

Logistic Regression

- Use cases for performing logistic Regression
- Usage of sigmoid function & calculate probability.
- Linear Regression Vs Logistic Regression
- Uses of log loss instead of squared loss

⇒ Raring today

Case Communities needed

Spam / not Spam

⇒ Model which gives the "Probability"

⇒ This curve sigmoid → 'S shaped curve'

Logistic Regression it used.

⇒ Calculating a probability with sigmoid function

⇒ Practically many problem requires probability estimate → Logistic regression is an extremely efficient mechanism for calculating probabilities

Logistic Regression More about probability

logistic function → Sigmoid function

Example If spam - prediction model takes an email as input and outputs 0.932

this implies it is 93% it is spam

↳ convert to binary category

* Sigmoid function

→ logistic function whose characteristic make the result between $0 \rightarrow 1$

→ Standard logistic function is called sigmoid function

Sigmoid means → "S-shaped"

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}}$$

$$z = b + w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_3 x_3 + \dots + w_n x_n$$

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o/p → Linear Equation
also called as log odds

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Bias

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Model learned weights

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Feature values for particular Example

* To obtain logistic regression prediction $[z]$ value is sent to sigmoid function which yield to a value of probability between $0 \rightarrow 1$

$$\underline{y} = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}} \rightarrow \text{is linear output}$$

↳ output of logistic regression model

↳ learned weight from the model

$$z = b + w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_3 x_3 + \dots + w_n x_n$$

↳ Bias

↳ feature variables

log odd

$$y = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}$$

$$Z = \log \left(\frac{y}{1-y} \right)$$

\hookrightarrow Z is exponentiated/defined as log of ratio of probabilities

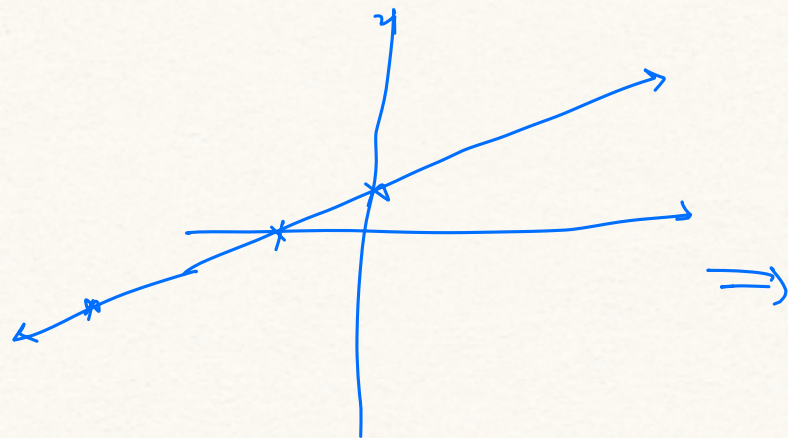
of two possible outcomes

$$\Rightarrow y \text{ \& } 1-y$$

Linear Equations

$$Z = 2x + 5$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{(1 + e^{-Z})}$$



Logistic regression with 3 features

$$b = 1$$

$$w_1 = 2$$

$$w_2 = -1$$

$$w_3 = 5$$

Input values

$$x_1 = 0$$

$$x_2 = 10$$

$$x_3 = 2$$

$$Z = b + w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_3 x_3 \dots$$

$$Z = 1 + 2 \times 0 + -1 \times 10 + 5 \times 2$$

$$= 1 + 0 \div 10 \neq 10$$

$= 1\frac{1}{2}$

logistic prediction value i.e. $\hat{y} = \frac{1}{1 + e^z} = \frac{1}{1 + 0} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$

$$\frac{1}{1+e^{-z}} = \frac{1}{1+\frac{1}{1}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{1 - e^{-z}} = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-1}} = \frac{1}{1 + 0.367} = \frac{1}{1.367} = \underline{\underline{0.731}}$$

Logistic Regression : Loss and regularization

\Rightarrow Logistic Regression uses **Cog loss** instead of **Squared loss**
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 Logistic Regression \downarrow Linear Regression

⇒ Applying regularization is critical to prevent Overfitting

⇒ Where rate of change of $\frac{\text{loss}}{n}$ is constant, square loss works well that is in Linear Model.

\Rightarrow linear model $= y' = \underline{b + x \cdot c}$

↳ increase input value $x = 1$
↳ output value y increases by 3

Regularization

It is a mechanism for penalizing Model complexity during training, which is highly important.

Asymptotic nature of sigmoid is something it never reaches to any of 0 or 1 ~~but~~

Here in context logistic regression asymptotic nature tends towards Zero in case where the model has a large number of features, the are two strategies used by logistic regression model to decrease complexity

- ① L_2 Regression
- ② Early Stopping