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Introduction

- ▶ Artificial Intelligence (AI) has evolved over decades.
- ▶ It includes multiple breakthroughs in computing, machine learning, and deep learning.
- ▶ AI has gone through cycles of optimism, setbacks (AI winters), and resurgence.

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Early AI (1950s - 1970s)

- ▶ 1950: Alan Turing proposes the Turing Test and the concept of machine intelligence.
- ▶ 1956: Dartmouth Conference, organized by John McCarthy, officially coins the term "Artificial Intelligence."
- ▶ 1958: John McCarthy develops the Lisp programming language, instrumental in AI research.
- ▶ 1960s-70s: Development of early AI programs such as ELIZA (Weizenbaum) and SHRDLU (Winograd).
- ▶ 1973: First AI winter due to reduced funding and skepticism about AI's potential.

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AI Winters and Resurgence (1980s - 1990s)

- ▶ 1980s: Expert systems, such as MYCIN and XCON, gain traction in business applications.
- ▶ 1987-1993: Second AI winter due to limitations in expert systems and declining interest.
- ▶ 1990s: Revival of AI through probabilistic models, neural networks, and early machine learning approaches.
- ▶ 1997: IBM's Deep Blue defeats world chess champion Garry Kasparov.

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Modern AI (2000s - 2019)

- ▶ 2006: Geoffrey Hinton and colleagues revive deep learning with backpropagation and neural networks.
- ▶ 2010s: Advances in GPU computing accelerate deep learning progress.
- ▶ 2011: IBM Watson wins Jeopardy! against human champions.
- ▶ 2012: AlexNet revolutionizes image classification using deep convolutional neural networks.
- ▶ 2016: AlphaGo, developed by DeepMind, defeats world champion Lee Sedol in Go.
- ▶ 2019: AI applications expand into various domains including healthcare, autonomous systems, and finance.

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AI Developments (2020 - Present)

- ▶ 2020: GPT-3, a powerful language model, is released by OpenAI.
- ▶ 2021: AI is increasingly used in drug discovery and climate modeling.
- ▶ 2022: Generative AI, such as DALL·E and Stable Diffusion, advances image synthesis.
- ▶ 2023: AI legislation and regulation debates intensify worldwide.
- ▶ 2024: AI-driven robotics and autonomous agents continue to evolve in real-world applications.

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Future of AI

- ▶ Ethical considerations and AI safety, including bias and interpretability.
- ▶ Advances in artificial general intelligence (AGI) and reinforcement learning.
- ▶ Increasing AI integration in daily life, smart cities, and industries.
- ▶ Potential regulatory frameworks to ensure responsible AI development.

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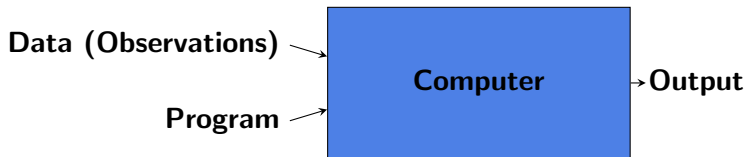


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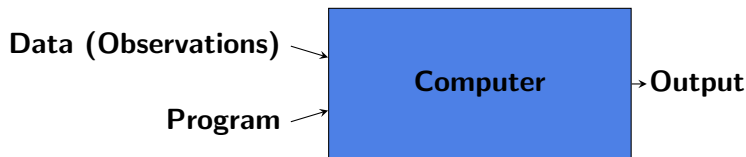


Figure: Traditional Programming

- In traditional programming, humans write explicit rules (code) to process input and produce output.

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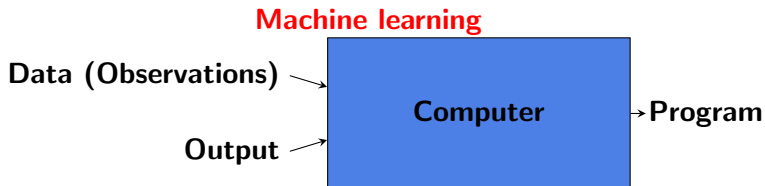


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- ▶ **Machine learning (ML)** is a branch of artificial intelligence (AI) that focuses on enabling systems to learn and improve based on experience rather than explicit programming. It involves creating models to analyze data, make predictions, and support decision-making.

