# Deep Learning

Instructor: Tongyao Pang

Notes Taker: Zejin Lin

TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY.

linzj23@mails.tsinghua.edu.cn

lzjmaths.github.io

March 14, 2025

### **Contents**

1	Regression		2
	1.1	Binary classification problem	2
	1.2	Gradient Descent	3
	1.3	Adaptive learning rate	3
2	ML	P	4
3	Van	ishing or Exploding Gradient	4
4 Convolution		volution	5
	4.1	Filtering for Image Processing	5
	4.2	Convolution neural network	6
In	dex	Convolution neural network	
Lis	ist of Theorems		

### 1 Regression

$$\min_{\omega \in \mathbb{R}^m} \frac{1}{2N} \|\Phi\omega - y\|^2 + \lambda C(\omega) \tag{1.1}$$

Lasso:  $C = \|\omega\|_1$ . Ridge regression:  $C = \|\omega\|_2$ .

**subgradient** of f:

$$\partial f(x_0) = \{g|f(x) \ge f(x_0) + g^T(x - x_0)\}\$$

In particular,

$$\partial |x| = \begin{cases} 1, & x > 0 \\ -1, & x < 0 \\ [-1, 1], & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

#### 1.1 Binary classification problem

**one-hot encoding** for the output  $\{\binom{1}{0},\binom{0}{1}\}$ . It can be understood as the probability for each class and can take continuous values.

A linear hypothesis space is  $\{u(x): u = \omega^T x, x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \omega \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$ .

**Softmax**: Map the extracted feature u to the space of one-hot codes

$$\mu = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-u}}, \quad 1 - \mu = \frac{e^{-u}}{1 + e^{-u}} = \frac{1}{1 + e^{u}}$$

$$KL(p,q) = \int p(\log p - \log q)$$
 (1.2)

For p real probability, to minimize (1.2), suffices to minimize

$$-\int p\log q_{\theta} dx = -\sum_{x_i} \log q_{\theta}(x_i)$$

which is called **Maximum likelihood** (cross entropy)

$$-\sum \log p(y_i|x_i,\omega) = \sum -y_i \log \mu_i - (1-y_i) \log (1-\mu_i)$$

We reduce to minimize the thing above.

#### 1.2 Gradient Descent

$$J(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^{N} L(f_{\theta}(x_i), y_i), \quad \theta^{t+1} = \theta^t - \eta_t \frac{\partial J(\theta)}{\partial \theta} |_{\theta = \theta^t}$$

For empirical loss

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} J_i(\theta), J_i(\theta) L(f_{\theta}(y_i), x_i)$$

Stochastic Gradient Descent: only compute gradients over a mini batch for each epoch

$$\theta_{k+1} = \theta_k - \eta \frac{1}{B} \sum_{i \in I_B} \nabla J_i(\theta_k)$$

 $I_B$ , called **mini batch** are randomly sampled from the training data indexes.

The motivation to sample is that for distribution x,  $\frac{x_1 + \dots + x_N}{N}$  has the same mean  $\mu$  but less variance  $\frac{1}{N}\sigma^2$ , so in order to have more randomness and greatly reduce the computational cost, we choose less ammount of data.

Randomness can help avoid getting stuck in local minimum.

SGD: 
$$x_{t+1} = x_t - \alpha \nabla f(x_t)$$
.

SGD+momentum:

$$v_{t+1} = \rho v_t + \nabla f(X_t)$$

$$x_{t+1} = x_t - \alpha v_{t+1}$$

 $v_t$  is the momentum which helps accelerate convergence by accumulating the gradients of past steps and smoothing out the oscillations, where  $\rho = 0.9$  or 0.99.

#### 1.3 Adaptive learning rate

$$r_t = r_{t-1} + \nabla f(x_t) \bigodot \nabla f(x_t)$$

$$x_{t+1} = x_t - \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{r_t + \varepsilon}} \bigodot \nabla f(x_t)$$

For frequent features, the updates will be smaller, and for rare features, the updates will be larger.

**Notation** ⊙ is the multiplication for each component, which means:

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{pmatrix} \odot \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1b_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_nb_n \end{pmatrix}$$

#### 2 MLP

Exponential Moving Averaging(EMA)

$$r_{t} = \beta r_{t-1} + (1 - \beta) \nabla f(x_{t}) \odot \nabla f(x_{t})$$
$$x_{t+1} = x_{t} - \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{r_{t} + \beta}} \bigodot \nabla f(x_{t})$$

RMSProp uses a moving average, avoiding overly aggresive decay complared with AdaGrad.

