

Multiple Regression Second Exam

poRkchop Edition

Question	Points	Max Points
1		30
2		45
3		10
4		15
Total		100

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1. **30 points** Porkchop loves when the sun is out and shines through the windows. She also loves sitting on the couch. When the sun is out, she seems to prefer laying on the floor in the spot of sun shining through the windows. When the sun is not out, she seems to prefer hanging out on the couch, often under a blanket.



Figure 1: Basking in the Sun



Figure 2: Couch Timez

Porkchop recently started Dogs 4 Data Science, a data science consulting firm by dogs and for dogs. Since I wouldn't buy her a Fitbit to track her activity habits, she asked me to gather data for her. I collected data for roughly the last year and a half ($n=435$ days) of how sunny the weather was and where Porkchop was sitting when I got home from work on a weekday (she's very unpredictable on a weekend...).

spot	weather			
	Sunny	Partly Sunny	Cloudy	
Floor	68	66	79	
Couch	58	47	112	

- (a) **(4 points)**. What were the odds that Porkchop was on the floor on a sunny day?

$$\frac{68}{58} = 1.172414$$

-1 for miscalculation, -2 if mixed up success and failure

- (b) **(4 points)**. What were the odds that Porkchop was on the floor on a cloudy day?

$$\frac{79}{112} = 0.7053571$$

-1 for miscalculation, -2 if mixed up success and failure

```
Call:
glm(formula = spot ~ weather, family = binomial, data = sun_couch)
```

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Deviance Residuals:
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```
      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-1.325  -1.033  -1.033   1.111   1.329
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Coefficients:
```

```
              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept)    -0.3491    0.1469  -2.376  0.01751 *
weatherSunny      0.5081    0.2314   2.196  0.02809 *
weatherPartly Sunny 0.6886    0.2409   2.859  0.00425 **
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Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
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(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
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Null deviance: 596.07  on 429  degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 586.37  on 427  degrees of freedom
AIC: 592.37
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Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
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- (c) **(8 points)**. To practice, she analyzed the data with a logistic regression; her regression output is above Show numerically how your answers from 1.a. and 1.b. correspond to her output. Briefly explain the relationship between the weather and where Porkchop is sitting in a sentence.

$$e^{\hat{\beta}_1} = e^{0.5081} = 1.66213$$

$$\frac{odds_{sunny}}{odds_{cloudy}} = \frac{1.172414}{0.7053571} = 1.66213$$

or

$$\log\left(\frac{odds_{sunny}}{odds_{cloudy}}\right) = \log\left(\frac{1.172414}{0.7053571}\right) = \log(1.66213) = 0.508099$$

The odds of Porkchop sitting on the floor on a sunny day is 1.66213 times higher than on a cloudy day.

-1 no sentence to explain; -2 mis-calculated

- (d) **(4 points)**. Write the fitted regression equation (in logit form) of Porkchop's regression model.

$$\log(odds) = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 Sunny + \hat{\beta}_2 PartlySunny$$

$$\log(odds) = -0.3491 + 0.5081 \cdot Sunny + 0.6886 \cdot PartlySunny$$

Call:

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Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

- (e) **(10 points)** Is there a significant difference in Porkchop being on the floor by the weather? Use the evidence from Porkchop's regression model to test this question.

- i. State the formula and related hypothesis for the test.

$$G = -2\log(\text{likelihood})_{\text{null}} - -2\log(\text{likelihood})_{\text{residual}}$$

$$H_O : \beta_1 = \beta_2 = 0, \text{ or no association}$$

$$H_A : \beta_i \neq 0, \text{ or there is an association}$$

- ii. Conduct the test and state your conclusion from the test in a sentence. [χ^2 critical values for 1 d.f.=3.84, 2 d.f.=5.991, 3 d.f.=7.815, 4 d.f.=9.488]

$$G = 596.07 - 586.37 = 9.7$$

With χ^2 statistic of 9.7 on 2 degrees of freedom ($9.7 > 5.99$), we can reject the null hypothesis that there is no association between weather and where Porkchop is sitting and conclude that there is a significant association between the weather and where porkchop is sitting.

