Homework 5

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Problem 10.3

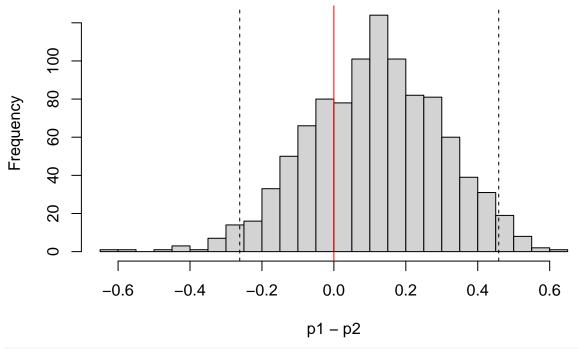
Problem 10.3(a)

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rm(list=ls())
set.seed(306)
p1<-rbeta(1000,6,10-6)
p2<-rbeta(1000,10,20-10)
quantile(p1-p2,c(0.05/2,1-0.05/2))

## 2.5% 97.5%
## -0.2617284 0.4583608

hist(p1-p2,breaks=20,main="Problem 10.3(a) - Histogram of 1,000 Draws from p_1-p_2")
abline(v=0,col="red")
abline(v=quantile(p1-p2,c(0.05/2,1-0.05/2)),lty=2)</pre>
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Problem 10.3(a) – Histogram of 1,000 Draws from p_1-p_2

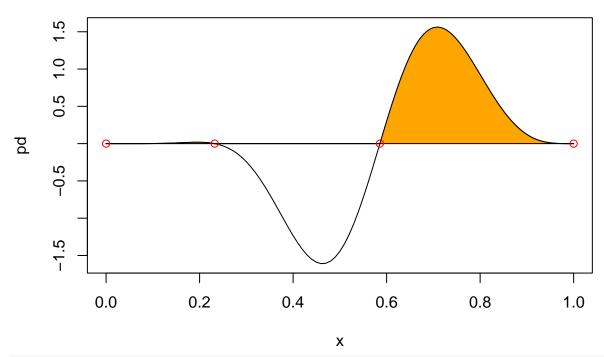


mean(p1>p2)

[1] 0.727

Problem 10.3(b)

Problem 10.3(b) – Plot of Beta(7,5)–Beta(11,11)



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length(x)/length(seq(0,1,0.0001)) # Length of [0,1] for which the function is positive
## [1] 0.6466353
0.58564/0.232165*(integrate(pd,0,0.232165)$value+integrate(pd,0.58564,1)$value) # C * E[f(x)]
## [1] 0.7476288
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Problem 2.

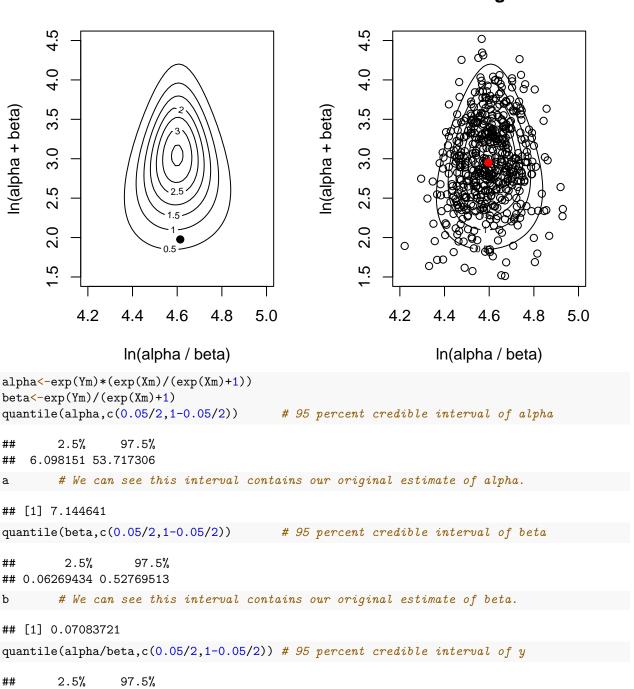
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y<-c(144.8,113.2,82.6,46.1,117.6)
mean(y)
                    # mean = alpha / beta
## [1] 100.86
var(y)
               # variance = alpha / beta^2
## [1] 1423.828
b<-mean(y)/var(y) # beta = mean / variance
a < -b*mean(y)
                  # alpha = beta * mean
Xm < -Ym < -rep(NA, 500)
mpd \leftarrow function(X,Y) \{a \leftarrow exp(Y) * exp(X) / (exp(X)+1)\}
  b < -exp(Y)/(exp(X)+1)
  \exp(-1845 + \log(a)/2 + \log(b+1) + \sup(a*\log(b) - (y+a)*\log(b+1) + \lgamma(y) - lbeta(a,y)) + 2*Y+X-2*log(exp(X)+1))
X<-seq(4.2,5,length=50) # Setting bounds of contour plot via trial-and-error
Y < -seq(1.5, 4.5, length = 50)
z<-matrix(NA,length(Y),length(X))</pre>
for (i in 1:length(Y)){for (j in 1:length(X)){z[j,i]<-mpd(X[j],Y[i])}}</pre>
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
contour(X,Y,z,xlab="ln(alpha / beta)",ylab="ln(alpha + beta)",main="Problem 2. - Contour Plot")
points(log(a/b),log(a+b),pch=19) # The original estimate appears to be a bit off.
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```
set.seed(306)
for (k in 1:length(Xm)){Xm[k]<-sample(X,1,TRUE,apply(z,1,sum)/sum(apply(z,1,sum)))
    Ym[k]<-sample(Y,1,TRUE,z[which(Xm[k]==X),]/sum(z[which(Xm[k]==X),]))}
contour(X,Y,z,xlab="ln(alpha / beta)",ylab="ln(alpha + beta)",main="Draws from Marginal Posterior")
Xm<-Xm+runif(length(Xm),-diff(X)/2,diff(X)/2)
Ym<-Ym+runif(length(Ym),-diff(Y)/2,diff(Y)/2)
points(Xm,Ym)
points(mean(Xm),mean(Ym),pch=19,col="red")</pre>
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Problem 2. – Contour Plot

80.57112 123.02468

Draws from Marginal Posterior



sort(y)

[1] 46.1 82.6 113.2 117.6 144.8

We can see this interval contains the middle three values of y. It is reasonable # that the minimum and maximum values are not included as they appear to be outliers.