# Dependency-Tree Estimation of Distribution Algorithm Reference Manual

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# Dependency-Tree Estimation of Distribution Algorithm Main Page

This program implements an estimation of distribution algorithm with dependency tree probabilistic models. The algorithm does not assume that solutions are binary strings, every string position can obtain any number of values, wich is specified by the user.

For references and more information on estimation of distribution algorithms or dependency tree models, please see the MEDAL report published with this code at  $\frac{\text{http://medal.cs.umsl.edu/files/2006010.pdf}}{\text{http://medal.cs.umsl.edu/files/2006010.pdf}}$ 

All user-defined functions are located in obj-function.cpp, which defines the objective function, the function to set the numbers of values in different string positions, and the function to verify optimality.

Usage: dt-eda [parameter file name] [-help] [-version]

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#### 1.1 License Information

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# 3.1 Dependency-Tree Estimation of Distribution Algorithm File List

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# Dependency-Tree Estimation of Distribution Algorithm Data Structure Documentation

## 4.1 AveragePopulationStatistics Struct Reference

Population statistics for a set of runs.

#include <stats.hpp>

#### **Data Fields**

- $\bullet$  double  $avg_minF$
- double avg maxF
- double avg\_avgF
- double min minF
- double max maxF
- $\bullet \ \ double \ avg\_num\_evals$
- double p success
- int population size
- int problem size
- int num runs

#### 4.1.1 Detailed Description

Population statistics for a set of runs. Definition at line 32 of file stats.hpp.

### 4.1.2 Field Documentation

#### 4.1.2.1 double AveragePopulationStatistics::avg avgF

Definition at line 36 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average population statistics().

#### 4.1.2.2 double AveragePopulationStatistics::avg maxF

Definition at line 35 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average population statistics(), and print bisection summary().

#### 4.1.2.3 double AveragePopulationStatistics::avg minF

Definition at line 34 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average\_population\_statistics().

#### 4.1.2.4 double AveragePopulationStatistics::avg num evals

Definition at line 42 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average population statistics(), and print bisection summary().

#### 4.1.2.5 double AveragePopulationStatistics::max maxF

Definition at line 39 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average population statistics().

#### 4.1.2.6 double AveragePopulationStatistics::min minF

Definition at line 38 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average\_population\_statistics().

#### 4.1.2.7 int AveragePopulationStatistics::num runs

Definition at line 54 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average population statistics(), and print bisection summary().

### 4.1.2.8 double AveragePopulationStatistics::p success

Definition at line 45 of file stats.hpp.

#### 4.1.2.9 int AveragePopulationStatistics::population size

Definition at line 48 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average population statistics(), bisection(), and print bisection summary().

#### 4.1.2.10 int AveragePopulationStatistics::problem size

Definition at line 51 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average  $\_population\_statistics()$ .

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

 $\bullet$  stats.hpp

### 4.2 Parameters Struct Reference

Parameters for the decision-tree EDA (can be set using parameter files). #include <eda.hpp>

#### **Data Fields**

- int population\_size Population size.
- int problem\_size

  Number of variables (string positions).
- int max\_generations

  Maximum number of iterations.
- int tournament\_size

  Size of tournaments.
- int replacement

  Replacement method (RTR=0, full=1).
- int bisection

  Optimize population size using bisection (must run many runs)?
- int num\_bisection\_runs

  Number of successful runs for optimal population sizing with bisection.
- int quiet\_mode Quiet mode?
- int verbose\_mode Verbose mode?

#### 4.2.1 Detailed Description

Parameters for the decision-tree EDA (can be set using parameter files). Definition at line 15 of file eda.hpp.

### 4.2.2 Field Documentation

#### 4.2.2.1 int Parameters::bisection

Optimize population size using bisection (must run many runs)?

Definition at line 21 of file eda.hpp.

Referenced by main(), one run(), parse input file(), and print parameters().

#### 4.2.2.2 int Parameters::max generations

Maximum number of iterations.

Definition at line 18 of file eda.hpp.

Referenced by main(), one run(), parse input file(), and print parameters().

#### 4.2.2.3 int Parameters::num bisection runs

Number of successful runs for optimal population sizing with bisection.

Definition at line 22 of file eda.hpp.

Referenced by do runs(), main(), parse input file(), and print parameters().

#### 4.2.2.4 int Parameters::population size

Population size.

Definition at line 16 of file eda.hpp.

Referenced by bisection(), do\_runs(), main(), one\_run(), parse\_input\_file(), print\_-parameters(), and variation().

#### 4.2.2.5 int Parameters::problem size

Number of variables (string positions).

Definition at line 17 of file eda.hpp.

Referenced by main(), one run(), parse input file(), print parameters(), and variation().

#### 4.2.2.6 int Parameters::quiet mode

Quiet mode?

Definition at line 23 of file eda.hpp.

Referenced by bisection(), main(), one run(), parse input file(), and print parameters().

#### 4.2.2.7 int Parameters::replacement

Replacement method (RTR=0, full=1).

Definition at line 20 of file eda.hpp.

Referenced by main(), one\_run(), parse\_input\_file(), and print\_parameters().

#### 4.2.2.8 int Parameters::tournament size

Size of tournaments.

Definition at line 19 of file eda.hpp.

Referenced by main(), one run(), parse input file(), and print parameters().

## 4.2.2.9 int Parameters::verbose mode

Verbose mode?

Definition at line 24 of file eda.hpp.

Referenced by bisection(), main(), one\_run(), parse\_input\_file(), print\_parameters(), and variation().

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

 $\bullet$  eda.hpp

## 4.3 PopulationStatistics Struct Reference

Basic population statistics (single run).

#include <stats.hpp>

#### **Data Fields**

- double minF
- int idx minF
- double maxF
- int idx maxF
- double avgF
- long int num evals
- int success
- int population size
- int problem size

#### 4.3.1 Detailed Description

Basic population statistics (single run).

Definition at line 11 of file stats.hpp.

#### 4.3.2 Field Documentation

### ${\bf 4.3.2.1}\quad {\bf double\ Population Statistics:: avg F}$

Definition at line 15 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average\_population\_statistics(), compute\_population\_statistics(), init\_population\_statistics(), and print\_status().

#### 4.3.2.2 int PopulationStatistics::idx maxF

Definition at line 14 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by compute\_population\_statistics(), and init\_population\_statistics().

#### 4.3.2.3 int PopulationStatistics::idx minF

Definition at line 13 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by compute\_population\_statistics(), and init\_population\_statistics().

#### 4.3.2.4 double PopulationStatistics::maxF

Definition at line 14 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average\_population\_statistics(), compute\_population\_statistics(), init\_-population\_statistics(), print\_status(), and print\_summary().

#### 4.3.2.5 double PopulationStatistics::minF

Definition at line 13 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average\_population\_statistics(), compute\_population\_statistics(), init\_-population\_statistics(), and print\_status().

#### 4.3.2.6 long int PopulationStatistics::num evals

Definition at line 18 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average\_population\_statistics(), init\_population\_statistics(), one\_run(), and print\_summary().

#### 4.3.2.7 int PopulationStatistics::population size

Definition at line 24 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average\_population\_statistics(), compute\_population\_statistics(), and print\_-summary().

#### 4.3.2.8 int PopulationStatistics::problem size

Definition at line 27 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by average\_population\_statistics(), compute\_population\_statistics(), and print\_-summary().

#### 4.3.2.9 int PopulationStatistics::success

Definition at line 21 of file stats.hpp.

Referenced by init\_population\_statistics(), one\_run(), and print\_summary().

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

 $\bullet$  stats.hpp

### 4.4 Status Class Reference

Text-mode status bar used in verbose mode in learning algorithms.

```
#include <status.hpp>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

```
• Status (int n=55)
```

- void update (double p)
- ~Status ()
- void reset ()

#### 4.4.1 Detailed Description

Text-mode status bar used in verbose mode in learning algorithms.

Definition at line 8 of file status.hpp.

#### 4.4.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 4.4.2.1 Status::Status (int n = 55)

Definition at line 10 of file status.cpp.

```
11 {
12    last=-1;
13    this->n=n;
14 }
```

#### 4.4.2.2 Status::~Status ()

Definition at line 16 of file status.cpp.

```
17 {
18 }
```

#### 4.4.3 Member Function Documentation

#### 4.4.3.1 void Status::reset ()

Definition at line 44 of file status.cpp.

Referenced by TreeModel::learnStructure().

```
45 {
46    last=-1;
47 }
```

#### 4.4.3.2 void Status::update (double p)

Definition at line 20 of file status.cpp.

Referenced by TreeModel::learnProbabilities(), and TreeModel::learnStructure().

```
22
     int i,k;
23
    k=(int)((double)p*n);
24
25
26
     if (last!=k)
27
28
         if (last>=0)
           for (i=0; i<n+2; i++)
29
30
             printf("\b");
31
         printf("[");
32
         for (i=0; i<k; i++)
33
34
           printf("=");
35
         for (i=n-k; i>0; i--)
          printf("-");
36
         printf("]");
37
38
         fflush(stdout);
39
40
         last=k;
41
       };
42 }
```

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- status.hpp
- status.cpp

### 4.5 TreeModel Class Reference

Class for storing, creating, and sampling the tree models.

```
#include <tree-model.hpp>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

- TreeModel (int n)

  Constructor (assumes binary representation).
- TreeModel (int n, int \*num\_vals)

  Another constructor (assumes arbitrary finite alphabets).
- $\sim$ TreeModel ()

  Destructor.
- void learnStructure (int \*\*x, int N, int loud=1)

  Learn the structure of the model.
- void learnProbabilities (int \*\*x, int N, int loud=1)

  Learn the probabilities for a given structure.
- void sampleModel (int \*\*x, int N)

  Sample the tree model to generate new candidate solutions.
- void printModel (FILE \*f)

  Print the model into a stream.

#### 4.5.1 Detailed Description

Class for storing, creating, and sampling the tree models.

Definition at line 13 of file tree-model.hpp.

#### 4.5.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 4.5.2.1 TreeModel::TreeModel (int n)

Constructor (assumes binary representation).

Definition at line 20 of file tree-model.cpp.

```
21 {
22    this->n=n;
23
24    // assume all variables are binary
25
26    num_vals=new int[n];
27    for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
28        num_vals[i]=2;
29</pre>
```

```
30
     // initialize some variables
31
32
     max_num_vals=2;
33
    mi_num = NULL;
34
35
    mi_p = NULL;
    mi_pi = NULL;
36
    mi_pj = NULL;
37
38
    succ = NULL;
    pred = NULL;
39
40
    num_succ = NULL;
41
    anc_order = NULL;
    prob = NULL;
42
    num_prob = NULL;
44 }
```

#### 4.5.2.2 TreeModel::TreeModel (int n, int \* num vals)

Another constructor (assumes arbitrary finite alphabets).

Definition at line 50 of file tree-model.cpp.

```
51 {
52
     this->n=n;
53
    // store range of all variables
54
55
56
     this->num_vals=new int[n];
57
    max_num_vals=0;
58
     for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
59
60
         this->num_vals[i]=num_vals[i];
61
         if (this->num_vals[i]>max_num_vals)
62
           max_num_vals=this->num_vals[i];
63
64
65
    // initialize some variables
66
67
    mi_num = NULL;
    mi_p = NULL;
68
    mi_pi = NULL;
69
70
    mi_pj = NULL;
    succ = NULL;
71
    pred = NULL;
72
73
    num_succ = NULL;
     anc_order = NULL;
74
    prob = NULL;
75
76 }
```

#### 4.5.2.3 TreeModel::~TreeModel()

Destructor.

Definition at line 82 of file tree-model.cpp.

```
83 {
84    // free memory used by the range of all variables
85
86    delete[] num_vals;
87
88    if (mi_num)
```

```
89
       delete[] mi_num;
     if (mi_p)
90
91
       delete[] mi_p;
92
     if (mi_pi)
93
       delete[] mi_pi;
94
     if (mi_pj)
       delete[] mi_pj;
95
96
     if (anc_order)
97
      delete[] anc_order;
98
     if (prob)
99
100
          for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
101
            delete[] prob[i];
102
          delete[] prob;
103
          delete[] num_prob;
        };
104
105
106
      if (succ)
107
108
           for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
109
             delete[] succ[i];
110
           delete[] succ;
111
           delete[] num_succ;
        }
112
113
      if (pred)
114
115
        delete[] pred;
116 }
```

#### 4.5.3 Member Function Documentation

#### 4.5.3.1 void TreeModel::learnProbabilities (int \*\* x, int N, int loud = 1)

Learn the probabilities for a given structure.

Definition at line 441 of file tree-model.cpp.

References Status::update().

Referenced by variation().

```
442 {
443
      int i,j;
444
     Status *status=new Status();
445
446
      if (loud)
       printf("
447
                   learning model parameters\n");
448
449
      if (prob == NULL)
450
451
          prob=new double*[n];
452
          num_prob=new int[n];
        }
453
454
      else
455
       for (i=0; i<n; i++)
456
          if (prob[i])
457
            delete[] prob[i];
458
     if (loud)
459
460
       printf("
                      phase 1/1: ");
461
462
      for (i=0; i<n; i++)
463
        {
464
          if (loud)
465
            status->update(((double)i)/n);
```

```
466
          if (pred[i]<0)
467
468
469
              int k=num_vals[i];
470
              prob[i]=new double[k];
471
              num_prob[i]=k;
472
              for (j=0; j<k; j++)
                prob[i][j]=0;
473
474
475
              for (j=0; j<N; j++)
476
                prob[i][x[j][i]]+=1;
477
              for (j=0; j< k; j++)
478
                prob[i][j]=prob[i][j]/N;
479
480
          else
481
            {
              int k=num_vals[i]*num_vals[pred[i]];
482
              prob[i]=new double[k];
483
484
              num_prob[i]=k;
              for (j=0; j<k; j++)
485
486
                prob[i][j]=0;
487
488
              int *total=new int[num_vals[pred[i]]];
489
              for (j=0; j<num_vals[pred[i]]; j++)</pre>
490
                 total[j]=0;
491
492
              for (j=0; j<N; j++)
493
                 {
494
                   int idx=num_vals[pred[i]]*x[j][i]+x[j][pred[i]];
495
                  prob[i][idx]+=1;
496
                   total[x[j][pred[i]]]++;
497
498
499
              for (j=0; j< k; j++)
500
                   int pred_value=j%num_vals[pred[i]];
501
502
                   prob[i][j]=prob[i][j]/total[pred_value];
503
504
505
              delete[] total;
506
        }
507
508
509
      if (loud)
        {
510
511
          status->update(1);
          printf("\n");
512
513
514
515
      delete status;
516 }
```

#### 4.5.3.2 void TreeModel::learnStructure (int \*\* x, int N, int loud = 1)

Learn the structure of the model.

Definition at line 200 of file tree-model.cpp.

References build\_max\_heap(), HEAP\_MINUS\_INFINITY, increase\_key\_max\_heap(), int-Rand(), pop\_max\_heap(), Status::reset(), and Status::update().

