

Al Programming Assistant

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What is Ollama?



Get up and running with large language models.

Run Llama 3.3, DeepSeek-R1, Phi-4, Mistral, Gemma 3, and other models, locally.

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Available for macOS, Linux, and Windows

I asked ChatGPT:

"Ollama is a company and platform that provides an API for interacting with large language models (LLMs) and AI tools. The platform allows developers to integrate powerful AI capabilities into their applications, particularly focusing on advanced language models similar to GPT-like models.

Ollama aims to make AI tools more accessible by offering easy-to-use solutions for interacting with and deploying LLMs"

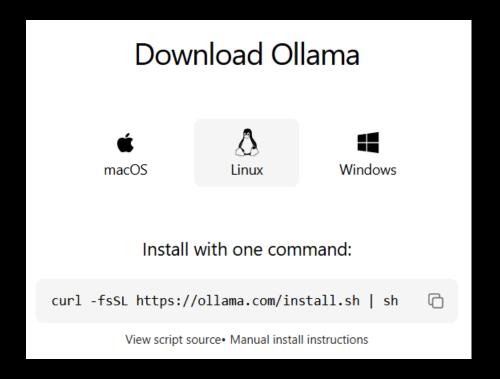
source: ollama.com

Ollama Installation

HPC System

- o curl -fsSL https://ollama.com/install.sh | sh
 or maybe safer to check the commands that will be run with
 https://ollama.com/install.sh
- o to run the script: chmod +x install.sh && ./install.sh
- o manual installation also available on GitHub: https://github.com/ollama/ollama/blob/main/docs/linux.md

The ollama application will be installed in /usr/local/bin



Laptop/Workstation

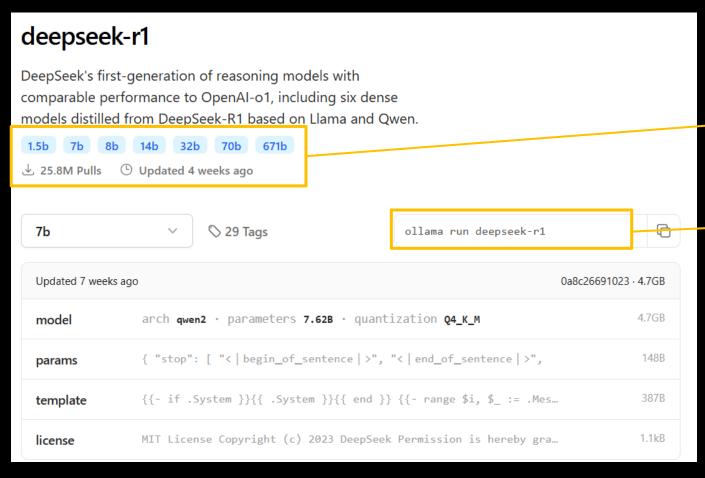
- Can follow the same procedure as above
- Models that are not too big can run on a laptop without GPUs, but will be slow

source: https://ollama.com/download/linux



How to get the Models

Models can be found here: https://ollama.com/library



models run locally on the cluster, workstation or laptop so no information leakage should be occurring

this shows the number of parameters you can use

this command shows how to run it

models themselves are open-source – no licensing, subscriptions or other fees to pay

Editor integration

Vim

Vim users can use vim-ollama: https://github.com/gergap/vim-ollama

• To install: curl -fLo ~/.vim/autoload/plug.vim --create-dirs https://raw.githubusercontent.com/junegunn/vim-plug/master/plug.vim

Then put this in ~/.vimrc:

```
call plug#begin()
Plug 'gergap/vim-ollama'
call plug#end()
```

Open vim and do ":PlugInstall "

Emacs

Emacs users can use Ellama (Emacs Large LAnguage Model Assistant): https://github.com/s-kostyaev/ellama

Prompt Engineering

- Prompt engineering means crafting and refining natural language instructions to guide AI models in generating accurate, relevant, and useful outputs.
- Several approaches:
 - 1. Be specific and detailed: "Write a HIP kernel that computes a reduction on an array of integers. Make sure the code works"
 - 2. Provide context and background Information: "I am building a shallow water model with periodic boundary conditions..."
 - 3. Include example code or templates (Few-Shot Learning): "Here is an example HIP kernel computing convolutions..."
 - 4. Specify the output format and programming language: "The code should be written in C++..."
 - 5. Assign a coding persona or role: "You are a C++ expert. Write a code that implements..."
 - 6. Break down complex tasks (Chain-of-Thought): "Step 1: recognize easily parallelizable loops. 2) Provide a parallel implementation"
 - 7. Use Multi-Step prompts and iterative refinement: "Parallelize the code. Next, refined the code adding error handling"
 - 8. Highlight constraints and best practices: "The code must show great performance, try to avoid atomic operations as much as possible."
 - 9. Experiment with prompt variations: Zero/One/Few shots learning.

