Lecture 9: Deep Learning Learning Theory Fall 2022

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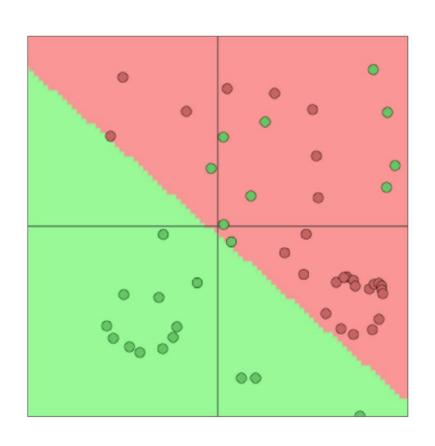
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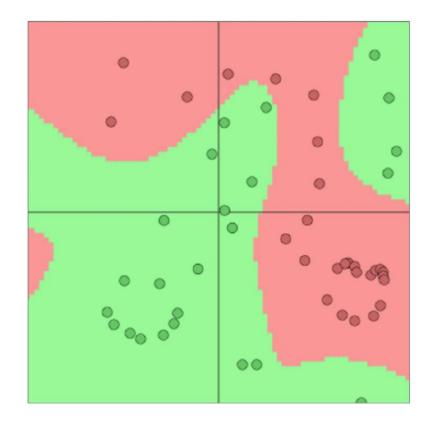
- Midterm postpones to 11/3
 - The practice exam is posted
- Hw1 is due next Tue!
- Hw 2 & Quiz 3 will be released tomorrow

What you will learn today

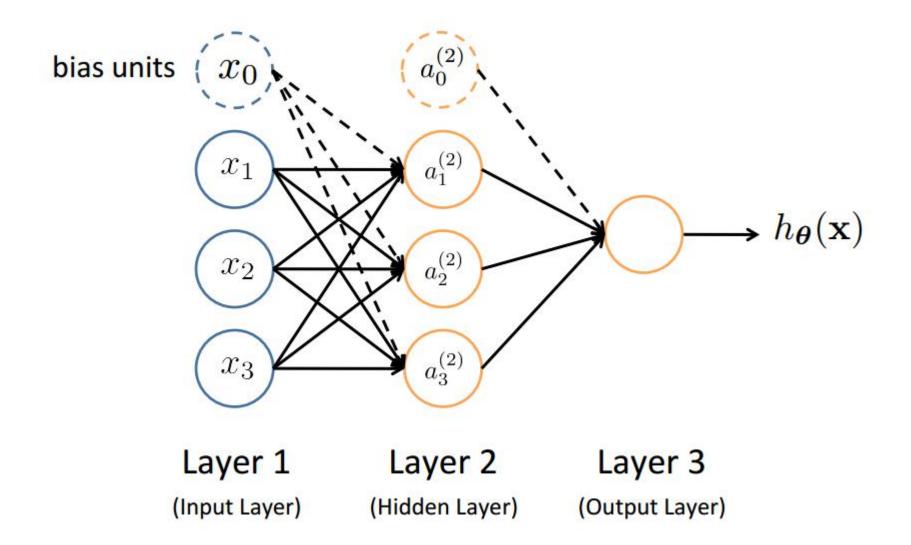
- Neural network / Deep learning
 - Non-linear classifier
 - Feed-forward neural network
 - Back Propagation
 - Deep learning architecture

Non-Linear Decision Boundary



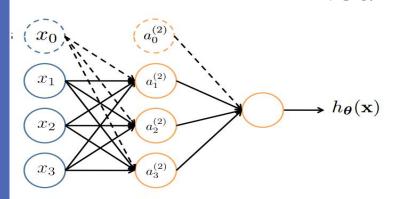


Neural Network



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 $a_i^{(j)}$ = "activation" of unit i in layer j

 $oldsymbol{\Theta}^{(j)} = ext{weight matrix controlling function}$ mapping from layer j to layer j + 1

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If network has s_j units in layer j and s_{j+1} units in layer j+1, then $\Theta^{(j)}$ has dimension $s_{j+1}\times(s_j+1)$.

$$\Theta^{(1)} \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 4}$$

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Vectorization

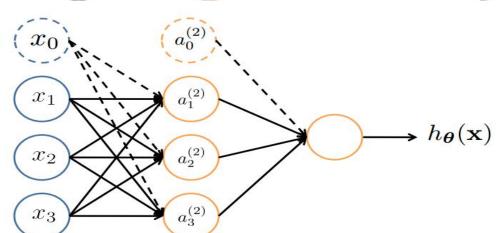
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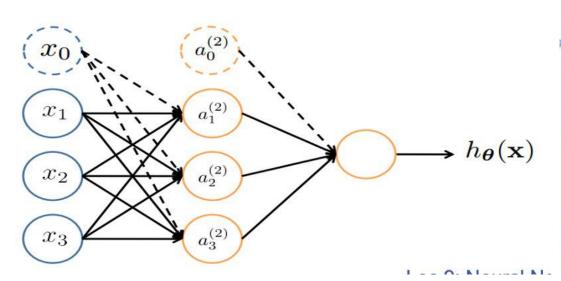
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Example



Let
$$\Theta^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 $\Theta^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $g(z)$ is a step function

