

Modeling with Logistic Regression Hands-On

Testing assumptions

1. Meets minimum sample size

After predicting the presence or absence of gold, the following confusion matrix was generated.

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

	Reference	
Prediction	0	1
0	34	8
1	2	20

Accuracy : 0.8438

95% CI : (0.7314, 0.9224)

No Information Rate : 0.5625

P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 1.615e-06

Kappa : 0.6748

McNemar's Test P-Value : 0.1138

Sensitivity : 0.9444

Specificity : 0.7143

Pos Pred Value : 0.8095

Neg Pred Value : 0.9091

Prevalence : 0.5625

Detection Rate : 0.5312

Detection Prevalence : 0.6562

Balanced Accuracy : 0.8294

'Positive' Class : 0

Since one of the cells in the confusion matrix has a value less than 5, this **dataset DOES NOT meet the minimum sample size for binary logistic regression.**

Also, an accuracy rate of 0.8438 shows that our predictions are right 84% of the time.

2. Logit linearity

From the graph below, the predictor variable shows a strong linear relationship, hence passes this assumption.

