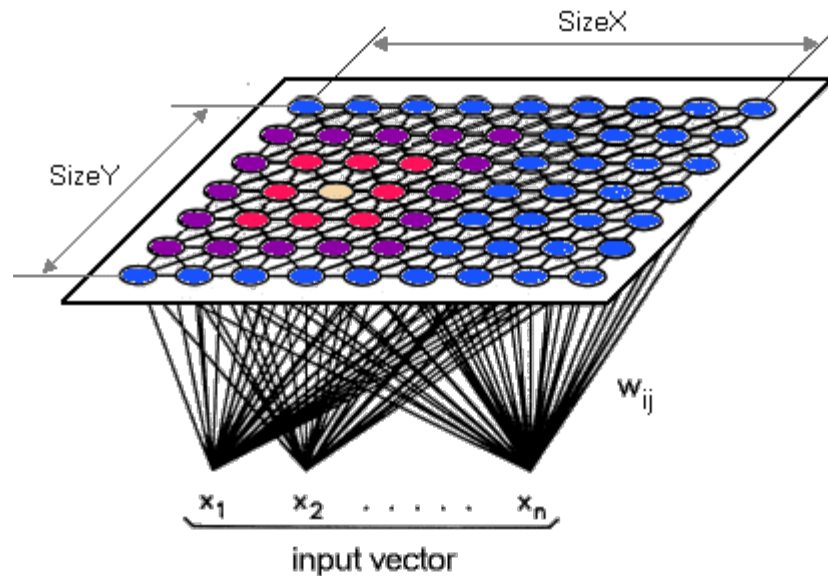


# Unsupervised learning and Self Organizing Maps



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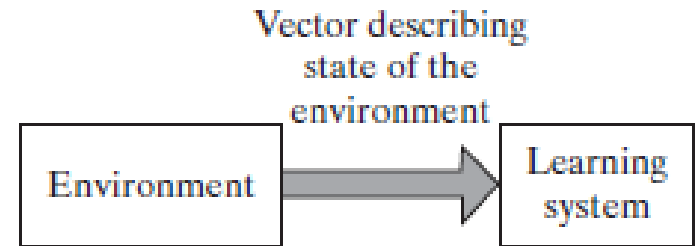
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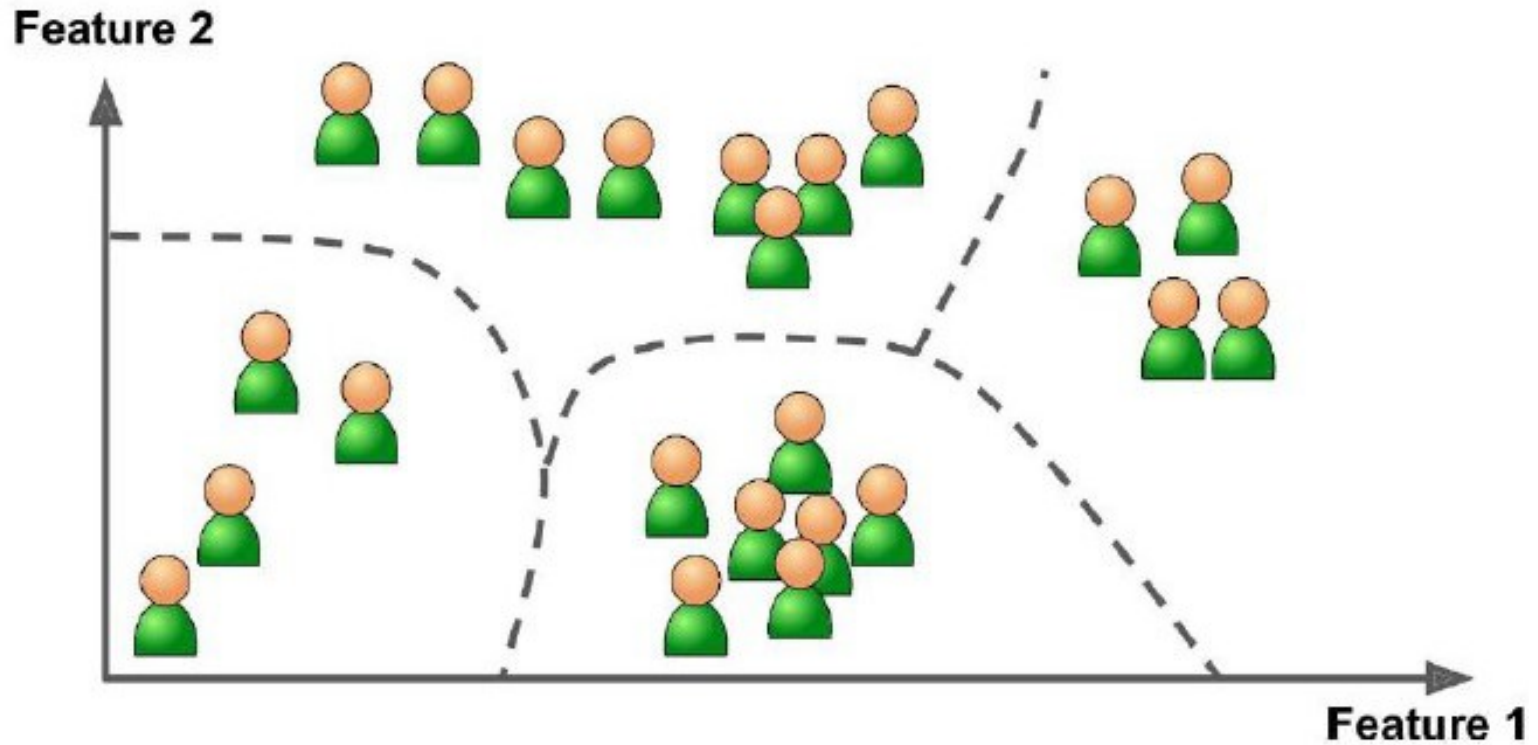
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# Learning Methods: Unsupervised

- Unsupervised or Self-organized learning does not have a teacher (i.e. desired responses are not available).
- The network is tuned from input data only
- The network weights are updated to find features within the data and therefore does automatic classification.