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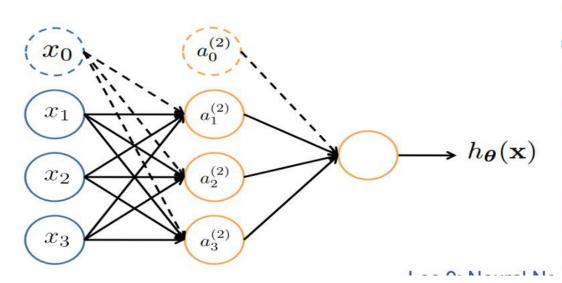
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$$x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
? $z^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ $a^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $z^{(3)} = 2$ $h_{\Theta}(x) = 1$

Exercise

- Why do we need non-linear activation functions?
 - ***** What happen if g(z) = z

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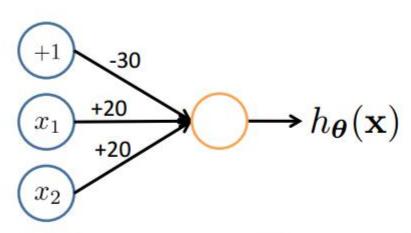
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Non-Linear Representations

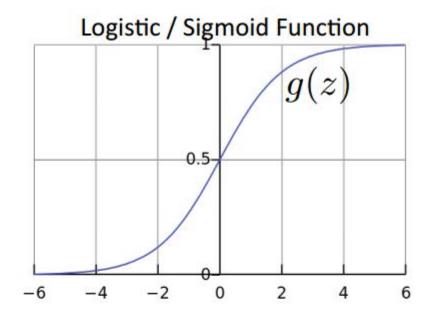
Simple example: AND

$$x_1, x_2 \in \{0, 1\}$$

 $y = x_1 \text{ AND } x_2$

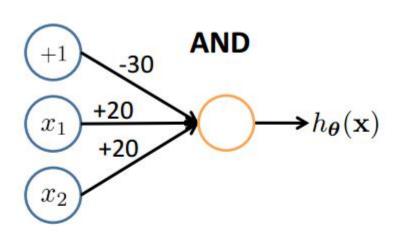


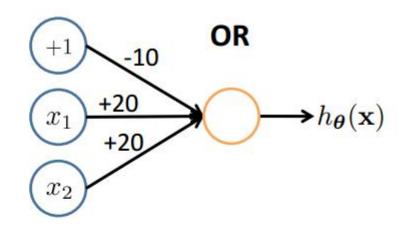
$$h_{\Theta}(\mathbf{x}) = g(-30 + 20x_1 + 20x_2)$$

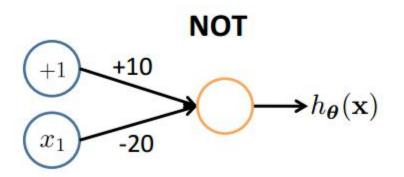


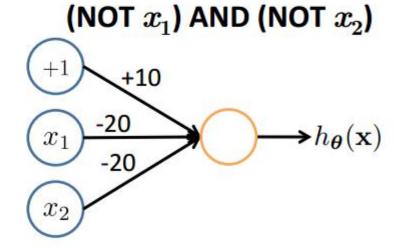
x_1	x_2	$h_{\Theta}(\mathbf{x})$
0	0	g(-30) ≈ 0
0	1	$g(-10) \approx 0$
1	0	g(-10) ≈ 0
1	1	$g(10) \approx 1$

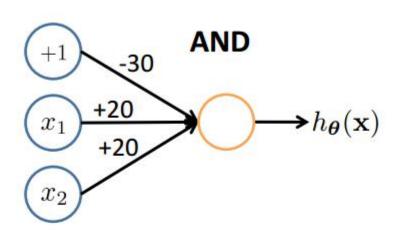
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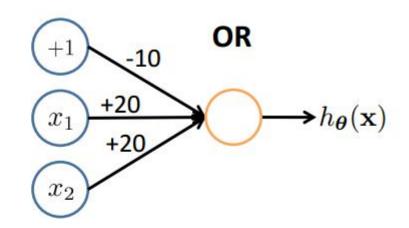


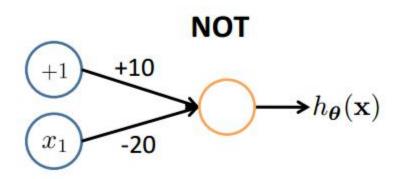


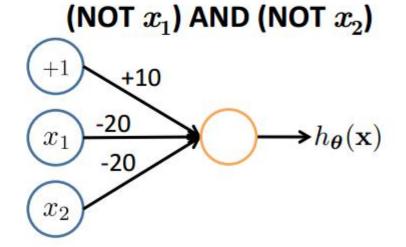




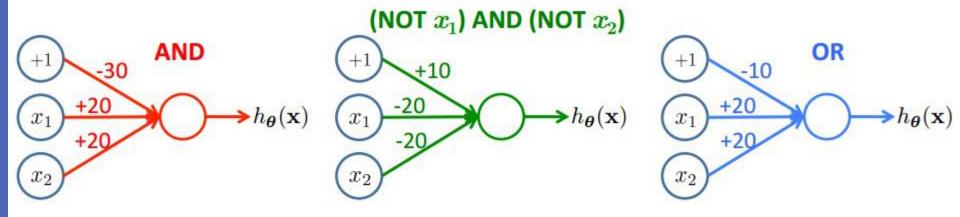


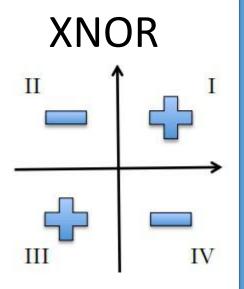






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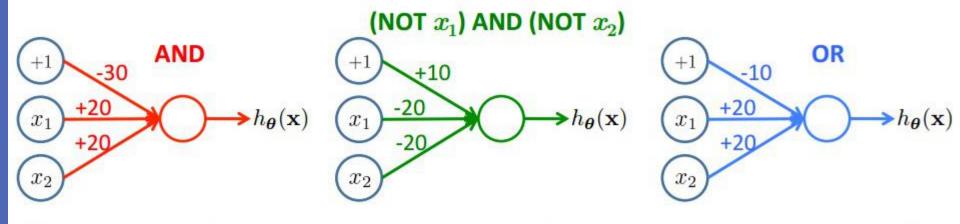


