



ICGEB-DBT Workshop Artificial Intelligence in Modern Biology

(12th- 14th September 2023)

Workshop Overview & Introduction to Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning & Neural Networks

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Research interests:

- Artificial intelligence for development of classification models for complex biological data.
- Comparative Genomics of hosts and pathogens to study evolutionary basis of drug resistance, identify novel drug targets and vaccine candidates
- Molecular modeling and Simulations
- *in silico* screening for novel leads against drug targets in human pathogens
- Development of algorithms for Translational Bioinformatics
- Development of databases

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Dhiraj Kumar, Cellular Immunology

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- MirtronPred
- miRMOD
- LipocalinPred
- VirulentPred
- PAmiRDB

PUBLICATION IN FOCUS

DriverFuse: An R package for analysis of next-generation sequencing datasets to identify cancer driver fusion genes

DATABASE

Duct-BRCA-CSP

DATABASE

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DATABASE

ProtPathDB

PUBLICATION IN FOCUS

Lead optimization, pharmacophore

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Workshop Overview

- **Cover state-of-art application of AI technologies in modern biology**
- **With large components of practical after-theory explanation**
- **Exploring AI with Google Colab and Advanced Libraries like Keras, PyTorch, etc**
- **Expert Lecture series:** Sharing the research work that will help the participants to understand the AI applications in different fields.
- **25 participants with a diverse backgrounds from all over India**
- **Preference M.Sc. Students > Ph.D.(initial years)>Young faculty**

Learning objectives

- Basics of AI/ML/DL techniques and their application in biology.
- Lectures from experts in the field.
- Hands on session using advanced libraries Pytorch, Keras etc.
- Hands on session using google colab.
- Experience to work with Kaggle datasets.

Final List of Participants (out of 900 applicants!)

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1	Devlina Sarkar	University of Calcutta
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7	Devvrat	School of Life Science, Khandari, Agra, Uttar Pradesh.
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10	Arsh Roy	Delhi Technological University
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Mr. Neeraj Chaturvedi

Mr. Hemant Kumar Joon

Ms. Neetu Tyagi

Ms. Lalita Dagar

Dr. Deeksha Pandey

Ms. Nimisha Tiwari

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Day 1 (12.09.2023)		
Timing	Title	Speaker
09:00 - 09:30 am	Registration	
09:30 - 10:00 am	Workshop Inauguration by Director ICGEB	Dr. Ramesh V. Sonti, ICGEB
	Introductory Talk by the Organizer	Dr. Dinesh Gupta, ICGEB
10:00 - 10:30 am	Introduction to Linear Classifiers and Key Deep Learning Concepts	Dr. Shweta Birla Dhakonia, ICGEB
10:30 - 11:00 am	Hands-on Application of Linear classifier of Perceptron Vs linear SVM for patient treatment classification using Electronic Health Records.	Dr. Ankit Singhal, ICGEB <i>Assisted by Dr. Shweta & Ms. Nimisha</i>
11:00 - 11:30 am	Tea Break	
11:30- 12:00 pm	Basics of Image (computer vision), Convolution Neural Network & Transfer Learning Technique for Image Classification	Ms. Nimisha Tiwari, ICGEB
12:00 - 01:00 pm	Hands-on Image Classification using CNN & Transfer Learning Models	Ms. Nimisha Tiwari, ICGEB <i>Assisted by Dr. Shweta, Ms. Tamseel & Dr. Ankit</i>
01:00 - 02:00 pm	Lunch	
02:00 - 03:00 pm	Leveraging representation learning for drug discovery	Dr. D. Sundar, IITD
03:00 - 04:00pm	Revolutionizing Reproductive Health: The Role of AI in Optimizing Fertility and Maternal Care	Dr Abhishek Sengupta/Dr. Priyanka Narad, Amity University
04:00 - 04:30 pm	Tea Break	
04:30 - 05:30 pm	Hands-on AI application using Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA), data visualization, and ML algorithms for prediction modeling.	Dr Abhishek Sengupta/Dr. Priyanka Team

Day 2 (13.09.2023)		
Timing	Title	Speaker
09:00-10:00 am	Learnable Query Initialization for Surgical Instrument Instance Segmentation	Dr. Chetan Arora, IITD
10:00-11:00 am	Exploring Parkinson's Disease Progression Prediction Dataset on Kaggle	Mr. Ayon Roy, NielsenIQ
11:00 - 11:30 am	Tea break	
11:30 - 12:00	Deep Learning models for identifying angle dysgenesis in-vivo using glaucoma ASOCT images	Dr. Shweta Birla Dhakonia, ICGEB
12.00-1.00 pm	Self-Practice/Problem-Solving/Informal session	All of us
01:00 - 02:00 pm	Lunch	
02:00 - 03:00 pm	Talk & Demo-on Machine Learning Assisted Drug Discovery for SARS-CoV-2	Mr. Neeraj Chaturvedi, ICGEB <i>Assisted by Ms. Neetu, Ms. Chhaya, Ms. Nimisha & Dr. Ashish</i>
03:00- 04:00 pm	Hands-on Vision Transformers for Brain Tumor Classification in MRI Images.	Mr. Rohan & Ms. Ankita, IITD
04:00 - 04:30 pm	Tea break	
04:30 - 05:30 pm	Session continued	Mr. Rohan & Ms. Ankita, IITD

