

Project 5

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1 INTRODUCTION

For our final lab we took Dr. Davendra's three flow shop optimization problems, the first being vanilla (FSS), the second being blocking (FSSB), and the third being no-wait (FSSNW). We were provided the skeleton code for these labs already, they were only missing the method of generating the schedules. After completing the scheduler we completed the rest of the test trials in the lab.

2 METHODS

We closely followed the implementation details on both Dr. Davendra's PDF, along with some other online resources to get the scheduling completed. We also modified the original code to run all 120 test cases for each of the three flow shop methods at once. These all printed out into the console where we then formatted and copied the data.

The flow shop algorithm itself is a heuristic on the scheduling problem which avoids brute force methods of determining optimal scheduling for concurrent tasks with multiple workers. This allows the program to return accurate results in little time, but has the downside that there is no guarantee that the results will be the actual optimum.

3 ANALYSIS

The three algorithms tested ran in acceptable times and produced seemingly accurate results. When compared with other test data found online, the results agreed. Other than prima facie impressions about the algorithm we gained little insight into how well this particular algorithm performed against others of the same class.

4 CONCLUSION

This lab was an interesting detour away from our rigorous study of optimizing our original 15 functions. It's hard to tell exactly how good or bad our results were, but it was interesting to see optimization done in a different context.

5 RESULTS

Flow Shop Results						
Test case	FSS	Time(ms)	FSSB	Time(ms)	FSSNW	Time(ms)
1	1297	0	1428	0	17091	0
2	1383	0	1445	0	18245	0
3	1189	0	1466	0	17929	0
4	1340	0	1529	0	18938	0
5	1277	0	1408	0	16657	0
6	1224	0	1459	0	16623	0
7	1289	0	1479	0	16812	0
8	1238	0	1516	0	16743	0
9	1259	0	1446	0	17288	0
10	1167	0	1381	0	16283	0
11	1707	1	1799	0	26305	0
12	1731	1	1922	0	27937	0
13	1604	2	1742	0	23435	0
14	1463	1	1665	0	23664	0
15	1486	1	1679	0	24546	0
16	1521	1	1672	0	23350	0
17	1536	1	1694	0	23410	0
18	1655	1	1837	0	25954	0
19	1653	1	1814	0	24379	0
20	1686	1	1820	0	26449	0
21	2396	2	2504	1	41291	1
22	2205	2	2370	1	40726	2
23	2451	2	2580	1	40938	1
24	2299	2	2408	1	40171	1
25	2370	2	2507	1	40726	1
26	2352	2	2447	1	39985	1
27	2359	2	2445	1	41381	1
28	2324	2	2416	1	40210	1
29	2326	2	2468	1	41029	1
30	2304	2	2410	1	40052	1
31	2729	10	3301	4	90040	4
32	2919	11	3473	4	93956	5
33	2734	10	3294	4	88526	5
34	2849	10	3348	4	93002	5
35	2870	10	3433	4	94648	5
36	2861	9	3387	4	91854	5
37	2776	9	3235	4	86024	5
38	2716	9	3307	4	90668	5
39	2600	9	3130	4	86204	5
40	2801	10	3369	4	94282	5
41	3221	12	3923	9	124255	10
42	3099	13	3779	9	119557	10
43	3051	12	3723	9	116540	10
44	3201	12	3905	9	120373	10
45	3153	11	3848	8	125511	10
46	3185	13	3900	9	118536	10
47	3239	12	3987	9	125846	10
48	3204	15	3842	9	122633	10
49	3054	25	3833	9	116951	10
50	3275	18	3947	9	122137	10
51	4133	39	4755	18	186401	22
52	3953	37	4544	18	172949	22
53	3941	34	4571	19	177161	23
54	3989	33	4681	19	167367	23
55	3995	38	4539	19	177463	22
56	3895	37	4589	20	173601	23
57	3917	38	4593	20	177406	21
58	4030	28	4580	19	175451	22
59	4028	33	4531	20	176227	22

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60	3934	36	4651	19	175613	21
61	5527	55	6637	31	341593	37
62	5308	62	6520	33	348559	38
63	5235	56	6379	33	330137	38
64	5025	54	6176	32	322463	37
65	5298	54	6488	32	327590	37
66	5154	55	6270	32	337158	39
67	5324	51	6567	32	345018	39
68	5137	56	6464	31	327843	38
69	5514	51	6673	33	347061	38
70	5371	52	6776	32	340545	37
71	5895	97	7526	70	446080	78
72	5540	93	7258	66	427988	76
73	5832	104	7323	67	439027	78
74	6073	95	7584	68	469628	80
75	5643	95	7330	66	428141	76
76	5474	101	7158	69	421132	79
77	5751	98	7330	69	435170	80
78	5803	105	7273	67	446972	77
79	6058	98	7577	67	445413	80
80	5913	110	7528	68	450267	78
81	6651	193	8225	139	614406	166
82	6599	182	8206	143	617564	164
83	6630	215	8328	144	607365	169
84	6585	197	8337	141	605765	165
85	6724	190	8300	143	596913	164
86	6646	182	8330	141	594087	159
87	6639	186	8406	142	613865	165
88	6775	186	8455	144	624521	161
89	6721	190	8266	141	606648	166
90	6784	188	8403	139	620298	165
91	11058	767	14456	500	1.67E+06	603
92	10756	741	14329	507	1.62E+06	596
93	11200	852	14443	508	1.66E+06	618
94	11057	899	14456	516	1.62E+06	609
95	10711	739	14393	507	1.63E+06	597
96	10571	735	14188	508	1.63E+06	602
97	11061	797	14608	507	1.66E+06	610
98	10923	784	14559	502	1.65E+06	598
99	10605	716	14261	514	1.68E+06	640
100	10931	828	14383	507	1.65E+06	611
101	11708	1443	15622	1146	2.18E+06	1231
102	11907	1449	15786	1131	2.17E+06	1237
103	11890	1389	15806	1151	2.16E+06	1283
104	11844	1375	15746	1138	2.17E+06	1261
105	11764	1443	15796	1145	2.20E+06	1259
106	11711	1415	15797	1154	2.17E+06	1246
107	11845	1409	15792	1126	2.17E+06	1254
108	11816	1390	15639	1127	2.18E+06	1285
109	11795	1392	15686	1147	2.18E+06	1269
110	11920	1430	15837	1131	2.17E+06	1253
111	26816	20256	38041	18297	1.26E+07	19606
112	27288	20394	38392	18548	1.29E+07	19688
113	26996	21038	38037	18479	1.25E+07	19909
114	27008	20406	38209	18396	1.25E+07	19819
115	27048	21262	38050	19064	1.26E+07	19521
116	27261	21020	38328	18799	1.27E+07	19643
117	26937	21114	38145	18743	1.24E+07	19588
118	27267	21146	38104	19047	1.27E+07	19801
119	26776	20656	38075	19440	1.24E+07	19979
120	27160	20129	38333	19678	1.25E+07	20100