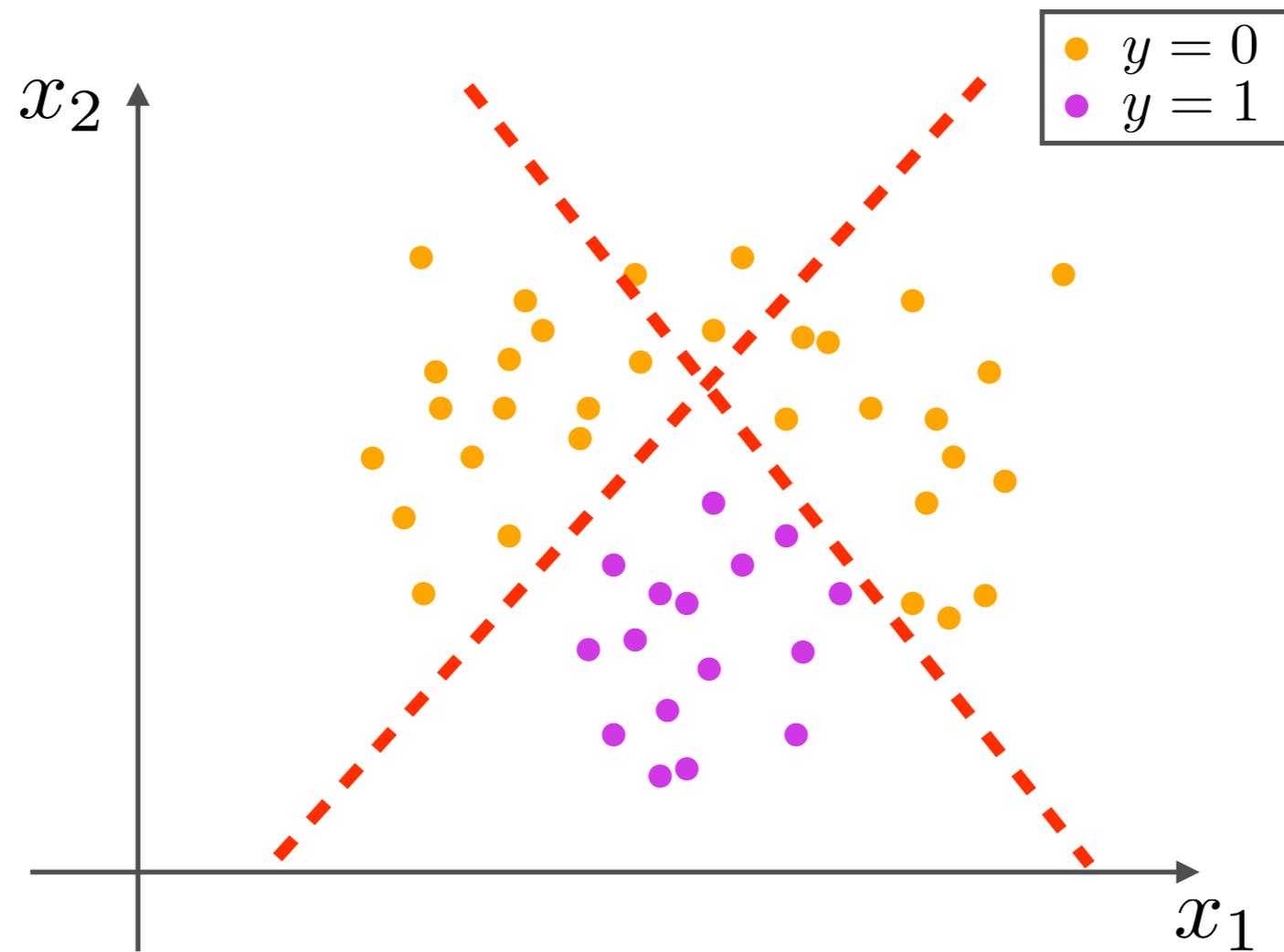


DEEP LEARNING

PART TWO - CONVOLUTIONAL & RECURRENT NETWORKS

REVIEW

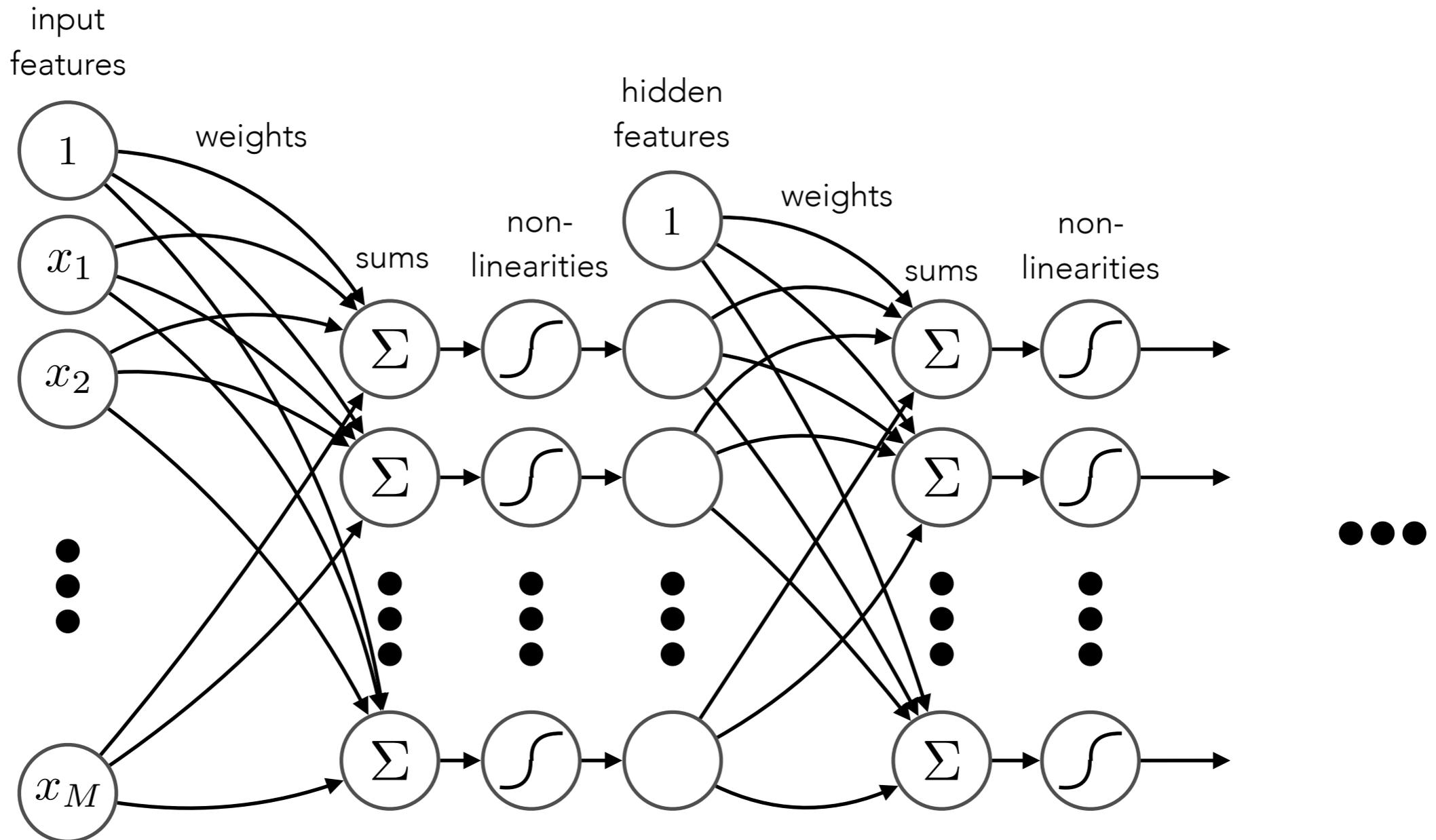
we want to learn **non-linear** decision boundaries



$$\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2)$$

we can do this by composing *linear* decision boundaries

neural networks formalize a method for building these composed functions



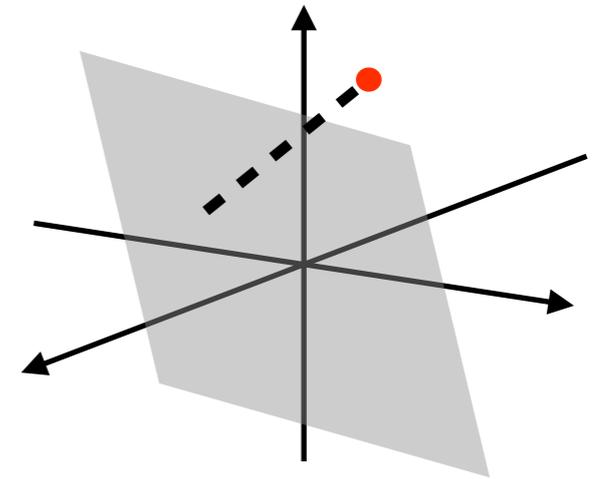
deep networks are *universal function approximators*

a geometric interpretation

the dot product is the shortest distance between a point and a plane

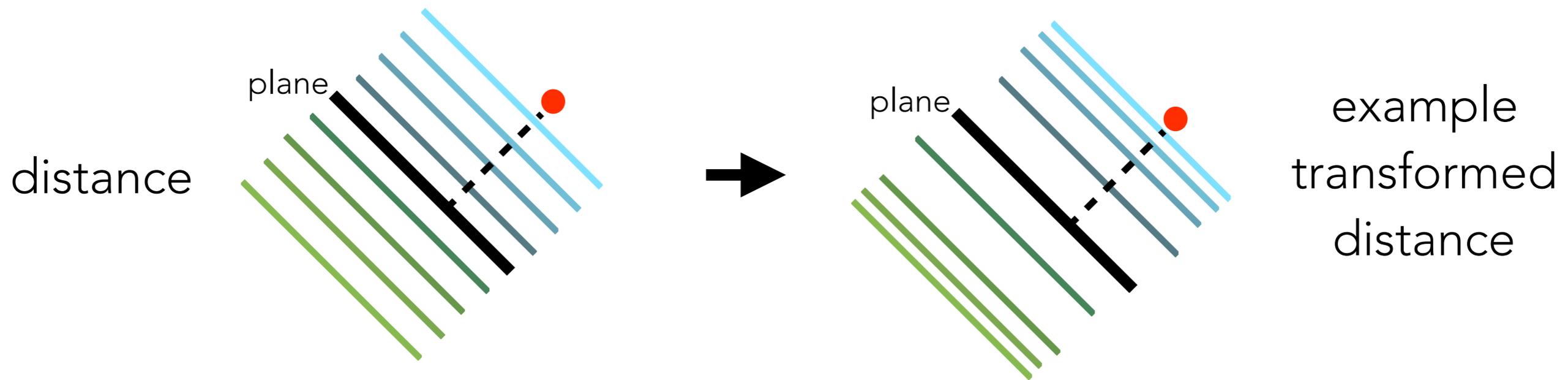
each artificial neuron defines a (hyper)plane:

$$0 = w_0 + w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + \dots + w_Mx_M$$

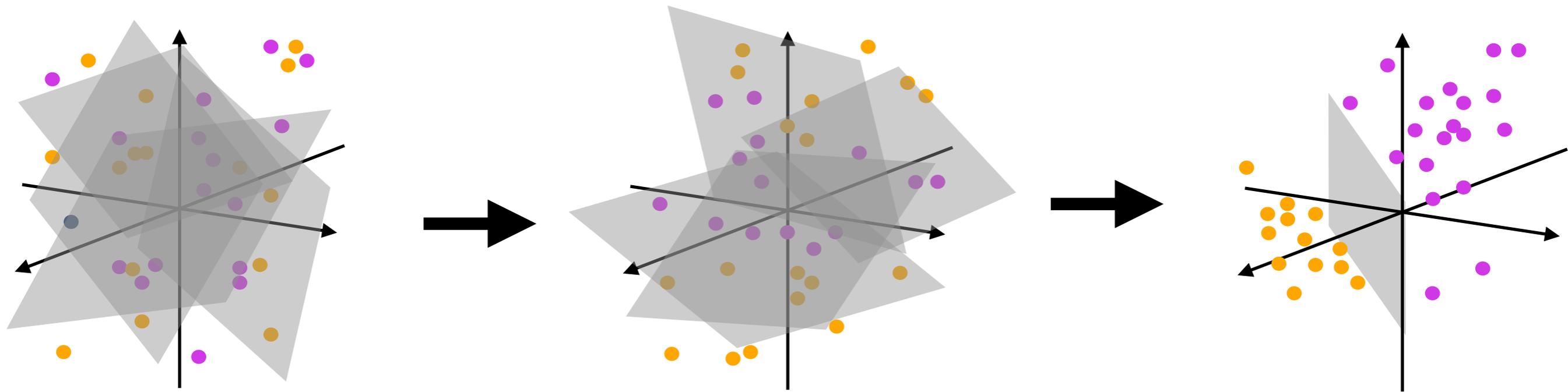


summation: distance from plane to input

non-linearity: convert distance into non-linear field



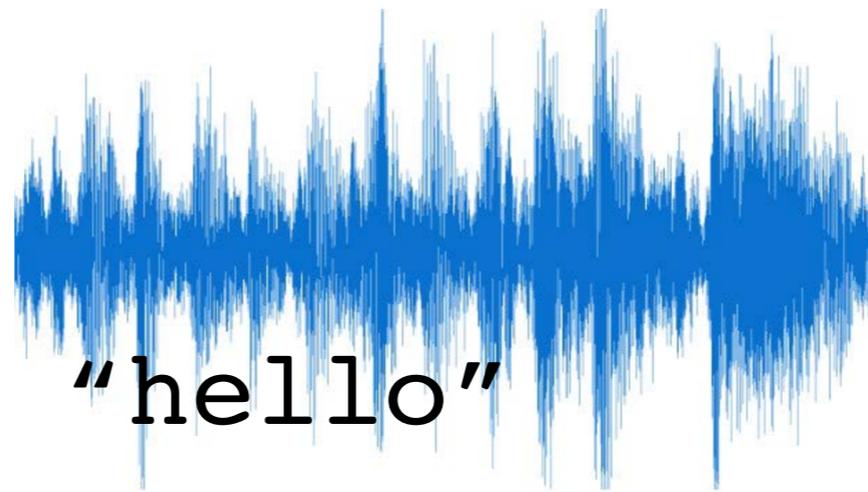
1. cut the space up with hyperplanes
2. evaluate distances of points to hyperplanes
3. non-linearly transform these distances to get new points



repeat until data have been *linearized*



images



sound & text



virtual/physical control tasks

to scale deep networks to these domains,
we often need to use ***inductive biases***

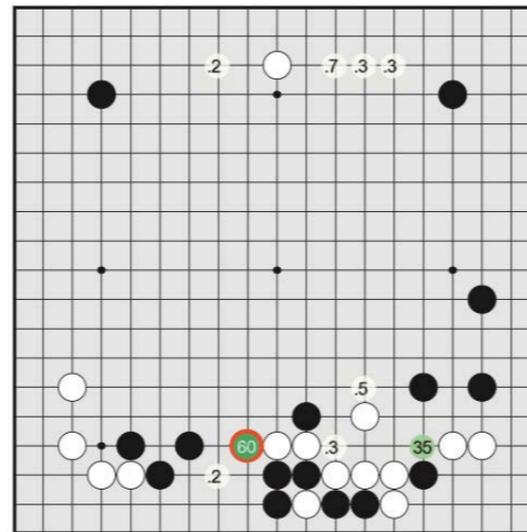
INDUCTIVE BIASES

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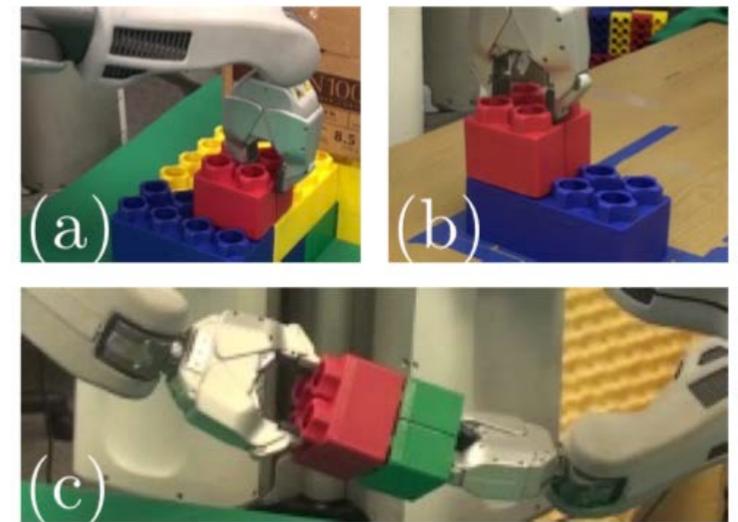
Minh et al., 2013

go



Silver, Huang et al., 2016

object manipulation



Levine, Finn, et al., 2016

ultimately, we care about *solving tasks*

survival & reproduction



e.g. teaching





performing any task involves a ***bias-variance tradeoff***

two components for solving any task

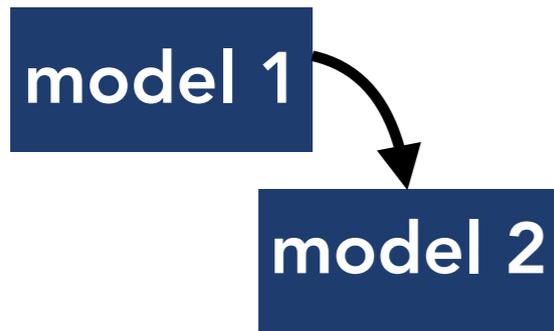
priors

(*bias*)

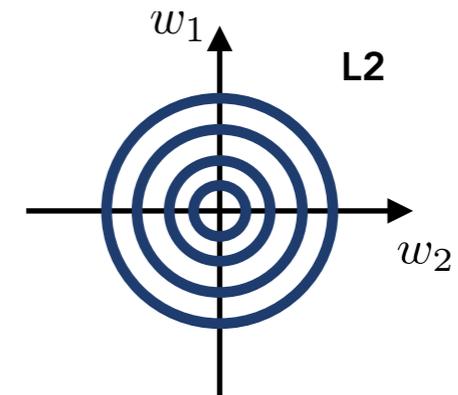
learning

(*variance*)

param. values



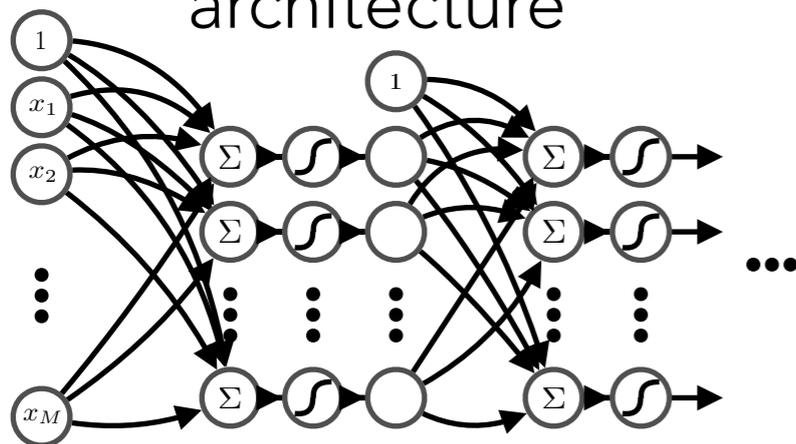
param. constraints



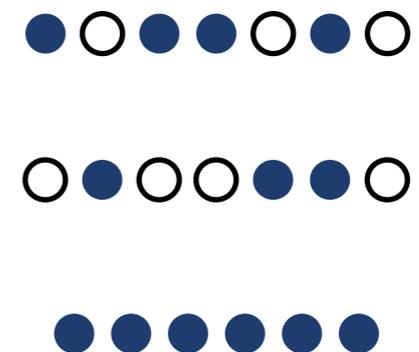
priors

things assumed beforehand

architecture



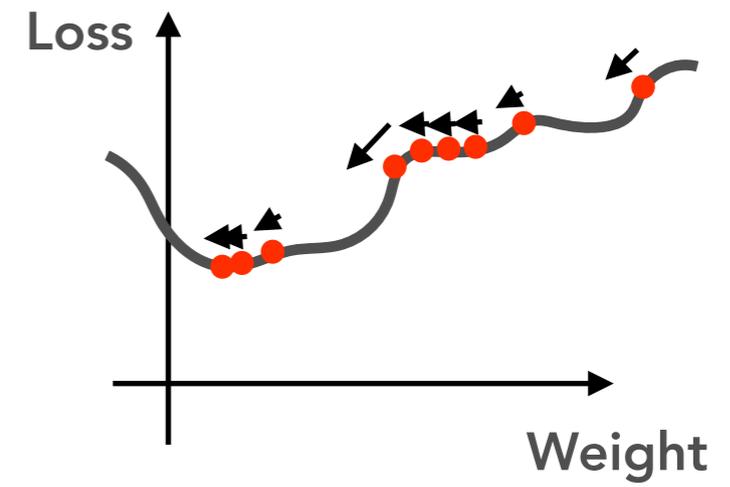
activities, outputs



LOSS/ERROR

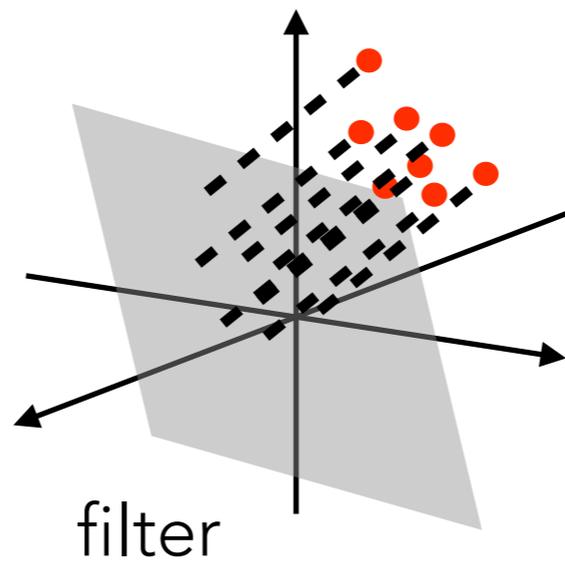
GRADIENT

IMPROVEMENT



learning

things extracted from data



it's a balance!



