STATS 551 - HW 5 - Q1

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# Data
y \leftarrow c(16/74, 9/99, 10/58, 13/70, 19/121, 20/77, 18/104, 17/129, 35/308, 55/119)
z \leftarrow c(12/25, 1/19, 2/16, 4/48, 9/217, 7/74, 9/38, 8/162)
# Total counts
n_y \leftarrow c(74, 99, 58, 70, 121, 77, 104, 129, 308, 119)

n_z \leftarrow c(25, 19, 16, 48, 217, 74, 38, 162)
# Prior parameters
alpha_y <- 1; beta_y <- 1
alpha_z <- 1; beta_z <- 1</pre>
# Posterior parameters
alpha_y_post <- alpha_y + sum(y * n_y)</pre>
beta_y post \leftarrow beta_y + sum((1 - y) * n_y)
alpha_z_post <- alpha_z + sum(z * n_z)
beta_z_{post} \leftarrow beta_z + sum((1 - z) * n_z)
# Simulate from the posterior
set.seed(123)
theta_y_samples <- rbeta(1000, alpha_y_post, beta_y_post)
theta_z_samples <- rbeta(1000, alpha_z_post, beta_z_post)
# Compute the difference
diff_samples <- theta_y_samples - theta_z_samples</pre>
hist(diff_samples, main = "Posterior Distribution of Difference",
      xlab = expression(theta[y] - theta[z]), breaks = 40, col = "skyblue")
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Posterior Distribution of Difference

