

# PASStIX version 5.1.8 Quick Reference Guide

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## PaStiX Calls with global matrix

```
#include "pastix.h"
```

```
void pastix ( pastix_data_t ** pastix_data, MPI_Comm    pastix_comm,
              pastix_int_t  n,                pastix_int_t * colptr,
              pastix_int_t * row,             pastix_float_t * avals,
              pastix_int_t * perm,            pastix_int_t * invp,
              pastix_float_t * b,             pastix_int_t  rhs,
              pastix_int_t * iparm,           double        * dparm );
```

```
#include "pastix_fortran.h"
```

```
pastix_data_ptr_t  :: pastix_data
integer            :: pastix_comm
pastix_int_t       :: n, rhs, ia(n), ja(nnz)
pastix_float_t     :: avals(nnz), b(n)
pastix_int_t       :: perm(n), invp(n), iparm(64)
real*8             :: dparm(64)
```

```
call pastix_fortran ( pastix_data, pastix_comm, n, ia, ja, avals,
                     perm, invp, b, rhs, iparm, dparm )
```

<b>pastix_data</b>	Data structure used to keep informations for a step by step call. Should be given unallocated for first call.
<b>pastix_comm</b>	MPI communicator used to solve the system.
<b>n</b>	Matrix dimension.
<b>nnz</b>	Number of non-zeros.
<b>colptr, row, avals</b>	Matrix in CSC format (see example below).
<b>perm</b>	Permutation vector.
<b>invp</b>	Inverse permutation vector.
<b>b</b>	Right-hand side(s) and solution(s) as output.
<b>rhs</b>	Number of right-hand side(s).
<b>iparm</b>	Integer parameter vector.
<b>dparm</b>	Double parameter vector.

In the current release, the matrix must be given in Compressed Sparse Column format in Fortran numbering (starts from 1).

CSC matrix example :	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 6 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{aligned} \text{colptr} &= \{1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9\} \\ \text{row} &= \{1, 3, 2, 4, 3, 4, 4, 5\} \\ \text{avals} &= \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\} \end{aligned}$
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## PaStiX Calls with distributed matrix

```
#include "pastix.h"
```

```
void dpastix ( pastix_data_t ** pastix_data, MPI_Comm    pastix_comm,
               pastix_int_t  n,                pastix_int_t * colptr,
               pastix_int_t * row,             pastix_float_t * avals,
               pastix_int_t * loc2glb,         pastix_int_t * invp,
               pastix_int_t * perm,            pastix_int_t  rhs,
               pastix_float_t * b,             pastix_int_t  dparm );
```

```
#include "pastix_fortran.h"
```

```
pastix_data_ptr_t  :: pastix_data
integer            :: pastix_comm
pastix_int_t       :: n, rhs, ia(n), ja(nnz)
pastix_float_t     :: avals(nnz), b(n)
pastix_int_t       :: loc2glb(n), perm(n), invp(n), iparm(64)
real*8             :: dparm(64)
```

```
call dpastix_fortran ( pastix_data, pastix_comm, n, ia, ja, avals,
                     loc2glob perm, invp, b, rhs, iparm, dparm )
```

Additional parameter :

<b>loc2glb</b>	Local to global column number correspondance.
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The distribution of the CSC matrix is given through the loc2glb vector (see example below).

dCSC matrix example :

$$\begin{pmatrix} P_1 & P_2 & P_1 & P_2 & P_1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 6 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

On processor one :

colptr	= {1, 3, 5, 6}
row	= {1, 3, 3, 4, 5}
avals	= {1, 2, 5, 6, 8}
loc2glb	= {1, 3, 5}

