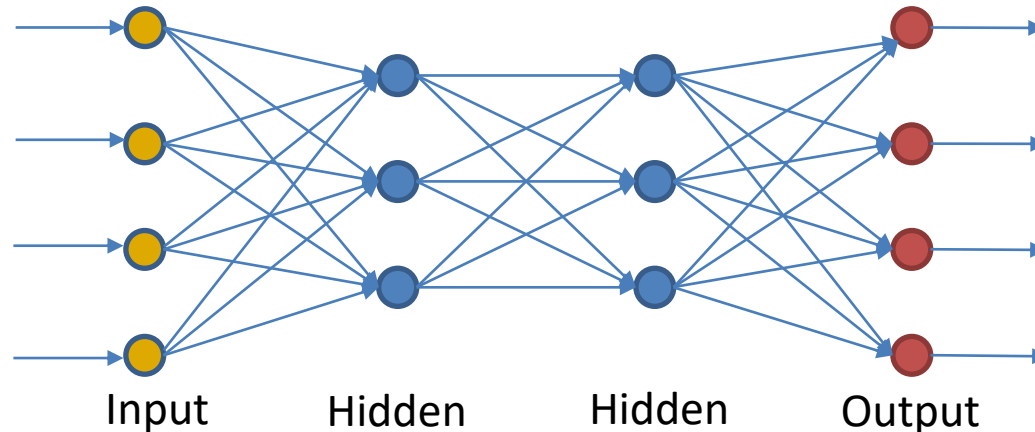


# Multilayer Neural Networks

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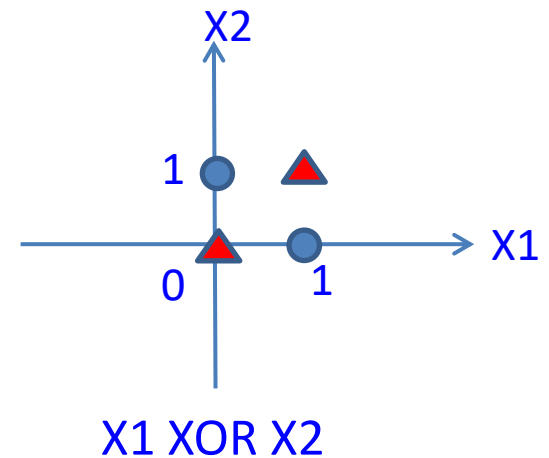
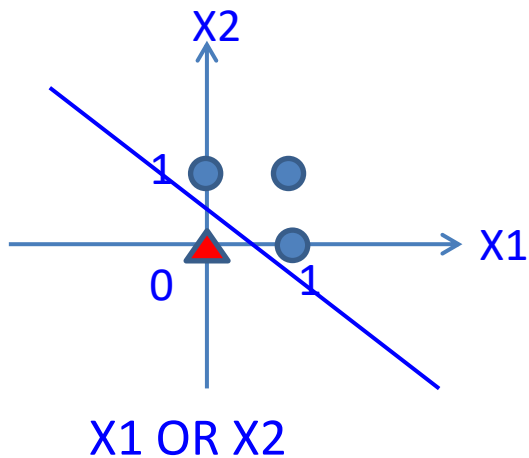
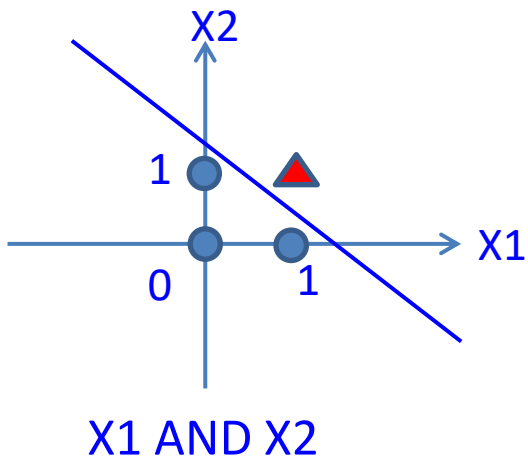
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# Multilayer neural networks



- **Input layer** accepts input signals from the outside world and redistributes these signals to all neurons in the hidden layer.
- **Hidden layers** detect the features of the input patterns by adjusting weights of the neurons.
- **Output layer** accepts signals from the hidden layer and establishes the output pattern of the network.
- Multilayer neural networks can solve the **non-linearly separable problem**.

# Nonlinearly separable problem



Linearly separable

Non-linearly separable

- With **one hidden layer**, we can represent the continuous and simple discontinuous functions.
- With **two hidden layers**, even discontinuous function can be represented.
- Most practical application use three-layer neural network (1-1-1: input-hidden-output) to learn patterns.
- The most popular learning algorithm is “**backpropagation**” (Bryson & Ho, 1969).
- Each neuron determines its output Y as the following:

