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SaC lab 01

1 Task 1

Make sure you have the SaC compiler available. If you use the lab machines you may add the following to your .bashrc:

export PATH=\$PATH:/home/hv15/students/bin

Alternatively, you can download a binary distribution from

http://www.sac-home.org/index.php?p=.%2F55_Download%2F21_SaC_1.0_Releases

Unpack the archive and follow the instructions in the README. Please note, that this is a package using an older build-system that requires some slightly different setup which is explained in the README. Note as well, that multi-threaded execution (Task 3) in that version is achieved by using a flag -mt instead of -t mt_pth.

2 Task 2

Get the SaC tutorial from

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http://www.sac-home.org/publications/tutorial.pdf
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Attempt the following excercises:

- 1. Write a hello world program, compile and run it.
- 2. Excercise 1. Make sure you compile with -check tc as this introduces a higher level of runtime checks.
- 3. Excercise 4
- 4. Excercise 5
- 5. Excercise 9
- 6. Excercise 15

3 Task 3

Implement the approximation of π discussed in the lecture. Compile it using -t mt_pth as additional option. Run the executable with a commandline argument -mt n where n is a number between 1 and 10. Compare the programm's behaviour with that of your openMP experiments.

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