








# ECS 171 Machine Learning

Lecture6: Emulating Boolean Functions with ANN, Practice Example  
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# Emulating Boolean Functions with a NN

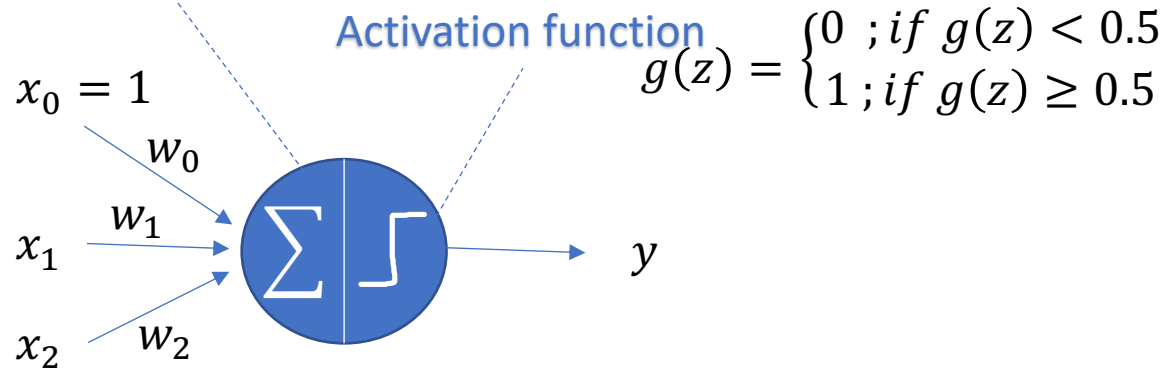
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# Neural Network as a Logical AND Gate

Combination function:  $z = w^T x = w_0 + w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2$



Goal: find the value of weights which will enable the network to act as a particular gate.

AND Gate Truth Table

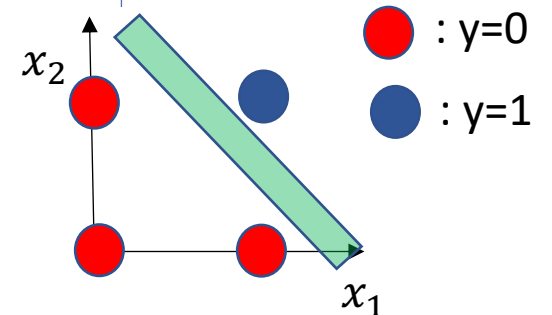
$x_1$	$x_2$	$y: g(x; w)$
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Weights for the input layer

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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- 2) Case (0,1) :  $w_0 + w_2 x_2 = -3 + (2)1 = -1 \rightarrow y = 0$
- 3) Case (1,0) :  $w_0 + w_1 x_1 = -3 + (2)1 = -1 \rightarrow y = 0$
- 4) Case (1,1) :  $w_0 + w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 = -3 + (2)1 + (2)1 = 1 \rightarrow y = 1$

$$-3 + 2x_1 + 2x_2 = 0 \rightarrow x_1 + x_2 = 3/2$$










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1  # Implementing AND Gate
2
3  class AND_Perceptron_model:
4
5      def __init__(self, weights, threshold):
6          self.weights=weights
7          self.threshold = threshold
8
9      def combination(self, x, w):
10         return sum(x_i*w_i for x_i, w_i in zip(x, w))
11
12
13     def stepactivation(self, sumproduct):
14         print("Threshold: ", self.threshold)
15         return 1.0 if sumproduct >= self.threshold else 0.0
16
17
18     def fit(self, train):
19         for row in train:
20             layer_1 = row[:-1] # all attributes except the last column (y)
21             print("For input ")
22             print(layer_1)
23
24             sumproduct= self.combination(layer_1, self.weights)
25             layer_2= self.stepactivation(sumproduct )
26             print("the sum is" ,sumproduct, "the output is", layer_2)
27
28 initial_w=[-3,2,2]
29 dataset = [[1,0,0,0],[1,0,1,0],[1,1,0,0],[1,1,1,1]]
30
31 model = AND_Perceptron_model (initial_w,0.5)
32 model.fit(dataset)
33

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# Emulating Boolean Functions with a NN

