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Machine Learning

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Neural Networks

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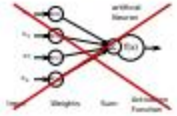
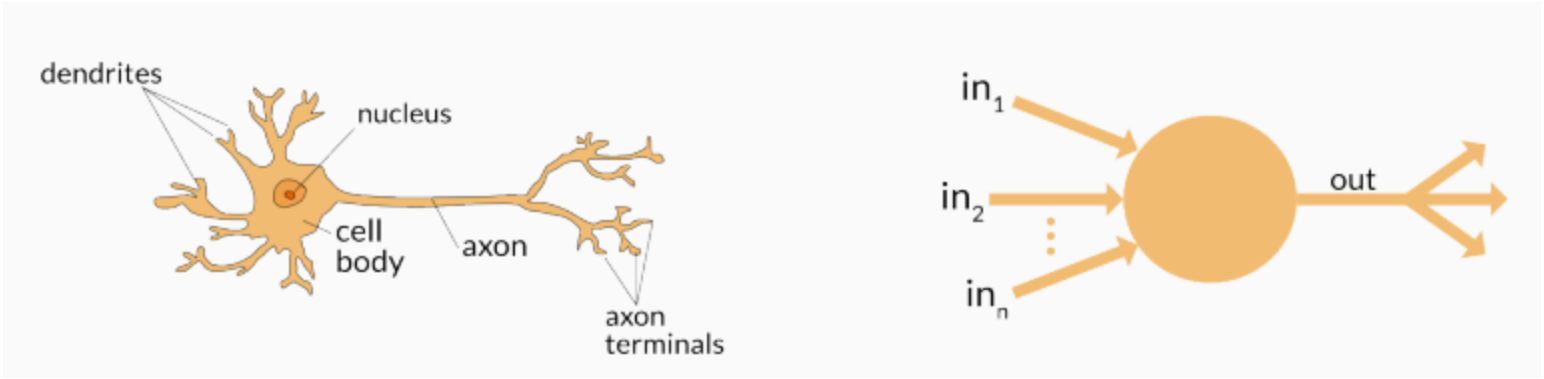
Perceptron

