Software Development Practical

Computer Vision & Deep Learning

Self-Introduction

Any programming experience?

What is your Python experience?

Any Machine Learning experience?

Any Deep Learning experience?

Overview

Introduction

- Math Basics
- Human Perception & Computer Vision

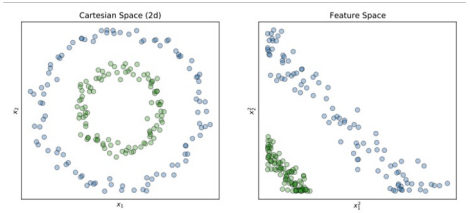
Learning from Data

- Unsupervised
- Supervised

Python Fundamentals

Deep Learning

- Building Blocks
- (Convolutional) Neural Networks



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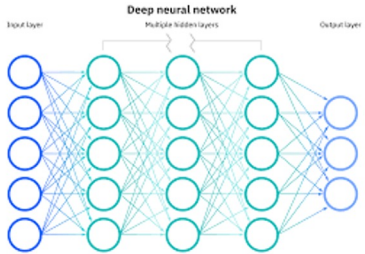

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General comments

- Sometimes the math might be overwhelming on a first glance, so if you need help with understanding the concepts please don’t hesitate to contact us. We will then do our best to help you.

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Organization

Teaching:

- Graded homework starting from next week

Final project:

- Group in teams of 4
- Focus on a given computer vision task using deep learning methods
- Submit a codebase and a group report before semester ends
- More details will follow…

Math Basics

Math notation

A symbolic representation of mathematical ideas and concepts using a set of symbols, characters, and mathematical operators

Why is it important?

- **Clarity and Consistency**: Notation provides a clear and concise way to express mathematical concepts and ideas.
- **Efficient communication**: With a standardized notation, individuals can quickly understand and communicate complex mathematical ideas without the need for lengthy explanations.

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where we defined the forward drift

$$b_{\mathsf{F}}(t,x) = b(t,x) + \epsilon s(t,x). \tag{2.16}$$

Equation (2.16) is well-posed when solved forward in time from $t = 0$ to $t = 1$, and its solution for the initial condition $\rho(t = 0) = \rho_0$ satisfies $\rho(t = 1) = \rho_1$. (2.17)

2. *The backward Fokker-Planck equation*

$$\partial_t \rho + \nabla \cdot (b_{\mathsf{B}} \rho) = -\epsilon \Delta \rho, \qquad \rho(1) = \rho_1,$$

where we defined the backward drift

$$b_{\mathsf{B}}(t,x) = b(t,x) - \epsilon s(t,x). \tag{2.18}$$

Equation (2.18) is well-posed when solved backward in time from $t = 1$ to $t = 0$, and its solution for the final condition $\rho(1) = \rho_1$ satisfies $\rho(0) = \rho_0$. (2.19)

Math notation: Sum and product

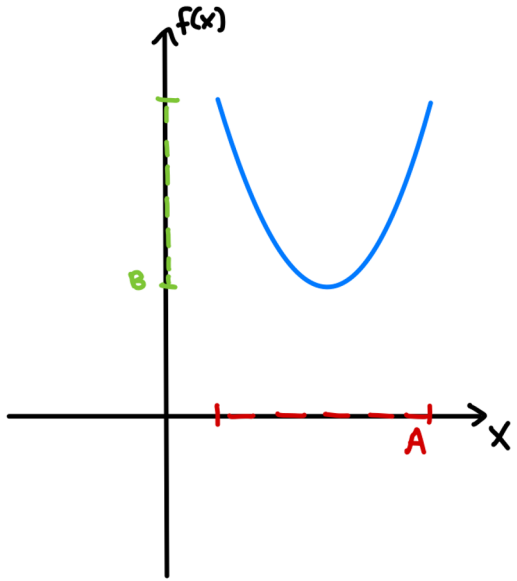
$$a_1 + a_2 + \ldots + a_n = \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i = \sum_{i} a_i$$

$$a_1 \times a_2 \times \ldots \times a_n = \prod_{i=1}^{n} a_i = \prod_{i} a_i$$

Functions

A function ***f*** assigns to each element of its definition set ***A*** exactly one element of its target set ***B***, this is written as:

$$f\colon A \to B\,,$$
$$a \mapsto f(a)\,.$$



Run an ice-cream shop!

