

Matrix formulation of baseline category logit model

Consider the i -th subject in the sample ($i=1, \dots, n$).

The response vector is $\mathbf{Y}_i = (Y_{i1}, \dots, Y_{i,J-1})'$, since

$$Y_{iJ} = 1 - \sum_{j=1}^{J-1} Y_{ij} \quad (\text{i.e., } Y_{iJ} \text{ is redundant}).$$

In this case $\mu_i = E(\mathbf{Y}_i) = (\pi_{i1}, \dots, \pi_{i,J-1})'$

and the vector of canonical link functions is

$$\mathbf{g} = (g_1, \dots, g_{J-1})' \quad \text{with}$$

$$g_j(\mu_i) = \log \left(\frac{\mu_{ij}}{\mu_{iJ}} \right) = \log \left(\frac{\mu_{ij}}{1 - \sum_{l=1}^{J-1} \mu_{il}} \right).$$

Thus

$$\mathbf{g}(\mu_i) = \log \begin{pmatrix} \mu_{i1}/\mu_{iJ} \\ \mu_{i2}/\mu_{iJ} \\ \vdots \\ \mu_{i,J-1}/\mu_{iJ} \end{pmatrix} \quad (J-1) \times 1$$

Vector of explanatory variables values for subject i :

$$\mathbf{x}_i = (x_{i1}, \dots, x_{ip}) \leftarrow \text{row vector}$$

Since for the i -th subject we have $J-1$ equations in the model, the model matrix for the i -th subject is:

$$\mathbf{X}_i = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{x}_i & \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0} & \dots & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{x}_i & \mathbf{0} & \dots & \mathbf{0} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \mathbf{0} & \dots & \dots & \dots & \mathbf{x}_i \end{pmatrix} \quad (J-1) \times p \cdot (J-1)$$

where $\mathbf{0} = (\underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_p)$

is a p -dimensional row vector of 0's

The parameter vector is

For $j=1, \dots, J-1$:

$$\beta_j = (\beta_{j1}, \dots, \beta_{jp})'$$

$$\mathbf{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_{J-1} \end{pmatrix} \quad p(J-1) \times 1$$

the parameter vector of the 1st equation ($j=1$ in slide 127)

Finally:

$$g(\mu_i) = \begin{pmatrix} \log(\mu_{i1} / (1 - \sum_{l=1}^{J-1} \mu_{il})) \\ \vdots \\ \log(\mu_{i,J-1} / (1 - \sum_{l=1}^{J-1} \mu_{il})) \end{pmatrix} = X_i \beta = \begin{pmatrix} x_i \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_i \beta_{J-1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \theta_{i1} \\ \vdots \\ \theta_{i,J-1} \end{pmatrix} = \theta_i$$

* In univariate GLMs with canonical link we had:
 $g(\mu_i) = \theta_i$ (s. Definition II.2.14)

Remark: θ_i and consequently μ_i are subject specific, since they depend on the explanatory variables values for subject i (vector x_i). It holds
 $y_i = E(Y_i | x_i)$ and $\mu_i = E(Y_i | x_i)$

Remark 2: The random sample in univariate GLMs is Y_j , $j=1, \dots, n$, which is written in vector form

$$\mathbf{y} = (y_1, \dots, y_n)'$$

In multivariate GLMs the sample is

$$\mathbf{y}_i = (y_{i1}, \dots, y_{iJ-1})', \quad i=1, \dots, n, \text{ and in vector form:}$$

$$\mathbf{y} = (\mathbf{y}_1', \dots, \mathbf{y}_{J-1}')'$$

Analogously, we have

$$\text{univariate GLM: } \boldsymbol{\theta} = (\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)'$$

$$\text{multivariate GLM: } \boldsymbol{\Theta} = (\boldsymbol{\theta}_1', \dots, \boldsymbol{\theta}_i', \dots, \boldsymbol{\theta}_n')'$$

$$\text{with } \boldsymbol{\theta}_i = (\theta_{i1}, \dots, \theta_{iJ-1})'$$

Remark 3 : For inferential purposes compare the log-likelihood function for n indep. responses $y_i \sim \text{EDF}(\theta_i, \phi)$

(s. Slide 38) to the log-likelihood for n

indep. responses $\mathbf{y}_i \sim \text{MEDF}(\boldsymbol{\theta}_i, \phi)$

(s. Definition II.4.8 in Slide 129)

$$l(\boldsymbol{\beta}) = \sum_{i=1}^n l_i = \sum_{i=1}^n \log f(\mathbf{y}_i; \boldsymbol{\theta}_i, \phi) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\mathbf{y}_i' \boldsymbol{\theta}_i - b(\boldsymbol{\theta}_i)}{a(\phi, i)} + \sum_{i=1}^n c(\mathbf{y}_i, \phi)$$