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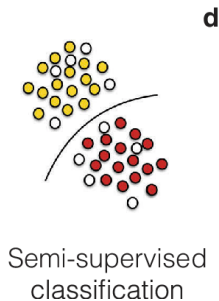
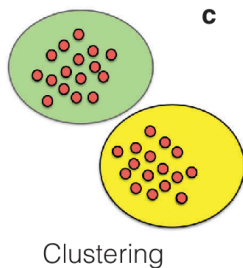
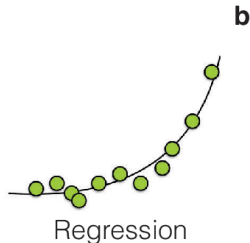
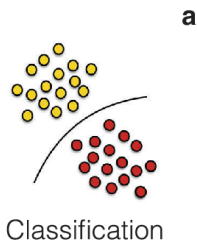
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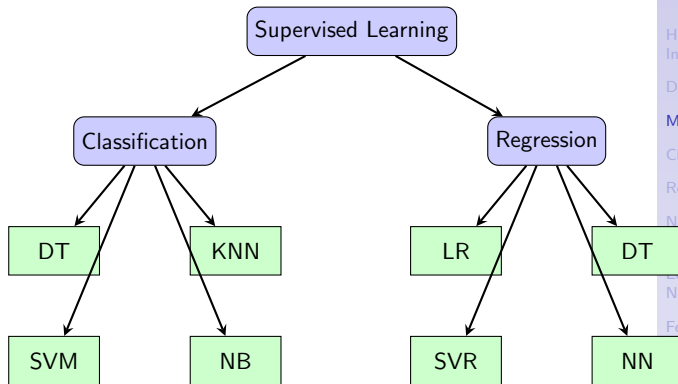
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Supervised ML techniques



Legend:

DT = Decision Trees

KNN = k-Nearest Neighbors

SVM = Support Vector Machines

NB = Naive Bayes

LR = Linear Regression

SVR = Support Vector Regression

NN = Neural Networks

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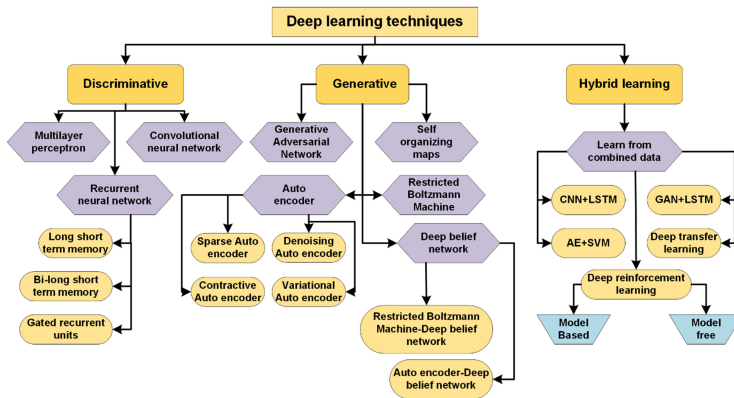
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Deep learning techniques



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Supervised ML: Classification

- ▶ **Goal:** Assign a discrete label y_i to each input \mathbf{x}_i .

- ▶ **Input:**

$$\mathbf{x}_i = [x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{id}] \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N$$

where d is the number of features, and N is the total number of samples.

- ▶ **Output:**

$$y_i \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}, \quad K = \text{Number of Classes.}$$

- ▶ **Type of y_i :** – y is categorical == classification (e.g., categories or classes).

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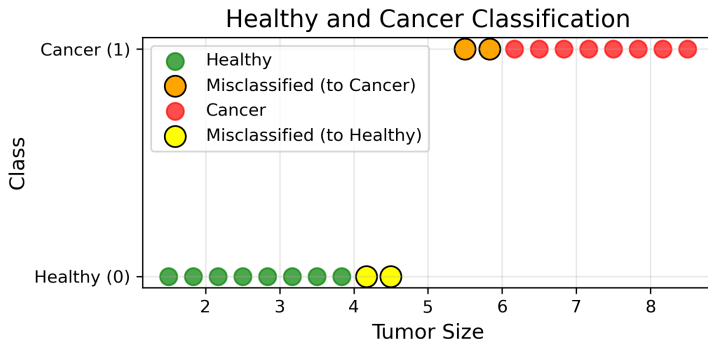
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Visualization of classification

Example: Cancer and healthy subjects classification

- ▶ Input: size of the tumor (x_1).
- ▶ Output: $y_i \in \{0, 1\}$, where 0 = **Healthy** and 1 = **Cancer**.



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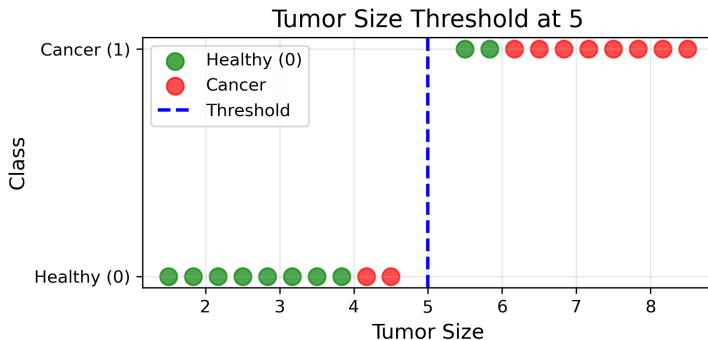
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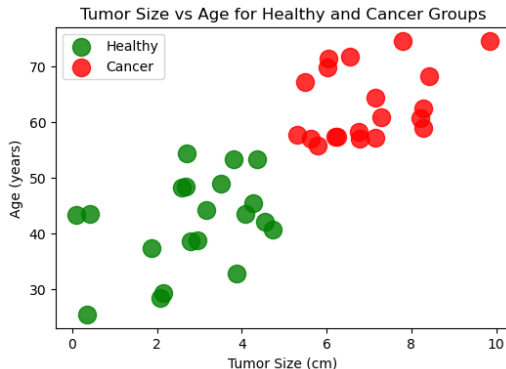
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Visualization of classification

