

CS344: Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

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Lecture 24: Perceptrons and their
computing power (cntd)

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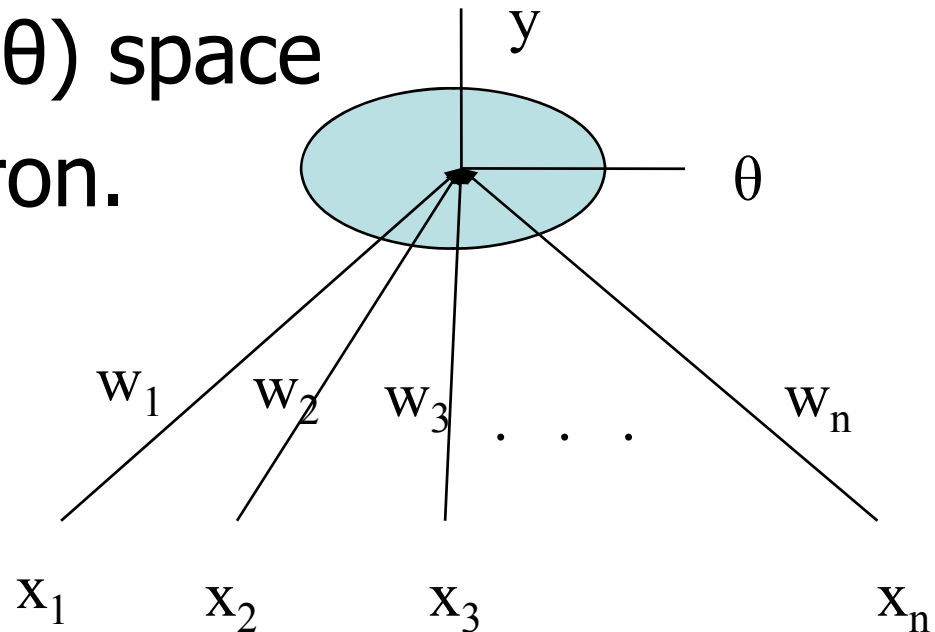
Threshold functions

n	# Boolean functions (2^{2^n})	#Threshold Functions
1	4	4
2	16	14
3	256	128
4	64K	1008

- **Functions computable by perceptrons - threshold functions**
- **#TF becomes negligibly small for larger values of #BF.**
- **For $n=2$, all functions except XOR and XNOR are computable.**

Concept of Hyper-planes

- $\sum w_i x_i = \theta$ defines a linear surface in the (W, θ) space, where $W = \langle w_1, w_2, w_3, \dots, w_n \rangle$ is an n -dimensional vector.
- A point in this (W, θ) space defines a perceptron.



Perceptron Property

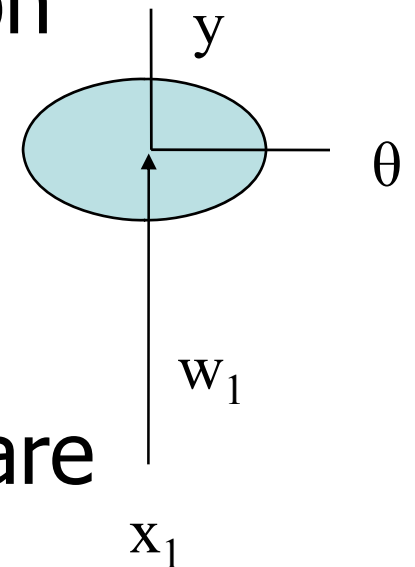
- Two perceptrons may have different parameters but same function

- Example of the simplest perceptron

$$w \cdot x > 0 \text{ gives } y = 1$$

$$w \cdot x \leq 0 \text{ gives } y = 0$$

Depending on different values of w and θ , four different functions are possible



Simple perceptron contd.

