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#	Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)	Related Question (s)	Points	Final Score
1	To know the basics of pseudo random generation and apply different methods of random generation techniques	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
2	Chose and fit theoretical distribution on collected data	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
3	Define and compute performance measures from simulation models	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
4	Recognize and analyze simple models and its main elements for simulation	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
5	Understanding how to use computer software (ECXEL) for simulation models	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
6	use appropriate statistical techniques to analyze and evaluate outputs of simulation models	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
7	Generate random variates from different probability functions and directly from collected data	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
8	build simple simulation models of real-life problems	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	

### Question #1: (15 point)

A continuous random variable (X) ranges from -3 to 4 is defined by the following CDF:

$$F(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \leq -3 \\ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{x}{6}, & -3 < x \leq 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{x^2}{32}, & 0 < x \leq 4 \\ 1, & x > 4 \end{cases}$$

- (1) Write the inverse transform for this random variable.
- (2) Let (X) be the percentage of change in a week for a given share. Given that the closing price of this week for this share is 123 SR write the closing price for this share for the next 8 weeks. (use the table below)
- (3) From the simulated date, what is the probability of closing with increase.

Week #	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
U1	0.353	0.034	0.672	0.622	0.408	0.218	0.889	0.643	
U2	0.962	0.981	0.781	0.313	0.600	0.910	0.808	0.632	
%-change	<b>-0.88</b>	<b>-2.80</b>	<b>2.35</b>	<b>1.98</b>	<b>-0.55</b>	<b>-1.69</b>	<b>3.53</b>	<b>2.14</b>	
Closing Price	<b>121.92</b>	<b>119.56</b>	<b>125.89</b>	<b>125.43</b>	<b>122.32</b>	<b>120.92</b>	<b>127.34</b>	<b>125.63</b>	

(1) Inverse transform: let  $R \sim U[0,1]$

$$X = \begin{cases} 6(R - 1/2) & 0 \leq R \leq 1/2 \\ \sqrt{32(R - 1/2)} & 1/2 \leq R \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

(2) Closing Price: Let X = be the percentage of change in a week for a given share  
Closing Price of week (n) is CP(n) Closing Price of week (n)

$$CP(n) = CP(n) + X CP(n-1)/100$$

(3) probability of closing with increase = 4/8=1/2

## Question #2: (15 point)

Consider a continuous random variable X with the following pdf

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} e^{2x}, & -\infty < x \leq 0 \\ e^{-2x}, & 0 < x < \infty \end{cases}$$

- (1) Derive the inverse transform to generate random values for X and apply it for Table(1)
- (2) Use acceptance/rejection method to generate random values for X and apply it for Table(2) assuming that  $x \in [-7, 7]$

**Table (1)**

Week #	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
U1	0.570	0.462	0.055	0.571	0.062	0.760	0.701	0.493	0.082	0.261
U2	0.826	0.127	0.318	0.106	0.850	0.830	0.714	0.429	0.079	0.816
X	0.075	-0.040	-1.104	0.077	-1.044	0.367	0.257	-0.007	-0.904	-0.325

**Table (2)**

Week #	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
U1	0.57	0.462	0.055	0.571	0.062	0.76	0.701	0.493	0.082	0.261
U2	0.826	0.127	0.318	0.106	0.85	0.83	0.714	0.429	0.079	0.816
W	0.98	-0.532	-6.23	0.994	-6.132	3.64	2.814	-0.098	-5.852	-3.346
f(W)	0.141	0.345	0.000	0.137	0.0000	0.001	0.004	0.822	0.000	0.001
A/R	R	A	R	A	R	R	R	A	R	R
X	Repeat	-0.532	Repeat	0.994	Repeat	Repeat	Repeat	-0.098	Repeat	Repeat

Step 1. CDF:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{if } x \leq 0 \rightarrow F(x) &= \int_{-\infty}^x e^{-2y} dy = \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \\ \text{if } x > 0 \rightarrow F(x) &= \frac{1}{2} + \int_{-\infty}^x e^{2y} dy = \frac{1}{2} (1 - e^{-2x}) \end{aligned}$$

