Logistic Regression Homework

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- 1. Use the regression coefficients from the logistic model presented in Table 5.2 in the logistic formula (5.2) to estimate the quantities in Table 5.3 for a 65-year-old individual. Use additional calculations to add a new section to Table 5.3 for an age increment of five years.
- 2. For the fitted logistic regression model in Table 5.6, calculate the log odds for a 60-year-old smoker with cholesterol, SBP, and BMI values of 250 mg/dL, 150 mmHg, and 20, respectively. Now calculate the log odds for an individual with a cholesterol level of 200 mg/dL, holding the values of the other predictors fixed. Use these two calculations to estimate an odds ratio associated with a 50 mg/dL increase in cholesterol. Repeat the above calculations for a 70-year-old individual with identical values of the other predictors. Comment on any differences between the two estimated odds ratios.
- 3. Use the regression output in Table 5.16 and a calculation similar to that presented in (5.11) to compute the odds ratio comparing the odds of CHD in a 55-year-old individual with arcus to the corresponding odds for a 40-year-old who also has arcus.