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Declarative Data Collections for Portable Parallel Performance based on *oneAPI*^{abc}

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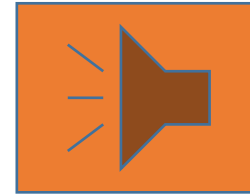
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Call-to-Action

Write your 10-line-code parallel program that runs with oneAPI!



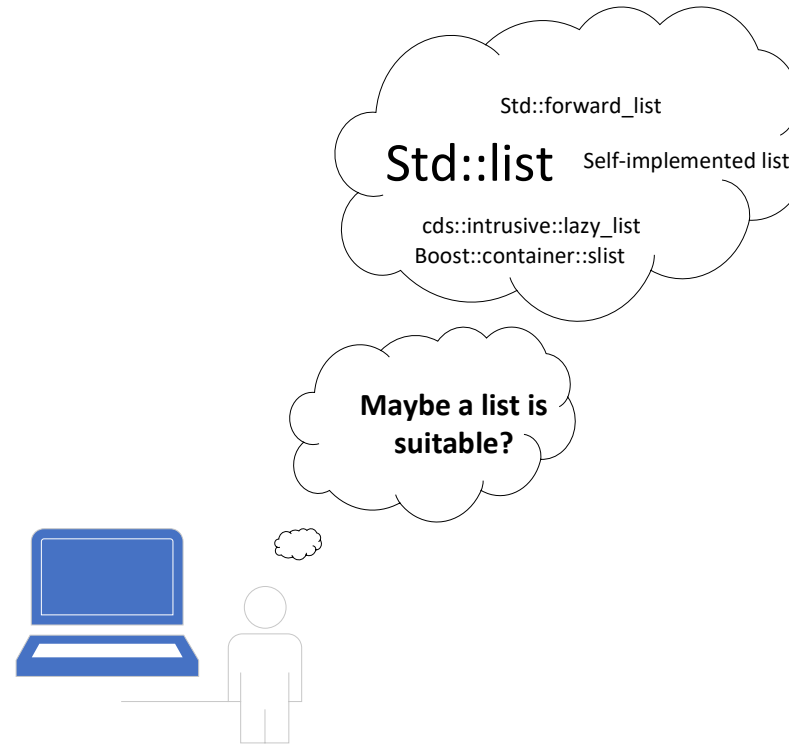
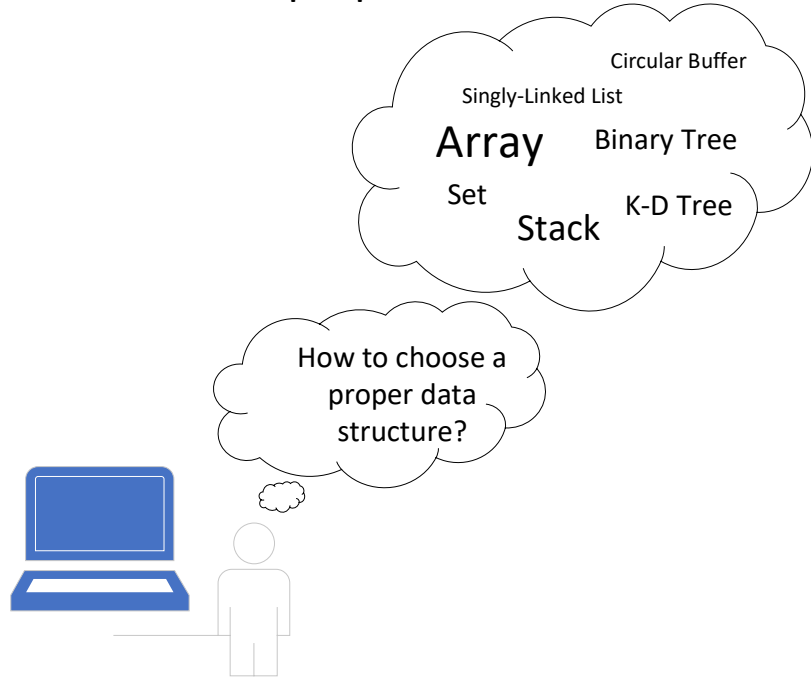


