### **Tools Seminar**

Week 8 - Deep Learning

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### Introduction



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# ImageNet & Deep Neural Network

ImageNet [Feifei Li, Stanford] Large Scale Visual Recognition Challenge

	LeNet	AlexNet	VGG	GoogleLeNet	ResNet
# of Layers	5	8	19	22	152
Top 5 Error	N/A	16.4%	7.3%	6.7%	3.57%
Year	1994	2012	2014	2014	2015

This is why it's called "deep" learning



### 2018 Turing Award

2018 Turing Award: Geoffrey Hinton, Yoshua Bengio, Yann LeCun

"for conceptual and engineering breakthroughs that have made deep neural networks a critical component of computing"

- Geoffrey Hinton: Backpropagation, Boltzmann Machines, Improvements to Convolutional Neural Network (CNN)
- Yoshua Bengio: Probabilistic models of sequences, High-dimensional word embeddings and attention, Generative adversarial networks (GAN)
- Yann LeCun: CNN, backprop, Broadening the vision of neural networks

### Impetus of Deep Learning

Looking back, we may know what leads to the boom of DL in 2010s

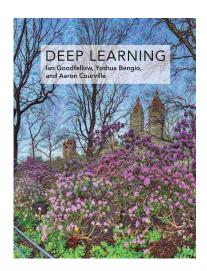
- Large amount of labeled data: ImageNet (2010)
- Improvement of algorithms: deep networks, dropout (2012)
- Invention of deep learning **systems**: TensorFlow (2015), PyTorch (2016)
- ullet Improvement of **hardware**: GPU o GPGPU (general-purpose GPU)

All of them are indispensable and make up the whole DL stack



# **Introductory Books and Courses**

- Feifei Li, Stanford cs231n: Convolutional Neural Networks for Visual Recognition (highly recommended!)
- Chris Manning, Stanford cs224n: Natural Language Processing with Deep Learning
- Ian Goodfellow, Deep Learning Chinese version



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# Deep Learning



### **Linear Regression**

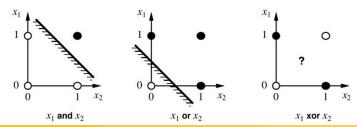
Recall the linear regression problem

$$y = \mathbf{w}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{x} + b = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{\mathrm{T}} & b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \boldsymbol{\theta}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{x}$$

To minimize loss function (MSE)

$$\min_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} L(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} (y_i - \mathbf{w}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{x}_i - b)^2$$

But linear function can only deal with linearly separable problems



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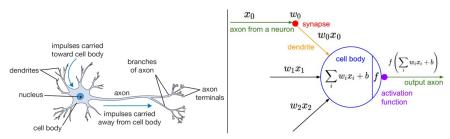
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Actually, in ML area, we have built decision tree, SVM, etc., but they usually need feature engineering and are not flexible



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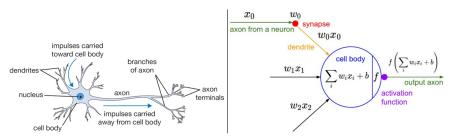


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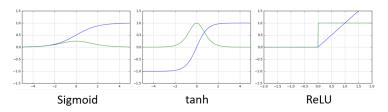
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A neuron is just a linear model with activation function!

### **Activation Function**

Used to add non-linear part to the model, enabling it to approximate much more complex functions



- Sigmoid:  $g(z) = 1/(1 + e^{-z})$  (S curve)
- Tanh:  $g(z) = \tanh(z)$
- ReLU (Rectified Linear Unit):  $g(z) = \max(0, z)$ , can avoid gradient vanishing



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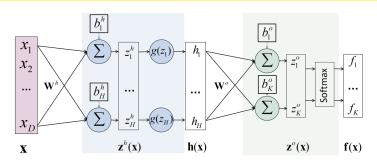
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 More neurons in depth: We have multi-layer perceptron (MLP) the basic model of nowadays deep learning!

