

Lecture 3

Deeper into Generalized Linear Models

Project FAQs

- Should we use a classification or regression dataset?
 - The project should look at the dataset from multiple angles
 - In the context of statistical distributions, the difference is not as defined
- What if our data doesn't follow one of the distributions / doesn't have linear relationships
 - Try it and demonstrate that it doesn't work, discuss why
 - We will cover non-linear regressions in lecture 4+
 - We will cover non-parametric methods in lectures 5+

Review of GLMs

- Generalized Linear Models (GLMs) predict a distribution in response to independent variables
- A GLM has three properties
 - A value y (dependent variable) is generated from a distribution
 - The mean of the distribution depends on some independent variables X
 - The link between X and the mean μ is called a **link function**

Example

Awards	Program	Math score
6	Vocational	69
2	Academic	61
4	Vocational	71
3	General	62
0	Academic	70
1	General	50
2	Academic	58
2	Vocational	60
0	Academic	64
0	General	57
1	Vocational	65
2	Academic	57
0	General	64
1	Academic	73

I want to predict the number of awards a student will win over their academic career.

I have two data points

1. Their academic program, either “academic”, “general”, or “vocational”
2. Their most recent score in a math class

How can I determine if each of these features is helpful in my predictive model?

14 obs

2 features

$$14 - 2 = 12 \text{ DOF}$$

Deviance

- Deviance is a model for the lack of fit. It is defined by the formula

$$D = 2(l(\theta) - l(\hat{\theta}))$$

- D is the deviance
 - $l(\theta)$ is the log-likelihood of the fitted model
 - $l(\hat{\theta})$ is the log-likelihood of the saturated model
- Notice that this looks a lot like the formula for the likelihood ratio test in lecture 1!

Scaled, Residual, and Null Deviance

$$N_{obs} - N_{features}$$

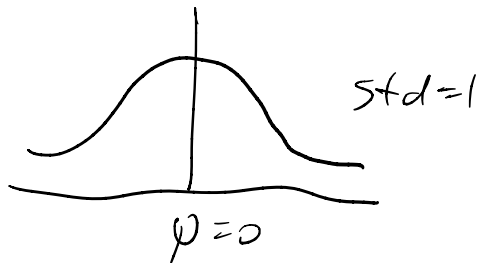


- **Scaled deviance** is the deviance divided by the degrees of freedom
 - When introducing new features, both deviance and degrees of freedom go down
 - If scaled deviance goes down, the model is probably getting better!
- **Null deviance** is the deviance of a model with no predictors (i.e. only an intercept)
- **Residual deviance** is the deviance of a fitted model with predictors

Analysis of Deviance using Chi-Square

- We can compare our residual deviance against a chi-square distribution for **some** distributions.
 - **Notable exception:** logistic regression
- The expected value of a χ^2 random variable is equal to its degrees of freedom, a basic model check consists of comparing the residual deviance to its degrees of freedom

↘ Lower is better



Fitting our example data

```
endog = pd.concat([pd.get_dummies(df['program'], drop_first=True),  
                  df['math']], axis=1)  
model = sm.GLM(df['awards'], endog, family=sm.families.Poisson())  
result = model.fit()
```

$DOF \approx 250$

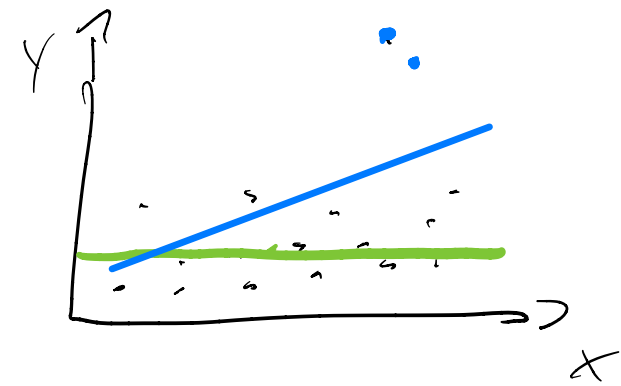
result. DOF

```
print(result.deviance) -> residual deviance  
>>> 189.4496199102934  
print(result.null_deviance)  
>>> 287.6722344528648
```

