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# Deep Learning

## Chapter 2 Building Neural Network from Scratch

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# Chapter 2: Building Neural Network from Scratch

1. Shallow neural network
2. Deep neural network
3. Building neural network: step-by-step (modulation)
4. Regularization
5. Dropout
6. Batch Normalization
7. Optimizers
8. Hyper-parameters
9. Practice

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2. History of Deep learning
3. Deep learning applications

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4. Layers in CNN
5. Applications of CNN
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### Midterm summary

## Chapter 4: TensorFlow Library- week 11-13

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## Chapter 5: Recurrent Neural Network week 14-15

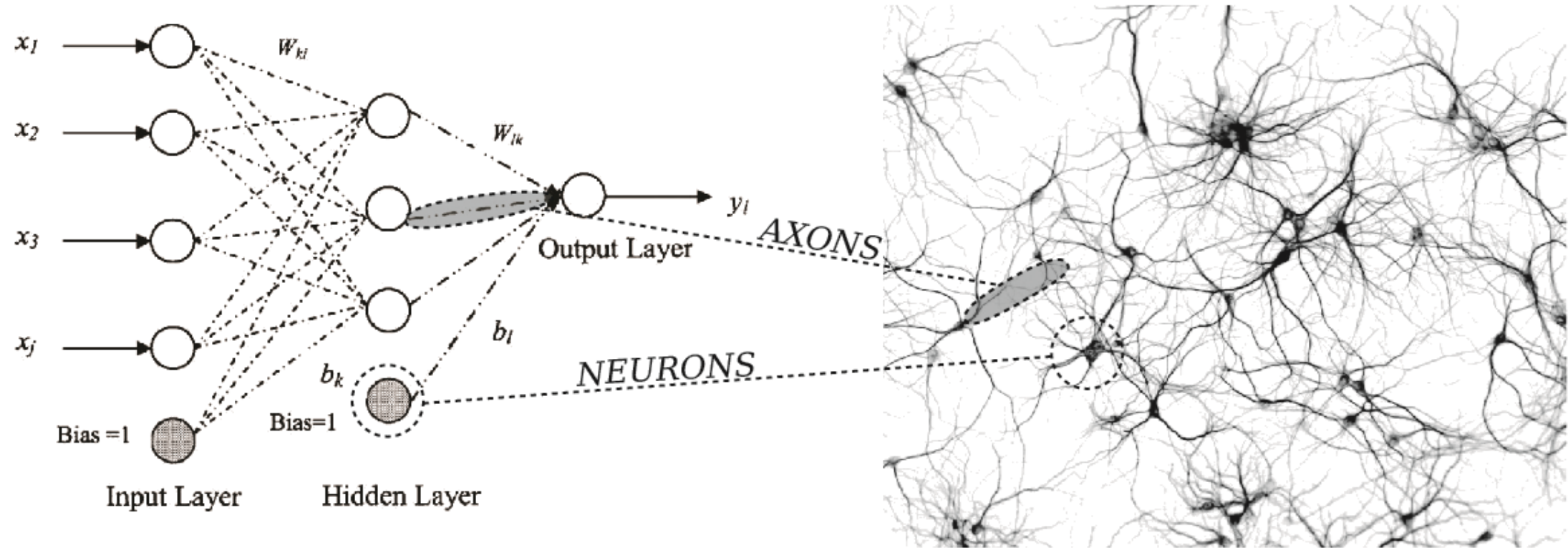
1. Unfolding Computational Graphs
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## Basic of Neural Network

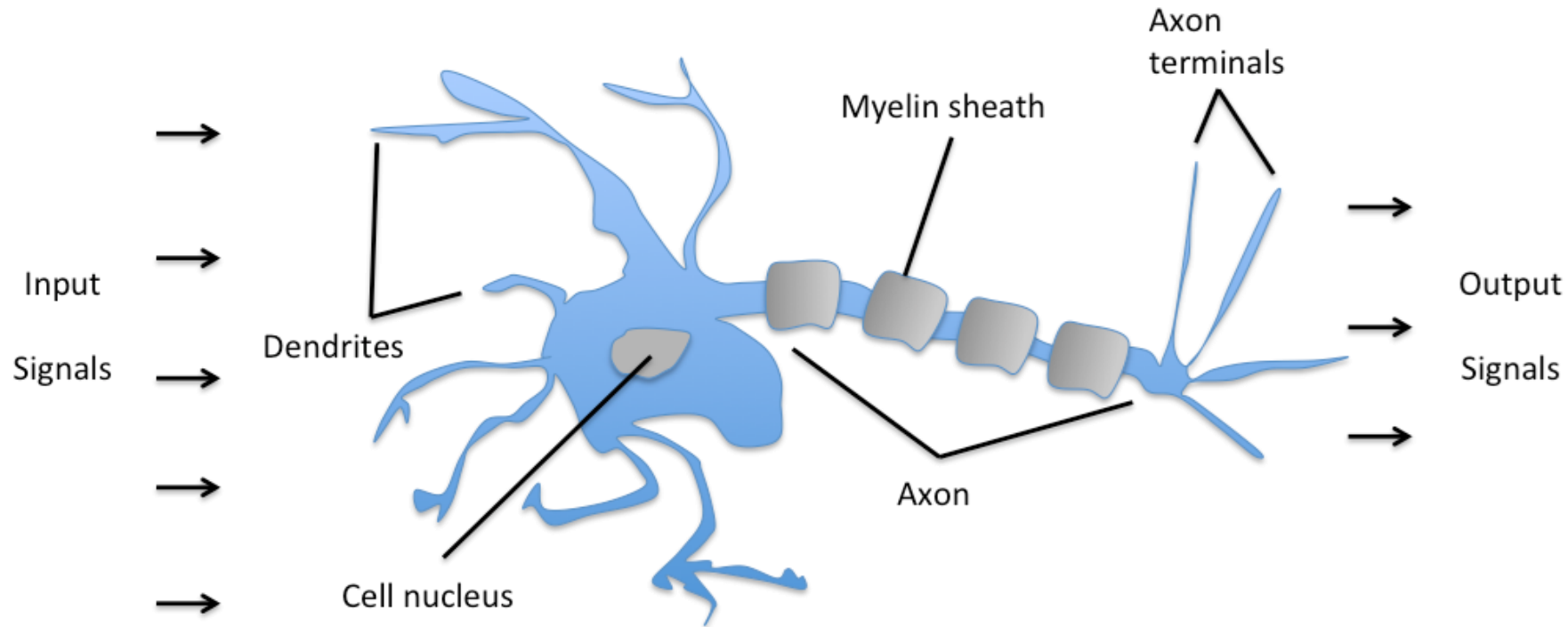
- The Perceptron and its Learning Rule (Frank Rosenblatt, 1957)
- Adaptive Linear Neuron and Delta Rule (Widrow & Hoff, 1960)
- Logistic Regression and Gradient Descent

Biologically inspired (akin to the neurons in a brain)

## NEURAL NETWORK MAPPING



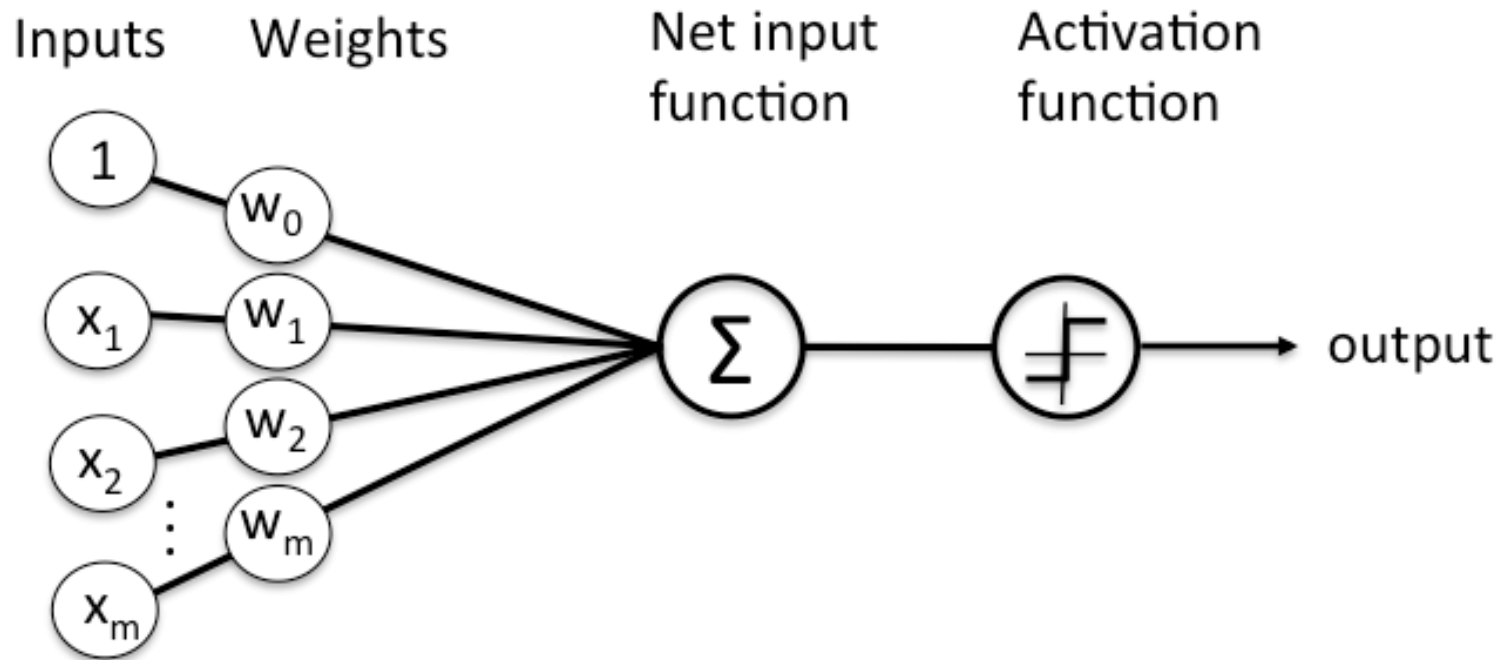
## Artificial Neurons and the McCulloch-Pitts Model (1943)



