
MolOpt

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MOLOPT

1.1 MolOpt package

1.1.1 genetic subpackage

```
class Chromosome(genes: Optional[Any] = None, fitness: Optional[Any] = None, strategy:
    list[collections.abc.Callable[[~ Chromosome], ~ Genes]] = [], age: int = 0, lineage: list = [],
    label: Optional[str] = None)
```

Bases: object

Object that represents the candidates.

property strategy_str: str

Returns a string which represents the list of the functions used to obtain the current Chromosome object

Returns String of a list of the names of the functions used to obtain the current Chromosome object

Return type str

```
class Create(methods: list[collections.abc.Callable[[MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome], ~ Genes]],
    methods_rate: list[typing.Union[int, float]])
```

Bases: object

A container for storing genes creation functions and its rates. When called it receives the first_parent Chromosome and returns a new Chromosome. This class is supposed to receive functions which receive a generic parent Chromosome and return a whole new genes without any bound to the parent's one. The exceptions are mutate_best and mutate_first, which respectively returns the result of passing the best and the first parent, respectively, to the mutate object

Returns New Chromosome object with the created genes

Return type *Chromosome*

```
class Crossover(methods: list[collections.abc.Callable[[MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome], ~ Genes]],
    methods_rate: list[typing.Union[int, float]])
```

Bases: object

A container for storing crossover functions and its rates. When called it receives two Chromosome objects and returns a new Chromosome. This class is supposed to receive functions which receive two Chromosome objects and returns a random combination of their genes

Returns Child Chromosome

Return type *Chromosome*

```
class Genetic(first_genes: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome, strategies: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Strategies,
              max_age: Optional[int], pool_size: int, mutate_after_crossover: bool, crossover_elitism:
              Optional[list[typing.Union[int, float]]], elitism_rate: Optional[list[int]], freedom_rate: int,
              parallelism: bool, local_opt: bool, max_seconds: Optional[Union[int, float]], time_toler:
              Optional[Union[int, float]], gens_toler: Optional[Union[int, float]], max_gens:
              Optional[Union[int, float]], save_directory: str)
```

Bases: `abc.ABC`

Genetic algorithm abstract class. This abstract class provides a framework for creating problem-specific genetic algorithms. To use it you must create a class that inherits it. The class that inherits it must to have at least two methods: `get_fitness` and `save`

Parameters `ABC (class)` – Helper class that provides a standard way to create an abstract class using inheritance

```
__generate_parent(queue: Optional[multiprocessing.context.BaseContext.Queue] = None, label:
                  Optional[str] = None)
```

Tries to generate a new candidate using the Create object from strategies inside a ‘while True’ loop with a ‘try except’ statement which is broke when the new candidate is successfully generated. If an exception occurs during the candidate generation try, the function ‘catch’ will be called with such candidate as argument

Parameters

- **queue** (`mp.Queue`, *optional*) – Multiprocessing queue by which the candidates are returned in case of parallelism, defaults to None
- **label** (`str`, *optional*) – New parent’s Chromosome’s label, defaults to None

Returns New candidate

Return type *Chromosome*

```
__get_child(candidates: list[MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome], parent_index: int, queue:
             Optional[multiprocessing.context.BaseContext.Queue] = None, child_index: Optional[int] =
             None, label: Optional[str] = None)
```

Tries to generate a new candidate inside a ‘while True’ loop with a ‘try except’ statement which is broke when the new candidate is successfully generated. If an exception occurs during the candidate generation try, the function ‘catch’ will be called with such candidate as argument

Parameters

- **candidates** (`list[Chromosome]`) – Pool of candidates
- **parent_index** (`int`) – Index of the current parent’s Chromosome in candidates
- **queue** (`mp.Queue`, *optional*) – Multiprocessing queue by which the candidates are returned in case of parallelism, defaults to None
- **child_index** (`int`, *optional*) – Index of child in the next generation pool. It’s used to identify the returned chromosome in the main process in case of parallelism, defaults to None
- **label** (`str`, *optional*) – Child’s Chromosome’s label, defaults to None

