

logistics regression

linear classification: find the hyperplane

$$\theta^T x + b = 0$$

threshold.

$$\begin{cases} \theta^T x \geq -b \rightarrow y=0 \\ \theta^T x < -b \rightarrow y=1 \end{cases}$$

predict result

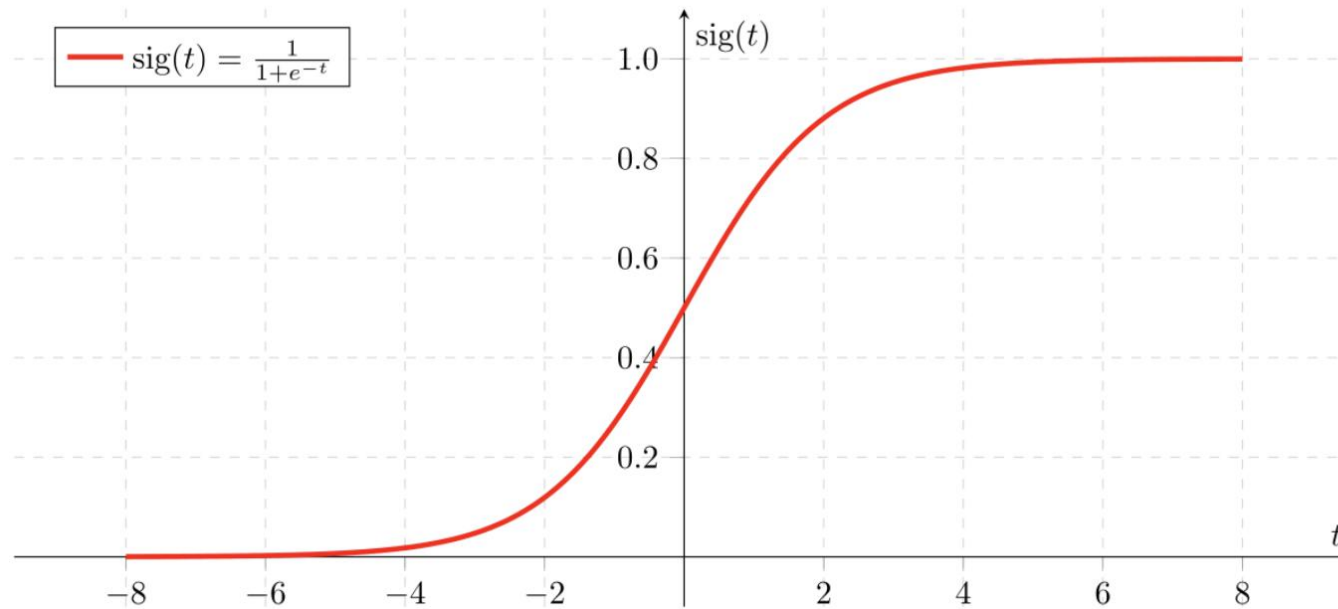
$$\hookrightarrow h_{\theta}(x) = g(\theta^T x) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-\theta^T x}} = \frac{1}{1+e^{-z}}$$

$$\begin{cases} p(Y=0|x) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-\theta^T x}} \\ p(Y=1|x) = \frac{e^{-\theta^T x}}{1+e^{-\theta^T x}} \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{probability distribution}$$

logit function

map $\theta^T x(z) : -\infty \sim \infty$ to $0 \sim 1$

If 'Z' goes to infinity, Y(predicted) will become 1 and if 'Z' goes to negative infinity, Y(predicted) will become 0.



Binary Logistic Regression

We view each observations y_i as an independent sample from a Bernoulli distribution $Y_i \sim \text{Bern}(p_i)$, (technically we mean $\hat{Y}_i | \mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{w}$), where p_i is a function of \mathbf{x}_i .

We need a model for the dependency of p_i on \mathbf{x}_i . We have to enforce that p_i is a transformation of \mathbf{x}_i that results in a number from 0 to 1 (ie. a valid probability). Hence p_i cannot be, say, linear in x_i . One way to do achieve the 0-1 normalization is by using the sigmoid function.

$$p_i = s(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}_i) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}_i}}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{w}} = \arg \max_{\mathbf{w}} P(y_1, \dots, y_n | \mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{w})$$

$$= \arg \max_{\mathbf{w}} \prod_{i=1}^n P(y_i | \mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{w}) \quad \text{iid.}$$

$$\stackrel{\text{(max-log-likelihood)}}{=} \arg \max_{\mathbf{w}} \ln \left[\prod_{i=1}^n p_i^{y_i} (1 - p_i)^{(1-y_i)} \right]$$

$$= \arg \max_{\mathbf{w}} \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \ln p_i + (1 - y_i) \ln(1 - p_i)$$

$$= \arg \min_{\mathbf{w}} \underbrace{- \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \ln p_i + (1 - y_i) \ln(1 - p_i)}_{\text{loss function.}}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} L(\mathbf{w}) &= - \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \ln p_i + (1 - y_i) \ln(1 - p_i) \\ \nabla_{\mathbf{w}} L(\mathbf{w}) &= \nabla_{\mathbf{w}} \left(- \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \ln p_i + (1 - y_i) \ln(1 - p_i) \right) \\ &= - \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \nabla_{\mathbf{w}} \ln p_i + (1 - y_i) \nabla_{\mathbf{w}} \ln(1 - p_i) \\ &= - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{y_i}{p_i} \nabla_{\mathbf{w}} p_i - \frac{1 - y_i}{1 - p_i} \nabla_{\mathbf{w}} p_i \end{aligned}$$

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$$p_i = s(\mathbf{w}^T x_i) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\mathbf{w}^T x_i}}$$

$$\nabla_z s(z) = \nabla_z (1 + e^{-z})^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{e^{-z}}{(1 + e^{-z})^2}$$

$$= s(z)(1 - s(z))$$

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{w}} L(\mathbf{w}) = - \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{y_i}{p_i} \nabla_{\mathbf{w}} p_i - \frac{1 - y_i}{1 - p_i} \nabla_{\mathbf{w}} p_i$$

$$= - \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{y_i}{p_i} - \frac{1 - y_i}{1 - p_i} \right) p_i (1 - p_i) x_i$$

$$= - \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - p_i) x_i$$