# **Introduction to Machine Learning:**

# **Lecture 3 – Intro to Deep Learning**





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• Lecture 2 – Intro to Neural Networks

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# Deep Learning Resourses

- Deep Learning is a HUGE field
   O(10,000) papers submitted to conferences
- I only condensed *some* parts of what you would find in *some lectures* of a Deep Learning course
  - More details from other lecturers!
- Highly recommend Online-available lectures:
  - Francois Fleuret course at University of Geneva
  - Gilles Louppe course at University of Liege

# Deep Neural Networks



- As data complexity grows, need exponentially large number of neurons in a single-layer network to capture all structure in data
- Deep networks *factorize the learning* of structure across layers
- Difficult to train, recently possible with large datasets, fast computing (GPU/TPU) & new training algs. / network structures

# Choosing the right function...

- We know a lot about our data
  - What transformations shouldn't affect predictions
  - Symmetries, structures, geometry, ...
- Inductive Bias: we can match models to this knowledge
  - Throw out irrelevant functions we know aren't the solution
  - Bias the learning process towards good solutions



# Choosing the right function...



# Convolutional Neural Networks

• When the structure of data includes "invariance to translation", a representation meaningful at a certain location can / should be used everywhere



• Convolutional layers build on this idea, that the same "local" transformation is applied everywhere and preserves the signal structure

### 1D Convolutional Layer Example



# 1D Convolutional Layers

• Data:

$$x \in \mathbb{R}^{N}$$

- Convolutional kernel of width k:  $u \in \mathbb{R}^k$
- Convolution  $x \circledast u$  is vector of size M-k+1

$$(x \circledast \mathbf{u})_i = \sum_{b=0}^{k-1} x_{i+b} u_b$$

• Scan across data and multiply by kernel elements

Convolution can implement in particular differential operators, e.g.

 $(0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 4, 4, 4) \circledast (-1, 1) = (0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0).$ 



or crude "template matcher", e.g.



Fleuret, Deep Learning Course

### 2D Convolution Over Multiple Channels



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### 2D Convolutional Layer

- Input data (tensor) x of size C×H×W
  C channels (e.g. RGB in images)
- Learnable Kernel u of size C×h×w
  The size h×w is the receptive field

$$(\mathbf{x} \circledast \mathbf{u})_{i,j} = \sum_{c=0}^{C-1} (\mathbf{x}_c \circledast \mathbf{u}_c)_{i,j} = \sum_{c=0}^{C-1} \sum_{n=0}^{h-1} \sum_{m=0}^{w-1} \mathbf{x}_{c,n+i,m+j} \mathbf{u}_{c,n,m}$$

Output size (H – h + 1)×(W – w + 1) for each kernel
 Often called *Activation Map* or *Output Feature Map*

#### Stride – Step Size When Moving Kernel Across Input



Fleuret, <u>Deep Learning Course</u>

#### Padding – Size of Zero Frame Around Input





# Shared Weights: Economic and Equivariant

- Parameters are *shared* by each neuron producing an output in the activation map
- Dramatically reduces number of weights needed to produce an activation map
  - Data: 256×256×3 RGB image
  - Kernel:  $3 \times 3 \times 3 \rightarrow 27$  weights
  - Fully connected layer:
    - 256×256×3 inputs  $\rightarrow$  256×256×3 outputs  $\rightarrow$   $O(10^{10})$  weights

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- Convolutional layer does pattern matching at any location → Equivariant to translation



# Pooling

• In each channel, find *max* or *average* value of pixels in a pooling area of size *h*×*w* 



Output



# Pooling

- In each channel, find *max* or *average* value of pixels in a pooling area of size *h*×*w*
- Invariance to permutation within Input pooling area



• Invariance to local perturbations



### Normalization

 Maintaining proper statistics of the activations and derivatives is a critical issue to allow the training of deep architectures

"Training Deep Neural Networks is complicated by the fact that **the distribution of each layer's inputs changes during training, as the parameters of the previous layers change**. This slows down the training by requiring lower learning rates and careful parameter initialization ..."

Ioffe, Szegedy, Batch Normalization, ICML 2015



Wu, He, Group Normalization, CoRR 2018

### **Batch Normalization**

- During training, batch normalization shifts and rescales according to the mean and variance estimated on the batch.
  - During test, use empirical moments estimated during training
- Per-component mean and variance on the batch

$$m_{batch} = \frac{1}{B} \sum_{\substack{b=1\\B}}^{B} x_b$$
$$v_{batch} = \frac{1}{B} \sum_{1}^{B} (x_b - m_{batch})^2$$

• Normalize and compute output  $\forall b = 1 \dots B$ 

$$z_b = \frac{x_b - m_{batch}}{\sqrt{\nu_{batch} + \epsilon}}$$

$$y_b = \gamma \odot z_b + \beta$$

-  $\gamma$  and  $\beta$  are parameters to optimize



Figure 2: Single crop validation accuracy of Inception and its batch-normalized variants, vs. the number of training steps.

