

# **CS124: Deep Learning - IIT Ropar**

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**NPTEL Problem Solving Session**

**Week-1**

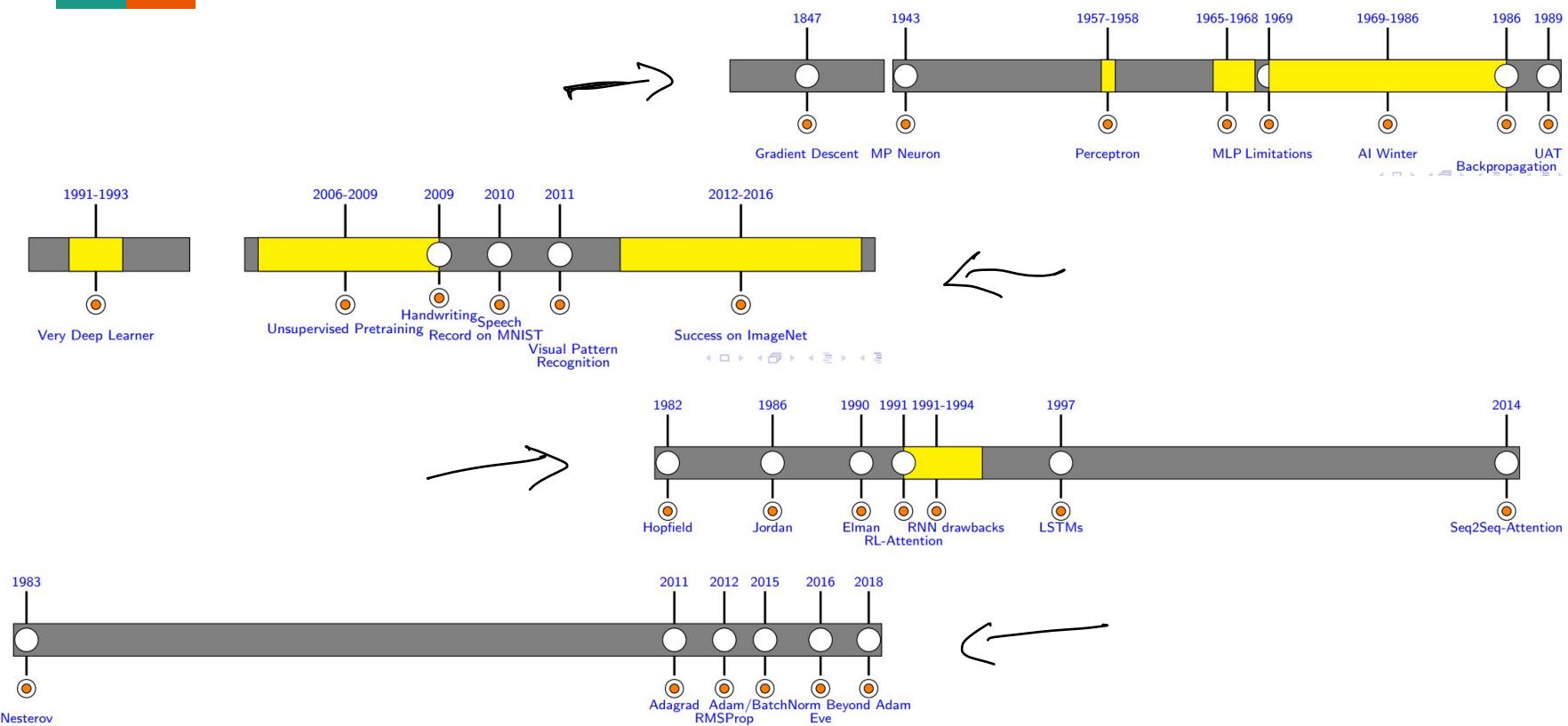
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# **Outline:**

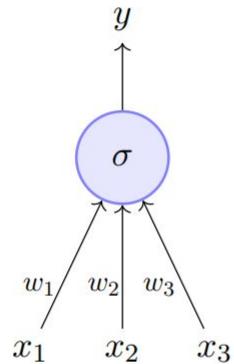
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- History of AI
- MP Neuron
- Perceptron
- Problem Solving

