

432 Class 8 Slides

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Setup

```
library(skimr)  
library(broom)  
library(Hmisc)  
library(rms)  
library(tidyverse)
```

Today's Materials

- Logistic Regression and the Low Birth Weight data

```
lbw1 <- read.csv("data/lbw.csv") %>% tbl_df

lbw1 <- lbw1 %>%
  mutate(race_f = fct_recode(factor(race), white = "1",
                                   black = "2", other = "3"),
         race_f = fct_relevel(race_f, "white", "black")) %>%
  mutate(preterm = fct_recode(factor(ptl > 0),
                                   yes = "TRUE",
                                   no = "FALSE")) %>%
  select(subject, low, lwt, age, ftv, ht, race_f,
         preterm, smoke, ui)
```

The lbw1 data (n = 189 infants)

Variable	Description
subject	id code
low	indicator of low birth weight (< 2500 g)
lwt	mom's weight at last menstrual period (lbs.)
age	age of mother in years
ftv	count of physician visits in first trimester (0 to 6)
ht	history of hypertension: 1 = yes, 0 = no
race_f	race of mom: white, black, other
preterm	prior premature labor: 1 = yes, 0 = no
smoke	1 = smoked during pregnancy, 0 = did not
ui	presence of uterine irritability: 1 = yes, 0 = no

Source: Hosmer, Lemeshow and Sturdivant, *Applied Logistic Regression* 3rd edition. Data from Baystate Medical Center, Springfield MA in 1986.

Goals for Today and Tuesday

- 1 Fit and evaluate the fit of a logistic regression model to predict the probability of a low birth weight ($\text{low} = 1$) using the mom's weight at her last menstrual period (lwt).
- 2 Fit and evaluate a larger logistic regression model to predict low on the basis of a larger group of predictors drawn from the available options, which include: lwt , age , ftv , ht , race_f , preterm , smoke and ui .
- 3 Learn about the use of both glm and lrm (from the rms package) to fit and evaluate logistic regression models.

EDA for Task 1

We want to look at the probability of a low birth weight ($\text{low} = 1$) on the basis of the mom's weight at her last menstrual period (lwt).

```
lbw1 %>% group_by(low) %>% skim(lwt)
```

```
> lbw1 %>% group_by(low) %>% skim(lwt)
```



```
Skim summary statistics
```

```
n obs: 189
```

```
n variables: 10
```

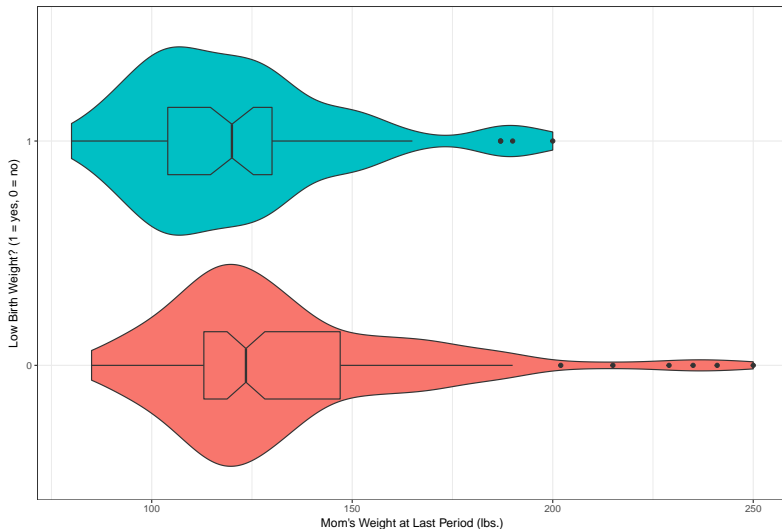
```
group variables: low
```

```
Variable type: integer
```

low	variable	missing	complete	n	mean	sd	p0	p25	median	p75	p100	hist
0	lwt	0	130	130	133.3	31.72	85	113	123.5	147	250	
1	lwt	0	59	59	122.14	26.56	80	104	120	130	200	

Can we predict $\Pr(\text{low})$ effectively with lbwt ?

