

MLP learning by solving a nonlinear system

Using the Levenberg-Marquardt method

Target function

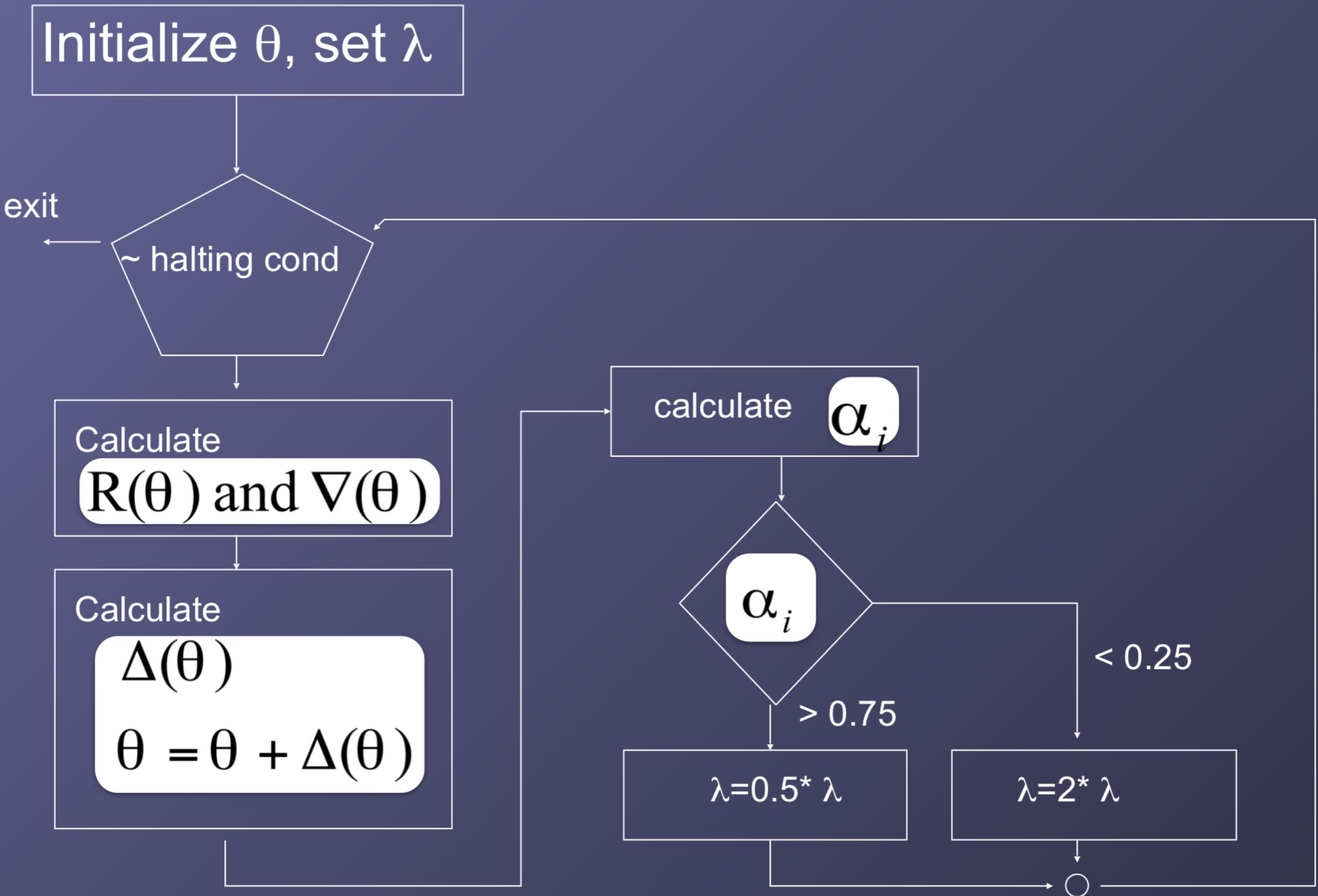
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- High dimension and nonlinear target function

The Levenberg-Marquardt Method

Levenberg-Marquardt learning

- Multi-layer neural networks
- MLP (Multilayer Perceptrons)
- RBF (Radial Basis Functions)
- Newton-Gauss method
- Levenberg-Marquardt method



