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Introduction

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MLIB versions are available for HP Exemplar SPP1200 and SPP1600 systems, and for C-, D-, K-, S-, and X-Class systems. These are specifically optimized for each system type but are usage-compatible, promoting portability while retaining efficiency across HP's workstation and server lines. This release supports SPP1200, SPP1600, S-Class, and X-Class systems with the following libraries tuned for each system type:

- VECLIB (*libveclib.a*)
- SCILIB (*libscilib.a*)
- LAPACK (*liblapack.a*)

Subprograms that take advantage of Exemplar's parallel features are listed in Table 1 on page 10, Table 2 on page 11, and Table 3 on page 12.

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Documentation

HP MLIB V4.1 is documented in the following locations:

- This Release Note (B5649-90008)
- *HP MLIB LAPACK User's Guide*, Third Edition (B5649-90001)
- *HP MLIB SCILIB User's Guide*, Second Edition (B5649-90002)
- *HP MLIB VECLIB User's Guide*, Second Edition (B5649-90003)
- The MLIB Man Pages

Directories and Files

HP MLIB V4.1 includes three library files for HP Exemplar SPP1200 and SPP1600 systems, which are based on the PA1.1 architecture, and three for HP Exemplar S-Class and X-Class systems, which are based on the PA2.0 architecture. The library file names for all four system types are *liblapack.a*, *libscilib.a*, and *libveclib.a*. The SPP1200 and SPP1600 versions of the libraries are installed in directory `/opt/mlib/lib/pa1.1parallel`, while the S-Class and X-Class versions are installed in `/opt/mlib/lib/pa2.0parallel`. See "Using HP MLIB" for instructions on accessing the libraries.

Three header files, *lapack.h*, *scilib.h*, and *veclib.h*, for use with a C or C++ compiler, are installed in `/opt/mlib/include`.

Man pages for HP MLIB are located in section 3m of the on-line Programmer's Reference Manual; they are installed in the `/opt/mlib/share/man` directory. Man pages are available for each chapter introduction and every subprogram documented in the following books, shipped with this release:

- *HP MLIB LAPACK User's Guide*
- *HP MLIB SCILIB User's Guide*
- *HP MLIB VECLIB User's Guide*

You must add the directory `/opt/mlib/share/man` to your MANPATH shell environment variable to access the associated man pages.

An on-line copy of this release note is installed in `/opt/mlib/newconfig/RelNotes`.

Using HP MLIB

Linking Your Program With HP MLIB V4.1

HP MLIB V4.1 subprograms must be loaded by the Fortran 77 or Fortran 90 compiler, and the resulting executable must be executed under the SPP-UX 5.2 operating system.

There are several ways to specify linking your program with LAPACK, SCILIB, or VECLIB:

1. Specify the entire path of the library file on the `f77` or `f90` command line that links your program. For example, to use VECLIB with the `f77` compiler on an S-Class system, use

```
f77 [options] file /opt/mlib/lib/pa2.0parallel/libveclib.a
```

2. Use the `-l` option on the `f77` or `f90` command line that links your program, preceded by either `-Wl,-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa1.1parallel` or `-Wl,-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa2.0parallel`. For example, the above `f77` command line could be written as:

```
f77 [options] file -Wl,-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa2.0parallel -lveclib
```

3. Set your `LDOPTS` environment variable to include the appropriate one of `-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa1.1parallel` or `-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa2.0parallel`, and use the `-l` option on the `f77` or `f90` command line that links your program. For example, with the `f90` compiler, use

```
f90 [options] file -lveclib
```

Parallel Processing

Parallel processing is available on Hewlett-Packard Exemplar scalable technical servers. You can permit or disable parallel processing at link time or at run time. A program will not use parallelism in MLIB unless it is enabled both at link time and at run time.

