

Assignment 1 Theoretical ML

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Problem 1

(a) Proof

Given:

- A is an $m \times n$ matrix.
- \mathbf{x} is an $n \times 1$ vector.

We need to prove:

$$\frac{d}{d\mathbf{x}}[A\mathbf{x}] = A$$

Solution:

The expression $A\mathbf{x}$ represents a linear transformation of the vector \mathbf{x} by the matrix A . Each component of $A\mathbf{x}$ is a linear function of the components of \mathbf{x} .

To find the derivative, we consider the i -th component of $A\mathbf{x}$:

$$(A\mathbf{x})_i = \sum_{j=1}^n A_{ij}x_j$$

where A_{ij} is the element in the i -th row and j -th column of A , and x_j is the j -th component of \mathbf{x} .

Taking the partial derivative with respect to x_k , we get:

$$\frac{\partial (A\mathbf{x})_i}{\partial x_k} = A_{ik}$$

Thus, the derivative of $A\mathbf{x}$ with respect to \mathbf{x} is:

$$\frac{d}{d\mathbf{x}}[A\mathbf{x}] = A$$

This completes the proof for part (a).

(b) Proof

Given:

- A is an $n \times n$ matrix.
- \mathbf{x} is an $n \times 1$ vector.

We need to prove:

$$\frac{d}{d\mathbf{x}}[\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}] = \mathbf{x}^T (A + A^T)$$

Solution:

The expression $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}$ is a scalar quadratic form in \mathbf{x} . To find the derivative, we use the properties of matrix calculus.

First, write the quadratic form explicitly:

$$\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n x_i A_{ij} x_j$$

Taking the partial derivative with respect to x_k , we get:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x_k}(\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ik} x_i + \sum_{j=1}^n A_{kj} x_j$$

Notice that:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n A_{ik} x_i = (A \mathbf{x})_k$$

and

$$\sum_{j=1}^n A_{kj} x_j = (A^T \mathbf{x})_k$$

Thus:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x_k}(\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}) = (A \mathbf{x})_k + (A^T \mathbf{x})_k$$

In vector notation, this can be written as:

$$\frac{d}{d\mathbf{x}}[\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}] = A \mathbf{x} + A^T \mathbf{x}$$

Transposing both sides, we get:

$$\frac{d}{d\mathbf{x}}[\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x}] = \mathbf{x}^T (A + A^T)$$

This completes the proof for part (b).

Problem 2

Ans: The dimension of final result is $m \times n \times k$

Problem 3

(a)

We need to differentiate the following vector function with respect to the vector $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$:

$$\mathbf{f}(x, y) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \sin^2(x) \cos(y) \\ x^2 + 3e^y \end{pmatrix}$$

The Jacobian matrix \mathbf{J} of \mathbf{f} with respect to $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$ is given by:

$$\mathbf{J} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} \end{pmatrix}$$

Calculate the partial derivatives:

$$\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [2 \sin^2(x) \cos(y)] = 4 \sin(x) \cos(x) \cos(y)$$

$$\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [2 \sin^2(x) \cos(y)] = -2 \sin^2(x) \sin(y)$$

$$\frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [x^2 + 3e^y] = 2x$$

$$\frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} [x^2 + 3e^y] = 3e^y$$

Therefore, the Jacobian matrix \mathbf{J} is:

$$\mathbf{J} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \sin(x) \cos(x) \cos(y) & -2 \sin^2(x) \sin(y) \\ 2x & 3e^y \end{pmatrix}$$

(b)

$$\mathbf{Ans. J} = \begin{pmatrix} 6xy + yzw & 3x^2 + xzw & xyw & xyz \\ 2x \cos(x^2 + yw - z) & w \cos(x^2 + yw - z) & -\cos(x^2 + yw - z) & y \cos(x^2 + yw - z) \end{pmatrix}$$