

Intro

Structure: Weekly meetings, more like office hours.

↳ also, show me what has been done in the code.

Go over rough idea:

To do:

▷ Watch 3b1b videos

▷ Find meeting time for next week

(July 3rd only day I am available)

▷ Code implementation

(probably best to use python. Google collab .. ?)

▷ Data processing:

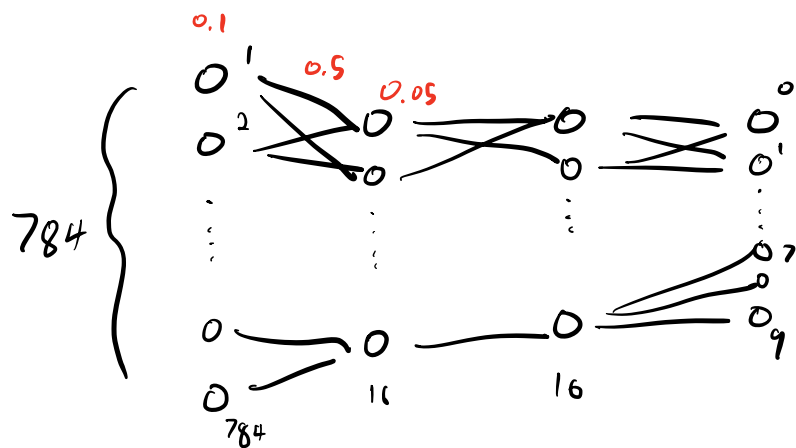
• Use Mnist or USPS ?

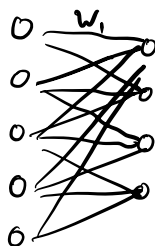
▷ Implementation: no hidden layers first ?

▷ Recommended: Students meet once per week for
a couple hours to try to code the neural network.

$28 \left\{ \begin{array}{|c|} \hline 7 \\ \hline \end{array} \right\} \longleftrightarrow \text{vector w/ } 28 \cdot 28 = \underline{784} \text{ components.}$

\updownarrow
 \mathbb{R}^{784}





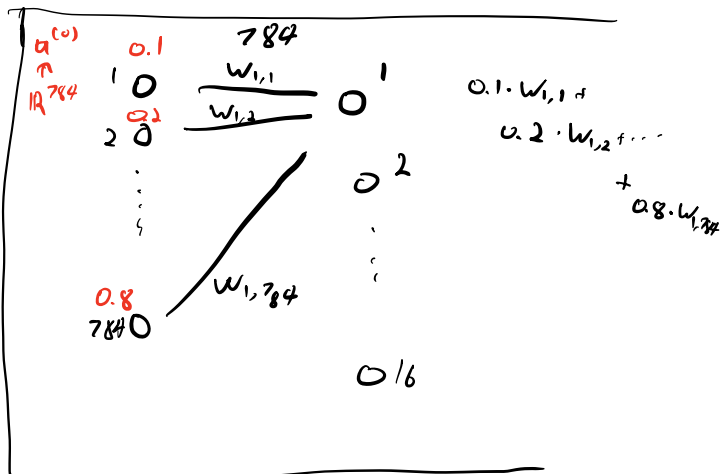
(multilayer perceptron)

First layer: 784 neurons.

input space: $[0, 1]^{784}$

Final layer: 10 neurons

2 inner layers, 16 neurons each.



Layer 0

Layer 1

$$\mathbb{R}^{784} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{16}$$

$$a^{(0)} \mapsto \sigma(w^{(1)} a^{(0)} + b^{(1)})$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} w_{1,1} & \dots & w_{1,784} \\ w_{2,1} & \dots & w_{2,784} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ w_{16,1} & \dots & w_{16,784} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_{16} \end{pmatrix}$$

or ReLU

$$\sigma(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}}$$



$$a^{(0)} \begin{pmatrix} a_{1,784}^{(0)} \\ \vdots \\ a_{784,784}^{(0)} \end{pmatrix}$$

