

Solutions for Examination Categorical Data Analysis, February 3, 2021

Problem 1

a. Under binomial rows sampling we have that

$$\begin{aligned}N_{00} &\sim \text{Bin}(7, \pi_0), \\ N_{10} &\sim \text{Bin}(8, \pi_1)\end{aligned}$$

are independent and binomially distributed. Therefore the likelihood $l(\pi_0, \pi_1)$ is given by the joint distribution of N_{01} and N_{11} , i.e.

$$\begin{aligned}l(\pi_0, \pi_1) &= P(N_{00} = 5, N_{10} = 2) \\ &= \binom{7}{5} \pi_0^5 (1 - \pi_0)^2 \cdot \binom{8}{2} \pi_1^2 (1 - \pi_1)^6 \\ &= 588 \cdot \pi_0^5 (1 - \pi_0)^2 \pi_1^2 (1 - \pi_1)^6.\end{aligned}\tag{1}$$

b. The null hypothesis and the alternative hypothesis correspond to

$$\begin{aligned}H_0 &: \pi_0 = \pi_1, \\ H_a &: \pi_0 > \pi_1,\end{aligned}\tag{2}$$

respectively. Introducing the odds ratio

$$\theta = \frac{\pi_0/(1 - \pi_0)}{\pi_1/(1 - \pi_1)},\tag{3}$$

we find that (2) is equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned}H_0 &: \theta = 1, \\ H_a &: \theta > 1.\end{aligned}$$

c. Let n_{ij} be the observed cell counts. If we condition on the two row sums n_{i+} and the two column sums n_{+j} , then N_{00} has a hypergeometric distribution under H_0 , i.e.

$$\begin{aligned}P_{H_0}(N_{00} = k | N_{0+} = 7, N_{1+} = 8, N_{+0} = 7, N_{+1} = 8) \\ = \binom{7}{k} \binom{8}{7-k} / \binom{15}{7}\end{aligned}\tag{4}$$

for $0 \leq k \leq 7$.

The null hypothesis is rejected for large values of N_{00} , since then it is more likely that H_a holds. Denote the conditioning above by three dots (\dots). Since $n_{00} = 5$, we find that

$$\begin{aligned}
P\text{-value} &= P_{H_0}(N_{11} = 5 | \dots) + P_{H_0}(N_{00} = 6 | \dots) + P_{H_0}(N_{00} = 7 | \dots) \\
&= \binom{7}{5} \binom{8}{2} / \binom{15}{7} + \binom{7}{6} \binom{8}{1} / \binom{15}{7} + \binom{7}{7} \binom{8}{0} / \binom{15}{7} \\
&= (21 \cdot 28 + 7 \cdot 8 + 1 \cdot 1) / 6435 \\
&= 645 / 6435 \\
&= 0.100.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence we cannot reject the null hypothesis, that the lady guesses at random, at level 5%.

- d. Starting with the joint distribution of N_{00} and N_{10} , as in (1), we condition on the columns sums as well. Since we already condition on row sums in (1), and since $N_{+1} = 15 - N_{+0}$, we only need to write out N_{+0} in the conditioning. This gives

$$\begin{aligned}
P(N_{00} = k | N_{+0} = 7) &= P(N_{00} = k, N_{10} = 7 - k) / P(N_{+0} = 7) \\
&\propto P(N_{00} = k, N_{10} = 7 - k) \\
&= \binom{7}{k} \pi_0^k (1 - \pi_0)^{7-k} \cdot \binom{8}{7-k} \pi_1^{7-k} (1 - \pi_1)^{8-(7-k)} \quad (5) \\
&\propto \binom{7}{k} \binom{8}{7-k} \theta^k,
\end{aligned}$$

for $k = 0, 1, \dots, 7$, where the odds ratio (3) was used in the fourth step. Expressions to the right and left of a proportionality sign \propto in (5) differ by a multiplicative constant, not depending on k . The proportionality constant of the last step is chosen so that all probabilities sum to one. This gives a non-central hypergeometric distribution

$$P(N_{00} = k | N_{+0} = 7) = \frac{\binom{7}{k} \binom{8}{7-k} \theta^k}{\sum_{l=0}^7 \binom{7}{l} \binom{8}{7-l} \theta^l},$$

for $0 \leq k \leq 7$. The special case $\theta = 1$ is identical to the hypergeometric distribution (4).

