

$$L_X(\theta) = \sum [y_i \log(p_i) + (1-y_i) \log(1-p_i)]$$

$$f(\beta_0, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_{30}) = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(y_i (\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \dots + \beta_{30} x_{i30}) - \log(1 + e^{(\beta_0 + \dots + \beta_{30} x_i)}) \right)$$

$$\nabla f(\beta_0, \dots, \beta_{30}) = \begin{pmatrix} \sum y_i - p_i \\ \sum_{i=1}^n x_{i1} (y_i - p_i) \\ \vdots \\ \sum_{i=1}^n x_{i30} (y_i - p_i) \end{pmatrix} = \sum x_i (y_i - p_i) = X^T (y - p)$$

$$\nabla^2 f(\beta_0, \dots, \beta_{30}) = - \sum_i \pi_i (1 - \pi_i) x_i x_i^T$$

$$= -X^T \text{diag}(\pi_i (1 - \pi_i)) X = -X^T W X$$

$$\text{where } \pi_i = \text{sigm}(x_i, \theta)$$

$$\beta_{\text{new}} = \beta_{\text{old}} - \frac{\nabla f}{\nabla^2 f}$$

X: 455x3 (fixed)

p: 455x1 (updated)

y: 455x1 (fixed)

Logistic Newton Raphson Full Model

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```
cancer_df <- read.csv("~/Downloads/breast-cancer.csv") %>% janitor::clean_names()
```

```
data <-  
  cancer_df %>% dplyr::select(-id, -x) %>%  
  mutate(diagnosis = ifelse(diagnosis == "M", 1, 0)) %>% distinct()  
  
set.seed(7777)  
split <- initial_split(data, prop = 0.8)  
  
training_df <- split %>% training()  
  
testing_df <- split %>% testing()
```

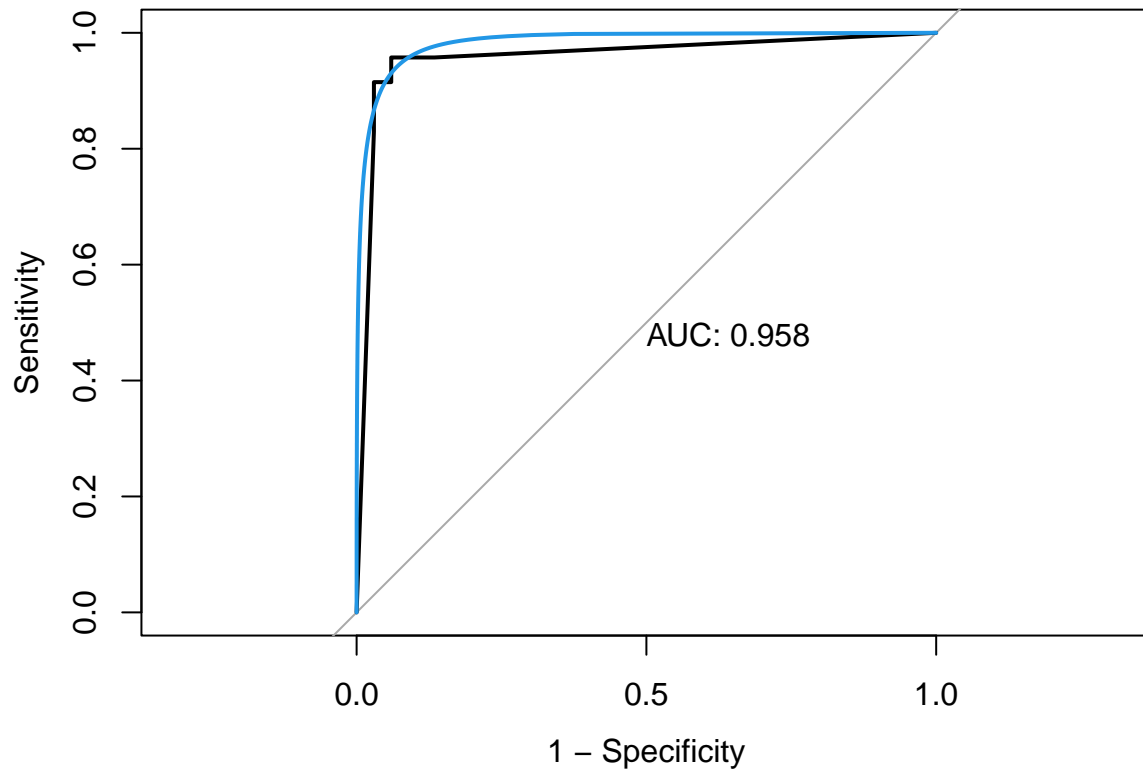
```
training_df_5p <- training_df %>% dplyr::select(1:5)  
training_df_31p <- training_df
```

