

Derivation

We know that Normal equation for logistic regression is

$$\theta = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y$$

where θ is the vector of parameters we want to ~~est~~ estimate

X : Input feature value of each instance

Y : Output value of each instance.

We know hypothesis equation:-

$$h(\theta) = \theta_0 x_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2 + \dots + \theta_n x_n$$

$$\Rightarrow h(\theta) = \theta^T \cdot x = h_\theta(x) \text{ (Representation)}$$

$$\theta^T = [\theta_0 \quad \theta_1 \quad \theta_2 \quad \dots \quad \theta_n] \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Cost function:-

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} (h_\theta(x) - y)^T (h_\theta(x) - y)$$

also

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^i) - y^{(i)})^2$$

x^i : the input variable i^{th} training example

m : no. of training samples

y^i : expected result of i^{th} instance.

cost function in vector form-

$$\begin{bmatrix} h_{\theta}(x^0) \\ h_{\theta}(x^1) \\ \dots \\ h_{\theta}(x^m) \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} y^0 \\ y^1 \\ \dots \\ y^m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \theta^T(x^0) \\ \theta^T(x^1) \\ \dots \\ \theta^T(x^m) \end{bmatrix} - y$$

We know

$$\theta^T(x^i) = \theta_0(x_0^i) + \theta_1(x_1^i) + \dots + \theta_n(x_n^i)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \theta_0(x_0^0) + \theta_1(x_1^0) + \dots + \theta_n(x_n^0) \\ \theta_0(x_0^1) + \theta_1(x_1^1) + \dots + \theta_n(x_n^1) \\ \dots \\ \theta_0(x_0^m) + \theta_1(x_1^m) + \dots + \theta_n(x_n^m) \end{bmatrix} - y$$

$x_j^i \rightarrow j^{\text{th}}$ feature in i^{th} training sample

we can write computed matrix as
 $(X\theta - y)$

$$\text{Hence, cost} = (X\theta - y)^T (X\theta - y) = J$$

motive is to minimize cost

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} [(X\theta - y)^T (X\theta - y)]$$

$\Rightarrow \theta$ is the variable

Applying product variable with
we get

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta} = X^T (X\theta - y) + X (X\theta - y)^T$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta} = X^T X \theta - X^T y + X X^T \theta - X y^T$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta} = 2X^T X \theta - 2X^T y \quad (X X^T = X^T X \text{ as } X \text{ is square matrix})$$

$$\text{for } \frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta} = 0 \Rightarrow 2X^T X \theta - 2X^T y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (X^T X) \theta = (X^T y)$$

Pre multiply $(X^T X)^{-1}$ on both side

we get

$$(X^T X)^{-1} (X^T X) \theta = (X^T X)^{-1} (X^T y)$$

Hence,

$$\theta = \boxed{(X^T X)^{-1} \cdot (X^T y)}$$