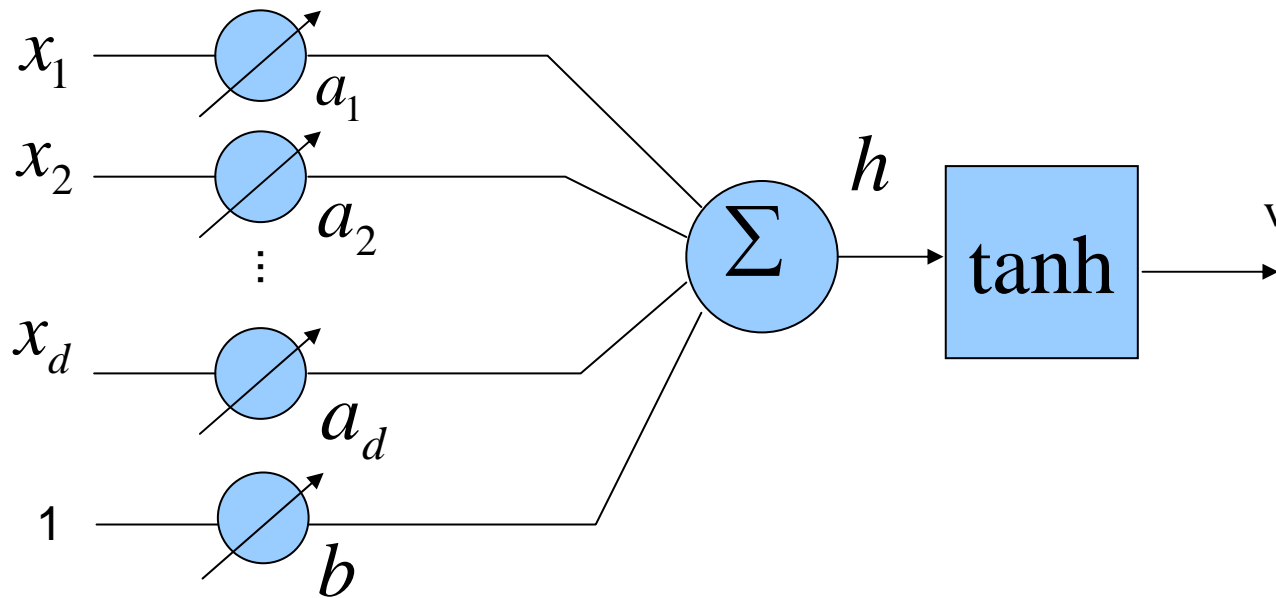


Levenberg-Marquardt Learning for RBF neural networks

Perceptrons

- Rosenblatt (1962), Widrow (1962)
- Post-tanh (sigmoid-like) projection

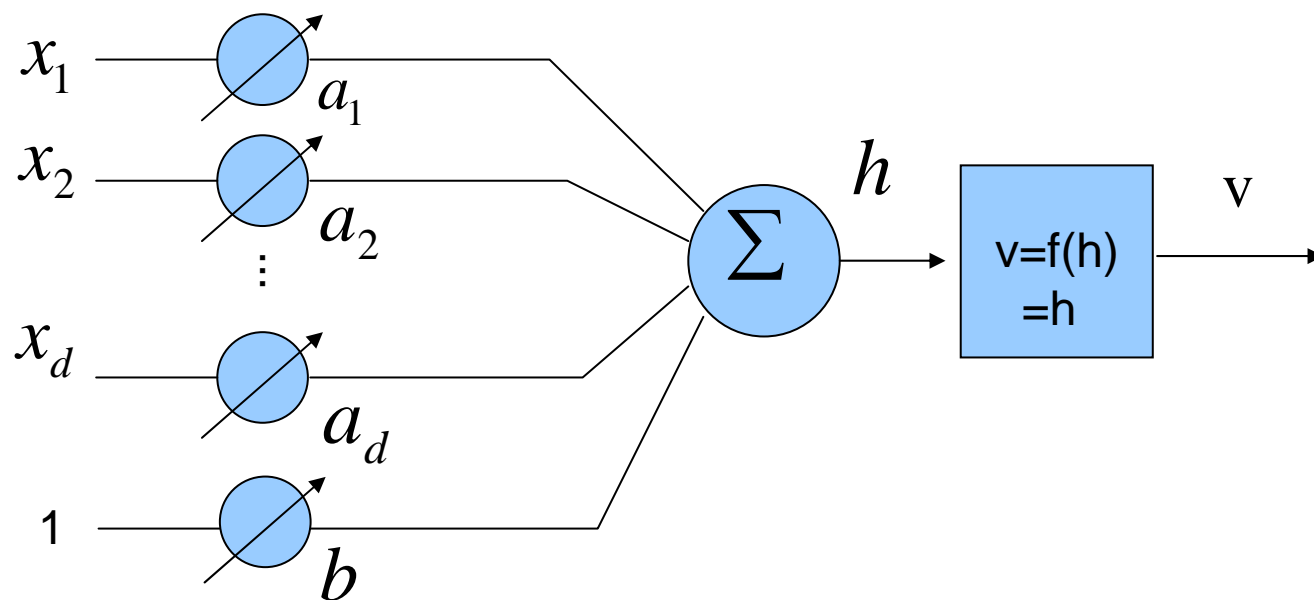
$$v = \tanh(h = a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_dx_d + b)$$



