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- ❑ Supervised Learning Network Paradigms
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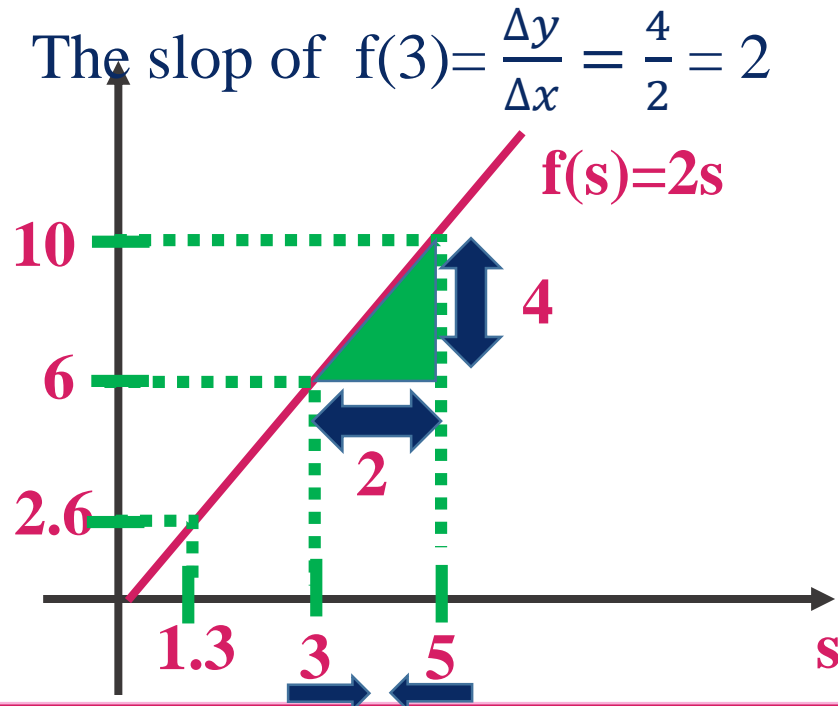
Let's Start



Revision Derivatives

□ Intuition about derivatives

- Assume that, we have a following function $f(s)=2s$
- The slope (derivative) of a function is given by $= \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$
- The slop of $f(3)=\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{4}{2} = 2$



s	f(s)
3	$2 \times 3 = 6$
5	$2 \times 5 = 10$
1.3	$2 \times 1.3 = 2.6$
0	$2 \times 0 = 0$

Revision Derivatives

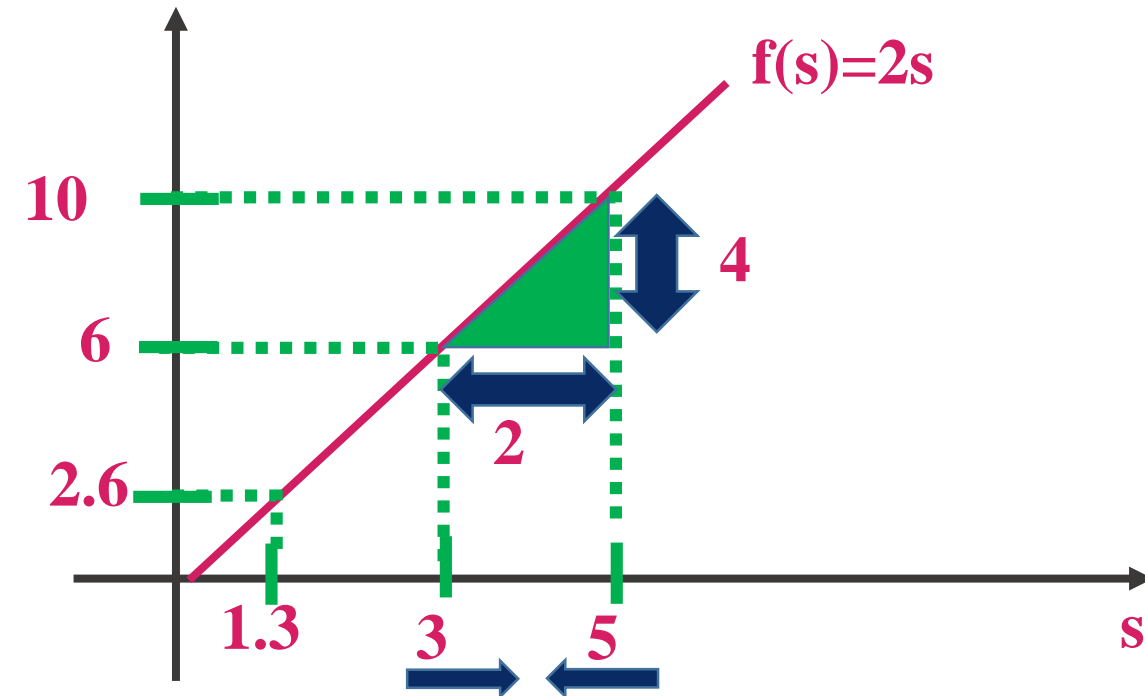
□ Intuition about derivatives:

- The slope (derivative) of a function $f(s)$ is given by

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$$

- Also, the slope is equal to $= \frac{df(s)}{ds} = \frac{d}{ds} f(s)$

- If $s=3$ the slope $= \frac{df(3)}{d3} = \frac{4}{2} = 2$

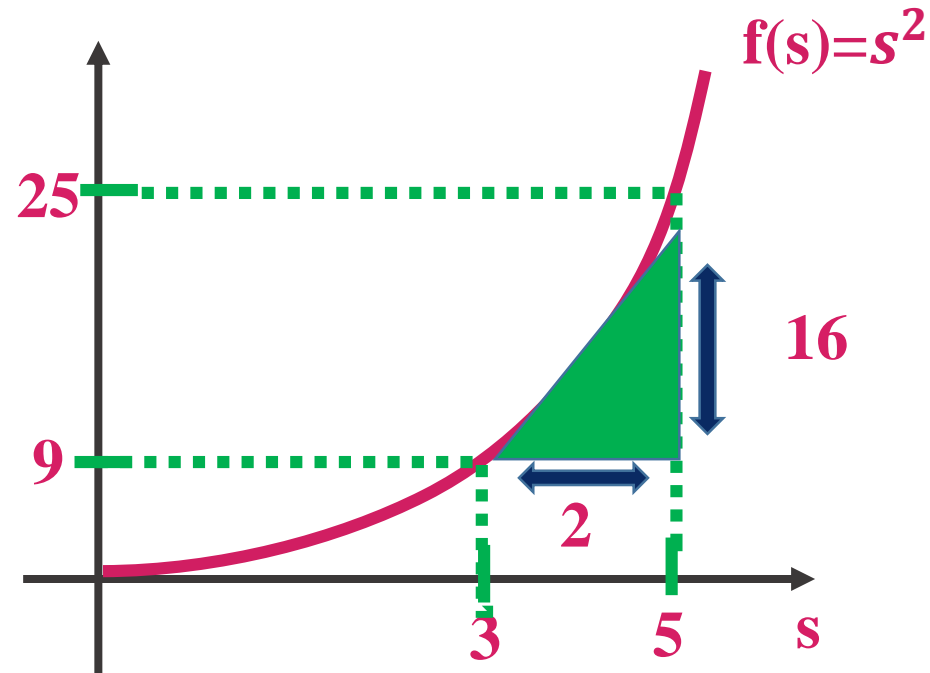


Revision

Derivatives

□ Derivatives examples

- Assume that, we have a following function $f(s)=s^2$



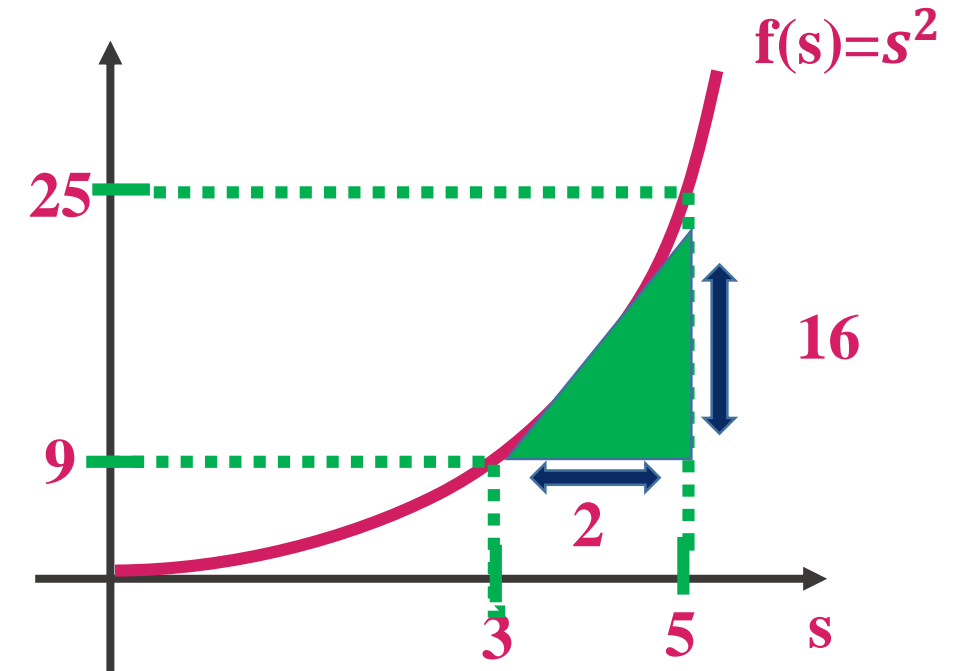
s	$f(s)$
3	$3 \times 3 = 9$
5	$5 \times 5 = 25$
1.3	$1.3 \times 1.3 = 1.69$

Revision

Derivatives

□ Derivatives examples

- The slope (derivative) of a function $f(s)$ at $s = 3 = \frac{df(3)}{d3} = 9$
- $\frac{df(s)}{ds} = 9$ where $s = 3$
- $\frac{df(s)}{ds} = 25$ where $s = 5$
- $\frac{d}{ds} f(s) = \frac{d}{ds} s^2 = 2s$



