

# Generate random numbers from beta distribution using the Acceptance-Rejection Method

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$\alpha = 9$

$\beta = 7$

Now we will compute the optimal  $c$ . We know that Beta distribution has the following density function:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{B(\alpha, \beta)} x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1}, \quad x \in (0, 1)$$

where:

$$B(\alpha, \beta) = \left( \int_0^1 x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1} dx \right)$$

so we will have:

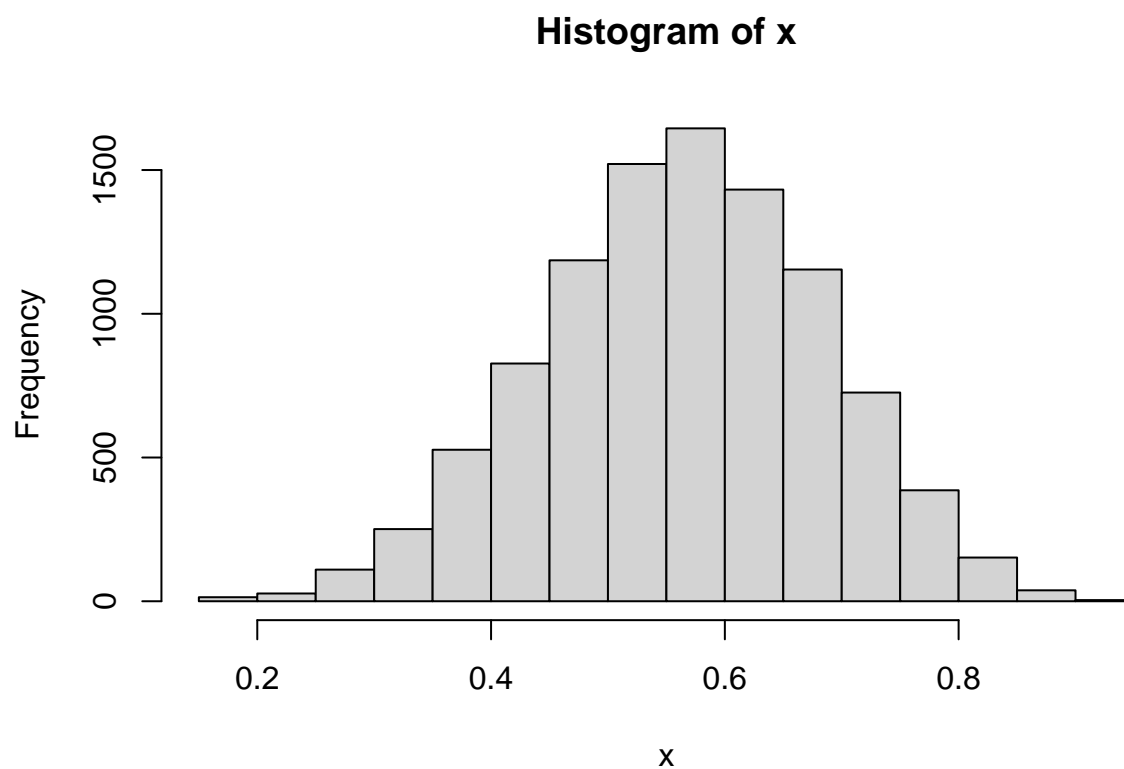
$$B(9, 7) = \frac{1}{45045}$$

and  $f(x)$  will be maximum when  $x = \frac{4}{7}$ :

$$\max f(x) = 45045 * x^8 (1-x)^6 \approx 3.17... < 3.18$$

```
set.seed(666)
n <- 10000
c <- 3.18
x <- rep(0, n)
for(i in 1:n){
  repeat{
    y <- runif(1)
    u <- runif(1)
    if(u < (dbeta(y, 9, 7)/(c * dunif(y)))) break
  }
  x[i] <- y
}
```

```
hist(x)
```

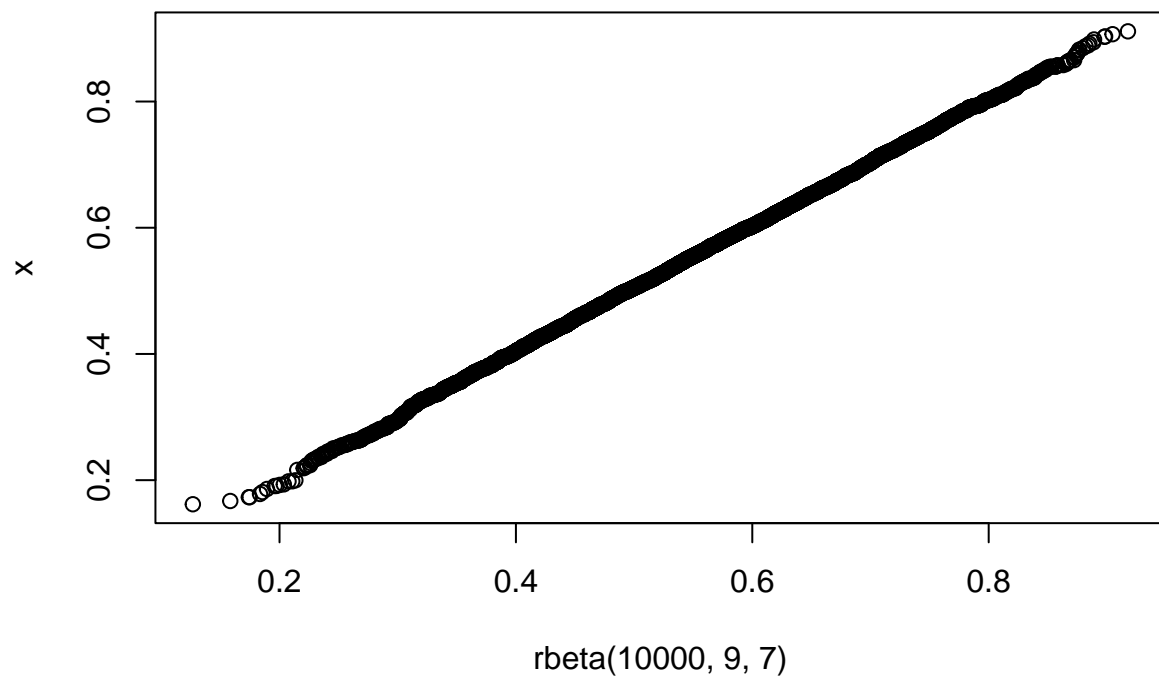


```
summary(x)
```

```
##      Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.
## 0.1619  0.4832  0.5653  0.5638  0.6484  0.9112
```

We will use `qqplot` to see if our generated numbers have beta distribution:

```
set.seed(666)
qqplot(rbeta(10000,9,7),x)
```



based on the qqplot above,we can say that our generated numbers have beta distribution.