

Probability Density Function

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Uniformly distributed random numbers

- `rand(n)`: produce an $n \times n$ matrix of random numbers inside $[0,1]$.
- `rand(n,m)` produces an $n \times m$ matrix of random numbers inside $[0,1]$.



Uniformly distributed random numbers

Problem: Generate a 10-by-1 column vector of uniformly distributed numbers in the interval $[-5,5]$.

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n = 10;
```

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x = -5 + (5+5)*rand(n,1)
```

```
x =
```

```
    3.1472
```

```
    4.0579
```

```
   -3.7301
```

```
    4.1338
```

```
    1.3236
```

```
   -4.0246
```

```
   -2.2150
```

```
    0.4688
```

```
    4.5751
```

```
    4.6489
```



Uniformly distributed random numbers

Problem: Generate a 10-by-3 column vector of uniformly distributed numbers in the interval $[-5,5]$.

$n = 10;$

$x = -5 + (5+5)*\text{rand}(n,3)$

$x =$

-3.4239	1.5574	2.0605
4.7059	-4.6429	-4.6817
4.5717	3.4913	-2.2308
-0.1462	4.3399	-4.5383
3.0028	1.7874	-4.0287
-3.5811	2.5774	3.2346
-0.7824	2.4313	1.9483
4.1574	-1.0777	-1.8290
2.9221	1.5548	4.5022
4.5949	-3.2881	-4.6555

How to check visually the result?

Use histogram

Need to validate the correctness of our results.



