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Homework Problem 2.

No. 4. A truncation of a distribution function F can be defined for a < b as

$$\tilde{F}(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } x < a \\ F(x), & \text{if } a \le x < b \\ 1, & \text{if } b \le x \end{cases}$$

Find a method for generating from the distribution function \tilde{F} , assuming that we already have a method for generating from F. Demonstrate the validate of your algorithm.

No. 8. In each of the following cases, give an algorithm that uses exactly one random number for generating a random variate with the same distribution as

- (a) $X = \min\{U_1, U_2\}$, where U_i 's are i.i.d. $\sim U(0, 1)$.
- (b) $X = \max\{U_1, U_2\}$, where U_i 's are i.i.d. $\sim U(0, 1)$.
- (c) $X = \min\{Y_1, Y_2\}$, where Y_i 's are i.i.d. $\sim \exp(1/\beta)$.

No. 10. For the acceptance-rejection method, find the distribution of the number of (Y, U) pairs that are rejected before acceptance occurs. What is the expected number of rejections?

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Lecture Note 4

- (a) Draw flowcharts for the main programs of Example 1 and 2.)
- (b) A system has 10 components, each of which may be either up, down or on standby. At time t=0, 8 components are up and 2 are standby. The system is operational as long as there are 8 components that are up. When a component failure occurs, a unit on standby is activated (provided that a spare unit is available), to bring the number of operational components up to 8. When a unit fails, it enters a single-server repair shop to be repaired one at a time. Furthermore, when a system failure occurs, the system shuts down (i.e. components are either under repair or sit idle) until 8 operational units are again available. Note that when the system is down, the remaining life times of those up components are frozen until the system is brought up again. Suppose that we are interested in the long-run fraction of time that the system is operational.

 Assume that the repair time distribution is hyper-exponential, i.e., exponential

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with mean 12 hours with probability 0.2 or exponential with mean 4 hours with probability 0.8. Simulate this system for 10 years to estimate the desired fraction efficiently (to make efficient use of both computer time and memory) for if

- (i) the failure occurs according to an exponential distribution with mean 48 hours.
- (ii) the failure occurs according to a 2-Erlang distribution with mean 48 hours. Gamma (2) E(6) = 48

SEE Ex6

$$E(x) = 48$$
 $k = 2$
 $48 = \frac{k}{3} = \frac{2}{3} = 3\lambda = \frac{1}{24}$

1) Flow chart

3 State variable

3) Statistics counters

(4) Events

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An airplane lands with N passengers aboard and reaches the arrival gate at time 0. The time for the first arriving passenger to reach the baggage claim area has an exponential distribution with mean 1/N and the interarrival time between the (k-1)st and kth passenger to reach the baggage claim area is exponentially distributed with mean 1/(N-k+1), k=1,2,...,N. Baggage reaches the claim area according to the following stochastic process: an exponentially distributed time Z (mean 1/u) elapses following airplane landing. Thereafter, at regular time intervals of duration e (>0), suitcases are deposited one at a time in the claim area. Thus, the kth suitcase arrives in the claim area at time Z + kc for k = 1, 2, ..., N.

Assume that each passenger has one suitcase and that the arrival order of suitcases in the claim area is random in the sense that all permutations are equally likely. Also assume that once a passenger's suitcase arrives and the passenger is present, the suitcase is immediately removed. Denote by T the total amount of time until all passengers have obtained their baggage and let D_k by the delay experienced by the kth passenger to arrive in the claim area, k=1,2,...,N.

(a) What continuous time stochastic process {X(t): t > 0} would you simulate to

(b) Specify the events associated with <u>simulation</u> of the process, the state transition mechanism, and the event scheduling mechanism.

estimate E(T) and $E(\max\{D_1,D_2,...,D_N\})$? Specify the state space S of the process.

Ex5. Ex6. 為例,參考.

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Continuation of Assignment 5: Consider N = 150, u = N/2 and c = 1/N.

- (a) Estimate E(T) and $E(max\{D_1,D_2,...,D_N\})$ with 10,000 replications, construct the estimator with 90% and 95 % confidence intervals.
- (b) Redo Part (a) with 1,000,000 replications.

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(c) If the acceptable relative error is 1% under 95% confidence, construct a simulation run to yield the estimator and the confidence interval. How large is the sample size to achieve that?

$$n \ge \frac{V_n Z_s^2}{\varepsilon^2 d_n^2}$$

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Consider a telephone system with N(>1) telephones connected to a switchboard by lines numbered 1,2,...,N. The switchboard has M(< N) links numbered 1,2,...,M, each of which can be used to connect any two lines, subject to the restriction that only one connection can be made to each line. If more than one link is available, a placed call is connected (instantaneously) on the lowest numbered available link. Assume that the system is a "lost-call" system any call that can not be connected when it is placed is immediately abandoned. A call is lost if there is at least one link available but the called line is in use (a busy call) and a call is lost if no link is available (a 內有通電話 blocked call).

Assume that the duration of a call placed at line i is a positive random variable L_i having finite mean, i = 1, 2, ..., N. Also assume that calls are placed randomly in the sense that the time from the end of a call (placed or received) at line i to the next call placed at line i is a positive random variable A_i ; with (independent) probability P_{ij} the called line is line j, where $j \neq i$. After a lost call placed at line i the time to the next call り要話掛掉之後臨多分接要於の以東近来 placed at line i is distributed as A_i .

