

# Logistic Regression using sklearn

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from sklearn import datasets
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from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
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cancer = datasets.load_breast_cancer()
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clf = LogisticRegression()
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clf.fit(cancer.data, cancer.target)
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clf.predict(cancer.data)
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clf.score(cancer.data, cancer.target)
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↓  
mean accuracy

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clf.predict(cancer.data) - cancer.target
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↓  
wherever 0 : correct prediction

1, -1 : wrong prediction

↓  
helps us recognise the points of distinction and  
can be used to refine the system.

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clf.predict_proba(cancer.data)
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gives the value of the hypothesis function  
for the data point

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tells us as to how sure, we are about choosing  
a value.

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if the difference is not much, then the model is not very certain.



these point are the main points of error

\*) Tweaking the sklearn logistic regression classifier

1. for regularization,

$$\text{cost} = \text{error function} + \lambda \sum m_i$$



c parameter in classifier in sklearn

$$\text{net cost} = c(\text{orig-cost}) + \sum (m_i)^2$$

if very large, then regularization won't happen.



Rather than applying weight to summation of parameters, it applied weight to the original cost and that is a hyperparameter for the sklearn classifier

2. Solver = "liblinear" by default → does not support multinomial.



sag or saga are faster alternatives.

3. Tolerance value : When change in cost fn. value is less than this value, we don't proceed further.

4. multiclass = "ovs", "multinomial"