Sample Questions 01

Consider the following probability density function (pdf) over the support (0, 1):

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 4x^3 & \text{if } 0 < x < 1\\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Write a function called rf, that generates i.i.d observations from this pdf. It should take in exactly one argument, n, that determines how many random variates to return. For instance:

set.seed(33) rf(n = 5)

[1] 0.8171828 0.7925983 0.8339701 0.9790711 0.9584520

Now generate 10,000 random variates from this pdf and store them in a vector named X.

Your script must generate a function named \mathtt{rf} and a vector named X.