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### 利用圖形處理器加速 3 - DES 運 算

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#### 摘要

<span id="page-1-0"></span>加密與解密計算至今已經被開發出各式各樣的演算法,針對不同使用上的需 求提供不同的計算方式,已經幾乎成為網路傳輸中不可或缺的重要角色。然而, 加密與解密的過程是需要龐大的 CPU 計算時間和資源,對一個支援加密傳輸的 web server 而言, 往往 web server 本身會花 60%至 70%的資源在執行加解密的計 算,對執行效率來說是很大的瓶頸。本研究探討這限制之最根本的原因,就是加 解密過程耗費過多 CPU 資源, 因此提出使用 GPU (圖形處理器) 來加速這些加 解密的計算,以減少 CPU 的負擔,讓 CPU 可以更專注於其他 web service 的服 **HALLIDAN** 務。

本論文並非是目前為止第一個利用了 GPU 的計算能力,來加速加解密運算 之研究。然而加解密的密碼文件(cipher)種類相當多,我們針對計算量相當龐大的 3-DES 演算法進行研究,將用來原本該在 CPU 上之邏輯運算,轉換成可以在 GPU 上平行處理的演算法。在我們的實作中,隨著檔案大小的增加,我們觀察到在 GPU 提供了超過 5 倍目前 CPU 所能提供之運算能力,並大幅減少 CPU 所耗損 的資源,有效的提供 web server 更好的服務品質。

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#### Using GPU to speed up 3-DES Computing

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#### **Abstract**

<span id="page-2-0"></span>Various cryptography algorithms have been developed to date to provide different levels of data security for application domains, such as storage security, personal identification, and secure web browsing. Although these algorithms do a very good job of protecting your privacy, they consume massive amount of resource on the server-side while processing encrypting and decrypting requests from clients. Generally speaking, a web server supporting transport security (TLS/SSL) could spend up to  $60\% \sim 70\%$  of its computing resource in encrypting and decrypting data and leave 30%~40% for actual client request processing. Therefore in this research, we try to address the performance issue by using GPU (Graphics Processing Unit) to speed up the data encryption and decryption to reduce the computing resource spent on security and ultimately improve the web server throughput.

In this paper, we chose the widely-used 3-DES and implemented it on GPU. In our implementation, we observed the GPU cipher performs 5 times faster than the OpenSSL implementation on CPU. As a result, we show a promising direction for offloading the data encryption and decryption onto GPU.

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## <span id="page-8-0"></span>**Chapter 1 Introduction**

### <span id="page-8-1"></span>**1.1. Preface**

Cipher encryption could be the most important thing in internet security in recent ten years. As network technology evolved rapidly, the security problems need to be concerned seriously. Data Encryption Standard (DES) is proved as a standard method at 1976 [1]. Due to limitation of 64 bits key strength, DES has been superseded by 3-DES or the Advanced Encryption Standard.

3-DES could be seen as a transitional form between AES [2] and DES, it strengthen the DES's security, which is a stamp of approval possessing adequate security capability. The main function of 3-DES is manipulating DSE three times in a row. Theoretically, it can achieve more than 3 times of DES's security capability, and consumes CPU capability three times more vice versa. Therefore in many cases, it can't provide instant real time computing, which triggered emergence of the like AES highlighted the security and effectiveness capability.

Despite the newly generation of AES, the former computing methods still are irreplaceable. For instance, the newly version of OPENSSL still provide both DES and 3-DES for users [3]. The speed of 3-DES isn't fast enough in many circumstances though, it performs well in a none-instant-calculating condition. Many researchers still are aimed at improvements with these computing methods.

### <span id="page-9-0"></span>**1.2. Motivation**

The main streams of ciphers are DES, 3-DES and AES as before [3]. The lack of 64 bits key length of DES, a special effective way enables to decrypt within 24 hours allegedly, though it hasn't been proved, did alert the awareness of code safety. By increasing longer code or creating a more sophisticated computing method, we may guarantee the safety of coded data.

The advantages of AES, fast calculating speed, strong defense capability and easily parallelization, the latter one especially convenient for inventers, are the reasons made it popular.

The characteristics of 3-DES, 3 times more computing time and competitiveness of computing, are the inevitable result made its inferiority besides comparatively good quality of security as AES [4]. Most people turn to other ciphers which contain certain quality of speed and security. However, to invent new cipher involves quite long time. If focusing on improve the disadvantage of consumption of CPU resource in 3-DES, not only could fasten the DES but also provide more commodious user interface.

## <span id="page-10-0"></span>**Chapter 2 Background and Related work**

## <span id="page-10-1"></span>**2.1. GPU (Graphics Processor Unit)**

### **introduction**

Nowadays GPU is not only the T&L (transform & lighting) and render hardware, but also the general purpose computation hardware. This is the basic concept of general purpose computation on graphics hardware, also called GPGPU [5]. It means we can do lots of computing as CPU can do on GPU hardware. In fact, some kinds of computation have better performance on GPU than CPU, such as floating-point operation. The comparison of computation power between GPU and CPU in floating-points computation was depicted as [Fig. 2-1.](#page-10-2) It is obviously that GPU and CPU do the same performance in floating-points computation in 2003. But in 2005, GPU do the twice performance than CPU in floating-points computation. However GPU can do triple or quadruple performance than CPU can do now.



