

Lecture 14

3 Coordinate descent for the elastic net Give the detailed coordinate descent algorithm for the elastic net.

$$\hat{\beta}^{\text{enet}}(\lambda, \alpha) = \arg \min_{b_0, \dots, b_p} \left[\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - b_0 - b_1 x_{i1} - \dots - b_p x_{ip})^2 \right] + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^p [\alpha b_j^2 + (1-\alpha)|b_j|]$$

We first standardize the covariates: $n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij} = 0$, $n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij}^2 = 1$ ($j=1, 2, \dots, p$)
Then center the outcome: $n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n y_i = 0$

① Initialize $\hat{\beta}$

② Update $\hat{\beta}_j$ given all other coefficients.

Define: $r_{ij} := y_i - \sum_{k \neq j} \hat{\beta}_k x_{ik}$. Updating $\hat{\beta}_j$ is equivalent to

$$\text{minimizing: } \frac{1}{2n} \sum_{i=1}^n (r_{ij} - b_j x_{ij})^2 + \lambda [\alpha b_j^2 + (1-\alpha)|b_j|]$$

Define: $\hat{\beta}_{j,0} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij} r_{ij}}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij}^2} = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij} r_{ij}$ as the OLS fit of r_{ij} 's on x_{ij} 's

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2n} \sum_{i=1}^n (r_{ij} - b_j x_{ij})^2 &= \frac{1}{2n} \sum_{i=1}^n (r_{ij} - \hat{\beta}_{j,0} x_{ij})^2 + \frac{1}{2n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij}^2 (b_j - \hat{\beta}_{j,0})^2 \\ &= \text{constant} + \frac{1}{2} (b_j - \hat{\beta}_{j,0})^2 \end{aligned}$$

Then updating $\hat{\beta}_j$ is equivalent to minimizing:

$$r_j := \frac{1}{2} (b_j - \hat{\beta}_{j,0})^2 + \lambda \alpha b_j^2 + \lambda (1-\alpha)|b_j|, \quad \frac{\partial r_j}{\partial b_j} = b_j - \hat{\beta}_{j,0} + 2\lambda \alpha b_j + \lambda (1-\alpha) \text{sign}(b_j)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 r_j}{\partial b_j^2} = 1 + 2\lambda \alpha > 0$$

$$\text{i)} b_j > 0, \quad \frac{\partial r_j}{\partial b_j} = (1+2\lambda\alpha)b_j + \lambda(1-\alpha) - \hat{\beta}_{j,0}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_j = \begin{cases} \frac{\hat{\beta}_{j,0} - \lambda(1-\alpha)}{1+2\lambda\alpha}, & \text{if } \hat{\beta}_{j,0} > \lambda(1-\alpha) \\ 0 & \text{if } \hat{\beta}_{j,0} < \lambda(1-\alpha) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{ii)} b_j < 0, \quad \frac{\partial r_j}{\partial b_j} = (1+2\lambda\alpha)b_j + \lambda(1-\alpha) - \hat{\beta}_{j,0}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_j = \begin{cases} \frac{\hat{\beta}_{j,0} + \lambda(1-\alpha)}{1+2\lambda\alpha}, & \text{if } \hat{\beta}_{j,0} < -\lambda(1-\alpha) \\ 0 & \text{if } \hat{\beta}_{j,0} > -\lambda(1-\alpha) \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \hat{\beta}_j = \begin{cases} \frac{\hat{\beta}_{j,0} - \lambda(1-\alpha)}{1+2\lambda\alpha} & \text{if } \hat{\beta}_{j,0} \geq \lambda(1-\alpha) \\ 0 & \text{if } -\lambda(1-\alpha) < \hat{\beta}_{j,0} < \lambda(1-\alpha) \\ \frac{\hat{\beta}_{j,0} + \lambda(1-\alpha)}{1+2\lambda\alpha} & \text{if } \hat{\beta}_{j,0} > -\lambda(1-\alpha) \end{cases}$$

③ Iterative until convergence \square

Lecture 1b

3 Difference-in-means with weights With a binary covariate x_i , show that the coefficient of x_i in the WLS of y_i on $(1, x_i)$ with weights w_i ($i = 1, \dots, n$) equals $\bar{y}_{w,1} - \bar{y}_{w,0}$, where

$$\bar{y}_{w,1} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i}, \quad \bar{y}_{w,0} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i (1 - x_i) y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i (1 - x_i)}$$

are the weighted averages of the outcome under treatment and control, respectively.

