## Source code for qutip.sesolve

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This module provides solvers for the unitary Schrodinger equation.
__all__ = ['sesolve']
import os
import types
from functools import partial
import numpy as np
import scipy.integrate
from scipy.linalg import norm
from qutip.qobj import Qobj, isket
from qutip.rhs_generate import rhs_generate
from qutip.solver import Result, Options, config, solver safety check
from qutip.rhs_generate import _td_format_check, _td_wrap_array_str
from qutip.interpolate import Cubic_Spline
from qutip.settings import debug
from qutip.cy.spmatfuncs import (cy expect psi, cy ode rhs,
                                cy ode psi func td,
                                cy_ode_psi_func_td_with_state)
from qutip.cy.codegen import Codegen
from qutip.ui.progressbar import BaseProgressBar
if debug:
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[docs]
def sesolve(H, rho0, tlist, e_ops=[], args={}, options=None,
            progress_bar=BaseProgressBar(),
            _safe_mode=True):
   Schrodinger equation evolution of a state vector for a given Hamiltonian.
   Evolve the state vector or density matrix (`rho0`) using a given
   Hamiltonian (`H`), by integrating the set of ordinary differential
   equations that define the system.
   The output is either the state vector at arbitrary points in time
   (`tlist`), or the expectation values of the supplied operators
   (`e_ops`). If e_ops is a callback function, it is invoked for each
   time in `tlist` with time and the state as arguments, and the function
   does not use any return values.
   Parameters
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   H : :class:`qutip.qobj`
        system Hamiltonian, or a callback function for time-dependent
       Hamiltonians.
   rho0 : :class:`qutip.qobj`
       initial density matrix or state vector (ket).
   tlist : *list* / *array*
       list of times for :math:`t`.
   e_ops : list of :class:`qutip.qobj` / callback function single
        single operator or list of operators for which to evaluate
       expectation values.
   args : *dictionary*
       dictionary of parameters for time-dependent Hamiltonians and
       collapse operators.
   options : :class:`qutip.Qdeoptions`
       with options for the ODE solver.
   Returns
   output: :class:`qutip.solver`
       An instance of the class :class:`qutip.solver`, which contains either
       an *array* of expectation values for the times specified by `tlist`, or
        an *array* or state vectors or density matrices corresponding to the
       times in `tlist` [if `e_ops` is an empty list], or
       nothing if a callback function was given inplace of operators for
       which to calculate the expectation values.
   ....
   if _safe_mode:
       _solver_safety_check(H, rho0, c_ops=[], e_ops=e_ops, args=args)
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if isinstance(e_ops, Qobj):
        e_{ops} = [e_{ops}]
    if isinstance(e_ops, dict):
        e_ops_dict = e_ops
        e_ops = [e for e in e_ops.values()]
    else:
        e_ops_dict = None
    # convert array based time-dependence to string format
    H, _, args = _td_wrap_array_str(H, [], args, tlist)
    # check for type (if any) of time-dependent inputs
    n_const, n_func, n_str = _td_format_check(H, [])
    if options is None:
        options = Options()
    if (not options.rhs_reuse) or (not config.tdfunc):
        # reset config time-dependence flags to default values
        config.reset()
    if n func > 0:
        res = _sesolve_list_func_td(H, rho0, tlist, e_ops, args, options,
                                    progress_bar)
    elif n_str > 0:
        res = _sesolve_list_str_td(H, rho0, tlist, e_ops, args, options,
                                   progress_bar)
    elif isinstance(H, (types.FunctionType,
                        types.BuiltinFunctionType,
                        partial)):
        res = _sesolve_func_td(H, rho0, tlist, e_ops, args, options,
                               progress_bar)
    else:
        res = _sesolve_const(H, rho0, tlist, e_ops, args, options,
                             progress_bar)
    if e ops dict:
        res.expect = {e: res.expect[n]
                      for n, e in enumerate(e_ops_dict.keys())}
    return res
# A time-dependent unitary wavefunction equation on the list-function format
def _sesolve_list_func_td(H list, psi0, tlist, e ops, args, opt,
                          progress_bar):
    .....
