

# Loop Tiling an n-Dimensional Loop 2-Dimensionally

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# OUTLINE

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- Background
- Strategies for 2-Dimensional Tiling of a n-Dimensional Loop
- Mathematical Analysis
- Best Among 2-Dimensional Tiling Strategies
- Comparison with n-Dimensional Strategy
- Limitations, Ongoing And Future Work

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- Problem Specification

for  $i = 1$  to  $N_1$

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for  $i = 1$  to  $N_{n-1}$

for  $i = 1$  to  $N_n$

- Tiling Inner Most Two Loops

for  $i = 1$  to  $N_1$

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for  $i = 1$  to  $N_{n-2}$

for  $i = 1$  to  $T_1$

for  $i = 1$  to  $T_2$

for  $i = 1$  to  $x_1$

for  $i = 1$  to  $x_2$

## Previous Work

- Optimal Orthogonal 2-D Iterations (Rumen Andonov & Sanjay Rajopadhye)
- Optimal Orthogonal Tiling (Rumen Andonov, Sanjay Rajopadhye & Nicola Yanev)
- On Tiling As Loop Transformation (Jingling Xue)

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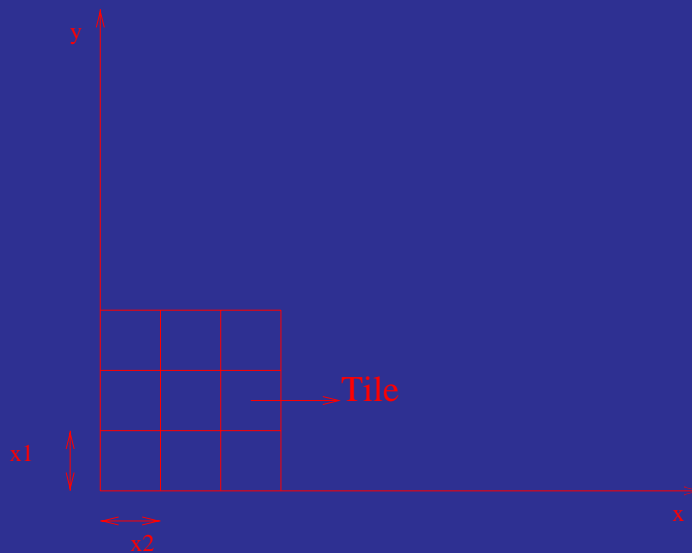
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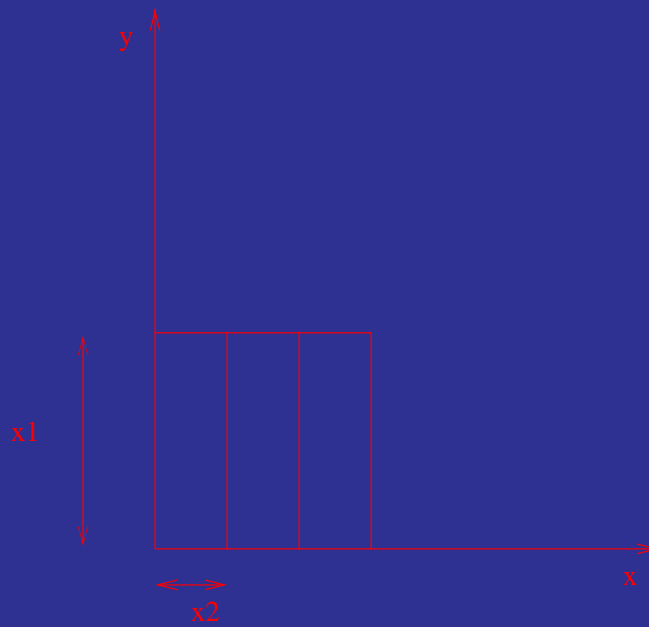
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2-Dimensional TILED ITERATION SPACE