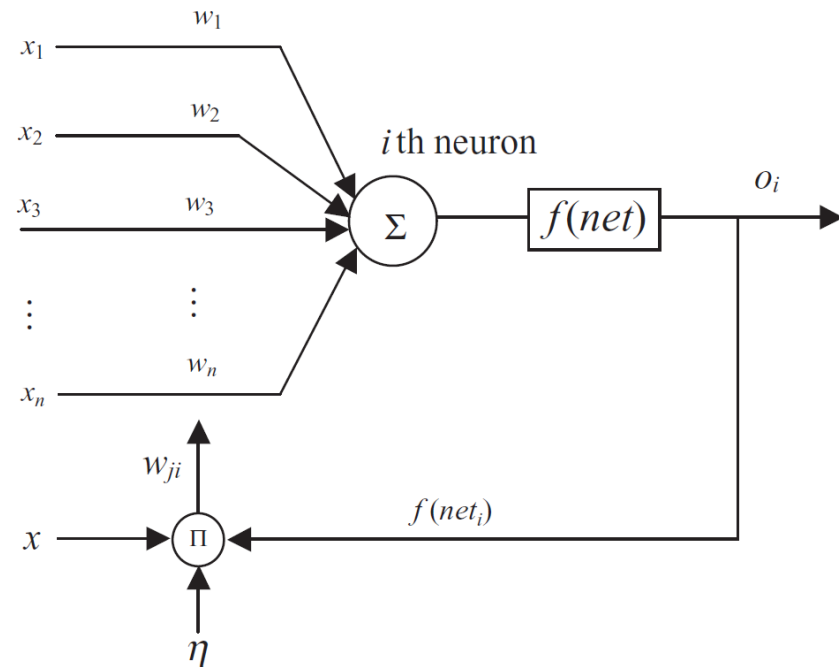
# Learning Methods: Unsupervised



# Hebbian learning

The basic rule is: ‘If a neuron receives an input from another neuron and if both are highly active (mathematically have the same sign), the weight between the neurons should be strengthened’.

The rule states that if the cross-product of output and input, or correlation term  $o_i x_j$  is positive, this results in an increase of weight  $w_{ji}$ , otherwise the weight decreases.



Fire together, wire together

# Hebbian learning

The weight update  $\Delta W$  in Hebbian learning becomes

$$\Delta w_{ji} = \eta o_i x_j = \eta f(\text{net}_i) x_j$$

*$\eta$  is the learning rate*

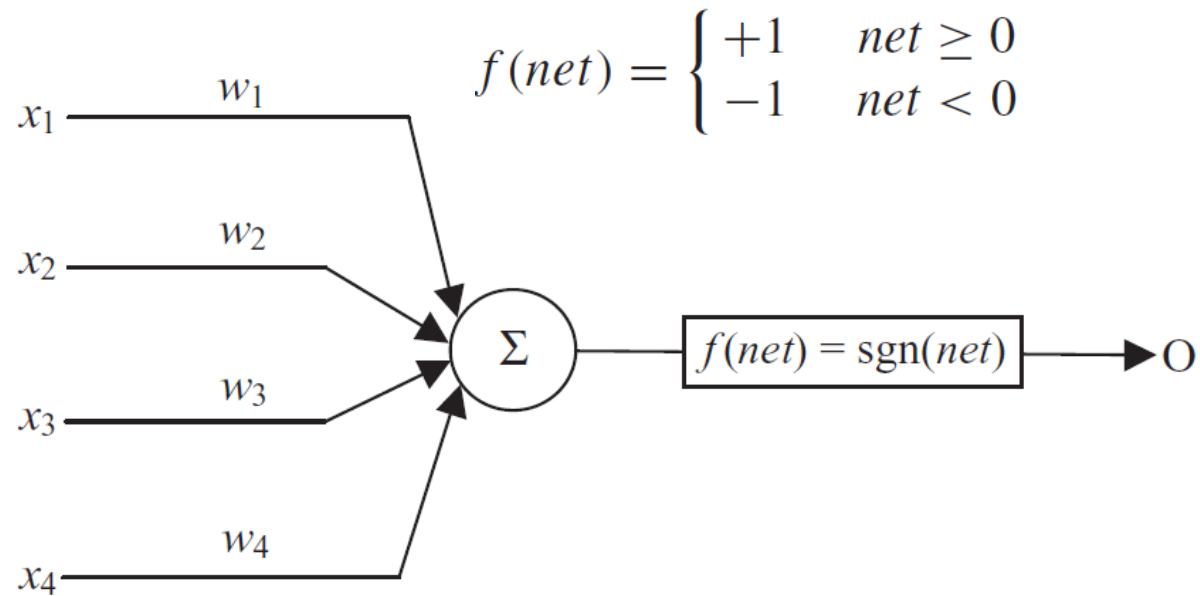
Where

$$o_i = f(\text{net}_i)$$

$$\text{net}_i = \sum w_{ji} x_j$$

# Example of Hebbian learning

Assume the neural network with a single bipolar binary neuron



having initial weight vector  $w^1$  and three input vectors  $x^1$ ,  $x^2$  and  $x^3$ :

$$w^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix}, x^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, x^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -0.5 \\ -2 \\ -1.5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } x^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Example of Hebbian learning