```
model_5p <- glm(diagnosis ~ ., data = training_df_5p, family = "binomial")  
model_31p <- glm(diagnosis ~ ., data = training_df_31p, family = "binomial")
```

```
beta1 <- model_5p$coefficients %>% round(digits = 3) %>% broom::tidy()
```

```
beta2 <- model_31p$coefficients %>% round(digits = 3) %>% broom::tidy()
```

```
test_pred_prob <- predict(model_31p, testing_df, type = "response")  
roc.glm <- roc(testing_df$diagnosis, test_pred_prob)  
plot(roc.glm, legacy.axes = TRUE, print.auc = TRUE)  
plot(smooth(roc.glm), col = 4, add = TRUE)
```



Function for log likelihood, gradient, and Hessian

```
logisticstuff <- function(X, y, beta) {
  p <- exp(X %*% beta) / (1+ exp(X %*% beta)) %>% as.vector()
  for (i in 1:length(p)) {
    if (p[i] == 1) {
      p[i] <- 1-1e-8
    }
  }
  loglik <- t(y) %*% log(p) + t(1-y) %*% log(1-p)
  grad <- t(X) %*% (y-p)
  W <- diag(c(p*(1-p)))
  Hess <- -t(X) %*% W %*% X
  return(list(loglik = loglik, grad = grad, Hess = Hess))
}
```

Newton Raphson with 5 parameters

```
X <- model.matrix(diagnosis~., training_df_5p)
y <- as.matrix(training_df$diagnosis)

NewtonRaphson <- function(X, y, logit_func, start, tol=1e-10, maxiter = 200) {
  i <- 0
  cur_beta <- start
  stuff <- logit_func(X, y, cur_beta)
  asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %*% solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad
  res <- c(i, stuff$loglik, asc_dir_check, cur_beta)
  prevloglik <- -Inf # To make sure it iterates

  while (i < maxiter && abs(stuff$loglik - prevloglik) > tol) {
    i <- i + 1
    prevloglik <- stuff$loglik
    prev_beta <- cur_beta
    cur_beta <- prev_beta - (solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad) #update beta
    stuff <- logit_func(X, y, cur_beta) #update log likelihood, gradient, Hessia
    asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %*% solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad
    res <- rbind(res, c(i, stuff$loglik, asc_dir_check, cur_beta))
    colnames(res) <- c("Number of trial", "Log_likelihood", "asc_dir_check", paste0("Beta", 0:4))
  }
  return(res)
}

coef <- rep(0, ncol(X)) # Randomly assigned coefficients (starting point)

ans <- NewtonRaphson(X, y, logisticstuff, coef) %>% data.frame() %>% `rownames<-`( NULL )
ans %>% kbl(caption = "Newton Raphson result with 5 parameters") %>%
  kable_styling(font_size = 8, latex_options = "HOLD_position")
```

Table 1: Newton Raphson result with 5 parameters

| Number.of.trial | Log_likelihood | asc_dir_check | Beta0 | Beta1 | Beta2 | Beta3 | Beta4 |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| 0 | -315.38197 | 297.4027390 | 0.0000000 | 0.000000 | 0.0000000 | 0.0000000 | 0.0000000 |
| 1 | -141.92524 | 64.4620788 | -8.2741164 | -1.259642 | 0.0795466 | 0.2861187 | -0.0034815 |
| 2 | -100.99962 | 25.2067494 | -12.8134881 | -2.880231 | 0.1358457 | 0.5775260 | -0.0044236 |
| 3 | -85.08700 | 9.5366502 | -13.7360236 | -4.995863 | 0.1916826 | 0.8709006 | -0.0001595 |
| 4 | -79.07361 | 3.3687360 | -8.6473294 | -7.581528 | 0.2344300 | 1.1188065 | 0.0123355 |
| 5 | -77.06852 | 0.4321716 | -0.2645781 | -10.005234 | 0.2577985 | 1.2831011 | 0.0289108 |
| 6 | -76.83723 | 0.0057185 | 2.8702542 | -10.980122 | 0.2685915 | 1.3503646 | 0.0357635 |
| 7 | -76.83435 | 0.0000010 | 3.1959332 | -11.094010 | 0.2700253 | 1.3588134 | 0.0365377 |
| 8 | -76.83435 | 0.0000000 | 3.2001911 | -11.095519 | 0.2700442 | 1.3589267 | 0.0365478 |
| 9 | -76.83435 | 0.0000000 | 3.2001918 | -11.095520 | 0.2700442 | 1.3589267 | 0.0365478 |

Fitted glm model Beta0: -3.2 , Beta1: -11.096 , Beta2: 0.27 , Beta3: 1.359 , Beta4: 0.037

Newton Raphson with all 31 parameters