$$X = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i w_i - \theta,$$

$$y = \frac{1}{1+e^{-x}} \quad ; 0 < y < 1 \quad \text{(Sigmoid)}$$

Threshold (Interception)  $\theta = -1$

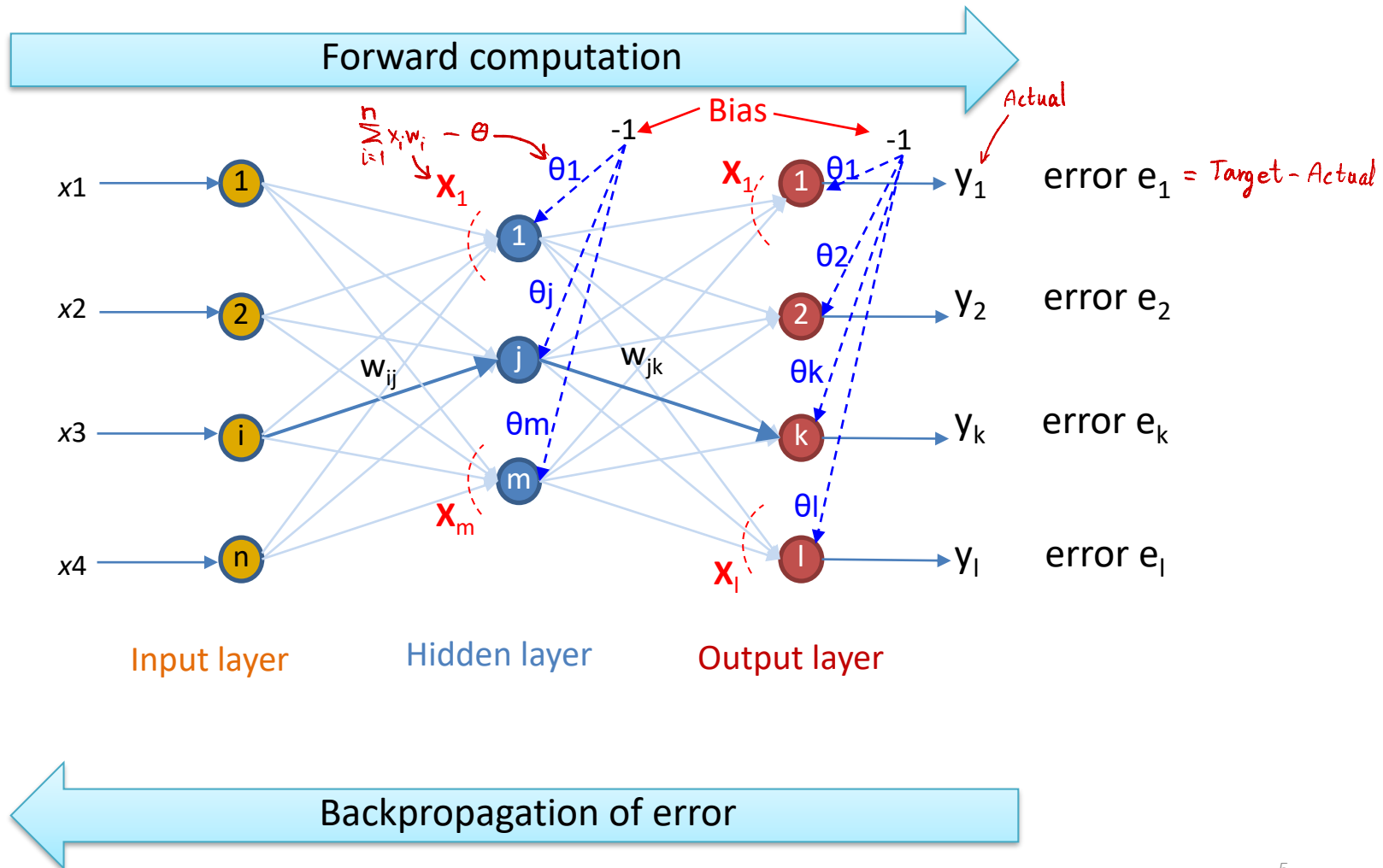
$x_1 w_1$   
 $x_2 w_2$   
 $\dots$   
 $x_n w_n$

$\theta \sim 1$

logistic fn

# Notations

$$X = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i w_i - \theta,$$



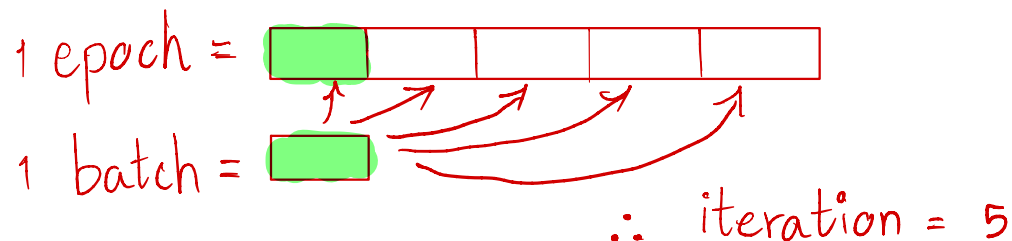
# Backpropagation for multilayer NN

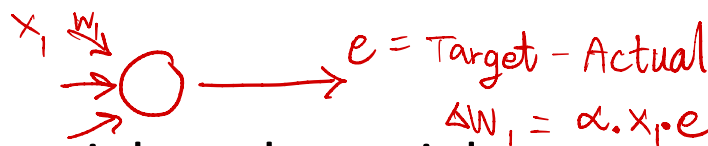
- To propagate error signals, we start at the output layer and work backward to the hidden layer.
- The error signal at the output of neuron  $k$  at iteration  $p$  is defined by:

$$e_k(p) = yd_k(p) - y_k(p)$$

*node n k iteration n p*  
*target*      *actual*

Where  $yd_k(p)$  is the desired output of neuron  $k$  at iteration  $p$ .