Step 2. Inverse CDF:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{if } x \leq 0 \rightarrow u = \frac{1}{2} e^{2x} \rightarrow X &= \frac{1}{2} \ln(2u) \quad \text{with } 0 \leq u \leq 0.5 \\ \text{if } x > 0 \rightarrow u = \frac{1}{2} (1 - e^{-2x}) \rightarrow X &= -\frac{1}{2} \ln(2 - 2u) \quad \text{with } 0.5 \leq u \leq 1 \end{aligned}$$

Acceptance/Rejection for  $X \in [-7, 7]$

$$g(x) = \max f(x) = 1$$

$$c = 14$$

$$W(x) = g(x) / 14 \rightarrow W = -7 + 14u$$

### Algorithm

1. Generate  $u_1$
2. compute  $W = -7 + 14u_1$
3. evaluate  $f(W)$  and  $g(W) = 1$
4. choose  $u_2$  and test if  $f(W) > u_2 \rightarrow$  Accept  $W \sim f$
5. Else repeat (1)

### Question #3: (15 point)

A machine is taken out of production (turn off the machine) either if it fails or after 5 hours shift of continuous operation, whichever comes first. From past data, it has found that the machine can operate without failure for a random amount of time (X) following a Weibull distribution with parameters  $\alpha = 0.75$  and  $\beta = 8$ :

$$f(x) = \frac{\alpha}{\beta^\alpha} x^{\alpha-1} e^{-(x/\beta)^\alpha}$$

Thus, the time until the machine is taken out of production can be represented as  $Y = \min(X, 5)$ .

- (1) Write a step-by-step procedure for generating Y.
- (2) Use your answer in (1) to apply on the following uniform numbers.
- (3) What is the probability that the machine operates the shift without failure.
- (4) What is the average machine operation time per shift.

Week #	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
U1	0.201	0.417	0.797	0.316	0.042	0.190	0.697	0.083	0.867	0.354
X	<b>1.091</b>	<b>3.514</b>	<b>14.903</b>	<b>2.200</b>	<b>0.120</b>	<b>1.003</b>	<b>10.134</b>	<b>0.307</b>	<b>20.393</b>	<b>2.653</b>
Y	<b>1.091</b>	<b>3.514</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2.200</b>	<b>0.120</b>	<b>1.003</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0.307</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2.653</b>

Inverse  $X = 8 (-\ln(1-u))^{4/3}$

Algorithm:

1. Get a uniform  $u \sim U[0,1]$
2. Compute  $X = 8 (-\ln(1-u))^{4/3}$
3. If  $X \leq 5 \rightarrow Y = X$
4. Else if  $X > 5 \rightarrow Y = 5$

probability that the machine operates the shift without failure =  $3/10 = 0.3$

average machine operation time per shift =  $\Sigma Y/10 = 25.887/10 = 2.5$  hours

### Question #4: (15 point)

Students arrive at a self-service cafeteria at the rate of one every  $30 \pm 20$  [10,50] seconds. It is estimated that 40% of students go to the sandwich bar, where every student prepares has own sandwich in  $60 \pm 30$  [30,90] seconds. The rest go to the main counter, where one server spoons the prepared meal onto a plate in  $45 \pm 30$  [15,75] seconds. All students take their seats in the cafeteria and spend  $20 \pm 10$  [10,30] minutes eating. After eating, 10% of the students go back for dessert, and return to their table to spend an additional  $10 \pm 2$  [8,12] minutes in the cafeteria.

1. Simulate until 10 people have left the cafeteria using the following table of U[0,1] numbers.
2. At the final simulation time, estimate the following from the simulation data:
  - a. How many students are still in the cafeteria
  - b. What percentage of students at the sandwich bar.
  - c. What percentage of students at the main course counter.
  - d. What percentage of students on tables
  - e. What percentage of students take dessert.
3. From the simulation data, what is the average time that a student who gets a sandwich spends in the cafeteria until he leaves after finishing his entire meal.

