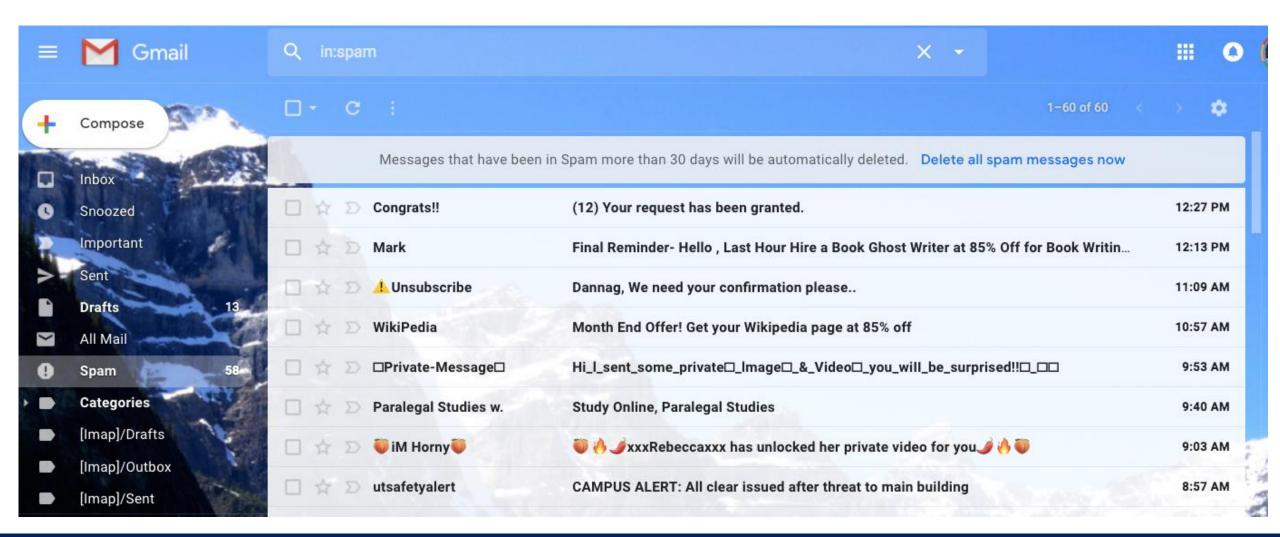
# **Artificial Neural Networks**

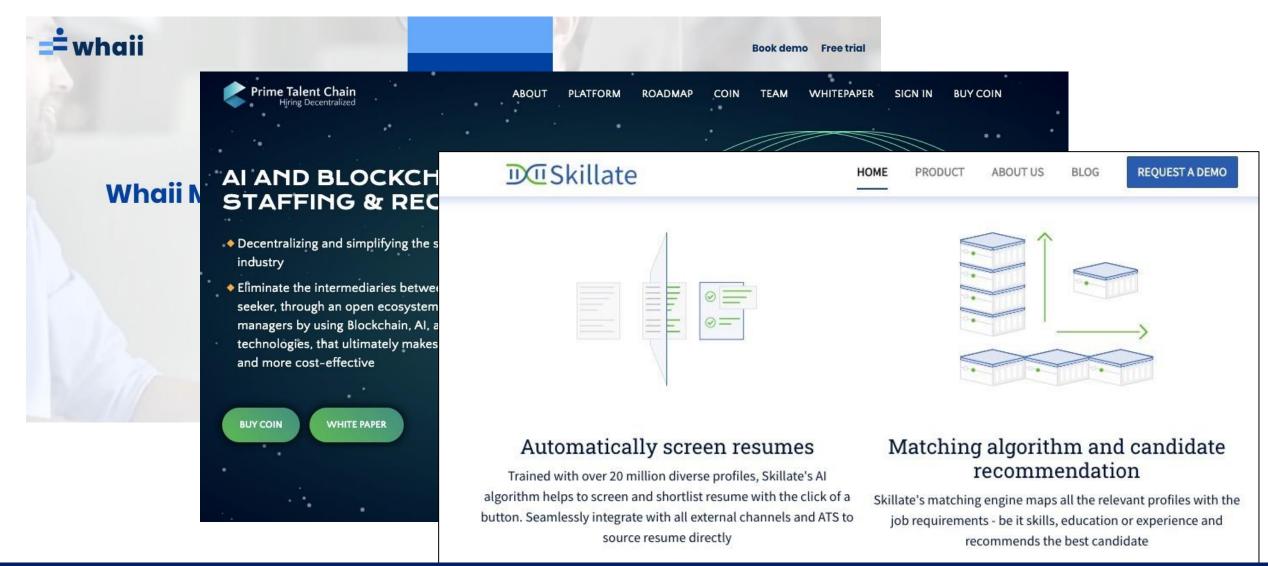
#### Binary Classification

Distinguish 2 classes

#### Binary Classification: Spam Detection



#### Binary Classification: Resume Pre-Screening



#### Binary Classification: Cancer Diagnosis



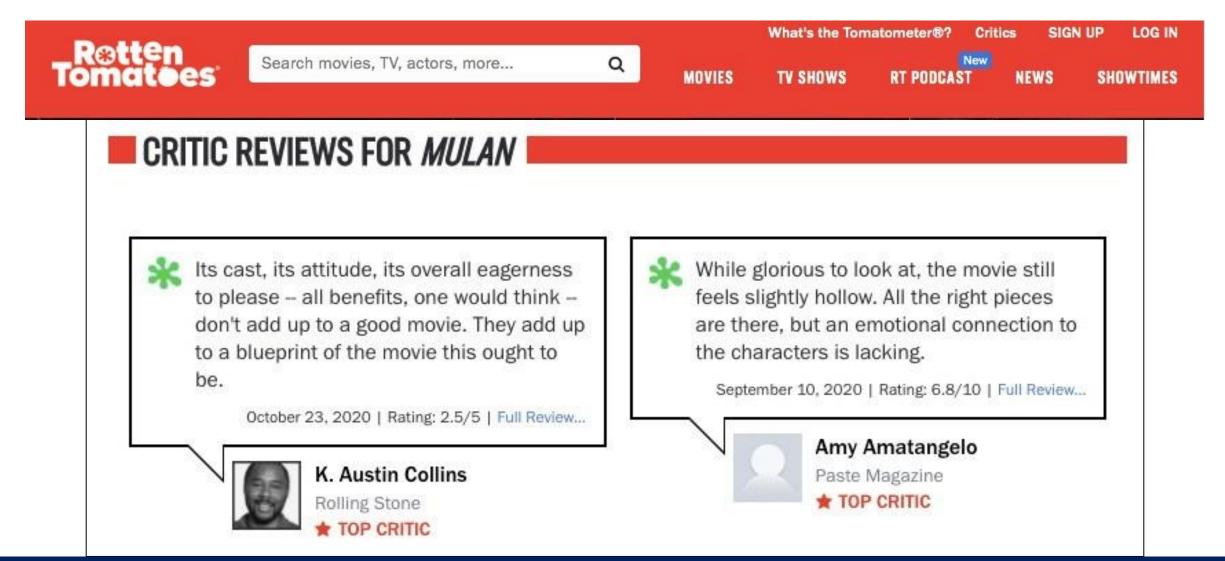
# Binary Classification: Cognitive Impairment Recognition by Apple App Usage



Image Credit: https://www.techradar.com/news/the-10-best-phones-for-seniors

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#### Binary Classification: Sentiment Analysis



