

1. Consider the expectation $I = E[\exp(\sqrt{U})]$ where, $U \sim U(0, 1)$. Use the following antithetic method to approximate I :

$$\hat{I}_M = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i=1}^{M/2} \hat{Y}_i \text{ where } \hat{Y}_i = \frac{\exp(\sqrt{U_i}) + \exp(\sqrt{1 - U_i})}{2} \text{ with } U_i \sim U(0, 1).$$

Take the values of M to be $10^2, 10^3, 10^4$ and 10^5 . Determine the 95% confidence interval for I_M for all the four values of M that you have taken.

2. Present the results that you have obtained in Question 1 of Lab 06 and Question 1 of Lab 07 in a tabular form. Your table must consist of the values of \hat{I}_M (using two methods), 95% confidence intervals for I (from two methods), and the ratio of widths of both the intervals. How do the values of I_M and \hat{I}_M compare with the actual value of I ?
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