1958 Perceptron

1969
Perceptrons
book

Perceptron criticized

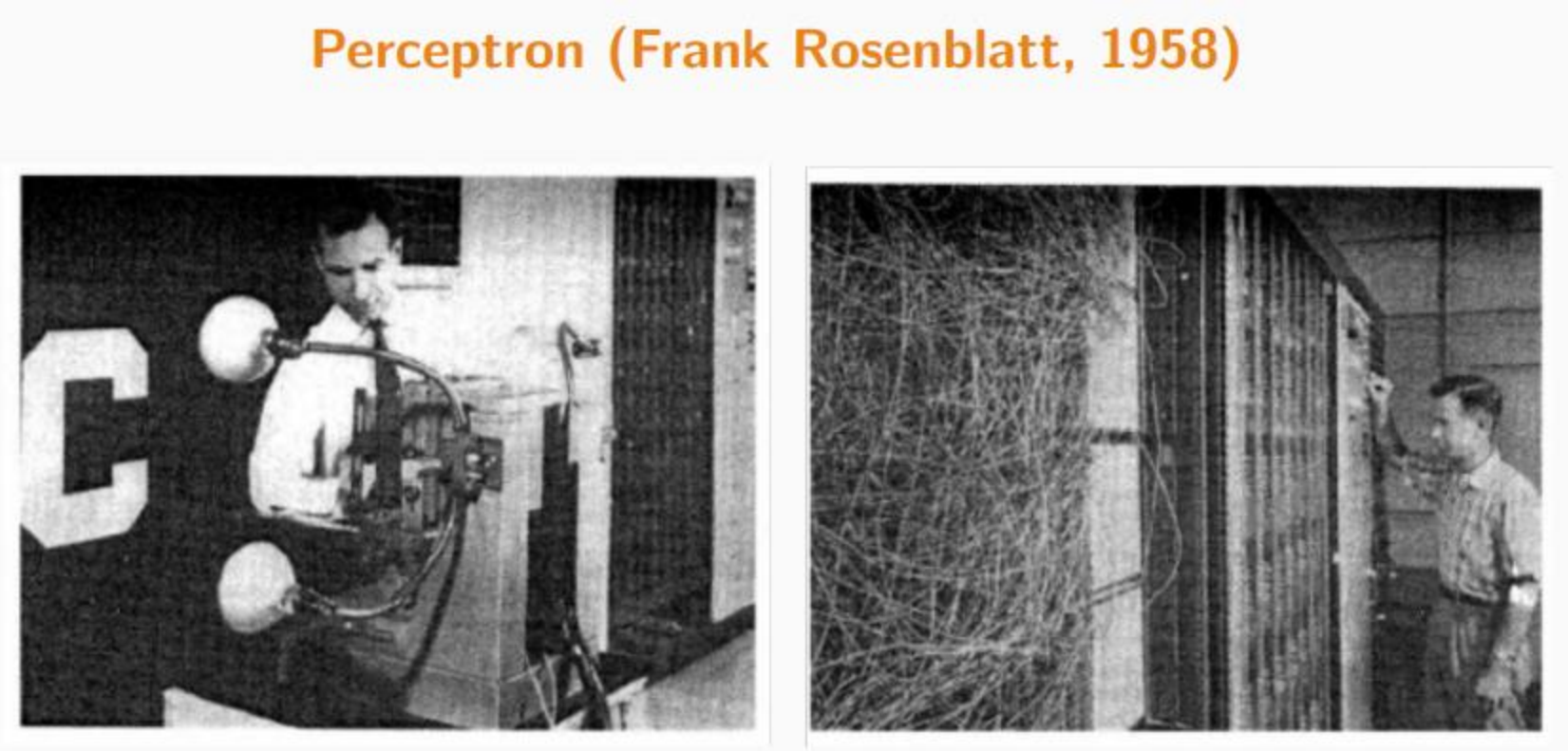




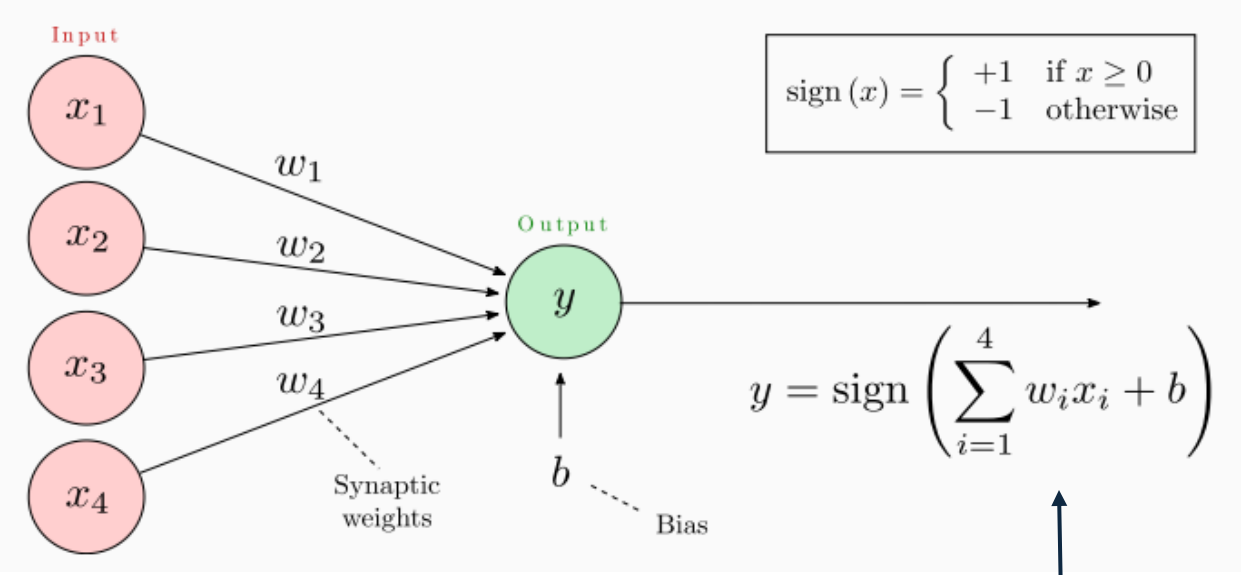
Perceptron

- First binary classifier based on supervised learning;

- Foundation of modern artificial neural networks;