# Convolutional Network

• A combination of convolution, pooling, ReLU, and fully connected layers



# **Convolutional Networks**



# **Residual Connections**

 Training very deep networks is made possible because of the skip connections in the residual blocks. Gradients can shortcut the layers and pass through without vanishing.



### Deep CNNs



**ResNet** (He et al, 2015)

# Sequential Data

- Many types of data are not fixed in size
- Many types of data have a temporal or sequence-like structure
  - Text
  - Video
  - Speech
  - DNA

— ...

- MLP expects fixed size data
- How to deal with sequences?

# Sequential Data

- Given a set  $\mathcal{X}$ , let  $S(\mathcal{X})$  be the set of sequences, where each element of the sequence  $x_i \in \mathcal{X}$ 
  - $-\mathcal{X}$  could reals  $\mathbb{R}^{M}$ , integers  $\mathbb{Z}^{M}$ , etc.
  - Sample sequence  $x = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_T\}$
- Tasks related to sequences:
  - Classification  $f: S(\mathcal{X}) \to \{ \mathbf{p} \mid \sum_{c=1}^{N} p_i = 1 \}$
  - Generation  $f: \mathbb{R}^d \to S(\mathcal{X})$
  - Seq.-to-seq. translation  $f: S(\mathcal{X}) \to S(\mathcal{Y})$

- Input sequence  $x \in S(\mathbb{R}^m)$  of *variable* length T(x)
- Recurrent model maintains **recurrent state**  $h_t \in \mathbb{R}^q$ updated at each time step *t*. For t = 1, ..., T(x):

$$\boldsymbol{h}_{t+1} = \boldsymbol{\phi}(\boldsymbol{x}_t, \boldsymbol{h}_t; \theta)$$

– Simplest model:

 $\phi(\boldsymbol{x}_t, \boldsymbol{h}_t; W, U) = \sigma(W \boldsymbol{x}_t + U \boldsymbol{h}_t)$ 

• Predictions can be made at any time *t* from the recurrent state

$$\boldsymbol{y}_t = \psi(\boldsymbol{h}_t; \theta)$$

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Prediction per sequence element



Although the number of steps T(x) depends on x, this is a standard computational graph and automatic differentiation can deal with it as usual. This is known as "backpropagation through time" (Werbos, <u>1988</u>)





Two Stacked LSTM Layers

### **Bi-Directional RNN**

Forward in time RNN Layer



Backward in time RNN Layer

# Gating

- Gating:
  - network can grow very deep,
     in time → vanishing gradients.



*Critical component*: add pass-through (additive paths) so recurrent state does not go repeatedly through squashing non-linearity.

## Long Short Term Memory (LSTM)

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- LSTM:
  - Add internal state separate from output state
  - Add input, output, and forget gating



#### Comparison on Toy Problem

Learn to recognize palindrome Sequence size between 1 to 10

x	y
(1, 2, 3, 2, 1)	1
(2,1,2)	1
$\left(3,4,1,2 ight)$	0
(0)	1
(1,4)	0



## Examples

#### **Neural machine translation**



#### **Text-to-speech synthesis**



## Many Other Architecture Choices

#### Graph Neural Networks

 $m_{C \rightarrow F}$ 

 $n_{E \to F}$ 

- Permutation invariant data with geometric relationships
  - Features can be local on graph, but meaningful anywhere on graph
- Graph layers can encode these relationships on nodes & edges





## Transformers & Deep Sets

- **Deep Sets** and **Transformers** can process permutation invariant sets of data
- *Transformers are very adaptable*: Built using layers of *attention*, Excellent at process sequences, but also images, and other data





## **Physics Inspired Models**

**QCD Structured Neural Nets** 



#### Hamiltonian Neural Nets





Smith, Ochoa, Inacio, Shoemaker, **MK**, <u>2310.12804</u>

#### Lorentz Equivariance



Lorentz Group Equivariant Block (LGEB)

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- Deep neural networks allow learning complex function by hierarchically structuring the feature learning
- We can use our inductive bias (knowledge) to define models that are well adapted to our problem
- Many neural networks structures are available for training models on a wide array of data types.

# Backup

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- Non-linear operations of data with parameters
- Layers (set of operations) designed to perform specific mathematical operations
- Chain together layers to perform desired computation
- Train system (with examples) for desired computation using gradient descent

### Many Other Architecture Choices



### Stacked RNN



Two Stacked LSTM Layers

## What if our data has no time structure?

- Data may be variable in length but have no temporal structure → Data are sets of values
- One option: If we know about the data domain, could try to impose an ordering, then use RNN

• *Better option*: use system that can operate on variable length sets in permutation invariant way

– Why permutation invariant  $\rightarrow$  so order doesn't matter







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Examples

#### Outlier detection



M. Zaheer et. al 2017



Medical Imaging

With more complex architecture



Figure 5. (a) H&E stained histology image. (b)  $27 \times 27$  patches centered around all marked nuclei. (c) Ground truth: Patches that belong to the class epithelial. (d) Heatmap: Every patch from (b) multiplied by its corresponding attention weight, we rescaled the attention weights using  $a'_k = (a_k - \min(\mathbf{a}))/(\max(\mathbf{a}) - \min(\mathbf{a}))$ .