Linking for Parallel or Non-Parallel Processing

To permit parallel processing at link time, your link step must produce a multithreaded executable. You always get a multithreaded executable if you link with the Fortran 77 or C compiler using the `+Oparallel` flag:

```
f77 [options] file +O3 +Oparallel -lveclib
```

With Fortran 90, you must include the `-Wl,+tm,S2000,+parallel` option on the `f90` command line that links your program:

```
f90 [options] file -Wl,+tm,S2000,+parallel -lveclib -lpthread -lcps -lpthread -lail
```

To disable automatic parallelism at link time, you omit the `+Oparallel` or `+parallel` option and include several runtime libraries if they are needed. The following commands are the non-parallelizing equivalents of the previous parallelizing linking commands.

```
f77 [options] file -lveclib -lpthread -lcps -lpthread -lail
```

```
f90 [options] file -Wl,+tm,S2000 -lveclib -lpthread -lcps -lpthread -lail
```

Another alternative is to link with parallelism enabled and use the `mpa(1)` utility to modify the attributes of the executable file to disable parallelism. Refer to the `mpa(1)` man page for details.

Controlling Parallelism at Run Time

Each parallelized subprogram in previous MLIB releases automatically used parallel processing when it determined that parallelism was appropriate. The decision was based on such factors as whether multiple processors were available, whether the program already was using multiple threads, and the problem size. This default action caused problems for users who wanted to control parallelism via other means, such as the Message Passing Interface, MPI. Therefore, HP MLIB V4.1 makes a radical change in the way parallelism is controlled within MLIB subprograms.

The biggest change in parallelism control is that MLIB subroutines do not invoke parallel processing by default. If you simply compile and link your

program, parallelized MLIB subprograms will execute on a single processor even though the executable is marked for parallel execution.

To retain parallel capability within HP MLIB, two methods were added to specify the extent of parallel processing to be allowed. First, a shell environment variable, `MLIB_NUMBER_OF_THREADS`, allows you to enable parallelism within MLIB subprograms and to specify the maximum number of threads that may be used in parallel regions. Not setting `MLIB_NUMBER_OF_THREADS` has the same result as setting it to 1 -- parallel processing is disabled within MLIB subroutines. Setting it to a value greater than the number of threads in the subcomplex allows parallelized MLIB subprograms to use all of the CPUs in the subcomplex.

The following command lines show the C shell syntax and Korn shell syntax to use when setting the variable to 8 processors:

```
C shell:      setenv MLIB_NUMBER_OF_THREADS 8
```

```
Korn shell:  export MLIB_NUMBER_OF_THREADS=8
```

`MLIB_NUMBER_OF_THREADS` is examined upon the first call to a parallelized MLIB subprogram to establish the default parallel action within MLIB.

The second method you can use to control parallelism within MLIB is the new subroutine `MLIB_SETNUMTHREADS`. You can call this subroutine at any time to set the maximum number of parallel threads used in subsequent MLIB calls. The specified value overrides the absence of the `MLIB_NUMBER_OF_THREADS` environment variable or any value assigned to it. Additionally, you can use `MLIB_SETNUMTHREADS` to restore MLIB parallel processing to its run-time default. Refer to the *mlib_setnumthreads(3m)* man page for usage information.

Finally, in addition to the above MLIB controls, at run time you can use the *mpa(1)* utility or the `MP_NUMBER_OF_THREADS` environment variable to control parallelism. These controls set the maximum amount of parallelism that your program will use, and the MLIB-specific mechanisms offer finer control within that maximum. Refer to the *mpa(1)* or *f77(1)* man page, respectively, for details.

New Functionality

The sparse linear equation solver, described in Chapter 6 of the HP MLIB VECLIB User's Guide and the *sparse-solver(3m)* man page, has been parallelized for SPP1200 and SPP1600 systems, and several new subprograms have been added to give the user additional control over the package or additional output from it. These are documented in the following new man pages: *dsleff(3m)*, *dslemp(3m)*, *dsleop(3m)*, and *dslerd(3m)*. This functionality was provided in the HP MLIB V4.0 release for S-Class systems.

