CSC311 HW3

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Question 1

(a)

The dimension of x is [d,1]: dimensional row vector. From $(z_2=h+x)$ we can deduce that, z_2 , h, x all three has the same dimension therefore the dimension of z_2 , h is also [d,1]. From $h=\sigma(z_1)$, as σ is an activation function, it does not have any affect on dimension, dimension of $\sigma(z_1)$ is the same as z_1 , which is the same as h. Therefore the dimension of z_1 is also [d,1]. From $z_1=W^{(1)}x$, since we know the dimension of z_1 and x, $W^{(1)}x$ is a matrix dot product, whose result is of dimension z_1 [d,1]. Let the dimension of $W^{(1)}$ be [d1,d2]. Since $[d,1]=[d1,d2]\cdot [d,1]$ we can say that d1=d and d2=d. Therefore the dimension of $W^{(1)}$ is [d,d]. From: $L=\frac{1}{2}(y-t)^2$ with $t\in \mathbf{R}$ we know t is a real number therefore y also has to be a real number. Dimension of y and y must be [1,1]. We also know that from $y=W^{(2)}z_2$ we know that $W^{(2)}z_2$ is a matrix dot product. Let the dimension of $W^{(2)}$ be [d3,d4], $[1,1]=[d3,d4]\cdot[d,1]$. From this we can conclude that d3=1 and d4=d, Therefore the dimension of $W^{(2)}$ is [1,d]. In conclusion the Dimensions are:

- $W^{(1)}$: [d,d]
- $W^{(2)}$: [1, d]
- z_1 : [d, 1]
- z_2 : [d, 1]

(b)

We need to know the number of elements in $W^{(1)}$ and $W^{(2)}$ to calculate the number of parameters in the network. The size of $W^{(1)}$ is [d,d] therefore there are $d \ge d = d^2$ parameters in $W^{(1)}$. The size of $W^{(2)}$ is [1,d], so there are $1 \ge d = d$ parameters in $W^{(2)}$. The total parameters in the network as a function of d is: parameters in $W^{(1)}$ + parameters in $W^{(2)} = d^2 + d$

(c)

• With respect to y:

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (\frac{1}{2} (y - t)^2) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (y - t)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times 2 (y - t) \frac{\partial y}{\partial y} \\ &= (y - t) \times 1 \\ &= (y - t) \end{split}$$

• With respect to $W^{(2)}$:

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial L}{\partial W^{(2)}} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial W^{(2)}} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} &= (y-t) \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial W^{(2)}} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial W^{(2)}} (W^{(2)} z_2) \\ &= z_2 \times \frac{\partial W^{(2)}}{\partial W^{(2)}} \\ &= z_2 \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial W^{(2)}} &= z_2 (y-t) \end{split}$$

• With respect to z_2 :

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_2} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} \\ \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial z_2} (W^{(2)} z_2) \\ &= W^{(2)} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_2} &= W^{(2)} (y-t) \end{split}$$

• With respect to h:

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial L}{\partial h} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} \times \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial h} \\ \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial h} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial h} (h+x) = 1 \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial h} &= (y-t) \times W^{(2)} \times 1 = W^{(2)} (y-t) \end{split}$$

• With respect to z_1 :

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_1} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} \times \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial h} \times \frac{\partial h}{\partial z_1} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} \times \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial h} &= W^{(2)}(y-t) \\ \frac{\partial h}{\partial z_1} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial z_1}(\sigma(z_1)) \\ &= \sigma'(z_1) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_1} &= \sigma'(z_1)W^{(2)}(y-t) \end{split}$$

• With respect to $W^{(1)}$:

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial L}{\partial W^{(1)}} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} \times \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial h} \times \frac{\partial h}{\partial z_1} \times \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial W^{(1)}} \\ \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial W^{(1)}} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial W^{(1)}} (W^{(1)} x) \\ &= x \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial W^{(1)}} &= \sigma'(z_1) W^{(2)} (y - t) x \end{split}$$

• With respect to x:

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial L}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} \times \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial h} \times \frac{\partial h}{\partial z_1} \times \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} \times \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} \times \frac{\partial h}{\partial z_1} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_1} = \sigma'(z_1) W^{(2)}(y-t) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \times \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_2} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_2} = W^{(2)}(y-t) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_1} \times \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial z_2} \times \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial x} \\ &= \sigma'(z_1) W^{(2)}(y-t) \times \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial x} + W^{(2)}(y-t) \times \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial z_1}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (W^{(1)}) = W^{(1)} \\ \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial x} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (h+x) = 1 \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial x} &= W^{(2)}(y-t) \left[\sigma'(z_1) W^{(1)} + 1 \right] \end{split}$$

Question 2

(a)

• When k = k'

$$\frac{\partial y_k}{\partial z_{k'}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z_{k'}}
= \frac{e^{z_{k'}}}{\sum_{j=1}^K e^{z_j}}
= \frac{e^{z_{k'}}}{\sum_{j=1}^K e^{z_j}} - \frac{e^{z_{k'}}}{\left(\sum_{j=1}^K e^{z_j}\right)^2} e^{z_{k'}}
= y_k - y_k^2$$

• When $k \neq k'$

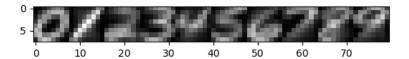
$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial y_k}{\partial z_{k'}} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial z_{k'}} \frac{e^{z_k}}{\sum_{j=1}^K e^{z_j}} \\ &= -\frac{e^{z_k}}{\left(\sum_{j=1}^K e^{z_j}\right)^2} e^{z_{k'}} \\ &= -y_k y_{k'} \end{split}$$

(b)

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial L_{CE}(t,y(x;W))}{\partial w_k} &= \frac{\partial L_{CE}}{\partial z_k} \frac{\partial z_k}{\partial w_k} \\ \frac{\partial L_{CE}}{\partial z_k} &= -\sum_k t \frac{\partial \log y}{\partial z_k} = -\sum_k t \frac{1}{y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial z_k} \\ &= -t_k (1 - y_k) - \sum_{k \neq i} t \frac{1}{y} (-y_k y) \\ &= -t_k (1 - y_k) + \sum_{k \neq i} t (y_k) \\ &= -t_k + t_k y_k + \sum_{k \neq i} t (y_k) \\ &= -t_k + t_k y_k + \sum_{k \neq i} t (y_k) \\ &= y_k \left(\sum_k t\right) - t_k = y_k - t_k \\ \frac{\partial z_k}{\partial w_k} &= x \\ \frac{\partial L_{CE}(t, y(x; W))}{\partial w_k} &= \frac{\partial L_{CE}}{\partial z_k} \frac{\partial z_k}{\partial w_k} = (y_k - t_k) x \end{split}$$

Question 3

(0)



3.1 K-NN Classifier

(1)

- (a) For K=1 the training set classification accuracy is 1.000000 and the testing set classification accuracy is 0.968750
- (b) For K=15 the training set classification accuracy is 0.963714 and the testing set classification accuracy is 0.960750

(2)

In the situation of a tie, you can decrease the size of K until the tie is broken. Since the K-NN measures how close the target is related to the trained model, decreasing the value of K counts the points that are much more closely related to the target data. This will guarantee that the tie is broken and won't affect the accuracy of the method.

(3)

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Using K= 1 classifier accuracy is: 0.964429 Using K= 2 classifier accuracy is: 0.964429 Using K= 3 classifier accuracy is: 0.965143 Using K= 4 classifier accuracy is: 0.965571 Using K= 5 classifier accuracy is: 0.9634294 Using K= 6 classifier accuracy is: 0.964571 Using K= 7 classifier accuracy is: 0.960714 Using K= 8 classifier accuracy is: 0.961571 Using K= 9 classifier accuracy is: 0.958000 Using K= 10 classifier accuracy is: 0.956857 Using K= 11 classifier accuracy is: 0.955571 Using K= 12 classifier accuracy is: 0.955000 Using K= 13 classifier accuracy is: 0.953143 Using K= 14 classifier accuracy is: 0.954286
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Among all the K-NN, the classifier performed the best when K is 4. When K=4, the training set classification accuracy is 0.986429, the testing set classification accuracy is 0.972750 and the average accuracy across folds is 0.965571

3.2 Classifiers Comparison

see $q3_2$.py

3.3 Model Comparison

The accuracy of the SVM on the test set is: 0.93225
The accuracy of ADABoost with the SAMME algorithm is: 0.8945
The SVM performed better than the ADABoost but the K-NN model outperformed both of the models.