

An Introduction to Deep Learning

(part 1)



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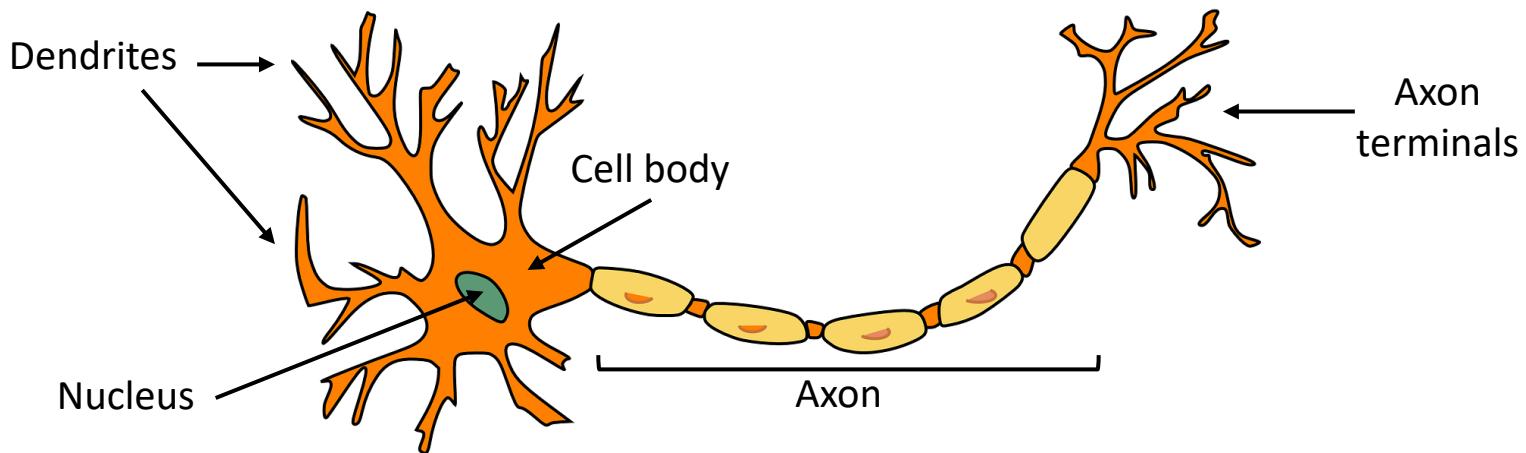
Outline

- Biological Neuron
- Artificial Neuron
- Artificial Neural Network
- Network Training

Biological Neuron

Biological Neuron

A neuron is the most basic unit of our nervous system



- It receives sensory input/electrical signal from neighbor neuron
- It sends electrical message to other neurons
- Biological neurons can get “*active*”, depending on their input signal

Biological Neuron

- Our perception of the world is based on the interconnections among the neurons in our brain

Input



Biological Neuron

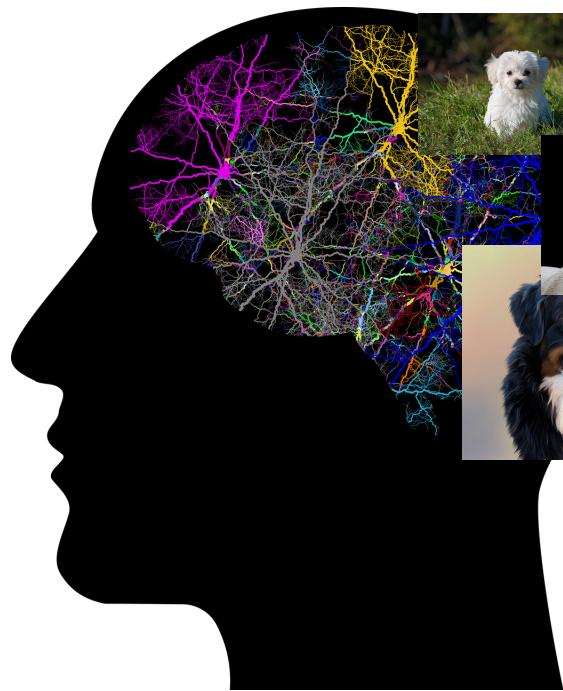
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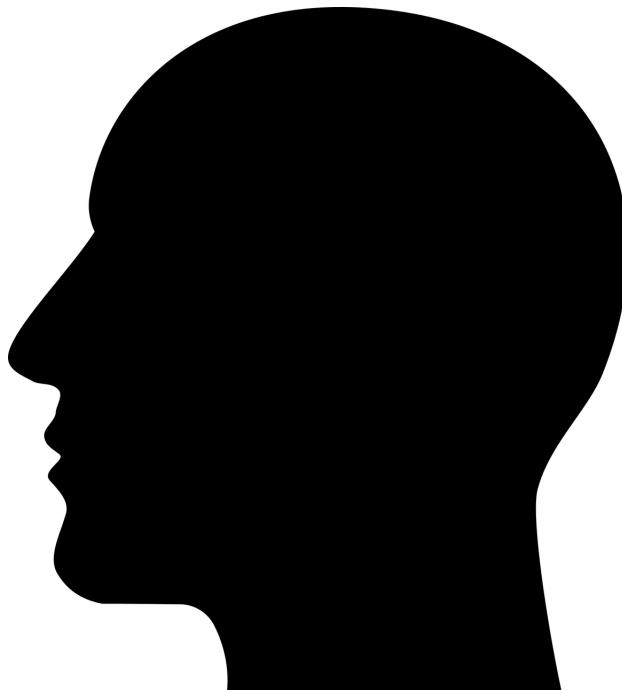
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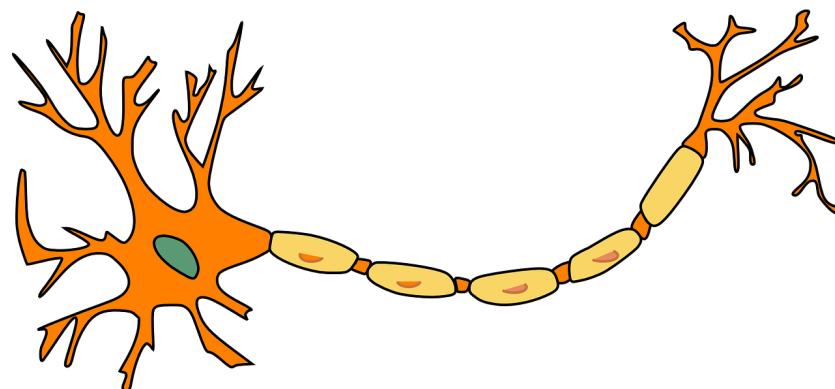
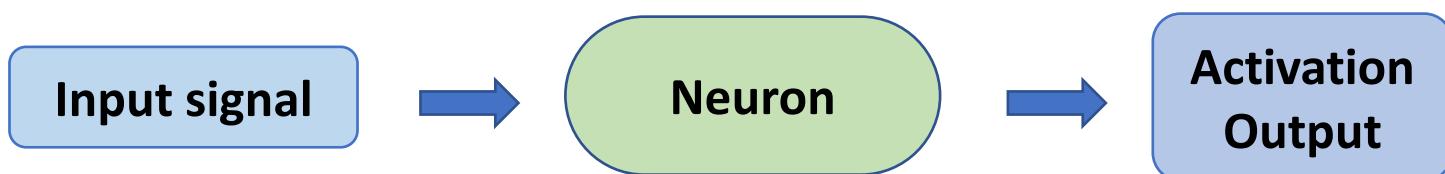
This is a dog



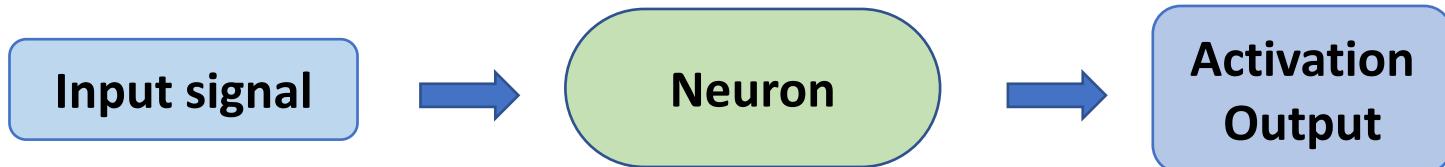
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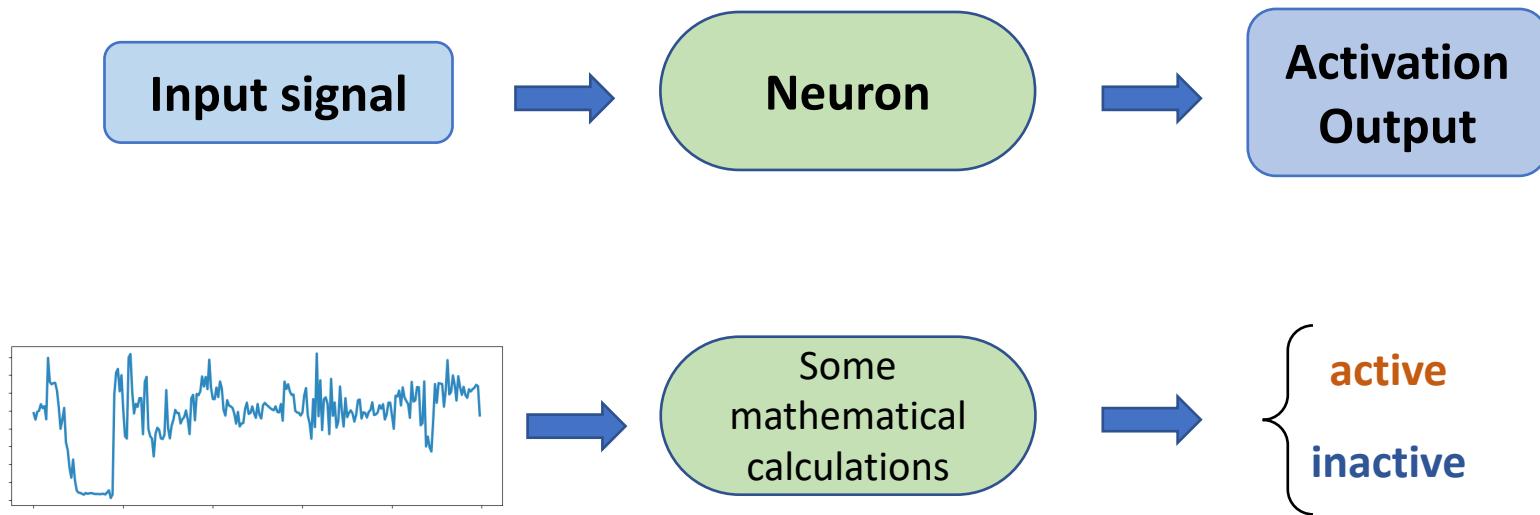
- An artificial neuron is the most basic unit of an Artificial Neural network
- It is inspired by the neurons in our brains



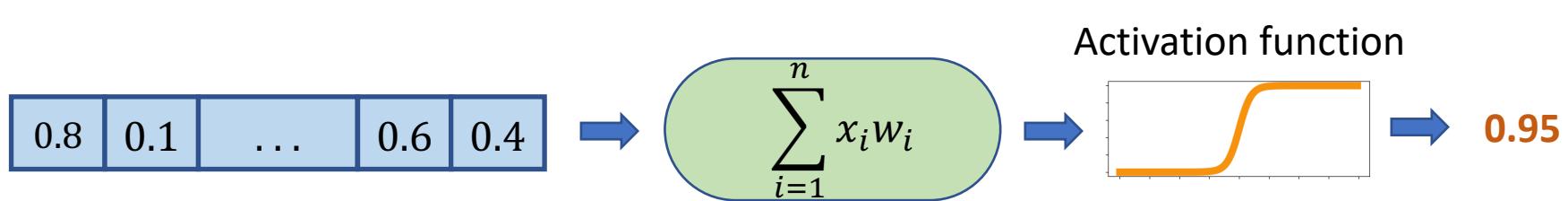
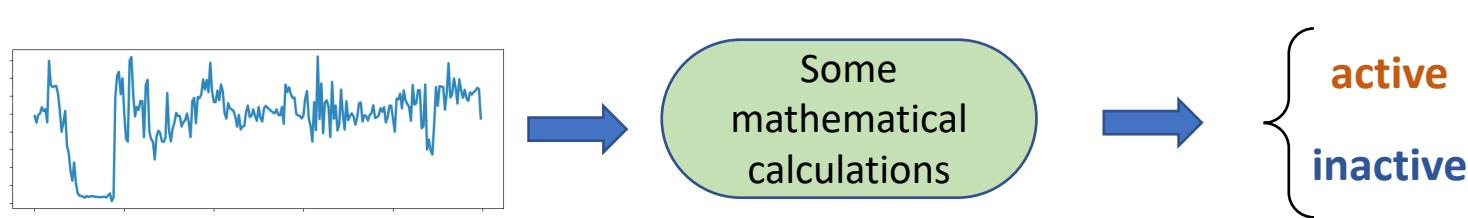
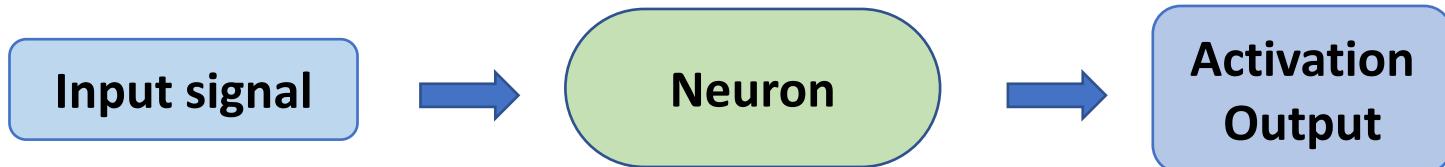
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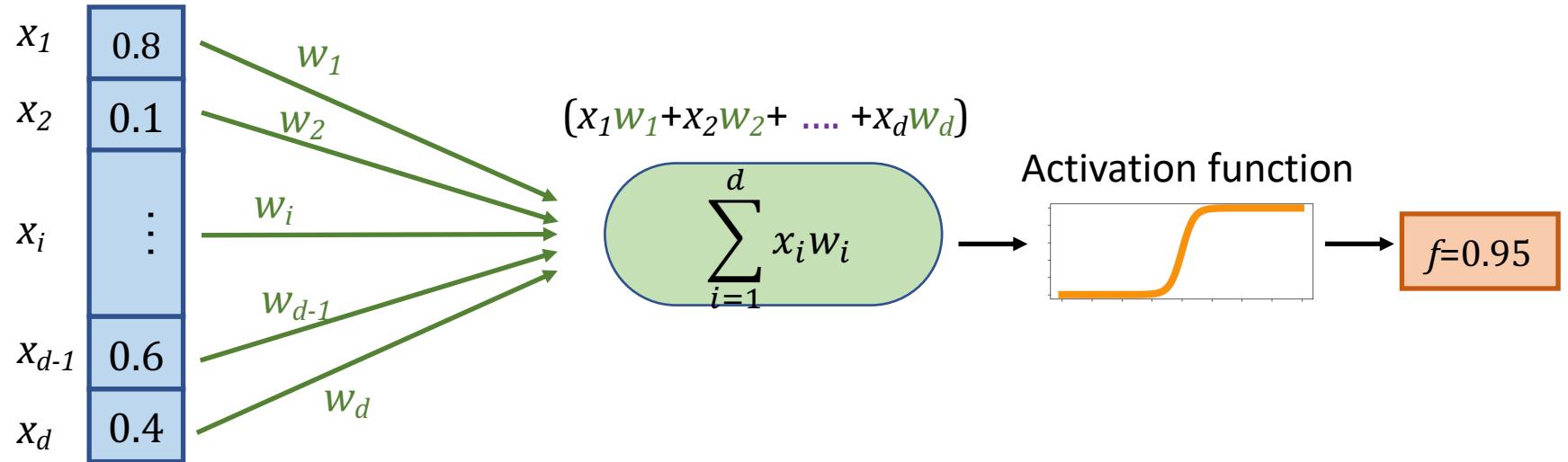


