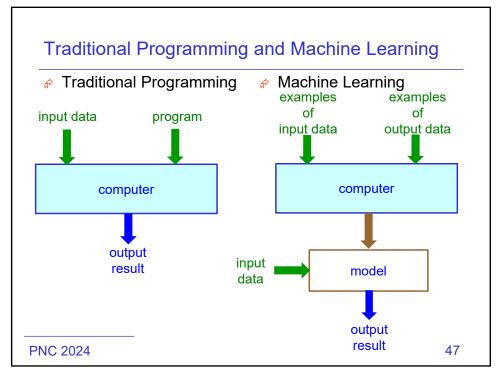
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Traditional Programming and Machine Learning

- Traditional Programming
- Machine Learning

Find the square of a number

Write Python code:

Provide examples:

>>> x = int(input())

[[2,4],[3,9],[4,16],[5,25]...]

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>>> print('the square is', x*x)

Train a ML model

the square is 4

Apply the model to new data

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Traditional Programming and Machine Learning

Why is Machine Learning so useful?

Because we often have problems for which we do not know a formula

Example: Is an image a cat or dog?



cat or dog?

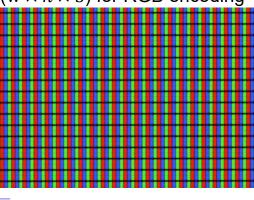


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Data as Vectors

Every type of data can be represented as a vector

• Image: $(w \times h \times 3)$ for RGB encoding



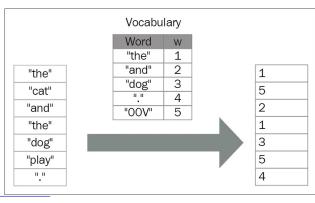
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Data as Vectors

- Every type of data can be represented as a vector
- Words and text:



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Data as Vectors

- Every type of data can be represented as a vector
- Data:
 - Yes No (1) (0)
 - User profile (Age, Income, family...)
 - ...

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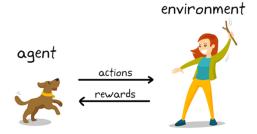
Artificial Intelligence – Machine Learning

- Learning from data
 - Data = set of objects $\{x\}$ {images}
- 1. Unsupervised learning
 - Groups the objects by similarity
- 2. Supervised learning $\{(image_1, cat), (image_2, dog)\}$
 - Objects have labels y: {(x, y)}
 - From training data, build a model to predict the label y = f(x)
- 3. Learning by reinforcement
 - Learn based on reward (like Tic-Tac-Toe)

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Reinforcement Learning

◆ Data is action, action get reward



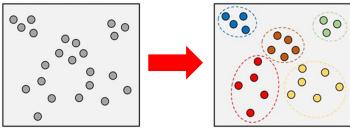
- Learning by adjusting rewards
- Typical example: games, moves are rewarded based on winning or losing game

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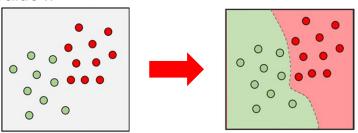
Unsupervised Machine Learning

- ♠ Data = set of objects {x}
- Cluster similar objects together into groups



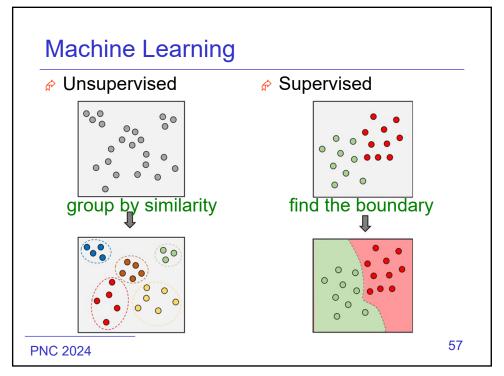
 Typical application: marketing, group customers who are likely to buy the same products

- ◆ Data = set of objects with label {(x,y)}
- ◆ Find a model to guess the label y from the value x



◆ Typical application: prediction of a value

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- Which data?
 - Image → Computer Vision

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- Text → Natural Language Processing
- Data → Example: shopping user data
- Which applications?
 - Retail: predict what customers will buy
 - Finance: predict future stock value
 - · Health: automatic diagnostic
 - Spam detection: fraudulent emails or sms
 - Weather forecast: predict future rain, storm, typhoon
 - Vision: face recognition
 - Natural Language: chatbots
 - ...

