

# Introduction to Soft Computing

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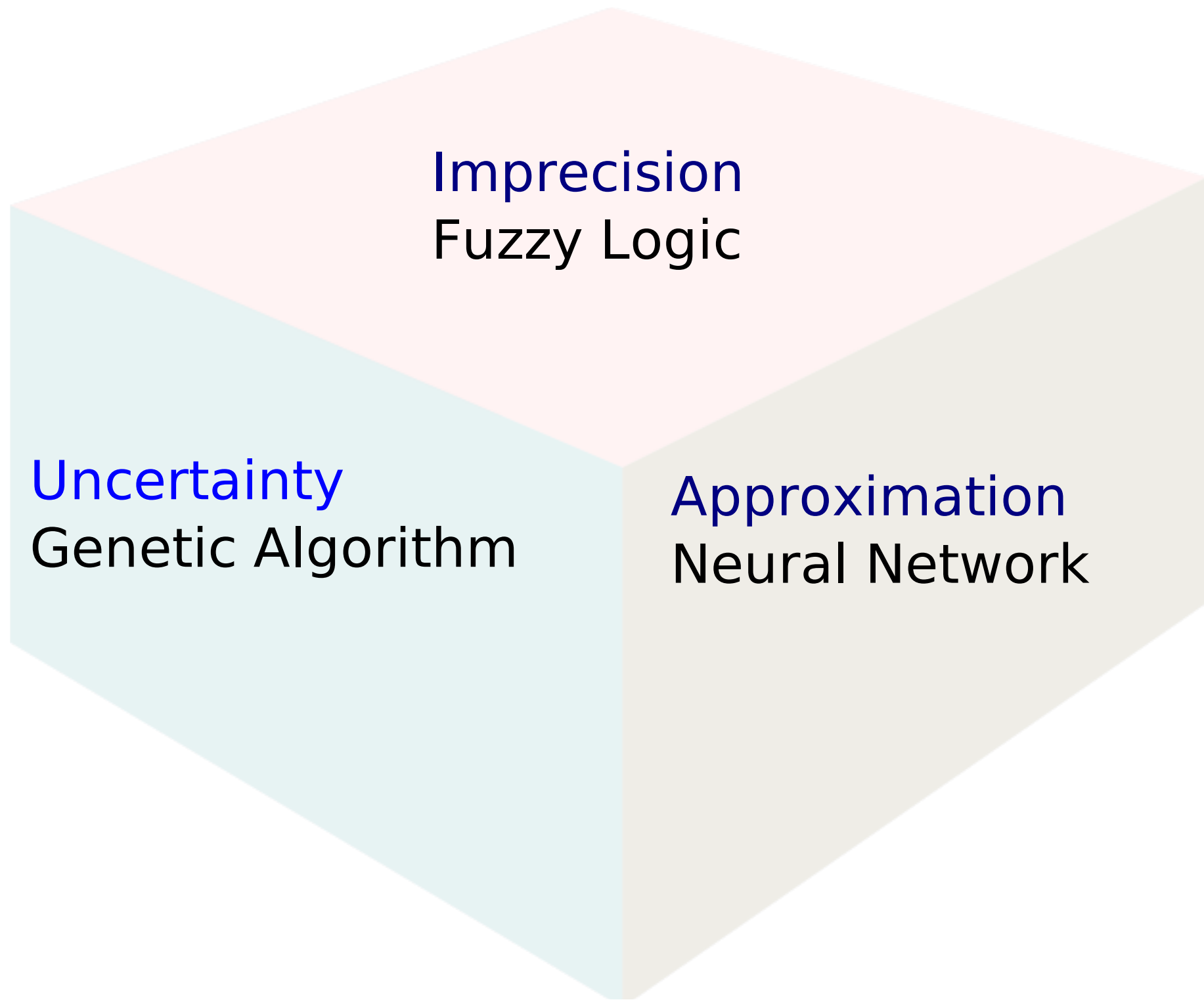
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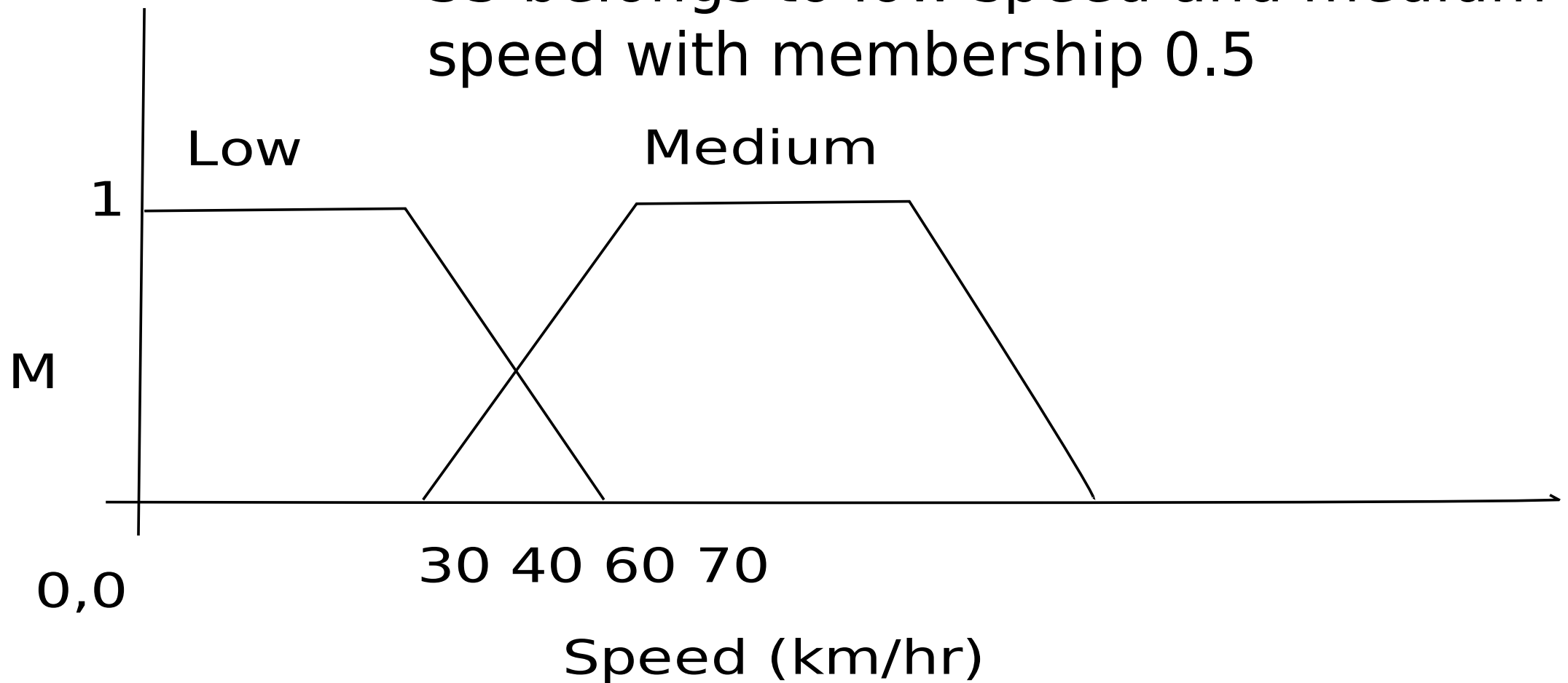
