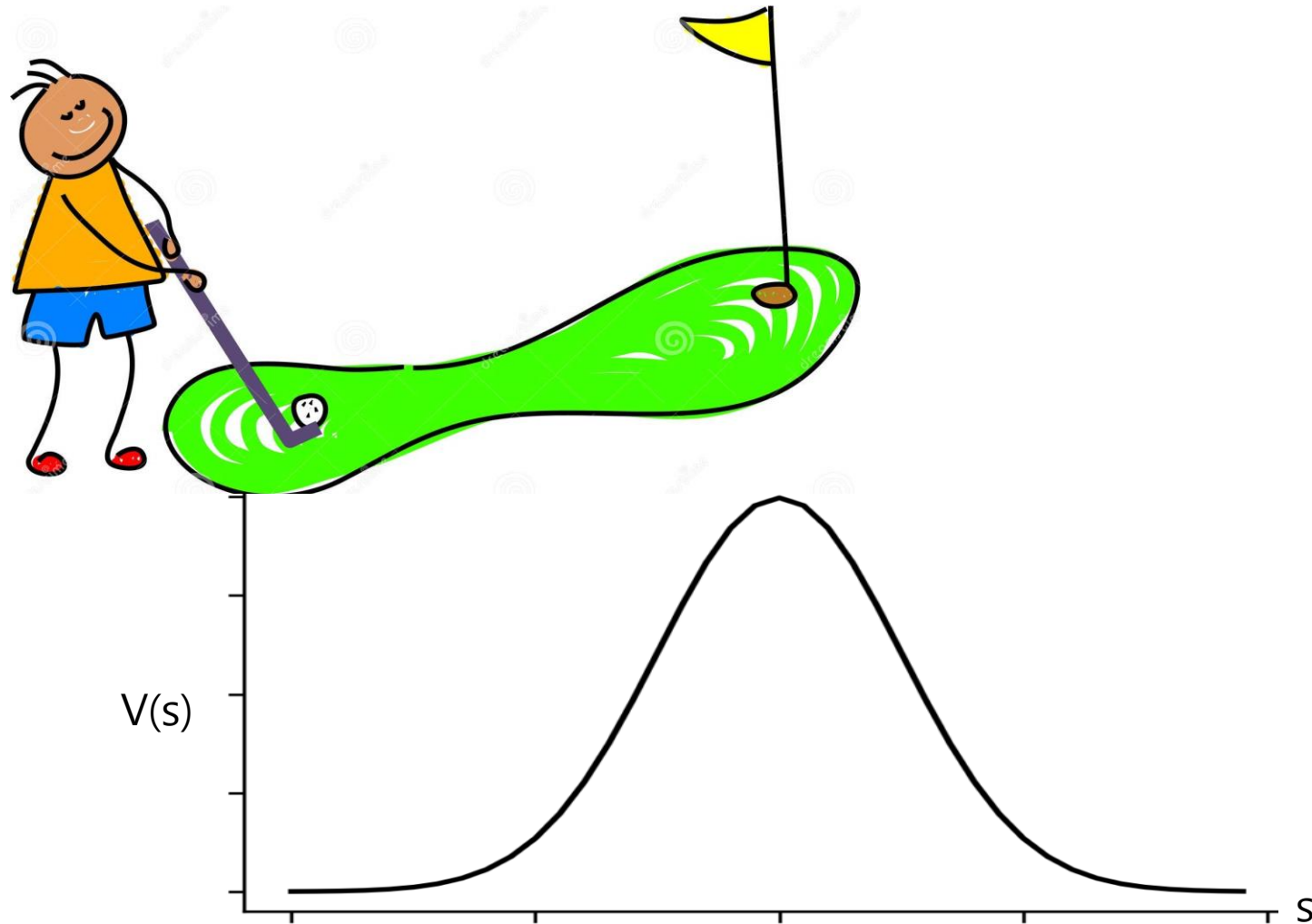


6.강 Deep Learning

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- Neural Network
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Continuous state spaces



Continuous state spaces

Algorithm 1 SARSA

```
1: Input:  $\alpha$  learning rate,  $\epsilon$  random action probability,  $\gamma$  discount factor
2:  $\pi \leftarrow \epsilon$ -greedy policy w.r.t  $Q(s, a)$ 
3: Initialize  $Q(s, a)$  arbitrarily, with  $Q(\text{terminal}, \cdot) = 0$ 
4: for episode  $\in 1..N$  do
5:   Reset the environment and observe  $S_0$ 
6:    $A_0 \sim \pi(S_0)$ 
7:   for  $t \in 0..T - 1$  do
8:     Execute  $A_t$  in the environment and observe  $S_{t+1}, R_{t+1}$ 
9:      $A_{t+1} \sim \pi(S_{t+1})$ 
10:     $Q(S_t, A_t) \leftarrow Q(S_t, A_t) + \alpha [R_{t+1} + \gamma Q(S_{t+1}, A_{t+1}) - Q(S_t, A_t)]$ 
11:  end for
12: end for
13: Output: Near optimal policy  $\pi$  and action values  $Q(s, a)$ 
```

Tabular
methods

An entry $Q(s, a)$
per state

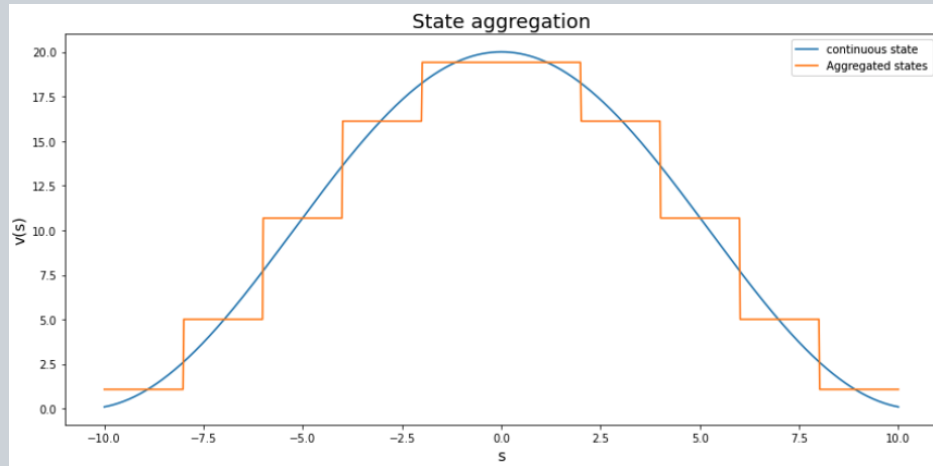
Infinite states:
[-10,10]

We would need
infinite
memory

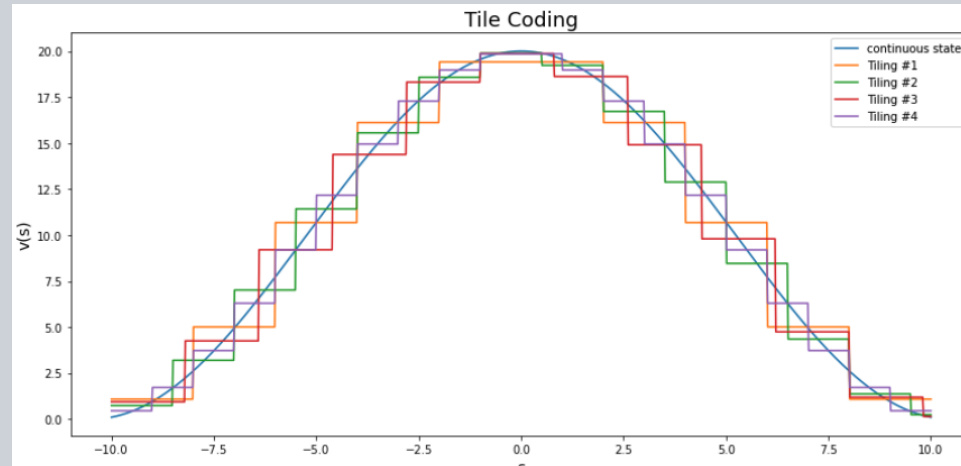
Continuous state spaces

- The solution is, either transform the states to convert the continuous state space into a discrete state space, or use other algorithms

State aggregation



Tile coding



Continuous state spaces

```
class StateAggregationEnv(gym.ObservationWrapper):

    def __init__(self, env, bins, low, high):
        # low = [-1.2, -0.07], high = [0.6, 0.07], bias = [20, 20]
        super().__init__(env)
        self.buckets = [np.linspace(j,k, l-1) for j,k,l in zip(low, high, bins)]
        # [w0, w0] --> 400
        self.observation_space = gym.spaces.MultiDiscrete(nvec=bins.tolist())

    def observation(self, obs):
        # [-1.2, 0.] -> [4, 3]
        indices = tuple(np.digitize(i, b) for i,b in zip(obs, self.buckets))
        return indices
```