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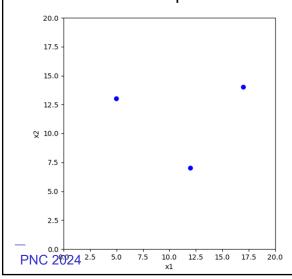
Supervised Machine Learning

- Data:
 - Object: $x = (x_1, x_2, ..., x_n)$
 - Training data: set $\{x_i\} = \{(x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{in})\}$
 - Each object x_i has a label y_i : $\{(x_i, y_i)\} = \{(x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{in}, y_i)\}$
- ◆ Example: student s has grade x at course C
 - We predict grade at C_3 from grades at (C_1, C_2)

Student	C3	C1	C2
s1	16	17	14
s2	9	12	7
s3	7	5	13

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Geometrical representation



Student	x1=C1	x2=C2
s1	17	14
s2	12	7
s3	5	13

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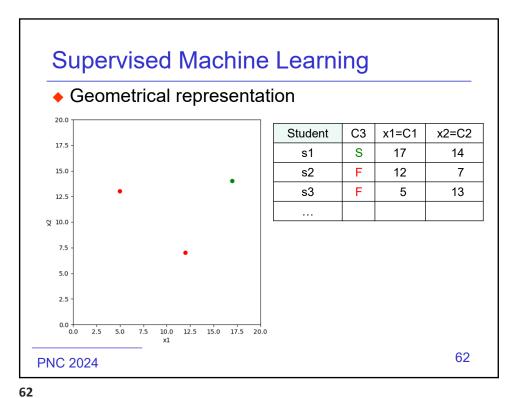
Supervised Machine Learning

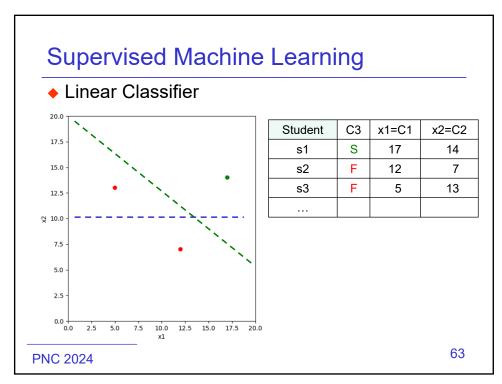
- ♦ To make it simpler, we only predict if the student succeeds or fails in C_3
- Data:

Student	C3	C3	C1	C2
s1	S	16	17	14
s2	F	9	12	7
s3	F	7	5	13

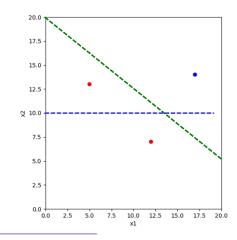
- For easier mathematics, we note:
 - Success: S $y_1 = +1$
 - Failure : F $y_2 = -1$ $y_3 = -1$

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• Linear Classifier: $\underline{w_1}x_1 + \underline{w_2}x_2 + \underline{w_0} = 0$



w_1	0	
w_2	1	
w_0	-10	
$x_2 - 10 = 0$		
w_1	3	
W_2	4	
w_0	-80	
$3x_1 + 4x_2 - 80 = 0$		

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Supervised Machine Learning

• The boundary of the linear classifier is the line:

$$w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_0 = 0$$

◆ The line splits the space into two half-spaces

$$w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_0 < 0$$

 $w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_0 > 0$ $w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_0 = 0$ $w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_0 < 0$

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- ♦ How to use a linear classifier ?
- ◆ Given a set of points, we define an error function and we find the values of (w₁, w₂, w₀) that minimize this function
 - The common minimization technique is called "Gradient Descent"
- With the values of (w_1, w_2, w_0) we can classify any point (x_1, x_2) :
 - we compute $w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + w_0$
 - if $w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + w_0 > 0$, the classifier predicts y = +1
 - if $w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + w_0 < 0$, the classifier predicts y = -1