x	f1	f2	f3	f4
0	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	1

True-Function

$$\theta < 0$$

$$W < 0$$

0-function

$$\theta \geq 0$$

$$w \leq 0$$

Identity Function

$$\theta \geq 0$$

$$w > 0$$

Complement Function

$$\theta < 0$$

$$w \leq 0$$

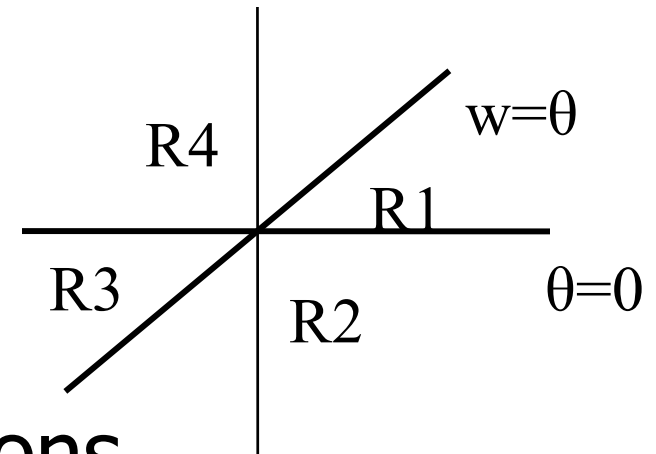
Counting the number of functions for the simplest perceptron

- For the simplest perceptron, the equation is $w \cdot x = \theta$.

Substituting $x=0$ and $x=1$,

we get $\theta=0$ and $w=\theta$.

These two lines intersect to form four regions, which correspond to the four functions.



Fundamental Observation

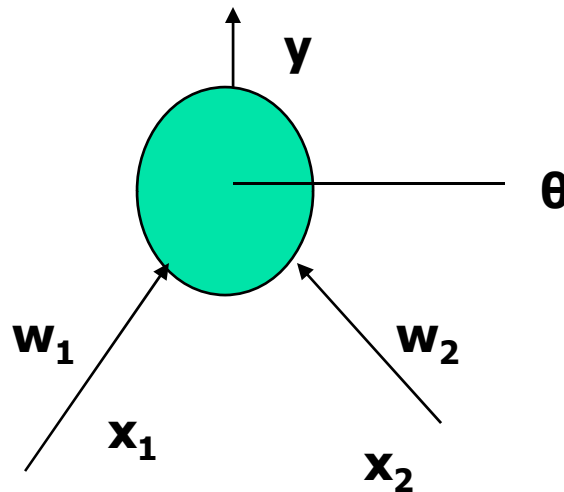
- The number of TFs computable by a perceptron is equal to the number of regions produced by 2^n hyper-planes, obtained by plugging in the values $\langle x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n \rangle$ in the equation

$$\sum_{i=1}^n w_i x_i = \theta$$

AND of 2 inputs

X1	x2	y
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

The parameter values (weights & thresholds) need to be found.



Constraints on w_1 , w_2 and θ

$$w_1 * 0 + w_2 * 0 \leq \theta \rightarrow \theta \geq 0; \text{ since } y=0$$

$$w_1 * 0 + w_2 * 1 \leq \theta \rightarrow w_2 \leq \theta; \text{ since } y=0$$

$$w_1 * 1 + w_2 * 0 \leq \theta \rightarrow w_1 \leq \theta; \text{ since } y=0$$

$$w_1 * 1 + w_2 * 1 > \theta \rightarrow w_1 + w_2 > \theta; \text{ since } y=1$$
$$w_1 = w_2 = 0.5$$

