

MSM_metaAnalysis_Beta_example.r

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# This example was taken from Malta et al. (2010)

source("pooling_aux.r")

## Loading required package: ggplot2
## Registered S3 methods overwritten by 'ggplot2':
##   method      from
##   [.quosures   rlang
##   c.quosures   rlang
##   print.quosures rlang
meta <- read.csv("../data/meta_analysis_Malta_2010.csv")

meta$SampleSize

## [1] 658 461 621 1165 642 849
av <- meta$HIV + 1
bv <- meta$SampleSize - meta$HIV + 1
K <- nrow(meta)

beta_mean(av, bv)

## [1] 0.06818182 0.24190065 0.09951846 0.24164524 0.09006211 0.11750881
beta_mode(av, bv)

## [1] 0.06686930 0.24078091 0.09822866 0.24120172 0.08878505 0.11660777
beta_sd(av, bv)

## [1] 0.009803906 0.019880284 0.011983866 0.012525755 0.011271899 0.011032416
beta_sd(av, bv)^2

## [1] 9.611658e-05 3.952257e-04 1.436130e-04 1.568945e-04 1.270557e-04
## [6] 1.217142e-04
data.frame(meta$Study, round ( t( apply(cbind(av, bv), 1, stat_beta) ), 3))

##           meta.Study    av    V2    V3
## 1           Tun_et_al_2008 0.068 0.050 0.089
## 2      Barcellos_et_al_2003 0.242 0.204 0.282
## 3      Carneiro_et_al_2003 0.100 0.077 0.124
## 4      Sutmoller_et_al_2002 0.242 0.218 0.267
## 5 Brazilian_Ministry_of_Health_2000 0.090 0.069 0.113
## 6      Harrison_et_al_1999 0.118 0.097 0.140

# Individual entropies
entropies <- rep(NA, K)
for(k in 1:K) entropies[k] <- entropy_beta(av[k], bv[k])
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entropies

## [1] -3.212007 -2.500142 -3.009108 -2.961447 -3.070775 -3.090198
## Entropy surface (for a future dominance analysis)

library(fields)

## Loading required package: spam
## Loading required package: dotCall64
## Loading required package: grid
## Spam version 2.2-2 (2019-03-07) is loaded.
## Type 'help( Spam)' or 'demo( spam)' for a short introduction
## and overview of this package.
## Help for individual functions is also obtained by adding the
## suffix '.spam' to the function name, e.g. 'help( chol.spam)'.

##
## Attaching package: 'spam'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##      backsolve, forwardsolve

## Loading required package: maps

## See https://github.com/NCAR/Fields for
## an extensive vignette, other supplements and source code

ES <- entropy_surface_beta(av, bv)
export <- TRUE
if(export){
  pdf("../plots/entropy_surface_MSMBetaExample.pdf")
}
image.plot(ES$as, ES$bs, ES$M,
  xlab = expression(a), ylab = expression(b), horizontal = TRUE,
  cex.lab = 1.5, cex.axis = 1.5, axis.args = list(font = 2),
  legend.cex = 1.5,
  legend.lab = expression(H[pi]), main = "Entropy Beta distribution", font = 2)
if(export){
  dev.off()
}

## pdf
## 2

#####
PaperMSMBeta.tbl <- data.frame(mean.prior = rep(NA, 6), lower.prior = NA,
  upper.prior = NA)
rownames(PaperMSMBeta.tbl) <- c("equal_weights", "maximum_entropy", "minimum_KL",
  "hierarchical_Dirichlet", "hierarchical_LogisticNormal", "Sample_size")

AlphasMSMBeta.tbl <- data.frame(matrix(NA, nrow = 3, ncol = length(av)))
rownames(AlphasMSMBeta.tbl) <- c("maximum_entropy", "minimum_KL", "Sample_size")
colnames(AlphasMSMBeta.tbl) <- paste("alpha_", 0:(K-1), sep = "")

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library(ggplot2)

