1.   Intro.   Given the values of k, m, n, and a random seed, this little program outputs m uniformly random k-element clauses on n Boolean variables, in the format that my SAT solvers accept. Each clause consists of exactly k literals involving k distinct variables.

More precisely, each of the m clauses is generated by choosing uniformly at random from among the $2^k \binom{n}{k}$ possible clauses. It is possible to generate the same clause more than once, although repetitions are unlikely unless $2^k \binom{n}{k}$ is fairly small or m is fairly large.

(By uniformly random, I mean to within the limits of my 31-bit random number generator.)

The programs SAT-RAND and SAT-RAND-REP-REP, which respectively restrict repetitions more severely and less severely, can be used for comparison.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include "gb_flip.h"
```
  int k, m, n, $seed$;   /∗ command-line parameters ∗/

  $main(\textbf{int}\ argc, \textbf{char}\ *argv[\,])$
  {
    register int i, j, t, ii, kk, nn;

    ⟨ Process the command line 2 ⟩;
    $printf("\texttt{\~\ sat-rand-rep\ \%d\ \%d\ \%d\ \%d\textbackslash n}", k, m, n, seed)$;
    for ($j = 0$; $j < m$; j++) ⟨ Generate the jth clause 3 ⟩;
  }

2.   ⟨ Process the command line 2 ⟩ ≡
  if $(argc \neq 5 \vee sscanf(argv[1], "\texttt{\%d}", \&k) \neq 1 \vee sscanf(argv[2], "\texttt{\%d}", \&m) \neq 1 \vee sscanf(argv[3], "\texttt{\%d}",$
        $\&n) \neq 1 \vee sscanf(argv[4], "\texttt{\%d}", \&seed) \neq 1)$ {
    $fprintf(stderr, "\texttt{Usage:\ \%s\ k\ m\ n\ seed\textbackslash n}", argv[0])$;
    $exit(-1)$;
  }
  if $(k \leq 0)$ {
    $fprintf(stderr, "\texttt{k\ must\ be\ positive!\textbackslash n}")$;
    $exit(-2)$;
  }
  if $(m \leq 0)$ {
    $fprintf(stderr, "\texttt{m\ must\ be\ positive!\textbackslash n}")$;
    $exit(-3)$;
  }
  if $(n \leq 0 \vee n \geq 100000000)$ {
    $fprintf(stderr, "\texttt{n\ must\ be\ between\ 1\ and\ 99999999,\ inclusive!\textbackslash n}")$;
    $exit(-4)$;
  }
  if $(k > n)$ {
    $fprintf(stderr, "\texttt{k\ mustn't\ exceed\ n!\textbackslash n}")$;
    $exit(-5)$;
  }
  $gb\_init\_rand(seed)$;

This code is used in section 1.

3.   The method of exercise 3.4.2–8(c) is used to generate a random combination of k things from n. (But I changed min to max.)

$\langle$ Generate the jth clause $3 \rangle \equiv$

```
{
    for (kk = k, nn = n;  kk;  kk −−, nn = ii) {
        ⟨Set ii to the largest in a random kk out of nn  4⟩;
        printf ("␣%s%d", gb_next_rand( ) & 1 ? "~" : "", ii);
    }
    printf ("\n");
}
```

This code is used in section 1.

4. $\langle$ Set ii to the largest in a random kk out of nn $4 \rangle \equiv$

```
    for (ii = i = 0;  i < kk;  i++) {
        t = i + gb_unif_rand (nn − i);
        if (t > ii)  ii = t;
    }
```

This code is used in section 3.

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