Violin and Box Plots: lbw1 data



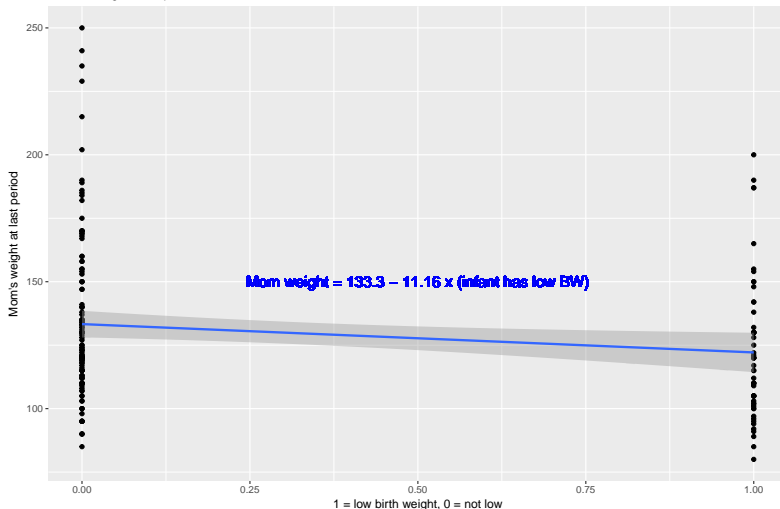
Code for Previous Slide

```
ggplot(lbw1, aes(x = factor(low), y = lwt,  
                 fill = factor(low))) +  
  geom_violin() +  
  geom_boxplot(width = .3, notch = TRUE) +  
  guides(fill = FALSE) +  
  labs(x = "Low Birth Weight? (1 = yes, 0 = no)",  
       y = "Mom's Weight at Last Period (lbs.)",  
       title = "Violin and Box Plots: lbw1 data") +  
  theme_bw() +  
  coord_flip()
```


Working in Reverse: Can we predict lowt with low?

Predicting Mom's weight from low birth weight status

What is wrong with this picture?



Working in Reverse: Predicting lwt with low

Easy to go in the other direction...

```
lm(lwt ~ low, data = lbw1)
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = lwt ~ low, data = lbw1)
```

Coefficients:

(Intercept)	low
133.30	-11.16

Weight at Last Period = $133.3 - 11.16 * (\text{baby is low bw})$

- But that's reversing the outcome and predictor...

Can we fit a linear probability model? Sure, but ...

```
lm(low ~ lwt, data = lbw1)
```

Call:

```
lm(formula = low ~ lwt, data = lbw1)
```

Coefficients:

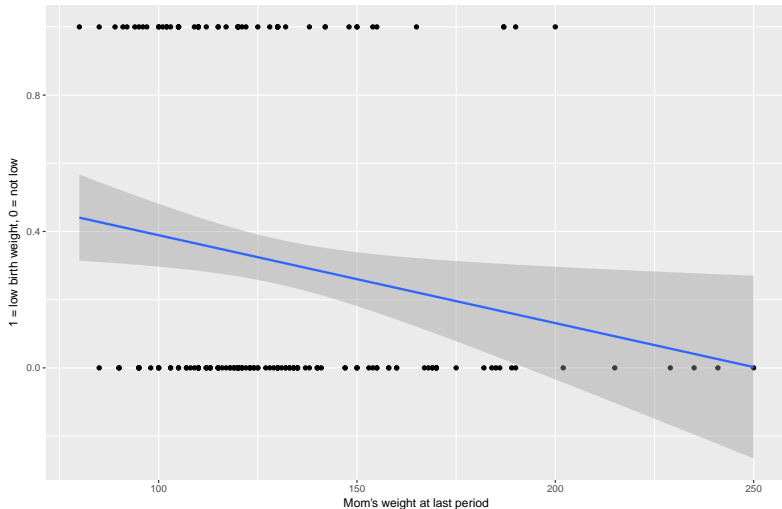
(Intercept)	lwt
0.646733	-0.002577

$\Pr(\text{low birth weight}) = 0.6467 - 0.0026 (\text{Mom's weight at last period})$

Plotting the Linear Probability Model

Linear Probability Model: $\Pr(\text{low}) = 0.6467 - 0.0026 \text{ Mom's weight}$

What is wrong with this picture?