Referenced by variation().

```
201 {
202 int i,j,k;
```

```
203
     // initialize the complete graph with I(i,j) weight on each edge (i,j)
204
205
206
     int num_edges=n*(n-1)/2;
207
208
      int *a=new int[num_edges];
     int *b=new int[num_edges];
209
210
      int *index=new int[num_edges];
      int *rev_index=new int[num_edges];
211
     int *selected=new int[n];
212
213
214
     Status *status = new Status();
215
216
     if (pred==NULL)
       pred=new int[n];
217
218
219
     double *weights = new double[num_edges];
     double *I = new double[num_edges];
220
221
     if (num_succ==NULL)
222
      num_succ=new int[n];
223
224
225
     int num_selected=0;
226
     int last_selected=-1;
227
     int last_predecessor=-1;
     int heap_size=0;
228
229
230
     if (loud)
       printf("
231
                 learning model structure\n");
232
233
     // initialize variables
234
235
     for (i=0; i<n; i++)
236
237
          selected[i]=0;
238
          num_succ[i]=0;
239
240
241
     // create the tree
242
243
      if (loud)
244
       {
         printf("
245
                        phase 1/2: ");
246
          status->reset();
247
         status->update(0);
248
249
250
      for (i=1,k=0; i< n; i++)
251
          for (j=0; j<i; j++,k++)
252
253
254
             a[k]=j;
255
             b[k]=i;
256
              weights[k]=HEAP_MINUS_INFINITY;
257
              I[k]=mutualInformation(j,i,x,N);
258
              index[k]=k;
259
              rev_index[k]=k;
260
            };
261
262
263
            status->update(((double)1.0*k)/num_edges);
264
       };
265
     if (loud)
266
267
       printf("\n");
268
     // build the initial heap
269
```

```
270
271
      build_max_heap(a,b,weights,num_edges,index,rev_index);
272
      heap_size=num_edges;
273
      // a random node is first selected (last_selected stores its index)
274
275
276
      last_selected = intRand(n);
277
      last_predecessor = -1;
278
      pred[last_selected]=-1;
279
      root = last_selected;
280
281
      // initialize the status bar
282
283
      if (loud)
284
       {
          printf("
                         phase 2/2: ");
285
286
          status->reset();
          status->update(0);
287
288
289
290
      // we continue until all nodes have been selected
291
292
      while (num_selected<n)
293
294
          selected[last_selected]=1;
          pred[last_selected]=last_predecessor;
295
296
          num_selected++;
297
          if (loud)
298
            status->update(((double) 1.0*num_selected)/n);
299
300
          if (last predecessor>=0)
301
            num_succ[last_predecessor]++;
302
303
          // relax neighbors and find a new node to select (if not done)
304
305
          if (num_selected<n)
306
            {
307
308
              for (i=0; i<last_selected; i++)
309
310
                  int this_index=last_selected*(last_selected-1)/2+i;
311
                  if (I[this_index]>weights[this_index])
312
                     \verb|increase_key_max_heap(weights, this_index, I[this_index], heap_size, index, rev_index)|;\\
313
314
315
              for (i=last_selected+1; i<n; i++)</pre>
316
                  int this_index=i*(i-1)/2+last_selected;
317
                  if (I[this_index]>weights[this_index])
318
319
                     increase_key_max_heap(weights,this_index,I[this_index],heap_size,index,rev_index);
320
                };
321
322
              do {
323
                 i=pop_max_heap(weights,heap_size,index,rev_index);
324
              } while ((selected[a[i]])&&(selected[b[i]]));
325
326
              if (!selected[a[i]])
327
                {
328
                  last_selected=a[i];
329
                  last_predecessor=b[i];
330
                }
331
              else
332
                {
                  last_selected=b[i];
333
334
                  last_predecessor=a[i];
335
                }:
336
            };
```

```
337
       };
      if (loud)
338
       printf("\n");
339
341
     // create the actual graph
342
343
     if (succ==NULL)
344
        succ=new int*[n];
345
      else
       for (i=0; i<n; i++)
346
347
         if (succ[i])
348
           delete[] succ[i];
349
350
     for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
351
        if (num_succ[i]>0)
352
353
            succ[i]=new int[num_succ[i]];
354
           num_succ[i]=0;
         }
355
356
        else
357
          succ[i]=NULL;
358
359
     for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
        if (pred[i]>=0)
360
361
          {
            int p=pred[i];
362
363
364
            succ[p][num_succ[p]++]=i;
365
366
367
     // compute the ancestral ordering
368
     if (anc_order==NULL)
370
       anc_order=new int[n];
371
372
     int count=0;
     anc_order[count]=root;
373
374
     ancestralOrderingRec(count);
375
376
     // free memory
377
378
     delete[] a;
379
     delete[] b;
380
     delete[] weights;
381
382
     delete[] selected;
383
     delete[] index;
384
     delete[] rev_index;
385
386
     delete∏ I:
387
     delete status;
388 };
```

### 4.5.3.3 void TreeModel::printModel (FILE \* f)

Print the model into a stream.

Definition at line 394 of file tree-model.cpp.

```
395 {
396    printf("\n----\n")
397    printf("Structure:\n");
398    for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
399     {
400        printf(" %u",i);</pre>
```

```
401
        if (num_succ[i]>0)
402
            printf(" ->");
403
            for (int j=0; j<num_succ[i]; j++)
404
             printf(" %u", succ[i][j]);
405
406
        printf("\n");
407
408
409
     printf("Probabilities:\n");
410
411
     for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
412
        printf(" %2u: ",i);
413
414
        for (int j=0; j<num_prob[i]; j++)</pre>
         printf("%4.2f ",prob[i][j]);
415
        printf("\n");
416
417
    printf("\n----\n");
418
419 }
```

#### 4.5.3.4 void TreeModel::sampleModel (int \*\* x, int N)

Sample the tree model to generate new candidate solutions.

Definition at line 522 of file tree-model.cpp.

Referenced by variation().

```
523 {
524
      int i,j;
525
526
      for (i=0; i<N; i++)
527
528
          int idx=anc_order[0];
529
          x[i][idx]=generate_marginal(num_vals[idx],prob[idx]);
530
          for (j=1; j< n; j++)
531
532
            int idx=anc_order[j];
533
534
            // printf("can use max i=%u\n",num_prob[idx]);
536
            x[i][idx]=generate_conditional(num_vals[idx],num_vals[pred[idx]],prob[idx],x[i][pred[idx]]);
537
538
        }
539 }
```

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- tree-model.hpp
- tree-model.cpp

# Dependency-Tree Estimation of Distribution Algorithm File Documentation

## 5.1 bisection.cpp File Reference

```
Bisection method that computes near optimal population size.

#include "bisection.hpp"

#include "eda.hpp"
```

#### **Functions**

#include "stats.hpp"

- void bisection (Parameters \*params, AveragePopulationStatistics \*avg\_stats)

  Bisection method for determining optimal population size.
- int do\_runs (Parameters \*params, AveragePopulationStatistics \*avg\_stats, int quiet)

  Run a number of successful runs, terminate on a failure.
- void print\_bisection\_summary (FILE \*f, AveragePopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Print summary of a set of runs (represented by average statistics).

#### 5.1.1 Detailed Description

Bisection method that computes near optimal population size. Definition in file bisection.cpp.

#### 5.1.2 Function Documentation

```
5.1.2.1 void bisection (Parameters * params, AveragePopulationStatistics * avg stats)
```

Bisection method for determining optimal population size.

#### Examples:

```
example input, example input big, and example input bisection.
```

Definition at line 15 of file bisection.cpp.

References do\_runs(), Parameters::population\_size, AveragePopulationStatistics::population\_size, Parameters::quiet mode, separator(), and Parameters::verbose mode.

```
16 {
     AveragePopulationStatistics current_avg_stats;
17
18
     Parameters *current_params = new Parameters;
19
     int result;
20
     int quiet=params->quiet_mode;
21
22
     params->quiet_mode=1;
23
     params->verbose_mode=0;
24
25
     // make the first set of runs
26
27
     *current_params = *params;
28
     result=do_runs(current_params,&current_avg_stats,quiet);
29
30
     int minN=0;
31
     int maxN=0;
32
33
     if (result)
34
         // if successful, try to halve population size until failure
35
36
37
         *avg_stats=current_avg_stats;
38
39
         while (result)
40
           {
41
             current_params->population_size/=2;
42
             result=do_runs(current_params,&current_avg_stats,quiet);
43
44
             if (result)
45
                *avg_stats=current_avg_stats;
46
47
48
         // set initial population size bounds
49
50
         \verb|minN=current_params->population_size|;\\
51
         maxN=minN*2;
52
       }
53
     else
54
         // if failure, double population size until success
55
56
57
         while (!result)
58
59
             current_params->population_size*=2;
60
             result=do_runs(current_params,&current_avg_stats,quiet);
61
```

```
62
             if (result)
63
                *avg_stats=current_avg_stats;
64
65
         \ensuremath{//} set initial population size bounds
66
67
         maxN=current_params->population_size;
68
69
         minN=maxN/2;
70
71
72
     // perform bisection until interval width is at most 5% of the
73
     // lower bound
74
75
     while ((((double)maxN-minN)/minN)>0.05)
76
77
         // try to make a set of runs in the middle of the interval
78
79
         current_params->population_size=(minN+maxN)/2;
80
         result=do_runs(current_params,&current_avg_stats,quiet);
81
82
         if (result)
83
           *avg_stats=current_avg_stats;
84
         // success goes halves the interval downwards, failure upwards
85
86
87
         if (result)
88
           maxN=current_params->population_size;
89
         else
90
           minN=current_params->population_size;
91
       }
92
93
     if (quiet==0)
94
95
         printf("Finished bisection with N=%u\n",avg_stats->population_size);
96
         separator(stdout);
97
98
99
     delete current_params;
100 }
```

# 5.1.2.2 int do\_runs (Parameters \* params, AveragePopulationStatistics \* avg stats, int quiet)

Run a number of successful runs, terminate on a failure.

Definition at line 107 of file bisection.cpp.

References average\_population\_statistics(), Parameters::num\_bisection\_runs, one\_run(), and Parameters::population\_size.

Referenced by bisection().

```
108 {
     PopulationStatistics *stats = new PopulationStatistics[params->num_bisection_runs];
109
110
      int run:
111
      int failed=0;
112
      for (run=0; (run<params->num_bisection_runs)&&(!failed); run++)
113
114
          int result=one_run(params,&stats[run]);
115
116
          failed=!result;
117
118
119
      if (quiet==0)
```

```
120
       printf("bisection -> %2u / %2u successes with N=%u\n",
121
              run,params->num_bisection_runs,params->population_size);
122
123
     average_population_statistics(avg_stats,stats,params->num_bisection_runs);
124
125
     delete[] stats;
126
127
     if (failed)
128
      return 0;
129
     else
130
       return 1;
131 }
```

# 5.1.2.3 void print bisection summary (FILE \* f, AveragePopulationStatistics \* stats)

Print summary of a set of runs (represented by average statistics).

Definition at line 138 of file bisection.cpp.

 $References - Average Population Statistics:: avg\_maxF, - Average Population Statistics:: avg\_num\_evals, \\ Average Population Statistics:: num - runs, \\ and - Average Population Statistics:: population - size.$ 

## 5.2 bisection.hpp File Reference

```
Header file for bisection.cpp.
#include "eda.hpp"
```

#### **Functions**

- void bisection (Parameters \*params, AveragePopulationStatistics \*avg\_stats)

  Bisection method for determining optimal population size.
- int do\_runs (Parameters \*params, AveragePopulationStatistics \*avg\_stats, int quiet=1)

  Run a number of successful runs, terminate on a failure.
- void print\_bisection\_summary (FILE \*f, AveragePopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Print summary of a set of runs (represented by average statistics).

#### 5.2.1 Detailed Description

Header file for bisection.cpp.

Definition in file bisection.hpp.

#### 5.2.2 Function Documentation

```
5.2.2.1 void bisection (Parameters * params, AveragePopulationStatistics * avg stats)
```

Bisection method for determining optimal population size.

Definition at line 15 of file bisection.cpp.

References do\_runs(), AveragePopulationStatistics::population\_size, Parameters::population\_size, Parameters::quiet mode, separator(), and Parameters::verbose mode.

```
16 {
17
    AveragePopulationStatistics current_avg_stats;
    Parameters *current_params = new Parameters;
19
    int result:
20
    int quiet=params->quiet_mode;
21
22
    params->quiet_mode=1;
23
    params->verbose_mode=0;
24
25
    // make the first set of runs
26
27
     *current_params = *params;
28
    result=do_runs(current_params,&current_avg_stats,quiet);
29
30
    int minN=0:
31
    int maxN=0;
32
33
     if (result)
34
```

```
35
         // if successful, try to halve population size until failure
36
37
         *avg_stats=current_avg_stats;
38
         while (result)
39
40
             current_params->population_size/=2;
41
42
             result=do_runs(current_params,&current_avg_stats,quiet);
43
44
             if (result)
45
               *avg_stats=current_avg_stats;
46
47
48
         // set initial population size bounds
49
50
         minN=current_params->population_size;
51
         maxN=minN*2;
      }
52
53
     else
54
55
         // if failure, double population size until success
56
57
         while (!result)
58
           {
59
             current_params->population_size*=2;
             result=do_runs(current_params,&current_avg_stats,quiet);
60
61
62
             if (result)
63
               *avg_stats=current_avg_stats;
64
65
         // set initial population size bounds
66
67
         maxN=current_params->population_size;
68
69
         minN=maxN/2;
70
71
72
     // perform bisection until interval width is at most 5\% of the
73
     // lower bound
74
75
     while ((((double)maxN-minN)/minN)>0.05)
76
77
         // try to make a set of runs in the middle of the interval
78
79
         current_params->population_size=(minN+maxN)/2;
80
         result=do_runs(current_params,&current_avg_stats,quiet);
81
         if (result)
82
83
           *avg_stats=current_avg_stats;
84
85
         // success goes halves the interval downwards, failure upwards
86
87
         if (result)
88
           maxN=current_params->population_size;
89
         else
90
           minN=current_params->population_size;
91
92
93
     if (quiet==0)
94
95
         printf("Finished bisection with N=%u\n",avg\_stats->population\_size);
96
         separator(stdout);
97
98
     delete current_params;
100 }
```

```
5.2.2.2 int do_runs (Parameters * params, AveragePopulationStatistics * avg stats, int quiet = 1)
```

Run a number of successful runs, terminate on a failure.

Definition at line 107 of file bisection.cpp.

References average\_population\_statistics(), Parameters::num\_bisection\_runs, one\_run(), and Parameters::population\_size.

Referenced by bisection().

```
109
     PopulationStatistics *stats = new PopulationStatistics[params->num_bisection_runs];
110
      int run;
111
      int failed=0;
112
113
     for (run=0; (run<params->num_bisection_runs)&&(!failed); run++)
114
          int result=one_run(params,&stats[run]);
115
116
          failed=!result;
117
       }:
118
     if (quiet==0)
119
      printf("bisection -> %2u / %2u successes with N=%u\n",
120
121
               run,params->num_bisection_runs,params->population_size);
122
123
     average_population_statistics(avg_stats,stats,params->num_bisection_runs);
124
125
     delete[] stats;
126
127
      if (failed)
128
      return 0:
129
     else
130
       return 1;
131 }
```

# 5.2.2.3 void print bisection summary (FILE \* f, AveragePopulationStatistics \* stats)

Print summary of a set of runs (represented by average statistics).

Definition at line 138 of file bisection.cpp.

 $References - Average Population Statistics:: avg\_maxF, - Average Population Statistics:: avg\_num\_evals, \\ Average Population Statistics:: num\_runs, \\ and - Average Population Statistics:: population\_size.$ 

```
139 {
140     fprintf(f, "Bisection summary output:\n");
141     fprintf(f, " num_runs = %u\n", stats->num_runs);
142     fprintf(f, " avg_best_found = %f\n", stats->avg_maxF);
143     fprintf(f, " avg_num_evals = %f\n", stats->avg_num_evals);
144     fprintf(f, " pop_size = %u\n", stats->population_size);
145 }
```

## 5.3 eda.cpp File Reference

```
EDA-specific functions (except for the model-related ones).
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include "eda.hpp"
#include "random.hpp"
#include "obj-function.hpp"
#include "stats.hpp"
#include "tree-model.hpp"
```

#### **Typedefs**

typedef int ReplacementMethod (int \*\*x, int \*\*y, int n, int N, double \*fx, double \*fy)

#### **Functions**

- int generate\_population (int \*\*x, int n, int N, int \*num\_vals=NULL)

  Generate a random population of individuals (uniform distribution).
- int generate\_BB\_population (int \*\*x, int n, int N, int k)

  Generate a poulation full of blocks of 0s and 1s. Only for debugging.
- int \*\* allocate\_population (int n, int N)

  Allocate memory for a new population of specified parameters.
- void free\_population (int \*\*x, int n, int N)

  Free memory occupied by a population of specified parameters.
- int evaluate\_population (int \*\*x, double \*f, int n, int N, long &num\_evals)

  Evaluate a population using the user-specified objective function.
- int tournament\_selection (int \*\*y, int \*\*x, double \*f, int n, int N, int k)

  Tournament selection with replacement (k-ary tournaments).
- void print\_population (FILE \*f, int \*\*x, int n, int N)

  Print the population to the specified file.
- int restricted\_tournament\_replacement (int \*\*x, int \*\*y, int n, int N, double \*fx, double \*fy)

Restricted tournament replacement (Harik, 1995) for niching.

