



CV Course4 Loss functions

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Outlines



Introduction for loss functions

- **MSE/MAE**
- **Huber Loss**
- **Cross Entropy**
- **Focal Loss**
- **Center Loss**
- **Triplet Loss**

Hands-on

MSE (Mean-Square Error)

MAE (Mean-Absolute Error)



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$$MSE = \frac{1}{n} \sum \left(y - \hat{y} \right)^2$$

The square of the difference
between actual and
predicted

$$MAE = \frac{1}{n} \sum \left| y - \hat{y} \right|$$

Divide by the total
number of data points

Predicted output value

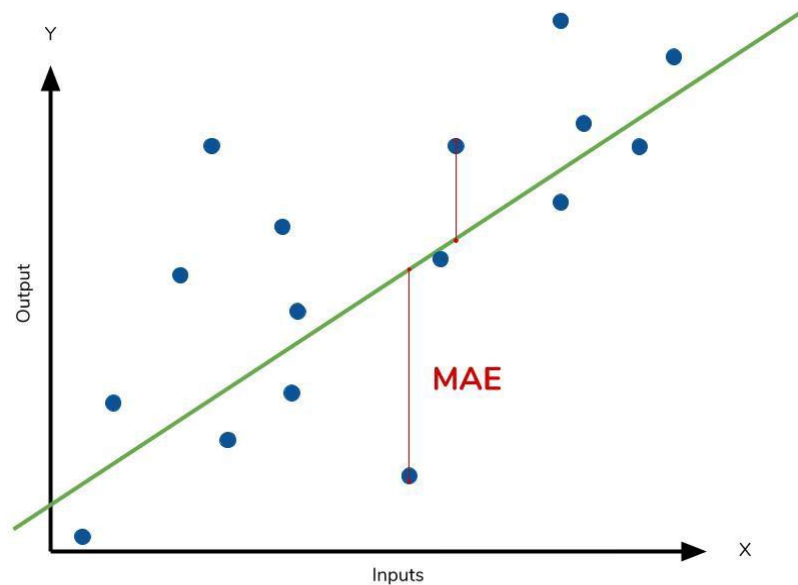
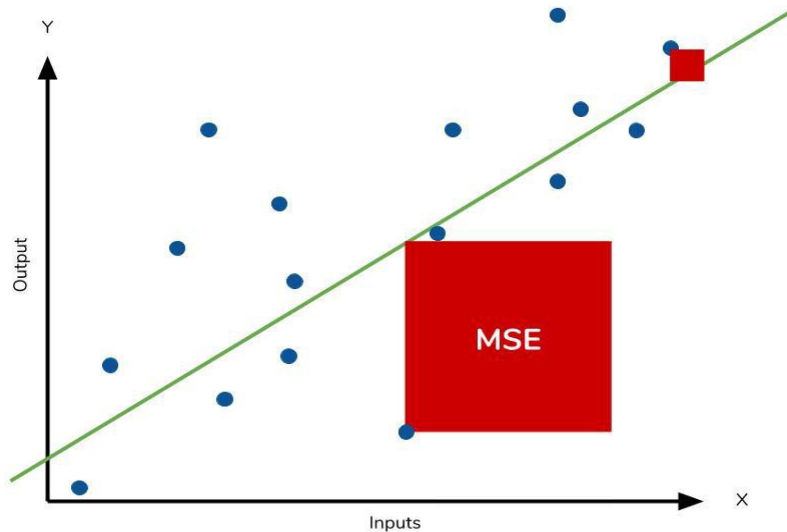
Actual output value

Sum of

The absolute value of the
residual

MSE (Mean-Square Error)

MAE (Mean-Absolute Error)