Returns Child

Return type *Chromosome*

```
__get_improvement()
```

Generator of genetic improvements

Yield Best candidate achieved until the moment

Return type *Chromosome*

__get_improvement_mp()

Genetic improvements generator using multiprocessing

Raises Exception – Raises an exception if elitism rate is incompatible with pool size

Yield Best candidate achieved until the moment

Return type *Chromosome*

__local_optimization(*candidate*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) →
MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome

Receives a candidate then performs a local optimization on its genes and so returns a new Chromosome with these new genes and its fitness

Parameters candidate (*Chromosome*) – Candidate which genes are wanted to be optimized

Returns Optimized candidate

Return type *Chromosome*

static catch(*candidate*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → None

Static method which will be executed if an error occurs during a candidate generation. It can be override if needed. By default it just raises an exception

Parameters candidate (*Chromosome*) – Candidate which was being generated while error occurs

Raises Exception – Raises exception if error occurs during candidate generation

static display(*candidate*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome, *timediff*: float) → None

Generate what is printed on console everytime a new best candidate is reached. It can be override if needed

Parameters

- **candidate** (*Chromosome*) – Best candidate found
- **timediff** (*float*) – Time difference between the candidate is found and the start of the execution

abstract get_fitness(*candidate*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) →
MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Fitness

Abstract method which must be override by one which receives a candidate's Chromosome and returns it's fitness

Parameters candidate (*Fitness*) – Candidate wich fitness is wanted

Return type *Fitness*

load() → *MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome*

Returns a Chromosome with the genes and the fitness of the first_parent

Returns Copy of first candidate

Return type *Chromosome*

local_optimize(*candidate*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Genes

This method must be override in case of local_opt is True for a method which receives a candidate's Chromosome and returns its genes locally optimized

Parameters candidate (*Chromosome*) – Candidate which genes are wanted to be optimized

Raises Exception – Raises exception if this method was not override by the subclass

Returns Optimized genes

Return type Genes

mutate_best(*best_candidate*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Genes

The actual mutate_best function. This is a creation function that receives the Chromosome of the best candidate and pass it to the Mutate object to return the result

Parameters **best_candidate** (Chromosome) – Best candidate

Returns Mutated genes of the best candidate

Return type genes

mutate_first(*first_parent*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Genes

The actual mutate_first function. This is a creation function that receives the Chromosome of the first candidate and pass it to the Mutate object to return the result

Parameters **first_parent** (Chromosome) – First created candidate

Returns Mutated genes of the first candidate

Return type genes

run() → MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome

Starts the genetic algorithm execution

Returns Best candidate

Return type Chromosome

abstract save(*candidate*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome, *file_name*: str, *directory*: str) → None

Abstract method which must be override by one which receives a candidate, a file_name and a directory. This method which overrides it must receive a candidate's Chromosome, a string which is the name of the file the candidate will be saved and a string which is the directory where it will be saved than this function must save the candidate relevant informations in a document named as given in the directory given. The directory is given relative to __main__

Parameters

- **candidate** (Chromosome) – Candidate which is wanted to save
- **file_name** (str) – Name of the file in which the candidate's informations must be saved
- **directory** (str) – Directory where the file with the candidate's information must be saved

class Mutate(*methods*: list[collections.abc.Callable[[MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome], ~ Genes]],
methods_rate: list[typing.Union[int, float]])

Bases: object

A container for storing mutation functions and its rates. When it's called it receives a Chromosome and returns a new Chromosome. This is supposed to receive functions which receives a Chromosome object and returns its genes with some random modification

Returns Mutated Chromosome

Return type Chromosome

class Strategies(*strategies*: Tuple[MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Mutate, MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Crossover,
MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Create], *strategies_rate*: list[typing.Union[int, float]])

Bases: object

A container for sotoring the candidate generation strategies (Create, Mutate and Crossover objects) and its rates. It must receive only one of each generation strategy (Create, Mutate and Crossover) object