• int full\_replacement (int \*\*x, int \*\*y, int n, int N, double \*fx, double \*fy)

Replace the entire old population with the new population.

- int individual\_distance (int \*x, int \*y, int n)

  Compute a distance between two individuals (number of non-matching chars).
- int one\_run (Parameters \*params, PopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Execute one run of a decision-tree EDA with the specified parameters.
- int variation (int \*\*sampled\_population, int \*\*selected\_population, Parameters \*params, int \*num\_vals)

Variation operator of the decision-tree EDA (learns and samples model).

- void print\_status (int t, PopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Print the status of the algorithm.
- void separator (FILE \*f, int type)

  Print a sequence of dashes to separate text output.
- void print\_summary (PopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Print summary of a run.

# 5.3.1 Detailed Description

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{EDA}}\xspace$  -specific functions (except for the model-related ones).

Definition in file eda.cpp.

# 5.3.2 Typedef Documentation

5.3.2.1 typedef int ReplacementMethod(int \*\*x, int \*\*y, int n, int N, double \*fx, double \*fy)

Definition at line 19 of file eda.cpp.

#### 5.3.3 Function Documentation

# 5.3.3.1 int\*\* allocate population (int n, int N)

Allocate memory for a new population of specified parameters.

Definition at line 84 of file eda.cpp.

```
85 {
86
     int i;
87
     int **x;
88
89
     // allocate a population as a 2-dimensional int-array
90
91
     x=new int*[N];
92
     for (i=0; i<N; i++)
93
       x[i]=new int[n];
94
```

```
95
     // return the allocated array
96
    return x;
97
98 }
```

# int evaluate population (int \*\* x, double \* f, int n, int N, long & num evals)

Evaluate a population using the user-specified objective function.

Definition at line 122 of file eda.cpp.

References objective function().

Referenced by one run().

```
123 {
124
     // evaluate all individuals, one by one
125
     for (int i=0; i<N; i++)
126
127
       f[i]=objective_function(x[i],n);
128
129
     // increase the number of evaluations
130
     num_evals+=N;
131
132
133
     // return the number of evaluated individuals
134
135
     return N;
136 }
```

# void free population (int \*\* x, int n, int N)

Free memory occupied by a population of specified parameters.

Definition at line 105 of file eda.cpp.

Referenced by one run().

```
106 {
107
      int i;
108
     // free memory used by the population
109
110
111
     for (i=0; i<N; i++)
       delete[] x[i];
112
113
114
     delete[] x;
115 }
```

# 5.3.3.4 int full replacement (int \*\* x, int \*\* y, int n, int N, double \* fx, double \* fy)

Replace the entire old population with the new population.

Definition at line 243 of file eda.cpp.

```
244 {
245
       int i;
246
      // just replace entire old population with the new guys
248
249
      for (i=0; i<N; i++)
250
           \label{eq:memcpy} \texttt{memcpy(x[i],y[i],sizeof(x[i][0])*n);}
251
252
           fx[i]=fy[i];
253
254
255
      // return the number of processed new individuals
256
257
      return N;
258 }
```

# 5.3.3.5 int generate BB population (int \*\* x, int n, int N, int k)

Generate a poulation full of blocks of 0s and 1s. Only for debugging.

Definition at line 57 of file eda.cpp.

References drand().

```
58 {
59
     int i,j,l;
     // generate a population full of 000..0 and 111..1 building blocks
61
62
     \ensuremath{//} (used for testing the model building procedure, unnecessary for
     // practical applications)
63
64
65
     for (i=0; i<N; i++)
66
       for (j=0; j<n;)
67
68
           int val=(drand()<0.5)? 0:1;
69
70
           for (1=0; 1<k; 1++)
             x[i][j++]=val;
71
72
       };
73
74
     // return the number of generated individuals
75
76
    return N;
77 }
```

# 5.3.3.6 int generate population (int \*\* x, int n, int N, int \* num vals = NULL)

Generate a random population of individuals (uniform distribution).

Definition at line 31 of file eda.cpp.

References drand(), and intRand().

```
32 {
33   int i,j;
34
35   // general all variables uniformly randomly
36   // (if the numbers of values is not supplied, assumes binary)
37
38   if (num_vals==NULL)
```

```
39
       for (i=0; i<n; i++)
         for (j=0; j<N; j++)
40
41
           x[j][i]=(drand()<0.5)? 0:1;
42
43
       for (i=0; i<n; i++)
44
         for (j=0; j<N; j++)
           x[j][i]=intRand(num_vals[i]);
45
46
47
     // return the number of generated individuals
48
49
     return N;
50 }
```

#### 5.3.3.7 int individual distance (int \* x, int \* y, int n)

Compute a distance between two individuals (number of non-matching chars).

Definition at line 265 of file eda.cpp.

Referenced by restricted tournament replacement().

```
266 {
267    int i;
268    int d=0;
269
270    for (i=0; i<n; i++)
271        if (x[i]!=y[i])
272        d++;
273
274    return d;
275 }
```

# 5.3.3.8 int one run (Parameters \* params, PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Execute one run of a decision-tree EDA with the specified parameters.

Definition at line 282 of file eda.cpp.

References allocate\_population(), Parameters::bisection, compute\_population\_statistics(), evaluate\_population(), free\_population(), full\_replacement(), generate\_population(), init\_population\_statistics(), Parameters::max\_generations, N, PopulationStatistics::num\_evals, Parameters::population\_size, print\_status(), Parameters::problem\_size, Parameters::quiet\_mode, Parameters::replacement, restricted\_tournament\_replacement(), set\_num\_vals(), PopulationStatistics::success, tournament\_selection(), Parameters::tournament\_size, variation(), and Parameters::verbose\_mode.

Referenced by do runs(), and main().

```
283 {
     int N=params->population_size;
285
     int n=params->problem_size;
286
      int max_generations=params->max_generations;
287
288
     int **current_population;
289
      int **selected_population;
     int **sampled_population;
290
291
292
      double *current_f;
293
      double *sampled_f;
294
```

```
295
      int *num_vals = new int[n];
296
297
      // allocate populations and necessary fitness arrays
      {\tt current\_population} \; = \; {\tt allocate\_population(n,N)} \; ; \\
299
300
      selected_population = allocate_population(n,N);
      sampled_population = allocate_population(n,N);
301
302
303
      current_f = new double[N];
      sampled_f = new double[N];
304
305
306
      // initialize the replacement method
307
308
      ReplacementMethod *replacement;
309
      if (params->replacement==0)
310
        replacement=restricted_tournament_replacement;
311
      else
312
        if (params->replacement==1)
313
          replacement=full_replacement;
314
        else
315
316
            printf("ERROR: Unknown replacement method (%u)\n",params->replacement);
317
            exit(-2);
          };
318
319
      // initialize the number of values
320
321
322
      set_num_vals(num_vals,n);
323
324
     // generate initial population
325
      generate_population(current_population,n,N,num_vals);
326
327
328
      // evaluate initial population
329
330
      evaluate_population(current_population,current_f,n,N,stats->num_evals);
331
332
      // initialize some main-loop variables
333
334
      int done=0:
335
336
337
      \ensuremath{//} init the statistics and print the initial status information
338
339
      init_population_statistics(stats);
340
      compute_population_statistics(current_population,current_f,n,N,num_vals,stats);
341
342
      if (params->quiet_mode==0)
343
       print_status(t,stats);
344
      else
345
        params->verbose_mode=0;
346
      // main loop
347
348
349
      while (!done)
350
        {
351
          // increment generation counter
352
353
          t++;
354
          // selection
355
356
357
          tournament_selection(selected_population,
358
                                current_population,
359
                                current_f,
360
                                n.
361
                                N,
```

```
362
                                 params->tournament_size);
363
364
          // variation
365
          variation(sampled_population,selected_population,params,num_vals);
366
367
368
          // evaluation of new candidates
369
370
          evaluate_population(sampled_population,sampled_f,n,N,stats->num_evals);
371
372
          // replacement
373
374
          replacement(current_population,
375
                       sampled_population,
376
                       n.
377
                       Ν,
378
                       current_f,
379
                       sampled_f);
380
381
          // statistics
382
383
          compute_population_statistics(current_population,current_f,n,N,num_vals,stats);
384
385
          // print current status
386
          if ((params->quiet_mode==0)&&(params->bisection==0))
387
388
            print_status(t,stats);
389
390
          // should terminate?
391
392
          if ((t>max_generations)||(stats->success==1))
393
             done=1;
394
395
396
      // free memory
398
      delete[] num_vals;
399
      delete[] sampled_f;
400
      delete[] current_f;
401
402
      free_population(current_population,n,N);
403
      \label{free_population} \texttt{free\_population(selected\_population,n,N)};
404
      {\tt free\_population(sampled\_population,n,N);}
405
406
      // return with success/failure (0/1)
407
408
      return stats->success:
409 }
```

## 5.3.3.9 void print population (FILE \* f, int \*\* x, int n, int N)

Print the population to the specified file.

Definition at line 175 of file eda.cpp.

References objective function().

```
184 };
185 }
```

# 5.3.3.10 void print status (int t, PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Print the status of the algorithm.

Definition at line 451 of file eda.cpp.

References PopulationStatistics::avgF, PopulationStatistics::maxF, PopulationStatistics::minF, and separator().

Referenced by one run().

# 5.3.3.11 void print summary (PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Print summary of a run.

Definition at line 478 of file eda.cpp.

 $References \quad PopulationStatistics::maxF, \quad PopulationStatistics::num\_evals, \quad PopulationStatistics::population\_size, \\ PopulationStatistics::problem\_size, \\ And PopulationStatistics::success. \\ PopulationStatistics::problem\_size, \\ PopulationStatistics::prob$ 

Referenced by main().

```
479 {
480
     printf("Summary:\n");
     printf(" status
                             = %s\n",(stats->success)? "success":"failure");
481
     printf("
482
                best_found
                            = %f\n'', stats->maxF);
+63 printf("
484 pri
               num_evals
                            = %lu\n",stats->num_evals);
                            = %u\n",stats->population_size);
               pop_size
     printf("
485
               problem_size = %u\n",stats->problem_size);
486 }
```

# 5.3.3.12 int restricted tournament replacement (int \*\* x, int \*\* y, int n, int N, double \* fx, double \* fy)

Restricted tournament replacement (Harik, 1995) for niching.

Definition at line 192 of file eda.cpp.

References individual distance(), and intRand().

```
193 {
194   int i,j;
195
196   // use default value for window size
197
```

```
int windowSize=(n<N/20)? n:(N/20);
198
199
200
      // for every individual, do the same
201
      for (i=0; i<N; i++)
202
203
204
          // select a random subset from the original population (window) and
205
          // find the most similar guy to the new individual in this window
206
          // (string Hamming distance)
207
208
          int pick=intRand(N);
209
          int dist=individual_distance(x[i],y[pick],n);
210
211
          for (j=1; j<windowSize; j++)</pre>
212
213
              int pick2=intRand(N);
              int dist2=individual_distance(x[i],y[pick2],n);
214
215
216
              if (dist2<dist)
217
218
                  pick=pick2;
219
                   dist=dist2;
220
            }
221
222
223
          // if the most similar guy from the window is better than the new guy,
224
          // the new guy replaces it
225
226
          if (fx[i]<fy[pick])</pre>
227
              memcpy(x[i],y[pick],sizeof(x[i][0])*n);
228
229
              fx[i]=fy[pick];
230
231
232
      // return the number of processed new individuals
233
234
235
     return N;
236 }
```

#### 5.3.3.13 void separator (FILE \* f, int type)

Print a sequence of dashes to separate text output.

Definition at line 465 of file eda.cpp.

Referenced by bisection(), print parameters(), print status(), and variation().

```
466 {
467    if (type==0)
468        fprintf(f,"------\n");
469    else
470        fprintf(f,"----\n");
471 }
```

# 5.3.3.14 int tournament selection (int \*\* y, int \*\* x, double \* f, int n, int N, int k)

Tournament selection with replacement (k-ary tournaments).

Definition at line 143 of file eda.cpp.

References intRand().

Referenced by one run().

```
144 {
145
      int i,j;
146
147
      for (i=0; i<N; i++)
148
149
          // select a winner of k tournaments (with replacement)
150
151
          int winner=intRand(N);
152
          for (j=1; j< k; j++)
153
154
              int l=intRand(N);
155
              if (f[l]>f[winner])
156
                winner=1:
157
158
159
          // the winner takes the next spot in the selected population
160
161
          for (int ii=0; ii<n; ii++)
162
            y[i][ii]=x[winner][ii];
163
164
      // return the number of selected individuals
165
166
167
     return N;
168 }
```

# 5.3.3.15 int variation (int \*\* sampled\_population, int \*\* selected\_population, Parameters \* params, int \* num vals)

Variation operator of the decision-tree EDA (learns and samples model).

Definition at line 416 of file eda.cpp.

 $\label{lem:normalized} References & TreeModel::learnProbabilities(), & TreeModel::learnStructure(), & N, \\ Parameters::population\_size, & Parameters::problem\_size, & TreeModel::sampleModel(), & separator(), and Parameters::verbose & mode. \\ \end{cases}$ 

```
417 {
418
      int N=params->population_size;
419
      int n=params->problem_size;
420
      int loud=params->verbose_mode;
421
422
     if (loud)
       separator(stdout,0);
423
424
425
     TreeModel *t = new TreeModel(n, num_vals);
426
427
     // learn the model structure and model parameters
428
     t -> learnStructure (selected\_population, N, loud);
429
430
      t->learnProbabilities(selected_population,N,loud);
431
432
     // sample the learned model to generate new candidate solutions
433
434
     t->sampleModel(sampled_population,N);
435
436
     // free memory
437
438
      delete t;
```

```
439
440
     // return the number of generated individuals
441
442
     return N;
443 }
```

# 5.4 eda.hpp File Reference

```
Header file for eda.cpp.
#include <stdio.h>
#include "stats.hpp"
```

#### **Data Structures**

• struct Parameters

Parameters for the decision-tree EDA (can be set using parameter files).

#### **Functions**

- int generate population (int \*\*x, int n, int N)
- int \*\* allocate\_population (int n, int N)

  Allocate memory for a new population of specified parameters.
- void free\_population (int \*\*x, int n, int N)

  Free memory occupied by a population of specified parameters.
- int evaluate population (int \*\*x, double \*f, int n, int N)
- int tournament\_selection (int \*\*y, int \*\*x, double \*f, int n, int N, int k)

  Tournament selection with replacement (k-ary tournaments).
- void print\_population (FILE \*f, int \*\*x, int n, int N)

  Print the population to the specified file.
- int restricted\_tournament\_replacement (int \*\*y, int \*\*x, int n, int N, double \*fx, double \*fy)

Restricted tournament replacement (Harik, 1995) for niching.

- int full\_replacement (int \*\*y, int \*\*x, int n, int N, double \*fx, double \*fy)

  Replace the entire old population with the new population.
- int individual\_distance (int \*x, int \*y, int n)

  Compute a distance between two individuals (number of non-matching chars).
- int variation (int \*\*sampled\_population, int \*\*selected\_population, Parameters \*params, int \*num\_vals)

Variation operator of the decision-tree EDA (learns and samples model).

- void print\_status (int t, PopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Print the status of the algorithm.
- void print\_summary (PopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Print summary of a run.

- int one\_run (Parameters \*params, PopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Execute one run of a decision-tree EDA with the specified parameters.
- int generate\_BB\_population (int \*\*x, int n, int N, int k)

  Generate a poulation full of blocks of 0s and 1s. Only for debugging.
- void separator (FILE \*f, int type=1)

  Print a sequence of dashes to separate text output.

