# Deep Learning References

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#### Abstract

This document contains some potentially useful references to understand artificial neural networks (ANNs) and deep learning (DL) methods, at both theoretical and practical levels.

## 1 Textbooks and surveys about DL

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# 2 Introductory books and tutorials on ANNs

- Bishop, C.M. (1995) Neural Networks for Pattern Recognition, Oxford University Press.
- Haykin, S. (1999) Neural Networks: A Comprehensive Foundation, Prentice Hall.
- Bishop, C.M. (2006) Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning, Springer. Chapter 5 is dedicated to Neural Networks.
- "Neural Networks and Deep Learning" by Michael Nielsen: http://neuralnetworksanddeeplearning.com/index.html
- Tutorials on neural networks and deep learning by Quoc V. Le: https://cs.stanford.edu/~quocle/tutorial1.pdf, https://cs.stanford.edu/~quocle/tutorial2.pdf, and http://www.trivedigaurav.com/blog/quoc-les-lectures-on-deep-learning/

# 3 Some recommended references in specific subjects

#### 3.1 Convolutional Neural Networks

- "Visualizing and Understanding Convolutional Networks" by Matthew D. Zeiler and Rob Fergus (2014)
- "Convolutional Neural Networks for Visual Recognition" (Stanford course given by Fei-Fei Li, Andrej Karpathy, and Justin Johnson, 2016): http://cs231n.github.io/

- "A beginner's guide to understanding Convolutional Neural Networks" by Adit Deshpand https://adeshpande3.github.io/adeshpande3.github.io/A-Beginner's-Guide-To-Understanding-Convolutional-Neural-Networks/
- "Understanding Deep Convolutional Networks" by Stéphane Mallat (2016)
- "Convolutional Neural Networks" by Nando de Freitas (2015): https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bEUX\_56Lojc

## 3.2 Unsupervised Deep Learning

- "Generative Adversarial Networks" (2014) by Ian J. Goodfellow et al.
- "Auto-Encoding Variational Bayes" (2013) by Diederik P. Kingma and Max Welling.
- "Tutorial on Variational Autoencoders" (2016) by Carl Doersch.
- "NIPS 2016 Workshop on Adversarial Training": https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLJscN9YDD1buxCitmej1pjJkR5PMhenTF

#### 3.3 Recurrent Neural Networks

- "Supervised Sequence Labelling with Recurrent Neural Networks" (2012) by Alex Graves.
- "A Critical Review of Recurrent Neural Networks for Sequence Learning" (2015) by Z.C. Lipton et al.
- Deep Natural Language Processing course offered at the University of Oxford: https://github.com/oxford-cs-deepnlp-2017/lectures
- "The Unreasonable Effectiveness of Recurrent Neural Networks" by Andrej Karpathy: https://karpathy.github.io/2015/05/21/rnn-effectiveness/
- "Understanding LSTM Networks" by Christopher Olah: https://colah.github.io/posts/2015-08-Understanding-LSTMs/
- "LSTM: A search space odyssey" (2016) by K. Greff et al.
- "Training Recurrent Neural Networks" (2012) by Ilya Sutskever

## 3.4 Reinforcement Learning

- "Reinforcement Learning: An Introduction" by Richard S. Sutton and Andrew G. Barto: https://webdocs.cs.ualberta.ca/~sutton/book/the-book-2nd.html
- David Silver's course: http://www0.cs.ucl.ac.uk/staff/d.silver/web/Teaching.html
- "Deep Reinforcement Learning: Pong from Pixels" by Andrej Karpathy: https://karpathy.github.io/2016/05/31/rl/
- Talks on Deep Reinforcement Learning by John Schulman: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aUrX-rP\_ss4, and his Deep Reinforcement Learning course http://rll.berkeley.edu/deeprlcourse/.
- Andrew Ng's Thesis: http://rll.berkeley.edu/deeprlcourse/docs/ng-thesis.pdf