You want to predict how many ice-cream you sell based on the temperature and whether it rains.

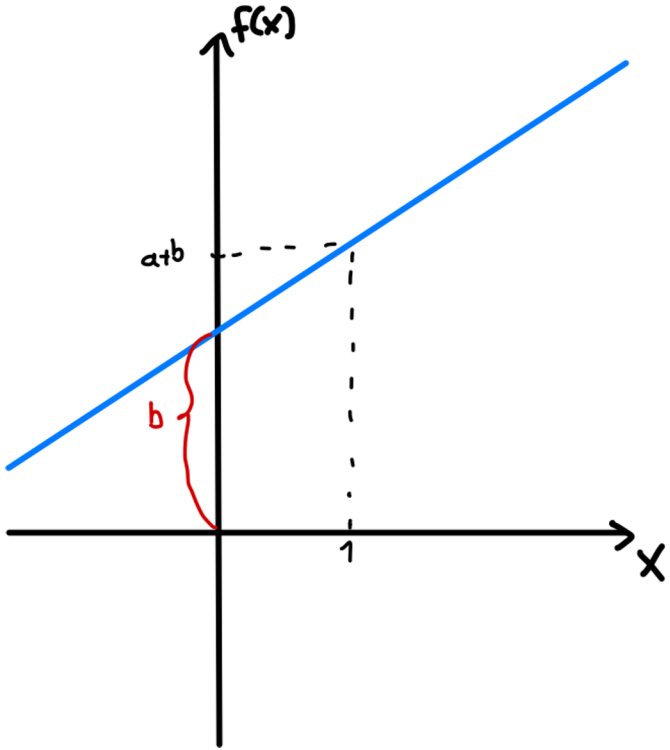
We can construct the following model using a function:

f(temperature, rain) **=** number of ice-cream

Functions in one-dimension

Linear:

$$f_{a,b}\colon \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}\,,$$
$$x \mapsto f(x) = a \cdot x + b\,.$$



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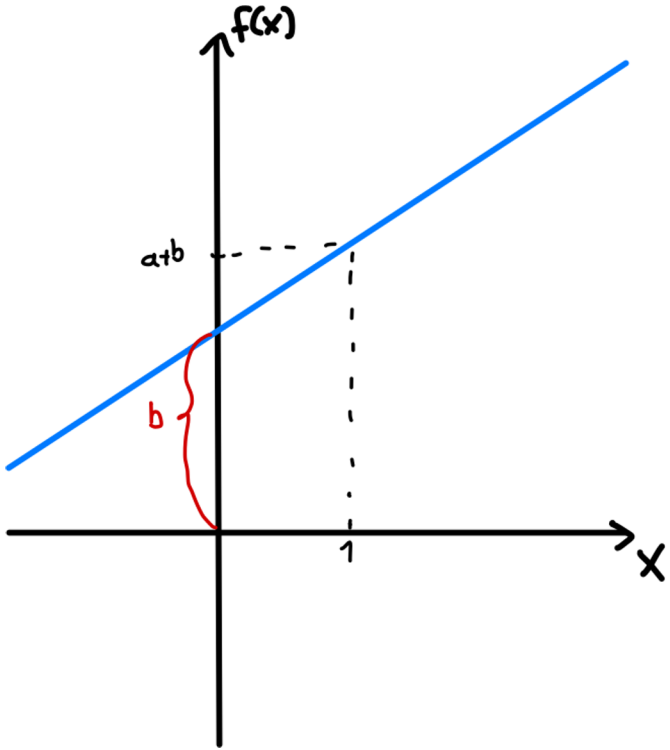
Exponential, sinusodal, sigmoid …



