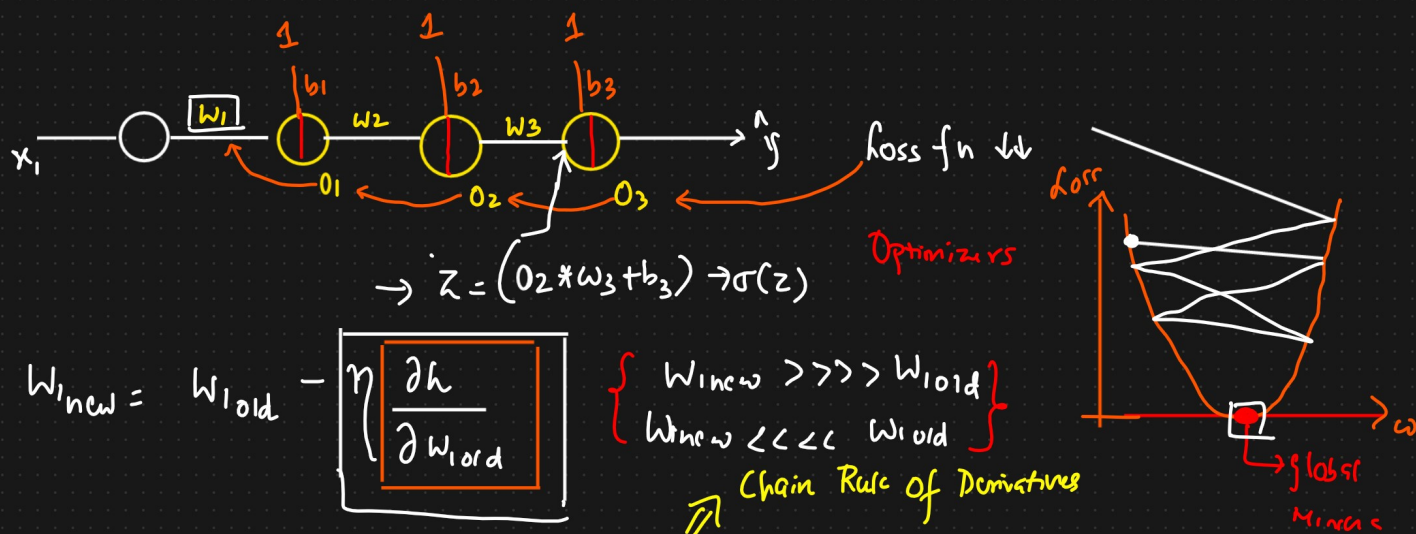


# Exploding Gradient Problem $\Rightarrow$ Weight Initialization Technique



$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial w_{old}} = \frac{\partial h}{\partial o_3} * \left[ \frac{\partial o_3}{\partial o_2} \right] * \frac{\partial o_2}{\partial o_1} * \frac{\partial o_1}{\partial w_{old}}$$

big \* big \* big \* big  $\Rightarrow$  big value

Weight Initialization  
 $\Downarrow$   
Very high value

$$\frac{\partial o_3}{\partial o_2} = \left[ \frac{\partial \sigma(z)}{\partial z} \right] * \frac{\partial z}{\partial o_2}$$

$$= [0 - 0.25] * \frac{\partial (o_2 * w_3 + b_3)}{\partial o_2}$$

$$= [0 - 0.25] * w_3 \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{500 - 1000}}$$

## Weight Initializing Techniques

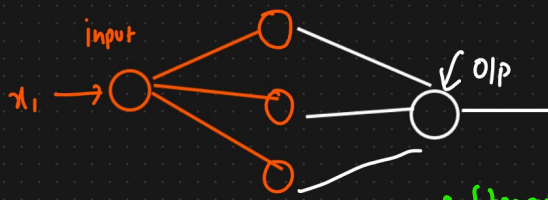
- ① Uniform Distribution ✓
- ② Xavier/Glorot Initialization ✓
- ③ Kaiming He Initialization ✓

### Key Points

- ① Weights should be small ✓  $\rightarrow$  avoid exploding gradient problem
- ② Weights should not be same ✓
- ③ Weights should have good variance ✓

to avoid some computation

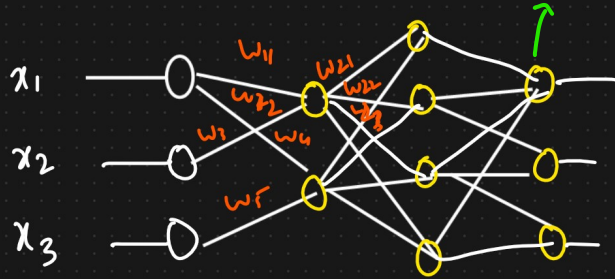




input = 1 (in count)

Output = 1 (in count)

softmax activation



input = 3 (in count)

O/p = 3 (in count)

## ① Uniform Distribution

$$W_{ij} \sim \text{Uniform Distribution} \left[ \frac{-1}{\sqrt{\text{input}}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{\text{input}}} \right]$$

$$\left[ \frac{-1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right] \rightarrow \text{for case above}$$

## ② Xavier/Glorot Initialization

Researcher  $\rightarrow$  Xavier Glorot

### ① Xavier Normal Initialization

$$W_{ij} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma)$$

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\text{input} + \text{output}}}$$

### ② Xavier Uniform

$$W_{ij} \sim \text{Uniform Distribution} \left[ \frac{-\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{\text{input} + \text{output}}}, \frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{\text{i/p} + \text{o/p}}} \right]$$

### ③ Kaiming He Initialization

#### ① He Normal

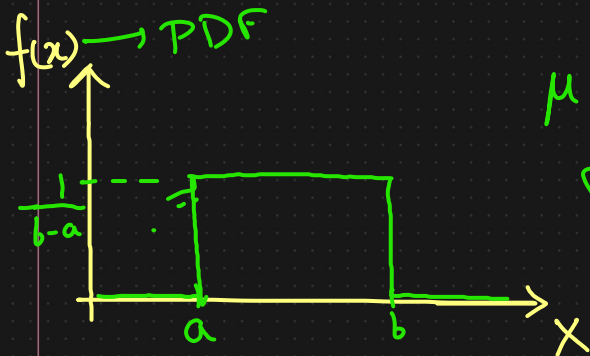
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$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\text{input}}}$$

#### ② He uniform

$$W_{ij} \sim \text{Uniform Distribution} \left[ -\sqrt{\frac{6}{\text{input}}}, \sqrt{\frac{6}{\text{input}}} \right]$$

### Uniform Distribution



$$\mu = \frac{a+b}{2}$$

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{(b-a)^2}{12}}$$

area under curve

$$P(c \leq x \leq d) = \frac{d-c}{b-a}$$

For continuous random variables