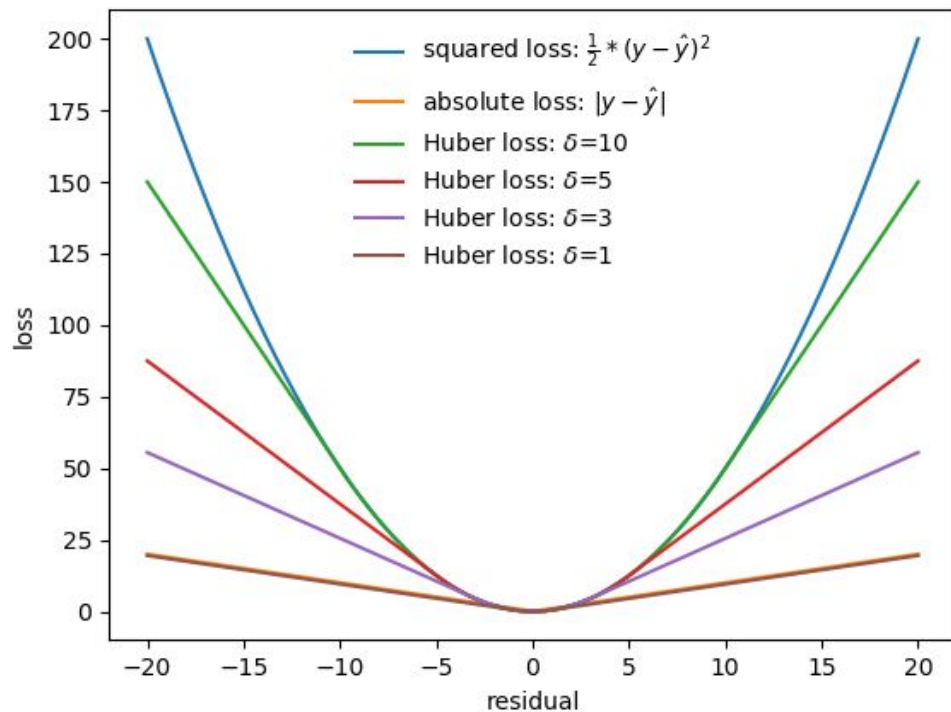


Huber Loss



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$$L_{\delta}(y, f(x)) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}(y - f(x))^2, & \text{if } |y - f(x)| \leq \delta \\ \delta|y - f(x)| - \frac{1}{2}\delta^2, & \text{if } |y - f(x)| > \delta \end{cases}$$

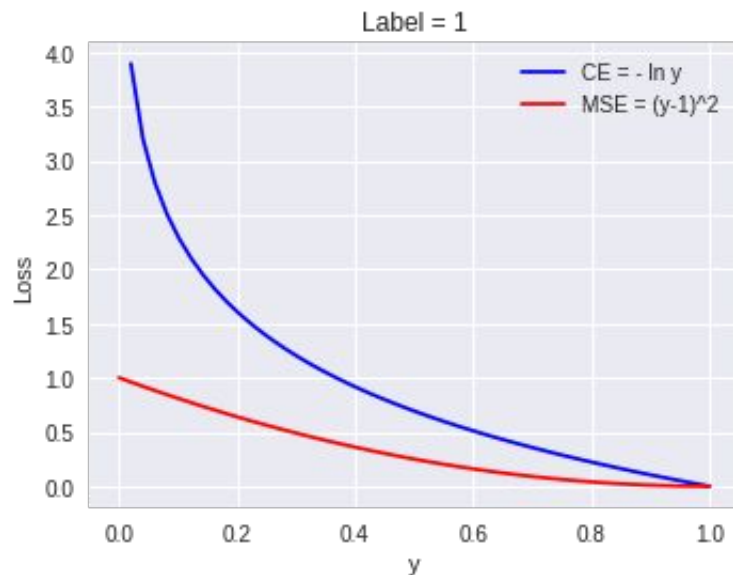
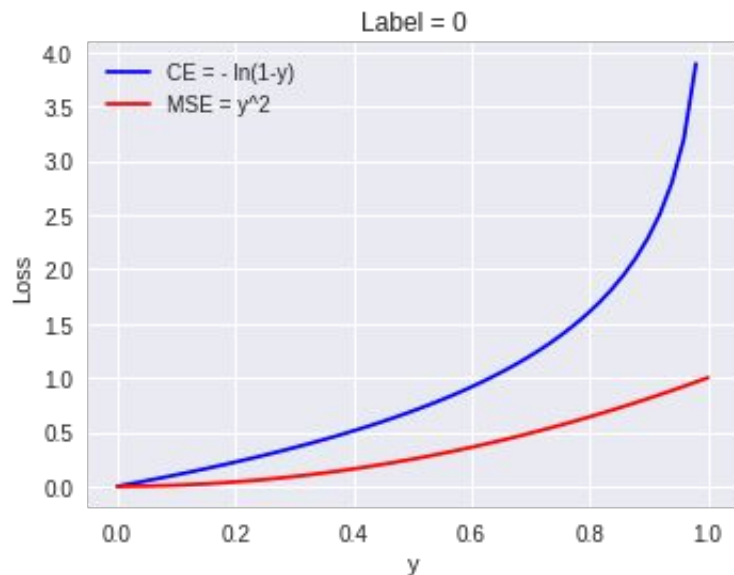