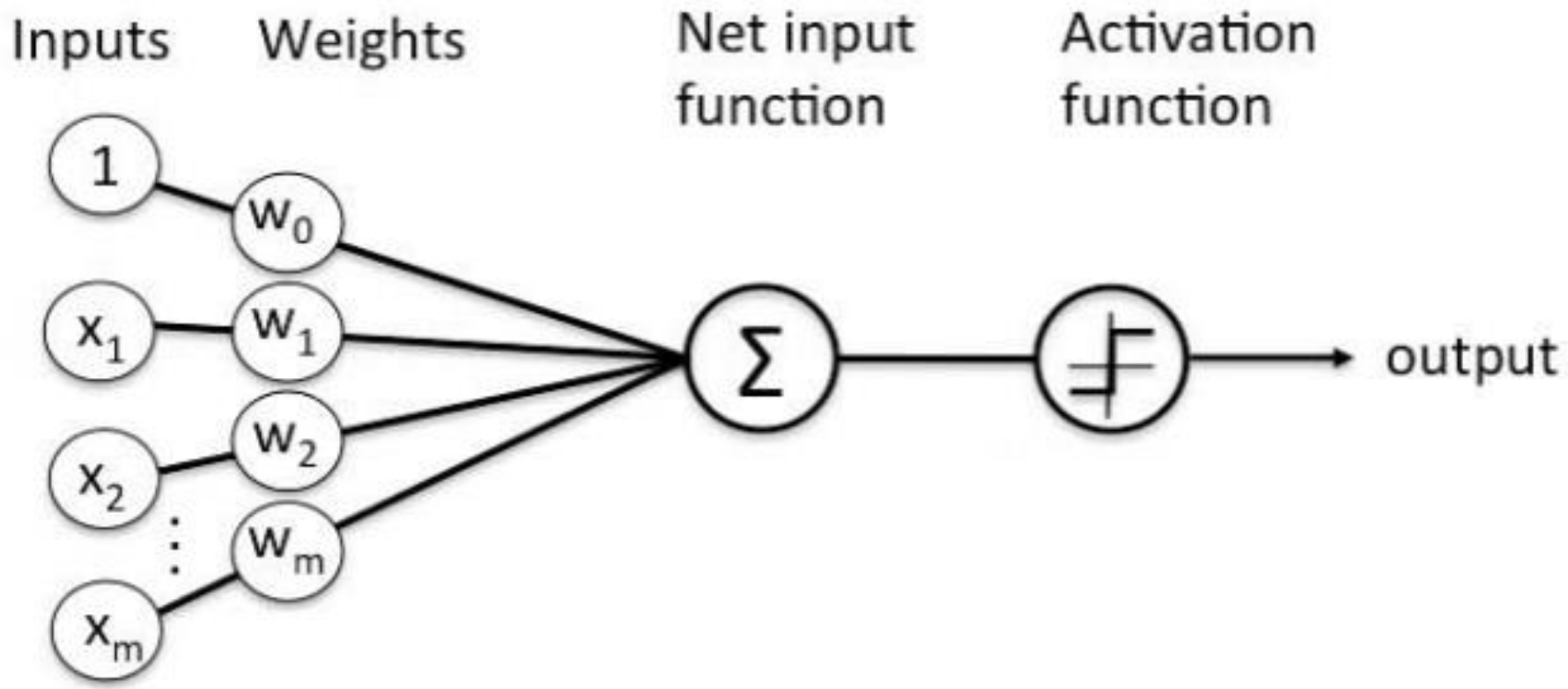
Representation of the Perceptron



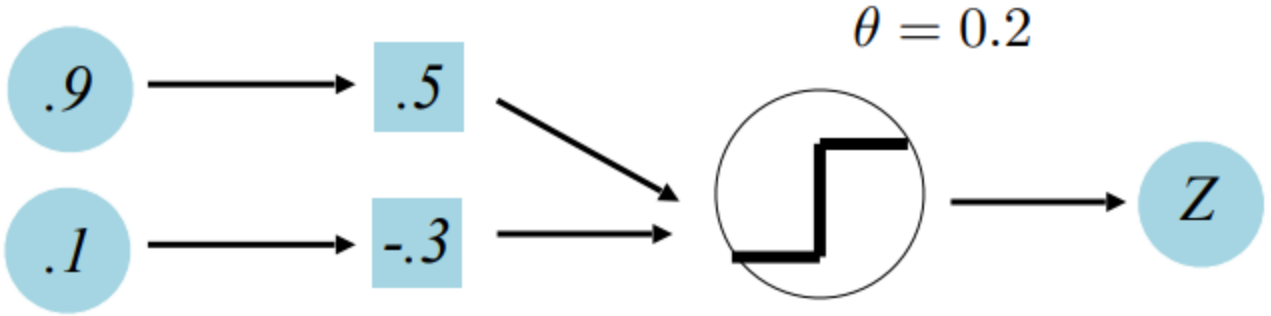
- Parameters of the perceptron:
  - w_k: weights
  - b: bias

- Training → adjusting the weights and bias.

