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Assignment 8

Task 1: Formalizing Neural Networks

Model chain-based architecture:

Input layer: $x = h^{(0)}, x \in \mathbb{R}^{12 \times 1}$

First layer: $h^{(1)} = g^{(1)}(W^{(1)\top}x + b^{(1)}) \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$ with $W^{(1)} \in \mathbb{R}^{12 \times n}, b^{(1)} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$

Second layer: $h^{(2)} = g^{(2)}(W^{(2)\top}h^{(1)} + b^{(2)}) \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times 1}$ with $W^{(2)} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}, b^{(2)} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times 1}$

Output layer: $\hat{y} = h^{(3)} = \text{softmax}(W^{(3)\top}h^{(2)} + b^{(3)}) \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 1}$ with $W^{(3)} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times 3}, b^{(3)} \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 1}$

Active function: $g^{(i)}(z) = \tanh(z)$ with $i = 1, 2$.

Other function: $\text{softmax}(z)_i = \frac{e^{z_i}}{\sum_j e^{z_j}}$

Loss function (cross entropy): $L = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i^N - \sum_{c=1}^M \hat{y}_{ic} \log(p_{ic}) = -\frac{1}{32} \sum_{i=1}^{32} \sum_{c=1}^3 \hat{y}_{ic} \log(p_{ic})$

Task 2: Feedforward Neural Network: Theory

1. Compute the forward-pass for the input $x = (2, -0.5)$:

From the given task we know:

$$\begin{aligned} x &= h_0 = (x_1, x_2) = (2, -0.5) \\ w_{11}^{(h)} &= 0.5, w_{12}^{(h)} = -0.2, w_{21}^{(h)} = 0.6, w_{22}^{(h)} = 0.5, \\ w_1^{(o)} &= 1, w_2^{(o)} = -1 \end{aligned}$$

and for calculating we use the ReLU active function $g(z) = \max\{0, z\}$.

$$\text{First layer: } h_1 = w_{11}^{(h)} x_1 + w_{12}^{(h)} x_2 = 0.5 \cdot 2 + (-0.5) \cdot 0.6 = 0.7 \implies h'_1 = g(h_1) = 0.7$$

$$\text{Second layer: } h_2 = w_{12}^{(h)} x_1 + w_{22}^{(h)} x_2 = (-0.2) \cdot 2 + 0.5 \cdot (-0.5) = -0.65 \implies h'_2 = g(h_2) = 0$$

$$\text{Output: } o = w_1^{(o)} h'_1 + w_2^{(o)} h'_2 = 1 \cdot 0.7 + (-1) \cdot 0 = 0.7 \implies o' = g(o) = 0.7$$

2. Compute the squared error loss for true value $y = 1.5$:

$$L(o', y) = (o' - y)^2 = (0.7 - 1.5)^2 = 0.64$$

3. Adjust the weight $w_{11}^{(h)}$ via back-propagation:

We know:

$$\frac{\partial g(z)}{\partial z} = \begin{cases} 1 & z \geq 0 \\ 0 & z < 0 \end{cases}$$

Then we can calculate:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L(o', y)}{\partial o'} &= \frac{\partial (o' - y)^2}{\partial o'} = 2(o' - y) = -1.6 \\ \frac{\partial o'}{\partial h'_1} &= \frac{\partial g(o)}{\partial h'_1} = \frac{\partial g(w_1^{(o)} h'_1 + w_2^{(o)} h'_2)}{\partial h'_1} = w_1^{(o)} = 1 \\ \frac{\partial h'_1}{\partial w_{11}^{(h)}} &= \frac{\partial g(h_1)}{\partial w_{11}^{(h)}} = \frac{\partial g(w_{11}^{(h)} x_1 + w_{21}^{(h)} x_2)}{\partial w_{11}^{(h)}} = x_1 = 2\end{aligned}$$

So we can compute the combination of gradient descent:

$$\frac{\partial L(o', y)}{\partial w_{11}^{(h)}} = \frac{\partial L(o', y)}{\partial o'} \frac{\partial o'}{\partial h'_1} \frac{\partial h'_1}{\partial w_{11}^{(h)}} = (-1.6) \cdot 1 \cdot 2 = -3.2$$

Now we can get the new weight $w_{11}^{(h)+}$:

$$w_{11}^{(h)+} = w_{11}^{(h)} - \eta \frac{\partial L(o', y)}{\partial w_{11}^{(h)}} = 0.5 - (0.1) \cdot (-3.2) = 0.82$$