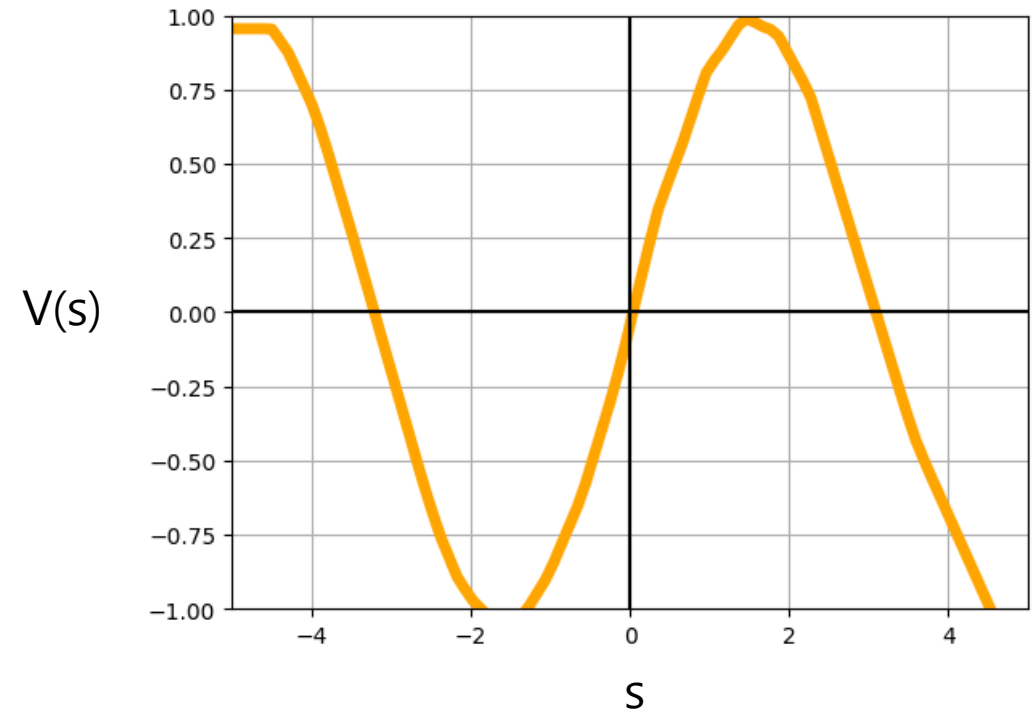
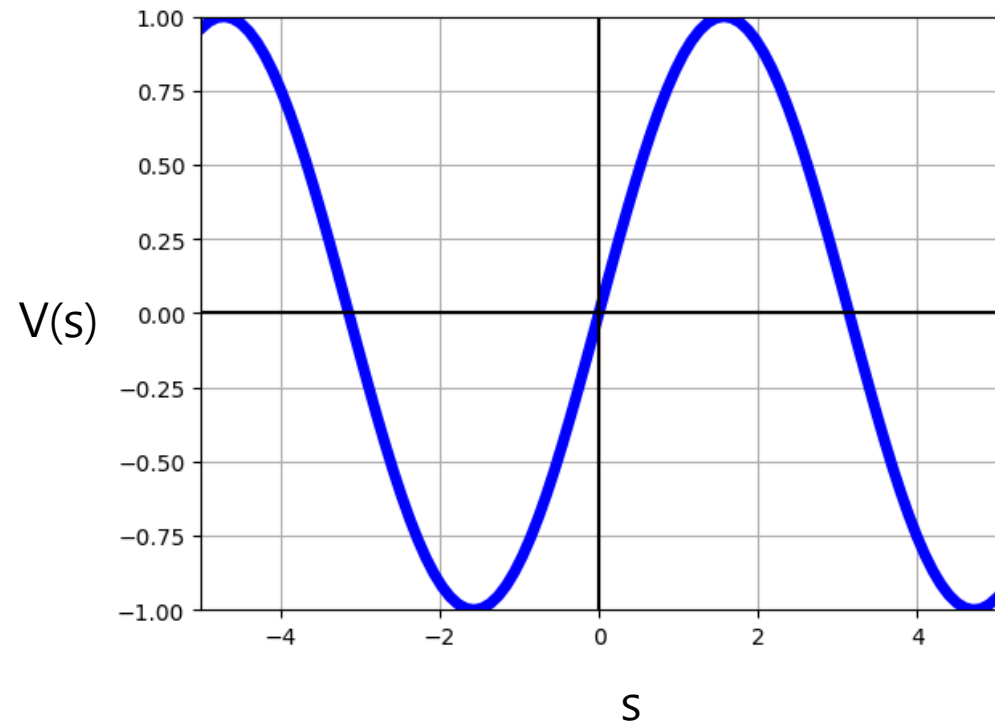
```
bins = np.array([20, 20])
low = env.observation_space.low
high = env.observation_space.high
saenv = StateAggregationEnv(env, bins=bins, low=low, high=high)
```

Disadvantages of transforming

- The problem is, transforming the states to convert the continuous state space into a discrete state space has limited precision and complexity of $O(n^k)$

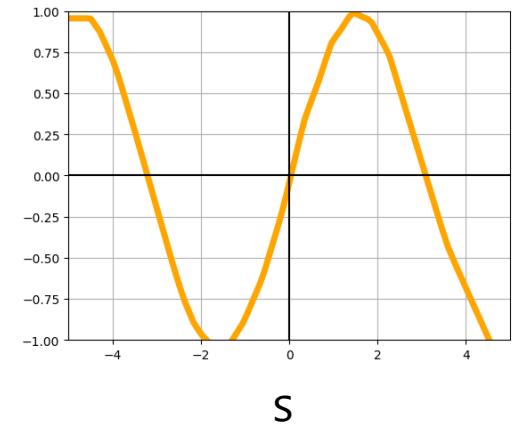
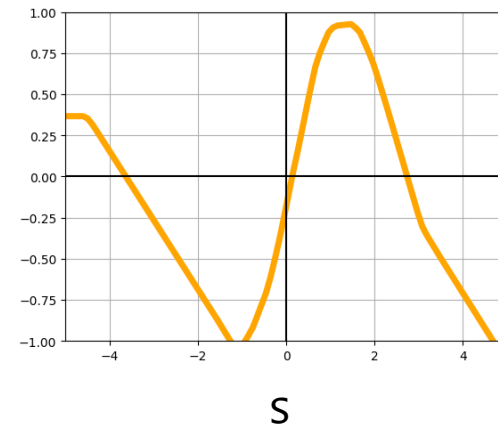
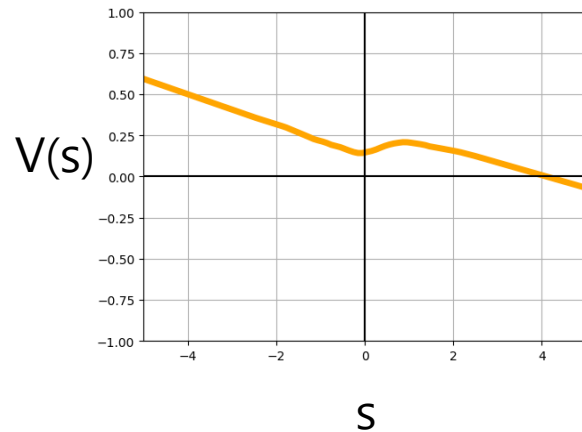
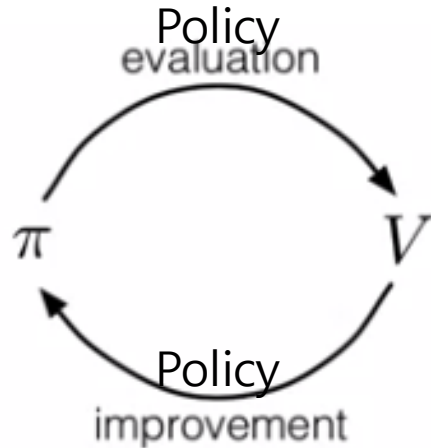
Neural Network

