

# MA 226 : Monte Carlo Simulation Project

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## Q1.

Given  $F(x) = (1 + \lambda)F_1(x) - \lambda F_1^2(x)$ .

Generate random numbers following the distribution  $F(x)$ . Here,  $F_1(x)$  is the CDF of normal distribution.

a.) Use Inverse-Transformation Method

b.) Use Acceptance-Rejection Method

## Q1(a)

Suppose we want to generate a random variable  $X$  with the property that  $P(X \leq x) = F(x) \forall x$ . The inverse transform method sets :  $X = F^{-1}(U)$ ,  $U \sim U(0, 1)$ , where  $U(0, 1)$  is a uniform distribution on  $[0, 1]$ .

So, substituting  $F(x) = U$  and assuming  $F_1(x) = u_1$ , we get a quadratic equation in  $u_1$ .

$$\lambda u_1^2 - (1 + \lambda)u_1 + U = 0$$

On solving the quadratic, we get,  $u_1 = ((1 + \lambda) - ((1 + \lambda)^2 - 4\lambda U)^{1/2})/2\lambda$

Now,  $u_1 = F_1(X)$ . Therefore,  $X = F^{-1}(u_1)$

$F^{-1}(u_1)$  is calculated using **qnorm**( $u_1$ ,**mean**,**sd**).

**qnorm** returns the inverse cumulative density function (quantiles). The idea behind qnorm is that we give it a probability, and it returns the number whose cumulative distribution matches the probability.