```
logisticstuff <- function(X, y, beta) {
  p <- exp(X%%beta) / (1 + exp(X%%beta)) %>% as.vector()
  for (i in 1:length(p)) {
    if (p[i] == 1) {
      p[i] <- 1-2e-8
    }
  }
  loglik <- t(y) %%% log(p) + t(1-y) %%% log(1-p)
  grad <- t(X) %%% (y-p)
  W <- diag(c(p*(1-p)))
  Hess <- -t(X) %%% W %%% X
  return(list(loglik = loglik, grad = grad, Hess = Hess))
}

X <- model.matrix(diagnosis~., training_df_31p)
y <- as.matrix(training_df$diagnosis)

NewtonRaphson <- function(X, y, logit_func, start, tol=1e-10, maxiter = 43) {
  i <- 0
  cur_beta <- start
  stuff <- logit_func(X, y, cur_beta)
  asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %%% solve(stuff$Hess) %%% stuff$grad
  res <- c(i, stuff$loglik, asc_dir_check, cur_beta)
  prevloglik <- -Inf # To make sure it iterates

  while (i < maxiter && abs(stuff$loglik - prevloglik) > tol) {
    i <- i + 1
    prevloglik <- stuff$loglik
    prev_beta <- cur_beta
    cur_beta <- prev_beta - (solve(stuff$Hess) %%% stuff$grad) #update beta
    stuff <- logit_func(X, y, cur_beta) #update log likelihood, gradient, Hessia
    asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %%% solve(stuff$Hess) %%% stuff$grad
    res <- rbind(res, c(i, stuff$loglik, asc_dir_check, cur_beta))
    colnames(res) <- c("Number_of_trial", "Log_likelihood", "asc_dir_check", paste0("Beta", 0:30))
  }
  return(res)
}