- ▶ The input x can be multi-dimensional such that $\mathbf{x}_i = [x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{id}] \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N$.
- ▶ In the same example, if we add one more attribute (feature), namely “age”, the dimensions of features are transformed from 1-D to 2-D.



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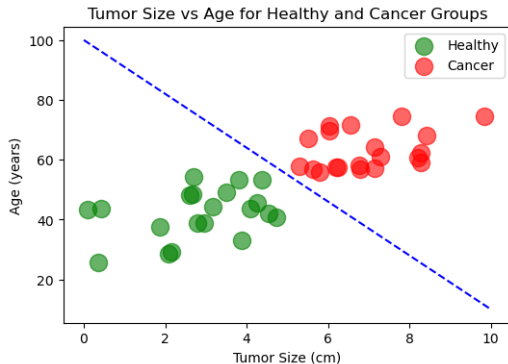
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Visualization of classification

- ▶ Now, the decision boundary is not as straight-forward like drawing a **vertical line**, since the data points are not separable.
- ▶ Similarly, drawing a decision boundaries can be tricky with an addition of attributes.



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Supervised ML: Regression

- ▶ **Goal:** Predict continuous values y_i based on the input \mathbf{x}_i .

- ▶ **Input:**

$$\mathbf{x}_i = [x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{id}], \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N.$$

- ▶ **Output:**

$$y_i \in \mathbb{R}, \quad \text{a real-valued target.}$$

- ▶ **Type of y_i :** y is Continuous (real) values == regression (e.g., numerical values).

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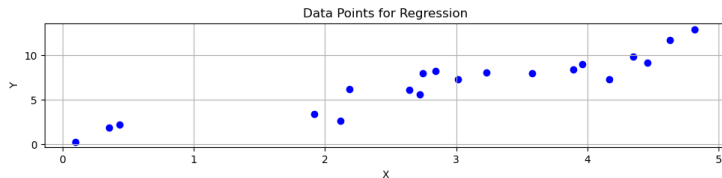
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Course structures

Example: House Price Prediction

- ▶ Input: Features like size, location, and age of the house (\mathbf{x}_i).
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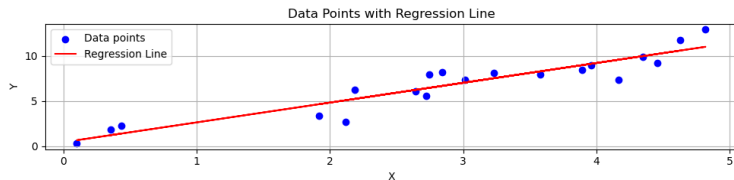
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What is a Neural Process?

- ▶ Inspired by biological neural networks in the brain.
- ▶ Involves processing information through interconnected units called **neurons**.
- ▶ Each neuron performs a simple computation and passes the result to the next layer.

Key Idea

The goal is to learn patterns or functions from data to make predictions or decisions.

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Biological neuron

- ▶ **Dendrites:** Receive input signals from other neurons.
- ▶ **Soma:** Processes inputs and combines them.
- ▶ **Axon:** Carries the processed signal to the next neuron.
- ▶ **Conduction:** Transmits signals across the network.

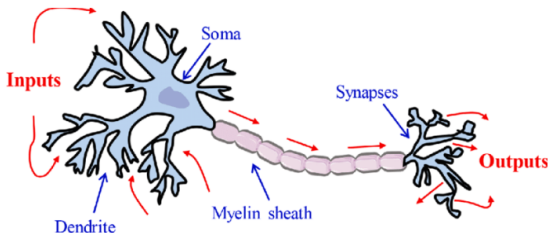


Figure: Biological neuron

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Artificial Neuron

- ▶ **Inputs (x_i):** Correspond to signals received by dendrites.
- ▶ **Weighted Sum ($z = \sum w_i x_i + b$):** Mimics the processing in the soma.
- ▶ **Activation Output ($y = f(z)$):** Equivalent to the signal carried by the axon.
- ▶ **Forward Propagation:** Analogous to conduction.

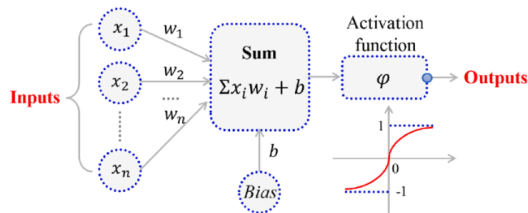


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Mimics conduction along neural pathways.

