

13. Matrix algebra and Backpropagation

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Regular announcement

- 👉 Quiz 4 Today.
- 👉 Quiz 4 is based on notes from Lecture 10.
- 👉 HW 4 is due March 2.
- 👉 Initial project proposal due March 2.

Outline

- 👉 HW4, Linear Algebra, and backpropagation
- 👉 Further discussion about the initial and revised project proposal submission
- 👉 We solved regression problems using a fully connected neural network, $y \in \mathbb{R}$.
outputs one number, we used mse.
- 👉 We solved a binary classification problem using a fully connected neural network $y \in [0, 1]$.
outputs one number, we used binary crossentropy.
- 👉 Solve a multi-class classification problem using a fully connected neural networks $y \in \mathbb{R}^K$, K is the number of classes.
outputs K numbers, we used categorical crossentropy.
- 👉 For project, We can solve regression problems using a fully connected neural network, $y \in \mathbb{R}^u$.
outputs u numbers. Use regression cost function, i.e., mse-like.

Representing Vectors and Matrices

vector with n elements, $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix with m rows & n columns, such that elements of it are real numbers, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & & | \\ a_1 & a_2 & \dots & a_n \\ | & | & & | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} - & a_1^T & - \\ - & a_2^T & - \\ & \vdots & \\ - & a_m^T & - \end{bmatrix}$$

Identity & Diagonal Matrices

Identity matrix, $I \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, is a square matrix and zeros everywhere else.

$$I_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1, & i = j \\ 0, & i \neq j \end{cases}$$

Special Property For all $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$AI = A = IA$$

For a diagonal matrix, $D = \text{diag}(d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n)$

$$D_{ij} = \begin{cases} d_i, & i = j \\ 0, & i \neq j \end{cases}$$

So, $I = \text{diag}(1, 1, \dots, 1)$

Vector - vector product

$$\textcircled{1} \quad x^T y \in \mathbb{R} = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_n] \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = \sum x_i y_i$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad xy^T \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_m \end{bmatrix} [y_1 \ y_2 \ \dots \ y_n] = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 y_1 & x_1 y_2 & \dots & x_1 y_n \\ x_2 y_1 & x_2 y_2 & \dots & x_2 y_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_m y_1 & x_m y_2 & \dots & x_m y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$\textcircled{1}$ is called vector-vector inner product,
it is also known as dot product.

$\textcircled{2}$ is called vector-vector dot product.

Matrix - Vector Product

$$\textcircled{1} \quad y = Ax = \begin{bmatrix} - a_1^T - \\ - a_2^T - \\ \vdots \\ - a_m^T - \end{bmatrix} x = \begin{bmatrix} a_1^T x \\ a_2^T x \\ \vdots \\ a_m^T x \end{bmatrix}$$

in $\textcircled{1}$ we multiplied by rows

$$y = Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ a^1 & a^2 & \dots & a^n \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ a^1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_1 + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ a^2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_2 \dots + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ a^n \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_n$$

in $\textcircled{2}$ we multiplied by columns

y is a linear combination of columns of A

Matrix-Vector product (contd.)

we can multiply on the left by a row vector

$$y^T = x^T A = x^T \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & & 1 \\ a^1 & a^2 & \dots & a^n \\ 1 & 1 & & 1 \end{bmatrix} = [x^T a^1 \quad x^T a^2 \quad \dots \quad x^T a^n]$$

or

$$y^T = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_m] \begin{bmatrix} -a_1^T- \\ -a_2^T- \\ \vdots \\ -a_m- \end{bmatrix} = x_1 [-a_1^T-] + x_2 [-a_2^T-] + \dots + x_m [-a_m-]$$

y^T is a linear combination of
rows of A

Matrix-matrix multiplication

1. Using the concept of vector-vector inner (dot) product

$$C = AB = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1^T- \\ -a_2^T- \\ \vdots \\ -a_m^T- \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & \dots & | \\ b^1 & b^2 & \dots & b^n \\ | & | & \dots & | \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_1^T b^1 & a_1^T b^2 & \dots & a_1^T b^n \\ a_2^T b^1 & a_2^T b^2 & \dots & a_2^T b^n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_m^T b^1 & a_m^T b^2 & \dots & a_m^T b^n \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix-matrix multiplication (contd.)

