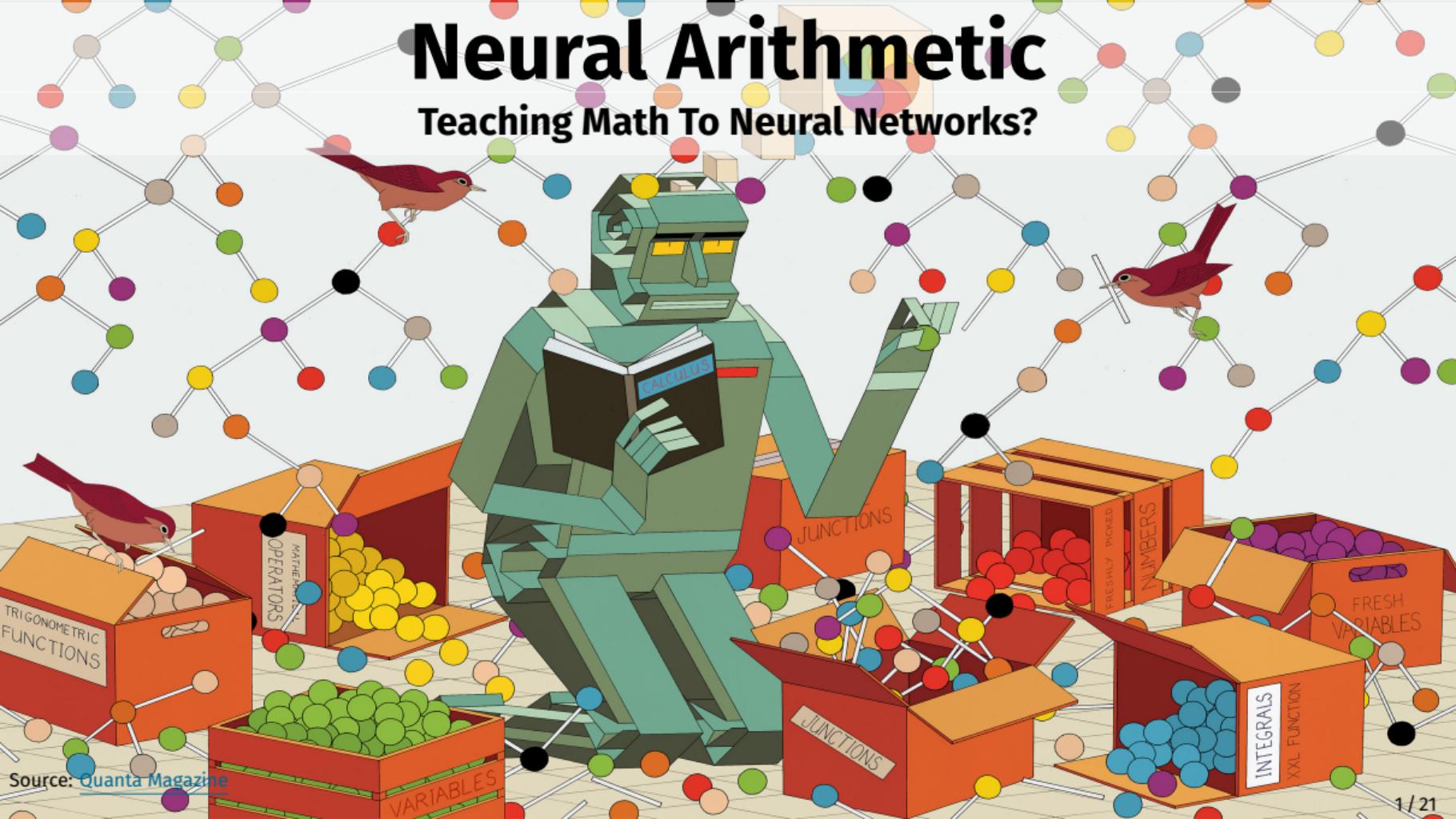


Neural Arithmetic

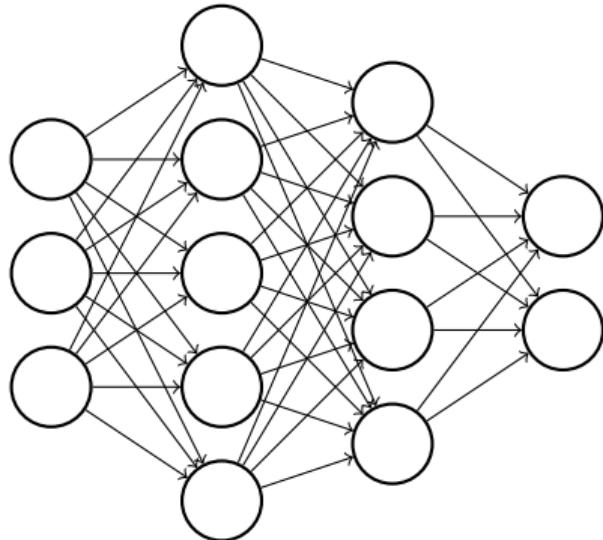
Teaching Math To Neural Networks?