# 5.4.1 Detailed Description

Header file for eda.cpp.

Definition in file eda.hpp.

#### 5.4.2 Function Documentation

# 5.4.2.1 int\*\* allocate population (int n, int N)

Allocate memory for a new population of specified parameters.

Definition at line 84 of file eda.cpp.

Referenced by one run().

```
85 {
86
    int i;
87
    int **x;
88
89
    // allocate a population as a 2-dimensional int-array
90
91
     x=new int*[N];
92
    for (i=0; i<N; i++)
93
       x[i]=new int[n];
94
95
     // return the allocated array
96
97
     return x;
98 }
```

# 5.4.2.2 int evaluate population (int \*\* x, double \* f, int n, int N)

## 5.4.2.3 void free population (int \*\* x, int n, int N)

Free memory occupied by a population of specified parameters.

Definition at line 105 of file eda.cpp.

```
106 {
107    int i;
108
109    // free memory used by the population
110
```

```
111 for (i=0; i<N; i++)
112 delete[] x[i];
113
114 delete[] x;
115 }</pre>
```

## 5.4.2.4 int full replacement (int \*\* y, int \*\* x, int n, int N, double \* fx, double \* fy)

Replace the entire old population with the new population.

Definition at line 243 of file eda.cpp.

Referenced by one run().

```
244 {
245
      int i;
246
247
      // just replace entire old population with the new guys
248
      for (i=0; i<N; i++)
249
250
251
          memcpy(x[i],y[i],sizeof(x[i][0])*n);
252
          fx[i]=fy[i];
253
254
255
      \ensuremath{//} return the number of processed new individuals
256
257
      return N;
258 }
```

# 5.4.2.5 int generate BB population (int \*\* x, int n, int N, int k)

Generate a poulation full of blocks of 0s and 1s. Only for debugging.

Definition at line 57 of file eda.cpp.

References drand().

```
58 {
59
    int i,j,1;
60
     // generate a population full of 000..0 and 111..1 building blocks
61
    // (used for testing the model building procedure, unnecessary for
62
63
    // practical applications)
64
65
     for (i=0; i<N; i++)
66
       for (j=0; j<n;)
67
68
           int val=(drand()<0.5)? 0:1;
69
70
           for (1=0; 1<k; 1++)
71
             x[i][j++]=val;
72
73
74
     // return the number of generated individuals
75
76
     return N;
77 }
```

```
5.4.2.6 int generate population (int ** x, int n, int N)
```

```
5.4.2.7 int individual distance (int * x, int * y, int n)
```

Compute a distance between two individuals (number of non-matching chars).

Definition at line 265 of file eda.cpp.

Referenced by restricted tournament replacement().

```
266 €
267
      int i;
268
      int d=0;
269
270
      for (i=0; i<n; i++)
271
        if (x[i]!=y[i])
272
          d++;
273
274
     return d:
275 }
```

#### 5.4.2.8 int one run (Parameters \* params, PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Execute one run of a decision-tree EDA with the specified parameters.

Definition at line 282 of file eda.cpp.

References allocate\_population(), Parameters::bisection, compute\_population\_statistics(), evaluate\_population(), free\_population(), full\_replacement(), generate\_population(), init\_population\_statistics(), Parameters::max\_generations, N, PopulationStatistics::num\_evals, Parameters::population\_size, print\_status(), Parameters::problem\_size, Parameters::quiet\_mode, Parameters::replacement, restricted\_tournament\_replacement(), set\_num\_vals(), PopulationStatistics::success, tournament\_selection(), Parameters::tournament\_size, variation(), and Parameters::verbose\_mode.

Referenced by do runs(), and main().

```
283 {
284
      int N=params->population_size;
285
      int n=params->problem_size;
      int max_generations=params->max_generations;
286
287
288
      int **current_population;
289
      int **selected_population;
290
      int **sampled_population;
291
292
      double *current_f;
293
      double *sampled_f;
294
295
      int *num vals = new int[n]:
296
     // allocate populations and necessary fitness arrays
297
298
299
      current_population = allocate_population(n,N);
300
      selected_population = allocate_population(n,N);
301
      sampled_population = allocate_population(n,N);
302
303
      current_f = new double[N];
304
      sampled_f = new double[N];
305
306
      // initialize the replacement method
307
```

```
308
      ReplacementMethod *replacement;
309
      if (params->replacement==0)
310
        replacement=restricted_tournament_replacement;
311
312
       if (params->replacement==1)
313
          replacement=full_replacement;
314
        else
315
            printf("ERROR: Unknown replacement method (%u)\n",params->replacement);
316
            exit(-2);
317
          };
318
319
320
      // initialize the number of values
321
322
      set_num_vals(num_vals,n);
323
324
     // generate initial population
325
      generate_population(current_population,n,N,num_vals);
326
327
328
     // evaluate initial population
329
330
      evaluate_population(current_population,current_f,n,N,stats->num_evals);
331
332
      // initialize some main-loop variables
333
334
      int done=0;
335
      int t=0;
336
337
      // init the statistics and print the initial status information
338
339
      init_population_statistics(stats);
340
      compute_population_statistics(current_population,current_f,n,N,num_vals,stats);
341
342
      if (params->quiet_mode==0)
343
       print_status(t,stats);
344
      else
345
       params->verbose_mode=0;
346
347
      // main loop
348
349
      while (!done)
350
351
          // increment generation counter
352
353
          t++;
354
355
          // selection
356
357
          tournament_selection(selected_population,
358
                                current_population,
359
                                current_f,
360
                               n.
361
                                N,
                               params->tournament_size);
362
363
364
          // variation
365
366
          variation(sampled_population, selected_population, params, num_vals);
367
368
          // evaluation of new candidates
369
370
          evaluate_population(sampled_population,sampled_f,n,N,stats->num_evals);
371
372
          // replacement
373
374
          replacement(current_population,
```

```
375
                      sampled_population,
376
                      n.
377
                      N,
378
                      current_f,
379
                      sampled_f);
380
381
          // statistics
382
383
          compute_population_statistics(current_population,current_f,n,N,num_vals,stats);
384
385
          // print current status
386
387
          if ((params->quiet_mode==0)&&(params->bisection==0))
388
            print_status(t,stats);
389
          // should terminate?
390
391
          if ((t>max_generations)||(stats->success==1))
392
393
394
395
396
      // free memory
397
      delete[] num_vals;
398
399
      delete[] sampled_f;
400
     delete[] current_f;
401
402
     free_population(current_population,n,N);
403
     free_population(selected_population,n,N);
404
     free_population(sampled_population,n,N);
405
406
     // return with success/failure (0/1)
407
408
     return stats->success;
409 }
```

#### 5.4.2.9 void print population (FILE \* f, int \*\* x, int n, int N)

Print the population to the specified file.

Definition at line 175 of file eda.cpp.

References objective function().

#### 5.4.2.10 void print status (int t, PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Print the status of the algorithm.

Definition at line 451 of file eda.cpp.

References PopulationStatistics::avgF, PopulationStatistics::maxF, PopulationStatistics::minF, and separator().

Referenced by one run().

#### 5.4.2.11 void print summary (PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Print summary of a run.

Definition at line 478 of file eda.cpp.

 $References \quad PopulationStatistics::maxF, \quad PopulationStatistics::num\_evals, \quad PopulationStatistics::population\_size, \\ PopulationStatistics::problem\_size, \\ And PopulationStatistics::success. \\ PopulationStatistics::problem\_size, \\ PopulationStatistics::prob$ 

Referenced by main().

```
479 {
480
     printf("Summary:\n");
    printf(" status
                            = %s\n",(stats->success)? "success":"failure");
481
    printf("
482
               best_found
                           = %f\n'', stats->maxF);
               num_evals
     printf("
                            = %lu\n",stats->num_evals);
483
484 printf("
               pop_size
                           = %u\n",stats->population_size);
    printf("
485
               problem_size = %u\n",stats->problem_size);
486 }
```

# 5.4.2.12 int restricted tournament replacement (int \*\* y, int \*\* x, int n, int N, double \* fx, double \* fy)

Restricted tournament replacement (Harik, 1995) for niching.

Definition at line 192 of file eda.cpp.

References individual distance(), and intRand().

```
193 {
194
      int i,j;
195
196
      // use default value for window size
197
     int windowSize=(n<N/20)? n:(N/20);
198
199
      // for every individual, do the same
200
202
      for (i=0; i<N; i++)
203
204
          // select a random subset from the original population (window) and
205
          \ensuremath{//} find the most similar guy to the new individual in this window
206
          // (string Hamming distance)
207
208
          int pick=intRand(N);
          int dist=individual_distance(x[i],y[pick],n);
209
210
211
          for (j=1; j<windowSize; j++)</pre>
```

```
212
              int pick2=intRand(N);
213
214
              int dist2=individual_distance(x[i],y[pick2],n);
215
              if (dist2<dist)
216
217
                  pick=pick2;
218
219
                  dist=dist2;
220
221
222
223
          // if the most similar guy from the window is better than the new guy,
224
          // the new guy replaces it
225
226
          if (fx[i]<fy[pick])</pre>
227
              memcpy(x[i],y[pick],sizeof(x[i][0])*n);
228
229
              fx[i]=fy[pick];
230
231
232
233
      // return the number of processed new individuals
234
235
      return N;
236 }
```

# 5.4.2.13 void separator (FILE \* f, int type = 1)

Print a sequence of dashes to separate text output.

Definition at line 465 of file eda.cpp.

Referenced by bisection(), print parameters(), print status(), and variation().

```
466 {
467    if (type==0)
468        fprintf(f,"------\n");
469    else
470        fprintf(f,"----\n");
471 }
```

#### 5.4.2.14 int tournament selection (int \*\* y, int \*\* x, double \* f, int n, int N, int k)

Tournament selection with replacement (k-ary tournaments).

Definition at line 143 of file eda.cpp.

References intRand().

```
144 {
145
      int i,j;
146
147
     for (i=0; i<N; i++)
148
149
          // select a winner of k tournaments (with replacement)
150
151
          int winner=intRand(N);
          for (j=1; j<k; j++)
153
            {
154
              int l=intRand(N);
```

```
if (f[1]>f[winner])
155
156
                winner=1:
157
158
          // the winner takes the next spot in the selected population
159
160
161
          for (int ii=0; ii<n; ii++)
162
            y[i][ii]=x[winner][ii];
163
164
165
      // return the number of selected individuals
166
167
      return N;
168 }
```

# 5.4.2.15 int variation (int \*\* sampled\_population, int \*\* selected\_population, Parameters \* params, int \* num\_vals)

Variation operator of the decision-tree EDA (learns and samples model).

Definition at line 416 of file eda.cpp.

 $\label{lem:normalized} References & TreeModel::learnProbabilities(), & TreeModel::learnStructure(), & N, \\ Parameters::population\_size, & Parameters::problem\_size, & TreeModel::sampleModel(), & separator(), & and & Parameters::verbose\_mode. \\ \end{cases}$ 

```
417 {
418
      int N=params->population_size;
419
      int n=params->problem_size;
420
     int loud=params->verbose_mode;
421
422
     if (loud)
423
       separator(stdout,0);
424
425
     TreeModel *t = new TreeModel(n, num_vals);
426
427
     // learn the model structure and model parameters
428
429
     t->learnStructure(selected_population,N,loud);
430
     t->learnProbabilities(selected_population,N,loud);
431
     // sample the learned model to generate new candidate solutions
432
433
434
     t->sampleModel(sampled_population,N);
435
436
     // free memory
437
438
     delete t:
440
     // return the number of generated individuals
441
442
     return N;
443 }
```

# 5.5 heap.cpp File Reference

```
Maximum heap used to store edges in Prim's algorithm for (maximum) spanning trees.

#include <stdio.h>
#include "heap.hpp"
```

#### **Defines**

- #define parent index(i) ((i-1)/2)
- #define left\_child\_index(i) (1+2\*i)

#### **Functions**

- int build\_max\_heap (int \*a, int \*b, double \*x, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Build a max-heap for a given array.
- int max\_heapify (double \*x, int i, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Run max-heapify on a specified element of a heap (push down).
- int increase\_key\_max\_heap (double \*x, int i, double val, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Increase a given key in the heap.
- int float\_up\_max\_heap (double \*x, int i, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Float up an element up the heap (after increasing its value).
- int pop\_max\_heap (double \*x, int &n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Pop the maximum (includes the removal of maximum).
- void print\_max\_heap (double \*x, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Print the max heap (used mostly for debugging).
- int check\_max\_heap (double \*x, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Check the max heap for errors (used mostly in debugging).

#### 5.5.1 Detailed Description

Maximum heap used to store edges in Prim's algorithm for (maximum) spanning trees. Definition in file heap.cpp.

#### 5.5.2 Define Documentation

# $\mathbf{5.5.2.1} \quad \# \mathbf{define} \ \mathbf{left\_child\_index(i)} \ (\mathbf{1} \!+\! \mathbf{2} \!*\! \mathbf{i})$

Definition at line 12 of file heap.cpp.

Referenced by max heapify().

## 5.5.2.2 #define parent index(i) ((i-1)/2)

Definition at line 11 of file heap.cpp.

Referenced by float up max heap().

# 5.5.3 Function Documentation

```
5.5.3.1 int build \max_{} heap (int * a, int * b, double * x, int n, int * index, int * rev_{\_}index)
```

Build a max-heap for a given array.

Definition at line 19 of file heap.cpp.

References max\_heapify().

Referenced by TreeModel::learnStructure().

```
20 {
21    // builds a max-heap by max-heapifying all nodes with some children
22
23    for (int i=(n>>1)-1; i>=0; i--)
24         max_heapify(x,i,n,index,rev_index);
25
26    // get back
27
28    return n;
29 };
```

# 5.5.3.2 int check max heap (double \* x, int n, int \* index, int \* rev index)

Check the max heap for errors (used mostly in debugging).

Definition at line 156 of file heap.cpp.

```
157 {
158
      int ok=1;
159
      for (int i=0; (i<n)&&(ok); i++)
160
161
162
          if (i*2+1<n)
             if (x[index[i]]<x[index[2*i+1]])</pre>
163
164
              ok=0;
165
166
          if (i*2+2<n)
             if (x[index[i]]<x[index[2*i+2]])</pre>
167
168
               ok=0:
169
        };
170
171
      if (ok==0)
172
       printf("not OK\n");
173
        printf("OK\n");
174
175
176
      return ok:
177 }
```

```
5.5.3.3 int float up max heap (double *x, int i, int n, int *index, int *
        rev in dex)
```

Float up an element up the heap (after increasing its value).

Definition at line 94 of file heap.cpp.

References parent index.

Referenced by increase key max heap().

```
95 {
96
     double this_x=x[index[i]];
97
     int old_ii=index[i];
98
99
     int parent_idx=parent_index(i);
100
101
      while ((i>0)&&(this_x>x[index[parent_idx]]))
102
103
          index[i]=index[parent_idx];
104
          rev_index[index[i]]=i;
105
          i=parent_idx;
106
          if (i>0)
            parent_idx=parent_index(i);
107
       }:
108
109
110
      index[i]=old_ii;
111
      rev_index[index[i]]=i;
112
113
     return i:
114 };
```

# int increase key max heap (double \*x, int i, double val, int n, int \*index, int \* rev index)

Increase a given key in the heap.

Definition at line 83 of file heap.cpp.

References float up max heap().

Referenced by TreeModel::learnStructure().

```
84 {
85
   x[i]=val;
86
   return float_up_max_heap(x,rev_index[i],n,index,rev_index);
87 }:
```

#### int max heapify (double \* x, int i, int n, int \* index, int \* rev index) 5.5.3.5

Run max-heapify on a specified element of a heap (push down).

Definition at line 36 of file heap.cpp.

References left child index.