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\beta}_w &= (\boldsymbol{\chi}^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \boldsymbol{\chi})^{-1} \boldsymbol{\chi}^\top \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} \mathbf{Y}, \text{ where } \boldsymbol{\Sigma} := \text{diag}(\mathbf{w}_i)_{i=1}^n, \quad \boldsymbol{\chi} := (1, x_i) \\ \therefore \hat{\beta}_w &= \left(\begin{array}{cc} \sum_{i=1}^n w_i & \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \\ \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i & \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \end{array} \right)^{-1} \cdot \left(\begin{array}{c} \sum_{i=1}^n w_i y_i \\ \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i y_i \end{array} \right) =: \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\beta}_0 \\ \hat{\beta}_1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \left(\begin{array}{cc} \sum_{i=1}^n w_i & \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \\ \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i & \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \end{array} \right)^{-1} &= \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \left(\sum_{i=1}^n w_i - \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \right)} \begin{pmatrix} \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n w_i & \\ -\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i & \sum_{i=1}^n w_i \end{pmatrix} \\ \therefore \hat{\beta}_1 &= \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \left(\sum_{i=1}^n w_i - \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \right)} \left(-\sum_{i=1}^n w_i y_i \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i + \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i y_i \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n w_i \right) \\ &= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i y_i \cancel{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n w_i - \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \cancel{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n w_i - \sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \right)}} - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n w_i (1 - x_i) y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n (1 - x_i) w_i} \\ &= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i} - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i (1 - x_i) y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n (1 - x_i) w_i} = \bar{y}_{w,1} - \bar{y}_{w,0} \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

Lecture 17

2 Two logistic regressions Given data $(x_i, z_i, y_i)_{i=1}^n$ where x_i denotes the covariates, z_i denotes the binary treatment, and y_i denotes the binary outcome. We can fit two separate logistic regressions:

$$\text{logit}\{\text{pr}(y_i = 1 | z_i = 1, x_i)\} = \gamma_1 + x_i^T \beta_1$$

and

$$\text{logit}\{\text{pr}(y_i = 1 | z_i = 0, x_i)\} = \gamma_0 + x_i^T \beta_0$$

with the treated and control data, respectively. We can also fit a joint logistic regression using the pooled data:

$$\text{logit}\{\text{pr}(y_i = 1 | z_i, x_i)\} = \alpha_0 + \alpha_z z_i + x_i^T \alpha_x + z_i x_i^T \alpha_{zx}.$$

Let hats denote MLEs, for example, $\hat{\gamma}_1$ is the MLE for γ_1 . Find $(\hat{\alpha}_0, \hat{\alpha}_z, \hat{\alpha}_x, \hat{\alpha}_{zx})$ in terms of $(\hat{\gamma}_1, \hat{\beta}_1, \hat{\gamma}_0, \hat{\beta}_0)$.

By joint logistic regression, we can get:

$$\log\{\text{Pr}(y_i = 1 | z_i = 1, x_i)\} = \alpha_0 + \alpha_z + x_i^T \alpha_x + x_i^T \alpha_{zx} = \alpha_0 + \alpha_z + x_i^T (\alpha_x + \alpha_{zx})$$

$$\log\{\text{Pr}(y_i = 1 | z_i = 0, x_i)\} = \alpha_0 + x_i^T \alpha_x$$

$$L(\gamma_1, \beta_1) = \prod_{i=1}^n \left\{ \pi(x_i, \gamma_1, \beta_1) \right\}^{y_i} \left\{ 1 - \pi(x_i, \gamma_1, \beta_1) \right\}^{1-y_i}$$

$$\ell(\gamma_1, \beta_1) = \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ y_i (\gamma_1 + x_i^T \beta_1) - \log(1 + e^{\gamma_1 + x_i^T \beta_1}) \right\} \quad (1)$$

