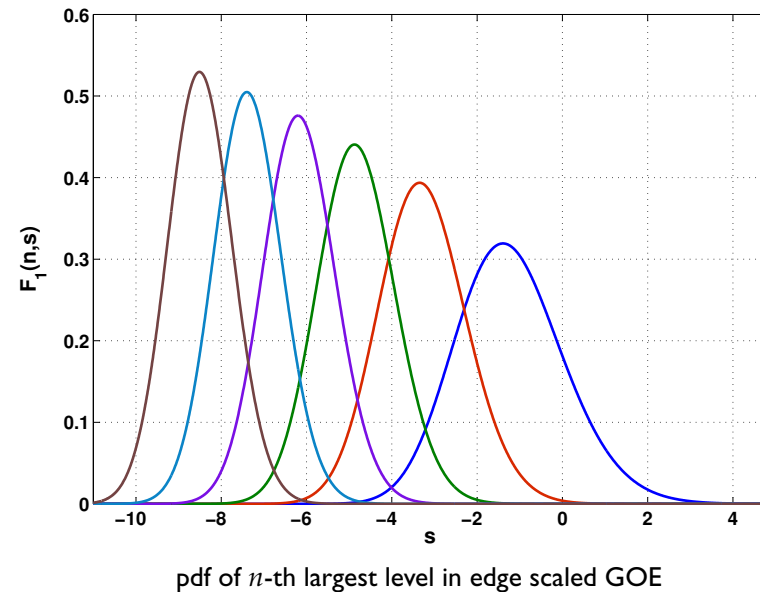


Accurate Numerical Evaluation of Distribution Functions

for Orthogonal and Symplectic Matrix Ensembles



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Two tools used in integrable systems



Ivar Fredholm (1866–1927)

determinant of integral operator (1899)

$$Ku(x) = \int_a^b K(x, y)u(y) dy$$

$\rightsquigarrow$

$$\det(I + zK) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!} \int_{[a,b]^n} \det_{i,j=1}^n K(t_i, t_j) dt$$



Paul Painlevé (1863–1933)

six families of irreducible transcendental functions (1895)

$$u_{xx} = 6u^2 + x$$

$$u_{xx} = 2u^3 + xu - \alpha$$

$$u_{xx} = u^{-1}u_x^2 - x^{-1}u_x + x^{-1}(\alpha u^2 + \beta) + \gamma u^3 + \delta u^{-1}$$

$$u_{xx} = \dots$$

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n -th largest level in edge scaled GUE

$$\mathbb{P}(\text{exactly } n \text{ levels in } (s, \infty)) = \frac{(-1)^n}{n!} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial z^n} F_2(s; z) \Big|_{z=1}$$

(Forrester '93)

$$F_2(s; z) = \det \left(I - z K_{\text{Ai}} \upharpoonright_{L^2(s, \infty)} \right)$$

with kernel

$$K_{\text{Ai}}(x, y) = \frac{\text{Ai}(x) \text{Ai}'(y) - \text{Ai}'(x) \text{Ai}(y)}{x - y}$$

(Tracy/Widom '93)

$$F_2(s; z) = \exp \left(- \int_s^\infty (x - s) u(x; z)^2 dx \right)$$

with Painlevé II

$$u_{xx} = 2u^3 + xu$$

$$u(x; z) \simeq \sqrt{z} \text{Ai}(x) \quad (x \rightarrow \infty)$$

Without the Painlevé representations, the *numerical* evaluation of the Fredholm determinants is quite involved.

