

Problem 1. Inversion Theorems

Show the one-to-one relationship between the probability distribution function and the characteristic function. Express the probability distribution function as a function of the characteristic function.

Problem 2.

Explain why the moment generation function does not exist when a certain moment is absent. Provide an explanation for the absence of a moment in the context of the logistic distribution.

Problem 3.

Logistic distribution 有對稱性。
說明：其他 model 沒有對稱性

Problem 4.

(b.1) Log-linear model:

$$P(Y = y) = C(\theta_1, \theta_2) \exp(Y^T \theta_1 + W^T \theta_2),$$

where

- $W = (Y_1 Y_2, Y_1 Y_3, \dots, Y_{m-1} Y_m, \dots, Y_1 Y_2 \dots Y_m)^T$,
- $\theta_1 = (\theta_1^{(1)}, \dots, \theta_m^{(1)})$
- $\theta_2 = (\theta_{12}^{(2)}, \dots, \theta_{m-1m}^{(2)}, \dots, \theta_{12\dots m}^{(m)})$
- $C(\theta_1, \theta_2)$ is a function of θ_1 and θ_2 that normalizes the p.d.f. to integrate to one.

Transformation:

$$(\theta_1, \theta_2) \rightarrow (\mu, \theta_2), \mu = (\mu_1, \dots, \mu_m) \triangleq \mu(\theta_1, \theta_2).$$

Model assumption:

$$\text{logit}(\mu_j) = X_j^T \beta.$$

The score equation for β under this parameterization takes the GEE form:

$$\left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \beta} \right)^T [V(Y)]^{-1} (Y - \mu) = 0,$$

where

$$\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \beta} = \left(\frac{\partial \mu_1}{\partial \beta}, \dots, \frac{\partial \mu_m}{\partial \beta} \right)^T.$$

Remark:

The conditional odds ratios are not easily interpreted when the association among responses is itself a focus of the study.

Properties:

1. From

$$M_Y(t) = E[e^{t^T Y}] = \sum_y C(\theta_1, \theta_2) \exp(y^T (t + \theta_1) + w^T \theta_2) = \frac{C(\theta_1, \theta_2)}{C(\theta_1 + t, \theta_2)},$$

one has

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$$\mu = \left. \frac{\partial M_Y(t)}{\partial t} \right|_{t=0} = - \frac{\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_1} C(\theta_1, \theta_2)}{C(\theta_1, \theta_2)},$$

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$$E[Y Y^T] = \left. \frac{\partial^2 M_Y(t)}{\partial t \partial t^T} \right|_{t=0} = - \frac{\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta_1 \partial \theta_1^T} C(\theta_1, \theta_2)}{C(\theta_1, \theta_2)} + 2\mu \mu^T,$$

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$$V(Y) = - \frac{\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta_1 \partial \theta_1^T} C(\theta_1, \theta_2)}{C(\theta_1, \theta_2)} + \mu \mu^T.$$

2. Let

$$l(\theta_1, \theta_2) = \ln P(Y = y) = \ln\{C(\theta_1, \theta_2) + (Y^T \theta_1 + W^T \theta_2)\}.$$

We can derive that

$$\frac{\partial l(\theta_1, \theta_2)}{\partial \theta_1} = \frac{\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_1} C(\theta_1, \theta_2)}{C(\theta_1, \theta_2)} + Y = (Y - \mu),$$

and hence,

$$\frac{\partial l(\theta_1, \theta_2)}{\partial \beta} = \left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \beta}\right)^T \frac{\partial \theta_1}{\partial \mu} \left(\frac{\partial l(\theta_1, \theta_2)}{\partial \theta_1}\right) = \left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \beta}\right)^T \left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \theta_1}\right)^{-1} (Y - \mu) = \left(\frac{\partial \mu}{\partial \beta}\right)^T [V(Y)]^{-1} (Y - \mu).$$

Problem 5. Show orthonormal

Let $P_{[1]}(Y = y) = \prod_{j=1}^m \mu_j^{y_j} (1 - \mu_j)^{1-y_j}$, $g(y) = P(Y = y)/P_{[1]}(Y = y)$, and V be a vector space of real-valued functions f on Y_1 (2^m possible values of y).

Here, V is regarded as an inner-product space with

$$\langle f_1, f_2 \rangle \triangleq E_{P_{[1]}}[f_1 f_2] = \sum_{y \in Y_1} f_1(y) f_2(y) P_{[1]}(y).$$

It follows easily that the set of functions $S = \{1, r_1, \dots, r_m; r_1 r_2, \dots, r_{m-1} r_m; \dots, r_1 r_2 \cdots r_m\}$ on Y_1 is **orthonormal** and, thus, is a basis in V_\times . Since $g(y)$ is a function on Y_1 , there exists a unique representation as a linear combination of functions in S , namely,

$$g(y) = \sum_{f \in S} \langle g, f \rangle f.$$

$$\because \langle g, f \rangle = \sum_{y \in Y_1} g(y) f(y) P_{[1]}(y) = \sum_{y \in Y_1} f(y) P(Y = y) = E_P[f] \forall f, \text{ and}$$

$$E_P[1] = 1, E_P[r_j] = 0, E_P[r_j r_k] = \rho_{jk}, \dots, \text{ and } E_P[r_1 \cdots r_m] = \rho_{12 \dots m}.$$

$$\therefore g(y) = \left(1 + \sum_{j < k} \rho_{jk} r_j r_k + \sum_{j < k < l} \rho_{jkl} r_j r_k r_l + \cdots + \rho_{12 \dots m} r_1 r_2 \cdots r_m \right).$$