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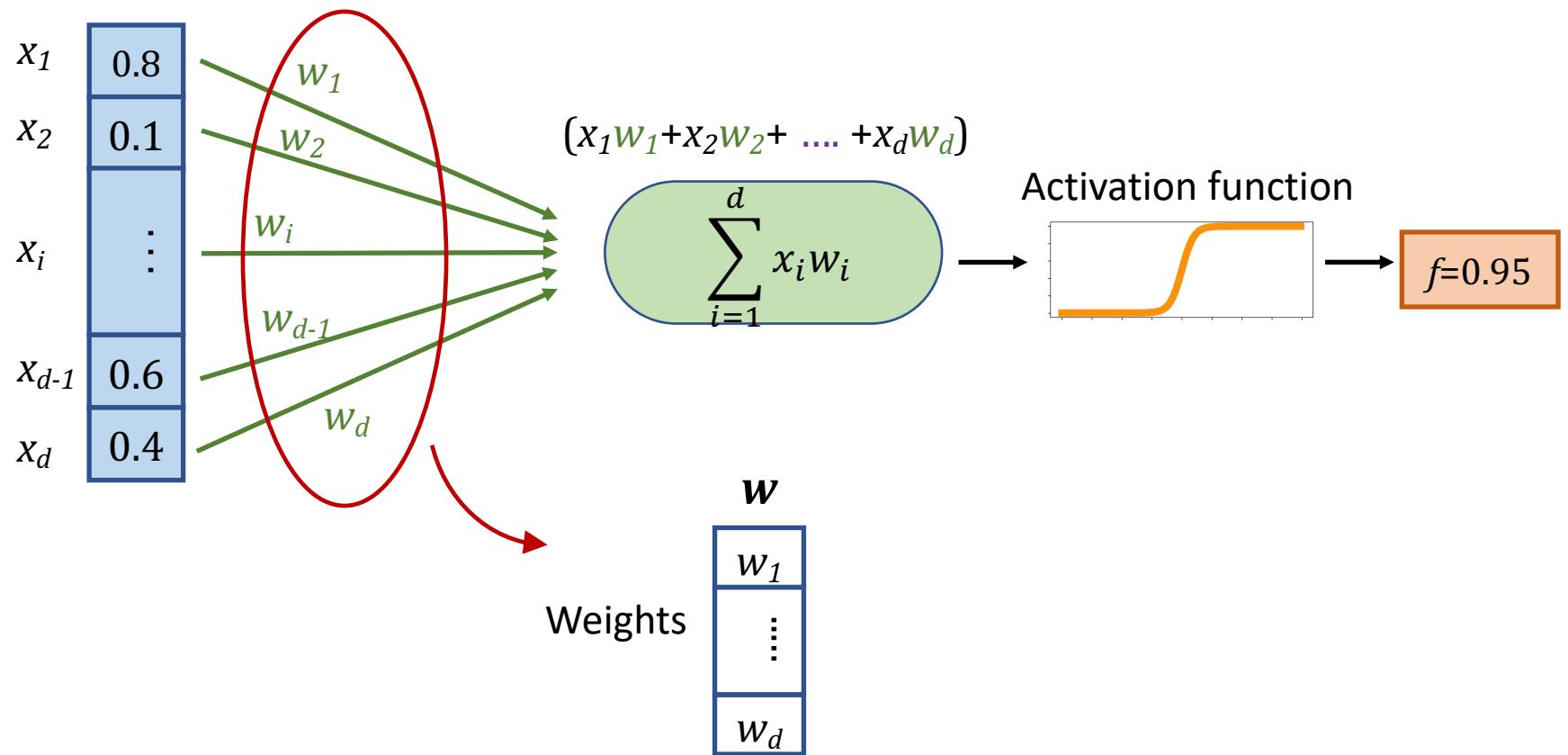
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Input vector \mathbf{x}



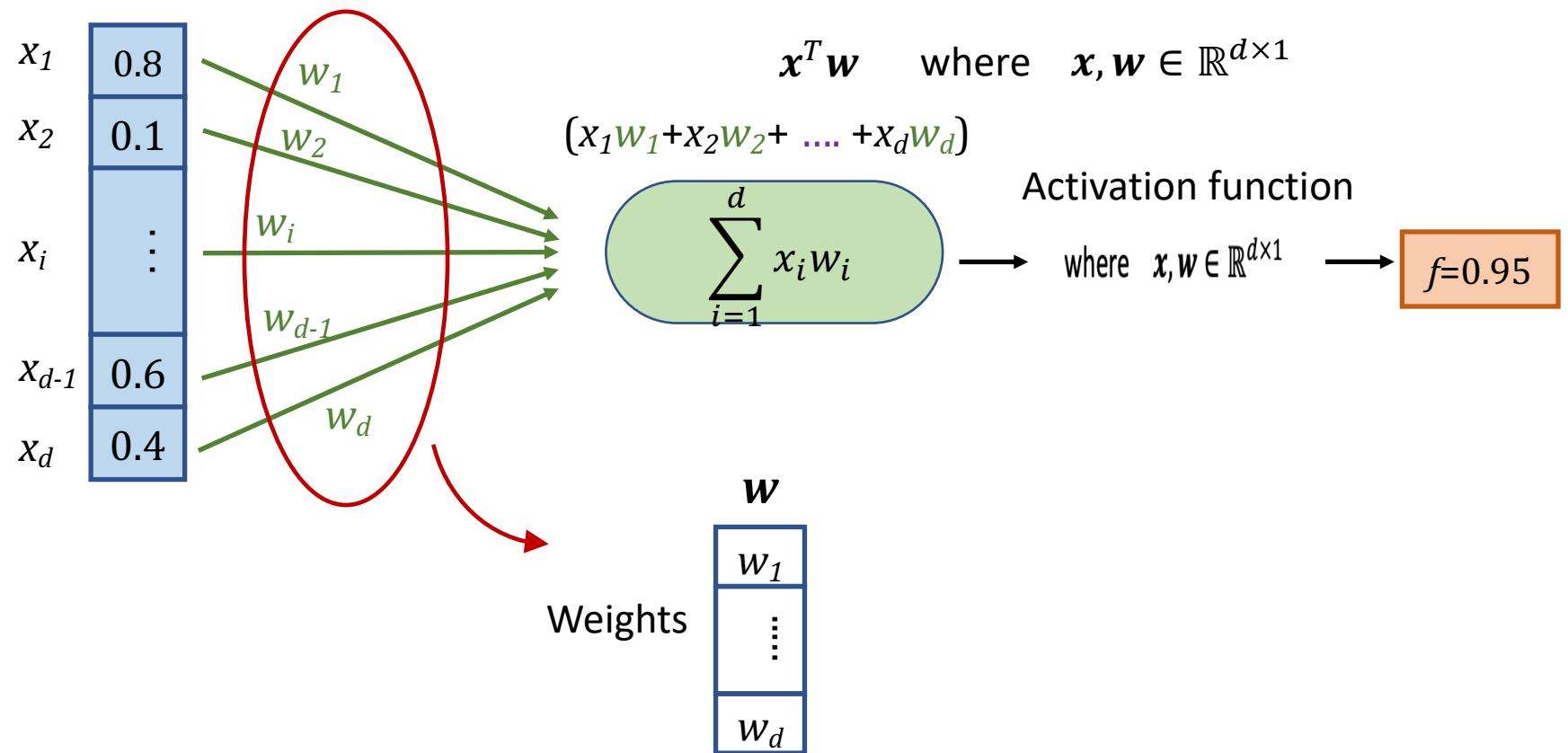
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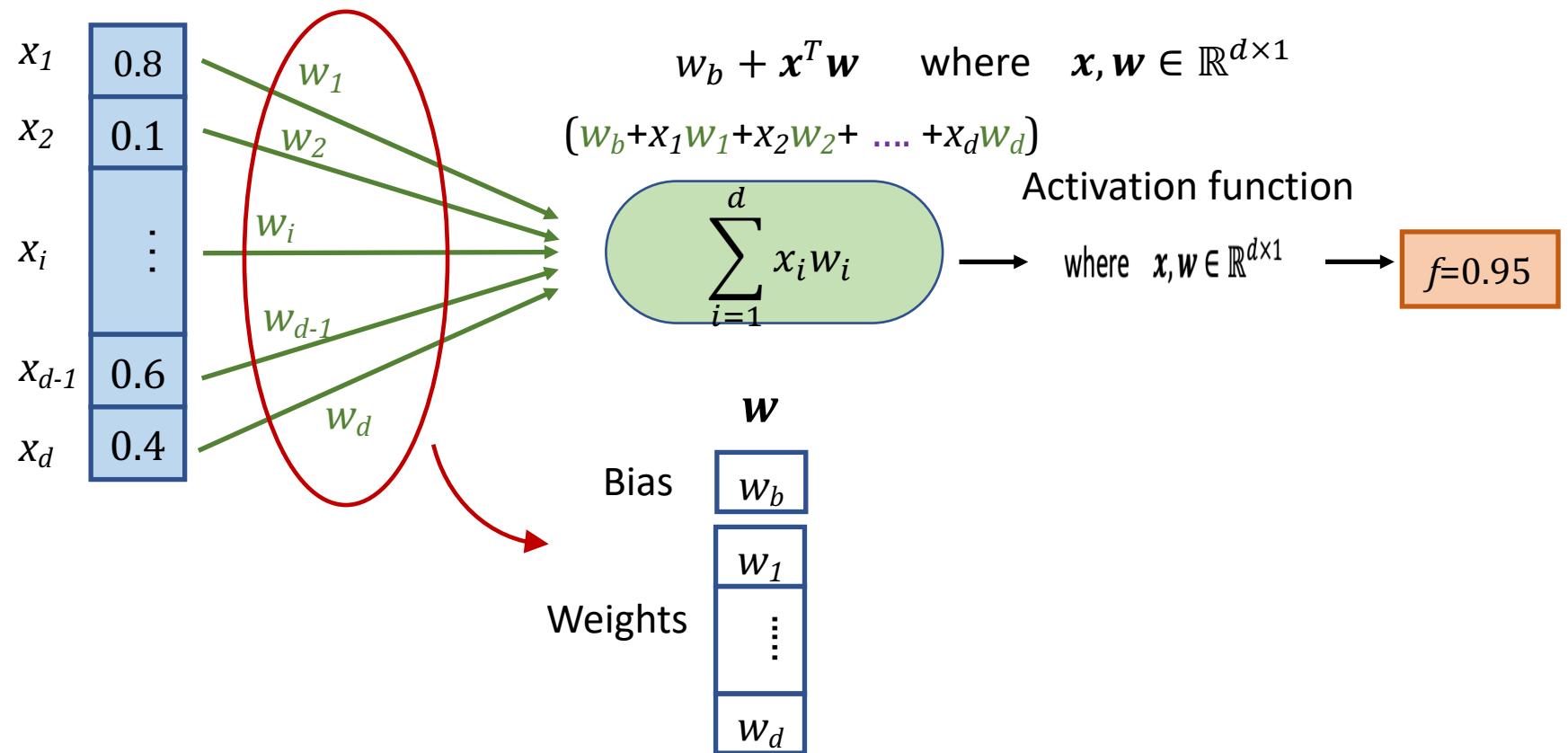
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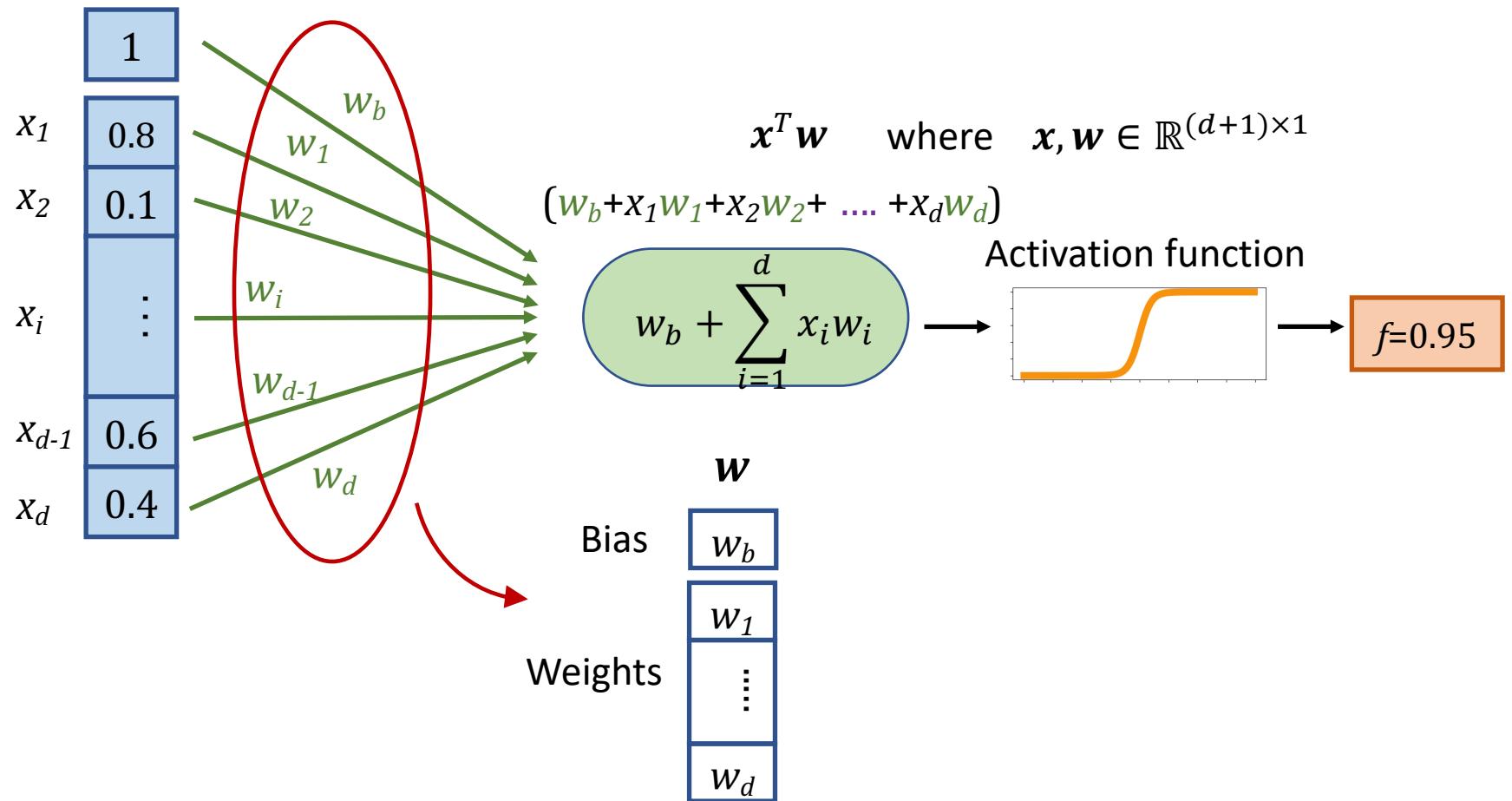
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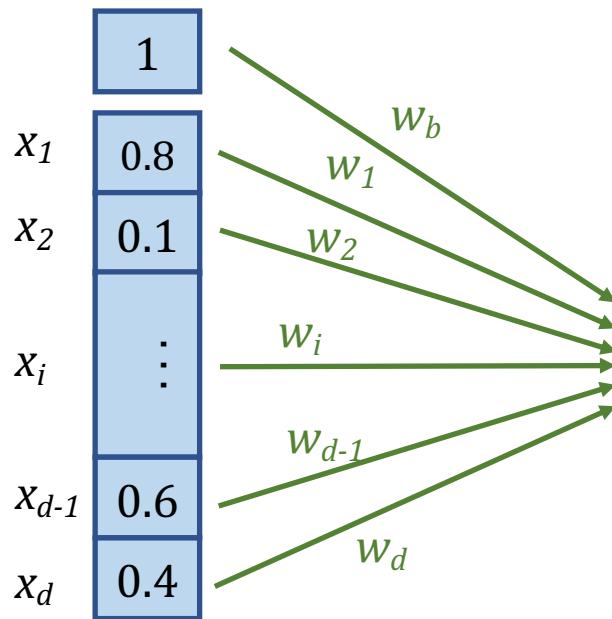
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Activation function → non-linearity

