

# Lab4

## Neural Network

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# Introduction

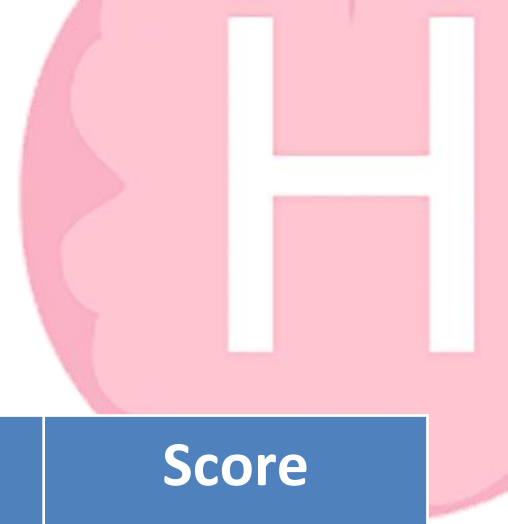
In this lab, you will apply neural networks to three tasks:

- **Regression:** Approximate a mathematical function.
- **Binary Classification:** Classify OCT retinal images as either normal or affected by Choroidal Neovascularization (CNV), a condition that can cause vision loss.
- **Multi-Class Classification:** Classify OCT retinal images into four categories:
  - CNV: Abnormal blood vessel growth in the eye
  - DME: Swelling of the macula due to diabetes
  - Drusen: Yellow deposits under the retina, potential sign of age-related macular degeneration
  - Normal: Healthy retina

# Goal

- Build your own deep neural network step by step
- Implement all the functions required to build a deep neural network
- Understanding forward propagation, backward propagation and update
- Implement Binary Cross-Entropy loss and Categorical Cross-Entropy loss
- Implement **regression** (basic part), **binary classifier** (basic part) and **multi-class classifier** (advanced part)

# *Grading Policy*



Item	Score
Basic Implementation	65%
Advanced Implementation	30%
Basic & Advanced Report	5%

# Overview

## Layer with parameters

### Dense layer

initialize\_parameters

forward

backward

update

## Layer without parameters

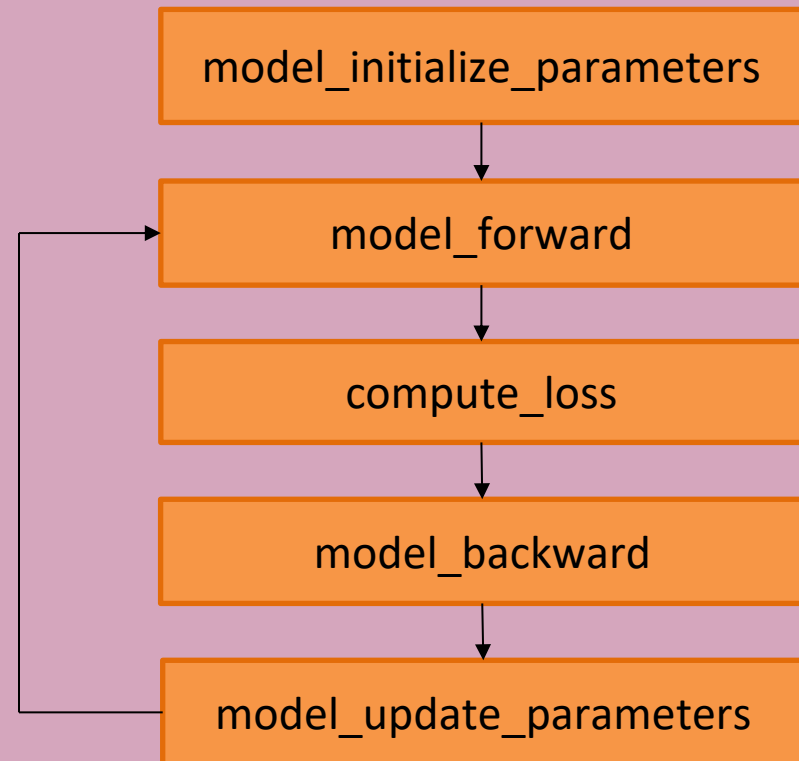
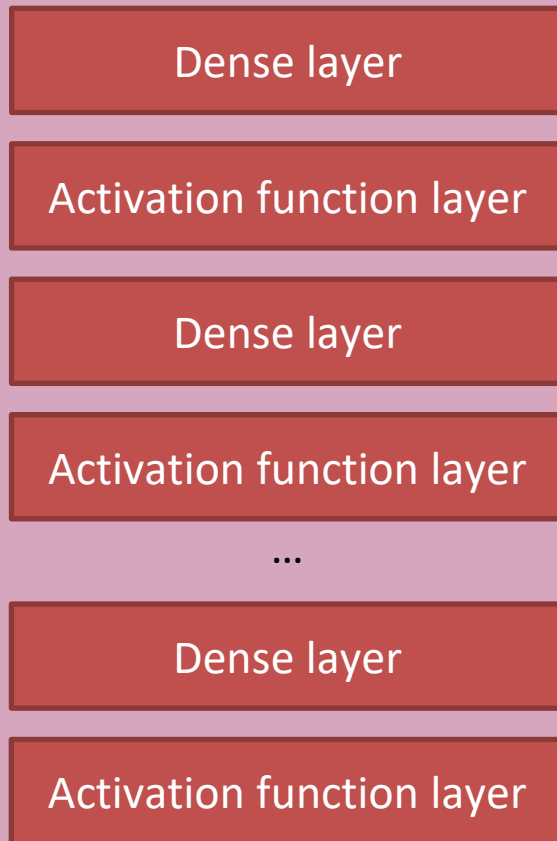
### Activation function layer