X	Y	Black	Blue	Red
Black	...	1	0	0
Blue	...	0	1	0
Red	...	0	0	1
Black	...	1	0	0

$$y = Ax + b$$
$$2 = 1 \cdot 1 + 1$$
$$= 5 \cdot 1 - 4$$

Bootstrapping



- Bootstrapping is the process of taking many samples from a dataset and generating a model on each sample
- Repeating this process a high number of times can give a distribution of each parameter value
- Analyzing these distributions can give a better understanding of the model results

Example

$Endog(ensus) = y$
= variable from the model
 $Exog(ensus) = X$
= variable outside the model

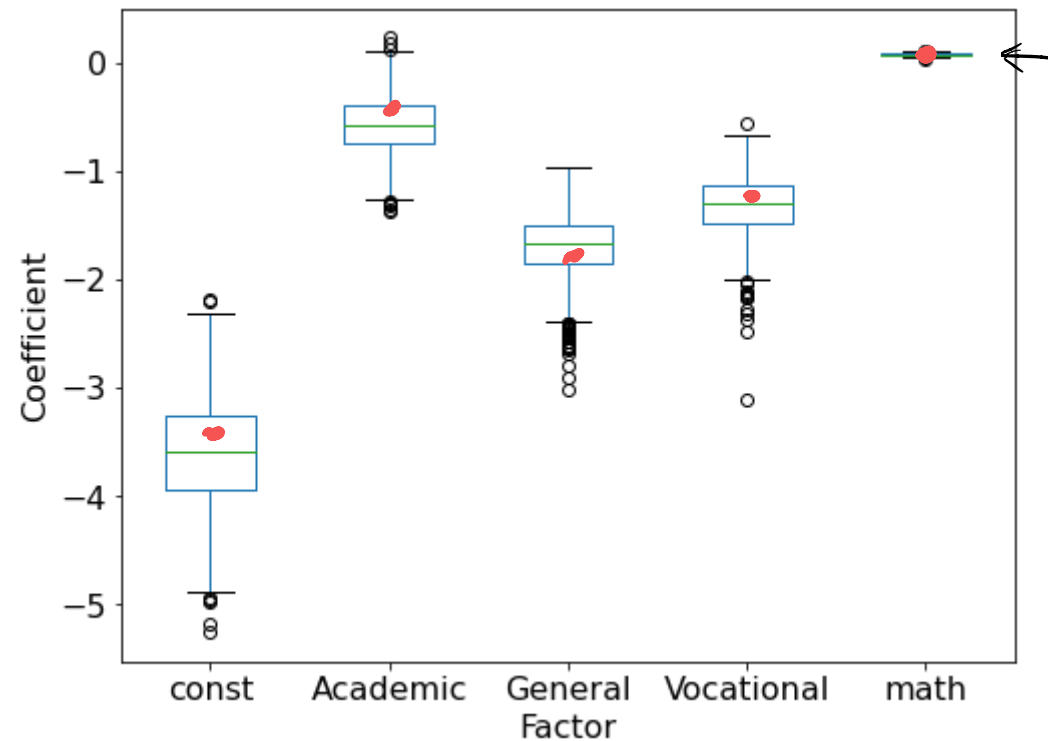
dataset size

```
all_results = {}
for e in range(1000):
    sample = df.sample(200, replace=True)
    endog = pd.concat([pd.get_dummies(sample['program']),
        exog sample['math']],
        axis=1)
    endog = sm.add_constant(endog)
    model = sm.GLM(sample['awards'], endog, family=sm.families.Poisson())
    result = model.fit()
    params = dict(zip(endog.columns, result._results.params))
    all_results[e] = params
```

Bootstrapping Results

● is Value from the model trained on all data

Can adjust coefficient by range of variable ↩



Another Example

I am a data scientist working in a (cookie) manufacturing environment. The factory has a piece of equipment that has frequent stops and I am tasked with predicting when these stops will occur.

