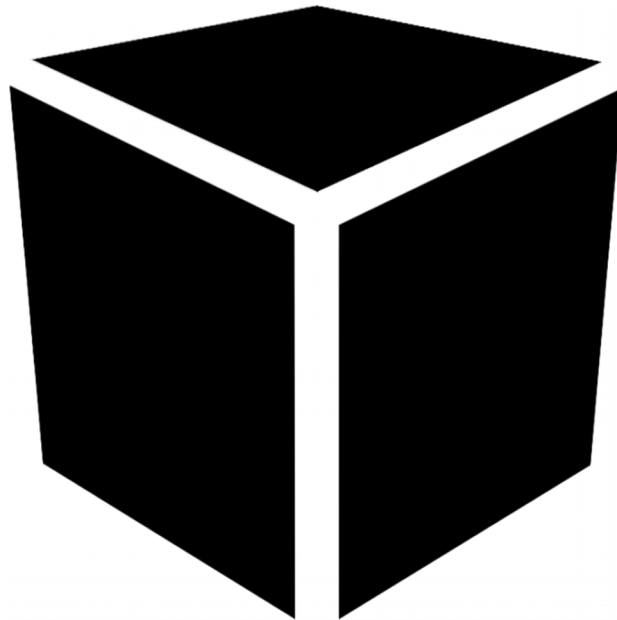
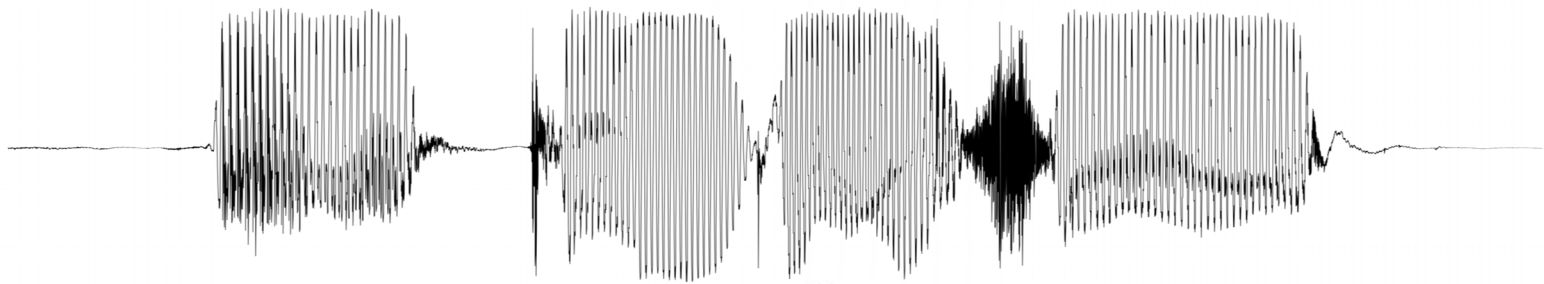


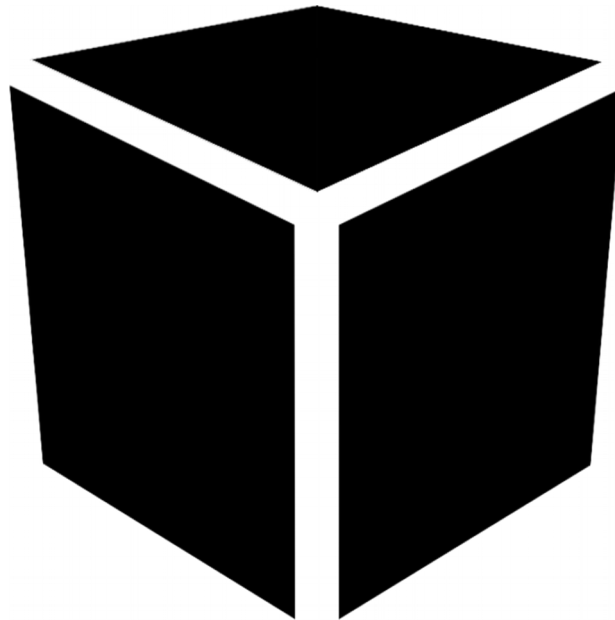
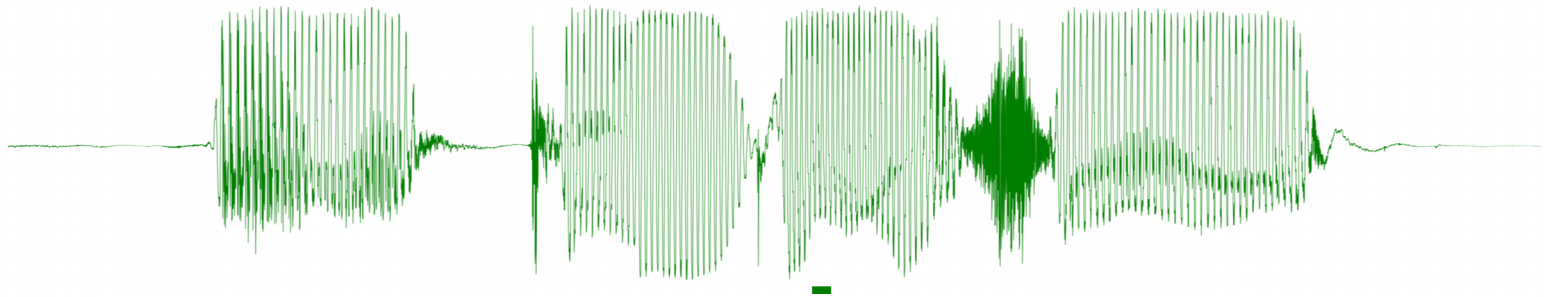
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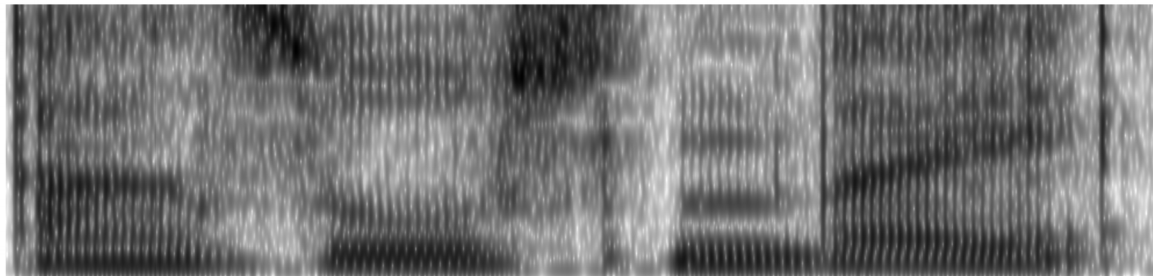
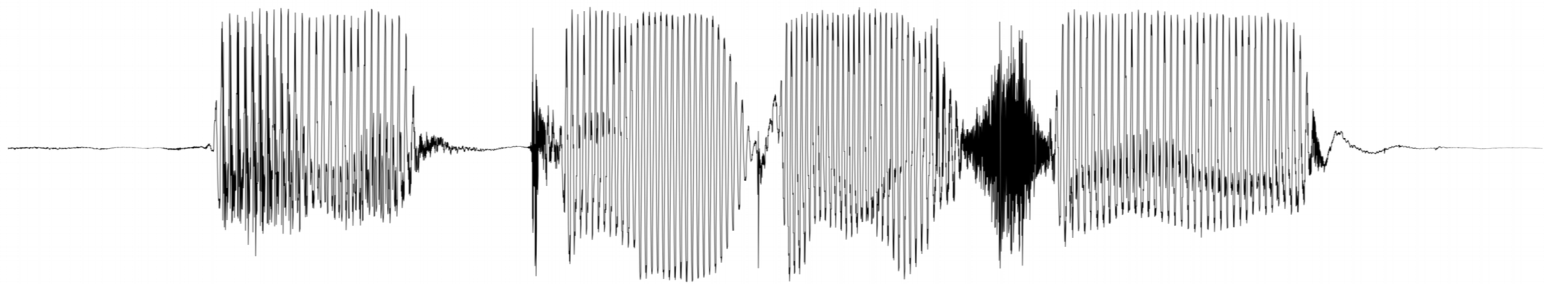
The dog



