
Tune

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INTRODUCTION

Tune is an abstraction layer for general parameter tuning. It is built on [Fugue](#) so it can seamlessly run on any backend supported by Fugue, such as Spark, Dask and local.

1.1 Installation

```
pip install tune
```

It's recommended to also install Scikit-Learn (for all compatible models tuning) and Hyperopt (to enable Bayesian Optimization)

```
pip install tune[hyperopt,sklearn]
```

1.2 Quick Start

To quickly start, please go through these tutorials on Kaggle:

1. Search Space
2. Non-iterative Problems, such as Scikit-Learn model tuning
3. Iterative Problems, such as Keras model tuning

1.3 Design Philosophy

Tune does not follow Scikit-Learn's model selection APIs and does not provide distributed backend for it. **We believe that parameter tuning is a general problem that is not only for machine learning**, so our abstractions are built from ground up, the lower level APIs do not assume the objective is a machine learning model, while the higher level APIs are dedicated to solve specific problems, such as Scikit-Learn compatible model tuning and Keras model tuning.

Although we didn't base our solution on any of [HyperOpt](#), [Optuna](#), [Ray Tune](#) and [Nevergrad](#) etc., we are truly inspired by these wonderful solutions and their design. We also integrated with many of them for deeper level optimizations.

Tuning problems are never easy, here are our goals:

- Provide the simplest and most intuitive APIs for major tuning cases. We always start from real tuning cases, figure out the minimal requirement for each of them and then determine the layers of abstraction. Read [this tutorial](#), you can see how minimal the interfaces can be.

- Be scale agnostic and platform agnostic. We want you to worry less about *distributed computing*, and just focus on the tuning logic itself. Built on Fugue, Tune let you develop your tuning process iteratively. You can test with small spaces on local machine, and then switch to larger spaces and run distributedly with no code change. It can effectively save time and cost and make the process fun and rewarding. And to run any tuning logic distributedly, you only need a core framework itself (Spark, Dask, etc.) and you do not need a database, a queue service or even an embeded cluster.
- Be highly extendable and flexible on lower level. For example
 - you can extend on Fugue level, for example create an execution engine for [Prefect](#) to run the tuning jobs as a Prefect workflow
 - you can integrate third party optimizers and use Tune just as a distributed orchestrator.
 - you can start external instances (e.g. EC2 instances) for different training subtasks and to fully utilize your cloud
 - you can combine with distributed training as long as you have enough compute resource

1.4 Current Focuses

Here are our current focuses:

- A flexible space design and can describe a hybrid space of grid search, random search and second level optimization such as bayesian optimization
- Integrate with 3rd party tuning frameworks. We have integrated HyperOpt and Optuna. And Nevergrad is on the way.
- Create generalized and distributed versions of [Successive Halving](#), [Hyperband](#) and [Asynchronous Successive Halving](#).

1.5 Collaboration

We are looking for collaborators, if you are interested, please let us know.

Please join our [Slack channel](#).

TOP LEVEL API REFERENCE

2.1 The Space Concept

2.1.1 Space

```
class Space(*args, **kwargs)
```

Bases: object

Search space object

Important: Please read [Space Tutorial](#).

Parameters `kwargs` (*Any*) – parameters in the search space

```
Space(a=1, b=1) # static space
Space(a=1, b=Grid(1,2), c=Grid("a", "b")) # grid search
Space(a=1, b=Grid(1,2), c=Rand(0, 1)) # grid search + level 2 search
Space(a=1, b=Grid(1,2), c=Rand(0, 1)).sample(10, sedd=0) # grid + random search

# union
Space(a=1, b=Grid(2,3)) + Space(b=Rand(1,5)).sample(10)

# cross product
Space(a=1, b=Grid(2,3)) * Space(c=Rand(1,5), d=Grid("a","b"))

# combo (grid + random + level 2)
space1 = Space(a=1, b=Grid(2,4))
space2 = Space(b=RandInt(10, 20))
space3 = Space(c=Rand(0,1)).sample(10)
space = (space1 + space2) * space3
```

```
assert Space(a=1, b=Rand(0,1)).has_stochastic
assert not Space(a=1, b=Rand(0,1)).sample(10).has_stochastic
assert not Space(a=1, b=Grid(0,1)).has_stochastic
assert not Space(a=1, b=1).has_stochastic

# get all configurations
space = Space(a=Grid(2,4), b=Rand(0,1)).sample(100)
```

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```
for conf in space:
    print(conf)
all_conf = list(space)
```

property has_stochasticWhether the space contains any *StochasticExpression***sample(n, seed=None)**Draw random samples from the current space. Please read *Space Tutorial*.**Parameters**

- **n** (*int*) – number of samples to draw
- **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – random seed, defaults to None

Returns a new Space containing all samples**Return type** *tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space***Note:**

- it only applies to *StochasticExpression*
- if *has_stochastic()* is False, then it will return the original space
- After sampling, no *StochasticExpression* will exist in the new space.

2.1.2 TuningParametersTemplate

class TuningParametersTemplate(raw)

Bases: object

Parameter template to extract tuning parameter expressions from nested data structure

Parameters **raw** (*Dict[str, Any]*) – the dictionary of input parameters.**Note:** Please use *to_template()* to initialize this class.

```
# common cases
to_template(dict(a=1, b=1))
to_template(dict(a=Rand(0, 1), b=1))

# expressions may nest in dicts or arrays
template = to_template(
    dict(a=dict(x1=Rand(0, 1), x2=Rand(3, 4)), b=[Grid("a", "b")]))

assert [Rand(0, 1), Rand(3, 4), Grid("a", "b")] == template.params
assert dict(
    p0=Rand(0, 1), p1=Rand(3, 4), p2=Grid("a", "b"))
) == template.params_dict
assert dict(a=1, x2=3, b=["a"]) == template.fill([1, 3, "a"])
assert dict(a=1, x2=3, b=["a"]) == template.fill_dict()
```

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```
dict(p2="a", p1=3, p0=1)
)
```

concat(*other*)

Concatenate with another template and generate a new template.

Note: The other template must not have any key existed in this template, otherwise `ValueError` will be raised

Returns the merged template

Parameters *other* (`tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate`

static decode(*data*)

Retrieve the template from a base64 string

Parameters *data* (`str`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate`

property empty: bool

Whether the template contains any tuning expression

encode()

Convert the template to a base64 string

Return type `str`

fill(*params*)

Fill the original data structure with values

Parameters

- **params** (`List[Any]`) – the list of values to be filled into the original data structure, in depth-first order
- **copy** – whether to return a deeply copied paramters, defaults to False

Returns the original data structure filled with values

Return type `Dict[str, Any]`

fill_dict(*params*)

Fill the original data structure with dictionary of values

Parameters

- **params** (`Dict[str, Any]`) – the dictionary of values to be filled into the original data structure, keys must be p0, p1, p2, ...
- **copy** – whether to return a deeply copied paramters, defaults to False

Returns the original data structure filled with values

Return type `Dict[str, Any]`

property has_grid: bool

Whether the template contains grid expressions

```
property has_stochastic: bool
    Whether the template contains stochastic expressions

property params: List[tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParameterExpression]
    Get all tuning parameter expressions in depth-first order

property params_dict: Dict[str,
    tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParameterExpression]
    Get all tuning parameter expressions in depth-first order, with correspondent made-up new keys p0, p1, p2,
    ...
    ...

product_grid()
    cross product all grid parameters

    Yield new templates with the grid paramters filled

    Return type Iterable[tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate]

    assert [dict(a=1,b=Rand(0,1)), dict(a=2,b=Rand(0,1))] ==
        list(to_template(dict(a=Grid(1,2),b=Rand(0,1))).product_grid())

sample(n, seed=None)
    sample all stochastic parameters

    Parameters
        • n (int) – number of samples, must be a positive integer
        • seed (Optional[Any]) – random seed defaulting to None. It will take effect if it is not
            None.

    Yield new templates with the grid paramters filled

    Return type Iterable[tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate]

    assert [dict(a=1.1,b=Grid(0,1)), dict(a=1.5,b=Grid(0,1))] ==
        list(to_template(dict(a=Rand(1,2),b=Grid(0,1))).sample(2,0))

property simple_value: Dict[str, Any]
    If the template contains no tuning expression, it's simple and it will return parameters dictionary, otherwise,
    ValueError will be raised

property template: Dict[str, Any]
    The template dictionary, all tuning expressions will be replaced by None
```

2.1.3 Grid

```
class Grid(*args)
    Bases: tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParameterExpression

    Grid search, every value will be used. Please read Space Tutorial.
```

Parameters args (Any) – values for the grid search

2.1.4 Choice

```
class Choice(*args)
    Bases: tune.concepts.space.parameters.StochasticExpression
    A random choice of values. Please read Space Tutorial.
        Parameters args (Any) – values to choose from
    generate(seed=None)
        Return a randomly chosen value.
            Parameters seed (Optional[Any]) – if set, it will be used to call seed(), defaults to None
            Return type Any
    property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]
        Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable
    property values: List[Any]
        values to choose from
```

2.1.5 TransitionChoice

```
class TransitionChoice(*args)
    Bases: tune.concepts.space.parameters.Choice
    An ordered random choice of values. Please read Space Tutorial.
        Parameters args (Any) – values to choose from
    property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]
        Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable
```

2.1.6 Rand

```
class Rand(low, high, q=None, log=False, include_high=True)
    Bases: tune.concepts.space.parameters.RandBase
    Continuous uniform random variables. Please read Space Tutorial.
        Parameters
            • low (float) – range low bound (inclusive)
            • high (float) – range high bound (exclusive)
            • q (Optional[float]) – step between adjacent values, if set, the value will be rounded using q, defaults to None
            • log (bool) – whether to do uniform sampling in log space, defaults to False. If True, low must be positive and lower values get higher chance to be sampled
            • include_high (bool) –
        generate(seed=None)
            Return a randomly chosen value.
            Parameters seed (Optional[Any]) – if set, it will be used to call seed(), defaults to None
            Return type float
```

property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]
Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable

2.1.7 RandInt

class RandInt(*low*, *high*, *q*=1, *log*=False, *include_high*=True)
Bases: [tune.concepts.space.parameters.RandBase](#)

Uniform distributed random integer values. Please read [Space Tutorial](#).

Parameters

- **low** (*int*) – range low bound (inclusive)
- **high** (*int*) – range high bound (exclusive)
- **log** (*bool*) – whether to do uniform sampling in log space, defaults to False. If True, *low* must be ≥ 1 and lower values get higher chance to be sampled
- **q** (*int*) –
- **include_high** (*bool*) –

generate(*seed*=None)

Return a randomly chosen value.

Parameters **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – if set, it will be used to call [seed\(\)](#), defaults to None

Return type float

property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]

Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable

2.2 General Non-Iterative Problems

suggest_for_noniterative_objective(*objective*, *space*, *df*=None, *df_name*='_tune_df_', *temp_path*='',
partition_keys=None, *top_n*=1, *local_optimizer*=None, *logger*=None,
monitor=None, *stopper*=None, *stop_check_interval*=None,
distributed=None, *shuffle_candidates*=True, *execution_engine*=None,
execution_engine_conf=None)

Given non-iterative *objective*, *space* and (optional) dataframe, suggest the best parameter combinations.

Important: Please read [Non-Iterative Tuning Guide](#)

Parameters

- **objective** (*Any*) – a simple python function or [NonIterativeObjectiveFunc](#) compatible object, please read [Non-Iterative Objective Explained](#)
- **space** ([tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space](#)) – search space, please read [Space Tutorial](#)
- **df** (*Optional[Any]*) – Pandas, Spark, Dask or any dataframe that can be converted to Fugue [DataFrame](#), defaults to None
- **df_name** (*str*) – dataframe name, defaults to the value of TUNE_DATASET_DF_DEFAULT_NAME

- **temp_path** (*str*) – temp path for serialized dataframe partitions. It can be empty if you preset using `TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.set_temp_path()`. For details, read [TuneDataset Tutorial](#), defaults to “”
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) – partition keys for df, defaults to None. For details, please read [TuneDataset Tutorial](#)
- **top_n** (*int*) – number of best results to return, defaults to 1. If $<=0$ all results will be returned
- **local_optimizer** (*Optional[Any]*) – an object that can be converted to `NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer`, please read [Non-Iterative Optimizers](#), defaults to None
- **logger** (*Optional[Any]*) – MetricLogger object or a function producing it, defaults to None
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) – realtime monitor, defaults to None. Read [Monitoring Guide](#)
- **stopper** (*Optional[Any]*) – early stopper, defaults to None. Read [Early Stopping Guide](#)
- **stop_check_interval** (*Optional[Any]*) – an object that can be converted to timedelta, defaults to None. For details, read `to_timedelta()`
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) – whether to use the execution engine to run different trials distributedly, defaults to None. If None, it’s equal to True.
- **shuffle_candidates** (*bool*) – whether to shuffle the candidate configurations, defaults to True. This is no effect on final result.
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) – Fugue `ExecutionEngine` like object, defaults to None. If None, `NativeExecutionEngine` will be used, the task will be running on local machine.
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) – Parameters like object, defaults to None

Returns a list of best results

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

`optimize_noniterative(objective, dataset, optimizer=None, distributed=None, logger=None, monitor=None, stopper=None, stop_check_interval=None)`

Parameters

- **objective** (*Any*) –
- **dataset** (`tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset`) –
- **optimizer** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **logger** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stopper** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stop_check_interval** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult`

2.3 Level 2 Optimizers

2.3.1 Hyperopt

```
class HyperoptLocalOptimizer(max_iter, seed=0, kwargs_func=None)
Bases: tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer
```

Parameters

- **max_iter** (*int*) –
- **seed** (*int*) –
- **kwargs_func** (*Optional[Callable[[tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc, tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial], Dict[str, Any]]]*) –

run(*func, trial, logger*)

Parameters

- **func** (*tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc*) –
- **trial** (*tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial*) –
- **logger** (*Any*) –

Return type *tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport*

2.3.2 Optuna

```
class OptunaLocalOptimizer(max_iter, create_study=None)
Bases: tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer
```

Parameters

- **max_iter** (*int*) –
- **create_study** (*Optional[Callable[[], optuna.study.study.Study]]*) –

run(*func, trial, logger*)

Parameters

- **func** (*tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc*) –
- **trial** (*tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial*) –
- **logger** (*Any*) –

Return type *tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport*

2.4 General Iterative Problems

2.4.1 Successive Halving

```
suggest_by_sha(objective, space, plan, train_df=None, temp_path='', partition_keys=None, top_n=1,
               monitor=None, distributed=None, execution_engine=None, execution_engine_conf=None)
```

Parameters

- **objective** (Any) –
- **space** ([tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space](#)) –
- **plan** (*List[Tuple[float, int]]*) –
- **train_df** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **temp_path** (str) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –
- **top_n** (int) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type *List[[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport](#)]*

```
optimize_by_sha(objective, dataset, plan, checkpoint_path='', distributed=None, monitor=None)
```

Parameters

- **objective** (Any) –
- **dataset** ([tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset](#)) –
- **plan** (*List[Tuple[float, int]]*) –
- **checkpoint_path** (str) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type *tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult*

2.4.2 Hyperband

```
suggest_by_hyperband(objective, space, plans, train_df=None, temp_path='', partition_keys=None, top_n=1,
                      monitor=None, distributed=None, execution_engine=None,
                      execution_engine_conf=None)
```

Parameters

- **objective** (Any) –
- **space** ([tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space](#)) –

- **plans** (*List[List[Tuple[float, int]]]*) –
- **train_df** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **temp_path** (*str*) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –
- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type *List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]*

optimize_by_hyperband(*objective, dataset, plans, checkpoint_path=None, distributed=False, monitor=None*)

Parameters

- **objective** (*Any*) –
- **dataset** (*tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset*) –
- **plans** (*List[List[Tuple[float, int]]]*) –
- **checkpoint_path** (*str*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type *tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult*

2.4.3 Continuous ASHA

suggest_by_continuous_asha(*objective, space, plan, train_df=None, temp_path=None, partition_keys=None, top_n=1, monitor=None, execution_engine=None, execution_engine_conf=None*)

Parameters

- **objective** (*Any*) –
- **space** (*tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space*) –
- **plan** (*List[Tuple[float, int]]*) –
- **train_df** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **temp_path** (*str*) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –
- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

`optimize_by_continuous_asha(objective, dataset, plan, checkpoint_path='', always_checkpoint=False, study_early_stop=None, trial_early_stop=None, monitor=None)`

Parameters

- **objective** (`Any`) –
- **dataset** (`tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset`) –
- **plan** (`List[Tuple[float, int]]`) –
- **checkpoint_path** (`str`) –
- **always_checkpoint** (`bool`) –
- **study_early_stop** (`Optional[Callable[[List[Any]], List[tune.iterative.asha.RungHeap]], bool]]`) –
- **trial_early_stop** (`Optional[Callable[[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport, List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport], List[tune.iterative.asha.RungHeap]], bool]]`) –
- **monitor** (`Optional[Any]`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult`

2.5 For Scikit-Learn

`sk_space(model, **params)`

Parameters

- **model** (`str`) –
- **params** (`Dict[str, Any]`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`

`suggest_sk_models_by_cv(space, train_df, scoring, cv=5, temp_path='', feature_prefix='', label_col='label', save_model=False, partition_keys=None, top_n=1, local_optimizer=None, monitor=None, stopper=None, stop_check_interval=None, distributed=None, execution_engine=None, execution_engine_conf=None)`

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **train_df** (`Any`) –
- **scoring** (`str`) –
- **cv** (`int`) –
- **temp_path** (`str`) –
- **feature_prefix** (`str`) –
- **label_col** (`str`) –
- **save_model** (`bool`) –

- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –
- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **local_optimizer** (*Optional[tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stopper** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stop_check_interval** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

```
suggest_sk_models(space, train_df, test_df, scoring, temp_path='', feature_prefix='', label_col='label',
                  save_model=False, partition_keys=None, top_n=1, local_optimizer=None, monitor=None,
                  stopper=None, stop_check_interval=None, distributed=None, execution_engine=None,
                  execution_engine_conf=None)
```

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **train_df** (`Any`) –
- **test_df** (`Any`) –
- **scoring** (`str`) –
- **temp_path** (`str`) –
- **feature_prefix** (`str`) –
- **label_col** (`str`) –
- **save_model** (`bool`) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –
- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **local_optimizer** (*Optional[tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stopper** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stop_check_interval** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

