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QMCPY DOCUMENTATION

3.1 Integration Method

Main driver function for QMCPy.

qmcpy.integrate.**integrate**(*integrand*, *true_measure*, *discrete_distrib=None*, *stopping_criterion=None*)

Specify and compute integral of $f(\boldsymbol{x})$ for $\boldsymbol{x} \in \mathcal{X}$.

Parameters

- **integrand** (*Integrand*) – an object from class Integrand. If None (default), sum of two variables defined on unit square is used.
- **true_measure** (*TrueMeasure*) – an object from class TrueMeasure. If None (default), standard uniform distribution is used.
- **discrete_distrib** (*DiscreteDistribution*) – an object from class DiscreteDistribution. If None (default), IID standard uniform distribution is used.
- **stopping_criterion** (*StoppingCriterion*) – an object from class StoppingCriterion. If None (default), criterion based on central limit theorem with absolute tolerance equal to 0.01 is used.

Returns

tuple containing:

solution (float): estimated value of the integral

data (AccumData): input data and information such as number of sampling points and run time used to obtain solution

Return type tuple

3.2 Integrand Class

3.2.1 Asican Call Option Payoff

Definition for class AsianCall, a concrete implementation of Integrand

class qmcpy.integrand.asian_call.**AsianCall**(*bm_measure*, *volatility=0.5*, *start_price=30*, *strike_price=25*, *interest_rate=0*, *mean_type='arithmetic'*)

Specify and generate payoff values of an Asian Call option

__init__(*bm_measure*, *volatility=0.5*, *start_price=30*, *strike_price=25*, *interest_rate=0*, *mean_type='arithmetic'*)
Initialize AsianCall Integrand's'

Parameters

- **bm_measure** (*TrueMeasure*) – A BrownianMotion Measure object
- **volatility** (*float*) – sigma, the volatility of the asset
- **start_price** (*float*) – S(0), the asset value at t=0
- **strike_price** (*float*) – strike_price, the call/put offer
- **interest_rate** (*float*) – r, the annual interest rate
- **mean_type** (*string*) – 'arithmetic' or 'geometric' mean

g(*x*)
Original integrand to be integrated

Parameters **x** – nodes, $\boldsymbol{x}_{\mathfrak{u},i} = i^{\texttt{th}}$ row of an $n \cdot |\mathfrak{u}|$ matrix

Returns $n \cdot p$ matrix with values $f(\boldsymbol{x}_{\mathfrak{u},i}, \mathbf{c})$ where if $\boldsymbol{x}_i' = (x_{i,\mathfrak{u}}, \mathbf{c})_j$, then $x_{ij}' = x_{ij}$ for $j \in \mathfrak{u}$, and $x_{ij}' = c$ otherwise

get_discounted_payoffs(*stock_path*, *dimension*)
Calculate the discounted payoff from the stock path

stock_path (ndarray): option prices at monitoring times dimension (int): number of dimensions

3.2.2 Keister Function

Definition for class Keister, a concrete implementation of Integrand

class qmcpy.integrand.keister.**Keister**(*dimension*)
Specify and generate values $f(\boldsymbol{x}) = \pi^{d/2} \cos(\|\boldsymbol{x}\|)$ for $\boldsymbol{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d$.

The standard example integrates the Keister integrand with respect to an IID Gaussian distribution with variance 1/2.

Reference:

B. D. Keister, Multidimensional Quadrature Algorithms, *Computers in Physics*, *10*, pp. 119-122, 1996.

__init__(*dimension*)

Parameters **dimension** (*ndarray*) – dimension(s) of the integrand(s)

g(*x*)
Original integrand to be integrated

Parameters **x** – nodes, $\boldsymbol{x}_{\mathfrak{u},i} = i^{\texttt{th}}$ row of an $n \cdot |\mathfrak{u}|$ matrix

Returns $n \cdot p$ matrix with values $f(\boldsymbol{x}_{\mathfrak{u},i}, \mathbf{c})$ where if $\boldsymbol{x}_i' = (x_{i,\mathfrak{u}}, \mathbf{c})_j$, then $x_{ij}' = x_{ij}$ for $j \in \mathfrak{u}$, and $x_{ij}' = c$ otherwise

3.2.3 A Linear Function

Definition for class Linear, a concrete implementation of Integrand

class qmcpy.integrand.linear.**Linear**(*dimension*)
Specify and generate values $f(\boldsymbol{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^{d} x_i$ for $\boldsymbol{x} = (x_1, \ldots, x_d) \in \mathbb{R}^d$

__init__ (*dimension*)

Parameters **dimension** (*ndarray*) – dimension(s) of the integrand(s)

g (*x*)