#### Binary Classification: Food Quality Control

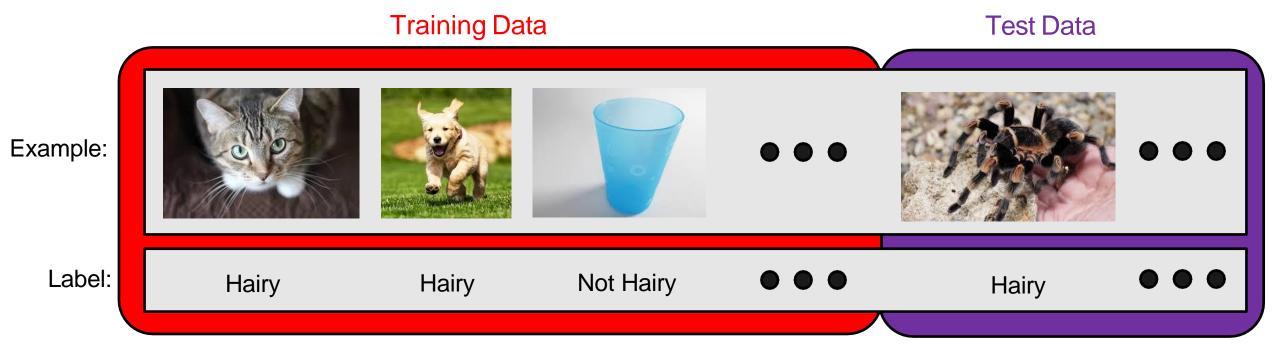


Machine Learning: Using Algorithms to Sort Fruit

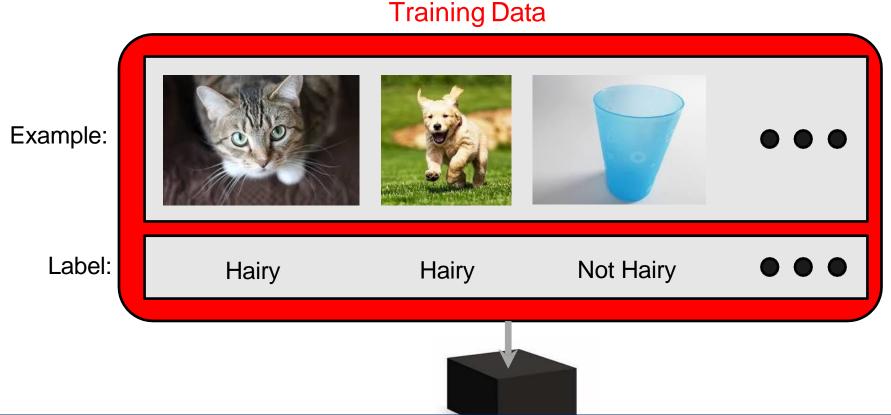
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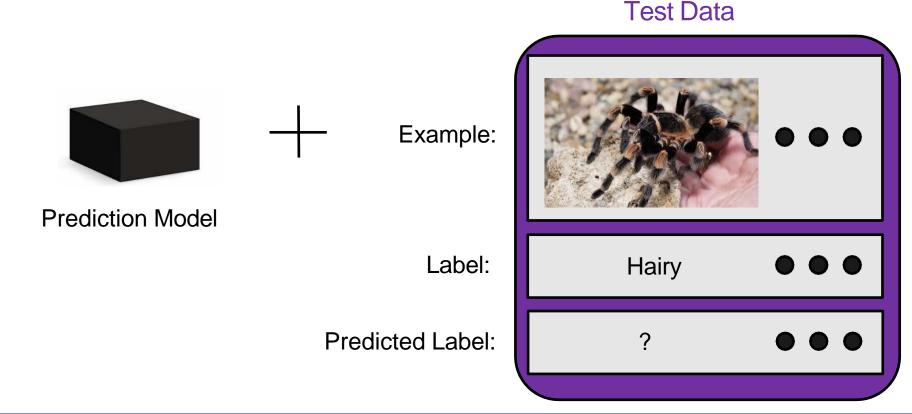
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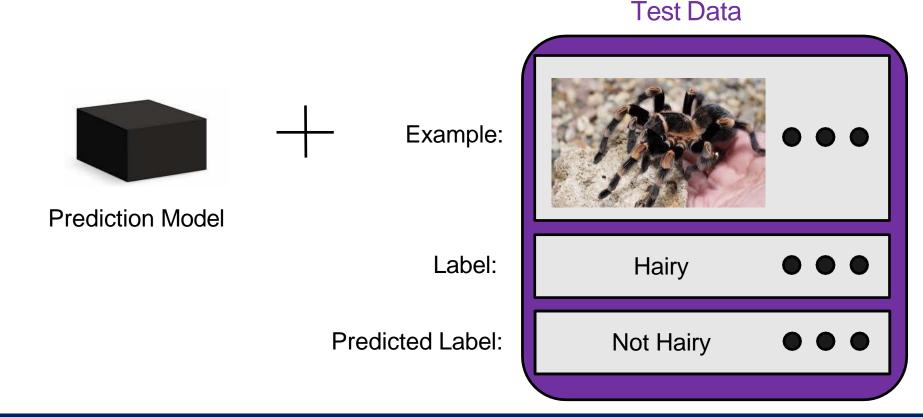
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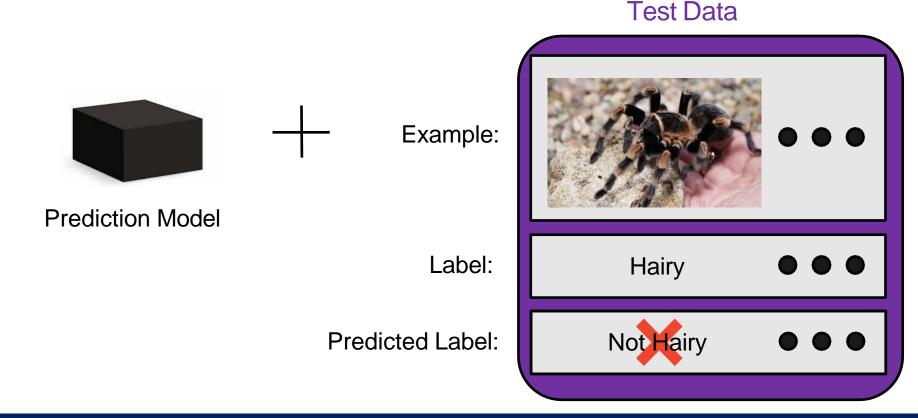
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#### Inspiration: Animal's Computing Machinery

#### Neuron

 basic unit in the nervous system for receiving, processing, and transmitting information; e.g., messages such as...

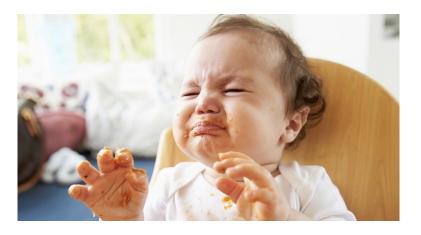
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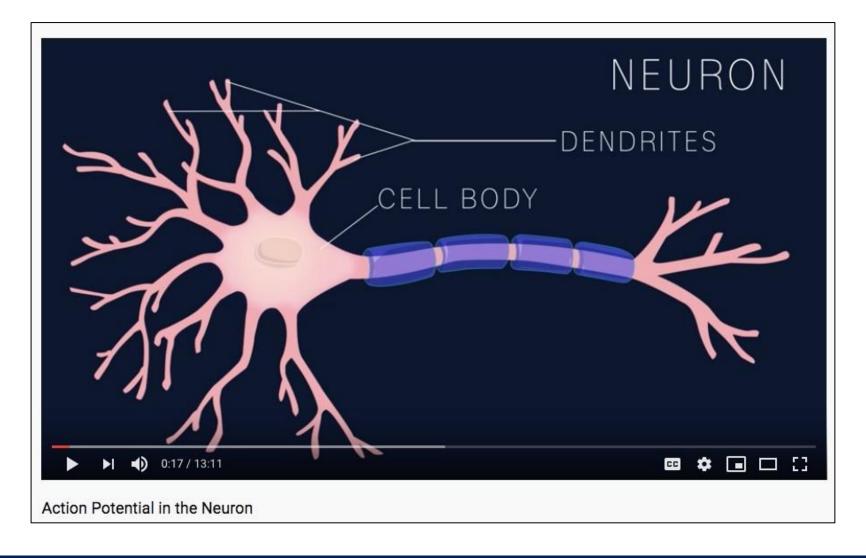
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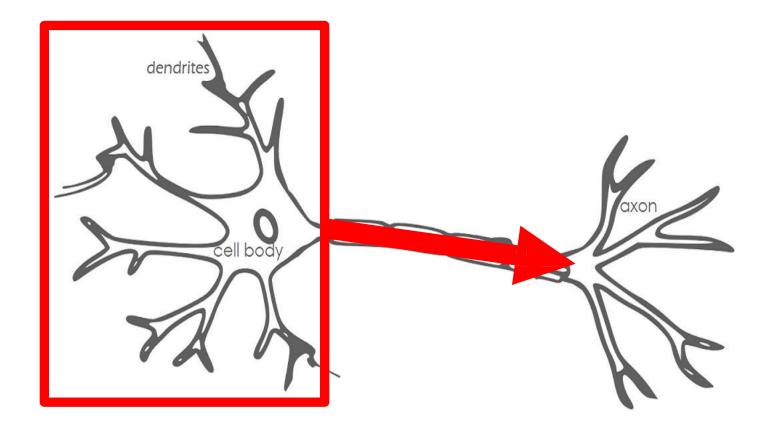
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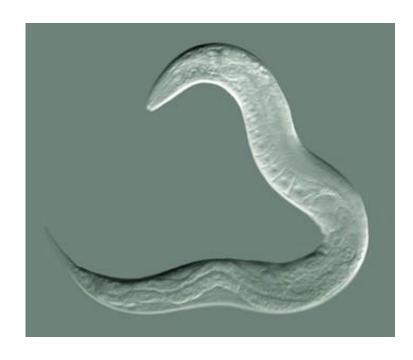