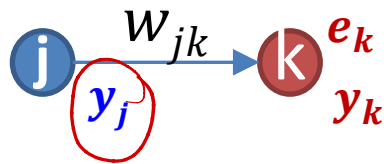




- To update weights, the weight correction ( $\Delta w$ ) is adjusted to the previous weights.

$$w_{jk}(p+1) = w_{jk}(p) - \Delta w_{jk}(p),$$

Hidden Output



$$\Delta w_{jk}(p) = \alpha \cdot y_j(p) \cdot \delta_k(p),$$

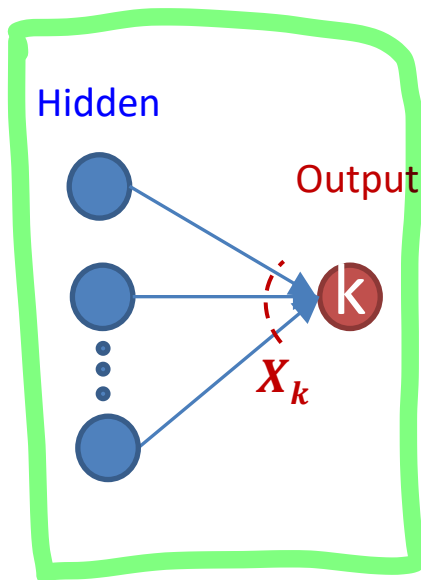
*error*

$$\delta_k(p) = \frac{\partial y_k(p)}{\partial X_k(p)} \cdot e_k(p),$$

*Error gradient at neuron k* *Slope Sigmoid* *diff sigmoid* *• (Target-Actual)*

*high error* *low error* *Sigmoid*

(The reason of derivative will be explained in the later class)



For a sigmoid activation function ( $y_k = \frac{1}{1+e^{-X_k}}$ ),

$$\frac{\partial y_k(p)}{\partial X_k(p)} = \frac{\partial \left[ \frac{1}{1+e^{-X_k(p)}} \right]}{\partial X_k(p)} = \frac{e^{-X_k(p)}}{(1+e^{-X_k(p)})^2}$$

$$\delta_k(p) = y_k(p) \cdot (1 - y_k(p)) \cdot e_k(p)$$

- To update weights in the hidden layer, we do similar way:

$$w_{ij}(p+1) = w_{ij}(p) - \Delta w_{ij}(p),$$

$$\Delta w_{ij}(p) = \alpha \cdot x_i(p) \cdot \delta_j(p),$$

$$\delta_j(p) = y_j(p) \cdot (1 - y_j(p)) \cdot \sum_{q=1}^l [\delta_{kq}(p) \cdot w_{jkq}(p)]$$

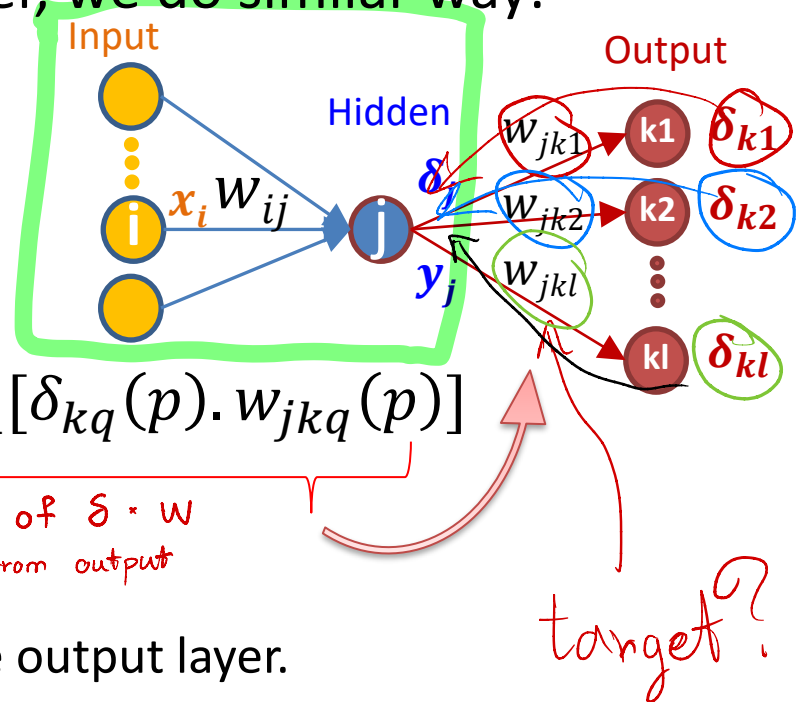
$$\frac{\partial y_j(p)}{\partial X_j(p)}$$

sum of  $\delta \cdot w$   
from output

Where  $l$  is the number of neurons in the output layer.

$$y_j(p) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-X_j(p)}},$$

$$X_j(p) = \sum_{i=1}^n [x_i(p) \cdot w_{ij}(p)] - \theta_j$$





# Complete training algorithm

## Step1: Weights Initialization

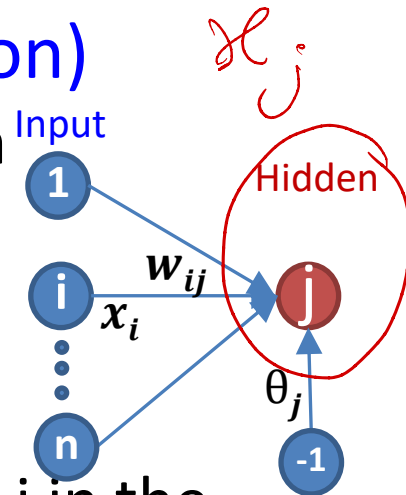
- Set all weights and thresholds ( $\theta$ ) to random number uniformly distributed inside a small range, e.g.,  $(-0.5, +0.5)$ .

## Step2: Activation (Feed forward computation)

- Calculate the actual outputs of neurons in the **hidden layer**.

$$y_j(p) = \text{sigmoid} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n (x_{i(p)} \cdot w_{ij(p)}) - \theta_j \right]$$

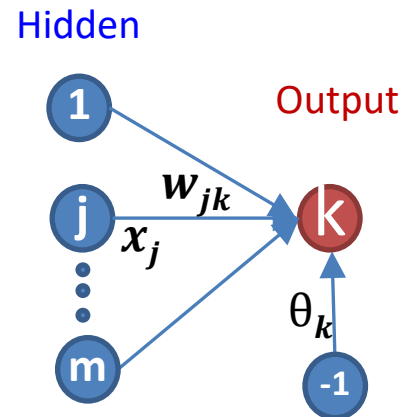
Where  $n$  is the number of inputs of neuron  $j$  in the hidden layer.



