# Logistic

#### Parametrisation

The logistic distribution is

$$f(y) = \frac{\kappa \exp(-\kappa(y - \mu))}{(1 + \exp(-\kappa(y - \mu)))^2}$$

for continuously responses y where

 $\mu$ : is the mean

 $\kappa = \tau s \pi / \sqrt{3}$ : where  $\tau$  is the precision

s: is a fixed scaling, s > 0.

#### **Link-function**

The mean and variance of y are given as

$$\mu$$
 and  $\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{s\tau}$ 

and the mean is linked to the linear predictor by

$$\mu = \eta$$

#### Hyperparameters

The precision is represented as

$$\theta = \log \tau$$

and the prior is defined on  $\theta$ .

### **Specification**

- family="logistic"
- Required arguments: y and s (keyword scale)

The scalings have default value 1.

## Hyperparameter spesification and default values

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name log precision
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initial 1
fixed FALSE
prior loggamma

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param 1 5e-05
         to.theta function(x) log(x)
         from.theta function(x) exp(x)
survival FALSE
discrete FALSE
link default identity
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Example
rlogistic = function(n, mean = 0, sd = 1)
    p = runif(n)
    A = pi/sqrt(3)
    tauA = A/sd^2
    return ((tauA * mean - log((1-p)/p))/tauA)
}
n = 1000
z = rnorm(n, sd=0.1)
eta = 1 + z
y = rlogistic(n, mean = eta, sd = 1)
r = inla(y ~ 1 + z, data = data.frame(y, z), family = "logistic",
        control.compute = list(cpo=TRUE))
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#### Notes

None.