coef <- rep(0, ncol(X)) # Randomly assigned coefficients (starting point)
ans <- NewtonRaphson(X, y, logisticstuff, coef) %>% data.frame() %>% `rownames<-`( NULL )
ans %>% kbl(caption = "Newton Raphson result with 31 parameters") %>%
  kable_styling(font_size = 8, latex_options = "HOLD_position")
```

Table 2: Newton Raphson result with 31 parameters

| Number_of_trial | Log_likelihood | asc_dir_check | Beta0 | Beta1 | Beta2 | Beta3 | Beta4 | Beta5 |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 0 | -315.3819672 | 363.3863080 | 0.00000 | 0.0000000 | 0.0000000 | 0.0000000 | 0.0000000 | 0.00000 |
| 1 | -105.0649679 | 72.6858805 | -10.22033 | -0.9360000 | 0.0252396 | 0.0861849 | 0.0023765 | 3.64103 |
| 2 | -58.3133087 | 34.7575625 | -17.49844 | -0.9011090 | 0.0147350 | 0.0982375 | 0.0023645 | 11.36727 |
| 3 | -35.6372927 | 18.8281790 | -25.45537 | -0.9217526 | -0.0361649 | 0.1557306 | 0.0014547 | 19.33863 |
| 4 | -23.2348067 | 12.0995319 | -36.38389 | -1.3710840 | -0.0871143 | 0.2339244 | 0.0016870 | 24.70603 |
| 5 | -15.0488775 | 10.0318418 | -56.77922 | -1.9465817 | -0.0753320 | 0.2490561 | 0.0028944 | 44.85133 |
| 6 | -8.2985550 | 7.2261060 | -91.13019 | -3.8130106 | 0.0045095 | 0.2249788 | 0.0152424 | 101.57375 |
| 7 | -3.6072702 | 3.4217703 | -143.73478 | -6.9205335 | 0.1232558 | 0.3089762 | 0.0326358 | 173.14779 |
| 8 | -1.4255469 | 1.3794906 | -204.19664 | -10.2275614 | 0.1985325 | 0.4651119 | 0.0466945 | 268.69662 |
| 9 | -0.5489105 | 0.5370347 | -265.83920 | -14.7424919 | 0.2491523 | 0.7565496 | 0.0641260 | 380.75184 |
| 10 | -0.2081442 | 0.2050172 | -327.39849 | -20.8328954 | 0.2917701 | 1.1944761 | 0.0883038 | 507.67285 |
| 11 | -0.0781367 | 0.0769959 | -387.87498 | -28.5404951 | 0.3403048 | 1.7432844 | 0.1223028 | 643.62385 |
| 12 | -0.0292694 | 0.0285672 | -448.15400 | -37.3858578 | 0.4003243 | 2.3821901 | 0.1625516 | 781.60031 |
| 13 | -0.0110700 | 0.0105491 | -511.49230 | -47.1248196 | 0.4628012 | 3.2150915 | 0.1999765 | 924.99196 |
| 14 | -0.0042974 | 0.0039108 | -581.39421 | -58.5908834 | 0.5219444 | 4.4926386 | 0.2274242 | 1080.59892 |
| 15 | -0.0017537 | 0.0014675 | -659.95049 | -71.8607992 | 0.5704151 | 6.3975175 | 0.2331574 | 1235.62022 |
| 16 | -0.0007773 | 0.0005637 | -743.86695 | -84.8716500 | 0.5851627 | 8.7517464 | 0.2063349 | 1360.26572 |
| 17 | -0.0003896 | 0.0002290 | -825.33800 | -96.1825906 | 0.5380378 | 11.2189731 | 0.1563408 | 1449.67579 |
| 18 | -0.0002265 | 0.0001058 | -894.49775 | -104.8654488 | 0.4549612 | 13.2799599 | 0.1084977 | 1515.13021 |
| 19 | -0.0001500 | 0.0000577 | -948.24398 | -111.1803630 | 0.3844162 | 14.8097315 | 0.0717586 | 1564.34692 |
| 20 | -0.0001088 | 0.0000362 | -989.42316 | -115.9561635 | 0.3380406 | 15.9423143 | 0.0450139 | 1601.37158 |
| 21 | -0.0000838 | 0.0000251 | -1021.77072 | -119.7020744 | 0.3101736 | 16.8003212 | 0.0254486 | 1629.61455 |
| 22 | -0.0000673 | 0.0000187 | -1048.12706 | -122.7243020 | 0.2944686 | 17.4688006 | 0.0107932 | 1651.59365 |
| 23 | -0.0000557 | 0.0000147 | -1070.34397 | -125.2189261 | 0.2862967 | 18.0036925 | -0.0004920 | 1669.30957 |
| 24 | -0.0000471 | 0.0000120 | -1089.57958 | -127.3208215 | 0.2827493 | 18.4417318 | -0.0093852 | 1684.14261 |
| 25 | -0.0000405 | 0.0000101 | -1106.57767 | -129.1241741 | 0.2821007 | 18.8073906 | -0.0165144 | 1696.96844 |
| 26 | -0.0000353 | 0.0000087 | -1121.84171 | -130.6944755 | 0.2833342 | 19.1173456 | -0.0223029 | 1708.34483 |
| 27 | -0.0000311 | 0.0000077 | -1135.72707 | -132.0787108 | 0.2858292 | 19.3833668 | -0.0270463 | 1718.63472 |
| 28 | -0.0000277 | 0.0000069 | -1148.49342 | -133.3115746 | 0.2891929 | 19.6140282 | -0.0309581 | 1728.08208 |
