0;
}
```

Only 1  
thread will  
pass this

Comments?

Hello World from thread = Hello  
World from thread = Hello  
World from thread = Hello  
World from thread = Hello  
World from thread = 23

Hello World from thread = Hello  
World from thread = 7

Hello World from thread = 05  
Number of threads = 8

6  
4  
1

# Querying environment

- **int omp\_get\_thread\_num(void);**
  - returns the thread number, with in the current team, of the calling thread
- Notice the difference between two
- **int omp\_get\_num\_threads(void);**
  - returns the number of threads in the current team

Do NOT confuse  
these two

# Hello OMP

```
#include <omp.h>

int main () {

#pragma omp parallel
{
    size_t tid = omp_get_thread_num();
    std::cout << "Hello World from thread = " << tid << std::endl;

    if (tid == 0) {
        size_t nthreads = omp_get_num_threads();
        std::cout << "Number of threads = " << nthreads << std::endl
    }
}

return 0;
}
```

How to  
modify this?

To get this  
output?

Hello World from thread = 2  
Hello World from thread = 7  
Hello World from thread = 0  
Number of threads = 8  
Hello World from thread = 4  
Hello World from thread = 1  
Hello World from thread = 5  
Hello World from thread = 3  
Hello World from thread = 6

# Setting the environment

```
#include <omp.h>

int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    omp_set_num_threads(std::stoi(argv[1]));
    size_t maxthreads = omp_get_max_threads();
    std::cout << "Max threads: " << maxthreads << std::endl;
#pragma omp parallel
{
    size_t numthreads = omp_get_num_threads();
    std::cout << "Number of threads: " + std::to_string(numthreads) + "\n";
}

return 0;
}
```

The diagram consists of two purple rectangular callout boxes with black outlines. The top box is positioned above the 'maxthreads' declaration and contains the text 'Guess?'. A purple line connects the bottom-right corner of this box to the right parenthesis of the 'maxthreads' declaration. The bottom box is positioned below the 'numthreads' declaration and also contains the text 'Guess?'. A purple line connects the bottom-right corner of this box to the right parenthesis of the 'numthreads' declaration.

# Setting the environment

```
#include <omp.h>

int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    omp_set_num_threads(std::stoi(argv[1]));
    size_t maxthreads = omp_get_max_threads();
    std::cout << "Max threads: " << maxthreads << std::endl;
#pragma omp parallel
{
    size_t numthreads = omp_get_num_threads();
    std::cout << "Number of threads: " + std::to_string(numthreads);
}

return 0;
}
```

./a.out 1  
Max threads: 1  
Number of threads: 1

./a.out 2  
Max threads: 2  
Number of threads: 2  
Number of threads: 2

# Setting environment

- **void omp\_set\_num\_threads(int num\_threads);**
  - affects the number of threads to be used for subsequent parallel regions
- An OpenMP Environment Variable - OMP\_NUM\_THREADS
  - set the number of threads using the environment variable OMP\_NUM\_THREADS

```
$ export OMP_NUM_THREADS=<number of threads to use>
```
  - query the number of threads using the environment variable OMP\_NUM\_THREADS

```
$ echo $OMP_NUM_THREADS
```

# Setting the environment

```
#include <omp.h>

int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {

    size_t maxthreads = omp_get_max_threads();
    std::cout << "Max threads: " << maxthreads << std::endl;
#pragma omp parallel
{
    size_t numthreads = omp_get_num_threads();
    std::cout << "Number of threads: " + std::to_string(numthreads) + "\n";
}

return 0;
}
```

# Setting the environment

```
$ export OMP_NUM_THREADS=1; ./a.out
```

Max threads: 1

Number of threads: 1

