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Topics in Deep Learning

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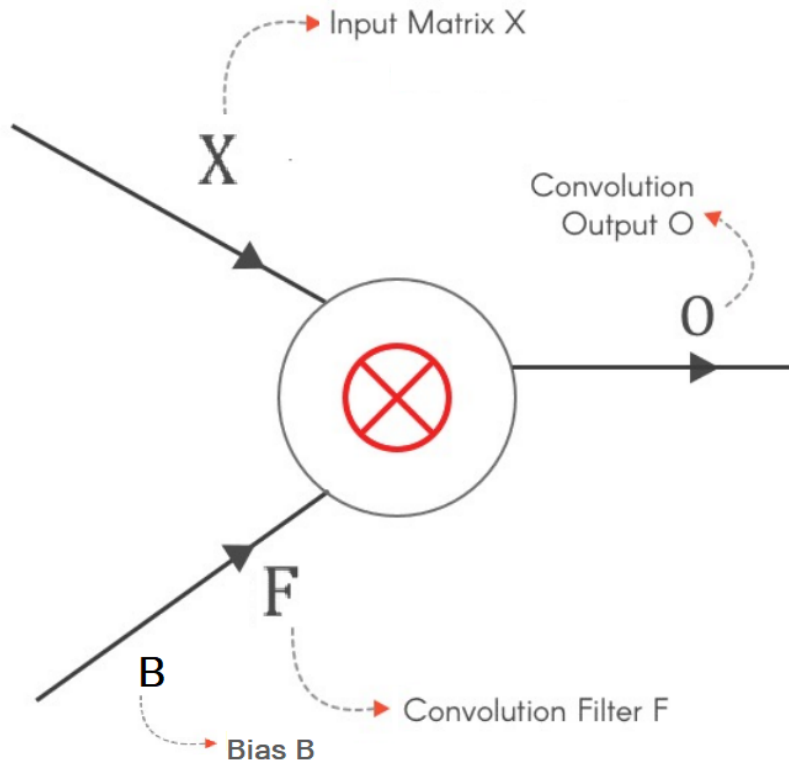
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- Backpropagation is an algorithm used to train neural networks by adjusting the weights of the network based on the error between the predicted output and the actual output.
- Backpropagation calculates the gradient of the loss function with respect to each parameter in the network and updates the network parameters in such a way that it minimizes the loss function.
- In CNNs the loss gradient is computed w.r.t the input and also w.r.t the filter, w.r.t the bias.

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Convolution Forward Pass

Convolution between Input X and Filter F, gives us an output O. This can be represented as:



$$\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline O_{11} & O_{12} \\ \hline O_{21} & O_{22} \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \text{Output } \mathbf{O} = \text{Convolution} \left(\begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline X_{11} & X_{12} & X_{13} \\ \hline X_{21} & X_{22} & X_{23} \\ \hline X_{31} & X_{32} & X_{33} \\ \hline \end{array}, \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline F_{11} & F_{12} \\ \hline F_{21} & F_{22} \\ \hline \end{array} \right) + \text{Bias } \mathbf{B}$$

Input X **Filter F**

Applying the convolution operation, we get:

X_{11}	X_{12}	X_{13}
X_{21}	X_{22}	X_{23}
X_{31}	X_{32}	X_{33}

Input X



F_{11}	F_{12}
F_{21}	F_{22}

Filter F

$X_{11}F_{11}$	$X_{12}F_{12}$	X_{13}
$X_{21}F_{21}$	$X_{22}F_{22}$	X_{23}
X_{31}	X_{32}	X_{33}

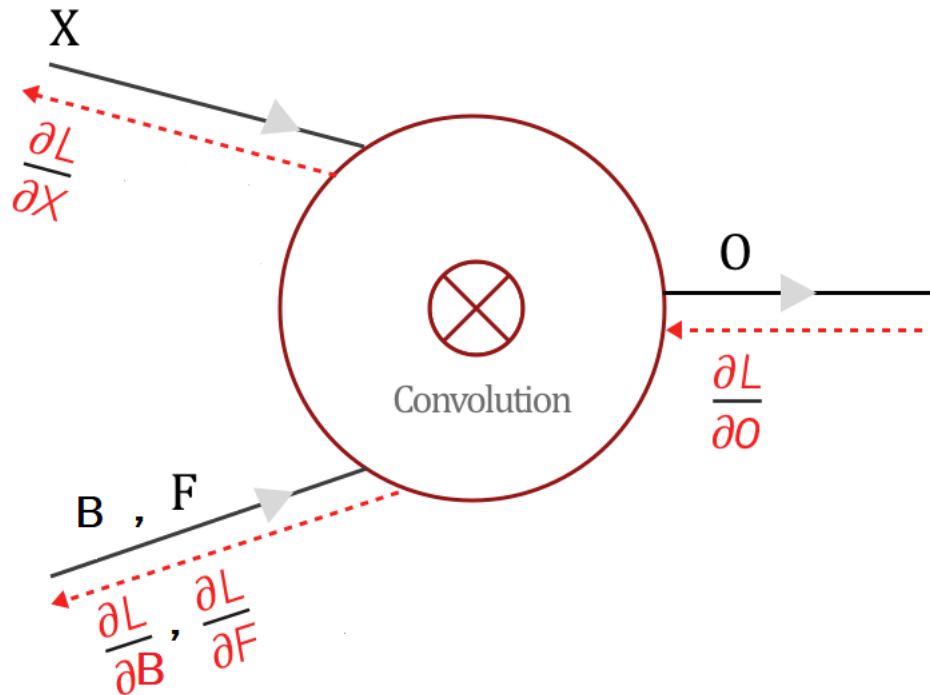
$$O_{11} = X_{11}F_{11} + X_{12}F_{12} + X_{21}F_{21} + X_{22}F_{22}$$

$$O_{11} = X_{11}F_{11} + X_{12}F_{12} + X_{21}F_{21} + X_{22}F_{22} + B$$

$$O_{12} = X_{12}F_{11} + X_{13}F_{12} + X_{22}F_{21} + X_{23}F_{22} + B$$

$$O_{21} = X_{21}F_{11} + X_{22}F_{12} + X_{31}F_{21} + X_{32}F_{22} + B$$

$$O_{22} = X_{22}F_{11} + X_{23}F_{12} + X_{32}F_{21} + X_{33}F_{22} + B$$



In ANNs, we update the weights as

$$W = W - \alpha * \frac{\partial L}{\partial W}$$

In CNNs, we update the network parameters as:

$$F = F - \alpha * \frac{\partial L}{\partial F}$$

$$B = B - \alpha * \frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$$

(where α is the learning parameter)

Since X is the output of the previous layer, $\frac{\partial L}{\partial X}$ becomes the loss gradient for the previous layer. So, we need to calculate $\frac{\partial L}{\partial F}$, $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$ and $\frac{\partial L}{\partial X}$.

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the filter, $\partial L / \partial F$:

We can use the chain rule to obtain the gradient w.r.t the filter as shown in the equation.

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O} * \frac{\partial O}{\partial F}$$

Diagram illustrating the chain rule for the gradient calculation:

- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial F}$ (red) is labeled "Gradient to update Filter F".
- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial O}$ is labeled "Loss Gradient from previous layer".
- $\frac{\partial O}{\partial F}$ is labeled "Local Gradients".

