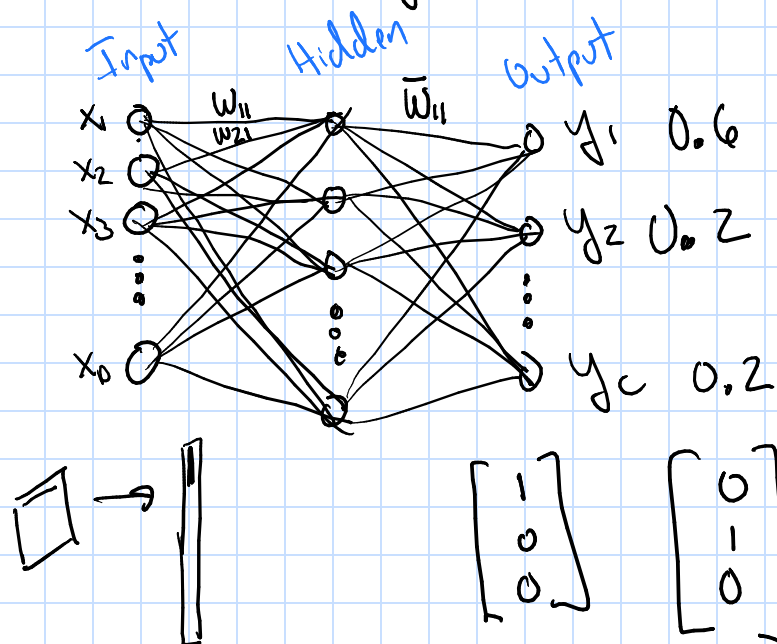


# Neural Nets (Part I)



An artificial neural network (ANN) is a highly interconnected network of information processing elements that "mimic" the connectivity and functionality of the human brain.



Definition

$$D = \{x(n), d(n)\}_{n=1}^N$$

input (feature vector)

desired output

e.g.,  $d(n) \in \{1, 0\}^c$   
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 $d(n) \in \mathbb{R}^K$

We can calculate the error of each output:

$$e_j(n) = d_j(n) - y_j(n) \quad (2)$$

The instantaneous error energy @ the  $j^{\text{th}}$  neuron

$$E_j(n) = \frac{1}{2} e_j^2(n)$$

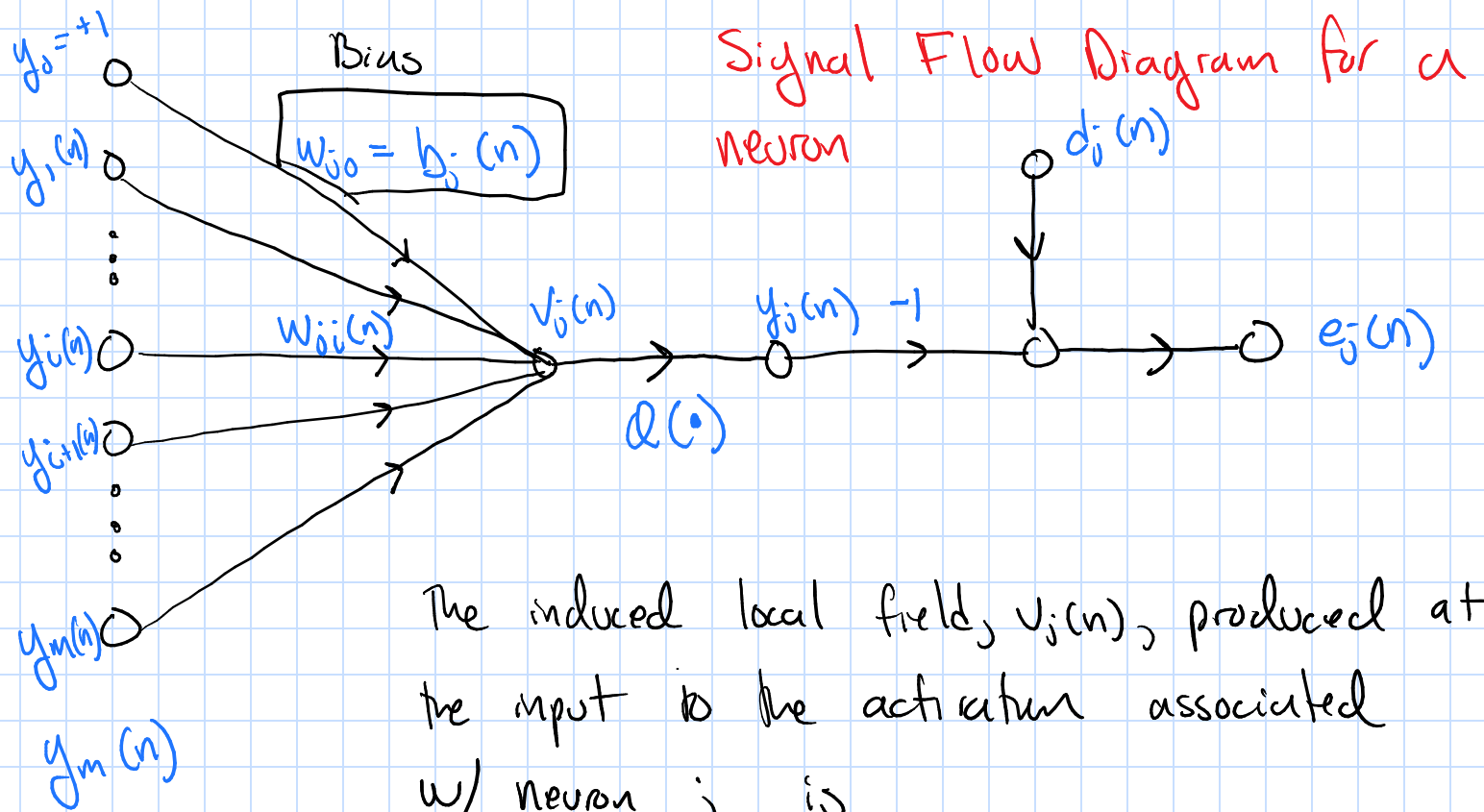
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Total error

$$E(n) = \sum_{j=1}^C E_j(n) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^C e_j^2(n) \quad (1)$$

Overall samples

$$E_{AV}(N) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N E(n) = \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^C e_j^2(n)$$



The induced local field,  $v_j(n)$ , produced at the input to the activation associated w/ neuron  $j$  is

$$v_j(n) = \sum_{i=1}^m w_{ji}(n) y_i(n) \quad (4)$$

The signal at the neuron is

$$y_j(n) = Q(v_j(n)) \quad (3)$$

We need to determine an update rule for the weights

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{ji}}$$

Recall :  $w(t+1) = w(t) + \Delta w(t)$

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$$-\eta \frac{\partial E}{\partial w}$$

The chain rule from calculus I

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{ji}(n)} = \frac{\partial E}{\partial e_j(n)} \cdot \frac{\partial e_j(n)}{\partial y_j(n)} \cdot \frac{\partial y_j(n)}{\partial v_j(n)} \cdot \frac{\partial v_j(n)}{\partial w_{ji}(n)}$$

Diff (1) wrt  $e_j(n)$

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial e_j(n)} = e_j(n)$$

Diff (3) wrt  $v_j(n)$

$$\frac{\partial y_j(n)}{\partial v_j(n)} = Q_j'(v_j(n))$$

Diff (2) wrt  $y_j(n)$

$$\frac{\partial e_j(n)}{\partial y_j(n)} = -1$$

Diff (4) wrt  $w_{ji}(n)$

$$\frac{\partial v_j(n)}{\partial w_{ji}(n)} = y_i(n)$$

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{ji}(n)} = -e_j(n) Q_j'(v_j(n)) y_i(n) \rightarrow \Delta w_{ji}(n) = -\eta \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{ji}(n)}$$