<span id="page-10-2"></span>*Fig. 2-1 Floating-Point Operations per Second for the CPU and GPU*

Besides of floating-points computation, it is more easy and effective to do parallel processing on GPU hardware. The major CPU has two or four cores on it, but the major GPU card has about 128 even more cores on it. If we can find a way to divide a computation-sensitive problem to many parallel threads, it might get better performance to run on the GPU hardware. However the mapping has many constraints and is not straightforward. We may need to design some special data structures and modify the algorithm in the way we do graphics rendering. There are now two most famous general purpose GPU architecture, CUDA by NVIDIA and OpenCL by AMD/ATI.

### <span id="page-11-0"></span>**2.2. CUDA (Compute Unified Device**

## **Architecture)**

CUDA (Compute Unified Device Architecture) is the architecture to unify the general computation model on NVIDIA's graphics card devices [6]. Based on traditional C or C++ program language, CUDA is a new program language added some extension syntax and auxiliary libraries. The programmers can use the CUDA language to coding programming with ease just like C++ language programming [7]. Since we use CUDA to speed up our 3-DES encryption and decryption, we will discuss the advantage to CUDA architecture and enumerate main different between CUDA and OpenCL [8].

The objective of CUDA programming can be summarized as the following two parts:

Easy to write program

CUDA programming is almost as easy as  $C_{++}$  programming. The main

difference between CUDA and C++ programming is how to optimize your program. A programmer needs to know lots of hardware details about the graphic card while optimizing a CUDA program.



<span id="page-12-0"></span>Fit parallel processing

Unlike C++ programming for sequential processing, CUDA programming is suit for parallel processing. For instance, some loops need to be executed for hundreds or thousands times in sequential processing. But in CUDA programming, we can easily break a loop to hundreds or thousands threads. With parallel processing, sometimes we can get five to ten times performance than sequential processing [9].



*Fig. 2-3 CUDA Architecture from CUDA ZONE*

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<span id="page-13-0"></span>scattered write capability

Scattered write means that CUDA program codes can write to arbitrary addresses in GPU memory. In traditional GPU pipeline, it is impossible to assign any memory address by programmers. With the scattered write capability, it is more efficiently for us to build a parallel algorithm just like build an algorithm on C program [10].

On chip shared memory

One special difference between NVIDIA and AMD/ATI is that NVIDIA GPU has shared memories on it [10]. With the shared memory, we can access data directly from shared memory without accessing the global memory on graphic card. Since it needs 4 hundred or 6 hundred cycles to access the global memory at a time, memory accessing is tone of key points to optimize parallel processing programs [11].



*Fig. 2-4 CUDA Memory Architecture from CUDA ZONE*

### <span id="page-14-1"></span><span id="page-14-0"></span>**2.3. CUDA memory introduction**

In fact, there are six different types of memory that can be access by programmer when writing a CUDA program.

Register's calculating speed is the fastest among all the other reservoirs. Most of the local variable of threads including array are manipulated by register spontaneously. In some conditions: Being "co-occupied" by too many variables that maxed out space of register breaching the limitation of compiler (using content N of --maxrregcount with N=128 presumed); using dynamic variables as indexes to access array (due to the need of order formation of array), it'll be replaced by local memory of compiler with lower speed [12]. The following we would talk about all kinds of memories on graphic card.

Shared memory's applied range is block, which only could be operated within the same block. The limitations of it are the scale and the necessity to synchronize threads,

avoiding unexpected error of data filing. Its potency next only to register, is the focal point of optimization. Besides, we can't initialize it in the beginning process other than core implementation, nor access it in host machine. CUDA only provides API to assign its scale in current stage.

Local memory is the inevitable outcome while compiler automatically replacing data to global memory, similar to page swap in operating system. It has negative effect in efficiency, and the effect is hardly control. Therefore, when optimizing program, it has to be tracked by --ptxas-options to avoid it. Sometimes, to increase the number of blockDim in a block, we need --maxrregcount N to limit the usage amount of the maximum usable registers to each thread [13]. They have to compromise between the number of variables and the scale due to its necessity.

Other than device as a tag proclaim, reservoirs which are located by API directly through cudaMalloc also be seem as global memory. Global memory, which means all operating units could operate on it, and anything could be operate by threads in DRAM, threads in different block included. Its accessing without cache is differing from texture cache, which belongs to different ports in hardware and acquired coalesced read. (Coalesced read, is the constant block of reservoir in reading half the warp of thread, which synchronizes the controller of reservoir.)

Constant memory and texture cache belong to the same administrative level, but it has lower error rate cause of its size limitation. Despite the consuming of loading time in the very first time, its operating speed is as fast as shared memory. It can apply in all range and only can be access in the initial stage of setting a file or through the API in host machine.

Because of buffering of cache, texture memory doesn't acquire collaboration in accessing. The dozens computing cycles is the reason of slightly lower speed compare

to global memory which access directly, but still much faster than global memory which doesn't collaborate while reading data. Therefore, texture memory is prior in a very sophisticated condition of collaborating accessing.

Texture memory is unrevised for cache's locality. CUDA provide not only 1D cache pattern, but also 2D and 3D texture cache which applies inclusively for the need of plotting.

The following table 2-1 and table 2-2 show the summary of GPU memory.