Fitting a Model to predict a Binary Outcome

Logistic regression is the most common model used when the outcome is binary. Our response variable is assumed to take on two values - zero or one, and we then describe the probability of a “one” response, given a linear function of explanatory predictors.

- Linear regression approaches to the problem of predicting probabilities are problematic for several reasons: not least of which being that they predict probabilities greater than one and less than zero.

Logistic regression is a non-linear regression approach, since the equation for the mean of the 0/1 Y values conditioned on the values of our predictors X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k turns out to be non-linear in the β coefficients.

The Logit Link and Logistic Function

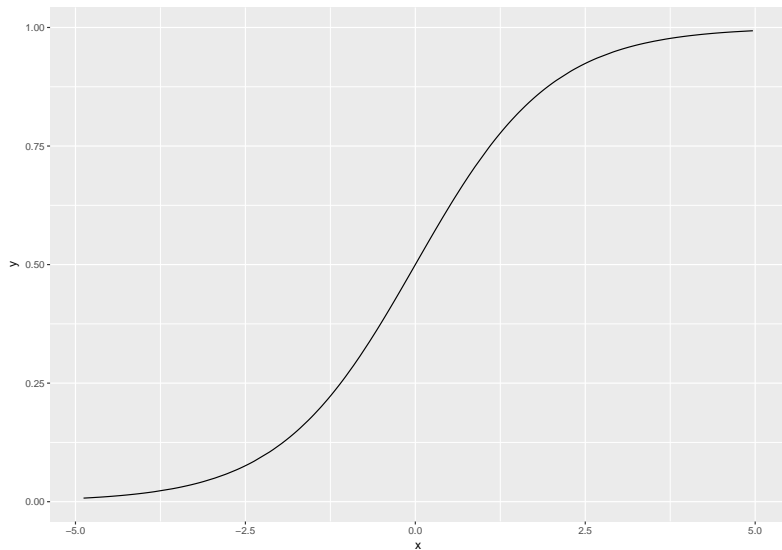
The particular link function we use in logistic regression is called the **logit link**.

$$\text{logit}(\pi) = \log\left(\frac{\pi}{1-\pi}\right) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_1 + \beta_2 X_2 + \dots + \beta_k X_k$$

The inverse of the logit function is called the **logistic function**. If $\text{logit}(\pi) = \eta$, then $\pi = \frac{\exp(\eta)}{1+\exp(\eta)}$.

- The logistic function $\frac{e^x}{1+e^x}$ takes any value x in the real numbers and returns a value between 0 and 1.

The Logistic Function $y = \frac{e^x}{1+e^x}$



The logit or log odds

We usually focus on the **logit** in statistical work, which is the inverse of the logistic function.

- If we have a probability $\pi < 0.5$, then $\text{logit}(\pi) < 0$.
- If our probability $\pi > 0.5$, then $\text{logit}(\pi) > 0$.
- Finally, if $\pi = 0.5$, then $\text{logit}(\pi) = 0$.

Model 1

We'll use `glm` to get started.

```
model.1 <- glm(low ~ lwt, data = lbw1, family = binomial)
model.1
```

```
Call:  glm(formula = low ~ lwt, family = binomial, data = lbw1)
```

Coefficients:

(Intercept)	lwt
0.99831	-0.01406

Degrees of Freedom: 188 Total (i.e. Null); 187 Residual

Null Deviance: 234.7

Residual Deviance: 228.7 AIC: 232.7

Our logistic regression model

The logistic regression equation is:

$$\text{logit}(\text{Pr}(\text{low} = 1)) = \log\left(\frac{\text{Pr}(\text{low} = 1)}{1 - \text{Pr}(\text{low} = 1)}\right) = 0.99831 - 0.01406 \times \text{lwt}$$

Suppose, for instance, that we are interested in making a prediction when Mom's weight at her last period, $\text{lwt} = 130$ lbs.

