

Language Modelling for Text Prediction

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Do you want to grab a _____

Do you want to grab a drink 0.327
coffee 0.211
bite 0.190
spot 0.084
⋮ ⋮

N-gram

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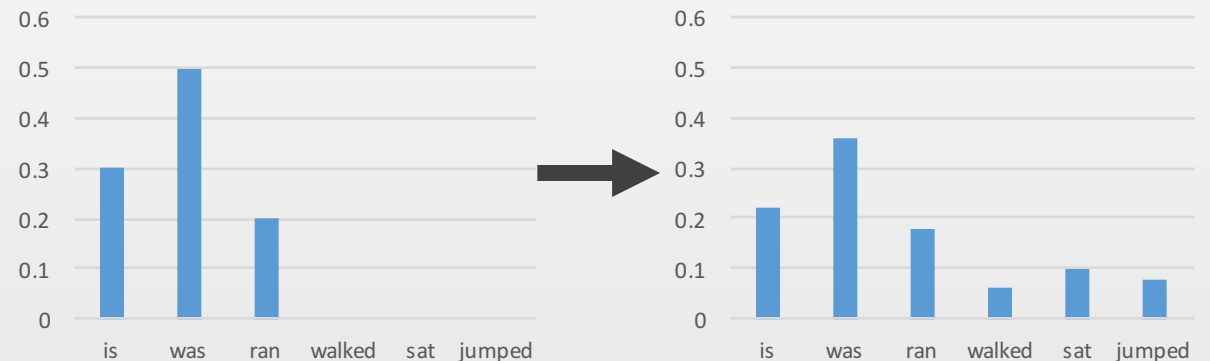
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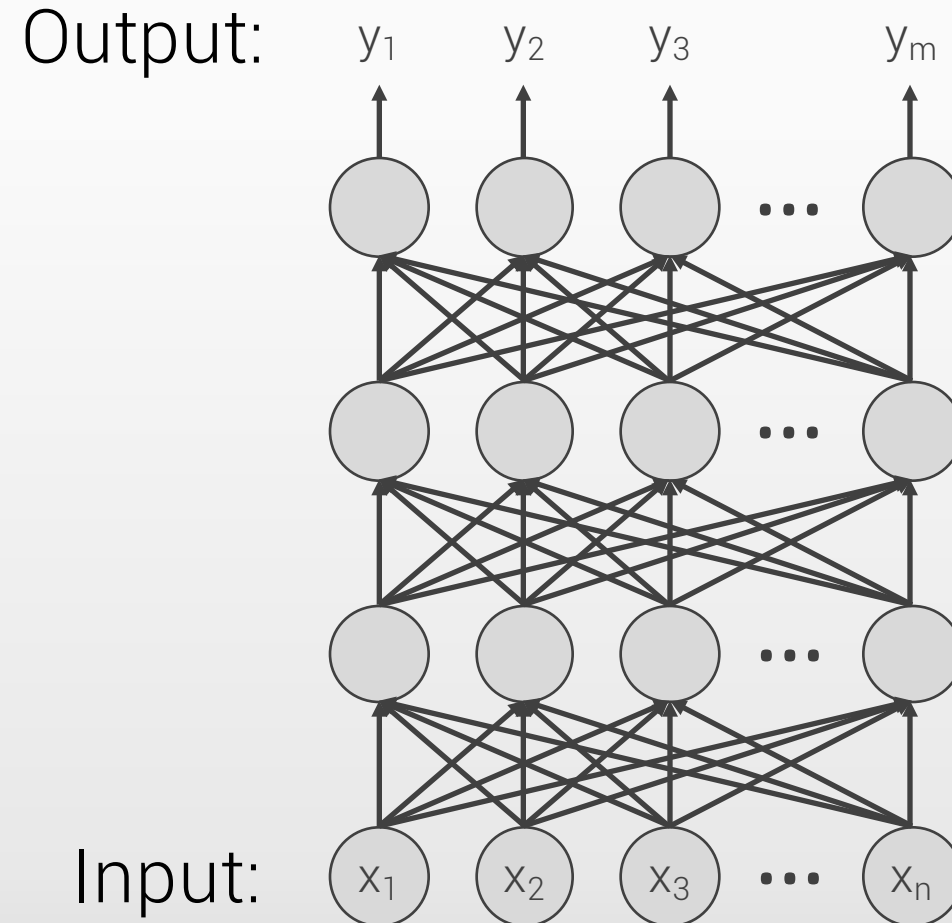
Smoothing



