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Neural networks.

A. [Novel neural network models](#)

k-separability generalizes the concept of separability, making the goal of learning much easier. Networks should transfer the image of the input data into distributions that can be handled directly.

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Solving **highly non-separable problems** is a challenge. k-separability index can characterize complexity of such problems and projection pursuit networks can find useful projections of data that have large pure clusters.

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8. Duch W. (2007) [Learning data structures with inherent complex logic: neurocognitive perspective](#). 6th WSEAS International Conference on Computational Intelligence, Man-Machine Systems and Cybernetics (CIMMACS '07), Tenerife, Canary Islands, Spain, Dec. 14-16, 2007, pp. 294-303 | [Abstract](#).
9. Grochowski M, Duch W. (2007) [Learning highly non-separable Boolean functions using Constructive Feedforward Neural Network](#). Lecture Notes in Computer

Science, Vol. 4668, 180-189, 2007 | [Abstract](#).

Support Feature Machine is an algorithm that searches for good features that facilitate problem solving. Combination of different types of features increases chances to find simple solutions, so the method works better than kernel SVM, and one can optimize local kernels.

10. Duch W, Maszczyk T, Grochowski M. (2011) [Optimal Support Features for Meta-Learning](#). Book chapter, in: Meta-learning in Computational Intelligence. Studies in Computational Intelligence. Eds: N. Jankowski, K. Grabczewski, W. Duch, Springer 2011, pp. 317-358. | [Show abstract](#)

Meta-learning has many aspects, but its final goal is to discover in an automatic way many interesting models for a given data. Our early attempts in this area involved heterogeneous learning systems combined with a complexity-guided search for optimal models, performed within the framework of (dis)similarity based methods to discover “knowledge granules”. This approach, inspired by neurocognitive mechanisms of information processing in the brain, is generalized here to learning based on parallel chains of transformations that extract useful information granules and use it as additional features. Various types of transformations that generate hidden features are analyzed and methods to generate them are discussed. They include restricted random projections, optimization of these features using projection pursuit methods, similarity-based and general kernel-based features, conditionally defined features, features derived from partial successes of various learning algorithms, and using the whole learning models as new features. In the enhanced feature space the goal of learning is to create image of the input data that can be directly handled by relatively simple decision processes. The focus is on hierarchical methods for generation of information, starting from new support features that are discovered by different types of data models created on similar tasks and successively building more complex features on the enhanced feature spaces. Resulting algorithms facilitate deep learning, and also enable understanding of structures present in the data by visualization of the results of data transformations and by creating logical, fuzzy and prototype-based rules based on new features. Relations to various machine-learning approaches, comparison of results, and neurocognitive inspirations for meta-learning are discussed.

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12. Maszczyk T, Duch W, [Support Feature Machine for DNA microarray data](#). Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence Vol. 6086, pp. 178-186, 2010.
13. Maszczyk T, Duch W. (2012) [Locally Optimized Kernels](#). Lecture Notes in Computer Science Vol. 7267, pp. 412–420, 2012.

Universal Learning Machine (ULM) should find the simplest data model for arbitrary data distributions, avoiding specific biases that could make them suitable for specific kind of problems.

14. Duch W, Maszczyk T. (2009) [Universal Learning Machines](#). Lecture Notes in Computer Science Vol. 5864: 206–215.

Generation and filtering of useful random projections lead to algorithms that have better biological justification than classical MLP, are faster, easier to train and may in practice solve nonseparable problems of higher complexity than typical feedforward neural networks.

15. Maszczyk T, Duch W. (2010) [Almost Random Projection Machine with Margin Maximization and Kernel Features](#). Lecture Notes in Computer Science Vol. 6353: 40-48, 2010.

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Non-Euclidean distance function replacing sigmoidal activation function offer a natural generalization of the standard MLP model, providing more flexible decision borders. An alternative way leading to similar results is based on renormalization of the input vectors using nonEuclidean norms in extended feature spaces. Both approaches influence the shapes of decision borders dramatically, allowing to reduce the complexity of MLP networks.