1st-order polynomial

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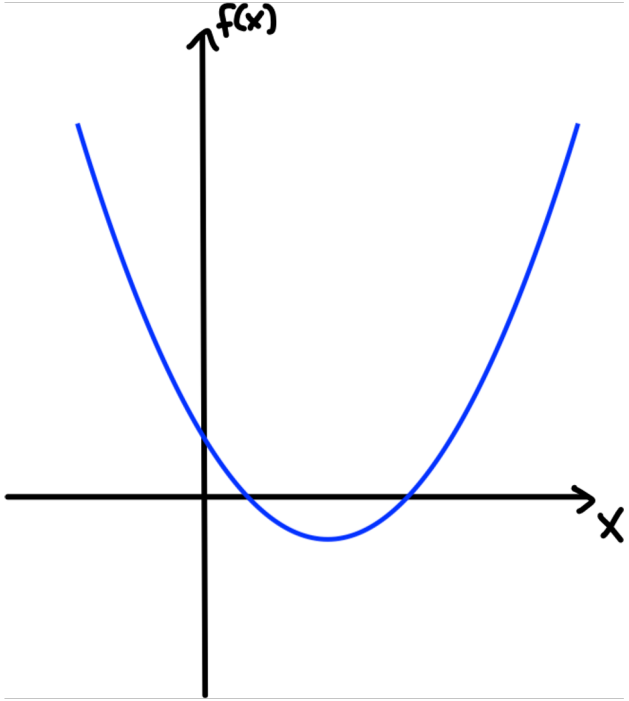

2nd-order polynomial

Functions in one-dimension

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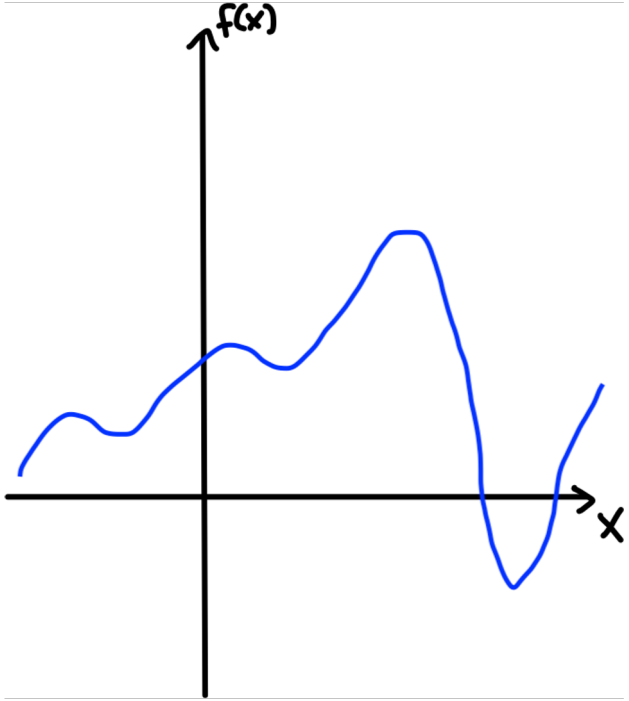
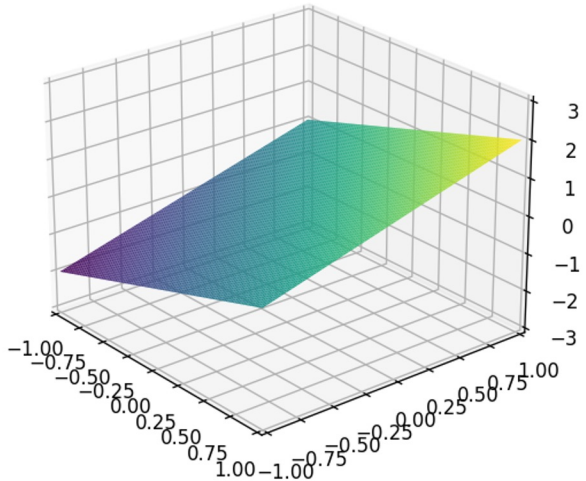


