# Security Camera Counter

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## Algorithm and Dependencies on Detecting and Tracking People



The red arrows represent dependencies. For example, Threshold is dependent on Subtract. It is important to note that Tracking People is dependent on the result of two different result frames from Find People.

## Detection: Parallelizing each Pixel in Frame Subtraction and Thresholding



Figure 1a: Frame 1



Figure 2a: Frame Subtraction



Figure 1b: Frame 2



Figure 2b: Frame Threshold

## Average Speedup for Frame Subtraction and Thresholding Compared to Serial

**Detect People: Speedup Per Function** 



#### Detection: Parallelizing through Tiling and Starting Points in Watershed Segmentation

Red pixel is the current pixel we are looking at

We continue to a neighboring pixel until we reach an on pixel (black ones)

Once we hit a black pixel, we look and label all the neighboring black pixels with a tag. This is one segment.



Block (i,j) Grid Thread Thread Thread (0.0)(1,0)(n,0)Block (0,0) Thread Thread Thread (0,1)(1,1)(n,1)Block : (n,m) Thread Thread Thread (0,m)(1,m)(u,v) CUDA

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#pragma parallel for
For each pixel x:
    if ((Value(x) == 1) && Seen(x) != 1):
        Seen(x) = 1;
        Push(x);
        while(isNotEmpty(Neighbors(x)):
            Seen(Neighbors(x)) = 1;
        Push(Neighbors(x)) = 1;
        Push(Neighbors(x));
        while (isNotEmpty(Stack)):
        y = Pop(Stack);
        Label(x) = label;
        label++
```

#### **OpenMP** Pseudocode

# Watershed (Partially) Serialized

Average Amount of Data in 480 x 720 image after Frame Subtraction



**Figure 3:** Graphic comparison of average time between algorithms <sup>[1]</sup>

#### Average Speedup for Watershed Segmentation Compared to Serial

**Detect People: Speedup Per Function** 



#### Detection: Parallelizing each Pixel per Detected Person



Figure 3: Creating Boxes around Segmentation



Figure 4: Filter and Detect People

#### Average Speedup for Blob Detection and Filtering for People Compared to Serial

#### **Detect People: Speedup Per Function**



#### Visualization of Each Method Relative Time Processing if Input Video Stream has No Delays

Serial

**OpenMP** 

CUDA







# **Common Questions**

- Why do we only detect moving people?
  - Make assumption people will move in security camera footage
  - Increase speedup because less-data to work with
- Why is the detection accuracy so poor?
  - Comparing only moving portions of the image
  - Generalize tracking other cameras and orientations without max size for person
- How would we improve accuracy?
  Get video footage of average running background

### Tracking: Compute Path of Person through Pipelining, Centroids, and Direction of Travel



Figure 4: Path of person over 3 frames

#### Average Speedup and Throughput (Compared to Serial) Per Method



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