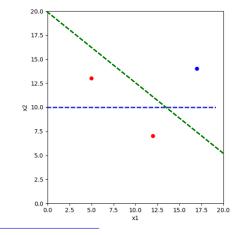
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Supervised Machine Learning

• Linear Classifier: $w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + w_0 = 0$



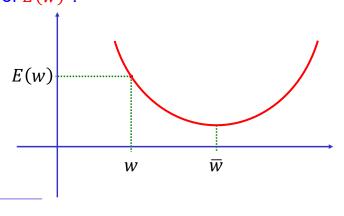
$sign(x_2-10)$		
(17,14)	+4	
(12,7)	-3	
(5,13)	+3	
1 error		

$sign(3x_1 + 4x_2 - 80)$		
(17,14)	27	
(12,7)	-16	
(5,13)	-13	
0 error		

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Intuition for Gradient Descent

• We want to minimize an Error function E(w)Should we increase or decrease w to reduce the value of E(w)?

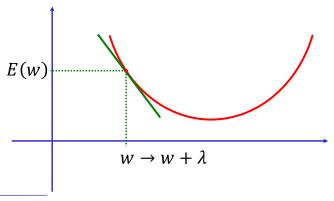


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Intuition for Gradient Descent

- We use the derivative to reduce the value E(w)
 - if the derivative is negative, we increase $w \rightarrow w + \lambda$
 - if the derivative is positive, we decrease $w \to w \lambda$

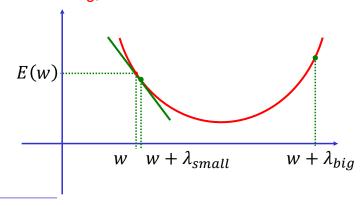


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Intuition for Gradient Descent

- Problems:
 - if λ is too small, it takes very long to reach \overline{w}
 - if λ is too big, we miss \overline{w} and we need to come back



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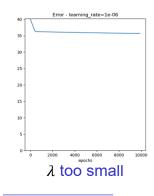
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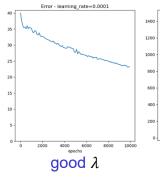
Intuition for Gradient Descent

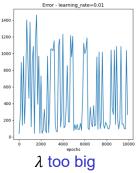
- Gradient Descent procedure:
 - start with an initial value of w
 - compute the derivative
 - use it to modify the value of w by an amount that depends on the learning rate λ
 - check the error to make sure that λ is not too big
 - iterate until convergence
 - the iterations are called "epoch"

Intuition for Gradient Descent

- Gradient Descent procedure:
 - to find a good learning rate, watch how the value of the error changes with the number of epochs







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Intuition for Gradient Descent

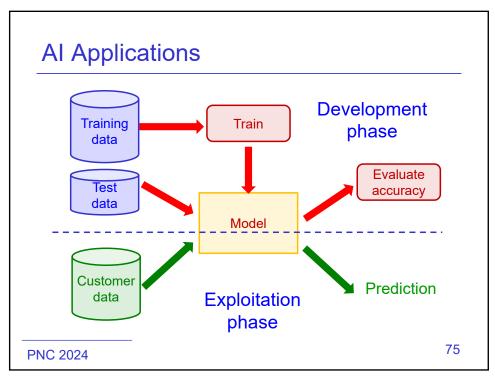
- A good value for the learning rate may be different for each function
- There are many algorithms to change the value of the learning rate during the epochs:
 - Start with a high learning rate → move fast
 - Later reduce the learning rate \rightarrow be accurate

