

# CS/CS 316/365 Deep Learning

## Activity 9

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### CNNs

Activity needs to be handwritten. Submission will be online on canvas only.

- Consider a 1D convolutional network where the input has three channels. The first hidden layer is computed using a kernel size of three and has four channels. The second hidden layer is computed using a kernel size of five and has ten channels. How many biases and how many weights are needed for each of these two convolutional layers?

solution:

The first layer contains  $3 \times 4 \times 3 = 36$  weights and 4 biases. The second hidden layer has  $4 \times 10 \times 5$  weights and 10 biases.

- Consider a convolutional network with 1D input  $x$ . The first hidden layer H1 is computed using a convolution with kernel size five, stride two, and a dilation rate of one. The second hidden layer H2 is computed using a convolution with kernel size three, stride one, and a dilation rate of one. The third hidden layer H3 is computed using a convolution with kernel size five, stride one, and a dilation rate of two. What are the receptive field sizes at each hidden layer?

solution:

First layer has a receptive field of 5. Second layer has a receptive field of 9. Third layer has a receptive field size of 25.

- Write out the equation for a 1D convolution with kernel size seven, dilation rate of three, and stride of three. solution:

$$z_i = \omega_1 x_{3i-11} + \omega_2 x_{3i-8} + \omega_3 x_{3i-5} + \omega_4 x_{3i-2} + \omega_5 x_{3i+1} + \omega_6 x_{3i+4} + \omega_7 x_{3i+7}.$$

- Consider a 2D convolutional layer with kernel size  $5 \times 5$  that takes 3 input channels and returns 10 output channels. How many convolutional weights are there? How many biases?

solution:

There would be  $5 \times 5 \times 3 \times 10 = 750$  weights (kernel height  $\times$  kernel height  $\times$  input channels  $\times$  output channels) and 10 biases (output channels).

- Consider two hidden layers of size  $224 \times 224$  with C1 and C2 channels, respectively, connected by a  $3 \times 3$  convolutional layer. Describe how to initialize the weights using He initialization.

solution:

He initialization is based on the number of weights that contribute to each hidden unit. In this case, there would be  $C1 \times 3 \times 3$  weights contributing to each hidden unit, so we would initialize with mean zero and a variance of  $2/9C1$ .