Crash Course on Neural Networks for Applications in Physics

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Machine learning techniques and especially deep learning ones have attracted a lot of attention from the science community in recent years. In particular, in Physics, there are new papers posted on arXiv everyday that try to simplify or improve our understanding of the universe around us using these techniques. In this course, we plan to cover the basics of neural networks as one of the most powerful machine learning techniques. To this end, we will start with a brief introduction to the basics of machine learning followed by the basics of neural networks. Next we will explain how these models are trained. Finally, we will cover convolutional and recurrent neural networks as two of the most powerful types of neural networks.