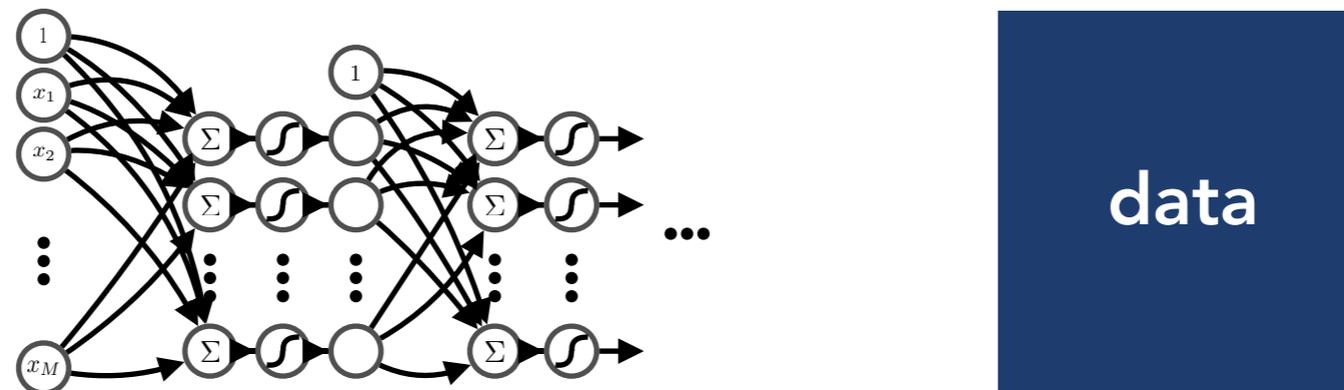
strong priors, minimal learning

- fast/easy to learn and deploy
- may be too rigid, unadaptable

weak priors, much learning

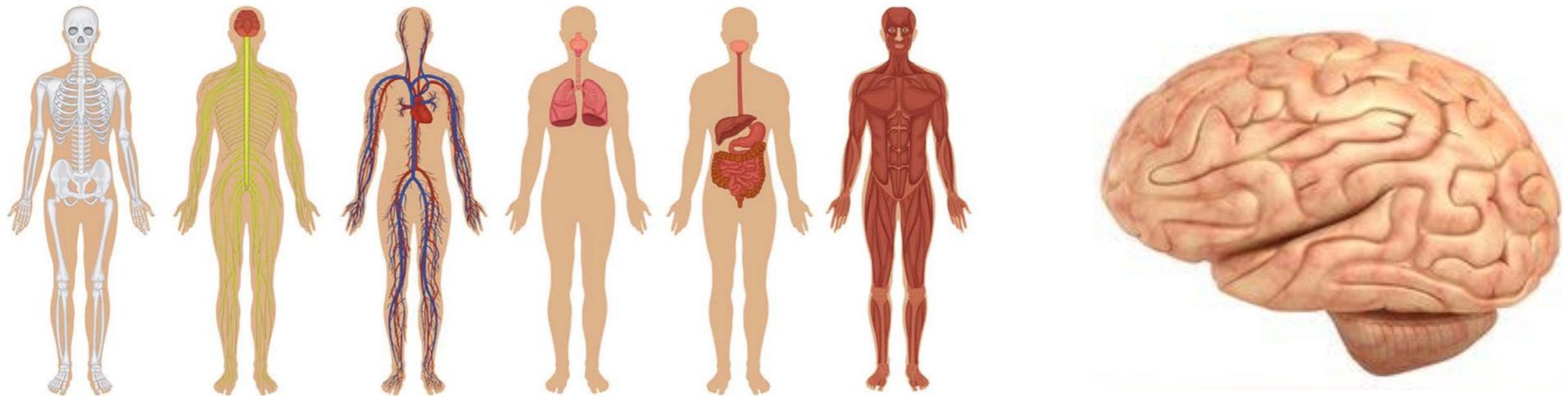
- slow/difficult to learn and deploy
- flexible, adaptable

for a desired level of performance on a task...



choose priors and collect data to obtain a model
that achieves that performance in the minimal amount of time

priors are essential - always have to make some assumptions,
cannot integrate over all possible models



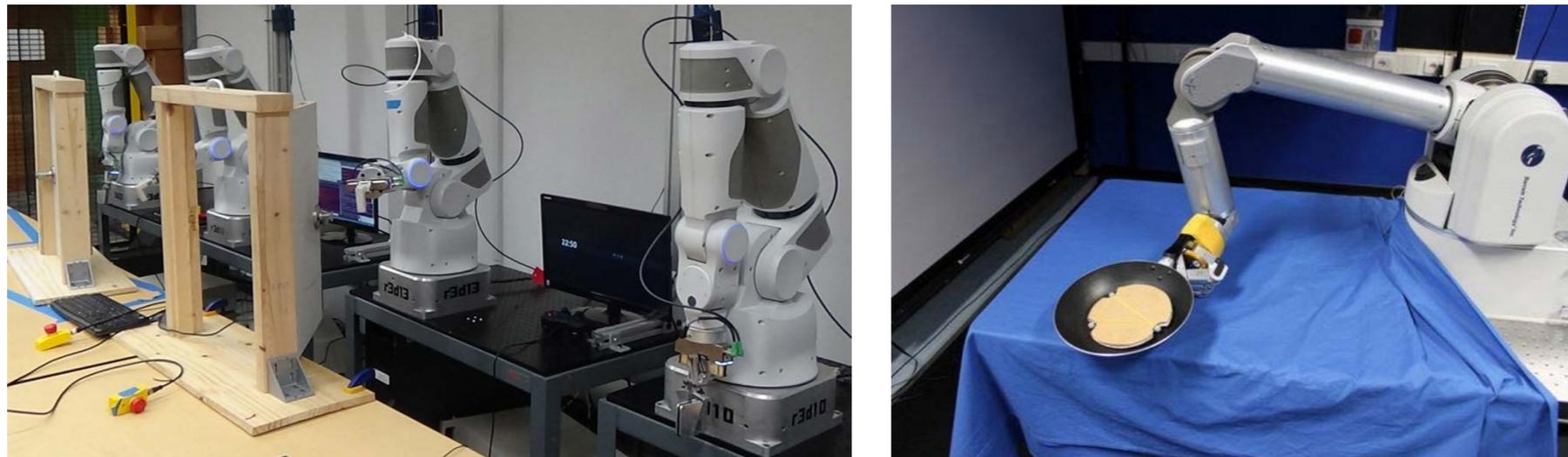
we are all initialized from *evolutionary priors*

humans seem to have a larger capacity for learning than other organisms

up until now, all of our machines have been purely based on *priors*



for the first time in history, **we can now create machines that also *learn***

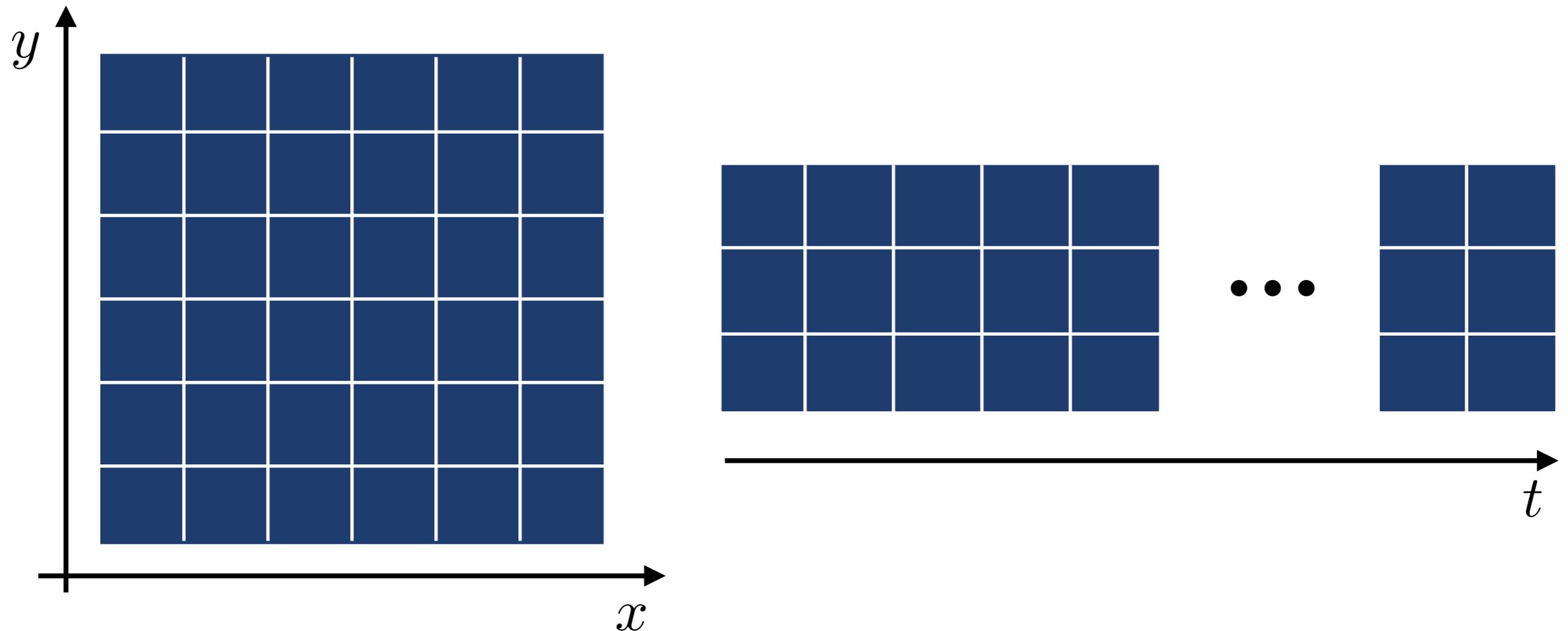


these machines can perform tasks that are impossible to hand-design

...but they are mostly still based on priors!

we can exploit known structure in spatial and sequential data to impose priors (i.e. inductive biases) on models

inductive: inferring general laws from examples



this allows us to learn models in complex, high-dimensional domains while limiting the number of parameters and data examples

CONVOLUTIONAL NEURAL NETWORKS

task: *object recognition*



→ *Yisong*

discriminative mapping from image to object identity



images contain all of the information about the binary latent variable $Y_{\text{isong}}/\text{Not } Y_{\text{isong}}$

extract the relevant information about this latent variable to form conditional probability

inference: $p(Y_{\text{isong}} | \text{image})$



notice that images also contain other *nuisance* information, such as pose, lighting, background, etc.

want to be *invariant* to nuisance information

data, label collection

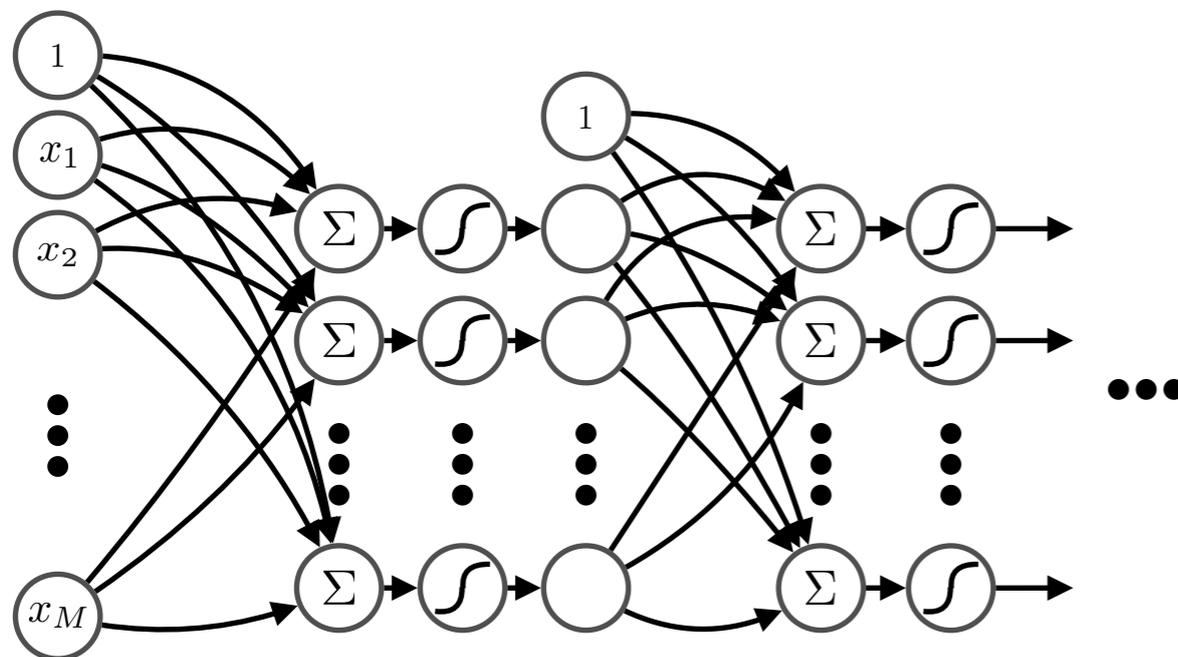
the mapping is too difficult to
define by hand,
need to learn from data



Yisong



Not Yisong



then, we need to choose
a model architecture...

standard neural networks require a fixed input size...

15 25 35
x x x
15 25 35
x x x
3 3 3

50 x 50
x 3

75 x 75 x 3

100 x 100 x 3

150 x 150 x 3

205 x 205 x 3

280 x 280 x 3



675

1,875

3,675

7,500

16,875

30,000

67,500

126,075

235,200

fewer parameters,
but unclear patterns



clearer patterns,
but more parameters

convert to grayscale...

15 25 35
x x x
15 25 35
x x x
1 1 1

50 x 50
x 1

75 x 75 x 1

100 x 100 x 1

150 x 150 x 1

205 x 205 x 1

280 x 280 x 1



fewer parameters,
but unclear patterns



clearer patterns,
but more parameters

100 x 100 x 1



10,000

reshape



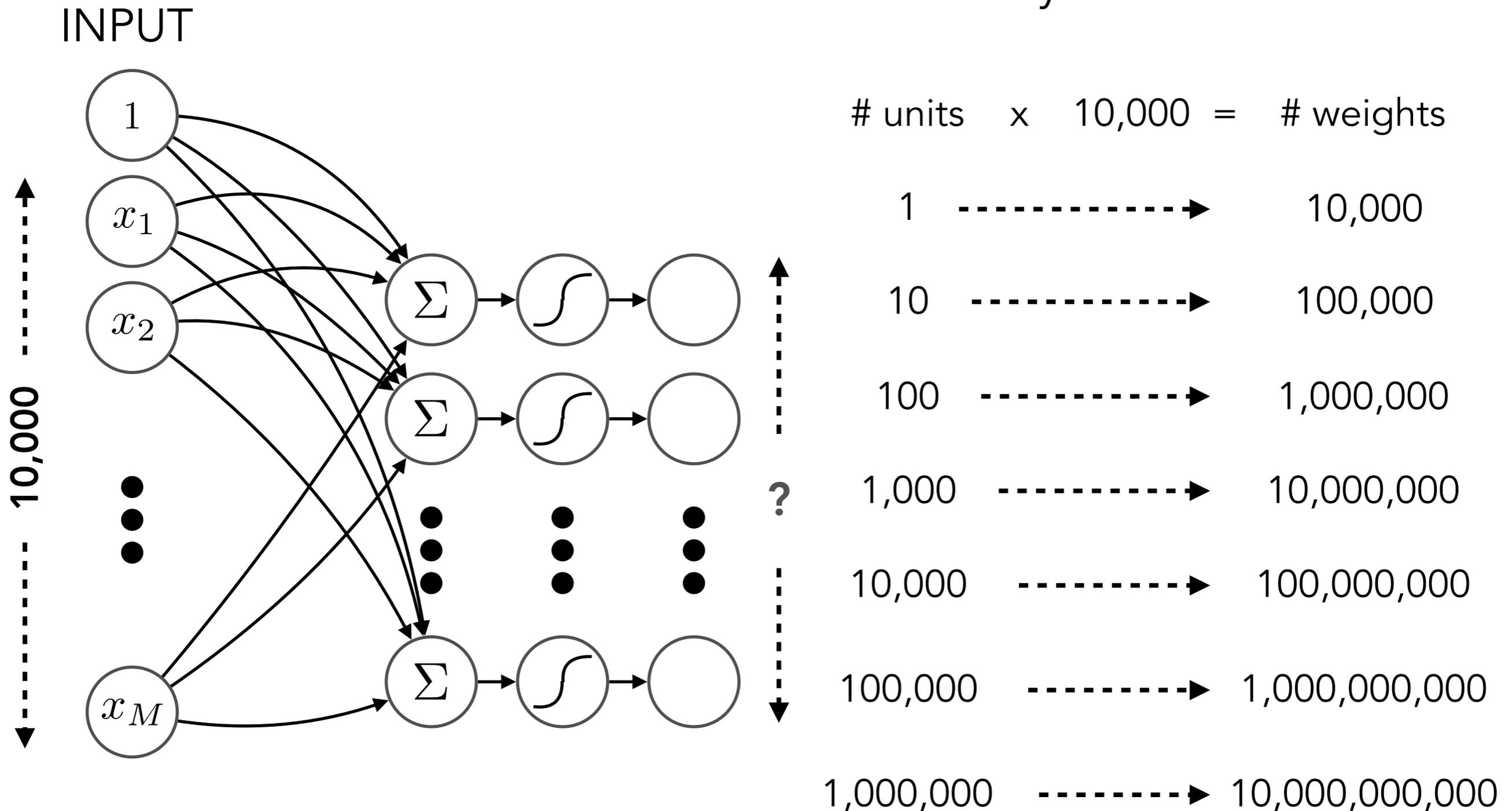
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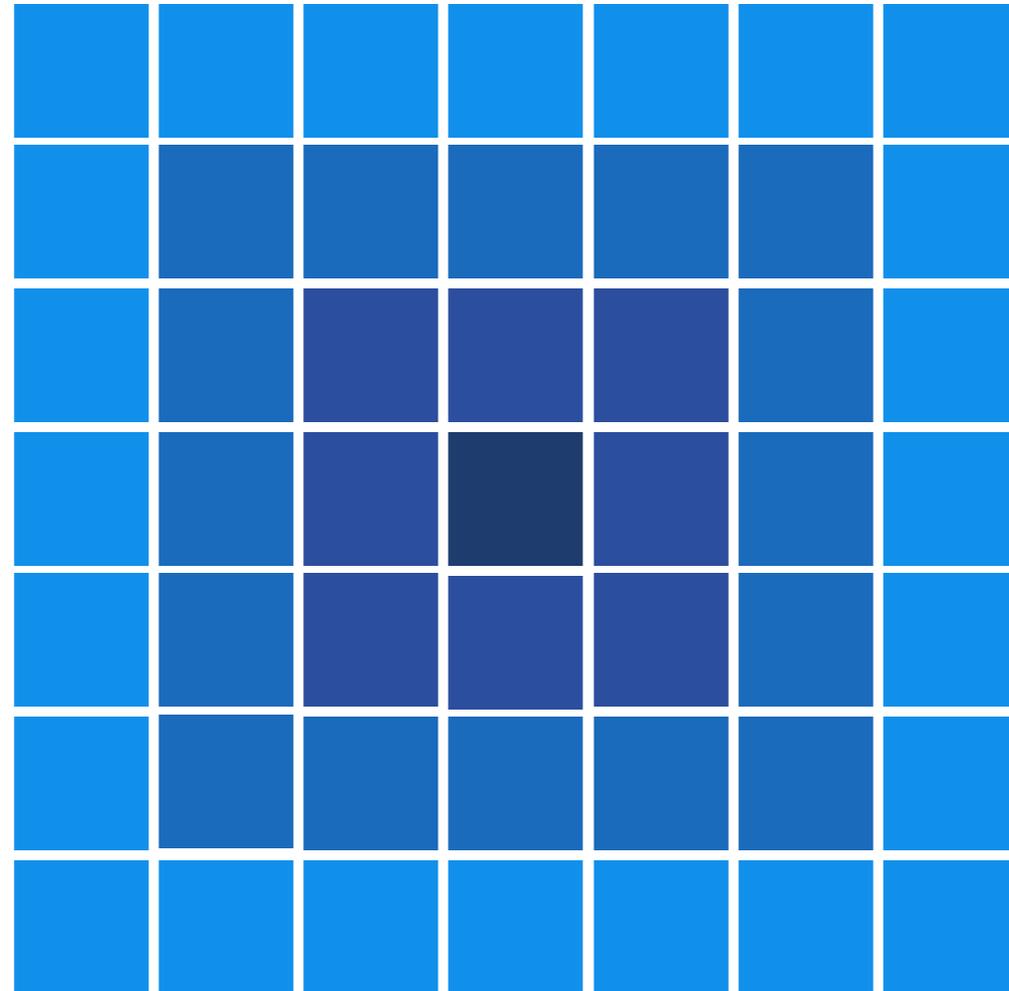


how many units do we need?



*if we want to recognize even a few basic patterns at each location,
the number of parameters will explode!*

to reduce the amount of learning,
we can introduce *inductive biases*



exploit the ***spatial structure*** of image data

locality

nearby areas tend to contain stronger patterns

nearby **pixels** tend to be similar and vary
in particular ways



nearby **patches** tend to share characteristics
and are combined in particular ways



nearby **regions** tend to be found
in particular arrangements



translation invariance

relative (rather than absolute) positions are relevant



Yisong's identity is independent of absolute location of his pixels

let's translate **locality** and **translation invariance** into *inductive biases*

locality

nearby areas tend to contain stronger patterns



inputs can be restricted to regions

Σ

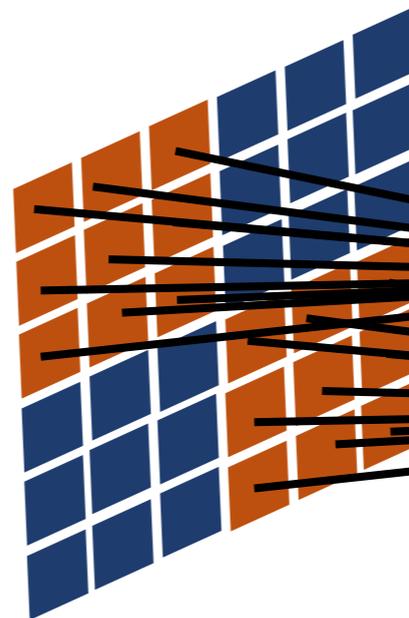
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maintain spatial ordering

translation invariance

relative positions are relevant



same filters can be applied throughout the input

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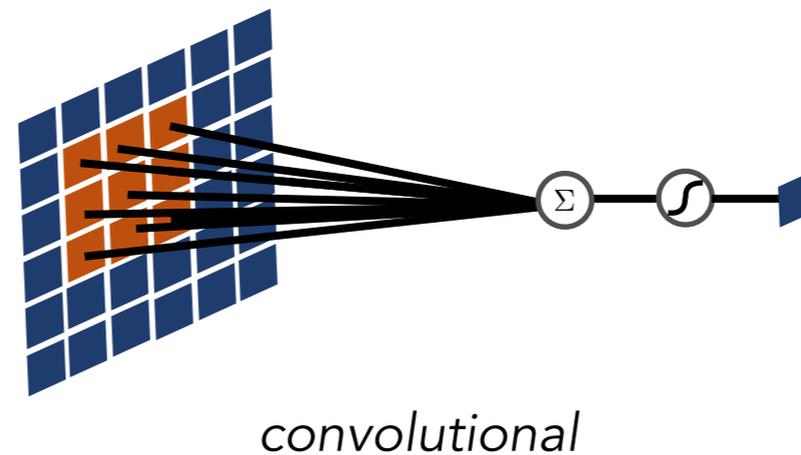
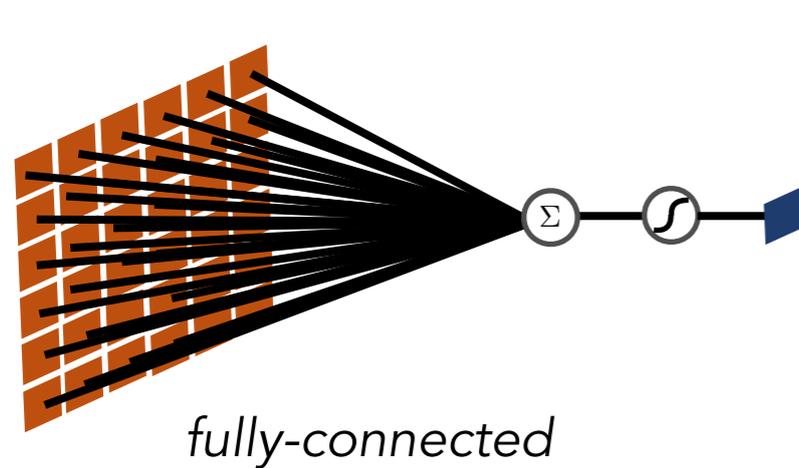
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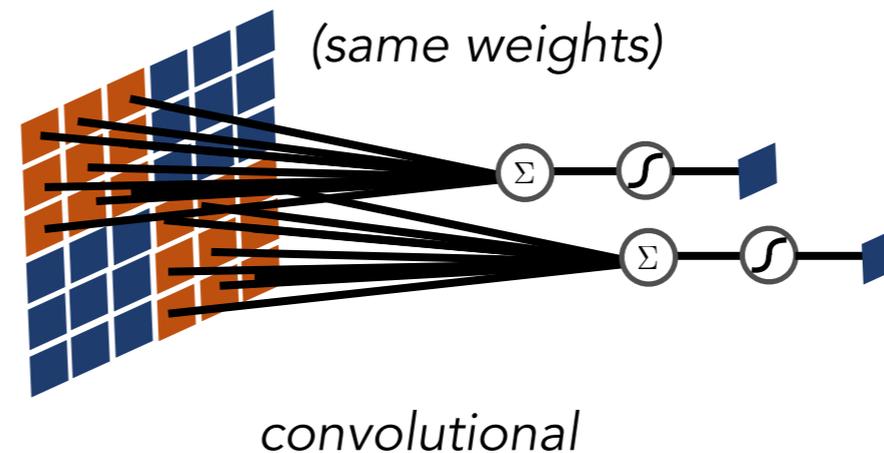
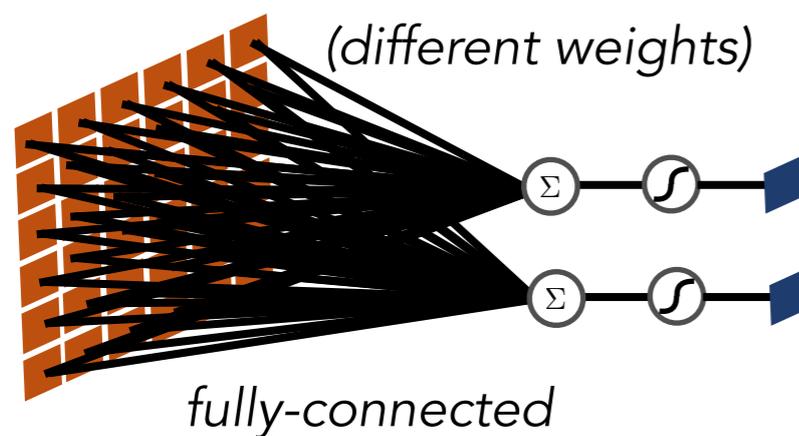
same weights

these are the inductive biases of **convolutional neural networks**

→ special case of standard (fully-connected) neural networks



weight savings



weight savings

these inductive biases make the **number of weights independent of the input size!**