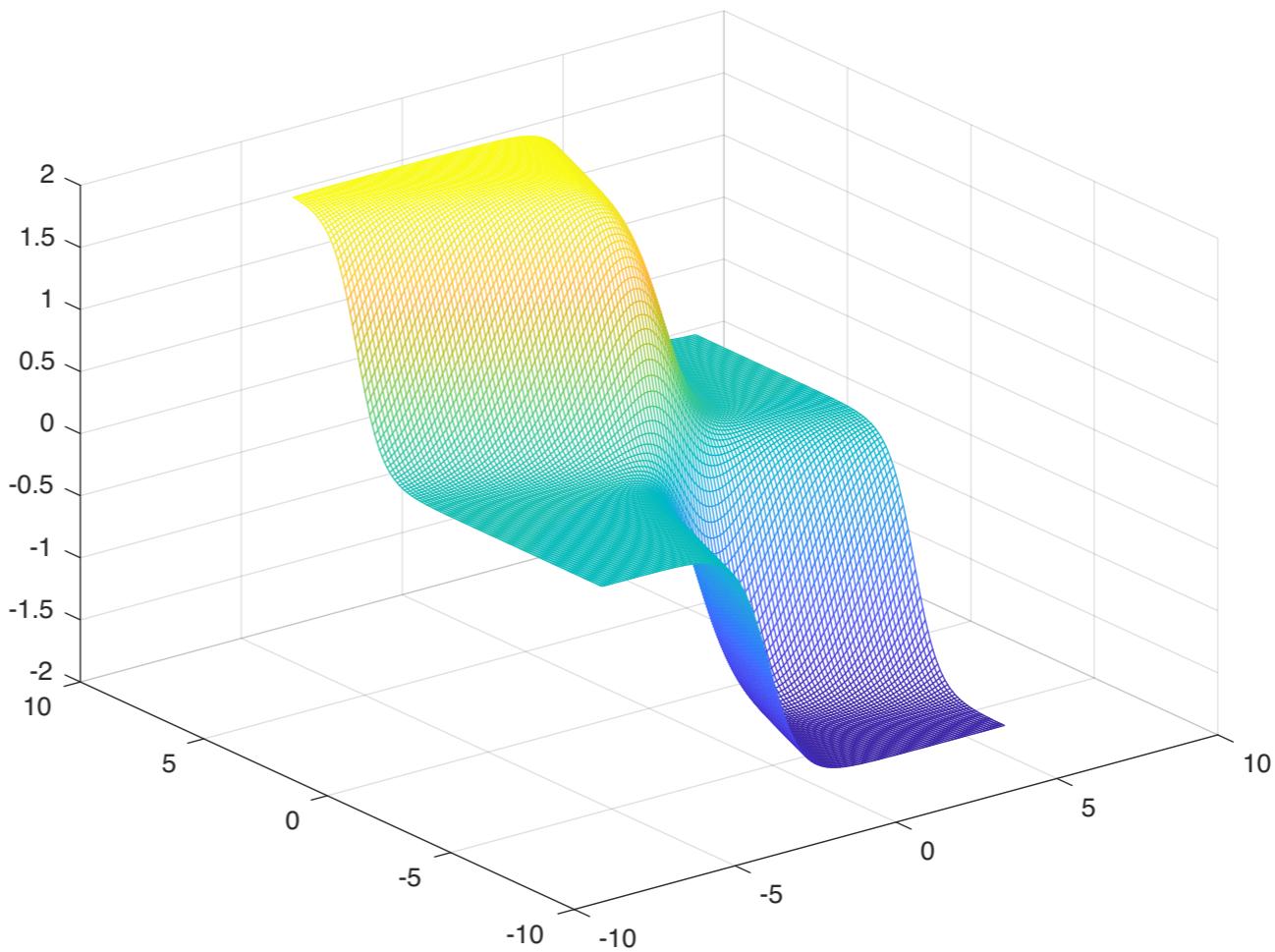
demo_plot2d

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x1=-range:0.1:range;
x2=x1;
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mesh(x1,x2,C);
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Approximating function