So we have:

$$\text{logit}(\text{Pr}(\text{low} = 1)) = 0.99831 - 0.01406 \times 130 = -0.82949$$

Getting a Prediction from R for the Model

```
model.1 <- glm(low ~ lwt, data = lbw1, family = binomial)
```

To predict on the log odds scale, we use

```
predict(model.1, newdata = data.frame(lwt = 130))
```

```
      1  
-0.8292596
```

The Model in terms of Odds

We can exponentiate to state the odds, rather than the log odds. For a Mom at 130 lbs, we have:

$$\log \left(\frac{\text{Pr}(\text{low} = 1)}{1 - \text{Pr}(\text{low} = 1)} \right) = 0.99831 - 0.01406 \times 130 = -0.82949$$

and so we have

$$\text{Odds}(\text{low} = 1 | \text{lwt} = 130) = \exp(-0.82949) = 0.4362717$$

Making a Prediction about Probability

$$\text{Odds}(\text{low} = 1 | \text{lw} = 130) = \frac{\text{Pr}(\text{low} = 1)}{1 - \text{Pr}(\text{low} = 1)} = 0.4362717$$

so

$$\text{Pr}(\text{low} = 1 | \text{lw} = 130) = \frac{\text{Odds}(\text{low} = 1 | \text{lw} = 130)}{1 + \text{Odds}(\text{low} = 1 | \text{lw} = 130)} = \frac{0.4362717}{1 + 0.4362717}$$

which is 0.304.

Obtaining a Prediction from R for Prob(low = 1)

```
model.1 <- glm(low ~ lwt, data = lbw1, family = binomial)
```

To predict on the probability scale, we can use

```
predict(model.1, newdata = data.frame(lwt = 130),  
        type = "response")
```

1

0.3038016

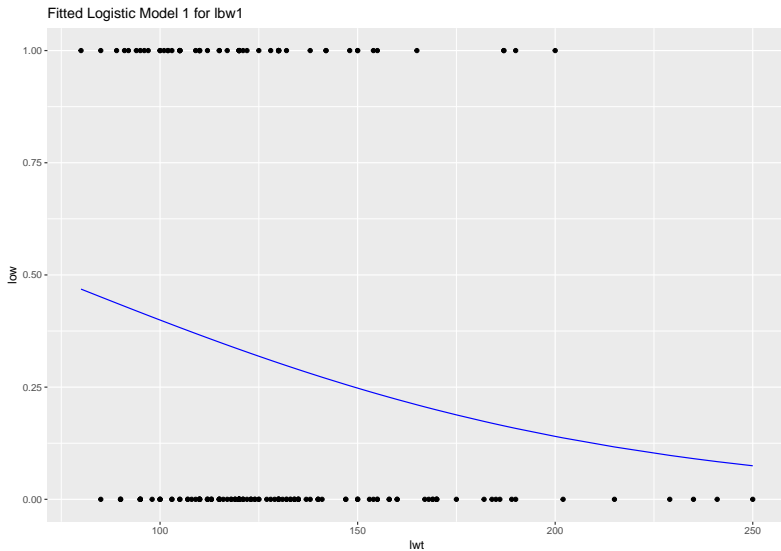
Plotting the Logistic Regression Model

We can use the `augment` function from the `broom` package to get our fitted probabilities included in the data.

```
mod1.aug <- augment(model.1, lbw1,  
                     type.predict = "response")  
  
ggplot(mod1.aug, aes(x = lwt, y = low)) +  
  geom_point() +  
  geom_line(aes(x = lwt, y = .fitted), col = "blue") +  
  labs(title = "Fitted Logistic Model 1 for lbw1")
```