convolve a set of filters with the input

filter weights: $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

3 ₀	3 ₁	2 ₂	1	0
0 ₂	0 ₂	1 ₀	3	1
3 ₀	1 ₁	2 ₂	2	3
2	0	0	2	2
2	0	0	0	1

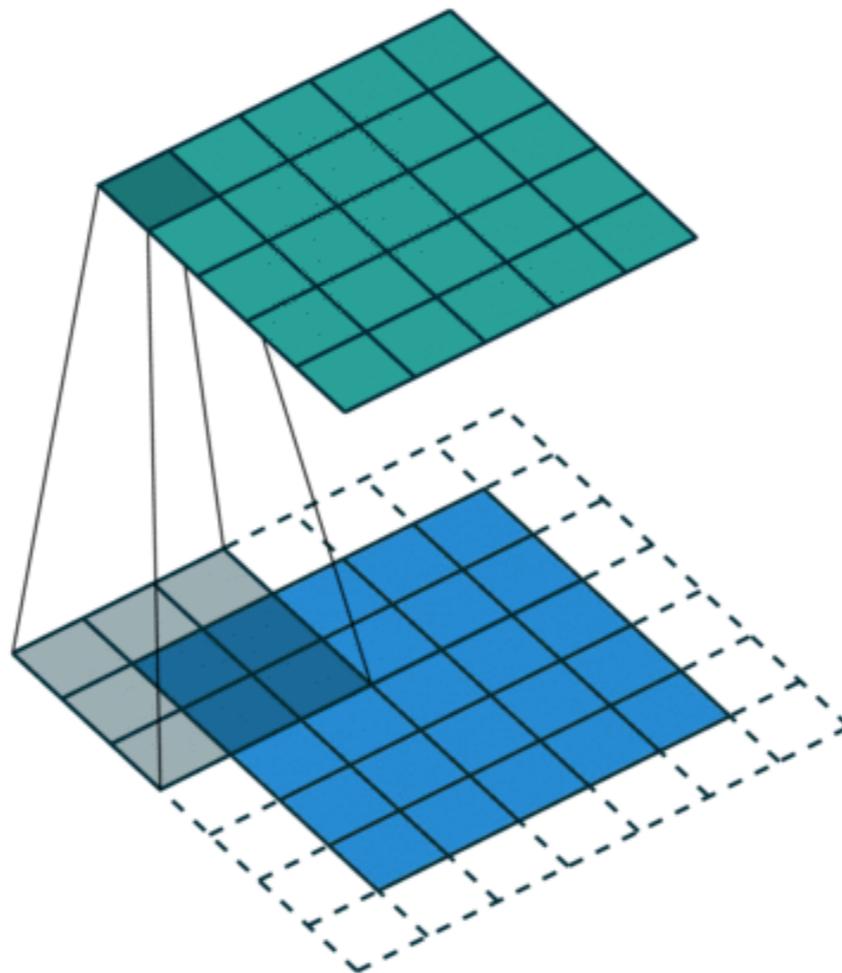
12	12	17
10	17	19
9	6	14

take inner (dot) product of filter and each input location

measures degree of filter feature at input location

→ *feature map*

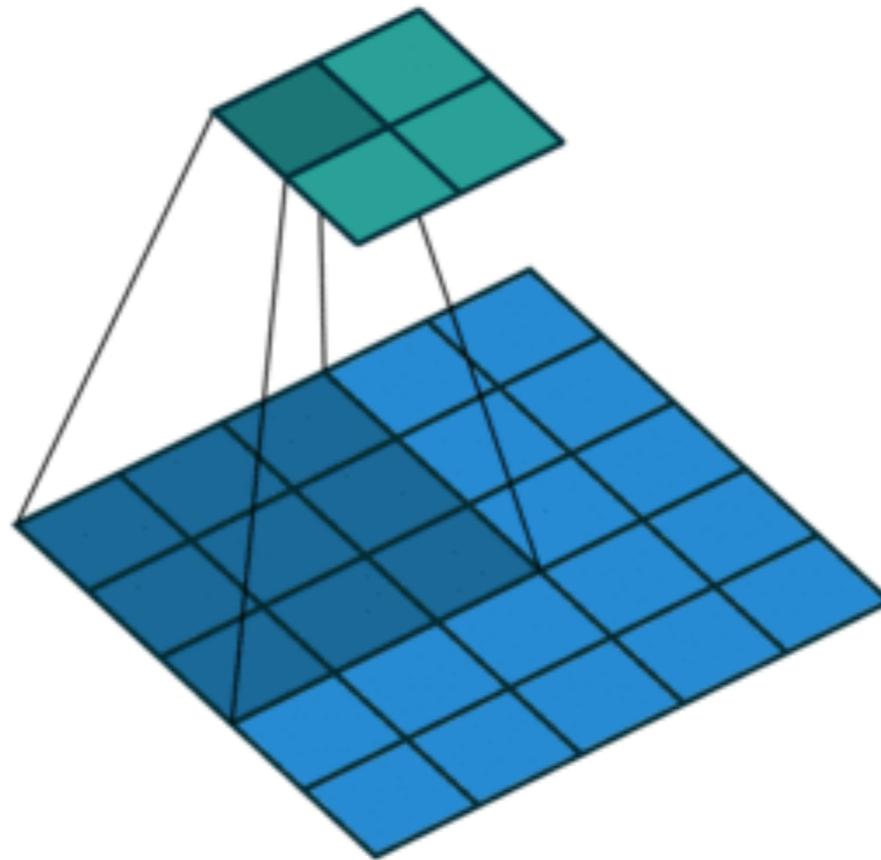
use *padding* to preserve spatial size



typically add zeros around the perimeter

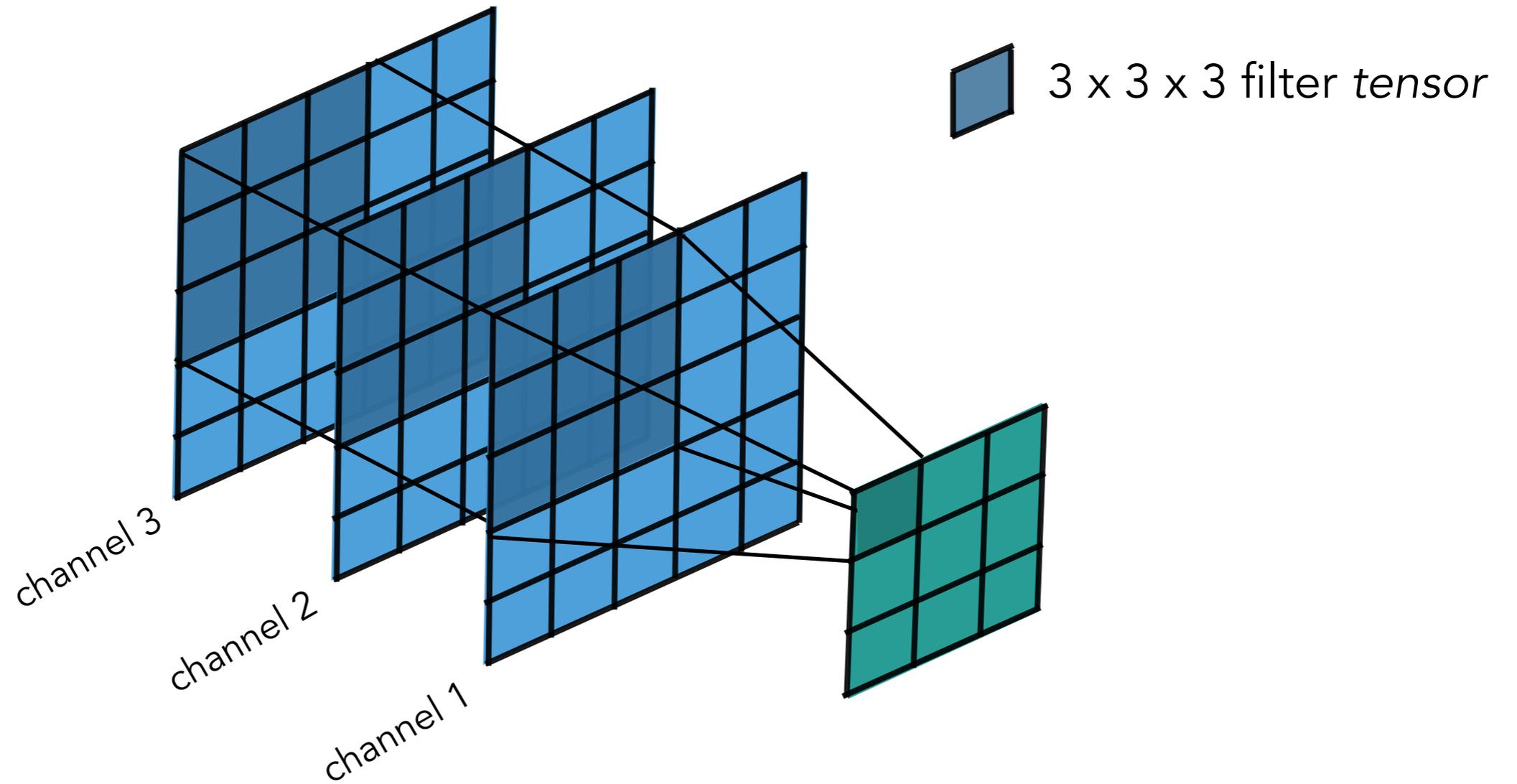
use **stride** to downsample the input

stride = 2



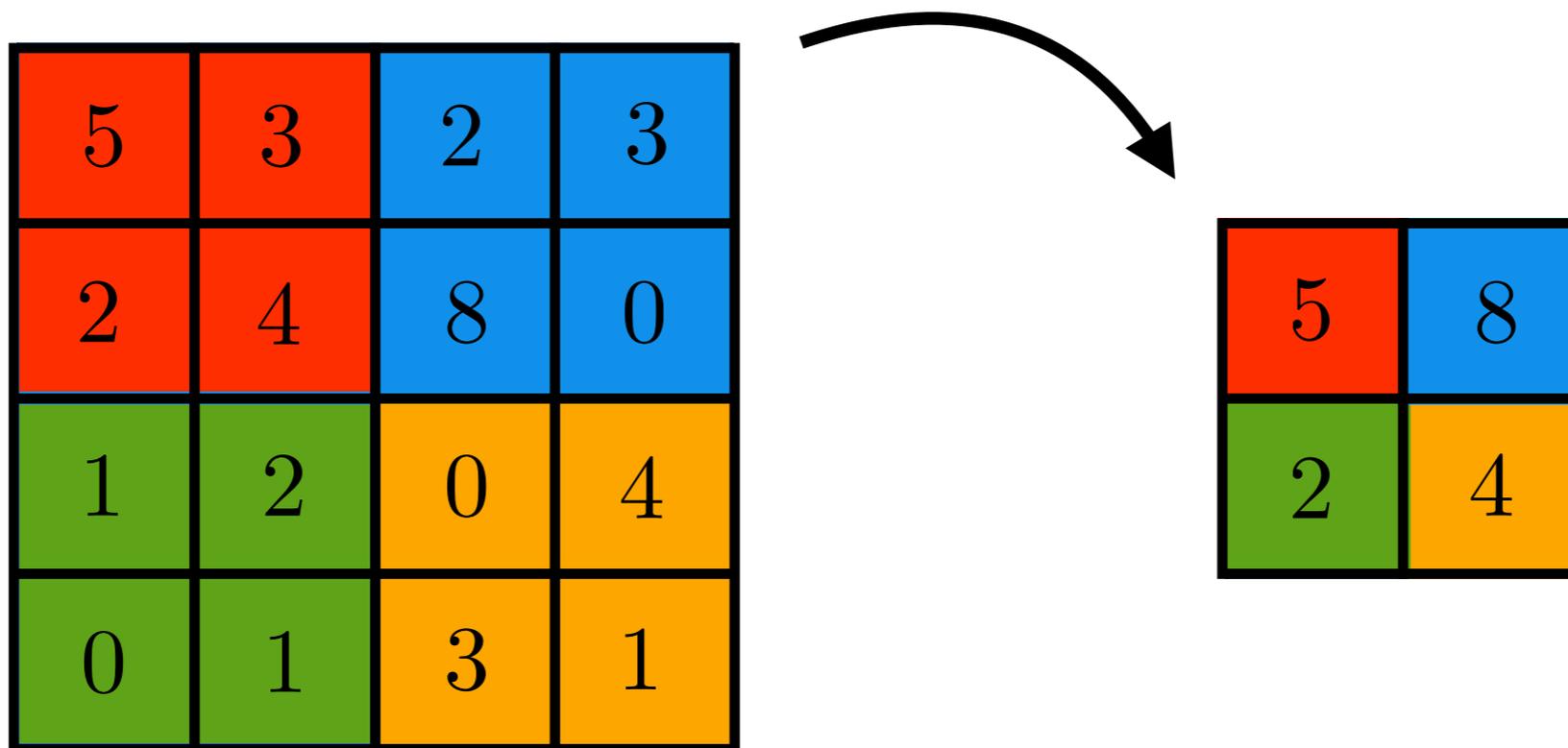
only compute output at some integer interval

filters are applied to all input channels



each filter results in a new output channel

pooling locally aggregates values in each feature map

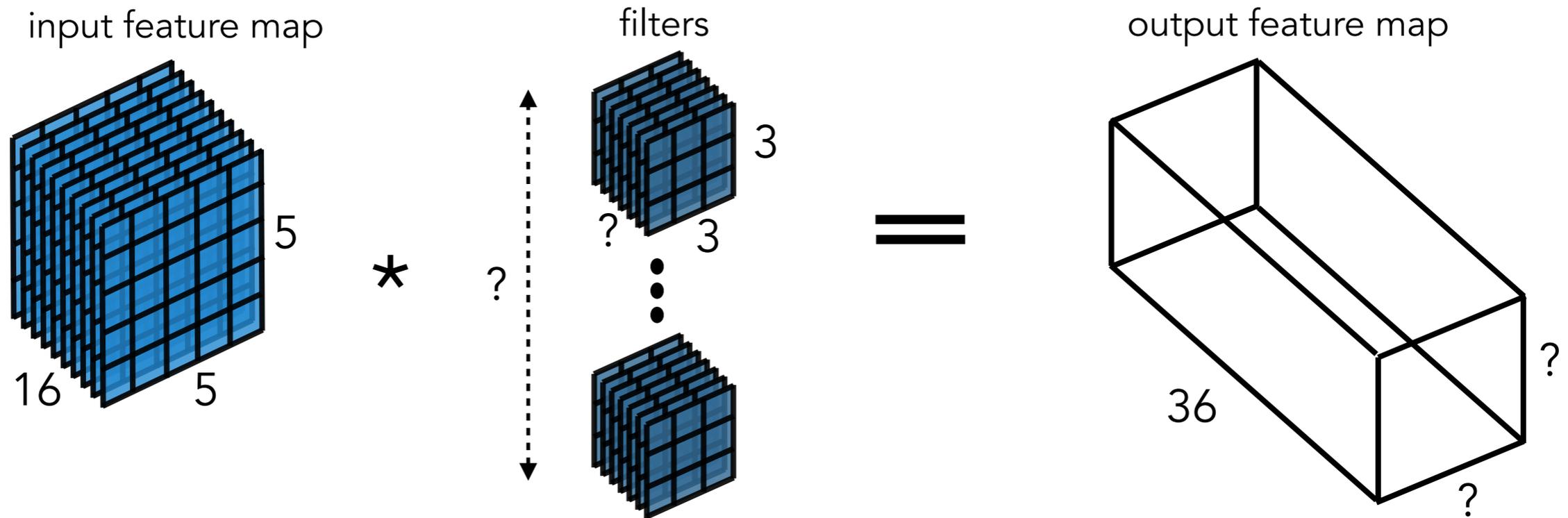


downsampling and invariance

can be applied with *padding* and *stride*

predefined operation: maximum, average, etc.

convolutional pop-quiz



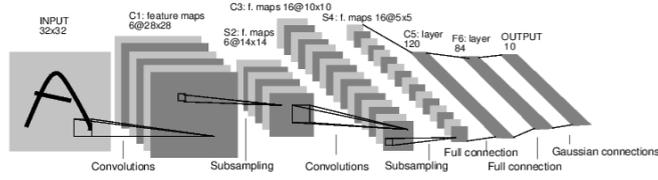
if we use unit stride and no padding then...

how many filters are there? **36** *same as the number of output channels*

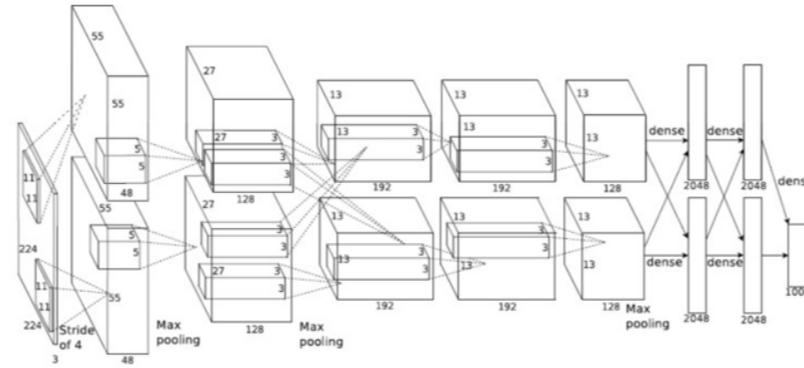
what size is each filter? **3 x 3 x 16** *channels match the number of input channels*

what is the output filter map size? **3 x 3 x 36** *result of only valid convolutions*

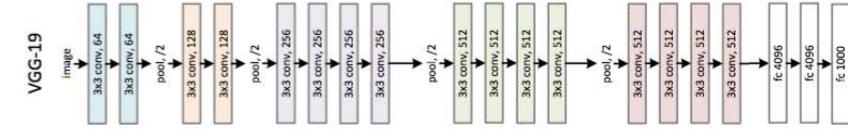
convolutional models for classification



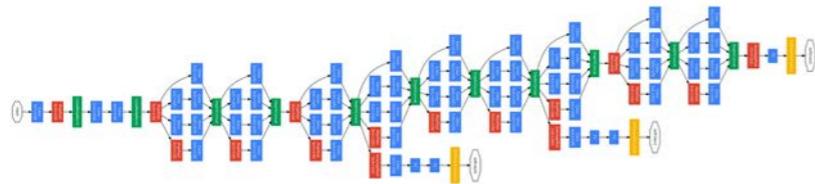
LeNet



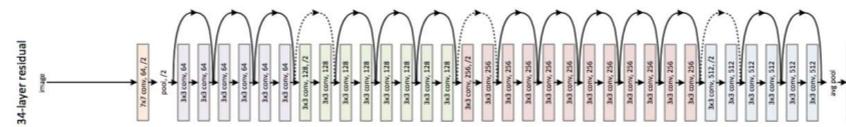
AlexNet



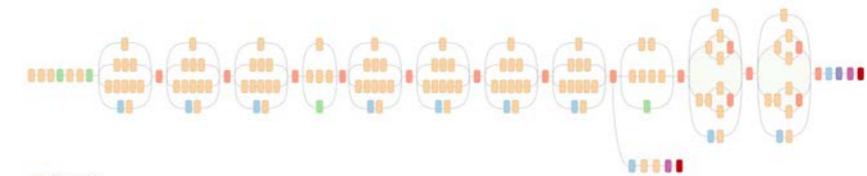
VGG



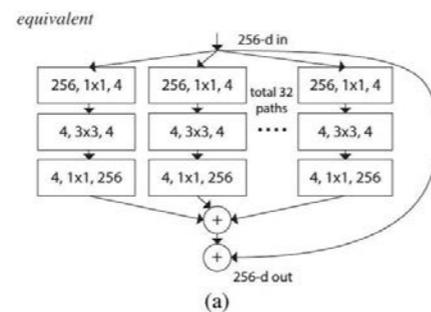
GoogLeNet



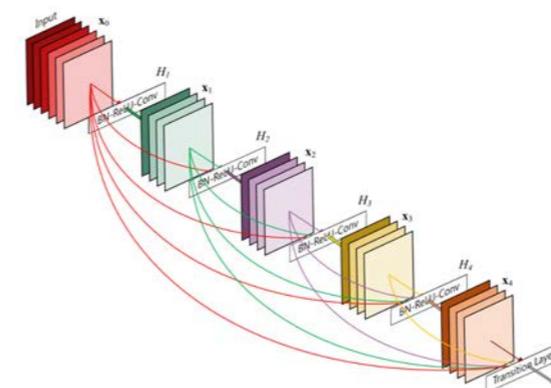
ResNet



Inception v4

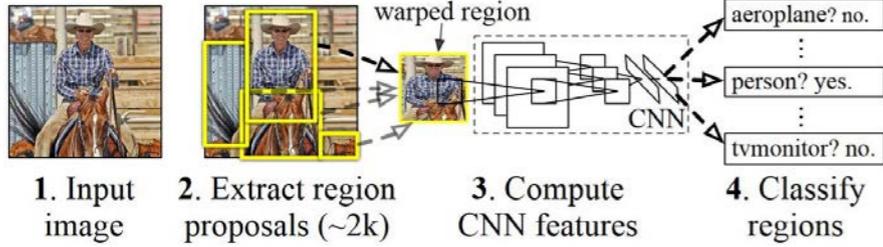


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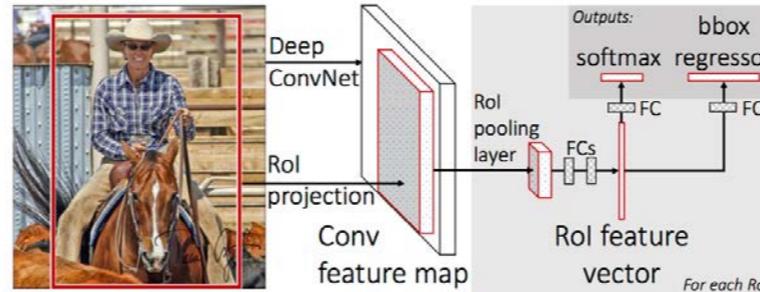


DenseNet

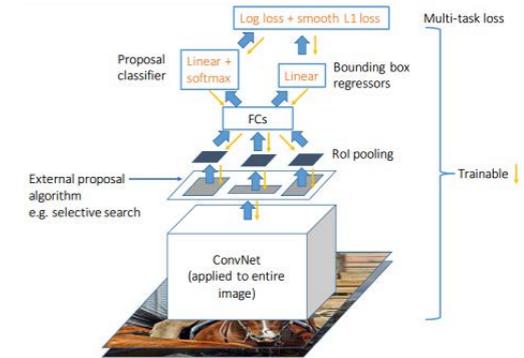
convolutional models for *detection, segmentation, etc.*