<b>Type</b>	<b>Tag</b>	<b>Life Period</b>	<b>Access Scope</b>	<b>Hardware</b>
<b>Register</b>	(none)	block	Thread R/W	On chip
<b>Local memory</b>	(none)	block	Thread R/W	<b>DRAM</b>
<b>Shared memory</b>	shared	block	<b>Block R/W</b>	On chip
<b>Texture memory</b>	(none)	program	Global R/W	$DRAM + cache$
<b>Constant memory</b>	constant	program	<b>Global R</b>	$DRAM + cache$
<b>Global memory</b>	device	program	Global R/W	<b>DRAM</b>

*Table 2-1 Memory Types in CUDA* **Contractor** 

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<b>Type</b>	<b>Access time (clocks)</b>	<b>Performance Factor</b>	
<b>Register</b>	Immediately	none	
<b>Local memory</b>	$400 \sim 600$	Compiler auto	
<b>Shared memory</b>	$\overline{4}$	Memory bank conflict	
<b>Texture memory</b>	$4,400 \sim 600 \, \text{(miss)}$	Cache miss	
<b>Constant memory</b>	Cache miss $4,400 \sim 600 \, \text{(miss)}$		
<b>Global memory</b>	$400 \sim 600$	Memory bank conflict	

<span id="page-16-1"></span>*Table 2-2 Memory Access time in CUDA*

### <span id="page-17-0"></span>**2.4. Related Work**

In recently years, more and more people try to speed up the compute-sensitive work in CUDA programming. This is because graphic card is much cheaper than other hardware device. User just needs to buy the NVIDIA graphic card and install their driver. In additional, users may get better performance by offering a good parallel algorithm in CUDA programming. Moreover, there is some commercial software supported to CUDA. For example, TMPGENC's video encoder software supports CUDA speed up in 2008. That is why some people say multi-cores is the final goal for CPU [14].

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### <span id="page-17-1"></span>**2.4.1. Related Work:AES speed up in CUDA**

It is fully benefits of the most optimized known AES techniques in the CUDA-AES implementation. The CUDA-AES implementation is designed for 32-bit processors. Given the flexibility of memory model, it is possible to efficiently use the four T-look-up tables each one containing 256 entries of 32 bits each. The CUDA-AES implementation is based on combination of the round stages, which allows a very fast execution on processors with word length of 32 bits. In this paper, the author brings up a formula that stands for his AES architecture [15].

# $e_i = T_0[a_{0,i}] \oplus T_1[a_{1,i+1}] \oplus T_2[a_{2,i+2}] \oplus T_3[a_{3,i+3}] \oplus k_i$

Where a is the round input, e is the round output of bytes,  $T$ [ ] is a look-up table, ⊕ means XOR and Kj is one column of the stage key. This solution takes only 4 look-ups and 4 XORs per column per round [16].

It is obviously that the CUDA-AES implementation takes few operation in a

round rather than DES. That is the reason why AES encryption is as fast as DES encryption. Furthermore, AES is more suitable for CUDA programming because of using massive matrix. It can easily parallelize all the AES system by spreading up the linear operations in matrix to corresponding threads in GPU hardware [17]. This CUDA-AES implementation in this paper speeds up the about 5 times on G80. The detail data statistics will be analyzed with our results. We put all the data statistics in chapter four.



## <span id="page-19-0"></span>**Chapter 3 System Architecture**

In this chapter, we present the system overview of our framework that includes DES and 3-DES (Triple DES) architecture. Additionally, we not only do the encryption and decryption speed up work but also combine the 3-DES to web service. We will describe the whole system in the last subsection.

### <span id="page-19-1"></span>**3.1. DES and 3DES Introduction**

#### <span id="page-19-2"></span>**3.1.1. DES Architecture**

Since that DES is the main core of 3-DES operation, so we first analysis the DES architecture to find out how many components in DES can be improved by CUDA [14]. DES is a block cipher system with a secret key. The principle of DES is that divide the plaintext into many 64-bits blocks. First, each of 64-bits blocks is subjected to an initial permutation IP. Then do sixteen times logic operation with sixteen sub-keys. Finally we do IP<sup>-1</sup> operation to this text to get the final cipher text, so we can send the 64-bits cipher text to other people with DES encryption [18].

In traditional DES architecture is as the Fig. 3-1, all the operations including input, initial permutation, permuted input, sub-key generation,  $IP^{-1}$  operation, and output are all achieved by CPU hardware [19]. Therefore, all logic operations in CPU waste too many CPU time and CPU recourses. Our job is to assign some operations form CPU to GPU to speed up the whole system and decrease the CPU recourses wastage.



*Fig. 3-1 Traditional Enciphering Computation*

#### <span id="page-20-1"></span><span id="page-20-0"></span>**3.1.2. 3-DES Architecture**

The secret key DES only has 64 bits (including 8 bits for error detection), people believe that DES may easily be cracked by modern computer because of the short secret key. However 3-DES is one of the methods to improve the weakness of the short secret key problem. By 3-DES, we can improve the secret key from 64 bits to

192 bits [20]. Anyway we don't need to worry about the secret problem in 3-DES operation, but the computation time is 3-DES is such a big problem for user.

3-DES is based on DES architecture. In order to create a longer secret key, 3-DES tries to do DES encryption and decryption three times to get triple length as the secret key in DES [21]. As Fig. 3-2, we can see that 3-DES needs triple more CPU time to finish a job.



<span id="page-21-0"></span>In detail, 3-DES's encryption can divide to three parts. First, we use the first key 96. to do DES encryption to plaintext. Then we use the second key to do DES decryption and finally do the DES encryption with the third key to accomplish the 3-DES encryption. Therefore the 3-DES decryption is inverse operation to 3-DES encryption.

