

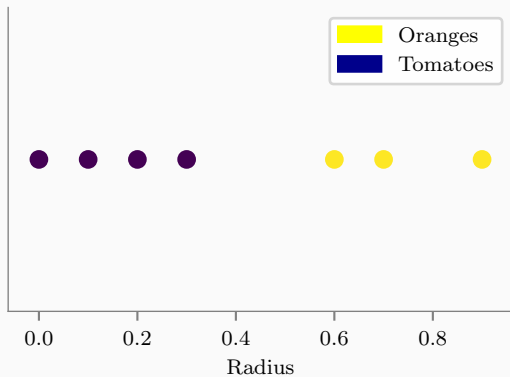
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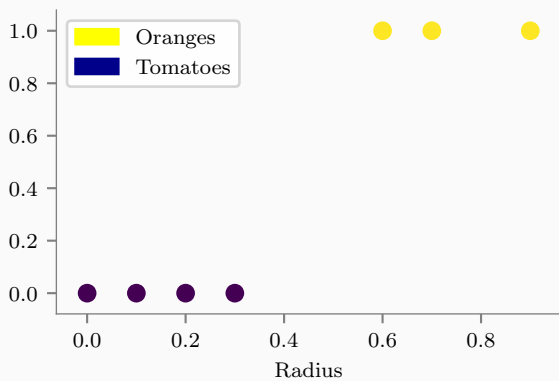
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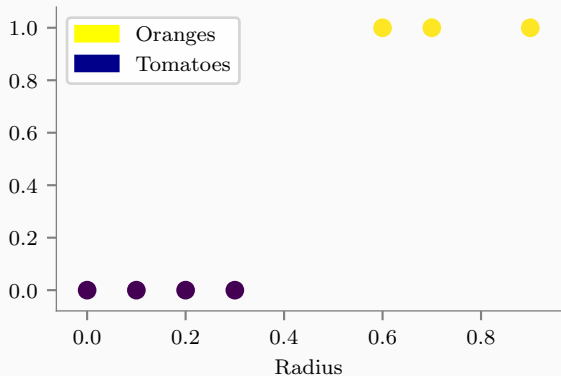
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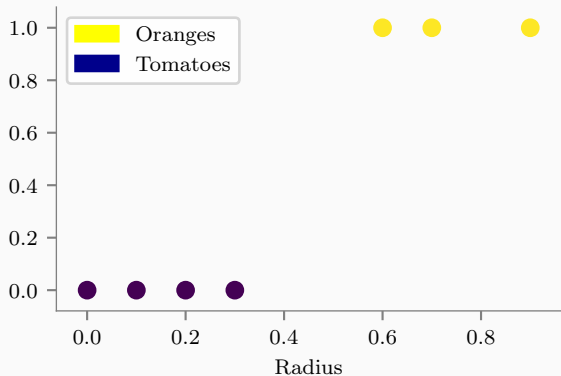


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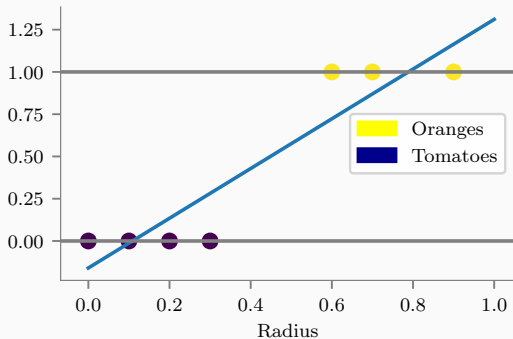
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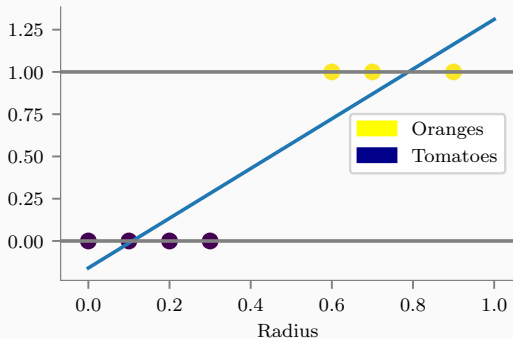
More generally, $P(y = 1 | X = x)$?