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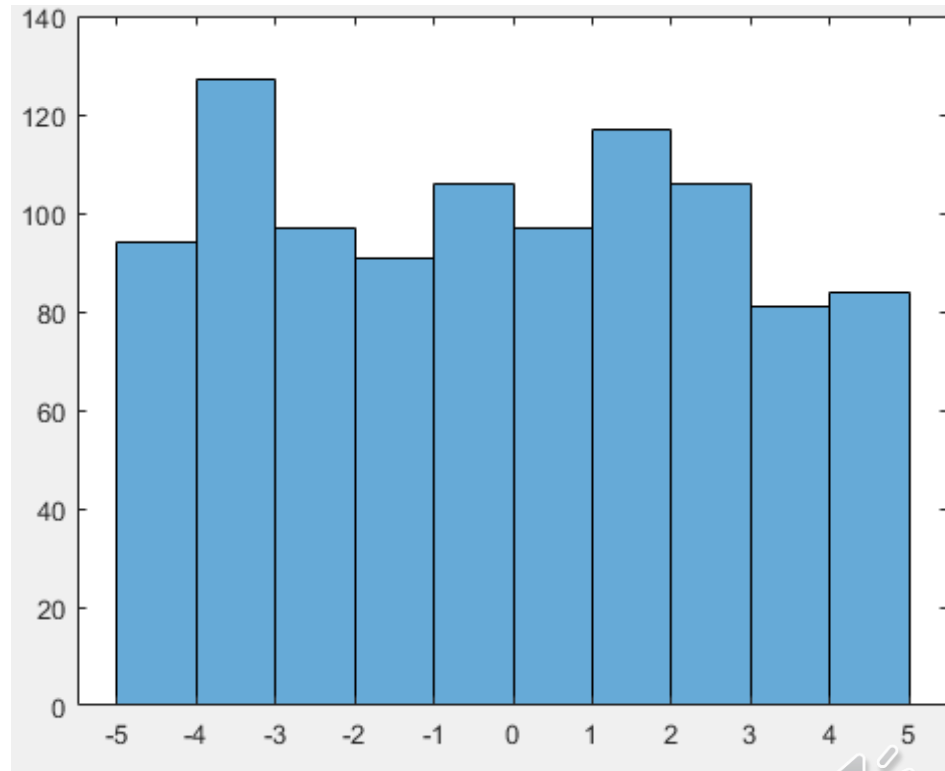
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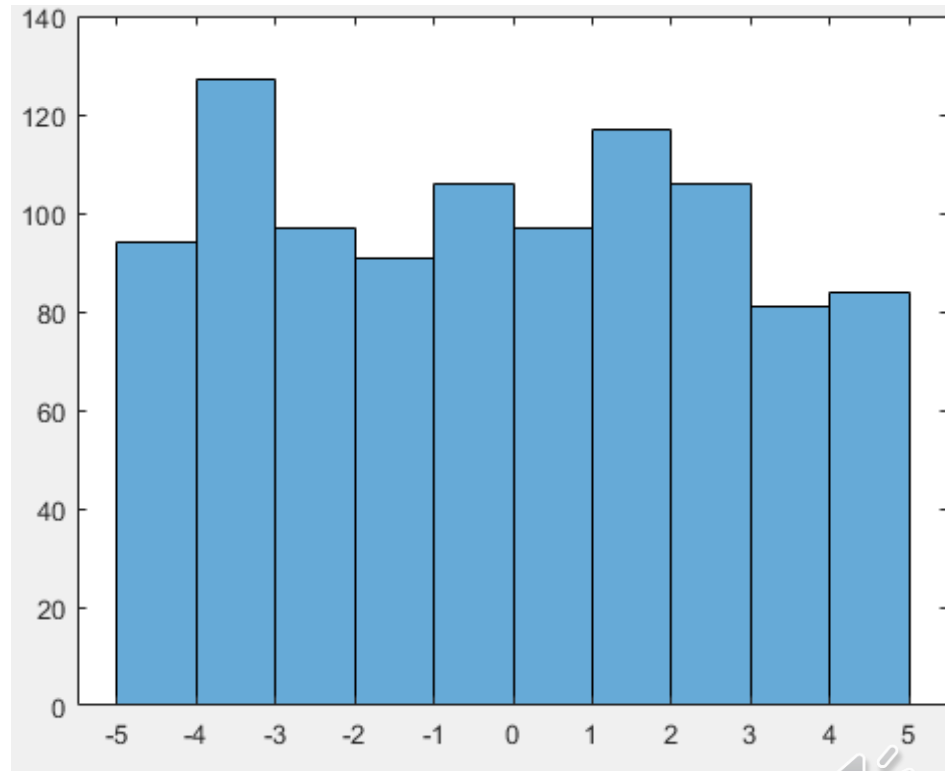
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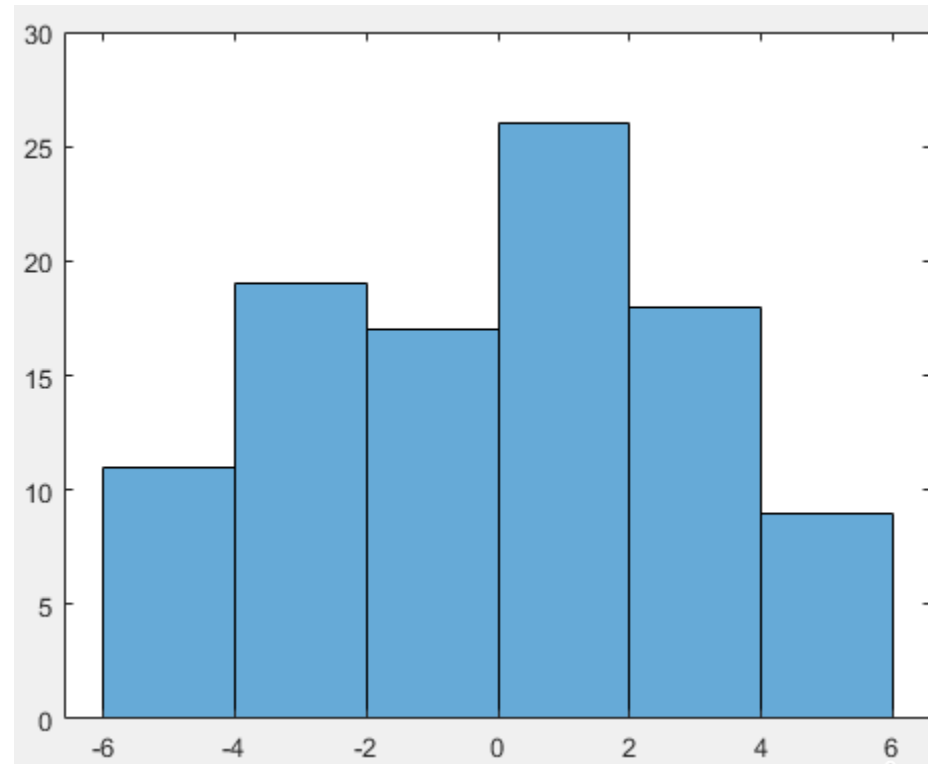
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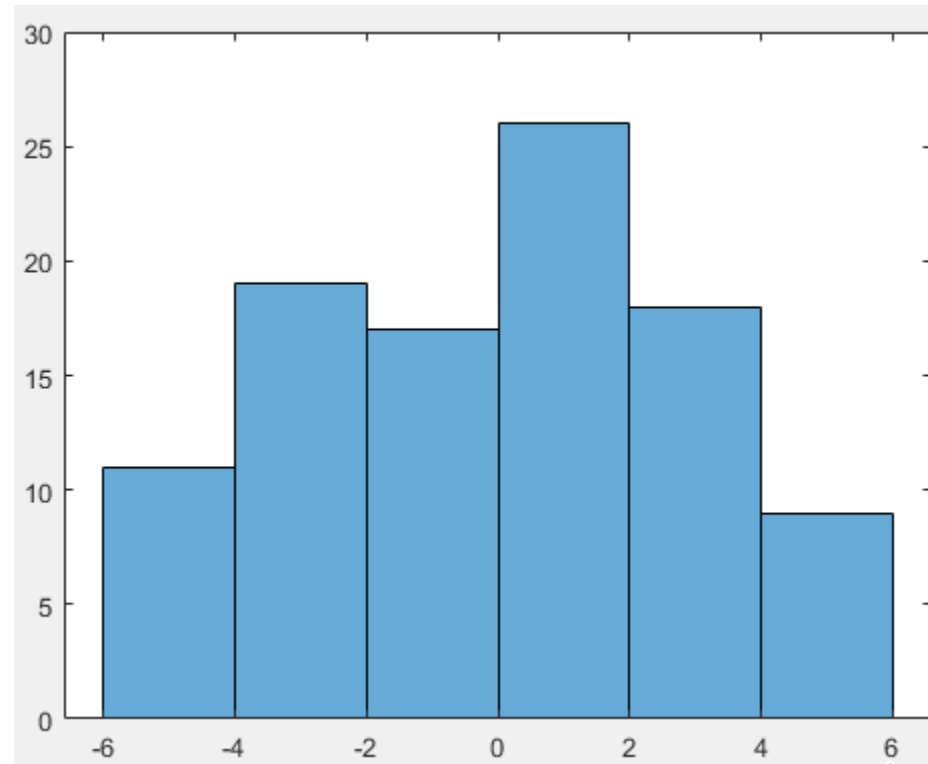
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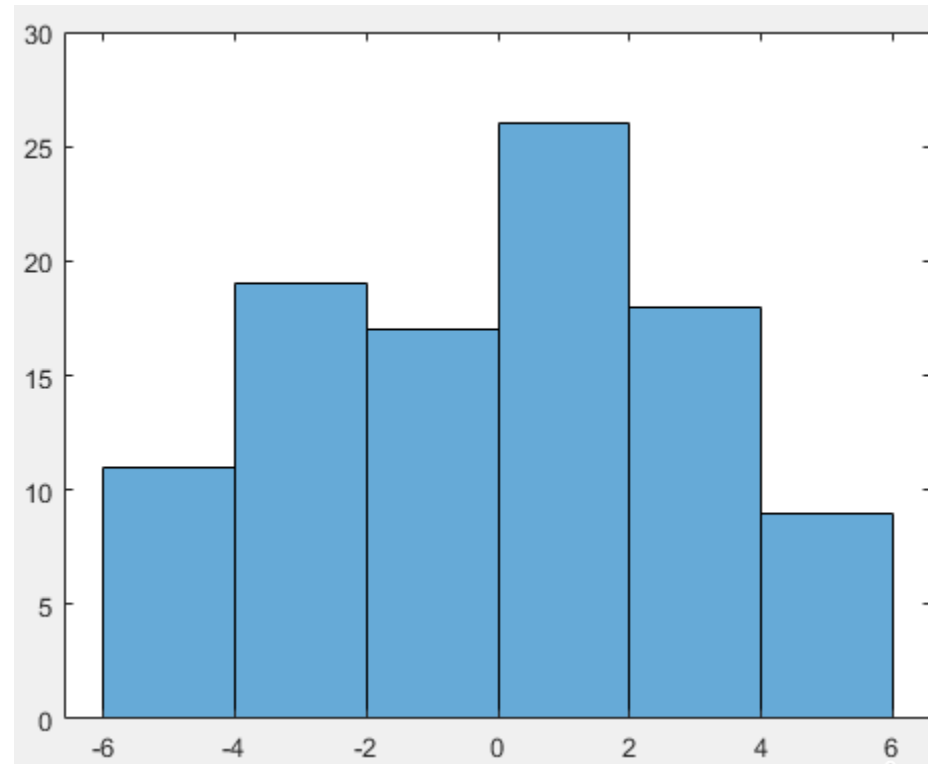
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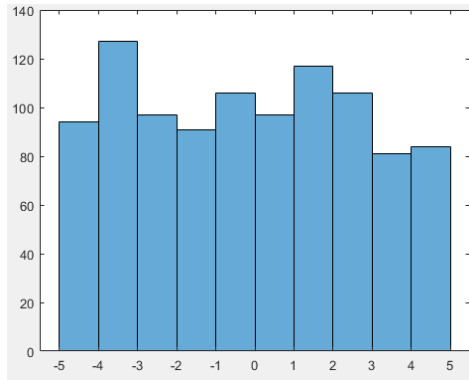
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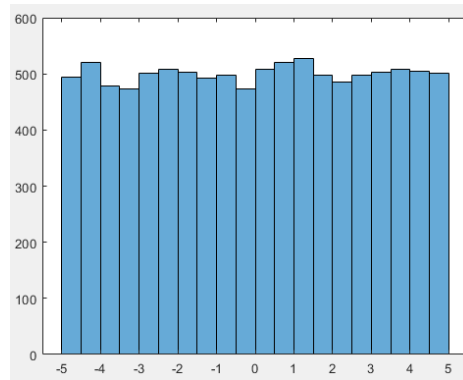
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hmax = max(h.Values);
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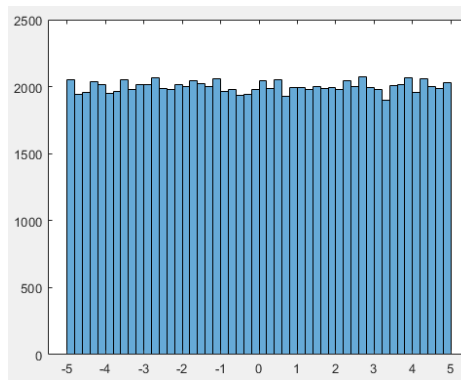
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rv = (hmax-hmin)/hmin    %relative difference w.r.t. the minimum number
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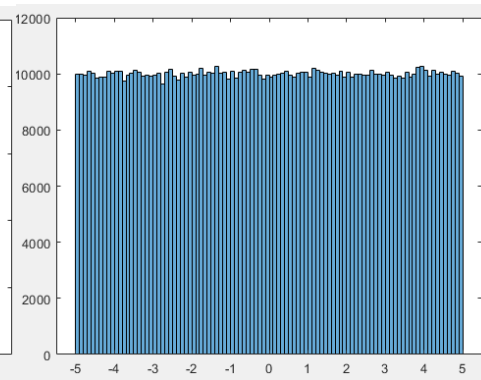
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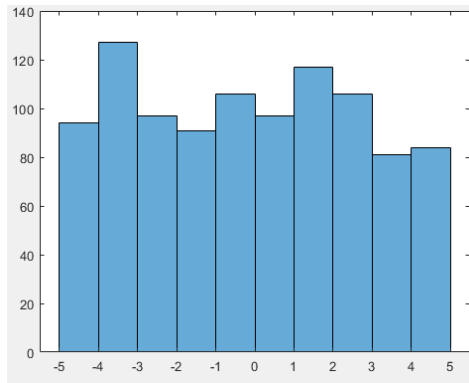
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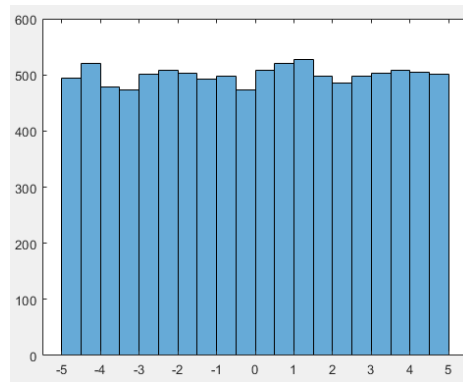
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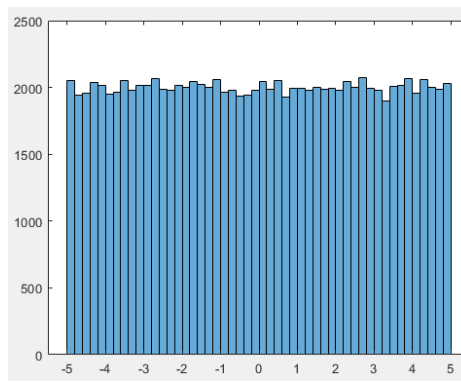
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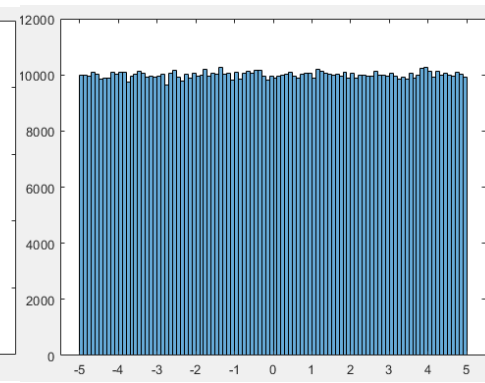
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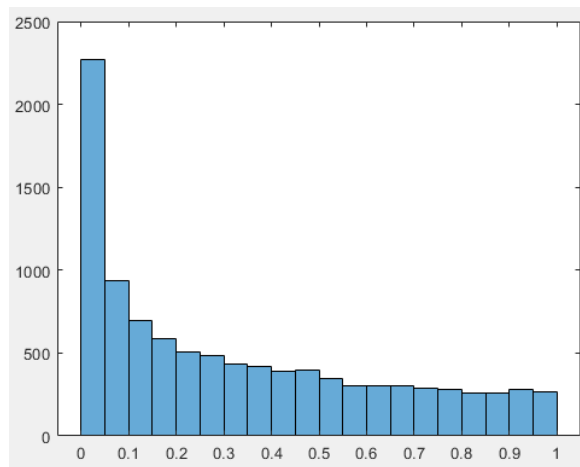
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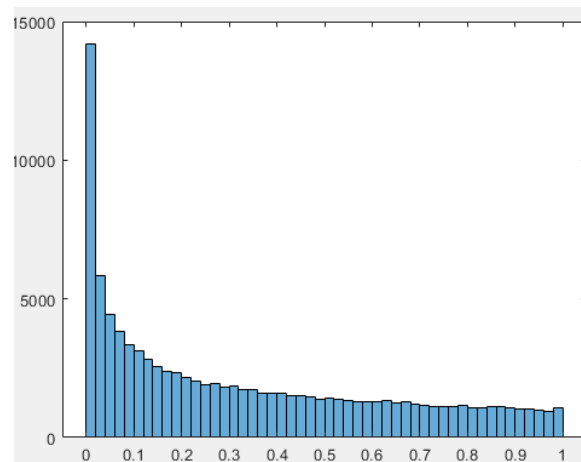
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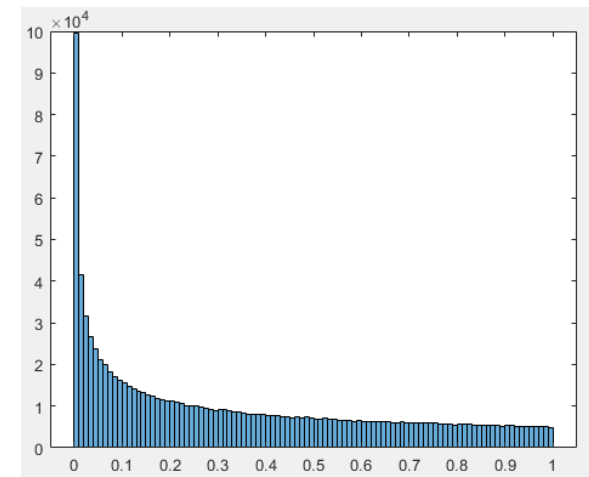
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$n = 10000;$