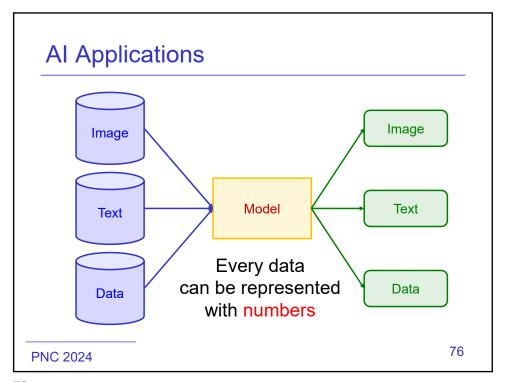
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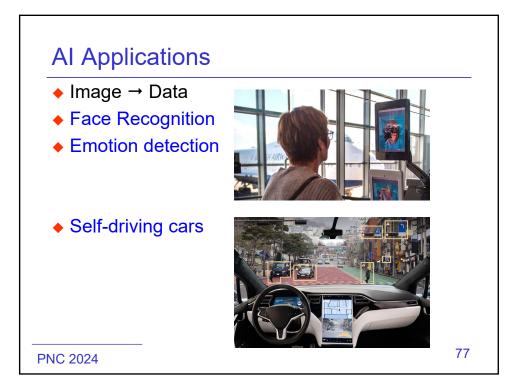
- How to build a Al application?
- Steps:
- Collect data
- 2. Prepare the data (into suitable format)
 - cleaning, labelling, ...
- 3. Choose a model
- Train the model
 - find the best values of the parameters
- Evaluate the model
 - on data that was not used to train
- 6. Make predictions
 - on new data

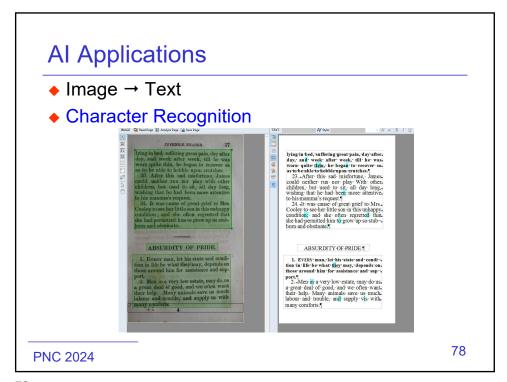
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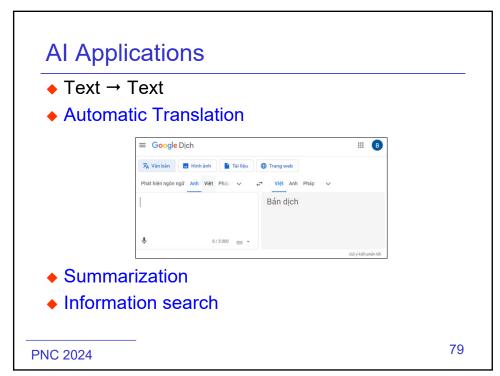
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Al Applications

- ◆ Speech Data → Text
- ◆ Speech Recognition
- Language Learning
- ◆ Text → Speech
- ◆ Speech Synthesis



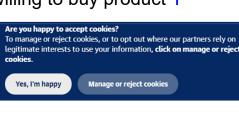


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Al Applications

- Marketing: targeted advertising
- ◆ Is the customer X willing to buy product Y
- Data:
 - customer age
 - salary
 - family
 - address
 - products already bought
 - web pages visited
 - ...
- Prediction: the customer will buy Y? (yes/no)



Al Applications

- Common question to AI engineers from users:
 - how much data do you need?
- Common answer:
 - as much as possible
- But quality of data is important

DATA = \$\$
Personal Data = \$\$\$

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Quick Introduction to Deep Learning and Demo

if you are afraid of formulas, don't look at them, just look at the figures

A Quick Course On Deep Networks

- Deep Learning is a particular type of models based on the combination of linear classifiers
- Those models are the basis for most of the recent progress in AI/ML
- They can be applied to (almost) any type of data (text, image, speech, data...), and can be extremely efficient for very diverse tasks.
- The models can be huge (billions of parameters) and be trained on huge training sets.