It is obviously that 3-DES is a computation-sensitive work. It may cost too much CPU time and CPU recourse [22]. What we need to do is using CUDA programming to speed up the 3-DES computation in GPU.

### <span id="page-22-0"></span>**3.2. Implement 3-DES in CUDA**

### <span id="page-22-1"></span>**3.2.1. Facing problems in CUDA program**

A trivial idea to implement 3-DES system in CUDA programming is put the encryption and decryption operation on graphic card with keep the tradition 3-DES architecture. However it may face several problems in CUDA programming.

Parallel algorithm is not easy to build

When we try to rewrite the DES architecture for CUDA programming, one of the main problems in CUDA programming is how to parallelize 3-DES architecture. Since DES architecture is a sequential execution program as in Fig. 3-2, it is so difficult to parallelize the internal flow of DES. In fact, AES uses massive matrixes to solve this problem. The restriction of DES is not easy to crack because there is no good matrix solution to DES. **RIGHT** 

To solve this problem, we modify the traditional DES algorithm to fit CUDA program. Traditional DES deals with 64-bits plaintext once. In our idea, we input about 64 \* N bits plaintext once [23]. N means how many threads we use on graphic card. By inputting 64 \*N bits plaintext, we can easily create a new DES architecture with parallel algorithm. Nevertheless, there are still many problems when you try to input 64 \* N bits plaintext once, we will talk about this later.

How to optimize your system using GPU memory

Another troublesome problem is how to perfect assign the GPU memory. While we try to input 64  $*$  N bits plaintext once, we find out that the system efficiency goes down quickly. The main reason is that we did not well assign the GPU memory [24].

In our original idea, we try not to rewrite the whole 3-DES architecture and want

to get benefits by CUDA programming. In fact, this is a terrible mistake that we waste too much time in data moving from host memory (CPU memory) to device memory (GPU memory). Although copying data form host memory to device memory can use Direct Memory Access (DMA) to optimize the device's high-performance, we still have to reduce the frequency of data moving [25].

Traditional 3-DES encryption contains three components, including two DES encryptions and one DES decryption [26]. While we rewrite the 3-DES encryption and decryption form C code to CUDA code, it is necessary to reduce the frequency of data moving. For example that we first write two function call named \_\_global\_\_DES\_encryption() and \_\_global\_\_DES\_decryption(), "\_\_global\_\_" means this function call will be executed by GPU core. In Fig. 3-3, it is obviously that it needs too much data moving to complete 3-DES encryption once [27]. However what we need is to combine three operations into one operation, so we can reduce the six data moving operations to two data moving operation.

*Algorithm 3-DES Encryption ((plaintext, ciphertext) ;*  **Input:** *plaintext* (64 \* N bits plaintext). **Output:** *ciphertext* (64 \* N bits ciphertext).

*// N means how many threads we use in device.* 

*begin* 

*declare integer plaintext[64 \* N], temptext[64 \* N], ciphertext[64 \* N]; declare integer key1[64], key2[64], key3[64] ;* 

**input** *(*plaintext*,* temptext*); //put plaintextin to temp buffer* key\_schedule (key1, key2, key3); // generate subkeys

copy *temptext* form host memory to device memory \_\_global\_\_DES\_encryption (temptext, key1); copy *temptext* form device memory to host memory

```
copy temptext form host memory to device memory
      __global__DES_decryption (temptext, key2); 
    copy temptext form device memory to host memory
    copy temptext form host memory to device memory
    __global__DES_encryption (temptext, key3); 
    copy temptext form device memory to host memory
    swap (ciphertext , temptext);
    output (ciphertext);
end
```
<span id="page-24-1"></span>*Fig. 3-3 Traditional 3-DES algorithm with too much data moving*

### <span id="page-24-0"></span>**3.2.2. 3-DES Architecture for CUDA programming**

A new 3-DES architecture is a special design for CUDA programming. In our design, we try many kinds of method to optimise the architercture. The final answer we get is the following flow chart as Fig. 3-4. The implement details of the flow chart will be discuss in next chapter, we just need to know how this architecture work and compare this new 3-DES architecture with traditional 3-DES architecture. In fact, Fig. 3-4 only show how 3-DES encryption work. The 3-DES decryption's flow chart is almost like 3-DES encryption flow chart but still exist some differents. We will also talk about the differents on next chapter.



<span id="page-25-0"></span>*Fig. 3-4 New 3-DESencryption Flowchart*

### <span id="page-26-0"></span>**3.3. Integrate 3-DES with web server**

To analysis the efficiency of 3-DES encryption and decryption, we construct a website that offers 3-DES encryption and decryption service. The website is used for ensuring internal security. All data stored in the website is encrypted. While users want to download the data form website, the website will immediately decode the encryption data and send the result to users. On the other hand, when a user wants to upload a file to web server, the website will encode the file first and then put the cipher text into web server.

In Fig. 3-5, it is conspicuous to realize how this data server works. After the user upload a file to server, the website will refresh the download page and list a new cyber link to the new upload file. That is because we want to test the 3-DES speed up performance through the environment of integrating 3-DES with web service. In traditional 3-DES encryption and decryption, the efficiency is too low to tolerate. After we implement 3-DES in CUDA programming, the 3-DES encryption and decryption become fast enough for general purpose. Moreover, users would not know that web server do the 3-DES decryption when they push the download button.