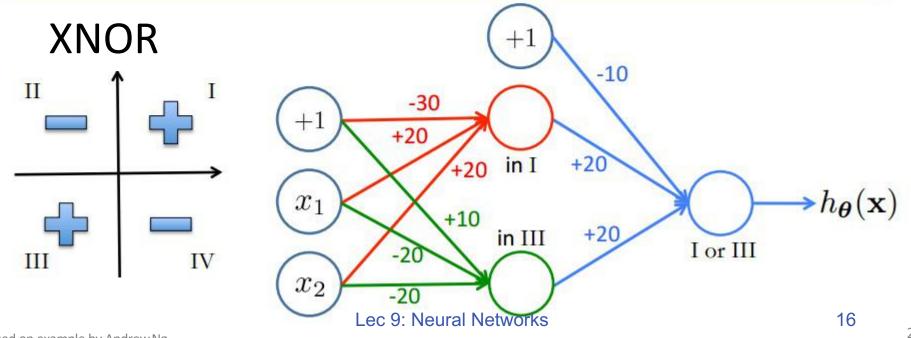


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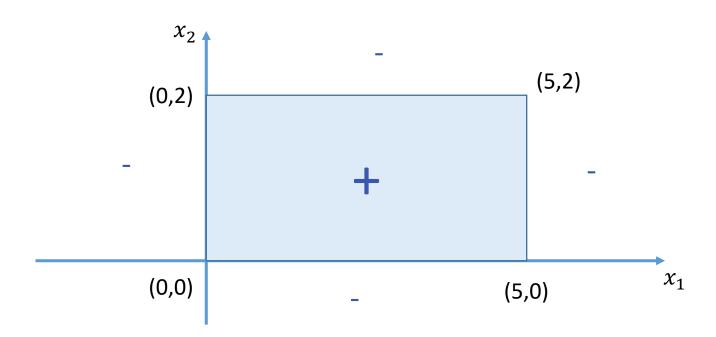
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Based on example by Andrew Ng

Exercise



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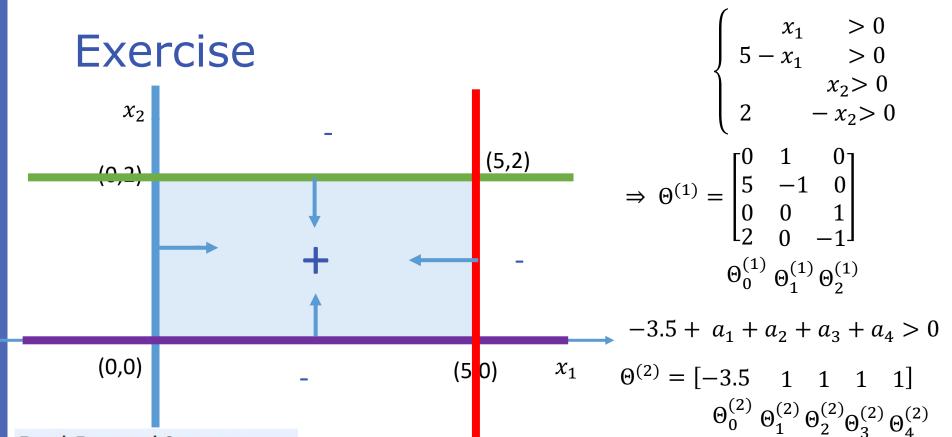
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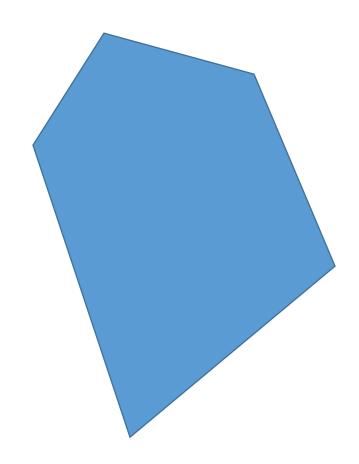
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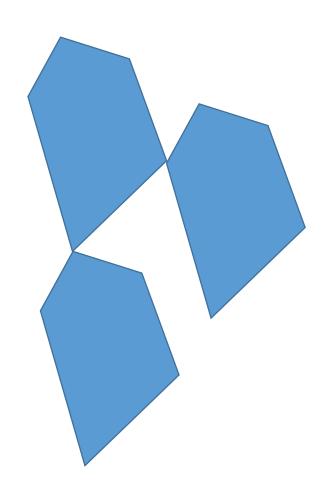
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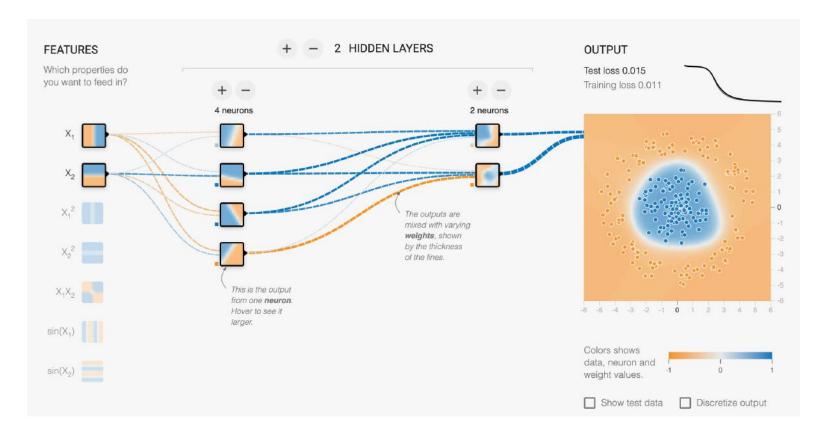


