

# **libsfmt86243 Overview**

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# 1 Library Overview

## Overview

The SIMD-oriented Fast Mersenne Twister library (libsfmt86243) is used for generating pseudo random numbers in conformance with SMFT86243.

## Related Files

The following files are required to use libsfmt86243.

Filename	Description
libsfmt86243.h	Header file
libSceSfmt86243.a	Static link library file
libSceSfmt86243_stub.a	Stub library file
libSceSfmt86243_stub_weak.a	weak import stub library file
libsfmt86243.suprx	PRX module file

## 2 Using the Library

### Basic Usage Procedure

#### (1) Initialize random number sequence

Call `sceSfmt86243InitGenRand()` to initialize the random number sequence.

```
SceSfmt86243Context ctx;  
  
sceSfmt86243InitGenRand(&ctx, seed);
```

A 32-bit seed value is passed in the *seed* argument. This value is used to initialize the random number sequence and initialize the state of the `SceSfmt86243Context` structure. Subsequently, pseudo random numbers can be obtained by calling the `sceSfmt86243GenRand32()` function.

#### (2) Obtain random number

The `sceSfmt86243GenRand32()` function is used to generate a pseudo random number.

```
res = sceSfmt86243GenRand32(&ctx);
```

When the `sceSfmt86243GenRand32()` function is called, a pointer to the `SceSfmt86243Context` structure that was previously initialized by the `sceSfmt86243InitGenRand()` function, is passed as the argument. Since `libsfmt86243` does not maintain any state internally, an arbitrary number of random number sequences can be generated by preparing multiple `SceSfmt86243Context` structures.

### Saving and Getting a Random Number Sequence

If the contents of the `SceSfmt86243Context` structure are saved in advance, the random number sequence can be replayed later.