

Tâches

```
#pragma omp parallel // initialisé un sac de tâches pour l'équipe
{
...
#pragma omp task // initier une tâche, créer un sac pour ses sous tâches
{
...
#pragma taskwait // attendre la fin de toutes les tâches créées dans cette tâche
}
...
#pragma omp taskyield // passer la main à une autre tâche
...
#pragma taskwait // attendre la fin de toutes les tâches créées dans le bloc
}
```

- Moyen de générer du parallélisme à grain fin
 - Surcoût moindre en comparaison à celui des threads
 - Simplifie parfois la programmation

Fibonacci

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int fib ( int n )  
{  
  If (n<2) return n;  
  return fib(n-1)+fib(n-2);  
}
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```
int main()
{
    #pragma omp parallel
        #pragma omp single nowait
        result = comp_fib_numbers(10);
    return EXIT_SUCCESS;
}
```

Optimisation ;-)

xeon 12 x 2

#pragma omp task shared(x,n) if (n > cut)

```
Ticks #c cut
18548 21 23
19597 15 21
19612 17 22
19658 21 21
20206 23 20
20386 17 20
20468 20 20
21220 22 21
...
187324 24 22
190026 24 21
191123 24 21
194712 24 27
198414 24 23
214880 24 29
306759 24 28
```

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2561 16 23
2627 17 23
2639 18 22
2666 18 23
2697 16 21
2738 19 23
...
183286 24 21
183898 24 28
184823 24 23
185517 24 21
190627 24 27
195394 24 24
```

```
cut #tâches
21 176
22 108
23 66
24 40
25 24
26 14
```

Séquentiel 12057

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12433	37	22
12717	31	24
12834	33	24
12994	35	24
13075	34	24
13115	32	24
13206	44	22
13221	37	24
13308	43	22
...		
162846	1	17
163027	1	22
163029	1	21
163459	1	18
164070	1	28
164882	1	29

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3078	15	24
3262	13	24
3265	13	26
3279	10	24
3298	20	25
3312	18	24
3320	17	24
...		
128456	44	15
132008	47	15
140872	48	15
141058	45	15
149382	46	15

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Séquentiel 14318

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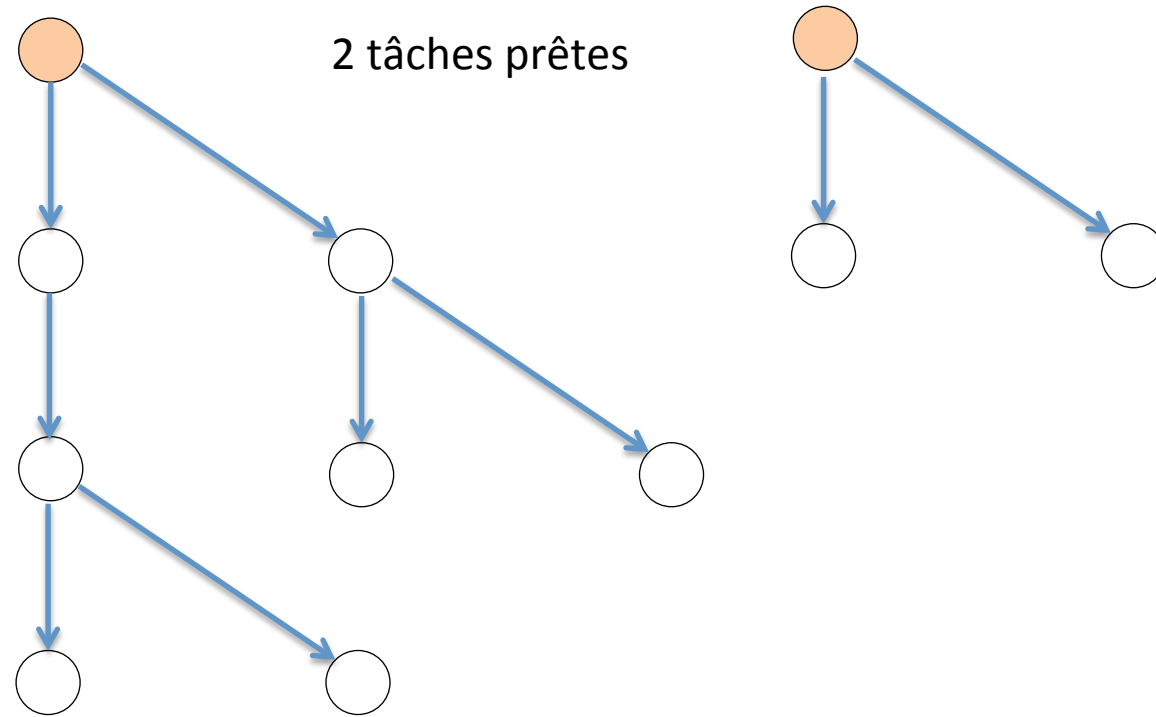
Récapitulatif

- Pas de miracle
 - Nécessaire maîtrise de la granularité
- Clauses
 - *if(scalar-logical-expression)*
 - *untied*
 - *default(private | firstprivate | shared | none)*
 - *private(list) firstprivate(list) shared(list)*
 - OMP 3.1 : optimisation de la création des tâches
 - *Final(scalar-logical-expression)* : fin du //isme
 - *Mergeable* : ne pas créer d'environnement

Ordonnancement des tâches

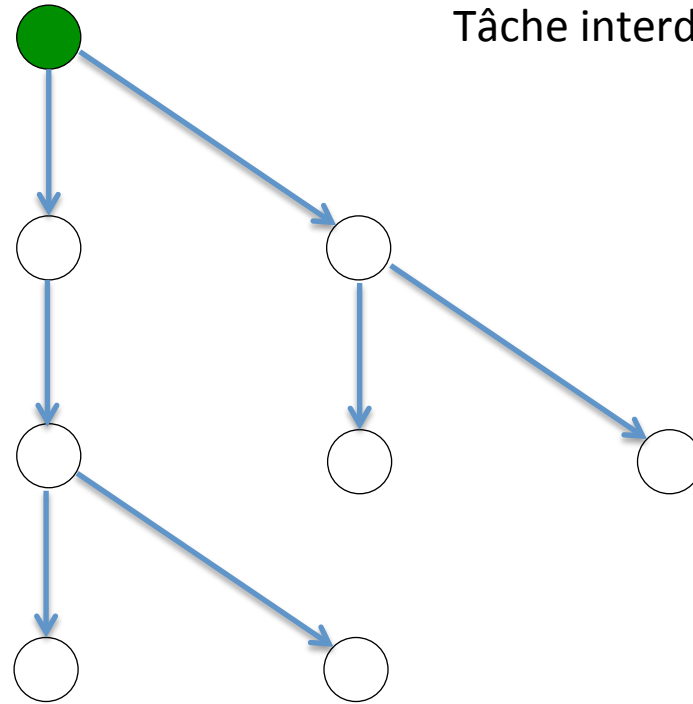
- Une tâche initiée peut être exécutée par tout thread de l'équipe du thread initiateur.
- Un thread ayant pris en charge l'exécution d'une tâche doit la terminer :
 - à moins que la clause *untied* ait été spécifiée,
 - mais peut l'exécuter en plusieurs fois.
- Un thread peut prendre / reprendre en charge une tâche :
 - à la création d'une tâche
 - à la terminaison d'une tâche
 - à la rencontre d'un *taskwait*, d'une barrière implicite ou non
- Quelle tâche ?
 - *In order to start the execution of a new tied task, the new task must be a descendant of every suspended task tied to the same thread, unless the encountered task scheduling point corresponds to a barrier region.*

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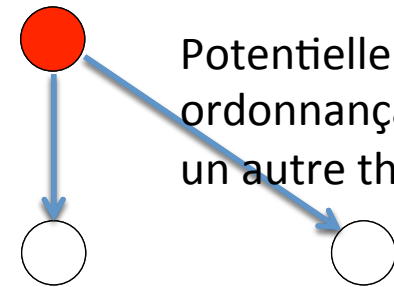


