# **FNFTpy Documentation**

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#### **CHAPTER**

### ONE

## **MODULE OVERVIEW**

This file is part of FNFTpy. FNFTpy provides wrapper functions to interact with FNFT, a library for the numerical computation of nonlinear Fourier transforms.

For FNFTpy to work, a copy of FNFT has to be installed. For general information, source files and installation of FNFT, visit FNFT's github page: https://github.com/FastNFT

For information about setup and usage of FNFTpy see README.md or documentation.

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#### **KORTEWEG-DE-FRIES EQUATION**

### 2.1 kdvv - calculate the Nonlinear Fourier Transform

```
FNFTpy.fnft_kdvv_wrapper.kdvv(u, tvec, M=128, Xi1=-2, Xi2=2, dis=None)
```

Calculate the Nonlinear Fourier Transform for the Korteweg-de Vries equation with vanishing boundaries.

This function is intended to be 'convenient', which means it automatically calculates some variables needed to call the C-library and uses some default options. Own options can be set by passing optional arguments (see below).

Currently, only the contiuous spectrum is calculated.

It converts all Python input into the C equivalent and returns the result from FNFT. If a more C-like interface is desired, the function 'kdvv\_wrapper' can be used (see documentation there).

#### Arguments:

```
u: numpy array holding the samples of the field to be analyzed
```

tvec: time vector

M: number of samples for the continuous spectrum to calculate,

#### Optional arguments:

```
Xi1, Xi2 : min and max frequency for the continuous spectrum, default = [-2,2]
```

dis: determines the discretization, default = 17

```
0 = 2split1a 1 = 2split1b 2 = 2split2a 3 = 2split2b 4 = 2split2s 5 = 2split3a 6 = 2split3b 7 = 2split3s 8 = 2split4a 9 = 2split4b 10 = 2split5a 11 = 2split5b 12 = 2split6a 13 = 2split6b 14 = 2split7a 15 = 2split7b 16 = 2split8a 17 = 2split8b
```

#### Returns:

rdict: dictionary holding the fields:

return\_value : return value from FNFT

cont: continuous spectrum

## 2.2 kdvv\_wrapper - interact with FNFT library

```
\texttt{FNFTpy.fnft\_kdvv\_wrapper.kdvv\_wrapper} \ (D, u, T1, T2, M, Xi1, Xi2, K, options)
```

Calculate the Nonlinear Fourier Transform for the Korteweg-de Vries equation with vanishing boundaries.

This function's interface mimics the behavior of the function 'fnft\_kdvv' of FNFT. It converts all Python input into the C equivalent and returns the result from FNFT. If a more simplified version is desired, 'kdvv' can be used (see documentation there).

Currently, only the contiuous spectrum is calculated.

Arguments:

```
D: number of samples
```

u: numpy array holding the samples of the field to be analyzed

T1, T2: time positions of the first and the last sample

M: number of values for the continuous spectrum to calculate

Xi1, Xi2: min and max frequency for the continuous spectrum

K: maximum number of bound states to calculate (no effect yet)

options : options for kdvv as KdvvOptionsStruct. Can be generated e.g. with 'get\_kdvv\_options()'

#### Returns:

rdict: dictionary holding the fields:

return\_value : return value from FNFT

cont: continuous spectrum

## 2.3 get, set and view options for kdvv\_wrapper

```
{\tt FNFTpy.options\_handling.fnft\_kdvv\_default\_opts\_wrapper()}
```

Get the default options for kdvv directly from the FNFT C-library.

#### Returns:

options: KdvvOptionsStruct with options for kdvv\_wrapper

FNFTpy.options\_handling.print\_kdvv\_options(opts=None)

Print options of a KdvvOptionsStruct.

When called without additional argument, the default options from FNFT are printed.

Optional arguments:

```
opts: KdvvOptionsStruct, e.g. created by get_kdvv_options()
```

```
FNFTpy.options_handling.get_kdvv_options(dis=None)
```

Get an KdvvOptionsStruct struct for use with kdvv\_wrapper.

When called without additional optional arguments, the default values from FNFT are used.

Optional arguments:

```
dis: discretization, default = 17
```

```
0 = 2split1a 1 = 2split1b 2 = 2split2a 3 = 2split2b 4 = 2split2s 5 = 2split3a 6 = 2split3b 7 = 2split3s 8 = 2split4a 9 = 2split4b 10 = 2split5a 11 = 2split5b 12 = 2split6a 13 = 2split6b 14 = 2split7a 15 = 2split7b 16 = 2split8b
```

#### Returns:

options: KdvvOptionsStruct

## 2.4 options structure

```
class FNFTpy.typesdef.KdvvOptionsStruct
```

Ctypes options struct for interfacing fnft\_kdvv.