— Tracy/Widom '00

m -point quadrature formula

$$\int_a^b dt f(t) \approx \sum_{k=1}^m w_k f(x_k)$$

The Idea (Hilbert 1904, B. '10)

$$\begin{aligned} \det(I + zK) &\stackrel[\text{1903}]{\text{Fredholm}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!} \int_a^b dt_1 \cdots \int_a^b dt_n \det_{i,j=1}^n K(t_i, t_j) \\ &\approx \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!} \sum_{k_1=1}^m w_{k_1} \cdots \sum_{k_n=1}^m w_{k_n} \det_{i,j=1}^n K(x_{k_i}, x_{k_j}) \\ &\stackrel[\text{1892}]{\text{v. Koch}} \det(I + zK_m) \end{aligned}$$

with the $m \times m$ -matrix

$$K_m = \left(w_i^{1/2} K(x_i, x_j) w_j^{1/2} \right)_{i,j=1}^m$$

Matlab-Code

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[w,x] = QuadratureRule(a,b,m);  
w = sqrt(w); [xi,xj] = ndgrid(x,x);  
d = det(eye(m)+z*(w'*w).*K(xi,xj));
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Theorem (B. '10)

For quadrature formula of order ν with positive weights:

- if kernel is $C^{k-1,1}([a,b]^2)$,

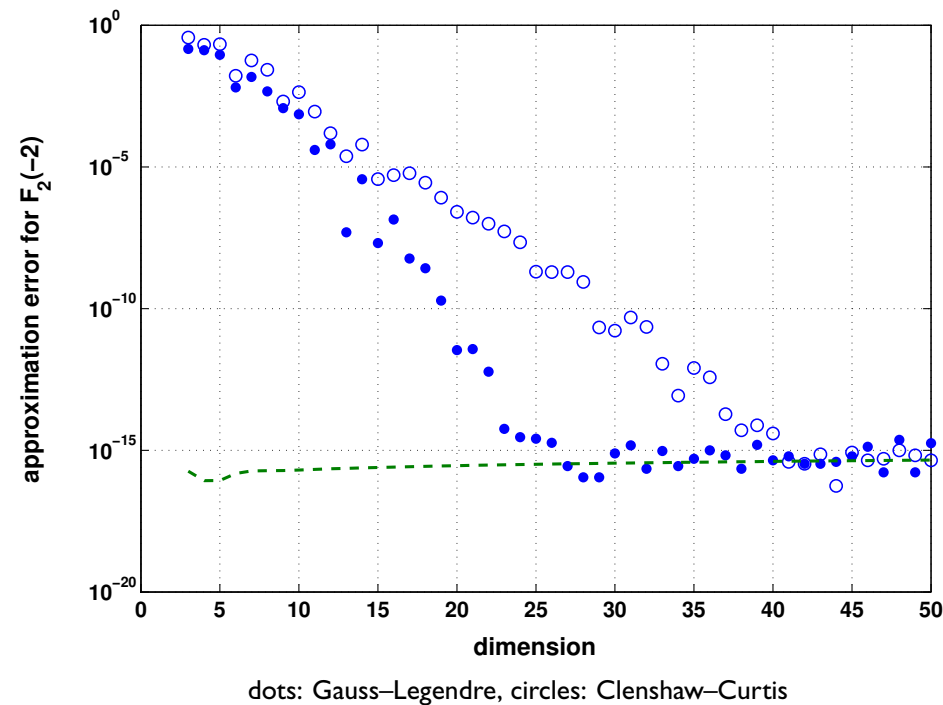
$$\text{error} = O(\nu^{-k}) \quad (\nu \rightarrow \infty);$$

- if kernel is **bounded analytic**, there is $\rho > 1$ with

$$\text{error} = O(\rho^{-\nu}) \quad (\nu \rightarrow \infty).$$

Tracy–Widom distribution

$$F_2(s) = \det \left(I - K_{\text{Ai}} \upharpoonright_{L^2(s, \infty)} \right), \quad K_{\text{Ai}}(x, y) = \frac{\text{Ai}(x) \text{Ai}'(y) - \text{Ai}'(x) \text{Ai}(y)}{x - y}$$

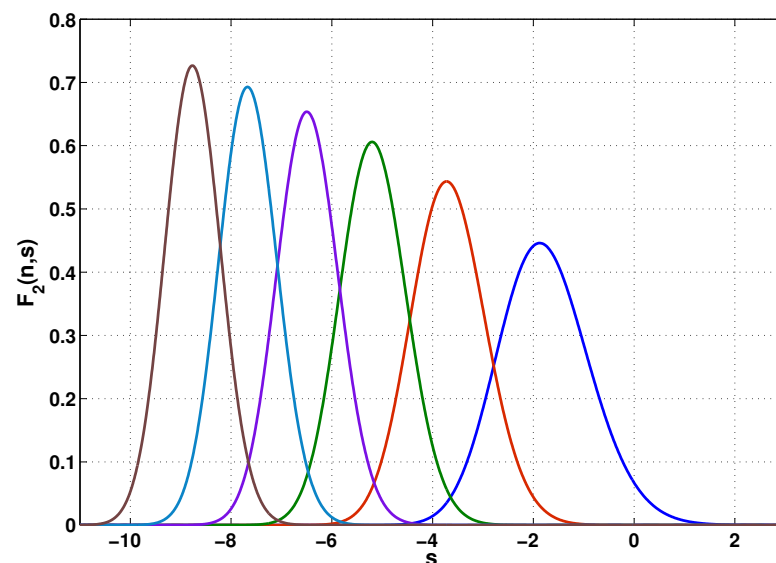


Perturbation bound for m -dimensional determinants: (B. '10)

$$\text{round-off error} \leq \sqrt{m} \|K_m\|_F \cdot u_{\text{machine}}$$

n -th largest level in edge scaled GUE

$$\mathbb{P}(\text{exactly } n \text{ levels in } (s, \infty)) = \frac{(-1)^n}{n!} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial z^n} \det \left(I - z K_{\text{Ai}} \upharpoonright_{L^2(s, \infty)} \right) \Big|_{z=1}$$



probability density of n -th largest level in edge scaled GUE

Numerical method

$f(z) = \det(I + z K_{\text{Ai}})$ is entire of order 0

$$\frac{f^{(n)}(z)}{n!} = \frac{1}{2\pi r^n} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{-in\theta} f(z + re^{i\theta}) d\theta$$

- trapezoidal rule *exponentially* convergent
- numerical stability: judicious choice of $r > 0$

Example: (B. '11)

f entire of order $\rho > 0$ and type $\tau > 0$

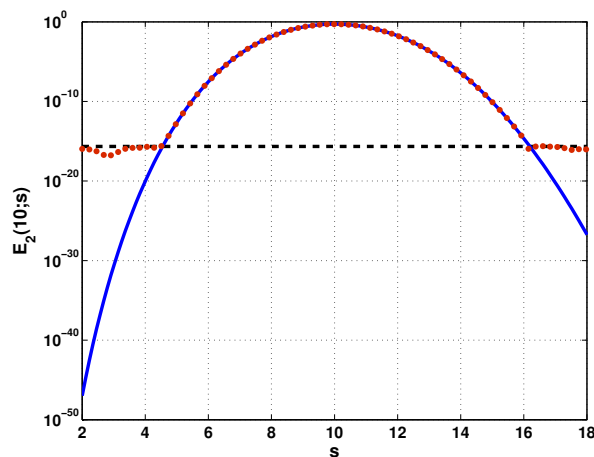
$$r_{\text{opt}} = (n/\rho\tau)^{1/\rho}$$

