# Long Short Term Memory

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#### Abstract

Long Short Term Memory (LSTM)

### 1 General

The LSTM is a recurrent neural network built up by LSTM cell. Several neurons compose the LSTM cell:

- 1. input neuron
- 2. input gate
- 3. CEC (Constant Error Carrousels)
- 4. forget gate
- 5. output activation function
- 6. output gate

The input neuron and each gate receive values from input signals and the previuos outputs (RNN).

The output signal of LSTM is

$$y(t) = y^h(t) \cdot y^f(t)$$

where

$$y^{f}(t) = f\left(z^{f}(t)\right)$$

$$z^{f}(t) = \sum w_{i}^{f} I_{i}(t)$$

$$y^{h}(t) = h\left(z^{h}(t)\right)$$

$$z^{h}(t) = y^{g}(t) \cdot y^{s}(t) + z^{h}(t-1) \cdot y^{r}(t)$$

$$y^{r}(t) = r\left(z^{r}(t)\right)$$

$$z^{r}(t) = \sum w_{i}^{r} I_{i}(t)$$

$$y^{g}(t) = g\left(z^{g}(t)\right)$$

$$z^{g}(t) = \sum w_{i}^{g} I_{i}(t)$$

$$y^{s}(t) = s\left(z^{s}(t)\right)$$

$$z^{s}(t) = \sum w_{i}^{s} I_{i}(t)$$

## 2 Back propagation

Let's now derive the back propagation error

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^f} = y^h(t) \frac{\partial y^f(t)}{\partial w_i^f}$$

$$\frac{\partial y^f(t)}{\partial w_i^f} = \frac{\partial f\left(z^f(t)\right)}{\partial z^f(t)} \cdot \frac{\partial z^f(t)}{\partial w_i^f} = f'(t) \cdot I_i(t)$$

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^r} = y^f(t) \frac{\partial y^h(t)}{\partial w_i^r} =$$

$$= y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) \frac{\partial z^h(t)}{\partial w_i^r} =$$

$$= y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) z^h(t-1) \cdot \frac{\partial y^r(t)}{\partial w_i^r} =$$

$$= y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) z^h(t-1) \cdot r'(t) \cdot \frac{\partial z^r(t)}{\partial w_i^r} =$$

$$= y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) z^h(t-1) \cdot r'(t) \cdot I_i(t)$$

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^s} = y^f(t) \frac{\partial y^h(t)}{\partial w_i^s} =$$

$$= y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) \cdot y^g(t) \frac{\partial y^h(t)}{\partial w_i^s} =$$

$$= y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) \cdot y^g(t) \frac{\partial y^s(t)}{\partial w_i^s} =$$

$$= y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) \cdot y^g(t) s'(t) \cdot \frac{\partial z^s(t)}{\partial w_i^s} =$$

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$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^f} = y^h(t) \cdot f'(t) \cdot I_i(t) \tag{1}$$

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^r} = y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) z^h(t-1) \cdot r'(t) \cdot I_i(t)$$

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^s} = y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) \cdot y^g(t) \cdot s'(t) \cdot I_i(t)$$
(3)

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(3)

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^g} = y^f(t) \cdot h'(t) \cdot y^s(t) \cdot g'(t) \cdot I_i(t)$$
(4)

#### 3 Error

Let be

$$X_{ijk}$$

the input signals  $j = 1, \dots, m$  of sample  $i = 1, \dots, n$  at time  $k = 1, \dots, t_i$ and

$$Y_{ik}$$

the expected output signal of sample  $i = 1, \dots, n$  at time  $k = 1, \dots, t_i$ The total error of network is

$$\delta = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{ik} [Y_{ik} - y(k, I_{ijk})]^2$$

#### Test 4

The test is composed by a set of samples with 2 input signals.

The output is a JK memory latch

J	K	Y
0	0	Y
0	1	0
1	0	1
1	1	!Y

The activation functions are

$$f(x) = tanh(x)$$

$$g(x) = tanh(x)$$

$$h(x) = x$$

$$r(x) = tanh(x)$$

$$s(x) = tanh(x)$$

Gradients are:

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^f} = y^h(t) \cdot \left[1 - y^f(t)\right]^2 \cdot I_i(t) \tag{5}$$

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^r} = y^f(t) \cdot z^h(t-1) \cdot [1 - y^r(t)]^2 \cdot I_i(t)$$
(6)

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^s} = y^f(t) \cdot y^g(t) \cdot [1 - y^s(t)]^2 \cdot I_i(t)$$
(7)

$$\frac{\partial y(t)}{\partial w_i^g} = y^f(t) \cdot y^s(t) \cdot [1 - y^g(t)]^2 \cdot I_i(t)$$
(8)