2.6 For Tensorflow Keras

```
class KerasTrainingSpec(params, dfs)
Bases: object

    Parameters
        • params (Any) –
        • dfs (Dict[str, Any]) –

    compile_model(**add_kwargs)

        Parameters add_kwargs (Any) –
        Return type keras.engine.training.Model

    compute_sort_metric(**add_kwargs)

        Parameters add_kwargs (Any) –
        Return type float

    property dfs: Dict[str, Any]

    finalize()

        Return type None

    fit(**add_kwargs)

        Parameters add_kwargs (Any) –
        Return type keras.callbacks.History

    generate_sort_metric(metric)

        Parameters metric (float) –
        Return type float

    get_compile_params()

        Return type Dict[str, Any]

    get_fit_metric(history)

        Parameters history (keras.callbacks.History) –
        Return type float

    get_fit_params()

        Return type Tuple[List[Any], Dict[str, Any]]

    get_model()

        Return type keras.engine.training.Model
```

```
load_checkpoint(fs, model)
```

Parameters

- **fs** (`fs.base.FS`) –
- **model** (`keras.engine.training.Model`) –

Return type None

```
property params: tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate
```

```
save_checkpoint(fs, model)
```

Parameters

- **fs** (`fs.base.FS`) –
- **model** (`keras.engine.training.Model`) –

Return type None

```
keras_space(model, **params)
```

Parameters

- **model** (`Any`) –
- **params** (`Any`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`

```
suggest_keras_models_by_continuous_asha(space, plan, train_df=None, temp_path='',  
                                         partition_keys=None, top_n=1, monitor=None,  
                                         execution_engine=None, execution_engine_conf=None)
```

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **plan** (`List[Tuple[float, int]]`) –
- **train_df** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **temp_path** (`str`) –
- **partition_keys** (`Optional[List[str]]`) –
- **top_n** (`int`) –
- **monitor** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **execution_engine** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (`Optional[Any]`) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

```
suggest_keras_models_by_hyperband(space, plans, train_df=None, temp_path='', partition_keys=None,  
                                    top_n=1, monitor=None, distributed=None, execution_engine=None,  
                                    execution_engine_conf=None)
```

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **plans** (`List[List[Tuple[float, int]]]`) –
- **train_df** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **temp_path** (`str`) –
- **partition_keys** (`Optional[List[str]]`) –
- **top_n** (`int`) –
- **monitor** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **distributed** (`Optional[bool]`) –
- **execution_engine** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (`Optional[Any]`) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

`suggest_keras_models_by_sha(space, plan, train_df=None, temp_path='', partition_keys=None, top_n=1, monitor=None, distributed=None, execution_engine=None, execution_engine_conf=None)`

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **plan** (`List[Tuple[float, int]]`) –
- **train_df** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **temp_path** (`str`) –
- **partition_keys** (`Optional[List[str]]`) –
- **top_n** (`int`) –
- **monitor** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **distributed** (`Optional[bool]`) –
- **execution_engine** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (`Optional[Any]`) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

COMPLETE API REFERENCE

3.1 tune

3.1.1 tune.api

tune.api.factory

```
class TuneObjectFactory
```

Bases: object

```
get_path_or_temp(path)
```

Parameters `path (str)` –

Return type str

```
make_dataset(dag, dataset, df=None, df_name='__tune__df__', test_df=None,
             test_df_name='__tune__df_validation__', partition_keys=None, shuffle=True, temp_path='')
```

Parameters

- `dag` (`fugue.workflow.workflow.FugueWorkflow`) –
- `dataset` (Any) –
- `df` (Optional[Any]) –
- `df_name` (str) –
- `test_df` (Optional[Any]) –
- `test_df_name` (str) –
- `partition_keys` (Optional[List[str]]) –
- `shuffle` (bool) –
- `temp_path` (str) –

Return type `tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset`

```
set_temp_path(path)
```

Parameters `path (str)` –

Return type None

tune.api.optimize

```
optimize_by_continuous_asha(objective, dataset, plan, checkpoint_path='', always_checkpoint=False,  
                             study_early_stop=None, trial_early_stop=None, monitor=None)
```

Parameters

- **objective** (Any) –
- **dataset** ([tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset](#)) –
- **plan** (*List[Tuple[float, int]]*) –
- **checkpoint_path** (str) –
- **always_checkpoint** (bool) –
- **study_early_stop** (*Optional[Callable[[List[Any], List[tune.iterative.
asha.RungHeap]], bool]]*) –
- **trial_early_stop** (*Optional[Callable[[tune.concepts.flow.report.
TrialReport, List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport], List[tune.
iterative.asha.RungHeap]], bool]]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type [tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult](#)

```
optimize_by_hyperband(objective, dataset, plans, checkpoint_path='', distributed=None, monitor=None)
```

Parameters

- **objective** (Any) –
- **dataset** ([tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset](#)) –
- **plans** (*List[List[Tuple[float, int]]]*) –
- **checkpoint_path** (str) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type [tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult](#)

```
optimize_by_shas(objective, dataset, plan, checkpoint_path='', distributed=None, monitor=None)
```

Parameters

- **objective** (Any) –
- **dataset** ([tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset](#)) –
- **plan** (*List[Tuple[float, int]]*) –
- **checkpoint_path** (str) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type [tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult](#)

optimize_noniterative(*objective*, *dataset*, *optimizer*=None, *distributed*=None, *logger*=None, *monitor*=None, *stopper*=None, *stop_check_interval*=None)

Parameters

- **objective** (Any) –
- **dataset** ([tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset](#)) –
- **optimizer** (Optional[Any]) –
- **distributed** (Optional[bool]) –
- **logger** (Optional[Any]) –
- **monitor** (Optional[Any]) –
- **stopper** (Optional[Any]) –
- **stop_check_interval** (Optional[Any]) –

Return type [tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult](#)

tune.api.suggest

suggest_by_continuous_asha(*objective*, *space*, *plan*, *train_df*=None, *temp_path*='', *partition_keys*=None, *top_n*=1, *monitor*=None, *execution_engine*=None, *execution_engine_conf*=None)

Parameters

- **objective** (Any) –
- **space** ([tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space](#)) –
- **plan** (List[Tuple[float, int]]) –
- **train_df** (Optional[Any]) –
- **temp_path** (str) –
- **partition_keys** (Optional[List[str]]) –
- **top_n** (int) –
- **monitor** (Optional[Any]) –
- **execution_engine** (Optional[Any]) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (Optional[Any]) –

Return type List[[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport](#)]

suggest_by_hyperband(*objective*, *space*, *plans*, *train_df*=None, *temp_path*='', *partition_keys*=None, *top_n*=1, *monitor*=None, *distributed*=None, *execution_engine*=None, *execution_engine_conf*=None)

Parameters

- **objective** (Any) –
- **space** ([tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space](#)) –
- **plans** (List[List[Tuple[float, int]]]) –

- **train_df** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **temp_path** (*str*) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –
- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

suggest_by_sha(*objective*, *space*, *plan*, *train_df*=*None*, *temp_path*='', *partition_keys*=*None*, *top_n*=1, *monitor*=*None*, *distributed*=*None*, *execution_engine*=*None*, *execution_engine_conf*=*None*)

Parameters

- **objective** (*Any*) –
- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **plan** (*List[Tuple[float, int]]*) –
- **train_df** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **temp_path** (*str*) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –
- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

suggest_for_noniterative_objective(*objective*, *space*, *df*=*None*, *df_name*='`__tune_df_`', *temp_path*='', *partition_keys*=*None*, *top_n*=1, *local_optimizer*=*None*, *logger*=*None*, *monitor*=*None*, *stopper*=*None*, *stop_check_interval*=*None*, *distributed*=*None*, *shuffle_candidates*=*True*, *execution_engine*=*None*, *execution_engine_conf*=*None*)

Given non-iterative *objective*, *space* and (optional) dataframe, suggest the best parameter combinations.

Important: Please read [Non-Iterative Tuning Guide](#)

Parameters

- **objective** (*Any*) – a simple python function or `NonIterativeObjectiveFunc` compatible object, please read [Non-Iterative Objective Explained](#)
- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) – search space, please read [Space Tutorial](#)

- **df** (*Optional[Any]*) – Pandas, Spark, Dask or any dataframe that can be converted to Fugue [DataFrame](#), defaults to None
- **df_name** (*str*) – dataframe name, defaults to the value of `TUNE_DATASET_DF_DEFAULT_NAME`
- **temp_path** (*str*) – temp path for serialized dataframe partitions. It can be empty if you preset using `TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.set_temp_path()`. For details, read [TuneDataset Tutorial](#), defaults to “”
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) – partition keys for df, defaults to None. For details, please read [TuneDataset Tutorial](#)
- **top_n** (*int*) – number of best results to return, defaults to 1. If $<=0$ all results will be returned
- **local_optimizer** (*Optional[Any]*) – an object that can be converted to [NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer](#), please read [Non-Iterative Optimizers](#), defaults to None
- **logger** (*Optional[Any]*) – [\[LoggerLikeObject\]](#), defaults to None
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) – realtime monitor, defaults to None. Read [Monitoring Guide](#)
- **stopper** (*Optional[Any]*) – early stopper, defaults to None. Read [Early Stopping Guide](#)
- **stop_check_interval** (*Optional[Any]*) – an object that can be converted to timedelta, defaults to None. For details, read `to_timedelta()`
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) – whether to use the execution engine to run different trials distributedly, defaults to None. If None, it's equal to True.
- **shuffle_candidates** (*bool*) – whether to shuffle the candidate configurations, defaults to True. This is no effect on final result.
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) – Fugue [ExecutionEngine](#) like object, defaults to None. If None, [NativeExecutionEngine](#) will be used, the task will be running on local machine.
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) – Parameters like object, defaults to None

Returns a list of best results

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

3.1.2 `tune.concepts`

`tune.concepts.flow`

`tune.concepts.flow.judge`

```
class Monitor
    Bases: object
    finalize()
```

Return type None

`initialize()`

Return type None

on_get_budget(*trial, rung, budget*)

Parameters

- **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –
- **rung** (`int`) –
- **budget** (`float`) –

Return type None

on_judge(*decision*)

Parameters **decision** (`tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialDecision`) –

Return type None

on_report(*report*)

Parameters **report** (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type None

class NoOpTrialJudge(*monitor=None*)

Bases: `tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialJudge`

Parameters **monitor** (`Optional[Monitor]`) –

can_accept(*trial*)

Parameters **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type bool

get_budget(*trial, rung*)

Parameters

- **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –
- **rung** (`int`) –

Return type float

judge(*report*)

Parameters **report** (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialDecision`

class RemoteTrialJudge(*entrypoint*)

Bases: `tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialJudge`

Parameters **entrypoint** (`Callable[[str, Dict[str, Any]], Any]`) –

can_accept(*trial*)

Parameters **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type bool

get_budget(*trial, rung*)

Parameters

- **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –
- **rung** (`int`) –

Return type float

judge(*report*)

Parameters **report** (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialDecision`

property report: Optional[`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`]

class TrialCallback(*judge*)
Bases: object

Parameters **judge** (`tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialJudge`) –

entrypoint(*name, kwargs*)

Parameters **kwargs** (`Dict[str, Any]`) –

Return type Any

class TrialDecision(*report, budget, should_checkpoint, reason=''*, metadata=None)
Bases: object

Parameters

- **report** (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –
- **budget** (`float`) –
- **should_checkpoint** (`bool`) –
- **reason** (`str`) –
- **metadata** (`Optional[Dict[str, Any]]`) –

property budget: float

property metadata: Dict[str, Any]

property reason: str

property report: `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`

property should_checkpoint: bool

property should_stop: bool

property trial: `tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`

property trial_id: str

class TrialJudge(*monitor=None*)
Bases: object

Parameters **monitor** (`Optional[Monitor]`) –

`can_accept(trial)`

Parameters `trial` (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type `bool`

`get_budget(trial, rung)`

Parameters

- `trial` (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

- `rung` (`int`) –

Return type `float`

`judge(report)`

Parameters `report` (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialDecision`

`property monitor: tune.concepts.flow.judge.Monitor`

`reset_monitor(monitor=None)`

Parameters `monitor` (`Optional[tune.concepts.flow.judge.Monitor]`) –

Return type `None`

`tune.concepts.flow.report`

`class TrialReport(trial, metric, params=None, metadata=None, cost=1.0, rung=0, sort_metric=None, log_time=None)`

Bases: `object`

The result from running the objective. It is immutable.

Parameters

- `trial` (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) – the original trial sent to the objective
- `metric` (`Any`) – the raw metric from the objective output
- `params` (`Any`) – updated parameters based on the trial input, defaults to `None`. If none, it means the params from the trial was not updated, otherwise it is an object convertible to `TuningParametersTemplate` by `to_template()`
- `metadata` (`Optional[Dict[str, Any]]`) – metadata from the objective output, defaults to `None`
- `cost` (`float`) – cost to run the objective, defaults to `1.0`
- `rung` (`int`) – number of rungs in the current objective, defaults to `0`. This is for iterative problems
- `sort_metric` (`Any`) – the metric for comparison, defaults to `None`. It must be smaller better. If not set, it implies the `metric` is `sort_metric` and it is smaller better
- `log_time` (`Any`) – the time generating this report, defaults to `None`. If `None`, current time will be used

Attention: This class is not for users to construct directly.

copy()

Copy the current object.

Returns the copied object

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`

Note: This is shallow copy, but it is also used by `__deepcopy__` of this object. This is because we disable deepcopy of TrialReport.

property cost: float

The cost to run the objective

fill_dict(data)

Fill a row of `StudyResult` with the report information

Parameters `data (Dict[str, Any])` – a row (as dict) from `StudyResult`

Returns the updated data

Return type `Dict[str, Any]`

generate_sort_metric(min_better, digits)

Construct a new report object with the new derived``sort_metric``

Parameters

- `min_better (bool)` – whether the current `metric()` is smaller better
- `digits (int)` – number of digits to keep in `sort_metric`

Returns a new object with the updated value

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`

property log_time: datetime.datetime

The time generating this report

property metadata: Dict[str, Any]

The metadata from the objective output

property metric: float

The raw metric from the objective output

property params: tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate

The parameters used by the objective to generate the `metric()`

reset_log_time()

Reset `log_time()` to now

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`

property rung: int

The number of rungs in the current objective, defaults to 0. This is for iterative problems

property sort_metric: float

The metric for comparison

property trial: tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial

The original trial sent to the objective

```
property trial_id: str
    tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial.trial_id()

with_cost(cost)
    Construct a new report object with the new cost

        Parameters cost (float) – new cost

        Returns a new object with the updated value

        Return type tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport

with_rung(rung)
    Construct a new report object with the new rung

        Parameters rung (int) – new rung

        Returns a new object with the updated value

        Return type tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport

with_sort_metric(sort_metric)
    Construct a new report object with the new sort_metric

        Parameters sort_metric (Any) – new sort_metric

        Returns a new object with the updated value

        Return type tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport

class TrialReportHeap(min_heap)
    Bases: object

        Parameters min_heap (bool) –

        pop()

            Return type tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport

        push(report)

            Parameters report (tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport) –

            Return type None

        values()

            Return type Iterable[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]

class TrialReportLogger(new_best_only=False)
    Bases: object

        Parameters new_best_only (bool) –

        property best: Optional[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]

        log(report)

            Parameters report (tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport) –

            Return type None

        on_report(report)
```

Parameters `report` (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –
Return type `bool`

`tune.concepts.flow.trial`

class `Trial(trial_id, params, metadata=None, keys=None, dfs=None)`
Bases: `object`

The input data collection for running an objective. It is immutable.

Parameters

- `trial_id` (`str`) – the unique id for a trial
- `params` (`Any`) – parameters for tuning, an object convertible to `TuningParametersTemplate` by `to_template()`
- `metadata` (`Optional[Dict[str, Any]]`) – metadata for tuning, defaults to None. It is set during the construction of `TuneDataset`
- `keys` (`Optional[List[str]]`) – partitions keys of the `TuneDataset`, defaults to None
- `dfs` (`Optional[Dict[str, Any]]`) – dataframes extracted from `TuneDataset`, defaults to None

Attention: This class is not for users to construct directly. Use `Space` instead.

`copy()`

Copy the current object.

Returns the copied object

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`

Note: This is shallow copy, but it is also used by `__deepcopy__` of this object. This is because we disable deepcopy of Trial.

`property dfs: Dict[str, Any]`

Dataframes extracted from `TuneDataset`

`property keys: List[str]`

Partitions keys of the `TuneDataset`

`property metadata: Dict[str, Any]`

Metadata of the trial

`property params: tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate`

Parameters for tuning

`property trial_id: str`

The unique id of this trial

`with_dfs(dfs)`

Set dataframes for the trial, a new Trial object will be constructed and with the new `dfs`

Parameters `dfs` (`Dict[str, Any]`) – dataframes to attach to the trial

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`

with_params(*params*)

Set parameters for the trial, a new Trial object will be constructed and with the new *params*

Parameters **params** (*Any*) – parameters for tuning

Return type *tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial*

tune.concepts.space**tune.concepts.space.parameters****class Choice**(*args)

Bases: *tune.concepts.space.parameters.StochasticExpression*

A random choice of values. Please read *Space Tutorial*.

Parameters **args** (*Any*) – values to choose from

generate(*seed=None*)

Return a randomly chosen value.

Parameters **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – if set, it will be used to call `seed()`, defaults to None

Return type *Any*

property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]

Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable

property values: List[Any]

values to choose from

class FuncParam(*func*, *args, **kwargs)

Bases: *object*

Function parameter. It defers the function call after all its parameters are no longer tuning parameters

Parameters

- **func** (*Callable*) – function to generate parameter value
- **args** (*Any*) – list arguments
- **kwargs** (*Any*) – key-value arguments

```
s = Space(a=1, b=FuncParam(lambda x, y: x + y, x=Grid(0, 1), y=Grid(3, 4)))
assert [
    dict(a=1, b=3),
    dict(a=1, b=4),
    dict(a=1, b=4),
    dict(a=1, b=5),
] == list(s)
```

class Grid(*args)

Bases: *tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParameterExpression*

Grid search, every value will be used. Please read *Space Tutorial*.

Parameters **args** (*Any*) – values for the grid search

class NormalRand(*mu*, *sigma*, *q=None*)

Bases: *tune.concepts.space.parameters.RandBase*

Continuous normally distributed random variables. Please read *Space Tutorial*.

Parameters

- **mu** (*float*) – mean of the normal distribution
- **sigma** (*float*) – standard deviation of the normal distribution
- **q** (*Optional[float]*) – step between adjacent values, if set, the value will be rounded using q, defaults to None

generate(*seed=None*)

Return a randomly chosen value.