Fields:

discretization

# NONLINEAR SCHROEDINGER EQUATION WITH PERIODIC BOUNDARIES

## 3.1 nsep - calculate the Nonlinear Fourier Transform

```
FNFTpy.fnft_nsep_wrapper.nsep(q, T1, T2, kappa=1, loc=None, filt=None, bb=None, maxev=None, dis=None, nf=None)
```

Calculate the Nonlinear Fourier Transform for the Nonlinear Schroedinger equation with periodic boundaries.

This function is intended to be 'convenient', which means it automatically calculates some variables needed to call the C-library and uses some default options. Own options can be set by passing optional arguments (see below). Options can be set by passing optional arguments (see below).

It converts all Python input into the C equivalent and returns the result from FNFT. If a more C-like interface is desired, the function 'nsep\_wrapper' can be used (see documentation there).

#### Arguments:

q: numpy array holding the samples of the input field

T1, T2: time positions of the first and the (D+1) sample, where D is the number of samples

#### Optional arguments:

```
kappa: +/- 1 for focusing/defocussing nonlinearity, default = 1
```

loc: localization method for the spectrum, default = 2

0=subsample and refine 1=gridsearch 2=mixed

filt: filtering of spectrum, default = 2

0=none 1=manual 2=auto

bb: bounding box used for manual filtering, default = [-inf, inf, -inf, inf]

maxev: maximum number of evaluations for root refinement, default = 20

nf : normalization flag default = 1

0=off 1=on

dis: discretization, default = 2

0=2split2modal 1=2split2a 2=2split4a 3=2split4b 4=BO

#### Returns:

rdict: dictionary holding the fields (depending on options)

return\_value : return value from FNFT

K: number of points in the main spectrum

main: main spectrum

M: number of points in the auxiliary spectrum

aux: auxiliary spectrum

## 3.2 nsep\_wrapper - interact with FNFT library

```
FNFTpy.fnft_nsep_wrapper.nsep_wrapper(D, q, T1, T2, kappa, options)
```

Calculate the Nonlinear Fourier Transform for the Nonlinear Schroedinger equation with periodic boundaries.

This function's interface mimics the behavior of the function 'fnft\_nsep' of FNFT. It converts all Python input into the C equivalent and returns the result from FNFT. If a more simplified version is desired, 'nsep' can be used (see documentation there).

#### Arguments:

D : number of sample points

q: numpy array holding the samples of the input field

T1, T2: time positions of the first and the (D+1) sample

kappa: +/- 1 for focussing/defocussing nonlinearity

options : options for nsep as NsepOptionsStruct. Can be generated e.g. with 'get\_nsep\_options()'

#### Returns:

rdict: dictionary holding the fields (depending on options)

return\_value : return value from FNFT

K: number of points in the main spectrum

main: main spectrum

M: number of points in the auxiliary spectrum

aux: auxiliary spectrum

## 3.3 get, set and view options for nsep\_wrapper

```
FNFTpy.options_handling.fnft_nsep_default_opts_wrapper()
```

Get the default options for nsep directly from the FNFT C-library.

#### Returns:

```
options: NsepOptionsStruct for nsep_wrapper
```

```
FNFTpy.options_handling.print_nsep_options(opts=None)
```

Print options of a NsepOptionsStruct.

When called without additional arguments, the default options from FNFT are printed.

#### Optional arguments:

```
opts: NsepOptionsStruc, e.g. created by get_nsep_options
```

```
FNFTpy.options_handling.get_nsep_options(loc=None, filt=None, bb=None, maxev=None, dis=None, nf=None)
```

Get a NsepOptionsStruct struct for use with nsep\_wrapper.

When called without additional optional argument, the default values from FNFT are used.

#### Optional arguments:

loc: localization of spectrum, default = 2

```
0=subsample and refine 1=gridsearch 2=mixed

filt: filtering of spectrum, default = 2

0=none 1=manual 2=auto

bb: bounding box used for manual filtering, default = [-inf, inf, -inf, inf]

maxev: maximum number of evaluations for root refinement, default = 20

nf: normalization flag, default = 1

0=off 1=on

dis: discretization, default = 1

0=2split2modal 1=2split2a 2=2split4a 3=2split4b 4=BO

Returns:

options: NsepOptionsStruct
```

## 3.4 options structure

```
class FNFTpy.typesdef.NsepOptionsStruct
    Ctypes options struct for interfacing fnft_nsep.
Fields:
    localization
    filtering
    bounding_box
    max_evals
    discretization
    normalization_flag
```



# NONLINEAR SCHROEDINGER EQUATION WITH VANISHING BOUNDARIES

#### 4.1 nsev - calculate the Inverse Nonlinear Fourier Transform

```
FNFTpy.fnft_nsev_wrapper.nsev(q, tvec, Xi1=-2, Xi2=2, M=128, K=128, kappa=1, bsf=None, bsl=None, niter=None, Dsub=None, dst=None, cst=None, nf=None, dis=None)
```

Calculate the Nonlinear Fourier Transform for the Nonlinear Schroedinger equation with vanishing boundaries.

