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## Experiment No.04

**Aim:** Implementation of Logistic Regression Algorithm.

### Outcome:

After completing this practical, the **Logistic Regression algorithm** was successfully implemented, demonstrating its working principle for **binary classification problems**. Hands-on experience was gained in **data preprocessing, model training, evaluating performance using accuracy and confusion matrix, and visualizing decision boundaries**. This knowledge enhances the ability to apply logistic regression for real-world classification tasks.

### Theory:

**Logistic regression** is a **supervised machine learning algorithm** used for **classification tasks** where the goal is to predict the probability that an instance belongs to a given class or not. Logistic regression is a statistical algorithm which analyze the relationship between two data factors. The article explores the fundamentals of logistic regression, it's types and implementations.

Logistic regression is used for binary [classification](#) where we use [sigmoid function](#), that takes input as independent variables and produces a probability value between 0 and 1.

For example, we have two classes Class 0 and Class 1 if the value of the logistic function for an input is greater than 0.5 (threshold value) then it belongs to Class 1 otherwise it belongs to Class 0. It's referred to as regression because it is the extension of [linear regression](#) but is mainly used for classification problems.

### Key Points:

- Logistic regression predicts the output of a categorical dependent variable. Therefore, the outcome must be a categorical or discrete value.

- It can be either Yes or No, 0 or 1, true or False, etc. but instead of giving the exact value as 0 and 1, it gives the probabilistic values which lie between 0 and 1.
- In Logistic regression, instead of fitting a regression line, we fit an “S” shaped logistic function, which predicts two maximum values (0 or 1).

### Types of Logistic Regression

On the basis of the categories, Logistic Regression can be classified into three types:

1. **Binomial:** In binomial Logistic regression, there can be only two possible types of the dependent variables, such as 0 or 1, Pass or Fail, etc.
2. **Multinomial:** In multinomial Logistic regression, there can be 3 or more possible unordered types of the dependent variable, such as “cat”, “dogs”, or “sheep”.
3. **Ordinal:** In ordinal Logistic regression, there can be 3 or more possible ordered types of dependent variables, such as “low”, “Medium”, or “High”.

### Understanding Sigmoid Function

So far, we’ve covered the basics of logistic regression, but now let’s focus on the most important function that forms the core of logistic regression.

- The **sigmoid function** is a mathematical function used to map the predicted values to probabilities.
- It maps any real value into another value within a range of **0 and 1**. The value of the logistic regression must be between 0 and 1, which cannot go beyond this limit, so it forms a curve like the “S” form.
- The S-form curve is called the **Sigmoid function or the logistic function**.
- In logistic regression, we use the concept of the threshold value, which defines the probability of either 0 or 1. Such as values above the threshold value tends to 1, and a value below the threshold values tends to 0.

### How does Logistic Regression work?

The logistic regression model transforms the [linear regression](#) function continuous value output into categorical value output using a sigmoid function, which maps any real-valued set of independent variables input into a value between 0 and 1. This function is known as the logistic function.

Let the independent input features be:

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & \dots & x_{1m} \\ x_{21} & \dots & x_{2m} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_{n1} & \dots & x_{nm} \end{bmatrix}$$

and the dependent variable is Y having only binary value i.e. 0 or 1.

$$Y = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if Class 1} \\ 1 & \text{if Class 2} \end{cases}$$

then, apply the multi-linear function to the input variables X.

$$z = (\sum_{i=1}^m w_i x_i) + b$$

Here  $x_i$  is the  $i$ th observation of

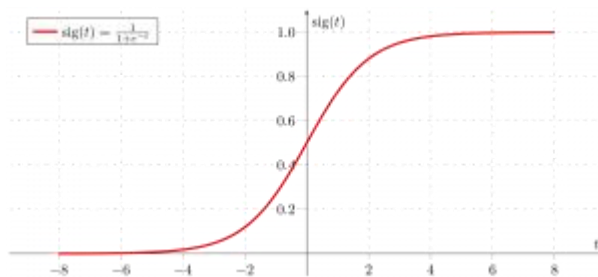
$X$ ,  $w_i = [w_1, w_2, w_3, \dots, w_m]$  is the weights or Coefficient, and  $b$  is the bias term also known as intercept. simply this can be represented as the dot product of weight and bias.

$$z = w \cdot X + b$$

whatever we discussed above is the [linear regression](#).