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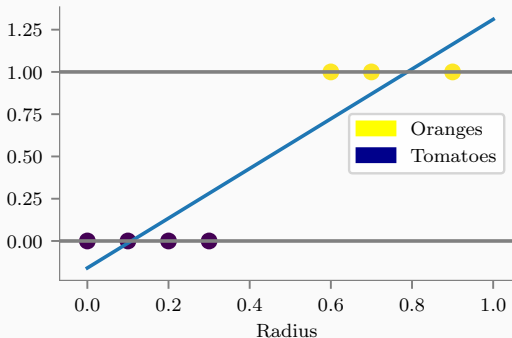


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For N examples

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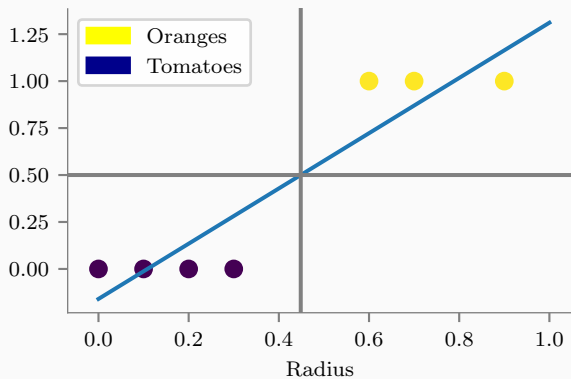
If $\theta_0 + \theta_1 \times \text{Radius} > 0.5 \rightarrow \text{Orange}$
Else $\rightarrow \text{Tomato}$

Problem:

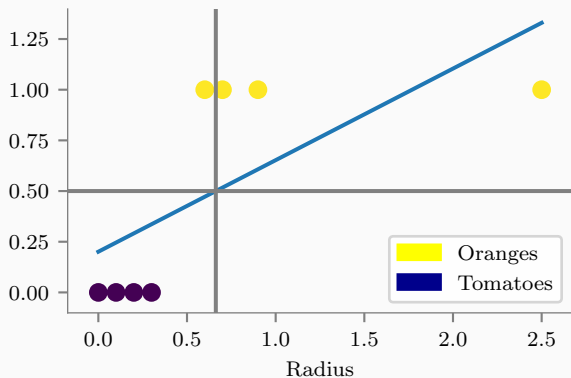
Range of $X\theta$ is $(-\infty, \infty)$

But $P(y = 1 | \dots) \in [0, 1]$

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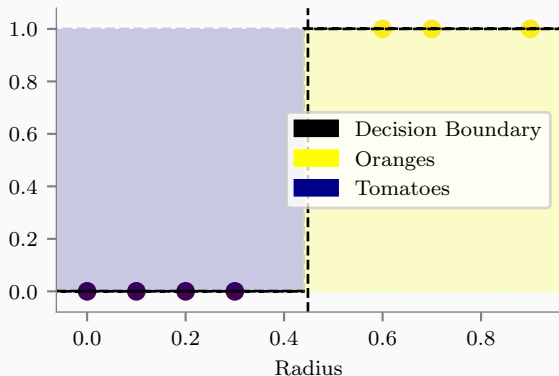


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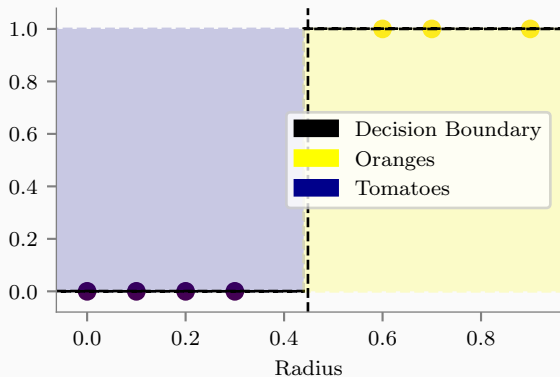
Linear regression for classification gives a poor prediction!

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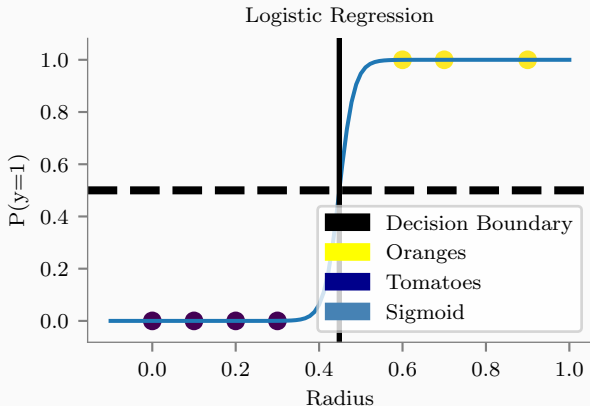
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- Aim: use linear regression still!

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Question. Can we still use Linear Regression?