Function approximators



Function approximators

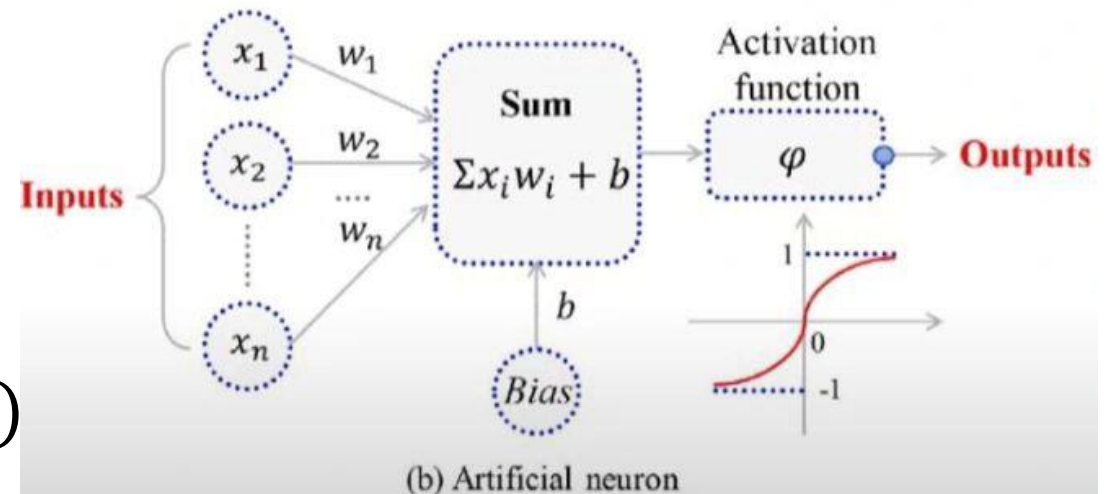
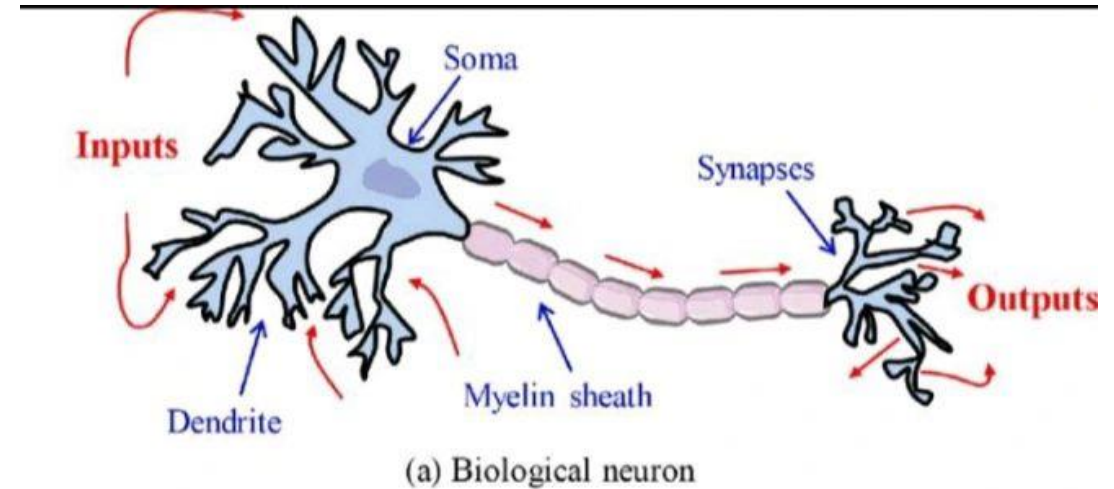
- How do we observe the value function?
 - The agent learns based on experience.
 - The functions $v^*(s)$ and $q^*(s, a)$ are not known in advance



$$f_1(s|w) \rightarrow f_2(s|w) \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow f_n(s|w) \approx v^*(s)$$

Neural Networks

- Computing system inspired by the biological neural networks that constitute our brain
- They server multiple purposes, including function approximation: $\hat{y} = f(x|w)$
- Mathematical function typically consisting of a weighted sum of inputs and a activation/transfer function
Output = $\varphi(\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i + b)$

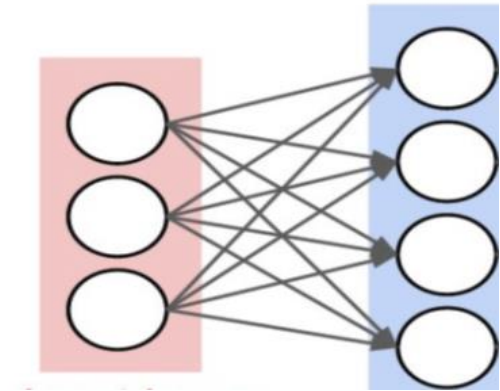


Neural networks

- Input vector $x = [x_1, x_2, x_3]$

- Connection matrix:

$$W1 = \begin{bmatrix} w_{11} & w_{12} & w_{13} & w_{14} \\ w_{21} & w_{22} & w_{23} & w_{24} \\ w_{31} & w_{32} & w_{33} & w_{34} \end{bmatrix}$$



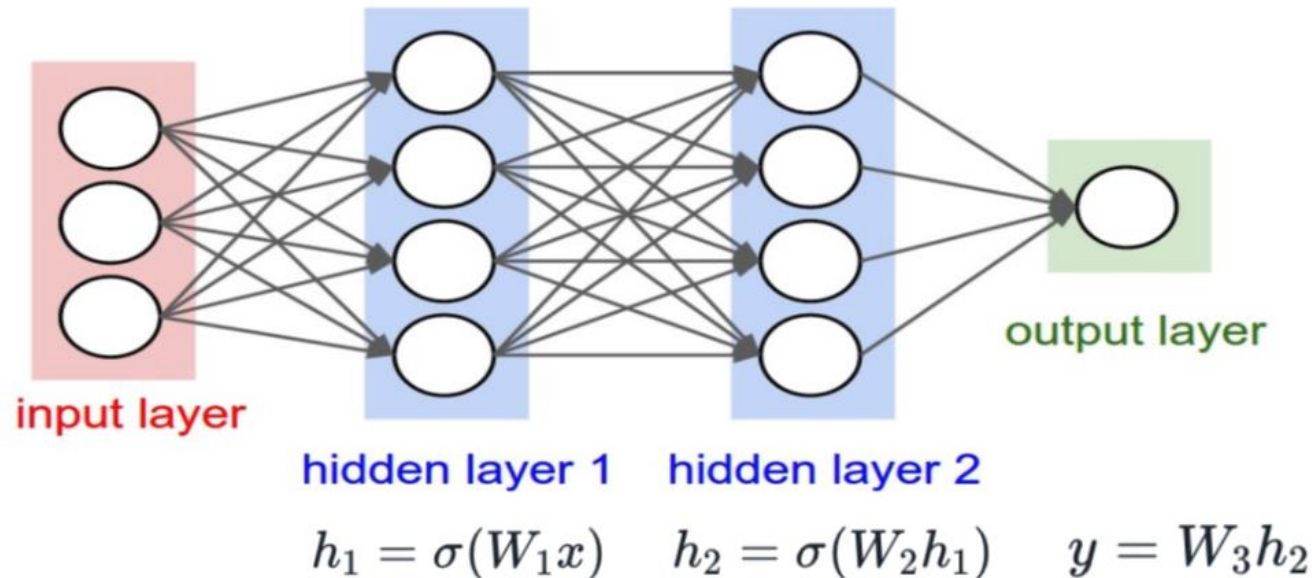
By changing its parameters $W1$, we can modify it to approximate the function we are interested in

- Output vector:

$$H = [\varphi(\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i + b), \dots, \varphi(\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i + b)]$$

Neural Networks

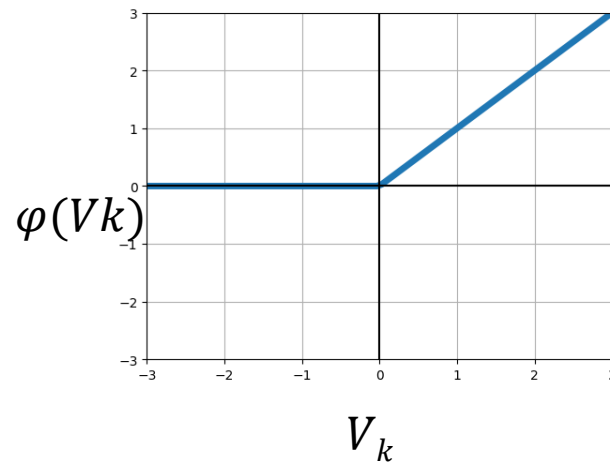
- Networks that do not have cycles are known as feedforward NN. Signals always propagate forward
- The neuron receives inputs, process & aggregate those inputs, and either inhibits or amplifies before passing the signal to the next layer



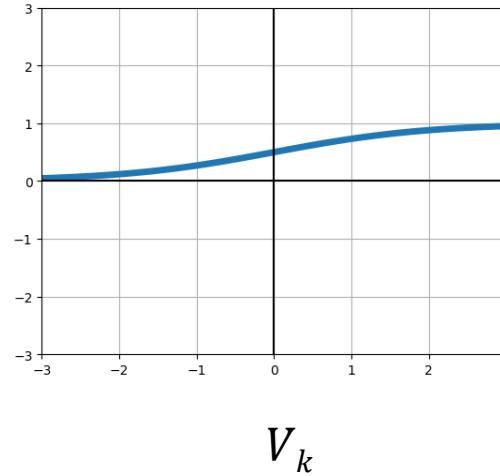
Neural networks

- Activation functions

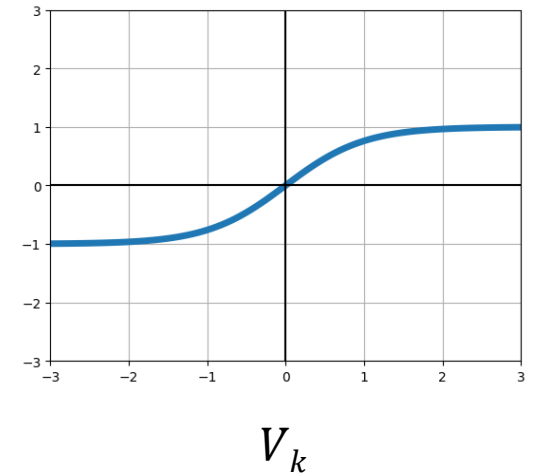
Relu()



Sigmoid()