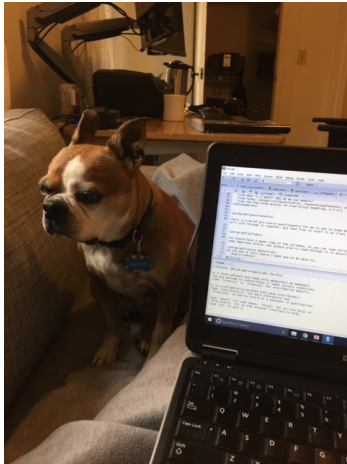


Figure 3: Hard At Work

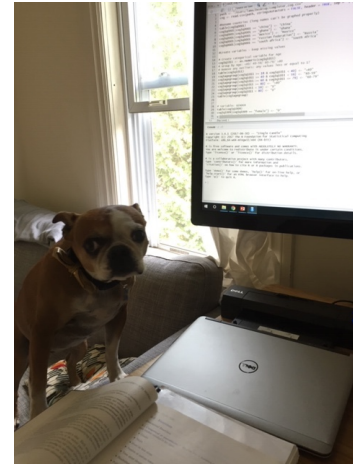


Figure 4: D4DS Has Standing Desks!

Dogs 4 Data Science (D4DS) won a contract from the Humane Society to collect a data on well-being of dogs in Western Massachusetts. Porkchop and her colleagues randomly sampled 7200 dogs in Hampshire, Hampden, Franklin, and Berkshire Counties (the Western Massachusetts counties) and surveyed them on: 1. how long of a walk they take (in miles), 2. the day's temperature (in degrees Fahrenheit), and 3. whether they need to stop during the walk to have a break (1= Yes, took a break; 0 = No break).

Based on her experience, Porkchop had a hypothesis that dogs with brachycephalic breeds – more commonly, have a "smooshed face" instead of a full snout – would might need more breaks; the smooshed face makes it harder for them to breathe, especially in the heat. They also included a variable called "smooshface" as measure of breed, which is 1 = Smooshed Face (e.g., pugs, boston terriers, bulldogs, shih tzus), or 0 = Not Smooshed / Full Snout (e.g., labradors, collies, poodles, all other breeds).

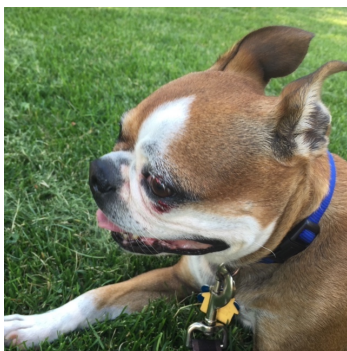


Figure 5: Smooshed Face



Figure 6: Not Smooshed Face (it's a Beagle ... raising an opossum!)

The following table has rows of the beta coefficients and standard errors in parentheses; numbered columns reflect each of the four regression models that were fit. The same table is repeated on each page for Question 2 to minimize you having to flip between pages.

2. (45 points). Help Porkchop interpret the regression output.

Log-Odds of Needing a Break on a Walk

Dependent variable:				
	neededbreak			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
miles	0.501*** (0.058)	0.511*** (0.059)	0.523*** (0.059)	0.523*** (0.059)
smooshface		1.252*** (0.179)	1.266*** (0.180)	0.671** (0.283)
temperature			0.019*** (0.002)	0.018*** (0.002)
smooshface:temperature				0.019** (0.008)
Constant	1.997*** (0.084)	1.813*** (0.086)	0.969*** (0.112)	1.017*** (0.114)
Observations	7,200	7,200	7,200	7,200
Log Likelihood	-1,687.488	-1,653.430	-1,594.253	-1,591.063
Akaike Inf. Crit.	3,378.976	3,312.860	3,196.506	3,192.125

