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### Q1.

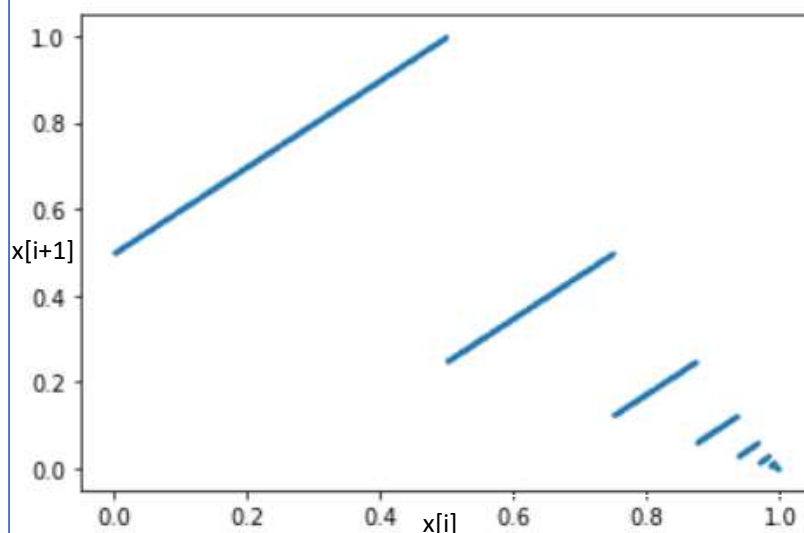
The first 25 values of the Van der Corput sequence are:

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x0 : 0
x1 : 0.5
x2 : 0.25
x3 : 0.75
x4 : 0.125
x5 : 0.625
x6 : 0.375
x7 : 0.875
x8 : 0.0625
x9 : 0.5625
x10 : 0.3125
x11 : 0.8125
x12 : 0.1875
x13 : 0.6875
x14 : 0.4375
x15 : 0.9375
x16 : 0.03125
x17 : 0.53125
x18 : 0.28125
x19 : 0.78125
x20 : 0.15625
x21 : 0.65625
x22 : 0.40625
x23 : 0.90625
x24 : 0.09375
x25 : 0.59375
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The left screenshot shows the initial 26 values (including **0**) of the Van Der Corput sequence using the radical inverse function  $\mathbf{x_i} = \phi_2(\mathbf{i})$ . The generation of the Van Der Corput sequence has been implemented in the **gen\_vander\_corrupt\_seq()** function in the code.

The below screenshot shows the pattern of  $(\mathbf{x[i]}, \mathbf{x[i+1]})$  of the Van Der Corput sequence. The scatter plot displays a series of line segments with **slope 1** and decreasing lengths. The line segments seem to converge to the point **(1,0)**. The plot is not random, and noticeable linear dependency is observed.

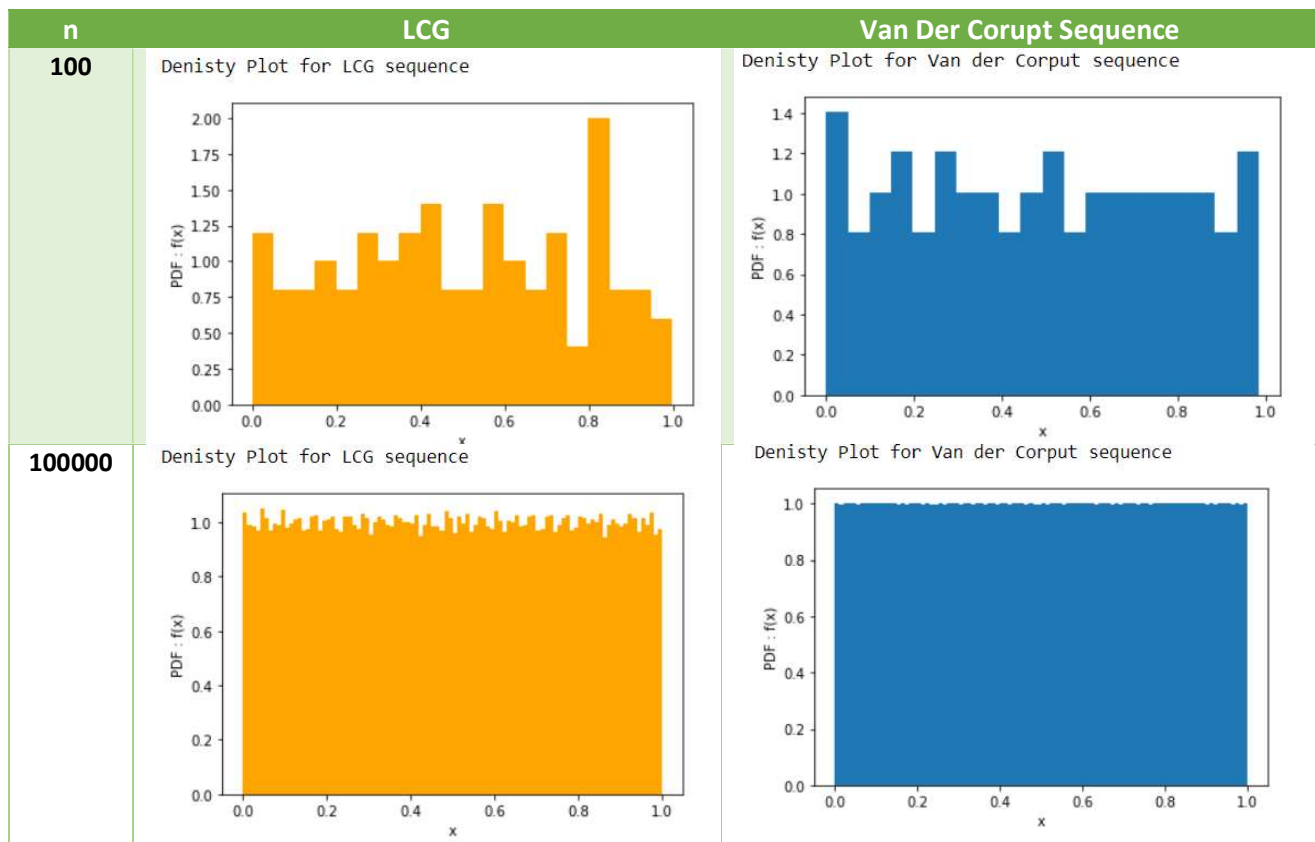
Plot of  $(\mathbf{x[i]}, \mathbf{x[i+1]})$  for first 1000 values of the Van der Corput sequence



