

Exercise set #4

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1. Analytic derivatives.

- (a) Consider the two layer network

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} \|y - \text{ReLU}(xw)v\|_2^2,$$

where $x, y, w, v \in \mathbb{R}$ and the ReLU activation function defined as $\text{ReLU}(a) = \max(0, a)$ for any $a \in \mathbb{R}$. Do not worry too much about the case $x = 0$ where the ReLU function is not differentiable.

Compute $\frac{\partial f}{\partial w}$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial v}$.

- (b) Consider the following two layer network

$$g(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} \|y - \text{ReLU}(xW)v\|_2^2$$

with weights and inputs

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2, y \in \mathbb{R},$$

$$W = \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}, v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2.$$

Compute $\frac{\partial g}{\partial w_{11}}$ and $\frac{\partial g}{\partial w_{ij}}$.

30 points

2. Two-layer neural network.

In this exercise you will implement a fully-connected neural network classifier for the CIFAR-10 dataset. For detailed instructions please we refer to the Jupyter notebook *two_layer_net.ipynb*.

70 points