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Output of the Neuron

The output y is computed by applying an **activation function** f to z :

$$y = f(z) = f \left(\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i + b \right).$$

Activation functions introduce non-linearity, allowing the network to model complex patterns.

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What is a Feed-forward Neural Network?

- ▶ A type of artificial neural network where connections between nodes do not form a cycle.
- ▶ Information moves in one direction — **forward** — from input to output.
- ▶ Composed of:
 - ▶ **Input Layer**: Accepts raw data.
 - ▶ **Hidden Layers**: Perform intermediate computations.
 - ▶ **Output Layer**: Produces final result.

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Structure of a Feed-forward Neural Network

Key Characteristics

- ▶ No feedback connections.
- ▶ Each layer is fully connected to the next layer.
- ▶ Uses **back-propagation** for training.

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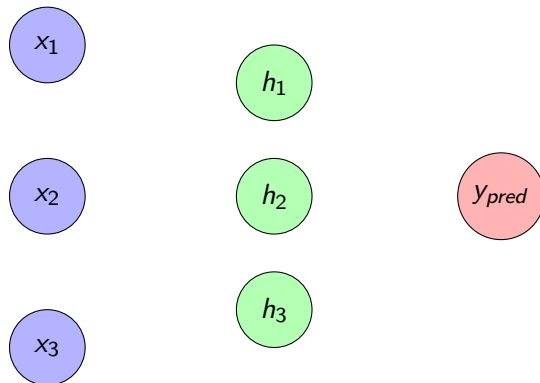
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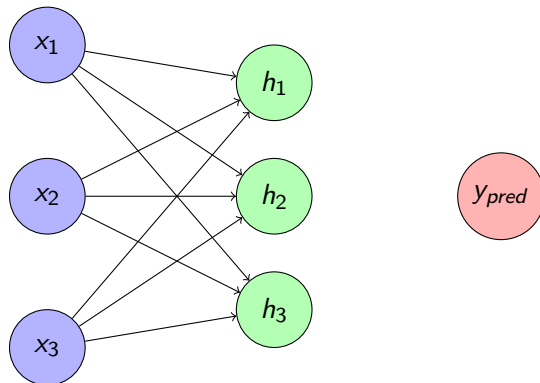
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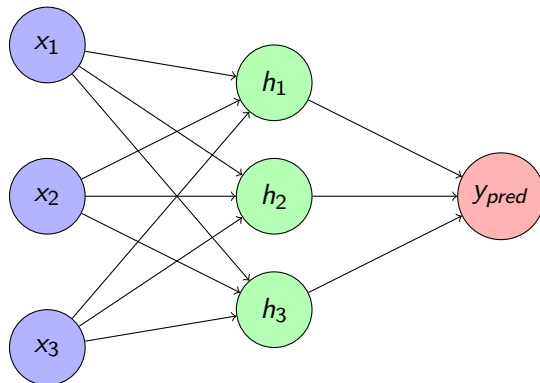
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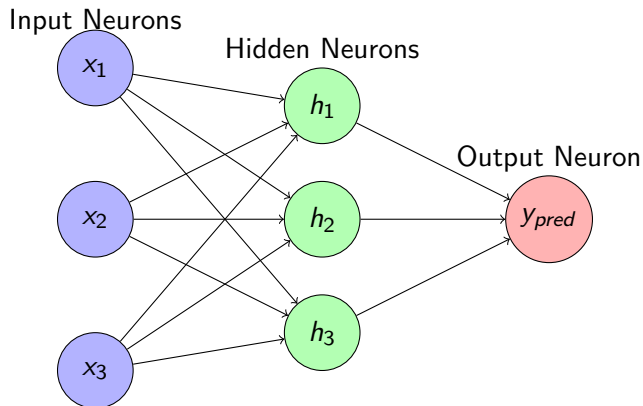
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3. Output Layer Computation:

$$y = \sum_{j=1}^m v_j h_j + c$$

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Forward Pass: Step-by-Step Computation

1. Input to Hidden Layer:

$$z_j = \sum_{i=1}^n w_{ij}x_i + b_j$$

2. Hidden Layer Activation:

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

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4. Output Activation:

$$y_{pred} = \sigma(y)$$

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Back-propagation: Overview

Goal: Minimize the loss function $L(y_{pred}, y_{target})$.

Steps in Back-propagation:

1. Compute the error at the output layer.
2. Back-propagate the error to the hidden layer.
3. Update weights and biases using the gradient descent algorithm.

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Back-propagation: Step-wise Computation

1. Compute Output Layer Error:

$$\delta_{\text{output}} = \text{Error} \cdot y_{\text{pred}}(1 - y_{\text{pred}})$$

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$$\delta_j = \delta_{\text{output}} \cdot v_j \cdot h_j(1 - h_j)$$

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4. Gradient Descent Rule:

$$\Delta w_{ij} = -\eta \cdot \delta_j \cdot x_i$$

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Gradient Descent: Overview

- ▶ Gradient Descent is an optimization algorithm used to minimize a loss function $L(w)$.

