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## Neural Networks with Python and TensorFlow

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Abstract

Artificial Intelligence (AI) still remains as one of the greatest challenges in scientific research to

this date, but much progress in the field has been made using artificial neural networks. The

design of artificial neural networks is loosely inspired by that of biological brains, and serves as

an expansion of an earlier concept called the perceptron (Rosenblatt, 1958). By using multiple

layers of these artificial neurons, we can form a highly connected system that is referred to as

a neural network, these networks can then be trained on a large data set to predict the output

with high accuracy.

The range applications for neural networks is wide: they can be used to classify data, predict

future states of chaotic systems, apply stylisations to images, and control physical/physically-

based system in real-time.

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### Chapter 1

## Introduction to Neural Networks

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#### **Biological Neurons**

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#### Artificial Intelligence

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#### Perceptrons

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#### Backpropagation

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#### Types of Neurons

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CNN

RNN

 $\mathbf{LSTM}$ 

Chapter 2

Neural Networks in Python

Python is a general-purpose programming language designed by Guido van Rossum, with an

emphasis on readability and reusability (Rossum, 1996). It comes with an extensive standard

library and is one of the most popular programming languages.

There are multiple options for interacting with Python, these include:

• typing commands into an interpreter,

• writing files and running them with an interpreter,

• using an online service such as Google Colab.

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Single Perceptron Boston Housing Data

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Multi Layer Perceptron Boston Housing Data

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**XOR** Gate

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