Risk analysis lab 2014. 12. 01. (Monte Carlo methods I.)

1. For a given g(y) function, calculate

$$\cap AL = E(g(y)) = \sum_{y \in [0,1]^N} g(y) p(y) ,$$

$$P = P(g(y) > C) = \sum_{y \in [0,1]^N : g(y) > C} p(y) ,$$

where y is a binary vector, and the g is given as a "black-box" function (please find the binary file g.p). Try it with different lengths (N), use p=0.95 and C=0.5.

$$p(y) = \prod_{i=1}^{N} p^{y_i} (1-p)^{(1-y_i)}$$

2. Generate a random vector in the N dimensional binary space according to the following distribution: $P(\mathbf{y}) = \prod_{i=1}^{N} p^{y_i} (1-p)^{(1-y_i)}$ ($\mathbf{y} \in \{0,1\}^N$, $P(y_i=1) = p$, $P(y_i=0) = 1-p$).

function y = generateY(p, N)

Calculate the previous quantities (AL and P) with Monte Carlo sampling. Generate K samples ($Y^{(K)} = \{y_k, g(y_k), k = 1, ..., K\}$) for K = 10, K = 100 and K = 1000, then

$$\circ AL = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{\mathbf{y} \in Y} g(\mathbf{y}) ;$$

$$\circ P = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{\mathbf{y} \in Y : g(\mathbf{y}) > C} 1 .$$

function [AL, P] = calcMC(g, p, C, N, K)

Compare the mean squared error of the estimation and the running time for different values of K and N (lab8.m).