DATA

MODEL

"The dog"



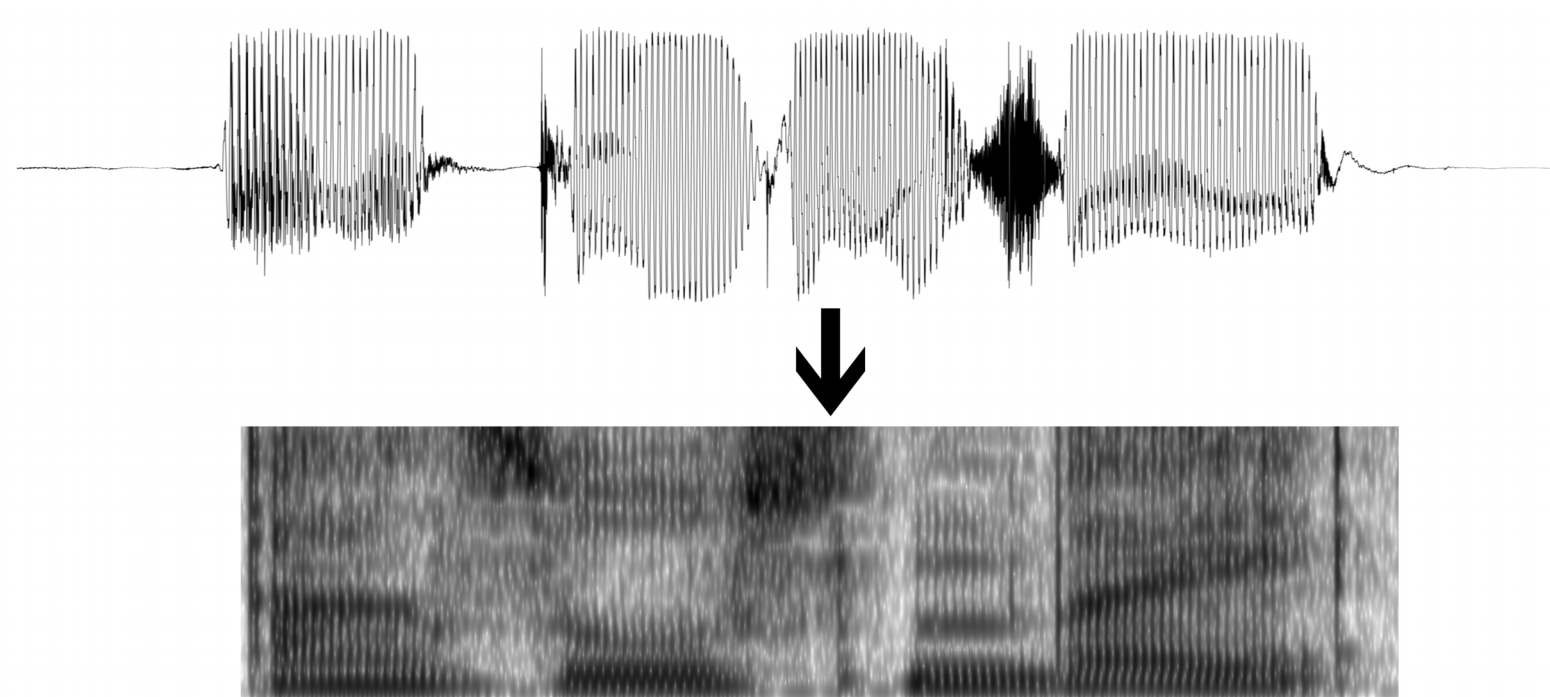
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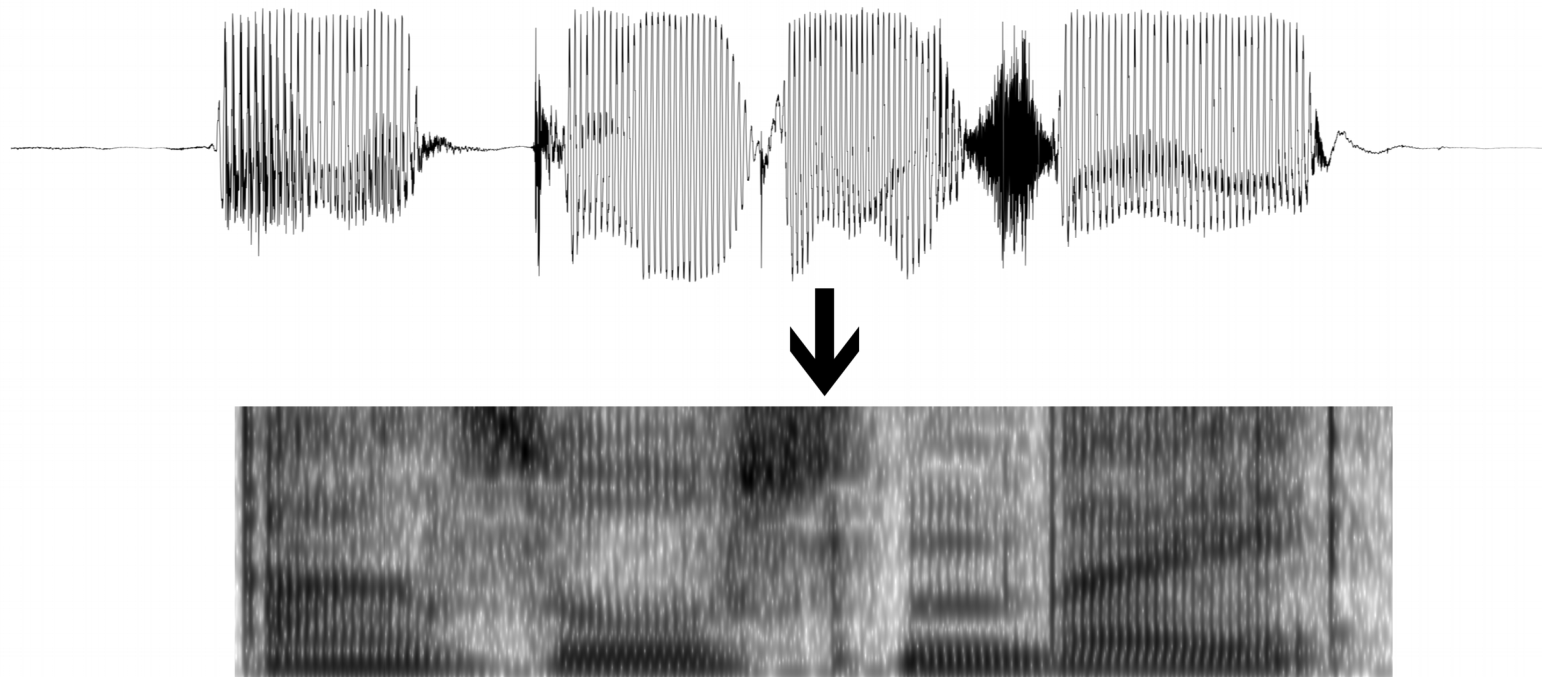
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- Sliding window feature extraction