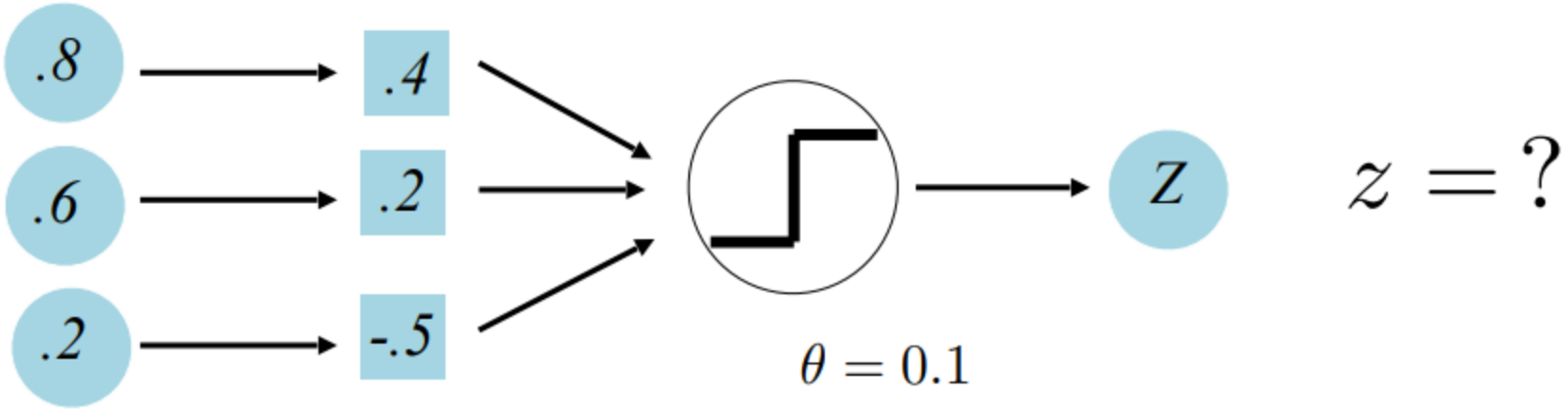
Alternative Representation of the Perceptron



Perceptron Examples



$$z = \begin{cases} 1, if\ w \cdot x > \theta \\ 0,\ w \cdot x <= \theta \end{cases}$$



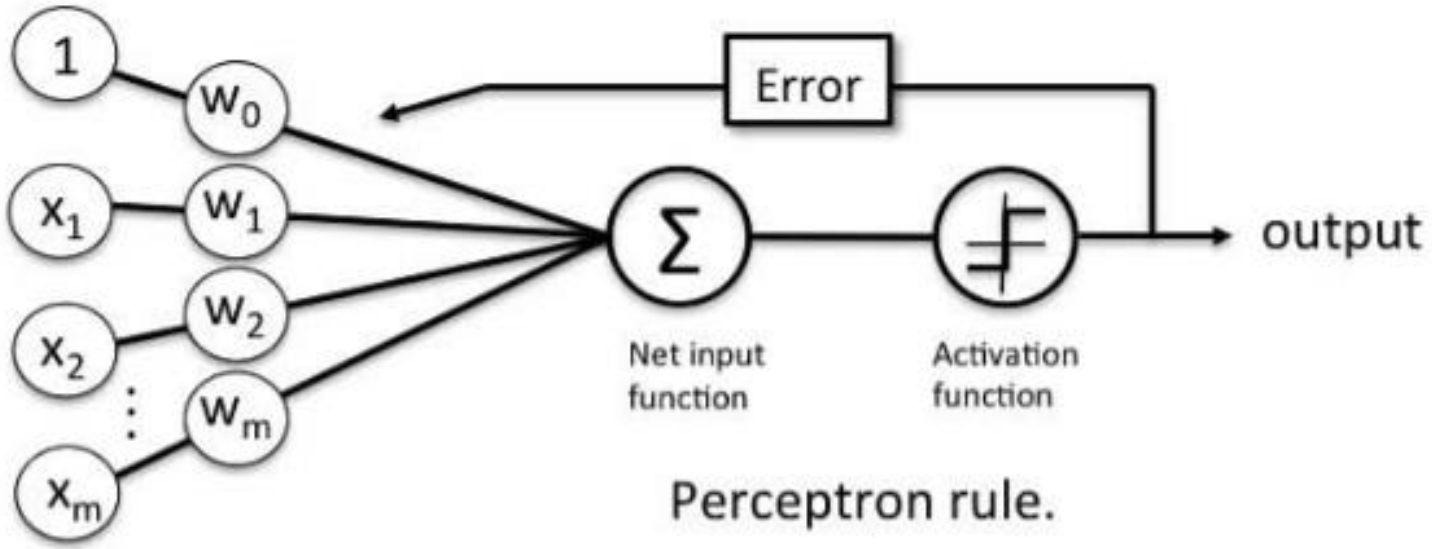
Perceptron Learning Rule

- Suppose that x is a feature vector, y is the correct class label, and y' is the predicted class label computed using the current weights.
  - If y' = y, do nothing
  - Otherwise $w_i^{new} = w_i^{old} + \Delta w_i^{old}$, $\Delta w_i = \alpha (t - o) x_i$

perceptron prediction

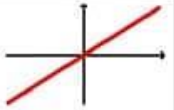
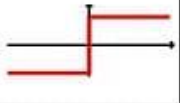
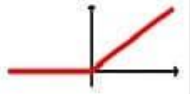
learning rate