Answer. Yes! Transform $x^T \theta \rightarrow [0, 1]$

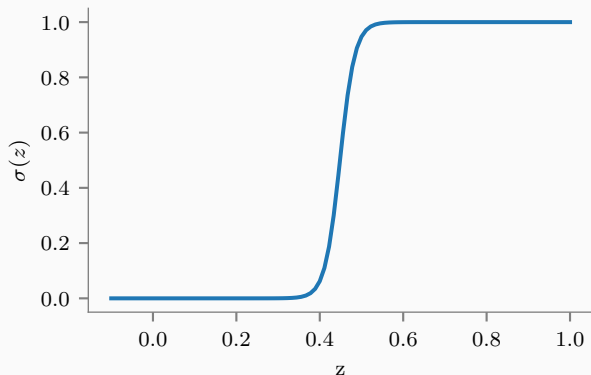
Logistic / Sigmoid Function

$$x^T \theta \in (-\infty, \infty)$$

$\phi = \text{Sigmoid / Logistic Function } (\sigma)$

$$\phi(x^T \theta) \in [0, 1]$$

$$\sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}$$



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$$\sigma(z) = 0.5$$

Question. Could you use some other transformation (ϕ) of $x^T \theta$ s.t.

$$\phi(x^T \theta) \in [0, 1]$$

Yes! But Logistic Regression works.

$$P(y = 1|X) = \sigma(X\theta) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-X\theta}}$$

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$$\therefore \frac{P(y = 1|X)}{1 - P(y = 1|X)} = e^{X\theta} \implies X\theta = \log \frac{P(y = 1|X)}{1 - P(y = 1|X)}$$

Odds (Used in betting)

$$\frac{P(\text{win})}{P(\text{loss})}$$

Here,

$$\text{Odds} = \frac{P(y = 1)}{P(y = 0)}$$

$$\text{logits} = \text{log-odds} = \log \frac{P(y=1)}{P(y=0)} = X\theta$$

Docs > torch.nn > CrossEntropyLoss



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```
CLASS torch.nn.CrossEntropyLoss(weight=None, size_average=None, ignore_index=- 100,  
reduce=None, reduction='mean', label_smoothing=0.0) [SOURCE]
```

This criterion computes the cross entropy loss between input logits and target.



Logits Usage

Computes the cross-entropy loss between true labels and predicted labels.

Inherits From: [Loss](#)

 [View aliases](#)

```
tf.keras.losses.BinaryCrossentropy(  
    from_logits=False,  
    label_smoothing=0.0,  
    axis=-1,  
    reduction=losses_utils.ReductionV2.AUTO,  
    name='binary_crossentropy'  
)
```

Used in the notebooks

Used in the guide	Used in the tutorials
<ul style="list-style-type: none">The Functional APITransfer learning and fine-tuningDistributed training with TensorFlowEstimatorsMaking new Layers and Models via subclassing	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Load a pandas DataFrameTransfer learning and fine-tuningBasic text classificationWarm-start embedding layer matrixParameter server training with ParameterServerStrategy

Use this cross-entropy loss for binary (0 or 1) classification applications. The loss function requires the following inputs:

- `y_true` (true label): This is either 0 or 1.
- `y_pred` (predicted value): This is the model's prediction, i.e, a single floating-point value which either represents a `logit`, (i.e, value in $[-\infty, \infty]$ when `from_logits=True`) or a probability (i.e, value in $[0, 1]$ when `from_logits=False`).

Recommended Usage: (set `from_logits=True`)

Logits Usage

TensorFlow > Resources > Probability > API

Was this helpful?  

tfp.distributions.Bernoulli



View source on GitHub

Bernoulli distribution.

Inherits From: [Distribution](#), [AutoCompositeTensor](#)

