

# Deep Learning for Visual Recognition - Assignment 4

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## Theoretical Part

### a) Adaptive Learning Rates

1.

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w_x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial w_x} \sigma(w_x * x + w_y * y)$$

2.

Stochastic gradient descent :

Iteration 1 :

$$\hat{g} = \frac{1}{m} \nabla_{\delta} \Sigma_i L(f(x^{(i)}; \delta), y^{(i)}) \quad (1)$$

$$\hat{g} = \frac{1}{m} * \nabla_{\theta} * \sigma(w_x * x * \theta + w_y * y * \theta) * t \quad (2)$$

$$\hat{g} = \frac{1}{m} * \nabla_{\theta} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(w_x * x * \theta + w_y * y * \theta)}} * t \quad (3)$$

$$\hat{g} = \frac{1}{1} * 10^{-8} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1 * 1 * 10^{-8} + 1 * (-1) * 10^{-8})}} * 1 \quad (4)$$

$$\hat{g} = 5.001e^{-9} \quad (5)$$

$$\delta = \delta - \epsilon \hat{g} \quad (6)$$

$$\delta = 10^{-8} - 5.001e^{-9} \quad (7)$$

$$\delta = -4.999e^{-9} \quad (8)$$

Iteration 2 :

$$\hat{g} = \frac{1}{1} * -4.999e^{-9} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1*1*-4.999e^{-9}+1*(-1)*-4.999e^{-9})}} * 1 \quad (9)$$

$$\hat{g} = -2.499e^{-9} \quad (10)$$

$$\delta = -4.999e^{-9} - (-2.499e^{-9}) \quad (11)$$

$$\delta = -2.5e^{-9} \quad (12)$$

Iteration 3 :

$$\hat{g} = \frac{1}{1} * (-2.5e^{-9}) * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1*1*(-2.5e^{-9})+1*(-1)*(-2.5e^{-9}))}} * 1 \quad (13)$$

$$\hat{g} = -1.25e^{-9} \quad (14)$$

$$\theta = -2.5e^{-9} - (-1.25e^{-9}) \quad (15)$$

$$\theta = -1.25e^{-9} \quad (16)$$

AdaGrad :

Iteration 1 :

$$g = \frac{1}{m} \nabla_{\delta} \Sigma_i L(f(x^{(i)}; \delta), y^{(i)}) \quad (17)$$

$$g = \frac{1}{m} * \nabla_{\theta} * \sigma(w_x * x * \theta + w_y * y * \theta) * t \quad (18)$$

$$g = \frac{1}{m} * \nabla_{\theta} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(w_x * x * \theta + w_y * y * \theta)}} * t \quad (19)$$

$$g = \frac{1}{1} * 10^{-8} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1*1*10^{-8}+1*(-1)*10^{-8})}} * 1 \quad (20)$$

$$g = 5.001e^{-9} \quad (21)$$

$$r = r + g * g \quad (22)$$

$$r = 0 + 5.001e^{-9} * 5.001e^{-9} \quad (23)$$

$$r = 2.501e^{-17} \quad (24)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -\frac{\epsilon}{\delta + \sqrt{r}} * g \quad (25)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -\frac{1}{10^{-8} + \sqrt{2.501e^{-17}}} * 5.001e^{-9} \quad (26)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -1.554e^{-5} \quad (27)$$

$$\theta = \theta + \Delta\theta \quad (28)$$

$$\theta = 10^{-8} + (-1.554e^{-5}) \quad (29)$$

$$\theta = -1.553e^{-5} \quad (30)$$

Iteration 2 :

$$\hat{g} = \frac{1}{1} * (-1.553e^{-5}) * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1*1*(-1.553e^{-5})+1*(-1)*(-1.553e^{-5}))}} * 1 \quad (31)$$

$$\hat{g} = 7.765e^{-6} \quad (32)$$

$$r = 2.501e^{-17} + 7.765e^{-6} * 7.765e^{-6} \quad (33)$$

$$r = 6.03e^{-11} \quad (34)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -\frac{1}{10^{-8} + \sqrt{6.03e^{-11}}} * 7.765e^{-6} \quad (35)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -0.999 \quad (36)$$

$$\theta = -1.553e^{-5} + (-0.999) \quad (37)$$

$$\theta = -0.999 \quad (38)$$

Iteration 3 :

$$\hat{g} = \frac{1}{1} * (-0.999) * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1*1*(-0.999)+1*(-1)*(-0.999))}} * 1 \quad (39)$$

$$\hat{g} = 7.367 \quad (40)$$

$$r = 6.03e^{-11} + 7.367 * 7.367 \quad (41)$$

$$r = 54.273 \quad (42)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -\frac{1}{10^{-8} + \sqrt{54.273}} * 7.367 \quad (43)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -0.999 \quad (44)$$

