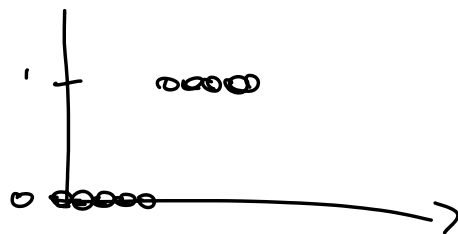


Output is dichotomic

$y_i$  can take value only 0 and 1

linear regression model would not be good



we want to model the probability of  $y = 1$ , prob of success  $P(y_i = 1 | \Omega)$

we model  $P_i$

$= E(y_i | \Omega)$   
for the Bernoulli r.v.

$$P_i = E(y_i | \Omega) = F(x_i; \beta)$$

•  $F(-\infty) = 0$  •  $F(\infty) = 1$  •  $f(x) = \frac{dF(x)}{dx} > 0$  • the function should also be 1 to 1 (not harmonic)

these are also properties of CDFs

if we use the one of the second we see with probit model

$$\frac{\partial P_i}{\partial x_{ij}} = \frac{\partial F(x; \beta)}{\partial x_{ij}} = f(x_i; \beta) \beta_j$$

marginal effect caused by increase in  $x_i$  in a non linear model

$\Phi(x; \beta)$  is probit model

## LOGIT MODEL

$$h(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}} = \frac{e^x}{1 + e^x}$$

$$h'(x) = \frac{e^{-x}}{(1 + e^{-x})^2}$$

is the derivative needed to compute the partial effect

$$\text{Prob}(y_1 = y_1, \dots, y_n = y_n) = \prod_{y_i=0} [1 - F(x_i; \beta)] \prod_{y_i=1} F(x_i; \beta)$$

(likelihood)

$\downarrow$  the  $y$  that are  $= 0$      
  $\downarrow$  prob of not success     
  $\downarrow$  prob of success

$$P(y_1 = y_1) = P(y_1 = 1)I(y_1 = 1) + P(y_1 = 0)I(y_1 = 0)$$

for the first obs

$$L(\beta; y, x) = \sum \log F(x_i; \beta) + (1 - y_i) \log (1 - F(x_i; \beta))$$

one could use the  $R^2$  to assess the quality of the fit

• we can use likelihood ratio index

$$LRI = \frac{\log \text{lik}(\text{Model 1})}{\log \text{lik}(\text{Model 0})}$$

(likelihood ratio index)

$\rightarrow$  model with all the variables     
  $\rightarrow$  model with only the intercept  $\nearrow x = \text{iota}$

measure of how much we improve in explanation adding the variables

LR is not bounded between 0,1  
 specific for LOGIT / PROBIT model

**HIT AND MISS**

<del>OBS. OUTPUT</del> PREDICTED $\hat{P}(Y_i=0)$ $\hat{P}(Y_i=1)$	
$Y_i=0$	$N_1$ $N_3$ (MISS) $N_4$ (MISS) $N_2 = \sum_{i=1}^N \mathbb{I}(\hat{P}_i = 1 \cap Y_i = 0)$
$Y_i=1$	

$\sum \mathbb{I}(P_{Y_i=0} \cap Y_i=0)$

not on because it is estimated

$\hat{P}(Y_i=0) = F(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}) < 0.5$   
 If the model predicts  $< 0.5$  we expect to see a failure

then a rough measure of quality will be  $\frac{N_1 + N_2}{N}$   
 number of times the model correctly predicts the output

## Q - ML or PSEUDO-ML

in ML we need the assumed distribution, that it was correctly specified

$P_{Y|X}(Y|X)$  were generated from a known distribution for which the parameters were unknown  
 but what if this is misspecified

$$Y = X\beta + \varepsilon \quad \varepsilon \text{ is iid } N(0; D) \quad \text{errors are heteroskedastic}$$

what happens if we maximize the wrong log-likelihood function

LOG LIKELIHOOD OF

$H_1$ :

$y = X\beta + \varepsilon$  but now we assume the errors to be homoskedastic

what happens to  $\varepsilon \sim N(0; I_n \sigma^2)$

$\hat{\beta}$ , is  $\hat{\beta}$  still consistent and what is its asymptotic distribution

$$\hat{\beta} = \arg \max_{\beta} L(H_1; y_i, x_i; \beta)$$

$$= \arg \max_{\beta} \sum_{i=1}^n -\frac{1}{2} \log 2\pi + \log \sigma^2 + \left( \frac{(y_i - x_i' \beta)}{\sigma} \right)^2$$

①  $\hat{\beta} \xrightarrow{P} \beta^0$   $\hat{\beta}$  is still a consistent estimator

②  $\sqrt{N}(\hat{\beta} - \beta^0) \xrightarrow{d} N(0; H^{-1} \cdot \sigma^2 \cdot H^{-1})$

