

# Machine Learning Applications in Mechanical Engineering ; A Hands-On Journey

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# Project Overview

This project is mainly aimed towards developing proficiency in python and its libraries and applying fundamental machine learning algorithms.

Apart from Basics including KNNs & decision boundaries, ....Regression techniques, regularisation processes ,perceptrons and SVM , ANNs were also covered in this project.



# Basics of Python



I learnt about basic python syntax, variables , comments, various data types , numbers, python -casting , strings , booleans, different types of operators etc. ,

Also I explored sets, lists, tuples, dictionaries, loops , conditionals which is required to handle any type of mechanical dataset

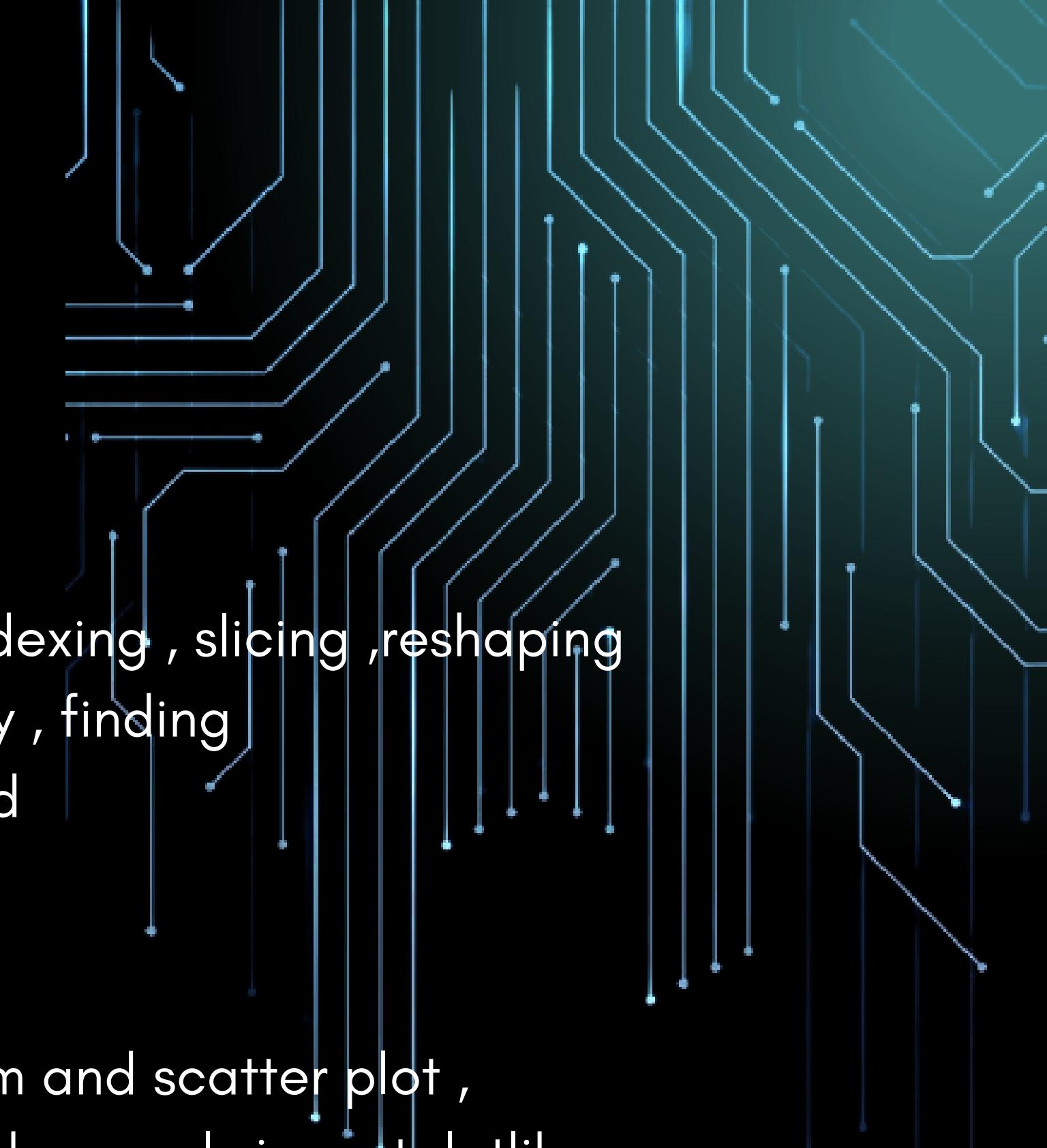
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# NumPy, Pandas Matplotlib