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- Notation

- ◆  $W = N_1 \times N_2 \times \dots \times N_n$

- ◆  $M_1 = N_1 \times N_2 \times \dots \times N_i$

- ◆  $M_2 = N_{i+1} \times N_{i+2} \times \dots \times N_n$

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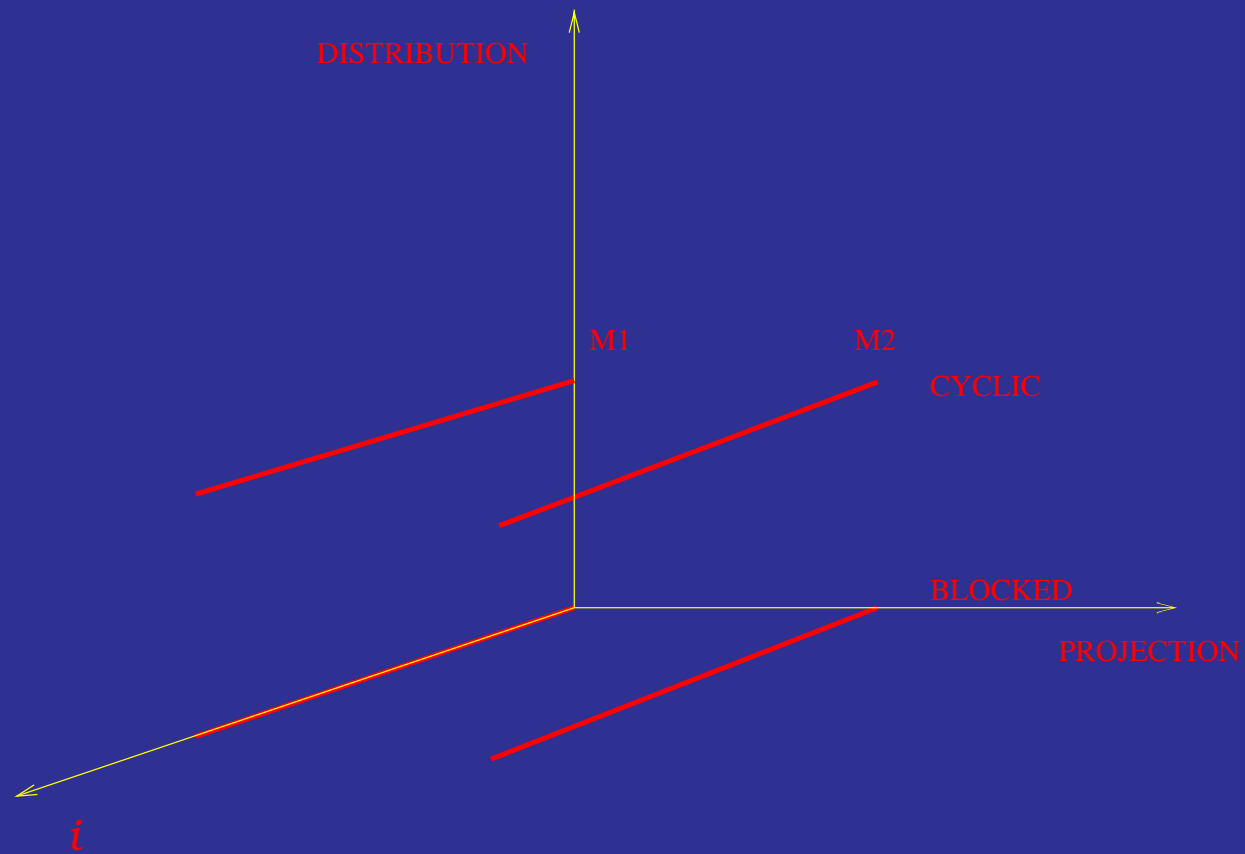
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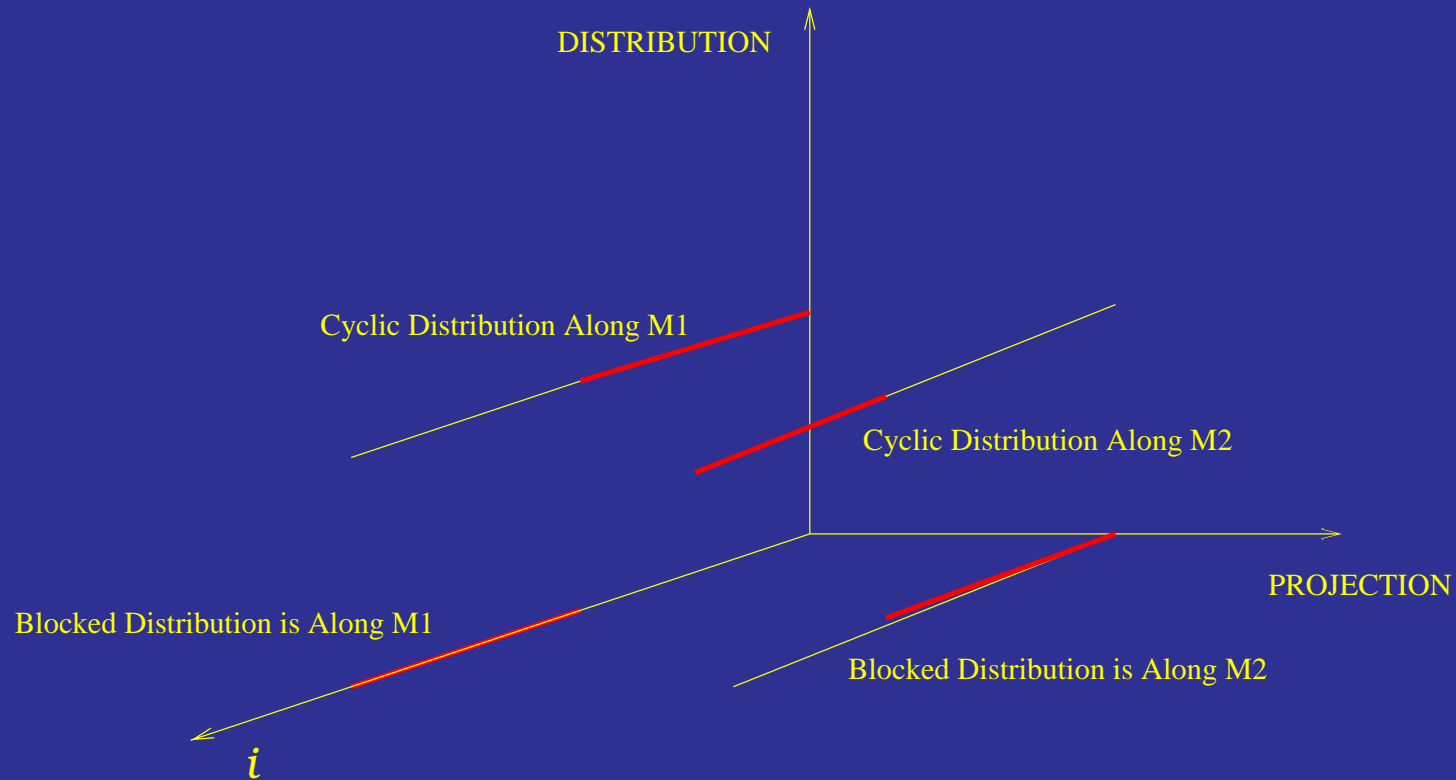