$n = 100000;$



$n = 1000000;$

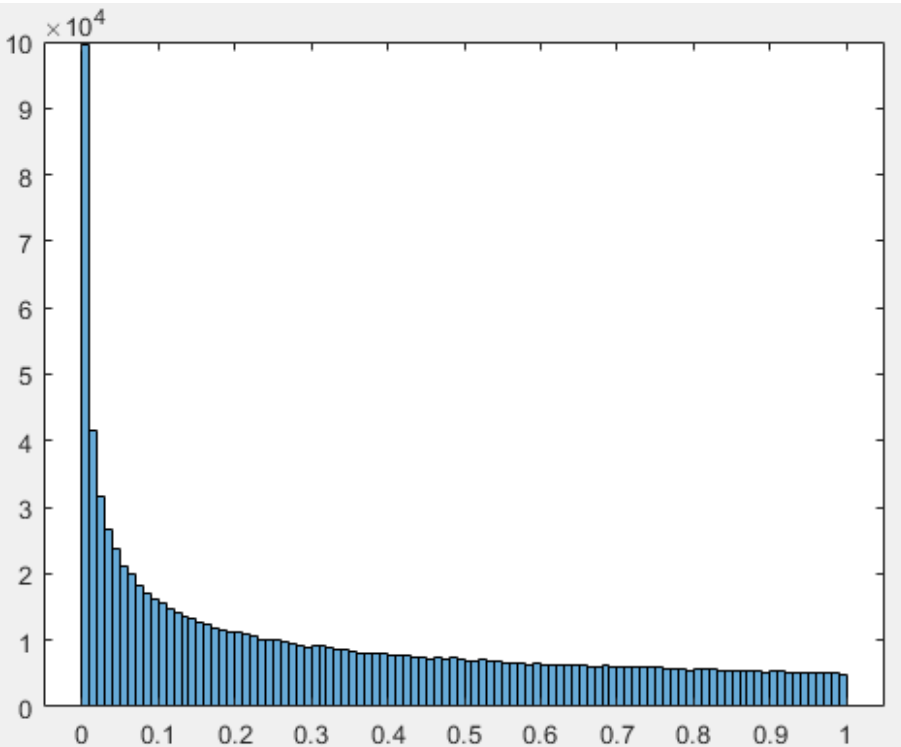


A histogram using the 'probability' normalization

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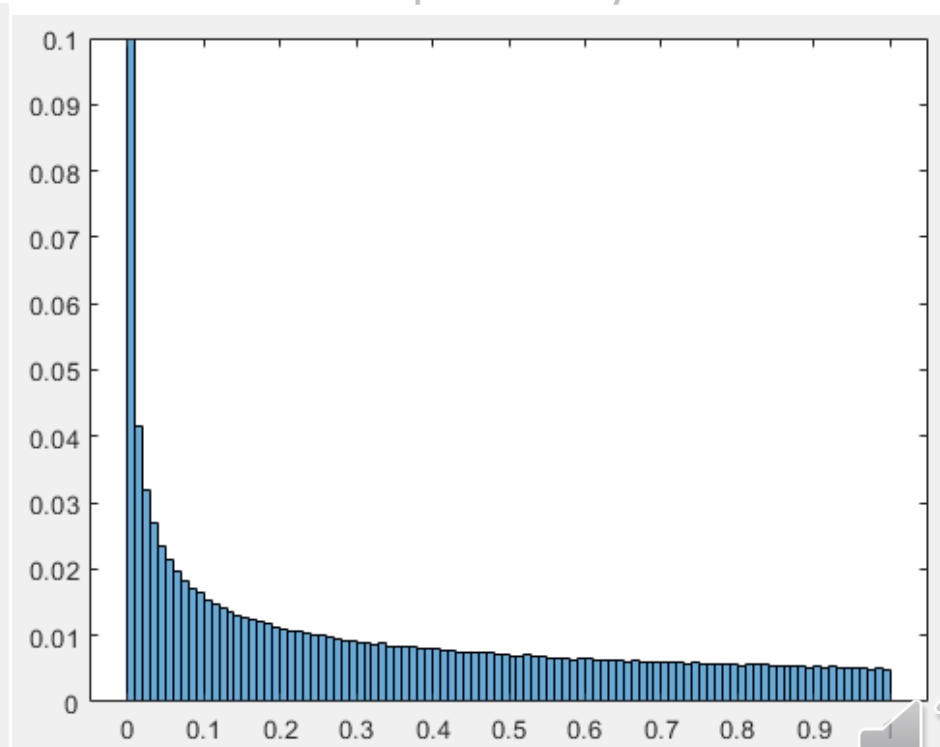
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h = histogram(x,'Normalization','probability')
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Number of outcomes