```
$ export OMP_NUM_THREADS=2; ./a.out
```

Max threads: 2

Number of threads: 2

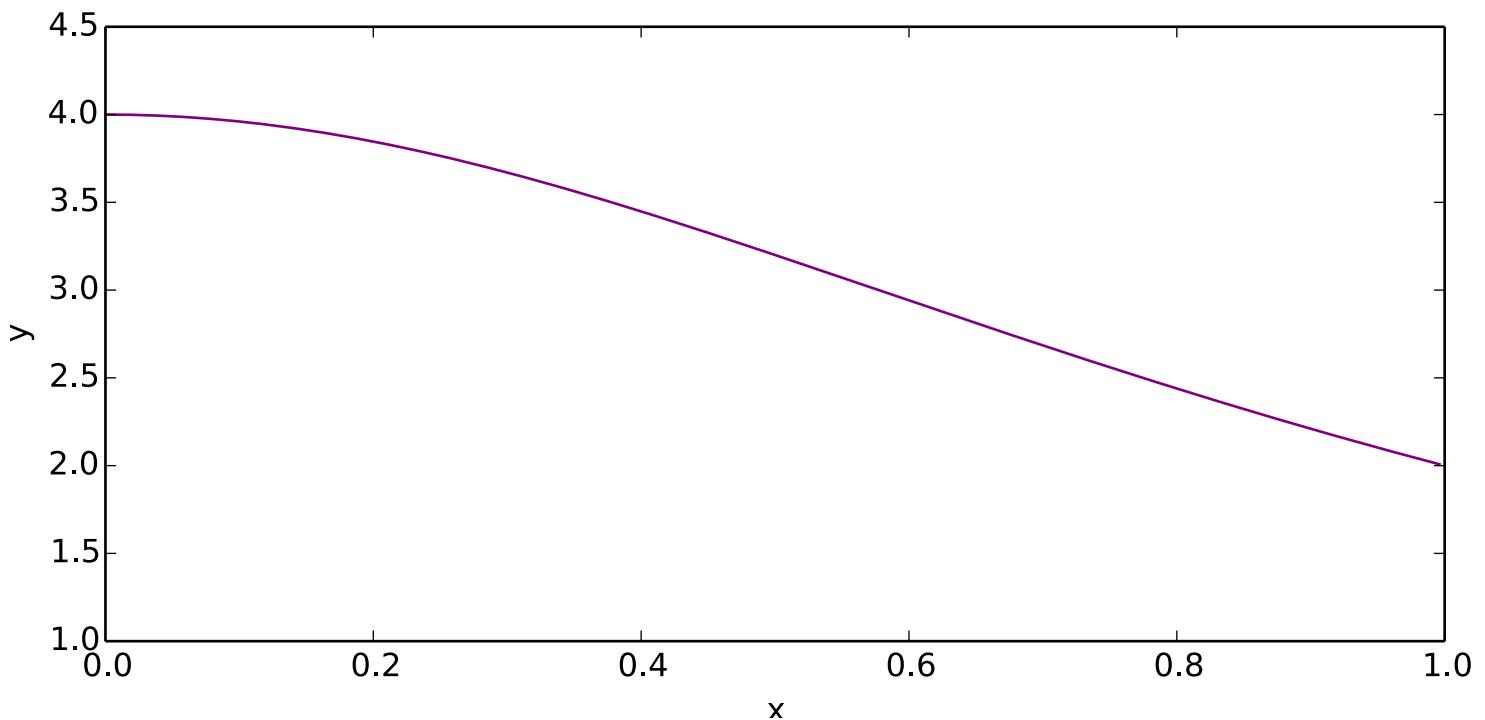
Number of threads: 2

# Example

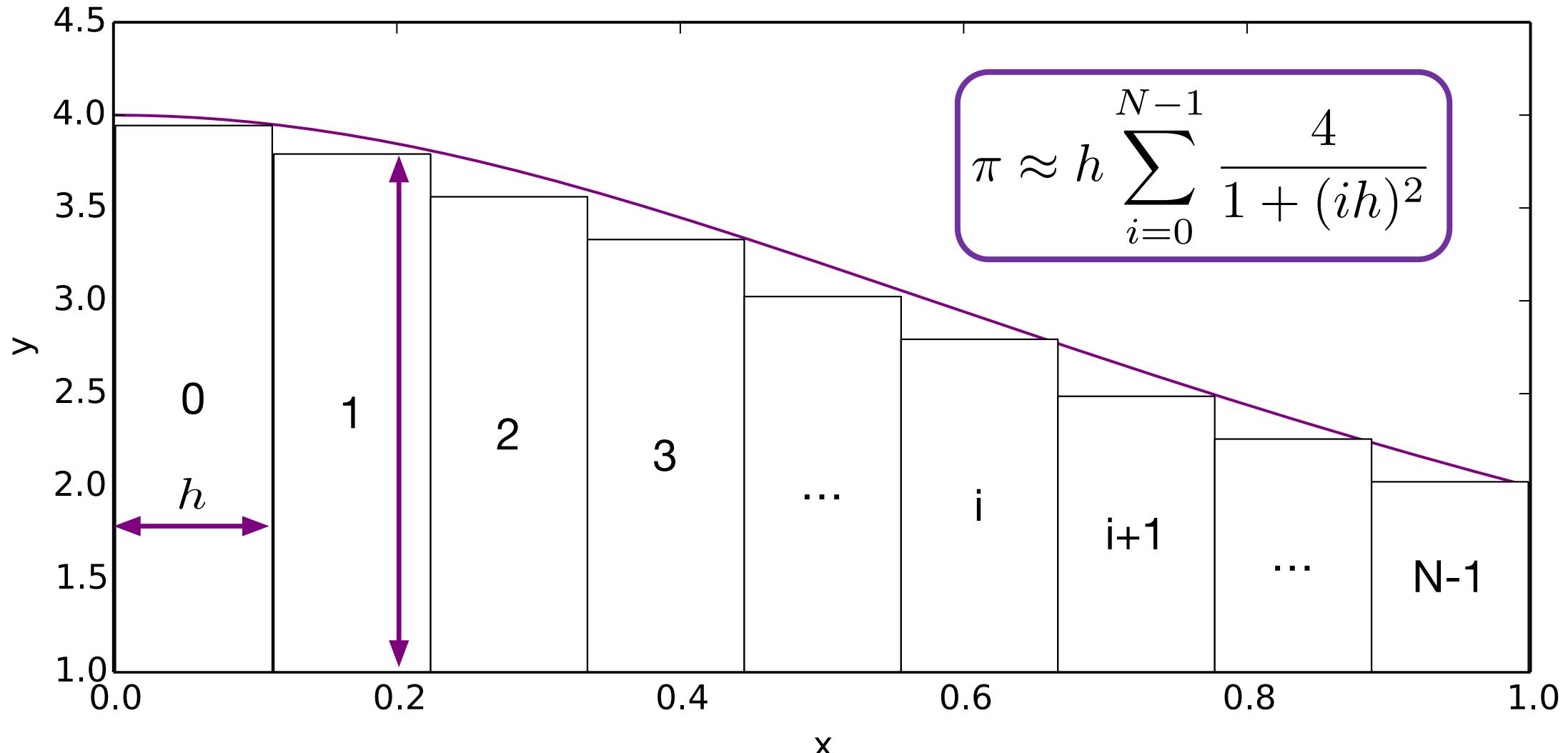
- Find the value of  $\pi$

- Using formula

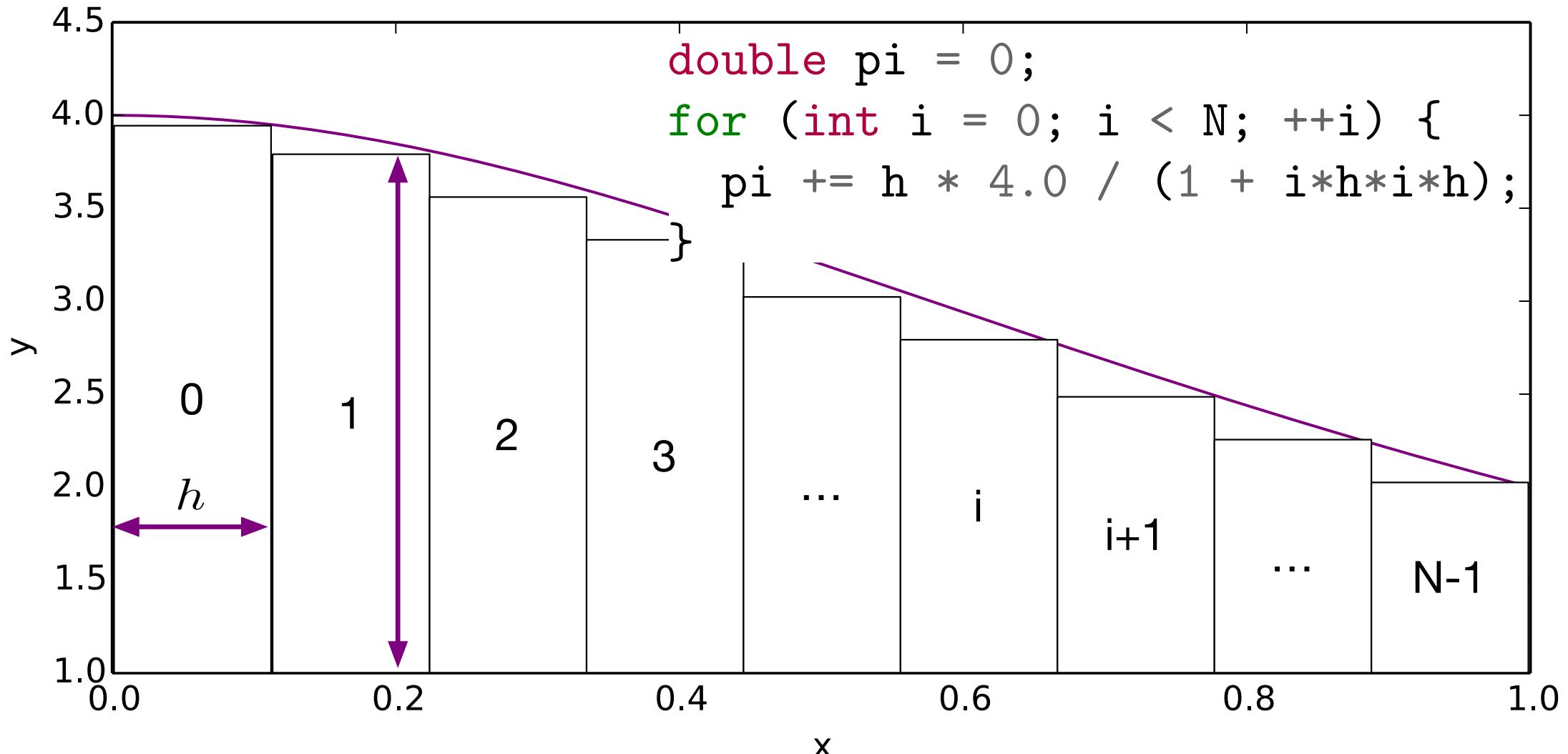
$$\pi = \int_0^1 \frac{4}{1+x^2} dx$$



# Numerical Quadrature



# Numerical Quadrature



# OMP pi 1

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;

#pragma omp parallel
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

Guess?

# Output