1. RP#1: Time between arrivals  $\sim [10,50]$  seconds  $\rightarrow TB(i) = 10 + [41u]$ ,  $AT(i) = AT(i-1) + TB(i)$
2. RP#2: Choose sandwich SB/ Sandwich/Main Course MC: if  $u < 0.4 \rightarrow SB$  Else MC
3. RP#3: Sandwich Time SBT(n)  $\sim [30,90]$  seconds.  $\rightarrow TB(i) = 30 + [61u]$  seconds
4. RP#4: Main Course Time MCT(n)  $\sim [15,75]$   $\rightarrow MCT(i) = 15 + [61u]$  seconds
5. RP#5: Eating Time ET(n)  $\sim [10,30]$  minutes  $ET(n) = 10 + [21u]$  minutes
6. RP#6: Desert YD/ND: if  $u < 0.1 \rightarrow YD$  Else ND
7. RP#7: Eating Desert Time EDT(n)  $\sim [8,12]$  minutes :  $EDT(n) = 8 + [5u]$  minutes

	Arrival Time AT(n)		Sandwich/M ain Course SB/MC	Sandwich Time SBT(n)	Main Course Time MCT(n)	Eating Time ET(n)	Desert YD/ND	Eating Desert Time EDT(n)	Exit Time min
Std 1	0.454		0.516	0.922	0.405	0.965	0.686	0.623	0.327
	<b>28</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>MC</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30.1</b>
Std 2	0.046		0.239	0.356	0.686	0.577	0.234	0.439	0.588
	<b>39</b>	<b>0.65</b>	<b>SB</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22.5</b>
Std 3	0.024		0.034	0.134	0.534	0.648	0.244	0.525	0.34
	<b>49</b>	<b>0.82</b>	<b>SB</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23.5</b>
Std 4	0.162		0.032	0.224	0.209	0.441	0.493	0.85	0.607
	<b>65</b>	<b>1.08</b>	<b>SB</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>19.8</b>
Std 5	0.359		0.946	0.607	0.42	0.058	0.197	0.336	0.353
	<b>89</b>	<b>1.48</b>	<b>MC</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13.2</b>
Std 6	0.908		0.385	0.181	0.683	0.067	0.856	0.736	0.328
	<b>135</b>	<b>2.25</b>	<b>SB</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13.9</b>
Std 7	0.287		0.537	0.196	0.087	0.297	0.772	0.564	0.633
	<b>156</b>	<b>2.60</b>	<b>MC</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17.9</b>
Std 8	0.98		0.383	0.485	0.909	0.061	0.201	0.356	0.361
	<b>205</b>	<b>3.42</b>	<b>SB</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15.4</b>
Std 9	0.253		0.671	0.545	0.765	0.651	0.03	0.839	0.546
	<b>225</b>	<b>3.75</b>	<b>MC</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>YD</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>27.9</b>
Std 10	0.16		0.498	0.09	0.432	0.187	0.588	0.248	0.954
	<b>241</b>	<b>4.02</b>	<b>MC</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17.7</b>



**Number of students are still in the cafeteria = 10**

**Percentage students at the sandwich bar =  $5/10 = 0.5$**

**Percentage students at the main course counter =  $5/10 = 0.5$**

**Percentage of students on tables =  $10/10 = 1$**

**Percentage of students take dessert =  $1/10$**

**Average time a student with sandwich spends in the cafeteria**

**= (total time for prep + Total eating time) / 5**

**=  $[(51+38+43+40+59)+60*(21+22+18+11+11)]/5 = 5211/5 = 1042.2 \text{ Sec} = 17.4 \text{ min}$**



### Question #5: (20 point)

A traffic department of a small city wants to simulate the occurrence time for the accident in an intersection using some different choices of distributions to estimate the number of accidents per month (30 days). Use the following  $U(0,1)$  numbers to compute the simulation under the following assumptions.