Generating functions of probabilities

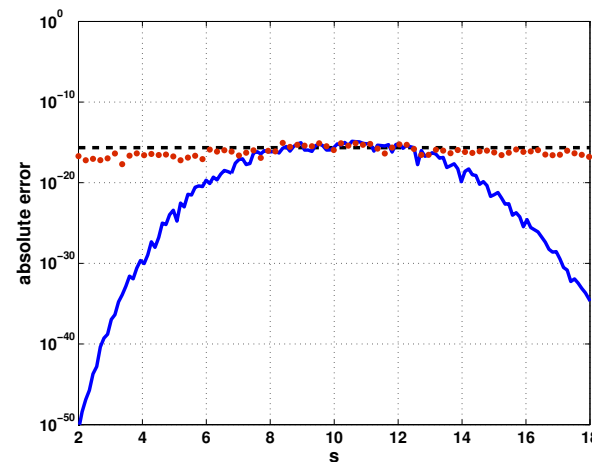
- absolute error: $r = 1$ reasonable (Lyness/Sande '71)
- relative error (= accurate tails):

$$r_{\text{opt}} = \underset{r>0}{\operatorname{argmin}} r^{-n} f(r)$$

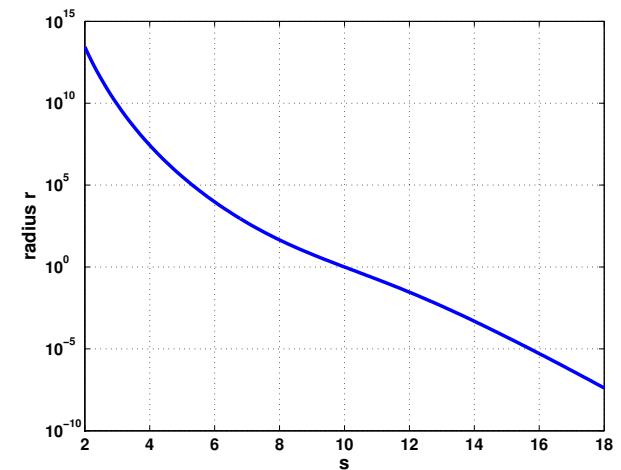
unique solution of *convex* optimization problem (B. '11)



gap probability $E_2(10;s)$ of GUE



absolute error



r_{opt} as a function of s

Combinatorial structure of determinantal processes

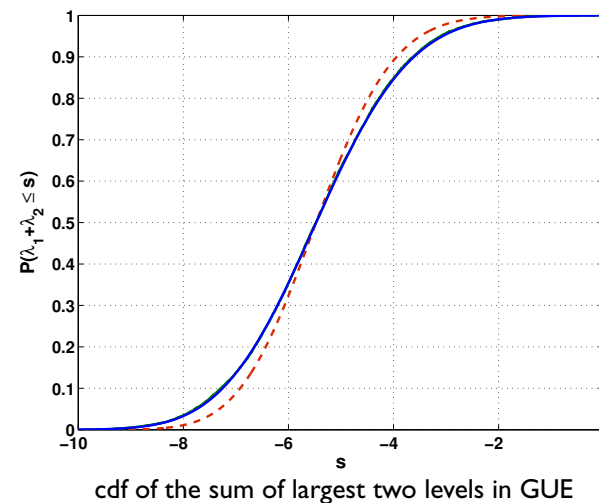
kernel K , disjoint intervals $J_1, \dots, J_N$, multi-index $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}_0^N$

$\mathbb{P}(\text{exactly } \alpha_j \text{ levels lie in } J_j, j = 1, \dots, N)$

$$= \frac{(-1)^{|\alpha|}}{\alpha!} \frac{\partial^\alpha}{\partial z^\alpha} \det \left(I - \begin{pmatrix} z_1 K & \cdots & z_N K \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ z_1 K & \cdots & z_N K \end{pmatrix} \upharpoonright_{L^2(J_1) \oplus \cdots \oplus L^2(J_N)} \right) \Big|_{z_1 = \cdots = z_N = 1}$$

Examples

- joint pdfs
- pdfs of sums, products, etc.