<span id="page-27-0"></span>Unfortunately we run into many troubles in implement the whole environment. The most important trouble is the security problem. While a user tries to download a file from this server, the CPU in the web server would send a signal to call DMA for moving data form host memory to device memory ideally in our theory. But it is not working actually. Final we find out that there is some security measures for avoiding any unsuitable access to host computer. In other hand, the host computer would not accept the GPU access request that is sent from apache server. We will discuss how we solve this problem in next chapter.

# <span id="page-28-0"></span>**Chapter 4 Experimental Results and Analysis**

In this chapter we will discuss our implement methods in detail. Based on the framework we talked in chapter three, we would introduce that how we construct each of these components. Therefore, since that there are too much components in our architecture, we just introduce the important or particular design in our implementation and some exceptional troubles programmers may face.

## <span id="page-28-1"></span>**4.1. 3-DES implementation in GPU**

#### <span id="page-28-2"></span>**4.1.1. Move data from CPU to GPU**

The First step of DES encryption and decryption is moving plaintexts or cipher texts from host to device. Host means CPU and device means graphic card. First, the host will instruct the device to malloc same size of data in GPU memory. Second, the host would send data from host memory to device memory with DMA. Finally GPU receive the data, the host can further call GPU to do computing on shaders.

While GPU receive the data and the instruction from CPU, we need to map the data to threads in shaders. In DES implementation, a plaintext is 64-bits. We use a unsigned char array with 8 elements to store the 64-bits and we store all the  $64 * N$ bits in the unsigned char array named block. First GPU reads all elements in array block and send each element to different thread. We use  $J = (blockIdx.x * blockDim.x +$ threadIdx.x) to indicate each thread. J means absolutely thread ID, blockIdx means how many blocks in a grid, blockDim mean how many threads in a block, and threadIdx means the relative thread ID in a block. Second we divide the plaintext to two parts named left and right. Each of Left and right are contains 32 bits, so we can combine four unsigned char elements individually to left and right like Fig. 4-1.

```
Algorithm __golbal__DES_EN (block, key) ; // Same as 3-DES_DE
Input: block (64 * N bits plaintext) 
        Key(64 * 3 keys) 
Output: block (64 * N bits cipher)
// N means how many threads we use in device. 
begin 
     unsigned long left,right; 
      int j=blockIdx.x*blockDim.x+threadIdx.x; 
     left = ((unsigned long) block[0 + 8 * i] << 24)
      | ((unsigned long) block[1 + 8 * i] < 16)
      | ((unsigned long) block[2 + 8 * j] < 8)
      \arctan \left( \text{unsigned long} \right) \text{block[3 + 8 * i]};right = ((unsigned long) block[4 + 8 * i] < 24)
      | ((unsigned long) block[5 + 8 * j] << 16)
      | ((unsigned long) block[6 + 8 * i] \ll 8)
      \arctan \left( \text{unsigned long} \right) \text{block}[7 + 8 * i];Permutation
      Do 64 times of round function 
      Inverse permutation
     block[0 + 8 * i] = right >> 24;
     block[1 + 8 * i] =right >> 16;
     block[2 + 8 * i] =right >> 8;
     block[3 + 8 * j] = right;
     block[4 + 8 * i] = left >> 24;
     block[5 + 8 * j] = left >> 16;
     block[6 + 8 * j] = left \gg 8;block[7 + 8 * j] = left;
end
```
<span id="page-29-0"></span>*Fig. 4-1 3-DES Pseudo code with moving data details*

#### <span id="page-30-0"></span>**4.1.2. Initial permutation**

The permutations employed by the cipher are described using bit numbers. The numbering used in the standards documents is enumerating the bits from left to right, starting at 1. When displayed as a matrix, row major order is used. This is best illustrated by the identity transform shown in Table 4.1.



<span id="page-30-1"></span>The Pentium processor reads its memory using the opposite bytes (row) order, giving the bit number matrix shown in Table 4.2. We have here divided the matrix in upper and lower halves. On the Pentium we need one 32-bit register to store each half, and hence swapping the halves amounts to swapping the roles of those two registers.

	57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64			
	49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56			
	41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48			
	33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40			
	25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32			
	17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24			
	9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16			
	$1 \t2 \t3 \t4 \t5 \t6 \t7 \t8$			

*Table 4-2 Input / output bit ordering on Pentium*

<span id="page-30-2"></span>The initial permutation of the DES has a very simple structure, and can be

performed as a series of bit block swaps known as Hoey's Initial Permutation Algorithm. This algorithm is shown in Table 4.1. Note that there is also an implicit swap of the upper and lower halves at the beginning. To optimize the algorithm for Pentium, Richard Outerbridge's C code implementing the algorithm was analyzed, providing a set of bit exchanges between the two halves of the input block. Though not the same implementation, the idea for how to code each swap came from Eric Young's libdes. IP.1 is applied by performing the swaps of IP in reverse order.



<span id="page-31-1"></span>In our CUDA programming, the initial permutation will be computed on GPU device.

#### <span id="page-31-0"></span>**4.1.3. Round function**

DES needs 16 times of round function to complete encryption and decryption. Generally we make a DES function and recursive call this function to complete 3-DES encryption and decryption. In fact, this may waste lots of CPU time to move data between CPU memory and GPU memory. The solution to reduce the unnecessary memory access is to do 64 times of round function continuously. Thus program only needs two memory accesses to finish one 3-DES encryption or decryption.

