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KHIOPS 10.2

KHIOPS SCENARIOS FOR EASY INTEGRATION



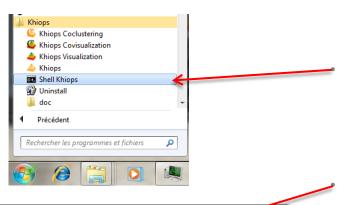
Khiops scenarios

- A Khiops session can be registered in a scenario file, which can be replayed by Khiops in batch mode.
- This allows to automatize data preparation, modeling and deployment in a Data Mining project and to easily integrate the process in any information system.

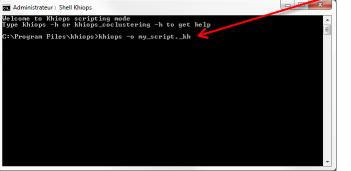


Recording and replaying a scenario





Start a Shell Khiops



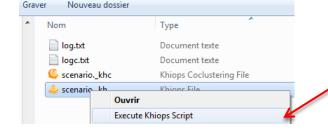
Record a script « automatically» using Khiops user interface

khiops -o my_script._kh

o = output

Replay a script from the shell khiops —i my_script._kh

i = input



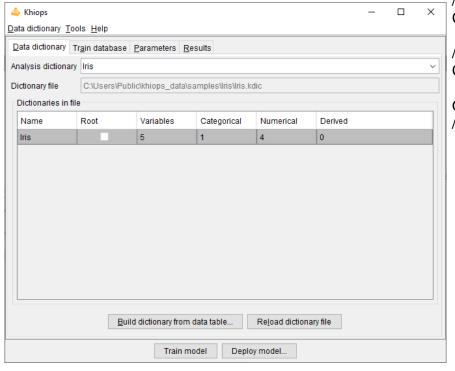
Replay a script from Windows Explorer right click on script file

Recording

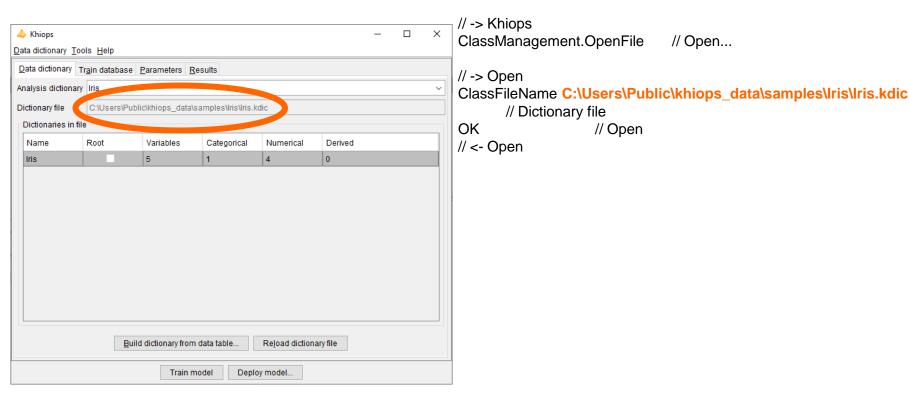
- When Khiops is used with option "-o", a scenario is recorded.
 - Khiops –o my_scenario._kh

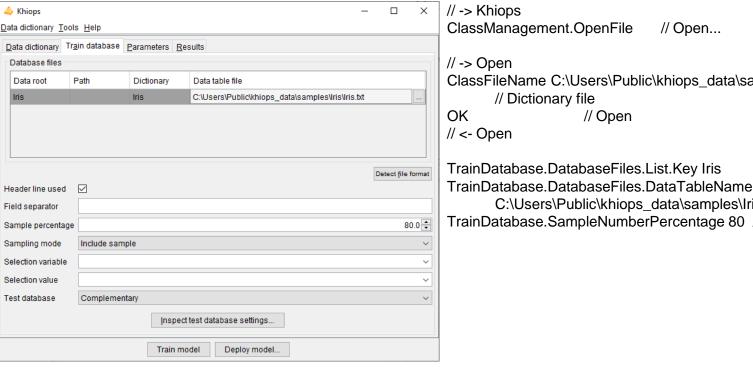
 Each action on the Khiops user interface is stored in the scenario.

