

# Logistic Regression

## Step 1: Function Set

We want to find  $P_{w,b}(C_1|x)$

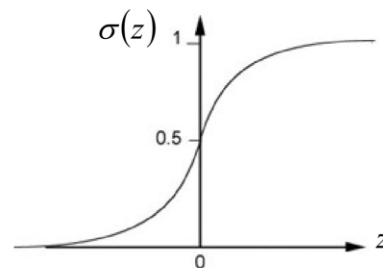
If  $P_{w,b}(C_1|x) \geq 0.5$ , output  $C_1$

Otherwise, output  $C_2$

$$P_{w,b}(C_1|x) = \sigma(z)$$

$$z = w \cdot x + b$$

$$\sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-z)}$$



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Function set:

$$f_{w,b}(x) = P_{w,b}(C_1|x)$$

Including all  
different  $w$  and  $b$

## Step 2: Goodness of a Function

Training Data	$x^1$	$x^2$	$x^3$	$\dots \dots$	$x^N$
	$C_1$	$C_1$	$C_2$		$C_1$

Assume the data is generated based on  $f_{w,b}(x) = P_{w,b}(C_1|x)$

Given a set of  $w$  and  $b$ , what is its probability of generating the data?

$$L(w, b) = f_{w,b}(x^1) f_{w,b}(x^2) (1 - f_{w,b}(x^3)) \dots f_{w,b}(x^N)$$

The most likely  $w^*$  and  $b^*$  is the one with the largest  $L(w, b)$ .

$$w^*, b^* = \arg \max_{w,b} L(w, b)$$

## Step 2: Goodness of a Function

$$L(w, b) = f_{w,b}(x^1) f_{w,b}(x^2) (1 - f_{w,b}(x^3)) \dots f_{w,b}(x^N)$$

$$-\ln L(w, b) = \ln f_{w,b}(x^1) + \ln f_{w,b}(x^2) + \ln (1 - f_{w,b}(x^3)) \dots$$

$\hat{y}^n$ : 1 for class 1, 0 for class 2

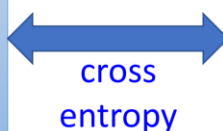
$$= \sum_n - \left[ \hat{y}^n \ln f_{w,b}(x^n) + (1 - \hat{y}^n) \ln (1 - f_{w,b}(x^n)) \right]$$

Cross entropy between two Bernoulli distribution

Distribution p:

$$p(x = 1) = \hat{y}^n$$

$$p(x = 0) = 1 - \hat{y}^n$$



Distribution q:

$$q(x = 1) = f(x^n)$$

$$q(x = 0) = 1 - f(x^n)$$

$$H(p, q) = - \sum_x p(x) \ln(q(x))$$

### Step 3: Find the best function

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{-\ln L(w, b)}{\partial w_i} &= \sum_n - \left[ \hat{y}^n \ln f_{w,b}(x^n) + (1 - \hat{y}^n) \ln (1 - f_{w,b}(x^n)) \right] \\
 &= \sum_n - \left[ \hat{y}^n (1 - f_{w,b}(x^n)) x_i^n - (1 - \hat{y}^n) f_{w,b}(x^n) x_i^n \right] \\
 &= \sum_n - \left[ \hat{y}^n - \hat{y}^n f_{w,b}(x^n) - f_{w,b}(x^n) + \hat{y}^n f_{w,b}(x^n) \right] x_i^n \\
 &= \sum_n - (\hat{y}^n - f_{w,b}(x^n)) x_i^n
 \end{aligned}$$

Larger difference, larger update

$$w_i \leftarrow w_i - \eta \sum_n - (\hat{y}^n - f_{w,b}(x^n)) x_i^n$$

<u>Logistic Regression</u>	<u>Linear Regression</u>
Step 1: $f_{w,b}(x) = \sigma \left( \sum_i w_i x_i + b \right)$ Output: between 0 and 1	$f_{w,b}(x) = \sum_i w_i x_i + b$ Output: any value
Training data: $(x^n, \hat{y}^n)$ Step 2: $\hat{y}^n$ : 1 for class 1, 0 for class 2 $L(f) = \sum_n C(f(x^n), \hat{y}^n)$	Training data: $(x^n, \hat{y}^n)$ $\hat{y}^n$ : a real number $L(f) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_n (f(x^n) - \hat{y}^n)^2$

Logistic regression:  $w_i \leftarrow w_i - \eta \sum_n - (\hat{y}^n - f_{w,b}(x^n)) x_i^n$

Step 3: Linear regression:  $w_i \leftarrow w_i - \eta \sum_n - (\hat{y}^n - f_{w,b}(x^n)) x_i^n$