- Calculate the actual outputs of neurons in the **output layer**.

$$y_k(p) = \text{sigmoid} \left[ \sum_{j=1}^m (x_{j(p)} \cdot w_{jk(p)}) - \theta_k \right]$$

Where  $m$  is the number of inputs of neuron  $k$  in the output layer.



## Step3: Weight training (Backpropagation)

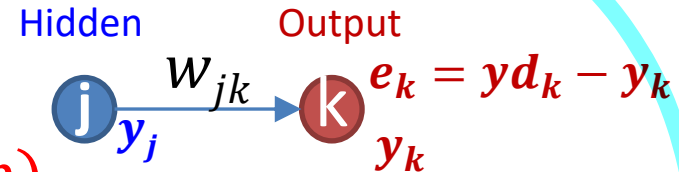
- Calculate the error gradient of neurons in the **hidden-output layer**.

$$e_k(p) = yd_k(p) - y_k(p),$$

diff sigmoid

$$\delta_k(p) = y_k(p) \cdot (1 - y_k(p)) \cdot e_k(p),$$

$$\Delta w_{jk}(p) = \alpha \cdot y_j(p) \cdot \delta_k(p),$$



← ต้องใช้  $w_{jk}(p)$  turns backpropagate

wait  $\Rightarrow$

$$w_{jk}(p+1) = w_{jk}(p) - \Delta w_{jk}(p)$$

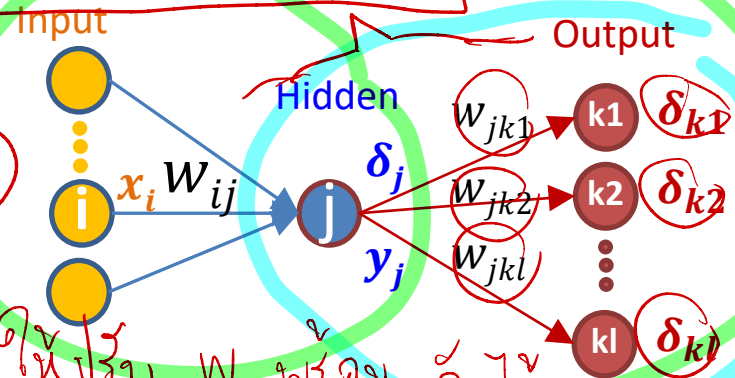
or backpropagate into input layer now

- Calculate the error gradient of neurons in the **input-hidden layer**.

$$\delta_j(p) = y_j(p) \cdot (1 - y_j(p)) \cdot \sum_{k=1}^l \delta_k(p) \cdot w_{jk}(p),$$

$$\Delta w_{ij}(p) = \alpha \cdot x_i(p) \cdot \delta_j(p),$$

$$w_{ij}(p+1) = w_{ij}(p) - \Delta w_{ij}(p)$$



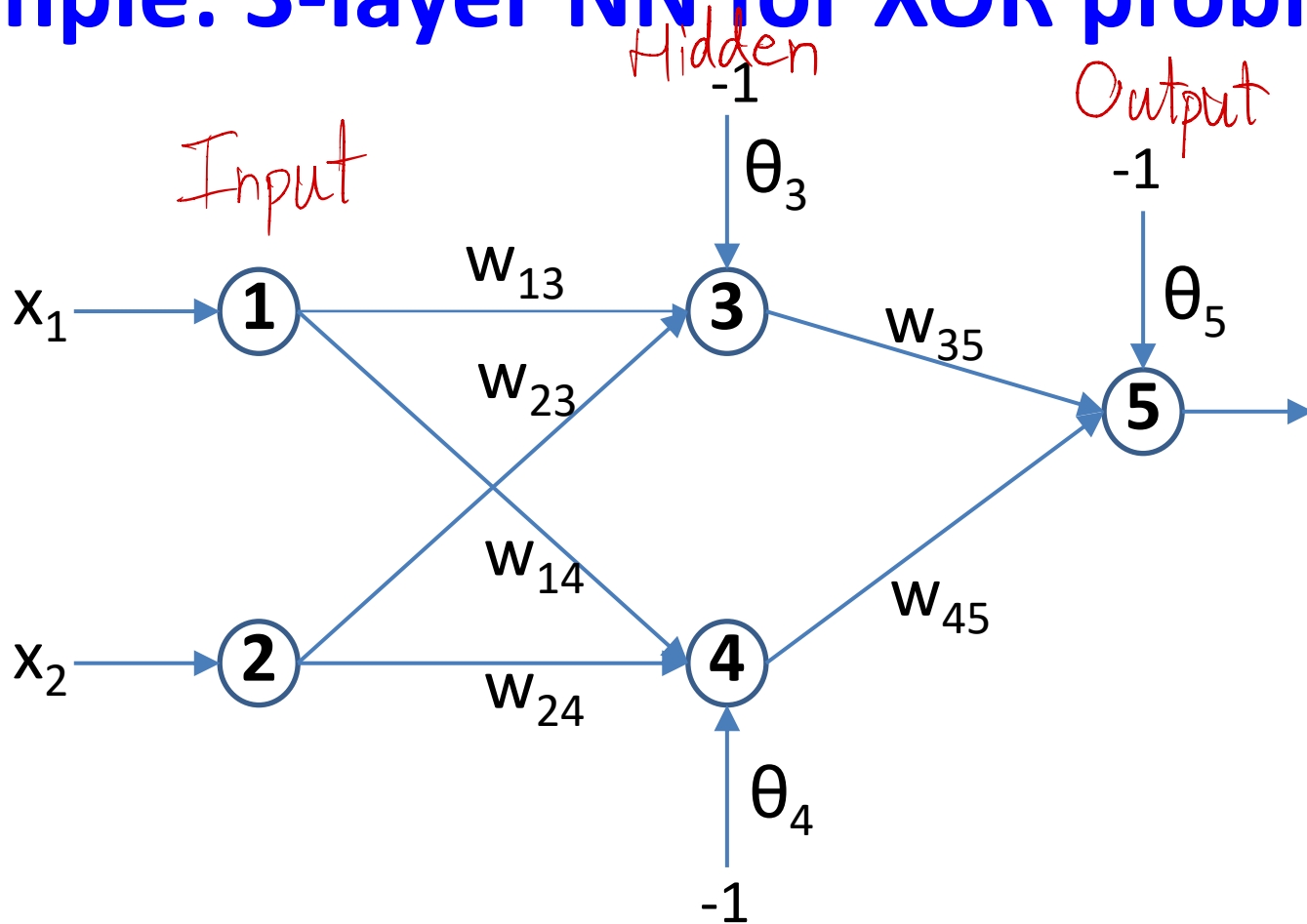
∴ ต้องรอ → รอถึง layer input ของ  $w$  พร้อมที่จะใช้ได้เลย