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Tâche interdite

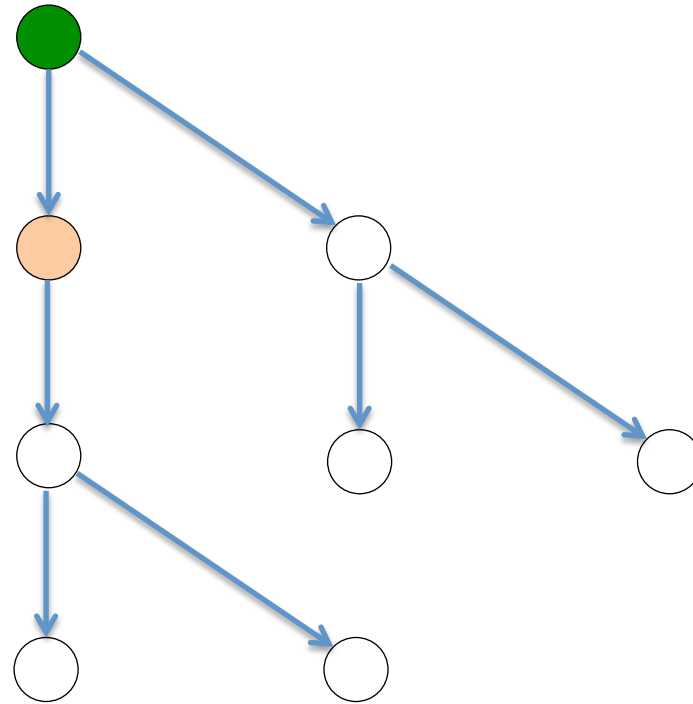


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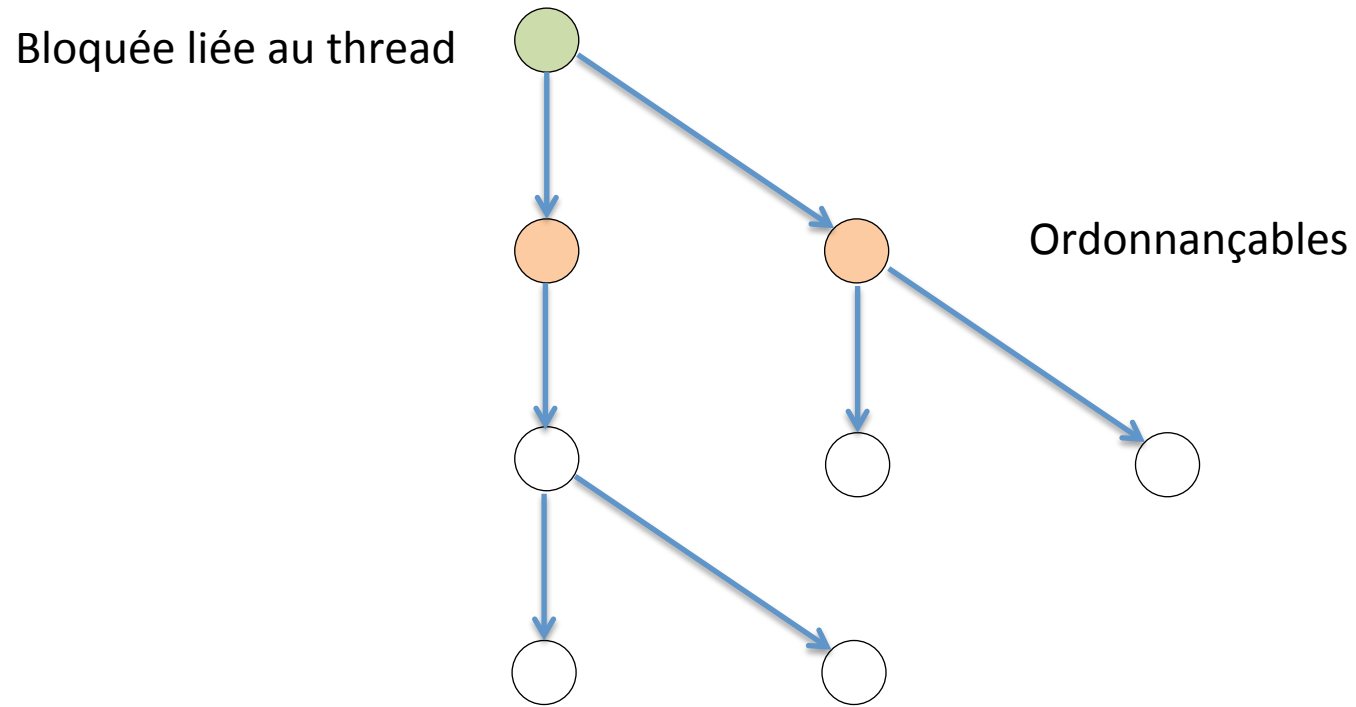
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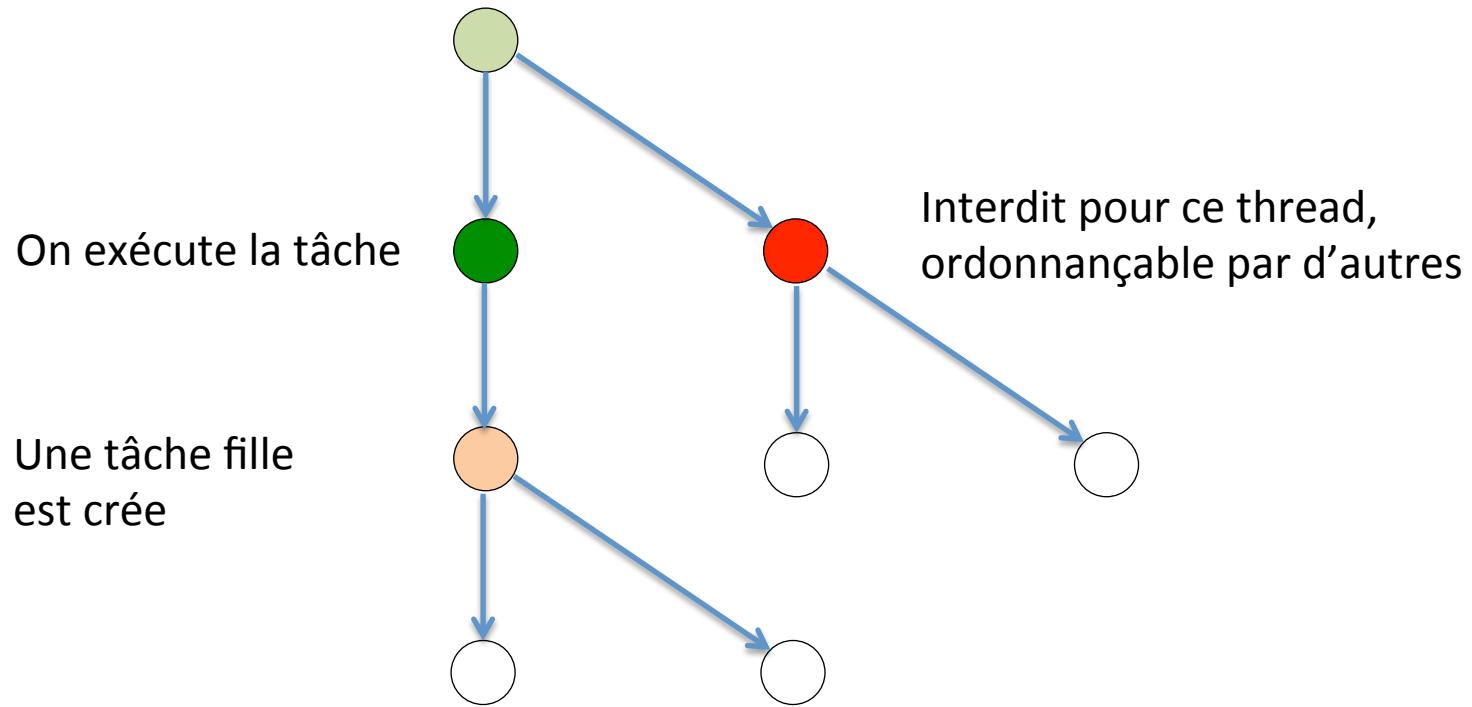
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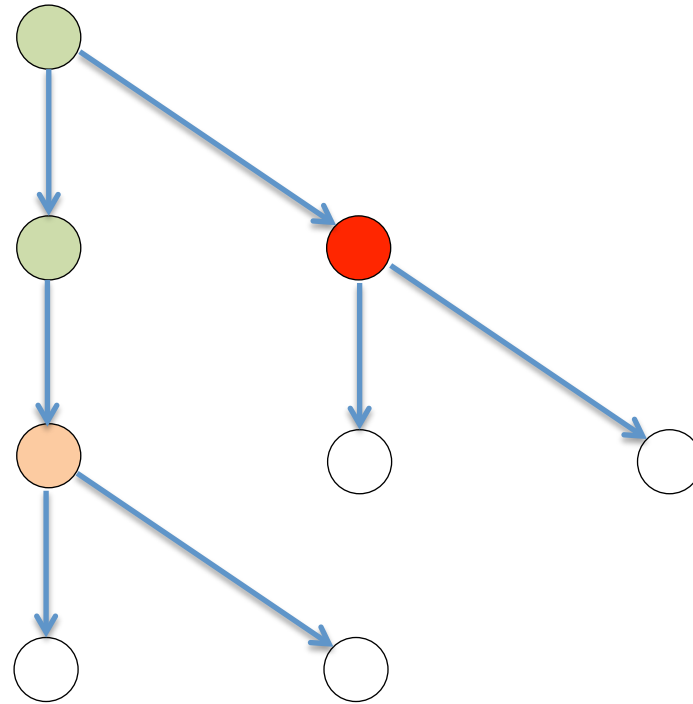
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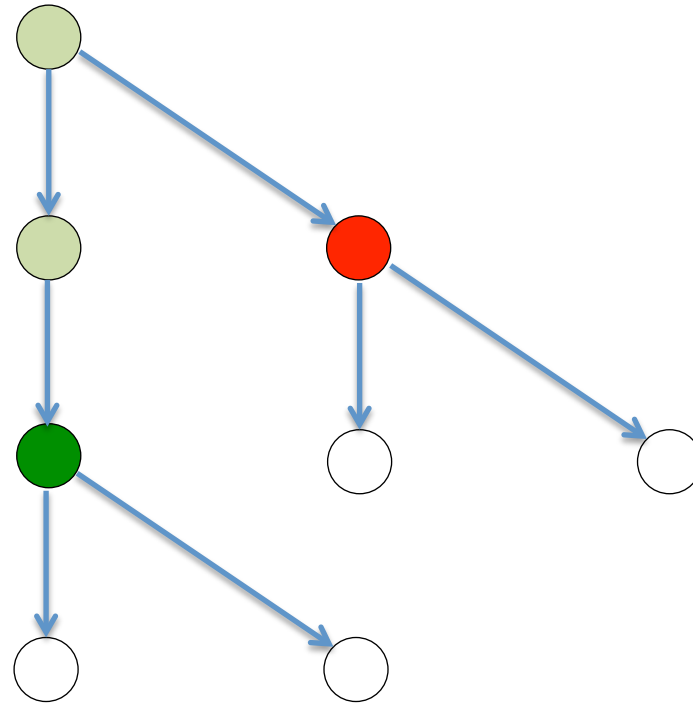
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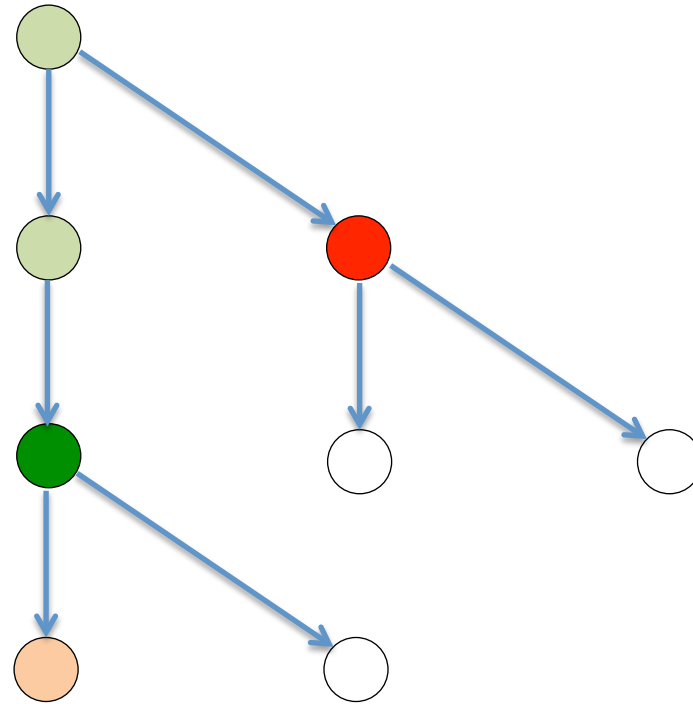
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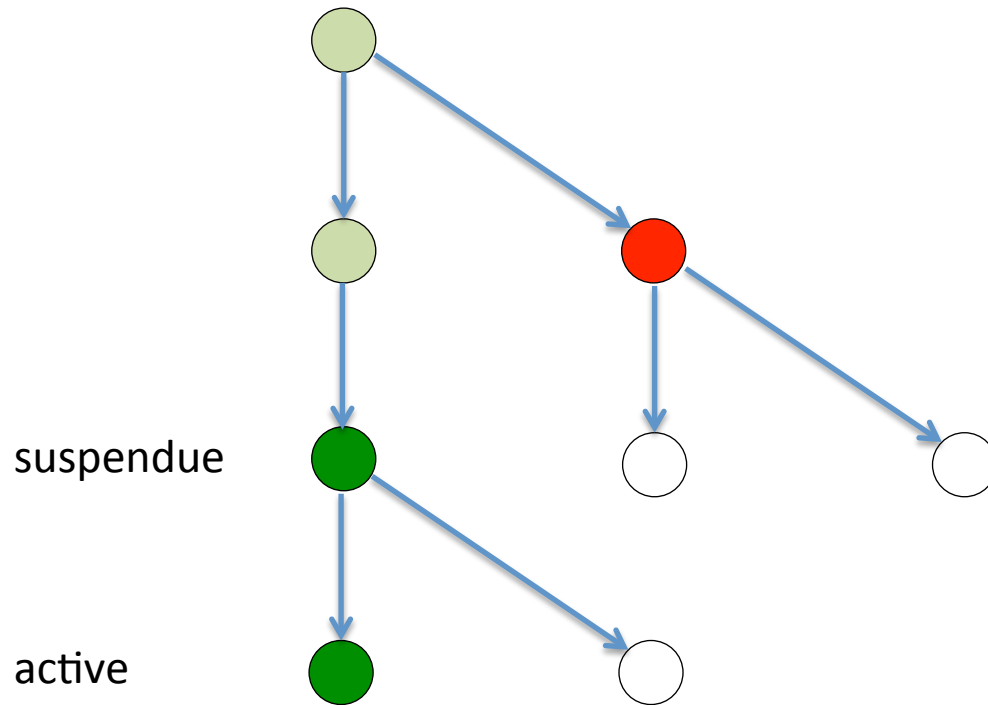
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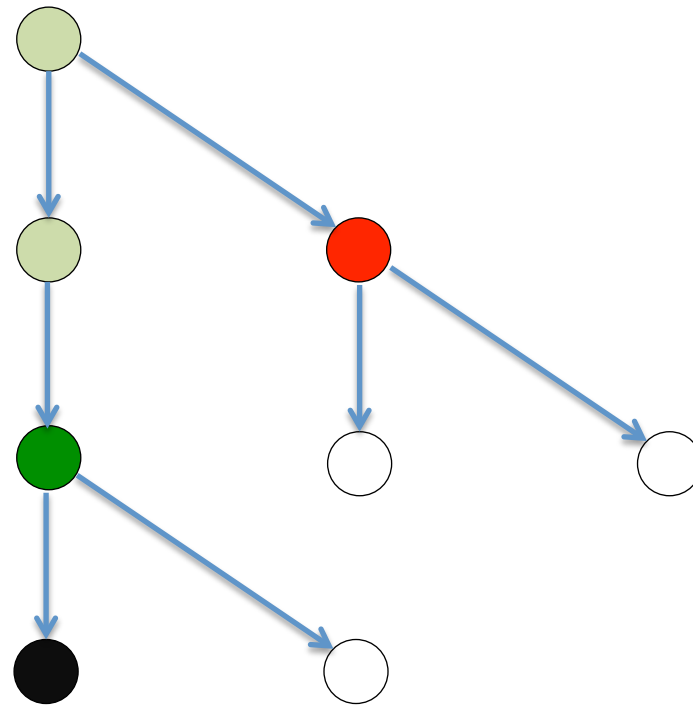