```
==== pi_omp_1 ====
```

```
pi is approximately 3.14159265858898
```

```
error is 4.99919039498309e-09
```

```
0.740u 0.000s 0:00.75 98.6%
```

Running with  
1 thread

```
0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

```
pi is approximately 3.14173777858892
```

```
error is 0.000145124999126889
```

```
4.990u 0.000s 0:02.50 199.6%
```

Running with  
2 thread

```
0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

```
pi is approximately 3.14159265858898
```

```
error is 4.99919039498309e-09
```

```
27.130u 0.000s 0:06.82 397.8%
```

Running with  
4 thread

```
0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

# #pragma omp parallel

- #pragma omp parallel spawns a team of threads

Spawn a team of threads

Each thread will execute the parallel region

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;

    #pragma omp parallel
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

# What Happened?

Shared  
variable?

Race  
Condition?

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;

    #pragma omp parallel
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

# Before

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;

    #pragma omp parallel
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

# After

Shared variable

Race condition

Guess?

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;

    #pragma omp parallel for
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

# Output

```
==== pi_omp_2 ====
```

```
pi is approximately 3.14159265858898
```

```
error is 4.99919039498309e-09
```

```
0.740u 0.000s 0:00.74 100.0% 0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

Running with  
1 thread

```
pi is approximately 1.85459043800302
```

```
error is 1.28700221558677
```

```
2.520u 0.000s 0:01.26 200.0% 0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

Running with  
2 thread

```
pi is approximately 0.62208122839478
```

```
error is 2.51951142519501
```

```
6.220u 0.020s 0:01.61 387.5% 0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

Running with  
4 thread

# #pragma omp parallel for

- #pragma omp for divides loop iterations between the spawned threads

Divides loop  
iterations  
between the  
spawned threads

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;

    #pragma omp parallel for
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

```
#pragma omp parallel for
```

```
#pragma omp parallel for  
for(int i = 1; i < 100; ++i)  
{  
    ...  
}
```

Spawn threads,  
then divides loop  
iterations between  
the spawned  
threads

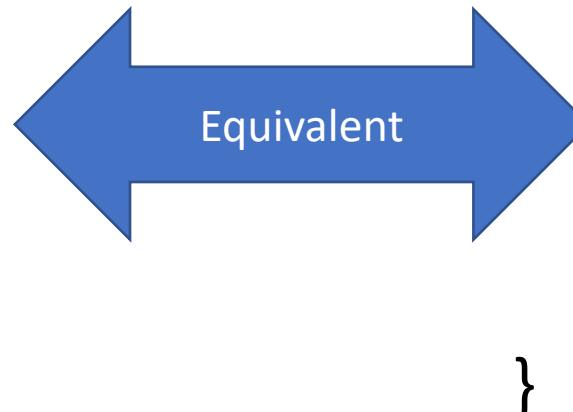
spawn threads

```
#pragma omp parallel
```

```
{
```

```
#pragma omp for  
for(int i = 1; i < 100; ++i)  
{  
    ...  
}
```

Divides loop  
iterations  
between the  
spawned threads



# Before

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;

    #pragma omp parallel for
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

# After

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;

#pragma omp parallel reduction(+:pi)
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

Guess?

# Output

```
==== pi_omp_3 ====
```

```
pi is approximately 3.14159265858898
```

```
error is 4.99919039498309e-09
```

```
0.740u 0.000s 0:00.75 98.6%
```

Running with  
1 thread

```
0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

```
pi is approximately 6.28318531717797
```

```
error is 3.14159266358817
```

```
1.500u 0.000s 0:00.75 200.0%
```

Running with  
2 thread

```
0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

```
pi is approximately 12.5663706343559
```

```
error is 9.42477798076614
```

```
3.130u 0.020s 0:00.79 398.7%
```

Running with  
4 thread

```
0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

```
#pragma omp reduction(+:pi)
```

Syntax:

**reduction**([ reduction-modifier,]reduction-identifier : list)

- Perform some forms of recurrence calculations in parallel
- *reduction-modifier* (optional) is one of the following:
  - inscan/task/default
- A *reduction-identifier* is either an *id-expression* or one of the following operators: +, -, \*, &, |, ^, && and ||.
- *List* could have multiple list items
- The type of each list item must be valid for the *reduction-identifier*.
- For each list item, a private copy is created in each task/thread.
- At the end of the region, the original list item is updated with the values of the private copies using the combiner associated with the *reduction-identifier*.

Too advanced  
for now

# #pragma omp reduction(+:pi)

reduction-  
identifier is “+”

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;
    #pragma omp parallel reduction(+:pi)
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

