

Recurrent Neural Network (RNN)

Forward Propagation

Single Example

$$\begin{aligned} z^{(t)} &= u x^{(t)} + w h^{(t-1)} + b^{(1)} \\ h^{(t)} &= \phi(z^{(t)}) \\ n^{(t)} &= v h^{(t)} + b^{(2)} \\ y^{(t)} &= \phi(n^{(t)}) \end{aligned}$$

Batch

$$\begin{aligned} M^{(t)} &= x^{(t)} u^T + y^{(t-1)} w^T + b^{(1)} \\ y^{(t)} &= \phi(M^{(t)}) \\ O^{(t)} &= y^{(t)} v^T + b^{(2)} \\ \mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T \ell(O_t, y_t) \end{aligned}$$

Backpropagation Through Time (BPTT)

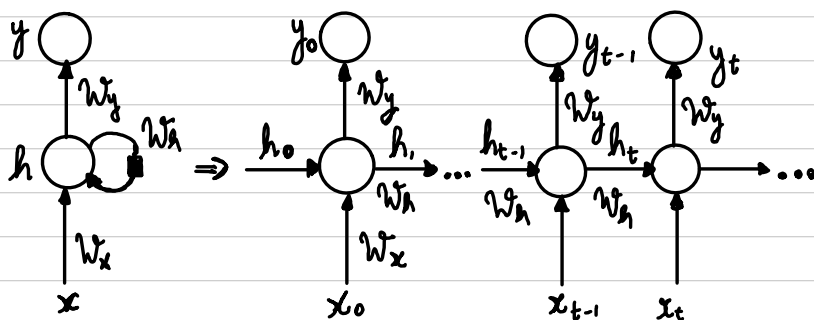
$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\mathcal{L}} &= 1 \\ \bar{y}^{(t)} &= \bar{\mathcal{L}} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial y^{(t)}} \\ \bar{n}^{(t)} &= \bar{y}^{(t)} \phi'(n^{(t)}) \\ \bar{h}^{(t)} &= \bar{n}^{(t)} v + \bar{y}^{(t+1)} w \\ \bar{z}^{(t)} &= \bar{h}^{(t)} \phi'(z^{(t)}) \\ \bar{x}^{(t)} &= \bar{z}^{(t)} u \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{v} &= \sum_t \bar{n}^{(t)} h^{(t)} \\ \bar{u} &= \sum_t \bar{z}^{(t)} x^{(t)} \\ \bar{w} &= \sum_t \bar{y}^{(t+1)} h^{(t)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\mathcal{L}} &= 1 \\ \bar{O}^{(t)} &= \frac{1}{T} (y^{(t)} - o^{(t)}) \\ \bar{y}^{(t)} &= \bar{O}^{(t)} v + \bar{M}^{(t+1)} w \\ \bar{b}^{(1)} &= (\bar{O}^{(t)})^T \mathbf{1} \\ \bar{M}^{(t)} &= \bar{y}^{(t)} o \phi'(M^{(t)}) \\ \bar{x}^{(t)} &= \bar{M}^{(t)} u \\ \bar{b}^{(2)} &= (\bar{M}^{(t)})^T \mathbf{1} \\ \bar{v} &= \sum_t (\bar{O}^{(t)})^T y^{(t)} \\ \bar{u} &= \sum_t (\bar{M}^{(t)})^T x^{(t)} \\ \bar{w} &= \sum_t (\bar{M}^{(t)})^T y^{(t+1)} \end{aligned}$$

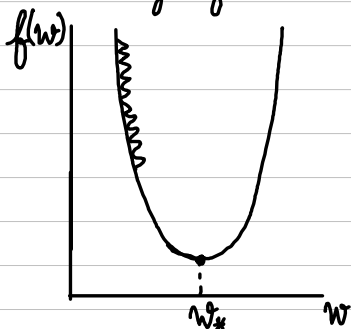
\mathcal{L} - (batch-size, sequence-length, number-of-features)

Diagrams:



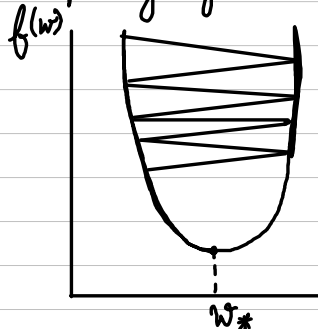
$$h_{t+1} = f(w_x x_t + w_h h_t + b_h)$$

Vanishing Gradients



- fails to capture long-term information and dependencies

Exploding Gradients



- falls wide off optimal solution