



# Neural Networks

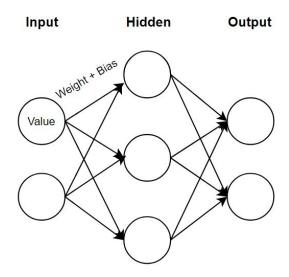
Layer Parameters

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## Layer Parameters in Neural Networks

- Weights and Biases
- Layer parameters are learnable and learned during training





#### Bias in Neural Networks

- Determines if a neuron is activated and how much
- Increases the flexibility of the model which is good during training

Output = activation(sum of weights + biases)

-0.5 acti(-0.5)	Input	Hidden	Output
	1	acti(-0.5)	



### How to find the number of Parameters

Inputs x Outputs + Biases

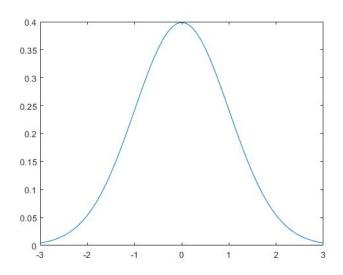
Input	Hidden	Output	
2 x 3 +	3 9 3	x 2 + 2	
0		8	

Model: "sequential"					
Layer (type)	Output	Shape	Param #		
dense (Dense)	(None,	2)	4		
dense_1 (Dense)	(None,	24)	72		
dense_2 (Dense)	(None,	12)	300		
dense_3 (Dense)	(None,	2) 	26 ======		
Total params: 402					
Trainable params: 402					
Non-trainable params: 0					



# Weight Initialization

- What is it and why do we use it?
- Use a seed if you want to replicate results



#### Layer weight initializers

- RandomNormal class
- RandomUniform class
- TruncatedNormal class
- Zeros class
- Ones class
- GlorotNormal class
- GlorotUniform class
- Identity class
- Orthogonal class
- Constant class
- VarianceScaling class



#### Parameters in CNNs

number of filters x (number of filters x size of filters) + biases

Input	Conv1	Conv2	Output
	3x3 3x3	3x3 3x3	