    Internal function for solving the master equation. See mesolve for usage.
    if debug:
        print(inspect.stack()[0][3])
    #
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# check initial state
    if not isket(psi0):
        raise TypeError("The unitary solver requires a ket as initial state")
    # construct liouvillian in list-function format
    L_list = []
    if not opt.rhs_with_state:
       constant_func = lambda x, y: 1.0
    else:
        constant_func = lambda x, y, z: 1.0
    # add all hamitonian terms to the lagrangian list
    for h_spec in H_list:
        if isinstance(h_spec, Qobj):
            h = h_spec
            h_coeff = constant_func
        elif isinstance(h_spec, list):
            h = h_spec[0]
            h_coeff = h_spec[1]
        else:
            raise TypeError("Incorrect specification of time-dependent " +
                            "Hamiltonian (expected callback function)")
        L_list.append([-1j * h.data, h_coeff])
    L_list_and_args = [L_list, args]
    # setup integrator
    initial_vector = psi0.full().ravel()
    if not opt.rhs_with_state:
        r = scipy.integrate.ode(psi_list_td)
    else:
        r = scipy.integrate.ode(psi_list_td_with_state)
    r.set_integrator('zvode', method=opt.method, order=opt.order,
                     atol=opt.atol, rtol=opt.rtol, nsteps=opt.nsteps,
                     first_step=opt.first_step, min_step=opt.min_step,
                     max_step=opt.max_step)
    r.set_initial_value(initial_vector, tlist[0])
    r.set_f_params(L_list_and_args)
    # call generic ODE code
    return _generic_ode_solve(r, psi0, tlist, e_ops, opt, progress_bar,
                              dims=psi0.dims)
# evaluate dpsi(t)/dt according to the master equation using the
# [Qobj, function] style time dependence API
def psi_list_td(t, psi, H_list_and_args):
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H_list = H_list_and_args[0]
    args = H_list_and_args[1]
    H = H_{list[0][0]} * H_{list[0][1](t, args)
    for n in range(1, len(H_list)):
        # args[n][0] = the sparse data for a Qobj in operator form
        # args[n][1] = function callback giving the coefficient
        H = H + H_list[n][0] * H_list[n][1](t, args)
    return H * psi
def psi_list_td_with_state(t, psi, H_list_and_args):
    H_list = H_list_and_args[0]
    args = H_list_and_args[1]
   H = H_list[0][0] * H_list[0][1](t, psi, args)
    for n in range(1, len(H_list)):
        # args[n][0] = the sparse data for a Qobj in operator form
       # args[n][1] = function callback giving the coefficient
       H = H + H_list[n][0] * H_list[n][1](t, psi, args)
    return H * psi
# Wave function evolution using a ODE solver (unitary quantum evolution) using
# a constant Hamiltonian.
def _sesolve_const(H, psi0, tlist, e_ops, args, opt, progress_bar):
    Evolve the wave function using an ODE solver
    ....
    if debug:
        print(inspect.stack()[0][3])
    if not isket(psi0):
        raise TypeError("psi0 must be a ket")
    # setup integrator.
    initial_vector = psi0.full().ravel()
    r = scipy.integrate.ode(cy_ode_rhs)
    L = -1.0j * H
    r.set_f_params(L.data.data, L.data.indices, L.data.indptr) # cython RHS
    r.set_integrator('zvode', method=opt.method, order=opt.order,
                     atol=opt.atol, rtol=opt.rtol, nsteps=opt.nsteps,
                     first_step=opt.first_step, min_step=opt.min_step,
                     max step=opt.max step)
    r.set_initial_value(initial_vector, tlist[0])
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# call generic ODE code
   return _generic_ode_solve(r, psi0, tlist, e_ops, opt,
                             progress_bar, dims=psi0.dims)
# evaluate dpsi(t)/dt [not used. using cython function is being used instead]
def _ode_psi_func(t, psi, H):
   return H * psi
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# A time-dependent disipative master equation on the list-string format for
# cython compilation
def _sesolve_list_str_td(H_list, psi0, tlist, e_ops, args, opt,
                        progress_bar):
   Internal function for solving the master equation. See mesolve for usage.