Details of LCG used:

Details for LCG : Linear Congruent Generator  
 $a = 1597$  ,  $b = 51749$  ,  $m = 244944$  ,  $x_0 = 1$

Comparison of density plots of **LCG** and **Van Der Corrupt** Sequence for  $n = 100$  and  $n = 100000$  is as follows:

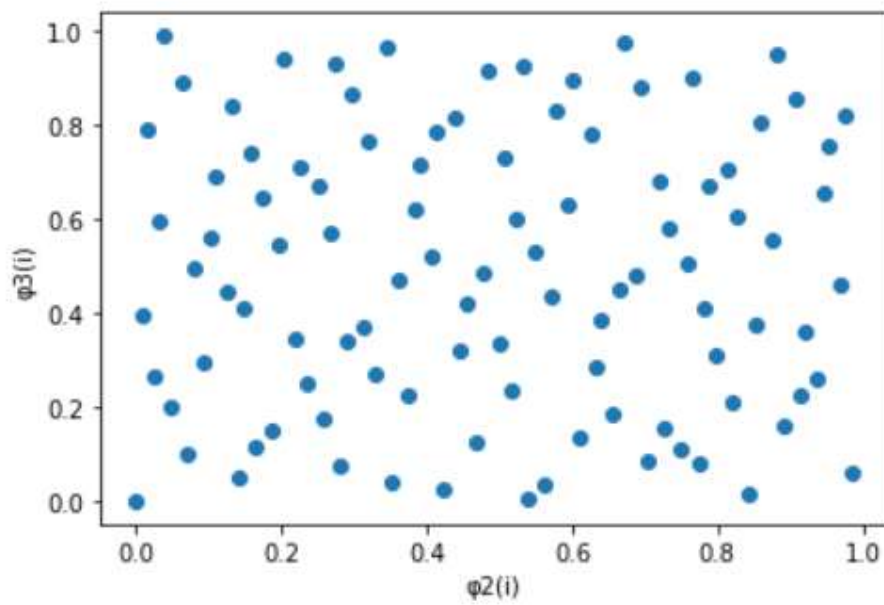


It can be observed that for  $n = 100$ , the **Van der Corrupt Sequence** and the **LCG** sequence somewhat mimic uniformity. But **100** is a very less value to judge the uniformity of a sequence. For  $n = 100000$ , both the sequence strongly displays strong signs of uniformity. In fact, **Van der corrupt** sequence mimics uniformity better than the **LCG** itself.

**Q2.**

Firstly, first **100** values of the **Halton Sequence**  $x_i = (\phi_2(i), \phi_3(i))$  were generated. A 2D plot was created using python matplotlib module of python. Similarly, first **100000** values of the **Halton Sequence**  $x_i = (\phi_2(i), \phi_3(i))$  was then generated. It was also plotted out. The plots are shown in the next page. For  $n = 100$ , the plot is very less dense, and the points are scattered out without any specific pattern. The points are spread out haphazardly on the  $1 \times 1$  square in the 2D plane. For  $n = 100000$ , points fill the entire  $1 \times 1$  square on the 2D plane. This shows that for larger values of  $n$ , Halton sequence mimics uniformity strongly, making it a great sequence for generating random numbers.

2-D plot for the Halton Sequence (100 numbers)



2-D plot for the Halton Sequence (100000 numbers)

