POIS ASSIGNMENT 1

TASK 1

BUILD A PROVABLY SECURE PRG (PSEUDO-RANDOM NUMBER GENERATOR)

CODE EXPLANATION

G: Function (the PRG itself) that, given a k bit-string in input, outputs a l(k) bit-string and no randomized algorithm can say if the string produced is generated by a real random source or not

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def func_g(init_seed):
bstring = init_seed # binary_string
ans=""
l = func_l(seed_size)
for i in range(l):
    x=int(len(bstring)/2)
    first , second = bstring[:x] , bstring[x:]
    bstring = func_h(first, second)
    ans= ans+bstring[-1]
    bstring = bstring[:-1]
return ans
```

H: Function that helps to find those pseudorandom bit. Since the input of H is a bit string that will be split into two halves, the length of the initial seed must be even.

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def func_h(first_half,second_half):
mod_exp_bin = bin(pow(gen, int(first_half, 2),mod))
mod_exp_final = mod_exp_bin.replace('0b', '').zfill(seed_size)
hcb = 0 #hcb
l = len(first_half)
for i in range(l):
    anding = int(first_half[i]) & int(second_half[i])
    x = hcb^anding
    hcb=x%2
return mod_exp_final + second_half + str(hcb)
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L : Function can be any polynomial function. Used the modular exponentiation as one-way permutation : $l(k) = k^2-2k+1$.

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func_l=lambda x: x**2 - 2*x + 1
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Assumptions : Assumed the generator g = 2.

The only argument taken is the initial seed that must be a binary string and longer no more than the value of the variable SEED SIZE.

OUTPUT:

