

Computational MRI

Introduction to machine learning and neural networks

Neural networks

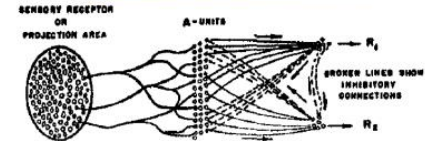
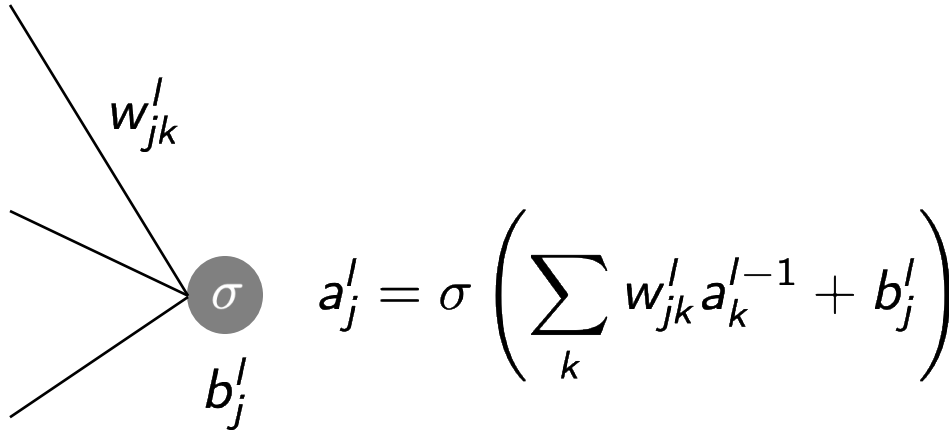


FIG. 2A. Schematic representation of connections in a simple perceptron.

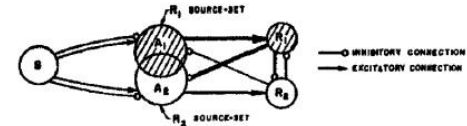
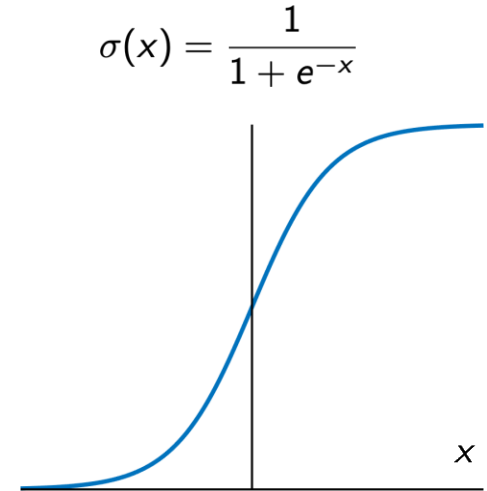
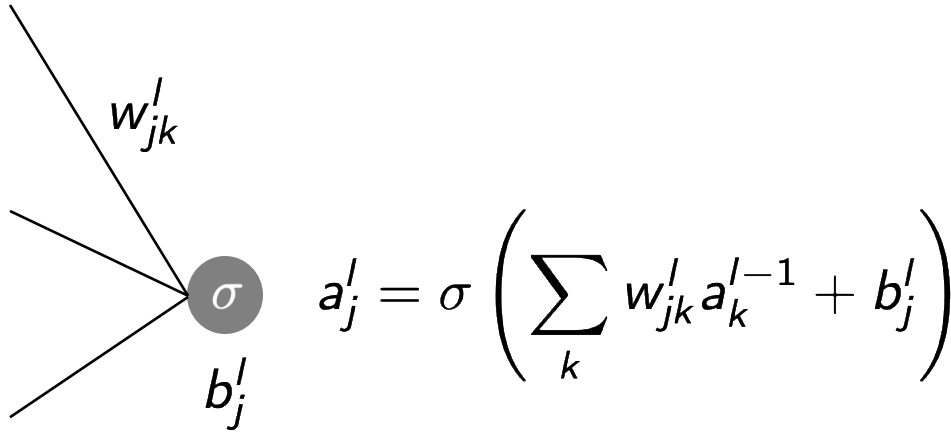
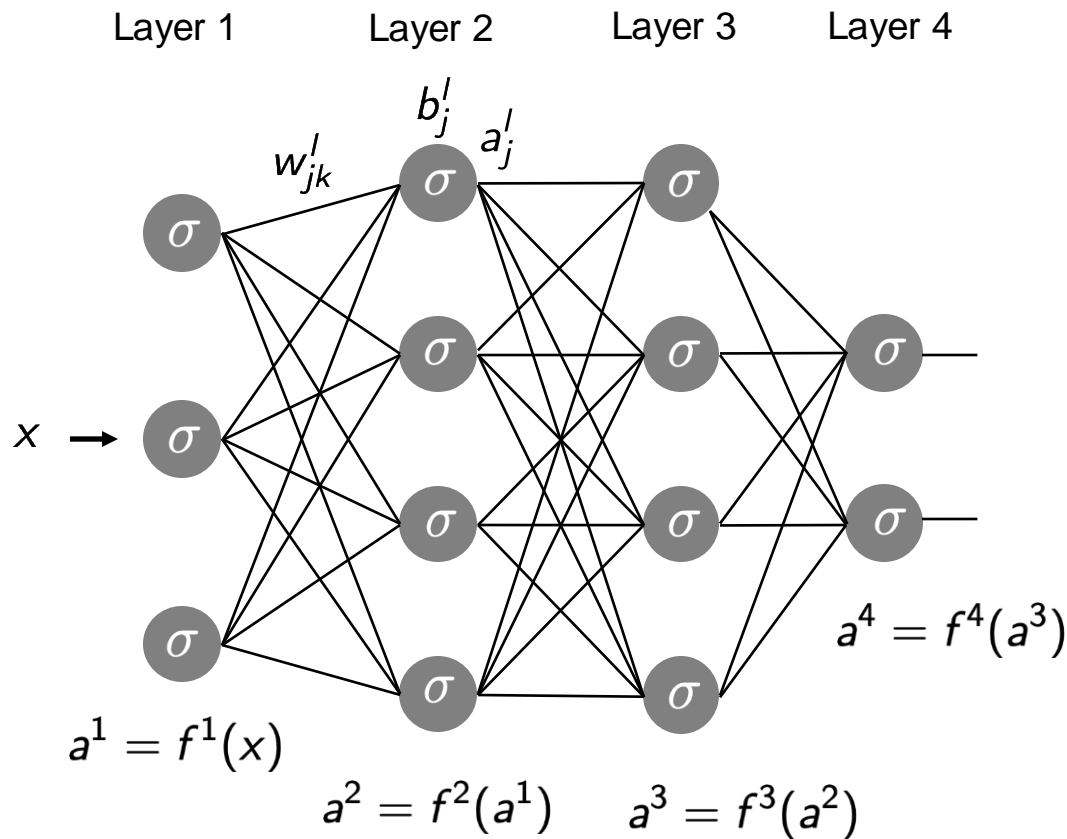


FIG. 2B. Venn diagram of the same perceptron (shading shows active sets for R_1 response).

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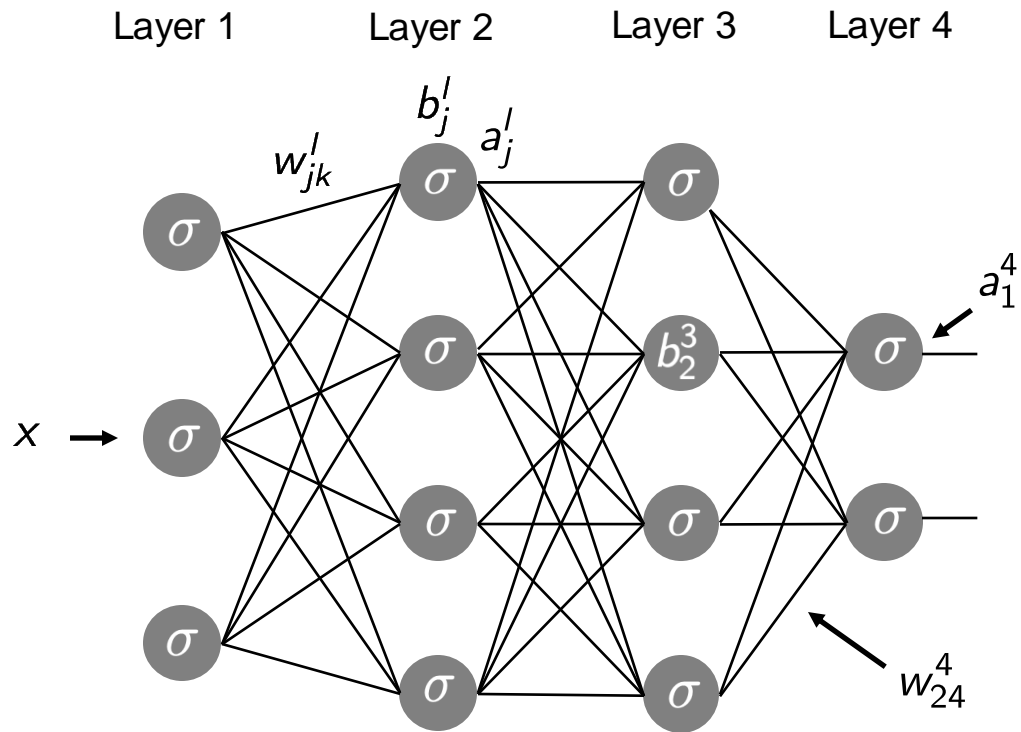


Large number of model parameters

High descriptive capacity

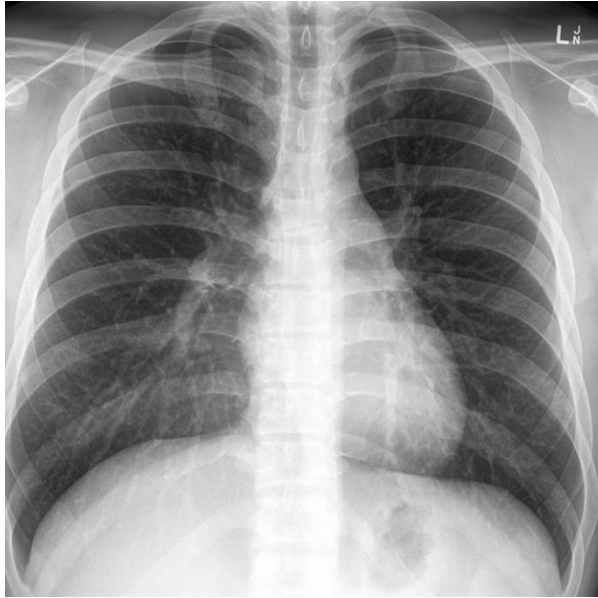
$$a^4 = F(x) = f^4(f^3(f^2(f^1(x))))$$

Neural networks: Notation



ER chest X-Ray diagnostic classification

Normal

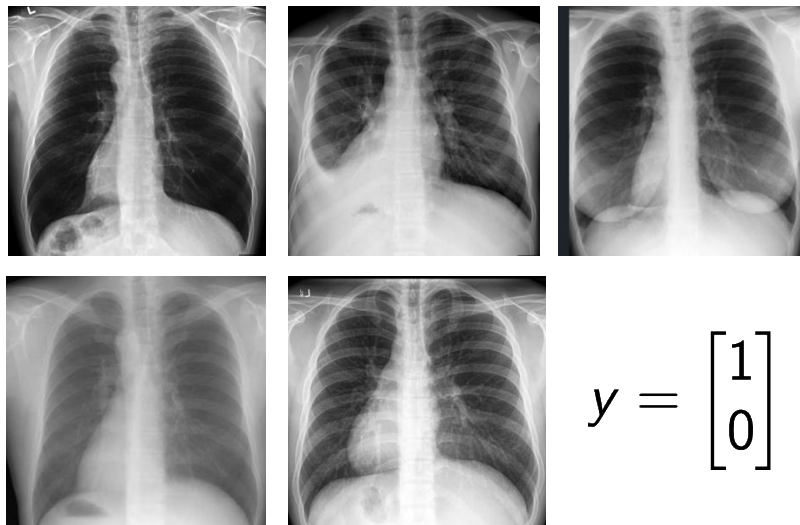


COVID-19



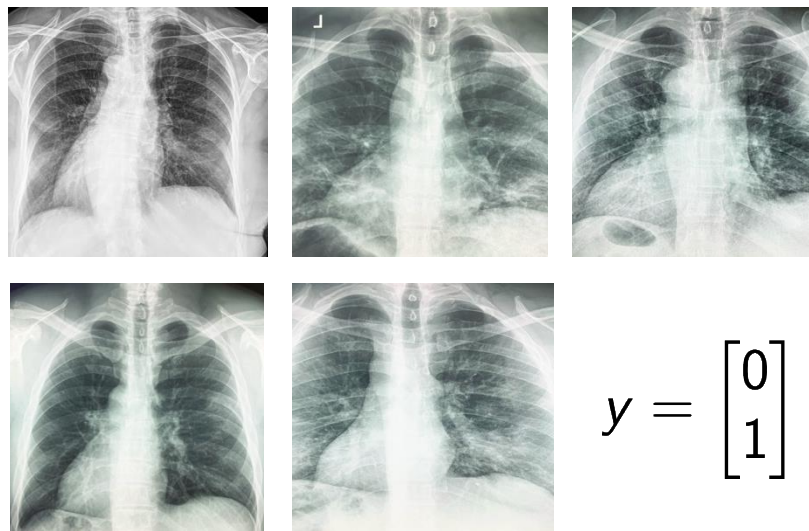
Chest X-Ray data set

Normal



$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

COVID-19

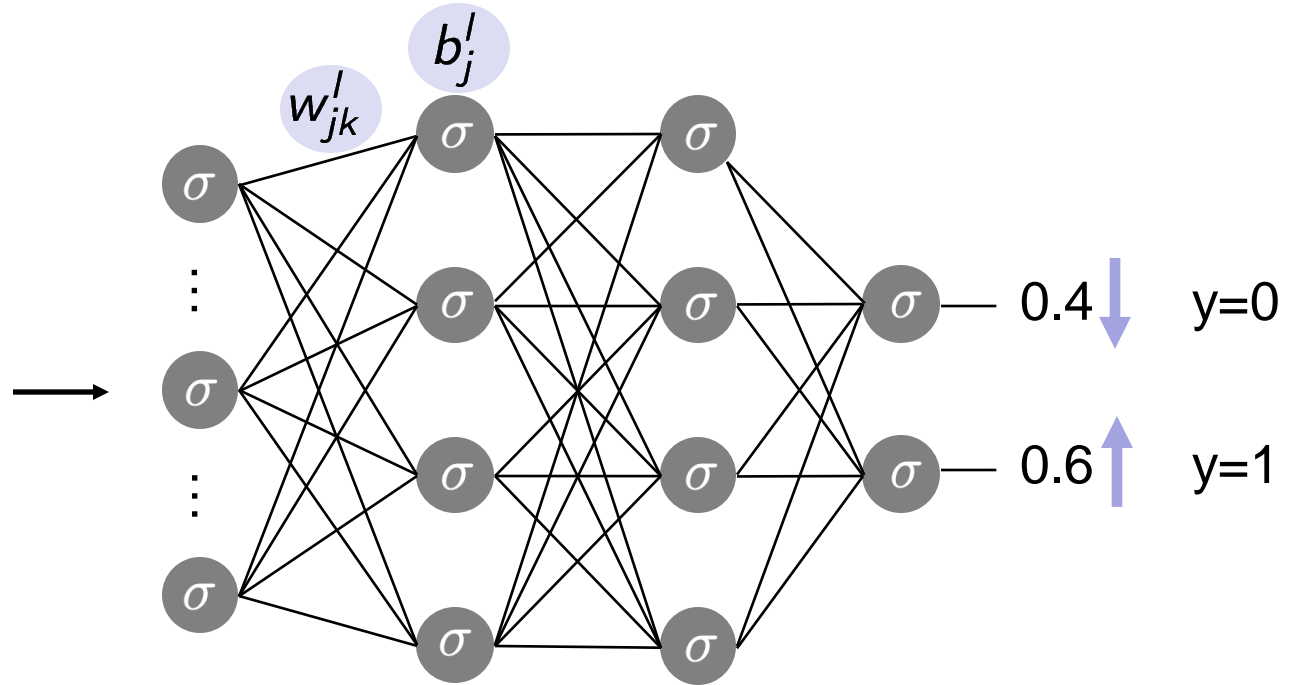


$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\{(x_1, y_1), \dots (x_N, y_N)\}$$