#### Inspiration: Neuron "Firing"



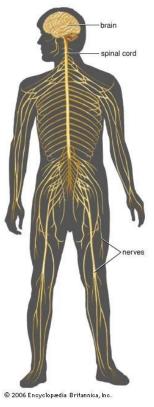
- When the input signals exceed a certain threshold within a short period of time, a neuron "fires"
- Neuron "firing" (outputs signal) is an "all-or-none" process

#### Inspiration: Animal's Computing Machinery



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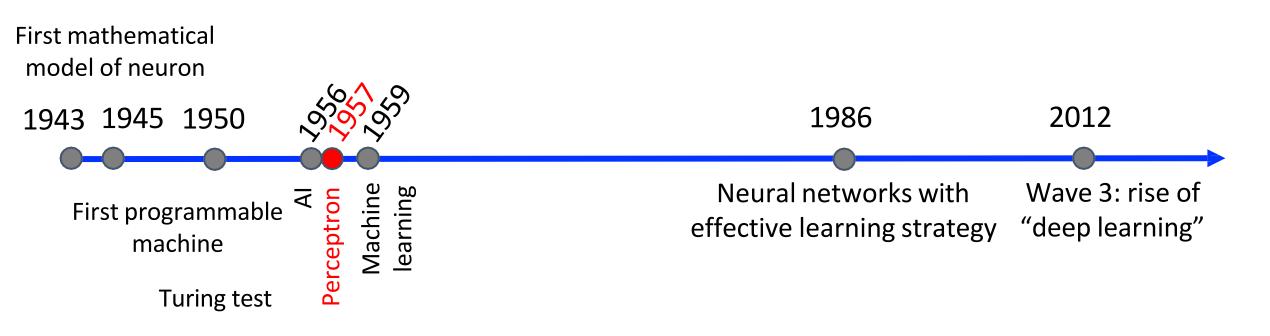
Nematode worm: 302 neurons



https://www.britannica.com/science/human-nervous-system

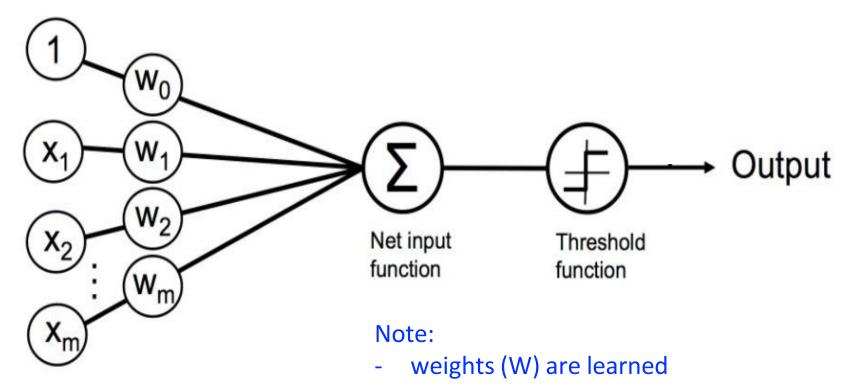
Human: ~Billions neurons

#### Historical Context: Artificial Neurons



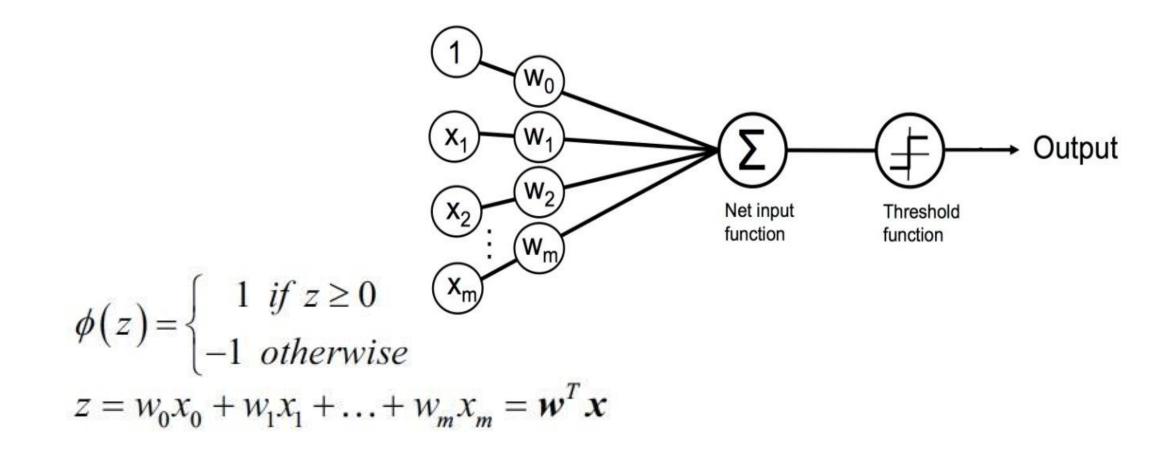
Modern deep learning algorithms rely on techniques developed over the past 65 years.

#### Perceptron: Model (Linear Threshold Unit)



- inputs and weights can be any value
- fires when combined input exceeds threshold

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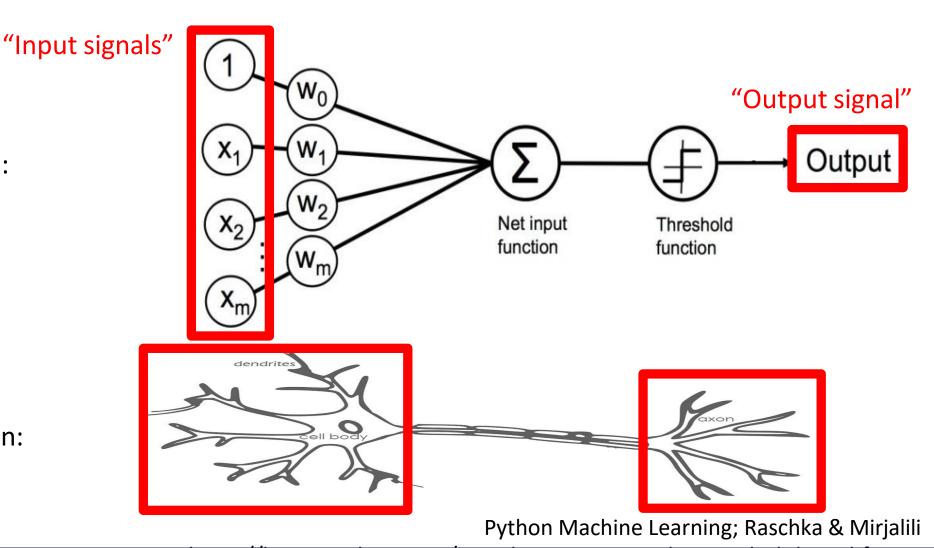