```
tfp.distributions.Bernoulli(  
  logits=None,  
  probs=None,  
  dtype=tf.int32,  
  validate_args=False,  
  allow_nan_stats=True,  
  name='Bernoulli'  
)
```



The Bernoulli distribution with `probs` parameter, i.e., the probability of a 1 outcome (vs a 0 outcome).

Args	
<code>logits</code>	An N-D Tensor representing the log-odds of a 1 event. Each entry in the Tensor parameterizes an independent Bernoulli distribution where the probability of an event is <code>sigmoid(logits)</code> . Only one of <code>logits</code> or <code>probs</code> should be passed in.
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$$\text{or } e^{X\theta} = 1$$

$$\text{or } X\theta = 0$$

Example with 2 input features

Notebook:

<https://nipunbatra.github.io/ml2023/notebooks/posts/logistic.html>

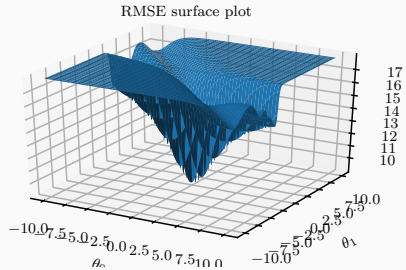
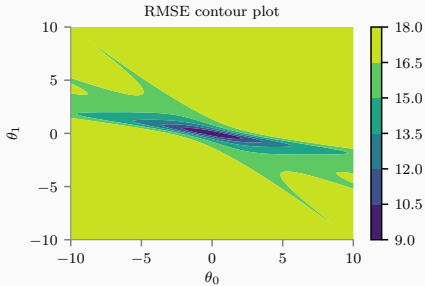
Could we use cost function as:

$$J(\theta) = \sum (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$$

$$\hat{y}_i = \sigma(X\theta)$$

Answer: No (Non-Convex)
(See Jupyter Notebook)

Cost function convexity



Likelihood = $P(D|\theta)$

$$P(y|X, \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(y_i|x_i, \theta)$$

where $y = 0$ or 1

Learning Parameters

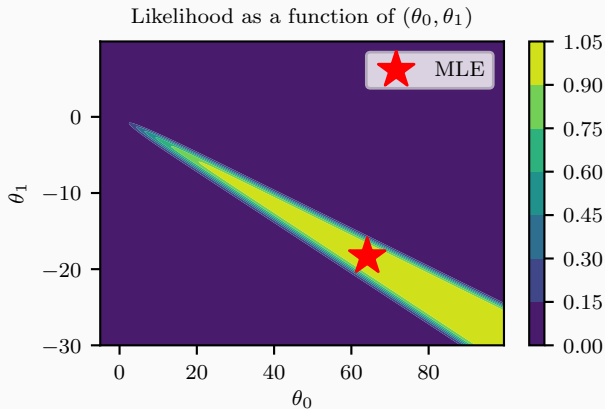
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[Above: Similar to $P(D|\theta)$ for Linear Regression;
Difference Bernoulli instead of Gaussian]

$$\begin{aligned} -\log P(y|X, \theta) &= \text{Negative Log Likelihood} \\ &= \text{Cost function will be minimising} \\ &= J(\theta) \end{aligned}$$

Likelihood Visualisation



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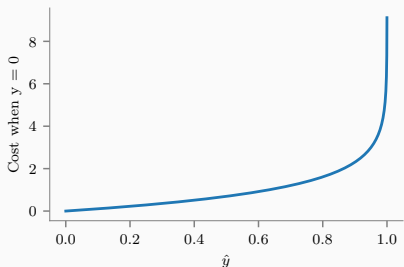
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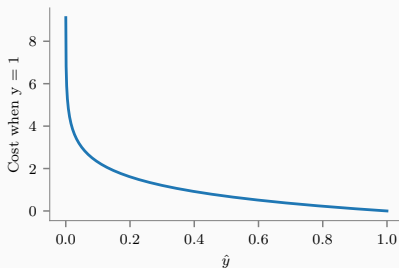
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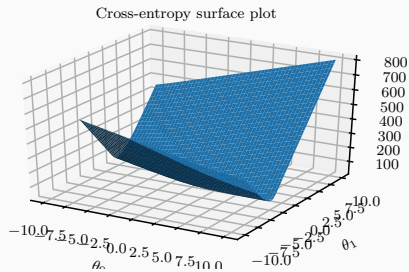
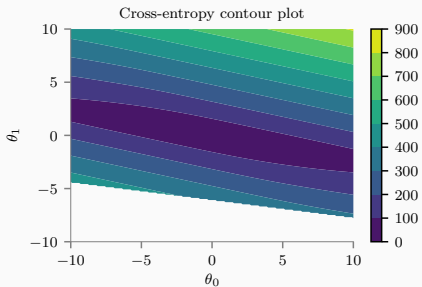
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$$J(\theta) = -y_i \log \hat{y}_i - (1 - y_i) \log(1 - \hat{y}_i)$$

Now, assume y_i is 1, then if \hat{y}_i is 0, the loss is huge; but, if \hat{y}_i is 1, the loss is zero!



Cost function convexity



