• Toroidal grid

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General Ascent in Fitness Note that any adaptive process $\mathbf{P}(t)$ will increase fitness provided : $0 < \dot{F} = \nabla F \cdot \dot{\mathbf{P}} = \|\nabla F\| \|\dot{\mathbf{P}}\| \cos \varphi$ where φ is angle between ∇F and $\dot{\mathbf{P}}$ Hence we need $\cos \varphi > 0$ or $|\varphi| < 90^{\circ}$

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Derivative of Squared Euclidean
Distance
$$Suppose D(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{y}) = \|\mathbf{t} - \mathbf{y}\|^2 = \sum_i (t_i - y_i)^2$$
$$\frac{\partial D(\mathbf{t} - \mathbf{y})}{\partial y_j} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y_j} \sum_i (t_i - y_i)^2 = \sum_i \frac{\partial (t_i - y_i)^2}{\partial y_j}$$
$$= \frac{d(t_i - y_i)^2}{d y_j} = -2(t_j - y_j)$$
$$\therefore \frac{d D(\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{y})}{d \mathbf{y}} = 2(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{t})$$

Gradient of Error on
$$q^{\text{th}}$$
 Input

$$\frac{\partial E^{q}}{\partial P_{k}} = \frac{dD(\mathbf{t}^{q}, \mathbf{y}^{q})}{d\mathbf{y}^{q}} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{y}^{q}}{\partial P_{k}}$$

$$= 2(\mathbf{y}^{q} - \mathbf{t}^{q}) \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{y}^{q}}{\partial P_{k}}$$

$$= 2\sum_{j} (y_{j}^{q} - t_{j}^{q}) \frac{\partial y_{j}^{q}}{\partial P_{k}}$$

$$\nabla E^{q} = 2(\mathbf{J}^{q})^{T} (\mathbf{y}^{q} - \mathbf{t}^{q})$$

Recap
$\dot{\mathbf{P}} = \eta \sum_{q} \left(\mathbf{J}^{q} \right)^{\mathrm{T}} \left(\mathbf{t}^{q} - \mathbf{y}^{q} \right)$
To know how to decrease the differences between
actual & desired outputs,
we need to know elements of Jacobian, $\frac{\partial y_{\perp}^{q}}{\partial P_{k}}$,
which says how <i>j</i> th output varies with <i>k</i> th parameter
(given the <i>q</i> th input)
The Jacobian depends on the specific form of the system, in this case, a feedforward neural network
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