

randint operator

Files

randint-inl.h

randint.cc

randint.cu

randint-inl.h

```
#ifndef MXNET_OPERATOR_RANDOM_RANDINT_INL_H_
#define MXNET_OPERATOR_RANDOM_RANDINT_INL_H_
```

Because - src/operator/random/randint-inl.h

Included all the other base files just like other random files

Quadratic-op-inl.h

1. Define Param
2. OpShape
3. OpType
4. OpStorageType

```
struct QuadraticParam : public dmlc::Parameter<QuadraticParam>

inline bool QuadraticOpShape(const nnvm::NodeAttrs& attrs,
                             std::vector<int>* in_attrs,
                             std::vector<int>* out_attrs

inline bool QuadraticOpType(const nnvm::NodeAttrs& attrs,
                             std::vector<int>* in_attrs,
                             std::vector<int>* out_attrs

inline bool QuadraticOpStorageType(const nnvm::NodeAttrs& attrs,
                                    const int dev_mask,
                                    DispatchMode* dispatch_mode,
                                    std::vector<int>* in_attrs,
                                    std::vector<int>* out_attrs)

template<int req>
struct quadratic_forward

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template<typename xpu>
void QuadraticOpForward(const nnvm::NodeAttrs& attrs,
                        const OpContext& ctx,
                        const std::vector<TBlob>& inputs,
                        const std::vector<OpReqType>& req,
                        const std::vector<TBlob>& outputs)
```

randint.cc

Imports base file (header file) i.e. randint-inl.h

Point of diff

1. Backend op registration quip doc says - NNVM
 - a. Quadratic op (Beginner guide) - DMLC_DECLARE_PARAMETER

Order of execution

1. `test_random.py:mx.nd.random.randint`
2. `python/mxnet/ndarray/random.py:randint() → _random_helper() → random()`
3. `python/mxnet/_ctypes/ndarray.py:_imperative_invoke()`

stype? ctype?

?? goes somewhere??

1. `src/operator/random/sample_op.h:SampleOpType()`
2. `src/operator/tensor/init_op.h:InitStorageType()`
3. `src/imperative/imperative.cc:Imperative::Invoke()`
4. `src/imperative/imperative_utils.h:SetShapeType() → FInferShape, FInferType and FInferStorageType`

```
struct SampleMaster<RandIntSampler>{}
```

`MXImperativeInvokeEx → MXImperativeInvokeImpl →`

RNG - random number generator

- mt19937 is a standard mersenne_twister_engine

Issues

- static assertion failed template argument not an integral type
 - Understood following things
 - `typedef typename A`
 - `std::is_floating_point<A>::value` evaluates to False/True
 - Eg - `std::is_floating_point<float>::value → True`

cuRand - Cuda Random

Types of RNG

- Philox
- MT19937 - Mersenne Twister
- dSFMT - Double SIMD Mersenne Twister
- PCG64 - Parallel Congruent Generator (64-bit, PCG64)
- ThreeFry Counter-based RNG

```
// typedef typename std::conditional<std::is_integral<DType>::value,  
// std::uniform_int_distribution<DType>,  
// std::uniform_real_distribution<FType>>>::type GType;  
// GType dist_discrete_uniform(lower, upper);
```