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18. Duch W, Adamczak R, Dierksen GHF (1999) [Distance-based multilayer perceptrons](#). In: Computational Intelligence for Modelling Control and Automation. Neural Networks and Advanced Control Strategies. Ed. M. Mohammadian, IOS Press, Amsterdam, pp. 75-80 | [PDF file](#)
19. Duch W, Adamczak R (1999) [Neural networks in non-Euclidean metric spaces](#), 1999 IEEE International Joint Conference on Neural Networks, Washington, July 1999, paper no. 740 (6 pages)
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Surprisingly many cheap classification methods work very well on most of benchmark data. We have identified such cases and they should not be used when comparing new algorithms.

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23. Kordos M, Duch W. (2008) [Variable Step Search Training for Feedforward Neural Networks](#). Neurocomputing 71(13-15), 2470-2480, 2008. | [Abstract](#).
24. Kordos M, Duch W. (2006) [Variable Step Search MLP Training Method](#) International Journal of Information Technology and Intelligent Computing 1, 45-56, 2006 | [PDF file](#).
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27. Kordos M, Duch, W. (2003) [Search-based training for logical rule extraction by Multilayer Perceptron](#). International Conference on Artificial Neural Networks (ICANN) and International Conference on Neural Information Processing (ICONIP), Istanbul, June 2003, pp. 86-89 | [PDF file](#).
28. Duch W (1999) [Alternatives to gradient-based neural training and optimization](#), 4th Conference on Neural Networks and Their Applications, Zakopane, May 1999, pp. 59-64

29. Duch W, Grąbczewski K (1999) [Searching for optimal MLP](#), 4th Conference on Neural Networks and Their Applications, Zakopane, May 1999, pp. 65-70

Error surfaces determine the efficiency of network training; they can be visualized in PCA space of the weigh sequences; supprisingly we have never seen local minima, only large plateaus.

30. Kordos M, Duch W. (2004) [A Survey of Factors Influencing MLP Error Surface](#). [Control and Cybernetics](#) 33(4): 611-631, 2004 | [PDF file](#).

Learning Vector Quantization methods may be improved in many ways.

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Ontogenic neural networks adjust their structure to the complexity of the data, growing, pruning and merging node functions.

33. Jankowski N, Duch W. (2000) [Ontogeniczne sieci neuronowe](#). Biocybernetyka 2000, Tom 6: Sieci neuronowe (red. W. Duch, J. Korbicz, L. Rutkowski i R. Tadeusiewicz), rozdz. 1.8, pp. 257-294

Training of neural networks may be improved using global optimization methods, statistical approaches, and better initialization.

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35. Duch W, Adamczak R (1998) [Statistical methods for construction of neural networks](#). International Conference on Neural Information Processing, ICONIP'98, Kitakyushu, Japan, Oct. 1998, Vol. 2, pp. 629-642 | [PDF file](#)
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B. [Feature Space Mapping](#)

Paper published in 1994 in "Neural Network World" introduced "Floating Gaussian Mapping for Modeling of Human Conceptual Space", idea similar to gaussian mixture modeling for estimation of probability densities in feature spaces characterizing psychological concepts. The use of Gaussian functions to model probability densities in quantum mechanics was the main motivation to create such model. This idea gave rise to more general Feature Space Mapping Neurofuzzy system that was based on separable basis functions. The model was implemented in our Ghostminer data mining system that was marketed by Fujitsu.

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7. Duch W (1993) *Floating Gaussian Mapping for Modeling of Human Conceptual Space*. UMK-KMK-TR 3/93 report
8. Duch W, Adamczak R, Grąbczewski K (1999) [Neural optimization of linguistic variables and membership functions](#). International Conference on Neural Information Processing (ICONIP'99), Perth, Australia, Nov. 1999, Vol. II, pp. 616-621

C. [Floating Gaussian Mapping](#).

Floating Gaussian Mapping was inspired by the use of Gaussian function to calculate probability density in quantum physics; the model is equivalent to Radial Basis Function network. Early papers from the beginning of 1990. This also resulted in papers on neural versions of minimal distance methods, that was later developed into general approach to similarity-based methods.