multi-order polynomial

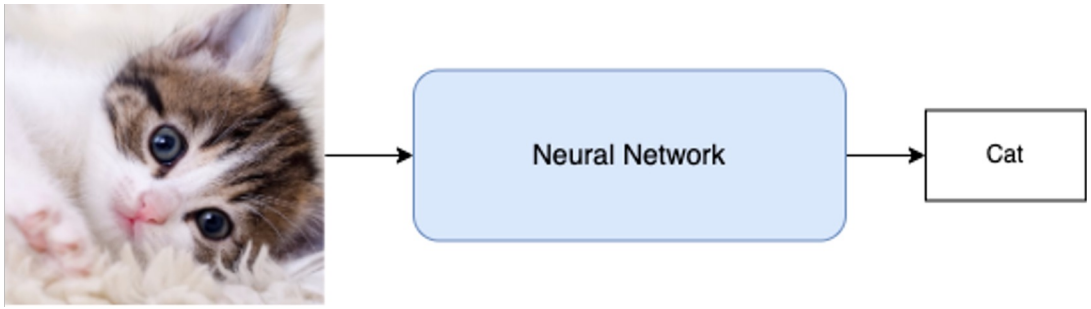
Multi-dimensional functions

2D Linear:

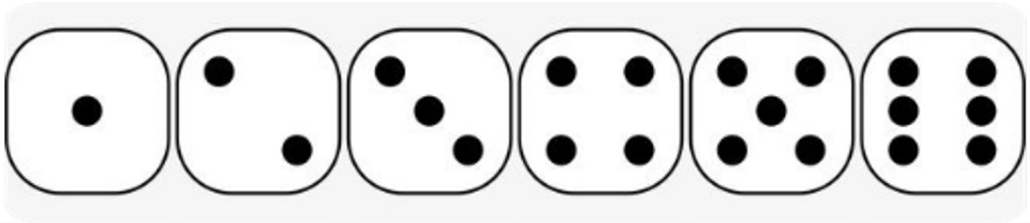
$$f(x_1, x_2) = a_1 x_1 + a_2 x_2 + b$$



Neural networks are also functions



Probability



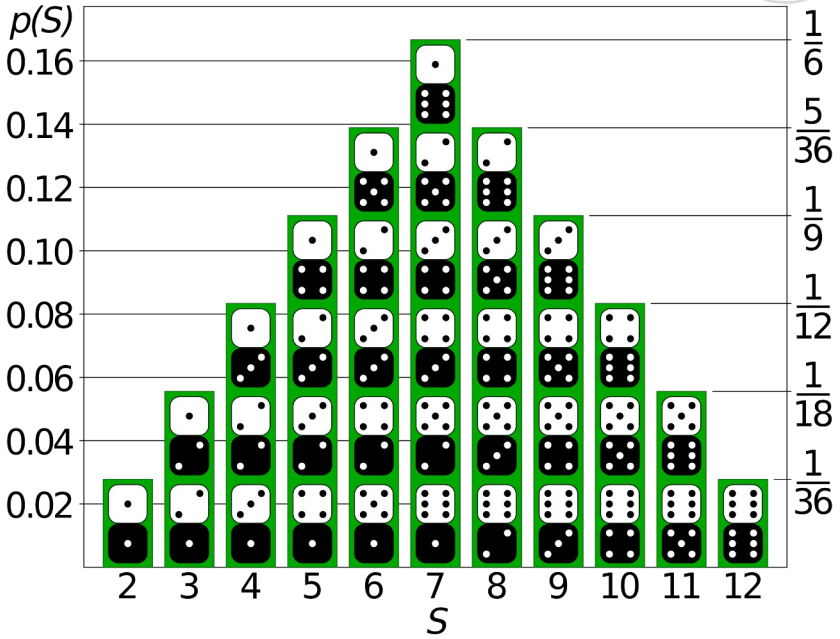
Assuming x is a random variable: $\mathbf{P}(x)$

