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Deep Learning  
Homework 1



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1)

Design a three layer neural network whose decision boundary is as shown in Figure 1. The gray region belongs to class 1 and other region belongs to class 0. Show your network structure, weights and nonlinear active function.

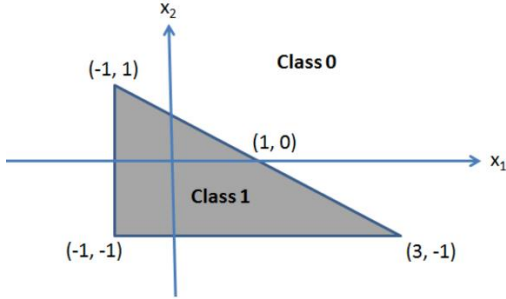


Figure 1:

2)

Consider the following function of  $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6,)$ :

$$f(\mathbf{x}) = \sigma \left( \log \left( 5 \left( \max\{x_1, x_2\} \cdot \frac{x_3}{x_4} - (x_5 + x_6) \right) \right) + \frac{1}{2} \right) \quad (9)$$

where  $\sigma$  is the sigmoid function

$$\sigma(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}} \quad (10)$$

Evaluate  $f(\cdot)$  at  $\hat{\mathbf{x}} = (5, -1, 6, 12, 7, -5)$ . Then, compute the gradient  $\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} f(\cdot)$  and evaluate it at the same point.

3)

*Least-squares derivatives.* Let  $X_1, \dots, X_N \in \mathbb{R}^p$  and  $Y_1, \dots, Y_N \in \mathbb{R}$ . Define

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} X_1^\top \\ \vdots \\ X_N^\top \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times p}, \quad Y = \begin{bmatrix} Y_1 \\ \vdots \\ Y_N \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^N.$$

Let

$$\ell_i(\theta) = \frac{1}{2} (X_i^\top \theta - Y_i)^2 \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, N, \quad \mathcal{L}(\theta) = \frac{1}{2} \|X\theta - Y\|^2.$$

Show (a)  $\nabla_{\theta} \ell_i(\theta) = (X_i^\top \theta - Y_i) X_i$  and (b)  $\nabla_{\theta} \mathcal{L}(\theta) = X^\top (X\theta - Y)$ .

*Hint.* For part (a), start by computing  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \ell_i(\theta)$ . For part (b), use the fact that

$$Mv = \sum_{i=1}^N M_{:,i} v_i \in \mathbb{R}^p$$

for any  $M \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times N}$ ,  $v \in \mathbb{R}^N$ , where  $M_{:,i}$  is the  $i$ th column of  $M$  for  $i = 1, \dots, N$ .