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Day 04

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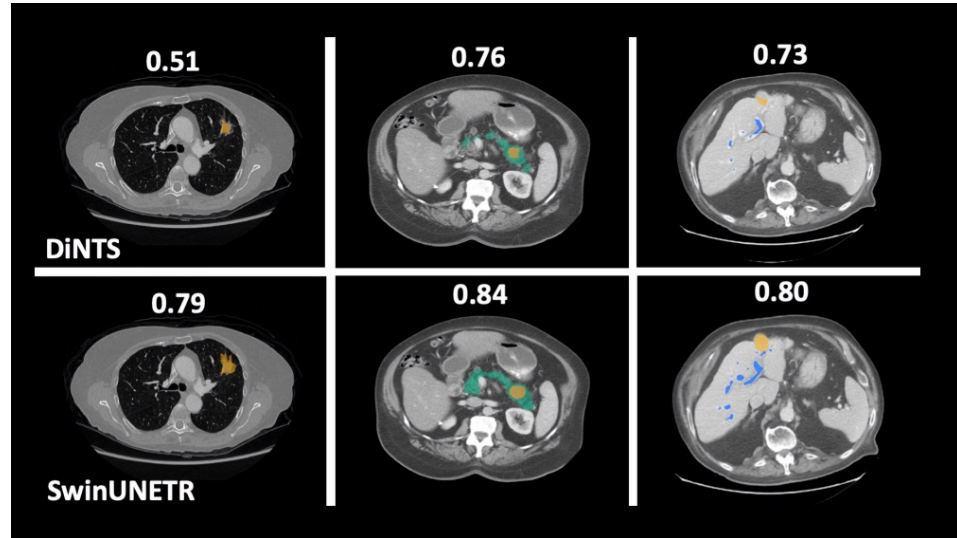
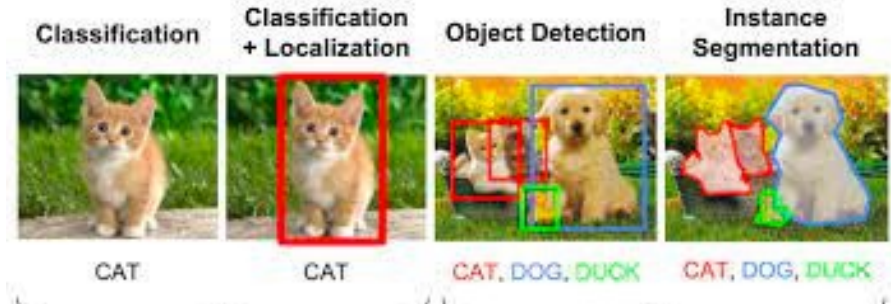
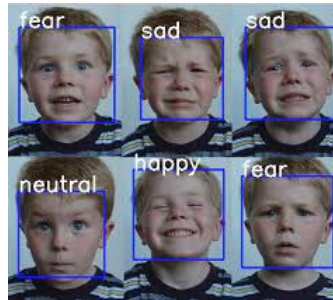
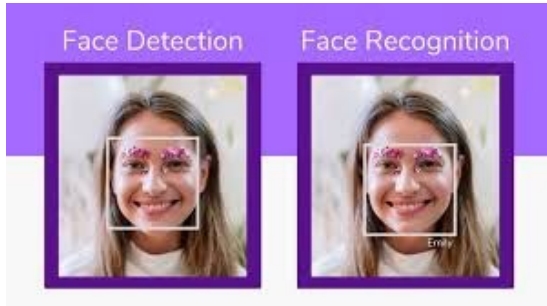
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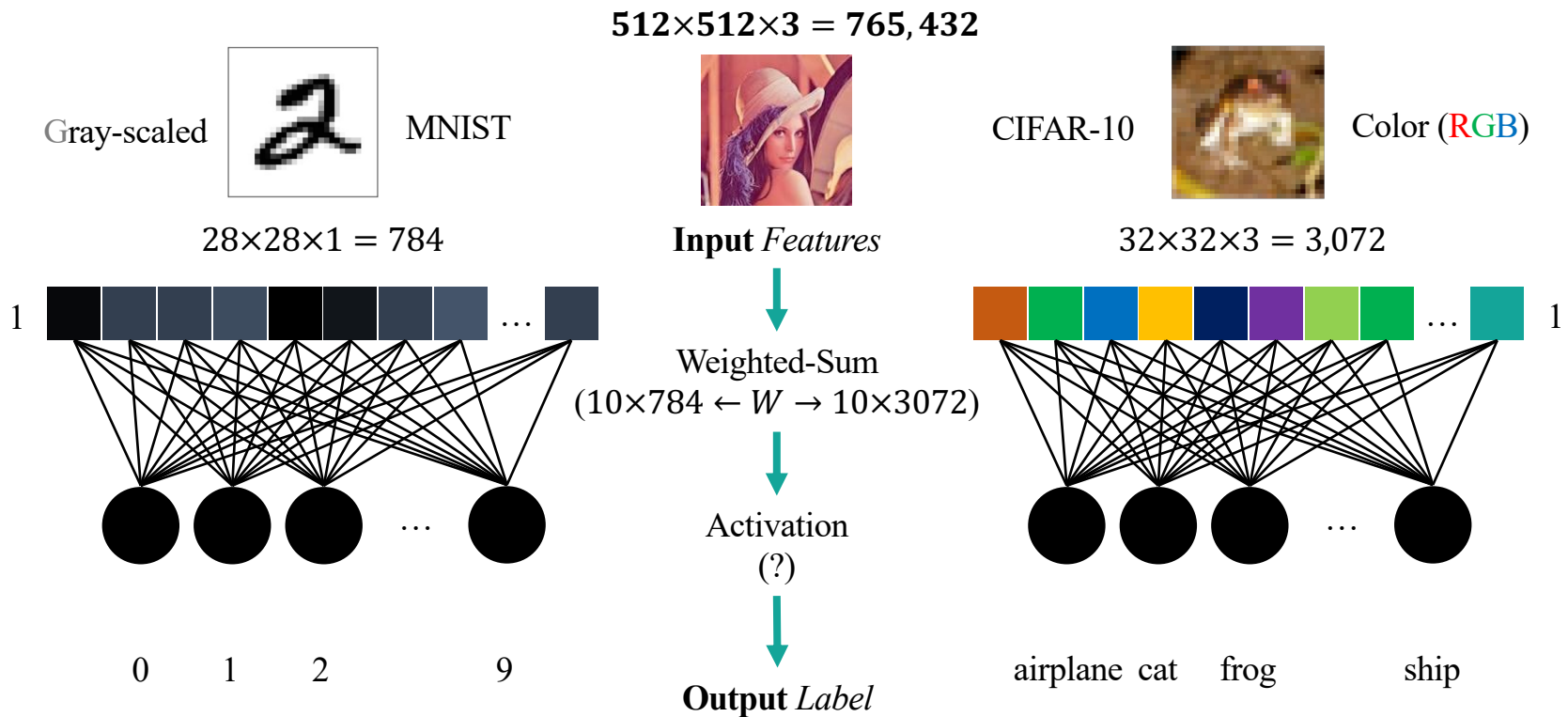
- 8:00 – 8:50 Review of the Initial Ideation
- 9:00 – 10:30 Lecture : Convolutional Networks/RNN/GAN
Exercise: Play the notebooks
- 10:50 – 12:10 Workshop: Data collection
- 2:00 – 5:00 Exercise: Prototyping + testing with data/model
- 5:00 – 6:00 Review of the day

