# BLG561E Deep Learning 2020/2021 Fall Assignment 3

- Please write your own codes, copying code parts from books, websites or any other source including your friends is considered as plagiarism.
- Do not upload your codes to any public platform (e.g. Github) until the deadline of homework passes.
- Do not forget to comment your code.
- Submit your source codes on Ninova before the deadline, late submissions and submissions via e-mail will not be accepted.
- If you have any questions, do not hesitate to send an email to guresti15@itu.edu.tr

### 1 RNN-LSTM-GRU (40 points)

For this part of the homework go to the blg561 directory and install the package via:

#### RNN [10 points]

Implement a simple RNNLayer in bl561/layer/recurrent\_layers.py . Learnable parameters are  $W_x, W_h$  and b which are set during initialization. Dimensions of parameters are given in comments. RNN layer should compute:

$$h^{(t)} = tanh(b + W_h h^{t-1} + W_x x^t)$$

#### LSTM [15 points]

Implement a simple LSTMLayer in bl561/layer/recurrent\_layers.py . Learnable parameters are  $W_x$ ,  $W_h$  and b which are set during initialization. Dimensions of parameters are given in comments. LSTM layer should compute:

$$a = b + W_h h^{t-1} + W_x x^t$$
  
 $a = [a_i, a_f, a_o, a_g]$   
 $input = \sigma(a_i)$ ,  $forget = \sigma(a_f)$ ,  $output = \sigma(a_o)$ ,  $input\_gate = \sigma(a_g)$ 

$$c^{(t)} = forget \odot c^{(t-1)} + input \odot input_gate$$
$$h^{(t)} = output \odot tanh(c^{(t)})$$

#### GRU [15 points]

Implement a simple GRULayer in bl561/layer/recurrent\_layers.py . Learnable parameters are  $W_x, W_h, b, W_{xi}, W_{hi}$  and bi which are set during initialization. Dimensions of parameters are given in comments. GRU layer should compute:

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\begin{split} a &= b + W_h h^{t-1} + W_x x^t \\ a &= [a_z, a_r] \\ update &= \sigma(a_z) \text{ , } reset = \sigma(a_r) \\ h_{candidate} &= tanh(bi + W_{hi}(reset \odot h^{t-1}) + W_{xi}x^t) \\ h^{(t)} &= update \odot h^{(t-1)} + (1 - update) \odot h_{candidate} \end{split}
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After the implementation, test your codes with test\_rnn.py, test\_lstm.py, test\_gru.py in the tests folder.

# 2 Language Modeling with Recurrent Neural Networks in PyTorch (45 pts)

In this part you are going to do a language modelling task with recurrent neural networks in PyTorch. You are expected to use Google Colab for this task.

3 options from the Project Gutenberg is provided as data: Pride and Prejudice, A Tale of Two Cities and The Brothers Karamazov.

You will use cross-entropy loss for optimization and use perplexity as a metric. You should get a maximum validation perplexity of 120 for Pride and Prejudice and 125 for the other books. Experimenting with only one book is sufficient. This is not a sufficient value for good language modelling but it is sufficient for this assignment. For a detailed explanation of cross-entropy and perplexity of a language model, check: Perplexity in Language Models

Follow the instructions in LanguageModelling.ipynb.

## 3 Extra Questions (15 pts)

Answer the questions in LanguageModelling.ipynb.