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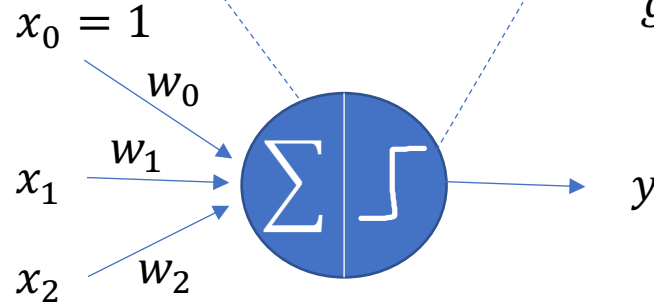
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# Neural Network as a Logical NOR Gate

Combination function:  $z = w^T x = w_0 + w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2$

Activation function  $g(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } g(z) < 0.5 \\ 1 & \text{if } g(z) \geq 0.5 \end{cases}$



Goal: find the value of weights which will enable the network to act as a particular gate.

NOR Gate Truth Table

$x_1$	$x_2$	$y: g(x; w)$
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	0

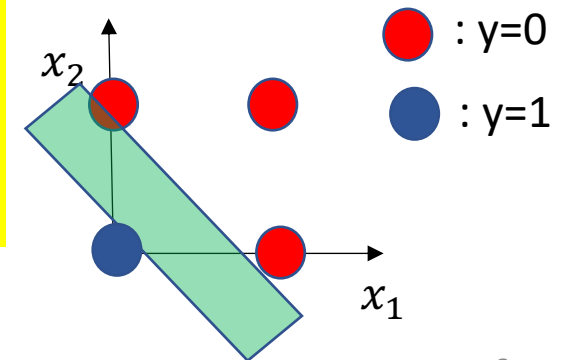
Weights for the input layer

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- 3) Case (1,0) :  $w_0 + w_2 x_2 = 3 + (-4)1 = -1 \rightarrow y=0$
- 4) Case (1,1) :  $w_0 + w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 = 3 + (-4)1 + (-4)1 = -5 \rightarrow y=0$

$$3 - 4x_1 - 4x_2 = 0 \rightarrow x_1 + x_2 = 3/4$$



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## Logical Gates

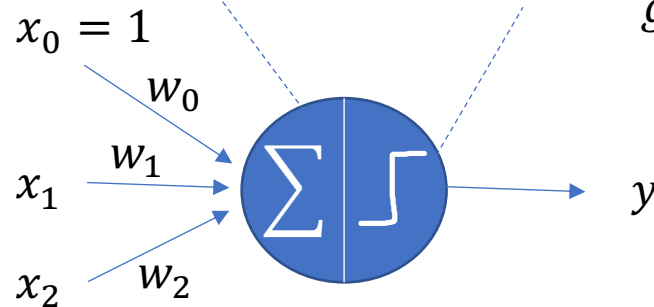
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# Neural Network as a Logical XOR Gate

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Activation function  $g(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } g(z) < 0.5 \\ 1 & \text{if } g(z) \geq 0.5 \end{cases}$



Goal: find the value of weights which will enable the network to act as a particular gate.

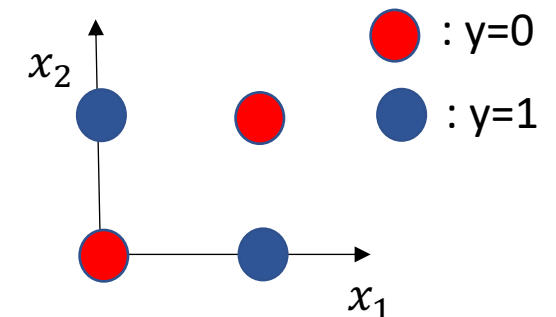
XOR Gate Truth Table

$x_1$	$x_2$	$y: g(x; w)$
0	0	0
0	1	1
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Weights for the input layer

