

EN.601.482/682 Deep Learning

Computational Graphs and Backprop

Part II

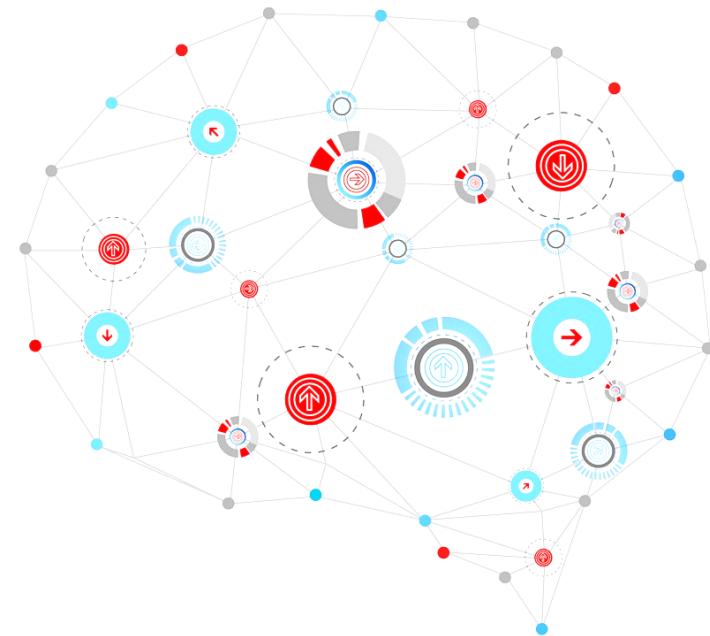
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Today's Lecture

Math of Derivatives

Backpropagation: Matrix Example



Derivatives

Scalar Case:

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Measure change:

$$f(x + \varepsilon) \approx f(x) + \varepsilon f'(x)$$



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Rephrase $y = f(x)$

$$x \rightarrow x + \Delta x \implies y \approx y + \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Delta x$$



Derivatives

Scalar Case:

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Derivatives

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$$x \rightarrow x + \Delta x \implies y \approx y + \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Delta x \rightarrow \boxed{\Delta y = \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Delta x}$$
$$y \rightarrow y + \Delta y \implies z \approx z + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \Delta y \rightarrow \boxed{\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \Delta y = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Delta x}$$



Derivatives

Gradient: Vector in, scalar Out: Binary classification problem

Given a function $f: \mathbb{R}^N \mapsto \mathbb{R}$, the derivative of f at the point $x \in \mathbb{R}^N$ is
gradient:

$$\nabla_x f(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x + h) - f(x)}{\|h\|}$$



Derivatives

Vector in, scalar Out:

Given a function $f: \mathbb{R}^N \mapsto \mathbb{R}$, the derivative of f at the point $x \in \mathbb{R}^N$ is *gradient*:

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$$x \rightarrow x + \Delta x \implies y \rightarrow \approx y + \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \cdot \Delta x$$

$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x_1}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_2}, \dots, \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_N} \right)$

dot product

vector

scalar



Derivatives

Jacobian: Vector in, Vector out: Multi-classification problem

Given a function $f: \mathbb{R}^N \mapsto \mathbb{R}^M$, the derivative of f at the point $x \in \mathbb{R}^N$ is **Jacobian**:

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} \frac{\partial y_1}{\partial x_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial y_1}{\partial x_N} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial y_M}{\partial x_1} & \cdots & \frac{\partial y_M}{\partial x_N} \end{array} \right) \underbrace{m}_{n}$$



Derivatives

Jacobian: Vector in, Vector out:

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$$\boxed{x} \rightarrow \boxed{x} + \boxed{\Delta x} \implies \boxed{y} \rightarrow \approx \boxed{y} + \boxed{\frac{\partial y}{\partial x}} \boxed{\Delta x}$$

$n \times 1$

$m \times 1$

$m \times n$

$n \times 1$

vector

matrix

Matrix-vector
multiplication

Derivatives

Jacobian: Vector in, Vector out:

Suppose that $f : \mathbb{R}^N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^M$ and $g : \mathbb{R}^M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^K$ $x \in \mathbb{R}^N$, $y \in \mathbb{R}^M$, $z \in \mathbb{R}^K$
 $y = f(x)$ and $z = g(y)$

The (vector) chain rule tells us that

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial x}}$$



Matrix Multiplication

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} : K \times M \text{ matrix}$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} : M \times N \text{ matrix}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} : K \times N \text{ matrix}$$



Derivatives

Generalized Jacobian: Tensor* in, Tensor out: Input, output more dimensions

**tensor*: a D-dimensional grid of numbers.

e.g: vector – 1d tensor; matrix – 2d tensor



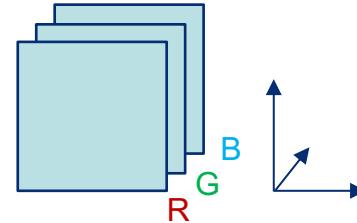
Derivatives

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RGB image – 3d tensor



Derivatives

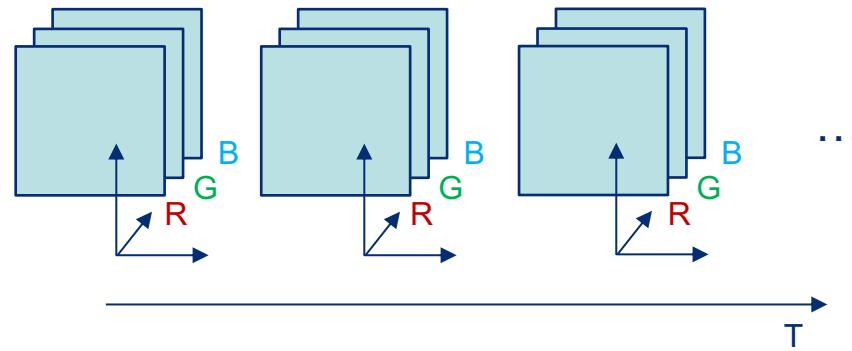
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RGB image – 3d tensor

RGB video – 4d tensor



Derivatives

Generalized Jacobian: Tensor* in, Tensor out:

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Given a function $f: \mathbb{R}^{N_1 \times \dots \times N_{K_x}} \mapsto \mathbb{R}^{M_1 \times \dots \times M_{K_y}}$, the derivative of f at the point $x \in \mathbb{R}^{N_1 \times \dots \times N_{K_x}}$ is **generalized Jacobian**:

Shape: $(M_1 \times \dots \times M_{K_y}) \times (N_1 \times \dots \times N_{K_x})$



Derivatives

Generalized Jacobian: Tensor* in, Tensor out:

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If we let $i \in \mathbb{Z}^{D_y}$ and $j \in \mathbb{Z}^{D_x}$

$$\left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right)_{i,j} = \frac{\partial y_i}{\partial x_j}$$

Derivatives

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If we let $i \in \mathbb{Z}^{K_x}$ and $j \in \mathbb{Z}^{K_y}$

index

$$\left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right)_{i,j} = \frac{\partial y_j}{\partial x_i}$$

scalar

Derivatives

Generalized Jacobian: Tensor* in, Tensor out:

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Generalized Matrix-vector Multiplication



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Dot product



Derivatives

Generalized Jacobian: Tensor* in, Tensor out:

Example:

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

2×2

$$Y = \begin{pmatrix} y_{11} & y_{12} \\ y_{21} & y_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

2×2

$$\frac{\partial Y}{\partial X} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial X} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial X} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial X} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial X} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \left(\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{22}} \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{22}} \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

(2×2)×(2×2)



Derivatives

Generalized Jacobian: Tensor* in, Tensor out:

Example:

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} \end{pmatrix} \quad 2 \times 2$$
$$Y = \begin{pmatrix} y_{11} & y_{12} \\ y_{21} & y_{22} \end{pmatrix} \quad 2 \times 2$$

$$\frac{\partial Y}{\partial X} = \left(\begin{array}{cc} \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial X} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial X} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial X} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial X} \end{array} \right)$$
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$$(2 \times 2) \times (2 \times 2)$$

