

Module openql.openql

'OpenQL' is a C++/Python framework for high-level quantum programming. The framework provides a compiler for compiling and optimizing quantum code. The compiler produces the intermediate quantum assembly language in cQASM (Common QASM) and the compiled eQASM (executable QASM) for various target platforms. While the eQASM is platform-specific, the quantum assembly code (QASM) is hardware-agnostic and can be simulated on the QX simulator.

Functions

get_option(option_name)

Returns value of any of the following OpenQL options:

Opt. Name	: Default	: Possible values
'log_level'	: LOG_NOTHING	: 'LOG_{NOTHING/CRITICAL/ERROR/WARNING/INFO/DEBUG}'
'output_dir'	: 'test_output'	: <output directory>
'scheduler'	: 'ASAP'	: 'ASAP/ALAP'
'use_default_gates'	: 'yes'	: 'yes/no'
'optimize'	: 'no'	: 'yes/no'
'decompose_toffoli'	: 'no'	: 'yes/no'

Parameters

arg1 : str
Option name

Returns

str
Option value

get_version()

Returns OpenQL version

Parameters

None

Returns

str
version number as a string

print_options()

Prints a list of available OpenQL options with their values.

set_option(option_name, option_value)

Sets any of the following OpenQL options:

Opt. Name	: Default	: Possible values
'log_level'	: LOG_NOTHING	: 'LOG_{NOTHING/CRITICAL/ERROR/WARNING/INFO/DEBUG}'
'output_dir'	: 'test_output'	: <output directory>
'scheduler'	: 'ASAP'	: 'ASAP/ALAP'
'use_default_gates'	: 'yes'	: 'yes/no'
'optimize'	: 'no'	: 'yes/no'
'decompose_toffoli'	: 'no'	: 'yes/no'

Parameters

arg1 : str
Option name
arg2 : str
Option value

vectord_swigregister(...)
vectorf_swigregister(...)
vectori_swigregister(...)
vectorui_swigregister(...)

Classes

CReg

Classical register class.

Ancestors (in MRO)

openql.openql.CReg
builtins.object

Class variables

creg

thisown

Static methods

__init__(self)

Constructs a classical register which can be source/destination for classical operations.

Parameters

None

Returns

CReg

classical register object

Instance variables

creg

thisown

The membership flag

Kernel

Kernel class which contains various quantum instructions.

Ancestors (in MRO)

openql.openql.Kernel
builtins.object

Class variables

creg_count

kernel

name

platform

qubit_count

thisown

Static methods

 __init__(self, name, platform, qubit_count, creg_count=0)
 Constructs a Kernel object.

Parameters

 arg1 : str
 name of the Kernel
 arg2 : Platform
 target platform for which the kernel will be compiled
 arg3 : int
 qubit count
 arg4 : int
 classical register count

barrier(self, *args, **kwargs)
 inserts explicit barrier on specified qubits. wait with duration '0'
 is also equivalent to applying barrier on specified list of qubits.
 If no qubits are specified, then barrier is applied on all the qubits.

Parameters

 arg1 : []
 list of qubits

classical(self, *args)
 adds classical operation kernel.

Parameters

 arg1 : CReg
 destination register for classical operation.
 arg2 : Operation
 classical operation.

clifford(self, id, q0)
 Applies clifford operation of the specified id on the qubit.

Parameters

 arg1 : int
 clifford operation id
 arg2 : int
 target qubit

The ids and the corresponding operations are:

0 : ['I']
 1 : ['Y90', 'X90']
 2 : ['mX90', 'mY90']
 3 : ['X180']
 4 : ['mY90', 'mX90']
 5 : ['X90', 'mY90']
 6 : ['Y180']
 7 : ['mY90', 'X90']
 8 : ['X90', 'Y90']
 9 : ['X180', 'Y180']
 10: ['Y90', 'mX90']

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11: ['mX90', 'Y90']
12: ['Y90', 'X180']
13: ['mX90']
14: ['X90', 'mY90', 'mX90']
15: ['mY90']
16: ['X90']
17: ['X90', 'Y90', 'X90']
18: ['mY90', 'X180']
19: ['X90', 'Y180']
20: ['X90', 'mY90', 'X90']
21: ['Y90']
22: ['mX90', 'Y180']
23: ['X90', 'Y90', 'mX90']
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cnot(self, q0, q1)
    Applies controlled-not operation.
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Parameters

```
arg1 : int
    control qubit
arg2 : int
    target qubit
```

```
conjugate(self, k)
    generates conjugate version of the kernel from the input kernel.
```

Parameters

```
arg1 : ql::Kernel
    input kernel. Except measure, Kernel to be conjugated.
```

Returns

None

```
controlled(self, k, control_qubits, ancilla_qubits)
    generates controlled version of the kernel from the input kernel.
```

Parameters

```
arg1 : ql::Kernel
    input kernel. Except measure, Kernel to be controlled may contain any of the default gates as well custom gates which are not specialized for a specific qubits.
```

```
arg2 : []
    list of control qubits.
```

```
arg3 : []
    list of ancilla qubits. Number of ancilla qubits should be equal to number of control qubits.
```