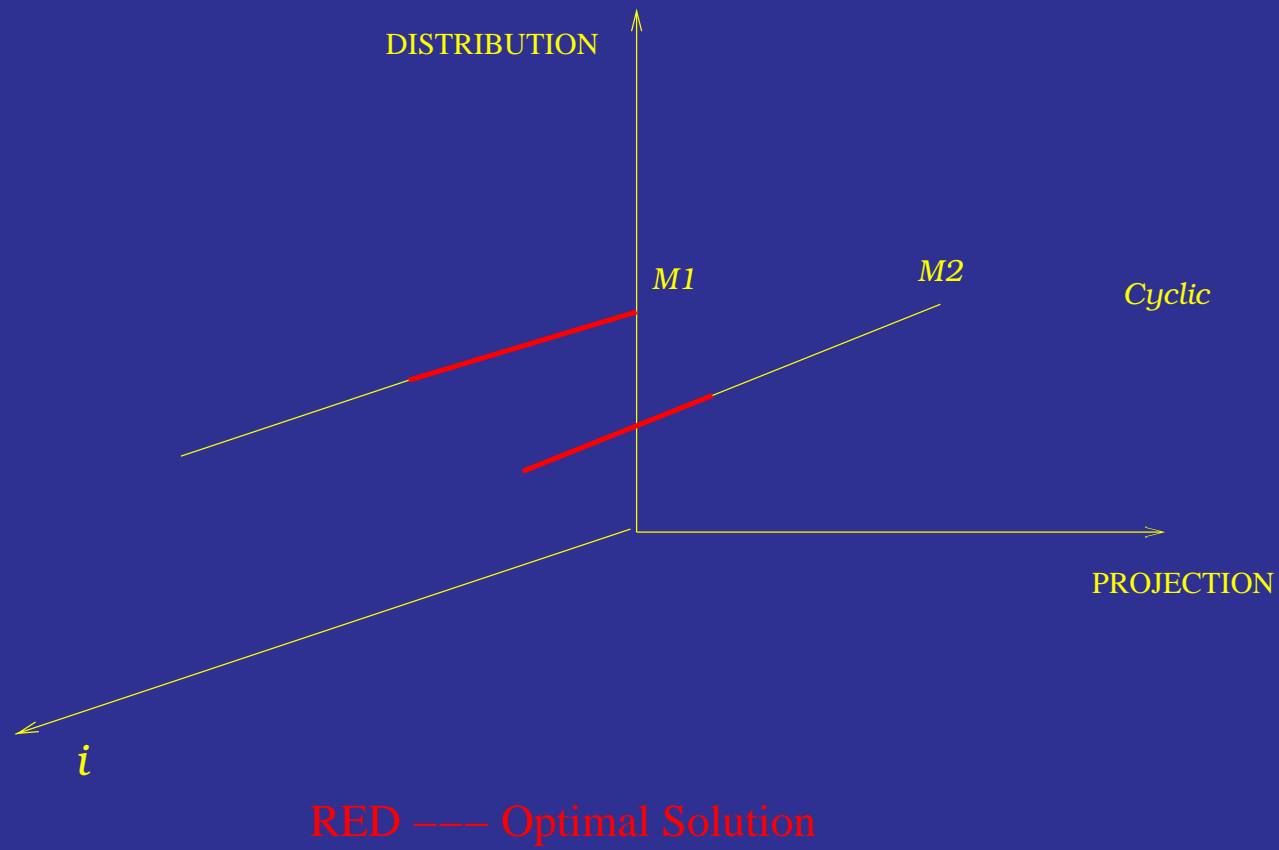
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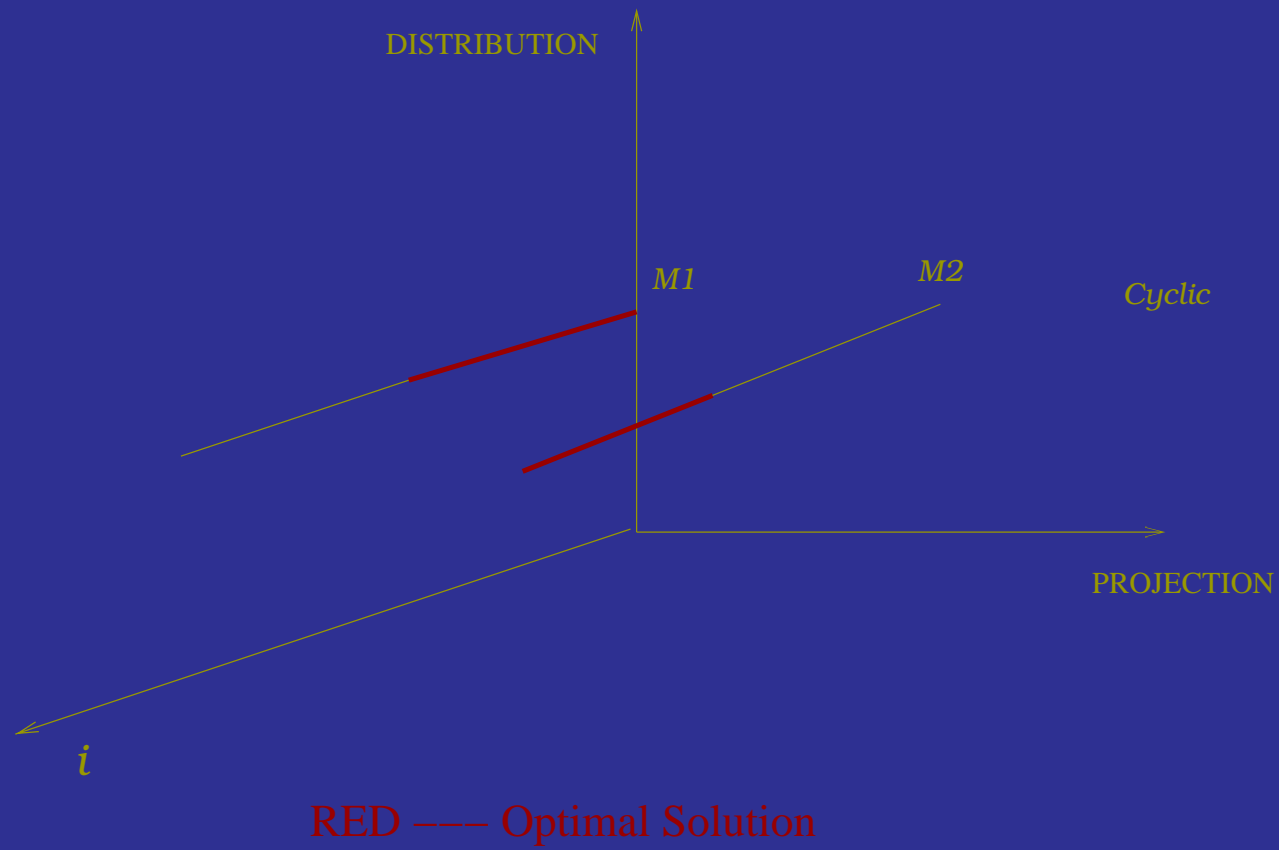
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RED — Optimal Processor Distribution for Different Projections for Varying " $i$ "





***CYCLIC IS OPTIMAL***

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***MERGE IS BEST AMONG 2-D STRATEGIES***

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- MERGE is NOT FAR AWAY

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- Data Locality And Cache Misses



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- Experimental Validation of The Analysis

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- Looking into Oblique Tiling Problems