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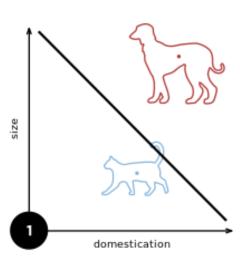
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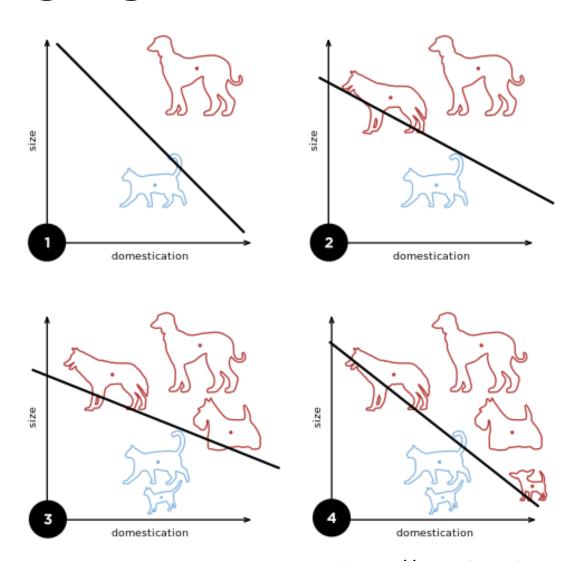
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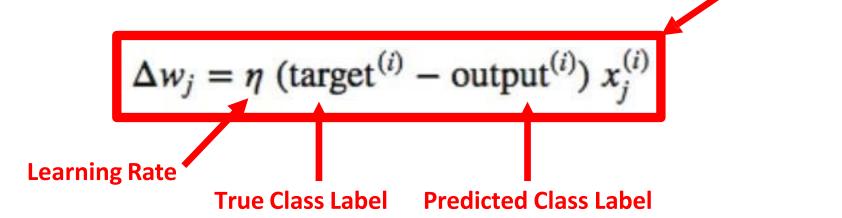
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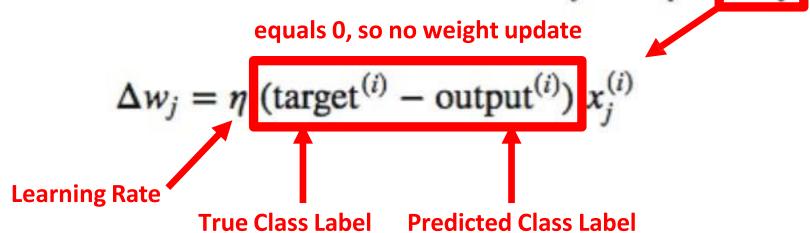


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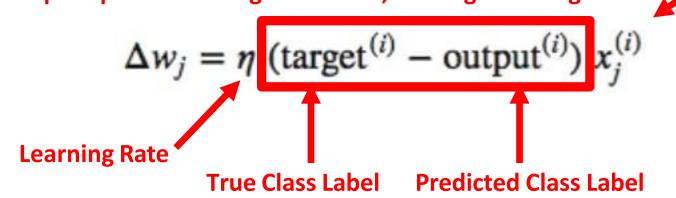
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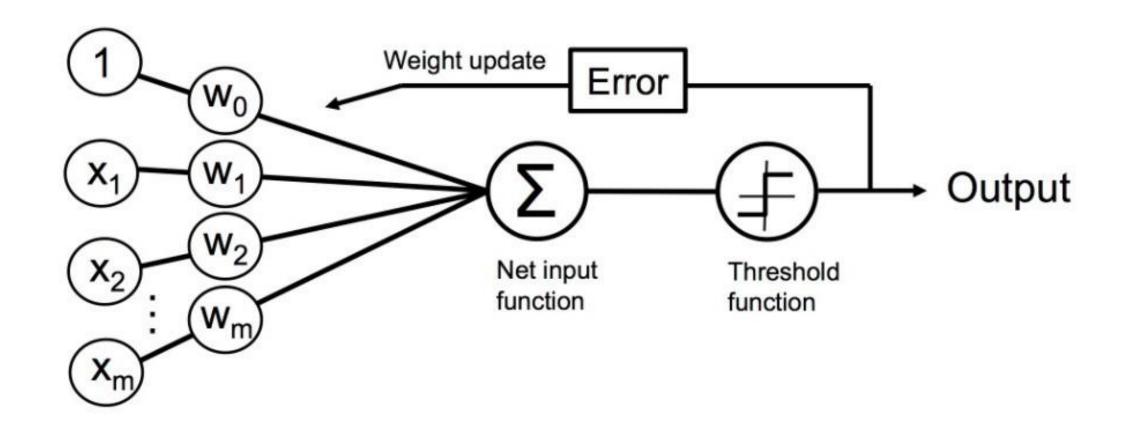


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    Equals positive or negative value, so weights change





#### Perceptron: Learning Algorithm Choices

- Learning rate
- Number of epochs (passes over the dataset)

#### Perceptron Limitation: XOR Problem

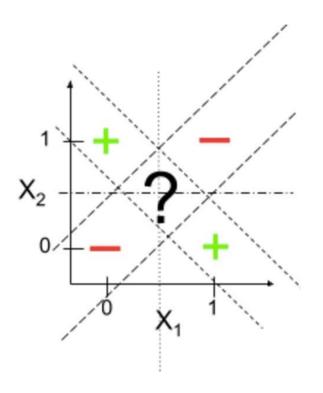
XOR = "Exclusive Or"

- Input: two binary values x<sub>1</sub> and x<sub>2</sub>
- Output:
  - 1, when exactly one input equals 1
  - 0, otherwise

<b>X</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>2</sub>	x <sub>1</sub> XOR x <sub>2</sub>
0	0	?
0	1	?
1	0	?
1	1	?

#### Perceptron Limitation: XOR Problem

Cannot solve XOR problem and so separate 1s from 0s with a perceptron (linear function):



X <sub>1</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>2</sub>	x <sub>1</sub> XOR x <sub>2</sub>
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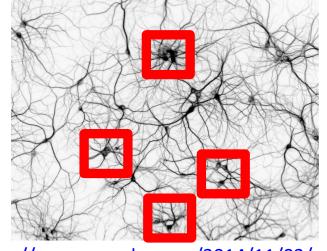
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How can a machine be "conscious" when it can't solve the XOR problem?

#### Neural Networks: Connected Neurons

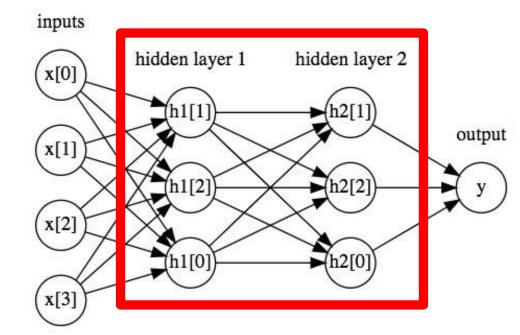
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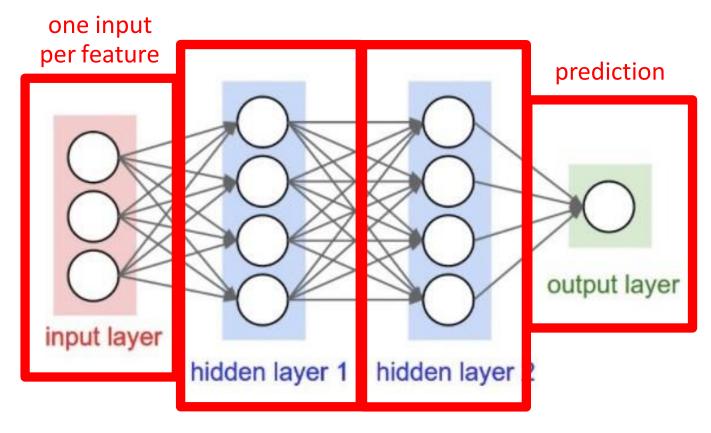
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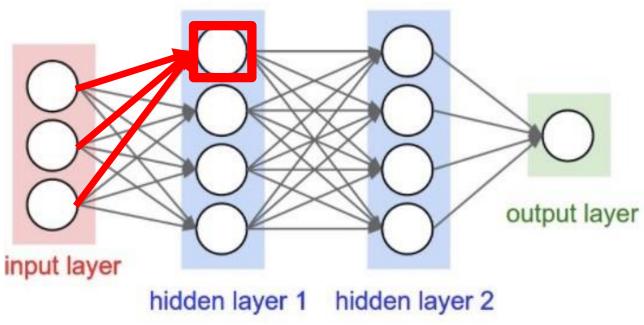
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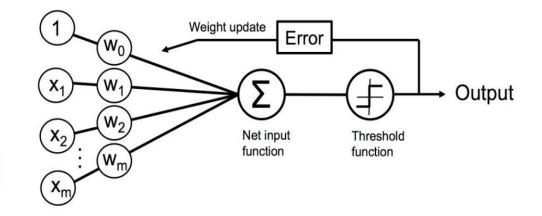
This is a 3-layer neural network (i.e., count number of hidden layers plus output layer)