On processor two :

colptr	= {1, 3, 4}
row	= {2, 4, 4}
avals	= {3, 4, 7}
loc2glb	= {2, 4}

## Integer and Floating parameters (iparm and dparm)

Keyword	Index	Definition	Default	IN/OUT
IPARM_MODIFY_PARAMETER	0	Indicate if parameters have been set by user	API.YES	IN
IPARM_START_TASK	1	Indicate the first step to execute (see PaSTiX steps)	API.TASK_ORDERING	IN
IPARM_END_TASK	2	Indicate the last step to execute (see PaSTiX steps)	API.TASK_CLEAN	IN
IPARM_VERBOSE	3	Verbose mode (see Verbose modes)	API.VERBOSE_NO	IN
IPARM_DOF_NBR	4	Degree of freedom per node	1	IN
IPARM_ITERMAX	5	Maximum iteration number for refinement	250	IN
IPARM_MATRIX_VERIFICATION	6	Check the input matrix	API.NO	IN
IPARM_ONLY_RAFF	8	Refinement only	API.NO	IN
IPARM_CSCD_CORRECT	9	Indicate if the cscd has been redistributed after blend	API.NO	IN
IPARM_NBITER	10	Number of iterations performed in refinement	-	OUT
IPARM_TRACEFMT	11	Trace format (see Trace modes)	API.TRACE_PICL	IN
IPARM_GRAPHDIST	12	Specify if the given graph is distributed or not	API.YES	IN
IPARM_AMALGAMATION_LEVEL	13	Amalgamation level	5	IN
IPARM_ORDERING	14	Choose ordering	API.ORDER_SCOTCH	IN
IPARM_DEFAULT_ORDERING	15	Use default ordering parameters with SCOTCH or METIS	API.YES	IN
IPARM_ORDERING_SWITCH_LEVEL	16	Ordering switch level (see SCOTCH User's Guide)	120	IN
IPARM_ORDERING_CMIN	17	Ordering cmin parameter (see SCOTCH User's Guide)	0	IN
IPARM_ORDERING_CMAX	18	Ordering cmax parameter (see SCOTCH User's Guide)	100000	IN
IPARM_ORDERING_FRAT	19	Ordering frat parameter (see SCOTCH User's Guide)	8	IN
IPARM_STATIC_PIVOTING	20	Static pivoting	-	OUT
IPARM_METIS_PFACTOR	21	METIS pfactor	0	IN
IPARM_NNZEROS	22	Number of nonzero entries in the factorized matrix	-	OUT
IPARM_ALLOCATED_TERMS	23	Maximum memory allocated for matrix terms	-	OUT
IPARM_BASEVAL	24	Baseval used for the matrix	0	IN
IPARM_MIN_BLOCKSIZE	25	Minimum block size	60	IN
IPARM_MAX_BLOCKSIZE	26	Maximum block size	120	IN
IPARM_SCHUR	27	Schur mode	API.NO	IN
IPARM_ISOLATE_ZEROS	28	Isolate null diagonal terms at the end of the matrix	API.NO	IN
IPARM_RHSD_CHECK	29	Set to API.NO to avoid RHS redistribution	API.YES	IN
IPARM_FACTORIZATION	30	Factorization mode (see Factorization modes)	API.FACT_LDLT	IN
IPARM_NNZEROS_BLOCK_LOCAL	31	Number of nonzero entries in the local block factorized matrix	-	OUT
IPARM_CPU_BY_NODE	32	Number of CPUs per SMP node	0	IN
IPARM_BINDTHRD	33	Thread binding mode (see Thread binding modes)	API.BIND_AUTO	IN
IPARM_THREAD_NBR	34	Number of threads per MPI process	1	IN
IPARM_LEVEL_OF_FILL	36	Level of fill for incomplete factorization	1	IN
IPARM_IO_STRATEGY	37	IO strategy (see Checkpoints modes)	API.IO_NO	IN
IPARM_RHS_MAKING	38	Right-hand-side making (see Right-hand-side modes)	API.RHS_B	IN
IPARM_REFINEMENT	39	Refinement type (see Refinement modes)	API.RAF_GMRES	IN
IPARM_SYM	40	Symmetric matrix mode (see Symmetric modes)	API.SYM_YES	IN
IPARM_INCOMPLETE	41	Incomplete factorization	API.NO	IN
IPARM_ABS	42	ABS (Automatic Blocksize Splitting)	API.NO	IN
IPARM_ESP	43	ESP (Enhanced Sparse Parallelism)	API.NO	IN
IPARM_GMRES_IM	44	GMRES restart parameter	25	IN
IPARM_FREE_CSCUSER	45	Free user CSC	API.CSC_PRESERVE	IN
IPARM_FREE_CSCPASTIX	46	Free internal CSC (Use only without call to Refin. step)	API.CSC_PRESERVE	IN
IPARM_OOC_LIMIT	47	Out of core memory limit (Mo)	2000	IN
IPARM_THREAD_COMM_MODE	51	Threaded communication mode (see Communication modes)	API.THCOMM_DISABLED	IN
IPARM_NB_THREAD_COMM	52	Number of thread(s) for communication	1	IN
IPARM_INERTIA	54	Return the inertia (symmetric matrix without pivoting)	-	OUT
IPARM_ESP_NBTASKS	55	Return the number of tasks generated by ESP	-	OUT
IPARM_ESP_THRESHOLD	56	Minimal block size to switch in ESP mode (128 * 128)	16384	IN
IPARM_DOF_COST	57	Degree of freedom for cost computation (If different from IPARM.DOF_NBR)	0	IN
IPARM_PID	62	Pid of the first process (used for naming the log directory)	-1	OUT
IPARM_ERROR_NUMBER	63	Return value	-	OUT

