

A reduced fast component-by-component construction of (polynomial) lattice points

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Introduction and Motivation

Consider integration of functions on $[0, 1]^s$,

$$I_s(f) = \int_{[0,1]^s} f(\mathbf{x}) \, d\mathbf{x},$$

where $f \in \mathcal{H}$, and \mathcal{H} is some Banach space.

Approximate I_s by a QMC rule,

$$I_s(f) \approx Q_{N,s}(f) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} f(\mathbf{x}_k),$$

where $\mathcal{P}_N = \{\mathbf{x}_0, \dots, \mathbf{x}_{N-1}\}$.

Worst case error in Banach space \mathcal{H} with respect to

$\mathcal{P}_N = \{\mathbf{x}_0, \dots, \mathbf{x}_{N-1}\}$:

$$e_{N,s}(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{P}_N) := \sup_{f \in \mathcal{H}, \|f\| \leq 1} |I_s(f) - Q_{N,s}(f)|.$$

Need \mathcal{P}_N that makes $e_{N,s}(\mathcal{H}, \mathcal{P}_N)$ small.

Weighted Korobov space: $\mathcal{H}_{s,\alpha,\gamma} =$ space of continuous functions f such that $\|f\|_{s,\alpha,\gamma} < \infty$, where

$$\|f\|_{s,\alpha,\gamma}^2 = \sum_{\mathbf{h} \in \mathbb{Z}^s} \rho_{\alpha,\gamma}(\mathbf{h})^{-1} |\widehat{f}(\mathbf{h})|^2,$$

and where $\widehat{f}(\mathbf{h}) = \int_{[0,1]^s} f(\mathbf{t}) \exp(-2\pi i \mathbf{h} \cdot \mathbf{t}) d\mathbf{t}$ is the \mathbf{h} -th Fourier coefficient of f .

Furthermore, $\rho_{\alpha,\gamma}(\mathbf{h}) = \prod_{j=1}^s \rho_{\alpha,\gamma_j}(h_j)$, and

$$\rho_{\alpha,\gamma}(h) = \begin{cases} 1 & h = 0, \\ \gamma|h|^{-\alpha} & h \neq 0. \end{cases}$$

α is the “smoothness parameter”,

$1 = \gamma_1 \geq \gamma_2 \geq \dots > 0$ are the coordinate weights.

Here: $\mathcal{P}_N = \{\mathbf{x}_0, \dots, \mathbf{x}_{N-1}\}$ is a lattice point set with generating vector $\mathbf{z} = (z_1, \dots, z_s) \in \{1, \dots, N-1\}^s$.

Points of \mathcal{P}_N :

$$\mathbf{x}_n = (x_{n,1}, \dots, x_{n,s})$$

with

$$x_{n,j} = \left\{ \frac{nz_j}{N} \right\}.$$

For the Korobov space $\mathcal{H}_{s,\alpha,\gamma}$, and for a lattice point set \mathcal{P}_N , we have an explicit formula for $e^2(\mathcal{H}_{s,\alpha,\gamma}, \mathcal{P}_N)$.

$$e_N^2(\mathcal{H}_{s,\alpha,\gamma}, \mathcal{P}_N) = e_{N,s,\alpha,\gamma}^2(\mathbf{z}) := \sum_{\mathbf{h} \in \mathcal{D}(\mathbf{z}) \setminus \{0\}} \rho_{\alpha,\gamma}(\mathbf{h}),$$

where

$$\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{z}) := \{\mathbf{h} \in \mathbb{Z}^s : \mathbf{h} \cdot \mathbf{z} \equiv 0 \pmod{N}\}.$$

Finite formula:

$$e_{N,s,\alpha,\gamma}^2(\mathbf{z}) = -1 + \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \prod_{j=1}^s \left(1 + \gamma_j \varphi_\alpha \left(\left\{ \frac{nz_j}{N} \right\} \right) \right),$$

where $\varphi_\alpha \left(\frac{k}{N} \right)$ can be precomputed for all values of $k = 0, \dots, N-1$.

If $\alpha = 2k$, $k \in \mathbb{N}$, φ_α is a constant multiple of the Bernoulli polynomial of degree α .

- All that remains is to find “good” $\mathbf{z} \in \{1, \dots, N - 1\}^s$.
- Rather big search space! (e.g., $N = 10\,000$ and $s = 20$).
- Component by component (CBC) construction: construct z_j one at a time.
Size of search space is $N - 1$ per component.
- Can do fast CBC (Cools & Nuyens), computation cost of $\mathcal{O}(sN \log N)$.
- Computation cost of $\mathcal{O}(sN \log N)$ can still be demanding for big N , s
- Might want to have big N , s simultaneously.

