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ga has reported on what it has discovered through evaluation of client's RNG. This report is not an evaluation of the game or interactive gaming system and related processes.



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2.2 Version

Version	Description	Date
V0.1	Initial draft – MSID	2022-01-20
V1.0	QA & release – WKAS	2022-01-24



3 Executive summary

3.1 Introduction

3 Oaks Gaming has requested Gaming Associates (**ga**) to evaluate their Random Number Generator (RNG) being used in online games against Isle of Man (IoM) Gambling Supervision Commission compliance requirements listed in Schedule 1 of The Online Gambling Regulation Act 2001, The Online Gambling (System Verification) (No. 2) Regulations 2007 [1].

This report presents the results of evaluation performed by **ga** for the RNG against IoM technical standards. Hashes of source code and binary files related to the RNG are listed in [Annex B](#) : of this report.

3.2 RNG details

3 Oaks Gaming New object of Random generator creates per GS process with own seed. If process dies, new random object with random seed will be created. The algorithm used for the pRNG is Mersenne Twister generator but have os.urandom as option (On a Unix-like system, random bytes are read from the /dev/urandom device) .

3.3 Scope of evaluation

The scope of evaluation of RNG is Schedule 1 requirements of The Online Gambling Regulation Act 2001, The Online Gambling (System Verification) (No. 2) Regulations 2007. The evaluation included review of implementation of RNG, source code review, and statistical analysis of the output of RNG.

3.4 Conclusions and Recommendations

The current implementation of 3 Oaks Gaming RNG complies with Schedule 1 requirements of The Online Gambling Regulation Act 2001, The Online Gambling (System Verification) (No. 2) Regulations 2007.

ga concludes and recommends that the current implementation of the 3 Oaks Gaming RNG is suitable for use in online games and meets IoM RNG requirements.

4 Test Results

This section summarises the results of the tests performed on 3 Oaks Gaming RNG. The tables in the following sub-sections provide the compliance status of the RNG against IoM RNG requirements listed in [1]. Different values used in the compliance status column are described as follows:

Comply: The RNG complies with the requirement.

Pending: The requirement could not be verified at the time of RNG evaluation.

Acknowledged: The requirement is only a statement or information.

N/A: The requirement is not applicable to the RNG.

Out of scope: The requirement cannot be evaluated at this stage due to the current scope of testing or limitation of test environment.

4.1 Schedule 1 - System verification requirements

IoM Requirements	System Compliance	Comments/Anomalies
SCHEDULE 1 - REQUIREMENTS WITH WHICH SYSTEMS MUST COMPLY FOR GAMING AND LOTTERIES		
(3) The System must satisfy the following criteria for randomness for any Gaming or Lottery (save where different rules apply and have been approved by the Commissioners and published to the Participant or potential Participant prior to its participation), following Schneier:-		
(a) the data must be randomly generated, passing appropriate statistical non static output results tests of randomness (e.g., Marsaglia's "Diehard" set of tests) uniformly distributed over the set range;	Comply	3 Oaks Gaming The algorithm is used for the pRNG is Mersenne Twister generator but have os.urandom as option (On a Unix-like system, random bytes are read from the /dev/urandom device) . The raw and scaled random data generated by the RNG is found to be random and uniformly distributed. See "Annex A: Statistical testing of RNG output" for details.
(b) the data must be unpredictable, i.e. it must not be computationally feasible to predict what the next number will be, given complete knowledge of the algorithm or hardware generating the sequence, and all previously generated numbers; and	Comply	Random generator creates per GS process with own seed. If process dies, new random object with random seed will be created the random numbers generated by the pRNG cannot be reproduced as seed.
(c) the series cannot reliably be reproduced, i.e. if the sequence generator is activated again with the same input (as exactly as humanly possible) it will produce two completely unrelated random sequences.	Comply	The same series of random numbers cannot be reproduced due to random seeding and use of GS process.
(4) The Operator must disclose the methodology of any random seeding and any seeding must be proven to result in an unpredictable output.	Comply	Random generator creates per GS process with own seed. If process dies, new random object with random seed will be created the random numbers generated by the pRNG cannot be reproduced as seed
(5) The outcome of any Game or Lottery, as the case may be, and the return to the Participant, must be	Comply	The game outcomes are only based on the random numbers generated by RNG in conjunction with the



IoM Requirements	System Compliance	Comments/Anomalies
independent of the CPU, memory, disk or other components used in the computer or other device used by the Participant.		game rules. Verification of game rules is out of scope of this evaluation.
(6) The Game or Lottery outcome, as the case may be, must not be affected by the effective bandwidth, link utilisation, bit error rate or other characteristic of the communications channel between the System and the computer or other device used by the Participant.	Comply	The game outcomes are only based on the random numbers generated by RNG in conjunction with the game rules. Verification of game rules is out of scope of this evaluation.