1. Estimate the number of accidents in the 1<sup>st</sup> month assuming the time between accident is a *truncated* exponential distribution with between (2 and 10) and mean 4 days
2. Estimate the number of accidents in the 1<sup>st</sup> month assuming the time between accident is Erlang distribution with parameters  $k = 3$  and  $\lambda = 0.75$ .
3. Estimate the number of accidents in the 1<sup>st</sup> month assuming the time between accident is negative binomial (R.V.  $X$  be number of trials until success) with parameters  $k = 3$  and  $p(\text{success}) = 0.65$ .

		truncExp (2 and 10)	Day
1	0.737	6.06	6.06
2	0.293	3.17	9.22
3	0.136	2.50	11.73
4	0.848	7.29	19.01
5	0.692	5.65	24.66
6	0.727	5.96	30.62
7	0.116	2.42	33.04

$$W = ((F(10) - F(2))u + F(2))$$

$$F(10) = 1 - e^{-\frac{10}{4}} = 0.917$$

$$F(2) = 1 - e^{-\frac{2}{4}} = 0.393$$

$$W = ((0.917 - 0.393)u + 0.393)$$

$$W = 0.524u + 0.393$$

$$F^{-1}(w) = -\ln(1-w)$$

		Exp(0.75)	Er(3,0.75)	Day	Acc#
1	0.737	1.78			
2	0.293	0.46			
3	0.136	0.19	2.44	2.44	1
4	0.848	2.51			
5	0.692	1.57			
6	0.727	1.73	5.81	8.25	2
7	0.116	0.16			
8	0.074	0.10			
9	0.262	0.41	0.67	8.92	3
10	0.385	0.65			
11	0.317	0.51			
12	0.923	3.42	4.58	13.50	4
13	0.057	0.08			
14	0.441	0.78			
15	0.454	0.81	1.66	15.16	5
16	0.346	0.57			
17	0.024	0.03			
18	0.162	0.24	0.83	15.99	6
19	0.359	0.59			
20	0.908	3.18			
21	0.287	0.45	4.23	20.22	7
22	0.98	5.22			
23	0.253	0.39			
24	0.16	0.23	5.84	26.06	8



25	0.815	2.25			
26	0.5	0.92			
27	0.872	2.74	5.92	31.97	NO

		Geo 0.65	NegBin (3,0.65)	Day	Acc#
1	0.737	1			
2	0.293	0			
3	0.136	0	1	1	1
4	0.848	1			
5	0.692	1			
6	0.727	1	3	4	2
7	0.116	0			
8	0.074	0			
9	0.262	0	0	4	3
10	0.385	0			
11	0.317	0			
12	0.923	2	2	6	4
13	0.057	0			
14	0.441	0			
15	0.454	0	0	6	5
16	0.346	0			
17	0.024	0			
18	0.162	0	0	6	6
19	0.359	0			
20	0.908	2			
21	0.287	0	2	8	7
22	0.98	3			
23	0.253	0			
24	0.16	0	3	11	8
25	0.815	1			
26	0.5	0			
27	0.872	1	2	13	9
28	0.99	4			
29	0.516	0			
30	0.239	0	4	17	

		Ber(0.65)	Geo(0.75)	Neg	Day	Acc#
1	0.737	0				
2	0.293	1	2			
3	0.136	1	1			
4	0.848	0				
5	0.692	0				
6	0.727	0				
7	0.116	1	4	7	7	1
8	0.074	1	1			
9	0.262	1	1			
10	0.385	1	1	3	10	2
11	0.317	1	1			
12	0.923	0				
13	0.057	1	2			
14	0.441	1	1	4	14	3
15	0.454	1	1			
16	0.346	1	1			
17	0.024	1	1	3	17	4
18	0.162	1	1			
19	0.359	1	1			
20	0.908	0				
21	0.287	1	2	4	21	5
22	0.98	0				
23	0.253	1	2			
24	0.16	1	1			
25	0.815	0				
26	0.5	1	2	5	26	6
27	0.872	0				
28	0.993	0				
29	0.516	1	3			
30	0.239	1	1			
31	0.034	1	1	5	31	No

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**14 accidents**