

**CMPE 478: Parallel Processing**  
**Fall 2013, Homework 2**  
*(This project can be done in groups of 2 students)*

In this project, you will use OpenMP to parallelize Google's ranking process and apply it on the Erdos Web Graph which can be downloaded at <http://web-graph.org/>. The ranking will be done by carrying out the following iteration:

$$r^{(0)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ \dots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Repeat**  
 $r^{(t+1)} = \alpha P r^{(t)} + (1 - \alpha) c$   
**until**  $\|r^{(t+1)} - r^{(t)}\|_1 \leq \varepsilon$

Here

- $c = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ \dots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- Take  $\alpha$  as 0.2
- $\|r^{(t+1)} - r^{(t)}\|_1 = \sum |r_i^{(t+1)} - r_i^{(t)}|$
- $\varepsilon$  is a small number, e.g.  $10^{-5}$

The matrix  $P$  is to be stored in CSR format. CSR format is explained below. You should provide a write-up of how you implemented your project and the following results:

a) The timings obtained:

Test No.	Scheduling Method	Chunk Size	No. of Iterations	Timings in secs for each number of threads							
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1											
2											
...											

b) The first 5 hosts that have the highest rankings.

### Google Ranking Process

You can take a look at the following to learn about the Google ranking process.

- <http://www.cmpe.boun.edu.tr/~ozturan/etm555/google.pdf>
- <http://infolab.stanford.edu/~backrub/google.html>
- <http://www.rose-hulman.edu/~bryan/googleFinalVersionFixed.pdf>

### CSR Matrix Storage Format

Consider the following sparse matrix storage scheme, called compressed sparse row (CSR) format. An example of a matrix represented in this format is given below:

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 0 & 13 & 14 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 23 & 24 & 0 \\ 31 & 32 & 33 & 34 & 0 \\ 0 & 42 & 0 & 44 & 0 \\ 51 & 52 & 0 & 0 & 55 \end{bmatrix}$$

The above matrix will be stored as follows:

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row_begin  = [ 0  3  5  9 11 14 ]
values     = [ 11 13 14 23 24 31 32 33 34 42 44 51 52 55 ]
col_indices = [ 0  2  3  2  3  0  1  2  3  1  3  0  1  4 ]
```

Let  $N$  stand for the number of nonzero entries in the matrix and  $n$  stand for the number of rows. The array **values** contains non-zero entries in the matrix in row wise order. The array **col\_indices** gives the corresponding column indices of these values. The array **row\_begin** of size  $n+1$  stores the beginning index of each row in the **values** (and **col\_indices** arrays). The last entry in **row\_begin** stores  $N+1$  so that the expression **row\_begin**[ $i+1$ ]-**row\_begin**[ $i$ ] gives the number of nonzeros in row  $i$ .