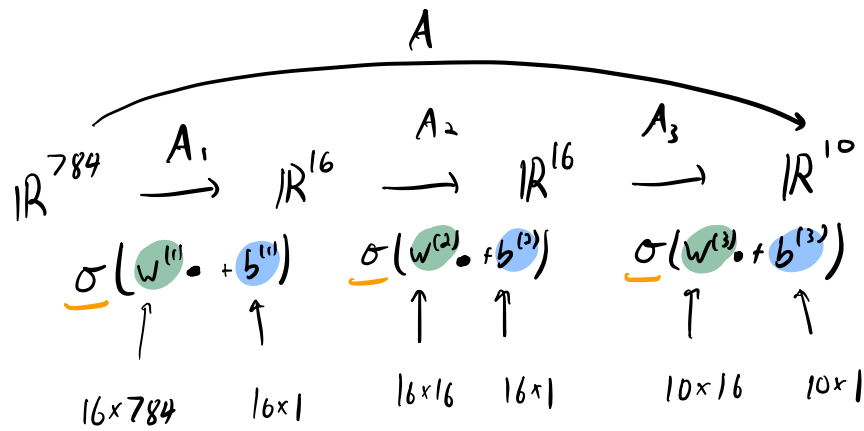
$w_1 \in M_{16 \times 784}(\mathbb{R})$ weight matrix.

$b_1 \in M_{16 \times 16}(\mathbb{R})$ bias matrix.

$$So \quad a^{(1)} = \sigma(w^{(1)} a^{(0)} + b^{(1)})$$

$$a_i^{(1)} = \sigma\left(\sum_{j=0}^{784} w_{i,j} a_j^{(0)} + b_i^{(1)}\right)$$

Layer 0 Layer 1 Layer 2 Layer 3



Overall activation

$$A = \sigma(w^{(3)} \cdot \sigma(w^{(2)} \cdot \sigma(w^{(1)} \cdot + b^{(1)}) + b^{(2)}) + b^{(3)})$$

$$A_3 = A_2 \circ A_1(\cdot)$$

Activation function:

$$A : \mathbb{R}^{784} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{10}$$

$$A = A_{w^{(1)}, b^{(1)}, w^{(2)}, b^{(2)}, w^{(3)}, b^{(3)}} \\ (\text{notation: } A_{\underline{w}, \underline{b}})$$

Choices

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$$w^{(1)} \in M_{784 \times 16}(\mathbb{R})$$

$$784 \times 16 = 12,544$$

$$b^{(1)} \in \mathbb{R}^{16}$$

$$16$$

$$w^{(2)} \in M_{16 \times 16}(\mathbb{R})$$

$$16 \times 16 = 256$$

$$b^{(2)} \in \mathbb{R}^{16}$$

$$16$$

$$w^{(3)} \in M_{16 \times 10}(\mathbb{R})$$

$$16 \times 10 = 160$$

$$b^{(3)} \in \mathbb{R}^{10}$$

$$10$$

total # parameters: 13,002.

Training:

Cost function built from a training Set.

Collection of pairs

$$TS = \{ (I_1, L_1), (I_2, L_2), \dots, (I_n, L_n) \}$$

where $I_k \in \mathbb{R}^{784}$ is an input, $L_i \in \mathbb{R}^{10}$ is the correct output.

$$C = C_{TS} : \mathbb{R}^{13,002} \rightarrow \mathbb{R},$$

really

$$C : M_{784 \times 16} \times \mathbb{R}^{16} \times M_{16 \times 16} \times \mathbb{R}^{16} \times M_{16 \times 10} \times \mathbb{R}^{10} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$(w^{(1)}, b^{(1)}, w^{(2)}, b^{(2)}, w^{(3)}, b^{(3)}) \mapsto \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \| \underbrace{A_{w,b}(I_i) - L_i}_{\text{distance of the guess } (A_{w,b}(I_i)) \text{ from the answer } L_i} \| ^2$$

average over
all images
in the
training data.

Intuition of Cost function:

$C(\underline{w}, \underline{b})$ is small \Leftrightarrow the weights $\underline{w}, \underline{b}$ do a good job guessing the correct answer.

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 $w^{(1)}, w^{(2)}, w^{(3)} \quad b^{(1)}, b^{(2)}, b^{(3)}$

\Rightarrow Goal should be to find weights $\underline{w}, \underline{b}$ minimizing C .

Gradient Descent

Idea: ① Start with Random inputs $(\underline{w}_0, \underline{b}_0)$ to C .

② Find the direction of $(\underline{w}_0, \underline{b}_0)$ that leads the the largest decrease in C .

③ Change $(\underline{w}_0, \underline{b}_0)$ to $(\underline{w}_1, \underline{b}_1)$ according to the direction from ②.

More precisely:

For 2, use $-\nabla C(\underline{w}, \underline{b})$.