Problem 2

- a. Because of independent binomial rows sampling, the log likelihood of the dataset is

$$\begin{aligned}
L(\pi, \Delta) &= \log \binom{n_{0+}}{n_{01}} + n_{00} \log(1 - \pi - \Delta) + n_{01} \log(\pi + \Delta) \\
&+ \log \binom{n_{1+}}{n_{11}} + n_{10} \log(1 - \pi) + n_{11} \log(\pi), \quad (6)
\end{aligned}$$

with $n_{00} = 2350$, $n_{01} = 42$, $n_{10} = 2417$, and $n_{11} = 53$.

- b. Inserting the numbers of the table into the definitions of $\hat{\Delta}$ and $\hat{\pi}$, we find that

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{\Delta} &= 42/2392 - 53/2470 = 0.00390, \\
\hat{\pi} &= 95/4862 = 0.0195.
\end{aligned}$$

This gives a score statistic

$$z_S = \frac{0.00390}{\sqrt{(\frac{1}{2392} + \frac{1}{2470}) \cdot 0.0195(1 - 0.0195)}} = -0.983.$$

Since $z_S > -1.645$ we conclude that H_0 cannot be rejected at significance level 5%.

c. By differentiating (6) with respect to π and Δ , we find that

$$\begin{aligned} u_\pi(\pi, \Delta) &= n_{01}/(\pi + \Delta) - n_{00}/(1 - \pi - \Delta) + n_{11}/\pi - n_{10}/(1 - \pi), \\ u_\Delta(\pi, \Delta) &= n_{01}/(\pi + \Delta) - n_{00}/(1 - \pi - \Delta). \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

d. We start by finding the elements of the Hessian matrix $\mathbf{H}(\pi, \Delta)$. That is, we differentiate (7) with respect to π and Δ , and obtain

$$\begin{aligned} H_{\pi\pi}(\pi, \Delta) &= \partial u_\pi(\pi, \Delta)/\partial\pi \\ &= -n_{01}/(\pi + \Delta)^2 - n_{00}/(1 - \pi - \Delta)^2 \\ &\quad - n_{11}/\pi^2 - n_{10}/(1 - \pi)^2, \\ H_{\pi\Delta}(\pi, \Delta) &= \partial u_\pi(\pi, \Delta)/\partial\Delta \\ &= -n_{01}/(\pi + \Delta)^2 - n_{00}/(1 - \pi - \Delta)^2, \\ H_{\Delta\Delta}(\pi, \Delta) &= \partial u_\Delta(\pi, \Delta)/\partial\Delta \\ &= -n_{01}/(\pi + \Delta)^2 - n_{00}/(1 - \pi - \Delta)^2. \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

Since the rows of the table have independent binomial distributions, it follows that the expected cell counts are $E(N_{00}) = n_{0+}(1 - \pi - \Delta)$, $E(N_{01}) = n_{0+}(\pi + \Delta)$, $E(N_{10}) = n_{1+}(1 - \pi)$, and $E(N_{11}) = n_{1+}\pi$. Inserting these expectations into (8), and changing sign, we find that the elements of the Fisher information matrix are given by

$$\begin{aligned} J_{\pi\pi}(\pi, \Delta) &= -E[H_{\pi\pi}(\pi, \Delta)] = n_{0+}/[(\pi + \Delta)(1 - \pi - \Delta)] + n_{1+}/[\pi(1 - \pi)], \\ J_{\pi\Delta}(\pi, \Delta) &= -E[H_{\pi\Delta}(\pi, \Delta)] = n_{0+}/[(\pi + \Delta)(1 - \pi - \Delta)], \\ J_{\Delta\Delta}(\pi, \Delta) &= -E[H_{\Delta\Delta}(\pi, \Delta)] = n_{0+}/[(\pi + \Delta)(1 - \pi - \Delta)]. \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

e. It is convenient to introduce $\hat{\pi}_0 = n_{01}/n_{0+}$ and $\hat{\pi} = \hat{\pi}(0) = n_{+1}/n$. In view of (7), the numerator of the score test is