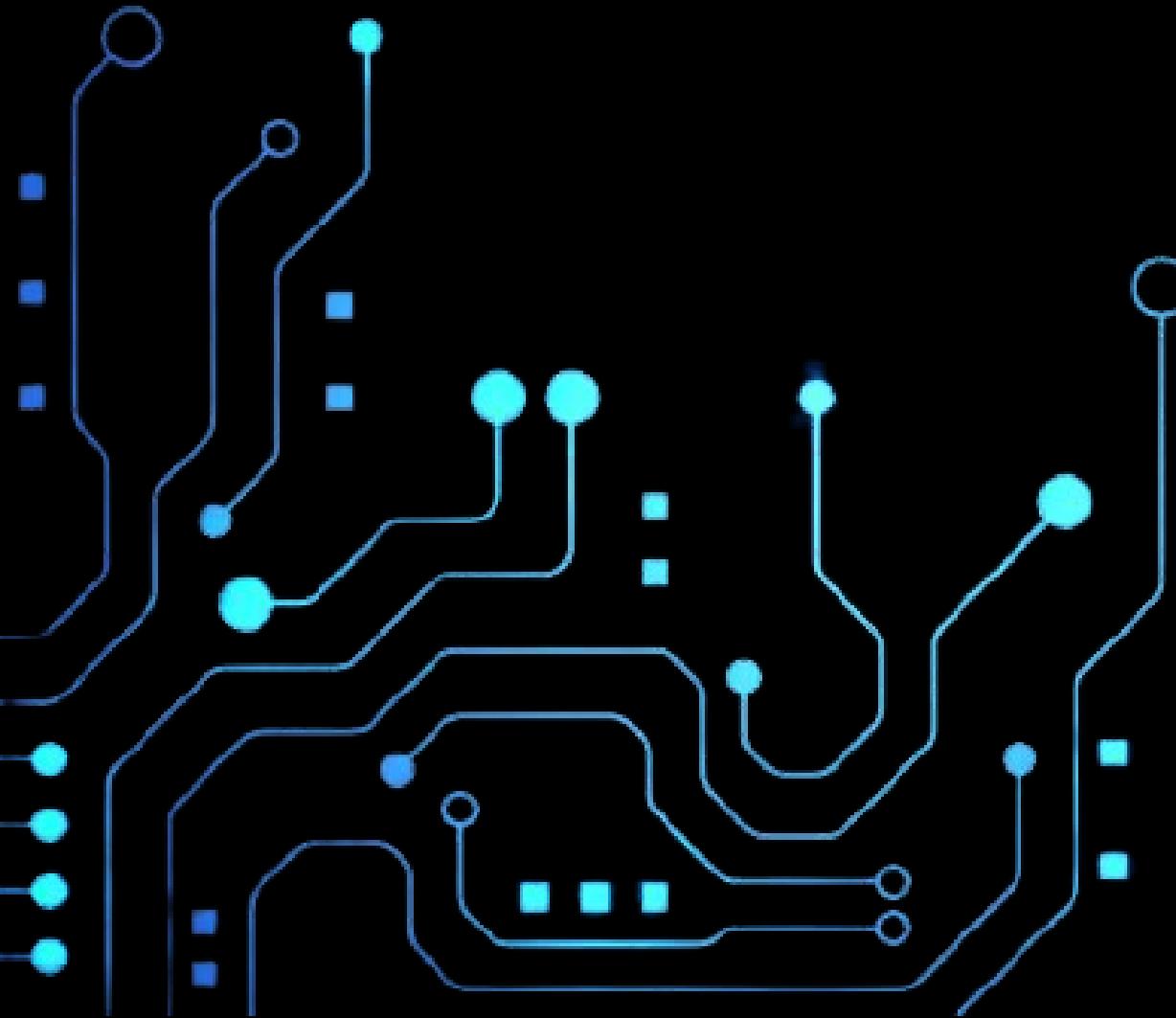
Creating 1D, 2D, 3D numPy arrays , accessing the arrays , indexing , slicing ,reshaping ,matrices ,and various numPy functions for reversing the array , finding determinant of 3D matrix , fibonacci series etc. were covered

Creating and plotting graphs of different types like histogram and scatter plot , subplotting , labelling, 3D contours & plots were also covered properly in matplotlib

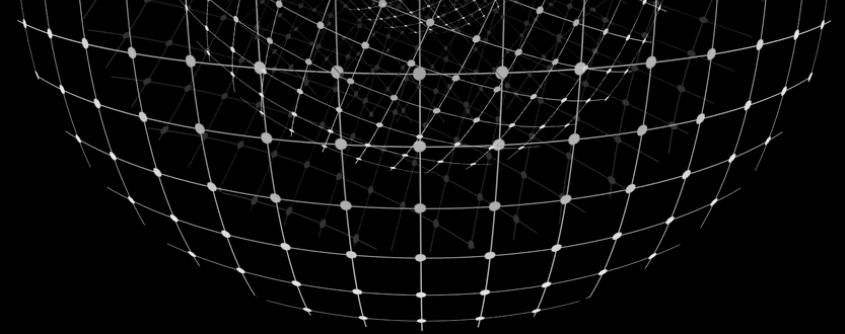


# ASSIGNMENT-1

In assignment-1 , we have given some basic codes on numPy to get on handy for the Machine Learning Alogorithms



1. Write a NumPy program to reverse an array  
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2. Write a NumPy Program for finding the determinant of the 3D input matrix  
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3. Write a numpy program for finding the traces of determinant  
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4. Create a Fibonacci series and find the sum of first 100 terms  
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# K-Nearest Neighbor(KNN) Algorithm

The K-NN algorithm works by finding the K nearest neighbors to a given data point based on a distance metric, such as Euclidean distance. The class or value of the data point is then determined by the majority vote or average of the K neighbors. This approach allows the algorithm to adapt to different patterns and make predictions based on the local structure of the data.



STEP-1

Step 1: Selecting  
the optimal value of  
 $K$



STEP-2

Calculating  
distance



STEP-3

Finding Nearest  
Neighbors

# Decision Boundaries & its relation with KNN



Mathematically, the boundary is defined as the set of points for which the decision criterion (majority vote) is exactly at the border between different classes.