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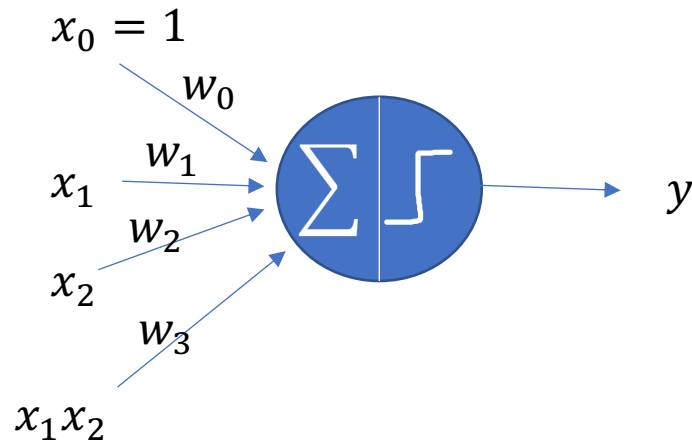




# Possible Solutions for Separability Problem

1. Add non-linear features called "kernel trick"
2. Add extra layers known as "deep network"

# Neural Network as a Logical XOR Gate: Kernel Trick



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Weights for the input layer

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \\ w_2 \\ w_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.5 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

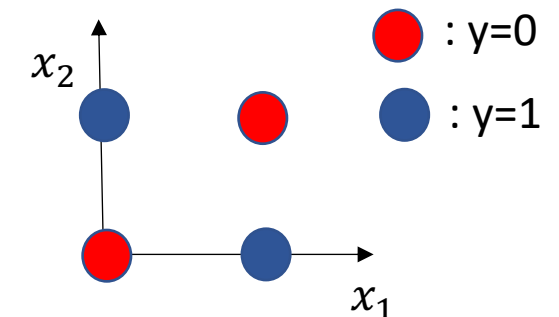
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- 4) Case (1,1) :  $w_0 + w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + w_3x_1x_2 = -0.5 + (1)1 + (1)1 + (-2)(1)(1) = -0.5 \rightarrow y = 0$

$$g(z) = -0.5 + x_1 + x_2 - 2x_1x_2$$

Goal: find the value of weights which will enable the network to act as a particular gate.

