

Network Security PA4

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Github Link: <https://github.com/KRT2305/NetSec-PA4>

Pseudo Random Number Generator(PRNG) refers to an algorithm that uses mathematical formulas to produce sequences of random numbers. PRNGs generate a sequence of numbers approximating the properties of random numbers. A PRNG starts from an arbitrary starting state using a seed state. Many numbers are generated in a short time and can also be reproduced later, if the starting point in the sequence is known. Hence, the numbers are deterministic and efficient.

Characteristics of PRNG:

- Efficient: PRNG can produce many numbers in a short time and is advantageous for applications that need many numbers
- Deterministic: A given sequence of numbers can be reproduced at a later date if the starting point in the sequence is known. Determinism is handy if you need to replay the same sequence of numbers again at a later stage.
- Periodic: PRNGs are periodic, which means that the sequence will eventually repeat itself. While periodicity is hardly ever a desirable characteristic, modern PRNGs have a period that is so long that it can be ignored for most practical purposes

Results:

1. For Python's Random Function:

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Please select a method for generating random numbers:
1. Python's Random Function
2. Linear Congruential Generator
(or type 3 to quit)
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Selection > 1
How many observations should we perform?
Selection > 20
Successfully stored %d random numbers in file named:
'py_random_output.txt'. 20
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TEST SUITE FOR: PYTHON BUILT-IN RAND
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-----CHI-SQ TEST-----
Significance Level: 0.8
Chi Sq: 17.0
Crit Value: 10118.8246
Result is: FAIL TO REJECT null hypothesis
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Significance Level: 0.9
Chi Sq: 17.0
Crit Value: 10181.6616
Result is: FAIL TO REJECT null hypothesis
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Significance Level: 0.95
Chi Sq: 17.0
Crit Value: 10233.7489
Result is: FAIL TO REJECT null hypothesis
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-----KS TEST-----
D+ VALUE =0
D- VALUE=0.6314006161858726
D VALUE (max): 0.6314006161858726
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Alpha Level is: 0.1
D statistic is: 0.6314006161858726
Critical value is: 0.122
Result is: REJECT null hypothesis
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Alpha Level is: 0.05
D statistic is: 0.6314006161858726
Critical value is: 0.136
Result is: REJECT null hypothesis
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Alpha Level is: 0.01
D statistic is: 0.6314006161858726
Critical value is: 0.16299999999999998
Result is: REJECT null hypothesis
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Kolmogorov-Smirnov Test Result for D-Value: 0.6314006161858726
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2. For Linear Congruential Generator:

Please select a method for generating random numbers:

1. Python's Random Function
 2. Linear Congruential Generator
- (or type 3 to quit)

Selection > 2

How many observations should we perform?

Selection > 20

Successfully stored 20 random numbers in file named: 'lgc_output.txt'.

TEST SUITE FOR: LINEAR CONGRUENTIAL GENERATOR

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-----CHI-SQ TEST-----

Significance Level: 0.8

Chi Sq: 12.0

Crit Value: 10118.8246

Result is: FAIL TO REJECT null hypothesis

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Significance Level: 0.9

Chi Sq: 12.0

Crit Value: 10181.6616

Result is: FAIL TO REJECT null hypothesis

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Significance Level: 0.95

Chi Sq: 12.0

Crit Value: 10233.7489

Result is: FAIL TO REJECT null hypothesis

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-----KS TEST-----

D+ VALUE =0

D- VALUE=0.7446466064453126

D VALUE (max): 0.7446466064453126

Alpha Level is: 0.1

D_statistic is: 0.7446466064453126

Critical value is: 0.122

Result is: REJECT null hypothesis

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Alpha Level is: 0.05

D_statistic is: 0.7446466064453126

Critical value is: 0.136

Result is: REJECT null hypothesis

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Alpha Level is: 0.01

D_statistic is: 0.7446466064453126

Critical value is: 0.16299999999999998

Result is: REJECT null hypothesis

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Kolmogorov-Smirnov Test Result for D-Value: 0.7446466064453126