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Algorithm: Backpropagation. Neural network learning for classification or prediction, using the backpropagation algorithm.

Input:

- D, a data set consisting of the training tuples and their associated target values;
- l, the learning rate;
- *network*, a multilayer feed-forward network.

Output: A trained neural network.

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(1) Initialize all weights and biases in *network*;
(2) **while** terminating condition is not satisfied {
(3) **for** each training tuple $\boldsymbol{X}$ in D {
(4) // Propagate the inputs forward:
(5) **for** each input layer unit j {
(6) $O_j = I_j$; // output of an input unit is its actual input value
(7) **for** each hidden or output layer unit j {
(8) $I_j = \sum_i w_{ij} O_i + \theta_j$; //compute the net input of unit j with respect to the previous layer, i
(9) $O_j = \frac{1}{1+e^{-I_j}}$; } // compute the output of each unit j
(10) // Backpropagate the errors:
(11) **for** each unit j in the output layer
(12) $Err_j = O_j(1 - O_j)(T_j - O_j)$; // compute the error
(13) **for** each unit j in the hidden layers, from the last to the first hidden layer
(14) $Err_j = O_j(1 - O_j)\sum_k Err_k w_{jk}$; // compute the error with respect to the next higher layer, k
(15) **for** each weight w_{ij} in *network* {
(16) $\Delta w_{ij} = (l) Err_j O_i$; // weight increment
(17) $w_{ij} = w_{ij} + \Delta w_{ij}$; } // weight update
(18) **for** each bias θ_j in *network* {
(19) $\Delta\theta_j = (l) Err_j$; // bias increment
(20) $\theta_j = \theta_j + \Delta\theta_j$; } // bias update
(21) } }

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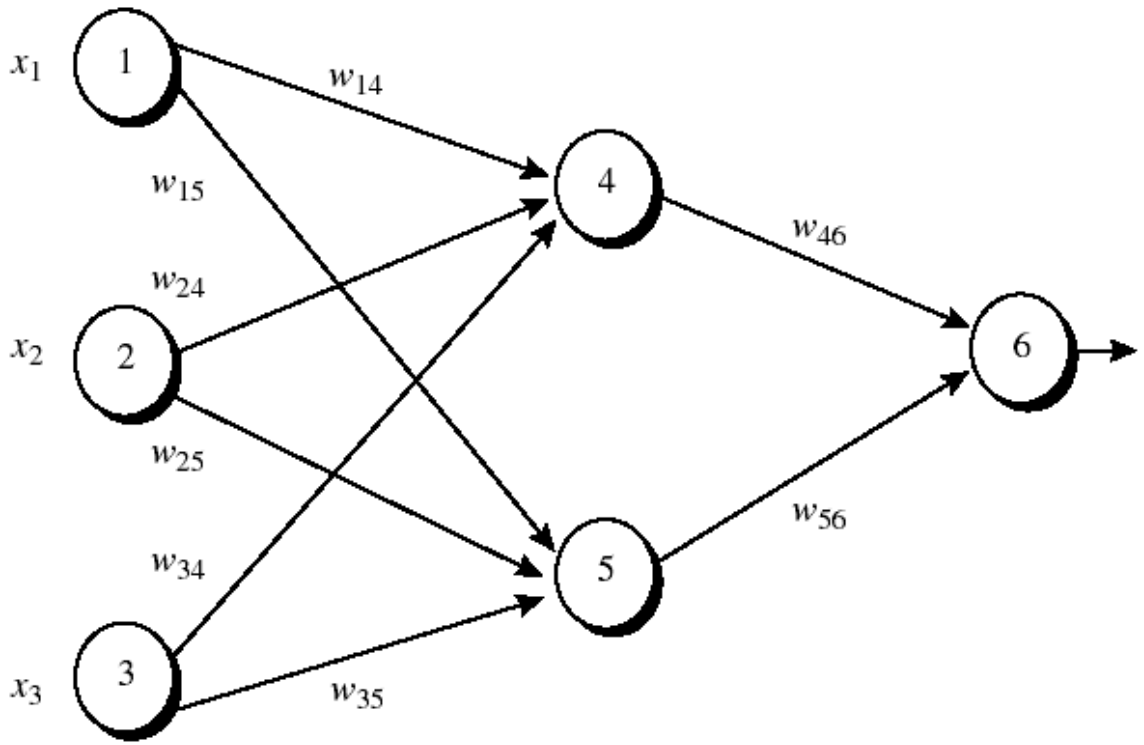
+ Example



Initial input, weight, and bias values.

x_1	x_2	x_3	w_{14}	w_{15}	w_{24}	w_{25}	w_{34}	w_{35}	w_{46}	w_{56}	θ_4	θ_5	θ_6
1	0	1	0.2	−0.3	0.4	0.1	−0.5	0.2	−0.3	−0.2	−0.4	0.2	0.1

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The net input and output calculations.

Unit j	Net input, I_j	Output, O_j
4	$0.2+0-0.5-0.4=-0.7$	$1/(1+e^{0.7})=0.332$
5	$-0.3+0+0.2+0.2=0.1$	$1/(1+e^{-0.1})=0.525$
6	$(-0.3)(0.332)-(0.2)(0.525)+0.1=-0.105$	$1/(1+e^{0.105})=0.474$

Calculation of the error at each node.

Unit j	Err_j
6	$(0.474)(1-0.474)(1-0.474)=0.1311$
5	$(0.525)(1-0.525)(0.1311)(-0.2)=-0.0065$
4	$(0.332)(1-0.332)(0.1311)(-0.3)=-0.0087$

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Calculations for weight and bias updating.

Weight or bias	*New value*
w_{46}	$-0.3 + (0.9)(0.1311)(0.332) = -0.261$
w_{56}	$-0.2 + (0.9)(0.1311)(0.525) = -0.138$
w_{14}	$0.2 + (0.9)(-0.0087)(1) = 0.192$
w_{15}	$-0.3 + (0.9)(-0.0065)(1) = -0.306$
w_{24}	$0.4 + (0.9)(-0.0087)(0) = 0.4$
w_{25}	$0.1 + (0.9)(-0.0065)(0) = 0.1$
w_{34}	$-0.5 + (0.9)(-0.0087)(1) = -0.508$
w_{35}	$0.2 + (0.9)(-0.0065)(1) = 0.194$
θ_6	$0.1 + (0.9)(0.1311) = 0.218$
θ_5	$0.2 + (0.9)(-0.0065) = 0.194$
θ_4	$-0.4 + (0.9)(-0.0087) = -0.408$