

## Assignment 2

### 1 Theoretical Part

#### 1.1 Gradient Descent Derivation

We have the equation  $o = w_0 + w_1(x_1 + x_1^2) + \dots + w_n(x_n + x_n^2)$  for the predicted value. The error function we use is  $E_i = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{d \in D} (t_{id} - o_{id})^2$  here is is the training example instance number, and  $i$  is the specific weight number we will be deriving with respect to such as  $w_1$  or  $w_n$ . The training rule for gradient descent is  $\Delta w_{ij} = -\eta^* (\partial E_i / \partial w_{ij})$  which the  $(\partial E_i / \partial w_{ij})$  represents the gradient of the weight vector.

$$(\partial E_i / \partial w_{ij}) = \partial (1/2 \sum_{d \in D} (t_{id} - o_{id})^2) / \partial w_{ij}$$

We will take the derivative of the inside.

$$= 1/2 \sum_{d \in D} 2(t_{id} - o_{id}) * \partial (t_{id} - o_{id}) / \partial w_i$$

$$= \sum_{d \in D} (t_{id} - o_{id}) * \partial (-o_{id}) / \partial w_i$$

Here the  $t_{id}$  in the derivative goes to 0 since there is no weights at all in the target.

$$= \sum_{d \in D} (t_{id} - o_{id}) * \partial (-f(x) * \sum_{k=1}^n (w_{ik} * x_{kd})) / \partial w_i$$

The  $f(x)$  is the activation function such as sigmoid, or sign activation functions, etc.

For simplicity I will summarize and say **sum\_id =  $\sum_n, k=1(w_{ik} * x_{kd})$**

$$= \sum_{d \in D} (t_{id} - o_{id}) * \partial (-f(x) * \text{sum\_id}) / \partial w_i$$

$\partial f(g(x)) / \partial x = \partial f / \partial g(x) * \partial g(x) / \partial x$  Hence we apply this to

$$\partial f(x) * (\text{sum\_id}) / \partial (w_{ij}) = \partial (f(\text{sum\_id})) / \partial (\text{sum\_id}) * \partial (\text{sum\_id}) / \partial (w_i)$$

$$\partial (\text{sum\_id}) / \partial (w_i) = \partial (\sum_n, k=1 w_{ik} * x_{kd}) / \partial (w_{ij})$$

$$= \partial (w_{i1}(x_{1d} + x_{1d}^2) + \dots + w_{in}(x_{nd} + x_{nd}^2)) / \partial (w_{ij})$$

$$= \partial (w_{i1}(x_{1d} + x_{1d}^2)) / \partial (w_{ij}) + \dots + \partial (w_{ij}(x_{jd} + x_{jd}^2)) / \partial (w_{ij}) + \dots + \partial (w_{in}(x_{nd} + x_{nd}^2)) / \partial w_{ij}$$

$$= 0 + \dots + (x_{jd} + x_{jd}^2) + \dots + 0 = (x_{jd} + x_{jd}^2)$$

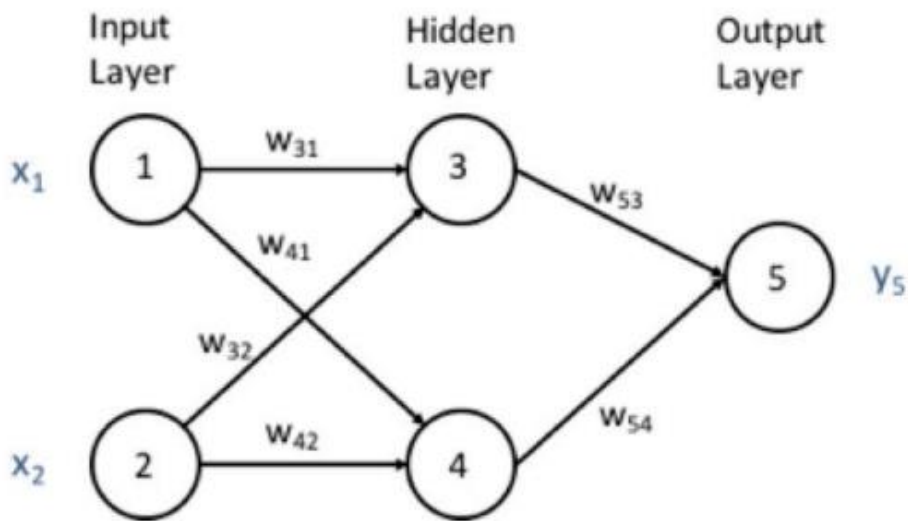
Now let  $h = \partial f(x) / \partial (w_{ij})$ , thus we get

$$(\partial E_i / \partial w_{ij}) = -\sum_{d \in D} (t_{id} - o_{id}) * h * (x_{jd} + x_{jd}^2)$$

I am leaving the activation function as a general answer since it was not provided in the question. With this, we can now define our training rule for the prediction function.

$$\Delta w_{ij} = -\eta^* (-\sum_{d \in D} (t_{id} - o_{id}) * h * (x_{jd} + x_{jd}^2))$$

## 1.2 Comparing Activation Function



a.)