$$\ell(\gamma_0, \beta_0) = \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ y_i (\gamma_0 + x_i^T \beta_0) - \log(1 + e^{\gamma_0 + x_i^T \beta_0}) \right\} \quad (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \ell(\alpha_0, \alpha_z, \alpha_x, \alpha_{zx}) &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ y_i (\underbrace{\alpha_0 + \alpha_z}_{a_0} + \underbrace{x_i^T \alpha_x}_{b_0} + x_i^T (\alpha_x + \alpha_{zx})) - \log(1 + e^{\underbrace{(\alpha_0 + \alpha_z) + x_i^T (\alpha_x + \alpha_{zx})}_{a_1 + b_1}}) \right\} \\ &+ \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ y_i (\underbrace{\alpha_0 + x_i^T \alpha_x}_{a_0 + b_0}) - \log(1 + e^{\underbrace{\alpha_0 + x_i^T \alpha_x}_{a_0 + b_0}}) \right\} \\ &:= \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ y_i (a_1 + x_i^T b_1) - \log(1 + e^{a_1 + b_1}) \right\} + \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ y_i (a_0 + x_i^T b_0) - \log(1 + e^{a_0 + x_i^T b_0}) \right\} \quad (3) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore (1) + (2) is equivalent to (3), because $(\hat{\gamma}_0, \hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\gamma}_1, \hat{\beta}_1)$ maximum $L(\gamma, \beta)$, then $(\hat{\alpha}_0, \hat{\alpha}_x, \hat{\alpha}_0 + \hat{\alpha}_z, \hat{\alpha}_x + \hat{\alpha}_{zx})$ also maximum $L(\alpha_0, \dots, \alpha_{zx})$

$$\therefore (\hat{\alpha}_0, \hat{\alpha}_z, \hat{\alpha}_x, \hat{\alpha}_{zx}) = (\hat{\gamma}_0, \hat{\gamma}_1 - \hat{\gamma}_0, \hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\beta}_1 - \hat{\beta}_0) \quad \square$$

Lecture 18

6 Case-control study and multinomial logistic model Assume that

$$\text{pr}(y_i = k \mid x_i) = \frac{e^{\alpha_k + x_i^\top \beta_k}}{\sum_{k'=1}^K e^{\alpha_{k'} + x_i^\top \beta_{k'}}}$$

with $\alpha_K = 0$ and $\beta_K = 0$, and

$$\text{pr}(s_i = 1 \mid y_i = k, x_i) = \text{pr}(s_i = 1 \mid y_i = k) = p_k$$

for $k = 1, \dots, K$. Show that

$$\text{pr}(y_i = k \mid x_i, s_i = 1) = \frac{e^{\alpha_k + \log p_k + x_i^\top \beta_k}}{\sum_{k'=1}^K e^{\alpha_{k'} + \log p_{k'} + x_i^\top \beta_{k'}}}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Pr}(y_i = k \mid x_i, s_i = 1) = \frac{\text{Pr}(y_i = k, s_i = 1 \mid x_i)}{\text{Pr}(s_i = 1 \mid x_i)} \\ &= \frac{\text{Pr}(y_i = k, s_i = 1 \mid x_i)}{\sum_{k=1}^K \text{Pr}(s_i = 1 \mid y_i = k, x_i) \cdot \text{Pr}(y_i = k \mid x_i)} \\ &= \frac{\text{Pr}(s_i = 1 \mid x_i, y_i = k) \text{Pr}(y_i = k \mid x_i)}{\sum_{k=1}^K \text{Pr}(s_i = 1 \mid y_i = k, x_i) \text{Pr}(y_i = k \mid x_i)} \\ &= \frac{p_k \cdot \frac{e^{\alpha_k + x_i^\top \beta_k}}{\sum_{k'=1}^K e^{\alpha_{k'} + x_i^\top \beta_{k'}}}}{\sum_{k=1}^K p_k \cdot \frac{e^{\alpha_k + x_i^\top \beta_k}}{\sum_{k'=1}^K e^{\alpha_{k'} + x_i^\top \beta_{k'}}}} = \frac{e^{\alpha_k + \log p_k + x_i^\top \beta_k}}{\sum_{k'=1}^K e^{\alpha_{k'} + \log p_{k'} + x_i^\top \beta_{k'}}} \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

Lecture 20

3 Negative-Binomial covariance matrices Assume that δ is known. Derive the estimated asymptotic covariance matrices of the MLE in the Negative-Binomial regression with $\mu_i = e^{x_i^\top \beta}$, one assuming a correctly specified model and the other allowing for misspecification of the model.