Arbitrary Decision Boundary



Neural Network Training Animation

https://playground.tensorflow.org/



Neural Network Learning

Maximum Likelihood

- Training data: $S = \{(x_i, y_i)\}$, m examples $y_i = \{0,1\}$
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Remember in logistic regression, $h_{w,b}(x) = \sigma(w^T x + b)$ If we choose the activation function g as a sigmoid function, this part is equivalent to a logistic regression with input a

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- * Maximum Likelihood estimator $\Theta^* = \arg\max_{\Theta} L(\Theta; S)$ $L(\Theta; S) = \prod_{i=1}^{m} P_{\Theta}(y_i | x_i)$ $P_{\Theta}(y_i | x_i) = \begin{cases} h_{\Theta}(x_i), & y_i = 1 \\ 1 h_{\Theta}(x_i), & y_i = -1 \end{cases}$
- \bullet We can rewrite $L(\Theta; S)$ as

$$L(\Theta; S) = \prod_{i=1}^{m} h_{\Theta}(x_i)^{y_i} (1 - h_{\Theta}(x_i))^{1 - y_i}$$

Minimum Negative Log-Likelihood & Cross-Entropy Loss

- Training data: $S = \{(x_i, y_i)\}$, m examples $y_i = \{0,1\}$
- ❖ Consider a NN $h_{\Theta}(x) \in [0,1]$ modeling P(y = 1|x)
- Likelihood $L(\Theta; S)$ is $L(\Theta; S) = \prod_{i=1}^{m} h_{\Theta}(x_i)^{y_i} (1 h_{\Theta}(x_i))^{1-y_i}$
- Log-Likelihood:

$$\log L(\Theta; S) = \sum_{i=0}^{m} [y_i \log h_{\Theta}(x_i) + (1 - y_i) \log(1 - h_{\Theta}(x_i))]$$

The optimal Θ can be obtained by solving $\arg \min_{\Theta} J(\Theta)$

$$J(\Theta) = -\sum_{i}^{m} [y_i \log h_{\Theta}(x_i) + (1 - y_i) \log(1 - h_{\Theta}(x_i))]$$

Stochastic gradient Descent

Given a training set
$$\mathcal{D} = \{(x, y)\}$$

- 1. Initialize $\Theta \leftarrow \mathbf{0} \in \mathbb{R}^n$
- 2. For epoch 1...T:
- 3. For (x,y) in \mathcal{D} :
- 4. Update $w \leftarrow w \eta \nabla J(\Theta)$
- 5. Return ⊖

(Similar to logistic regression)

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Optimizing the Neural Network

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❖ Need to compute $\nabla J(\Theta)$

Chain Rule

Given a function

$$f(x) = A(B(C(x)))$$

The derivative is

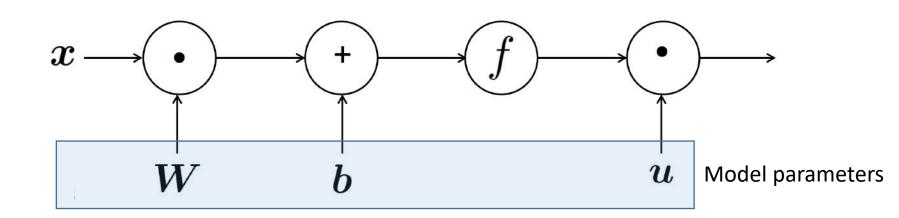
$$f'(x) = A'(B) \cdot B'(C) \cdot C'(x)$$

Backpropagation through Computation Graphs

Computation Graphs and Backpropagation

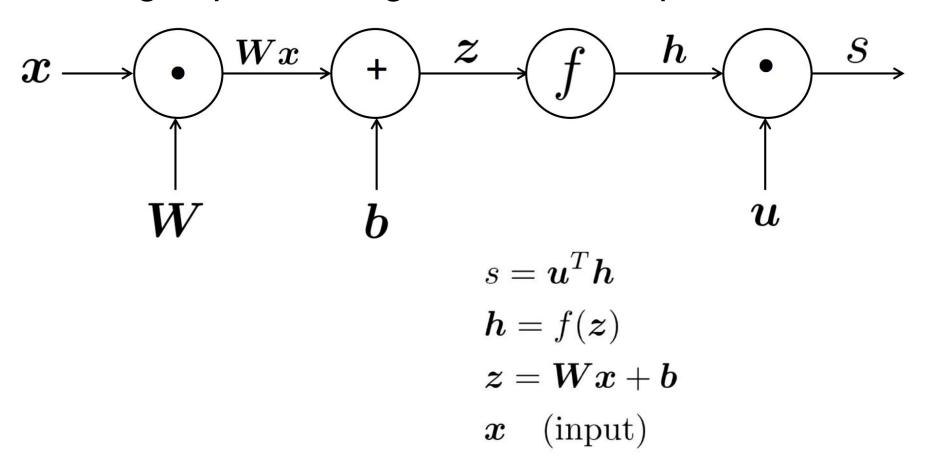
- Consider the NN on the right
- We represent NN as a graph

$$egin{aligned} s &= oldsymbol{u}^T oldsymbol{h} \ oldsymbol{h} &= f(oldsymbol{z}) \ oldsymbol{z} &= oldsymbol{W} oldsymbol{x} + oldsymbol{b} \ oldsymbol{x} & ext{(input)} \end{aligned}$$