Original integrand to be integrated

Parameters **x** – nodes, $\boldsymbol{x}_{\mathrm{u},i} = i^{\mathtt{th}}$ row of an $n \cdot |\mathrm{u}|$ matrix

Returns $n \cdot p$ matrix with values $f(\boldsymbol{x}_{\mathrm{u},i}, \mathbf{c})$ where if $\boldsymbol{x}'_i = (x_{i,\mathrm{u}}, \mathbf{c})_j$, then $x'_{ij} = x_{ij}$ for $j \in \mathrm{u}$, and $x'_{ij} = c$ otherwise

3.2.4 Quick Construct for Function

Definition for class QuickConstruct, a concrete implementation of Integrand

class qmcpy.integrand.quick_construct.**QuickConstruct** (*dimension*, *custom_fun*)

Specify and generate values of a user-defined function

__init__ (*dimension*, *custom_fun*)

Initialize custom Integrand

Parameters

- **dimension** (*ndarray*) – dimension(s) of the integrand(s)
- **custom_fun** (*int*) – a callable univariable or multivariate Python function that returns a real number.

Note: Input of the function:

x: nodes, $\boldsymbol{x}_{\mathrm{u},i} = i^{\mathtt{th}}$ row of an $n \cdot |\mathrm{u}|$ matrix

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g (*x*)

Original integrand to be integrated

Parameters **x** – nodes, $\boldsymbol{x}_{\mathrm{u},i} = i^{\mathtt{th}}$ row of an $n \cdot |\mathrm{u}|$ matrix

Returns $n \cdot p$ matrix with values $f(\boldsymbol{x}_{\mathrm{u},i}, \mathbf{c})$ where if $\boldsymbol{x}'_i = (x_{i,\mathrm{u}}, \mathbf{c})_j$, then $x'_{ij} = x_{ij}$ for $j \in \mathrm{u}$, and $x'_{ij} = c$ otherwise

3.3 Measure Class

Definition of Uniform, a concrete implementation of TrueMeasure

class qmcpy.true_measure.uniform.**Uniform** (*dimension*, *lower_bound=0.0*, *upper_bound=1.0*)

Uniform Measure

__init__ (*dimension*, *lower_bound=0.0*, *upper_bound=1.0*)

Parameters

- **dimension** (*ndarray*) – dimension's' of the integrand's'
- **lower_bound** (*float*) – a for Uniform(a,b)
- **upper_bound** (*float*) – b for Uniform(a,b)

Definition of Gaussian, a concrete implementation of TrueMeasure

class qmcpy.true_measure.gaussian.**Gaussian**(*dimension*, *mean=0*, *variance=1*)
Gaussian (Normal) Measure

__init__(*dimension*, *mean=0*, *variance=1*)

Parameters

- **dimension** (*ndarray*) – dimension's' of the integrand's'
- **mean** (*float*) – mu for Normal(mu,sigma^2)
- **variance** (*float*) – sigma^2 for Normal(mu,sigma^2)

Definition of BrownianMotion, a concrete implementation of TrueMeasure

class qmcpy.true_measure.brownian_motion.**BrownianMotion**(*dimension, time_vector=[array([0.250, 0.500, 0.750, 1.000])]*)
Brownian Motion Measure

__init__(*dimension, time_vector=[array([0.250, 0.500, 0.750, 1.000])]*)

Parameters

- **dimension** (*ndarray*) – dimension's' of the integrand's'
- **time_vector** (*list of ndarrays*) – monitoring times for the Integrand's'

Definition of Lebesgue, a concrete implementation of TrueMeasure

class qmcpy.true_measure.lebesgue.**Lebesgue**(*dimension*, *lower_bound=0.0*, *upper_bound=1*)
Lebesgue Uniform Measure

__init__(*dimension*, *lower_bound=0.0*, *upper_bound=1*)

Parameters **dimension** (*ndarray*) – dimension's' of the integrand's'

3.4 Discrete Distribution Class

Definition for IIDStdUniform, a concrete implementation of DiscreteDistribution

class qmcpy.discrete_distribution.iid_std_uniform.**IIDStdUniform**(*rng_seed=None*)
IID Standard Uniform

__init__(*rng_seed=None*)

Parameters **rng_seed** (*int*) – seed the random number generator for reproducibility

gen_dd_samples(*replications*, *n_samples*, *dimensions*)
Generate r nxd IID Standard Uniform samples

Parameters

- **replications** (*int*) – Number of nxd matrices to generate (sample.size()[0])
- **n_samples** (*int*) – Number of observations (sample.size()[1])
- **dimensions** (*int*) – Number of dimensions (sample.size()[2])

Returns replications x n_samples x dimensions (numpy array)