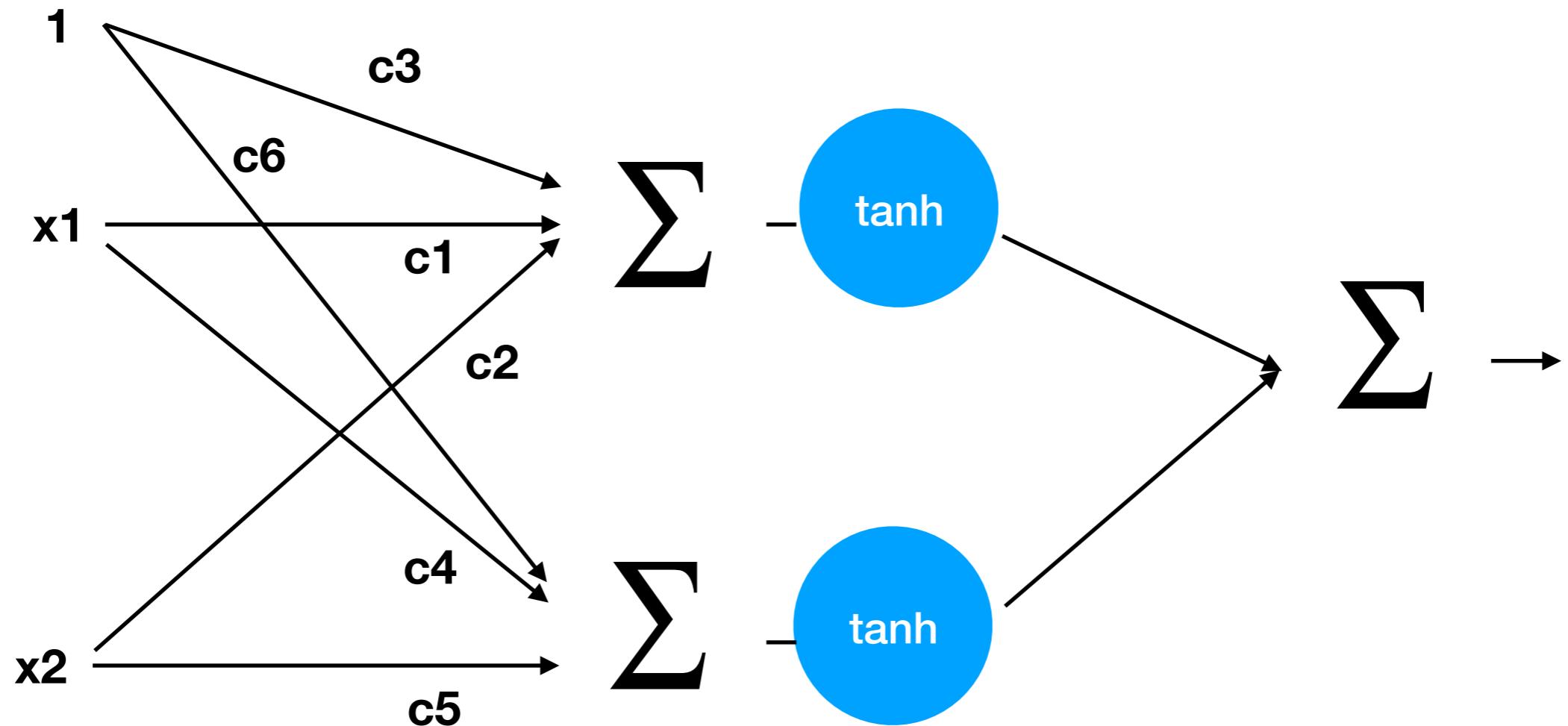
- A multilayer neural network

Adaptable
parameters

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A = [x1 x2 ones(length(x1),1)];
h = tanh(A*c(1:3)')+tanh(A*c(4:6)');
end
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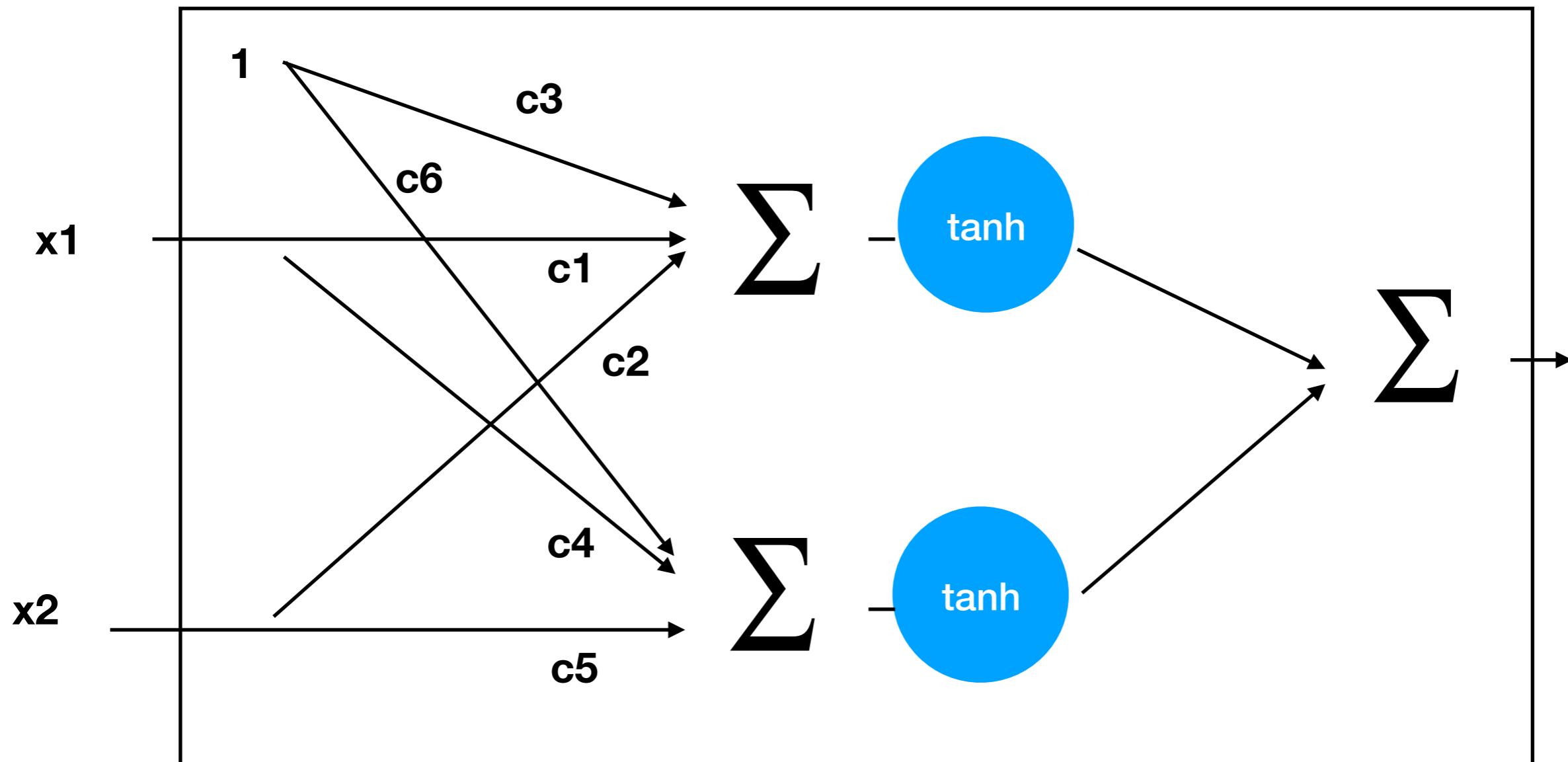
- Approximating function g by g_{hat}
- The problem is how to estimate adaptable parameters in c .