This function is intended to be 'convenient', which means it automatically calculates some variables needed to call the C-library and uses some default options. Own options can be set by passing optional arguments (see below). Options can be set by passing optional arguments (see below).

It converts all Python input into the C equivalent and returns the result from FNFT. If a more C-like interface is desired, the function 'nsev\_wrapper' can be used (see documentation there).

#### Arguments:

```
q: numpy array holding the samples of the input field
```

tvec: time vector

#### Optional arguments:

```
Xi1, Xi2: min and max frequency for the continuous spectrum. default = -2,2
```

M: number of values for the continuous spectrum to calculate default = 128

K: maximum number of bound states to calculatem default = 128

kappa: +/- 1 for focussing/defocussing nonlinearity, default = 1

bsf: bound state filtering, default =2

0=none 1=basic 2=full

bsl: bound state localization, default = 0

0=fast eigenvalue 1=Newton 2=subsample and refine

niter: number of iterations for Newton bound state localization, default = 10

Dsub: number of samples used for 'subsampling and refine'-method, default = 0 (auto)

dst: type of discrete spectrum, default = 2

0=norming constants 1=residues 2=both

cst: type of continuous spectrum, default = 0

0=reflection coefficient 1=a and b 2=both

dis: discretization, default = 3

0=2split2modal 1=2split2a 2=2split4a 3=2split4b 4=BO

```
nf: normalization flag, default = 1
0=off 1=on

Returns:

rdict: dictionary holding the fields (depending on options)

return_value: return value from FNFT

bound_states_num: number of bound states found

bound_states: array of bound states found

disc_norm: discrete spectrum - norming constants

disc_res: discrete spectrum - residues

cont_ref: continuous spectrum - reflection coefficient

cont_a: continuous spectrum - scattering coefficient a
```

## 4.2 nsev\_wrapper - interact with FNFT library

cont\_b : continuous spectrum - scattering coefficient b

```
FNFTpy.fnft_nsev_wrapper.nsev_wrapper(D, q, T1, T2, Xi1, Xi2, M, K, kappa, options)

Calculate the Nonlinear Fourier Transform for the Nonlinear Schroedinger equation with vanishing boundaries.
```

This function's interface mimics the behavior of the function 'fnft\_nsev' of FNFT. It converts all Python input into the C equivalent and returns the result from FNFT. If a more simplified version is desired, 'nsev' can be used (see documentation there).

#### Arguments:

```
D: number of sample points
q: numpy array holding the samples of the field to be analyzed
T1, T2: time positions of the first and the last sample
Xi1, Xi2: min and max frequency for the continuous spectrum
M: number of values for the continuous spectrum to calculate
K: maximum number of bound states to calculate
```

kappa: +/- 1 for focussing/defocussing nonlinearity

options: options for nsev as NsevOptionsStruct

#### Returns:

```
rdict: dictionary holding the fields (depending on options)
return_value: return value from FNFT
bound_states_num: number of bound states found
bound_states: array of bound states found
disc_norm: discrete spectrum - norming constants
disc_res: discrete spectrum - residues
cont_ref: continuous spectrum - reflection coefficient
cont_a: continuous spectrum - scattering coefficient a
cont_b: continuous spectrum - scattering coefficient b
```

## 4.3 get, set and view options for nsev\_wrapper

```
FNFTpy.options_handling.fnft_nsev_default_opts_wrapper()
     Get the default options for nsev directly from the FNFT C-library.
     Returns:
          options: NsevOptionsStruct with options for nsev_wrapper
FNFTpy.options_handling.print_nsev_options(opts=None)
     Print options of a NsevOptionsStruct.
     When called without additional argument, the default options from FNFT are printed.
     Optional arguments:
          opts: NsevOptionsStruct, e.g. created by get_nsev_options()
FNFTpy.options_handling.get_nsev_options(bsf=None,
                                                                       bsl=None,
                                                                                      niter=None,
                                                        Dsub=None, dst=None, cst=None, nf=None,
                                                        dis=None)
     Get a NsevOptionsStruct for use with nsev wrapper.
          When called without additional optional arguments, the default values from FNFT are used.
     Optional arguments:
          bsf: bound state filtering, default = 2
               0=none 1=basic 2=full
          bsl: bound state localization, default = 2
               0=fast eigenvalue 1=Newton 2=subsample and refine
          niter: number of iterations for Newton bound state location, default = 10
          Dsub: number of samples used for 'subsampling and refine'-method, default = 0 (auto)
          dst: type of discrete spectrum, default = 0
               0=norming constants 1=residues 2=both
          cst: type of continuous spectrum, default = 0
               0=reflection coefficient 1=a and b 2=both
          dis: discretization, default = 3
               0=2split2modal 1=2split2a 2=2split4a 3=2split4b 4=BO
          nf : normalization flag, default = 1
               0=off 1=on
     Returns:
          options: NsevOptionsStruct
4.4 options structure
class FNFTpy.typesdef.NsevOptionsStruct
     Ctypes options struct for interfacing fnft_nsev.
```

