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time:

optional lecture next
Tue 1.30-3.05 pm (usual room)
(webcast) (2)

AMS 206
15 Mar 18

why Metropolis sampling works; Bayesian data science

$$(Y_i | \lambda_i, \mathcal{B}) \stackrel{I}{\sim} \text{Poisson}(\lambda_i)$$

(i=1, ..., n)

$$\log \lambda_i = \underbrace{\beta_0}_{\text{fixed-effects}} + \underbrace{\beta_1}_{\text{Poisson regression model}} x_i$$

(β_0, β_1) ~ diffuse

fixed-effects
Poisson regression model
(FEPR)

$$(Y_i | \lambda_i, \mathcal{B}) \stackrel{I}{\sim} \text{Poisson}(\lambda_i)$$

$$\log \lambda_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \beta_3 x_{i3} + \dots + \beta_k x_{ik}$$

random effects
Poisson reg. model (REPR)

DIC
BIC

sickness at beginning of experiment

ϵ_i
IID $N(0, \sigma_e^2)$

model complexity is somewhere between 3 & (572+3).
use data to estimate

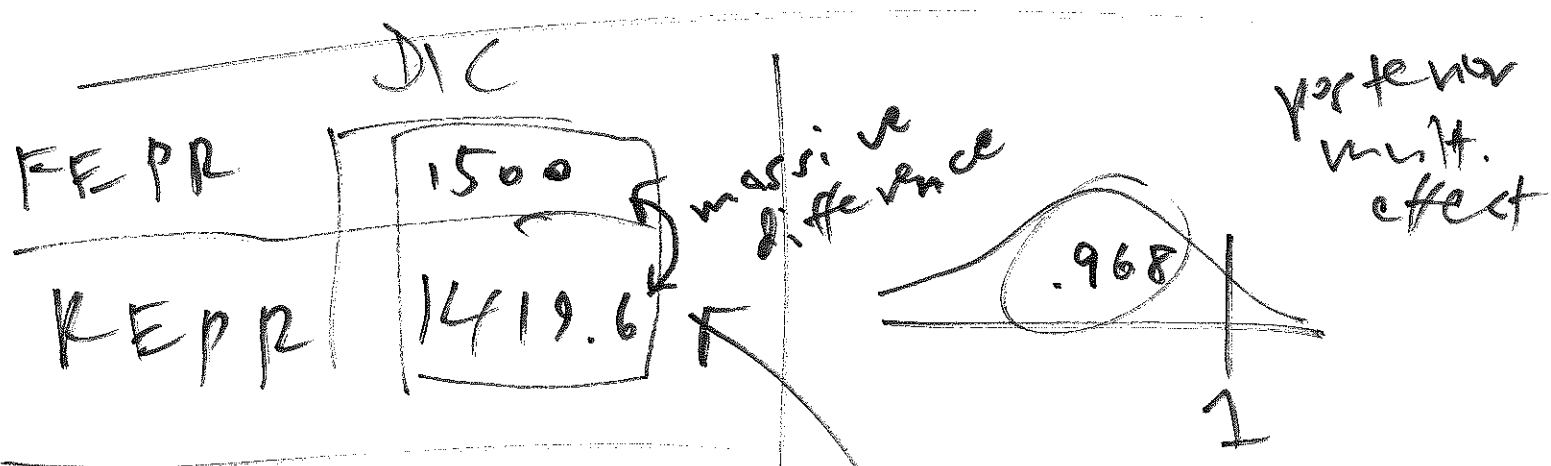
(unobserved)