Neural Arithmetic

Extrapolating Beyond The Training Range
& Building **Transparent** Models

Neural Networks

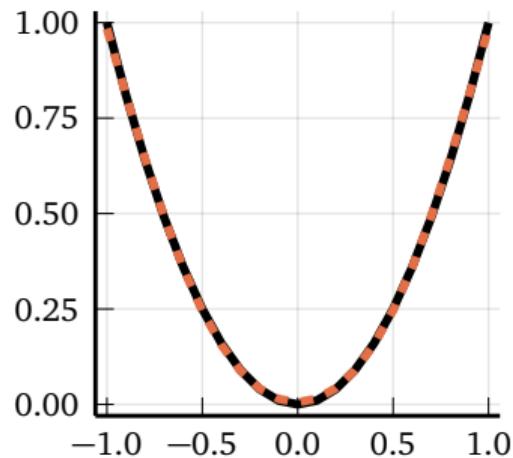


Composed of **Dense** layers:

$$y = \sigma(Wx + b)$$

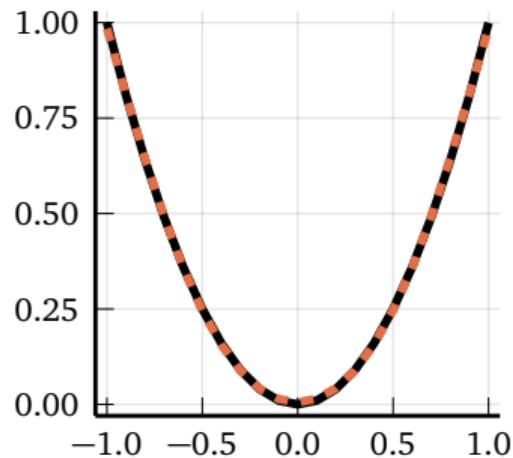
(No convolutions in this talk.)

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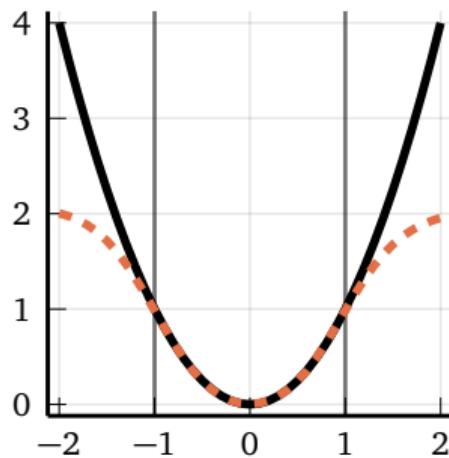


Universal **Approximators**

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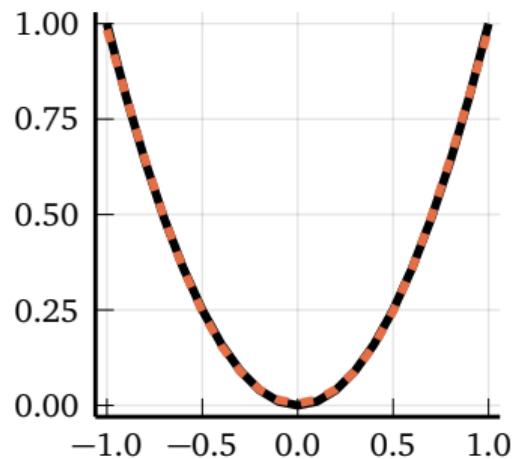


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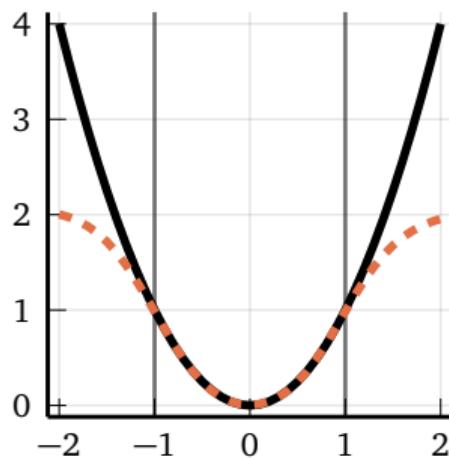


