

a)

$$y_w = \begin{cases} 1, & w = o \\ 0, & w \neq o \end{cases}$$

$$- \sum_{w \in Vocab} y_w \log(\hat{y}_w) = -y_o \log(\hat{y}_o) = -\log(\hat{y}_o)$$

b)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} J_{naive-softmax} &= - \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} \log P(O = o | C = c) \\ &= - \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} \log \frac{\exp(u_o^T v_c)}{\sum_{w=1}^V \exp(u_w^T v_c)} \\ &= - \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} \log \exp(u_o^T v_c) + \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} \log \sum_{w=1}^V \exp(u_w^T v_c) \\ &= - u_o + \frac{1}{\sum_{w=1}^V \exp(u_w^T v_c)} \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} \sum_{x=1}^V \exp(u_x^T v_c) \\ &= - u_o + \frac{1}{\sum_{w=1}^V \exp(u_w^T v_c)} \sum_{x=1}^V \exp(u_x^T v_c) \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} u_x^T v_c \\ &= - u_o + \frac{1}{\sum_{w=1}^V \exp(u_w^T v_c)} \sum_{x=1}^V \exp(u_x^T v_c) u_x \\ &= - u_o + \sum_{x=1}^V \frac{\exp(u_x^T v_c)}{\sum_{w=1}^V \exp(u_w^T v_c)} u_x \\ &= - u_o + \sum_{x=1}^V P(O = x | C = c) u_x \\ &= - y^T U^T + \hat{y}^T u^T \\ &= U(\hat{y} - y) \end{aligned}$$

c)

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial}{\partial u_w} J_{naive-softmax} &= -\frac{\partial}{\partial u_w} \log \frac{\exp(u_o^T v_c)}{\sum_{m=1}^V \exp(u_m^T v_c)} \\
&= -\frac{\partial}{\partial u_w} \log \exp(u_o^T v_c) + \frac{\partial}{\partial u_w} \log \sum_{m=1}^V \exp(u_m^T v_c)
\end{aligned}$$

When $w = o$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial}{\partial u_o} J_{naive-softmax} &= -v_c + \frac{1}{\sum_{m=1}^V \exp(u_m^T)} \sum_{n=1}^V \frac{\partial}{\partial u_o} \exp(u_n^T v_c) \\
&= -v_c + \frac{1}{\sum_{m=1}^V \exp(u_m^T)} \frac{\partial}{\partial u_o} \exp(u_o^T v_c) \\
&= -v_c + \frac{\exp(u_o^T v_c)}{\sum_{m=1}^V \exp(u_m^T)} v_c \\
&= -v_c + P(O = o | C = c) v_c \\
&= (P(O = o | C = c) - 1) v_c
\end{aligned}$$

When $w \neq o$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial}{\partial u_w} J_{naive-softmax} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial u_w} \log \sum_{m=1}^V \exp(u_m^T v_c) \\
&= \frac{\exp(u_w^T v_c)}{\sum_{m=1}^V \exp(u_m^T)} v_c \\
&= P(O = w | C = c) v_c \\
&= (P(O = o | C = c) - 0) v_c
\end{aligned}$$

In summary:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial u_w} J_{naive-softmax} = (\hat{y}_w - y_w) v_c$$

d)

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \sigma(x) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} \\&= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{y}{y + 1} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^x \\&= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(1 - \frac{1}{y + 1}\right) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^x \\&= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{1}{y + 1} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^x \\&= \frac{1}{y + 1} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^x \\&= \frac{e^x}{(e^x + 1)^2} \\&= \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} \frac{1}{e^x + 1} \\&= \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} \frac{e^x + 1 - e^x}{e^x + 1} \\&= \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} \left(1 - \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1}\right) \\&= \sigma(x)(1 - \sigma(x))\end{aligned}$$

e)

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} J_{neg-sample} &= -\frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} \log(\sigma(u_o^T v_c)) - \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} \sum_{k=1}^K \log(\sigma(-u_k^T v_c)) \\
&= -\frac{1}{\sigma(u_o^T v_c)} \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} \sigma(u_o^T v_c) - \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{1}{\sigma(-u_k^T v_c)} \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} \sigma(-u_k^T v_c) \\
&= -\frac{1}{\sigma(u_o^T v_c)} \sigma(u_o^T v_c)(1 - \sigma(u_o^T v_c)) \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} u_o^T v_c - \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{1}{\sigma(-u_k^T v_c)} \sigma(-u_k^T v_c)(1 - \sigma(u_k^T v_c)) \frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} (-u_k^T v_c) \\
&= (\sigma(u_o^T v_c) - 1)u_o - \sum_{k=1}^K (\sigma(-u_k^T v_c) - 1)u_k
\end{aligned}$$

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\frac{\partial}{\partial u_o} J_{neg-sample} &= -\frac{\partial}{\partial u_o} \log(\sigma(u_o^T v_c)) - \frac{\partial}{\partial u_o} \sum_{k=1}^K \log(\sigma(-u_k^T v_c)) \\
&= -\frac{\partial}{\partial u_o} \log(\sigma(u_o^T v_c)) \\
&= -\frac{1}{\sigma(u_o^T v_c)} \frac{\partial}{\partial u_o} \sigma(u_o^T v_c) \\
&= -\frac{1}{\sigma(u_o^T v_c)} \sigma(u_o^T v_c)(1 - \sigma(u_o^T v_c)) \frac{\partial}{\partial u_o} u_o^T v_c \\
&= (\sigma(u_o^T v_c) - 1)v_c
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial}{\partial u_k} J_{neg-sample} &= -\frac{\partial}{\partial u_k} \log(\sigma(u_o^T v_c)) - \frac{\partial}{\partial u_k} \sum_{x=1}^K \log(\sigma(-u_x^T v_c)) \\
&= -\frac{\partial}{\partial u_k} \sum_{x=1}^K \log(\sigma(-u_x^T v_c)) \\
&= -\frac{\partial}{\partial u_k} \log(\sigma(-u_k^T v_c)) \\
&= -\frac{1}{\sigma(-u_k^T v_c)} \frac{\partial}{\partial u_k} \sigma(-u_k^T v_c) \\
&= -\frac{1}{\sigma(-u_k^T v_c)} \sigma(-u_k^T v_c)(1 - \sigma(-u_k^T v_c)) \frac{\partial}{\partial u_k} (-u_k^T v_c) \\
&= (1 - \sigma(-u_k^T v_c))v_c
\end{aligned}$$

f)

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial U} J_{skip-gram}(v_c, w_{t-m}, \dots w_{t+m}, U) = \sum_{-m \leq j \leq m} \frac{J(v_c, w_{t+j}, U)}{\partial U}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial v_c} J_{skip-gram}(v_c, w_{t-m}, \dots w_{t+m}, U) = \sum_{-m \leq j \leq m} \frac{J(v_c, w_{t+j}, U)}{\partial v_c}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial v_w} J_{skip-gram}(v_c, w_{t-m}, \dots w_{t+m}, U) = 0$$