Logit analysis and logistic regression (cont.)

Lecture 13

Multivariate statistics

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Linearized logistic function

Р	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.9	Range
Odds =P / (1-P)	0.1/0.9 =.11	0.3/0.7 =.43	0.5/0.5 =1	0.7/0.3 =2.33	0.9/0.1 =9	0 -> +∞
Logit =In(odds)	-2.21	84	0	.84	2.21	-∞ -> +∞

Addresses Problem 4 (constraint on X*b), but still heteroscedastic (i.e., unequal variances across range)

→ Estimate with maximum likelihood (ML) or weighted least squares (WLS)

Odds = P /
$$(1-P) = e^{b0+b1X}$$

$$Log-odds = logit = b_0 + b_1X$$

 b_0 = The expected value of the logit when X=0

 b_1 = The "logit difference" = the amount the logodds change for a one-unit change in X

 e^{b0} = Odds of base rate (when X=0)

 e^{b1} = Change in odds ratio with a 1-unit change in X

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(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
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Null deviance: 508.94 on 401 degrees of freedom Residual deviance: 493.22 on 400 degrees of freedom

(14 observations deleted due to missingness)

AIC: 497.22

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

The bottom half of the output tells you *deviances* for the null model (i.e., with no predictors and the model you fit ("residual").

Remember that these are -2*log-likelihoods.

Their difference is chi-squared distributed...

```
> anova(logitModel, test = "Chisq")
Analysis of Deviance Table
Model: binomial, link: logit
Response: AnyPhys
Terms added sequentially (first to last)
        Df Deviance Resid. Df Resid. Dev Pr(>Chi)
NULL
                                 508.94
                         401
                                 493.22 7.351e-05 ***
EXTSCORE 1 15.718
                         400
Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1
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Chi-square test of change in -2*Log-likelihood (vs. constant-only model)

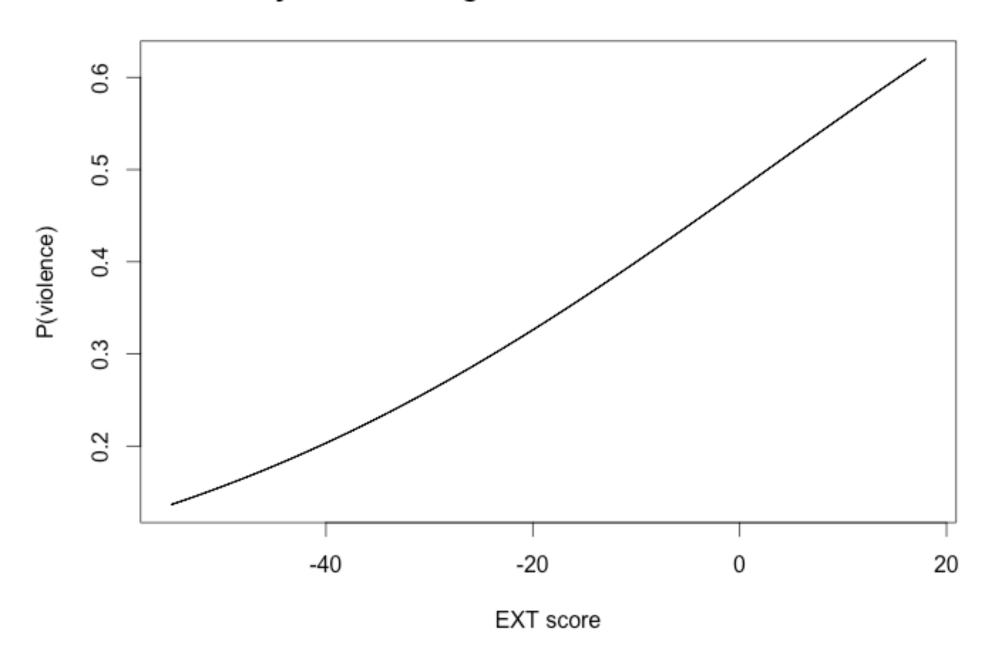
Formula for the log odds of physical aggression:

$$\ln\left(\frac{P}{1-P}\right) = -.086 + .032 * EXTSCORE$$

Formula for the odds of physical aggression:

$$\frac{P}{1-P} = e^{-.086 + .032 * EXTSCORE} = 0.917 * e^{.032 * EXTSCORE}$$

Probability of committing violence as a function of EXT score



Interpret the bs as changes in logits – expected change in logit units (log-odds) for a one-unit increase in predictor:

For example, for each one-unit change in extrinsic motivation, the log odds of physical aggression increase by .032.

Ratio of b-to-SE could arguably be a t or Z

Wald chi-square is a squared value of that ratio, has an associated p-value

b is expected change in log-odds for a oneunit change in X...

...so e^b is expected change in the odds, or P/(1-P), for a one-unit change in X.

For example, $e^{.032} = 1.033 \rightarrow$ For each one-unit increase in EXTSCORE, expected odds of violence are 1.033 times greater (the odds increase by 3.3%).