real target value

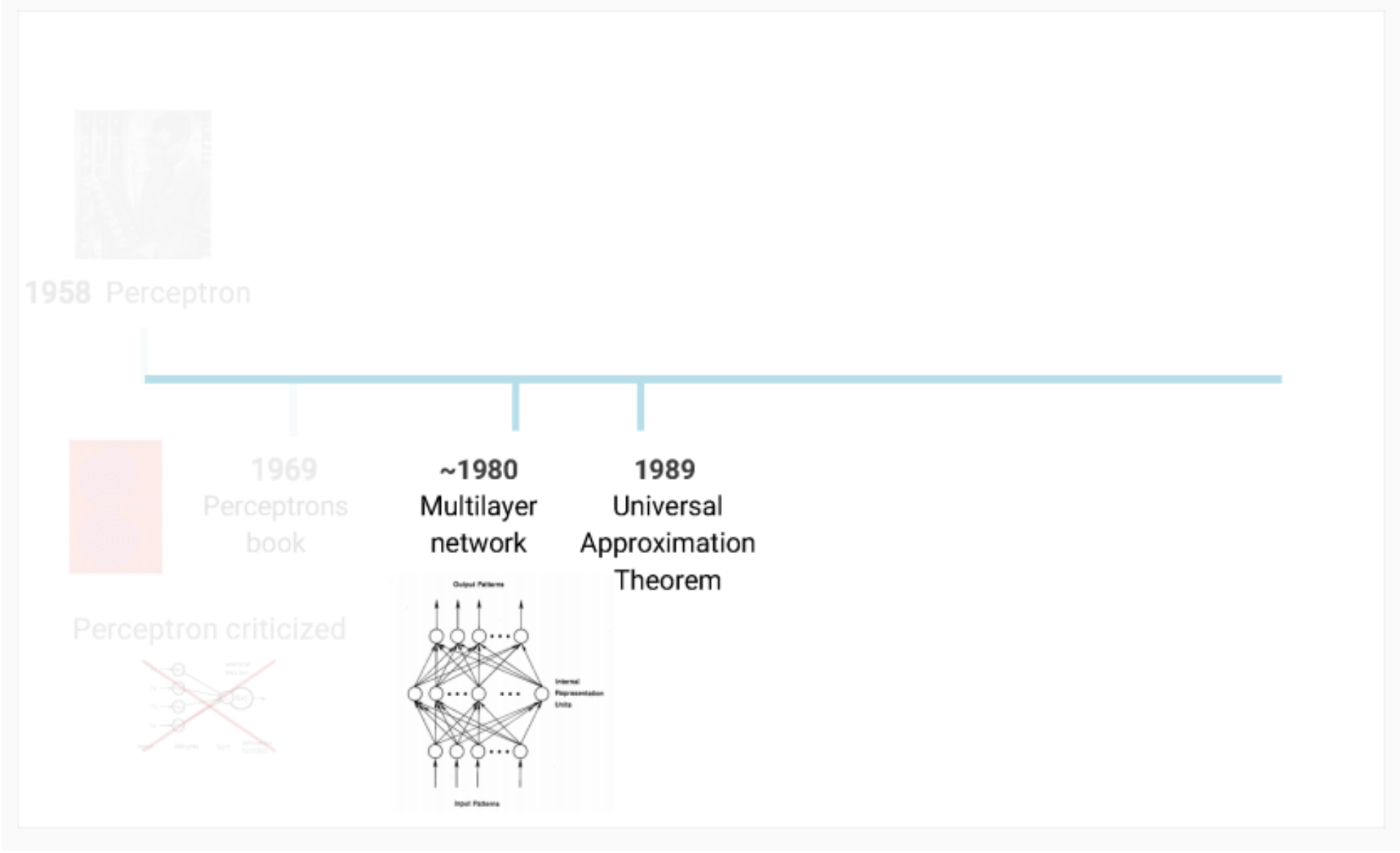


Activation Functions

- Outputs the label given an input or a set of inputs

Activation Function	Equation	Example	1D Graph
Linear	$\phi(z) = z$	Adaline, linear regression	
Unit Step (Heaviside Function)	$\phi(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & z < 0 \\ 0.5 & z = 0 \\ 1 & z > 0 \end{cases}$	Perceptron variant	
Sign (signum)	$\phi(z) = \begin{cases} -1 & z < 0 \\ 0 & z = 0 \\ 1 & z > 0 \end{cases}$	Perceptron variant	
Piece-wise Linear	$\phi(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & z \le -½ \\ z + ½ & -½ \le z \le ½ \\ 1 & z \ge ½ \end{cases}$	Support vector machine	
Logistic (sigmoid)	$\phi(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}$	Logistic regression, Multilayer NN	
Hyperbolic Tangent (tanh)	$\phi(z) = \frac{e^{z} - e^{-z}}{e^{z} + e^{-z}}$	Multilayer NN, RNNs	
ReLU	$\phi(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & z < 0 \\ z & z > 0 \end{cases}$	Multilayer NN, CNNs	