2. Using the concept of outer product

$$C = AB = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & & | \\ a_1 & a_2 & \dots & a_n \\ | & | & & | \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} - & b_1^T & - \\ - & b_2^T & - \\ & \vdots & \\ - & b_n^T & - \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i^T$$

matrix-matrix multiplication (contd.)

3. As a set of matrix-vector products

$$C = AB = A \begin{bmatrix} | & | & \dots & | \\ b^1 & b^2 & \dots & b^n \\ | & | & \dots & | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & \dots & | \\ Ab^1 & Ab^2 & \dots & Ab^n \\ | & | & \dots & | \end{bmatrix}$$

The i -th column of C is given by the matrix-vector product with the vector on the right, $c_i = Ab_i$.

Matrix-matrix multiplication (contd.)

4. As a set of vector-matrix products

$$C = AB = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1^T B - \\ -a_2^T B - \\ \vdots \\ -a_m^T B - \end{bmatrix} B = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1^T B - \\ -a_2^T B - \\ \vdots \\ -a_m^T B - \end{bmatrix}$$

Properties of matrix-matrix multiplication

① Associative : $(AB)C = A(BC)$

② Distributive : $A(B+C) = AB + AC$

③ Not necessarily commutative
 For example, if $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times a}$
 and $m \neq n \neq a$, then BA does not exist.

Hadamard or Elementwise Product

→ Matrix Product, $C = AB$

$$\Rightarrow C_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n A_{ik} B_{kj}$$

→ Hadamard Product, $C = A \odot B$

↳ A, B, C are of the same size

↳ multiply elements in A and B at same position. $(A \odot B)_{ij} = A_{ij} B_{ij}$

↳ Example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \odot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 10 & 18 \\ 4 & 35 & 48 \end{bmatrix}$$

Transpose

The transpose operation flips the rows and columns. Given, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, its transpose $A^T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ whose entries are given by,

$$(A^T)_{ij} = A_{ji}$$

Properties

$$(A^T)^T = A$$

$$(AB)^T = B^T A^T$$

$$(A+B)^T = A^T + B^T$$

if $A = A^T$, then A is symmetric.

Trace

Trace of a square matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is denoted by $\text{tr} A$ or $\text{tr}(A)$ is the sum of diagonal elements of A .

$$\text{tr} A = \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ii}$$

Properties : Consider $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ & $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

- ① $\text{tr} A = \text{tr} A^T$
- ② $\text{tr}(A+B) = \text{tr} A + \text{tr} B$
- ③ $\text{tr}(vA) = v \text{tr} A, v \in \mathbb{R}$
- ④ $\text{tr}(AB) = \text{tr}(BA)$, for A, B such that AB is square
- ⑤ $\text{tr}(ABC) = \text{tr}(BCA) = \text{tr}(CAB)$, such that

ABC is square. can be expanded more

Rank of a matrix

Column rank of $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ is the largest number of columns of A that constitute a linearly independent set.

Row rank of $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ is the largest number of rows of A that constitute a linearly independent set.

For $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, column rank and row rank are equal, so generally rank is represented by $\text{rank}(A)$.

Properties of the rank

- For $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, $\text{rank}(A) \leq \min(m, n)$
- If $\text{rank}(A) = \min(m, n)$, then A is full rank.
- For $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, $\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^T)$
- For $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times p}$, $B \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times n}$, $\text{rank}(AB) \leq \min(\text{rank}(A), \text{rank}(B))$
- For $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, $\text{rank}(A+B) \leq \text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(B)$

Inverse of A (A is a square matrix)

→ inverse of a square matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is denoted by A^{-1} , and is the unique matrix such that $A^{-1}A = I = AA^{-1}$.

→ A is invertible or non-singular if A^{-1} exists and non-invertible or singular otherwise.

→ For square matrix A to have an inverse A^{-1} , A must be full rank.