The main important things to rewrite the Round function are to care about the on

chip memory access. We use a constant unsigned long memory to store our spbox. Constant memory's speed is usually faster than global memory and would not occupy the space of shared memory. After assign the accuracy values to the spbox, we do the round function for 64 times just like the following Fig. 4-2.

```
While (I < 64) { 
     //phase i 
           work = ((right \gg 4) | (right \ll 28)) ^ ks[i];
           left \sim = Spbox[6][work & 0x3f];
           left \sim = Spbox[4][(work >> 8) & 0x3f];
           left \text{A} = \text{Sphox}[2][(work >> 16) & 0x3f];
           left \sim = Spbox[0][(work >> 24) & 0x3f];
           work = right \wedge ks[i+1];
           left \sim = Spbox[7][work & 0x3f];
           left \sim = Spbox[5][(work >> 8) & 0x3f];
           left \text{A} = \text{Spbox}[3][(work >> 16) & 0x3f];
           left \sim = Spbox[1][(work >> 24) & 0x3f];
      }
```
*Fig. 4-2 Round function details*

### <span id="page-32-1"></span><span id="page-32-0"></span>**4.2. 3-DES Encode implementation**

Since we want to design a 3-DES encryption program, we need to consider all kinds of file type. For example in the word files like PowerPoint or WordPad, it uses '\0' to be its end symbol. In this situation that we just need to determine what the input word is. But in streaming data like music or movie files, the '\0' is not the end symbol. This means we need to adjust our program to fit all the file types.

Moreover, we input 64  $*$  n bits plaintext once rather than 64 bits plaintext. This

may make a mistake for us to determine where the end symbol is. For instance, if we input 1000 words of plaintext once and the end symbol ' $\sqrt{0}$ ' is the 1250<sup>th</sup> word of the plaintext, we must need to do the input loop for two times to input all the plaintext. However after we do the loop for two times, we read the  $2000<sup>th</sup>$  word of the plaintext. Because the  $2000<sup>th</sup>$  word is a empty word that compiler could not recognize, the loop would not be stopped.

For the two reasons we describe above, we bring up follow pseudo codes to explain how we solve these problems. First is the pseudo code of 3-DES encryption in Fig. 4-3.





#### *Fig. 4-3 3-DES Encryption Pseudo code*

<span id="page-34-0"></span>In the figure above, it is obviously that only the function named \_\_global\_\_3DES\_encryption () would be executed in GPU. This is because of parallel factor. Besides the \_\_global\_\_3DES\_encryption function, only the key\_schedule function can be parallelized. But the key\_schedule function has few computation that it is not worth executing in CUDA, its memory access time is larger than its computation time.

Another interesting thing deserves to mention is the input function. Since we

want to design a mature code to support all the file types, we need to devise new end symbol judgment methods. Our method is to design a new end symbol for all file types. If input 1000 words which equals to 8000 bits of plaintext once, the design details are follows:

I. Design a new end symbol

End symbol is a unique word that only recognized by program, so we cannot choose the common word to be the end symbol. We choose the word "/nend/ab" for our end symbol. This can distinguish the end symbol from other words.

II. Add end symbol to plaintext every 1000 words

The program will check if the plaintext reaches the end every 1000 words. We use fread() to determine if we had already read in all the plaintext. If fread() return the value of 8000, which means input 8000 bits or 1000 words. This means the file may not reach the end. We should add the end symbol to this point and go on search for the end of the plaintext. So we accurately output 1008 words  $(1000 \text{ words} + 8 \text{ words end symbol})$  at one time.

III. Find out the end of the plaintext

While the value returned form fread() is less than 8000, this means we have found the end of the plaintext. Since we process 1000 words once, we need to fill it to reach 1000 words. The end symbol "/nend/ab" is only 8 words. After the end symbol, we fill the vacancy with "\0" to reach 1008 words.

IV. The stop condition

After we find out the end of the plaintext, next round the fread() would return the value of 0. 0 means nothing left in the plaintext, so the program will break the loop to stop 3-DES encryption.

```
Algorithm 3-DES input_EN (plaintext, *temptext) ; 
Input: plaintext (64 * N bits ciphertext).
Output: ciphertext (64 * N bits plaintext).
// N means how many threads we use in device. 
begin 
     int trueinputsize = inputsize -8; 
     int len = fread(cp , sizeof(unsigned char), trueinputsize, fileinput);
     if(len equals to the size of input file) 
      { // add end symbol after the end 
          temperature[len] = \frac{1}{2}; temperature[len+1] = \frac{1}{2};
          temptext [len+2] = 'e'; temptext [len+3] = 'n';temptext [len+4] = 'd'; temptext [len+5] = 'f';temptext [len+6] = 'a'; temptext [len+7] = 'b'; } 
     if( len is less than the size of input file and len doesn't equals to 0) 
      { // add end symbol after the end and fill 1008 words with '\0' 
          temptext \lceil len \rceil = \frac{1}{i}; temptext \lceil len + 1 \rceil = \lceil n' \rceiltemptext [len+2] = 'e'; temptext [len+3] = 'n';temptext [len+4] = 'd'; temptext [len+5] = '';temptext [len+6] = 'a'; temptext [len+7] = 'b';for (i = (len+8); i < inputsize; i++)temptext [i] = \sqrt{0};
      } 
     if(file reach the end or len is 0) 
           break;
end
```
*Fig. 4-4 Input Details of 3-DES Encryption Pseudo Code*

### <span id="page-36-1"></span><span id="page-36-0"></span>**4.3. 3-DES Decode implementation**

3-DES decode implementation is similar to 3-DES encode implementation. But 3-DES decryption needs more decision operation, which means that needs more CPU

time to determine when to stop. Unlike 3-DES encode implementation, the input of 3-DES decryption is all cipher texts. We need to decode the cipher texts before we analysis it.

