

Transformers

Encoder maps an input sequence of symbol representations (x_1, \dots, x_n) to a sequence of continuous representations $Z = (z_1, \dots, z_n)$

Decoder: Given Z the decoder then generates an output sequence (y_1, \dots, y_n) of symbols one at a time.

The model is auto-regressive and consumes the previously generated symbols as additional input.

Encoder:

Six identical layers.

Each layer has two sub-layers.

multi-head self-attention mechanism and position-wise fully connected layer.

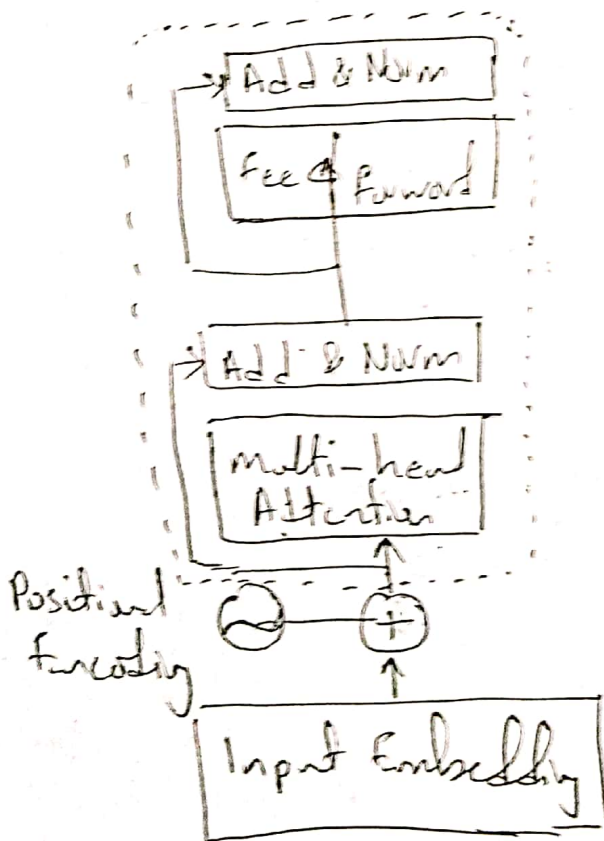
- residual connection
 - Normalization around each layer.
- } in each ~~two~~ sub-layer of the ENCODER

Decoder: $N = 6$ identical layers.

Two sub-layers from encoder a third sub-layer ^{perform} multi-head attention

~~perform~~ over the output of the encoder stack.

- residual connection
 - Normalization
- } each sublayer



Output Embedding

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outputs shifted right

Attention:

A function which maps a query and a set of key-value pairs to an output where the query, keys, values and output are all vectors.

The op is computed as weighted sum of the values

weight is computed by a compatibility function of query with the key.

Scaled Dot Product Attention.

input is queries and keys of dimension d_k and values of dimension d_v

dot product of query with all keys, divide each by $\sqrt{d_k}$ and apply a softmax function to obtain value

query \rightarrow vector representation of one word in the sequence

$K \rightarrow$ keys vector representation of all the words in the sequence

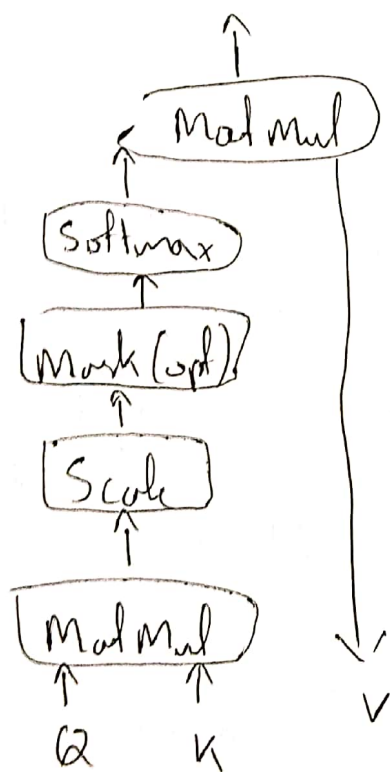
for multi-head V consists of the same word sequence as Q .
for other V is different

Attention is computed on a set of queries simultaneously packed together into a matrix. Q

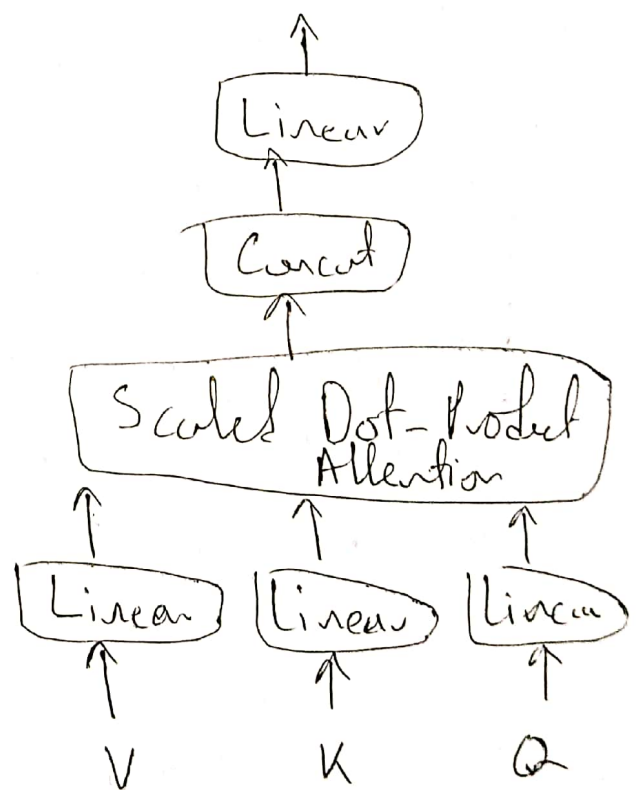
K and V are also matrices.

$$\text{Attention}(Q, K, V) = \text{softmax}\left(\frac{QK^T}{\sqrt{d_K}}\right)V$$

- additive attention
- dot-product (multiplicative attention)



Scaled dot
product Attention



Multi-head
Attention

Multi-head Attention

linearly project queries keys and values k times with different learned linear projections.

- ~~Fully Connected~~ Feed Forward Network

$$\text{FFN}(x) = \max(0, xW_1 + b_1)W_2 + b_2$$

linear transformations are same across different positions.

- Embeddings
- Positional Encoding
sine and cosine

Self Attention:

- total computational complexity per layer.
- Amount of computation that can be parallelized.
- Path lengths for long range dependencies.