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Logistic Regression

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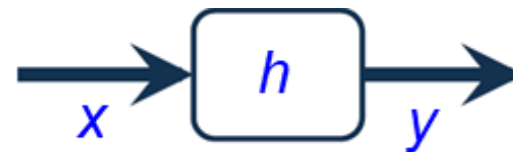
1. Extending Linear Regression for Binary Classification

Extending Linear Regression for Binary Classification

◆ **Binary Classification Problems:** $y \in \{0, 1\}$ or $y \in \{-1, 1\}$

● Examples:

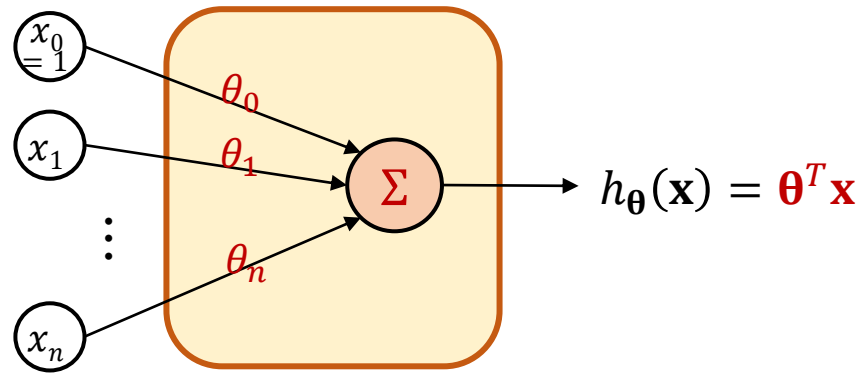
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Extending Linear Regression for Binary Classification (cont'd)

- ◆ For *Binary classification*, we can extend *Linear regression* by adding some *Activation function* $\tau()$.

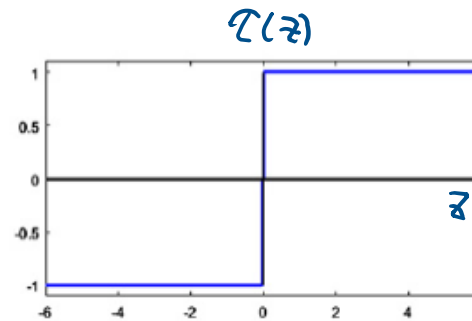
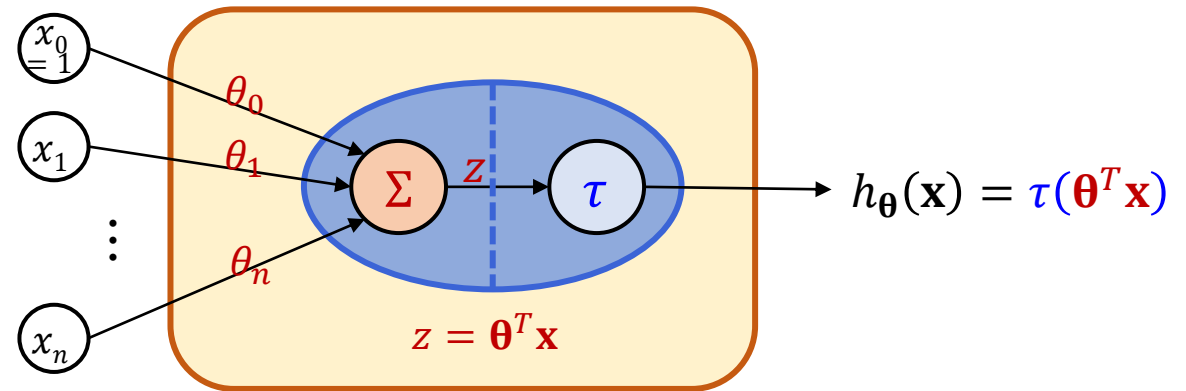
Linear Regression



\mathbf{x} θ

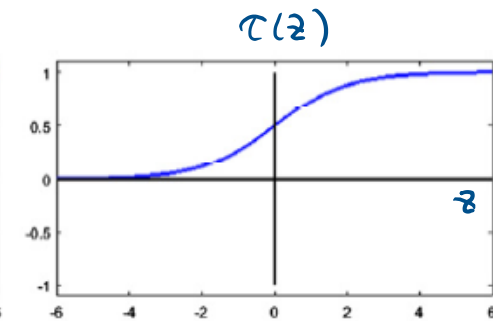
- Examples of $\tau(z)$
 - ★ **step** function: **hard** threshold
 - ★ **sigmoid** function: **soft** threshold

Linear Regression + Threshold function



(a) 계단 함수 (hard)

→ Perceptron



(b) 로지스틱 시그모이드 (soft)