Open dictionary

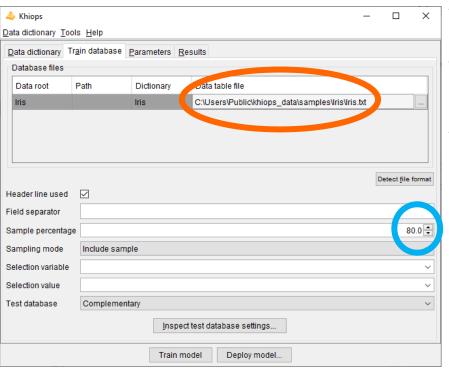


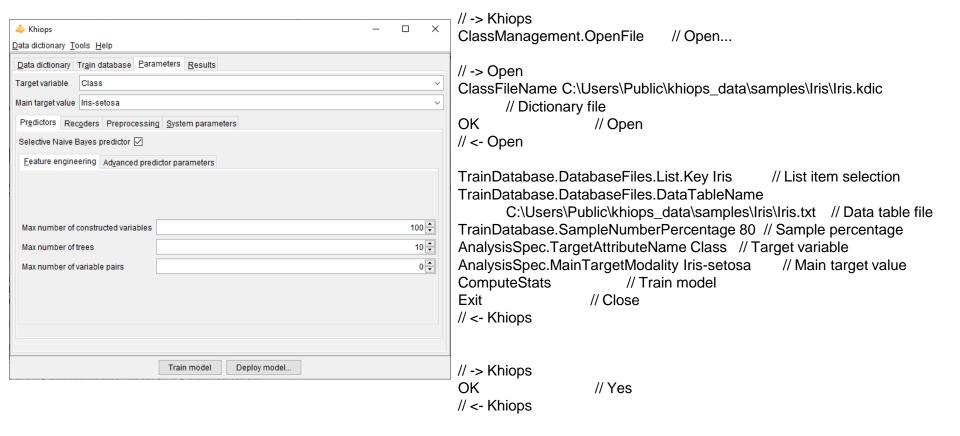
Choose dictionary

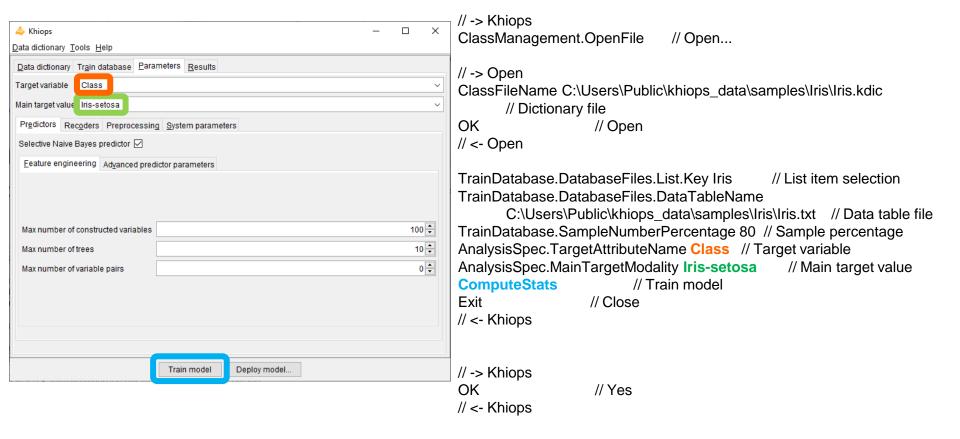




```
// -> Khiops
ClassManagement.OpenFile
                                 // Open...
// -> Open
ClassFileName C:\Users\Public\khiops_data\samples\Iris\Iris.kdic
       // Dictionary file
OK
                     // Open
// <- Open
                                                // List item selection
TrainDatabase.DatabaseFiles.List.Key Iris
```







Playing a scenario

- When Khiops is used with option "-i", the scenario is replayed.
 - khiops –i my_scenario._kh