forward

backward

# Overview

## Model



# *Basic Implementation (65%)*

## **Section 1: Neural network implementation (30%)**

### **Part 1: Linear layer (10%)**

- Step 1: Linear Initialize parameters (0%)
- Step 2: Linear forward (4%)
- Step 3: Linear backward (4%)
- Step 4: Linear update parameters (2%)

### **Part 2: Activation function layer (10%)**

- Step 1: Activation forward (5%)
- Step 2: Activation backward (5%)

### **Part 3: Build model (10%)**

- Step 1: Model Initialize parameters (0%)
- Step 2: Model forward (4%)
- Step 3: Model backward (4%)
- Step 4: Model update parameters (2%)

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# ***Basic Implementation (65%)***

## **Section 2: Loss function (10%)**

Part 1: Binary cross-entropy loss (5%)

Part 2: Categorical cross-entropy loss (5%)

Part 3: Mean square error (0%)

## **Section 3: Training and prediction (25%)**

Part 1: Training function & batch function (5%)

Part 2: Regression (10%)

- Baseline : MAE  $\leq 0.05$  (5%)
- Submit “**Lab4\_basic\_regression.gif**” (5%)

Part 3: Binary classification (10%)

- Baseline : Public f1 score  $\geq 0.8$  (5%)
- Baseline : Private f1 score  $\geq 0.8$  (5%)





# *Advanced Implementation (30%)*

## **Multi-class classification**

- Baseline : Public f1 score  $\geq 0.6$  (5%)
- Baseline : Private f1 score  $\geq 0.6$  (10%)
- Private Ranking (15%)

# ***Loss function and Activation function***

Warning: only the following 3 combinations are allowed!

1. Regression : linear + mse
2. Binary classification: sigmoid + cross\_entropy
3. Multi-class classification: softmax + cross\_entropy

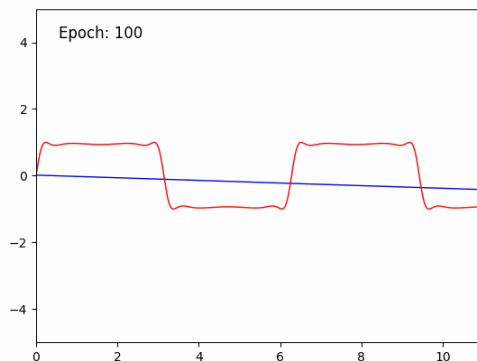
# Data (Simulation data)