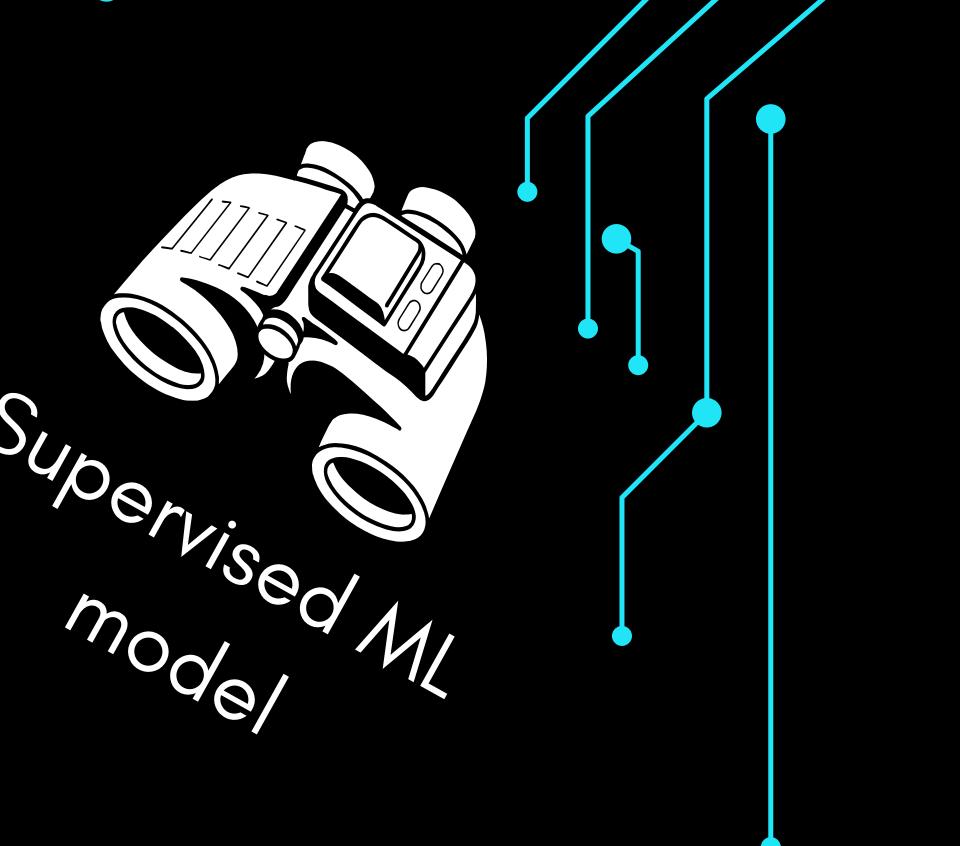
## Impact of 'K' on Decision Boundaries

The number of neighbors ( $k$ ) affects the shape and smoothness of the decision boundary.

- **Small  $k$ :** When  $k$  is small, the decision boundary can become very complex, closely following the training data. This can lead to **overfitting**.
- **Large  $k$ :** When  $k$  is large, the decision boundary smooths out and becomes less sensitive to individual data points, potentially leading to **underfitting**.

# Linear Regression

In simple language , regression estimates dependent variable (such as I) for different values of V ( V = IR)



SIMPLE REGRESSION MODEL       $y_{\text{pred.}} = w_0 + w_1 * x$

We find  $w_0$  and  $w_1$  by minimising the cost function (Error function)  
and by using the concept of maxima and minima

Put  $dE/dw_0$  and  $dE/dw_1 = 0$  , we get

$$w_0 = \bar{y} - \bar{x} * w_1$$

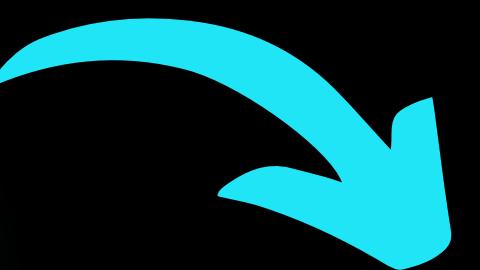
$$w_1 = S_{xy} / S_{xx}$$



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## SOME IMPORTANT RELATIONS

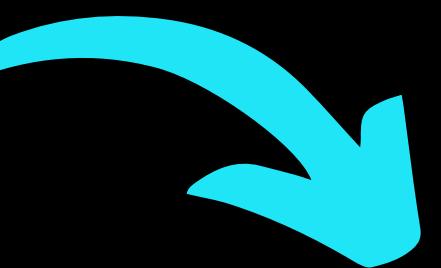
$$R = \frac{S_{xy}}{\sqrt{S_{xx} S_{yy}}}$$



Correlation Coefficient

$$R^2 = \frac{SS_R}{SS_T} = 1 - \frac{SS_{res}}{SS_T}$$

$$0 \leq R^2 \leq 1$$



Coefficient of determination  
(Goodness of fit)

$$S_{xy} = \sum_{i=1}^n [(x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})]$$

$$S_{xx} = \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$$

$$S_{yy} = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2$$

$$w_1 = \frac{S_{xy}}{S_{xx}}$$

$$w_0 = \bar{y} - \bar{x}w_1$$

$$\hat{y} = w_0 + w_1 x$$

$$\hat{y} - \bar{y} = (x - \bar{x}) w_1$$

$$\begin{aligned} y - \hat{y} \\ = (y - \bar{y}) - (x - \bar{x}) w_1 \end{aligned}$$

# Evaluation Metrics

## Goodness of Fit

$R_{\text{sq.}} \rightarrow 1$	regression line runs close to data points , y is captured well
$R_{\text{sq.}} \rightarrow 0$	Fails to capture the variation in y
$R_{\text{sq.}} > 0$	y increases with x
$R_{\text{sq.}} < 0$	y decreases with x
$R = 0$	x and y are linearly independent

# ASSIGNMENT - 2

## Assignment 2 - Linear regression

The quench bath temperature, during heat treatment, affects the Rockwell Hardness.

