# Install Sphinx

Windows, Mac, Linux

https://www.sphinx-doc.org/en/1.3.1/install.html

# Sphinx - get started

- Change directory to code repository
  - \$ sphinx-quickstart
- Separate source and build directories (y/n) [n]: Y
- Enter project details
- You can make your html page by typing
  - \$ make html
- Done

# Home Page

- Your home page is "index.rst" found in the "source" directory
- Restructured Text (reST) format guide:
  - https://thomas-cokelaer.info/tutorials/sphinx/rest\_syntax.html

## RST Basics

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### Title

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#### subtitle

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#### subsubtitle

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#### Only two rules:

- If under and overline are used, their length must be identical
- The length of the underline must be at least as long as the title itself

You can use any of these characters for the under/overline. However, it is better to stick to the same convention throughout a project. For example:

- # with overline, for parts
- \* with overline, for chapters
- =, for sections
- -, for subsections
- ^, for subsubsections
- ", for paragraphs

# Implicit Links to Titles

#### index.rst

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Main topic

Blah blah blah

We put an internal reference to topic1 like this 'Topic1'\_And here is another link 'Topic2'\_ that points to topic2

Topic1

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Something something

Topic2

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Something something

### Appears as:

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And here is another link **Topic2** that points to topic2

Topic1

Something something

Topic2

Something something

## Toctree

.. toctree::

:maxdepth: 2

:caption: Contents:

file1
file2
file3

- Multiple files need to be added to the toctree
- You can also modify toctree behaviour with:
  - maxdepth
  - numbered
  - titlesonly
  - glob
  - hidden
- More info here

## Links to other files

File1.rst

File2.rst

Appears as:

.. \_interesting\_topic:

Blah blah blah

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topic

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You can find more interesting topics at interesting\_topic\_

Or

You can find more intersting topics at :ref: 'intersting\_topic'

You can find more interesting topics at topic

Or

You can find more intersting topics at :ref: `here <intersting\_topic>`

You can find more interesting topics at <a href="here">here</a>

# Adding code path to sphinx

Add the path to codes bu uncommenting the following lines in conf.py, found in source.

```
import os
import sys
#the code in this example is found one directory
above the source
sys.path.insert(0, os.path.abspath('../'))
sys.setrecursionlimit(1500)
```