## Sigmoid Function

Now we use the [sigmoid function](#) where the input will be  $z$  and we find the probability between 0 and 1. i.e. predicted  $y$ .



As shown above, the figure sigmoid function converts the continuous variable data into the [probability](#) i.e. between 0 and 1.

- $\sigma(z)$  tends towards 1 as  $z \rightarrow \infty$
- $\sigma(z)$  tends towards 0 as  $z \rightarrow -\infty$
- $\sigma(z)$  is always bounded between 0 and 1

where the probability of being a class can be measured as:

$$P(y=1) = \sigma(z) \quad P(y=0) = 1 - \sigma(z)$$

## Terminologies involved in Logistic Regression

Here are some common terms involved in logistic regression:

**Independent variables:** The input characteristics or predictor factors applied to the dependent variable's predictions

**Dependent variable:** The target variable in a logistic regression model, which we are trying to predict

**Logistic function:** The formula used to represent how the independent and dependent variables relate to one another. The logistic function transforms the input variables into a probability value between 0 and 1, which represents the likelihood of the dependent variable being 1 or 0.

**Odds:** It is the ratio of something occurring to something not occurring. it is different from probability as the probability is the ratio of something occurring to everything that could possibly occur.

**Log-odds:** The log-odds, also known as the logit function, is the natural logarithm of the odds. In logistic regression, the log odds of the dependent variable are modeled as a linear combination of the independent variables and the intercept.

**Coefficient:** The logistic regression model's estimated parameters, show how the independent and dependent variables relate to one another.

**Intercept:** A constant term in the logistic regression model, which represents the log odds when all independent variables are equal to zero.

CODE:

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import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from sklearn.datasets import load_breast_cancer
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, confusion_matrix, classification_report
from sklearn.decomposition import PCA

# Load dataset
X, y = load_breast_cancer(return_X_y=True)

# Splitting data into train and test sets
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.20, random_state=23)

# Initialize and train the Logistic Regression model
clf = LogisticRegression(max_iter=10000, random_state=0)
clf.fit(X_train, y_train)

# Predictions
y_pred = clf.predict(X_test)
acc = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred) * 100
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# Print accuracy
print(f"Logistic Regression model accuracy (in %): {acc:.2f}%\n")

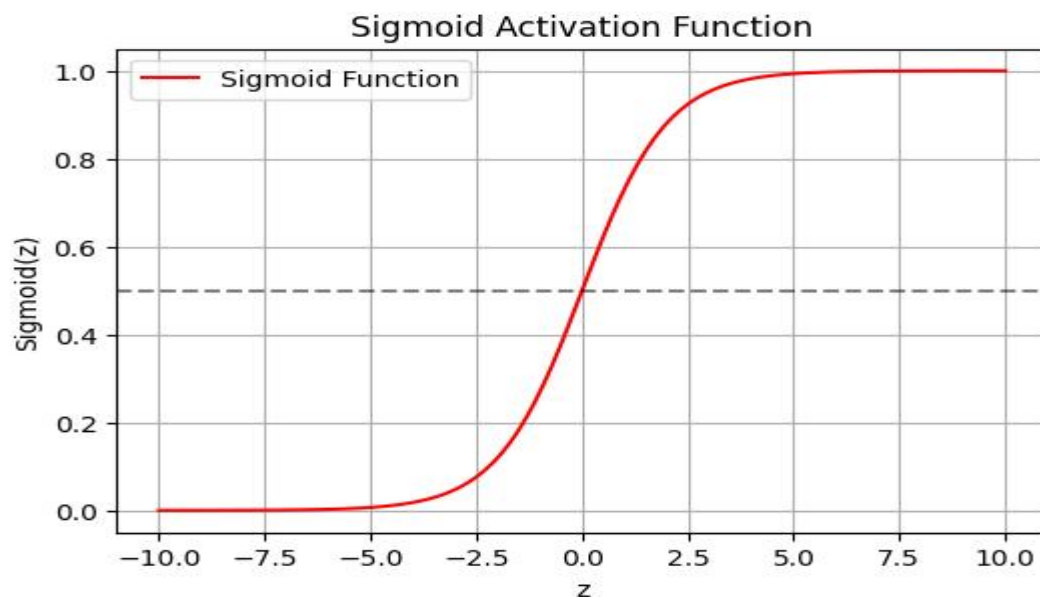
# ----- Visualization 1: Sigmoid Function -----
def sigmoid(z):
    return 1 / (1 + np.exp(-z))