These inequalities are satisfied by ONE particular region

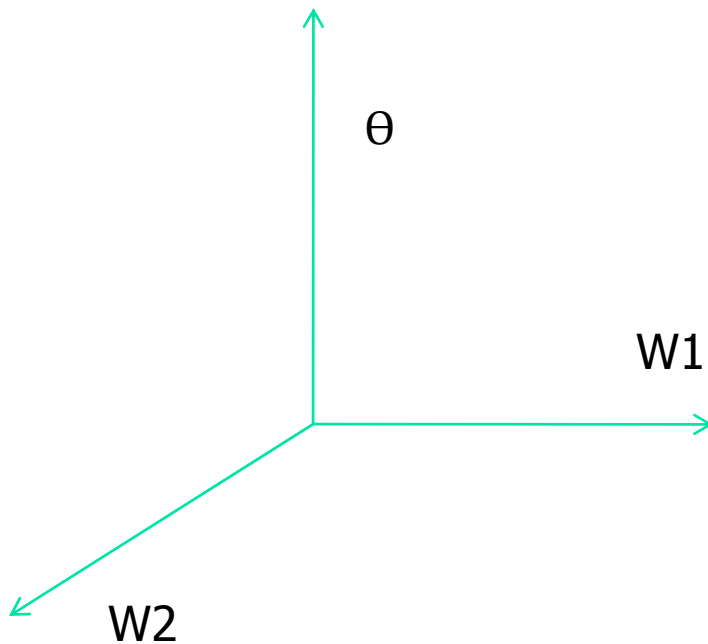
The geometrical observation

- **Problem:** m linear surfaces called hyperplanes (each hyper-plane is of $(d-1)$ -dim) in d -dim, then what is the max. no. of regions produced by their intersection?