Example: You are an expert [C++|C|Fortran] programmer. I want to convert a CPU code to run on an AMD GPU using OpenMP® standard 6.0. Use target directives and make sure the code works. Recognize cases when parallelism creates race conditions and take appropriate measures to avoid that.

Coder LLM vs Reasoning LLM

Coder LLM

- For this presentation: qwen2.5-coder:32b
- An LLM trained on a vast amount of coding examples
- Best used for tasks where you already know the logic and just need a well-formed code snippet
- Lower verbosity is preferred to get concise code quickly.
- Helpful for repetitive and tedious tasks when syntax help is needed but logic is straightforward

Reasoning LLM

- For this presentation: qwq:32b
- An LLM trained to "think" using Chain-of-Thought (or similar)
- Ideal when tackling unfamiliar or complex problems where understanding the logic and process is as important as the final code
- May produce more verbose outputs that include explanations and intermediate reasoning, which can be
 useful for understanding the solution but might require additional parsing if you need just the code.
- Helpful when more logic needs to be used to solve a coding problem (e.g., CPU/GPU porting)



Ollama supported AMD GPUs (as of March 11 2025)

AMD Radeon Ollama supports the following AMD GPUs: Linux Support

Family	Cards and accelerators													
AMD Radeon RX	7900 XTX 7900 XT 7900 GRE 7800 XT 7700 XT 7600 XT 7600 XT 6900 XTX 6900 XTX 6800 XT 6800 Vega 64 Vega 56													
AMD Radeon PRO	W7900 W7800 W7700 W7600 W7500 W6900X W6800X Duo W6800X W6800 V620 V420 V340 V320 Vega II Duo Vega II VII SSG													
AMD Instinct	MI300X MI300A MI300 MI250X MI250 MI210 MI200 MI100 MI60 MI50													

Windows Support

With ROCm v6.1, the following GPUs are supported on Windows.

Family	Cards and accelerators												
AMD Radeon RX	7900 XTX	7900 XT	7900 GRE	7800 X	T 7700	XT	7600 XT	7600	6950 XT	6900 XTX	6900XT	6800 XT	6800
AMD Radeon PRO	W7900 W	V7800 W77	00 W7600	W7500	W6900X	W68	00X Duo	W6800X	W6800	V620			

Source: https://github.com/ollama/ollama/blob/main/docs/gpu.md#amd-radeon
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Start Up Ollama: gfx942 (MI300A and MI300X)

- Start ollama deamon: ollama serve &
 - The & makes it run in the background
 - Might need export OLLAMA_HOST=127.0.0.1:11435 if getting Error: listen tcp 127.0.0.1:11434: bind: address already in use