Definition for IIDStdGaussian, a concrete implementation of DiscreteDistribution

class qmcpy.discrete_distribution.iid_std_gaussian.**IIDStdGaussian**(*rng_seed=None*)
Standard Gaussian

__init__(*rng_seed=None*)

Parameters **rng_seed** (*int*) – seed the random number generator for reproducibility

gen_dd_samples(*replications*, *n_samples*, *dimensions*)
Generate r nxd IID Standard Gaussian samples

Parameters

- **replications** (*int*) – Number of nxd matrices to generate (sample.size()[0])
- **n_samples** (*int*) – Number of observations (sample.size()[1])
- **dimensions** (*int*) – Number of dimensions (sample.size()[2])

Returns replications x n_samples x dimensions (numpy array)

Definition for Lattice, a concrete implementation of DiscreteDistribution

class qmcpy.discrete_distribution.lattice.**Lattice**(*rng_seed=None*)
Quasi-Random Lattice low discrepancy sequence (Base 2)

__init__(*rng_seed=None*)

Parameters **rng_seed** (*int*) – seed the random number generator for reproducibility

gen_dd_samples(*replications*, *n_samples*, *dimensions*, *scramble=True*)
Generate r nxd Lattice samples

Parameters

- **replications** (*int*) – Number of nxd matrices to generate (sample.size()[0])
- **n_samples** (*int*) – Number of observations (sample.size()[1])
- **dimensions** (*int*) – Number of dimensions (sample.size()[2])
- **scramble** (*bool*) – If true, random numbers are in unit cube, otherwise they are non-negative integers

Returns replications x n_samples x dimensions (numpy array)

Definition for Sobol, a concrete implementation of DiscreteDistribution

class qmcpy.discrete_distribution.sobol.**Sobol**(*rng_seed=None*, *backend='Pytorch'*)
Quasi-Random Sobol low discrepancy sequence (Base 2)

__init__(*rng_seed=None*, *backend='Pytorch'*)

Parameters **rng_seed** (*int*) – seed the random number generator for reproducibility

gen_dd_samples(*replications*, *n_samples*, *dimensions*, *scramble=True*)
Generate r nxd Sobol samples

Parameters

- **replications** (*int*) – Number of nxd matrices to generate (sample.size()[0])
- **n_samples** (*int*) – Number of observations (sample.size()[1])
- **dimensions** (*int*) – Number of dimensions (sample.size()[2])
- **scramble** (*bool*) – If true, random numbers are in unit cube, otherwise they are non-negative integers

Returns replications x n_samples x dimensions (numpy array)

qmcpy.discrete_distribution.sobol.**randint**(*low*, *high=None*, *size=None*, *dtype='l'*)

Return random integers from *low* (inclusive) to *high* (exclusive).

Return random integers from the "discrete uniform" distribution of the specified dtype in the "half-open" interval [*low*, *high*). If *high* is None (the default), then results are from [0, *low*).

low [int or array-like of ints] Lowest (signed) integers to be drawn from the distribution (unless `high=None`, in which case this parameter is one above the *highest* such integer).

high [int or array-like of ints, optional] If provided, one above the largest (signed) integer to be drawn from the distribution (see above for behavior if `high=None`). If array-like, must contain integer values

size [int or tuple of ints, optional] Output shape. If the given shape is, e.g., `(m, n, k)`, then `m * n * k` samples are drawn. Default is None, in which case a single value is returned.

dtype [dtype, optional] Desired dtype of the result. All dtypes are determined by their name, i.e., 'int64', 'int', etc, so byteorder is not available and a specific precision may have different C types depending on the platform. The default value is 'np.int'.

New in version 1.11.0.

out [int or ndarray of ints] *size*-shaped array of random integers from the appropriate distribution, or a single such random int if *size* not provided.

random.random_integers [similar to *randint*, only for the closed] interval [*low*, *high*], and 1 is the lowest value if *high* is omitted.

```
>>> np.random.randint(2, size=10)
array([1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0]) # random
>>> np.random.randint(1, size=10)
array([0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0])
```

Generate a 2 x 4 array of ints between 0 and 4, inclusive:

```
>>> np.random.randint(5, size=(2, 4))
array([[4, 0, 2, 1], # random
       [3, 2, 2, 0]])
```

Generate a 1 x 3 array with 3 different upper bounds

```
>>> np.random.randint(1, [3, 5, 10])
array([2, 2, 9]) # random
```

Generate a 1 by 3 array with 3 different lower bounds

```
>>> np.random.randint([1, 5, 7], 10)
array([9, 8, 7]) # random
```

Generate a 2 by 4 array using broadcasting with dtype of uint8

```
>>> np.random.randint([1, 3, 5, 7], [[10], [20]], dtype=np.uint8)
array([[ 8,  6,  9,  7], # random
       [ 1, 16,  9, 12]], dtype=uint8)
```