Linear projection

- Reduce to linear projection when tanh is removed

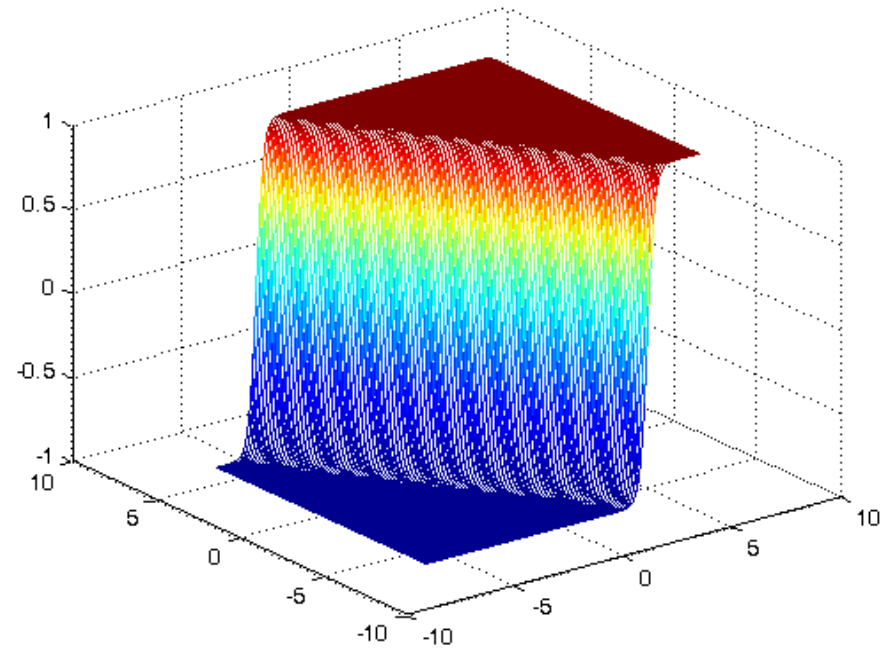
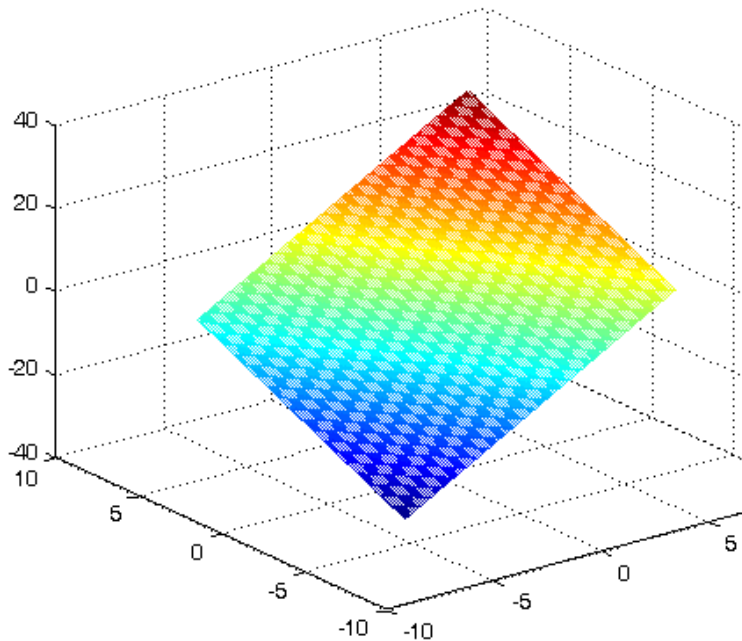
$$v = h = a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_dx_d + b$$



