Parallel coordinate plots

This next line sets the data to be a data frame. It's not really necessary to do this. It's sometimes easier to work this way, especially for plots, because the plot labels better reflect the variable labels.

- d.oestrogen<-as.data.frame(oestrogen)

This line attaches the data set, so that you can refer to a column of data by its label.

- attach(d.oestrogen)

This is the functional line. It requests a parallel coordinate plot, paneled by the group variable, and laid out so that the two plots are stacked vertically. I don’t know how to turn off the automatic coloring (very awful) or to force the traces to be drawn horizontally instead of vertically.

- parallel(~oestrogen[,4:9] | group,layout=c(1,2))