Convolutional Networks

Convolutional Networks Applications

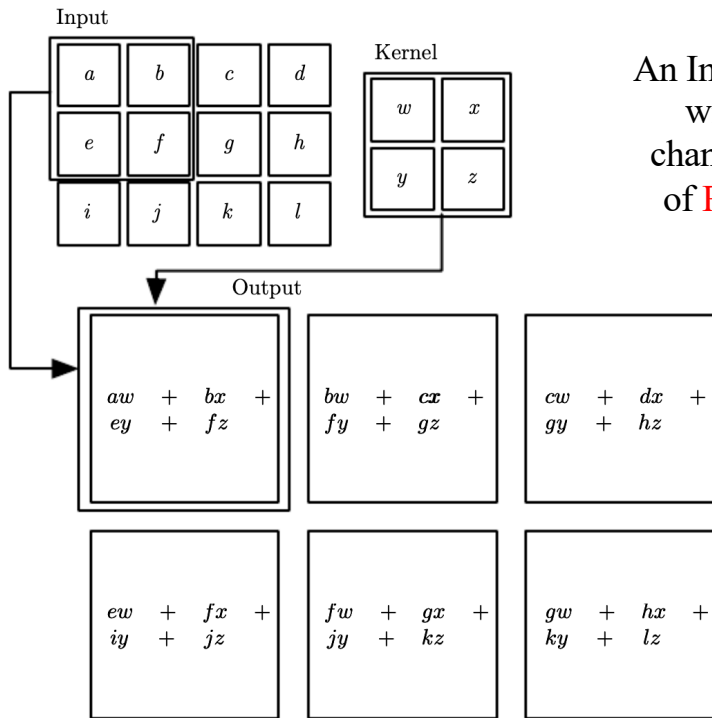


A Design Challenge with Increasing Dimensions

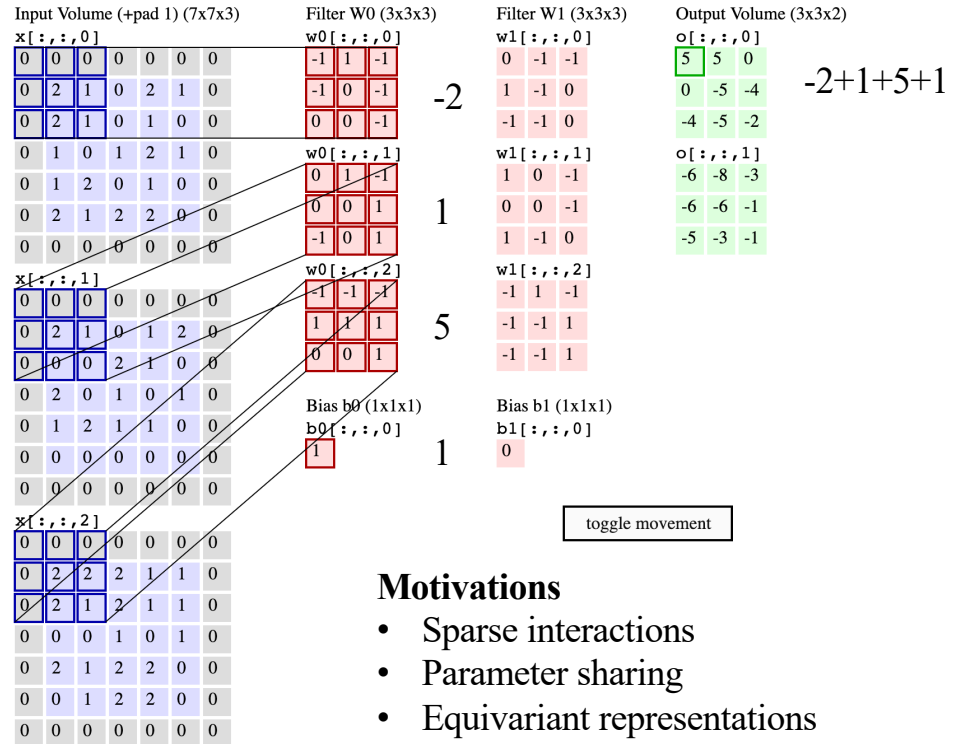


Regular Neural Nets don't scale well to full images

Convolutional Operation

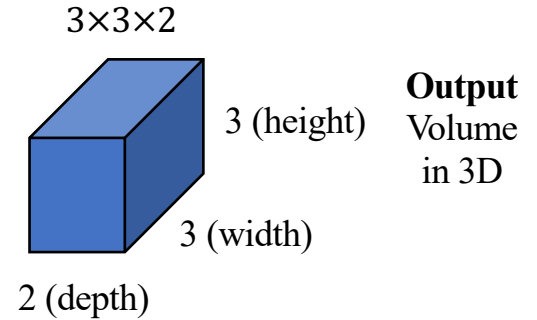
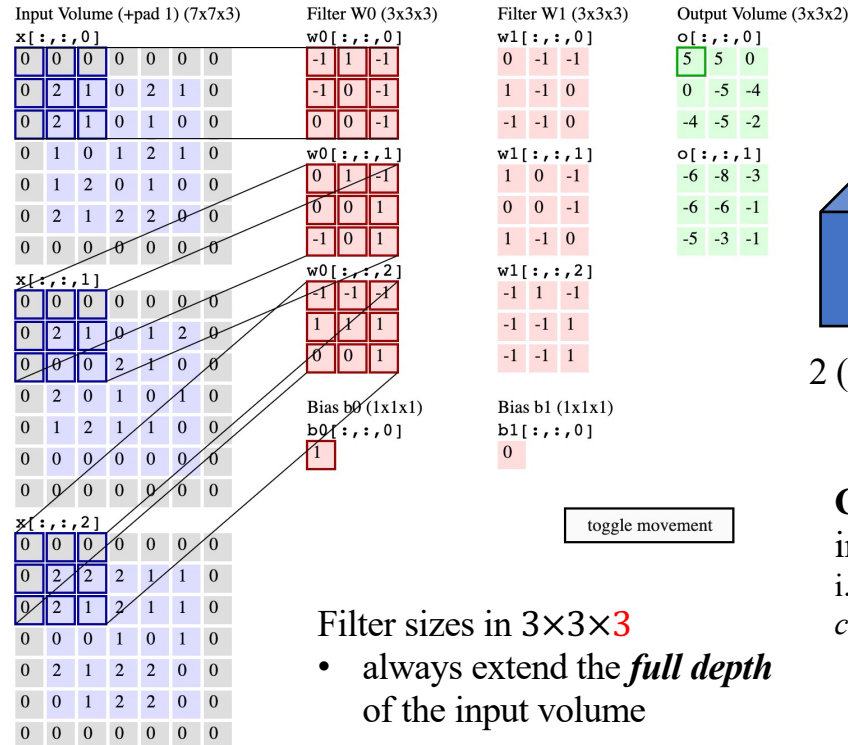
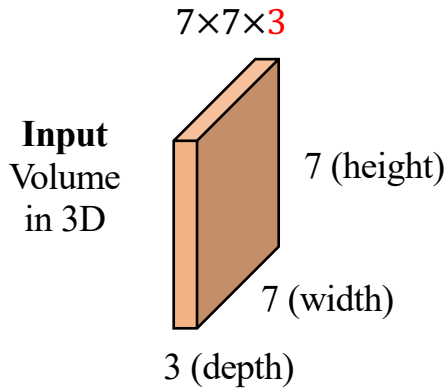


An Image with 3 channels of RGB



Convolution in 3D Volumes

Preserved spatial structure between the input and output volumes in width, height, number of channels



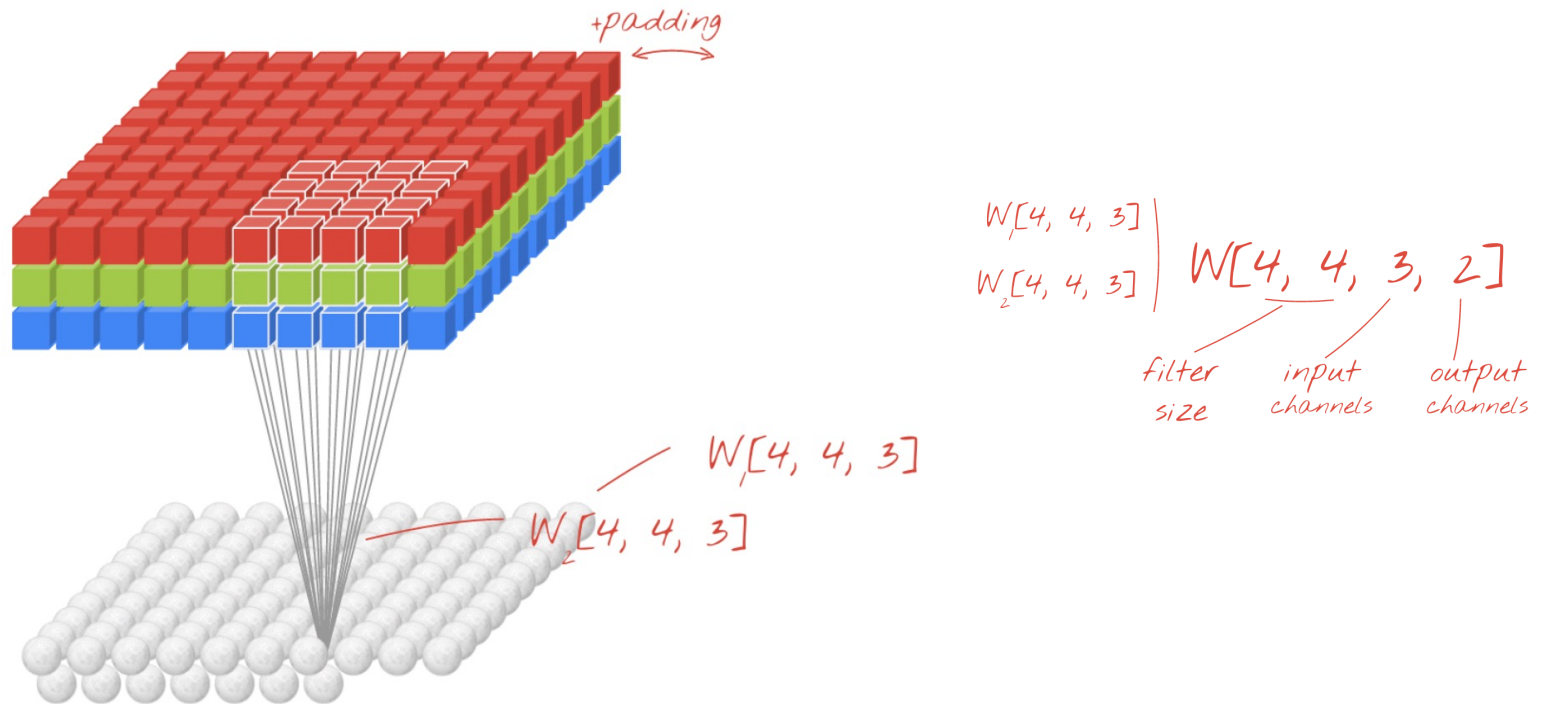
Layers in a ConvNet:
 Transform an input 3D volume to an output 3D volume with some differentiable function that may or may not have parameters.