Stops are broken down in minor (a few seconds), short (a few minutes), and major (a few hours).

I am concerned with predicting time until the next major downtime. I want to know if some shifts or products are having more breakdowns than others.

startTime	downtimeType
8/24/2023 15:57	Minor
8/24/2023 15:58	Short
8/24/2023 16:02	Short
8/24/2023 16:13	Minor
8/24/2023 16:57	Minor
8/24/2023 17:05	Minor
8/24/2023 17:23	Minor
8/24/2023 17:25	Minor
8/24/2023 17:26	Short
8/24/2023 17:29	Minor
8/24/2023 17:34	Short
8/24/2023 17:41	Short
8/24/2023 17:47	Minor
8/24/2023 18:26	Short
8/24/2023 18:29	Minor
8/24/2023 18:42	Minor
8/24/2023 18:43	Short
8/24/2023 18:47	Minor
8/24/2023 18:54	Major
...	...

Example – Data Processing

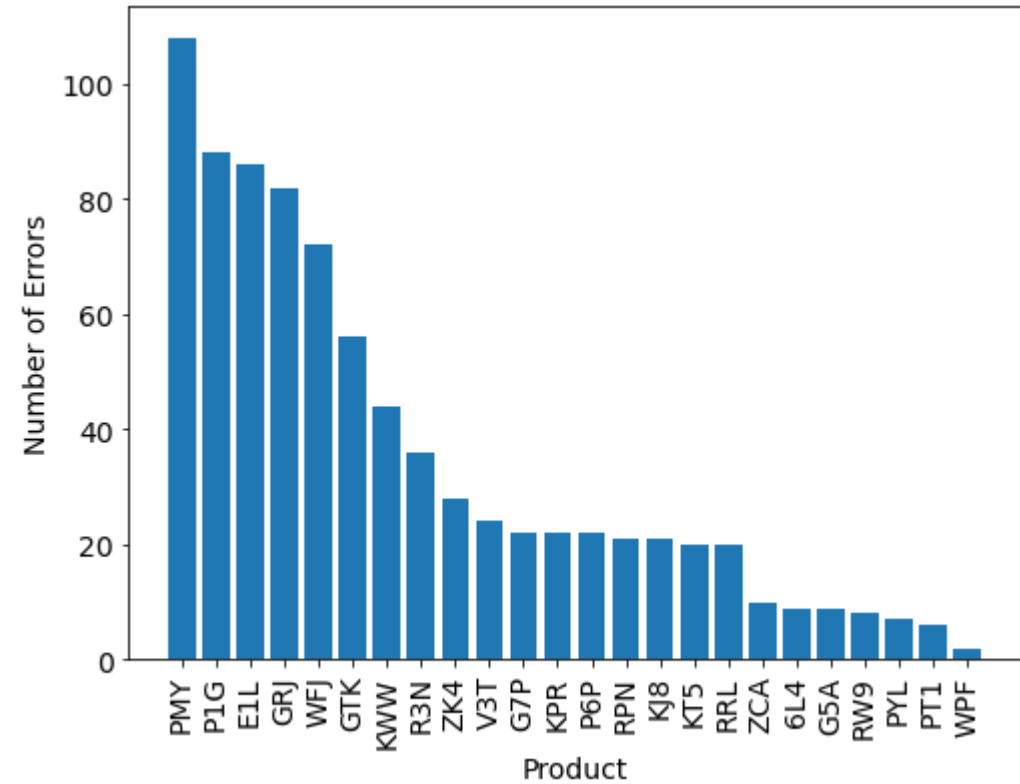
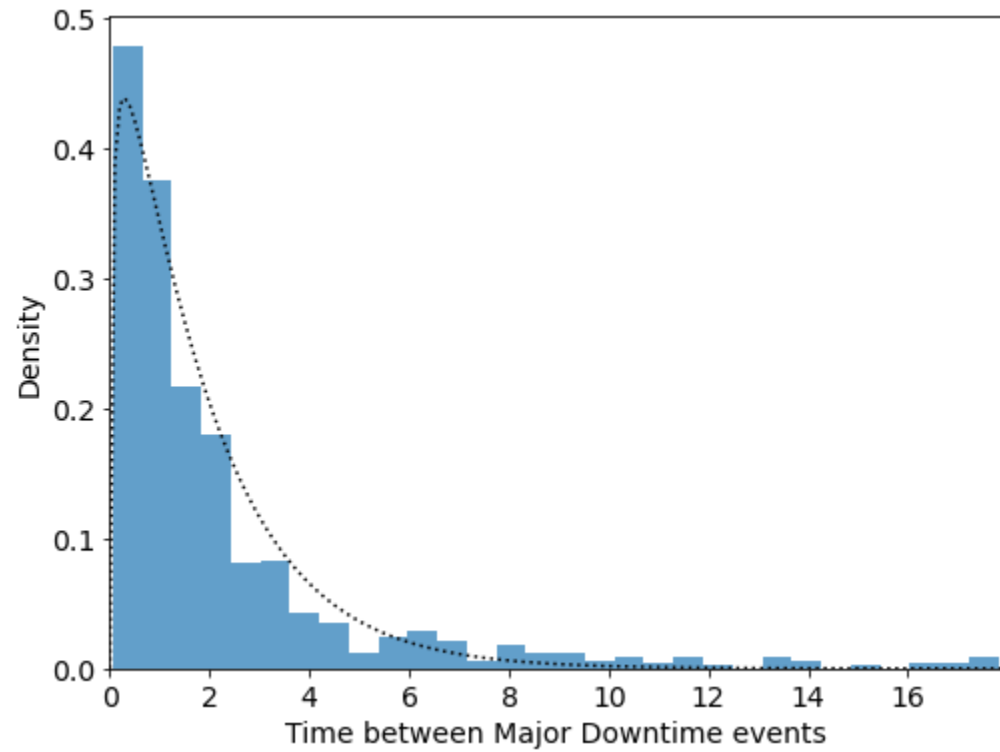
```
# df is the original data
reason = 'Major Downtime'
downtime_df = df.loc[df['reasonLv11']==reason]
time_between_failures = downtime_df['startDT'].diff().iloc[1:].dt.seconds / 3600

shift_values = downtime_df['shift'].iloc[1:]
product_keys = downtime_df['productCode'].iloc[1:]

print(pd.concat([shift_values, product_keys, time_between_failures], axis=1))
```