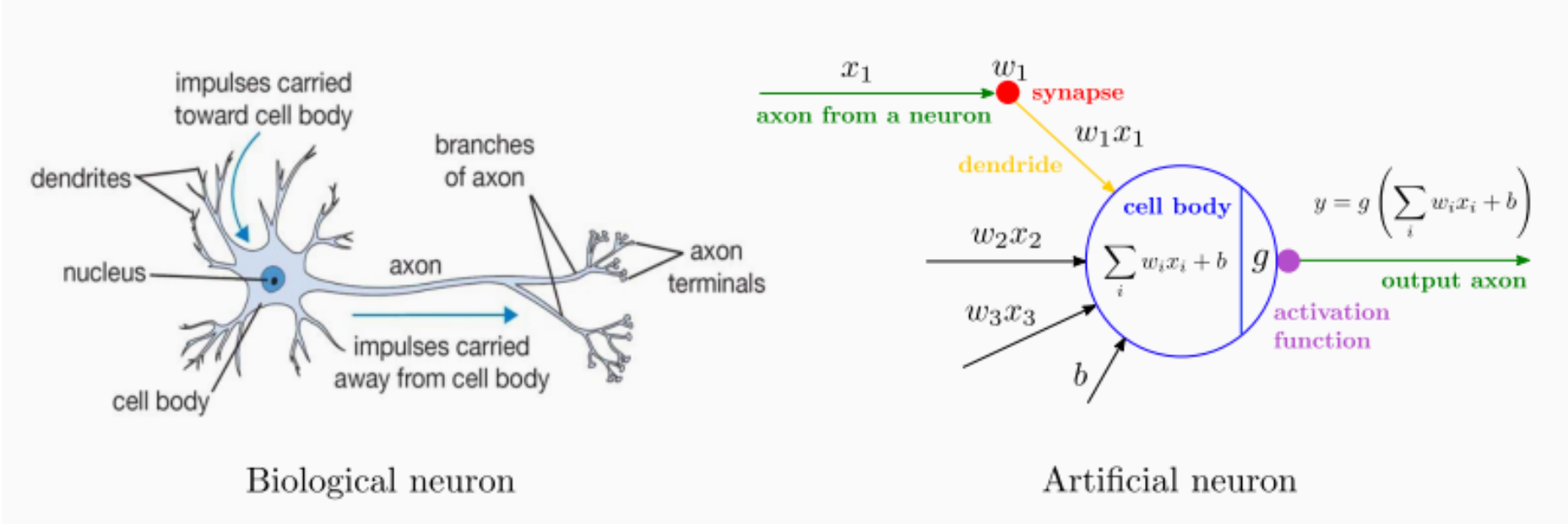
Multilayer Perceptron



Mulilayer Perceptron

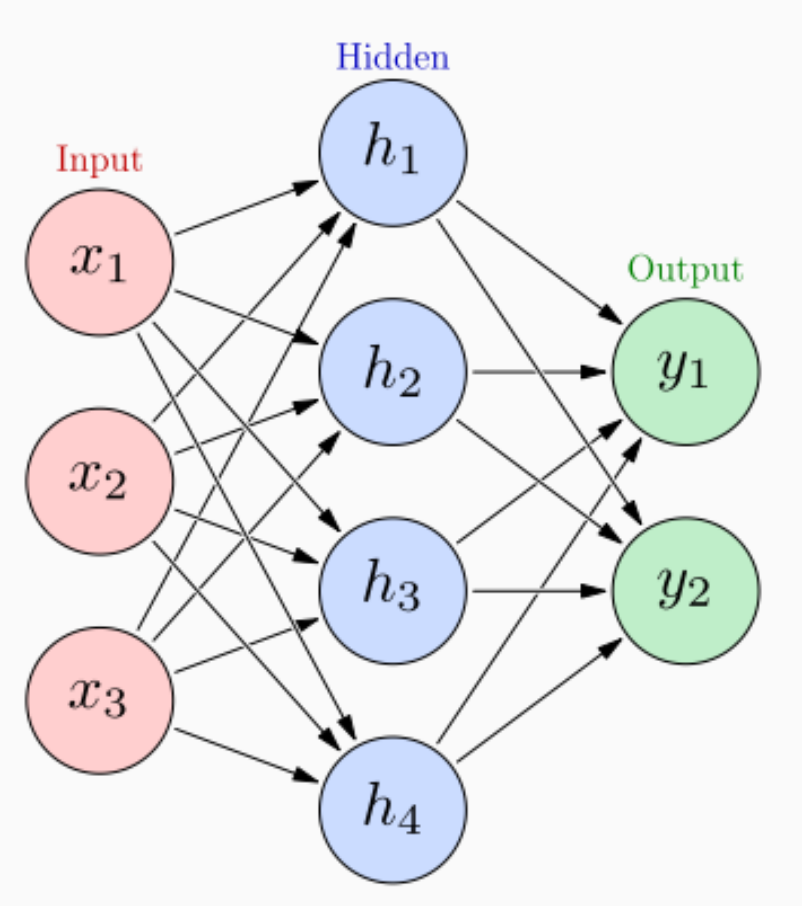
- AKA Artificial Neural Networks

- Artificial Neuron



Artificial Neural Networks

- Inter-connection of several artificial neurons (also called nodes or units);
- Each "level" in the graph is called a lauer:
  - Input layer;
  - Hidden layer(s);
  - Output layer.
- Each neuron in the hidden layers acts as a classifier / feature detector;
- Fedforward neural network (no cycles):
  - First na simplest type of neural network;
  - Information moves in one direction.



