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1  #simple_genetic_algorithm.py
2
3  from typing import List
4  import random
5  from functions import general_decoder
6  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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8  LENGTH_OF_DECIMAL=4
9
10 def initialize(pop_size: int, alnum_set: List[str], var_string_length) -> List[str]:
11     """
12     Generates pop_size of random strings with characters of their alphanumeric
13     character set.
14
15     Args:
16         pop_size (int): Number of strings to be generated
17         alnum_set (List[str]): Valid characters to generate random string from
18         var_string_length (int): Number of characters expected to be in each string
19     Returns:
20         (List[str]): List of pop_size random strings made with characters of their
21         alphanumeric
22         character set
23     """
24
25     return ["".join(random.choices(alnum_set, k=var_string_length)) for _ in
26             range(pop_size)]
27
28 def perform_reproduction(population, inverse_fitness_func) -> List:
29     """
30     Takes in a population of strings and probabilistically candidates for mating based
31     on the
32     relative fitness of each string (i.e. the more fit members of the population will
33     be picked more often
34     and will therefore make up a bigger portion of the mating pool).
35
36     Args:
37         population (List[str]): List of strings that make up the mating pool
38         inverse_fitness_func (<function>): Benchmark function with known global minima;
39         returned values
40
41         closer to zero mean the given arguments are
42         closer to optimum
43
44     Args:
45         (str): Alphanumeric string representing number
46         system value(s)
47     Returns:
48         (float): floating point value between 0 to 1;
49         results closer to zero
50         are closer to optimization
51
52     Returns:
53         (List[str]): List of strings that make up the new mating pool generation
54     """
55
56     #compile a list of floating point values, numbers closer to 0 have a higher fitness
57     inverse_fitnesses = [inverse_fitness_func(s) for s in population]
58     min_inv_fit = min(inverse_fitnesses)
59     max_inv_fit = max(inverse_fitnesses)
60
61     #compile a list of inverse fitness values that are normalized to [0,1] with regard
62     to
63     #the range of the population's fitness measures, numbers closer to 0 have a higher
64     fitness
65     inverse_fitnesses = [(X-min_inv_fit)/(max_inv_fit-min_inv_fit+1) for X in
66                         inverse_fitnesses] #adding 1 to avoid division by zero
67
68     #invert list of normalized inverse fitness values so that numbers closer to 1 have
69     a higher fitness

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55     fitnesses = [1 / ((s)+1) for s in inverse_fitnesses]
56
57     #sum up all found fitness measures
58     total_fitness = sum(fitnesses)
59
60     #compile a list of each fitness measure's proportion to the sum of all found
    fitness measures
61     #of the mating pool; to be used as a probability that the condidate will mate
62     probabilities_of_reproduction = [fit / total_fitness for fit in fitnesses]
63
64     #create list of randomly chosen strings that are weight biased
65     return random.choices(population=population, weights=probabilities_of_reproduction,
    k=len(population))
66
67
68 def perform_mating(population):
69     """
70     Takes a list of strings, returns a list of strings after potential mating operations.
71
72     Args:
73         population (List[str]): List of strings that make up the mating pool
74     Returns:
75         (List[str]): List of strings that make up the now potentially modified mating
        pool
76     """
77
78     new_pop = []
79
80     while (len(population) > 0):
81         s1 = population.pop(random.randint(0, len(population) - 1))
82         s2 = population.pop(random.randint(0, len(population) - 1))
83
84         s1p, s2p = crossover_pair(s1, s2)
85         new_pop.append(s1p)
86         new_pop.append(s2p)
87
88     return new_pop
89
90
91 def crossover_pair(s1, s2):
92     """
93     Takes two strings for crossover, randomly determines a crossover point
94     between 1 and len(s1)-1 then performs crossover of character data at crossover point.
95     Assumes len(s1) = len(s2)
96
97     Args:
98         s1 (str): string for mating crossover
99         s2 (str): string for mating crossover
100
101     Returns:
102         s1p (str): string from mating crossover
103         s2p (str): string from mating crossover
104     """
105     crossover_point = random.randint(1, len(s1) - 2)
106     s1p = s1[:crossover_point] + s2[crossover_point:]
107     s2p = s2[:crossover_point] + s1[crossover_point:]
108
109     return (s1p, s2p)
110
111 def perform_mutations(population, probability_of_mutation, alnum_set):
112     """
113     Takes a list of strings, returns a list of strings after potential mutation
    operation.
114
115     Args:
116         population (List[str]): List of strings that make up the mating pool
117         probability_of_mutation (float): decimal number between 0 and 1 that represents

