



Exercise Sheet 8

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Exercise 1

(a) see ipynb file



(b) Since k is a kernel we find $k(x, y) = \langle \Phi(x), \Phi(y) \rangle$ for all sequences x and y .

We have to show that $v^\top K v > 0$ for all $v = (v_1, \dots, v_n)$. More precisely, for all the sequences x_i (for all $i = 1, \dots, n$) we have to show:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{k,l=1}^n v_k v_l k(x_k, x_l) \geq 0 \\
 \iff & \sum_{k,l=1}^n v_k v_l \langle \Phi(x_k), \Phi(x_l) \rangle \geq 0 \\
 \iff & \sum_{k,l=1}^n v_l \langle v_k \Phi(x_k), \Phi(x_l) \rangle \geq 0 \\
 \iff & \sum_{k,l=1}^n \langle v_k \Phi(x_k), v_l \Phi(x_l) \rangle \geq 0 \\
 \iff & \sum_{l=1}^n \left\langle \sum_{k=1}^n v_k \Phi(x_k), v_l \Phi(x_l) \right\rangle \geq 0 \\
 \iff & \left\langle \sum_{k=1}^n v_k \Phi(x_k), \sum_{l=1}^n v_l \Phi(x_l) \right\rangle \geq 0 \\
 \iff & \left\| \sum_{k=1}^n v_k \Phi(x_k) \right\|^2 \geq 0
 \end{aligned}$$

We only can conjecture $\forall x. \Phi(x) = x * x$. We try to proof it and compare $\langle \Phi(x), \Phi(x') \rangle$ with $\|x * x'\|$:

$$\langle \Phi(x), \Phi(x') \rangle = \sum_i (x * x)_i (x' * x')_i = \sum_i \left(\sum_{k=1}^i x_k x_{i-k} \right) \left(\sum_{k=1}^i x'_k x'_{i-k} \right) = \sum_i \sum_{k=1}^i (x_k x_{i-k}) * (x'_k x'_{i-k})$$

$$\|x * x'\| = \sum_i (x * x')_i (x' * x)_i = \sum_i \left(\sum_{k=1}^i x_k x'_{i-k} \right) \left(\sum_{k=1}^i x'_k x_{i-k} \right) = \sum_i \sum_{k=1}^i (x_k x'_{i-k}) * (x'_k x_{i-k})$$

We are not able to compute further on the rush. Conjecturally, the terms are equal.



Exercise 2

$$y_t = (w * x)_t = \sum_{s \in \mathbb{Z}} w_s x_{t-s}$$

(a)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial E}{\partial x_k} &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} \frac{\partial y_t}{\partial x_k} \\ &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} (w * x)_t \\ &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} \sum_{s \in \mathbb{Z}} w_s \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k} x_{t-s} \\ &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} \sum_{s \in \mathbb{Z}} w_s \mathbb{1}_{\{t-s=k\}} \\ &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} w_{-k+t} \\ &= \left[\frac{\partial E}{\partial y} \star w \right]_{-k} \end{aligned}$$

(b)



$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_k} &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} \frac{\partial y_t}{\partial w_k} \\ &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} \frac{\partial}{\partial w_k} (w * x)_t \\ &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} \sum_{s \in \mathbb{Z}} x_{t-s} \frac{\partial}{\partial w_k} w_s \\ &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} \sum_{s \in \mathbb{Z}} x_{t-s} \mathbb{1}_{\{s=k\}} \\ &= \sum_{t \in \mathbb{Z}} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_t} x_{-k+t} \\ &= \left[\frac{\partial E}{\partial y} \star x \right]_{-k} \end{aligned}$$



Exercise 3

(a)

Euler discretization gives us for every $j = 1, \dots, d$:

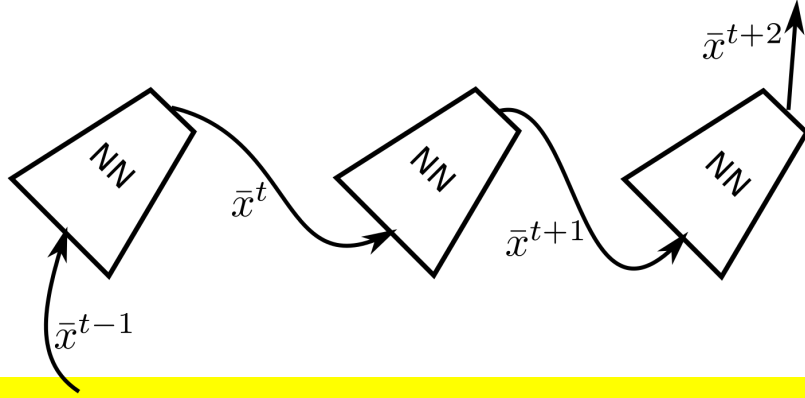
$$x_j^t - x_j^{t-1} = 0.1(\tanh(\sum_{i=1}^d x_i^{t-1} w_{ij} + b_j) - x_j^{t-1})$$

