

$f \bmod (a, b) \rightarrow \text{Remainder of } \frac{a}{b}$

Rejection Algorithm

A) sampling from truncated distn. / - dist = d = m

Suppose $X \sim f(x)$, $x \in A$, and sampling from f is known.

To draw iid obs. from the truncated dist.

$f(x) | x \in B$ where $B \subseteq A$.

Algorithm

1. Draw a dist. x from $f(x)$.
2. If $x \in B$, accept it ~~and~~ as an obs. from $f(x) | x \in B$
3. If $x \notin B$ repeat the procedure by taking one more obs. from $f(x)$.

Justification

Suppose $X \sim f(x)$, $n \geq 1$.
 Define $N = \min \{n \geq 1 : X_n \in B\}$

When $X_N \sim f(x | x \in B)$

Proof: $P(X_N \leq x) = P(X_N \in A), A = (-\infty, x], 1 \leq x$

$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(X_n \in A, N = n)$

$\therefore P(A) = \sum P(A \cap B_i)$

$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P(X_1 \notin B, X_2 \notin B, \dots, X_{n-1} \notin B,$