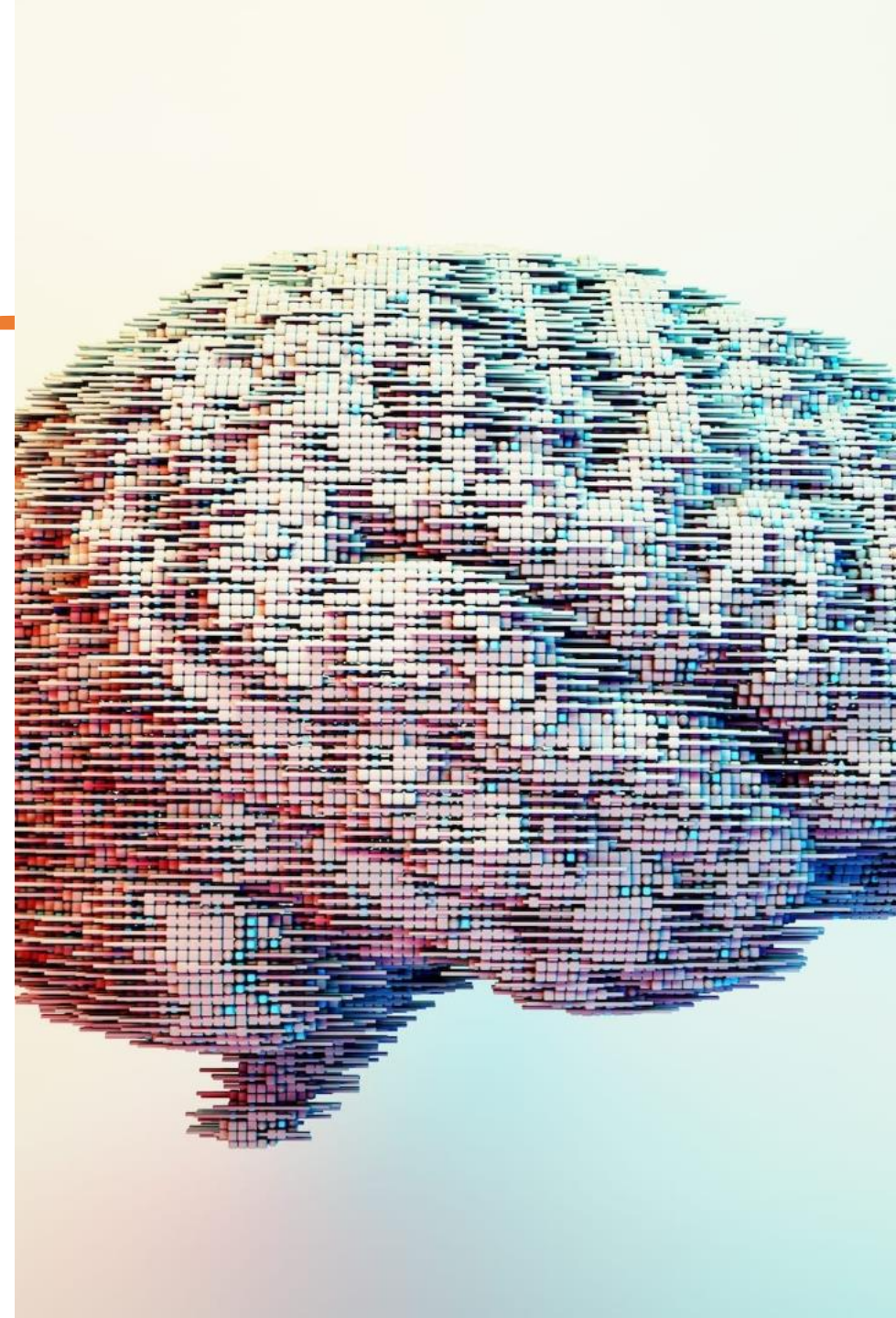
Day 3 (14.09.2023)		
Timing	Title	Speaker
09:00 - 09:45 am	Lecture on Role of AI in Unlocking Gene Expression Patterns	Ms. Neetu Tyagi, ICGEB
09:45 - 10:45 am	Hands-on Session for Handling Gene Expression Data and analysing it via AI	Mr. Hemant, Ms. Neetu & Ms. Lalita ICGEB
10:45 - 11:15 am	Type your text	Tea break
11:15 - 12:00 pm	Hands-on Implication of AI driven classification models on metabolomics profiling dataset: Breast cancer case study	Dr. Ashish Sharma, ICGEB <i>Assisted by Ms. Tamseel, Ms. Chhaya & Ms. Deeksha</i>
12:00 - 01:00 pm	Deep Learning Assisted Retinopathy of Prematurity Screening	Mr. Vijay Kumar, IITD
01:00 - 02:00 pm		Lunch
02:00 - 03:00 pm	Using Machine-Learning to Discern the Antimicrobial Resistance Profile of Microbes	Dr. Manish Kumar, DU
03:00 - 04:00 pm	Hands-on Approach to Modelling and Understanding Hidden Markov Models	Dr. Deeksha Pandey, ICGEB <i>Assisted by Dr. Sangeeta, Dr. Sonu & Ms. Tamseel</i>
04:00 - 05:00 pm	Expert Lecture Series	Dr. GPS Raghava, IITD
05:00 - 05:30 pm		Closing Session with High Tea