- ▶ Update rule:

$$w_{t+1} = w_t - \eta \frac{\partial L(w_t)}{\partial w}$$

- ▶ η : Learning rate determines the step size in each iteration.
- ▶ Goal: Find the global minimum of $L(w)$.

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Gradient Descent: Mathematical Analysis

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Error Function:

$$L(w) = w^2 + 1$$

Gradient:

$$\frac{\partial L(w)}{\partial w} = 2w$$

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Step Size:

$$w_{t+1} = w_t - \eta \cdot 2w_t$$

Where the step size is proportional to η and w_t .

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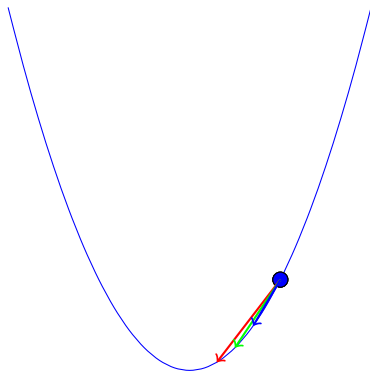
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A graph of a parabola opening upwards, representing a function with a minimum value. The parabola is blue and is centered on a horizontal axis. The vertex of the parabola is at the bottom center, indicating the minimum value of the function. The curve rises symmetrically on both sides of the vertex.

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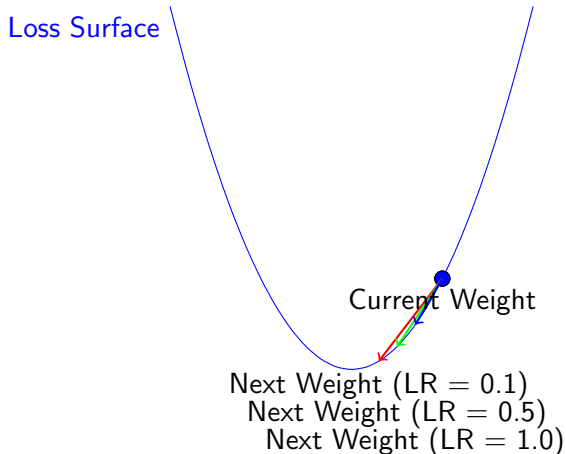
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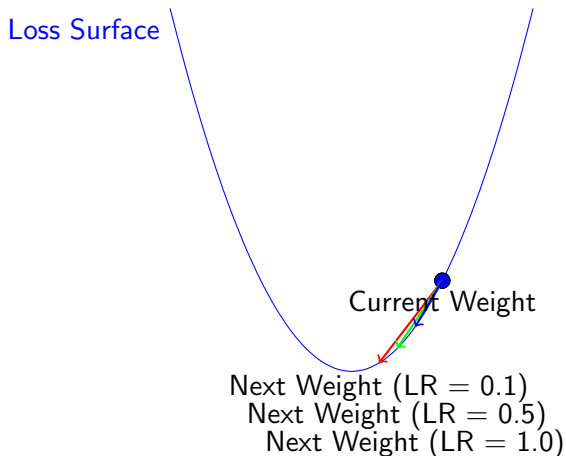
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Weight Update Formula:

$$w_{\text{new}} = w_{\text{old}} - \eta \cdot \frac{\partial E}{\partial w}$$

Summary

- ▶ Gradient descent behavior heavily depends on the learning rate.
- ▶ Choosing the right learning rate is crucial for optimization:
 - ▶ Small η : Can result in slow convergence.
 - ▶ Large η : Can cause divergence or overshooting
 - ▶ Optimal η : An optimal learning rate balances convergence speed and stability.
- ▶ Visualizations provide an intuitive understanding of optimization dynamics.

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- ▶ Bias in output layer $= 1$
- ▶ Weights with bias $= 32 + 9 = 41$

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- Biases in the hidden layer = 10

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- ▶ Total biases = $10 + 2 = 12$

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$$\approx 0.622$$

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Question 4

Question: Given a feed-forward neural network with 2 hidden layers, each with 6 neurons, and an output layer with 1 neuron, how many total neurons are there in the network (exclude input neurons)?

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Question 4

Question: Given a feed-forward neural network with 2 hidden layers, each with 6 neurons, and an output layer with 1 neuron, how many total neurons are there in the network (exclude input neurons)?

