

Problem-4 : Neural Networks

Given in the question, the neural network contains two hidden layers. Considering all the assumptions, we can write the equation as —

$$\begin{array}{c} W^1 \searrow \\ x \nearrow W^1 x \\ \underbrace{\quad}_{z^1} \end{array} \quad \underbrace{\sigma(z^1)}_{a^1} \longrightarrow \underbrace{W^2 a^1}_{z^2} \quad \underbrace{\sigma(z^2)}_{a^2} \longrightarrow \underbrace{W^3 a^2}_{z^3} \quad \underbrace{\frac{e^{z_i^3}}{\sum_j e^{z_j^3}}}_{a^3 = y_i}$$

Using Backpropagation Procedure,

1. Break up equations

$$\bullet \hat{a}^3 = \frac{e^{z^3}}{\sum_j e^{z_j^3}}$$

$$\bullet z^3 = W^3 a^2$$

$$\bullet a^2 = \sigma(z^2)$$

$$\bullet z^2 = W^2 a^1$$

$$\bullet a^1 = \sigma(z^1)$$

$$\bullet z^1 = W^1 x.$$

Here, $\sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-z}}$

→ The loss function is given by $L = \|y - \hat{y}\|^2 = (y_1 - \hat{y}_1)^2 + (y_2 - \hat{y}_2)^2$

→ We need to derive $\frac{\partial L}{\partial w^3}$, $\frac{\partial L}{\partial w^2}$ and $\frac{\partial L}{\partial w^1}$

i) To find $\frac{\partial L}{\partial w^3}$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w^3} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial a^3} \cdot \frac{\partial a^3}{\partial z^3} \cdot \frac{\partial z^3}{\partial w^3} \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Here

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial a^3} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \hat{y}} = 2(y - \hat{y}) \cdot (-1) = \underline{\underline{-2(y - \hat{y})}}$$

For $\frac{\partial a^3}{\partial z^3}$, w.k.t, $a^3 = \hat{y} = \frac{e^{z^3}}{\sum_j e^{z_j^3}}$

There are two cases,

if $i \neq j$,

$$\frac{\partial a^3}{\partial z^3_j} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z^3_j} \left(\frac{e^{z^3_i}}{e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq j} e^{z^3_k}} \right) = \frac{(e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq j} e^{z^3_k}) \cdot 0 - e^{z^3_i} (e^{z^3_j})}{(e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq j} e^{z^3_k})^2}$$

$$= \frac{-e^{z^3_i}}{(\sum e^{z^3_k})} \times \frac{e^{z^3_j}}{(\sum e^{z^3_k})}$$

$$= \cancel{-a_i a_j} - \underline{a_i a_j} \quad [\text{if } i \neq j]$$

if $i = j$,

$$\frac{\partial a^3}{\partial z^3_i} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z^3_i} \left(\frac{e^{z^3_i}}{e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq i} e^{z^3_k}} \right) = \frac{(e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq i} e^{z^3_k}) \frac{\partial}{\partial z^3_i} (e^{z^3_i}) - e^{z^3_i} \frac{\partial}{\partial z^3_i} (e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq i} e^{z^3_k})}{(e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq i} e^{z^3_k})^2}$$

$$= \frac{(e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq i} e^{z^3_k}) (e^{z^3_i}) - e^{z^3_i} \cdot e^{z^3_i}}{(e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq i} e^{z^3_k})^2}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{e^{z^3_i} \cdot e^{z^3_i}} + e^{z^3_i} \sum_{k \neq i} e^{z^3_k} - \cancel{e^{z^3_i} \cdot e^{z^3_i}}}{(e^{z^3_i} + \sum_{k \neq i} e^{z^3_k})^2}$$

$$= \frac{e^{z^3_i}}{(\sum e^{z^3_k})} \times \frac{\sum_{k \neq i} e^{z^3_k}}{(\sum e^{z^3_k})} = \frac{e^{z^3_i}}{(\sum e^{z^3_k})} \times \left[1 - \frac{e^{z^3_i}}{\sum e^{z^3_k}} \right]$$

$$= a_i (1 - a_i)$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{\partial a^3}{\partial z^3} = \begin{cases} -a_i^3 a_j^3 & i \neq j \\ a_i (1 - a_i) & i = j \end{cases}$$

For $\frac{\partial z^3}{\partial w^3} = a^2$

Substituting the values into the equation ①,

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w^3} = \begin{cases} -2(y-\hat{y}) \times (-a_i^3 a_j^3) \times a^2 & i \neq j \\ -2(y-\hat{y}) \times (a_i (1-a_i)) \times a^2 & i=j \end{cases}$$

ii) To find $\frac{\partial L}{\partial w^2}$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w^2} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial a^3} \frac{\partial a^3}{\partial z^3} \frac{\partial z^3}{\partial a^2} \frac{\partial a^2}{\partial z^2} \frac{\partial z^2}{\partial w^2} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

For $\frac{\partial z^3}{\partial a^2} = w^3$

For $\frac{\partial a^2}{\partial z^2} = a^2 (1-a^2)$

For $\frac{\partial z^2}{\partial w^2} = a^1$

Substituting the values we found out previously into equation ②,

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w^2} = \begin{cases} -2(y-\hat{y}) \times (-a_i^3 a_j^3) \times w^3 \times (a^2 (1-a^2)) \times a^1 & i \neq j \\ -2(y-\hat{y}) \times (a_i (1-a_i)) \times w^3 \times (a^2 (1-a^2)) \times a^1 & i=j \end{cases}$$

iii) To find $\frac{\partial L}{\partial w_1}$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w_1} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial a^3} \cdot \frac{\partial a^3}{\partial z^3} \cdot \frac{\partial z^3}{\partial a^2} \cdot \frac{\partial a^2}{\partial z^2} \cdot \frac{\partial z^2}{\partial a^1} \cdot \frac{\partial a^1}{\partial z_1} \cdot \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial w_1} \quad - (3)$$

$$\text{For } \frac{\partial z^2}{\partial a^1} = w^2$$

$$\text{For } \frac{\partial a^1}{\partial z_1} = a^1(1-a^1)$$

$$\text{For } \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial w_1} = x$$

Substituting the values we found previously into equation

(3),

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w_1} = \begin{cases} -2(y-\hat{y})(a_i^3 a_j^3) w^3 (a^2(1-a^2)) w^2 a^1(1-a^1) x & i \neq j \\ -2(y-\hat{y})(a_i(1-a_i)) w^3 (a^2(1-a^2)) w^2 a^1(1-a^1) x & i = j \end{cases}$$