Returns New Chromosome object with the genes generated by the strategy randomly selected

Return type Chromosome

mutate_best(*best_candidate*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Genes

Creation function that receives the Chromosome of the best candidate and pass it to the Mutate object to return the result

This function is actually a void, it exists only to be called by import and to be override by the actual mutate_best function

Parameters **best_candidate** (Chromosome) – Best candidate

Returns Mutated genes of the best candidate

Return type genes

mutate_first(*first_parent*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Genes

Creation function that receives the Chromosome of the first created parent and pass it to the Mutate object to return the result

This function is actually a void, it exists only to be called by import and to be override by the actual mutate_first function

Parameters **first_parent** (Chromosome) – First created candidate

Returns Mutated genes of the first candidate

Return type genes

1.1.2 molecular subpackage

class Molecule(*basis*: str, *geometry*: list[list[typing.Union[str, int, float]]], *settings*: list[str], *parameters*: dict[str, typing.Union[int, float]] = {}, *rand_range*: Optional[Tuple[Union[int, float], Union[int, float]]] = None, *label*: Optional[str] = None, *output*: Optional[str] = None, *output_values*: dict[str, typing.Union[int, float]] = {}, *was_optg*: bool = False)

Bases: object

This class provides a framework for storing molecular geometry, generating Molpro inputs and store output information. It also brings functions to work with genetic algorithm.

_receive(*molecule*) → None

Receives all data from another molecule making the actual molecule its copy

Parameters **molecule** (Molecule) – The data donor molecule

copy() → MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Returns a totally independent copy of itself

Returns Copy of self

Return type Molecule

property dist_unit: str

Gets the distance unit used to describe the molecule

Returns Distance unit

Return type str

get_value(*wanted*: list[str], *document*: Optional[str] = None, *directory*: str = 'data', *keep_output*: bool = False, *nthreads*: int = 1, *update_self*: bool = True) → dict[str, float]

Reads the Molpro's output file, searches for wanted strings and gets the numeric value that is in the same row then returns a dictionary where the keys are the wanted strings and the values are the numeric strings correspondents. If document.out already exists in /directory the document will be read and the values returned. If it doesn't and document.inp already exists in directory, it will execute Molpro over the input.

If neither document.out nor document.inp exists, document.inp will be created and Molpro executed over it and after document.inp will be deleted

Parameters

- **wanted** (*list[str]*) – list of variables to be search in the output. They must be the string which precedes the wanted numeric value in molpro's output
- **document** (*str, optional*) – Documents' name, defaults to None
- **directory** (*str, optional*) – Directory adress where the input and the output will be relative to `__main__`, defaults to 'data'
- **keep_output** (*bool, optional*) – If it's True, the output will be kept and its name will be put in self.output, else it will be deleted after is read. defaults to False
- **nthreads** (*int, optional*) – Number of threads useds in Molpro calculation, defaults to 1
- **update_self** (*bool, optional*) – If it's True, self.output_values will be updated with each item of wanted. If it's False, self.output_values will not be updated, and the output values will can only be accessed by the returned dict

Returns Wanted strings and correspondent values

Return type dict[str, float]

static load(*file: str, rand_range: Optional[Tuple[Union[int, float], Union[int, float]]] = None, label: Optional[str] = None, output: Optional[str] = None, output_values: dict[str, typing.Union[int, float]] = {}, was_optg: bool = False*) → [MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule](#)