- Filter sizes in 3x3x3
- always extend the *full depth* of the input volume

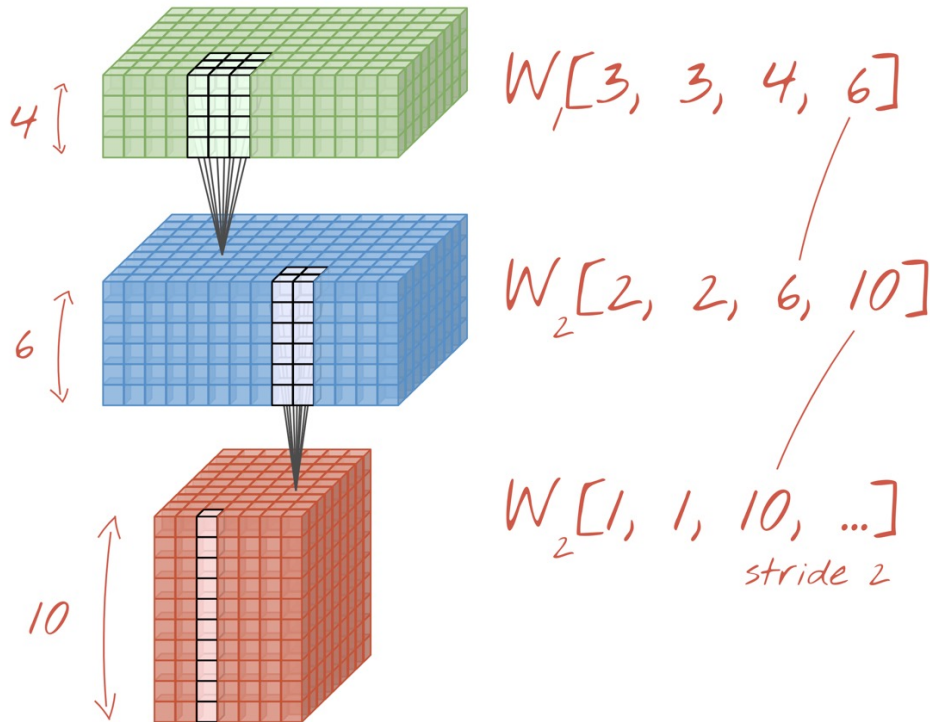
Convolve the filter with the image
 i.e. “slide over the image spatially, computing dot products”

The Design of a Convolutional Layer

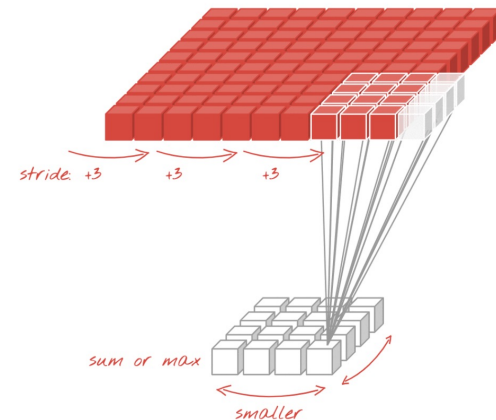
A convolutional layer is defined by the filter (or kernel) size, the number of filters applied and the stride



Output Volume Size



- Depth (number of channels):
 - *adjusted by using more or fewer filters*
- Width & Height:
 - *adjusted by using a stride > 1*
 - *(or with a max-pooling operation)*

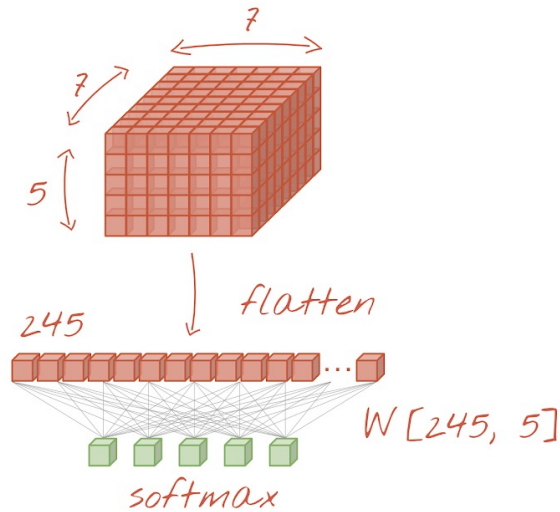


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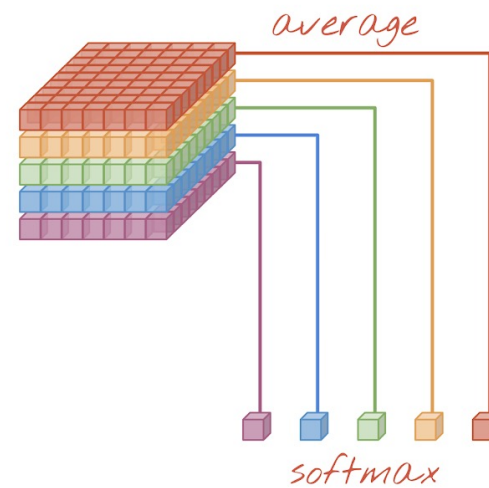
The Last Layer

From a Cubic Volume in 3D to predicted labels

Fully connected layer



Global average pooling



1225 weights $\xrightarrow{\text{cheaper}}$ 0 weights

Similar like a normal neural network

Expensive in #weights

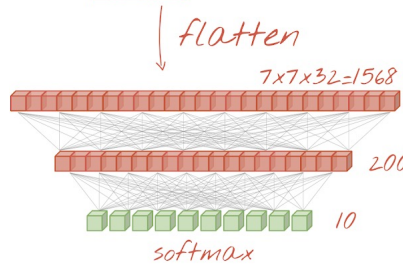
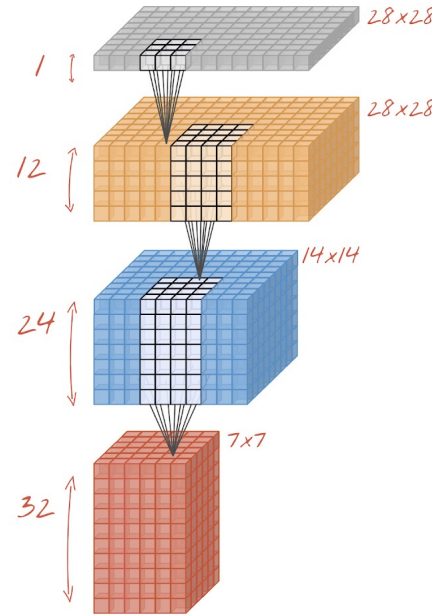
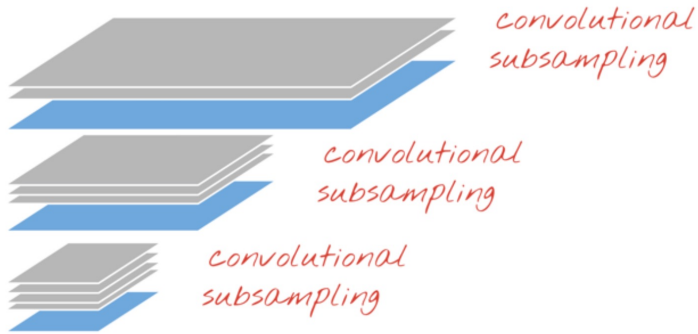
But preserves the location data (x, y)

Much lighter in calculation

The average pooling explicitly discards all location data

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Stacking Up a ConvNet Layer-by-layer



Convolutional 3x3 filters=12
 $W_1[3, 3, 1, 12]$

Convolutional 6x6 filters=24
 $W_2[6, 6, 12, 24]$ stride 2

Convolutional 6x6 filters=32
 $W_3[6, 6, 24, 32]$ stride 2



Dense layer
 $W_4[1568, 200]$

Softmax dense layer
 $W_5[200, 10]$

Recurrent Neural Networks

Supervised Learning with Sequences

- Many supervised learning problems deals with ordered sequences
 - Financial time series
 - Input: ordered sequence of past series values
 - Output: ordered sequence of future series values