This answer assumes that the equation for  $\sigma$  for 1.1 is not applied. If that is the case refer to part a part 2.

Hidden layer Computation:

$$\text{net3} = W_{31} \cdot x_1 + W_{32} \cdot x_2 \quad \text{net4} = W_{41} \cdot x_1 + W_{42} \cdot x_2$$

$$x_3 = \text{Node3} = h(\text{net3}) \quad x_4 = \text{node4} = h(\text{net4})$$

Output Layer Computation:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{net5} &= W_{53} \cdot x_3 + W_{54} \cdot x_4 & y_5 &= h(\text{net5}) = h(W_{53} \cdot x_3 + W_{54} \cdot x_4) \\ & & &= h(W_{53} \cdot h(W_{31} \cdot x_1 + W_{32} \cdot x_2) + W_{54} \cdot h(W_{41} \cdot x_1 + W_{42} \cdot x_2)) \end{aligned}$$

a part 2.)

$$\text{net3} = W_{31} \cdot (x_1 + x_1^2) + W_{32} \cdot (x_2 + x_2^2) \quad \text{net4} = W_{41} \cdot (x_1 + x_1^2) + W_{42} \cdot (x_2 + x_2^2)$$

$$x_3 = \text{Node3} = h(\text{net3}) \quad x_4 = \text{node4} = h(\text{net4})$$

Output Layer Computation:

$$\text{net5} = W_{53} \cdot (x_3 + x_3^2) + W_{54} \cdot (x_4 + x_4^2)$$

$$y_5 = h(\text{net5}) = h(W_{53} \cdot (x_3 + x_3^2) + W_{54} \cdot (x_4 + x_4^2))$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= h(W_{53} \cdot h((W_{31} \cdot (x_1 + x_1^2) + W_{32} \cdot (x_2 + x_2^2))) + (W_{31} \cdot (x_1 + x_1^2) + W_{32} \cdot (x_2 + x_2^2))^2 + \\ &W_{54} \cdot h((W_{41} \cdot (x_1 + x_1^2) + W_{42} \cdot (x_2 + x_2^2))) + (W_{41} \cdot (x_1 + x_1^2) + W_{42} \cdot (x_2 + x_2^2))^2) \end{aligned}$$

b.)

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad W^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} w_{31} & w_{32} \\ w_{41} & w_{42} \end{pmatrix} \quad W^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} w_{53} & w_{54} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \text{net}_3 \\ \text{net}_4 \end{pmatrix} = W^{(1)} \cdot X = \text{net}_{34} \quad X_{34} = \begin{pmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} h(\text{net}_3) \\ h(\text{net}_4) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{net}_5 = (\text{net}_5) = W^{(2)} \cdot X_{34} \quad y_5 = (y_5) = (h(\text{net}_5))$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_5 &= (h(W^{(2)}, X_{34})) = (h(W^{(2)}, \begin{pmatrix} h(\text{net}_3) \\ h(\text{net}_4) \end{pmatrix})) \\ &= (h(W^{(2)}, \begin{pmatrix} h(w_{31} \cdot x_1 + w_{32} \cdot x_2) \\ h(w_{41} \cdot x_1 + w_{42} \cdot x_2) \end{pmatrix})) \\ &= (h(\begin{pmatrix} w_{53} \cdot h(w_{31} \cdot x_1 + w_{32} \cdot x_2) \\ w_{54} \cdot h(w_{41} \cdot x_1 + w_{42} \cdot x_2) \end{pmatrix})) \end{aligned}$$

c.)

Sigmoid  
 $\sigma(t) = h_s(t) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-x}}$

Tanh  
 $\tanh(x) = h_t(x) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$

We can say  $1 - \sigma(t) = \sigma(-x)$  since there is symmetry in the sigmoid function and has constraint range  $[0, 1]$

$$1 - \frac{1}{1+e^x} = \frac{1}{1+e^{-x}} = 1 - \sigma(x) \text{ let this be } \textcircled{1}$$

I must now show  $\tanh(x)$ , and I will start with adding and subtracting  $e^{-x}$ .

$$h_t(t) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}} = \frac{e^x - e^{-x} + e^{-x} - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}} = \frac{e^x + e^{-x} - 2e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{e^x + e^{-x}} - 2e^{-x}}{\cancel{e^x + e^{-x}}} = 1 - \frac{2e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}} = 1 - \frac{2}{e^x(e^x + e^{-x})}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{2}{e^x \cdot e^x + e^x \cdot e^{-x}} = 1 - \frac{2}{e^{2x} + 1} = 1 - 2\sigma(-2x) - \text{From } \textcircled{1}$$

$$= 1 - 2(1 - \sigma(2x)) \rightarrow \text{From logic tag } \textcircled{1}$$

$$= 1 - 2 + 2\sigma(2x) = 2\sigma(2x) - 1 = 2h_s(2x) - 1$$

Hence  $h_t(x) = 2h_s(2x) - 1$ , note  $\tanh(x)$  is just sigmoid but different by a constant rate of 2 and subtracted by constant value 1. Because the only difference is constants then they can generate same output functions.