

Bweight2: Comparing log-linear models and logistic regression

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> bweight = read.table("http://www.utstat.toronto.edu/~brunner/312f10/code_n_data/
bweight.data")
> bweight[1:5,]
  low age lwt race smoke ptl ht ui ftv bwt
85  0  19 182   2     0  0  0  1  0 2523
86  0  33 155   3     0  0  0  0  3 2551
87  0  20 105   1     1  0  0  0  1 2557
88  0  21 108   1     1  0  0  1  2 2594
89  0  18 107   1     1  0  0  1  0 2600
>
> # Confine attention to smoking, race, low birth weight
> race <- factor(bweight$race,label=c("White","Black","Other"))
> contrasts(race)
      Black Other
White    0     0
Black    1     0
Other    0     1
> contrasts(race) <- contr.sum # Effect coding
> contrasts(race)
      [,1] [,2]
White    1    0
Black    0    1
Other   -1   -1
> smoke <- factor(bweight$smoke,label=c("No","Yes"))
> contrasts(smoke) <- contr.sum
> contrasts(smoke)
      [,1]
No      1
Yes    -1
> low <- factor(bweight$low,label=c("No","Yes"))
> contrasts(low) <- contr.sum
>
> threeD = table(smoke,race,low)
> margin.table(threeD,c(1,3,2))
, , race = White

      low
smoke No Yes
No    40  4
Yes   33 19

, , race = Black

      low
smoke No Yes
No    11  5
Yes    4  6

, , race = Other

      low
smoke No Yes
No    35 20
Yes    7  5
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> # Conditional log-linear model with no association between
> # explanatory and response variables
> loglin1 = loglin(threeD,list(c(1,2),3))
2 iterations: deviation 2.842171e-14
> G2 = loglin1$lrt; df = loglin1$df
> G2; df; 1-pchisq(G2,df)
[1] 17.85422
[1] 5
[1] 0.003134764
> # The equivalent logistic regression model is the null model
> logregfull = glm(low ~ smoke + race + smoke:race, family=binomial)
> # low ~ smoke*race is equivalent
> summary(logregfull)

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Call:
glm(formula = low ~ smoke + race + smoke:race, family = binomial)

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Deviance Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-1.3537  -0.9508  -0.4366   1.4190   2.1899

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Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept) -0.68896    0.20323  -3.390 0.000699 ***
smoke1       -0.52793    0.20323  -2.598 0.009384 **
race1        -0.73837    0.26668  -2.769 0.005627 **
race2         0.49746    0.31665   1.571 0.116178
smoke1:race1 -0.34733    0.26668  -1.302 0.192778
smoke1:race2 -0.06903    0.31665  -0.218 0.827425
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(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

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Null deviance: 234.67 on 188 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 216.82 on 183 degrees of freedom
AIC: 228.82

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Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

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> anova(logregfull)
Analysis of Deviance Table

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Model: binomial, link: logit

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Response: low

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Terms added sequentially (first to last)

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	Df	Deviance	Resid. Df	Resid. Dev
NULL			188	234.672
smoke	1	4.867	187	229.805
race	2	9.830	185	219.975
smoke:race	2	3.157	183	216.818

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> G2b = logregfull$null.deviance-logregfull$deviance
> G2b; G2
[1] 17.85422
[1] 17.85422
>
> # Connection between MLEs for the 2 kinds of model:
> # Messy for 3 and higher-D tables
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> # Z-tests for loglinfull suggest a logistic regression model
> # without the smoke by race interaction. This is equivalent to a
> # log-linear model without the smoke by race by low interaction.
> # In general, a main effect in logistic regression corresponds to
> # an interaction between that variable and the response variable
> # in a log-linear model -- provided, of course, that the log-linear
> # model also has all interactions among explanatory variables.
> # A k-factor interaction in logistic regression corresponds to a
> # k+1-factor interaction in a log-linear model, The k+1-factor interaction
> # has all the explanatory variables in the k-factor interaction, plus
> # the response variable. Again, this is assuming that the log-linear
> # model has all interactions among explanatory variables.
>
> # Conduct this two-df test both ways, using LR tests.
> # First with logistic regression:
>
> logregreduced = glm(low ~ smoke + race, family=binomial)
> anodev = anova(logregreduced,logregfull); anodev

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Analysis of Deviance Table

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Model 1: low ~ smoke + race
Model 2: low ~ smoke + race + smoke:race
  Resid. Df Resid. Dev  Df Deviance
1         185      219.975
2         183      216.818    2     3.157
> anodev[2,3]; anodev[2,4]
[1] 2
[1] 3.156937

> # Now a log-linear model. Only mul23 is missing
> loglin2 = loglin(threeD,list(c(1,2),c(1,3),c(2,3)))
5 iterations: deviation 0.08003072
> loglin2
$lrt
[1] 3.157074

$pearson
[1] 3.113864

$df
[1] 2

$margin
$margin[[1]]
[1] "smoke" "race"

$margin[[2]]
[1] "smoke" "low"

$margin[[3]]
[1] "race" "low"

> 1-pchisq(loglin2$lrt,loglin2$df)
[1] 0.2062767
> 1-pchisq(anodev[2,4],anodev[2,3])
[1] 0.2062908
> # The no-interaction logistic regression model is fine
> # [smoke race] [smoke low] [race low]

