Extensive Assignment 1

STAT 601

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Model

Let $\{Y_{ij}: i=1,\ldots,n_j, j=1,\ldots,m\}$ represent the quantity of green beans sold on day i at store j, let $\{Z_{ij}: i=1,\ldots,n_j, j=1,\ldots,m\}$ represent the unobservable construct of consumer interest on day i at store j, and let $\{x_{ij}: i=1,\ldots,n_j, j=1,\ldots,m\}$ be the price of green beans on day i at store j. There are m=191 stores in the midwest region. Then, we impose the following model.

$$Z_{ij} \stackrel{\text{iid}}{\sim} \operatorname{Bern}(p_{ij})$$
 $Y_{ij}|Z_{ij} = 1 \stackrel{\text{indep}}{\sim} \operatorname{Pois}(\lambda_{ij})$ $Pr(Y_{ij} = 0|Z_{ij} = 0) = 1$

This yields the following marginal distribution of Y_{ij} for $\lambda_{ij} > 0$ and $0 < p_{ij} < 1$:

$$f(y_{ij}|p_{ij},\lambda_{ij}) = [(1-p_{ij}) + p_{ij}\exp(-\lambda_{ij})] \mathbb{I}\{y_{ij} = 0\} + \left[\frac{p_{ij}}{y_{ij}!}\lambda_{ij}^{y_{ij}}\exp(-\lambda_{ij})\right] \mathbb{I}\{y_{ij} > 0\}$$
$$= [(1-p_{ij}) + p_{ij}\exp(-\lambda_{ij})]^{\delta_{ij}} \left[\frac{p_{ij}}{y_{ij}!}\lambda_{ij}^{y_{ij}}\exp(-\lambda_{ij})\right]^{1-\delta_{ij}}$$

where

$$\delta_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & y_{ij} = 0 \\ 0 & y_{ij} > 0 \end{cases}$$

Systematic Components

We would like to have both the parameters p_{ij} from the Bernoulli distribution and the parameters λ_{ij} from the Poisson portion of the model to be further modeled as a function of price (x_{ij}) . So, we

will use the constructs of GLM to model the expected values of Y_{ij} and Z_{ij} as inverse link functions of the simple regression equations.

$$E(Z_{ij}) = p_{ij}$$
$$E(Y_{ij}|Z_{ij}) = \lambda_{ij}$$

We will use a logit-link for p_{ij} and a log-link for λ_{ij} , which yields the following values.

$$\log\left(\frac{p_{ij}}{1 - p_{ij}}\right) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{ij}$$

$$\Rightarrow p_{ij} = \frac{\exp(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{ij})}{1 + \exp(\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{ij})}$$

$$\log(\lambda_{ij}) = \beta_2 + \beta_3 x_{ij}$$
$$\Rightarrow \lambda_{ij} = \exp(\beta_2 + \beta_3 x_{ij})$$

Likelihood

To obtain the store likelihood $L_j(\beta_0, \beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3, \beta_4)$, first we will write the joint density for store j.

$$\begin{split} L_{j}(\beta_{0},\beta_{1},\beta_{2},\beta_{3},\beta_{4}) &= f(y_{1j},\ldots,y_{n_{j},j}|\beta_{0},\beta_{1},\beta_{2},\beta_{3},\beta_{4}) \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^{n_{j}} f(y_{ij}|\beta_{0},\beta_{1},\beta_{2},\beta_{3},\beta_{4}) \qquad \qquad \text{(independence)} \\ &= \prod_{i=1}^{n_{j}} \left(\left[(1-p_{ij}) + p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij}) \right]^{\delta_{ij}} \left[\frac{p_{ij}}{y_{ij}!} \lambda_{ij}^{y_{ij}} \exp(-\lambda_{ij}) \right]^{1-\delta_{ij}} \right) \end{split}$$

Where p_{ij} and λ_{ij} are functions of x_{ij} and β_0, \ldots, β_3 . Then the log-likelihood function can be written as the following.

$$l_j(\beta_0, \beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3, \beta_4) = \sum_{i=1}^{n_j} (\delta_{ij} \log [(1 - p_{ij}) + p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})] + (1 - \delta_{ij}) [\log(p_{ij}) - \log(y_{ij}!) + y_{ij} \log(\lambda_{ij}) - \lambda_{ij}])$$

We can now find the Jacobian and the Hessian matrix to facilitate finding the MLEs using a Newton-Raphson method:

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial l_{j}}{\partial \beta_{k}} &= \frac{\partial l_{j}}{\partial p_{ij}} \frac{\partial p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{k}} + \frac{\partial l_{j}}{\partial \lambda_{ij}} \frac{\partial \lambda_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{k}} \\ \frac{\partial^{2} l_{j}}{\partial \beta_{k} \partial \beta_{l}} &= \left[\frac{\partial^{2} l_{j}}{\partial p_{ij}^{2}} \frac{\partial p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{l}} + \frac{\partial^{2} l_{j}}{\partial p_{ij} \partial \lambda_{ij}} \frac{\partial \lambda_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{l}} \right] \frac{\partial p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{k}} + \frac{\partial^{2} p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{k} \partial \beta_{l}} \frac{\partial l_{j}}{\partial p_{ij}} + \\ & \left[\frac{\partial^{2} l_{j}}{\partial \lambda_{ij} \partial p_{ij}} \frac{\partial p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{l}} + \frac{\partial^{2} l_{j}}{\partial \partial \lambda_{ij}^{2}} \frac{\partial \lambda_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{l}} \right] \frac{\partial \lambda_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{k}} + \frac{\partial^{2} \lambda_{ij}}{\partial \beta_{k} \partial \beta_{l}} \frac{\partial l_{j}}{\partial \lambda_{ij}} \end{split}$$

for k, l = 0, 1, 2, 3.

Now let $T_1 = \exp \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{ij}$ and $T_2 = \exp \beta_2 + \beta_3 x_{ij}$. Then, the partial derivatives can be computed as follows.

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial l_i}{\partial p_{ij}} &= \sum_{i=1}^{n_j} \left\{ \delta_{ij} \frac{\exp(-\lambda_{ij}) - 1}{(1 - p_{ij}) + p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})} + (1 - \delta_{ij}) \frac{1}{p_{ij}} \right\} \\ \frac{\partial l_i}{\partial \lambda_{ij}} &= \sum_{i=1}^{n_j} \left\{ \delta_{ij} \frac{-p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})}{(1 - p_{ij}) + p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})} + (1 - \delta_{ij}) \left[\frac{y_{ij}}{\lambda_{ij}} - 1 \right] \right\} \\ \frac{\partial p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_0} &= \frac{T_1}{(1 + T_1)^2} \\ \frac{\partial p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_1} &= x_{ij} \frac{T_1}{(1 + T_1)^2} \\ \frac{\partial \lambda_{ij}}{\partial \beta_2} &= T_2 \\ \frac{\partial^2 l_{ij}}{\partial \beta_2^2} &= \sum_{i=1}^{n_j} \left\{ -\delta_{ij} \left(\frac{\exp(-\lambda_{ij}) - 1}{(1 - p_{ij}) + p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})} \right)^2 - (1 - \delta_{ij}) \frac{1}{p_{ij}^2} \right\} \\ \frac{\partial^2 l_j}{\partial p_{ij}^2} &= \sum_{i=1}^{n_j} \left\{ \delta_{ij} \left(\frac{-(\exp(-\lambda_{ij}) - 1) \exp(-\lambda_{ij})}{(1 - p_{ij}) + p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})} - \frac{(\exp(-\lambda_{ij}) - 1) p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})}{((1 - p_{ij}) + p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})} \right) \right\} \\ \frac{\partial^2 l_j}{\partial \lambda_{ij}^2} &= \sum_{i=1}^{n_j} \left\{ \delta_{ij} \left[\frac{p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})}{(1 - p_{ij}) + p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})} - \left(\frac{p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})}{(1 - p_{ij}) + p_{ij} \exp(-\lambda_{ij})} \right)^2 \right] - (1 - \delta_{ij}) \left[\frac{y_{ij}}{\lambda_{ij}^2} \right] \right\} \\ \frac{\partial^2 p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_0 \partial \beta_0} &= \left(\frac{T_1}{1 + T_1} \right)^2 - 2 \left(\frac{T_1}{1 + T_1} \right)^3 \right] \\ \frac{\partial^2 p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_1 \partial \beta_1} &= x_{ij}^2 \left[\left(\frac{T_1}{1 + T_1} \right)^2 - 2 \left(\frac{T_1}{1 + T_1} \right)^3 \right] \\ \frac{\partial^2 p_{ij}}{\partial \beta_2 \partial \beta_3} &= x_{ij}^2 T_2 \end{aligned}$$

Where the remaining partial derivatives are zero.