`h = histogram(x);`

probability



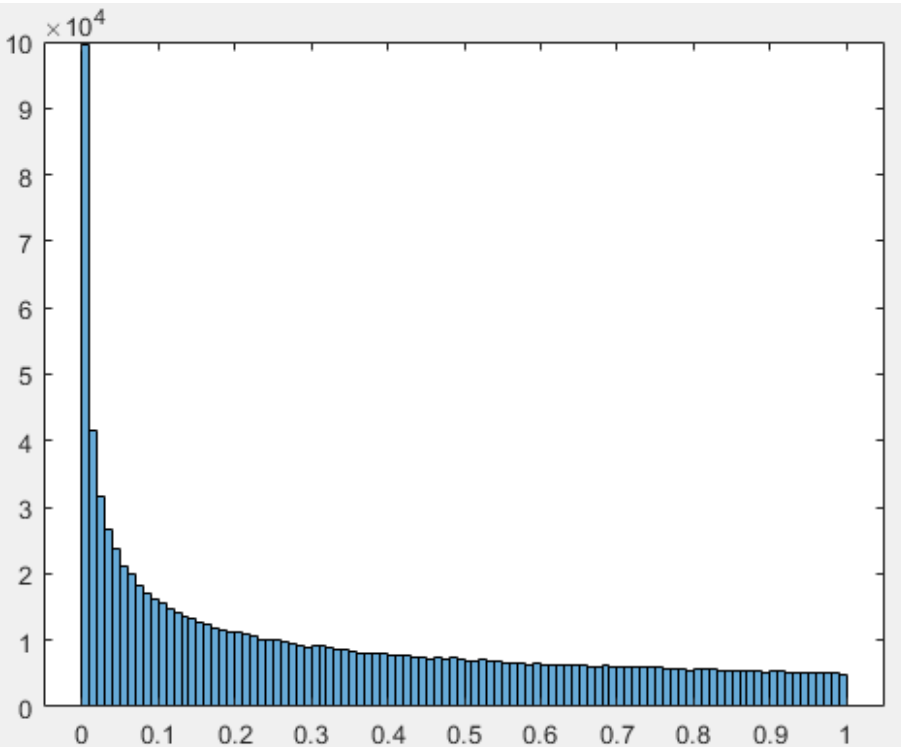
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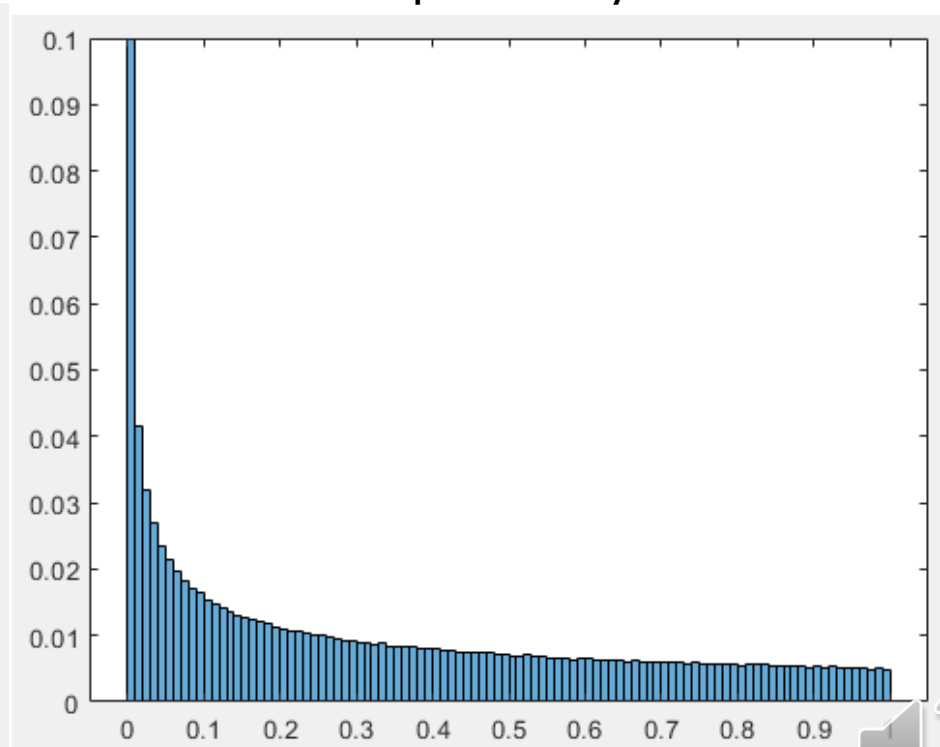
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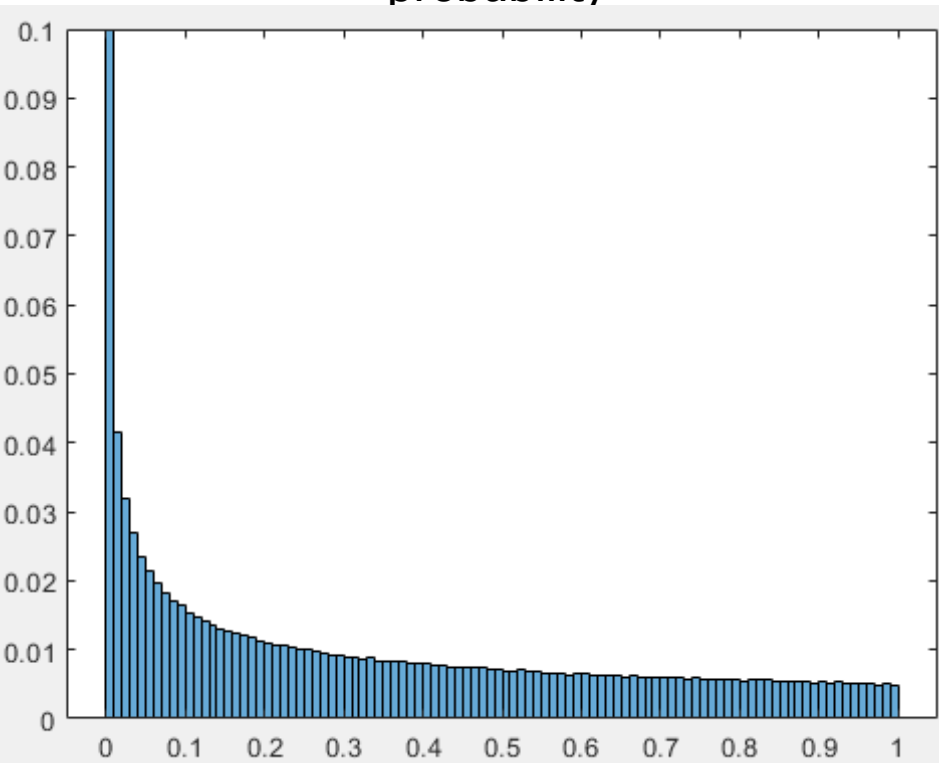
A histogram using the probability density function

```
y = -5 + (5+5)*rand(n,1); x = y.^2;
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```
h = histogram(x,'Normalization', 'pdf')
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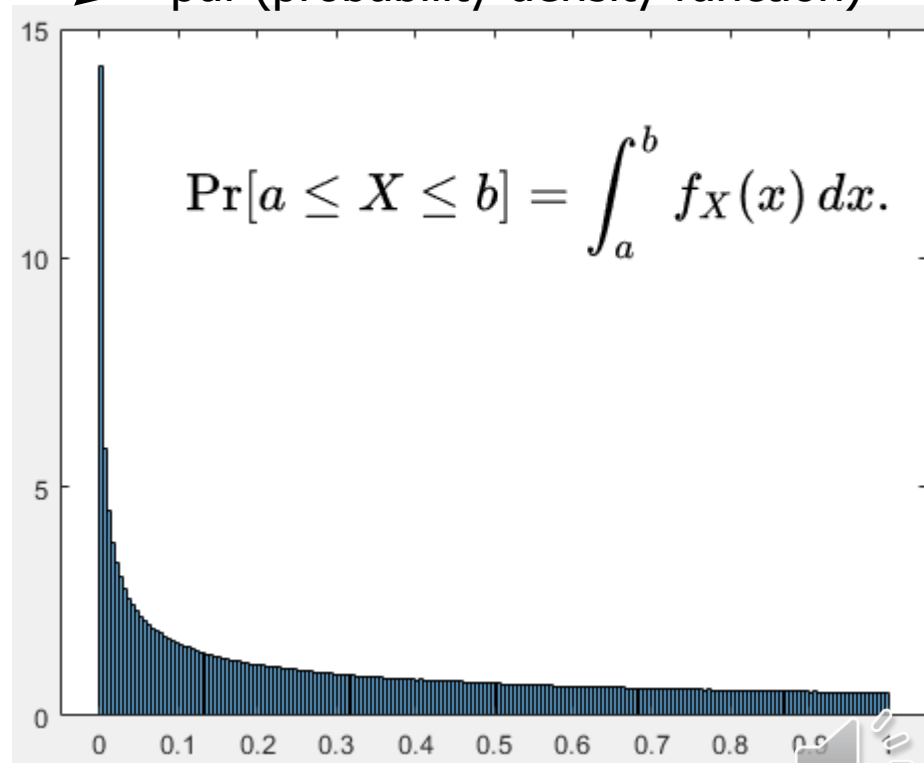
Note: the value of the pdf can be larger than 1. We use the bounded area to determine probability.

probability



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pdf (probability density function)



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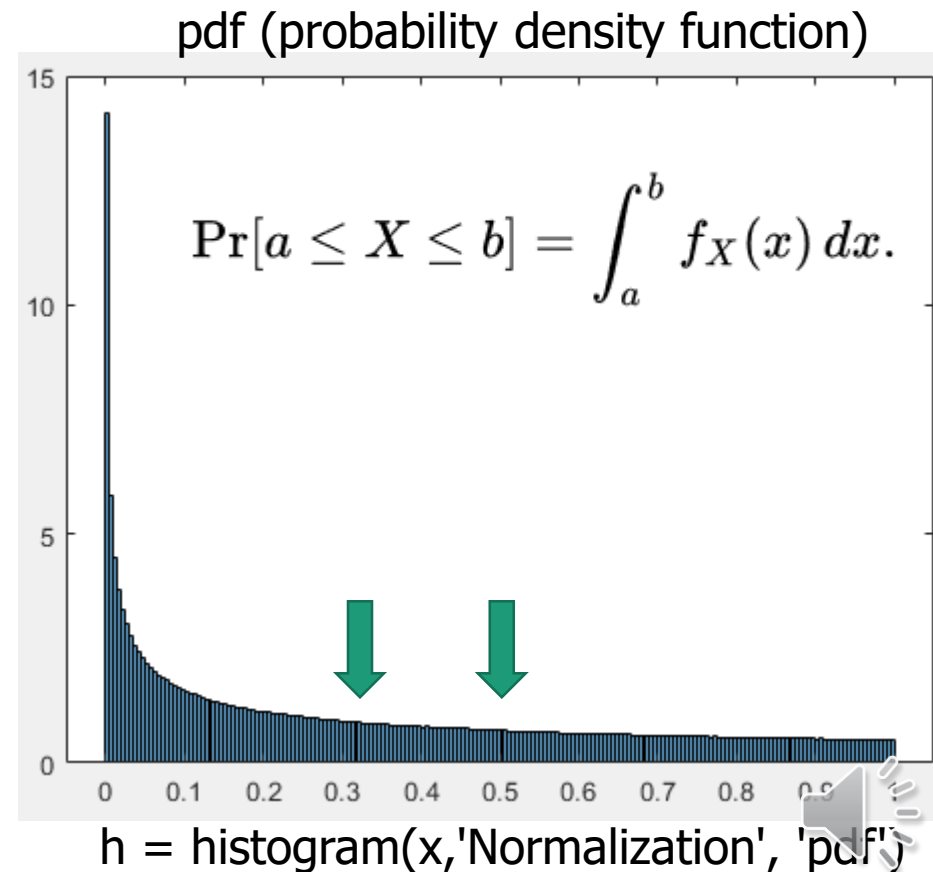
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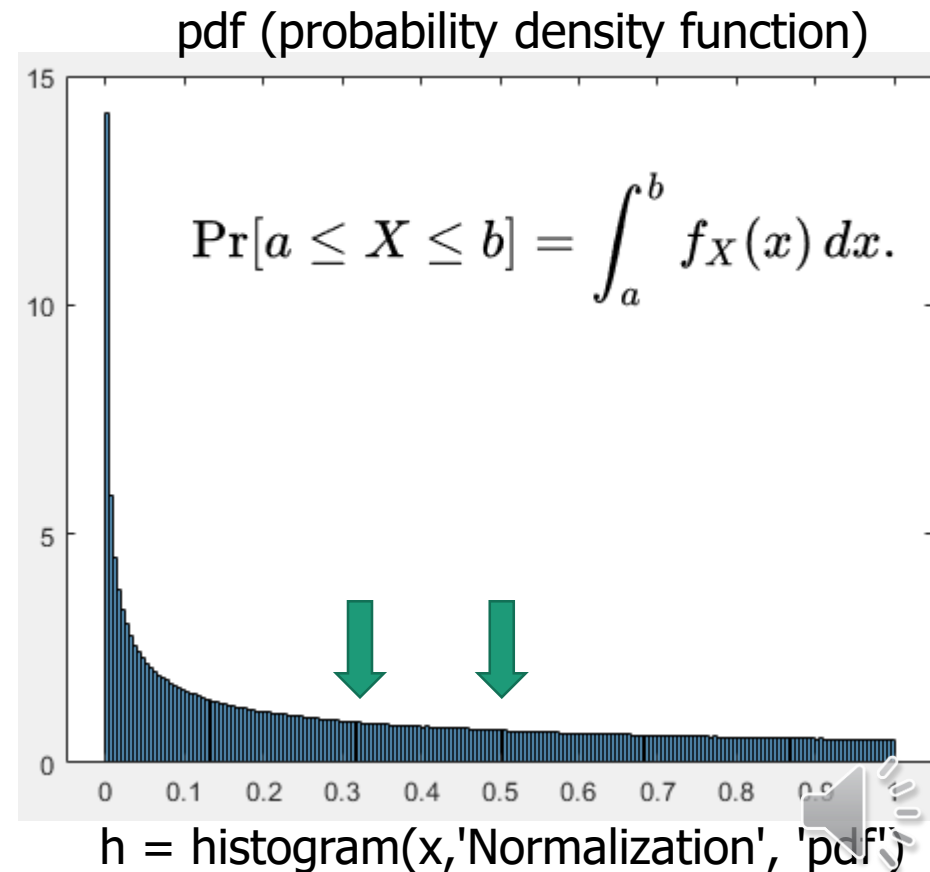
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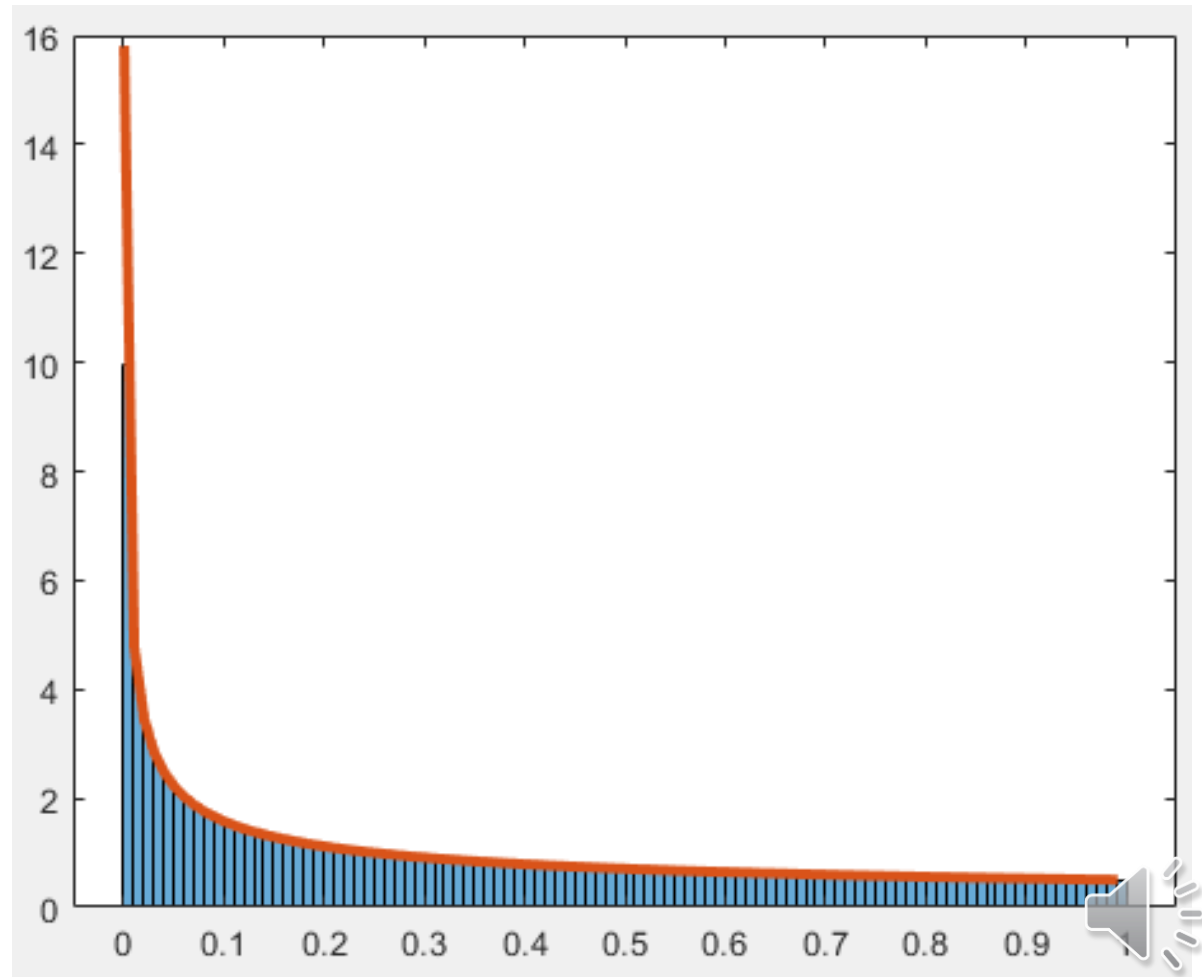
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hold on
z = 0.001:0.01:1;
f = 1./sqrt(z)./2;
plot(z,f,'LineWidth',3);
```

The pdf is:

$$f(x) = 1/(2 x^{1/2})$$



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Write a program to compute n samples of y .