**Schematic of a biological neuron.**

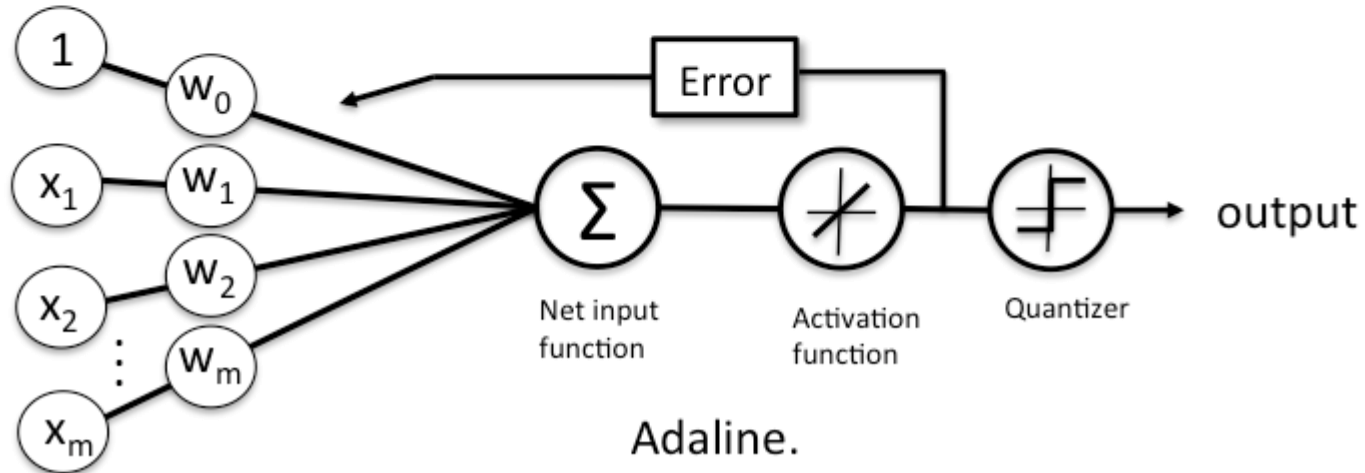
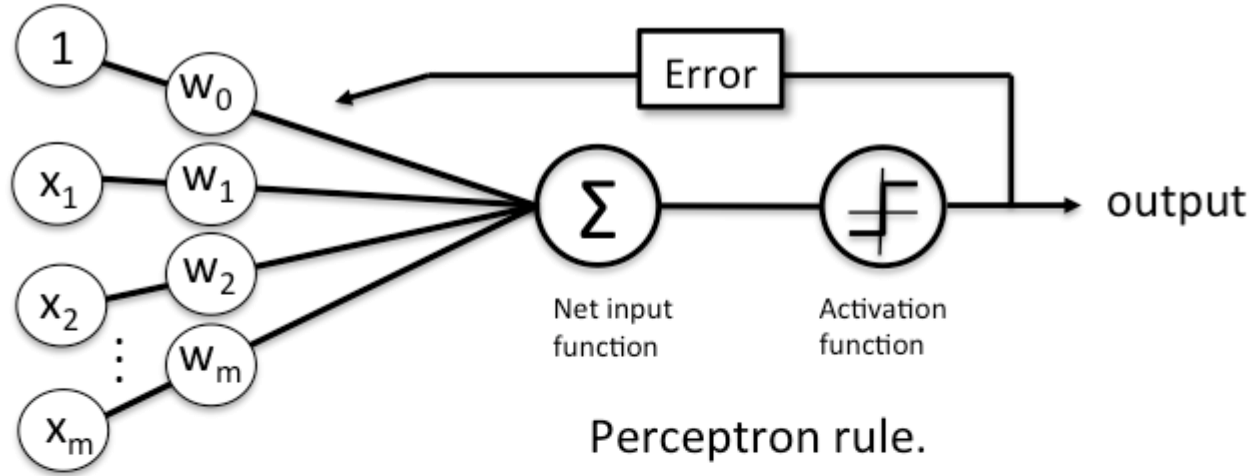
W. S. McCulloch and W. Pitts. A logical calculus of the ideas immanent in nervous activity. The bulletin of mathematical biophysics, 5(4):115–133, 1943.

## Frank Rosenblatt's Perceptron (1957)



**Schematic of Rosenblatt's perceptron.**

## Adaptive Linear Neurons and the Delta Rule (1960)

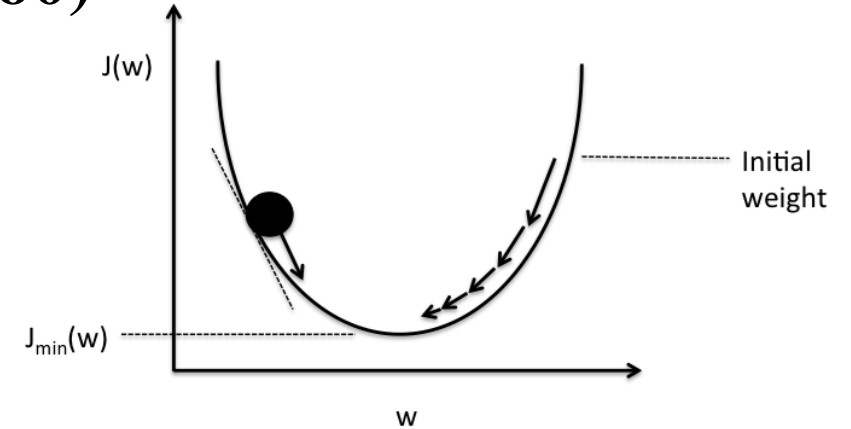




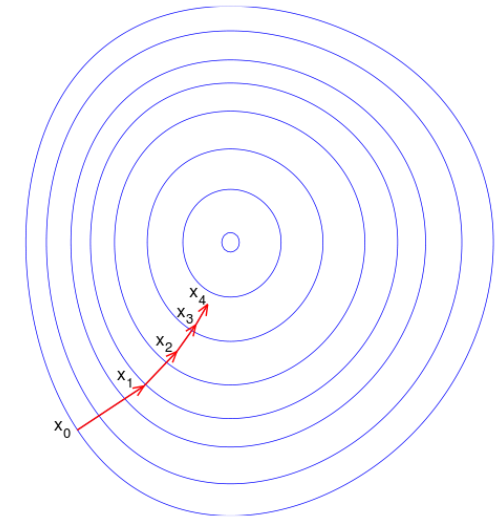
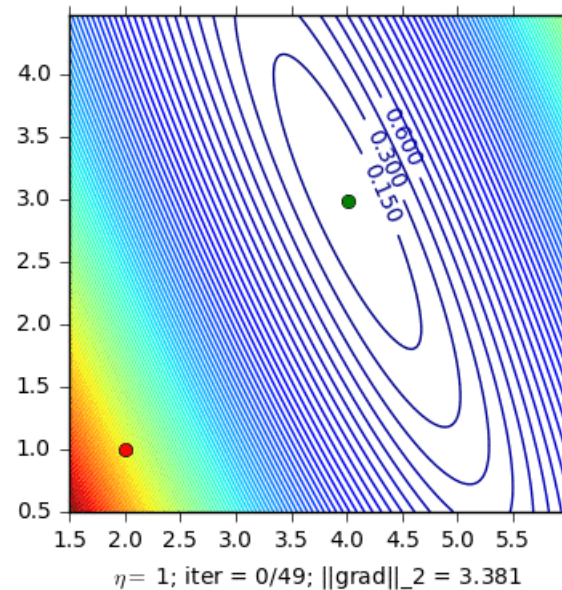
## Adaptive Linear Neurons and the Delta Rule (1960)

- **Gradient Descent**

- A **first-order iterative optimization algorithm** for finding the minimum of a function
- Take steps proportional to the **negative of the gradient** of the function at the current point



Schematic of gradient descent.



