

Stinson textbook

Definition 8.1: Let k, ℓ be positive integers such that $\ell \geq k + 1$. A (k, ℓ) -bit generator is a function $f : (\mathbb{Z}_2)^k \rightarrow (\mathbb{Z}_2)^\ell$ that can be computed in polynomial time (as a function of k). The input $s_0 \in (\mathbb{Z}_2)^k$ is called the *seed*, and the output $f(s_0) \in (\mathbb{Z}_2)^\ell$ is called the *generated bitstring*. It will always be required that f is a polynomial function of k .

wanted: fast - simulation S
uniform - Monte Carlo
unpredictable - keys

Algorithm 8.1: Linear Congruential Generator

Suppose $M \geq 2$ is an integer and suppose $1 \leq a, b \leq M - 1$. Define $k = 1 + \lfloor \log_2 M \rfloor$ and let $k + 1 \leq \ell \leq M - 1$.

The seed is an integer s_0 , where $0 \leq s_0 \leq M - 1$. (Observe that the binary representation of a seed is a bitstring of length not exceeding k ; however, not all bitstrings of length k are permissible seeds.) Now, define

$$s_i = (as_{i-1} + b) \bmod M$$

for $1 \leq i \leq \ell$, and then define

$$f(s_0) = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_\ell),$$

where

$$z_i = s_i \bmod 2,$$

$1 \leq i \leq \ell$. Then f is a (k, ℓ) -Linear Congruential Generator.

LFSR
merging LFSRs

fast/uniform

TABLE 8.1
Bitstrings produced by the linear congruential generator

seed	sequence	seed	sequence
0	1010001101	16	0110100110
1	0100110101	17	1001011010
2	1101010001	18	0101101010
3	0001101001	19	0101000110
4	1100101101	20	1000110100
5	0100011010	21	0100011001
6	1000110010	22	1101001101
7	0101000110	23	0001100101
8	1001101010	24	1101010001
9	1010011010	25	0010110101
10	0110010110	26	1010001100
11	1010100011	27	0110101000
12	0011001011	28	1011010100
13	1111111111	29	0011010100
14	0011010011	30	0110101000
15	1010100011		

$$a = 3$$

$$b = 5$$

$$M = 31$$

$$5 \rightarrow 10 \text{ bits}$$

Algorithm 8.2: RSA Generator

Suppose p, q are two $(k/2)$ -bit primes, and define $n = pq$. Suppose b is chosen such that $\gcd(b, \phi(n)) = 1$. As always, n and b are public while p and q are secret.

A seed s_0 is any element of \mathbf{Z}_n^* , so s_0 has k bits. For $i \geq 1$, define

$$s_{i+1} = s_i^b \pmod n,$$

and then define

$$f(s_0) = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_\ell),$$

where

$$z_i = s_i \pmod 2,$$

$1 \leq i \leq \ell$. Then f is a (k, ℓ) -RSA Generator.

*slow
unpredictable*

TABLE 8.2
Bits produced by the RSA Generator

i	s_i	z_i
0	75634	1
1	31483	0
2	31238	0
3	51968	0
4	39796	0
5	28716	0
6	14089	1
7	5923	1
8	44891	1
9	62284	0
10	11889	1
11	43467	1
12	71215	1
13	10401	1
14	77444	0
15	56794	0
16	78147	1
17	72137	1
18	89592	0
19	29022	0
20	13356	0

$$n = 91261$$

$$= 263 * 347$$

$$b = 1547$$

$$s_0 = 75634$$

Algorithm 8.5: Blum-Blum-Shub Generator

Let p, q be two $(k/2)$ -bit primes such that $p \equiv q \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$, and define $n = pq$. Let $\mathbf{QR}(n)$ denote the set of quadratic residues modulo n .

A seed s_0 is any element of $\mathbf{QR}(n)$. For $0 \leq i \leq \ell - 1$, define

$$s_{i+1} = s_i^2 \pmod{n},$$

and then define

$$f(s_0) = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_\ell),$$

where

$$z_i = s_i \pmod{2},$$

$1 \leq i \leq \ell$. Then f is a (k, ℓ) -PRBG, called the Blum-Blum-Shub Generator, which we abbreviate to BBS Generator.

One way to choose an appropriate seed is to select an element $s_{-1} \in \mathbb{Z}_n^*$ and compute $s_0 = s_{-1}^2 \pmod{n}$. This ensures that $s_0 \in \mathbf{QR}(n)$.

