



UBDA Platform

Example for C++ with OpenMPI

User Guide

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1. Introduction

This document is shown a C++ example by using OpenMPI method running on the UBDA platform.

Note: User should first register a user account through UBDA website at: <https://www.polyu.edu.hk/pfs/index.php/177729> to access the UBDA Platform

2. Perform the test

2.1 Login to ubdaplatform.polyu.edu.hk via SSH

2.2 Create the testing directory

```
$ mkdir -p $HOME/_CPP_test
$ cd $HOME/_CPP_test
```

2.3 Prepare the C++ program (Filename: hello_mpi.cpp)

```
# include <cstdlib>
# include <ctime>
# include <iomanip>
# include <iostream>
# include <mpi.h>

using namespace std;

int main ( int argc, char *argv[] );
void timestamp ( );

//*****
//*****80

int main ( int argc, char *argv[] )

//*****
//*****80
//
// Purpose:
//
//     MAIN is the main program for HELLO_MPI.
//
// Discussion:
//
//     This is a simple MPI test program.
//     Each process prints out a "Hello, world!" message.
//     The master process also prints out a short message.
//
//     Modified to use the C MPI bindings, 14 June 2016.
//
// Licensing:
//
//     This code is distributed under the GNU LGPL license.
//
// Modified:
//
//     14 June 2016
//
// Author:
```

```
//
//   John Burkardt
//
// Reference:
//
//   William Gropp, Ewing Lusk, Anthony Skjellum,
//   Using MPI: Portable Parallel Programming with the
//   Message-Passing Interface,
//   Second Edition,
//   MIT Press, 1999,
//   ISBN: 0262571323,
//   LC: QA76.642.G76.
//
{
  int id;
  int ierr;
  int p;
  double wtime;
//
//   Initialize MPI.
//
  ierr = MPI_Init ( &argc, &argv );
//
//   Get the number of processes.
//
  ierr = MPI_Comm_size ( MPI_COMM_WORLD, &p );
//
//   Get the individual process ID.
//
  ierr = MPI_Comm_rank ( MPI_COMM_WORLD, &id );
//
//   Process 0 prints an introductory message.
//
  if ( id == 0 )
  {
    timestamp ( );
    cout << "\n";
    cout << "HELLO_MPI - Master process:\n";
    cout << "  C++/MPI version\n";
    cout << "  An MPI example program.\n";
    cout << "\n";
    cout << "  The number of processes is " << p << "\n";
    cout << "\n";
  }
//
//   Every process prints a hello
//
  if ( id == 0 )
  {
    wtime = MPI_Wtime ( );
  }
  cout << "  Process " << id << " says 'Hello, world!'\n";
//
//   Process 0 says goodbye.
//
}
```

```
if ( id == 0 )
{
    wtime = MPI_Wtime ( ) - wtime;
    cout << " Elapsed wall clock time = " << wtime << "
seconds.\n";
}
//
// Terminate MPI.
//
MPI_Finalize ( );
//
// Terminate.
//
if ( id == 0 )
{
    cout << "\n";
    cout << "HELLO_MPI:\n";
    cout << " Normal end of execution.\n";
    cout << "\n";
    timestamp ( );
}
return 0;
}
//*****
*****80

void timestamp ( )

# define TIME_SIZE 40

static char time_buffer[TIME_SIZE];
const struct std::tm *tm_ptr;
size_t len;
std::time_t now;

now = std::time ( NULL );
tm_ptr = std::localtime ( &now );

len = std::strftime ( time_buffer, TIME_SIZE,
"%d %B %Y %I:%M:%S %p", tm_ptr );

std::cout << time_buffer << "\n";

return;
# undef TIME_SIZE
}
```

2.4 Load the MPI user environment. You can select OpenMPI with gcc.

For select OpenMPI, use the following:

```
$ module available
----- /ubda/apps/modules/modules-
4.1.2/modulefiles -----
anaconda3-5.2.0      cuda-9.1          perl-5.26.1
ansys-17.2-fluent   fs1-5.0.11       python-2.7.15
atlas-3.10.3        gcc-5.5.0        python-3.6.6
autodock-4.2.6      ips_xe_2018_u3   quantum-
espresso-6.2.1
cmake-3.12.1        mpich-3.2.1-gcc-5.5.0  R-3.5.0
cuda-9.0            openmpi-3.0.1-gcc-5.5.0  singularity-
2.6.0

$ module load openmpi-3.0.1-gcc-5.5.0
$ module list
Currently Loaded Modulefiles:
  1) openmpi-3.0.1-gcc-5.5.0
$ which mpicc
/ubda/apps/openmpi/openmpi-3.0.1-gcc-5.5.0/bin/mpicc
```