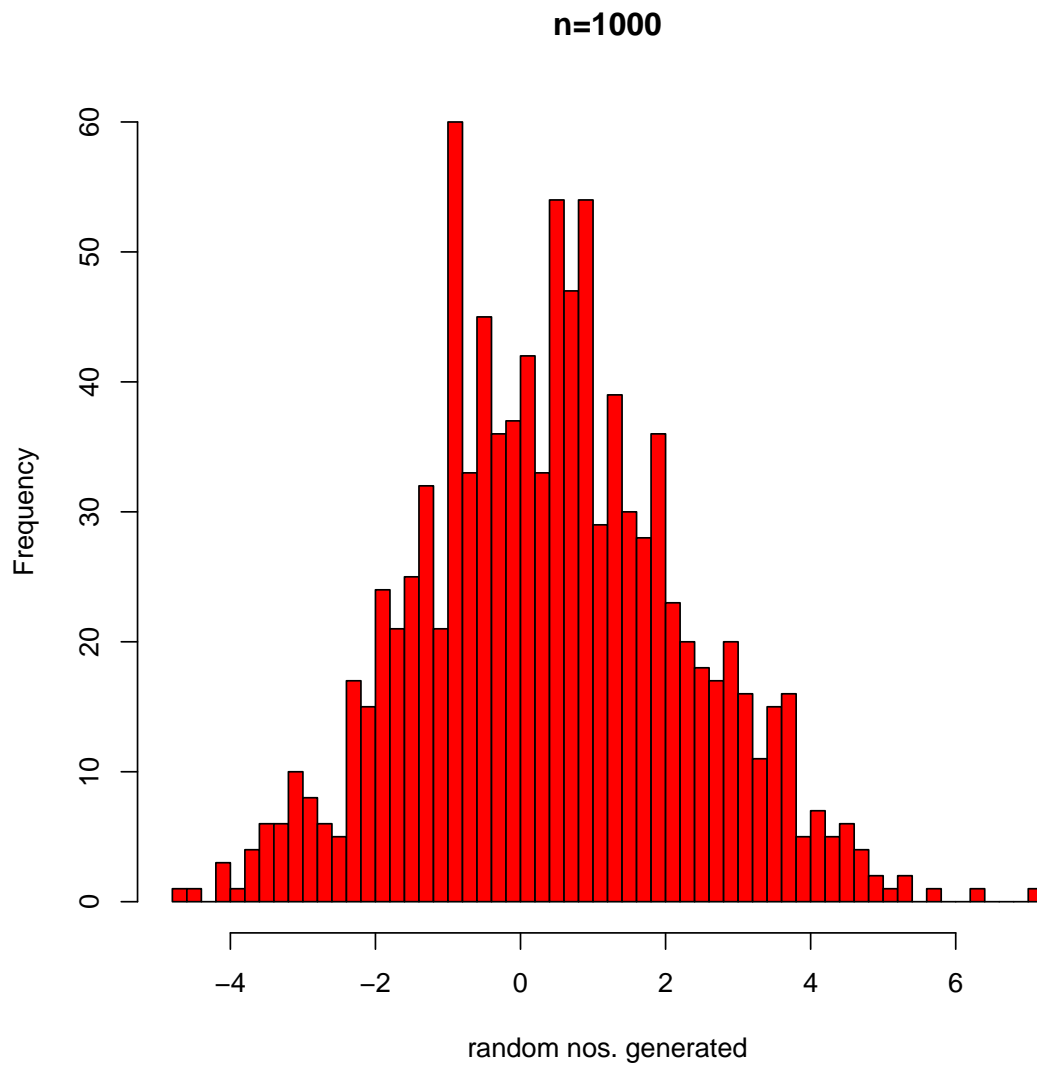
### Q1(a) - R Code

```
1 {  
2   u=runif(100000);  
3   l=0.5;  
4  
5   u1=array(100000);  
6   x=array(100000);  
7  
8   for(i in 1:100000)  
9     {  
10      u1[i]=((1+l)-sqrt(((1+l)^2)-(4*l*u[i])))/(2*l);  
11      x[i]=qnorm(u1[i],mean=1,sd=2);  
12      cat(x[i],"\n")  
13    }  
14  
15   print(mean(x));  
16   print(var(x));  
17   hist(x,breaks=50,col="red")  
18 }