$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial J(\theta)}{\partial \theta_j} &= -\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \log(\sigma_\theta(x_i)) + (1 - y_i) \log(1 - \sigma_\theta(x_i)) \right\} \\ &= -\sum_{i=1}^n \left[y_i \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \log(\sigma_\theta(x_i)) + (1 - y_i) \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \log(1 - \sigma_\theta(x_i)) \right]\end{aligned}$$

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Aside:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial}{\partial z} \sigma(z) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}} = -(1 + e^{-z})^{-2} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (1 + e^{-z}) \\ &= \frac{e^{-z}}{(1 + e^{-z})^2} = \left(\frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}} \right) \left(\frac{e^{-z}}{1 + e^{-z}} \right) = \sigma(z) \left\{ \frac{1 + e^{-z}}{1 + e^{-z}} - \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}} \right\} \\ &= \sigma(z)(1 - \sigma(z))\end{aligned}$$

Learning Parameters

Resuming from (1)

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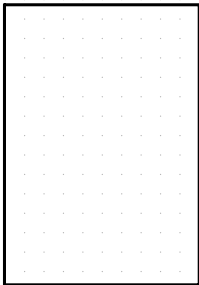
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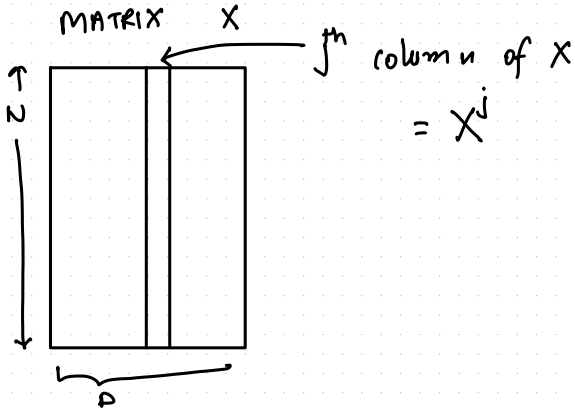
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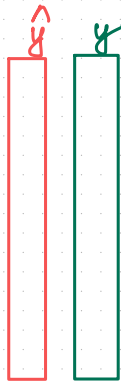
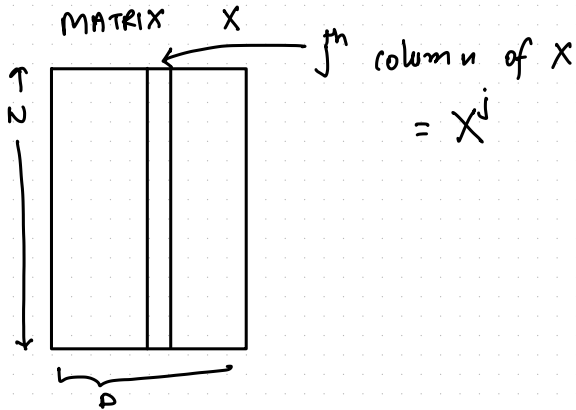
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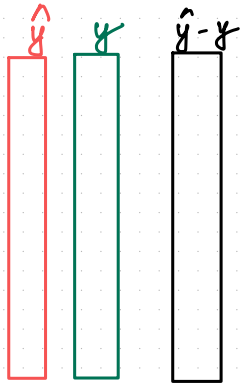
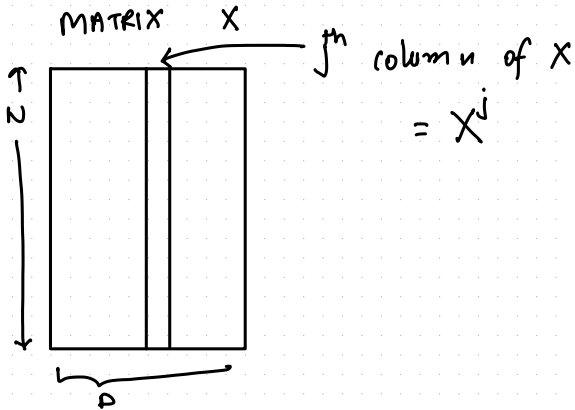
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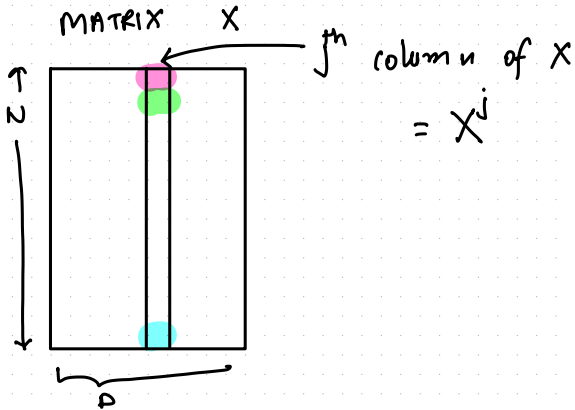
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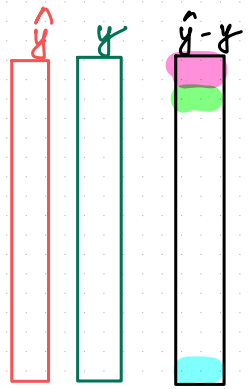
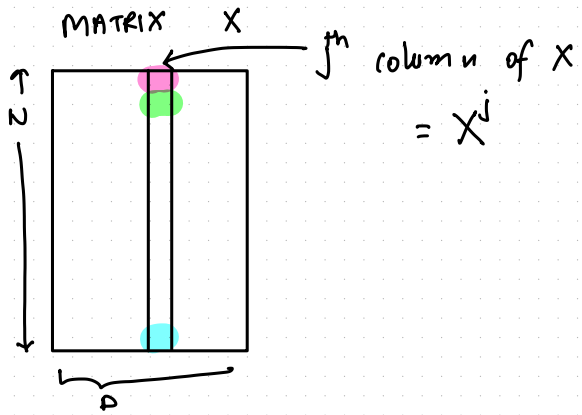
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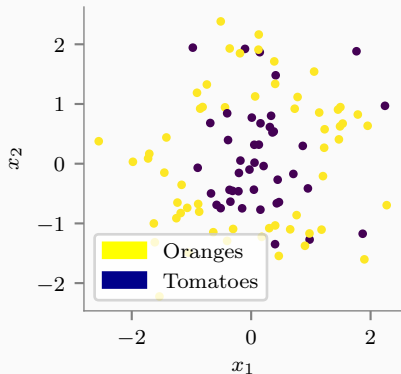
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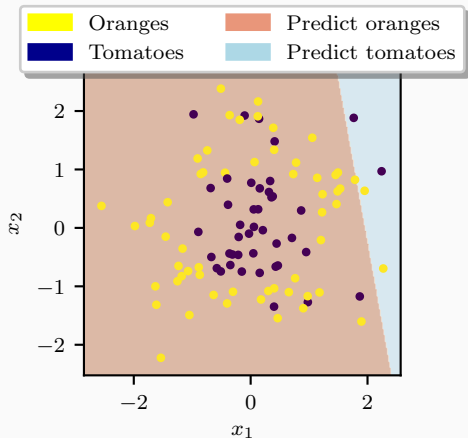
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Logistic Regression with feature transformation



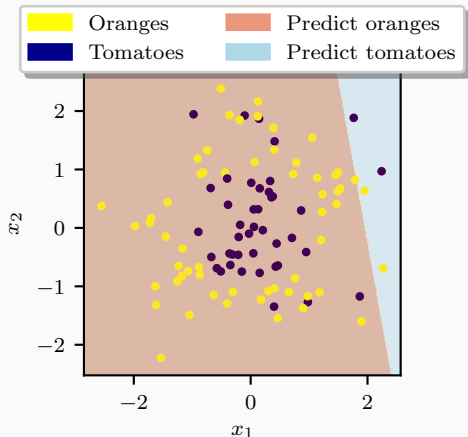
What happens if you apply logistic regression on the above data?

Logistic Regression with feature transformation



Linear boundary will not be accurate here. What is the technical name of the problem?

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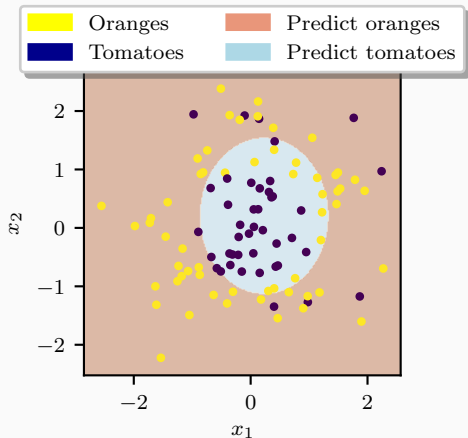