Compute the weight vector after the second iteration of Hebbian learning

**Solution** First iteration:  $net^1$  is calculated using the input vector  $x^1$  and initial weight vector  $w^1$

$$net^1 = w^{1T} x^1 = [1 \quad -1 \quad 0 \quad .5] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 3.0$$

Since  $net > 0$ ,  $o^1$  will be  $o^1 = f(net^1) = +1$



## Example of Hebbian learning

$$\Delta w^1 = \eta f(\text{net}^1) x^1 = 1 * (+1) * \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$w^2 = w^1 + \Delta w^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 1.5 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Example of Hebbian learning

Second iteration:  $net^2$  is calculated using input vector  $x^2$  and weight vector  $w^2$

$$net^2 = w^{2T} x^2 = [2 \quad -3 \quad 1.5 \quad 0.5] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -0.5 \\ -2 \\ -1.5 \end{bmatrix} = -0.25$$

Since  $net < 0$ ,  $o^2$  will be  $o^2 = f(net^2) = -1$

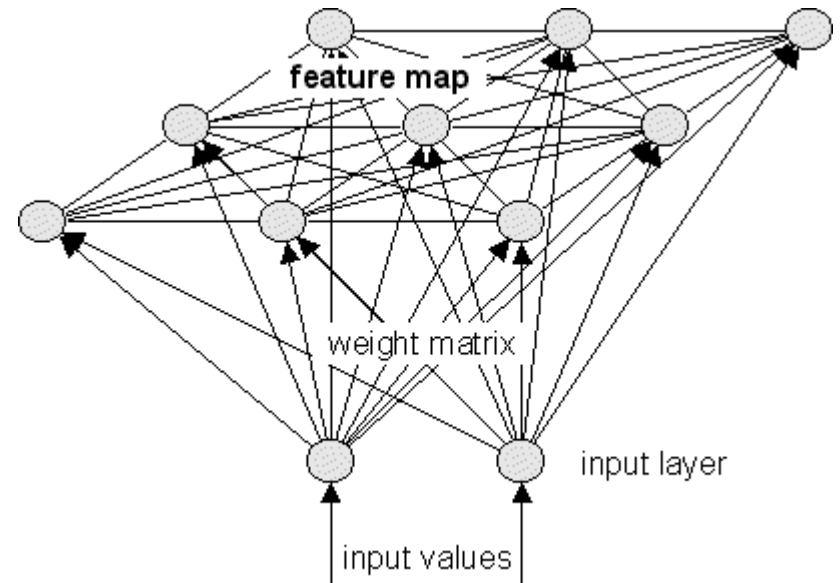
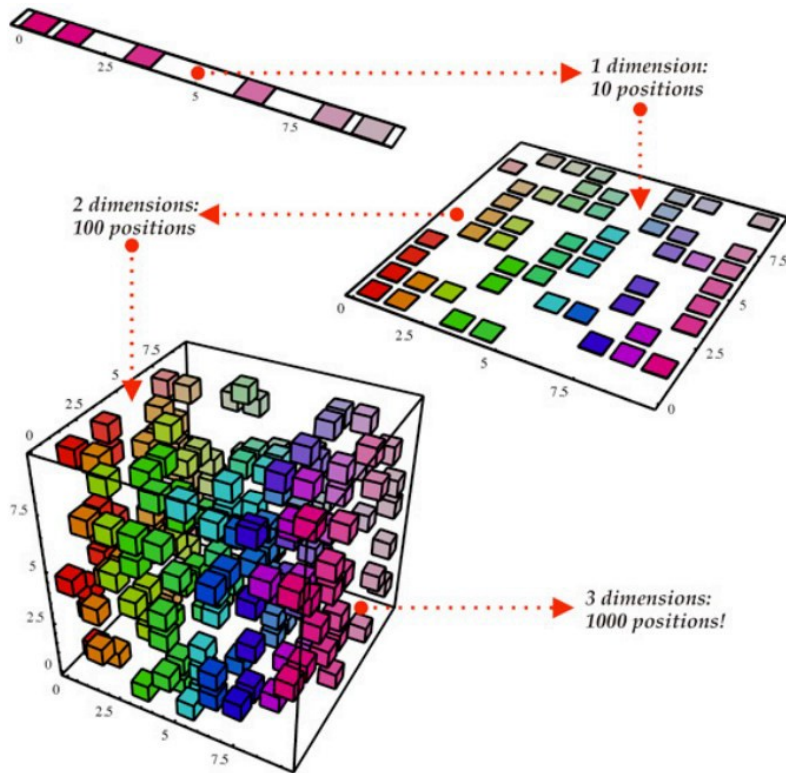
$$\Delta w^2 = \eta f(net^2) x^2 = 1 * -1 * \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -0.5 \\ -2 \\ -1.5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0.5 \\ 2 \\ 1.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$w^3 = w^2 + \Delta w^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 1.5 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0.5 \\ 2 \\ 1.5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2.5 \\ 3.5 \\ 2.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