Keyword	Index	Definition	Default	IN/OUT
DPARM_FILL_IN	1	Fill-in	-	OUT
DPARM_MEM_MAX	2	Maximum memory (-DMEMORY_USAGE)	-	OUT
DPARM_EPSILON_REFINEMENT	5	Epsilon for refinement	$1e^{-12}$	IN
DPARM_RELATIVE_ERROR	6	Relative backward error	-	OUT
DPARM_EPSILON_MAGN_CTRL	10	Epsilon for magnitude control	$1e^{-31}$	IN
DPARM_ANALYZE_TIME	18	Time for Analyse step (wallclock)	-	OUT
DPARM_PRED_FACT_TIME	19	Predicted factorization time	-	OUT
DPARM_FACT_TIME	20	Time for Numerical Factorization step (wallclock)	-	OUT
DPARM_SOLV_TIME	21	Time for Solve step (wallclock)	-	OUT
DPARM_FACT_FLOPS	22	Numerical Factorization flops (rate!)	-	OUT
DPARM_SOLV_FLOPS	23	Solve flops (rate!)	-	OUT
DPARM_RAFF_TIME	24	Time for Refinement step (wallclock)	-	OUT

## PaStiX API : Macros

PaStiX step modes (index IPARM_START_TASK and IPARM_END_TASK)		
API_TASK_INIT	0	Set default parameters
API_TASK_ORDERING	1	Ordering
API_TASK_SYMBFACT	2	Symbolic factorization
API_TASK_ANALYSE	3	Tasks mapping and scheduling
API_TASK_NUMFACT	4	Numerical factorization
API_TASK_SOLVE	5	Numerical solve
API_TASK_REFINE	6	Numerical refinement
API_TASK_CLEAN	7	Clean

Boolean modes (All boolean except IPARM_SYM)		
API_NO	0	No
API_YES	1	Yes

Symetric modes (index IPARM_SYM)		
API_SYM_YES	0	Symmetric matrix
API_SYM_NO	1	Nonsymmetric matrix

Factorization modes (index IPARM_FACTORISATION_TYPE)		
API_FACT_LLT	0	$LL^t$ Factorization
API_FACT_LDLT	1	$LDL^t$ Factorization
API_FACT_LU	2	$LU$ Factorization

Verbose modes (index IPARM_VERBOSE)		
API_VERBOSE_NOT	0	Silent mode, no messages
API_VERBOSE_NO	1	Some messages
API_VERBOSE_YES	2	Many messages
API_VERBOSE_CHATTERBOX	3	Like a gossip
API_VERBOSE_UNBEARABLE	4	Really talking too much...

Check-points modes (index IPARM_IO)		
API_IO_NO	0	No output or input
API_IO_LOAD	1	Load ordering during ordering step and symbol matrix instead of symbolic factorisation.
API_IO_SAVE	2	Save ordering during ordering step and symbol matrix instead of symbolic factorisation.
API_IO_LOAD_GRAPH	4	Load graph during ordering step.
API_IO_SAVE_GRAPH	8	Save graph during ordering step.
API_IO_LOAD_CSC	16	Load CSC(d) during ordering step.
API_IO_SAVE_CSC	32	Save CSC(d) during ordering step.

