

Week 2 Quiz - Neural Network Basics

1. What does a neuron compute?

- ☐ A neuron computes an activation function followed by a linear function ($z = Wx + b$)
- ☒ A neuron computes a linear function ($z = Wx + b$) followed by an activation function
- ☐ A neuron computes a function g that scales the input x linearly ($Wx + b$)
- ☐ A neuron computes the mean of all features before applying the output to an activation function

Note: The output of a neuron is $a = g(Wx + b)$ where g is the activation function (sigmoid, tanh, ReLU, ...).

2. Which of these is the "Logistic Loss"?

- Check [here](#).

Note: We are using a cross-entropy loss function.

3. Suppose `img` is a (32,32,3) array, representing a 32x32 image with 3 color channels red, green and blue. How do you reshape this into a column vector?

- `x = img.reshape((32 * 32 * 3, 1))`

4. Consider the two following random arrays "a" and "b":

```
1 a = np.random.randn(2, 3) # a.shape = (2, 3)
2 b = np.random.randn(2, 1) # b.shape = (2, 1)
3 c = a + b
```

What will be the shape of "c"?

`b` (column vector) is copied 3 times so that it can be summed to each column of `a`. Therefore, `c.shape = (2, 3)`.

5. Consider the two following random arrays "a" and "b":

```
1 a = np.random.randn(4, 3) # a.shape = (4, 3)
2 b = np.random.randn(3, 2) # b.shape = (3, 2)
3 c = a * b
```

What will be the shape of "c"?

"*" operator indicates element-wise multiplication. Element-wise multiplication requires same dimension between two matrices. It's going to be an error.

6. Suppose you have n_x input features per example. Recall that $X = [x^{(1)}, x^{(2)} \dots x^{(m)}]$. What is the dimension of X ?

`(n_x, m)`

Note: A stupid way to validate this is use the formula $Z^{(l)} = W^{(l)}A^{(l)}$ when $l = 1$, then we have

- $A^{(1)} = X$
- $X.shape = (n_x, m)$
- $Z^{(1)}.shape = (n^{(1)}, m)$
- $W^{(1)}.shape = (n^{(1)}, n_x)$

7. Recall that `np.dot(a, b)` performs a matrix multiplication on a and b , whereas `a*b` performs an element-wise multiplication.

Consider the two following random arrays "a" and "b":

```
1 a = np.random.randn(12288, 150) # a.shape = (12288, 150)
2 b = np.random.randn(150, 45) # b.shape = (150, 45)
3 c = np.dot(a, b)
```

What is the shape of c ?

`c.shape = (12288, 45)`, this is a simple matrix multiplication example.

8. Consider the following code snippet:

```
1 # a.shape = (3,4)
2 # b.shape = (4,1)
3 for i in range(3):
4     for j in range(4):
5         c[i][j] = a[i][j] + b[j]
```

How do you vectorize this?

```
c = a + b.T
```

9. Consider the following code:

```
1 a = np.random.randn(3, 3)
2 b = np.random.randn(3, 1)
3 c = a * b
```

What will be c?

This will invoke broadcasting, so b is copied three times to become (3,3), and * is an element-wise product so `c.shape = (3, 3)`.

10. Consider the following computation graph.

```
1 J = u + v - w
2   = a * b + a * c - (b + c)
3   = a * (b + c) - (b + c)
4   = (a - 1) * (b + c)
```

Answer: `(a - 1) * (b + c)`