Model assisted (1+1)ES

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1 Algorithms

1.1 Algorithm 1

Normal (1+1) ES

```
1: N \leftarrow 400
 2: function FIT(x)
         y \leftarrow \Sigma_{i < N} (x_i - 1)^2
         return(y)
 5: end function
 6: function DIST(x)
         y \leftarrow \sqrt{\Sigma_{i < N}(x_i - 1)^2}
         return(y)
9: end function
10: Initialize(ind, \sigma^*, prate^* \leftarrow 0)
11: for i \leq MAXGen do
         \sigma \leftarrow \frac{\sigma^**||ind-y||)}{\mathbf{x}^{\mathsf{T}}}
13:
         ind2 \leftarrow ind^N + \sigma * N(0, I)
         newfit \leftarrow FIT(ind2)
15:
         if newfit \leq bestfit then
16:
              prate^* \leftarrow prate^* + \frac{(DIST(ind) - DIST(ind2))*N}{DIST(ind)}
17:
               ind \leftarrow ind2
18:
               bestfit \leftarrow new fit
19:
          end if
21: end for
22: prate^* \leftarrow prate^*/i
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1.2 Algorithm 2

Model Assisted (1+1)ES

```
1: N \leftarrow 400
 2: function FIT(x)
          y \leftarrow \Sigma_{i < N} (x_i - 1)^2
          return(y)
 5: end function
 6: function DIST(x)
          y \leftarrow \sqrt{\Sigma_{i < N}(x_i - 1)^2}
 7:
          return(y)
 9: end function
10: initialize(ind, \sigma^*, \sigma_e^*, prate^* \leftarrow 0)
11: for i \leq MAXGen do
          i + +
12:
          ind2 \leftarrow ind
13:
          for j \leq MAXModel do
14:
               j + +
15:
               \sigma \leftarrow \frac{\sigma^* * Dist(ind)}{\sigma}
16:
               ind3 \leftarrow \overrightarrow{ind2} + \sigma * N(0, I)
17:
               \sigma_e \leftarrow \frac{2*\sigma_e^**Dist(ind)^2}{N}fit3 \leftarrow FIT(ind2) + \sigma_e * N(0, 1)
18:
19:
               if fit3 \leq bestfit then
20:
                    ind2 \leftarrow ind3
22:
                    Break
               end if
23:
          end for
24:
          newfit = FIT(ind2)
25:
          if newfit \leq bestfit then
26:
              prate^* \leftarrow prate^* + \frac{(DIST(ind) - DIST(ind2))*N}{DIST(ind2)}
27:
               ind \leftarrow ind2
28:
               bestfit \leftarrow newfit
29:
          end if
30:
31: end for
32: prate^* \leftarrow prate^*/i
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1.3 Algorithm 3

Step-size Adaptive Model Assisted (1+1)ES

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1: N \leftarrow 400
 2: function FIT(x)
          y \leftarrow \Sigma_{i < N} (x_i - 1)^2
          return(y)
 5: end function
 6: function DIST(x)
         y \leftarrow \sqrt{\Sigma_{i < N}(x_i - 1)^2}
 7:
          return(y)
 9: end function
10: initialize(ind, \sigma^*, \sigma_e^*, prate^* \leftarrow 0)
11: for i \leq MAXGen do
          i + +
12:
          ind2 \leftarrow ind
13:
          flag \leftarrow 0
14:
          for j \leq MAXModel do
15:
              j + +
16:
              \sigma \leftarrow \frac{\sigma^* * Dist(ind)}{r}
17:
              ind3 \leftarrow ind2 + \sigma * N(0, I)
18:
              \sigma_e \leftarrow \frac{2*\sigma_e^**Dist(ind)^2}{N}
19:
              fit3 \leftarrow FIT(ind2) + \sigma_e * N(0,1)
20:
              if fit3 \leq bestfit then
                   flag \leftarrow 1
22:
                   ind2 \leftarrow ind3
23:
                   Break
24:
               end if
25:
          end for
26:
          newfit = FIT(ind2)
27:
          \sigma^* \leftarrow \sigma^* * \exp^{\frac{1}{N}}(flag - 0.05)
28:
          if newfit \leq bestfit then
29:
              prate^* \leftarrow prate^* + \frac{(DIST(ind) - DIST(ind2))*N}{DIST(ind2)}
30:
               ind \leftarrow ind2
31:
32:
               bestfit \leftarrow new fit
          end if
33:
34: end for
35: prate^* \leftarrow prate^*/i
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2 Results