Forward Propagation

Edges pass along result of the operation

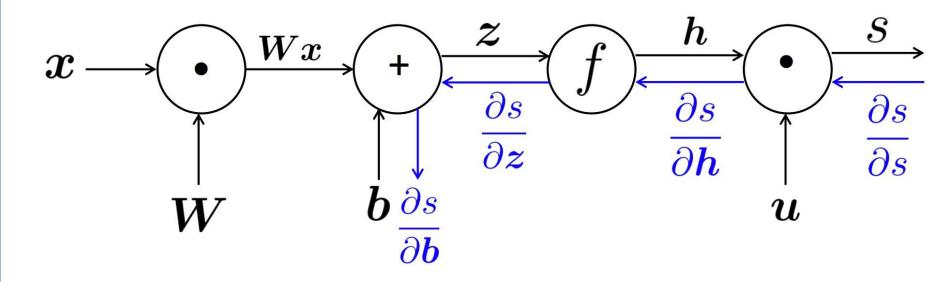


Back Propagation

 \clubsuit Compute $\frac{\partial s}{\partial b}$

Chain Rule:
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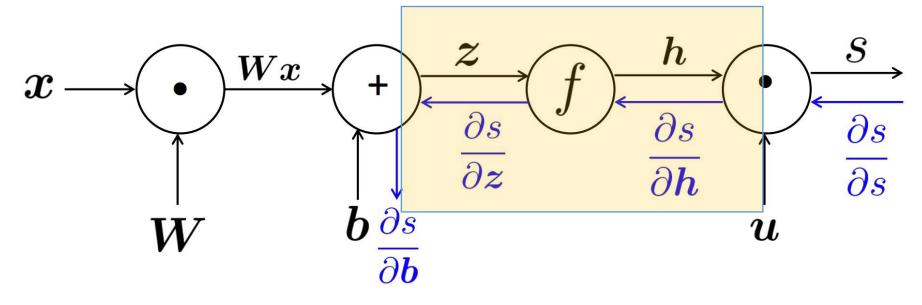


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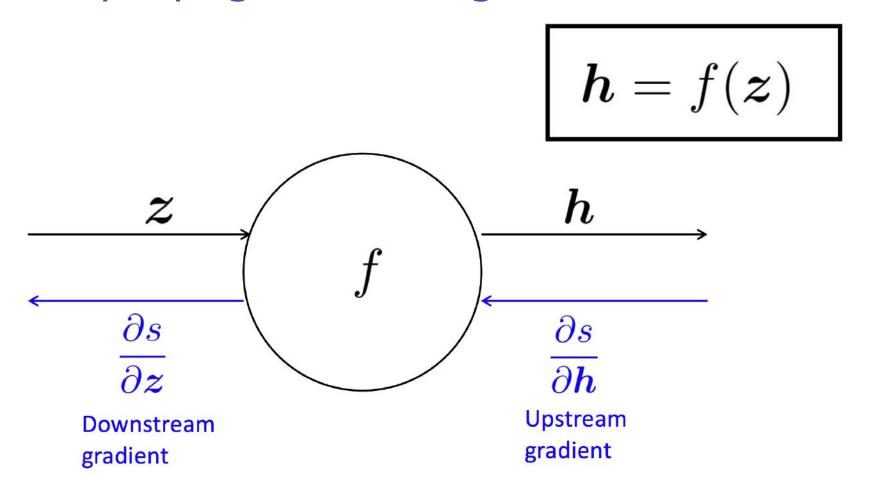
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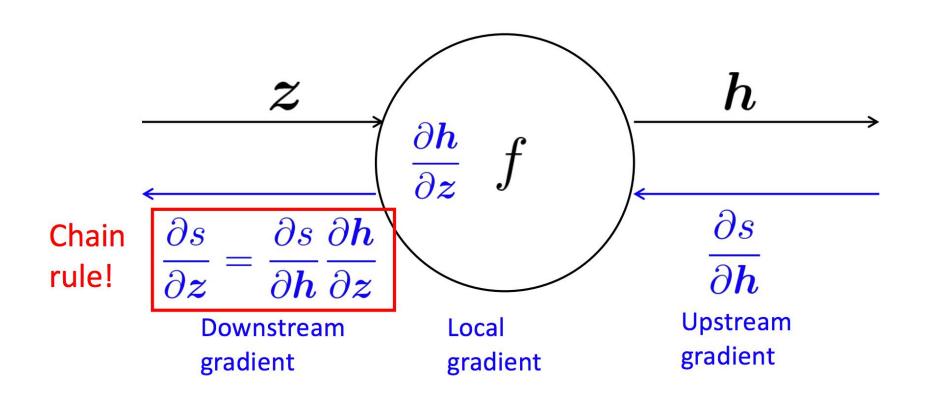