| 29 | -0.0000249 | 0.0000062 | -1160.33592 | -134.4193253 | 0.2931695 | 19.8157464 | -0.0341966 | 1736.85646 |
| 30 | -0.0000225 | 0.0000057 | -1171.40474 | -135.4222510 | 0.2975886 | 19.9934334 | -0.0368822 | 1745.07935 |
| 31 | -0.0000204 | 0.0000053 | -1181.88530 | -136.3696944 | 0.3029300 | 20.1582094 | -0.0392283 | 1752.73140 |
| 32 | -0.0000187 | 0.0000050 | -1191.80581 | -137.2400652 | 0.3081387 | 20.3055441 | -0.0411818 | 1760.10577 |
| 33 | -0.0000171 | 0.0000047 | -1201.23849 | -138.0441882 | 0.3134401 | 20.4380993 | -0.0428086 | 1767.14707 |
| 34 | -0.0000158 | 0.0000044 | -1210.24761 | -138.7906760 | 0.3188614 | 20.5579467 | -0.0441587 | 1773.88132 |
| 35 | -0.0000146 | 0.0000042 | -1218.88663 | -139.4865934 | 0.3243979 | 20.6667661 | -0.0452721 | 1780.34116 |
| 36 | -0.0000136 | 0.0000040 | -1227.20008 | -140.1378168 | 0.3300422 | 20.7659482 | -0.0461820 | 1786.55470 |
| 37 | -0.0000127 | 0.0000039 | -1235.22547 | -140.7492787 | 0.3357891 | 20.8566603 | -0.0469160 | 1792.54497 |
| 38 | -0.0000119 | 0.0000037 | -1243.04230 | -141.3264902 | 0.3406743 | 20.9406962 | -0.0475476 | 1798.31437 |
| 39 | -0.0000111 | 0.0000036 | -1250.61131 | -141.8726644 | 0.3461432 | 21.0181468 | -0.0480439 | 1803.88539 |
| 40 | -0.0000105 | 0.0000035 | -1257.96833 | -142.3895255 | 0.3518382 | 21.0896134 | -0.0484238 | 1809.28189 |
| 41 | -0.0000099 | 0.0000034 | -1265.13967 | -142.8796968 | 0.3576664 | 21.1557643 | -0.0487040 | 1814.51722 |
| 42 | -0.0000093 | 0.0000033 | -1272.14572 | -143.3456263 | 0.3636008 | 21.2171900 | -0.0488987 | 1819.60084 |
| 43 | -0.0000089 | 0.0000032 | -1279.00343 | -143.7894612 | 0.3696339 | 21.2744032 | -0.0490201 | 1824.54059 |

Table 3: Failed Newton Rapshon for 31 parameters

| Result | values |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| Number_of_trial | 42 |
| Log_likelihood | -0.000009341111 |
| asc_dir_check | 0.000003304651 |
| Beta0 | -1272.146 |
| Beta1 | -143.3456 |
| Beta2 | 0.3636008 |
| Beta3 | 21.21719 |
| Beta4 | -0.04889868 |
| Beta5 | 1819.601 |
| Beta6 | -1630.311 |
| Beta7 | 929.9978 |
| Beta8 | 342.2007 |
| Beta9 | -442.6396 |
| Beta10 | 2262.871 |
| Beta11 | -28.39532 |
| Beta12 | -22.86274 |
| Beta13 | -3.83439 |
| Beta14 | 2.290926 |
| Beta15 | 12389.41 |
| Beta16 | 5063.34 |
| Beta17 | -1606.132 |
| Beta18 | 471.5062 |
| Beta19 | -5288.991 |
| Beta20 | -45056.05 |
| Beta21 | 121.76 |
| Beta22 | 5.032851 |
| Beta23 | -5.146386 |
| Beta24 | -0.7058646 |
| Beta25 | -923.8527 |
| Beta26 | -379.2067 |
| Beta27 | 124.5956 |
| Beta28 | 502.6894 |
| Beta29 | 703.1726 |
| Beta30 | 2613.257 |

Table 4: Fitted glm model coefficients of 31 parameters

| names | x |
|-------------------------|------------|
| (Intercept) | -1293.417 |
| radius_mean | -172.482 |
| texture_mean | 1.066 |
| perimeter_mean | 13.475 |
| area_mean | 0.718 |
| smoothness_mean | 2785.956 |
| compactness_mean | -1775.940 |
| concavity_mean | 1424.757 |
| concave_points_mean | 473.400 |
| symmetry_mean | -345.545 |
| fractal_dimension_mean | 3672.362 |
| radius_se | -254.806 |
| texture_se | -42.316 |
| perimeter_se | -7.104 |
| area_se | 4.773 |
| smoothness_se | 15391.485 |
| compactness_se | 5711.477 |
| concavity_se | -2162.101 |
| concave_points_se | 4968.934 |
| symmetry_se | -7212.775 |
| fractal_dimension_se | -55050.387 |
| radius_worst | 178.104 |
| texture_worst | 6.587 |
| perimeter_worst | -6.294 |
| area_worst | -1.114 |
| smoothness_worst | -1623.965 |
| compactness_worst | -402.553 |
| concavity_worst | 160.429 |
| concave_points_worst | 134.278 |
| symmetry_worst | 875.003 |
| fractal_dimension_worst | 3118.667 |

Modified Newton Raphson with 5 number of parameters