□ Derivatives examples

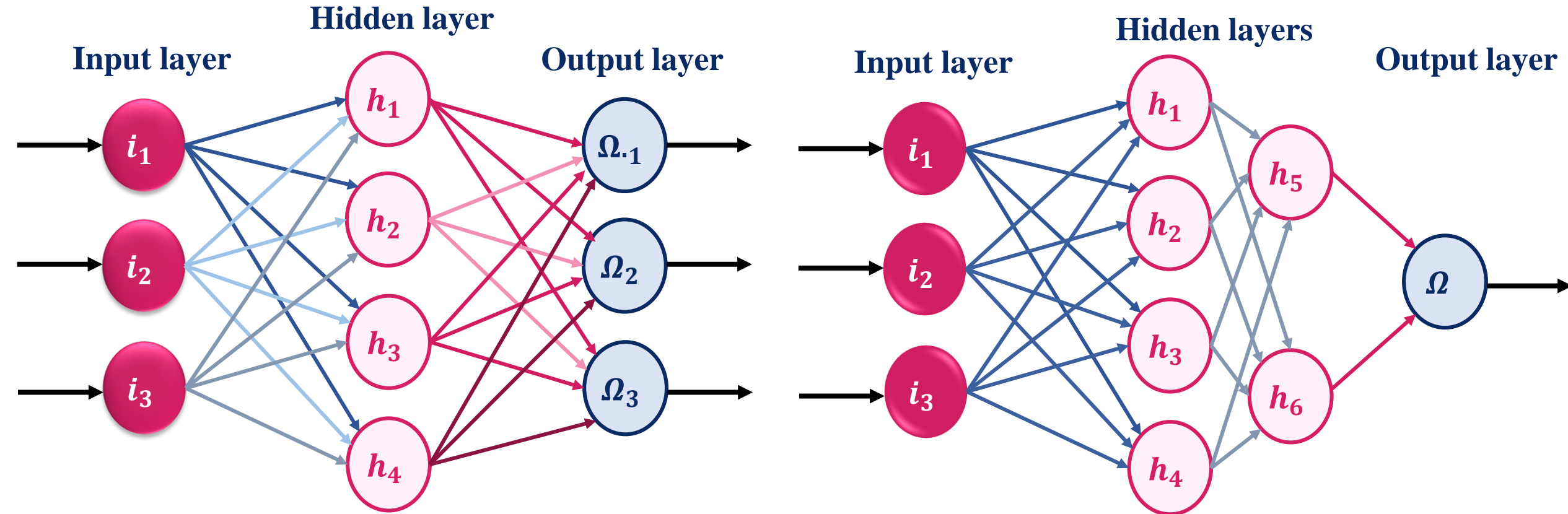
- When we have a following function $f(s)=s^2$ the derivative will be $\frac{d}{ds}f(s) = 2a$
- *where $a = 2.001$ the $f(s) \approx 4.004$*
- *where $a = 5$ the $f(s) = 25$*
- When we have a following function $f(s)=s^3$ the derivative will be $\frac{d}{ds}f(s) = 3s^2$
- *where $a = 2.001$ the $f(s) \approx 8.012$*
- *where $a = 5$ the $f(s) = 75$*

□ Definition 5.1(Multi-Layer Perceptron):

- Perceptron with more than one layer of variably weighted connections are referred to as multilayer perceptron (MLP). An n -layer or n -stage perceptron has thereby exactly n variable weight layers and $n+1$ neuron layers (the retina is disregarded here) with neuron layer 1 being the input layer. The MLP uses backpropagation algorithm for training process. The technical view of an MLP is shown in figure 5.3.

Revision

Multi-Layer perceptron



Figure(5.3): Left side: illustration of a single layer perceptron with four input neurons and one output neuron.
Right side: illustration of a single layer perceptron with four input neurons and three output neuron.

Mathematical Basics

Hadamard product ($s \odot t$)

- ❑ **Hadamard product** is one of the common linear algebraic operations - things like vector addition, multiplying a vector by a matrix, and so on. But one of the operations is a little less commonly used.
- ❑ In particular, suppose s *and* t are two vectors of the same dimension. Then we use $s \odot t$ to denote the element wise product of the two vectors. Thus the components of $s \odot t =$ *are just* $(s \odot t)_i = s_i t_i$. *For instance,*

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \odot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 * 3 \\ 2 * 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

- ❑ This kind of elementwise multiplication is sometimes called the **Hadamard product**.

Mathematical Basics

Function vectorization

- The idea is that we want to apply a function such as σ to every element in a vector \mathbf{v} . We use the obvious notation $\sigma(\mathbf{v})$ to denote this kind of elementwise application of a function. That is, the components of $\sigma(\mathbf{v})$ are just $\sigma(\mathbf{v})_j = \sigma(v_i)$. As an example, if we have the function $f(x) = x^2$ then the vectorized form of f has the effect

$$f\left(\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} f(2) \\ f(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

that is, the vectorized f just squares every element of the vector.

Supervised Learning Network Paradigms

Backpropagation network

- In the lecture 4 we saw how neural networks can learn their weights and biases using the **gradient descent algorithm**. In this lecture there was, a gap in our explanation: we didn't discuss how to compute the gradient descent search strategy of the cost function. After that, in the lecture 6 we saw how neural networks can learn their weights and biases using the gradient descent search strategy of the cost function to train **a single layer neural network**. In this lecture I'll explain a fast algorithm for computing such gradients , an algorithm known as **backpropagation to train a multi-layer neural network**.

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Backpropagation network

- Backpropagation algorithm is used the gradient descent algorithm which is a search strategy used in continuous search spaces.
- Backpropagation algorithm used the gradient descent algorithm to train multilayer artificial neural networks.
- The goal of backpropagation is to compute the partial derivatives $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \mathbf{w}}$ and $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \mathbf{b}}$ of the cost function C with respect to any weight \mathbf{w} or bias \mathbf{b} in the network.
- In the next slides I explain how Backpropagation algorithm works in general and how it applies in particular to training a **Multi-layer perceptron network**.