### bound\_state\_filtering

bound\_state\_localization

Dsub

Fields:

niter

discspec\_type

contspec\_type

normalization\_flag

discretization

# NONLINEAR SCHROEDINGER EQUATION WITH VANISHING BOUNDARIES - INVERSE NONLINEAR FOURIER TRANSFORM

## 5.1 nsev inverse wrapper - interact with FNFT library

```
FNFTpy.fnft_nsev_inverse_wrapper.nsev_inverse_wrapper(M, contspec, Xi1, Xi2, K, bound_states, norm-const_or_residues, D, T1, T2, kappa, options)
```

Calculate the Inverse Nonlinear Fourier Transform for the Nonlinear Schroedinger equation with vanishing boundaries.

This function's interface mimics the behavior of the function 'fnft\_nsev\_inverse' of FNFT. It converts all Python input into the C equivalent and returns the result from FNFT. If a more simplified version is desired, 'nsev\_inverse' can be used (see documentation there).

#### Arguments:

```
M: number of sample points for continuous spectrum
```

contspec: numpy array holding the samples of the continuous spectrum

Xi1, Xi2: frequencies defining the frequency range (cont spectrum)

K: number of bound states (currently no effect)

bound\_states: bound states (currently no effect)

normconst or residues: bound state spectral coefficients (currently no effect)

D: number of samples for the output field

T1, T2: borders of the desired time window

kappa: +1/-1 for focussing / defocussing NSE

options: options for nsev\_inverse as NsevInverseOptionsStruct

#### Returns:

rdict: dictionary holding the fields (depending on options)

return\_value : return value from FNFT

q: time field resulting from inverse transform

options: options for nsev\_inverse as NsevInverseOptionsStruct

## 5.2 get, set and view options for nsev\_inverse\_wrapper

FNFTpy.options\_handling.fnft\_nsev\_inverse\_default\_opts\_wrapper() Get the default options for nsev\_inverse directly from the FNFT C-library.

oversampling\_factor

```
Returns:
          options: NsevInverseOptionsStruct with options for nsev_inverse_wrapper
FNFTpy.options_handling.print_nsev_inverse_options(opts=None)
     Print options of a NsevInverseOptionsStruct for nsev_inverse.
     When called without additional argument, the default options from FNFT are printed.
     Optional arguments:
          opts: NsevInverseOptionsStruct, e.g. created by get_nsev_options()
FNFTpy.options_handling.get_nsev_inverse_options (dis=None,
                                                                                        cst=None,
                                                                                  max_iter=None,
                                                                   csim=None,
                                                                   osf=None)
     Get a NsevInverseOptionsStruct for use with nsev_inverse_wrapper.
           When called without additional optional arguments, the default values from FNFT are used.
     Optional arguments:
          dis: discretization, default = 3
               0=2split2modal 1=2split2a 2=2split4a 3=2split4b 4=BO
          cst: type of continuous spectrum, default = 0
               0=Reflection coefficient 1=B of tau
          csim: inversion method for the continuous part, default = 0
               0=default 1=Transfermatrix with reflection coefficients 2=Transfermatrix with a,b from
               iteration
          max_iter: maximum number of iterations for iterative methods, default = 100
          osf: oversampling factor
     Returns:
          options: NsevInverseOptionsStruct
5.3 options structure
class FNFTpy.typesdef.NsevInverseOptionsStruct
     Ctypes options struct for interfacing fnft_nsev_inverse.
     Fields:
          discretization
          contspec_type
          contspec_inversion_method
          max_iter
```

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## SIX

## **EXAMPLE FUNCTIONS**

```
FNFTpy.tests.print_default_options()
    Print the default options for kdvv, nsep and nsev.
FNFTpy.tests.kdvvexample()
    Mimics the C example for calling fnft_kdvv.
FNFTpy.tests.nsepexample()
    Mimics the C example for calling fnft_nsep.
FNFTpy.tests.nsevexample()
    Mimics the C example for calling fnft_nsev.
FNFTpy.tests.nsevinversetest()
    Mimics the C example for calling fnft_nsev_inverse.
```

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