

Notes for laboratory session 10

Logistic regression analysis

Use the contraceptive use dataset and repeat the logistic regression analysis of the two-factor (“more”, “age”) additive model:

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. char more[omit] 0

. xi: logit cuse i.more i.age [freq=N], nolog
i.more          Imore_0-1      (naturally coded; Imore_0 omitted)
i.age           Iage_1-4       (naturally coded; Iage_1 omitted)

Logit estimates                                     Number of obs   =       1607
                                                    LR chi2(4)      =       128.88
                                                    Prob > chi2     =       0.0000
Log likelihood = -937.40449                          Pseudo R2      =       0.0643

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      cuse |          Coef.   Std. Err.      z    P>|z|     [95% Conf. Interval]
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  Imore_1 |   -.824092     .1171128    -7.037  0.000    -1.053629   -.5945552
  Iage_2  |   .3678306     .1753673     2.097  0.036     .024117    .7115443
  Iage_3  |   .8077888     .1597533     5.056  0.000     .494678    1.1209
  Iage_4  |   1.022618     .2039337     5.014  0.000     .6229158   1.422321
   _cons |  -.8698414     .1571298    -5.536  0.000    -1.17781   -.5618727
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Analysis as an ordinal logistic regression

Now use the ordinal logistic regression approach to fit the same model.

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. xi: ologit cuse i.more i.age [freq=N], nolog table
i.more          Imore_0-1      (naturally coded; Imore_0 omitted)
i.age           Iage_1-4       (naturally coded; Iage_1 omitted)

Ordered logit estimates                             Number of obs   =       1607
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  _cut1  |   .8698414     .1571298                                (Ancillary parameter)
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      cuse |          Probability              Observed
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      No  | Pr(          xb+u<_cut1)          0.6845
      Yes | Pr(_cut1<xb+u)                    0.3155

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a) Compare the coefficients produced by the “logit” and the “ologit” STATA command.

Compare the results given by the table option in the logit command output with the following table.

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. tab cuse [freq=N]
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Contracepti ve use (Yes/No)	Freq.	Percent	Cum.
No	1100	68.45	68.45
Yes	507	31.55	100.00
Total	1607	100.00	

Predict the probabilities of contraceptive use and non-use via STATA predict command.

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. predict p0 p1
(option p assumed; predicted probabilities)
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b) Use hand calculations in order to obtain the predicted probability of contraceptive use among women 25-29 years old desiring more children. Verify your result using the listing below.

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. list age educat more cuse p0 p1 if age==2 & more==1
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	age	educat	more	cuse	p0	p1
9.	25-29	High	Yes	Yes	.7901953	.2098047
10.	25-29	Low	Yes	No	.7901953	.2098047
11.	25-29	High	Yes	No	.7901953	.2098047
16.	25-29	Low	Yes	Yes	.7901953	.2098047

Probit regression analysis

Now perform the same analysis using probit regression

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. xi: probit cuse i.age i.more [freq=N], nolog
i.age          Iage_1-4      (naturally coded; Iage_1 omitted)
i.more         Imore_0-1     (naturally coded; Imore_0 omitted)
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Probit estimates

Number of obs = 1607
LR chi2(4) = 127.51
Prob > chi2 = 0.0000
Pseudo R2 = 0.0636

Log likelihood = -938.09112

cuse	Coef.	Std. Err.	z	P> z	[95% Conf. Interval]	
Iage_2	.2086109	.1003457	2.079	0.038	.0119369	.405285
Iage_3	.4685637	.0928326	5.047	0.000	.2866152	.6505122
Iage_4	.6048679	.1226446	4.932	0.000	.3644889	.8452469
Imore_1	-.4964618	.0714451	-6.949	0.000	-.6364916	-.3564319
_cons	-.515345	.0922618	-5.586	0.000	-.6961748	-.3345152

c) Compare the results of the probit and the logit model. Recall however that the logit coefficients are not standardized but must be divided $\pi/\sqrt{3}$.

Ordinal regression

Use the tumour data set and fit a bivariate (sex , therapy) ordinal regression model for the outcome variable “outc”.

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. char sex[omit] 2

. xi: ologit outc i.sex i.therapy, nolog tab
i.sex          Isex_1-2      (naturally coded; Isex_2 omitted)
i.therapy      Ithera_0-1    (naturally coded; Ithera_0 omitted)

Ordered logit estimates          Number of obs   =          299
                                LR chi2(2)         =          10.91
                                Prob > chi2        =          0.0043
Log likelihood = -394.52832      Pseudo R2      =          0.0136
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outc	Coef.	Std. Err.	z	P> z	[95% Conf. Interval]	
Isex_1	.5413938	.2871816	1.885	0.059	-.0214717	1.104259
Ithera_1	-.580685	.2121478	-2.737	0.006	-.9964871	-.164883

					(Ancillary parameters)	
_cut1	-.7766492	.2880856				
_cut2	.7906273	.2866223				
_cut3	1.84145	.3056123				

outc	Probability		Observed			
Progress	Pr(xb+u<_cut1)		0.2843			
No chang	Pr(_cut1<xb+u<_cut2)		0.3612			
Partial	Pr(_cut2<xb+u<_cut3)		0.1906			
Complete	Pr(_cut3<xb+u)		0.1639			

d) What is the interpretation of the model coefficients?

Probit analysis

Analyze the previous example using probit analysis.

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. xi: oprobit outc i.sex i.therapy, nolog
i.sex          Isex_1-2      (naturally coded; Isex_2 omitted)
i.therapy      Ithera_0-1    (naturally coded; Ithera_0 omitted)

Ordered probit estimates          Number of obs   =          299
                                LR chi2(2)         =          10.79
                                Prob > chi2        =          0.0045
Log likelihood = -394.5871      Pseudo R2      =          0.0135
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outc	Coef.	Std. Err.	z	P> z	[95% Conf. Interval]	
Isex_1	.3401406	.174902	1.945	0.052	-.002661	.6829422
Ithera_1	-.3344764	.125435	-2.667	0.008	-.5803245	-.0886282

					(Ancillary parameters)	
_cut1	-.459358	.176613				
_cut2	.5050695	.1760197				
_cut3	1.122025	.1836877				

e) Compare the results of the previous two approaches.