## 4 More resources online

- Reading lists, survey papers, and most cited deep learning papers:
  - http://deeplearning.net/reading-list/
  - https://github.com/terryum/awesome-deep-learning-papers
  - $-\ \mathtt{https://github.com/IshmaelBelghazi/Deep-Learning-Papers-Reading-Roadmap}$
- Inria deep learning reading group sessions: https://project.inria.fr/deeplearning/sessions/
- Nando de Freitas' talks: https://www.youtube.com/user/ProfNandoDF/ videos
- Christopher Colah's blog: https://colah.github.io/
- Andrej Karpathy's blog: https://karpathy.github.io/
- Andrej Karpathy's talks: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPk8m\_ r6fkUSYmvgCBwq-sw/videos

- Hugo Larochelle's talks: https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list= PL6Xpj9I5qXYEcOhn7TqghAJ6NAPrNmUBH
- Adit Deshpande's blog: https://adeshpande3.github.io/
- "Deep Learning" by Geoff Hinton (2015): https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IcOMKXAw5VA
- "Introduction to neural nets and backpropagation" by Patrick Winston (2010): https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q0pm3BrIUFo
- Deep Learning Summer School (Montreal, 2015): http://videolectures.net/deeplearning2015\_montreal/
- Deep Learning Summer School (Montreal, 2016): http://videolectures.net/deeplearning2016\_montreal/
- International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR) 2016: http://videolectures.net/iclr2016\_san\_juan/
- International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML) 2016 Tutorials: http://techtalks.tv/icml/2016/tutorials/
- Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS) 2016 Tutorials: https://nips.cc/Conferences/2016/Schedule?type=Tutorial
- "Scaling Up Deep Learning" by Yoshua Bengio (2014): http://videolectures.net/kdd2014\_bengio\_deep\_learning/
- "Deep Learning" (slides by Geoff Hinton, Yoshua Bengio and Yann Le-Cun, NIPS'2015 tutorial) http://www.iro.umontreal.ca/~bengioy/talks/DL-Tutorial-NIPS2015.pdf
- "What's Wrong with Deep Learning" (slides by Yann LeCun, CVPR'2015 keynote) https://drive.google.com/file/d/0BxKBnD5y2M8NVHRiVXBnOVpiYUk
- "Deep Learning Tutorial" (slides by Yann LeCun, ICML'2013 tutorial) http://www.cs.nyu.edu/~yann/talks/lecun-ranzato-icml2013.pdf
- Deep learning Udacity course: https://classroom.udacity.com/courses/ud730/lessons/6370362152/concepts/63798118150923

- Geoff Hinton's course on Neural Networks for Machine Learning at Coursera: https://www.coursera.org/learn/neural-networks
- Andrew Ng's course on Machine Learning at Coursera: https://www.coursera.org/learn/machine-learning
- "Backpropagation tutorial" by Manfred Zabarauskas (2011): http://blog.zabarauskas.com/backpropagation-tutorial/
- Introduction to deep neural networks: http://deeplearning4j.org/neuralnet-overview.html
- Neural Networks terminology: http://www.asimovinstitute.org/neural-network-zoo/
- A Guide to Deep Learning: http://yerevann.com/a-guide-to-deep-learning/
- Deep Learning course: lecture slides and lab notebooks. This course is being taught at as part of Master Datascience Paris Saclay: https://m2dsupsdlclass.github.io/lectures-labs/

## 5 Some important papers...

- "A learning algorithm for Boltzmann machines" (1985), D.H. Ackley et al.
- "Learning representations by back-propagating errors" (1986), D.E. Rumelhart et al.
- "Learning internal representations by error-propagation" (1986), D.E. Rumelhart et al.
- "Backpropagation applied to handwritten zip code recognition" (1989), Y. LeCun et al.
- "Learning long-term dependencies with gradient descent is difficult" (1994), Y. Bengio et al.
- "Long short-term memory" (1997), S. Hochreiter and J. Schmidhuber