$y_i | x_i \sim NB(\mu_i, \delta)$, where $\mu_i = e^{x_i^\top \beta}$

① a correctly specified model

$$\sum_{i=1}^n E\left(\frac{\partial \ell_i}{\partial \beta} \frac{\partial \ell_i}{\partial \beta^\top} | x_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\sigma_i} \{ \mu'(x_i^\top \beta) \}^2 x_i x_i^\top$$

$$\mu'(x_i^\top \beta) = e^{x_i^\top \beta}, \quad \sigma_i^2 = \mu + \frac{\mu^2}{\delta} = \mu(1 + \frac{\mu}{\delta})$$

$$\therefore \sum_{i=1}^n E\left(\frac{\partial \ell_i}{\partial \beta} \frac{\partial \ell_i}{\partial \beta^\top} | x_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\mu^2}{\mu(1 + \frac{\mu}{\delta})} x_i x_i^\top = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{e^{x_i^\top \beta} \delta}{\delta + e^{x_i^\top \beta}} x_i x_i^\top$$

$$\therefore \hat{V} = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\delta e^{x_i^\top \beta}}{\delta + e^{x_i^\top \beta}} x_i x_i^\top \right)^{-1}$$

② misspecification of the model

$$\hat{B} = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\tilde{\sigma}^2(x_i, \hat{\beta})} \frac{\partial \mu(x_i^\top \hat{\beta})}{\partial \beta} \frac{\partial \mu(x_i^\top \hat{\beta})}{\partial \beta^\top}, \quad \tilde{\sigma}^2(x_i, \hat{\beta}) = e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}} (1 + \frac{e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}}}{\delta})$$

$$= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\mu(1 + \frac{\mu}{\delta})} \mu^2 x_i x_i^\top = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{e^{x_i^\top \beta} \delta}{\delta + e^{x_i^\top \beta}} x_i x_i^\top$$

$$\hat{M} = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ \frac{y_i - \mu(x_i^\top \hat{\beta})}{\tilde{\sigma}^2(x_i, \hat{\beta})} \right\}^2 \frac{\partial \mu(x_i^\top \hat{\beta})}{\partial \beta} \frac{\partial \mu(x_i^\top \hat{\beta})}{\partial \beta^\top}$$

$$= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ \frac{y_i - \mu}{\mu(1 + \frac{\mu}{\delta})} \right\}^2 \mu^2 x_i x_i^\top = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\delta^2 \hat{\epsilon}_i^2}{(e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}} + \delta)^2} x_i x_i^\top.$$

where residual $\hat{\epsilon}_i = y_i - e^{x_i^\top \beta}$

$$\therefore \hat{V} = n^{-1} \hat{B}^{-1} M \hat{B}^{-1} = n^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\delta e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}}}{\delta + e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}}} x_i x_i^\top \right)^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\delta^2 \hat{\epsilon}_i^2}{(e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}} + \delta)^2} x_i x_i^\top \right)$$

$$\cdot \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\delta e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}}}{\delta + e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}}} x_i x_i^\top \right)^{-1}$$

$$= \left(\frac{n}{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\delta e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}}}{\delta + e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}}} x_i x_i^\top} \right)^{-1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\delta^2 \hat{\epsilon}_i^2}{(e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}} + \delta)^2} x_i x_i^\top \right) \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\delta e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}}}{\delta + e^{x_i^\top \hat{\beta}}} x_i x_i^\top \right)^{-1} \quad \square$$

Lecture 21

4 Cluster-robust standard error for Poisson regression Similar to Sections 4.1 and 4.2, derive the cluster-robust standard error for Poisson regression.

$y_{iv} | x_{iv} \sim \text{Poisson}(\mu_{iv})$, while $\mu_{iv} = e^{x_{iv}^T \beta}$

$$\text{GEE: } \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \mu_i(x_i, \beta)}{\partial \beta} \tilde{V}^{-1}(x_i, \beta) \{ y_i - \mu_i(x_i, \beta) \} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{B} &= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n D_i^T(\hat{\beta}) \tilde{V}^{-1}(x_i, \hat{\beta}) D_i(\hat{\beta}), \text{ where } \tilde{V}^{-1}(x_i, \hat{\beta}) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{x_{iv}^T \hat{\beta}} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & e^{x_{in_i}^T \hat{\beta}} \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \\ &= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (e^{x_{i1}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{i1}, \dots, e^{x_{in_i}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{in_i}) \begin{pmatrix} e^{x_{iv}^T \hat{\beta}} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & e^{x_{in_i}^T \hat{\beta}} \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} e^{x_{i1}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{i1} \\ \vdots \\ e^{x_{in_i}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{in_i} \end{pmatrix} \\ &= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} e^{x_{ij}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{ij} x_{ij}^T \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{M} = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n D_i^T(\hat{\beta}) \tilde{V}^{-1}(x_i, \hat{\beta}) \hat{e}_i \hat{e}_i^T \tilde{V}^{-1}(x_i, \hat{\beta}) D_i(\hat{\beta}) \}, \text{ where } \hat{e}_i = y_i - e^{x_{iv}^T \hat{\beta}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (e^{x_{i1}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{i1}, \dots, e^{x_{in_i}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{in_i}) \begin{pmatrix} e^{x_{iv}^T \hat{\beta}} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & e^{x_{in_i}^T \hat{\beta}} \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{e}_{iv} \\ \vdots \\ \hat{e}_{in_i} \end{pmatrix} (\hat{e}_{iv}, \dots, \hat{e}_{in_i}) \\ &\quad \cdot \begin{pmatrix} e^{x_{i1}^T \hat{\beta}} \\ \vdots \\ e^{x_{in_i}^T \hat{\beta}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{x_{iv}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{iv}^T \\ \vdots \\ e^{x_{in_i}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{in_i}^T \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} x_{ij} \hat{e}_{ij}^2 x_{ij}^T = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} \hat{e}_{ij}^2 x_{ij} x_{ij}^T$$