Right-hand-side modes (index IPARM_RHS)		
API_RHS_B	0	User's right hand side
API_RHS_1	1	$\forall i, X_i = 1$
API_RHS_I	2	$\forall i, X_i = i$

Refinement modes (index IPARM_REFINEMENT)		
API_RAF_GMRES	0	GMRES
API_RAF_PIVOT	1	Iterative Refinement (only for $LU$ factorization)
API_RAF_GRAD	1	Conjugate Gradient ( $LL^t$ or $LDL^t$ factorization)

Communication modes (index IPARM_NB_THREAD_COMM)		
API_THCOMM_DISABLED	0	No dedicated communication thread
API_THCOMM_ONE	1	One dedicated communication thread
API_THCOMM_DEFINED	2	Given by IPARM_NB_THREAD_COMM
API_THCOMM_NBPROC	3	One communication thread per computation thread

Trace modes (index IPARM_TRACEFMT)		
API_TRACE_PICL	0	Use PICL trace format
API_TRACE_PAJE	1	Use Paje trace format
API_TRACE_HUMREAD	2	Use human-readable text trace format
API_TRACE_UNFORMATED	3	Unformatted trace format

CSC Management modes (index IPARM_FREE_CSCUSER and IPARM_FREE_CSCPASTIX)		
API_CSC_PRESERVE	0	Do not free the CSC

Ordering modes (index IPARM_ORDERING)		
API_ORDER_SCOTCH	0	Use SCOTCH ordering

CSC Management modes (index IPARM_FREE_CSCUSER and IPARM_FREE_CSCPASTIX)		
API_CSC_FREE	1	Free the CSC when not needed anymore

Ordering modes (index IPARM_ORDERING)		
API_ORDER_METIS	1	Use METIS ordering
API_ORDER_PERSONAL	2	Apply user's permutation (resp. reverse permutation)
API_ORDER_LOAD	3	Load ordering from disk

Thread-binding modes (index IPARM_BINTHRD)		
API_BIND_NO	0	Do not bind thread
API_BIND_AUTO	1	Default binding
API_BIND_TAB	2	Use vector given by pastix_setBind

## PaStiX API : Functions

## Getting local node informations

These functions are called when PASTIX is used with distributed matrix.

```
pastix_int_t pastix_getLocalNodeNbr ( pastix_data_t ** pastix_data );
```

<code>pastix_data</code>	Data used for a step by step execution.
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Return the node number in the new distribution computed by the analyse step (analyse step needs to be runned with `pastix_data` before).

```
int pastix_getLocalNodeLst ( pastix_data_t ** pastix_data,  
                             pastix_int_t  * nodelst );
```

<code>pastix_data</code>	Data used for a step by step execution.
<code>nodelst</code>	An array where to write the list of local nodes.

Fill `node1st` with the list of local nodes  
(`node1st` needs to be allocated with `nodenbr*sizeof(pastix_int_t)`, where `nodenbr` has been computed by `pastix_getLocalNodeNbr`).

## Binding threads

```
void pastix_setBind ( pastix_data_t ** pastix_data, int   thrdnbr,
                    int               * bindtab );
```

<code>pastix_data</code>	Data structure used to keep informations between calls.
<code>thrdnbr</code>	Number of threads (should be the size of <code>bindtab</code> ).
<code>bindtab</code>	Mapping vector for binding threads on processors.

Gives to PASTIX the mapping vector for binding threads on processors.

## Checking the CSC

```
void pastix_checkMatrix ( MPI_Comm      pastix_comm, int      verb,
                          int          flagsym, int          flagcor,
                          pastix_int_t n,          pastix_int_t ** colptr,
                          pastix_int_t ** row,      pastix_float_t ** avals,
                          pastix_int_t ** loc2glob );
```

<code>pastix_comm</code>	PASTiX MPI communicator.
<code>verb</code>	Verbose mode (see Verbose modes).
<code>flagsym</code>	Indicates if the matrix is symmetric (see Symetric modes).
<code>flagcor</code>	Indicates if the matrix can be reallocated (see Boolean modes).
<code>n</code>	Matrix dimension.
<code>colptr, row, avals</code>	Matrix in CSC format.
<code>loc2glob</code>	Local to global column number correspondance.