each "hidden layer" uses outputs of units (i.e., neurons) and provides them as inputs to other units (i.e., neurons)

#### Neural Network



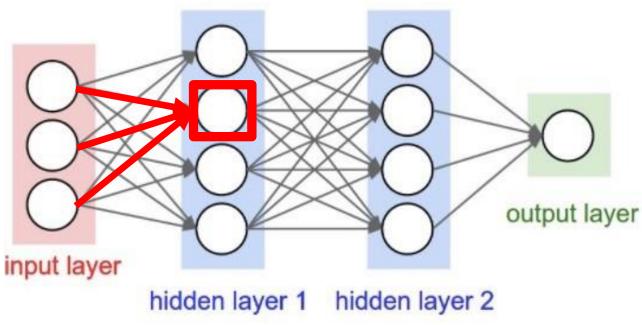
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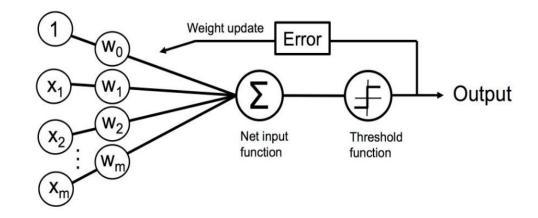
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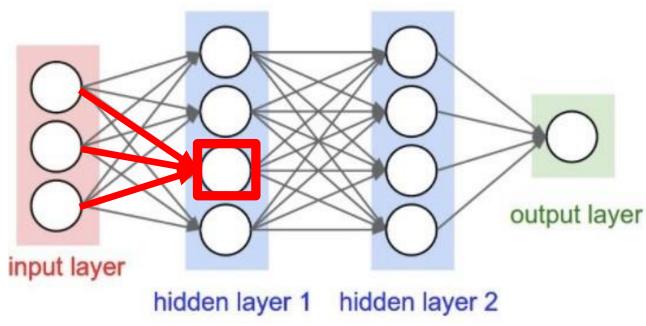


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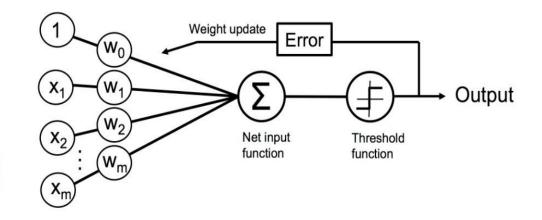