## Step4: Iterations

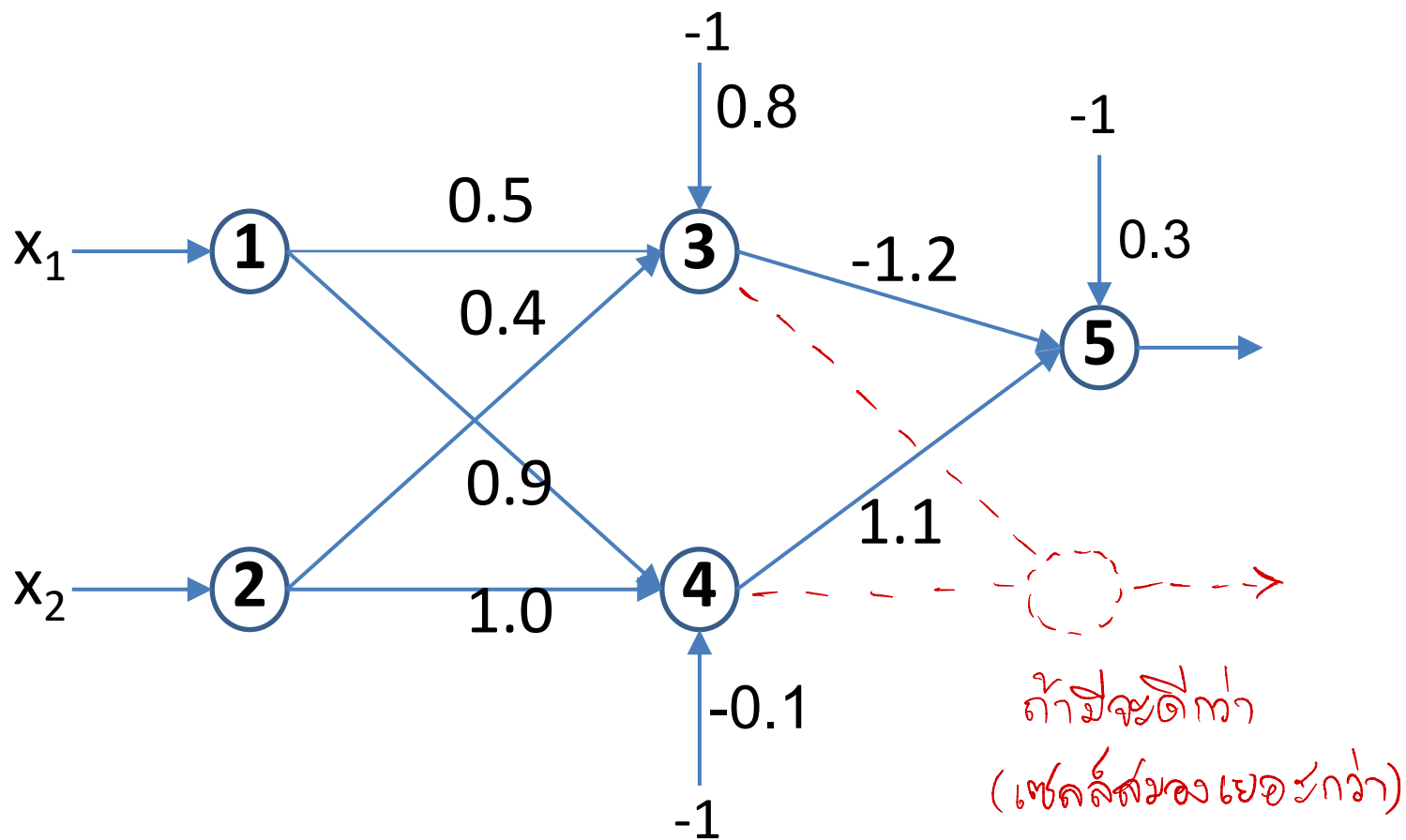
- Take the next training pattern,  $p+1$ , and go back to step 2. Then repeat the process until the selected error criterion is satisfy.
- A simple stop criterion is when the sum-squared error (SSE) less than a certain number, e.g., 0.1.

$$SSE = \sum_{p=1}^{\#patterns} \sum_{k=1}^{\#outputs} [\underbrace{y d_k(p)}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Target}}} - \underbrace{y_k(p)}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Actual}}}]^2$$

# Example: 3-layer NN for XOR problem



Recall that a single-layer perceptron cannot solve XOR problem.