Multilayer perceptrons



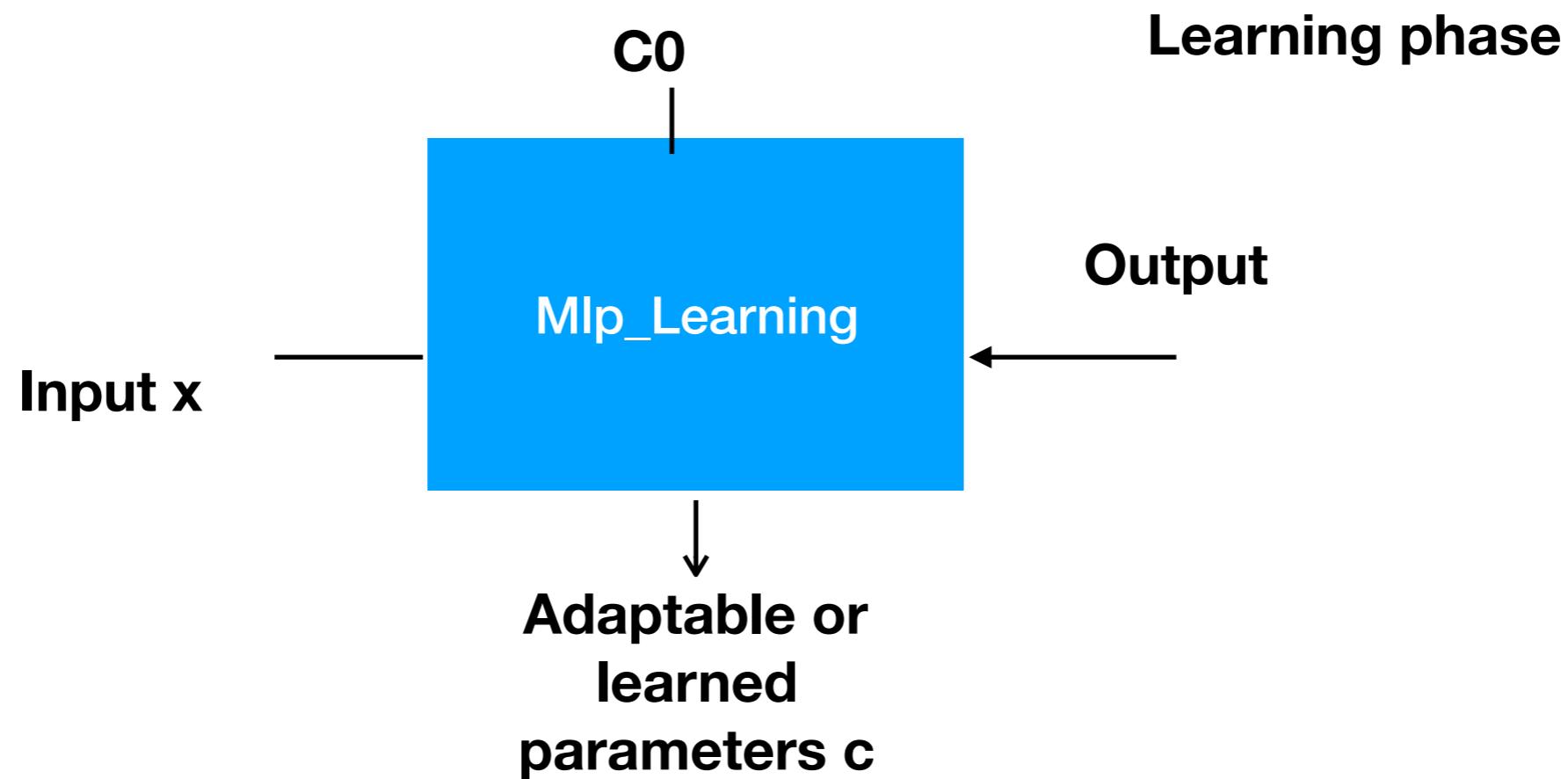
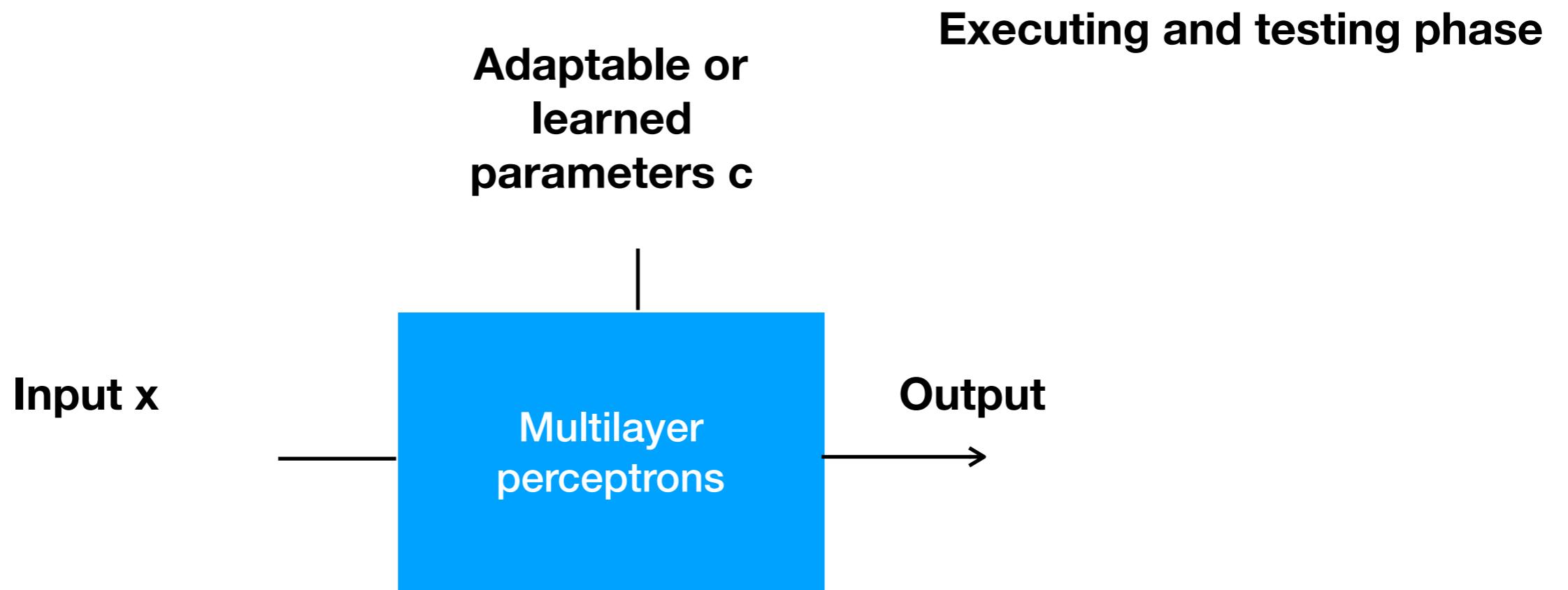
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