## Adaptive Linear Neurons and the Delta Rule (1960)

- **Cost** function: sum of squared errors (SSE)

- $J(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i (y'^{(i)} - y^{(i)})^2$

- To **minimize** SSE, we can use “gradient descent”

- A step in the **opposite** direction of **gradient**

$$\Delta \mathbf{w} = -\alpha \nabla J(\mathbf{w})$$

where  $\alpha$  is the **learning rate**,  $0 < \alpha < 1$

- Thus, we need to compute the **partial derivative** of the cost function for **each** weight in the weight vector,

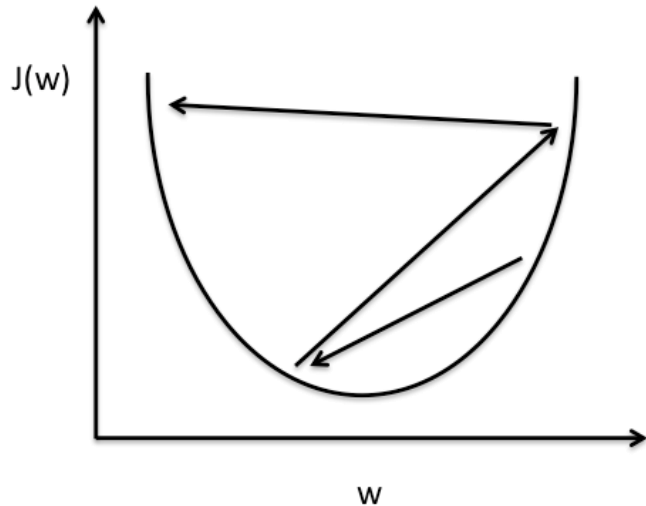
$$\Delta w_j = -\alpha \frac{\partial J}{\partial w_j}$$

## Adaptive Linear Neurons and the Delta Rule (1960)

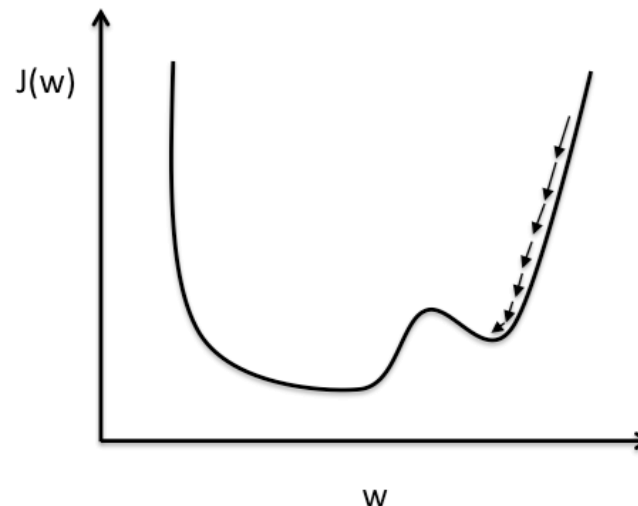
- A step in gradient descent:
  - $$\Delta w_j = -\alpha \frac{\partial J}{\partial w_j} = -\alpha \sum_i (y'^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) (-x_j^{(i)}) = \alpha \sum_i (y'^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x_j^{(i)}$$
- Update weight vector:
  - $\mathbf{w} := \mathbf{w} + \Delta \mathbf{w}$
- Differences with the perceptron rule
  - The output  $y^{(i)}$  is a **real number**, not a class label as in perceptron learning rule.
  - Weight update is based on “**all samples in the training set**” (**Batch GD**)

## Adaptive Linear Neurons and the Delta Rule (1960)

- If the learning rate is **TOO LARGE**, gradient descent will overshoot the minima and **diverge**.
- If the learning rate is **too small**, gradient descent will require **too many epochs to converge** and can become **trapped in local minima** more easily.



Large learning rate: Overshooting.



Small learning rate: Many iterations until convergence and trapping in local minima.

## Adaptive Linear Neurons and the Delta Rule (1960)

- If features are scaled on the same scale, gradient descent **converges faster** and prevents weights from **becoming too small** (**weight decay**).
- Common way for **feature scaling**

$$x_{j,std} = \frac{x_j - \mu_j}{\sigma_j}$$

where  $\mu_j$  is the sample mean of the feature  $x_j$  and  $\sigma_j$  the standard deviation.

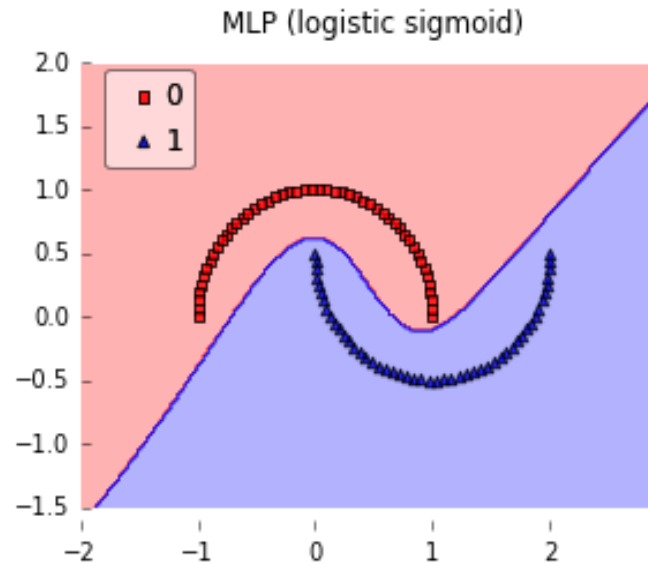
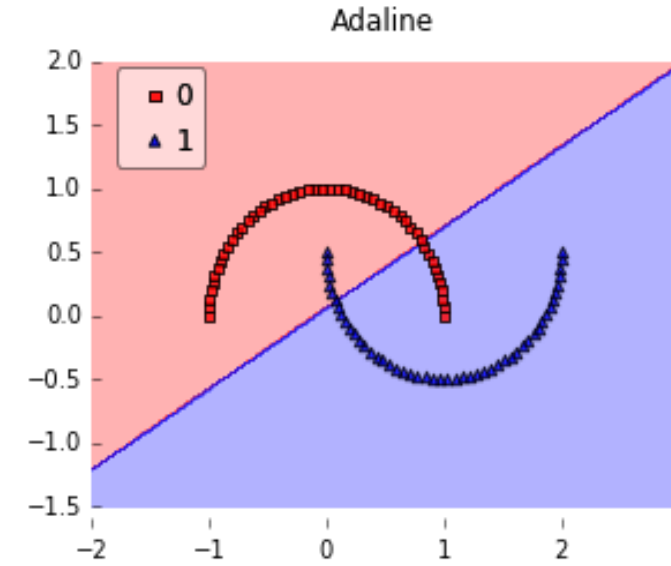
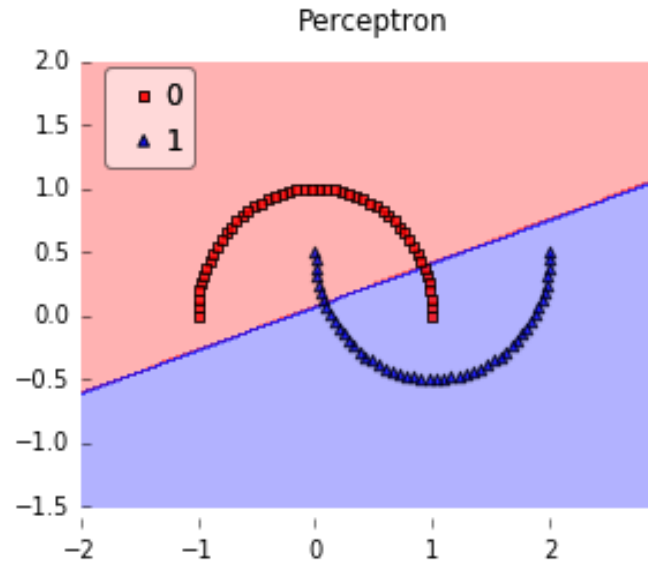
- After standardization, the features will have **unit variance** and **centered around mean zero**.