- Results on next slide

Plotting the Logistic Regression Model



Cleaning up the plot

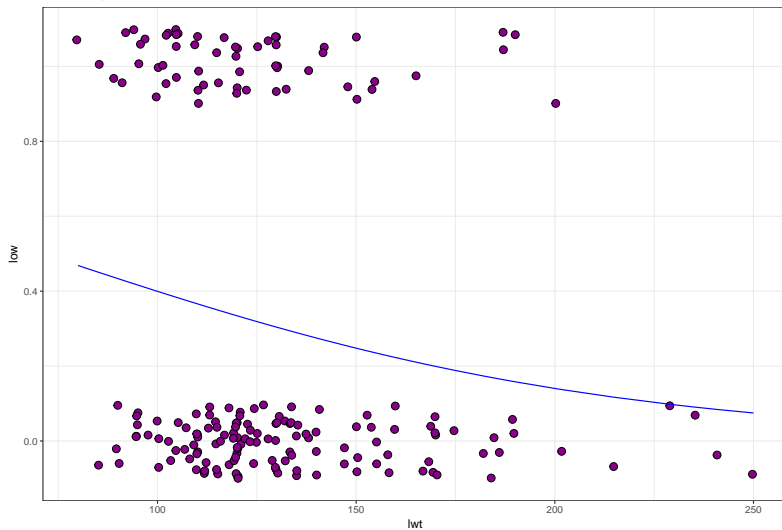
I'll add a little jitter on the vertical scale to the points, so we can avoid overlap, and also make the points a little bigger.

```
ggplot(mod1.aug, aes(x = lwt, y = low)) +  
  geom_jitter(height = 0.1, size = 3, pch = 21,  
              fill = "darkmagenta") +  
  geom_line(aes(x = lwt, y = .fitted), col = "blue") +  
  labs(title = "Fitted Logistic Model 1 for lbw1") +  
  theme_bw()
```

- Results on next slide

Cleaned up Plot of Model 1

Fitted Logistic Model 1 for lbw1



Studying the Model, Again

```
model.1
```

```
Call: glm(formula = low ~ lwt, family = binomial, data = lbw1)
```

Coefficients:

(Intercept)	lwt
0.99831	-0.01406

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- $\text{logit}(\Pr(\text{low} = 1)) = 0.998 - 0.014 \text{ lwt}$
 - so ... as lwt increases, what happens to $\Pr(\text{low} = 1)$?
 - if Harry's mom weighed 130 lbs and Sally's weighed 150 lbs, how can we compare the predicted $\Pr(\text{low} = 1)$ for Harry and Sally?

Comparing Harry (lwt = 130) to Sally (lwt = 150)

```
predict(model.1, newdata = data.frame(lwt = c(130, 150)),  
       type = "response")
```

1	2
0.3038016	0.2477917

- Harry's mom weighed 130 lbs, and his predicted probability of low birth weight is 0.304
- Sally's mom weighed 150 lbs, and her predicted $\Pr(\text{low} = 1) = 0.248$

Interpreting the Coefficients of the Model

```
coef(model.1)
```

(Intercept)	lwt
0.99831432	-0.01405826

To understand the effect of lwt on low, try odds ratios.

```
exp(coef(model.1))
```

(Intercept)	lwt
2.7137035	0.9860401

Suppose Charlie's Mom weighed one pound more than Harry's.

- The **odds** of low birth weight are 0.986 times as large for Charlie as Harry.
- In general, odds ratio comparing two subjects whose lwt differ by 1 pound is 0.986

Comparing Harry to Charlie

Charlie's mom weighed 1 pound more than Harry's. The estimated odds ratio for low birth weight from the model associated with a one pound increase in 1wt is 0.986.

- If the odds ratio was 1, that would mean that Harry and Charlie had the same estimated odds of low birth weight, and thus the same estimated probability of low birth weight, despite having Moms with different weights.
- Since the odds ratio is less than 1, it means that Harry has a lower estimated odds of low birth weight than Charlie, and thus that Harry has a lower estimated probability of low birth weight than Charlie.
- If the odds ratio was greater than 1, it would mean that Harry had a higher estimated odds of low birth weight than Charlie, and thus that Harry had a higher estimated probability of low birth weight than Charlie.

The smallest possible odds ratio is ... ?