Algorithm 3-DES Decryption (plaintext, *temptext);
<b>Input:</b> ciphertext (64 * N bits ciphertext).
<b>Output:</b> plaintext (64 * N bits plaintext).
$\mathcal{N}$ <i>N</i> means how many threads we use in device.
begin
<b>declare integer</b> plaintext[64 $*$ N], temptext[64 $*$ N], ciphertext[64 $*$ N];
<b>declare integer</b> key1[64], key2[64], key3[64], key[192];
<i>declare integer</i> ciphertextsize = $64 * N$ ;
While(not reach the end of file)
$\overline{I}$
<b>Input_DE</b> (ciphertext, temptext, ciphertextsize); //put ciphertext
into temp buffer
$key = \text{key\_schedule}$ (key3, key2, key1); // generate subkeys
copy temptext form host memory to device memory
global_3DES_encryption (temptext, key);
copy temptext form device memory to host memory
swap (plaintext, temptext);
output_DE (plaintext);
}
end

*Fig. 4-5 3-DES Decryption Pseudo code*

<span id="page-37-0"></span>The main implementation difference between encryption and decryption is the decision condition. In 3-DES encryption program, system can use feof() to see if the file reaches the end. But in 3-DES decryption, all inputs are cipher texts. If we just decode and output, we would get the plaintext with many end symbols inside. The following figure is our implement details.

#### I. Input 1008 words and decode

While this program starts, it would input 1008 words form cipher text. After inputting 1008 words, the program will send the cipher text to GPU for decoding. This phase will continue until there are no words of cipher text to input.

II. Analysis after decoding

After decoding, the program would analysis the last eight words of the plaintext. If the eight words is "/nend/ab", it means the input file does not reach the end. The program will output the result without "/nend/ab" and return to stage one. Else if the eight words is not "/nend/ab", it means the input file reaches the end. The program should trace the 1008 words to find out where the end symbol is. When the program finds out the position of the end symbol, it would send the result without "/nend/ab\0\0\0……" to plaintext. After that, the program will break from the loop and finish all the jobs.

```
Algorithm 3-DES output_DE ((plaintext, *temptext) ; 
Input: ciphertext (64 * N bits ciphertext).
Output: plainrtext (64 * N bits plaintext).
// N means how many threads we use in device. 
begin 
     int countertemp = 0;
     if (there is nothing inputs form file) 
           return; // reach the file end
     if( (temptext[len-8] = '/') && ( temptext [len-7] = 'n' ) &&
         (temptext [len-6] = 'e') && ( temptext [len-5] = 'n ) &&; 
        (temptext [len-4] = 'd') && ( temptext [len-3] = '/' ) &&
        (temptext [len-2] = 'a') && ( temptext [len-1] = 'b') 
      } 
           Countertemp= inputsize - 8; // set the size for output 
     esle
      { 
           unsigned char *temp = temptext; 
          for( int i = 0; i < inputsize; i ++ )
           { 
                if( (temp [i] = '/') && (temp [i+1] = 'n') &&
                   (temp [i+2] = 'e')&& (temp [i+3] = 'n') &&
                   (temp [i+4] = 'd')&& (temp[i+5] = '/') &&
                   (temp [i+6] = 'a')&& (temp[[i+7] = 'b') )
                      Break;
                else
                     countertemp ++; // set the size for output
           } 
      } 
      fwrite(temptext, size of (unsigned char), countertemp, Decodeoutput); 
      // Decodeoutput is a pointer to the output file.
end
```
<span id="page-39-0"></span>*Fig. 4-6 Output function of 3-DES Decryption Pseudo code*

## <span id="page-40-0"></span>**4.4. Configuration**

### <span id="page-40-1"></span>**4.4.1. Hardware configuration**

To support CUDA computing, we have the following hardware configuration:



*Table 4-4 Hardware Configuration*

<span id="page-40-2"></span>Since we want to compare the performance of CPU versus GPU, we list the specification of the GPU in detail as follows:



<span id="page-40-3"></span>*Table 4-5 NVIDIA 9800GT Hardware Specification*

<span id="page-41-0"></span>

*Table 4-6 Software Configuration*

### <span id="page-41-2"></span><span id="page-41-1"></span>**4.5. Evaluation and Analysis**

The following is our statistics of experimentation. We got the data by testing the CPU time in OpenSSL and implementing DES and 3-DES on graphic card. Besides DES and 3-DES cryptography, AES cryptography had been implemented on CUDA in 2007 by Svetlin A. Manavski [28]. We will discuss how many differences between  $X$  1896 our results.

cipher $\langle$ compute method			<b>OpenSSL on CPU</b> Implement DES on CUDA in our work
<b>DES</b>	4M		32ms
		60 <sub>ms</sub>	
(64bits)	8M	108ms	41ms
	109.8M	$2s$ 100 $ms$	712ms
	697M	14s 313ms	4s808ms