## Adaptive Linear Neurons and the Delta Rule (1960)

- **Batch Gradient Descent (BGD)**
  - Cost function is minimized based on the complete training dataset (all samples)
- **Stochastic Gradient Descent (SGD)**
  - Weights are incrementally updated after each individual training sample
  - Converges faster than BGD since weights are updated immediately after each training sample
  - Computationally more efficient, especially for large datasets
- **Mini-batch Gradient Descent (MGD)**
  - Compromise between BGD and SGD, dataset is divided into mini-batches
  - Smoother convergence than SGD

## Logistic Regression

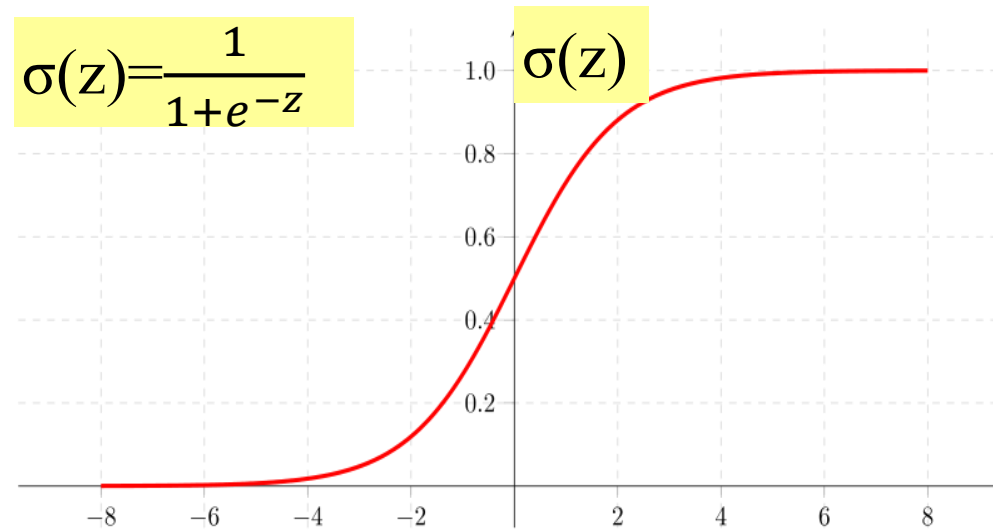
Perceptron vs. Adaline vs.  
Multi-Layer Perceptrons  
(Logistic Regression)



## Logistic Regression

- Definition:
  - Given input  $x \in \mathcal{R}^{n_x}$ , calculate the probability  $\hat{y} = P(y = 1|x)$ ,  $0 \leq \hat{y} \leq 1$ .
- Parameters:
  - Weights:  $w \in \mathcal{R}^{n_x}$
  - Bias:  $b \in \mathcal{R}$
- Output:
  - $\hat{y} = \sigma(z) = \sigma(w^T x + b)$   
where  $\sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-z}}$  is the **sigmoid activation function**

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



If  $z$  is large positive number,  $\sigma(z) \rightarrow 1$

If  $z$  is small negative number,  $\sigma(z) \rightarrow 0$



## Logistic Regression

- Cost function is the average of all cross-entropy losses

$$\begin{aligned} J(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{b}) &= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \mathcal{L}(\hat{y}^{(i)}, y^{(i)}) \\ &= -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m [y^{(i)} \log \hat{y}^{(i)} + (1 - y^{(i)}) \log(1 - \hat{y}^{(i)})] \end{aligned}$$

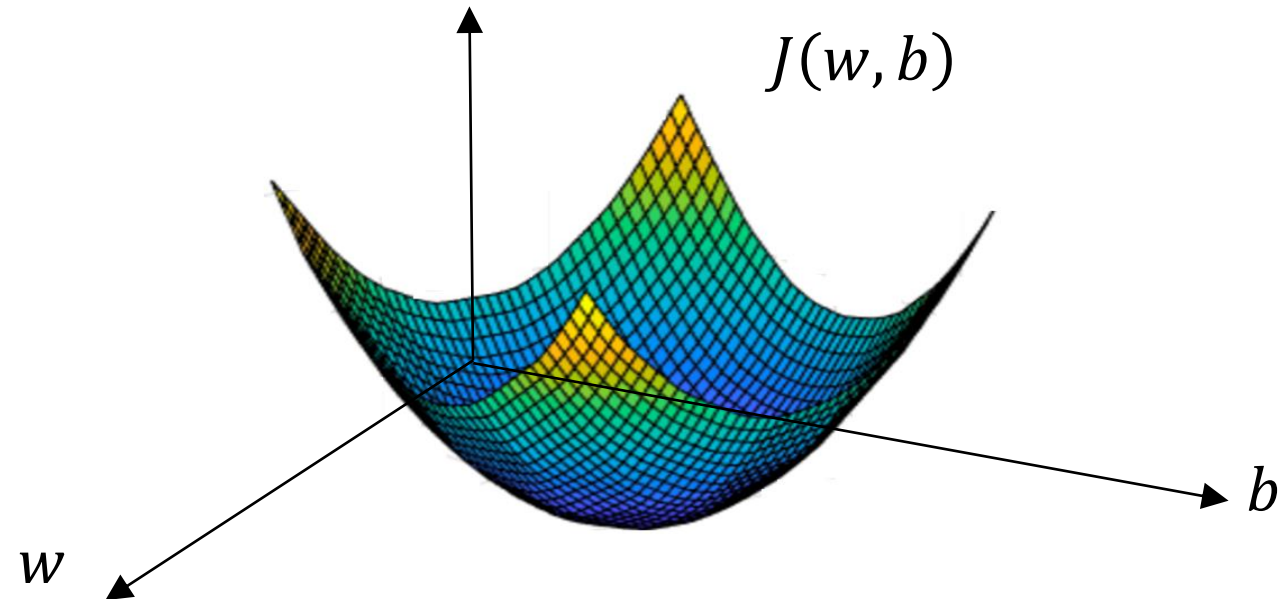
- Goal:
  - Find vectors  $\mathbf{w}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$  that **minimize the cost** function (total loss)
- Logistic regression can be viewed as a **small neural network!**

## Logistic Regression

- $\hat{y}^{(i)} = \sigma(z^{(i)}) = \sigma(w^T x^{(i)} + b)$ , where  $\sigma(z^{(i)}) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-z^{(i)}}}$
- $J(w, b) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \mathcal{L}(\hat{y}^{(i)}, y^{(i)}) = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m [y^{(i)} \log \hat{y}^{(i)} + (1 - y^{(i)}) \log(1 - \hat{y}^{(i)})]$

- Find  $w, b$  that minimize  $J(w, b)$

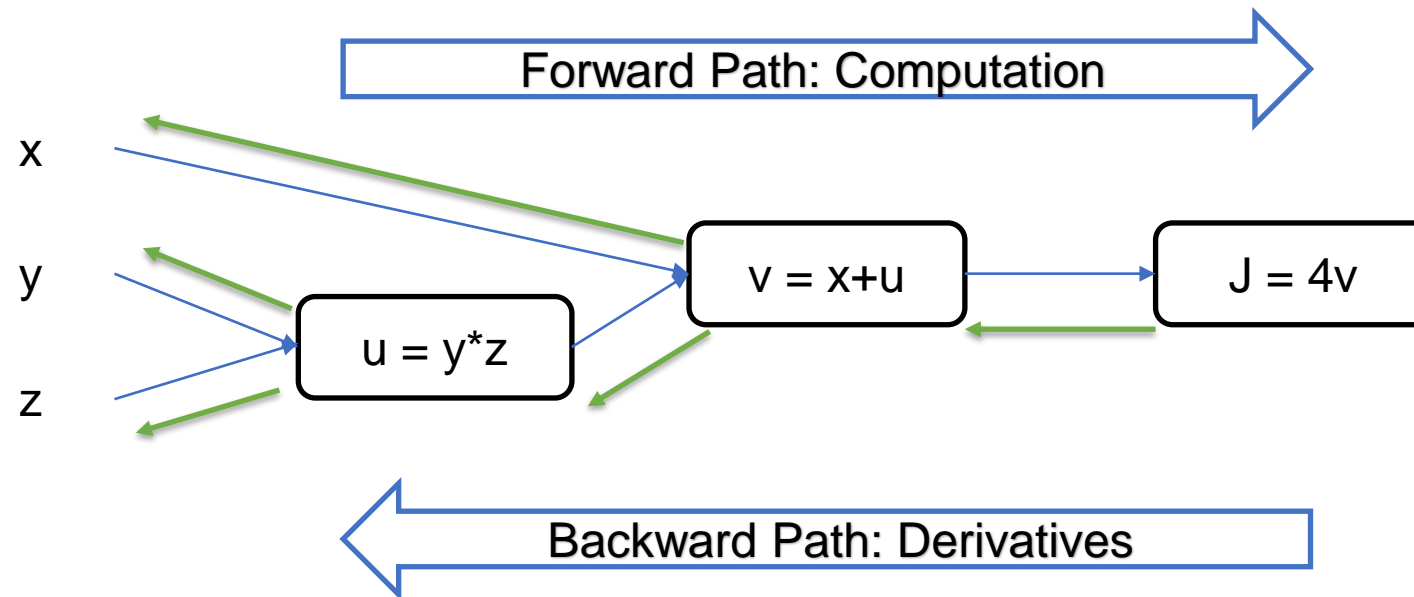
## Convergence



## Logistic Regression

## Computation Graph

- A graph that depicts all the computations required for a function in a forward path
- For example:  $J(x, y, z) = 4(x + yz)$



