# Introduction to deep learning

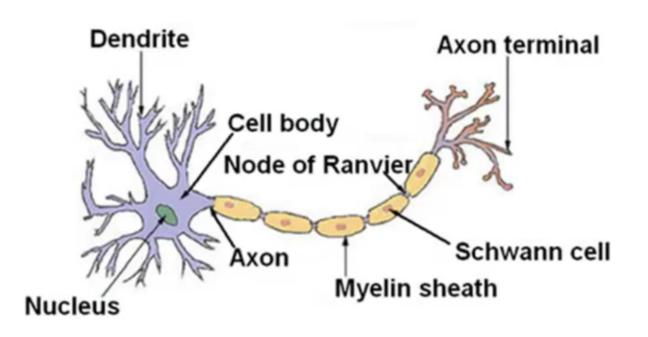
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### Outline

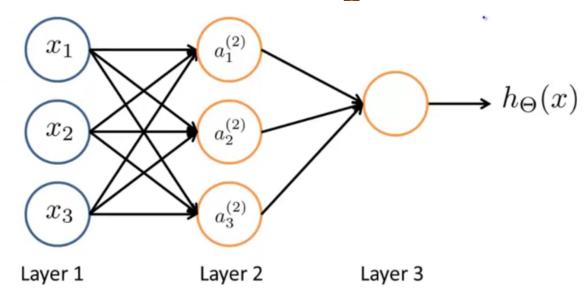
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## Introduction to neural networks(NN)

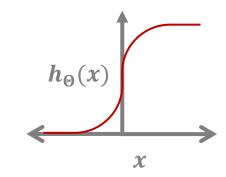
#### **Neurons in the brain**



#### Neurahmoottelnetgietic unit

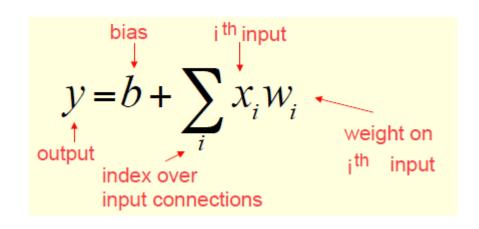


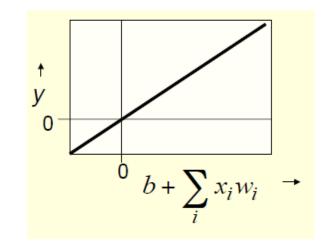
#### **Activation function**



### NN types: activation functions

#### **Linear neurons**

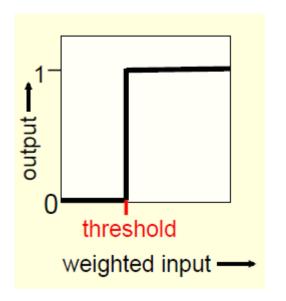




### **Binary threshold neurons**

$$z = b + \sum_{i} x_{i} w_{i}$$

$$y = \begin{cases} 1 \text{ if } z \ge 0 \\ 0 \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$

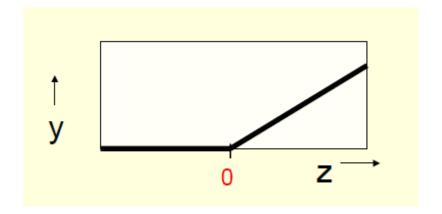


### NN types: activation functions

#### **Rectified linear neurons**

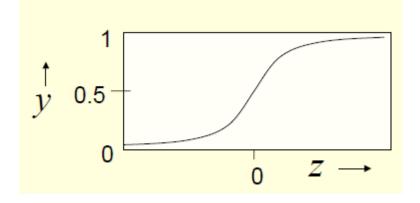
$$z = b + \sum_{i} x_{i} w_{i}$$

$$y = \begin{cases} z & \text{if } z > 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