Linear projection vs post-tanh projection

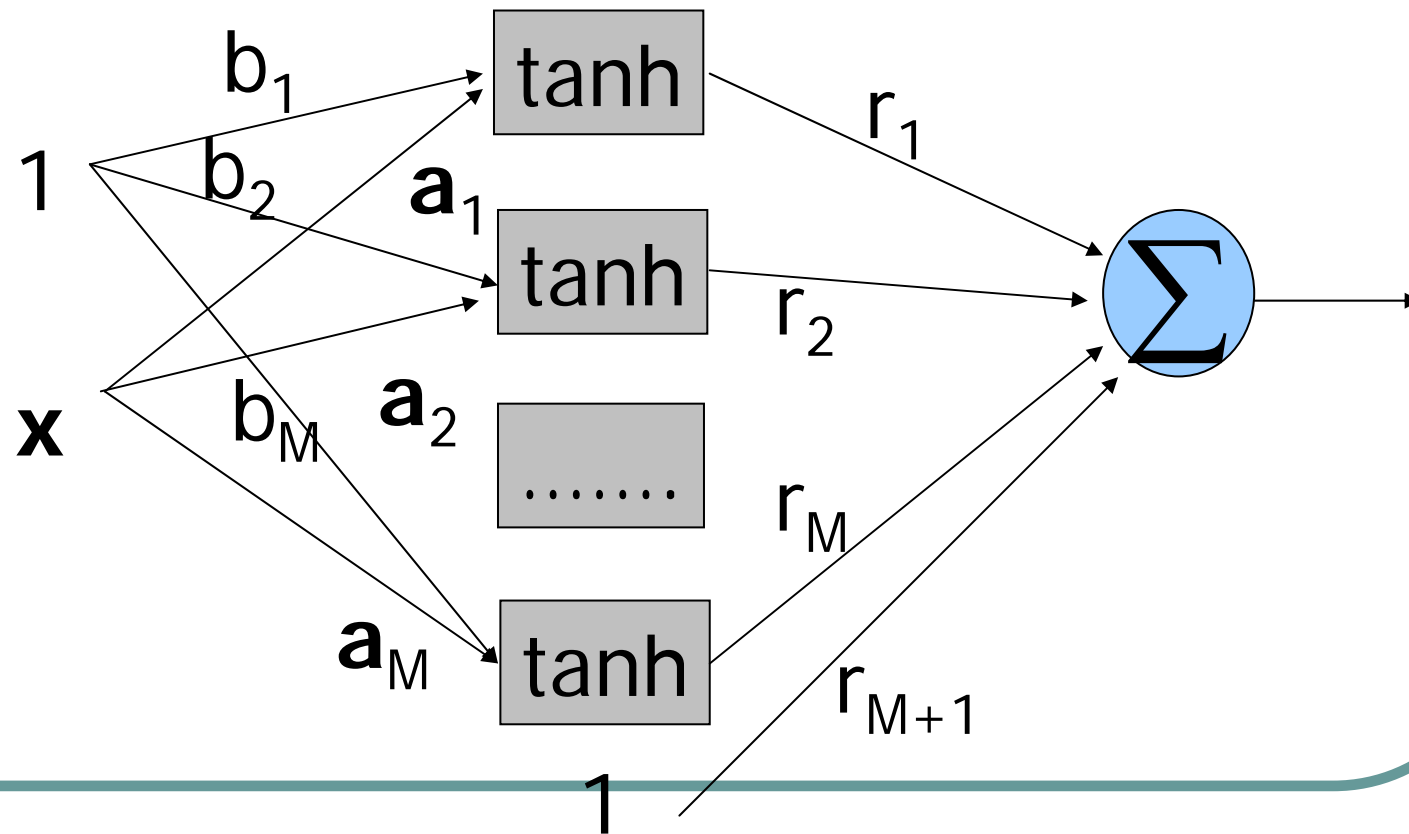
$d=2$

$$y = 2x_1 + 3x_2 + 1 \quad y = \tanh(2x_1 + 3x_2 + 1)$$



Multiple perceptrons

Multilayer perceptrons (MLP) (Rumelhart, 1986)



Network Function

$$f(\mathbf{x}; \theta) = \sum_{m=1}^M r_m \tanh(\mathbf{a}_m^T \mathbf{x} + b_m) + r_0$$