systems of integral operators = integral operator on coproduct

$$K = \begin{pmatrix} K_{11} & \cdots & K_{1N} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ K_{N1} & \cdots & K_{NN} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{on} \quad \bigoplus_{k=1}^N L^2(I_k) \quad \text{with matrix kernel } K_{ij}(x, y)$$

representable as a *single* integral operator on

$$L^2 \left(\bigsqcup_{k=1}^N I_k \right) \cong \bigoplus_{k=1}^N L^2(I_k), \quad \bigsqcup_{k=1}^N I_k = \bigcup_{k=1}^N I_k \times \{k\},$$

with *scalar* kernel (Fredholm 1903)

$$K(x, y) = \sum_{i,j=1}^N \mathbb{1}_{I_i}(x) K_{ij}(x, y) \mathbb{1}_{I_j}(y)$$

↪ straightforward extension of the quadrature method

n -th largest level in edge scaled GSE

$$\mathbb{P}(\text{exactly } n \text{ levels lie in } (s, \infty)) = E_4(n; s) = \frac{(-1)^n}{n!} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial z^n} F_4(s; z) \Big|_{z=1}$$

(Forrester/Nagao/Honner '99, Tracy/Widom '05)

$$F_4(s; z) = \det \left(I - \frac{z}{2} \begin{pmatrix} S(x, y) & SD(x, y) \\ IS(x, y) & S(y, x) \end{pmatrix} \Big|_{L^2(s, \infty) \oplus L^2(s, \infty)} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$S(x, y) = K_{\text{Ai}}(x, y) - \frac{1}{2} \text{Ai}(x) \int_y^\infty \text{Ai}(\eta) d\eta$$

$$SD(x, y) = -\partial_y K_{\text{Ai}}(x, y) - \frac{1}{2} \text{Ai}(x) \text{Ai}(y)$$

$$IS(x, y) = -\int_x^\infty K_{\text{Ai}}(\xi, y) d\xi + \frac{1}{2} \int_x^\infty \text{Ai}(\xi) d\xi \int_y^\infty \text{Ai}(\eta) d\eta$$

$$K_{\text{Ai}}(x, y) = \frac{\text{Ai}(x) \text{Ai}'(y) - \text{Ai}'(x) \text{Ai}(y)}{x - y}$$

factorization

$$K_{\text{Ai}}(x, y) = \int_0^\infty K(x, \xi) K(\xi, y) d\xi, \quad K(x, y) = \text{Ai}(x + y),$$

yields

$$F_2(s; \mathbf{z}) = F_+(s; \mathbf{z}) \cdot F_-(s; \mathbf{z}), \quad F_\pm(s; \mathbf{z}) = \det \left(I \mp \sqrt{\mathbf{z}} K|_{L^2(s/2, \infty)} \right)$$

and (Ferrari/Spohn '05)

$$F_4(s; \mathbf{1}) = \frac{1}{2} (F_+(s; \mathbf{1}) + F_-(s; \mathbf{1}))$$

A new formula (B. '10)

How about, in general, $\boxed{F_4(s; \mathbf{z}) = \frac{1}{2} (F_+(s; \mathbf{z}) + F_-(s; \mathbf{z}))}$?

- *first*, numerical tests with random s and $\mathbf{z}$ indicated the formula to be *true*
- *later*, proof via Painlevé II representation (B. '10, Forrester '06)

n -th largest level in edge scaled GOE

$$\mathbb{P}(\text{exactly } n \text{ levels lie in } (s, \infty)) = E_1(n; s) = \frac{(-1)^n}{n!} \frac{\partial^n}{\partial z^n} F_1(s; z) \Big|_{z=1}$$