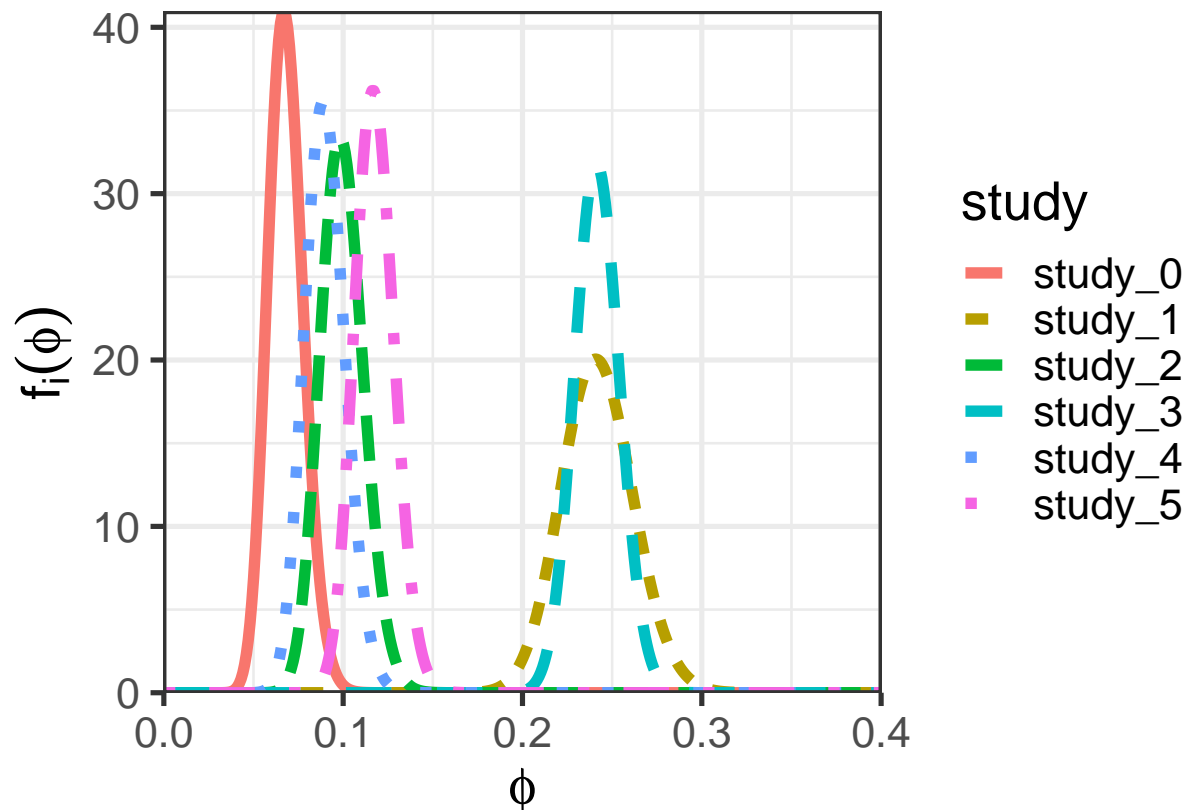
phi.grid <- seq(0, 1, length.out = 1000)
study.densities <- vector(K, mode = "list")
for(k in 1:K){
  study.densities[[k]] <- data.frame(phi = phi.grid,
                                     dens = dbeta(phi.grid, shape1 = av[k], shape2 = bv[k]),
                                     study = paste("study_", k-1, sep = ""))
}
study.densities.df <- do.call(rbind, study.densities)
study.densities.df$distribution <- "Beta"
write.csv(study.densities.df, file = "../data/output/MSM_Beta_expert_densities.csv", row.names = FALSE)

study_priors <- ggplot(study.densities.df, aes(x = phi, y = dens,
                                              linetype = study, colour = study)) +
  geom_line(size = 2) +
  # scale_linetype_manual(values = c("twodash", "dotted", "longdash", "solid"))+
  scale_x_continuous(expression(phi), expand = c(0, 0), limits = c(0, .4)) +
  scale_y_continuous(expression(fi(phi)), expand = c(0, 0)) +
  theme_bw(base_size = 20)

study_priors

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ggsave(study_priors, filename = "../plots/study_densities_MSMBeta.pdf")

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##### Equal weights

alphaEqual <- rep(1/K, K)