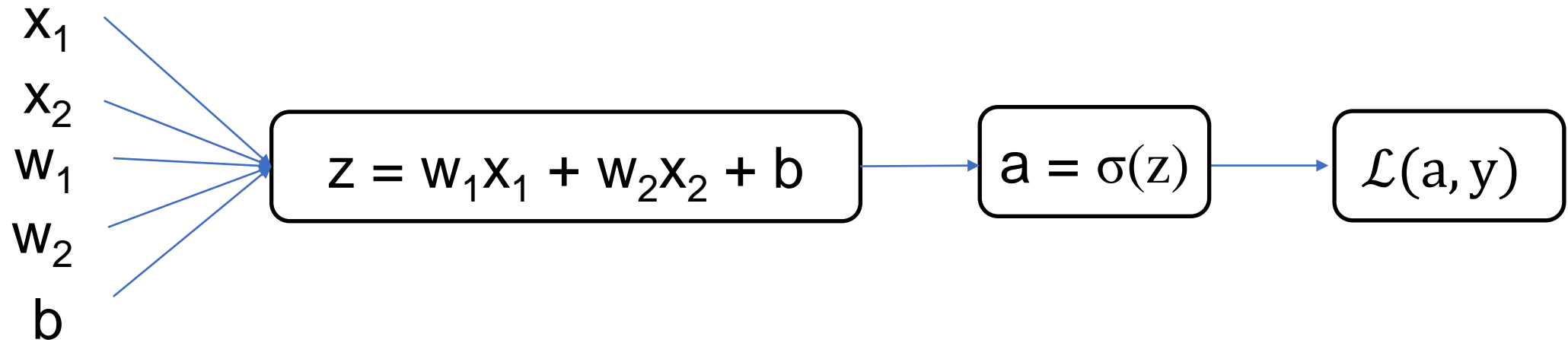
## Logistic Regression

## Computation Graph

$$z = w^T x + b$$

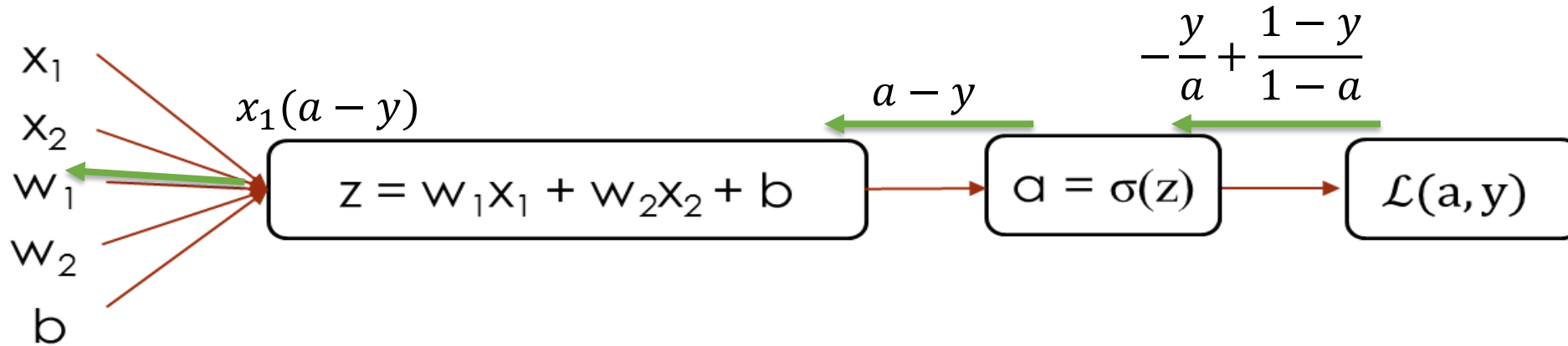
$$\hat{y} = a = \sigma(z)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(a, y) = -(y \log(a) + (1 - y) \log(1 - a))$$



## Logistic Regression

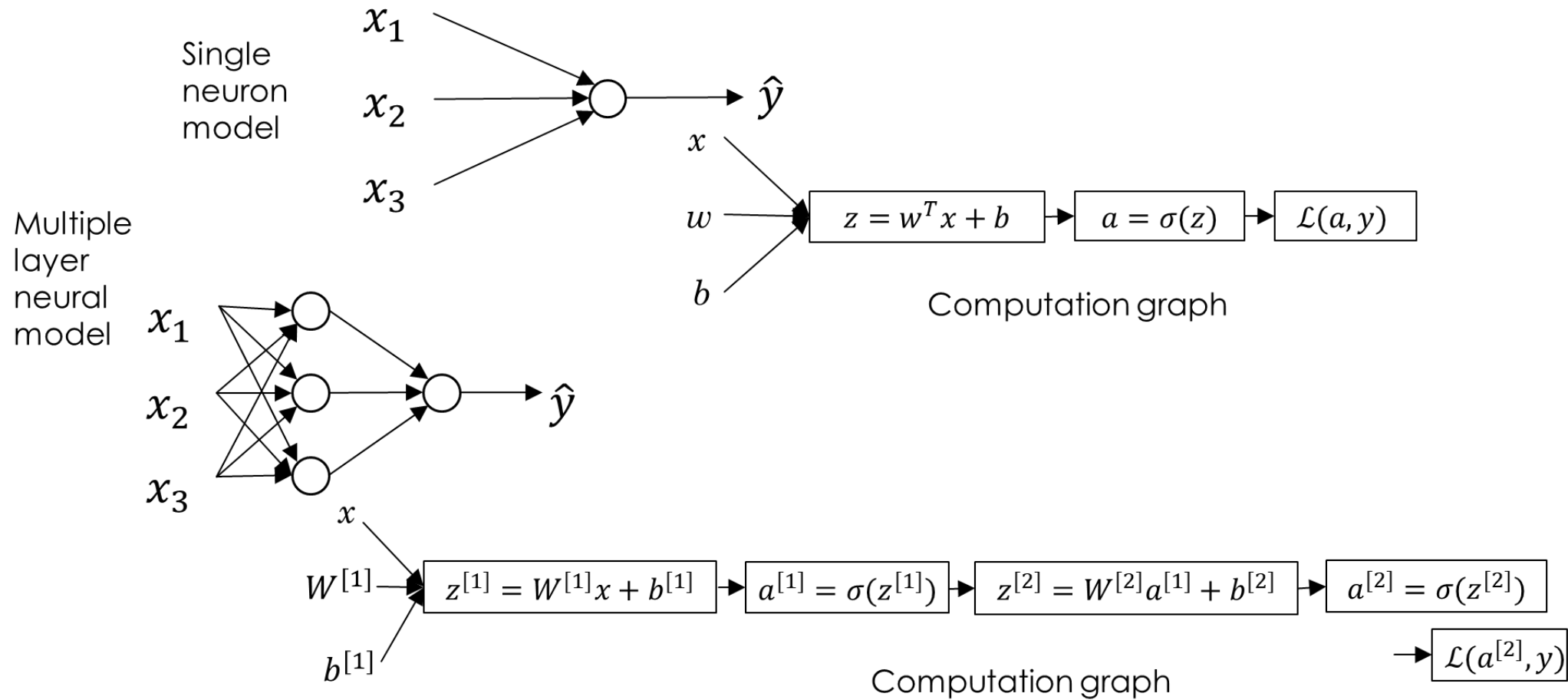
## Computation Graph



- $\frac{\delta L(a, y)}{\delta a} = \left( -\frac{y}{a} + \frac{1-y}{1-a} \right)$
- $\frac{\delta L(a, y)}{\delta z} = \frac{\delta L(a, y)}{\delta a} \frac{\delta a}{\delta z} = \left( -\frac{y}{a} + \frac{1-y}{1-a} \right) (a(1-a)) = a - y$
- $\frac{\delta L(a, y)}{\delta w_1} = \frac{\delta L(a, y)}{\delta a} \frac{\delta a}{\delta z} \frac{\delta z}{\delta w_1} = \left( -\frac{y}{a} + \frac{1-y}{1-a} \right) a(1-a)x_1 = x_1(a - y) = x_1 \frac{\delta L(a, y)}{\delta z}$