currently issue on gfx942:
https://github.com/ollama/ollama/issues/8735

```
gcapodag@06a065014af1:~$ ollama serve &
 1 3707250
gcapodag@06a065014af1:~$ 2025/03/12 03:58:04 routes.go:1215: INFO server config env="map[CUDA VI:IBLE DEVICES: GPU DEVICE ORDINAL: HIP VISIBLE DEVICES: HSA OV
ERRIDE GFX VERSION: HTTPS PROXY: HTTP PROXY: NO PROXY: OLLAMA CONTEXT LENGTH: 2048 OLLAMA DEBUG: f
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 HOST:http://127.0.0.1:11435 OLLAMA INTEL GPU:false OLLAMA KEEP ALIVE:5m0s OLLAMA KV CACHE TYPE: OLLAMA LLM LIBRARY: OLLAMA LOAD TIMEOUT:5m0s OLLAMA MAX LOADE
D MODELS:0 OLLAMA MAX QUEUE:512 OLLAMA MODELS:/home/aac/shared/teams/dcgpu training/amd/gcapodag/.models OLLAMA MULTIUSER CACHE:false OLLAMA NEW ENGINE:false
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time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.102Z level=INFO source=images.go:432 msg="total blobs: 0"
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.103Z level=INFO source=images.go:439 msg="total unused blobs removed:
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.106Z level=INFO source=routes.go:1277 msg="Listening on 127.0.0.1:11435 (version 0.5.13)"
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.107Z level=INFO_source=gpu.go:217 msg="looking for compatible GPUs"
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.167Z level=INFO source=amd_linux.go:296 msg="unsupported Radeon iGPU detected skipping" id=0 total="0 B"
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.170Z level=INFO source=amd_linux.go:296 msg="unsupported Radeon iGPU detected skipping" id=1 total="0 B"
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.173Z level=INFO source=amd_linux.go:296 msg="unsupported Radeon iGPU detected skipping" id=2 total="0 B"
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.175Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:296 msg="unsupported Radeon iGPU detected skipping" id=3 total="0 B"
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.175Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:402 msg="no compatible amdgpu devices detected"
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.176Z level=INFO source=gpu.go:377 msg="no compatible GPUs were discovered"
time=2025-03-12T03:58:04.176Z level=INFO source=types.go:130 msg="inference compute" id=0 library=cpu variant="" compute="" driver=0.0 name="" total="502.2 Gi
B" available="443.5 GiB"
```

Start Up Ollama: gfx90a (Ml200 series)

The GPU devices are recognized for gfx90a (MI210 in this particular case)

working on gfx90a

```
gcapodag@5cbfd40d1aaa:~$ 2025/03/13 04:26:17 routes.go:1215: INFO server config env="map[CUDA VISIBL" DEVICES: GPU DEVICE ORDINAL: HIP VISIBLE DEVICES: HSA OV
ERRIDE GFX VERSION: HTTPS PROXY: HTTP PROXY: NO PROXY: OLLAMA CONTEXT LENGTH: 2048 OLLAMA DEBUG: false OLLAMA FLASH ATTENTION: false OLLAMA GPU OVERHEAD: 0 OLLAMA
HOST:http://127.0.0.1:11435 OLLAMA INTEL GPU:false OLLAMA KEEP ALIVE:5m0s OLLAMA KV CACHE TYPE: OLVAMA LLM LIBRARY: OLLAMA LOAD TIMEOUT:5m0s OLLAMA MAX LOADE
D MODELS:0 OLLAMA MAX QUEUE:512 OLLAMA MODELS:/home/aac/shared/teams/dcgpu training/amd/gcapodag/.ollama/models OLLAMA MULTIUSER CACHE:false OLLAMA NEW ENGINE
:false OLLAMA NOHISTORY:false OLLAMA NOPRUNE:false OLLAMA NUM PARALLEL:0 OLLAMA ORIGINS:[http://localhost https://localhost http://localhost:* https://localhost
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time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.270Z level=INFO source=images.go:432 msg="total blobs: 0"
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.271Z level=INFO source=images.go:439 msg="total unused blobs removed: 0/
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.274Z level=INFO source=routes.go:1277 msg="Listening on 127.0.0.1:11435" (version 0.5.13)"
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.274Z level=INFO source=gpu.go:217 msg="looking for compatible GPUs"
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.308Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:386 msg="amdgpu is supported" gpu=GPU-5022e090808b5427 gpu type=gfx90a
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.309Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:386 msg="amdgpu is supported" gpu=GPU-eb8daca7c7f674a2 gpu type=gfx90a
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.309Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:386 msg="amdgpu is supported" gpu=GPU-d369dc9aab45520c gpu type=gfx90a
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.310Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:386 msg="amdgpu is supported" gpu=GPU-b598d638837782d7 gpu type=gfx90a
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.311Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:386 msg="amdgpu is supported" gpu=GPU-e32cbe3ec6f6a640 gpu type=gfx90a
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.312Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:386 msg="amdgpu is supported" gpu=GPU-ad0ed7fbcb23d4c3 gpu type=gfx90a
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.313Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:386 msg="amdgpu is supported" gpu=GPU-31d0d92d2b0e6bbe gpu type=gfx90a
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.314Z level=INFO source=amd linux.go:386 msg="amdgpu is supported" gpu=GPU-dfd218ad6f8e20b9 gpu type=gfx90a
time=2025-03-13T04:26:17.314Z level=INFO source=types.go:130 msg="inference compute" id=GPU-5022e090808b5427 library=rocm variant="" compute=gfx90a driver=6.7
 name=1002:740f total="64.0 GiB" available="64.0 GiB"
```

