

# Log-normal Regression with R\*

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> rm(list=ls()); options(scipen=999)
> # install.packages("survival",dependencies=TRUE) # Only need to do this once
> library(survival) # Do this every time
> # install.packages("asaur",dependencies=TRUE) # Only need to do this once
> library(asaur)
> # summary(pharmacoSmoking)
> attach(pharmacoSmoking)
> # Make patch only the reference category
> contrasts(grp) = contr.treatment(2,base=2)
> colnames(contrasts(grp)) = c('Combo') # Names of dummy vars -- just one
> DayOfRelapse = Surv(ttr+1,relapse) # Day of relapse starts with one.
> # Collapse race categories
> Race = as.character(race) # Small r race is a factor. This is easier to modify.
> Race[Race!='white'] = 'blackOther'; Race=factor(Race)
>
> wmod = survreg(DayOfRelapse ~ grp + age + employment, dist='weibull')
> summary(wmod) # This was model full2 in an earlier analysis
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Call:

```
survreg(formula = DayOfRelapse ~ grp + age + employment, dist = "weibull")
              Value Std. Error      z      p
(Intercept)  1.4957      0.8414  1.78 0.07545324261
grpCombo     1.1023      0.3793  2.91 0.00365915983
age          0.0643      0.0186  3.45 0.00055474131
employmentother -1.2880  0.4617 -2.79 0.00527676297
employmentpt -1.2123      0.5616 -2.16 0.03088499029
Log(scale)   0.5454      0.0894  6.10 0.00000000105
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Scale= 1.73

Weibull distribution

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Loglik(model)= -464.3  Loglik(intercept only)= -476.5
Chisq= 24.31 on 4 degrees of freedom, p= 0.000069
Number of Newton-Raphson Iterations: 5
n= 125
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>
> lognorm = survreg(DayOfRelapse ~ grp + age + employment,dist='lognormal')
> summary(lognorm)
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Call:

```
survreg(formula = DayOfRelapse ~ grp + age + employment, dist = "lognormal")
              Value Std. Error      z      p
(Intercept)  0.8923      0.8719  1.02 0.306084649658437957242541
grpCombo     1.1248      0.4055  2.77 0.005534818036902075522043
age          0.0569      0.0182  3.13 0.001748007563975885296503
employmentother -1.0495  0.4766 -2.20 0.027666798779144716885492
employmentpt -0.8757      0.6456 -1.36 0.174941022226478948287109
Log(scale)   0.7671      0.0798  9.61 0.0000000000000000000000743
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Scale= 2.15

Log Normal distribution

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Loglik(model)= -460.4  Loglik(intercept only)= -470.4
Chisq= 20 on 4 degrees of freedom, p= 0.0005
Number of Newton-Raphson Iterations: 3
n= 125
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> # Now predict the day of relapse for a 50-year-old in the patch-only condition
> # who is working part-time. Use the estimated median exp(muhat) as a prediction.
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> oldguy = data.frame(grp='patchOnly',age=50,employment='pt')
> pred1 = predict(lognorm,newdata=oldguy,type='linear',se=TRUE) ; pred1

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$fit
      1
2.861025

$se.fit
      1
0.6206626

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se of  $\hat{y}_{n+1}$  is  $\sqrt{\mathbf{x}_{n+1}^\top \hat{\mathbf{C}}_n \mathbf{x}_{n+1}}$ . Want se of  $(y_{n+1} - \hat{y}_{n+1}) = \sqrt{\hat{\sigma}^2 + \mathbf{x}_{n+1}^\top \hat{\mathbf{C}}_n \mathbf{x}_{n+1}}$ .

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>
> # Construct prediction interval
> yhat = pred1$fit
> sigmasqhat = lognorm$scale^2
> se = sqrt(sigmasqhat+pred1$se^2)
> L = yhat - 1.96*se; U = yhat + 1.96*se
> that= exp(yhat)
> lower95 = exp(L); upper95 = exp(U)
> pi = c(that,lower95,upper95)
> names(pi) = c('t-hat','lower95','upper95')
> pi
      t-hat      lower95      upper95
17.4794407    0.2161495 1413.5165098

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So with 95% confidence, the old guy will be able to hold out between 5.2 hours and 3.9 years. Thank you very much.