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◆ The real plane

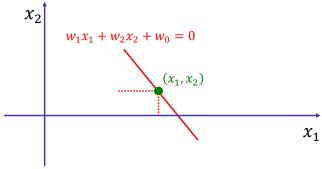
 \mathbb{R}^2

Points (vectors)

 (x_1, x_2)

Lines

 $w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_0 = 0$



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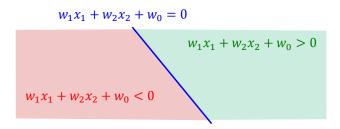
Lines

$$w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + w_0 = 0$$

Half-spaces

$$\bullet w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_0 > 0$$

$$w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_0 < 0$$



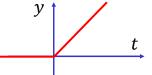
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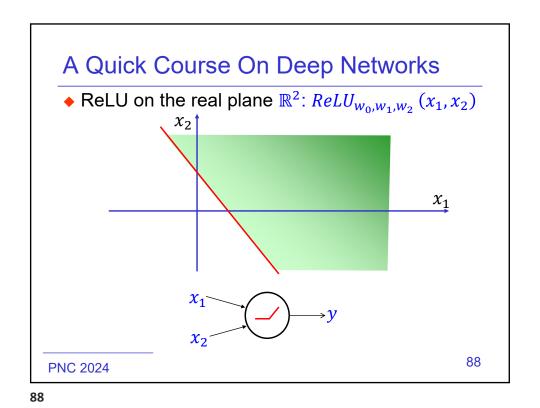
• The ReLU Function (Rectified Linear Unit) ReLU(t) = max(t, 0)

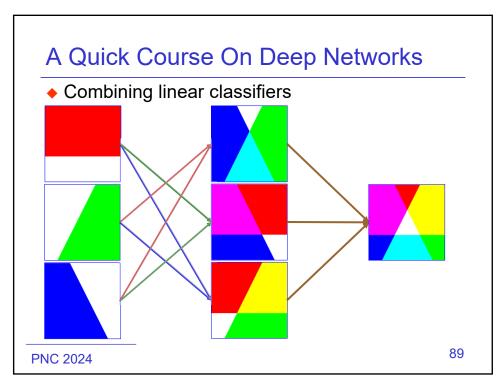


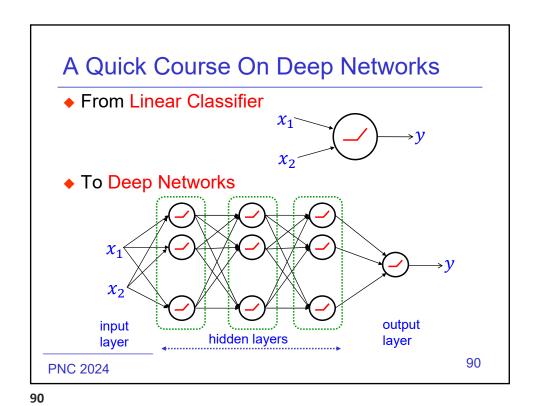
• ReLU on the real plane \mathbb{R}^2

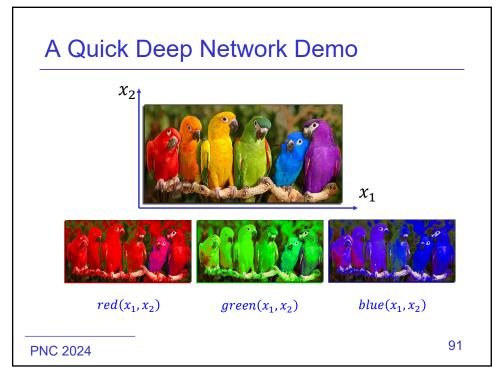
$$ReLU(x_1, x_2) = ReLU(w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + w_0)$$
$$= max(w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + w_0, 0)$$