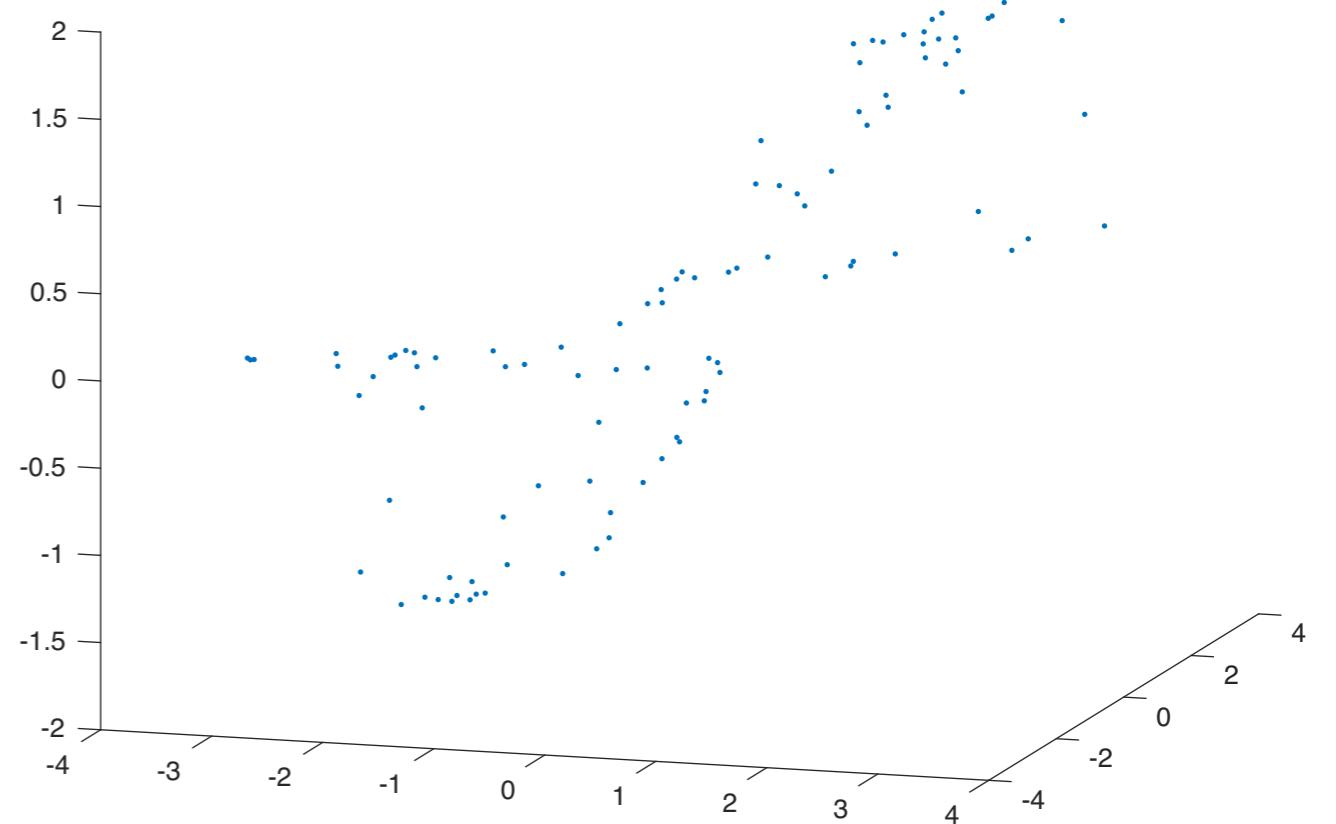
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c: adaptable parameters