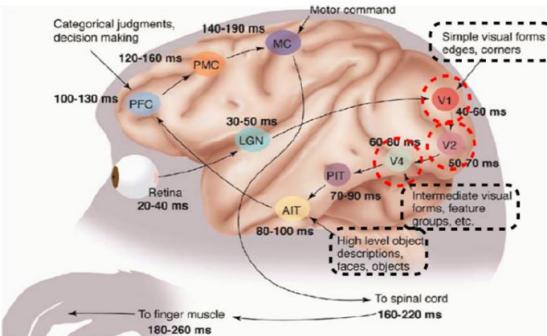
# History



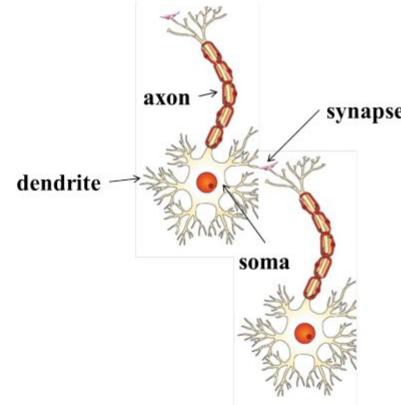
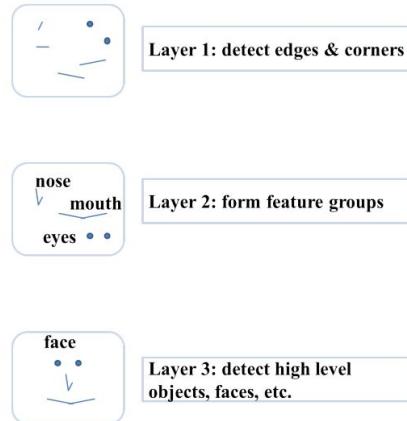
# Neuron



Artificial Neuron



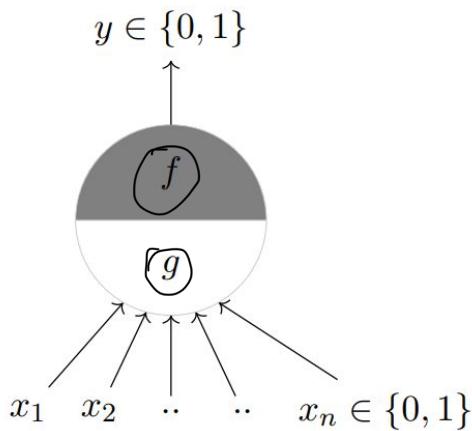
[picture from Simon Thorpe]



Biological Neurons\*

- **dendrite:** receives signals from other neurons
- **synapse:** point of connection to other neurons
- **soma:** processes the information
- **axon:** transmits the output of this neuron

# MP Neuron



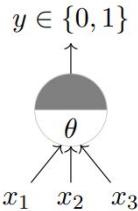
- McCulloch (neuroscientist) and Pitts (logician) proposed a highly simplified computational model of the neuron (1943)
- $g$  aggregates the inputs and the function  $f$  takes a decision based on this aggregation
- The inputs can be excitatory or inhibitory
- $y = 0$  if any  $x_i$  is inhibitory, else

$$g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = g(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

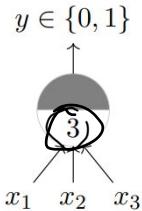
$$y = f(g(\mathbf{x})) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \overbrace{g(\mathbf{x})}^{\geq \theta} \geq \theta \\ 0 & \text{if } \overbrace{g(\mathbf{x})}^{< \theta} < \theta \end{cases}$$

- $\theta$  is called the thresholding parameter
- This is called Thresholding Logic

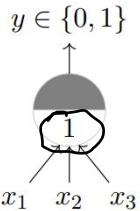
# MP Neuron



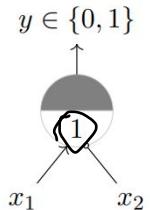
A McCulloch Pitts unit



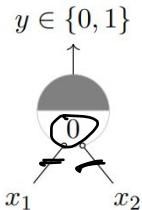
AND function



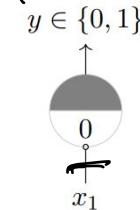
OR function



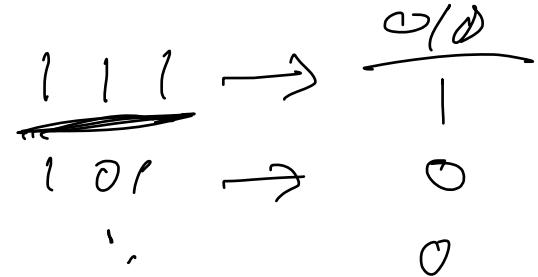
$x_1 \text{ AND } !x_2^*$



NOR function



NOT function



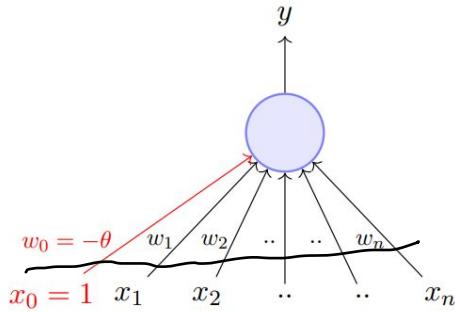
The story so far ...