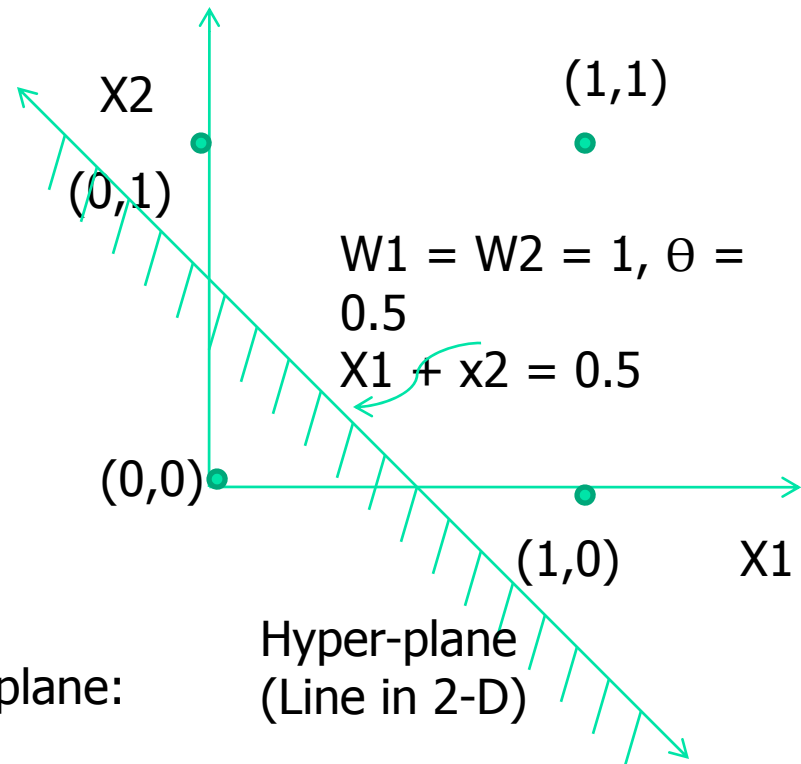
i.e., $R_{m,d} = ?$

Co-ordinate Spaces

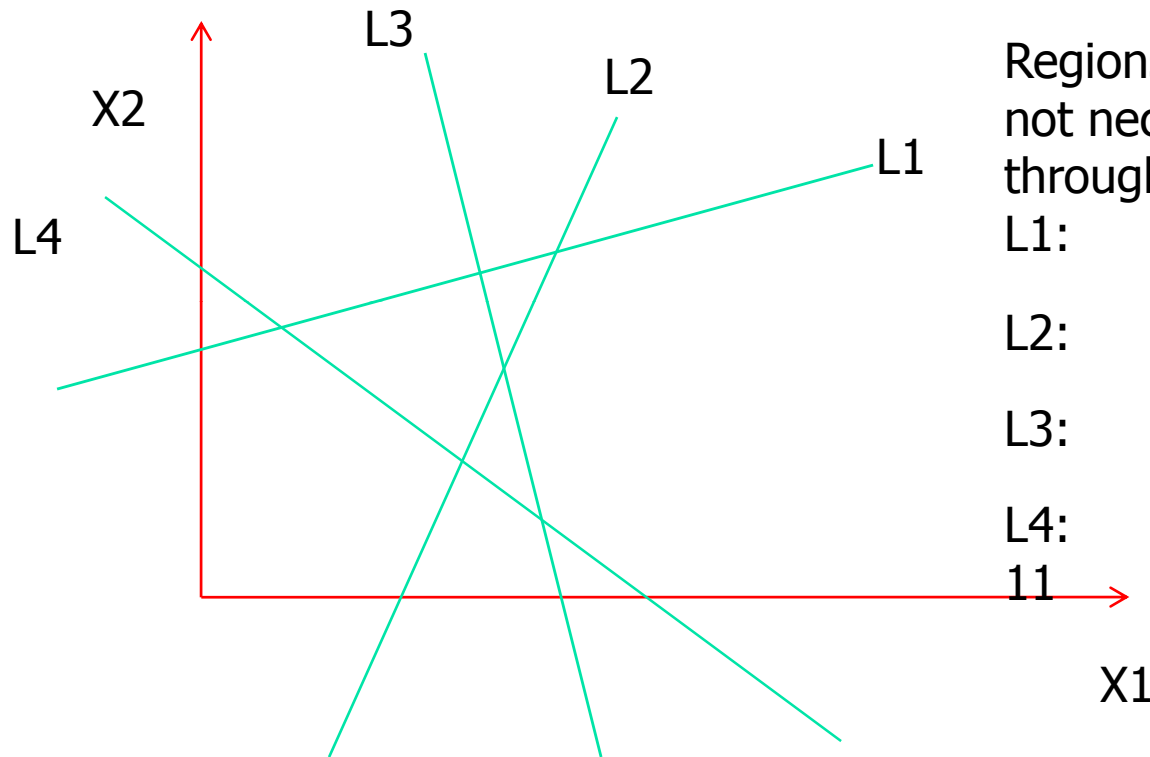
We work in the $\langle X_1, X_2 \rangle$ space or the $\langle w_1, w_2, \theta \rangle$ space



General equation of a Hyperplane:
 $\sum W_i X_i = \theta$



Regions produced by lines



Regions produced by lines
not necessarily passing
through origin

$$L1: \quad 2$$

$$L2: \quad 2+2 = 4$$

$$L3: \quad 2+2+3 = 7$$

$$L4: \quad 2+2+3+4 =$$

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X1

New regions created = Number of intersections on the incoming line
by the original lines

