

Random variable: $y(x; \theta) \sim \text{Bernoulli}(\phi)$ Prob. of success

$$P(y=1|x;\theta) = \phi, \quad P(y=0|x;\theta) = 1-\phi$$

hypothesis: $h_\theta(x) = \phi$

$$P(y|x;\theta) = \phi^y (1-\phi)^{1-y} = h_\theta(x)^y (1-h_\theta(x))^{1-y}$$

$$\text{likelihood: } L(\theta) = \prod_{j=1}^m P(y^{(j)}|x^{(j)};\theta)$$

$$= \prod_{j=1}^m h_\theta(x^{(j)})^{y^{(j)}} (1-h_\theta(x^{(j)}))^{1-y^{(j)}}$$

$$l(\theta) = \log L(\theta) = \sum_{j=1}^m \log [h_\theta(x^{(j)})^{y^{(j)}} (1-h_\theta(x^{(j)}))^{1-y^{(j)}}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m (y^{(j)} \log(h_\theta(x^{(j)})) + (1-y^{(j)}) \log(1-h_\theta(x^{(j)})))$$

convexity of log likelihood function?

$l(\theta)$ is concave function.

Hence, negative log likelihood function is convex in nature.
 $-l(\theta)$ has only one minimum (global minimum)

use gradient descent and newtons method to optimize to find minimum of $-l(\theta)$.

derivation of $\nabla(-l(\theta))$?

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$$l(\theta) = -l(\theta) = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m y^{(j)} \log(h_{\theta}(x)) + (1-y^{(j)}) \log(1-h_{\theta}(x))$$

$$\frac{\partial l(\theta)}{\partial \theta_i} = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m y^{(j)} \frac{\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_i}(h_{\theta}(x))}{h_{\theta}(x)} + (1-y^{(j)}) \frac{\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_i}(1-h_{\theta}(x))}{(1-h_{\theta}(x))}$$

$$h_{\theta}(x) = g(\theta^T x) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-\theta^T x}}$$

let $u = 1+e^{-\theta^T x}$; $h_{\theta}(x) = \frac{1}{u}$
 $\frac{\partial u}{\partial \theta_i} = -e^{-\theta^T x} \cdot x_i$

$$\frac{\partial h_{\theta}(x)}{\partial \theta_i} = -\frac{1}{u^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial u} h_{\theta}(x) = -\frac{1}{u^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_i} h_{\theta}(x) = -\frac{1}{u^2} \cdot (-e^{-\theta^T x} \cdot x_i)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_i} h_{\theta}(x) &= \frac{e^{-\theta^T x}}{(1+e^{-\theta^T x})^2} \cdot x_i = \frac{1}{(1+e^{-\theta^T x})} \left(1 - \frac{1}{(1+e^{-\theta^T x})} \right) x_i \\ &= g(\theta^T x) (1-g(\theta^T x)) x_i \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{\partial l(\theta)}{\partial \theta_i} = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m y^{(j)} \frac{g(\theta^T x) (1-g(\theta^T x)) x_i}{h_{\theta}(x)} + (1-y^{(j)}) \frac{-(g(\theta^T x) (1-g(\theta^T x)) x_i)}{(1-h_{\theta}(x))}$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m h_{\theta}(x) (1-y^{(j)}) h_{\theta}(x^{(j)}) x_i^{(j)} - y^{(j)} (1-h_{\theta}(x^{(j)})) x_i^{(j)}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial l(\theta)}{\partial \theta_i} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(j)}) - y^{(j)}) x_i^{(j)}}$$

$$\nabla(-l(\theta)) = \frac{1}{m} \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{j=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(j)}) - y^{(j)}) x_0^{(j)} \\ \vdots \\ \sum_{j=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(j)}) - y^{(j)}) x_n^{(j)} \end{bmatrix} \quad (n+1) \times 1$$