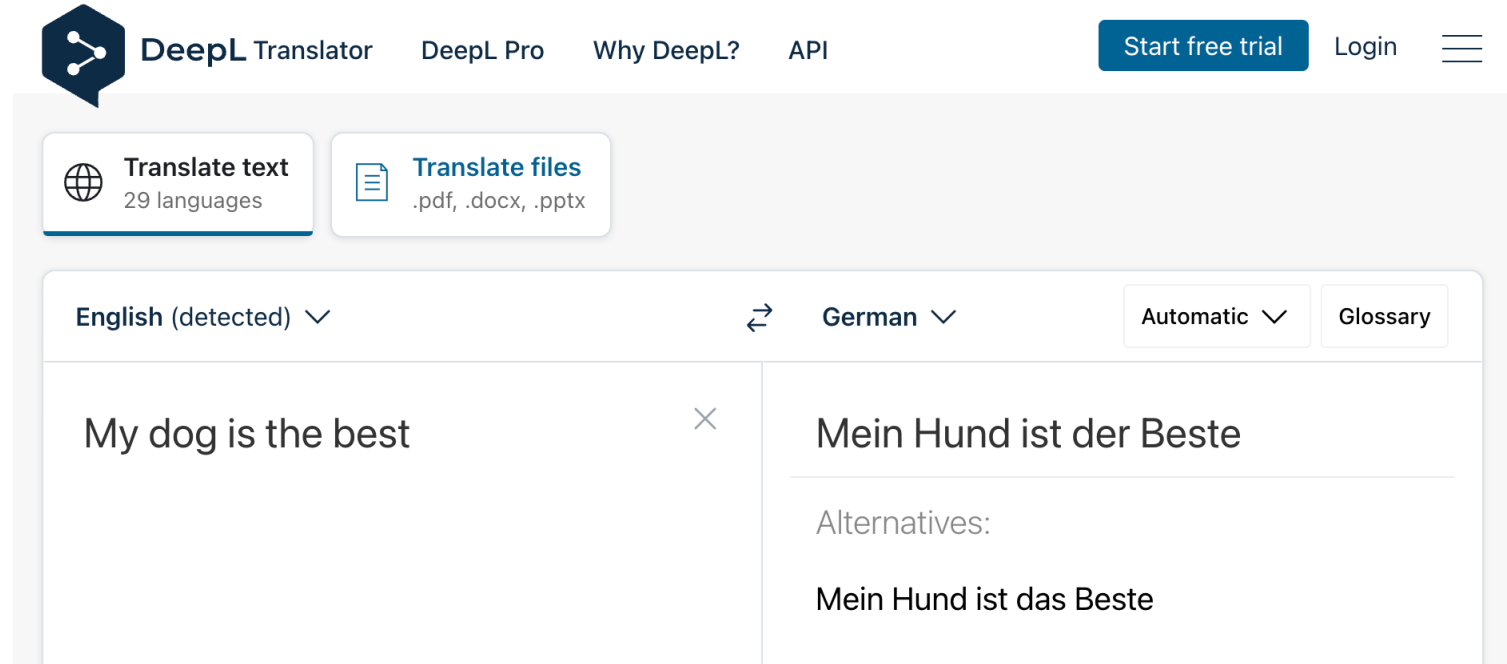
Supervised Learning with Sequences

- Many supervised learning problems deals with ordered sequences
 - Natural Language Processing
 - Input: ordered sequence of words or characters
 - Output: ordered sequence of characters

my dog is the best

Supervised Learning with Sequences

- Many supervised learning problems deals with ordered sequences
 - Machine Translation
 - Input: ordered sequence of words (language X)
 - Input: ordered sequence of words (language Y)



The screenshot displays the DeepL Translator web interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the DeepL logo, links for 'DeepL Translator', 'DeepL Pro', 'Why DeepL?', and 'API', a 'Start free trial' button, and a 'Login' link. Below the navigation bar, there are two main options: 'Translate text' (29 languages) and 'Translate files' (.pdf, .docx, .pptx). The main translation area shows 'English (detected)' on the left and 'German' on the right. The input text is 'My dog is the best' and the output is 'Mein Hund ist der Beste'. There are also buttons for 'Automatic' and 'Glossary'.

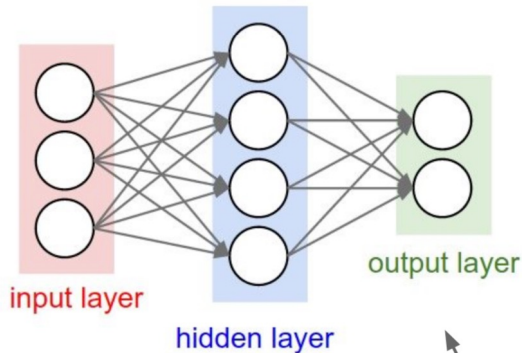
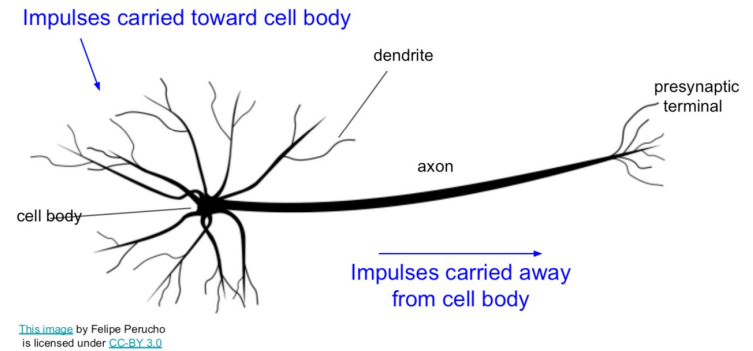
Supervised Learning with Sequences

- Many supervised learning problems deals with ordered sequences
 - Speech Recognition
 - Input: ordered sequence of audio signal
 - output: ordered sequence of words



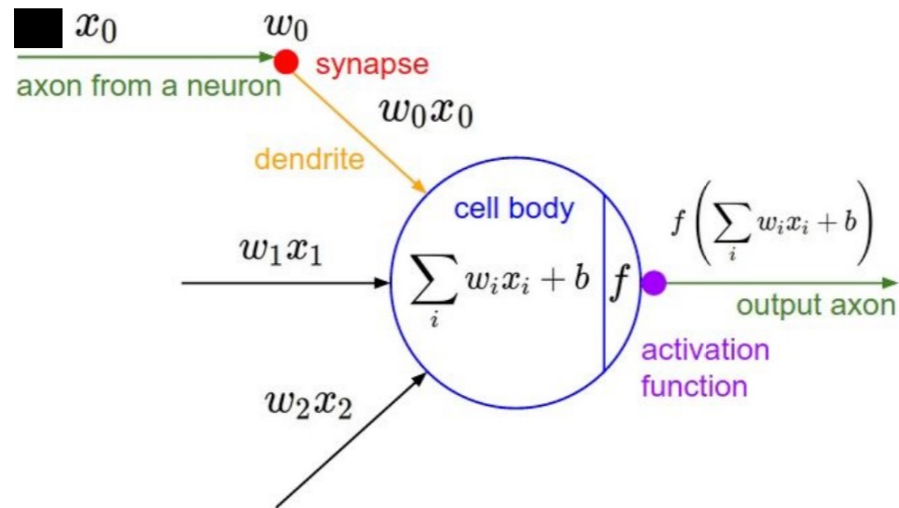
Why Recurrent Neural Networks?

- RNN were created because there were a few issues in the feed-forward neural network:
 - Cannot handle sequential data
 - Considers only the current input
 - Cannot memorize previous inputs

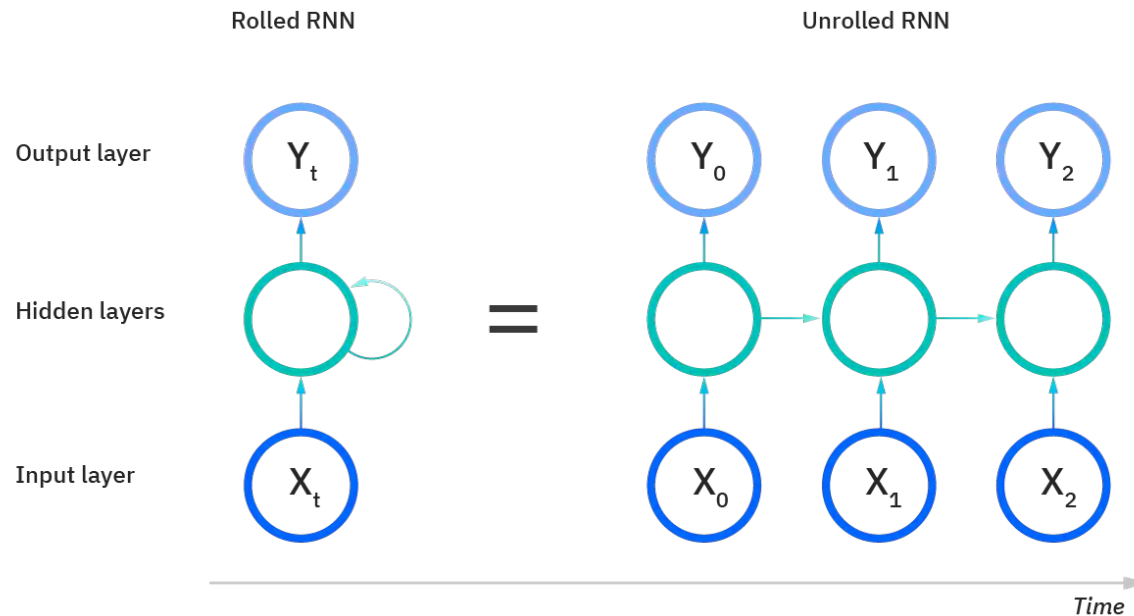


“2-layer Neural Net”, or
“1-hidden-layer Neural Net”

“Fully-connected” layers



What Is a Recurrent Neural Network (RNN)?