- "Gradient-based learning applied to document recognition" (1998), Y. LeCun et al.
- "Evolving Artificial Neural Networks" (1999), X. Yao
- "Learning to forget: Continual prediction with LSTM" (2000), F.A. Gers et al.
- "A fast learning algorithm for deep belief nets" (2006), G.E. Hinton et al.
- "Reducing the dimensionality of data with neural networks" (2006), G.E. Hinton and R.R. Salakhutdinov
- "To recognize shapes, first learn to generate images" (2007), G.E. Hinton
- "Learning Multiple Layers of Representation" (2007), G.E. Hinton
- "Greedy layer-wise training of deep networks" (2007), Y. Bengio et al.
- "What is the best multi-stage architecture for object recognition?" (2009), K. Jarrett et al.
- "A novel connectionist system for unconstrained handwriting recognition" (2009), A. Graves et al.
- "Rectified linear units improve restricted boltzmann machines" (2010), V. Nair and G.E. Hinton
- "Stacked denoising autoencoders: Learning useful representations in a deep network with a local denoising criterion" (2010), P. Vincent et al.
- "Why does unsupervised pre-training help deep learning" (2010), D. Erhan et al.
- "Understanding the difficulty of training deep feedforward neural networks" (2010), X. Glorot and Y. Bengio
- "Deep sparse rectifier neural networks" (2011), X. Glorot et al.
- "Improving neural networks by preventing co-adaptation of feature detectors" (2012), G.E. Hinton et al.

- "Deep neural networks for acoustic modeling in speech recognition: The shared views of four research groups" (2012), G.E. Hinton et al.
- "Efficient backprop" (2012), Y. LeCun et al.
- "Multi-column deep neural networks for image classification" (2012), D. Ciregan et al.
- "ImageNet classification with deep convolutional neural networks" (2012), A. Krizhevsky et al.
- "Large scale distributed deep networks" (2012), J. Dean et al.
- "Maxout networks" (2013), I. Goodfellow et al.
- "Network in network" (2013), M. Lin et al.
- "How transferable are features in deep neural networks?" (2014), J. Yosinski et al.
- "Dropout: A simple way to prevent neural networks from overfitting" (2014), N. Srivastava et al.
- "Where do features come from?" (2014), G.E. Hinton
- "Very deep convolutional networks for large-scale image recognition" (2014), K. Simonyan and A. Zisserman
- "OverFeat: Integrated recognition, localization and detection using convolutional networks" (2014), P. Sermanet et al.
- "Rich feature hierarchies for accurate object detection and semantic segmentation" (2014), R. Girshick et al.
- "Going deeper with convolutions" (2015), C. Szegedy et al.
- "Deep neural networks are easily fooled: High confidence predictions for unrecognizable images" (2015), A. Nguyen et al.
- "Fast R-CNN" (2015), R. Girshick
- "Fully convolutional networks for semantic segmentation" (2015), J. Long et al.

- "Deep Visual-Semantic Alignments for Generating Image Descriptions" (2015), A. Karpathy and L. Fei-Fei
- "Batch Normalization: Accelerating Deep Network Training by Reducing Internal Covariate Shift" (2015), S. Ioffe and C. Szegedy
- "Faster R-CNN: Towards Real-Time Object Detection with Region Proposal Networks" (2016), S. Ren et al.
- "Deep residual learning for image recognition" (2016), K. He et al.
- "Spatial Transformer Networks" (2016), M. Jaderberg et al.
- "Region-based convolutional networks for accurate object detection and segmentation" (2016), R. Girshick et al.
- "Understanding deep learning requires re-thinking generalization" (2016), C. Zhang et al.

#### 6 Libraries and simulators

- Keras: https://keras.io/
- TensorFlow: https://www.tensorflow.org/
- Theano: http://deeplearning.net/software/theano/
- Torch: http://torch.ch/
- Caffe: http://caffe.berkeleyvision.org/
- Exercises in python: https://github.com/syhw/DL4H
- Animated plug-in to gain intuitions about how ANNs behave http://playground.tensorflow.org/
- Software links to many toolboxes: http://deeplearning.net/software\_ links/