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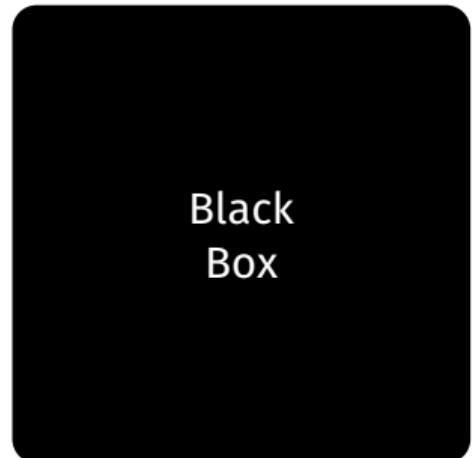
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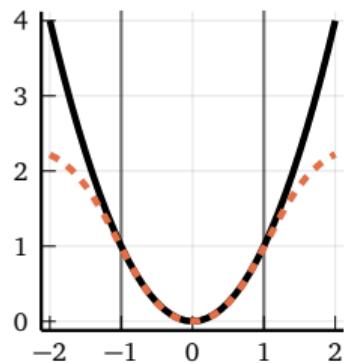
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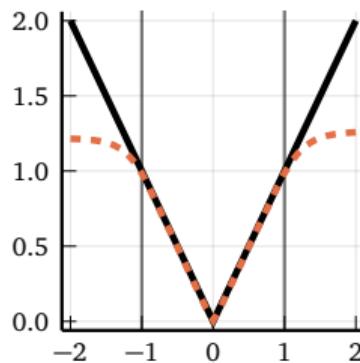
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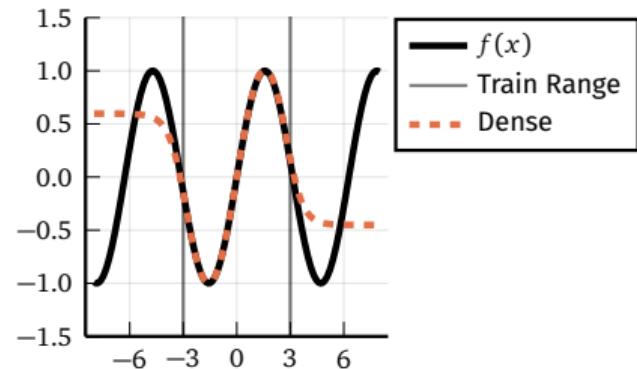
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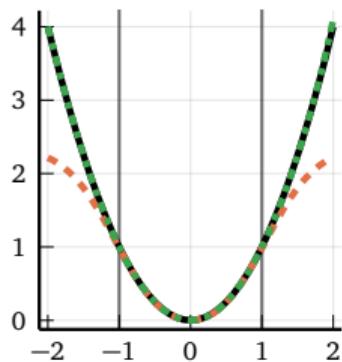


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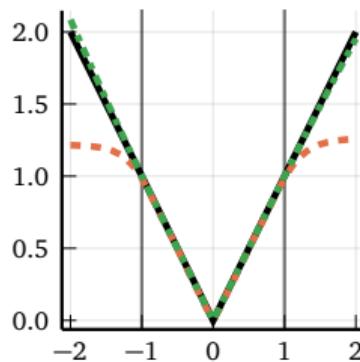


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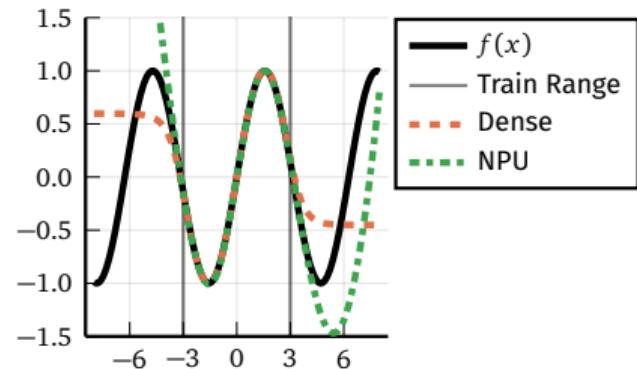
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Inductive Bias

1. Assume **composition** of arithmetic operations.
2. Construct layers with **inductive bias** towards arithmetic operations.

Addition of inputs

$$x^T w = x_1 w_1 + x_2 w_2 + \dots$$

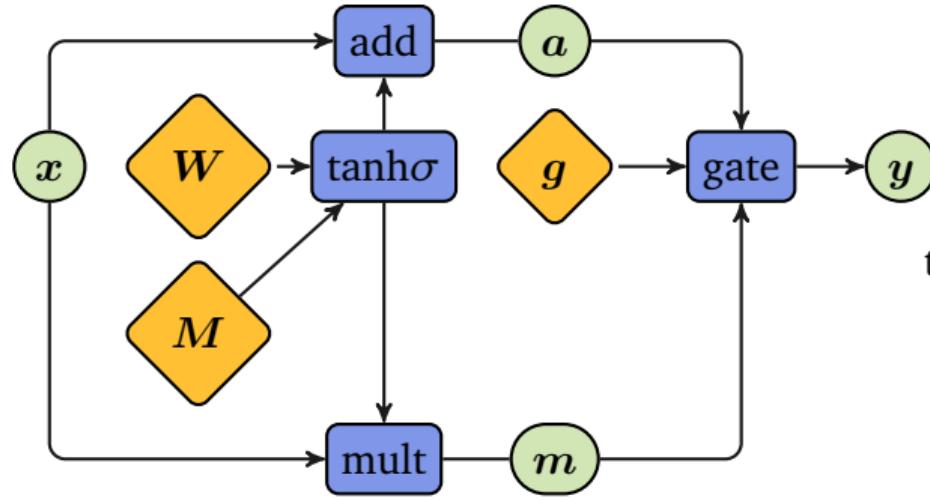
is simple.

Multiplication/power functions

$$\prod_i x_i^{w_i} = \exp(w^T \log x)$$

a bit more tricky due to complex outputs...

