

Feed Forward Back Propagation algorithm with two inputs and a hidden node by Andrew Taylor

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import numpy as np
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#helpers

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def sigmoid(activity):  
    """Sigmoid f(A) = 1/(1+e^{-A}). Derivative is y(1-y)."""  
    return 1.0 / (1.0 + np.exp(-activity))
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def sigmoid_derivative_from_output(y):  
    """df/dA = y(1-y)."""  
    return y * (1.0 - y)
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Perceptron: 2 inputs -> 1 node

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class Perceptron:  
    """Single neuron with weights, bias, activity (A), activation (y).
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Chain rule (FFBP handout) for OUTPUT node:

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    E = 1/2 (d - y)^2,    e = d - y  
    delE/delw_i = (delE/dele)(dele/dely)(dely/delA)(delA/delw_i)  
                = (d - y) * (-1) * y(1 - y) * x_i  
    delE/deltheta = (d - y) * (-1) * y(1 - y) * 1  
    """
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def __init__(self, weights, bias):  
    self.weights = np.array(weights, dtype=float) # shape: (2,)  
    self.bias = float(bias)  
    self.activity = 0.0  
    self.activation = 0.0
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def forward(self, inputs):  
    """Compute A = w · x + theta and y = sigma(A)."""  
    self.activity = float(np.dot(self.weights, inputs) + self.bias)  
    self.activation = sigmoid(self.activity)  
    return self.activation
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def output_gradients(self, desired_output, inputs):  
    """Return (grad_w, grad_b) using the 4-factor/3-factor chain rule."""  
    e = desired_output - self.activation # error signal  
    dE_de = e # delE/dele  
    de_dy = -1.0 # dele/dely  
    dy_dA = sigmoid_derivative_from_output(self.activation) # dely/delA  
    common = dE_de * de_dy * dy_dA # first three factors (they are shared)  
    grad_w = common * inputs # delA/delw_i = x_i (the input vector is the coefficient when we take the partial)  
    grad_b = common * 1.0 # delA/deltheta = 1 (the derivative of theta w.r.t. itself)  
    return grad_w, grad_b, (dE_de, de_dy, dy_dA) # printing
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NetworkLayer

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class NetworkLayer:  
    def __init__(self, perceptron):  
        self.perceptron = perceptron
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    def forward(self, inputs):  
        return self.perceptron.forward(inputs)
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for 2->1 network

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class TwoInputOneNodeNet:  
    """Two inputs feeding a single output node (one perceptron)."""  
    def __init__(self, input_weights, bias, learning_rate):  
        self.layer = NetworkLayer(Perceptron(input_weights, bias))  
        self.learning_rate = float(learning_rate)  
  
    def forward(self, inputs):  
        return self.layer.forward(inputs)  
  
    def train_pass(self, inputs, desired_output, print_every= True):  
        """One Perceptrondelta update (steepest descent)."""  
        y = self.forward(inputs)  
        p = self.layer.perceptron  
  
        grad_w, grad_b, (dE_de, de_dy, dy_dA) = p.output_gradients(desired_output, inputs)  
  
        if print_every:  
            # Existing prints  
            print(f"Activity (sum) = {p.activity:.4g}, Activation (sigmoid) = {p.activation:.4g}")  
            print(f"dE/dw_1 = {grad_w[0]:.4g}, dE/dw_2 = {grad_w[1]:.4g}, dE/dtheta = {grad_b:.4g}")  
            # Transparency: show the three shared chain-rule factors  
            print(f"[delE/dele={dE_de:.4g}, dele/dely={de_dy:.4g}, dely/dela={dy_dA:.4g}]")  
  
            # Gradient descent update  
            eta = self.learning_rate  
            p.weights -= eta * grad_w  
            p.bias -= eta * grad_b  
  
    def fit(self, inputs, desired_output, epochs):  
        for ep in range(1, epochs + 1):  
            print(f"\n Pass {ep}/{epochs}")  
            self.train_pass(inputs, desired_output, print_every=True)  
  
    def read_activity_activation(self, inputs):  
        """Ensure forward has been run, then return (A, y)."""  
        self.forward(inputs)  
        p = self.layer.perceptron  
        return p.activity, p.activation
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if __name__ == "__main__":
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    # Inputs and initial conditions  
    inputs = np.array([0.8, 0.9], dtype=float)  
    input_weights = np.array([0.24, 0.88], dtype=float) # your 2 -> 1 weights  
    bias = 0.0  
    eta = 5.0
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    # 1) Initial activation (no updates), desired=0.95  
    net = TwoInputOneNodeNet(input_weights.copy(), bias, eta)  
    A0, y0 = net.read_activity_activation(inputs)  
    print("Answer to #1:")  
    print(f"Initial (no update): activity = {A0:.4g}, activation = {y0:.4g}")
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    # 2) 75 updates toward desired=0.95  
    net = TwoInputOneNodeNet(input_weights.copy(), bias, eta)  
    net.fit(inputs, desired_output=0.95, epochs=75)  
    A75, y75 = net.read_activity_activation(inputs)  
    print("Answer to #2:")  
    print(f"\nAfter 75 passes: activity = {A75:.4g}, activation = {y75:.4g}")
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# 3) 30 updates toward desired=0.15
net = TwoInputOneNodeNet(input_weights.copy(), bias, eta)
net.fit(inputs, desired_output=0.15, epochs=30)
A30, y30 = net.read_activity_activation(inputs)
print("Answer to #3:")
print(f"\nAfter 30 passes: activity = {A30:.4g}, activation = {y30:.4g}")

# 4) Derive the partial of the Error w.r.t the bias
print("Answer to #4 is delE/deltheta (grad_b):")

y = 0.3
d = 0.4
e = d - y

# factors
dE_de = e
de_dy = -1.0
dy_dA = sigmoid_derivative_from_output(y)
dA_dtheta = 1.0

# Final
grad_b = dE_de * de_dy * dy_dA * dA_dtheta

print(
    f"Derivation for delE/deltheta:\n\n"
    f"Step 1: Error signal e = d - y = {d:.3f} - {y:.3f} = {e:.3f}\n"
    f"Step 2: delE/dele = e = {dE_de:.3f}\n"
    f"Step 3: dele/dely = -1\n"
    f"Step 4: dely/dela = y(1-y) = {y:.3f}(1-{y:.3f}) = {dy_dA:.3f}\n"
    f"Step 5: dela/deltheta = 1 (bias contributes additively)\n\n"
    f"So: delE/deltheta = (d - y)(-1)(y(1-y))(1)\n"
    f"      = ({d:.3f} - {y:.3f})(-1)({dy_dA:.3f})(1)\n"
    f"      = {grad_b:.3f}\n")

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