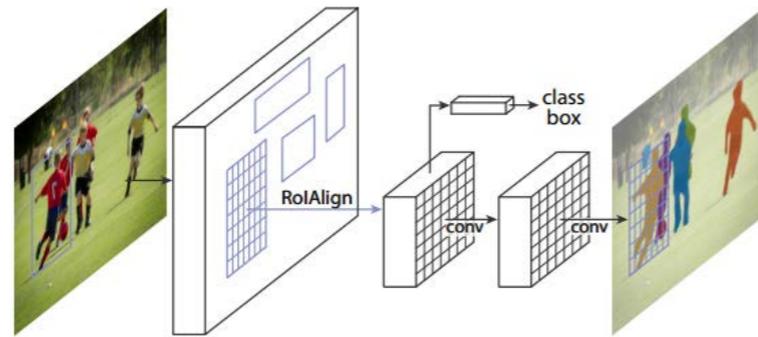
R-CNN



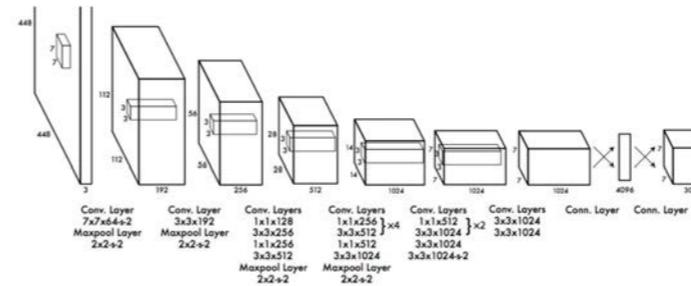
Fast R-CNN



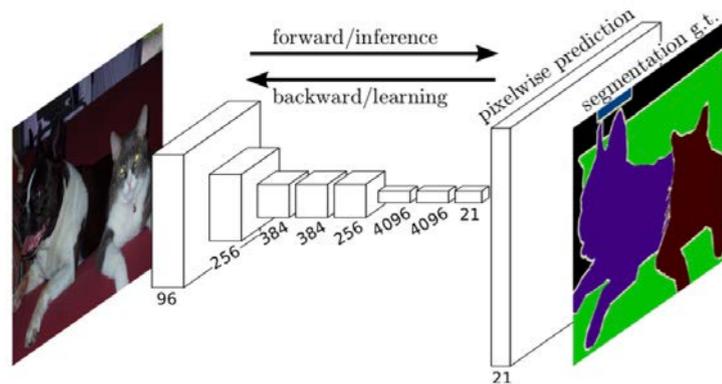
Faster R-CNN



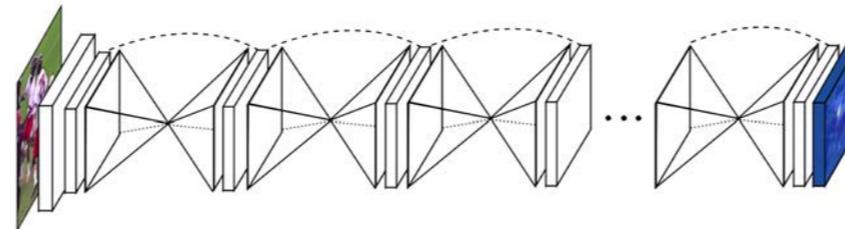
Mask R-CNN



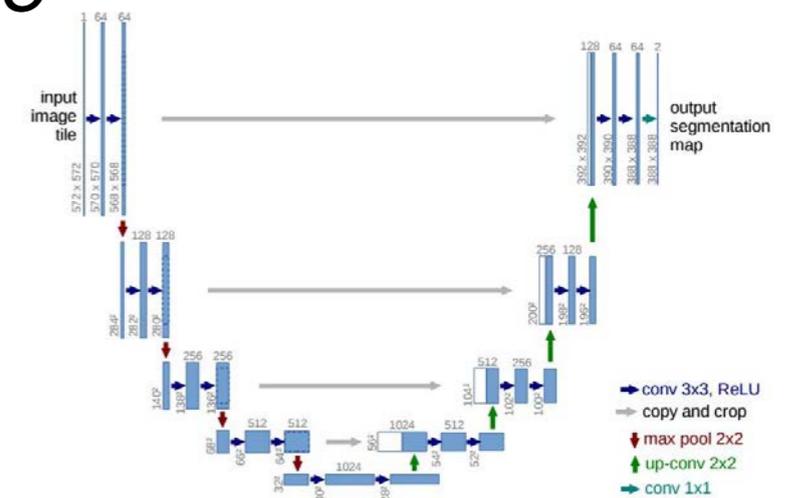
YOLO



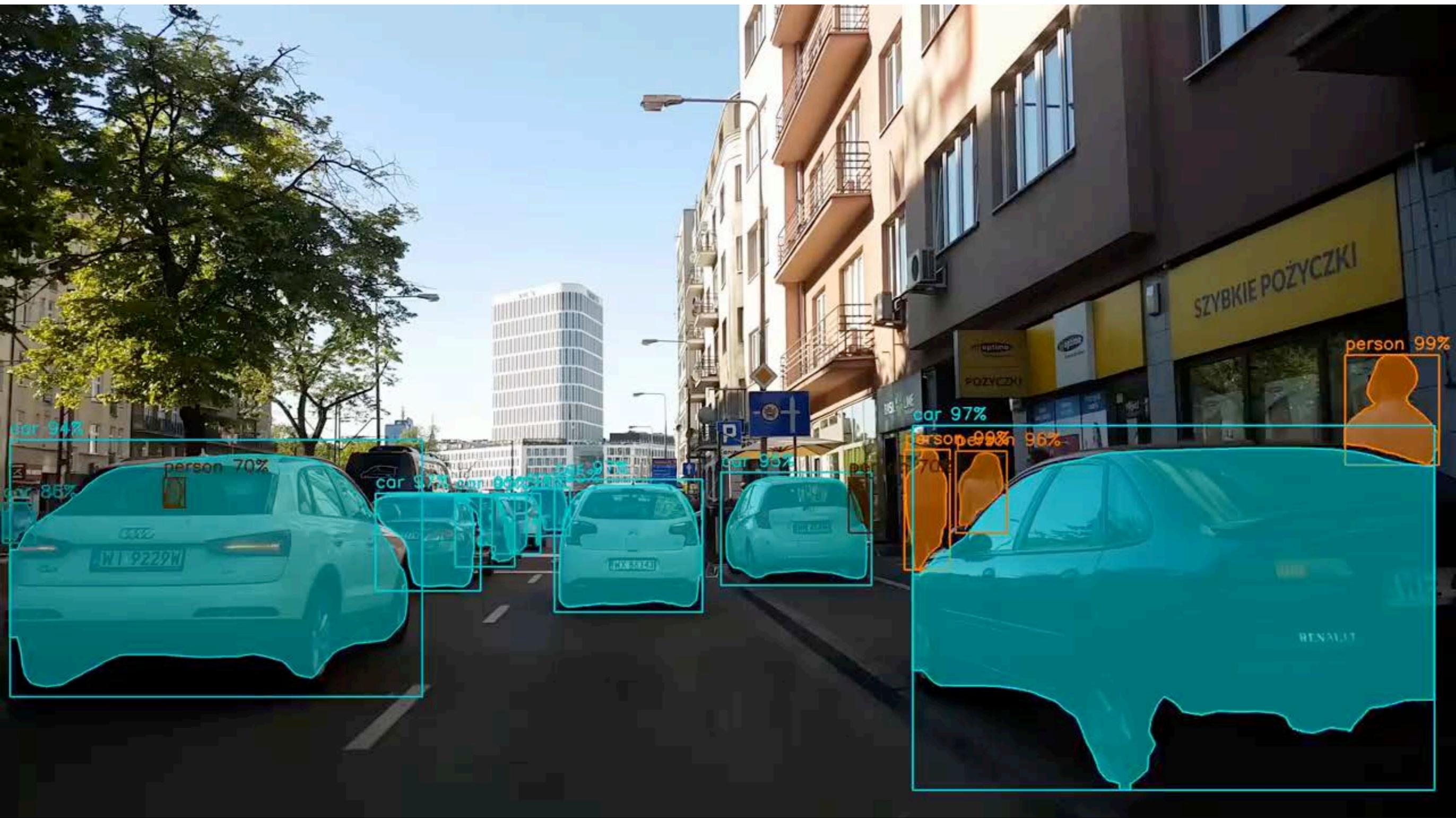
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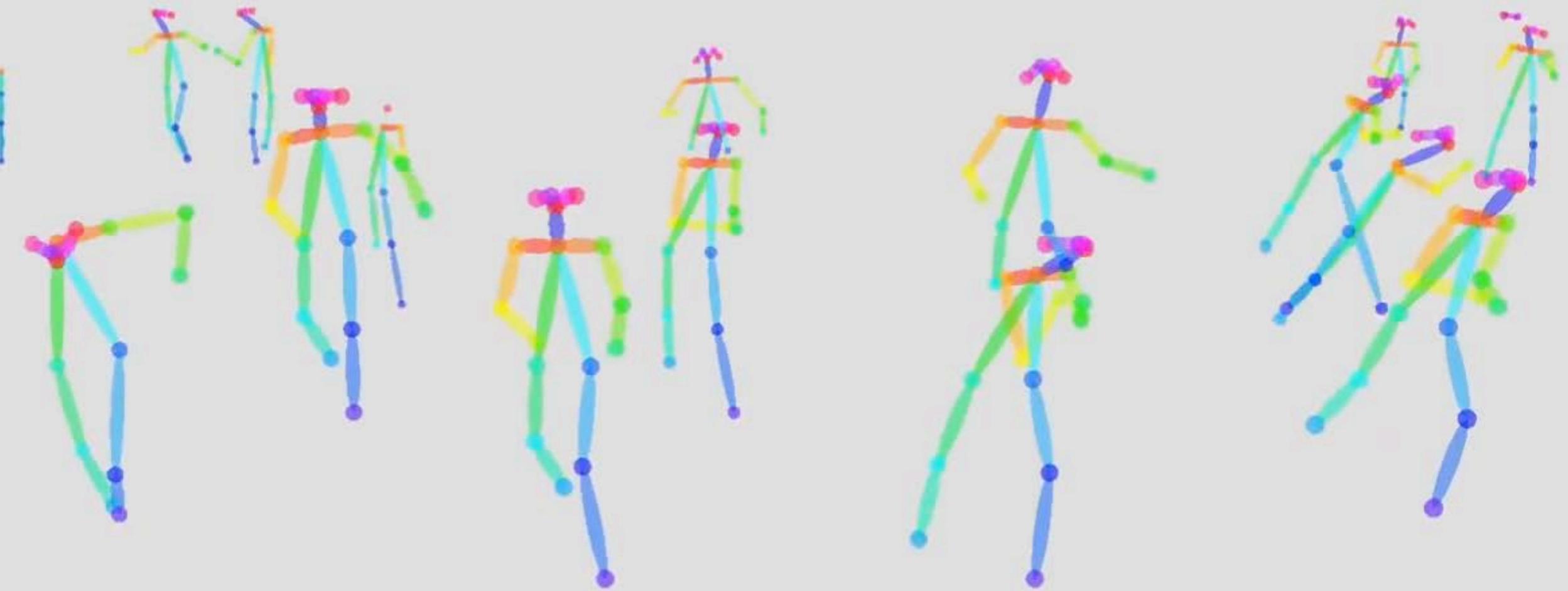
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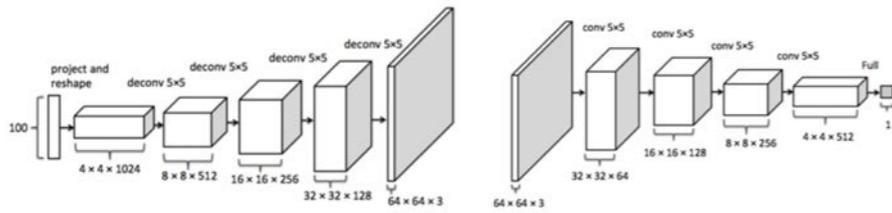
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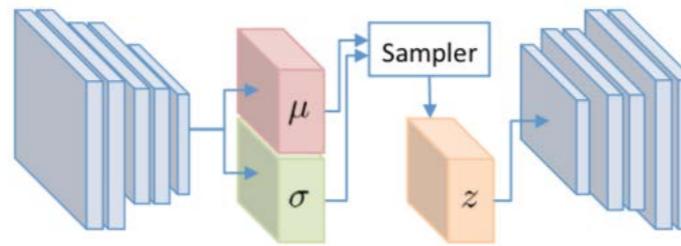
10.4 fps



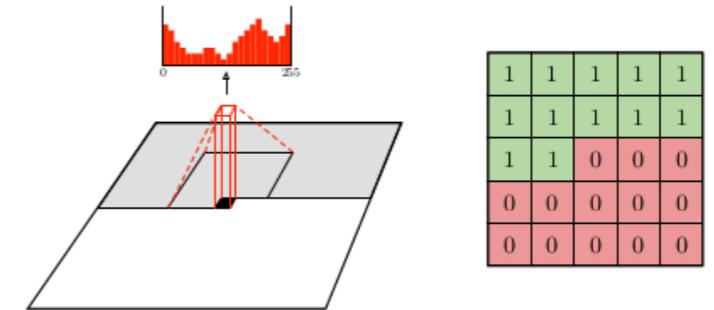
convolutional models for *image generation*



DC-GAN



convolutional VAE

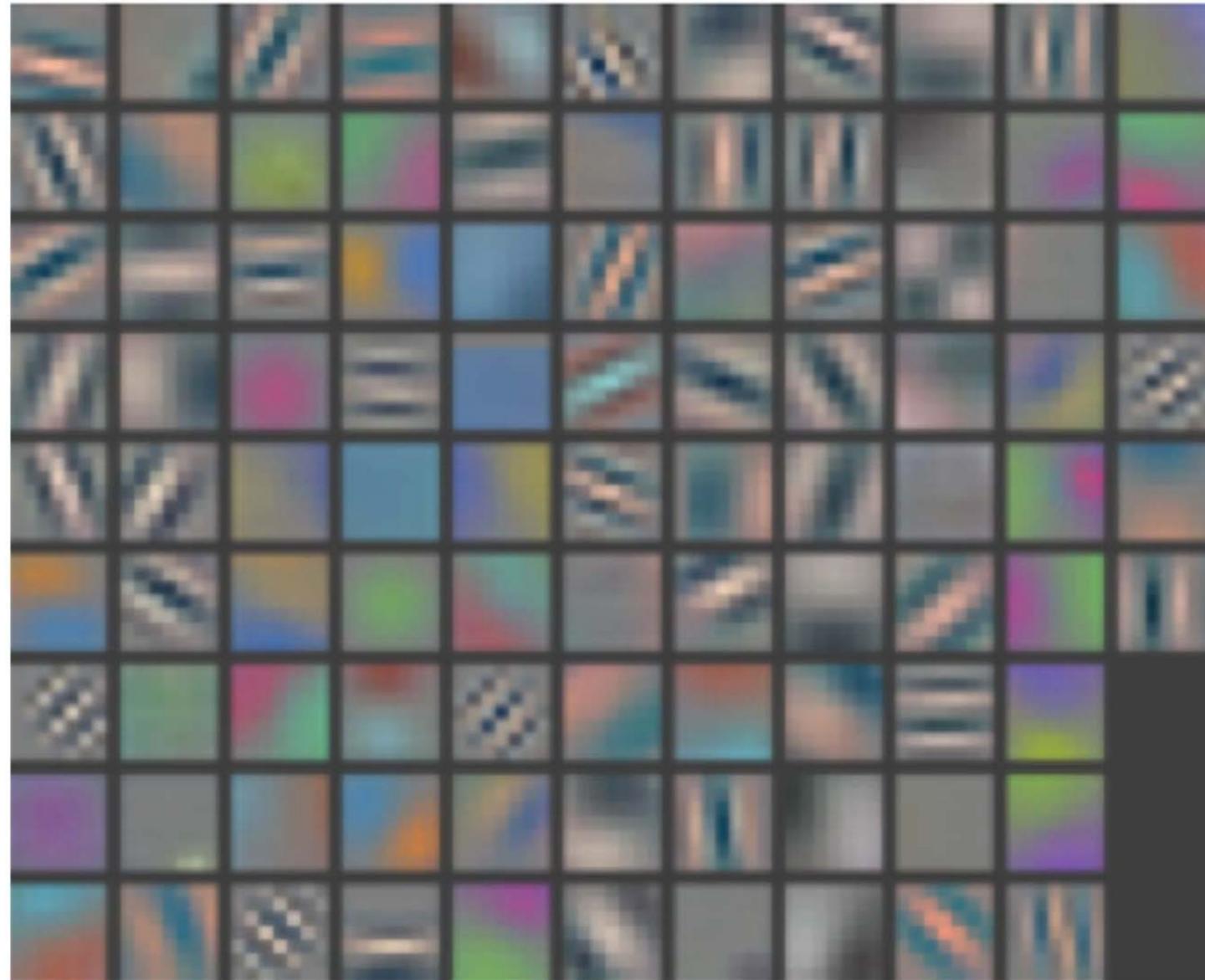


Pixel CNN

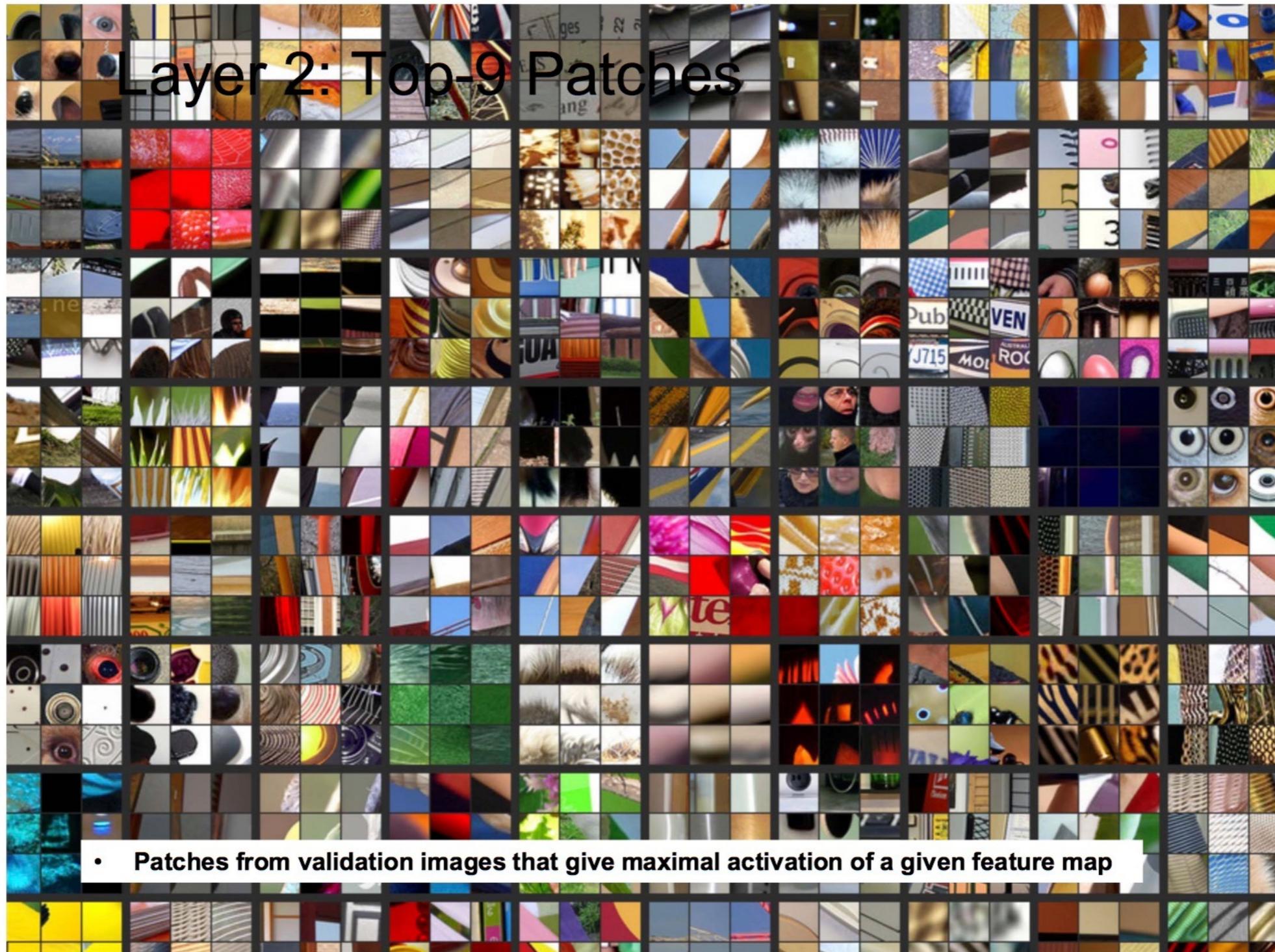
CelebA-HQ
1024 × 1024

Progressive growing

filter visualization



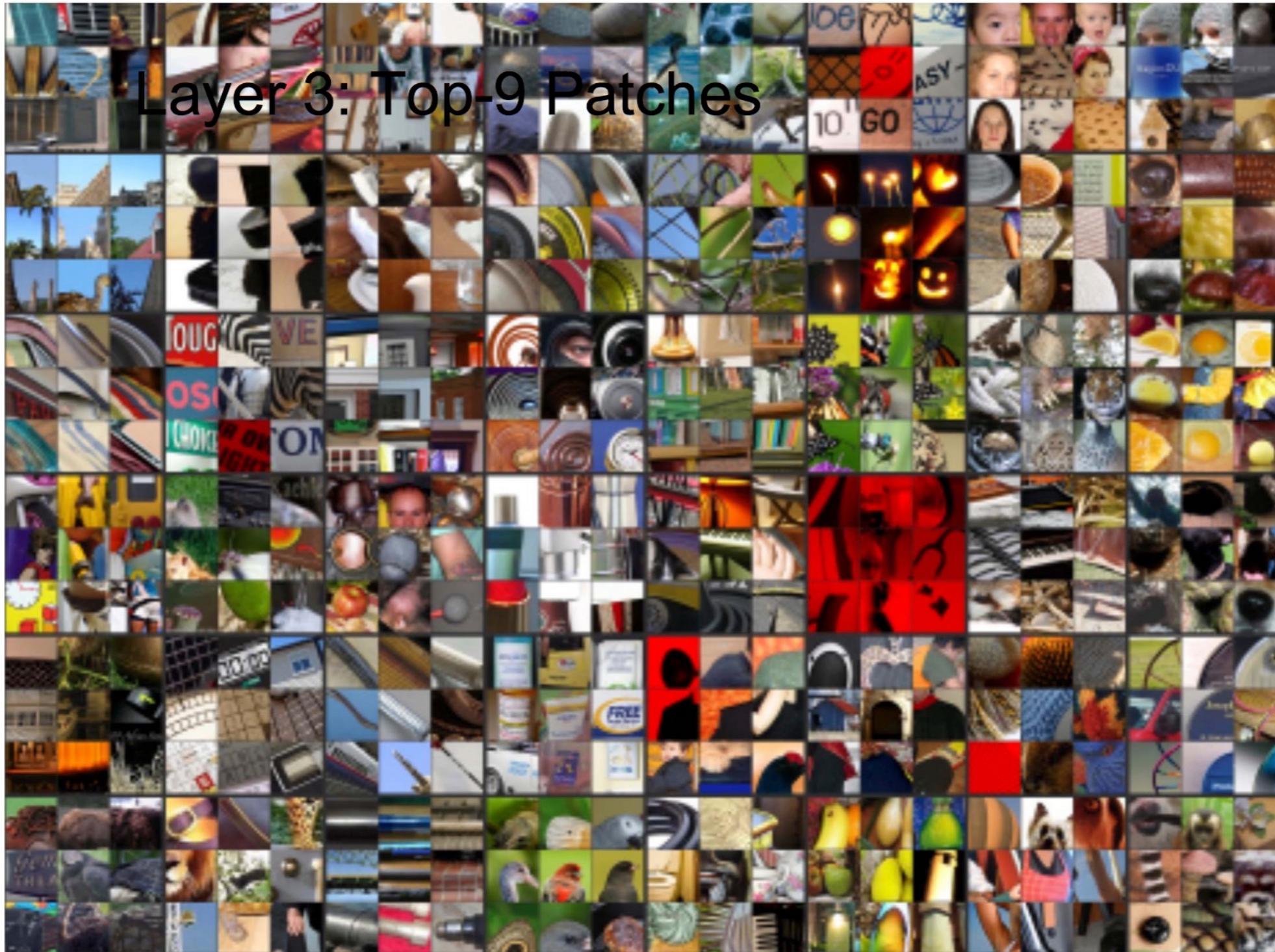
filter visualization



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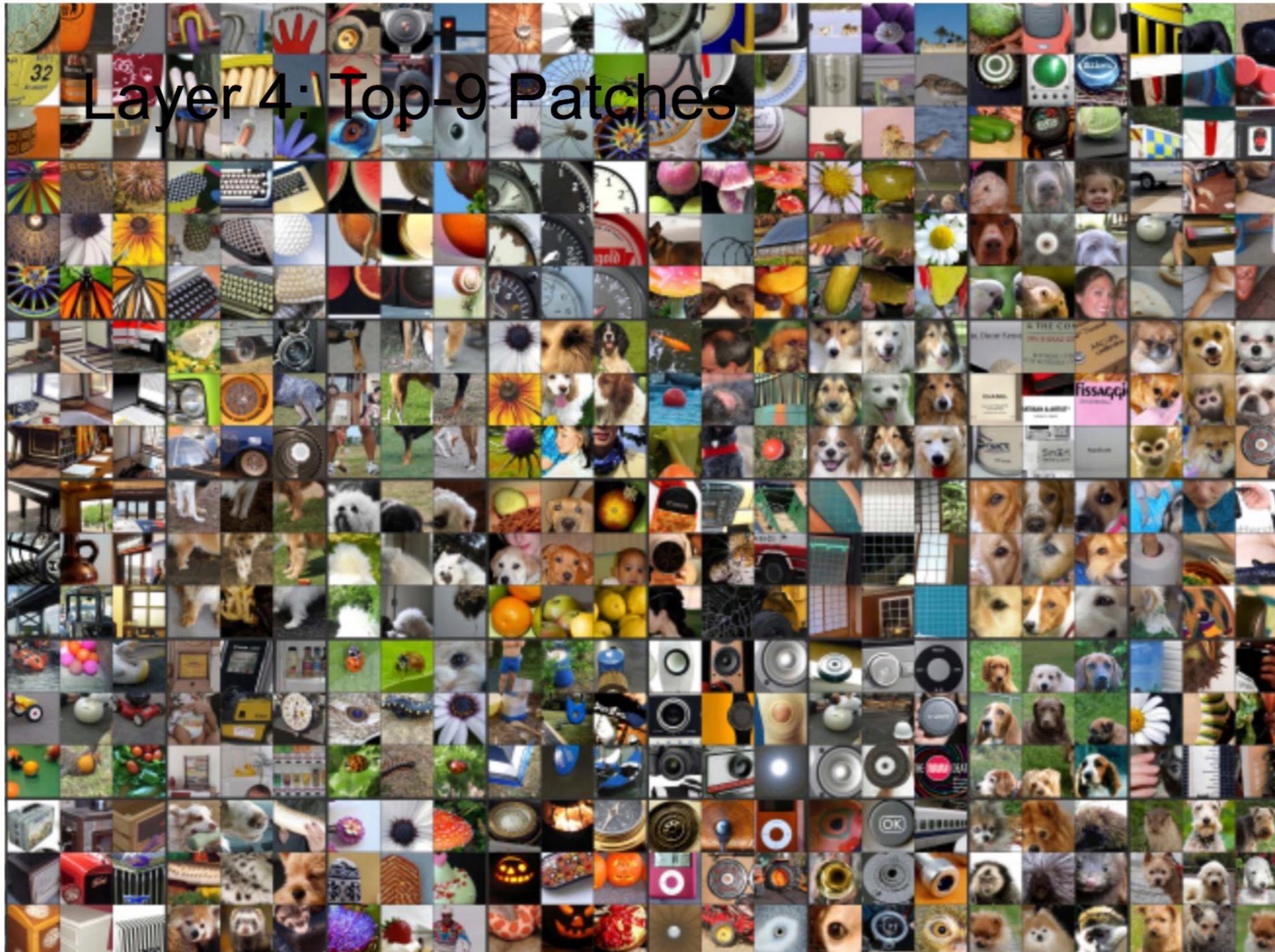
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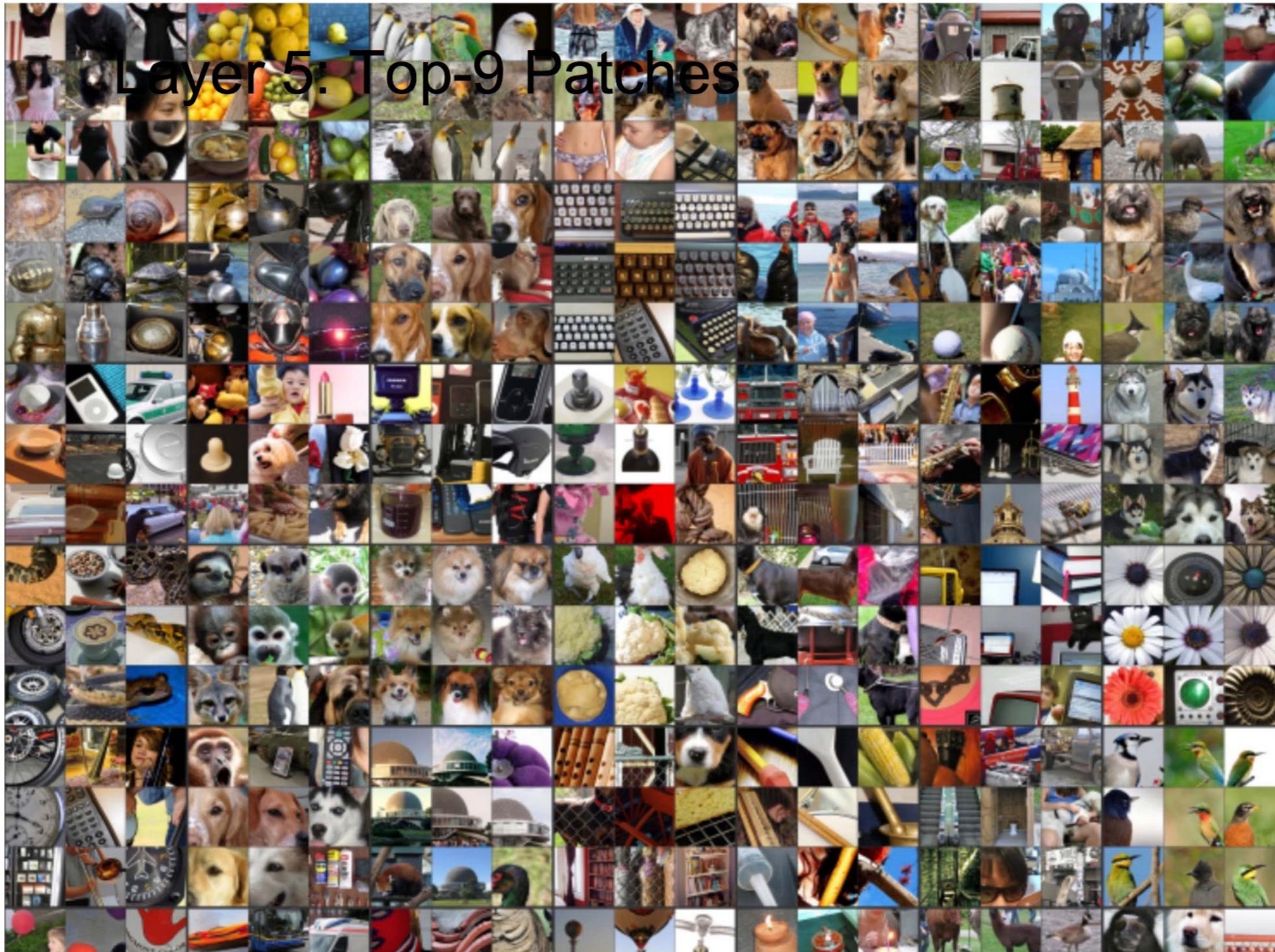
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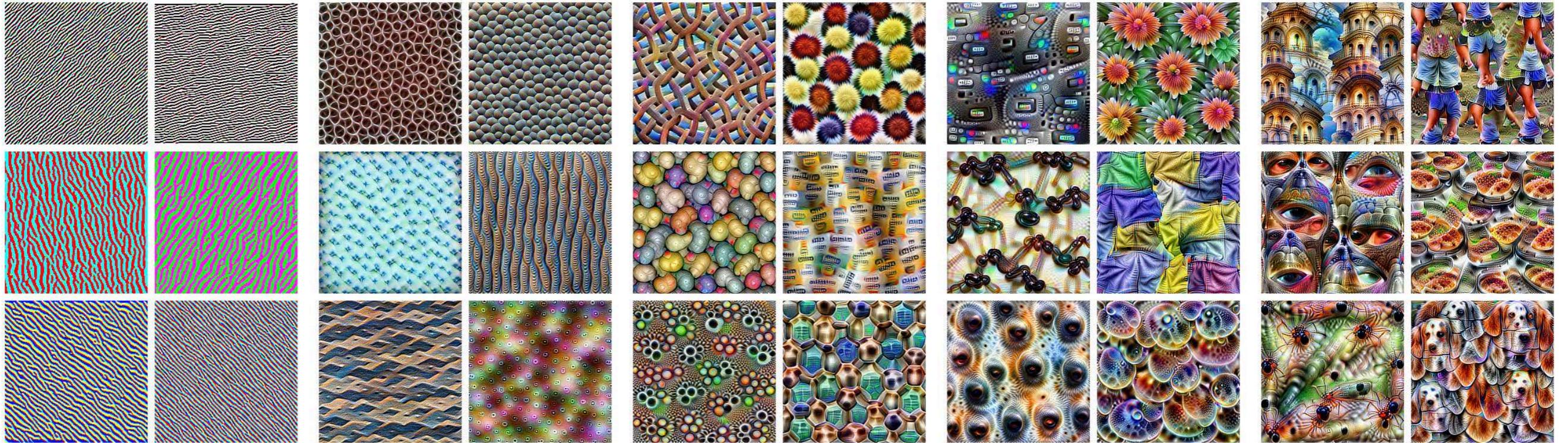
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Edges (layer conv2d0)

