

CECS 551  
Assignment 3  
Total: 50 Points

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General Instruction

- Use Python 3, any other programming language is not acceptable.
  - You can import modules in the Python Standard Library (please check the full list [here](#)). If you want to use any other library, please consult with the instructor.
  - Submit uncompressed file(s) in the Dropbox folder via BeachBoard (Not email).
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1. Implement multi-layer neural network **WITHOUT** using external deep learning libraries such as Keras, Caffe, Theano, TensorFlow, PyTorch...

(a) Consider a neural network as shown in Figure 1 that approximates XOR function.

- The width of the layer 1 is 2, and the width of the layer 2 is 1.
- The activation functions of the layer 1 are the hyperbolic tangent.
- The activation function of the layer 2 is the sigmoid.
- The loss function is the binary cross entropy.

(b) (25 points) Derive  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \vec{W}^{(1)}}$ ,  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \vec{w}^{(2)}}$ ,  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \vec{b}^{(1)}}$ , and  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial b^{(2)}}$ . Please include the answers in the Jupyter notebook. Notice that you can use L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X equation in the Jupyter notebook.

(c) (25 points) Implement the model **without** using any deep learning libraries. However, you can use import `numpy` in case you need.

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X = np.array([[0,0],[0,1],[1,0],[1,1]])  
y = np.array([0,1,1,0])
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You need to optimize the parameters  $\vec{W}^{(1)}$ ,  $\vec{w}^{(2)}$ ,  $\vec{b}^{(1)}$ , and  $b^{(2)}$  using simple gradient descent method. For example,  $b^{(2)} \leftarrow b^{(2)} - \eta \frac{\partial L}{\partial b^{(2)}}$  where  $\eta$  is a small positive number. Predict  $\hat{y}$  using the trained network and show the result.

(d) Submit `Assignment_3_scratch.ipynb`.

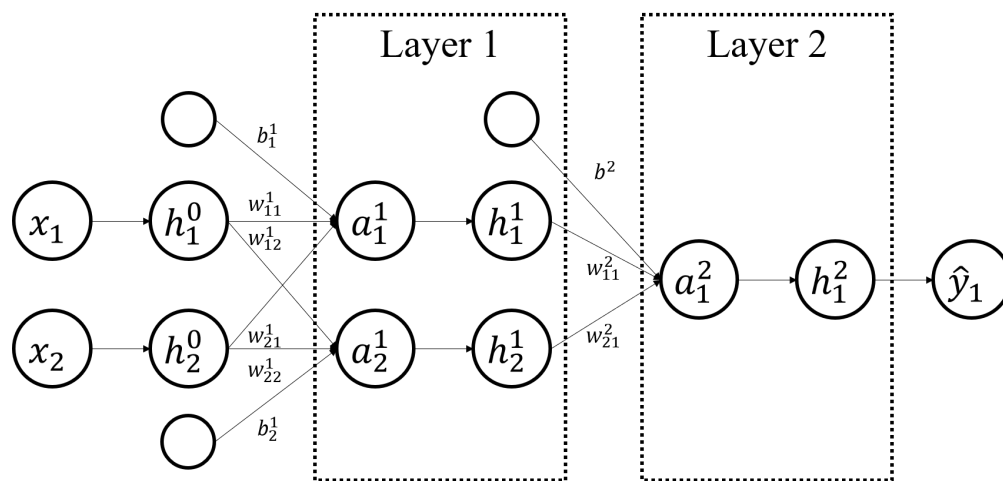


Figure 1: network design