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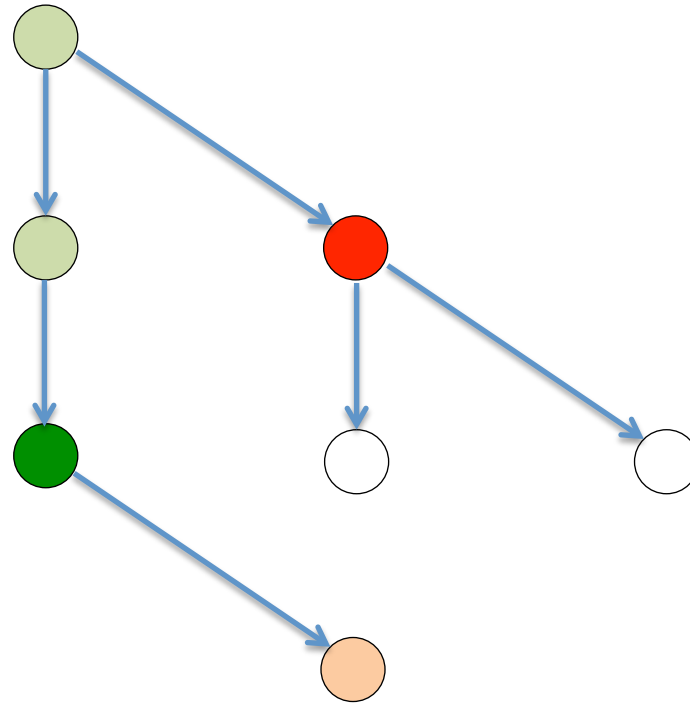


2 tâches
ordonnançables

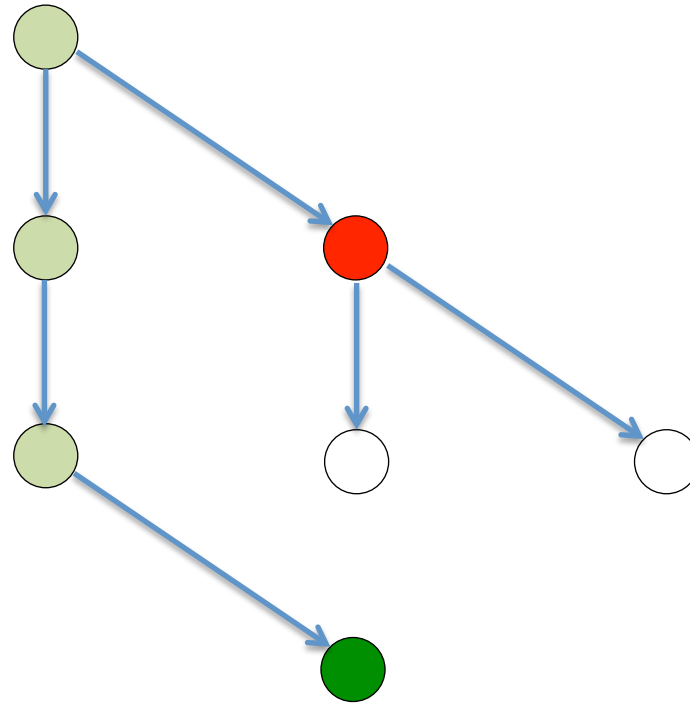
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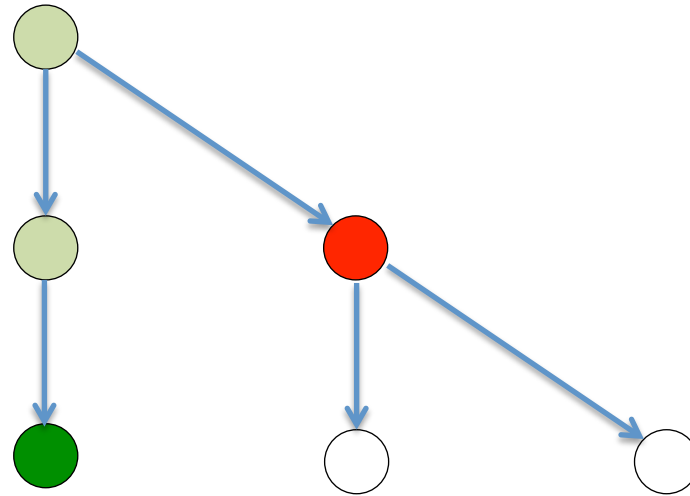
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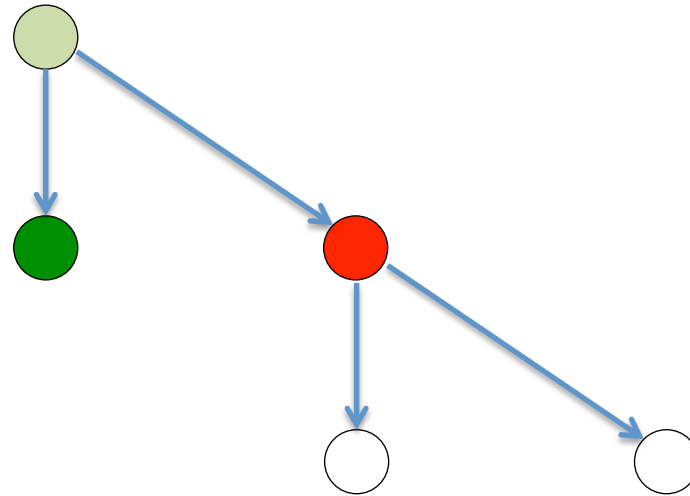
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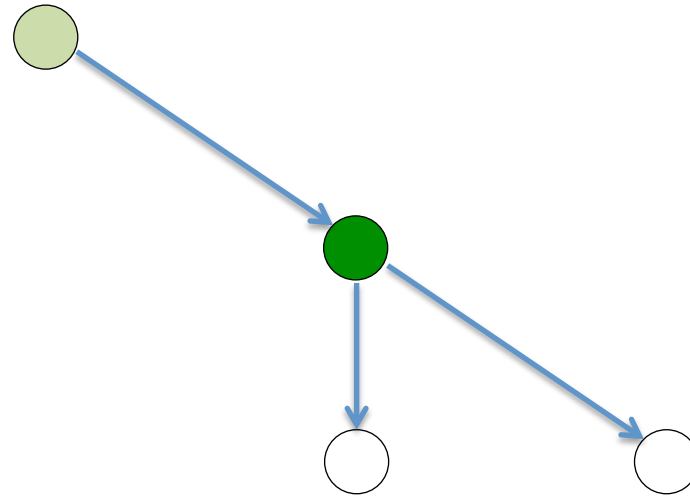
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Ordonnancement des tâches

