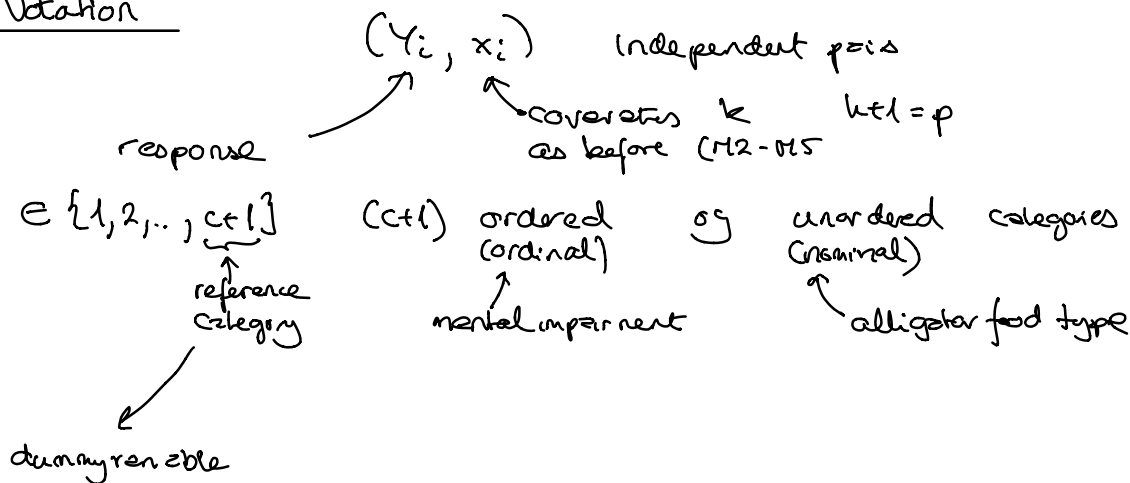


# M6: Categorical regression

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## Notation



$y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_c \end{bmatrix}$  a  $c$ -dim response vector  
 0/1  $\rightarrow$   $y_i$   
 multivariate response  $\leftarrow$  NEW  $\rightarrow$   $y$

$y = (0, 0, \dots, 0) \rightarrow$  cat  $c+1$   
 $y = (1, 0, 0, \dots, 0) \rightarrow$  cat 1  
 $y = (0, 1, 0, \dots, 0) \rightarrow$  cat 2

## Multinomial distribution

$\pi_r = P(Y=r) \quad r=1, \dots, c$

$\pi_{c+1} = P(Y=c+1) = 1 - \pi_1 - \pi_2 - \dots - \pi_c$  for ungrouped data

One observation  
 $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_c)$   
 0/1

$f(y | \pi) = \pi_1^{y_1} \pi_2^{y_2} \dots \pi_c^{y_c} (1 - \pi_1 - \dots - \pi_c)^{1 - y_1 - \dots - y_c}$   
 $\leftarrow M(1, \pi)$

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$m$  independent trials

we will use this when we have grouped data or covariate pattern

$y_r = \# \text{ obs from category } r$

$$f(y|\pi) = \frac{m!}{y_1! y_2! \dots y_c! (m - y_1 - y_2 - \dots - y_c)!} \pi_1^{y_1} \dots \pi_c^{y_c} (1 - \pi_1 - \dots - \pi_c)^{m - y_1 - y_2 - \dots - y_c}$$

$M(m, \pi)$

can be shown  $E(Y) = m \cdot \pi = \begin{bmatrix} m \cdot \pi_1 \\ \vdots \\ m \cdot \pi_c \end{bmatrix}$

Q:  $E(Y_{c+1}) = m \cdot \pi_{c+1} = m \cdot (1 - \pi_1 - \pi_2 - \dots - \pi_c)$

$\text{Cov}(Y_1, Y_{c+1}) = -\pi_1 \cdot \pi_{c+1} \cdot m$

AIM: Model  $\pi_{ir} = P(Y_i = r)$  as a function of covariates

## Regression with nominal response [6.2]

a) We generalize the binary logit model

$$\left| \begin{array}{l} \log \left( \frac{P(Y_i=1)^{\pi_{i1}}}{P(Y_i=0)^{\pi_{i0}}} \right) = \eta_i \\ \pi_{i1} = \frac{\exp(\eta_i)}{1 + \exp(\eta_i)} \end{array} \right|$$

to  $c$  models of  $\pi_{ir}$  vs  $\pi_{i,c+1}$  for  $r=1, \dots, c$

(\*)  $\log \left( \frac{\pi_{ir}}{\pi_{i,c+1}} \right) = \eta_{ir} = x_i^T \beta_r$  ←  $\beta_r$  vector of regr. param.  
need one vector for each response cat  $1, \dots, c$

Observe: effects  $\beta$  vary by pairing respective category with reference category.