Parameters **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – if set, it will be used to call `seed()`, defaults to None**Return type** float**property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]**

Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable

class NormalRandInt(mu, sigma, q=1)Bases: `tune.concepts.space.parameters.RandBase`Normally distributed random integer values. Please read [Space Tutorial](#).**Parameters**

- **mu** (*int*) – mean of the normal distribution
- **sigma** (*float*) – standard deviation of the normal distribution
- **q** (*int*) –

generate(*seed=None*)

Return a randomly chosen value.

Parameters **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – if set, it will be used to call `seed()`, defaults to None**Return type** int**property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]**

Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable

class Rand(low, high, q=None, log=False, include_high=True)Bases: `tune.concepts.space.parameters.RandBase`Continuous uniform random variables. Please read [Space Tutorial](#).**Parameters**

- **low** (*float*) – range low bound (inclusive)
- **high** (*float*) – range high bound (exclusive)
- **q** (*Optional[float]*) – step between adjacent values, if set, the value will be rounded using q, defaults to None
- **log** (*bool*) – whether to do uniform sampling in log space, defaults to False. If True, low must be positive and lower values get higher chance to be sampled
- **include_high** (*bool*) –

generate(*seed=None*)

Return a randomly chosen value.

Parameters **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – if set, it will be used to call `seed()`, defaults to None**Return type** float

property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]

Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable

class RandBase(q=None, log=False)

Bases: [tune.concepts.space.parameters.StochasticExpression](#)

Base class for continuous random variables. Please read [Space Tutorial](#).

Parameters

- **q** (*Optional[float]*) – step between adjacent values, if set, the value will be rounded using q, defaults to None
- **log** (*bool*) – whether to do uniform sampling in log space, defaults to False. If True, lower values get higher chance to be sampled

class RandInt(low, high, q=1, log=False, include_high=True)

Bases: [tune.concepts.space.parameters.RandBase](#)

Uniform distributed random integer values. Please read [Space Tutorial](#).

Parameters

- **low** (*int*) – range low bound (inclusive)
- **high** (*int*) – range high bound (exclusive)
- **log** (*bool*) – whether to do uniform sampling in log space, defaults to False. If True, low must be ≥ 1 and lower values get higher chance to be sampled
- **q** (*int*) –
- **include_high** (*bool*) –

generate(seed=None)

Return a randomly chosen value.

Parameters **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – if set, it will be used to call `seed()`, defaults to None

Return type float

property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]

Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable

class StochasticExpression

Bases: [tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParameterExpression](#)

Stochastic search base class. Please read [Space Tutorial](#).

generate(seed=None)

Return a randomly chosen value.

Parameters **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – if set, it will be used to call `seed()`, defaults to None

Return type Any

generate_many(n, seed=None)

Generate n randomly chosen values

Parameters

- **n** (*int*) – number of random values to generate
- **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – random seed, defaults to None

Returns a list of values

Return type List[Any]

```

property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]
    Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable

class TransitionChoice(*args)
    Bases: tune.concepts.space.parameters.Choice
    An ordered random choice of values. Please read Space Tutorial.
        Parameters args (Any) – values to choose from

property jsondict: Dict[str, Any]
    Dict representation of the expression that is json serializable

class TuningParameterExpression
    Bases: object
    Base class of all tuning parameter expressions

class TuningParametersTemplate(raw)
    Bases: object
    Parameter template to extract tuning parameter expressions from nested data structure
        Parameters raw (Dict[str, Any]) – the dictionary of input parameters.

```

Note: Please use `to_template()` to initialize this class.

```

# common cases
to_template(dict(a=1, b=1))
to_template(dict(a=Rand(0, 1), b=1))

# expressions may nest in dicts or arrays
template = to_template(
    dict(a=dict(x1=Rand(0, 1), x2=Rand(3,4)), b=[Grid("a", "b")])))

assert [Rand(0, 1), Rand(3, 4), Grid("a", "b")] == template.params
assert dict(
    p0=Rand(0, 1), p1=Rand(3, 4), p2=Grid("a", "b"))
) == template.params_dict
assert dict(a=1, x2=3, b=["a"]) == template.fill([1, 3, "a"])
assert dict(a=1, x2=3, b=["a"]) == template.fill_dict(
    dict(p2="a", p1=3, p0=1)
)

```

`concat(other)`

Concatenate with another template and generate a new template.

Note: The other template must not have any key existed in this template, otherwise `ValueError` will be raised

Returns the merged template

Parameters other (tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate) –

Return type tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate

static decode(data)

Retrieve the template from a base64 string

Parameters **data** (str) –

Return type *tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate*

property empty: bool

Whether the template contains any tuning expression

encode()

Convert the template to a base64 string

Return type str

fill(params)

Fill the original data structure with values

Parameters

- **params** (*List[Any]*) – the list of values to be filled into the original data structure, in depth-first order
- **copy** – whether to return a deeply copied parameters, defaults to False

Returns the original data structure filled with values

Return type Dict[str, Any]

fill_dict(params)

Fill the original data structure with dictionary of values

Parameters

- **params** (*Dict[str, Any]*) – the dictionary of values to be filled into the original data structure, keys must be p0, p1, p2, ...
- **copy** – whether to return a deeply copied parameters, defaults to False

Returns the original data structure filled with values

Return type Dict[str, Any]

property has_grid: bool

Whether the template contains grid expressions

property has_stochastic: bool

Whether the template contains stochastic expressions

property params: List[tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParameterExpression]

Get all tuning parameter expressions in depth-first order

property params_dict: Dict[str,***tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParameterExpression***

Get all tuning parameter expressions in depth-first order, with correspondent made-up new keys p0, p1, p2,

...

product_grid()

cross product all grid parameters

Yield new templates with the grid parameters filled

Return type Iterable[*tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate*]

```
assert [dict(a=1,b=Rand(0,1)), dict(a=2,b=Rand(0,1))] ==  
    list(to_template(dict(a=Grid(1,2),b=Rand(0,1))).product_grid())
```

sample(*n*, *seed=None*)
sample all stochastic parameters

Parameters

- **n** (*int*) – number of samples, must be a positive integer
- **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – random seed defaulting to None. It will take effect if it is not None.

Yield new templates with the grid paramters filled**Return type** Iterable[*tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate*]

```
assert [dict(a=1.1,b=Grid(0,1)), dict(a=1.5,b=Grid(0,1))] ==  
list(to_template(dict(a=Rand(1,2),b=Grid(0,1))).sample(2,0))
```

property simple_value: Dict[str, Any]

If the template contains no tuning expression, it's simple and it will return parameters dictionary, otherwise, ValueError will be raised

property template: Dict[str, Any]

The template dictionary, all tuning expressions will be replaced by None

to_template(*data*)

Convert an object to TuningParametersTemplate

Parameters **data** (*Any*) – data object (dict or TuningParametersTemplate or str (encoded string))

Returns the template object

Return type *tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate***tune.concepts.space.spaces****class Space(*args, **kwargs)**

Bases: object

Search space object

Important: Please read [Space Tutorial](#).

Parameters **kwargs** (*Any*) – parameters in the search space

```
Space(a=1, b=1) # static space  
Space(a=1, b=Grid(1,2), c=Grid("a", "b")) # grid search  
Space(a=1, b=Grid(1,2), c=Rand(0, 1)) # grid search + level 2 search  
Space(a=1, b=Grid(1,2), c=Rand(0, 1)).sample(10, seed=0) # grid + random search  
  
# union  
Space(a=1, b=Grid(2,3)) + Space(b=Rand(1,5)).sample(10)  
  
# cross product  
Space(a=1, b=Grid(2,3)) * Space(c=Rand(1,5), d=Grid("a","b"))
```

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```
# combo (grid + random + level 2)
space1 = Space(a=1, b=Grid(2,4))
space2 = Space(b=RandInt(10, 20))
space3 = Space(c=Rand(0,1)).sample(10)
space = (space1 + space2) * space3

assert Space(a=1, b=Rand(0,1)).has_stochastic
assert not Space(a=1, b=Rand(0,1)).sample(10).has_stochastic
assert not Space(a=1, b=Grid(0,1)).has_stochastic
assert not Space(a=1, b=1).has_stochastic

# get all configurations
space = Space(a=Grid(2,4), b=Rand(0,1)).sample(100)
for conf in space:
    print(conf)
all_conf = list(space)
```

property has_stochasticWhether the space contains any *StochasticExpression***sample(*n*, *seed*=None)**Draw random samples from the current space. Please read *Space Tutorial*.**Parameters**

- **n** (*int*) – number of samples to draw
- **seed** (*Optional[Any]*) – random seed, defaults to None

Returns a new Space containing all samples**Return type** *tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space***Note:**

- it only applies to *StochasticExpression*
- if *has_stochastic()* is False, then it will return the original space
- After sampling, no *StochasticExpression* will exist in the new space.

tune.concepts.checkpoint**class Checkpoint(*fs*)**

Bases: object

An abstraction for tuning checkpoint

Parameters **fs** (*fs.base.FS*) – the file system

Attention: Normally you don't need to create a checkpoint by yourself, please read *Checkpoint Tutorial* if you want to understand how it works.

```
create()
    Create a new checkpoint
    Return type tune.concepts.checkpoint.NewCheckpoint
property latest: fs.base.FS
    latest checkpoint folder
    Raises AssertionError – if there was no checkpoint
class NewCheckpoint(checkpoint)
    Bases: object
    A helper class for adding new checkpoints
    Parameters checkpoint (tune.concepts.checkpoint.Checkpoint) – the parent checkpoint
```

Attention: Do not construct this class directly, please read [Checkpoint Tutorial](#) for details

`tune.concepts.dataset`

```
class StudyResult(dataset, result)
    Bases: object
    A collection of the input TuneDataset and the tuning result
    Parameters
        • dataset (tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset) – input dataset for tuning
        • result (fugue.workflow.workflow.WorkflowDataFrame) – tuning result as a
            dataframe
```

Attention: Do not construct this class directly.

```
next_tune_dataset(best_n=0)
    Convert the result back to a new TuneDataset to be used by the next steps.
    Parameters best_n (int) – top n result to extract, defaults to 0 (entire result)
    Returns a new dataset for tuning
    Return type tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset
result(best_n=0)
    Get the top n results sorted by tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport.sort_metric()
    Parameters best_n (int) – number of result to get, defaults to 0. if  $<=0$  then it will return the
        entire result
    Returns result subset
    Return type fugue.workflow.workflow.WorkflowDataFrame
union_with(other)
    Union with another result set and update itself
    Parameters other (tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult) – the other result dataset
    Return type None
```

Note: This method also removes duplicated reports based on `tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial.trial_id()`. Each trial will have only the best report in the updated result

```
class TuneDataset(data, dfs, keys)
```

Bases: object

A Fugue `WorkflowDataFrame` with metadata representing all dataframes required for a tuning task.

Parameters

- **data** (`fugue.workflow.workflow.WorkflowDataFrame`) – the Fugue `WorkflowDataFrame` containing all required dataframes
- **dfs** (`List[str]`) – the names of the dataframes
- **keys** (`List[str]`) – the common partition keys of all dataframes

Attention: Do not construct this class directly, please read [TuneDataset Tutorial](#) to find the right way

property data: fugue.workflow.workflow.WorkflowDataFrame
the Fugue `WorkflowDataFrame` containing all required dataframes

property dfs: List[str]

All dataframe names (you can also find them part of the column names of `data()`)

property keys: List[str]

Partition keys (columns) of `data()`

split(weights, seed)

Split the dataset randomly to small partitions. This is useful for some algorithms such as Hyperband, because it needs different subset to run successive halvings with different parameters.

Parameters

- **weights** (`List[float]`) – a list of numeric values. The length represents the number of splitd partitions, and the values represents the proportion of each partition
- **seed** (`Any`) – random seed for the split

Returns a list of sub-datasets

Return type `List[tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset]`

```
# randomly split the data to two partitions 25% and 75%
dataset.split([1, 3], seed=0)
# same because weights will be normalized
dataset.split([10, 30], seed=0)
```

```
class TuneDatasetBuilder(space, path="")
```

Bases: object

Builder of `TuneDataset`, for details please read [TuneDataset Tutorial](#)

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) – searching space, see [Space Tutorial](#)
- **path** (`str`) – temp path to store searialized dataframe partitions , defaults to “”

add_df(*name*, *df*, *how*=")
Add a dataframe to the dataset

Parameters

- **name** (*str*) – name of the dataframe, it will also create a `__tune_df__<name>` column in the dataset dataframe
- **df** (*fugue.workflow.workflow.WorkflowDataFrame*) – the dataframe to add.
- **how** (*str*) – join type, can accept `semi`, `left_semi`, `anti`, `left_anti`, `inner`, `left_outer`, `right_outer`, `full_outer`, `cross`

Returns the builder itself**Return type** *tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDatasetBuilder*

Note: For the first dataframe you add, *how* should be empty. From the second dataframe you add, *how* must be set.

Note: If *df* is prepartitioned, the partition key will be used to join with the added dataframes. Read *TuneDataset Tutorial* for more details

add_dfs(*dfs*, *how*=")
Add multiple dataframes with the same join type

Parameters

- **dfs** (*fugue.workflow.workflow.WorkflowDataFrames*) – dictionary like dataframe collection. The keys will be used as the dataframe names
- **how** (*str*) – join type, can accept `semi`, `left_semi`, `anti`, `left_anti`, `inner`, `left_outer`, `right_outer`, `full_outer`, `cross`

Returns the builder itself**Return type** *tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDatasetBuilder*

build(*wf*, *batch_size*=1, *shuffle*=True, *trial_metadata*=None)
Build *TuneDataset*, for details please read *TuneDataset Tutorial*

Parameters

- **wf** (*fugue.workflow.workflow.FugueWorkflow*) – the workflow associated with the dataset
- **batch_size** (*int*) – how many configurations as a batch, defaults to 1
- **shuffle** (*bool*) – whether to shuffle the entire dataset, defaults to True. This is to make the tuning process more even, it will look better. It should have slight benefit on speed, no effect on result.
- **trial_metadata** (*Optional[Dict[str, Any]]*) – metadata to pass to each *Trial*, defaults to None

Returns the dataset for tuning**Return type** *tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset*

3.1.3 tune.iterative

tune.iterative.asha

```
class ASHAJudge(schedule, always_checkpoint=False, study_early_stop=None, trial_early_stop=None,
                 monitor=None)
Bases: tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialJudge

Parameters
    • schedule (List[Tuple[float, int]]) –
    • always_checkpoint (bool) –
    • study_early_stop (Optional[Callable[[List[Any], List[tune.iterative.
                                              asha.RungHeap]], bool]]) –
    • trial_early_stop (Optional[Callable[[tune.concepts.flow.report.
                                             TrialReport, List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport], List[tune.
                                               iterative.asha.RungHeap]], bool]]) –
    • monitor (Optional[tune.concepts.flow.judge.Monitor]) –
```

property always_checkpoint: bool

can_accept(trial)

Parameters trial (tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial) –

Return type bool

get_budget(trial, rung)

Parameters

- trial (tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial) –
- rung (int) –

Return type float

judge(report)

Parameters report (tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport) –

Return type tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialDecision

property schedule: List[Tuple[float, int]]

class RungHeap(n)

Bases: object

Parameters n (int) –

property best: float

property bests: List[float]

property capacity: int

property full: bool

push(report)

Parameters `report` (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –
Return type `bool`
`values()`

Return type `Iterable[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

`tune.iterative.objective`

`class IterativeObjectiveFunc`
Bases: `object`

`copy()`

Return type `tune.iterative.objective.IterativeObjectiveFunc`
`property current_trial: tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`
`finalize()`

Return type `None`
`generate_sort_metric(value)`

Parameters `value` (`float`) –
Return type `float`
`initialize()`

Return type `None`
`load_checkpoint(fs)`

Parameters `fs` (`fs.base.FS`) –
Return type `None`
`run(trial, judge, checkpoint_basedir_fs)`

Parameters

- `trial` (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –
- `judge` (`tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialJudge`) –
- `checkpoint_basedir_fs` (`fs.base.FS`) –

Return type `None`
`run_single_iteration()`

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`
`run_single_rung(budget)`

```
Parameters budget (float) –
Return type tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport

property rung: int
save_checkpoint(fs)

Parameters fs (fs.base.FS) –
Return type None

validate_iterative_objective(func, trial, budgets, validator, continuous=False, checkpoint_path='',
                             monitor=None)
```

Parameters

- func (tune.iterative.objective.IterativeObjectiveFunc) –
- trial (tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial) –
- budgets (List[float]) –
- validator (Callable[[List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]], None]) –
- continuous (bool) –
- checkpoint_path (str) –
- monitor (Optional[tune.concepts.flow.judge.Monitor]) –

Return type None

[tune.iterative.sha](#)

[tune.iterative.study](#)