Properties of inverse of A (A is a square matrix)

$$(A^{-1})^{-1} = A$$

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1} A^{-1}$$

$$(A^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1}, \text{ sometimes denoted } A^{-T}$$

Orthogonal Matrices

- Two vectors are orthogonal, if $x^T y = 0$
- A vector is normalized if $\|x\|_2 = 1$
- A square matrix, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is orthogonal if all its columns are orthogonal to each other and normalized.
- Such columns are called orthonormal

Properties of orthogonal matrices

→ The inverse of an orthogonal matrix is its transpose.

$$A^{-1} = A^T \quad (A \text{ is orthogonal})$$

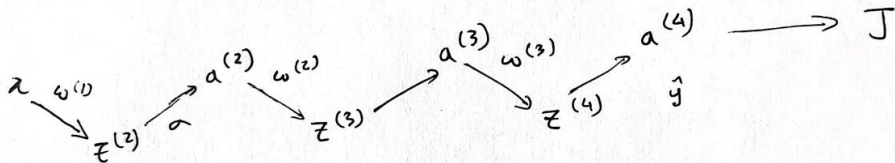
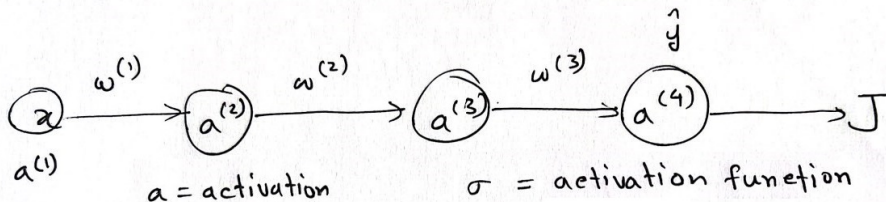
$$A^T A = I = A A^T$$

→ Operating on a vector with an orthogonal matrix does not change its Euclidean norm,

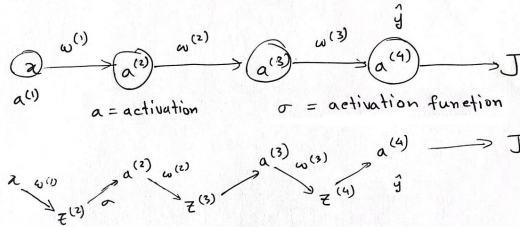
$$\|Ux\|_2 = \|x\|_2, \quad \begin{array}{l} U \text{ is orthogonal} \\ U \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \\ x \in \mathbb{R}^n \end{array}$$

Backpropagation (simplified)

Consider this network, with bias set to zero.



Backpropagation (simplified)



$$\begin{aligned}
 a^{(1)} &= x \\
 z^{(2)} &= w^{(1)} a^{(1)} \\
 a^{(2)} &= \sigma(z^{(2)}) \\
 z^{(3)} &= w^{(2)} a^{(2)} \\
 a^{(3)} &= \sigma(z^{(3)}) \\
 z^{(4)} &= w^{(3)} a^{(3)} \\
 a^{(4)} &= \sigma(z^{(4)}) \\
 \hat{y} &= a^{(4)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Forward
step

Consider a single data point

$$J = -\{y \ln \hat{y} + (1-y) \ln(1-\hat{y})\}$$

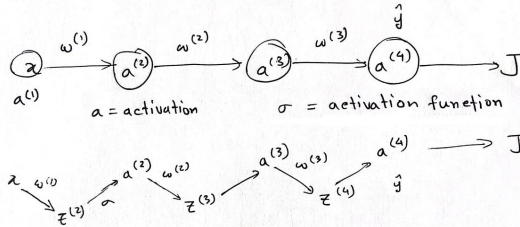
then,

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial w^{(3)}} = \frac{\partial J}{\partial a^{(4)}} \cdot \frac{\partial a^{(4)}}{\partial z^{(4)}} \cdot \frac{\partial z^{(4)}}{\partial w^{(3)}} \quad \sigma = \text{sigmoid function}$$