Total number of regions = Original number of regions + New regions
created

Number of computable functions by a neuron

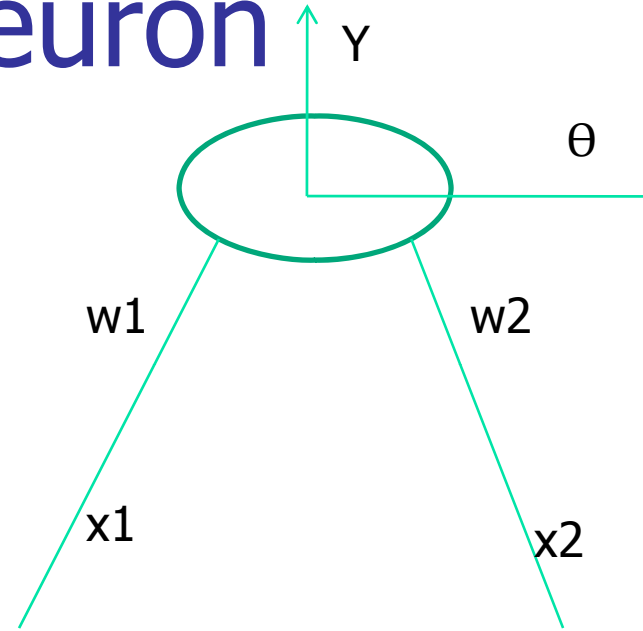
$$w_1 * x_1 + w_2 * x_2 = \theta$$

$$(0,0) \Rightarrow \theta = 0 : P_1$$

$$(0,1) \Rightarrow w_2 = \theta : P_2$$

$$(1,0) \Rightarrow w_1 = \theta : P_3$$

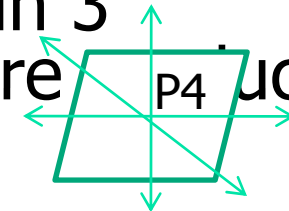
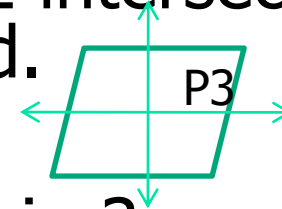
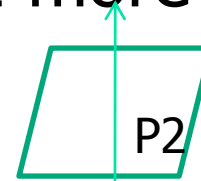
$$(1,1) \Rightarrow w_1 + w_2 = \theta : P_4$$



P_1, P_2, P_3 and P_4 are planes in the $\langle w_1, w_2, \theta \rangle$ space

Number of computable functions by a neuron (cont...)

- P1 produces 2 regions
- P2 is intersected by P1 in a line. 2 more new regions are produced.
Number of regions = $2 + 2 = 4$
- P3 is intersected by P1 and P2 in 2 intersecting lines. 4 more regions are produced.
Number of regions = $4 + 4 = 8$
- P4 is intersected by P1, P2 and P3 in 3 intersecting lines. 6 more regions are produced.
Number of regions = $8 + 6 = 14$
- Thus, a single neuron can compute 14 Boolean functions which are linearly separable.



Points in the same region

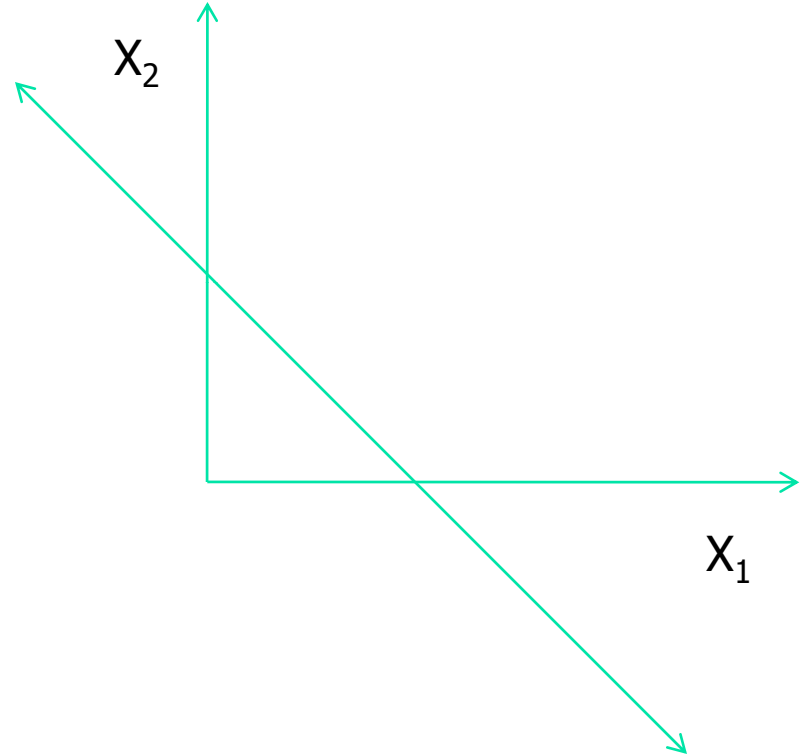
If

$$W_1 * X_1 + W_2 * X_2 > \theta$$

$$W_1' * X_1 + W_2' * X_2 > \theta'$$

Then

If $\langle W_1, W_2, \theta \rangle$ and $\langle W_1', W_2', \theta' \rangle$ share a region then they compute the same function



