## 1 Gradient Descent

If we keep decreasing the  $\epsilon$  in our Finite Difference approach we effectively get the Derivative of the Cost Function.

$$C'(w) = \lim_{\epsilon \to 0} \frac{C(w+\epsilon) - C(w)}{\epsilon} \tag{1}$$

Let's compute the derivatives of all our models. Throughout the entire paper n means the amount of samples in the training set.

#### 1.1 Linear Model

$$x \longrightarrow w \longrightarrow y$$

$$y = x \cdot w \tag{2}$$

#### 1.1.1 Cost

$$C(w) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i w - y_i)^2$$
(3)

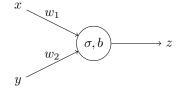
$$C'(w) = \left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i w - y_i)^2\right)' =$$
 (4)

$$= \frac{1}{n} \left( \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i w - y_i)^2 \right)' \tag{5}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left( (x_i w - y_i)^2 \right)' \tag{6}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(x_i w - y_i) x_i \tag{7}$$

## 1.2 One Neuron Model with 2 inputs



$$z = \sigma(xw_1 + yw_2 + b) \tag{8}$$

$$\sigma(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}} \tag{9}$$

$$\sigma'(x) = \sigma(x)(1 - \sigma(x)) \tag{10}$$

### 1.2.1 Cost

$$a_i = \sigma(x_i w_1 + y_i w_2 + b) \tag{11}$$

$$\partial_{w_1} a_i = \partial_{w_1} (\sigma(x_i w_1 + y_i w_2 + b)) = \tag{12}$$

$$= a_i(1 - a_i)\partial_{w_1}(x_iw_1 + y_iw_2 + b) =$$
(13)

$$= a_i(1 - a_i)x_i \tag{14}$$

$$\partial_{w_2} a_i = a_i (1 - a_i) y_i \tag{15}$$

$$\partial_b a_i = a_i (1 - a_i) \tag{16}$$

$$C = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (a_i - z_i)^2 \tag{17}$$

$$\partial_{w_1} C = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \partial_{w_1} \left( (a_i - z_i)^2 \right) = \tag{18}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(a_i - z_i) \partial_{w_1} a_i =$$
 (19)

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(a_i - z_i) a_i (1 - a_i) x_i \tag{20}$$

$$\partial_{w_2} C = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n 2(a_i - z_i) a_i (1 - a_i) y_i$$
 (21)

$$\partial_b C = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n 2(a_i - z_i) a_i (1 - a_i)$$
 (22)

## 1.3 Two Neurons Model with 1 input

$$x \xrightarrow{\quad w^{(1)} \quad \sigma, b^{(1)} \quad w^{(2)} \quad \sigma, b^{(2)} \quad y}$$

$$x = a^{(0)} \tag{23}$$

$$a^{(1)} = \sigma(xw^{(1)} + b^{(1)}) \tag{24}$$

$$y = a^{(2)} = \sigma(a^{(1)}w^{(2)} + b^{(2)}) \tag{25}$$

The superscript in parenthesis denotes the current layer. For example  $a_i^{(l)}$  denotes the activation from the l-th layer on i-th sample.

Then it follows that for a model with L layers, we have:

$$x = a^{(0)} \tag{26}$$

$$a^{(1)} = \sigma(xw^{(1)} + b^{(1)}) \tag{27}$$

$$a^{(2)} = \sigma(a^{(1)}w^{(2)} + b^{(2)}) \tag{28}$$

$$a^{(3)} = \sigma(a^{(2)}w^{(3)} + b^{(3)}) \tag{29}$$

$$\cdots$$
 (30)

$$a^{(l)} = \sigma(a^{(l-1)}w^{(l)} + b^{(l)}) \tag{31}$$

$$y = a^{(l+1)} = \sigma(a^{(l)}w^{(l+1)} + b^{(l+1)})$$
(32)

#### 1.3.1 Feed-Forward

$$a_i^{(0)} = x_i \tag{33}$$

(34)

$$a_i^{(1)} = \sigma(x_i w^{(1)} + b^{(1)}) \tag{35}$$

$$\partial_{w^{(1)}} a_i^{(1)} = a_i^{(1)} (1 - a_i^{(1)}) x_i \tag{36}$$

$$\partial_{b_1} a_i^{(1)} = a_i^{(1)} (1 - a_i^{(1)}) \tag{37}$$

$$\partial_{a_i^{(0)}} a_i^{(1)} = \partial_{x_i} a_i^{(1)} = a_i^{(1)} (1 - a_i^{(1)}) w^{(1)}$$
(38)