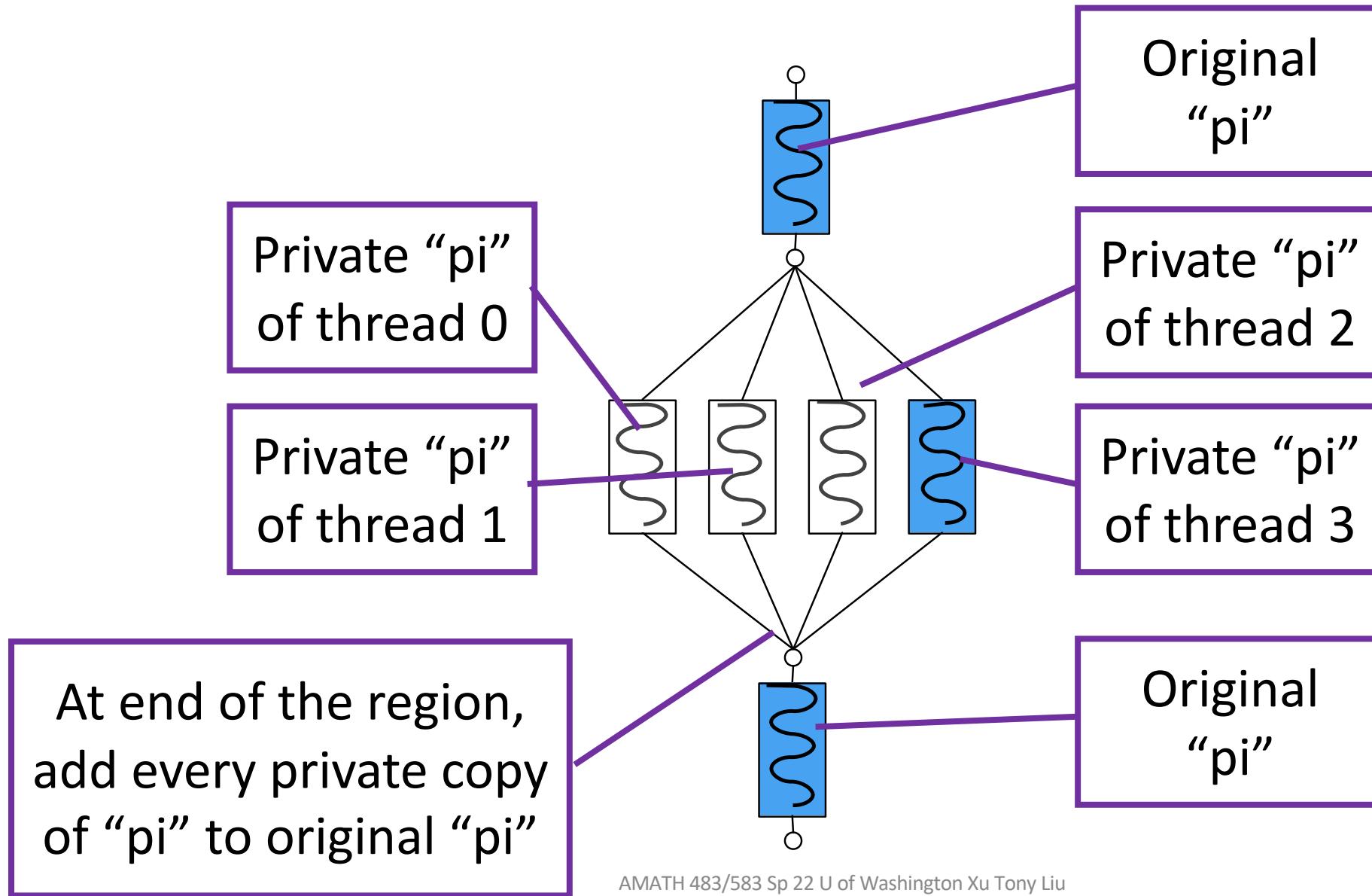
    return 0;
}
```

list item is  
variable “pi”

Meaning?

Add every private  
copy of “pi” up in  
parallel

```
#pragma omp reduction(+:pi)
```



# Before

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;

    double pi = 0.0;

#pragma omp parallel reduction(+:pi)
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }

    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

After

Spawn a team  
of threads

Each thread  
will execute  
the parallel  
region

Divides loop  
iterations  
between the  
spawned threads

Add every private  
copy of “pi” up in  
parallel

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    size_t intervals          = 1024 * 1024;
    if (argc >= 2) intervals = std::stol(argv[1]);
    double h                  = 1.0 / (double)intervals;
    double pi = 0.0;
    #pragma omp parallel for reduction(+:pi)
    for (size_t i = 0; i < intervals; ++i) {
        pi += (h * 4.0) / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }
    std::cout << "pi is approximately " << std::setprecision(15) << pi <<
    std::endl;
    std::cout << "error is " << std::abs(PI25DT - pi) << std::endl;
    return 0;
}
```

# Output

```
==== pi_omp_4 ====
```

```
pi is approximately 3.14159265858898
```

```
error is 4.99919039498309e-09
```

```
0.740u 0.000s 0:00.74 100.0% 0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

Running with  
1 thread

```
pi is approximately 3.14159265858936
```

```
error is 4.99956342991936e-09
```

```
0.750u 0.000s 0:00.38 197.3% 0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

Running with  
2 thread

```
pi is approximately 3.14159265859013
```

```
error is 5.00033436878766e-09
```