e.g. sigmoid $g(x) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-x}}$

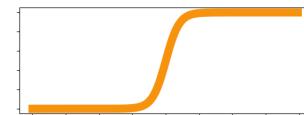
$$\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{w}$$

$$(w_b + x_1 w_1 + x_2 w_2 + \dots + x_d w_d)$$

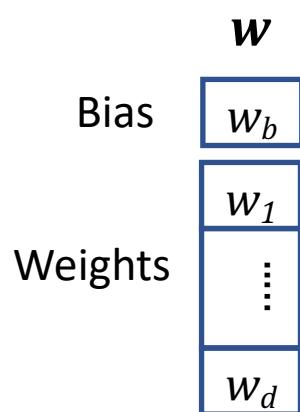
$$w_b + \sum_{i=1}^d x_i w_i$$

$$f = g(\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{w})$$

$$f=0.95$$

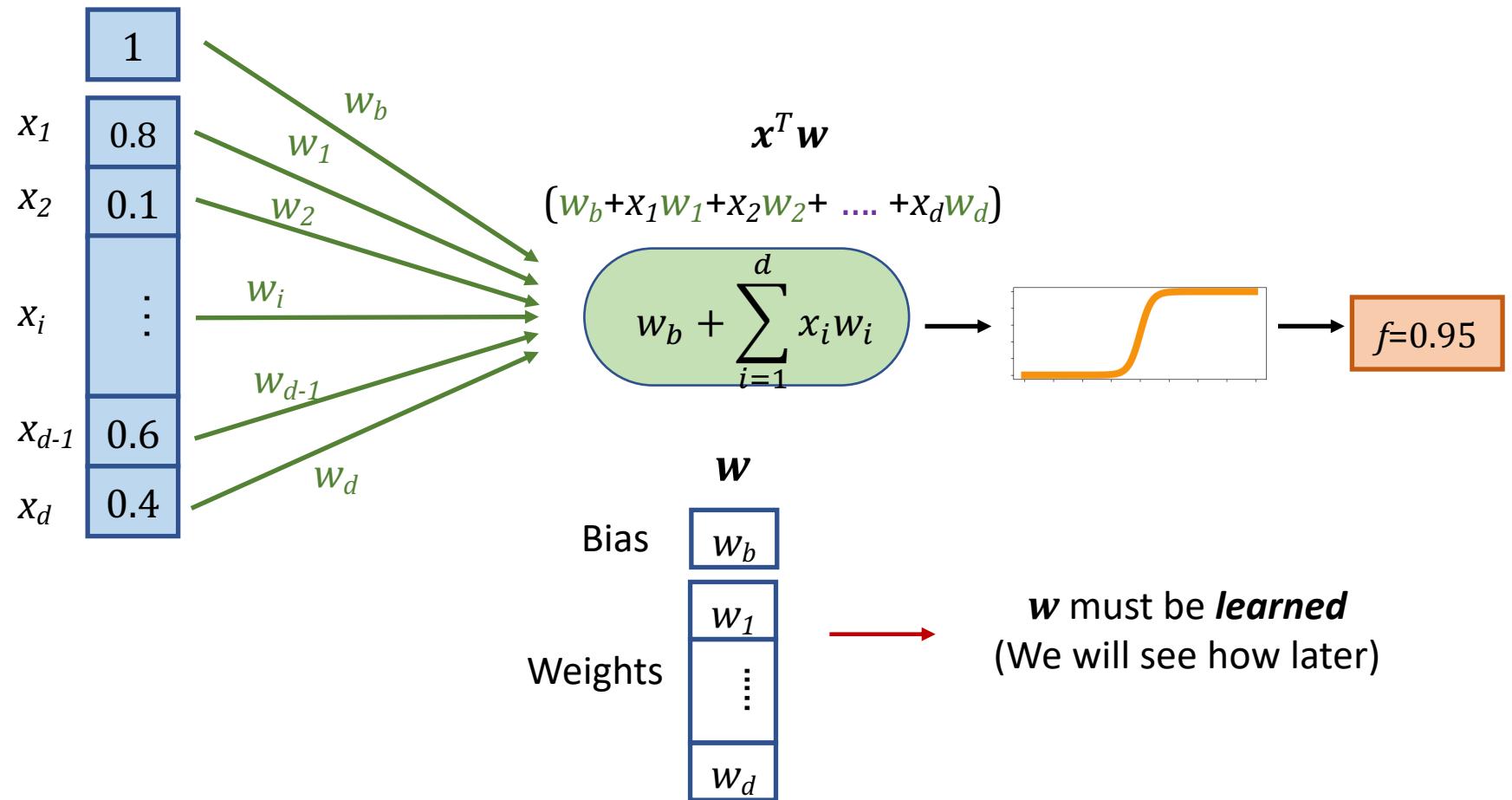


(A Perceptron uses a step function)



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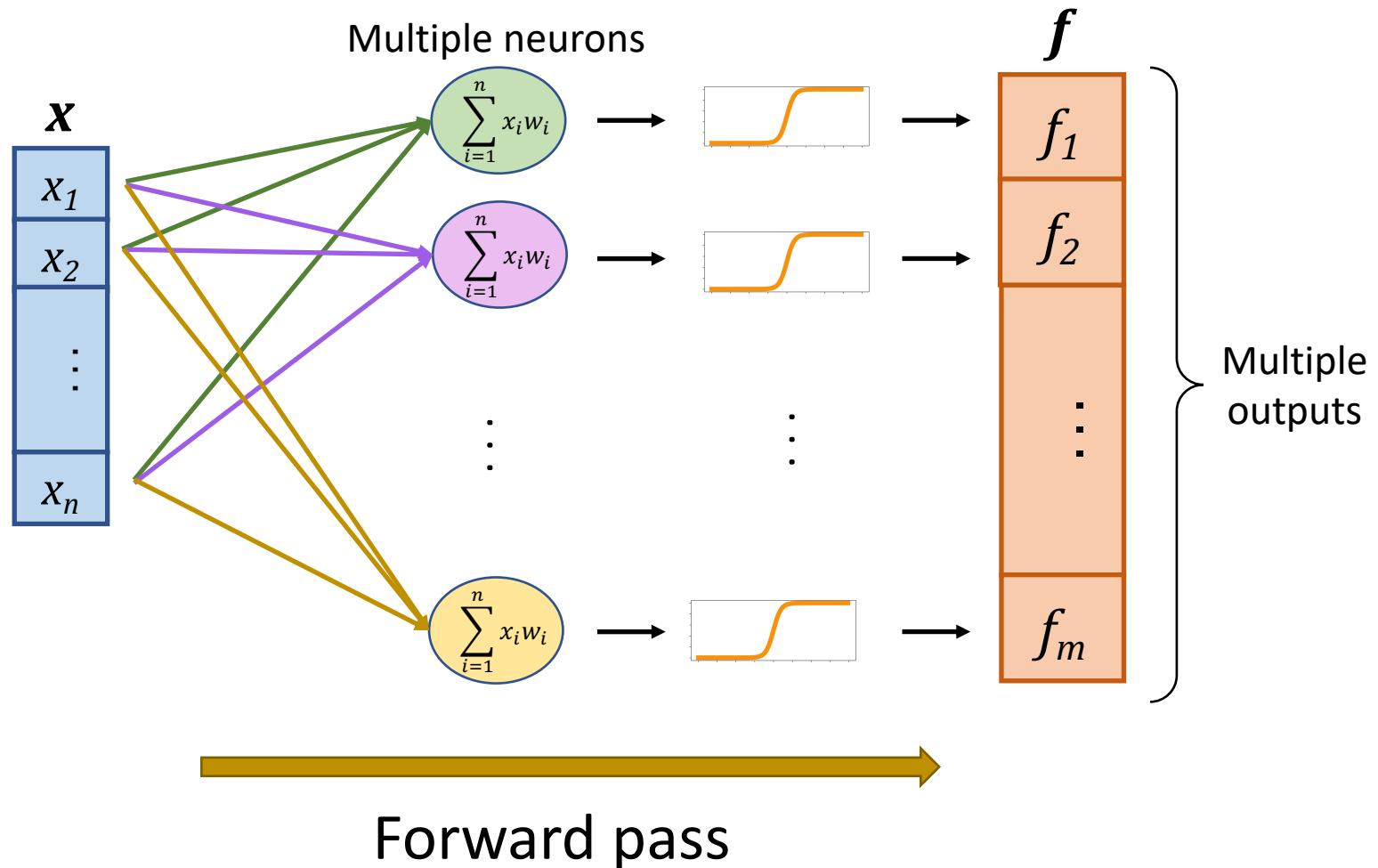
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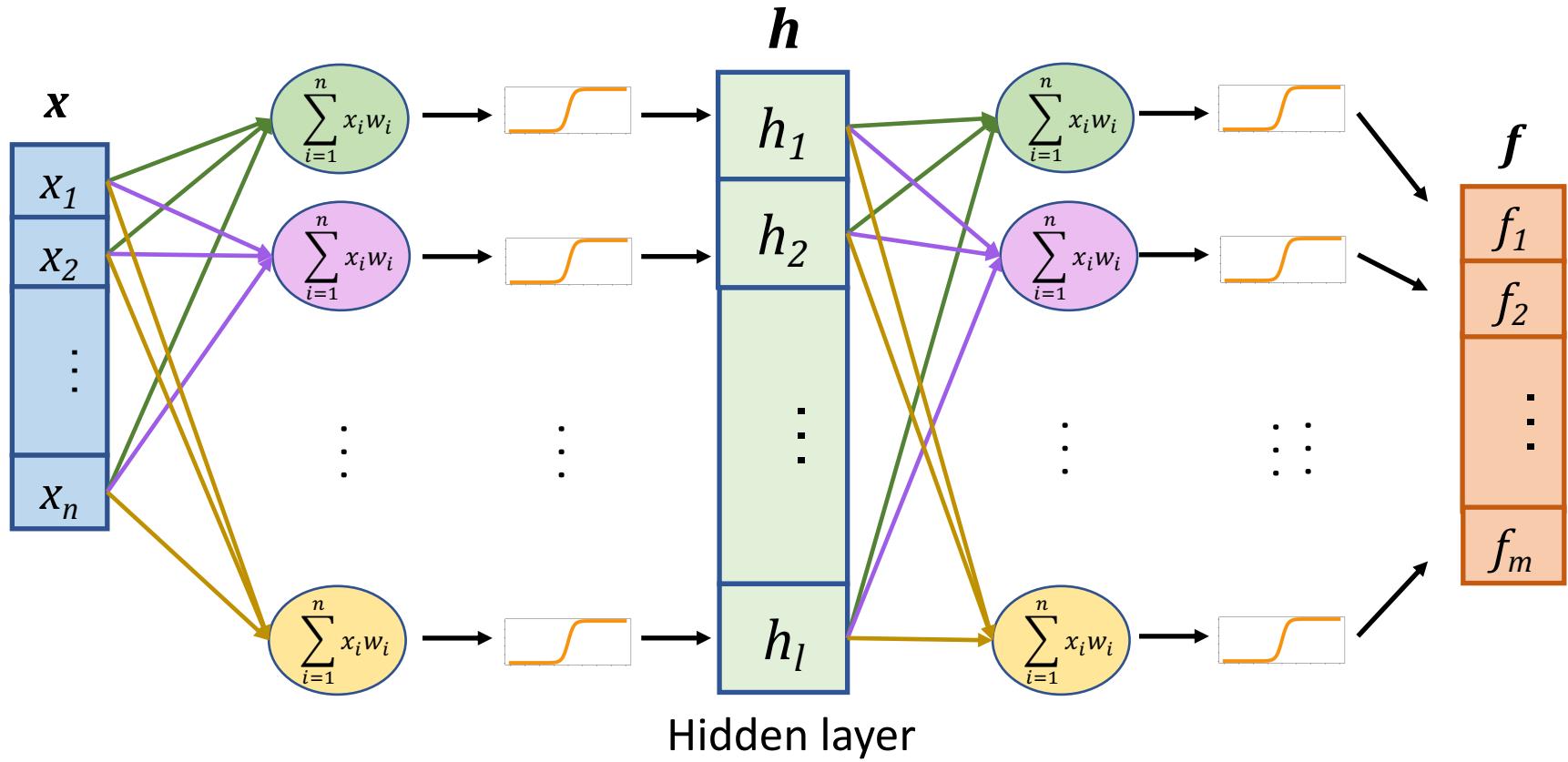
A Fully-Connected (FC/Dense) layer