training data

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z=rand(50,2)*2*pi-pi;  
y=g(z(:,1),z(:,2));  
plot3(z(:,1),z(:,2),y,'.');
```

- Two steps
 - Generate a uniform sample from the domain
 - Substitute $z(:,1)$ and $z(:,2)$ to g



testing data

```
z_test=rand(50,2)*2*pi-pi;  
y_test=g(z_test(:,1),z_test(:,2));
```

- Two steps
 - Generate another uniform sample from the domain
 - Substitute $z_{\text{test}}(:,1)$ and $z_{\text{test}}(:,2)$ to g to generate y_{test}
 - Substitute $z_{\text{test}}(:,1)$ and $z_{\text{test}}(:,2)$ to $g_{\hat{}}$ to generate $y_{\hat{}}$ for approximating y_{test}

MLP learning and testing

- MLP learning
 - Train $\hat{g}(x_1, x_2, c)$ by data z, y
- Let $c_{\hat{g}}$ denote the learning result
- Test $\hat{g}(x_1, x_2, c_{\hat{g}})$ by z_{test} and y_{test}

A nonlinear system

```
function F = learning_mlp(c,x1,x2,y)
A = [x1 x2 ones(length(x1),1)];
F = tanh(A*c(1:3)')+tanh(A*c(4:6))-y; %activation function
end
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- Create a nonlinear function
 - $F = \text{learning_mlp}(c, x_1, x_2, y)$

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- learning_mlp is a nonlinear system
- adaptable parameters c are unknown
- Set x_1 to $z(:,1)$, x_2 to $z(:,2)$ and y
 - Let c_{zero} denote a zero where F is close to zero
 - The output of $\hat{g}(x_1, x_2, c_{\text{zero}})$ well approximates given target y

```
%% Solving a nonlinear system for MLP learning, created by Jiann-Ming Wu
% Department of Applied Mathematics, National Dong Hwa University
%
% Using Matlab (R)
% 2018 dec. 3
% MLP learning is resolved by the Levenberg-Marquardt method
%
```

```
function demo_mlp_learning()
syms c % adaptable parameters in an MLP network

% initialization
c0=rand(1,6)*2-1;

% preparation of training data
% uniform sampling
% Substitute to the target function g
z=rand(100,2)*2*pi-pi;
y=g(z(:,1),z(:,2));
plot3(z(:,1),z(:,2),y,'.');
```

```
% Levenberg-Marquardt method
options = optimoptions('fsolve','Algorithm', 'levenberg-marquardt')
% specification of a nonlinear system for MLP_learning
f = @(c)learning_mlp(c,z(:,1),z(:,2),y);
```

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% apply fsolve
% Verification of c_zero
c_zero = fsolve(f,c0,options);
sum(abs(learning_mlp(c_zero,z(:,1),z(:,2),y)))