→ Logistic Regression

2. Logistic Regression

- ✓ Model Representation
- ✓ Cross-Entropy Loss
- ✓ Gradient

Logistic Regression – Model Representation

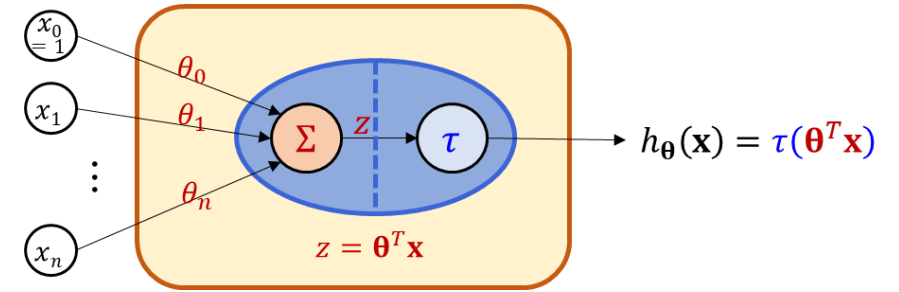
◆ Logistic Regression Model

$$z = \theta^T x$$

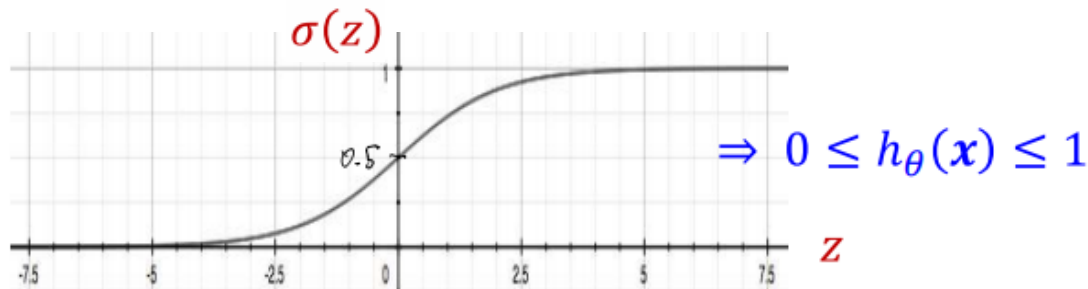
← linear model

$$h_{\theta}(z) = \sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}$$

← logistic function (sigmoid function)



- $\sigma(z)$: **Sigmoid** function (soft-threshold):



$$z = \underline{\theta}^T \underline{x} = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \dots + \theta_n x_n$$
$$= \sum_{i=0}^n \theta_i x_i$$

$$y = \sigma(z)$$

Thus, $h_{\theta}(x)$ will give us the probability that our output is 1.

★ E.g., for binary classification:

$$h_{\theta}(x) = P(y = 1|x; \theta) = 1 - P(y = 0|x; \theta)$$

$$P(y = 0|x; \theta) + P(y = 1|x; \theta) = 1$$

$$\star h_{\theta}(x) = \sigma(\underline{\theta}^T \underline{x}) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\underline{\theta}^T \underline{x}}}$$

$$\left(\text{cf. } \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}} = \frac{e^z}{1 + e^z} \right)$$

Logistic Regression – Cost Function: *MSE?*

◆ We will not use MSE for logistic regression

- The logistic sigmoid will cause the output to be *wavy*, causing many local minima.
- In other words, the MSE cost will *not* be a *convex* function.

◆ Instead, we will use *Cross-Entropy (CE)* Loss

- For use of CE Loss, the target values should be $y \in \{0,1\}$.

Cross-Entropy Loss

- ◆ **Cross-Entropy (CE) Loss:** used widely in binary classification

* NOTE : "log" here denotes
"natural logarithm"
(i.e. base = e)

- Classic form:

$$J(\theta) = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m [y^{(i)} \log(h_{\theta}(\underline{x}^{(i)})) + (1 - y^{(i)}) \log(1 - h_{\theta}(\underline{x}^{(i)}))]$$

- Vector form:

$$J(\theta) = -\frac{1}{m} (\mathbf{y}^T \log(\mathbf{h}) + (\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{y})^T \log(\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{h}))$$

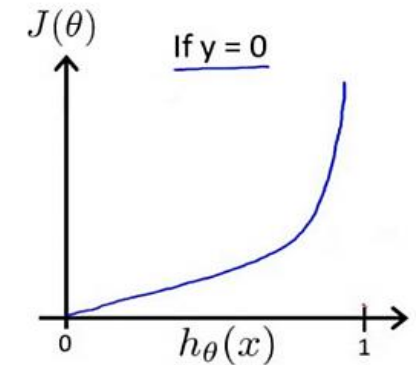
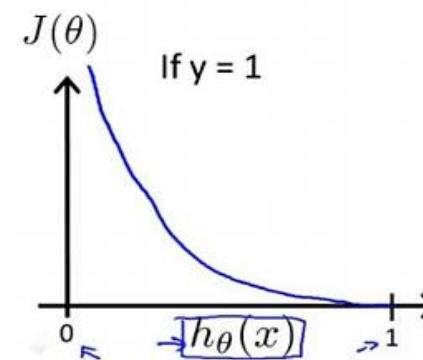
- The CE loss is **convex** for $0 \leq h_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}) \leq 1$.