This HP MLIB release includes subprograms that compute tapered convolutions. These are documented in the *stconv(3m)* and *dtconv(3m)* man pages.

`CPUTIME` and `WALLTIME` are utility subprograms included in the VECLIB and LAPACK libraries. They make it easy to measure intervals of CPU time and wallclock time, respectively, in a program. See the *cputime(3m)* and *walltime(3m)* man pages for details.

HP MLIB V4.1 includes the SCILIB library. SCILIB is a collection of Fortran-callable mathematical subprograms which provides a look-alike implementation of the Scientific Library portion of Cray Research's UNICOS

Math and Scientific Library, V5.0. SCILIB had been provided as part of ConvexMLIB V3.0 for SPP1200 and SPP1600 systems, but is new to S- and X-Class systems.

Parallelized Subprograms

Tables 1-3 list the name, chapter of the user's guide, and purpose of various subroutines in LAPACK, SCILIB, and VECLIB that have been parallelized to improve performance on Exemplar servers. Many additional subprograms in the libraries call the BLAS, and will inherit their parallelism.

Table 1: Parallelized Subprograms in LAPACK

Subroutine name	Chapter	Description
{S,D,C,Z}GBSV	2	Solve a General Band Linear System
{S,D,C,Z}GESV	2	Solve a General Full Linear System
{S,D,C,Z}GBSVX	3	Solve a General Band Linear System
{S,D,C,Z}GESVX	3	Solve a General Full Linear System
S,D,C,Z}GBTRF	4	Factor a General Band Matrix
{S,D,C,Z}GETRF	4	Factor a General Full Matrix
{S,D,C,Z}GETRI	4	Invert General Matrix
{S,D,C,Z}GETRS	4	Solve a General Full Linear System
{S,D}GELS	5	Solve General Least Squares Problem
{S,D}GELSS	5	Solve General Least Squares Problem
{S,D}GEQRF	6	QR Factorization of a General Matrix
{S,D}GGQRF	6	Generalized QR Factorization
{S,D}GGRQF	6	Generalized RQ Factorization
{S,D}GEGS	9	Generalized Schur Form
{S,D}GEGV	9	Generalized General Matrix Eigenproblem
{S,D}GESVD	10	Singular Value Decomposition
{S,D,C,Z}GEMM	-	General Matrix-Matrix Multiply
{S,D,C,Z}GEMV	-	General Matrix-Vector Multiply
{S,D}GER	-	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERC	-	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERC	-	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERU	-	General Rank-1 Update

Table 2: Parallelized Subprograms in SCILIB

Subroutine name	Chapter	Description
CFFT2	6	Complex-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
CFFTMLT	6	Simultaneous Complex-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
CRFFT2	6	Complex-to-Real One-Dimensional FFT
RCFFT2	6	Real-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
RFFTMLT	6	Simultaneous Real-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT

Table 3: Parallelized Subprograms in VECLIB

Subroutine name	Chapter	Description
{S,D,C,Z}GEMM	3	General Matrix-Matrix Multiply
{S,D,C,Z}GEMV	3	General Matrix-Vector Multiply
{S,D}GER	3	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERC	3	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERU	3	General Rank-1 Update
{S,D,C,Z}GBFA	4	Factor a General Band Matrix
{S,D}GEFA	4	Factor a General Matrix
{S,D}GESL	4	Solve General Linear Equations
DSLEFA	6	Numeric Factor Sparse Matrix
DSLEFS	6	Solve Sparse Linear Equations
DSKYFA	8	Numeric Factor Skyline Matrix
DSKYFS	8	Solve Skyline Linear Equations
DSKYFX	8	Solve Skyline Linear Equations
{S,D,C,Z}1DFFT	9	One-dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}2DFFT	9	Two-dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}3DFFT	9	Three-dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}FFTS	9d	Simultaneous Complex-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}R12FT	9	Real-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}RC2FT	9	Real-to-Complex Two-Dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}RC3FT	9	Real-to-Complex Three-Dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}RCFTS	9	Simultaneous Real-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
{S,D}CONV	10	Correlation/Convolution

Known Documentation Problems

As HP MLIB V4.1 is accompanied with the same user's guides as V4.0, the description of parallel processing at run time is incorrect in all three printed manuals. Please refer to "Controlling Parallelism at Run Time" in this Release Note or one of the man pages *lapack(3m)*, *scilib(3m)*, or *veclib(3m)* to learn how you can control HP MLIB parallelism at run time.