Q: How many regression parameters do we need to estimate?  $c \cdot p$

This means that for some pair of response categories  $(a, b)$

$$\log \left( \frac{\pi_{ia}}{\pi_{ib}} \right) = \underbrace{\log \left( \frac{\pi_{ia}}{\pi_{i,c+1}} \right)}_{x_i^T \beta_a} - \underbrace{\log \left( \frac{\pi_{ib}}{\pi_{i,c+1}} \right)}_{x_i^T \beta_b} = x_i^T (\beta_a - \beta_b)$$

b) Alternatively:

$$P(Y_i = r) = \pi_{ir} = \frac{\exp(x_i^T \beta_r)}{1 + \sum_{s=1}^c \exp(x_i^T \beta_s)}$$

$\uparrow$   
 $r=1, \dots, c$

observe all  $\beta$ 's contribute to  $\pi_{ir}$

$$P(Y_i = c+1) = 1 - \pi_{i1} - \dots - \pi_{ic} = \frac{1}{1 + \sum_{s=1}^c \exp(x_i^T \beta_s)}$$

### Multivariate GLM

1. Random component  $Y_i \sim \text{multinomial} \quad E(Y_i) = \pi_i$   
 $(c \times 1)$
2. Systematic component:  $\eta_i = \begin{bmatrix} \eta_{i1} \\ \vdots \\ \eta_{ic} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_i^T \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_i^T \beta_c \end{bmatrix}$  p.c unknown param
3. Link function  $g(\eta_i) = \pi_i$  when  
 $(c \times 1)$   
 $g_r(\pi_i) = \ln \left( \frac{\pi_{ir}}{\pi_{i,c+1}} \right)$   
 element  $r$  of  $c \times 1$  vector  
 $\uparrow$   
 $1 - \pi_{i1} - \dots - \pi_{ic}$

Ex: Alligators:

Q1: Why  $df = 12$ : 8 groups and 5 responses =  $8 \cdot 4 = 32$   
 "free parameters"

$$4 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \text{intercept} \\ + \\ \text{lake} \\ + \\ \text{size} \end{pmatrix} = 20 \text{ param in } \beta\text{-vec}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{residual } df = 32 - 20 = \underline{\underline{12}}$$

Q2: size & invertebrate:  $\exp(\hat{\beta}_{\text{size}=1}) = 4.3$

$$\frac{\ln \left( \frac{P(\text{inv} \mid \text{size}=1, \text{lake } a)}{P(\text{fish} \mid \text{size}=1, \text{lake } a)} \right)}{\ln \left( \frac{P(\text{inv} \mid \text{size}=0, \text{lake } a)}{P(\text{fish} \mid \text{size}=0, \text{lake } a)} \right)} = (X_c^T - X_c^{T*}) \cdot \beta_{\text{inv}} = \beta_{\text{inv, size}}$$

$p \times 1$       $\hat{\beta}_{\text{size}=1}$   
 $\downarrow$               $\downarrow$   
 $(X_c^T - X_c^{T*})$       $\beta_{\text{inv}}$       $\beta_{\text{inv, size}}$

$\exp(\hat{\beta}_{\text{inv, size}}) = 4.3 =$  increase in OR of inv vs fish  
 of size change from 0 to 1

## Regression with ordinal data: the cumulative model [6.3.1]

An unobserved latent variable  $U_i$  drives the observation  $Y_i$

$$Y_i = r \iff \theta_{r-1} < U_i \leq \theta_r$$

$$-\infty = \theta_0 < \theta_1 < \dots < \theta_c < \theta_{c+1} = \infty$$

Where  $U_i = -x_i^T \beta + \varepsilon_i$  logistic distribution  
no intercept error with cdf  $F$   
RV

common  $\beta$  for all categories

$$\begin{aligned} P(Y_i \leq r) &= P(U_i \leq \theta_r) = P(-x_i^T \beta + \varepsilon_i \leq \theta_r) \\ &= P(\varepsilon_i \leq \theta_r + x_i^T \beta) = F(\theta_r + x_i^T \beta) \end{aligned}$$

no intercept  
no latent variables ( $U_i$ )

Different  $F$  give different models and we will only consider  $F$  as the cdf in the logistic distribution

$$P(Y_i \leq r) = \frac{\exp(\theta_r + x_i^T \beta)}{1 + \exp(\theta_r + x_i^T \beta)}$$

$$\ln \left( \frac{P(Y_i \leq r)}{P(Y_i > r)} \right) = \theta_r + x_i^T \beta$$