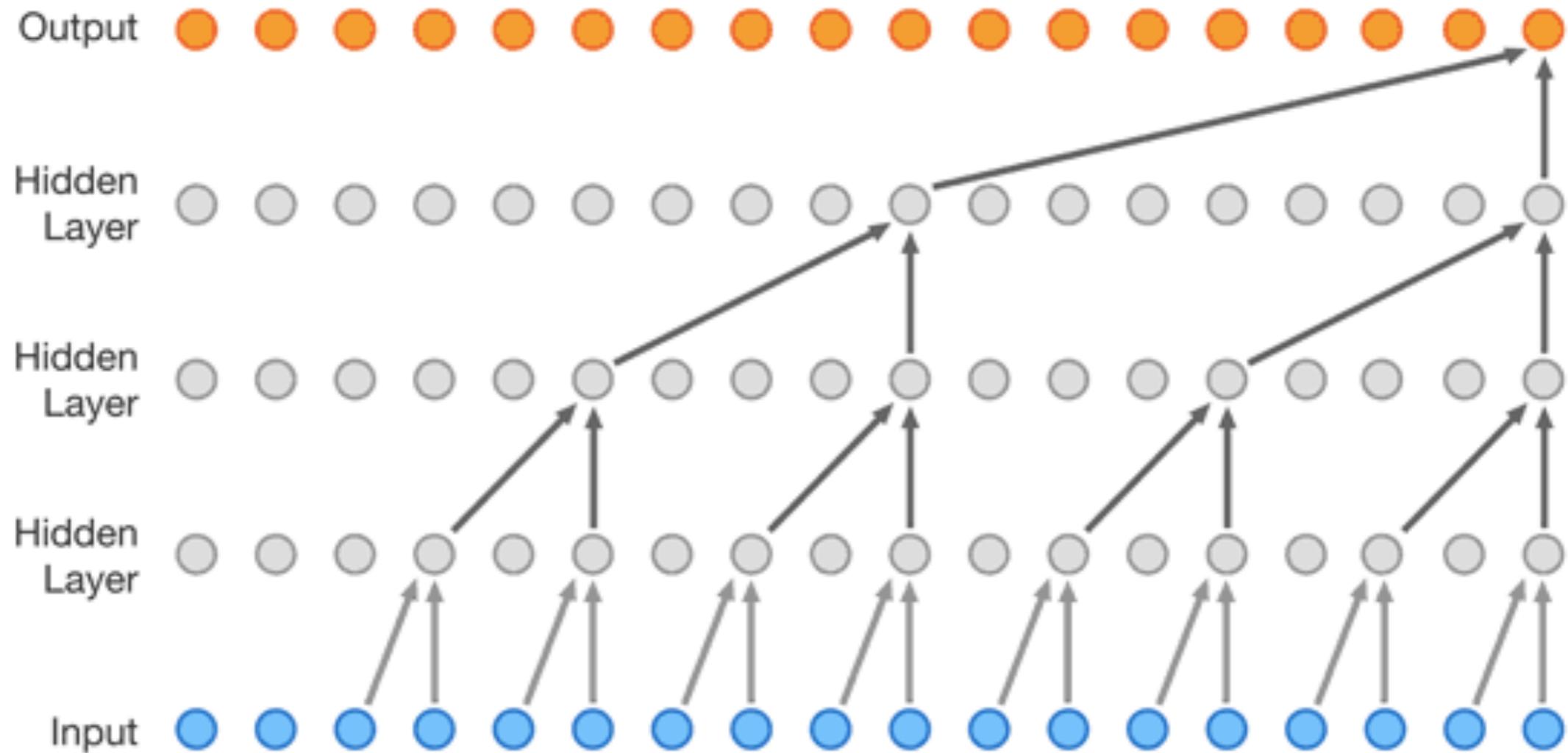
Textures (layer mixed3a)

Patterns (layer mixed4a)

Parts (layers mixed4b & mixed4c)

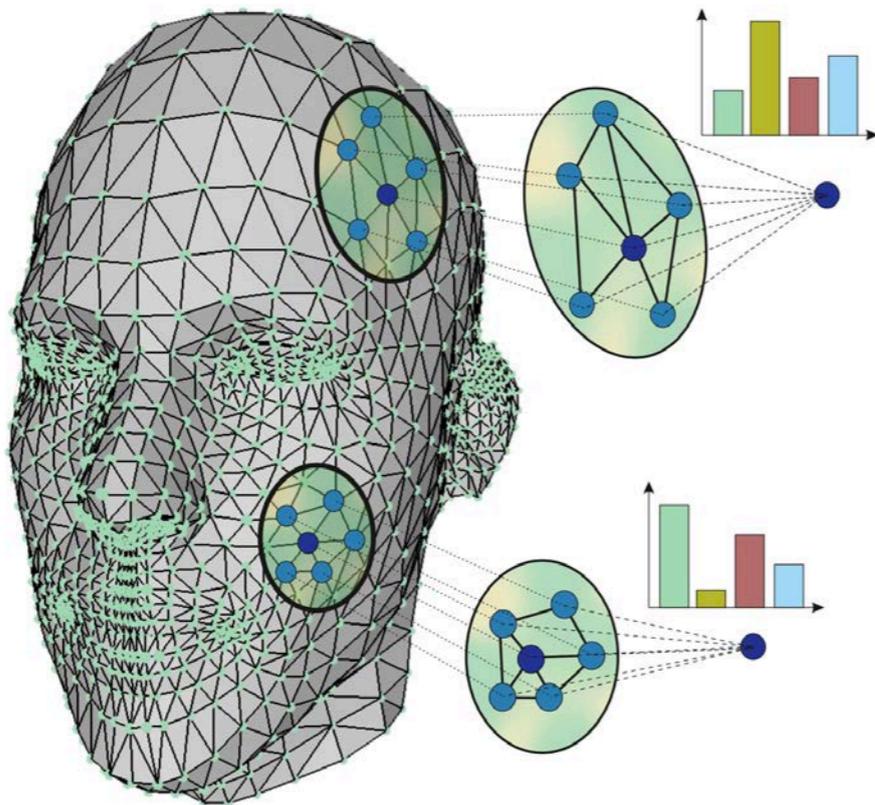
Objects (layers mixed4d & mixed4e)

convolutions applied to sequences

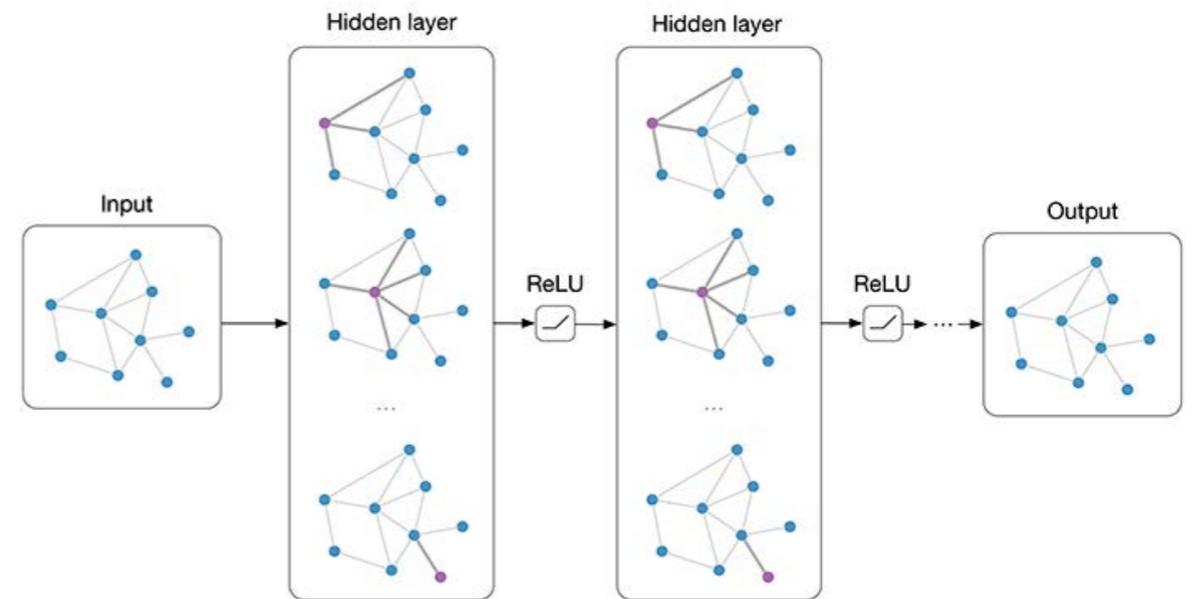


WaveNet

convolutions in non-euclidean spaces



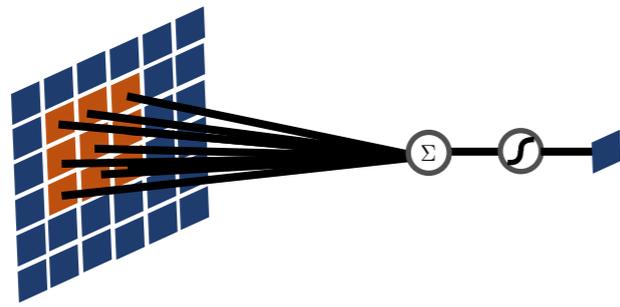
Spline CNN



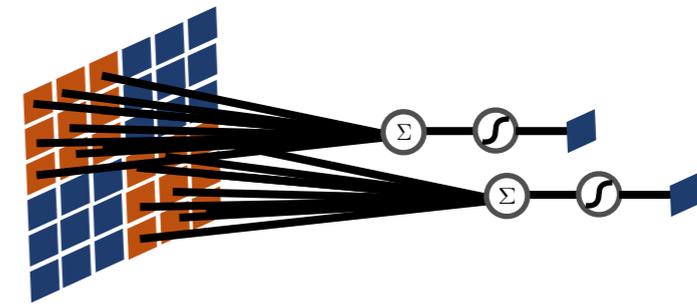
Graph Convolutional Network

recapitulation

we can exploit spatial structure to impose inductive biases on the model



locality



translation invariance

this limits the number of parameters required,
reducing flexibility in reasonable ways

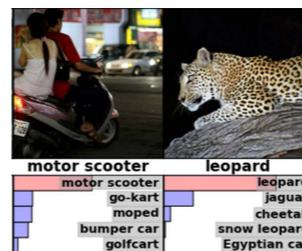
can then scale these models to complex data sets to perform difficult tasks



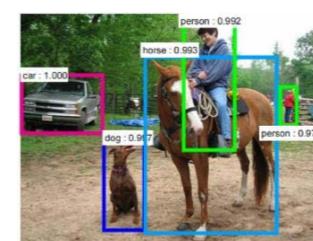
ImageNet



recognition



detection



segmentation



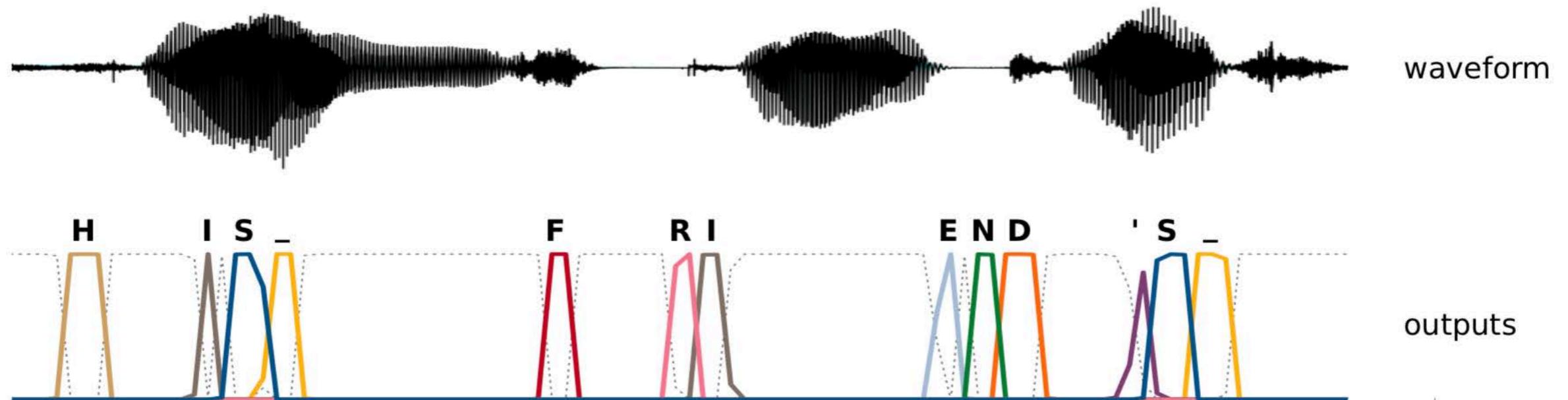
generation



RECURRENT

NEURAL NETWORKS

task: *speech recognition*



Graves & Jaitly, 2014

mapping from input waveform to sequence of characters

the input waveform contains all of the information about the corresponding transcribed text



form a discriminative mapping: $p(\text{text sequence} | \text{waveform})$

again, there is *nuisance information* in the waveform coming from the speaker's voice characteristics, volume, background, etc.

the mapping is too difficult to
define by hand,
need to learn from data

data, label collection



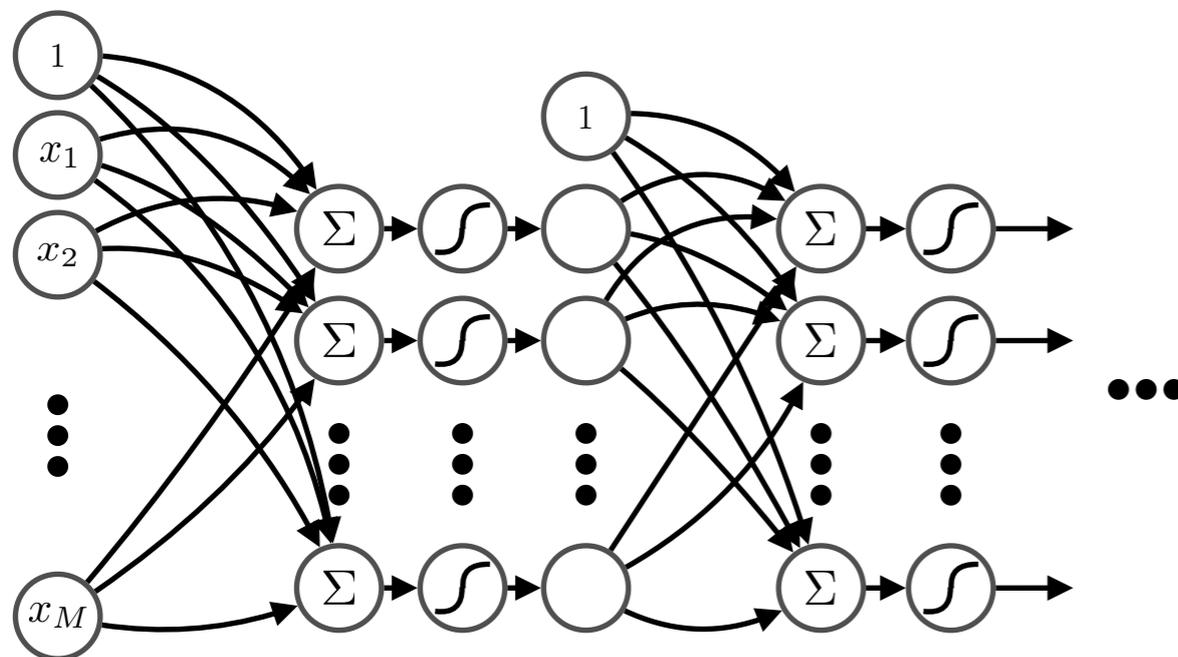
"OK Google..."

"Hey Siri..."

"Yo Alexa..."

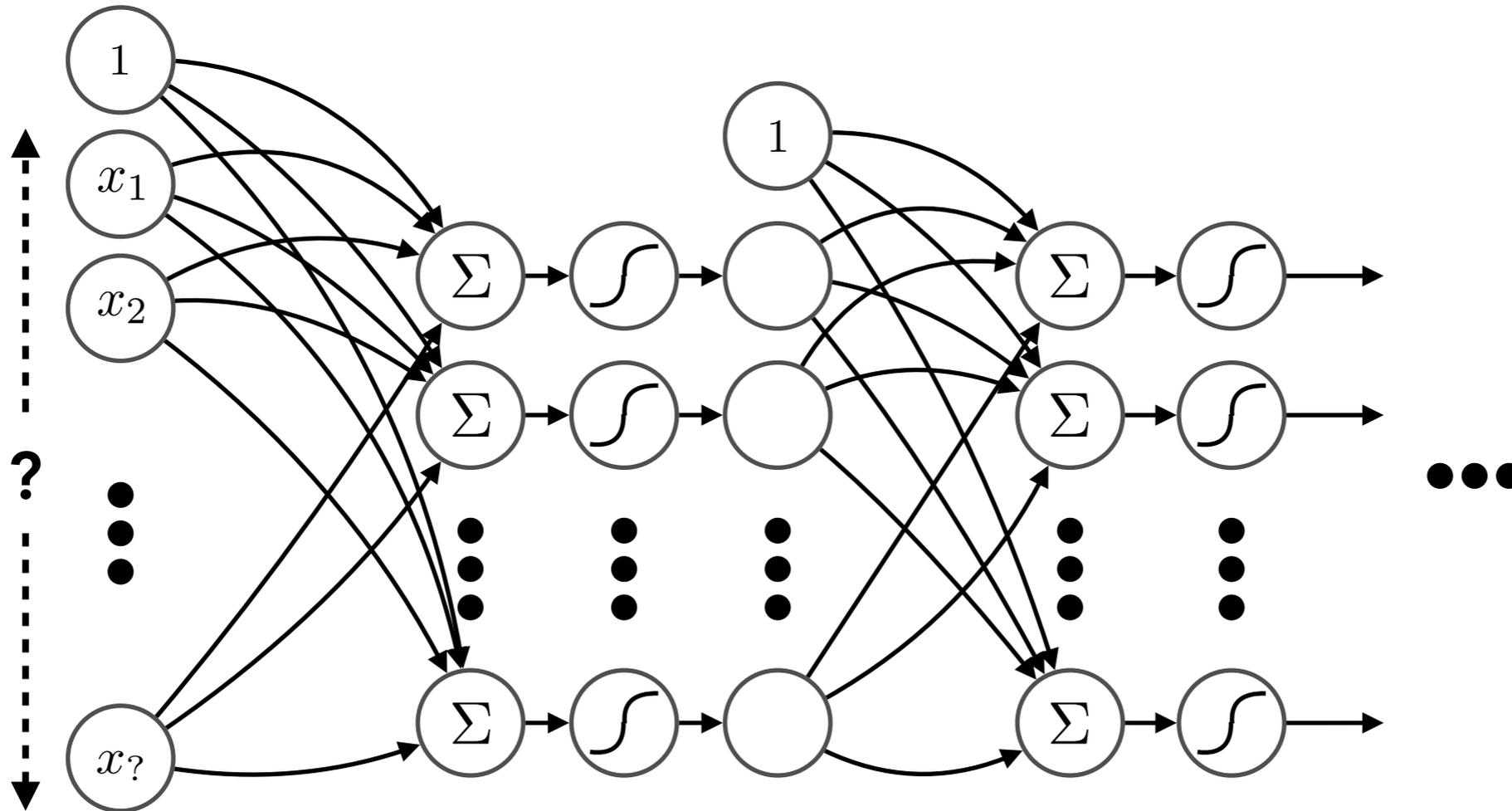
Audio

Transcriptions



but how do we define
the network architecture?

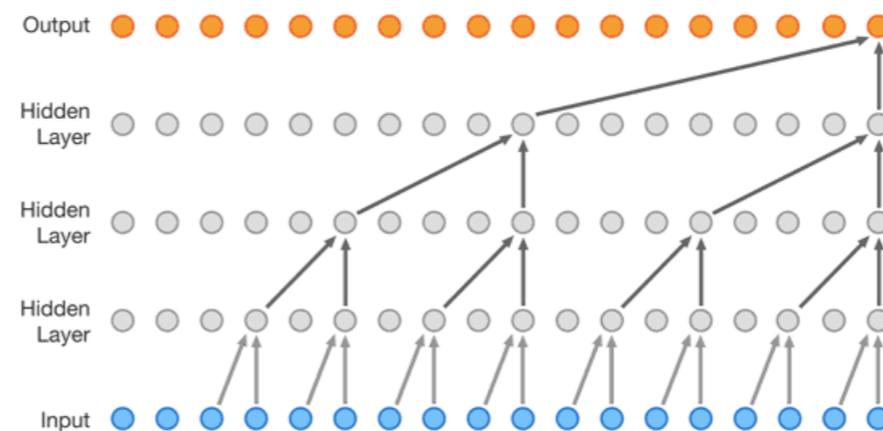
problem: inputs can be of variable size



standard neural networks can only handle data of a fixed input size

wait, but *convolutional networks* can handle variable input sizes...
can't we just use them?