- A single McCulloch Pitts Neuron can be used to represent boolean functions which are linearly separable
- Linear separability (for boolean functions) : There exists a line (plane) such that all inputs which produce a 1 lie on one side of the line (plane) and all inputs which produce a 0 lie on other side of the line (plane)



# Perceptron

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A more accepted convention,

$$y = 1 \quad if \sum_{i=0}^n w_i * x_i \geq 0$$

$$= 0 \quad if \sum_{i=0}^n w_i * x_i < 0$$

where,  $x_0 = 1$  and  $w_0 = -\theta$

$$y = 1 \quad if \sum_{i=1}^n w_i * x_i \geq \theta$$

$$= 0 \quad if \sum_{i=1}^n w_i * x_i < \theta$$

Rewriting the above,

$$y = 1 \quad if \sum_{i=1}^n w_i * x_i - \theta \geq 0$$

$$= 0 \quad if \sum_{i=1}^n w_i * x_i - \theta < 0$$

**McCulloch Pitts Neuron**  
(assuming no inhibitory inputs)



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**Perceptron**



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# Perceptron

**Algorithm:** Perceptron Learning Algorithm

$P \leftarrow$  inputs with label 1; ✓  
 $N \leftarrow$  inputs with label 0; ✓  
Initialize  $\mathbf{w}$  randomly;  
**while** !convergence **do**  
    Pick random  $\mathbf{x} \in P \cup N$  ;  
    **if**  $\mathbf{x} \in P$  and  $\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{x} < 0$  **then**  
         $\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{x}$  ; ✓  
    **end**  
    **if**  $\mathbf{x} \in N$  and  $\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{x} \geq 0$  **then**  
         $\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{w} - \mathbf{x}$  ; ✓  
    **end**

**end**  
//the algorithm converges when all the  
inputs are classified correctly

$$\cos\alpha = \frac{\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}}{\|\mathbf{w}\| \|\mathbf{x}\|}$$

- For  $\mathbf{x} \in P$  if  $\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{x} < 0$  then it means that the angle ( $\alpha$ ) between this  $\mathbf{x}$  and the current  $\mathbf{w}$  is greater than  $90^\circ$  (but we want  $\alpha$  to be less than  $90^\circ$ )
- What happens to the new angle ( $\alpha_{new}$ ) when  $\mathbf{w}_{new} = \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{x}$   
$$\begin{aligned} \cos(\alpha_{new}) &\propto \mathbf{w}_{new}^T \mathbf{x} \\ &\propto (\mathbf{w} + \mathbf{x})^T \mathbf{x} \\ &\propto \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{x} \\ &\propto \cos\alpha + \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{x} \end{aligned}$$
  
$$\cos(\alpha_{new}) > \cos\alpha$$
- For  $\mathbf{x} \in N$  if  $\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{x} \geq 0$  then it means that the angle ( $\alpha$ ) between this  $\mathbf{x}$  and the current  $\mathbf{w}$  is less than  $90^\circ$  (but we want  $\alpha$  to be greater than  $90^\circ$ )
- What happens to the new angle ( $\alpha_{new}$ ) when  $\mathbf{w}_{new} = \mathbf{w} - \mathbf{x}$   
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$$\cos(\alpha_{new}) < \cos\alpha$$
- Thus  $\alpha_{new}$  will be less than  $\alpha$  and this is exactly what we want

# Perceptron

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## Theorem

**Definition:** Two sets  $P$  and  $N$  of points in an  $n$ -dimensional space are called absolutely linearly separable if  $n + 1$  real numbers  $w_0, w_1, \dots, w_n$  exist such that every point  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in P$  satisfies  $\sum_{i=1}^n w_i * x_i > w_0$  and every point  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in N$  satisfies  $\sum_{i=1}^n w_i * x_i < w_0$ .