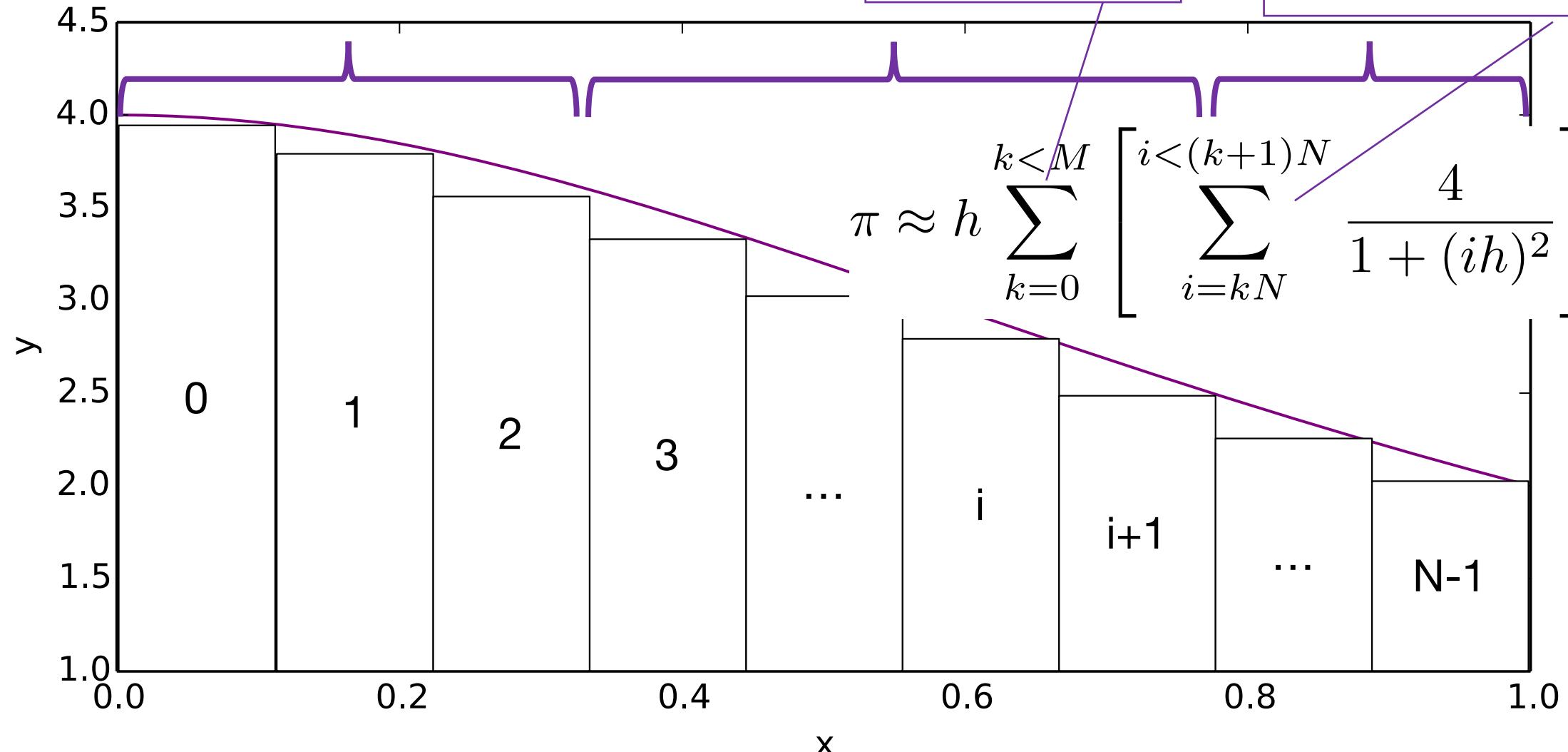
```
0.850u 0.000s 0:00.24 354.1% 0+0k 32+0io 0pf+0w
```

Running with  
4 thread

# Finding Concurrency

Sum over  
partial sums

Partial sum



# Sequential Implementation (Two Nested Loops)

For each set  
of discretized  
points

Compute  
partial sum

Accumulate  
final sum

```
double h = 1.0 / (double) intervals;  
  
double pi = 0.0;  
for (int k = 0; k < intervals; k += blocksize) {  
    double partial_pi = 0.0;  
    for (int i = k; i < (k+blocksize); ++i) {  
        partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i*h*i*h));  
    }  
    pi += h * partial_pi;  
}
```

Discretization

# Sequential v.0

```
size_t blocksize = num_intervals / num_blocks;
double h = 1.0 / (double) num_intervals;
double pi = 0.0;
for (size_t k = 0; k < num_intervals; k += blocksize)
{
    double partial_pi = 0.0;
    for (size_t i = k; i < (k+blocksize); ++i) {
        partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i*h*i*h));
    }
    pi += h * partial_pi;
}
```

# Sequential v.0.5

```
double h = 1.0 / (double) num_intervals;
double pi = 0.0;
for (size_t k = 0; k < num_blocks; ++k)
{
    double partial_pi = 0.0;
    for (size_t i = k; i < num_intervals; i += num_blocks) {
        partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i*h*i*h));
    }
    pi += h * partial_pi;
}
```

# Sequential v.1

```
size_t blocksize = num_intervals / num_blocks;
double h = 1.0 / (double) num_intervals;
double pi = 0.0;
for (size_t k = 0; k < num_blocks; ++k)
{
    size_t begin = k * blocksize;
    size_t end    = (k + 1) * blocksize;

    double partial_pi = 0.0;
    for (size_t i = begin; i < end; ++i) {
        partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i*h*i*h));
    }
    pi += h * partial_pi;
}
```

# Sequential v.2

```
size_t blocksize = num_intervals / num_blocks;
double h = 1.0 / (double) num_intervals;
double pi = 0.0;
for (size_t k = 0; k < num_blocks; ++k)
{
    size_t tid    = k;
    size_t begin = tid * blocksize;
    size_t end   = (tid + 1) * blocksize;

    double partial_pi = 0.0;
    for (size_t i = begin; i < end; ++i) {
        partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i*h*i*h));
    }
    pi += h * partial_pi;
}
```

# Sequential v.3

```
double partial_pi(size_t k, double h, size_t blocksize)
{
    size_t tid    = k;
    size_t begin = tid * blocksize;
    size_t end   = (tid + 1) * blocksize;

    double partial_pi = 0.0;
    for (size_t i = begin; i < end; ++i) {
        partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i*h*i*h));
    }
    return partial_pi;
}

size_t blocksize = num_intervals / num_blocks;
double h = 1.0 / (double) num_intervals;
double pi = 0.0;
for (size_t k = 0; k < num_blocks; ++k)  {
    pi += h * partial_pi(k, h, blocksize);
}
```