(Forrester/Nagao/Honner '99, Tracy/Widom '05)

$$F_1(s; z) = \det \left(I - z \begin{pmatrix} S(x, y) & SD(x, y) \\ IS(x, y) & S(y, x) \end{pmatrix} \Big|_{X_1(s, \infty) \oplus X_2(s, \infty)} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$S(x, y) = K_{\text{Ai}}(x, y) + \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \text{Ai}(x) \int_y^\infty \text{Ai}(\eta) d\eta \right)$$

$$SD(x, y) = -\partial_y K_{\text{Ai}}(x, y) - \frac{1}{2} \text{Ai}(x) \text{Ai}(y)$$

$$IS(x, y) = -\frac{1}{2} \text{sgn}(x - y) - \int_x^\infty K_{\text{Ai}}(\xi, y) d\xi + \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_y^x \text{Ai}(\xi) d\xi + \int_x^\infty \text{Ai}(\xi) d\xi \int_y^\infty \text{Ai}(\eta) d\eta \right)$$

$$K_{\text{Ai}}(x, y) = \frac{\text{Ai}(x) \text{Ai}'(y) - \text{Ai}'(x) \text{Ai}(y)}{x - y}$$

Hilbert–Schmidt operator with trace class diagonal $\rightsquigarrow$ **Hilbert–Carleman determinant**

superposition/decimation relations (Forrester/Rains '01)

$$\text{GSE}_m = \text{even}(\text{GOE}_{2m+1}), \quad \text{GUE}_m = \text{even}(\text{GOE}_m \cup \text{GOE}_{m+1})$$

combinatorical implications

- $F_4(n; s) = F_1(2n; s)$
- $E_2(n; s) = \sum_{j=0}^{2n} E_1(j; s) E_1(2n - j; s) + \sum_{j=0}^{2n+1} E_1(j; s) E_1(2n + 1 - j; s)$

other relations

- $E_2(n; s) = \sum_{j=0}^n E_+(j; s) E_-(n - j; s)$
- $E_4(n; s) = \frac{1}{2} (E_+(n; s) + E_-(n; s))$
- $E_1(0; s) = E_+(0; s)$ (Ferrari/Spohn '05)

generating functions

$$f_0(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} E_1(2n; s) x^{2n}$$

$$f_1(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} E_1(2n+1; s) x^{2n+1}$$

$$g_{\pm}(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} E_{\pm}(n; s) x^{2n} = F_{\pm}(1 - x^2; s)$$

equations

$$f_0(x)^2 + 2f_0(x)f_1(x) + x^2 f_1(x)^2 = g_+(x) \cdot g_-(x)$$

$$f_0(x) + f_1(x) = \frac{1}{2} (g_+(x) + g_-(x))$$

$$f_0(0) = g_+(0)$$

solution

$$f_0(x) = g_+(x) - (1 - \sqrt{1 - x^2})f_0(x)$$

$$f_1(x) = \frac{1}{2} (g_+(x) + g_-(x)) - f_0(x)$$

transforms with

$$1 - \sqrt{1 - x^2} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\binom{2k}{k}}{2^{2k+1}(k+1)} x^{2k+2}$$

into the recursion

$$E_1(2n; s) = E_+(n; s) - \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{\binom{2k}{k} E_1(2n - 2k - 1; s)}{2^{2k+1}(k+1)}$$

$$E_1(2n+1; s) = \frac{E_+(n; s) + E_-(n; s)}{2} - E_1(2n; s)$$

A reformulation of the GOE recursion

(B. '10, Forrester '06)

$$\begin{aligned}
 F_1(s; z) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} E_1(n; s) (1 - z)^n \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\pm} \left(1 \pm \sqrt{\frac{z}{2-z}} \right) \det \left(I \mp \sqrt{z(2-z)} K \upharpoonright_{L^2(s/2, \infty)} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

with $K(x, y) = \text{Ai}(x + y)$

- amenable to exponential convergence in the quadrature method
- branch-cut singularities at $z = 0$ and $z = 2$
 $\rightsquigarrow$ derivatives *not* along circles (new: automatic contours B./Wechsberger '11)

similar structure for

- bulk scaling limits
- hard-edge scaling limits (LOE/LUE/LSE)

an e-mail from a geneticist @ Broad Institute (MIT/Harvard)