Loads a molecule from a .inp document and returns its Molecule object

The file must have the one of the following structures:

```
***,

basis={
!
! aluminium (6s,4p) -> [3s,2p]
s, AL , 0.5605994123E+00, 0.1923360636E+00, 0.7304329554E+01, 0.1852570854E+01,
0.1343774607E+03, 0.2391912027E+02
c, 1.2, -0.2983986045E+00, 0.1227982887E+01
c, 3.4, 0.4947176920E-01, 0.9637824081E+00
c, 5.6, 0.4301284983E+00, 0.6789135305E+00
p, AL , 0.7304329554E+01, 0.1852570854E+01, 0.5605994123E+00, 0.1923360636E+00
c, 1.2, 0.5115407076E+00, 0.6128198961E+00
c, 3.4, 0.3480471912E+00, 0.7222523221E+00
}

r1=2.706
r2=2.414
r3=2.481
r4=2.817
r5=2.529
r6=2.547
r7=2.510
r8=2.401
r9=2.666
t1=66.357
```

```

t2=65.256
t3=115.675
t4=107.280
t5=105.113
t6=97.637
t7=104.449
t8=63.620
a1=104.0
a2=89.4
a3=345.8
a4=272.6
a5=43.5
a6=341.2
a7=238.2

```

```

geometry={ ang
Al
Al, 1, r1
Al, 2, r2 , 1, t1
Al, 2, r3 , 1, t2, 3, a1
Al, 3, r4 , 2, t3, 1, a2
Al, 1, r5 , 2, t4, 3, a3
Al, 5, r6 , 3, t5, 2, a4
Al, 7, r7, 5, t6, 3, a5
Al, 5, r8, 3, t7, 2, a6
Al, 4, r9, 2, t8, 1, a7
}

```

```

SET,CHARGE=0
direct
{ks, b3lyp,maxit=200}

```

```
---
```

```
or
```

```
***,
```

```

basis={
!
! aluminium (6s,4p) -> [3s,2p]
s,  AL ,  0.5605994123E+00,  0.1923360636E+00,  0.7304329554E+01,  0.1852570854E+01,
0.1343774607E+03, 0.2391912027E+02
c, 1.2, -0.2983986045E+00, 0.1227982887E+01
c, 3.4, 0.4947176920E-01, 0.9637824081E+00
c, 5.6, 0.4301284983E+00, 0.6789135305E+00
p,  AL ,  0.7304329554E+01, 0.1852570854E+01, 0.5605994123E+00, 0.1923360636E+00
c, 1.2, 0.5115407076E+00, 0.6128198961E+00
c, 3.4, 0.3480471912E+00, 0.7222523221E+00
}

```

```

geometry={ ang
Al
Al, 1, 2.706

```

```
Al, 2, 2.414, 1, 66.357
Al, 2, 2.481, 1, 65.256, 3, 104.0
Al, 3, 2.817, 2, 115.675, 1, 89.4
Al, 1, 2.529, 2, 107.280, 3, 345.8
Al, 5, 2.547, 3, 105.113, 2, 272.6
Al, 7, 2.510, 5, 97.637, 3, 43.5
Al, 5, 2.401, 3, 104.449, 2, 341.2
Al, 4, 2.666, 2, 63.620, 1, 238.2
}
```

```
SET,CHARGE=0
direct
{ks, b3lyp,maxit=200}
```

Respecting empty lines between different sections of the file. That is, it must have one empty line between each section of the file. Here we can see we can have until six sections in the file: the beginning's section or just '***', the basis' section, the parameters' section (that can exists or don't), the geometry's section, the settings' section and the end section or just '---'. The order of the sections also must respect the order of the chosen structure. The second structure, that is the structure with literal numbers inside the geometry brackets is not compatible with `optg` function, so the first structure, that is the one with declared variables before the geometry is always recommended

Parameters

- **file** (*str*) – File name, it must end with `.inp` but the `.inp` may not be included here
- **rand_range** (*Tuple[numeric, numeric]*, *optional*) – Min and max values that can be generated when distances are mutated, defaults to `None`
- **label** (*str*, *optional*) – A tag which can be used to identify the object, defaults to `None`
- **output** (*str*, *optional*) – The address of the molecule's `.out` document generated by Molpro, defaults to `None`
- **output_values** (*dict[str, numeric]*, *optional*) – Values extracted from the output document, defaults to `dict()`
- **was_optg** (*bool*, *optional*) – True if the geometry was already optimized with `optg`, false if it doesn't

Raises **Exception** – Invalid Z-matrix

Returns Loaded molecule

Return type *Molecule*

mutate_angles(*times: int = 1*) → *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*