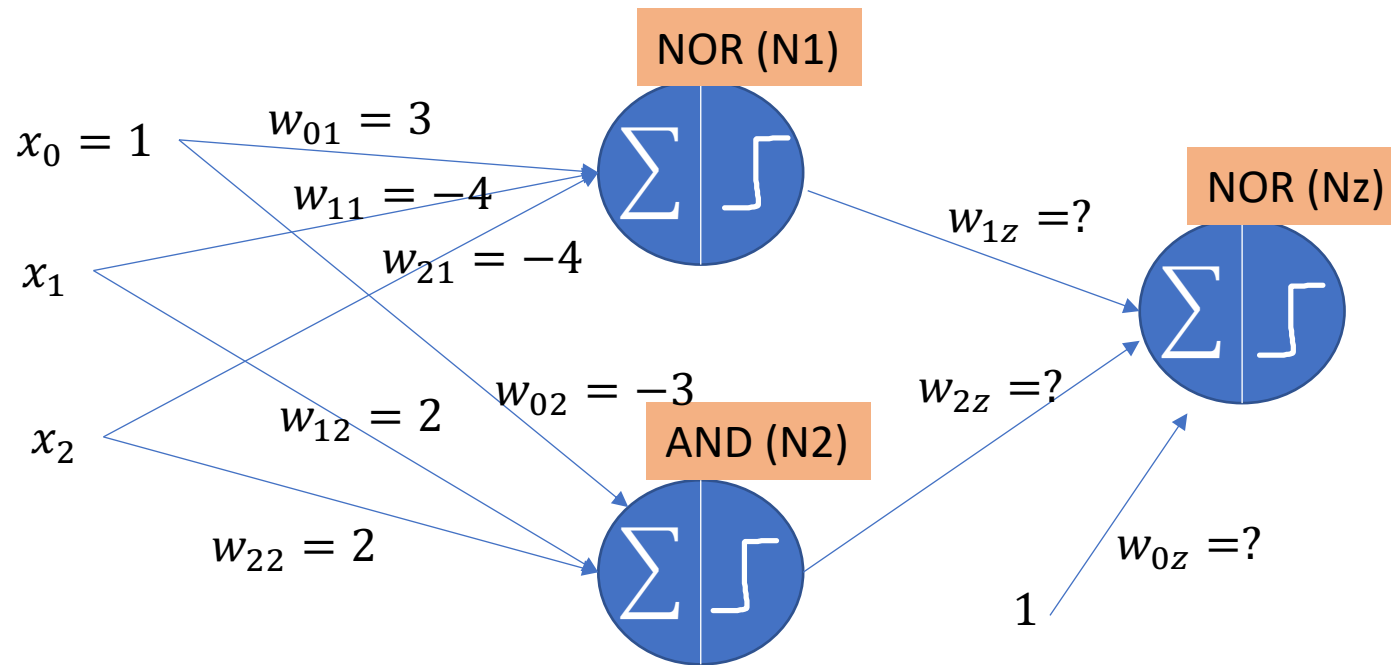
XOR Gate Truth Table

$x_1$	$x_2$	$y: g(x; w)$
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0



# Neural Network as a Logical XOR Gate: Add Extra Layers

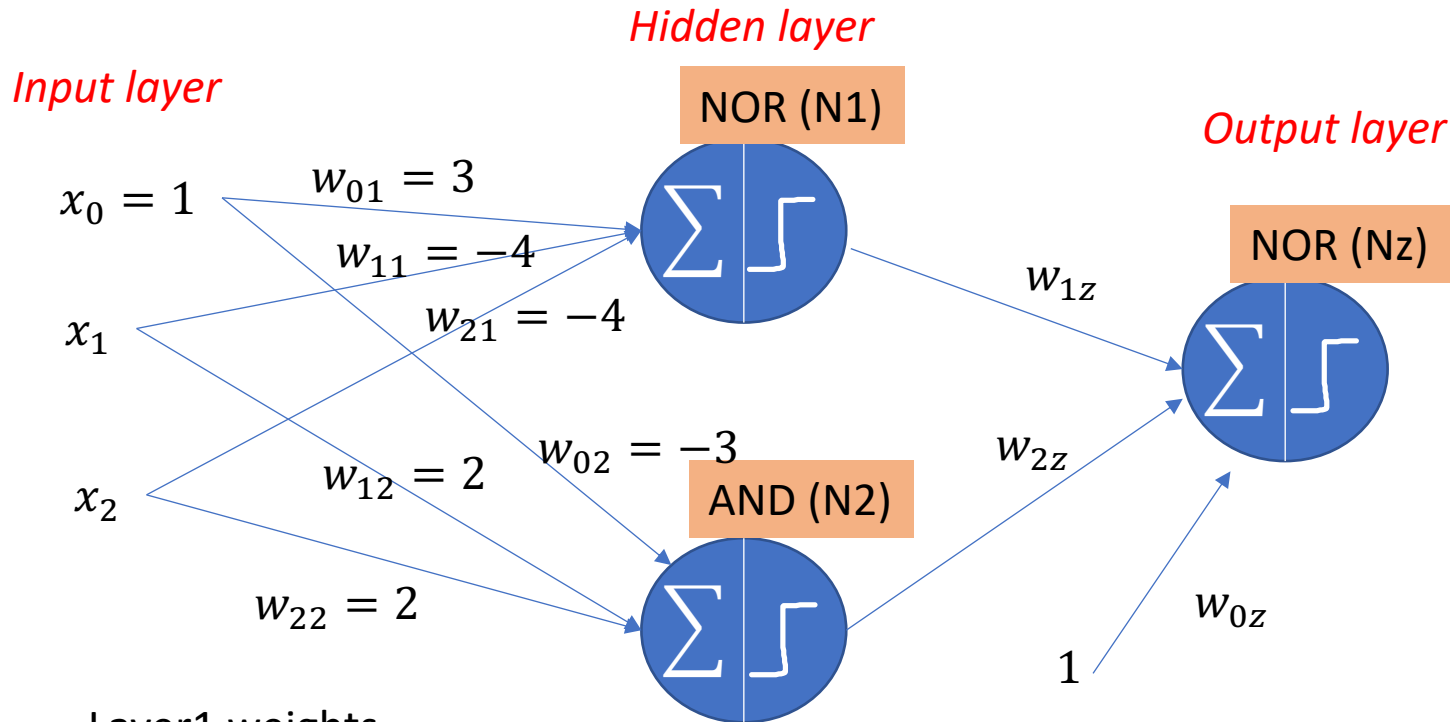
- $\text{XOR}(x_1, x_2)$  can be thought of as  $\text{NOR}(\text{NOR}(x_1, x_2), \text{AND}(x_1, x_2))$