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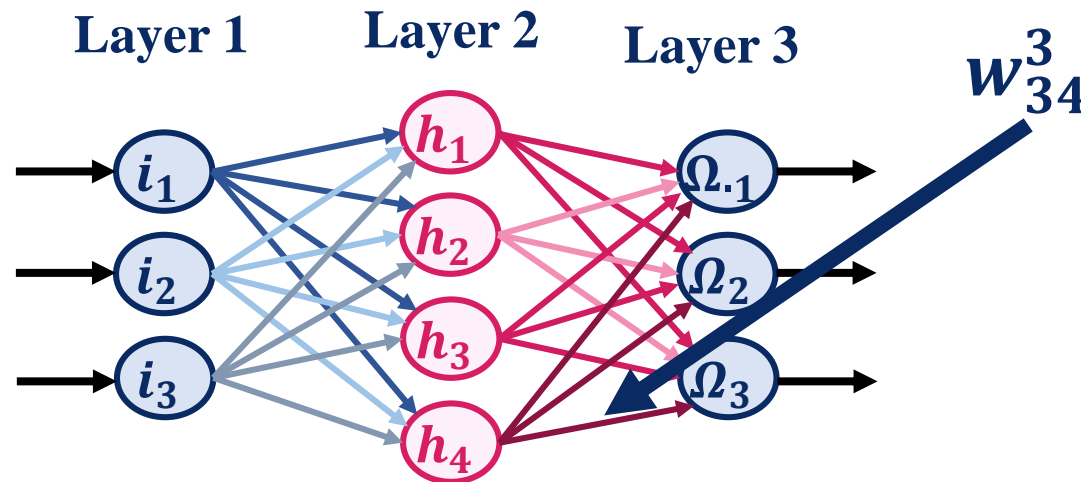
Backpropagation network

- A fast matrix-based approach to computing the output from a neural network
 - Before discussing backpropagation, let's warm up with a fast matrix-based algorithm to compute the output from a neural network. In particular, **this is a good way of getting comfortable with the notation used in backpropagation**, in a familiar context.

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Backpropagation network: notations

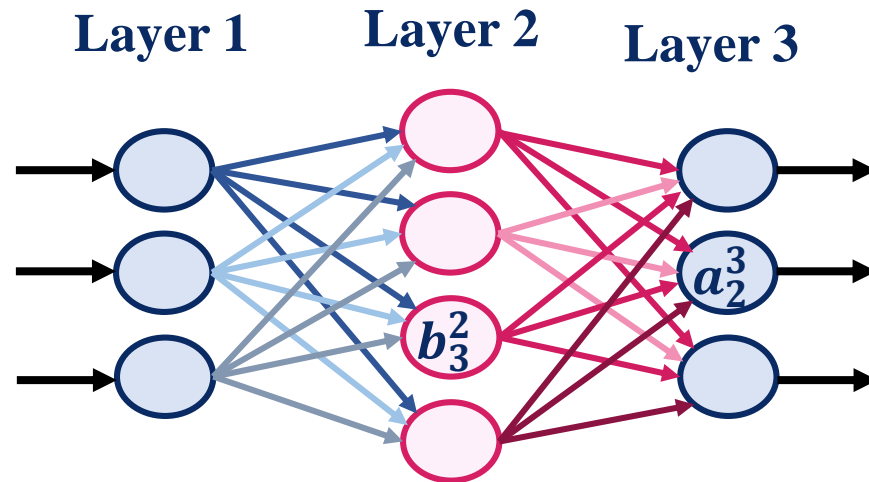
- Let's begin with a notation which lets us refer to weights in the network in an unambiguous way. We'll use w_{jk}^l to denote the weight for the connection **from** the k^{th} neuron in the $(l - 1)^{th}$ layer to the j^{th} neuron in the l^{th} layer.



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Backpropagation network: notations

- We use a similar notation for the network's biases and activations. Explicitly, we use b_j^l for the bias of the j^{th} neuron in the l^{th} layer. And we use a_j^l for the activation of the j^{th} neuron in the l^{th} layer. The following diagram shows examples of these notations in use:



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Backpropagation network: notations

- With the previous notations, the activation a_j^l of the j^{th} neuron in the l^{th} layer is related to the activations in the $(l - 1)^{th}$ layer by the equation:

$$a_j^l = f_{act}(\sum_k w_{jk}^l a_k^{l-1} + b_j^l),$$

- Assume that, we used the sigmoid activation function:

$$a_j^l = \sigma(\sum_k w_{jk}^l a_k^{l-1} + b_j^l),$$

where the sum is over all neurons k in the $(l - 1)^{th}$ layer

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Backpropagation network: notations

- We need to rewrite the following equation in a matrix form which represent the idea of vectorization.

$$a^l_j = \sigma(\sum_k w^l_{jk} a^{l-1}_k + b^l_j),$$

- By using the previous notations and the **vectorization** definition this equation can be rewritten in the compact vectorized form

$$a^l = \sigma(w^l a^{l-1} + b^l),$$

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Backpropagation network: notations

- This expression

$$a^l = \sigma(w^l a^{l-1} + b^l),$$

- gives us a much more global way of thinking about **how the activations in one layer relate to activations in the previous layer**: we just apply the weight matrix to the activations, then add the bias vector, and finally apply the σ function
- That **global** view is often easier and more succinct (and involves fewer indices!) than the neuron-by-neuron view we've taken to now. **The expression is also useful in practice, because most matrix libraries provide fast ways of implementing matrix multiplication, vector addition, and vectorization.**

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Backpropagation network: notations

- When using this formula $a^l = \sigma(w^l a^{l-1} + b^l)$ to compute a^l we compute the intermediate quantity $net^l = w^l a^{l-1} + b^l$, along the way. As we know, we call net^l the **weighted input or the net input** to the neurons in layer l .
- So that, we can rewrite this formula $a^l = \sigma(w^l a^{l-1} + b^l)$ as following
$$a^l = \sigma(net^l).$$
- It's also worth noting that net^l has components $net^l_j = \sum_k w^l_{jk} a^{l-1}_k + b^l_j$, that is, net^l_j is just the weighted input to the activation function for neuron j in layer l .

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Backpropagation network

□ Remember that

- The goal of backpropagation is to compute the partial derivatives $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \mathbf{w}}$ *and* $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \mathbf{b}}$ of the cost function C with respect to any weight \mathbf{w} or bias \mathbf{b} in the network.
- For backpropagation to work we need to make two main assumptions about the form of the **loss and the cost functions**.