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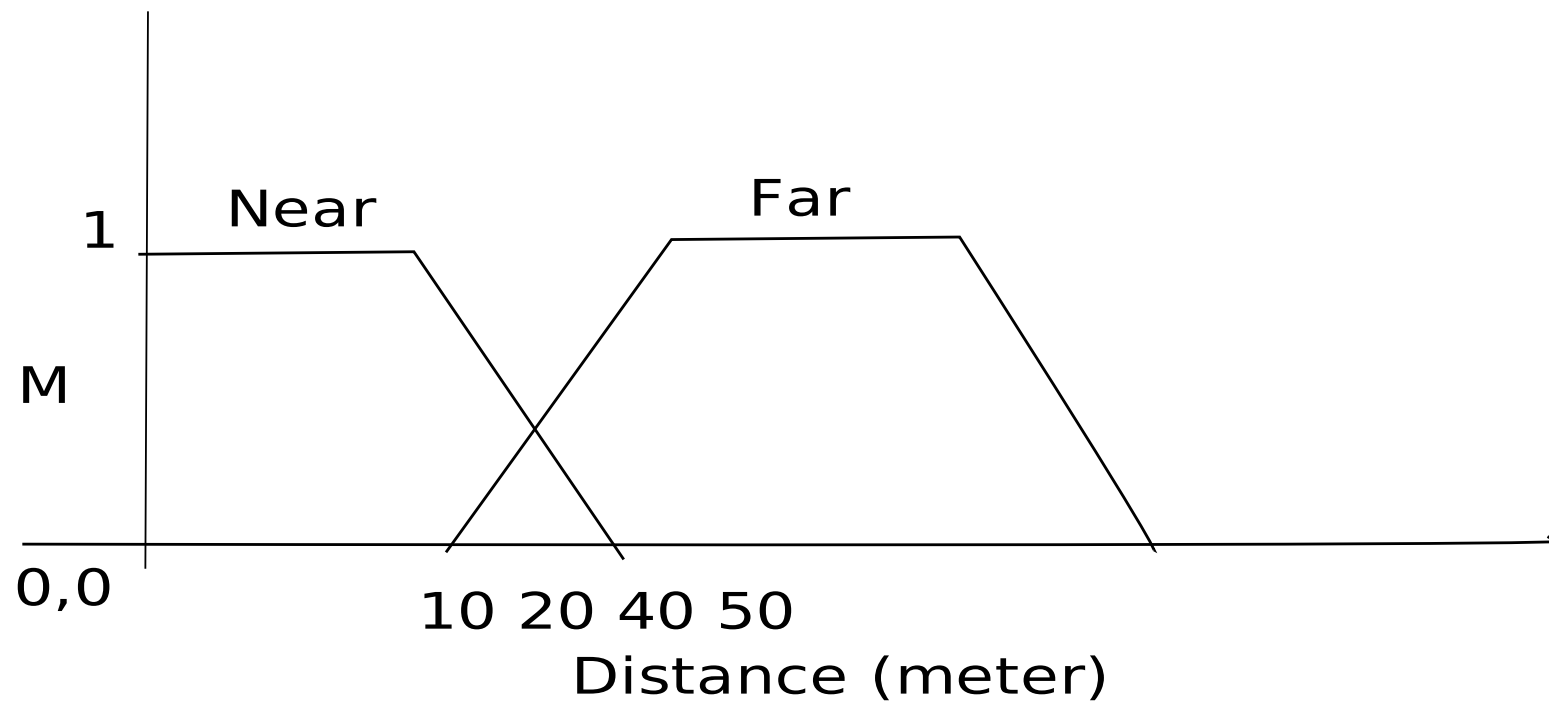
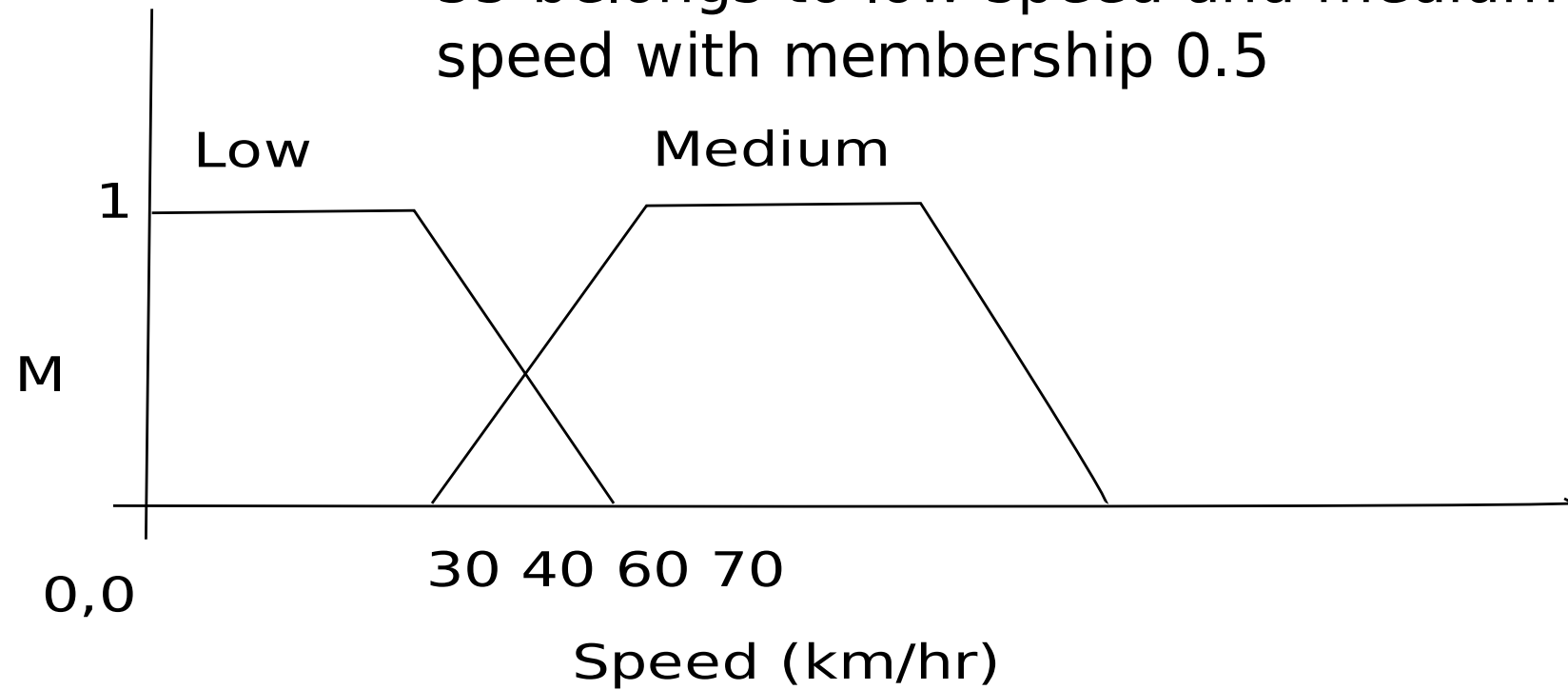
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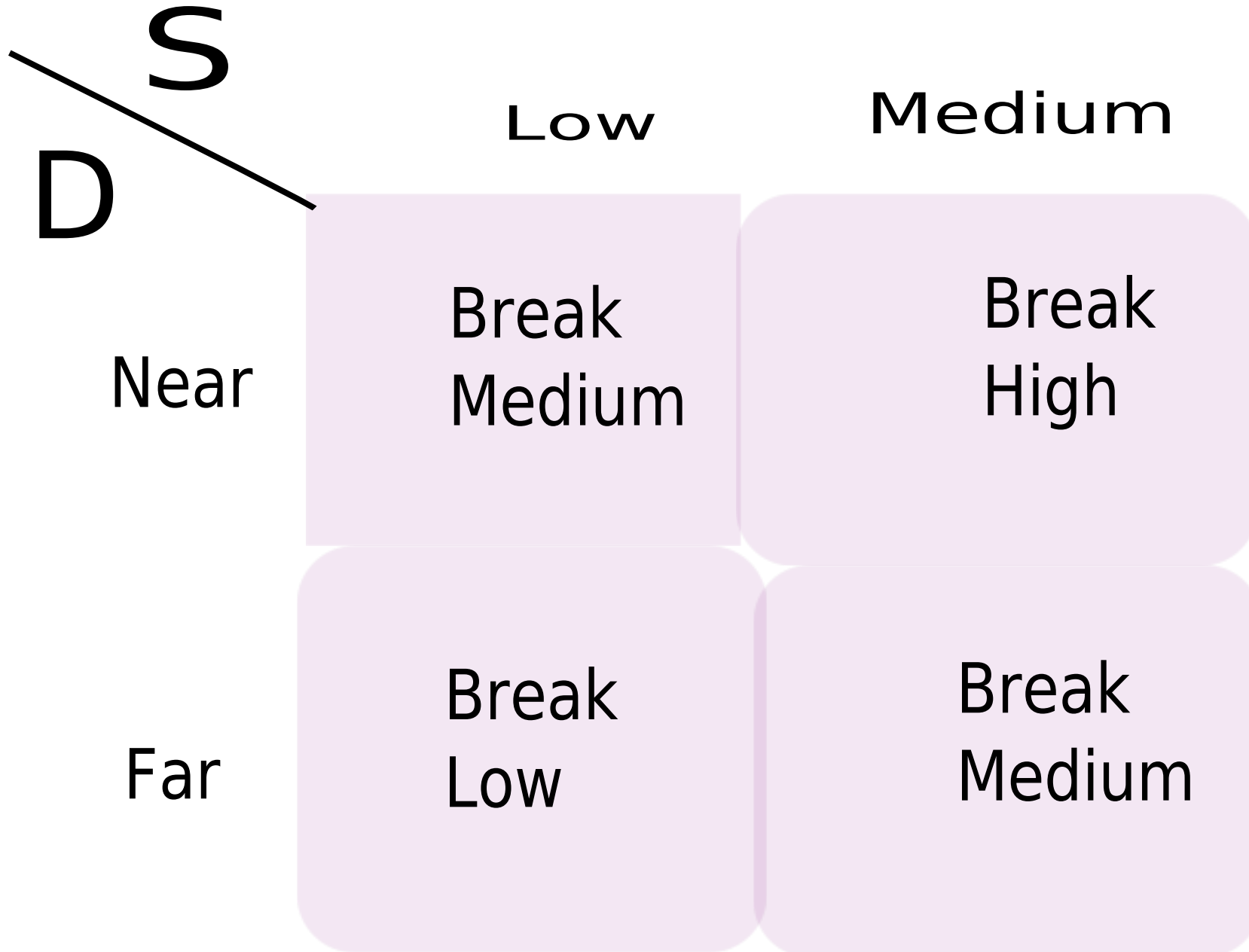
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The diagram illustrates a crossover operation between two parent strings, G2 (101000) and G3 (100110). Two lines cross each other, indicating the exchange of segments. One line starts at the end of G2's red segment (position 5) and ends at the start of G6's red segment (position 1). The other line starts at the end of G3's blue segment (position 6) and ends at the start of G5's blue segment (position 4). This results in the offspring strings G5 (101110) and G6 (100000), where the segments after the crossover point have been swapped.