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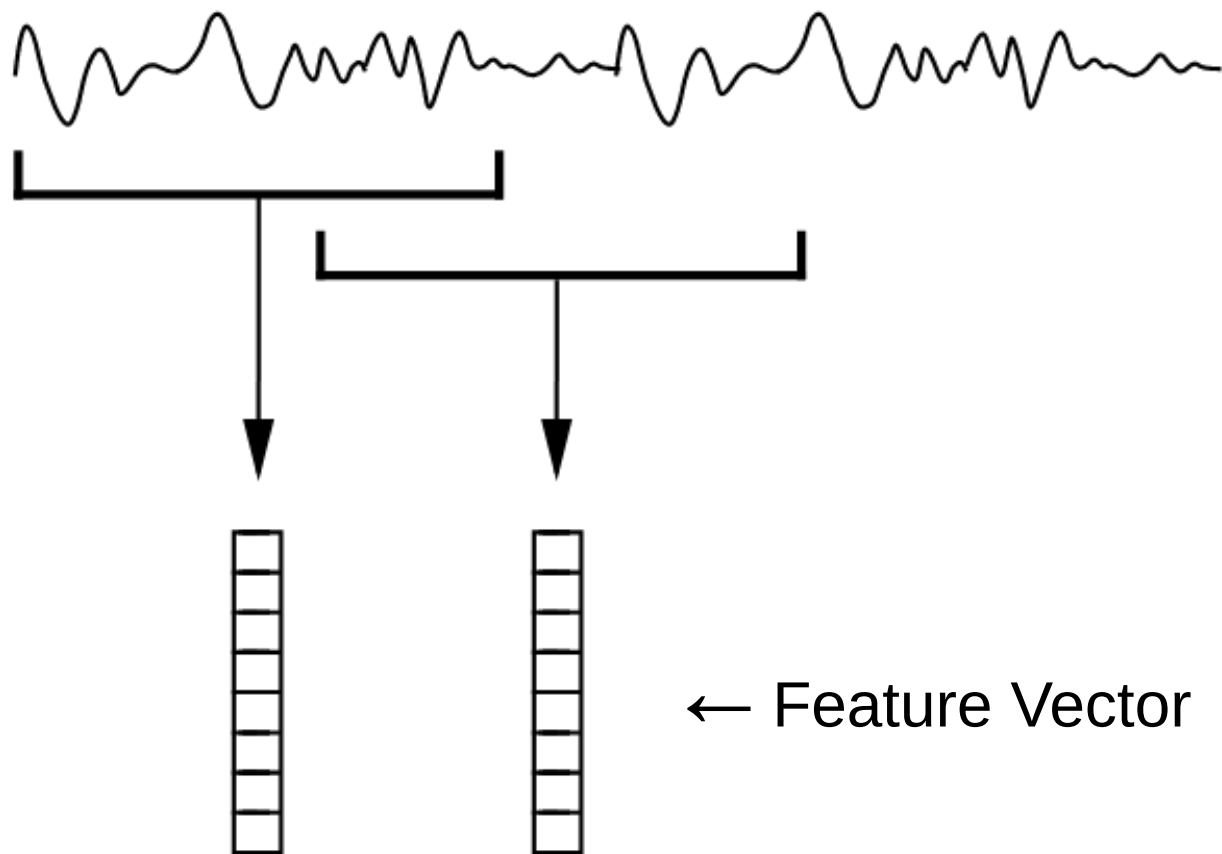
- Sliding window **feature** extraction