Tractability

Let $e(N, s)$ be the N th minimal (QMC) worst-case error,

$$e(N, s) = \inf_{\mathcal{P}} e_N(\mathcal{H}_{s, \alpha, \gamma}, \mathcal{P}),$$

where the infimum is extended over all N -element point sets \mathcal{P} in $[0, 1]^s$.

Consider the (QMC) information complexity,

$$N_{\min}(\varepsilon, s) = \min\{N \in \mathbb{N} : e(N, s) \leq \varepsilon\}.$$

We say that integration in $\mathcal{H}_{s,\alpha,\gamma}$ is

- weakly QMC tractable, if

$$\lim_{s+\varepsilon^{-1} \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log N_{\min}(\varepsilon, s)}{s + \varepsilon^{-1}} = 0;$$

- polynomially QMC-tractable, if there exist $c, p, q \geq 0$ such that

$$N_{\min}(\varepsilon, s) \leq cs^q \varepsilon^{-p}. \quad (1)$$

Infima over all q and p such that (1) holds: s - and ε -exponent of polynomial tractability, respectively;

- strongly polynomially QMC-tractable, if (1) holds with $q = 0$.
Infimum over all p such that (1) holds: ε -exponent of strong polynomial tractability.

For the Korobov space $\mathcal{H}_{S,\alpha,\gamma}$ it is known that:

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$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \gamma_j < \infty$$

is equivalent to strong polynomial tractability.

- If

$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \gamma_j^{1/\tau} < \infty$$

for some $\tau \in [1, \alpha)$, then one can set the ε -exponent to $2/\tau$.

- The ε -exponent of $2/\alpha$ is optimal.
- Use CBC-constructed lattice point sets to obtain optimal results.

Suppose now that

$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \gamma_j^{1/\tau} < \infty$$

for some $\tau > \alpha$.

So far: CBC construction of lattice point sets that yield optimal ε -exponent, but cost of CBC-construction is independent of the weights.

Our new result: CBC construction of lattice point sets that yield optimal ε -exponent, but cost of CBC-construction may decrease with the weights.

Exploit situations where weights decrease sufficiently fast.

The reduced CBC construction

Idea: make search space smaller for later components.

- Let N be a prime power, $N = b^m$, b prime, $m \in \mathbb{N}$
- Let $w_1, \dots, w_s \in \mathbb{N}_0$ with $0 = w_1 \leq \dots \leq w_s$
- Consider the sequence of reduced search spaces

$$\mathcal{Z}_{N, w_j} := \begin{cases} \{1 \leq z < b^{m-w_j} : \gcd(z, N) = 1\} & \text{if } w_j < m \\ \{1\} & \text{if } w_j \geq m \end{cases}$$

- Note that

$$|\mathcal{Z}_{N, w_j}| := \begin{cases} b^{m-w_j-1}(b-1) & \text{if } w_j < m \\ 1 & \text{if } w_j \geq m \end{cases}$$

- write $Y_j := b^{w_j}$

Algorithm (Reduced CBC construction)

Let N , w_1, \dots, w_s , and Y_1, \dots, Y_s be as above. Construct $\mathbf{z} = (Y_1 z_1, \dots, Y_s z_s)$ as follows.

- Set $z_1 = 1$.
- For $d \leq s$ assume that z_1, \dots, z_{d-1} have already been found. Now choose $z_d \in \mathcal{Z}_{N, w_d}$ such that

$$e_{N, d, \alpha, \gamma}^2((Y_1 z_1, \dots, Y_d z_d, Y_d z_d))$$

is minimized as a function of z_d .

- Increase d and repeat the second step until $(Y_1 z_1, \dots, Y_s z_s)$ is found.

Usual CBC construction: $w_j = 0$ and $Y_j = 1$ for all j .

Theorem

Let $\mathbf{z} = (Y_1 z_1, \dots, Y_s z_s) \in \mathbb{Z}^s$ be constructed according to the reduced CBC algorithm. Then for every $d \leq s$ it is true that

$$e_{N,d,\alpha,\gamma}((Y_1 z_1, \dots, Y_d z_d)) \leq \left(2 \prod_{j=1}^d \left(1 + \gamma_j^{\frac{1}{\alpha-2\delta}} 2^\zeta \left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha-2\delta} \right) b^{w_j} \right) \right)^{\alpha/2-\delta} N^{-\alpha/2+\delta}$$

for all $\delta \in (0, \frac{\alpha-1}{2}]$, where ζ is the Riemann zeta function.

Let $\delta \in (0, \frac{\alpha-1}{2}]$ and let \mathbf{z} be constructed according to the reduced CBC algorithm.

- If

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{s} \sum_{j=1}^s \gamma_j b^{w_j} = 0,$$

then we have weak tractability.