M. Ilse et al., 2018

## Graph Neural Networks



- Sequential data has single (directed) connections from data at current time to data at next time
- What about data with more complex dependencies







- Adjacency matrix:  $A_{ij} = \delta(edge \ between \ vertex \ i \ and \ j)$
- Each node can have features
- Each edge can have features, e.g. distance between nodes





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Algorithm 1 Message passing neural networkRequire:  $N \times D$  nodes x, adjacency matrix A $h \leftarrow \text{Embed}(x)$ for  $t = 1, \dots, T$  do $m \leftarrow \text{Message}(A, h)$  $h \leftarrow \text{VertexUpdate}(h, m)$ end forr = Readout(h)return Classify(r)

#### Quantum chemistry with graph networks





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# **Examples**

#### Learning to simulate physics with graph networks



Figure 2. (a) Our GNS predicts future states represented as particles using its learned dynamics model,  $d_{\theta}$ , and a fixed update procedure. (b) The  $d_{\theta}$  uses an "encode-process-decode" scheme, which computes dynamics information, Y, from input state, X. (c) The ENCODER constructs latent graph,  $G^0$ , from the input state, X. (d) The PROCESSOR performs M rounds of learned message-passing over the latent graphs,  $G^0, \ldots, G^M$ . (e) The DECODER extracts dynamics information, Y, from the final latent graph,  $G^M$ .

## Transformers

# Challenges of Long Sequences

- Gradients may not explode or vanish, but managing a meaningful context over a long sequence is challenging.
- Bottleneck: fixed length array in model with long input



**Bi-Directional** 

**RNN Encoder-Decoder** 

# Additive Attention Mechanism

• Idea: allow RNN to look at all the hidden state sequence when producing an output. Output is generated from context *c* 

$$c_{i} = \sum_{j=1}^{T} \alpha_{ij} h_{j} \quad \text{where} \quad \alpha_{ij} = softmax (\beta_{ij})_{over j}$$
  
and 
$$\beta_{ij} = U \tanh(Ws_{i-1} + \widetilde{W}h_{j} + b_{i})$$





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# Transformers

• Idea: Get rid of the RNN and only use attention



# Scaled Dot-Product Attention

Attention 
$$(Q, K, V) = \operatorname{softmax} \left( \frac{QK^T}{\sqrt{d}} \right) V$$
 where  $\begin{array}{c} Q \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times d} \\ K \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times d} \\ V \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times d_v} \end{array}$ 



- Project the input "query" onto a "key" to compute the weights for the corresponding "value"
- Return the weighted value

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- Self-Attention: using input X to define Q,K,V
  - $Q = XW_Q K = XW_K V = XW_V$



Image credit: Wikipedia

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#### **Attention Computations**

• Lets look at a single query

$$\frac{qK^T}{\sqrt{d}} = \left(\frac{\vec{q_1} \cdot \vec{k_1}}{\sqrt{d}}, \frac{\vec{q_1} \cdot \vec{k_2}}{\sqrt{d}}, \cdots, \frac{\vec{q_1} \cdot \vec{k_m}}{\sqrt{d}}\right)_{1 \times m}$$

softmax 
$$\left(\frac{qK^T}{\sqrt{d}}\right) = (p_1, p_2, ..., p_m)_{1 \times m} = \vec{p}$$
 where  $p_i = \frac{\exp \frac{\vec{q}_1 \cdot \vec{k}_i}{\sqrt{d}}}{\sum_{j=1}^m \exp \frac{\vec{q}_1 \cdot \vec{k}_j}{\sqrt{d}}}$ 

Attention
$$(q, K, V)$$
 = softmax  $\left(\frac{QK^T}{\sqrt{d}}\right)V = \vec{p}V = \sum_{i=1}^n p_i \vec{v}_i$ 

• Generalize input to length *n* 

$$\text{Attention}(Q, K, T) = \begin{pmatrix} p_{11}\vec{v}_1 + p_{12}\vec{v}_2 + \dots + p_{1m}\vec{v}_m \\ p_{21}\vec{v}_1 + p_{22}\vec{v}_2 + \dots + p_{2m}\vec{v}_m \\ \vdots \\ p_{n1}\vec{v}_1 + p_{n2}\vec{v}_2 + \dots + p_{nm}\vec{v}_m \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sum_i^m p_{1i}\vec{v}_i \\ \sum_i^m p_{2i}\vec{v}_i \\ \vdots \\ \sum_i^m p_{ni}\vec{v}_i \end{pmatrix}_{n \times d_v}$$