Compute x for all samples of y .

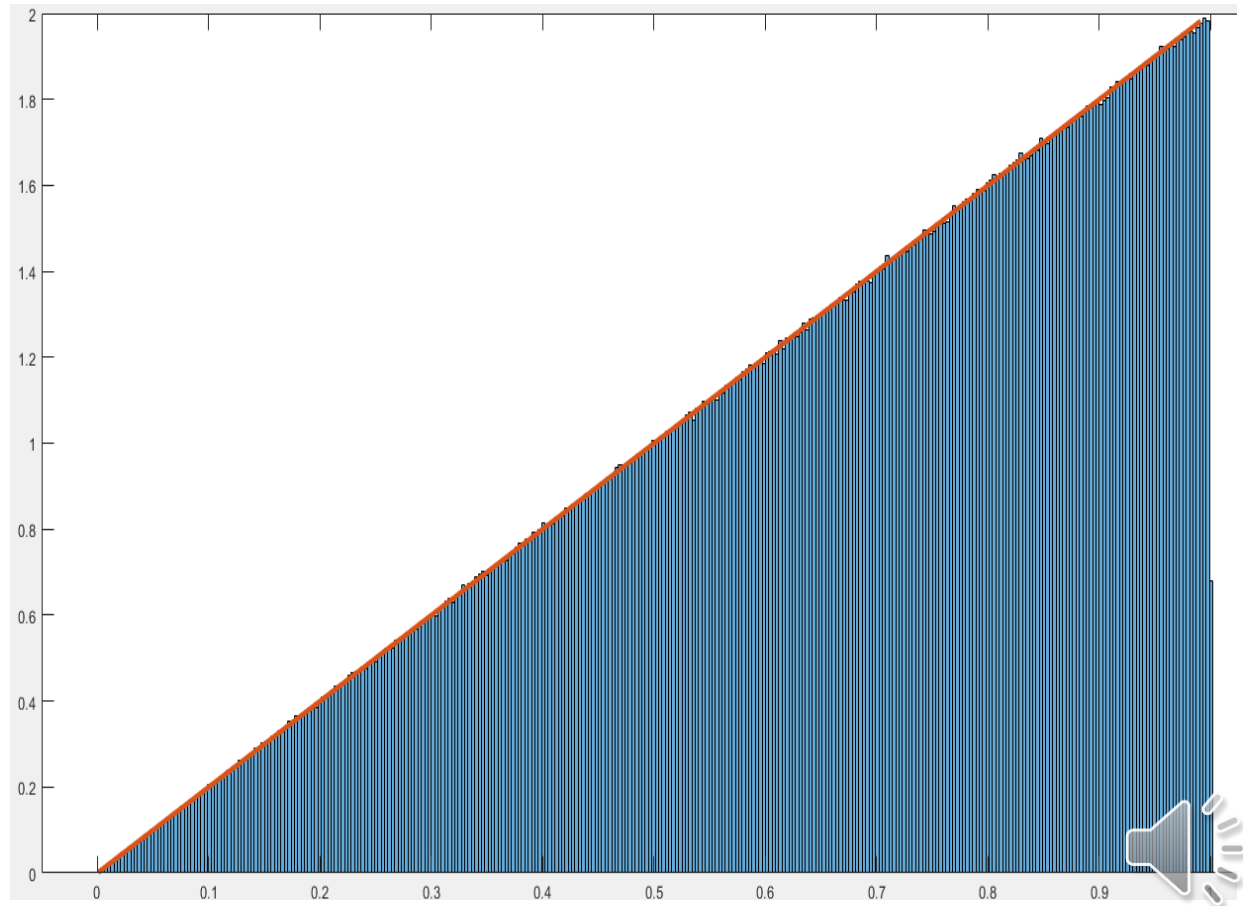
Show the histogram of x in pdf.

Plot the pdf, $f(x)$. Use the proper ranges for the axes.



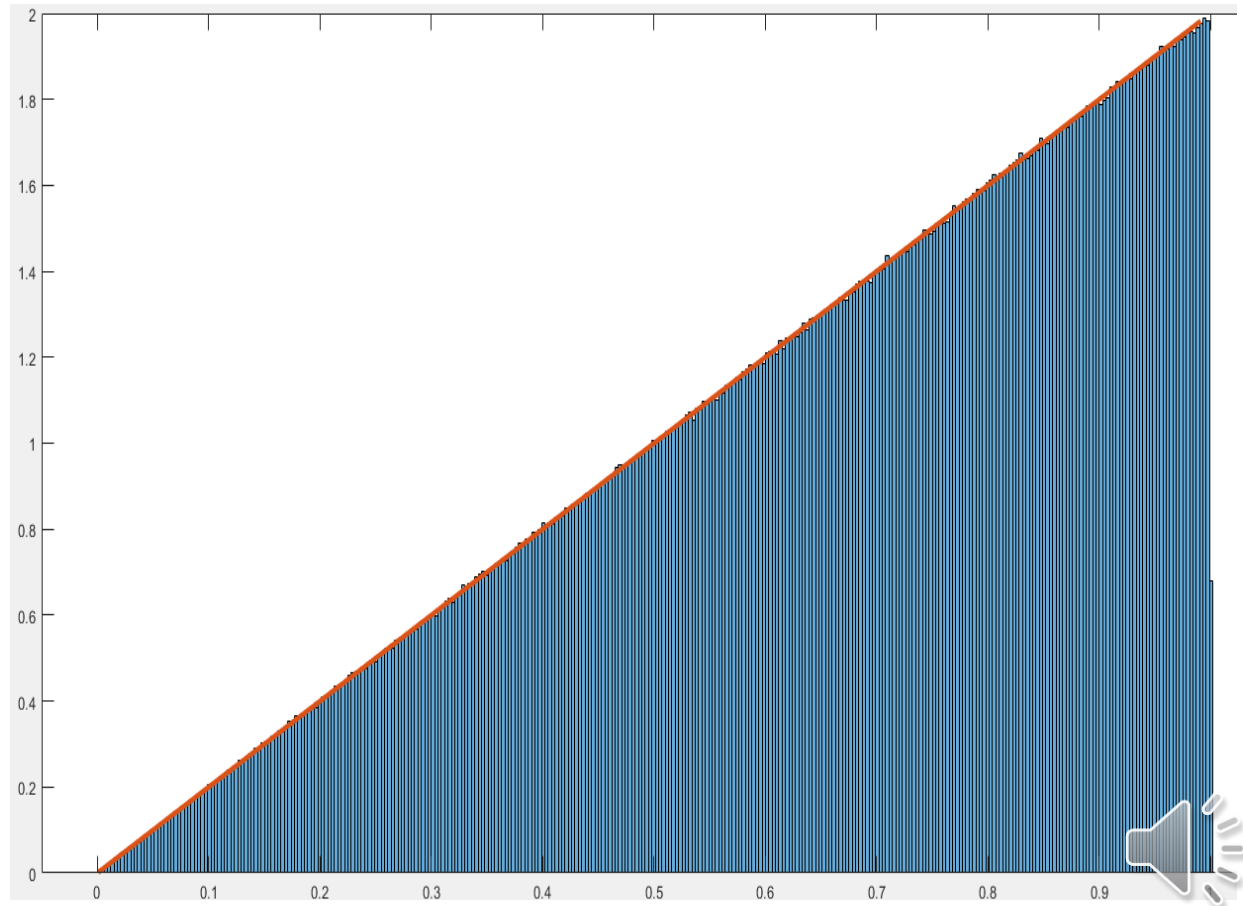
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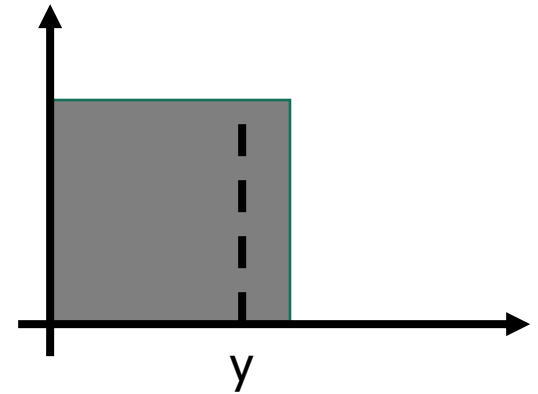


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Then we have the cumulative probability

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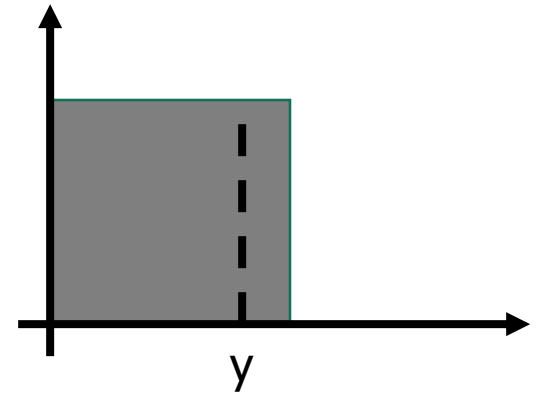


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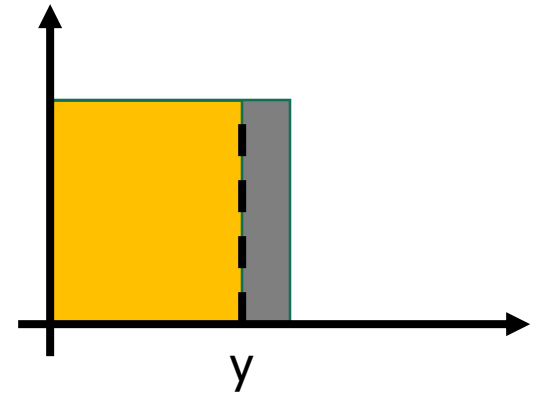