Neural Arithmetic Logic Unit (NALU)



$$\text{add}(x, \hat{W}) = \hat{W}x$$

$$\text{mult}(x, \hat{W}) = \exp(\hat{W} \log |x| + \epsilon)$$

$$\text{gate}(a, m, g) = g \odot a + (1 - g) \odot m$$

$$\tanh\sigma(W, M) = \tanh(W) \odot \sigma(M)$$

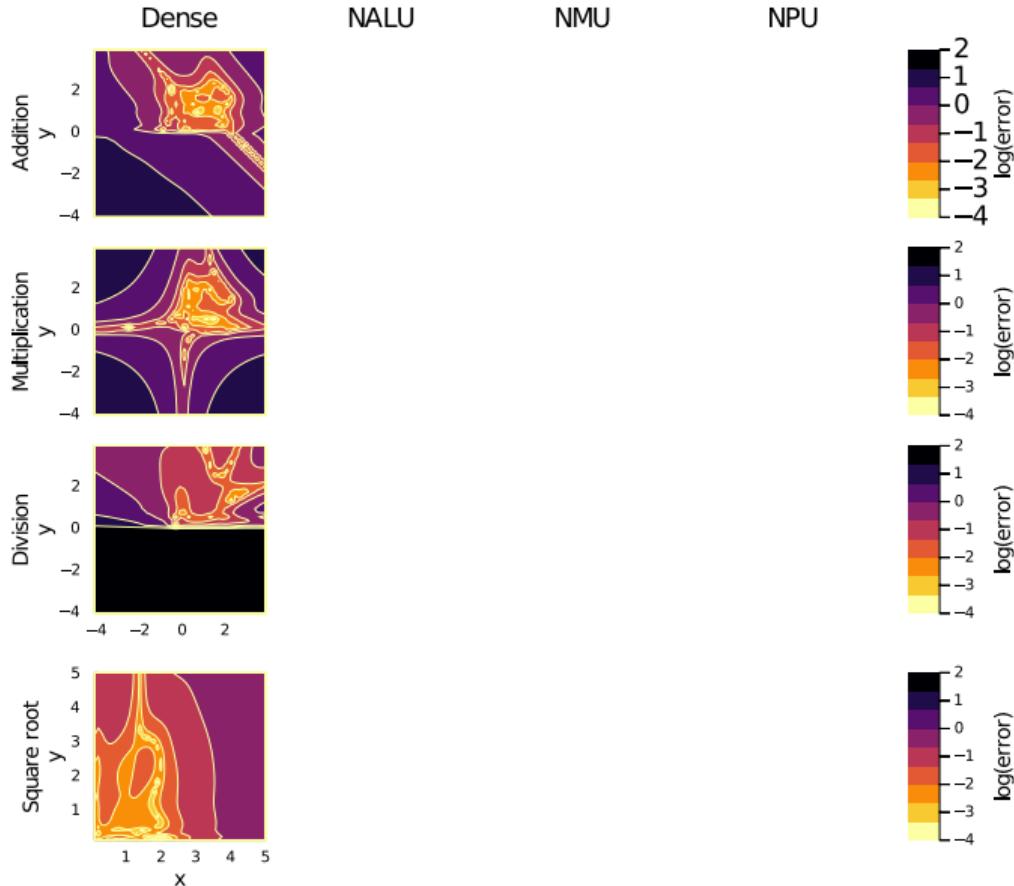
where

$$g = \sigma(Gx)$$

(Neural Arithmetic Logic Units - Trask et al. 2018)