Artificial Neural Networks

$$h_1 = g_1\left(w_{11}^1 x_1 + w_{12}^1 x_2 + w_{13}^1 x_3 + b_1^1\right)$$
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$$y_1 = g_2\left(w_{11}^2 h_1 + w_{12}^2 h_2 + w_{13}^2 h_3 + w_{14}^2 h_4 + b_1^2\right)$$
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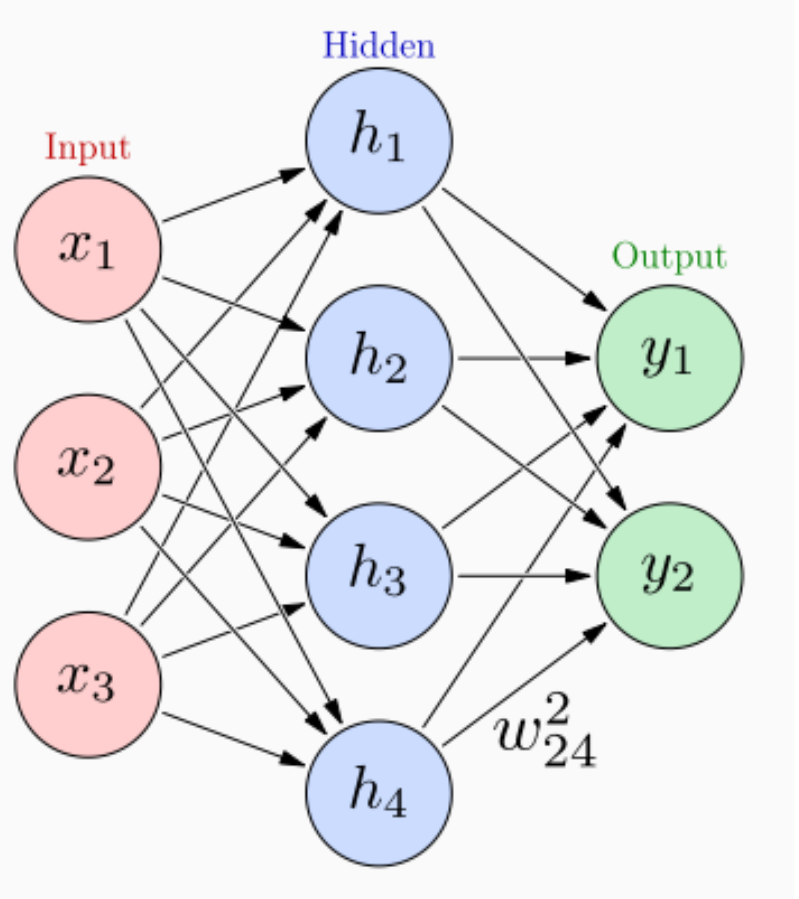

- w^k_{ij} weight between previous node j and next node i at layer k;
- g_k is any activation function applied to each its input vector