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A single-layer perceptron

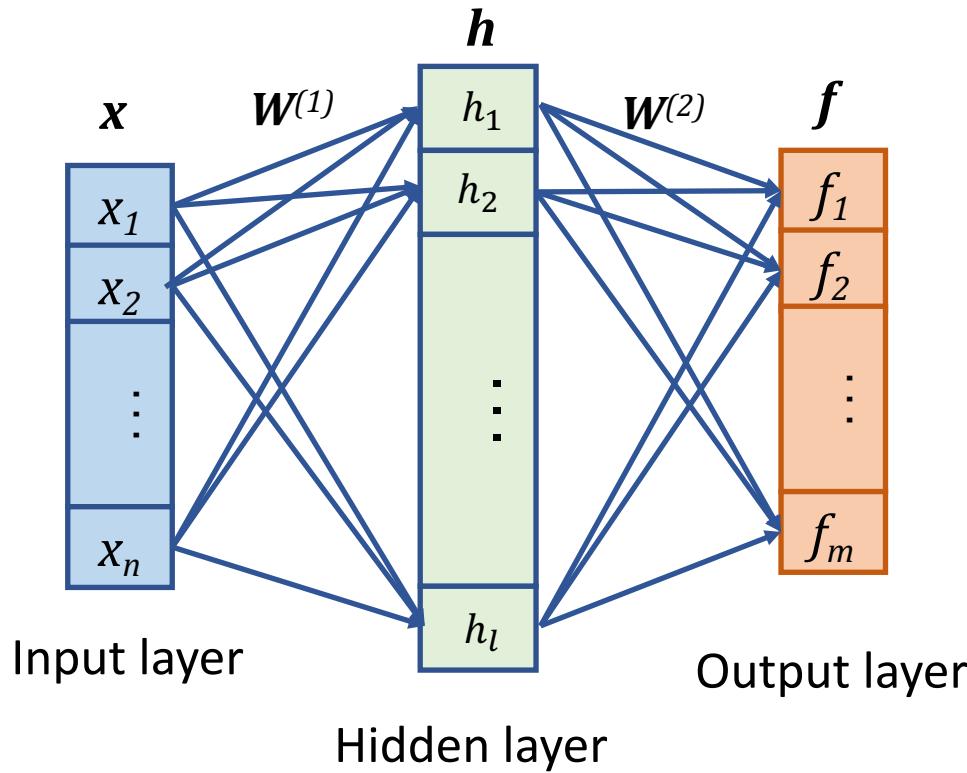
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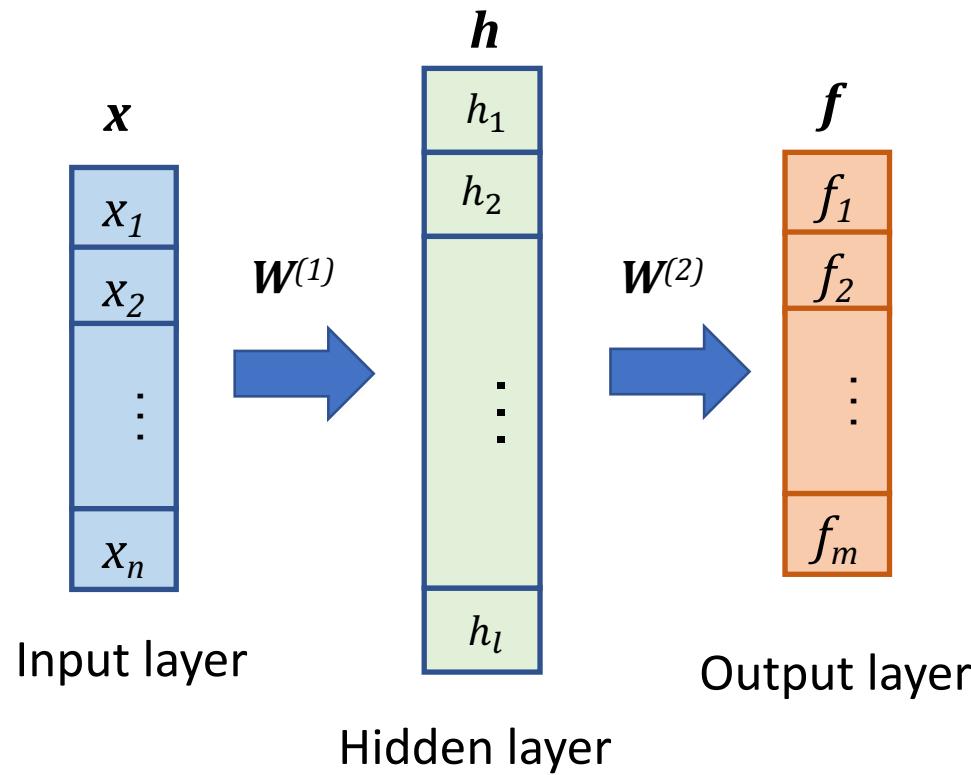
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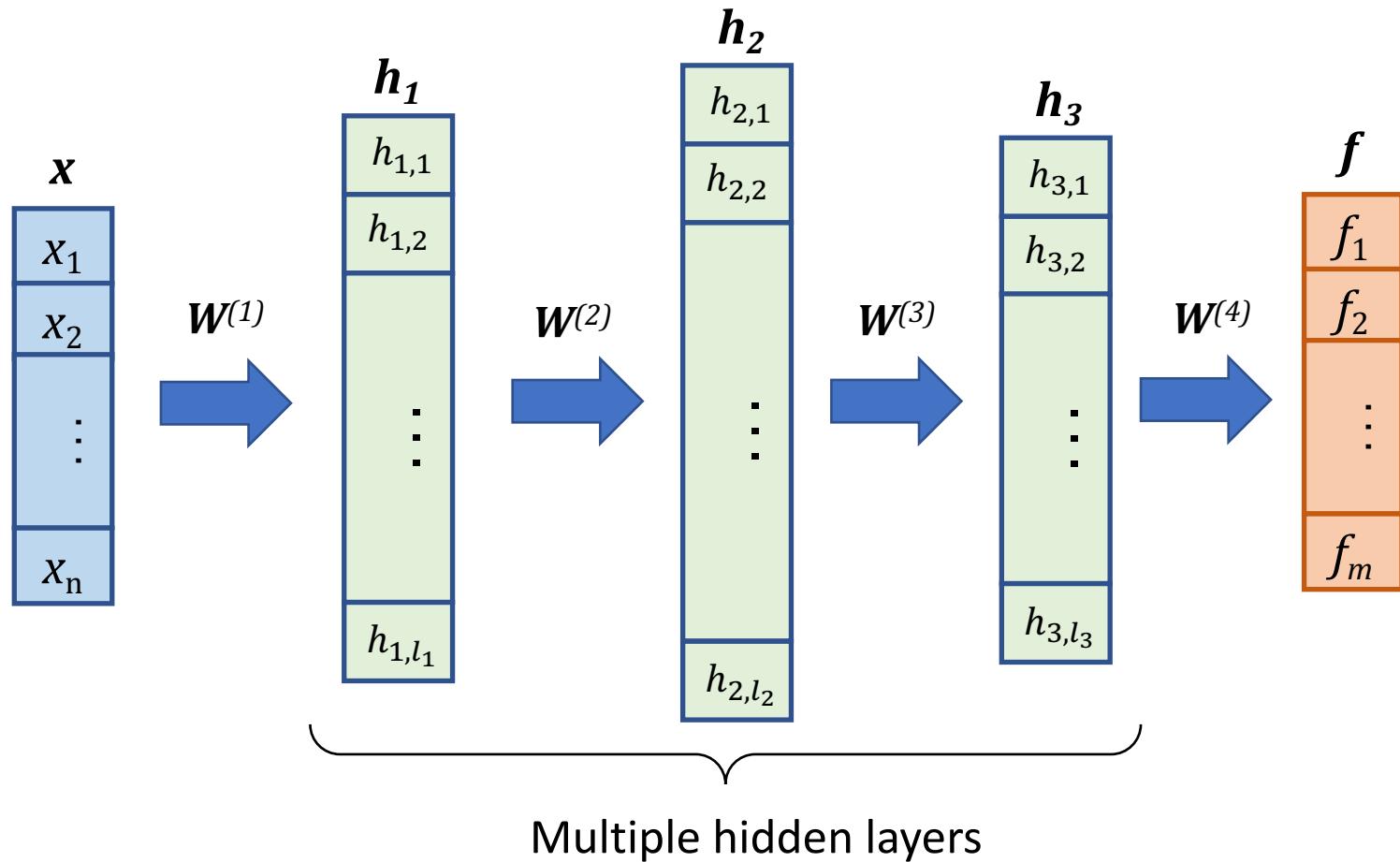
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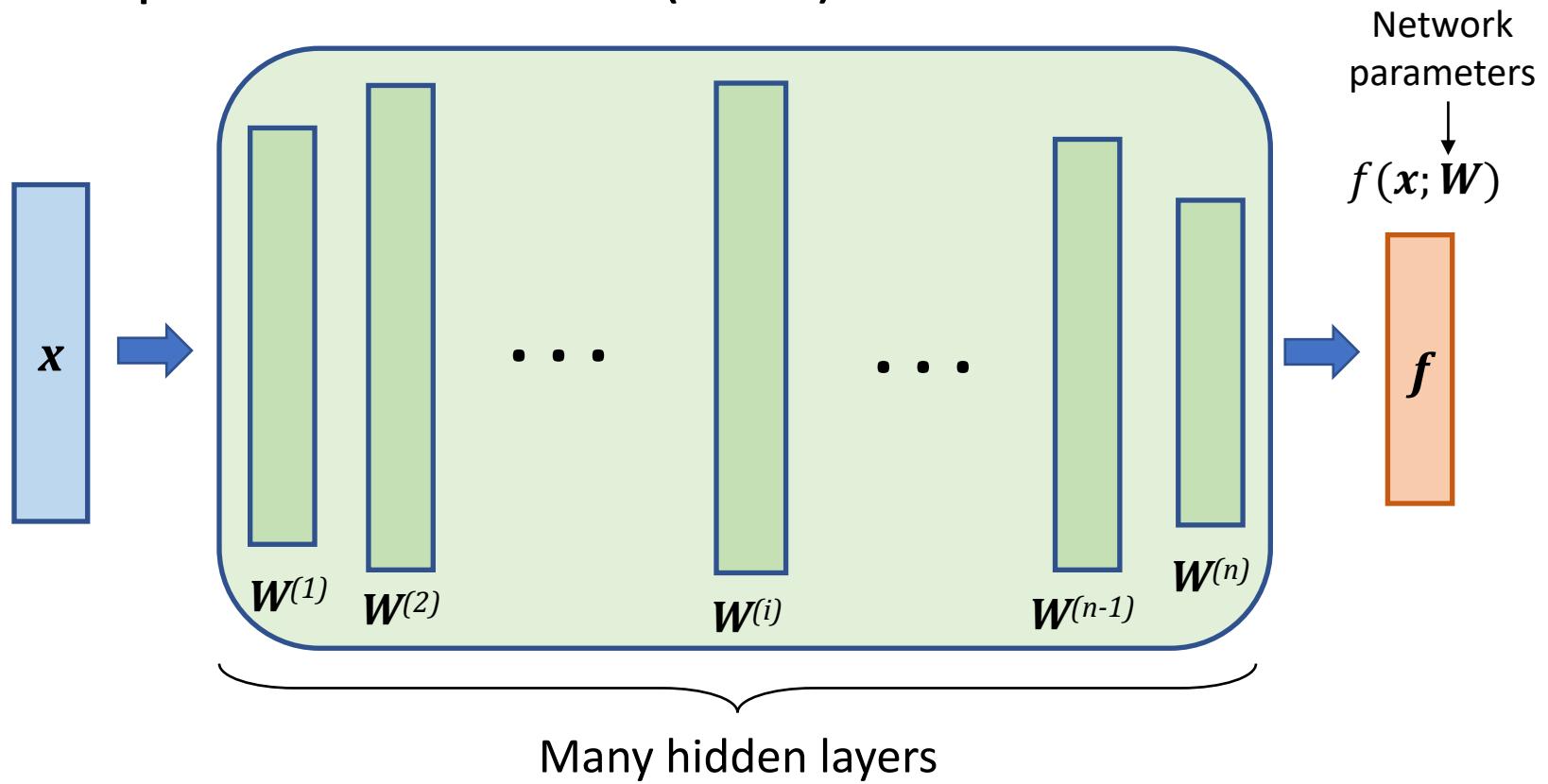
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A Multi-Layer Perceptron (MLP)



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A Deep Neural Network (DNN)



Not all of them necessarily dense layers – we will see other types of layers later

Artificial Neural Network

Different types of data used by a DNN

1D (text, audio, ...)



2D (image, ...)



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3D (video, ...)



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DNNs have been applied in many fields

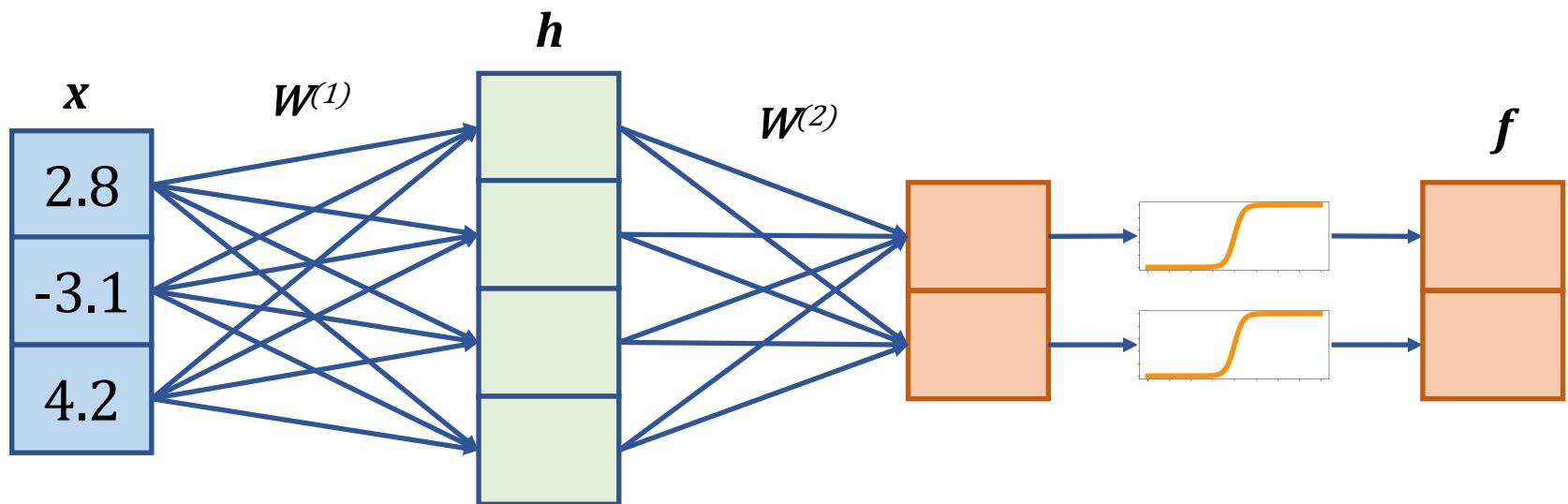
- Natural Language Processing
 - Audio recognition
 - Speech Recognition
 - Machine Translation
 - Question Answering
 - Image Captioning
 - Image Recognition
 - Action Recognition
 - Medical Image Analysis
 - Personalised Medicine
- Computer Vision
- Health-care