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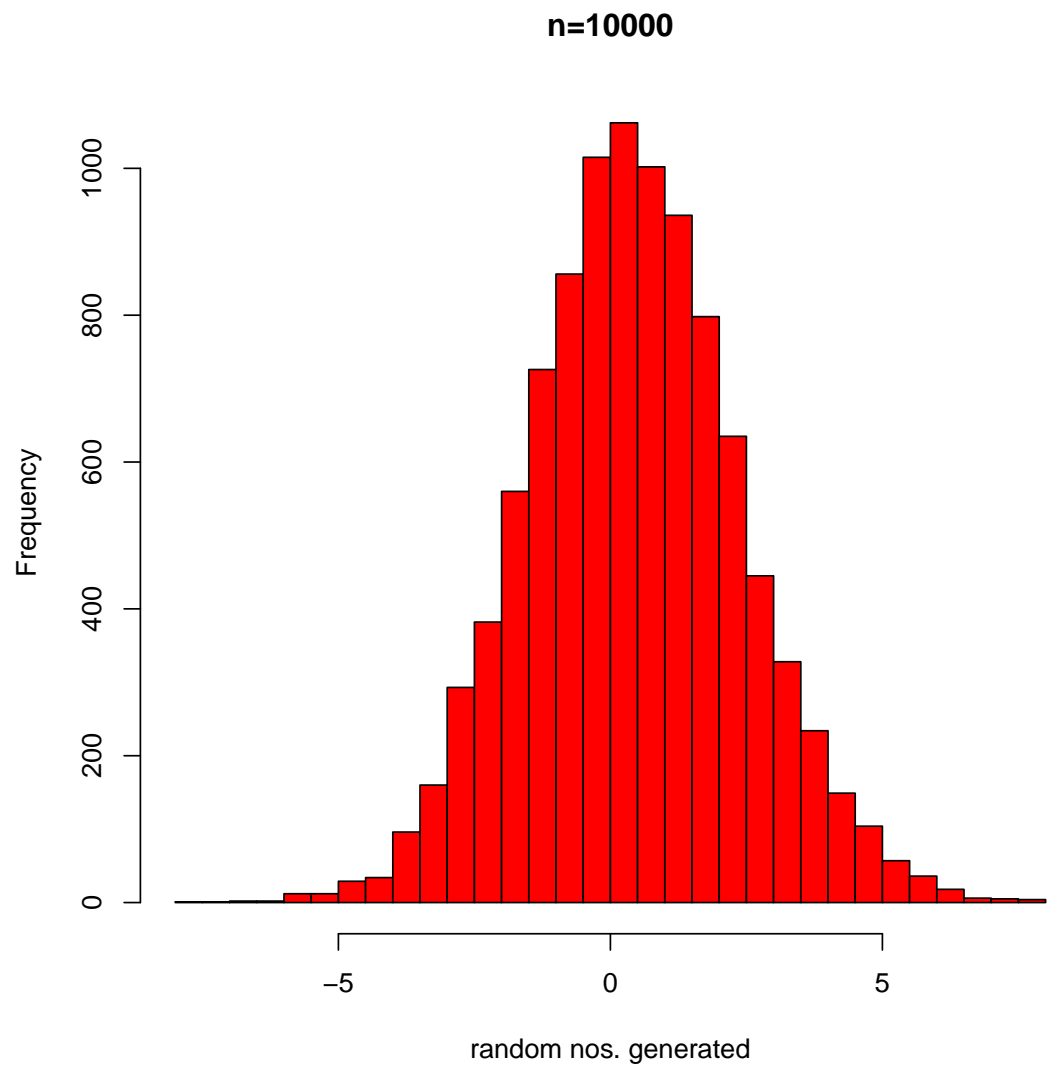
The above code is run for  $n=1000$ , taking  $\lambda = l = 0.5$ . The mean and variance for the normal distribution are taken as 1 and 2 respectively. The following are the plots, mean and variances are for  $n=1000$ ,  $n=10000$  and  $n=100000$ .

Q1(a) - Output

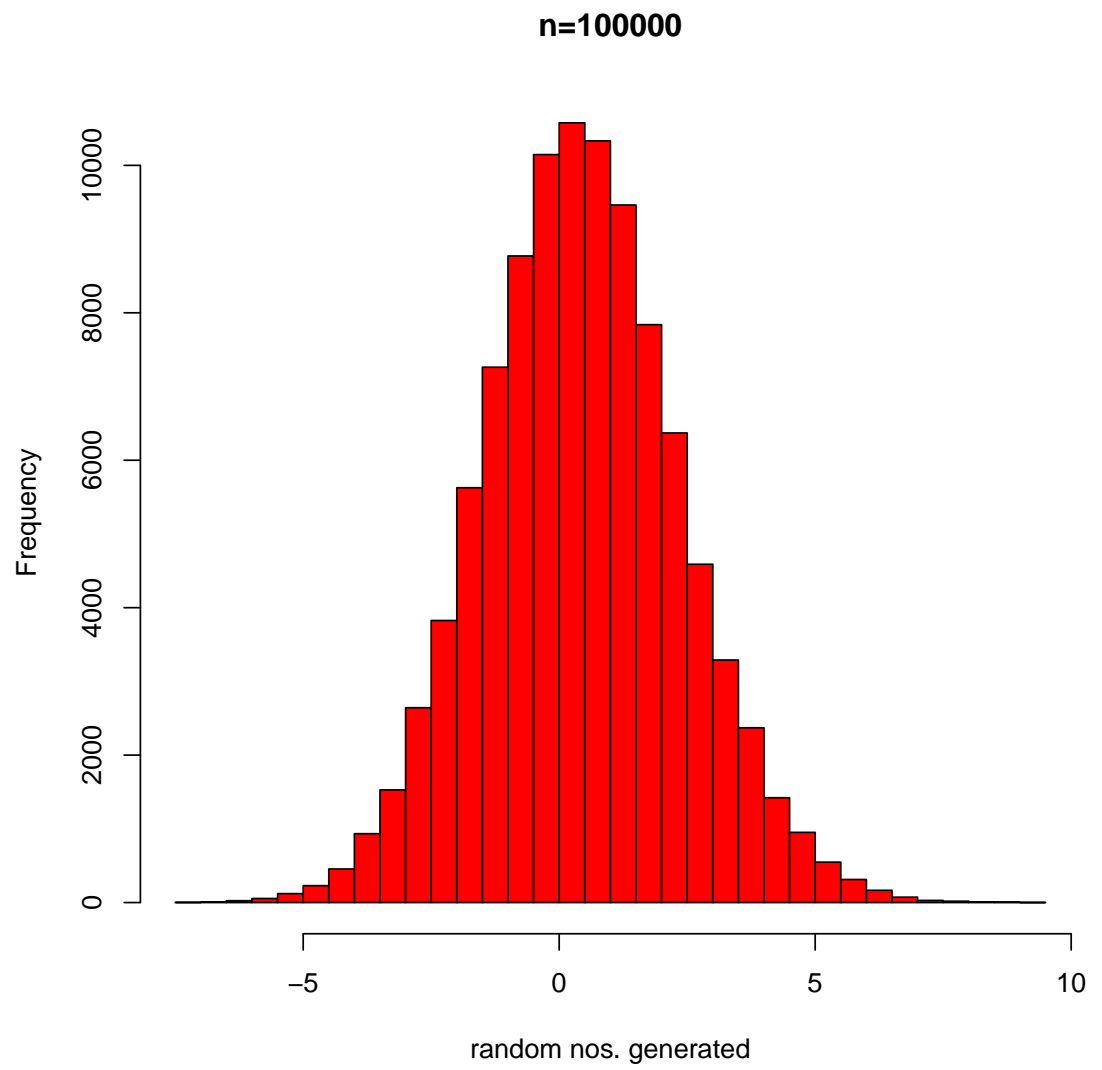
*Histograms :*



mean = 0.4240377  
variance = 3.805862