The transition function is then component wise defined as

$$\Theta(x)_j = 0.1(\tanh(\sum_{i=1}^d x_i w_{ij} + b_j) - x_j) + x_j$$



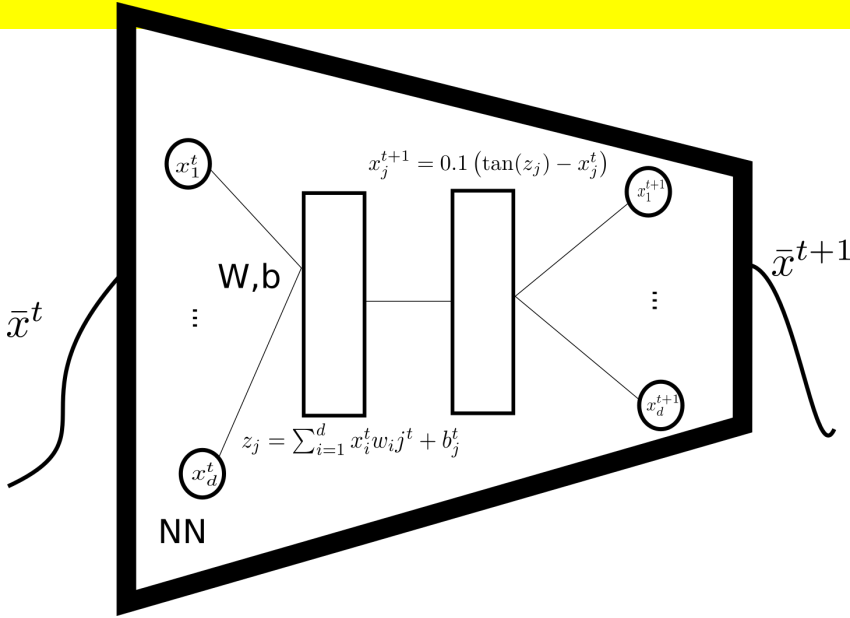
(b)



$$\bar{x}^t = [x_1^t, \dots, x_d^t]^T$$

$\forall j \in (1, d) x_j^0 \rightarrow \text{initial input}$

$$\forall j \in (1, d), t > 0 x_j^t = 0.1 \left(\tanh \left(\sum_{i=1}^d x_i^{t-1} w_{ij}^{t-1} - b_j^{t-1} \right) - x_j^{t-1} \right)$$



(c)

if you



$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\partial x_i^t}{\partial x_j^{t-1}} &= 0.1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j^{t-1}} (\tanh(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i) - x_i^{t-1}) + \frac{\partial x_i^{t-1}}{\partial x_j^{t-1}} \\
 &= 0.1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j^{t-1}} (\tanh(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i)) + 0.9 \mathbb{1}_{\{i=j\}} \\
 &= 0.1 (1 - \tanh(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i)) \sum_{k=1}^d \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j^{t-1}} x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + 0.9 \mathbb{1}_{\{i=j\}} \\
 &= 0.1 (1 - \tanh(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i)) \sum_{k=1}^d \mathbb{1}_{\{k=j\}} w_{ki} + 0.9 \mathbb{1}_{\{i=j\}} \\
 &= 0.1 (1 - \tanh(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i)) w_{ji} + 0.9 \mathbb{1}_{\{i=j\}}
 \end{aligned}$$



(d)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial x_i^t}{\partial b_j} &= 0.1 \frac{\partial}{\partial b_j} \tanh\left(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i\right) \\ &= 0.1(1 - \tanh\left(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i\right)) \frac{\partial b_i}{\partial b_j} \\ &= 0.1(1 - \tanh\left(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i\right)) \mathbb{1}_{\{i=j\}}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial x_i^t}{\partial w_{jl}} &= 0.1 \frac{\partial}{\partial w_{jl}} \tanh\left(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i\right) \\ &= 0.1(1 - \tanh\left(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i\right)) \sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial w_{jl}} w_{ki} \\ &= 0.1(1 - \tanh\left(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i\right)) \sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} \mathbb{1}_{\{j=k\}} \mathbb{1}_{\{l=i\}} \\ &= 0.1(1 - \tanh\left(\sum_{k=1}^d x_k^{t-1} w_{ki} + b_i\right)) x_j^{t-1} \mathbb{1}_{\{l=i\}}\end{aligned}$$