Some claim! can use $\log_2 n$ bits from each iteration

Algorithm 8.8: *Discrete Logarithm Generator*

Let p be a k -bit prime, and let α be a primitive element modulo p .

A seed x_0 is any element of \mathbb{Z}_p^* . For $i \geq 0$, define

$$x_{i+1} = \alpha^{x_i} \text{ mod } p,$$

and then define

$$f(x_0) = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_\ell),$$

where

$$z_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x_i > p/2 \\ 0 & \text{if } x_i < p/2. \end{cases}$$

Then f is called a (k, ℓ) -Discrete Logarithm Generator.

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5.11 Algorithm ANSI X9.17 pseudorandom bit generator

INPUT: a random (and secret) 64-bit seed s , integer m , and DES E-D-E encryption key k .

OUTPUT: m pseudorandom 64-bit strings x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m .

1. Compute the intermediate value $I = E_k(D)$, where D is a 64-bit representation of the date/time to as fine a resolution as is available.
 2. For i from 1 to m do the following:
 - 2.1 $x_i \leftarrow E_k(I \oplus s)$.
 - 2.2 $s \leftarrow E_k(x_i \oplus I)$.
 3. Return(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m).
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5.15 Algorithm FIPS 186 one-way function using SHA-1

INPUT: a 160-bit string t and a b -bit string c , $160 \leq b \leq 512$.

OUTPUT: a 160-bit string denoted $G(t, c)$.

1. Break up t into five 32-bit blocks: $t = H_1 \| H_2 \| H_3 \| H_4 \| H_5$.
 2. Pad c with 0's to obtain a 512-bit message block: $X \leftarrow c \| 0^{512-b}$.
 3. Divide X into 16 32-bit words: $x_0 x_1 \dots x_{15}$, and set $m \leftarrow 1$.
 4. Execute step 4 of SHA-1 (Algorithm 9.53). (This alters the H_i 's.)
 5. The output is the concatenation: $G(t, c) = H_1 \| H_2 \| H_3 \| H_4 \| H_5$.
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5.16 Algorithm FIPS 186 one-way function using DES

INPUT: two 160-bit strings t and c .

OUTPUT: a 160-bit string denoted $G(t, c)$.

1. Break up t into five 32-bit blocks: $t = t_0 \| t_1 \| t_2 \| t_3 \| t_4$.
 2. Break up c into five 32-bit blocks: $c = c_0 \| c_1 \| c_2 \| c_3 \| c_4$.
 3. For i from 0 to 4 do the following: $x_i \leftarrow t_i \oplus c_i$.
 4. For i from 0 to 4 do the following:
 - 4.1 $b_1 \leftarrow c_{(i+4) \bmod 5}$, $b_2 \leftarrow c_{(i+3) \bmod 5}$.
 - 4.2 $a_1 \leftarrow x_i$, $a_2 \leftarrow x_{(i+1) \bmod 5} \oplus x_{(i+4) \bmod 5}$.
 - 4.3 $A \leftarrow a_1 \| a_2$, $B \leftarrow b'_1 \| b_2$, where b'_1 denotes the 24 least significant bits of b_1 .
 - 4.4 Use DES with key B to encrypt A : $y_i \leftarrow \text{DES}_B(A)$.
 - 4.5 Break up y_i into two 32-bit blocks: $y_i = L_i \| R_i$.
 5. For i from 0 to 4 do the following: $z_i \leftarrow L_i \oplus R_{(i+2) \bmod 5} \oplus L_{(i+3) \bmod 5}$.
 6. The output is the concatenation: $G(t, c) = z_0 \| z_1 \| z_2 \| z_3 \| z_4$.
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5.12 Algorithm FIPS 186 pseudorandom number generator for DSA private keys

INPUT: an integer m and a 160-bit prime number q .

OUTPUT: m pseudorandom numbers a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m in the interval $[0, q - 1]$ which may be used as DSA private keys.

