

MATHS 7107
Data Taming
Week 8

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Generalized Linear Models (GLMs)

- ▶ It is common to find response variables which do not fit the standard assumptions of the linear models (normally distributed errors, constant variance, etc.), for example: count data, dichotomous variables, truncated data, etc.
- ▶ Generalized linear models (GLMs) expand the the well known linear model to accommodate non-normal response variables in a single unified approach.

<http://halweb.uc3m.es/esp/Personal/personas/durban/esp/web/notes/glm.pdf>

Example: Ashes data

```
library(tidyverse)
ashes_avg <- read_csv("ashes_avg.csv")
head(ashes_avg)
```

```
## # A tibble: 6 x 3
##   batter    role    avg
##   <chr>    <chr> <dbl>
## 1 Anderson bowl    3.5
## 2 Archer   bowl    6.86
## 3 Bancroft bat     11
## 4 Burns    bat     39
## 5 Buttler  bat    24.7
## 6 Curran   bowl    16
```

Example: Ashes data

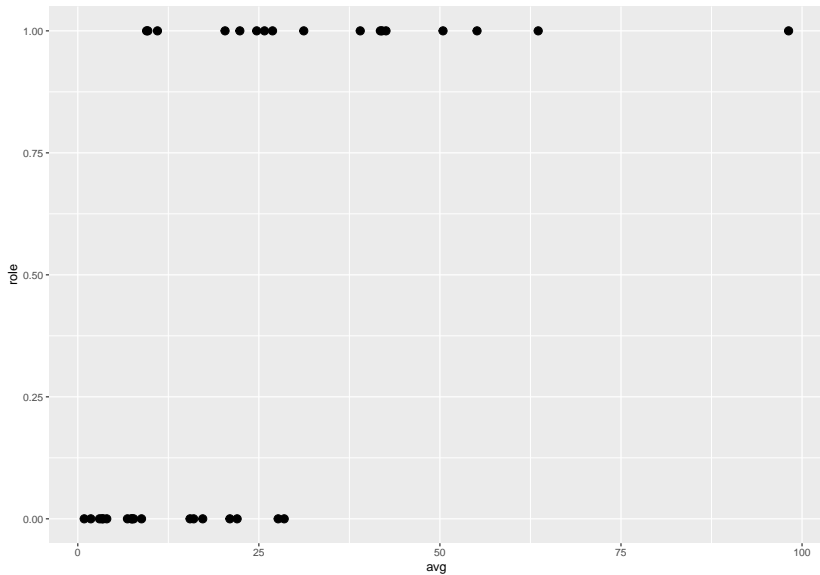
```
ashes_avg %>%  
  count(role)
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 x 2  
##   role      n  
##   <chr> <int>  
## 1 bat      17  
## 2 bowl     18
```

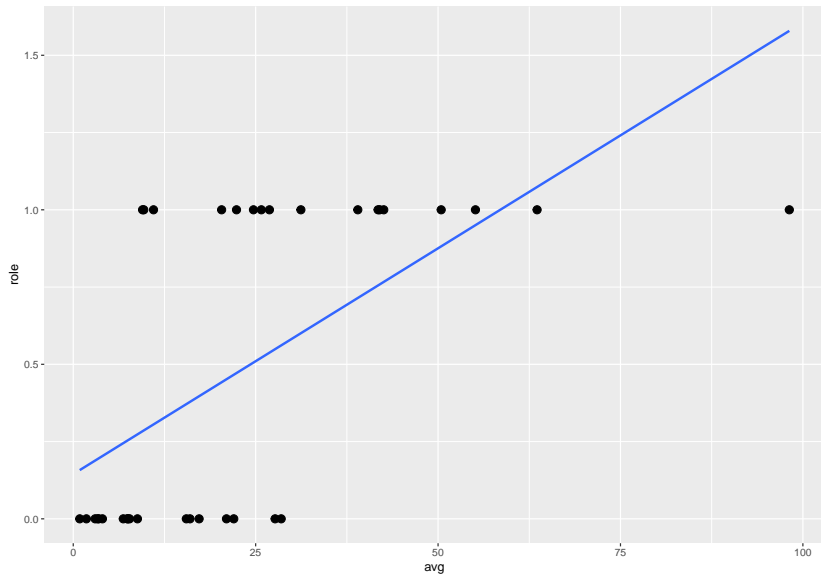
Example: Ashes data

```
ashes_avg %>%  
  mutate(role=recode(role,bat=1,bowl=0)) %>%  
  ggplot(aes(avg,role))+  
  geom_point(size=3)
```