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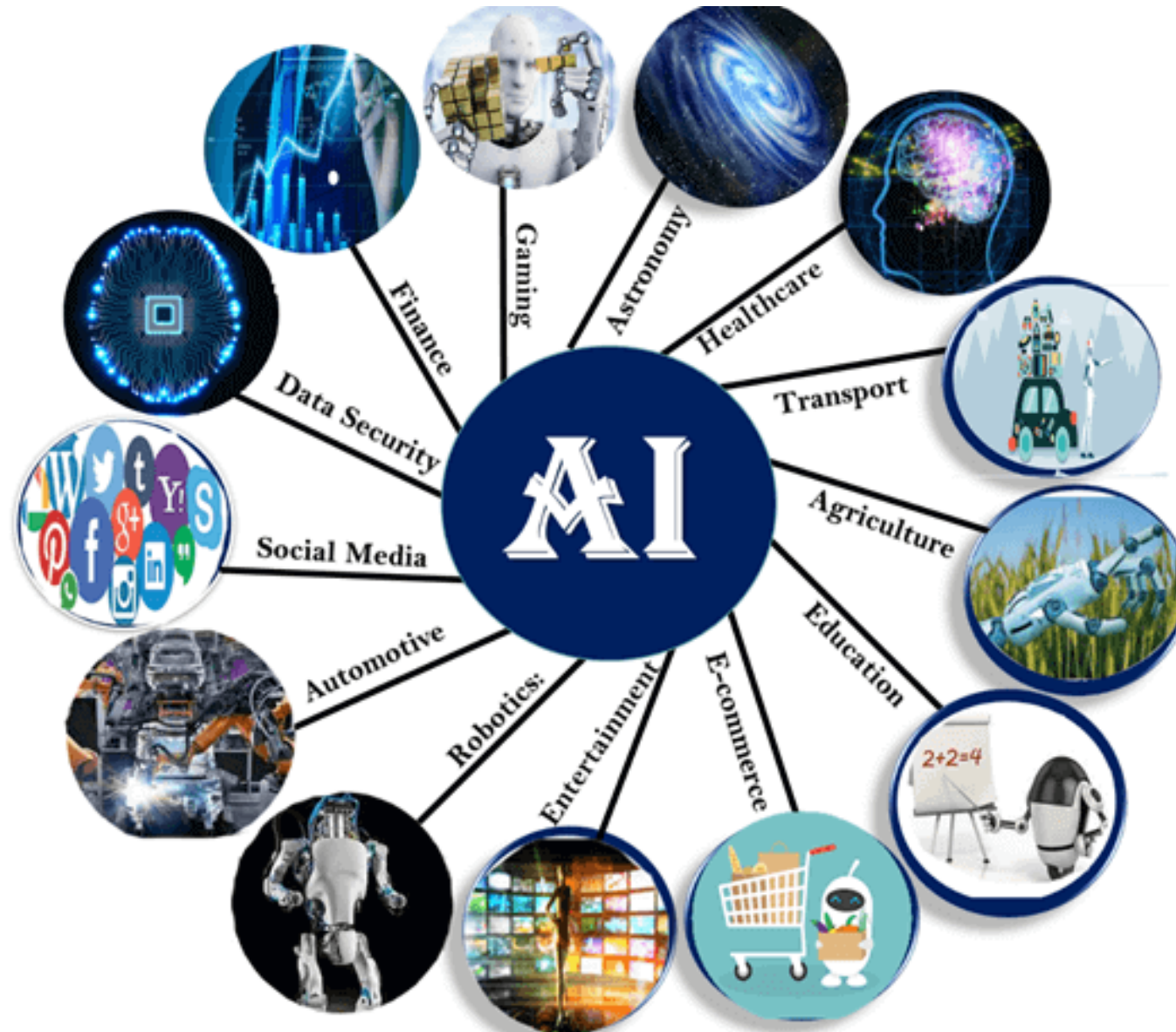
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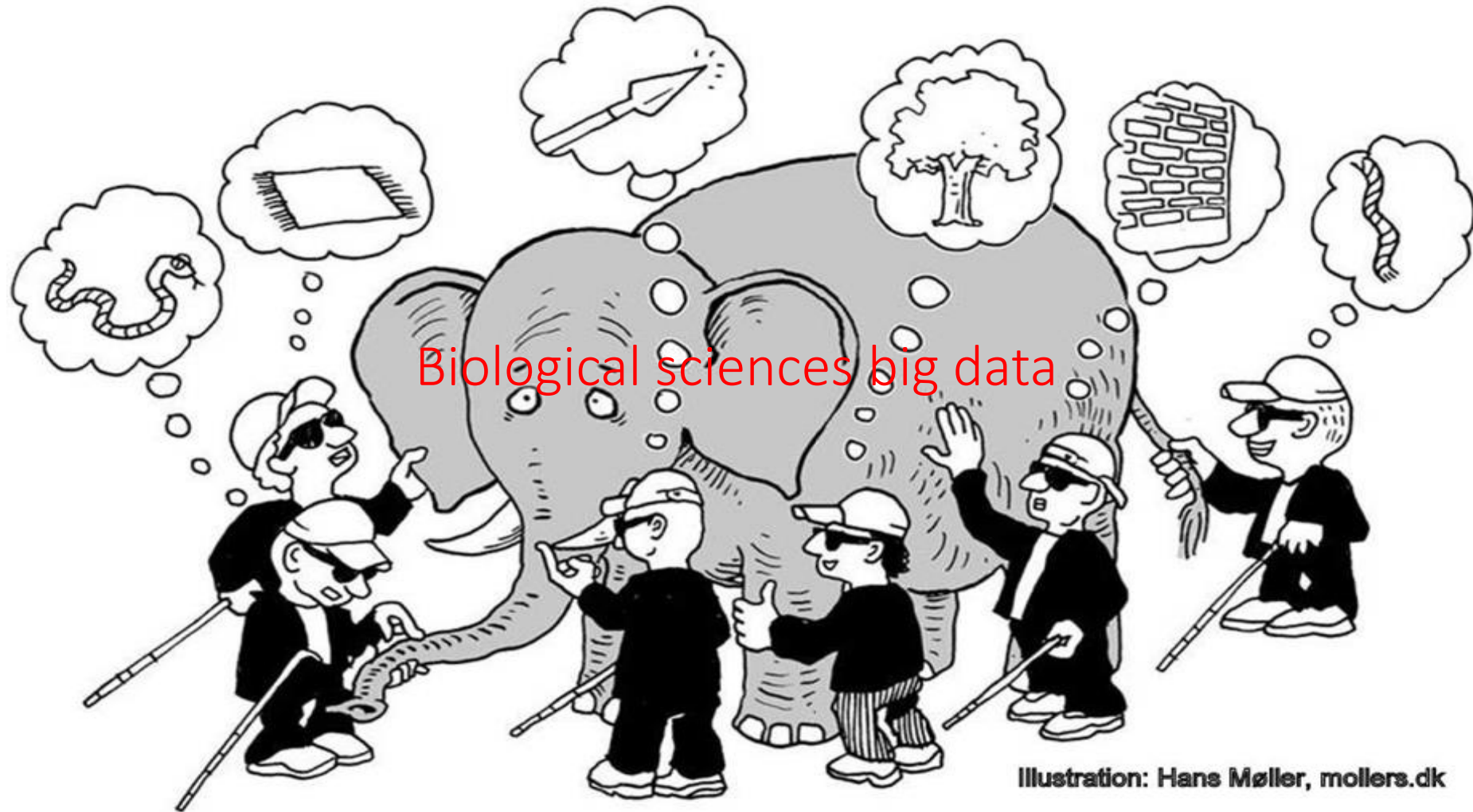
Introduction

Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning & Neural Networks



Applications of AI



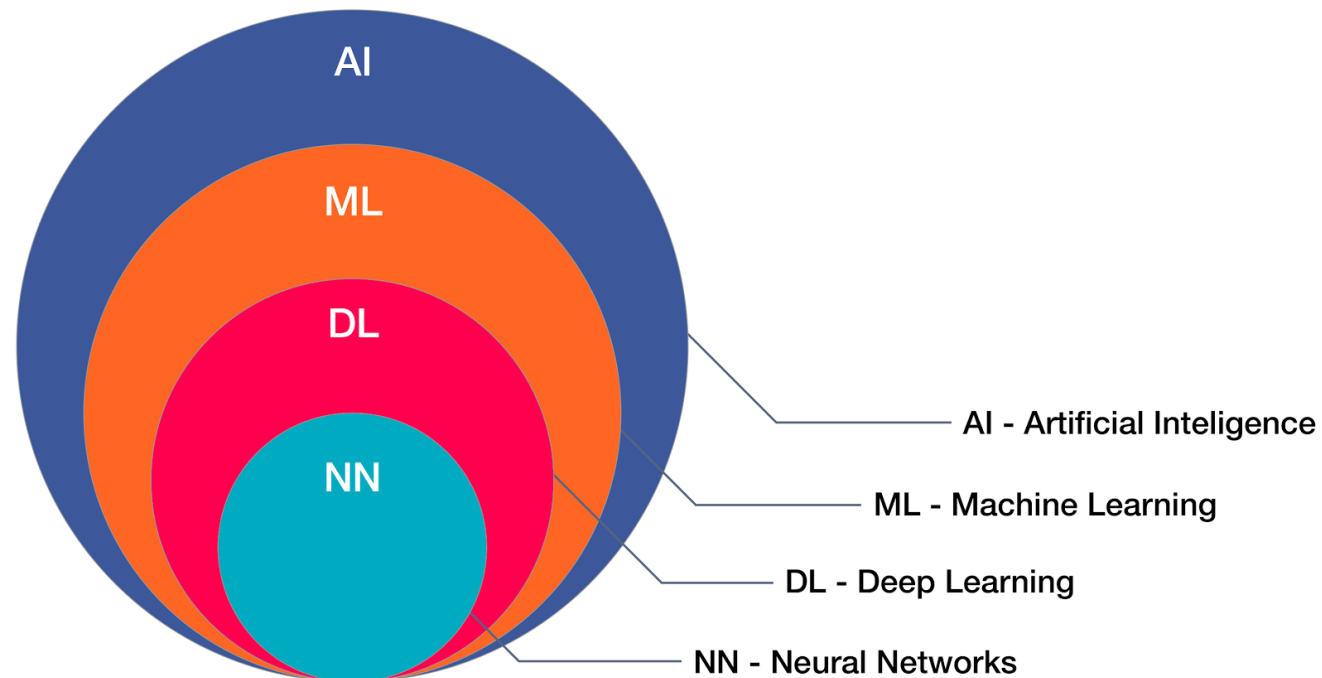


Biological sciences big data

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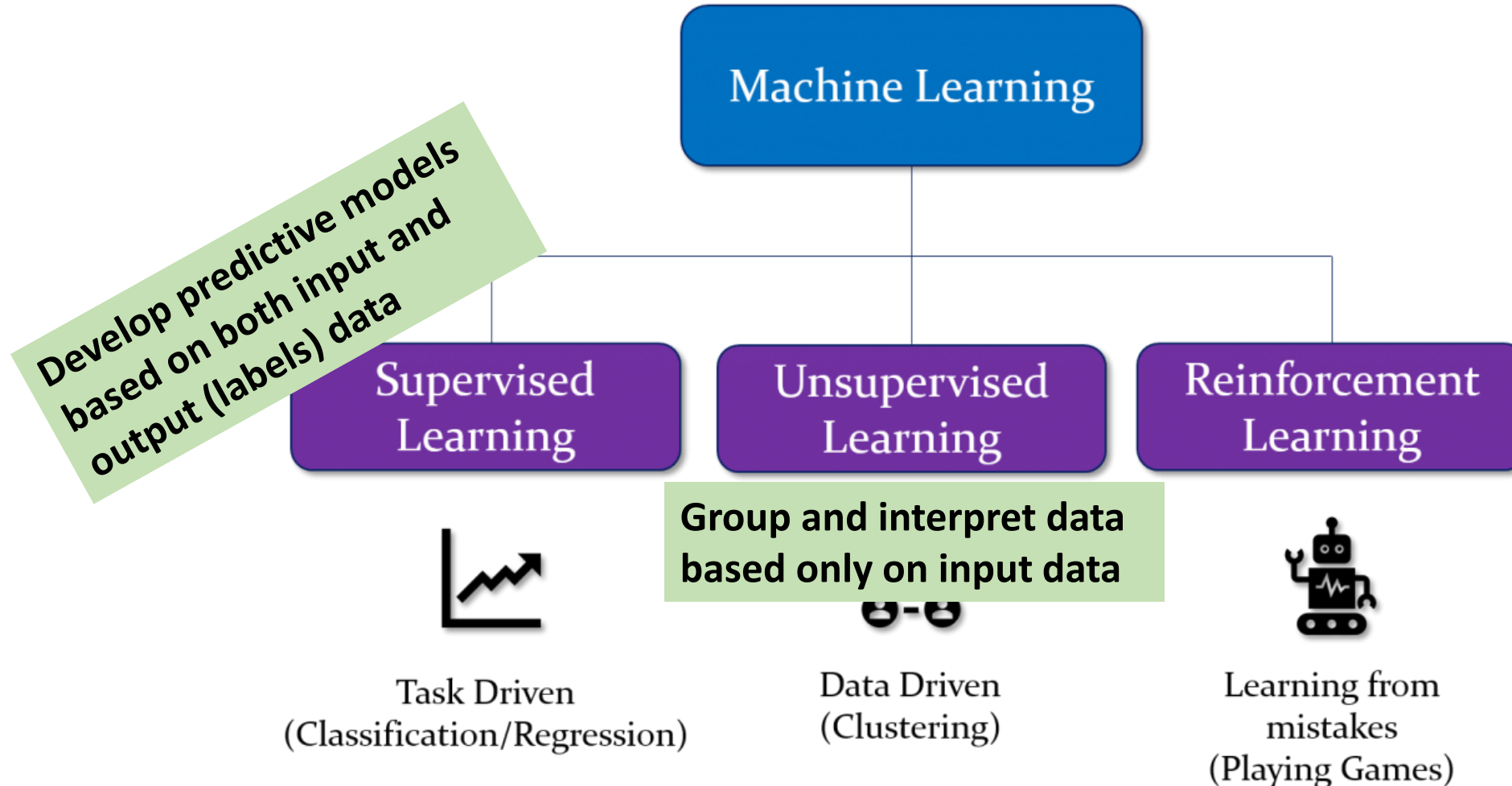
Introduction: Artificial Intelligence and its Subsets