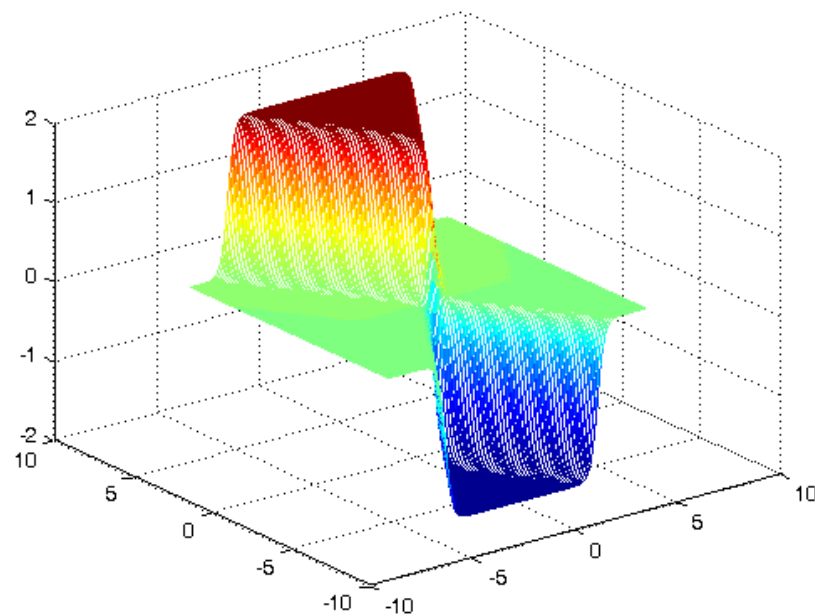
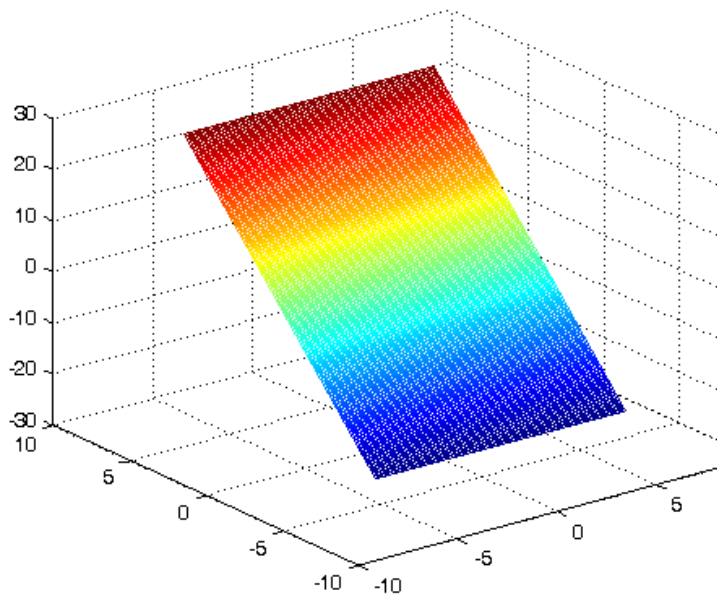
$$\theta = \{\mathbf{a}_m\} \cup \{b_m\} \cup \{r_m\}$$

Multiple post-tanh projections

$M=2, d=2$

$$f(x_1, x_2) = (2x_1 + 3x_2 + 1) \\ + (2x_1 - 3x_2 + 2)$$

$$f(x_1, x_2) = \tanh(2x_1 + 3x_2 + 1) \\ + \tanh(2x_1 - 3x_2 + 2)$$



Paired data for function approximation

- Target function $F: R^d \rightarrow R$

- Paired Data

$$(\mathbf{x}[t], y[t]), t = 1, \dots, N$$

- Predictors

$$\mathbf{x}[t] = (x_1[t], \dots, x_d[t])^T$$

- Targets

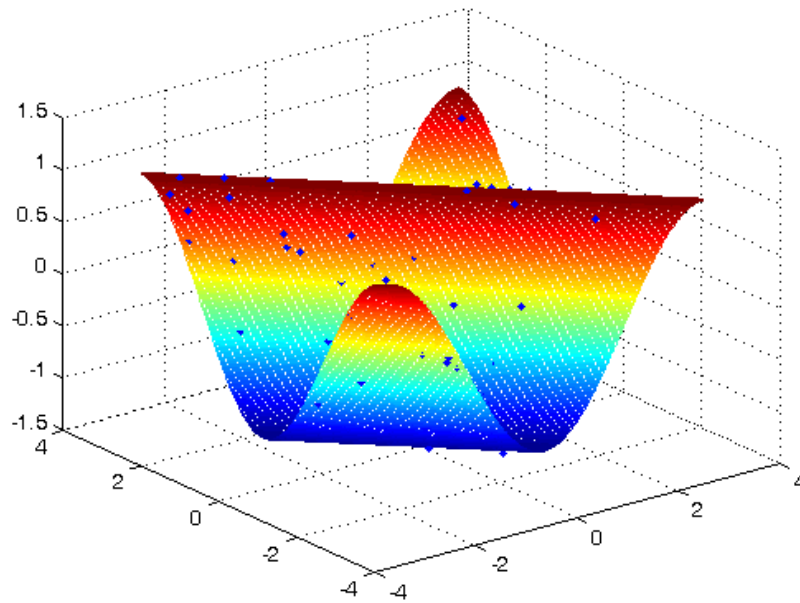
$$y[t] = F(\mathbf{x}[t]) + \textit{noise}$$

