Neural Networks: II. Recurrent NN (Part 8)

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Motivation

- ullet Before: "simple" Input o "simple" Output
- Now:
 - Stock Market Analysis (Time Series)
 - Google Translate
 - describing a photo with words

Motivation

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Recurrent Neuron

$$h_t = f(h_{t-1}, x_t; W), t = 1, ..., T$$

- h_t: New hidden state
- f: Activation function (same for all t)
- h_{t-1} : Old hidden state
- x_t: Input at some time t
- W: Weights (same for all t)

$$\rightsquigarrow$$
 Output: $y_t = y_t(h_{t_y})$



"many to one"

$$x_1, \ldots, x_T \to y_T$$
 (e.g. Stock Market Analysis)

"many to many"

$$x_1,\ldots,x_{\mathcal{T}} o y_1,\ldots,y_{\mathcal{T}}$$
 (e.g. Google Translate, texting a SMS)

Example: Google Translate

"Gestern habe ich mit meinem Nachbarn im Garten Fußball geschaut"

















"one to many"

$$x_1 \rightarrow y_1, \dots, y_T$$
 (e.g. Describing a photo)

Example: Describing a photo



Backpropagation

What about Backpropagation? \leadsto truncated Backpropagation in time

- feed forward in time "forever"
- backprop for only some small step t_p
- ullet t_p is a hyperparamater chosen to be computational efficient

Clowning

- Neural Joke Generation (He Ren, Quan Yang)
- Generating Sequences With Recurrent Neural Networks (Graves)
- "Sunspring" film