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Backpropagation network: cost function

□ Define the cost function:

- Before stating those assumptions, though, it's useful to have an example cost function in mind. As example, we will use the **quadratic cost function**, the quadratic cost has the form

$$C(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{b}) = \frac{1}{2n} \sum_x \|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{a}^L\|^2,$$

where: n is the total number of training examples; the sum is over individual training examples x ; $\hat{\mathbf{y}}$ is the corresponding desired output; L denotes the number of layers in the network; and \mathbf{a}^L is the vector of activations output from the network when x is input.

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Backpropagation network: assumptions

□ The first assumption we need about the cost function

- What assumptions do we need to make about our cost function C , in order that backpropagation can be applied?
- The first assumption we need is that the cost function can be written as an average $C(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{b}) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_x l(\hat{\mathbf{y}}, \mathbf{y})$, over the loss functions $l(\hat{\mathbf{y}}, \mathbf{y})$ for individual training examples, \mathbf{x} . This is the case for the quadratic cost function, where the loss function is $l(\hat{\mathbf{y}}, \mathbf{y}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{y} - \hat{\mathbf{y}}\|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{a}^L\|^2$.

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Backpropagation network: assumptions

□ The first assumption we need about the cost function

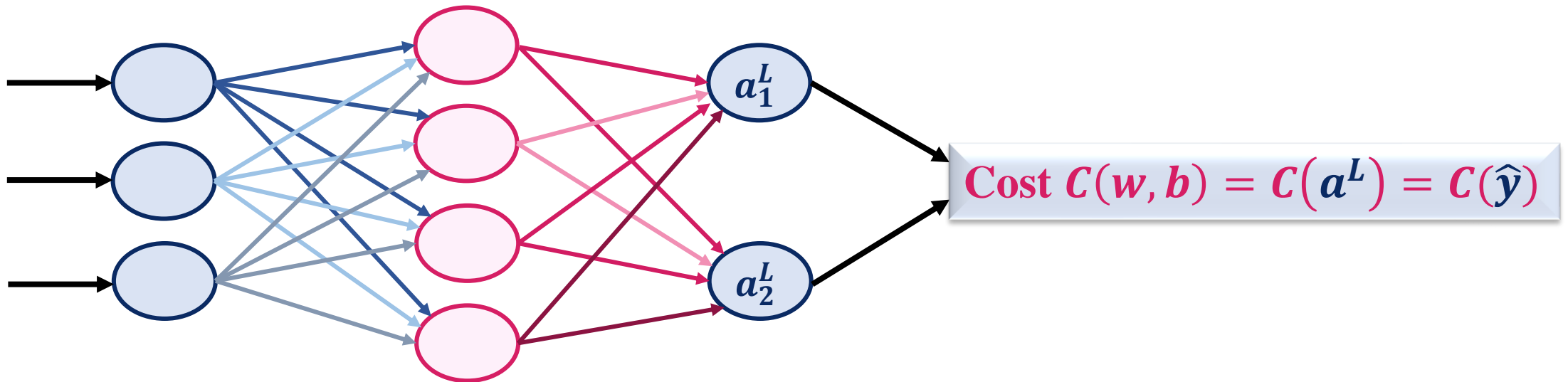
- The reason we need this assumption is because what backpropagation actually lets us do is use the gradient descent algorithm to compute the partial derivatives $\frac{\partial l}{\partial \mathbf{w}}$ and $\frac{\partial l}{\partial \mathbf{b}}$ for loss function (a single training example). That means, the backpropagation algorithm used the Stochastic gradient optimization.
- We then recover $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \mathbf{w}}$ and $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \mathbf{b}}$ by averaging over training examples.
- For simplicity, with this assumption in mind, we'll suppose the training example x has been fixed, and drop the loss function and use only the cost function.

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Backpropagation network: assumptions

□ The second assumption we make about the cost function

- The cost function can be written as a function of the outputs from the neural network.



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Backpropagation network: assumptions

□ The second assumption we make about the cost function

- For example, the **quadratic cost function** satisfies this requirement, since the quadratic cost for a single training example \mathbf{x} may be written as

$$C(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{b}) = l(\hat{\mathbf{y}}, \mathbf{y}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{a}^L\|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_j (\mathbf{y}_j - \mathbf{a}^L_j)^2$$

and thus is a function of the output activations. Of course, this cost function also depends on the **desired output** \mathbf{y} , and you may wonder why we're not regarding the cost also as a function of \mathbf{y} .

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Backpropagation network

- Backpropagation is about **understanding how changing the weights and biases in a network changes the cost function**. Ultimately, this means computing the partial

derivatives $\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l}$ and $\frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l}$. But to compute those, we first introduce an intermediate quantity, δ_j^l , which we call the **error or delta term** in the j^{th} neuron in the l^{th} layer.

