

Logit Credit-Risk Modeling

- Write a macro that enables the user to build a logit model through a form. The macro uses Solver to estimate maximum-likelihood model parameters. Results include the coefficients and estimates of default probabilities.
- The user has the choice of adding a constant to the model and of including the following statistics in the results: pseudo- R^2 , likelihood ratio and its p-value, log-likelihood of a constant-only model.

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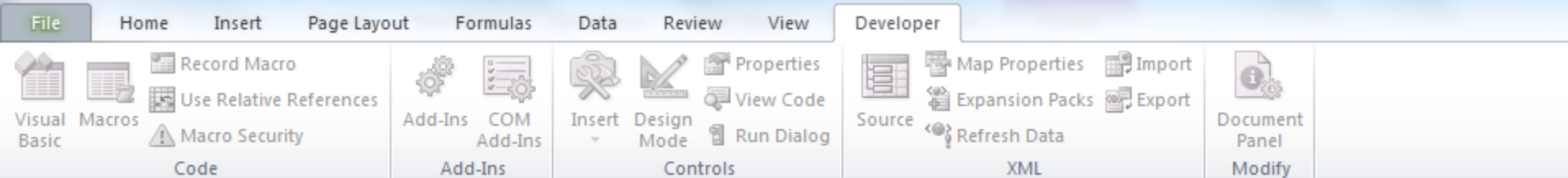
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Logit Credit Risk

Y Range: T2_T5!\$C\$1:\$C\$4001

X Range: T2_T5!\$D\$1:\$H\$4001

Output Range: T2_T5!\$I\$1

☒ **Label** ☒ **Constant** ☒ **Stats**

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- One row = one observation
- Each observation i has a default variable y_i which equals 1 if the firm is in default, 0 otherwise.
- Each observation i has a row vector x_i of values for the Altman variables.

Log-Likelihood

- b is the row vector of coefficients, which may include a constant.
- The probability of default for i , $P(y_i = 1)$, is:
 - $p_i = 1/(1 + \exp(-b'x_i))$
 - $b'x_i$ is the sumproduct of b and x_i

Log-Likelihood

- The probability of non-default for i , $P(y_i = 0)$, is $1 - p_i$
- Therefore, the probability or likelihood of observing a particular value of y_i is
 - $p_i^{y_i} (1 - p_i)^{(1 - y_i)}$

Log-Likelihood

- The log of that likelihood is:
 - $\text{Lnl}_i = y_i \ln(p_i) + (1 - y_i) \ln(1 - p_i)$
- Solver finds the value of b that maximizes the sum Lnl of log-likelihoods across all observations.

Log-Likelihood

- If b is only one constant, $\text{Ln}l$ becomes:
 - $\text{Ln}L0 = N * (\text{ybar} * \text{Ln}(\text{ybar}) + (1 - \text{ybar}) * \text{Ln}(1 - \text{ybar}))$
 - ybar is the average of y_i across all observations
 - N is the number of observations

Log-Likelihood

- Pseudo $R^2 = 1 - \text{Lnl}/\text{Lnl0}$
- Likelihood ratio LR is $2(\text{Lnl} - \text{Lnl0})$
- P-value is $\text{Chisq.Dist.Rt}(\text{LR})$

Statistics