The rest of the model's output

Degrees of Freedom: 188 Total (i.e. Null); 187 Residual

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Model	Null	Residual	Δ (model.1)
Deviance (lack of fit)	234.7	228.7	6.0
Degrees of Freedom	188	187	1

- Deviance accounted for by model.1 is 6 points on 1 df
- Can compare to a χ^2 distribution for a p value via anova

AIC = 232.7, still useful for comparing models for the same outcome

anova on a glm model

```
anova(model.1)
```

Analysis of Deviance Table

Model: binomial, link: logit

Response: low

Terms added sequentially (first to last)

	Df	Deviance	Resid. Df	Resid. Dev
NULL			188	234.67
lwt	1	5.9813	187	228.69

```
pchisq(5.9813, 1, lower.tail = FALSE)
```

```
[1] 0.01445834
```


glance on model.1

```
glance(model.1)
```

	null.deviance	df.null	logLik	AIC	BIC
1	234.672	188	-114.3453	232.6907	239.1742
	deviance	df.residual			
1	228.6907	187			

- Deviance = $-2 \times \log(\text{likelihood})$
- AIC and BIC are based on the deviance, but with differing penalties for complicating the model
- AIC and BIC remain useful for comparing multiple models for the same outcome

summary of model.1

```
> summary(model.1)

Call:
glm(formula = low ~ lwt, family = binomial, data = lbw1)

Deviance Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-1.0951  -0.9022  -0.8018   1.3609   1.9821

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept)  0.99831    0.78529   1.271   0.2036
lwt          -0.01406    0.00617  -2.279   0.0227 *
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

    Null deviance: 234.67  on 188  degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 228.69  on 187  degrees of freedom
AIC: 232.69

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

Coefficients output

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	0.99831	0.78529	1.271	0.2036
1wt	-0.01406	0.00617	-2.279	0.0227 *

- We have a table of coefficients with standard errors, and hypothesis tests, although these are Wald z-tests, rather than the t tests we saw in linear modeling.
- 1wt has a Wald Z of -2.279, yielding $p = 0.0227$
 - H_0 : 1wt does not have an effect on the log odds of low
 - H_A : 1wt does have such an effect
- If the coefficient (on the logit scale) for 1wt was truly 0, this would mean that:
 - the log odds of low birth weight did not change based on 1wt,
 - the odds of low birth weight were unchanged based on 1wt ($OR = 1$), and
 - the probability of low birth weight was unchanged based on the 1wt.

Confidence Intervals for Coefficients

```
coef(model.1)
```

```
(Intercept)          lwt  
0.99831432 -0.01405826
```

```
confint(model.1, level = 0.95)
```

Waiting for profiling to be done...

```
                2.5 %          97.5 %  
(Intercept) -0.48116701  2.611748138  
lwt          -0.02696198 -0.002650036
```

- The coefficient of `lwt` has a point estimate of -0.014 and a 95% confidence interval of (-0.027, -0.003).
- On the logit scale, this isn't that interpretable, but we will often exponentiate to describe odds ratios.

Odds Ratio Interpretation of exp(Coefficient)

```
exp(coef(model.1))
```

(Intercept)	lwt
2.7137035	0.9860401

```
exp(confint(model.1, level = 0.95))
```

	2.5 %	97.5 %
(Intercept)	0.6180617	13.6228447
lwt	0.9733982	0.9973535

- Odds Ratio for low based on a one pound increase in lwt is 0.986 (95% CI: 0.973, 0.997).
 - Estimated odds of low birth weight will be smaller (odds < 1) for those with larger lwt values.
 - Smaller odds(low birth weight) = smaller Prob(low birth weight).

Deviance Residuals

Deviance Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-1.0951	-0.9022	-0.8018	1.3609	1.9821

- The deviance residuals for each individual subject sum up to the deviance statistic for the model, and describe the contribution of each point to the model likelihood function. The formula is in the Course Notes.
- Logistic Regression is a non-linear model, and it doesn't come with either an assumption that the residuals will follow a Normal distribution, or an assumption that the residuals will have constant variance, so when we build diagnostics for the logistic regression model, we'll use different plots and strategies than we used in linear models.

Other New Things

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

- Dispersion parameters matter for some generalized linear models. For binomial family models like the logistic, it's always 1.
- The solution of a logistic regression model involves maximizing a likelihood function. Fisher's scoring algorithm needed just four iterations to perform this fit. The model converged, quickly.

How Well Does Our model.1 Classify Subjects?

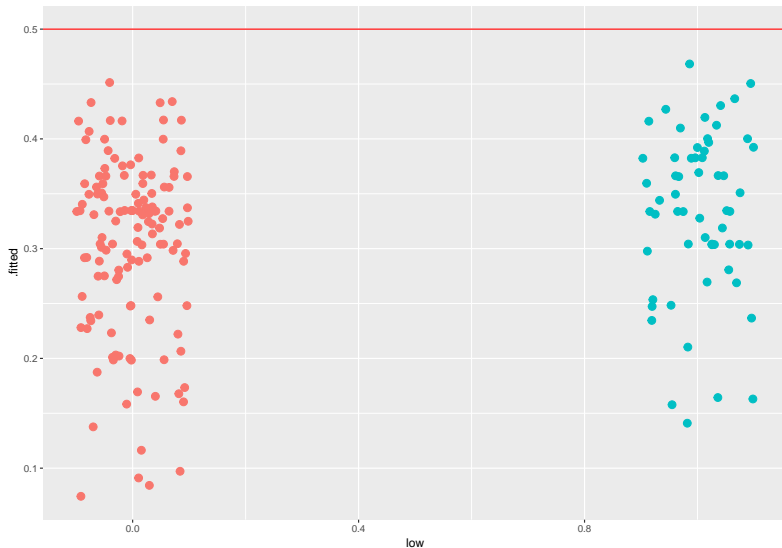
One possible rule: if predicted $\Pr(\text{low} = 1) \geq 0.5$, then we predict "low birth weight"