$$\hat{\text{cov}}(\hat{\beta}) = n^{-1} \hat{B}^{-1} \hat{M} \hat{B}^{-1} = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} e^{x_{ij}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{ij} x_{ij}^T \right)^{-1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} \hat{e}_{ij}^2 x_{ij} x_{ij}^T \right) \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{n_i} e^{x_{ij}^T \hat{\beta}} x_{ij} x_{ij}^T \right)^{-1} \square$$

Lecture 22

3 Quantile regression with a binary regressor For $i = 1, \dots, n$, the first $1/3$ observations have $x_i = 1$ and the last $2/3$ observations have $x_i = 0$; $y_i | x_i = 1$ follows an Exponential(1), and $y_i | x_i = 0$ follows an Exponential(2). Find

$$(\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}) = \arg \min_{(a,b)} \sum_{i=1}^n \rho_{1/2}(y_i - a - bx_i).$$

and the joint asymptotic distribution.

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$$\begin{aligned} (\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}) &= \arg \min_{a,b} \sum_{i=1}^n \rho_{1/2}(y_i - a - bx_i) = \arg \min_{a,b} \left[\sum_{x_i=1} |y_i - a - b| + \sum_{x_i=0} |y_i - a| \right] \\ &= \arg \min_a \sum_{x_i=0} |y_i - a| + \arg \min_{a+b} \sum_{x_i=1} |y_i - (a+b)|, \text{ define } a+b := c, b = c-a \\ &= \arg \min_a \sum_{x_i=0} |y_i - a| + \arg \min_c \sum_{x_i=1} |y_i - c| \end{aligned}$$

Because the first $1/3$ observations have $x_i = 1$ and last $2/3$ have $x_i = 0$
then we know: $\hat{\alpha} = \text{medium}(y_{\frac{n}{3}+1}, \dots, y_n)$

$$\hat{c} = \hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta} = \text{medium}(y_1, \dots, y_{\frac{n}{3}})$$

$$\therefore \hat{\alpha} = \text{medium}(y_{\frac{n}{3}+1}, \dots, y_n),$$

$$\hat{\beta} = \text{medium}(y_1, \dots, y_{\frac{n}{3}}) - \text{medium}(y_{\frac{n}{3}+1}, \dots, y_n)$$

$$\sqrt{n}(\hat{\beta}_T - \beta_T) \xrightarrow{d} NID, \hat{B}^\top \hat{M} \hat{B}^{-1}, \text{ where}$$

$$\hat{M} = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \{I(y_i - x_i^\top \hat{\beta}(T) \leq 0)\}^2 x_i x_i^\top, \quad x_i := \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ x_i \end{pmatrix}, \text{ where } x_i \text{ is binary}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{B} &= n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \{f_{y_i|x_i}(x_i^\top \hat{\beta}(T)) x_i x_i^\top\} = n^{-1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{\frac{n}{3}} f_{y_i|x_i=1}(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}) x_i x_i^\top + \sum_{i=\frac{n}{3}+1}^n f_{y_i|x_i=0}(\hat{\alpha}) x_i x_i^\top \right) \\ &= n^{-1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{\frac{n}{3}} e^{-\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\beta}} x_i x_i^\top + \sum_{i=\frac{n}{3}+1}^n 2e^{-2\hat{\alpha}} x_i x_i^\top \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{M} = n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \{ \frac{1}{2} - I(y_i - \hat{\alpha} - \hat{\beta} x_i) \leq 0 \}^2 x_i x_i^\top \quad \text{medium}$$

