

# **libsfmt4253 Reference**

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# Constants

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## SCE\_SFMT4253\_ARRAY\_SIZE

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Array size for SFMT4253 pseudo random number calculation

### Definition

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```
#include <libsfmt4253.h>
#define SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE    34    /* (4253 / 128) + 1 */
```

### Description

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This constant defines the array size for pseudo random numbers in conformance with SFMT4253. In addition to indicating the array size that is maintained as state in the `SceSfmt4253Context` structure, this constant is also used by the `sceSfmt4253FillArray32()` and `sceSfmt4253FillArray64()` functions to indicate the minimum size for generating random numbers.

### See Also

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`SceSfmt4253Context`, `sceSfmt4253FillArray32()`, `sceSfmt4253FillArray64()`

# Datatypes

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## SceSfmt4253Context

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Context information for SFMT4253 pseudo random number calculation

### Definition

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```
#include <libsfmt4253.h>
typedef struct SceSfmt4253Context {
    unsigned int idx;
    unsigned int sfmt[SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE][4];
} SceSfmt4253Context;
```

### Description

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This structure is a work area for calculating pseudo random numbers in conformance with SFMT4253. One instance of this work area must be prepared for each random number sequence.

### See Also

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SCE\_SFMT4253\_ARRAY\_SIZE, sceSfmt4253InitGenRand(), sceSfmt4253InitByArray()

# Functions

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## sceSfmt4253InitGenRand

Initialize SFMT4253 pseudo random number work area

### Definition

```
#include <libsfmt4253.h>
SceInt32 sceSfmt4253InitGenRand (
    SceSfmt4253Context *pCtx,
    SceUInt32 seed
);
```

### Calling Conditions

Multithread safe

### Arguments

*pCtx* Pointer to an `SceSfmt4253Context` structure, which represents a random number sequence as a context.  
*seed* Specifies a random number sequence.

### Return Values

If an error occurs, a negative value is returned.

Value	Result
SCE_OK	Normal completion

### Description

This function uses a 32-bit seed to initialize an SFMT4253 random number sequence, which is represented by the `SceSfmt4253Context` structure. This function must be executed before the `sceSfmt4253GenRand32()`, `sceSfmt4253GenRand64()`, `sceSfmt4253FillArray32()`, and `sceSfmt4253FillArray64()` functions.

Since only the `SceSfmt4253Context` structure indicated by *pCtx* is initialized, multiple random number sequences can be handled simultaneously by having multiple `SceSfmt4253Context` structures.

### See Also

`SceSfmt4253Context`, `sceSfmt4253InitByArray()`



## sceSfmt4253InitByArray

Initialize SFMT4253 pseudo random number work area

### Definition

```
#include <libsfmt4253.h>
SceInt32 sceSfmt4253InitByArray (
    SceSfmt4253Context *pCtx,
    const SceUInt32 initkey[],
    SceUInt32 keylength
);
```

### Calling Conditions

Multithread safe

### Arguments

<i>pCtx</i>	Pointer to an <code>SceSfmt4253Context</code> structure, which represents a random number sequence as a context.
<i>initkey</i>	Specifies the array to be used for initializing.
<i>keylength</i>	Number of elements in <i>initkey</i> .

### Return Values

If an error occurs, a negative value is returned.

Value	Result
SCE_OK	Normal completion

### Description

This function uses an array of 32-bit seeds to initialize an SFMT4253 random number sequence, which is represented by the `SceSfmt4253Context` structure. This function must be executed before the `sceSfmt4253GenRand32()`, `sceSfmt4253GenRand64()`, `sceSfmt4253FillArray32()`, and `sceSfmt4253FillArray64()` functions.

Since only the `SceSfmt4253Context` structure indicated by *pCtx* is initialized, multiple random number sequences can be handled simultaneously by having multiple `SceSfmt4253Context` structures.

### See Also

`SceSfmt4253Context`, `sceSfmt4253InitGenRand()`

## sceSfmt4253GenRand32

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Generate an SFMT4253 32-bit pseudo random number

### Definition

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```
#include <libmt4253.h>
SceUInt32 sceSfmt4253GenRand32 (
    SceSfmt4253Context *pCtx
);
```

### Calling Conditions

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Multithread safe

### Arguments

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*pCtx* Pointer to an `SceSfmt4253Context` structure, which represents a random number sequence as a context.

### Return Values

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32-bit pseudo random number

### Description

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This function generates a 32-bit pseudo random number that conforms to SFMT4253.

Before using this function, the `SceSfmt4253Context` structure must be initialized by calling the `sceSfmt4253InitGenRand()` or `sceSfmt4253InitByArray()` functions.

### See Also

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`SceSfmt4253Context`, `sceSfmt4253InitGenRand()`, `sceSfmt4253InitByArray()`

# sceSfmt4253GenRand64

Generate an SFMT4253 64-bit pseudo random number

## Definition