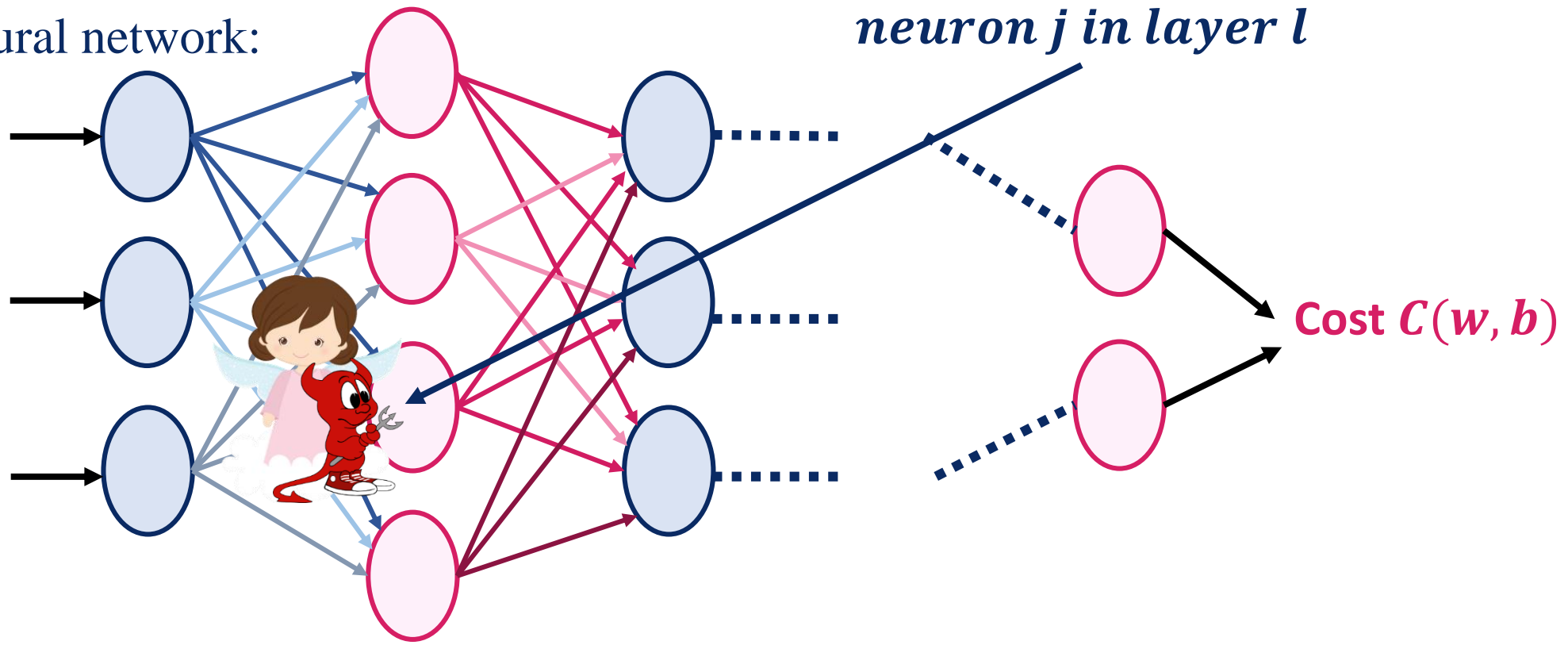
- Backpropagation will give us a procedure **to compute the error δ_j^l** , and then will

relate δ_j^l to $\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l}$ and $\frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l}$

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Backpropagation network

- To understand how the error is defined, imagine there is someone (e.g. angel, demon) in our neural network:



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Backpropagation network

- The demo sits at the j^{th} neuron in layer l . As the input to the neuron comes in, the angle messes with the neuron's operation. It adds a little change Δnet^l_j to the neuron's weighted input(net), so that instead of outputting $\sigma(\text{net}^l_j)$, the neuron instead outputs $\sigma(\text{net}^l_j + \Delta \text{net}^l_j)$. This change propagates through later layers in the network, finally causing the overall cost to change by an amount $\frac{\partial C}{\partial z_j^l} \Delta \text{net}^l_j$.
- Now, this demo is a good demo which is like an angel, and is trying to help you improve the cost, i.e., they're trying to find a Δnet^l_j which makes the cost smaller.



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Backpropagation network

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- Suppose $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \text{net}_j^l}$ has a large value (either positive or negative). Then the angel can lower the cost quite a bit by choosing Δnet_j^l to have the opposite sign to $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \text{net}_j^l}$.
- By contrast, if $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \text{net}_j^l}$ is close to zero, then the angel can't improve the cost much at all by perturbing the weighted input Δnet_j^l .
- So far as the angel can tell, the neuron is already pretty near optimal. This is only the case for small changes Δnet_j^l , of course.
- **We will assume that the angel is constrained to make such small changes. And so there's a heuristic sense in which $\frac{\partial C}{\partial \text{net}_j^l}$ is a measure of the error in the neuron.**



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Backpropagation network

- Motivated by this story, we define the error δ_j^l of neuron j in layer l by:

$$\delta_j^l = \frac{\partial C}{\partial \text{net}_j^l}$$

- As per our usual conventions, we use δ^l to denote the vector of errors associated with layer l .
- Backpropagation will give us a way of computing δ^l for every layer, and then relating those errors to the quantities of real interest, $\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l}$ and $\frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l}$.

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Backpropagation network

- You might wonder why the angel is changing the weighted input net^l_j . Surely it'd be more natural to imagine **the angel changing the output activation** a^l_j , with the result that we'd be using $\frac{\partial C}{\partial a^l_j}$ as our measure of error.
- So we'll stick with $\delta^l_j = \frac{\partial C}{\partial net^l_j}$ as our measure of error

Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

- Backpropagation is based around **four fundamental equations**. Together, those equations give us a way of computing both the error δ^l and the **gradient of the cost function**. I state the four equations below.
 - An equation for the error in the output layer
 - An equation for the error δ^l in terms of the error in **the next layer**
 - An equation for the **rate of change of the cost** with respect to any **bias** in the network.
 - An equation for the **rate of change of the cost** with respect to any **weight** in the network

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Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

□ An equation for the error δ^l in the output layer :

$$\delta_j^L = \frac{\partial C}{\partial a_j^L} \sigma'(net_j^L) \quad (\text{BP1})$$

- The first term on the right $\frac{\partial C}{\partial a_j^L}$, just measures **how fast the cost is changing** as a function of the j^{th} output activation. If, for example, C doesn't depend much on a particular output neuron, j , then δ_j^L will be small, which is what we'd expect.
- The second term on the right, $\sigma'(net_j^L)$, measures how fast the **activation function σ** is changing at net_j^L .