untied

- Autorise une tâche suspendue à être exécutée (i.e. reprise) par tout thread de l'équipe
 - Elle peut être suspendue à tout moment.
- Eviter *untied* en même temps :
 - Variables *threadprivate*
 - Identité du thread (`omp_thread_number`)
 - Critical et locks
- Astuce (?)
 - `#pragma omp task if(0)`

Quelques exemples

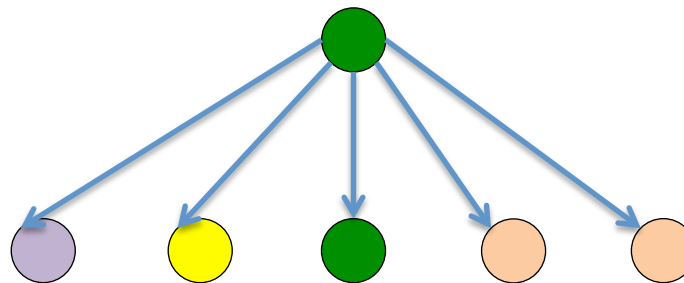
- Traversée de liste
- Quick sort
- Réduction à l'aide de tâche
- Dépendance entre tâches

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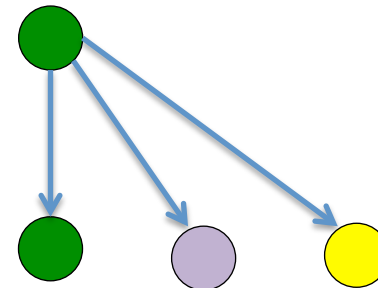
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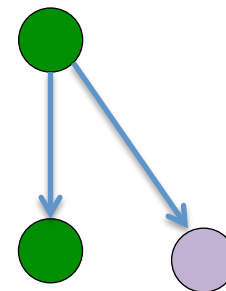
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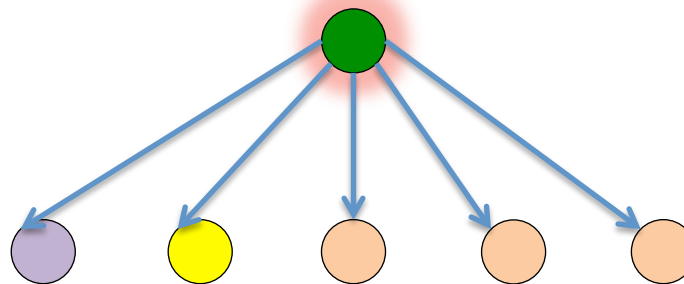
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```
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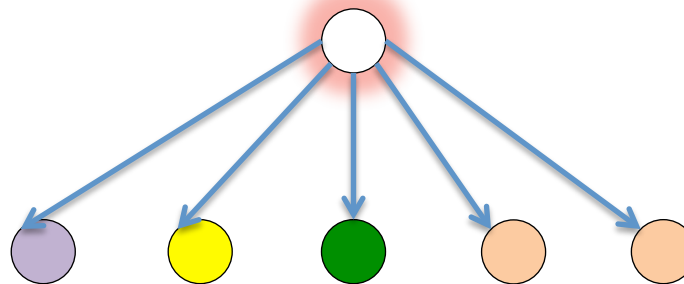
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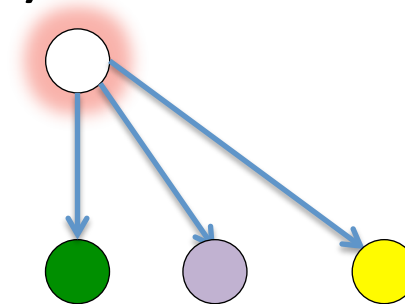
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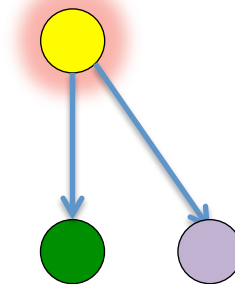
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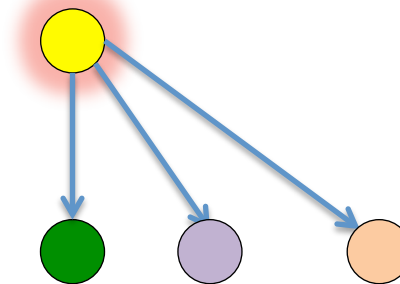
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Qsort

<http://wikis.sun.com/display/openmp>

```
void quick_sort (int p, int r, float *data)
{
    if (p < r) {
        int q = partition (p, r, data);
        #pragma omp parallel sections firstprivate(data, p, q, r)
        {
            #pragma omp section
            quick_sort (p, q-1, data, low_limit);
            #pragma omp section
            quick_sort (q+1, r, data, low_limit);
        }
    }
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    }
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void par_quick_sort (int n, float *data)
{
    #pragma omp parallel
    {
        #pragma omp single nowait
        quick_sort (0, n, data);
    }
}
```

Comparaison par Sun tâche vs section

First, we set environment variable `OMP_THREAD_LIMIT` so that the program will use a **max of 8 threads**. The experiment was performed on a machine **with 8 processors**. The number of threads for the parallel region example is set by setting the `OMP_NUM_THREADS` environment variable. We obtain these performance numbers:

<code>OMP_NUM_THREADS</code>	task	parreg
2	2.6s	1.8s
4	1.7s	2.1s
8	1.2s	2.6s

- *The program written with tasks achieves a good scalable speedup, while the program written with nested parallel regions does not.*
- Les threads s'attendent à la fin des sections
 - Seulement deux threads travaillent lorsque `OMP_NUM_THREADS = 8` !

Tâches & Réduction atomic

```
int count_good (item_t *item)
{
    int n = 0;
    #pragma omp parallel
        #pragma omp single nowait
        {
            while (item) {
                #pragma omp task firstprivate(item)
                if (is_good(item)) {
                    #pragma omp atomic
                    n ++;
                }
                item = item->next;
            }
        }
    return n;
}
```


Tâches & Réduction

thread_num

```
int n = 0;
int pn[P]; // P is the number of threads used.
#pragma omp parallel
{
    pn[omp_get_thread_num()] = 0;
    #pragma omp single nowait
    {
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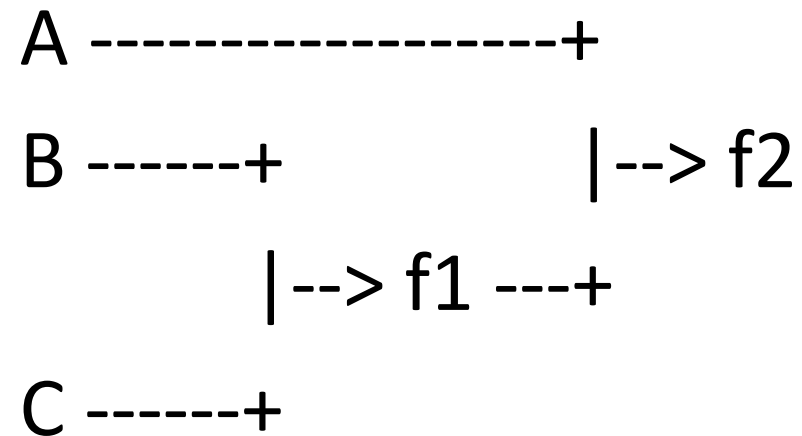


Dépendance de tâches

Bricolage

