

Lecture 25: Deep neural networks continued

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Loss functions for classification networks

Training a binary classifier network

Observed data : $x_{1:n} = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$

$y_{1:n} = (y_1, \dots, y_n)$, $y_i \in \{0, 1\}$

dense neural network

Down w/ param. θ

$f(x_i; \theta)$

Model :



$$p(y_i = 1 | x_i, \theta) = \text{sigm}(f(x_i; \theta)) = \frac{e^{f(x_i; \theta)}}{1 + e^{f(x_i; \theta)}}$$

Train : Loss=? Maximum likelihood estimate \Rightarrow Loss

$$\text{Likelihood} : p(y_i | x_i, \theta) = \begin{cases} \text{sigm}(f(x_i; \theta)), & \text{if } y_i = 1 \\ 1 - \text{sigm}(f(x_i; \theta)), & \text{if } y_i = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow p(y_i | x_i, \theta) = [\text{sigm}(f(x_i; \theta))]^{y_i} [1 - \text{sigm}(f(x_i; \theta))]^{1-y_i}$$



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likelihood of
entire data
set

$$p(y_{1:n} | x_{1:n}, \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n p(y_i | x_i, \theta)$$

$$= \prod_{i=1}^n (\dots)$$

Find params : $\max_{\theta} \log p(y_{1:n} | x_{1:n}, \theta)$

$$L(\theta) = -\log p(y_{1:n} | x_{1:n}, \theta)$$

$$= - \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ y_i \text{sigm}(f(x_i, \theta)) + (1-y_i) [1 - \text{sigm}(f(x_i, \theta))] \right\}$$

Cross-entropy

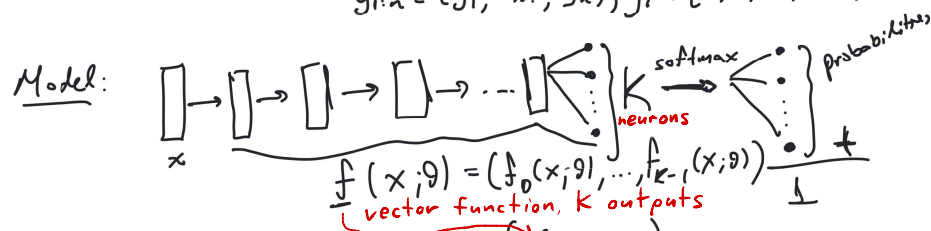
$$= - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (\dots)$$

required when
using batches
(subsampling)

for stochastic
optimization

Training a multi-class classifier network

Observed data : $x_{1:n} = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$
 $y_{1:n} = (y_1, \dots, y_n); y_i \in \{0, 1, \dots, K-1\}$



$$p(y_i = k | x_i; \theta) = \text{softmax}_k(f(x_i; \theta))$$

$$= \frac{\exp\{f_k(x_i; \theta)\}}{\sum_{k=0}^{K-1} \exp\{f_k(x_i; \theta)\}}$$



$$\sum_{k=0}^{K-1} p(y_i = k | x_i; \theta) = 1$$

likelihood of
single
observation

likelihood of
all
observations

$$p(y_i | x_i; \theta) = \text{softmax}_{y_i}(f(x_i; \theta))$$

$$p(y_{1:n} | x_{1:n}, \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n p(y_i | x_i; \theta) = \prod_{i=1}^n (\dots)$$

$$L(\theta) = -\log p(y_{1:n} | x_{1:n}, \theta)$$

$$= -\sum_{i=1}^n \log \text{softmax}_{y_i}(f(x_i; \theta))$$

$$= -\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \log (\dots)$$