Run a Model with Ollama

- export OLLAMA_MODELS=\$HOME/.models ollama run qwen2.5-coder:32b
 - will show something like this:

Ollama run will first pull and then run, below is the output of the pull part

```
gcapodag@06a065014af1:~$ ollama run qwen2.5-coder:32b
[GIN] 2025/03/12 - 04:09:28 | 200
                                                          127.0.0.1
                                          43.93μs
                                                                                "/api/show"
[GIN] 2025/03/12 - 04:09:28 |
                                       4.536189ms
                                                           127.0.0.1
pulling manifest " [GIN] 2025/03/12 - 04:09:29 | 200
                                                                                                    "/api/pull"
                                                         1.148589014s
                                                                              127.0.0.1 | POST
pulling manifest
pulling ac3d1ba8aa77... 100% 🛭
                                                                                                                                 19 GB
pulling 66b9ea09bd5b... 100% E
                                                                                                                                  68 B
pulling e94a8ecb9327... 100% E
                                                                                                                                1.6 KB
pulling 832dd9e00a68... 100% E
                                                                                                                                 11 KB
pulling f0676bd3c336... 100% E
                                                                                                                                 488 B
verifying sha256 digest
writing manifest
success
```

Once ready, you will see this prompt:

```
>>> <mark>S</mark>end a message (/? for help)
```

To exit, type /bye



Hipify a code with qwen2.5-coder:32b

- Hipify this code:
 HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vector_addition_examples/vector_addition_hipify/vector_addition.cu
- Prompt:
 You are an experienced GPU programmer with knowledge of AMD GPUs and HIP, hipify this code: <code>
- Answer:

To convert the given CUDA code to use HIP (Heterogeneous-computing Interface for Portability) for AMD GPUs, you need to replace CUDA-specific API calls and syntax with their HIP equivalents. Below is the hipified version of your code:

output code

•••

```
### Key Changes:
1. **Kernel Launch Syntax**: The `<<<...>>>` syntax is replaced with `hipLaunchKernelGGL`.
2. **API Function Names**: CUDA API functions are prefixed with `cuda` and need to be replaced with the corresponding HIP functions prefixed with `hip`, such as `cudaMalloc` becomes `hipMalloc`.
3. **Error Checking**: The error checking macro remains mostly the same but uses `hipGetErrorString` instead of `cudaGetErrorString`.
This code should now be compatible with AMD GPUs using the HIP framework. Make sure to compile it with a HIP-capable compiler, such as `hcc` or `clang` with HIP support enabled.
```

Hipify a code with qwen2.5-coder:32b

 Compare with: HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vector_addition_examples/vector_addition_error_check/vector_addition.cpp

```
Forgot to
   add the
                                                                                                    Macro for checking GPU API return values */
   hip runtime
                           #define gpuCheck(call)
                                                                                                   #define gpuCheck(call)
   include,
                              hipError t gpuErr = call;
                                                                                                      hipError t gpuErr = call;
                              if(hipSuccess != gpuErr)
                                                                                                      if(hipSuccess != gpuErr)
   but so did
                                  printf("GPU API Error
                                                                                                         printf("GPU API Error
                                                                                                         exit(1);
   hipify-perl
                           }while(0)
                                                                                                   }while(0)
gwen2.5-coder
                              int thr per blk = 256;
                                                                                                      int thr per blk = 256;
                              int blk_in_grid = ceil( float(N) / thr_per_blk );
                                                                                                      int blk_in_grid = ceil( float(N) / thr_per_blk );
Using an old
                                                                                                       ector addition<<<blk in grid, thr per blk>>>(d A, d B, d C, N);
syntax but
                              gpuCheck( hipGetLastError() );
                                                                                                      gpuCheck( hipGetLastError() );
still working
                              gpuCheck ( hipDeviceSynchronize() );
                                                                                                      gpuCheck ( hipDeviceSynchronize() );
                              printf("Blocks in Grid : %d\n", blk in grid);
                                                                                                      printf("Blocks in Grid : %d\n", blk in grid);
                              printf("Threads per Block: %d\n", thr per blk);
                                                                                                      printf("Threads per Block: %d\n", thr per blk);
                              printf("======\n\n");
                                                                                                      printf("======\n\n");
                              return 0;
                                                                                                      return 0;
```

original

Hipify a code with qwq:32b

- Hipify this code:
 HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vector_addition_examples/vector_addition_hipify/vector_addition.cu
- Prompt:
 You are an experienced GPU programmer with knowledge of AMD GPUs and HIP, hipify this code: <code>
- Answer:

So, first step: Include <hip/hip_runtime.h> instead of the implicit cuda_runtime.h. The user's original code didn't include that explicitly, but CUDA code typically includes #include <cuda_runtime.h>. So adding:

#include <hip/hip_runtime.h>
At the top, replacing any CUDA-specific headers.



it knows about the hip_runtime

but it **does not** produce code

```
Now, looking at all instances of 'cuda' in the code:

- The macro uses cudaError_t → change to hipError_t

- cudaMalloc → hipMalloc

- cudaMemcpyHostToDevice → hipMemcpyHostToDevice (the enum is the same but under HIP)
Wait: cudaMemcpyHostToDevice becomes hipMemcpyHostToDevice. Similarly for DeviceToHost.

So all cudaMemcpy calls should have their direction enums prefixed with 'hip' instead of 'cuda'.

The line:

gpuCheck( cudaMemcpy(d_A, h_A, bytes, cudaMemcpyHostToDevice) );

Becomes:

gpuCheck( hipMemcpy(d_A, h_A, bytes, hipMemcpyHostToDevice) );

Same for the other cudaMemcpy calls.
```

- Write a portable CMakeLists.tx for this code: HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vectorAdd/vectoradd.hip
- Prompt:
- You are an experienced CMAKE programmer with knowledge of HIP and CUDA, write a CMakeLists.txt that is portable between HIP and CUDA when the user specifies CMAKE_GPU_RUNTIME as input variable for CMake. Note that HIP is a portable language so you do not need to switch source file for CUDA or HIP, the same source file called "vectoradd.hip" can be use for either choice of CMAKE_GPU_RUNTIME, this is the code: <code>
- Answer:

To create a `CMakeLists.txt` that can handle both HIP and CUDA based on the `CMAKE_GPU_RUNTIME` variable, you need to set up your CMake project to conditionally include the appropriate compiler flags and link against the correct libraries. The same source file `vectoradd.hip` will be used for both HIP and CUDA.

Here's a CMakeLists.txt that achieves this:

Compare with: HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vectorAdd/CMakeLists.txt

How was the code for HIP?

Just needed to modify one line: project(VectorAdd LANGUAGES CXX CUDA)

but only so we could rup it on a great contact. but only so we could run it on a system where CUDA is not installed

```
gcapodag@06a065014af1:~/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vectorAdd/build$ cmake -DCMAKE GPU RUNTIME=HIP ...
-- The HIP compiler identification is Clang 18.0.0
-- Detecting HIP compiler ABI info
-- Detecting HIP compiler ABI info - done
-- Check for working HIP compiler: /opt/rocm-6.3.3/lib/llvm/bin/clang++ - skipped
-- Detecting HIP compile features
-- Detecting HIP compile features - done
-- Performing Test CMAKE HAVE LIBC PTHREAD
-- Performing Test CMAKE HAVE LIBC PTHREAD - Success
-- Found Threads: TRUE
-- Configuring done (2.6s)
-- Generating done (0.1s)
-- Build files have been written to: /home/aac/shared/teams/dcgpu training/amd/gcapodag/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vectorAdd/build
gcapodag@06a065014af1:~/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vectorAdd/build$ make
[ 50%] Building HIP object CMakeFiles/vector add.dir/vectoradd.hip.o
[100%] Linking HIP executable vector add
                                                                                  gcapodag@06a065014af1:~/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vectorAdd/build$ ./vector add
[100%] Built target vector add
                                                                                   System minor 4
gcapodag@06a065014af1:~/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vectorAdd/build$ ./vector add
                                                                                   System major 9
 System minor 4
                                                                                   agent prop name AMD Instinct MI300A
System major 9
                                                                                  hip Device prop succeeded
 agent prop name AMD Instinct MI300A
                                                                                  PASSED!
hip Device prop succeeded
```

PASSED!