For every element of F

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F_i} = \sum_{k=1}^M \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_k} * \frac{\partial O_k}{\partial F_i}$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the filter, $\partial L / \partial F$:

On expanding the chain rule summation, we get:

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{11}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * \frac{\partial O_{11}}{\partial F_{11}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * \frac{\partial O_{12}}{\partial F_{11}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * \frac{\partial O_{21}}{\partial F_{11}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * \frac{\partial O_{22}}{\partial F_{11}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{12}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * \frac{\partial O_{11}}{\partial F_{12}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * \frac{\partial O_{12}}{\partial F_{12}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * \frac{\partial O_{21}}{\partial F_{12}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * \frac{\partial O_{22}}{\partial F_{12}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{21}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * \frac{\partial O_{11}}{\partial F_{21}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * \frac{\partial O_{12}}{\partial F_{21}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * \frac{\partial O_{21}}{\partial F_{21}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * \frac{\partial O_{22}}{\partial F_{21}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{22}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * \frac{\partial O_{11}}{\partial F_{22}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * \frac{\partial O_{12}}{\partial F_{22}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * \frac{\partial O_{21}}{\partial F_{22}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * \frac{\partial O_{22}}{\partial F_{22}}$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the filter, $\partial L / \partial F$:

To calculate $\partial O / \partial F$:

From these equations,

$$O_{11} = X_{11}F_{11} + X_{12}F_{12} + X_{21}F_{21} + X_{22}F_{22} + B$$

$$O_{12} = X_{12}F_{11} + X_{13}F_{12} + X_{22}F_{21} + X_{23}F_{22} + B$$

$$O_{21} = X_{21}F_{11} + X_{22}F_{12} + X_{31}F_{21} + X_{32}F_{22} + B$$

$$O_{22} = X_{22}F_{11} + X_{23}F_{12} + X_{32}F_{21} + X_{33}F_{22} + B$$

We get:

$$\frac{\partial O_{11}}{\partial F_{11}} = X_{11}, \frac{\partial O_{11}}{\partial F_{12}} = X_{12}, \frac{\partial O_{11}}{\partial F_{21}} = X_{21}, \frac{\partial O_{11}}{\partial F_{22}} = X_{22}$$

$$\frac{\partial O_{12}}{\partial F_{11}} = X_{12}, \frac{\partial O_{12}}{\partial F_{12}} = X_{13}, \frac{\partial O_{12}}{\partial F_{21}} = X_{22}, \frac{\partial O_{12}}{\partial F_{22}} = X_{23}$$

$$\frac{\partial O_{21}}{\partial F_{11}} = X_{21}, \frac{\partial O_{21}}{\partial F_{12}} = X_{22}, \frac{\partial O_{21}}{\partial F_{21}} = X_{31}, \frac{\partial O_{21}}{\partial F_{22}} = X_{32}$$

$$\frac{\partial O_{22}}{\partial F_{11}} = X_{22}, \frac{\partial O_{22}}{\partial F_{12}} = X_{23}, \frac{\partial O_{22}}{\partial F_{21}} = X_{32}, \frac{\partial O_{22}}{\partial F_{22}} = X_{33}$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the filter, $\partial L / \partial F$:

On substituting the values of the local gradient, we get:

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{11}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * X_{11} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * X_{12} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * X_{21} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * X_{22}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{12}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * X_{12} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * X_{13} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * X_{22} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * X_{23}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{21}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * X_{21} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * X_{22} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * X_{31} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * X_{32}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{22}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * X_{22} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * X_{23} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * X_{32} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * X_{33}$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the filter, $\partial L / \partial F$:

If we look closely, this can be represented as a **convolution operation** between input **X** and **loss gradient $\partial L / \partial O$** as shown below:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{11}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{21}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial F_{22}} \end{bmatrix} = \text{Convolution} \left(\begin{bmatrix} X_{11} & X_{12} & X_{13} \\ X_{21} & X_{22} & X_{23} \\ X_{31} & X_{32} & X_{33} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

where

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_{11} & X_{12} & X_{13} \\ X_{21} & X_{22} & X_{23} \\ X_{31} & X_{32} & X_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \text{Input X} \quad \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O} \quad \text{Loss gradient from previous layer}$$

$\partial L / \partial F$ = Convolution of input matrix X and loss gradient $\partial L / \partial O$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F} = \text{conv} \left(X, \frac{\partial L}{\partial O} \right)$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the bias, $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$:

We can use the chain rule to obtain the gradient w.r.t the bias as shown in the equation.