```
> exp(coef(logitModel))
(Intercept) EXTSCORE

0.9173038 1.0328602
```

Formula for the odds of physical aggression:

$$\frac{P}{1-P} = e^{-.086 + .032 * EXTSCORE} = 0.917 * e^{.032 * EXTSCORE}$$

Interpretation of e^b (=1.033) is the change in odds for each one-unit increase in the IV.

In terms of probabilities,
$$P = \frac{e^{b_0 + b_1 X}}{1 + e^{b_0 + b_1 X}}$$

...so we can generate a plot based on this eqn.

(Intercept) -0.086317 0.189062 -0.457 0.647994

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EXTSCORE     0.032332     0.008336     3.878     0.000105 ***

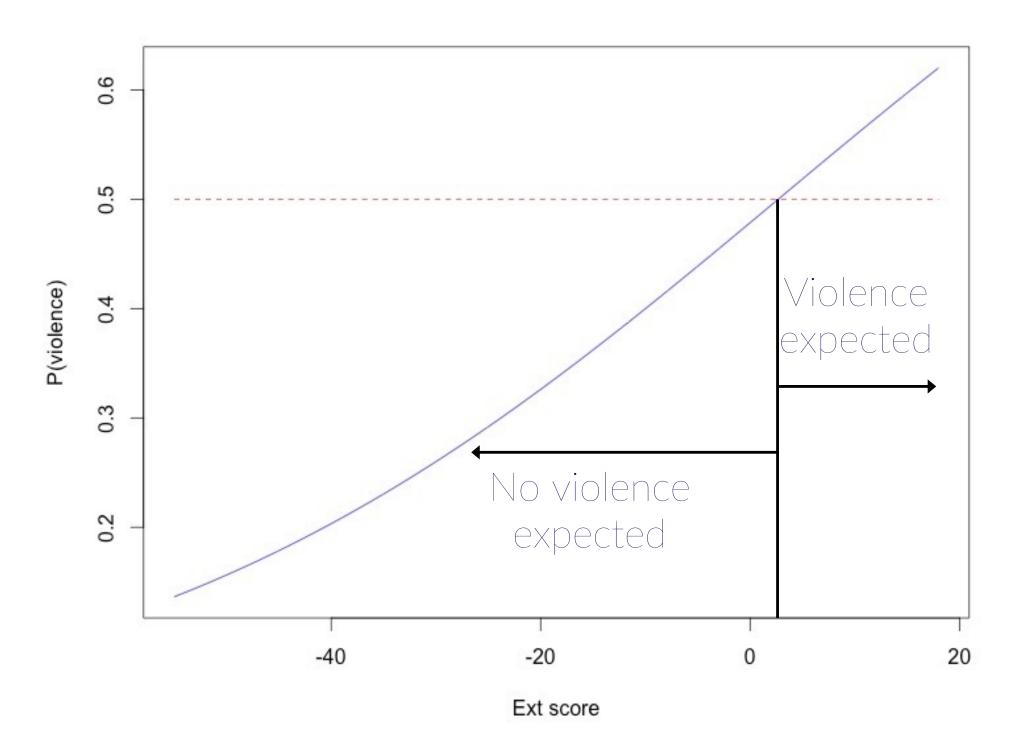
> extscore = seq(from=-55, by=.01, to=18)

> p_violence = exp(-.086+.032*extscore) / (1+exp(.086+.032*extscore))

> df = data.frame(extscore, p_violence)

> ggplot(data = df, aes(x=extscore,y=p_violence))+geom_line()
```

Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)



Prediction based on EXTSCORE > cutoff of P>0.5, about at EXTSCORE=3.

