

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 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

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

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, kernel_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

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        classical register count

barrier(self, 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']
    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']

cnot(self, q0, q1)
    Applies controlled-not operation.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : int
        control qubit
    arg2 : int
        target qubit

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

    Parameters

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

Returns
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None

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

Parameters
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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

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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

arg1 : int

input qubit

`mr90(self, q0)`

Applies mr90 on the qubit specified in argument.

Parameters

arg1 : int

target qubit

`my90(self, q0)`

`prepz(self, q0)`

`rx(self, q0, angle)`

`rx180(self, q0)`

Applies rx180 on the qubit specified in argument.

Parameters

arg1 : int

target qubit

`rx90(self, q0)`

Applies rx90 on the qubit specified in argument.

Parameters

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    arg1 : int
        target qubit

ry(self, q0, angle)

ry180(self, q0)
    Applies ry180 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

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.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : []
        list of qubits
    arg2 : int
        duration in ns

x(self, q0)

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

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Parameters
-----
arg1 : int
      target qubit

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

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Parameters
-----
arg1 : int
      target qubit

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Instance variables
-----
creg_count_

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kernel_

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name_

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platform_

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qubit_count_

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thisown
    The membership flag

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Operation
    Operation class representing classical operations.

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Ancestors (in MR0)
-----
openql.openql.Operation
builtins.object

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Class variables
-----
operation_

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thisown

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

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Parameters
-----
arg1 : int
      immediate value

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Instance variables
-----
operation_

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thisown
    The membership flag

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

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Ancestors (in MR0)

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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

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Program
 Program class which contains one or more kernels.

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Ancestors (in MRO)
-----
openql.openql.Program
builtins.object

Class variables
-----
creg_count_

name_

platform_

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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_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 (<, >, <=, >=, ==, !=)

add_for(self, *args)

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

Parameters

arg1 : Program

sub-program to be executed repeatedly

arg2: int

iteration count

add_if(self, *args)

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

Parameters

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.

Parameters

arg1 : Program

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        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 (<, >, <=, >=, ==, !=)

add_kernel(self, k)
    Adds specified kernel to program.

    Parameters
    -----
    arg1 : kernel
        kernel to be added

add_program(self, p)

compile(self)
    Compiles the program.

    Parameters
    -----
    None

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, sweep_points, num_sweep_points)
    Sets sweep points for an experiment.

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

write_interaction_matrix(self)

Instance variables
-----
creg_count_

name_

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platform_
program_
qubit_count_
thisown
 The membership flag

QASM_Loader
Ancestors (in MRO)

openql.openql.QASM_Loader
builtins.object

Class variables

file_name

loader

thisown

Static methods

__init__(self, file_name)
 Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.

load(self)

Instance variables

file_name

loader

thisown
 The membership flag