

STA 303/1002-Methods of Data Analysis II

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STA 303/1002: Class 11- Binomial Logistic Regression

- ▶ Case Study IV: Island size and bird extinction
 - ▶ R syntax
 - ▶ Data visualization
 - ▶ Interpreting coefficients
 - ▶ Wald procedures
- ▶ Principle of the week: *K-Keep, I-It, S-Simple, S-Stupid*(US Navy, 1960)



Plot

Q: How would the plot of estimated probabilities change if we modelled probability of death rather than survival?

Over 50yrs

Q: Should one be reluctant to draw conclusions about the ratio of male and female odds of survival for the Donner Party members over 50?

Other Model Fit Statistics

- ▶ Two popular fit statistics: AIC and BIC; combines log-likelihood with a penalty.
- ▶ Useful for comparing models with same response and same data
- ▶ Extends from normal regression to GLMs
 1. Akaike's Information Criterion (AIC)

$$AIC = -2 \log \mathcal{L} + 2(p + 1)$$

2. Schwarz's (Bayesian Information) Criterion (BIC)

$$BIC = -2 \log \mathcal{L} + (p + 1) \log N$$

where

- ▶ p -number of explanatory variables, and
- ▶ N =sample size

Model Fit Statistics: AIC and BIC

- ▶ Smaller is better!
- ▶ BIC applies stronger penalty for model complexity than AIC
- ▶ AIC Rule of Thumb:
 - ▶ One model fits **better** than another if difference in AIC's > 10
 - ▶ One model is essentially **equivalent** to another if the difference in AIC's < 2

Using AIC: Case Study III Example

- ▶ Fitted models are based on same response and data.
- ▶ Based on AIC, choose a 'best' model.

Model	Variables	AIC	BIC
1	{age,sex}	57.256	62.676
2	{age,sex,age*sex,age ² ,age ² *sex}	57.361	68.201
3	{age,sex,age*sex,age ² }	55.830	64.863
4	{age,sex,age*sex}	55.346	62.573

Results:

- ▶ Difference in AIC between 1 and 3 is within 2
- ▶ There is some indication that 2 is worse than 3 and 4.
- ▶ Choose Model 1 (the simplest)

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Related R packages and functions

- ▶ Packages:

- ▶ aod: analysis of over-dispersed data
- ▶ ggplot2: graphics
- ▶ Sleuth3: data sets for Ramsey and Schafer's text
- ▶ effects: effects displays for GLM and other models

- ▶ Functions:

- ▶ `confint()`
- ▶ `coef()`
- ▶ `vcov()`
- ▶ `wald.test()`
- ▶ `AIC()`
- ▶ `BIC()`

Binomial Logistic Regression

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Suppose $Y \sim \text{Binomial}(m, \pi)$

- ▶ Y -binomial count of the number of “successes”

$$P(Y = y) = \binom{m}{y} \pi^y (1 - \pi)^{m-y}, \quad y = 0, 1, \dots, m$$

- ▶ Link to Bernoulli:

$Y = \sum_{i=1}^m X_i$ if X_i 's are independent Bernoulli(π) r.v.s.
Assume that π is the same for each Bernoulli trial.



- ▶ Mean: $E(Y) = m\pi$
- ▶ Variance: $\text{Var}(Y) = m\pi(1 - \pi)$

Suppose $Y \sim \text{Binomial}(m, \pi)$

- ▶ Consider modelling

$$\frac{Y}{m}$$

- the proportion of “successes” out of m independent Bernoulli trials.

- ▶ where,

- ▶ $E\left(\frac{Y}{m}\right) = \pi$

- ▶ $\text{Var}\left(\frac{Y}{m}\right) = \frac{\pi(1 - \pi)}{m}$

Case Study IV Data Example

- Data: counts of bird species for 18 Krunnit Islands off Finland.

i	x_i	m_i	y_i
	area	nspecies	nextinct
ISLAND	AREA	ATRISK	EXTINCT
Ulkokrunni	185.8	75	5
Maakrunni	105.8	67	3
Ristikari	30.7	66	10
Isonkivenletto	8.5	51	6
...			
Tiirakari	0.2	40	13
Ristikarenletto	0.07	6	3

of successes

Observed proportion

π_i

5/75

3/67

...