Cross Entropy



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$$H(p, q) = - \sum_x p(x) \log q(x).$$

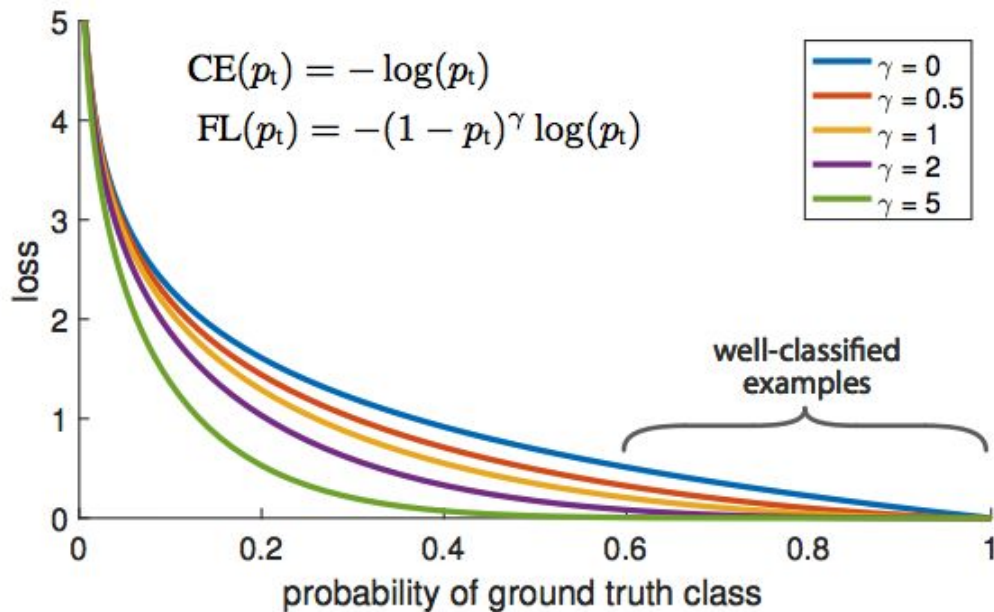


Focal Loss



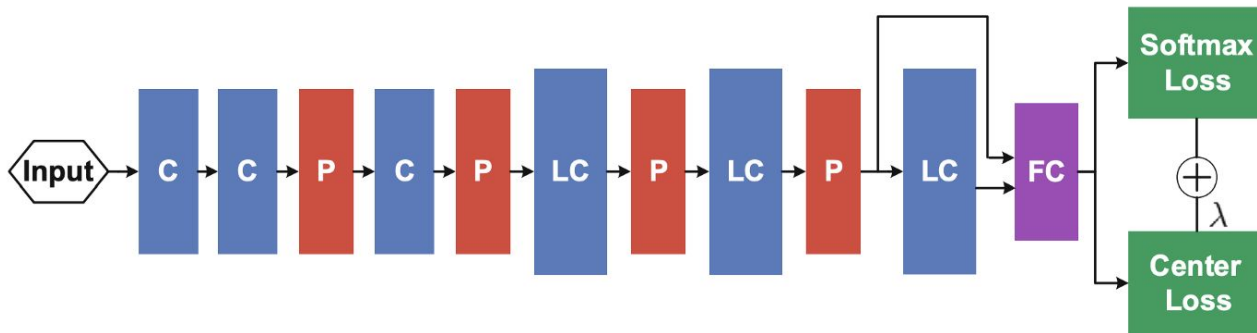
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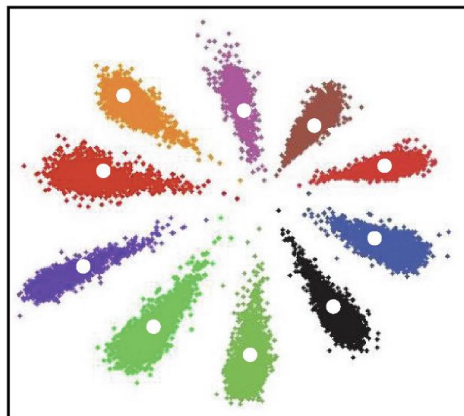
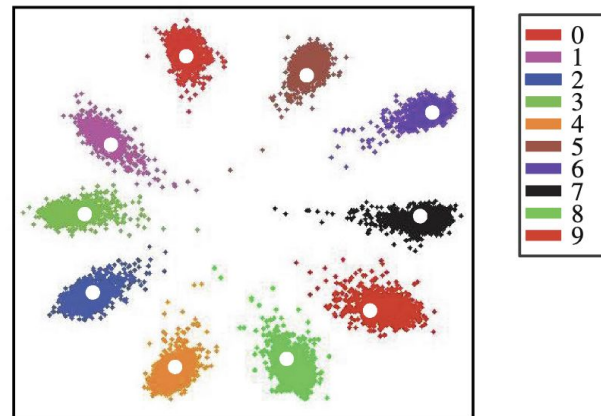
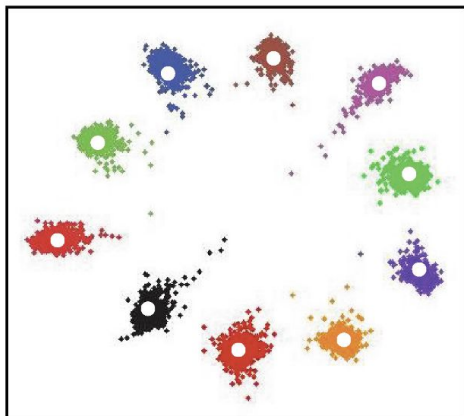
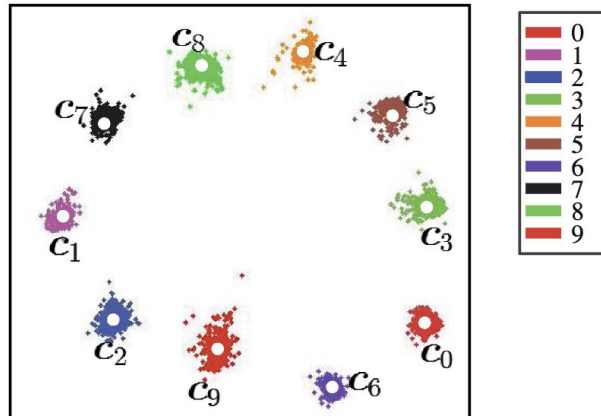
$$Loss(x, class) = -\alpha_{class} \left(1 - \frac{e^{x[class]}}{\sum_j e^{x[j]}}\right)^\gamma \log\left(\frac{e^{x[class]}}{\sum_j e^{x[j]}}\right)$$



Center Loss

$$\mathcal{L}_C = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m \|\mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{c}_{y_i}\|_2^2$$