Neural network training

COVID-19



Change weights and biases to bring output closer to target

Neural network training: Cost function



$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



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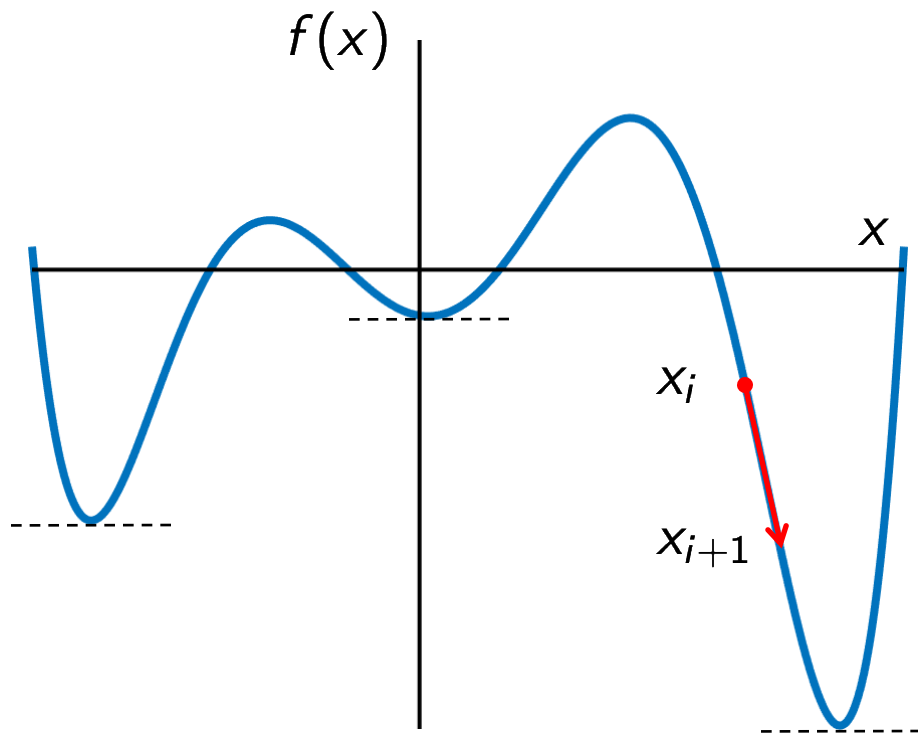
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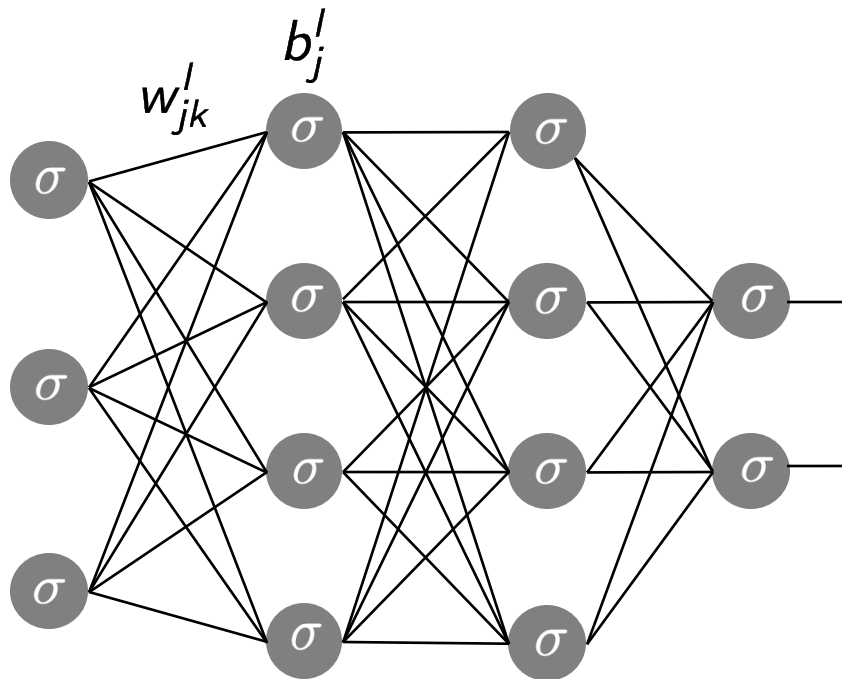
$$C(w, b) = \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{x=1}^N ||y_x - a_x||_2^2$$

Find minimum of function: Gradient descent



$$x_{i+1} = x_i - \alpha \frac{\partial f(x_i)}{\partial x_i}$$

Neural network training: Gradient descent



$$\min_{w, b} C(w, b)$$


$$\tilde{w}_{jk}^l = w_{jk}^l - \alpha \frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l}$$

$$\tilde{b}_j^l = b_j^l - \alpha \frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l}$$

→ Chain rule

Backpropagation

Learning representations by back-propagating errors

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We describe a new learning procedure, back-propagation, for networks of neurone-like units. The procedure repeatedly adjusts the weights of the connections in the network so as to minimize a measure of the difference between the actual output vector of the net and the desired output vector. As a result of the weight adjustments, internal 'hidden' units which are not part of the input or output come to represent important features of the task domain, and the regularities in the task are captured by the interactions of these units. The ability to create useful new features distinguishes back-propagation from earlier, simpler methods such as the perceptron-convergence procedure¹.

Rumelhart (1986)

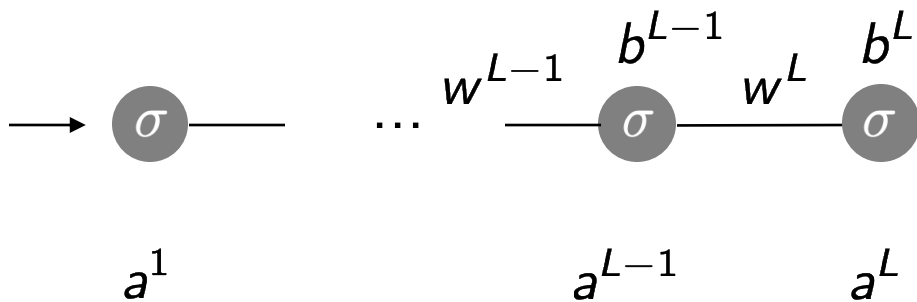
$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l} \quad \frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l}$$

→ Efficient recursion to
calculate these
partial derivatives

Backpropagation: Forward pass



$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

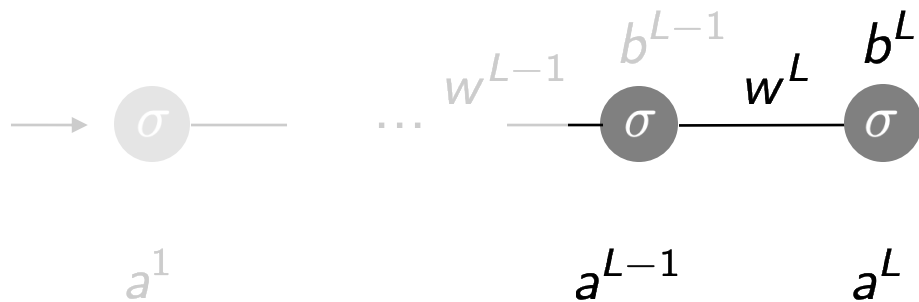


$$C_0 = \frac{1}{2}(y - a^L)^2$$

Backpropagation: Backward pass



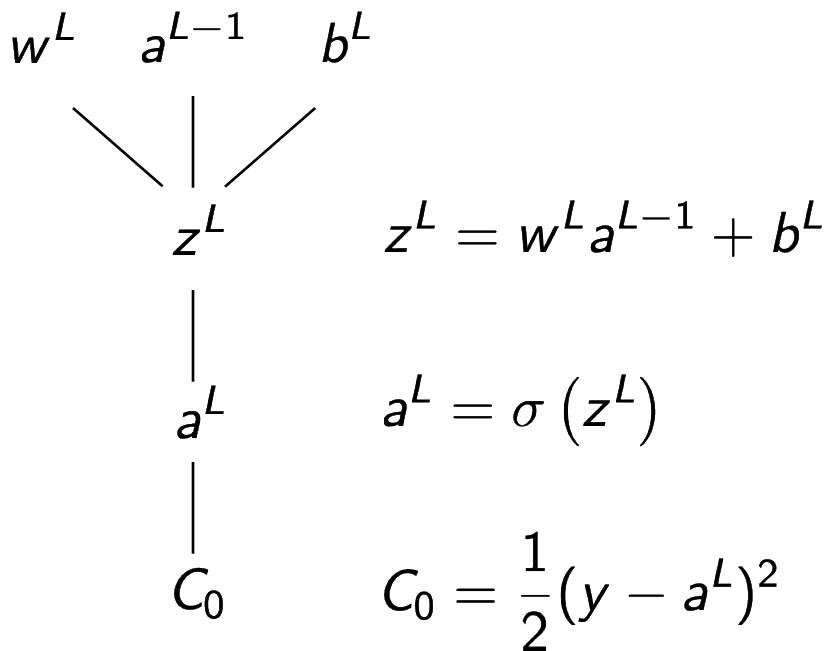
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$$a^L = \sigma \left(\underbrace{w^L a^{L-1} + b^L}_{z^L} \right)$$