**Proposition:** If the sets  $P$  and  $N$  are finite and linearly separable, the perceptron learning algorithm updates the weight vector  $\mathbf{w}_t$  a finite number of times. In other words: if the vectors in  $P$  and  $N$  are tested cyclically one after the other, a weight vector  $\mathbf{w}_t$  is found after a finite number of steps  $t$  which can separate the two sets.

# Perceptron

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## Algorithm: Perceptron Learning Algorithm

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$P \leftarrow$  inputs with label 1;

$N \leftarrow$  inputs with label 0;

$\check{N^-}$  contains negations of all points in  $N$ ;

$\check{P'} \leftarrow P \cup N^-$ ;

Initialize  $w$  randomly;

**while** !convergence **do**

    Pick random  $p \in P'$ ;

$p \leftarrow \frac{p}{\|p\|}$  (so now,  $\|p\| = 1$ ) ;

**if**  $w \cdot p < 0$  **then**

$w = w + p$  ;

**end**

**end**

//the algorithm converges when all the inputs are  
classified correctly

//notice that we do not need the other **if** condition  
because by construction we want all points in  $P'$  to  
lie in the positive half space  $w \cdot p \geq 0$

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## Proof:

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- Now suppose at time step  $t$  we inspected the point  $p_i$  and found that  $w^T \cdot p_i \leq 0$
- We make a correction  $w_{t+1} = w_t + p_i$
- Let  $\beta$  be the angle between  $w^*$  and  $w_{t+1}$

$$\cos \beta = \frac{w^* \cdot w_{t+1}}{\|w_{t+1}\|}$$

$$\text{Numerator} = w^* \cdot w_{t+1} = w^* \cdot (w_t + p_i)$$

$$= w^* \cdot w_t + w^* \cdot p_i$$

$$\geq w^* \cdot w_t + \delta \quad (\delta = \min\{w^* \cdot p_i | \forall i\})$$

$$\geq w^* \cdot (w_{t-1} + p_j) + \delta$$

$$\geq w^* \cdot w_{t-1} + w^* \cdot p_j + \delta$$

$$\geq w^* \cdot w_{t-1} + 2\delta$$

$$\geq w^* \cdot w_0 + (k)\delta \quad (\text{By induction})$$

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# Perceptron

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## Proof (continued:)

So far we have,  $w^T \cdot p_i \leq 0$  (and hence we made the correction)

$$\cos\beta = \frac{w^* \cdot w_{t+1}}{\|w_{t+1}\|} \quad (\text{by definition})$$

Numerator  $\geq w^* \cdot w_0 + k\delta$  (proved by induction)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Denominator}^2 &= \|w_{t+1}\|^2 \\ &= (w_t + p_i) \cdot (w_t + p_i) \\ &= \|w_t\|^2 + 2w_t \cdot p_i + \|p_i\|^2 \\ &\leq \|w_t\|^2 + \|p_i\|^2 \quad (\because w_t \cdot p_i \leq 0) \\ &\leq \|w_t\|^2 + 1 \quad (\because \|p_i\|^2 = 1) \\ &\leq (\|w_{t-1}\|^2 + 1) + 1 \\ &\leq \|w_{t-1}\|^2 + 2 \\ &\leq \|w_0\|^2 + (k) \quad (\text{By same observation that we made about } \delta) \end{aligned}$$

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# Perceptron

Proof (continued):

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Numerator  $\geq w^* \cdot w_0 + k\delta$  (proved by induction)

Denominator<sup>2</sup>  $\leq \|w_0\|^2 + k$  (By same observation that we made about  $\delta$ )

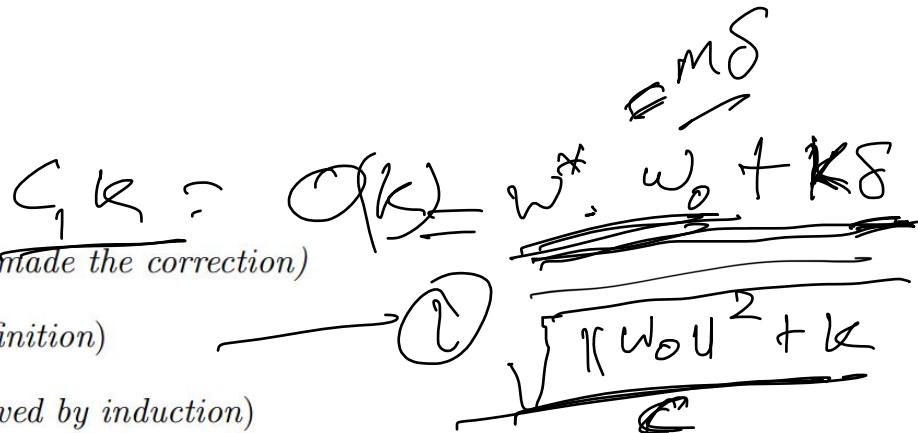
$$\cos\beta \geq \frac{w^* \cdot w_0 + k\delta}{\sqrt{\|w_0\|^2 + k}} \quad \checkmark$$