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# Multi-Layer Perceptron (MLP) / Fully-connected NN



Input layer: x

• Hidden layer:  $h(\mathbf{x}) = g(\mathbf{z}^h(\mathbf{x})) = g(W^h\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{b}^h)$ 

 $\bullet \ \, {\rm Output \ layer:} \ \, f({\bf x}) = \sigma({\bf z}^o({\bf x})) = \sigma(W^oh({\bf x}) + b^o)$ 

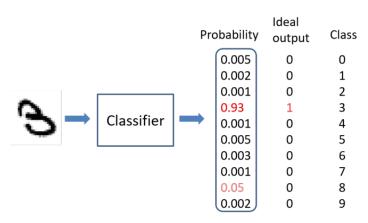
\* Softmax function: change output to probability (K-dimensional)

$$\sigma(\mathbf{z})_j = \frac{\mathrm{e}^{z_j}}{\sum_{k=1}^K \mathrm{e}^{z_k}}$$

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### Classifier Training

- ullet Find optimal parameters  $oldsymbol{ heta}^*$  of a classifier  $\mathbf{y} = f(\mathbf{x}; oldsymbol{ heta})$
- Rule: given input  $\mathbf{x}$ , classifier output  $f(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta})$  should be as close to the ideal output as possible



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### **Classifier Training**

Use MSE or other loss function

$$\min_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} \|f(\mathbf{x}_i; \boldsymbol{\theta}) - y_i\|_2^2$$

Use gradient descent to optimize parameters

$$\boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k+1)} = \boldsymbol{\theta}^{(k)} - \alpha \nabla_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} L(\boldsymbol{\theta})$$

About how to optimize the above function on NN (backpropagation), please read http://cs231n.github.io/optimization-1/

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### Different Kinds of NN

- CNN (convolutional NN): CV
  - Pooling / subsampling
  - Dropout
  - Residual block
- RNN (recurrent NN): NLP
  - LSTM
  - GRU
- GAN (generative adversarial network): Image generation



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Frameworks



# Deep Learning Frameworks

Framework: A large package consisting of lots of deep learning primatives/operators, and users can easily call them by API

- Google: Tensorflow (commonly used in industry)
  - Static computation graph
  - Jeff Dean
- Facebook: PyTorch (commonly used in academics)
  - Dynamic computation graph
  - Yangqing Jia, Caffe
- Amazon: MXNet
  - Tianqi Chen (UW → CMU)
- \* We focus on PyTorch in this seminar



### **PyTorch**

PyTorch: A Python-based scientific computing package

- A replacement for NumPy to use the power of GPUs
- A deep learning research platform that provides maximum flexibility and speed

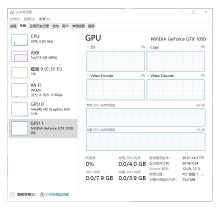
Since it is highly embedded in Python, PyTorch is very Pythonic and easy-to-use



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# Pytorch Installation

Firstly check if your computer has discrete graphics card (GPU)



Install Nvidia driver: https://zhuanlan.zhihu.com/p/54350088

- CUDA 10.1
- cuDNN 7: Installation guide



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# Pytorch Installation

Select your configuration on this website and run the installation command

- Windows: Need to install Anaconda first.
- WSL does not support GPU! Do NOT install Pytorch on WSL!
- Mac does not support GPU too (if you do not have external interface)!

e.g. For Windows with no GPUs

```
pip install torch==1.4.0+cpu torchvision==0.5.0+cpu -f https://
   download.pytorch.org/whl/torch_stable.html
```

Check if GPU works correctly by

```
import torch
print(torch.cuda.is_available())
```

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### **Tutorials**

PyTorch has very detailed documentations, make the best of them!

- Tutorials: https://pytorch.org/tutorials/
- Chinese tutorials: https://pytorch.apachecn.org/
- Documentation / API: https://pytorch.org/docs/stable/index.html
- Deep Learning with PyTorch: A 60 Minute Blitz
  - Chinese version
  - You can download the .ipynb file or directly run on Colab



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### Summary



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- Introduction
- Deep Learning Framework: PyTorch
  - Once you get in some trouble concerning PyTorch, you can search the Docs of PyTorch for details. Alternatively you can try to find if there are similar problems on PyTorch Discuss.
- Get through cs231n!



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