Derivatives

Generalized Jacobian: Tensor* in, Tensor out:

Example: $\Delta Y = \frac{\partial Y}{\partial X} \Delta X$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left(\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{22}} \end{pmatrix} \right) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{22}} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \Delta x_{11} & \Delta x_{12} \\ \Delta x_{21} & \Delta x_{22} \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Dot product

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Generalized Matrix-Matrix
Multiplication

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$$\begin{aligned}\Delta Z &= \frac{\partial Z}{\partial Y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial X} \Delta X \\ &= \left(\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial y_{11}} & \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial y_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial y_{21}} & \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial y_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial y_{11}} & \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial y_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial y_{21}} & \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial y_{22}} \end{pmatrix} \right) \cdot \left(\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{22}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{22}} \end{pmatrix} \right) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \Delta x_{11} & \Delta x_{12} \\ \Delta x_{21} & \Delta x_{22} \end{pmatrix}\end{aligned}$$



Derivatives

Generalized Jacobian: Tensor* in, Tensor out:

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$$\cdot \begin{pmatrix} \Delta x_{11} & \Delta x_{12} \\ \Delta x_{21} & \Delta x_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$



Derivatives

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$$\Delta Z = \frac{\partial Z}{\partial Y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial X} \Delta X$$

$$= \left(\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial y_{11}} & \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial y_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial y_{21}} & \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial y_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial y_{11}} & \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial y_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial y_{21}} & \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial y_{22}} \end{pmatrix} \right) \cdot \left(\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{11}}{\partial x_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{21}}{\partial x_{22}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{12}}{\partial x_{22}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{11}} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{21}} & \frac{\partial y_{22}}{\partial x_{22}} \end{pmatrix} \right) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \Delta x_{11} & \Delta x_{12} \\ \Delta x_{21} & \Delta x_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \right)_{i,j} = \sum_k \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right)_{i,k} \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right)_{k,j} = \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right)_{i,:} \cdot \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right)_{:,j}$$

Dot product

Summary

Input → $f(\cdot)$ → Output

Scalar: a

Scalar: b

Vector: \vec{a}

Vector: \vec{b}

Tensor: A

Tensor: B



Backpropagation → Derivative: $\frac{\partial f(*)}{\partial *}$

Summary

$$y = f(x), z = g(y);$$

Scalar in Scalar out $\Delta y = \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Delta x$ **Scalar product** $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial x}$ **Scalar product**

Vector in Scalar out $\Delta y = \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Delta x$ **Dot product**

Vector in Vector out $\Delta y = J \Delta x$ **Matrix product** $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial x}$ **Matrix product**

Tensor in Tensor out $\Delta y = \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Delta x$ **Generalized Matrix product** $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial x}$ **Generalized Matrix product**

$$\left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Delta x \right)_j = \sum_i \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right)_{i,j} (\Delta x)_i$$

$$= \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right)_{j,:} \cdot \Delta x$$