$$\begin{aligned} u(\hat{\pi}, 0) &= n_{01}/\hat{\pi} - n_{00}/(1 - \hat{\pi}) \\ &= n_{0+}[\hat{\pi}_0/\hat{\pi} - (1 - \hat{\pi}_0)/(1 - \hat{\pi})] \\ &= n_{0+}(\hat{\pi}_0 - \hat{\pi})/[\hat{\pi}(1 - \hat{\pi})] \\ &= n_{0+}n_{1+}\hat{\Delta}/[n\hat{\pi}(1 - \hat{\pi})], \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

where in the last step we used that $\hat{\pi}_0 - \hat{\pi} = (n_{1+}/n)\hat{\Delta}$. On the other hand, making use of (9) and the hint, we find that

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}[u(\hat{\pi}, 0)] &= J_{\Delta\Delta}(\hat{\pi}, 0) - J_{\pi\Delta}(\hat{\pi}, 0)^2/J_{\pi\pi}(\hat{\pi}, 0) \\ &= n_{0+}/[\hat{\pi}(1 - \hat{\pi})] - \{n_{0+}/[\hat{\pi}(1 - \hat{\pi})]\}^2/\{n/[\hat{\pi}(1 - \hat{\pi})]\} \\ &= n_{0+}n_{1+}/[n\hat{\pi}(1 - \hat{\pi})]. \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

Finally, by taking the ratio of (10) and the square root of (11), we obtain the sought for expression

$$z_S = \frac{\hat{\Delta}}{\sqrt{\frac{n}{n_{0+}n_{1+}}\hat{\pi}(1-\hat{\pi})}} = \frac{\hat{\Delta}}{\sqrt{(\frac{1}{n_{0+}} + \frac{1}{n_{1+}})\hat{\pi}(1-\hat{\pi})}}$$

of the score statistic.

Problem 3

a. The loglinear parametrization of (XZ, YZ) is

$$\mu_{ijk} = \exp(\lambda + \lambda_i^X + \lambda_j^Y + \lambda_k^Z + \lambda_{ik}^{XZ} + \lambda_{jk}^{YZ}) \quad (12)$$

for $0 \leq i, j, k \leq 1$. Assume that $X = 0, Y = 0$ and $Z = 0$ are chosen as baseline levels. Then those loglinear parameters are put to zero for which at least one index i, j or k equals 0. The remaining parameters are

$$\boldsymbol{\beta} = (\lambda, \lambda_1^X, \lambda_1^Y, \lambda_1^Z, \lambda_{11}^{XZ}, \lambda_{11}^{YZ}). \quad (13)$$

b. It follows from (12) that

$$\mu_{ijk} = A_k B_{ik} C_{jk}, \quad (14)$$

with $A_k = \exp(\lambda + \lambda_k^Z)$, $B_{ik} = \exp(\lambda_i^X + \lambda_{ik}^{XZ})$ and $C_{jk} = \exp(\lambda_j^Y + \lambda_{jk}^{YZ})$. Then, summing over one of i or j , or over both indices simultaneously in (14), we find that

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{i+k} &= A_k B_{ik} C_{+k}, \\ \mu_{+jk} &= A_k B_{+k} C_{jk}, \\ \mu_{+++k} &= A_k B_{+k} C_{+k}. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently,

$$\frac{\mu_{i+k}\mu_{+jk}}{\mu_{+++k}} = \frac{A_k B_{ik} C_{+k} \cdot A_k B_{+k} C_{jk}}{A_k B_{+k} C_{+k}} = A_k B_{ik} C_{jk} = \mu_{ijk}.$$

Alternatively, we may work directly with the cell probabilities $\pi_{ijk} = \mu_{ijk}/\mu_{+++}$. Since X and Y are conditionally independent given Z for model (XZ, YZ) , it follows that

$$\pi_{ijk} = \pi_{+++}\pi_{ij|k} = \pi_{+++}\pi_{i+|k}\pi_{+j|k} = \pi_{+++} \cdot \frac{\pi_{i+k}}{\pi_{+++}} \cdot \frac{\pi_{+jk}}{\pi_{+++}} = \frac{\pi_{i+k}\pi_{+jk}}{\pi_{+++}},$$