Backpropagation: Single Node



Chain Rule

$$\boldsymbol{h} = f(\boldsymbol{z})$$

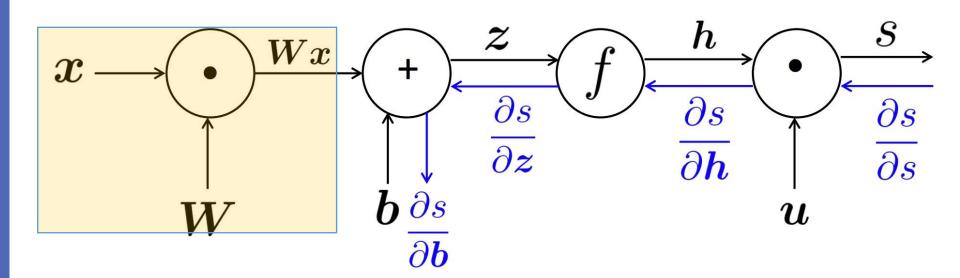


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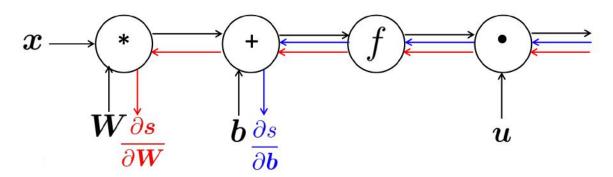
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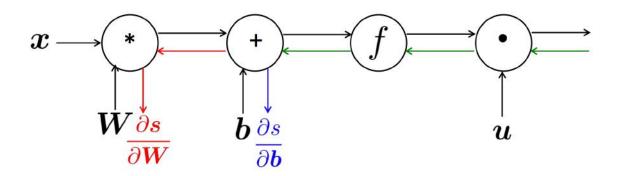


Compute all gradients at once



Naïve way to compute gradients: Compute each component separately

⇒ Redundant computation



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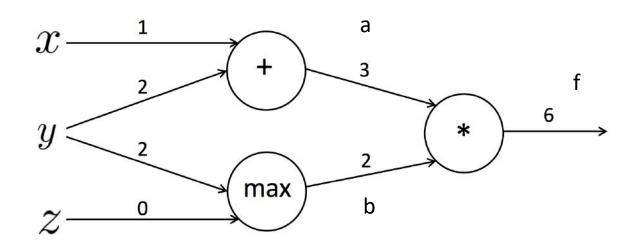
 $x = 1, y = 2, z = 0$

Draw the computation graph and calculate $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$, $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$, $\frac{\partial f}{\partial z}$

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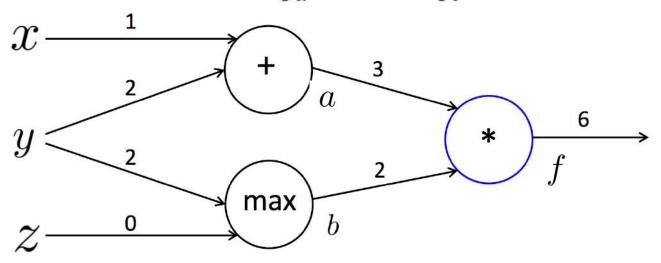
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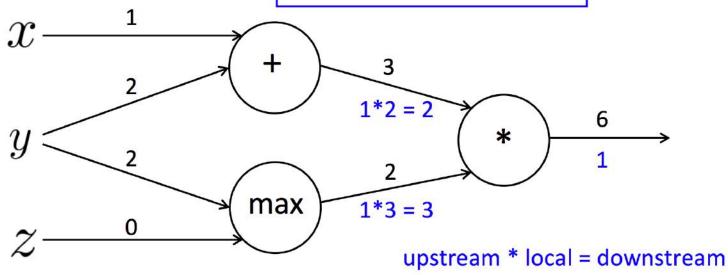
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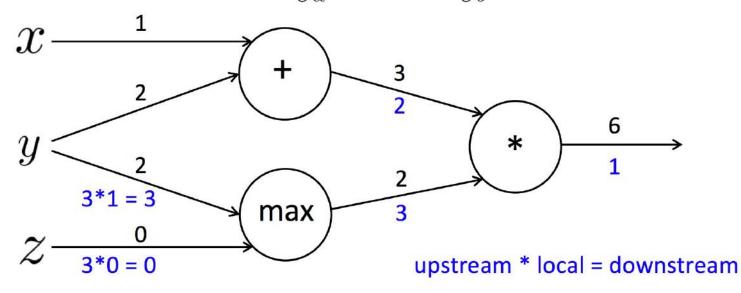
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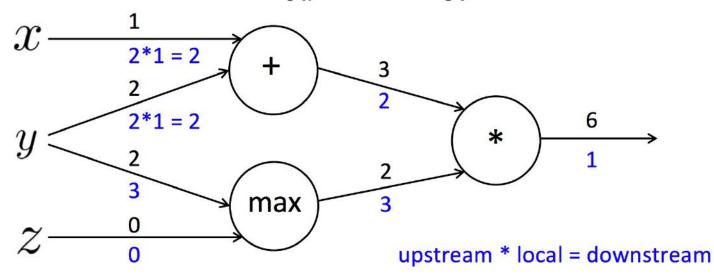
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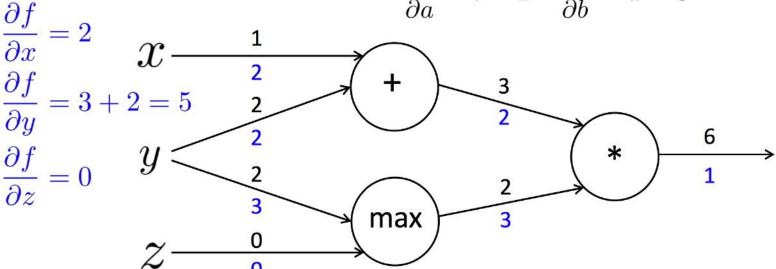
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$$f = ab$$

$$\frac{\partial a}{\partial x} = 1 \quad \frac{\partial a}{\partial y} = 1$$

$$\frac{\partial b}{\partial y} = \mathbf{1}(y > z) = 1 \quad \frac{\partial b}{\partial z} = \mathbf{1}(z > y) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial a} = b = 2 \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial b} = a = 3$$