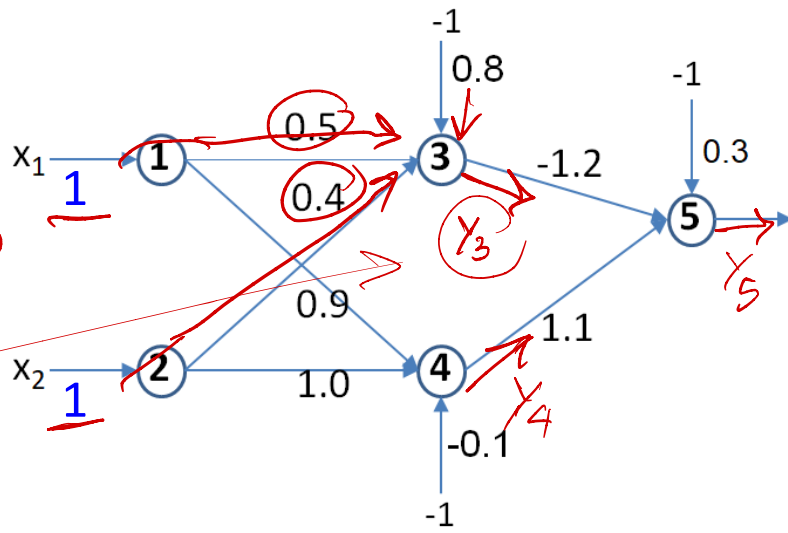


All weights and thresholds are randomly initialized as follows:

Parameter	Initial Value
$w_{13}$	0.5
$w_{14}$	0.9
$w_{23}$	0.4
$w_{24}$	1.0
$w_{35}$	-1.2
$w_{45}$	1.1
$\theta_3$	0.8
$\theta_4$	-0.1
$\theta_5$	0.3

- Consider the training pattern,  $\langle \underline{1}, \underline{1}, 0 \rangle$

$1 \text{ XOR } 1 = 0$



$$y_3 = \frac{1}{[1 + e^{-(\underline{1} * 0.5 + \underline{1} * 0.4 - 1 * 0.8)}]} = \underline{0.5250}$$

$$y_4 = \frac{1}{[1 + e^{-(\underline{1} * 0.9 + \underline{1} * 1.0 - 1 * 0.1)}]} = 0.8808$$

$$y_5 = \frac{1}{[1 + e^{-(-0.525 * 1.2 + 0.8808 * 1.1 - 1 * 0.3)}]} = 0.5097$$

$$e = yd_5 - y_5 = \underline{0} - 0.5097 = -0.5097$$

(gradient)

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_5 &= y_5 \cdot (1 - y_5) \cdot e \\ &= 0.5097 * (1 - 0.5097) * (-0.5097) \\ &= -0.1274 \end{aligned}$$

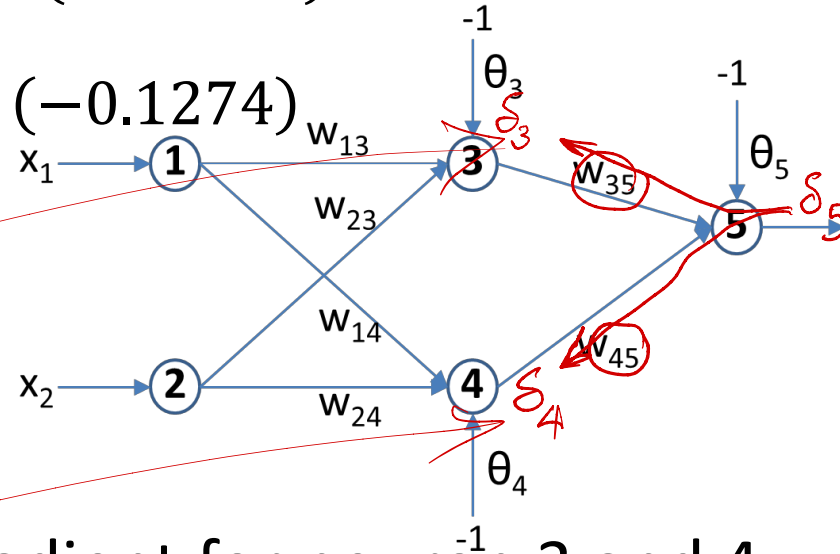


- Assume that the learning rate,  $\alpha$ , is equal to 0.1.

$$\Delta w_{35} = \alpha \cdot y_3 \cdot \delta_5 = 0.1 * 0.5250 * (-0.1274) = -0.0067$$

$$\Delta w_{45} = \alpha \cdot y_4 \cdot \delta_5 = 0.1 * 0.8808 * (-0.1274) = -0.0112$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta \theta_5 &= \alpha \cdot (-1) \cdot \delta_5 = 0.1 * (-1) * (-0.1274) \\ &= 0.0127 \end{aligned}$$

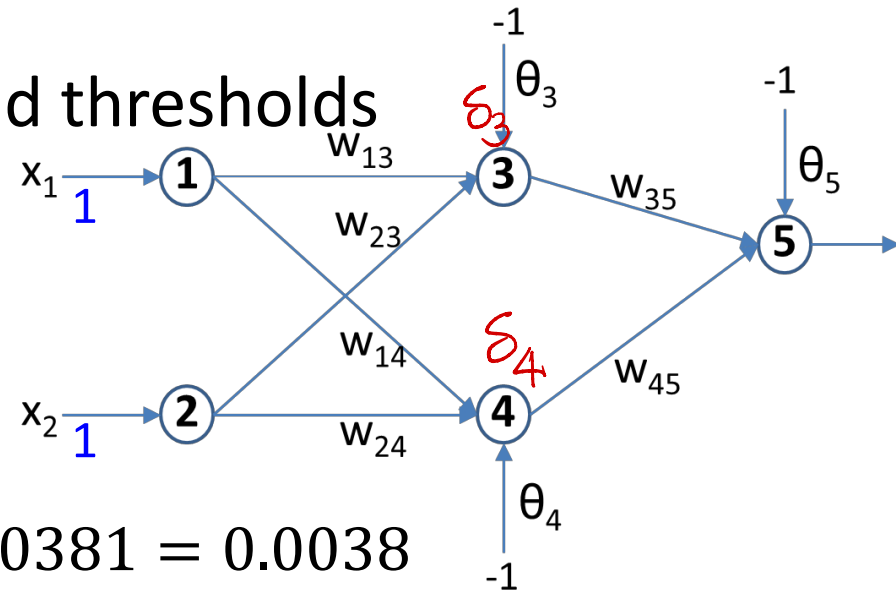


- Next, we calculate the error gradient for neuron 3 and 4.