Shift	Product	Time Between Failures
1	KT5	16.2731
1	KT5	1.39139
1	KT5	0.31306
1	KT5	1.14111
1	KT5	0.7375

Example – Data Exploration



Example – Fitting GLM

```
from statsmodels.genmod.families.links import Identity
exog
endog = pd.concat([pd.get_dummies(shift_values),
                    pd.get_dummies(product_keys)],
                    axis=1)
exog
endog = time_between_failures
model = sm.GLM(exog, endog, family=sm.families.Gamma(link=Identity()))

result = model.fit()
result.summary()
```

GLM Results – First Attempt

Generalized Linear Model Regression Results			
Dep. Variable:	startDT	No. Observations:	823
Model:	GLM	Df Residuals:	797
Model Family:	Gamma	Df Model:	25
Link Function:	Identity	Scale:	1.8311
Method:	IRLS	Log-Likelihood:	-1634.0
Date:	Mon, 12 Feb 2024	Deviance:	982.91
Time:	11:15:09	Pearson chi2:	1.45e+03
No. Iterations:	100	Pseudo R-squ. (CS):	0.04799

	coef	std err	z	P> z	[0.025	0.975]
1.0	2.9149	0.489	5.956	0.000	1.956	3.874
2.0	2.8772	0.497	5.787	0.000	1.903	3.852
3.0	2.9600	0.483	6.122	0.000	2.012	3.908
6L4	3.5166	2.918	1.205	0.228	-2.203	9.236
E1L	-0.5144	0.571	-0.901	0.368	-1.634	0.605
G5A	-1.4648	0.789	-1.856	0.064	-3.012	0.082
G7P	-0.8927	0.734	-1.216	0.224	-2.331	0.546
GRJ	-1.1441	0.533	-2.146	0.032	-2.189	-0.099
GTK	-1.0653	0.574	-1.857	0.063	-2.190	0.059
KJ8	0.2789	1.002	0.278	0.781	-1.684	2.242
KPR	0.1295	0.959	0.135	0.893	-1.750	2.009

Deviance = 983

Null deviance = 1057

GLM Results – Second Attempt

Generalized Linear Model Regression Results						
Dep. Variable:		startDT		No. Observations:		823
Model:		GLM		Df Residuals:		820
Model Family:		Gamma		Df Model:		2
Link Function:		Identity		Scale:		2.0645
Method:		IRLS		Log-Likelihood:		-1683.5
Date:		Mon, 12 Feb 2024		Deviance:		1055.0
Time:		11:20:19		Pearson chi2:		1.69e+03
No. Iterations:		4		Pseudo R-squ. (CS):		0.001178
Covariance Type:		nonrobust				
	coef	std err	z	P> z	[0.025	0.975]
1.0	2.4069	0.200	12.035	0.000	2.015	2.799
2.0	2.5590	0.242	10.578	0.000	2.085	3.033
3.0	2.7039	0.227	11.913	0.000	2.259	3.149

Deviance = 1055

Null deviance = 1057

1.0	2.0	3.0	sum

Example Takeaways

- The time between errors follows a Gamma distribution with a rate parameter of ~ 2.5
- Neither shift nor product type has much impact on the error rate

Collinearity

- Collinearity occurs when two or more variables are closely related

Related measurements

Speed (m/s)	Time (s)
6.22	1.61
5.33	1.88
3.64	2.74
4.99	2.01
6.22	1.61
6.61	1.51
5.17	1.93
3.33	3.01
4.75	2.11
4.66	2.15
3.43	2.92

Linear relationships

Lap 1 Time (s)	Lap 2 Time (s)	Lap 3 Time (s)	Total Time (s)
29.30	29.22	33.05	91.57
29.40	32.06	32.95	94.41
32.09	28.06	27.38	87.54
32.20	29.87	30.84	92.92
32.80	27.96	28.38	89.14
29.66	31.33	31.37	92.36
28.47	28.09	28.83	85.39
30.26	29.17	34.32	93.75
26.08	29.69	29.13	84.89
29.55	29.86	31.04	90.45
26.32	29.79	28.36	84.46

Detecting Collinearity

- We can detect collinearity by fitting a linear regression model of one exogenous variable to the others

$$X_1 = \beta_0 + \beta_2 X_2 + \beta_3 X_3 \dots$$

- Using this model's coefficient of determination (R^2) we can calculate the **variance inflation factor**

$$VIF = \frac{1}{1 - R_i^2}$$

Higher = more collinear
range is $(1, \infty)$
 ≥ 10 is a problem

Detecting Collinearity

```
from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
from sklearn.metrics import r2_score
```

```
X15 = np.random.normal(10,2,size=100).reshape(20,5)
X6 = np.sum(X15,axis=1) + np.random.uniform(-2,2,20)
```

```
lr = LinearRegression()
lr.fit(X15, X6)
r2 = r2_score(X6, lr.predict(X15))
print(1/(1-r2))
>>> 11.83
```

```
from statsmodels.stats.outliers_influence import variance_inflation_factor
X = np.hstack([X15,X6.reshape(-1,1)])
X = sm.add_constant(X)
variance_inflation_factor(X, 6)
>> 11.83
```

