## Universal approximation theorem

 $f:\,R^d o R$ 

- Can be represented as a network with only one hidden layer
- There will exist an activation function
  - The problem is that this theorem states that there exists the function, and doesn't give the neural net itself
- also in any machine learning problem you don't even know the function

## How many number of hidden units must be there to figure out the function?

- It is exponential (takes too long to understand)
- The weight matrix becomes too large to compute

l layers

- $O(\binom{n}{d})^{d(l-1)}n^d$  decision regions, for d features, and n neurons per hidden later
- if l >=5 then it's called as a deep neural network

## **Linear Models**

- Parameters are linear
  - Eg. Support vector machines
  - or use a linear activation also
- Classical ML can do nonlinear shit too btw.

if t is target  $\phi$  is transform  $\{\,(\phi(x1),\text{t1}),\,(\phi(x2),\text{t2}),\,(\phi(x3),\text{t3})....\,(\phi(xd),\text{td})\,\}$  Phi can be exponential we can use a linear model on top of this

## How to make the raw features to matured features?

- 1. the specific basis functions can be applied by the domain expert, to get the matured features, and then apply the linear model
  - Example, BMI
- 2. Kernels in SVMs, going with some kind of functions to transform. Eg. Gaussian Kernel