Linear boundary will not be accurate here. What is the technical name of the problem? Bias!

Logistic Regression with feature transformation

$$\phi(x) = \begin{bmatrix} \phi_0(x) \\ \phi_1(x) \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{K-1}(x) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ x \\ x^2 \\ x^3 \\ \vdots \\ x^{K-1} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^K$$

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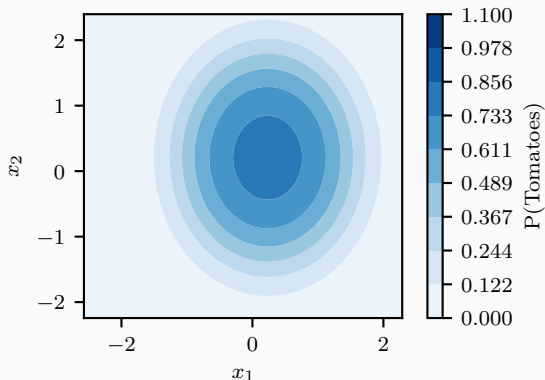
Using x_1^2, x_2^2 as additional features, we are able to learn a more accurate classifier.

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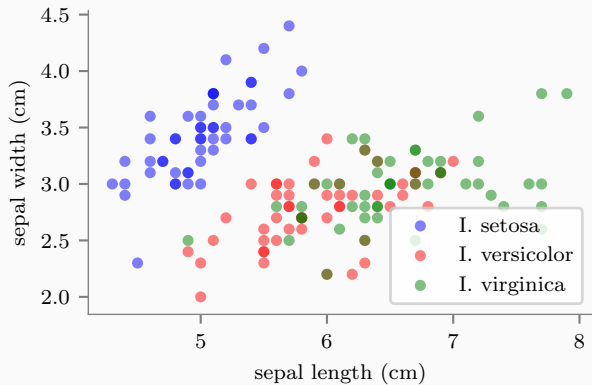
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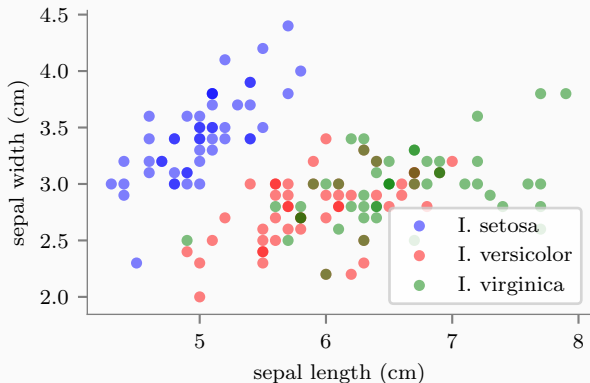
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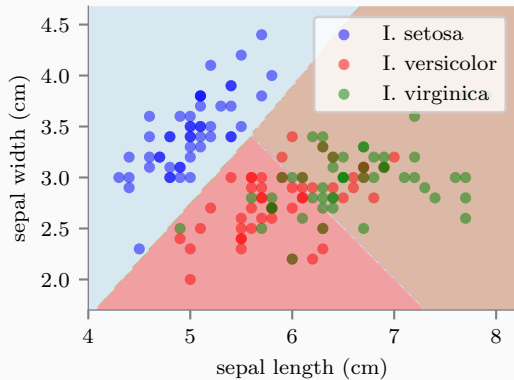


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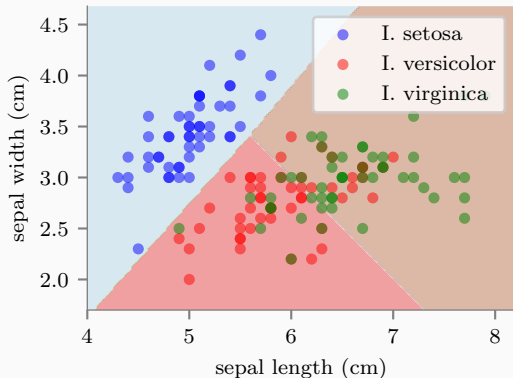


How would you learn a classifier? Or, how would you expect the classifier to learn decision boundaries?

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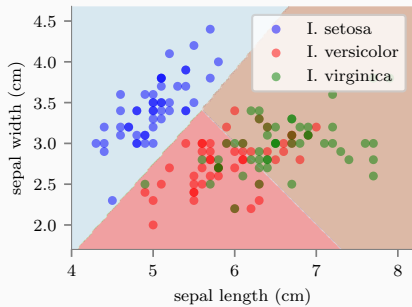


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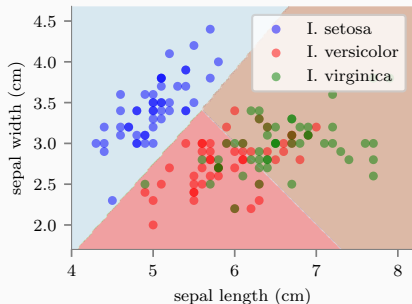


1. Use one-vs.-all on Binary Logistic Regression
2. Use one-vs.-one on Binary Logistic Regression
3. Extend Binary Logistic Regression to Multi-Class Logistic Regression

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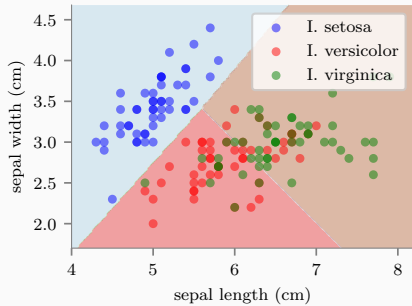


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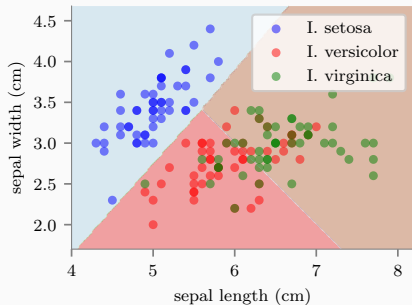


1. Learn $P(\text{setosa (class 1)}) = \mathcal{F}(X\theta_1)$
2. $P(\text{versicolor (class 2)}) = \mathcal{F}(X\theta_2)$
3. $P(\text{virginica (class 3)}) = \mathcal{F}(X\theta_3)$
4. Goal: Learn $\theta_i \forall i \in \{1, 2, 3\}$
5. Question: What could be an \mathcal{F} ?

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2. Property: $\sum_{i=1}^3 \mathcal{F}(X\theta_i) = 1$
3. Also $\mathcal{F}(z) \in [0, 1]$
4. Also, $\mathcal{F}(z)$ has squashing properties: $R \mapsto [0, 1]$

$$Z \in \mathbb{R}^d$$
$$\mathcal{F}(z_i) = \frac{e^{z_i}}{\sum_{i=1}^d e^{z_i}}$$
$$\therefore \sum \mathcal{F}(z_i) = 1$$

$\mathcal{F}(z_i)$ refers to probability of class i

Softmax for Multi-Class Logistic Regression