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D. [Novel neural transfer functions](#).

Some complexity of neural networks may be hidden in more sophisticated transfer functions, not just sigmoids or Gaussians. There is a hierarchy of neural-like models from simple nodes implementing functions with a single parameter and fixed weighted connections, to complex agents implementing various functions and procedures and exchanging information sending messages and forming ad-hoc subnetworks. Initially this subject was ignored but now it has gained popularity.

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11. Duch W, Jankowski N (1996) [Bi-radial transfer functions](#). | [Abstract](#). UMK-KMK-TR 1/96, Computational Intelligence Lab. Technical Report
12. Duch W (1993) [On the optimal processing functions for neural network elements](#). UMK-KMK-TR 6/93 report

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Neural networks for data understanding.

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B. [MLP2LN algorithm](#)

MLP2LN algorithm, constrained multilayer backpropagation networks converted to a set of logical rules.

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Computational Intelligence (CI) community has developed hundreds of algorithms for intelligent data analysis, but still many hard problems in computer vision, signal processing or text and multimedia understanding, problems that require deep learning techniques, are open. Modern data mining packages contain numerous modules for data acquisition, pre-processing, feature selection and construction, instance selection, classification, association and approximation methods, optimization techniques, pattern discovery, clusterization, visualization and post-processing. A large data mining package allows for billions of ways in which these modules can be combined. No human expert can claim to explore and understand all possibilities in the knowledge discovery process. This is where algorithms that learn how to learn come to rescue. Operating in the space of all available data transformations and optimization techniques these algorithms use meta-knowledge about learning processes automatically extracted from experience of solving diverse problems. Inferences about transformations useful in different contexts help to construct learning algorithms that can uncover various aspects of knowledge hidden in the data. Meta-learning shifts the focus of the whole CI field from individual learning algorithms to the higher level of learning how to learn. This book defines and reveals new theoretical and practical trends in meta-learning, inspiring the readers to further research in this exciting field.

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Network neuroscience provides tools that can easily be used to verify main assumptions of the global workspace theory (GWT), such as the existence of highly segregated information processing during effortless tasks performance, engagement of multiple distributed networks during effortful tasks and the critical role of long-range connections in workspace formation. A number of studies support the assumptions of GWT by showing the reorganization of the whole-brain functional network during cognitive task performance; however, the involvement of specific large scale networks in the formation of workspace is still not well-understood. The aims of our study were: (1) to examine changes in the whole-brain functional network under increased cognitive demands of working memory during an n-back task, and their relationship with behavioral outcomes; and (2) to provide a comprehensive description of local changes that may be involved in the formation of the global workspace, using hub detection and network-based statistic. Our results show that network modularity decreased with increasing cognitive demands, and this change allowed us to predict behavioral performance. The number of connector hubs increased, whereas the number of provincial hubs decreased when the task became more demanding. We also found that the default mode network (DMN) increased its connectivity to other networks while decreasing connectivity between its own regions. These results, apart from replicating previous findings, provide a valuable insight into the mechanisms of the formation of the global workspace, highlighting the role of the DMN in the processes of network integration.

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Although all Research Domain Criteria (RDoC) units of analysis are important, understanding the mechanics of mental functions should be done at the circuit level. Functions of neural networks depend on the cellular, molecular and genetic levels. Complex functions responsible for behavior result from neurodynamics. Therefore a good strategy that should help to find causal relations between different levels of analysis, showing how RDoC psychological constructs emerge from biology, is to identify biophysical parameters of neurons required for normal neural network activity and explore all changes that may lead to abnormal functions, behavioral symptoms, cognitive phenotypes and syndromes. Computational simulations of neurodynamics generate hypothesis for experimental verification and help to interpret neuroimaging data. Neurodynamics provides language that relates measurable brain processes to RDoC psychological constructs. As an example of such an approach I shall focus here on the Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD). Many confusing observations may find an explanation at this level and lead to hypothesis that may be experimentally verified.