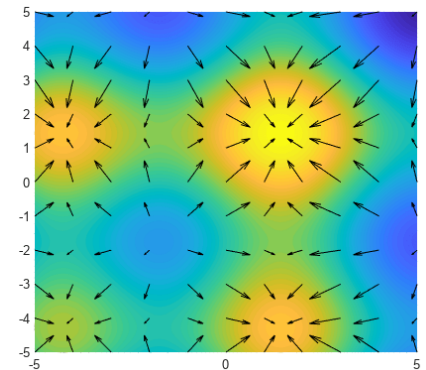
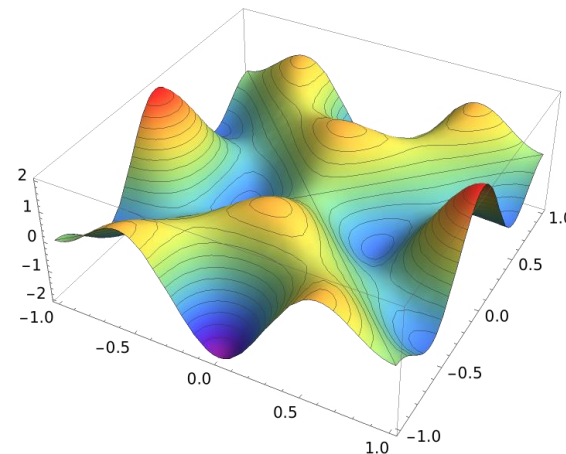
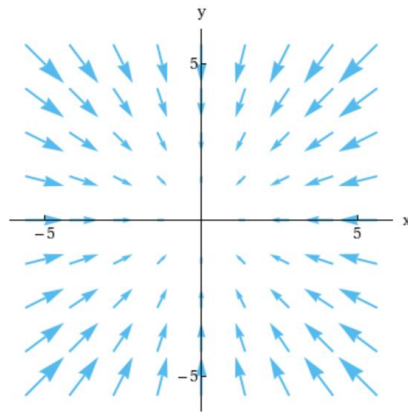
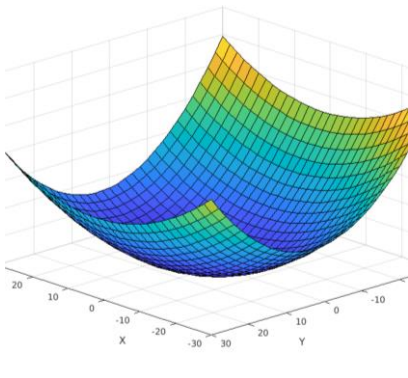


Tanh()



Gradient Descent

- Given some loss function: $L(\vec{x}, \vec{y}) = \|2\vec{x} + 2\vec{y}\|$
- Update rules for the parameters: $w_{t+1} = w_t - \alpha \nabla \hat{L}(w)$
- Gradient vector: $\nabla \hat{L}(w) = [\frac{\partial L}{\partial w_1}, \frac{\partial L}{\partial w_2}, \dots, \frac{\partial L}{\partial w_n}]$
- Computed using the backpropagation algorithm
- $\nabla \hat{L}(w)$ points to the direction of maximum growth of $\nabla \hat{L}(w)$
- α is the size of the step we take in the opposite direction to $\nabla \hat{L}(w)$



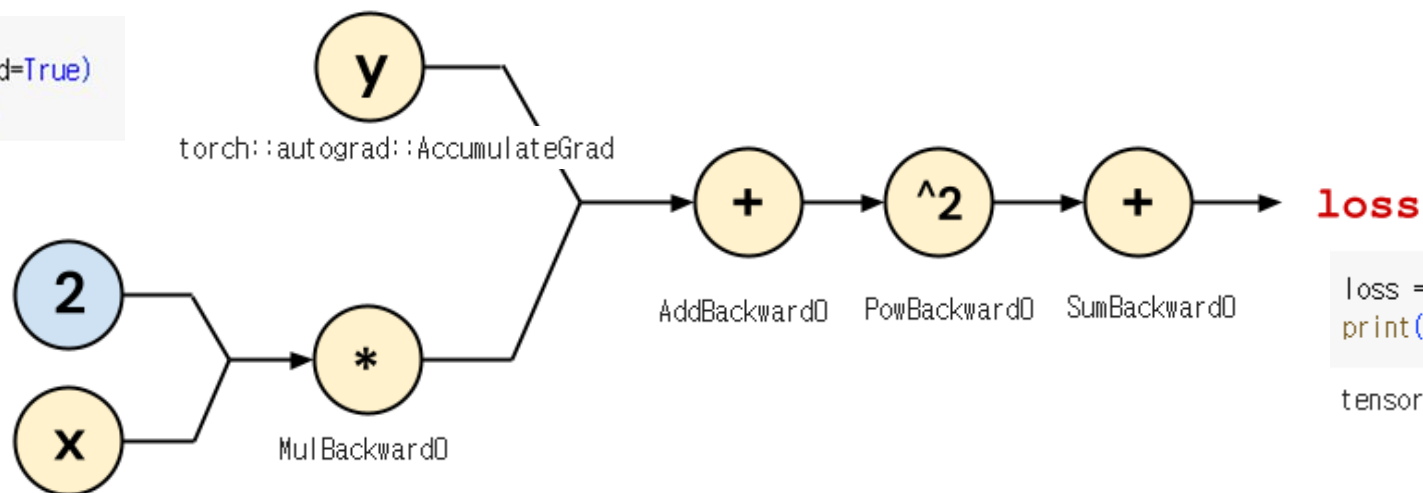
Backpropagation

- Computed using the backpropagation algorithm
- We want to evaluate partial derivative: $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \vec{x}}$ and $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \vec{y}}$

```
shape = (3, )  
x = torch.tensor([1., 2, 3], requires_grad=True)  
y = torch.ones(shape, requires_grad=True)
```

```
loss = ((2 * x + y)**2).sum()  
loss.backward()  
print(x.grad)  
print(y.grad)
```

```
tensor([24., 40., 56.])  
tensor([12., 20., 28.])
```



```
loss = ((2 * x + y)**2).sum()  
print(loss)
```

```
tensor(83., grad_fn=<SumBackward0>)
```


Cost function

- Mean squared error:

$$L(w) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^N [y - \hat{y}]^2$$

- For our neural network to estimate $q(s, a)$ as well as possible, we will minimize the observed squared errors

$$\hat{L}(w) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^N [R_{t+1} + \gamma \hat{q}(S_{t+1}, A_{t+1}|w) - \hat{q}(S_t, A_t|w)]^2$$

- Target value:

$$R_{t+1} + \gamma \hat{q}(S_{t+1}, A_{t+1}|w)$$

Estimated value:

$$\hat{y} = \hat{q}(S_t, A_t|w)$$

Neural network optimization

- For our neural network to estimate $q(s, a)$ as well as possible, we will minimize the observed squared errors

$$\hat{L}(\theta) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^N [R_i + \gamma \hat{q}(S_i', A_i' | \theta_{target}) - \hat{q}(S_i, A_i | \theta)]^2$$

- Target value: a value towards which we want to push the estimates

$$R_i + \gamma \hat{q}(S_i', A_i' | \theta_{target})$$

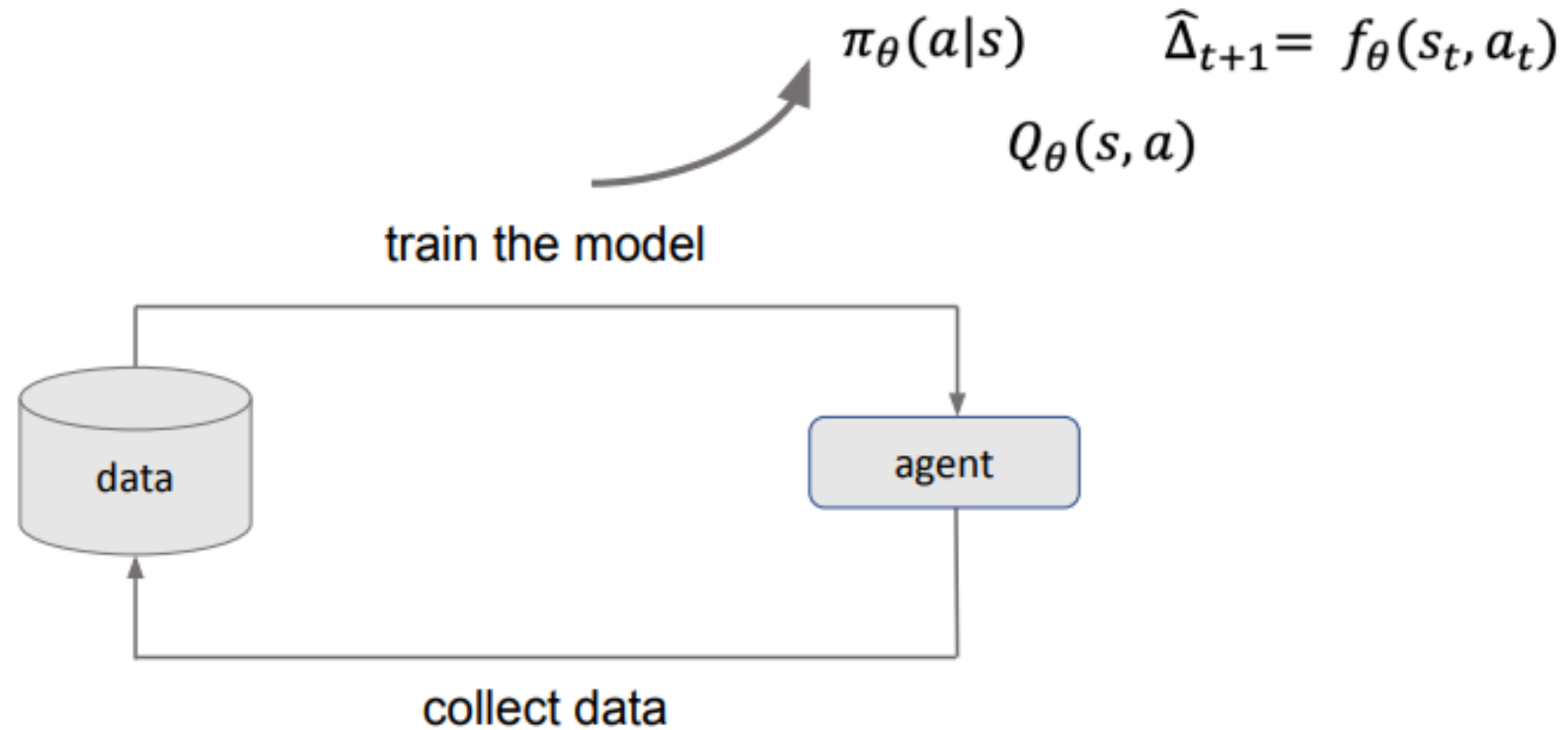
- Estimate of the q-value of a state-action pair

$$\hat{q}(S_i, A_i | \theta)$$

Pytorch

Pictures from Stanford's CS231n
Pictures from Berkeley CS285

Train an agent to perform useful tasks



How do train a model

$$\theta^* = \arg \min_{\theta} \sum_{(x,y) \in D} \mathcal{L}(f_{\theta}(x), y)$$

gradient descent

dataset

loss

neural network

PyTorch does all of these!

