1. You want to train the following model using gradient descent. Here, the input x and target y are both scalar-valued. Use the chain rule to give the expression for the back propagation rule to update w_2 . Make sure to give each portion of the chain rule explicitly, as well as the final update rule. (8 points)

$$z = w_0 + w_1 x + w_2 x^2$$

$$y = 1 + e^z$$

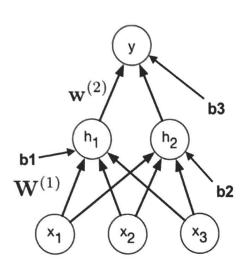
$$L = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{y} - y)^2$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial y} = -(\hat{y} - y)$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial z} = e^z$$

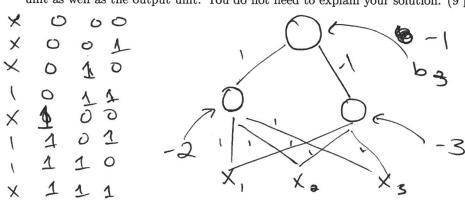
$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial w_2} = \frac{z}{z}$$

2. Consider the binary threshold neuron, $h = sign(w \cdot x)$ defined such that $h \in \{0,1\}$, with no bias b. Consider the following set of four input features, x: (1,0,0), (0,1,0), (0,0,1), (1,1,1). Find a three-dimensional parameter vector w such that the neuron will have the output pattern $h = \{1,1,1,1\}$ for the given four input features. (2 points)



1. Your job is to design a multilayer perceptron which receives three binary-valued (i.e. 0 or 1) inputs x1,x2,x3, and outputs 1 if exactly two of the inputs are 1, and outputs 0 otherwise. All of the units use a hard threshold activation function: z=1 if $z\geq 0$ and z=0 otherwise.

Specify weights and biases which correctly implement this function. There is a bias for each hidden unit as well as the output unit. You do not need to explain your solution. (9 points)



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$$\omega = (1, 1, 1)$$