

# Homework 3

(Due date: Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>)

## PROBLEM 1 (20 PTS)

- Refer to Activity 6 in the *High-Performance Embedded Programming with the Intel® Atom™ platform* → Tutorial 5
  - ✓ Activity 6 – Grayscale Image Morphology: Execute the application so that it generates the `uchip_d.bof` and `uchip_e.bof` files. Provide a screenshot of the execution in the Terminal (erosion or dilation) and complete Table I. (20 pts)

TABLE I. COMPUTATION TIME (US) OF DILATION/EROSION. DE2i-150 BOARD

	Computation Time (us)	
	Sequential	TBB
Dilation		
Erosion		

## PROBLEM 2 (30 PTS)

- In the following code snippet, we apply this transformation to the elements of the vector  $\vec{x}$ . The result is a vector  $\vec{r}$ :

$$r(i) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x(i)}}, i = 0, \dots, n - 1$$

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...
double tmp;
double *x, *r;
x = (double *) calloc (1000,sizeof(double));
r = (double *) calloc (1000,sizeof(double));

tbb:parallel_for (int(0), int(1000), [&] int i) {
    tmp = 1 + exp(-x[i]);
    r[i] = 1/tmp;
} );
...
```

- ✓ If your own words, explain why this code might not generate correct results all the time.
- ✓ How would you fix the code so that correct results are guaranteed?

### PROBLEM 3 (30 PTS)

- Refer to the Activity 1 in the *High-Performance Embedded Programming with the Intel® Atom™ platform* → Tutorial 7
  - ✓ Activity 1 – Modulus. Execute the application. Provide a screenshot of the execution in the Terminal. (10 pts)
- Based on the completion of the Activity 1 (3-stage pipeline), answer the following questions: (20 pts)
  - ✓ Stage 1, whose functor is `my_in(a,b,n)`, has no input (only a `flow_control` object is passed to the functor). Stage 1 feeds input data items into the pipeline and notifies the pipeline when there are no more items in the input stream.
    - What type are the input data items? How many bytes does an input data item occupy?
    - Where in the functor definition code (you can copy and paste the code line) is the output of Stage 1 generated?
  - ✓ Stage 2: Its associated functor is `my_transf()`. This functor has no input parameters.
    - Where in the functor definition code does Stage 2 read its incoming data?
    - Where in the functor definition code is the output of Stage 2 generated?
  - ✓ Stage 3, whose functor is `my_out(c)`:
    - Is the input data to Stage 3 the same as the input parameters of the functor?
    - Where in the functor definition code does Stage 3 read its incoming data?
    - Since, syntax-wise, Stage 3 has no output, how do we store the result for each incoming data item?

### PROBLEM 4 (20 PTS)

- Attach your Project Status Report (no more than 1 page, single-spaced, 2 columns, only one submission per group). This report should contain the initial status of your project. For formatting, use the provided template (`Final Project - Report Template.docx`). The sections included in the template are the ones required in your Final Report. At this stage, you are only required to:
  - ✓ Include a title and a (draft) project description.
- Only student is needed to attach the report (make sure to indicate all the team members).