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Introduction to Deep Learning

What is an Artificial Neural Network?

- Computational model inspired by a biological central nervous system(brain)
- Purpose of ANN use its capabilities to perform a machine learning and pattern recognition tasks like humans.
- ANN consist of connected neurons
- Perceptron is a type of an artificial neuron



Pic. 1. Schematics of a perceptron



Pic. 2. Human brain and active central nervous system



Pic. 3. Active neuron

Perceptron and Sigmoid neuron (1)

- A perceptron takes several binary *inputs* x₁,
 x₂ and produces a single binary *output*
- *Weights* real numbers expressing importance of respective inputs to the output
- *Bias* threshold value

output =
$$\begin{cases} 0 \text{ if } \sum_{j} w_{j} x_{j} \leq \text{ threshold} \\ 1 \text{ if } \sum_{j} w_{j} x_{j} > \text{ threshold} \end{cases}$$

$$w \cdot x \equiv \sum_{j} w_{j} x_{j}$$

where w and x are vectors whose components are the weights and input







with 2 hidden layers

Perceptron and Sigmoid neuron (2)



Sigmoid neurons are similar to perceptron's, but modified so that small changes in their weights and bias cause only a small change in their output.

$$\sigma(z) \equiv \sigma(w \cdot x + b) \equiv \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}} \equiv \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\sum_{j} w_{j} x_{j} - b)} \qquad \text{sigmoid function}$$

Example: hand written digit recognition



- We denote training input x as a $28 \times 28 = 784$ dimensional vector (gray scale pixels).
- Corresponding desired output by y = y(x)

Learning with gradient descent (1)

$$C(w,b) \equiv \frac{1}{2n} \sum_{x} ||y(x) - a||^2$$

• where *w* denotes all weights in the network, *b* all the biases, *n* is the total number of training inputs. *a* is the vector of outputs from the network when *x* is input

- *C* is a cost function used to quantify how well algorithm can find weights and biases (i.e. *mean squared error*)
- Training a neural network means to find set of weights and biases which makes the quadratic cost function as small as possible

Learning with gradient descent (2)

- Lets assume that *C* is a function of two variables v_1 and v_2
- Our goal to find where C achieves its global minimum

$$\Delta C \approx \frac{\partial C}{\partial v_1} \Delta v_1 + \frac{\partial C}{\partial v_2} \Delta v_2$$

$$\Delta v \equiv (\Delta v_1, \Delta v_2)^T, \qquad \nabla C \equiv (\frac{\partial C}{\partial v_1}, \frac{\partial C}{\partial v_2})^T.$$

$$\Delta C \approx \nabla C \cdot \Delta v \qquad \longrightarrow \qquad \Delta v = -\eta \nabla C \qquad \longrightarrow \qquad \Delta C \approx -\eta \nabla C \cdot \nabla C = -\eta \|\nabla C\|^2$$

$$v \rightarrow v' = v - \eta \nabla C$$

$$w_k \to w'_k = w_k - \eta \frac{\partial C}{\partial w_k}, \quad b_l \to b'_l - \eta \frac{\partial C}{\partial w_l}$$

Now we can replace vector of changes with weights and biases





Backpropagation algorithm (1)

- Backpropagation lets us to compute the partial derivatives $\partial Cx/\partial w$ and $\partial Cx/\partial b$ for a single training example.
- it shows how changing the weights and biases in a network changes the cost function (overall behavior of the network).

$$\delta^L = \nabla_a C \odot \sigma'(z^L) \tag{BP1}$$

$$\delta^{l} = ((w^{l+1})^T \delta^{l+1}) \odot \sigma'(z^l)$$
(BP2)

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l} = \delta_j^l \tag{BP3}$$

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l} = a_k^{l-1} \delta_j^l \tag{BP4}$$

Backpropagation algorithm (2)



Notations: w_{jk}^{l} is the weight from the k^{th} neuron in the $(l-1)^{th}$ layer to the j^{th} neuron in the l^{th} layer

Pic. 8. Schematics of a perceptron



Notations: we use b_j^l for the bias of the j^{th} neuron in the l^{th} layer. And we use a_j^l for the activation of the j^{th} neuron in the l^{th} layer.

Pic. 9. Schematics of a perceptron

Backpropagation algorithm (3)

The activation a_j^l of the j^{th} neuron in the l^{th} layer is related to the activation in the $(l-1)^{th}$ layer by the equation:

$$a_j^l = \sigma(\sum_k w_{jk}^l a_k^{l-1} + b_j^l),$$

Sum of the all neurons in the $(l-1)^{th}$ layer

 $a^{l} = \sigma(w^{l}a^{l-1} + b^{l})$ In the matrix form

 $z^{l} \equiv w^{l}a^{l-1} + b^{l}$ weighted input

$$\delta_j^l \equiv \frac{\partial C}{\partial z_j^l}$$
 - Error in the jth neuron in the lth layer

Backpropagation algorithm (4)

- 1. Input x: Set the corresponding activation a^1 for the input layer.
- 2. Feedforward: For each l = 2, 3, ..., L compute $z^{l} = w^{l}a^{l-1} + b^{l}$ and $a^{l} = \sigma(z^{l})$.
- 3. Output error δ^L : Compute the vector $\delta^L = \nabla_a C \odot \sigma'(z^L)$.
- 4. Backpropagate the error: For each l = L 1, L 2, ..., 2 compute $\delta^{l} = ((w^{l+1})^{T} \delta^{l+1}) \odot \sigma'(z^{l}).$
- 5. **Output:** The gradient of the cost function is given by $\frac{\partial C}{\partial u_{jk}^l} = a_k^{l-1} \delta_j^l$ and $\frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l} = \delta_j^l$.

Backpropagation algorithm (5)





















Applications



Pic. 10. Digit recognition using NN



Pic. 12. ultrasound shape recognition



Pic. 11. Speech recognition using NN



Pic. 13. Face recognition using NN



Thank you