Selects a random angle parameter from the geometry and assign it a random value between 0 and 360 degrees. This process is repeated an amount of times equal to `times`

Parameters **times** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of mutations, defaults to 1

Returns Itself mutated

Return type *Molecule*

mutate_distances(*times*: *int* = 1) → *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*

Selects a random distance parameter from the geometry and assign it a random value in the range gave by *rand_range*. This process is repeated a number of times equal to *times*

Parameters *times* (*int*) – Number of mutations, defaults to 1

Returns Itself mutated

Return type *Molecule*

optg(*wanted*: *list[str]*, *directory*: *str* = 'data', *nthreads*: *int* = 1, *keep_output*=False) → *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*

Turns the molecule in its own geometric optimized version

Parameters

- **wanted** (*list[str]*) – list of variables to be search in the output
- **directory** (*str*, *optional*) – Directory adress where the input and the output will be relative to *__main__*, defaults to 'data'
- **nthreads** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of threads useds in Molpro calculation, defaults to 1
- **keep_output** (*bool*, *optional*) – If it's True, the output will be kept, else it will be deleted after be read. defaults to False

Returns Itself optimized version

Return type *Molecule*

save(*document*: *Optional[str]* = None, *directory*: *str* = 'data') → None

Saves the object data in *document.inp*. If *document* receives None it'll be the molecule's label, if it still None it will be *str(self.__hash__())*. If the directory didn't exist it will be created

Parameters

- **document** (*str*, *optional*) – Document's name, defaults to None
- **directory** (*str*, *optional*) – Directory where the document will be saved, defaults to 'data'

swap_mutate() → *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*

Provokes a swap mutation in itsef

Returns Itself mutated

Return type *Molecule*

_get_swap_indexes(*new_molecule*: *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*) → *Tuple[int, int, int, int]*

Randomly choices the indexes of the parameters that will be swapped

Parameters *new_molecule* (*Molecule*) – Copy of the original moecule

Returns A tuple with the four indexes needed to perform the swap

Return type *Tuple[int, int, int, int]*

crossover_1(*parent*: *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*, *donor*: *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*, *label*: *Optional[str]* = None) → *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*

Creates a copy of the parent molecule then randomly choices a row and a 'column' from the geometry and there divides the geometry in two pieces. Then randomly pick one of these pieces and attach with the complementar part provided by the donor molecule generating the geometry of the child molecule

Parameters

- **parent** (*Molecule*) – Parent molecule
- **donor** (*Molecule*) – Donor molecule
- **label** (*str*, *optional*) – A tag which can be used to identify the child molecule, defaults to None

Returns Child molecule

Return type *Molecule*

crossover_2(*parent*: *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*, *donor*: *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*, *label*: *Optional[str] = None*) → *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*

Randomly cuts the parent molecule's geometry in two points. The sequence between these two points will either replace its correspondent in the donor molecule's geometry or be replaced by it (randomly) generating the geometry of the child molecule that will be returned. At least four atoms are needed to realize this process. Trying it with molecules smaller than it will raise an exception

Parameters

- **parent** (*Molecule*) – Parent molecule
- **donor** (*Molecule*) – Donor molecule
- **label** (*str*, *optional*) – A tag which can be used to identify the child molecule, defaults to None

Raises Exception – At least 4 atoms are needed to perform crossover_2

Returns child Molecule

Return type *Molecule*

crossover_n(*parent*: *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*, *donor*: *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*, *label*: *Optional[str] = None*) → *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*

Creates a copy of the parent molecule, randomly chooses an amount of parameters the minimum being one and the maximum being the total amount of parameters minus one. Then randomly chooses this amount of parameters from the donor molecule to replace the respective parameters the child molecule inherited from parent molecule

Parameters

- **parent** (*Molecule*) – Parent molecule
- **donor** (*Molecule*) – Donor molecule
- **label** (*str*, *optional*) – A tag which can be used to identify the child molecule, defaults to None

