

## LEARNING STAGE OF A MULTILAYER PERCEPTRON

Let N be the number of inputs, L the number of hidden neurons and M the number of outputs. Suppose you have Q different inputs with known outputs for the learning stage.

 $w^h$  is a  $L \times N$  matrix and  $w^o$  is a  $M \times L$  matrix filled originally with random real numbers between -1 and 1

x is a  $Q \times N$  matrix with the values of the inputs of the known patterns.

d is a  $Q \times M$  matrix with the values of the outputs of the known patterns.

f is a sigmoid function (in our case  $f(x) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-ax}}$ ) You have to repeat the following procedure for every row j of x and d until E is small enough

## **FORWARD**

$$net^{h} = w^{h}x_{j}^{t}$$

$$y^{h} = f(net^{h})$$

$$net^{o} = w^{o}y^{h}$$

$$y = f(net^{o})$$

## BACKWARD

$$\delta_{i}^{0} = \left( \left( d_{j}^{t} \right)_{i} - y_{i} \right) y_{i} \left( 1 - y_{i} \right)$$

$$\delta_{i}^{h} = y_{i}^{h} \left( 1 - y_{i}^{h} \right) \left[ \left( w^{o} \right)^{t} \delta^{o} \right]_{i}$$

$$\Delta w^{o} = \alpha \delta^{o} \left( y^{h} \right)^{t}$$

$$\Delta w^{h} = \alpha \delta^{h} x_{j}$$
ERROR

## $E = \|\delta^o\|$