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Problem 1):

Solution a):

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} 111\\111\\111 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution b):** 

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 - 1 \\ -1 & 0 - 1 \\ -1 & 0 - 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution c):** 

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} -1 - 1 - 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 - 1 - 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution d):

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} -1 - 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 - 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# **Solution e):**

One example of an image operation that cannot be implemented using a 3x3 convolutional filter is a non-linear edge detector. A non-linear edge detector aims to highlight the edges in an image using non-linear operations. This can be achieved using techniques such as morphological operations or non-linear filtering, which involve operations such as dilation, erosion, and median filtering. These non-linear operations cannot be implemented using a 3x3 convolutional filter because a convolutional filter is a linear operator that operates on a local neighborhood of pixels in a fixed way. It applies the same linear transformation to each pixel in the neighborhood, regardless of its value or position. Therefore, a 3x3 convolutional filter cannot capture the complex non-linear relationships between pixels that are necessary for non-linear edge detection.

## Problem 2):

#### Solution a):

The formula for  $l_2$  loss is given by

$$L(w) = \frac{1}{2} ||y - Wx||^2$$

So the new  $l_2$  loss with  $\lambda$  parameter for regularization is

$$\bar{L}(w) = L(w) + \lambda ||w||_2^2$$

#### **Solution b):**

If the learning rate  $\eta$ , then the general gradient update rule is,

$$w_{t+1} = w_t - \eta \nabla \bar{L}(w)$$

$$W_{t+1} = W_t - \lambda \nabla L(W_t) - 2 \eta \lambda W_t$$

$$W_{t+1} = (1-2\eta\lambda)W_t - \eta\nabla L(W_t)$$

# **Solution c):**

From the equation mentioned in Solution B, we can see that the updated w consists of shrinking/decaying gradient by a factor of  $(1-2\eta\lambda)$  and then updating in the direction of the gradient

# Solution d):

Increasing  $\lambda$  penalizes the  $l_2$  norm of the weight vector, thus enforcing smaller weights on average. In order for the gradient to be stable, the constraining factor should be smaller than 1, i.e.  $\eta < \frac{1}{2\lambda}$ 

## Problem 3):

#### **Solution a):**

The definition of IOU for any two bounding boxes A and B is given by:

$$IOU(A,B) = \frac{|A \cap B|}{|A \cup B|}$$

Since the RHS is non-negative, the number has to be bigger than or equal to 0. Moreover,  $A \cap B \subseteq A \cup B$  and hence the numerator has to be no bigger than the denominator. Therefore IOU is bounded between 0 and 1 (inclusive).

# **Solution b):**

Consider two identical size square boxes A and B, both aligned at the same horizontal level. Fix B and then imagine sliding A from left to right. As A moves, the IOU will start from 0, increase until perfect overlap and then decrease until no overlap. The graph we will get is a step funtion i.e., it jumps from 0 to 1 when the boxes overlap and stays at 0 otherwise, the change in I)U will be discontinuous and will not have a well-defined derivative.