Adaptive Moment Estimation(Adam):RMAProp+Momentum

$$g_t = \nabla f(x_t)$$
 
$$v_t = \beta_1^t v_{t-1} + (1 - \beta_1^t) g_t, r_t = \beta_2^t r_{t-1} + (1 - \beta_2^t) g_t \odot g_t$$
 
$$v_t = \frac{v_t}{1 - \beta_1^t}, E_t = \frac{E_t}{1 - \beta_2^t}$$
 
$$x_{t+1} = x_t - \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{r_t + \varepsilon}} \odot v_t$$

## 3 Vanishing or Exploding Gradient

The gradient of the Sigmoid function is very small most of the time, leading to vanishing gradients

We want to avoid exploding or vanishment in gradient.

Sigmoid: 
$$\sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}$$
.

Tanh:  $\sigma(z) = \frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{e^z + e^{-z}}$ .

ReLU: ReLU $(z) = \begin{cases} z, & z > 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ .

 $\textbf{LeakyReLU}: \text{LeakyReLU}(z) = \begin{cases} z, & z>0\\ az, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}. \text{ The gradient neither vanishes nor explodes;}$ 

it is computationally fast, but some neurons may not be activated.

LeakyReLU solves the issue with ReLU and is the most commonly used.

Consider the back propagation  $\frac{\partial J}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial J}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial J}{\partial x} W$ . Cumulate after multi-layers

$$\operatorname{Var}(\frac{\partial J}{\partial x}) = \prod_{i} n_{l} \operatorname{Var}(W_{l}) \operatorname{Var}(\frac{\partial J}{\partial x_{l}})$$

We want  $n_l \text{Val}(W_l) \sim 1$ .

After normalizing their variances, the updating becomes more steady and efficient.

To avoid variance becoming too small or too large in deep layers, normalize features in the network

$$\widehat{x}_i = \frac{x_i - \mathbb{E}x_i}{\sqrt{\operatorname{var}(x_i)}}$$

Batch Normalization: normalize features across samples within each batch.

#### 4 Convolution

### 4.1 Filtering for Image Processing

Mean filtering: replacing each pixel value in an image with the mean value of its neighbors

Median filtering: replacing each pixel value in an image with the median value of its neighbors.

**Convolution** of two functions f and h

$$g(x) = f(x) * h(x) = \int f(\tau)h(x - \tau)d\tau$$

In some sense, convolution is a way to do weight average to for f locally.

Discrete 1D convolution is a matrix convolution

$$g[i] = \sum_{n=1}^{N} f[n]h[i-n]$$

where the corresponding matrix is a multi-diagonal matrix.

Continuous 2D convolution

$$g(x) = \iint f(\tau)h(x-\tau)d\tau$$

Discrete 2D convolution

$$g[i,j] = \sum_{n=1}^{N} \sum_{m=1}^{N} f[n,m]h[i-n,j-m]$$

If the input shape  $n_h \times n_w$ , the convolution kernel shape  $k_h \times k_w$  and the output shape will be  $(n_h - k_h + 1) \times (n_w - k_w + 1)$ .

Different Filter can extract different features.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

is a high-pass filter, which extract the edge in the image.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

is a low-pass filter, which makes the image more smooth, *i.e.* fuzzy, describing a global feature.

#### 4.2 Convolution neural network

In practice, we can use  $C_{out}$  filters of  $C_{in} \times H \times M$  to obtain a feature of  $C_{out} \times H \times M$  size, with input  $C_{in}$  extracted features of  $H \times M$  size.

Receptive field of CNN expands along with the depth of NN.

We use the **stride** to expand receptive field in one layer.

**Pooling Layer:** 

Max pooling:

$$y[i] = \max_{j \in N(i)} x[j]$$

Average Pooling

$$y[i] = \frac{1}{N(i)} \sum_{j \in N(i)} x[j]$$

Similar as convolution: local connection and shift invariance, but non-linear. usually set stride > 2.

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial W^l} = \text{input},_{\text{valid}}, \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \text{output}}$$

### Index

```
Adaptive Moment Estimation(Adam), 4
Batch Normalization, 5
Convolution, 5
cross entropy, 2
Exponential Moving Averaging(EMA), 4
Lasso, 2
LeakyReLU, 5
linear hypothesis space, 2
Maximum likelihood, 2
Mean filtering, 5
Median filtering, 5
mini batch, 3
momentum, 3
one-hot encoding, 2
Pooling Layer, 6
ReLU, 4
Ridge regression, 2
Sigmoid, 4
Softmax, 2
Stochastic Gradient Descent, 3
stride, 6
subgradient, 2
Tanh, 4
```

# **List of Theorems**