$$\theta = -0.999 + (-0.999) \quad (45)$$

$$\theta = 1.998 \quad (46)$$

RMSProp :  
Iteration 1 :

$$g = \frac{1}{m} \nabla_{\delta} \Sigma_i L(f(x^{(i)}; \delta), y^{(i)}) \quad (47)$$

$$g = \frac{1}{m} * \nabla_{\theta} * \sigma(w_x * x * \theta + w_y * y * \theta) * t \quad (48)$$

$$g = \frac{1}{m} * \nabla_{\theta} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(w_x * x * \theta + w_y * y * \theta)}} * t \quad (49)$$

$$g = \frac{1}{1} * 10^{-8} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1 * 1 * 10^{-8} + 1 * (-1) * 10^{-8})}} * 1 \quad (50)$$

$$g = 5.001e^{-9} \quad (51)$$

$$r = pr + (1 - p) * g * g \quad (52)$$

$$r = 0.9 * 0 + (1 - 0.9) * 5.001e^{-9} * 5.001e^{-9} \quad (53)$$

$$r = 2.501e^{-18} \quad (54)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -\frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{\delta + r}} * g \quad (55)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10^{-8} + 2.501e^{-18}}} * 5.001e^{-9} \quad (56)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -5.001e^{-5} \quad (57)$$

$$\theta = \theta + \Delta\theta \quad (58)$$

$$\theta = 10^{-8} + (-5.001e^{-5}) \quad (59)$$

$$\theta = -5.002e^{-5} \quad (60)$$

Iteration 2 :

$$g = \frac{1}{1} * 10^{-8} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1 * 1 * (-5.002e^{-5}) + 1 * (-1) * (-5.002e^{-5}))}} * 1 \quad (61)$$

$$g = 4.999e^{-8} \quad (62)$$

$$r = 0.9 * 2.501e^{-18} + (1 - 0.9) * 4.999e^{-8} * 4.999e^{-8} \quad (63)$$

$$r = 2.522e^{-16} \quad (64)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10^{-8} + 2.522e^{-16}}} * 4.999e^{-8} \quad (65)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -4.999e^{-4} \quad (66)$$

$$\theta = -5.002e^{-5} + (-4.999e^{-4}) \quad (67)$$

$$\theta = -5,499e^{-4} \quad (68)$$

Iteration 3 :

$$g = \frac{1}{1} * 10^{-8} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1*1*(-5,499e^{-4})+1*(-1)*(-5,499e^{-4}))}} * 1 \quad (69)$$

$$g = 0.033 \quad (70)$$

$$r = 0.9 * 2.501e^{-18} + (1 - 0.9) * 0.033 * 0.033 \quad (71)$$

$$r = 1.089e^{-4} \quad (72)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10^{-8} + 1.089e^{-4}}} * 0.033 \quad (73)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -3.162 \quad (74)$$

$$\theta = -5.002e^{-5} + (-3.162) \quad (75)$$

$$\theta = -3.162 \quad (76)$$

Adam :

Iteration 1 :

$$g = \frac{1}{m} \nabla_{\delta} \Sigma_i L(f(x^{(i)}; \delta), y^{(i)}) \quad (77)$$

$$g = \frac{1}{m} * \nabla_{\theta} * \sigma(w_x * x * \theta + w_y * y * \theta) * t \quad (78)$$

$$g = \frac{1}{m} * \nabla_{\theta} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(w_x * x * \theta + w_y * y * \theta)}} * t \quad (79)$$

$$g = \frac{1}{1} * 10^{-8} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1*1*10^{-8}+1*(-1)*10^{-8})}} * 1 \quad (80)$$

$$g = 5.001e^{-9} \quad (81)$$

$$t = t + 1 \quad (82)$$

$$t = 0 + 1 \quad (83)$$

$$t = 1 \quad (84)$$

$$s = p_1 s + (1 - p_1) * g \quad (85)$$

$$s = 0.9 * 0 + (1 - 0.9) * 5.001e^{-9} \quad (86)$$

$$s = 5.001e^{-10} \quad (87)$$

$$r = p_2 r + (1 - p_2) * g * g \quad (88)$$

$$r = 0.999 * 0 + (1 - 0.999) * 5.001e^{-9} * 5.001e^{-9} \quad (89)$$

$$r = 2.501e^{-20} \quad (90)$$

$$\hat{s} = \frac{s}{1 - p_1^t} \quad (91)$$

$$\hat{s} = \frac{5.001e^{-10}}{1 - 0.9} \quad (92)$$

$$\hat{s} = 5.001e^{-9} \quad (93)$$

$$r = \frac{r}{1 - p_2^t} \quad (94)$$

$$r = \frac{2.501e^{-20}}{1 - 0.999} \quad (95)$$

$$r = 2.501e^{-17} \quad (96)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -\epsilon * \frac{\hat{s}}{\sqrt{r + \delta}} \quad (97)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -1 * \frac{5.001e^{-9}}{\sqrt{2.501e^{-17} + 10^{-8}}} \quad (98)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -5.001e^{-5} \quad (99)$$