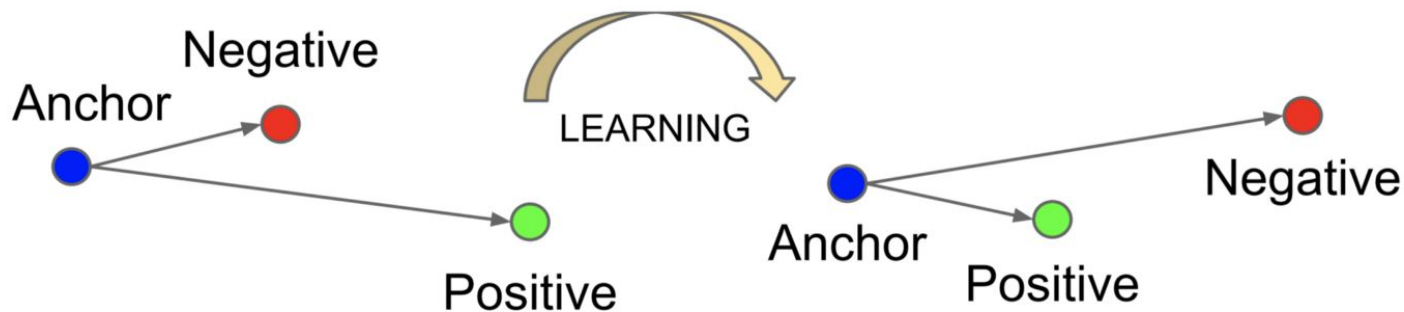
(a) $\lambda = 0.001$ (b) $\lambda = 0.01$ (c) $\lambda = 0.1$ (d) $\lambda = 1$

Triplet Loss



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$$Loss = \sum_{i=1}^N \left[\|f_i^a - f_i^p\|_2^2 - \|f_i^a - f_i^n\|_2^2 + \alpha \right]_+$$

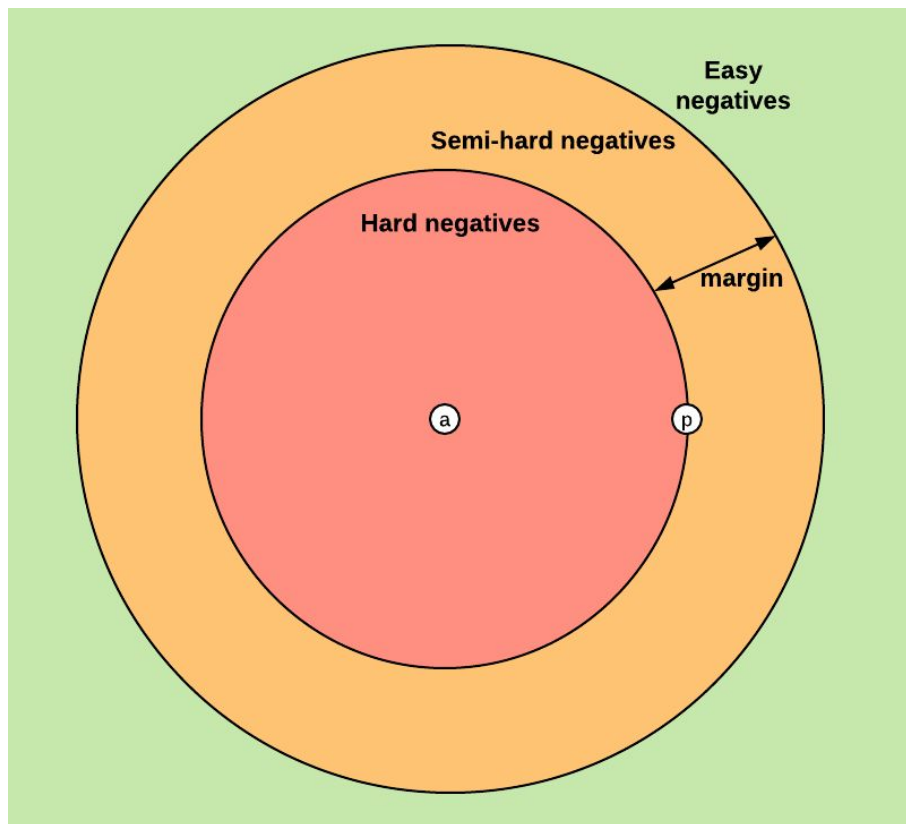


Triplet Loss

3 types of negative



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