What is Pytorch

Python library for:

- Defining neural networks
- Automating computing gradients
- And more! (datasets, optimizers, GPUs, etc.)

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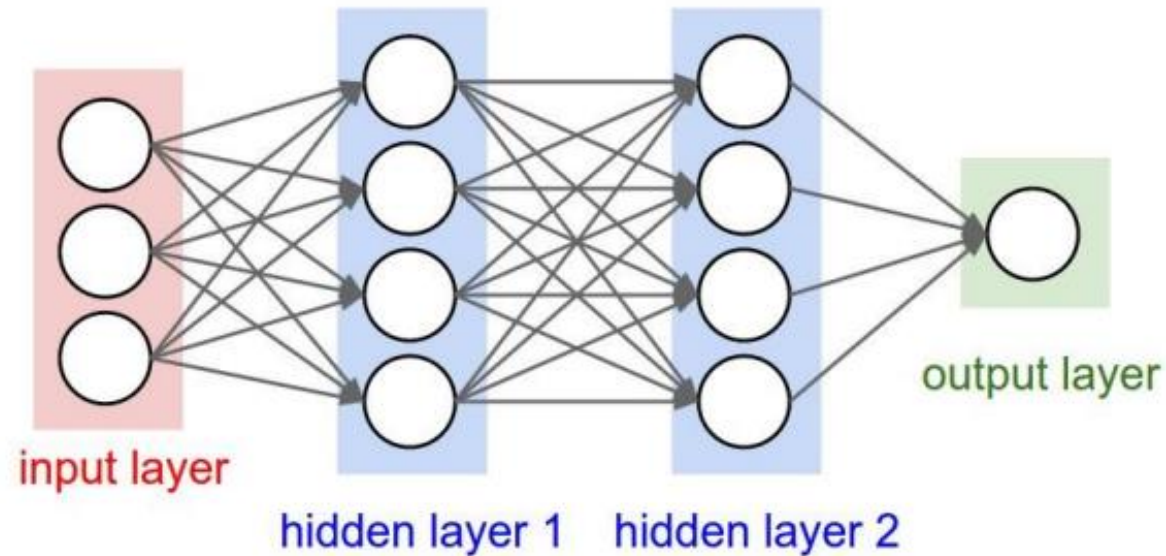
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How does Pytorch works?



You define: $h_1 = \sigma(W_1 x)$ $h_2 = \sigma(W_2 h_1)$ $y = \sigma(W_3 h_2)$

PyTorch computes: $\frac{\partial y}{\partial W_1} = \frac{\partial y}{\partial h_2} \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial h_1} \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial W_1}$ $\frac{\partial y}{\partial W_2} = \frac{\partial y}{\partial h_2} \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial W_2}$ $\frac{\partial y}{\partial W_3}$

Numpy & PyTorch



- Fast CPU implementations
- **CPU-only**
- **No autodiff**
- Imperative



- Fast CPU implementations
- **Allows GPU**
- **Supports autodiff**
- Imperative

Other features include:

- Datasets and dataloading
- Common neural network operations
- Built-in optimizers (Adam, SGD, ...)