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \text{Cost}(h_{\theta}(\underline{x}^{(i)}), y^{(i)})$$

$$\text{Cost}(h_{\theta}(\underline{x}), y) = -\log(h_{\theta}(\underline{x})) \quad \text{if } y = 1$$

$$\text{Cost}(h_{\theta}(\underline{x}), y) = -\log(1 - h_{\theta}(\underline{x})) \quad \text{if } y = 0$$

➡ $\text{Cost}(h_{\theta}(\underline{x}), y) = -y \log(h_{\theta}(\underline{x})) - (1 - y) \log(1 - h_{\theta}(\underline{x}))$



Logistic Regression – *Gradient of CE Loss*

◆ *Gradients* of Cross-Entropy Loss for Logistic Regression

- The CE Loss:
$$J(\theta) = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m [y^{(i)} \log(h_{\theta}(\underline{x}^{(i)})) + (1 - y^{(i)}) \log(1 - h_{\theta}(\underline{x}^{(i)}))]$$

$$J(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{m} (\mathbf{y}^T \log(\mathbf{h}) + (\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{y})^T \log(\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{h}))$$

- The LR Model:
$$h_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}) = \sigma(\boldsymbol{\theta}^T \mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\boldsymbol{\theta}^T \mathbf{x}}}$$

➡ *Gradient:*

★ Classic form:

$$\frac{\partial J(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{\partial \theta_j} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (\sigma(\boldsymbol{\theta}^T \mathbf{x}^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_j^{(i)} \quad \text{for } j=0, \dots, n$$

★ Vector form:

$$\nabla J(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (\sigma(\boldsymbol{\theta}^T \mathbf{x}^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) \mathbf{x}^{(i)} = \frac{1}{m} \mathbf{X}^T (\sigma(\mathbf{X}\boldsymbol{\theta}) - \mathbf{y})$$

Logistic Regression – Gradient Descent (cont'd)

◆ Proof

● Cross-Entropy Loss:

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \text{Cost}(h_{\theta}(\underline{x}^{(i)}), y^{(i)})$$

$$\text{Cost}(h_{\theta}(\underline{x}), y) = -y \log(h_{\theta}(\underline{x})) - (1 - y) \log(1 - h_{\theta}(\underline{x}))$$

● Partial derivatives:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \text{Cost}}{\partial \theta_j} &= -y \frac{1}{h_{\theta}(\underline{x})} \cdot \frac{\partial h_{\theta}(\underline{x})}{\partial \theta_j} + (1-y) \frac{1}{1-h_{\theta}(\underline{x})} \cdot \frac{\partial h_{\theta}(\underline{x})}{\partial \theta_j} \\ &= \left(-y \frac{1}{h_{\theta}(\underline{x})} + (1-y) \frac{1}{1-h_{\theta}(\underline{x})} \right) \cdot \frac{\partial h_{\theta}(\underline{x})}{\partial \theta_j} \\ &= \underbrace{-y(1-h_{\theta}(\underline{x}))}_{\text{negative}} \cdot \underbrace{x_j}_{\text{positive}} + \underbrace{(1-y) \cdot h_{\theta}(\underline{x})}_{\text{positive}} \cdot \underbrace{x_j}_{\text{positive}} \\ &= -y \cdot x_j + h_{\theta}(\underline{x}) \cdot x_j = \boxed{(h_{\theta}(\underline{x}) - y) \cdot x_j} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \underline{\theta}^T \underline{x}, \quad \sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}} \\ \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta_j} &= x_j \\ \frac{\partial \sigma(z)}{\partial z} &= \frac{e^{-z}}{(1 + e^{-z})^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{(1 + e^{-z})} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{1}{(1 + e^{-z})} \right) \\ &= \sigma(z) \cdot (1 - \sigma(z)) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\partial h_{\theta}(\underline{x})}{\partial \theta_j} &= \frac{\partial \sigma(\underline{\theta}^T \underline{x})}{\partial \theta_j} = \frac{\partial \sigma(z)}{\partial z} \cdot \frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta_j} \\ &= \underbrace{\sigma(z) \cdot (1 - \sigma(z))}_{\text{positive}} \cdot \underbrace{x_j}_{\text{positive}} \\ &= \underbrace{h_{\theta}(\underline{x}) \cdot (1 - h_{\theta}(\underline{x}))}_{\text{positive}} \cdot \underbrace{x_j}_{\text{positive}} \end{aligned}$$

Q & A

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