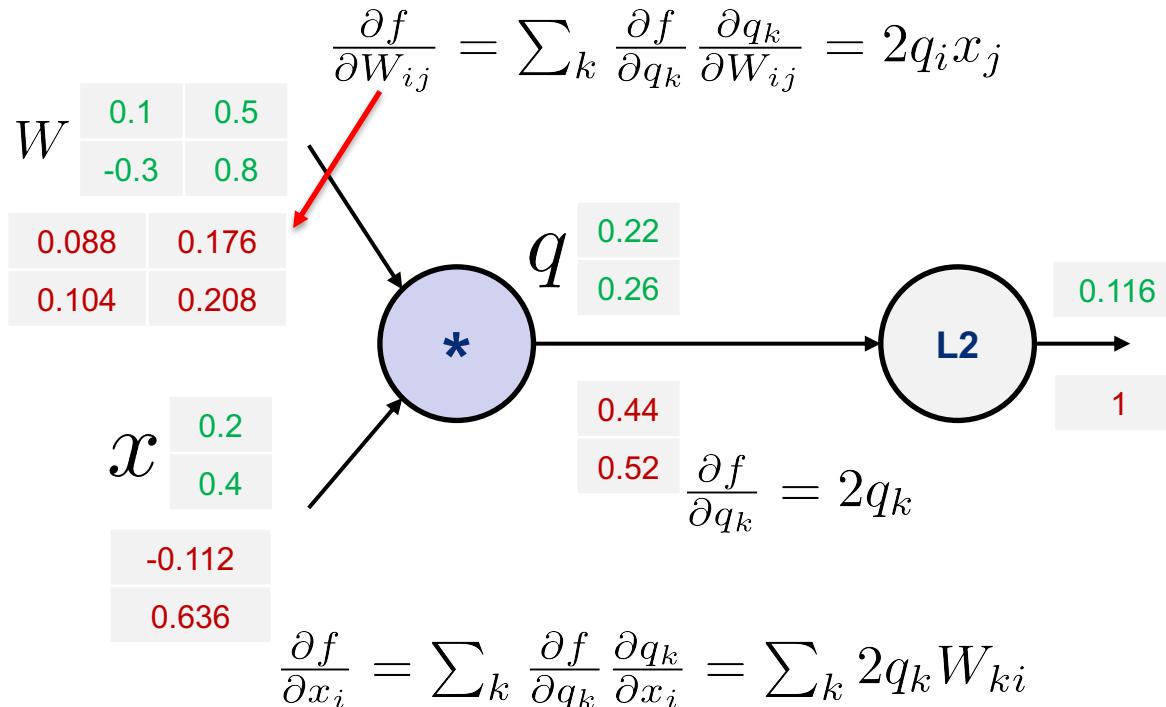
$$\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \right)_{i,j} = \sum_k \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right)_{i,k} \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right)_{k,j}$$

$$= \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right)_{i,:} \cdot \left(\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right)_{:,j}$$



Recall: A Vectorized Example

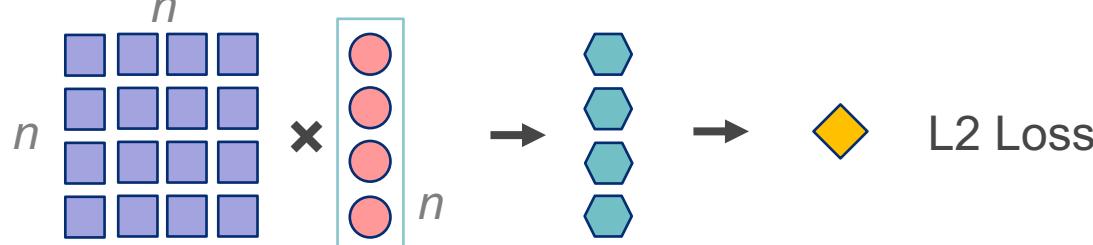
$$f(W, x) : \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \times \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R} \quad f(W, x) = \|W \cdot x\|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (W \cdot x)_i^2$$



A More Complicated Case

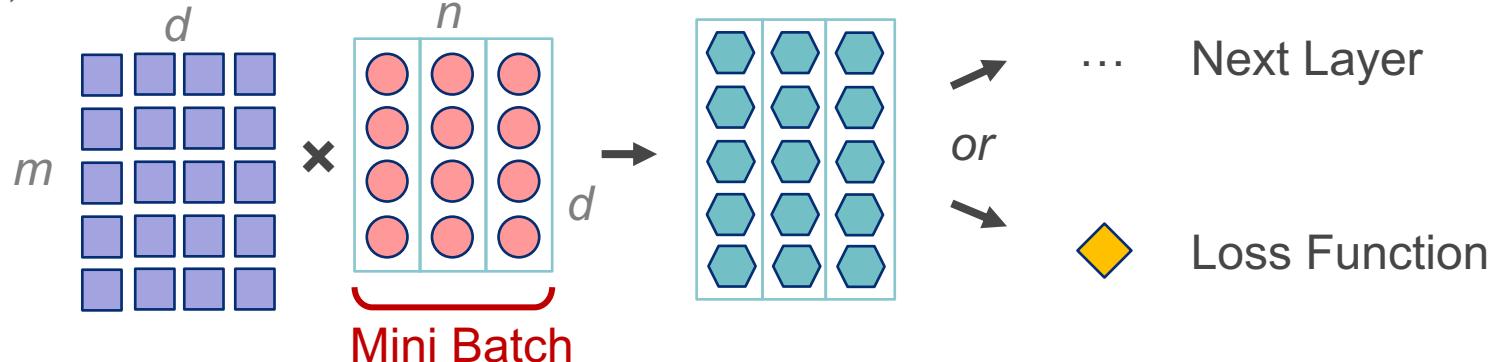
Vector:

$$f(W, x) : \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \times \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}$$
$$f(W, x) = \|W \cdot x\|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (W \cdot x)_i^2$$



Matrix:

$$f(W, x) : \mathbb{R}^{m \times d} \times \mathbb{R}^{d \times n} \mapsto \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$$



An Matrix Example

$$f(W, x) : \mathbb{R}^{m \times d} \times \mathbb{R}^{d \times n} \mapsto \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$$

Tensor Tensor Scalar

We consider the case: m = 2, d = 2, n = 3

$$W = \begin{pmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} \end{pmatrix} \quad X = \begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Y = WX \quad \text{Tensor in Tensor out}$$



A Matrix Example

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$$Y = W X \quad \text{Tensor in Tensor out}$$

$$L = l(Y) \quad \text{Tensor in Scalar out}$$

- Tensor
- scalar

A Matrix Example

$$f(W, x) : \mathbb{R}^{m \times d} \times \mathbb{R}^{d \times n} \mapsto \boxed{\mathbb{R}^{m \times n}} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$$

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$$Y = WX$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} w_{11}x_{11} + w_{12}x_{21} & w_{11}x_{12} + w_{12}x_{22} & w_{11}x_{13} + w_{12}x_{23} \\ w_{21}x_{11} + w_{22}x_{21} & w_{21}x_{12} + w_{22}x_{22} & w_{21}x_{13} + w_{22}x_{23} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} y_{11} & y_{12} & y_{13} \\ y_{21} & y_{22} & y_{23} \end{pmatrix}$$



An Matrix Example

By the chain rule, we know that

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial Y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial X}$$



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$$Y = WX$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} w_{11}x_{11} + w_{12}x_{21} & w_{11}x_{12} + w_{12}x_{22} & w_{11}x_{13} + w_{12}x_{23} \\ w_{21}x_{11} + w_{22}x_{21} & w_{21}x_{12} + w_{22}x_{22} & w_{21}x_{13} + w_{22}x_{23} \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial x_{11}} = \boxed{\frac{\partial L}{\partial Y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial x_{11}}} \rightarrow \text{dot multiplication}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^m \sum_{l=1}^n \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{kl}} \frac{\partial y_{kl}}{\partial x_{11}}$$

$$= \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{11}} w_{11} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{21}} w_{21}$$



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$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L}{\partial X} &= \left(\begin{array}{ccc} \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{11}} w_{11} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{21}} w_{21} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{12}} w_{11} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{22}} w_{21} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{13}} w_{11} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{23}} w_{21} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{11}} w_{12} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{21}} w_{22} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{12}} w_{12} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{22}} w_{22} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{13}} w_{12} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{23}} w_{22} \end{array} \right) \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} w_{11} & w_{21} \\ w_{12} & w_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{11}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{12}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{13}} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{21}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{22}} & \frac{\partial L}{\partial y_{23}} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{matrix multiplication} \\ &= W^T \frac{\partial L}{\partial Y}\end{aligned}$$



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$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial X} = \boxed{W^T \frac{\partial L}{\partial Y}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial W} = \boxed{\frac{\partial L}{\partial Y} X^T}$$

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