The Basics



```
arr_a = [1, 3, 4, 5, 9]
arr_b = [9, 5, 7, 2, 5]

# Element-wise operations
list_sum = [a + b for a, b in zip(list_a, list_b)]
list_prod = [a * b for a, b in zip(list_a, list_b)]
list_doubled = [2 * a for a in list_a]

# Indexing
value = list_a[3]
list_slice = list_a[2:3]

arr_idx = [3, 2, 1]
arr_indexed = [arr_a[i] for i in arr_idx]
```



```
import numpy as np

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```
import torch

tensor_a = torch.tensor([1, 3, 4, 5, 9])
tensor_b = torch.tensor([9, 5, 7, 2, 5])

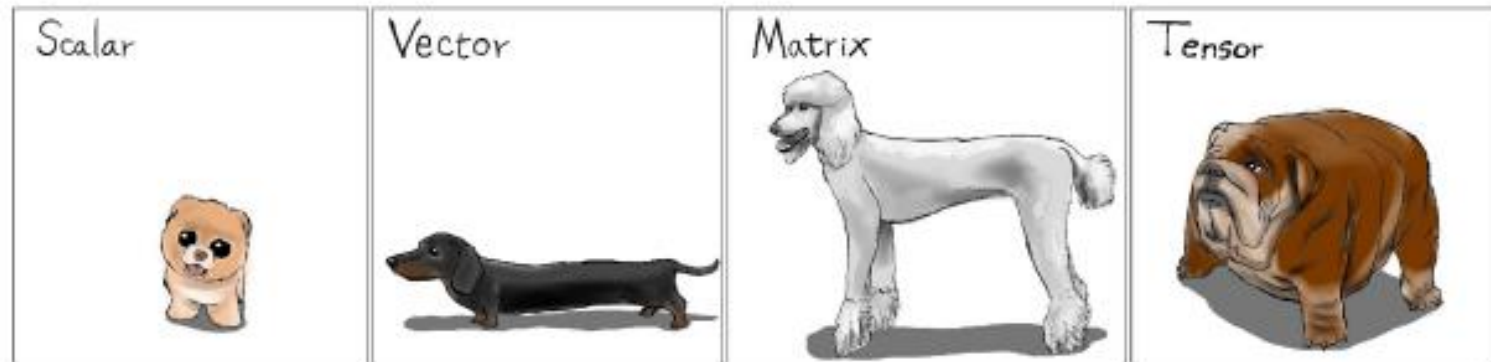
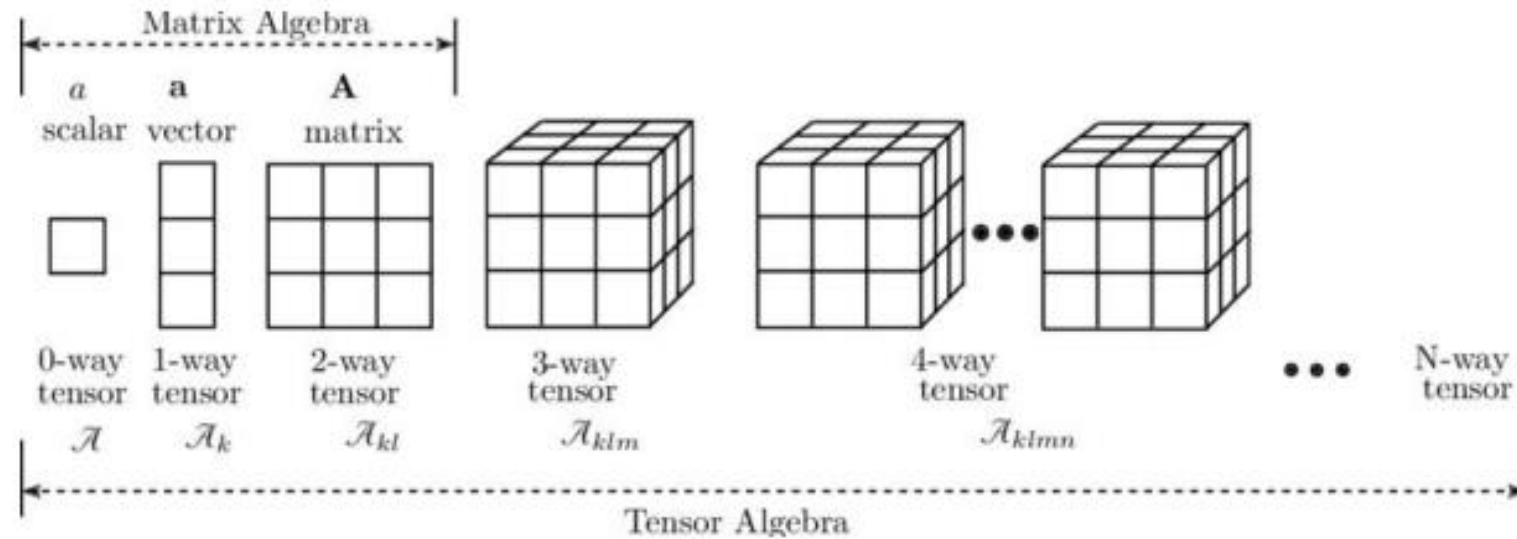
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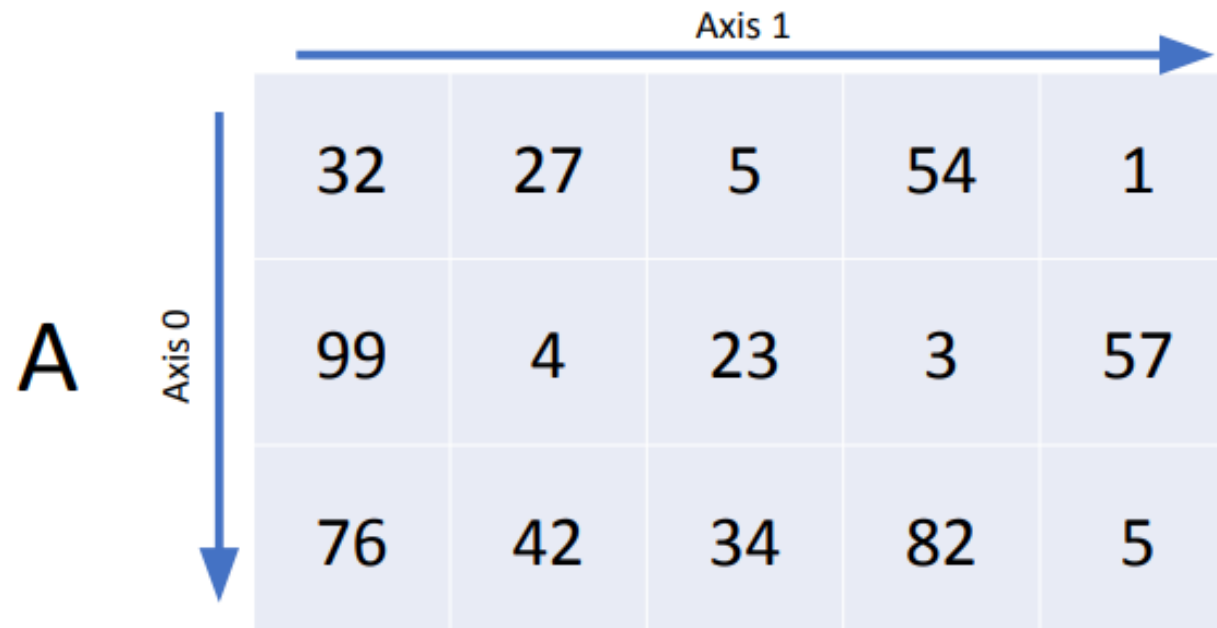
100x faster!

Multidimensional Array



Multidimensional Indexing

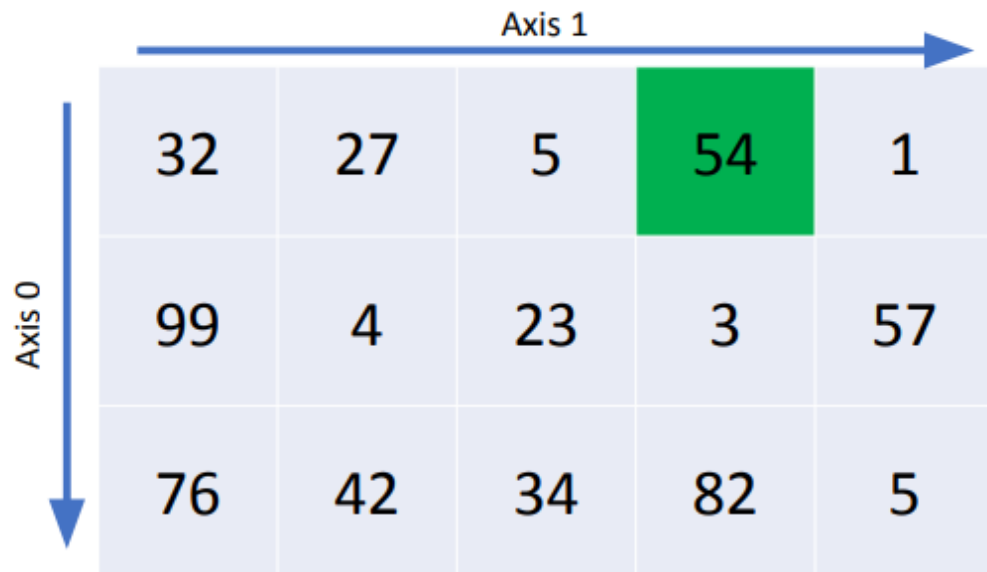
A



32	27	5	54	1
99	4	23	3	57