```
class IterativeStudy(objective, checkpoint_path)
Bases: object
```

Parameters

- objective (tune.iterative.objective.IterativeObjectiveFunc) –
- checkpoint_path (str) –

optimize(dataset, judge)

Parameters

- dataset (tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset) –
- judge (tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialJudge) –

Return type tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult

3.1.4 tune.noniterative

tune.noniterative.convert

noniterative_objective(*func=None*, *min_better=True*)

Parameters

- **func** (*Optional[Callable]*) –
- **min_better** (*bool*) –

Return type *Callable[[Any], tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc]*

to_noniterative_objective(*obj*, *min_better=True*, *global_vars=None*, *local_vars=None*)

Parameters

- **obj** (*Any*) –
- **min_better** (*bool*) –
- **global_vars** (*Optional[Dict[str, Any]]*) –
- **local_vars** (*Optional[Dict[str, Any]]*) –

Return type *tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc*

tune.noniterative.objective

class NonIterativeObjectiveFunc

Bases: object

generate_sort_metric(*value*)

Parameters **value** (*float*) –

Return type float

run(*trial*)

Parameters **trial** (*tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial*) –

Return type *tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport*

safe_run(*trial*)

Parameters **trial** (*tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial*) –

Return type *tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport*

class NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer

Bases: object

property distributable: bool

run(*func*, *trial*, *logger*)

Parameters

- **func** (`tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc`) –
- **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –
- **logger** (`Any`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`

run_monitored_process(`func, trial, stop_checker, logger, interval='60sec'`)

Parameters

- **func** (`tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc`) –
- **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –
- **stop_checker** (`Callable[[], bool]`) –
- **logger** (`Any`) –
- **interval** (`Any`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`

validate_noniterative_objective(`func, trial, validator, optimizer=None, logger=None`)

Parameters

- **func** (`tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc`) –
- **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –
- **validator** (`Callable[[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport], None]`) –
- **optimizer** (`Optional[tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer]`) –
- **logger** (`Optional[Any]`) –

Return type `None`

`tune.noniterative.stopper`

class NonIterativeStopper(`log_best_only=False`)
Bases: `tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialJudge`

Parameters `log_best_only` (`bool`) –

can_accept(`trial`)

Parameters `trial` (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type `bool`

get_reports(`trial`)

Parameters `trial` (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

judge(`report`)

Parameters `report` (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.judge.TrialDecision`

on_report(`report`)

Parameters `report` (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type `bool`

should_stop(`trial`)

Parameters `trial` (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type `bool`

property updated: `bool`

class NonIterativeStopperCombiner(`left, right, is_and`)

Bases: `tune.noniterative.stopper.NonIterativeStopper`

Parameters

- `left` (`tune.noniterative.stopper.NonIterativeStopper`) –
- `right` (`tune.noniterative.stopper.NonIterativeStopper`) –
- `is_and` (`bool`) –

get_reports(`trial`)

Parameters `trial` (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

on_report(`report`)

Parameters `report` (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type `bool`

should_stop(`trial`)

Parameters `trial` (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type `bool`

class SimpleNonIterativeStopper(`partition_should_stop, log_best_only=False`)

Bases: `tune.noniterative.stopper.NonIterativeStopper`

Parameters

- `partition_should_stop` (`Callable[[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport, bool, List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]], bool]`) –
- `log_best_only` (`bool`) –

on_report(`report`)

Parameters `report` (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type bool
should_stop(*trial*)

Parameters **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type bool
class TrialReportCollection(*new_best_only=False*)
Bases: `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReportLogger`

Parameters **new_best_only** (bool) –

log(*report*)

Parameters **report** (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type None
property reports: List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]

n_samples(*n*)

Parameters **n** (int) –

Return type `tune.noniterative.stopper.SimpleNonIterativeStopper`

n_updates(*n*)

Parameters **n** (int) –

Return type `tune.noniterative.stopper.SimpleNonIterativeStopper`

no_update_period(*period*)

Parameters **period** (Any) –

Return type `tune.noniterative.stopper.SimpleNonIterativeStopper`

small_improvement(*threshold, updates*)

Parameters

- **threshold** (float) –
- **updates** (int) –

Return type `tune.noniterative.stopper.SimpleNonIterativeStopper`

tune.noniterative.study

```
class NonIterativeStudy(objective, optimizer)
    Bases: object
```

Parameters

- **objective** (`tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc`) –
- **optimizer** (`tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer`) –

```
optimize(dataset, distributed=None, monitor=None, stopper=None, stop_check_interval=None,
logger=None)
```

Parameters

- **dataset** (`tune.concepts.dataset.TuneDataset`) –
- **distributed** (`Optional[bool]`) –
- **monitor** (`Optional[tune.concepts.flow.judge.Monitor]`) –
- **stopper** (`Optional[tune.noniterative.stopper.NonIterativeStopper]`) –
- **stop_check_interval** (`Optional[Any]`) –
- **logger** (`Optional[Any]`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.dataset.StudyResult`

3.1.5 tune.constants

3.1.6 tune.exceptions

```
exception TuneCompileError
```

Bases: `fugue.exceptions.FugueWorkflowCompileError`

```
exception TuneInterrupted
```

Bases: `tune.exceptions.TuneRuntimeError`

```
exception TuneRuntimeError
```

Bases: `fugue.exceptions.FugueWorkflowRuntimeError`

3.2 tune_hyperopt

3.2.1 tune_hyperopt.optimizer

```
class HyperoptLocalOptimizer(max_iter, seed=0, kwargs_func=None)
    Bases: tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer
```

Parameters

- **max_iter** (`int`) –
- **seed** (`int`) –

- **kwargs_func** (*Optional[Callable[[tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc, tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial], Dict[str, Any]]]*) –
run(func, trial, logger)

Parameters

- **func** (*tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc*) –
- **trial** (*tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial*) –
- **logger** (*Any*) –

Return type *tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport*

3.3 tune_optuna

3.3.1 tune_optuna.optimizer

```
class OptunaLocalOptimizer(max_iter, create_study=None)
Bases: tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer
```

Parameters

- **max_iter** (*int*) –
- **create_study** (*Optional[Callable[[], optuna.study.study.Study]]*) –

run(func, trial, logger)**Parameters**

- **func** (*tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc*) –
- **trial** (*tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial*) –
- **logger** (*Any*) –

Return type *tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport*

3.4 tune_sklearn

3.4.1 tune_sklearn.objective

```
class SKCVObjective(scoring, cv=5, feature_prefix='', label_col='label', checkpoint_path=None)
Bases: tune_sklearn.objective.SKObjective
```

Parameters

- **scoring** (*Any*) –
- **cv** (*int*) –
- **feature_prefix** (*str*) –
- **label_col** (*str*) –

- **checkpoint_path** (*Optional[str]*) –

Return type None

```
run(trial)
```

Parameters **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`

```
class SKObjective(scoring, feature_prefix='', label_col='label', checkpoint_path=None)
Bases: tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveFunc
```

Parameters

- **scoring** (*Any*) –
- **feature_prefix** (*str*) –
- **label_col** (*str*) –
- **checkpoint_path** (*Optional[str]*) –

Return type None

```
generate_sort_metric(value)
```

Parameters **value** (*float*) –

Return type float

```
run(trial)
```

Parameters **trial** (`tune.concepts.flow.trial.Trial`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`

3.4.2 `tune_sklearn.suggest`

```
suggest_sk_models(space, train_df, test_df, scoring, temp_path='', feature_prefix='', label_col='label',
    save_model=False, partition_keys=None, top_n=1, local_optimizer=None, monitor=None,
    stopper=None, stop_check_interval=None, distributed=None, execution_engine=None,
    execution_engine_conf=None)
```

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **train_df** (*Any*) –
- **test_df** (*Any*) –
- **scoring** (*str*) –
- **temp_path** (*str*) –
- **feature_prefix** (*str*) –
- **label_col** (*str*) –
- **save_model** (*bool*) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –

- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **local_optimizer** (*Optional[tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stopper** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stop_check_interval** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

```
suggest_sk_models_by_cv(space, train_df, scoring, cv=5, temp_path='', feature_prefix='', label_col='label',
                         save_model=False, partition_keys=None, top_n=1, local_optimizer=None,
                         monitor=None, stopper=None, stop_check_interval=None, distributed=None,
                         execution_engine=None, execution_engine_conf=None)
```

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **train_df** (*Any*) –
- **scoring** (*str*) –
- **cv** (*int*) –
- **temp_path** (*str*) –
- **feature_prefix** (*str*) –
- **label_col** (*str*) –
- **save_model** (*bool*) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –
- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **local_optimizer** (*Optional[tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer]*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stopper** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **stop_check_interval** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

3.4.3 tune_sklearn.utils

`sk_space(model, **params)`

Parameters

- `model` (`str`) –
- `params` (`Dict[str, Any]`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`

`to_sk_model(obj)`

Parameters `obj` (`Any`) –

Return type Type

`to_sk_model_expr(model)`

Parameters `model` (`Any`) –

Return type Any

3.5 tune_tensorflow

3.5.1 tune_tensorflow.objective

`class KerasObjective(type_dict)`

Bases: `tune.iterative.objective.IterativeObjectiveFunc`

Parameters `type_dict` (`Dict[str, Type[tune_tensorflow.spec.KerasTrainingSpec]]`)

–

Return type None

`copy()`

Return type `tune_tensorflow.objective.KerasObjective`

`finalize()`

Return type None

`generate_sort_metric(value)`

Parameters `value` (`float`) –

Return type float

`initialize()`

Return type None

`load_checkpoint(fs)`

```
Parameters fs (fs.base.FS) –
Return type None
property model: keras.engine.training.Model
run_single_rung(budget)
Parameters budget (float) –
Return type tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport
save_checkpoint(fs)
Parameters fs (fs.base.FS) –
Return type None
property spec: tune_tensorflow.spec.KerasTrainingSpec
```

3.5.2 `tune_tensorflow.spec`

```
class KerasTrainingSpec(params, dfs)
Bases: object
Parameters
    • params (Any) –
    • dfs (Dict[str, Any]) –
compile_model(**add_kwargs)
Parameters add_kwargs (Any) –
Return type keras.engine.training.Model
compute_sort_metric(**add_kwargs)
Parameters add_kwargs (Any) –
Return type float
property dfs: Dict[str, Any]
finalize()
Return type None
fit(**add_kwargs)
Parameters add_kwargs (Any) –
Return type keras.callbacks.History
generate_sort_metric(metric)
Parameters metric (float) –
```

Return type float

get_compile_params()

Return type Dict[str, Any]

get_fit_metric(*history*)

Parameters **history** (*keras.callbacks.History*) –

Return type float

get_fit_params()

Return type Tuple[List[Any], Dict[str, Any]]

get_model()

Return type keras.engine.training.Model

load_checkpoint(*fs, model*)

Parameters

- **fs** (*fs.base.FS*) –
- **model** (*keras.engine.training.Model*) –

Return type None

property params: *tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate*

save_checkpoint(*fs, model*)

Parameters

- **fs** (*fs.base.FS*) –
- **model** (*keras.engine.training.Model*) –

Return type None

3.5.3 `tune_tensorflow.suggest`

suggest_keras_models_by_continuous_asha(*space, plan, train_df=None, temp_path='', partition_keys=None, top_n=1, monitor=None, execution_engine=None, execution_engine_conf=None*)

Parameters

- **space** (*tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space*) –
- **plan** (*List[Tuple[float, int]]*) –
- **train_df** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **temp_path** (*str*) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]]*) –

- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

suggest_keras_models_by_hyperband(*space*, *plans*, *train_df*=*None*, *temp_path*='', *partition_keys*=*None*,
top_n=1, *monitor*=*None*, *distributed*=*None*, *execution_engine*=*None*,
execution_engine_conf=*None*)

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **plans** (`List[List[Tuple[float, int]]]`) –
- **train_df** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **temp_path** (*str*) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]*]) –
- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

suggest_keras_models_by_sha(*space*, *plan*, *train_df*=*None*, *temp_path*='', *partition_keys*=*None*, *top_n*=1,
monitor=*None*, *distributed*=*None*, *execution_engine*=*None*,
execution_engine_conf=*None*)

Parameters

- **space** (`tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`) –
- **plan** (`List[Tuple[float, int]]`) –
- **train_df** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **temp_path** (*str*) –
- **partition_keys** (*Optional[List[str]*]) –
- **top_n** (*int*) –
- **monitor** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **distributed** (*Optional[bool]*) –
- **execution_engine** (*Optional[Any]*) –
- **execution_engine_conf** (*Optional[Any]*) –

Return type `List[tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport]`

3.5.4 tune_tensorflow.utils

`extract_keras_spec(params, type_dict)`

Parameters

- **params** (`tune.concepts.space.parameters.TuningParametersTemplate`) –
- **type_dict** (`Dict[str, Any]`) –

Return type `Type[tune_tensorflow.spec.KerasTrainingSpec]`

`keras_space(model, **params)`

Parameters

- **model** (`Any`) –
- **params** (`Any`) –

Return type `tune.concepts.space.spaces.Space`

`to_keras_spec(obj)`

Parameters **obj** (`Any`) –

Return type `Type[tune_tensorflow.spec.KerasTrainingSpec]`

`to_keras_spec_expr(spec)`

Parameters **spec** (`Any`) –

Return type `str`

3.6 tune_notebook

3.6.1 tune_notebook.monitors

`class NotebookSimpleChart(interval='1sec', best_only=True, always_update=False)`
 Bases: `tune.concepts.flow.judge.Monitor`

Parameters

- **interval** (`Any`) –
- **best_only** (`bool`) –
- **always_update** (`bool`) –

`finalize()`

Return type `None`

`on_report(report)`

Parameters **report** (`tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport`) –

Return type `None`

```
plot(df)

    Parameters df (pandas.core.frame.DataFrame) –
    Return type None

class NotebookSimpleHist(interval='1sec')
    Bases: tune_notebook.monitors.NotebookSimpleChart

        Parameters interval (Any) –
        plot(df)

            Parameters df (pandas.core.frame.DataFrame) –
            Return type None

class NotebookSimpleRungs(interval='1sec')
    Bases: tune_notebook.monitors.NotebookSimpleChart

        Parameters interval (Any) –
        plot(df)

            Parameters df (pandas.core.frame.DataFrame) –
            Return type None

class NotebookSimpleTimeSeries(interval='1sec')
    Bases: tune_notebook.monitors.NotebookSimpleChart

        Parameters interval (Any) –
        plot(df)

            Parameters df (pandas.core.frame.DataFrame) –
            Return type None

class PrintBest
    Bases: tune.concepts.flow.judge.Monitor

        on_report(report)

            Parameters report (tune.concepts.flow.report.TrialReport) –
            Return type None
```

3.7 tune_test

3.7.1 tune_test.local_optimizer

```
class NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizerTests
    Bases: object

    DataFrame level general test suite. All new DataFrame types should pass this test suite.
```

```
class Tests(methodName='runTest')
    Bases: unittest.case.TestCase

    make_optimizer(**kwargs)

        Parameters kwargs (Any) -
        Return type tune.noniterative.objective.NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer

    test_choice()
    test_optimization()
    test_optimization_dummy()
    test_optimization_nested_param()
    test_rand()
    test_randint()
    test_transition_choice()
```


SHORT TUTORIALS

4.1 Search Space

THIS IS THE MOST IMPORTANT CONCEPT OF TUNE, MUST READ

Tune defines its own searching space concept and different expressions. It inherits the Fugue philosophy: one expression for all frameworks. For the underlying optimizers (e.g. HyperOpt, Optuna), tune unifies the behaviors. For example `Rand(1.0, 5.0, q=1.5)` will uniformly search on `[1.0, 2.5, 4.0]` no matter you use HyperOpt or Optuna as the underlying optimizer.

In Tune, spaces are predefined before search, it is opposite to Optuna where you get variables inside objectives during runtime. In this way, your space definition is totally separated from objective definition, and your objectives may be just simple python functions independent from Tune.

```
[1]: from tune import Space, Grid, Rand, RandInt, Choice
import pandas as pd
```

4.1.1 Simple Cases

The simplest cases are spaces with only static variables. So the spaces will always generate single configuration.

```
[2]: space = Space(a=1, b=1)
print(list(space))

[{'a': 1, 'b': 1}]
```

4.1.2 Grid Search

You can replace the static variables to `Grid` expression. We will cross product all grid expressions in the space, so you see in the second example, it generates 6 configurations.

```
[3]: print(list(Space(a=1, b=Grid("a", "b"))))
print(list(Space(a=Grid(1, 2), b=Grid("x", "y", "z"))))

[{'a': 1, 'b': 'a'}, {'a': 1, 'b': 'b'}]
[{'a': 1, 'b': 'x'}, {'a': 1, 'b': 'y'}, {'a': 1, 'b': 'z'}, {'a': 2, 'b': 'x'}, {'a': 2, 'b': 'y'}, {'a': 2, 'b': 'z'}]
```

4.1.3 Random Expressions

Random search requires `.sample` method after you define the original space to specify how many random combinations you want to draw from the expression.

Choice

Choice refers to discrete **unordered** set of values. So `Choice(1, 2, 3)` is equivalent to `Choide(2, 1, 3)`. When you do random sampling from Choice, every value has equal chance. When you do advanced search such as Bayesian Optimization, it also assumes no relation between values.

```
[4]: space = Space(a=1, b=Choice("aa", "bb", "cc")).sample(2, seed=1)
print(list(space))
[{'a': 1, 'b': 'bb'}, {'a': 1, 'b': 'aa'}]
```

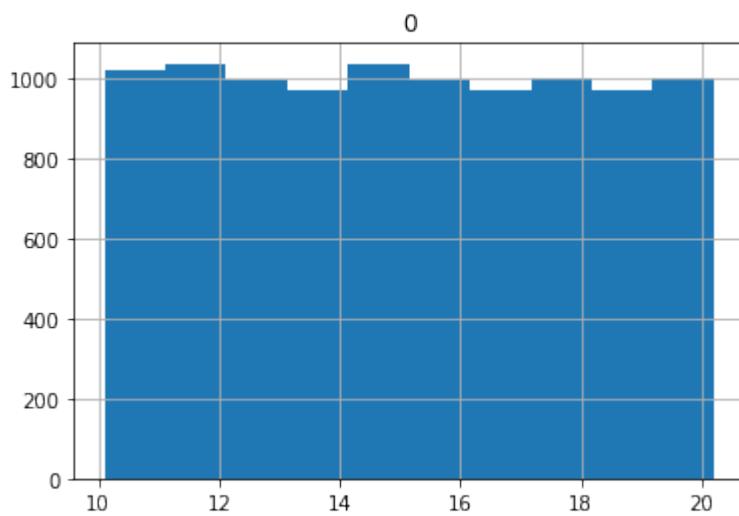
Rand

Rand is the most common expression for a variable. It refers to sampling from a range of value.

Rand(low, high)

uniformly search between [low, high)

```
[5]: samples = Rand(10.1, 20.2).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist();
```



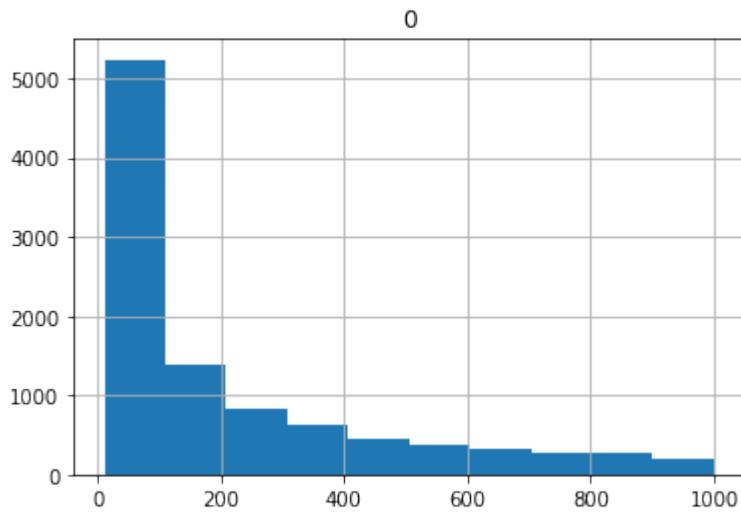
Rand(low, high, log=True)

search in the log space, but still in [low, high) so the smaller values get higher chance to be selected.

For log space searching, low must be greater or equal to 1.

The algorithm: `exp(uniform(log(low), log(high)))`

```
[6]: samples = Rand(10.1, 1000, log=True).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist();
```

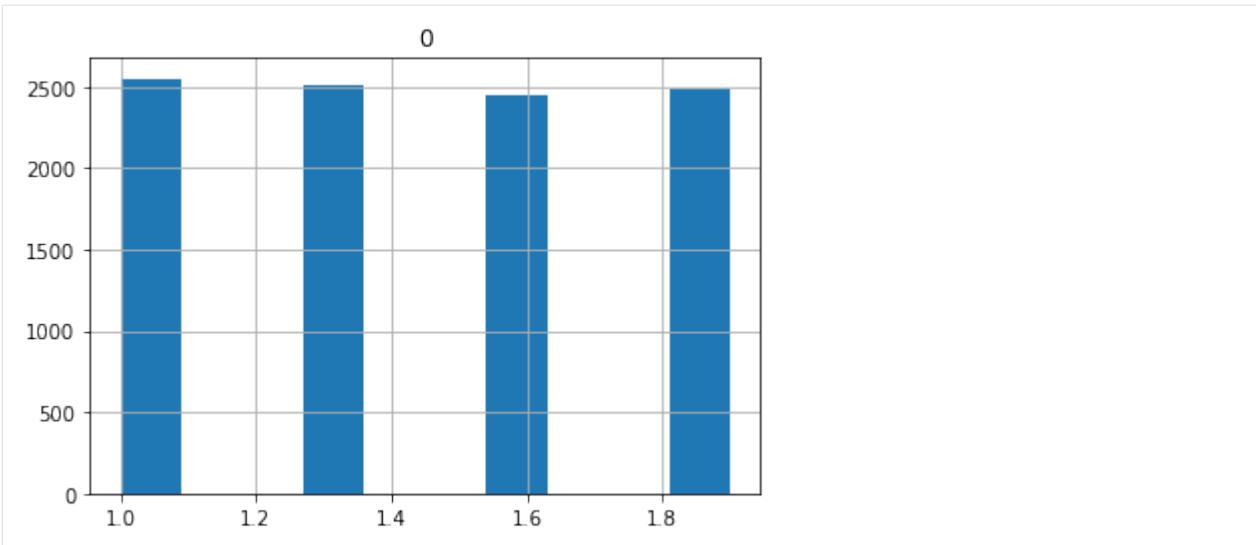
**Rand(low, high, q, include_high)**

uniformly search between low and high with step q. `include_high` (default True) indicates whether the high value can be a candidate.