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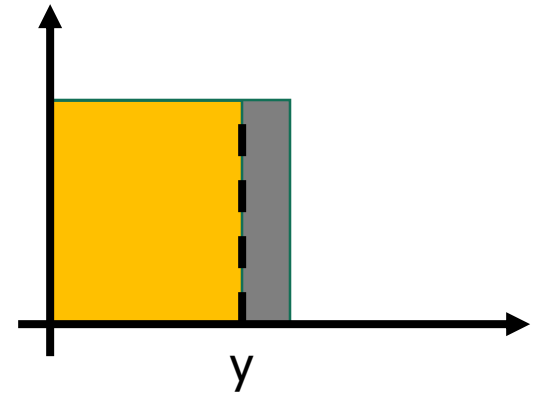


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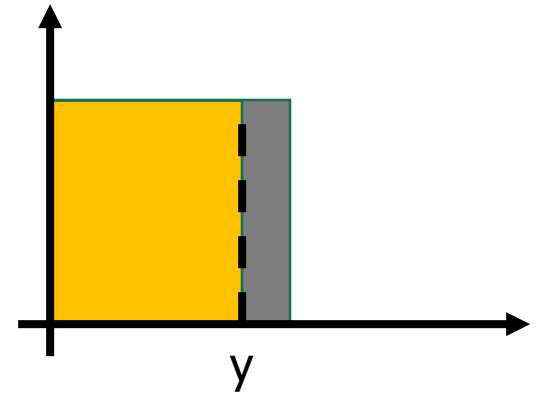


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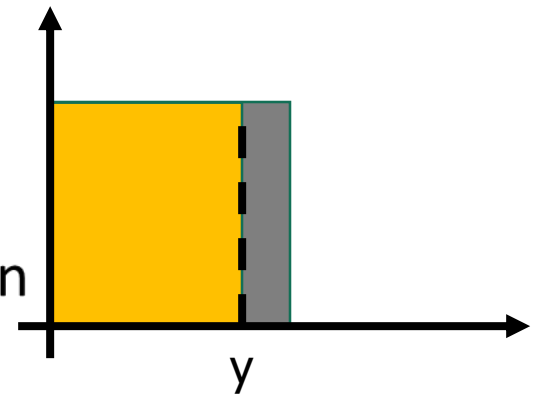
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Assume $f(Y)$ is the probability density function of Y . We have

$$p(Y \leq y) = \int_0^y f(t) dt = y$$
$$f(Y) = 1$$



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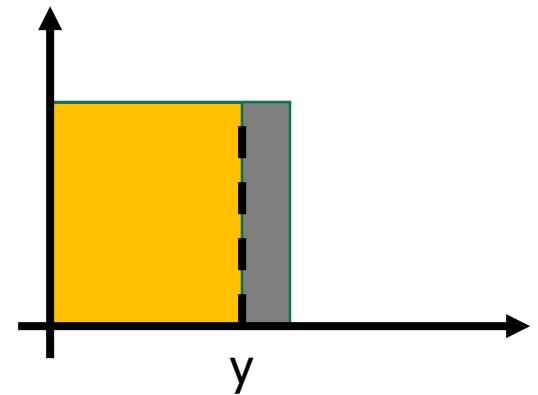
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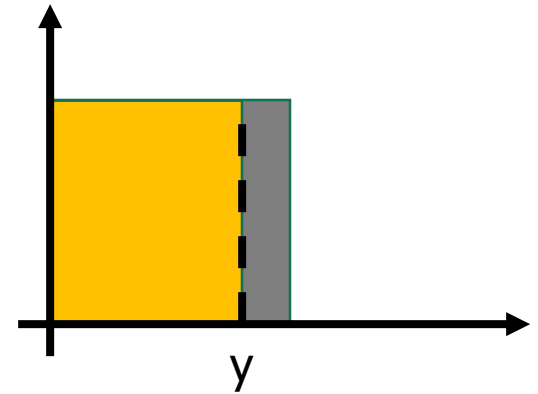
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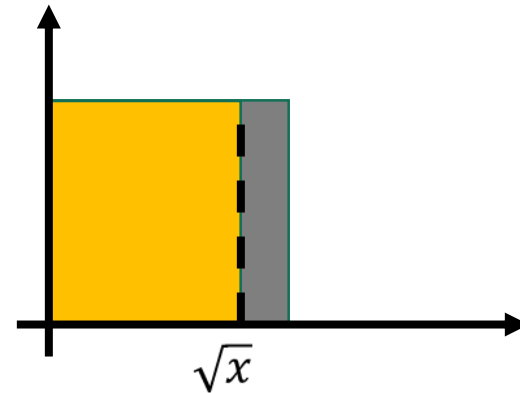
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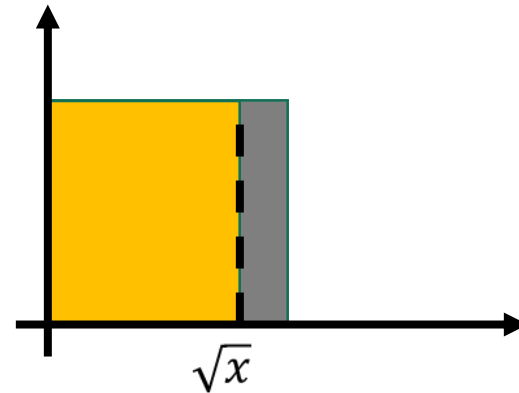
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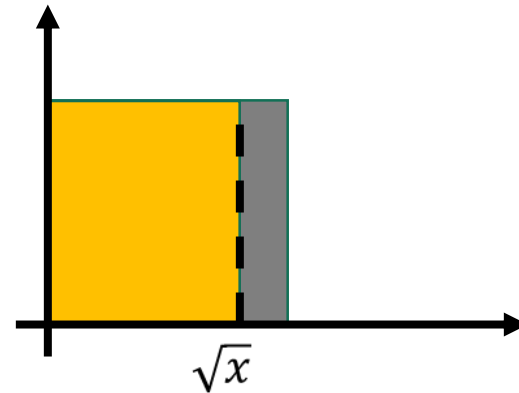
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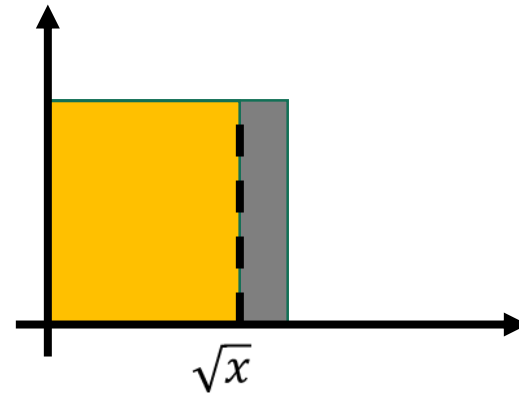
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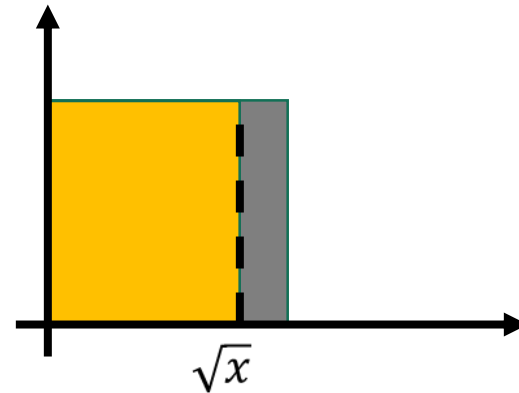
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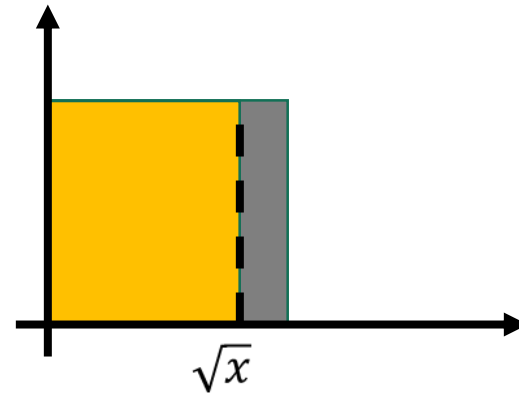
Probability density function conversion

```
clear  
syms x; syms y;  
solve(y+y^2 == x, y)
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```
ans =  
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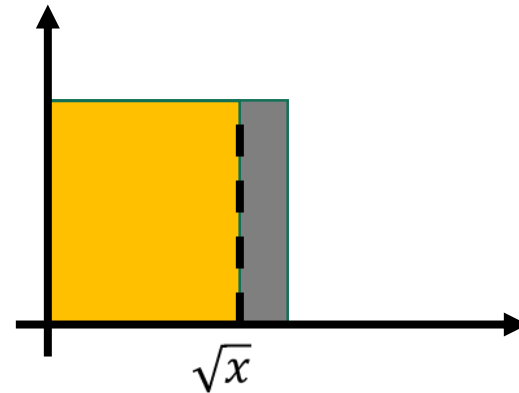
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Fix the bug

```
%  
% find and fix the bugs  
%  
% x = y + y^2  
%  
close all; clear; clf;  
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diff(cpf)  
  
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Probability density function conversion

Fix the bug (1 min)

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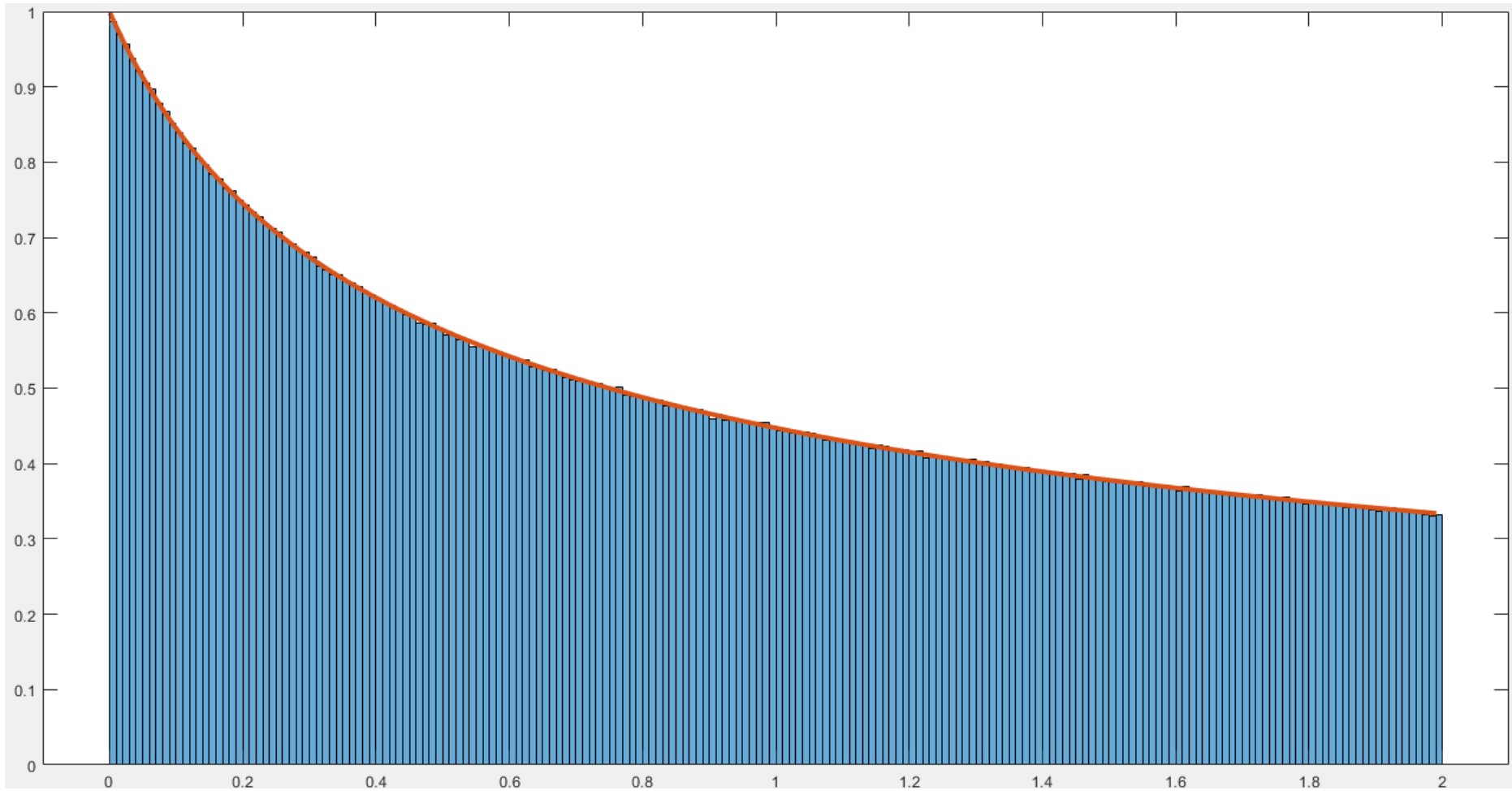
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Result