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Artificial Intelligence.

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Understanding mind-brain-environment relations is one of the key topics in psychology. Kurt Lewin, inspired by theoretical physics, tried to establish topological and vector psychology analyzing patterns of interaction between the individual and her/his environment. The time is ripe to reformulate his ambitious goals, searching for ways to interpret objectively measured brain processes in terms of suitable psychological constructs. Connecting cognitive and social psychology constructs to neurophenomics, as it is done now in psychiatry, should ground them in physical reality.

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Jednym z centralnych problemów badań kognitywistycznych jest relacja pomiędzy mentalnymi konstruktami, które pozwalają opisywać w intersubiektywny sposób na poziomie werbalnym obserwowane zjawiska mentalne i behawioralne, a obiektywnie mierzalnymi cechami procesów, które je tworzą. W efekcie mamy niekończące się spory o „świadomość”, „myślenie”, „rozumienie” czy „inteligencję”, zwłaszcza w kontekście rozwoju sztucznej inteligencji w ostatnich latach. Pojęcia fizyczne, takie jak „energia”, „promieniowanie” czy „magnetyzm” używane są w pseudonaukowych teoriach w bezsensowny sposób. Argumenty posługujące się pojęciami, które nie są dobrze zdefiniowane, nie przyczyniają się do lepszego zrozumienia procesów umysłowych.

Powstaje więc pytanie, czy pojęcia psychologii potocznej i psychologii naukowej pozwolą nam opisać rzeczywistość i na jak dokładny opis możemy mieć nadzieję? Czy można zwerbalizować zachowania nieliniowych układów dynamicznych o dużym stopniu złożoności, które pozwalają coraz lepiej opisywać zachodzące w mózgu procesy? Czy te procesy można opisać w terminach jednoznacznych pojęć, a więc posługiwać się logiką klasyczną by stwierdzić, czy miały miejsce? Czy też należy wyeliminować wszystkie pojęcia psychologii potocznej? Czym je zastąpić i jak w sensowny sposób budować teorie potrzebne by się porozumieć?

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Foundation of physics, quantum informatics.

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8. Tadeusiewicz R, Korbicz J, Rutkowski L, Duch W (Eds), [Sieci neuronowe w inżynierii biomedycznej](#) | [Show abstract](#)

1. Jakże zadania mogą realizować sieci neuronowe w zastosowaniach biomedycznych

Część I. Sieci neuronowe jako narzędzia przetwarzania sygnałów biomedycznych

2. Przygotowanie danych i planowanie eksperymentu

3. Wykorzystanie sieci neuronowych do przetwarzania sygnałów bioelektrycznych na przykładzie EKG
4. Przetwarzanie sygnałów ABR przy użyciu sieci neuronowych w zadaniach diagnostyki słuchu
5. Sieci neuronowe w przetwarzaniu obrazów medycznych
6. Wykorzystanie sieci neuronowych w tomografii komputerowej
7. Neuronowo-rozmyte przetwarzanie obrazów cytologicznych w diagnostyce nowotworu piersi
8. Ocena jakości ziaren i nasion przy pomocy sieci neuronowych
9. Wykorzystanie wiedzy eksperckiej w sieci RBF na przykładzie zadania segmentacji obrazów medycznych

Część II. Zastosowanie sieci neuronowych do analizy danych medycznych oraz do wspomaganie procesu diagnostycznego

