

A NEURAL NETWORK PERSPECTIVE ON THE ISING GAUGE THEORY AND THE TORIC CODE

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SUPERVISED LEARNING PERSPECTIVE OF PHASES OF MATTER

PHASES, PHASE TRANSITIONS, AND THE ORDER PARAMETER



Ferromagnet

Lars Onsager Phys. Rev. 65, 117

Paramagnet

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Ferromagnetic transition: order parameter



WHAT IS SUPERVISED LEARNING?

- Supervised learning is the machine learning task of inferring a function from labeled training data.
- In supervised learning, each example is a pair consisting of an input object (typically a high-d vector x) and a desired output value y (also called the supervisory signal)
- Simplest SL algorithm: linear regression



For a linear fit f(a,b) = a + bxM (x,y) pairs

FLUCTUATIONS HANDWRITTEN DIGITS (MNIST)

Classification is the problem of identifying to which of a set of categories a new observation belongs, on the basis of a training set of data containing observations (or instances) whose category membership is known.

used by ATMs and post offices



ML community has developed powerful supervised learning algorithms



INSPIRATION: FLUCTUATIONS HANDWRITTEN DIGITS (MNIST)



S = 5 + fluctuations



High T phase



gray=spin up white=spin down





COLLECTING THE TRAINING/TESTING DATA: MC SAMPLING ISING MODEL AND LABELS2D Ising model inTraining/testing data is drawn fromthe ordered phasethe Boltzmann distribution



COLLECTING THE TRAINING/TESTING DATA: MC SAMPLING ISING MODEL AND LABELS

2D Ising model in the ordered phase



2D Ising model in the disordered phase





RESULTS: SQUARE LATTICE ISING MODEL (TEST SETS)



Check re-Flue Liu's talk for an unsupervised solution

ANALYTICAL UNDERSTANDING

Investigating the argument of the hidden layer during the training



$$W = \frac{1}{N(1+\epsilon)} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1\\ -1 & -1 & \cdots & -1\\ 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ and } b = \frac{\epsilon}{(1+\epsilon)} \begin{pmatrix} -1\\ -1\\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad Wx+b = \frac{1}{(1+\epsilon)} \begin{pmatrix} m(x) - \epsilon\\ -m(x) - \epsilon\\ m(x) + \epsilon \end{pmatrix},$$

 $x = [\sigma_1 \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_N]^{\mathrm{T}} \qquad m(x) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \sigma_i$

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CAN WE DEAL WITH DISORDERED AND TOPOLOGICAL PHASES NOT DESCRIBED BY ORDER PARAMETERS?

PHASES OF MATTER WITHOUT AN ORDER PARAMETER AT T=0

Topological phases of matter. Examples: Fractional quantum hall effect, quantum spin liquids, Ising gauge theory. Potential applications in topological quantum computing. Interestingly, these phases defy the Landau symmetry breaking classification.

Coulomb phases = Highly correlated "spin liquids" described by electrodynamics. Examples: Common water ice and spin ice materials (Ho₂Ti₂O₇ and Dy₂Ti₂O₇)

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PHASES OF MATTER WITHOUT AN ORDER PARAMETER AT T=0, ∞

Ising square ice $H = J \sum_{v} Q_v^2$ $Q_v = \sum_{i \in v} \sigma_i^z$

Degenerate classical

Coulomb phase

The ground state is a degenerate manifold with algebraically decaying spin–spin correlations.

T=0

Wegner's Ising gauge theory:

$$H = -J \sum_{p} \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z$$

F.J. Wegner, J. Math. Phys. 12 (1971) 2259

(Kogut Rev. Mod. Phys. 51, 659 (1979))

The ground state is again a degenerate manifold with exponentially decaying spin–spin correlations.

Ground state is a classical disordered topologically ordered phase

Castelnovo and Chamon Phys. Rev. B 76, 174416 (2



The grandmother of all lattice models for topological and prostrain computation lered

high temperature phase

PHASES OF MATTER WITHOUT AN ORDER PARAMETER AT T=0, ∞



Loop update + spin flip MC

Gauge update + spin flip MC



PHASES OF MATTER WITHOUT AN ORDER PARAMETER AT T=0

- Neural nets capture the subtle differences between low- and high-temperature states successfully!
- ► Square ice: 99% accuracy
- Ising gauge theory: 50% (guessing) with a fully-connected neural net. Training fails. How to overcome this issue?



For two configurations



For two configurations



Ground state

ISING GAUGE THEORY F.J. Wegner, J. Math. Phys. 12 (1971) 2259

$$H = -J \sum_{p} \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z$$





The picture we draw for what the CNN is using to distinguish the phases is that of the detection of satisfied local constraints. Not optimal since it is not generic. Check Frank's talk for a general solution

ISING GAUGE THEORY: GENERATING ADVERSARIAL EXAMPLES







Inquire the NN: What do you this ground state configuration should look like?

Maximize the readout layers with Metropolis MC

It barely of knows that GS configurations should have low energy. The resulting model is lazy due to the training setup that we used

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 $H = -J \sum_{p} \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z$



Can we do better? What is the the ideal neuron's output?

high T: [0,1]Let's construct an analytical model that does thatLow T: [1,0]

ANALYTICAL UNDERSTANDING: WHAT DOES THE CNN USE TO MAKE PREDICTIONS?