Paired data

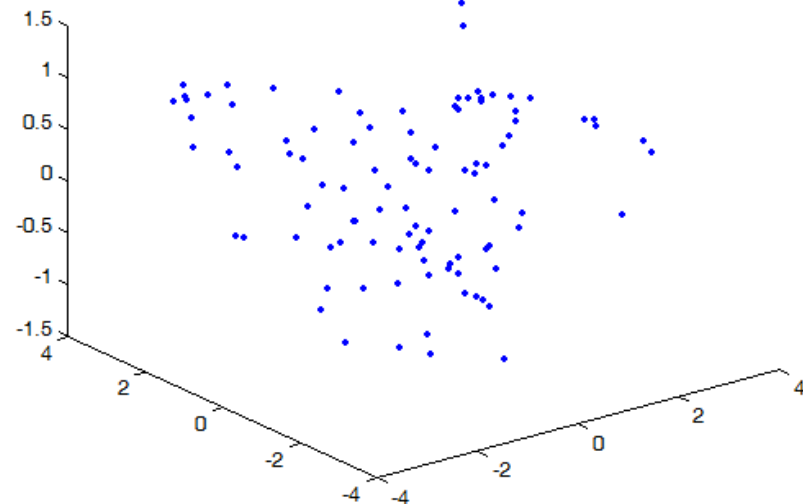
$$d = 2$$

$$F(x_1 + x_2) = \cos(x_1 + x_2)$$

Target function



Paired data



Hyper-plane Fitting

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mcc -m MLP_Tool.m
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MLP_Tool.ctf MLP_Tool.exe

Function approximation

- Approximating function :
 - Multilayer perceptrons
 - Equivalently, multiple post-tanh projections
- Subject to given paired data, optimize network parameters, $\theta = \{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{r}\}$, to reconstruct the unknown target function.

Approximating error

$$\mathbf{E}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (y[t] - f(\mathbf{x}[t]; \boldsymbol{\theta}))^2$$

Unconstrained optimization

$$\boldsymbol{\theta}_{opt} = \arg \min_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} E(\boldsymbol{\theta})$$

$$E(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (y[t] - f(\mathbf{x}[t]; \boldsymbol{\theta}))^2$$

Target functions I

(2009, Wu)

Table 1. Target functions

$f_1(\mathbf{x}) = \sin(x_1 + x_2)$	
$f_2(\mathbf{x}) = x_1^2 + x_2^2$	
$f_3(\mathbf{x}) = 0.5x_1^2 - 0.9x_2^2$	
$f_4(\mathbf{x}) = \exp(-0.05x_1^2 - 0.09x_2^2)$	noise
$f_5(\mathbf{x}) = \sin([1, -1]^T x) + \exp(-x^T A x)$	$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.08 & 0.015 \\ 0.02 & 0.075 \end{bmatrix}$
$f_6(\mathbf{x}) = \tanh(0.8x_1 + 0.2x_2) + \tanh(0.3x_1 - 0.9x_2)$	
$f_7(\mathbf{x}) = 0.5 \sin(x_1 + x_2) + 0.2x_1 - 0.2x_2$	
$f_8(\mathbf{x}) = \exp(-(x - \mathbf{w}_1)^T A (x - \mathbf{w}_1)) + \exp(-(x - \mathbf{w}_2)^T B (x - \mathbf{w}_1))$	$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0.12 & -0.02 \\ 0.035 & 0.075 \end{bmatrix}$
$f_9(\mathbf{x}) = f_8(\mathbf{x}) + 0.5 \sin(x_1 + 0.3x_2) + 0.5 \sin(0.2x_1 - 0.8x_2)$	

Target function II

(2006 Wu et al)