Check and correct the user matrix in CSC format.

## Checking the symetry of a CSCD

```
int cscd_checksymb ( pastix_int_t    n,      pastix_int_t * ia,
                    pastix_int_t * ja,      pastix_int_t * l2g,
                    MPI_Comm comm );
```

n	Number of local columns.
ia	Starting index of each columns in ja.
ja	Row of each element.
12g	Global number of each local column.

Check the graph symetry.

## Correcting the symetry of a CSCD

```
int cscd_symgraph ( pastix_int_t      n,      pastix_int_t * ia,
                    pastix_int_t * ja,      pastix_float_t * a,
                    pastix_int_t newn,      pastix_int_t ** newia,
                    pastix_int_t ** newja,  pastix_float_t ** newa,
                    pastix_int_t * l2g,    MPI_Comm comm,
```

<b>n</b>	Number of local columns.
<b>ia</b>	Starting index of each columns in <b>ja</b> and <b>a</b> .
<b>ja</b>	Row of each element.
<b>a</b>	Values of each element.
<b>newn</b>	New number of local columns.
<b>newia</b>	Starting index of each columns in <b>newja</b> and <b>newa</b> .
<b>newja</b>	Row of each element.
<b>newa</b>	Values of each element.
<b>l2g</b>	Global number of each local column.
<b>comm</b>	MPI communicator.

Symetrize the graph.

Adding a CSCD into an other one

<b>int cscd_addlocal</b> (	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>n,</b>	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>ia,</b>			
	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>ja,</b>	<b>pastix_float_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>a,</b>		
	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>l2g,</b>	<b>pastix_int_t</b>		<b>addn,</b>		
	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>addia,</b>	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>addja,</b>		
	<b>pastix_float_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>adda,</b>	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>addl2g,</b>		
	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>newn,</b>	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>**</b>	<b>newia,</b>		
	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>**</b>	<b>newja,</b>	<b>pastix_float_t</b>	<b>**</b>	<b>newa</b>		
	<b>CSCD_OPERATIONS_t</b>		<b>OP</b>	);				
<b>n</b>	First CSCD size.							
<b>ia</b>	First CSCD starting index of each column in <b>ja</b> and <b>a</b> .							
<b>ja</b>	Row of each element in first CSCD.							
<b>a</b>	Value of each CSCD in first CSCD (can be NULL).							
<b>l2g</b>	Local to global column numbers for first CSCD.							
<b>addn</b>	CSCD to add size.							
<b>addia</b>	CSCD to add starting index of each column in <b>addja</b> and <b>adda</b> .							
<b>addja</b>	Row of each element in second CSCD.							
<b>adda</b>	Value of each CSCD in second CSCD (can be NULL → add 0).							
<b>addl2g</b>	Local to global column numbers for second CSCD.							
<b>newn</b>	New CSCD size (same as first).							
<b>newia</b>	CSCD to add starting index of each column in <b>newja</b> and <b>newwa</b> .							
<b>newja</b>	Row of each element in third CSCD.							
<b>newa</b>	Value of each CSCD in third CSCD.							
<b>malloc_flag</b>	Flag to indicate if function call is intern to pastix or extern.							
<b>OP</b>	Operation to manage common CSCD coefficients.							

Add the second CSCD to the first CSCD, result is stored in the third CSCD (allocated in the function).  
The operation OP can be : CSCD\_ADD, CSCD\_KEEP, CSCD\_MAX, CSCD\_MIN, and CSCD\_OVW (over-write).

