

$$1.) X = \{(x_1, y_1) \dots (x_n, y_n)\} \quad x_i \in \mathbb{R}^d \quad y_i \in \{0, 1\}$$

$$a \in \mathbb{R} \quad \sigma(a) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-a}}$$

$$L(y_i | x_i; w) = y_i \log(\sigma(w^T x_i)) + (1 - y_i) \log(\sigma(-w^T x_i))$$

(1) Make arg to  $\sigma$  the same to simplify things

~~$$\sigma(-w^T x_i) + \sigma(w^T x_i)$$~~

$$\sigma(a) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-a}}$$

$$= \frac{e^a}{e^a + 1}$$

(multiply top and bottom by  $e^{-a}$ )

$$= \frac{e^{-a} + (1 - 1)}{e^{-a} + 1} = \frac{e^{-a} + 1}{e^{-a} + 1} - \frac{1}{e^{-a} + 1}$$

$$= 1 - \sigma(a)$$

$$\therefore \sigma(-a) = 1 - \sigma(a)$$

$$\text{let } a_i = w^T x_i$$

$$L(y_i | x_i; w) = y_i \log(\sigma(a_i)) + (1 - y_i) \log(1 - \sigma(a_i))$$

(2) Use chain rule

~~$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w}$$~~

$$\text{let } z_i = \sigma(a_i)$$

$$L(y_i | x_i; w) = y_i \log(z_i) + (1 - y_i) \log(1 - z_i)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_i} \frac{\partial z_i}{\partial a_i} \frac{\partial a_i}{\partial w}$$

$y_i$  doesn't depend on  $w$

$$L(y_i | x_i, w) = y_i \log(z_i) + (1 - y_i) \log(1 - z_i)$$

(3) Find  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial z_i}$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial z_i} = \frac{y_i}{z_i} + \frac{-\frac{(1-y_i)}{(1-z_i)}}{\uparrow}$$

chain rule  
log derivative rule

$$= \frac{y_i(1-z_i) - z_i(1-y_i)}{z_i(1-z_i)}$$

$$= \frac{y_i - z_i}{z_i(1-z_i)}$$

(4) Find  $\frac{\partial z_i}{\partial a_i}$

$$z_i = \sigma(a_i)$$

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

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

$$= \frac{1}{1+2e^{-x}+e^{-2x}} \cdot \frac{e^{-x}}{(1+e^{-x})} \quad \text{From previous result}$$

$$= \sigma(x)(1-\sigma(x))$$

$$\frac{\partial z_i}{\partial a_i} = z_i(1-z_i)$$

$$a_i = w^T X_i$$

(5) Find  $\frac{\partial a_i}{\partial w} = X_i$  (power rule / constant rule)

(6) Put it together (Taylor)

$$\frac{\partial L(y_i | x_i, w)}{\partial w} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_i} \frac{\partial z_i}{\partial a_i} \frac{\partial a_i}{\partial w}$$

$$= \frac{y_i - z_i}{z_i(1-z_i)} \cdot z_i(1-z_i) \cdot X_i$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w} = (y_i - z_i) \cdot X_i$$

$$= (y_i - \sigma(w^T X_i)) \cdot X_i$$

$$\frac{\partial L(y_i | x_i, w)}{\partial w_j} = (y_i - \sigma(w^T X_i)) X_{ij}$$

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$$\frac{\partial}{\partial w} (1 - y_i (w^T X_i + b)) = -y_i X_i$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial w} (0) = 0$$

$$3.) X = \{(x_1, y_1) \dots (x_n, y_n)\} \quad x_i \in \mathbb{R}^d$$

$$y_i \in \{-1, 1\}$$

$$f(w) = \frac{1}{2} \|w\|_2^2 + C \sum_{i=1}^n \max(0, 1 - y_i (w^T X_i + b))$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial w} = w + C \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n \left( [1 - y_i (w^T X_i + b) > 0] \cdot -y_i X_i \right)$$

where  $[x] \equiv \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \text{ false} \\ 1 & \text{if } x \text{ true} \end{cases}$

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$$\boxed{\frac{\partial f(w)}{\partial w_j} = w_j + C \sum_{i=1}^n \left( [1 - y_i (w^T X_i + b) > 0] \cdot -y_i X_{ij} \right)}$$