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LAB 4: Loss function and optimizing of Gradient descent

# **Objective:**

- 1) To learn loss function
  - a. Mean squared error
  - b. Absolute error
  - c. Huber loss
  - d. Binary cross-entropy
- 2) To learn optimizing the loss function: Gradient descent

### **Theory**

- 1. Loss function and Cost function are often used inter-changeably but they are different:
  - 1.1.1. The loss function measures the network performance on a single data-point
  - 1.1.2. The cost function is the average of the losses over the entire training dataset
  - 1.2. Mean Squared Error (MSE) is defined as mean or average of the square of the difference between expectation and prediction value can be determined by

$$MSE = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{x} (y - f(x))^2$$

1.3. The Mean Absolute Error (is the quantifiable difference between a measured value and its actual value. It is obtained by taking the absolute value between the predicted or observed value and the expectation value

$$MAE = \frac{1}{n} \sum |y - f(x)|$$

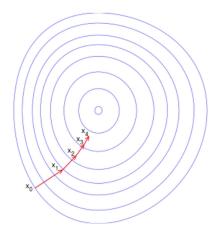
1.4. Huber loss function is a combination of the mean squared error function and the absolute value function.

$$Loss = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} (y - f(x))^2, & \text{if } |y - f(x)| \le \delta \\ \delta |y - f(x)| - \frac{1}{2} \delta^2, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

1.5. Binary Cross Entropy is a loss function used in machine learning and deep learning to measure the difference between predicted binary outcomes and actual binary labels. The pi is the probability of class 1, and (1-pi) is the probability of class 0, y is target and p is prediction.

Log loss = 
$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} -(y_i * log(p_i) + (1-y_i) * log(1-p_i))$$

Gradient descent is an optimization algorithm that's used when training a machine learning model.
 It's based on a convex function and tweaks its parameters iteratively to minimize a given function to its local minimum.



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gradient\_descent

### **Procedures**

### Part 1:

- 1. Mean squared error (MSE)
  - 1.1. Type the python code for mean squared error (MSE). Adjust expectation, prediction value and record the results in Table 1.1

```
import numpy as np
    # Create numpy arrays for the actual and predicted values
3
     expect = np.array([0,0,1,1])
     predict = np.array([0,0,0,0])
7
     sum = 0
8
    # for loop for iteration
9
10
    for i in range(len(expect)):
        sum += (expect[i] - predict[i])**2
11
12
13
     error = sum/(len(expect))
14
15
     print('Mean squared error:',error)
    print(expect.mean())
```

**Table 1.1** Mean squared error (MSE)

Expectation	Prediction	Mean squared error (MSE)
[1, 0, 1, 0]	[1, 0, 0, 0]	
[12.5, 0.5, 13.2, 1]	[11, 0.5, 1.2, 4]	
[0.5, 0.9, -3, 1]	[0.9, 1, -3, 1]	
[0.8, 1.9, -10, 13]	[0.8, 1.9, -10, 12]	

- 2. Mean absolute error (MAE)
  - 2.1. Type the python code for absolute error Adjust expectation, prediction value and record the

results in Table 1.2

```
# Absolute Error
     import numpy as np
2
3
     # Create numpy arrays for the actual and predicted values
     expect = np.array([1,0,0,1])
     predict = np.array([1,1,0,1])
8
     sum = 0
9
10
     # for loop for iteration
11
     for i in range(len(expect)):
12
         sum += abs(expect[i] - predict[i])
13
14
     error = sum/(len(expect))
15
16
     # Result
     print('Absolute Error: ',error)
17
```

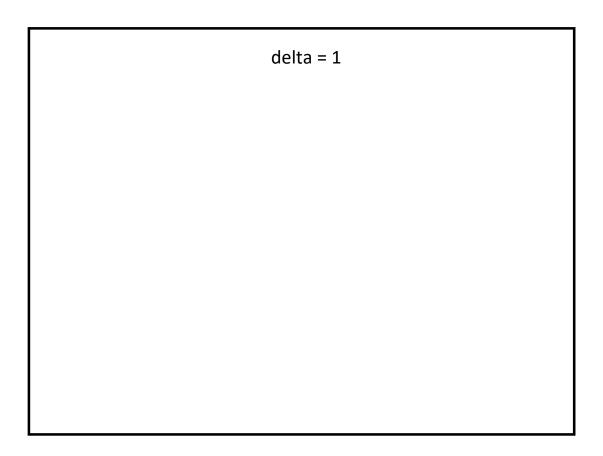
Table 1.2 M	Iean absolute	error (	(MAE)
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Expectation	Prediction	Mean absolute error (MAE)
[1, 0, 1, 0]	[1, 0, 0, 0]	
[12.5, 0.5, 13.2, 1]	[11, 0.5, 1.2, 4]	
[0.5, 0.9, -3, 1]	[0.9, 1, -3, 1]	
[0.8, 1.9, -10, 13]	[0.8, 1.9, -10, 12]	

