
DD2424 - Assignment 1 (Bonus)

SUMMARY

I have completed both exercises for the bonus points. For the first part, I have ...

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Part I - Improving Performance of the Network

Part II - Multiple Binary Cross-Entropy Losses

Obtaining the gradient

In order to obtain the expression for $\partial\ell/\partial\mathbf{s}$, we consider the chain rule, where

$$\frac{\partial\ell}{\partial\mathbf{s}} = \frac{\partial\ell}{\partial\mathbf{p}} \frac{\partial\mathbf{p}}{\partial\mathbf{s}}$$

First, we consider differentiating the class-specific loss w.r.t. the corresponding probability, s.t. $\ell = -1/K \sum_{k=1}^K \ell_k$:

$$\frac{\partial\ell_k}{\partial p_k} = \frac{\partial}{\partial p_k} [(1 - y_k) \log(1 - p_k) + y_k \log(p_k)] = \frac{y_k - 1}{1 - p_k} + \frac{y_k}{p_k}$$

Second, we recognize that $p_k = \sigma(s_k)$, where $\sigma : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is the logistic sigmoid function, for which we also have that

$$\sigma(s) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-s}} = \frac{e^s}{e^s + 1}$$

as well as $1 - \sigma(s) = \sigma(-s)$ and $\sigma'(s) = \sigma(s)(1 - \sigma(s))$. Hence, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial\ell_k}{\partial s_k} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial s_k} [(1 - y_k) \log(1 - \sigma(s_k)) + y_k \log(\sigma(s_k))] \\ &= \frac{y_k - 1}{1 - \sigma(s_k)} \sigma(s_k)(1 - \sigma(s_k)) + \frac{y_k}{\sigma(s_k)} \sigma(s_k)(1 - \sigma(s_k)) \\ &= (y_k - 1)\sigma(s_k) + y_k(1 - \sigma(s_k)) \\ &= y_k - \sigma(s_k) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the Jacobians we're looking for are given by

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial\ell}{\partial\mathbf{p}} &= -\frac{1}{K} [\mathbf{y}^T \text{diag}(\mathbf{p})^{-1} - (\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{y})^T \text{diag}(\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{p})^{-1}] \\ \frac{\partial\mathbf{p}}{\partial\mathbf{s}} &= \text{diag}(\mathbf{p}) \text{diag}(\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{p}) \end{aligned}$$

such that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial\ell}{\partial\mathbf{s}} &= -\frac{1}{K} \left[\mathbf{y}^T \underbrace{\text{diag}(\mathbf{p})^{-1} \text{diag}(\mathbf{p}) \text{diag}(\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{p})}_{=\text{diag}(\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{p})} - (\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{y})^T \underbrace{\text{diag}(\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{p})^{-1} \text{diag}(\mathbf{p}) \text{diag}(\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{p})}_{=\text{diag}(\mathbf{p})} \right] \\ &= -\frac{1}{K} [\mathbf{y}^T \text{diag}(\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{p}) - (\mathbf{1} - \mathbf{y})^T \text{diag}(\mathbf{p})] \\ &= -\frac{1}{K} [\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{y}^T \text{diag}(\mathbf{p}) - \mathbf{p} + \mathbf{y}^T \text{diag}(\mathbf{p})] \\ &= -\frac{1}{K} (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{p}) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, using the result from the previous loss, we should have that

$$\frac{\partial\ell}{\partial\mathbf{W}} = -\frac{1}{K} (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{p}) \mathbf{x}^T, \quad \frac{\partial\ell}{\partial\mathbf{b}} = -\frac{1}{K} (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{p})$$

Results