$$= n^{-1} \left(\sum_{x_i=0} \{ \frac{1}{2} - I(y_i - \underline{\hat{\alpha}}) \}^2 x_i x_i^\top + \sum_{x_i=1} \{ \frac{1}{2} - I(y_i - \underline{\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}}) \}^2 x_i x_i^\top \right)$$

$$= n^{-1} \left(\sum_{x_i=0} \frac{1}{4} x_i x_i^\top + \sum_{x_i=1} \frac{1}{4} x_i x_i^\top \right) = \frac{1}{4} n^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^\top$$

$$\hat{B}^\top \hat{M} \hat{B}^{-1} = \left[n^{-1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{\frac{n}{3}} e^{-\hat{\alpha} - \hat{\beta}} x_i x_i^\top + \sum_{i=\frac{n}{3}+1}^n 2e^{-2\hat{\alpha}} x_i x_i^\top \right) \right]^\top \left(n^{-1} \frac{1}{4} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^\top \right) \left[\cdots \right]^{-1}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n/3} e^{-i(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta})} \underbrace{x_i x_i^T}_{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}} + \sum_{i=n/3+1}^n 2e^{-2\hat{\alpha}} \underbrace{x_i x_i^T}_{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{n}{3} e^{-i(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta})} + \frac{4}{3} n e^{-2\hat{\alpha}} & \frac{n}{3} e^{-i(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta})} \\ \frac{n}{3} e^{-i(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta})} & \frac{n}{3} e^{-i(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta})} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{n}{3} e^{-i(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta})} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{\beta} - \hat{\alpha} \\ 4e^{2\hat{\alpha}} + 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$B^{-1} = \frac{1}{\frac{4}{3} e^{-2\hat{\alpha}}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 4e^{\hat{\beta}-\hat{\alpha}} + 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i x_i^T = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{n}{3} & \frac{n}{3} \\ \frac{n}{3} & \frac{n}{3} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{3}n & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} n & \frac{n}{3} \\ \frac{n}{3} & \frac{n}{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore B^{-1} M B^{-1} = \frac{3}{4} e^{2\hat{\alpha}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 4e^{\hat{\beta}-\hat{\alpha}} + 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{3}{4} e^{2\hat{\alpha}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 4e^{\hat{\beta}-\hat{\alpha}} + 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{32}{4^3} e^{4\hat{\alpha}} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{2}{3} + \frac{16}{3} e^{2(\hat{\beta}-\hat{\alpha})} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{3}{32} e^{4\hat{\alpha}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 + 8e^{2(\hat{\beta}-\hat{\alpha})} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore J_n \left(\begin{pmatrix} \hat{\alpha} \\ \hat{\beta} \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{pmatrix} \right) \xrightarrow{d} N \left(0, \frac{3}{32} e^{4\hat{\alpha}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 + 8e^{2(\hat{\beta}-\hat{\alpha})} \end{pmatrix} \right) \quad \square$$

Lecture 23

5 Invariance of the proportional hazards model Assume that $T | x$ follows a proportional hazards model, show that any non-negative and strictly increasing transformation $g(T) | x$ also follows a proportional hazards model.

$$\lambda(t|x) = \lim_{\Delta t \downarrow 0} \Pr(t \leq T < t + \Delta t | T \geq t, x) / \Delta t = \lambda_0(t) \exp(x^\top \beta)$$

Because $g(\cdot)$ is non-negative and strictly increasing,

$$g(T) := G, \text{ then } T := g^{-1}(G), \frac{\partial g^{-1}(G)}{\partial G} \text{ exists}$$

$$\lambda(G|x) = \frac{f(G|x)}{S(G|x)}, \text{ where } S(G|x) = \Pr(g(T) > g(t) | x) = \Pr(T > t | x) = S(t|x)$$

$$f(G|x) = f(g^{-1}(G)|x) \frac{\partial g^{-1}(G)}{\partial G}$$

$$\therefore \lambda(G|x) = \lambda(g^{-1}(G)|x) \cdot \frac{\partial g^{-1}(G)}{\partial G} = \lambda_0(g^{-1}(G_0)) \exp(x^\top \beta) \frac{\partial g^{-1}(G_0)}{\partial G}$$

$$\text{define: } \frac{\partial g^{-1}(G)}{\partial G} \lambda_0(g^{-1}(G_0)) = \lambda_0^*(G)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda(G|x) = \lambda_0^*(G) \exp(x^\top \beta)$$

$\therefore g(T)|X$ also follows a proportional hazard model \square