<span id="page-41-3"></span>*Table 4-7 Comparison DES in CPU and in GPU*



*Fig. 4-7 DES performance comparison*

<span id="page-42-0"></span>There are two parts in table 4-7. One is about the CPU time to implement DES in CPU and the other one is about the CPU time to implement DES in CUDA programming. We test the DES's original CPU time in OpenSSL. It is obviously that we get better performance in CUDA programming. In plaintext of 4M byte, DES in CUDA programming has about 1/2 CPU time to DES of OpenSSL in CPU. In plaintext of 697M, we even get about three to four times of performance in CUDA programming. This means we would get more benefits in larger plaintext size to fit parallel algorithm.

cipher $\langle$ compute method		<b>3-DES on CPU</b>	Implement 3-DES on CUDA in our work
3-DES	4M	220ms	44ms
(192bits)	8M	244ms	56 <sub>ms</sub>
	109.8M	6s 936ms	1s 160ms
	697M	47s 15ms	8s 225ms

*Table 4-8 Comparison 3-DES in CPU and in GPU*

<span id="page-43-1"></span>

*Fig. 4-8 3-DES performance comparison*

<span id="page-43-0"></span>In 3-DES, we can see that it would get about five times performance in GPU than in CPU while the file size is near to 4M bytes. Moreover, it would get more than six times performance if the file size is larger than 700M bytes. The new 3-DES on GPU is faster than AES on CPU in all the situations. This means that we can do the same encryption and decryption in 3-DES to get the similar performance. The following is relationship between AES on CPU and 3-DES on GPU.

In the related work about speeding up AES with CUDA programming by Svetlin A. Manavski, a comparison has been made between GPUs and a CPU implementation based on the OpenSSL [29] library. Both the internal GPU elaboration time is shown and the total time, that includes the time needed for the download and read-back operations (that means copying data from the host memory to the GPU device and back). The CUDA-AES [30] implementation on NVIDIA card is faster than the CPU on every input size with reference both to the internal GPU and to the total time [31]. A peak throughput rate of 8.28 Gbit/s is achieved with an input size of 8MB. In that case the GPU is 19.60 times faster than the CPU [32]. So we have both have about six times in GPU than in CPU when the file size is more than 512M bytes.



# <span id="page-45-0"></span>**Chapter 5 Conclusion and Future works**

### <span id="page-45-1"></span>**5.1. Conclusion**

Parallel programming nowadays becomes more and more important to programmer. This is because multi-cores is the trend to both CPU and GPU architecture development. However not all the programs are parallel program and this paper provide a method to solve this program. Find out the main points to parallelize a program is the most important thing to programmer.

CUDA code is not easy to optimize if the user do not understand the architecture of CUDA. Sometimes this makes programmer to abuse the graphic memory. Then the new CUDA program may have worse performance than original program on CPU. So the final performance is decided by programmer's effort.

Although DES and 3-DES is an old cipher, there still many people use them to do encoding and decoding. This is because it needs a long time to verify the security of a cipher. DES and 3-DES however both have the trusty security. 3-DES is a compute-sensitive program, so it usually is used for off-time computing. For example, many finance institutions and banks use 3-DES to protect their system while making an inventory. Each cipher has its advantages and disadvantages, what we have to do is to properly use the advantages and keep of the disadvantages. It is better to ameliorate a defective cipher rather than abandon it rashly.

In the result we can see that CUDA programming is a cheap way to speed up a compute-sensitive program. Rather than implement a system on chip or on FPGA for about more than one hundred thousand, use just need to pay about five to eight

thousand to get CUDA. Maybe a program gets better performance on FPGA than on graphic card. But this is a cheap and easy method for a program to learn how to speed up a program or a system in parallel program.

### <span id="page-46-0"></span>**5.2. Future work**

#### (1) Speed up more cipher in CUDA programming

Except for DES and 3-DES, there are still many ciphers that we can try to speed them up in CUDA programming. But some cipher is not easy to implement on graphic card. For example the RSA cipher is very hard to get better performance in CUDA programming. RSA is an algorithm for public-key encryption. The encryption fun of RSA is  $c \equiv m^e \pmod{n}$ . C means cipher text, m and n are integers that  $0 < m$ < n. It is obviously that is very hard to parallelize the encryption function of RSA. Although there is still some methods like squaring algorithm can improve this situation. However the performance is still too bad compared with programming in CPU and CUDA unless those programmers can design a new parallel algorithm to RSA. Entirely more high performance ciphers bring us more convenient life. It is necessary that programmers try to speed up more cipher in CUDA programming.

(2) Add the new 3-DES architecture to SSL

Secure Sockets Layer (SSL), are cryptographic protocols that provide security and data integrity for communications over networks such as the Internet. SSL encrypt the segments of network connections at the transport layer end-to-end. SSL contains three parts of cipher system, public-key cryptography, symmetric -secret system, and one-way hash function. 3-DES is one kind of public-key cryptography. If programmers furthermore implement the new 3-DES architecture to SSL, it may improve the all the transport layer performance.

(3) Improve the new 3-DES-website's security

Our new 3-DES-website only offers data encryption and decryption. It could be safer if adding more safety mechanisms. However website security design is not our professional specialty. After this drawback has been reformed, the new 3-DES-websitr can be used to ensure internal management of enterprises.



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