Building a CSCD from a CSC

```

void csc_dispatch ( pastix_int_t      gN,          pastix_int_t * gcolptr,
                   pastix_int_t * grow,          pastix_float_t * gavals,
                   pastix_float_t * grhs,         pastix_int_t * gperm,
                   pastix_int_t * ginvp,
                   pastix_int_t * lN,          pastix_int_t ** lcolptr,
                   pastix_int_t ** lrow,        pastix_float_t ** laval,
                   pastix_float_t ** lrhs,       pastix_int_t ** lperm,
                   pastix_int_t ** loc2glob,    int      dispatch,
                   MPI_Comm      pastix_comm );

```

<b>gN</b>	Global number of columns.
<b>gcolptr</b>	Global starting index of each column in grows ans gavals.
<b>grows</b>	Global rows of each element.
<b>gavals</b>	Global values of each element.
<b>gperm</b>	Global permutation tabular.
<b>ginvp</b>	Global reverse permutation tabular.
<b>lN</b>	Local number of columns (output).
<b>lcolptr</b>	Starting index of each local column (output).
<b>lrowptr</b>	Row number of each local element (output).
<b>laval</b>	Values of each local element (output).
<b>lrhs</b>	Local part of the right hand side (output).
<b>lperm</b>	Local part of the permutation tabular (output).
<b>loc2glob</b>	Global numbers of local columns (before permutation).
<b>dispatch</b>	Dispatching mode, can be CSC_DISP_SIMPLE, to cut in $n_{proc}$ parts of consecutive columns, or CSC_DISP_CYCLIC to use a cyclic distribution.
<b>pastix_comm</b>	PaStiX MPI communicator.

Distribute a CSC into a CSCD.

Redistributing a CSCd

<b>int cscd_redispatch</b> (	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>n,</b>	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>ia,</b>	
	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>ja,</b>	<b>pastix_float_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>a,</b>
	<b>pastix_float_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>rhs,</b>	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>l2g,</b>
	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>dn,</b>	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>**</b>	<b>dia,</b>	
	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>**</b>	<b>dja,</b>	<b>pastix_float_t</b>	<b>**</b>	<b>da,</b>
	<b>pastix_float_t</b>	<b>**</b>	<b>drhs,</b>	<b>pastix_int_t</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>d12g,</b>
	<b>MPI_Comm</b>		<b>comm</b> );			
<b>n</b>	Number of local columns					
<b>ia</b>	First cscd starting index of each column in <b>ja</b> and <b>a</b>					
<b>ja</b>	Row of each element in first CSCD					
<b>a</b>	Value of each CSCD in first CSCD (can be NULL)					
<b>rhs</b>	Right-hand-side member corresponding to the first CSCD (can be NULL)					
<b>l2g</b>	Local to global column numbers for first CSCD					
<b>dn</b>	Number of local columns					
<b>dia</b>	New CSCD starting index of each column in <b>ja</b> and <b>a</b>					
<b>dja</b>	Row of each element in new CSCD					
<b>da</b>	Value of each CSCD in new CSCD					
<b>rhs</b>	Right-hand-side member corresponding to the new CSCD					
<b>d12g</b>	Local to global column numbers for new CSCD					
<b>comm</b>	MPI communicator					

Redistribute the first cscd, distributed with l2g local to global array, into a new one using d12g as local to global array.

# How-to compile PASTiX

## Requirements

The PASTiX team recommends that you get the SCOTCH (<http://gforge.inria.fr/projects/scotch/>) and compile it. Then go into PASTiX directory. Select the config file corresponding to your machine in `${PASTIX_DIR}/config/` and copy it to `${PASTIX_DIR}/config.in`. Now edit this file, select the options you want, and set the correct path for `${SCOTCH_HOME}`. If you want to use METIS, you also have to compile it and edit the path in `config.in`.

