

Defining a model and deriving the likelihood for Q3

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Define $X_{4i} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{person } i \text{ has GPA} \geq 3.5 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

$$X_{1i} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{person } i \text{ has used study drugs} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Model

$$X_{4i} \sim \text{Ber}(\theta)$$

$$X_{1i} | X_{4i} = 1 \sim \text{Ber}(\psi_1)$$

$$X_{1i} | X_{4i} = 0 \sim \text{Ber}(\psi_0)$$

Note! This is based on an assumption of drawing a person at random from the population. As was pointed out in class, θ , ψ_1 , and ψ_0 are descriptive of the population and we can't infer causality.

Further, define

$$Y_{4i} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{person } i \text{ responds 1 to Q4} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$Y_{1i} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{person } i \text{ responds 2 or 3 to Q1} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

D_{11i}, D_{12i} die rolls on Q1 for person i

D_{41i}, D_{42i} " Q4 "

The likelihood is

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$$\mathcal{L}(\theta, \psi, \psi_0) = \prod_{i=1}^n p(y_{4i}, y_{1i} \mid \theta, \psi, \psi_0) \quad (\text{assuming people answer the survey independently})$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^n p(y_{4i} \mid \theta, \psi, \psi_0) p(y_{1i} \mid y_{4i}, \theta, \psi, \psi_0)$$

Now let me simplify these.
I will temporarily drop the index i .

$Y_{4i} = 0 \text{ or } 1$, so I need to find the probability of each in terms of the parameters. (This is similar to the calculation you did before.)

$$P(Y_4 = 1 \mid \theta, \psi, \psi_0) = P(Y_4 = 1 \mid D_{41} = 1 \text{ or } 2, \theta, \psi, \psi_0) \times P(D_{41} = 1 \text{ or } 2 \mid \theta, \psi, \psi_0)$$

answer according to D42

I'm conditioning on all variables for completeness. You can see that most of them will drop out.

$$+ P(Y_4 = 1 \mid D_{41} = 3, 4, 5 \text{ or } 6, \theta, \psi, \psi_0) \times P(D_{41} = 3, 4, 5 \text{ or } 6 \mid \theta, \psi, \psi_0)$$

answer according to X4

$$= P(D_{42} = 1) P(D_{41} = 1 \text{ or } 2)$$

$$+ P(X_4 = 1 \mid \theta) P(D_{41} = 3, 4, 5 \text{ or } 6)$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + \theta \cdot \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{18} + \frac{2}{3} \theta$$

$$\text{So } \boxed{p(y_{4i} | \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0) = \left[\frac{1}{18} + \frac{2}{3} \theta \right]^{y_i} \left[1 - \frac{1}{18} - \frac{2}{3} \theta \right]^{1-y_i}}$$

Moving now to $p(y_{1i} | y_{4i}, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0) \dots$

As with Y_{4i} , Y_{1i} is either 1 or 0, so our problem is to find $P(Y_{1i} = 1 | Y_{4i}, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0)$. Drop i again.

answer according to D12

$$P(Y_1 = 1 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0) = P(Y_1 = 1 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0, D_{11} = 1 \text{ or } 2)$$

$$\times P(D_{11} = 1 \text{ or } 2 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0)$$

$$+ P(Y_1 = 1 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0, D_{11} = 3, 4, 5, \text{ or } 6)$$

$$\times P(D_{11} = 3, 4, 5 \text{ or } 6 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0)$$

$$= P(D_{12} = 3, 4, 5, 6) P(D_{11} = 1 \text{ or } 2)$$

$$+ P(X_1 = 1 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0) P(D_{11} = 3, 4, 5 \text{ or } 6)$$

answer according to X_1

$$= \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} P(X_1 = 1 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0)$$

need to simplify this

$$P(X_1 = 1 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0)$$

* now I'm going to condition
on the truth for Q4

$$= \underbrace{P(X_1 = 1 | X_4 = 1, Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0)}_{= \psi_1} P(X_4 = 1 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0) + \underbrace{P(X_1 = 1 | X_4 = 0, Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0)}_{= \psi_0} P(X_4 = 0 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0)$$

$$P(X_4 = 1 | Y_4 = 1, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0) = \frac{P(X_4 = 1, Y_4 = 1 | \theta)}{P(Y_4 = 1 | \theta)}$$

To obtain these, I
used the table
on the following page.

$$= \frac{\frac{13}{18} \theta}{\frac{1}{18} + \frac{2}{3} \theta} \equiv g_1(\theta)$$

$$P(X_4 = 1 | Y_4 = 0, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0) = \frac{P(X_4 = 1, Y_4 = 0 | \theta)}{P(Y_4 = 0 | \theta)}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{5}{18} \theta}{1 - \frac{1}{18} - \frac{2}{3} \theta} \equiv g_0(\theta)$$

X_4	D_{41}	D_{42}	Y_4 (determined by the others)	probability
0	1-2	1	1	$(1-\theta) \frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{6}$
0	1-2	2-6	0	$(1-\theta) \frac{1}{3} \frac{5}{6}$
0	3-6	1	0	$(1-\theta) \frac{2}{3} \frac{1}{6}$
0	3-6	2-6	0	$(1-\theta) \frac{2}{3} \frac{5}{6}$
1	1-2	1	1	$\theta \frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{6}$
1	1-2	2-6	0	$\theta \frac{1}{3} \frac{5}{6}$
1	3-6	1	1	$\theta \frac{2}{3} \frac{1}{6}$
1	3-6	2-6	1	$\theta \frac{2}{3} \frac{5}{6}$

Shortening the notation from page 4, I can write

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$$X_4 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0 \sim \text{Ber} (g_{Y_4}(\theta))$$

i.e., use g_1 or g_0
depending on Y_4

Putting it all together,

$$P(Y_1 = 1 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0) = \frac{2}{9} + \frac{2}{3} P(X_1 = 1 | Y_4, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0)$$

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$$= \frac{2}{9} + \frac{2}{3} [\psi_1 g_{Y_4}(\theta) + \psi_0 (1 - g_{Y_4}(\theta))]$$

$$\equiv f(\theta, \psi_1, \psi_0, Y_4)$$

and the contribution to the likelihood is

$$P(y_{1i} | y_{4i}, \theta, \psi_1, \psi_0) = f(\theta, \psi_1, \psi_0, y_{4i})^{y_{1i}} [1 - f(\theta, \psi_1, \psi_0, y_{4i})]^{1-y_{1i}}$$