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**Algorithm 1** ADAPTIVE-QUADRATURE

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Input: A list  $xs$  and tolerance  $\tau \geq 0$ 
 $N \leftarrow \text{length}(xs)$ .
if  $N > 2$  then
     $Q \leftarrow N \cdot (xs[0] + xs[-1])/2$ .
else
    return  $\text{sum}(xs)$ .
end if
 $\varepsilon \leftarrow |Q - \text{sum}(xs)|$ 
if  $\varepsilon \geq \tau$  then
     $c \leftarrow \lfloor N/2 \rfloor$ .
     $Q \leftarrow \text{ADAPTIVE-QUADRATURE}(xs[:c], \tau/2) + \text{ADAPTIVE-QUADRATURE}(xs[c:], \tau/2)$ 
end if
return  $Q$ .

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# Formatting Instructions for RLC Submissions

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## Abstract

Hello

## 1 Introduction

In reinforcement learning, ...

## 2 Problem Setting

There are multiple ways to look and define this problem.

## 3 Algorithm

**Proposition 3.1.** *Given tolerance  $\tau > 0$  and a real-valued list  $xs$  of size  $N$ , Algorithm 1 returns an approximate sum  $Q$  that satisfies  $|Q - \text{sum}(xs)| \leq \tau$ .*

*Proof.* This proof will follow by induction. Assume that  $N < 3$ . Then Algorithm 1 returns  $Q = \text{sum}(xs)$ . Therefore  $|Q - \text{sum}(xs)| = |\text{sum}(xs) - \text{sum}(xs)| = 0 \leq \tau$  for all  $\tau \geq 0$ .

Now assume that for a fixed  $N > 2$  and  $\tau \geq 0$  it holds that  $|Q - \text{sum}(xs)| \leq \tau$ . □

## References

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## A Experimental Details