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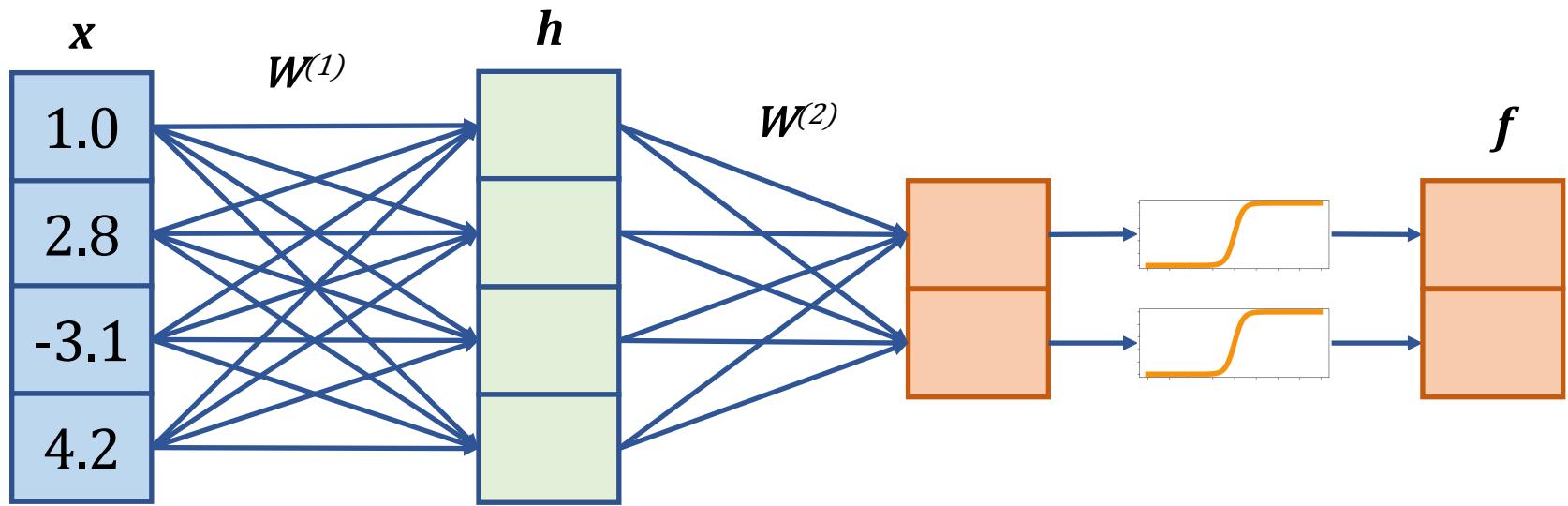
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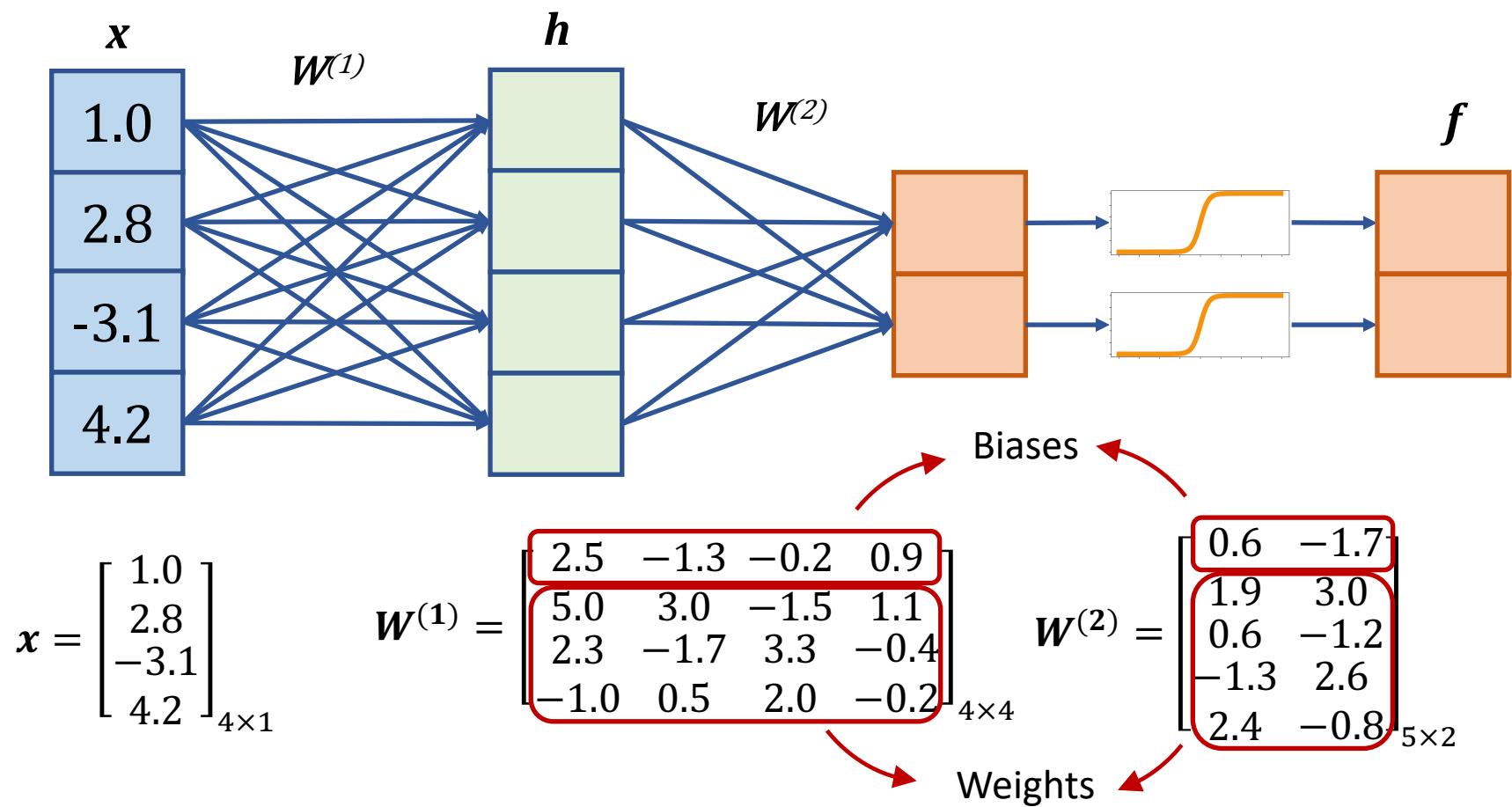
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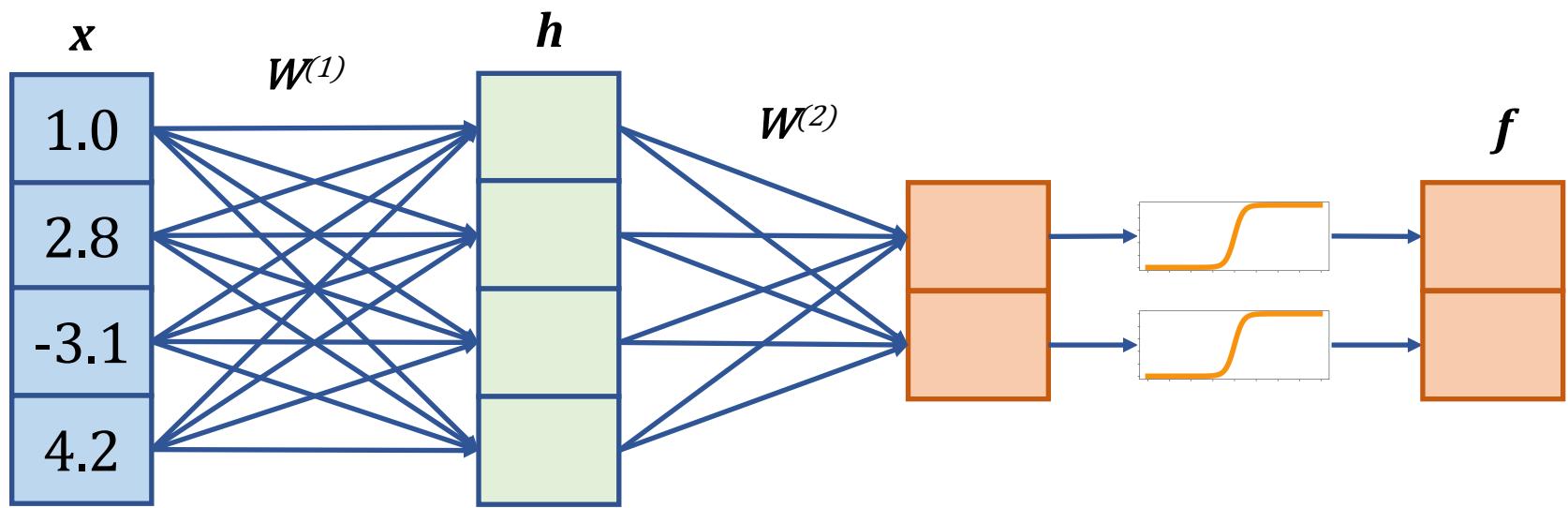
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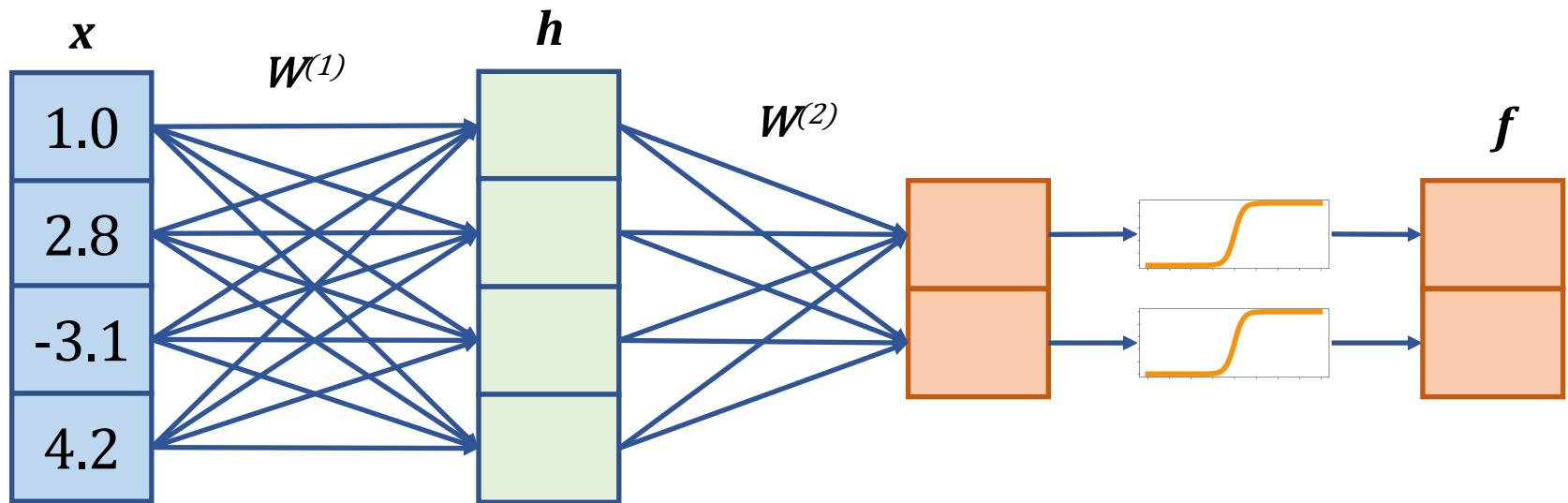
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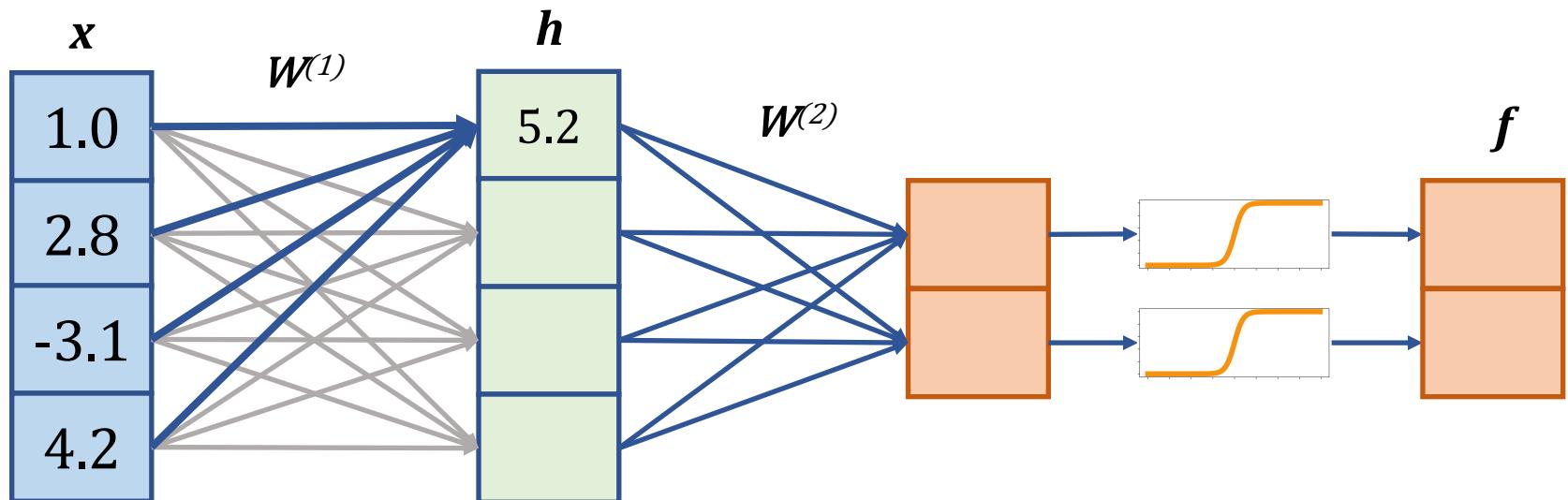
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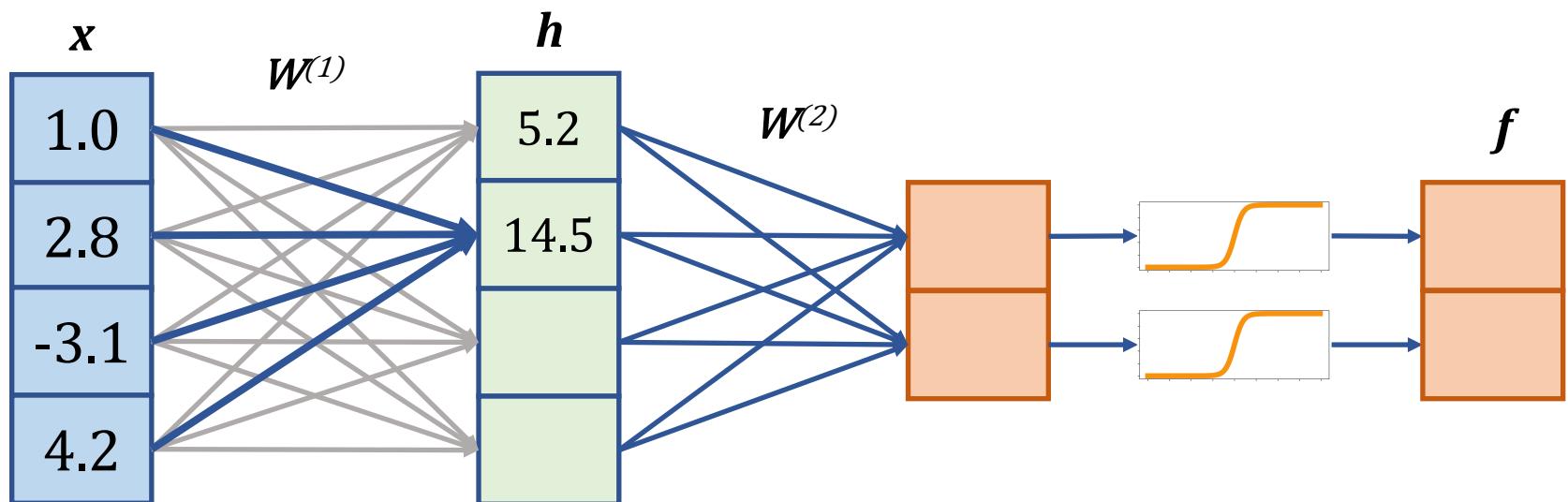
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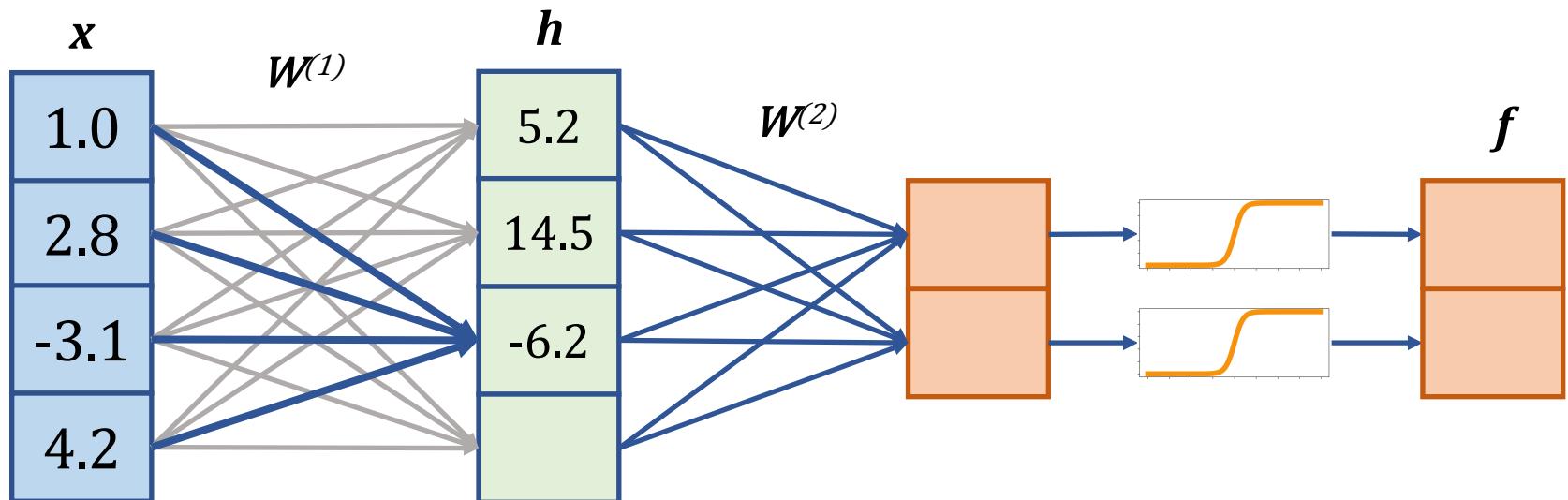
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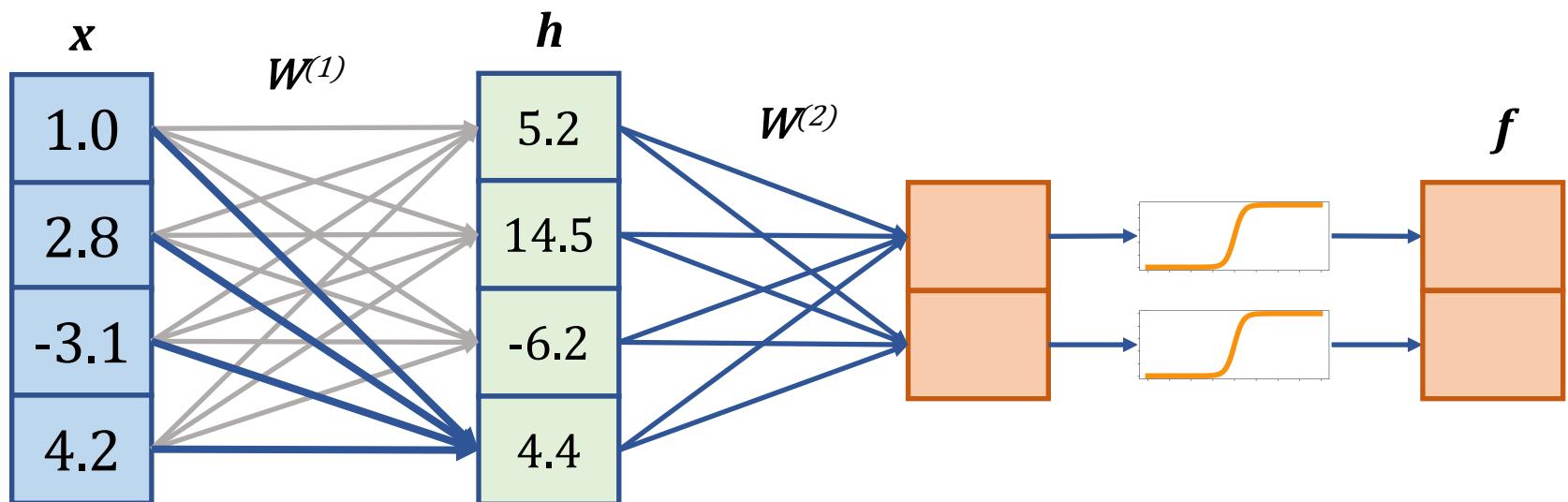
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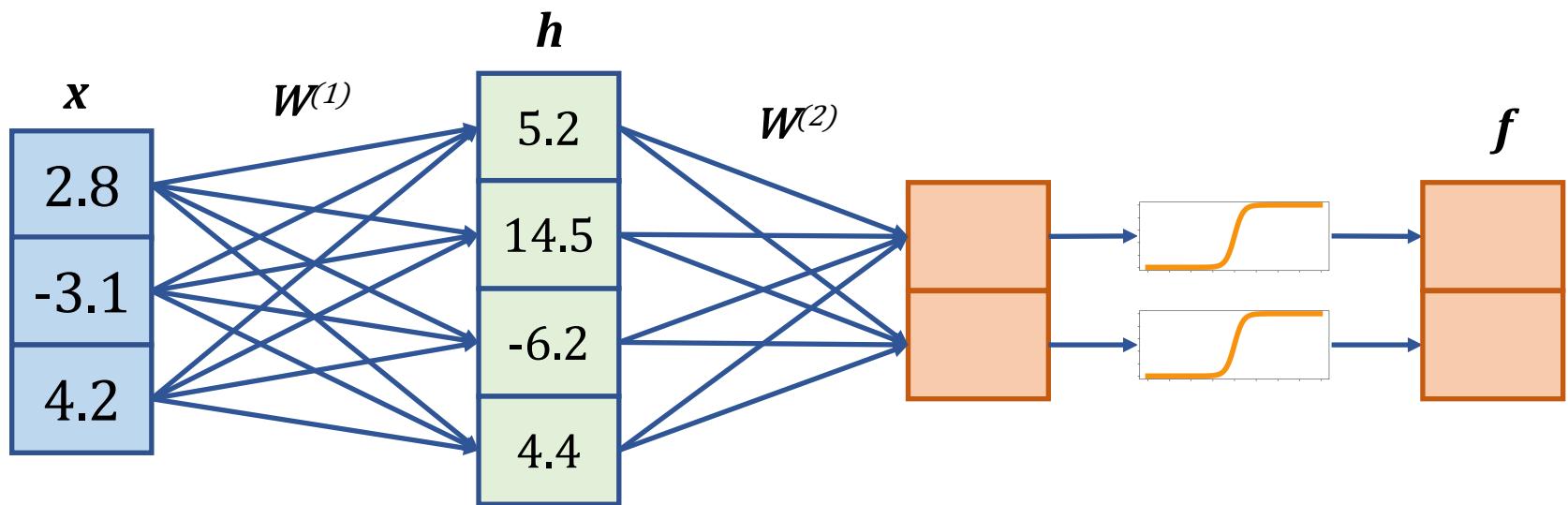
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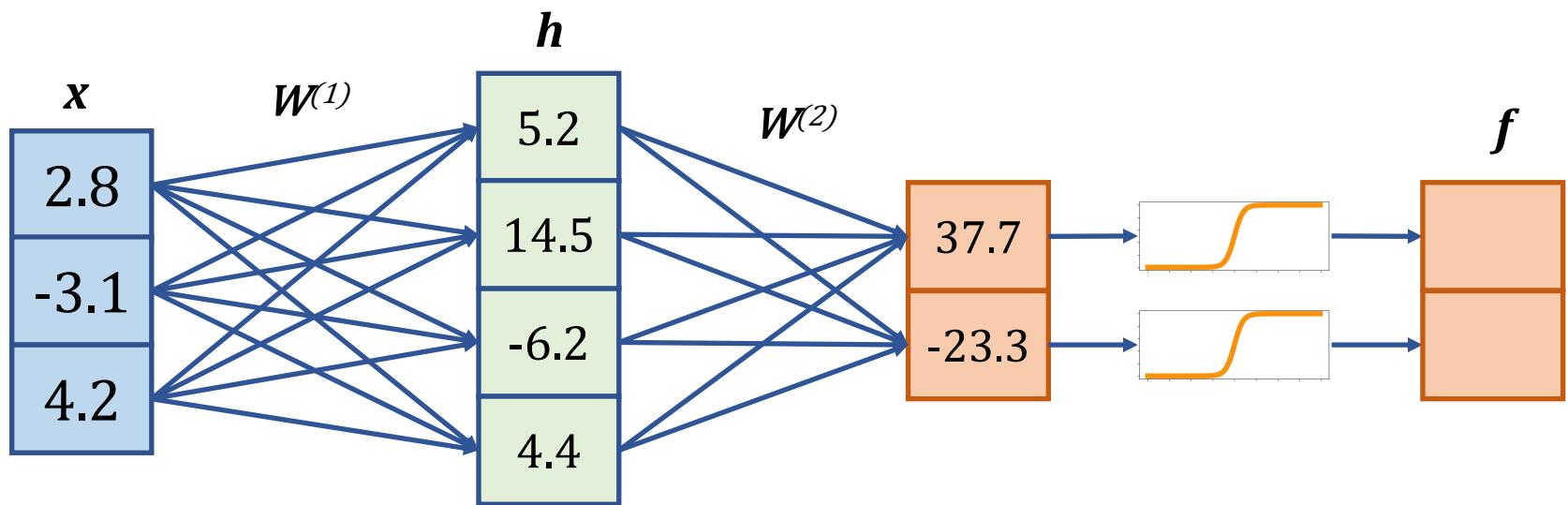


