Linear Regression Probability Model

We know by Multiple Linear Regression that:

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_p x_{ip} + \varepsilon_i - (eqn(i))$$

$$E(y_i|x_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_p x_{ip} - (eqn(ii))$$

E is unconditional Expectation.

By Gaussian White Noise we know:

$$\epsilon_i \approx iid \ N(0, \sigma^2) \ or \ \epsilon_i \approx GW \ N(0, \sigma^2) \ where \ ,$$
 $E(\epsilon_i) = 0 \ and \ Var(\epsilon_i) = \sigma^2 \ .$

Here, Var is Variance and GWN is Gaussian White Noise.

From (eqn(i)) we get:

$$P(y_i) = \begin{cases} 0, & Failure \\ 1, & Success \end{cases}$$

i.e.

when:

$$P(y_i) = 1$$
, when event is success.

$$P(y_i) = 0$$
, when event is a failure.

Where *P* stands for probability.

Therefore for a variable y':

$$E(y_i) = 1 \times P(y_i = 1) + 0 \times P(y_i = 0)$$

i.e.

$$E(y_i) = P(y_i = 1)$$

Therefore,

$$E(y_i|x_i) = 0 \times P(y_i = 0|x_i) + 1 \times P(y_i = 1|x_i)$$

i.e.

$$E(y_i|x_i) = P(y_i = 1|x_i)$$

We know,

$$E(y_i|x_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_p x_{ip}$$

and we have:

$$E(y_i|x_i) = P(y_i = 1|x_i)$$

Therefore,

$$E(y_i|x_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_p x_{ip} = P(y_i = 1|x_i)$$

For 2-D model, we represent it as:

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \epsilon_i$$

Then,

$$E(y_i|x_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1}$$

and,

$$E(y_i|x_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} = P(y_i = 1|x_i)$$

So we can say that,

when x = 0:

$$\beta_0 = P(y_i = 1 | x_i = 0)$$

when x increased 0 to 1,

$$\beta_1 x_{i1} = \frac{\partial P(y_i = 1 | x_i)}{\partial x}$$

Now,

$$E(y_i|x_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_p x_{ip}$$

$$= E(y|x) = \beta_0 + \sum_{j=1}^p \beta_j x_{ij}$$

Let,

 $y_i^* = m{eta}_1 x_{i1} + m{eta}_2 x_{i2} + \dots + m{eta}_p x_{ip}$ are estimates of $P(y_i = 1 | x_{ij})$ Therefore,

$$\beta_j = \frac{\partial P(y_i = 1 | x_{ij})}{\partial x_i}$$

where j = 1,2,3....k times

Now,

let,

$$E(Y_i|X_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} = P(Y_i = 1|X_i)$$

The model assumes : $E(\varepsilon_i) = 0$

If $P_i = probability$ then $Y_i = 1$, that is event occurs and $(1 - P_i) = probability$ then $Y_i = 0$ (that is event does not occur).

Y_i	Probability
0	$(1-P_i)$
1	P_i

Here

 Y_i , follows the Bernoulli or Binomial Probability Distribution.

$$E(Y_i) = 0 \times (1 - P_i) + 1 \times (P_i) = (P_i)$$

Now,

$$E(Y_i|X_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} = P_i$$

and $E(Y_i|X_i)$ can be further represented as Y_i i.e.

$$Y_i = E(Y_i|X_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} = P_i$$

If there are n' independent trials, each with a probability P of success and probability (1 - P) of failure, and X of these trials represent the number of successes, then X is said to follow the **binomial distribution.**

Binomial Distribution:

$$\mathbf{P}(\mathbf{x}) = (\mathbf{n}_{C_{\mathbf{x}}}) \times P^{\mathbf{x}} \times q^{n-\mathbf{x}}$$

i.e.

$$P(x) = \left(\frac{n!}{(n-x!) \times x!}\right) \times P^x \times q^{n-x}$$

where,

n = the number of trials(or the number being sampled)

x = number of success desired.

p = probability of getting success in trial.

q = (1 - P) = probability of getting a failure in one trial.

The mean of the binomial distribution is np and its variance is np(1-P). The term success is defined in the context of the problem.