- **Artificial intelligence (AI)** “*simulation of human intelligence processes by machines*” - development of algorithms and models that enable computers to perform tasks that typically require human intelligence e.g. problem-solving, decision-making, understanding, and learning from experience.
- **Machine learning (ML)** is a subset of AI, which gives computers the ability to learn without being explicitly programmed. It learns patterns and relationships from data and uses this knowledge to make predictions or decisions.
- **Deep Learning (DL)** is a branch of Machine learning which makes use of layers of artificial neural networks, inspired by human brains.
- **Neural Networks (NN)** are a subset of Deep Learning, which is a network designed to work like human brains on large data.

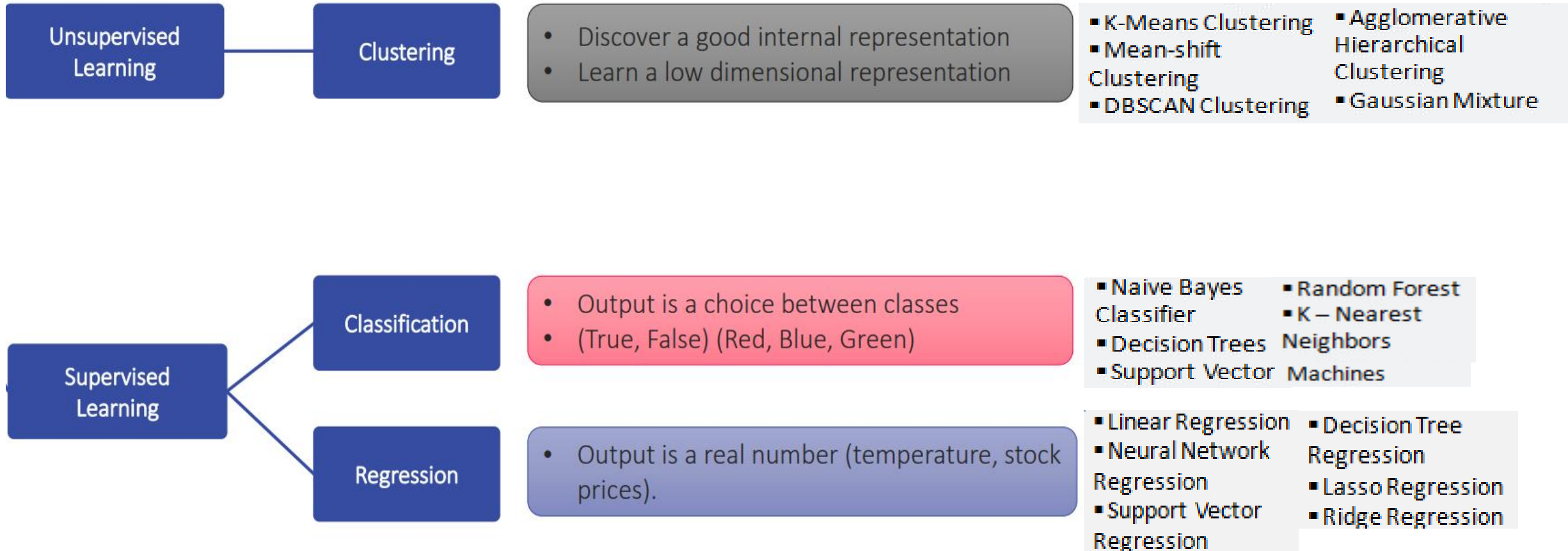


Types of Machine Learning

"Machine learning is essentially a statistical model"