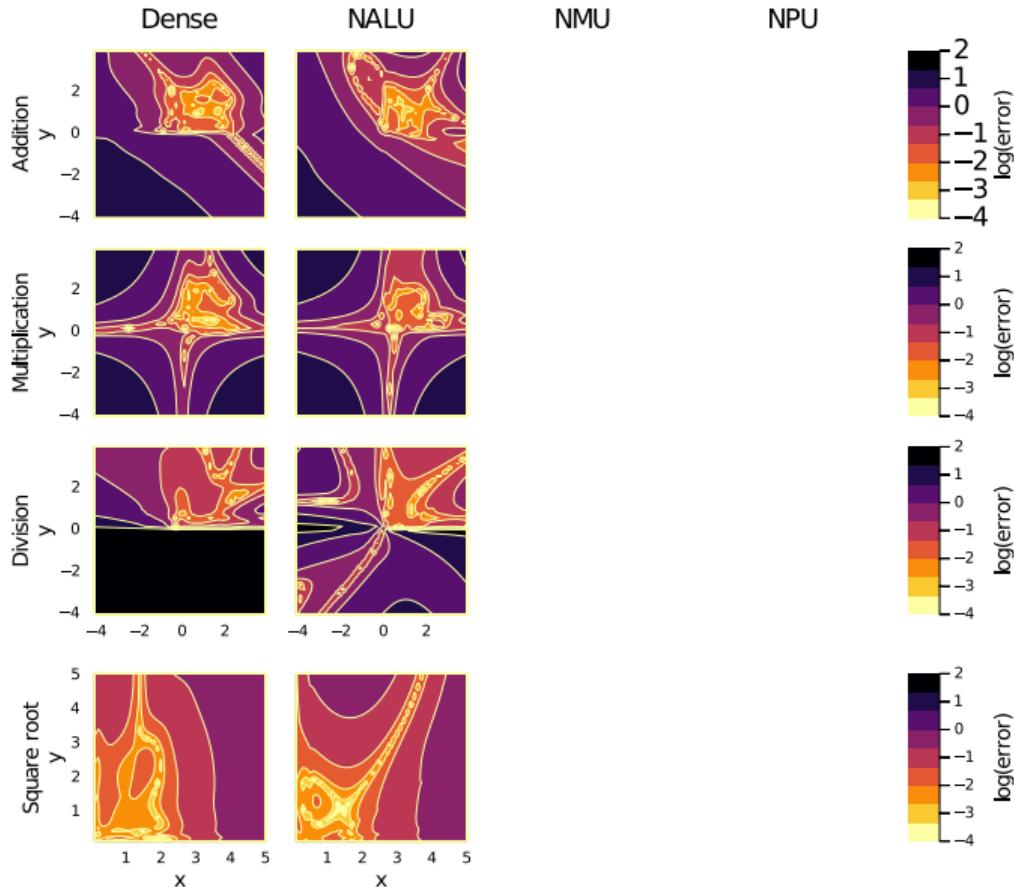
Task: Learn f in one model

$$f(x, y) = (x + y, xy, \frac{x}{y}, \sqrt{y})^T$$

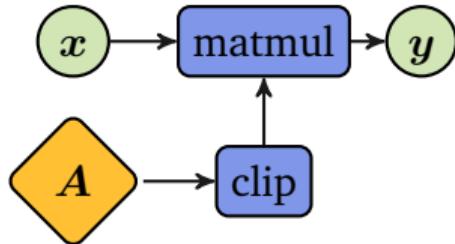


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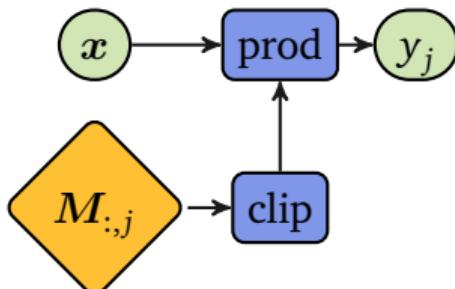
Simpler Arithmetic Units



Neural Addition Unit (NAU)

$$y = \text{clip}(A) \cdot x$$

$$\text{clip}(M) = \min(\max(M, -1), 1)$$



Neural Multiplication Unit (NMU)

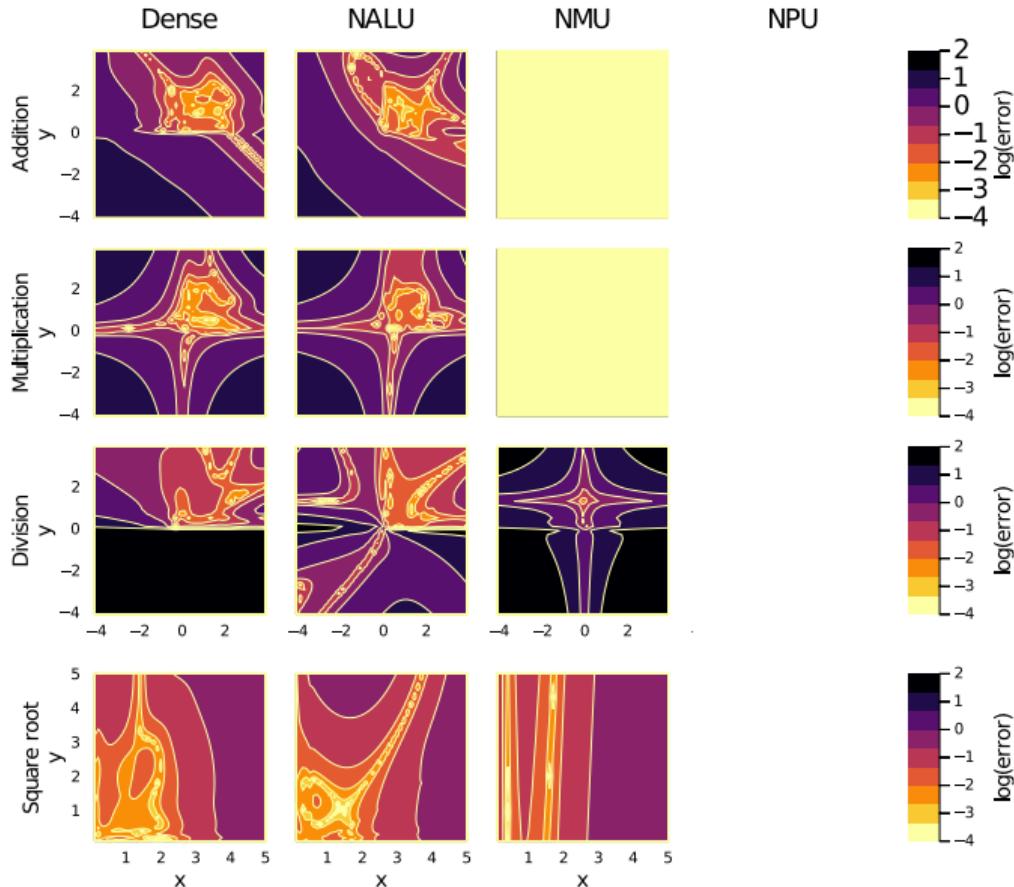
$$\text{prod}(x, \hat{M}_{:,j}) = \prod_i \hat{M}_{ij} x_i - 1 + \hat{M}_{ij}$$

$$\text{clip}(M) = \min(\max(M, 0), 1)$$

(*Neural Arithmetic Units* - Madsen & Johansen 2020)

