

# Recurrent Neural Network Algorithms

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**Algorithm** RNN training

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load dataset  $\{x_t, y_t\}, t = 1, 2, \dots, T$

Perform encoding on  $\{x_t\}$  ▷ word embedding

Choose  $N^{(1)}$  ▷ hidden neurons count

Choose  $\alpha$  ▷ learning rate

initialize  $a_0 = \{0\}, \frac{\partial a_0}{\partial W} = \{0\}$  ▷ initializing 0<sup>th</sup> hidden vector/tensor values

initialize  $\frac{\partial a_0}{\partial U} = \{0\}, \frac{\partial a_0}{\partial b} = \{0\}$

randomly initialize  $W, U, b, V$  and  $c$  ▷ initializing model parameters

**repeat**

    Call FORWARD PROPAGATION ( )

    Call BPTT ( )

    Call PARAMETER UPDATE ( )

**until** Convergence

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**function** FORWARD PROPAGATION ( )

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**for**  $t = 1, 2, \dots, T$  **do**

$z_t = Wa_{t-1} + Ux_t + b$  ▷ recurrent layer equations

$a_t = h(z_t)$

$o_t = Va_t + c$  ▷ output layer equations

$\hat{y}_t = softmax(o_t)$

**end for**

    Perform decoding on  $\{\hat{y}_t\}$  ▷ For validation

**end function**

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**function** BPTT( )

▷ Back Propagation Through Time

**for**  $t = 1, 2, \dots, T$  **do**

Compute the following in the order

$$\delta_t^{(2)} = \text{diag}(\hat{\mathbf{y}}_t - \mathbf{y}_t)$$

$$\frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{c}} = \delta_t^{(2)}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{o}_t}{\partial \mathbf{V}} = \text{reshape} \left( \mathbf{a}_t^T \otimes \mathbf{I}_{N^{(2)}}, N^{(2)} \times N^{(2)} \times N^{(1)} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{V}} = \text{reshape} \left( \delta_t^{(2)} \text{reshape} \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{o}_t}{\partial \mathbf{V}}, N^{(2)} \times (N^{(2)} * N^{(1)}) \right), N^{(2)} \times N^{(2)} \times N^{(1)} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{a}_t} = \delta_t^{(2)} \mathbf{V}$$

$$\delta_t^{(1)} = \frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{a}_t} \text{diag}(h'(\mathbf{z}_t))$$

$$\frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{b}} = \delta_t^{(1)} \left[ \mathbf{I}_{N^{(1)}} + \mathbf{W} \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_{t-1}}{\partial \mathbf{b}} \right]$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_t}{\partial \mathbf{b}} = \text{diag}(h'(\mathbf{z}_t))$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{W} \mathbf{a}_{t-1}}{\partial \mathbf{W}} = \text{reshape} \left( \mathbf{a}_{t-1}^T \otimes \mathbf{I}_{N^{(1)}}, N^{(1)} \times N^{(1)} \times N^{(1)} \right)$$

$$\mathbf{W} \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_{t-1}}{\partial \mathbf{W}} = \text{reshape} \left( \mathbf{W} \text{reshape} \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_{t-1}}{\partial \mathbf{W}}, N^{(1)} \times (N^{(1)} * N^{(1)}) \right), N^{(1)} \times N^{(1)} \times N^{(1)} \right)$$

$$\omega_1 = \frac{\partial \mathbf{W} \mathbf{a}_{t-1}}{\partial \mathbf{W}} + \mathbf{W} \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_{t-1}}{\partial \mathbf{W}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{W}} = \text{reshape} \left( \delta_t^{(1)} \text{reshape} \left( \omega_1, N^{(1)} \times (N^{(1)} * N^{(1)}) \right), N^{(2)} \times N^{(1)} \times N^{(1)} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_t}{\partial \mathbf{W}} = \text{diag}(h'(\mathbf{z}_t)) \omega_1$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{U} \mathbf{x}_t}{\partial \mathbf{U}} = \text{reshape} \left( \mathbf{x}_t^T \otimes \mathbf{I}_{N^{(1)}}, N^{(1)} \times N^{(1)} \times n \right)$$

$$\mathbf{W} \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_{t-1}}{\partial \mathbf{U}} = \text{reshape} \left( \mathbf{W} \text{reshape} \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_{t-1}}{\partial \mathbf{U}}, N^{(1)} \times (N^{(1)} * n) \right), N^{(1)} \times N^{(1)} \times n \right)$$

$$\omega_2 = \frac{\partial \mathbf{U} \mathbf{x}_t}{\partial \mathbf{U}} + \mathbf{W} \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_{t-1}}{\partial \mathbf{U}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{U}} = \text{reshape} \left( \delta_t^{(1)} \text{reshape} \left( \omega_2, N^{(1)} \times (N^{(1)} * n) \right), N^{(2)} \times N^{(1)} \times n \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{a}_t}{\partial \mathbf{U}} = \text{diag}(h'(\mathbf{z}_t)) \omega_2$$

**end for****end function**

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**function** PARAMETER\_UPDATE( )

$$\mathbf{W}_{i,j} := \mathbf{W}_{i,j} - \alpha \sum_{t=1}^T \sum_{k=1}^{N^{(2)}} \left( \frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{W}} \right)_{k,i,j}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N^{(1)}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, N^{(1)}$$

$$\mathbf{U}_{i,j} := \mathbf{U}_{i,j} - \alpha \sum_{t=1}^T \sum_{k=1}^{N^{(2)}} \left( \frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{U}} \right)_{k,i,j}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N^{(1)}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\mathbf{b}_i := \mathbf{b}_i - \alpha \sum_{t=1}^T \sum_{k=1}^{N^{(2)}} \left( \frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{b}} \right)_{k,i}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N^{(1)}$$

$$\mathbf{V}_{i,j} := \mathbf{V}_{i,j} - \alpha \sum_{t=1}^T \sum_{k=1}^{N^{(2)}} \left( \frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{V}} \right)_{k,i,j}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N^{(2)}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, N^{(1)}$$

$$\mathbf{c}_i := \mathbf{c}_i - \alpha \sum_{t=1}^T \sum_{k=1}^{N^{(2)}} \left( \frac{\partial L_t}{\partial \mathbf{c}} \right)_{k,i}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N^{(2)}$$

**end function**

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