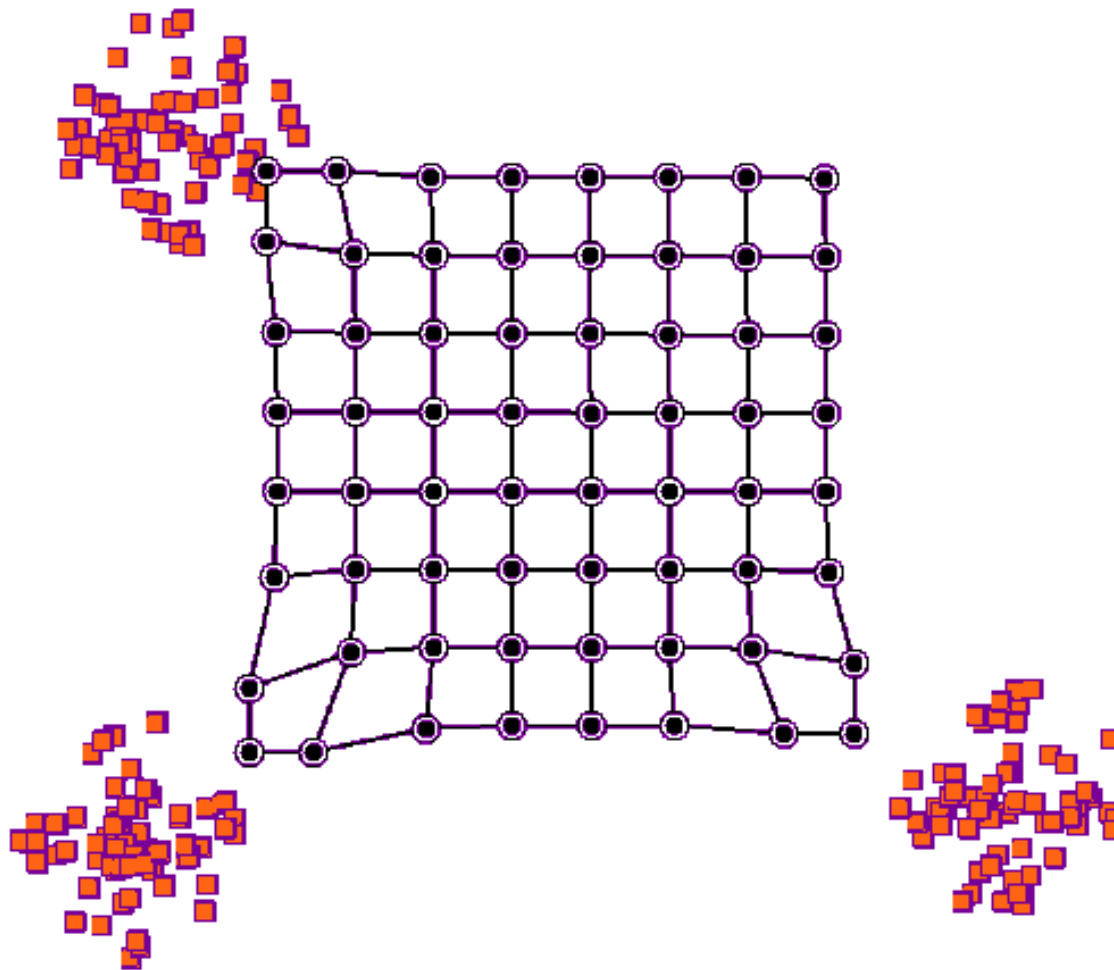
# Self-Organizing Map (SOM)

- SOM is to transform an incoming signal pattern of arbitrary dimension into one-or two-dimensional discrete map.
- SOM was originally invented by Kohonen in the mid 1990's
  - sometimes referred to as Kohonen Networks
- A SOM is a multi-dimensional scaling technique which constructs an approximation of the probability density function of some underlying data set and preserves the topological structure of that data set.
- This is done by mapping input vectors, in the data set , to weight vectors, neurons in the feature map.

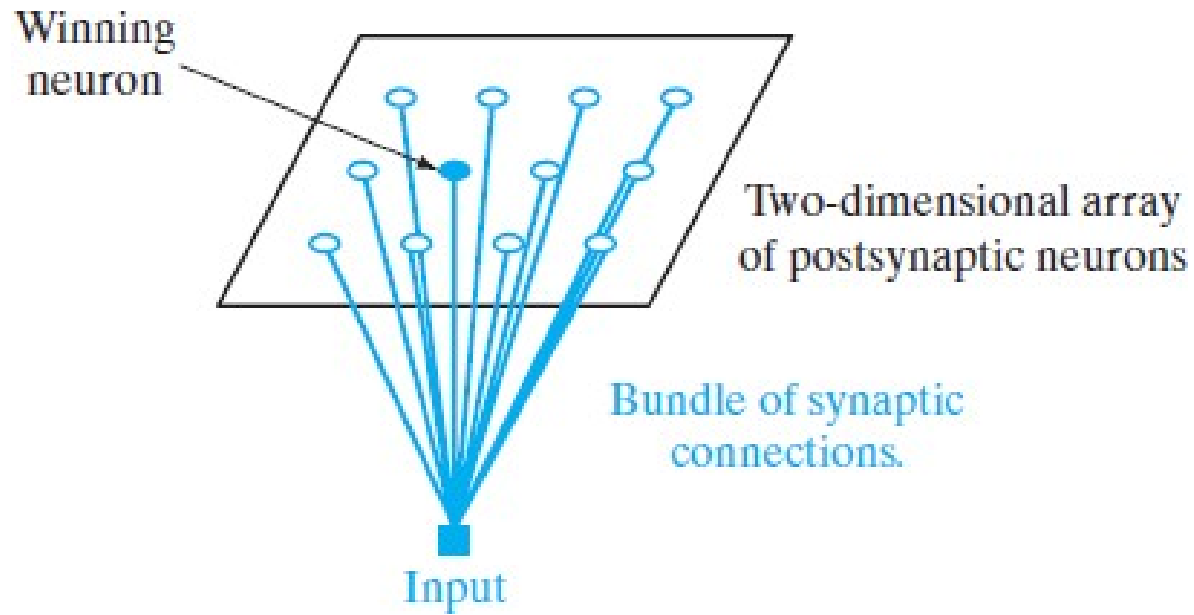
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# Kohonen Model