- If

$$A := \limsup_{s \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sum_{j=1}^s \gamma_j^{\frac{1}{\alpha-2\delta}} b^{w_j}}{\log s} < \infty,$$

then we have polynomial tractability with ε -exponent at most $\frac{2}{\alpha-2\delta}$ and s -exponent at most $2\zeta(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha-2\delta})A$.

- If

$$B := \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \gamma_j^{\frac{1}{\alpha-2\delta}} b^{w_j} < \infty,$$

then we have strong polynomial tractability with ε -exponent at most $\frac{2}{\alpha-2\delta}$.

The reduced fast CBC construction

- The fast CBC construction (Nuyens/Cools) for the non-reduced case ($w_j = 0$) has a computation cost of $\mathcal{O}(sN \log N)$.
- The idea also works for the reduced case and yields reduced cost by exploiting additional structure of the case $w_j > 0$.
- Bonus: once $w_j \geq m$ the search space contains only one element. Thus the construction of additional components incurs no extra cost.
- The computational cost of the reduced fast CBC construction is

$$\mathcal{O} \left(N \log N + \min\{s, s^*\} N + \sum_{j=1}^{\min\{s, s^*\}} (m - w_j) N b^{-w_j} \right),$$

where $s^* := \min\{j \in \mathbb{N} : w_j \geq m\}$.

Example:

- Suppose weights γ_j are $\gamma_j = j^{-3}$.
- Fast CBC construction needs $\mathcal{O}(smb^m)$ operations to compute a generating vector for which the worst-case error is bounded independently of the dimension.
- Reduced fast CBC construction: choose, e.g., $w_j = \lfloor \frac{3}{2} \log_b j \rfloor$.
- We need $\mathcal{O}(mb^m + \min\{s, s^*\}mb^m)$ operations to compute a generating vector for which the worst-case error is still bounded independently of the dimension, as

$$\sum_j \gamma_j b^{w_j} < \zeta(3/2) < \infty.$$

- Reduced fast CBC construction significantly reduces computation cost.

Computation times and \log_{10} worst case error for $b = 2$, $\alpha = 2$,

$$\gamma_j = j^{-3}:$$

	$s = 10$	$s = 20$	$s = 50$		$s = 10$	$s = 20$	$s = 50$
$m = 10$	0.384 -1.90	0.724 -1.88	1.80 -1.88	$m = 10$	0.104 -1.89	0.120 -1.85	0.144 -1.79
$m = 12$	1.32 -2.40	2.62 -2.37	6.55 -2.37	$m = 12$	0.356 -2.39	0.400 -2.35	0.472 -2.31
$m = 14$	5.22 -2.90	10.4 -2.87	26.0 -2.86	$m = 14$	1.29 -2.88	1.45 -2.84	1.67 -2.79
$m = 16$	21.7 -3.40	43.4 -3.36	109. -3.35	$m = 16$	5.13 -3.39	5.68 -3.34	6.47 -3.30

$$w_j = 0$$

$$w_j = \lfloor \frac{3}{2} \log_b j \rfloor$$

	$s = 10$	$s = 20$	$s = 50$	$s = 100$	$s = 200$	$s = 500$	$s = 1000$
$m = 10$	0.104 -1.89	0.120 -1.85	0.144 -1.79	0.148 -1.74	0.156 -1.67	0.164 -1.65	0.176 -1.65
$m = 12$	0.356 -2.39	0.400 -2.35	0.472 -2.31	0.524 -2.27	0.564 -2.19	0.588 -2.10	0.608 -2.08
$m = 14$	1.29 -2.88	1.45 -2.84	1.67 -2.79	1.88 -2.76	2.03 -2.72	2.35 -2.62	2.50 -2.53
$m = 16$	5.13 -3.39	5.68 -3.34	6.47 -3.30	7.16 -3.28	7.78 -3.24	9.27 -3.17	11.2 -3.10
$m = 18$	22.3 -3.89	24.4 -3.84	27.2 -3.81	29.4 -3.79	32.1 -3.76	38.2 -3.71	47.2 -3.65
$m = 20$	118. -4.41	126. -4.35	137. -4.33	145. -4.31	157. -4.30	182. -4.26	223. -4.21

Concluding remarks

- Reduced CBC constructions also works for general weights.
- Fast reduced CBC construction so far only for product weights.
- Everything (including fast construction for product weights) can be done analogously for a Walsh space with polynomial lattice points instead of lattice points.
- Instead of setting $z_j = 1$ if $w_j \geq m$, we can choose these z_j at random. Error bound essentially stays the same.
- If $w_j \geq m$, we can even replace the components of the lattice point set by uniformly distributed random points. We then have a hybrid point set in the sense of Spanier, the error bound stays the same.
- Error in Korobov space can be related to error of suitably transformed lattice points in Sobolev spaces.

Thank you very much for your attention.