$\bullet$   $\cos\beta$  thus grows proportional to  $\sqrt{k}$

$\bullet$  As  $k$  (number of corrections) increases  $\cos\beta$  can become arbitrarily large

$\bullet$  But since  $\cos\beta \leq 1$ ,  $k$  must be bounded by a maximum number

$\bullet$  Thus, there can only be a finite number of corrections ( $k$ ) to  $w$  and the algorithm will converge!



$$G_3 R = O(R) \sqrt{C + k}$$

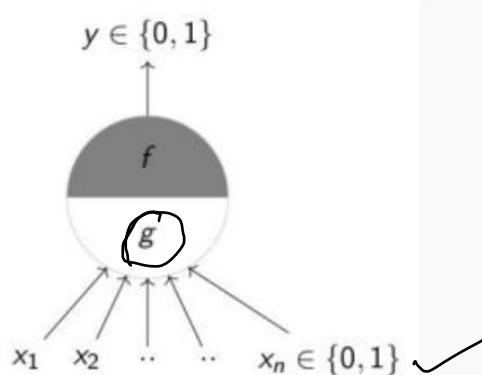
$$G_4 R = O(\sqrt{R})$$



# Previous Iteration Problems

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- 1) Given the following representation of an MP neuron, What is the role of function 'g'?



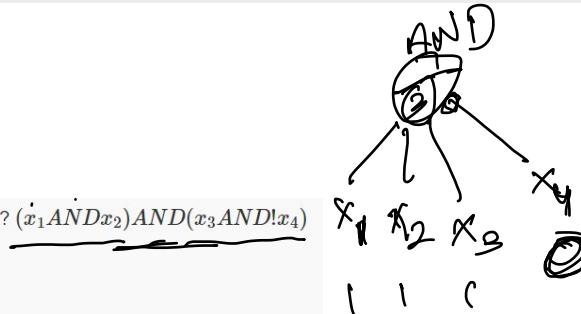
- collect inputs
- aggregate inputs ✓
- takes decision based on inputs
- check validity of inputs

$$J = \sum \underline{x_i c_i}$$

$$f_i \quad g > 0$$

3) What is the thresholding parameter for the MP neuron for the given boolean function,?  $(x_1 \text{AND} x_2) \text{AND}(x_3 \text{AND} !x_4)$

- 4
- 3 ✓
- 2
- 1



4) Which of the following Statements is correct?

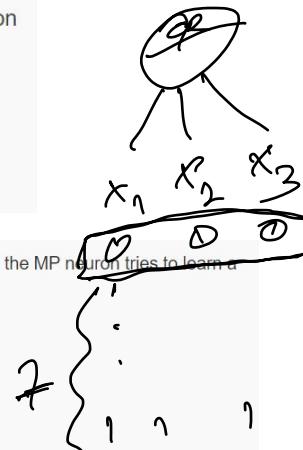
Statement I: Perceptron separates the input space into two sections

Statement II: Only a linearly separable function can be implemented using a single perceptron

- Only I is True
- Only II is True
- Both I and II are True ✓
- Both I and II are False

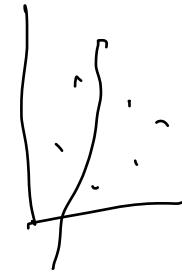
6) Consider an OR function MP neuron with three inputs  $x_1, x_2, x_3$ . The number of input points can be 8. And the MP neuron tries to learn a decision boundary that is a plane. How many points out of this 8 input points lie below the plane?

- 0 ✓
- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4



7) Pick out the one which best describes the decision boundary that a Mc Culloch Pitt Neuron model learns when the number of inputs is more than three.

- Point
- Line
- Plane
- Hyperplane ✓



9) Which of the following is True for a Perceptron Learning Algorithm?

- weights are initialised with zero values initially
- updating weights takes a finite number of iterations to converge ✓
- weights are updated only by brute force method
- convergence refers to error becoming maximum

↗ min

10) For which of the following gates, the threshold value is 3 for three inputs?

- AND ✓
- OR
- NOR
- XOR

McCulloch-Pitts neuron