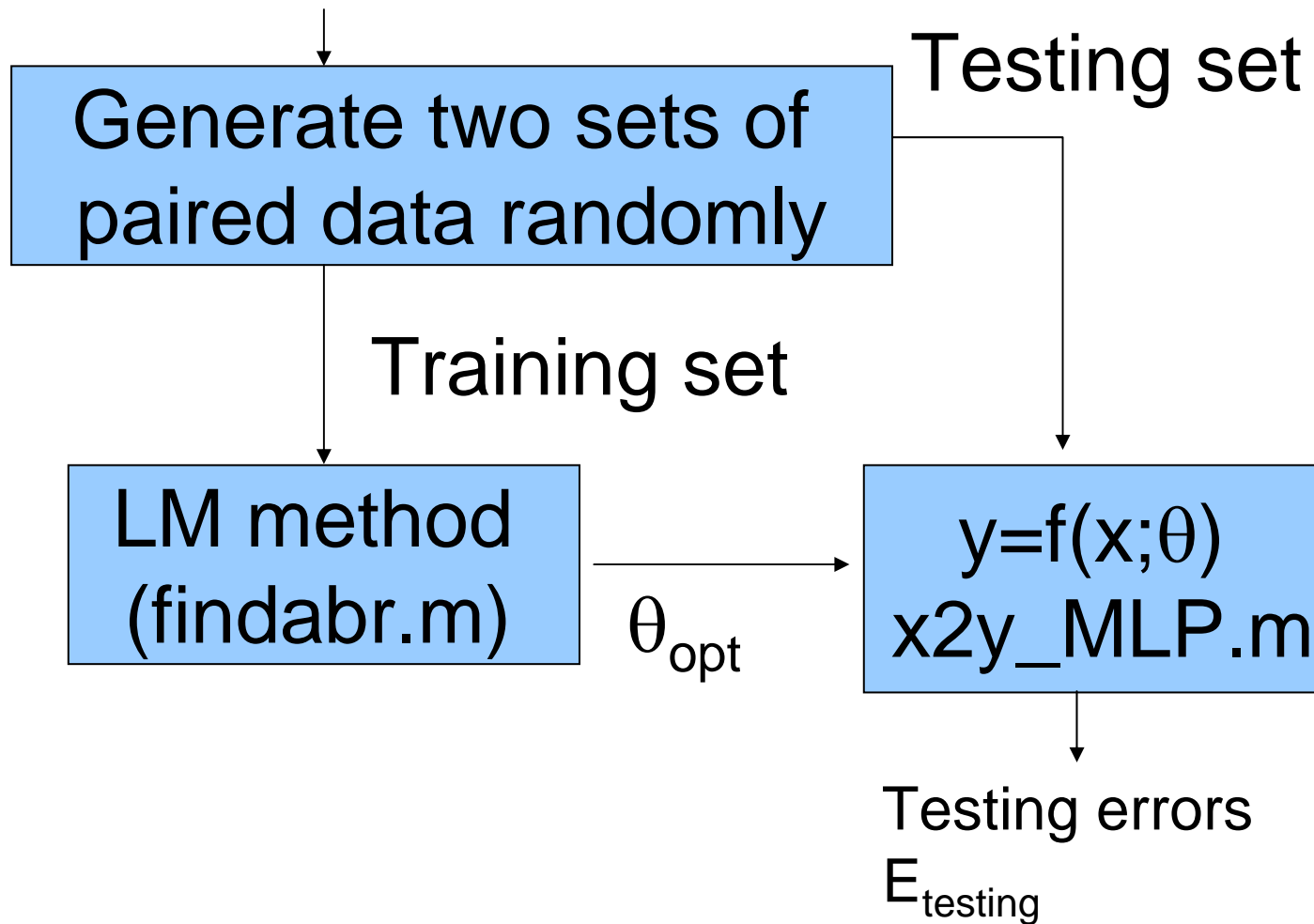
TABLE III
TARGET FUNCTIONS

Target function	Description
$y_1(z) = \psi(z) + n$	One-dimensional function with uniform noise $n \in [-0.5, 0.5]$
$y_2(\mathbf{z}) = 0.3z_1 + z_2 - 0.5z_3 + 2z_4 - 0.7z_5$	Single linear projection
$y_3(\mathbf{z}) = \tanh(0.3z_1 + z_2 - 0.5z_3 + 2z_4 - 0.7z_5)$	Single post-nonlinear projection
$y_4(\mathbf{z}) = \tanh(0.8z_1 + 0.2z_2) + \tanh(0.3z_1 - 0.9z_2)$	Sum of two PNL projections
$y_5(\mathbf{z}) = \tanh(0.8z_1 + 0.2z_2 + 0z_3 + 0z_4 + 0z_5)$ $+ \tanh(0.3z_1 - 0.9z_2 + 0z_3 + 0z_4 + 0z_5)$	Sum of two PNL projections with ineffective attributes
$y_6(\mathbf{z}) = 0.5z_1^2 - 0.9z_2^2$	Quadratic function
$y_7(\mathbf{z}) = \exp\left(-\frac{z_1^2}{\sigma_1} - \frac{z_2^2}{\sigma_2}\right) \cos(\kappa z_1 + \phi)$	Gabor function

Install NNSYSID (2001)

1. Install [The NNSYSID Toolbox](#)
2. Download [findabr.m](#) [x2y_MLP.m](#)
(Levenberg Marquardt method)
3. Set path to recruit the directory of where NNSYSID is installed