$$= -\{y - a^{(4)}\} a^{(3)} \quad [\text{logistic regression}]$$

equivalent

Backpropagation (simplified)



$$\begin{aligned}
 a^{(1)} &= x \\
 z^{(2)} &= \omega^{(1)} a^{(1)} \\
 a^{(2)} &= \sigma(z^{(2)}) \\
 z^{(3)} &= \omega^{(2)} a^{(2)} \\
 a^{(3)} &= \sigma(z^{(3)}) \\
 z^{(4)} &= \omega^{(3)} a^{(3)} \\
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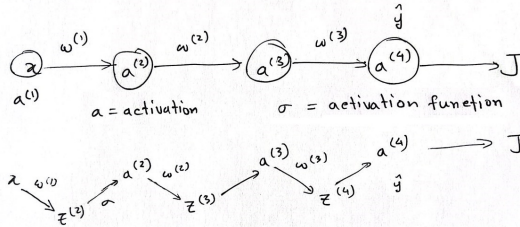
Forward
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Let's define, $\frac{\partial J}{\partial z^{(4)}} = \delta^{(4)}$

generally, $\frac{\partial J}{\partial z^{(k)}} = \delta^{(k)}$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial J}{\partial \omega^{(3)}} = - \{ y - a^{(4)} \} a^{(3)}$$

Backpropagation (simplified)



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Forward
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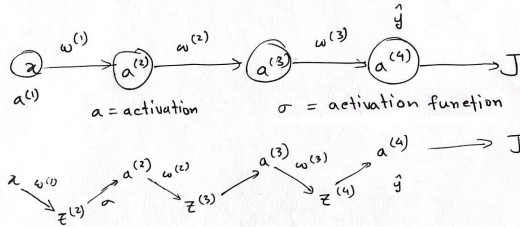
$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \omega^{(2)}} = \underbrace{\frac{\partial J}{\partial a^{(4)}} \cdot \frac{\partial a^{(4)}}{\partial z^{(4)}} \cdot \frac{\partial z^{(4)}}{\partial a^{(3)}} \cdot \frac{\partial a^{(3)}}{\partial z^{(3)}}}_{\frac{\partial J}{\partial z^{(3)}} = S^{(3)}} \cdot \frac{\partial z^{(3)}}{\partial \omega^{(2)}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial J}{\partial \omega^{(2)}} = S^{(3)} a^{(2)}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \frac{\partial J}{\partial \omega^{(1)}} = S^{(2)} a^{(1)}$$

$$\text{Generally, } \boxed{\frac{\partial J}{\partial \omega^{(i)}} = S^{(i+1)} a^{(i)}}$$

Backpropagation (simplified)



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 \end{aligned}$$

Forward
step

Network with L hidden layers, will have

$$\text{error, } s^{(L)} = -\sum y - a^{(L)} z = \frac{\partial J}{\partial z^{(L)}}$$

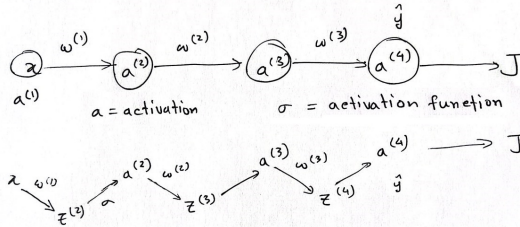
For this network, $s^{(4)} = \frac{\partial J}{\partial z^{(4)}}$ is known

$$\text{Now, } s^{(4)} = \frac{\partial J}{\partial a^{(4)}} \cdot \frac{\partial a^{(4)}}{\partial z^{(4)}}$$

$$s^{(3)} = \frac{\partial J}{\partial z^{(3)}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 s^{(3)} &= \underbrace{\frac{\partial J}{\partial a^{(4)}}}_{s^{(4)}} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{\partial a^{(4)}}{\partial z^{(4)}}}_{\omega^{(3)}} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{\partial z^{(4)}}{\partial a^{(3)}}}_{\sigma'(z^{(3)})} \cdot \frac{\partial a^{(3)}}{\partial z^{(3)}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Backpropagation (simplified)