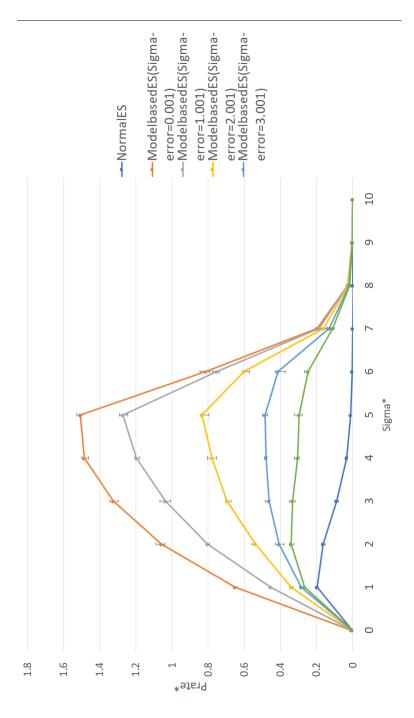


Figure 1: Normalized progress rate as a function of normalized mutation strength. Simple (1+1) ES fitness compared to Model assisted (1+1)ES, 400 Dimensions, $Y = (X-1)^2$. Each point represents the median result of 5 trails, error bars show the range of results for each point. (5 trails) (5000 original fitness generations) (500 model-generation) 4

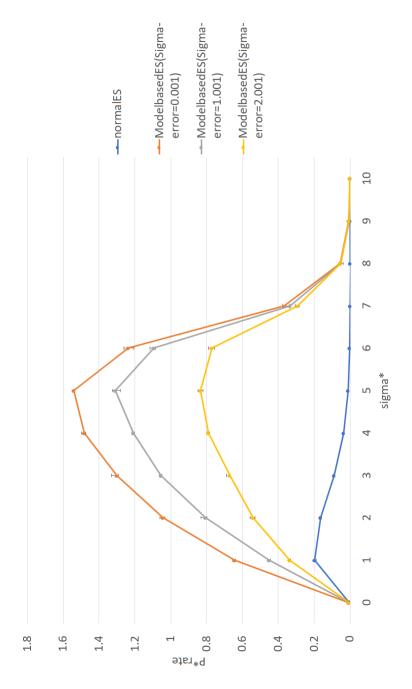


Figure 2: Normalized progress rate as a function of normalized mutation strength. Simple (1+1) ES fitness compared to Model assisted (1+1)ES, 400 Dimensions, $Y = (X-1)^2$. Each point represents the median result of 5 trails, error bars show the range of results for each point. (5 trails) (10000 original fitness generations) (1000 model-generation)

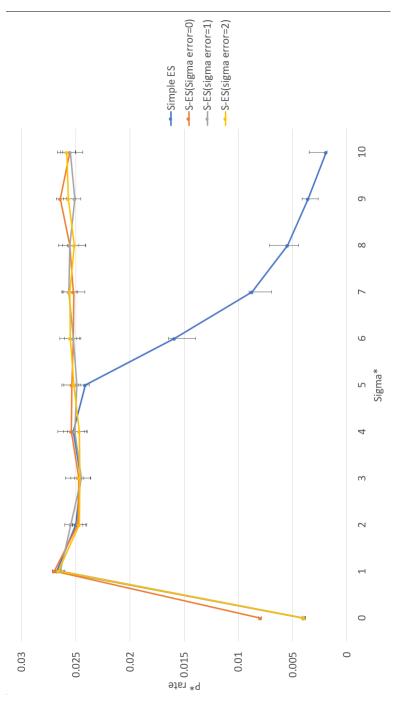


Figure 3: Normalized progress rate as a function of normalized mutation strength. Simple (1+1) ES fitness compared to Model assisted (1+1)ES, 4 Dimensions, $Y = (X-1)^2$. Each point represents the median result of 5 trails, error bars show the range of results for each point. (5 trails) (5000 original fitness generations) (1000000 model-generation)

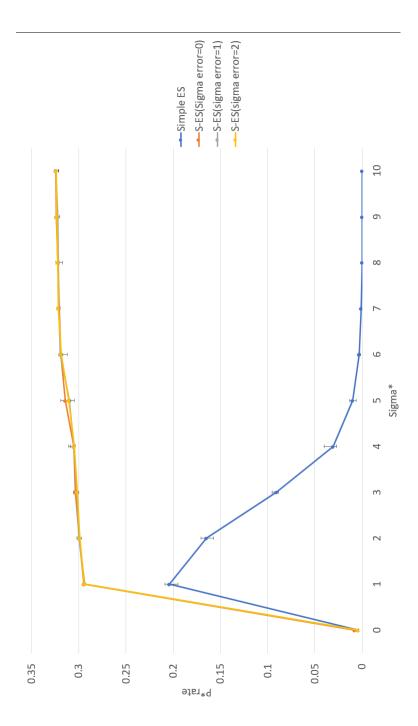


Figure 4: Normalized progress rate as a function of normalized mutation strength. Simple (1+1) ES fitness compared to Model assisted (1+1)ES, 40 Dimensions, $Y = (X-1)^2$. Each point represents the median result of 5 trails, error bars show the range of results for each point. (5 trails) (5000 original fitness generations) (1000000 model-generation)