How was the code for CUDA?

Needed to add:

```
find_package(CUDAToolkit REQUIRED)
```

```
if (${CMAKE_GPU_RUNTIME} MATCHES "CUDA")
    set(CMAKE_CUDA_FLAGS "${CMAKE_CUDA_FLAGS} -I/$ENV{HIP_PATH}/include")
    endif()
```

```
set_source_files_properties(${SOURCE_FILES} PROPERTIES LANGUAGE ${CMAKE_GPU_RUNTIME})
```

How was the code for CUDA?

Tested on Gilgamesh (University of Oregon system with NVIDIA H100 and AMD MI210)

```
[gcapodag@gilgamesh build]$ cmake -DCMAKE GPU RUNTIME=CUDA ..
-- The CXX compiler identification is GNU 8.5.0
-- The CUDA compiler identification is NVIDIA 12.8.93
-- Detecting CXX compiler ABI info
-- Detecting CXX compiler ABI info - done
-- Check for working CXX compiler: /usr/bin/c++ - skipped
-- Detecting CXX compile features
-- Detecting CXX compile features - done
-- Detecting CUDA compiler ABI info
-- Detecting CUDA compiler ABI info - done
-- Check for working CUDA compiler: /packages/cuda/12.8.1/bin/nvcc - skipped
-- Detecting CUDA compile features
-- Detecting CUDA compile features - done
-- Found CUDAToolkit: /packages/cuda/12.8.1/include (found version "12.8.93")
-- Performing Test CMAKE HAVE LIBC PTHREAD
-- Performing Test CMAKE HAVE LIBC PTHREAD - Failed
-- Looking for pthread create in pthreads
-- Looking for pthread create in pthreads - not found
-- Looking for pthread create in pthread
-- Looking for pthread create in pthread - found
-- Found Threads: TRUE
-- Configuring done (2.5s)
-- Generating done (0.0s)
-- Build files have been written to: /home/users/gcapodag/repos/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/vectorAdd/build
```

Shows that we are running on Nvidia

[gcapodag@gilgamesh build]\$./vector_add System minor 0 System major 9 agent prop name NVIDIA H100 PCIe hip Device prop succeeded PASSED!

- Start from this code:
 Pragma_Examples/OpenMP/Fortran/1_saxpy/0_saxpy_serial_portyourself/saxpy.F90
- Prompt:
 You are an expert Fortran and GPU programmer. You want to convert a CPU code to run on an AMD GPU using OpenMP standard 6.0. Use target directives and make sure the code works. Recognize cases when parallelism creates race conditions and take appropriate measures to avoid that. The CPU code is: <code>
- Answer:

```
To convert your CPU code to run on an AMD GPU using OpenMP 6.0 and its target directives, you need to make several modifications. The key changes involve adding `!$omp target` and related directives to offload the work to the GPU. Additionally, you should ensure that any parallelism does not introduce race conditions.

Here's how you can modify your code:

1. **Add Target Directives**: Use `!$omp target` to specify which parts of the code should run on the GPU.

2. **Data Mapping**: Ensure data is mapped correctly between the host (CPU) and device (GPU).

3. **Avoid Race Conditions**: In this specific case, there are no race conditions since each element of `y` is updated independently.

Here's the modified code:
```

How was the code?

- It forgot to declare the loop index i: integer :: i
- Compiler warning: simd information on composite construct discarded (that is just due to amdflang-new)

This is the key part of the code

```
!$omp target map(to: a,x) map(tofrom: y)
!$omp teams distribute parallel do simd
do i=1,n
    y(i) = a * x(i) + y(i)
end do
!$omp end teams distribute parallel do simd
!$omp end target
```

I modified it like this and got the same exact output

```
!$omp target teams distribute parallel do simd map(to: a,x) map(tofrom: y)
do i=1,n
    y(i) = a * x(i) + y(i)
end do
!$omp end target teams distribute parallel do simd
```



Next level:

- Prompt:
 - If you are on an MI300A with HSA_XNACK=1, what could be simplified in the program?
- Answer:

```
When working on an AMD MI300A GPU with `HSA_XNACK=1`, you can simplify some aspects of your OpenMP target directives. The `HSA_XNACK=1` setting allows for the handling of non-accessible memory (XNACK) in Heterogeneous System Architecture (HSA), which means that you don't need to explicitly map data between host and device using the `map` clause as frequently. This can simplify your code.

Here's how you can adjust your program to take advantage of `HSA_XNACK=1`:

1. **Remove Explicit Data Mapping**: Since `HSA_XNACK=1` handles memory access automatically, you can omit the explicit `map` clauses.

2. **Simplify Target Directives**: Focus on offloading the loops and parallelism without worrying about data mapping.

Here's the simplified version of your code:
```

How was the code this time?

