

pooling (makes model less sensitive to changes such as shifting)

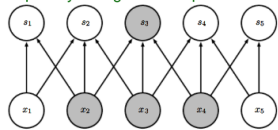
Since you're taking max/avg of the values in the window, it doesn't matter where the window is.

Convolution  $\rightarrow$  Strong prior? low entropy

weights of one hidden unit  $\rightarrow$  close to the neighbor, identical but shifted

Convolutional net is similar to a fully connected net but with an infinitely strong prior over its weights

- It says that the weights for one hidden unit must be identical to the weights of its neighbor, but shifted in space
- Prior also says that the weights must be zero, except for in the small spatially contiguous receptive field assigned to that hidden unit



Convolution with a kernel of width 3  
 $s_3$  is a hidden unit. It has 3 weights which are the same as for  $s_4$

- Convolution introduces an infinitely strong prior probability distribution over the parameters of a layer

low variance  $\Rightarrow$  local interactions

$$y = w_0 + w_1x + w_2x^2 + w_3x^3$$

$(w_0, w_1, w_2, w_3)$

Pooling also has strong prior

N convolutions  $\rightarrow$  1 pooling  
(needn't be after 1 conv 1 pooling)

we did till

9-4

: 9-10  $\rightarrow$  neuroscientific basis  
(read when free)