```
int foo ()  
{  
  int a, b, c, x, y;  
  a = A();  
  b = B();  
  c = C();  
  x = f1(b, c);  
  y = f2(a, x);  
  return y;  
}
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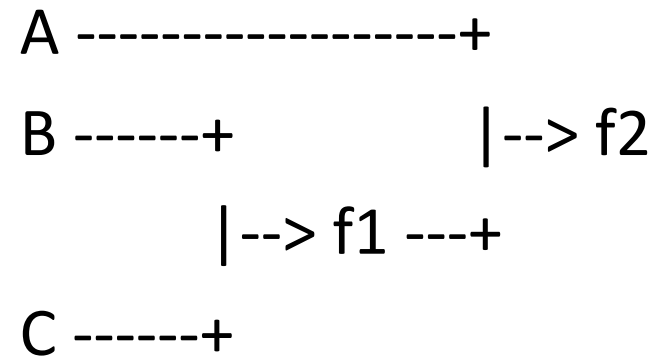
Avec les dépendances



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#pragma omp task if (0)
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}
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 - Basé sur le vol de travail et les continuations
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 - Intel Cilk plus
- TBB = cilk + OpenMP + c++

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Basic Cilk Keywords

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  if (n<2) return (n);  
  else {  
    int x,y;  
    x = spawn fib(n-1);  
    y = spawn fib(n-2);  
    sync;  
    return (x+y);  
  }  
}
```

Identifies a function as a *Cilk procedure*, capable of being spawned in parallel.

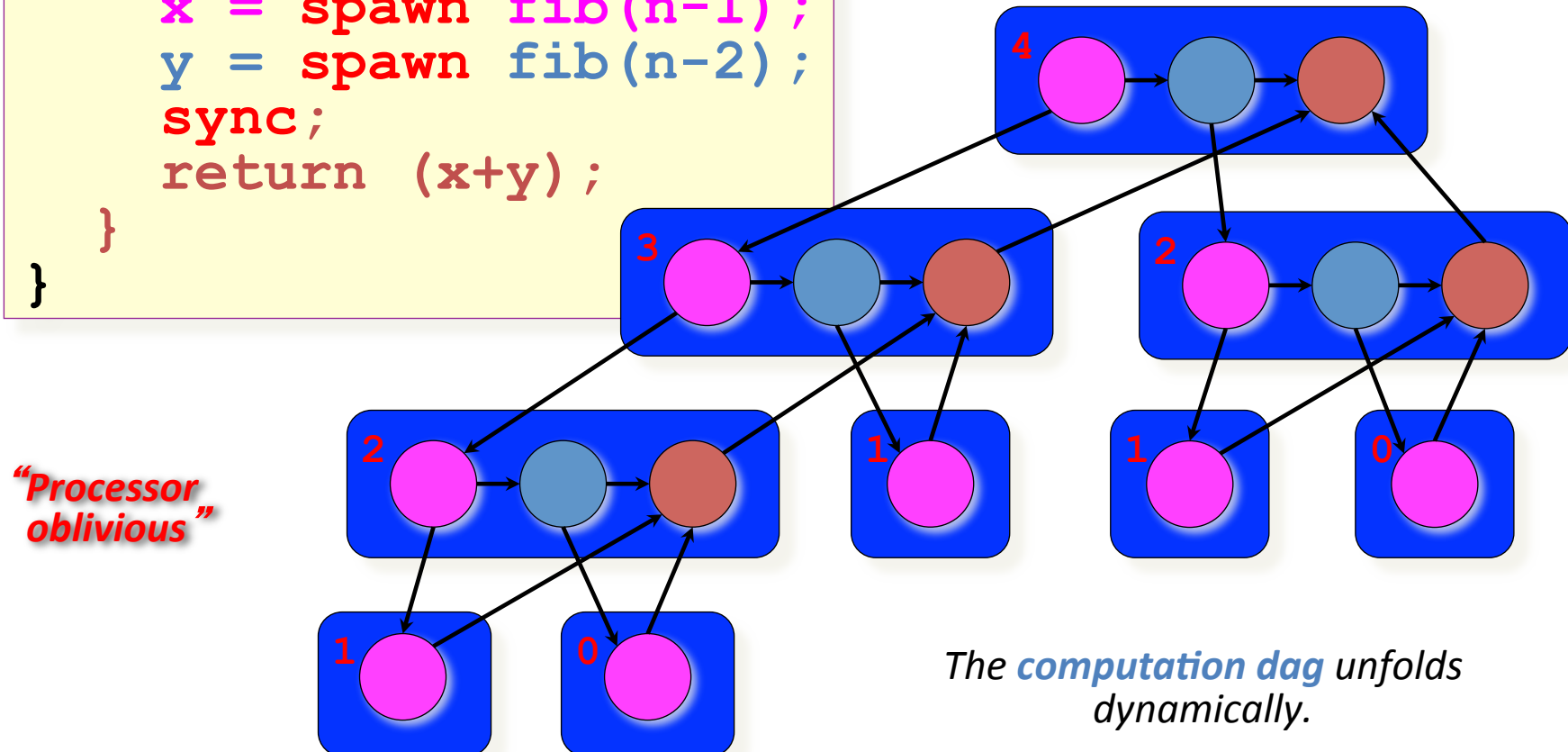