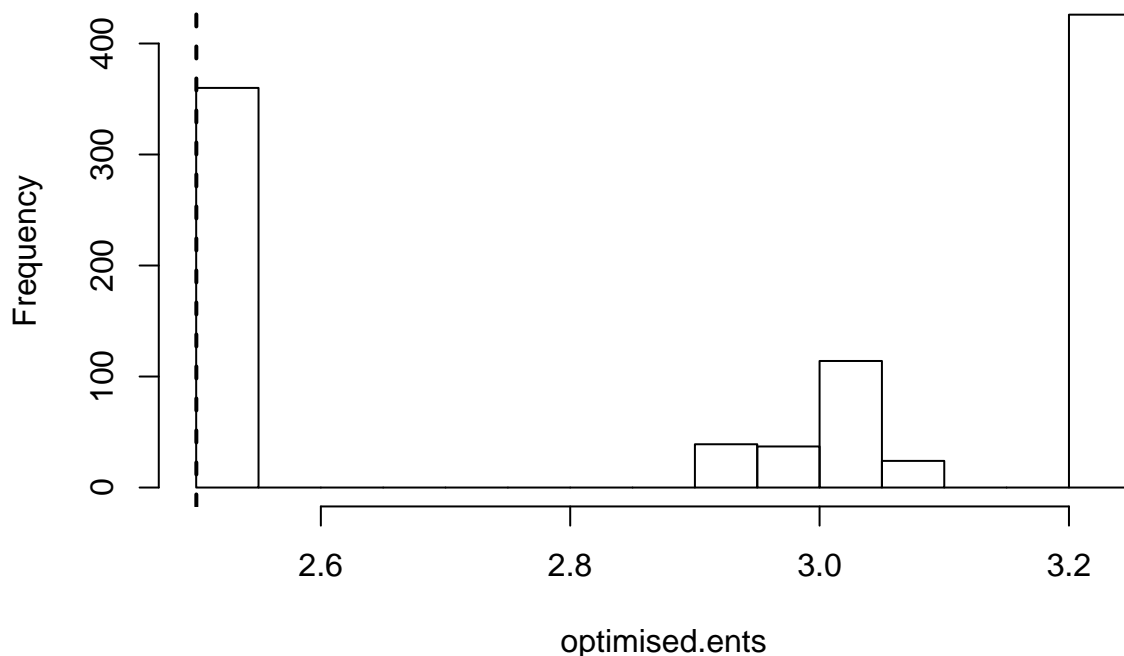
ab.Equal.star <- pool_par(alphaEqual, av, bv)
# Prior
(PaperMSMBeta.tbl[1, 1:3] <- stat_beta(ab.Equal.star))

## [1] 0.1495009 0.1246565 0.1761523
##### Maximum entropy

N <- 1000 ## could increase to, say, 10000 in order to make sure, but it's fine
ent.many.startingPoints <- matrix(rnorm(n = (K-1)*N, mean = 0, sd = 100), ncol = K-1, nrow = N)
many.ents <- lapply(1:N, function(i) {
  optim(ent.many.startingPoints[i, ], optentbeta_inv, ap = av, bp = bv)
})
optimised.ents <- unlist(lapply(many.ents, function(x) x$value))

hist(optimised.ents)
abline(v = optimised.ents[which.min(optimised.ents)], lty = 2, lwd = 2)
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Histogram of optimised.ents



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alphaMaxEnt.opt <- alpha_01(many.ents[[which.min(optimised.ents)]]$par)
round(alphaMaxEnt.opt, 2)
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## [1] 0 1 0 0 0 0
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( AlphasMSMBeta.tbl[1, ] <- alphaMaxEnt.opt )

## [1] 2.898465e-15 1.000000e+00 2.220446e-16 0.000000e+00 0.000000e+00
## [6] 0.000000e+00

ab.MaxEnt.star <- pool_par(alphaMaxEnt.opt, av, bv)