index of predictor
to check

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predictors

Non-Independent Data

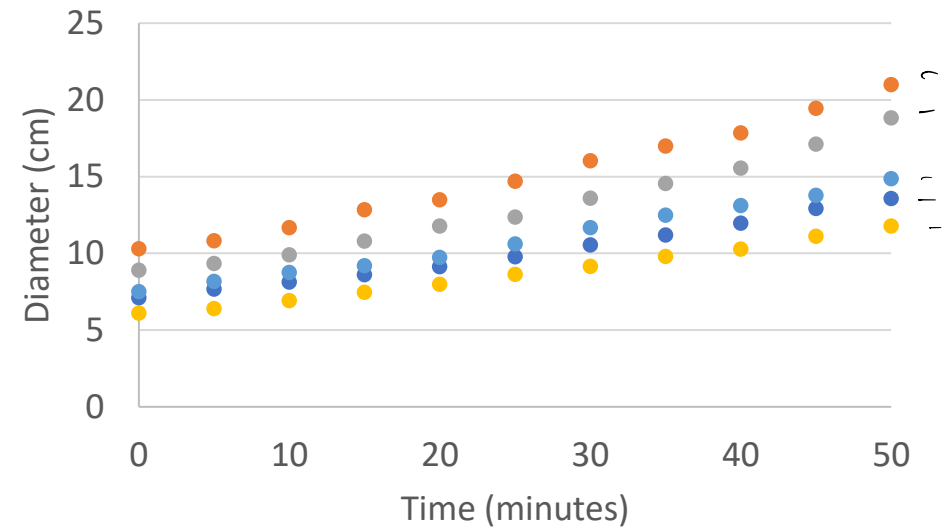
- So far we have looked at models where each observation is independent
- What about the case when our observations share some characteristic?
 - Multiple observations of the same item (*e.g.* growth measurements of individuals)
 - Data with natural clusters (*e.g.* students within schools)

Sample use case

My cookie factory is branching out and starting to make bread.

I want to measure how fast my dough rises so that I know how long I have to let it rest.

I made some test batches and observed their growth.



Linear Mixed Effects Model

- A linear mixed effects model has both **fixed effects** and **random effects**
 - A fixed effects something that has a constant effect not matter which group the observation is in
 - A random effect has a different effect for each group of observations.
 - Random effects are normally distributed with a mean of 0
- Linear mixed models have the form:

$$y = \underset{\text{fixed}}{X\beta} + \overset{\text{random}}{Z\gamma} + \epsilon$$

Linear Mixed Effects Model

```
data = pd.read_excel("lecture3_figures.xlsx", sheet_name="bread growth")
data = pd.melt(data, id_vars='Time')

endog = data["value"]
exog = data[["Time"]]  $\rightarrow (N_{obs}, N_{feat})$ 
exog = sm.add_constant(exog)
md = sm.MixedLM(endog, exog, groups=data['variable'])
mdf = md.fit()
print(mdf.summary())
```

$y = A(\text{time})$
add \downarrow constant
 $y = A \cdot \text{time} + b$

Mixed Linear Model Regression Results						
=====						
Model:	MixedLM Dependent Variable: value					
No. Observations:	55	Method:	REML			
No. Groups:	5	Scale:	0.2176			
Min. group size:	11	Log-Likelihood:	-52.5400			
Max. group size:	11	Converged:	Yes			
Mean group size:	11.0					

	Coef.	Std.Err.	z	P> z	[0.025 0.975]	

const	7.588	0.984	7.714	0.000	5.660	9.516
Time	0.169	0.004	42.554	0.000	0.162	0.177
Group Var	4.769	7.546				
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Time	Bread 1	Bread 2	...
0	5	8	
5	6	10	
10	7	11	
15	8	12	

	x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4
→	1	2	2	1
→	2	1	1	3
→
→				

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idx	variable	value
0	x_1	1
→ 0	x_2	2
0	x_3	2
1
1	x_1	2
1	x_2	1

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Time	Variable	Value
0	Bread1	5
0	Bread2	8