```
[7]: print(Rand(-1.0, 4.0, q=2.5).generate_many(10, seed=0))
print(Rand(-1.0, 4.0, q=2.5, include_high=False).generate_many(10, seed=0))

samples = Rand(1.0, 2.0, q=0.3).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist();

[1.5, 4.0, 1.5, 1.5, 1.5, 1.5, 1.5, 4.0, 4.0, 1.5]
[1.5, 1.5, 1.5, 1.5, -1.0, 1.5, -1.0, 1.5, 1.5, -1.0]
```

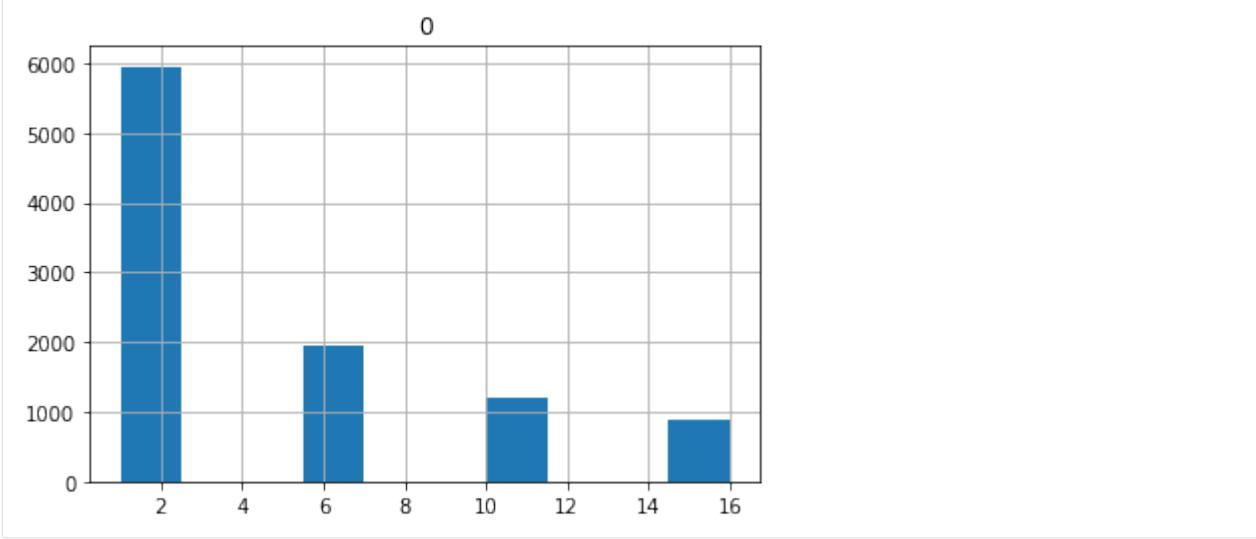


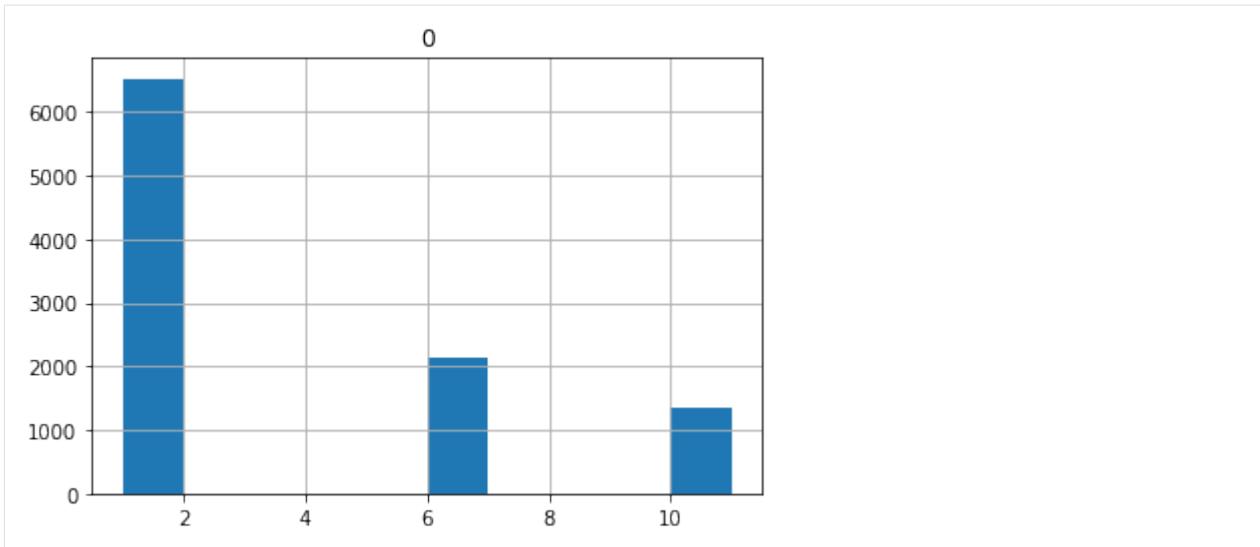
`Rand(low, high, q, include_high, log=True)`

search between low and high with step q in log space. `include_high` (default True) indicates whether the high value can be a candidate.

```
[8]: samples = Rand(1.0,16.0,q=5, log=True).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist()

samples = Rand(1.0,16.0,q=5, log=True, include_high=False).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist();
```





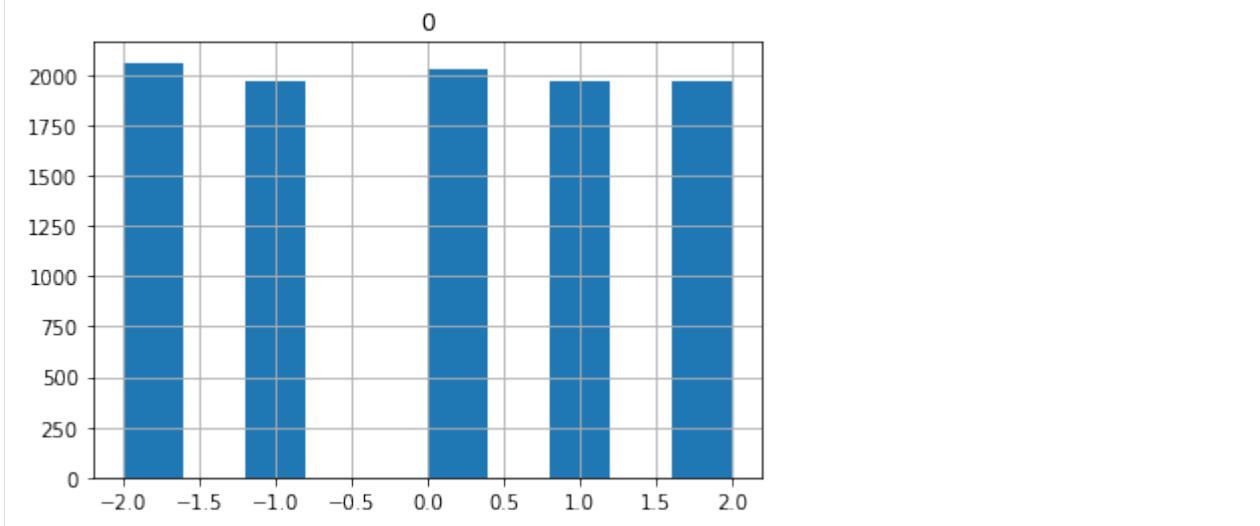
RandInt

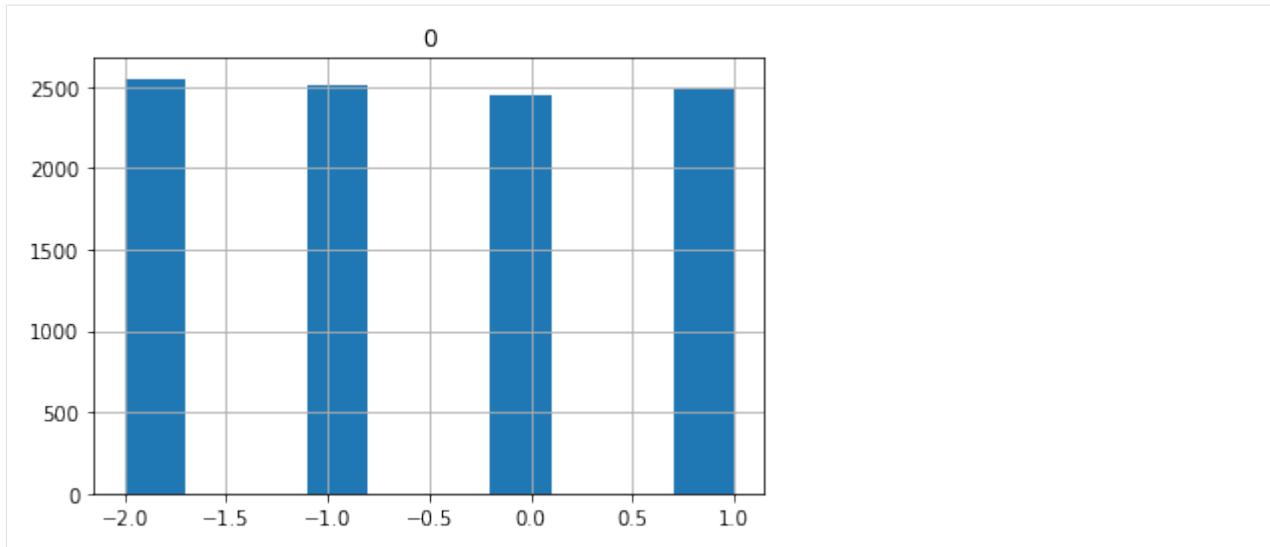
RandInt can be considered as a special case of Rand where the low, high and q are all integers

RandInt(low, high, include_high)

```
[9]: samples = RandInt(-2, 2).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist()

samples = RandInt(-2, 2, include_high=False).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist();
```



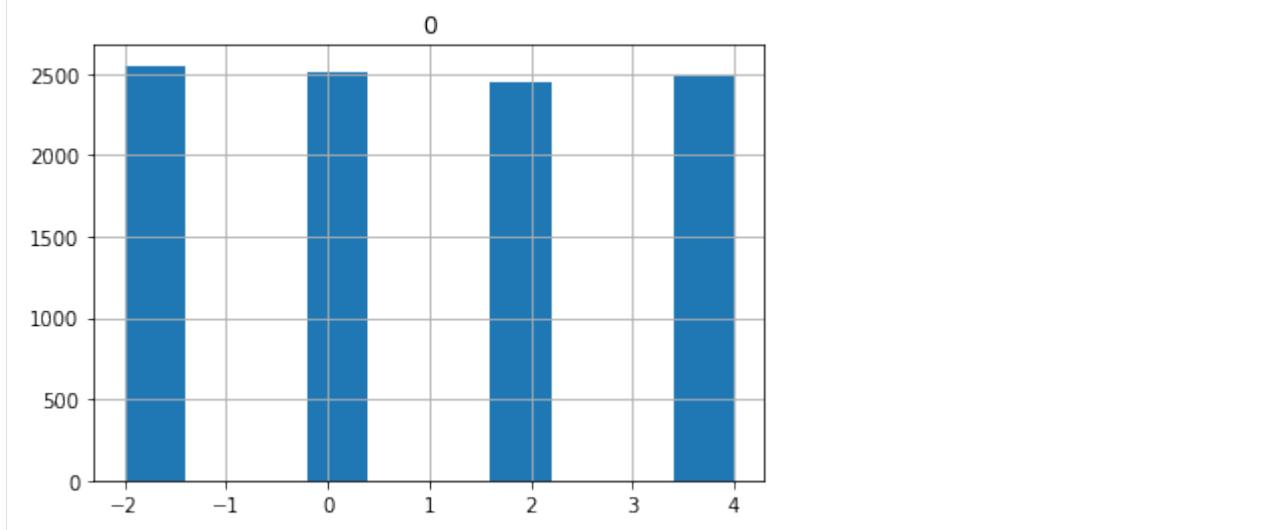


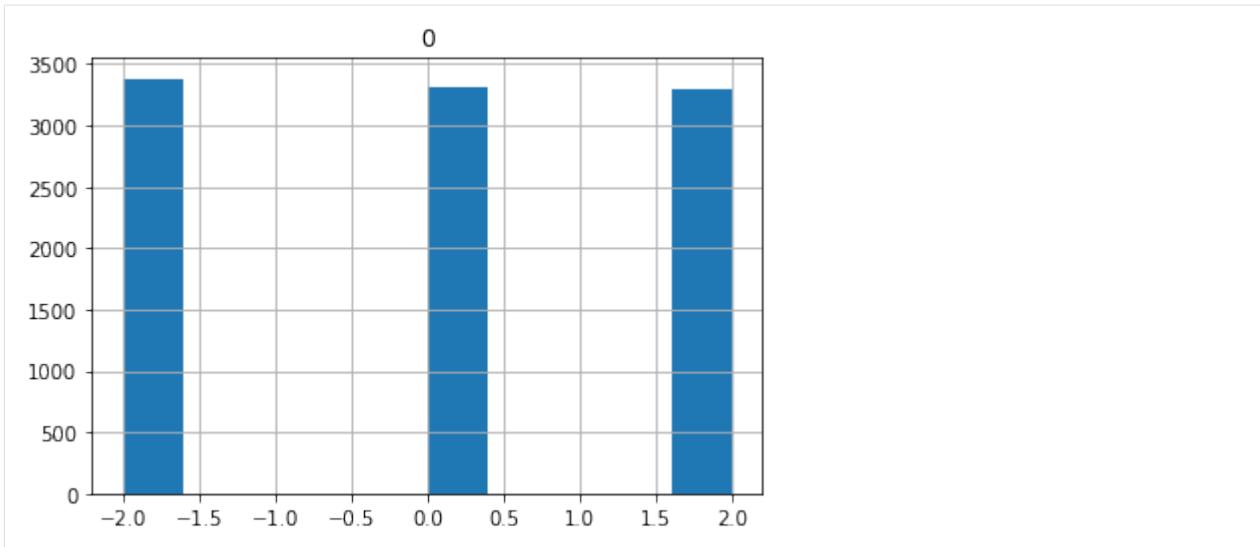
RandInt(low, high, include_high, q)

Search starting from low with step q to high