$$C_0 = \frac{1}{2} (y - a^L)^2$$

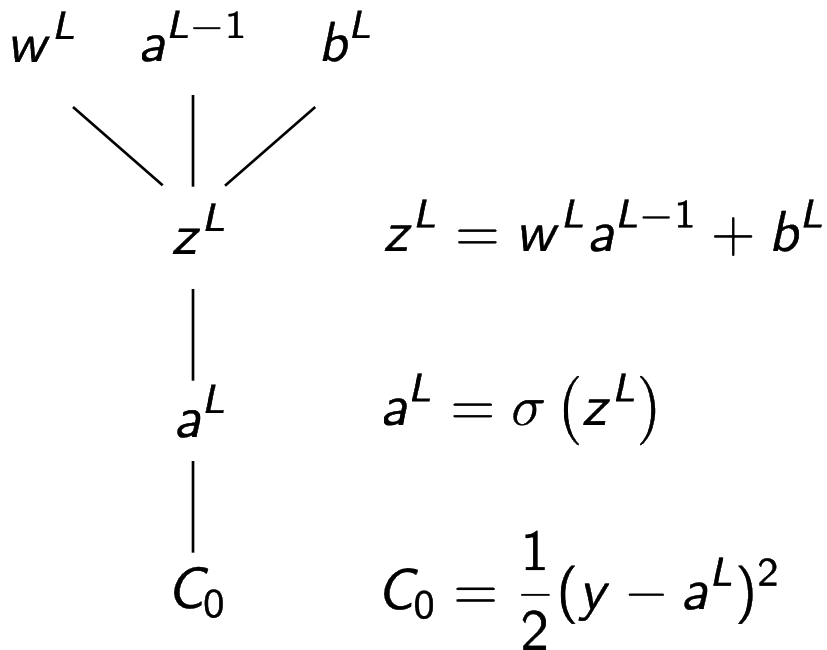
Backpropagation: Backward pass



Partial derivatives

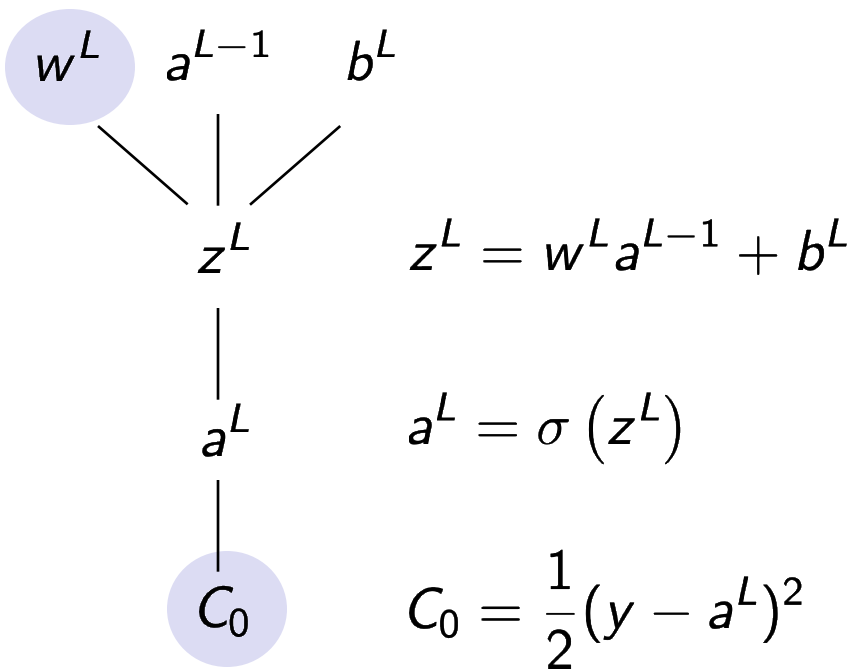
$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^L} = ?$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial b^L} = ?$$



Backpropagation: Weights

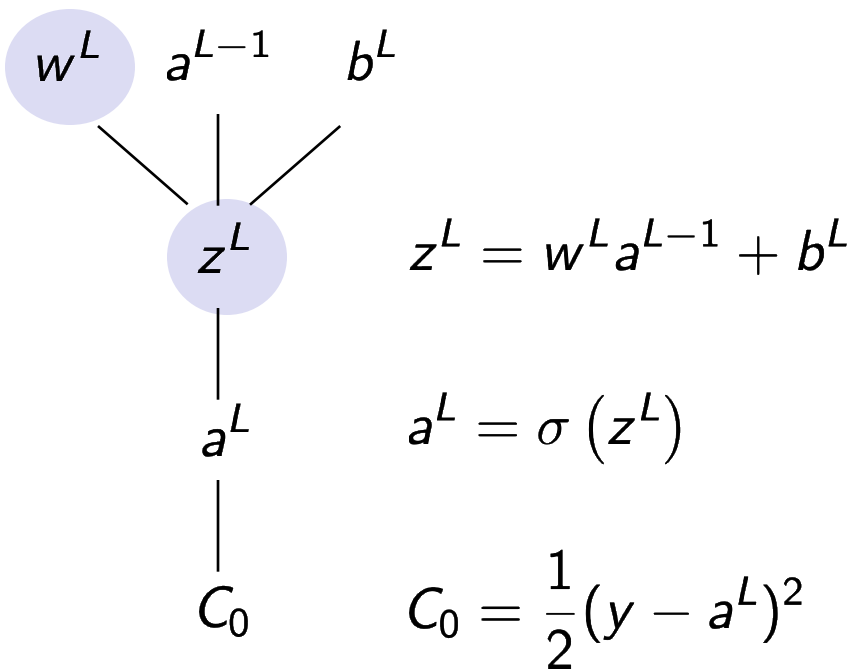
$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^L}$$



Backpropagation: Weights

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^L} = \frac{\partial z^L}{\partial w^L}$$

$$\frac{\partial z^L}{\partial w^L} = a^{L-1}$$

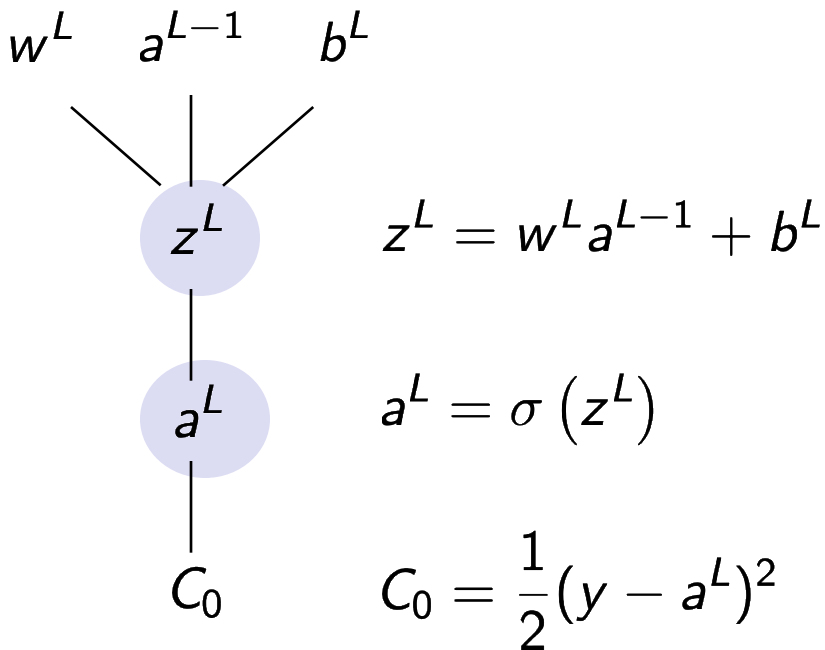


Backpropagation: Weights

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^L} = \frac{\partial z^L}{\partial w^L} \frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L}$$

$$\frac{\partial z^L}{\partial w^L} = a^{L-1}$$

$$\frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} = \sigma'(z^L)$$



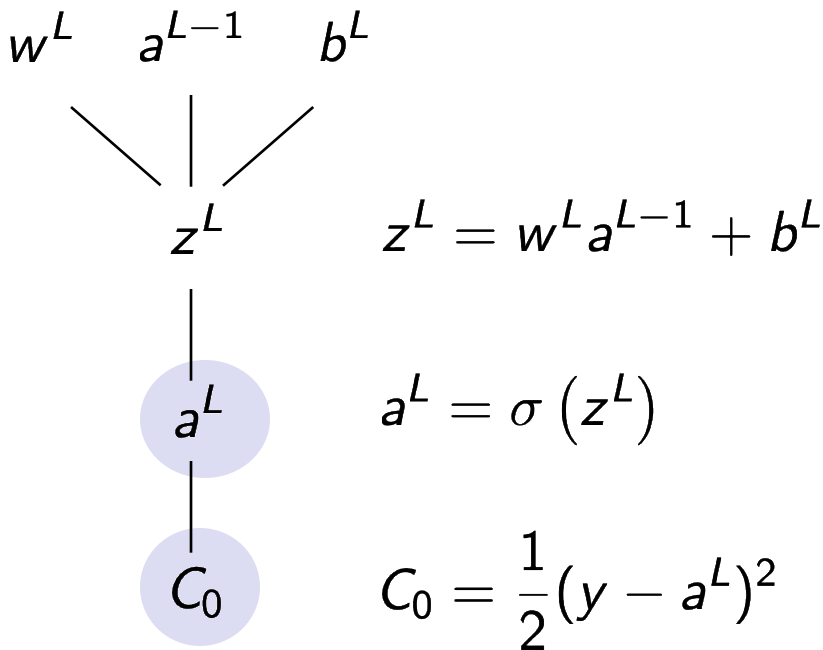
Backpropagation: Weights

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^L} = \frac{\partial z^L}{\partial w^L} \frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L}$$

$$\frac{\partial z^L}{\partial w^L} = a^{L-1}$$

$$\frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} = \sigma'(z^L)$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L} = a^L - y$$