# Get module string doc

## In conf.py add extension extensions = ['sphinx.ext.autodoc']

### module1.py

```
"""Random variable generators.
   integers
          uniform within range
   sequences
          pick random element
          pick random sample
           pick weighted random sample
           generate random permutation
   distributions on the real line:
          uniform
          triangular
           normal (Gaussian)
           lognormal
          negative exponential
           gamma
           pareto
           Weibull
   distributions on the circle (angles 0 to 2pi)
          circular uniform
           von Mises
General notes on the underlying Mersenne Twister core generator:
* The period is 2**19937-1.
* It is one of the most extensively tested generators in existence.
* The random() method is implemented in C, executes in a single Python step,
 and is, therefore, threadsafe.
from warnings import warn as _warn
from types import MethodType as _MethodType, BuiltinMethodType as _BuiltinMethodType
from math import log as _log, exp as _exp, pi as _pi, e as _e, ceil as _ceil
from math import sqrt as _sqrt, acos as _acos, cos as _cos, sin as _sin
from os import urandom as _urandom
from _collections_abc import Set as _Set, Sequence as _Sequence
from hashlib import sha512 as _sha512
import itertools as _itertools
import bisect as _bisect
__all__ = ["Random", "seed", "random", "uniform", "randint", "choice", "sample",
           "randrange", "shuffle", "normalvariate", "lognormvariate",
           "expovariate", "vonmisesvariate", "gammavariate", "triangular",
           "gauss", "betavariate", "paretovariate", "weibullvariate",
           "getstate", "setstate", "getrandbits", "choices",
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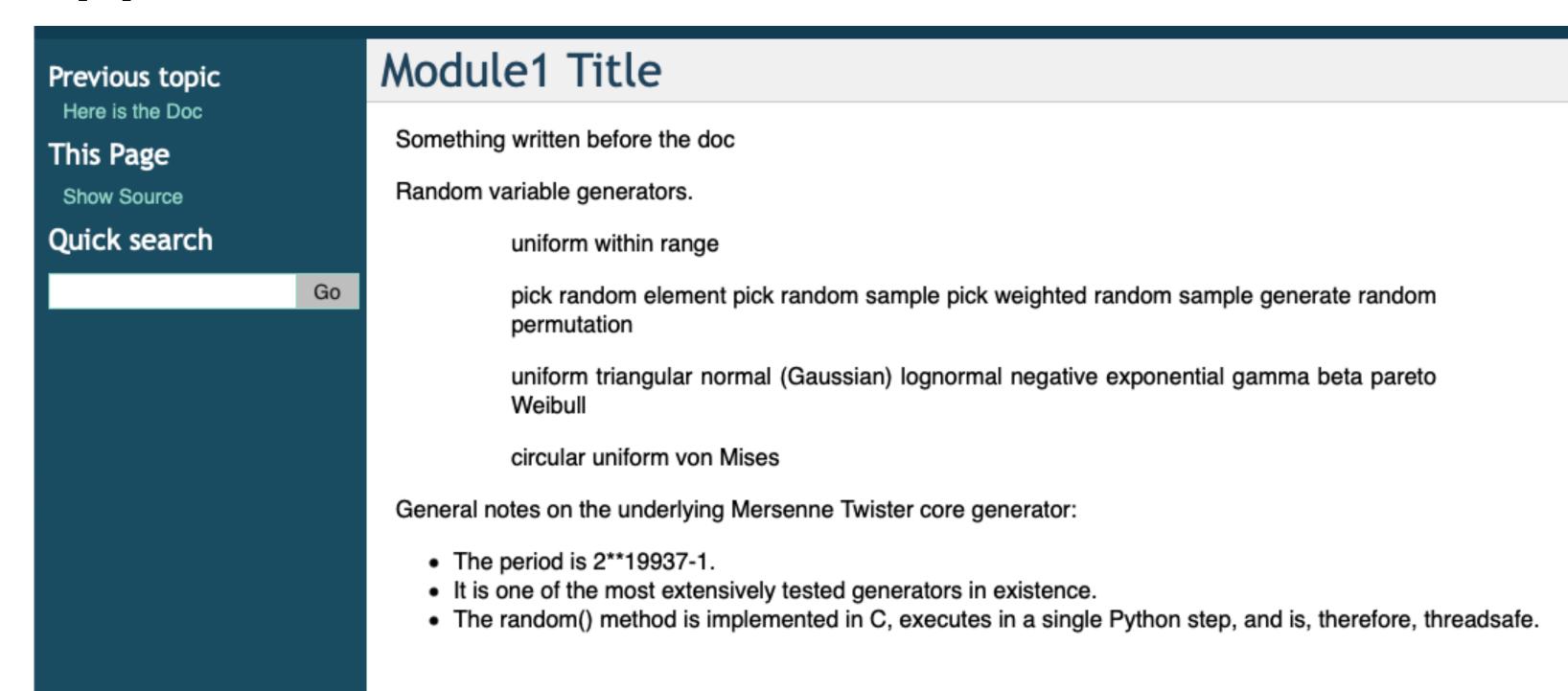
#### module.rst

Module1 Title

Something written before the doc

.. automodule:: module1

### Appers as



# Get class string doc

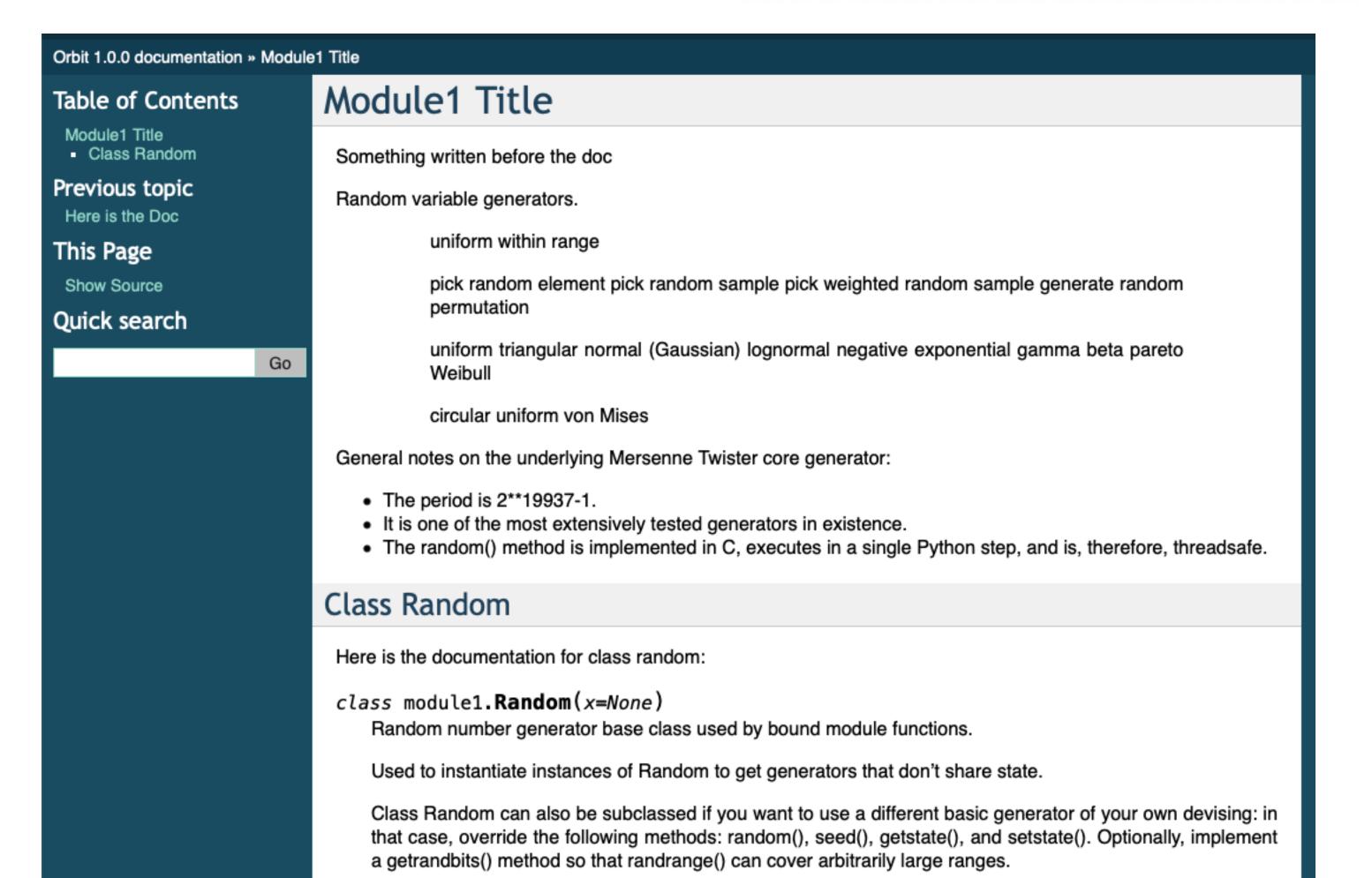
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   methods: random(), seed(), getstate(), and setstate().
   Optionally, implement a getrandbits() method so that randrange()
   can cover arbitrarily large ranges.
                   # used by getstate/setstate
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        """Initialize an instance.