No. of Regions produced by Hyperplanes

Number of regions founded by n hyperplanes in d-dim passing through origin is given by the following recurrence relation

$$R_{n,d} = R_{n-1,d} + R_{n-1,d-1}$$

we use generating function as an operating function

Boundary condition:

$$R_{1,d} = 2 \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{1 hyperplane in d-dim} \\ \text{n hyperplanes in 1-dim,} \\ \text{Reduce to n points thru origin} \end{array}$$

$$R_{n,1} = 2$$

The generating function is

$$f(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} R_{n,d} \cdot x^n y^d$$

From the recurrence relation we have,

$$R_{n,d} - R_{n-1,d} - R_{n-1,d-1} = 0$$

$R_{n-1,d}$ corresponds to ‘shifting’ n by 1 place, \Rightarrow multiplication by x

$R_{n-1,d-1}$ corresponds to ‘shifting’ n and d by 1 place \Rightarrow multiplication by xy

On expanding $f(x,y)$ we get

$$\begin{aligned} f(x,y) &= R_{1,1} \cdot xy + R_{1,2} \cdot x y^2 + R_{1,3} \cdot x y^3 + \dots + R_{1,d} \cdot x y^d + \dots \infty \\ &+ R_{2,1} \cdot x^2 y + R_{2,2} \cdot x^2 y^2 + R_{2,3} \cdot x^2 y^3 + \dots + R_{2,d} \cdot x^2 y^d + \dots \infty \\ &\dots \\ &+ R_{n,1} \cdot x^n y + R_{n,2} \cdot x^n y^2 + R_{n,3} \cdot x^n y^3 + \dots + R_{n,d} \cdot x^n y^d + \dots \infty \end{aligned}$$

$$f(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} R_{n,d} \cdot x^n y^d$$

$$x \cdot f(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} R_{n,d} \cdot x^{n+1} y^d = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} R_{n-1,d} \cdot x^n y^d$$

$$xy \cdot f(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} R_{n,d} \cdot x^{n+1} y^{d+1} = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{d=2}^{\infty} R_{n-1,d-1} \cdot x^n y^d$$

$$\begin{aligned} x \cdot f(x, y) &= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{d=2}^{\infty} R_{n-1,d} \cdot x^n y^d + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} R_{n-1,1} \cdot x^n y \\ &= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{d=2}^{\infty} R_{n-1,d} \cdot x^n y^d + 2 \cdot \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} x^n y \end{aligned}$$

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&= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{d=2}^{\infty} R_{n,d} \cdot x^n y^d + \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} R_{1,d} \cdot xy^d + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} R_{n,1} \cdot x^n y - R_{1,1} \cdot xy \\
&= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{d=2}^{\infty} R_{n,d} \cdot x^n y^d + 2x \cdot \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} xy^d + 2y \cdot \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x^n y - 2xy
\end{aligned}$$

After all this expansion,

$$f(x, y) - x \cdot f(x, y) - xy \cdot f(x, y)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \sum_{d=2}^{\infty} (R_{n,d} - R_{n-1,d} - R_{n-1,d-1}) x^n y^d \\
&\quad + 2y \cdot \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x^n - 2xy - 2y \cdot \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} x^n + 2x \cdot \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} y^d \\
&= 2x \cdot \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} y^d
\end{aligned}$$

since other two terms become zero

This implies

$$[1 - x - xy]f(x, y) = 2x \cdot \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} y^d$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x, y) &= \frac{1}{[1 - x(1 - y)]} \cdot 2x \cdot \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} y^d \\ &= 2x \cdot [y + y^2 + y^3 + \dots + y^d + \dots \infty] \cdot \\ &\quad [1 + x(1 + y) + x^2(1 + y)^2 + \dots + x^d(1 + y)^d + \dots \infty] \end{aligned}$$

also we have,

$$f(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} R_{n,d} \cdot x^n y^d$$

Comparing coefficients of each term in RHS we get,

Comparing co-efficients we get

$$R_{n, d} = \sum_{i=0}^{d-1} C_i^{n-1}$$