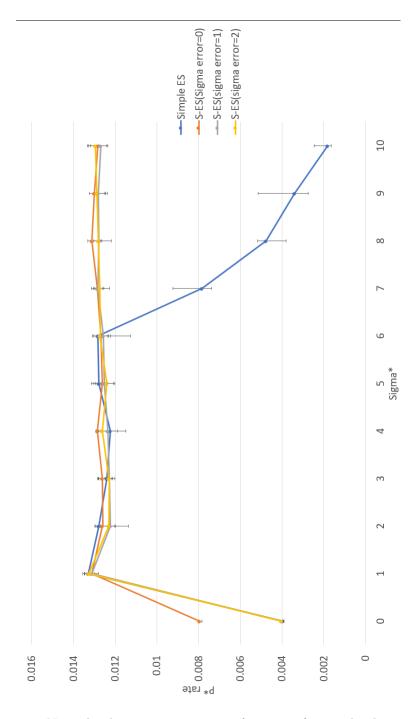


Figure 5: Normalized progress rate as a function of normalized mutation strength. Simple (1+1) ES fitness compared to Model assisted (1+1)ES, 4 Dimensions, $Y=(X-1)^2.$ Each point represents the median result of 5 trails, error bars show the range of results for each point. (5 trails) (10000 original fitness generations) (10000 model-generation) 8

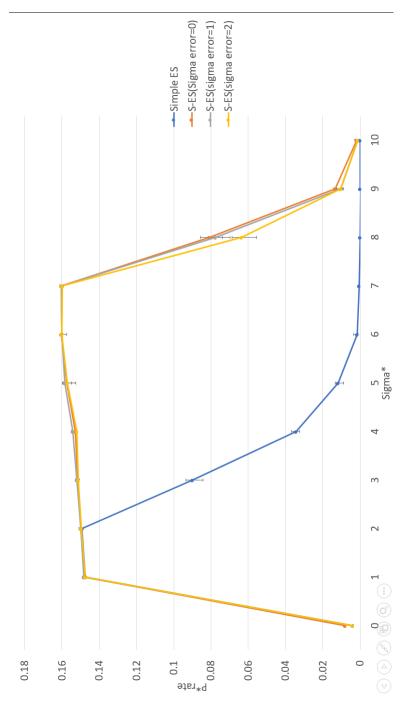


Figure 6: Normalized progress rate as a function of normalized mutation strength. Simple (1+1) ES fitness compared to Model assisted (1+1)ES, 40 Dimensions, $Y = (X-1)^2$. Each point represents the median result of 5 trails, error bars show the range of results for each point. (5 trails) (10000 original fitness generations) (10000 model-generation) 9

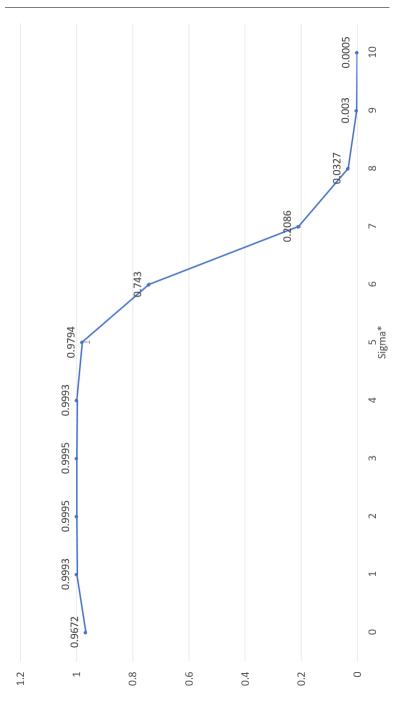


Figure 7: Number of generations that in less than 1000 model generations the algorithm finds a better model and exists the modeling loop in proportion to the 10000 original fitness generations. Model assisted (1+1)ES, 400 Dimensions, $Y = (X-1)^2$. Each point represents the median result of 5 trails, error bars show the range of results for each point. (5 trails) (10000 original fitness generations) (1000 model-generation)