10. Sieci neuronowe w ocenie prawdopodobieństwa istnienia raka jajnika u kobiet z guzami przydatkowymi
11. Wykorzystanie sieci neuronowych i metody wektorów nośnych SVM w procesie rozpoznawania aktywności ruchowej pacjentów dotkniętych chorobą Parkinsona
12. Zastosowanie sieci neuronowych w analizie wyników badania spirometrycznego
13. Analiza sygnałów EEG za pomocą sztucznych sieci neuronowych
14. Wykorzystanie wielowarstwowych sieci perceptronowych dla wspomaganie obrazowej diagnostyki medycznej
15. Sieci neuronowe w bioinformatyce

Część III. Wspomaganie osób niepełnosprawnych z wykorzystaniem sieci neuronowych oraz ich wykorzystanie w protetyce i terapii

16. Neuronowe systemy sterowania urządzeniami wspomagającymi samoobsługę osób niepełnosprawnych wykorzystujące ocenę sygnałów biologicznych
17. Rozpoznawanie ruchów i gestów wykonywanych ustami w obrazie wizyjnym z użyciem sieci neuronowych
18. Sieci neuronowe oparte na strukturze Hopfielda w układach wspomaganie osób niedowidzących
19. Perspektywy zastosowań impulsowej sieci neuronowej w systemach maszynowego sprzężania układu nerwowego
20. Neuronowe modele przewidujące własności biomateriałów

Część IV. Sieci neuronowe zastosowane do modelowania choroby, terapii oraz do prognozowania wyników leczenia

21. Zastosowania sieci neuronowych w analizie przeżycia
 22. Samoptymalizujące sieci neuronowe jako narzędzie wspomagające w długoterminowym przewidywaniu ryzyka wystąpienia ponownego zawału serca
 23. Zastosowanie sieci neuronowych w analizie rokowniczej u chorych leczonych przeszczepieniem komórek krwiotwórczych
 24. Klasyfikacja i analiza bólów kręgosłupa przy pomocy sztucznych sieci neuronowych
 25. Ekstrakcja reguł z sieci neuronowych
 26. Modelowanie pnia mózgu
 27. Sieci neuronowe w modelowaniu chorób psychicznych
- Dodatek - Kompedium sieci neuronowych

Wyd. Exit, Warszawa 2013, pp. 775. [Tłumaczenie rosyjskie](#).

7. Jankowski N, Duch W, Grąbczewski K. (Eds) (2011) [Meta-learning in Computational Intelligence](#). | [Show abstract](#)

Computational Intelligence (CI) community has developed hundreds of algorithms for intelligent data analysis, but still many hard problems in computer vision, signal processing or text and multimedia understanding, problems that require deep learning

techniques, are open. Modern data mining packages contain numerous modules for data acquisition, pre-processing, feature selection and construction, instance selection, classification, association and approximation methods, optimization techniques, pattern discovery, clusterization, visualization and post-processing. A large data mining package allows for billions of ways in which these modules can be combined. No human expert can claim to explore and understand all possibilities in the knowledge discovery process. This is where algorithms that learn how to learn come to rescue. Operating in the space of all available data transformations and optimization techniques these algorithms use meta-knowledge about learning processes automatically extracted from experience of solving diverse problems. Inferences about transformations useful in different contexts help to construct learning algorithms that can uncover various aspects of knowledge hidden in the data. Meta-learning shifts the focus of the whole CI field from individual learning algorithms to the higher level of learning how to learn. This book defines and reveals new theoretical and practical trends in meta-learning, inspiring the readers to further research in this exciting field.

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The book constitutes the proceedings of the 24th International Conference on Artificial Neural Networks, ICANN 2014, held in Hamburg, Germany, in September 2014. The 107 papers included in the proceedings were carefully reviewed and selected from 173 submissions. The focus of the papers is on following topics: recurrent networks; competitive learning and self-organisation; clustering and classification; trees and graphs; human-machine interaction; deep networks; theory; reinforcement learning and action; vision; supervised learning; dynamical models and time series; neuroscience; and applications.

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