76	42	34	82	5

`A.shape == (3, 5)`

Multidimensional Indexing




A 3x5 array with values:

32	27	5	54	1
99	4	23	3	57
76	42	34	82	5

Axis 0 is indicated by a downward arrow on the left. Axis 1 is indicated by a rightward arrow at the top. The cell at row 0, column 3 (value 54) is highlighted in green.

$A[0, 3]$



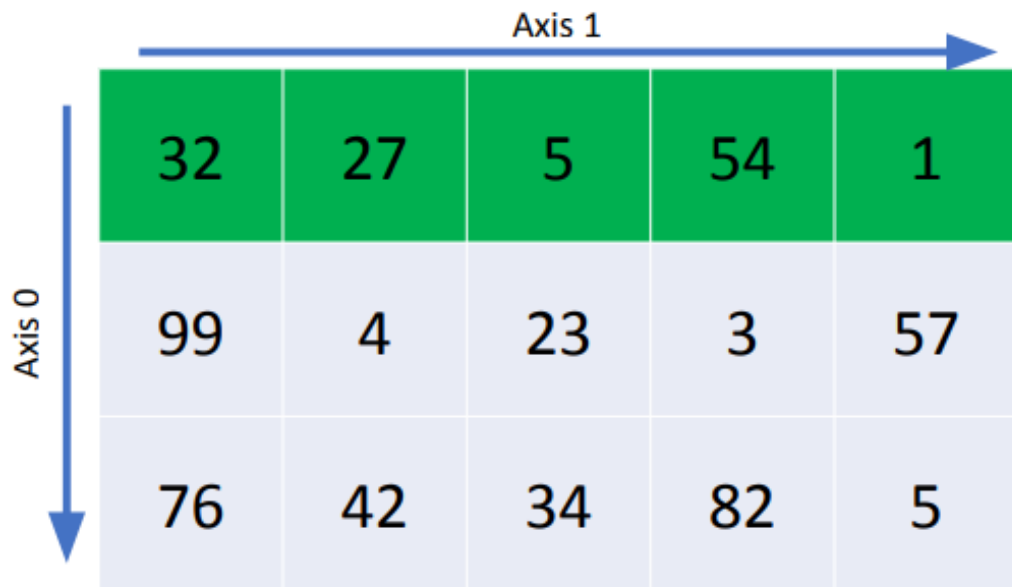
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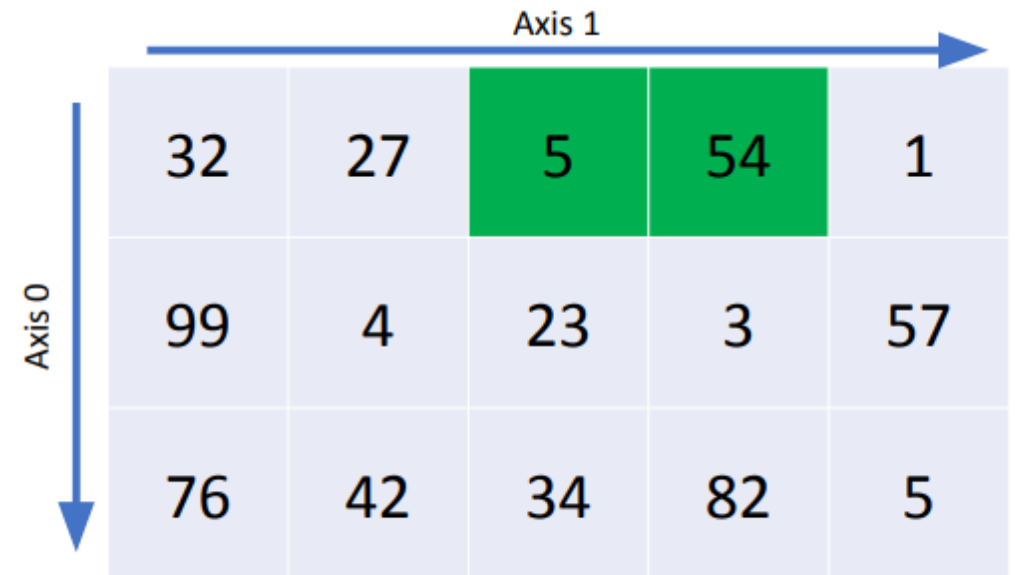
$A[:, 3]$

Multidimensional Indexing



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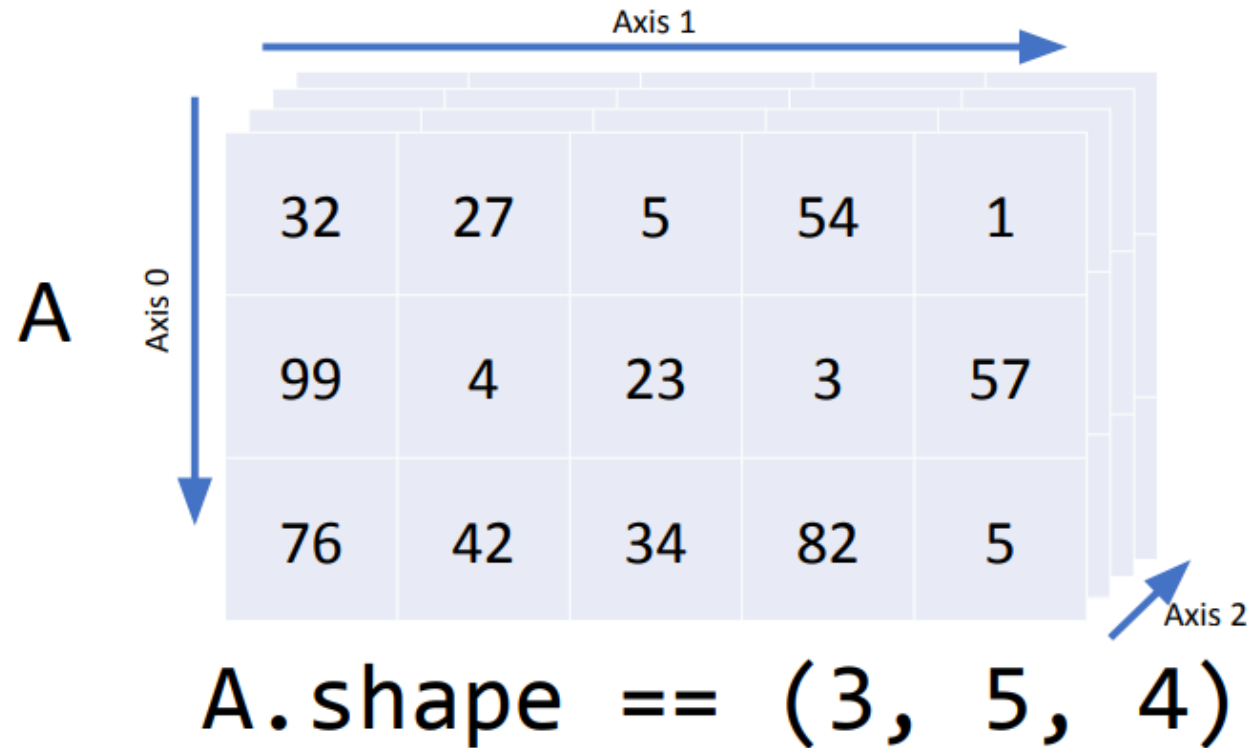
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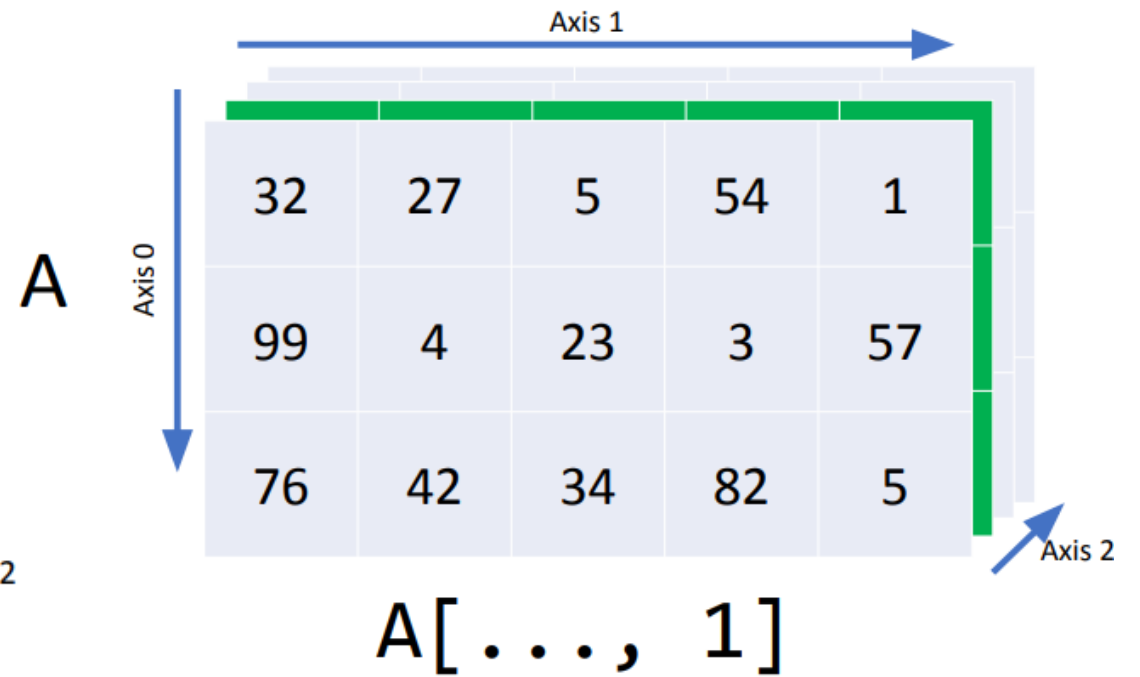
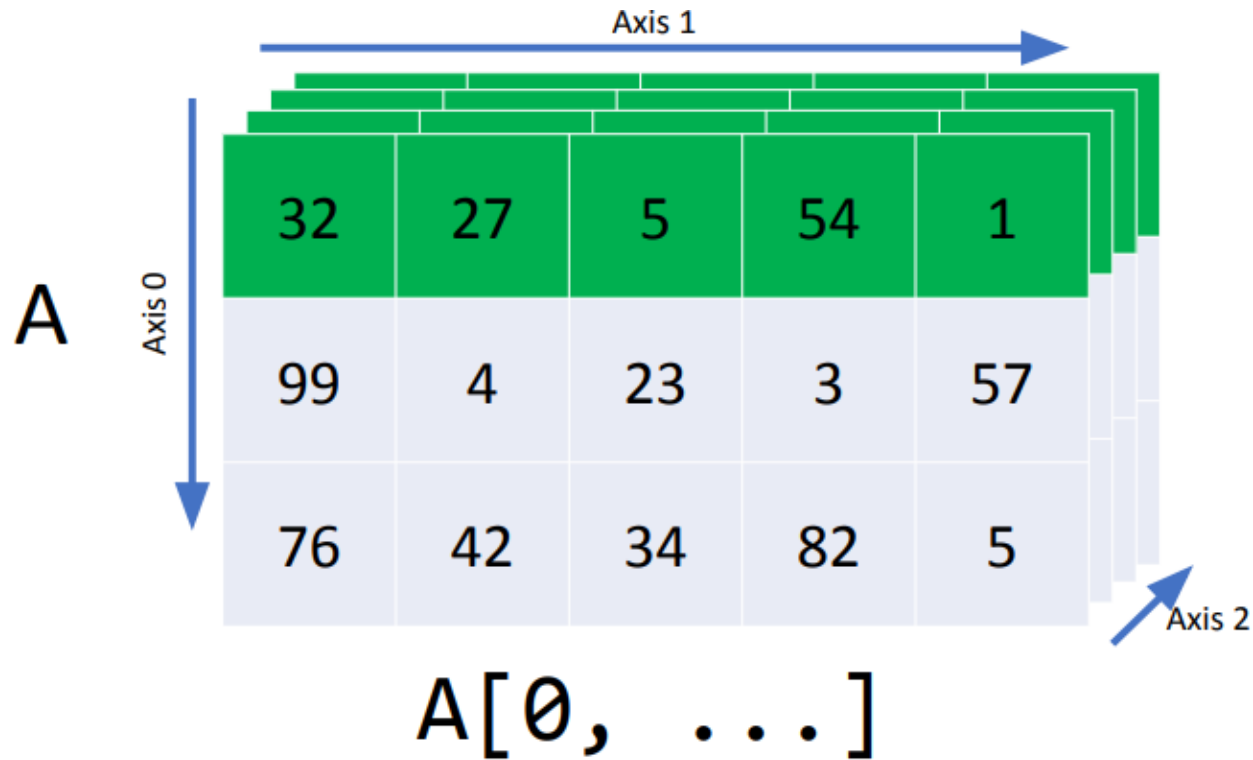
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$A[0, 2:4]$

Multidimensional Indexing



Multidimensional Indexing



Shape Operations



