# **Logistic Regression**

1. The NFL collected data on field goal success in professional American Football games. The data consisted of a binary variable for success (Success=1, Failure=0) and the distance in yards from the goal. The data were submitted to a logistic regression, a portion of the R out of the analysis is given below

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Call: glm(formula = Success ~ Yards, family = binomial("logit"),
data = fieldgoal)
Deviance Residuals:
  Min
            1Q
                  Median
                              3Q
                                      Max
 -2.6568 0.2718
                  0.4166
                            0.6938
                                    1.4750
Coefficients:
                       Std. Error
             Estimate
 (Intercept)
              5.69788
                          0.45110
Yards
             -0.10991
                          0.01058
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- **a)** Write the formula of the logistic regression, explaining the terms used in the expression. (3 marks)
- **b)** Calculate the z-value of the estimates (5 marks)
- c) What are the estimated odds that a 60 yard field goal will succeed (4 marks)
- **d)** What is the probability that a 30 yard field goal will succeed, and what is probability it will fail. (5 marks)

**2.** Sahoo and Pandalai (1999) conducted a study on the success or failure of finding gold deposits as a function of water/chemical factors: As level, Sb level, and presence==1 or absence==0 of lineament. A portion of the R analysis is given below

Call: glm(formula = Presence ~ Aslevel+Sblevel+LineamentProx, family = binomial("logit"), data = gold) Deviance Residuals: Median Min 3Q Max 10 -2.6568 0.2718 0.4166 0.6938 1.4750 Coefficients: Estimate Std. Error -7.6096 (Intercept) 3.1661 Aslevel 1.2046 0.4899 Sblevel 1.4210 0.7301 LineamentProx 3.1973 1.8911

- **a)** Write the formula of the logistic regression, explaining the terms used in the expression. (3 marks)
- **b)** Calculate the z-value of the estimates.

(7 marks)

- c) What are the probability of finding a gold deposit given an As level of 3, Sblevel of 4 and no lineament. (4 marks)
- **d)** Given a 95% rejection criteria with a z-criteria of (-1.96, 196), are the estimates of the coefficients significant. (3 marks)

#### **Formulae**

**Counting Rules** 

**Permutations** 

$$^{n}P_{r} = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$$

**Combinations** 

$${}^{n}C_{r} = \left(\begin{array}{c} n \\ r \end{array}\right) = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

**Addition of Probability** 

$$p(A \cup B) = p(A) + p(B) - p(A \cap B)$$

**Conditional Probability** 

$$p(A|B) = \frac{p(A \cap B)}{p(B)}$$

**Bayes Formula** 

$$p(H_1|A) = \frac{p(A|H_1)p(H_1)}{p(A|H_1)p(H_1) + p(A|H_2)p(H_2)}$$

**Probability Mass Functions** 

$$E[X] = \sum_{i=1} x_i p(x_i)$$

$$Var[X] = \sum_{i=1} (x_i - \mu)^2 p(x_i)$$

**Geometric Distributions** 

$$p(k) = q^{(k-1)}p, \ k = 1, 2, ...$$
  
 $E[k] = \frac{1}{p} \ Var[k] = \frac{q}{p^2}$ 

**Binomial Distributions** 

$$p(k) = \binom{n}{k} p^{k} q^{n-k}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots n$$
$$E[k] = np \quad Var[k] = npq$$

**Poisson Distributions** 

$$p(k) = \frac{\lambda^k e^{-\lambda}}{k!}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$
$$E[k] = \lambda \quad Var[k] = \lambda$$

### Chi squared

$$\chi_{GoF} = \sum \frac{(O-E)^2}{E} \; \chi^2_{k-1}, \;\; \chi_{Ind} = \sum \frac{(O-E)^2}{E} \; \chi^2_{(r-1)(c-1)}$$

#### **Linear Regression**

$$y_{i} = \beta_{0} + \beta_{1} x_{i1} + \beta_{2} x_{i2} + \dots$$

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$$\beta_{1} = \frac{Cov(x, y)}{SS_{xx}}, \quad \beta_{0} = \bar{y} - \beta_{1}\bar{x}$$

## **Logistic Regression**

$$p_i = \frac{e^{\eta_i}}{1 + e^{\eta_i}}, \quad \eta_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \dots$$