

## Supplementary material 2

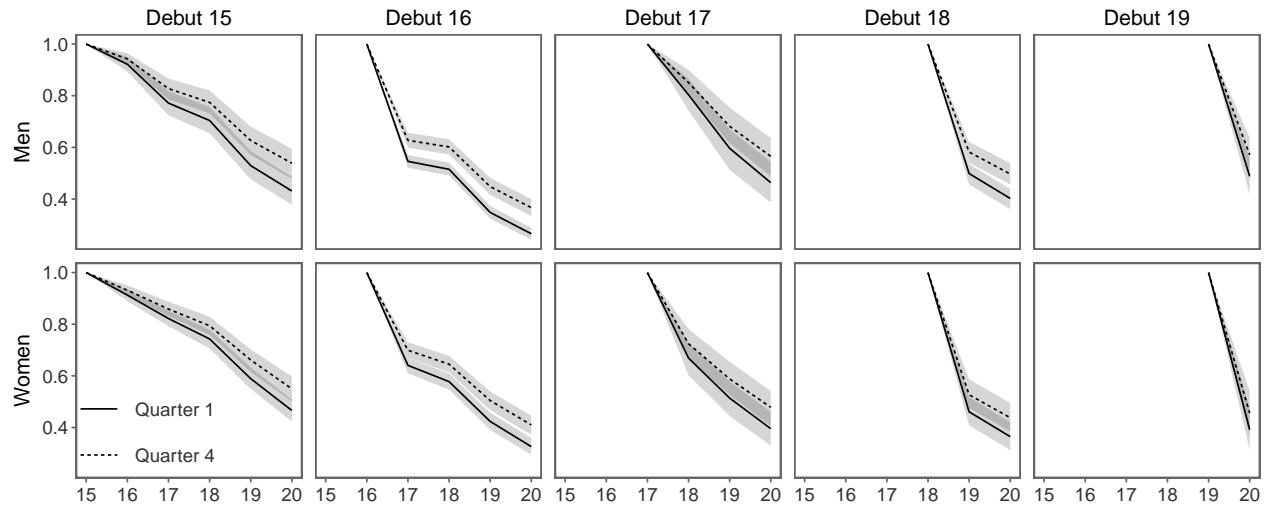


Figure 1: Chance of remaining selected for players born in quarter 1 and 4, with 95% compatibility interval.

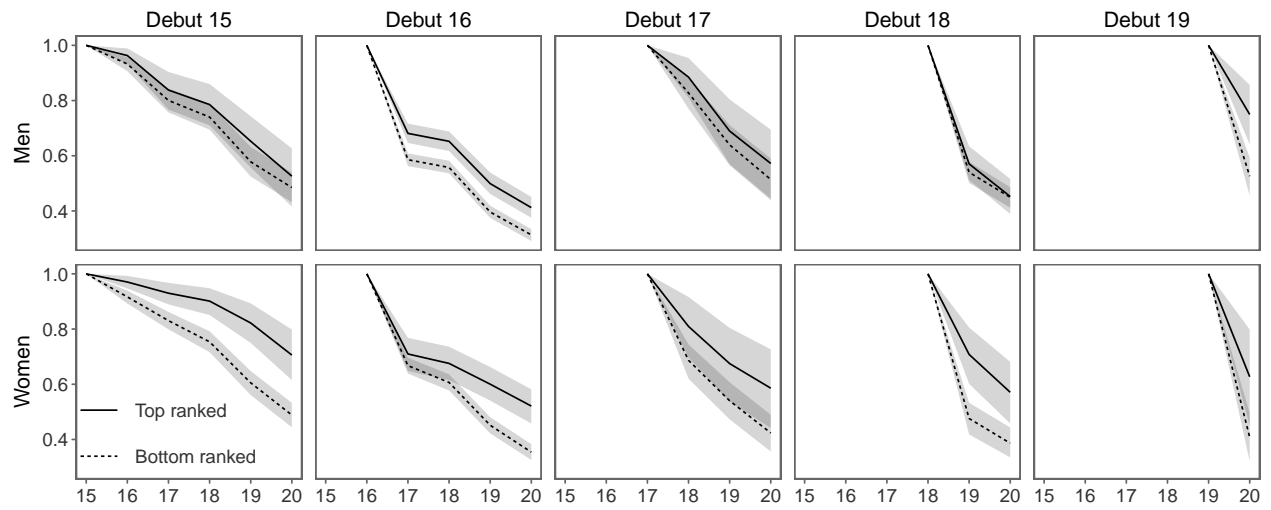


Figure 2: Chance of remaining selected in top and bottom-ranked countries by debut age, with 95% compatibility interval.