latent variables

random effects

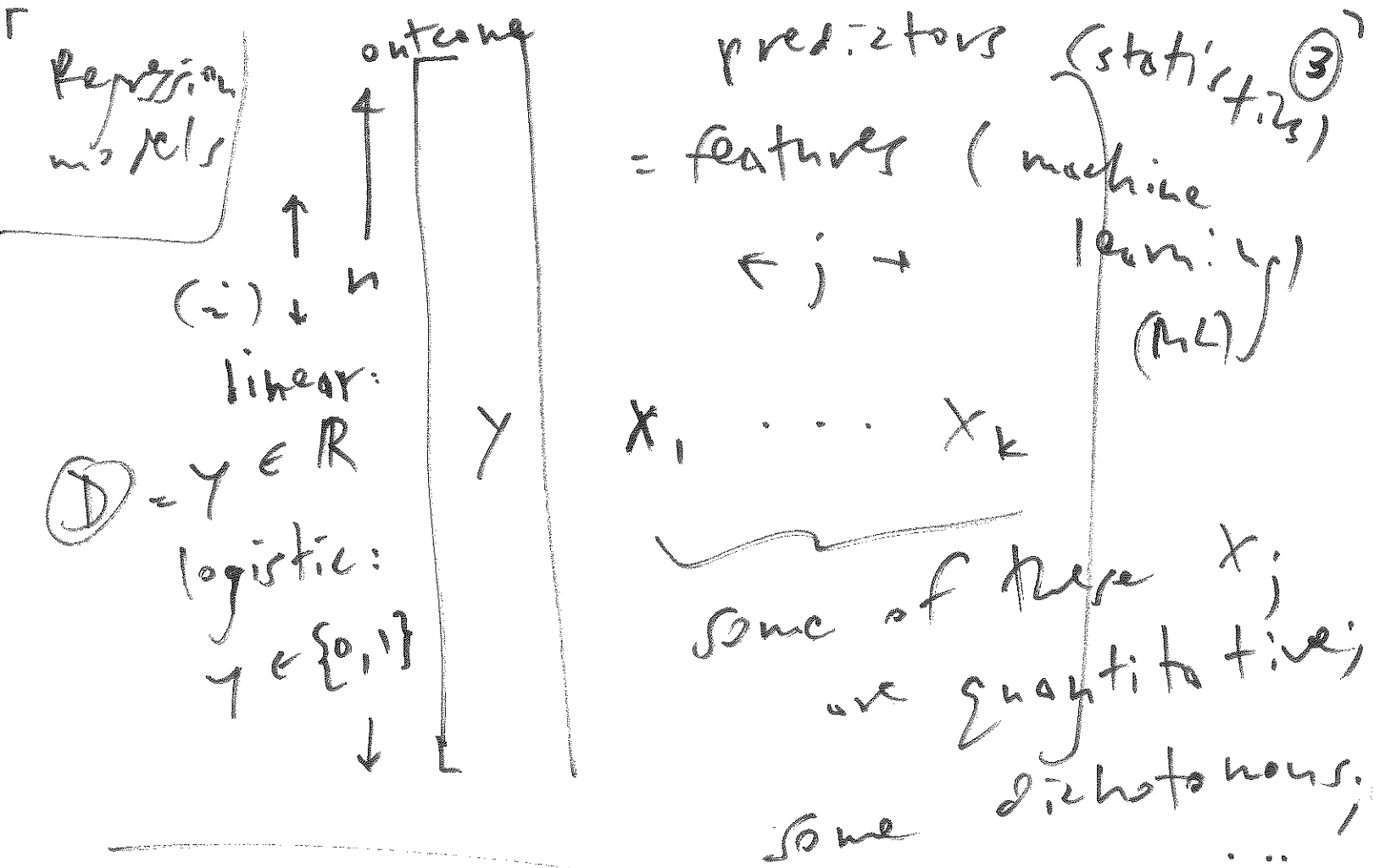
This KEPR model is also a lognormal mixture of Poissons; an alternative would be Gamma mixture of Poisson (generalization of Negative Binomial)

The purpose of random effects is to describe within - (E/C) group heterogeneity in λ in relation to Poisson

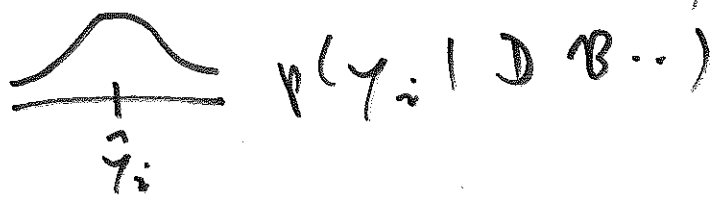


IHGA is statistically beneficial

KEPR wins



Goal: predict y from (x_1, \dots, x_k)
 as accurately as possible (ML)
 & attach well-calibrated measures
 of predictive uncertainty (error bands)
 to the point predictions (Bayesian statistics)



Buyer on a fixed budget

- ① create n bootstrap copies of f
- ② run ML algorithm on copy ℓ , obtaining \hat{y}_ℓ^*
- ③ collect \hat{y}_ℓ^* together to form an approx. posterior predictive dist.

linear regression

$$y_i = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \beta_2 x_{i2} + \dots + \beta_k x_{ik} + \epsilon_i$$

"error"

↑
IID
 $N(0, \sigma_\epsilon^2)$

$$y_i = \sum_{j=0}^k x_{ij} \beta_j, \quad x_i = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_{11} & x_{12} & \dots & x_{1k} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 1 & x_{n1} & x_{n2} & \dots & x_{nk} \end{bmatrix}$$

(fixed constants)

$$e = \begin{bmatrix} e_1 \\ \vdots \\ e_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$y = X\beta + e, \quad \beta = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_k \end{bmatrix}$$

maximum likelihood

$$\hat{\beta}_{MLE} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y$$

$$\hat{y} = X \hat{\beta}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_{MLE}^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$$

$$= X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y$$

hat matrix

Bayesian story:
like MLE but
with prior on β & σ^2
(see Banerjee's notes)

binary outcome

$$(y_i | p_i, \beta) \sim \text{Bernoulli}(p_i)$$

$(i = 1, \dots, n)$

log-likelihood

$$\log \frac{p_i}{1-p_i}$$

logit

$$\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_{i1} + \dots + \beta_k x_{ik}$$

logistic regression

closed-form

MLE don't exist; iterative methods needed

model
uncertainty

① variable selection: ⑥
optimal subset of (x_1, \dots, x_k)