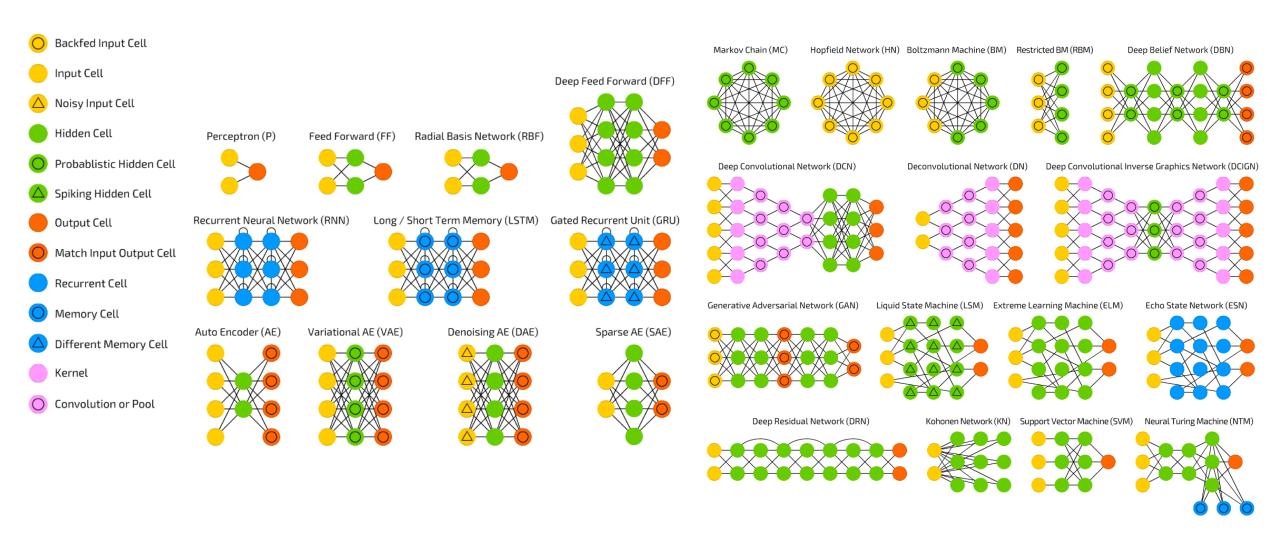


#### Sigmoid neurons

$$z = b + \sum_{i} x_{i} w_{i}$$
  $y = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}$ 

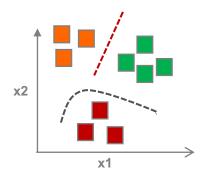


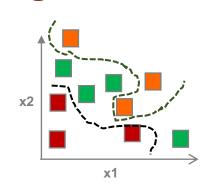
### Neural network architectures

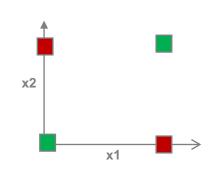


## NN: simple demonstrations

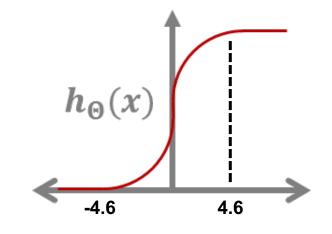
### Classification: drawing decision boundaries



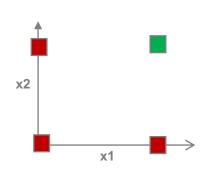


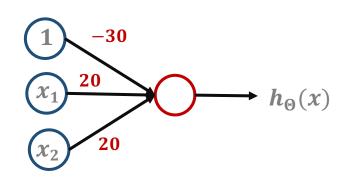


#### **Activation function**





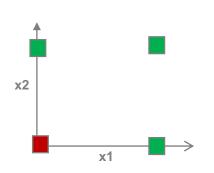


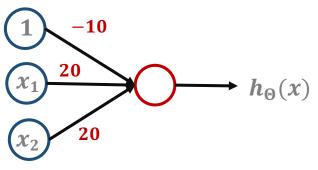


$x_1$	$x_2$	$h_{\Theta}(x)$
0	0	$h_{\Theta} (-30 + 20 * (0) + 20 * (0)) = h_{\Theta} (-30) \approx 0$
0	1	$h_{\Theta} (-30 + 20 * (0) + 20 * (1)) = h_{\Theta} (-10) \approx 0$
1	0	$h_{\Theta} (-30 + 20 * (1) + 20 * (0)) = h_{\Theta}(-10) \approx 0$
1	1	$h_{\Theta} (-30 + 20 * (1) + 20 * (1)) = h_{\Theta}(10) \approx 1$