# Task version

```
double partial_pi(size_t k, double h, size_t blocksize)
{
    size_t tid    = k;
    size_t begin = tid * blocksize;
    size_t end   = (tid + 1) * blocksize;

    double partial_pi = 0.0;
    for (size_t i = begin; i < end; ++i) {
        partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i*h*i*h));
    }
    return partial_pi;
}

size_t blocksize = num_intervals / num_blocks;
double h = 1.0 / (double) num_intervals;
double pi = 0.0;

std::vector<std::future<double>> futures;
for (size_t k = 0; k < num_blocks; ++k)  {
    futures.push_back(std::async(std::launch::async, partial_pi, k, h, blocksize));
}

for (size_t k = 0; k < num_blocks; ++k)  {
    pi += h * futures[k].get();
}
```

# Sequential

```
size_t blocksize = num_intervals / num_blocks;
double h = 1.0 / (double) num_intervals;
double pi = 0.0;
for (size_t k = 0; k < num_blocks; ++k)
{
    size_t tid = k;
    size_t begin = tid * blocksize;
    size_t end    = (tid + 1) * blocksize;

    double partial_pi = 0.0;
    for (unsigned long i = begin; i < end; ++i) {
        partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }
    pi += h* partial_pi;
}
```

# Before

```
size_t blocksize = num_intervals / num_blocks;
double h = 1.0 / (double) num_intervals;
double pi = 0.0;
for (size_t k = 0; k < num_blocks; ++k)
{
    size_t tid = k;
    size_t begin = tid * blocksize;
    size_t end    = (tid + 1) * blocksize;

    double partial_pi = 0.0;
    for (unsigned long i = begin; i < end; ++i) {
        partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
    }
    pi += h* partial_pi;
}
```

# After

Shared variable

```
size_t blocksize = num_intervals / num_blocks;
double h = 1.0 / (double) num_intervals;
double pi = 0.0;
#pragma omp parallel
{
    size_t tid = omp_get_thread_num();
    size_t begin = tid * blocksize;
    size_t end   = (tid + 1) * blocksize;
```

Add reduction over  
"pi" with "+"  
*reduction-identifier!*

Race condition

```
double partial_pi = 0.0;
for (unsigned long i = begin; i < end; ++i) {
    partial_pi += 4.0 / (1.0 + (i * h * i * h));
}
pi += h* partial_pi;
```

Solution?

# Two Norm Function (Sequential)

- How to parallelize two\_norm using OpenMP?

```
double two_norm(const Vector& x) {  
    double sum = 0.0;  
    for (size_t i = 0; i < x.num_rows(); ++i) {  
        sum += x(i) * x(i);  
    }  
    return std::sqrt(sum);  
}
```

# Two Norm Function (OpenMP)

Add parallel region to spawn a team of threads

Now each thread will execute the parallel region

```
double two_norm(const Vector& x) {  
    double sum = 0.0;  
    #pragma omp parallel  
    for (size_t i = 0; i < x.num_rows(); ++i) {  
        sum += x(i) * x(i);  
    }  
    return std::sqrt(sum);  
}
```

However, every thread is doing the same loop iterations!

# Two Norm Function (OpenMP)

Shared variable

```
double two_norm(const Vector& x) {  
    double sum = 0.0;  
    #pragma omp parallel for  
    for (size_t i = 0; i < x.num_rows(); ++i) {  
        sum += x(i) * x(i);  
    }  
    return std::sqrt(sum);  
}
```

Divides loop iterations between the spawned threads

Race condition

# Two Norm Function (OpenMP)

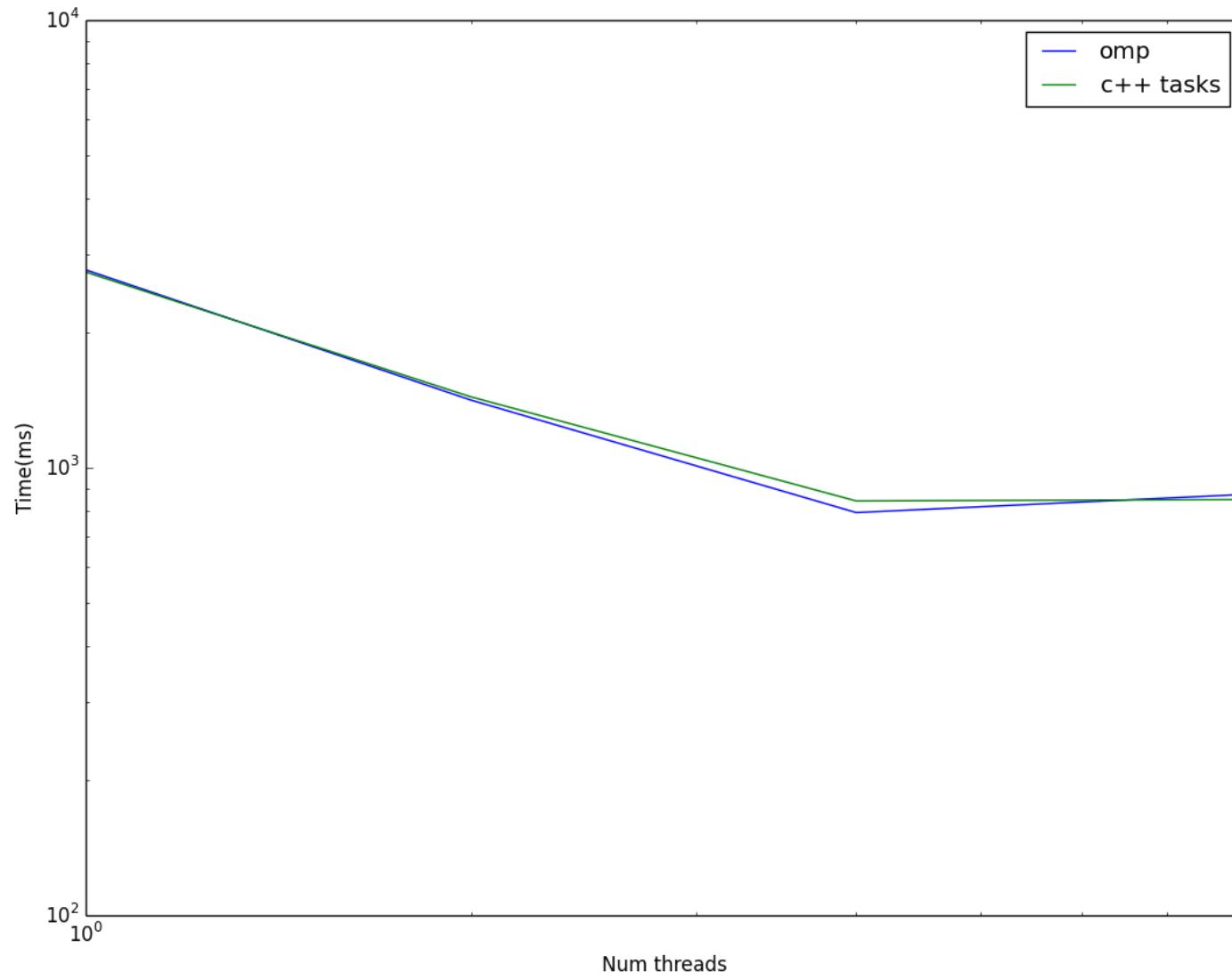
```
double two_norm(const Vector& x) {  
    double sum = 0.0;  
    #pragma omp parallel for reduction(+:sum)  
    for (size_t i = 0; i < x.num_rows(); ++i) {  
        sum += x(i) * x(i);  
    }  
    return std::sqrt(sum);  
}
```