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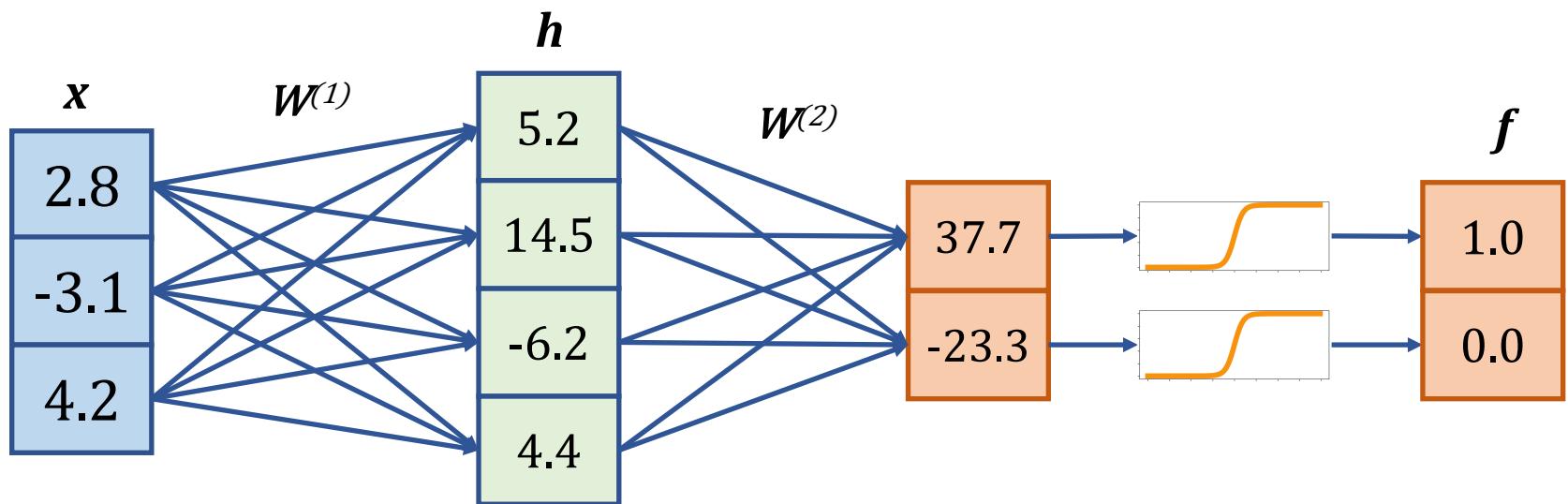
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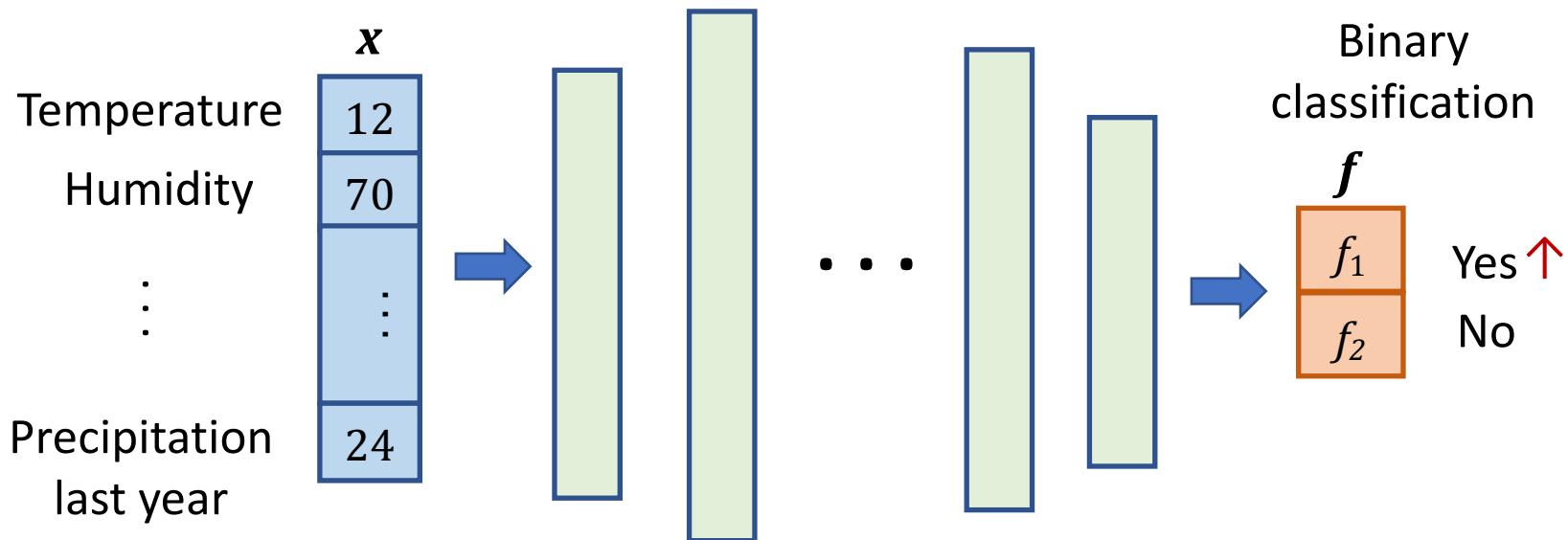
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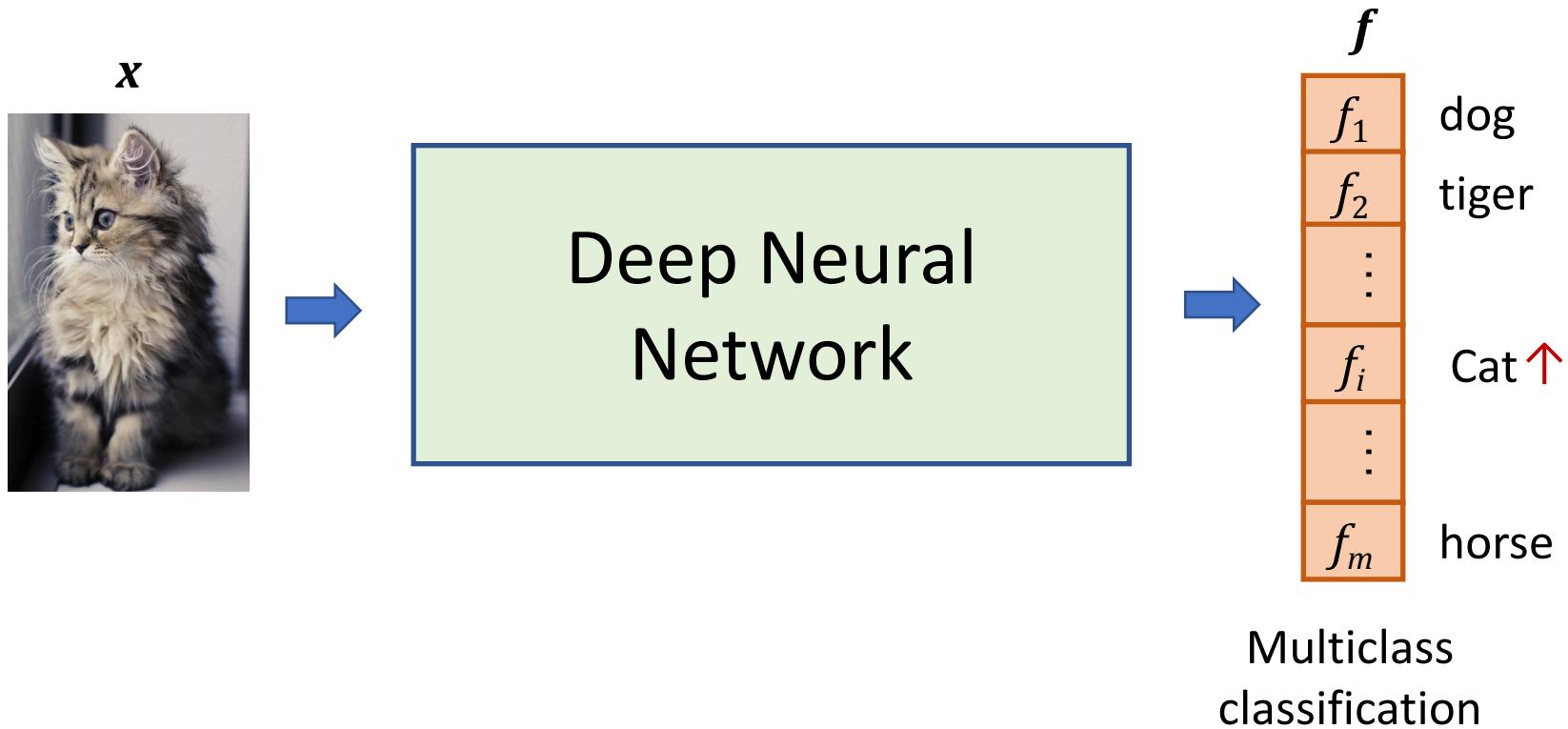
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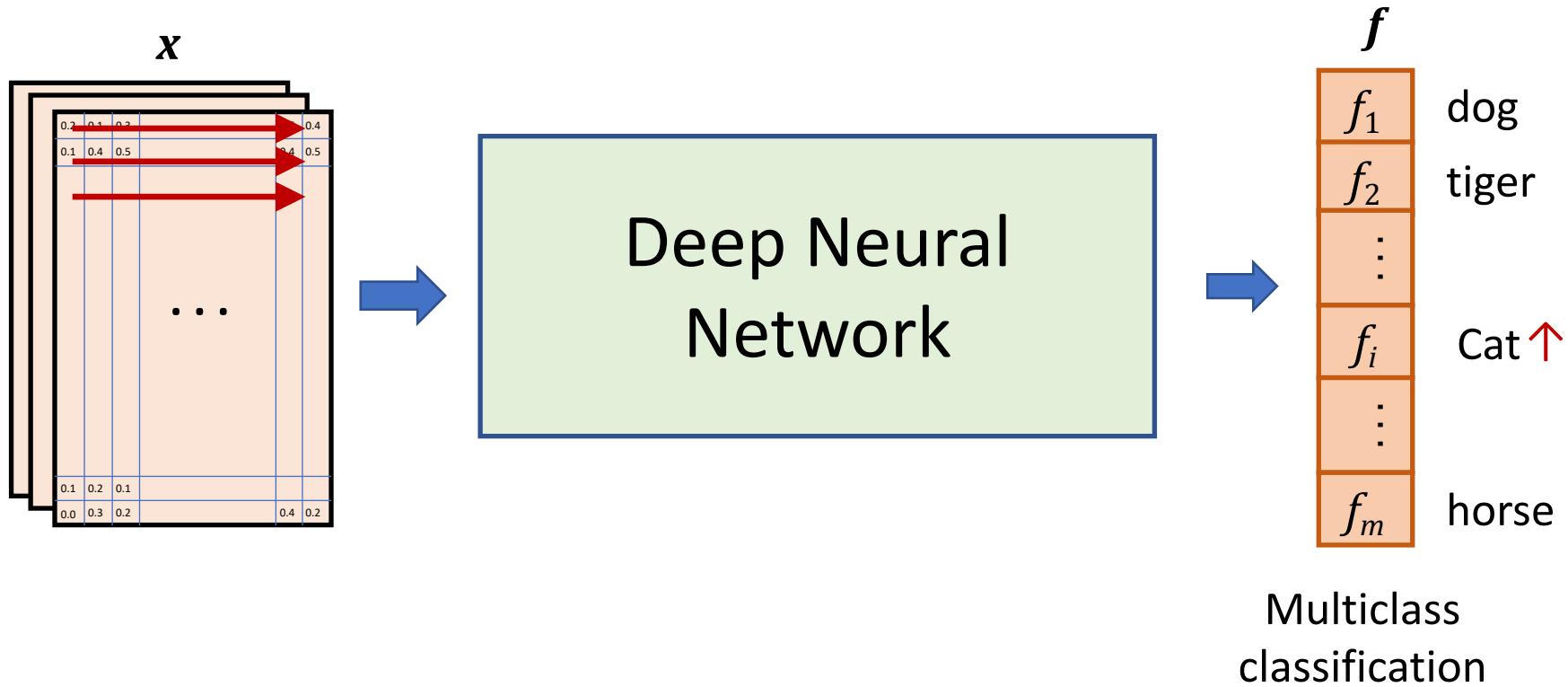
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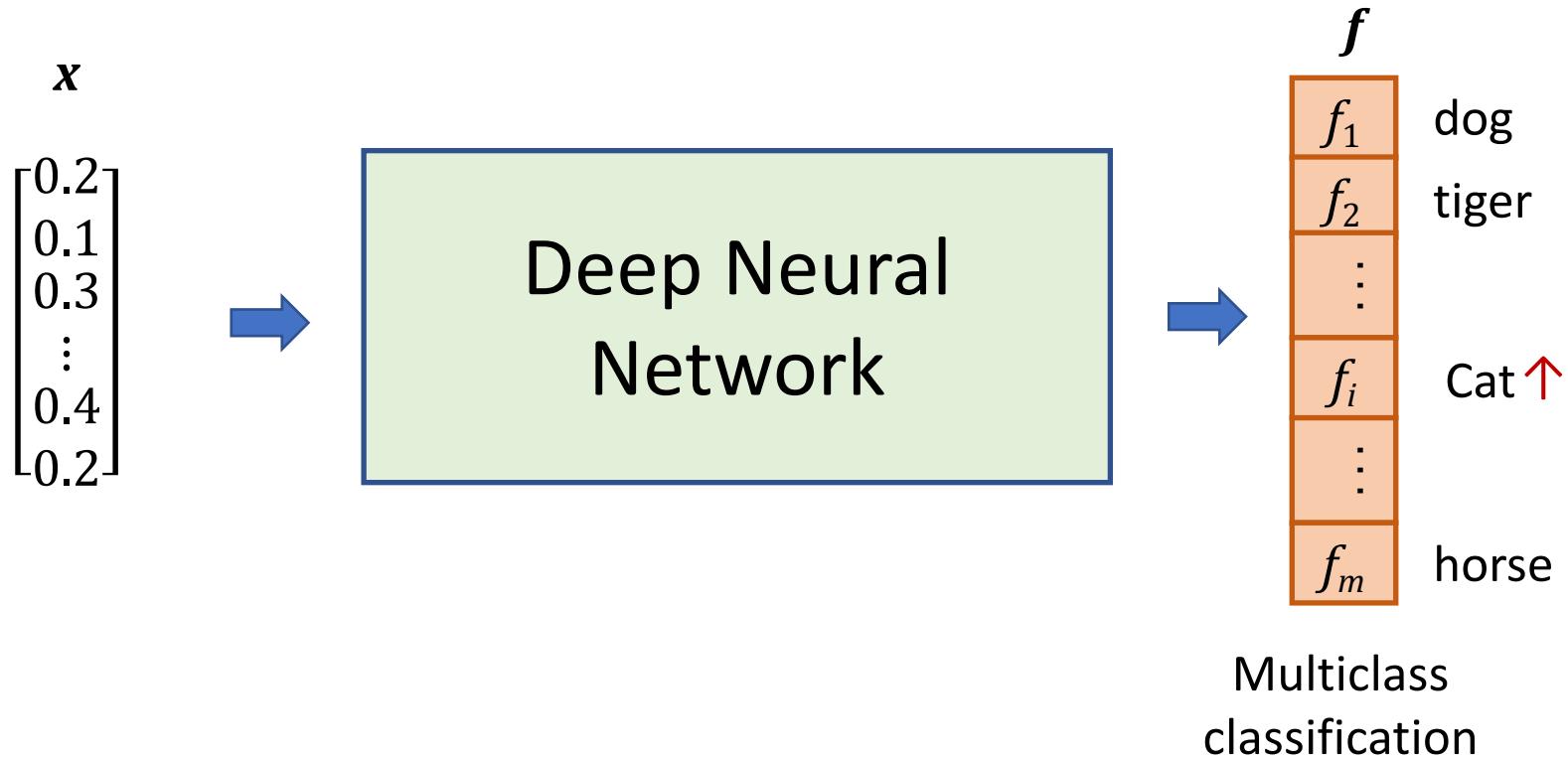
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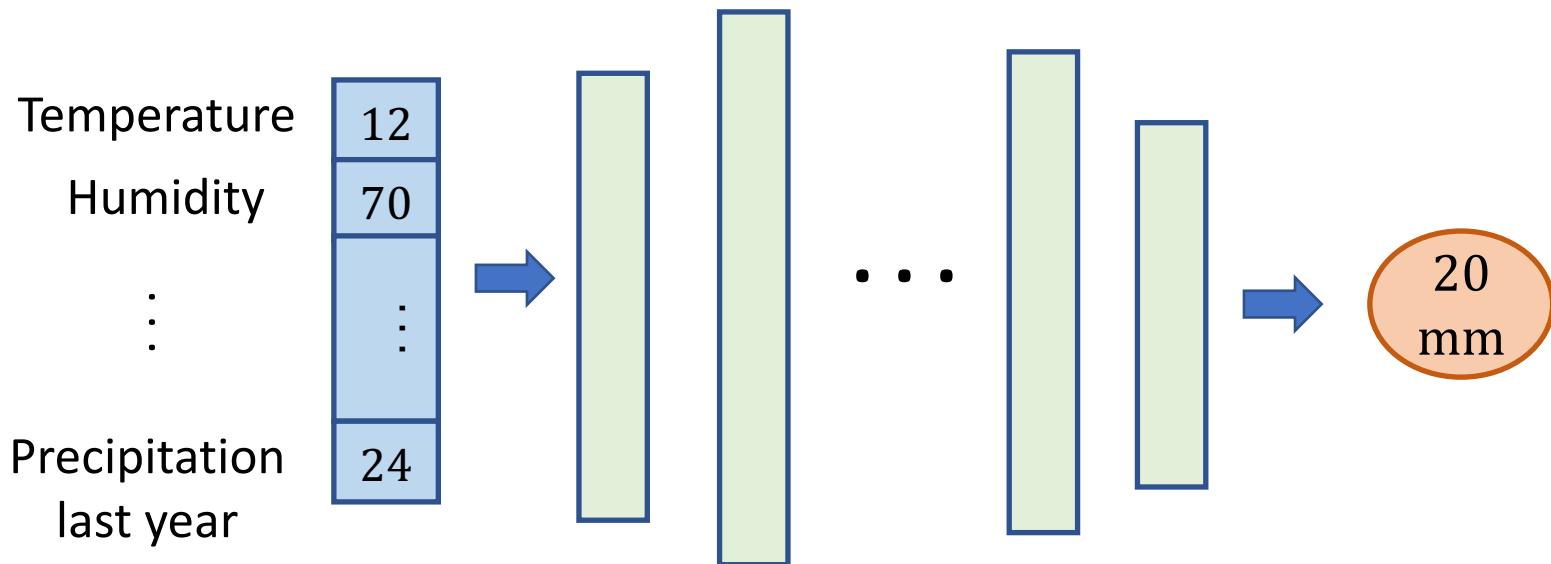
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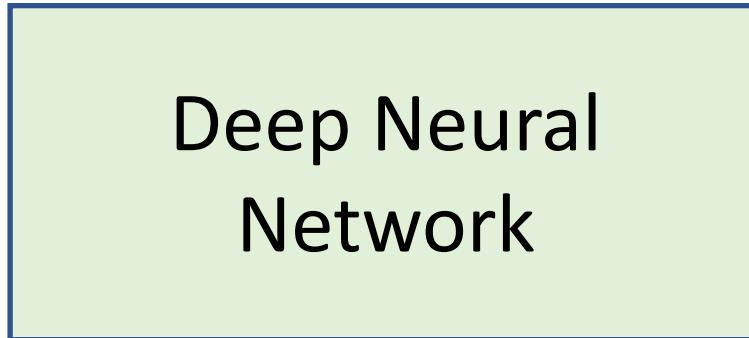
- A **regression task** – How much is it going to rain today?