```
logisticstuff <- function(X, y, beta) {
  p <- exp(X%%beta) / (1+ exp(X%%beta)) %>% as.vector()
  for (i in 1:length(p)) {
    if (p[i] == 1) {
      p[i] <- 1-1e-8
    }
  }
  loglik <- t(y) %*% log(p) + t(1-y) %*% log(1-p)
  grad <- t(X) %*% (y-p)
  W <- diag(c(p*(1-p)))
  Hess <- -t(X) %*% W %*% X
  return(list(loglik = loglik, grad = grad, Hess = Hess))
}

X <- model.matrix(diagnosis~., training_df_5p)
y <- as.matrix(training_df$diagnosis)

NewtonRaphson_mod <- function(X, y, logit_func, start, tol=1e-10, maxiter = 200) {
  i <- 0
  cur_beta <- start
  stuff <- logit_func(X, y, cur_beta)
  asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %*% solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad
  lambda <- 1 #initial random lambda
  res <- c(i, stuff$loglik, asc_dir_check, cur_beta)
  prevloglik <- -Inf # To make sure it iterates

  while (i < maxiter && abs(stuff$loglik - prevloglik) > tol) {
    i <- i + 1
    prev_beta <- cur_beta

    #checking if direction is ascent. If not, transform Hessian into negative definite.
    if (asc_dir_check < 0) {
      stuff$Hess = stuff$Hess - (max(stuff$Hess) + 5)
      prev_beta <- prev_beta - lambda * (solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad)
      stuff <- logit_func(X, y, prev_beta)
      prevloglik <- stuff$loglik
    }

    else {
      prev_beta <- prev_beta - lambda * (solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad)
      stuff <- logit_func(X, y, prev_beta)
      prevloglik <- stuff$loglik
    }

    cur2_beta <- prev_beta - lambda * (solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad)
    stuff2 <- logit_func(X, y, cur2_beta)

    #condition check before step halving process
    if (stuff2$loglik > prevloglik) {
      cur_beta = cur2_beta
      stuff = stuff2
    }
  }
}
```



```

      asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %*% solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad
    }

    #step halving process
    else {
      repeat {
        lambda = lambda/2
        cur_beta = prev_beta - lambda * (solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad)
        stuff <- logit_func(X, y, cur_beta)
        if (stuff$loglik > prevloglik) {
          cur_beta = cur_beta
          stuff = stuff
          asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %*% solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad
        }
        break}
      }

      res <- rbind(res, c(i, stuff$loglik, asc_dir_check, cur_beta))
      colnames(res) <- c("Number of trial", "Log_likelihood", "asc_dir_check", paste0("Beta", 0:4))
    }
  }
  return(res)
}

coef <- rep(0,ncol(X)) # Randomly assigned coefficients (starting point)

ans <- NewtonRaphson_mod(X, y, logisticstuff, coef) %>% data.frame() %>% `rownames<-`( NULL )
ans %>% kbl(caption = "Newton Raphson result with 5 parameters") %>%
  kable_styling(font_size = 8, latex_options = "HOLD_position")

```

Table 5: Newton Raphson result with 5 parameters

| Number.of.trial | Log_likelihood | asc_dir_check | Beta0 | Beta1 | Beta2 | Beta3 | Beta4 |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------|------------|------------|-----------|----------|------------|
| 0 | -315.38197 | 297.4027390 | 0.000000 | 0.000000 | 0.0000000 | 0.000000 | 0.0000000 |
| 1 | -100.99962 | 25.2067494 | -12.813488 | -2.880231 | 0.1358457 | 0.577526 | -0.0044236 |
| 2 | -79.07361 | 3.3687360 | -8.647329 | -7.581528 | 0.2344300 | 1.118807 | 0.0123355 |
| 3 | -76.83723 | 0.0057185 | 2.870254 | -10.980122 | 0.2685915 | 1.350365 | 0.0357635 |
| 4 | -76.83435 | 0.0000000 | 3.200191 | -11.095519 | 0.2700442 | 1.358927 | 0.0365478 |
| 5 | -76.83435 | 0.0000000 | 3.200192 | -11.095520 | 0.2700442 | 1.358927 | 0.0365478 |

Modified Newton Raphson with all 31 parameters