Solution:

Total neurons = $6 + 6 + 1 = 13$ (excluding input neurons)

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Training FFNN for AND Gate

Truth Table for AND Gate:

x_1	x_2	y (Target)
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

Neural Network Architecture:

- ▶ Inputs: x_1, x_2
- ▶ Hidden Layer: 2 neurons (with sigmoid activation)
- ▶ Output Layer: 1 neuron (with sigmoid activation)

Initial Weights and Biases:

$$w_1 = 0.5, \quad w_2 = 0.5$$

$$w_3 = 0.5, \quad w_4 = 0.5$$

$$w_5 = 0.5, \quad w_6 = 0.5$$

$$b_1 = 0.1, \quad b_2 = 0.1, \quad b_3 = 0.1$$

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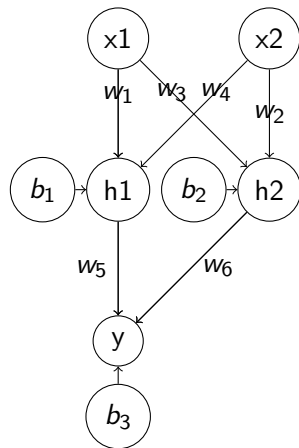
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Neural Network Architecture for AND Gate with Weights and Biases



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Forward Pass Calculation for AND Gate

For input $x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1$, let's compute the forward pass:

Hidden Layer Calculations:

$$h_1 = \sigma(w_1x_1 + w_4x_2 + b_1) = \sigma(0.5 \cdot 1 + 0.5 \cdot 1 + 0.1) = \sigma(1.1)$$

$$h_2 = \sigma(w_3x_1 + w_2x_2 + b_2) = \sigma(0.5 \cdot 1 + 0.5 \cdot 1 + 0.1) = \sigma(1.1)$$

$$\sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}} \quad \text{so} \quad \sigma(1.1) \approx 0.7503$$

Hence, both a_1 and a_2 are approximately 0.7503.

Output Layer Calculation:

$$y = \sigma(w_5h_1 + w_6h_2 + b_3) = \sigma(0.5 \cdot 0.7503 + 0.5 \cdot 0.7503 + 0.1)$$

$$y = \sigma(0.37515 + 0.37515 + 0.1) = \sigma(0.8503)$$

$$\sigma(0.8503) \approx 0.7006$$

So, the predicted output for input ($x_1 = 1, x_2 = 1$) is

$$y_{pred} = 0.7006.$$

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Error Calculation and Back-propagation for AND Gate

Error (Mean Squared Error):

$$E = \frac{1}{2}(y_{\text{target}} - y_{\text{pred}})^2 = \frac{1}{2}(1 - 0.7006)^2 = \frac{1}{2}(0.2994)^2 \approx 0.0448$$

Back-propagation:

Output Layer Gradients:

$$\delta_3 = (y_{\text{target}} - y_{\text{pred}}) \cdot \sigma'(y)$$

$$\sigma'(y) = y(1-y) = 0.7006 \cdot (1 - 0.7006) = 0.7006 \cdot 0.2994 \approx 0.2098$$

$$\delta_3 = (1 - 0.7006) \cdot 0.2098 \approx 0.2994 \cdot 0.2098 \approx 0.0628$$

Hidden Layer Gradients:

$$\delta_1 = \delta_3 \cdot w_5 \cdot \sigma'(h_1) = 0.0628 \cdot 0.5 \cdot \sigma'(0.7503)$$

$$\sigma'(a_1) = 0.7503 \cdot (1 - 0.7503) = 0.7503 \cdot 0.2497 \approx 0.1873$$

$$\delta_1 \approx 0.0628 \cdot 0.5 \cdot 0.1873 \approx 0.0059$$

$$\delta_2 = \delta_3 \cdot w_6 \cdot \sigma'(h_2) = 0.0628 \cdot 0.5 \cdot \sigma'(0.7503) \approx 0.0059$$

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Weight updates

Weight Updates:

$$w_{5_{new}} \leftarrow w_5 - \eta \cdot \delta_3 \cdot h_1 = 0.5 - 0.3 \cdot 0.0628 \cdot 0.7503 \approx 0.5 - 0.01413 = 0.4857$$

$$w_{6_{new}} \leftarrow w_6 - \eta \cdot \delta_3 \cdot h_2 = 0.5 - 0.3 \cdot 0.0628 \cdot 0.7503 \approx 0.4857$$

$$w_{1_{new}} \leftarrow w_1 - \eta \cdot \delta_1 \cdot x_1 = 0.5 - 0.3 \cdot 0.0059 \cdot 1 = 0.5 - 0.00177 = 0.4982$$

$$w_{2_{new}} \leftarrow w_2 - \eta \cdot \delta_2 \cdot x_2 = 0.5 - 0.3 \cdot 0.0059 \cdot 1 = 0.4982$$

$$w_{3_{new}} \leftarrow w_3 - \eta \cdot \delta_2 \cdot x_1 = 0.5 - 0.3 \cdot 0.0059 \cdot 1 = 0.4982$$

$$w_{4_{new}} \leftarrow w_4 - \eta \cdot \delta_1 \cdot x_2 = 0.5 - 0.3 \cdot 0.0059 \cdot 1 = 0.4982$$