       Optional argument x controls seeding, as for Random.seed().
       self.seed(x)
        self.gauss_next = None
   def seed(self, a=None, version=2):
        """Initialize internal state from hashable object.
       None or no argument seeds from current time or from an operating
        system specific randomness source if available.
       If *a* is an int, all bits are used.
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#### Appers as

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.. autoclass:: module1.Random



# Get class string doc + methods

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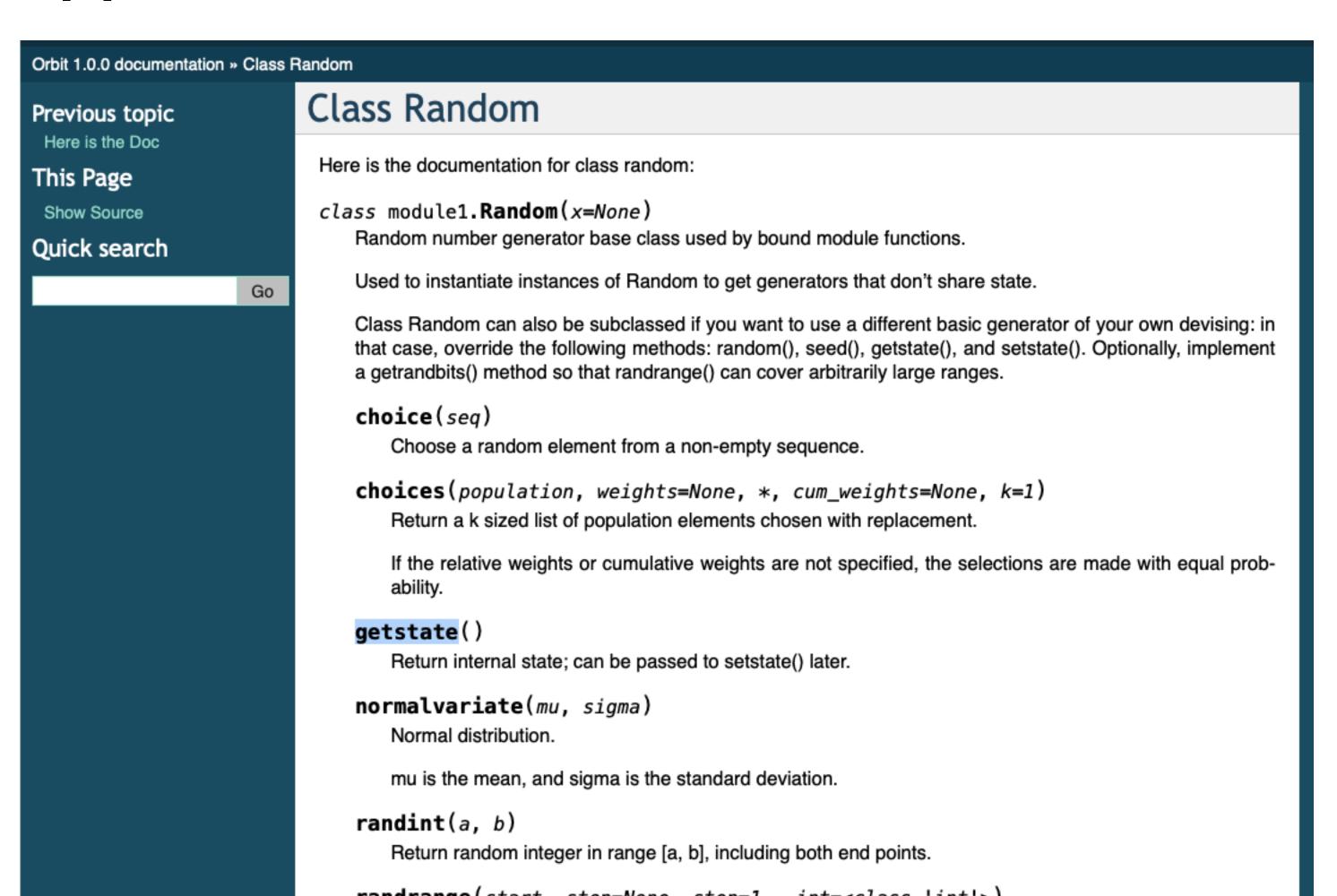
#### module.rst

Class Random +++++++++

Here is the documentation for class random:

.. autoclass:: module1.Random
:members:

### Appers as



# Get function string doc

#### function.rst

```
Function Example
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Get function doc strings from module2.py
.. currentmodule:: module2
The run function
short description...
.. autofunction:: run
The runctx function
##########################
Write something here
.. autofunction:: runctx
```

#### Appers as