### 4. Mutation

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# Approximation Neural Network



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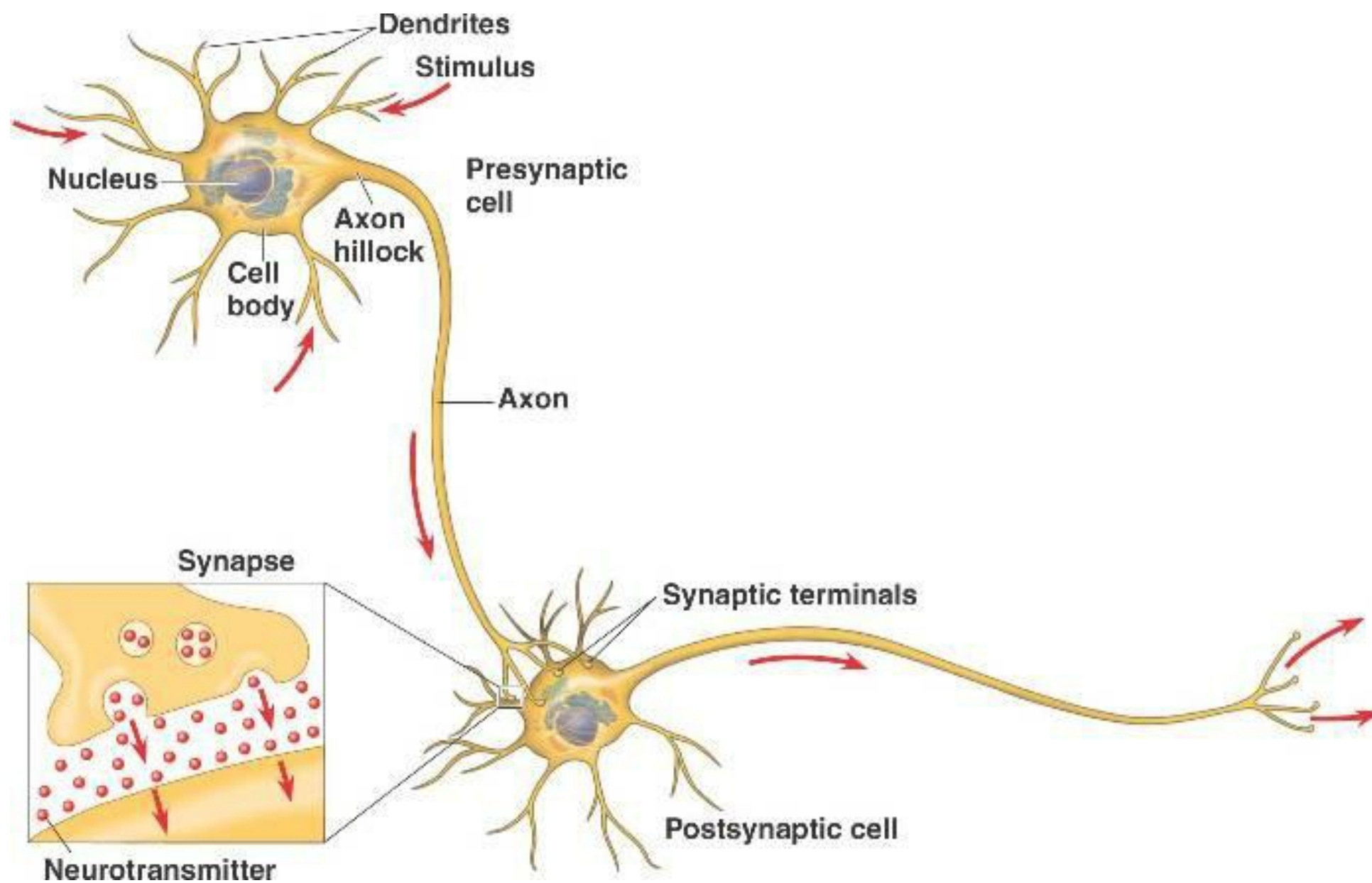
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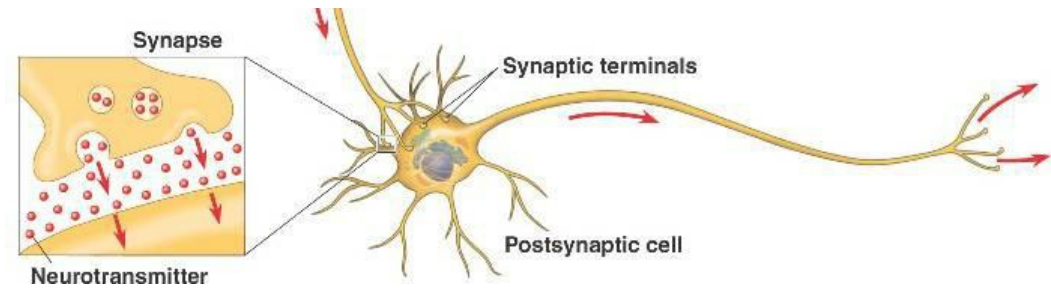
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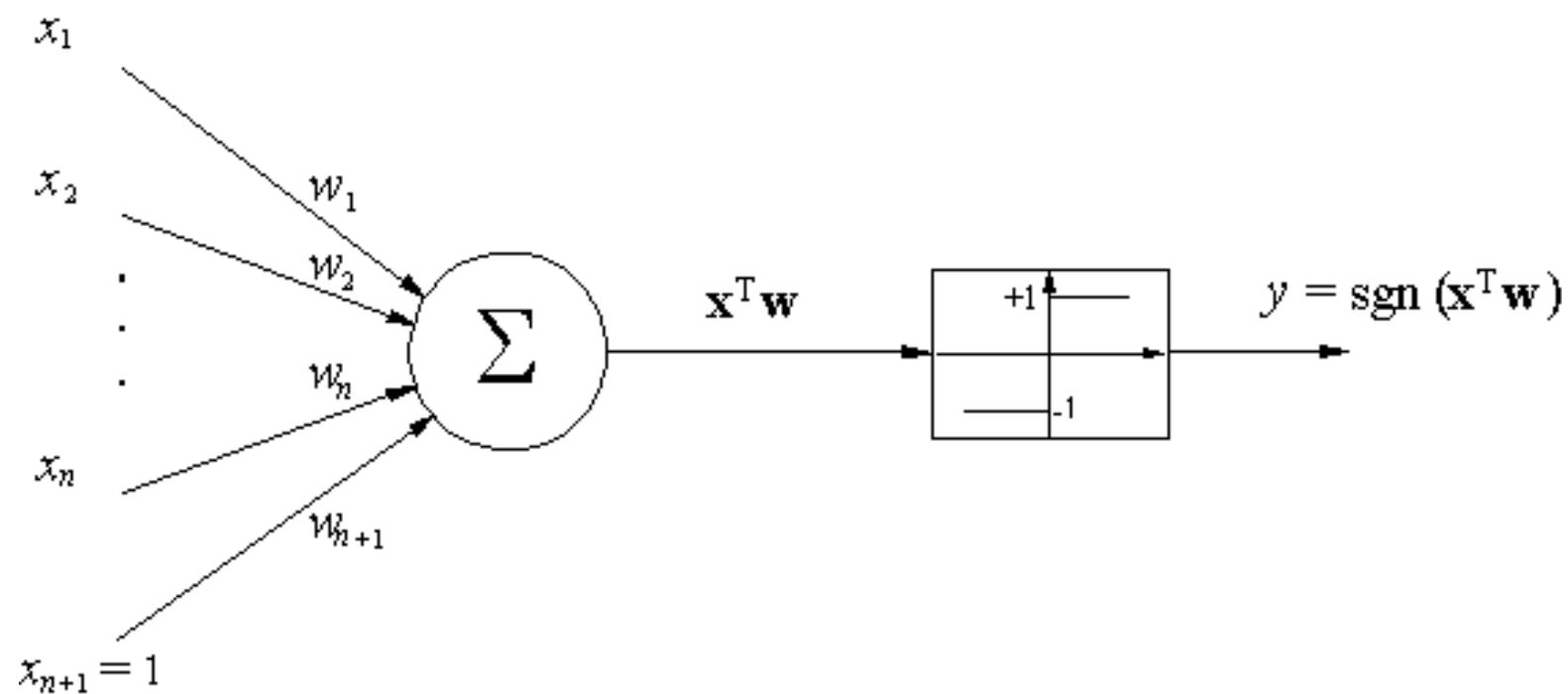
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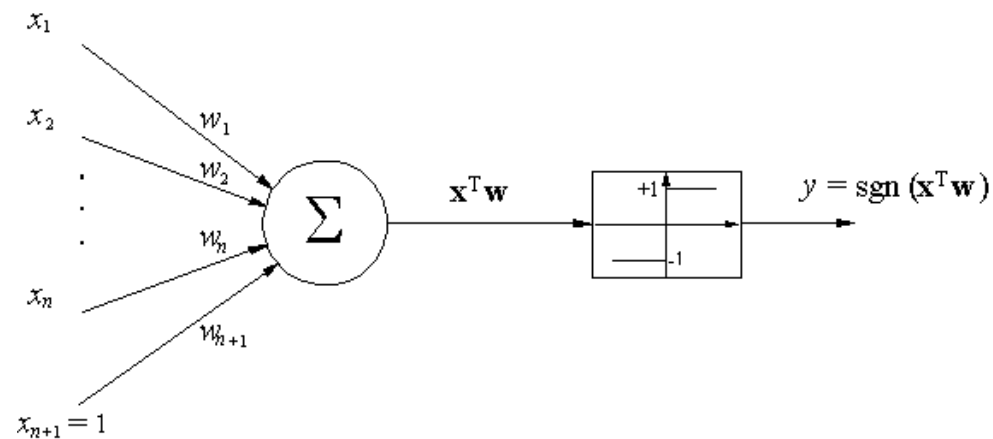