#### 3. Huber loss

3.1. Type the python code for Huber loss and plot graph as below

```
# Huber loss
 1
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
 2
     import numpy as np
 4
     # Huber loss function
 5
     def huber_loss(predict, target, delta):
 6
         huber mse = 0.5*(target-predict)**2
 7
         huber_mae = delta * (np.abs(target - predict) - 0.5 * delta)
8
         return np.where(np.abs(target - predict) <= delta, huber_mse, huber_mae)</pre>
9
10
11
     predict = np.array([i for i in range(-110,110)])
12
     target = np.array([2*i for i in range(-110,110)])
13
14
     delta = 1
15
     y_huber = huber_loss(predict,target,delta)
17
     loss = target-predict
18
     plt.plot(loss, y_huber, 'green')
     plt.grid(True, which='major')
19
     plt.title(' Huber loss vs Loss ')
20
     plt.ylabel('Huber loss')
21
     plt.xlabel('Loss')
22
     plt.show()
23
```



delta = 100

- 4. Binary cross entropy
  - 4.1. Type the python code for binary cross and plot graph as below

```
#Binary cross entropy
1
2
3
     import numpy as np
4
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
5
6
     def binary_cross_entropy(target, predict):
7
         loss = -1*(target*np.log(predict) + (1-target)*np.log(1-predict))
         return loss
8
9
     target = np.ones(10)
10
     predict = np.linspace(0., 1., 10)
11
     loss_binary = binary_cross_entropy(target, predict)
12
13
14
     plt.plot(predict,loss_binary, "o--")
15
     plt.xlabel("prediction")
16
     plt.ylabel("loss_prediction")
17
     plt.grid()
18
     plt.show()
19
```

## 5. Gradient descent

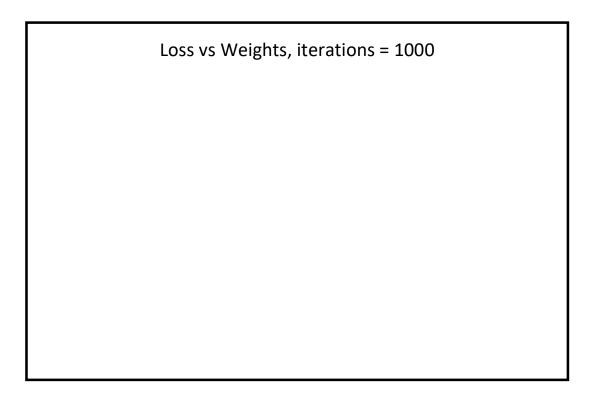
5.1. Type the python code for Gradient descent and plot graph as below

Loss vs Weights, iterations = 10

Prediction vs Target, iterations = 10

Loss vs Weights, iterations = 100

Prediction vs Target, iterations = 100



Prediction vs Target, iterations = 1000

```
1
     # Importing Libraries
     import numpy as np
 2
 3
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
 4
 5
     iterations = 100
 6
     learning rate = 0.0001
 7
     stopping_threshold = 1e-6
 8
9
     def mean_squared_error(y_true, y_predicted):
10
11
          # Calculating the loss (Mean squared error)
          cost = np.sum((y true-y predicted)**2) / len(y true)
12
          return cost
13
14
15
     def gradient_descent(x, y, iterations, learning_rate, stopping_threshold):
16
          # Initializing weight, bias, learning rate and iterations
17
18
          current weight = 0.1
          current bias = 0.01
19
20
         iterations = iterations
21
         learning rate = learning rate
22
         n = float(len(x))
23
         costs = []
         weights = []
24
25
         previous_cost = None
27
         # Estimation of optimal parameters
         for i in range(iterations):
28
29
             # Making predictions
30
             y_predicted = (current_weight * x) + current_bias
32
33
             # Calculating the current cost
34
             current cost = mean squared error(y, y predicted)
35
             # If the change in cost is less than or equal to
36
             # stopping threshold we stop the gradient descent
37
             if previous_cost and abs(previous_cost-current_cost)<=stopping_threshold:</pre>
39
                 break
40
             previous_cost = current_cost
41
42
43
             costs.append(current cost)
44
             weights.append(current_weight)
45
             # Calculating the gradients
46
             weight derivative = -(2/n) * sum(x * (y-y predicted))
47
48
             bias_derivative = -(2/n) * sum(y-y_predicted)
49
             # Updating weights and bias
50
             current_weight = current_weight - (learning_rate * weight_derivative)
51
             current bias = current bias - (learning rate * bias derivative)
52
```

```
55
              print(f"Iteration {i+1}: Cost {current_cost}, Weight \
              {current_weight}, Bias {current_bias}")
56
57
58
59
          # Visualizing the weights and cost at for all iterations
60
          plt.figure(figsize = (8,6))
         plt.plot(weights, costs)
61
         plt.scatter(weights, costs, marker='o', color='red')
62
         plt.title('Loss vs Weights')
63
         plt.ylabel('Loss')
64
65
         plt.xlabel('Weight')
66
         plt.show()
67
         return current_weight, current_bias
68
71
     def main():
72
73
         # Data
74
         X = np.array([i for i in range(11)])
75
         Y = np.array([2*i for i in range(11)])
76
77
         # Estimating weight and bias using gradient descent
         estimated_weight, estimated_bias = gradient_descent(X, Y, iterations, learning_rate, stopping_threshold)
78
         print(f"Estimated Weight: {estimated_weight}\nEstimated Bias: {estimated_bias}")
79
80
         # Making predictions using estimated parameters
81
         Y_pred = estimated_weight*X + estimated_bias
82
83
         # Plotting the regression line
84
85
         plt.figure(figsize = (8,6))
         plt.scatter(X, Y, marker='o', color='red')
86
         plt.plot([min(X), max(X)], [min(Y_pred), max(Y_pred)], color='blue',markerfacecolor='red',
87
88
                 markersize=10,linestyle='dashed')
         plt.title('Prediction vs Target')
89
90
         plt.xlabel('Prediction')
91
         plt.ylabel('Target')
92
         plt.show()
93
         print(X)
94
         print(Y)
95
96
     if __name__=="__main__":
97
         main()
98
```