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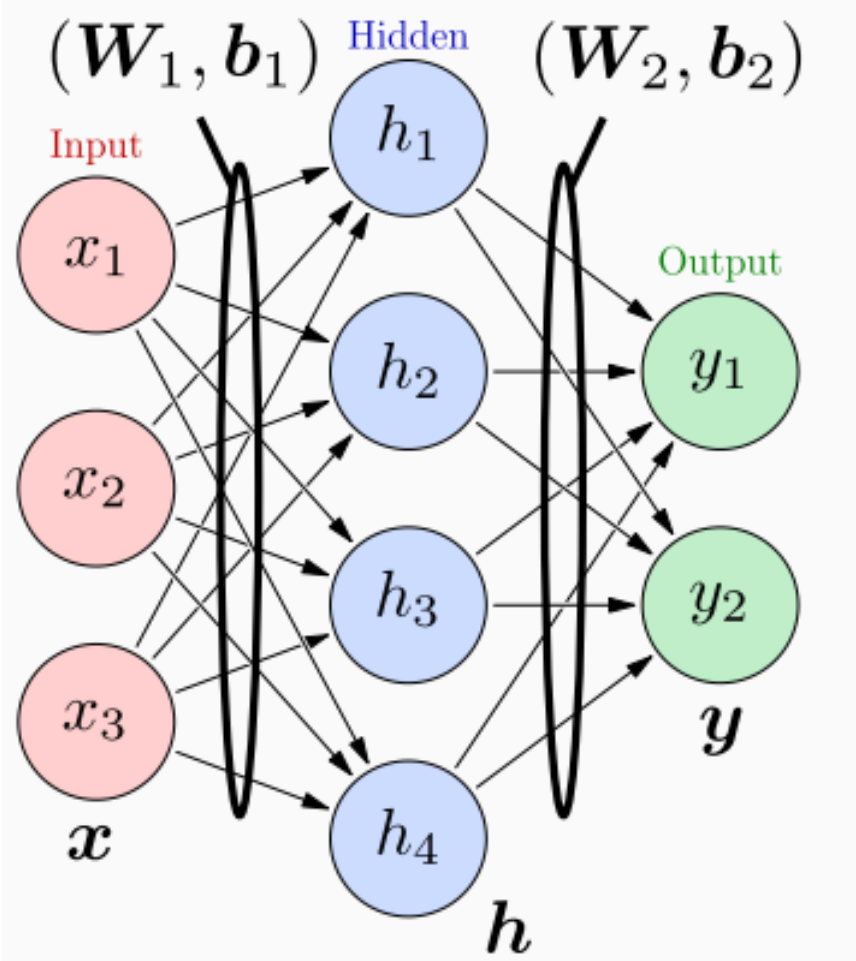
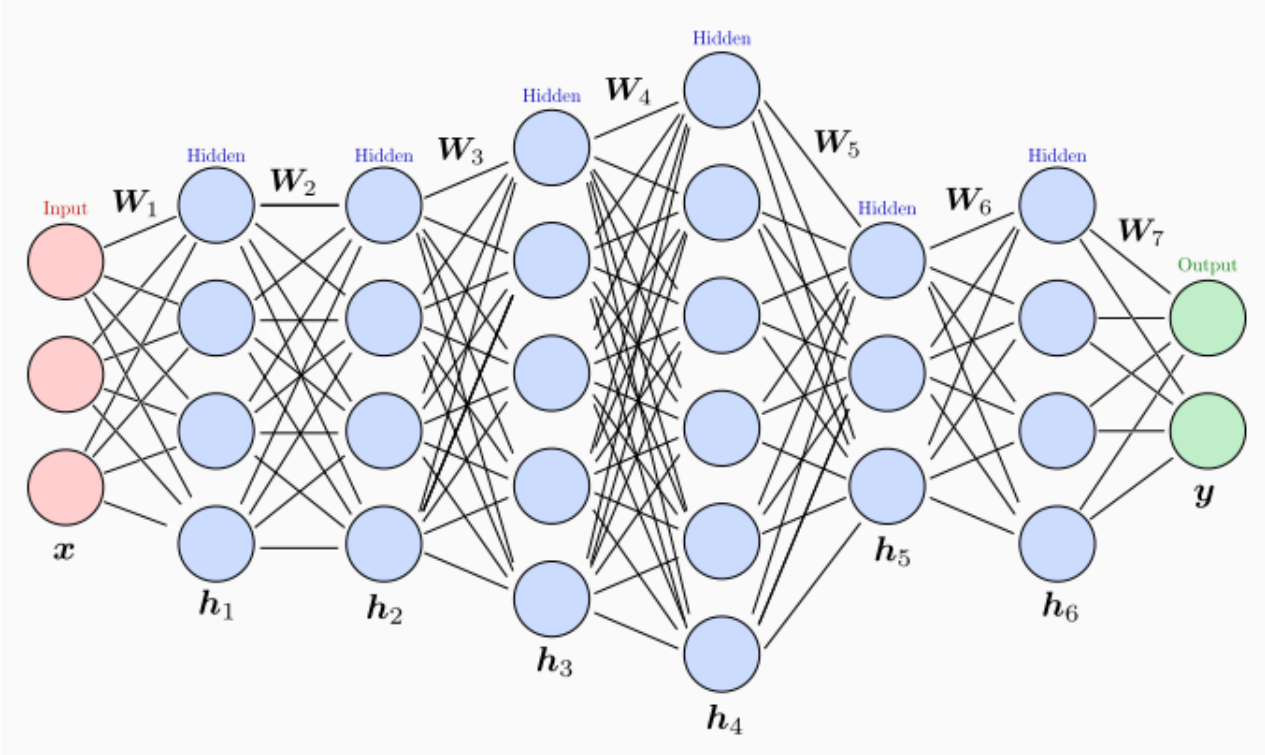


- The matrices W_k and biases b_k are learned from labeled training data.

Artificial Neural Networks



- It can have 1 hidden layer only (shallow network);
- It can have more than 1 hidden layer (deep network);
- Each layer can have a different size, and hidden and output layers often have different activation functions.

Deep Learning

- Not covered in this curricular unit!

Resources

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