and hence

$$\mu_{ijk} = \mu_{+++}\pi_{ijk} = \mu_{+++} \cdot \frac{\frac{\mu_{i+k}}{\mu_{+++}} \cdot \frac{\mu_{+jk}}{\mu_{+++}}}{\frac{\mu_{+++k}}{\mu_{+++}}} = \frac{\mu_{i+k}\mu_{+jk}}{\mu_{+++k}}.$$

c. The maximum likelihood estimates

$$\hat{\mu}_{ijk} = \frac{n_{i+k}n_{+jk}}{n_{+++k}}$$

of the expected cell counts are obtained by replacing μ_{i+k} , μ_{+jk} and μ_{+++} by estimates n_{i+k} , n_{+jk} and n_{+++} respectively. From the given marginals of the two partial tables we can read off all n_{i+k} , n_{+jk} and n_{+++} . Applying this for $i = j = k = 1$, we find that

$$\hat{\mu}_{111} = \frac{n_{1+1}n_{+11}}{n_{+++}} = \frac{49 \cdot 51}{98} = 25.5,$$

which agrees with the value in cell $(i, j, k) = (1, 1, 1)$, in the rightmost partial table of Appendix B.

- d. The chisquare goodness-of-fit statistic for testing (XZ, YZ) , against the saturated model (XYZ) , is

$$\begin{aligned} X^2 &= \sum_{ijk} (n_{ijk} - \hat{\mu}_{ijk})^2 / \hat{\mu}_{ijk} \\ &= (841 - 838.2)^2 / 838.2 + \dots + (29 - 25.5)^2 / 25.5 \\ &= 9.36 \\ &> \chi_2^2(0.05) = 5.99, \end{aligned}$$

where in the last step we used that $\text{df} = 8 - 6 = 2$, since the saturated model has $2 \times 2 \times 2 = 8$ parameters, whereas the conditional independence model (XZ, YZ) has 6 parameters according to (13). Therefore we reject conditional independence between X and Y given Z at level 5%. This suggests there might be other common risk factors for mothers and children.

- e. From the two partial tables we obtain the following estimated conditional odds ratios:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\theta}_{XY(0)} &= (841 \cdot 4) / (27 \cdot 30) = 4.153, \\ \hat{\theta}_{XY(1)} &= (27 \cdot 29) / (22 \cdot 20) = 1.779. \end{aligned}$$

Since $\hat{\theta}_{XY(0)}$ and $\hat{\theta}_{XY(1)}$ are both larger than 1, this indicates other possible common (genetic or shared environmental) risk factors, whereas model (XY, YZ) has $\theta_{(0)}^{XY} = \theta_{(1)}^{XY} = 1$. Since $\hat{\theta}_{XY(0)}$ is larger than $\hat{\theta}_{XY(1)}$, this indicates that there is no homogeneous association $\theta_{(0)}^{XY} = \theta_{(1)}^{XY}$ between X and Y given Z , as for model (XZ, YZ) . It rather indicates that there is not only a second order association term between X and Y , but also a third order association term between X , Y and Z .

Problem 4

- a. The loglinear parametrization for (XY, XZ, YZ) requires addition of an XY -interaction term compared to (12). This gives

$$\mu_{ijk} = \exp(\lambda + \lambda_i^X + \lambda_j^Y + \lambda_k^Z + \lambda_{ij}^{XY} + \lambda_{ik}^{XZ} + \lambda_{jk}^{YZ}). \quad (15)$$

- b. Let $\pi_{ijk} = \mu_{ijk} / \mu_{+++} = P(X = i, Y = j, Z = k)$ be the cell probabilities, and $\pi_{i+k} = P(X = i, Z = k)$ the corresponding marginal probability for X and Z .

Using (15) we find that

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{logit}[P(Y = 1|X = i, Z = k)] &= \log[P(Y = 1|X = i, Z = k)/P(Y = 0|X = i, Z = k)] \\
&= \log[(\pi_{i1k}/\pi_{i+k})/(\pi_{i0k}/\pi_{i+k})] \\
&= \log(\pi_{i1k}/\pi_{i0k}) \\
&= \log(\mu_{i1k}/\mu_{i0k}) \\
&= (\lambda + \lambda_i^X + \lambda_1^Y + \lambda_k^Z + \lambda_{i1}^{XY} + \lambda_{ik}^{XZ} + \lambda_{1k}^{YZ}) \\
&\quad - (\lambda + \lambda_i^X + \lambda_0^Y + \lambda_k^Z + \lambda_{i0}^{XY} + \lambda_{ik}^{XZ} + \lambda_{0k}^{YZ}) \\
&= \alpha + \beta_i^X + \beta_k^Z,
\end{aligned}$$