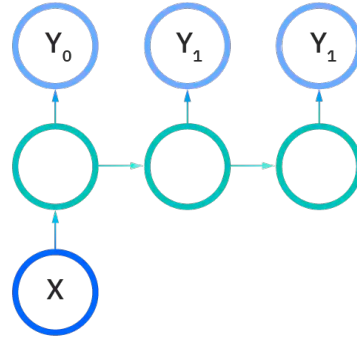
- RNN are distinguished by their “memory” as they take information from prior inputs to influence the current input and output.
- RNN share parameters across each layer of the network

Types of Recurrent Neural Network (RNN)?

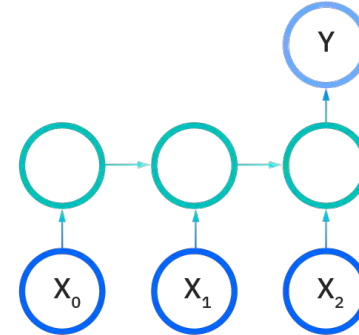
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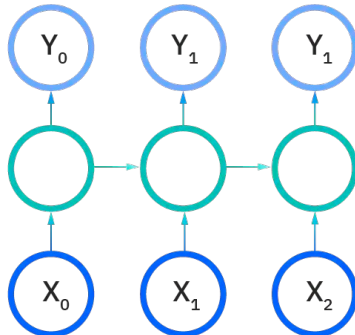
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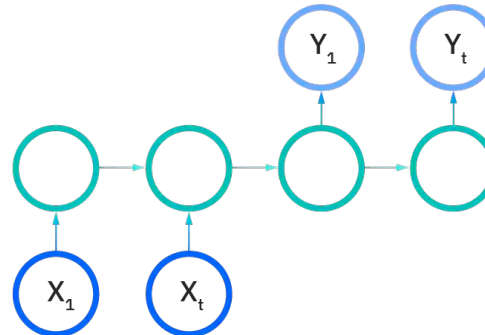
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Many-to-many:

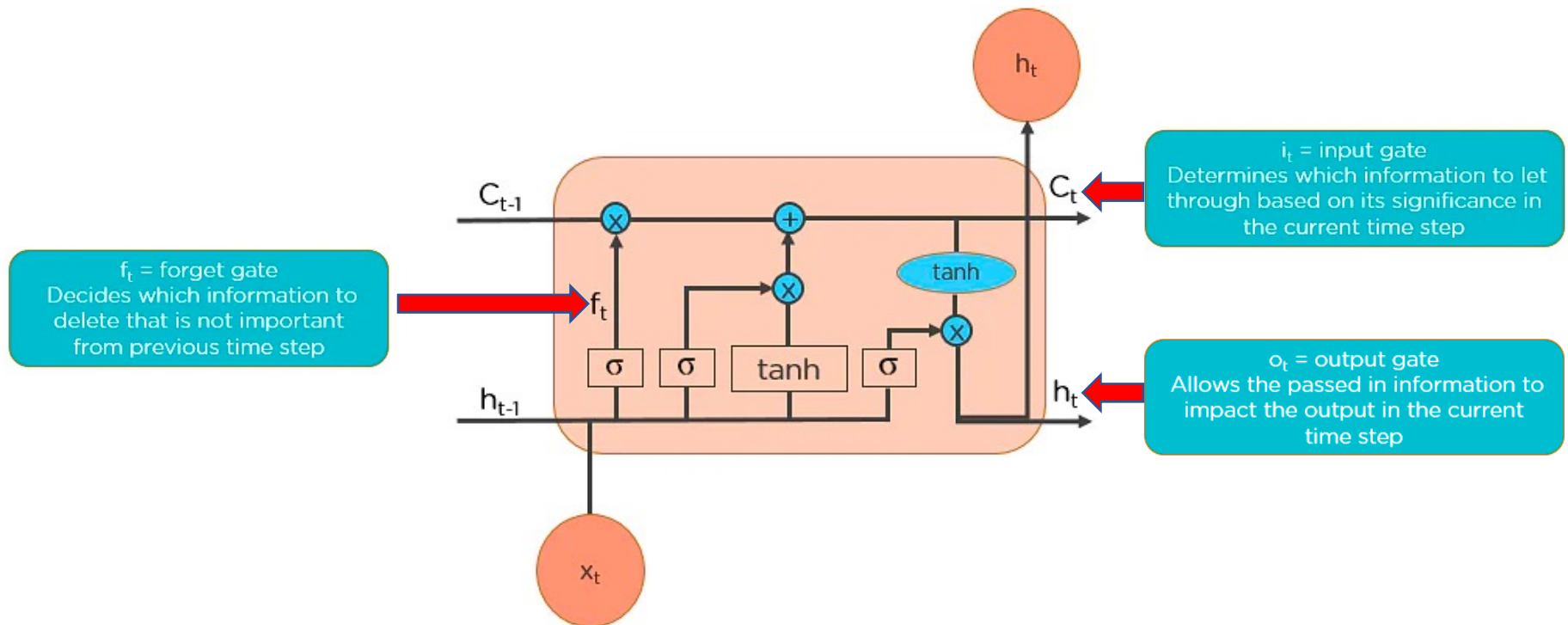


Many-to-many:



Variant RNN architectures

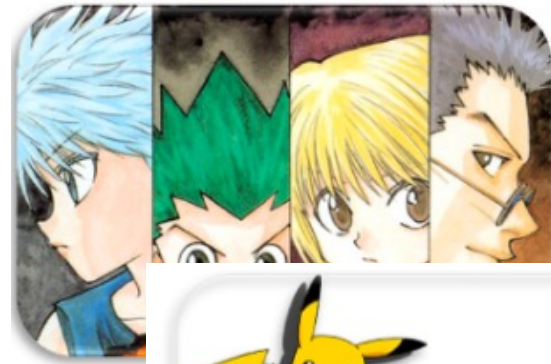
- Long Short-Term Memory Networks
 - LSTMs are a special kind of RNN — capable of learning long-term dependencies by remembering information for long periods is the default behavior.



Generative Adversarial Networks

Generative Adversarial Networks

- GANs can be trained on the images of
 - humans to generate realistic faces.
 - cartoon characters for generating faces of anime characters as well as Pokemon characters.

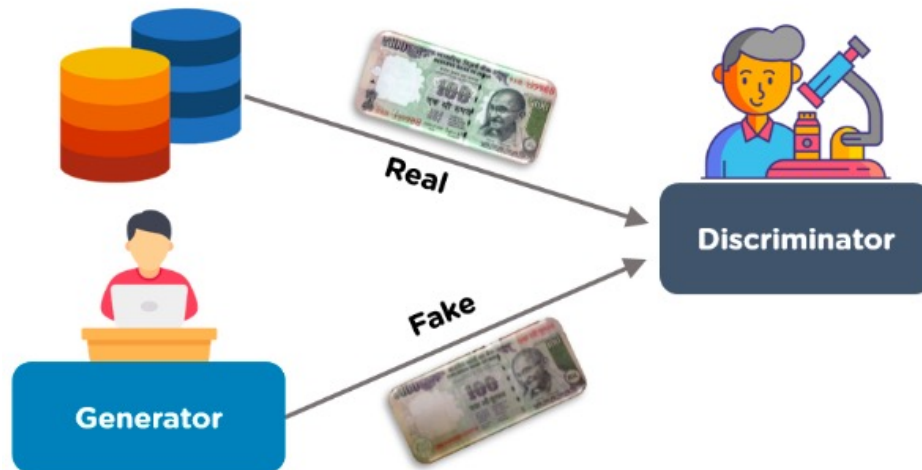


Text to Image

Text description	This bird is red and brown in color, with a stubby beak	The bird is short and stubby with yellow on its body	A bird with a medium orange bill white body and webbed feet	This small black bird has a short, slightly curved bill and long legs	A small bird with varying shades of brown with white under the eyes	A small yellow bird with a black crown and a short black pointed beak
64x64 GAN-INT-CLS						
128x128 GAWWN						
256x256 StackGAN-v1						
256x256 StackGAN-v2						