The named *child* Cilk procedure can execute in parallel with the *parent* caller.

Control cannot pass this point until all spawned children have returned.

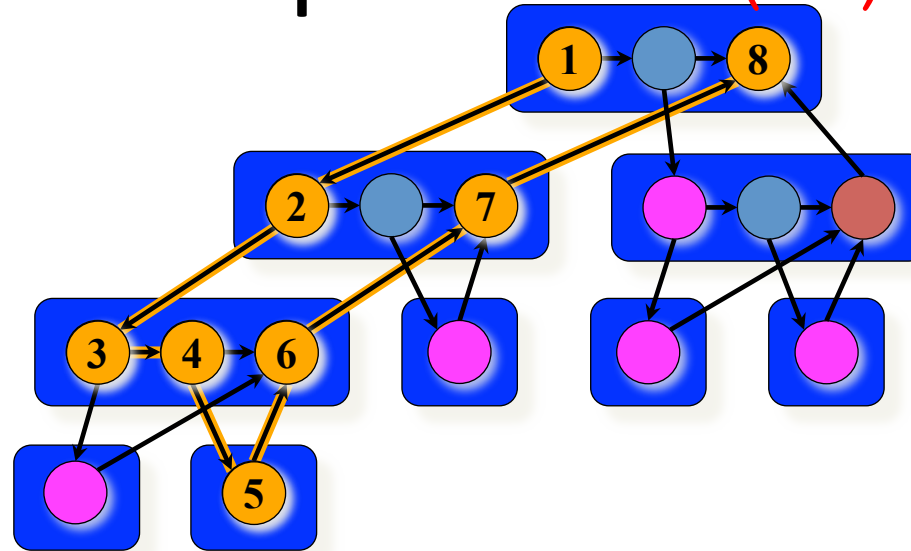
Dynamic Multithreading

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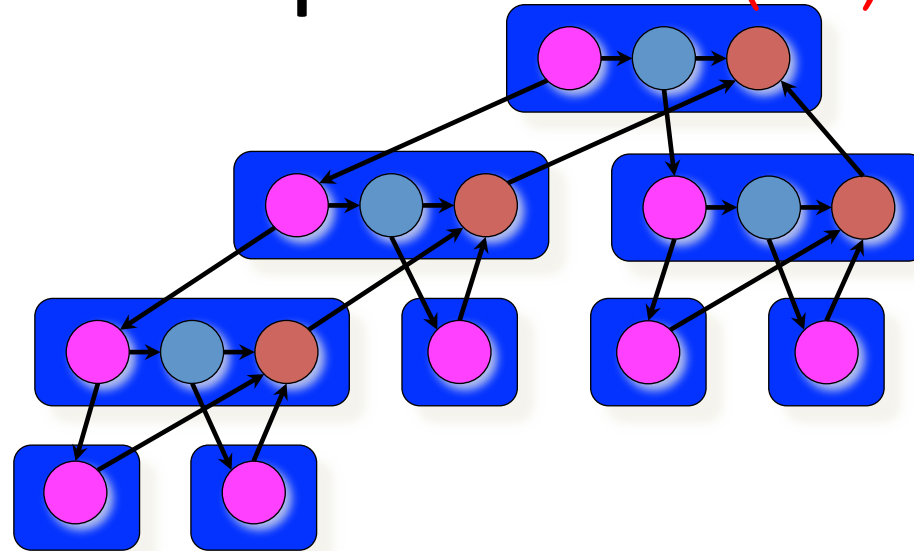


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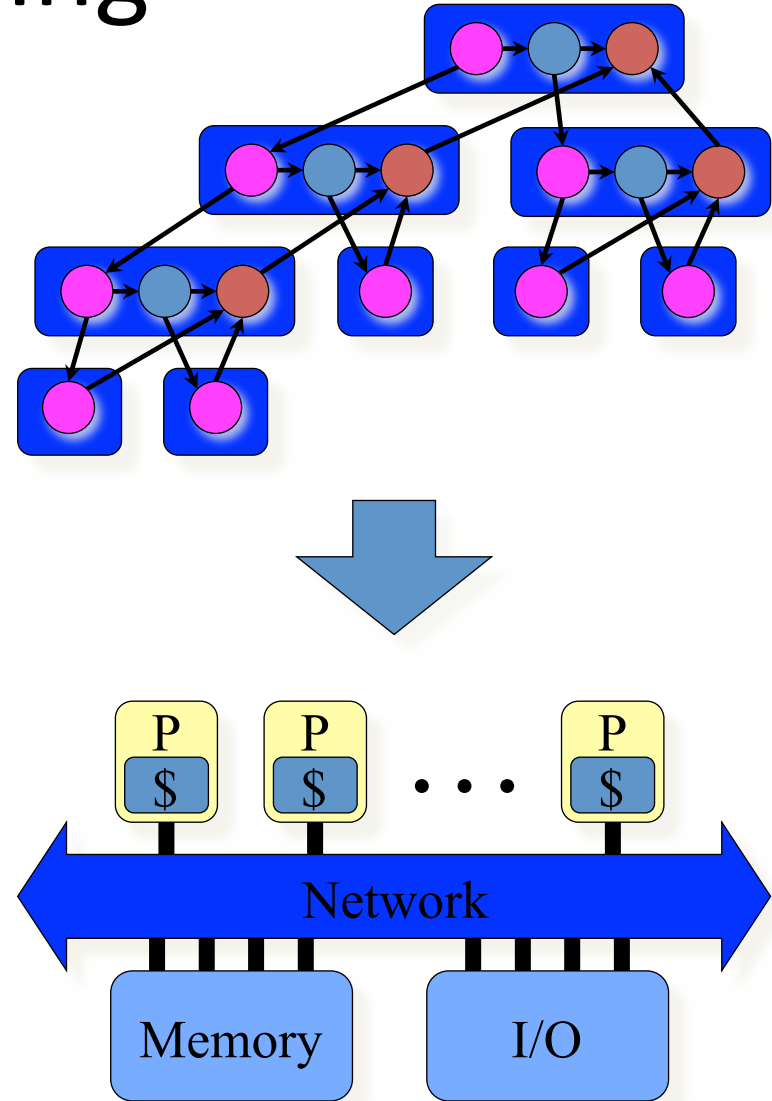
Span: $T_\infty = 8$

Parallelism: $T_1/T_\infty = 2.125$

Using many more than 2 processors makes little sense.

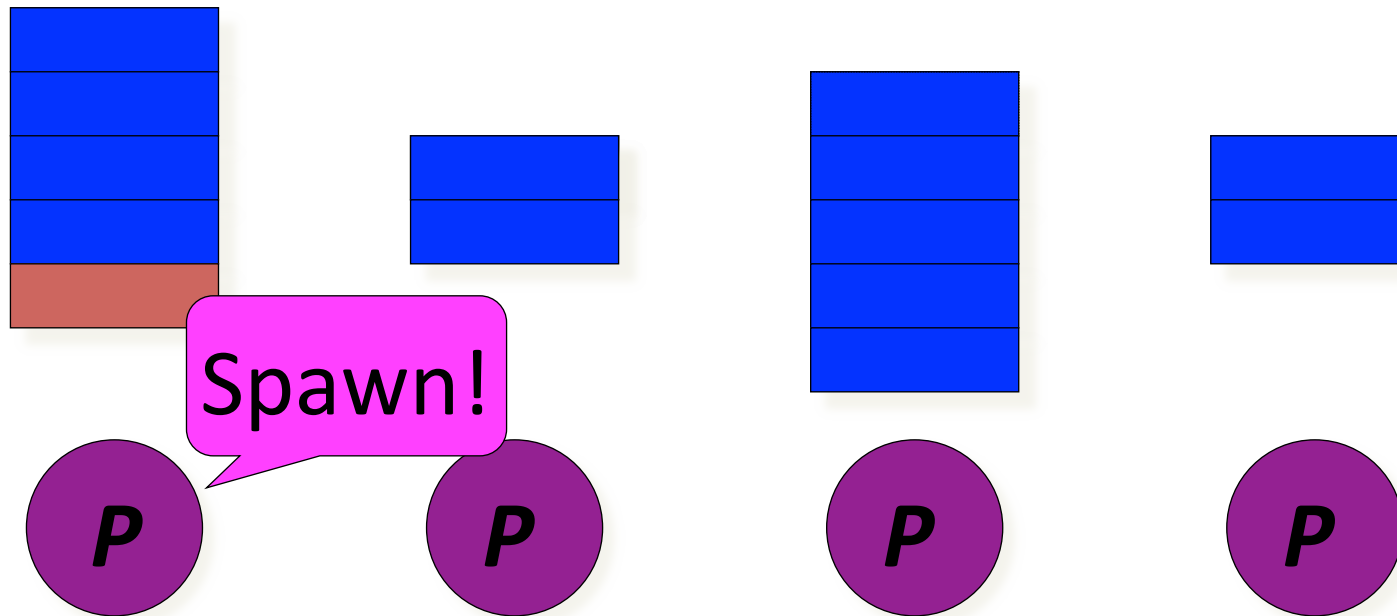
Scheduling

- Cilk allows the programmer to express *potential* parallelism in an application.
- The Cilk *scheduler* maps Cilk threads onto processors dynamically at runtime.
- Since *on-line* schedulers are complicated, we'll illustrate the ideas with an *off-line* scheduler.



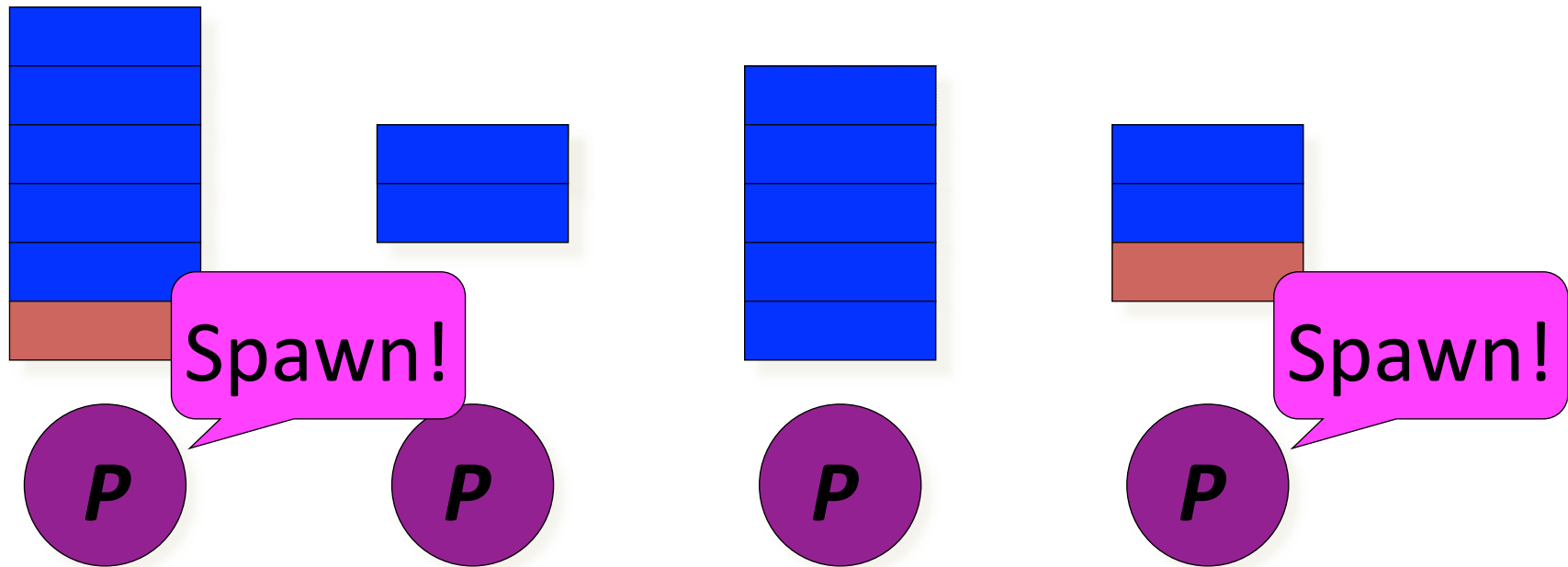
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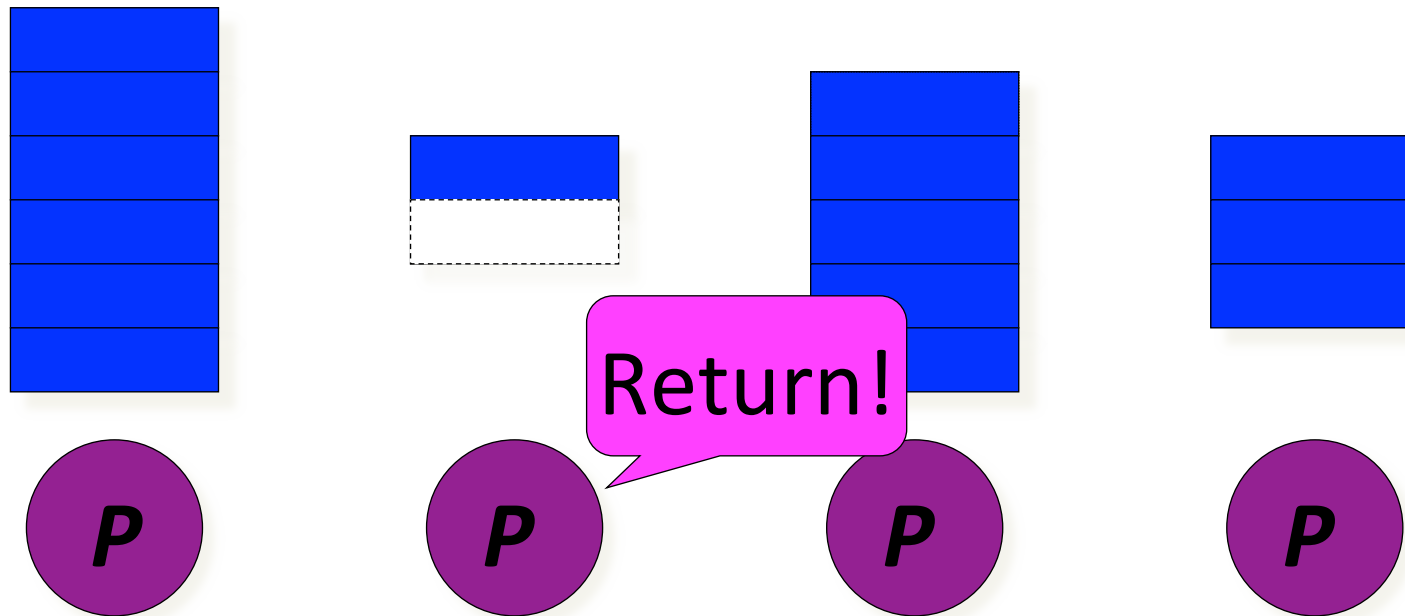