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Complex space

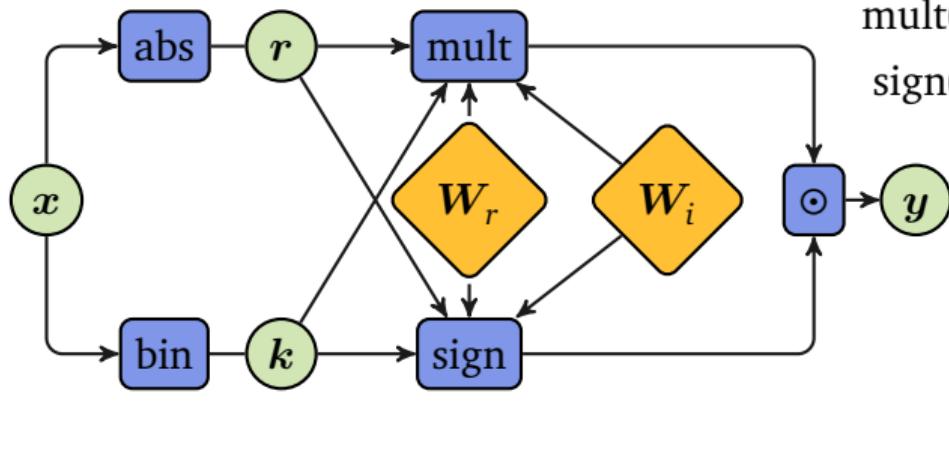
We extend NALU by isolating its multiplication path

$$m = \exp(W \log |x|)$$

and lifting it into complex space ($\log_{\mathbb{C}}$ is the complex logarithm)

$$z = \text{real}(\exp(W_{\mathbb{C}} \log_{\mathbb{C}} x)) = \text{real}(\exp((W_r + iW_i) \log_{\mathbb{C}} x)).$$

Naive Neural Power Unit



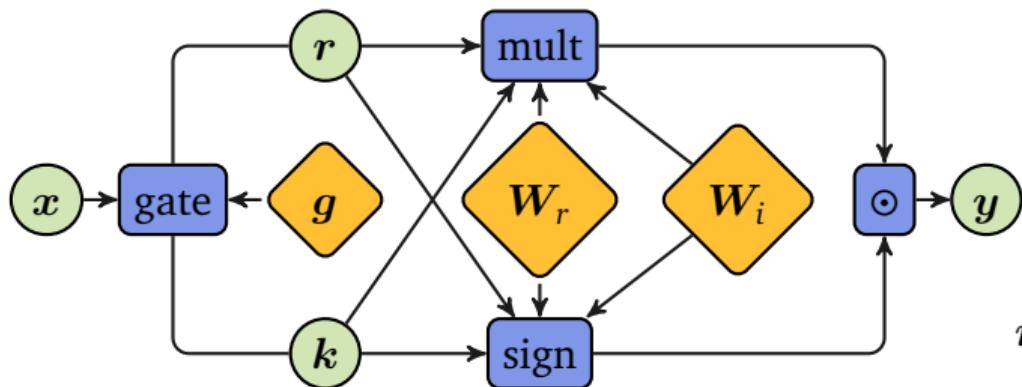
$$\text{mult}(r, k, W_r, W_i) = \exp(W_r \log r - \pi W_i k)$$

$$\text{sign}(r, k, W_r, W_i) = \cos(W_i \log r + \pi W_r k)$$

$$\text{abs}(x) = r = |x| + \epsilon$$

$$\text{bin}(x_i) = k_i = \begin{cases} 0 & x_i \geq 0 \\ 1 & x_i < 0 \end{cases}$$