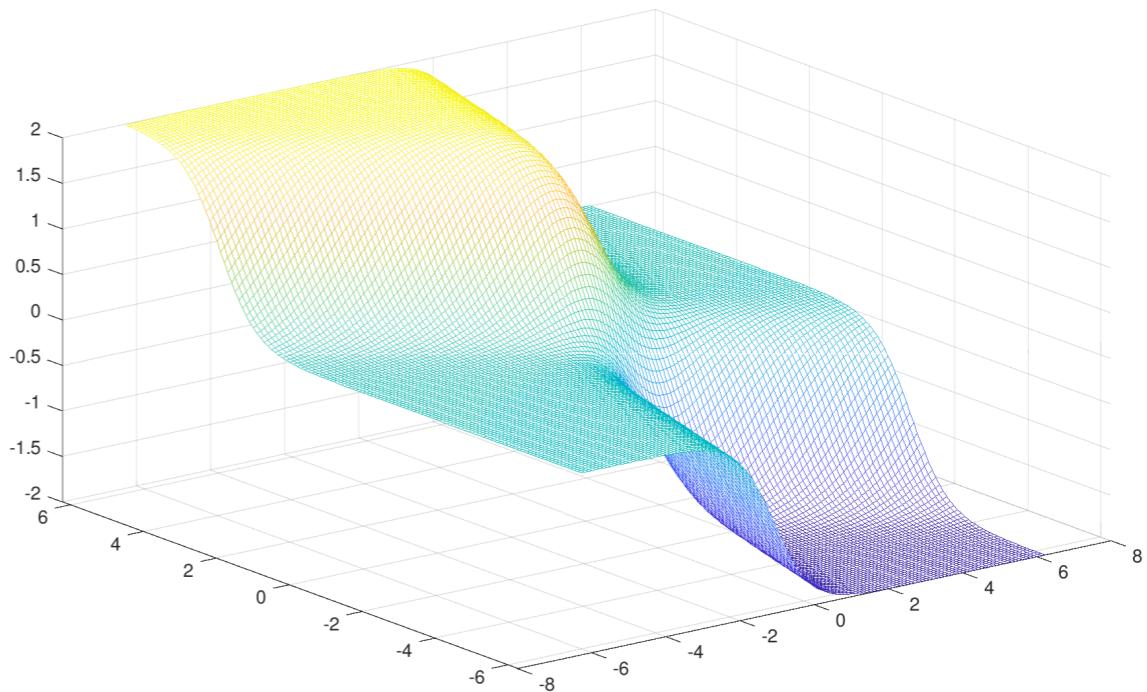
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j=2*pi;
x1=-range:0.1:range;
x2=x1;
for i=1:length(x1)
    C(i,:)=g_hat(x1(i)*ones(length(x2),1),x2',c_zero);
end
mesh(x1,x2,C);