# 1. Shallow neural network

## What is a Shallow Neural Network?

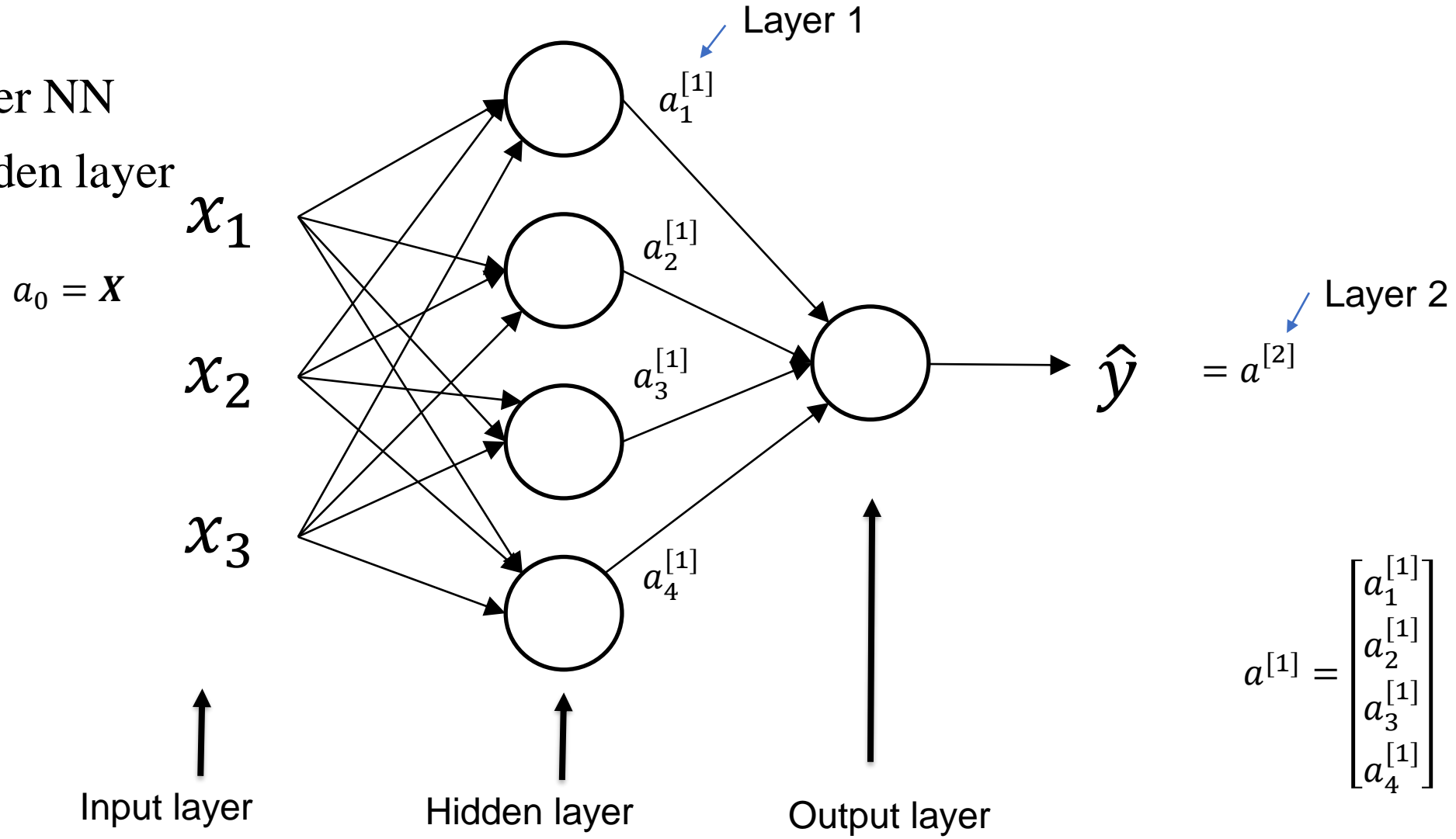


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## One hidden layer Neural Network