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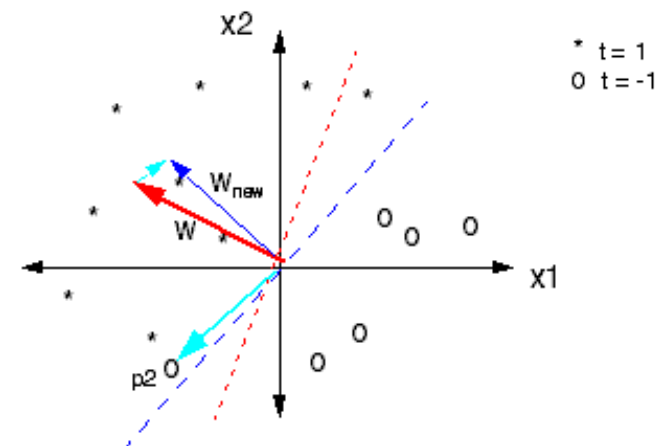
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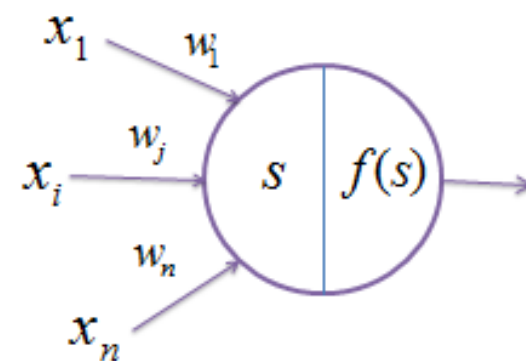
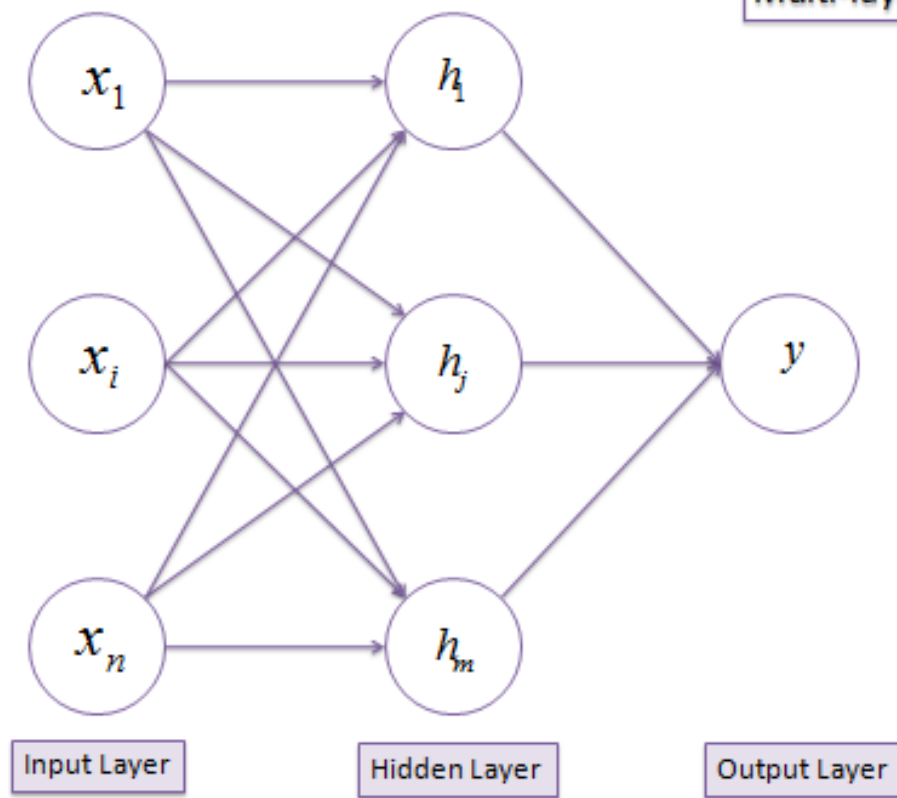
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Multi-layer Perceptron



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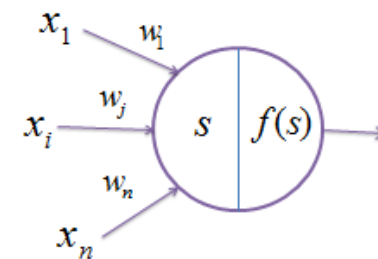
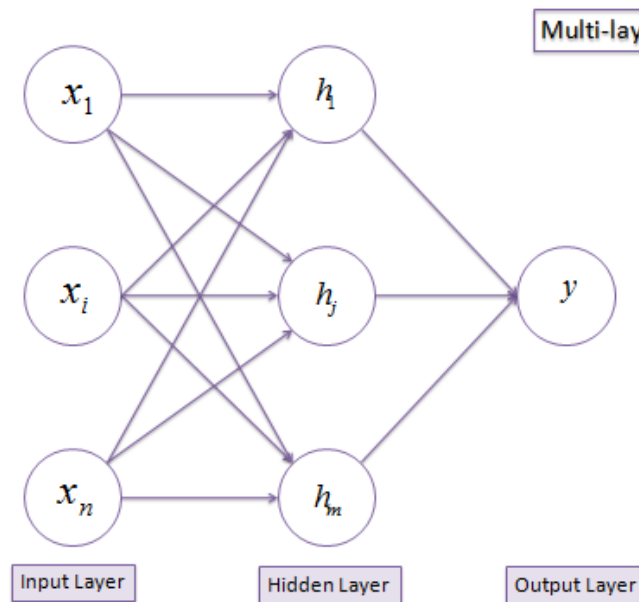