For the record, the LaTeX code is

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 $\sqrt{\mathbf{x}_{n+1}^\top \widehat{\mathbf{C}}_n \mathbf{x}_{n+1}}$ .
Want  $\sqrt{\widehat{\sigma}^2 + \mathbf{x}_{n+1}^\top \widehat{\mathbf{C}}_n \mathbf{x}_{n+1}}$ 

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# Predicting Mark in University Calculus using Normal Regression

```
> good = lm(ucalc ~ diagtest + hsgpa + hscalcal + hsengl + frstlang); summary(good)
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Call:

```
lm(formula = ucalc ~ diagtest + hsgpa + hscalcal + hsengl + frstlang)
```

Residuals:

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      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-50.441  -6.719   1.546   9.036  32.288
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Coefficients:

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              Estimate Std. Error t value      Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)  -71.4517    11.1072  -6.433 0.00000000053717 ***
diagtest      0.9721     0.2518   3.860 0.000141 ***
hsgpa         1.5892     0.2209   7.195 0.0000000000569 ***
hscalcal     0.2176     0.1021   2.132 0.033908 *
hsengl       -0.3002     0.1227  -2.447 0.015017 *
frstlangOther 4.6966     2.1264   2.209 0.028003 *
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Residual standard error: 13.6 on 281 degrees of freedom

(292 observations deleted due to missingness)

Multiple R-squared: 0.4635, Adjusted R-squared: 0.454

F-statistic: 48.56 on 5 and 281 DF, p-value: < 0.000000000000000022

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> round( predict(good,interval='prediction'), 1)
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      fit lwr  upr
1      44.6 17.6  71.6
2      30.4  3.2  57.7
3      59.5 32.6  86.4
4      62.5 35.5  89.5
5      69.2 42.3  96.1
6      43.3 16.2  70.5
7      68.8 41.7  96.0
8      44.6 17.6  71.6
9      46.9 19.8  74.0
10     78.2 51.2 105.2
14     72.2 45.2  99.3
17     61.5 34.3  88.7
18     80.0 53.0 107.0
19     52.4 25.5  79.3
21     59.4 32.2  86.5
22     68.5 41.6  95.5
23     59.8 32.6  86.9
25     64.8 37.8  91.8
26     48.8 21.9  75.7
28     63.3 36.3  90.3
29     59.8 32.9  86.7
32     46.9 20.0  73.9
33     58.9 31.5  86.3
34     69.6 42.6  96.6
36     50.5 23.2  77.8
43     71.0 43.7  98.3
45     65.5 38.3  92.7
46     39.4 12.4  66.3
49     55.1 28.2  81.9
50    100.4 72.5 128.3
51     62.1 35.1  89.0
52     47.9 21.0  74.8
53     85.1 58.0 112.2
55     80.7 53.5 107.9
57     59.3 32.1  86.6
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65	43.9	16.7	71.1
67	57.1	30.3	84.0
71	56.4	29.5	83.2

511	57.2	30.3	84.0
513	68.2	41.2	95.2
517	56.0	29.1	82.8
520	57.7	30.6	84.9
522	64.1	37.1	91.1
526	79.4	52.4	106.4
527	58.3	31.2	85.4
528	52.9	25.8	80.1
531	48.6	21.5	75.6
534	58.8	31.9	85.6
536	57.1	30.1	84.2
537	46.1	18.7	73.5
538	73.8	46.8	100.7
539	37.8	10.8	64.8
542	38.8	11.7	65.9
543	58.3	31.5	85.2
544	50.5	23.6	77.3
549	66.9	39.9	93.8
551	44.8	17.9	71.7
552	59.2	32.4	86.1
556	76.3	49.1	103.6
559	51.6	24.6	78.6
560	47.2	20.3	74.2
561	52.9	26.0	79.7
562	84.2	57.2	111.3
563	54.2	27.3	81.1
564	69.1	42.2	96.1
565	57.3	30.4	84.2
566	78.2	51.2	105.3
567	74.3	47.1	101.5
568	65.1	38.2	92.1
570	70.8	43.8	97.8
571	52.6	25.6	79.6
572	68.2	41.3	95.2
574	56.7	29.7	83.7
576	64.7	37.6	91.7
577	50.5	23.4	77.6
579	57.6	30.7	84.5

Warning message:  
In predict.lm(good, interval = "prediction") :  
 predictions on current data refer to \_future\_ responses

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