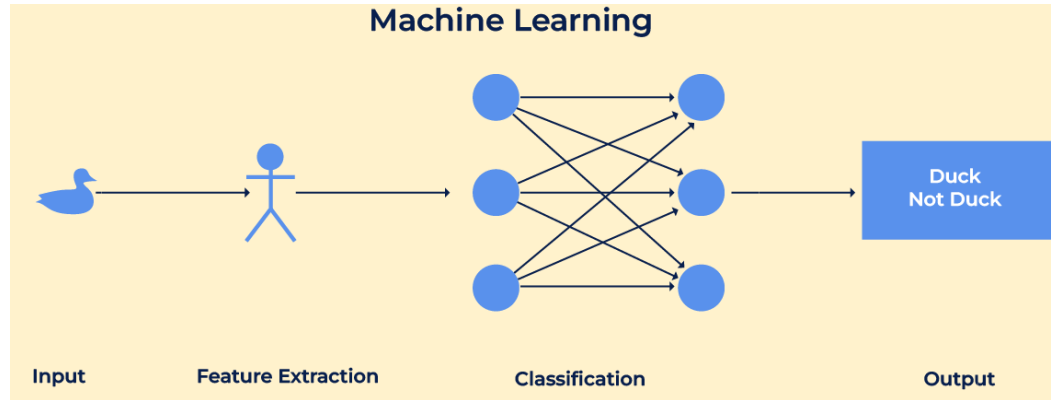
Subtypes of Machine Learning



Basic ML Steps

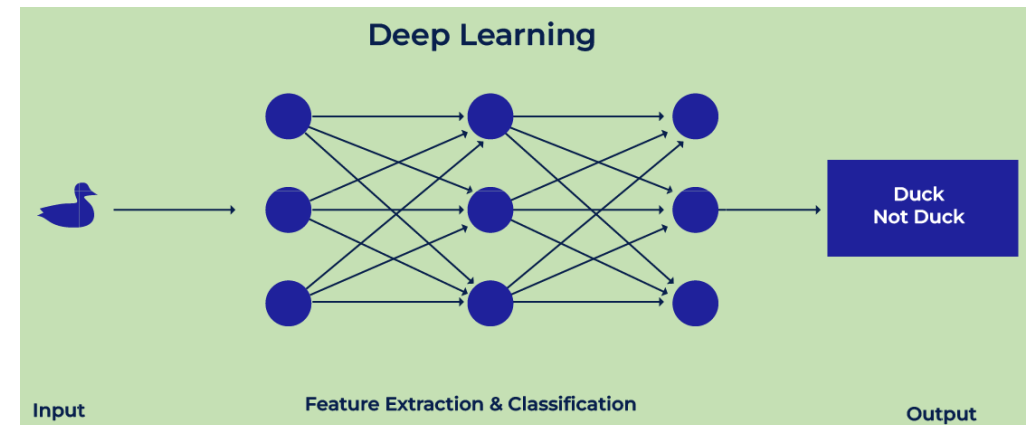
- **Dataset preparation:** Cleaning the dataset, imputing missing data, removing outliers
- **Preparation of the training and testing dataset:** The training dataset should be representative of the significant features of the data
- **Dimensionality reduction:** identifying the critical variables, removing the unnecessary variables, combining multiple dependent variables
- **Identifying the appropriate mathematical model:** depends on the size and nature of the data
- **Training, testing and validation:** Training the model using the training set to maximize the predictive capability while avoiding overfitting, performance metrics (accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score).
- **Hyperparametric optimization** to simplify the model and increase its interpretability

Machine Learning vs Deep Learning



- DL outperforms ML on large datasets.
- Demands more time and hardware resources.
- DL eliminates the need for complex feature extraction.
- Performs end-to-end learning directly from data (images, text, signals).
- Often viewed as a "blackbox" with limited interpretability.

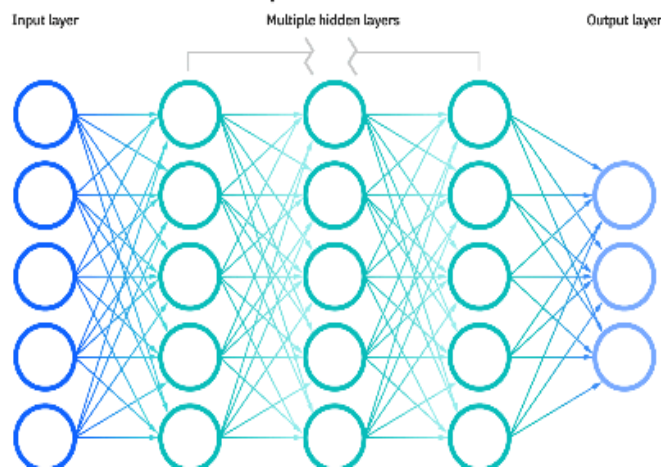
- ML is superior to DL on small datasets, faster, and cheaper hardware requirements.
- Requires intricate feature engineering, incurring time and expertise costs.
- Generally easier to interpret than DL models, providing insights into decision-making like *“How and why the ML algorithm arrived at an outcome”*



Deep Learning & its Types

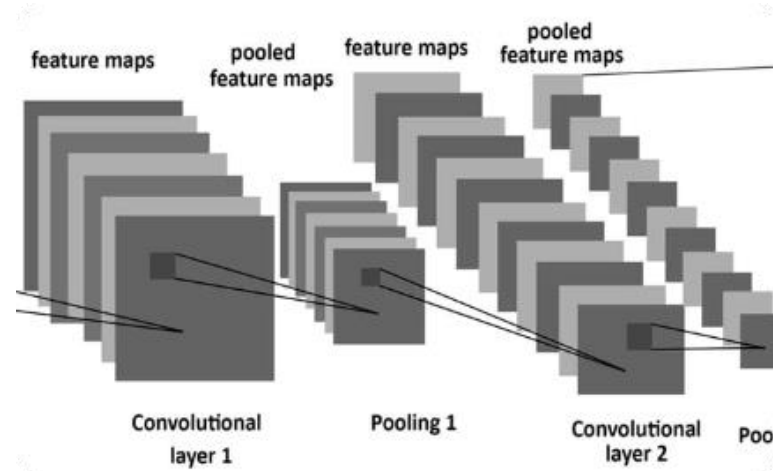
- **Deep learning** is a type of supervised machine learning that focuses on training neural networks to learn and make decisions from data.

Artificial/Deep Neural Networks



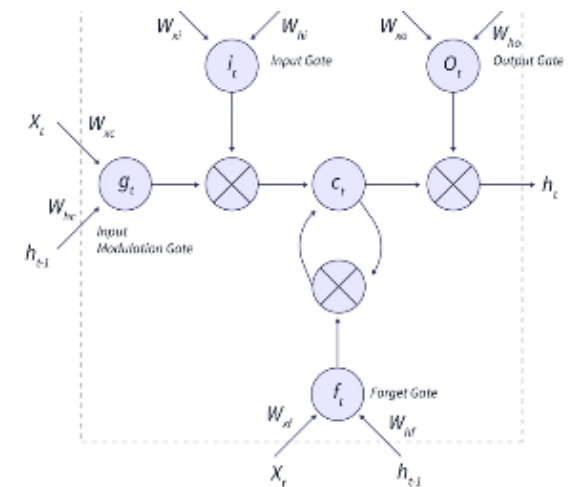
ANN: NN with many layers, capable of learning complex representations of data.