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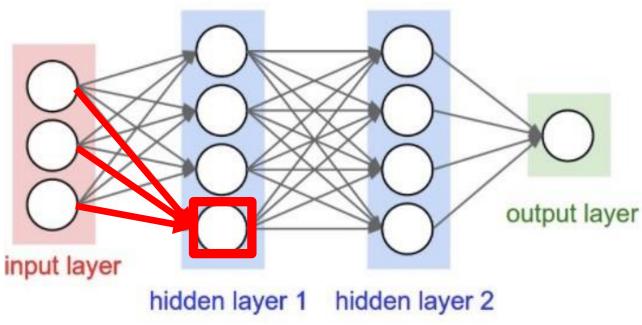
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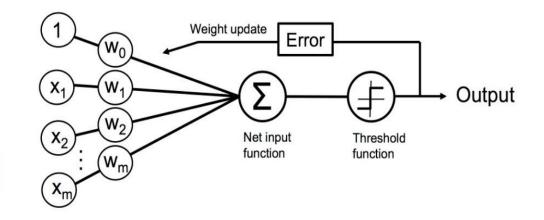
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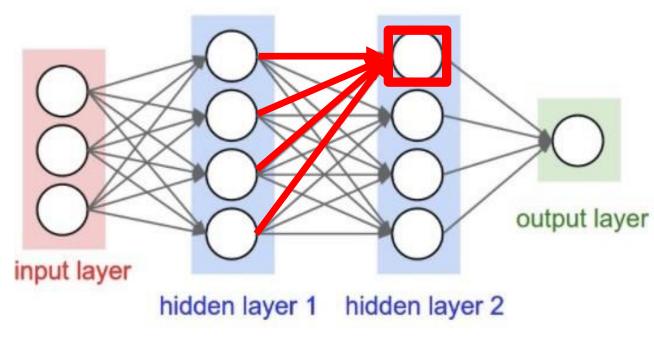
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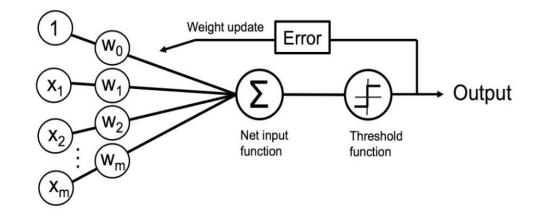
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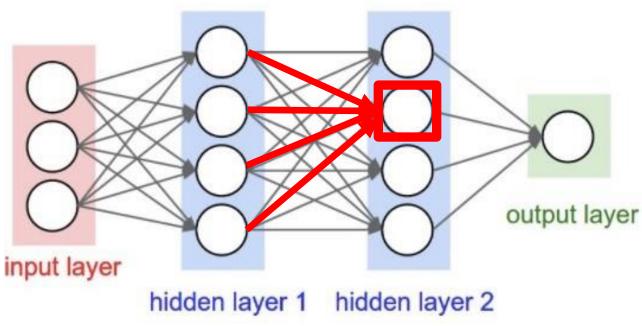
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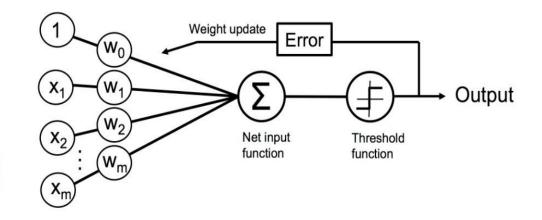
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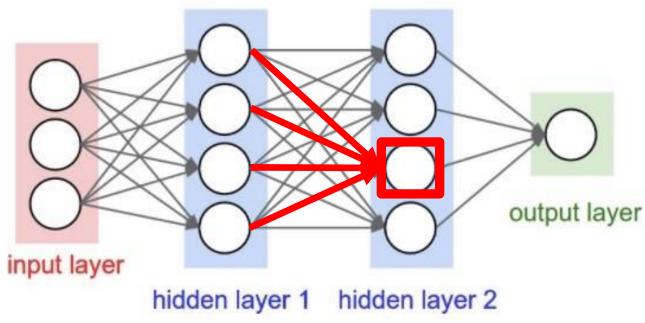
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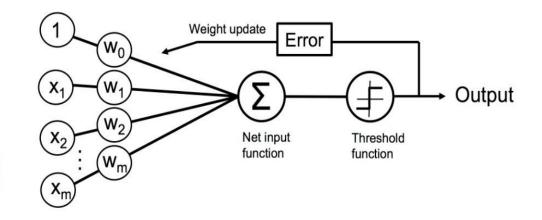
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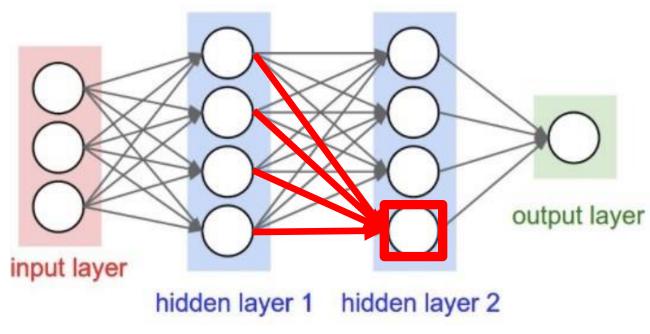
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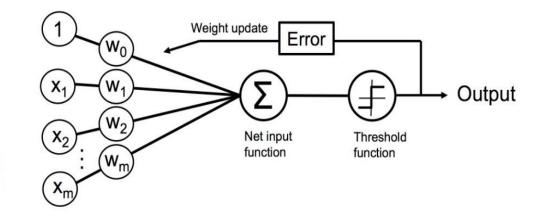
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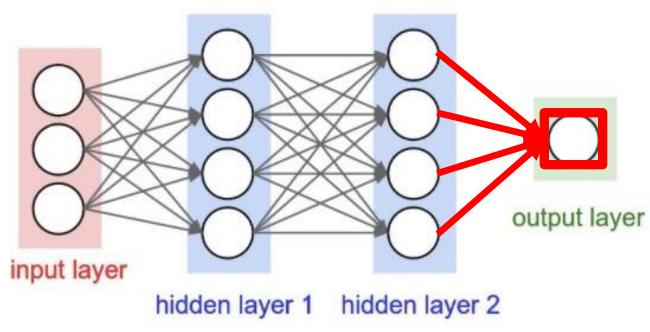
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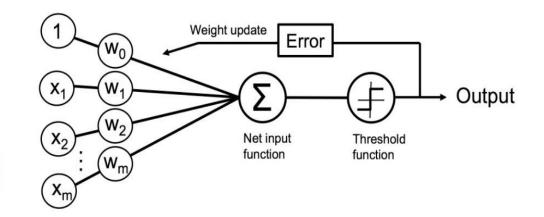
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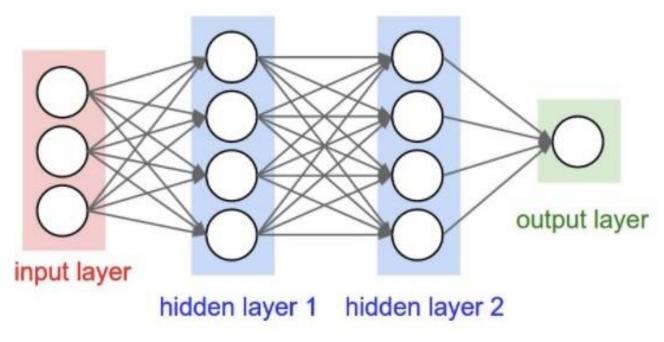
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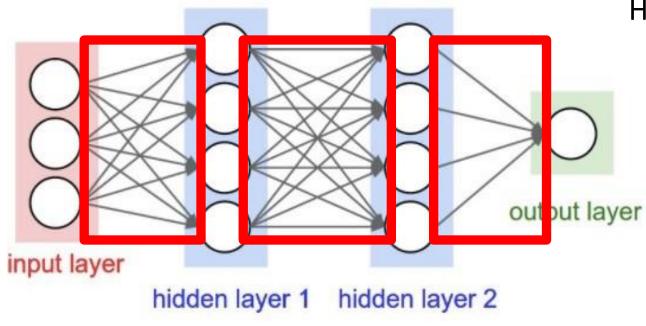
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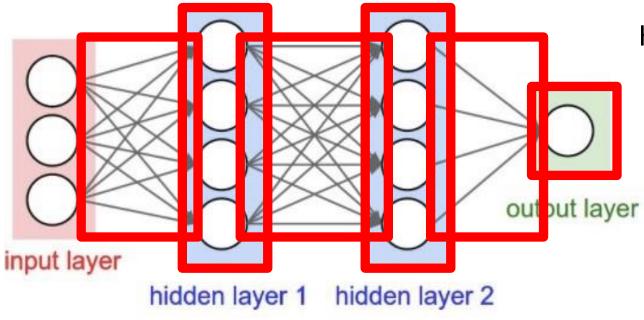


- Training goal: learn model parameters
- Layers are called "hidden" because algorithm decides how to use each layer to produce its output



How many weights are in this model?

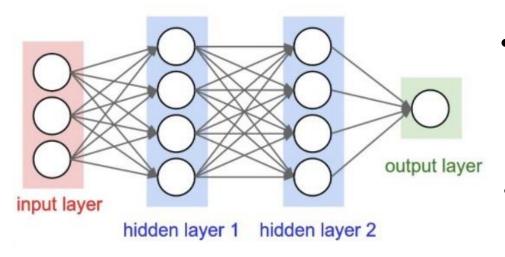
- Input to Hidden Layer 1:
  - 3x4 = 12
- Hidden Layer 1 to Hidden Layer 2:
  - 4x4 = 16
- Hidden Layer 2 to Output Layer
  - 4x1 = 4
- Total:
  - 12 + 16 + 4 = 32



How many parameters are there to learn?

- Number of weights:
  - 32
- Number of biases:
  - 4+4+1=9
- Total
  - 41

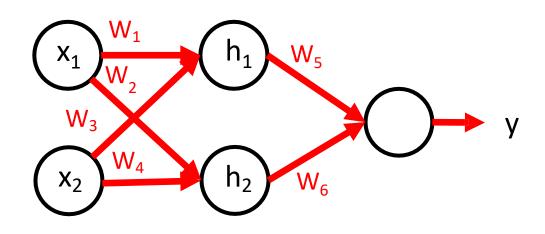
### Fully Connected, Feedforward Neural Networks



- What does it mean for a model to be fully connected?
  - Each unit provides input to each unit in the next layer
- What does it mean for a model to be feedforward?
  - Each layer serves as input to the next layer with no loops

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Key Observation: feedforward networks are just functions chained together e.g.,

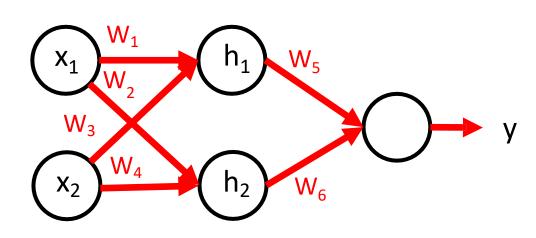


- What is function for h<sub>1</sub>?
  - $h_1 = w_1x_1 + w_3x_2 + b_1$
- What is function for  $h_2$ ?
  - $h_2 = w_2 x_1 + w_4 x_2 + b_2$
- What is function for y?
  - $y = h_1 w_5 + h_2 w_6 + b_3$
  - $y = (w_1x_1 + w_3x_2 + b_1)w_5 + (w_2x_1 + w_4x_2 + b_2)w_6 + b_3$
  - $y = w_1w_5x_1 + w_3w_5x_2 + w_5b_1 + w_2w_6x_1 + w_4w_6x_2 + w_6b_2 + b_3$