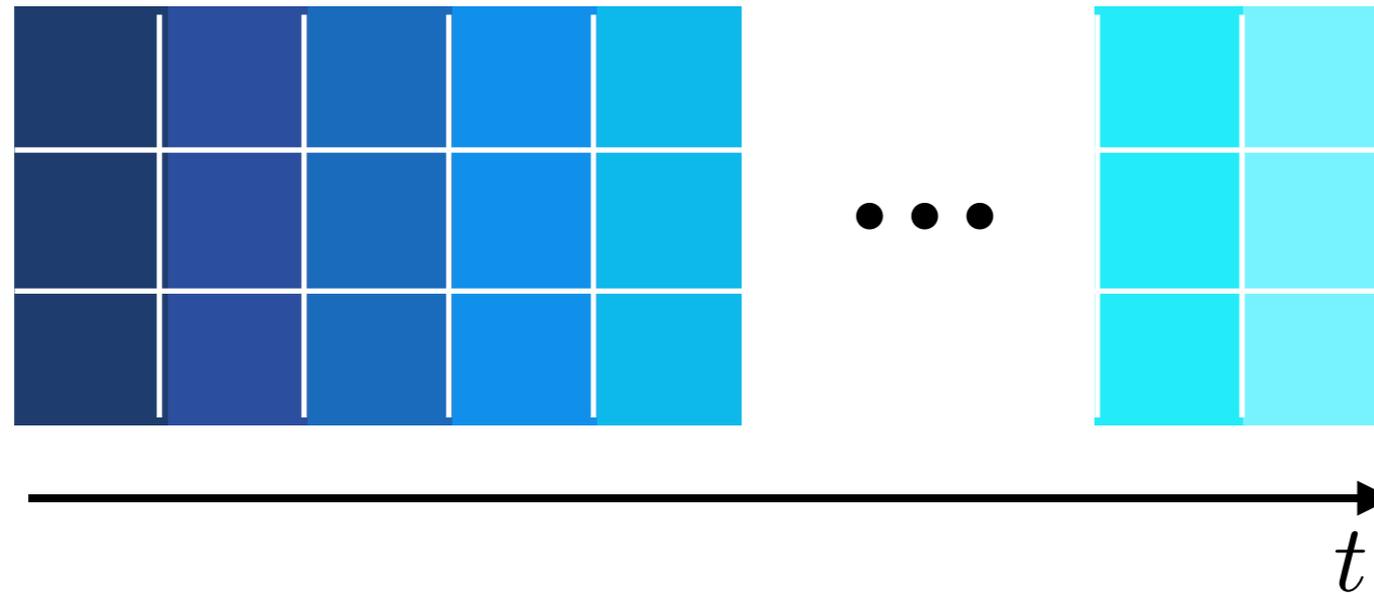
yes, we could



however, this relies on a *fixed input window size*

we may be able to exploit additional structure in sequence data
to impose better inductive biases

the structure of sequence data



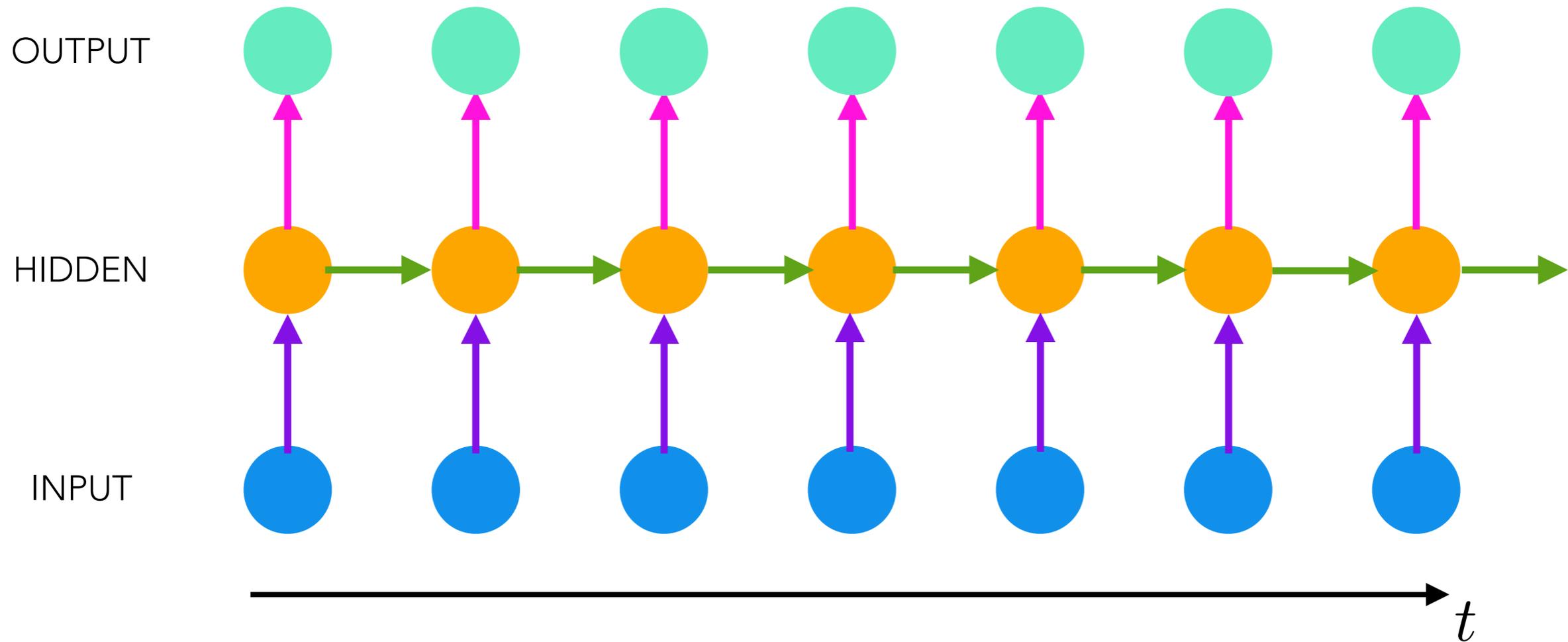
sequence data *also* tends to obey

locality: nearby regions tend to form stronger patterns

translation invariance: patterns are relative rather than absolute

but has a single axis on which extended patterns occur

to mirror the sequential structure of the data,
we can process the data sequentially



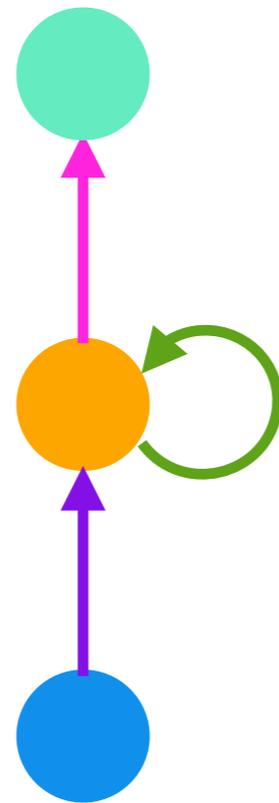
each set of colored arrows denotes shared weights

maintain an *internal representation* during processing

→ potentially *infinite* effective input window

→ fixed number of parameters

a **recurrent neural network (RNN)** can be expressed as



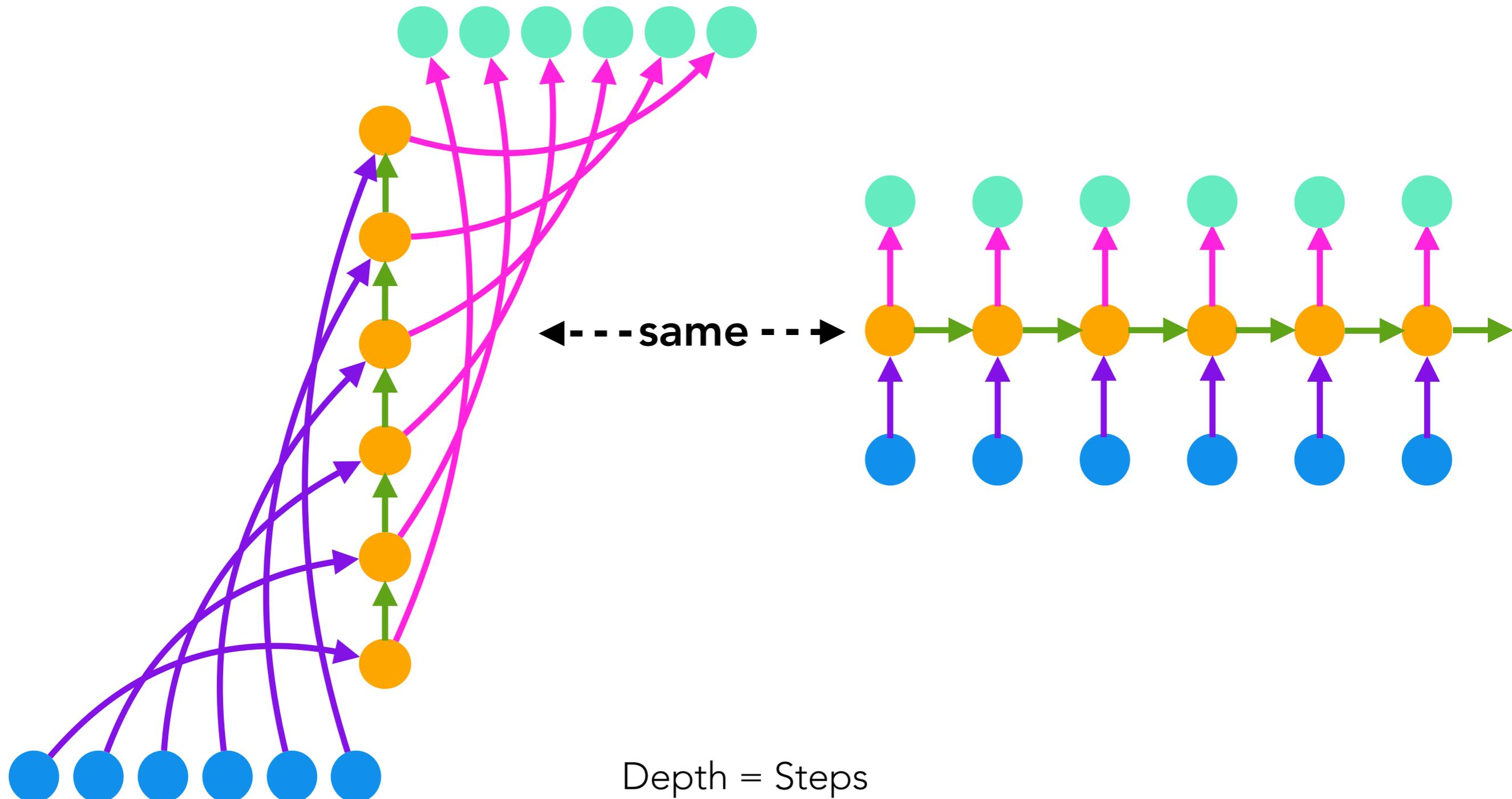
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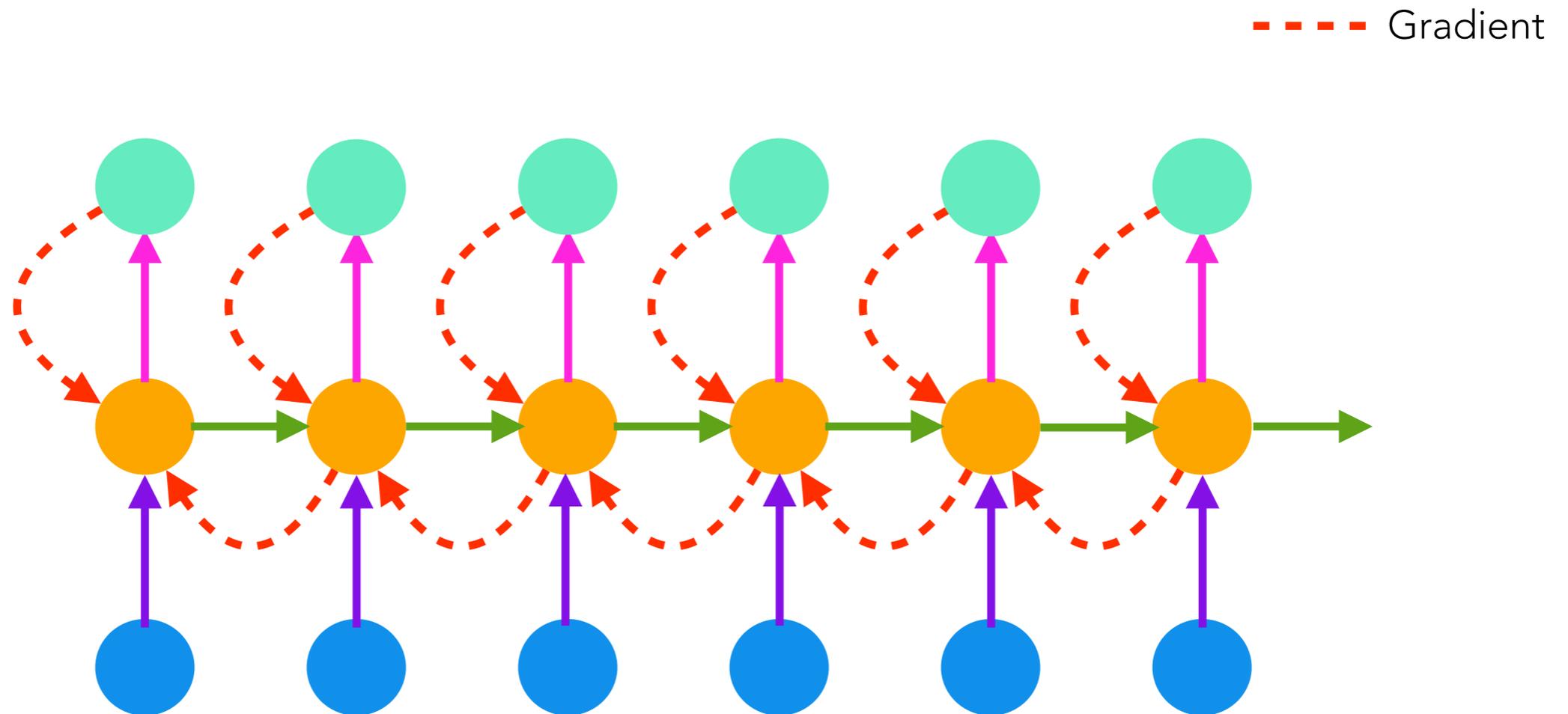
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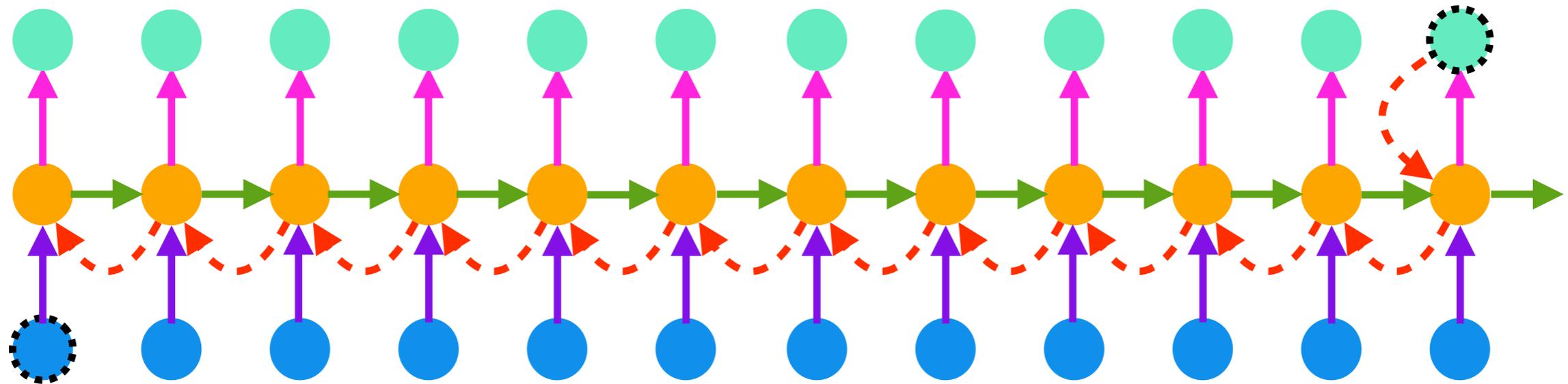
basic recurrent networks are also a **special case**
of standard neural networks with *skip connections* and *shared weights*



therefore, we can use standard backpropagation to train,
resulting in ***backpropagation through time (BPTT)***



primary difficulty of training RNNs involves propagating information over long horizons

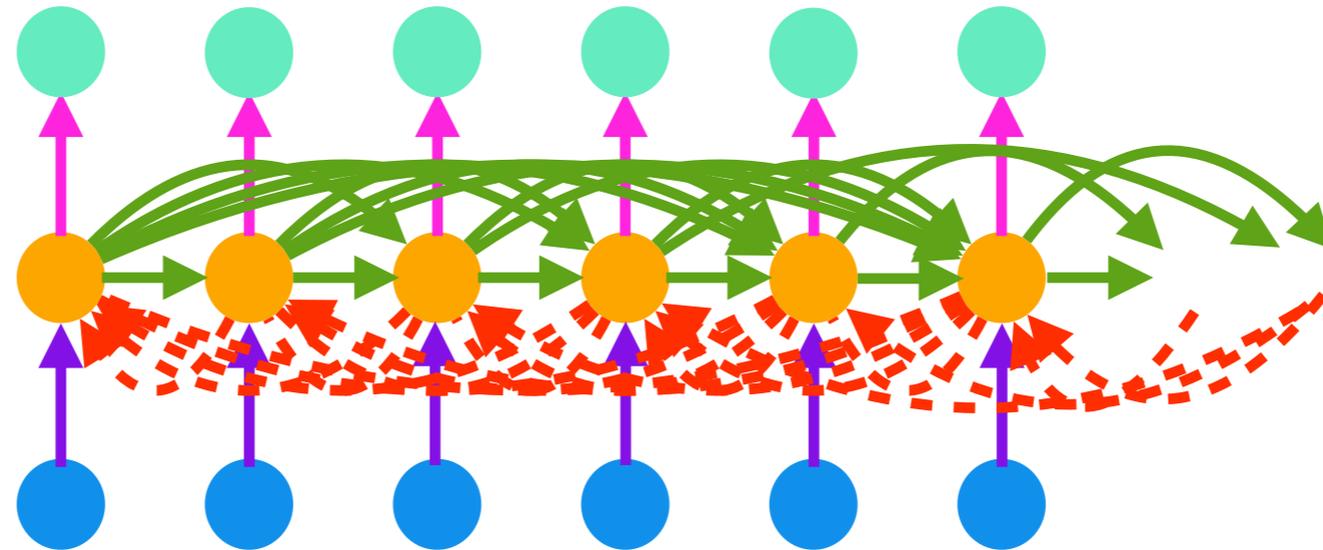


e.g. input at one step is predictive of output at *much later* step

learning extended sequential dependencies
requires propagating gradients over long horizons

- vanishing / exploding gradients
- large memory/computational footprint

naïve attempt to fix information propagation issue



add skip connections across steps

information, gradients can propagate more easily

but...