Referenced by build max heap(), and pop max heap().

```
38
    double this_x=x[index[i]];
```

```
int old_ii=index[i];
39
40
41
     int done=0;
42
     do {
       int c1=left_child_index(i);
43
44
       int c2=c1+1;
45
       int ic1=index[c1];
46
47
48
       if (c2<n)
49
50
           int ic2=index[c2];
51
52
           if (x[ic1]<x[ic2])
53
54
               ic1=ic2;
55
               c1=c2;
56
             }:
57
         };
58
59
       if (x[ic1]>this_x)
60
           index[i]=index[c1];
61
           rev_index[index[i]]=i;
62
63
           i=c1;
           if (left_child_index(i)>=n)
64
65
             done=1;
66
         }
       else
67
68
         done=1;
69
70
     } while (!done);
71
72
     index[i]=old_ii;
73
     rev_index[index[i]]=i;
74
75
    return i;
76 };
```

#### 5.5.3.6 int pop max heap (double \* x, int & n, int \* index, int \* rev index)

Pop the maximum (includes the removal of maximum).

Definition at line 121 of file heap.cpp.

References max heapify().

Referenced by TreeModel::learnStructure().

```
122 {
123     n--;
124     int val=index[0];
125
126     index[0]=index[n];
127     rev_index[index[n]]=0;
128     max_heapify(x,0,n,index,rev_index);
129
130     return val;
131 }
```

# 5.5.3.7 void print $_{\max}$ heap (double \* x, int n, int \* index, int \* $rev_{index}$ )

Print the max heap (used mostly for debugging).

Definition at line 138 of file heap.cpp.

```
139 {
     for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
140
141
        printf("x[%u] = %5.3f (",i,x[index[i]]);
142
         if (i*2+1<n)
143
           printf("%5.3f ",x[index[2*i+1]]);
144
145
        if (i*2+2<n)
           printf("%5.3f ",x[index[2*i+2]]);
       printf("%5.3t
printf(")\n");
};
146
147
148
149 }
```

# 5.6 heap.hpp File Reference

Header file for heap.cpp.

#### **Defines**

• #define HEAP\_MINUS\_INFINITY -1

#### **Functions**

- int max\_heapify (double \*x, int i, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Run max-heapify on a specified element of a heap (push down).
- int build\_max\_heap (int \*a, int \*b, double \*x, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Build a max-heap for a given array.
- int float\_up\_max\_heap (double \*x, int i, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Float up an element up the heap (after increasing its value).
- int increase\_key\_max\_heap (double \*x, int i, double val, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Increase a given key in the heap.
- int pop\_max\_heap (double \*x, int &n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Pop the maximum (includes the removal of maximum).
- void print\_max\_heap (double \*x, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Print the max heap (used mostly for debugging).
- int check\_max\_heap (double \*x, int n, int \*index, int \*rev\_index)

  Check the max heap for errors (used mostly in debugging).

## 5.6.1 Detailed Description

Header file for heap.cpp.

Definition in file heap.hpp.

## 5.6.2 Define Documentation

# 5.6.2.1 #define HEAP MINUS INFINITY -1

Definition at line 9 of file heap.hpp.

Referenced by TreeModel::learnStructure().

# 5.6.3 Function Documentation

# 5.6.3.1 int build $\max_{}$ heap (int \* a, int \* b, double \* x, int n, int \* index, int \* $rev_{\_}index$ )

Build a max-heap for a given array.

Definition at line 19 of file heap.cpp.

References max heapify().

Referenced by TreeModel::learnStructure().

```
20 {
21    // builds a max-heap by max-heapifying all nodes with some children
22
23    for (int i=(n>>1)-1; i>=0; i--)
24         max_heapify(x,i,n,index,rev_index);
25
26    // get back
27
28    return n;
29 };
```

#### 5.6.3.2 int check max heap (double \*x, int n, int \*index, int \*rev index)

Check the max heap for errors (used mostly in debugging).

Definition at line 156 of file heap.cpp.

```
157 {
      int ok=1;
158
159
      for (int i=0; (i<n)&&(ok); i++)
160
161
162
          if (i*2+1<n)
163
            if (x[index[i]]<x[index[2*i+1]])</pre>
164
               ok=0;
165
          if (i*2+2<n)
166
167
             if (x[index[i]]<x[index[2*i+2]])</pre>
168
               ok=0:
        };
169
170
171
      if (ok==0)
172
       printf("not OK\n");
173
      else
        printf("OK\n");
174
175
176
      return ok;
177 }
```

# 5.6.3.3 int float\_up\_max\_heap (double \* x, int i, int n, int \* index, int \* $rev \ index$ )

Float up an element up the heap (after increasing its value).

Definition at line 94 of file heap.cpp.

References parent index.

```
Referenced by increase key max heap().
```

```
95 {
96
     double this_x=x[index[i]];
97
     int old_ii=index[i];
98
99
     int parent_idx=parent_index(i);
100
101
      while ((i>0)&&(this_x>x[index[parent_idx]]))
102
103
          index[i]=index[parent_idx];
104
          rev_index[index[i]]=i;
105
          i=parent_idx;
106
          if (i>0)
107
            parent_idx=parent_index(i);
       };
108
109
110
      index[i]=old_ii;
111
      rev_index[index[i]]=i;
112
113
     return i;
114 };
```

# 5.6.3.4 int increase $_{-}$ key $_{-}$ max $_{-}$ heap (double \* x, int i, double val, int \* index, int \* rev index)

Increase a given key in the heap.

Definition at line 83 of file heap.cpp.

References float up max heap().

Referenced by TreeModel::learnStructure().

```
84 {
85  x[i]=val;
86  return float_up_max_heap(x,rev_index[i],n,index,rev_index);
87 };
```

#### 5.6.3.5 int max heapify (double \* x, int i, int n, int \* index, int \* rev index)

Run max-heapify on a specified element of a heap (push down).

Definition at line 36 of file heap.cpp.

References left child index.

Referenced by build max heap(), and pop max heap().

```
37 {
38
     double this_x=x[index[i]];
39
     int old_ii=index[i];
40
41
     int done=0;
42
     do {
43
       int c1=left_child_index(i);
44
       int c2=c1+1:
45
46
       int ic1=index[c1];
47
48
       if (c2 < n)
```

```
49
           int ic2=index[c2];
50
51
           if (x[ic1]<x[ic2])
52
53
             {
54
               ic1=ic2;
55
               c1=c2;
56
             };
57
         };
58
59
       if (x[ic1]>this_x)
60
         {
           index[i]=index[c1];
61
62
           rev_index[index[i]]=i;
63
           i=c1:
           if (left_child_index(i)>=n)
64
65
             done=1;
66
         }
67
       else
68
         done=1;
69
70
     } while (!done);
71
     index[i]=old_ii;
72
73
     rev_index[index[i]]=i;
74
75
    return i;
76 };
```

## 5.6.3.6 int pop max heap (double \* x, int & n, int \* index, int \* rev index)

Pop the maximum (includes the removal of maximum).

Definition at line 121 of file heap.cpp.

References max heapify().

Referenced by TreeModel::learnStructure().

```
122 {
123
     n--;
     int val=index[0];
124
125
126
     index[0]=index[n];
127
     rev_index[index[n]]=0;
128
     max_heapify(x,0,n,index,rev_index);
129
130
     return val;
131 }
```

# 5.6.3.7 void print max heap (double \* x, int n, int \* index, int \* rev index)

Print the max heap (used mostly for debugging).

Definition at line 138 of file heap.cpp.

# 5.7 main.cpp File Reference

```
Main function.

#include <stdlib.h>

#include <stdio.h>

#include <string.h>

#include "bisection.hpp"

#include "eda.hpp"

#include "heap.hpp"

#include "parse-input.hpp"

#include "random.hpp"

#include "tree-model.hpp"
```

#### **Functions**

• int main (int argc, char \*\*argv)

The main function.

# 5.7.1 Detailed Description

Main function.

Definition in file main.cpp.

# 5.7.2 Function Documentation

# 5.7.2.1 int main (int argc, char \*\* argv)

The main function.

Definition at line 62 of file main.cpp.

 $References\ bisection(),\ Parameters::bisection,\ Parameters::max\_generations,\ Parameters::num\_bisection\_runs,\ one\_run(),\ param\_help(),\ parse\_input\_file(),\ Parameters::population\_size,\ print\_bisection\_summary(),\ print\_parameters(),\ print\_summary(),\ Parameters::problem\_size,\ Parameters::quiet\_mode,\ Parameters::replacement,\ Parameters::tournament\_size,\ and\ Parameters::verbose\_mode.$ 

```
63 {
64
     Parameters params;
65
66
    // set default parameter values
67
    params.population_size=300;
69
    params.problem_size=25;
70
    params.max_generations=50;
    params.tournament_size=2;
72
    params.replacement=0;
    params.verbose_mode=0;
```

```
74
     params.quiet_mode=0;
75
     params.bisection=0;
76
     params.num_bisection_runs=20;
77
78
     // process input arguments
79
     if (argc>2)
80
81
82
         printf("Expected only one command-line argument.\n");
83
         exit(-10);
       }
84
85
     else
     if (argc==2)
86
87
88
       if ((strcmp(argv[1],"--help")==0)||
           (strcmp(argv[1],"-h")==0)||
89
           (strcmp(argv[1],"/help")==0)||
90
           (strcmp(argv[1],"/h")==0)||
91
           (strcmp(argv[1],"-?")==0) | |
92
           (strcmp(argv[1],"/?")==0))
93
94
95
96
97
           printf("Usage: dt-eda [parameter file name] [--help] [--version]\n\n");
98
           param_help();
99
           exit(0);
100
          }
101
        else
        if ((strcmp(argv[1],"--version")==0)||
102
103
            (strcmp(argv[1],"-v")==0))
104
105
            // version info
106
107
            printf("dt-eda-1.0\n");
108
            exit(0);
          }
109
        else
110
111
112
            // parameter file
113
114
            FILE *f=fopen(argv[1],"r");
            if (f==NULL)
115
116
                printf("ERROR: Could not open parameter file %s\n",argv[1]);
117
118
                exit(-1);
119
120
121
            parse_input_file(f,&params);
122
            printf("Parameter file: %s\n",argv[1]);
123
124
     }
125
126
        printf("No \ parameter \ file: \ Using \ default \ parameters \verb|\|n"|);
127
128
      // print the parameters
129
130
      print_parameters(&params);
131
132
      // perform one run of the dependency-tree EDA with the current parameters
133
      // and user defined functions (parameters from user-defined parameter files
134
      // go first)
135
136
      if (params.bisection)
137
138
          AveragePopulationStatistics avg_stats;
139
140
          bisection(&params,&avg_stats);
```

```
141
142
         print_bisection_summary(stdout,&avg_stats);
143
144
     else
145
      {
146
         PopulationStatistics stats;
147
148
          one_run(&params,&stats);
       print_summary(&stats);
};
149
150
151
152
153
     // get out
154
155 return 0;
156 }
```

# 5.8 MT.cpp File Reference

Mersenne Twister random number generator.

#### **Defines**

- #define N 624
- #define M 397
- #define MATRIX A 0x9908b0dfUL
- #define UPPER MASK 0x80000000UL
- #define LOWER\_MASK 0x7fffffffUL

#### **Functions**

- void init genrand (unsigned long s)
- void init by array (unsigned long init key[], int key length)
- unsigned long genrand\_int32 (void)
- long genrand int31 (void)
- double genrand real1 (void)
- double genrand real2 (void)
- double genrand real3 (void)
- double genrand res53 (void)

# 5.8.1 Detailed Description

Mersenne Twister random number generator.

Definition in file MT.cpp.

# 5.8.2 Define Documentation

# 5.8.2.1 #define LOWER MASK 0x7fffffffUL

Definition at line 55 of file MT.cpp.

Referenced by genrand int32().

# 5.8.2.2 #define M 397

Definition at line 52 of file MT.cpp.

Referenced by genrand\_int32().

# 5.8.2.3 #define MATRIX A 0x9908b0dfUL

Definition at line 53 of file MT.cpp.

Referenced by genrand int32().

#### 5.8.2.4 #define N 624

Definition at line 51 of file MT.cpp.

Referenced by genrand int32(), init by array(), init genrand(), one run(), and variation().

# 5.8.2.5 #define UPPER MASK 0x80000000UL

Definition at line 54 of file MT.cpp.

Referenced by genrand int32().

# 5.8.3 Function Documentation

#### 5.8.3.1 long genrand int31 (void)

Definition at line 144 of file MT.cpp.

References genrand int 32().

```
145 {
146         return (long)(genrand_int32()>>1);
147 }
```

### 5.8.3.2 unsigned long genrand int32 (void)

Definition at line 106 of file MT.cpp.

References init genrand(), LOWER MASK, M, MATRIX A, N, and UPPER MASK.

Referenced by genrand\_int31(), genrand\_real1(), genrand\_real2(), genrand\_real3(), and genrand\_res53().

```
107 {
108
        unsigned long y;
        static unsigned long mag01[2]={0x0UL, MATRIX_A};
109
110
        /* mag01[x] = x * MATRIX_A for x=0,1 */
111
112
        if (mti \geq= N) { /* generate N words at one time */
113
            int kk;
114
115
            if (mti == N+1) /* if init_genrand() has not been called, */
116
                init_genrand(5489UL); /* a default initial seed is used */
117
            for (kk=0;kk<N-M;kk++) {
118
                y = (mt[kk]&UPPER_MASK) | (mt[kk+1]&LOWER_MASK);
119
120
                mt[kk] = mt[kk+M] ^ (y >> 1) ^ mag01[y & 0x1UL];
121
122
            for (;kk<N-1;kk++) {
                y = (mt[kk]&UPPER_MASK) | (mt[kk+1]&LOWER_MASK);
123
124
                mt[kk] = mt[kk+(M-N)] ^ (y >> 1) ^ mag01[y & 0x1UL];
125
            y = (mt[N-1]\&UPPER\_MASK) | (mt[0]\&LOWER\_MASK);
126
127
            mt[N-1] = mt[M-1] ^ (y >> 1) ^ mag01[y & 0x1UL];
128
129
            mti = 0;
130
131
132
        y = mt[mti++];
```

#### 5.8.3.3 double genrand real1 (void)

Definition at line 150 of file MT.cpp.

References genrand int32().

```
151 {
152     return genrand_int32()*(1.0/4294967295.0);
153     /* divided by 2^32-1 */
154 }
```

# 5.8.3.4 double genrand real2 (void)

Definition at line 157 of file MT.cpp.

References genrand int32().

Referenced by drand().

```
158 {
159         return genrand_int32()*(1.0/4294967296.0);
160         /* divided by 2^32 */
161 }
```

#### 5.8.3.5 double genrand real3 (void)

Definition at line 164 of file MT.cpp.

References genrand int 32().

```
165 {
166     return (((double)genrand_int32()) + 0.5)*(1.0/4294967296.0);
167     /* divided by 2^32 */
168 }
```

# 5.8.3.6 double genrand res53 (void)

Definition at line 171 of file MT.cpp.

References genrand int32().

```
172 {
173          unsigned long a=genrand_int32()>>5, b=genrand_int32()>>6;
174          return(a*67108864.0+b)*(1.0/9007199254740992.0);
175 }
```

## 5.8.3.7 void init by array (unsigned long init key[], int key length)

Definition at line 80 of file MT.cpp.

References init genrand(), and N.

```
81 {
82
      int i, j, k;
      init_genrand(19650218UL);
83
84
      i=1; j=0;
85
      k = (N>key_length ? N : key_length);
86
      for (; k; k--) {
          mt[i] = (mt[i] ^ ((mt[i-1] ^ (mt[i-1] >> 30)) * 1664525UL))
87
           + init_key[j] + j; /* non linear */
88
89
          mt[i] &= OxffffffffUL; /* for WORDSIZE > 32 machines */
90
          i++: i++:
          if (i>=N) { mt[0] = mt[N-1]; i=1; }
91
92
          if (j>=key_length) j=0;
      }
93
      94
95
96
           - i; /* non linear */
97
          mt[i] &= OxffffffffUL; /* for WORDSIZE > 32 machines */
98
          i++:
          if (i>=N) { mt[0] = mt[N-1]; i=1; }
99
100
101
102
       mt[0] = 0x80000000UL; /* MSB is 1; assuring non-zero initial array */
103 }
```

# 5.8.3.8 void init genrand (unsigned long s)

Definition at line 61 of file MT.cpp.