Truth Table for the network

$x_1$	$x_2$	$N1$	$N2$	$Nz$
0	0	?	?	0
0	1	?	?	1
1	0	?	?	1
1	1	?	?	0

# 3-Layer ANN Emulating XOR



$$g(z) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } g(z) < 0.5 \\ 1 & \text{if } g(z) \geq 0.5 \end{cases}$$

Truth Table for the network (XOR)

$x_1$	$x_2$	N1	N2	Nz
0	0	1	0	0
0	1	0	0	1
1	0	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	0

## Layer1 weights

$$\begin{aligned} w_{01} &= 3 \\ w_{11} &= -4 \\ w_{21} &= -4 \\ w_{02} &= -3 \\ w_{12} &= 2 \\ w_{22} &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

## Layer2 weights

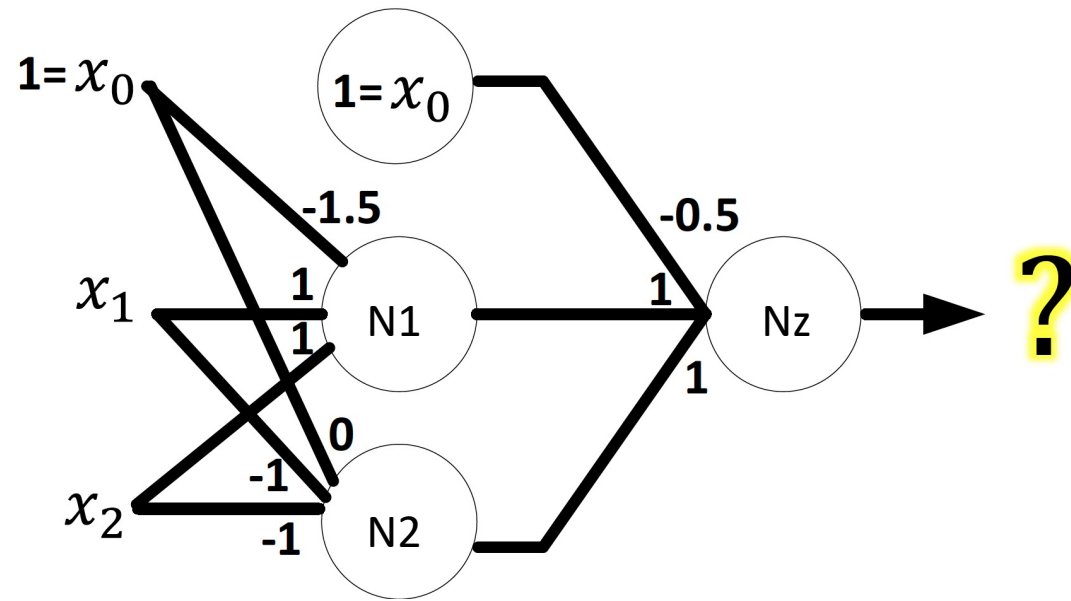
$$\begin{aligned} w_{1z} &= -2 \\ w_{2z} &= -2 \\ w_{0z} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

- 1) Case (1,0) :  $w_{0z} + w_{1z} = 1 + (-2) \rightarrow y=0$
- 2) Case (0,0) :  $w_{0z} = 1 \rightarrow y=1$
- 3) Case (0,0) :  $w_{0z} = 1 \rightarrow y=1$
- 4) Case (0,1) :  $w_{0z} + w_{2z} = 1 + (-2) \rightarrow y=0$

# Practice Example

- What is this gate? Identify the logical gate for every neuron. Show all the steps taken to solve this. Assume the threshold for the activation function is 0.

$x_1$	$x_2$	$y: g(x; w)$
0	0	?
0	1	?
1	0	?
1	1	?



# Optional Activity2

- Using the previous slide, design a similar question and include the solution.