

## Lecture Summary: March 13, 2023

- Logistic regression

1. Simple logistic regression model

Responses  $(Y_i, x_i), i = 1, \dots, n$ .  $Y_i$  binary (i.e.,  $Y_i = 0$  or  $1$ ).

Assume  $\text{logit}(p_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i, i = 1, \dots, n$ , where  $p_i = P(Y_i = 1)$  and  $\text{logit}(p) = \log[p/(1 - p)]$  (natural logarithm).

Solve for  $p_i$ :  $p_i = e^{\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i} / (1 + e^{\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i})$ .

### Log-likelihood function

Likelihood:  $L = \prod_{i=1}^n f(Y_i)$ , where  $f(Y_i) = p_i^{Y_i} (1 - p_i)^{1 - Y_i}$ .

Log-likelihood:

$$\begin{aligned} \log L &= \sum_{i=1}^n \log[f(Y_i)] \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \{Y_i \log(p_i) + \log(1 - p_i)\} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \{Y_i(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i) - \log(1 + e^{\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i})\}. \end{aligned}$$

### Maximum likelihood

Find  $\hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\beta}_1$  that maximize the log-likelihood over  $\beta_0, \beta_1$ .