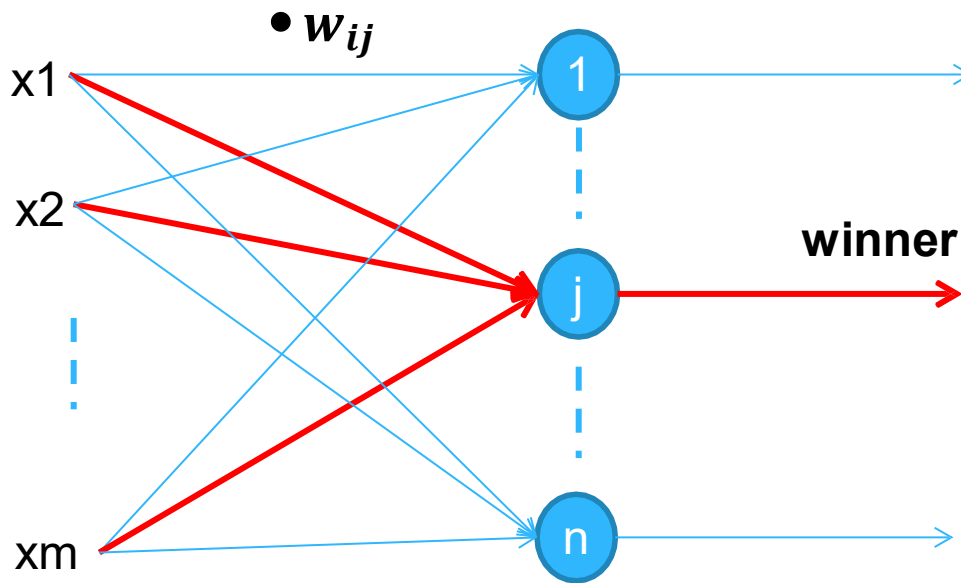


# Competitive Learning

- A set of neurons are fully connected to the inputs
- Neurons compete for the best response to input patterns
- A mechanism for this competition should be decided
  - such as Euclidean distance or Mahalanobis distance
- Typically, a winner-takes-all method is used
  - The idea is one of the neurons will have the maximum response and therefore only its weights are adjusted

# Winner-takes-all

- Winner-take-all algorithm works with single node in a layer of nodes that responds most strongly to the input pattern.





# SOM Algorithm winner takes all

Initialize weights

Iteration Loop

Pattern Loop

Calculate Euclidean distance

$$D_j = \sum_{i=1}^m (x_i - w_{ij})^2 \text{ for } j = 1:n$$

Determine the winner neuron

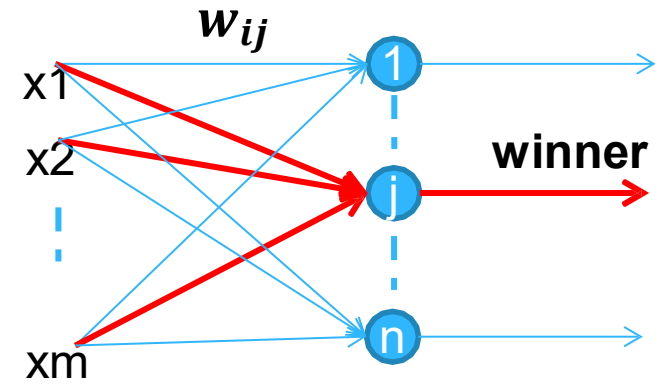
***min*  $D_j$**

Adjust the weights for the winner neuron only

$$w_{ij} = w_{ij} + \alpha(x_i - w_{ij})$$

End Pattern Loop

End Iteration Loop



# SOM Algorithm with neighborhood function

Initialize weights

Iteration Loop

Pattern Loop

Calculate Euclidean distance

$$D_j = \sum_{i=1}^m (x_i - w_{ij})^2 \text{ for } j = 1:n$$

Determine the winner neuron

***min***  $D_j$

Adjust the weights for the winner neuron only

$$w_{ij} = w_{ij} + h_{ij}(x_i - w_{ij})$$

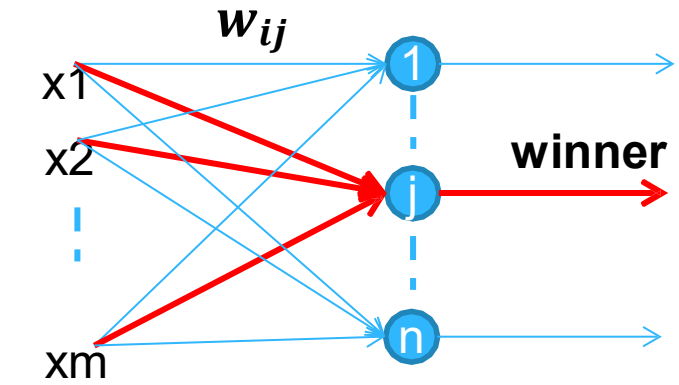
Where  $h_{ij}$  is the neighbourhood function

$$h_{ij} = \alpha(t) e^{\left(\frac{-||r_i - c_j||}{2\sigma^2}\right)}$$

Where  $0 < \alpha(t) < 1$  is the learning rate parameter  $\sigma$  is the width of the kernel