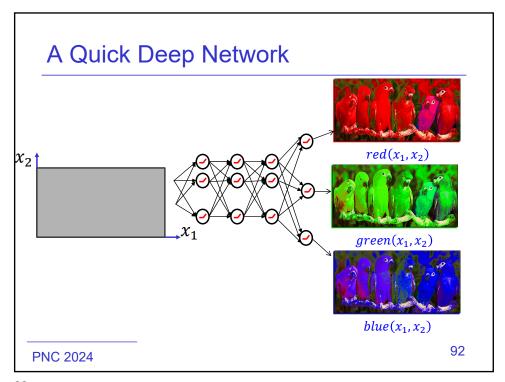
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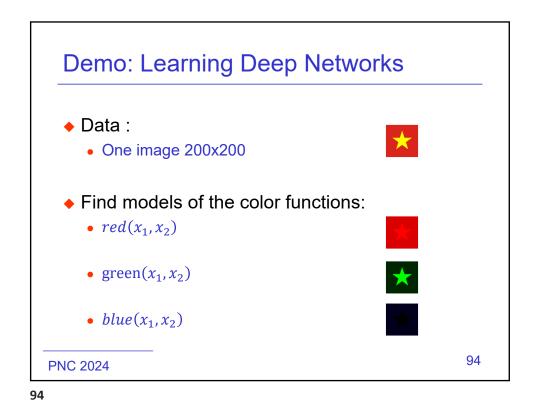




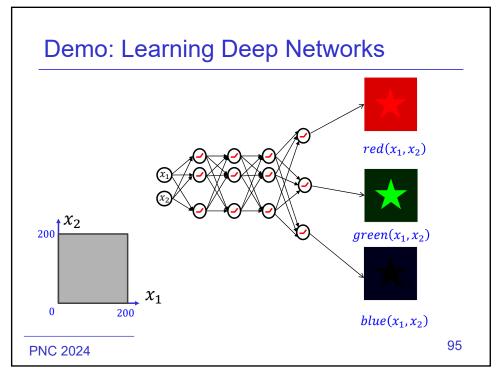
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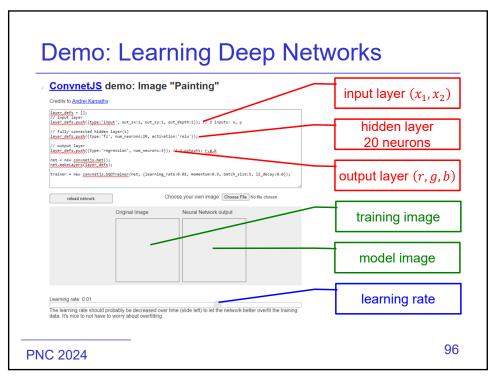
Demo: Learning Deep Networks

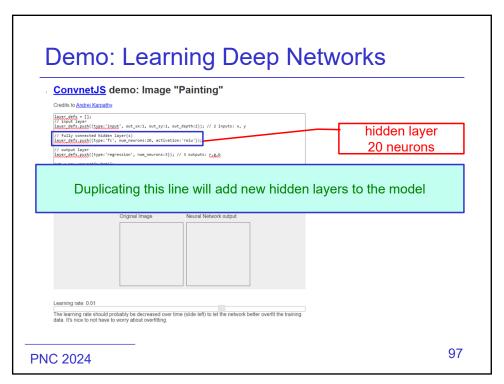
- You are given a Javascript code that trains a Deep Network to represent a color image
- You can see how the network evolves during training
- You can modify the number of hidden layers (just cut and paste one line) to see how deeper networks can better represent the image











Practice 2: Learning Linear Classifier

- You are provided with a Python notebook that already contains the code to train and visualize
- There are 3 datasets, from easy to more complex
- You should experiment with several learning rates and the number of epochs to achieve a good classifier
- Note: not all values for the learning_rate will lead to a successful training

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Practice 2: Learning Linear Classifier

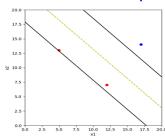
- Log on https://colab.research.google.com/
- ◆ File -> upload notebook
- upload practice2.ipynb
- ◆ Files -> upload
- upload practice2.data1.data
- Runtime -> Run All
- you can try different values of the learning_rate
- repeat with practice2.data2.data and practice2.data3.data

Practice 2: Learning Linear Classifier

Data : student and grades

Student	Grade1	Grade2	Success
S1	17	14	1
S2	12	7	-1
S3	5	13	-1

Goal: build linear classifier to predict success



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