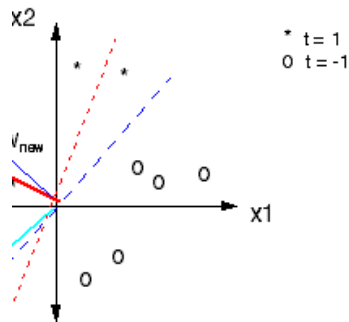
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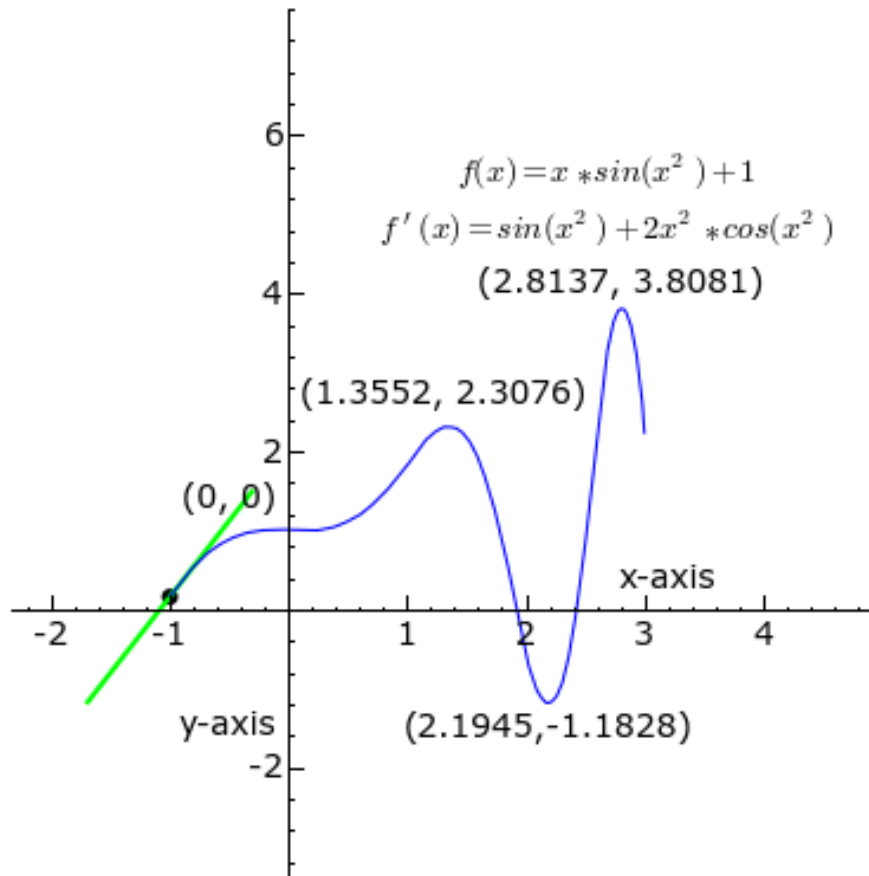
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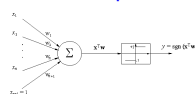
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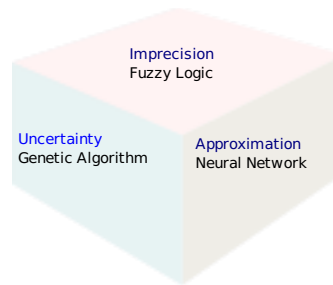
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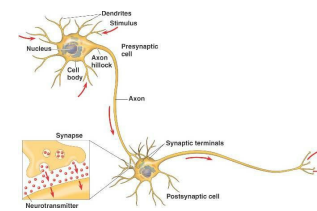
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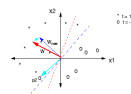
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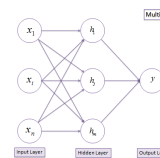


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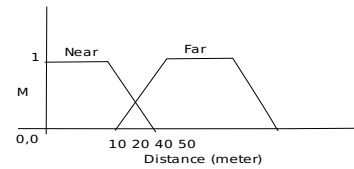
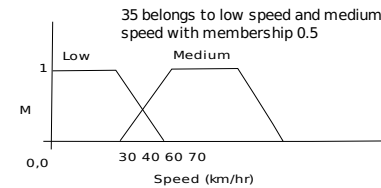
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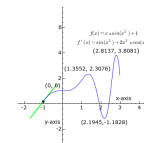
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