$$\alpha(t) = 0.9 \left(1 - \frac{t}{1000}\right)$$

End Pattern Loop

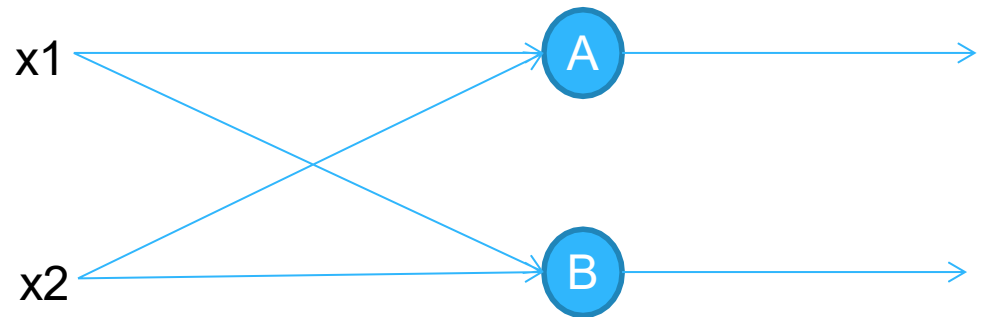


End Iteration Loop

# Example

- Consider the 2-dimensional data in table below
- Use two winner-takes-all neurons to classify the data as shown in figure below

X1	X2
1.0	1.0
9.4	6.4
2.5	2.1
8.0	7.7
0.5	2.2
7.9	8.4
7.0	7.0
2.8	0.8
1.2	3.0
7.8	6.1



Initialize the neuron weights as  $\mathbf{WA} = [ 5 ; 3 ]$  and  $\mathbf{WB} = [ 6 ; 8 ]$

# Example

## Iteration One .. Pattern One

### 1. Competition:

Calculate the distance between the input pattern and neuron A

$$D_1^2 = (x_1 - w_{1A})^2 + (x_2 - w_{2A})^2$$

$$D_1^2 = (1 - 5)^2 + (1 - 3)^2 = 20$$

Calculate the distance between the input pattern and neuron B

$$D_2^2 = (x_1 - w_{1B})^2 + (x_2 - w_{2B})^2$$

$$D_2^2 = (1 - 6)^2 + (1 - 8)^2 = 74$$

Compare

$D_1 < D_2 \implies$  *winner* is neuron **A**

# Example

## 2. Update Weights

Only weights of the winner neuron are updated

$$W_A = W_A + \alpha (X - W_A)$$

$$W_A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + 0.5 \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$W_B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{unchanged}$$

# Example

## Iteration One .. Pattern Two

### 1. Competition:

Calculate the distance between the input pattern and neuron A

$$D_1^2 = (x_1 - w_{1A})^2 + (x_2 - w_{2A})^2$$

$$D_1^2 = (9.4 - 3)^2 + (6.4 - 2)^2 = 112$$

Calculate the distance between the input pattern and neuron B

$$D_2^2 = (x_1 - w_{1B})^2 + (x_2 - w_{2B})^2$$

$$D_2^2 = (9.4 - 6)^2 + (6.4 - 8)^2 = 14$$

Compare

$$D_2 < D_1 \Rightarrow \text{winner is neuron B}$$

# Example

## 2. Update Weights

Only weights of the winner neuron are updated

$$W_B = W_B + \alpha (X - W_B)$$

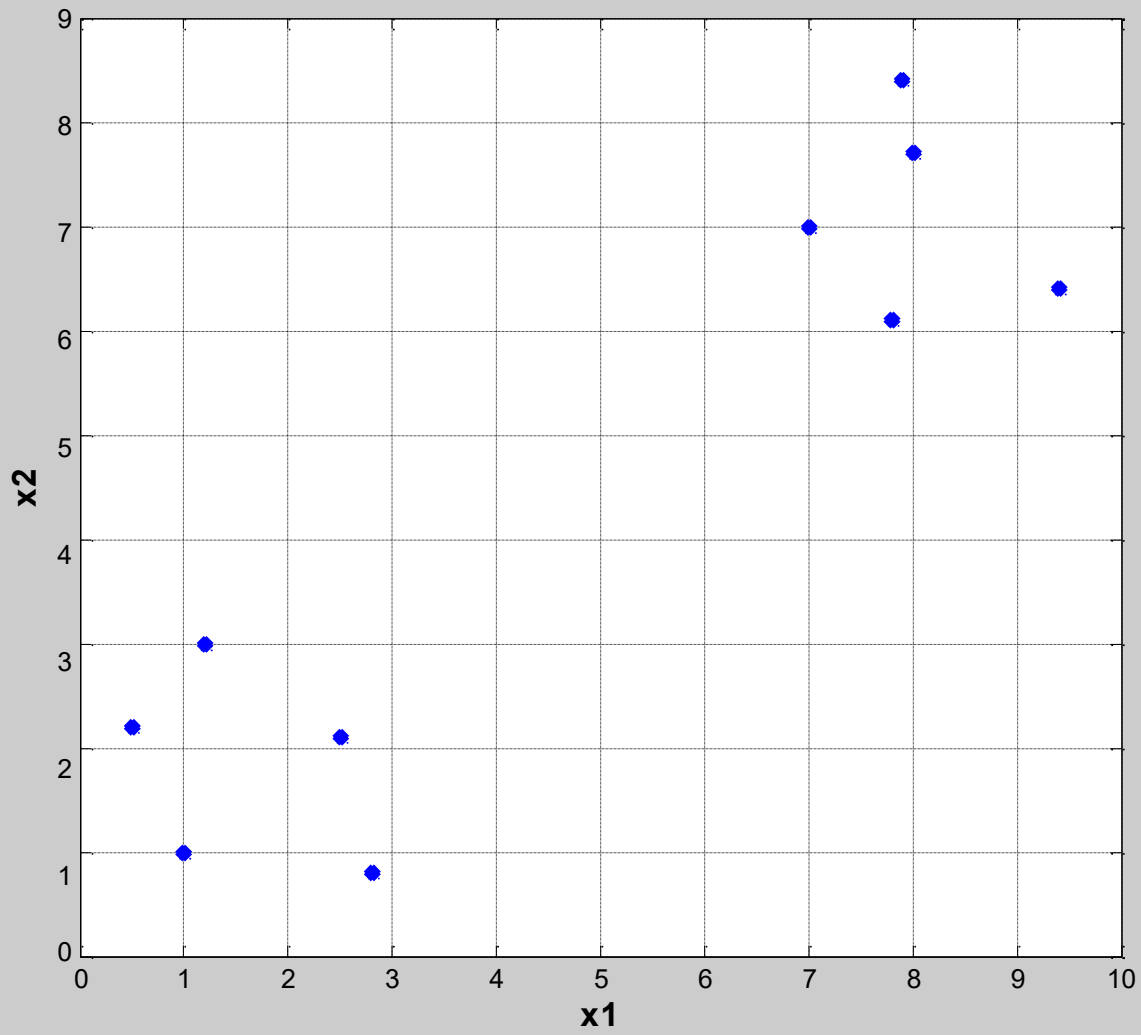
$$W_B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} + 0.5 \left( \begin{bmatrix} 9.4 \\ 6.4 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} 7.7 \\ 7.2 \end{bmatrix}$$