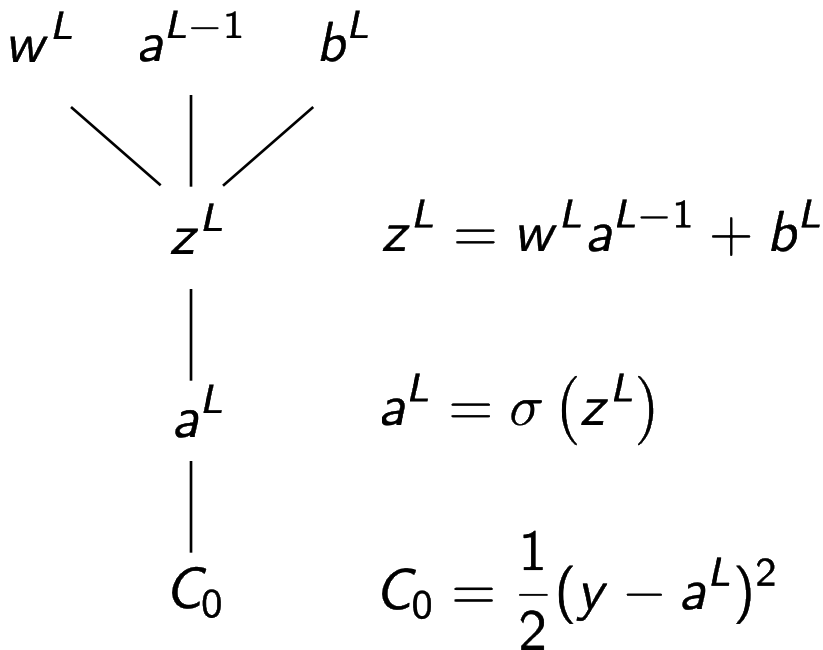
Backpropagation: Weights

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^L} = \frac{\partial z^L}{\partial w^L} \frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L} = a^{L-1} \sigma'(z^L) (a^L - y)$$

$$\frac{\partial z^L}{\partial w^L} = a^{L-1}$$

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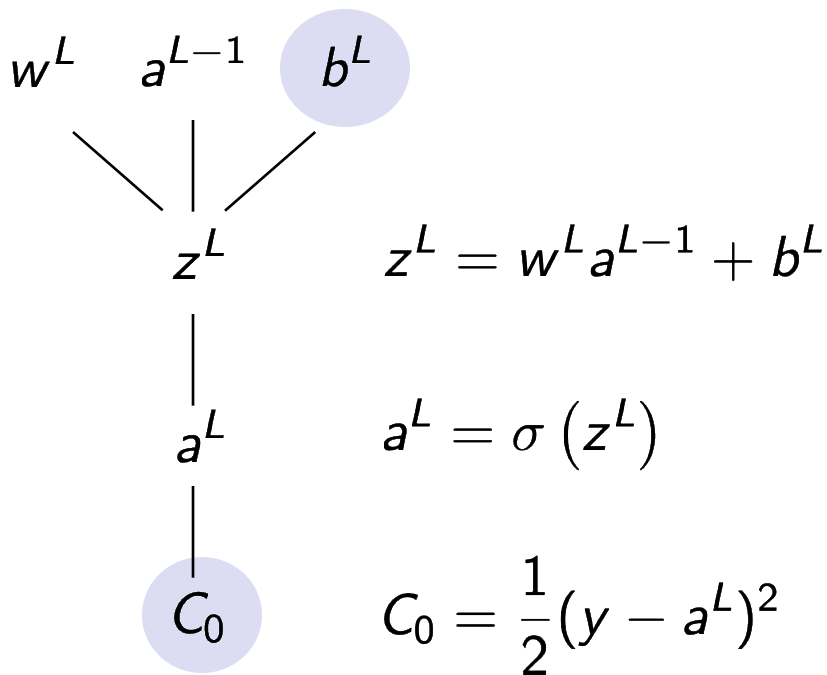


Backpropagation: Bias

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial b^L} = \frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L} = \sigma'(z^L)(a^L - y)$$

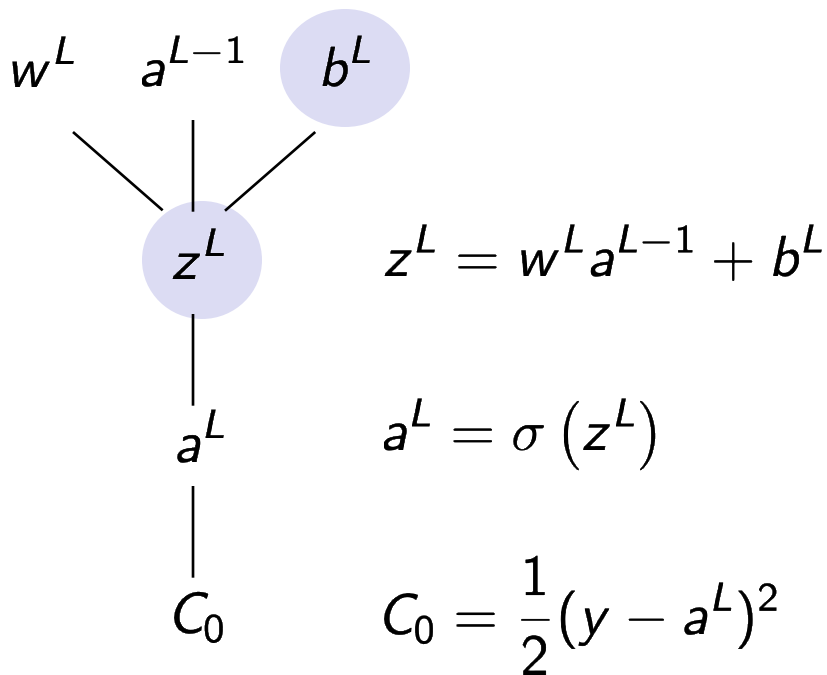
$$\frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} = \sigma'(z^L)$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L} = a^L - y$$



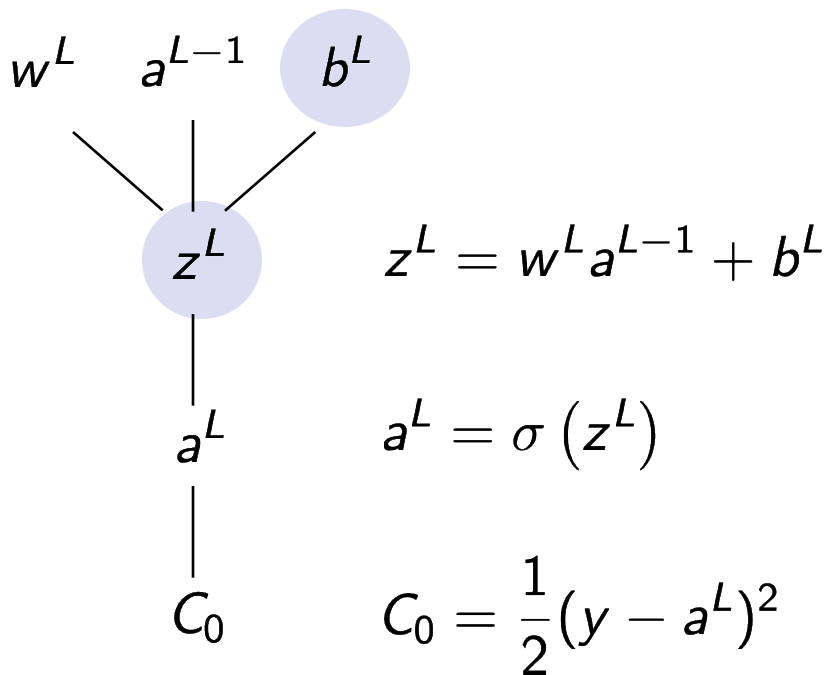
Backpropagation: Bias

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial b^L} = \frac{\partial z^L}{\partial b^L} \frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L} = \sigma'(z^L)(a^L - y)$$



Backpropagation: Bias

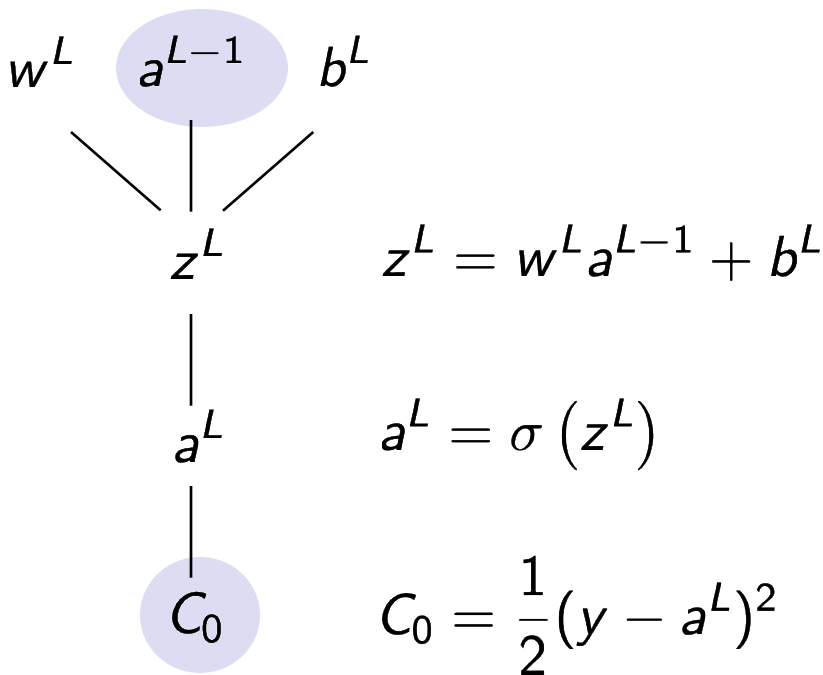
$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial b^L} = \frac{\partial z^L}{\partial b^L} \frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L} = 1 \sigma'(z^L)(a^L - y)$$