### Try it yourself!

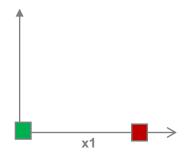
### x<sub>1</sub> OR x<sub>2</sub>

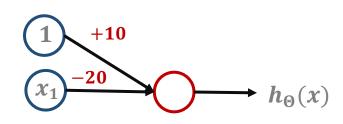




 $x_1$	$x_2$	$h_{\Theta}(x)$
0	0	$h_{\Theta} (-10 + 20 * (0) + 20 * (0)) = h_{\Theta} (-10) \approx 0$
0	1	$h_{\Theta} (-10 + 20 * (0) + 20 * (1)) = h_{\Theta}(10) \approx 1$
1	0	$h_{\Theta} (-10 + 20 * (1) + 20 * (0)) = h_{\Theta}(10) \approx 1$
1	1	$h_{\Theta} (-10 + 20 * (1) + 20 * (1)) = h_{\Theta}(30) \approx 1$

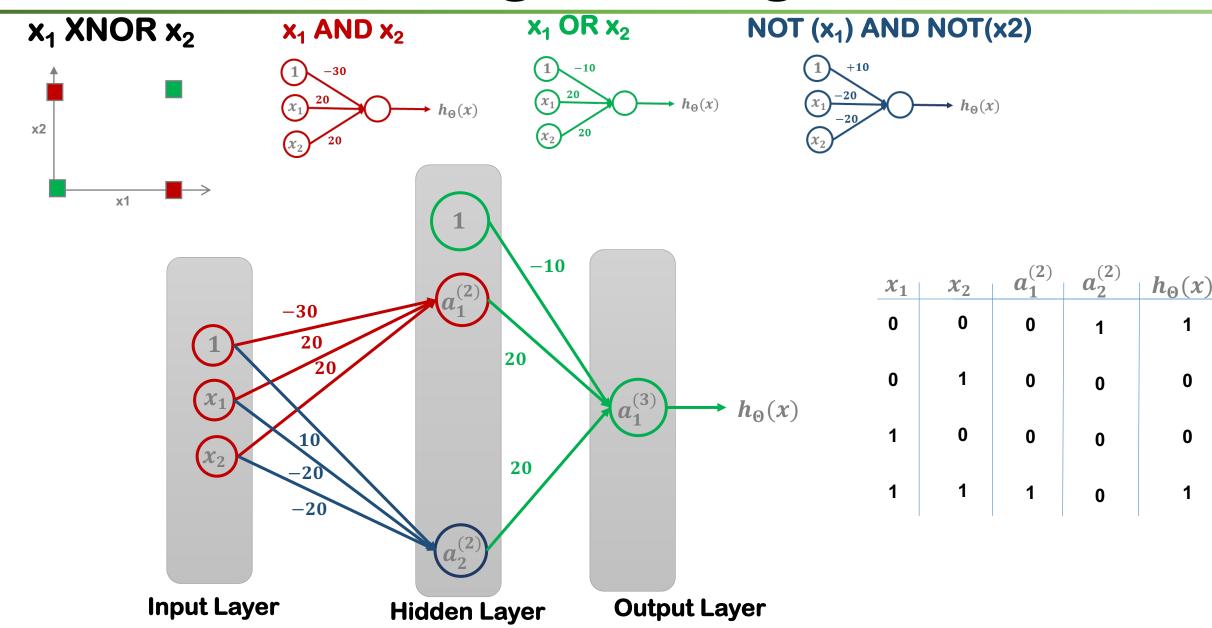
### NOT x<sub>1</sub>





$x_1$	$h_{\Theta}(x)$
0	$h_{\Theta} (10 - 20 * (0)) = h_{\Theta}(10) \approx 1$
1	$h_{\Theta} (10 - 20 * (1)) = h_{\Theta}(-10) \approx 0$

## Putting it all together



### Training a neural network

- Pick a network architecture
- Randomly initialize weights
- Forward propagation to get the activations
- Compute the cost function
- Backpropagation to compute partial derivatives

### **Neural networks**

### **Strengths**

- ✓ Perhaps the most effective method for modeling complex patterns
- ✓ Makes few assumptions about the data

### Weaknesses

- × Can be extremely computationally intensive to train
- **X** Prone to overfitting
- **X** Black box model with little interpretability