



Logistic Regression

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Recap

- for continuous: $y = xw + b$
 - for probability output: $y = \sigma(xw + b)$
 - σ : *sigmoid or logistic*
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Binary Classification

- interpret network as $f: x \rightarrow p(y|x; \theta)$
 - output $\in [0, 1]$
 - which is exactly what *logistic function* comes in!
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Goal v.s. Approach

- For regression:
 - Goal: $pred = y$
 - Approach: minimize $dist(pred, y)$
 - For classification:
 - Goal: maximize benchmark, e.g. *accuracy*
 - Approach1: minimize $dist(p_{\theta}(y|x), p_r(y|x))$
 - Approach2: minimize $divergence(p_{\theta}(y|x), p_r(y|x))$
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Q1. why not maximize accuracy?

- $acc. = \frac{\sum I(pred_i == y_i)}{len(Y)}$
 - issues 1. **gradient = 0** if accuracy unchanged but weights changed
 - issues 2. ***gradient not continuous*** since the number of correct is not continuous
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Q2. why call logistic regression

- use sigmoid
- Controversial!
 - MSE => regression
 - Cross Entropy => classification



Binary Classification

- $f: x \rightarrow p(y = 1|x)$
 - if $p(y = 1|x) > 0.5$, predict as **1**
 - else predict as **0**
 - minimize MSE
 - confused?
 - <http://www.fharrell.com/post/classification/>
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Multi-class classification

- $f: x \rightarrow p(y|x)$
 - $[p(y = 0|x), p(y = 1|x), \dots, p(y = 9|x)]$
 - $p(y|x) \in [0, 1]$
 - $\sum_{i=0}^9 p(y = i|x) = 1$
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Softmax

- $\sum_{i=0}^9 p(y = i|x) = 1$

$$p_i = \frac{e^{a_i}}{\sum_{k=1}^N e^{a_k}}$$

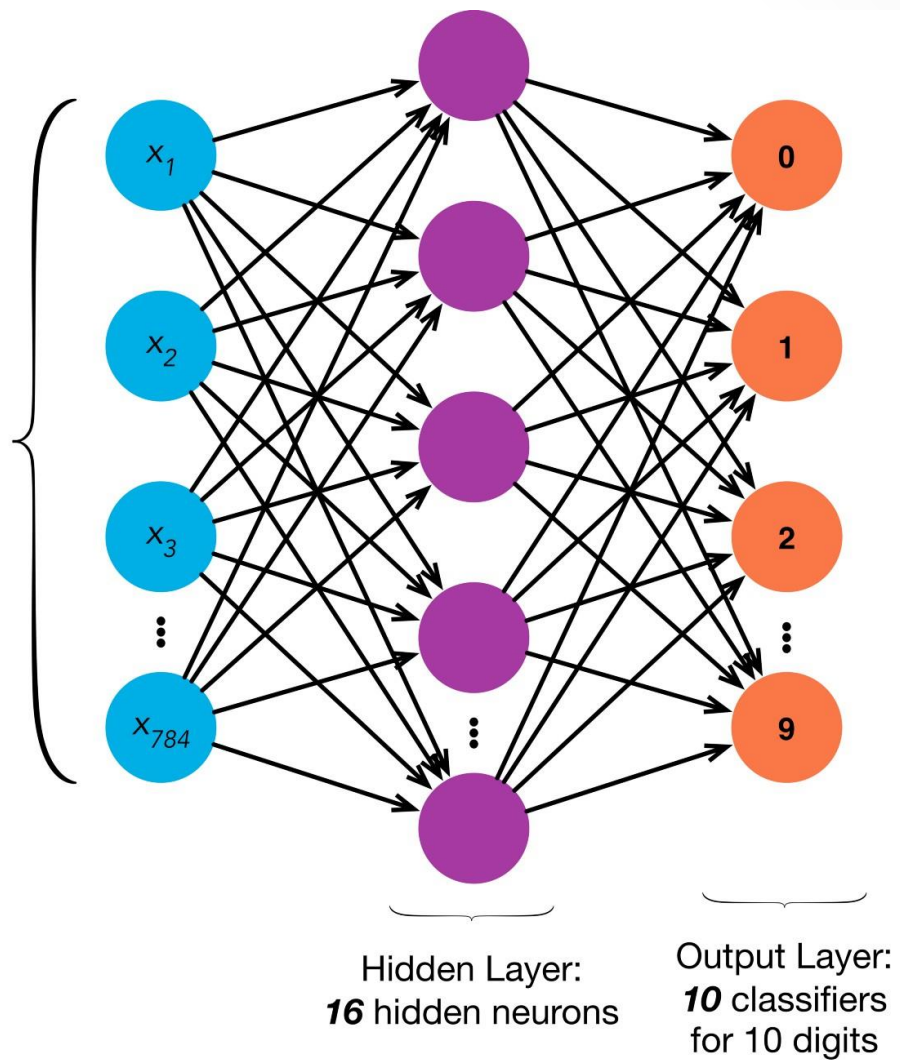
Softmax

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input layer: **784**
(28x28) neurons, each
with values between 0
and 255



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Thank You.
