Fully Connected Neural Networks

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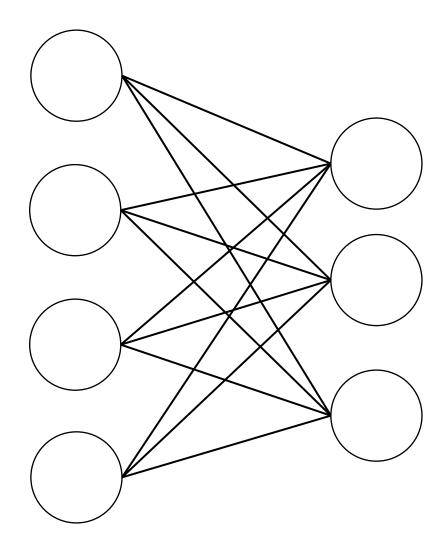


Learning Goals

- Introduce fully connected neural networks
- Learn how to compute the number of parameters of your model

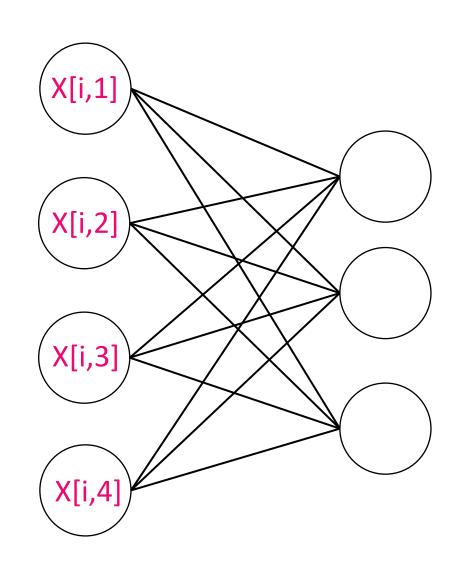


Fully connected neural networks (FCNN)





Inputs

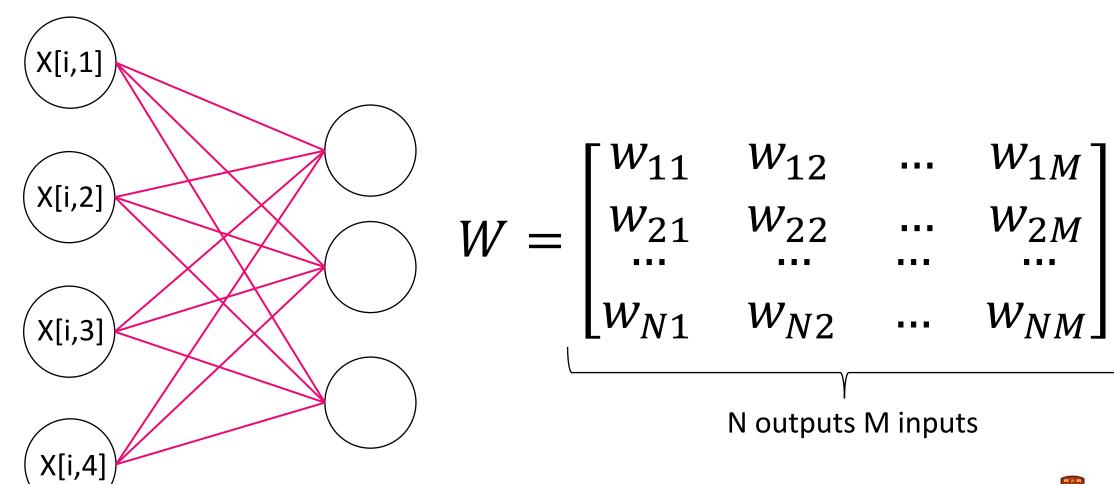


$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & \dots & x_{1M} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & \dots & x_{2M} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ x_{N1} & x_{N2} & \dots & x_{NM} \end{bmatrix}$$