13/40

3/6 = 0.5

- AREA- area of island in km^2 , x_i
- ATRISK- number of species on each island in 1949, m_i
- EXTINCT- number of species no longer found on each island in 1959, y_i

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Case Study IV: Model

- ▶ π_i - probability of 'extinction' for each island.

① Assume that this is the same for each species of bird on a particular island.

② ▶ Assume species survival is independent. Then

$$Y_i \sim \text{Binomial}(m_i, \pi_i)$$

- ▶ Unlike Case III- Donner party binary logistic example, we can estimate π_i from the data.

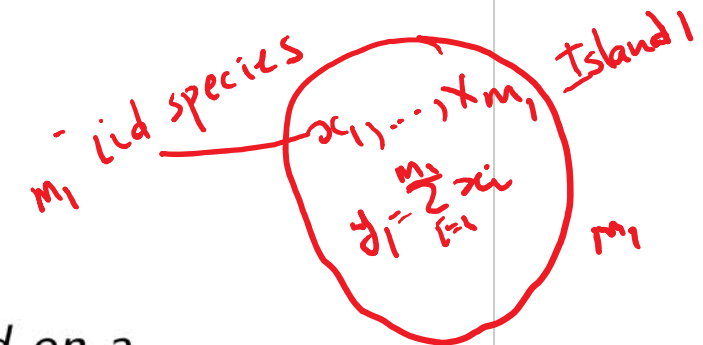
Bernoulli

→ Binomial counts.

Proportions vs Percentages
(0, 1)

(0, 100)

cts.



$$0 \leq \pi_i \leq 1$$

$$0 < \pi_i < 1$$

$$\pi = \begin{cases} 0 \\ 1 \end{cases}$$

Case Study IV: Model

- Data* {
- ▶ Observed response proportion:
$$\bar{\pi}_i = \frac{y_i}{m_i}$$

observed counts → y_i
total → m_i
→ $\bar{\pi}_i$
 - ▶ Observed or Empirical logits: (S- "saturated")

$$\log \left(\frac{\bar{\pi}_{S,i}}{1 - \bar{\pi}_{S,i}} \right) = \log \left(\frac{y_i}{m_i - y_i} \right)$$

- Estimates*
- ▶ Proposed Model: $\log \left(\frac{\pi_i}{1 - \pi_i} \right) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \text{Area}_i, i = 1, \dots, 18$
→ $\hat{\pi}_i$
 - ▶ AIM:
 - ▶ Learn how to create nature preserves that help endangered species.
 - ▶ Are large or small preserves better?

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Case Study IV: Initial assessment of data

Visuals

- ▶ Plot observed logits versus area to see if a linear relationship seems appropriate.
- ▶ From that plot, we decide to look at log(Area) instead.
- ▶ The relationship between empirical logits and log(Area) seems linear.
- ▶ Hence, we fit

$$\log \left(\frac{\pi_i}{1-\pi_i} \right) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \log(\text{Area}_i), \quad i = 1, \dots, 18$$

Case Study IV: R syntax

- ▶ In R, the model formula has the form:


$\text{cbind}(y_i, m_i - y_i) \sim \log(\text{Area})$

Need to specify both:

- ▶ y_i - number of successes and
- ▶ $(m_i - y_i)$ - number of failures

Case Study IV: Model Summary

- ▶ Number of observations: 18
- ▶ Number of coefficients: 2
- ▶ Fitted model:


$$\text{logit}(\hat{\pi}) = -1.196 - 0.297 \log(\text{Area})$$

Case Study IV: Wald procedures

(Similar test as in binary logistic regression)

- ▶ Hypotheses:

$$H_0 : \beta_1 = 0 \text{ vs } H_a : \beta_1 \neq 0$$

- ▶ Test statistic:

$$z = \frac{-0.2971}{0.0549} = -5.42 \sim N(0, 1) \text{ or } z^2 = 29.3 \sim \chi_1^2$$

$= (-5.42)^2$

- ▶ P-value < 0.0001

- ▶ **Conclusion:** Strong evidence that coefficient of log(Area) is not zero. Evidence that extinction probabilities are associated with island area.

