

## HW1

### Question 1.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L}(w) &:= -\sum_{i=1}^n y_i \log \sigma(w \cdot x_i) + (1 - y_i) \log \sigma(-w \cdot x_i) \\
 \mathcal{L}(w) &:= -\sum_{i=1}^n y_i \log \sigma(w \cdot x_i) + \log \sigma(-w \cdot x_i) - y_i \log \sigma(-w \cdot x_i) \\
 \nabla \mathcal{L}(w) &:= -\sum_{i=1}^n y_i \frac{\delta(\sigma(w \cdot x_i))}{\sigma(w \cdot x_i)} + \frac{\delta(\sigma(-w \cdot x_i))}{\sigma(-w \cdot x_i)} - y_i \frac{\delta(\sigma(-w \cdot x_i))}{\sigma(-w \cdot x_i)} \\
 \nabla \mathcal{L}(w) &:= -\sum_{i=1}^n y_i \frac{(1 - \sigma(w \cdot x_i)) \sigma(w \cdot x_i) x_i}{\sigma(w \cdot x_i)} + \frac{(1 - \sigma(-w \cdot x_i)) \sigma(-w \cdot x_i) (-x_i)}{\sigma(-w \cdot x_i)} - y_i \frac{(1 - \sigma(-w \cdot x_i)) \sigma(-w \cdot x_i) (-x_i)}{\sigma(-w \cdot x_i)} \\
 \nabla \mathcal{L}(w) &:= -\sum_{i=1}^n y_i (1 - \sigma(w \cdot x_i)) x_i + (1 - \sigma(-w \cdot x_i)) (-x_i) - y_i (1 - \sigma(-w \cdot x_i)) (-x_i) \\
 \nabla \mathcal{L}(w) &:= -\sum_{i=1}^n y_i x_i - y_i x_i \sigma(w \cdot x_i) - x_i + x_i \sigma(-w \cdot x_i) + y_i x_i - y_i x_i \sigma(-w \cdot x_i) \\
 \nabla \mathcal{L}(w) &:= -\sum_{i=1}^n y_i x_i - (y_i x_i \sigma(w \cdot x_i) + y_i x_i \sigma(-w \cdot x_i)) - x_i + x_i \sigma(-w \cdot x_i) + y_i x_i \\
 \nabla \mathcal{L}(w) &:= -\sum_{i=1}^n -x_i + x_i \sigma(-w \cdot x_i) + y_i x_i \\
 \nabla \mathcal{L}(w) &:= -\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i - x_i \sigma(w \cdot x_i)
 \end{aligned}$$

### Question 2.

#### 2.1

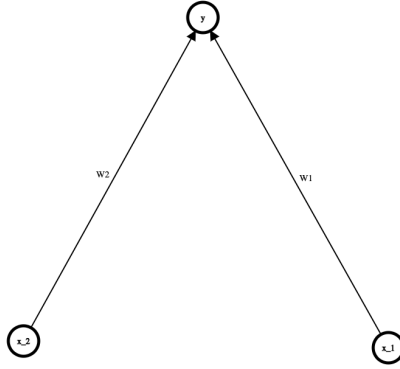


FIGURE 1. Two layer network.

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= w_5(w_1x_1 + w_2x_2) + w_6(w_3x_1 + w_4x_2) + w_0 \\
 y &= w_5w_1x_1 + w_5w_2x_2 + w_6w_3x_1 + w_6w_4x_2 + w_0 \\
 y &= (w_5w_1 + w_6w_3)x_1 + (w_5w_2 + w_6w_4)x_2 + w_0
 \end{aligned}$$

In the new two-layer network, the weights are:  $W1 = (w_5w_1 + w_6w_3)$ ,  $W1 = (w_5w_2 + w_6w_4)$

#### 2.2

Since every three-layer network can be written into a two-layer network, i will use the model from 2.1 to prove we get the following:

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_1 + W_2 + W_0 &\geq 0 \\
 -W_1 + W_2 + W_0 &< 0 \\
 W_1 - W_2 + W_0 &< 0 \\
 -W_1 - W_2 + W_0 &\geq 0
 \end{aligned}$$

After some simplification, i found a contradiction, thus NO weight configuration can classify the XOR pattern without error:

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_0 &\geq 0 \\
 W_0 &< 0
 \end{aligned}$$

#### 2.3

$y_1 = \text{sign}(x_1 + x_2 - 0.5)$  , this is identical to an OR function

$y_2 = -1 * \text{sign}(x_1 + x_2 - 1.5)$  , this is identical to a NAND function

This Results an XOR gate if we set  $w_5 = 0, w_6 = 0$

### Question 3.

#### 3.1

$h(x, a) = a$ , this function achieves 0 classification error since  $\Pr(Y = a \mid A = a) = 1$

#### 3.2.1

error rate is  $0.5 * p + 0.5 * (1 - p) = 0.5$

#### 3.2.2

The above randomized classifier satisfies statistically parity because the coin is fair for each group,  $\Pr(\hat{Y} = 1) = 0.5$  for each group

#### 3.3.1

suppose this deterministic classifier has the following traits:

$$\Pr(\hat{Y} = 1 \mid A = 0) = \alpha$$

$$\Pr(\hat{Y} = 1 \mid A = 1) = 1 - \alpha$$

Then,

$$\mathbb{E}_\mu[h(X, A) \neq Y \mid A = 0] + \mathbb{E}_\mu[h(X, A) \neq Y \mid A = 1] = 1 - \Pr(\hat{Y} = 1 \mid A = 1) + 1 - \Pr(\hat{Y} = 0 \mid A = 0) = 1 + 1 - (\alpha + 1 - \alpha) = 1$$

#### 3.3.2

$$\text{error} = p * \alpha + (1 - p) * (1 - \alpha) \geq (1 - p) * \alpha + (1 - p) * (1 - \alpha) = 1 - p$$

### Question 4.