Probability density function conversion

Y is a random variable.

Y is generated randomly in a uniform manner inside $[0,1]$.

Let $X = 1 - Y$.

The cdf is

$$P(X \leq x)$$

$$= P(1 - Y \leq x)$$

$$= P(1 - x \leq Y)$$

$$= P(Y \geq 1 - x)$$

$$= 1 - P(Y < 1 - x)$$



Probability density function conversion

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end

my_pdf = diff(cpf);
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So? What is the cpf of X? what is the pdf of X?



Probability density function conversion

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tx0 = subs(func, y, ty0);
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% check if d_func is increasing...
cpf = s(1);
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end

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An increasing function:

$f(h2) \geq f(h1)$, for $h2 > h1$
 $f'(h) \geq 0$, for any h

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hold on
dx = 1/500;
x0 = 0:dx:1;
f = double(subs(my_pdf, x, x0));
plot(x0,f,'LineWidth',3);
set(gca, 'FontSize',15);
```

The pdf of X is 1, i.e., a uniform distribution.

Probability density function conversion

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    if (double(subs(s(i), tx0)) > 0)
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        break;
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// subs: too long time
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Exercise

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Let $X = \cos((Y^2 + aY)/2)$

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Ask to input n. Ask to input a which is inside [0,1].

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Draw the histogram of X.

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s =
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(2*acos(x) + 1/4)^(1/2) - 1/2    %2
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cpf = ?
```



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a = input('Input a:');
s = solve(x == cos(...
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subs(s(1), x, 2)
ans = (1/4 - 2*acos(2))^(1/2) - 1/2
subs(s(2), 2)
ans = (2*acos(2) + 1/4)^(1/2) - 1/2
subs(s(3), 2)
ans = - (1/4 - 2*acos(2))^(1/2) - 1/2
subs(s(4), 2)
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WRONG!

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1i
imaginary unit

**What is
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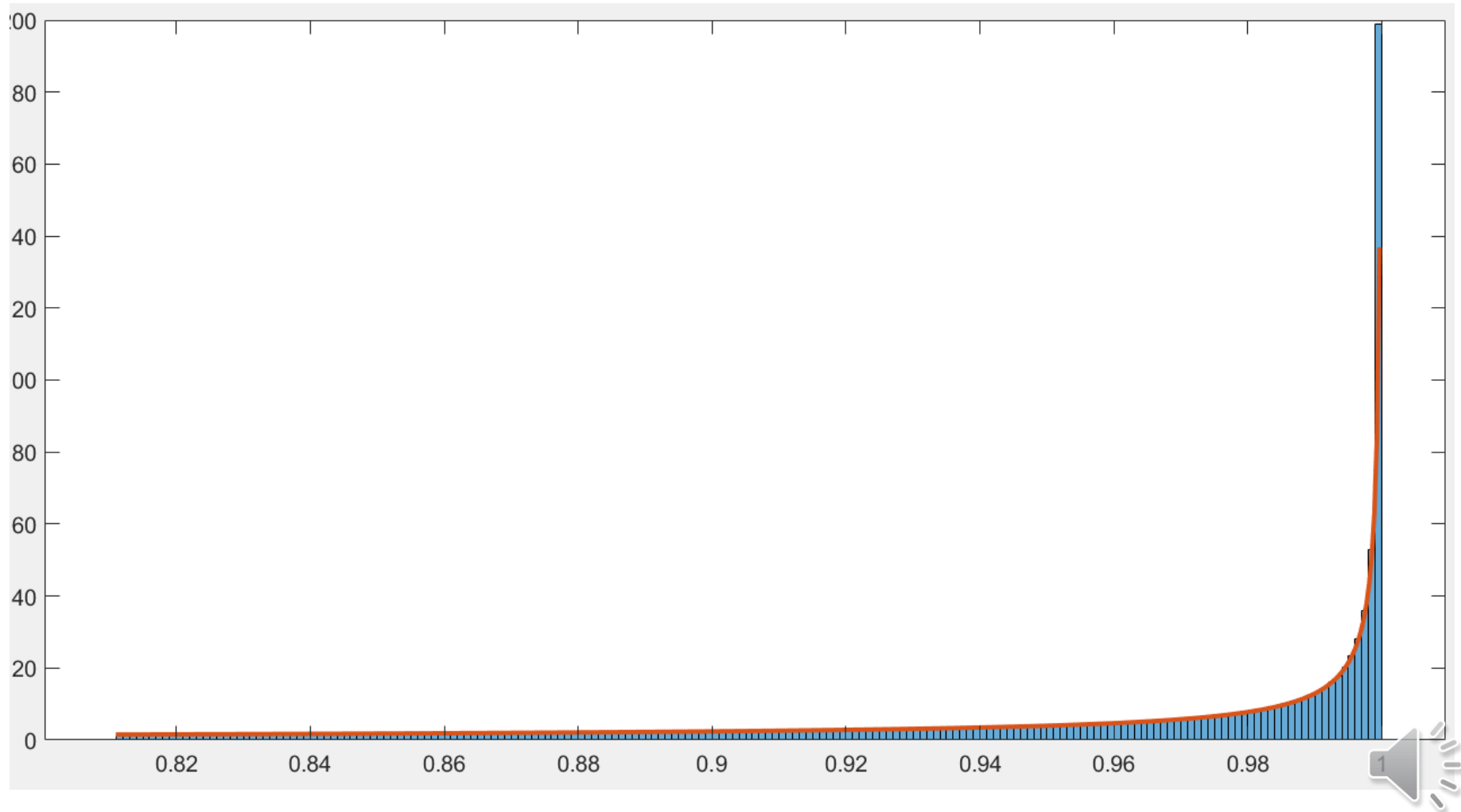
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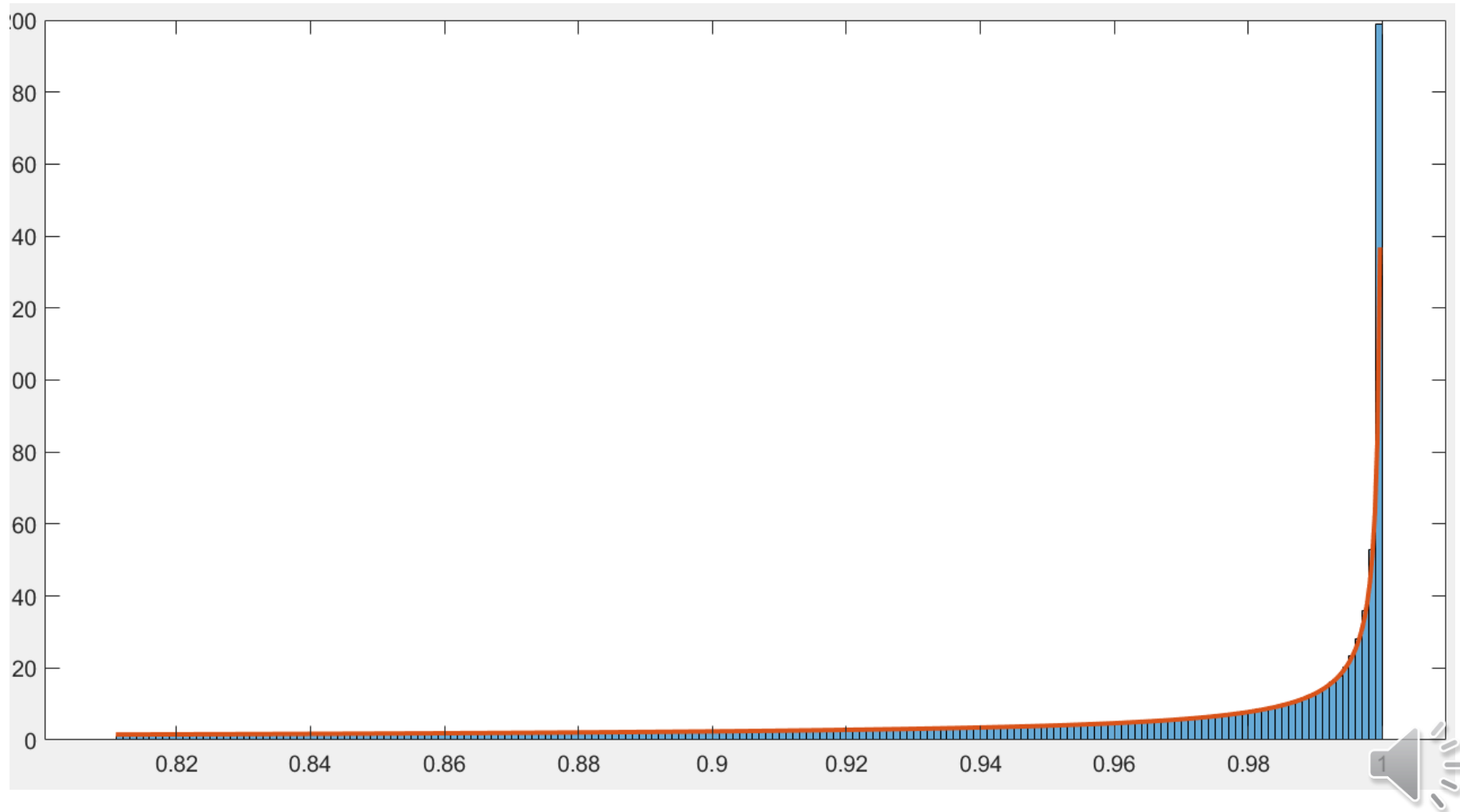