Convolutional Neural Networks



CNNs are a type of deep neural network used for image and video processing and are trained to extract visual features from input.

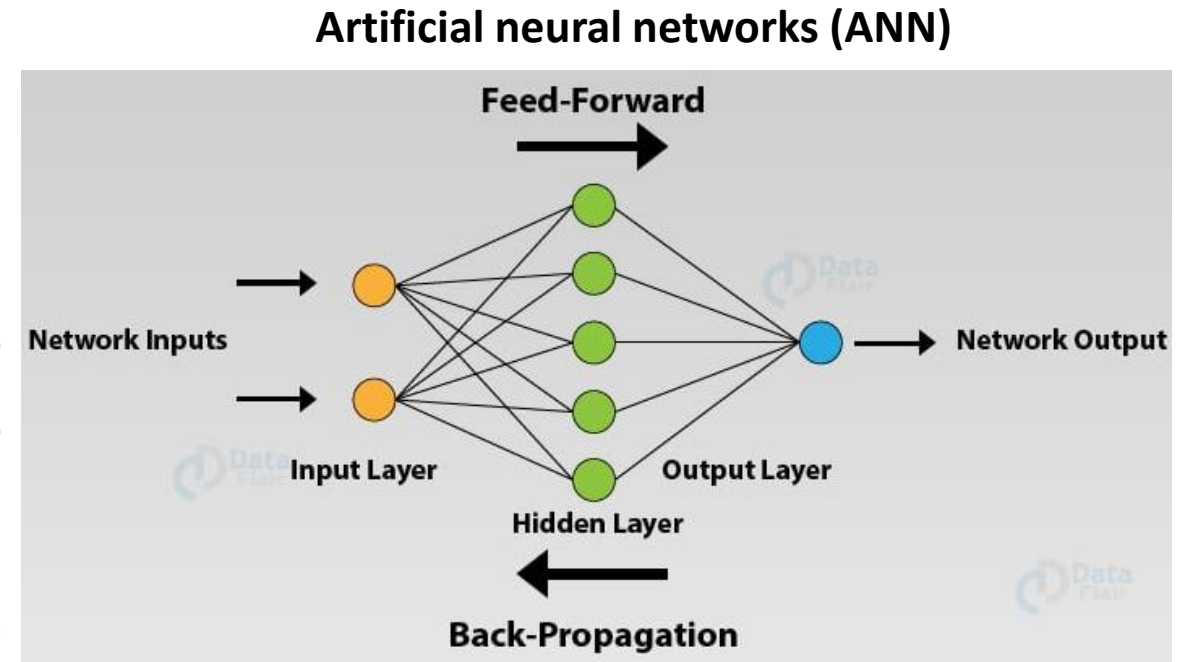
Recurrent Neural Networks



RNNs are used for sequential data analysis, such as natural language processing or time series prediction.

Artificial neural networks (ANN)

- Deep learning is usually implemented using an artificial *neural network*.
- Artificial neural networks (ANN), comprise an input layer, multiple hidden layers, and an output layer. Each node in one layer is intricately connected to every node in the subsequent layer.
- The term “deep” refers to the *number of layers* in the network—the more layers, the deeper the network.



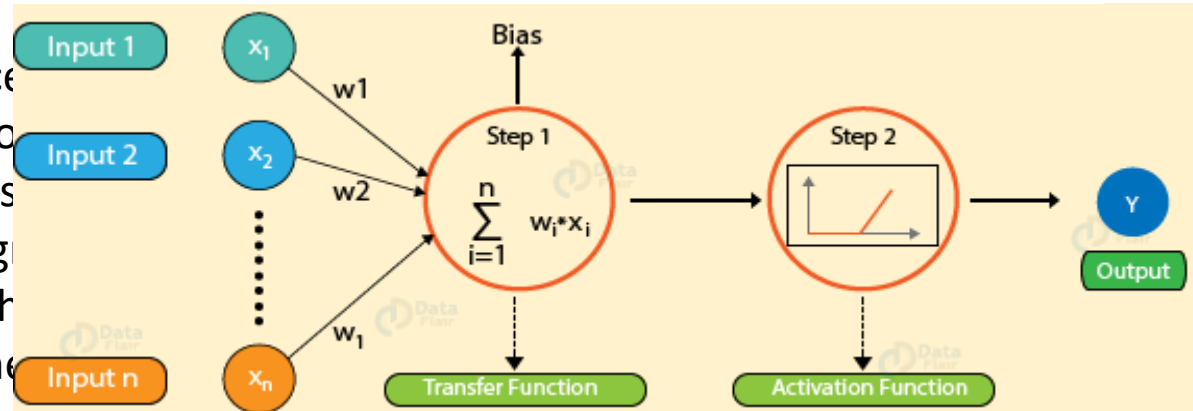
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ANN: Fundamental Processes

Two fundamental processes in training artificial neural networks.