## Compilation

Makefile tags (from the root directory)	
<code>make help</code>	print this help
<code>make all</code>	build PASTiX library
<code>make debug</code>	build PASTiX library in debug mode
<code>make drivers</code>	build matrix drivers library
<code>make debug drivers</code>	build matrix drivers library in debug mode
<code>make examples</code>	build examples (will run <code>'make all'</code> and <code>'drivers'</code> if required)
<code>make murge</code>	build MURGE examples
<code>make python</code>	Build python wrapper and run an example
<code>make clean</code>	remove all binaries and objects directories
<code>make cleanall</code>	remove all binaries, objects and dependencies directories

## Compilation options (config.in)

General options	
<code>-DDISTRIBUTED</code>	Enable distributed mode <code>dpastix</code> (PT-Scotch required)
<code>-DFORCE_LONG</code>	Use long integers
<code>-DFORCE_DOUBLE</code>	Use double floating coefficients
<code>-DFORCE_COMPLEX</code>	Use complex coefficients
<code>-DFORCE_NOMPI</code>	Compile without MPI support
<code>-DFORCE_NOSMP</code>	Compile without Thread support
Preprocessing options	
<code>-DMETIS</code>	Use Metis ordering library (needs <code>-L\${METIS_HOME}</code> <code>-lmetis</code> )
<code>-DWITH_SCOTCH</code>	Activate Scotch ordering library
Solver options - <i>See <code>\$PASTIX_HOME/sopalin/src/sopalin.define.h</code></i>	
<code>-DNUMA_ALLOC</code>	Allocate the coefficient vector locally on each thread.
<code>-DNO_MPI_TYPE</code>	Copy into communication buffers to avoid using MPI types.
<code>-DTEST_IRecv</code>	Use nonblocking receives
<code>-DTHREAD_COMM</code>	Receive on dedicated threads (persistent communications).
<code>-DPASTIX_FUNNELED</code>	Use main thread for all communications.
Statistics and Debug options - <i>See <code>\$PASTIX_HOME/sopalin/src/sopalin.define.h</code></i>	
<code>-DMEMORY_USAGE</code>	Show memory allocations (may slow down execution)
<code>-DSTATS_SOPALIN</code>	Show parallelization memory overhead
<code>-DVERIF_MPI</code>	Check MPI Communications for success
<code>-DFLAG_ASSERT</code>	Adds some checks during factorization

# Checkpoints in PASTiX

You can save ordering and solver structures on disk to start directly from step 3 (Tasks Mapping and Scheduling) when launching PASTiX again. Set `iparm[IPARM_IO_STRATEGY]` to `API_IO_SAVE` and call step 1 (Ordering) and 2 (Symbolic Factorization) of PASTiX. This will create two files, `ordergen` and `symbolgen` in the working directory. Copy (or move, or link) `ordergen` and `symbolgen` to `ordername` and `symbolname`. Set `iparm[IPARM_IO_STRATEGY]` to `API_IO_LOAD` and then call PASTiX again from step 3.

## Out-Of-Core in PASTiX

An out-of-core version of PASTiX is under development. To use it, you must get the corresponding PASTiX development branch and compile it with the flag `-DOOC`. To use OOC with contribution buffer, with MPI, set `-DOOC_FTGT` instead. You will then have to set `iparm[IPARM_OOC_LIMIT]` to fix the memory limit size.

OOC compilation options	
<code>-DOOC</code>	Simple OOC without contribution buffer management
<code>-DOOC_FTGT</code>	OOC with contribution buffer management
<code>-DOOC_CLOCK</code>	Compute time spent waiting for data to be loaded

## Dynamic Scheduling in PASTiX

It is possible to use Marcel thread library instead of POSIX threads.

Solver scheduling strategy - <i>Static scheduling used by default</i>	
<code>-DPASTIX_DYNSED</code>	Dynamic scheduling
<code>-DPASTIX_BUBBLESCHED</code>	Dynamic scheduling with Marcel's bubble scheduler

## Multiple Arithmetic in PASTiX

All PASTiX functions are available in 5 different arithmetics :

default	simple	double	simple complex	double complex
<code>pastix</code>	<code>s_pastix</code>	<code>d_pastix</code>	<code>c_pastix</code>	<code>z_pastix</code>
<code>dpastix</code>	<code>s_dpastix</code>	<code>d_dpastix</code>	<code>c_dpastix</code>	<code>z_dpastix</code>
<code>&lt;function&gt;</code>	<code>s_&lt;function&gt;</code>	<code>d_&lt;function&gt;</code>	<code>c_&lt;function&gt;</code>	<code>z_&lt;function&gt;</code>