

## Deep Learning Proofs.

Q 2. a)  $f(x, y) = x^4 + xy + x^2$

Prove that  $f$  is a  $\mathbb{R}$  convex by proving its Hessian matrix is PSD or identify a point in the domain of  $f$  where Hessian is not PSD.

The Hessian matrix can be found out by :-

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial x} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial y} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 4x^3 + y + 2x, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial x \partial x} = 12x^2 + 2$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = x, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y \partial y} = 1$$

$$\therefore H = \begin{bmatrix} 12x^2 + 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

We know that the Hessian of matrix determinant has to be positive or 0 for it to be positive semi definite.

$$\Delta_H = (12x^2 + 2) \times 0 - 1 \times 1 = -1$$

Since the determinant of the matrix is -1, this means that there exists a point where the Hessian is negative. Thus  $f$  is not a convex function.



2b) Show that, for any real vector  $v$ , it is always true that  $v^T H v \geq 0$ .

$$f_{\text{MSE}}(w) = \frac{1}{2n} (x^T w - y)(x^T w - y)$$

$$f_{\text{MSE}}(w) = \frac{1}{2n} (x^T w - y)^2$$

$$\frac{\partial f_{\text{MSE}}(w)}{\partial w} = \frac{1}{n} \cancel{x^T} \times \cancel{2} \times (\cancel{x^T w - y}) \times (x) \times (x^T w - y)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f_{\text{MSE}}(w)}{\partial w^2} = \frac{1}{n} x(X)x(X^T) = \text{Hessian matrix} = H$$

To prove that  $v^T H v \geq 0$ ,

$$v^T H v = \cancel{\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) * v^T * H * v} = \cancel{\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) * v^T * x * x^T * v} = \left(\frac{1}{n}\right) * v^T * x * x^T * v$$

$x \cdot x^T$  is a positive semi definite matrix which means that  $(v^T) * (x) * (x^T) * (v)$  will also be  $\geq 0$ .

~~This~~ This means that  $H$  is also PSD, which means the func<sup>n</sup>  $f_{\text{MSE}}(w)$  is convex wrt weight vector  $w$ .



4a)  $\sigma(x) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-x}}$

Prove that  $\sigma(-x) = 1 - \sigma(x) \quad \forall x$ .

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

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

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

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

Multiplying by  $\frac{e^x}{e^x}$ , we get

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

$$= \frac{1}{1+e^x}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$



4b) Prove that  $\sigma'(x) = \frac{\partial \sigma(x)}{\partial x} = \sigma(x)(1 - \sigma(x)) \quad \forall x$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \sigma(x)}{\partial x} &= \frac{1}{(1+e^{-x})^2} \times e^{-x} \times (-1) \\ &= \frac{-e^{-x}}{(1+e^{-x})^2} = \text{LHS.}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{RHS} &= \sigma(x)(1 - \sigma(x)) \\ &= \frac{1}{(1+e^{-x})^2} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{(1+e^{-x})} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{(1+e^{-x})} \left( \frac{1+e^{-x}-1}{1+e^{-x}} \right) \\ &= \frac{e^{-x}}{(1+e^{-x})^2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$