References N.

Referenced by genrand int32(), init by array(), and setSeed().

```
62 {
63
       mt[0] = s & OxffffffffUL;
64
       for (mti=1; mti<N; mti++) {</pre>
65
           mt[mti] =
               (1812433253UL * (mt[mti-1] ^ (mt[mti-1] >> 30)) + mti);
66
67
           /* See Knuth TAOCP Vol2. 3rd Ed. P.106 for multiplier. */
68
           /* In the previous versions, MSBs of the seed affect
           /* only MSBs of the array mt[].
                                                                     */
69
70
           /* 2002/01/09 modified by Makoto Matsumoto
                                                                     */
71
           mt[mti] &= OxffffffffUL;
72
           /* for >32 bit machines */
73
74 }
```

## 5.9 MT.hpp File Reference

Header file for MT.cpp.

## **Functions**

- void init genrand (unsigned long s)
- void init by array (unsigned long init key[], int key length)
- unsigned long genrand int32 (void)
- long genrand int31 (void)
- double genrand real1 (void)
- double genrand real2 (void)
- double genrand real3 (void)
- double genrand res53 (void)

## 5.9.1 Detailed Description

Header file for MT.cpp.

Definition in file MT.hpp.

#### 5.9.2 Function Documentation

## 5.9.2.1 long genrand int31 (void)

Definition at line 144 of file MT.cpp.

References genrand int 32().

```
145 {
146          return (long)(genrand_int32()>>1);
147 }
```

## 5.9.2.2 unsigned long genrand int32 (void)

Definition at line 106 of file MT.cpp.

References init\_genrand(), LOWER\_MASK, M, MATRIX\_A, N, and UPPER\_MASK.

Referenced by genrand\_int31(), genrand\_real1(), genrand\_real2(), genrand\_real3(), and genrand\_res53().

```
107 {
        unsigned long y;
        static unsigned long mag01[2]={0x0UL, MATRIX_A};
109
110
        /* mag01[x] = x * MATRIX_A for x=0,1 */
111
       if (mti >= N) { /* generate N words at one time */
112
            int kk;
113
114
            if (mti == N+1) /* if init_genrand() has not been called, */
115
                init_genrand(5489UL); /* a default initial seed is used */
116
117
118
            for (kk=0;kk<N-M;kk++) {
```

```
y = (mt[kk]&UPPER_MASK) | (mt[kk+1]&LOWER_MASK);
119
                mt[kk] = mt[kk+M] ^ (y >> 1) ^ mag01[y & 0x1UL];
120
121
            for (;kk<N-1;kk++) {
                y = (mt[kk]&UPPER_MASK)|(mt[kk+1]&LOWER_MASK);
123
124
                mt[kk] = mt[kk+(M-N)] ^ (y >> 1) ^ mag01[y & 0x1UL];
125
           y = (mt[N-1]&UPPER_MASK) | (mt[0]&LOWER_MASK);
126
127
           mt[N-1] = mt[M-1] ^ (y >> 1) ^ mag01[y & 0x1UL];
128
129
            mti = 0;
130
131
132
       y = mt[mti++];
133
       /* Tempering */
134
       y ^= (y >> 11);
135
       y ^= (y << 7) & 0x9d2c5680UL;
136
       y ^= (y << 15) & 0xefc60000UL;
137
       y ^= (y >> 18);
138
139
140
       return y;
141 }
```

## 5.9.2.3 double genrand real1 (void)

Definition at line 150 of file MT.cpp.

References genrand int32().

```
151 {
152         return genrand_int32()*(1.0/4294967295.0);
153         /* divided by 2^32-1 */
154 }
```

## 5.9.2.4 double genrand real2 (void)

Definition at line 157 of file MT.cpp.

References genrand int32().

Referenced by drand().

```
158 {
159         return genrand_int32()*(1.0/4294967296.0);
160         /* divided by 2^32 */
161 }
```

## 5.9.2.5 double genrand real3 (void)

Definition at line 164 of file MT.cpp.

References genrand int32().

```
165 {
166     return (((double)genrand_int32()) + 0.5)*(1.0/4294967296.0);
167     /* divided by 2^32 */
168 }
```

### 5.9.2.6 double genrand res53 (void)

```
Definition at line 171 of file MT.cpp.
```

```
References genrand int 32().
```

```
172 {
173          unsigned long a=genrand_int32()>>5, b=genrand_int32()>>6;
174          return(a*67108864.0+b)*(1.0/9007199254740992.0);
175 }
```

## 5.9.2.7 void init by array (unsigned long init key[], int key length)

Definition at line 80 of file MT.cpp.

References init genrand(), and N.

```
81 {
82
       int i, j, k;
       init_genrand(19650218UL);
83
84
       i=1; j=0;
85
       k = (N>key_length ? N : key_length);
86
       for (; k; k--) {
87
           mt[i] = (mt[i] ^ ((mt[i-1] ^ (mt[i-1] >> 30)) * 1664525UL))
88
             + init_key[j] + j; /* non linear */
89
           mt[i] &= OxffffffffUL; /* for WORDSIZE > 32 machines */
90
           i++; j++;
91
           if (i>=N) { mt[0] = mt[N-1]; i=1; }
92
           if (j>=key_length) j=0;
93
       for (k=N-1; k; k--) {
    mt[i] = (mt[i] ^ ((mt[i-1] ^ (mt[i-1] >> 30)) * 1566083941UL))
94
95
96
             - i; /* non linear */
           mt[i] &= OxfffffffffUL; /* for WORDSIZE > 32 machines */
97
98
99
           if (i>=N) { mt[0] = mt[N-1]; i=1; }
100
        }
101
        mt[0] = 0x80000000UL; /* MSB is 1; assuring non-zero initial array */
102
103 }
```

## 5.9.2.8 void init genrand (unsigned long s)

Definition at line 61 of file MT.cpp.

References N.

Referenced by genrand int32(), init by array(), and setSeed().

```
62 {
       mt[0] = s & OxffffffffUL;
63
64
       for (mti=1; mti<N; mti++) {</pre>
65
           mt[mti] =
               (1812433253UL * (mt[mti-1] ^ (mt[mti-1] >> 30)) + mti);
66
67
           /* See Knuth TAOCP Vol2. 3rd Ed. P.106 for multiplier. */
           /st In the previous versions, MSBs of the seed affect
68
69
           /* only MSBs of the array mt[].
                                                                     */
70
           /* 2002/01/09 modified by Makoto Matsumoto
                                                                     */
           mt[mti] &= OxffffffffUL;
71
72
           /* for >32 bit machines */
73
       }
74 }
```

## 5.10 obj-function.cpp File Reference

User-defined functions that define the problem.

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
```

#### **Functions**

• double objective\_function (int \*x, int n)

The example included by default is a simple one max problem, which is defined as the sum of all characters in a string (usually binary but it can really be used with any alphabet represented by integers like here).

- void set\_num\_vals (int \*num\_vals, int n)

  Each string position i has values from 0 to num\_values[i]-1.
- int is\_optimal (int \*x, int n, int \*num\_vals)

  Verify whether the given solution is the global optimum.

## 5.10.1 Detailed Description

User-defined functions that define the problem.

#### See also:

```
Example input parameter files: example_input, example_input_bisection, example_input_big

Example objective function (concatenated trap of order 5): example-trap5.cpp

Example function for setting the number of characters in each string position: example-num-values.cpp
```

Definition in file obj-function.cpp.

## 5.10.2 Function Documentation

```
5.10.2.1 int is optimal (int * x, int n, int * num \ vals)
```

Verify whether the given solution is the global optimum.

If there is no such function, just return 0 by default. The default function works for the default objective function, that is, onemax.

### Parameters:

```
m{x} input string (candidate solution) 
m{n} string length 
m{num} m{vals} array of the numbers of values for all string positions
```

#### Returns:

0 if the solution is non-optimal, something else if the solution is optimal

Definition at line 117 of file obj-function.cpp.

```
118 {
119    int ok=1;
120
121    for (int i=0; (i<n)&&(ok); i++)
122        if (x[i]!=num_vals[i]-1)
123        ok=0;
124
125    return ok;
126 };
```

## 5.10.2.2 double objective function (int \* x, int n)

The example included by default is a simple one max problem, which is defined as the sum of all characters in a string (usually binary but it can really be used with any alphabet represented by integers like here).

The objective function is coupled with the function that specifies the number of values of all string positions, set num vals(int \*, int). Both these functions can be found in obj-function.cpp.

## Parameters:

```
\boldsymbol{x} input string (candidate solution) \boldsymbol{n} string length
```

## Returns:

Value of the objective function for the given candidate solution.

### Examples:

```
example-trap5.cpp.
```

Definition at line 36 of file obj-function.cpp.

Referenced by evaluate population(), and print population().

```
37 {
38
     int val=0;
39
40
    // compute the sum of all values in the given string
41
    // (works also for non-binary representations)
42
     for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
43
44
       val+=x[i];
45
    // return the final value
46
47
48
    return val;
49 }
```

## 5.10.2.3 void set num vals (int \* num vals, int n)

Each string position i has values from 0 to num values[i]-1.

By default, the code makes all string positions ternary (values 0 to 2) but alternative assignments can be used.

## Parameters:

```
num\_vals array to store the numbers of values for all string positions n string length
```

## Returns:

No return value.

## Examples:

```
example-num-values.cpp.
```

Definition at line 80 of file obj-function.cpp.

Referenced by one run().

```
81 {
82    // set the number of values for each string position (variable),
83    // use 2 for binary, 3 or higher for higher candinality alphabets
84
85    for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
86        num_vals[i]=3;
87 }</pre>
```

## 5.11 obj-function.hpp File Reference

Header file for obj-function.cpp.

#### **Functions**

• double objective function (int \*x, int n)

The example included by default is a simple one max problem, which is defined as the sum of all characters in a string (usually binary but it can really be used with any alphabet represented by integers like here).

- void set\_num\_vals (int \*num\_vals, int n)

  Each string position i has values from 0 to num\_values[i]-1.
- int is\_optimal (int \*x, int n, int \*num\_vals)

  Verify whether the given solution is the global optimum.

## 5.11.1 Detailed Description

Header file for obj-function.cpp.

Definition in file obj-function.hpp.

### 5.11.2 Function Documentation

```
5.11.2.1 int is optimal (int * x, int n, int * num \ vals)
```

Verify whether the given solution is the global optimum.

If there is no such function, just return 0 by default. The default function works for the default objective function, that is, onemax.

## Parameters:

```
m{x} input string (candidate solution) 
m{n} string length 
m{num} m{vals} array of the numbers of values for all string positions
```

### Returns:

0 if the solution is non-optimal, something else if the solution is optimal

Definition at line 117 of file obj-function.cpp.

```
118 {
119    int ok=1;
120
121    for (int i=0; (i<n)&&(ok); i++)
122        if (x[i]!=num_vals[i]-1)
123        ok=0;
124
125    return ok;
126 };
```

## 5.11.2.2 double objective function (int \*x, int n)

The example included by default is a simple onemax problem, which is defined as the sum of all characters in a string (usually binary but it can really be used with any alphabet represented by integers like here).

The objective function is coupled with the function that specifies the number of values of all string positions, set num vals(int \*, int). Both these functions can be found in obj-function.cpp.

#### Parameters:

```
\boldsymbol{x} input string (candidate solution) \boldsymbol{n} string length
```

#### Returns:

Value of the objective function for the given candidate solution.

Definition at line 36 of file obj-function.cpp.

Referenced by evaluate population(), and print population().

```
37 {
38
     int val=0;
39
40
     // compute the sum of all values in the given string
41
     // (works also for non-binary representations)
42
     for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
43
44
       val+=x[i];
45
46
     // return the final value
47
48
     return val;
49 }
```

## 5.11.2.3 void set num vals (int \* num vals, int n)

Each string position i has values from 0 to num\_values[i]-1.

By default, the code makes all string positions ternary (values 0 to 2) but alternative assignments can be used.

## Parameters:

```
num\_vals array to store the numbers of values for all string positions n string length
```

#### Returns:

No return value.

Definition at line 80 of file obj-function.cpp.

```
Referenced by one run().
```

```
81 \{ 82 \, // set the number of values for each string position (variable),
```

```
83  // use 2 for binary, 3 or higher for higher candinality alphabets
84
85  for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
86   num_vals[i]=3;
87 }</pre>
```

## 5.12 parse-input.cpp File Reference

Necessary functions for parsing input parameter files. #include <stdlib.h> #include <stdio.h> #include <string.h>

#include "parse-input.hpp"

#include "random.hpp"

## **Defines**

• #define MAX\_LINE\_WIDTH 1000

Maximum width of a line to read from parameter file.

## **Functions**

- void parse\_input\_file (FILE \*f, Parameters \*params)

  Parse the input file and store the results in a structure Parameters.
- void param\_help ()

  Print a short description of parameters.
- int get\_new\_identifier (FILE \*f, char \*s)

  Get a new identifier from the file and scan until after next '='.
- int get\_int\_value (FILE \*f, int &val)

  Read an integer value from a file.
- int print\_parameters (Parameters \*params)

  Print the parameters to stdout.

## 5.12.1 Detailed Description

Necessary functions for parsing input parameter files. Definition in file parse-input.cpp.

## 5.12.2 Define Documentation

## 5.12.2.1 #define MAX LINE WIDTH 1000

Maximum width of a line to read from parameter file.

Definition at line 15 of file parse-input.cpp.

Referenced by get int value(), and parse input file().

## 5.12.3 Function Documentation

## 5.12.3.1 int get int value (FILE \*f, int & val)

Read an integer value from a file.

Definition at line 166 of file parse-input.cpp.

References MAX LINE WIDTH.

Referenced by parse input file().

```
167 {
168     char line[MAX_LINE_WIDTH];
169     fgets(line,MAX_LINE_WIDTH,f);
170     sscanf(line,"%u",&val);
171
172     return 1;
173 }
```

## 5.12.3.2 int get new identifier (FILE \*f, char \*s)

Get a new identifier from the file and scan until after next '='.

Definition at line 105 of file parse-input.cpp.

Referenced by parse input file().

```
106 {
107
      char c=0;
108
      int n=0;
109
      int done=0;
110
      while ((!feof(f))&&(!done))
111
112
113
          c=fgetc(f);
          if (((c>='a')&&(c<='z'))||
114
               ((c>='A')&&(c<='Z'))||
115
116
               (c=='_'))
            done=1;
117
        }
118
119
      if (done)
120
121
        {
122
          s[0]=c;
123
          n=1;
124
          done=0;
          while ((!feof(f))&&(!done))
125
126
127
               c=fgetc(f);
               if (((c>='a')&&(c<='z'))||
128
                   ((c>='A')&&(c<='Z'))||
129
130
                   (c=='_'))
                s[n++]=c;
131
132
133
                 done=1;
            };
134
135
          s[n]='\0';
136
          if (c=='=')
137
138
            done=1;
139
          else
140
            done=0;
```

```
141
          while ((!feof(f))&&(!done))
142
143
144
              c=fgetc(f);
              if (c=='=')
145
146
                done=1;
147
148
149
          if (!done)
150
              printf("Expected '=' after identifier %s\n",s);
151
152
              exit(-1);
153
154
155
          return 1:
156
157
158
     return 0:
159 }
```

## 5.12.3.3 void param help ()

Print a short description of parameters.

Definition at line 83 of file parse-input.cpp.

Referenced by main().

