

4.3.5 Probit regression

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp -\frac{(x - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}$$

$$\Phi(a) = \int_{-\infty}^a \mathcal{N}(\theta \mid 0, 1) d\theta$$

$$\text{erf}(a) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^a \exp(-\theta^2/2) d\theta$$

$$\Phi(a) = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \text{erf}(a) \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(t \mid \mathbf{x}) &= (1 - \epsilon)\sigma(\mathbf{x}) + \epsilon(1 - \sigma(\mathbf{x})) \\ &= \epsilon + (1 - 2\epsilon)\sigma(\mathbf{x}) \end{aligned}$$

4.3.6 Canonical link functions

$$p(t \mid \eta, s) = \frac{1}{s} h\left(\frac{t}{s}\right) g(\eta) \exp\left\{\frac{\eta t}{s}\right\}$$

$$y \equiv \mathbb{E}[t \mid \eta] = -s \frac{d}{d\eta} \ln g(\eta)$$

$$y = f(\mathbf{w}^T \boldsymbol{\phi})$$

$$\ln p(\mathbf{t} \mid \eta, s) = \sum_{n=1}^N \ln p(t_n \mid \eta, s) = \sum_{n=1}^N \left\{ \ln g(\eta_n) + \frac{\eta_n t_n}{s} \right\} + \text{const}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\nabla_{\mathbf{w}} \ln p(\mathbf{t} \mid \eta, s) &= \sum_{n=1}^N \left\{ \frac{d}{d\eta_n} \ln g(\eta_n) + \frac{t_n}{s} \right\} \frac{d\eta_n}{dy_n} \frac{dy_n}{da_n} \nabla a_n \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{1}{s} \{t_n - y_n\} \psi'(y_n) f'(a_n) \phi_n
\end{aligned}$$

$$f^{-1}(y) = \psi(y)$$

$$\nabla \ln E(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{1}{s} \sum_{n=1}^N \{y_n - t_n\} \phi_n$$

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