

# Neural Networks Workshop: Training and Stochastic Gradient Descent

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# Today we use and train Feed-Forward Artificial Neural Networks

## Feed-Forward Neural Networks

- How They Work

- Universal Approximation (Briefly)

## Training

- Nonconvex Optimization

- Error-Backpropagation

## Deep Learning

## Second Section

# Feed-Forward Neural Networks

# Perceptron Review

[TODO: IMAGE OF PERCEPTRON]

- ▶ Perceptrons are neural computation units which make *weighted* decisions:

$$p(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \sum w_i x_i + b \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- ▶ Perceptrons are not powerful enough, as seen last time with XOR.
- ▶ What if we want real valued output for tasks like predicting the temperature or stock prices?

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3. Example

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<b>Treatments</b>	<b>Response 1</b>	<b>Response 2</b>
Treatment 1	0.0003262	0.562
Treatment 2	0.0015681	0.910
Treatment 3	0.0009271	0.296

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# Theorem

Theorem (Mass–energy equivalence)

$$E = mc^2$$



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## Example (Theorem Slide Code)

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 $E = mc^2$   
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