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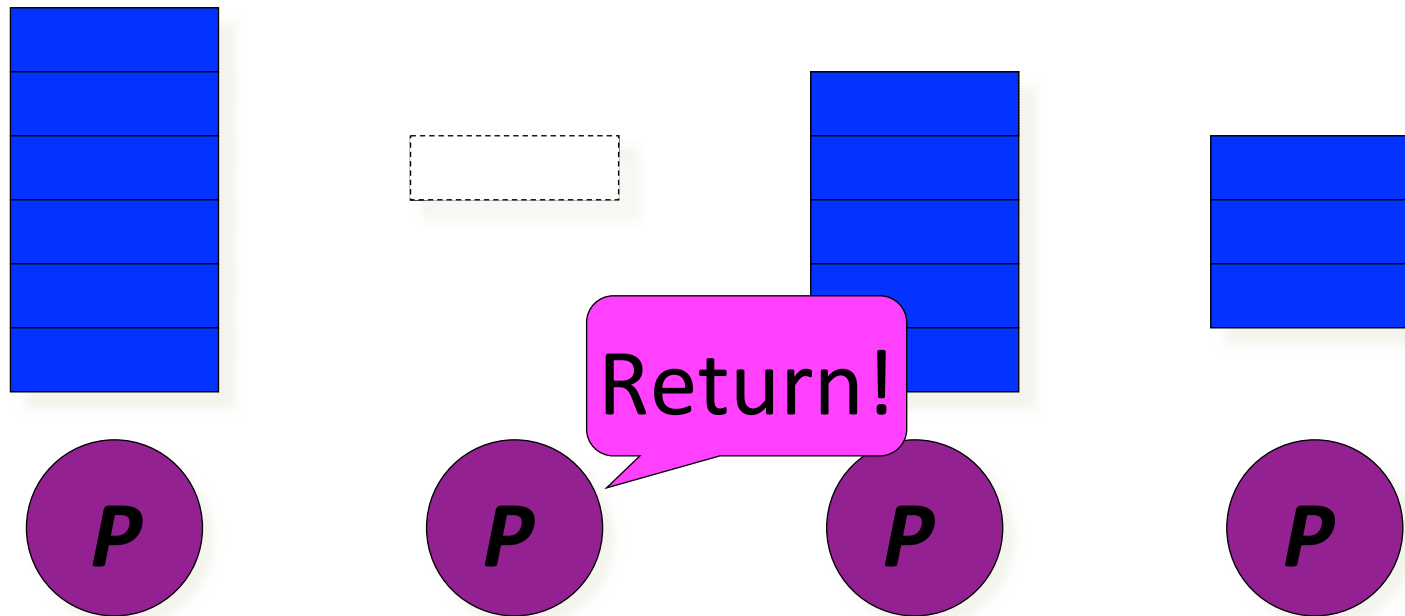
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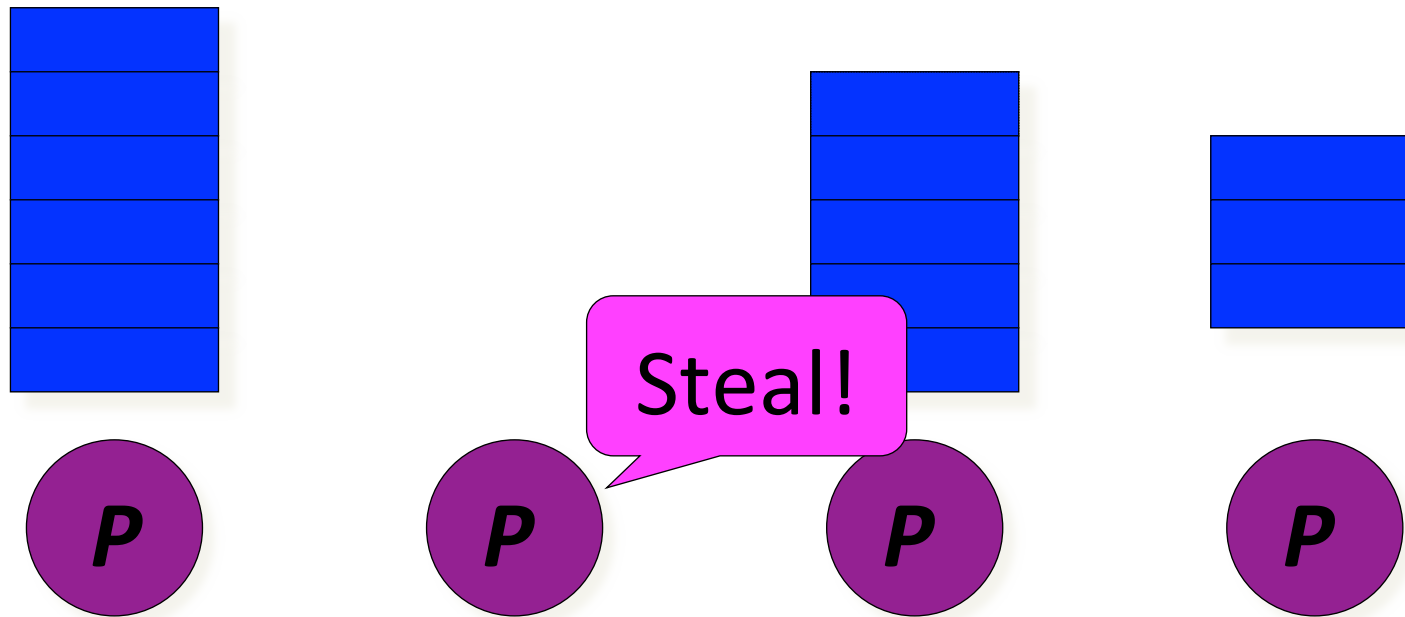
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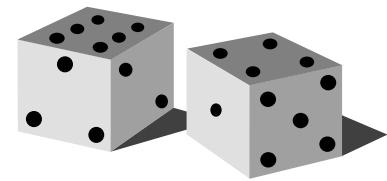


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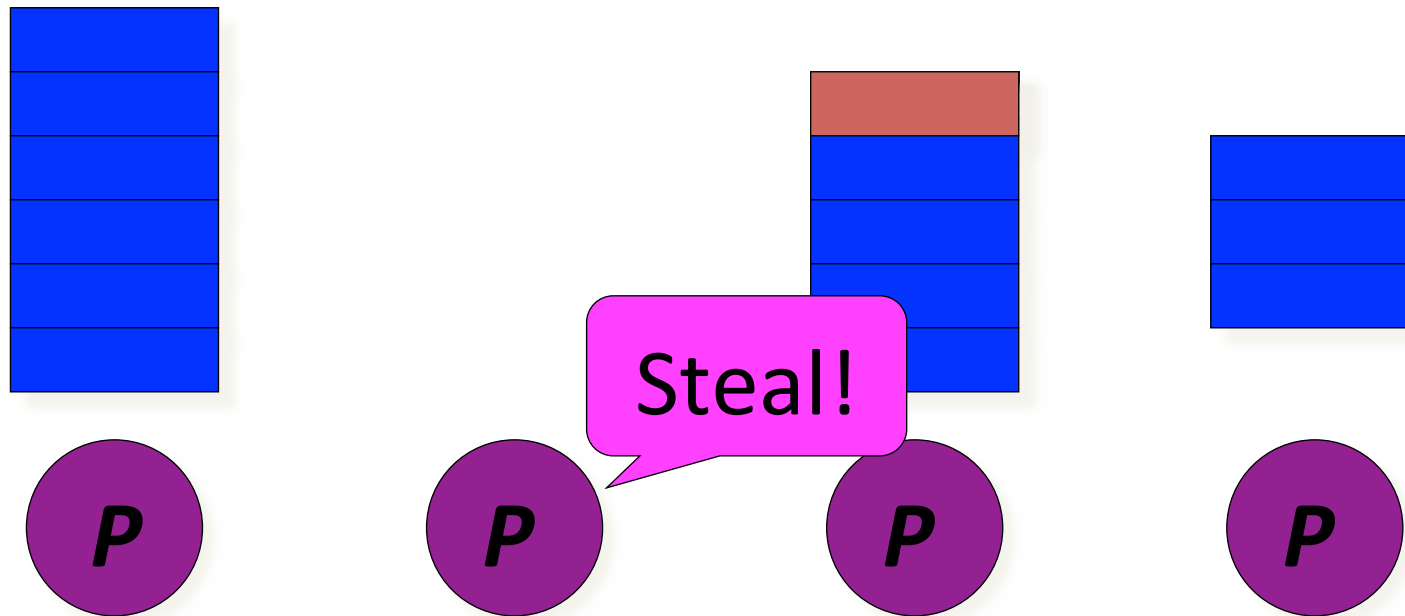


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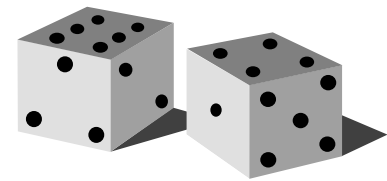


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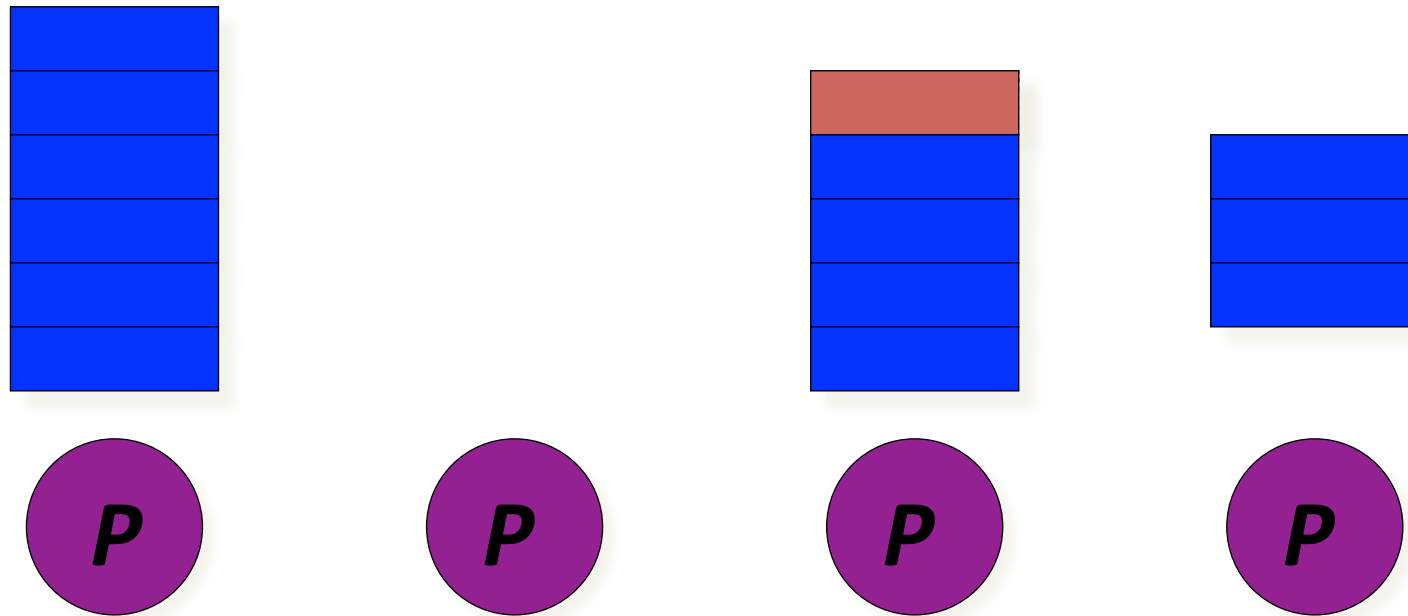


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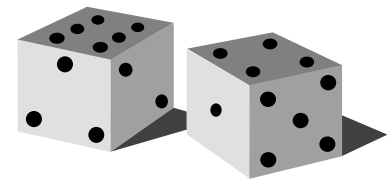


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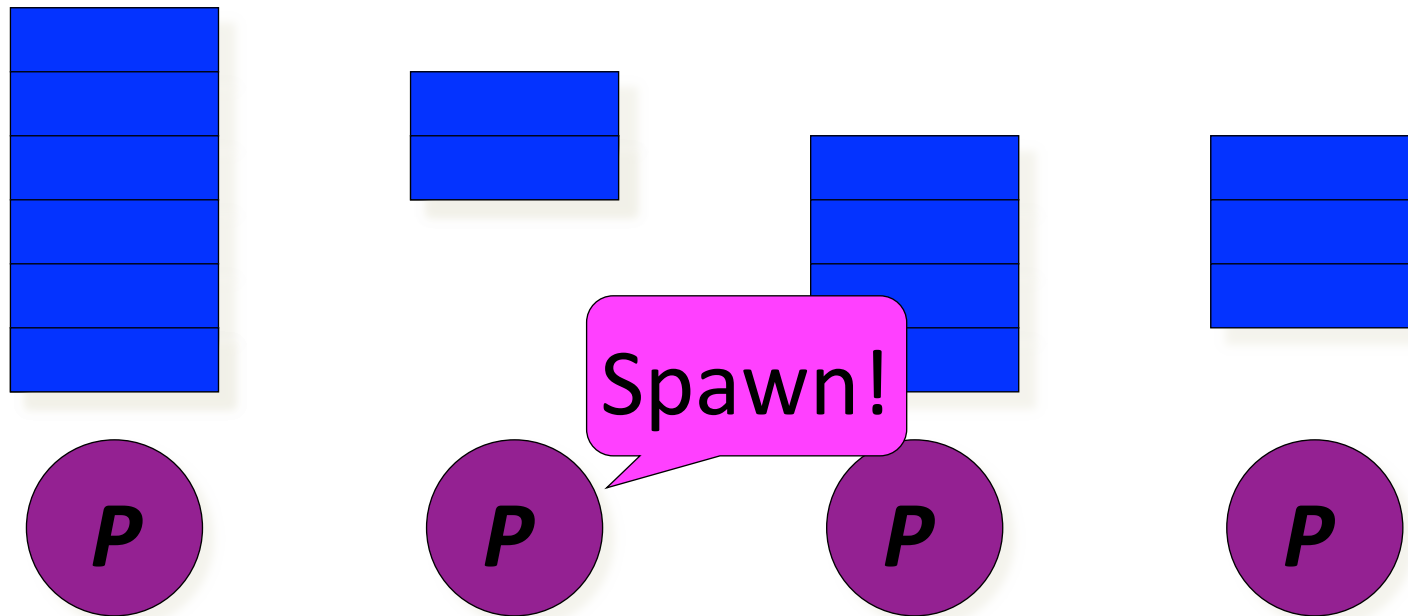


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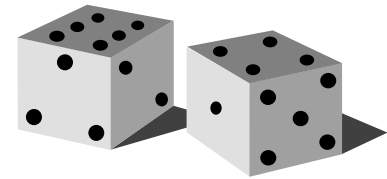


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Intel TBB

thread building blocks

TBB = cilk + OpenMP + c++

Intel TBB parallel_for