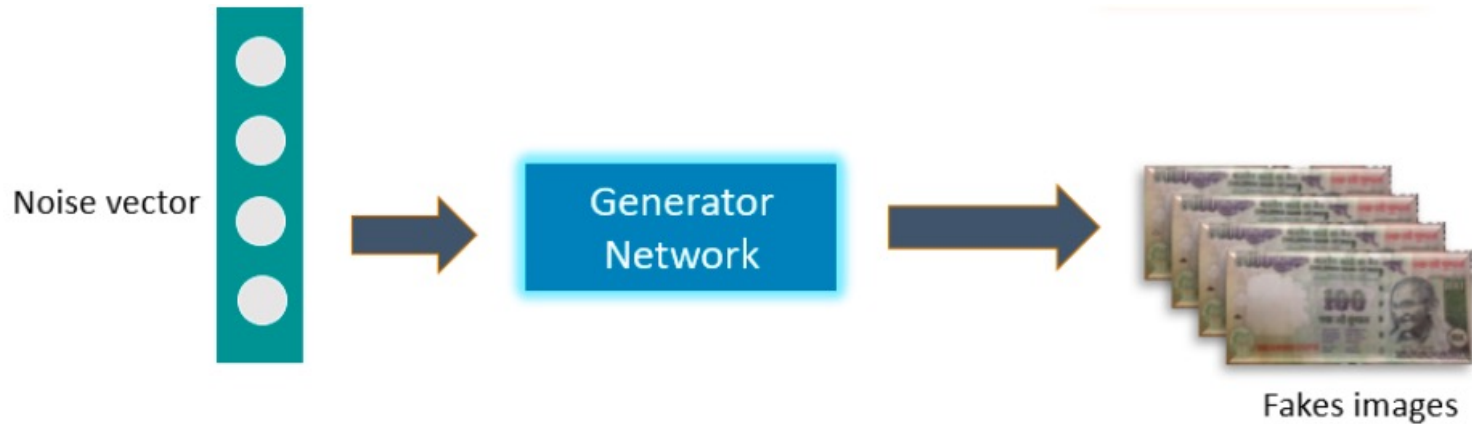
What are Generative Adversarial Networks?

- Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs) were introduced in 2014 by Ian J. Goodfellow
- GANs perform unsupervised learning tasks in machine learning.
- It consists of 2 models that automatically discover and learn the patterns in input data.



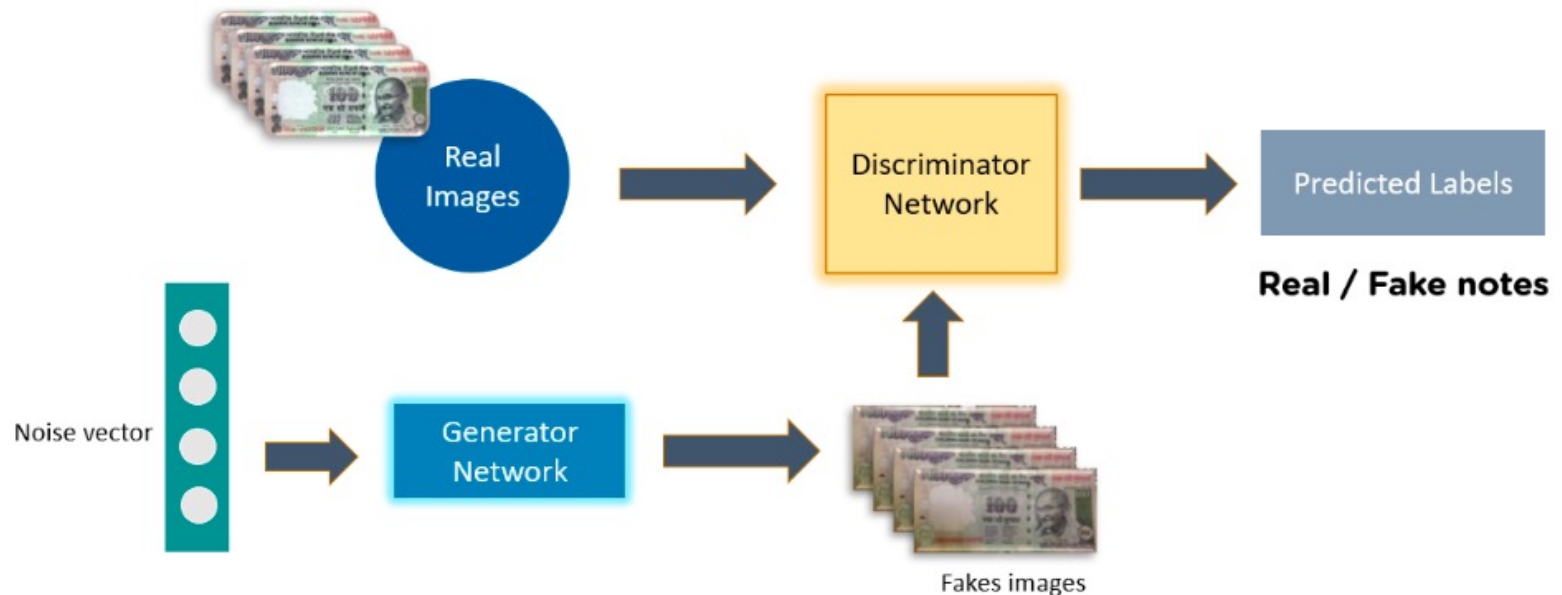
What are Generative Adversarial Networks?

- A Generator in GANs is a neural network that creates fake data to be trained on the discriminator. It learns to generate plausible data.



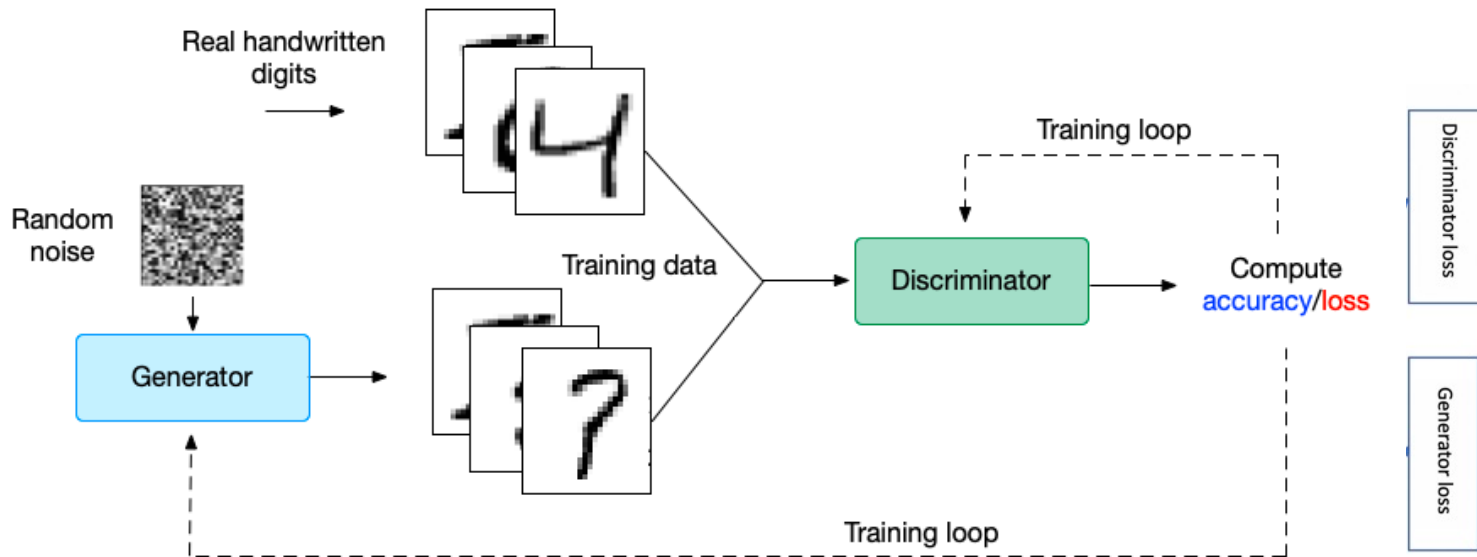
What are Generative Adversarial Networks?

- The Discriminator is a neural network that identifies real data from the fake data created by the Generator. The discriminator's training data comes from different two sources



Steps for Training GAN

1. Define the problem
2. Choose the architecture of GAN
3. Train discriminator on real data
4. Generate fake inputs for the generator
5. Train discriminator on fake data
6. Train generator with the output of the discriminator