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end

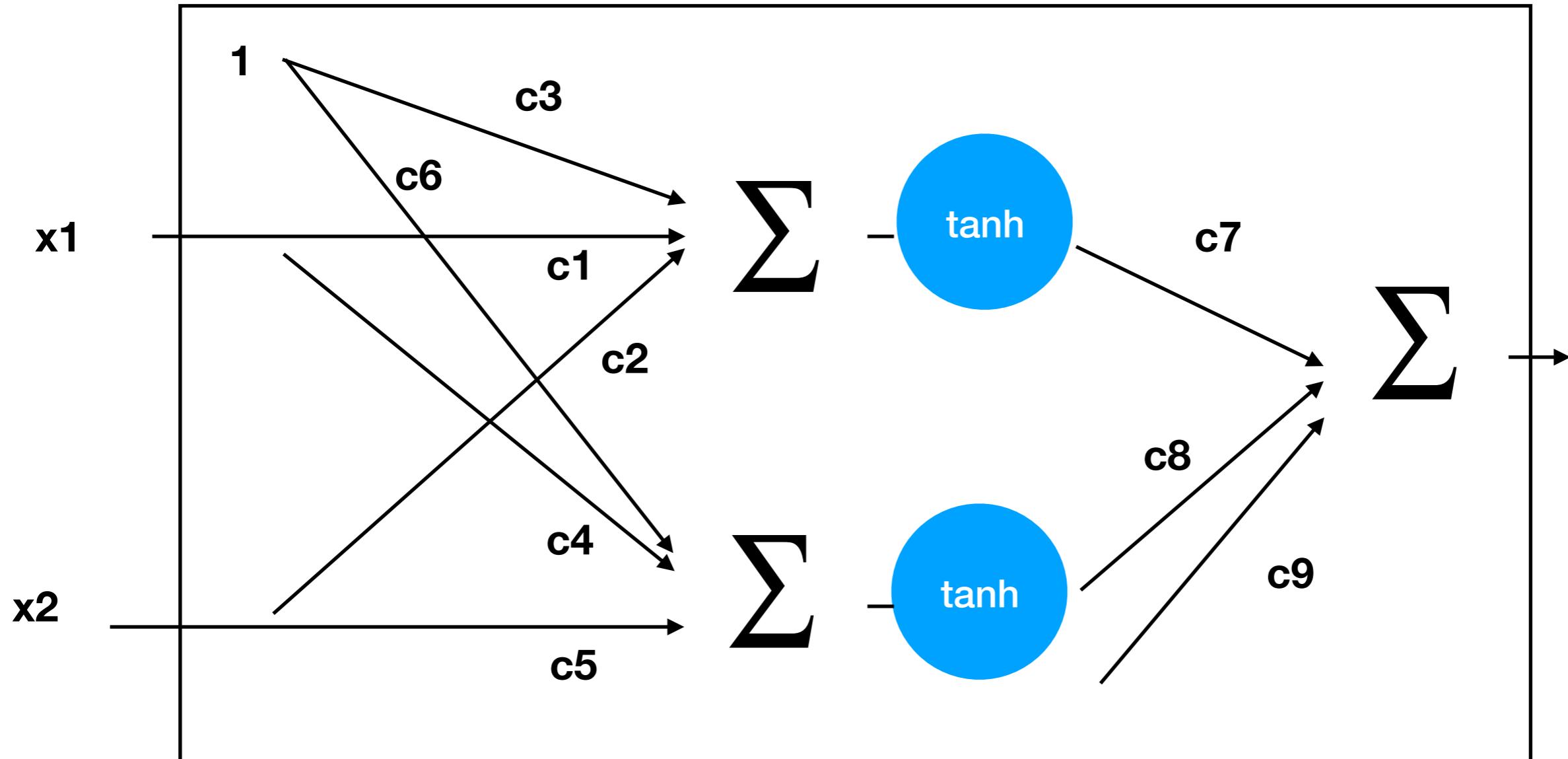


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% a target function
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% a nonlinear system for MLP_learning
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% An approximating function
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Multilayer perceptrons



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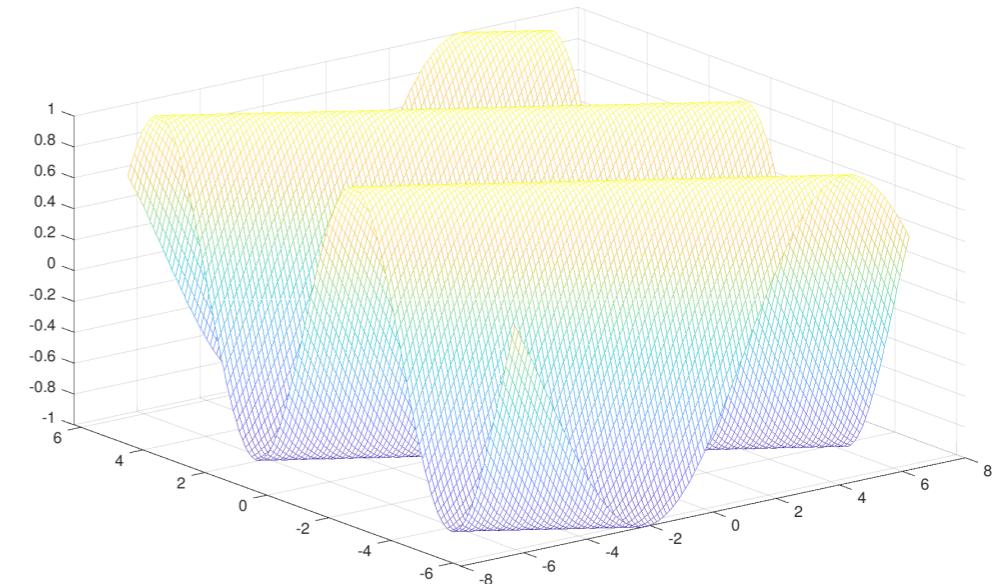
M perceptrons

- How to revise mlp_learning for the case of learning a network of M perceptrons?
- How to add adaptable posterior weights?
- How to approximate a target function, $\sin(x_1+x_2)$?

demo_plot2d

```
function demo_plot2d_sin()
```

```
range=2*pi;
x1=-range:0.1:range;
x2=x1;
for i=1:length(x1)
    C(i,:)=g_sin(x1(i)*ones(length(x2),1),x2');
end
mesh(x1,x2,C);
end
function h = g_sin(x1,x2)
C1=[1 1/2 -1/2]'; %weight
A = [x1 x2 ones(length(x1),1)];
h = sin(A*C1); %activation function
end
```



Approximating function

- A multilayer neural network

```
function h = g_hat2(x1,x2,c,M)
A = [x1 x2 ones(length(x1),1)];
d=2;
W=reshape(c(1:M*(d+1)),d+1,M);
v = tanh(A*W);
h = v*c(M*(d+1)+1:end);
end
```

Adaptable
parameters

- Approximating function g_{\sin} by $g_{\hat{h}}$
- The problem is how to estimate adaptable parameters in c .

A nonlinear system

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- Create a nonlinear function
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