

Deep Learning

Exercise 12: RBF Networks

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Custom Layers with Learnable Parameters

Custom Layers in PyTorch

- Derive from `torch.nn.Module`

In Constructor

- Call base class constructor
- Define `Parameter` as members
 - Wraps a `torch.Tensor`
 - Will be found in `parameters()`
- Initialize parameters

In Forward

- Parameter acts like tensor
- Utilize only PyTorch functions

Functionality in `torch.nn.init`

- Normal distributed:
`torch.nn.init.normal_`
- Uniformly distributed
`torch.nn.init.uniform_`
- Constant:
`torch.nn.init.constant_`
`torch.nn.init.ones_`
- Xavier:
`torch.nn.init.xavier_normal_`

Custom Layers with Learnable Parameters

Example Custom Layer Implementation

```
class MyLayer(torch.nn.Module):  
    def __init__(self, K, D):  
        # base class constructor  
        super(MyLayer, self).__init__()  
        # instantiate parameter, for example  
        self.param = torch.nn.Parameter(torch.empty((K, D)))  
        # initialize parameter, for example  
        torch.nn.init.normal_(self.param, 0, 1)  
  
    def forward(self, x):  
        # utilize parameter, for example  
        return torch.matmul(self.param, x)
```

Radial Basis Function Layer

RBF Layer Implementation

- Parameter \mathbf{W}
 - Requires suitable Initialization
- Distance-based activation

$$a_r = \|\vec{w}_r - \vec{x}\|$$

- Problem: matrix shapes
 - Weight matrix $\mathbf{W} \in \mathbb{R}^{R \times K}$
 - Input matrix $\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{B \times K}$
 - Activation $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{B \times R}$

Batch Implementation

- Bring \mathbf{X} and \mathbf{W} to $\mathbb{R}^{B \times R \times K}$
 - Logical copies of \mathbf{X} and \mathbf{W}
 - Add singular dimension:
`tensor.unsqueeze(dim=...)`
 - Logical (no physical) copies:
`tensor.expand(B,R,K)`
- Compute distances:
 $\mathcal{A} = (\mathcal{W} - \mathcal{X})^2 \in \mathbb{R}^{B \times R \times K}$
- Sum over dimension K
 - $a_{b,r} = \sum_{k=1}^K a_{b,r,k}$

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Dataset

Task 1: Dataset

- We use the default MNIST training and validation sets
 - Select appropriate batch sizes

Radial Basis Function

Task 2: Radial Basis Function Layer

- Implement a layer in PyTorch to compute activation $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{B \times R}$
- Instantiate weight parameter $\mathbf{W} \in \mathbb{R}^{R \times K}$ and initialize to $[-2, 2]$
- Implement `forward` function using tensor operations

Task 3: Radial Basis Function Activation

- Implement activation function as layer in PyTorch
- Learnable parameters `sigma2` = $2\vec{\sigma} \odot \vec{\sigma}$ with $\vec{\sigma} \in \mathbb{R}^K$
→ Initialize constantly as 1
- Implement Gaussian activation:

$$\vec{h} = \mathcal{N}_{\vec{0}, \vec{\sigma}}(\vec{a}) = e^{-\frac{\vec{a} \odot \vec{a}}{2\vec{\sigma} \odot \vec{\sigma}}}$$

Radial Basis Function

Test 1: RBF Layer and Activation

- Instantiate RBF layer and Activation for $K = 4$ and $R = 10$
- Create some data in batch size $B = 12$
- Forward input through RBF layer and activation
 - Make sure that the implementation does not raise exceptions
 - Check size of output

Radial Basis Function

Task 4: Radial Basis Function Network

- Implement convolutional network similar to Assignment 8
 - 2 convolutional layers with Q_1 and Q_2 channels
 - 2 times maximum pooling
 - 2 times ReLU activation
 - One fully-connected layer to produce K outputs (no ReLU here)
- One radial basis function layer with K inputs and R outputs
- One radial basis function activation
- One fully-connected layer with R inputs and $O = 10$ outputs
- Output of `forward` is logits and deep features (K -dimensional)

Radial Basis Function

Task 5: Training and Validation Loop

- Instantiate RBF network:
 - $Q_1 = 32$, $Q_2 = 64$, $K = 2$, $R = 100$, and $O = 10$
 - We want later to visualize 2D features
- Instantiate categorical cross-entropy loss
- Instantiate optimizer of your choice
- Train for 20 epochs and report validation set accuracy

Visualization

Task 6: Deep Feature Extraction

- Iterate through validation set
- Extract 2D features and store in separate lists per target class

Task 7: Deep Feature Visualization

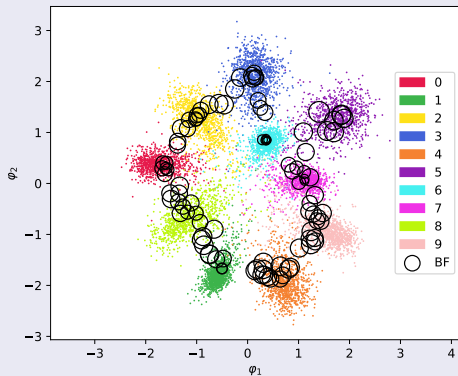
- Obtain 10 different colors: one per target class
- Plot a dot for each sample in 2D feature space (via `pyplot.scatter`)

Task 8: Basis Function Visualization

- Plot a black circle for each learned basis function
 - Maybe use `o` marker with size according to `sigma2`
 - Might need to be scaled with large constant for nice results

Visualization

Example with $K = 100$



Example with $K = 10$