At a specific EXTSCORE, e.g., 10:

$$P = \frac{e^{b_0 + b_1 X}}{1 + e^{b_0 + b_1 X}} = \frac{e^{-.086 + .032 * 10}}{1 + e^{-.086 + .032 * 10}} = \frac{e^{.234}}{1 + e^{.234}} = 0.558$$

The probability of Y=1 (i.e., violence) is 56%And predicted odds = .558 / (1-.558) = 1.26

→ A person with an EXTSCORE of 10 is 26% more likely to commit violence than not

Hierarchical logistic regression

Add a second predictor: CHILDS (childish behavior)

```
Call:
glm(formula = AnyPhys ~ EXTSCORE + CHILDS, family = "binomial",
   data = data.logit)
Deviance Residuals:
   Min
           10 Median
                          30
                                Max
-1.7708 -0.8004 -0.5739
                      0.9279 2.3697
Coefficients:
          Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
0.025568 0.009058 2.823 0.00476 **
EXTSCORE
CHILDS 1.334301 0.189625 7.037 1.97e-12 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1
```

Hierarchical logistic regression

```
> anova(logitModel, logitModel2)
Analysis of Deviance Table

Model 1: AnyPhys ~ EXTSCORE
Model 2: AnyPhys ~ EXTSCORE + CHILDS
  Resid. Df Resid. Dev Df Deviance
1     400     493.22
2     399     428.33     1  64.894
```

Chi-square for this step is the change from the previous one.

Model refers to both predictors together.

Likelihood ratio test of a predictor

Effect of adding a variable is conducted using the LR (likelihood ratio), which is based on the difference between deviance values:

Reduced model: Deviance = 493.22

Full model: Deviance = 428.33

Change = 64.89

Deviance change is distributed as chi-square with df = difference in # of parameters

Compute the (cent.) interaction vectors as usual:

$$y = b_0 + b_1 X_1 + b_2 X_2 + b_3 X_1 X_2$$

Examine LR test of deviance change associated with the interaction to determine significance (requires first fitting: $y = b_0 + b_1X_1 + b_2X_2$)

If so, follow up with tests of simple effects.

Interaction between EXTSCORE and CHILDS...

```
log-odds(PA) = -.852 + .023*EXT + 1.332*CHILDS + .044* EXT * CHILDS
```

> c_childs2 <- na.omit(c_childs)</pre>

High "CHILDS" = 0.73

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> std(c_childs2)
 Average "CHILDS" = 0
                             [1] 0.7281861
 Low "CHILDS" = -0.73
log-odds(PA) for High "CHILDS"
   = -.852 + .023*EXT + 1.332*0.73 + .044*EXT*0.73
   = .12 + .055*EXT
log-odds(PA) for Low "CHILDS"
   = -.852 + .023*EXT + 1.332*-0.73 + .044*EXT*-0.73
   = -1.82 - .009*EXT
```

Simple slopes: "EXT" ranges from -35 to 38

High CHILDS: Log-odds = .12 + .055*EXT

Avg CHILDS: Log-odds = -.852 + .023*EXT

Low CHILDS: Log-odds = -1.82 - .009*EXT

Plot using R...