- Still forgot to declare the loop index i: integer :: i
- Same compiler warning: simd information on composite construct discarded (that is just due to amdflang-new)

Before

```
!$omp target map(to: a,x) map(tofrom: y)
!$omp teams distribute parallel do simd
do i=1,n
    y(i) = a * x(i) + y(i)
end do
!$omp end teams distribute parallel do simd
!$omp end target
```

After

```
!$omp target
!$omp teams distribute parallel do simd
do i=1,n
    y(i) = a * x(i) + y(i)
end do
!$omp end teams distribute parallel do simd
!$omp end target
```

Same output as before but faster

Convert OpenACC to OpenMP® code with qwen2.5-coder:32b

Start from this code: Pragma_Examples/OpenACC/Fortran/freduce/freduce.F

```
do i=1, 10
    sum2=0.0
    sum1=1000.0
!$ACC PARALLEL LOOP REDUCTION(+:sum2) COPYIN(array(1:10))
    do j=1, 10
        sum2=sum2+array(j)
    end do

buffer(i)=sum1+sum2
end do
```

Prompt:

You are an experienced Fortran programmer with knowledge of OpenACC and OpenMP, convert the following code that performs a reduction with OpenACC into a code that uses OpenMP to perform the same operation but on a GPU. This is the code: <code>

Answer:

Converting a code from using OpenACC to OpenMP for GPU execution involves several changes. However, it's important to note that **OpenMP does not natively support GPU offloading** as of the latest standards (as of 2023). OpenMP primarily targets multi-threaded CPU execution with some support for accelerators through directives like `target`, but this requires specific compiler support and configurations.

If you want to perform a reduction operation on a GPU using OpenMP, you would typically use an extension or a combination of OpenMP and another tool that supports GPU offloading. One common approach is to use **NVIDIA's OpenMP target extensions** with the NVIDIA HPC SDK (formerly known as PGI compilers).

Below is a step-by-step guide to convert your Fortran code from using OpenACC to using OpenMP with GPU offloading, assuming you have access to a compiler that supports these features.

Convert OpenACC to OpenMP® code with qwen2.5-coder:32b

How was the code?

Getting compiler errors but it somewhat understood the assignment

qwen2.5-coder:32b

```
!$omp target map(to: array) map(from: buffer)
do i=1, 10
    sum2 = 0.0
    sum1 = 1000.0
    !$omp teams distribute parallel do reduction(+:sum2)
    do j=1, 10
        sum2 = sum2 + array(j)
    end do

buffer(i) = sum1 + sum2
end do
!$omp end target
```

revision

```
do i=1, 10
    sum2 = 0.0
    sum1 = 1000.0
    !$omp target teams distribute parallel do reduction(+:sum2) map(to: array) map(from: buffer)
    do j=1, 10
        sum2 = sum2 + array(j)
    end do
    !$omp end target teams distribute parallel do

buffer(i) = sum1 + sum2
end do
```

compile error due to !\$omp teams not being after !\$omp target

```
error: loc("/home/aac/shared/teams/dcgpu_training/amd/gcapodag/HPCTrainingExamples/Pragma_Examples/OpenACC/Fortran/freduce/ollama.F90":20:15): expected to be nested inside of omp.target or not nested in any OpenMP dialect operations error: verification of lowering to FIR failed
```

Convert OpenACC to OpenMP® code with qwen2.5-coder:32b

- Start from this code: HPCTrainingExamples/Pragma_Examples/OpenACC/Fortran/freduce/freduce.F
- Prompt:

You are an experienced Fortran programmer with knowledge of OpenACC and OpenMP, convert the following code that performs a reduction with OpenACC into a code that uses OpenMP to perform the same operation but on a GPU. Note that we only want the reduction to happen on GPU. This is the code: <code>