```
void operator() (const blocked_range<int>& r) j++;
const {
    memcpy(path,new_path,(hops+1)*sizeof(int));
    if (length >= minimum) return 0;
    if(hops==n){
        int me = path[hops-1];
        int dist = distanceArray[me*anz+i];
        int newLength = length + dist;
        path[hops]=i;
        if (length < minimum) {
            int grain=hops==0?1:hops*2;
            MutexType::scoped_lock lock(Mutex);
            if (length < minimum)
                minimum = length;
            parallel_for(blocked_range<int>(1,n,grain), TSP
                (newLength,hops+1,path));
        } //End operator()
    }
} else {
    int pathes[anz*(n-hops+1)];
    int j=0;
    for(int i = r.begin(); i != r.end(); i++) {
        if (!present(i, hops, path)) {
            int * path = &pathes[j*anz];
```

Intel TBB

tâches

```
task * execute() {
int ptr[anz];
if(this->is_stolen_task()) {
    was_stolen = 1;
    memcpy(ptr, new_path, (hops-1) * sizeof(int));
    new_path = ptr;
}
if (length >= minimum) return;
new_path[hops-1]=current;
if(hops == n) {
    if (length < minimum) {
        MutexType::scoped_lock lock(Mutex);
        if(length < minimum)
            minimum = length;
    }
} else {
    int count = n-hops;
set_ref_count(1+count);
    int j=0;
    for(int i=1;i<n;i++){
        if (!present(i, hops, new_path)) {
            j++;
            int dist = distanceArray[current+i*30];
            int tmp = length + dist;
TSPTask&a =*new(task::allocate_child())
TSPTask(tmp,hops+1,new_path,i);
            j < count ? spawn(a) :
spawn_and_wait_for_all(a);
        }
    }
}
```

TBB

parallel_for vs task (8 cœurs)

Version	15 Städte	16 Städte	17 Städte
sequentiell	5,75 s	30,68 s	130,46 s
parallel_for	2,31 s	11,38 s	46,39 s
Speedup	2,49	2,70	2,81
Effektivität	0,31	0,34	0,35

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sequentiell	5,75 s	30,68 s	130,46 s
task + stolen	1,66 s	9,65 s	41,39 s
Speedup	3,46	3,18	3,15
Effizienz	0,43	0,40	0,39

TBB -TSP

nombre de tâches volées (16 villes)

Niveau	Tasks	davon gestohlen	in %
1	15	14	93
2	210	50	24
3	2730	41	1,5
4	32760	63	0,2
5	356213	117	~0
6	3109590	146	~0
7	18182241	91	~0
8	64528584	62	~0
9	133033964	24	~0
10	153320304	7	~0
11	96375125	6	~0
12	32810436	0	-
13	5968656	0	-
14	552590	0	-
15	17144	0	-

TBB –TSP

Cut-off

Passer sur code séquentiel à partir d'un seuil

Cut-Off	Laufzeiten in Sekunden		
	15 Städte	16 Städte	17 Städte
1	6,25	32,20	133,09
2	1,06	5,06	19,59
3	0,71	4,14	15,70
4	0,64	3,26	14,86
5	0,62	3,49	14,18
6	0,58	3,55	15,29
7	0,65	3,66	16,21
8	0,73	3,83	15,00
9	0,94	4,64	18,75
10	1,34	6,47	22,42
11	2,09	8,39	32,05
12	2,14	10,29	38,96
13	1,99	10,68	40,78
14	2,09	11,14	45,90
15		10,98	44,10
16			48,31

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Speed-up super linéaire

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Comparaison OpenMP, Cilk, TBB

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 - Facilité d'emploi
 - Annotation du code
 - Tâches = bricolage
- Cilk
 - Élégance de l'approche – efficacité du vol de travail
 - Optimisation de l'exécution s'il n'y a pas de vol
 - Modèle de performance
- TBB
 - Puissance du C++
 - Lourd à mettre en œuvre

The Free Lunch Is Over

- Les performances ne viennent pas sans
 - Adapter / repenser les algorithmes
 - Réduire la contention
 - Tenir compte de l'architecture