mean=0.4240377  
variance=3.805862



mean=0.4322516  
variance=3.685975

### Q1(b)

$$F(x) = (1 + \lambda)F_1(x) - \lambda F_1^2(x)$$

Since, PDF of a distribution is obtained by differentiating its CDF.

Differentiating the above equation, we get :

$$f(x) = (1 + \lambda)f_1(x) - 2\lambda F_1(x)f_1(x)$$

Choosing  $g(x) = f_1(x)$

$$f(x)/g(x) = (1 + \lambda) - 2\lambda F_1(x)$$

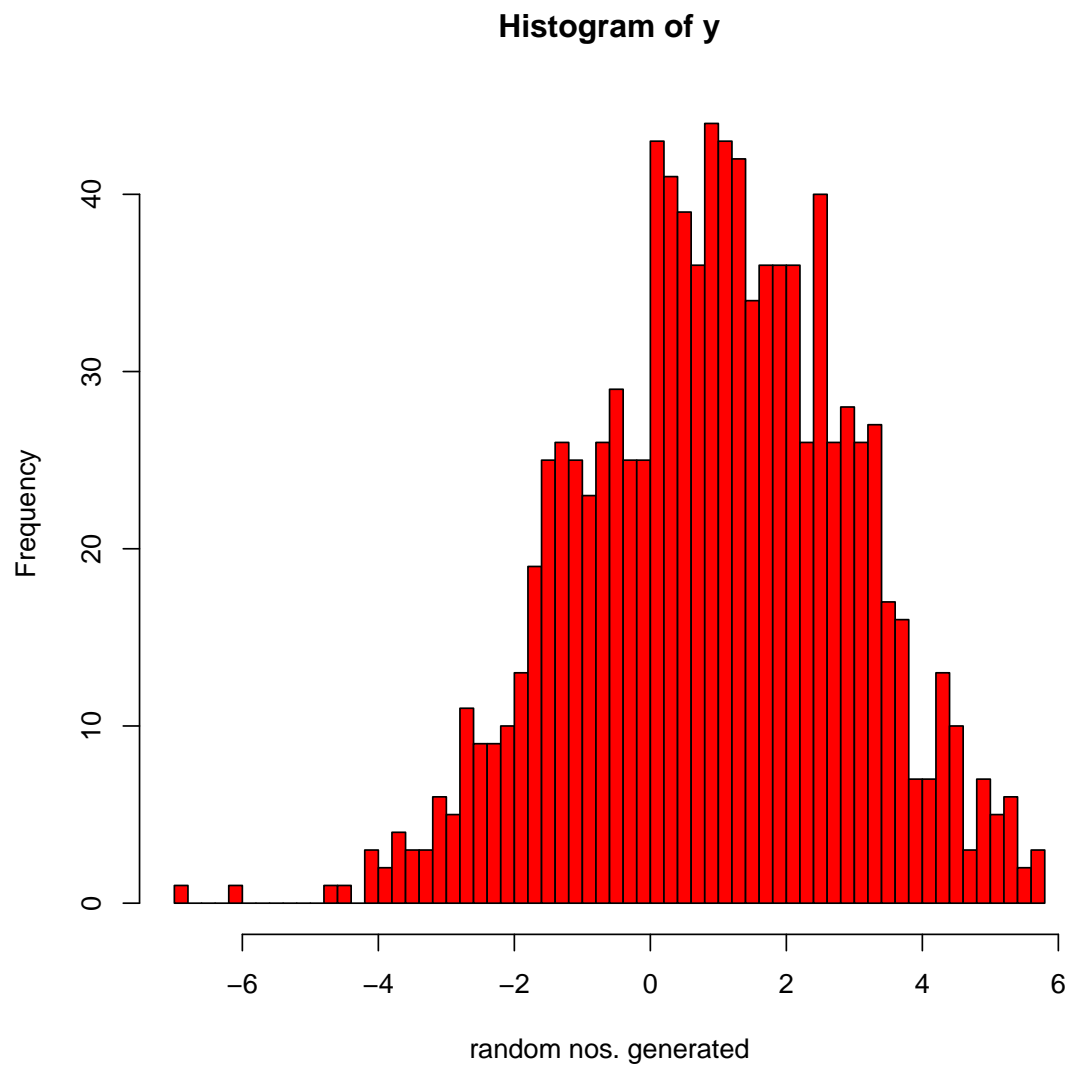
### Q1(b) - R Code