* a **feature** is measurable characteristic of the data
(e.g. loudness of a certain frequency)

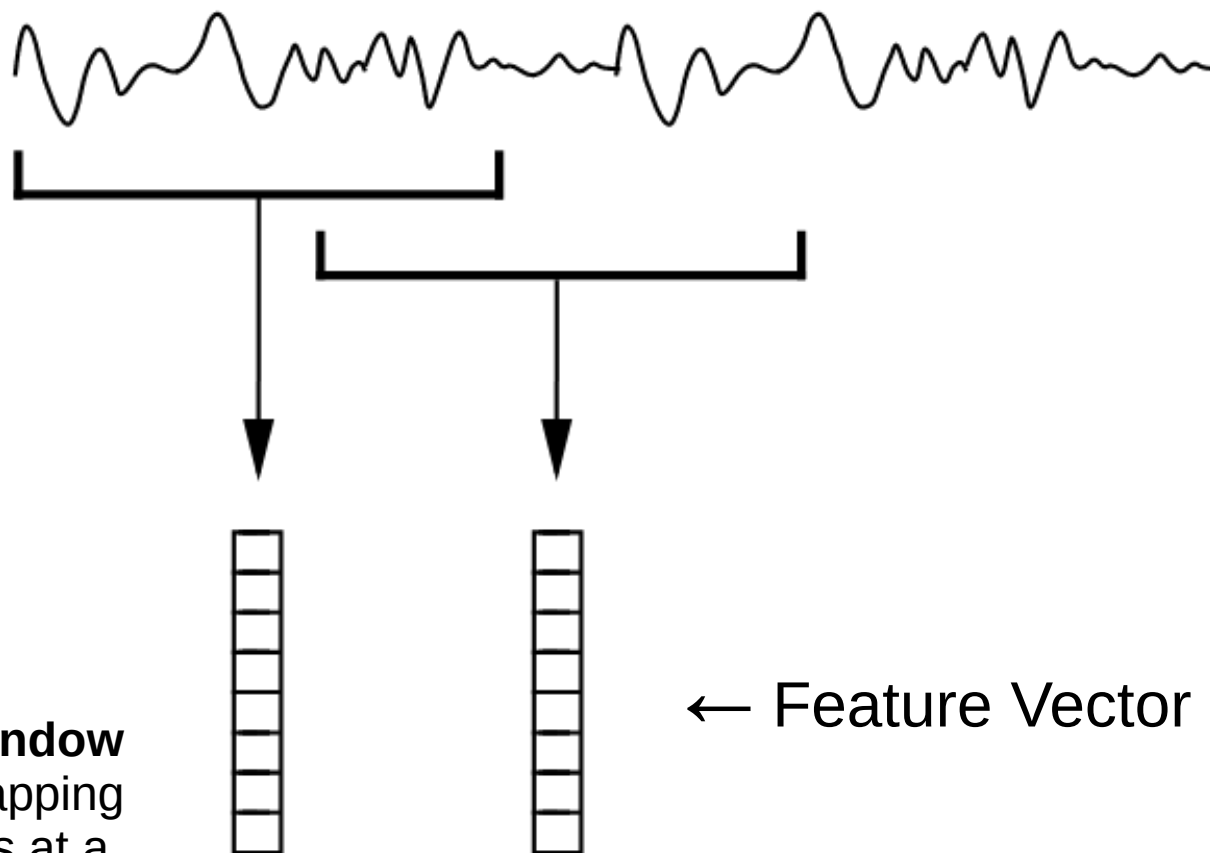
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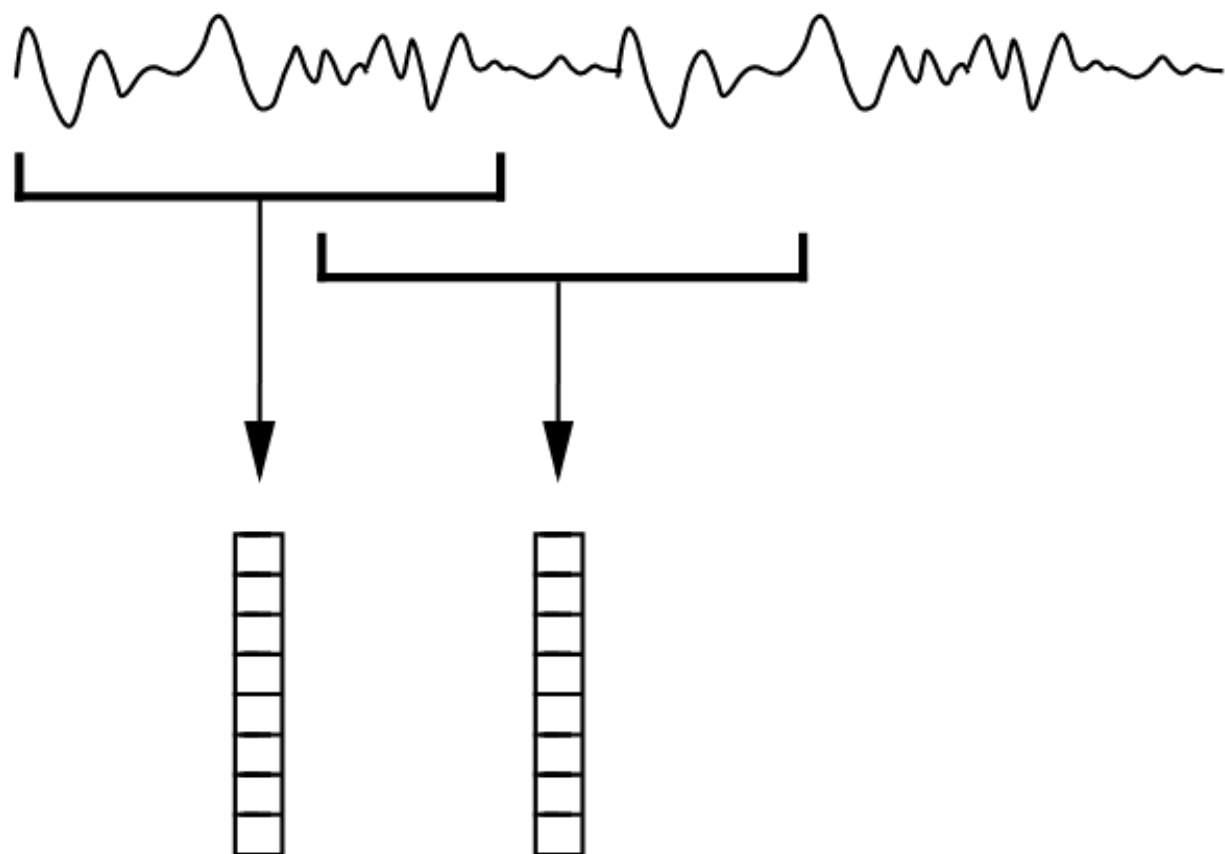