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O} * \frac{\partial O}{\partial B}$$

Diagram illustrating the chain rule for the gradient of the loss with respect to the bias B :

- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$ (red) is labeled "Gradient to update Bias B".
- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial O}$ is labeled "Loss Gradient from previous layer".
- $\frac{\partial O}{\partial B}$ is labeled "Local Gradients".

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = \sum_{k=1}^M \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_k} * \frac{\partial O_k}{\partial B}$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the bias, $\partial L / \partial B$:

To calculate $\partial O / \partial B$, we just partially derive O_{11} , O_{12} , O_{21} , and O_{22} with respect to B . Since there is only one B term in each O term (as shown), the partial differentiation just returns 1.

$$O_{11} = X_{11}F_{11} + X_{12}F_{12} + X_{21}F_{21} + X_{22}F_{22} + B$$

$$O_{12} = X_{12}F_{11} + X_{13}F_{12} + X_{22}F_{21} + X_{23}F_{22} + B$$

$$O_{21} = X_{21}F_{11} + X_{22}F_{12} + X_{31}F_{21} + X_{32}F_{22} + B$$

$$O_{22} = X_{22}F_{11} + X_{23}F_{12} + X_{32}F_{21} + X_{33}F_{22} + B$$

$$\frac{\partial O_{11}}{\partial B} = 1$$

$$\implies \frac{\partial O_{12}}{\partial B} = 1$$

$$\frac{\partial O_{21}}{\partial B} = 1$$

$$\frac{\partial O_{22}}{\partial B} = 1$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the bias, $\partial L / \partial B$:

So $\partial L / \partial B$ is just equal to the summation of $\partial L / \partial O$ terms.

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = \sum \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_k} * \cancel{\frac{\partial O_k}{\partial B}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = \sum_{k=1}^M \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_k}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = \text{sum}\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial O}\right)$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the input, $\frac{\partial L}{\partial X}$:

We can use the chain rule to obtain the gradient w.r.t the input as shown in the equation.

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O} * \frac{\partial O}{\partial X}$$

Diagram illustrating the chain rule for the gradient calculation:

- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial X}$ is labeled "Gradient to update input X" (indicated by a wavy arrow pointing down).
- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial O}$ is labeled "Loss Gradient from previous layer" (indicated by a wavy arrow pointing down).
- $\frac{\partial O}{\partial X}$ is labeled "Local Gradients" (indicated by a wavy arrow pointing down).

For every element of X_i

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_i} = \sum_{k=1}^M \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_k} * \frac{\partial O_k}{\partial X_i}$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the input, $\partial L / \partial X$:

On expanding the chain rule summation and substituting the values of the local gradients, we get:

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{11}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * F_{11}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{12}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * F_{12} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * F_{11}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{13}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * F_{12}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{21}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * F_{21} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * F_{11}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{22}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} * F_{22} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * F_{21} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * F_{12} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * F_{11}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{23}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} * F_{22} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * F_{12}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{31}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * F_{21}$$