```
84 {
    printf("List of parameters for input file (you can specify any subset):\n\n");
85
86
                                        population_size = <number>\n\n");
87
    printf(" -> Population size:\n
    printf(" -> Problem size (number of characters):\n
88
                                                           problem_size = <number>\n\n");
    printf(" -> Maximum number of generations:\n max_generations = <number>\n\n");
    printf(" -> Replacement (0=restricted tournament repl., 1=full repl.):\n
                                                                                 replacement = <number>\n\n");
90
                                                                tournament_size = <number>\n\n");
91
    printf(" -> Tournament size for tournament selection:\n
    printf(" -> Use bisection to optimize the population size:\n bisection = <number>\n\n");
92
    printf(" -> Number of successful runs for optimal population sizing:\n
93
                                                                               num_runs=<number>\n\n");
                                                                           quiet_mode = <number>\n\n");
94
    printf(" -> Quiet mode (prints only the end-of-the-run summary):\n
    printf(" -> Verbose mode (do not use with redirected output):\n
                                                                         verbose_mode = <number>\n\n");
95
    printf(" -> Random seed:\n
96
                                 random_seed = <number>\n\n");
    printf("See \ example\_input\_bisection, \ and \ example\_input\_big \ for \ example \ input \ files \ 'n");
98 }
```

## 5.12.3.4 void parse input file (FILE \* f, Parameters \* params)

Parse the input file and store the results in a structure Parameters.

#### See also:

Example input parameter file: example input

Definition at line 23 of file parse-input.cpp.

 $\label{lem:control_relation} References & Parameters::bisection, & get_int_value(), & get_new_identifier(), \\ Parameters::max_generations, & MAX_LINE_WIDTH, & Parameters::num_bisection_runs, \\ Parameters::population_size, & Parameters::problem_size, & Parameters::quiet_mode, & Parameters::replacement, setSeed(), & Parameters::tournament_size, & and & Parameters::verbose_mode. \\ \end{aligned}$ 

Referenced by main().

```
24 {
25
     if (f==NULL)
26
       return;
27
     char id[MAX_LINE_WIDTH];
28
29
30
     int seed set=0:
     while (get_new_identifier(f,id))
31
32
33
         if (strcmp(id, "population_size") == 0)
34
           get_int_value(f,params->population_size);
35
         else
         if (strcmp(id, "max_generations")==0)
36
37
           get_int_value(f,params->max_generations);
38
         else
         if (strcmp(id, "problem_size") == 0)
39
40
           get_int_value(f,params->problem_size);
41
         else
42
         if (strcmp(id, "replacement") == 0)
43
           get_int_value(f,params->replacement);
44
         else
45
         if (strcmp(id,"tournament_size")==0)
46
           get_int_value(f,params->tournament_size);
47
         else
48
         if (strcmp(id, "bisection") == 0)
49
           get_int_value(f,params->bisection);
50
         else
51
         if (strcmp(id,"num_bisection_runs")==0)
52
           get_int_value(f,params->num_bisection_runs);
53
54
         if (strcmp(id,"quiet_mode")==0)
           get_int_value(f,params->quiet_mode);
55
56
57
         if (strcmp(id,"verbose_mode")==0)
58
           get_int_value(f,params->verbose_mode);
59
         else
60
         if (strcmp(id, "random_seed") == 0)
61
62
             int seed:
63
             get_int_value(f,seed);
64
             setSeed(seed);
65
             seed_set=1;
           }
66
67
         else
68
           {
69
             printf("%s is an unknown identifier\n",id);
70
             exit(-1);
71
           };
72
       };
73
74
     if (seed_set==0)
75
       setSeed(123);
76 }
```

#### 5.12.3.5 int print parameters (Parameters \* params)

Print the parameters to stdout.

Definition at line 180 of file parse-input.cpp.

References Parameters::bisection, Parameters::max\_generations, Parameters::num\_bisection\_runs, Parameters::population\_size, Parameters::problem\_size, Parameters::quiet\_mode, Parameters::replacement, separator(), Parameters::tournament\_size, and Parameters::verbose\_mode.

Referenced by main().

## 5.13 parse-input.hpp File Reference

```
Header file for parse-input.cpp.
#include <stdio.h>
#include "eda.hpp"
```

#### **Functions**

- void parse\_input\_file (FILE \*f, Parameters \*params)

  Parse the input file and store the results in a structure Parameters.
- void param\_help ()

  Print a short description of parameters.
- int get\_new\_identifier (FILE \*f, char \*s)

  Get a new identifier from the file and scan until after next '='.
- int get\_int\_value (FILE \*f, int &val)

  Read an integer value from a file.
- int print\_parameters (Parameters \*params)

  Print the parameters to stdout.

## 5.13.1 Detailed Description

```
Header file for parse-input.cpp.

Definition in file parse-input.hpp.
```

## 5.13.2 Function Documentation

```
5.13.2.1 int get int value (FILE * f, int & val)
```

Read an integer value from a file.

Definition at line 166 of file parse-input.cpp.

References MAX LINE WIDTH.

Referenced by parse input file().

```
167 {
168    char line[MAX_LINE_WIDTH];
169    fgets(line,MAX_LINE_WIDTH,f);
170    sscanf(line,"%u",&val);
171
172    return 1;
173 }
```

## 5.13.2.2 int get new identifier (FILE \*f, char \*s)

Get a new identifier from the file and scan until after next '='.

Definition at line 105 of file parse-input.cpp.

Referenced by parse input file().

```
106 {
107
      char c=0;
108
      int n=0;
109
      int done=0;
110
      while ((!feof(f))&&(!done))
111
112
113
          c=fgetc(f);
          if (((c>='a')&&(c<='z'))||
114
115
              ((c>='A')&&(c<='Z'))||
              (c=='_'))
116
            done=1;
117
118
       }
119
120
      if (done)
121
       {
          s[0]=c;
122
123
          n=1;
124
          done=0;
          while ((!feof(f))\&\&(!done))
125
126
            {
127
              c=fgetc(f);
              if (((c>='a')&&(c<='z'))||
128
129
                  ((c>='A')&&(c<='Z'))||
                  (c=='_'))
130
                s[n++]=c;
131
132
              else
133
                done=1;
134
            };
          s[n]='\0';
135
136
137
          if (c=='=')
138
            done=1;
139
          else
140
            done=0;
141
142
          while ((!feof(f))&&(!done))
143
144
              c=fgetc(f);
145
              if (c=='=')
146
                done=1;
147
            };
148
149
          if (!done)
150
              printf("Expected '=' after identifier %s\n",s);
151
152
              exit(-1);
153
154
155
          return 1;
156
157
158
     return 0;
159 }
```

## 5.13.2.3 void param help ()

Print a short description of parameters.

Definition at line 83 of file parse-input.cpp.

Referenced by main().

```
84 {
85
    printf("List of parameters for input file (you can specify any subset):\n\n");
86
87
    printf(" -> Population size:\n
                                      population_size = <number>\n\n");
    printf(" -> Problem size (number of characters):\n
                                                       problem_size = <number>\n\n");
88
    printf(" -> Maximum number of generations:\n
89
                                                  max_generations = <number>\n\n");
    printf(" -> Replacement (0=restricted tournament repl., 1=full repl.):\n
90
                                                                           replacement = <number>\n\n"):
    printf(" -> Tournament size for tournament selection:\n
                                                          tournament_size = <number>\n\n");
91
    printf(" -> Use bisection to optimize the population size:\n bisection = <number>\n\n");
92
    printf(" -> Number of successful runs for optimal population sizing:\n num_runs=<number>\n\n");
    printf(" -> Quiet mode (prints only the end-of-the-run summary):\n
94
                                                                      quiet_mode = <number>\n\n");
    95
                                                                    verbose_mode = <number>\n\n");
    printf(" -> Random seed:\n random_seed = <number>\n\n");
    printf("See example_input, example_input_bisection, and example_input_big for example input files\n");
97
98 }
```

### 5.13.2.4 void parse input file (FILE \* f, Parameters \* params)

Parse the input file and store the results in a structure Parameters.

#### See also:

Example input parameter file: example input

Definition at line 23 of file parse-input.cpp.

References Parameters::bisection, get\_int\_value(), get\_new\_identifier(), Parameters::max\_generations, MAX\_LINE\_WIDTH, Parameters::num\_bisection\_runs, Parameters::population\_size, Parameters::problem\_size, Parameters::quiet\_mode, Parameters::replacement, setSeed(), Parameters::tournament size, and Parameters::verbose mode.

Referenced by main().

```
24 {
     if (f==NULL)
25
26
       return:
27
     char id[MAX_LINE_WIDTH];
28
29
30
     int seed_set=0;
31
     while (get_new_identifier(f,id))
32
33
         if (strcmp(id, "population_size") == 0)
34
           get_int_value(f,params->population_size);
35
         else
36
         if (strcmp(id, "max_generations") == 0)
           get_int_value(f,params->max_generations);
37
38
         else
39
         if (strcmp(id,"problem_size")==0)
40
           get_int_value(f,params->problem_size);
41
         else
42
         if (strcmp(id, "replacement") == 0)
           get_int_value(f,params->replacement);
43
44
```

```
45
         if (strcmp(id, "tournament_size") == 0)
46
           get_int_value(f,params->tournament_size);
47
         else
         if (strcmp(id,"bisection")==0)
48
49
           get_int_value(f,params->bisection);
50
         if (strcmp(id,"num_bisection_runs")==0)
51
52
           get_int_value(f,params->num_bisection_runs);
53
         else
         if (strcmp(id,"quiet_mode")==0)
54
55
           get_int_value(f,params->quiet_mode);
56
         else
         if (strcmp(id,"verbose_mode")==0)
57
58
           get_int_value(f,params->verbose_mode);
59
         else
         if (strcmp(id,"random_seed")==0)
60
61
           {
62
             int seed;
63
             get_int_value(f,seed);
             setSeed(seed);
64
65
             seed_set=1;
66
           }
67
         else
68
           {
69
             printf("%s is an unknown identifier\n",id);
70
             exit(-1);
71
           };
72
       };
73
74
     if (seed_set==0)
75
       setSeed(123);
76 }
```

## 5.13.2.5 int print parameters (Parameters \* params)

Print the parameters to stdout.

Definition at line 180 of file parse-input.cpp.

References Parameters::bisection, Parameters::max\_generations, Parameters::num\_bisection\_-runs, Parameters::population\_size, Parameters::problem\_size, Parameters::quiet\_mode, Parameters::replacement, separator(), Parameters::tournament\_size, and Parameters::verbose\_mode.

Referenced by main().

```
181 {
182 printf("Parameters:\n");
     printf(" population_size
printf(" problem_size
183
                                   = %u\n",params->population_size);
                                  = %u\n",params->problem_size);
184
printf(" max_generations = %u\n",params->max_generations);
     186
                                  = %u\n",params->tournament_size);
187
188 printf(" bisection
                                  = %u\n",params->bisection);
    - hu\n", params->blsection);

printf(" num_bisection_runs = %u\n", params->num_bisection_runs);

nrintf(" oniot = 2.5.
189
    printf(" quiet_mode
printf(" verbose_mode
190
                                 = %u\n",params->quiet_mode);
                                   = %u\n",params->verbose_mode);
191
192
     separator(stdout);
193
194
     return 0;
195 }
```

## 5.14 random.cpp File Reference

Various random number generator related functions based on the basic generator in MT.cpp.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <math.h>
#include "random.hpp"
#include "MT.hpp"
```

## **Functions**

- double drand ()
- int intRand (int max)
- long longRand (long max)
- char flipCoin ()
- unsigned long setSeed (unsigned long newSeed)
- double gaussianRandom (double mean, double stddev)

#### Variables

```
    long _Q = _M/_A
    long _R = _M%_A
    long _seed = 123
    char whichGaussian = 0
```

## 5.14.1 Detailed Description

Various random number generator related functions based on the basic generator in MT.cpp. Definition in file random.cpp.

## 5.14.2 Function Documentation

## 5.14.2.1 double drand ()

Definition at line 31 of file random.cpp.

References genrand real2().

Referenced by flipCoin(), gaussianRandom(), generate\_BB\_population(), generate\_population(), intRand(), and longRand().

```
32 {
33 //
       long lo, hi, test;
35 //
       hi
           = _seed / _Q;
36 //
            = _seed % _Q;
       10
37 //
       test = _A*lo - _R*hi;
38
       if (test>0)
39 //
40 //
        _seed = test;
41 //
```

```
42 // _seed = test+_M;

43

44 // return double(_seed)/_M;

45 return genrand_real2();

46 }
```

## 5.14.2.2 char flipCoin ()

Definition at line 96 of file random.cpp.

References drand().

```
97 {
98    if (drand()<0.5)
99        return 1;
100    else
101        return 0;
102 };
```

## 5.14.2.3 double gaussianRandom (double mean, double stddev)

Definition at line 139 of file random.cpp.

References drand().

```
140 {
       double q,u,v,x,y;
141
142
143
144
          Generate P = (u, v) uniform in rect. enclosing acceptance region
145
          Make sure that any random numbers \leftarrow= 0 are rejected, since
          gaussian() requires uniforms > 0, but RandomUniform() delivers >= 0.
146
147
148
149
          do { u=drand(); } while (u==0);
150
          do { v=drand(); } while (v==0);
151
          v = 1.7156 * (v - 0.5);
152
153
154
          /* Evaluate the quadratic form */
155
          x = u - 0.449871;
156
          y = fabs(v) + 0.386595;
          q = x * x + y * (0.19600 * y - 0.25472 * x);
157
158
159
          /* Accept P if inside inner ellipse */
          if (q < 0.27597)
160
161
             break;
162
163
          /st Reject P if outside outer ellipse, or outside acceptance region st/
164
        } while ((q > 0.27846) || (v * v > -4.0 * log(u) * u * u);
165
166
        /\ast~ Return ratio of P's coordinates as the normal deviate \ast/
167
        return (mean + stddev * v / u);
168 }
```

### 5.14.2.4 int intRand (int max)

Definition at line 60 of file random.cpp.

References drand().

Referenced by generate\_population(), TreeModel::learnStructure(), restricted\_tournament\_replacement(), and tournament\_selection().

```
61 {
62 // double r=drand();
63 // printf("r=%f\n",r);
64 return (int) (drand()*max);
65 };
```

#### 5.14.2.5 long longRand (long max)

Definition at line 79 of file random.cpp.

References drand().

```
80 {
81    return (long) ((double) drand()*max);
82 };
```

## 5.14.2.6 unsigned long setSeed (unsigned long newSeed)

Definition at line 116 of file random.cpp.

References init genrand().

Referenced by parse input file().

```
117 {
118   // set the seed and return the result of the operation
119
120   init_genrand(newSeed);
121
122   return newSeed;
123 };
```

## 5.14.3 Variable Documentation

## 5.14.3.1 long $\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{M}/\mathbf{A}$

Definition at line 12 of file random.cpp.

```
5.14.3.2 long R = M\% A
```

Definition at line 13 of file random.cpp.

```
5.14.3.3 \quad long \quad seed = 123
```

Definition at line 14 of file random.cpp.

## 5.14.3.4 char which Gaussian = 0

Definition at line 16 of file random.cpp.

## 5.15 random.hpp File Reference

Header file for random.cpp.

## **Defines**

#### **Functions**

- double drand ()
- int intRand (int max)
- long longRand (long max)
- char flipCoin ()
- double gaussianRandom (double mean, double stddev)
- unsigned long setSeed (unsigned long newSeed)

## 5.15.1 Detailed Description

Header file for random.cpp.

Definition in file random.hpp.

## 5.15.2 Define Documentation

```
5.15.2.1 #define A 16807
```

Definition at line 10 of file random.hpp.

```
5.15.2.2 #define M 2147483647
```

Definition at line 9 of file random.hpp.

## 5.15.3 Function Documentation

## 5.15.3.1 double drand ()

Definition at line 31 of file random.cpp.

References genrand real2().

Referenced by flipCoin(), gaussianRandom(), generate\_BB\_population(), generate\_population(), intRand(), and longRand().

```
32 {
33 // long lo,hi,test;
34
35 // hi = _seed / _Q;
36 // lo = _seed % _Q;
37 // test = _A*lo - _R*hi;
```

```
38
39 // if (test>0)
40 //    _seed = test;
41 // else
42 //    _seed = test+_M;
43
44 // return double(_seed)/_M;
45    return genrand_real2();
46 }
```

## 5.15.3.2 char flipCoin ()

Definition at line 96 of file random.cpp.