Bias Updates:

$$b_{3_{new}} \leftarrow b_3 - \eta \cdot \delta_3 = 0.1 - 0.3 \cdot 0.0628 = 0.08116$$

$$b_{1_{new}} \leftarrow b_1 - \eta \cdot \delta_1 = 0.1 - 0.3 \cdot 0.0059 = 0.09823$$

$$b_{2_{new}} \leftarrow b_2 - \eta \cdot \delta_2 = 0.1 - 0.3 \cdot 0.0059 = 0.09823$$

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Exercise

Repeat the above calculations for $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0$ and $y = 0$

Neural Network Architecture:

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Learning Rate: $\eta = 0.3$

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Forward Propagation - Hidden Layer

Hidden Layer Calculations:

$$\begin{aligned}z_1 &= w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + b_1 \\&= (0.5 \times 0) + (0.5 \times 0) + 0.1 \\&= 0.1\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}h_1 &= \sigma(z_1) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-0.1}} \\&= \frac{1}{1 + 0.9048} \approx 0.525\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}z_2 &= w_3x_1 + w_4x_2 + b_2 \\&= (0.5 \times 0) + (0.5 \times 0) + 0.1 \\&= 0.1\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}h_2 &= \sigma(z_2) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-0.1}} \\&= \frac{1}{1 + 0.9048} \approx 0.525\end{aligned}$$

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Forward Propagation - Output Layer

Output Layer Calculation:

$$\begin{aligned}z_3 &= w_5 h_1 + w_6 h_2 + b_3 \\&= (0.5 \times 0.525) + (0.5 \times 0.525) + 0.1 \\&= 0.2625 + 0.2625 + 0.1 \\&= 0.625\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}y_{\text{pred}} &= \sigma(z_3) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-0.625}} \\&= \frac{1}{1 + 0.535} \\&\approx 0.652\end{aligned}$$

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Error Calculation

$$\begin{aligned} E &= \frac{1}{2}(y_{\text{target}} - y_{\text{pred}})^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(0 - 0.652)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(0.425) \\ &= 0.213 \end{aligned}$$

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Error Gradient:

$$\begin{aligned}\delta_3 &= (y_{\text{target}} - y_{\text{pred}})y_{\text{pred}}(1 - y_{\text{pred}}) \\ &= (0 - 0.652) \times (0.652) \times (1 - 0.652) \\ &= 0.652 \times 0.652 \times 0.348 \\ &\approx -0.148\end{aligned}$$

Weight and Bias Updates:

$$\begin{aligned}w_{5_{\text{new}}} &= w_5 - \eta \cdot \delta_3 \cdot h_1 \\ &= 0.5 - 0.3 \times -0.148 \times 0.525 \approx 5.2331\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}w_{6_{\text{new}}} &= w_6 - \eta \cdot \delta_3 \cdot h_2 \\ &= 0.5 - 0.3 \times -0.148 \times 0.525 \approx 5.2331\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}b_{3_{\text{new}}} &= b_3 - \eta \cdot \delta_3 \\ &= 0.1 - 0.3 \times -0.148 \approx 0.1444\end{aligned}$$

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Hidden Layer Gradients:

$$\begin{aligned}\delta_1 &= \delta_3 \cdot w_5 \cdot h_1(1 - h_1) \\ &= -0.148 \times 0.5 \times 0.525 \times (1 - 0.525) \\ &= -0.148 \times 0.5 \times 0.525 \times 0.475 \approx -0.0184 \\ \delta_2 &= \delta_3 \cdot w_6 \cdot h_2(1 - h_2) \\ &= -0.148 \times 0.5 \times 0.525 \times 0.475 \approx -0.0184\end{aligned}$$

Weight and Bias Updates:

$$\begin{aligned}b_{1_{new}} &= b_1 - \eta \cdot \delta_1 \\ &= 0.1 - 0.3 \times -0.0184 \\ &\approx 0.1055 \\ b_{2_{new}} &= b_2 - \eta \cdot \delta_2 \\ &= 0.1 - 0.3 \times -0.0184 \\ &\approx 0.1055\end{aligned}$$

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Back-propagation - Hidden Layer

Weight Updates for w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4 :

$$\begin{aligned}w_{1_{new}} &= w_1 - \eta \cdot \delta_1 \cdot x_1 \\&= 0.5 - 0.3 \times -0.0184 \times 0 \\&= 0.5\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}w_{2_{new}} &= w_2 - \eta \cdot \delta_1 \cdot x_2 \\&= 0.5 - 0.3 \times -0.0184 \times 0 \\&= 0.5\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}w_{3_{new}} &= w_3 - \eta \cdot \delta_2 \cdot x_1 \\&= 0.5 - 0.3 \times -0.0184 \times 0 \\&= 0.5\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}w_{4_{new}} &= w_4 - \eta \cdot \delta_2 \cdot x_2 \\&= 0.5 - 0.3 \times -0.0184 \times 0 \\&= 0.5\end{aligned}$$