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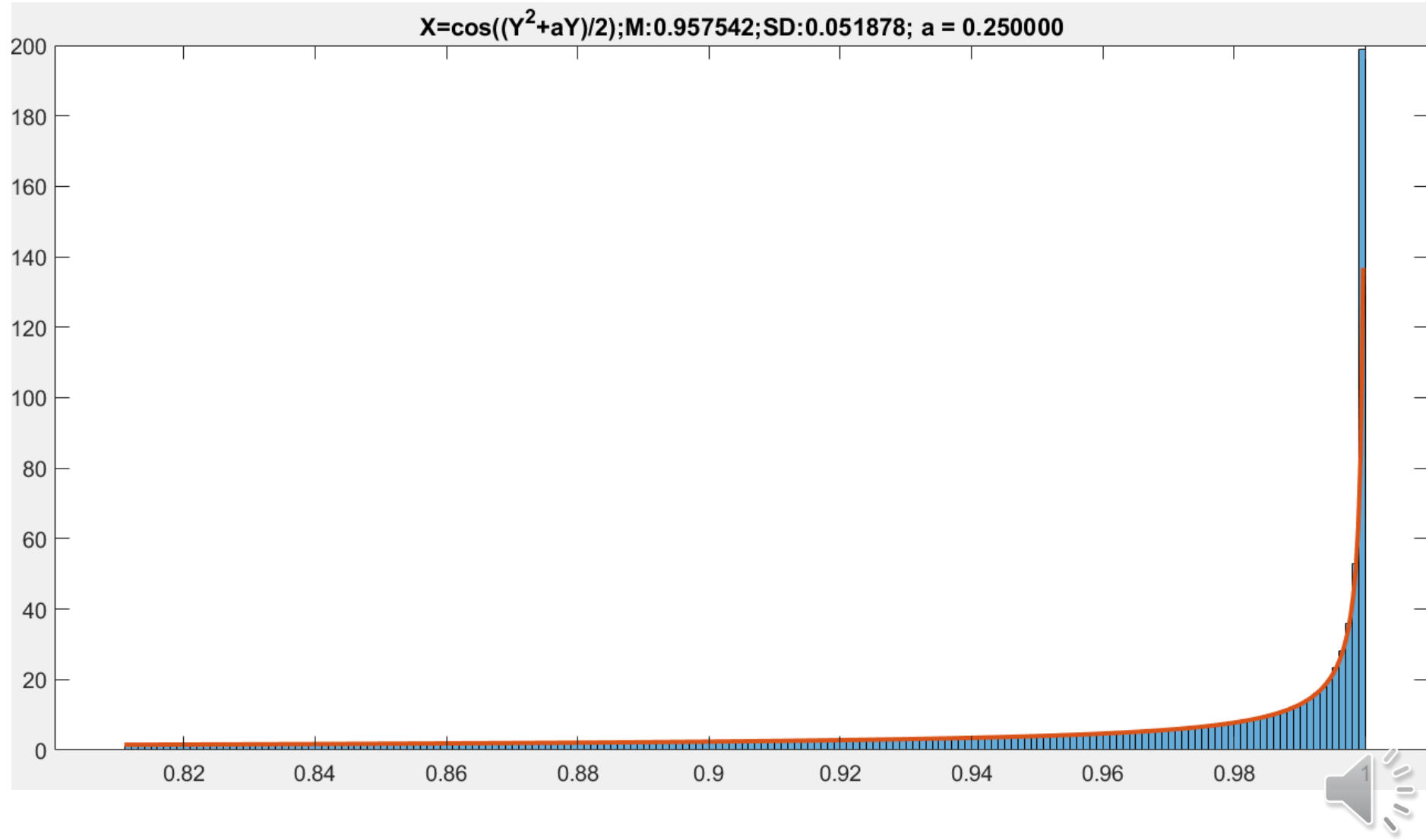


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Make a title?

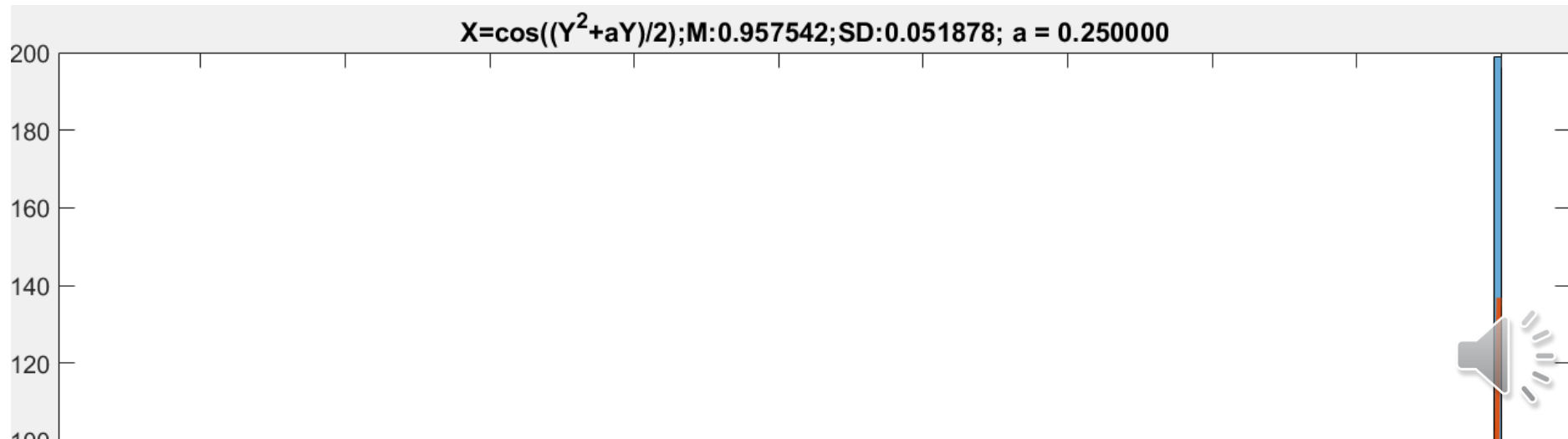


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str = "X=cos ( (Y^2+aY) /2) ;" + ...  
"M:%f;SD:%f; a = %f";  
tmsg = sprintf(str, mean(x1),  
std(x1), a);  
title(tmsg);
```



Exercise

Y is a random variable.

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Let $X = -Y - Y^2$.

Write a program to produce one figure. The system specification is as follows.

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Ask to input n.

Generate n sample points of X.

Draw the histogram of X.

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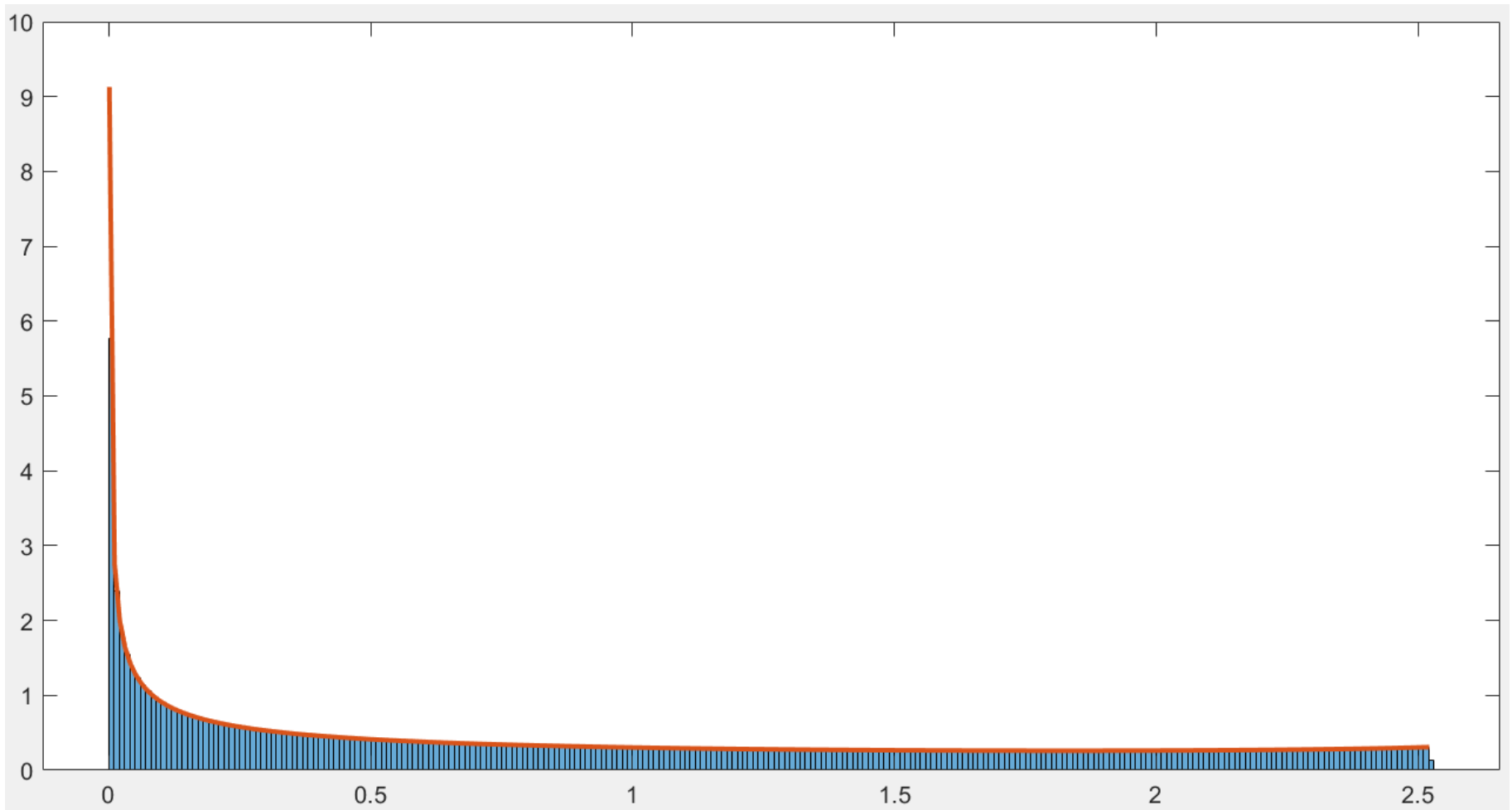
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$$X = 3\sin(Y^2)$$



Don't include the two end points because of division by zero.



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Let $X = e^Y - 1$.

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