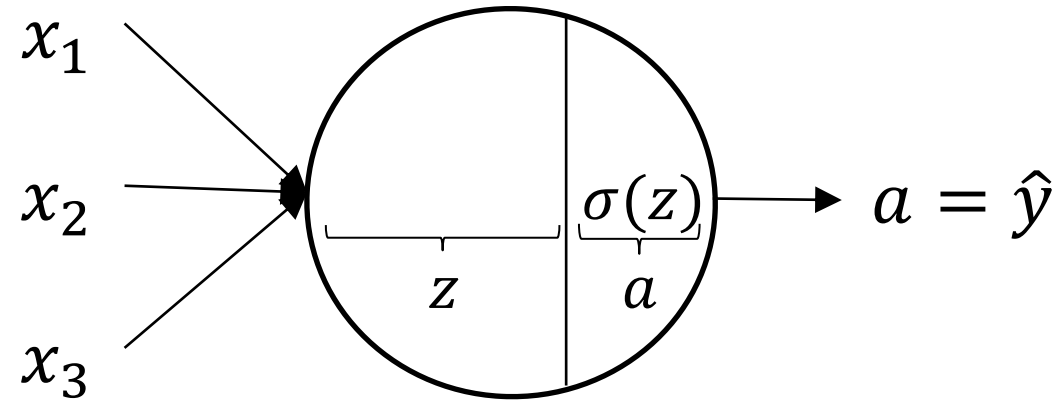


- 2-layer NN
- 1 hidden layer



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## Computing NN's Output



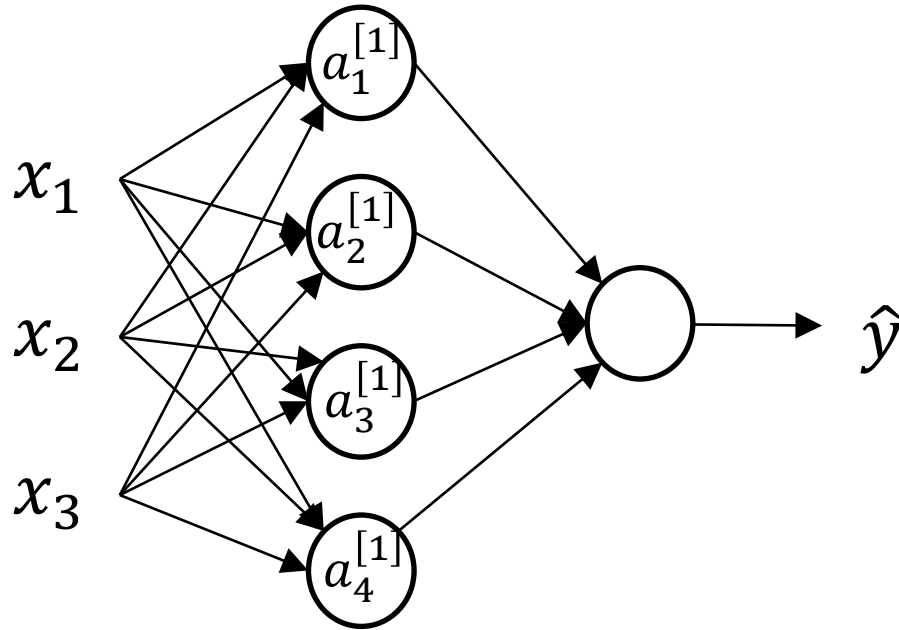
$$z = w^T x + b$$

$$a = \sigma(z)$$



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## Computing NN's Output



$$z_1^{[1]} = w_1^{[1]T} x + b_1^{[1]}, a_1^{[1]} = \sigma(z_1^{[1]})$$

$$z_2^{[1]} = w_2^{[1]T} x + b_2^{[1]}, a_2^{[1]} = \sigma(z_2^{[1]})$$

$$z_3^{[1]} = w_3^{[1]T} x + b_3^{[1]}, a_3^{[1]} = \sigma(z_3^{[1]})$$

$$z_4^{[1]} = w_4^{[1]T} x + b_4^{[1]}, a_4^{[1]} = \sigma(z_4^{[1]})$$

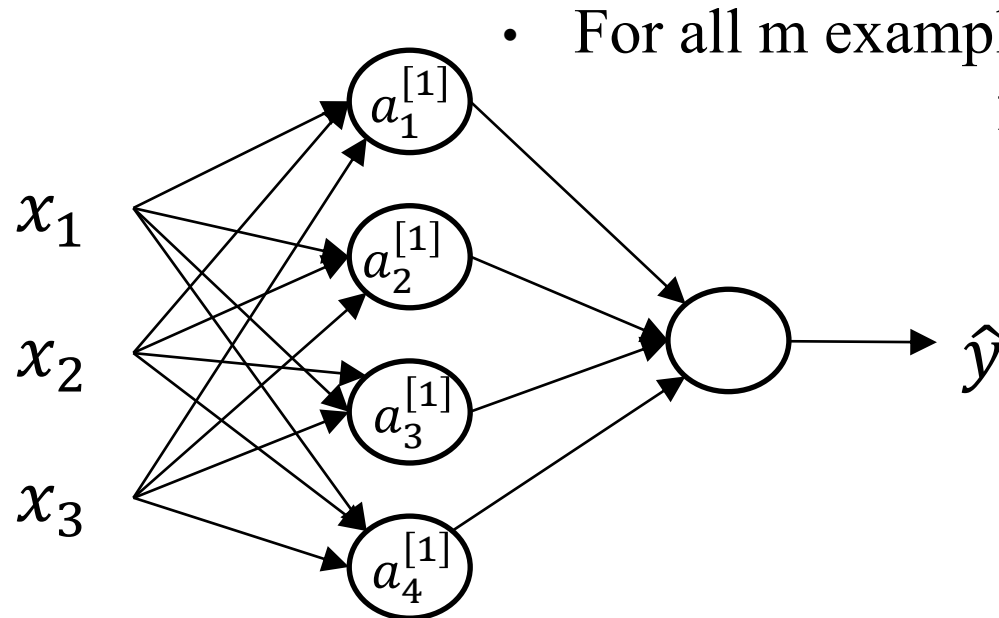
Given input  $x$ :

$$z^{[1]} = W^{[1]}x + b^{[1]}$$

$$a^{[1]} = \sigma(z^{[1]})$$

$$z^{[2]} = W^{[2]}a^{[1]} + b^{[2]}$$

$$a^{[2]} = \sigma(z^{[2]})$$



- For all  $m$  examples ...

for  $i = 1$  to  $m$ :

$$z^{[1]}(i) = W^{[1]}x^{(i)} + b^{[1]}$$

$$a^{[1]}(i) = \sigma(z^{[1]}(i))$$

$$z^{[2]}(i) = W^{[2]}a^{[1]}(i) + b^{[2]}$$

$$a^{[2]}(i) = \sigma(z^{[2]}(i))$$

# 1. Shallow neural network

## Vectorizing across multiple examples



for  $i = 1$  to  $m$ :

$$z^{[1](i)} = W^{[1]}x^{(i)} + b^{[1]}$$

$$a^{[1](i)} = \sigma(z^{[1](i)})$$

$$z^{[2](i)} = W^{[2]}a^{[1](i)} + b^{[2]}$$

$$a^{[2](i)} = \sigma(z^{[2](i)})$$

$$Z^{[1]} = W^{[1]}X + b^{[1]}$$

$$A^{[1]} = \sigma(Z^{[1]})$$

$$Z^{[2]} = W^{[2]}A^{[1]} + b^{[2]}$$






$$A^{[2]} = \sigma(Z^{[2]})$$

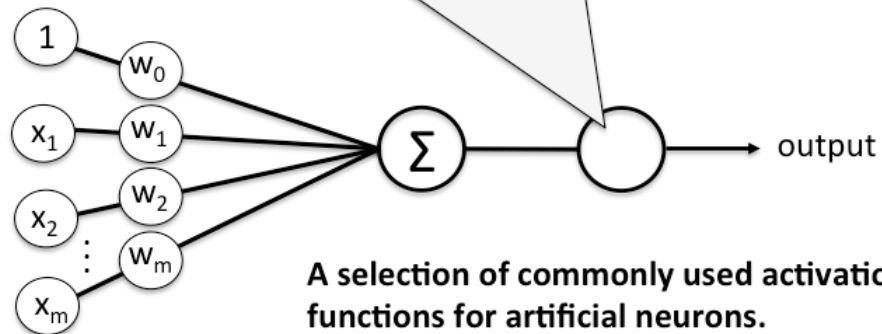
$$X = \begin{bmatrix} / & / & \dots & / \\ x^{(1)} & x^{(2)} & \dots & x^{(m)} \\ \backslash & \backslash & \dots & \backslash \end{bmatrix}$$
$$A^{[1]} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & \dots & | \\ a^{[1](1)} & a^{[1](2)} & \dots & a^{[1](m)} \\ | & | & \dots & | \end{bmatrix}$$

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## Activation functions



	Unit step	$g(z) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } z \geq 0 \\ -1 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$
		$g(z) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } z \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$
	Linear	$g(z) = z$
	Logistic (sigmoid)	$g(z) = 1 / (1 + \exp(-z))$
	Hyperbolic tangent (sigmoid)	$g(z) = \frac{\exp(2z) - 1}{\exp(2z) + 1}$
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Comprehensive List of Activation Functions:

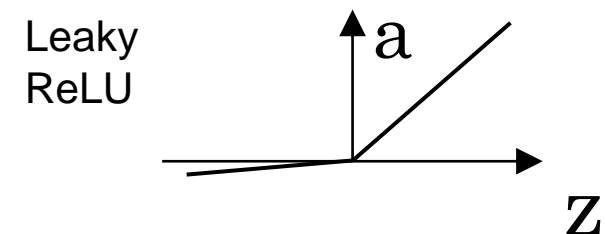
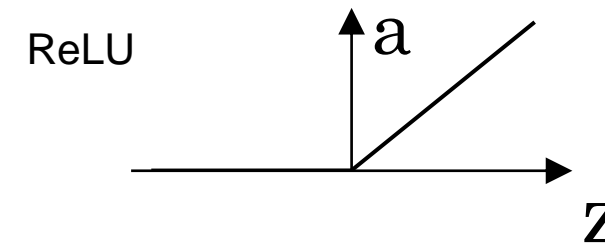
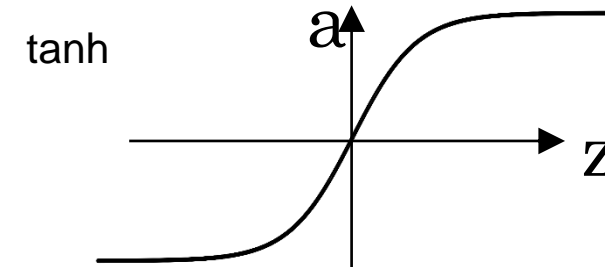
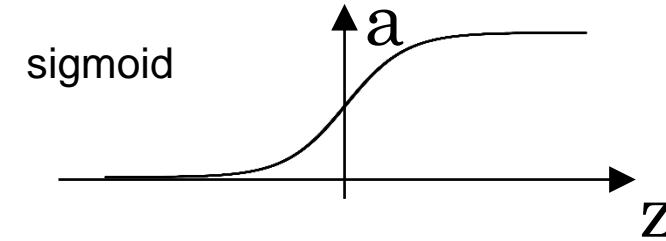
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## Activation functions



Activation Function	Formula (g(z))	Derivative (g'(z))
sigmoid	$a = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}$	$a(1 - a)$
tanh	$a = \frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{e^z + e^{-z}}$	$1 - a^2$
ReLU	$\max(0, z)$	0 if $z < 0$ 1 if $z \geq 0$
Leaky ReLU	$\max(0.01z, z)$	0.01 if $z < 0$ 1 if $z \geq 0$

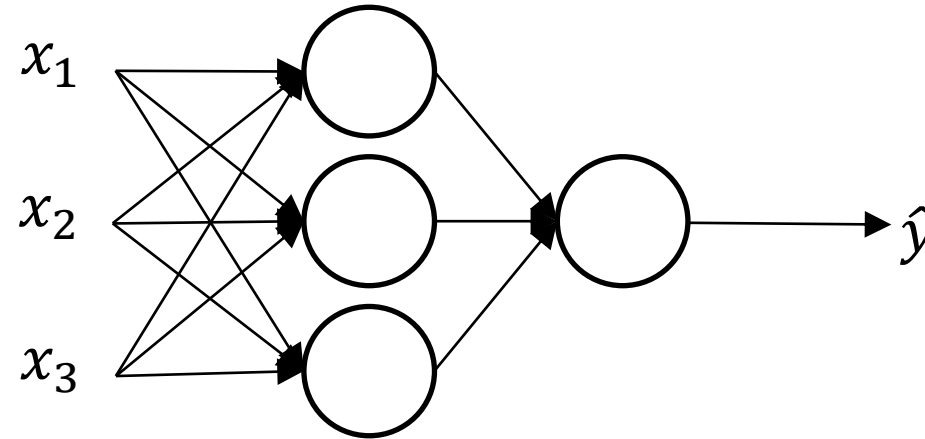


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## Why non-linear activation function?