$$\theta = \theta + \Delta\theta \quad (100)$$

$$\theta = 10 + (-5.001e^{-5}) \quad (101)$$

$$\theta = -5.001e^{-5} \quad (102)$$

Iteration 2 :

$$g = \frac{1}{1} * 10^{-8} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1*1*-5.001e^{-5}+1*(-1)*-5.001e^{-5})}} * 1 \quad (103)$$

$$g = 5e^{-9} \quad (104)$$

$$t = 1 + 1 \quad (105)$$

$$t = 2 \quad (106)$$

$$s = 0.9 * 5.001e^{-10} + (1 - 0.9) * 5^{-9} \quad (107)$$

$$s = 9.501e^{-10} \quad (108)$$

$$r = 0.999 * 2.501e^{-20} + (1 - 0.999) * 5e^{-9} * 5e^{-9} \quad (109)$$

$$r = 4.998e^{-20} \quad (110)$$

$$\hat{s} = \frac{9.501e^{-10}}{1 - 0.9} \quad (111)$$

$$\hat{s} = 9.501e^{-9} \quad (112)$$

$$r = \frac{4.998e^{-20}}{1 - 0.999} \quad (113)$$

$$r = 4.998e^{-17} \quad (114)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -1 * \frac{9.501e^{-9}}{\sqrt{4.998e^{-17} + 10^{-8}}} \quad (115)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -9.501e^{-5} \quad (116)$$

$$\theta = -5.001e^{-5} + (-9.501e^{-5}) \quad (117)$$

$$\theta = -1.45e^{-4} \quad (118)$$

Iteration 3 :

$$g = \frac{1}{1} * 10^{-8} * \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-1*1*-1.45e^{-4}+1*(-1)*-1.45e^{-4})}} * 1 \quad (119)$$

$$g = 4.999e^{-9} \quad (120)$$

$$t = 2 + 1 \quad (121)$$

$$t = 3 \quad (122)$$

$$s = 0.9 * 5.001e^{-10} + (1 - 0.9) * 4.999e^{-9} \quad (123)$$

$$s = 9.5e^{-10} \quad (124)$$

$$r = 0.999 * 2.501e^{-20} + (1 - 0.999) * 4.999e^{-9} * 4.999e^{-9} \quad (125)$$

$$r = 4.997e^{-20} \quad (126)$$

$$\hat{s} = \frac{9.5e^{-10}}{1 - 0.9} \quad (127)$$

$$\hat{s} = 9.5e^{-9} \quad (128)$$

$$r = \frac{4.997e^{-20}}{1 - 0.999} \quad (129)$$

$$r = 4.997e^{-17} \quad (130)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -1 * \frac{9.5e^{-9}}{\sqrt{4.997e^{-17} + 10^{-8}}} \quad (131)$$

$$\Delta\theta = -9.5e^{-5} \quad (132)$$

$$\theta = -1.45e^{-4} + (-9.5e^{-5}) \quad (133)$$

$$\theta = -2.4e^{-4} \quad (134)$$

## b) Unstable Gradient Problem

### b) 1.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial h_n}{\partial w_i} &= \frac{\partial \sigma(w_n \cdot h_{n-1})}{\partial (w_n \cdot h_{n-1})} \frac{\partial (w_n \cdot h_{n-1})}{\partial w_i} \\ &= \frac{\partial \sigma(w_n \cdot h_{n-1})}{\partial (w_n \cdot h_{n-1})} \left[ \frac{\partial w_n}{\partial w_i} \cdot h_{n-1} + w_n \cdot \frac{\partial h_{n-1}}{\partial w_i} \right] \\ &= \frac{\partial \sigma(w_n \cdot h_{n-1})}{\partial (w_n \cdot h_{n-1})} \left[ \delta_{n,i} \cdot h_{n-1} + w_n \cdot \frac{\partial h_{n-1}}{\partial w_i} \right], \end{aligned}$$



where  $\delta_{n,i} = 1$  if  $n = i$  or  $\delta_{n,i} = 0$  if  $n \neq i$ . The derivative  $\frac{\partial h_{n-1}}{\partial w_i}$  is calculated as before, that is

