

## HW9

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**Q1 (8 points):** Logistic function:

**1a (3 pts):** What's a logistic function? Write down the formula.

It is a function that generates an s shape curve where there is first an exponential growth, then linear, and then growth stops.

$$f(x) = \frac{L}{1 + e^{-kx-x_0}} \quad (1)$$

**1b (2 pts):** What is the standard logistic function? Write down the formula.

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} + \tanh * \frac{x}{2} \quad (2)$$

**1c (3 pts):** What is the derivative of the standard logistic function  $f(x)$ ? Write down the formula.

$$\frac{d}{dx}f(x) = \frac{e^x}{(1 + e^x)^2} \quad (3)$$

**Q2 (8 points):** Sigmoid function:

**2a (4 pts):** What is a sigmoid function? Write down the definition.

It is a function that is a bounded differentiable real function that is defined for all real values and has a non-negative derivative at each point.

**2b (4 pts):** What is the relation between sigmoid function and logistic function?

A sigmoid function is a subset of a logistic function where  $L=1$ ,  $K = 1$  and  $x_0 = 1$

**Q3 (8 points):** Tanh function:

**3a (4 pts):** Write down the formula for the tanh function.

$$\tanh(x) = \frac{1 - e^{-2x}}{1 + e^{-2x}} \quad (4)$$

**3b (4 pts):** What is the relation between sigmoid function and tanh function?

$\tanh$  is a type of sigmoid function

**Q4 (8 points):** The softmax function:

**4a (4 pts):** What is the softmax function? Write down the formula.

Softmax is a generalization of the logistic function that is used to squish a vector so that all values are (0,1) and the sum of all values = 1.

$$\text{softmax}(z)_i = \frac{e^{z_i}}{\sum_{k=1} e^{z_k}} \quad (5)$$

**4b (4 pts):** If a vector  $x$  is  $[1, 2, 3]$ , what is the value of  $\text{softmax}(x)$ ?

0.09003057, 0.24472847, 0.66524096

Done with the following code in python

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import numpy as np
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softmax = lambda z: np.exp(z)/np.sum(np.exp(z))
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softmax([1,2,3])
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**Q5 (18 points):** Matrix:

**5a (12 points):** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$

what is  $A \times B$ ?

$$\begin{bmatrix} 13 \\ 31 \\ 49 \end{bmatrix}$$

what is  $B \times A$ ?

Matrixes have incompatible dimensions

what is the transpose of  $A$ ?

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

what is the tranpose of  $B$ ?

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

what are the dimensions of  $B$ ?

1 by 3

what are the dimensions of the transpose of  $B$ ?

3 by 1

**5b (6 points):** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

What is  $A \times B$ ?

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 4 \\ 10 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

what is  $B \times A$ ?

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 7 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Is matrix multiplication communicative?  
Not normally except for identity matrixes