

## Gaussian RBF network

Consider a Gaussian RBF network with 3 examples  $\{x, d\}$ , where  $x$  denotes the input and  $d$  denotes the value. The 3 examples are given as  $\{(1,0), 3\}, \{(0,1), -1\}, \{(1,1), 5\}$ . Suppose that all the 3 examples are selected as centers and the  $\sigma_i = 1, i = 1, 2, 3$ .

1) Using Gaussian radial basis functions to compute the hidden layers. (Approximate calculations can be performed using:  $\exp(-0.5) \approx 0.6025, \exp(-1) \approx 0.3679$ .)

2) Calculate the related weight vector and predict the values of each input. The

$$\text{inverse matrix of } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.4984 & 1.0988 & 1.4267 \\ 1.0988 & 1.4984 & 1.4267 \\ 1.4267 & 1.4267 & 1.7260 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{is}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 3.3460 & 0.8432 & -3.4626 \\ 0.8432 & 3.3460 & -3.4626 \\ -3.4626 & -3.4626 & 6.3035 \end{bmatrix}$$

3) Suppose that only the two examples,  $\{(1,0), 3\}, \{(0,1), -1\}$ , are set as centers. Re-calculate the problems of 1) and 2). The inverse matrix of  $A =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.4984 & 1.0988 \\ 1.0988 & 1.4984 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is } B = \begin{bmatrix} 1.4439 & -1.0589 \\ -1.0589 & 1.4439 \end{bmatrix}.$$

4) For the input vector  $(0,0)$ , please calculate the hidden layers and final output using the two RBF networks given in 2) and 3).

Answer:

(1) The Gaussian radial function:  $F(x, c) = \exp\left(-\frac{|x-c|^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$

For the input  $(1,0)$        $\rho_{11}=1$

$$\rho_{12} = \exp\left(-\frac{(1-0)^2+(0-1)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-1)$$

$$\rho_{13} = \exp\left(-\frac{(1-1)^2+(0-1)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-0.5)$$

For the input  $(0,1)$

$$\rho_{21} = \exp\left(-\frac{(0-1)^2+(1-0)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-1)$$

$$\rho_{22}=1$$

$$\rho_{23} = \exp\left(-\frac{(0-1)^2+(1-1)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-0.5)$$

For the input (1,1)

$$\rho_{31} = \exp\left(-\frac{(1-1)^2+(1-0)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-0.5)$$

$$\rho_{32} = \exp\left(-\frac{(1-0)^2+(1-1)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-0.5)$$

$$\rho_{33}=1$$

The hidden layer can be represented by a approximate matrix:

$$\varphi = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.3679 & 0.6025 \\ 0.3679 & 1 & 0.6025 \\ 0.6025 & 0.6025 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. The predictions of the examples can be written as:

$$e_i = \sum_{n=1,\dots,N} \rho_{in} w_n \text{ and } e = \varphi w$$

The real value is  $d = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$

**Method 1.** Minimizing  $|e - d|^2 \triangleq \varphi^T \varphi w - \varphi^T d = 0$   
 $w = (\varphi^T \varphi)^{-1} \varphi^T d$

$$\varphi^T \varphi = \begin{bmatrix} 1.4984 & 1.0988 & 1.4267 \\ 1.0988 & 1.4984 & 1.4267 \\ 1.4267 & 1.4267 & 1.7260 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (\varphi^T \varphi)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3.3460 & 0.8432 & -3.4626 \\ 0.8432 & 3.3460 & -3.4626 \\ -3.4626 & -3.4626 & 6.3035 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} 0.0288 \\ -6.3007 \\ 8.7780 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Method 2.**

$$w = \varphi^{-1} d$$

$$\varphi^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.5700 & -0.0121 & -0.9386 \\ -0.0121 & 1.5700 & -0.9386 \\ -0.9386 & -0.9386 & 2.1311 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} 0.0288 \\ -6.3007 \\ 8.7780 \end{bmatrix}$$

To verify the predictions:

$$e = \varphi w = \begin{bmatrix} 3.0000 \\ -1.0000 \\ 5.0000 \end{bmatrix}$$

3.

The hidden layer can be represented by a approximate matrix:

$$\varphi = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.3679 \\ 0.3679 & 1 \\ 0.6025 & 0.6025 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\varphi^T \varphi &= \begin{bmatrix} 1.4984 & 1.0988 \\ 1.0988 & 1.4984 \end{bmatrix} \\ (\varphi^T \varphi)^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1.4439 & -1.0589 \\ -1.0589 & 1.4439 \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} 4.8507 \\ -1.4774 \end{bmatrix}$$

To verify the predictions:

$$e = \varphi w = \begin{bmatrix} 4.3071 \\ 0.3071 \\ 2.0324 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. For the first RBF Network (1,0), (0,1), (1,1) are used as centers, the hidden layer for input (0,0) calculate as:

$$\rho_{11} = \exp\left(-\frac{(0-1)^2+(0-0)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-0.5)$$

$$\rho_{12} = \exp\left(-\frac{(0-0)^2+(0-1)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-0.5)$$

$$\rho_{13} = \exp\left(-\frac{(0-1)^2+(0-1)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-1)$$

Therefore, the hidden layer is given by  $\varphi = [0.6025, 0.6025, 0.3679]$   
The output is

$$d = \varphi w = [0.6025, 0.6025, 0.3679] \begin{bmatrix} 0.0288 \\ -6.3007 \\ 8.7780 \end{bmatrix} = -0.5491$$

For the second RBF Network (1,0), (0,1) are used as centers, the hidden layer for input (0,0) calculate as:

$$\rho_{11} = \exp\left(-\frac{(0-1)^2 + (0-0)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-0.5)$$

$$\rho_{12} = \exp\left(-\frac{(0-0)^2 + (0-1)^2}{2}\right) = \exp(-0.5)$$

Therefore, the hidden layer is given by  $\varphi = [0.6025, 0.6025]$

The output is

$$d = \varphi w = [0.6025, 0.6025] \begin{bmatrix} 4.8507 \\ -1.4774 \end{bmatrix} = 2.0324$$