   if debug:
       print(inspect.stack()[0][3])
   # check initial state: must be a density matrix
   if not isket(psi0):
       raise TypeError("The unitary solver requires a ket as initial state")
   # construct liouvillian
   Ldata = []
   Linds = []
   Lptrs = []
   Lcoeff = []
   Lobj = []
   # loop over all hamiltonian terms, convert to superoperator form and
   # add the data of sparse matrix representation to h coeff
   for h_spec in H_list:
       if isinstance(h_spec, Qobj):
           h = h spec
           h coeff = "1.0"
       elif isinstance(h_spec, list):
           h = h \operatorname{spec}[0]
           h_coeff = h_spec[1]
       else:
           raise TypeError("Incorrect specification of time-dependent " +
                           "Hamiltonian (expected string format)")
       L = -1j * h
       Ldata.append(L.data.data)
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Linds.append(L.data.indices)
    Lptrs.append(L.data.indptr)
    if isinstance(h_coeff, Cubic_Spline):
        Lobj.append(h_coeff.coeffs)
    Lcoeff.append(h_coeff)
# the total number of liouvillian terms (hamiltonian terms +
# collapse operators)
n_L_terms = len(Ldata)
# setup ode args string: we expand the list Ldata, Linds and Lptrs into
# and explicit list of parameters
string_list = []
for k in range(n_L_terms):
    string_list.append("Ldata[%d], Linds[%d], Lptrs[%d]" % (k, k, k))
# Add object terms to end of ode args string
for k in range(len(Lobj)):
    string_list.append("Lobj[%d]" % k)
for name, value in args.items():
    if isinstance(value, np.ndarray):
        string_list.append(name)
    else:
        string_list.append(str(value))
parameter_string = ",".join(string_list)
# generate and compile new cython code if necessary
if not opt.rhs_reuse or config.tdfunc is None:
    if opt.rhs_filename is None:
        config.tdname = "rhs" + str(os.getpid()) + str(config.cgen_num)
    else:
        config.tdname = opt.rhs_filename
    cgen = Codegen(h_terms=n_L_terms, h_tdterms=Lcoeff, args=args,
                   config=config)
    cgen.generate(config.tdname + ".pyx")
    code = compile('from ' + config.tdname + ' import cy_td_ode_rhs',
                   '<string>', 'exec')
    exec(code, globals())
    config.tdfunc = cy_td_ode_rhs
# setup integrator
initial_vector = psi0.full().ravel()
r = scipy.integrate.ode(config.tdfunc)
r.set integrator('zvode', method=opt.method, order=opt.order,
                 atol=opt.atol, rtol=opt.rtol, nsteps=opt.nsteps,
                 first_step=opt.first_step, min_step=opt.min_step,
                 max_step=opt.max_step)
r.set_initial_value(initial_vector, tlist[0])
code = compile('r.set_f_params(' + parameter_string + ')',
               '<string>', 'exec')
exec(code, locals(), args)
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# call generic ODE code
    return _generic_ode_solve(r, psi0, tlist, e_ops, opt, progress_bar,
                              dims=psi0.dims)
# Wave function evolution using a ODE solver (unitary quantum evolution), for
# time dependent hamiltonians
def _sesolve_list_td(H_func, psi0, tlist, e_ops, args, opt, progress_bar):
    Evolve the wave function using an ODE solver with time-dependent
    Hamiltonian.
    if debug:
        print(inspect.stack()[0][3])
    if not isket(psi0):
        raise TypeError("psi0 must be a ket")
    # configure time-dependent terms and setup ODE solver
    if len(H_func) != 2:
        raise TypeError('Time-dependent Hamiltonian list must have two terms.')
    if (not isinstance(H_func[0], (list, np.ndarray))) or \
       (len(H_func[0]) <= 1):
        raise TypeError('Time-dependent Hamiltonians must be a list with two '
                        + 'or more terms')
    if (not isinstance(H_func[1], (list, np.ndarray))) or \
       (len(H_func[1]) != (len(H_func[0]) - 1)):
        raise TypeError('Time-dependent coefficients must be list with ' +
                        'length N-1 where N is the number of ' +
                        'Hamiltonian terms.')
    tflag = 1
    if opt.rhs reuse and config.tdfunc is None:
        print("No previous time-dependent RHS found.")
        print("Generating one for you...")
        rhs_generate(H_func, args)
    lenh = len(H_func[0])
    if opt.tidy:
        H_func[0] = [(H_func[0][k]).tidyup() for k in range(lenh)]
    # create data arrays for time-dependent RHS function
    Hdata = [-1.0j * H_func[0][k].data.data for k in range(lenh)]
    Hinds = [H_func[0][k].data.indices for k in range(lenh)]
    Hptrs = [H_func[0][k].data.indptr for k in range(lenh)]
    # setup ode args string
    string = ""
    for k in range(lenh):
        string += ("Hdata[" + str(k) + "], Hinds[" + str(k) +
                   "], Hptrs[" + str(k) + "],")
    if args:
        td_consts = args.items()
        for elem in td_consts:
            string += str(elem[1])
            if elem != td consts[-1]:
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string += (",")
   # run code generator
   if not opt.rhs_reuse or config.tdfunc is None:
       if opt.rhs_filename is None:
           config.tdname = "rhs" + str(os.getpid()) + str(config.cgen_num)
       else:
           config.tdname = opt.rhs_filename
       cgen = Codegen(h_terms=n_L_terms, h_tdterms=Lcoeff, args=args,
                      config=config)
       cgen.generate(config.tdname + ".pyx")
       code = compile('from ' + config.tdname + ' import cy_td_ode_rhs',
                      '<string>', 'exec')
       exec(code, globals())
       config.tdfunc = cy_td_ode_rhs
   # setup integrator
   initial_vector = psi0.full().ravel()
   r = scipy.integrate.ode(config.tdfunc)
   r.set_integrator('zvode', method=opt.method, order=opt.order,
                    atol=opt.atol, rtol=opt.rtol, nsteps=opt.nsteps,
                    first_step=opt.first_step, min_step=opt.min_step,
                    max_step=opt.max_step)
   r.set_initial_value(initial_vector, tlist[0])
   code = compile('r.set_f_params(' + string + ')', '<string>', 'exec')
   exec(code)
   # call generic ODE code
   return _generic_ode_solve(r, psi0, tlist, e_ops, opt, progress_bar
                           , dims=psi0.dims)
# -----
# Wave function evolution using a ODE solver (unitary quantum evolution), for
# time dependent hamiltonians
def _sesolve_func_td(H_func, psi0, tlist, e_ops, args, opt, progress_bar):
   Evolve the wave function using an ODE solver with time-dependent
   Hamiltonian.