```
> EXT <- seq(-35, 38, .01)
> High_CHILDS <- .12 + .055*EXT
> Avg_CHILDS <- -.852 + .023*EXT
> Low_CHILDS <- -1.82 - .009*EXT</pre>
```

Remember that...

- ...these are all VECTORS with length(seq(35, 38,.01)) elements in them
- ...These are equations for the LOG-ODDS
- ...Transform them into probabilities using...

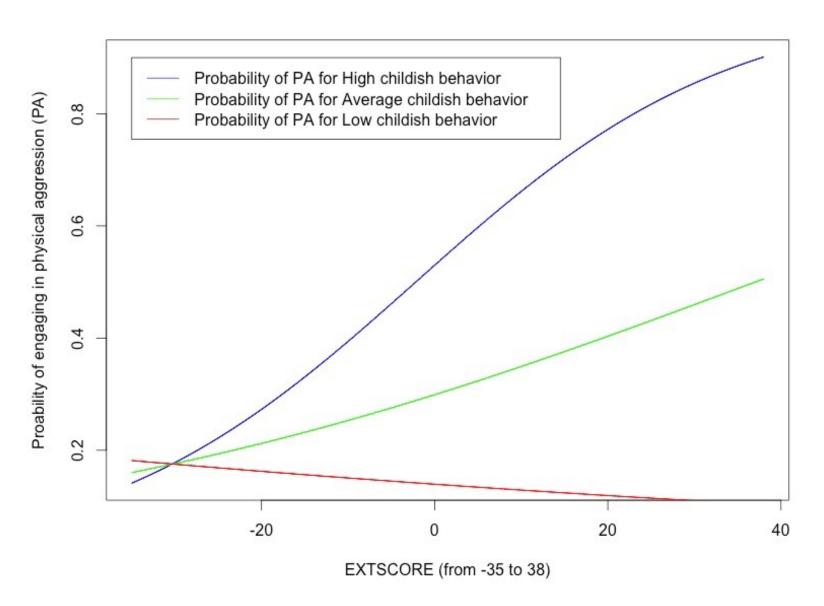
Log-odds into probability

```
> P_PA_High = exp(High_CHILDS) / (1+exp(High_CHILDS))
> P_PA_Avg = exp(Avg_CHILDS) / (1+exp(Avg_CHILDS))
> P_PA_Low = exp(Low_CHILDS) / (1+exp(Low_CHILDS))
```

Log-odds into probability

```
> plot(EXT, P_PA_High, type="l", col="blue")
> lines(EXT, P_PA_Avg, type="l", col="green")
> lines(EXT, P_PA_Low, type="l", col="red")
> legend(-35, .9, c("Probability of PA for High childish behavior", "Probability of PA for Average childish behavior", "Probability of PA for Low childish behavior", col=c("blue", "green", "red"), lty=c(1,1,1))
```

P(Physical aggression) by EXTSCORE



Thresholds

Threshold: At what point does P([whatever]) become greater than 50-50?

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Threshold = -b0 / b1
= -int / slope
= -(simple intercept) / (simple slope)
```

Thresholds

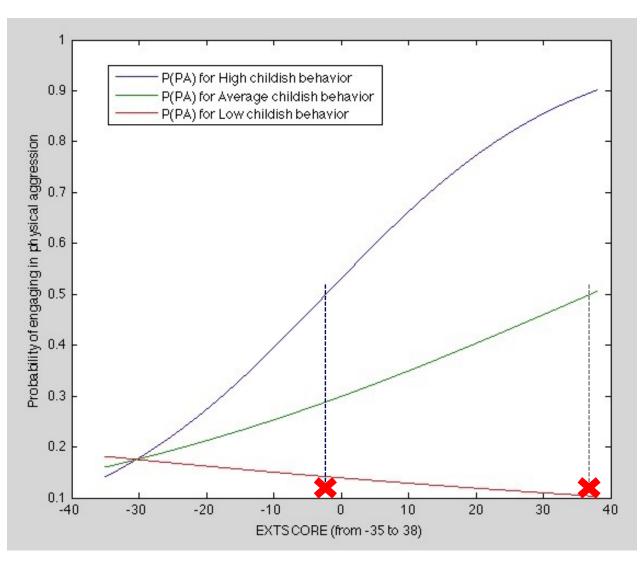
Threshold = -b0 / b1

High CHILDS: -.12 / .055 = -2.18

Avg CHILDS: +.852 / .023 = 37.04

Low CHILDS: 1.82 / -.009 = -202

P(Physical aggression) by EXTSCORE



Models for multi-category DVs

3+ ordered categories: *Ordinal* logistic regression e.g.: None, Some, Most All Predicts probabilities of being at or below a

particular level

> model <- polr(DV ~ IV1 + IV2 ..., data = dat, Hess = TRUE)
polr() is from the MASS package</pre>

3+ non-ordered categories: *Multinomial* regression Predicts probabilities of being in a particular category relative to a reference category

```
> model <- multinom(DV ~ IV1 + IV2 ..., data = dat)
multinom() is from the nnet package</pre>
```