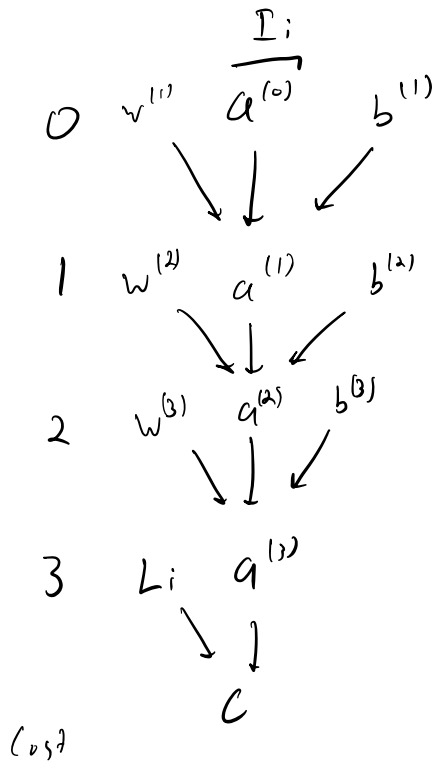
$$C: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \quad \nabla C: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\nabla C = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial C}{\partial x_1} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial C}{\partial x_n} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{e.g. } C: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \\ (x, y) \mapsto x^2 y + y, \quad \nabla C = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial C}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial C}{\partial y} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2xy \\ x^2 + 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{array} \right)$$

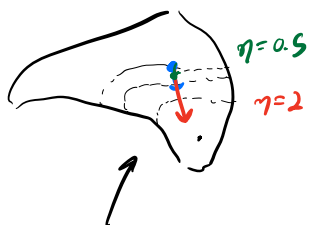
★ To do: details for Gradient descent ★

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\|A_3 A_2 A_1(a^{(i)}) - L\|}{a^L}$$



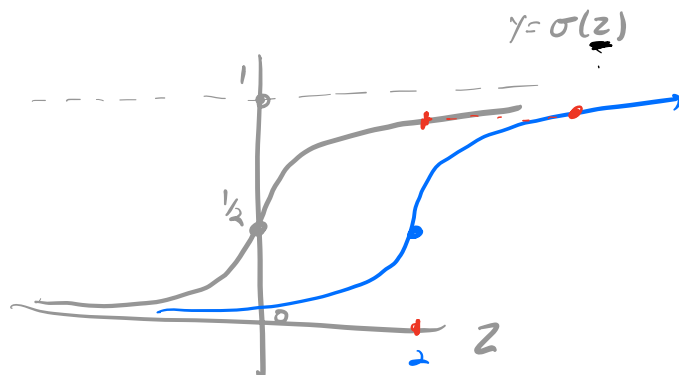
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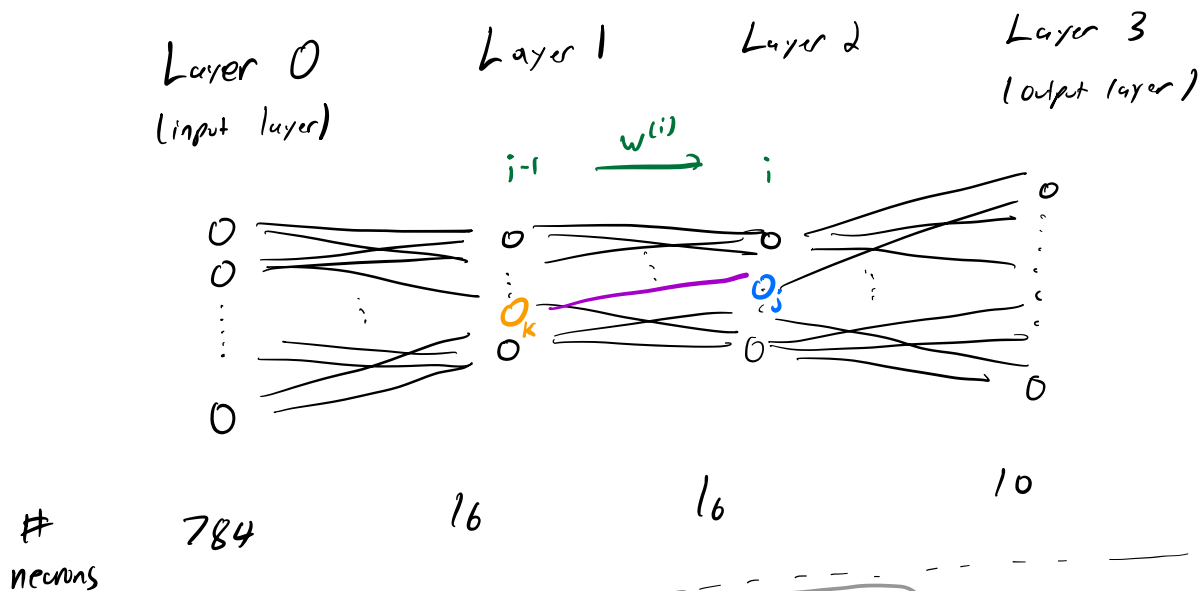


$$\underline{w}_0 - \underline{\eta} \nabla \mathcal{L}(\underline{w}_0)$$

$$\sigma(\underline{z} - 2)$$



Recalling activation



Activations:

From Layer 0 to layer 1:

Notation: $w_{jk}^{(i)}$
 i) weight by which neuron k in layer $i-1$ influences neuron j in layer i

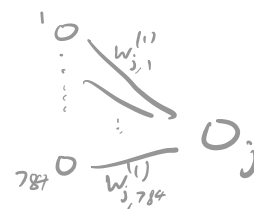
initial activation:
 (input to layer zero)

$$a^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1^{(0)} \\ \vdots \\ a_{784}^{(0)} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{784}$$

activation of j^{th} neuron in 1^{st} layer: $(j=1, \dots, 16)$

$$a_j^{(1)} = \sigma \left(\sum_{k=1}^{784} w_{jk}^{(1)} a_k^{(0)} + b_j^{(1)} \right)$$

define: $z_j^{(1)} = \sum_{k=1}^{784} w_{jk}^{(1)} a_k^{(0)} + b_j^{(1)}$



Keep track of all neurons at once using vectors:

$$a^{(1)} := \begin{pmatrix} a_1^{(1)} \\ \vdots \\ a_{16}^{(1)} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{16} \quad \& \quad z^{(1)} := \begin{pmatrix} z_1^{(1)} \\ \vdots \\ z_{16}^{(1)} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{16}$$

$$a^{(1)} = \sigma(z^{(1)})$$

j, k^{th} entry $w_{jk}^{(1)}$

All together:

$$\underbrace{a^{(1)}}_{\substack{16 \times 1 \\ \text{vector}}} = \sigma(z^{(1)}), \quad \underbrace{z^{(1)}}_{\substack{16 \times 1 \\ \text{vector}}} = \underbrace{W^{(1)}}_{\substack{16 \times 784 \\ \text{matrix}}} \cdot \underbrace{a^{(0)}}_{\substack{784 \times 1 \\ \text{vector}}} + \underbrace{b^{(1)}}_{\substack{16 \times 1 \\ \text{vector}}}$$

Layer 1 to layer 2

$$\underbrace{a^{(2)}}_{16 \times 1} = \sigma(z^{(2)}), \quad \underbrace{z^{(2)}}_{16 \times 1} = \underbrace{W^{(2)}}_{16 \times 16} \cdot \underbrace{a^{(1)}}_{16 \times 1} + \underbrace{b^{(2)}}_{16 \times 1}$$

From layer 2 to layer 3

$$\underbrace{a^{(3)}}_{10 \times 1} = \sigma(z^{(3)}), \quad \underbrace{z^{(3)}}_{10 \times 1} = \underbrace{W^{(3)}}_{10 \times 16} \cdot \underbrace{a^{(2)}}_{16 \times 1} + \underbrace{b^{(3)}}_{10 \times 1}$$

Final cost:

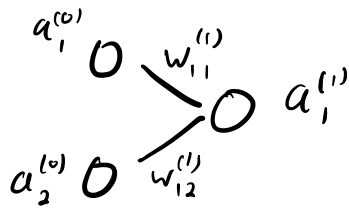
$$C = \frac{1}{\substack{\# \text{ x in} \\ \text{training} \\ \text{data}}} \sum_{\substack{\text{x in training} \\ \text{data}}} C_x,$$

$$C_x = \left\| \underbrace{A_{w,b}}_{\substack{\text{guess based on} \\ \text{given weights \&} \\ \text{biases.}}} (x) - \underbrace{\text{actual value}(x)}_{10 \times 1} \right\|^2$$

$x \in \mathbb{R}^{784}$

need to find $\nabla C = \frac{1}{\# \dots} \nabla \cdot C_x$

Simple example:



$$a^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1^{(0)} \\ a_2^{(0)} \end{pmatrix},$$

$$a^{(1)} = \sigma(z^{(1)}),$$

$$z^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} w_{11}^{(1)} & w_{12}^{(1)} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1^{(0)} \\ a_2^{(0)} \end{pmatrix} + b_1^{(1)}$$

$$= w_{11}^{(1)} a_1^{(0)} + w_{12}^{(1)} a_2^{(0)} + b_1^{(1)}$$

variables in cost function

Exercise: If $w^{(1)} = (2 \quad \ln(2))$ and $a^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$,
 & $b^{(1)} = 0$,

find the activation of the neuron in the output layer.

$$\frac{e}{1} = \frac{e-1}{1} = \ln(e) = \frac{e-1}{1} \quad \forall$$

Suppose our training data is one single
 data point:

$$\left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, 1 \right)$$

(This means the input of $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ to the first layer
 should output the "vector" 1 (remember there is only one neuron).

