# **HW-3**: Neural Network

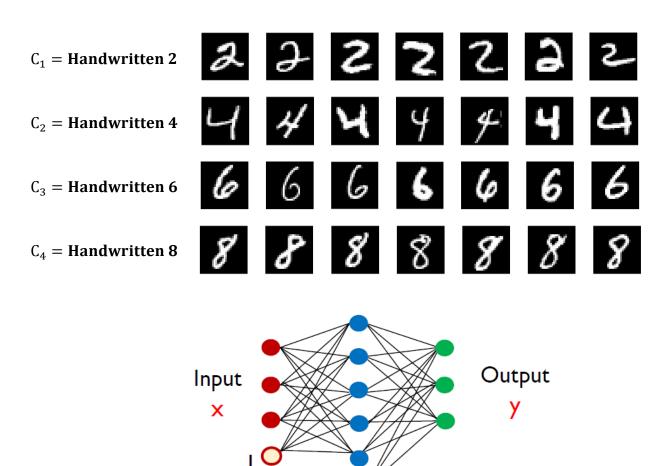
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In this homework, you are asked to build <u>neural network</u> models for the classification problem of the <u>hand-written numbers</u> x. Before doing so, the following layers need to be implemented as a Matlab function respectively:

- Inner-product layer
- Activation layer
- Softmax layer

Besides, it is required to use different types of the <u>activation function</u> for the tasks:

- Sigmoid function
- Rectified function



#### **♦** Data

Input data are the extracted information from the picture of the hand-written numbers (MNIST Database). There are two data files offered: **Training \_data\_hw3.mat** file and one **Test\_data1\_hw3.mat** file.

#### Training \_data\_hw3.mat:

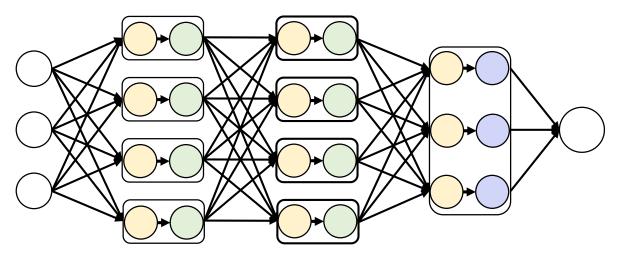
- **X\_train** is a 4000x784 matrix. Every row corresponds to a 28x28 gray-scale image.
- **T\_train** is a 4000x4 matrix, which records the target values of the training samples.

#### Test\_data2\_hw3.mat:

**X\_test** is a 2000x784 matrix. Every row corresponds to a 28x28 gray-scale image.

#### **♦** Models

A simple neural network can be decomposed into the input layer, hidden layer(s) and output layer. A hidden layer is usually composed of an **inner-product layer** and an **activation layer**. Likewise, an output layer normally contains an **inner-product layer** and a **softmax layer**.



Let the m-by-1 vector  $\mathbf{x}$  and n-by-1 vector  $\mathbf{y}(\mathbf{x})$  be the input and output of a layer respectively, the forward-propagation and back-propagation can be inferred as bellow:

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$$\nabla_{x}E = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial x_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial x_{m}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} \frac{\partial y_{1}}{\partial x_{1}} + \dots + \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} \frac{\partial y_{n}}{\partial x_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} \frac{\partial y_{1}}{\partial x_{m}} + \dots + \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} \frac{\partial y_{n}}{\partial x_{m}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial y_{1}}{\partial x_{1}} & \dots & \frac{\partial y_{n}}{\partial x_{1}} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial y_{1}}{\partial x_{m}} & \dots & \frac{\partial y_{n}}{\partial x_{m}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{A} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\nabla_{\boldsymbol{W}}E = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{11}} & \dots & \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{n1}} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{1m}} & \dots & \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{nm}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} & \frac{\partial y_{1}}{\partial w_{12}} & \dots & \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} & \frac{\partial y_{n}}{\partial w_{n1}} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} & \frac{\partial y_{1}}{\partial w_{1m}} & \dots & \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} & \frac{\partial y_{n}}{\partial w_{nm}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} \end{bmatrix}_{\boldsymbol{B}} \boldsymbol{B}$$

$$\nabla_{\boldsymbol{b}}E = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial b_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial b_{n}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} \frac{\partial y_{1}}{\partial b_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} \frac{\partial y_{n}}{\partial b_{n}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} \end{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{C}$$

$$\mathcal{E} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_{1} & \mathbf{v}_{2} \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{v}_{N} & \mathbf{v}_{N} \end{bmatrix}$$

Please find the matrices  $\mathbf{A}$ ,  $\mathbf{B}$  and  $\mathbf{C}$  by yourself.

### • Activation layer – Sigmoid function

**♦** Forward-propagation

$$y(x) = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/(1+e^{-x_1}) \\ \vdots \\ 1/(1+e^{-x_n}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{ Back-propagation}$$

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# • Activation layer – Rectified function | PT6ha |

#### **Forward-propagation**

$$\mathbf{y}(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} [x_1 > 0] \cdot x_1 \\ \vdots \\ [x_n > 0] \cdot x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

#### **Back-propagation**

$$\nabla_{x}E = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial x_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial x_{n}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} \frac{\partial y_{1}}{\partial x_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} \frac{\partial y_{n}}{\partial x_{n}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{1}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_{n}} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{E}$$

Please find the matrix **E** by yourself.

#### Softmax layer

rward-propagation

There is only the inner-product layer containing parameters which need to be optimized. Please follow the **gradient descent** approach to iteratively update the parameters.

$$\mathbf{W}^{new} = \mathbf{W}^{old} - \eta \nabla_{\mathbf{W}} E$$

$$\boldsymbol{b}^{new} = \boldsymbol{b}^{old} - \eta \nabla_{\boldsymbol{b}} E$$

#### **♦** Tasks

#### 1. Layers as Matlab Functions

Implement the forward-propagation and back-propagation of every layer into Matlab functions (**LayerName**)\_ForProp(.) and (**LayerName**)\_BackProp(.). You are suggested to modify the templates attached in the HW package to accomplish the task.

#### 2. One-hidden-layer Neural Network

Based on the Matlab functions created in the task 1, you are able to build **one-hidden-layer NNs**. Please use such models to deal with the MNIST classification problem. (Choose the **sigmoid function** as the activation function.) Predict the 2000x4 target matrix **T\_test** given the input data **X\_test** and save it in the file **OneHidNN\_T\_test.mat**.

#### 3. Two-hidden-layer Neural Network

One step further, you are asked to build <u>two-hidden-layer NNs</u>. Please use such models to deal with the MNIST classification problem. (Choose the <u>rectified function</u> as the activation function.) Predict the 2000x4 target matrix **T\_test** given the input data **X\_test** and save it in the file **TwoHidNN\_T\_test.mat**.

## What should be uploaded?

	Your Matlab source code with comments.
	The <b>OneHidNN_T_test.mat</b> file which contains <b>T_test</b> .
	The <b>TwoHidNN_T_test.mat</b> file which contains <b>T_test</b> .
	The <b>ReadMe.txt</b> file which describes how to run your program.
	Your <b>report</b> in the format of .pdf or .doc.
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