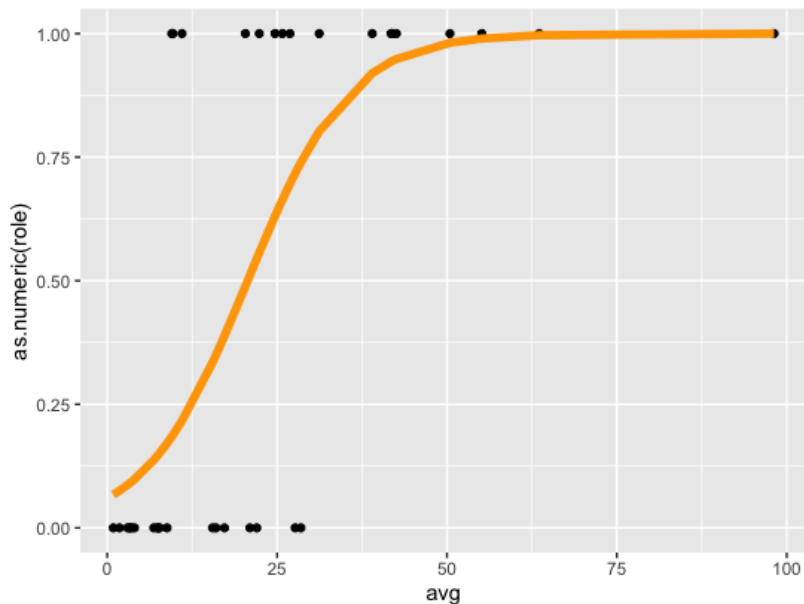
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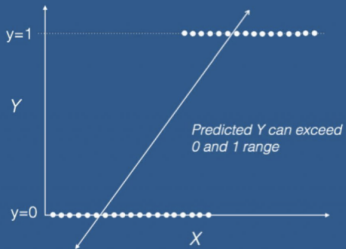


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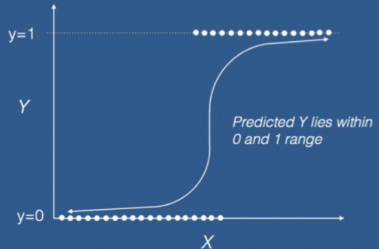


Logistic regression

Linear Regression



Logistic Regression



Logistic regression

- ▶ Response variable are measured on a binary scale
- ▶ For example the response may be yes or no; present or absent; dead or alive.

$$\log\left(\frac{p_i}{1 - p_i}\right) = \beta_0 + \beta_{i1}x_{i1} + \beta_{i2}x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_{ik}x_{ik}$$

- ▶ For ashes example:

$$p_i = P(Y_i = bat | X_i = avg)$$

Logistic regression for ashes data

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Logistic regression for ashes data

$$p_i \quad ?$$

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$$\log\left(\frac{p_i}{1 - p_i}\right) = \beta_0 + \beta_{i1}x_{i1}$$

$$\left(\frac{p_i}{1 - p_i}\right) = e^{\beta_0 + \beta_{i1}x_{i1}}$$

$$p_i = \frac{e^{\beta_0 + \beta_{i1}x_{i1}}}{1 + e^{\beta_0 + \beta_{i1}x_{i1}}}$$