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```
1 import numpy as np
2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
3
4 class NeuralNetwork:
5     def __init__(self, input_size, hidden_size, output_size):
6         self.input_size = input_size
7         self.hidden_size = hidden_size
8         self.output_size = output_size
9
10    # Initialize weights and biases
11        self.weights_input_hidden = np.random.randn(self.
12            input_size, self.hidden_size)
13        self.weights_hidden_output = np.random.randn(self.
14            hidden_size, self.output_size)
15        self.bias_hidden = np.zeros((1, self.hidden_size))
16        self.bias_output = np.zeros((1, self.output_size))
17
18    def sigmoid(self, x):
19        return 1 / (1 + np.exp(-x))
20
21    def sigmoid_derivative(self, x):
22        return x * (1 - x)
23
24    def feedforward(self, X):
25        self.hidden_activation = np.dot(X, self.
26            weights_input_hidden) + self.
27            bias_hidden
28        self.hidden_output = self.sigmoid(self.hidden_activation)
29        self.output_activation = np.dot(self.hidden_output,
30            self.weights_hidden_output) + self.bias_output
31        self.predicted_output = self.sigmoid(self.
32            output_activation)
33        return self.predicted_output
```

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```
1 def backward(self, X, y, learning_rate):
2     output_error = y - self.predicted_output
3     output_delta = output_error * self.sigmoid_derivative(
4         self.predicted_output)
5     hidden_error = np.dot(output_delta, self.
6         weights_hidden_output.T)
7     hidden_delta = hidden_error * self.sigmoid_derivative(
8         self.hidden_output)
9
10    self.weights_hidden_output += np.dot(self.hidden_output.
11        T, output_delta) * learning_rate
12    self.bias_output += np.sum(output_delta, axis=0,
13        keepdims=True) * learning_rate
14    self.weights_input_hidden += np.dot(X.T, hidden_delta) *
15        learning_rate
16    self.bias_hidden += np.sum(hidden_delta, axis=0,
17        keepdims=True) * learning_rate
18
19    return np.mean(np.square(output_error))
20
21 def train(self, X, y, epochs, learning_rate):
22     losses = []
23     for epoch in range(epochs):
24         self.feedforward(X)
25         loss = self.backward(X, y, learning_rate)
26         losses.append(loss)
27         if epoch % 2000 == 0:
28             print(f"Epoch {epoch}, Loss: {loss:.6f}")
29
30     return losses
```

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```
1 # AND Gate input and output
2 X = np.array([[0, 0], [0, 1], [1, 0], [1, 1]])
3 y = np.array([[0], [0], [0], [1]])
4
5 nn = NeuralNetwork(input_size=2, hidden_size=4, output_size=1)
6 losses = nn.train(X, y, epochs=10000, learning_rate=0.1)
7
8 # Print final weights
9 print("Final Weights - Input to Hidden:")
10 print(nn.weights_input_hidden)
11 print("Final Weights - Hidden to Output:")
12 print(nn.weights_hidden_output)
13
14 # Print final predictions
15 final_predictions = nn.feedforward(X)
16 print("\nFinal Predictions:")
17 print(final_predictions)
18
19 # Plot training loss curve
20 plt.plot(losses)
21 plt.xlabel("Epochs")
22 plt.ylabel("Loss")
23 plt.title("Training Loss Curve")
24 plt.show()
```

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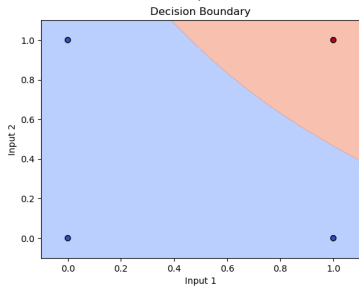
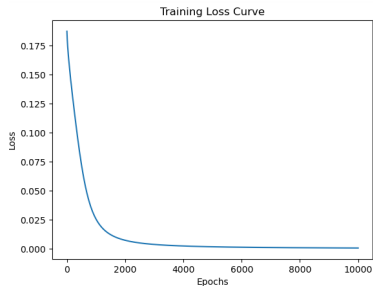
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```
1 # Decision Boundary
2 xx, yy = np.meshgrid(np.linspace(-0.1, 1.1, 100), np.linspace(-0.1, 1.1,
3 100))
4 X_grid = np.c_[xx.ravel(), yy.ravel()]
5 preds = nn.feedforward(X_grid).reshape(xx.shape)
6 plt.contourf(xx, yy, preds, levels=[0, 0.5, 1], alpha=0.6, cmap="
7 coolwarm")
8 plt.scatter(X[:, 0], X[:, 1], c=y[:, 0], edgecolors='k', cmap="coolwarm"
9 )
10 plt.xlabel("Input 1")
11 plt.ylabel("Input 2")
12 plt.title("Decision Boundary")
13 plt.show()
```

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