



Neurons

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Title : Neurons



Summary

- Neurons are functions that input previous neurons, gets processed by weighted sum, bias and activation, then gives an output.
- The mathematical representation of a neural network is
$$f_i(x) = a(w_i x + b_i)$$
- Hidden layers represent features divided

▼ Google Collab Practice 

▼ Further research 

- what is MLP and why in the video he referred that it is the simplest DL

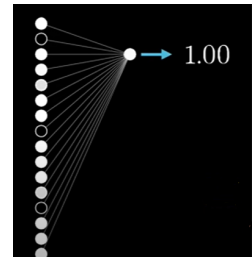
▼ Resources used 

[But what is a neural network? | Chapter 1, Deep learning - YouTube](#)

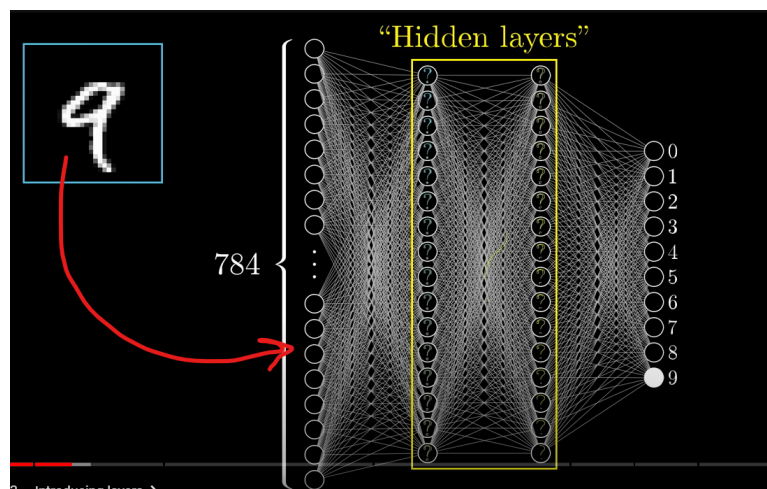


How to visualize a neuron?

- A function that takes [input of all neurons in previous layers](#) and maps it accordingly to get an [output](#)



What are the layers in a neural network?

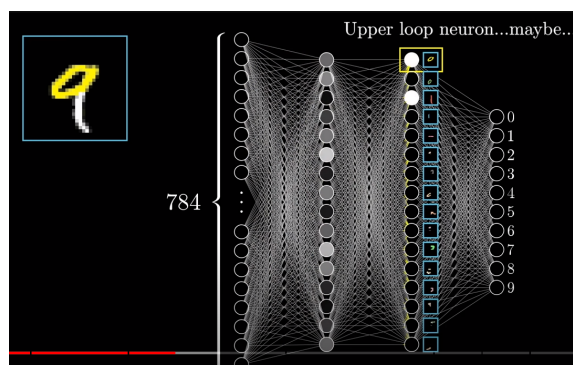


1. Input layer

- if it is an image it gets flattened.

2. Hidden layer

- Neurons corresponds to features or subcomponents
- As you go further into the hidden layers, the more coherent the features are

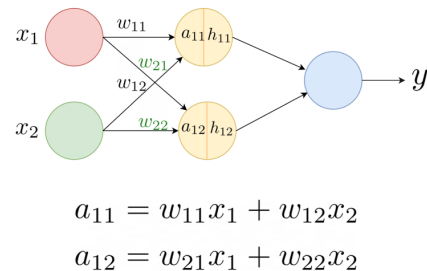
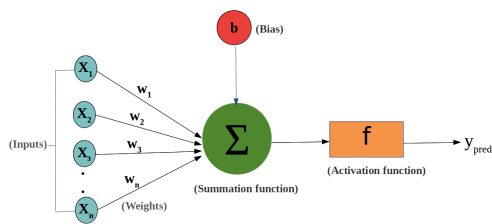


3. Output layer

- The neuron numbers will depend on the number of solutions possible
- For example in digit recognition we have 10 neurons, because we can identify from 0 to 9

What are weights ?

- a way to be able to tune features effect. The activation increases when the output is similar to what we want it to look like



+ What are bias ?

- When we want the weighted sum to be greater than a threshold

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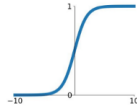
0 What is activation function ?

- when we want the output of a neuron to look a specific way
- Adds non-linearity
- How positive the relative weighted sum is to what we want it to be ?

Activation Functions

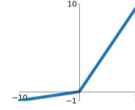
Sigmoid

$$\sigma(x) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-x}}$$



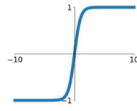
Leaky ReLU

$$\max(0.1x, x)$$



tanh

$$\tanh(x)$$

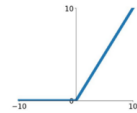


Maxout

$$\max(w_1^T x + b_1, w_2^T x + b_2)$$

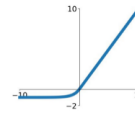
ReLU

$$\max(0, x)$$

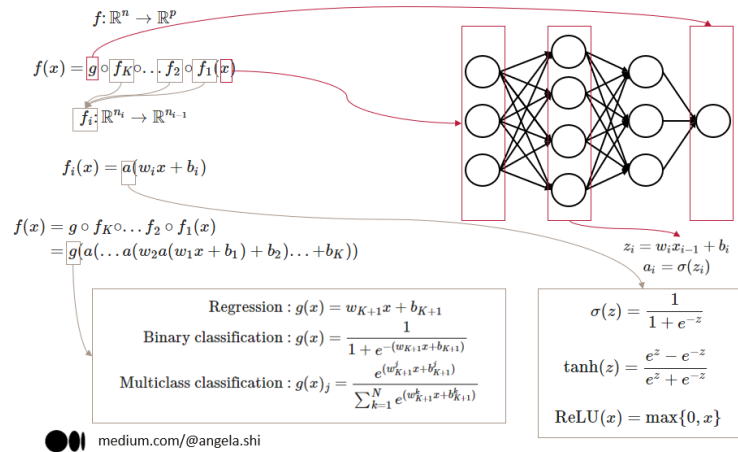


ELU

$$\begin{cases} x & x \geq 0 \\ \alpha(e^x - 1) & x < 0 \end{cases}$$



Mathematical way to represent it ?



In a nutshell what is our main aim?

Find the right weights and biases that solves the problem at hand