```
[10]: samples = RandInt(-2,4,q=2).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist()

samples = RandInt(-2,4,include_high=False,q=2).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist();
```





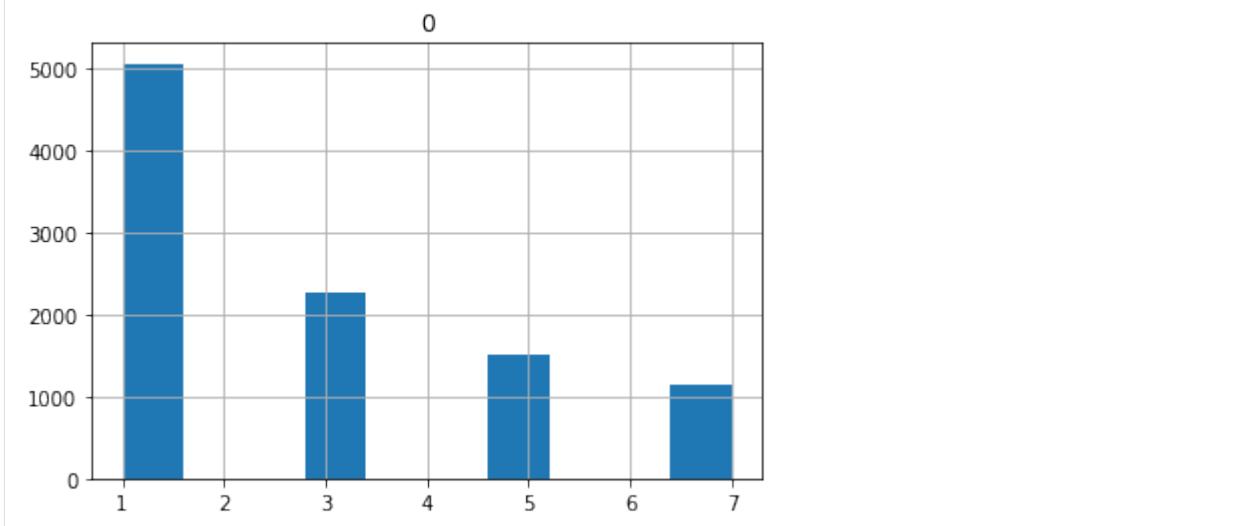
RandInt(low, high, include_high, q, log)

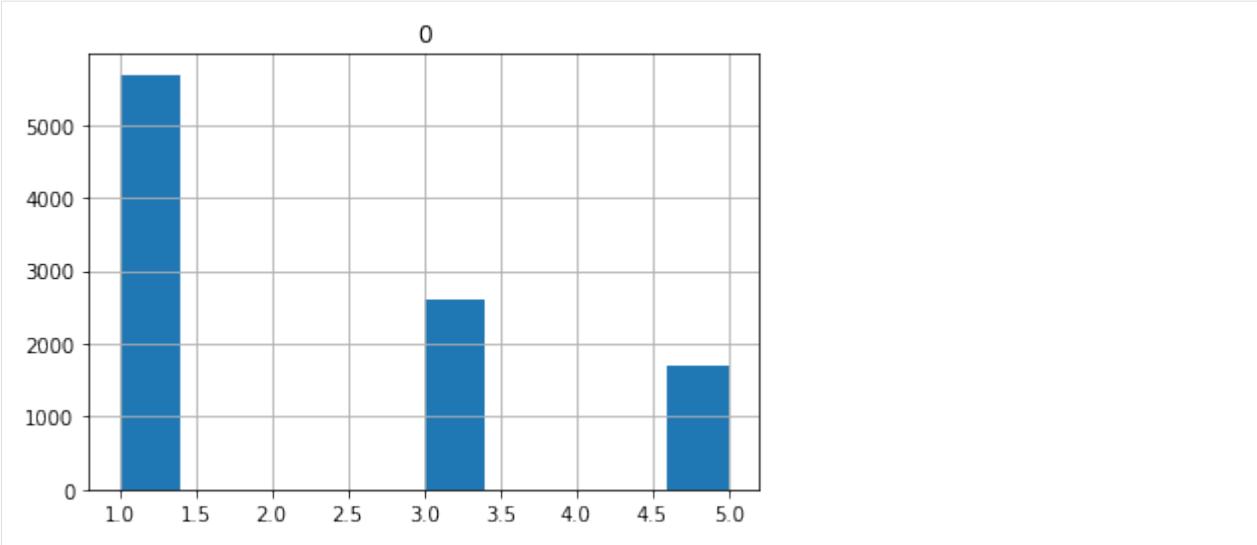
Search starting from low with step q to high. The difference is it's in log space, so lower values get higher chance.

Also for log searching space, low must be ≥ 1

```
[11]: samples = RandInt(1, 7, q=2, log=True).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist()

samples = RandInt(1, 7, include_high=False, q=2, log=True).generate_many(10000, seed=0)
pd.DataFrame(samples).hist();
```





4.1.4 Random Search

In Tune, you have two options to search on random expressions

As Level 1 Search

Level 1 means before execution. So given a combination of random expressions, we draw certain number of parameter combinations before execution. So the system will only deal with static parameters during runtime.

Grid search is also Level 1 search, and Level 1 search determines max parallelism. To also treat random expressions as Level 1, we must use `.sample`

```
[12]: space = Space(a=Rand(0,1), b=Choice("x", "y")).sample(10, seed=0)
list(space)

[12]: [{"a': 0.5488135039273248, 'b': 'x'},
        {'a': 0.7151893663724195, 'b': 'y'},
        {'a': 0.6027633760716439, 'b': 'y'},
        {'a': 0.5448831829968969, 'b': 'x'},
        {'a': 0.4236547993389047, 'b': 'x'},
        {'a': 0.6458941130666561, 'b': 'y'},
        {'a': 0.4375872112626925, 'b': 'y'},
        {'a': 0.8917730007820798, 'b': 'y'},
        {'a': 0.9636627605010293, 'b': 'y'},
        {'a': 0.3834415188257777, 'b': 'x'}]
```

If in space, you have both grid and random expressions, `.sample` will only apply to random samples, and then cross product with all grid combinations

```
[13]: space = Space(a=Grid(0,1), b=Rand(0,1), c=Grid("a", "b"), d=Rand(0,1)).sample(3, seed=1)
list(space) # 2*2 *3 configs

[13]: [{"a': 0, 'b': 0.417022004702574, 'c': 'a', 'd': 0.30233257263183977},
        {"a': 0, 'b': 0.417022004702574, 'c': 'b', 'd': 0.30233257263183977},
        {"a': 1, 'b': 0.417022004702574, 'c': 'a', 'd': 0.30233257263183977},
```

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```
{'a': 1, 'b': 0.417022004702574, 'c': 'b', 'd': 0.30233257263183977},  

{'a': 0, 'b': 0.7203244934421581, 'c': 'a', 'd': 0.14675589081711304},  

{'a': 0, 'b': 0.7203244934421581, 'c': 'b', 'd': 0.14675589081711304},  

{'a': 1, 'b': 0.7203244934421581, 'c': 'a', 'd': 0.14675589081711304},  

{'a': 1, 'b': 0.7203244934421581, 'c': 'b', 'd': 0.14675589081711304},  

{'a': 0, 'b': 0.00011437481734488664, 'c': 'a', 'd': 0.0923385947687978},  

{'a': 0, 'b': 0.00011437481734488664, 'c': 'b', 'd': 0.0923385947687978},  

{'a': 1, 'b': 0.00011437481734488664, 'c': 'a', 'd': 0.0923385947687978},  

{'a': 1, 'b': 0.00011437481734488664, 'c': 'b', 'd': 0.0923385947687978}]
```

As Level 2 Search

Level 2 search happens during runtime, and bases on each level 1 search candidate. A common scenario is that we want to do grid search on one parameter, and do Bayesian Optimization on another parameter. Then we can parallelize on the choices of the first parameter and do sequential Bayesian Optimization on the second parameter.

We will use 3rd party solutions for Level 2 search, such as HyperOpt and Optuna. To pass random expression to Level 2, we simply don't use `.sample`

```
[14]: space = Space(a=Grid(0,1), b=Rand(0,1), c=Grid("a", "b"), d=Rand(0,1))  
list(space) # 2*2 configs, each of the config still contains the Rand expression  
  
[14]: [{"a": 0, "b": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True), "c": "a", "d": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True)},  
 {"a": 0, "b": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True), "c": "b", "d": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True)},  
 {"a": 1, "b": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True), "c": "a", "d": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True)},  
 {"a": 1, "b": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True), "c": "b", "d": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True)}]
```

4.1.5 Space Operations, Conditional Search and Hybrid Search

Almost all popular tuning frameworks support conditional search. Tune approaches conditional search in a totally different way.

Instead using if-else at runtime or using nested dictionaries to represent conditions, we introduce space operations:

```
[15]: space1 = Space(a=1, b=Grid(2,3))  
space2 = Space(c=Grid("a","b"))  
  
union_space = space1 + space2  
print(list(union_space))  
  
product_space = space1 * space2  
print(list(product_space))  
  
[{"a": 1, "b": 2}, {"a": 1, "b": 3}, {"c": "a"}, {"c": "b"}]  
[{"a": 1, "b": 2, "c": "a"}, {"a": 1, "b": 2, "c": "b"}, {"a": 1, "b": 3, "c": "a"}, {"a": 1, "b": 3, "c": "b"}]
```

Operator `+` will **union** the configurations from two spaces, it can solve most of the conditional search problems

Operator * will **cross product** the configurations from two spaces, it can solve most of the hybrid search problems

Conditional Search

```
[16]: space1 = Space(model="LogisticRegression")
space2 = Space(model="RandomForestClassifier", max_depth=Grid(3,4))
space3 = Space(model="XGBClassifier", n_estimators=Grid(10,100,1000))

sweep = sum([space1, space2, space3]) # sum is another way to union
list(sweep)

[16]: [{'model': 'LogisticRegression'},
{'model': 'RandomForestClassifier', 'max_depth': 3},
{'model': 'RandomForestClassifier', 'max_depth': 4},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'n_estimators': 10},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'n_estimators': 100},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'n_estimators': 1000}]
```

All 3 models have a parameter `random_state`, we want also want to do a grid search on it for every model. We just use *

```
[17]: sweep_with_random_state = sweep * Space(random_state=Grid(0,1))
list(sweep_with_random_state)

[17]: [ {'model': 'LogisticRegression', 'random_state': 0},
{'model': 'LogisticRegression', 'random_state': 1},
{'model': 'RandomForestClassifier', 'max_depth': 3, 'random_state': 0},
{'model': 'RandomForestClassifier', 'max_depth': 3, 'random_state': 1},
{'model': 'RandomForestClassifier', 'max_depth': 4, 'random_state': 0},
{'model': 'RandomForestClassifier', 'max_depth': 4, 'random_state': 1},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'n_estimators': 10, 'random_state': 0},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'n_estimators': 10, 'random_state': 1},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'n_estimators': 100, 'random_state': 0},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'n_estimators': 100, 'random_state': 1},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'n_estimators': 1000, 'random_state': 0},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'n_estimators': 1000, 'random_state': 1}]
```

Hybrid Search (Grid + Random + Bayesian Optimization)

For `XGBClassifier`, we want to do a hybrid search: grid search on `random_state`, random search on `n_estimators` and Level 2 (Bayesian Optimization) search on `learning_rate`

```
[18]: xgb = Space(model="XGBClassifier", learning_rate=Rand(0,1), random_state=Grid(0,1)) *
    Space(n_estimators=RandInt(10,1000)).sample(3, seed=0)
list(xgb)

[18]: [ {'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'learning_rate': Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True), 'random_state': 0, 'n_estimators': 553},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'learning_rate': Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True), 'random_state': 0, 'n_estimators': 718},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'learning_rate': Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True), 'random_state': 0, 'n_estimators': 607},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'learning_rate': Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True), 'random_state': 1, 'n_estimators': 553},
```

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```
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'learning_rate': Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, u
↳ include_high=True), 'random_state': 1, 'n_estimators': 718},
{'model': 'XGBClassifier', 'learning_rate': Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, u
↳ include_high=True), 'random_state': 1, 'n_estimators': 607}]
```

Hybrid search and conditional search can also be used together

```
[19]: list(Space(model="LogisticRegression")+xgb)
```

```
[19]: [{"model": "LogisticRegression"}, {"model": "XGBClassifier", "learning_rate": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, u
↳ include_high=True), "random_state": 0, "n_estimators": 553}, {"model": "XGBClassifier", "learning_rate": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, u
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↳ include_high=True), "random_state": 1, "n_estimators": 718}, {"model": "XGBClassifier", "learning_rate": Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, u
↳ include_high=True), "random_state": 1, "n_estimators": 607}]
```

```
[ ]:
```

4.2 Non-Iterative Tuning Guide

4.2.1 Hello World

Let's do a hybrid parameter tuning with grid search + random search, and run it distributedly

```
[1]: def objective(a, b) -> float:
    return a**2 + b**2
```

```
[2]: from tune import Space, Grid, Rand, RandInt, Choice
```

```
space = Space(a=Grid(-1, 0, 1), b=Rand(-10, 10)).sample(100, seed=0)
```

```
[4]: from tune import suggest_for_noniterative_objective
```

```
result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(objective, space, top_n=1)[0]
print(result.sort_metric, result)
```

```
NativeExecutionEngine doesn't respect num_partitions ROWCOUNT
```

```
0.1909396653178624 {'trial': {'trial_id': '58c94f4f-011e-53da-a85b-7e696ced6600', 'params
↳ ': {'a': 0, 'b': 0.43696643500143395}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 0.
↳ 1909396653178624, 'params': {'a': 0, 'b': 0.43696643500143395}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost':
↳ 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 0.1909396653178624, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021,
↳ 10, 6, 23, 35, 53, 24547)}
```

Now run it distributedly, let's use dask as as the example

```
[6]: from fugue_dask import DaskExecutionEngine

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    objective, space, top_n=1,
    execution_engine = DaskExecutionEngine
)[0]

print(result.sort_metric, result)

0.1909396653178624 {'trial': {'trial_id': '58c94f4f-011e-53da-a85b-7e696ced6600', 'params': {'a': 0, 'b': 0.43696643500143395}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 0.1909396653178624, 'params': {'a': 0, 'b': 0.43696643500143395}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 0.1909396653178624, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 36, 16, 996725)}
```

In order to use tune in a more elegant and easier way, let's firstly see how to configure the system.

4.2.2 Configuration

Configuring the system is not necessary but it has great benefit for simpifying your following works.

`suggest_for_noniterative_objective` and `optimize_noniterative` have a lot of parameters due to the complexity of tuning operations. But tune let you do global configuration so you don't need to repeat the same configuration for every tuning task.

Customize Optimizer Converter

```
[7]: from tune import TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY
from tune import NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer
from tune_hyperopt import HyperoptLocalOptimizer
from tune_optuna import OptunaLocalOptimizer
import optuna

optuna.logging.disable_default_handler()

def to_optimizer(obj):
    if isinstance(obj, NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer):
        return obj
    if obj is None or "hyperopt"==obj:
        return HyperoptLocalOptimizer(max_iter=20, seed=0)
    if "optuna" == obj:
        return OptunaLocalOptimizer(max_iter=20)
    raise NotImplementedError

# make default level 2 optimizer HyperoptLocalOptimizer, so you will not need to set
# again
TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.set_noniterative_local_optimizer_converter(to_optimizer)
```

Customize Monitor

Monitor is to collect and render information in real time, there are builtin monitors, you can also create your own.

```
[9]: from typing import Optional

from tune import TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY
from tune import Monitor
from tune_notebook import (
    NotebookSimpleHist,
    NotebookSimpleRungs,
    NotebookSimpleTimeSeries,
    PrintBest,
)

def to_monitor(obj) -> Optional[Monitor]:
    if obj is None:
        return None
    if isinstance(obj, Monitor):
        return obj
    if isinstance(obj, str):
        if obj == "hist":
            return NotebookSimpleHist()
        if obj == "rungs":
            return NotebookSimpleRungs()
        if obj == "ts":
            return NotebookSimpleTimeSeries()
        if obj == "text":
            return PrintBest()
    raise NotImplementedError(obj)

TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.set_monitor_converter(to_monitor)
```

Set Temp Path For Tuning

Temp path can be used to store serialized partitions or checkpoints. Most top level API usage requires a valid temporary path. We can use factory method to set a global value.

Notice if you want to tune distributedly, you should set the path to a distributed file system, for example s3.

```
[10]: TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.set_temp_path("/tmp")
```

4.2.3 Tuning Examples

Sometimes, your objective function requires a input dataframe. There are two ways to use dataframes in general:

	Pros	Cons
Take them as real dataframes, for example pandas dataframes.	Simple and intuitive	Either the data size can't scale or you have to couple with a distributed solution such as Spark
Take them from parameters, for example paths as parameters.	You have the full control how and when and whether to load the data. More scalable.	More code to make it work

In general, the second way is a better idea. But if your case can fit in the first scenario, then `tune` has a simple solution letting you take the pandas dataframes as input.

```
[11]: from sklearn.datasets import load_diabetes
from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

diabetes = load_diabetes(as_frame=True)[["frame"]]

def evaluate(train_df:pd.DataFrame, **kwargs) -> float:
    x, y = train_df.drop("target", axis=1), train_df["target"]
    model = RandomForestRegressor(**kwargs)
    # pay attention here, score is larger better so we return the negative value
    return -np.mean(cross_val_score(model, x, y, scoring="neg_mean_absolute_error", cv=4))

evaluate(diabetes)

[11]: 46.646344389844394
```

With the given `diabetes` dataset and the objective function `evaluate` let's tune it in different ways

Hybrid Tuning

```
[13]: # Grid search only
space = Space(n_estimators=Grid(100,200), random_state=0)

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df"
)[0]

print(result.sort_metric, result)

NativeExecutionEngine doesn't respect num_partitions ROWCOUNT
46.63103787878788 {'trial': {'trial_id': '5d719fa7-9537-58b1-86cd-fa69a4e75272', 'params': {'n_estimators': 100, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 46.63103787878788, 'params': {'n_estimators': 100, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 46.63103787878788, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 37, 11, 450017)}
```

```
[14]: # grid + random
space = Space(n_estimators=Grid(100, 200), max_depth=RandInt(2, 10), random_state=0).
    sample(3, seed=0)

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df"
)[0]

print(result.sort_metric, result)

NativeExecutionEngine doesn't respect num_partitions ROWCOUNT

46.52677715635581 {'trial': {'trial_id': '0a53519f-576b-5a9f-8ef9-4a7e7f69de1a', 'params': {'n_estimators': 200, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 46.52677715635581, 'params': {'n_estimators': 200, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 46.52677715635581, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 37, 26, 492058)}
```

```
[16]: # random + bayesian optimization (hyperopt is used by default)
space = Space(n_estimators=RandInt(50, 200)) * Space(max_depth=RandInt(2, 10), random_
state=0).sample(2, seed=0)

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df"
)[0]

print(result.sort_metric, result)

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df",
    local_optimizer="optuna" # switch to optuna for bayesian optimization
)[0]

print(result.sort_metric, result)

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NativeExecutionEngine doesn't respect num_partitions ROWCOUNT

46.419699856089416 {'trial': {'trial_id': '52919031-4f17-58d2-8cfc-e4a1d0e4555a', 'params': {'n_estimators': 175, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 46.419699856089416, 'params': {'n_estimators': 175, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 46.419699856089416, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 38, 37, 355059)}
46.41622613826187 {'trial': {'trial_id': '52919031-4f17-58d2-8cfc-e4a1d0e4555a', 'params': {'n_estimators': 176, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 46.41622613826187, 'params': {'n_estimators': 176, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 46.41622613826187, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 39, 9, 442020)}
```

Partition And Train And Tune

This is a very important feature of tune. Sometimes, partitioning the data and train and tune small independent models separately can generate better result. This is not necessarily true, but at least we make it very simple for you to try. You only need to specify `partition_keys`. And with a distributed engine, all independent tasks are fully parallelized.