In case of a die throw: $\mathbf{P}(x = k) = \frac{1}{6}, k = 1, \cdots, 6$

Conditional probability

Consider throwing two dice

$$\mathbf{P}(x_1 + x_2 = 5) = \frac{4}{36}$$



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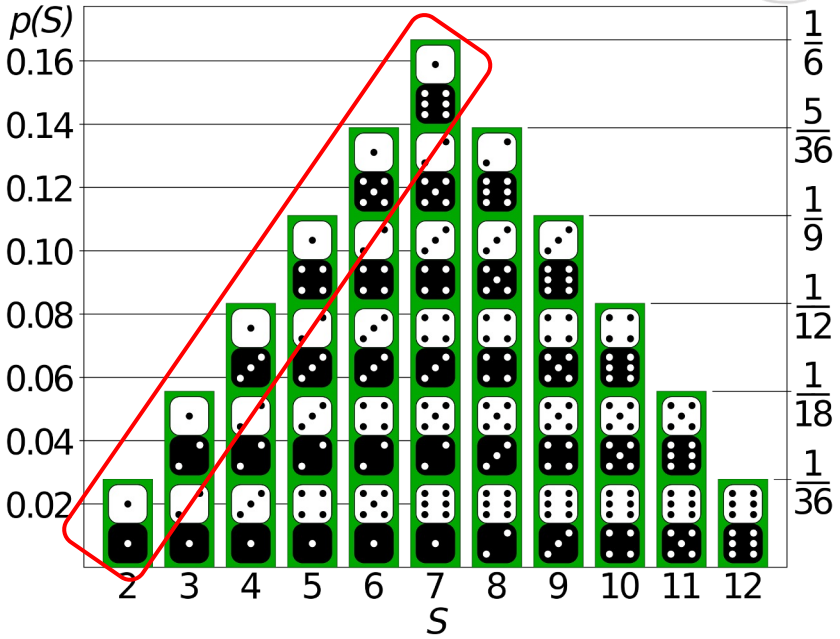
The conditioning changes the probability

$$\mathbf{P}(x_1 + x_2 = 5 \mid x_1 = 1) = \frac{1}{6}$$



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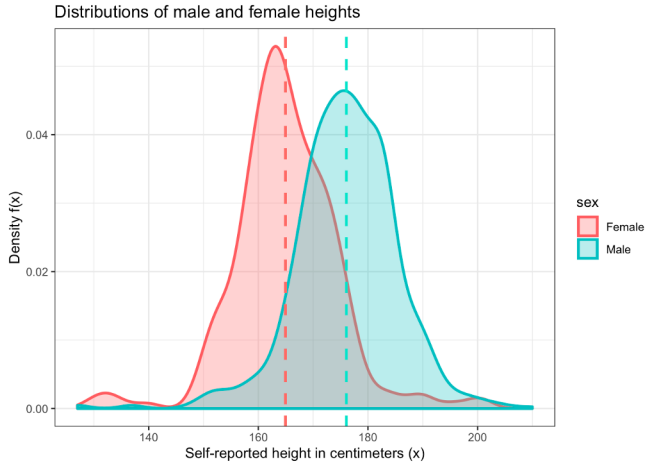
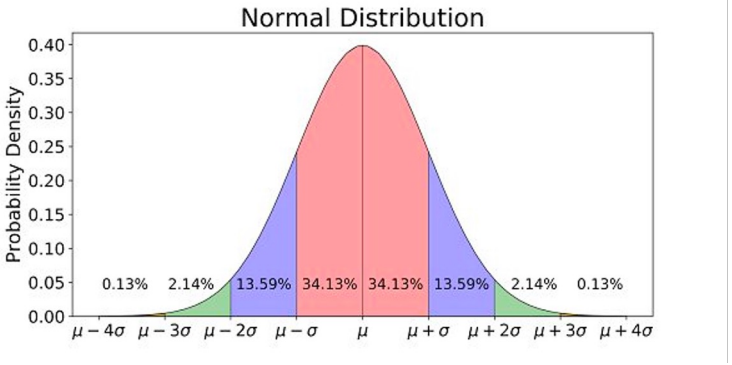
Continuous probability

Not all values are discrete (height, rainfall…)

The likelihood is defined by the probability density function

Gaussian distribution / Normal distribution $\mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$





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https://www.thinkingondata.com/normal-distribution-what-means-in-numbers/

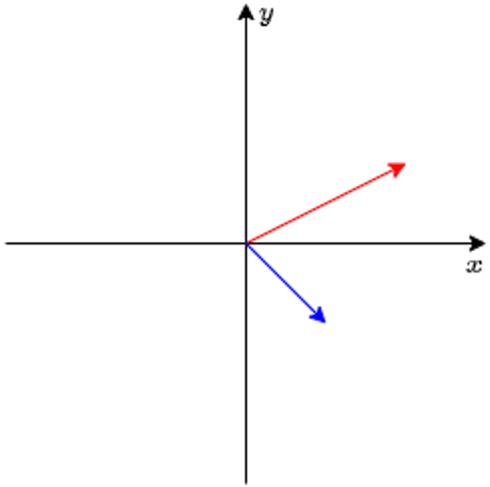
Vectors, matrices and tensors

We might need more than one number to describe the circumstance

A vector is represented as a list of numbers, where each number represents the magnitude of the vector in a particular direction.