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_3 &= y_3 \cdot (1 - y_3) \cdot \delta_5 \cdot w_{35} \\ &= 0.525 * (1 - 0.525) * (-0.1274) * (-1.2) = 0.0381 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_4 &= y_4 \cdot (1 - y_4) \cdot \delta_5 \cdot w_{45} \\ &= 0.8808 * (1 - 0.8808) * (-0.1274) * 1.1 = -0.0147 \end{aligned}$$

- Calculating  $\Delta$  of weights and thresholds



$$\Delta w_{13} = \alpha \cdot x_1 \cdot \delta_3 = 0.1 * 1 * 0.0381 = 0.0038$$

$$\Delta w_{23} = \alpha \cdot x_2 \cdot \delta_3 = 0.1 * 1 * 0.0381 = 0.0038$$

$$\Delta \theta_3 = \alpha \cdot (-1) \cdot \delta_3 = 0.1 * (-1) * 0.0381 = -0.0038$$

$$\Delta w_{14} = \alpha \cdot x_1 \cdot \delta_4 = 0.1 * 1 * (-0.0147) = -0.0015$$

$$\Delta w_{24} = \alpha \cdot x_2 \cdot \delta_4 = 0.1 * 1 * (-0.0147) = -0.0015$$

$$\Delta \theta_4 = \alpha \cdot (-1) \cdot \delta_4 = 0.1 * (-1) * (-0.0147) = 0.0015$$

- Lastly, we update all weights and thresholds in the network.

$$w_{13} = w_{13} - \Delta w_{13} = 0.5 - 0.0038 = 0.4962$$

$$w_{14} = w_{14} - \Delta w_{14} = 0.9 + 0.0015 = 0.9015$$

$$w_{23} = w_{23} - \Delta w_{23} = 0.4 - 0.0038 = 0.3962$$

$$w_{24} = w_{24} - \Delta w_{24} = 1.0 + 0.0015 = 1.0015$$

$$w_{35} = w_{35} - \Delta w_{35} = -1.2 + 0.0067 = -1.1933$$

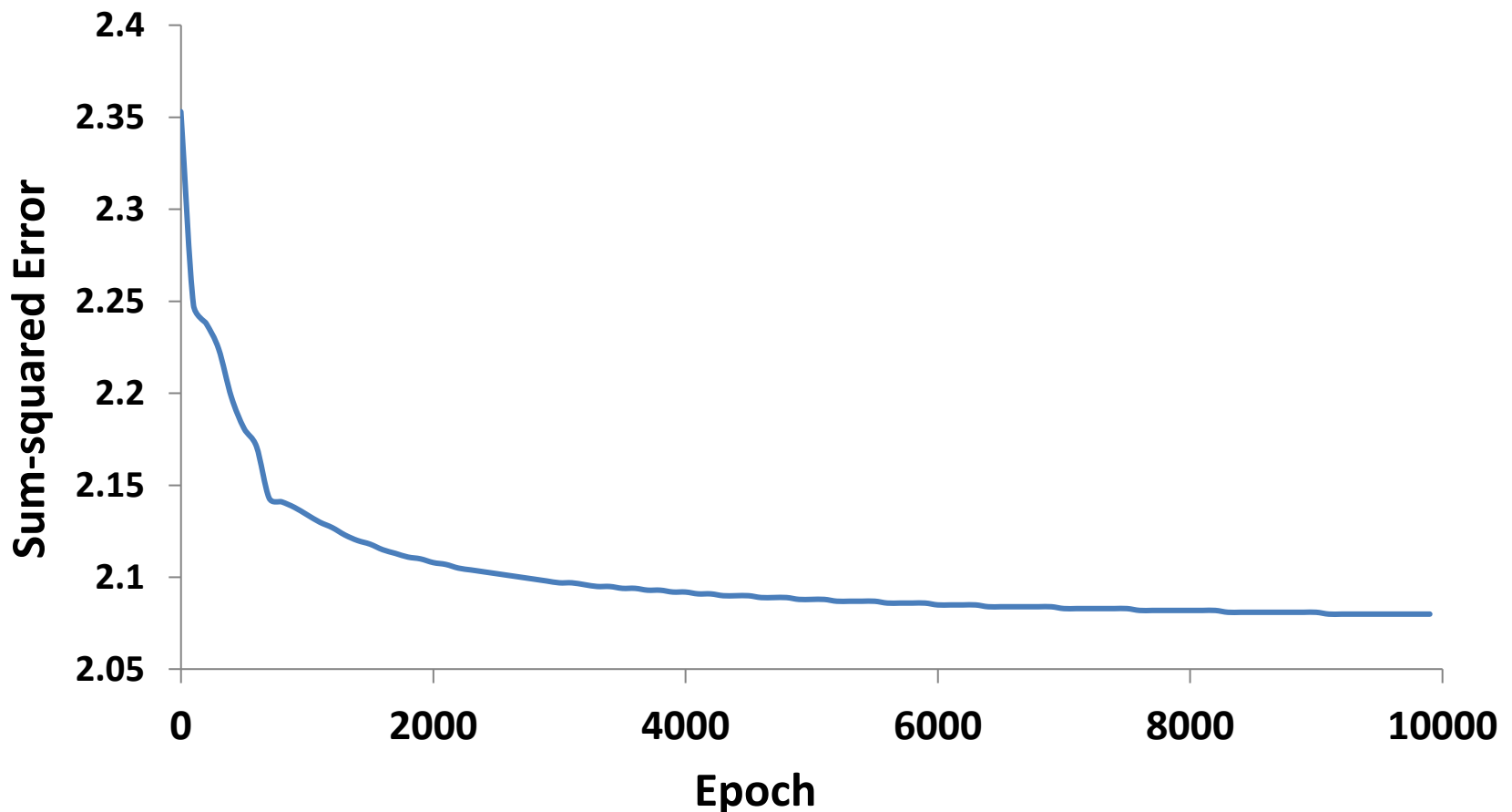
$$w_{45} = w_{45} - \Delta w_{45} = 1.1 + 0.0112 = 1.1112$$

