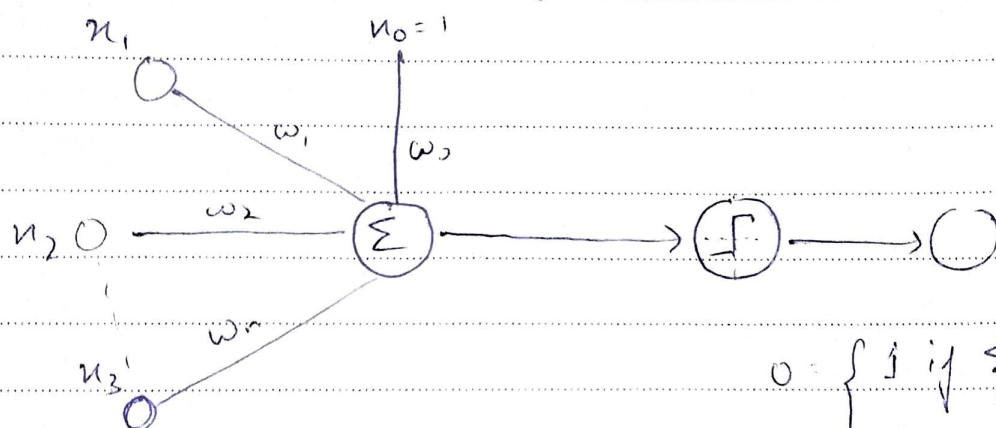


## ML Assignment - 3

### 3) Perceptron

One type of ANN system is based on a unit called perceptron

Perceptron is a single layer neural network



$$o = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \sum_{i=0}^n w_i x_i > 0 \\ -1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

→ A perceptron takes a vector of real valued inputs, calculates linear combination of these inputs, then outputs a 1 if the result (of) is greater than some threshold and -1 otherwise

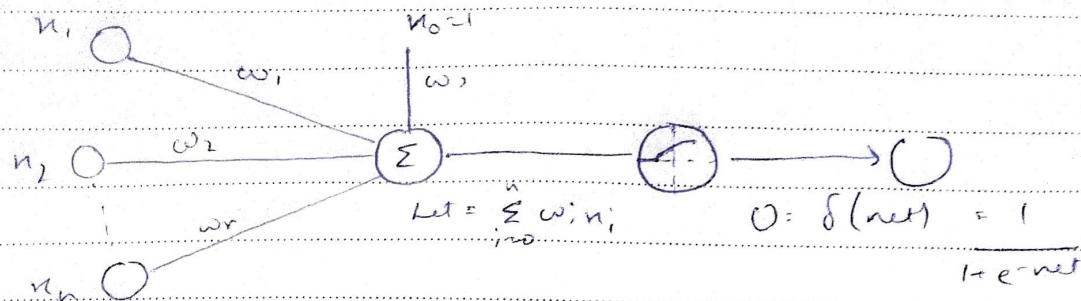
→ Given inputs  $x$  through  $x_n$ , the output  $o(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  computed by the perceptron is  $o(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } w_0 + w_1 x_1 + \dots + w_n x_n > 0 \\ -1, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

where each  $w_i$  is a real valued constant.

-  $w_0$  is a threshold that the weighted combination of inputs  $w_1 x_1 + \dots + w_n x_n$  must surpass in order for perceptron to output a 1.

### A differential threshold unit (Sigmoid Unit)

→ Sigmoid unit - a unit very much like a perceptron, but on a smoothed differential threshold function



→ The sigmoid function first computes a linear combination of its inputs, then applies a threshold to the result and the threshold output is a continuous function of input

→ More precisely the sigmoid unit computes its output  $O$  as

$$O = \sigma(\vec{w} \cdot \vec{n})$$

where  $\sigma(y) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-y}}$ ,  $\sigma$  is sigmoid function

→ Solution of problem

True, Perceptron A is more general than perceptron B

$n_1$	$n_2$	$w_0 + w_1 n_1 + w_2 n_2$ Perceptron A	$w_0 + w_1 n_1 + w_2 n_2$ Perceptron B	A more general than B
0	0	1	0	1
0	1	2	1	1
1	0	3	2	1
1	1	4	3	1

$$B((n_1, n_2)) = 1 \Leftrightarrow 2n_1 + n_2 > 0 \rightarrow 1 + 2n_1 + n_2 > 0 \rightarrow A((n_1, n_2)) = 1$$

True,

Here, perceptron A is more general than perceptron B because every instance of  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  that satisfies perceptron B also satisfies perceptron A.