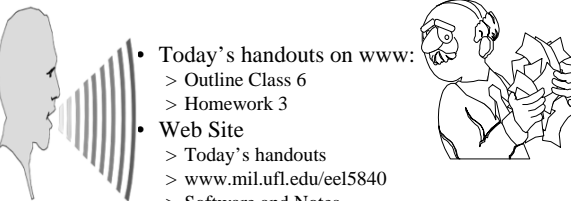


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## Announcements

- Today's handouts on www:
  - > Outline Class 6
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- Web Site
  - > Today's handouts
  - > www.mil.ufl.edu/eel5840
  - > Software and Notes
  - > XLISP Documentation

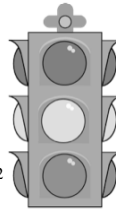


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## Today's Menu

- Example of a Classical AI Production System  
 {See slides 14-22 from class #3}
  - > Irrevocable Control Strategy
  - > Tentative Control Strategy
- Architectures for the Implementation of Action Functions
  - > B. State Machines
  - > C. Artificial Neural Networks
  - > D. Subsumption Architecture
- Final Thoughts on Stimulus-Response (SR) Agents - Chapter 2
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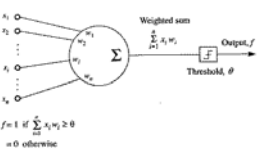


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## Perception and Action

- **State Machines:** Implementation of Boolean (action) functions using a connected network of logical gates AND, OR, NOR, etc.)
- **Networks:** Implementation of action functions using a connected network of threshold units or other elements that compute a nonlinear function of a weighted sum of their inputs. One such element is the *threshold logic unit* or TLU for short.



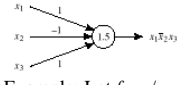
Boolean functions implementable by a TLU are called *linearly-separable functions*. (A TLU separates the space of input vectors into an above-threshold response from below-threshold response by a linear surface—called a *hyperplane* in *n* dimensions.)

Not all Boolean functions are linearly separable—however a monomial or any clause is linearly separable.

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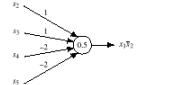
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## Perception and Action



Example: Let  $f = x_1/x_2/x_3$

$x_1/x_2/x_3$	$f$	$\Sigma$	TLU
0 0 0	0	0	0
0 0 1	0	1	0
0 1 0	0	-1	0
0 1 1	0	0	0
1 0 0	0	1	0
1 0 1	1	2	1
1 1 0	0	0	0
1 1 1	0	1	0



Example: Let  $b-f_4 = x_1/x_2 = (s_2+s_3)/(s_4+s_5) = (s_2+s_3)/s_4/s_5$

$s_1/s_2/s_3/s_4/s_5$	$b-f$	$\Sigma$	TLU
0 0 0 0 0	0	0	0
0 0 0 1 1	1	1	1
0 0 0 1 0	-1	0	0
0 0 1 0 0	0	-2	0
0 0 1 0 1	0	-1	0
0 0 1 1 0	0	0	0
0 0 1 1 1	1	1	1
0 1 0 0 0	0	1	0
0 1 0 0 1	0	0	0
0 1 0 1 0	0	0	0
0 1 0 1 1	0	-1	0
0 1 1 0 0	0	0	0
0 1 1 0 1	0	0	0
0 1 1 1 0	0	0	0
0 1 1 1 1	0	-3	0

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### Perception and Action

- The Subsumption Architecture
  - An agent's behavior is controlled by a number of "behavior modules." Each module receives sensory information directly from the world. If the sensory inputs satisfy a precondition specific to that module, then a certain behavior, also specific to that module, is executed. One behavior module can subsume another.
  - As contrasted with much other work in AI, these machines do not depend on complex internal representations of their environments or on reasoning about them.

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### Neural Networks

- Neural Networks (also known as Artificial Neural Networks or ANNs for short)
  - You need this framework to model processes that cannot be represented as analytical models, e.g., human actions, computer vision, non-linear control, the stock market...

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### from LISP Lab 1

**Predicate Functions:**

<i>(atom sex)</i>	t if sex is an atom
<i>(null sex)</i>	t if sex is nil or ()
<i>(eq sex1 sex2)</i>	t if sex1==sex2 (identical)
<i>(equal sex1 sex2)</i>	t if sex1=sex2
<i>(zerop sex1)</i>	t if sex=0
<i>(numberp sex)</i>	t if sex is a number
<i>(symbolp sex)</i>	t if sex is a symbolic atom
<i>(listp sex)</i>	t if sex is a list
<i>(member sex lis)</i>	nil if sex is not a member of lis

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### LISP Lab 2

**Predicate Functions:**

<i>(integerp sex)</i>	t if sex is an integer
<i>(floatp sex)</i>	t if sex is a floating point number
<i>(and sex1 sex2)</i>	t if sex1 and sex2 are both true
<i>(or sex1 sex2)</i>	t if sex1 or sex2 or both are true
<i>(not pred)</i>	nil if pred=t or non-nil, t if pred=nil


**User-Defined Functions:**

*(cond <(clause<sub>1</sub>)> ... <(clause<sub>n</sub>)>)* returns the evaluated action from the 1<sup>st</sup> non-nil predicate or nil where (clause<sub>i</sub>) => ( predicate-form action-form)

*(defun fname (argument-list) <(forms)>)*  
*(pprint (function-lambda-expression #'fname))*

**Recursive Function Definitions**

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*See LISP Notes 1  
The End!*

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