where in the last step we used that

$$\begin{aligned}
\alpha &= \lambda_1^Y - \lambda_0^Y, \\
\beta_i^X &= \lambda_{i1}^{XY} - \lambda_{i0}^{XY}, \\
\beta_k^Z &= \lambda_{1k}^{YZ} - \lambda_{0k}^{YZ}.
\end{aligned}$$

If $X = 0$ and $Z = 0$ are chosen as baseline levels, then any loglinear parameter with $i = 0$ or $k = 0$ among its indices is zero, which implies $\beta_0^X = \beta_0^Z = 0$. The only remaining parameters are $(\alpha, \beta_1^X, \beta_1^Z)$.

- c. Since there is no third order interaction XYZ in the model, the conditional odds ratio between X and Y does not depend on the level k of the conditioning variable Z . We find that

$$\begin{aligned}
\log(\theta_{XY(k)}) &= \text{logit}[P(Y = 1|X = 1, Z = k)] - \text{logit}[P(Y = 1|X = 0, Z = k)] \\
&= \alpha + \beta_1^X + \beta_k^Z - (\alpha + \beta_0^X + \beta_k^Z) \\
&= \beta_1^X - \beta_0^X \\
&= \beta_1^X.
\end{aligned}$$

A Wald type approximate 95% confidence interval for $\log(\theta_{XY(k)})$ is

$$\begin{aligned}
&(\hat{\beta}_1^X - 1.96\sqrt{\widehat{\text{Var}}(\hat{\beta}_1^X)}, \hat{\beta}_1^X + 1.96\sqrt{\widehat{\text{Var}}(\hat{\beta}_1^X)}) \\
&= (0.8347 - 1.96\sqrt{0.1255}, 0.8347 + 1.96\sqrt{0.1255}) \\
&= (0.1404, 1.5290),
\end{aligned}$$

and the one for $\theta_{XY(k)}$ is

$$I = (\exp(0.1404), \exp(1.5290)) = (1.15, 4.61).$$

Since $1 \notin I$, this indicates (weakly) that there are additional common risk factors for the mother and child apart from Z . (Notice however, from the solution of Problem 3e), that a third order interaction between X , Y , and Z should possibly be included in the model as well.)

- d. Let $\pi(i, k) = P(Y = 1|X = i, Z = k)$. Our goal is to find a confidence interval for $\pi(0, 1)$. We will apply the delta method, based on the logit transformation. Recall from Problem 4b) that

$$\text{logit}[\pi(0, 1)] = \text{logit}[P(Y = 1|X = 0, Z = 1)] = \alpha + \beta_1^Z.$$

In order to find a confidence interval for $\text{logit}[\pi(0, 1)]$, we notice that the standard error is

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{SE} &= \sqrt{\widehat{\text{Var}}(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}_1^Z)} \\
&= \sqrt{\widehat{\text{Var}}(\hat{\alpha}) + 2\widehat{\text{Cov}}(\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\beta}_1^Z) + \widehat{\text{Var}}(\hat{\beta}_1^Z)} \\
&= \sqrt{0.0342 - 2 \cdot 0.0295 + 0.0977} \\
&= \sqrt{0.0792} \\
&= 0.27.
\end{aligned}$$

This gives a Wald type 95% confidence interval

$$\begin{aligned}
&(\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}_1^Z - 1.96 \cdot \text{SE}, \hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}_1^Z + 1.96 \cdot \text{SE}) \\
&= (-3.3818 + 3.0497 - 1.96 \cdot 0.27, -3.3818 + 3.0497 + 1.96 \cdot 0.27) \\
&= (-0.861, 0.197)
\end{aligned}$$

for $\text{logit}[\pi(0, 1)]$, which we transform to a confidence interval

$$\left(\frac{\exp(-0.861)}{1 + \exp(-0.861)}, \frac{\exp(0.197)}{1 + \exp(0.197)} \right) = (0.297, 0.549)$$

for $\pi(0, 1)$.