Test	Temperature (°C)	Hardness
1	30	55.8
2	30	59.1
3	30	54.8
4	30	54.6
5	40	43.1
6	40	42.2
7	40	45.2
8	50	31.6
9	50	30.9
10	50	30.8
11	60	17.5
12	60	20.5
13	60	17.2
14	60	16.9

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9
10 x_avg = np.mean(x_temp)
11 y_avg = np.mean(y_hardness)
12
13 Sxy = np.sum((x_temp - x_avg)*(y_hardness - y_avg))
14 Sxx = np.sum((x_temp - x_avg)**2)
15
16 w1 = Sxy/Sxx
17 w0 = y_avg - x_avg*w1
18
19 print("w0 = ",w0)
20 print("w1 = ",w1)
21
22 # predicted output
23 y_predic = w0 + w1*x_temp
24
25 y_avg_overall = np.mean(y_hardness)
26
27 # now coefficient of determination
28 SSr = np.sum((y_predic - y_avg_overall)**2)
29 SSy = np.sum((y_hardness - y_avg_overall)**2)
30 r2 = SSr/SSy
31
32 print("r2 = ",r2)
33
34
35 # now visualisation using matplotlib
36 plt.scatter(x_temp, y_hardness, label='Data Points')
37 plt.plot(x_temp, y_predic, color='red', label=f'Linear Regression (y = {w1:.2f}x + {w0:.2f})')
38 plt.xlabel('Quench Bath Temperature')
39 plt.ylabel('Rockwell Hardness')
40 plt.title('Linear Regression For Rockwell Hardness vs Quench Temperature')
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In assignment - 2 we have covered Simple Linear Regression Model on Temperature vs. Hardness data during the heat treatment

# Regularisation (to control overfitting)

In regularised regression , we define the cost function with lambda as penalty parameter

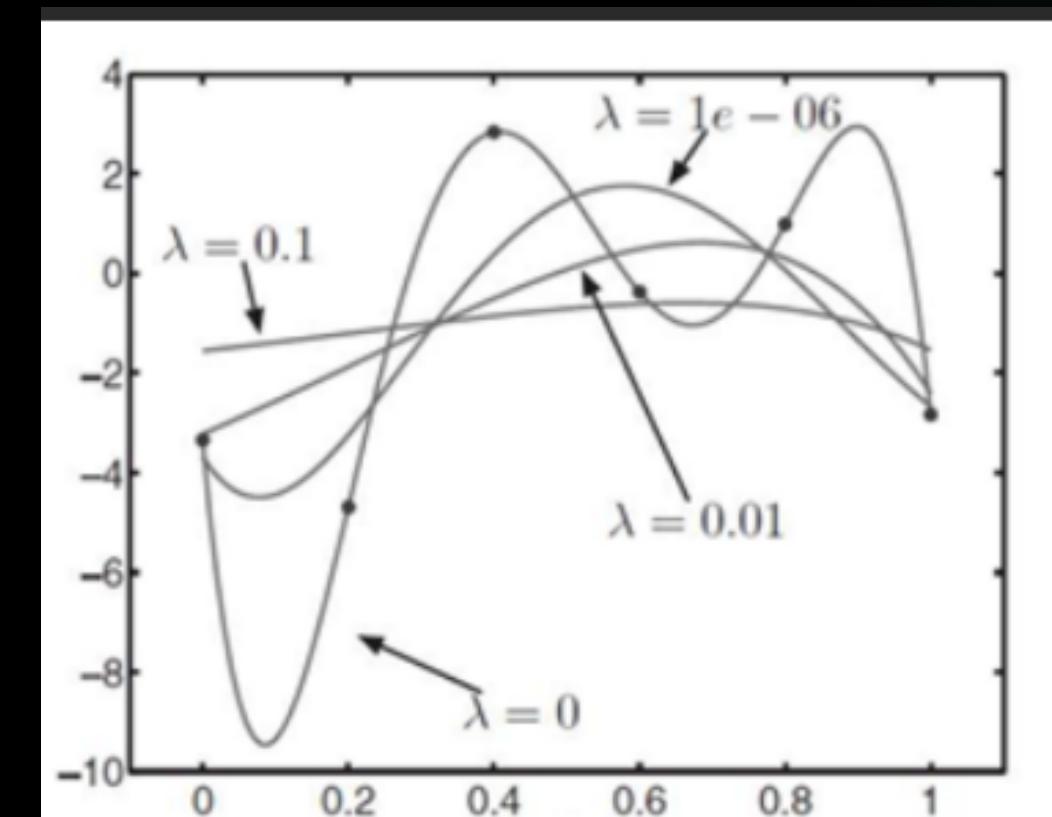
If lambda approaches 0 then it is our classic least square regression

Lambda is decided by the cross validation if we increase lambda , fluctuations decreases

Other types of regression such as Lasso , Elastic Net Regression are also covered in this project

also known as ridge regression  
(Thikonov regularisation)

$$E = \underbrace{\frac{1}{n} (\mathbf{X}\mathbf{w} - \mathbf{y})^T (\mathbf{X}\mathbf{w} - \mathbf{y})}_{\text{penalty term}} + \lambda \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w}$$