(39)

$$a_i^{(2)} = \sigma(a_i^{(1)} w^{(2)} + b^{(2)}) \tag{40}$$

$$\partial_{w^{(2)}} a_i^{(2)} = a_i^{(2)} (1 - a_i^{(2)}) a_i^{(1)} \tag{41}$$

$$\partial_{b^{(2)}} a_i^{(2)} = a_i^{(2)} (1 - a_i^{(2)}) \tag{42}$$

(43)

#### 1.3.2 Back-Propagation

$$C^{(2)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (a_i^{(2)} - y_i)^2$$
(44)

$$\partial_{w^{(2)}} C^{(2)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \partial_{w^{(2)}} ((a_i^{(2)} - y_i)^2)$$
(45)

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(a_i^{(2)} - y_i) \partial_{w^{(2)}} a_i^{(2)} =$$
(46)

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(a_i^{(2)} - y_i) a_i^{(2)} (1 - a_i^{(2)}) a_i^{(1)}$$
(47)

$$\partial_{b^{(2)}}C^{(2)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(a_i^{(2)} - y_i) a_i^{(2)} (1 - a_i^{(2)})$$
(48)

$$\partial_{a_i^{(1)}} C^{(2)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n 2(a_i^{(2)} - y_i) a_i^{(2)} (1 - a_i^{(2)}) w^{(2)}$$
(49)

$$e_i = a_i^{(1)} - \partial_{a_i^{(1)}} C^{(2)} \tag{50}$$

$$C^{(1)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (a_i^{(1)} - e_i)^2$$
(51)

$$\partial_{w^{(1)}} C^{(1)} = \partial_{w^{(1)}} \left( \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (a_i^{(1)} - e_i)^2 \right) = \tag{52}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \partial_{w^{(1)}} \left( (a_i^{(1)} - e_i)^2 \right) = \tag{53}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(a_i^{(1)} - e_i) \partial_{w^{(1)}} a_i^{(1)} =$$
 (54)

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(\partial_{a_i^{(1)}} C^{(2)}) a_i^{(1)} (1 - a_i^{(1)}) x_i$$
 (55)

$$\partial_{b^1} C^{(1)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n 2(\partial_{a_i^{(1)}} C^{(2)}) a_i^{(1)} (1 - a_i^{(1)})$$
(56)

# 1.4 Arbitrary Neurons Model with m input

Let's assume that we have m layers.

### 1.4.1 Feed-Forward

Let's assume that  $a_i^{(0)}$  is  $x_i$ .

$$a_i^{(l)} = \sigma(a_i^{(l-1)} w^{(l)} + b^{(l)}) \tag{57}$$

$$\partial_{w^{(l)}} a_i^{(l)} = a_i^{(l)} (1 - a_i^{(l)}) a_i^{(l-1)} \tag{58}$$

$$\partial_{b^{(l)}} a_i^{(l)} = a_i^{(l)} (1 - a_i^{(l)}) \tag{59}$$

$$\partial_{a_i^{(l-1)}} a_i^{(l)} = a_i^{(l)} (1 - a_i^{(l)}) w^{(l)}$$
(60)

# 1.4.2 Back-Propagation

Let's denote  $a_i^{(m)} - y_i$  as  $\partial_{a_i^{(m)}} C^{(m+1)}$ .

$$C^{(l)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (\partial_{a_i^{(l)}} C^{(l+1)})^2$$
(61)

$$\partial_{w^{(l)}} C^{(l)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(\partial_{a_i^{(l)}} C^{(l+1)}) a_i^{(l)} (1 - a_i^{(l)}) a_i^{(l-1)} =$$
 (62)

$$\partial_{b^{(l)}} C^{(l)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} 2(\partial_{a_i^{(l)}} C^{(l+1)}) a_i^{(l)} (1 - a_i^{(l)})$$
(63)

$$\partial_{a_i^{(l-1)}} C^{(l)} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n 2(\partial_{a_i^{(l)}} C^{(l+1)}) a_i^{(l)} (1 - a_i^{(l)}) w^{(l)}$$
(64)