Backpropagation: Activation of previous layer

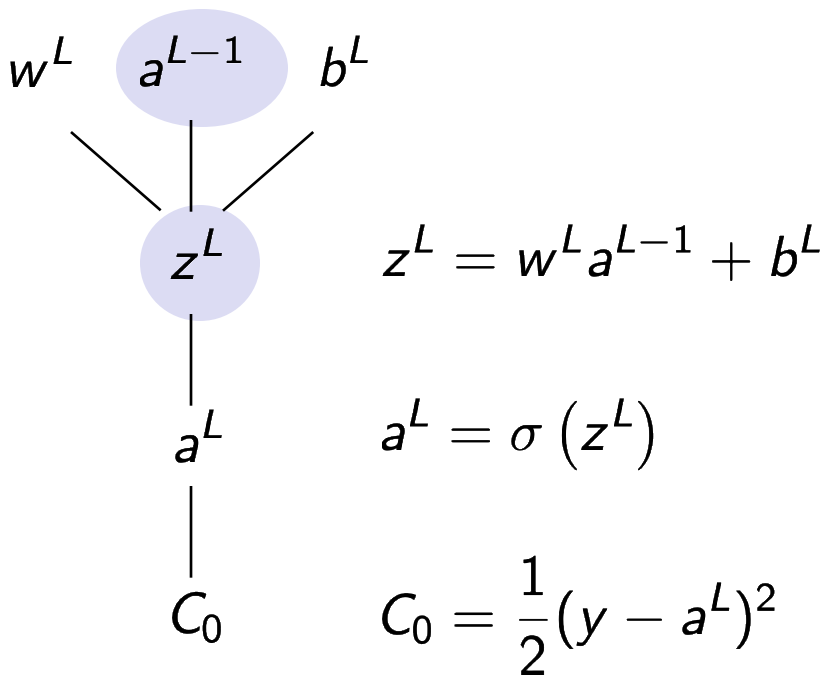
$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^{L-1}} =$$

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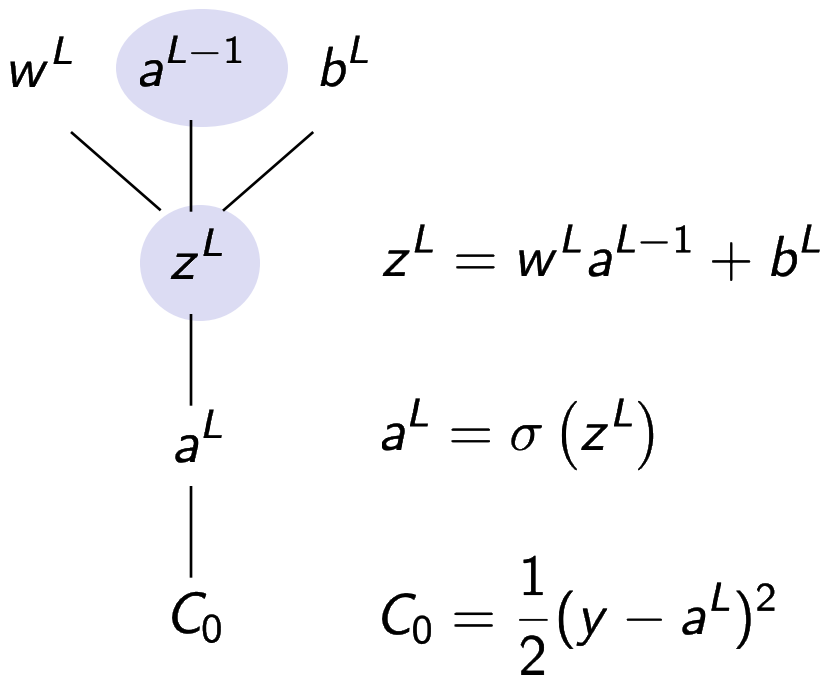
Backpropagation: Activation of previous layer

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^{L-1}} = \frac{\partial z^L}{\partial a^{L-1}} \frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L} = \sigma'(z^L)(a^L - y)$$



Backpropagation: Activation of previous layer

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^{L-1}} = \frac{\partial z^L}{\partial a^{L-1}} \frac{\partial a^L}{\partial z^L} \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L} = w^L \sigma'(z^L)(a^L - y)$$



Backpropagation

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^L} = a^{L-1} \sigma'(z^L) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial b^L} = \sigma'(z^L) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L} = a^L - y$$



$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Backpropagation

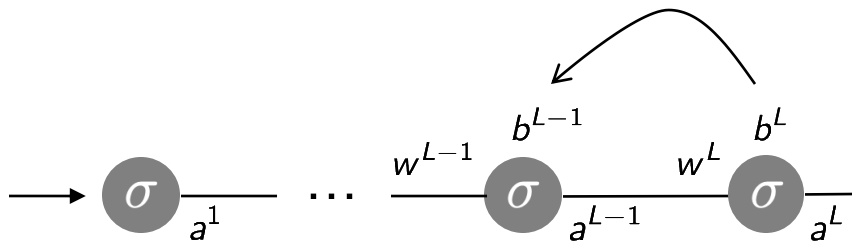
$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^{L-1}} = a^{L-2} \sigma'(z^{L-1}) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^{L-1}}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial b^{L-1}} = \sigma'(z^{L-1}) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^{L-1}}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^{L-1}} = w^L \sigma'(z^L) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^L}$$



$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

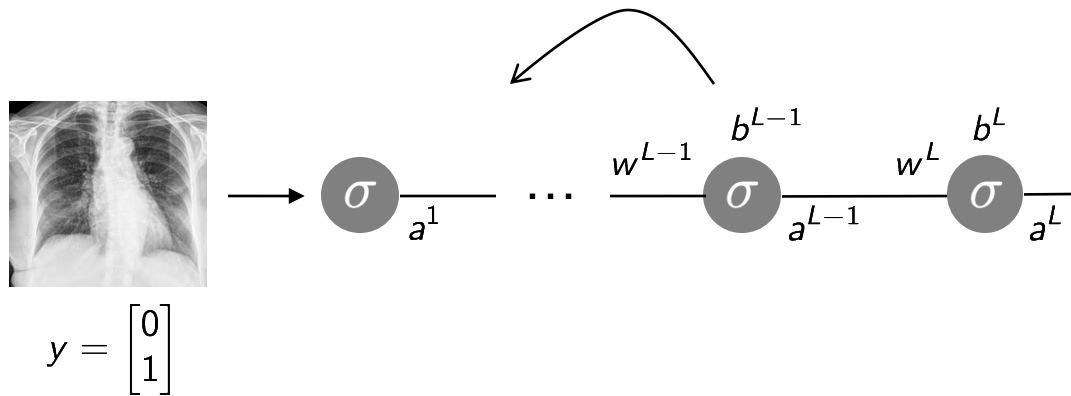


Backpropagation

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^l} = a^{l-1} \sigma'(z^l) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^l}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial b^l} = \sigma'(z^l) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^l}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^l} = w^{l+1} \sigma'(z^{l+1}) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^{l+1}}$$



Plug partial derivatives into gradient descent

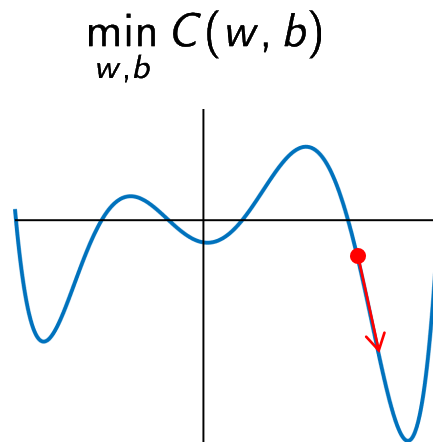
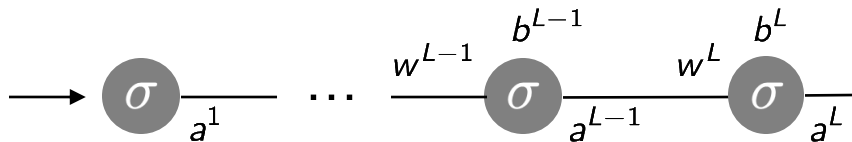
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$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Gradient descent

Loop over training examples

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w^l} = a^{l-1} \sigma'(z^l) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^l}$$

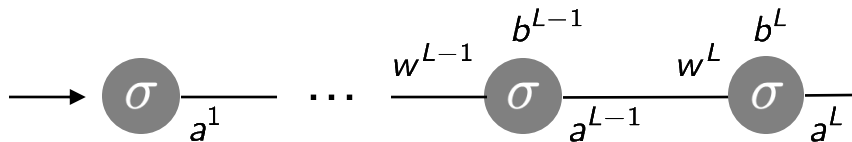
$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial b^l} = \sigma'(z^l) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^l}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^l} = w^{l+1} \sigma'(z^{l+1}) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a^{l+1}}$$

$$\min_{w,b} C(w, b)$$



$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



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Backpropagation: Efficiency and insights