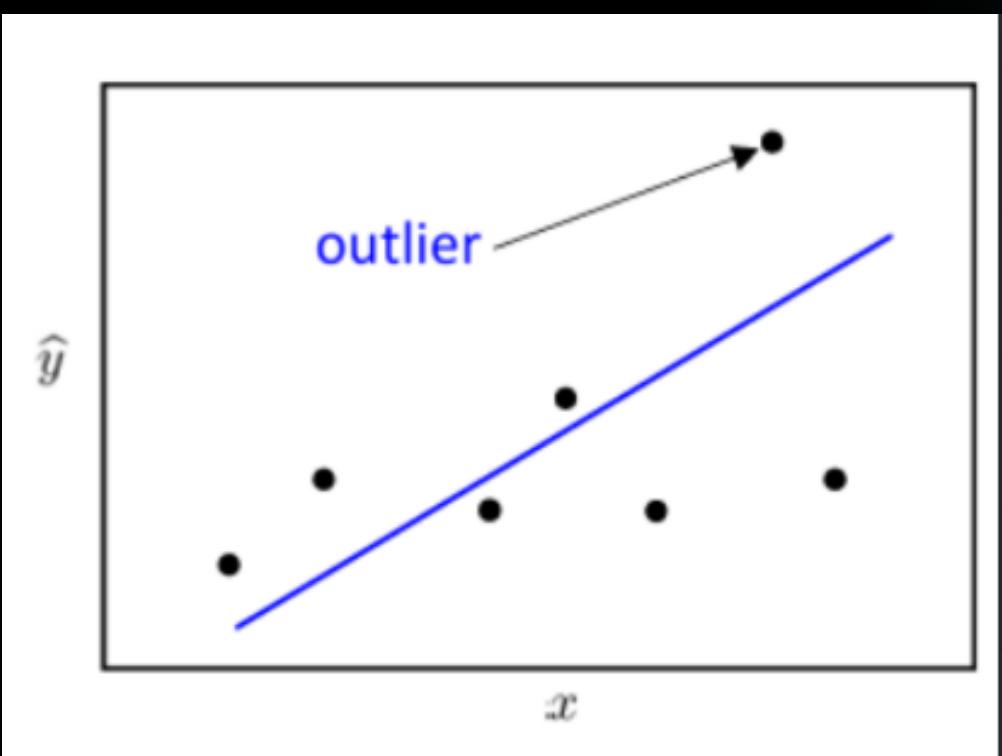


# Least Absolute Deviation

LAD regression is more robust than the least-squares method because it minimizes mean absolute errors instead of mean squared errors. This makes it less sensitive to outliers.

This method reduces the cost function to a much lower value as compared to the least squared Regression in general cases

**Outliers** - Some data points which do not follow the trend heavily



# NON-LINEAR REGRESSION

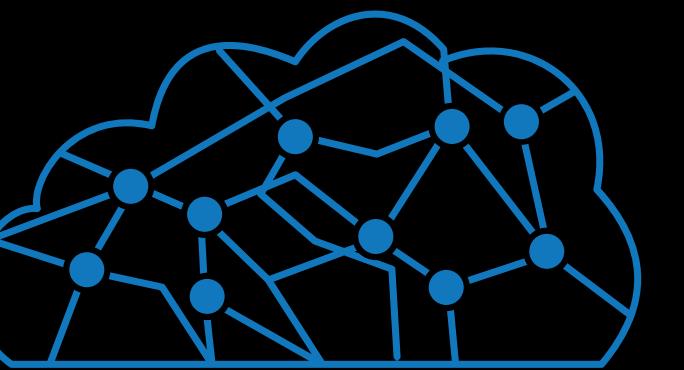
N-linear Regression have non-linear normal equations which can be solved using appropriate numerical methods

One best way to avoid non-linearity is **LINEARISATION**



STEP-1

Direct minimisation of  
Error function



STEP-2

Solving non-linear  
normal equations



STEP-3

LINEARISATION

## Non-Linear Regn. continues

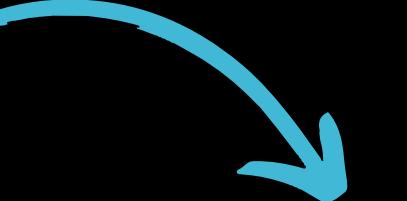
Example of Non-Linear  
curve for regression



$$\hat{y} = w_0 x^{w_1} \Rightarrow \ln \hat{y} = \ln(w_0) + w_1 \ln x$$

These techniques can be used in linearisation , but all non-linear models  
can not be handled alone by LINEARISATION

$$y \approx \theta_0 + \theta_1 x^{\theta_2} + \theta_3 x^{\theta_4}$$



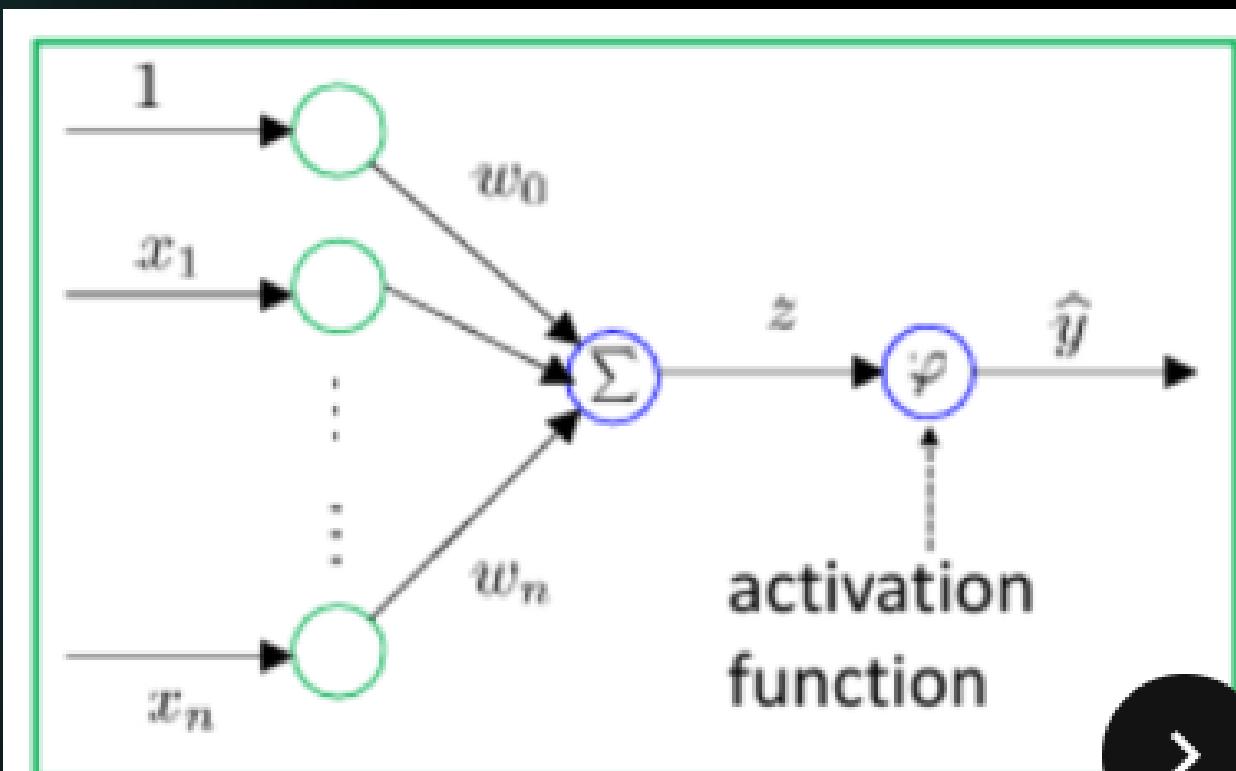
Certain models like this cannot be solved like the above  
procedure because the terms are additive in nature