## Regression: Math function approximation

The target function to approximate is:

$$y = \sin(2 * \sin(2 * \sin(2 * \sin(x))))$$

where  $x$  is in the range  $[0.01, 11]$



# Data (OCT scans)

## Binary classification: OCT scan images of retina

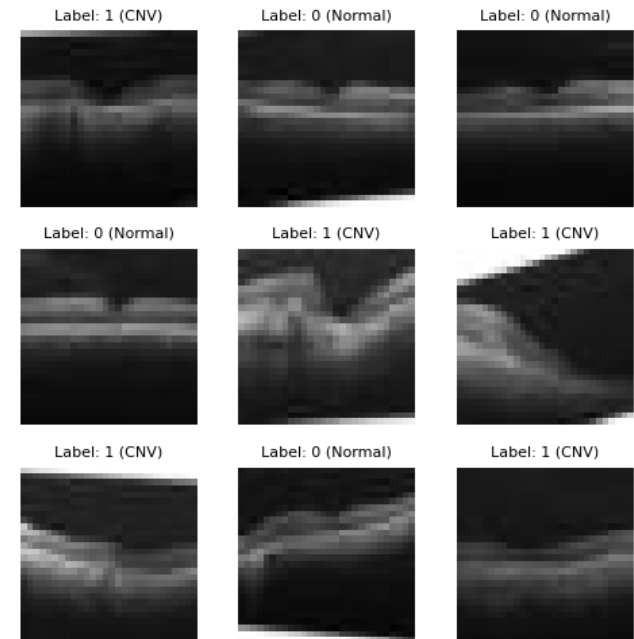
The dataset consists of 28x28 pixels grayscale OCT scan images of the retina, focusing on two classes: CNV (Choroidal Neovascularization) and Normal.

Details of the dataset:

- shape of x\_train: (20000, 28, 28)
- shape of y\_train: (20000, 1)
- shape of x\_test: (5000, 28, 28)

Classes:

- CNV: label = 1
- Normal: label = 0



# Data (OCT scans)

## Multi-class classification: OCT scan images of retina

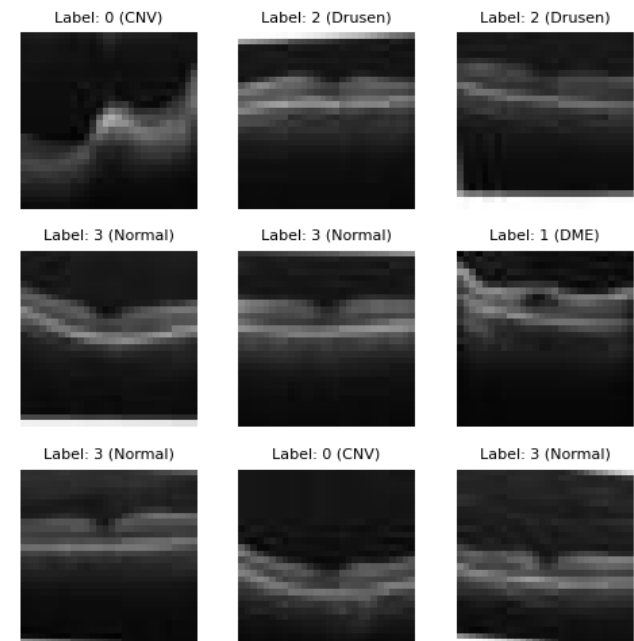
The dataset consists of 28x28 pixels grayscale OCT scan images of the retina, categorized into four classes: CNV (Choroidal Neovascularization), DME (Diabetic Macular Edema), Drusen, and Normal.

