

# Concurrency IS NOT Parallelism

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- **Concurrency** means loading more goroutines at a time. If one goroutine blocks, another one is picked up and started. On single core CPU you can run ONLY concurrent applications but they are not run in parallel.
- **Parallelism** means multiple goroutines executed at the same time. **It requires multiple CPUs.**
- **Concurrency means independently executing processes** or dealing with multiple things at once, while **parallelism is the simultaneous execution of processes** and require multiple core CPUs.