Problem - 2 (Spring 2024)

Due date: 29 February, 2024

1. a) Starting from uniform random variates, U(0, 1), generate a Gaussian distribution (with a zero mean and a variance unity) using the Box-Muller transformation, as discussed in the class.

b) Use the Central Limit theorem to obtain a Gaussian distribution from uniform random variates. Compare you results with those in (a).

c) Give a mathematical justification of the results in (b) above.

Note: You may use an external random number generator for generating uniform random variates.