- Some methods:
- Add one
 - Katz
 - Absolute discounting
 - Kneser-Ney
 - Modified Kneser-Ney

Neural Networks

Output:

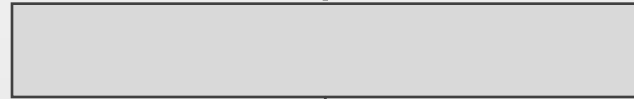


Input:

Neural Networks

Output:

y



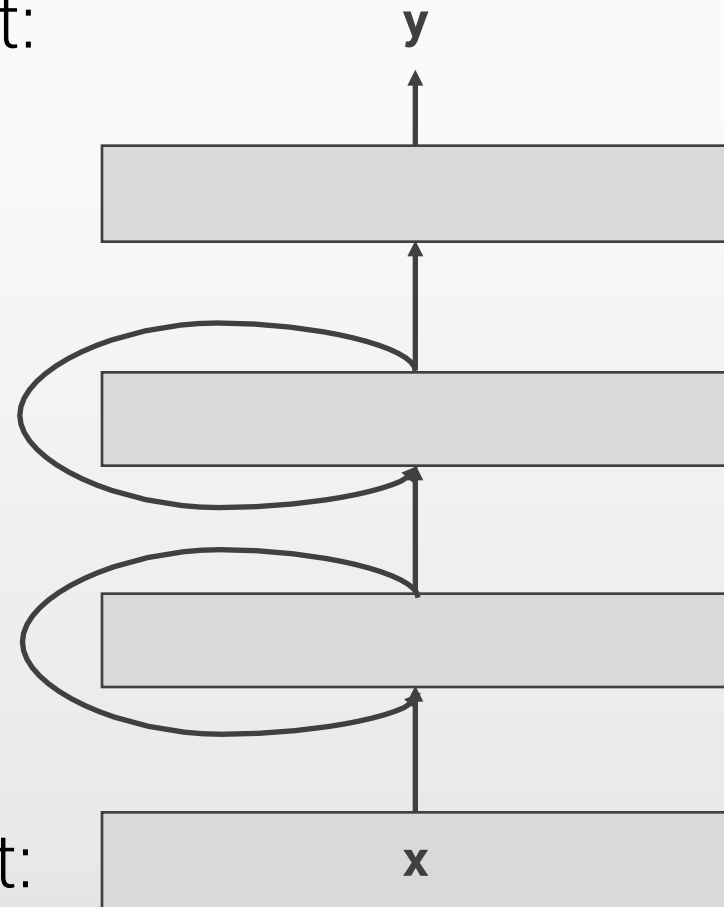
Input:

x



Recurrent Neural Networks

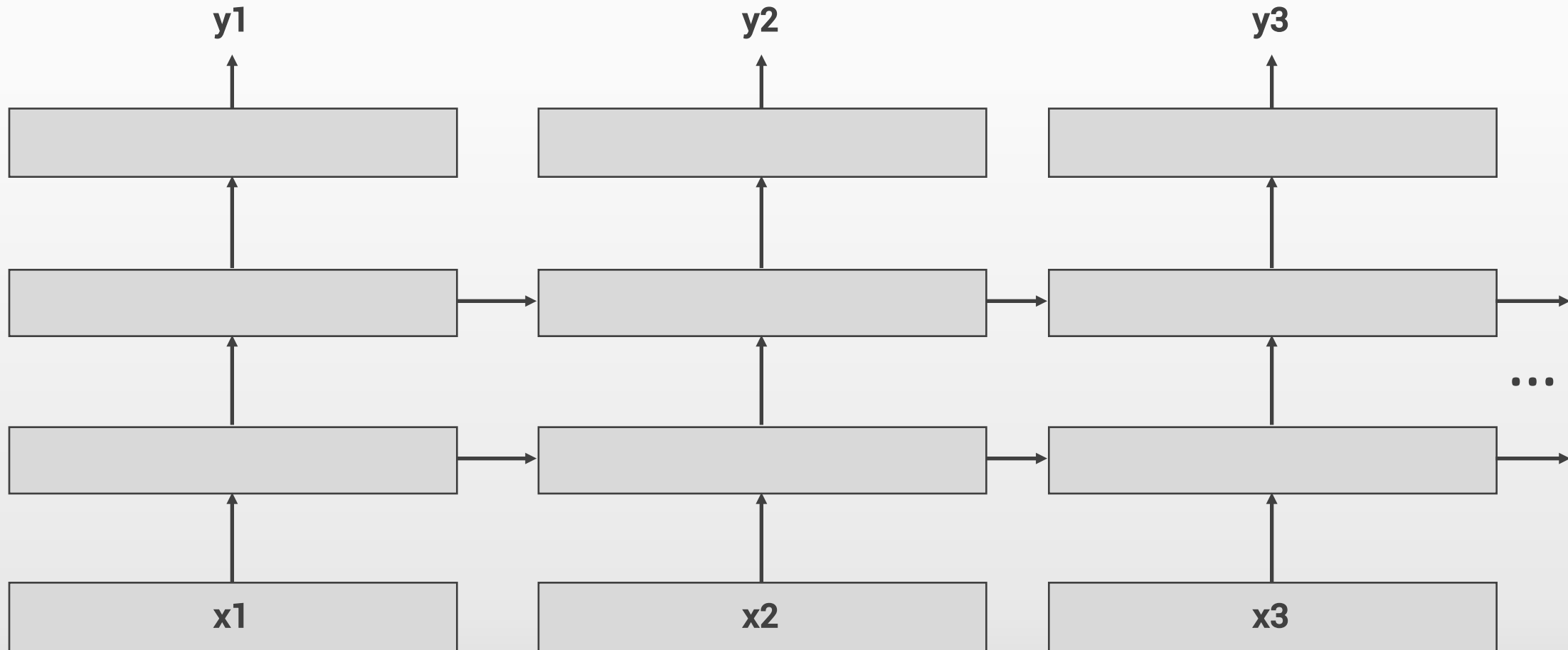
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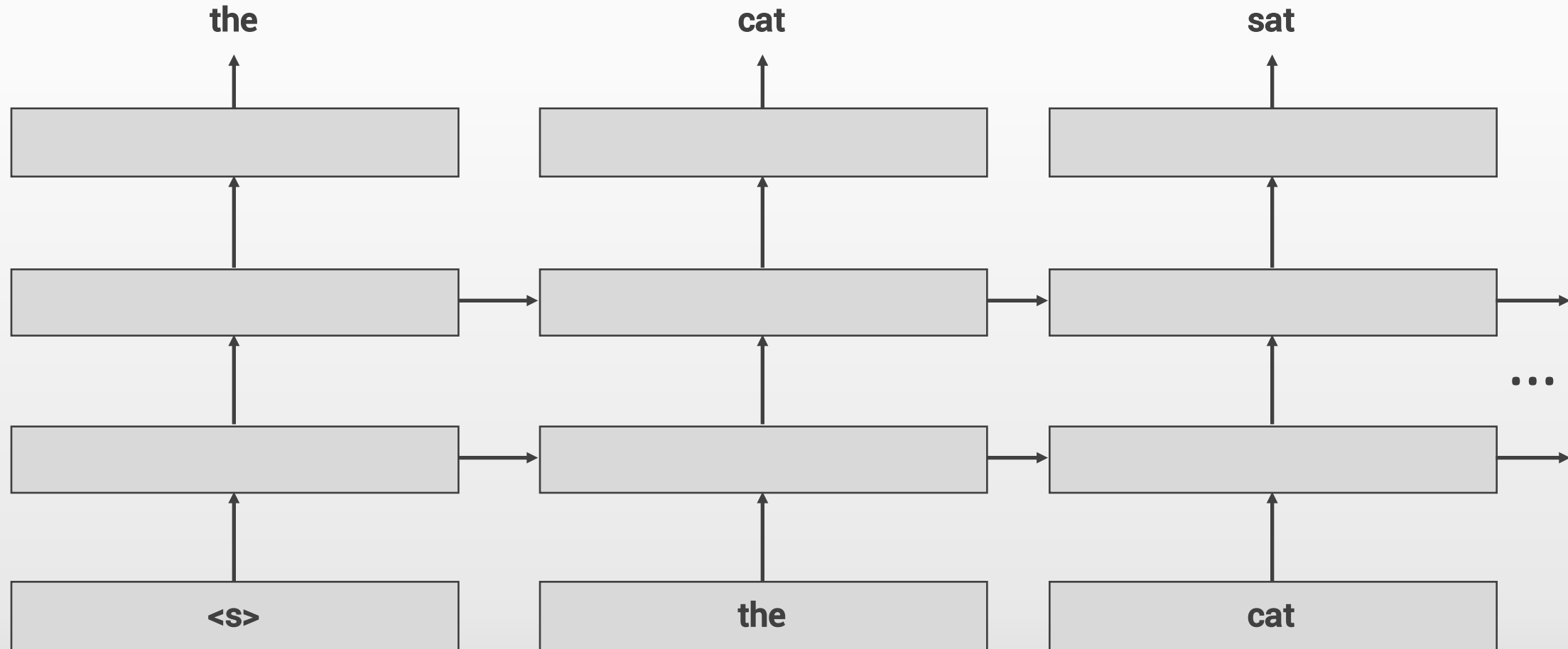