# Prior
(PaperMSMBeta.tbl[2, 1:3] <- stat_beta(ab.MaxEnt.star))

## [1] 0.2419006 0.2040203 0.2818927

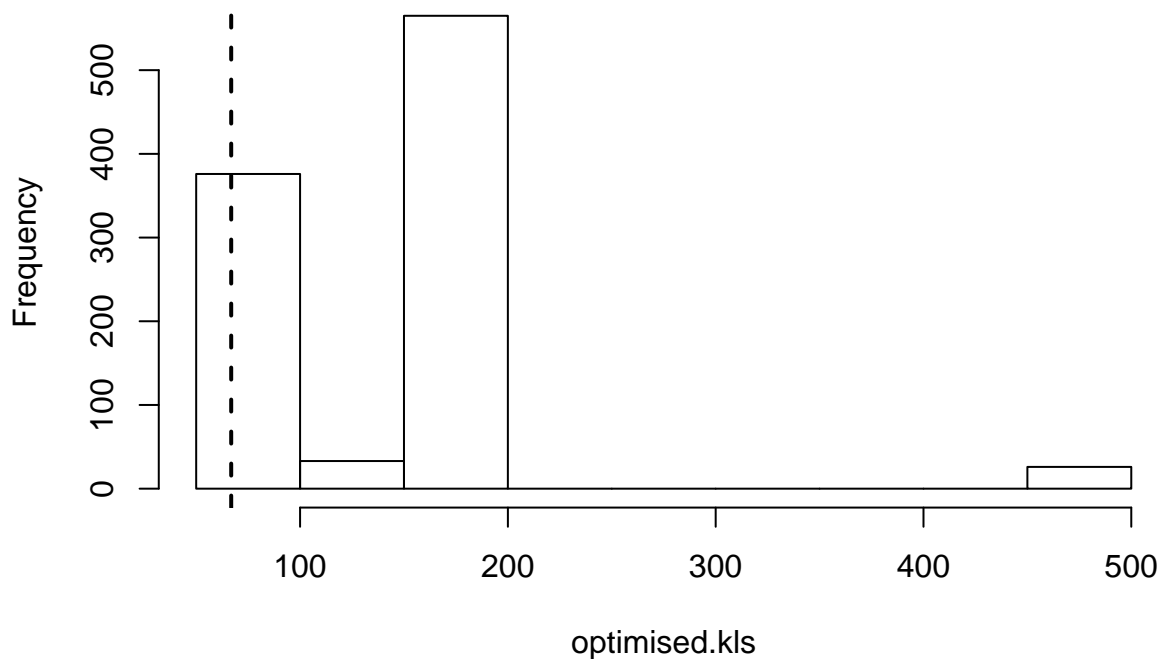
##### Minimum KL

N <- 1000 ## could increase to, say, 10000 in order to make sure, but it's fine
kl.many.startingPoints <- matrix(rnorm(n = (K-1)*N, mean = 0, sd = 100), ncol = K-1, nrow = N)
many.kls <- lapply(1:N, function(i) {
  optim(kl.many.startingPoints[i, ], optklbeta_inv, ap = av, bp = bv, type = "fp")
})
optimised.kls <- unlist(lapply(many.kls, function(x) x$value))

hist(optimised.kls)
abline(v = optimised.kls[which.min(optimised.kls)], lty = 2, lwd = 2)

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Histogram of optimised.kls



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alphaKL.opt <- alpha_01(many.kls[[which.min(optimised.kls)]]$par)

round(AlphasMSMBeta.tbl[2, ] <- alphaKL.opt, 2)

## [1] 0.53 0.47 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00

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ab.KL.star <- pool_par(alphaKL.opt, av, bv)

# Prior
(PaperMSMBeta.tbl[3, 1:3] <- stat_beta(ab.KL.star))

## [1] 0.1341829 0.1074299 0.1633742

##### Hierarchical priors
require("LearnBayes")

## Loading required package: LearnBayes
M <- 100000
X <- c(1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1)/10
alpha.MC.dirichlet <- rdirichlet(M, X)
alpha.MC.logisticNormal <- rlogisticnorm(N = M,
                                         m = digamma(X)-digamma(X[K]),
                                         Sigma = constructSigma(X))

apply(alpha.MC.dirichlet, 2, mean)

## [1] 0.1681538 0.1649428 0.1682642 0.1654654 0.1670445 0.1661293
apply(alpha.MC.logisticNormal, 2, mean)

## [1] 0.1659923 0.1646214 0.1682818 0.1650614 0.1689670 0.1670761
apply(alpha.MC.dirichlet, 2, sd)

## [1] 0.2955677 0.2929785 0.2964780 0.2939351 0.2942324 0.2941033
apply(alpha.MC.logisticNormal, 2, sd)

## [1] 0.3434359 0.3418889 0.3453067 0.3421141 0.3451033 0.3436754
beta.par.dirichlet <- alpha.MC.dirichlet %*% cbind(av, bv)
beta.par.logisticNormal <- alpha.MC.logisticNormal %*% cbind(av, bv)

phi.par.dirichlet <- apply(beta.par.dirichlet, 1, function(x) rbeta(1, x[1], x[2]))
phi.par.logisticNormal <- apply(beta.par.logisticNormal, 1, function(x) rbeta(1, x[1], x[2]))
# Prior
PaperMSMBeta.tbl[4, 1] <- mean(phi.par.dirichlet)
PaperMSMBeta.tbl[4, 2:3] <- quantile(phi.par.dirichlet, c(.025, .975))