```
#include <libmt4253.h>
SceUInt64 sceSfmt4253GenRand64 (
    SceSfmt4253Context *pCtx
);
```

## Calling Conditions

Multithread safe

## Arguments

*pCtx* Pointer to an `SceSfmt4253Context` structure, which represents a random number sequence as a context.

## Return Values

64-bit pseudo random number

## Description

This function generates a 64-bit pseudo random number that conforms to SFMT4253.

Before using this function, the `SceSfmt4253Context` structure must be initialized by calling the `sceSfmt4253InitGenRand()` or `sceSfmt4253InitByArray()` functions.

Note that if the `sceSfmt4253GenRand32()` and `sceSfmt4253GenRand64()` functions are used together and the `sceSfmt4253GenRand64()` function is called after the `sceSfmt4253GenRand32()` function has been called an odd number of times, a full 64-bit random number will not be obtained. Instead, this function will return a 64-bit value in which the upper 32 bits are zero.

## See Also

`SceSfmt4253Context`, `sceSfmt4253InitGenRand()`, `sceSfmt4253InitByArray()`

## sceSfmt4253FillArray32

Generate an array of SFMT4253 32-bit pseudo random numbers

### Definition

```
#include <libmt4253.h>
SceInt32 sceSfmt4253FillArray32 (
    SceSfmt4253Context *pCtx,
    SceUInt32 array[],
    SceUInt32 size
);
```

### Calling Conditions

Multithread safe

### Arguments

*pCtx* Pointer to an `SceSfmt4253Context` structure, which represents a random number sequence as a context.

*array* Buffer for receiving the generated random numbers

*size* Number of elements in *array* (multiple of 4 that is larger than `SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE*4`)

### Return Values

If an error occurs, a negative value is returned.

Value	Result
<code>SCE_OK</code>	Normal completion

### Description

This function generates an arbitrary number of 32-bit pseudo random numbers that conform to SFMT4253. *size* specifies the number of elements in *array* and must be a multiple of 4 that is larger than `(SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE * 4)`.

Before using this function, the `SceSfmt4253Context` structure must be initialized by calling the `sceSfmt4253InitGenRand()` or `sceSfmt4253InitByArray()` functions.

When the `sceSfmt4253FillArray32()` function is used together with the `sceSfmt4253GenRand32()` function, the `sceSfmt4253FillArray32()` function can be called only after the `sceSfmt4253GenRand32()` function has been called `(SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE * 4)` times.

When the `sceSfmt4253FillArray32()` function is used together with the `sceSfmt4253GenRand64()` function, the `sceSfmt4253FillArray32()` function can be called only after the `sceSfmt4253GenRand64()` function has been called `(SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE * 2)` times.

### See Also

`SceSfmt4253Context`, `sceSfmt4253InitGenRand()`, `sceSfmt4253InitByArray()`

## sceSfmt4253FillArray64

Generate an array of SFMT4253 64-bit pseudo random numbers

### Definition

```
#include <libmt4253.h>
SceInt32 sceSfmt4253FillArray64 (
    SceSfmt4253Context *pCtx,
    SceUInt64 array[],
    SceUInt32 size
);
```

### Calling Conditions

Multithread safe

### Arguments

*pCtx* Pointer to an `SceSfmt4253Context` structure, which represents a random number sequence as a context.

*array* Buffer for receiving the generated random numbers

*size* Number of elements in *array* (multiple of 2 that is larger than `SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE*2`)

### Return Values

If an error occurs, a negative value is returned.

Value	Result
<code>SCE_OK</code>	Normal completion

### Description

This function generates an arbitrary number of 64-bit pseudo random numbers that conform to SFMT4253. *size* specifies the number of elements in *array* and must be a multiple of 2 that is larger than `(SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE * 2)`.

Before using this function, the `SceSfmt4253Context` structure must be initialized by calling the `sceSfmt4253InitGenRand()` or `sceSfmt4253InitByArray()` functions.

When the `sceSfmt4253FillArray64()` function is used together with the `sceSfmt4253GenRand32()` function, the `sceSfmt4253FillArray64()` function can be called only after the `sceSfmt4253GenRand32()` function has been called `(SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE * 4)` times.

When the `sceSfmt4253FillArray64()` function is used together with the `sceSfmt4253GenRand64()` function, the `sceSfmt4253FillArray64()` function can be called only after the `sceSfmt4253GenRand64()` function has been called `(SCE_SFMT4253_ARRAY_SIZE * 2)` times.

### See Also

`SceSfmt4253Context`, `sceSfmt4253InitGenRand()`, `sceSfmt4253InitByArray()`