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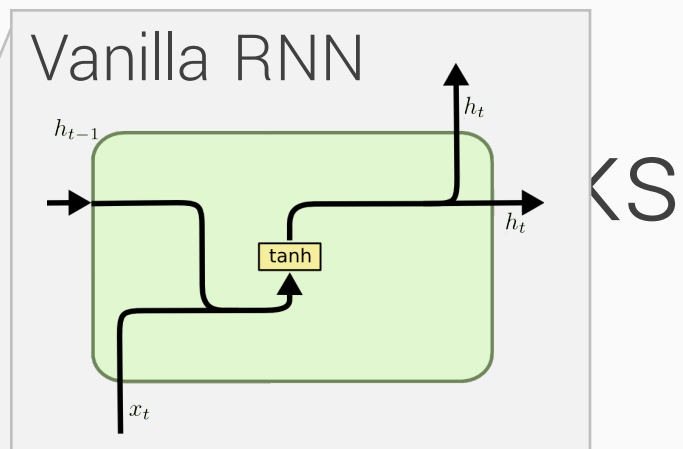
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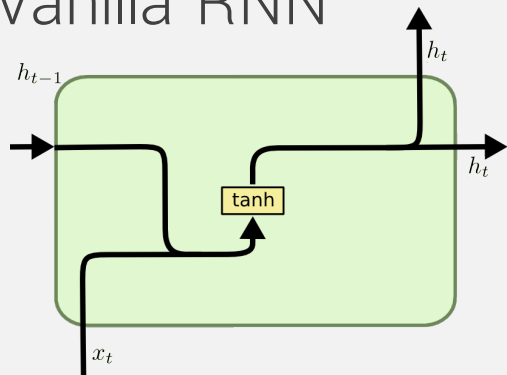