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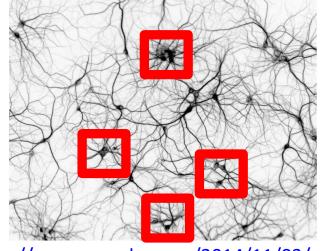
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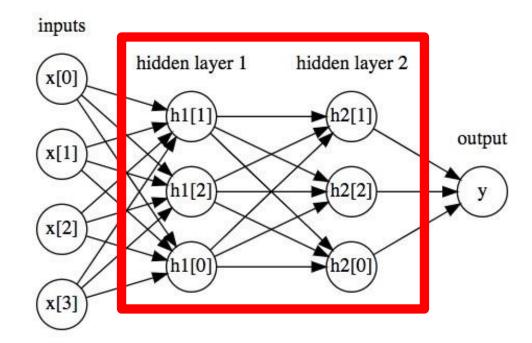
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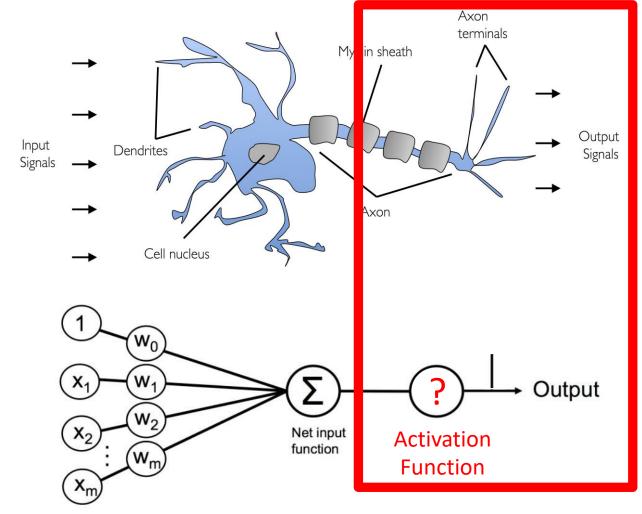
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**Biological Neuron:** 

Artificial Neurons (e.g., Perceptron):



Mimic a neuron firing, by having each unit apply a non-linear "activation" function to the weighted input

### Non-Linear Activation Functions

• Each unit applies a non-linear "activation" function to the weighted input to

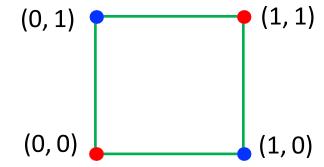
mimic a neuron firing

Sigmoid Tanh ReLU:  $f(z) = \max(0, z)$ 0.9 0.8 0.7 0.6 0.5 0.4 0.3 -0.40.2 -0.6 0.1 -0.8  $\tanh(z) = \frac{\exp(z) - \exp(-z)}{\exp(z) + \exp(-z)}$ ReLU(z) = max(0, z)

Computationally faster

## Non-Linear Example: Revisiting XOR problem

• Non-linear function: separate 1s from 0s:

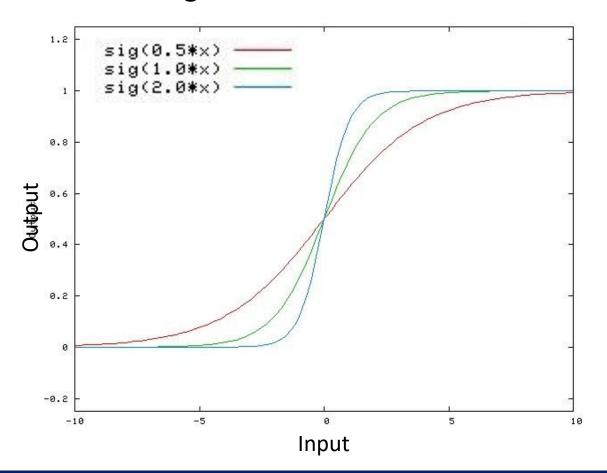


• Approach: ReLU activation function (ReLU(z) = max(0, z)) with these parameters:

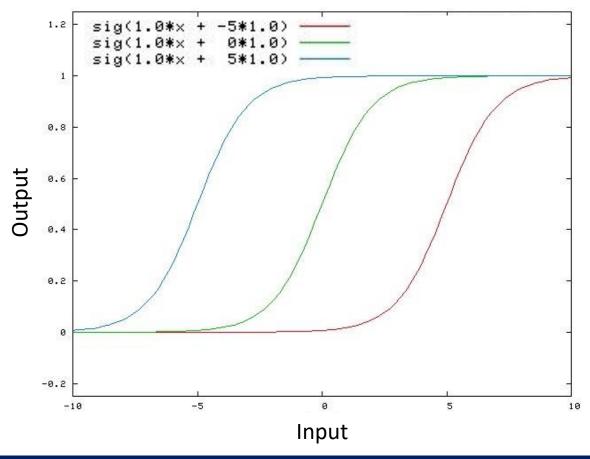
# Neural networks can solve XOR problem... and so model non-linear functions!

# Activation Functions and Model Parameters (e.g., Sigmoid)

Weights determine curvature:



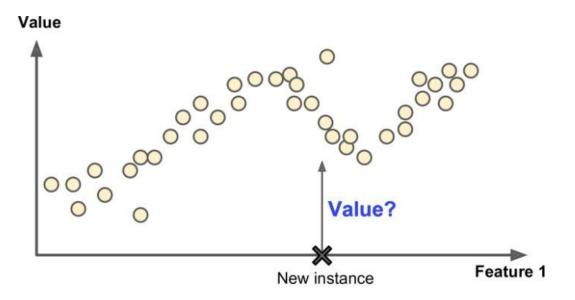
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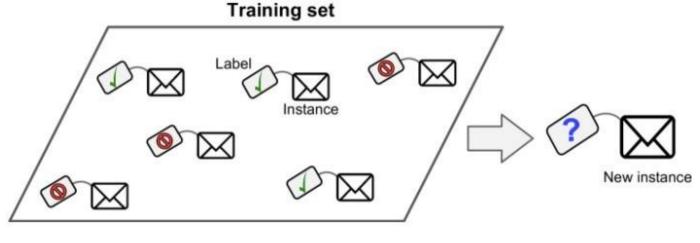


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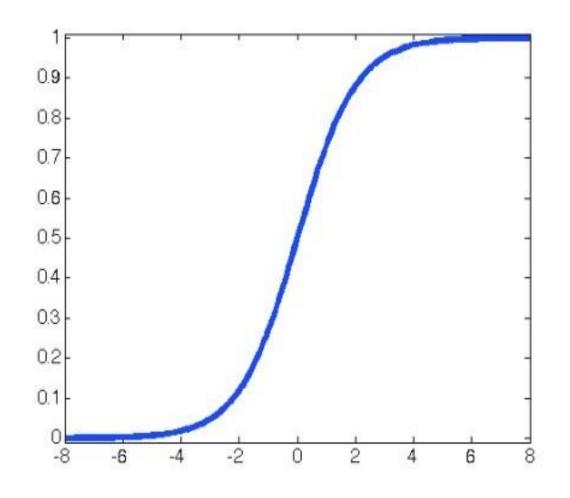
Regression (predict **continuous** value)

Classification (predict **discrete** value)





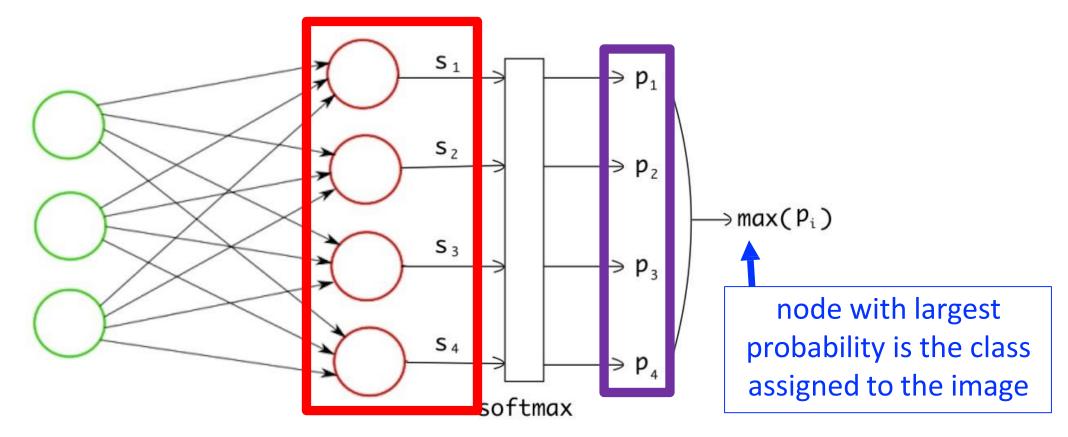
## Sigmoid (for Binary Classification)