Note: *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01

- (a) (5 points) Calculate and interpret the estimated odds of needing a break for two dogs who went on a walk of 1 and 2 miles, respectively, from Model 1. Use this information to calculate the odds ratio of taking a break between walking 2 miles instead of 1 mile.

$$odds_{1mile} = e^{1.997 + (0.501 \times 1)} = 12.15815$$

The odds of needing a break for a dog walking 1 mile is 12.15 (to 1).

$$odds_{2miles} = e^{1.997 + (0.501 \times 2)} = 20.06546$$

The odds of needing a break for a dog walking 2 miles is 20.06 (to 1).

$$OR = \frac{20.06546}{12.15815} = 1.650371$$

The odds of needing to take a break are 1.65 times higher for each additional mile walked, on average.

-2 incorrect odds calculation

-1 incorrect OR calculation

- (b) **(5 points)** Based on Model 1, use only the coefficient 'miles' to calculate the odds ratio of taking a break for 'miles'. Interpret the OR in a sentence.

$$OR = e^{\hat{\beta}_1} = e^{0.501} = 1.650371$$

The odds of needing to take a break are 1.65 times higher for each additional mile walked, on average.

- (c) **(5 points)** Based on model 2, calculate the odds ratio of taking a break for ‘smooshface’ and interpret it in a sentence.

$$OR = e^{\hat{\beta}_2} = e^{1.252} = 3.497331$$

The odds of needing to take a break are 3.5 times higher for a smoosh face dog than a full snout dog, on average, adjusted for distance/mileage.

- (d) **(10 points)** Based on model 3, calculate the odds ratio and its 95% CI for taking a break for ‘temperature’. $z^* = 1.96$ Interpret each in a sentence.

$$OR = e^{\hat{\beta}_3} = e^{0.019} = 1.019182$$

The odds of needing to take a break are 1.02 times higher for each additional degree of temperature, on average, adjusted for distance and smooshface.

$$95\%CI = e^{\hat{\beta}_3 \pm 1.96 \cdot SE_{\hat{\beta}_3}} = e^{0.019 \pm 1.96 \cdot 0.002} = e^{0.019 \pm 0.00392}$$

$$95\%CI = e^{0.01508, 0.02292} = 1.015194, 1.023185$$

We are 95% confident that the true relationship between 1 degree higher temperature and needing to take a break are between 1.015 and 1.023, on average, adjusted for distance and smooshface breed.

- (e) **(5 points)** Based on model 4, calculate the probability of taking a break for a dog with a smooshed face walking 2 miles in 70 degree weather. Calculate the probability for a dog without a smooshed face under the same conditions.

SmooshFace:

$$\frac{e^{\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 \text{miles} + \hat{\beta}_2 \text{smoosh face} + \hat{\beta}_3 \text{temperature} + \hat{\beta}_4 \text{smoosh face} \times \text{temperature}}}{1 + e^{\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 \text{miles} + \hat{\beta}_2 \text{smoosh face} + \hat{\beta}_3 \text{temperature} + \hat{\beta}_4 \text{smoosh face} \times \text{temperature}}}$$

$$\frac{e^{1.017 + (0.523 \times 2) + (.671 \times 1) + (.018 \times 70) + (0.019 \times 70)}}{1 + e^{1.017 + (0.523 \times 2) + (.671 \times 1) + (.018 \times 70) + (0.019 \times 70)}} = \frac{e^5 .324}{e^6 .324} = \frac{205.2031}{206.2031} = 0.9951499$$

NonSmoosh Face

$$\frac{e^{\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 \text{miles} + \hat{\beta}_3 \text{temperature}}}{1 + e^{\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 \text{miles} + \hat{\beta}_3 \text{temperature}}}$$

$$\frac{e^{1.017 + (0.523 \times 2) + (.018 \times 70)}}{1 + e^{1.017 + (0.523 \times 2) + (.018 \times 70)}} = \frac{e^5 .324}{e^6 .324} = \frac{27.74346}{28.74346} = 0.9652095$$

-2 incorrect calculation

- (f) **(5 points)** Based on model 4, calculate the probability of taking a break for a dog with a smooshed face walking 2 miles in 80 degree weather. Calculate the probability for a dog without a smooshed face under the same conditions.

