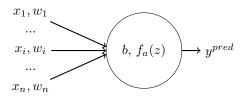
# Neuron

Schema of a neuron:



To compute predicted value by the neuron:

$$z = \sum_{i=1}^{n} w_i x_i + b \tag{1}$$

$$y^{pred} = f_a(z) = f_a(\sum_{i=1}^{n} w_i x_i + b)$$
 (2)

To compute the cost function for m training samples:

$$C(w,b) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{j=1}^{m} \left( y_j^{pred} - y_j \right)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{j=1}^{m} \left( f_a(z)_j - y_j \right)^2$$
(3)

Training the neuron consists on minimizing the cost function. The method used to minimize the cost function is Gradient Descent (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gradient\_descent).

$$\mathbf{w}^{n+1} = \mathbf{w}^n - \alpha \nabla C(\mathbf{w}^n, b^n) \tag{4}$$

$$b^{n+1} = b^n - \alpha \nabla C(\mathbf{w}^n, b^n) \tag{5}$$

The equations above compute the gradient descent for the weights and for the bias.  $\alpha$  is the so called Learning Rate.

To compute the gradient of the cost function for m training samples, it is necessary to compute the partial derivatives with respect  $\mathbf{w}$  and b.

Partial derivative with respect  $\mathbf{w}$ :

$$\frac{\delta C(\mathbf{w}, b)}{\delta w_i} = \left(\frac{1}{2m} \left(f_a(z) - y\right)^2\right)'$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \left(f_a(z) - y\right) f_a'(z) z'$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{j=1}^{m} \left(f_a(\mathbf{w}^T \cdot \mathbf{x} + b) - y_j\right) f_a'(\mathbf{w}^T \cdot \mathbf{x} + b) (x_i)_j \tag{6}$$

In a similar way, the partial derivative with respect b:

$$\frac{\delta C(\mathbf{w}, b)}{\delta b} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} \left( f_a(\mathbf{w}^{\mathbf{T}} \cdot \mathbf{x} + b) - y_j \right) f_a'(\mathbf{w}^{\mathbf{T}} \cdot \mathbf{x} + b)$$
 (7)

## **Activation functions**

#### Sigmoid

Sigmoid function is:

$$\sigma(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}} \tag{8}$$

Sigmoid derivative is:

$$\sigma'(x) = \sigma(x) \cdot (1 - \sigma(x)) \tag{9}$$

### ReLU

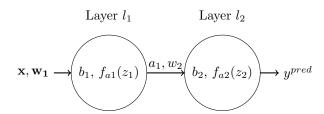
ReLU function is:

$$ReLU(x) = \max(0, x) \tag{10}$$

The derivative of the ReLU function is:

$$ReLU'(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 0 \\ 1 & x \ge 0 \end{cases} \tag{11}$$

## Network



Compute Layer 1:

$$z_1 = \mathbf{w_1^T} \cdot \mathbf{x} + b_1$$

$$a_1 = f_{a1}(z_1) = \tag{12}$$

Compute Layer 2:

$$z_2 = w_2 a_1 + b_2$$
  

$$y^{pred} = f_{a2}(z_2) = f_{a2}(w_2 a_1 + b_2)$$
(13)

Network:

$$y^{pred} = f_{a2}(w_2 f_{a1}(\mathbf{w_1^T} \cdot \mathbf{x} + b_1) + b_2)$$
(14)

Cost function for m samples:

$$C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} (y^{pred} - y)^2$$
$$= \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} (f_{a2}(w_2 f_{a1}(\mathbf{w}_1^T \cdot \mathbf{x} + b_1) + b_2) - y)^2$$
(15)

Derivative of the cost function:

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{w}^*} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*) = [\delta_{w_1} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*), \dots, \delta_{w_n} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*), \dots, \delta_{w_n} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*)]$$

$$(16)$$

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{b}^*} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*) = [\delta_{b_1} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*), \dots, \delta_{b_i} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*), \dots, \delta_{b_n} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*)]$$

$$(17)$$

In our case:

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{w}^*} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*) = [\delta_{w_1} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*), \delta_{w_2} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*)]$$
(18)

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Let's define some nomencalutre before compute the gradients of the cost function:

$$\mathbf{a_0} = \mathbf{x} \tag{20}$$

$$z_1 = \mathbf{w_1^T} \cdot \mathbf{x} + b_1 \tag{21}$$

$$a_1 = f_{a1}(z_1) = f_{a1}(\mathbf{w}_1^{\mathbf{T}} \cdot \mathbf{b}_1) \tag{22}$$

$$z_2 = w_2 f_{a1}(z_1) + b_2 = w_2 f_{a1}(\mathbf{w_1^T} \cdot \mathbf{b_1}) + b_2$$
(23)

$$a_2 = f_{a2}(z_2) = w_2 f_{a1}(z_1) + b_2 (24)$$

Let's compute the gradients with respect the weights  $\mathbf{w}^*$ :

$$\delta_{w_1} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*) = \delta_{w_1} \left( \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (a_2 - y)^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (a_2 - y) f'_{a_2}(z_2) w_2 f'_{a_1}(z_1) \mathbf{a_0}$$

$$\delta_{w_2} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*) = \delta_{w_2} \left( \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (a_2 - y)^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (a_2 - y) f'_{a_2}(z_2) a_1$$
(25)

Let's do the same for the bias  $b^*$ :

$$\delta_{w_1} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*) = \delta_{w_1} \left(\frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (a_2 - y)^2\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (a_2 - y) f'_{a2}(z_2) w_2 f'_{a1}(z_1)$$

$$\delta_{w_2} C(\mathbf{w}^*, \mathbf{b}^*) = \delta_{w_2} \left(\frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (a_2 - y)^2\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (a_2 - y) f'_{a2}(z_2) x$$
(28)