3.5 Data Class

Definition of MeanVarData, a concrete implementation of AccumData

class qmcpy.accum_data.mean_var_data.**MeanVarData**(*levels*, *n_init*)
Accumulated data for IIDDistribution calculations, and store the sample mean and variance of integrand values

__init__(*levels*, *n_init*)
Initialize data instance

Parameters

- **levels** (*int*) – number of integrands
- **n_init** (*int*) – initial number of samples

update_data(*integrand*, *true_measure*)
Update data

Parameters

- **integrand** (*Integrand*) – an instance of Integrand
- **true_measure** (*TrueMeasure*) – an instance of TrueMeasure

Returns None

Definition for MeanVarDataRep, a concrete implementation of AccumData

class qmcpy.accum_data.mean_var_data_rep.**MeanVarDataRep**(*levels*, *n_init*, *replications*)
Accumulated data Repeated Central Limit Stopping Criterion (CLTRep) calculations.

__init__(*levels*, *n_init*, *replications*)
Initialize data instance

Parameters

- **levels** (*int*) – number of integrands
- **n_init** (*int*) – initial number of samples
- **replications** (*int*) – number of random nxm matrices to generate

update_data(*integrand*, *true_measure*)
Update data

Parameters

- **integrand** (*Integrand*) – an instance of Integrand
- **true_measure** (*TrueMeasure*) – an instance of TrueMeasure

Returns None

3.6 Stopping Criterion Class

Definition for CLT, a concrete implementation of StoppingCriterion

class qmcpy.stopping_criterion.clt.**CLT**(*discrete_distrib*, *true_measure*, *inflate=1.2*, *alpha=0.01*, *abs_tol=0.01*, *rel_tol=0*, *n_init=1024*, *n_max=10000000000.0*)
Stopping criterion based on the Central Limit Theorem (CLT)

__init__(*discrete_distrib*, *true_measure*, *inflate=1.2*, *alpha=0.01*, *abs_tol=0.01*, *rel_tol=0*, *n_init=1024*, *n_max=10000000000.0*)

Parameters

- **discrete_distrib** –

- **true_measure** – an instance of DiscreteDistribution
- **inflate** – inflation factor when estimating variance
- **alpha** – significance level for confidence interval
- **abs_tol** – absolute error tolerance
- **rel_tol** – relative error tolerance
- **n_max** – maximum number of samples

stop_yet()
Determine when to stop

Definition for CLTRep, a concrete implementation of StoppingCriterion

class qmcpy.stopping_criterion.clt_rep.**CLTRep**(*discrete_distrib*, *true_measure*, *replications=16*, *inflate=1.2*, *alpha=0.01*, *abs_tol=0.01*, *rel_tol=0*, *n_init=32*, *n_max=1073741824*)
Stopping criterion based on var(stream_1_estimate, . . . , stream_16_estimate) < errorTol

__init__(*discrete_distrib*, *true_measure*, *replications=16*, *inflate=1.2*, *alpha=0.01*, *abs_tol=0.01*, *rel_tol=0*, *n_init=32*, *n_max=1073741824*)

Parameters

- **discrete_distrib** –
- **true_measure** (*DiscreteDistribution*) – an instance of DiscreteDistribution
- **replications** (*int*) – number of random nxm matrices to generate
- **inflate** (*float*) – inflation factor when estimating variance
- **alpha** (*float*) – significance level for confidence interval
- **abs_tol** (*float*) – absolute error tolerance
- **rel_tol** (*float*) – relative error tolerance
- **n_max** (*int*) – maximum number of samples

stop_yet()
Determine when to stop

3.7 Utilities

Meta-data and public utilities for qmcpy

Exceptions and Warnings thrown by qmcpy

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**DimensionError**
Class for raising error about dimension

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**DistributionCompatibilityError**
Class for raising error about incompatible distribution

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**DistributionGenerationError**
Class for raising error about parameter inputs to gen_dd_samples (method of a DiscreteDistribution)

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**DistributionGenerationWarnings**
Class for issuing warningssabout parameter inputs to gen_dd_samples (method of a DiscreteDistribution)

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**MaxSamplesWarning**
Class for issuing warning about using maximum number of data samples

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**MeasureCompatibilityError**
Class for raising error of incompatible measures

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**NotYetImplemented**
Class for raising error when a component has been implemented yet

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**ParameterError**
Class for raising error about input parameters

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**ParameterWarning**
Class for issuing warnings about unacceptable parameters

exception qmcpy._util._exceptions_warnings.**TransformError**
Class for raising error about transforming function to accommodate distribution

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