- (a) Define a continuous time stochastic process $\{X(t): t>0\}$ that you would simulate to estimate the fraction of calls that are successfully completed, busy or blocked. Specify the process $\{X(t):t>0\}$ as a generalized semi-Markov process.
- (b) Write a program to simulate this model for M = 4 links and N = 10 lines. Suppose that (for all i) A_i is exponentially distributed with $E(A_i) = 0.5$ and that L_i has a gamma distribution with shape parameter k = 0.25 and scale parameter l = 1.0. Also suppose that $P_{ii} = 1/(N-1)$ for all $j \neq i$ ($P_{ii} = 0$).

(c) Obtain point estimates for the limiting probability that (i) a call is successfully completed; (ii) a call is busy and (iii) a call is blocked. Also obtain a point estimate and a 95% confidence interval for the limiting probability that no links are available.

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Let W_i be the waiting time in the system of the *i*th customer and N(t) be the number of customers in the system at time t. Let the system state at to with one arrival finding

(a) Form a non-terminating simulation to estimate $E(W_{\infty})$ with a warm-up period of 10,000 customers and a production period for 100,000 customers.

(b) Use batch means with 5/batch for 20,000 batches and 10/batch with 10,000 batches to estimate $E(W_{\infty})$ with 95% confident intervals

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(d) Use the data collected in (c) to form a Jack-Knife estimator with 95% confidence In= M+ C1+ C2+ ... [0.9707448, 1.0783291] interval.

(e) Do (a) \sim (d) for $P(N(\infty)=2)$ with (a) warm-up = 2,000 min, production = 20,000 lim P(Nlt)=2) t-200 Dimiting prob min, (b) 1min/batch for 20,000 batches and 2min/batch for 10,000 batches, (c) and 改用 time ave ruge (d) are the same.

M/M/I Queue lim + (2) = P(N(0))

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N(t)

Hint: e: arrival

ez: service completion

event list

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1. First of all, we need to show that $exp(U^2)(1 + exp(1-2U))/2$ is an unbiased estimator, which can be done by taking its expectation and realizing that 1-U has the same distribution as U. Secondly, since $Cov(exp(U^2), exp((1-U)^2))$ is negative, we have

$$Var(exp(U^2)(1 + exp(1-2U))/2) \le Var([exp(U_1^2) + exp(U_2^2)]/2).$$

2. (a) We can simply generate 5 uniform random numbers, U_1 , U_2 , U_3 , U_4 , U_5 , then set

$$I_1 = 1$$
 if - (ln $U_1 + 2$ ln $U_2 + 3$ ln $U_3 + 4$ ln $U_4 + 5$ ln U_5) ≥ 21.6 ; 0 otherwise.

We then repeat this procedure for [n times] and estimate the probability by $\sum I_i/n$. (b) For each set of $(U_1, U_2, U_3, U_4, U_5)$, we also compute

I'_I = 1 if -
$$(\ln (1-U_I)+ 2 \ln (1-U_2)+ 3 \ln (1-U_3)+ 4 \ln (1-U_4)+ 5 \ln (1-U_5) \ge 21.6;$$

0 otherwise.

We then repeat (a) and (b) for n/2 times and estimate the probability by $\sum (I_i + I'_i)/n$. (c) Not only having reduced variance as shown in class, we also generate n/2 less uniform random numbers. Therefore, the use of antithetic variable is efficient here.

3. (a) We need to compute several things before to calculate the variance reduction.

Those are

$$Cov(X, I) = E(XI)-E(X)E(I) = (\alpha^2-\alpha)/2,$$

 $Var(I) = \alpha-\alpha^2 \quad and \quad Var(X)=1/12.$

Thus, the variance reduction $Cov^2(X,I)/(Var(X)Var(I))$ can be calculated accordingly.

- (b) Just follow the same procedure as in (a).
- (c) It can be seen that, for fixed constant a, large X implies small I, namely, 0. On the other hand, if we decrease X, I will be more likely to be large, i.e., I = 1. So, they are negatively correlated.
- 4. First we note that

$$Z(\lambda) = h(Y) + \lambda [X - h(Y)].$$

We want to minimize the variance of $Z(\lambda)$, or equivalently, its second moment:

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Consider 10 elements that are initially arranged in the order of increasing indexes. At each time, a request is made for one of these elements--the ith element being requested, independently of the past, with probability P(i). After being requested the element is then moved according to some policy. Assume that P(1)=0.06, P(2)=0.01, P(3)=0.12, P(4)=0.14, P(5)=0.08, P(6)=0.18, P(7)=0.04, P(8)=0.10, P(9)=0.22,P(10)=0.05.

There are three policies:

Policy A: After being requested, the element is then moved to the front of the list. 叫 贵来後效界前面

Policy B: After being requested, the element is move one position closer to the front. 叫出来後 往前 一個

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Please use simulation to estimate the expected positions of the element requested after this process has been in operation under these policies for a long time. In simulation, we can use the first 10,000 requests to wash out the initial effect, then start collecting statistics from then on."

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(b) With a constraint on the number of requests, use the two-stage procedure to select the best policy, where $p^* = 0.95$, $d^* = 0.1$ and $n_0=40$.

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Coefficient Test

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66.2, 72.4, 81.0, 94.8, 112.0, 116.4, 124.3, 140.1, 145.2, 155.8,

dust the Kolmogorova Science 2 (a) For a given (ordered) set of numbers of size 10,

please conduct the Kolmogorov-Smirnov test for the null hypothesis that the values are generated from an exponential distribution with mean 100.

(b) Use your exponential random number generator to generate 10 numbers, then do the Kolmogorov-Smirnov test to find the p-value. 画稿 trandom number generator

$$H_o: D = \max_{x} |\overline{f}_e(x) - \overline{f}(x)|$$