$$a = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Norm}(a) = \sqrt{\sum_i a_i^2} = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{5}$$

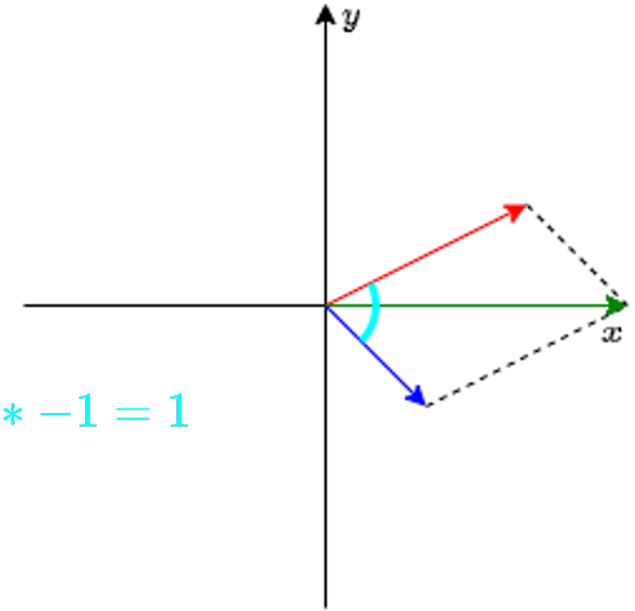


Vectors calculation

$$a = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Add $$a + b = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Inner product $$a \cdot b = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 2 * 1 + 1 * -1 = 1$$



Cosine similarity $$\frac{a \cdot b}{\|a\|\|b\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$$

$$\cos^{-1}(1/\sqrt{10}) = 71.57°$$

Matrix

A matrix is just a table of scalars:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1m} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \dots & a_{nm} \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$$

And its transpose:

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Matrix multiplication

For $\boldsymbol{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n}$, $\boldsymbol{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$:

$$\boldsymbol{A} \cdot \boldsymbol{B} = \begin{pmatrix} — & \boldsymbol{a}_{1\bullet} & — \\ — & \boldsymbol{a}_{2\bullet} & — \\ & \vdots & \\ — & \boldsymbol{a}_{n\bullet} & — \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} | & | & & | \\ \boldsymbol{b}_{\bullet 1} & \boldsymbol{b}_{\bullet 2} & \dots & \boldsymbol{b}_{\bullet m} \\ | & | & & | \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \langle a_{1\bullet}, b_{\bullet 1} \rangle & \dots & \langle a_{1\bullet}, b_{\bullet m} \rangle \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \langle a_{n\bullet}, b_{\bullet 1} \rangle & \dots & \langle a_{n\bullet}, b_{\bullet m} \rangle \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times m}$$

Matrix multiplication

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \qquad A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} \varphi & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\varphi = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle = 1 * 5 + 2 * 7 = 19$$

Python fundamentals

What is Python?

Python is an interpreted, object-oriented, high-level programming language with dynamic semantics

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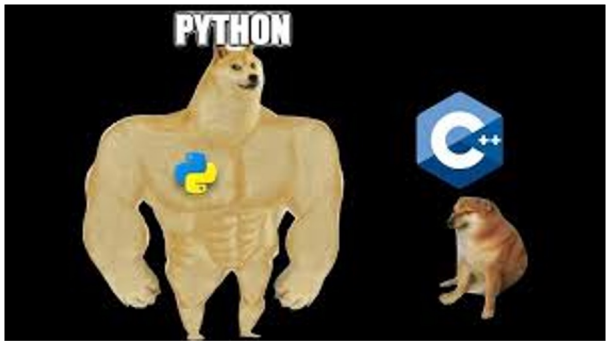
What is Python?