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```
// -> Khiops
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ClassManagement.OpenFile
                               // Open...
                                                                    ClassManagement.OpenFile
                                                                                                   // Open...
                                                                    // -> Open
// -> Open
                                                                    ClassFileName C:\Users\Public\khiops data\samples\Adult\Adult.kdic
ClassFileName C:\Users\Public\khiops_data\samples\Iris\Iris.kdic
                                                                           // Dictionary file
       // Dictionary file
                                                                    OK
OK
                    // Open
                                                                                        // Open
                                                                    // <- Open
// <- Open
                                                                    TrainDatabase.DatabaseFiles.List.Key Adult
TrainDatabase.DatabaseFiles.List.Key Iris
TrainDatabase.DatabaseFiles.DataTableName
                                                                    TrainDatabase.DatabaseFiles.DataTableName
       C:\Users\Public\khiops_data\samples\lris\lris.txt
                                                                           C:\Users\Public\khiops_data\samples\Adult\Adult.txt
                                                                    TrainDatabase.SampleNumberPercentage 80 // Sample percentage
TrainDatabase.SampleNumberPercentage 80 // Sample percentage
AnalysisSpec.TargetAttributeName Class // Target variable
                                                                    AnalysisSpec.TargetAttributeName class // Target variable
                                                                    AnalysisSpec.MainTargetModality more
AnalysisSpec.MainTargetModality Iris-setosa
                                                // Main target value
                                                                                                               // Main target value
ComputeStats
                        // Train model
                                                                    ComputeStats
                                                                                             // Train model
                   // Close
                                                                    Exit
                                                                                       // Close
Exit
// <- Khiops
                                                                    // <- Khiops
// -> Khiops
                                                                    // -> Khiops
                    // Yes
                                                                    OK
                                                                                        // Yes
OK
// <- Khiops
                                                                    // <- Khiops
```

- You can replace any element of a scenario with the
 (' -r ') option
 - khiops –i my_scenario._kh –r to_replace:new

- To run analysis with 90% of instances in train instead of 80%
 - khiops –i my_scenario._kh –r 80:90

We can easily make the scenario more generic

```
// -> Khiops
ClassManagement.OpenFile
                             // Open...
// -> Open
ClassFileName $DICTIONARY_FILE$
                                     // Dictionary file
OK
                  // Open
// <- Open
TrainDatabase.DatabaseFiles.List.Key $DICTIONARY NAME$
TrainDatabase.DatabaseFiles.DataTableName $DATA$
TrainDatabase.SampleNumberPercentage $TRAIN PERCENTAGE$
AnalysisSpec.TargetAttributeName $TARGET_NAME$
AnalysisSpec.MainTargetModality $TARGET_MODALITY$
                       // Analyse database
ComputeStats
Exit
                  // Close
// <- Khiops
// -> Khiops
OK
                  // Close
// <- Khiops
```

- Beware of ambiguities:
 - replace DATA
 - replace DATA_PATH
- Recommendations:
 - \$DATA\$
 - \$DATA_PATH\$

Tips and tricks

- A scenario is automatically generated by khiops in the directory C:\Users\<username>\khiops_data\lastrun
- You don't know the syntax and you want to add features to your scenario?
 - Just click on the khiops buttons and open the scenario in the lastrun directory
- Use the ((-b)) option in conjunction with ((-i)) and ((-r)) to replay scenarios silently (without a user interface)
- Use the « -e <file> » to store the results logs in a file

Integration with other programming languages

- If you need to start a Khiops process from your favorite programing language: C++, Java, Java script, MATLAB, R...
 - Record a scenario using Khiops application
 - Make the scenario more generic
 - Prepare a Khiops command line with options -i, -r, -b, -e
 - Call Khiops with this command line and the generic scenario from your favorite language
 - Example
 - C++: system(command)
 - Java: Process process = Runtime.getRuntime().exec(command);
 - ...

Note on backwards compatibility

- Khiops scenario are not backwards compatible
- In the event of a new version of Khiops
 - Simply re-register a scenario and make it generic
 - Reuse the same integration process by just updating the scenario files