Details of the dataset:

- shape of x\_train: (37754, 28, 28)
- shape of y\_train: (37754,)
- shape of x\_test: (3000, 28, 28)

Classes:

- CNV: label = 0
- DME: label = 1
- Drusen: label = 2
- Normal: label = 3



# Output .csv file format

## Basic Part : regression

There should be (1000+1) rows in your csv file


First row is the header ['ID', 'y']

**ID** starts from 0, and **y** is the predicted y value

Please make sure that your output format is correct

Submit the answer (Lab4\_basic\_regression.csv) to Kaggle

**ML2024-Lab4-BasicPart-Reg**



	A	B
1	ID	y
2	0	0.389933
3	1	0.420138
4	2	0.450343
5	3	0.480549
6	4	0.510754
7	5	0.540959
8	6	0.571164
9	7	0.601369
10	8	0.631574
11	9	0.66178
12	10	0.691985

# Output .csv file format

## Basic Part : binary classifier

There should be (5000+1) rows in your csv file

First row is the header ['ID', 'Label']

Your prediction answer should be either 0 or 1

**ID** starts from 0, and **Label** is the predicted answer

Please make sure that your output format is correct

Submit the answer (Lab4\_basic.csv) to Kaggle

**ML2024-Lab4-BasicPart-B.C.**



	A	B
1	ID	Label
2	0	1
3	1	1
4	2	1
5	3	1
6	4	0
7	5	0
8	6	0



# Output .csv file format

## Advanced Part : multi-class classifier

There should be (3000+1) rows in your csv file

First row is the header ['ID', 'Label']

Your prediction answer should be (0~3)

**ID** starts from 0, and **Label** is the predicted answer

Please make sure that your output format is correct

Submit the answer (Lab4\_advanced.csv) to Kaggle

**ML2024-Lab4-AdvancedPart**



	A	B
1	ID	Label
2		0
3		1
4		2
5		3
6		4
7		5
8		6





# Output .npy File Format

- Named as “**Lab4\_output.npy**”
- This file is a dictionary that stores your output for each function.
- We will test your “**Lab4\_output.npy**” to verify the correctness of your neural networks.

```
dense_forward: <class 'tuple'>
dense_backward: <class 'tuple'>
dense_update_parameters: <class 'dict'>
sigmoid: <class 'tuple'>
relu: <class 'tuple'>
softmax: <class 'tuple'>
linear: <class 'tuple'>
sigmoid_backward: <class 'numpy.ndarray'>
relu_backward: <class 'numpy.ndarray'>
softmax_backward: <class 'numpy.ndarray'>
linear_backward: <class 'numpy.ndarray'>
model_forward_sigmoid: <class 'tuple'>
model_forward_relu: <class 'tuple'>
model_forward_softmax: <class 'tuple'>
model_backward_sigmoid: <class 'tuple'>
model_backward_relu: <class 'tuple'>
model_update_parameters: <class 'dict'>
compute_BCE_loss: <class 'numpy.float64'>
compute_CCE_loss: <class 'numpy.float64'>
```

# Evaluation Metric

## Regression

- MAE (mean absolute error)

summation of all values  
(with i ranging from 1  
to n)

this operator gives the  
absolute value of a  
number

$$\text{MAE} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n |y - \hat{y}_i|}{n}$$

No. of data  
points

$y$  = actual value,  $\hat{y}$  = predicted value

# Evaluation Metric

## Classification

- F1-score

$$F1\text{-score} = 2 \times \frac{(\text{Precision} \times \text{Recall})}{(\text{Precision} + \text{Recall})}$$

		Actual/True value	
		positive	negative
Predicted value	positive	TP	FP
	negative	FN	TN

# *Given Items*

- Template: Lab4\_template.ipynb
- Basic data (binary classifier): basic\_data.npz
- Advanced data: advanced\_data.npz

# Template

## Important notice

- Please **do not** change the code outside this code bracket in the basic part.

```
### START CODE HERE ###  
...  
### END CODE HERE ###
```

- Please **do not** import any other packages in both basic and advanced part
- Please **do not** change the random seed `np.random.seed(1)`.

Remember to save the code file to **Lab4.ipynb**

# Kaggle

We've created competitions for 3 tasks respectively.

- Basic regression link:  
<https://www.kaggle.com/competitions/ml-2024-lab-4-basic-part-fa>
- Basic binary classification link:  
<https://www.kaggle.com/competitions/ml-2024-lab-4-basic-part-bc>
- Advanced link:  
<https://www.kaggle.com/competitions/ml-2024-lab-4-advanced-part>
- For regression, only **public** data are provided.
- For both binary and multi-class classification tasks, we split the testing data randomly into **public** (50%) and **private** (50%) parts, maintaining the same class distribution ratio.
- Only the public score will be visible on Kaggle.