- increases computation
- must set limit on window size

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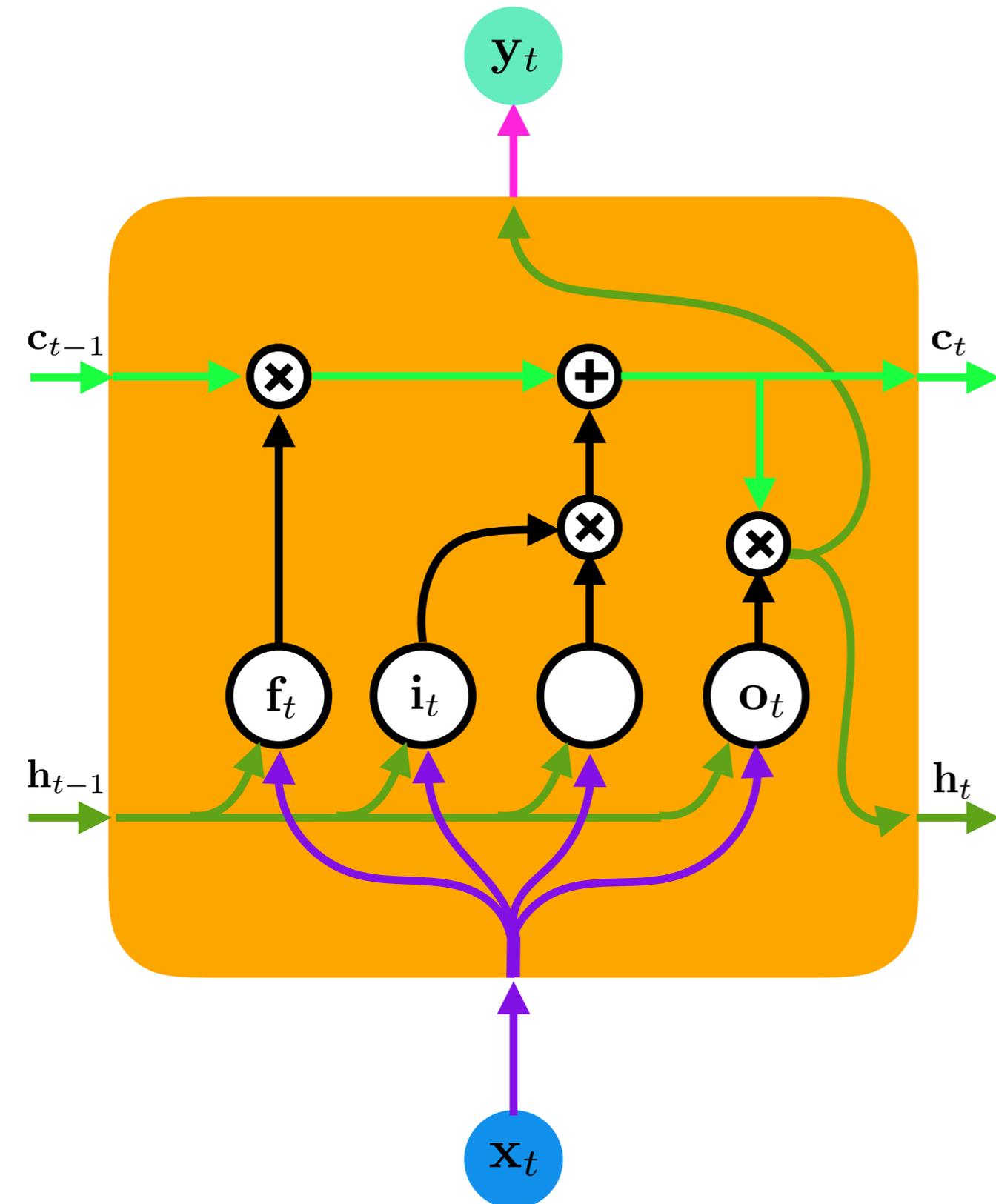
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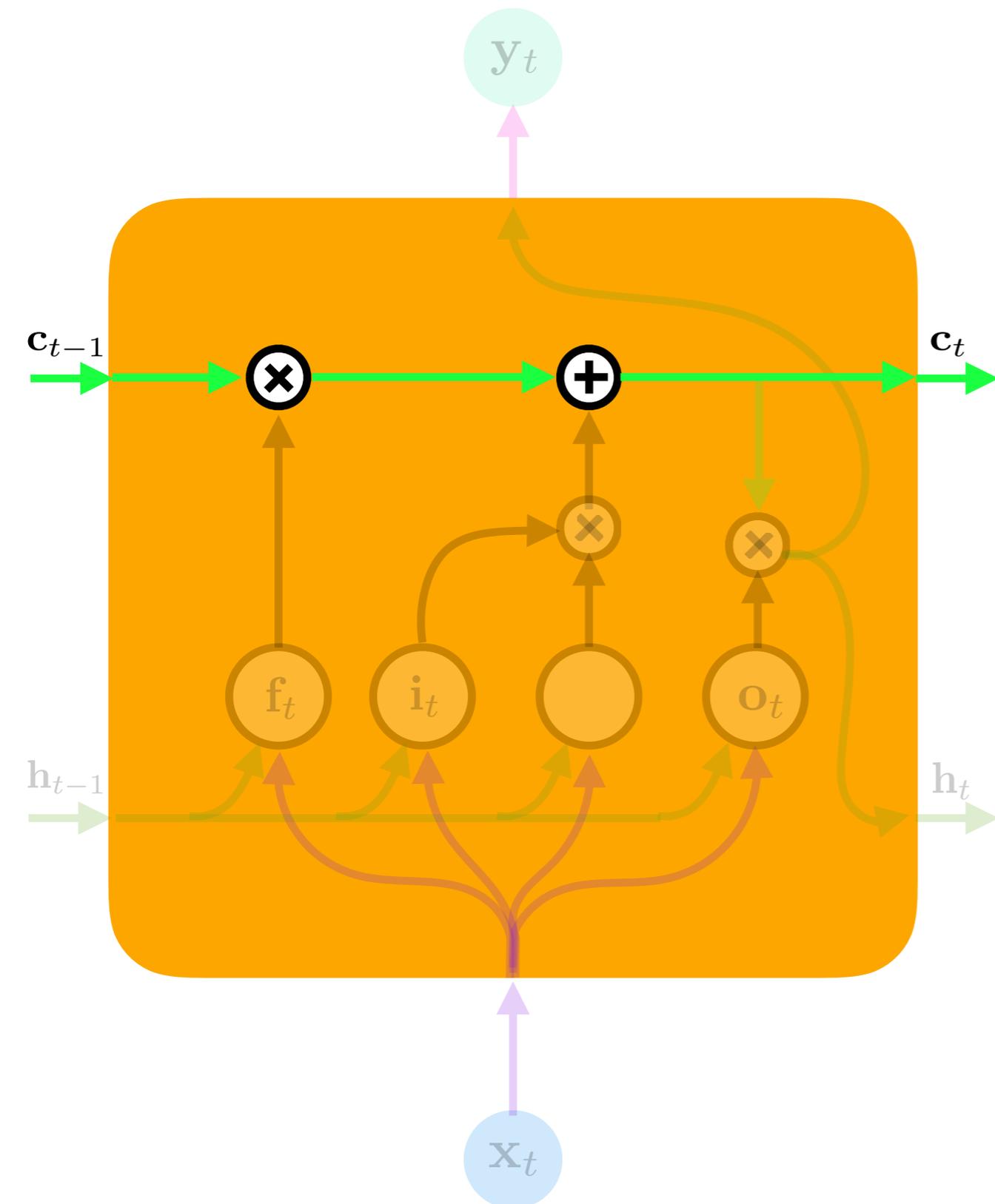
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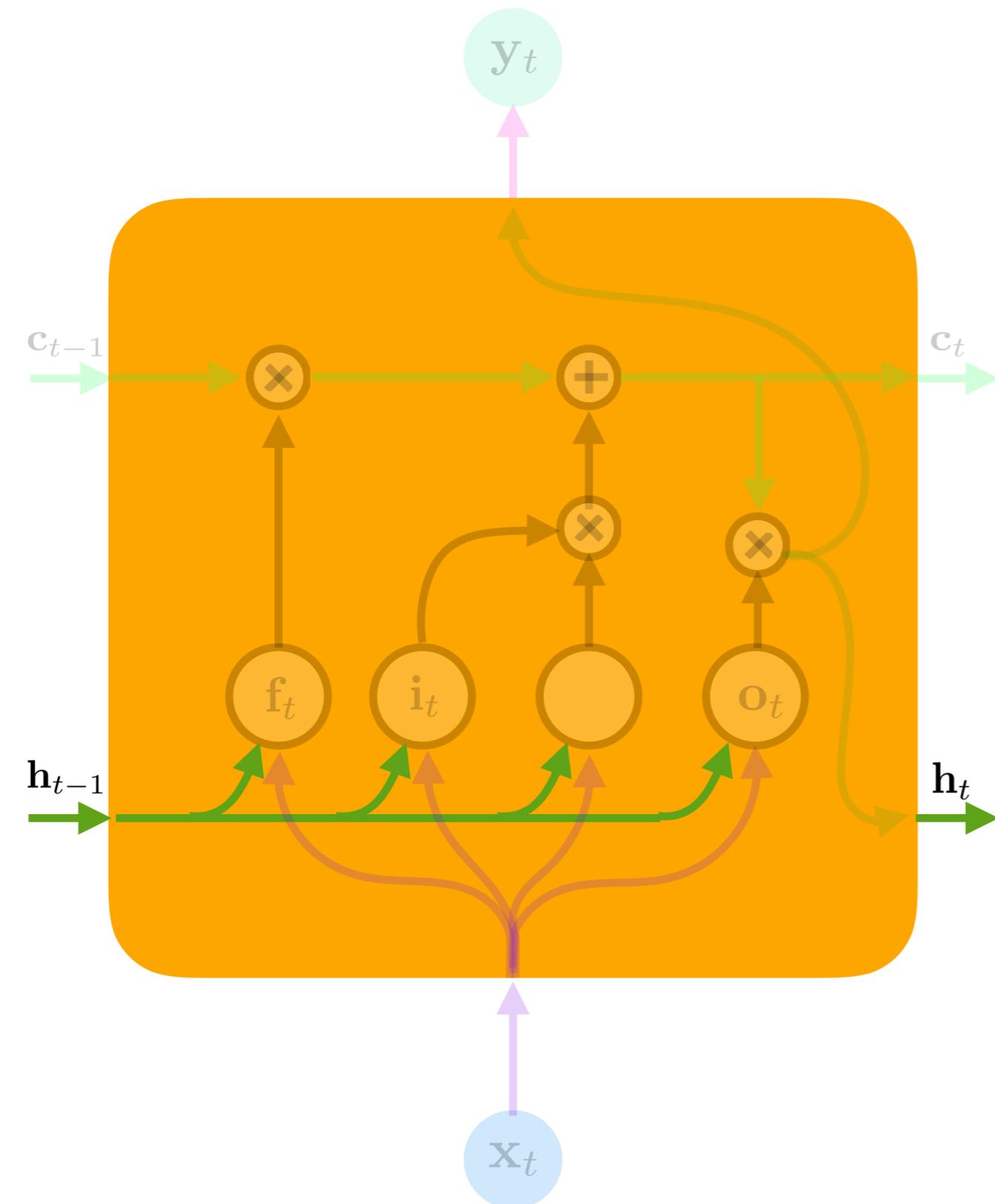
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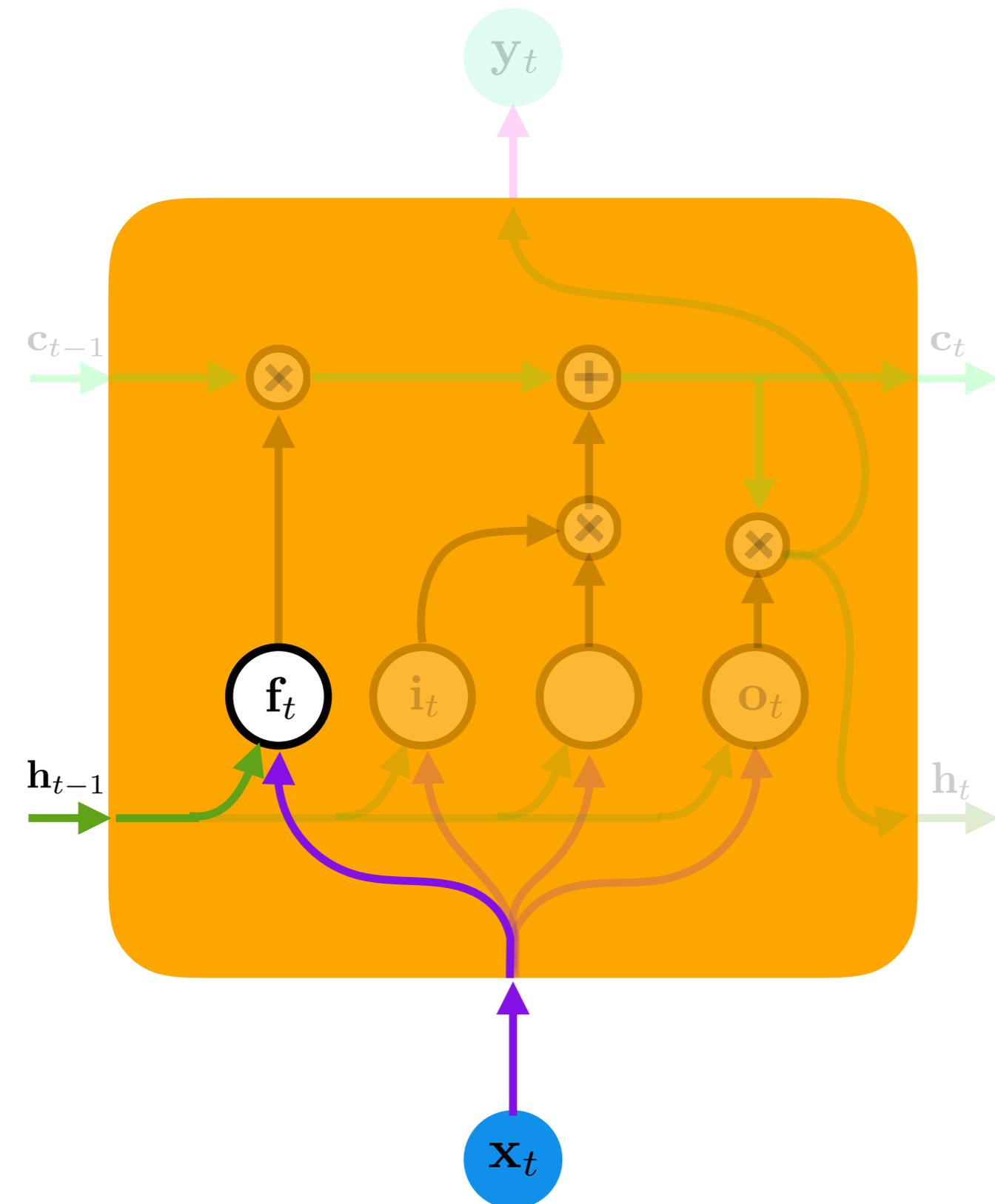
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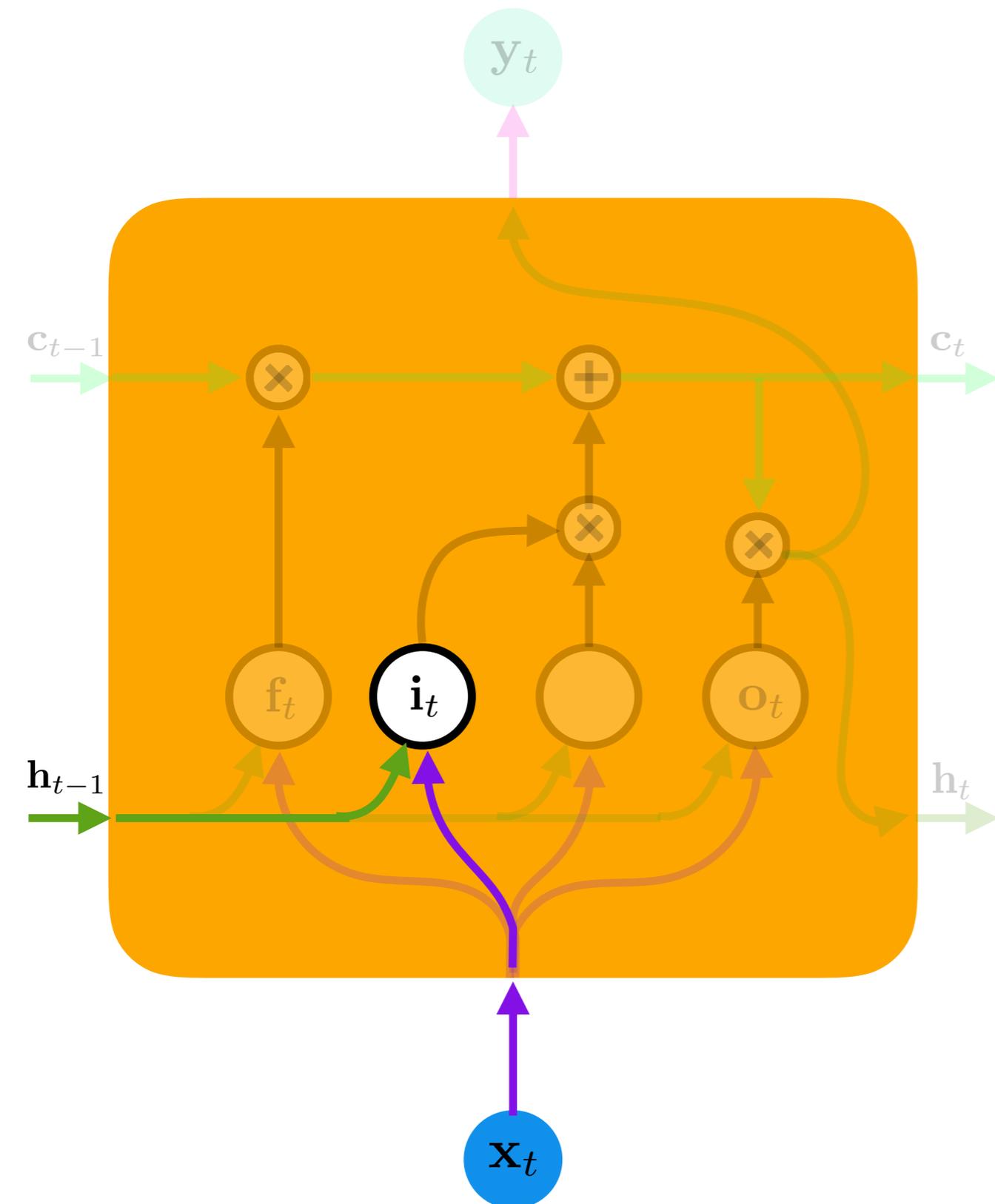
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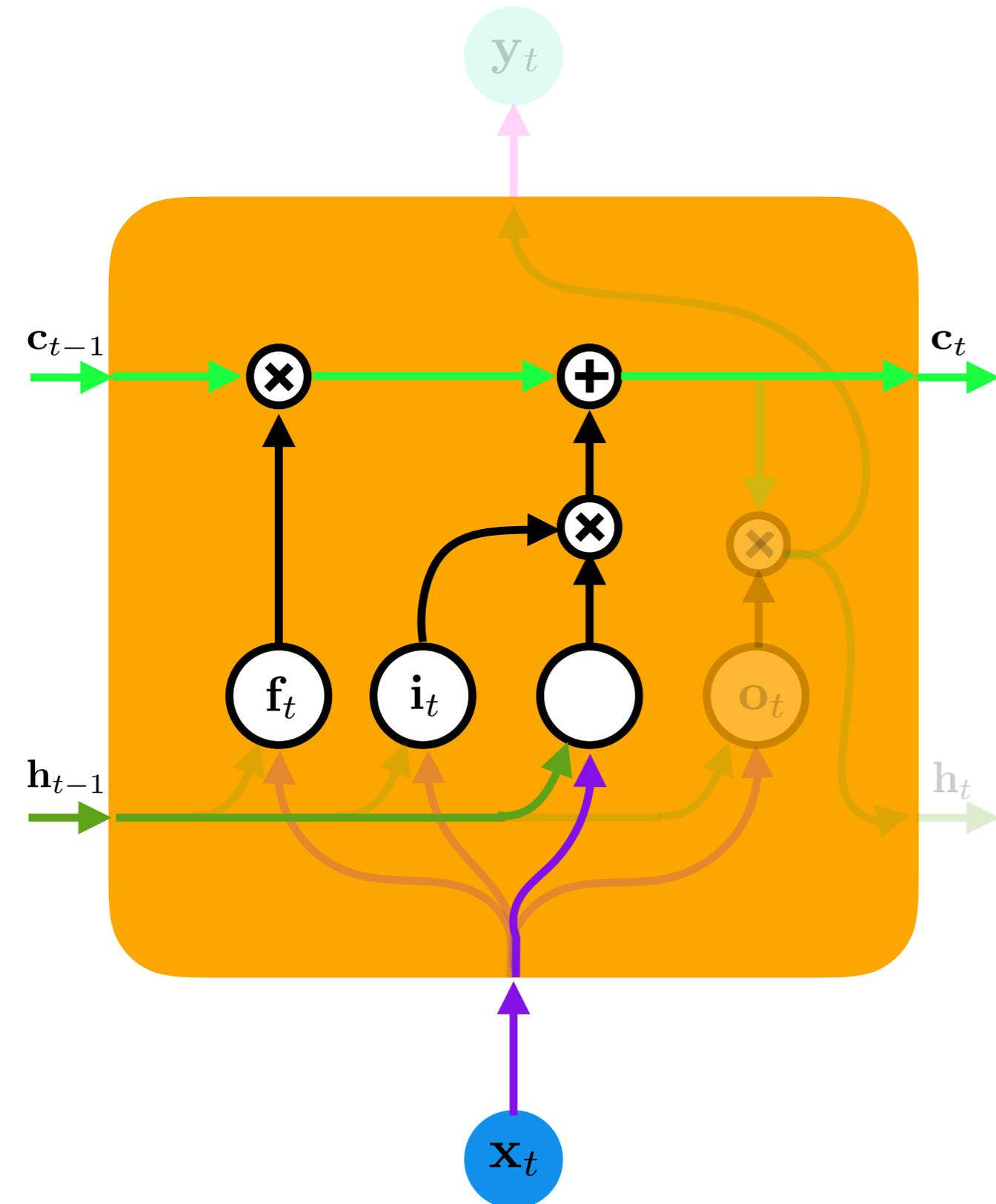
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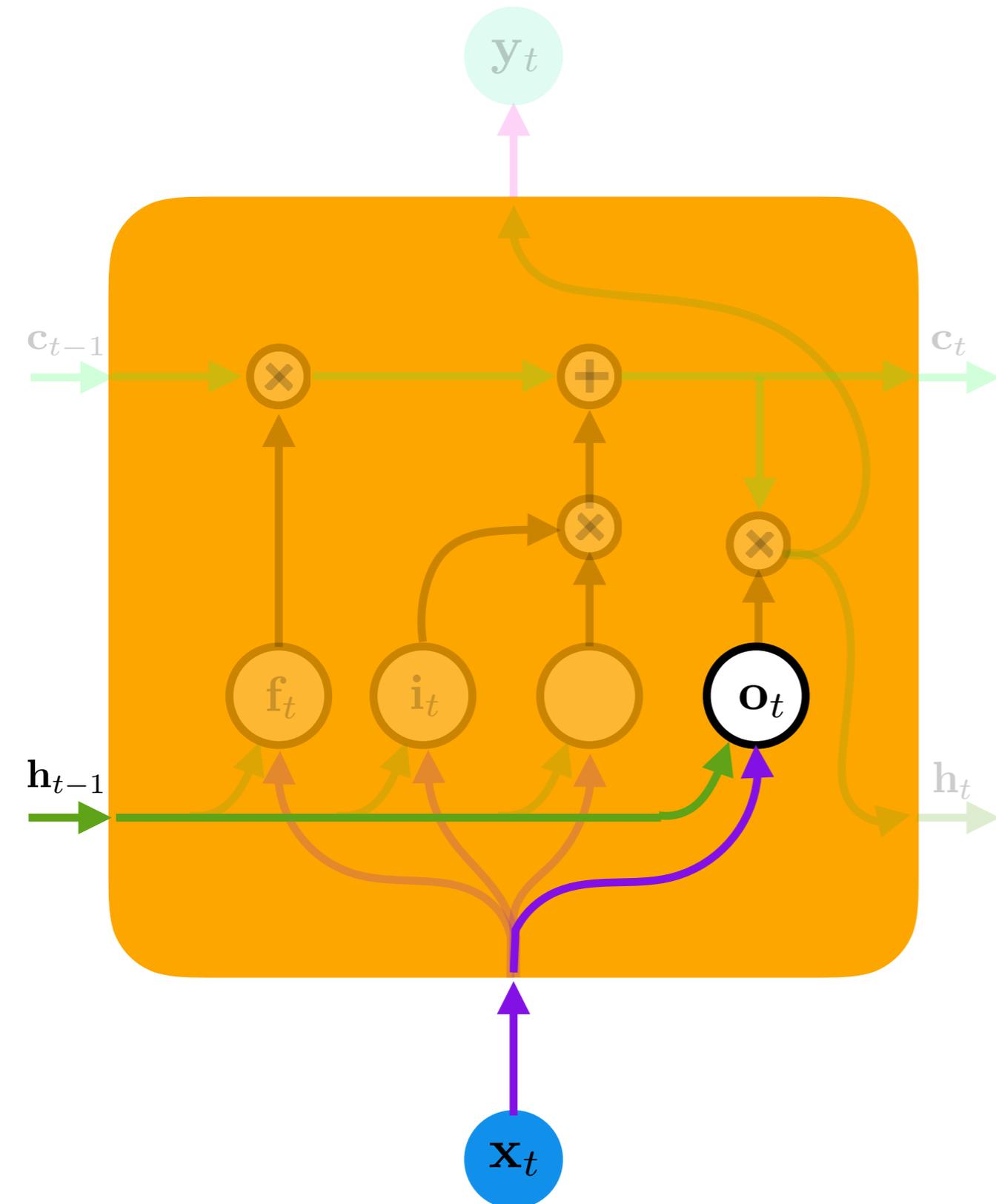
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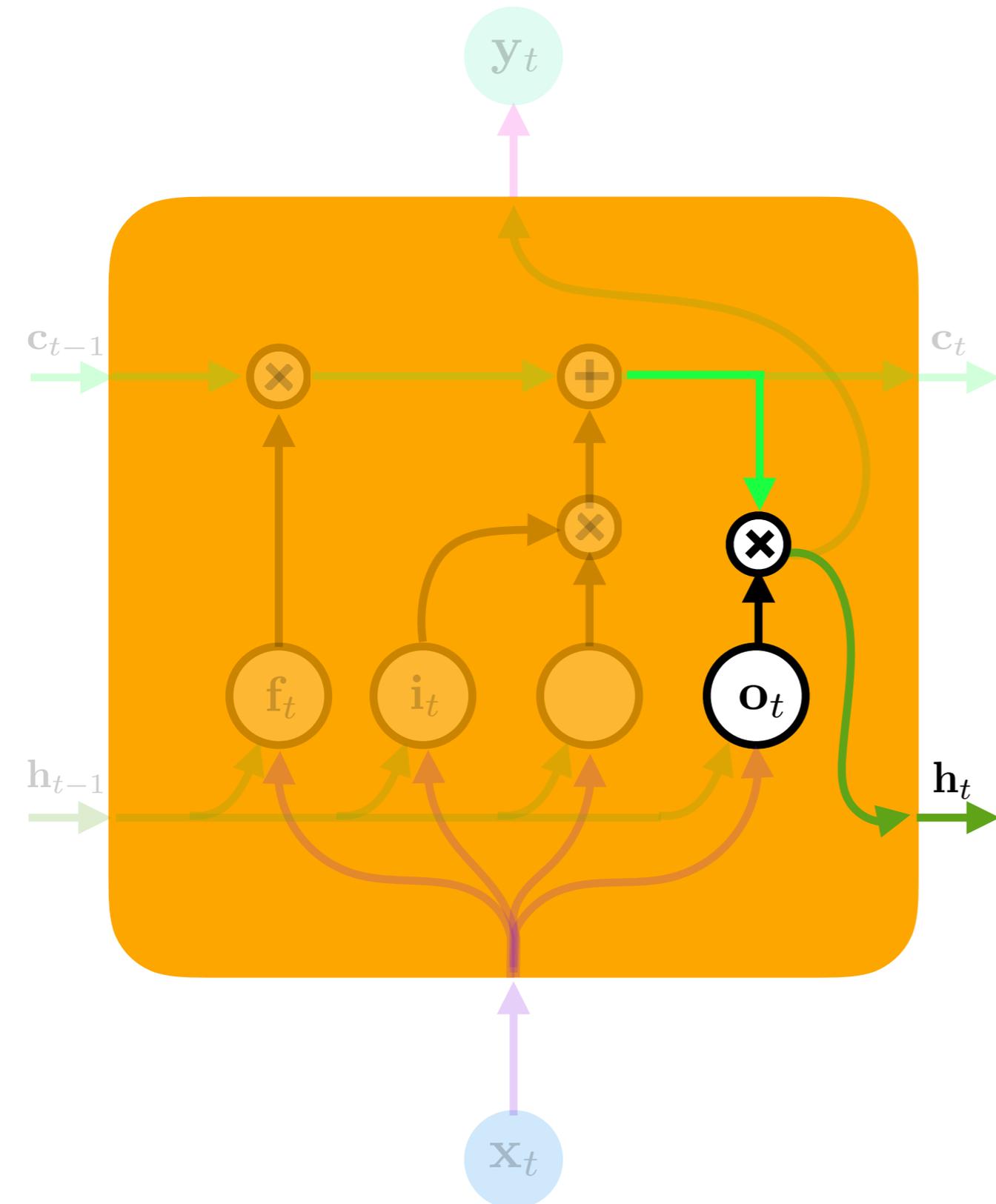
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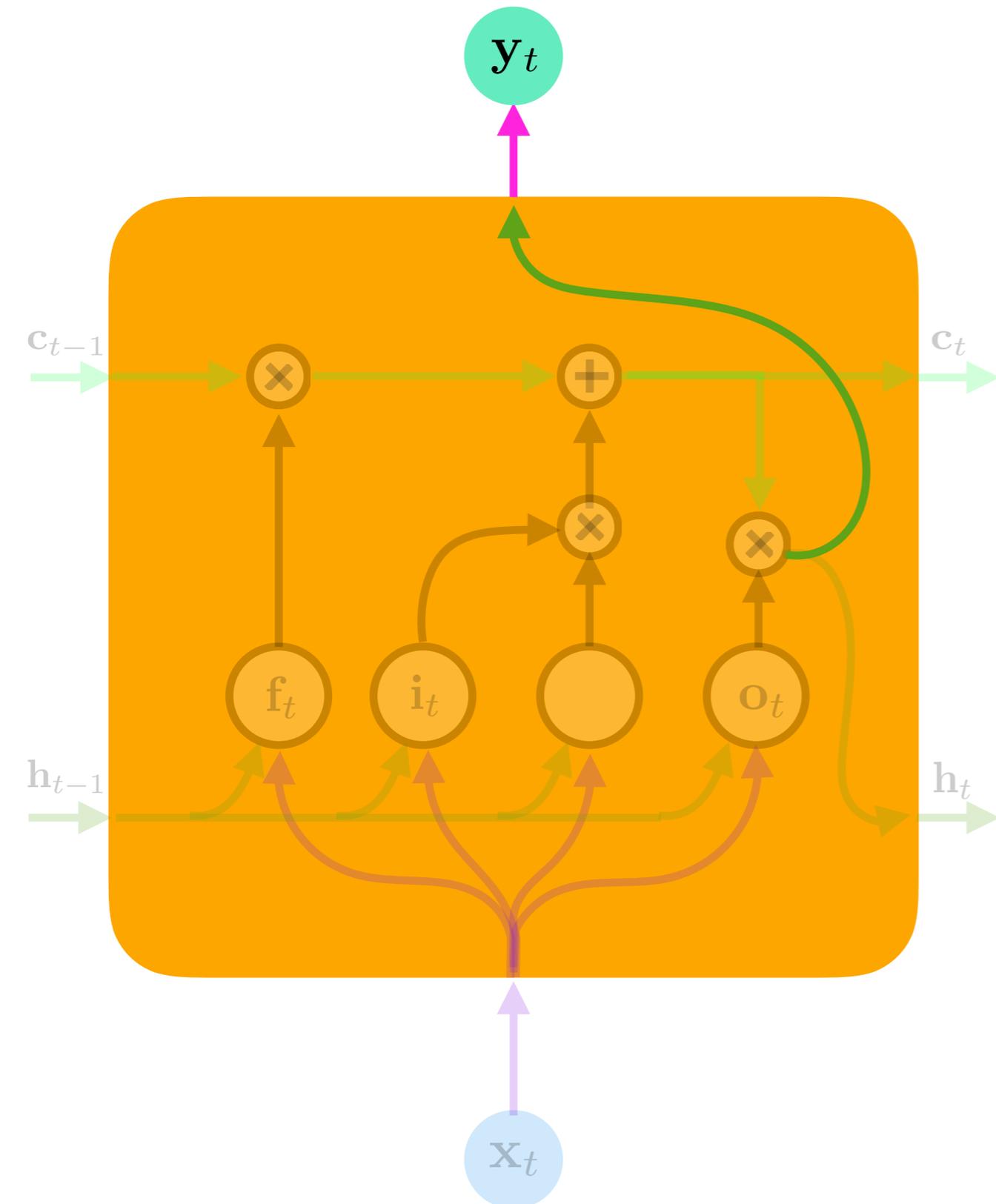
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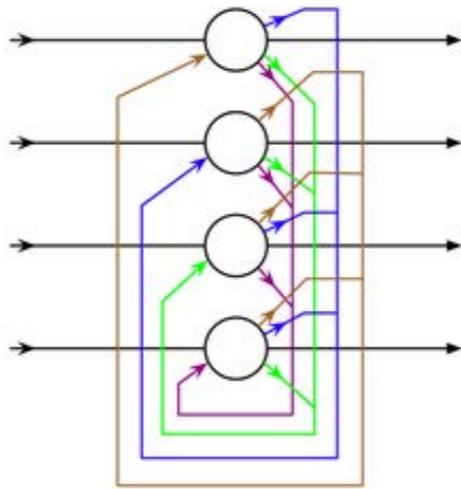
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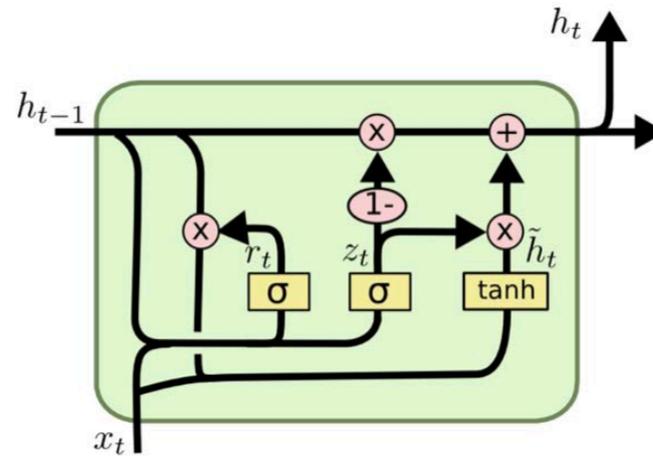
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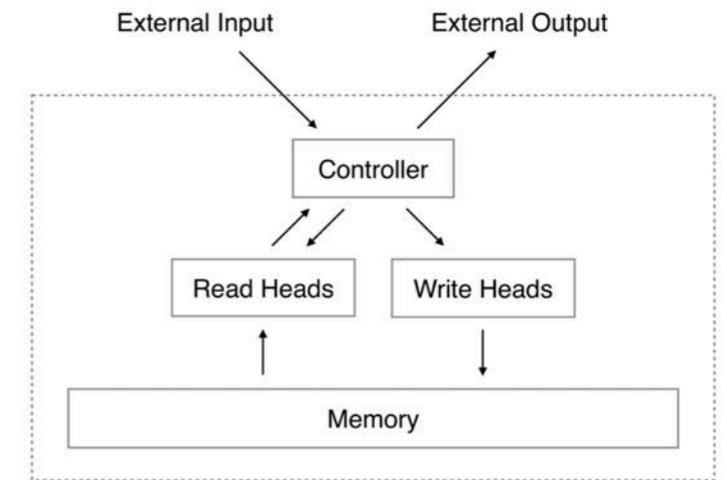
memory networks