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Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

□ An equation for the error δ^l in the output layer :

$$\delta_j^L = \frac{\partial C}{\partial a_j^L} \sigma'(net_j^L) \quad (\text{BP1})$$

- Equation (BP1) is a componentwise expression for δ_j^L . It's a perfectly good expression, but not **the matrix-based** form we want for backpropagation. However, it's easy to rewrite the equation in a matrix-based form, as

$$\delta^L = \nabla_a C \odot \sigma'(net^L) \quad (\text{BP1a})$$

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Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

□ An equation for the error δ^l in the output layer :

$$\delta^L = \nabla_a C \odot \sigma'(net^L) \quad (\text{BP1a})$$

- Here, $\nabla_a C$ is defined to be a **vector** whose components are the partial derivatives $\frac{\partial C}{\partial a_j^L}$. You can think of $\nabla_a C$ as expressing the rate of change of C with respect to the output activations (i.e. \hat{y}). It's easy to see that **Equations (BP1a) and (BP1)** are equivalent, and for that reason from now on we'll use **(BP1)** interchangeably to refer to both equations. As an example, in the case of the quadratic cost we have $\nabla_a C = (a^L - y) = (\hat{y} - y)$, and so the fully matrix-based form of (BP1) becomes

$$\delta^L = (a^L - y) \odot \sigma'(net^L) \quad (\text{BP1a})$$

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Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

□ An equation for the error in terms of the error in the next layer, δ^{l+1} :

$$\delta^L = ((w^{l+1})^T \delta^{l+1}) \odot \sigma'(\text{net}^L) \quad (\text{BP2})$$

- where $(w^{l+1})^T$ is the transpose of the weight matrix w^{l+1} for the $(l+1)^{th}$ layer. This equation appears complicated, but each element has a nice interpretation. Suppose we know the error δ^{l+1} at the $(l+1)^{th}$ layer. When we apply the transpose weight matrix, $(w^{l+1})^T$, we can think intuitively of **this as moving the error backward through the network**, giving us some sort of **measure of the error at the output of the l^{th} layer**. We then take the Hadamard product $\odot \sigma'(\text{net}^L)$. This moves the **error backward through the activation function** in layer l , giving us the error δ^l in the weighted input to layer l .

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Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

□ An equation for the error in terms of the error in the next layer, δ^{l+1} :

$$\delta_j^L = \frac{\partial C}{\partial a_j^L} \sigma'(net_j^L) \quad (\text{BP1})$$

$$\delta^L = ((w^{l+1})^T \delta^{l+1}) \odot \sigma'(net^L) \quad (\text{BP2})$$

- By combining (BP2) with (BP1) we can compute the error δ^l for any layer in the network. We start by using (BP1) to compute δ^l , then apply Equation (BP2) to compute δ^{l-1} , then Equation (BP2) again to compute δ^{l-2} , and so on, all the way back through the network.

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Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

□ An equation for the rate of change of the cost with respect to any bias in the network:

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l} = \delta_j^l \quad (\text{BP3})$$

- That is, the error δ_j^l is exactly equal to the rate of change $\frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l}$. This is great news, since (BP1) and (BP2) have already told us how to compute δ_j^l . We can rewrite (BP3) in shorthand as

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial b} = \delta \quad (\text{BP3})$$

- where it is understood that δ is being evaluated at the same neuron as the bias b .

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Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

□ An equation for the rate of change of the cost with respect to any weight in the network:

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l} = a_k^{l-1} \delta_j^l \quad (\text{BP4})$$

- This tells us how to compute the partial derivatives $\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l}$ in terms of the quantities δ^l and a^{l-1} , which we already know how to compute. The equation can be rewritten in a less index-heavy notation as

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial w} = a_{in} \delta_{out} \quad (\text{BP4a})$$

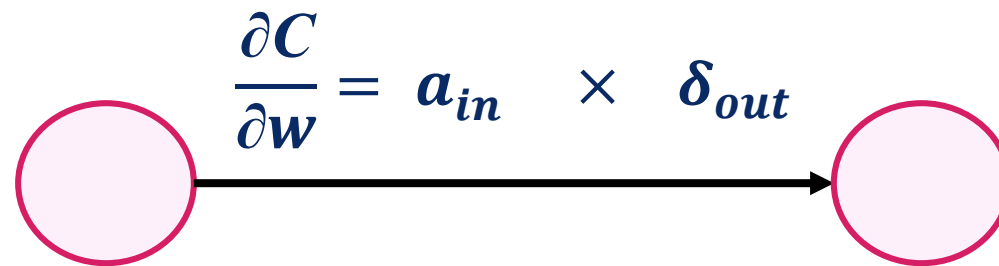
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Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

□ An equation for the rate of change of the cost with respect to any weight in the network:

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial w} = a_{in} \delta_{out} \quad (\text{BP4a})$$

- where it's understood that a_{in} is the activation of the neuron input to the weight w , and δ_{out} is the error of the neuron output from the weight w . Zooming in to look at just the weight w , and the two neurons connected by that weight, we can depict this as:



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Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

- An equation for the rate of change of the cost with respect to any weight in the network:

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial w} = a_{in} \delta_{out} \quad (\text{BP4a})$$

- A nice consequence of Equation (BP4a) is that when the activation a_{in} is small, $a_{in} \approx 0$, the gradient term $\frac{\partial C}{\partial w}$ will **also tend to be small**. In this case, we'll say the **weight learns slowly**, meaning that it's not changing much during gradient descent. In other words, one consequence of (BP4) is that **weights output from low-activation neurons learn slowly**.