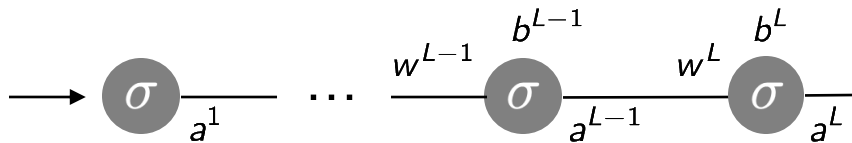
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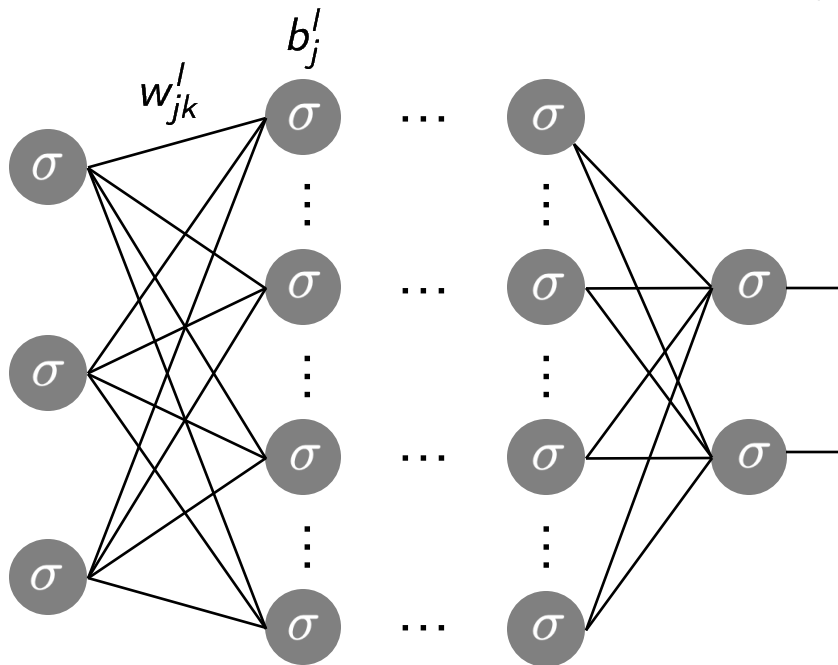
- Each computation involves just two layers
- Avoid recomputing identical expressions in the chain rule
- Gradients provide insight into what determines speed of learning

Backpropagation: General formulation

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial w_{jk}^l} = a_k^{l-1} \sigma'(z_j^l) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a_j^l}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial b_j^l} = \sigma'(z_j^l) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a_j^l}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a_j^l} = \sum_j w_{jk}^{l+1} \sigma'(z_j^{l+1}) \frac{\partial C_0}{\partial a_j^{l+1}}$$

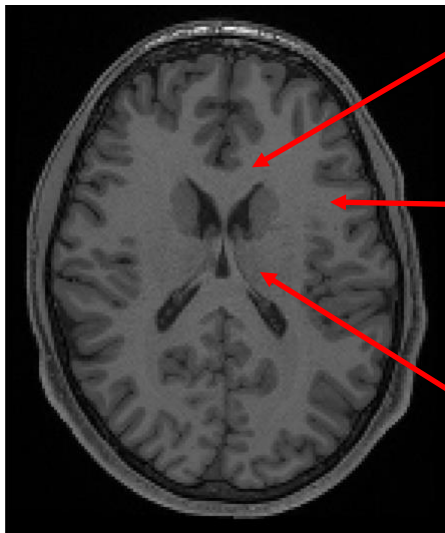


Exercise example 1:

Classification of brain tissue from DTI data

Classification of brain tissue from HCP DTI data

T1w

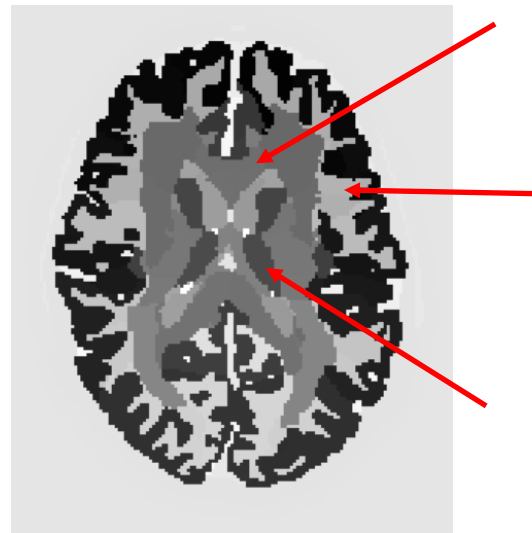


Genu of corpus callosum
(highly aligned WM)

Subcortical WM

Thalamus (GM)

Segmentation



Classification of brain tissue from HCP DTI data

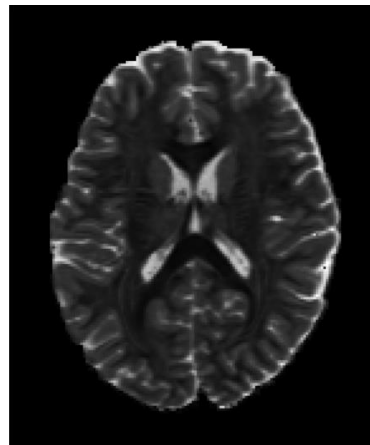
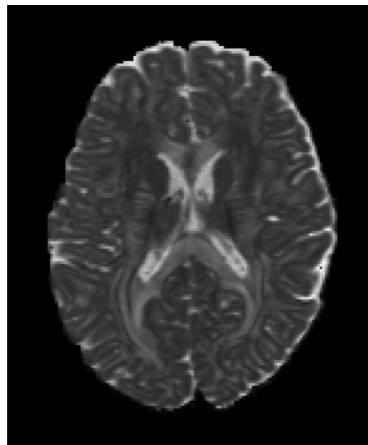
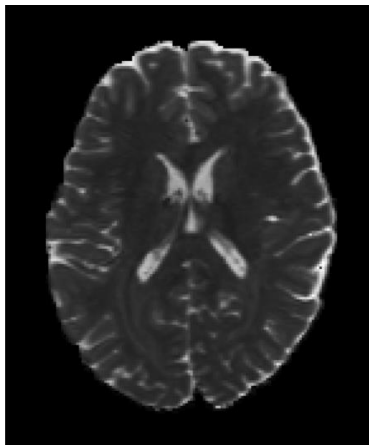
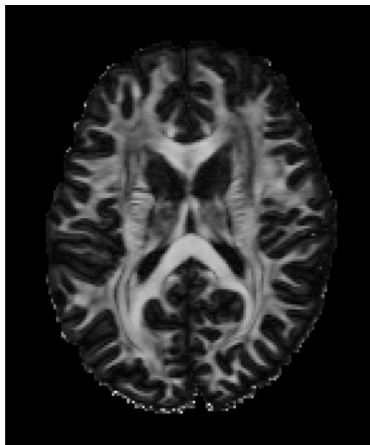
T1w

FA

MD ($\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3$)/3

AD (λ_1)

RD ($(\lambda_2 + \lambda_3)/2$)



