

# 2019R1 Discrete Data Analysis (STAT5107) Assignment

## 4

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```
set.seed(5107);
```

1.

$$\frac{\pi(x+1)}{\pi(x)}$$

is the relative risk between  $x+1$  and  $x$ .

In a logit model

$$\pi(x) = \frac{\exp(\alpha + \beta x)}{1 + \exp(\alpha + \beta x)}$$

assuming  $0 \neq \Pr[Y = 1] \neq 1$ , the log-odd is defined as

$$\text{logit}(\pi(x)) = \log \frac{\Pr[Y = 1]}{\Pr[Y = 0]} = \alpha + \beta x.$$

if nudge the variable by a small value, we have

$$\text{logit}(\pi(x + \delta))$$

and the difference between the nudged log-odd and the original log-odd is defined as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{logit}(\pi(x + \delta)) - \text{logit}(\pi(x)) &= (\alpha + \beta(x + \delta)) - (\alpha + \beta x) \\ &= \beta \delta \end{aligned}$$

- $\beta$  is the change in log-odd when  $x$  changes by  $\delta$  unit.

let  $\delta$  be 1 and we have

$$\begin{aligned} \exp(\beta) &= \exp(\beta \times 1) \\ &= \exp(\text{logit}(\pi(x + 1)) - \text{logit}(\pi(x))) \\ &= \frac{\frac{\pi(x+1)}{1-\pi(x+1)}}{\frac{\pi(x)}{1-\pi(x)}} \end{aligned}$$

$\exp(\beta)$  is then the odds ratio for a one-unit increase in  $x$ .

- For a small success rate, the relative risk and odds ratio are close.

**2a.**

For

$$\text{logit}(\pi(x)) = \alpha + \beta \log(d)$$

Then it can be rewritten as:

$$\begin{aligned} \log \frac{\pi(x)}{1 - \pi(x)} &= \alpha + \beta \log(d) \\ \frac{\pi(x)}{1 - \pi(x)} &= \exp(\alpha) \times \exp(\log(d^\beta)) \\ &= \exp(\alpha) \times d^\beta \end{aligned}$$

Then  $d$  will be 1 for the first draft pick

$$\exp(\alpha) \times 1^\beta = \exp(\alpha)$$

**2b.**

On average, first drafts have probability of success

$$\exp(\alpha)$$

- For basketball, this is  $\exp(2.3) = 9.9741825$ .
- For baseball, this is  $\exp(0.7) = 2.0137527$ .

On average, for each unit increase in  $d$ , the probability of success is multiplied by  $d^\beta$ .

- For basketball, this is  $d^{-1.1}$ . This means the probability of success has an inverse relationship with  $d$ .
- For baseball, this is  $d^{-0.6}$ . Probability of success also falls as  $d$  increases but at a slower rate.

**3.**

```
alpha <- -3.7771;
beta <- 0.1449;
prob <- function(li)
{
  1/(1 + exp(-(alpha + li*beta)));
}
```

**3a.**

```
li <- 8;
prob(li);
```

```
## [1] 0.06799525
```

**3b.**

```
-alpha/beta;
```

```
## [1] 26.06694
```

**3c.**

```
li_0.009 <- 8;  
pi_0.009 <- prob(li_0.009);  
rate_0.009 <- beta*(pi_0.009 * (1 - pi_0.009));  
  
li_0.036 <- 26;  
pi_0.036 <- prob(li_0.036);  
rate_0.036 <- beta*(pi_0.036 * (1 - pi_0.036));  
  
kable(data.frame(rate_0.009, rate_0.036))
```

rate_0.009	rate_0.036
0.0091826	0.0362241

**3d.**

```
kable(data.frame(prob(14), prob(28)));
```

prob.14.	prob.28.
0.1482365	0.5695707

**3e.**

```
exp(beta);
```

```
## [1] 1.155924
```

**3f.**

```
beta <- 0.1449;  
se <- 0.0593;  
exp( qnorm(c(.025, .975), beta, se))
```

```
## [1] 1.029089 1.298391
```

- Odds ratios are also not normally distributed. As a result, we must take the natural log of the odds ratio and first compute the confidence limits on a logarithmic scale.

3g.

$H_0$ :  $\beta$  is not significantly different to zero.  $H_1$ :  $\beta$  is significantly different to zero.

```
H_0 <- 0;
z_wald <- (beta - H_0) / se;
cutoff <- qnorm(.975, 0, 1);
```

- For a large sample, the Wald statistic  $z = \hat{\beta}/se(\hat{\beta})$  has a standard normal distribution when  $\beta = 0$ .
- The wald statistic is at 2.4435076 which is greater than the cutoff at 1.959964.
- There is enough evidence to reject  $H_0$ .

3h.

- $H_0$ : All  $\beta$ s are zero.
- $H_1$ : At least a  $\beta$ s is not zero.

```
intercept_only <- 34.372;
intercept_with_covariates <- 26.073;
deviance_diff <- intercept_only - intercept_with_covariates;
df <- 1;
deviance_diff > qchisq(.95, df);
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

- The test statistic is greater than the cutoff. There is enough evidence to reject  $H_0$ ; we conclude at least a  $\beta$ s is not zero.

4a.

```
intercept <- -3.5961;
def_beta <- -.8678;
vic_beta <- 2.4044;

death_prob <- function(def_race = 0, vic_race = 0)
{
  prob <- 1 / (1 + exp(-(intercept + def_beta * def_race + vic_beta * vic_race)));
  return(prob);
}
```

- Holding all other predictors constant, on average, the odds of death penalty for white over black defendant is 0.4198743; white defendants are 41.9874257% as likely to face death penalty.
- Holding all other predictors constant, on average, the odds of death penalty for white victim over black victim is 11.0717852, cases of white victim are 1107.1785218% as likely to face death penalty.

```
outer(X = 0:1, Y = 0:1, FUN = death_prob);
```

```
##           [,1]      [,2]
## [1,] 0.02669815 0.232955
## [2,] 0.01138622 0.113096
```

- Combination with highest probability of death penalty is: defendant = 0, victim = 1.

4b.

```
vic_lower <- 1.3068;  
vic_upper <- 3.7175;
```

- Conditioned on defendant's race, the confidence interval for the effect on the odds from black to white victim equals  $(e^{vic\ lower}, e^{vic\ upper}) = (3.6943329, 41.161362)$ . We infer that cases with white victims have at least has at least 269.4332912% increase and at most 41 fold in the odds that a given defendant faces death penalty.

4ci.

- $H_0$ :  $\beta$  for defendant is zero.
- $H_1$ :  $\beta$  for defendant is not zero.

```
def_se <- 0.3671;  
def_z <- def_beta/def_se;  
normal_cutoff <- qnorm(c(.025, .975));  
def_z < normal_cutoff[1];
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

- At 0.5  $\alpha$  level, the Wald test statistic is lower than the left side cutoff; there is enough evidence to reject  $H_0$  and we conclude  $\beta$  for defendant is not zero.

4cii.

- $H_0$ :  $\beta$  for defendant is zero.
- $H_1$ :  $\beta$  for defendant is not zero.

```
chi_cutoff <- qnorm(.95, 1);  
def_chi <- 5.59;  
def_chi > chi_cutoff;
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

- With degrees of freedom of 1, the Chi-Square cutoff is at 2.6448536, which is lower than the Chi-Square statistic of the  $\beta$  of the defendant variable.
- There is enough evidence to reject  $H_0$  and we conclude  $\beta$  for defendant is not zero.