References drand().

```
97 {
98    if (drand()<0.5)
99        return 1;
100    else
101        return 0;
102 };
```

## 5.15.3.3 double gaussianRandom (double mean, double stddev)

Definition at line 139 of file random.cpp.

References drand().

```
140 {
141
       double q,u,v,x,y;
142
143
          Generate P = (u,v) uniform in rect. enclosing acceptance region
144
145
          Make sure that any random numbers <= 0 are rejected, since
146
          gaussian() requires uniforms > 0, but RandomUniform() delivers >= 0.
147
148
149
          do { u=drand(); } while (u==0);
          do { v=drand(); } while (v==0);
150
151
          v = 1.7156 * (v - 0.5);
152
153
          /* Evaluate the quadratic form */
155
          x = u - 0.449871;
156
          y = fabs(v) + 0.386595;
          q = x * x + y * (0.19600 * y - 0.25472 * x);
157
158
159
          /* Accept P if inside inner ellipse */
          if (q < 0.27597)
160
161
             break:
162
          /* Reject P if outside outer ellipse, or outside acceptance region */ \,
163
164
        } while ((q > 0.27846) || (v * v > -4.0 * log(u) * u * u);
165
166
        /* Return ratio of P's coordinates as the normal deviate */
167
        return (mean + stddev * v / u);
168 }
```

## 5.15.3.4 int intRand (int max)

Definition at line 60 of file random.cpp.

References drand().

Referenced by generate population(), TreeModel::learnStructure(), restricted tournament replacement(), and tournament selection().

```
61 {
       double r=drand();
62 //
63 // printf("r=%f\n",r);
64 return (int) (drand()*max);
65 };
```

## 5.15.3.5 long long Rand (long max)

Definition at line 79 of file random.cpp.

References drand().

```
80 {
      return (long) ((double) drand()*max);
82 };
```

## unsigned long setSeed (unsigned long newSeed)

Definition at line 116 of file random.cpp.

References init\_genrand().

Referenced by parse input file().

```
117 {
118
      \ensuremath{//} set the seed and return the result of the operation
119
120
      init_genrand(newSeed);
121
122
      return newSeed;
123 };
```

## 5.16 stats.cpp File Reference

Functions for computing basic population statistics.

```
#include "obj-function.hpp"
#include "stats.hpp"
```

#### **Functions**

• int compute\_population\_statistics (int \*\*x, double \*f, int n, int N, int \*num\_vals, PopulationStatistics \*stats)

Compute basic population statistics like the maximum, mean, etc.

- void init\_population\_statistics (PopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Initialize the population statistics structure.
- int average\_population\_statistics (AveragePopulationStatistics \*avg, PopulationStatistics \*stats, int num runs)

Compute averages of population statistics over multiple runs.

## 5.16.1 Detailed Description

Functions for computing basic population statistics.

Definition in file stats.cpp.

## 5.16.2 Function Documentation

5.16.2.1 int average population\_statistics (AveragePopulationStatistics \* avg, PopulationStatistics \* stats, int num runs)

Compute averages of population statistics over multiple runs.

Definition at line 74 of file stats.cpp.

AveragePopulationStatistics::avg avgF, References AveragePopulationStatistics::avg maxF. AveragePopulationStatistics::avg minF, AveragePopulationStatistics::avg num evals, PopulationStatistics::avgF, AveragePopulationStatistics::max maxF, Population-AveragePopulationStatistics::min minF, Statistics::maxF, PopulationStatistics::minF, PopulationStatistics::num evals, AveragePopulationStatistics::num runs, AveragePopulation-Statistics::population size, PopulationStatistics::population size, AveragePopulation-Statistics::problem size, and PopulationStatistics::problem size.

Referenced by do runs().

```
75 {
76   // initialize the average stats
77
78   avg->avg_minF=stats[0].minF;
79   avg->avg_maxF=stats[0].maxF;
80   avg->avg_avgF=stats[0].avgF;
81   avg->avg_num_evals=stats[0].num_evals;
```

```
83
     avg->min_minF=stats[0].minF;
     avg->max_maxF=stats[0].maxF;
84
85
86
     avg->population_size=stats[0].population_size;
     avg->problem_size=stats[0].problem_size;
87
88
     avg->num_runs=num_runs;
89
     // do the homework
90
91
92
     for (int run=1; run<num_runs; run++)</pre>
93
94
         avg->avg_minF+=stats[run].minF;
         avg->avg_maxF+=stats[run].maxF;
95
96
         avg->avg_avgF+=stats[run].avgF;
         avg->avg_num_evals+=stats[run].num_evals;
97
98
         if (stats[run].minF<avg->min_minF)
99
100
            avg->min_minF=stats[run].minF;
101
          if (stats[run].maxF>avg->max_maxF)
102
103
            avg->max_maxF=stats[run].maxF;
104
105
      avg->avg_minF/=num_runs;
106
107
      avg->avg_maxF/=num_runs;
      avg->avg_avgF/=num_runs;
108
109
      avg->avg_num_evals/=num_runs;
110
111
      // return the number of processed runs
112
113
      return num runs:
114 }
```

# 5.16.2.2 int compute population statistics (int \*\* x, double \* f, int n, int \* $num\ vals$ , PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Compute basic population statistics like the maximum, mean, etc.

Definition at line 15 of file stats.cpp.

 $References \quad PopulationStatistics::avgF, \quad PopulationStatistics::idx\_maxF, \quad PopulationStatistics::minF, \quad PopulationStatistics::minF, \quad PopulationStatistics::population \quad size, \quad PopulationStatistics::problem \quad size.$ 

Referenced by one run().

```
16 {
17
     // store population size and problem size
18
19
    stats->population_size=N;
20
    stats->problem_size=n;
21
22
     // compute basic fitness statistics
23
     stats->idx_minF = stats->idx_maxF = 0;
24
25
     stats->minF = stats->maxF = stats->avgF = f[0];
26
27
     for (int i=1; i<N; i++)
28
         stats->avgF+=f[i];
29
30
31
         if (f[i]>stats->maxF)
32
33
             stats->maxF=f[i];
```

```
34
             stats->idx_maxF=i;
35
           }
36
         else
37
           if (f[i]<stats->minF)
38
             {
39
               stats->minF=f[i];
40
               stats->idx_minF=i;
41
42
43
     stats->avgF/=N;
44
45
    // check whether we found the optimum
46
47
48
     if (is_optimal(x[stats->idx_maxF],n,num_vals))
49
       stats->success=1;
50
51
    // get back
52
53
    return 0;
54 }
```

## 5.16.2.3 void init population statistics (PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Initialize the population statistics structure.

Definition at line 61 of file stats.cpp.

 $\label{lem:references} References \quad PopulationStatistics::avgF, \quad PopulationStatistics::idx\_maxF, \quad PopulationStatistics::maxF, \quad PopulationStatistics::minF, \quad PopulationStatistics::num \quad evals, \ and \quad PopulationStatistics::success. \\$ 

Referenced by one run().

```
62 {
63    stats->num_evals=0;
64    stats->minF=stats->maxF=stats->avgF=0;
65    stats->idx_minF=stats->idx_maxF=-1;
66    stats->success=0;
67 }
```

## 5.17 stats.hpp File Reference

Header file for stats.cpp.

## **Data Structures**

- struct PopulationStatistics

  Basic population statistics (single run).
- struct AveragePopulationStatistics

  Population statistics for a set of runs.

## **Functions**

- void init\_population\_statistics (PopulationStatistics \*stats)

  Initialize the population statistics structure.
- int compute\_population\_statistics (int \*\*x, double \*f, int n, int N, int \*num\_vals, PopulationStatistics \*stats)

Compute basic population statistics like the maximum, mean, etc.

• int average\_population\_statistics (AveragePopulationStatistics \*avg, PopulationStatistics \*stats, int num runs)

Compute averages of population statistics over multiple runs.

## 5.17.1 Detailed Description

Header file for stats.cpp.

Definition in file stats.hpp.

### 5.17.2 Function Documentation

 $\begin{array}{ll} \textbf{5.17.2.1} & \textbf{int average\_population\_statistics} & (\textbf{AveragePopulationStatistics} * \textit{avg}, \\ & \textbf{PopulationStatistics} * \textit{stats}, \textbf{int } \textit{num\_runs}) \end{array}$ 

Compute averages of population statistics over multiple runs.

Definition at line 74 of file stats.cpp.

References AveragePopulationStatistics::avg avgF, AveragePopulationStatistics::avg maxF. AveragePopulationStatistics::avg minF, AveragePopulationStatistics::avg num evals. PopulationStatistics::avgF, AveragePopulationStatistics::max maxF, Population-AveragePopulationStatistics::min minF, Statistics::maxF, PopulationStatistics::minF, PopulationStatistics::num evals, AveragePopulationStatistics::num runs, Population-Statistics::population size, AveragePopulationStatistics::population size, Population-Statistics::problem\_size, and AveragePopulationStatistics::problem\_size.

Referenced by do runs().

```
75 {
76
     // initialize the average stats
77
     avg->avg_minF=stats[0].minF;
78
79
     avg->avg_maxF=stats[0].maxF;
80
     avg->avg_avgF=stats[0].avgF;
     avg->avg_num_evals=stats[0].num_evals;
81
82
     avg->min_minF=stats[0].minF;
83
     avg->max_maxF=stats[0].maxF;
84
85
86
     avg->population_size=stats[0].population_size;
87
     avg->problem_size=stats[0].problem_size;
88
     avg->num_runs=num_runs;
89
90
     // do the homework
91
92
     for (int run=1; run<num_runs; run++)</pre>
93
         avg->avg_minF+=stats[run].minF;
94
         avg->avg_maxF+=stats[run].maxF;
95
96
         avg->avg_avgF+=stats[run].avgF;
97
         avg->avg_num_evals+=stats[run].num_evals;
98
99
         if (stats[run].minF<avg->min_minF)
            avg->min_minF=stats[run].minF;
100
101
102
          if (stats[run].maxF>avg->max_maxF)
            avg->max_maxF=stats[run].maxF;
103
104
105
      avg->avg_minF/=num_runs;
106
      avg->avg_maxF/=num_runs;
107
      avg->avg_avgF/=num_runs;
108
109
      avg->avg_num_evals/=num_runs;
110
111
      // return the number of processed runs
112
113
      return num runs:
114 }
```

# 5.17.2.2 int compute\_population\_statistics (int \*\* x, double \* f, int n, int \* $num\ vals$ , PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Compute basic population statistics like the maximum, mean, etc.

Definition at line 15 of file stats.cpp.

Referenced by one run().

```
16 {
17    // store population size and problem size
18
19    stats->population_size=N;
20    stats->problem_size=n;
21
22    // compute basic fitness statistics
23
24    stats->idx_minF = stats->idx_maxF = 0;
25    stats->minF = stats->maxF = stats->avgF = f[0];
```

```
26
27
     for (int i=1; i<N; i++)
28
29
         stats->avgF+=f[i];
30
31
         if (f[i]>stats->maxF)
32
           {
33
             stats->maxF=f[i];
34
             stats->idx_maxF=i;
35
           }
36
         else
37
           if (f[i]<stats->minF)
38
39
               stats->minF=f[i];
40
               stats->idx_minF=i;
41
42
       }
43
     stats->avgF/=N;
44
45
46
     // check whether we found the optimum
47
48
     if (is_optimal(x[stats->idx_maxF],n,num_vals))
49
       stats->success=1;
50
51
    // get back
52
53
    return 0;
54 }
```

## 5.17.2.3 void init population statistics (PopulationStatistics \* stats)

Initialize the population statistics structure.

Definition at line 61 of file stats.cpp.

 $\label{lem:constatistics::avgF} References & PopulationStatistics::avgF, & PopulationStatistics::idx\_maxF, & PopulationStatistics::maxF, & PopulationStatistics::minF, & PopulationStatistics::minF, & PopulationStatistics::num & evals, and PopulationStatistics::success. \\ \\$ 

Referenced by one run().

```
62 {
63    stats->num_evals=0;
64    stats->minF=stats->maxF=stats->avgF=0;
65    stats->idx_minF=stats->idx_maxF=-1;
66    stats->success=0;
67 }
```

## 5.18 status.cpp File Reference

 ${\bf Methods\ of\ class\ Status,\ which\ displays\ text-mode\ status\ bars\ in\ verbose\ mode.}$ 

```
#include "status.hpp"
#include <stdio.h>
```

## 5.18.1 Detailed Description

Methods of class Status, which displays text-mode status bars in verbose mode. Definition in file status.cpp.

## 5.19 status.hpp File Reference

Header file for status.cpp.

## **Data Structures**

• class Status

 $Text{-}mode\ status\ bar\ used\ in\ verbose\ mode\ in\ learning\ algorithms.$ 

## 5.19.1 Detailed Description

Header file for status.cpp.

Definition in file status.hpp.

## 5.20 tree-model.cpp File Reference

Methods of class TreeModel for working with tree probabilistic models.

```
#include "heap.hpp"
#include "random.hpp"
#include "status.hpp"
#include "tree-model.hpp"
#include <math.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
```

## 5.20.1 Detailed Description

Methods of class TreeModel for working with tree probabilistic models. Definition in file tree-model.cpp.

## 5.21 tree-model.hpp File Reference

Header file for tree-model.cpp.
#include <stdio.h>

## **Data Structures**

• class TreeModel

Class for storing, creating, and sampling the tree models.

## 5.21.1 Detailed Description

Header file for tree-model.cpp. Definition in file tree-model.hpp.

## Chapter 6

# Dependency-Tree Estimation of Distribution Algorithm Example Documentation

## 6.1 example-num-values.cpp

An additional example of specifying the alphabets for all string positions. Here the first half of the symbols are binary whereas the remaining symbols can contain values from 0 to (n-1) where n is the string length. By default, a function that specifies all attributes as binary is included in the code.

```
1 void set_num_vals(int *num_vals, int n)
2 {
3    // set the number of values for the first half of the string to 2,
4    // while in the remaining positions the number of symbols is n.
5
6    for (int i=0; i<n/2; i++)
7         num_vals[i]=2;
8    for (int i=n/2+1; i<n; i++)
9         num_vals[i]=n;
10 }</pre>
```

## 6.2 example-trap5.cpp

An additional example of the objective function. Here a concatenated trap of order 5 is used, which is fully deceptive. This function can be used for binary strings where the number of bits is an integer multiple of 5. This function should not be used for non-binary representations.

```
1 double objective_function(int *x, int n)
2 {
3
    int val=0;
4
    // verify the string length constraint
5
6
7
    if (n\%5!=0)
8
        printf("Trap \ function \ requires \ string \ length \ divisible \ by \ 5.\n");
9
10
         exit(-55);
11
12
13
     // add up all the traps
14
     for (int i=0; i<n;)
15
16
17
         int sum=0;
18
19
         // compute the sum of bits in the next 5 bits
20
21
         for (int k=0; k<5; k++)
           sum+=x[i++];
22
23
24
         // compute the trap-5 value for the computed sum
25
26
         if (sum==5)
27
           val+=5;
28
         else
29
           val+=4-sum;
30
31
32
     // return the result
33
34
     return val;
35 }
```

## 6.3 example\_input

An example parameter file for the decision tree EDA.

## $6.4 \quad example\_input\_big$

An example parameter file that solves a big problem and has verbose output switched on.

```
1 population_size = 3300
2 problem_size = 200
3 max_generations = 125
4 replacement = 0
5 tournament_size = 2
6
7 bisection = 0
8 num_bisection_runs = 0
9
10 quiet_mode = 0
11 verbose_mode = 1
```

## 6.5 example\_input\_bisection

An example parameter file that uses bisection to determine the optimal population size for 10 successful runs.

```
1 population_size
                    = 100
                   = 40
2 problem_size
                  = 40
3 max_generations
4 replacement
                   = 0
                   = 2
5 tournament_size
7 bisection
8 num_bisection_runs = 10
10 quiet_mode
                    = 0
                 = 0
11 verbose_mode
```