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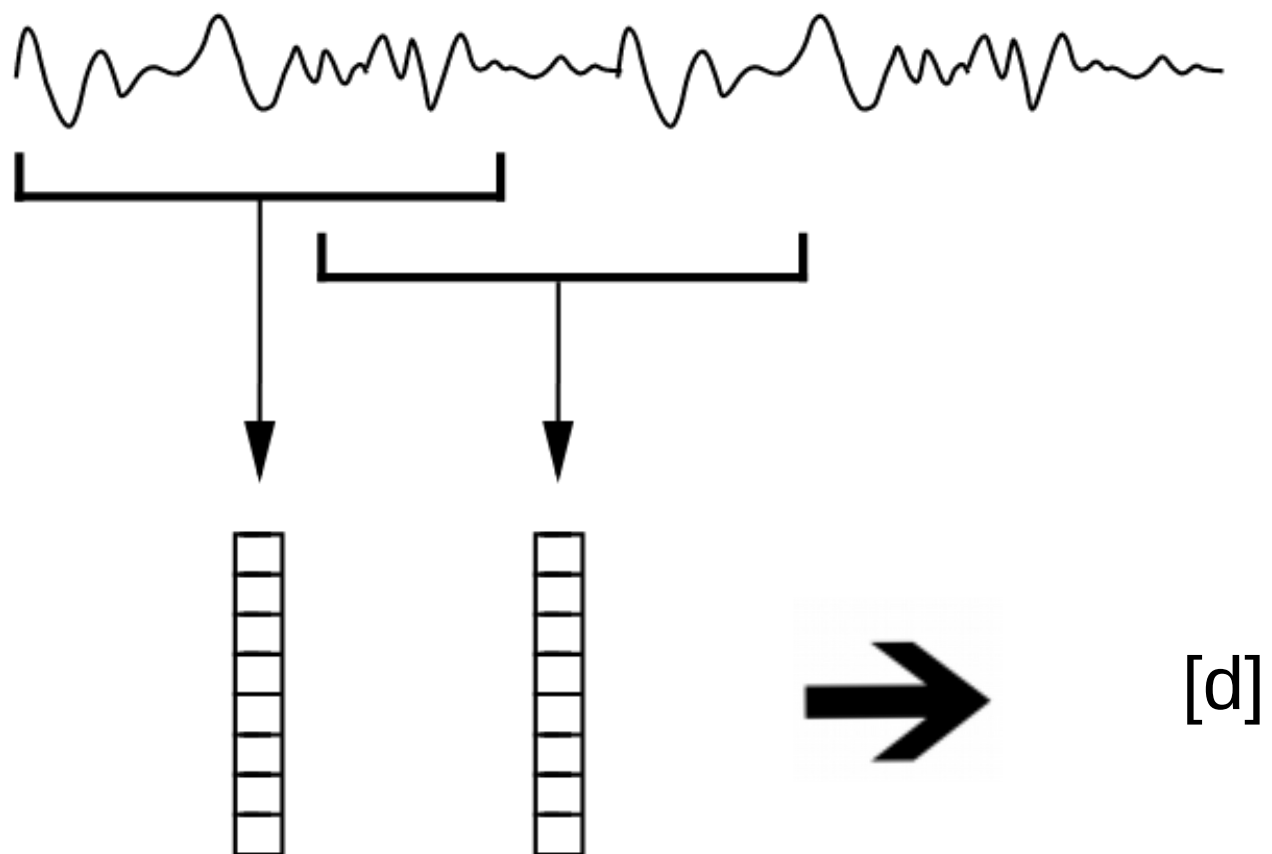
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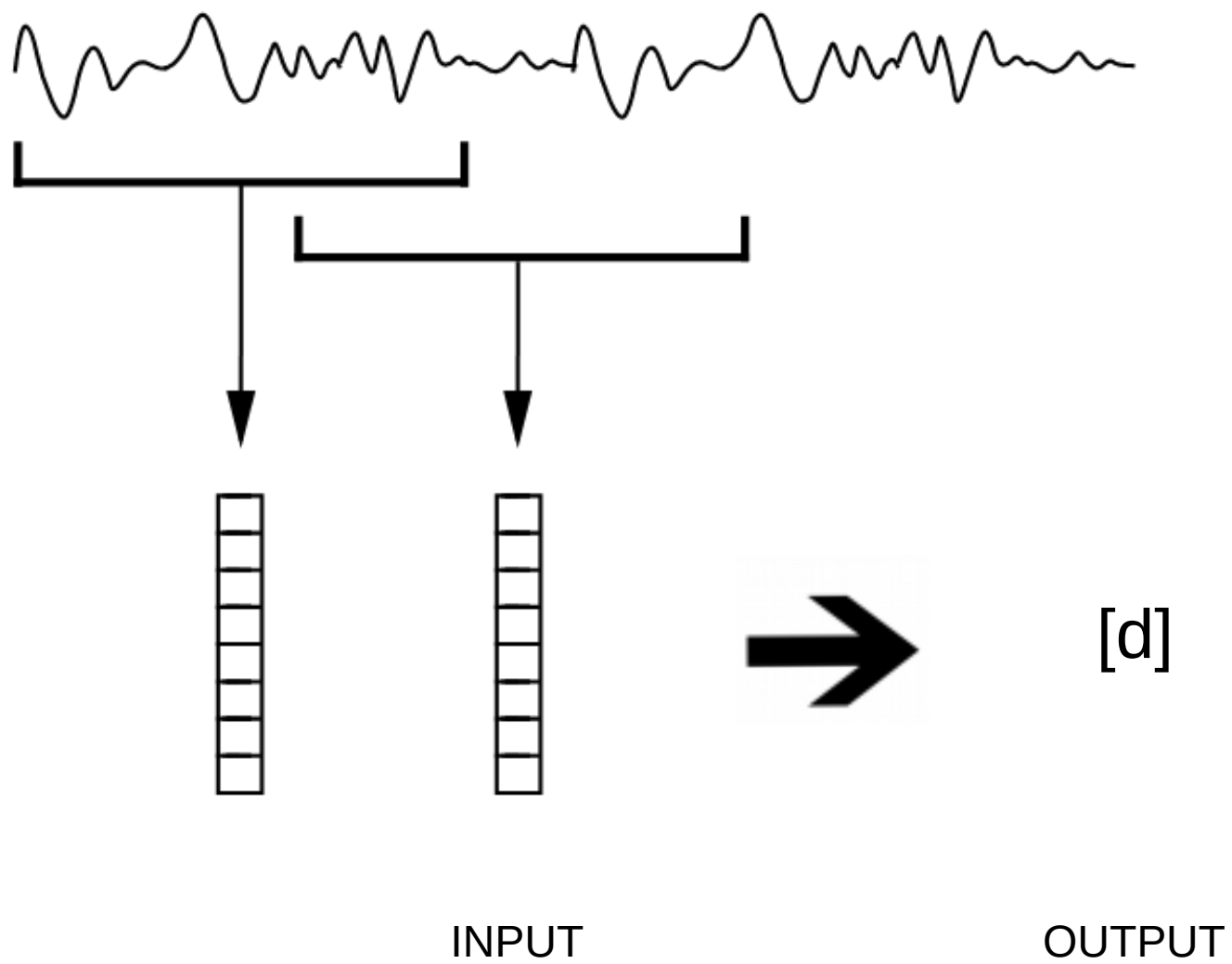