2.5 Build the executable binary by using the selected MPI

```
$ mpicc -o helloworldopenmpi.out hello_mpi.cpp
$ file helloworldopenmpi.out
helloworldopenmpi.out: ELF 64-bit LSB executable, x86-64, version
1 (SYSV), dynamically linked (uses shared libs), for GNU/Linux
2.6.32, not stripped
```


2.6 Prepare the job script file.

For select OpenMPI, use the following (Filename: helloworld.pbs)

```
#!/bin/sh
#PBS -N cpptest
#PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=8
#PBS -l walltime=12:00:00
#PBS -q q2s01
#PBS -V
#PBS -S /bin/bash

module load openmpi-3.0.1-gcc-5.5.0

EXEC=helloworldopenmpi.out
#####
NP=`cat $PBS_NODEFILE | wc -l`
NN=`cat $PBS_NODEFILE | sort | uniq | tee /tmp/nodes.$$ | wc -l`
cat $PBS_NODEFILE > /tmp/nodefile.$$
echo "process will start at : "
date
echo "+++++"
cd $PBS_O_WORKDIR

mpirun -n $NP --mca blt self,openib $EXEC > result.out

echo "+++++"
echo "processs will sleep 5 minutes"
#sleep 300
echo "process end at : "
date
rm -f /tmp/nodefile.$$
rm -f /tmp/nodes.$$
module unload openmpi-3.0.1-gcc-5.5.0
```

Please remind to change the values for your application.

```
#PBS -N cpptest {your job name}
#PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=8 {your requested resource;nodes and
processors per node}
#PBS -q q2s01 {the job queue}
EXEC=helloworld.out {your execute file name}
```

Example files can be found at:

/ubda/apps/examples/CPP/helloworld/

hello_mpi.cpp
helloworld.pbs

3 Job submission

- 3.1 Submit the script (*helloworld.pbs*) to job queue.
A job ID number will be returned.

```
$ qsub helloworld.pbs
1896.ubda-mgt01
```

- 3.2 Enquiry the submitted job status.

```
$ qstat -na

ubda-mgt01:
Job ID          Username      Queue        Jobname      SessID  NDS   TSK   Req'd      Req'd      Elap
-----          -
1896.ubda-mgt01 ubdademo9    q2s01       cpptest     219882   1     8     --   12:00:00 R   00:00:01
ubda-d050/0-7
```

| Job status field name | Explanation | Example |
|-----------------------|--|---------------------|
| JOB ID | Unique Job id. | 1896.ubda-mgt01 |
| Job name | Name for the job allocation | cpptest |
| Queue name | Name of the job queue that the job has assigned. | q2s01 |
| Username | Your NetID | ubdademo9 |
| S | Job current status. Q = queued R = Job is executing C = Job was completed | Running |
| ELAP TIME | Time for the job executed | 00:00:01 (1 second) |
| Req'd Time | The maximum execution time | 12:00:00 (1 day) |
| NDS | Total number of nodes assigned | 1 |
| TSK | Total number of cores assigned | 8 |

4 How to check the result

4.1 Check for any error messages for JobID

```
$ more cpptest.e1896
Host key verification failed.(know error message can be ignored)

$ more cpptest.o1896
process will start at :
Wed Jul 11 15:52:36 HKT 2018
+++++
+++++
process end at :
Wed Jul 11 15:52:37 HKT 2018
```

4.2 Check for result

```
$ cat result.out
Process 1 says 'Hello, world!'
Process 2 says 'Hello, world!'
Process 3 says 'Hello, world!'
Process 4 says 'Hello, world!'
Process 5 says 'Hello, world!'
Process 6 says 'Hello, world!'
Process 7 says 'Hello, world!'
11 July 2018 03:52:37 PM

HELLO_MPI - Master process:
C++/MPI version
An MPI example program.

The number of processes is 8

Process 0 says 'Hello, world!'
Elapsed wall clock time = 4.46801e-06 seconds.

HELLO_MPI:
Normal end of execution.

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```

5 Useful Reference

- Tutorial of C++
URL: <http://www.cplusplus.com/doc/tutorial/>
- Command reference for qstat
URL: <http://docs.adaptivecomputing.com/torque/6-0-0/help.htm#topics/torque/commands/qstat.htm?Highlight=qstat>