- ▶ 95% CI for β_1 :

$$-0.2971 \pm 1.96(0.0549) = (-0.40, -0.19)$$

does not include 0

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$$\hat{\beta}_1 \pm 1.96 (se(\hat{\beta}_1))$$

Case Study IV: Interpretation of β_1

► Model:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{logit}(\pi) &= \beta_0 + \beta_1 \log(x) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{1 - \pi} &= e^{\beta_0} e^{\beta_1 \log(x)} = e^{\beta_0} x^{\beta_1} \end{aligned}$$

► Interpretation: Hence, changing x by a factor of h , changes the odds by a multiplicative factor of $\underline{h^{\beta_1}}$.

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

$$h = 2$$

$$x \rightarrow xh$$

$$\begin{aligned} \log a &= b \\ \Rightarrow a &= e^b \end{aligned}$$

$$\log_{10} 10 = 1 \Rightarrow 10^1$$

$$\log_{10} 100 = 2 \Rightarrow 10^2 = 10(10)$$

$$\frac{e^{\beta_0} x^{\beta_1}}{e^{\beta_0} (1)}$$

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Case Study IV: Interpretation of β_1

$$\frac{\pi}{1-\pi}$$

- ▶ **Example 1:** Halving island area changes odds by a factor of $0.5^{-0.2971} = 1.23$.

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

Therefore, the odds of extinction on a smaller island are 123% of the odds of extinction on an island double its size.

In other words, halving of area is associated with an increase in the odds of extinction by an estimated 23%.

An approximate 95% confidence interval for the percentage change in odds is 14% to 32%.

- ▶ **Example 2:** Doubling island area changes odds by a factor of $2^{-0.2971} = 0.81$.

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

Therefore, the odds of extinction for an at-risk species on a larger island are only 81% of the odds of extinction for such a species on an island half its size.

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Case Study IV: Estimating probability of extinction

- ▶ Q: Estimate the probability of extinction for a species on the Ulkokrunni island.
- ▶ Fitted Model (M):

$$\text{logit}(\hat{\pi}_{M,i}) = -1.196 - 0.297 \log(\text{Area}_i)$$

- ▶ For Ulkokrunni island, $i = 1$ and $\text{Area} = 185.5 \text{ km}^2$, then

$$\text{logit}(\hat{\pi}_{M,1}) = -1.196 - 0.297 \log(185.5) = -2.7$$

Est. prob. $\hat{\pi}_{M,1} = \frac{e^{-2.7}}{1 + e^{-2.7}}$

- ▶ Compared to the response proportion, $\bar{\pi}_{S,1} = \frac{5}{75} = 0.067$.

Obs. prob.

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Case Study IV: The Data

Get the data (from R library):

```
#load Sleuth3 R data library; see case2101  
library(Sleuth3); krunnit = case2101  
str(krunnit)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 18 obs. of 4 variables:  
## $ Island : Factor w/ 18 levels "Hietakraasukka",...: 16 6 11 2 1 3 4 7 15 12  
## $ Area : num 185.8 105.8 30.7 8.5 4.8 ...  
## $ AtRisk : int 75 67 66 51 28 20 43 31 28 32 ...  
## $ Extinct: int 5 3 10 6 3 4 8 3 5 6 ...
```

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Case Study IV: New variables

Get the data (from R library):

```
attach(krunnit); head(krunnit)
```

##	Island	Area	AtRisk	Extinct
## 1	Ulkokrunni	185.8	75	5
## 2	Maakrunni	105.8	67	3
## 3	Ristikari	30.7	66	10
## 4	Isonkivenletto	8.5	51	6
## 5	Hietakraasukka	4.8	28	3
## 6	Kraasukka	4.5	20	4

```
logitpi<-log(Extinct/AtRisk/(1-(Extinct/AtRisk))) #observed logits
logarea<-log(Area) # log transformed Area
NExtinct<-AtRisk-Extinct
pis<-Extinct/AtRisk
```

$$N_{Extinct} = m_i - y_i$$

$$75 - 5 = 70$$

$$67 - 3 = 64$$

⋮

$$20 - 4 = 16$$

$$\hat{\pi}_i$$

$$\frac{s/75}{3/67}$$

$$\log\left(\frac{\pi_i}{1-\pi_i}\right)$$

$$\frac{(s/75)}{(3/67)} \sqrt{1 - (5/75)}$$

Empirical logits

$$\log\left(\frac{\bar{\pi}_i}{1-\bar{\pi}_i}\right)$$

$$\text{Eg. } \log\left(\frac{s/75}{1 - s/75}\right)$$

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we can compare: $\bar{\pi}_i$ with $\hat{\pi}_i$