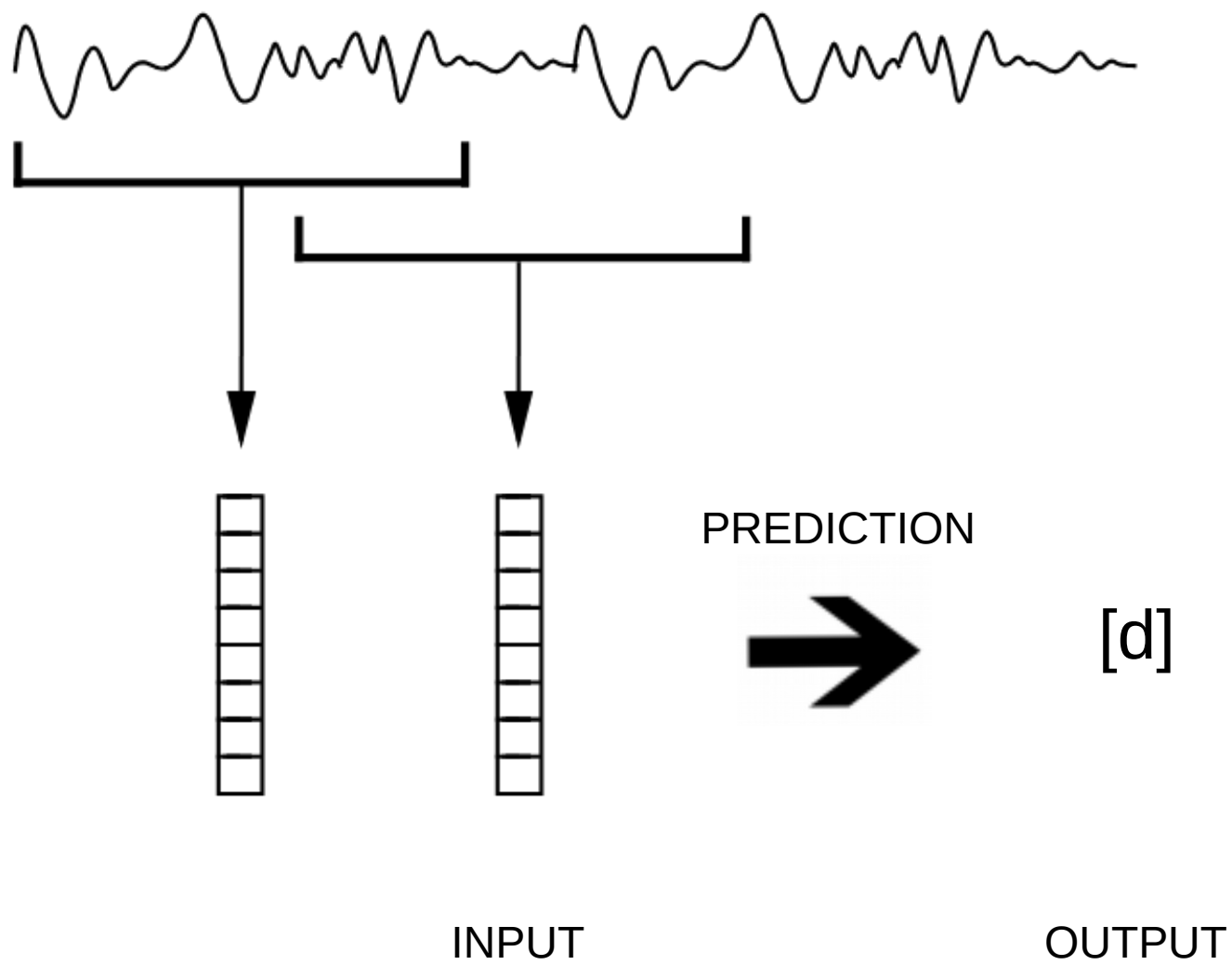
* the **sliding window** will make overlapping audio snapshots at a moment in time

