

$$1.1) \frac{\partial E_d}{\partial \text{net}_j} = \frac{\partial E_d}{\partial o_j} \cdot \frac{\partial o_j}{\partial \text{net}_j}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial E_d}{\partial o_j} &= \frac{1}{2} (t_j - o_j)^2 \\ &= 2 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial o_j} (t_j - o_j) \\ &= -(t_j - o_j) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a) \tanh(x) &= \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}} \rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}} \right) = \frac{\frac{d}{dx}(e^x - e^{-x})(e^x + e^{-x}) - \frac{d}{dx}(e^x + e^{-x})(e^x - e^{-x})}{(e^x + e^{-x})^2} \\ &= \frac{e^x + e^{-x}(e^x + e^{-x}) - (e^x - e^{-x})(e^x - e^{-x})}{(e^x + e^{-x})^2} \\ &= \frac{(e^x + e^{-x})^2 - (e^x - e^{-x})^2}{(e^x + e^{-x})^2} \rightarrow 1 - \frac{(e^x - e^{-x})^2}{(e^x + e^{-x})^2} \\ &= 1 - \tanh^2(x) \end{aligned}$$


$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial E_d}{\partial \text{net}_j} &= \frac{\partial E_d}{\partial o_j} \cdot \frac{\partial o_j}{\partial \text{net}_j} \\ &= -(t_j - o_j)(1 - \tanh^2(o_j)) \end{aligned}$$

Update  
weight rule

$$\Delta w_{ji} = -\alpha \frac{\partial E_d}{\partial w_{ji}} \rightarrow \alpha (t_j - o_j)(1 - \tanh^2(o_j)) x_{ji}$$

$$b) \text{ReLU}(x) = \max(0, x) \rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} (\max(0, x))$$

ReLU      ReLU'

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\text{ReLU}) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } x > 0 \\ \text{undefined} & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$


$$\frac{\partial E_d}{\partial \text{net}_j} = \frac{\partial E_d}{\partial o_j} \cdot \frac{\partial o_j}{\partial \text{net}_j} \rightarrow -(t_j - o_j) \frac{d}{do_j} (\text{ReLU}(o_j))$$

$$\Delta w_{ji} = -\alpha \frac{\partial E_d}{\partial w_{ji}} \rightarrow \alpha (t_j - o_j) \frac{d}{do_j} (\text{ReLU}(o_j))$$



## 1.2 Gradient Descent

Derive a gradient descent training rule for a single unit neuron with output  $o$ , defined as:  $o = w_0 + w_1(x_1 + x_1^2) + \dots + w_n(x_n + x_n^2)$

where  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are the inputs,  $w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n$  are the corresponding weights

$$Error = \frac{1}{2}(t - o)^2 \quad \text{Gradient descent: } \frac{\partial}{\partial w_i} \left( \frac{1}{2}(t - o)^2 \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial w_i} = \sum (t - o) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_i} (t - o)$$

$$= \sum (t - o) \frac{\partial}{\partial w_i} \left( t - w_0 - \sum_{j=1}^n w_j (x_j + x_j^2) \right)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n (t - o) (-x_i - x_i^2)$$

## 1.3 Comparing Activation function

- (a) Write down the output the neural net gives in terms of weights, inputs and a general activation function  $h(x)$ .

$$h(w_{53} h(w_{31} x_1 + w_{32} x_2) + w_{54} h(w_{41} x_1 + w_{42} x_2))$$

(b)

Input layer:  $x$

Hidden layer:  $h(w^{(1)}(x))$

Output layer:  $h(w^{(2)} h(w^{(1)}(x)))$

$$y_5 = h(w^{(2)} h(w^{(1)}(x)))$$

(c)

$$\text{Sig } S = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}}$$

$$\tanh'(x) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$$

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

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

$$= \frac{2}{1 + e^{-2x}} - 1$$

$$= 2S(-2x) - 1$$

We can show that neural nets created using the above two activation functions can generate the same function, with the parameters differing only by linear transformations and constants.