5 References

1. The Online Gambling Regulation Act 2001, The Online Gambling (System Verification) (No. 2) Regulations 2007.



Annex A : Statistical testing of RNG output

Statistical analysis of RNG output has been performed for:

- ♣ Raw (binary) pRNG output; and
- ♣ Scaled pRNG output for games served by the RNG.

This annexure provides results of the statistical analysis.

A.1 Diehard test results (raw RNG output)

Following table presents the summary of diehard test results. These tests were applied on raw output of pRNG generated by the test harness by 3 Oaks Gaming. The data has passed all the tests in the diehard battery of tests. The pRNG is considered to have overall passed the diehard tests with 99% confidence interval

Data file: Rawdata1.data

Test No.	Description	p-value	Test results (Pass/Fail)
1	BIRTHDAY SPACINGS TEST	0. 571415	Pass
2	BINARY RANK TEST for 31x31 matrices	0. 902496	Pass
3	BINARY RANK TEST for 32x32 matrices	0. 385224	Pass
4	BINARY RANK TEST for 6x8 matrices	0. 977358	Pass
5	BITSTREAM TEST	0. 556982	Pass
6	Overlapping Pairs-Sparse-Occupancy (OPSO) Test	0. 547265	Pass
7	Overlapping-Quadruples-Sparse-Occupancy (OQSO) Test	0. 47815	Pass
8	DNA test	0.490770	Pass
9	COUNT-THE-1's TEST		
	(i) byte stream for 2549.59 chi-square value	0. 758448	Pass
	(ii) byte stream for 2492.78 chi-square value	0. 459321	Pass
10	COUNT-THE-1's TEST for specific bytes	0.586613	Pass
11	PARKING LOT TEST	0. 783975	Pass
12	MINIMUM DISTANCE TEST	0. 338061	Pass
13	3DSPHERES TEST	0. 347259	Pass
14	SQUEEZE TEST	0. 231966	Pass
15	OVERLAPPING SUMS test	0. 506370	Pass
16	THE RUN TEST		
	(i) Runs up Test	0. 042790	Pass
	(ii) Runs Down Test	0. 683496	Pass
	(iii) Runs up Test	0. 682297	Pass
	(iv) Runs Down Test	0. 140863	Pass
17	CRAPS TEST		



Test No.	Description	p-value	Test results (Pass/Fail)
	(i) No. of wins	0. 768566	Pass
	(ii) for throws/game	0. 298778	Pass
18	OVERLAPPING 5-PERMUTATION TEST		
	(i) Sample of 1,000,000 consecutive 5-tuples	0. 635268	Pass
	(ii) Sample of 1,000,000 consecutive 5-tuples	0. 078592	Pass

Data file: Rawdata2.data

Test No.	Description	p-value	Test results (Pass/Fail)
1	BIRTHDAY SPACINGS TEST	0. 748224	Pass
2	BINARY RANK TEST for 32x32 matrices	0. 500398	Pass
3	BINARY RANK TEST for 31x31 matrices	0. 606425	Pass
4	BINARY RANK TEST for 6x8 matrices	0. 079764	Pass
5	BITSTREAM TEST	0.461091	Pass
6	Overlapping Pairs-Sparse-Occupancy (OPSO) Test	0.388604	Pass
7	Overlapping-Quadruples-Sparse-Occupancy (OQSO) Test	0.679464	Pass
8	DNA test	0.445383	Pass
9	COUNT-THE-1's TEST		
	(i) byte stream for 2475.62 chi-square value	0. 365131	Pass
	(ii) byte stream for 2523.61 chi-square value	0. 630798	Pass
10	COUNT-THE-1's TEST for specific bytes	0.536258	Pass
11	PARKING LOT TEST	0. 537076	Pass
12	MINIMUM DISTANCE TEST	0. 149420	Pass
13	3DSPHERES TEST	0. 721184	Pass
14	SQUEEZE TEST	0. 200846	Pass
15	OVERLAPPING SUMS test	0. 445290	Pass
16	THE RUN TEST		
	(i) Runs up Test	0. 046670	Pass
	(ii) Runs Down Test	0. 852398	Pass
	(iii) Runs up Test	0. 146116	Pass
	(iv) Runs Down Test	0. 818765	Pass
17	CRAPS TEST		
	(i) No. of wins	0. 541216	Pass