Classification of brain tissue from HCP DTI data

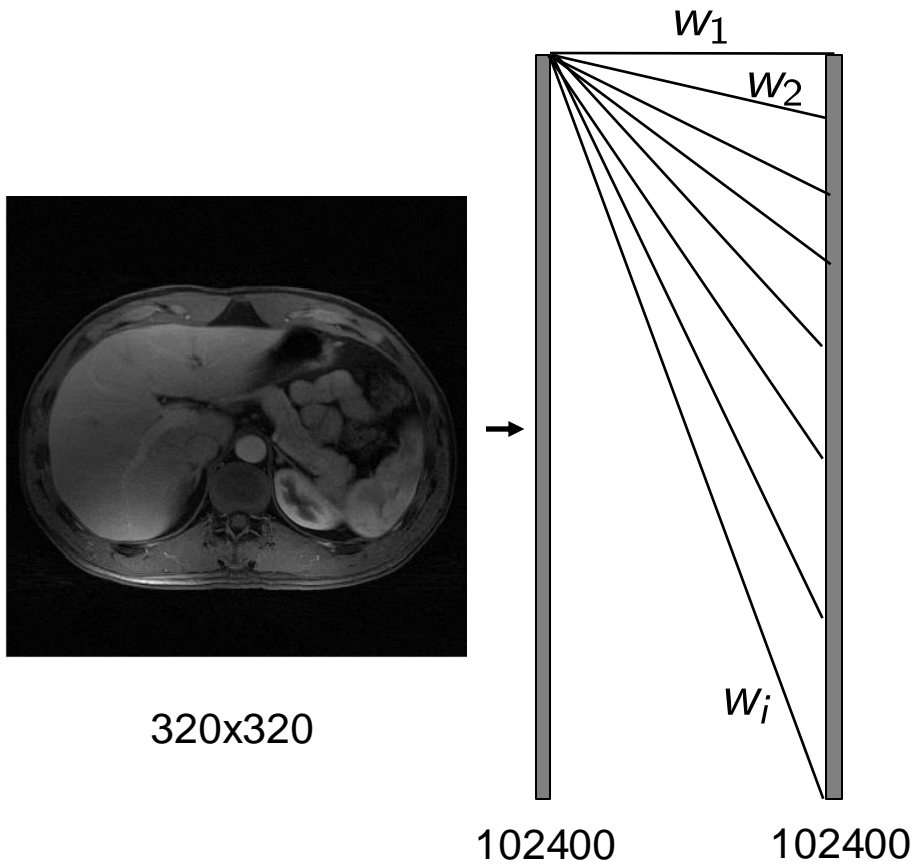
$$\{(x_1, y_1), \dots (x_N, y_N)\}$$

$$x_i = [T1w_i, FA_i, MD_i, AD_i, RD_i]$$

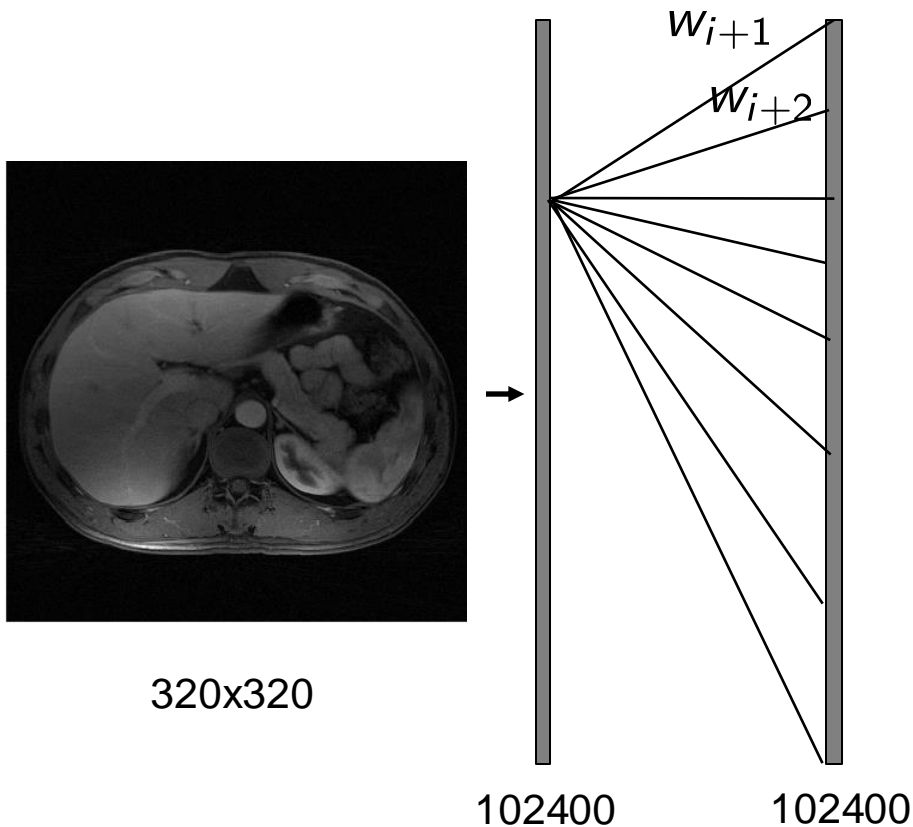
T1w (a.u.)	FA (-)	MD ($\frac{\mu m^2}{ms}$)	AD ($\frac{\mu m^2}{ms}$)	RD ($\frac{\mu m^2}{ms}$)	Class	Class label
898	0.22	1.066592	1.33	0.94	Thalamus	1
1007	0.68	0.39	0.72	0.22	CC	2
867	0.38	0.58	0.82	0.45	Cortical WM	3
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Exercise example 2:
Classification of image quality of accelerated
reconstructions with convolutional Neural
Networks (CNNs)

Fully connected Neural Networks



Fully connected Neural Networks

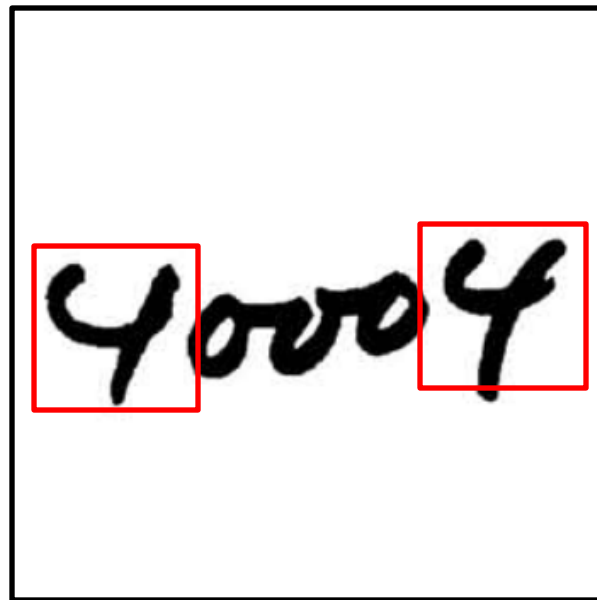


Number of parameters:
 $102400 \times 102400 \approx 1.05 \times 10^{10}$

**More efficient use of
parameters!**

Convolutional neural networks

40004 75216
14199-2087 23505
96203 14310
44151 05153



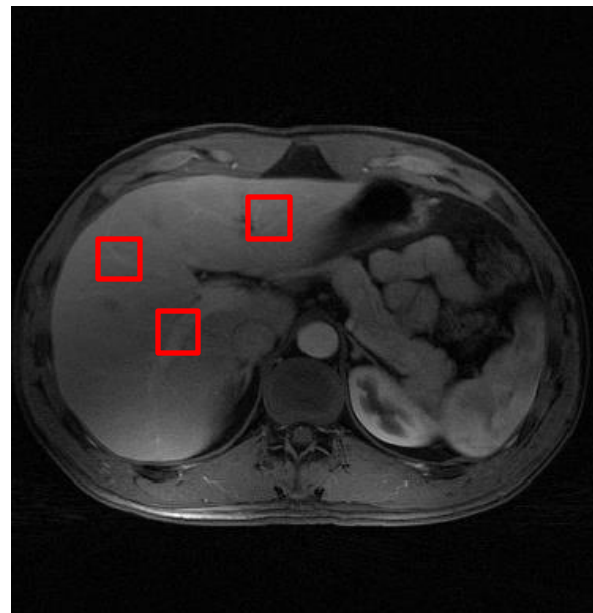
Local connectivity
Share parameters

Figure 1: Examples of original zipcodes from the testing set.

Convolutional neural networks

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Local connectivity
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Convolutional layers

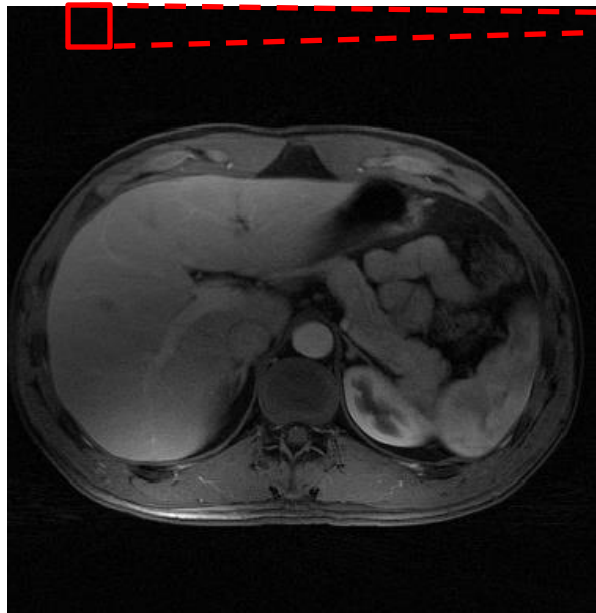
$$w^T x + b$$



320x320 image
3x3 filter w

Convolutional layers

$$w^T x + b$$



320x320 image
3x3 filter w

Model parameters: $3*3+1 = 10$

Example 2: Classification of image quality of accelerated reconstructions

Fully sampled vs 4 times PI-CS accelerated

Fully sampled reference



PI-CS R=4



Fully sampled vs 4 times PI-CS accelerated

Fully sampled reference



PI-CS R=4

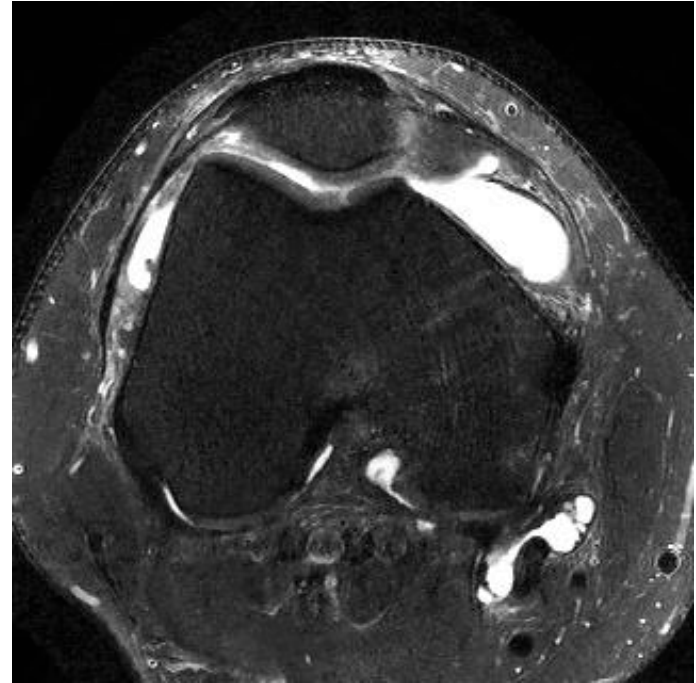


Fully sampled vs 4 times PI-CS accelerated

Fully sampled reference



PI-CS R=4



Fully sampled vs 4 times PI-CS accelerated

Fully sampled reference



PI-CS R=4



Summary

- Short recap of neural networks
- Training neural networks with gradient descent
- Backpropagation: Efficient implementation of chain rule
- Exercise: PyTorch examples for MLPs, CNNs