$k = \{1, \dots, K\}$ classes

$$\theta = \begin{bmatrix} \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \theta_1 & \theta_2 & \cdots & \theta_K \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{y}^k = P(y = k | X, \theta) = \frac{e^{X\theta_k}}{\sum_{k=1}^K e^{X\theta_k}}$$

Softmax for Multi-Class Logistic Regression

For $K = 2$ classes,

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High number! Huge penalty for misclassification!

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Multi-Class Logistic Regression Cost Gradient

$$J(\theta) = - \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^K y_i^k \log(\hat{y}_i^k) \right\}$$

$$\nabla_{\theta_k} J(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{y}_i^k - y_i^k) x_i$$

Hessian Matrix

The Hessian matrix of $f(\cdot)$ with respect to θ , written $\nabla_{\theta}^2 f(\theta)$ or simply as \mathbb{H} , is the $d \times d$ matrix of partial derivatives,

$$\nabla_{\theta}^2 f(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f(\theta)}{\partial \theta_1^2} & \frac{\partial^2 f(\theta)}{\partial \theta_1 \partial \theta_2} & \cdots & \frac{\partial^2 f(\theta)}{\partial \theta_1 \partial \theta_n} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f(\theta)}{\partial \theta_2 \partial \theta_1} & \frac{\partial^2 f(\theta)}{\partial \theta_2^2} & \cdots & \frac{\partial^2 f(\theta)}{\partial \theta_2 \partial \theta_n} \\ \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ \frac{\partial^2 f(\theta)}{\partial \theta_n \partial \theta_1} & \frac{\partial^2 f(\theta)}{\partial \theta_n \partial \theta_2} & \cdots & \frac{\partial^2 f(\theta)}{\partial \theta_n^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Newton's Algorithm

The most basic second-order optimization algorithm is Newton's algorithm, which consists of updates of the form,

$$\theta_{k+1} = \theta_k - \mathbb{H}_k^{-1} g_k$$

where g_k is the gradient at step k . This algorithm is derived by making a second-order Taylor series approximation of $f(\theta)$ around θ_k :

$$f_{quad}(\theta) = f(\theta_k) + g_k^T (\theta - \theta_k) + \frac{1}{2} (\theta - \theta_k)^T \mathbb{H}_k (\theta - \theta_k)$$

differentiating and equating to zero to solve for θ_{k+1} .

Learning Parameters

Now assume:

$$g(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\sigma_{\theta}(x_i) - y_i \right] x_i^j = \mathbf{X}^T (\sigma_{\theta}(\mathbf{X}) - \mathbf{y})$$
$$\pi_i = \sigma_{\theta}(x_i)$$

Let \mathbb{H} represent the Hessian of $J(\theta)$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{H} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} g(\theta) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\sigma_{\theta}(x_i) - y_i \right] x_i^j \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \sigma_{\theta}(x_i) x_i^j - \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} y_i x_i^j \right] \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_{\theta}(x_i) (1 - \sigma_{\theta}(x_i)) x_i x_i^T \\ &= \mathbf{X}^T \text{diag}(\sigma_{\theta}(x_i) (1 - \sigma_{\theta}(x_i))) \mathbf{X} \end{aligned}$$

Iteratively reweighted least squares (IRLS)

For binary logistic regression, recall that the gradient and Hessian of the negative log-likelihood are given by:

$$g(\theta)_k = \mathbf{X}^T(\pi_k - \mathbf{y})$$

$$\mathbf{H}_k = \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{S}_k \mathbf{X}$$

$$\mathbf{S}_k = \text{diag}(\pi_{1k}(1 - \pi_{1k}), \dots, \pi_{nk}(1 - \pi_{nk}))$$

$$\pi_{ik} = \text{sigm}(\mathbf{x}_i \theta_k)$$

The Newton update at iteration $k + 1$ for this model is as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}\theta_{k+1} &= \theta_k - \mathbb{H}^{-1} g_k \\ &= \theta_k + (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{S}_k \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T (\mathbf{y} - \pi_k) \\ &= (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{S}_k \mathbf{X})^{-1} [(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{S}_k \mathbf{X}) \theta_k + \mathbf{X}^T (\mathbf{y} - \pi_k)] \\ &= (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{S}_k \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T [\mathbf{S}_k \mathbf{X} \theta_k + \mathbf{y} - \pi_k]\end{aligned}$$

Regularized Logistic Regression

Unregularised:

$$J_1(\theta) = - \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \log(\sigma_{\theta}(x_i)) + (1 - y_i) \log(1 - \sigma_{\theta}(x_i)) \right\}$$

L2 Regularization:

$$J(\theta) = J_1(\theta) + \lambda \theta^T \theta$$

L1 Regularization:

$$J(\theta) = J_1(\theta) + \lambda |\theta|$$