SmooshFace:

$$\frac{e^{\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 \text{miles} + \hat{\beta}_2 \text{smoosh face} + \hat{\beta}_3 \text{temperature} + \hat{\beta}_4 \text{smoosh face} \times \text{temperature}}}{1 + e^{\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 \text{miles} + \hat{\beta}_2 \text{smoosh face} + \hat{\beta}_3 \text{temperature} + \hat{\beta}_4 \text{smoosh face} \times \text{temperature}}}$$

$$\frac{e^{1.017 + (0.523 \times 2) + (.671 \times 1) + (.018 \times 80) + (0.019 \times 80)}}{1 + e^{1.017 + (0.523 \times 2) + (.671 \times 1) + (.018 \times 80) + (0.019 \times 80)}} = \frac{297.0796}{298.0796} = 0.9966451$$

NonSmoosh Face

$$\frac{e^{\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 \text{miles} + \hat{\beta}_3 \text{temperature}}}{1 + e^{\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 \text{miles} + \hat{\beta}_3 \text{temperature}}}$$

$$\frac{e^{1.017 + (0.523 \times 2) + (.018 \times 80)}}{1 + e^{1.017 + (0.523 \times 2) + (.018 \times 80)}} = \frac{33.21495}{28.74346} = 0.970773$$

-2 incorrect calculation

- (g) **(10 points)** Is Model 4 better than Model 2? State your hypotheses, conduct the test, and interpret your conclusion in a sentence in the context of this scenario. [χ^2 critical values for 1 d.f.=3.84, 2 d.f.=5.991, 3 d.f.=7.815, 4 d.f.=9.488]

$$G = -2LL_{\text{nested}} - -2LL_{\text{full}} = -2(-1,653.430) - -2(-1,591.063) = 3306.86 - 3182.126 = 124.734$$

$$H_0 : \text{nested model is enough, or } \hat{\beta}_3 = \hat{\beta}_4 = 0$$

$$H_0 : \text{full model is better, or } \hat{\beta}_i \neq 0$$

We reject the null hypothesis and conclude that either temperature or the different slope for temperature for smooshface breeds is significantly different from 0 (124.734 > 5.99, 2df).

Analysis of Deviance Table

Model 1: neededbreak ~ miles + smooshface

Model 2: neededbreak ~ miles + smooshface * temperature

	Resid. Df	Resid. Dev	Df	Deviance	Pr(>Chi)
1	7197	3306.9			
2	7195	3182.1	2	124.73	< 2.2e-16 ***

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-2 miscalculated G

-1 misspecified hypotheses

-1 no sentence interpreting or incorrect sentence

3. **10 points.** What are the assumptions of these regression models and are they met? Briefly describe each assumption and state whether you believe they are met. If you cannot evaluate a given assumptions from the data provided, clearly state all steps you would take to evaluate that assumption.

Independence: if we assume that there are no dogs included twice, no relationship between dogs (multiple dogs by same owner, dog walker, etc.)

Randomness: sampling was random, but exposure to walking isn't.

Linearity: unclear, would need bins.

-2 if not all three mentioned

-1 if misunderstood

4. (15 points) Question 4 includes 6 multiple choice / short answer questions about ‘R’ (4.A-4.F) worth **2.5 points** each. Here, we’re interested in a dog’s age (`age_ge10`: ≥ 10 years old = Yes, or < 10 years old = No) and needing a break in dataset called `walk1`, presented below. Porkchop needs some advising on data wrangling in R to understand what’s going on with the code to generate dataset `walk2`. Brief answers are fine.