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- A **regression** task – How much is the price of this house?



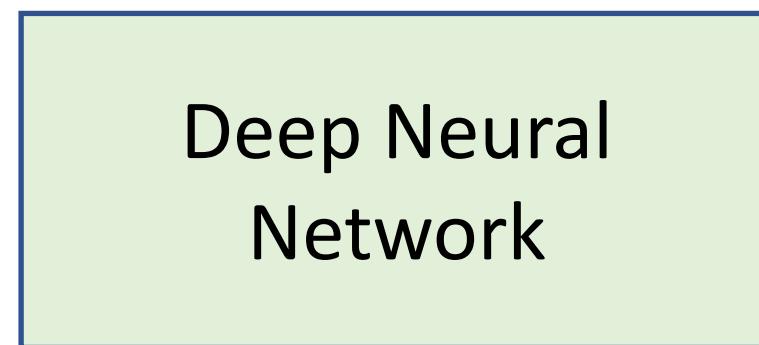
An orange oval with a thin orange border. Inside the oval, the text "£ 800,000" is written in a black, sans-serif font, representing the predicted price.

Network Training

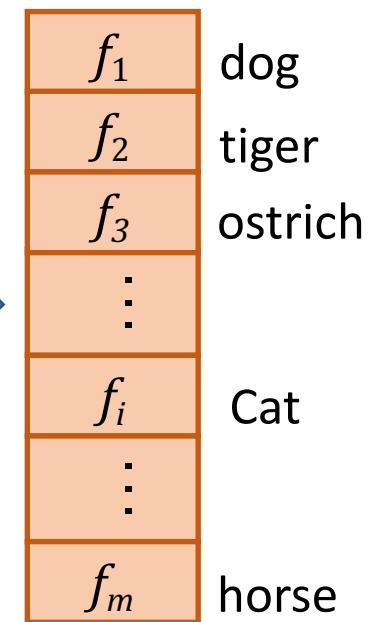
(Loss Function)

