

Types of functions used in ML:

- Binary Step Function
- Linear Function
- Rectified Linear unit (ReLU)
- Leaky ReLU Activation Function
- Sigmoid Function
- Hyperbolic Tangent Activation Function(Tanh)
- Softmax Activation Function

Explanation:\

1. Binary Step Function:

$x = 0$ or 1 , value is decided to find out whether the output is active or not. $f(x) = 1$ if $x > 0$ else 0 if $x < 0$

2. Linear Function:

Gives a wide range of activations and a line of a positive slope may increase the firing rate as the input rate increases.

3. Rectified Linear unit (ReLU):

ReLU ranges from 0 to infinity, here the negative values are converted into zero. Drawback; Conversion is too fast to be mapped or fixed in the data.

4. Leaky ReLU Function:

To resolve ReLU issue, here value close to zero is used.

5. Sigmoid Function:

In order to get accuracy, sigmoid function is used oftenly between the range $0-1$. $f(x) = 1/(1+e^{-x})$

6. Hyperbolic Tangent Activation Function(Tanh):

Like Sigmoid, this function also differentiates two classes. Also maps the negative values in the range between -1 to 1 .

7. Softmax Activation Function:

It is used at the end layer, input variable values depend on weights, whose sum is 1 .

Library used for image analysis in ML:

Lib: OPenCV

Installation: `pip install openCV-python`

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