

RNN and Backpropagation

TOTAL POINTS 4

1. Consider a task with input sequences of fixed length. Could RNN architecture still be useful for such task?

1 point

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

2. Consider an RNN for a language generation task. \hat{y}_t is an output of this RNN at each time step, L is a length of the input sequence, N is a number of words in the vocabulary. Choose correct statements about \hat{y}_t :

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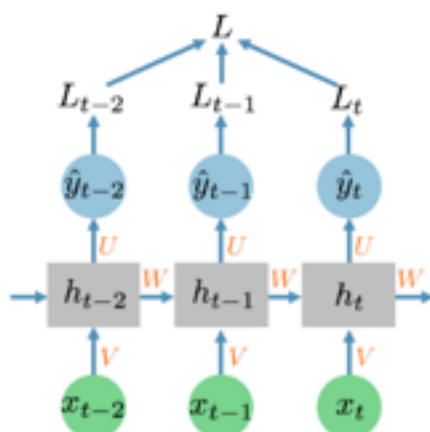
- ☒ \hat{y}_t is a vector of length N .
☐ \hat{y}_t is a vector of length $(L - t)$.
☐ \hat{y}_t is a vector of length $L \times N$.
☐ Each element of \hat{y}_t is either 0 or 1.
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☐ Each element of \hat{y}_t is a number from 0 to N .

3. Consider the RNN from the lecture:

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$$h_t = f_t(Vx_t + Wh_{t-1} + b_h)$$

$$\hat{y}_t = f_y(Uh_t + b_y)$$



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4. Consider the RNN network from the previous question. Calculate the gradient of the loss L with respect to the bias vector b_h . $\frac{\partial L}{\partial b_h} = ?$

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