Contrary to what is written about profiling MLIB applications in Chapter 1 of each of the three HP MLIB User's Guides, MLIB libraries are not instrumented for profiling with CXpa. CXpa is an optional product. If you have it, you can use CXoi, the Exemplar PA-RISC Object and Archive File Instrumentor, to make instrumented MLIB libraries. See *CXoi(1)* for details.

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An on-line copy of this release note is installed in `/opt/mlib/newconfig/RelNotes`.

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There are several ways to specify linking your program with LAPACK, SCILIB, or VECLIB:

1. Specify the entire path of the library file on the `f77` or `f90` command line that links your program. For example, to use VECLIB with the `f77` compiler on an S-Class system, use

```
f77 [options] file /opt/mlib/lib/pa2.0parallel/libveclib.a
```

2. Use the `-l` option on the `f77` or `f90` command line that links your program, preceded by either `-Wl,-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa1.1parallel` or `-Wl,-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa2.0parallel`. For example, the above `f77` command line could be written as:

```
f77 [options] file -Wl,-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa2.0parallel -lveclib
```

3. Set your `LDOPTS` environment variable to include the appropriate one of `-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa1.1parallel` or `-L/opt/mlib/lib/pa2.0parallel`, and use the `-l` option on the `f77` or `f90` command line that links your program. For example, with the `f90` compiler, use

```
f90 [options] file -lveclib
```

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To permit parallel processing at link time, your link step must produce a multithreaded executable. You always get a multithreaded executable if you link with the Fortran 77 or C compiler using the `+Oparallel` flag:

```
f77 [options] file +O3 +Oparallel -lveclib
```

With Fortran 90, you must include the `-Wl,+tm,S2000,+parallel` option on the `f90` command line that links your program:

```
f90 [options] file -Wl,+tm,S2000,+parallel -lveclib -lpthread -lcps -lpthread -lail
```

To disable automatic parallelism at link time, you omit the `+Oparallel` or `+parallel` option and include several runtime libraries if they are needed. The following commands are the non-parallelizing equivalents of the previous parallelizing linking commands.

```
f77 [options] file -lveclib -lpthread -lcps -lpthread -lail
```

```
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```

Another alternative is to link with parallelism enabled and use the `mpa(1)` utility to modify the attributes of the executable file to disable parallelism. Refer to the `mpa(1)` man page for details.

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The following command lines show the C shell syntax and Korn shell syntax to use when setting the variable to 8 processors:

```
C shell:      setenv MLIB_NUMBER_OF_THREADS 8
Korn shell:  export MLIB_NUMBER_OF_THREADS=8
```

`MLIB_NUMBER_OF_THREADS` is examined upon the first call to a parallelized MLIB subprogram to establish the default parallel action within MLIB.

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Finally, in addition to the above MLIB controls, at run time you can use the *mpa(1)* utility or the `MP_NUMBER_OF_THREADS` environment variable to control parallelism. These controls set the maximum amount of parallelism that your program will use, and the MLIB-specific mechanisms offer finer control within that maximum. Refer to the *mpa(1)* or *f77(1)* man page, respectively, for details.

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Math and Scientific Library, V5.0. SCILIB had been provided as part of ConvexMLIB V3.0 for SPP1200 and SPP1600 systems, but is new to S- and X-Class systems.

Parallelized Subprograms

Tables 1-3 list the name, chapter of the user's guide, and purpose of various subroutines in LAPACK, SCILIB, and VECLIB that have been parallelized to improve performance on Exemplar servers. Many additional subprograms in the libraries call the BLAS, and will inherit their parallelism.

Table 1: Parallelized Subprograms in LAPACK

Subroutine name	Chapter	Description
{S,D,C,Z}GBSV	2	Solve a General Band Linear System
{S,D,C,Z}GESV	2	Solve a General Full Linear System
{S,D,C,Z}GBSVX	3	Solve a General Band Linear System
{S,D,C,Z}GESVX	3	Solve a General Full Linear System
S,D,C,Z}GBTRF	4	Factor a General Band Matrix
{S,D,C,Z}GETRF	4	Factor a General Full Matrix
{S,D,C,Z}GETRI	4	Invert General Matrix
{S,D,C,Z}GETRS	4	Solve a General Full Linear System
{S,D}GELS	5	Solve General Least Squares Problem
{S,D}GELSS	5	Solve General Least Squares Problem
{S,D}GEQRF	6	QR Factorization of a General Matrix
{S,D}GGQRF	6	Generalized QR Factorization
{S,D}GGRQF	6	Generalized RQ Factorization
{S,D}GEGS	9	Generalized Schur Form
{S,D}GEGV	9	Generalized General Matrix Eigenproblem
{S,D}GESVD	10	Singular Value Decomposition
{S,D,C,Z}GEMM	-	General Matrix-Matrix Multiply
{S,D,C,Z}GEMV	-	General Matrix-Vector Multiply
{S,D}GER	-	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERC	-	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERC	-	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERU	-	General Rank-1 Update

Table 2: Parallelized Subprograms in SCILIB

Subroutine name	Chapter	Description
CFFT2	6	Complex-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
CFFTMLT	6	Simultaneous Complex-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
CRFFT2	6	Complex-to-Real One-Dimensional FFT
RCFFT2	6	Real-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
RFFTMLT	6	Simultaneous Real-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT

Table 3: Parallelized Subprograms in VECLIB

Subroutine name	Chapter	Description
{S,D,C,Z}GEMM	3	General Matrix-Matrix Multiply
{S,D,C,Z}GEMV	3	General Matrix-Vector Multiply
{S,D}GER	3	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERC	3	General Rank-1 Update
{C,Z}GERU	3	General Rank-1 Update
{S,D,C,Z}GBFA	4	Factor a General Band Matrix
{S,D}GEFA	4	Factor a General Matrix
{S,D}GESL	4	Solve General Linear Equations
DSLEFA	6	Numeric Factor Sparse Matrix
DSLEFS	6	Solve Sparse Linear Equations
DSKYFA	8	Numeric Factor Skyline Matrix
DSKYFS	8	Solve Skyline Linear Equations
DSKYFX	8	Solve Skyline Linear Equations
{S,D,C,Z}1DFFT	9	One-dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}2DFFT	9	Two-dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}3DFFT	9	Three-dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}FFTS	9d	Simultaneous Complex-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}R12FT	9	Real-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}RC2FT	9	Real-to-Complex Two-Dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}RC3FT	9	Real-to-Complex Three-Dimensional FFT
{S,D,C,Z}RCFTS	9	Simultaneous Real-to-Complex One-Dimensional FFT
{S,D}CONV	10	Correlation/Convolution

Known Documentation Problems

As HP MLIB V4.1 is accompanied with the same user's guides as V4.0, the description of parallel processing at run time is incorrect in all three printed manuals. Please refer to "Controlling Parallelism at Run Time" in this Release Note or one of the man pages *lapack(3m)*, *scilib(3m)*, or *veclib(3m)* to learn how you can control HP MLIB parallelism at run time.

Contrary to what is written about profiling MLIB applications in Chapter 1 of each of the three HP MLIB User's Guides, MLIB libraries are not instrumented for profiling with CXpa. CXpa is an optional product. If you have it, you can use CXoi, the Exemplar PA-RISC Object and Archive File Instrumentor, to make instrumented MLIB libraries. See CXoi(1) for details.