```
1 {  
2   c=2;  
3   l=0.1;  
4   y=NULL;  
5   n=2000;  
6   count=0;  
7  
8   X=rnorm(n,mean=1,sd=2);  
9   U=runif(n);  
10  P=ecdf(X);  
11  k=NULL;  
12  
13  for(i in 1:n)  
14  {  
15    k[i]=((1+l)-2*l*P(X[i]))/c;  
16  
17    if(U[i]<=k[i])  
18    {  
19      y[count]=X[i];  
20      count=count+1;  
21    }  
22  }  
23  
24  print(y);  
25  print(count);  
26  hist(y, col="red", breaks=50, xlab="random nos. generated")  
27  print(mean(y));  
28  print(var(y));  
29 }
```

### Q1(b) - Output

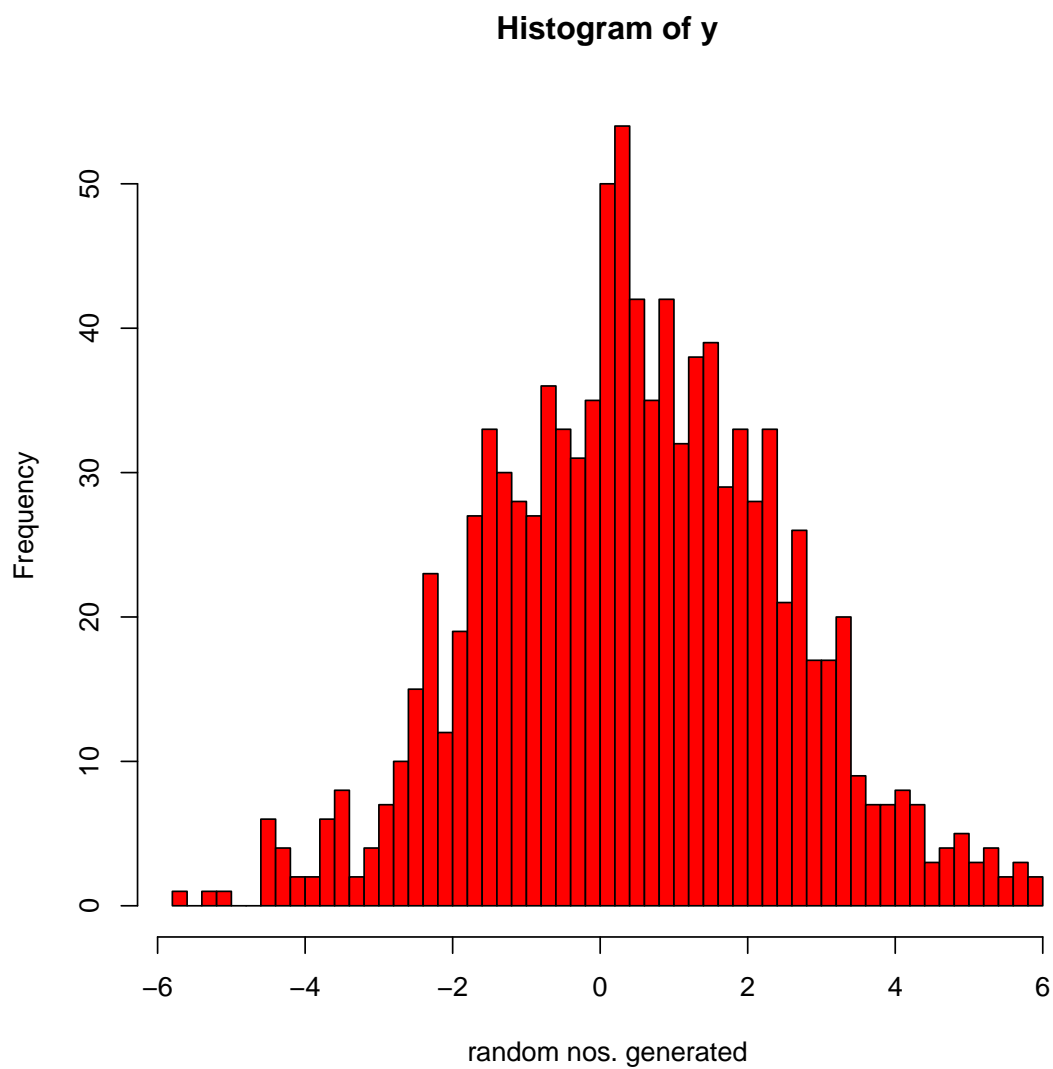
#### *Histograms :*

For  $l = 0.1$



mean = 0.4240377  
variance = 3.805862

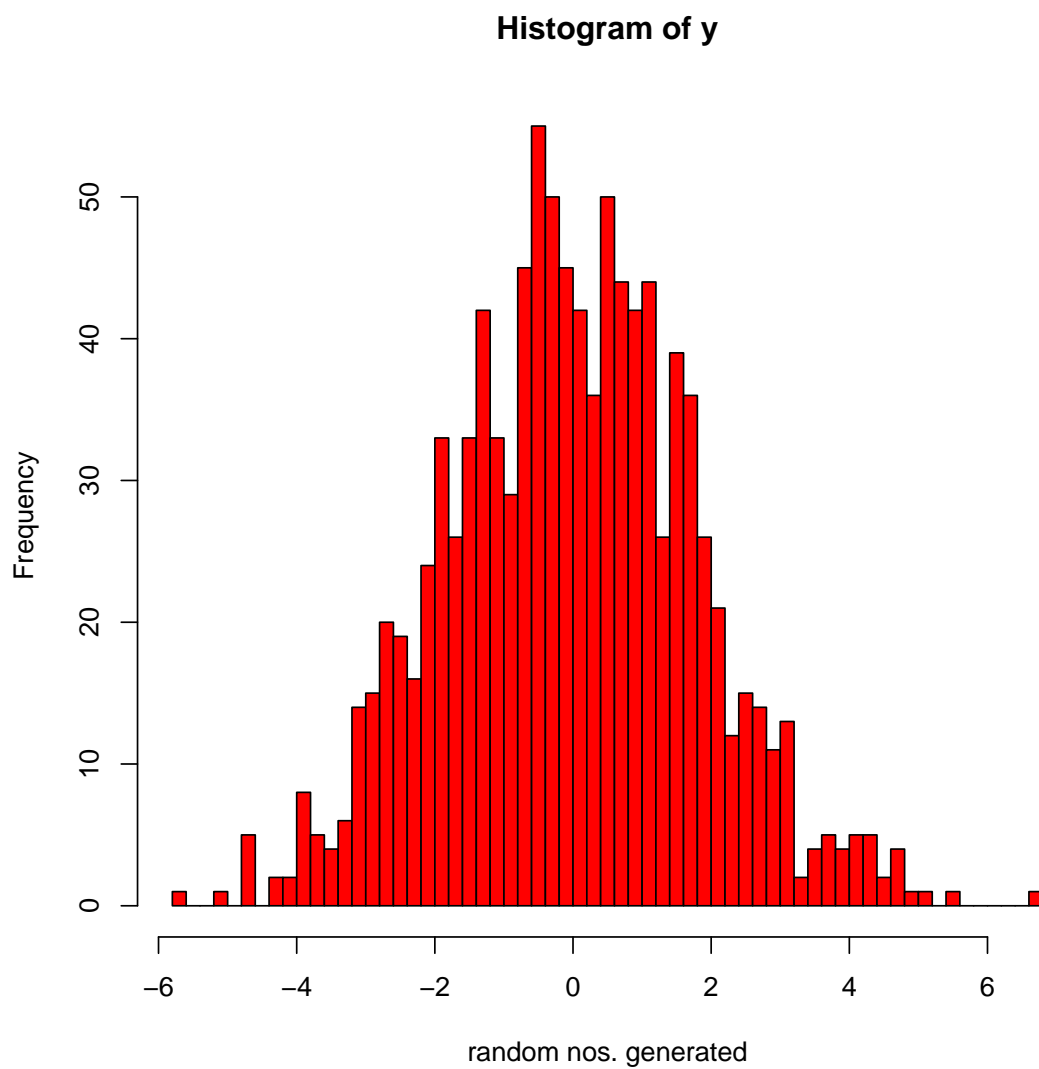
For  $l = 0.5$



mean=0.4240377  
variance=3.805862



For  $l = 0.9$



mean=0.4322516  
variance=3.685975