Forward Propagation: process

- *Input Layer:* Initial data of
- *Hidden Layers:* Data pass through multiple layers of neurons and activation functions (e.g., ReLU, sigmoid).
- *Output Layer:* Data reach the final output layer, where weights are applied. Output from the



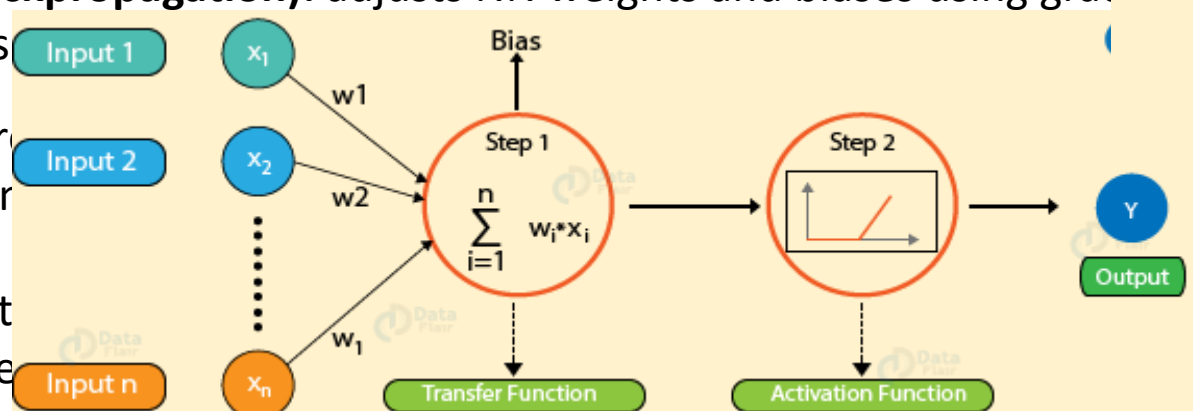
to make predictions.

By applying weights to the weighted sums, apply activation functions based on learned patterns and

Backward Propagation (Backpropagation): adjusts NN weights and biases using gradients to minimize prediction errors.

It's how the network learns

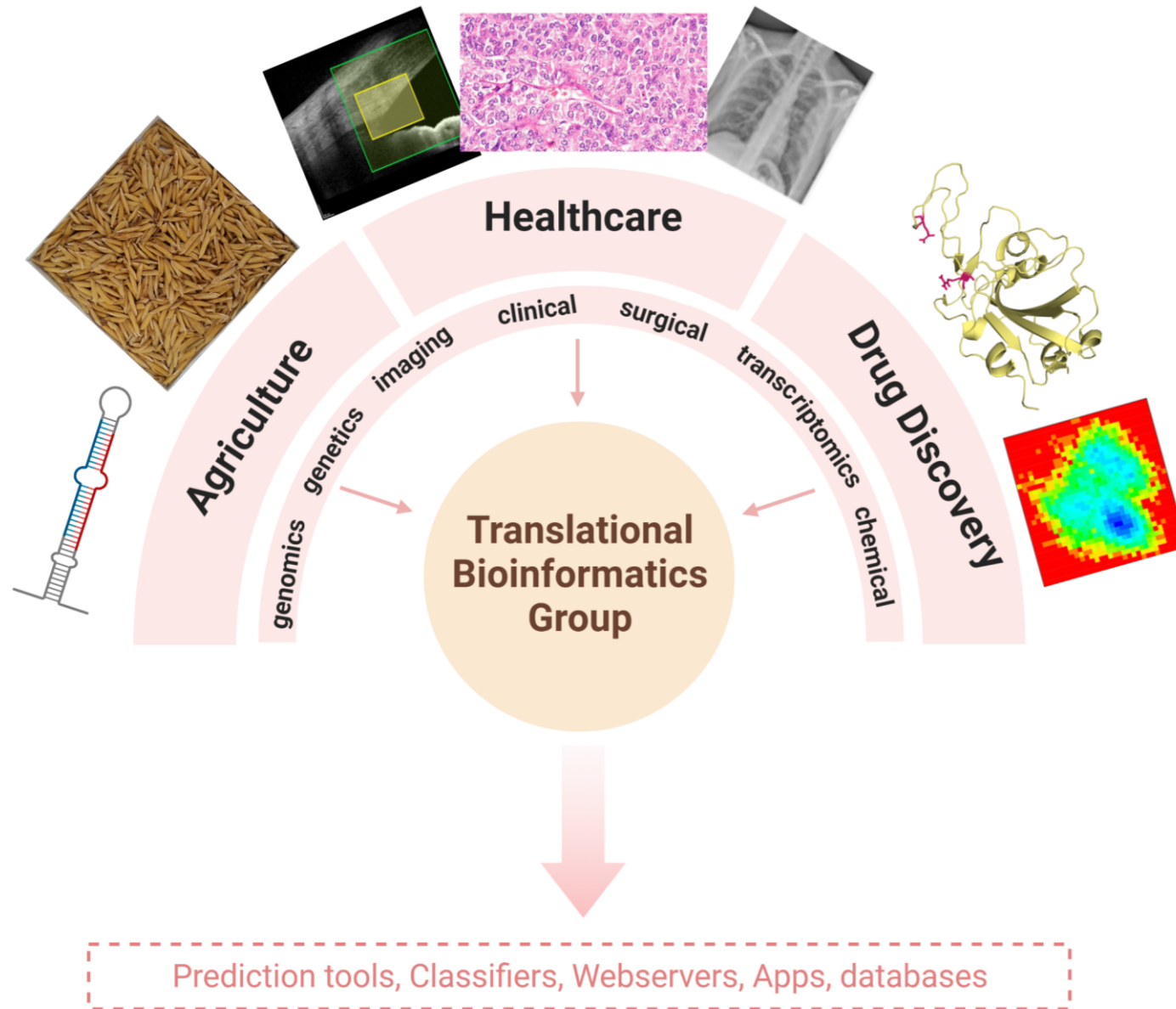
- *Loss Calculation:* Measure the error between predicted and target values using a loss function.
- *Gradient Calculation:* Calculate the gradient of the loss function with respect to weights and biases, indicating how to adjust them.
- *Backward Pass:* Propagate the error gradients backwards through the network.
- *Weight Update:* Optimize weights and biases based on the calculated gradients to reduce the loss.
- *Iteration:* These steps are iteratively performed until the network minimizes its loss, improving its performance.



by adjusting weights using a loss function.

Gradients are passed back (weights and biases), indicating how to adjust them. This process involves error propagation, using the chain rule. The goal is to reduce the loss.

Use of NN in TBG lab



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Upcoming lectures

- **Linear Classifiers**
- **Details of activation functions**
- **Common terms used in Deep Learning: epoch, learning rate, gradient descent, etc**
- **CNN**
- **Image classification**

Enjoy Learning!