Returns

None

```
cphase(self, q0, q1)
    Applies controlled-phase operation.
```

Parameters

```
    arg1 : int
        control qubit
    arg2 : int
        target qubit

cz(self, q0, q1)

display(self)
    inserts QX display instruction (so QX specific).

    Parameters
    -----
    None

    Returns
    -----
    None

gate(self, *args)
    adds custom/default gates to kernel.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : str
        name of gate
    arg2 : []
        list of qubits
    arg3 : CReg
        classical destination register for measure operation.

get_custom_instructions(self)
    Returns list of available custom instructions.

    Parameters
    -----
    None

    Returns
    -----
    []
        List of available custom instructions

hadamard(self, q0)
    Applies hadamard on the qubit specified in argument.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : int
        target qubit

identity(self, q0)
    Applies identity on the qubit specified in argument.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : int
        target qubit

measure(self, q0)
    measures input qubit.

    Parameters
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    arg1 : int
        input qubit

mrx90(self, q0)
    Applies mrx90 on the qubit specified in argument.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : int
        target qubit

mry90(self, q0)

prepz(self, q0)

rx(self, q0, angle)

rxl80(self, q0)
    Applies rxl80 on the qubit specified in argument.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : int
        target qubit

rx90(self, q0)
    Applies rx90 on the qubit specified in argument.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : int
        target qubit

ry(self, q0, angle)

ryl80(self, q0)
    Applies ryl80 on the qubit specified in argument.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : int
        target qubit

ry90(self, q0)

rz(self, q0, angle)

s(self, q0)
    Applies x on the qubit specified in argument.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : int
        target qubit

sdag(self, q0)
    Applies sdag on the qubit specified in argument.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : int
        target qubit
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t(self, q0)

tdag(self, q0)

toffoli(self, q0, q1, q2)

Applies controlled-controlled-not operation.

Parameters

arg1 : int

control qubit

arg2 : int

control qubit

arg3 : int

target qubit

wait(self, qubits, duration)

inserts explicit wait on specified qubits. wait with duration '0'
is equivalent to barrier on specified list of qubits. If no qubits
are specified, then wait/barrier is applied on all the qubits.

Parameters

arg1 : []

list of qubits

arg2 : int

duration in ns

x(self, q0)

y(self, q0)

Applies y on the qubit specified in argument.

Parameters

arg1 : int

target qubit

z(self, q0)

Applies z on the qubit specified in argument.

Parameters

arg1 : int

target qubit

Instance variables

creg_count

kernel

name

platform

qubit_count

thisown

The membership flag

Operation

Operation class representing classical operations.

Ancestors (in MRO)

openql.openql.Operation
builtins.object

Class variables

operation

thisown

Static methods

__init__(self, *args)
 Constructs an Operation object (used for initializing with immediate values).

Parameters

arg1 : int
 immediate value

Instance variables

operation

thisown

 The membership flag

Platform

Platform class specifying the target platform to be used for compilation.

Ancestors (in MRO)

openql.openql.Platform
builtins.object

Class variables

config_file

name

platform

thisown

Static methods

__init__(self, *args)
 Constructs a Platform object.

Parameters

arg1 : str
 name of the Platform
arg2 : str
 name of the configuration file specifying the platform

get_qubit_number(self)
 returns number of qubits in the platform.

Parameters

None

Returns

int
 number of qubits

Instance variables

config_file

name

platform

thisown
 The membership flag

Program

Program class which contains one or more kernels.

Ancestors (in MRO)

openql.openql.Program
builtins.object

Class variables

creg_count

name

platform

program

qubit_count

thisown

Static methods

__init__(self, *args)
 Constructs a program object.

Parameters

arg1 : str
 name of the program
arg2 : Platform
 instance of an OpenQL Platform
arg3 : int
 number of qubits the program will use
arg4 : int
 number of classical registers the program will use (default: 0)

add_do_while(self, *args)
 Adds specified sub-program to a program which will be repeatedly executed while specified condition is true.

Parameters

```

    arg1 : Program
           program to be executed repeatedly
    arg2: Operation
           classical relational operation (<, >, <=, >=, ==, !=)

```

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add_for(self, *args)

```

Adds specified sub-program to a program which will be executed for specified iteration

s.

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Parameters
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```

    arg1 : Program
           sub-program to be executed repeatedly
    arg2: int
           iteration count

```

```

add_if(self, *args)

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Adds specified sub-program to a program which will be executed if specified condition is true. This allows nesting of operations.

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Parameters
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```

    arg1 : Program
           program to be executed
    arg2: Operation
           classical relational operation (<, >, <=, >=, ==, !=)

```

```

add_if_else(self, *args)

```

Adds specified sub-programs to a program. First sub-program will be executed if specified condition is true. Second sub-program will be executed if specified condition is false.

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Parameters
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```

    arg1 : Program
           program to be executed when specified condition is true (if part).
    arg2 : Program
           program to be executed when specified condition is false (else part).
    arg3: Operation
           classical relational operation (<, >, <=, >=, ==, !=)

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add_kernel(self, k)

```

Adds specified kernel to program.

```

Parameters
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```

```

    arg1 : kernel
           kernel to be added

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add_program(self, p)

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compile(self)

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Compiles the program.

```

Parameters
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```

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None

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get_sweep_points(self)

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Returns sweep points for an experiment.

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Parameters
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```

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None

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```
Returns
-----
[]
    list of sweep points

microcode(self)
    Returns program microcode
    Parameters
    -----
    None

    Returns
    -----
    str
        microcode

print_interaction_matrix(self)

qasm(self)
    Returns program QASM
    Parameters
    -----
    None

    Returns
    -----
    str
        qasm

set_sweep_points(self, *args)
    Sets sweep points for an experiment.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : []
        list of sweep points

write_interaction_matrix(self)

Instance variables
-----
creg_count

name

platform

program

qubit_count

thisown
    The membership flag
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