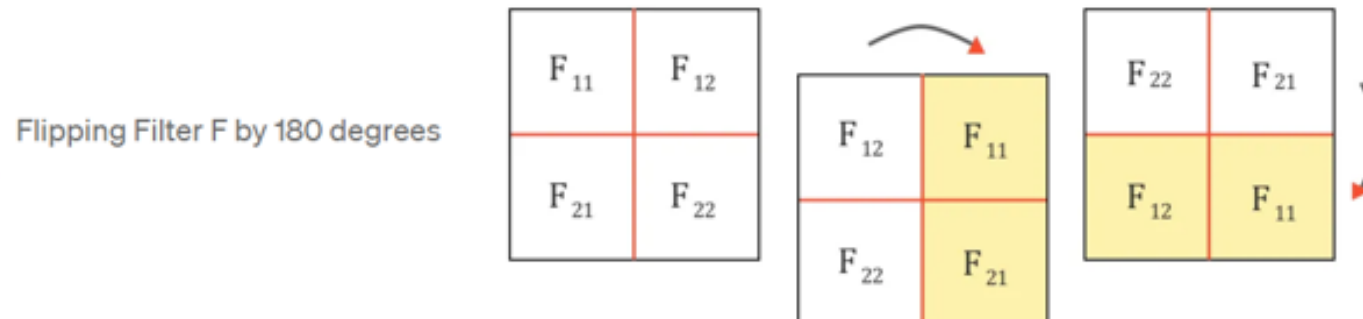
$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{32}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} * F_{22} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * F_{21}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{33}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} * F_{22}$$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the input, $\partial L / \partial X$:

If we look closely, this can be represented as a “**full convolution**” operation between **flipped / 180° rotated Filter F** and **loss gradient $\partial L / \partial O$** as shown below:

- ❑ the term "full convolution" is often used interchangeably with "convolution with zero-padding." In the context of convolutional neural networks (CNNs), "full convolution" typically means performing a convolution operation with zero-padding applied to the input. Here, we mean padded loss gradient $\partial L / \partial O$.



➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the input, $\partial L / \partial X$:

Now, let us do a 'full' convolution between this flipped Filter F and $\partial L / \partial O$, as visualized below:

F_{22}	F_{21}
F_{12}	F_{11}

Filter F

$\frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}}$	$\frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}}$
$\frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}}$	$\frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}}$

Loss Gradient $\frac{\partial L}{\partial O}$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{11}} = F_{11} * \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}}$$

F_{22}	F_{21}	
F_{12}	$F_{11} \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}}$	$\frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}}$
	$\frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}}$	$\frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}}$

➤ Calculation of loss gradient w.r.t the input, $\partial L / \partial X$:

The full convolution above generates the values of $\partial L / \partial X$ and hence we can represent $\partial L / \partial X$ as:

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline \frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{11}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{12}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{13}} \\ \hline \frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{21}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{22}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{23}} \\ \hline \frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{31}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{32}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial X_{33}} \\ \hline \end{array} = \text{Full Convolution} \left(\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline F_{22} & F_{21} \\ \hline F_{12} & F_{11} \\ \hline \end{array}, \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{11}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{12}} \\ \hline \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{21}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial O_{22}} \\ \hline \end{array} \right)$$

$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X}$
180-degree rotated Filter F
Loss Gradient $\frac{\partial L}{\partial O}$

$\partial L / \partial X$ can be represented as 'full' convolution between a 180-degree rotated Filter F and loss gradient $\partial L / \partial O$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial L}{\partial X} &= \text{full-conv}(180^\circ \text{ flipped } F, \frac{\partial L}{\partial O}) \quad \text{OR} \\
 \frac{\partial L}{\partial X} &= \text{conv}(180^\circ \text{ flipped } F, \text{padded}(\frac{\partial L}{\partial O}))
 \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion: Backpropagation in Convolution Layer

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial F} = \text{conv}(X, \frac{\partial L}{\partial O})$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = \text{sum}(\frac{\partial L}{\partial O})$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X} = \text{full-conv}(180^\circ \text{ flipped } F, \frac{\partial L}{\partial O})$$

OR

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X} = \text{conv}(180^\circ \text{ flipped } F, \text{padded}(\frac{\partial L}{\partial O}))$$

In CNNs, we update the network parameters as:

$$F = F - \alpha * \partial L / \partial F$$

$$B = B - \alpha * \partial L / \partial B$$

(where α is the learning parameter)

Since X is the output of the previous layer, $\partial L / \partial X$ becomes the loss gradient for the previous layer.

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