- Data analysis, machine learning, web developments…
- Concise and readable syntax, no compilation
- Great ecosystem with a wide range of libraries
  NumPy, SciPy, PyTorch and sooo many more …
- Easy to pick up!



Getting started with Python

Working with different environments:

- Avoid package dependency conflicts

Find how to download **miniconda** here

Create your environment using the following command:

```
conda create -n "myenv" python=3.12.0
```

And activate the corresponding environment:

```
conda activate myenv
```

Installing packages

Use conda or pip

- Activate your environment first!
- `conda install numpy` / `pip install numpy`

```
import numpy as np
print(np.random.randint(6))
```

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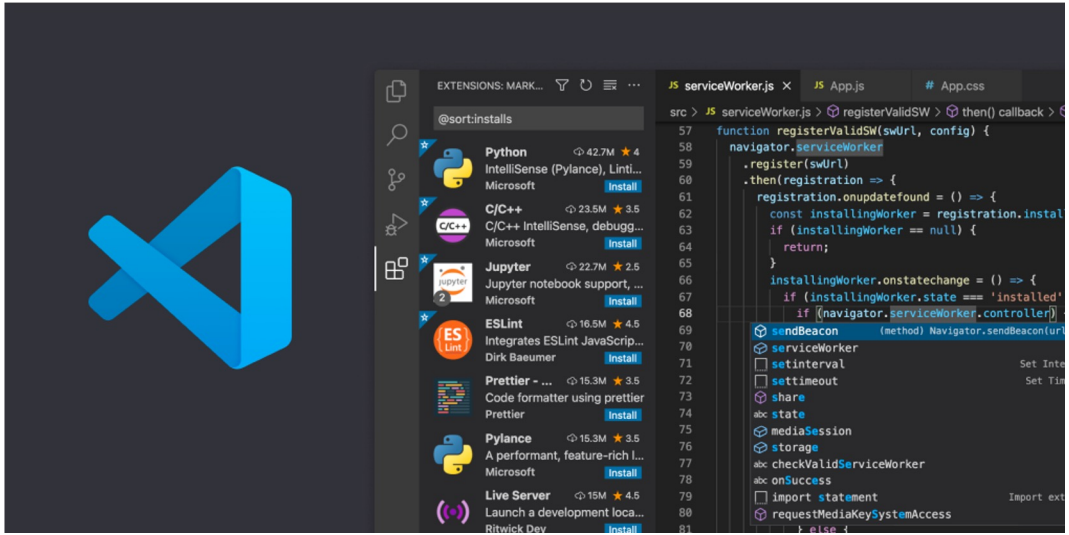
```

Select your IDE

Integrated Development Environment

- VSCode / PyCharm / Vim



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Intro into Python

Hello World

Starting point for every programming language…

Arithmetic Operators


```
# Addition
print(1 + 3)

# Subtraction
print(3 - 1)

# Multiplication
print(5 * 3)

# Division
print(5 / 2)
```

Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division…

Arithmetic Operators


```python
# Brackets
print((5 + 2) * 3)

# Modulo
print(5 % 2)

# Floor division
print(9 // 2)

# Exponential
print(2 ** 4)
```

Like in math we usually work from left to right. If in doubt, we can always use parentheses.

Modulo, floor division, exponential…

Variables


```
# string
s1 = "a"
s2 = 'bc'
s3 = s1 + s2            # "abc"

# boolean
b = True
b = False

# integers
i = 1
i = 99999
# floats
f = 1.234
f = 1e-6

# automatic type-casting
result = 1 + 2 / 5      # 1.4
```

Can not start with a number.

Must start with a lowercase letter, uppercase latter, or an underscore.

Names are case sensitive.

Conditions


```python
s1 = "a"
if s1 == "a":
    print("correct")
elif s1 == "b":
    print("It's a b")
else:
    print("something else")

# we can make different conditions
# with different types
b = True
if b:
    print("b is true")
i = 12
print(i != 20)

# combining conditions
(i == 1) and True
(i == 1) or True
```

We have classic if-else clauses in python as in any other programming language.

Conditions


```
some_condition = True

if some_condition is True:
    ...

if some_condition is not True:
    ...
```

You can even write it with words…

Variable types