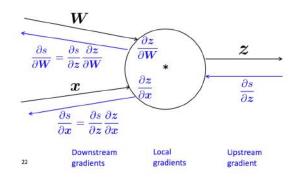


Why you should understand Backprop

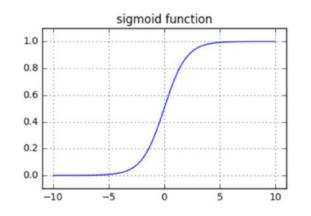
- Modern deep learning library implements backprop as a black-box for you
 - You can take a plane without knowing why it flies
 - but you're designing aircraft...
- Backpropagation doesn't always work perfectly.
 - Understanding why is crucial for debugging and improving models

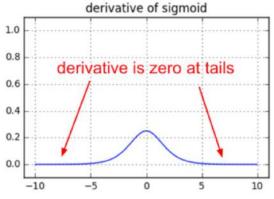
https://medium.com/@karpathy/yes-you-should-understand-backprop-e2f06eab496b

Example: Gradient of sigmoid



```
z = 1/(1 + np.exp(-np.dot(W, x))) # forward pass 
dx = np.dot(W.T, z*(1-z)) # backward pass: local gradient for x 
dW = np.outer(z*(1-z), x) # backward pass: local gradient for W
```





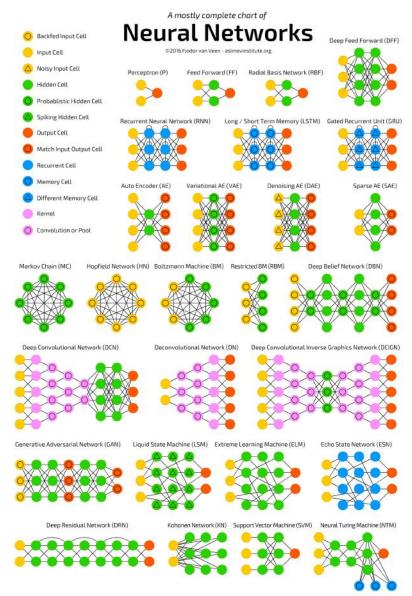
vanish gradient issue

More Details

- Parameter Initialization
 - Normally initialize weights to small random values; various designs
- Optimizer
 - Usually SGD works
 - Several SGD variants (e.g,. ADAM) automatically adjust learning rate based on an accumulated gradient

A neural network zoo

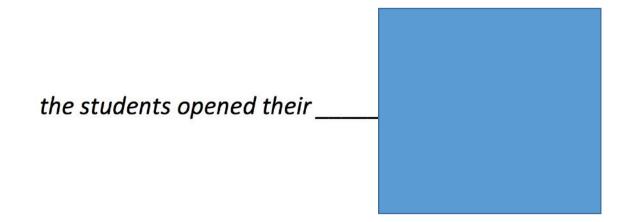
- The flexibility of NN allows us to try out different ideas
- However, there is no magic



Modeling with Neural Networks (Advanced Topic/Not Included in Final)

Example - Language Model

Predict next word



Idea 1: A fixed-window neural Language Model

output distribution

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{y}} = \operatorname{softmax}(\boldsymbol{U}\boldsymbol{h} + \boldsymbol{b}_2) \in \mathbb{R}^{|V|}$$

hidden layer

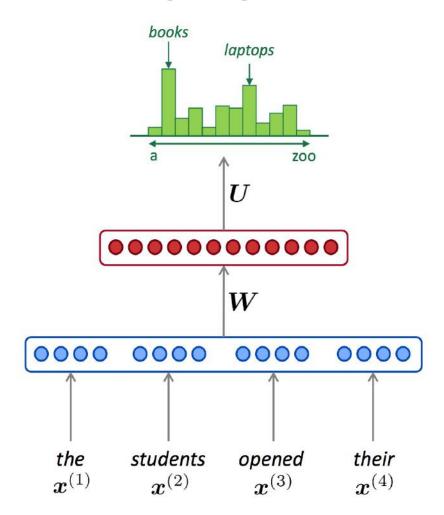
$$\boldsymbol{h} = f(\boldsymbol{W}\boldsymbol{e} + \boldsymbol{b}_1)$$

concatenated word embeddings

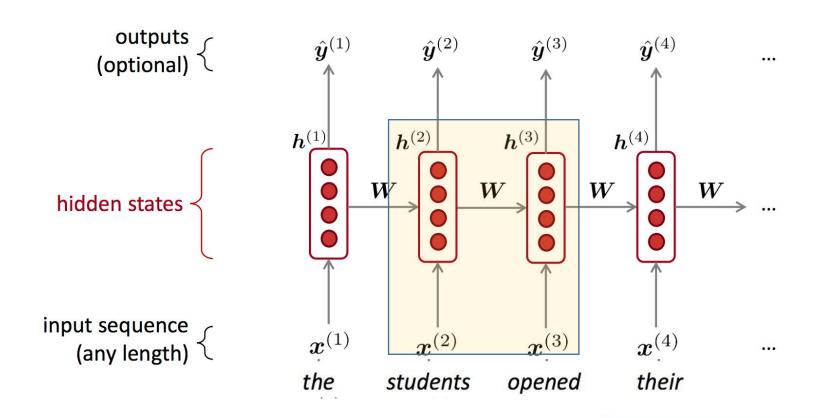
$$e = [e^{(1)}; e^{(2)}; e^{(3)}; e^{(4)}]$$

words / one-hot vectors

$$\boldsymbol{x}^{(1)}, \boldsymbol{x}^{(2)}, \boldsymbol{x}^{(3)}, \boldsymbol{x}^{(4)}$$