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118         the liklihood
119                                     that a character will mutate into another
120                                     character from
121                                     its alphanumeric character set
122     alnum_set (List[str]): Valid alphanumeric characters to genrate number-system
123     value-strings from
124 Returns:
125     (List[str]): List of strings that make up a potentially mutated mating pool
126     """
127
128     return [attempt_mutation(s, probability_of_mutation, alnum_set) for s in population]
129
130 def attempt_mutation(s, probability_of_mutation, alnum_set):
131     """
132     Takes a string and probabilisticly performs character mutation
133
134     Args:
135         s (str): string to mutate
136         probability_of_mutation (float): decimal number between 0 and 1 that represents
137         the liklihood
138                                     that a character will mutate into another
139                                     character from
140                                     its alphanumeric character set
141         alnum_set (List[str]): Valid alphanumeric characters to genrate number-system
142         value-strings from
143 Returns:
144     None
145     """
146
147     #bit flipping
148     #on average, method 2 seems to outperform method 1
149
150     # #method 1
151     # #choose one bit randomly if random chance falls into the probability that the
152     # string should mutate
153     # if random.random() < probability_of_mutation:
154     #     bit_to_flip = random.randint(0, len(s) - 1)
155     #     s = list(s)
156     #     s[bit_to_flip] = random.choice(alnum_set)
157     #     return "".join(s)
158     # else:
159     #     return s
160
161     #method 2
162     #bit by bit, perform mutation if random chance falls into the probability that the
163     #bit should mutate
164     for i in range(len(s)):
165         if random.random() < probability_of_mutation:
166             s = s[:i] + str(alnum_set[random.randint(0, len(alnum_set)-1)]) + s[i +
167             1:]
168     return s
169
170 # program starts here:
171 #
172 -----
173
174 def SGA(test_function, pop_size, alnum_set, var_string_length, variable_length,
175 domain_min, domain_max,
176 number_of_generations, probability_of_mutation):
177     """
178     Simple Genetic Algorithm that finds global minima of test functions through
179     generational mating,
180     reproduction and bit mutations while printing out each generation's performance
181     results.

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171 Args:
172     test_function (<function>): Benchmark function that has known optimum values
    (global min)
173     pop_size (int): the number of strings to create for population
174     alnum_set (List[str]): Valid alphanumeric characters to generate number system
    value-strings from
175     var_string_length (int): character length of string that contains one or more
    number system value-string string variables
176     variable_length (int): character length of one number system value-string
    variable
177     domain_min (Union[float,int]): min value of operational domain
178     domain_max (Union[float,int]): max value of operational domain
179     number_of_generations (int): number of times to mate / mutate the population in
    the attempt to hone in
180                                     on the optimal input values for the given
    test_function
181     probability_of_mutation (float): decimal number between 0 and 1 that represents
    the likelihood
182                                     that a character will mutate into another
    character from
183                                     its alphanumeric character set
184 Prints:
185     table: generational performances, avoiding repeat max performance levels
    between contiguous generations
186 """
187
188 #initialize a random population of pop_size values to be the starting point for
    optimization attempt
189 #returns string with (var_string_length * pop_size) number of characters
190 population = initialize(pop_size, alnum_set, var_string_length)
191
192 #small anonymous function used to find fitness measures of a member of a mating
    pool population,
193 #determined by the given benchmark test function
194 inverse_fitness = lambda string: test_function(*general_decoder(string,
    variable_length, domain_min, domain_max, len(alnum_set)))
195
196
197 #print performance of population
198 #header
199 print("\nTested population size: ", pop_size, " Number of generations: ",
    number_of_generations)
200 pad = str((4 + LENGTH_OF_DECIMAL) * int(var_string_length / variable_length))
201 print(("n{:<16s}{:<}" + pad + "s)\t {:<}").format("Generation", "Strongest
    Candidate", "Fitness"))
202 print("="*80)
203
204 #print off generational performances, avoiding repeat performance levels between
    contiguous generations
205 last_fit_individual = fittest_individual = [] #coordinate values
206 last_max_fit = 0 #fitness value
207 new_fit = True #is the found fitness value different than the last
208 max_fitness_list = [] #list of all found fitness values to be used for a graph
209 global_max_found = (0, [], 0) #to record the overall best found fitness measure
    form all generations
210 first_gen_repeat = last_gen_repeat = 0 #to keep track of how many generations have
    had repeated max_fitness measures
211
212 for i in range(number_of_generations):
213
214     #create new generation of population
215     population = perform_reproduction(population, inverse_fitness)
216     population = perform_mating(population)
217     population = perform_mutations(population, probability_of_mutation, alnum_set)
218
219     #determine the max fitness measure of this generation
220     max_fitness = max(1/(inverse_fitness(m)+1) for m in population)

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221     max_fitness_list.append(max_fitness)
222
223     #determine the string variable values that have max_fitness of this generation
224     for m in population:
225         if 1/(inverse_fitness(m)+1) == max_fitness:
226             fittest_individual = general_decoder(m, variable_length, domain_min,
227                 domain_max, len(alnum_set))
228
229     #case: if this generation is the last, or it is more fit than its predecessor
230     if (i == number_of_generations - 1) or not (fittest_individual ==
231         last_fit_individual):
232         #case: if is the new fittest member after repeated max performance
233         if (first_gen_repeat != last_gen_repeat) and (last_gen_repeat -
234             first_gen_repeat > 1) :
235             print("\n\tFor generation {} to {}, the max fitness level was
236                 {:.{}+str(LENGTH_OF_DECIMAL)+}f}.\n").format(first_gen_repeat,
237                     last_gen_repeat, last_max_fit))
238
239             #print generation's performance results
240             print("{:<16d}[{:<{} + pad + "s"]\t {:>}]".format(i, " ".join([("{:." +
241                 str(LENGTH_OF_DECIMAL) + "f},").format(x) for x in fittest_individual]),
242                 max_fitness))
243
244             last_fit_individual = fittest_individual
245             last_max_fit = max_fitness
246
247             #record the overall best found fitness measure form all generations
248             if max_fitness > global_max_found[2]:
249                 global_max_found = ("Gen: " + str(i), fittest_individual, max_fitness)
250
251             first_gen_repeat = last_gen_repeat = i
252             new_fit = True
253
254             #case: first repeat of same fittest member between generations
255             elif last_fit_individual == fittest_individual:
256                 new_fit = False
257                 last_gen_repeat = i
258
259     print("="*80)
260     print("Highest fitness acheived by:\n", global_max_found)
261     print("="*80)
262     print("")
263     plt.plot(max_fitness_list)
264     plt.show()

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