PaperMSMBeta.tbl[5, 1] <- mean(phi.par.logisticNormal)
PaperMSMBeta.tbl[5, 2:3] <- quantile(phi.par.logisticNormal, c(.025, .975))

##### Using sample sizes

alphas.sampleSize <- meta$SampleSize/sum(meta$SampleSize)

(AlphasMSMBeta.tbl[3, ] <- alphas.sampleSize)

## [1] 0.1496815 0.1048681 0.1412648 0.2650136 0.1460419 0.1931301
ab.sampleSize <- pool_par(alphas.sampleSize, av, bv)

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# Prior
(PaperMSMBeta.tbl[6, 1:3] <- stat_beta(ab.sampleSize))

## [1] 0.1615843 0.1369570 0.1878078
#### Finally, tables!

round(PaperMSMBeta.tbl, 3)

##
##          mean.prior lower.prior upper.prior
## equal_weights      0.150      0.125      0.176
## maximum_entropy    0.242      0.204      0.282
## minimum_KL         0.134      0.107      0.163
## hierarchical_Dirichlet 0.144      0.066      0.253
## hierarchical_LogisticNormal 0.143      0.060      0.261
## Sample_size        0.162      0.137      0.188

round(AlphasMSMBeta.tbl, 3)

##
##          alpha_0 alpha_1 alpha_2 alpha_3 alpha_4 alpha_5
## maximum_entropy  0.000  1.000  0.000  0.000  0.000  0.000
## minimum_KL       0.534  0.466  0.000  0.000  0.000  0.000
## Sample_size      0.150  0.105  0.141  0.265  0.146  0.193

round(PaperMSMBeta.tbl, 2)

##
##          mean.prior lower.prior upper.prior
## equal_weights      0.15      0.12      0.18
## maximum_entropy    0.24      0.20      0.28
## minimum_KL         0.13      0.11      0.16
## hierarchical_Dirichlet 0.14      0.07      0.25
## hierarchical_LogisticNormal 0.14      0.06      0.26
## Sample_size        0.16      0.14      0.19

round(AlphasMSMBeta.tbl, 2)

##
##          alpha_0 alpha_1 alpha_2 alpha_3 alpha_4 alpha_5
## maximum_entropy  0.00  1.00  0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00
## minimum_KL       0.53  0.47  0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00
## Sample_size      0.15  0.10  0.14  0.27  0.15  0.19

write.csv(round(PaperMSMBeta.tbl, 3), file = "../data/output/MSM_Beta_stat.csv", row.names = TRUE)
write.csv(round(AlphasMSMBeta.tbl, 3), file = "../data/output/MSM_Beta_weights.csv", row.names = TRUE)

##### Plotting

posterior_studies <- data.frame(
  alpha = as.numeric(c(AlphasMSMBeta.tbl[1, ], AlphasMSMBeta.tbl[2, ], AlphasMSMBeta.tbl[3, ])),
  lwr = rep(NA, 18),
  upr = rep(NA, 18),
  study = rep(paste("study_", 0:(K-1), sep = ""), 3),
  method = rep(c("maximum_entropy", "minimum_KL", "Sample_size"), each = K)
)

