



SambaTune

Measurement, Profiling, and Visualization

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Performance Profiling Methodology

Methodology

- The SambaNova Systems model performance profiling methodology is best described In the SambTune Documentation. So, instead of duplicating the documentation text into the slides, we will refer to the documentation directly.
- The documentation is located at :
<https://docs.sambanova.ai/sambatune/latest/workflow.html>

SambaTune Usage



SambaTune Usage

Note: this does not need to be run as root, but was in this example

Note: SambaTune does not run via slurm so you have to allocate a node to do your work manually

```
# salloc --gres=rdu:8 -n 1 --ntasks-per-node 1 --nodes 1 --cpus-per-task=128 --nodelist $(hostname)  
/bin/bash
```

Need to set a DUMP_ROOT and ARTIFACT_ROOT environment variables

```
%(venv) export DUMP_ROOT=`pwd`
```

Alternatively, you can pass artifact-root as a command line argument

```
# sambatune <config.yaml> --artifact-root=$(pwd) /artifact_root
```

Command Execution

```
%(venv) /opt/sambaflow/bin/sambatune  
No plugins available at this time.  
usage: sambatune [-h] [--artifact-root ARTIFACT_ROOT] [--compile-only | -m MODES [MODES ...]] [--version]  
config  
sambatune: error: the following arguments are required: config □ This is referring to requiring a yaml  
file
```

SambaTune: linear_net Configuration Files Example: Single Config

```
cat linear_net.yaml
# This would require the sambaflow-apps-micros package to be installed.
app: /opt/sambaflow/apps/micros/linear_net.py
model-args: >
    -b 1024
    -mb 64
    --in-features 5120
    --out-features 512
compile-args: >
    --plot
run-args: --num-iterations 100
env:
    SF_RNT_FSM_POLL_BUSY_WAIT: 1
    SF_RNT_DMA_POLL_BUSY_WAIT: 1
    CONVFUNC_DEBUG_RUN": 0
```

SambaTune: linear_net Configuration Files Example : Compare Config

```
cat linear_net_compare.yaml
# This would require the sambaflow-apps-micros package to be installed.
app: /opt/sambaflow/apps/micros/linear_net.py
model-args: >
    -b 1024
    -mb 128
    --in-features 5120
    --out-features 512
compile-args: >
    --plot
run-args: --num-iterations 100
env:
    SF_RNT_FSM_POLL_BUSY_WAIT: 1
    SF_RNT_DMA_POLL_BUSY_WAIT: 1
    CONVFUNC_DEBUG_RUN": 0
---
app: /opt/sambaflow/apps/micros/linear_net.py
model-args: >
    -b 512
    -mb 64
    --in-features 2560
    --out-features 256
compile-args: >
    --plot
run-args: --num-iterations 100
env:
    SF_RNT_FSM_POLL_BUSY_WAIT: 1
    SF_RNT_DMA_POLL_BUSY_WAIT: 1
    CONVFUNC_DEBUG_RUN": 0
```

SambaTune: Example of an LLM with Compiler Configs and HD Files

Full files is located at `/opt/sambaflow/sambatune/configs/gpt13b_sn30.yaml`

```
# This would require the sambaflow-apps-datascale-language-gpt13b and sambaflow-apps-datascale-language-blocksparse packages
# to be installed.
app: /opt/sambaflow/apps/nlp/transformers_on_rdu/transformers_hook.py

compile-args: compile --module_name gpt2_pretrain --task_name clm --max_seq_length 2048
  -b 16 --output_dir=${HF_OUTPUT} --overwrite_output_dir
  --per_device_train_batch_size 16 --tokenizer_name gpt2
  --model_name gpt2 --mac-v2 --non_split_head --skip_broadcast_patch
  --config_name ${CONFIG_NAME} --data_parallel -ws 2
  --compiler-configs-file ${COMPILER_CONFIGS_FILE} --no_index_select_patch --weight_decay 0.1
  --model-parallel --n-chips 2 --mac-human-decision ${HD_FILE}
  --generate_par_factors --max_grad_norm_clip 1.0 --optimize-concat-split --enable-hypersection
  --use_3d_attention_mask --article_attention --disable-strict-conversion
...
env:
  ENABLE_TEMPORAL_ACCUM_STOC: 1
  ENABLE_EMBEDDINGBAG_REDUCE_STOC: 1
  ENABLE_ADDBIAS_GRAD_ACCUM_STOC: 1
  ENABLE_SCATTERND_STOC: 1
  HF_OUTPUT: HF_OUTPUT_DIR
  COMPILER_CONFIGS_FILE:
    /opt/sambaflow/apps/nlp/transformers_on_rdu/gpt13b/sn30/cc/compiler_configs_gpt3_13b_tgm_mp2_bs16_training_3D_attn_cls_p2p_rc.json
    CONFIG_NAME: /opt/sambaflow/apps/nlp/transformers_on_rdu/gpt13b/common/configs/gpt3_13b_config_40enc_50260.json
    HD_FILE:
      /opt/sambaflow/apps/nlp/transformers_on_rdu/gpt13b/sn30/hd/gpt3_13b_tgm_mp2_hs_bs16_40enc_3d_attn_load_from_dram.json
```

SambaTune Run Example

Available modes

run – Full training run

benchmark -Section times

instrument - Fine grained performance counters on hardware per section and stage

parameter-sweep – use when using a parameter sweep config

Note: benchmark requires the model to have a measure performance section

Note: When running a sweep, you typically will only pass in the parameter-sweep mode

Example static config with instrumentation and all performance counters command

```
sambatune ./sambatune_configs/linear_net.yaml -m benchmark instrument run
```

Example sweep command :

```
sambatune ./sambatune_configs/linear-samba-sweep.yaml -m 'parameter-sweep'
```

SambaTune Reports

Reports are generated in \$ARTIFACT_ROOT/sambatune_gen/<mm_dd_hh_s_(model_name)>/reports

```
/nvmedata/scratch/cobya/artifact_root/sambatune_gen/<mm_dd_hh_s_(model_name)>/reports#  
ls *  
collated_report.xlsx  full_stack_chrome_tracing.json  performance_summary.json  
section_report.csv  
analysis:  
summary.json  summary.ui.json  
benchmark-data:  
<mm_dd_hh_s_(model_name)>_linear_net_measure_performance.json  
<mm_dd_hh_s_(model_name)>_linear_net_measure_sections_debug.json  
<mm_dd_hh_s_(model_name)>_linear_net_measure_performance__run_graph_only.json  
...  
snprof:  
2764746_timeline_profiling.json  per_section.csv  
<mm_dd_hh_s_(model_name)>_linear_net_measure_performance_snprof.json  
2824840_timeline_profiling.json  per_tensor.csv  summary.csv
```

SambaTune UI

Available as a flask http sever using gunicorn from the bare-metal install or as an installable whl file for linux and mac. (Windows port is on the roadmap)

```
sambatune_ui --directory /nvmetadata/scratch/cobya/artifact_root/sambatune_gen --port  
8576  
username: "admin", password: "<unique every run>"  
[2023-07-11 23:04:47 -0700] [647810] [INFO] Starting gunicorn 20.1.0  
[2023-07-11 23:04:47 -0700] [647810] [INFO] Listening at: http://0.0.0.0:8576  
(647810)  
[2023-07-11 23:04:47 -0700] [647810] [INFO] Using worker: sync  
[2023-07-11 23:04:47 -0700] [648624] [INFO] Booting worker with pid: 648624  
[2023-07-11 23:04:47 -0700] [648655] [INFO] Booting worker with pid: 648655
```

SambaTune Demo