

Exercise 11. Answer Sheet

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Problem 1. (40 points) Consider constructing a random number generator for integers from 1 to 6 using the simplest linear congruential method.

a) What is the equation of this generator? Put your answer here.

$$X_{n+1} = (A * X_n + C) \bmod M$$

b) Which values of the parameter $A \in [1, 6]$ give the longest sequence? Put your answer here.

A=3, C=4, M=11, X₀=1

$$X1 = (3 * 1 + 4) \bmod 11 = 7$$

$$X_2 = (3 * 7 + 4) \bmod 11 = 3$$

$$X_3 = (3 * 3 + 4) \bmod 11 = 2$$

$$X_4 = (3 * 2 + 4) \bmod 11 = 10$$

$$X_5 = (3 * 10 + 4) \bmod 11 = 1$$

$$X6 = (3 * 1 + 4) \bmod 11 = 7$$

Answer: 4

Problem 2. (60 points) Write a program implementing the 3 algorithms from the lecture. Upload your code.

a) (20 points) Fill the following table with the first 5 random numbers generated by each of the algorithms?

	1	2	3	4	5
Rand1					
Rand2					
Rand3					

b) (40 points) Generate $N = \{10, 1000, 1000000\}$ real random numbers in the interval (0.0, 1.0) using each algorithm. Make a program to calculate a histogram of the number distribution (in %) for 10 intervals and fill the table (upload your code):

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