↓  
this should be equal to the white covariance

$$H^{-1} = \left[ \frac{\partial^2 L}{\partial \theta \partial \theta'} \right]_{\theta = \hat{\theta}} (?)$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(y_i - x_i' \beta)^2}$$

the gradient is

$$\log \sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2} - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2}(y_i - x_i' \beta)^2$$

$$\uparrow \frac{x_i(y_i - x_i' \beta)}{\sigma^2} = x_i' y - x_i' x \beta$$

$$(\beta' x' x - y' x)(x' y - x' x \beta)$$

$$\beta' x' x y - \beta' x' x x \beta - y' x x' y + y' x x' x \beta$$

we have a variable  $y$  that is binary, it can be only 1 or 0, so a regression does not make sense

$$y = x\beta + \varepsilon \quad \text{regression for } y \text{ usually continuous}$$

in this case we want to model the probability of  $y$  being 1 or 0

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we model this as a function of the independent variables  $F(x'\beta)$

in OLS  $F(x'\beta) = x'\beta$ , with this case this is not good because we need  $y \in [0, 1]$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & F(x'\beta) & \\ \swarrow & & \searrow \\ \text{Logit} & & \text{Probit} \\ F(x'\beta) = \frac{e^{x'\beta}}{1 + e^{x'\beta}} & & F(x'\beta) = \Phi(x'\beta) \end{array}$$

these models are estimated through maximum likelihood

## MARGINAL EFFECTS

Change in the probability that  $y=1$   
Given a unit change in one incl. var.  $x$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial x_j} = \beta_j \text{ in OLS}$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial x_j} = F'(\underline{x}'\beta) \beta_j$$

depends on  $x$ , typically we compute it at  $\bar{x}$

For logit  $\frac{e^{x\beta}}{1+e^{x\beta}}$

or i case compute the average marginal effect

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial x_j} = \frac{e^{x\beta}}{(1+e^{x\beta})^2} \cdot \beta_j$$

$$\frac{\sum F'(\bar{x}'\beta) \beta_j}{n}$$

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ODDS ratio

$$\ln \frac{p}{1-p} = x'\beta \text{ for logit}$$

ODDS RATIO IS  $\frac{p}{1-p}$

$\Rightarrow$  means that  $P(y=1)$  is twice as likely as  $P(y=0)$

$$p = \frac{e^{x\beta}}{1 + e^{x\beta}} \quad \ln p = \ln \left( \frac{e^{x\beta}}{1 + e^{x\beta}} \right)$$

$$= x\beta - \ln(1 + e^{x\beta})$$

$$p = \frac{e^{x\beta}}{1 + e^{x\beta}}$$

$$\frac{p}{1-p} = \frac{\frac{e^{x\beta}}{1+e^{x\beta}}}{1 - \frac{e^{x\beta}}{1+e^{x\beta}}}$$

$$\ln \left( \frac{p}{1-p} \right) = \frac{x\beta - \ln(1 + e^{x\beta})}{\ln \left( 1 - \frac{e^{x\beta}}{1+e^{x\beta}} \right)}$$

$$p = \frac{e^{x\beta}}{1+e^{x\beta}} \quad 1 - \frac{e^{x\beta}}{1+e^{x\beta}} = \frac{1+e^{x\beta} - e^{x\beta}}{1+e^{x\beta}} = \frac{1}{1+e^{x\beta}} = 1-p$$

$$\frac{p}{1-p} = \frac{e^{x\beta}}{(1+e^{x\beta})} \cdot (1+e^{x\beta}) = e^{x\beta}$$

$$\boxed{\ln \frac{p}{1-p} = x\beta}$$

i have the  $y_i$  which are  $= 0$  or  $= 1$

$$P(Y_1 = y_1, Y_2 = y_2, \dots, Y_N = y_N) =$$

$$\prod_{y=0} [1 - F(x'\beta)] \prod_{y=1} F(x'\beta)$$

$$(1-y_i) \ln(1 - F(x'\beta)) + y_i \ln F(x'\beta)$$

So that when  $y_i = 1$  we have  $\ln F(x'\beta)$   
and when  $y_i = 0$  we have  $\ln(1 - F(x'\beta))$

if i misspecify the structure and use a normal with variance not diagonal but  $\sigma^2 \in \mathbb{R}_+$

i know that the sandwich estimator is

$$H^{-1} OPG H^{-1}$$

$$H^{-1} = -\sigma^2 E(X'X)^{-1}$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} \ln \sigma^2 - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (y_i - x_i'\beta)^2$$

$$G_i = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} x_i (y_i - x_i'\beta) = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} x_i' e_i$$

and gradient that is

$$G = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} E'X$$

hence  $H^{-1} G' G H^{-1}$

$$G' G = \frac{1}{\sigma^4} X' E E' X$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sigma^4} (X'X)^{-1} X' \text{diag}(\hat{e}_i^2) X \frac{1}{\sigma^4} (X'X)^{-1} \sigma^4 \text{diag}(e_i^2)$$

$$= (X'X)^{-1} X' \text{diag}(e_i^2) X (X'X)^{-1}$$



$$\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \sum x_i (y_i - x_i \beta)$$

$$\frac{d}{d\beta} \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \sum (x_i y_i - x_i x_i' \beta) = -\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \sum x_i x_i'$$

$$H^{-1} = -\sigma^2 (X'X)^{-1}$$