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> summary(logregreduced)

Call:
glm(formula = low ~ smoke + race, family = binomial)

Deviance Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-1.3442  -0.8862  -0.5428   1.4964   1.9939

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept) -0.5517     0.1833  -3.009  0.00262 **
smoke1      -0.5580     0.1846  -3.023  0.00251 **
race1       -0.7309     0.2490  -2.936  0.00333 **
race2        0.3532     0.2992   1.181  0.23776
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(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

    Null deviance: 234.67  on 188  degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 219.97  on 185  degrees of freedom
AIC: 227.97

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

> # Why is the coefficient for smoke negative?
>
> # Test race controlling for smoke
> anodev2 = anova(logregreduced); anodev2
Analysis of Deviance Table

Model: binomial, link: logit

Response: low

Terms added sequentially (first to last)

      Df Deviance Resid. Df Resid. Dev
NULL    188    234.672
smoke    1     4.867    187    229.805
race     2     9.830    185    219.975
> 1-pchisq(anodev2[3,2],anodev2[3,1])
[1] 0.007336125
> # Or,
> loglin3 = loglin(threeD,list(c(1,2),c(1,3)))
2 iterations: deviation 0
> G2change = loglin3$lrt-loglin2$lrt; G2change
[1] 9.829752
> dfchange = loglin3$df-loglin2$df; dfchange
[1] 2
> 1-pchisq(G2change,dfchange)
[1] 0.007336629

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> # For ease of interpretation, prefer indicator dummy vars
> # when there are no interactions.
> race <- factor(bweight$race,label=c("White","Black","Other"))
> contrasts(race)
      Black Other
White    0     0
Black    1     0
Other    0     1
> smoke <- factor(bweight$smoke,label=c("No","Yes"))
> contrasts(smoke)
      Yes
No     0
Yes    1
> # Could have done: contrasts(smoke) <- contr.treatment
> # But labels were lost when we moved to effect coding
> logregreduced = glm(low ~ smoke + race, family=binomial)
> summary(logregreduced)

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Call:
glm(formula = low ~ smoke + race, family = binomial)

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Deviance Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
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Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept)  -1.8405     0.3529  -5.216 1.83e-07 ***
smokeYes       1.1160     0.3692   3.023 0.00251 **
raceBlack     1.0841     0.4900   2.212 0.02693 *
raceOther     1.1086     0.4003   2.769 0.00562 **
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(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

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Null deviance: 234.67 on 188 degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 219.97 on 185 degrees of freedom
AIC: 227.97

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Using the glm function on data that come in table format

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> # Help says:
> # "For binomial and quasibinomial families the response can also be
> # specified as ... a two-column matrix with the columns giving the
> # numbers of successes and failures."
>
> margin.table(threeD,c(2,3,1))
, , smoke = No

      low
race   No Yes
White  40  4
Black  11  5
Other  35 20

, , smoke = Yes

      low
race   No Yes
White  33 19
Black   4  6
Other   7  5

> # Make a data frame from the output, and ...
> testdata <- read.table("TestFrame.txt"); testdata
  smoke race No Yes
1    No White 40  4
2    No Black 11  5
3    No Other 35 20
4   Yes White 33 19
5   Yes Black  4  6
6   Yes Other  7  5

> Smoke <- factor(testdata$smoke); contrasts(Smoke)
      Yes
No      0
Yes     1
> Race <- factor(testdata$race,levels=c("White","Black","Other"))
> # Otherwise, alphabetical order makes Black the reference category
> contrasts(Race)
      Black Other
White    0     0
Black    1     0
Other    0     1
> # Recall we had trouble earlier controlling order of categories
> # in tables. The levels parameter will do the trick.
> LowBW <- cbind(testdata$Yes,testdata$No); LowBW
      [,1] [,2]
[1,]    4  40
[2,]    5  11
[3,]   20  35
[4,]   19  33
[5,]    6   4
[6,]    5   7
>
> # Notice order must be Yes, No!
>
> summary(glm(LowBW ~ Smoke + Race, family=binomial))
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> summary(glm(LowBW ~ Smoke + Race, family=binomial))
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Call:
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```
glm(formula = LowBW ~ Smoke + Race, family = binomial)
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Deviance Residuals:
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      1      2      3      4      5      6  
-0.93864 -0.05946  0.60978  0.59394  0.07123 -1.24205
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Coefficients:
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SmokeYes      1.1160     0.3692   3.023 0.00251 **  
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```
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
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Null deviance: 17.8542 on 5 degrees of freedom  
Residual deviance: 3.1569 on 2 degrees of freedom  
AIC: 31.886
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Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
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> # Compare:
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> summary(logregreduced)
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```
Call:
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```
glm(formula = low ~ smoke + race, family = binomial)
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Deviance Residuals:
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      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max  
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Coefficients:
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smokeYes      1.1160     0.3692   3.023 0.00251 **  
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```
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
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```
Null deviance: 234.67 on 188 degrees of freedom  
Residual deviance: 219.97 on 185 degrees of freedom  
AIC: 227.97
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Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
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> 17.8542-3.1569
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[1] 14.6973
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> logregreduced$null.deviance-logregreduced$deviance
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[1] 14.69729
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