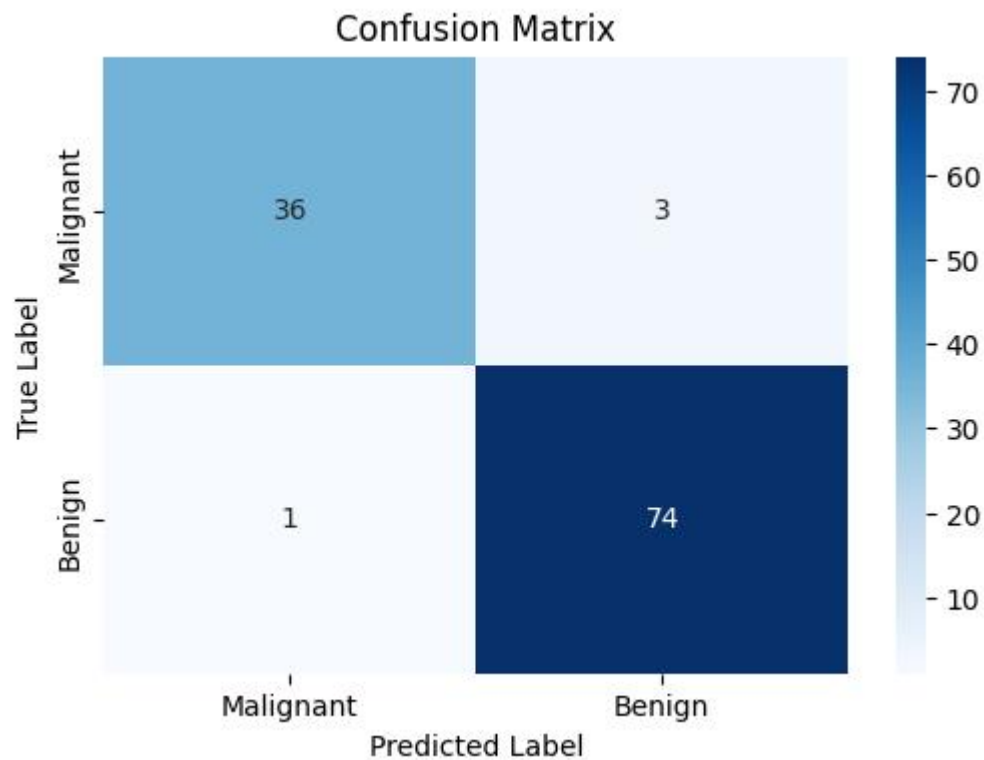
z = np.linspace(-10, 10, 100)
sigmoid_values = sigmoid(z)

plt.figure(figsize=(6, 4))
plt.plot(z, sigmoid_values, label="Sigmoid Function", color="red")
plt.axhline(0.5, linestyle="dashed", color="black", alpha=0.5)
plt.xlabel("z")
plt.ylabel("Sigmoid(z)")
plt.title("Sigmoid Activation Function")
plt.legend()
plt.grid()
plt.show()

# ----- Visualization 2: Confusion Matrix -----
conf_matrix = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
plt.figure(figsize=(6, 4))
sns.heatmap(conf_matrix, annot=True, fmt="d", cmap="Blues", xticklabels=["Malignant",
"Benign"], yticklabels=["Malignant", "Benign"])
plt.xlabel("Predicted Label")
plt.ylabel("True Label")
plt.title("Confusion Matrix")
plt.show()

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### Conclusion:

Successfully implemented the **Logistic Regression Algorithm**, analyzed model accuracy, visualized the sigmoid function, confusion matrix, and decision boundary, gaining practical insights into classification tasks.