← Feature Vector



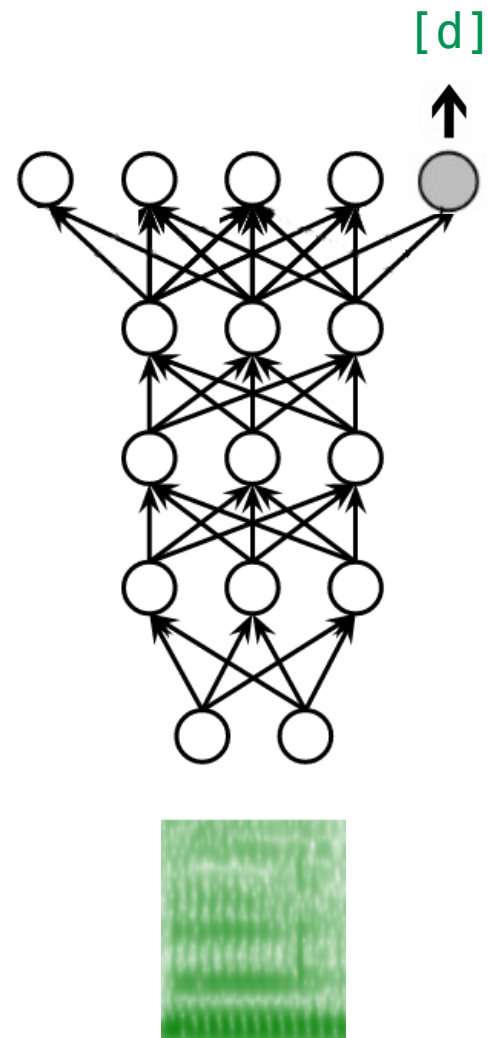






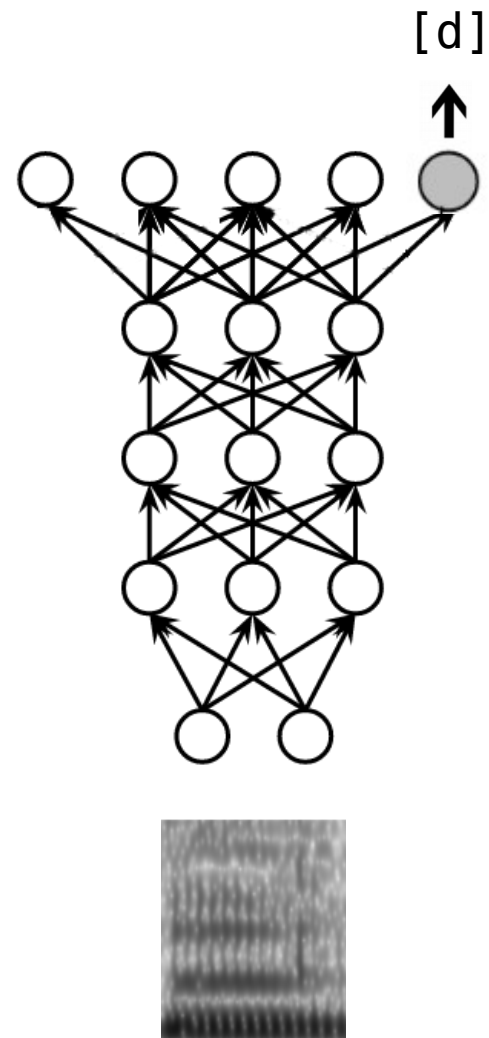
DeepSpeech TRAINING

- Labeled Data
- Parameter Search



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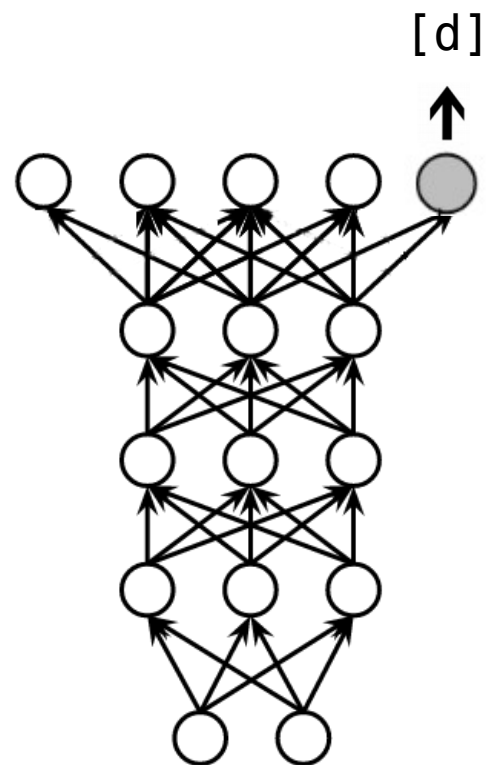
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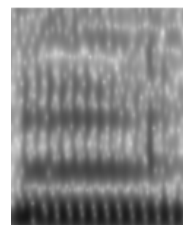
* **parameters** are the connection weights

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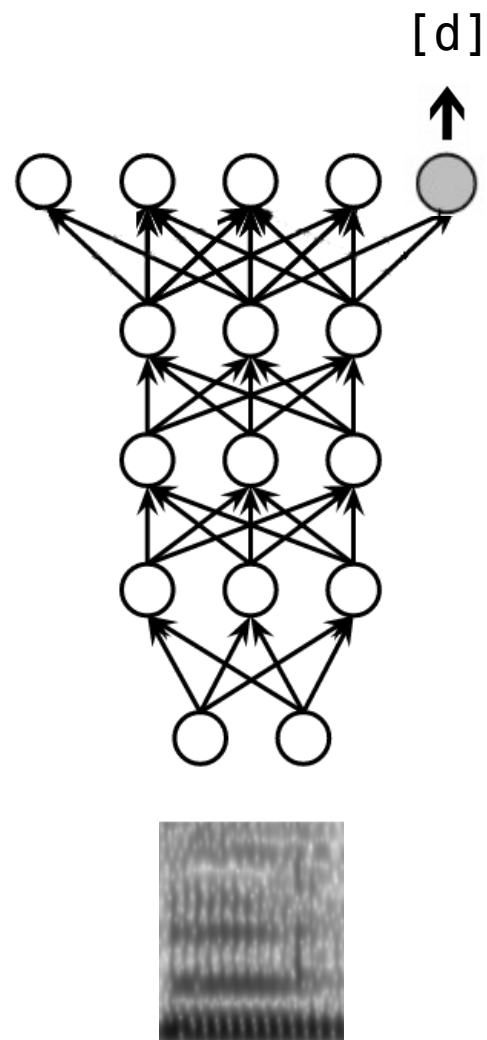