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial h_{n-1}}{\partial w_i} &= \frac{\partial \sigma(w_{n-1} \cdot h_{n-2})}{\partial (w_{n-1} \cdot h_{n-2})} \frac{\partial (w_{n-1} \cdot h_{n-2})}{\partial w_i} \\ &= \frac{\partial \sigma(w_{n-1} \cdot h_{n-2})}{\partial (w_{n-1} \cdot h_{n-2})} \left[ \frac{\partial w_{n-1}}{\partial w_i} \cdot h_{n-2} + w_{n-1} \cdot \frac{\partial h_{n-2}}{\partial w_i} \right] \\ &= \frac{\partial \sigma(w_{n-1} \cdot h_{n-2})}{\partial (w_{n-1} \cdot h_{n-2})} \left[ \delta_{n-1,i} \cdot h_{n-2} + w_{n-1} \cdot \frac{\partial h_{n-2}}{\partial w_i} \right],\end{aligned}$$

and so on, where where  $\delta_{n-1,i} = 1$  if  $n-1 = i$  or  $\delta_{n-1,i} = 0$  if  $n-1 \neq i$ . The result above is valid for  $i \neq 1$ , because  $h_1 = \sigma(x)$ , thus  $h_1$  and  $h_n$  are independent of  $w_1$ . Therefore  $\frac{\partial h_1}{\partial w_1} = 0$  and

$$\frac{\partial h_n}{\partial w_1} = 0,$$

for any value of  $n$ .

## b) 2.

For the sigmoid function, the maximum value value of the gradient of weight  $w_i$  will be when  $i = n$ . For instance, for  $n = 3$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial h_3}{\partial w_3} &= \sigma(w_3 h_2)(1 - \sigma(w_3 h_2)) \cdot h_2 \\ \frac{\partial h_3}{\partial w_2} &= \sigma(w_3 h_2) \cdot (1 - \sigma(w_3 h_2)) \cdot w_3 \cdot \sigma(w_2 h_1) \cdot (1 - \sigma(w_2 h_1)) \cdot h_1 \\ \frac{\partial h_3}{\partial w_1} &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

Since  $|w_i| < 1$  and  $1 - \sigma(w_i h_{i-1}) < 1$ , because the sigmoid is between zero and one, the derivative with respect to  $w_3$  is larger than the one with respect to  $w_2$ . Thus the maximum value of the gradient is when  $i = n$ .

Similarly, for the ReLU activation function, the maximum value value of the gradient of weight  $w_i$  will be when  $i = n$ , if  $w_n \cdot h_{n-1}$  is greater than 0. The derivative of the the Relu function is equal to 1 if the argument of the function is greater than 0, and it is 0 if it is smaller than 0.

## b) 3.

$$\text{Var}(XY) = E(X^2 Y^2) - (E(XY))^2 = \text{Var}(X)\text{Var}(Y) + \text{Var}(X)(E(Y))^2 + \text{Var}(Y)(E(X))^2$$

Considering  $E(\hat{X}) = E(\hat{Y}) = 0$  We obtain:

$$\text{Var}(\hat{X}\hat{Y}) = \text{Var}(\hat{X})\text{Var}(\hat{Y})$$

The same apply for  $n$  independent variables which expected value equal to null as it is shown bellow.

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{var}(X_1 \cdots X_n) &= E[(X_1 \cdots X_n)^2] - (E[X_1 \cdots X_n])^2 \\
&= E[X_1^2 \cdots X_n^2] - (E[X_1] \cdots E[X_n])^2 \\
&= E[X_1^2] \cdots E[X_n^2] - (E[X_1])^2 \cdots (E[X_n])^2 \\
&= \prod_{i=1}^n (\text{var}(X_i) + (E[X_i])^2) - \prod_{i=1}^n (E[X_i])^2
\end{aligned}$$

Considering all the expected values equal to zero, we obtain:

$$\text{var}(X_1 \cdots X_n) = \prod_{i=1}^n (\text{var}(X_i))$$

#### b) 4.

We know that

$$h_i^j = \sum_k W_{j,k}^i h^{i-1}$$

Thus the variance for the hidden layer can be expressed as:

$$\text{Var}(h_j^i) = \text{Var}\left(\sum_k W_{j,k}^i\right) \text{Var}(h^{i-1})$$

Now since the variance is equal for all the weights. This equation can be expressed as:

$$\text{Var}(h_j^i) = n_i \text{Var}(W^i) \text{Var}(h^{i-1})$$

#### b) 5.

If there is no change in variance between the layers i.e.

$$\text{Var}(h^{i-1}) = \text{Var}(h^i)$$

Then the above expression can be simplified to:

$$n_i \text{Var}(W^i) = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{Var}(W^i) = 1/n_i$$

#### b) 6.