

Logit Loss

$$L(\theta) = \ln(1 + e^{-yf(x,\theta)}), y \in \{-1, 1\}, f(x, \theta)$$

求导

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L_{ll}}{\partial \theta_i} &= \frac{-ye^{-yf(x,\theta)}}{1 + e^{-yf(x,\theta)}} \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \\ &= \frac{-y}{1 + e^{yf(x,\theta)}} \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \\ &= -y \left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + e^{-yf(x,\theta)}}\right) \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \quad (1)\end{aligned}$$

当 $y = 1$ ，代入 (1)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L_{ll}}{\partial \theta_i} &= -\left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + e^{-f(x,\theta)}}\right) \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \\ &= \frac{-e^{-f(x,\theta)}}{1 + e^{-f(x,\theta)}} \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \quad (2)\end{aligned}$$

当 $y = -1$ ，代入 (1)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L_{ll}}{\partial \theta_i} &= \left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + e^{f(x,\theta)}}\right) \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \\ &= \frac{e^{f(x,\theta)}}{1 + e^{f(x,\theta)}} \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \quad (3)\end{aligned}$$

Cross entropy

根据这里的[推导](#)，直接给出导数形式，特别注意 $y \in \{0, 1\}$ ，与Logit Loss不一致。

$$\frac{\partial L_{ce}}{\partial \theta_i} = \left(\frac{1}{1 + e^{-f(x,\theta)}} - y \right) \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \quad (4)$$

$y = 1$ 代入 (4)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L_{ce}}{\partial \theta_i} &= \left(\frac{1}{1 + e^{-f(x,\theta)}} - 1 \right) \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \\ &= \frac{-e^{-f(x,\theta)}}{1 + e^{-f(x,\theta)}} \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \quad (5)\end{aligned}$$

$y = 0$ 代入 (4)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L_{ce}}{\partial \theta_i} &= \frac{1}{1 + e^{-f(x, \theta)}} \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i} \\ &= \frac{e^{f(x, \theta)}}{1 + e^{f(x, \theta)}} \frac{\partial f(x, \theta)}{\partial \theta_i}\end{aligned}\quad (6)$$

结论

将 y 代入的目的，是为了理清 y 的取值范围不同带来的干扰。最后等式(2)与(5)相同，等式(3)与(6)相同，所以Cross Entroy与Logit Loss本质上是相同的损失函数，由于 y 的取值范围不同，导致形式不一样。