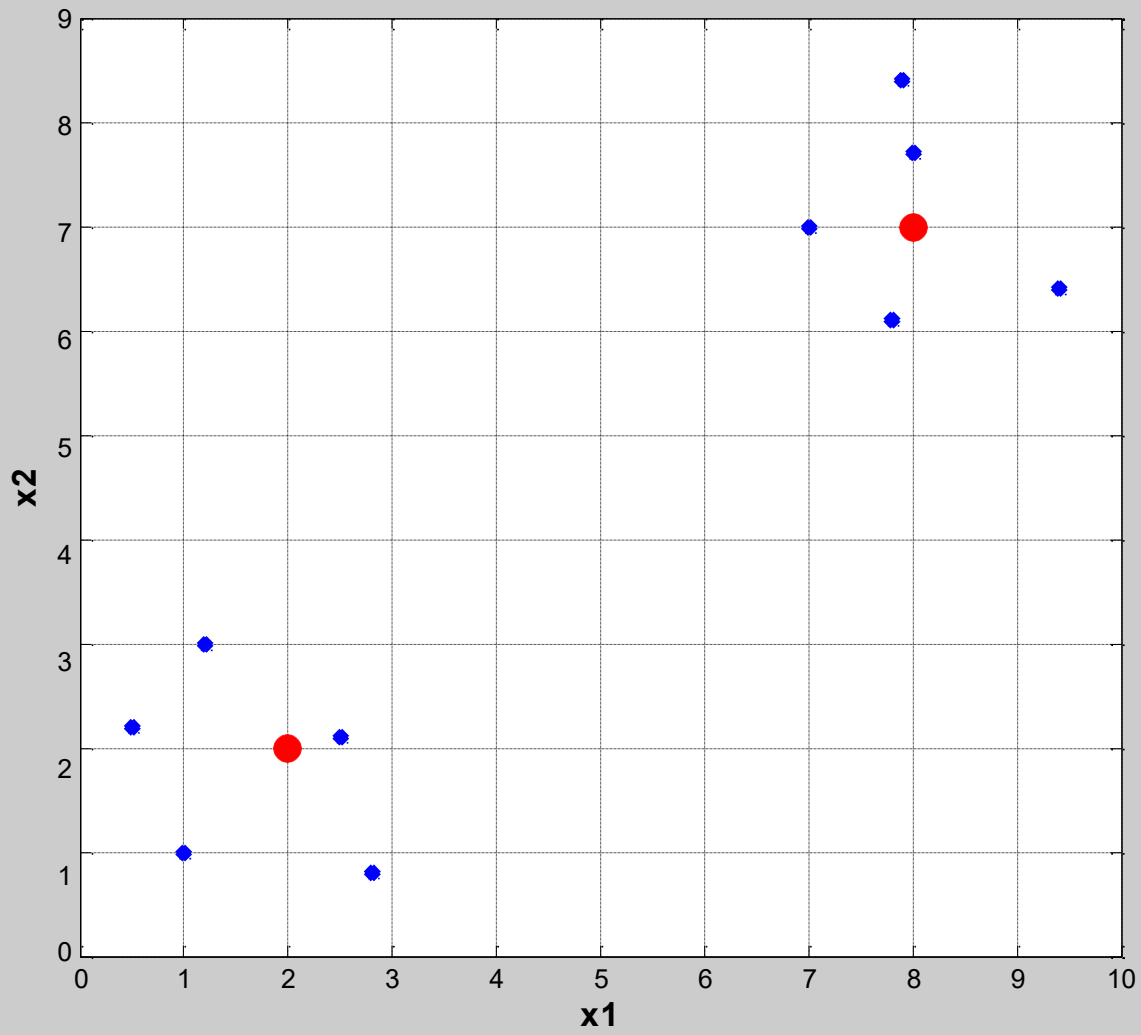
$$W_A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{unchanged}$$

