

Assignment 33

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$$y = \frac{1}{1 + e^{ax+b}}$$
$$\frac{1}{y} = 1 + e^{ax+b}$$
$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{y} - 1\right) = ax + b$$

The we take the data points and plug them in.

$$[(1, 0.2), (2, 0.25), (3, 0.5)]$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{.2} - 1\right) = a(1) + b$$

$$\ln(4) = a + b$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{.25} - 1\right) = a(2) + b$$

$$\ln(3) = 2a + b$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{.5} - 1\right) = a(1) + b$$

$$\ln(1) = 3a + b$$

$$0 = 3a + b$$

We then turn this system of equations into a matrix equation

$$\begin{bmatrix} \ln(4) \\ \ln(2) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

In order to solve for a and b we convert this to the form

$$\frac{1}{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \ln(4) \\ \ln(2) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \left[\begin{array}{c} \frac{-\ln(4)}{2} \\ \frac{3\ln(3)}{3} + \frac{4\ln(4)}{3} \end{array} \right] = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.693 \\ 2.215 \end{bmatrix}$$

therefore

$$y = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-0.693x + 2.215}}$$

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1.

$$E[aX] = aE[X]$$

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2.

$$\text{Var}[X] = E[X^2] - E[X]^2$$

$$\text{Var}[X] = E[(X - E[X])^2]$$

$$= E[X^2 - 2XE[X] + E[X]^2]$$

$$= E[X^2] - E[2XE[X]] + E[E[X]^2]$$

Since $E[X]$ is a constant, we can pull it out

$$= E[X^2] - 2E[X]E[X] + E[X]^2$$

$$= E[X^2] - E[X]^2$$