Abstract

1. Collection Skeletons - a novel, declarative approach to data collections through properties
2. Shielding the app developer from parallel implementation details
3. Parallelism shielding implicitly – concurrent implementations(oneTBB, oneDPL)
4. Parallelism shielding explicitly – parallelism algorithmic skeletons(SYCL from oneAPI)

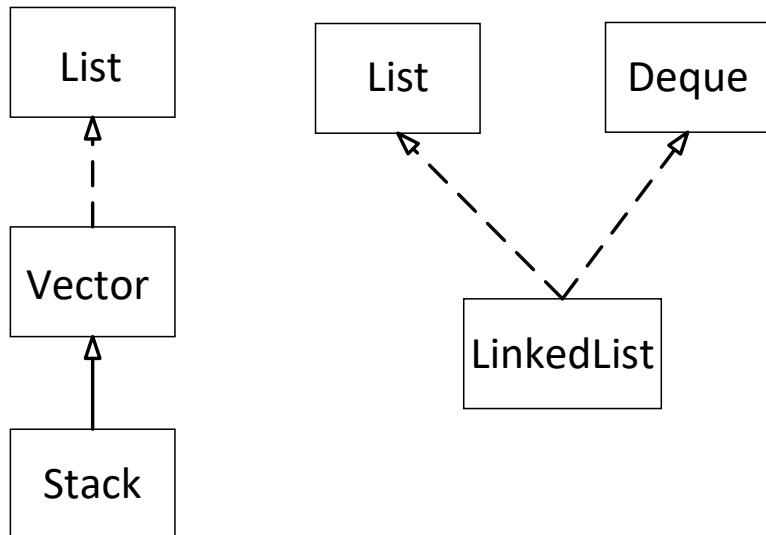
Programming

How to choose a proper data structure?



A proper data collection

It can be equally **hard** for a programmer to even **select the most appropriate** collection from an existing collection hierarchy such as **Scala and Java Collections**.