   if debug:
       print(inspect.stack()[0][3])
   if not isket(psi0):
       raise TypeError("psi0 must be a ket")
   # setup integrator
   new args = None
   if type(args) is dict:
       new_args = {}
       for key in args:
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if isinstance(args[key], Qobj):
               new_args[key] = args[key].data
           else:
               new_args[key] = args[key]
   elif type(args) is list or type(args) is tuple:
       new_args = []
       for arg in args:
           if isinstance(arg, Qobj):
               new_args.append(arg.data)
           else:
               new_args.append(arg)
       if type(args) is tuple:
           new_args = tuple(new_args)
   else:
       if isinstance(args, Qobj):
           new_args = args.data
       else:
           new_args = args
   initial_vector = psi0.full().ravel()
   if not opt.rhs_with_state:
       r = scipy.integrate.ode(cy_ode_psi_func_td)
   else:
       r = scipy.integrate.ode(cy_ode_psi_func_td_with_state)
   r.set_integrator('zvode', method=opt.method, order=opt.order,
                    atol=opt.atol, rtol=opt.rtol, nsteps=opt.nsteps,
                    first_step=opt.first_step, min_step=opt.min_step,
                    max_step=opt.max_step)
   r.set_initial_value(initial_vector, tlist[0])
   r.set_f_params(H_func, new_args)
   # call generic ODE code
   return _generic_ode_solve(r, psi0, tlist, e_ops, opt, progress_bar,
                             dims=psi0.dims)
# evaluate dpsi(t)/dt for time-dependent hamiltonian
def _ode_psi_func_td(t, psi, H_func, args):
   H = H func(t, args)
   return -1j * (H * psi)
def _ode_psi_func_td_with_state(t, psi, H func, args):
   H = H_func(t, psi, args)
   return -1j * (H * psi)
# -----
# Solve an ODE which solver parameters already setup (r). Calculate the
# required expectation values or invoke callback function at each time step.
def _generic_ode_solve(r, psi0, tlist, e_ops, opt, progress_bar, dims=None):
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Internal function for solving ODEs.
if opt.normalize_output:
    state_norm_func = norm
else:
    state_norm_func = None
#
# prepare output array
n_tsteps = len(tlist)
output = Result()
output.solver = "sesolve"
output.times = tlist
if opt.store_states:
    output.states = []
if isinstance(e_ops, types.FunctionType):
   n_expt_op = 0
    expt_callback = True
elif isinstance(e_ops, list):
    n_expt_op = len(e_ops)
    expt_callback = False
    if n_expt_op == 0:
        # fallback on storing states
        output.states = []
        opt.store_states = True
    else:
        output.expect = []
        output.num_expect = n_expt_op
        for op in e_ops:
            if op.isherm:
                output.expect.append(np.zeros(n tsteps))
            else:
                output.expect.append(np.zeros(n_tsteps, dtype=complex))
else:
    raise TypeError("Expectation parameter must be a list or a function")
# start evolution
progress_bar.start(n_tsteps)
dt = np.diff(tlist)
for t idx, t in enumerate(tlist):
    progress_bar.update(t_idx)
    if not r.successful():
        raise Exception("ODE integration error: Try to increase "
                        "the allowed number of substeps by increasing "
                        "the nsteps parameter in the Options class.")
    if state_norm_func:
        data = r.y / state_norm_func(r.y)
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r.set_initial_value(data, r.t)
    if opt.store_states:
        output.states.append(Qobj(r.y, dims=dims))
    if expt_callback:
        # use callback method
        e_ops(t, Qobj(r.y, dims=psi0.dims))
    for m in range(n_expt_op):
        output.expect[m][t_idx] = cy_expect_psi(e_ops[m].data,
                                                r.y, e_ops[m].isherm)
    if t_idx < n_tsteps - 1:</pre>
        r.integrate(r.t + dt[t_idx])
progress_bar.finished()
if not opt.rhs_reuse and config.tdname is not None:
   try:
       os.remove(config.tdname + ".pyx")
    except:
        pass
if opt.store_final_state:
    output.final_state = Qobj(r.y, dims=dims)
return output
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