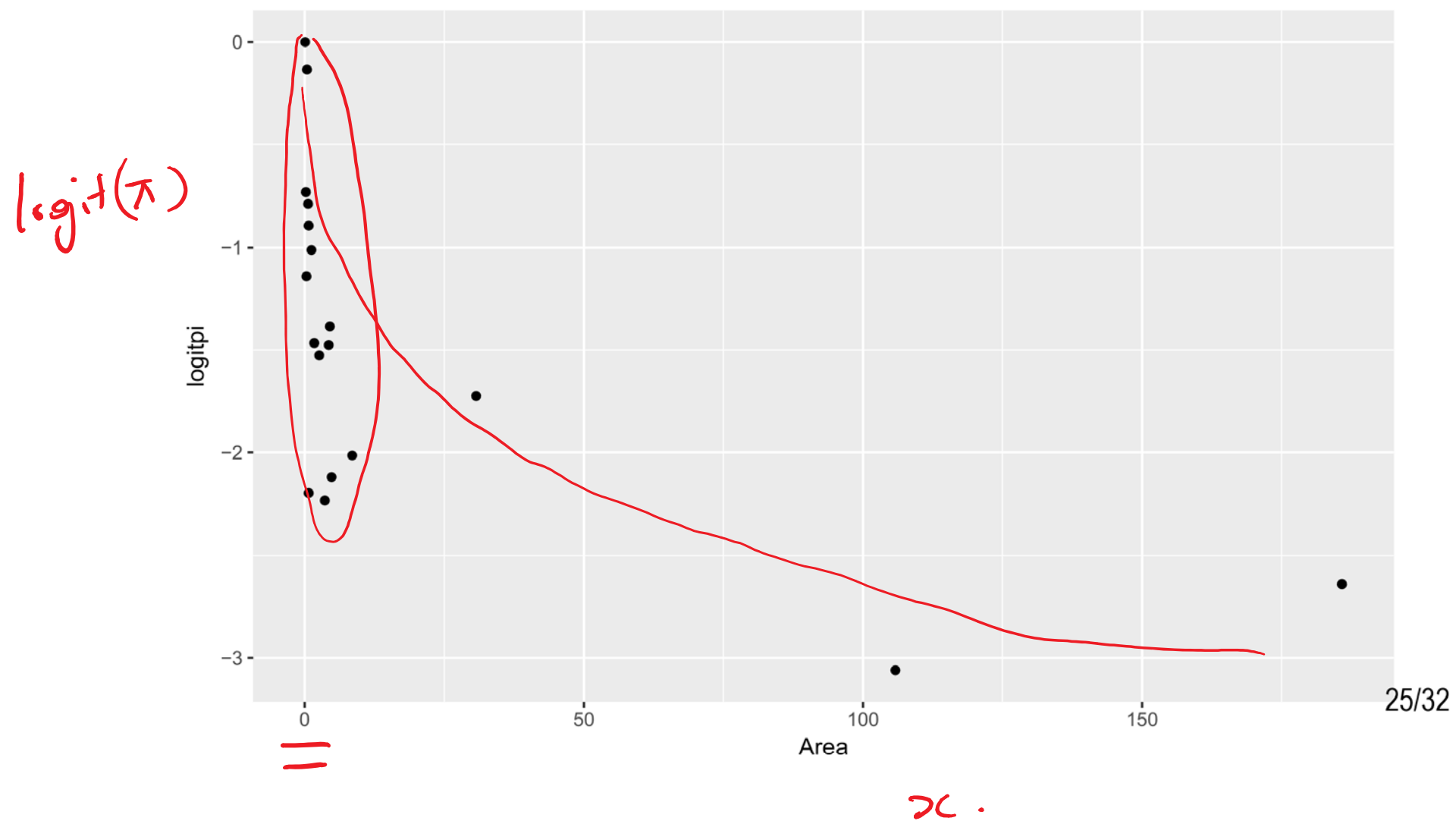
$$\log \frac{\bar{\pi}_i}{1-\bar{\pi}_i} \text{ with } \log \frac{\hat{\pi}_i}{1-\hat{\pi}_i}$$