# Kaggle

- Please register your account.
- Click the 'Join competition' button to join.



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## ML2024-Lab4-BasicPart-Reg

Use deep neural network to approximate a function.



# Kaggle

- After joining the competition, you should change your team name (each student is a team) to your **student ID**.
- Please remember to **SAVE CHANGES**
- You can submit 50 times per day.

**Notes:** Please verify your team name on the leaderboard - changing profile name does not change team name.

A screenshot of the Kaggle 'Your Team' page. The 'Team' tab in the top navigation bar is circled in red. In the 'General' section, the 'TEAM NAME' input field, which contains the value '113062525', is circled in red. Below this, a message states 'This name will appear on your team's leaderboard position.' In the 'Team Members' section, a user 'Chien-Hui Su (You)' is listed as the 'Team Leader'. At the bottom, the 'Save Changes' button is circled in red.

Overview Data Discussion Leaderboard **Team** Submissions

### Your Team

Everyone that competes in a Competition does so as a team - even if you're competing by yourself. [Learn more](#).

#### General

TEAM NAME

113062525

This name will appear on your team's leaderboard position.

#### Let others know you're looking for teammates

Your team can't accept more team members.

#### Team Members

Your team is at maximum capacity. Great job!

Chien-Hui Su (You)  
Team Leader

**Save Changes**



You can manually select up to 1 submission that will count towards your final leaderboard score. If no submission is selected, Kaggle will automatically select your submission with the best public score.

## Submissions

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Auto-selection candidates ?

Submission and Description		Public Score ⓘ	Select
All Successful Selected Errors		Recent ▾	
✓	Lab4_basic.csv Complete · 4m ago	0.92063	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
✓	Lab4_basic.csv Complete · 5m ago	0.92063	<input type="checkbox"/>

Manual-selection

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Auto-selection candidates ?

Submission and Description		Public Score ⓘ	Select
All Successful Selected Errors		Recent ▾	
✓	Lab4_basic.csv Complete · 6m ago	0.92063	<input type="checkbox"/>
✓	Lab4_basic.csv Complete · 7m ago	0.92063	<input type="checkbox"/>

Auto-selection

# Basic & Advanced Report (5%)

1. What are the key differences between sigmoid and softmax activation functions, and why did we choose them for binary and multi-class classification respectively? (1%)
2. Why does the loss oscillate during model training? (list at least 2 reasons) (2%)
3. How does changing the learning rate and batch size affect model training time? (1%)
4. Put your regression results (*lab4\_basic\_regression.jpg*) on report. (1%)

## Notes:

1. Do not exceed 1 page!
2. Name your report file as “**Lab4\_report.pdf**”.

# Requirement

- Do it individually! Not as a team! (team is for final project)
- Announce date: 2024/10/31
- Deadline: **2024/11/12 23:59** (Late submission is not allowed!)
- Submit the answers (csv) to corresponding Kaggle competition.
  - **ML2024-Lab4-BasicPart-Reg**
  - **ML2024-Lab4-BasicPart-B.C.**
  - **ML2024-Lab4-AdvancedPart**
- Hand in following files to **eeclclass** in the following format (Do not compressed!)
  - **Lab4.ipynb**
  - **Lab4\_report.pdf**
  - **Lab4\_basic\_regression.gif**
  - **Lab4\_output.npy**

# Penalty

0 points if any of the following conditions happened

- Plagiarism
- Late submission
- Not using a template or importing any other packages
- No submission record on Kaggle (we cannot identify who you are)
- Wrong team name on Kaggle (we cannot identify who you are)
- No code(**“Lab4.ipynb”**) submission on eeclass
- Your submission was not generated by your code

5 Points would be deducted if your submission format is incorrect

0 Points will be given in the Basic section 1&2 if you don't submit

**“Lab4\_output.npy”**



# Questions?

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- No debugging service