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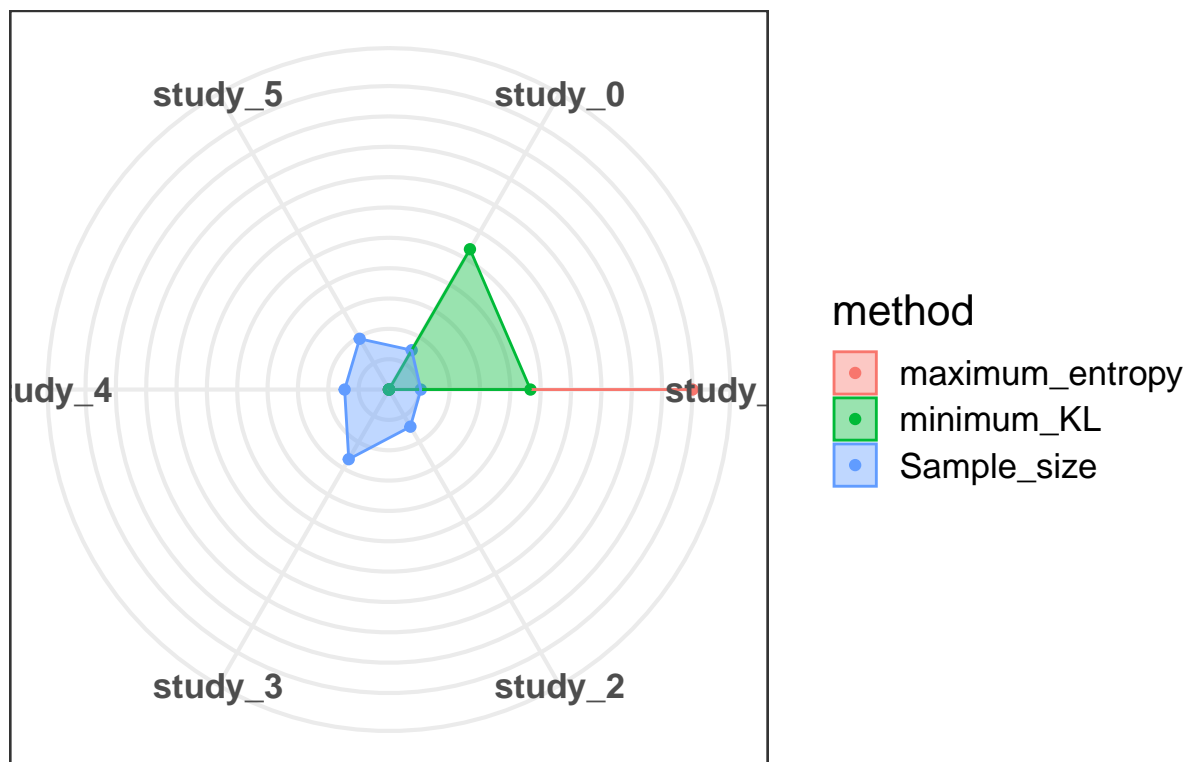
radar_alphas <- ggplot(data = posterior_studies,
  aes(x = study, y = alpha, group = method, colour = method, fill = method)) +

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geom_point() +
geom_polygon(alpha = 0.4) +
theme_bw(base_size = 16) +
scale_y_continuous(expand = c(0, 0), limits = c(0, 1),
                    breaks = number_ticks(10)) +
coord_radar() +
theme(axis.title.x = element_blank(),
      axis.ticks.x = element_blank(),
      axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
      axis.title.y = element_blank(),
      axis.text.y = element_blank(),
      axis.ticks.y = element_blank())
)
radar_alphas

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ggsave(plot = radar_alphas, filename = "../plots/alphas_radar_MSMBeta.pdf")

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## Saving 6.5 x 4.5 in image

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# Now let's look at marginal likelihoods for the pooled priors

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pars <- list(equal_weights = ab.Equal.star,
             maximum_entropy = ab.MaxEnt.star,
             minimum_KL = ab.KL.star,
             sample_Size = ab.sampleSize)

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lapply(pars, function(x) c(beta_mean(a = x[1], b = x[2]), beta_sd(a = x[1], b = x[2])) ) )

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## $equal_weights

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## [1] 0.14950091 0.01314675
##
## $maximum_entropy
## [1] 0.24190065 0.01988028
##
## $minimum_KL
## [1] 0.13418294 0.01428718
##
## $sample_Size
## [1] 0.16158429 0.01298057

apply(AlphasMSMBeta.tbl, 1, get_ratio)

## maximum_entropy      minimum_KL      Sample_size
##      3.450102e+14      1.144914e+00      1.372203e+00

J <- length(pars)
posterior.densities.list <- vector(J, mode = "list")
for (j in 1:J){
  posterior.densities.list[[j]] <- data.frame(
    phi = phi.grid,
    dens = dbeta(phi.grid, shape1 = pars[[j]][1], shape2 = pars[[j]][2]),
    method = names(pars)[j]
  )
}