Returns Child molecule

Return type *Molecule*

mutate_angles(*molecule*: *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*, *times*: *int = 1*, *label*: *Optional[str] = None*) → *MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule*

Creates a molecule's copy and randomly chooses an angle parameter and set its value to a random value between 0 and 360. The amount of mutations performed is equal to times

Parameters

- **molecule** (*Molecule*) – Original molecule
- **times** (*int*, *optional*) – Amount of angle mutations, defaults to 1
- **label** (*str*, *optional*) – Label of the new molecule, defaults to None

Returns New molecule

Return type *Molecule*

mutate_distances(*molecule*: MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule, *times*: int = 1, *label*: Optional[str] = None) → MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Creates a molecule's copy and randomly chooses a distance parameter and set its value in the range given by *rand_range*. The amount of mutations performed is equal to *times*

Parameters

- **molecule** (Molecule) – Original molecule
- **times** (int, optional) – Amount of angle mutations, defaults to 1
- **label** (str, optional) – Label of the new molecule, defaults to None

Returns New molecule

Return type *Molecule*

optg(*molecule*: MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule, *wanted_energy*: str, *directory*: str = 'data', *nthreads*: int = 1, *keep_output*: bool = False) → MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Creates a copy of the original molecule, appends 'optg' in the settings if it's not already there and calls the *get_value* function with it. Then updates the *wanted_energy* in *optimized_molecule.output_values* and updates all angles and distances parameters in [*optimized_molecule.parameters*]. To use this function there cannot be any literal value in the molecule's geometry, all values must be as variable names in geometry and have their literal values declared in *molecule.parameters*

Parameters

- **molecule** (Molecule) – Original molecule
- **wanted_energy** (str) – The key wanted for the energy in *optimized_molecule.output_values*
- **directory** (str, optional) – Directory address where the input and the output will be relative to *__main__*, defaults to 'data'
- **nthreads** (int, optional) – Number of threads used in Molpro calculation, defaults to 1
- **keep_output** (bool, optional) – If it's True, the output will be kept and its name will be put in *self.output*, else it will be deleted after it is read. defaults to False

Returns Optimized molecule

Return type *Molecule*

random_molecule(*molecular_formula*: str, *basis*: str, *settings*: list[str], *rand_range*: Tuple[Union[int, float], Union[int, float]], *label*: Optional[str] = None, *dist_unit*: str = 'ang') → MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Creates a geometry with all distances parameters randomized in the range given by *rand_range* and all angles randomized between 0 and 360 given the molecular formula which is a string containing the elements followed by its amount like 'H2O', 'C6H12O6', 'Al10'... It doesn't support parentheses and is invariant to the order of elements. What matters in *molecular_formula* is which number follows which element

Parameters

- **molecular_formula** (str) – The molecular formula of the wanted molecule
- **basis** (str) – Hilbert space basis
- **settings** (list[str]) – Molpro calculation settings
- **rand_range** (Tuple[numeric, numeric]) – Min and max values that can be generated when distances are mutated

- **label** (*str*, *optional*) – A tag which can be used to identify the molecule, defaults to None
- **dist_unit** (*str*, *optional*) – Distance unit, defaults to ‘ang’

Returns Random molecule

Return type *Molecule*

randomize(*molecule*: MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule, *label*: Optional[*str*] = None) →
MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Creates a molecule’s copy and replace all distance parameters with random values in the range gave by *rand_range* and replace all angle parameters with random values between 0 and 360

Parameters

- **molecule** (Molecule) – Original molecule
- **label** (*str*, *optional*) – A tag which can be used to identify the new molecule, defaults to None

Returns New molecule

Return type *Molecule*

swap_mutate(*molecule*: MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule, *times*: int = 1, *label*: Optional[*str*] = None) →
MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Creates a molecule’s copy and randomly swap parameters of its places. It makes a amount of random swaps equal times.