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Forward
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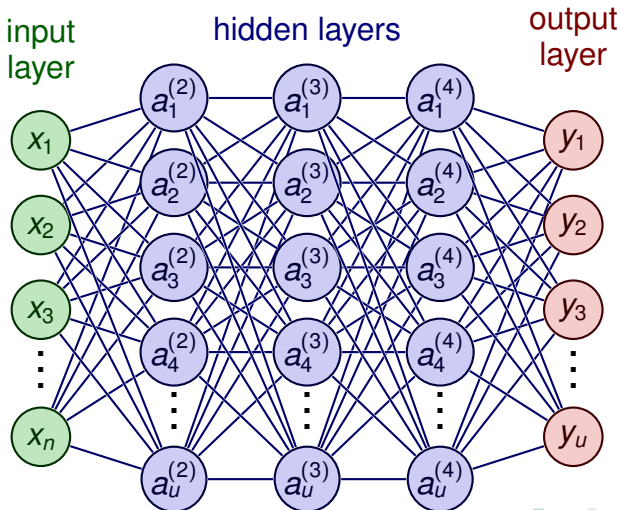
$$\therefore s^{(3)} = s^{(4)} w^{(3)} \sigma'(z^{(3)})$$

$$s^{(d)} = s^{(d+1)} w^{(d)} \sigma'(z^{(d)})$$

Combine with $\frac{\partial J}{\partial w^{(d)}} = s^{(d+1)} a^{(d)}$

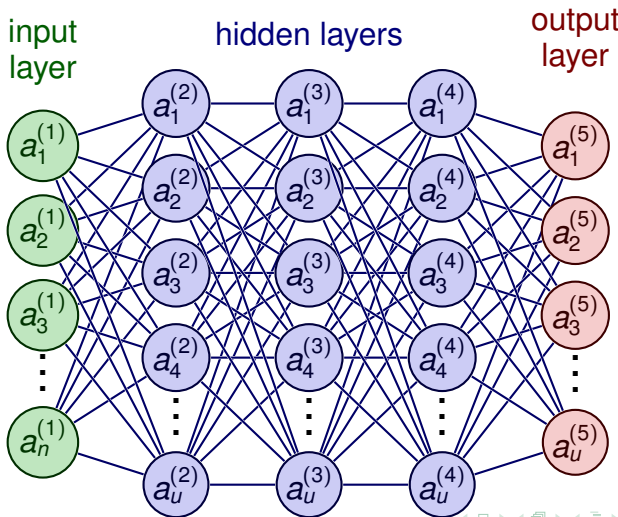
A neural network

u represents number of units or neurons per layer

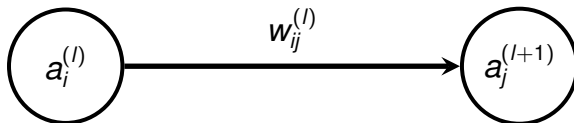


A neural network: Only activations

u represents number of units or neurons per layer



Forward Step: Calculate activations



$$a_j^{(l+1)} = \sigma\left(\sum_{i=0} w_{ij}^{(l)} a_i^{(l)}\right)$$

Example : For the first neuron in the first hidden layer or second layer of the network, is

$$a_1^{(2)} = \sigma\left(\sum_{i=0} w_{i1}^{(1)} a_i^{(1)}\right)$$

When $i=0$, w_{01} is taken into account. Similarly with every value of i you will progressively add the contribution of every neuron, to calculate the activation of the neuron of interest.

Backpropagation: Update model parameters to reduce cost

$$\delta^{(l)} = \delta^{(l+1)} w^{(l)} \sigma'(z^{(l)})$$

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial w^{(l)}} = \delta^{(l+1)} a^{(l)}$$

$\delta^{(L)}$ is known for the L-th layer.

Backpropagation: Update model parameters to reduce cost

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial w_{ij}^{(l)}} = \delta_j^{(l+1)} a_i^{(l)}$$

$$\delta^{(l)} = W^{(l)} \delta^{(l)} \odot \sigma'(z^{(l)})$$

\odot is elementwise product or Hadamard product