# PERCEPTRON

$$\hat{y} = \varphi(z) \quad z = w_0 + w_1 x$$

Perceptron solves **two class classification** problem by its specific learning algorithm in finite number of iterative steps if the data is *linearly separable*



**Online Learning** : Learning algorithm in which model uses one training data after another (completed in stages)

**Offline Learning** : uses all the training data together

- **Certain Limitations**
- Not reliable for test points near the boundary
- sensitive to outliers
- works only with linearly separable data

REMEDY  
- SVM

# PERCEPTRON continues

Activation function

$$\varphi(z) = \begin{cases} 1 & z \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Activation Function

$$\mathbf{w}^{(k)} \leftarrow \mathbf{w}^{(k)} + r L_i \mathbf{x}_i$$

$$- \quad \mathbf{w}^{(k+1)} \leftarrow \mathbf{w}^{(k)}$$

Iterative approach for weights

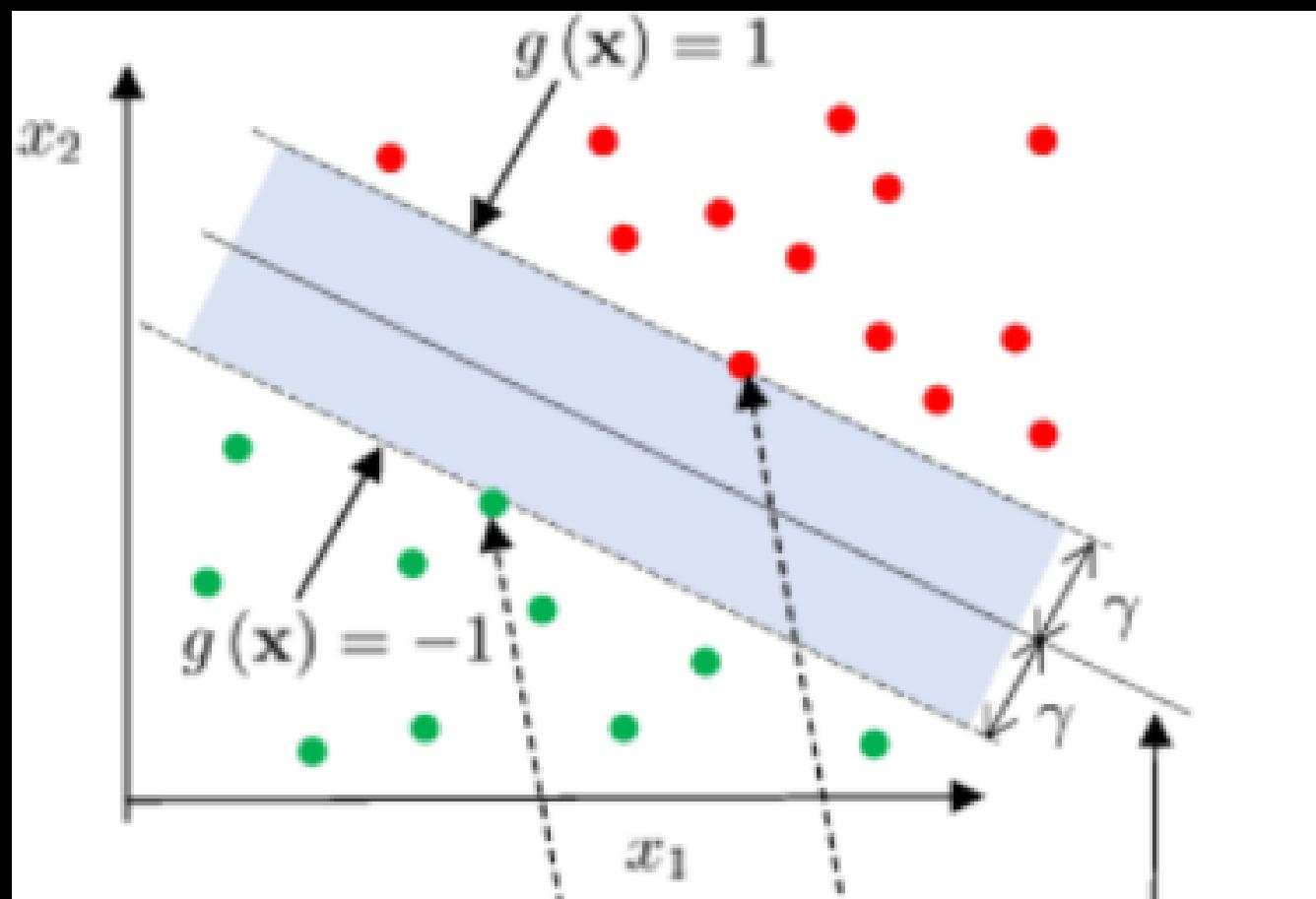
$$L_i = y_i - \hat{y}_i \quad L_i \in \{0, 1, -1\}$$

