



Figure 1

1. The two-layer feedforward perceptron network shown in figure 1 has weights and biases initialized as indicated and receives 2-dimensional inputs  $(x_1, x_2)$ . The network is to respond with  $\mathbf{d}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\mathbf{d}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  for input patterns  $\mathbf{x}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1.0 \\ 3.0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\mathbf{x}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -2.0 \\ -2.0 \end{pmatrix}$ , respectively.

Analyse a single feedforward and feedback step for gradient decent learning of the two patterns by doing the following:

- (a) Find the weight matrix  $\mathbf{W}$  to the hidden-layer and weight matrix  $\mathbf{V}$  to the output-layer, and the corresponding biases.
- (b) Calculate the synaptic input  $\mathbf{z}$  and output  $\mathbf{h}$  of the hidden-layer, and the synaptic input  $\mathbf{u}$  and output  $\mathbf{y} = (y_1, y_2)$  of the output layer.
- (c) Find the mean square error cost  $J$  between the outputs and targets.
- (d) Calculate the gradients  $\nabla_u J$  and  $\nabla_z J$  at the output-layer and the hidden-layer, respectively.
- (e) Compute the new weights and biases.
- (f) Write a program to continue iterations until convergence and find the final weights and biases.

Assume a learning rate of 0.05.

Repeat above (a) – (f) for stochastic gradient decent learning.

2. A feedforward neural network with one hidden layer is to perform the following classification:

class	inputs
A	(1.0, 1.0), (0.0, 1.0)
B	(3.0, 4.0), (2.0, 2.0)
C	(2.0, -2.0), (-2.0, -3.0)

The network has a hidden layer consisting of three perceptrons and a softmax output layer.

Initialize the weights  $\mathbf{W}$  and biases  $\mathbf{b}$  to the hidden layer, and the weights  $\mathbf{V}$  and biases  $\mathbf{c}$  to the output layer as follows:

$$\mathbf{W} = \begin{pmatrix} -0.10 & 0.97 & 0.18 \\ -0.70 & 0.38 & 0.93 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.0 \\ 0.0 \\ 0.0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{V} = \begin{pmatrix} 1.01 & 0.09 & -0.39 \\ 0.79 & -0.45 & -0.22 \\ 0.28 & 0.96 & -0.07 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.0 \\ 0.0 \\ 0.0 \end{pmatrix}$$

→ Show one iteration of gradient descent learning and plot the learning curves until convergence at a learning rate  $\alpha = 0.1$ .

② Determine the weights and biases at convergence.

③ Find the class labels predicted by the trained network for patterns:

$$\mathbf{x}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2.5 \\ 1.5 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{x}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1.5 \\ 0.5 \end{pmatrix} .$$

3. Design a deep neural network consisting of two ReLU hidden layers to approximate the following function:

$$\phi(x, y) = 0.8x^2 - y^3 + 2.5xy$$

for  $-1.0 \leq x, y \leq 1.0$ .

Use 10 neurons and 5 neurons at first and second hidden layers, respectively, and a linear neuron at the output layer.

- ① (a) Divide the input space equally into square regions of size  $0.25 \times 0.25$  and use grid points as data points to learn the function  $\phi$ .
- ② (b) Train the network using gradient decent learning at learning rate  $\alpha = 0.01$  and plot the learning curve (mean square error vs. iterations) and the predicted data points.
- ③ (c) Compare the behaviour of learning by plotting learning curves at rates  $\alpha = 0.005, 0.001, 0.01$ , and  $0.05$ .