```

logisticstuff <- function(X, y, beta) {
  p <- exp(X%*%beta) / (1 + exp(X%*%beta)) %>% as.vector()
  for (i in 1:length(p)) {
    if (p[i] == 1) {
      p[i] <- 1-2e-8
    }
  }
  loglik <- t(y) %*% log(p) + t(1-y) %*% log(1-p)
  grad <- t(X) %*% (y-p)
  W <- diag(c(p*(1-p)))
  Hess <- -t(X) %*% W %*% X
}

```

```

return(list(loglik = loglik, grad = grad, Hess = Hess))
}

X <- model.matrix(diagnosis~., training_df_31p)
y <- as.matrix(training_df$diagnosis)

NewtonRaphson_mod <- function(X, y, logit_func, start, tol=1e-10, maxiter = 21) {
  i <- 0
  cur_beta <- start
  stuff <- logit_func(X, y, cur_beta)
  asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %*% solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad
  res <- c(i, stuff$loglik, asc_dir_check, cur_beta)
  prevloglik <- -Inf # To make sure it iterates
  lambda <- 1 #initial random lambda

  while (i < maxiter && abs(stuff$loglik - prevloglik) > tol) {
    i <- i + 1
    prev_beta <- cur_beta

    #checking if direction is ascent. If not, transform Hessian into negative definite.
    if (asc_dir_check < 0) {
      stuff$Hess = stuff$Hess - (max(stuff$Hess) + 5)
      prev_beta <- prev_beta - lambda * (solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad)
      stuff <- logit_func(X, y, prev_beta)
      prevloglik <- stuff$loglik
    }

    else {
      prev_beta <- prev_beta - lambda * (solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad)
      stuff <- logit_func(X, y, prev_beta)
      prevloglik <- stuff$loglik
    }

    cur2_beta <- prev_beta - lambda * (solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad)
    stuff2 <- logit_func(X, y, cur2_beta)

    #condition check before step halving process
    if (stuff2$loglik > prevloglik) {
      cur_beta = cur2_beta
      stuff = stuff2
      asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %*% solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad
    }

    #step halving process
    else {
      repeat {
        lambda = lambda/2
        cur_beta = prev_beta - lambda * (solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad)
        stuff <- logit_func(X, y, cur_beta)
        if (stuff$loglik > prevloglik) {
          cur_beta = cur_beta
          stuff = stuff
          asc_dir_check <- -t(stuff$grad) %*% solve(stuff$Hess) %*% stuff$grad

```

```

    }
    break}
  }
  res <- rbind(res, c(i, stuff$loglik, asc_dir_check, cur_beta))
  colnames(res) <- c("Number of trial", "Log_likelihood", "asc_dir_check", paste0("Beta", 0:30))
}
return(res)
}

coef <- rep(0,ncol(X)) # Randomly assigned coefficients (starting point)

