

# Perceptron model theory

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## 1 Setup

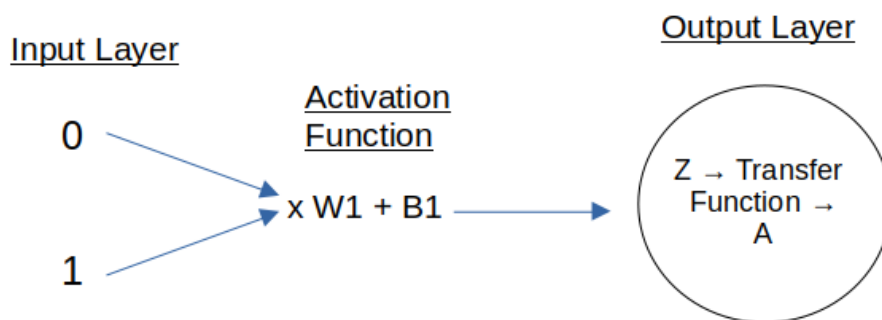


Figure 1: This model uses no hidden layers and is known as a Perceptron Artificial Neural Network.

- Where  $W$  is the array of weights, initially set to zeroes, and  $B$  is the array of biases, initially set to zeros
- $Z$  is the dot product of the  $W$  array and the input array ( $X$ ) summed with the  $B$  array
- $A$  is  $\text{sigmoid}(Z)$ , which is the prediction
  - Where  $\text{sigmoid}(Z) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-Z}}$

## 2 Forward Propagation

For each epoch the input array of values, is fed through the network to obtain a prediction  $A$

## 3 Back Propagation

- Once a prediction is obtained, you then move back through the network adjusting the weights and the bias
- The "Loss" ( $L$ ) (how wrong the prediction is) can be calculated with the Loss function, which calculates the average difference between the prediction and the actual value ( $Y$ ), the average is found by summing the

result for each prediction then dividing by the number of predictions ( $m$ ). This shows how well the network is performing.

– Where  $L = -(\frac{1}{m}) * \sum(Y * \log(A) + (1 - Y) * \log(1 - A))$  and "log()" is the natural logarithm (e is the base)

- The weights and the bias are adjusted via Gradient Descent, which aims to get the minimum Loss value, with the following formulae:

–  $W = W - learningRate * \frac{\partial L}{\partial W}$

\* Where  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial W} = X * (\frac{1}{m})(A - Y)$

–  $B = B - learningRate * \frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$

\* Where  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = (\frac{1}{m})(A - Y)$

## 4 Derivations for $\frac{\partial L}{\partial W}$ and $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$

- Functions used so far:

1.  $Z = W.X + B$

2.  $A = \frac{1}{1+e^{-Z}}$

3.  $L = -(\frac{1}{m}) * \sum(Y * \log(A) + (1 - Y) * \log(1 - A))$

- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial W}$  derivation:

– By the Chain rule,  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial W} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial A} * \frac{\partial A}{\partial Z} * \frac{\partial Z}{\partial W}$

– Using function 3,  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial A} = (-\frac{1}{m})(\frac{Y-A}{A*(1-A)})$

– Using function 2,  $\frac{\partial A}{\partial Z} = A * (1 - A)$

– Using function 1,  $\frac{\partial Z}{\partial W} = X$

–  $\therefore \frac{\partial L}{\partial W} = (-\frac{1}{m})(\frac{Y-A}{A*(1-A)}) * A * (1 - A) * X$   
 $= X * (\frac{1}{m})(A - Y)$

- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B}$  derivation:

– By the Chain rule,  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial A} * \frac{\partial A}{\partial Z} * \frac{\partial Z}{\partial B}$

– Derived above,  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial A} = (-\frac{1}{m})(\frac{Y-A}{A*(1-A)})$

– Derived above,  $\frac{\partial A}{\partial Z} = A * (1 - A)$

– Using function 1,  $\frac{\partial Z}{\partial B} = 1$

–  $\therefore \frac{\partial L}{\partial B} = (-\frac{1}{m})(\frac{Y-A}{A*(1-A)}) * A * (1 - A)$   
 $= (\frac{1}{m})(A - Y)$