```
[17]: space = Space(n_estimators=Grid(50,200), max_depth=RandInt(2,10), random_state=0).
       sample(2, seed=0)

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df",
    partition_keys = ["sex"] # for male and females, we train and tune separately
)

for r in result:
    print(r.trial.keys, r.sort_metric, r)

NativeExecutionEngine doesn't respect num_partitions ROWCOUNT

[0.0506801187398187] 42.48208345425722 {'trial': {'trial_id': '83f593dd-a3a2-5ac0-b389-
    ee19f8cc1134', 'params': {'n_estimators': 200, 'max_depth': 8, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': [0.0506801187398187]}, 'metric': 42.48208345425722, 'params': {
    'n_estimators': 200, 'max_depth': 8, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0,
    'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 42.48208345425722, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6,
    23, 40, 38, 579320)}
[-0.044641636506989] 46.66399292343497 {'trial': {'trial_id': '1759366d-de55-5418-b1b5-
    48cf91f529a0', 'params': {'n_estimators': 50, 'max_depth': 8, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': [-0.044641636506989]}, 'metric': 46.66399292343497, 'params': {
    'n_estimators': 50, 'max_depth': 8, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0,
    'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 46.66399292343497, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6,
    23, 40, 33, 356186)}
```

Distributed Tuning

tune is based on Fugue so it can run seamlessly using all Fugue supported execution engines and in the same way Fugue uses them.

```
[18]: # This space is a combination of grid and random search
# all level 1 searches, so it can be fully distributed
space = Space(n_estimators=Grid(50,200), max_depth=RandInt(2,10), random_state=0).
       sample(2, seed=0)

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df",
    partition_keys = ["sex"],
    execution_engine = DaskExecutionEngine # this makes the tuning process distributed
)

for r in result:
    print(r.trial.keys, r.sort_metric, r)
```

```
[0.0506801187398187] 42.79742975473356 {'trial': {'trial_id': '0f2053de-71b2-514d-b4ff-8495b93a042b', 'params': {'n_estimators': 200, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': [0.0506801187398187]}, 'metric': 42.79742975473356, 'params': {'n_estimators': 200, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 42.79742975473356, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 40, 57, 795165)}
[-0.044641636506989] 47.480845528260254 {'trial': {'trial_id': '46da77b5-089d-57b9-8036-0ca2e3646fdb', 'params': {'n_estimators': 200, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': [-0.044641636506989]}, 'metric': 47.480845528260254, 'params': {'n_estimators': 200, 'max_depth': 6, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 47.480845528260254, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 41, 0, 714602)}
```

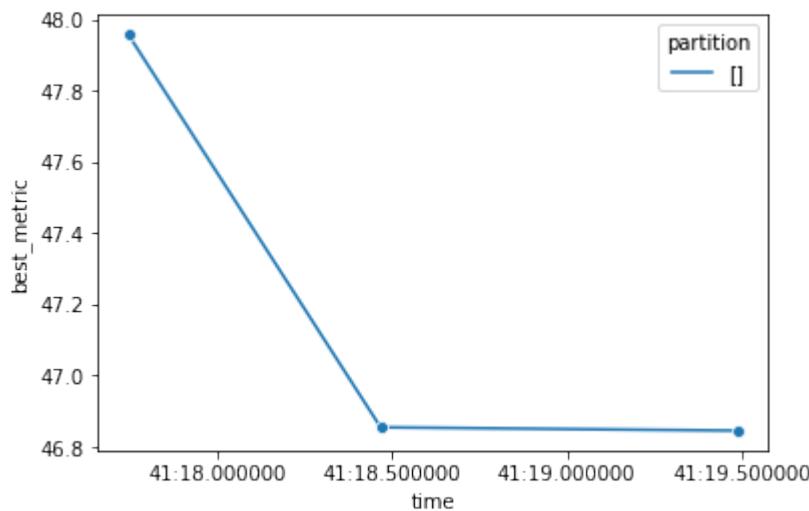
4.2.4 Realtime Monitoring

Fugue framework can let workers communicate with driver in realtime (see [this](#)). So tune leverages this feature for monitoring and iterative problems.

```
[19]: space = Space(n_estimators=RandInt(1,20), max_depth=RandInt(2,10), random_state=0).
       sample(100, seed=0)

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df",
    monitor="ts"
)

for r in result:
    print(r.trial.keys, r.sort_metric, r)
```



```
[[] 46.84555314021837 {'trial': {'trial_id': '2c9456ad-f8a7-56df-9195-3266ffabd941',
  ↪'params': {'n_estimators': 20, 'max_depth': 3, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}},
  ↪'keys': []}, 'metric': 46.84555314021837, 'params': {'n_estimators': 20, 'max_depth': 3,
  ↪'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 46.
  ↪84555314021837, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 41, 19, 488640)}
[] 46.84555314021837 {'trial': {'trial_id': '2c9456ad-f8a7-56df-9195-3266ffabd941',
  ↪'params': {'n_estimators': 20, 'max_depth': 3, 'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}},
  ↪'keys': []}, 'metric': 46.84555314021837, 'params': {'n_estimators': 20, 'max_depth': 3,
  ↪'random_state': 0}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 46.
  ↪84555314021837, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 41, 23, 761028)}
```

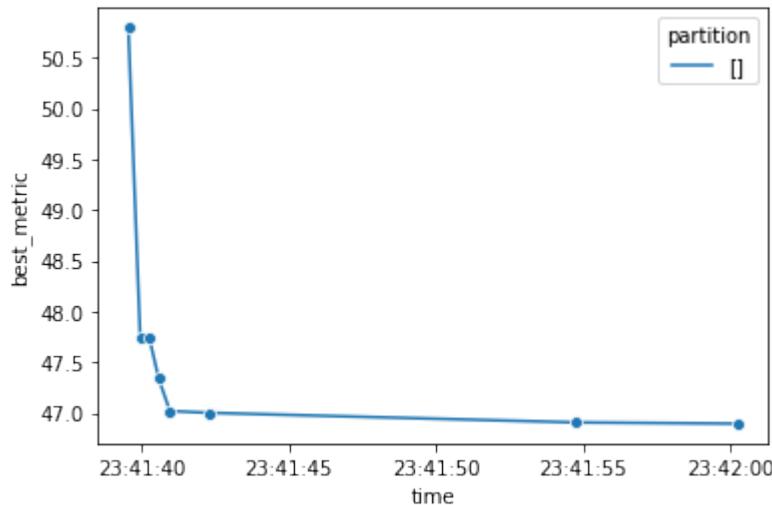
To enable monitoring on a distributed engine, you must also enable `remote call back`. Without shortcut, you have to set multiple configs. Here is an [example](#) with the fuggle package who sets the shortcuts for callbacks on Kaggle, it's as simple as one config: `callback: True`

```
[20]: space = Space(n_estimators=RandInt(1,20), max_depth=RandInt(2,10), random_state=0, n_
  ↪jobs=1).sample(200, seed=0)

callback_conf = {
    "fugue.rpc.server": "fugue.rpc.flask.FlaskRPCServer",
    "fugue.rpc.flask_server.host": "0.0.0.0",
    "fugue.rpc.flask_server.port": "1234",
    "fugue.rpc.flask_server.timeout": "2 sec",
}

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df",
    monitor="ts",
    execution_engine = DaskExecutionEngine,
    execution_engine_conf=callback_conf
)

for r in result:
    print(r.trial.keys, r.sort_metric, r)
```



```
[ ] 46.89339381813802 {'trial': {'trial_id': 'af51195c-3da6-59e5-a4ab-9802041ab314',
  ↪'params': {'n_estimators': 20, 'max_depth': 5, 'random_state': 0, 'n_jobs': 1},
  ↪'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 46.89339381813802, 'params': {'n_estimators': 20,
  ↪'max_depth': 5, 'random_state': 0, 'n_jobs': 1}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung':
  ↪': 0, 'sort_metric': 46.89339381813802, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23,
  ↪42, 0, 265059)}
[ ] 46.89339381813802 {'trial': {'trial_id': 'af51195c-3da6-59e5-a4ab-9802041ab314',
  ↪'params': {'n_estimators': 20, 'max_depth': 5, 'random_state': 0, 'n_jobs': 1},
  ↪'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 46.89339381813802, 'params': {'n_estimators': 20,
  ↪'max_depth': 5, 'random_state': 0, 'n_jobs': 1}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung':
  ↪': 0, 'sort_metric': 46.89339381813802, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23,
  ↪42, 0, 265059)}
```

For the shortcuts of monitoring

1. `ts` to monitor the up-to-date best metric collected
2. `hist` to monitor the histogram of metrics collected

4.2.5 Early Stopping

When you enable monitoring, you often see the curve flattens quickly, so it can save significant time if it can stop trying the remaining trials. To do early stopping, it is required to enable callbacks for distributed engine (for monitoring, if you don't monitor, you don't need to enable callback).

In `tune`, you can also combine stoppers with logical operators

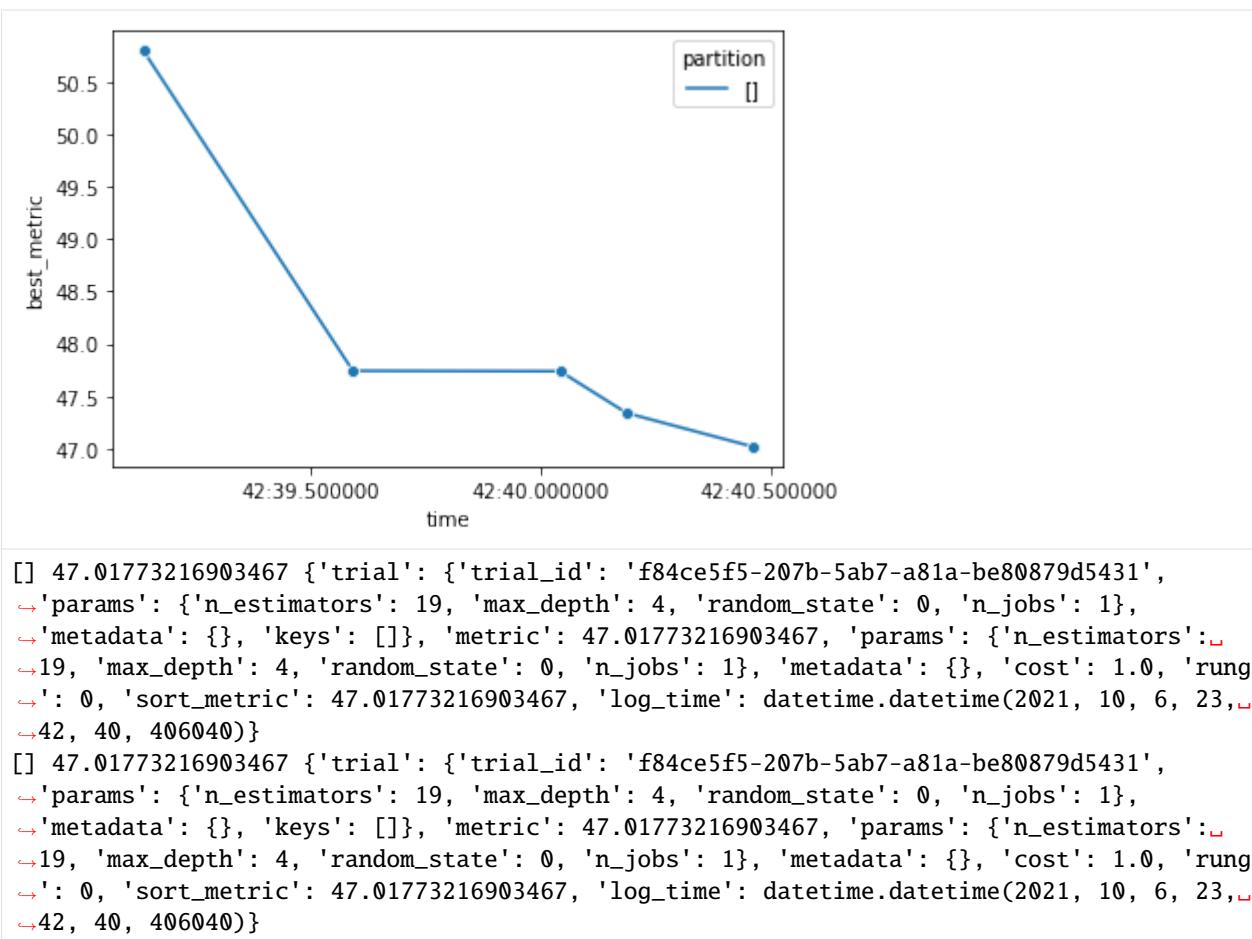
```
[21]: from tune import small_improvement, n_updates

space = Space(n_estimators=RandInt(1, 20), max_depth=RandInt(2, 10), random_state=0, n_
↪jobs=1).sample(200, seed=0)

callback_conf = {
    "fugue.rpc.server": "fugue.rpc.flask.FlaskRPCServer",
    "fugue.rpc.flask_server.host": "0.0.0.0",
    "fugue.rpc.flask_server.port": "1234",
    "fugue.rpc.flask_server.timeout": "2 sec",
}

result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df",
    monitor="ts",
    # stop if at least 5 updates on best
    # AND the last update on best improved less than 0.1 (abs value)
    stopper= n_updates(5) & small_improvement(0.1, 1),
    execution_engine = DaskExecutionEngine,
    execution_engine_conf=callback_conf
)

for r in result:
    print(r.trial.keys, r.sort_metric, r)
```



The above example combined a warmup period `n_updates(5)` and improvement check `small_improvement(0.1, 1)` so it does not stop too early or too late.

You can also customize a simple stopper

```
[22]: from typing import List
from tune.noniterative.stopper import SimpleNonIterativeStopper
from tune import TrialReport

def less_than(v: float) -> SimpleNonIterativeStopper:
    def func(current: TrialReport, updated: bool, reports: List[TrialReport]):
        return current.sort_metric <= v

    return SimpleNonIterativeStopper(func, log_best_only=True)
```

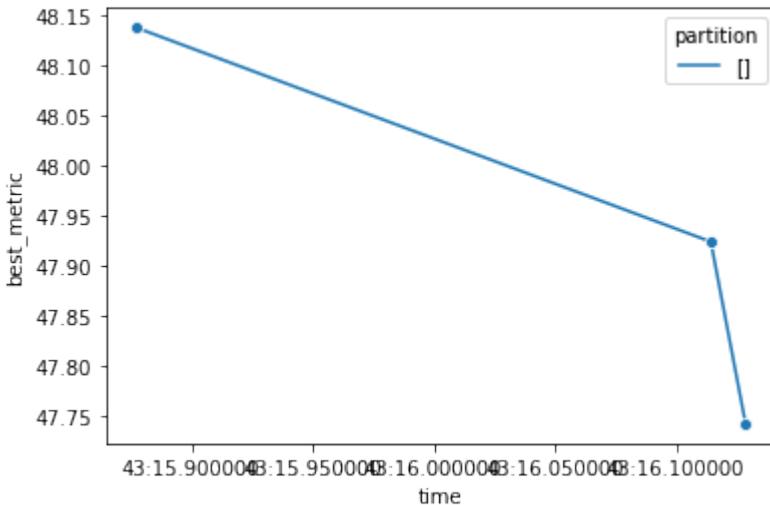
```
[23]: result = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    evaluate, space, top_n=1,
    df = diabetes, df_name = "train_df",
    monitor="ts",
    stopper= less_than(49),
    execution_engine = DaskExecutionEngine,
    execution_engine_conf=callback_conf
```

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)

```
for r in result:
    print(r.trial.keys, r.sort_metric, r)
```



```
[] 47.74170052753941 {'trial': {'trial_id': 'b9ab0d11-991d-53d2-ad41-246dcbe23c22',
    ↪'params': {'n_estimators': 17, 'max_depth': 2, 'random_state': 0, 'n_jobs': 1},
    ↪'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 47.74170052753941, 'params': {'n_estimators': 17,
    ↪'max_depth': 2, 'random_state': 0, 'n_jobs': 1}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung':
    ↪': 0, 'sort_metric': 47.74170052753941, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23,
    ↪43, 15, 891806)}
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    ↪'params': {'n_estimators': 17, 'max_depth': 2, 'random_state': 0, 'n_jobs': 1},
    ↪'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 47.74170052753941, 'params': {'n_estimators': 17,
    ↪'max_depth': 2, 'random_state': 0, 'n_jobs': 1}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung':
    ↪': 0, 'sort_metric': 47.74170052753941, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23,
    ↪43, 15, 891806)}
```

The stopper will try to do graceful stop, so after the stop criteria, some running trials may still finish in with a distributed engine and report back, that is normal. If you want to stop faster, for example set: `stop_check_interval: "5sec"`. But if you have a lot of workers, the frequent check may be a burden on the driver side, it also depends on how heavy compute your custom stopper is using.

Notice: You must create new stoppers everytime you call `suggest_for_noniterative_objective` because `SimpleNonIterativeStopper` is stateful.

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4.3 Non-Iterative Objective

Non-Iterative Objective refers to the objective functions with single iteration. They do not report progress during the execution to get a pruning decision.

4.3.1 Interfaceless

The simplest way to construct a Tune compatible non-iterative objective is to write a native python function with type annotations.

```
[3]: from typing import Tuple, Dict, Any

def objective1(a, b) -> float:
    return a**2 + b**2

def objective2(a, b) -> Tuple[float, Dict[str, Any]]:
    return a**2 + b**2, {"metadata": "x"}
```

If your function has `float` or `Tuple[float, Dict[str, Any]]` as output annotation, they are valid non-iterative objectives for tune

`Tuple[float, Dict[str, Any]]` is to return both the metric and metadata.

The following code demos how it works on the backend to convert your simple functions to tune compatible objects. You normally don't need to do that by yourself.

```
[5]: from tune import to_noniterative_objective, Trial

f1 = to_noniterative_objective(objective1)
f2 = to_noniterative_objective(objective2, min_better=False)

trial = Trial("id", params=dict(a=1,b=1))
report1 = f1.safe_run(trial)
report2 = f2.safe_run(trial)

print(type(f1))
print(report1.metric, report1.sort_metric, report1.metadata)
print(report2.metric, report2.sort_metric, report2.metadata)

<class 'tune.noniterative.convert._NonIterativeObjectiveFuncWrapper'>
2.0 2.0 []
2.0 -2.0 {'metadata': 'x'}
```

4.3.2 Decorator Approach

It is equivalent to use decorator on top of the functions. But now your functions depend on `tune` package.