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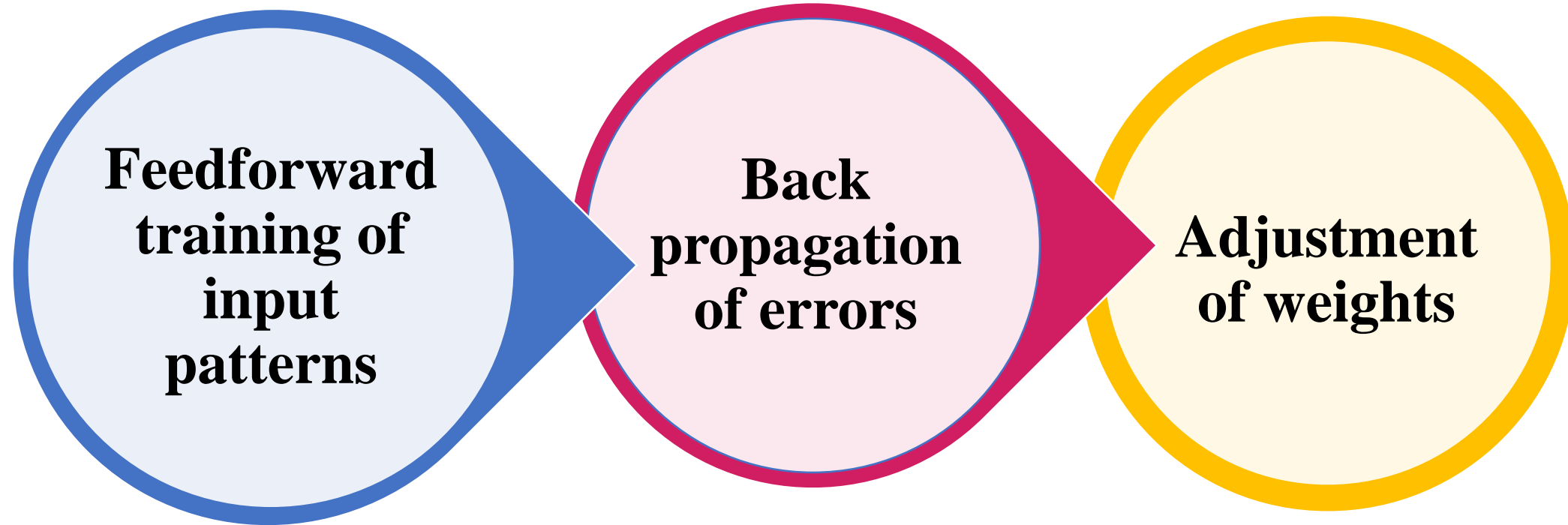
Backpropagation network: fundamental equations

- The four fundamental equations turn out to hold for any activation function, not just the standard sigmoid function (that's because, as we'll see in a moment, the proofs don't use any special properties of (σ)). And so we can use these equations to design activation functions which have particular desired learning properties.

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Backpropagation network main steps

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Figure(6.1): illustration of a Backpropagation network (is a Multi-layer perceptron learning algorithm) training phase

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Backpropagation network algorithm

❑ Algorithm 5.3: Backpropagation algorithm for single training sample(tr,y)

Input x: set the corresponding activation a^1 for the input layer.

Output: Gradient of the cost function

1. **Initialization** Initialize all weights by small random values (e.g. -0.5:0.5) and select a suitable learning rate η (e.g. 0.1)
2. **Feedforward:**
3. **For each** $l = 2, 3, 4, \dots, L$ **do**
4. Feed the training sample through the network and compute $net^l = w^l a^{l-1} + b^l$,
5. Then apply the activation function $a^l = \sigma(net^l)$
6. **End foreach**
7. Foreach output unit k , compute delta $\delta^l = \nabla_a C \odot \sigma'(net^L) = (a^L - y) \odot \sigma'(net^L)$
8. **Backpropagate the error:**
9. **For each** $l = L - 1, L - 2, \dots, 2$ **do**
10. Compute $\delta^l = ((w^{l+1})^T \delta^{l+1}) \odot \sigma'(net^l)$,
11. **End foreach**
12. **Output:** The gradient of the cost function is given by $\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l} = a_{in} \delta_{out}$ and $\frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l} = \delta_j^l = \delta$

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Backpropagation network algorithm

□ Algorithm 5.3: Backpropagation algorithm for each training samples(tr,y)

Input: set of training examples.

Output: Gradient of the cost function

1. **For each training example x :** Set the corresponding input activation $a^{x,1}$, and perform the following steps:
2. **Feedforward:**
3. **Foreach** $l = 2, 3, 4, \dots, L$ **do**
4. Feed the training samples through the network and compute $net^{x,l} = w^l a^{x,l-1} + b^l$,
5. Then apply the activation function $a^{x,l} = \sigma(net^{x,l})$
6. **End foreach**
7. Foreach output unit k , compute delta $\delta^{x,L} = \nabla_a C_x \odot \sigma'(net^{x,L})$
8. **Backpropagate the error:**
9. **For each** $l = L - 1, L - 2, \dots, 2$ **do**
10. Compute $\delta^{x,l} = ((w^{l+1})^T \delta^{x,l+1}) \odot \sigma'(net^{x,l})$,
11. **End foreach**
12. **Gradient descent:** **For each** $l = L - 1, L - 2, \dots, 2$ update the weights according to the rule $w_{l,new} = w_{l,old} - \frac{n}{m} \sum_x \delta^{x,l} (a^{x,l-1})^T$, and the biases according to the rule $b_{l,new} = b_{l,old} - \frac{n}{m} \sum_x \delta^{x,l}$

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Any Questions!?



Thank you