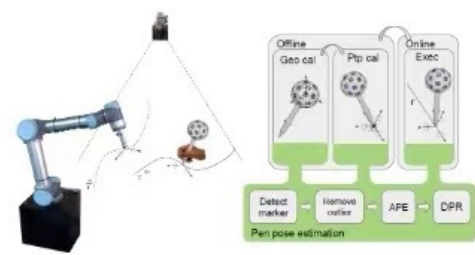
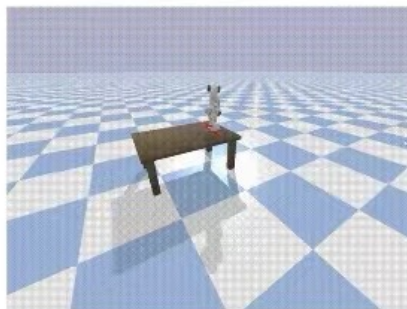
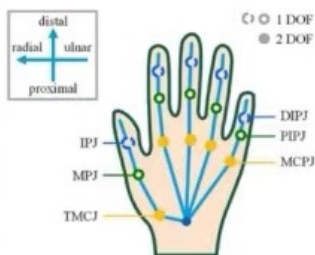
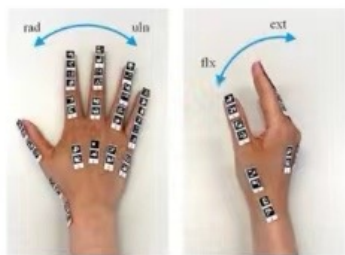
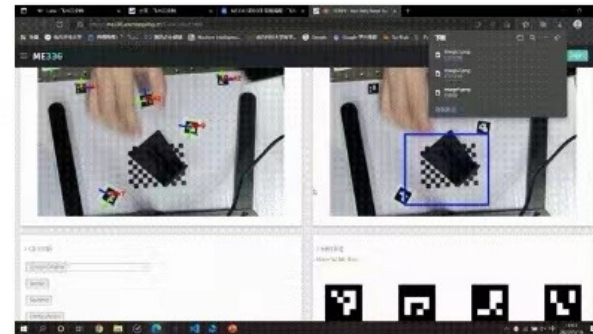
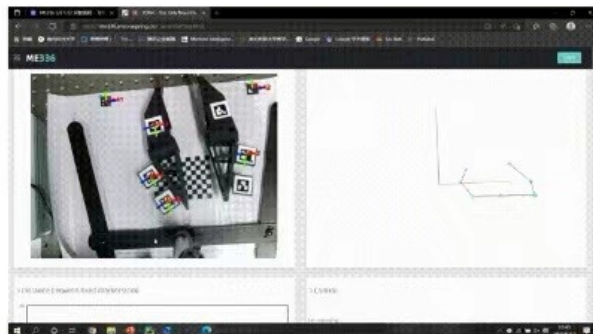
Exercise with Julia

- CNN: Handwritten digits classification
- RNN: AI Generates Shakespeare-like text
- Deep Convolutional GANs (DCGANs): Generate images from noise

Workshop: Data collection

结构化通用表征非结构环境的人机交互系统

应用场景

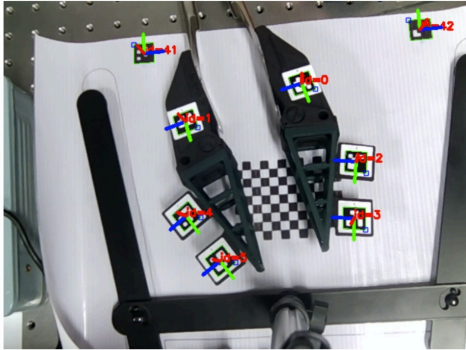


User Manual

- 识别区域

实时显示摄像头画面并且检测二维码

> Live camera



- 数据流绘图区域

该区域实时显示桌垫上两二维码的距离，请在该距离基本稳定时进行实验，如出现剧烈、频繁的波动，则存在光照等影响识别的因素，请适当调整位置使其保持稳定。

> Distance between fixed markers(cm)



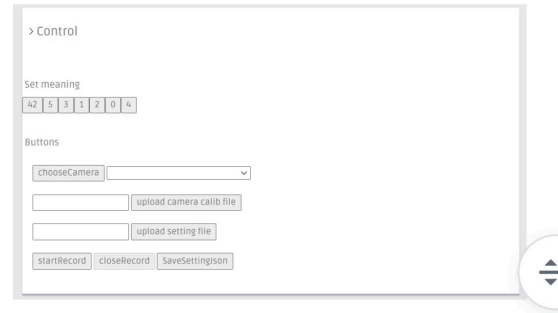
- WebGL辅助区域

对定义完后的物理意义进行可视化，直观的感受区别



- 控制区域

该区域为控制的按钮



当视野中识别到二维码时，Set meaning区域会出现相对应ID的按钮，点击可以进行物理意义的赋予



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- 意义赋予流程

1. 该id二维码所对应的物理意义

输入物理意义后，可视化模块会出现该id对应的青色方块



2. 与该二维码id有关联的第二层级id

输入**整数** 代表另一个相关联的二维码id



3. 这两个id二维码第二层级的物理意义

输入物理意义



4. 这两个二维码第二层级的可视化意义

输入“line”则在可视化界面中会对两个二维码进行连线

输入“midPoint”则在可视化界面中会对两个二维码的中点绘制 灰色物块表征中点



5. Level3 层级的设置本实验不涉及，不输入怎意义赋予流程在此结束



Exercise

- Connect the USB camera to your computer and visit the following website and you will see a web-based GUI for data collection.
 - <https://me336.asyst.design/CustomSetting.html>

Could you teach an intern how to do this task?

sure
↓

nah → If an intern can't do it, neither can a machine (for now).

But, it may be the type of task that only a machine can perform. → Check in with an expert or quick Google search before giving up.

Do you own or are you able to gather (open source / public or buy) sets of the data you need?

got it
↓

no have → No data, no machine learning. Sorry. Go get yourself some data.

**Is the data labelled and organized?
Do you know what you're looking for?**

yes it's supervised
↓

no it's unsupervised → If you're out for detection, prediction, or generation, it's probably possible but might be costly \$\$.

How many labelled examples do you have per category?

>5000
↓

<5000 → Collect more data, brush yourself off and try again.

Do you have any in-house data scientists or machine learning engineers?

nope
↓

yass → What are you waiting for?!

Is there an open-source SDK of API for what you're trying to do?

nope

↓
I'm not sure / I can't find it but I've seen it in an app

↓
yass →

It's looking real hopeful. Go forth.

Tool: Assessing feasibility for idea selection

Use this flowchart to quickly assess how feasible / viable your AI idea is

Activity:

Framing your task for concept development

Google HCML team speak from experience when they say: “Find experts who can be the best possible teachers for your machine learner—people with domain expertise relevant to whatever predictions you’re trying to make. We recommend that you actually hire a handful of them, or as a fallback, transform someone on your team into the role. We call these folks “content specialists” on our team.”

The strength of machine learning is that we don’t have to program the rules explicitly. At this stage of the process, it is helpful to think about them and try construct a logic based on how we humans perform the task.

1

Start with the classic exercise: describe the way a human expert would perform the task or answer the question.

If you were to ask 10 people, would they agree on the method (for the most part)? If some do it better or differently - what can we learn from their approach?

Especially if what you’re predicting is (highly) subjective, spend extra time on this step.

2

Imagine you’re onboarding a new person for this job. What do they need to understand? What assumptions would you want them to make? How would you respond so they improve over time?

3

What’s the nature of the task? Can you box it as an clustering, classification, or regression problem? Refer back to the crash course in the beginning of this toolkit to find the vocabulary. Knowing this will help you understand the task as well as communicate with your tech team.

In the example of Spotify’s Discover Weekly, **the human expert** would be a music lover on the hunt for new music.

Do you have data of past well-executed and completed tasks? This could be used as an initial training data set.

Tip:

Draw a diagram of the current workflow including IFTT statements and data required to make decisions.

Activity:

Plotting your model for concept development

By plotting a simple flowchart, we can begin forming a rough idea of the inputs, outputs, and logic required for our model to create value. We're also surfacing our assumptions and unknowns in the process.

1

Objective - What is the question we're trying to answer and asking the machine?

Output - How is the machine's answer presented and interpreted?

2

Features - What data points do you need or are important factors in answering the question?

Input - Which data sets does that data reside in? What data will the model be trained on?

What data does the user input?

+ Draw connections between the assumed features and data sets they reside in.

3

User experience - How does the outcome get presented to and help the user?

Business value - How does the solution return value to the organization?

AI answers (mostly) in probabilities with a confidence level.