Answer:

To convert the given Fortran code from using OpenACC to using OpenMP with GPU offloading for the reduction operation, you can use the `target teams distribute parallel for` construct provided by OpenMP 4.5 and later. Here's how you can modify the code:

```
!$omp target data map(to: array) map(from: buffer)
do i=1, 10
    sum2=0.0
    sum1=1000.0

! Offload the reduction to the GPU
!$omp target teams distribute parallel do reduction(+:sum2)
do j=1, 10
    sum2=sum2+array(j)
end do

buffer(i)=sum1+sum2
end do
!$omp end target data
```

the code compiles and runs out of the box with amdflang-new and HSA_XNACK=1

note the use of !\$omp target data map
instead of !\$omp target map

What about Reproducibility?

I gave the exact same prompt and code as in the previous slide to qwen2.5-coder:32b, this time running on MI210 instead of MI300A

Answer:

To convert the given Fortran code that uses OpenACC to a version using OpenMP for GPU execution, you need to make use of the `target` directive provided by OpenMP. The `target` directive allows offloading loops and other constructs to the GPU. However, note that OpenMP does not directly support reduction on the GPU in the same way as OpenACC. You will need to manually handle the reduction using shared memory within a GPU kernel.

Previous result

```
!$omp target data map(to: array) map(from: buffer)
do i=1, 10
    sum2=0.0
    sum1=1000.0

! Offload the reduction to the GPU
!$omp target teams distribute parallel do reduction(+:sum2)
do j=1, 10
    sum2=sum2+array(j)
end do

buffer(i)=sum1+sum2
end do
!$omp end target data
```

Current result

```
!$omp target data map(to:array) map(fromto:buffer)
do i=1, 10
    sum2 = 0.0
    sum1 = 1000.0

! Offload the loop to the GPU with manual reduction
!$omp target teams distribute parallel do private(j) reduction(+:sum2)
do j=1, 10
    sum2 = sum2 + array(j)
    not needed
end do

buffer(i) = sum1 + sum2
end do
!$omp end target data
```

Convert complex C++ code with MPI and OpenMP® to Fortran

- Start from this code:
 HPCTrainingExamples/MPI-examples/GhostExchange/GhostExchange_ArrayAssign/Ver1/GhostExchange.cc
- Prompt:

You are an experienced Fortran and C++ programmer with knowledge of OpenMP to run on GPU, MPI and GPU programming. The following code is computing a simple averaging kernel over a 2D domain discretized with a Cartesian structured mesh which is partitioned among MPI ranks. The code executes in parallel with MPI and OpenMP and is currently implemented in C++. Note that the code is using an allocator for 2D arrays called malloc2D.h. Consider that in Fortran, handling 2D arrays is a lot simpler than in C++ and therefore do not assume you need any external allocator for 2D arrays. Note additionally that the following code is written for AMD GPUs with HSA_XNACK=1 and is using unified share memory. Using this information, write a variant of this code that does the same job, but is written in Fortran instead of C++, here is the code: <code>

Answer:

The provided C code simulates a distributed Cartesian grid using MPI, with each process handling a subgrid of a larger global grid. The code includes functionalities to initialize the grid, perform halo exchanges between neighboring processes, and print the entire grid in a structured format. Below is an analysis and explanation of key parts of the code:

Key Components
Example Usage

Key MPI Functions Used ### Potential Improvements

By understanding these components and their interactions, you can effectively use and extend this code for distributed computing tasks involving Cartesian grids.[GIN] 2025/03/12 - 21:50:06 | 200 | 3m43s | 127.0.0.1 | POST | "/api/chat"

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Summary

- LLMs can assist programmers with some of their computing task
- Coder models can produce code as advised by the prompt, limited number of information shared, focusing
 on key aspects
- Reasoning models can provide insights on a topic and serve as a "source of information", but tend to be rather chatty
- Rather simple tasks can be processed effectively, more complex task not there yet
- The prompt provided can make a big difference in the outcome obtained
- LLMs can assist programmers with conversion tools that may not be widely available (such as OpenACC to OpenMP[®] conversion)
- Outcome has to be viewed in probabilistic sense, so reproducibility is not really to be expected



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