$\log(\text{Area})$

$m_i - y_i$

Case Study IV: Visualizing the data

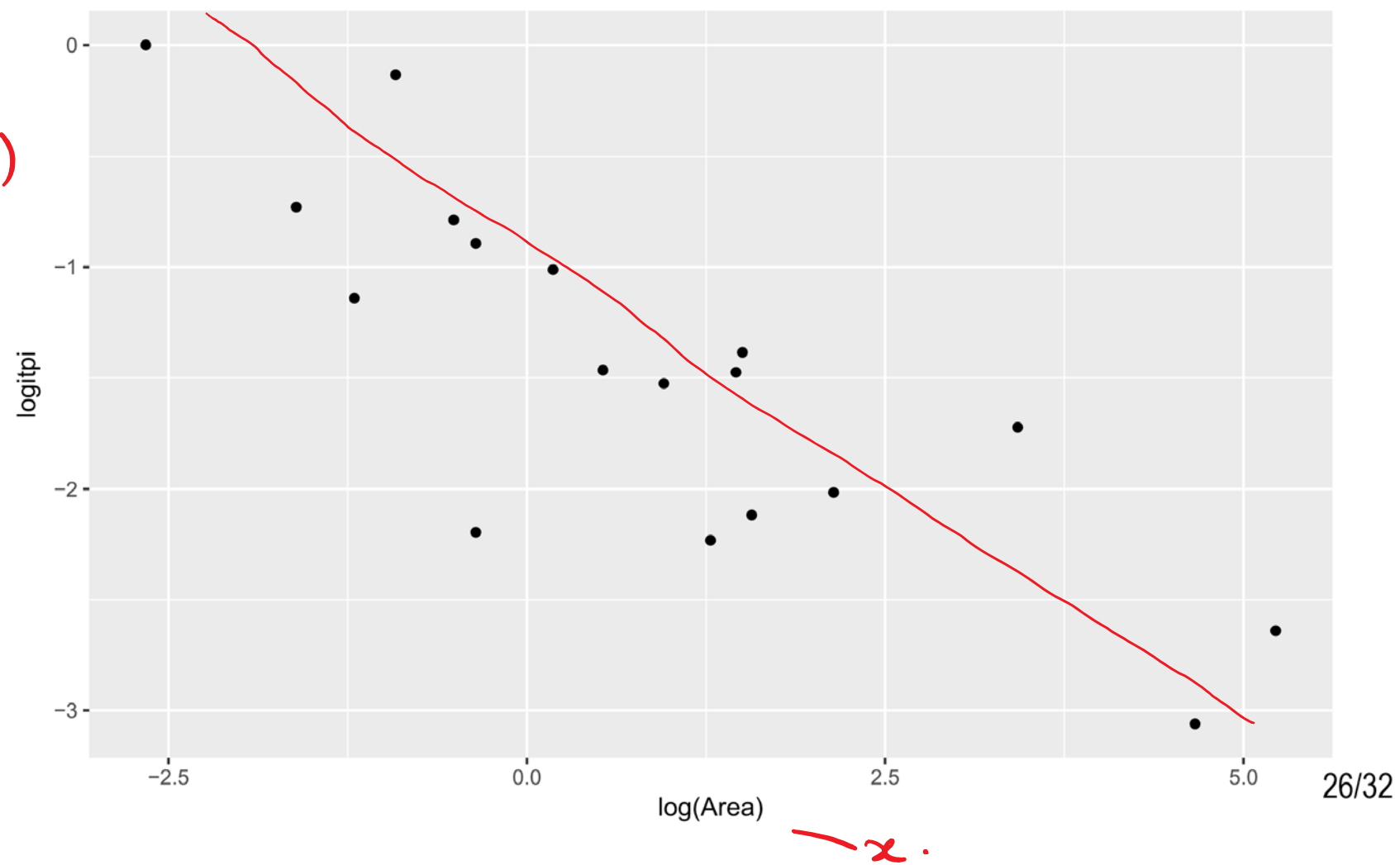
```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(krunnit, aes(x=Area, y=logitpi)) + geom_point()
```