Add reduction over  
"sum" with "+"  
*reduction-identifier!*

# Finally

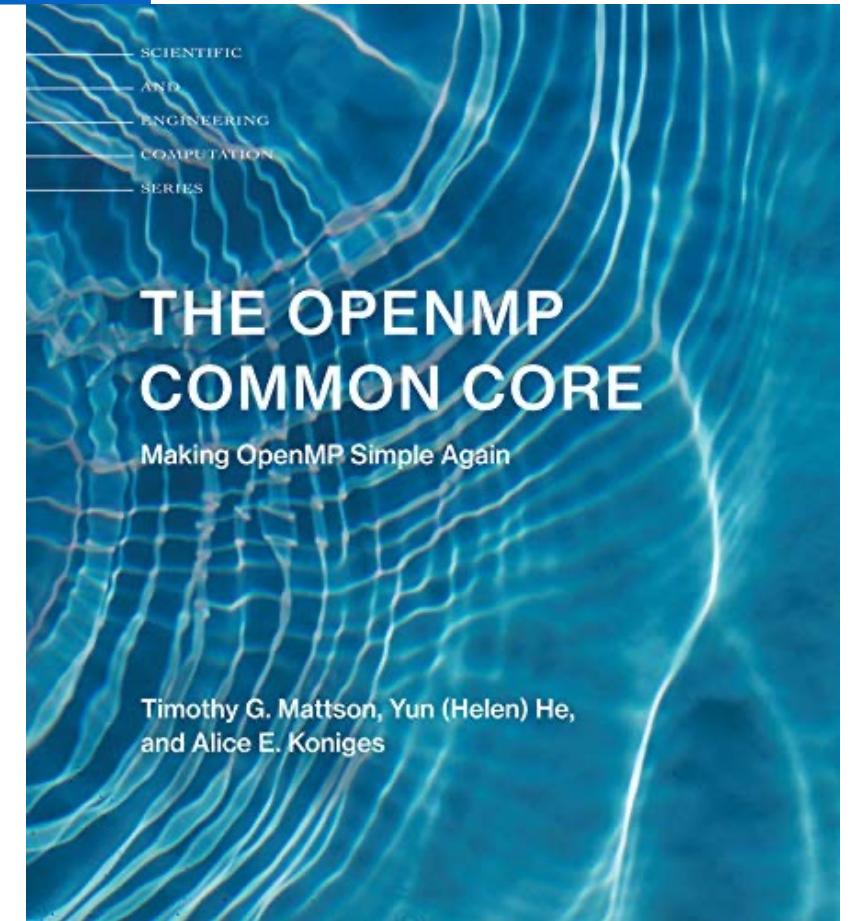
```
double two_norm(const Vector& x) {  
    double sum = 0.0;  
    #pragma omp parallel for reduction(+:sum)  
    for (size_t i = 0; i < x.num_rows(); ++i) {  
        sum += x(i) * x(i);  
    }  
    return std::sqrt(sum);  
}
```

# Performance



# OpenMP Resources

- **OpenMP API Specification**
  - <https://www.openmp.org/spec-html/5.0/openmp.html>
- Book: The OpenMP Common Core
  - Tim Mattson, Helen He, Alice Koniges
- A “Hands-on” Introduction to OpenMP
  - A tutorial by Tim Mattson
  - <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLX-Q6B8xqZ8n8bwjGdzBJ25X2utwnoEG>



Thank you!

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