1. If Algorithm 5.15 is to be used in step 4.3 then select an arbitrary integer b , $160 \leq b \leq 512$; if Algorithm 5.16 is to be used then set $b \leftarrow 160$.
 2. Generate a random (and secret) b -bit seed s .
 3. Define the 160-bit string $t = 67452301\text{efcdab89}\ 98badcfe\ 10325476\ c3d2e1f0$ (in hexadecimal).
 4. For i from 1 to m do the following:
 - 4.1 (optional user input) Either select a b -bit string y_i , or set $y_i \leftarrow 0$.
 - 4.2 $z_i \leftarrow (s + y_i) \bmod 2^b$.
 - 4.3 $a_i \leftarrow G(t, z_i) \bmod q$. (G is either that defined in Algorithm 5.15 or 5.16.)
 - 4.4 $s \leftarrow (1 + s + a_i) \bmod 2^b$.
 5. Return(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m).
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5.14 Algorithm FIPS 186 pseudorandom number generator for DSA per-message secrets

INPUT: an integer m and a 160-bit prime number q .

OUTPUT: m pseudorandom numbers k_1, k_2, \dots, k_m in the interval $[0, q - 1]$ which may be used as the per-message secret numbers k in the DSA.

1. If Algorithm 5.15 is to be used in step 4.1 then select an integer b , $160 \leq b \leq 512$;
if Algorithm 5.16 is to be used then set $b \leftarrow 160$.
 2. Generate a random (and secret) b -bit seed s .
 3. Define the 160-bit string $t = \text{efcdab89 98badcfe 10325476 c3d2e1f0 67452301}$ (in hexadecimal).
 4. For i from 1 to m do the following:
 - 4.1 $k_i \leftarrow G(t, s) \bmod q$. (G is either that defined in Algorithm 5.15 or 5.16.)
 - 4.2 $s \leftarrow (1 + s + k_i) \bmod 2^b$.
 5. Return(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_m).
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5.35 Algorithm RSA pseudorandom bit generator

SUMMARY: a pseudorandom bit sequence z_1, z_2, \dots, z_l of length l is generated.

1. *Setup.* Generate two secret RSA-like primes p and q (cf. Note 8.8), and compute $n = pq$ and $\phi = (p - 1)(q - 1)$. Select a random integer e , $1 < e < \phi$, such that $\gcd(e, \phi) = 1$.
 2. Select a random integer x_0 (the *seed*) in the interval $[1, n - 1]$.
 3. For i from 1 to l do the following:
 - 3.1 $x_i \leftarrow x_{i-1}^e \bmod n$.
 - 3.2 $z_i \leftarrow$ the least significant bit of x_i .
 4. The output sequence is z_1, z_2, \dots, z_l .
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5.37 Algorithm Micali-Schnorr pseudorandom bit generator

SUMMARY: a pseudorandom bit sequence is generated.

1. *Setup.* Generate two secret RSA-like primes p and q (cf. Note 8.8), and compute $n = pq$ and $\phi = (p-1)(q-1)$. Let $N = \lfloor \lg n \rfloor + 1$ (the bitlength of n). Select an integer e , $1 < e < \phi$, such that $\gcd(e, \phi) = 1$ and $80e \leq N$. Let $k = \lfloor N(1 - \frac{2}{e}) \rfloor$ and $r = N - k$.
 2. Select a random sequence x_0 (the *seed*) of bitlength r .
 3. *Generate a pseudorandom sequence of length $k \cdot l$.* For i from 1 to l do the following:
 - 3.1 $y_i \leftarrow x_{i-1}^e \bmod n$.
 - 3.2 $x_i \leftarrow$ the r most significant bits of y_i .
 - 3.3 $z_i \leftarrow$ the k least significant bits of y_i .
 4. The output sequence is $z_1 \parallel z_2 \parallel \dots \parallel z_l$, where \parallel denotes concatenation.
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5.40 Algorithm Blum-Blum-Shub pseudorandom bit generator

SUMMARY: a pseudorandom bit sequence z_1, z_2, \dots, z_l of length l is generated.

1. *Setup.* Generate two large secret random (and distinct) primes p and q (cf. Note 8.8), each congruent to 3 modulo 4, and compute $n = pq$.
 2. Select a random integer s (the *seed*) in the interval $[1, n - 1]$ such that $\gcd(s, n) = 1$, and compute $x_0 \leftarrow s^2 \pmod n$.
 3. For i from 1 to l do the following:
 - 3.1 $x_i \leftarrow x_{i-1}^2 \pmod n$.
 - 3.2 $z_i \leftarrow$ the least significant bit of x_i .
 4. The output sequence is z_1, z_2, \dots, z_l .
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