Loss Function



# SUPPORT VECTOR MACHINE

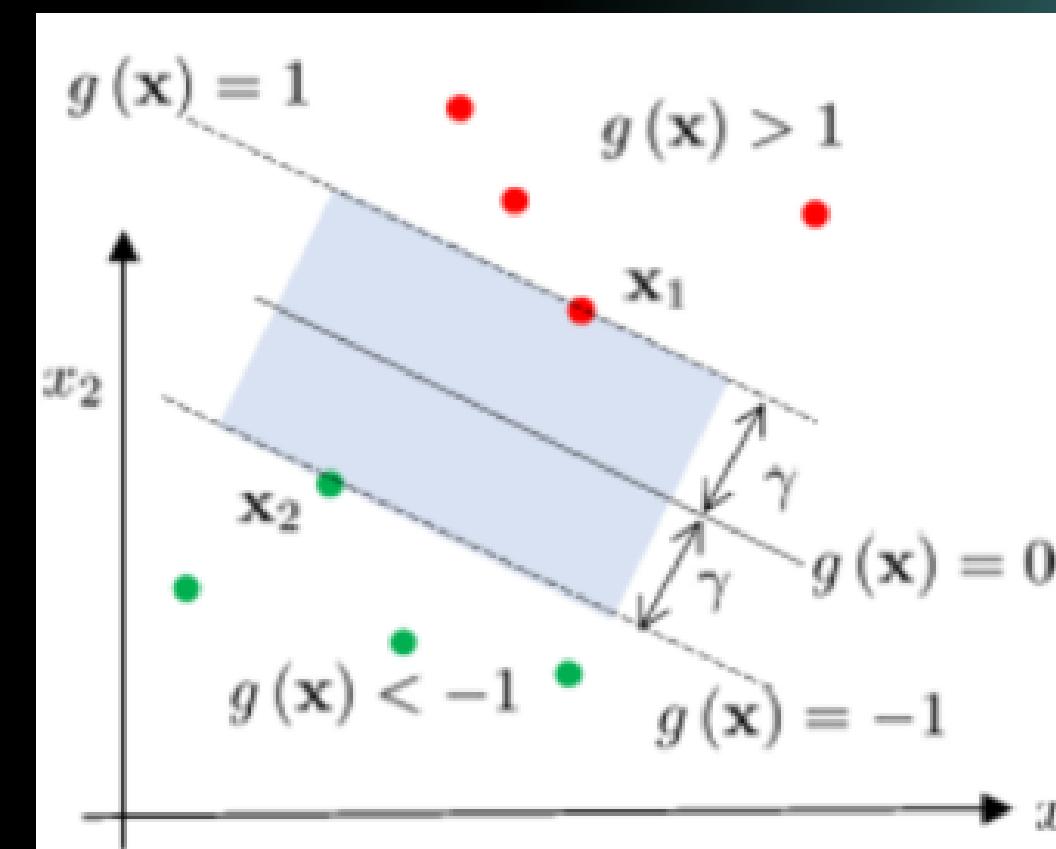
- Support Vectors are the closest points , in different classes to the DB
- SVM classifies by creating a margin that depends only on those closest vectors making it insensitive to outliers
- Also support vector machine ***maximises the margin***



SVM maximizes margin  $\gamma = \frac{1}{\|\mathbf{w}\|}$

where  $y g(\mathbf{x}) \geq 1$      $g(\mathbf{x}) = w_0 + \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}$      $y = \{-1, 1\}$

maximizing  $\frac{1}{\|\mathbf{w}\|}$  is equivalent to minimizing  $\|\mathbf{w}\|$   
same as minimizing  $\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w}$



# ARTIFICIAL NEURAL NETWORKS

## Weight Initialisation in ANNs

Xavier Initialisation

Uniform random number in the interval  $\left[-\frac{1}{\sqrt{m+n}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{m+n}}\right]$

$m, n$  are no. of incoming and outgoing connectors to a node

## Various Error Functions

$$E = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n L_i$$

Mean Squared  
Error (MSE)

$$E = -\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m (y_{ij} \ln \hat{y}_{ij})$$

Multiclass cross  
entropy

$$E = -\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n [y_i \ln \hat{y}_i + (1 - y_i) \ln (1 - \hat{y}_i)]$$

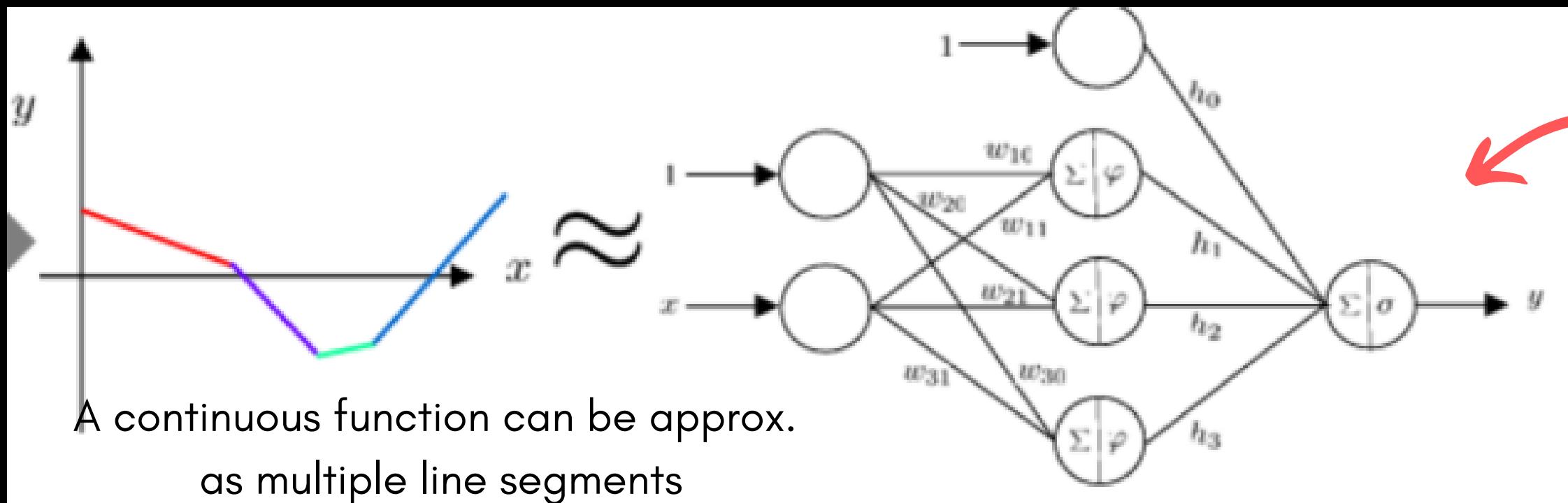
↑  
predicted probability of being in class 0  
↑  
predicted probability of being in class 1