Since the probability P_i must lie between 0 and 1, we have the restriction where,

$$0 \le E(Y_i|X_i) \le 1$$

Note,

$$E(\varepsilon_i) = 0$$
 and $cov(u_i, u_j) = 0$ for $i = j$ i.e. no serial correlation

and

$$var(\varepsilon_i) = P_i(1-P)$$

To solve the uneven scattered problem of the model we have to take out the weight:

$$\sqrt{E(Y_i|X_i) \times (1 - E(Y_i|X_i))}$$
$$= \sqrt{P_i \times (1 - P_i)}$$

Say,

$$\sqrt{P_i \times (1 - P_i)} = \sqrt{w_i}$$

Then,

$$\frac{Y_i}{\sqrt{w_i}} = \frac{\beta_0}{\sqrt{w_i}} + \beta_1 \times \frac{x_1}{\sqrt{w_i}} + \frac{\varepsilon_i}{\sqrt{w_i}}$$

where w_i is serving as weights.

Therefore how to get the model for Simple Linear

Regression Probability Model:

Using Ordinary Least Square(OLS)

Step 1: Find,
$$Y_i = \beta_0 x_i^0 + \beta_1 x_i^1 + \epsilon_i$$

Step 2: Find,
$$Y_i^0 = E(Y_i|X_i) = \beta_0 x_i^0 + \beta_1 x_i^1 = P_i$$

Where, P_i is true.

Using Weighted Least Square(WLS)

Step 3: Find,
$$E(w_i) = w_i^{\hat{}} = Y_i^{\hat{}} (1 - Y_i^{\hat{}})$$

Step 4: Find,

$$\frac{Y_i}{\sqrt{w_i^*}} = \frac{\beta_0}{\sqrt{w_i^*}} + \beta_1 \times \frac{x_{i1}}{\sqrt{w_i^*}} + \frac{\varepsilon_i}{\sqrt{w_i^*}}$$

To remove the uneven scattering problem i.e. heteroscedasticity problem.

Multiple Linear Regression Probability Model:

Using Ordinary Least Square(OLS)

Step 1: Find,
$$Y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \cdots + \beta_p x_{ip} + \varepsilon_i$$

Step 2: Find,
$$Y_i = E(y_i|x_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i^1 + \beta_2 x_i^2 + ... + \beta_p x_i^p = P_i$$

Where, P_i is true.

Using Weighted Least Square(WLS)

Step 3: Find, $E(w_i) = w_i^* = Y_i^* (1 - Y_i^*)$

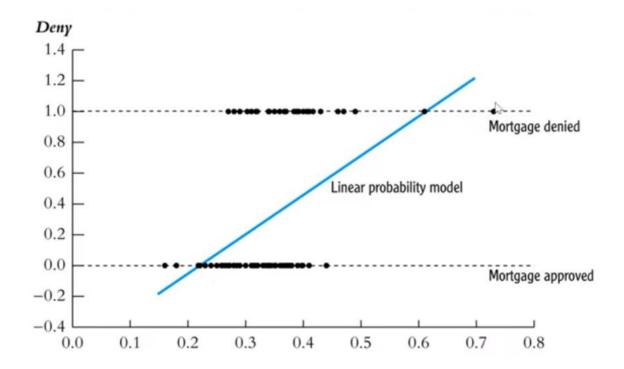
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$$\frac{Y_i}{\sqrt{w_i^{\hat{}}}} = \frac{\beta_0}{\sqrt{w_i^{\hat{}}}} + \beta_1 \times \frac{x_{i1}}{\sqrt{w_i^{\hat{}}}} + \dots + \beta_p \times \frac{x_{ip}}{\sqrt{w_i^{\hat{}}}} + \frac{\varepsilon_i}{\sqrt{w_i^{\hat{}}}}$$

To remove the uneven scattering problem i.e. heteroscedasticity problem where the errors are large in the regression model.

Problems with LPM:

- 1. P_i Are not restricted to 0 and 1.
- 2. $E(Y_i|X_i)$ Also are not restricted to 0 and 1.
- 3. $\frac{\partial P(y_i=1|x_{ij})}{\partial x_j}$ Are constant (they do not depend on any x-variable). This is typically unrealistic, $\frac{\partial P(y_i=1|x_{ij})}{\partial x_j}$ should eventually decrease with x_j as x_j become large . This causes Heteroscedasticity problem where the errors are large in the regression model.



4. These disadvantages can be solved by nonlinear probability model: probit and logit regression.