ans <- NewtonRaphson_mod(X, y, logisticstuff, coef) %>% data.frame() %>% `rownames<-`( NULL )
ans %>% kbl(caption = "Newton Raphson result with 5 parameters") %>%
  kable_styling(font_size = 8, latex_options = "HOLD_position")

```

Table 6: Newton Raphson result with 5 parameters

| Number.of.trial | Log_likelihood | asc_dir_check | Beta0 | Beta1 | Beta2 | Beta3 | Beta4 | Beta5 | |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----|
| 0 | -315.3819672 | 363.3863080 | 0.00000 | 0.000000 | 0.0000000 | 0.0000000 | 0.0000000 | 0.00000 | |
| 1 | -58.3133087 | 34.7575625 | -17.49844 | -0.901109 | 0.0147350 | 0.0982375 | 0.0023645 | 11.36727 | - |
| 2 | -23.2348067 | 12.0995319 | -36.38389 | -1.371084 | -0.0871143 | 0.2339244 | 0.0016870 | 24.70603 | - |
| 3 | -8.2985550 | 7.2261060 | -91.13019 | -3.813011 | 0.0045095 | 0.2249788 | 0.0152424 | 101.57375 | - |
| 4 | -1.4255469 | 1.3794906 | -204.19664 | -10.227561 | 0.1985325 | 0.4651119 | 0.0466945 | 268.69662 | -2 |
| 5 | -0.2081442 | 0.2050172 | -327.39849 | -20.832895 | 0.2917701 | 1.1944761 | 0.0883038 | 507.67285 | -3 |
| 6 | -0.0292694 | 0.0285672 | -448.15400 | -37.385858 | 0.4003243 | 2.3821901 | 0.1625516 | 781.60031 | -5 |
| 7 | -0.0042974 | 0.0039108 | -581.39421 | -58.590883 | 0.5219444 | 4.4926386 | 0.2274242 | 1080.59892 | -7 |
| 8 | -0.0007773 | 0.0005637 | -743.86695 | -84.871650 | 0.5851627 | 8.7517464 | 0.2063349 | 1360.26572 | -9 |
| 9 | -0.0002265 | 0.0001058 | -894.49775 | -104.865449 | 0.4549612 | 13.2799599 | 0.1084977 | 1515.13021 | -11 |
| 10 | -0.0001088 | 0.0000362 | -989.42316 | -115.956164 | 0.3380406 | 15.9423143 | 0.0450139 | 1601.37158 | -12 |
| 11 | -0.0000673 | 0.0000187 | -1048.12706 | -122.724302 | 0.2944686 | 17.4688006 | 0.0107932 | 1651.59365 | -13 |
| 12 | -0.0000471 | 0.0000120 | -1089.57958 | -127.320821 | 0.2827493 | 18.4417318 | -0.0093852 | 1684.14261 | -14 |
| 13 | -0.0000353 | 0.0000087 | -1121.84171 | -130.694476 | 0.2833342 | 19.1173456 | -0.0223029 | 1708.34483 | -14 |
| 14 | -0.0000277 | 0.0000069 | -1148.49342 | -133.311575 | 0.2891929 | 19.6140282 | -0.0309581 | 1728.08208 | -14 |
| 15 | -0.0000225 | 0.0000057 | -1171.40474 | -135.422251 | 0.2975886 | 19.9934334 | -0.0368822 | 1745.07935 | -15 |
| 16 | -0.0000187 | 0.0000050 | -1191.80581 | -137.240065 | 0.3081387 | 20.3055441 | -0.0411818 | 1760.10577 | -15 |
| 17 | -0.0000158 | 0.0000044 | -1210.24761 | -138.790676 | 0.3188614 | 20.5579467 | -0.0441587 | 1773.88132 | -15 |
| 18 | -0.0000136 | 0.0000040 | -1227.20008 | -140.137817 | 0.3300422 | 20.7659482 | -0.0461820 | 1786.55470 | -15 |
| 19 | -0.0000119 | 0.0000037 | -1243.04230 | -141.326490 | 0.3406743 | 20.9406962 | -0.0475476 | 1798.31437 | -15 |
| 20 | -0.0000105 | 0.0000035 | -1257.96833 | -142.389525 | 0.3518382 | 21.0896134 | -0.0484238 | 1809.28189 | -16 |
| 21 | -0.0000093 | 0.0000033 | -1272.14572 | -143.345626 | 0.3636008 | 21.2171900 | -0.0488987 | 1819.60084 | -16 |

Conundrum:

It is to be observed most of the absolute values of β_i continue to increase as Newton Raphson algorithm proceeds. This causes some of the elements in p vector to be very close to 1, leading some of the elements in $\log(1-p)$ vector to be negative infinity and hence the next log likelihood to diverge to negative infinity. As a result, Newton Raphson algorithm cannot go further till its convergence of maximum likelihood estimation.

Proof for why Newton Raphson algorithm cannot reach convergence

```

glm_model_beta_vector <- beta2[2] %>% pull()

p <- exp(X %*% glm_model_beta_vector) / (1 + exp(X %*% glm_model_beta_vector))

```

```
which(p == 1)
```

```
##      [1]   3  15  19  21  25  26  29  30  33  37  38  39  41  42  44  45  48  52
##    [19]  58  60  62  68  70  71  72  76  84  88  92  95  97  99 100 103 104 107
##   [37] 108 109 110 111 113 117 119 121 122 128 129 133 138 139 141 146 150 153
##   [55] 161 169 171 185 186 188 190 196 197 198 199 201 202 204 206 210 222 224
##   [73] 227 239 244 260 261 263 265 266 268 270 271 274 277 281 285 287 288 289
##   [91] 290 294 296 300 305 307 309 325 327 328 331 334 335 339 343 345 348 352
##  [109] 356 361 368 371 373 374 375 381 383 387 389 391 392 394 398 399 402 403
## [127] 406 411 412 418 421 423 426 429 430 432 437 438 439 441 444 453 455
```

```
log_likelihood <- t(y) %*% log(p) + t(1-y) %*% log(1-p)
```

```
log_likelihood
```

```
##      [,1]
## [1,]  NaN
```