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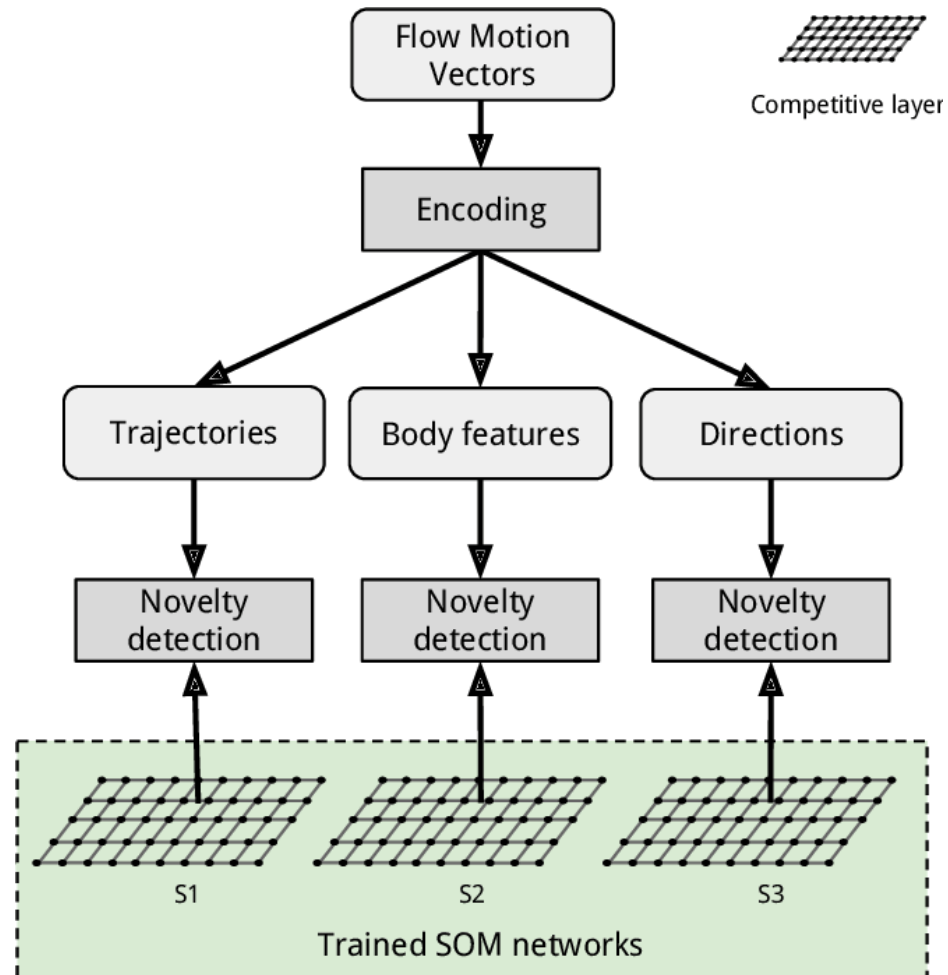
- **Iteration One**
  - Pattern 3; Competition; Update
  - Pattern 4; Competition; Update
  - ...
  - Pattern 10; Competition; Update
- **Iteration Two**
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  - ...
  - Pattern 10; Competition; Update
- **Iteration Three**
  - ...



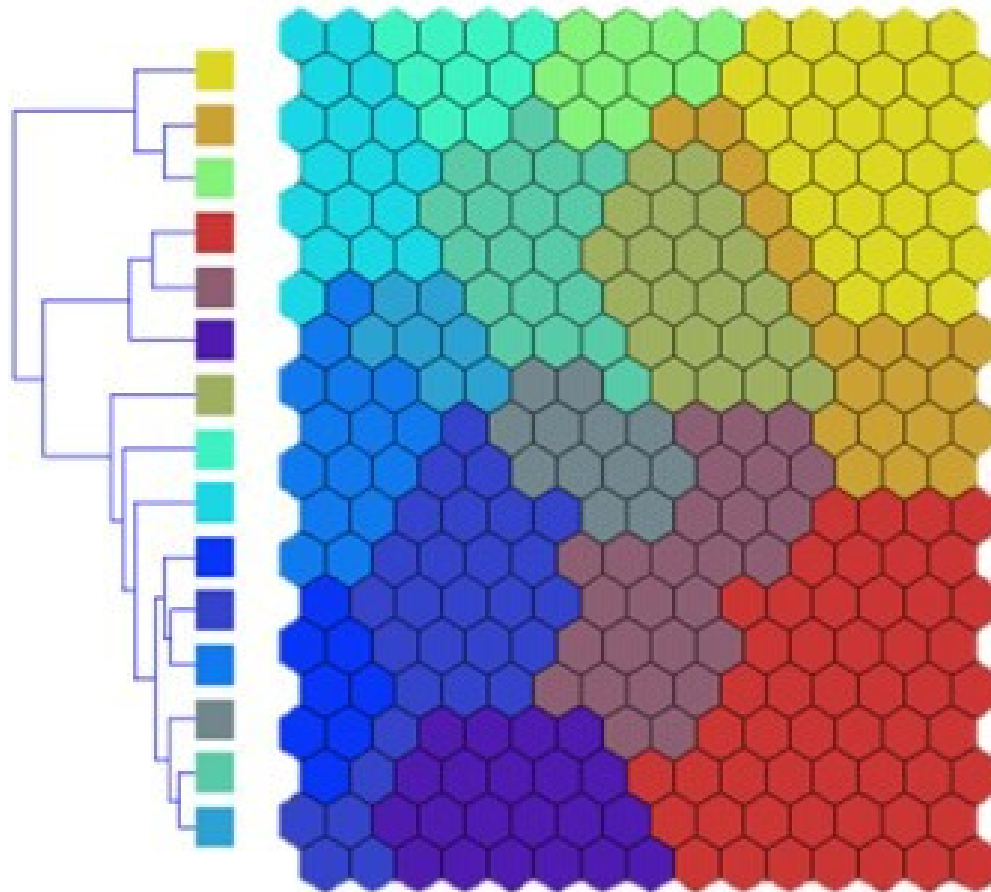




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