```
[7]: from tune import noniterative_objective

@noniterative_objective
def objective_3(a, b) -> float:
    return a**2 + b**2
```

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```

@noniterative_objective(min_better=False)
def objective_4(a, b) -> Tuple[float, Dict[str, Any]]:
    return a**2 + b**2, {"metadata": "x"}

report3 = objective_3.safe_run(trial)
report4 = objective_4.safe_run(trial)

print(report3.metric, report3.sort_metric, report3.metadata)
print(report4.metric, report4.sort_metric, report4.metadata)

2.0 2.0 {}
2.0 -2.0 {'metadata': 'x'}

```

4.3.3 Interface Approach

With interface approach, you can access all properties of a trial. Also you can use more flexible logic to generate sort metric.

```

[9]: from tune import NonIterativeObjectiveFunc, TrialReport

class Objective(NonIterativeObjectiveFunc):
    def generate_sort_metric(self, value: float) -> float:
        return - value * 10

    def run(self, trial: Trial) -> TrialReport:
        params = trial.params.simple_value
        metric = params["a"]**2 + params["b"]**2
        return TrialReport(trial, metric, metadata=dict(m="x"))

report = Objective().safe_run(trial)
print(report.metric, report.sort_metric, report.metadata)

2.0 -20.0 {'m': 'x'}

```

4.3.4 Factory Method

Almost all higher level APIs of `tune` are using `TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY` to convert various objects to `NonIterativeObjectiveFunc`.

```

[10]: from tune import TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY

assert isinstance(TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.make_noniterative_objective(objective1), NonIterativeObjectiveFunc)
assert isinstance(TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.make_noniterative_objective(objective_4), NonIterativeObjectiveFunc)
assert isinstance(TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.make_noniterative_objective(Objective()), NonIterativeObjectiveFunc)

```

That is why in the higher level APIs, you can just pass in a very simple python function as objective but `tune` is still able to recognize.

Actually you can make it even more flexible by configuring the factory.

```
[11]: def to_obj(obj):
    if obj == "test":
        return to_noniterative_objective(objective1, min_better=False)
    if isinstance(obj, NonIterativeObjectiveFunc):
        return obj
    raise NotImplementedError

TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.set_noniterative_objective_converter(to_obj) # user to_obj to
→ replace the built-in default converter

assert isinstance(TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.make_noniterative_objective("test"),_
→ NonIterativeObjectiveFunc)
```

If you customize in this way, then you can pass in `test` to the higher level tuning APIs, and it will be recognized as a compatible objective.

This is a common approach in Fugue projects. It enables you to use mostly primitive data types to represent what you want to do. For advanced users, if you spend some time on such configuration (one time effort), you will find the code is even simpler and less dependent on `fugue` and `tune`.

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4.4 Non-Iterative Optimizers

AKA Level 2 optimizers, are unified 3rd party solutions for random expressions. Look at this space:

```
[1]: from tune import Space, Grid, Rand

space = Space(a=Grid(1,2), b=Rand(0,1))
list(space)

[1]: [{ 'a': 1, 'b': Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True) },
      { 'a': 2, 'b': Rand(low=0, high=1, q=None, log=False, include_high=True)}]
```

`Grid` is for level 1 optimization, all level 1 parameters will be converted to static values before execution. And level 2 parameters will be optimized during runtime using level 2 optimizers. So for the above example, if we have a Spark cluster and Hyperopt, then we can use Hyperopt to search for the best `b` on each of the 2 configurations. And the 2 jobs are parallelized by Spark.

```
[3]: from tune import noniterative_objective, Trial

@noniterative_objective
def objective(a ,b) -> float:
    return a**2 + b**2

trial = Trial("dummy", params=list(space)[0])
```

4.4.1 Use Directly

Notice normally you don't use them directly, instead you should use them through top level APIs. This is just to demo how they work.

Hyperopt

```
[5]: from tune_hyperopt import HyperoptLocalOptimizer

hyperopt_optimizer = HyperoptLocalOptimizer(max_iter=200, seed=0)
report = hyperopt_optimizer.run(objective, trial)

print(report.sort_metric, report)

1.0000000001665414 {'trial': {'trial_id': 'dummy', 'params': {'a': 1, 'b': 1.
˓→2905089873156781e-05}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 1.0000000001665414,
˓→'params': {'a': 1, 'b': 1.2905089873156781e-05}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0,
˓→'sort_metric': 1.0000000001665414, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 30, 51, 970344)}
```

Optuna

```
[7]: from tune_optuna import OptunaLocalOptimizer
import optuna

optuna.logging.disable_default_handler()

optuna_optimizer = OptunaLocalOptimizer(max_iter=200)
report = optuna_optimizer.run(objective, trial)

print(report.sort_metric, report)

1.0000000003655019 {'trial': {'trial_id': 'dummy', 'params': {'a': 1, 'b': 1.
˓→9118105424729645e-05}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 1.0000000003655019,
˓→'params': {'a': 1, 'b': 1.9118105424729645e-05}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0,
˓→'sort_metric': 1.0000000003655019, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 31, 26, 6566)}
```

As you see, we have unified the interfaces for using these frameworks. In addition, we also unified the semantic of the random expressions, so the random sampling behavior will be highly consistent on different 3rd party solutions.

4.4.2 Use Top Level API

In the following example, we directly use the entire space where you can mix grid search, random search and Bayesian Optimization.

```
[8]: from tune import suggest_for_noniterative_objective

report = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    objective, space, top_n=1,
```

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```
local_optimizer=hyperopt_optimizer
)[0]

print(report.sort_metric, report)

NativeExecutionEngine doesn't respect num_partitions ROWCOUNT

1.00000000001665414 {'trial': {'trial_id': '971ef4a5-71a9-5bf2-b2a4-f0f1acd02b78', 'params':
    {'a': 1, 'b': 1.2905089873156781e-05}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 1.
00000000001665414, 'params': {'a': 1, 'b': 1.2905089873156781e-05}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 1.00000000001665414, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 31, 43, 784128)}
```

You can also provide only random expressions in space, and use in the same way so it looks like a common case similar to the examples

```
[14]: report = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    objective, Space(a=Rand(-1, 1), b=Rand(-100, 100)), top_n=1,
    local_optimizer=optuna_optimizer
)[0]

print(report.sort_metric, report)

NativeExecutionEngine doesn't respect num_partitions ROWCOUNT

0.04085386621249434 {'trial': {'trial_id': '45179c01-7358-5546-8f41-d7c6f120523f',
    'params': {'a': 0.01604913454189394, 'b': 0.20148521408021614}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys': []}, 'metric': 0.04085386621249434, 'params': {'a': 0.01604913454189394, 'b': 0.20148521408021614}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 0.04085386621249434, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 34, 47, 379901)}
```

4.4.3 Factory Method

In the above example, if we don't set `local_optimizer`, then the default level 2 optimizer will be used which can't handle a configuration with random expressions.

So we have a nice way to make certain optimizer the default one.

```
[10]: from tune import NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer, TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY

def to_optimizer(obj):
    if isinstance(obj, NonIterativeObjectiveLocalOptimizer):
        return obj
    if obj is None or "hyperopt" == obj:
        return HyperoptLocalOptimizer(max_iter=200, seed=0)
    if "optuna" == obj:
        return OptunaLocalOptimizer(max_iter=200)
    raise NotImplementedError

TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.set_noniterative_local_optimizer_converter(to_optimizer)
```

Now Hyperopt becomes the default level 2 optimizer, and you can switch to Optuna by specifying a string parameter

```
[16]: report = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    objective, Space(a=Rand(-1,1), b=Rand(-100,100)), top_n=1
)[0] # using hyperopt

print(report.sort_metric, report)

report = suggest_for_noniterative_objective(
    objective, Space(a=Rand(-1,1), b=Rand(-100,100)), top_n=1,
    local_optimizer="optuna"
)[0] # using hyperopt

print(report.sort_metric, report)

NativeExecutionEngine doesn't respect num_partitions ROWCOUNT
NativeExecutionEngine doesn't respect num_partitions ROWCOUNT

0.02788888054657708 {'trial': {'trial_id': '45179c01-7358-5546-8f41-d7c6f120523f',
    'params': {'a': -0.13745463941867586, 'b': -0.09484251498594332}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys':
    []}, 'metric': 0.02788888054657708, 'params': {'a': -0.13745463941867586, 'b': -0.09484251498594332}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 0.
02788888054657708, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 35, 19, 961138)}
0.010490219126635992 {'trial': {'trial_id': '45179c01-7358-5546-8f41-d7c6f120523f',
    'params': {'a': 0.06699961867542388, 'b': -0.07746786575079878}, 'metadata': {}, 'keys':
    []}, 'metric': 0.010490219126635992, 'params': {'a': 0.06699961867542388, 'b': -0.07746786575079878}, 'metadata': {}, 'cost': 1.0, 'rung': 0, 'sort_metric': 0.
010490219126635992, 'log_time': datetime.datetime(2021, 10, 6, 23, 35, 21, 593974)}
```

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4.5 Tune Dataset

TuneDataset contains searching space and all related dataframes with metadata for a tuning task.

TuneDataset should not to be constructed by users directly. Instead, you should use TuneDatasetBuilder or the factory method to construct TuneDataset.

```
[1]: from fugue_notebook import setup

setup(is_lab=True)

import pandas as pd
from tune import TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY, TuneDatasetBuilder, Space, Grid
from fugue import FugueWorkflow
```

`TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.make_dataset` is a wrapper of `TuneDatasetBuilder`, making the dataset construction even easier. But `TuneDatasetBuilder` still has the most flexibility. For example, it can add multiple dataframes with different join types while `TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.make_dataset` can add at most two dataframes (normally train and validations dataframes).

```
[2]: with FugueWorkflow() as dag:
    builder = TuneDatasetBuilder(Space(a=1, b=2))
    dataset = builder.build(dag)
```

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```

dataset.data.show();

with FugueWorkflow() as dag:
    dataset = TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.make_dataset(dag, Space(a=1, b=2))
    dataset.data.show();

    _tune_trials_
0 gASVXwAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
<IPython.core.display.HTML object>

    _tune_trials_
0 gASVXwAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
<IPython.core.display.HTML object>

```

Here are the equivalent ways to construct TuneDataset with space and two dataframes.

In TuneDataset, every dataframe will be partition by certain keys, and each partition will be saved into a temp parquet file. The temp path must be specified. Using the factory, you can call `set_temp_path` once so you no longer need to provide the temp path explicitly, if you still provide a path, it will be used.

```
[3]: pdf1 = pd.DataFrame([[0,1],[1,1],[0,2]], columns = ["a", "b"])
pdf2 = pd.DataFrame([[0,0.5],[2,0.1],[0,0.1],[1,0.3]], columns = ["a", "c"])
space = Space(a=1, b=Grid(1,2,3))

with FugueWorkflow() as dag:
    builder = TuneDatasetBuilder(space, path="/tmp")
    # here we must make pdf1 pdf2 the FugueWorkflowDataFrame, and they
    # both need to be partitioned by the same keys so each partition
    # will be saved to a temp parquet file, and the chunks of data are
    # replaced by file paths before join.
    builder.add_df("df1", dag.df(pdf1).partition_by("a"))
    builder.add_df("df2", dag.df(pdf2).partition_by("a"), how="inner")
    dataset = builder.build(dag)
    dataset.data.show();

TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.set_temp_path("/tmp")

with FugueWorkflow() as dag:
    # this method is significantly simpler, as long as you don't have more
    # than 2 dataframes for a tuning task, use this.
    dataset = TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.make_dataset(
        dag, space,
        df_name="df1", df=pdf1,
        test_df_name="df2", test_df=pdf2,
        partition_keys=["a"],
    )
    dataset.data.show();

    a                                _tune_df_df1 \
0 0 /tmp/01b823d6-2d65-43be-898d-ed4d5b1ab582.parquet
1 0 /tmp/01b823d6-2d65-43be-898d-ed4d5b1ab582.parquet
2 0 /tmp/01b823d6-2d65-43be-898d-ed4d5b1ab582.parquet

```

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```

3 1 /tmp/15f2ec83-3494-4ba8-80a5-fa7c558c273c.parquet
4 1 /tmp/15f2ec83-3494-4ba8-80a5-fa7c558c273c.parquet
5 1 /tmp/15f2ec83-3494-4ba8-80a5-fa7c558c273c.parquet

          __tune_df__df2  \
0 /tmp/5c35d480-6fa8-4776-a0f9-770974b73bb4.parquet
1 /tmp/5c35d480-6fa8-4776-a0f9-770974b73bb4.parquet
2 /tmp/5c35d480-6fa8-4776-a0f9-770974b73bb4.parquet
3 /tmp/2fe00d9c-b690-49c6-87a5-d365d59066c6.parquet
4 /tmp/2fe00d9c-b690-49c6-87a5-d365d59066c6.parquet
5 /tmp/2fe00d9c-b690-49c6-87a5-d365d59066c6.parquet

          __tune_trials__
0 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
1 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
2 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
3 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
4 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
5 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...

<IPython.core.display.HTML object>

      a          __tune_df__df1  \
0 0 /tmp/943302c8-2704-4b29-a2ac-64946352a90d.parquet
1 0 /tmp/943302c8-2704-4b29-a2ac-64946352a90d.parquet
2 0 /tmp/943302c8-2704-4b29-a2ac-64946352a90d.parquet
3 1 /tmp/74fa6215-116d-4828-a49c-f58358a9b4e7.parquet
4 1 /tmp/74fa6215-116d-4828-a49c-f58358a9b4e7.parquet
5 1 /tmp/74fa6215-116d-4828-a49c-f58358a9b4e7.parquet

          __tune_df__df2  \
0 /tmp/9084e1ad-2156-4f3a-be36-52cf55d5c2fb.parquet
1 /tmp/9084e1ad-2156-4f3a-be36-52cf55d5c2fb.parquet
2 /tmp/9084e1ad-2156-4f3a-be36-52cf55d5c2fb.parquet
3 /tmp/0aa2aae2-3ab7-46e7-82e2-34a14ded2f0f.parquet
4 /tmp/0aa2aae2-3ab7-46e7-82e2-34a14ded2f0f.parquet
5 /tmp/0aa2aae2-3ab7-46e7-82e2-34a14ded2f0f.parquet

          __tune_trials__
0 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
1 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
2 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
3 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
4 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
5 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...

<IPython.core.display.HTML object>

```

We got 6 rows, because the space will contain 3 configurations. And since for the dataframes, we partitioned by a and inner joined, there will be 2 rows. So in total there are 6 rows in the TuneDataset.

Notice, the number of rows of TuneDataset determines max parallelism. For this case, if you assign 10 workers, 4 will always be idle.

Actually, a more common case is that for each of the dataframe, we don't partition at all. For TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY .

`make_dataset` we just need to remove the `partition_keys`.

```
[4]: with FugueWorkflow() as dag:
    dataset = TUNE_OBJECT_FACTORY.make_dataset(
        dag, space,
        df_name="df1", df=pdf1,
        test_df_name="df2", test_df=pdf2,
    )
    dataset.data.show()

    __tune_df__df1 \
0 /tmp/a774965e-d0df-417c-84d0-bb693ac337d1.parquet
1 /tmp/a774965e-d0df-417c-84d0-bb693ac337d1.parquet
2 /tmp/a774965e-d0df-417c-84d0-bb693ac337d1.parquet

    __tune_df__df2 \
0 /tmp/2f9a93cd-121b-4697-8fe9-0513aa6bcd82.parquet
1 /tmp/2f9a93cd-121b-4697-8fe9-0513aa6bcd82.parquet
2 /tmp/2f9a93cd-121b-4697-8fe9-0513aa6bcd82.parquet

    __tune_trials__
0 gASVXwAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXBOcy5mbG93Ln...
1 gASVXwAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXBOcy5mbG93Ln...
2 gASVXwAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXBOcy5mbG93Ln...

<IPython.core.display.HTML object>
```

But what if we want to partition on `df1` but not on `df2`? Then again, you can use `TuneDatasetBuilder`

```
[5]: with FugueWorkflow() as dag:
    builder = TuneDatasetBuilder(space, path="/tmp")
    builder.add_df("df1", dag.df(pdf1).partition_by("a"))
    # use cross join because there no common key
    builder.add_df("df2", dag.df(pdf2), how="cross")
    dataset = builder.build(dag)
    dataset.data.show()

    a __tune_df__df1 \
0 0 /tmp/4e16f5d7-1dc2-438c-86c7-504502c3e1ad.parquet
1 0 /tmp/4e16f5d7-1dc2-438c-86c7-504502c3e1ad.parquet
2 0 /tmp/4e16f5d7-1dc2-438c-86c7-504502c3e1ad.parquet
3 1 /tmp/058862d5-4c24-437e-ae38-c4810d071a11.parquet
4 1 /tmp/058862d5-4c24-437e-ae38-c4810d071a11.parquet
5 1 /tmp/058862d5-4c24-437e-ae38-c4810d071a11.parquet

    __tune_df__df2 \
0 /tmp/3b92a6f2-31aa-485e-a608-58dc925a3c.parquet
1 /tmp/3b92a6f2-31aa-485e-a608-58dc925a3c.parquet
2 /tmp/3b92a6f2-31aa-485e-a608-58dc925a3c.parquet
3 /tmp/3b92a6f2-31aa-485e-a608-58dc925a3c.parquet
4 /tmp/3b92a6f2-31aa-485e-a608-58dc925a3c.parquet
5 /tmp/3b92a6f2-31aa-485e-a608-58dc925a3c.parquet

    __tune_trials__
0 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXBOcy5mbG93Ln...
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```

1 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
2 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
3 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
4 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...
5 gASVYgAAAAAAAABd1IwYdHVuZS5jb25jZXB0cy5mbG93Ln...

<IPython.core.display.HTML object>

```

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4.6 Checkpoint

Checkpoint is normally constructed and provided to you, but if you are interested, this can give you some details.

```
[4]: from tune import Checkpoint
from triad import FileSystem

root = FileSystem()
fs = root.makedirs("/tmp/test", recreate=True)
checkpoint = Checkpoint(fs)
print(len(checkpoint))

0
```

```
[5]: !ls /tmp/test
```

```
[6]: with checkpoint.create() as folder:
    folder.writetext("a.txt", "test")
```

```
[7]: !ls /tmp/test
STATE d9ed2530-20f1-42b3-8818-7fbf1b8eedf3
```

Here is how to create a new checkpoint under /tmp/test

```
[8]: with checkpoint.create() as folder:
    folder.writetext("a.txt", "test2")
```

```
[9]: !ls /tmp/test/*
/tmp/test/8d4e7fed-2a4c-4789-a732-0cb46294e704/:
a.txt

/tmp/test/d9ed2530-20f1-42b3-8818-7fbf1b8eedf3/:
a.txt
```

Here is how to get the latest checkpoint folder

```
[10]: print(len(checkpoint))
print(checkpoint.latest.readtext("a.txt"))
```

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test2
```

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