Cost function:

$$\| \sigma(v_{11}^{(1)} \cdot 1 + w_{12}^{(1)} \cdot 2 + b_1^{(1)}) - 1 \|^2$$

$$w_1 = w_{11}^{(1)}$$

$$w_2 = w_{12}^{(1)}$$

$$b = b_1^{(1)}$$

Cost function

$$C(w_1, w_2, b) := (\sigma(w_1 + 2w_2 - b) - 1)^2$$

Exercise: Find the Gradient of the cost function.

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_1} = 2(\sigma(w_1 + 2w_2 - b) - 1) \cdot \sigma'(w_1 + 2w_2 - b) \cdot \underbrace{1}_{\frac{\partial w_1}{\partial w_1} = 1}$$

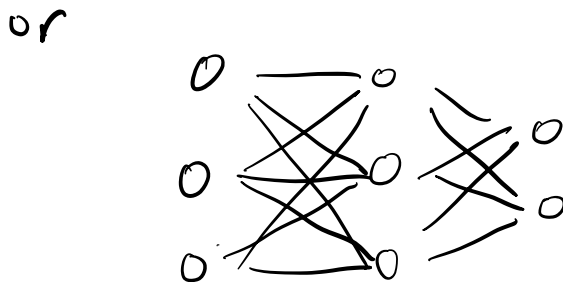
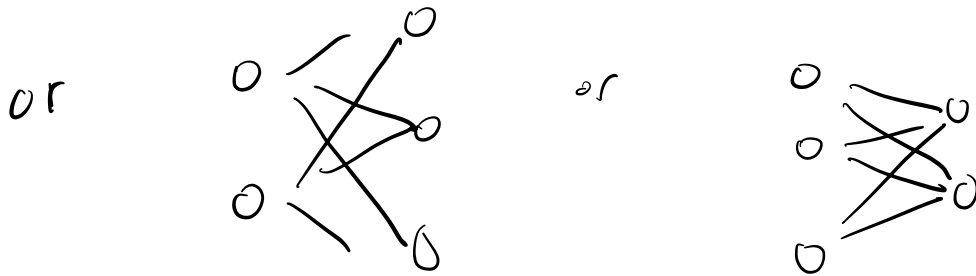
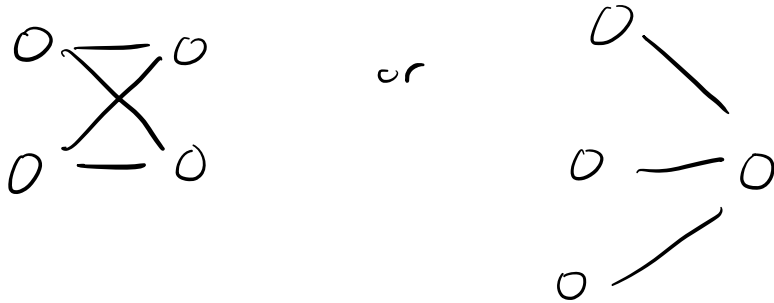
$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_2} = 2(\sigma(w_1 + 2w_2 - b) - 1) \cdot \sigma'(w_1 + 2w_2 - b) \cdot \underbrace{2}_{\frac{\partial(w_1 + 2w_2 - b)}{\partial w_2} = 2}$$

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial b} = 2(\sigma(w_1 + 2w_2 - b) - 1) \cdot \sigma'(w_1 + 2w_2 - b) \cdot (-1)$$

$$\nabla C = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial C}{\partial w_1} \\ \frac{\partial C}{\partial w_2} \\ \frac{\partial C}{\partial b} \end{pmatrix}$$

Exercise: Go through chapter 2 in the book, and for all the formulas displayed there, write what they are in this simple case.

Exercise: Do the same for other simple neural networks,
e.g.



"Assignment:"

▷ Reading: Ch 1 & Ch 2 of the book.

(More theoretical)
math!

▷ Programming: (Recommended as group work!)

- Run the code in the book for MNIST digits
(experiment with using different structures of neural networks, e.s. of shape $[784, 16, 16, 10]$)
- Run the code in the book for USPS digits.
experiment to find good parameters.
- If there is some other data set you want to analyze, go for it!

Next meeting w/ me: July 17-21

(in person or zoom...)

Students only meeting next week encouraged!