Parameters

- **molecule** (Molecule) – Original molecule
- **times** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of random swaps, defaults to 1
- **label** (*str*, *optional*) – Label of the new molecule, defaults to None

Returns New molecule

Return type *Molecule*

1.1.3 MolOpt.MolOpt module

class MolOpt(*first_molecule*: MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule, *energy_param*: *str*, *strategies*:
MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Strategies, *max_age*: Optional[int], *pool_size*: int, *mutate_after_crossover*:
bool, *crossover_elitism*: list[int], *elitism_rate*: list[int], *freedom_rate*: int, *parallelism*: bool,
local_opt: bool, *max_seconds*: Optional[Union[int, float]], *time_toler*: Optional[Union[int, float]],
gens_toler: Optional[int], *max_gens*: Optional[int], *save_directory*: *str*, *threads_per_calc*: int)

Bases: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Genetic

Molecular geometry optimization class

Parameters **Genetic** (ABC) – Genetic algorithm abstract class

static catch(*candidate*: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → None

Static method which will be executed if an error occurs during a candidate generation

Parameters **candidate** (Chromosome) – Candidate which during generation some exception occurred

static crossover_1(parent: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome, donor: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule
 Produces a new molecule with the crossover of parent's and donor's molecules by cutting each one in one point and combining the resultant pieces.

Parameters

- **parent** (Chromosome) – Candidate which Molecule will suffer crossover_1
- **donor** (Chromosome) – Candidate which will donate parameters for the crossover_1 operation

Returns Child molecule

Return type Molecule

static crossover_2(parent: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome, donor: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule
 Produces a new molecule with the crossover of parent's and donor's molecules by cutting each one in two points and combining the resultant pieces

Parameters

- **parent** (Chromosome) – Candidate which Molecule will suffer crossover_1
- **donor** (Chromosome) – Candidate which will donate parameters for the crossover_1 operation

Returns Child molecule

Return type Molecule

static crossover_n(parent: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome, donor: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule
 Returns a new molecule which randomly carries parameters from the parent's and donor's molecules

Parameters

- **parent** (Chromosome) – Candidate which Molecule will suffer crossover_1
- **donor** (Chromosome) – Candidate which will donate parameters for the crossover_1 operation

Returns Child molecule

Return type Molecule

get_fitness(candidate: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → float
 Receives a candidate's Chromosome and returns its fitness

Parameters candidate (Chromosome) – Candidate which fitness must be calculated

Returns Candidate's fitness

Return type float

local_optimize(candidate: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) → MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule
 Executes geometric optimization over the candidate's molecule using Molpro and returns a new molecule with the optimized geometry

Parameters candidate (Chromosome) – Candidate which Molecule will suffer local_optimize operation

Returns Optimized molecule

Return type *Molecule*

static mutate_angles(parent: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) →
MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Returns parent's molecule's copy with some random angle parameter randomized between 0 and 360 degrees

Parameters **parent** (*Chromosome*) – Candidate which Molecule will suffer mutate_angles

Returns New molecule

Return type *Molecule*

static mutate_distances(parent: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) →
MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Returns a parent's molecule's copy with some random distance parameter randomized in the range gave by parent.genes.rand_range

Parameters **parent** (*Chromosome*) – Candidate which Molecule will suffer mutate_distances

Returns New molecule

Return type *Molecule*

static randomize(parent: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) →
MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Returns a parent's molecule's copy with all distances and angles parameters randomized

Parameters **parent** (*Chromosome*) – Candidate which Molecule will suffer randomize operation

Returns New molecule

Return type *Molecule*

static save(candidate: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome, file_name: str, directory: str) → None
Saves the candidate data in a .inp document

Parameters

- **candidate** (*Chromosome*) – Candidate which data will be saved
- **file_name** (*str*) – Document's name
- **directory** (*str*) – Directory where the document will be saved

static swap_mutate(parent: MolOpt.genetic.genetic.Chromosome) →
MolOpt.molecular.molecular.Molecule

Returns a parent's molecule's copy with randomly swapped places parameters

Parameters **parent** (*Chromosome*) – Candidate which Molecule will suffer swap_mutate

Returns New molecule

Return type *Molecule*

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