

In the name of God

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OPTIMIZATION METHODS IN PHYSICS

Exercise Set 8

(Due Date: 1400/09/30)

1. Decaying simulation: suppose the probability of decaying are  $p = \lambda\Delta t$  and  $p = \lambda\Delta t/t$ . For both of them write down programs that simulate these phenomena.
2. Using Stone throwing method, compute the value of pi ( $\pi$ ). Check your algorithm for various values of sampling,  $N$ .
3. Based on Variational theorem in the quantum mechanics, write a variational Monte-Carlo program to estimate the ground state of 1D harmonic oscillator.
4. Hamiltonian Monte Carlo method for data modeling: Using file which is called *fitinput.txt* and consider  $y_{theory} = ax^H$  compute  $a$ ,  $H$  and their errors using HMC method.

Good luck, Movahed

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