Questions 4.A-4.D refer to the code and data below:

```
> head(walk1)

# A tibble: 4 x 3
# Groups:   age_ge10 [2]
  age_ge10 neededbreak    n
  <fct>         <dbl> <int>
1 No              0   255
2 No              1  3782
3 Yes             0   211
4 Yes             1  2952

> walk2 <- walk1 %>%
+   group_by(age_ge10) %>%
+   mutate(pi=n/sum(n)) %>%
+   filter(neededbreak==1) %>%
+   select(age_ge10,neededbreak,pi)
```

(a) **Mutate**

- i. (1.25pt). What does the `mutate()` function do?
 - A. Keeps observations
 - B. **Makes a new variable**
 - C. Combines two datasets
 - D. Keeps columns
 - E. Generates only binary variables
 - F. Summarizes a variable
- ii. (1.25pt). What does the `mutate(pi=n/sum(n))` code do in this specific case? [Hint: the previous line of `group_by(smoker)` means that `sum(n)` is the total “n” for each group of smokers (No, and Yes)]
It makes a new variable of the proportion/probability of taking a break by dogs age.

(b) **Filter**

- i. (1.25pt). What does the `filter()` function do?
 - A. **Keeps observations**
 - B. Makes a new variable
 - C. Combines two datasets
 - D. Keeps columns
 - E. Generates only binary variables
 - F. Summarizes a variable
- ii. (1.25pt). What does the `filter(neededbreak==1)` code do in this case?
Keeps only the rows for the proportions that needed to take a break.

(c) **Select**

- i. (1.25pt). What does the `select()` function do?
 - A. Keeps observations
 - B. Makes a new variable
 - C. Combines two datasets
 - D. **Keeps columns**
 - E. Generates only binary variables
 - F. Summarizes a variable
 - ii. (1.25pt). What does the `select(age_ge10,neededbreak,pi)` code do in this case?
It keeps three variables - age, needed break, and proportion of dogs needing a break.
- (d) If you had a categorical, labeled factor variable of a dog's age (`age_cat`: "Young", "Middle", "Old"), which of the following would generate an indicator variable of whether or not a dog was old. Select all that apply.
- i. `mutate(as_factor(if_else(age_cat=="Old", "Yes", "No")))`
 - ii. `mutate(as_factor(if_else(age_cat=="Old",1,0)))`
 - iii. `mutate(as_factor(if_else(age_cat=="Old", "Young", "Old")))`
 - iv. `mutate(as_factor(if_else(age_cat=="Young","Young","Middle/Old")))`
- (e) If you had a numeric (i.e., quantitative) variable of age in categories ('age_cat_num':0,1,2), where 0=young, 1=middle, 2=old) what would the following regression model yield: `m0<-glm(outcome age_cat_num, data=walk2, family=binomial))`.
- i. **One coefficient, named age_cat_num**
 - ii. Two coefficients, named `age_cat_num1` and `age_cat_num2`
 - iii. Three coefficients, named `age_cat_num0`, `age_cat_num1`, and `age_cat_num2`
- (f) If "neededbreak" was a factor (needbreakfactor:Yes/No), what will this code do: `walk2$needbreakfactor<-relevel(walk2$needbreakfactor, ref="Yes")` for a subsequent logistic regression `m1<-glm(needbreakfactor~age_ge10, data=walk2, family=binomial))`?
- i. Estimates the log(odds) of needing a break
 - ii. **Estimates the log(odds) of not needing a break**
 - iii. Estimates the log(odds) of being at least 10 years old
 - iv. Estimates the log(odds) of being under 10 years old

Thanks for helping Porkchop and Dogs 4 Data Science!



Figure 7: Thank You! No, Thank You!



Figure 8: Hex Sticker = Legit