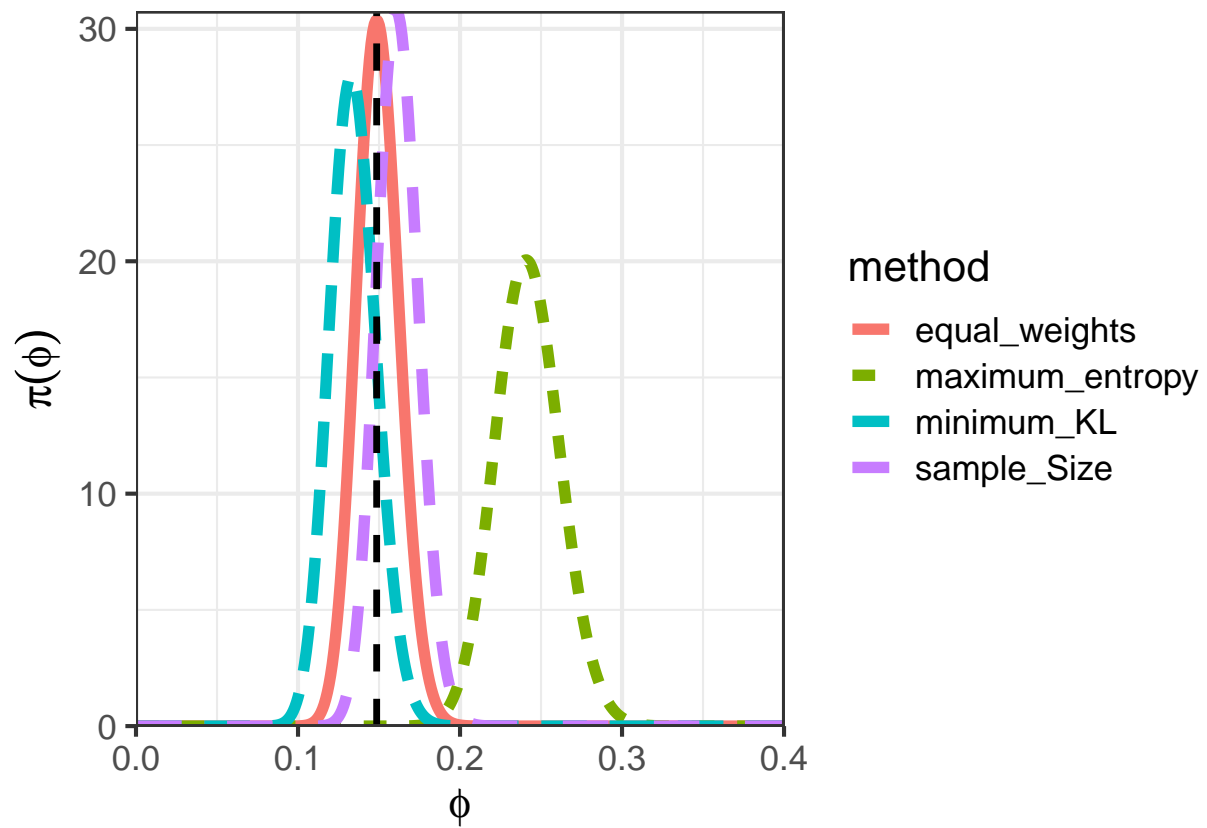
posterior.densities.df <- do.call(rbind, posterior.densities.list)
posterior.densities.df$distribution <- "Beta"

write.csv(posterior.densities.df, "../data/output/MSM_Beta_densities.csv", row.names = FALSE)

method_posteriors <- ggplot(posterior.densities.df, aes(x = phi, y = dens,
                                                         linetype = method, colour = method)) +
  geom_line(size = 2) +
  scale_x_continuous(expression(phi), expand = c(0, 0), limits = c(0, .4)) +
  scale_y_continuous(expression(pi(phi)), expand = c(0, 0)) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = sum(meta$HIV)/sum(meta$SampleSize), linetype = "dashed", size = 1.2) +
  theme_bw(base_size = 16)

method_posteriors

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ggsave(method_posteriors, filename = "../plots/method_posterior_densities_MSMBeta.pdf")
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## Saving 6.5 x 4.5 in image
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## Warning: Removed 2400 rows containing missing values (geom_path).
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