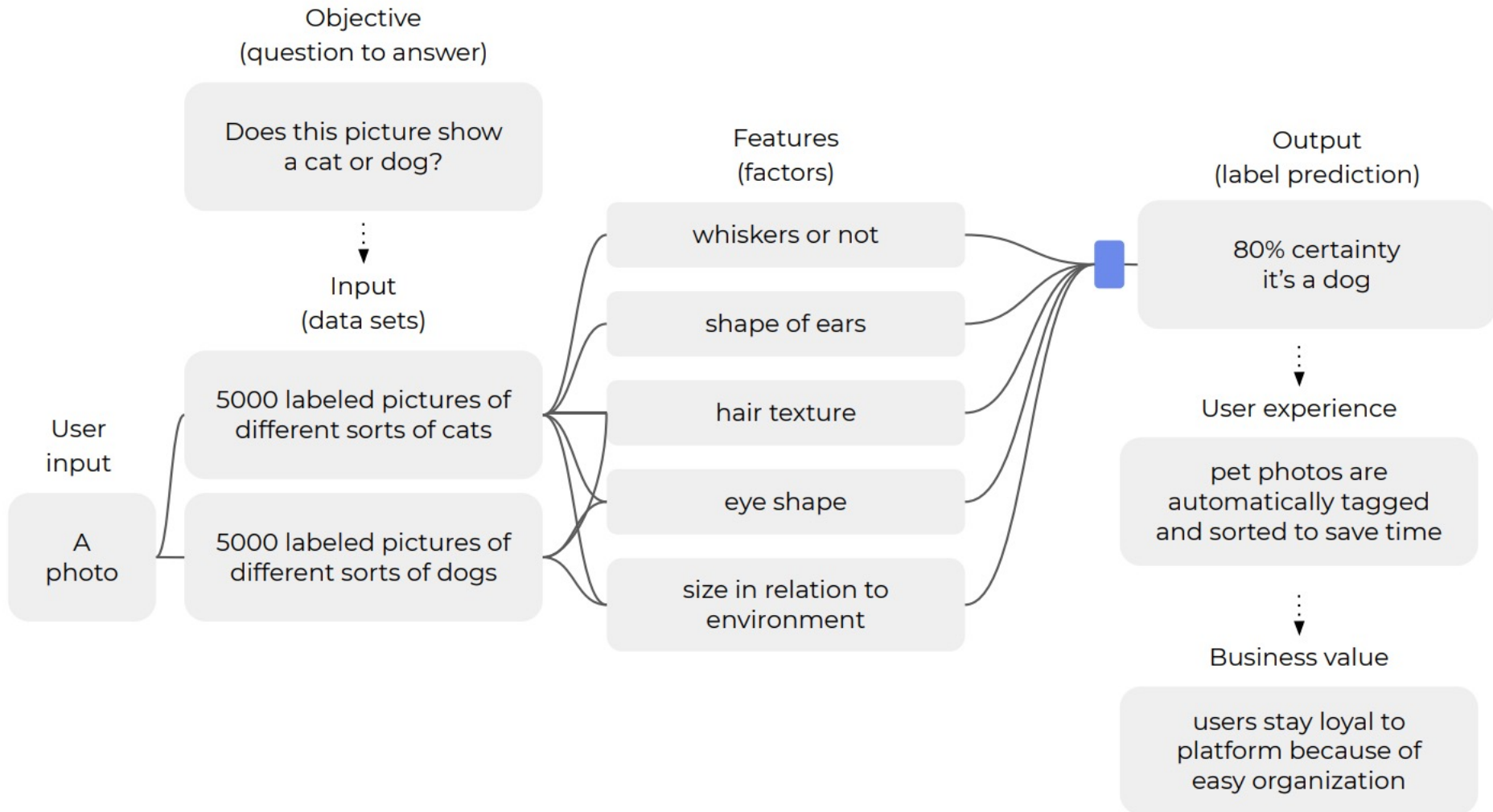
Formulate your output as a **probability**.

Do you know which features go into the answer? Think about the variables and patterns humans look at when performing this task or answering this question.

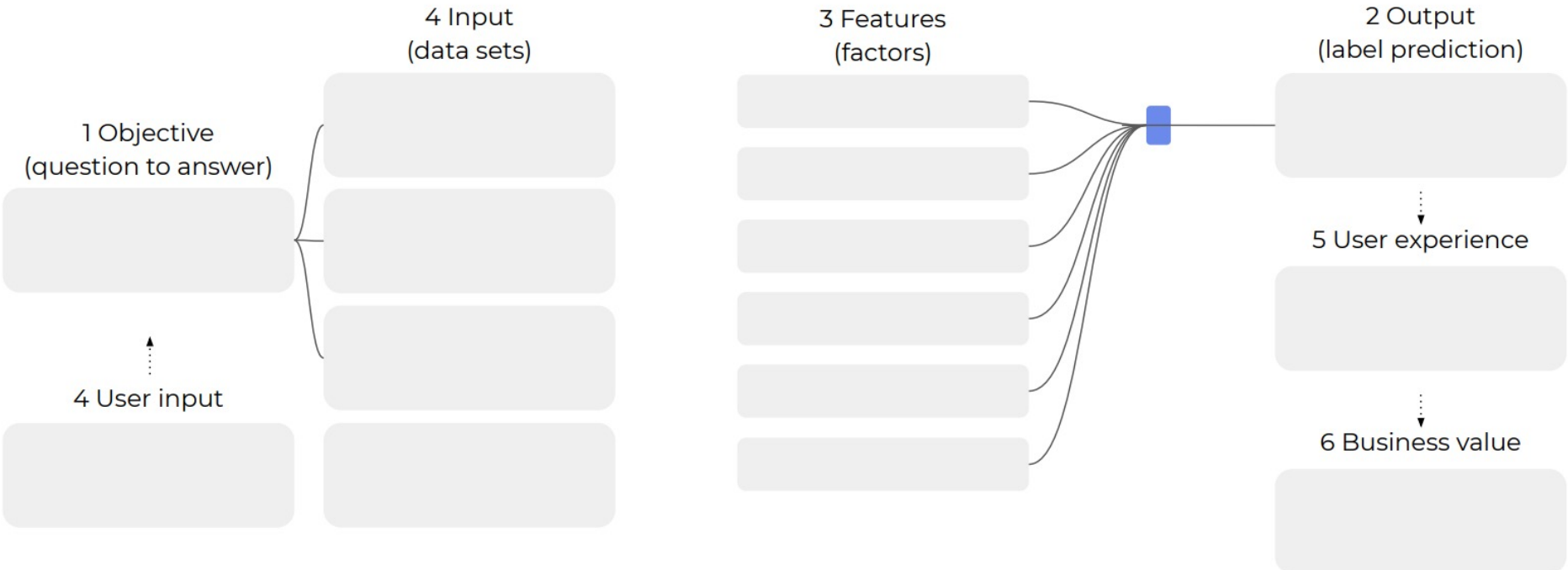
Do you have this **data to input**? If not, how do you acquire it?

Activity:

Plotting your model for concept development



Worksheet: Plotting your model



- 1 Objective**
What is the question we're trying to answer and asking the machine?
- 2 Output**
How is the machine's answer presented and interpreted?

Formulate your output as a probability.
- 3 Features**
What data points do you need or are important factors in answering the question?

Do you know which features go into the answer? Think about the variables and patterns humans look at when performing this task or answering this question.
- 4 Input**
Which data sets does that data reside in? What data will the model be trained on? What data does the user input?

Do you have this data to input? If not, how do you acquire it?
- + Connect**
Draw connections between the assumed features and data sets they reside in.
- 5 User experience**
How does the outcome get presented to and help the user?
- 6 Business value**
How does the solution return value to the organization?

Prototyping + testing

You're with a handful of ideas and it's time to get more in-depth with your user research. Through prototyping and testing, you (in)validate your AI ideas and their design and implementation specs.

Do users want and need your solution? Are they open to adoption? Are they willing to share data and invest themselves into training the model (if necessary)? How can we test rather than just ask? How can we prototype the experience of adaptive intelligent systems?

In this chapter you will find:

User research & feedback

to know what to inquire about in addition to the usual

Prototyping & testing

to explore how to prototype and test AI applications

Activity:

User research & feedback for assessing desirability

1

Assuming you did initial user research to inform your concepts so far, now it's time to go out and (in)validate your value proposition in more detail. First assess your need as you do for any problem, asking:

- What problem does it solve or opportunity does it tap into?
- Who benefits and in what scenario?
- How pressing is the problem? For how many?
- What do they gain from the new solution? How and how much better is it than the current solution? What other advantages do they see?

Activity:

User research & feedback for assessing desirability

Iterate on your value proposition statement based on your learnings and get ready to prototype for deeper insights.

2

Once you've validated that this is indeed a problem worth solving, gather insights about your users' perspective on the AI aspects of your concept(s).

Mental models

What are their notions about having an intelligent, adaptive system work for them? Are they willing to adopt it? How important is transparency? Depending on how visible your AI elements are, this might be more or less important.

Defining success and failure

How accurate must the model be to offer user value? How high are the costs of mistakes? What would best vs worst behavior look like?

Machine teaching

What does the user need to invest to get value out of the system? Are they willing to share the data your model needs? Are they willing to provide the necessary feedback and teach the model?

Ethical & experiential concerns

What concerns do they have? Do major ethical concerns arise? Unintended consequences, edge cases, and extreme users?

Activity:

Prototyping & testing for assessing desirability

1

Prototype

To test desirability, opt to simulate the experience without building the model and observing the responses.

Testing the concept offering can be done with product / service posters or app marketplace.

Common prototyping techniques for AI are:

Role playing

Wizard of Oz

Personalized wireframes.

Where possible, gather and use real-life personal data in your prototypes rather than placeholder content.

Provotypes (prototypes that provoke) can also be a great way to build an understanding of your users' needs.

"Fake it till you make it. If forced to choose, it's leaps-and-bounds more useful to prototype your UX with a user's real content than it is to test with real ML models - as it affords you genuine insights into the way people will derive value and utility from your (theoretical) product."

by Google Clips' team
on UX of AI

Activity:

Prototyping & testing for assessing desirability

2

Testing

Do user testing as usual and observe users' behavior. Ask them to think out loud as they're interacting with your artefact.

Keep in mind that while testing is important to understand your user, working with adaptive systems requires the designer to sacrifice a certain level of control over the final user experience exactly because it will adapt to each user and over time.

3

Analysis & selection

Analyse and synthesize your findings. Based on all your findings, decide which idea(s) (if any) to move forward with.

It can help to revisit some of the activities in idea selection phase and reconsider feasibility, viability, desirability, and responsibility.



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Thank you~

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