I'm ... interested in the distribution of eigenvalues of very large (mostly Wishart) matrices. I recently found your ArXiv paper. A tremendous amount of information. ... Some things I would like: A table of the mean of $F_1(k,s)$ for as large k as is practical. I'd certainly like to get this for $k = 1, \dots, 50$.

mean and variance of the k -largest level in edge-scaled GOE *by using the recursion*

1	-1.2065335745	1.6077810345
2	-3.2624279028	1.0354474415
3	-4.8216302757	0.8223901151
4	-6.1620399636	0.7031581054
5	-7.3701147042	0.6242523679
6	-8.4862183723	0.5670071487
7	-9.5331810321	0.5229902526
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.	.	.
38	-31.3497235299	0.2159078706
39	-31.9083474476	0.2129575824
40	-32.4621235403	0.2101204063
41	-33.011211545_	0.207380416_
42	-33.5557807___	0.2047596___
43	-34.09586_____	0.20201_____
44	-34.631_____	0.198_____
45	-35.14_____	0.18_____
46	-35.5_____	0.1_____
47	-3_.	0.

RMFredholmToolbox for Matlab (B. '10)

function	command
$E_2^{(n)}(k; J)$	<code>E(2,k,J,n)</code>
$E_2^{(n)}((k,0); J_1, J_2)$	<code>E(2,[k,0],[J1,J2],n)</code>
$E_2^{(\text{bulk})}(k; J)$	<code>E(2,k,J,'bulk')</code>
$E_2^{(\text{bulk})}((k,0); J_1, J_2)$	<code>E(2,[k,0],[J1,J2],'bulk')</code>
$E_2^{(\text{soft})}(k; J)$	<code>E(2,k,J,'soft')</code>
$E_2^{(\text{soft})}((k,0); J_1, J_2)$	<code>E(2,[k,0],[J1,J2],'soft')</code>
$F(x, y)$	<code>F2Joint(x,y)</code>
$E_4^{(\text{soft})}(k; J)$	<code>E(4,k,J,'soft','MatrixKernel')</code>
$E_{\text{LUE}}^{(n)}(k; J, \alpha)$	<code>E('LUE',k,J,n,alpha)</code>
$E_{\text{LUE}}^{(n)}((k,0); J_1, J_2, \alpha)$	<code>E('LUE',[k,0],[J1,J2],n,alpha)</code>
$E_2^{(\text{hard})}(k; J, \alpha)$	<code>E(2,k,J,'hard',alpha)</code>
$E_2^{(\text{hard})}((k,0); J_1, J_2, \alpha)$	<code>E(2,[k,0],[J1,J2],'hard',alpha)</code>

function	command
$E_2^{(\text{hard})}((k,0); J_1, J_2, \alpha)$	<code>E(2,[k,0],[J1,J2],'hard',alpha)</code>
$E_+(k; s)$	<code>E('+',k,s)</code>
$E_-(k; s)$	<code>E('-',k,s)</code>
$E_\beta(k; s)$	<code>E(beta,k,s)</code>
$\tilde{E}_+(k; s)$	<code>E('+',k,s,'soft')</code>
$\tilde{E}_-(k; s)$	<code>E('-',k,s,'soft')</code>
$\tilde{E}_\beta(k; s)$	<code>E(beta,k,s,'soft')</code>
$F_\beta(k; s)$	<code>F(beta,k,s)</code>
$F_\beta(s)$	<code>F(beta,s)</code>
$E_{+,\alpha}(k; s)$	<code>E('+',k,s,'hard',alpha)</code>
$E_{-,\alpha}(k; s)$	<code>E('-',k,s,'hard',alpha)</code>
$E_{\beta,\alpha}(k; s)$	<code>E(beta,k,s,'hard',alpha)</code>
$F_{\beta,\alpha}(k; s)$	<code>F(beta,k,s,alpha)</code>

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