

Untitled

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Interval Request Scheduling – Greedy Algorithm

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[35]: import random

# random pair (s, f) where s and f are integers between
# 0 and 99, inclusive
def random_request():
    return tuple(sorted(random.sample(range(0, 100), 2)))

# make n random requests and return them all
def make_requests(n):
    requests = []
    for i in range(n):
        requests.append(random_request())
    return requests
    return [random_request() for i in range(n)]
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[36]: make_requests(5)
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[36]: [(32, 98), (3, 27), (36, 57), (41, 62), (74, 92)]
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random_request()
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[29]: random.sample([1,2,3],4)
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ValueError                                                 Traceback (most recent call last)
Input In [29], in <module>
----> 1 random.sample([1,2,3],4)

File /usr/local/Cellar/python@3.9/3.9.10/Frameworks/Python.framework/Versions/3
  9/lib/python3.9/random.py:449, in Random.sample(self, population, k, counts)
  447 randbelow = self._randbelow
  448 if not 0 <= k <= n:
--> 449     raise ValueError("Sample larger than population or is negative")
  450 result = [None] * k
  451 setsize = 21          # size of a small set minus size of an empty list
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`ValueError: Sample larger than population or is negative`

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