Neural Power Unit



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where

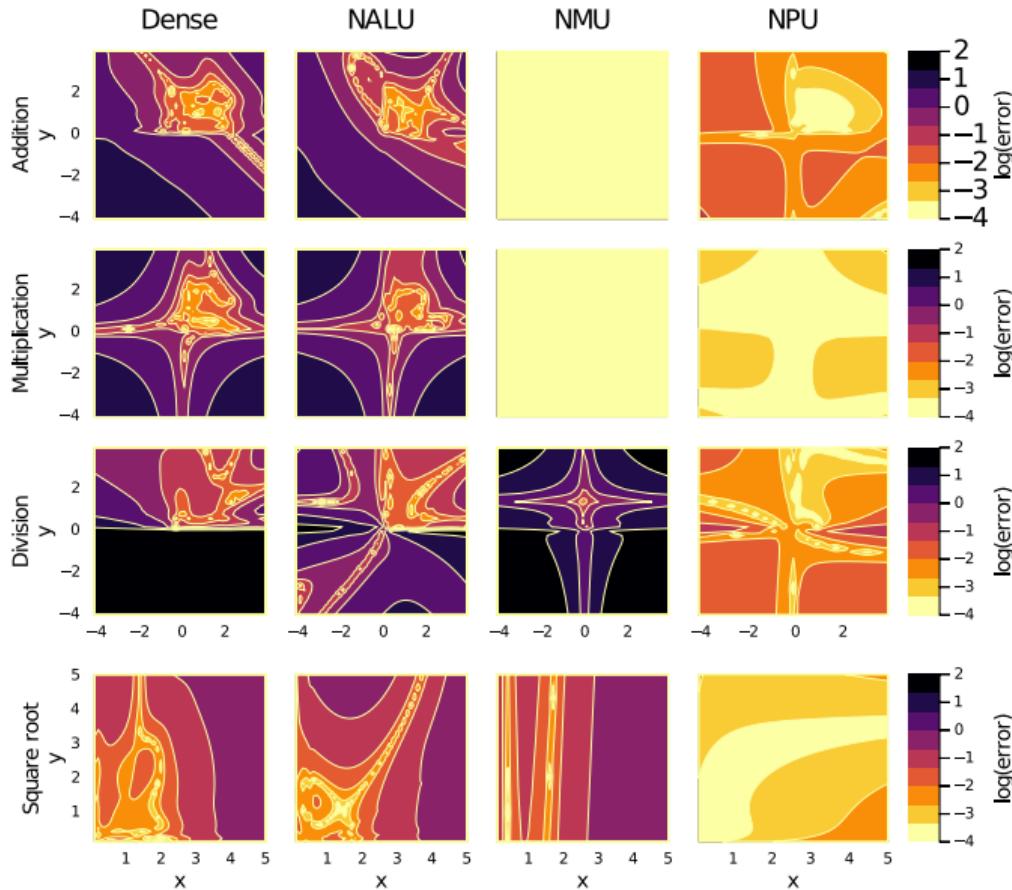
$$r = \hat{g} \odot (|x| + \epsilon) + (1 - \hat{g}),$$

$$k_i = \begin{cases} 0 & x_i \geq 0 \\ \hat{g}_i & x_i < 0 \end{cases},$$

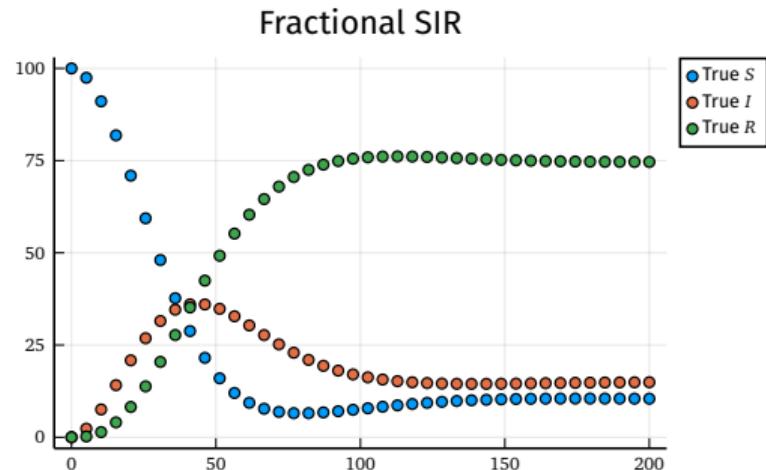
$$\hat{g} = \min(\max(g, 0), 1),$$

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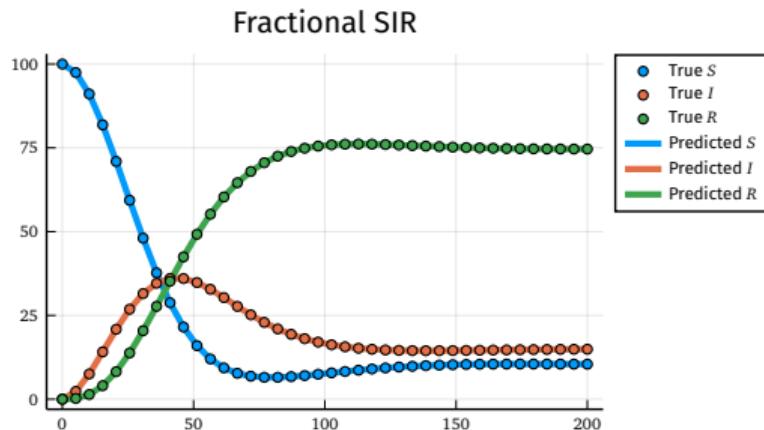
Fractional SIR



Differential Equation:

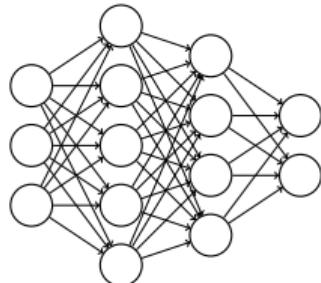
$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{S} \\ \dot{I} \\ \dot{R} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\beta & 0 & \eta \\ \beta & -\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha & -\eta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I^\gamma S^\kappa \\ I \\ R \end{bmatrix}$$

Black Box Models



Differential Equation:

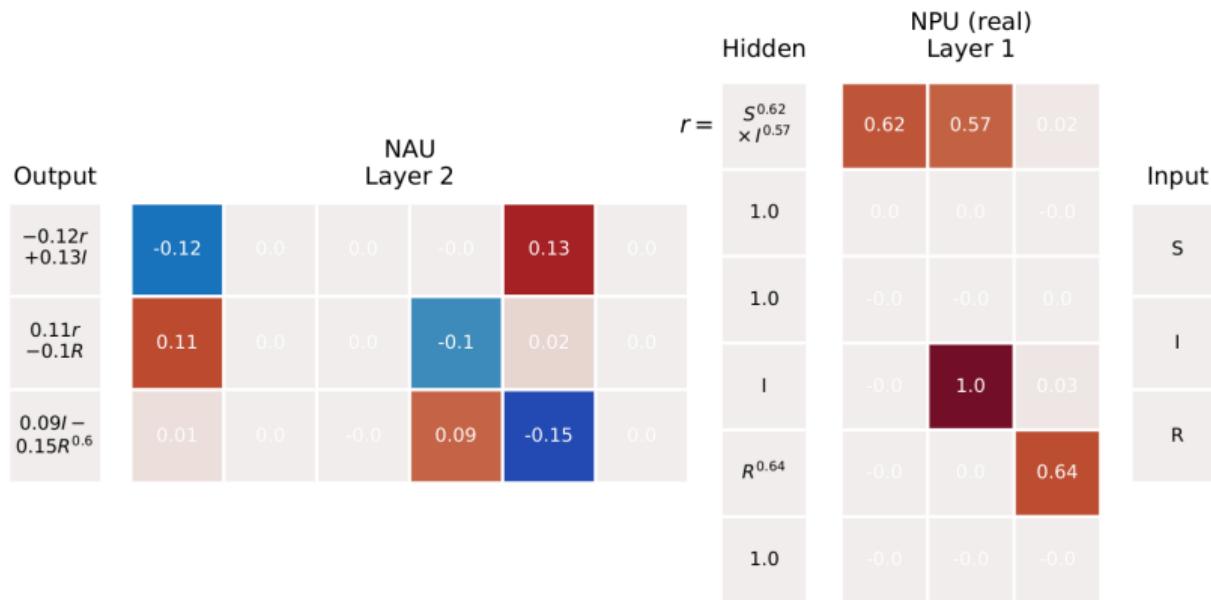
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Neural Differential Equation:

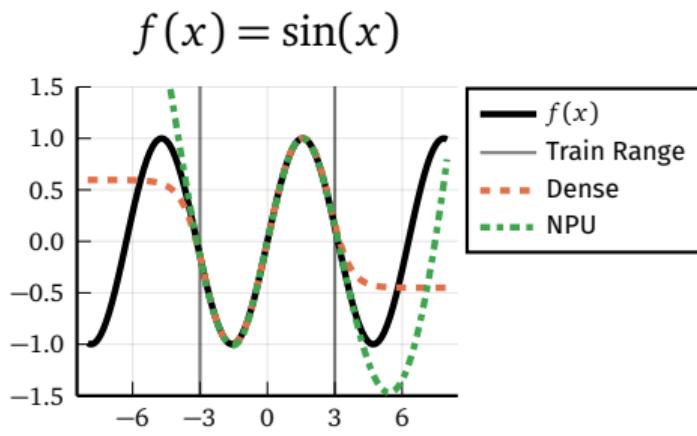
$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{S} \\ \dot{I} \\ \dot{R} \end{bmatrix} = \text{NeuralODE} \left(\begin{bmatrix} S \\ I \\ R \end{bmatrix}, \theta \right)$$

Fractional SIR

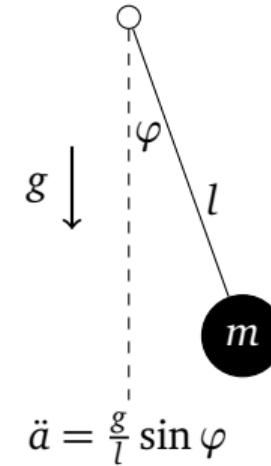


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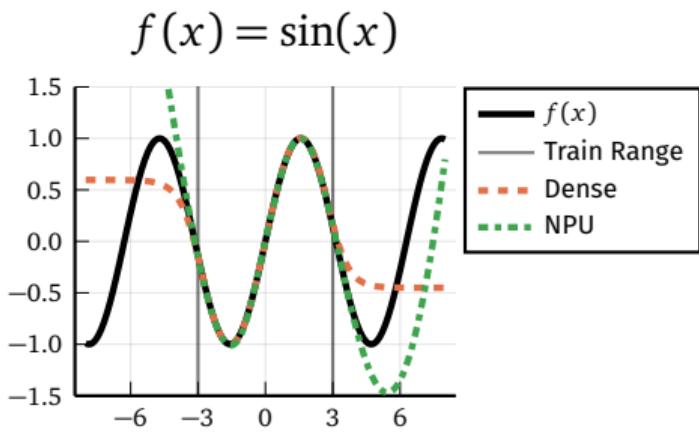


Trigonometric functions

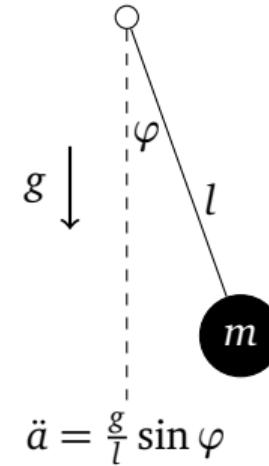


Some serious equation discovery

Future Work



Trigonometric functions



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