

Assignment2

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1 Question(a)

We know that:

$$y_w = \begin{cases} 1 & w \text{ shown in context of } o \\ 0 & w \text{ not shown in context of } o \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

And since y is a one-hot vector, so only for y_o , it is 1.

$$\text{cross_entropy}(y, \hat{y}) = \sum_{w \in V} y_w \log(\hat{y}_w) = y_o \log(\hat{y}_o) \quad (2)$$

2 Question(b)

U is a matrix where each column is u_i for context word i . c is the center word's index, o is the outside word's index.

$$\begin{aligned} J(o, c, U) &= -\log \frac{\exp(u_o^T v_c)}{\sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)} \\ &= -u_o^T v_c + \log\left(\sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)\right) \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial J(o, c, U)}{\partial v_c} &= -u_o + \frac{\partial \log \sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)}{\partial v_c} \\ &= -u_o + \frac{1}{\sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)} \frac{\partial \sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)}{\partial v_c} \\ &= -u_o + \frac{\sum_{w \in V} u_w \exp(u_w^T v_c)}{\sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)} \\ &= -Uy + \sum_{w \in V} u_w \hat{y}_w \\ &= U(\hat{y} - y) \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

3 Question(c)

If $w = o$ (this word is the outside word), then:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial J(o, c, U)}{\partial u_w} &= -v_c + \frac{\partial \log \sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)}{\partial u_o} \\ &= -v_c + \frac{1}{\sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)} \frac{\partial \sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)}{\partial u_o} \\ &= -v_c + \frac{v_c \exp(u_w^T v_c)}{\sum_{w \in V} \exp(u_w^T v_c)} \\ &= -v_c + v_c \hat{y} \\ &= v_c(\hat{y} - y)\end{aligned}\tag{5}$$