```python
some_var = 1

if isinstance(some_var, int):
    print("integer")
elif isinstance(some_var, str):
    print("string")
elif isinstance(some_var, float):
    print("float")
elif isinstance(some_var, bool):
    print("boolean")
else:
    print("unknown type")

print(type(some_var))
```

In python everything is an object.

You can return the type of a variable with the function type(...)

isinstance(<var>, <type>) allows you to check a variable type.

String operations and print


```python
a = 123

# combining strings and numbers
print("This is a number:", a)

new_string = f"{a} is a number"
new_string = "this is a number " + str(a)

# only print 2 decimals
float = 1.234567
print(f"{float:.2f}")
```

We can combine different types in different ways…

Lists


```python
mylist = [1, 'a', 'Hello']

# Loop over the list
for item in mylist:
    print(item)

# Access individual item
print(mylist[1])

# lists of lists
mylist = [1, 2, 'Hello', ['a', 'b'] ]

print(mylist[0] + mylist[1])

print(mylist[-1][0])
```

Lists don’t have to be of the same type, since everything in python is an object !

Loops

```python
i = 1
while i <= 4:
    print(i)
    i = i + 1

# for loops
for i in range(10):
    # conditional stopping of the loop
    if i > 8:
        break

    # skip one loop iteration
    if i == 5:
        continue
    print(i)
```

We have for and while loops in python.

We can skip iterations or stop the iteration if some condition is met.

Filling a list within a loop


```
mylist = []

# adding elements
for i in range(5):
    mylist.append(i)

print(mylist)

# pop elements
last_element = mylist.pop()
first_element = mylist.pop(0)
```

We can iteratively populate a list by using append.

We can pop elements.

Dictionaries


```
cool_car = {
  "brand": "Ford",
  "model": "Mustang",
}

print(cool_car["brand"]) # Ford

# Also add other key-value pairs!
cool_car["year"] = 1964
```

Dictionaries store data values in key:value pairs.

The corresponding value can be referred to by using the key

Functions


```
def add(x,y):
    return x + y

add(2,3) # should return 5
```

A function is a block of code which only runs when it is called.

You can pass parameters into a function, and it can (potentially) return data as a result.

Classes and subclasses


```python
class Person:
    def __init__(self, name, age):
        self.name = name
        self.age = age

    def get_name(self):
        return self.name

    def get_age(self):
        return self.age

elon = Person("Elon Musk", 53)
print(elon.get_age())
```

A Class is like an object constructor, or a "blueprint" for creating objects.

All classes have a function called __init__(), which is always executed when the class is being initiated.

Classes and inheritance


```python
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    def __init__(self, name, age):
        self.name = name
        self.age = age

    def get_name(self):
        return self.name

    def get_age(self):
        return self.age

class Student(Person):
    def __init__(self, name, age, university):
        super().__init__(name, age)
        self.university = university

    def get_uni(self):
        return self.university

mike = Student("Mike", 20, "LMU")
mike.get_age() # 20
mike.get_uni() # LMU
```

super() function inherits all the methods and properties from its parent

Opening files …


```
f = open("welcome.txt", "r")
lines = f.readlines()

for line in lines:
    print(line)

# Welcome to SEP CV&DL
# Enjoy!

f.close()
```

The open() function returns a file object, which has read() and readlines() for reading the content of the file

And opening images …


```python
# importing PIL and numpy
from PIL import Image
import numpy as np

# Read image
img = Image.open('test.png')

# Output Images
img.show()

# Turn into numpy array, where we can do edits
arr = np.array(img)
arr_edited = do_something(arr)

# Saving the edited image
im = Image.fromarray(arr_edited)
im.save("test1.jpeg")
```

Pillow library (PIL) is great for reading and saving images

Turn into numpy arrays for data manipulation!

Programming exercise

Given an array of integers `nums` and an integer `target`, return indices of the two numbers such that they add up to `target`.

```
def twoSum(nums, target):
```

Example:

Input: `nums = [2,7,11,15], target = 9`

Output: `[0,1]`

Explanation: Because `nums[0] + nums[1] == 9`, we return `[0,1]`.

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For the coming weeks…

Bring your own laptop with you!

We will also start with homework next week. Stay tuned!

Thanks for your Attention

Next Week: Human Perception and Computer Vision