Network Training

How the network *learns* to predict the class labels

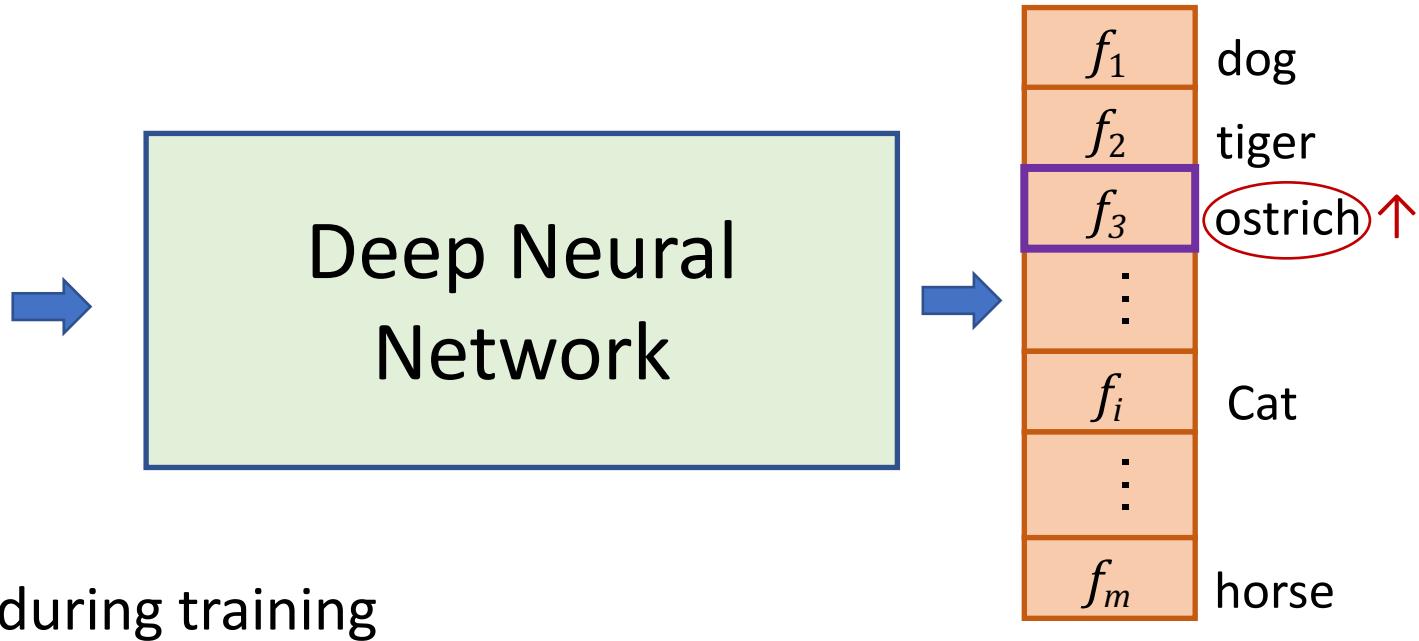


Classification example



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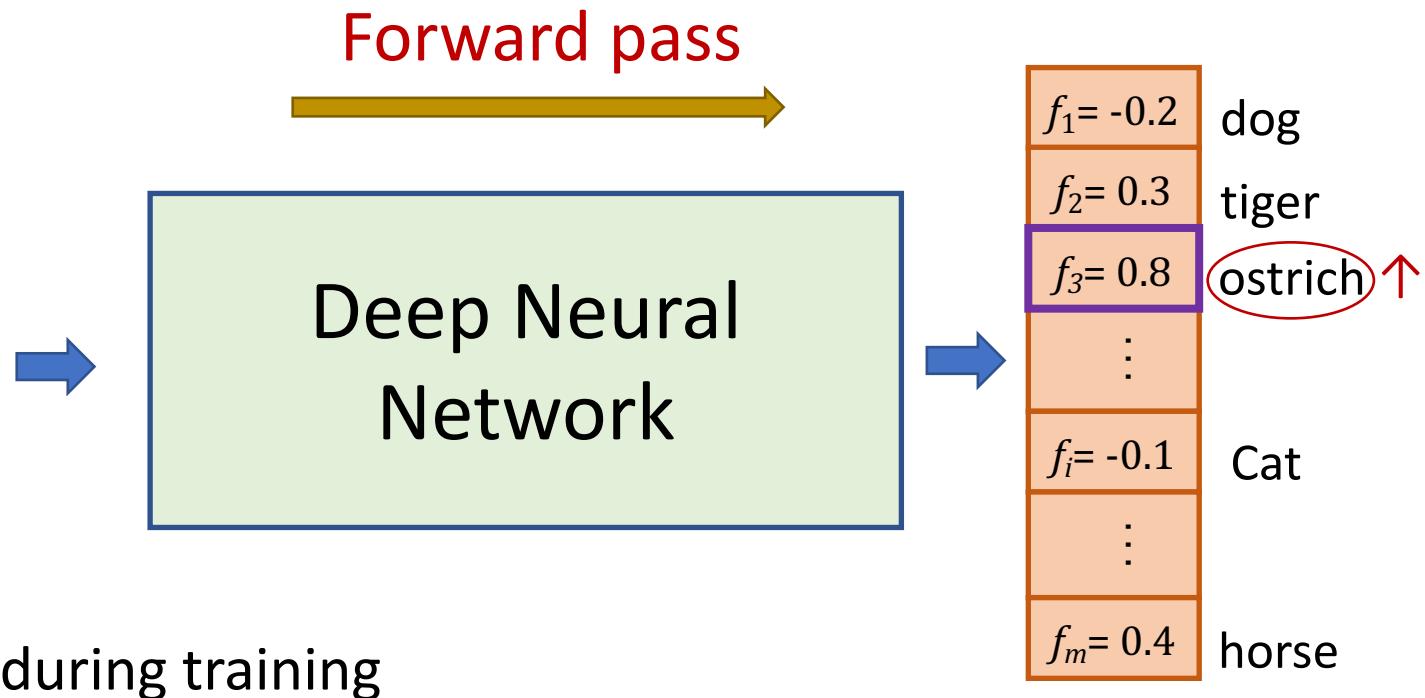
Before being trained, our network has no idea what this image is!



Optimisation during training

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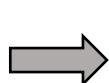
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Loss function

- Compares network predictions against ground-truth
- Quantifies how good the network predictions are



Our objective will be
to minimise the loss

Network predictions	Ground truth
f_1	dog
f_2	tiger
f_3	ostrich
:	
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Cross-entropy Loss function

One of the most common loss functions for classification

In general, cross-entropy measures the difference between a target distribution (p) and an estimated distribution (q)

$$H(p, q) = - \sum_x p(x) \log(q(x))$$

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Cross-entropy Loss function

- $q \rightarrow$ the estimated class **probabilities**
- $p \rightarrow$ the **probability** of the correct class is 1, others are 0

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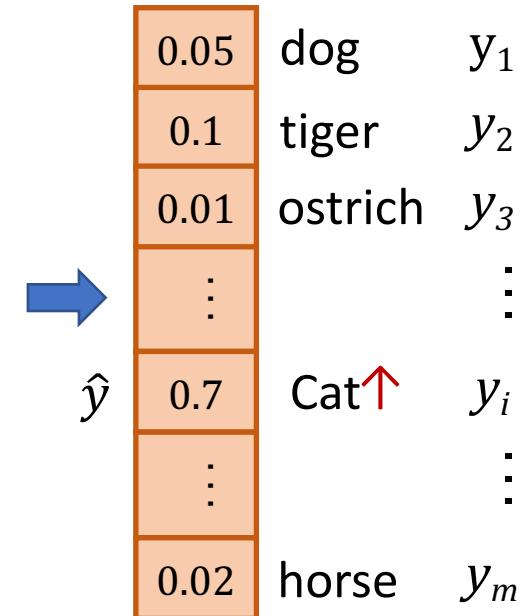
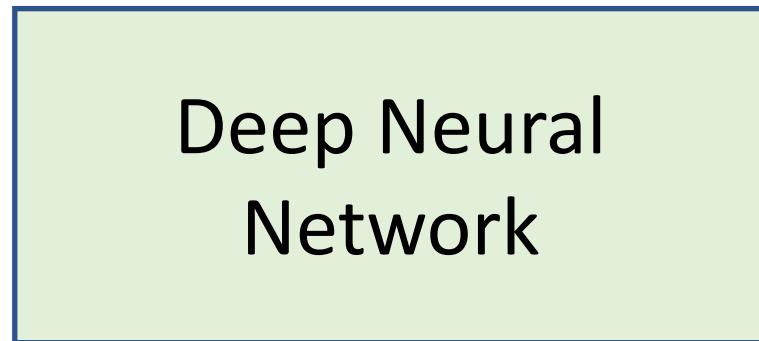
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$\uparrow q$	$\uparrow p$
(estimated dist.)	(target dist.)

But how do we change our network output (f) to a probability distribution?

Network Training

Probabilistic interpretation for classification

$$\hat{y} = \operatorname{argmax}_{y_i} p(Y=y_i | \mathbf{x}), \text{ where } Y \text{ is the label set}$$



and $y_i \in Y$
 $0 \leq p(Y=y_i | \mathbf{x}) \leq 1$
 $\sum_i p(Y=y_i | \mathbf{x})=1$

Network Training

Softmax function

Input: An arbitrary real-valued vector

Output: A vector with values between 0 and 1, that all sum to 1

$$s_i = p(Y=y_i | \mathbf{x}; \mathbf{W}) = \frac{e^{f_{y_i}}}{\sum_j e^{f_{y_j}}}$$

$$p(Y=y_1 | \mathbf{x}; \mathbf{W}) = \frac{e^{-0.2}}{e^{-0.2} + e^{0.3} + e^{0.8} + \dots + e^{-0.1} + \dots + e^{0.4}}$$



Probability of the image to be a dog

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$f_2 = 0.3$	tiger
$f_3 = 0.8$	ostrich
:	:
$f_i = -0.1$	Cat
:	
$f_m = 0.4$	horse
0	
0	
0	
1	
:	
0	

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Probability of the image to be a dog

Network Training

Softmax function

Input: An arbitrary real-valued vector

Output: A vector with values between 0 and 1, that all sum to 1

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$$f_{y_1} \leftarrow e^{-0.2}$$

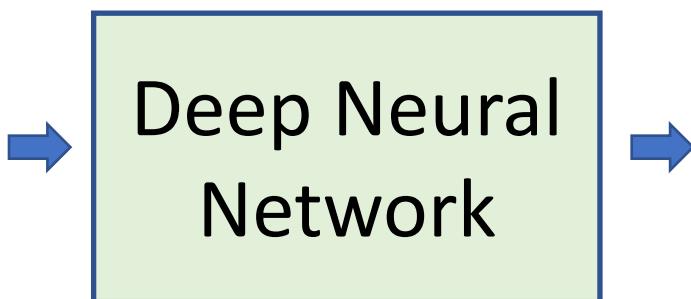
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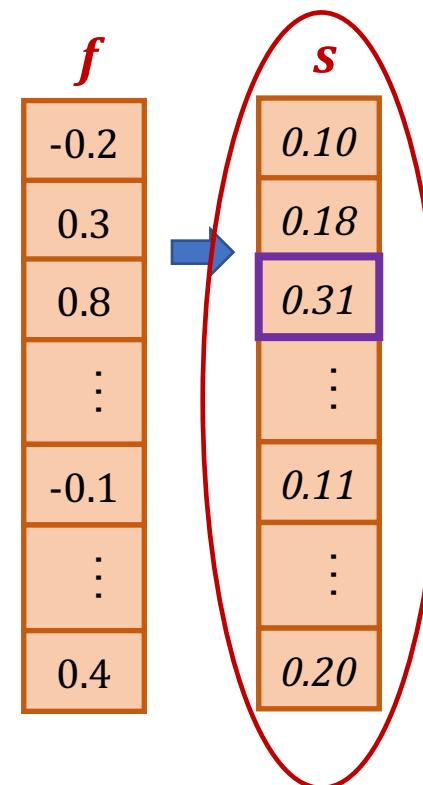
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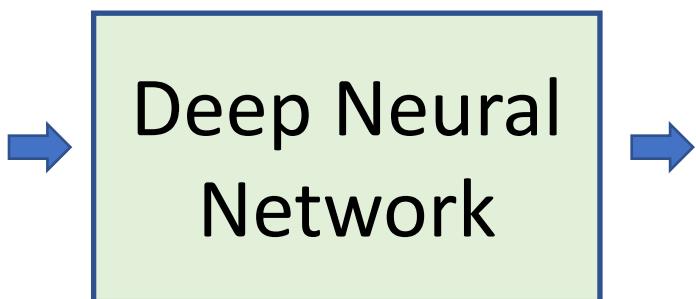
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0	ostrich
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0	horse

Network Training

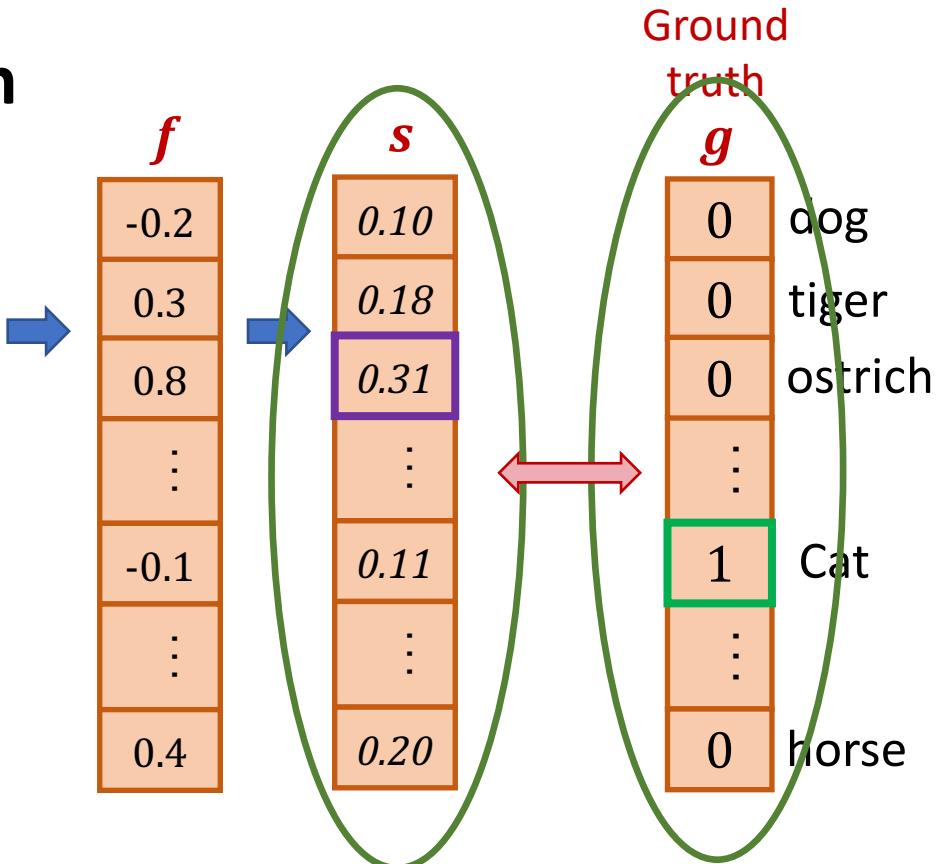
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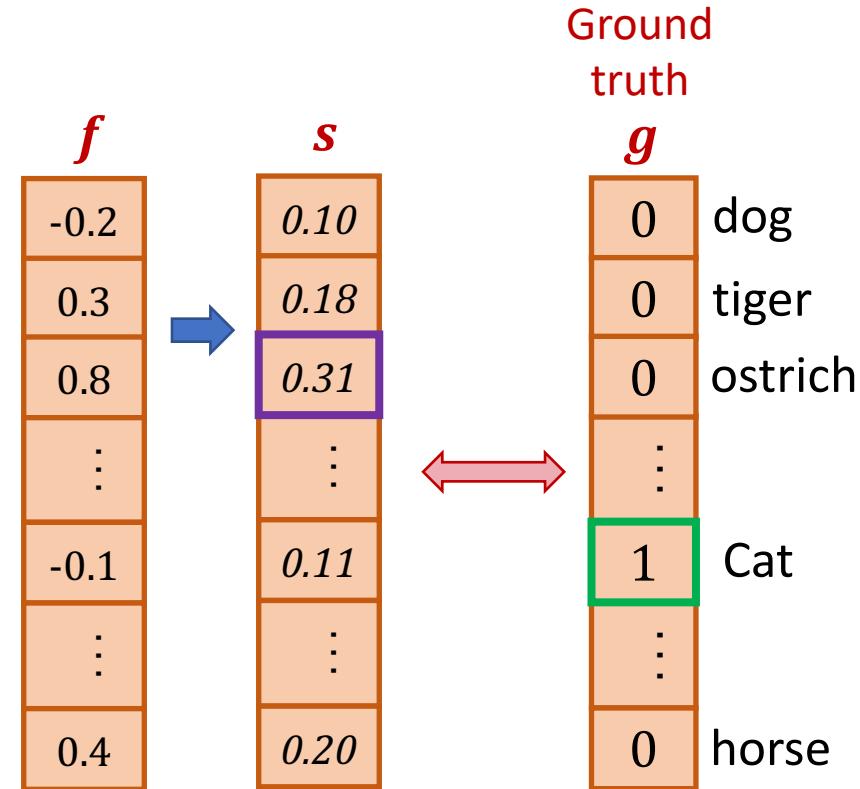
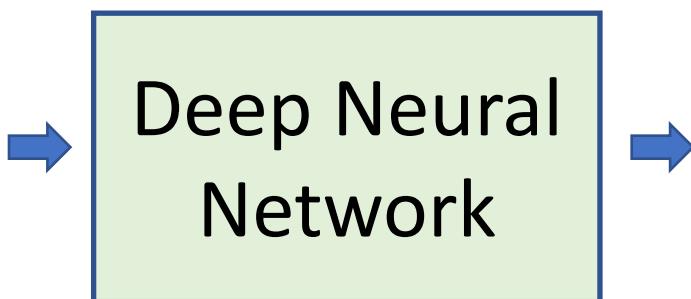
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Summary and Conclusion

- An artificial neuron is inspired by the biological neuron
- FC layer, where all the inputs are connected to the output neurons
- MLP is a neural network with stacked FC layers
- DNNs have many hidden layers
- ANNs have various applications such as classification and regressions
- A network loss measures the quality of its predictions

Next part

We will see how
the network parameters are
updated to minimise the loss

Thanks for your attention