N samples with M features

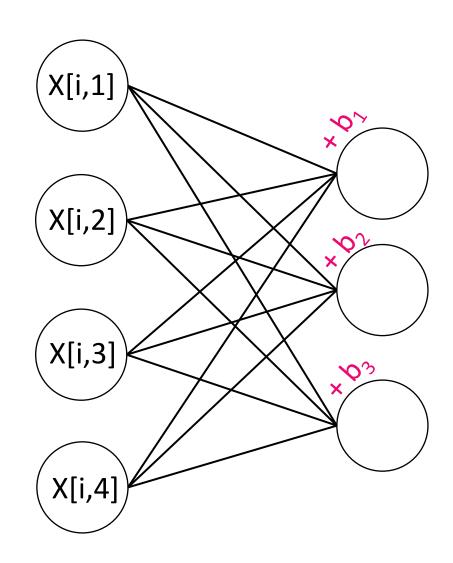


Weights





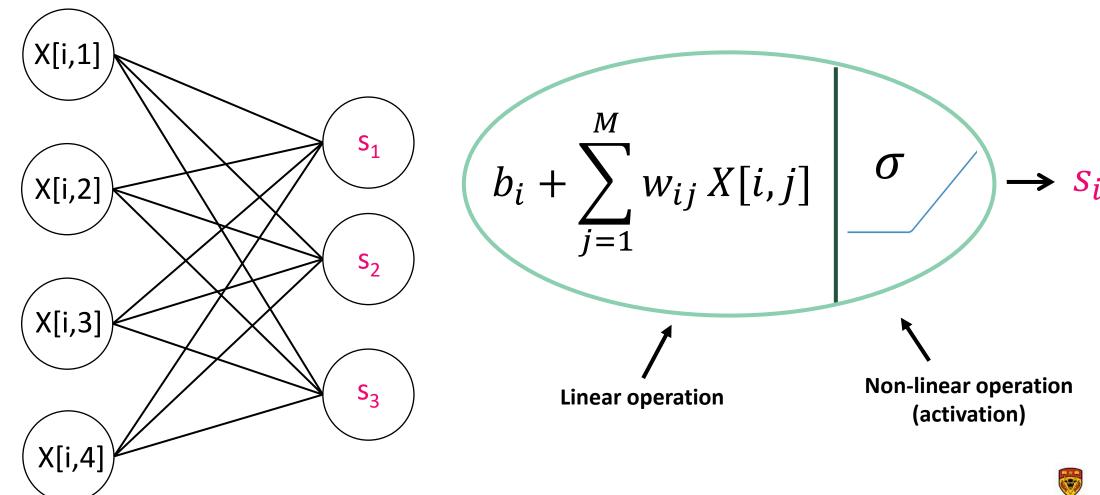
Bias



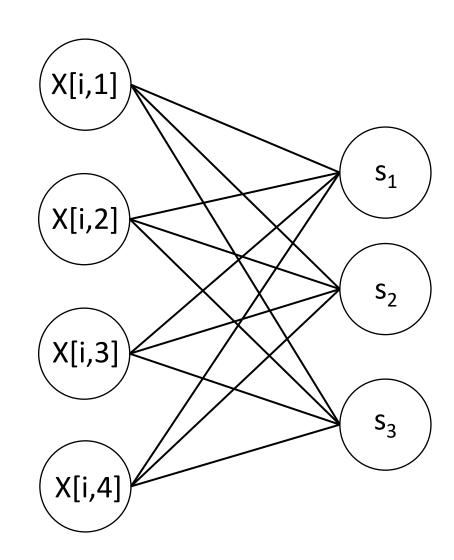
$$b = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \cdots \\ b_M \end{bmatrix}$$
M outputs

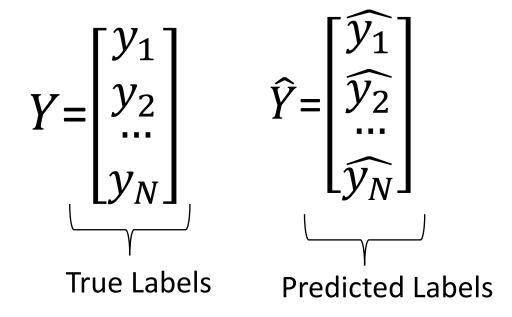


The Neuron Model



Outputs



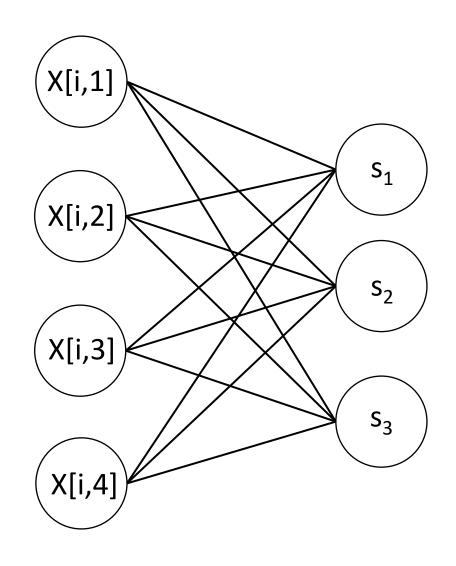


If the activation σ is the softmax function, then:

$$\hat{y} = \underset{\forall i}{\operatorname{argmax}}(s_i)$$



Single-layer FCNN



Matrix formulation:

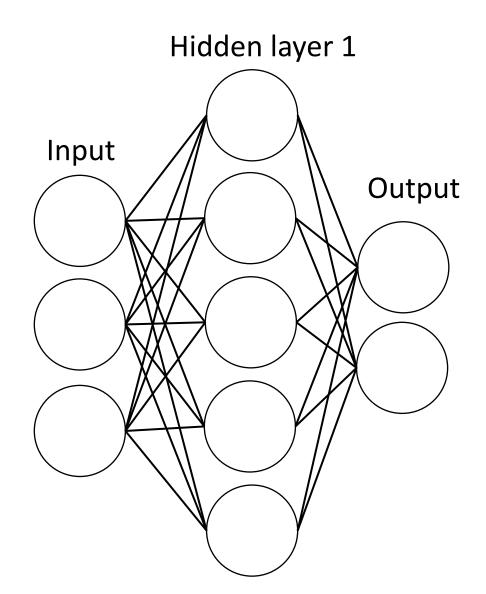
$$[S]_{C\times 1} = \sigma([W]_{C\times M}X_{i,:}^T + [B]_{C\times 1})$$

Number of parameters:

$$(M + 1) \times C = (4 + 1) \times 3 = 15$$



Multi-layer FCNN



$$[S^{(1)}] = \sigma_1([W^{(1)}]X_{i,:}^T + [B^{(1)}])$$

$$[S^{(2)}] = \sigma_2([W^{(2)}]S^{(1)} + [B^{(2)}])$$

Number of parameters:

First layer: $(3 + 1) \times 5 = 20$

Second layer: $(5 + 1) \times 2 = 12$

Total: 32



Summary

 Fully connected neural networks alternate linear operations (matrix multiplication + bias term) and non-linear activations

$$\left(b_i + \sum_{j=1}^{M} w_{ij} X[i,j] \right) \longrightarrow S_i$$

• The number of parameters in each layer is given by the (number of inputs +1) x the number of outputs



Thank you!