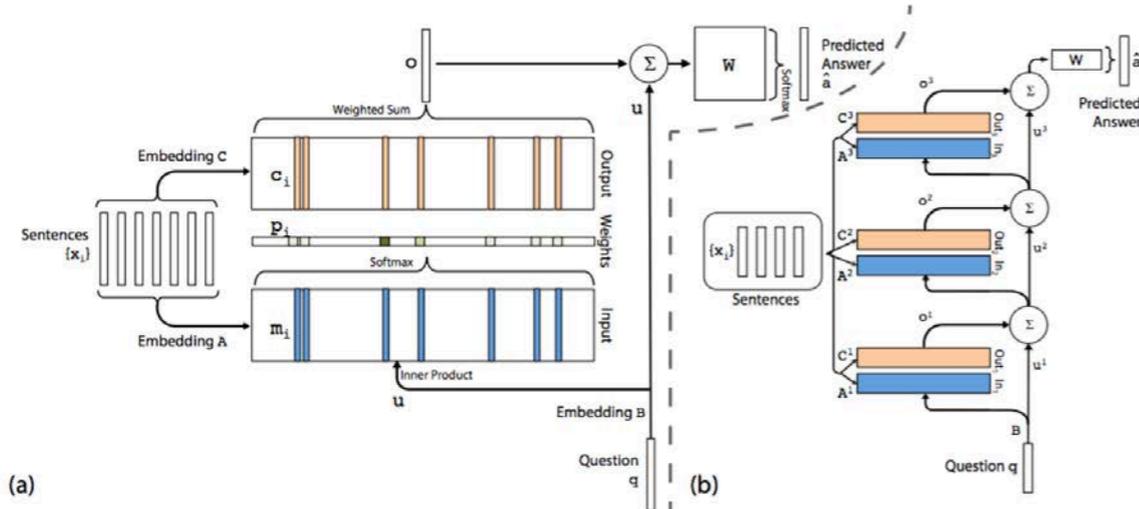
Hopfield Network
Hopfield, 1982



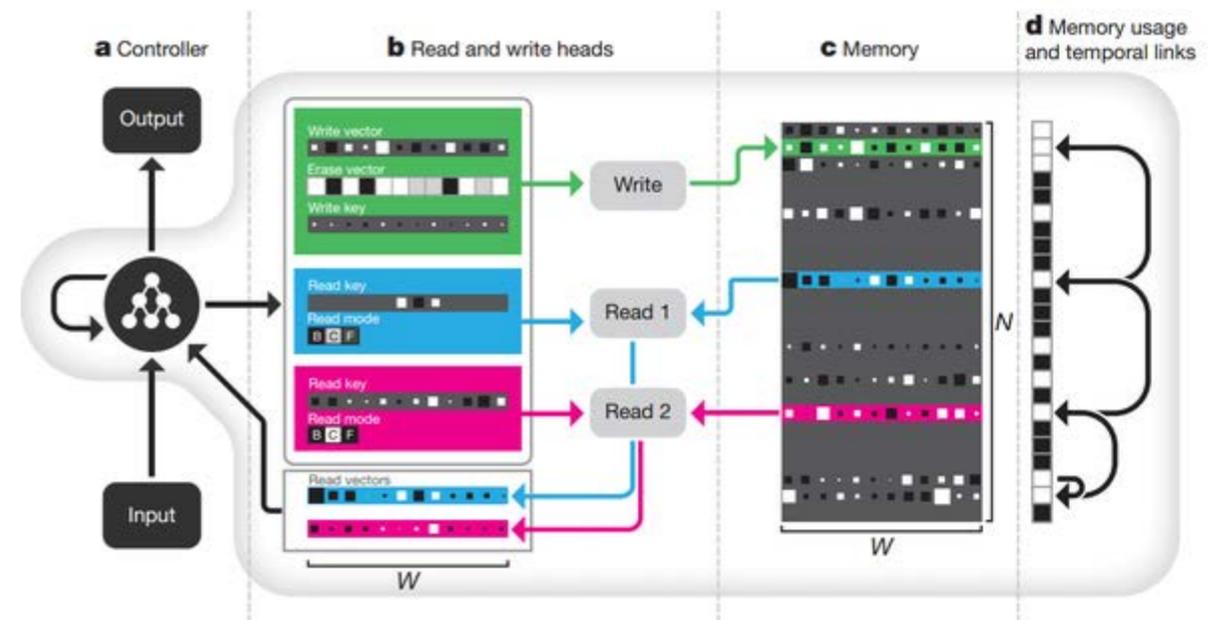
Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU)
Cho et al., 2014



Neural Turing Machine (NTM)
Graves et al., 2014



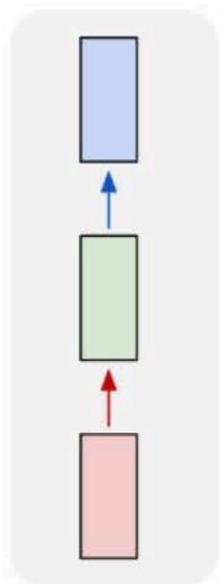
Memory Networks (MemNN)
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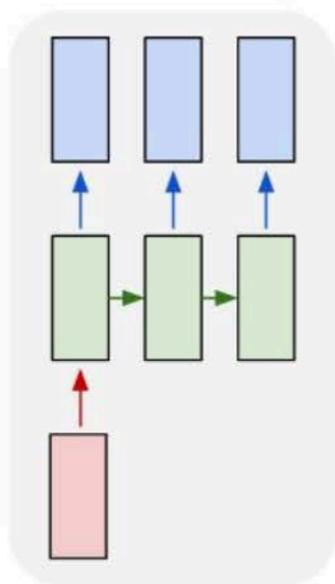
Differentiable Neural Computer (DNC)
Graves, Wayne, et al., 2016

tons of options!

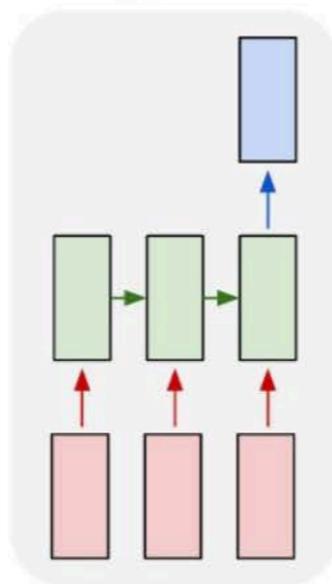
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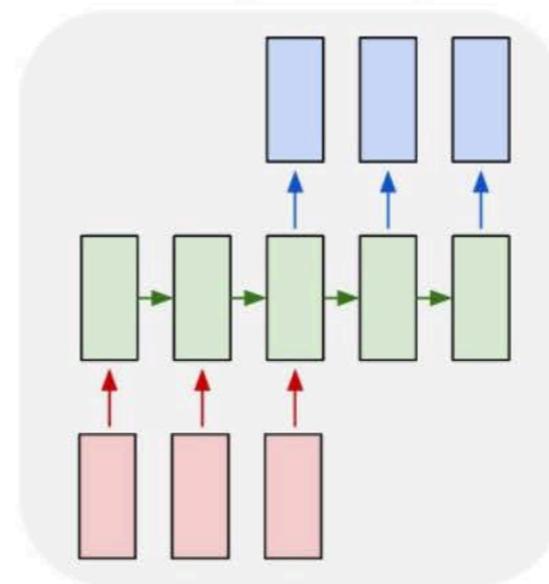
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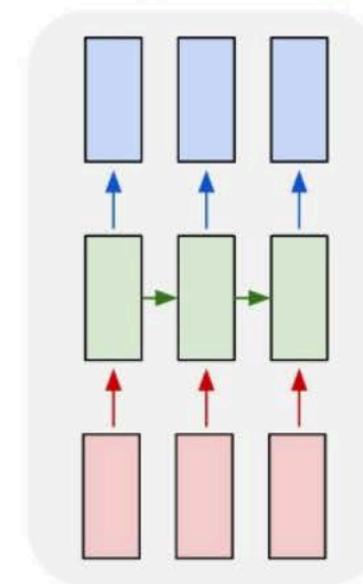
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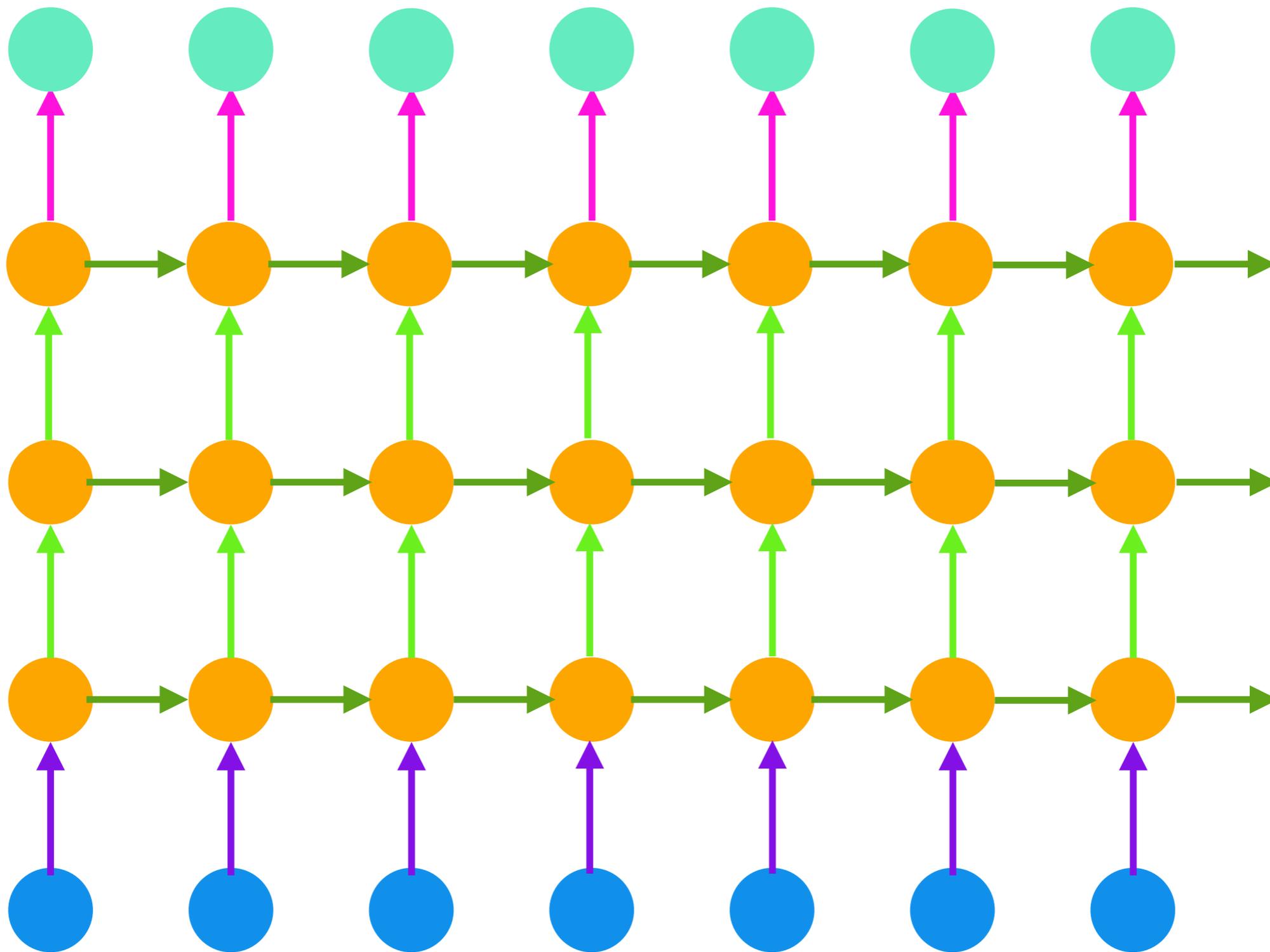
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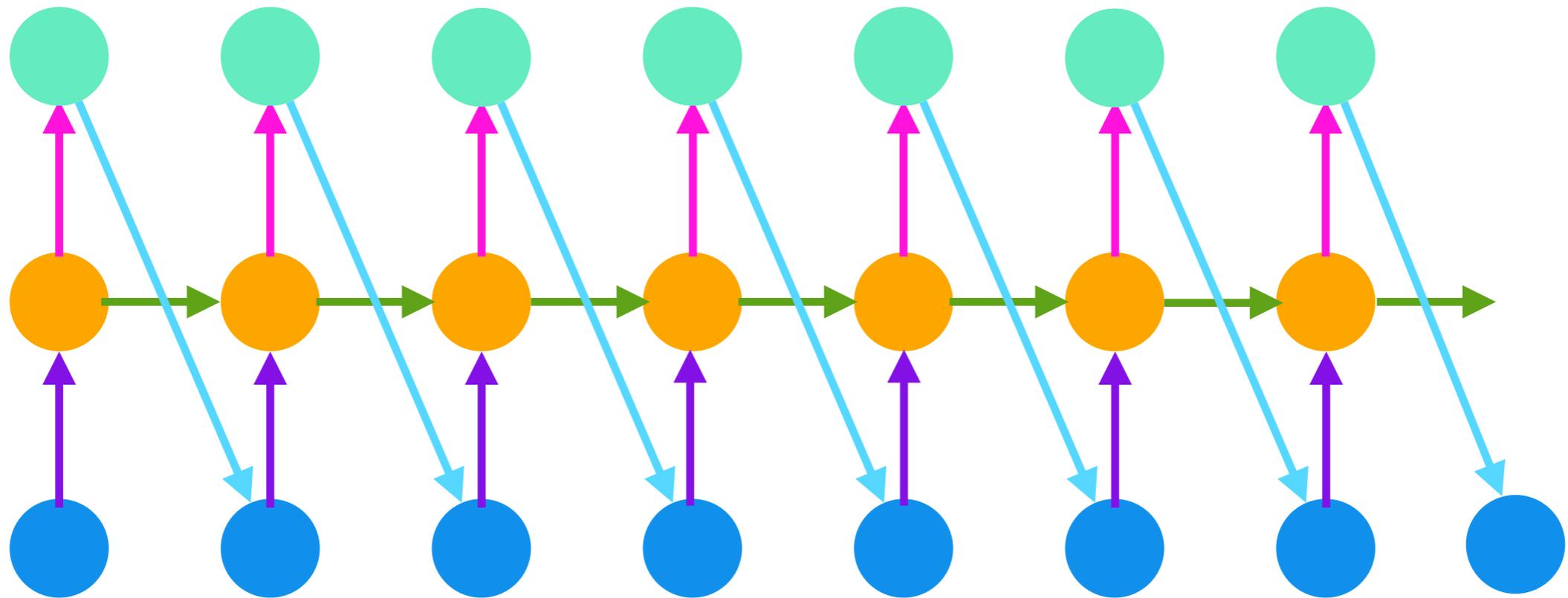
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deep recurrent neural networks



auto-regressive generative modeling



output becomes next input

auto-regressive generative language modeling

PANDARUS:

Alas, I think he shall be come approached and the day
When little strain would be attain'd into being never fed,
And who is but a chain and subjects of his death,
I should not sleep.

Second Senator:

They are away this miseries, produced upon my soul,
Breaking and strongly should be buried, when I perish
The earth and thoughts of many states.

DUKE VINCENTIO:

Well, your wit is in the care of side and that.

Second Lord:

They would be ruled after this chamber, and
my fair news begun out of the fact, to be conveyed,
Whose noble souls I'll have the heart of the wars.

Clown:

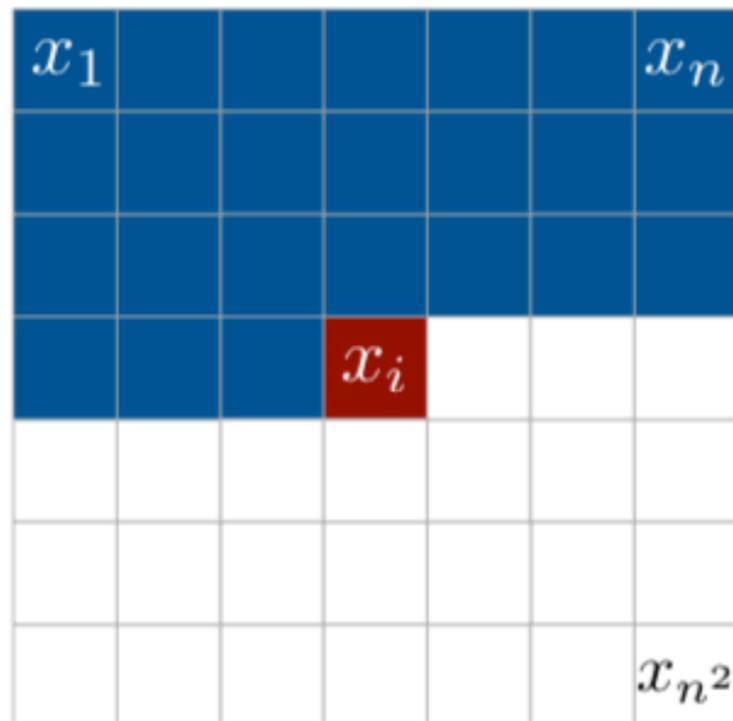
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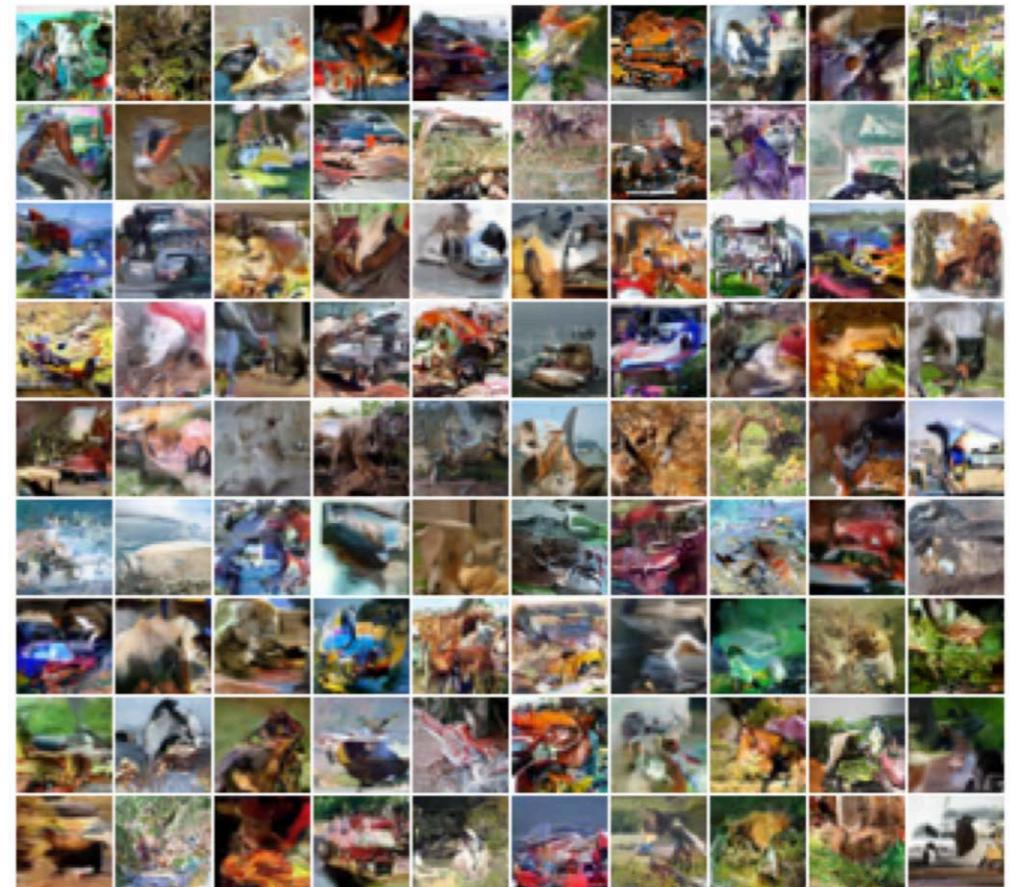
I'll drink it.

Pixel RNN uses recurrent networks to perform auto-regressive image generation

context



generated samples



condition the generation of each pixel on a *sequence* of past pixels

RECAP

recapitulation

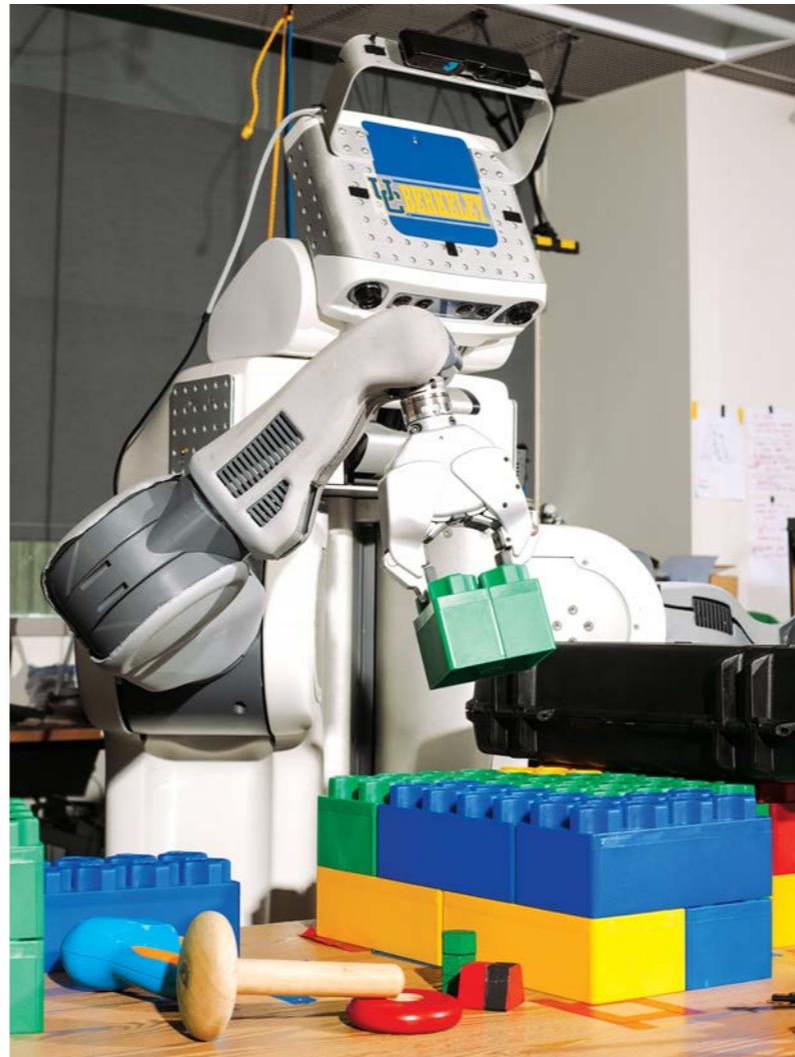
we used additional priors (inductive biases) to
scale deep networks up to handle spatial and sequential data



without these priors, we would need
more parameters and data

we live in a **spatiotemporal** world

we are constantly getting streams of spatial sensory inputs



(embodied) intelligent machines need to learn from
spatial and temporal patterns

CNNs and RNNs are building blocks for machines that can use spatiotemporal data to solve tasks