Why would a stack be a vector or a list



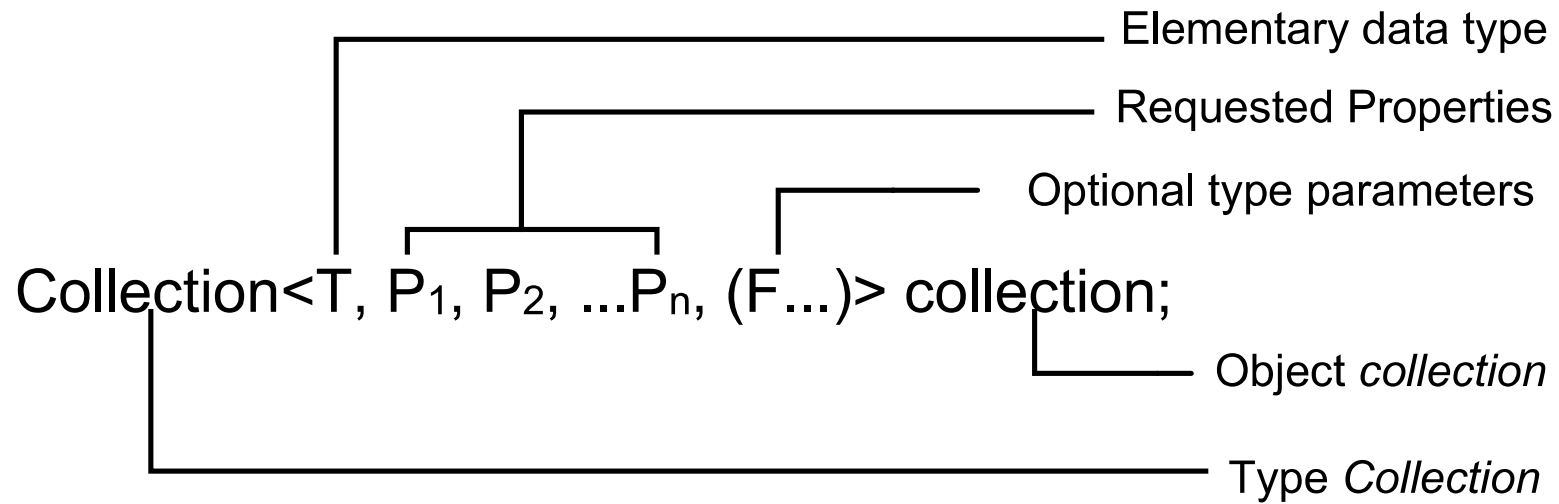


Collection Skeletons

1. Declarative API
2. Properties exposed and identified
3. **Parallelism shielding**



Programming API

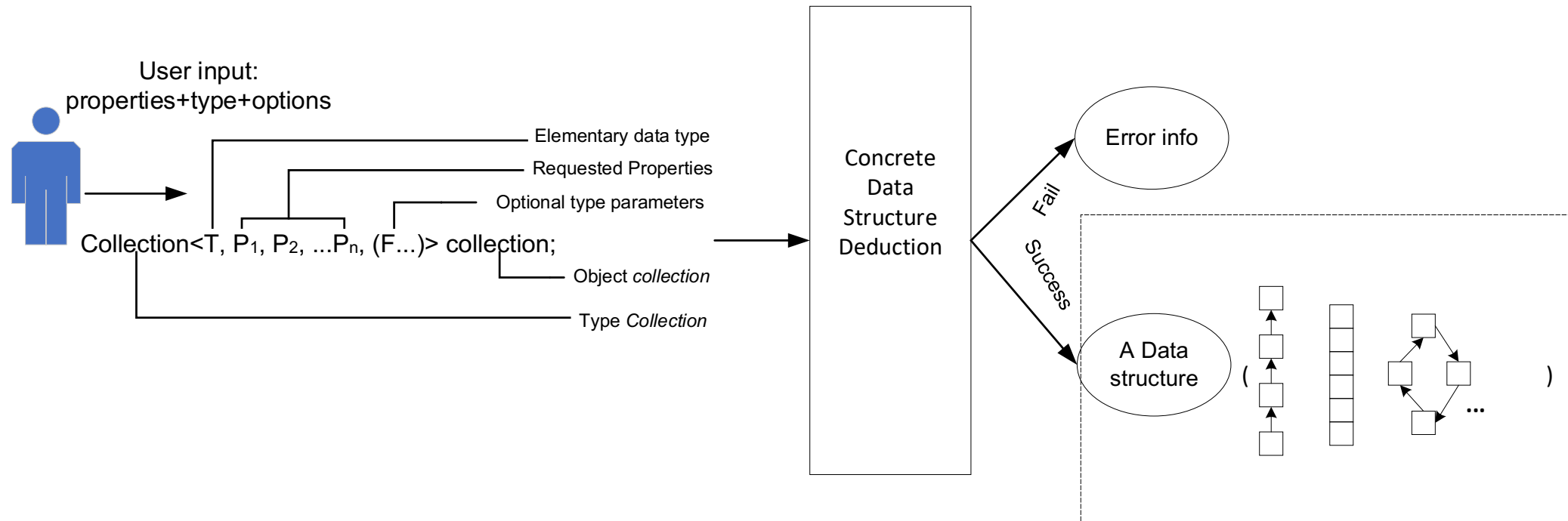




Properties

1. Semantic Properties
2. Interface Properties
3. Non-functional Properties

Library overview

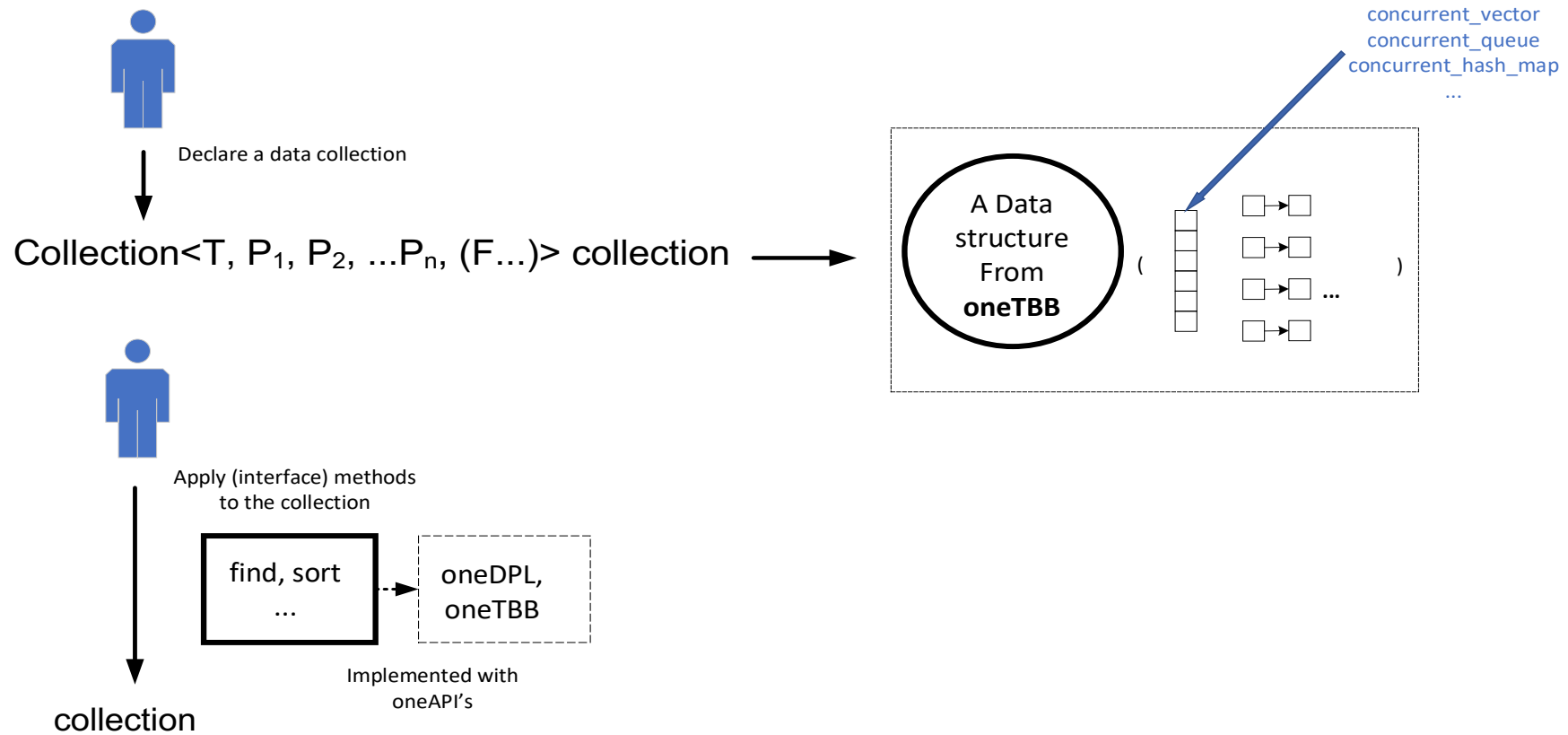




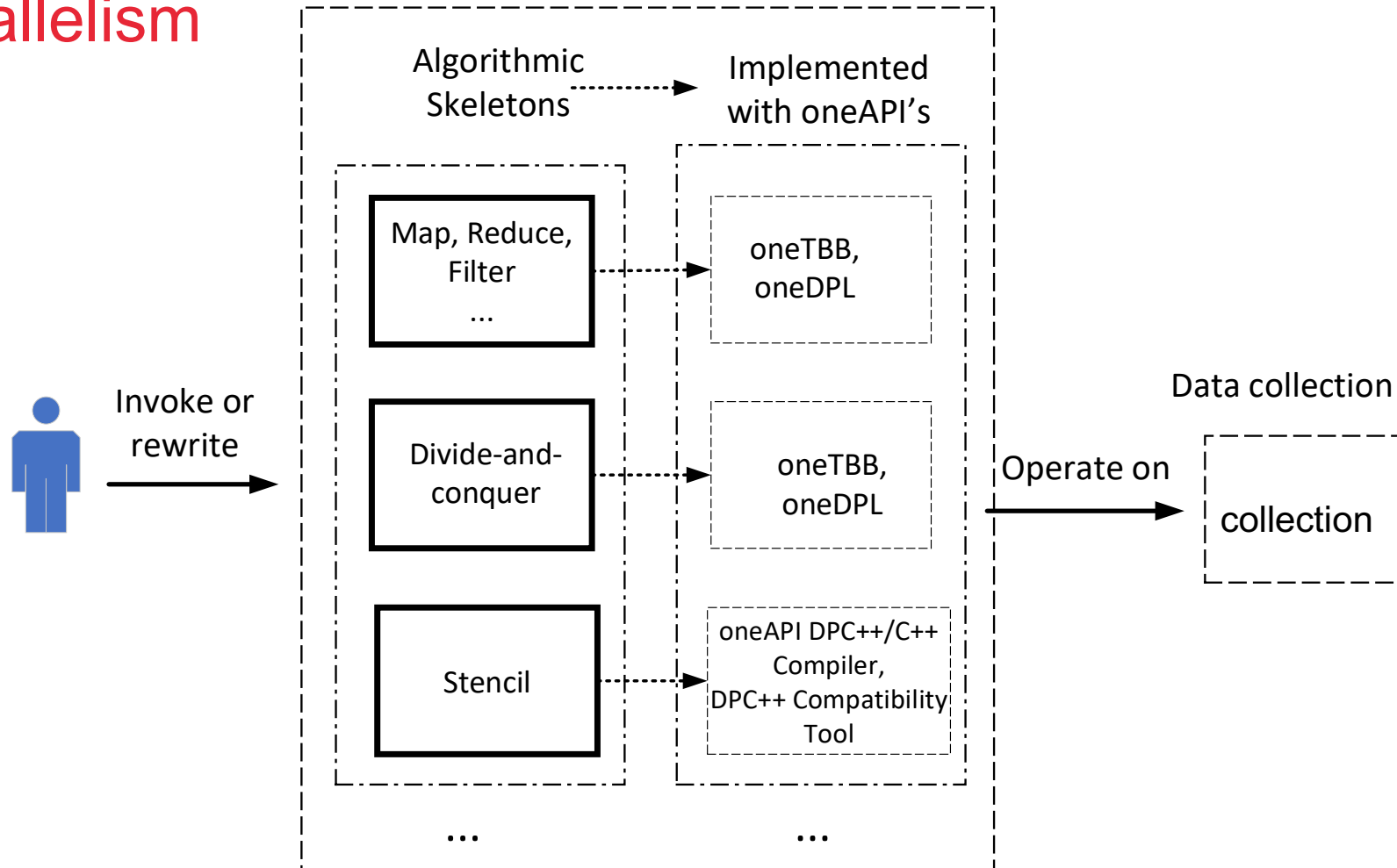
Parallelism Shielding

1. Implicit Parallelism
2. Explicit Parallelism

Implicit Parallelism



Explicit Parallelism





Explicit Parallelism

Parallelised algorithmic skeletons implemented with oneAPI

1. Data parallel algorithmic skeletons: map, reduce, filter, zip
2. Task based algorithmic skeletons: divide-and-conquer(splitable)
3. The library also **checks** if a collection can be done with algorithmic skeletons at compile time



Coding time – write your 10-line toy program that runs a **parallel map** on a GPU with oneAPI

```
#include<PropAbs.h>
using collection = Collection<int, Rnd>;
int main(){
    collection c{1,2,3,4};
    print_collection(c);
    //parallel map, implemented with oneAPI and can be
ported to GPUs
    auto c_new = map(c, [](int a){return a+1;});
    print_collection(c_new);
    return 0;
}
```



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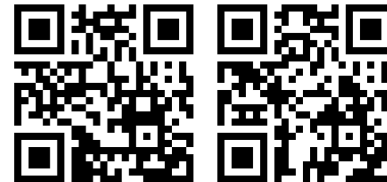
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