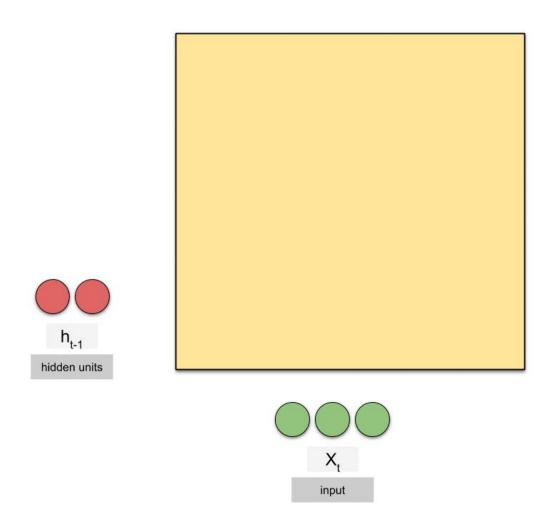


Idea 2: Recurrent Neural Networks (RNN)



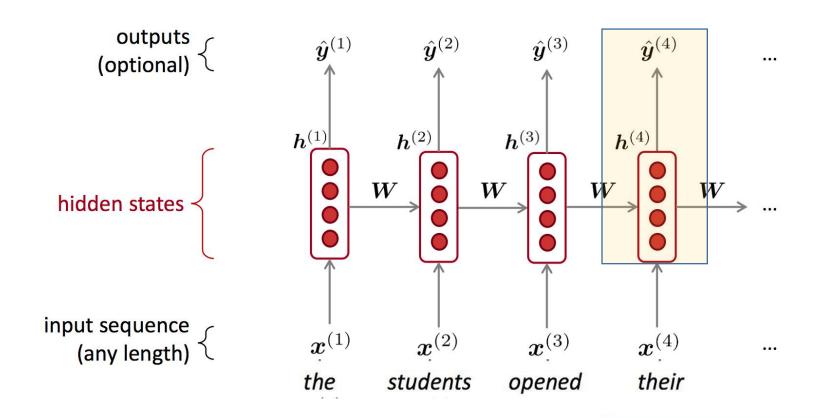
Core idea: Apply the same weights W repeatedly

Recurrent Neural Network



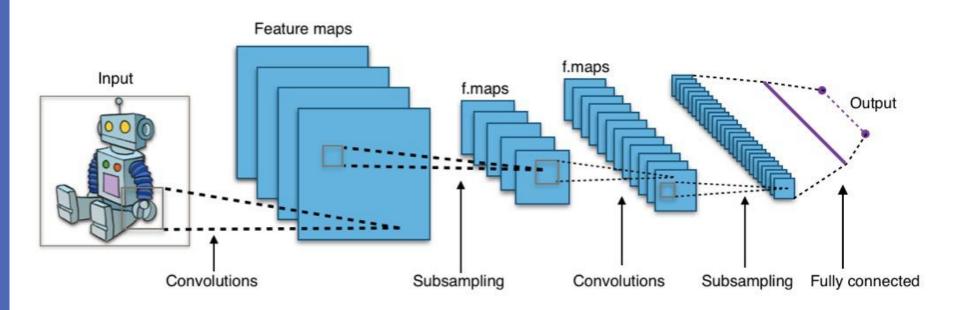
https://towardsdatascience.com/animated-rnn-lstm-and-gru-ef124d06cf45

Prediction using Latent State

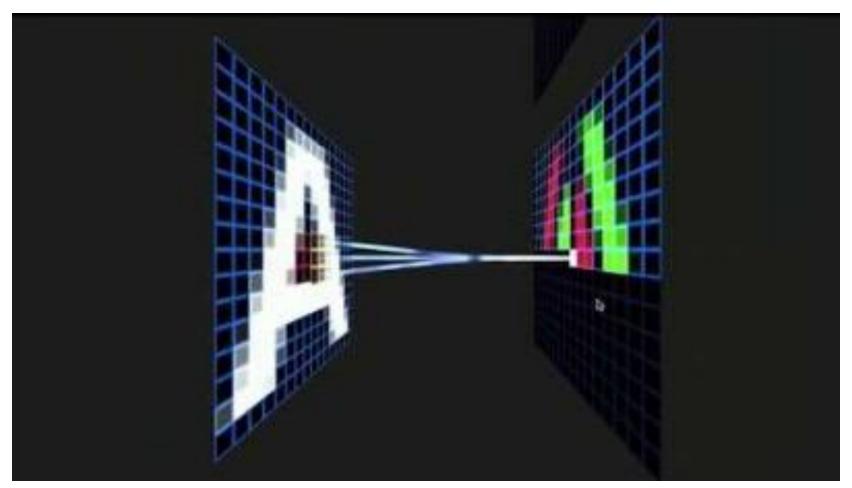


Core idea: Apply the same weights $oldsymbol{W}$ repeatedly

Idea 3: Convolutional NN



Convolutional NN



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f0t-OCG79-U