Test No.	Description	p-value	Test results (Pass/Fail)
	(ii) for throws/game	0. 953812	Pass
18	OVERLAPPING 5-PERMUTATION TEST		
	(i) Sample of 1,000,000 consecutive 5-tuples	0. 762189	Pass
	(ii) Sample of 1,000,000 consecutive 5-tuples	0. 948793	Pass

A.2 Scaled data statistical testing results

The following tables describe the results of statistical testing performed on scaled data used to generate game results. The scaled data was generated using the RNG being evaluated.

The data passed all statistical tests within 99% confidence interval which confirms that the game outcomes are random and uniformly distributed over the range required by the games.

Data file name: Data1.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 36)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	1,000,000	3.8070e+001	Pass
Runs-up	1,000,000	1.9123e-003	Pass
Runs-down	1,000,000	2.0041e-003	Pass

Data file name: Data2.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 36)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	1,000,000	4.3673e+001	Pass
Runs-up	1,000,000	1.8659e-003	Pass
Runs-down	1,000,000	1.9995e-003	Pass
Correlation Test	1,000,000	1.8590e-003	Pass

Data file name: Data1.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 51)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	3,000,000	5.3231e+001	Pass
Runs-up	3,000,000	1.2540e-003	Pass
Runs-down	3,000,000	1.1982e-003	Pass

Data file name: Data2.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 51)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	3,000,000	5.6248e+001	Pass
Runs-up	3,000,000	1.2108e-003	Pass
Runs-down	3,000,000	1.1611e-003	Pass
Correlation Test	3,000,000	9.9012e-004	Pass

Data file name: Data1.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 99)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	3,000,000	9.4022e+001	Pass
Runs-up	3,000,000	4.2356e-004	Pass
Runs-down	3,000,000	4.1960e-004	Pass

Data file name: Data2.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 99)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	3,000,000	1.1716e+002	Pass
Runs-up	3,000,000	4.0259e-004	Pass
Runs-down	3,000,000	4.3300e-004	Pass
Correlation Test	3,000,000	-1.4725e-003	Pass



Data file name: Data1.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 774)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	1,000,000	8.0787e+002	Pass
Runs-up	1,000,000	1.3441e-004	Pass
Runs-down	1,000,000	1.4644e-004	Pass

Data file name: Data2.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 774)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	1,000,000	7.5981e+002	Pass
Runs-up	1,000,000	1.5268e-004	Pass
Runs-down	1,000,000	1.6690e-004	Pass
Correlation Test	1,000,000	-4.5243e-004	Pass

Data file name: Data1.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 499999)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	1,000,000	4.9953e+005	Pass
Runs-up	1,000,000	1.5152e-004	Pass
Runs-down	1,000,000	1.5910e-004	Pass

Data file name: Data2.txt (Scaling range: 0 to 499999)

Statistical test	Sampling size	Sum of square of residuals	Pass/Fail
Chi-Square	1,000,000	4.9762e+005	Pass
Runs-up	1,000,000	1.6402e-004	Pass
Runs-down	1,000,000	1.3486e-004	Pass
Correlation Test	1,000,000	8.2701e-004	Pass

**Annex B : Hashes of RNG source code and binary**

SHA-1 hashes of files related to the 3 Oaks Gaming RNG have been taken to establish a baseline of the system evaluated by **qa**. The hashes are listed below.

rng.py	c833b0d5cafccf72281fab1398e0be58a6fe69c8
mersenne_twister.py	03a7f81f656a6d8754132bb7e682acc843d79218



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