```
mod1.aug$rule.5 <- ifelse(mod1.aug$.fitted >= 0.5,  
                           "Predict Low", "Predict Not Low")  
  
table(mod1.aug$rule.5, mod1.aug$low)
```

	0	1
Predict Not Low	130	59

This rule might be a problem for us. What % are correct?

A plot of classifications with the 0.5 rule



How Well Does Our model.1 Classify Subjects?

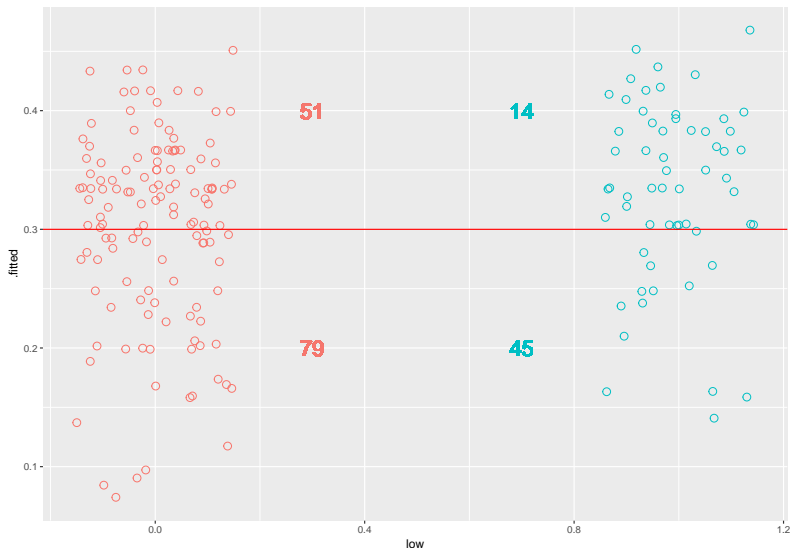
A new rule: if predicted $\Pr(\text{low} = 1) \geq 0.3$, then we predict “low birth weight”

```
mod1.aug$rule.3 <- ifelse(mod1.aug$.fitted >= 0.3,  
                           "Predict Low", "Predict Not Low")  
  
table(mod1.aug$rule.3, mod1.aug$low)
```

	0	1
Predict Low	79	45
Predict Not Low	51	14

What percentage of these classifications are correct?

A plot of classifications with the 0.3 rule



Coming Soon

- Receiver Operating Characteristic Curve Analysis
 - The C statistic (Area under the curve)
- Assessing Residual Plots for a Logistic Regression
- A “Kitchen Sink” Logistic Regression Model
 - Comparing Models
 - Interpreting Models with Multiple Predictors
- Logistic Regression using the `lrm` function
 - Nagelkerke R^2 , Somers' d etc.
 - Validating Summary Statistics
 - Summaries of Effects
 - Plotting In-Sample Predictions
 - Influence
 - Calibration
 - Nomograms