Quantum Computing Meeting

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Qubo Splitting Studies: Impact list approach



Impact list approach:

Sort triplets per impact they have on the overall hamiltonian.

Assumption: triplets can be distinguished by impact

Impact List: what happens if impacts are the same?

Same impact triplets are sorted at random (np.argsort)

Randomness was less limiting for DWAVE since subqubos bigger

Considered here: simplest preselection (e1gpc, 5.0xi, 500HEP)

- a_i = 0 (quality)
- B_ij = 1 (conflict) or
- B_ij = -1 (track)

Impact List: Bunches grow while approaching minimum

The closer we approach the minimum, the lower-impact bunches grow in size

 \rightarrow The further we advance to the minimum, the less we can rely on the impact algorithm?



Random splitting find lower ground state

Constant setting: a_i=0, b_ij=-1 or 1



Three runs considered:

Run stops after minimum did not change for four iterations \rightarrow different run lengths

Plot has not converged yet!

Qubo splitting: problems and suggestions

Impact list is usable approach if impacts of individual triplets differ \rightarrow definition of quality and interaction terms also crucial for impact lists to work

Dependent on Impact:

- Impact List
 - What if subsets are again sorted at random? \rightarrow see if similar to argsort sorting
 - Does argsort sorting depend on position/index?
 - How well does impact-list perform if b_ij's angle dependent?
- Connectivity approach

Not dependent on Impact:

- Random sorting
- Spatial approach
 - Different ways of dividing subset