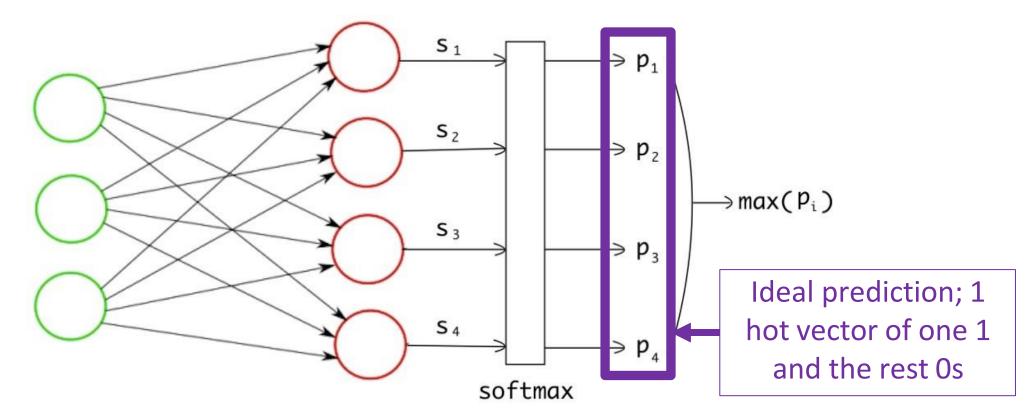


$$\sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-z)}$$

If >= 0.5, output 1;

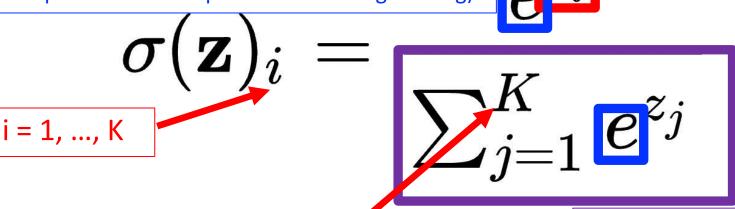
Else, outputs 0





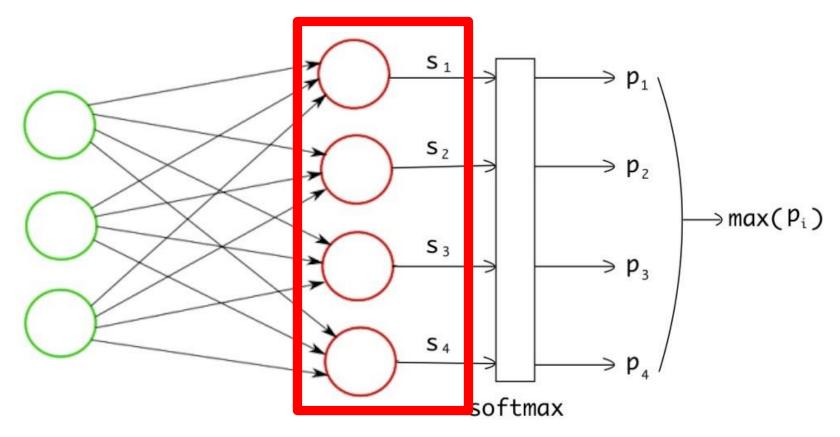
Converts vector of scores into a probability distribution that sums to 1

Get rid of negative values while preserving original order of scores; e causes negative scores to become slightly larger than 0 while positive values grow exponentially (choosing *e* rather than another exponent base simplifies math during training)

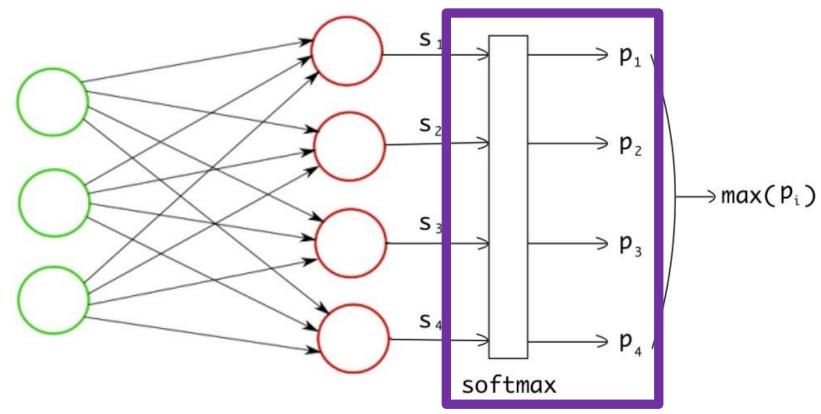


Number of classes

Want to divide each node's score by sum of all entries to make them sum to 1 (normalization)

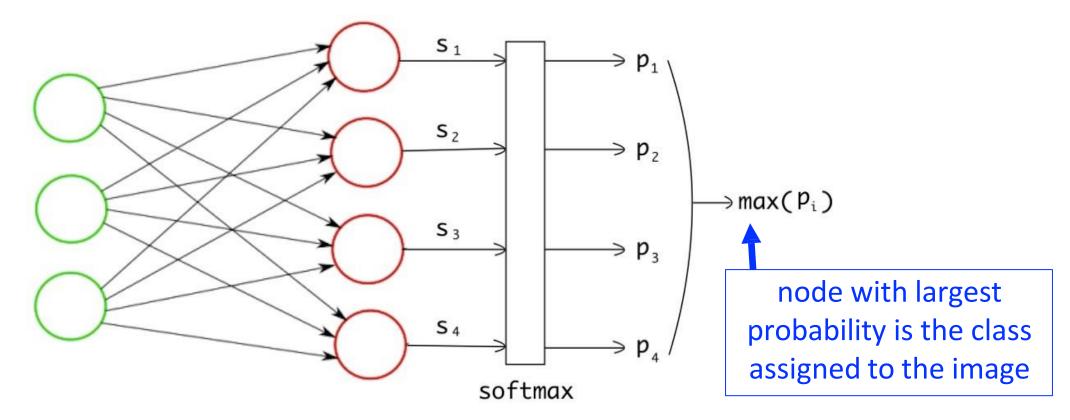


	Scoring Function
Dog	-3.44
Cat	1.16
Boat	-0.81
Airplane	3.91



	$e^{z_i}$
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	Scoring Function	Unnormalized Probabilities	Normalized Probabilities
Dog	-3.44	0.0321	0.0006
Cat	1.16	3.1899	0.0596
Boat	-0.81	0.4449	0.0083
Airplane	3.91	49.8990	0.9315

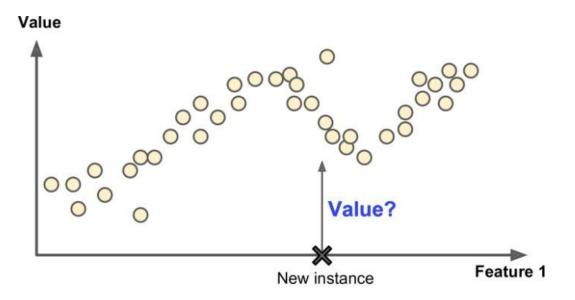


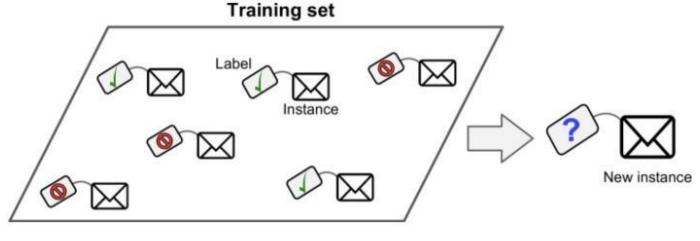
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Airplane	3.91	49.8990	0.9315

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Regression (predict **continuous** value)

Classification (predict **discrete** value)





### Desired Output Driven by Task