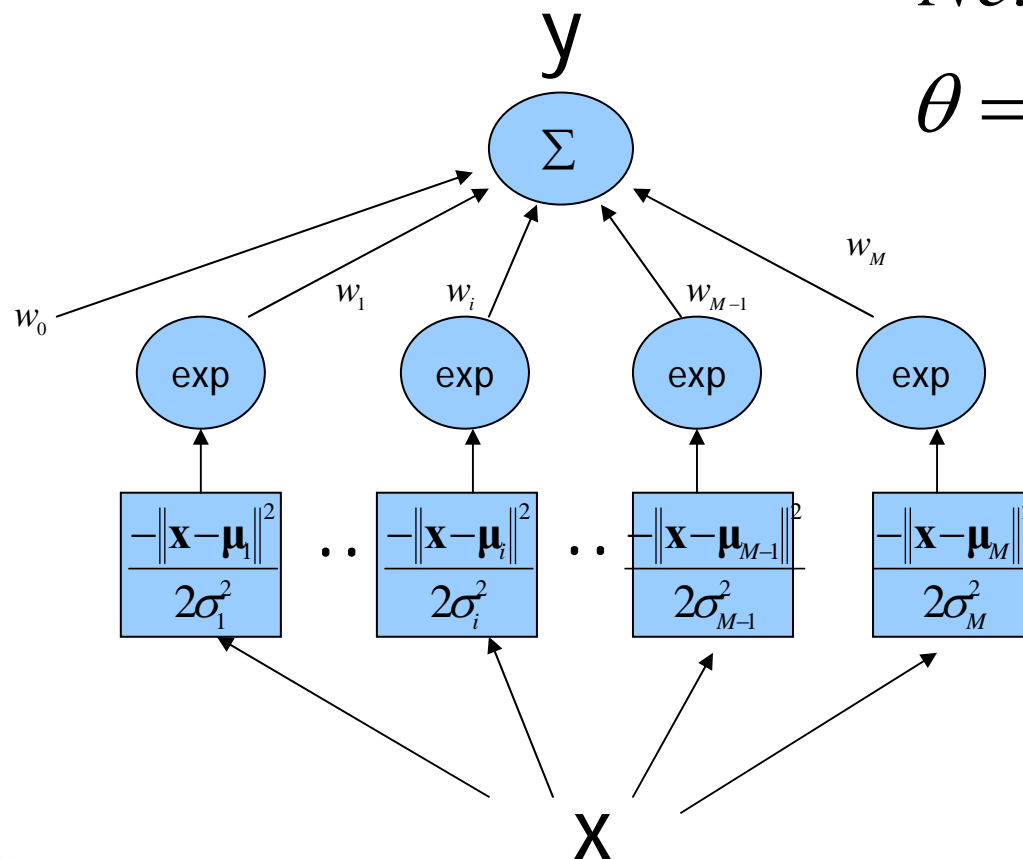
Training and Testing



Network function

$$\begin{aligned} y(t | \theta) &= G(\mathbf{x}[t] | \theta) \\ &= w_0 + \sum_{m=1}^M w_m \exp\left(-\frac{\|\mathbf{x}[t] - \boldsymbol{\mu}_m\|^2}{2\sigma_m^2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Architecture



Network parameter

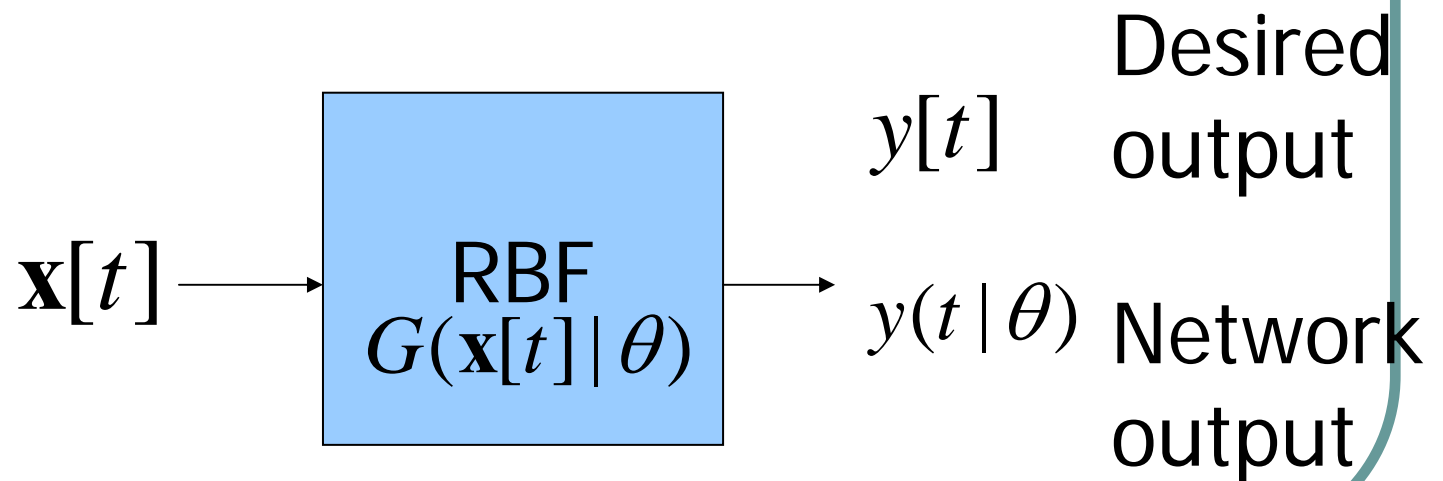
$$\theta = \{w_i\}_i \cup \{\mu_i\}_i \cup \{\sigma_i\}_i$$

