#### Convolutional Neural Networks

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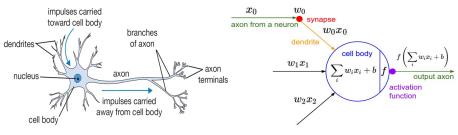
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#### Background and Motivation - Neural Networks

Primary motivation: Neural Networks mathematically simulate biological functionalities of the human brain



(a) biological model

(b) mathematical representation

Figure: neuronal model and computational abstraction

#### Background and Motivation - Principle

#### Neural Networks generally contain:

- an n-dimensional input
- one or many layers of interconnected neurons
- an output-layer

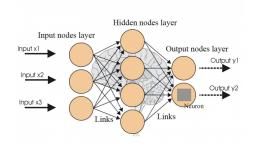


Figure: Basic concept of a Neural Network

# Background and Motivation - Convolutional Neural Networks

Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) are a subtype of Neural Networks:

- all neurons in a layer are identical
- layers are interconnected through a kernel function
- different types of layers are used

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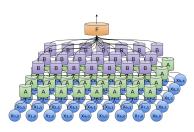


Figure: 2-dimensional CNN

- Using identical copies of the same neuron allows for complex models with few parameters
- Convolutional layers are not fully connected; each neurons is locally connected with a subsection of the previous layer. This is represented mathematically through a kernel function.

Kernel functions are an important component in many Neural Networks.

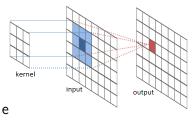


Figure: Forward propagation in a complex neural network

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## Overfitting

Overfitting occurs when the complexity of the model relative to the training size is too high.

The model begins memorizing the training data rather than the underlying principle and easily loses its predictive power when the input is slightly altered.

Overfitting is prevented in a number of ways:

- max-pooling layers
- dropout layers
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## Background and Motivation - Application

#### Visual Object Recognition



Figure: ImageNet Classification with Deep Convolutional Neural Networks

ImageNet by Krizhevsky et al (2012) classified 1.2 million high-resolution images in the ImageNet LSVRC-2010 into 1000 different classes. It achieves error rates of 37.5% for the top result and 17.0% for the top-5 results

## Background and Motivation - Application

#### Text Classification



Figure: Excerpt of mnist

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#### Components

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- Neuron
- Kernel-Function
- Sigmoid function
- softmax

#### Activation Function

Typically, an activation function is used to add nonlinearity to the network

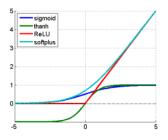


Figure: Different activation functions

Activation functions must be non linear and differentiable.

The employed network uses Sigmoid:

$$\sigma(x) = \frac{1}{(1+e^{(-x)})}$$



## Components - Neuron in fully connected layer

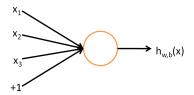


Figure: Single neuron of a fully connected layer

Input: connected neurons from the previous layer

Output:  $f(\sum_i w_i x_i)$ 

with

 $W_i$ :



## Components - Neuron in convolutional layer

To understand the concept behind Convolution we first demonstrate it in an example:

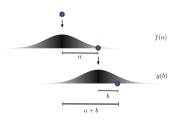


Figure: Probability distribution of ball thrown twice

We want to calculate the likelihood of the ball traveling a distance c after being thrown twice in a row.

#### Layers - Input

## Input layer

The input layer consists of an n-dimensional matrix, which contain the information to be processed

- Our example uses a 2-dimensional input which represents the pixels of the images
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#### Input:

a,b: length of first and second throw f(a),g(b): probability distribution of the balls location If we want c=a+b the probability of this event is  $f(a)\cdot g(b)$ 

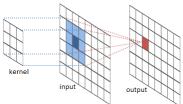
Since only the actual outcome is relevant to us, the actual values of a and b can be varied.

The total likelihood of the ball landing at c can also be summed over all probability distributions where a+b=c:

$$f * g(c) = \sum_{a+b=c} f(a) \cdot g(a)$$

The result of this sum is a convolution between a and b

Image processing with a kernel function can also be described as a



convolution:

Figure: Convolution between an input image and a kernel function

$$out = \sum_a \sum_b w_{ab} \cdot x$$

## Propagation - Backward propagation

Backpropagation is the key algorithm which makes training Neural Networks feasible by greatly increasing the efficiency of learning algorithms.

To understand Backpropagation we first introduce the concept of forward propagation:

Forward propagation is the process of computing the output of a network for a given input

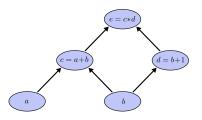


Figure: Computational graph of  $e = (a + b) \cdot (b + 1)$ 

We now arbitrarily set a = 2 and b = 1 for our example:

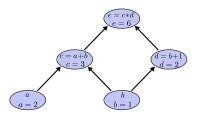


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If we want to train our network weights we must know how the output of the CNN is influenced by its layer weights.

In our example us would interest is how the result e is influenced by a and b This is achieved by finding the respective partial derivatives

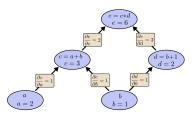
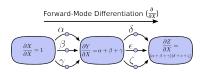


Figure: Partial derivatives

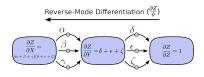
c is only indirectly influenced by a and b. To derive the exact influence, the chain rule can be applied:  $\frac{\partial e}{\partial a} = \frac{\partial e}{\partial c} \cdot \frac{\partial c}{\partial a}$ 

In principle, this approach works for training a network There are, however, obvious problems with exponential amounts of calculations if too many possible paths between input and output exist.



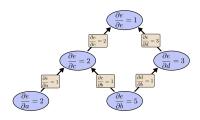
#### Backpropagation

Instead of determining the influence of one input on the output we calculate how the output is influenced by the previous layer.



#### Backpropagation

In our previous example executing a backward differentation immediately gives us the derivative of the output relative to every input.



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