- The convolutional neural net relies on the detection of satisfied local constraints to make accurate predictions of whether a state is drawn at low or infinite temperature.
- Based on this observation we derived the weights of a streamlined convolutional network *analytically* designed to work pretty well on our test sets.



ANALYTICAL UNDERSTANDING: WHAT DOES THE CNN USE TO MAKE PREDICTIONS?

- CNN checks every plaquette whether constrains are satisfied or not (basically checks the energy of each plaquette)
- Fully connected layer counts defects (or computes the total energy) and the last perceptron decides if the configuration is ground state or not.



ANALYTICAL UNDERSTANDING: WHAT DOES THE CNN USE TO MAKE PREDICTIONS?

Adequate output neutron behavior.

It turns out that the cold neutron behaves as the Boltzmann weight of the model at zero temperature

$$O_{\text{cold}}(\sigma_1, ..., \sigma_N) \propto \lim_{\beta \to \infty} \exp \beta J \sum_p \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z$$



IMPLEMENTING LOCAL CONSTRAINTS WITH A CNN

Convolutional layer



HOW TO IMPLEMENT THIS LOCAL CONSTRAINT WITH A CONVNET

Convolutional layer

f	s=A	s=B	f	s=A	s=B
1	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	9	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $
2	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	10	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
3	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	11	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
4	$ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	12	$\left(\begin{array}{cc} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{array} \right)$	$ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $
5	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	13	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
6	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	14	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $
7	$ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	15	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $
8	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	16	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$ \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $
$b_c = -(2+\epsilon) \begin{bmatrix} 1\\ \vdots\\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$					



Different sub lattices different channel image recognition RGB

fully-connected layer

$$W_{\rm o} = \begin{pmatrix} \underbrace{3L^2 \text{ terms}}_{1 \ \dots \ 1} & \underbrace{-L^2 \ \dots \ -L^2}_{-L^2 \ \dots \ L^2} \end{pmatrix}, \text{ and } b_{\rm o} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Basically the Conv. layer encodes the Hamiltonian Fully connected layer counts defects

LOGARITHMIC CROSSOVER OF THE ISING GAUGE THEORY



slowly cross over to the high-temperature phase. The cross-over temperature T^* happens as the number of thermally excited defects $\sim N \exp(-2J\beta)$ is of the order of one, implying $T^*/J \sim 1/\ln\sqrt{N}$.²³ As the presence of local defects is the mechanism through which the CNN decides

Only one defect on average distorts the Wilson loops. Same crossover observed in the topological entanglement entropy.

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THE GROUND STATE OF THE TORIC CODE

GROUND STATE OF THE TORIC CODE IS THE RK WAVE FUNCTION OF THE ISING GAUGE THEORY

$$|\Psi_{\rm RK}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{Z(\beta)}} \sum_{\mathcal{C}} e^{-\beta/2E_{\mathcal{C}}} |\mathcal{C}\rangle$$

classical d -> quantum d

Quantum system admitting an SMF decomposition Classical system

Hilbert space with basis \mathcal{B} labeled by \mathcal{S}

Ground state wavefunction

Quantum phase transitions

Configuration space \mathcal{S}

Boltzmann distribution

Classical phase transitions

.... and more

Castelnovo et al. Annals of Physics, Vol. 318, Issue 2, August 2005, Pages 316-344

GROUND STATE OF THE TORIC CODE IS THE RK WAVE FUNCTION OF THE ISING GAUGE THEORY

$$H = -J_p \sum_{p} \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z - J_v \sum_{v} \prod_{i \in v} \sigma_i^x$$
$$|\Psi_{\text{TC}}\rangle \propto \lim_{\beta \to \infty} \sum_{\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_N} e^{\frac{\beta}{2}J \sum_p \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z} |\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_N\rangle$$

PEPS : F. Verstraete, M. M. Wolf, D. Perez-Garcia, J. I. Cirac Phys. Rev. Lett. 96, 220601 (2006).

$$O_{\rm cold}(\sigma_1,...,\sigma_N) \propto \lim_{\beta \to \infty} \exp \beta J \sum_p \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z$$

$$\Psi > = \sum_{i \in p} \sqrt{I - \sum_{i \in p} I} > I$$

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GROUND STATE OF THE TORIC CODE IS THE RK WAVE FUNCTION OF THE ISING GAUGE THEORY



Neural net represents a ground state of the toric code: equal weight superposition of closed string states Nature Physics 13, 431–434 (2017)

Optimize using VMC Sorella, Imada and Carleo 's style

Closely related to Dong-Ling Deng et al arXiv:1609.09060, Phys. Rev. X 7, 021021 (2017) Jing Chen, Song Cheng, Haidong Xie, Lei Wang, Tao Xiang arXiv:1701.04831 RBMs Xun Gao and Lu-Ming Duan, 1701.05039

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TOWARD DEEP LEARNING GROUND STATES (WORK IN PROGRESS)



CONCLUSION

- ► We encode and discriminate phases and phase transitions, both conventional and topological, using neural network technology.
- ► We have a solid understanding of what the neural nets do in those cases through controlled analytical models.

OUTLOOK

- We expect a rapid adoption of ML techniques as a tool in condensed matter physics.
- Variational interpretation of CNNs and their optimization for ground state.



QUANTUM MACHINE LEARNING POSITIONS AT D-WAVE

There are several positions at D-Wave at the intersection between

Machine learning, reinforcement learning, quantum physics, and quantum computing.

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