$$\theta_3 = \theta_3 - \Delta \theta_3 = 0.8 + 0.0038 = 0.8038$$

$$\theta_4 = \theta_4 - \Delta \theta_4 = -0.1 - 0.0015 = -0.1015$$

$$\theta_5 = \theta_5 - \Delta \theta_5 = 0.3 - 0.0127 = 0.2873$$

- Repeat the same computation for all training patterns (1 epoch)
- Repeat the process for another epoch until the **sum of squared error (SSE)** is less than a certain number, e.g. 0.001.



- Sum of squared errors (SSE) of the final network

Input		Desired Output	Actual Output	Error	SSE
$x_1$	$x_2$	$y_d$	$y_5$	$e$	0.0010
1	1	0	0.0155	-0.0155 <sup>2</sup>	
0	1	1	0.9849	0.0151 <sup>2</sup>	
1	0	1	0.9849	0.0151 <sup>2</sup>	
0	0	0	0.0175	-0.0175 <sup>2</sup>	

# Techniques for improving multilayer NN

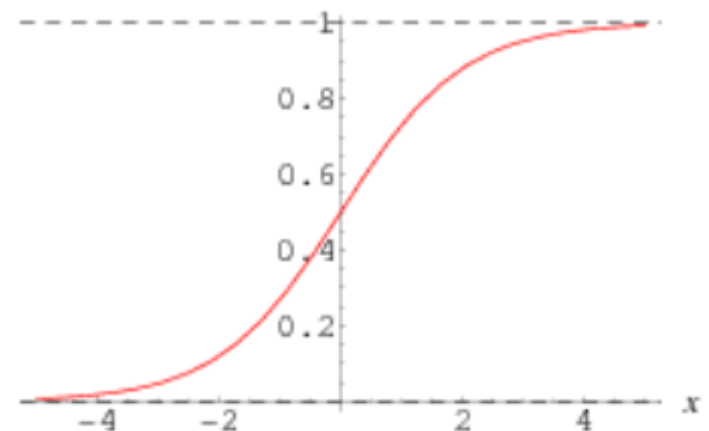
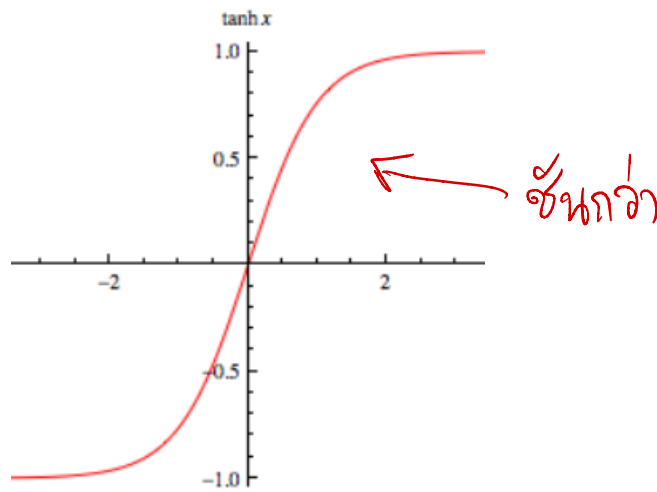
- Using a steeper activation function, i.e. tanh (hyperbolic tangent function), to accelerate the convergence.

$$\tanh(x) = \frac{\sinh(x)}{\cosh(x)}$$

$$= \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}} = \frac{e^{2x} - 1}{e^{2x} + 1}$$

$$1/(1 + e^{-x})$$

Sigmoid



# Techniques for improving multilayer NN

- Momentum

The momentum term can reduce the local minima and smooth the variation of the output value.

$$\Delta w_{jk} = \beta \Delta w_{jk} - \alpha \cdot y_j \cdot \delta_k$$

Where  $\beta$  is a positive number ( $0 \leq \beta \leq 1$ ) called the momentum constant.

If the momentum term is large then the learning rate should be kept smaller. Otherwise, you might skip the minimum spot with a huge step.

# Techniques for improving multilayer NN

- Batch learning ๓.๘. XOR ข้างบนนั้นแหละ
  - In online training, weights and bias values are adjusted for every training item based on the difference between computed outputs and the training data target outputs.
  - In batch training, the adjustment delta values are accumulated over all training items, to give an aggregate set of deltas, and then the aggregated deltas are applied to each weight and bias.  
$$W_{ij}(p+1) = W_{ij}(p) + \Delta W$$
(  $\Delta w_1 + \Delta w_2 + \dots + \Delta w_n$  ) iteration
  - **Online update** = **Batch updates** x No. of samples in training set
  - The batch algorithm is also slightly more efficient in terms of number of computations.



Training Error for Batch vs. Online