Network parameter

$$\begin{aligned}\theta &= [\mathbf{u}_1^T \ \mathbf{u}_2^T \ \cdots \ \mathbf{u}_M^T \ \sigma_1 \ \sigma_2 \ \cdots \ \sigma_M \ \mathbf{w}_0 \ \mathbf{w}_1 \ \mathbf{w}_2 \ \cdots \ \mathbf{w}_M]^T \\ &= [\theta_1, \dots, \theta_{M*d+2M+1}]\end{aligned}$$

Training set

$$S = \{ (\mathbf{x}[t], y[t]) \}_{t=1}^N$$



Training

Mean square error

$$E_s(\theta) = \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{t=1}^N (y[t] - y(t | \theta))^2$$

Unconstrained optimization

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}} = \arg \min_{\{\boldsymbol{\theta}\}} E_S(\boldsymbol{\theta})$$

Find θ to minimize $E_s(\theta)$

Iterative approaches

- Gradient method
- Newton-Gauss method
- Levenberg-Marquardt method

Iterative approach

1. Initialize θ_i with $i=0$
2. Determine $\Delta\theta_i$
3. Update network parameters

$$\theta_{i+1} = \theta_i + \Delta\theta_i$$

4. If halting condition holds, exit
otherwise $i=i+1$, go to step 2

Objective function

$$E_S(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{t=1}^N \varepsilon^2(t, \boldsymbol{\theta}).$$

$$\varepsilon(t, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = y[t] - y(t|\boldsymbol{\theta})$$

Network output	Desired output
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Gradient method

$$\Delta \boldsymbol{\theta}_i \propto - \frac{dE_S(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{d\boldsymbol{\theta}} \Big|_{\boldsymbol{\theta}=\boldsymbol{\theta}_i}$$

Gradient

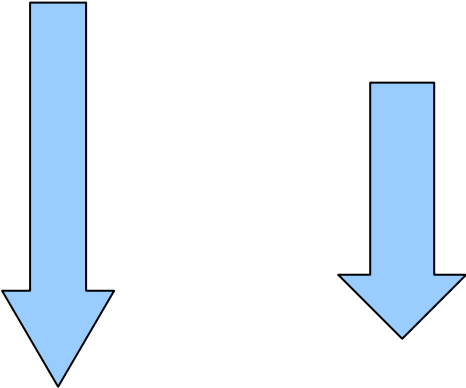
$$E_s(\theta) = \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{t=1}^N (y[t] - y(t | \theta))^2$$

$$\frac{dE_s(\theta)}{d\theta} = \frac{-1}{N} \sum_{t=1}^N (y[t] - y(t | \theta)) \frac{dy(t | \theta)}{d\theta}$$

$$\varepsilon(t, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = y[t] - y(t|\boldsymbol{\theta})$$

derivative

$$\psi(t, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{dy(t|\boldsymbol{\theta})}{d\boldsymbol{\theta}}$$


$$\left. \frac{dE_s(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{d\boldsymbol{\theta}} \right|_{\boldsymbol{\theta}=\boldsymbol{\theta}_i} = \nabla(\boldsymbol{\theta}_i) = \frac{-1}{N} \sum_{t=1}^N \varepsilon(t, \boldsymbol{\theta}_i) \psi(t, \boldsymbol{\theta}_i)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta\boldsymbol{\theta}_i &\propto -\left.\frac{dE_S(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{d\boldsymbol{\theta}}\right|_{\boldsymbol{\theta}=\boldsymbol{\theta}_i} \\ &= -\nabla(\boldsymbol{\theta}_i)\end{aligned}$$

Exercise

- **Function approximation**
 - Learning radial basis functions
 - 2D