- What not linear?
- Suppose  $g^{[1]}$ ,  $g^{[2]}$  are all linear
  - $a^{[1]} = z^{[1]}$
  - $a^{[2]} = z^{[2]}$
  - $a^{[2]} = W^{[2]}a^{[1]} + b^{[2]}$
  - $= W^{[2]}(W^{[1]}X + b^{[1]}) + b^{[2]}$
  - $= W^{[2]}W^{[1]}X + W^{[2]}b^{[1]} + b^{[2]}$
  - $= W'X + b'$
- All LINEAR!!!



Given  $x$ :

$$z^{[1]} = W^{[1]}x + b^{[1]}$$

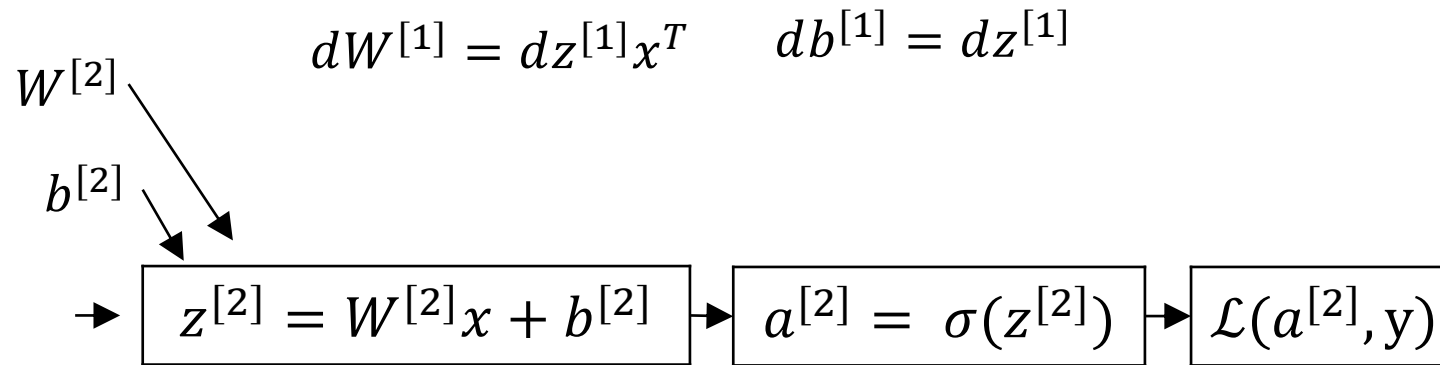
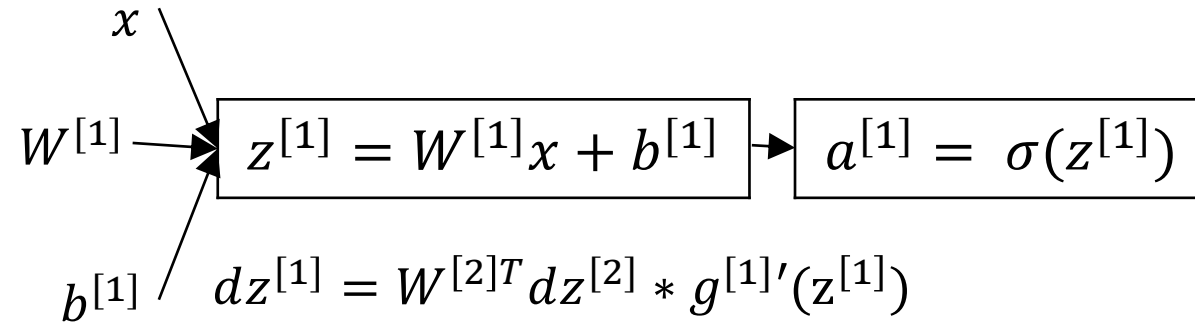
$$a^{[1]} = g^{[1]}(z^{[1]})$$

$$z^{[2]} = W^{[2]}a^{[1]} + b^{[2]}$$

$$a^{[2]} = g^{[2]}(z^{[2]})$$

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## Gradient descent for one hidden layer



$$dz^{[2]} = a^{[2]} - y$$

$$dW^{[2]} = dz^{[2]} a^{[1]T}$$

$$db^{[2]} = dz^{[2]}$$

$$dz^{[2]} = a^{[2]} - y$$

$$dW^{[2]} = dz^{[2]} a^{[1]T}$$

$$db^{[2]} = dz^{[2]}$$

$$dz^{[1]} = W^{[2]T} dz^{[2]} * g^{[1]'}(z^{[1]})$$

$$dW^{[1]} = dz^{[1]} x^T$$

$$db^{[1]} = dz^{[1]}$$

$$dZ^{[2]} = A^{[2]} - Y$$

$$dW^{[2]} = \frac{1}{m} dZ^{[2]} A^{[1]T}$$

$$db^{[2]} = \frac{1}{m} \text{np.sum}(dZ^{[2]}, \text{axis} = 1, \text{keepdims} = \text{True})$$

$$dZ^{[1]} = W^{[2]T} dZ^{[2]} * g^{[1]'}(Z^{[1]})$$

$$dW^{[1]} = \frac{1}{m} dZ^{[1]} X^T$$

$$db^{[1]} = \frac{1}{m} \text{np.sum}(dZ^{[1]}, \text{axis} = 1, \text{keepdims} = \text{True})$$

$$J(\cdot) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \mathcal{L}(\hat{y}, y)$$

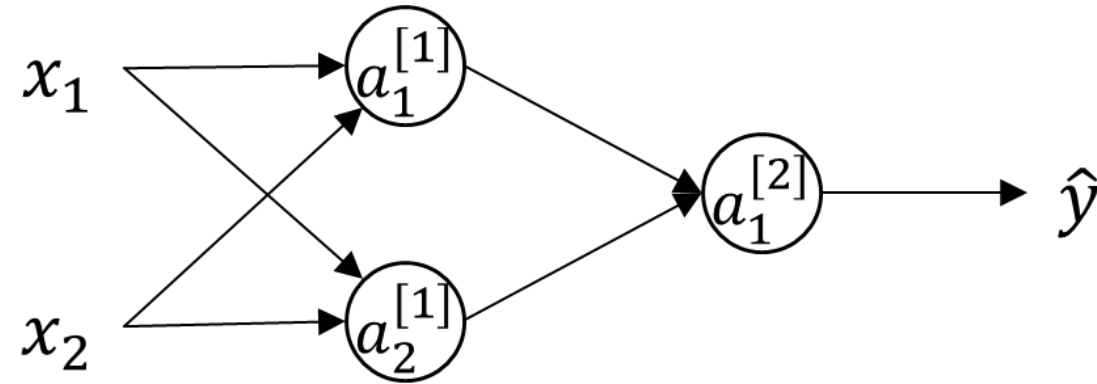


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## Initializing weights



- What is weights are initialized to **zero**?
- Suppose all weights are zero:
  - $W^{[1]} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
  - $b^{[1]} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
  - $a_1^{[1]} = a_2^{[1]}$
  - $dz_1^{[1]} = dz_2^{[1]}$
  - $dW = \begin{bmatrix} u & v \\ u & v \end{bmatrix}$  (i.e., symmetric rows)
  - $W^{[1]} = W^{[1]} - \alpha dW$
  - $W^{[1]} = \begin{bmatrix} f & g \\ f & g \end{bmatrix}$  (i.e., symmetric rows)
- No need of TWO or more neurons ... because all computations are same!
  - Do NOT initialize all weights are ZERO!!



- $W[1] = \text{np.random.randn}((2,2))*\mathbf{0.01}$ 
  - **Small** random values are suggested!
  - If too **large**,  $Z^{[1]} = W^{[1]}X + b^{[1]}$  will also be very large and  $a^{[1]} = g^{[1]}(z^{[1]})$  will be in the flat areas and gradient descent will be **very, very sloooooooooow....**
  
- $b[1] = \text{np.zeros}((2,1))$  (b can be zero, no problem!)