* **search** is finding best connection weights for the given data



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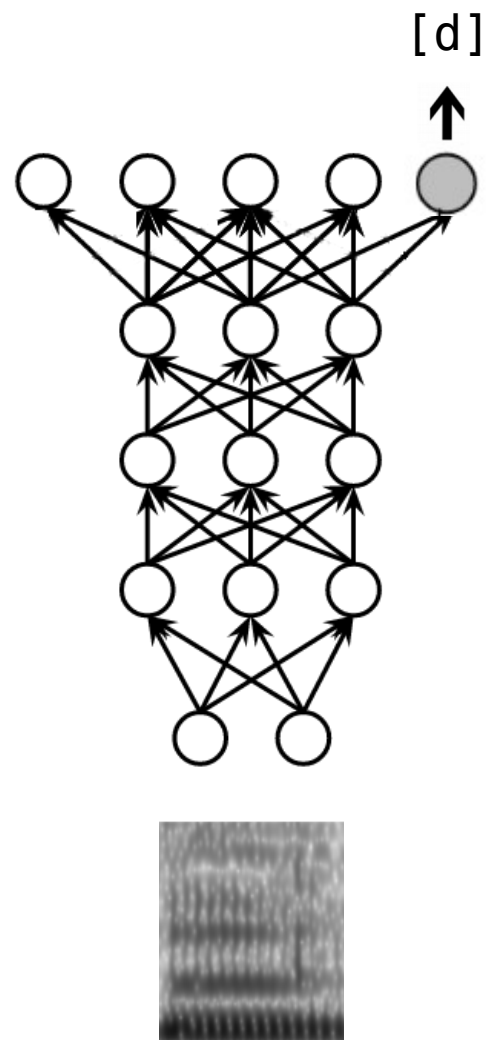
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- **Iterative** Parameter Search



* we will **iterate** over the data, updating parameters incrementally

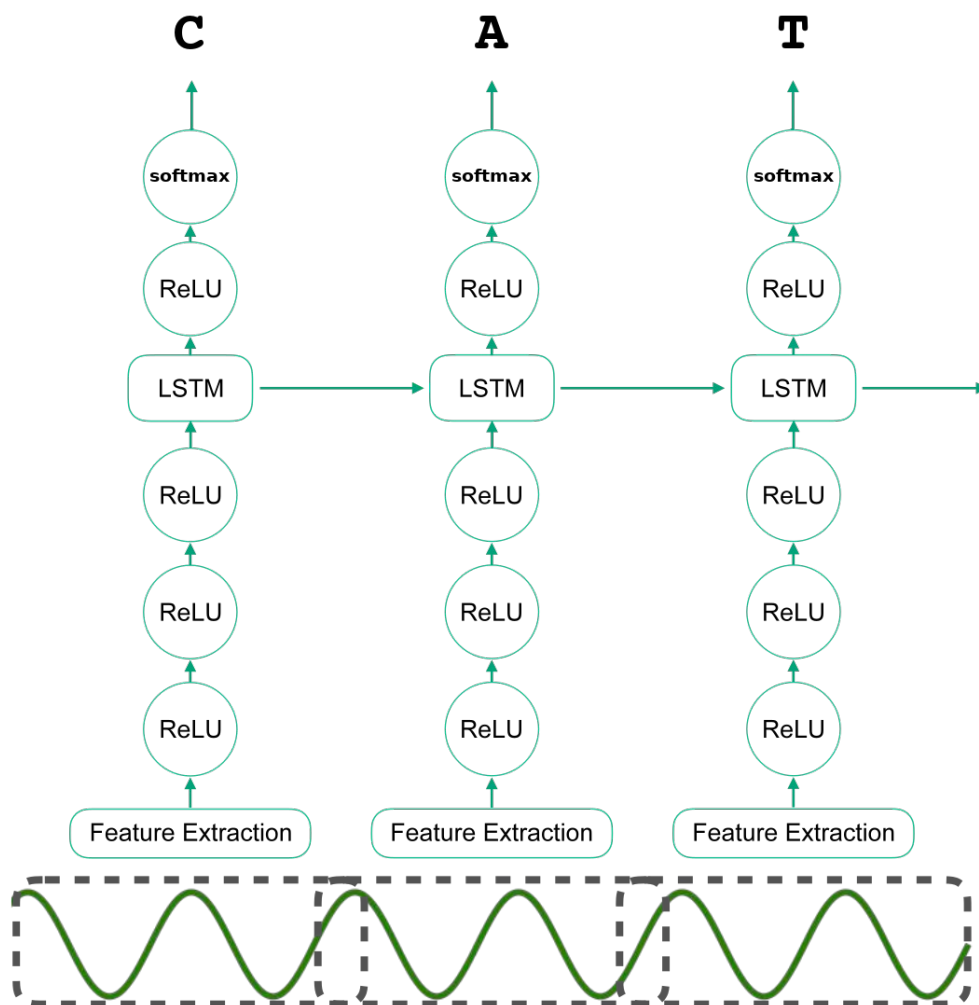
DeepSpeech TRAINING

- Labeled Data
- **Good** Parameter Search



* **good** parameters will maximize the probability of predicting letters found in unseen data

For more information* on DeepSpeech architecture...



* check out Reuben's blog post for more

www.hacks.mozilla.org/2018/09/speech-recognition-deepspeech

Thanks for your attention:)

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