Problem 5

- a. By differentiating the density/probability function formula for the exponential dispersion family (EDF) twice with respect to the natural parameter θ_i of observation i , we find that the score function and Hessian of this observation are

$$u_i(y) = \frac{\partial \log f(y; \theta, \omega_i, \phi)}{\partial \theta_i} = \frac{\omega_i(y - b'(\theta_i))}{\phi} \quad (16)$$

and

$$H_i(y) = \frac{u_i(y)}{\partial \theta_i} = -\frac{\omega_i b''(\theta_i)}{\phi} \quad (17)$$

respectively.

- b. Since $nY_i \sim \text{Bin}(n_i, \pi_i)$, we have that

$$\begin{aligned}
P(Y_i = y) &= P(n_i Y_i = n_i y) \\
&= \binom{n_i}{n_i y} \pi^{n_i y} (1 - \pi)^{n_i - n_i y} \\
&= \binom{n_i}{n_i y} [(\pi_i / (1 - \pi_i))^{n_i y} (1 - \pi_i)^{n_i}] \\
&= \exp \left\{ [y \log(\pi_i / (1 - \pi_i)) - \log(1 - \pi_i)] / (1/n_i) + \log \left(\binom{n_i}{n_i y} \right) \right\}.
\end{aligned}$$

This corresponds to an EDF with

$$\begin{aligned}
\theta_i &= \log[\pi_i / (1 - \pi_i)], \\
\omega_i &= n_i, \\
\phi &= 1, \\
b(\theta_i) &= \log[1 / (1 - \pi_i)] = \log(1 + e^{\theta_i}), \\
c(y, \phi) &= \log \left(\binom{n_i}{n_i y} \right).
\end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

From this it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} b'(\theta_i) &= e^{\theta_i}/(1 + e^{\theta_i}) = \pi_i, \\ b''(\theta_i) &= e^{\theta_i}/(1 + e^{\theta_i})^2 = \pi_i(1 - \pi_i). \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

Making use of (16)-(17) and (18)-(19), we find that

$$\begin{aligned} u_i &= n_i(y - \pi_i) \\ H_i &= -n_i\pi_i(1 - \pi_i). \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

- c. Recall that $E(Y_i|\mathbf{x}_i) = \pi_i$ and that the natural parameter is θ_i . Since a canonical link function g is used, it follows from the first equation of (18) that

$$g(\pi_i) = \log\left(\frac{\pi_i}{1 - \pi_i}\right) = \theta_i = \mathbf{x}_i\boldsymbol{\beta} = \sum_{j=1}^p x_{ij}\beta_j. \quad (21)$$

Combining (20) and (21), we find that component j of the score function is

$$\begin{aligned} u_j(\boldsymbol{\beta}) &= \frac{\partial L(\boldsymbol{\beta})}{\partial \beta_j} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \log f(\mathbf{y}_i)}{\partial \beta_j} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \log f(\mathbf{y}_i)}{\partial \theta_j} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta_i}{\partial \beta_j} \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n n_i(y_i - \pi_i)x_{ij}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, component (j, k) of the Hessian matrix is

$$\begin{aligned} H_{jk}(\boldsymbol{\beta}) &= -\frac{\partial^2 L(\boldsymbol{\beta})}{\partial \beta_j \partial \beta_k} \\ &= -\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial^2 \log f(\mathbf{y}_i)}{\partial \beta_j \partial \beta_k} \\ &= -\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial^2 \log f(\mathbf{y}_i)}{\partial^2 \theta_j} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta_i}{\partial \beta_j} \cdot \frac{\partial \theta_i}{\partial \beta_k} \\ &= -\sum_{i=1}^n n_i\pi_i(1 - \pi_i)x_{ij}x_{ik}. \end{aligned} \quad (22)$$

Since the components of the Hessian matrix do not depend on data Y_1, \dots, Y_n , they equal their expected values. From (22) we deduce that the components of the Fisher information matrix are

$$\begin{aligned} J_{jk}(\boldsymbol{\beta}) &= -E[H_{jk}(\boldsymbol{\beta})] \\ &= -H_{jk}(\boldsymbol{\beta}) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n n_i\pi_i(1 - \pi_i)x_{ij}x_{ik}. \end{aligned}$$