Binary cross  
entropy

$$E = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n |L_i|$$

Mean Absolute  
Error (MAE)

# UNIVERSAL APPROXIMATION THEOREM



A properly designed *shallow* (*1 hidden layer*) ANN can approximate any continuous function

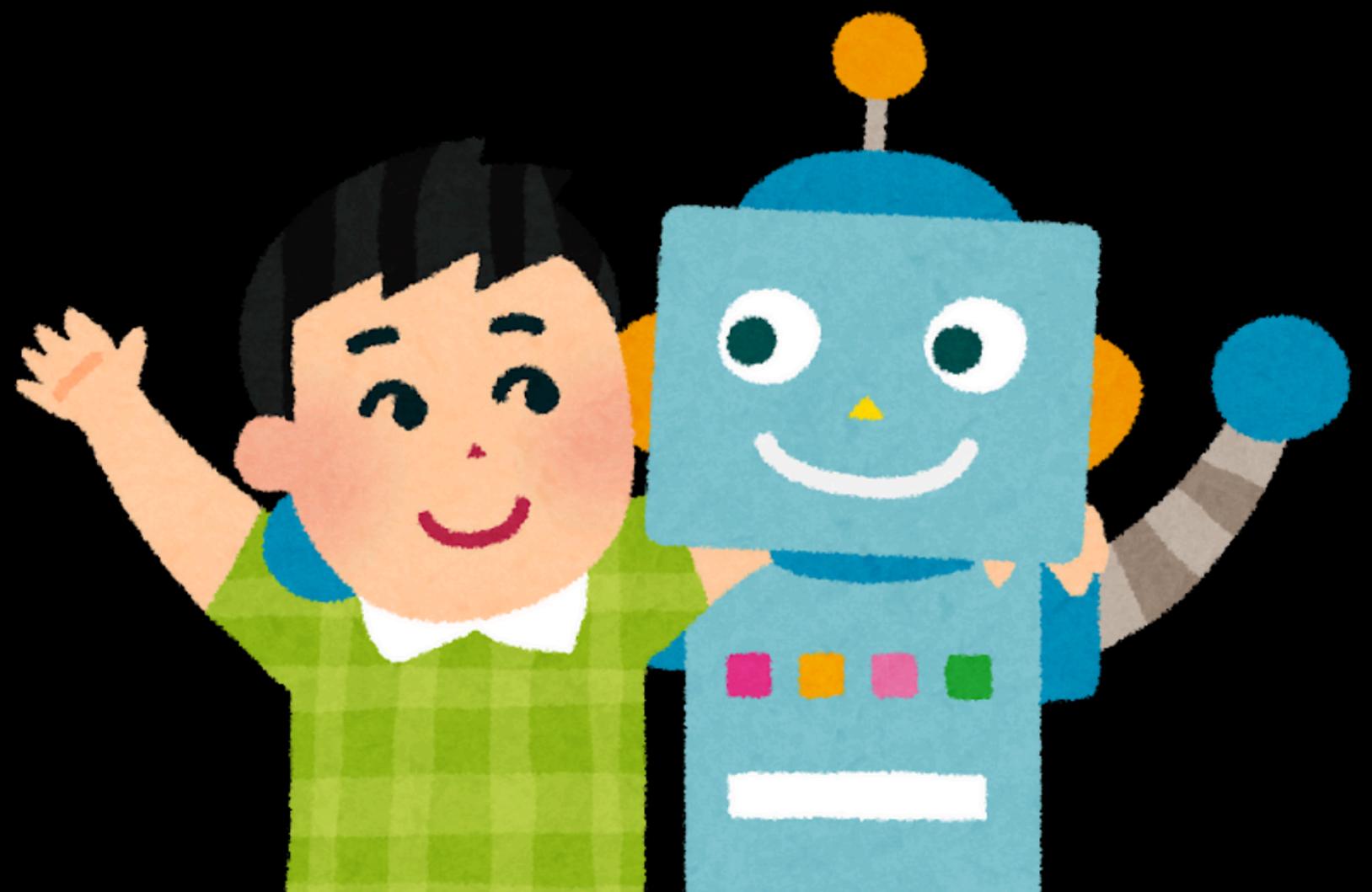

$$y = \sigma \left[ h_0 + \sum_{i=1}^n h_i \varphi_i (w_{i0} + w_{i1}x) \right]$$

The output  $y$  of this network will be in this form

$$\begin{aligned} & \varphi(w_{10} + w_{11}x) \\ & \varphi(w_{20} + w_{21}x) \\ & \varphi(w_{30} + w_{31}x) \end{aligned}$$

The output  $y$  is the linear combination of ALL 3 equations

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