Case Study IV: Visualizing the data

```
ggplot(krunnit, aes(x=log(Area), y=logitpi))+geom_point()
```

logit()*



$y \sim x$

Case Study IV: Logistic Model with logged explanatory variable

```
fitbl<-glm(cbind(Extinct,NExtinct)~log(Area), family=binomial, data=krunit)  
summary(fitbl)
```

```
##  
## Call:  
## glm(formula = cbind(Extinct, NExtinct) ~ log(Area), family = binomial,  
##      data = krunit)  
##  
## Deviance Residuals:  
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max   
## -1.71726  -0.67722  0.09726  0.48365  1.49545   
##  
## Coefficients:  $\hat{\beta}_j$   $se(\hat{\beta}_j)$   
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)      
## (Intercept) -1.19620    0.11845 -10.099  < 2e-16 ***  
## log(Area)    -0.29710    0.05485  -5.416 6.08e-08 ***  
## ---  
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1  
##  
## (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)  
##  
##      Null deviance: 45.338  on 17  degrees of freedom  
## Residual deviance: 12.062  on 16  degrees of freedom  
## AIC: 75.394  
##  
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

$\rightarrow m_i$

$z^2 \sim \chi_1^2$

$(0.05485)^2 = 0.003$

Case IV: Deviance test and Estimated Var-Cov of β

```
anova(fitbl, test="Chisq")
```

```
## Analysis of Deviance Table
##
## Model: binomial, link: logit
##
## Response: cbind(Extinct, NExtinct)
##
## Terms added sequentially (first to last)
##
##
##              Df Deviance Resid. Df Resid. Dev  Pr(>Chi)
## NULL                      17      45.338
## log(Area)    1      33.277      16      12.062 7.994e-09 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

→ Used for Global LRT.

```
print(vcov(fitbl))
```

```
##              (Intercept)      log(Area)
## (Intercept)  0.014029452 -0.002602237
## log(Area)    -0.002602237 0.003008830
```

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$$\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_1) = (\text{se}(\hat{\beta}_1))^2$$

Case IV: Wald tests in R

```
library(aod) # Analysis of Overdispersed Data
wald.test(Sigma=vcov(fitbl), b=coef(fitbl), Terms=2)
```

Wald test:

##

Chi-squared test:


X2 = 29.3, df = 1, P(> X2) = 6.1e-08

$$(-5.42)^2 = 29.3$$

Case IV: Confidence Intervals for β 's

```
CL=cbind(bhat=coef(fitbl), confint.default(fitbl)) # 95% CI for betas
CL
```

```
##              bhat      2.5 %    97.5 %
## (Intercept) -1.1961955 -1.4283454 -0.9640456
## log(Area)    -0.2971037 -0.4046132 -0.1895942
```


$$\hat{\beta}_i \pm 1.96 \text{ se}(\hat{\beta}_i)$$

```
2^(CL) # doubling Area
```

```
##              bhat      2.5 %    97.5 %
## (Intercept) 0.4364247 0.3715568 0.5126174
## log(Area)   0.8138847 0.7554388 0.8768524
```

```
.5^(CL) # halving Area
```

```
##              bhat      2.5 %    97.5 %
## (Intercept) 2.291346 2.691379 1.950773
## log(Area)   1.228675 1.323734 1.140443
```

Case IV: Estimated probabilities of extinction per island

```
phats<-predict.glm(fitbl, type="response") # estimated probability of extinction
options(digits=4)
rbind(Extinct, NExtinct, pis,phats)
```

	##	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
y_i	## Extinct	5.00000	3.00000	10.00000	6.0000	3.0000	4.000	8.0000	
$m_i - y_i$	## NExtinct	70.00000	64.00000	56.00000	45.0000	25.0000	16.000	35.0000	
$\bar{\pi}_i$	## pis	0.06667	0.04478	0.15152	0.1176	0.1071	0.200	0.1860	
$\hat{\pi}_i$	## phats	0.06017	0.07036	0.09854	0.1380	0.1595	0.162	0.1639	
	##	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	## Extinct	3.00000	5.0000	6.0000	8.0000	2.0000	9.0000	5.0000	7.0000
	## NExtinct	28.00000	23.0000	26.0000	22.0000	18.0000	22.0000	11.0000	8.0000
	## pis	0.09677	0.1786	0.1875	0.2667	0.1000	0.2903	0.3125	0.4667
	## phats	0.17125	0.1854	0.2052	0.2226	0.2516	0.2516	0.2603	0.2842
	##	16	17	18					
	## Extinct	8.0000	13.0000	3.0000					
	## NExtinct	25.0000	27.0000	3.0000					
	## pis	0.2424	0.3250	0.5000					
	## phats	0.3019	0.3278	0.3998					