```
A = np.random.normal(size=(10, 15))

# Indexing with newaxis/None
# adds an axis with size 1
A[np.newaxis] # -> shape (1, 10, 15)

# Squeeze removes a axis with size 1
A[np.newaxis].squeeze(0) # -> shape (10, 15)

# Transpose switches out axes.
A.transpose((1, 0)) # -> shape (15, 10)

# !!! BE CAREFUL WITH RESHAPE !!!
A.reshape(15, 10) # -> shape (15, 10)
A.reshape(3, 25, -1) # -> shape (3, 25, 2)
```



```
A = torch.randn((10, 15))

# Indexing with None
# adds an axis with size 1
A[None] # -> shape (1, 10, 15)

# Squeeze removes a axis with size 1
A[None].squeeze(0) # -> shape (10, 15)

# Permute switches out axes.
A.permute((1, 0)) # -> shape (15, 10)

# !!! BE CAREFUL WITH VIEW !!!
A.view(15, 10) # -> shape (15, 10)
A.view(3, 25, -1) # -> shape (3, 25, 2)
```


Device Management

- Numpy: all arrays live on the CPU's RAM
- Torch: tensors can either live on CPU or GPU memory
 - Move to GPU with `.to("cuda")` / `.cuda()`
 - Move to CPU with `.to("cpu")` / `.cpu()`

**YOU CANNOT PERFORM OPERATIONS BETWEEN
TENSORS ON DIFFERENT DEVICES!**

Device Management

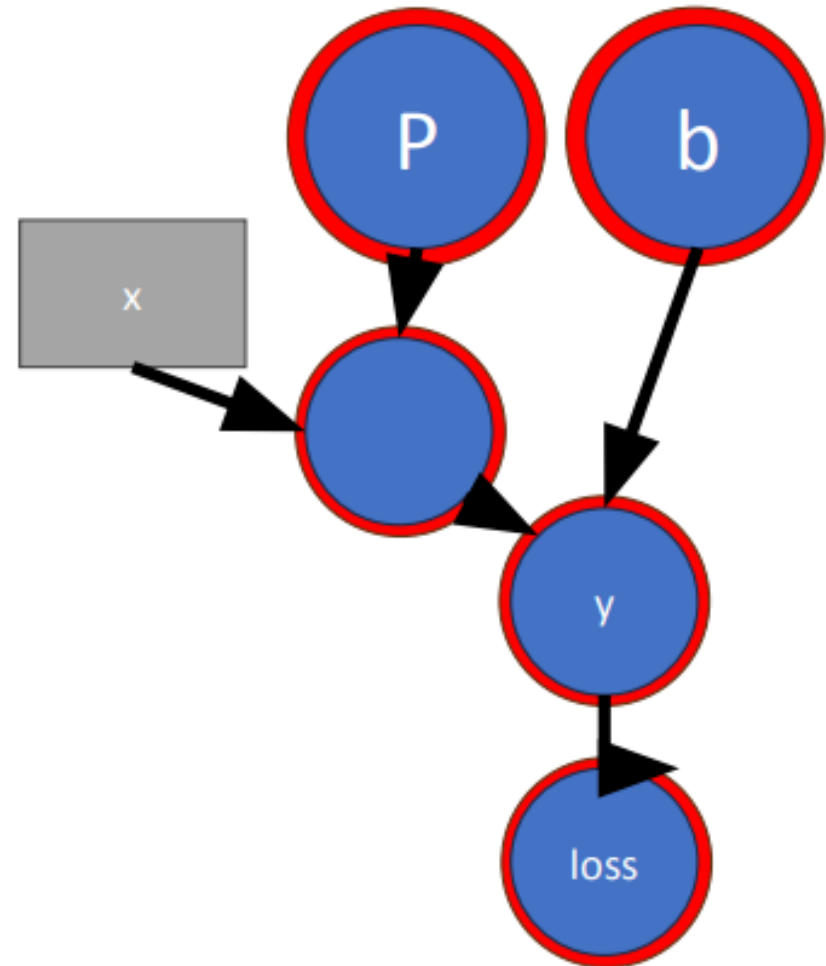
```
[ ] device = torch.device("cuda")
x = torch.zeros((2, 3))
y = torch.ones((2, 3), device=device)
z = x + y
```

```
-----
RuntimeError                                Traceback (most recent call last)
<ipython-input-71-565d7b7035e6> in <module>
      2 x = torch.zeros((2, 3))
      3 y = torch.ones((2, 3), device=device)
----> 4 z = x + y
```

```
RuntimeError: Expected all tensors to be on the same device, but found at least two
devices, cuda:0 and cpu!
```

Computing Gradients

```
P = torch.randn((1024, 1024))
print(P.requires_grad) # -> False
P = torch.randn((1024, 1024), requires_grad=True)
b = torch.randn((1024,), requires_grad=True)
print(P.grad) # -> None
```

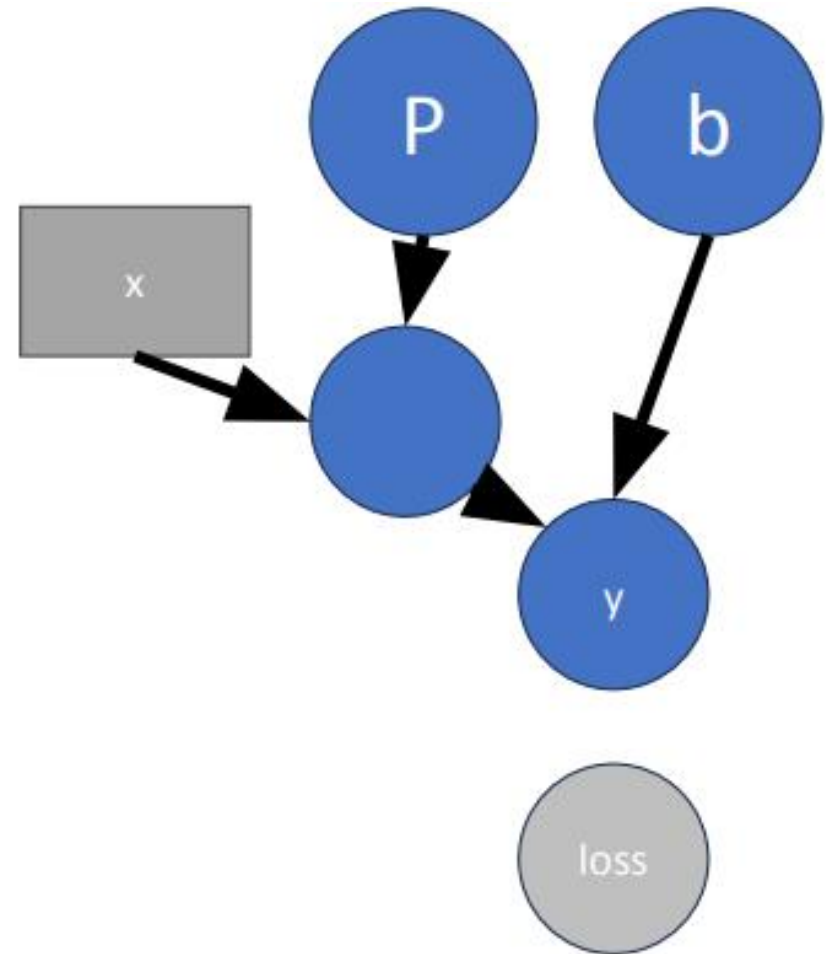


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x = torch.randn((32, 1024))
y = torch.nn.relu(x @ P + b)

target = 3
loss = torch.mean((y - target) ** 2).detach()
```



Training Loop

REMEMBER THIS!

```
net = (...).to("cuda")
dataset = ...
dataloader = ..
optimizer = ...
loss_fn = ..
for epoch in range(num_epochs):
    # Training..
    net.train()
    for data, target in dataloader:
        data = torch.from_numpy(data).float().cuda()
        target = torch.from_numpy(target).float().cuda()

        prediction = net(data)
        loss = loss_fn(prediction, target)

        optimizer.zero_grad()
        loss.backward()
        optimizer.step()

    net.eval()
    # Do evaluation..
```

Converting Numpy / PyTorch

Numpy -> PyTorch:

```
torch.from_numpy(numpy_array).float()
```

PyTorch -> Numpy:

- (If requires_grad) Get a copy without graph with `.detach()`
- (If on GPU) Move to CPU with `.to("cpu")/.cpu()`
- Convert to numpy with `.numpy`

All together:

```
torch_tensor.detach().cpu().numpy()
```

Custom networks

```
import torch.nn as nn

class SingleLayerNetwork(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, in_dim: int, out_dim: int, hidden_dim: int):
        super().__init__() # <- Don't forget this!
        self.net = nn.Sequential(
            nn.Module(in_dim, hidden_dim),
            nn.ReLU(),
            nn.Module(hidden_dim, out_dim),
        )

    def forward(self, x: torch.Tensor) -> torch.Tensor:
        return self.net(x)

batch_size = 256
my_net = SingleLayerNetwork(2, 32, 1).to("cuda")
output = my_net(torch.randn(size=(batch_size, 2)).cuda())
```

- `nn.Module` represents the building blocks of a computation graph.
 - For example, in typical pytorch code, each convolution block is its own module, each fully connected block is a module, and the whole network itself is also a module.
- Modules can contain modules within them. All the classes inside of ``torch.nn`` are instances ``nn.Modules``.

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- Prefer `net()` over `net.forward()`
- Everything (network and its inputs) on the same device!!!

Torch Best Practices

- When in doubt, **assert** is your friend

```
assert x.shape == (B, N), \
    f"Expected shape ({B}, {N}) but got {x.shape}"
```

- Be extra careful with **.reshape/.view**
 - If you use it, assert before and after
 - Only use it to collapse/expand a single dim
 - In Torch, prefer **.flatten()/.permute()/.unflatten()**
- If you do some complicated operation, test it!
 - Compare to a pure Python implementation

Torch Best Practices

- Don't mix numpy and Torch code
 - Understand the boundaries between the two
 - Make sure to cast 64-bit numpy arrays to 32 bits
 - `torch.Tensor` only in `nn.Module`!
- Training loop will always look the same
 - Load batch, compute loss
 - `.zero_grad()`, `.backward()`, `.step()`

Let's play with the code

- <http://bit.ly/cs285-pytorch-2023>