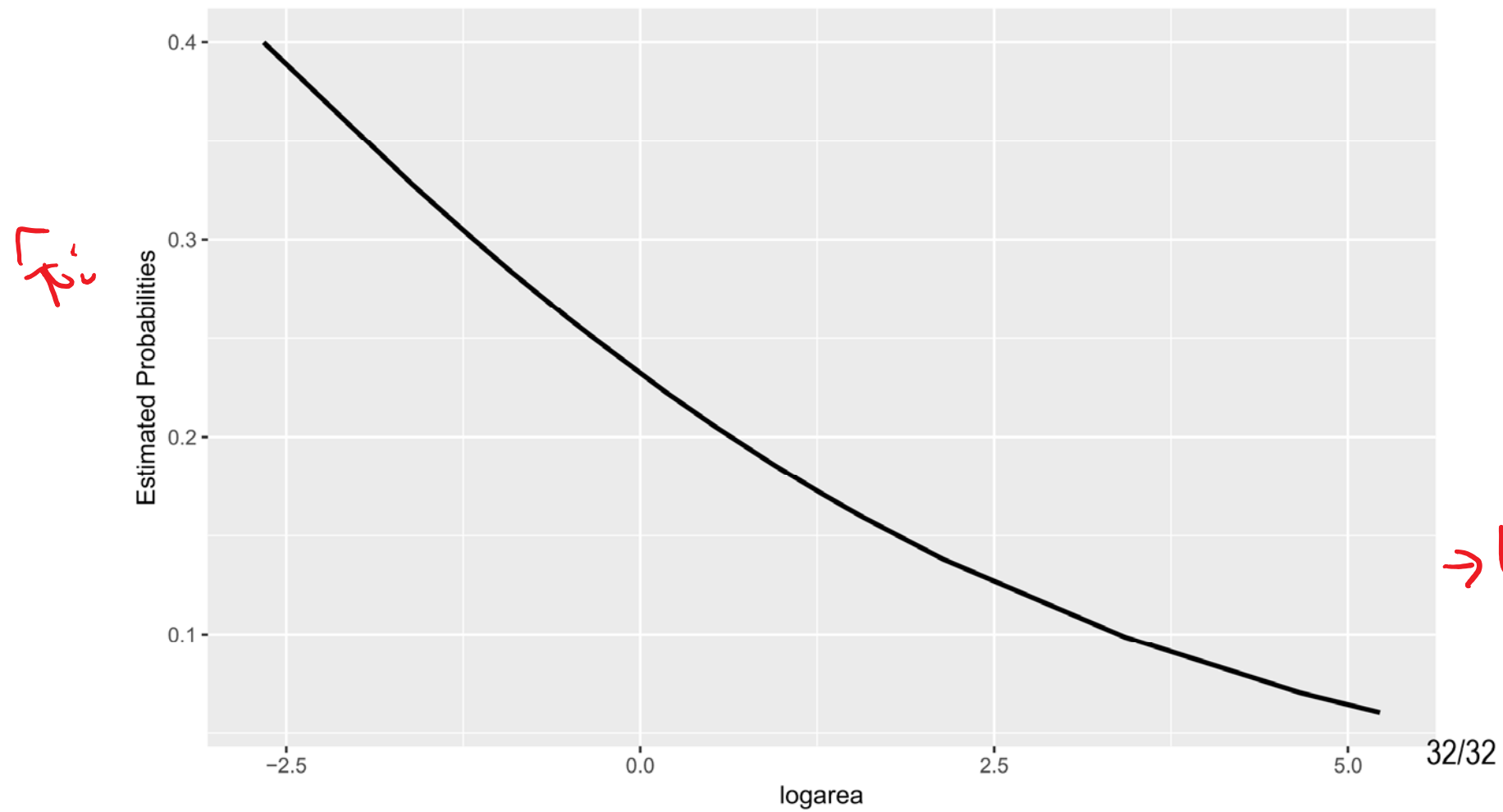
Observed
 $p_i s = \text{Extinct}$

$$\frac{\text{Extinct} + N\text{Extinct}}{m_i} = \bar{\pi}_i$$

Estimated
 $\text{phats.} \rightarrow \hat{\pi}_i$

Case IV Effect Plot

```
ggplot(krunnit,aes(x=logarea, y=phats))+ylab("Estimated Probabilities")+  
  geom_line(size=1)
```



→ larger area
associated to
lower odds of extinction