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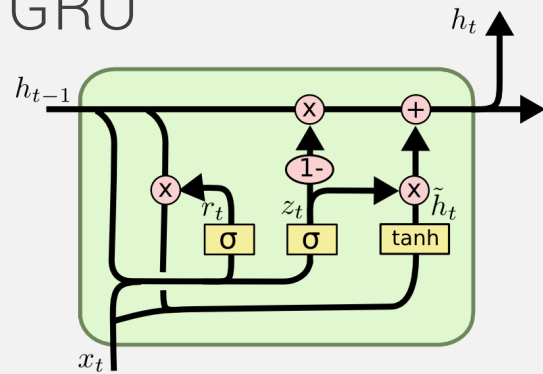


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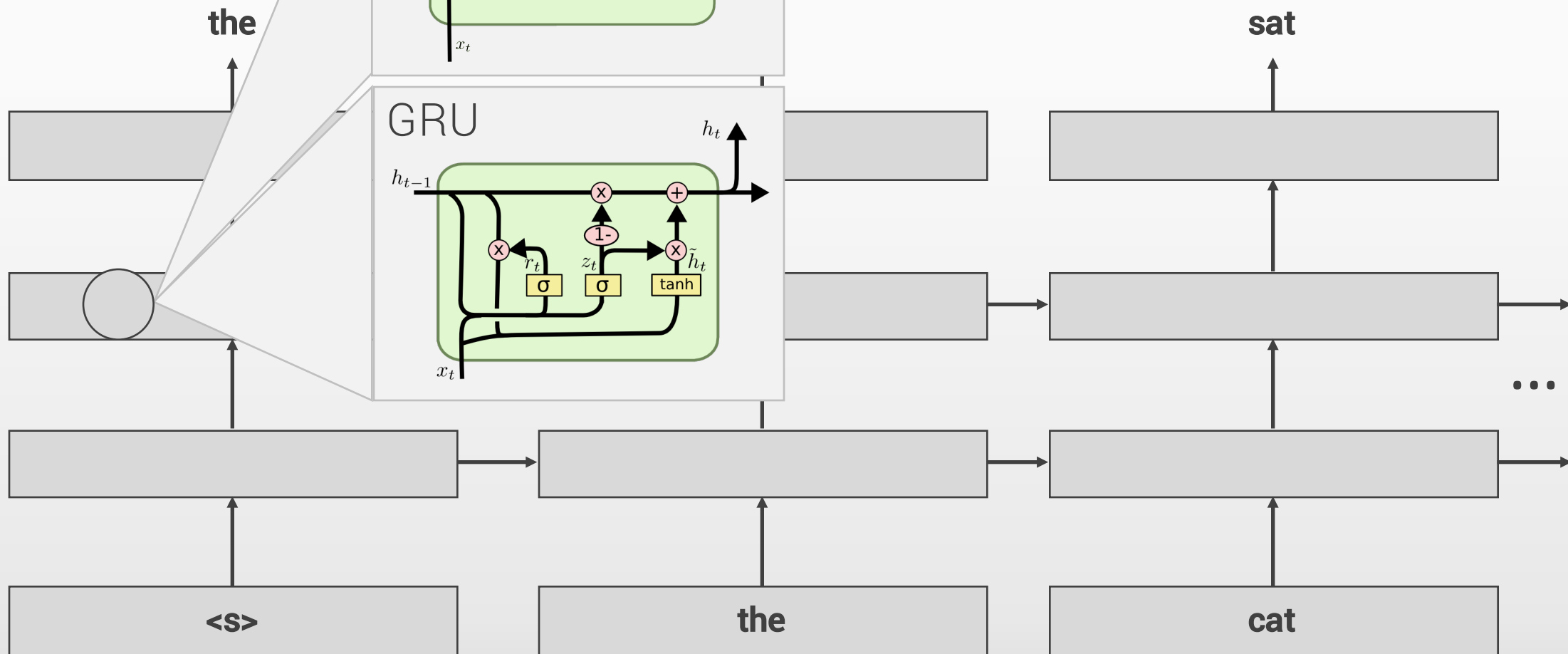


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KS

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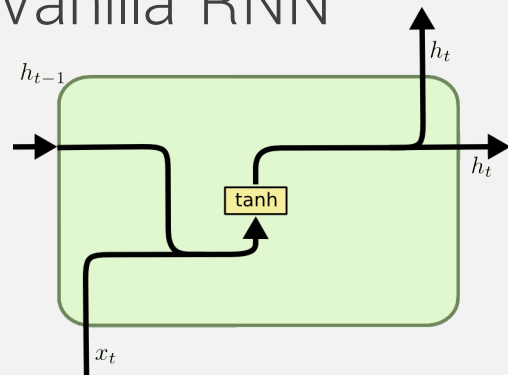
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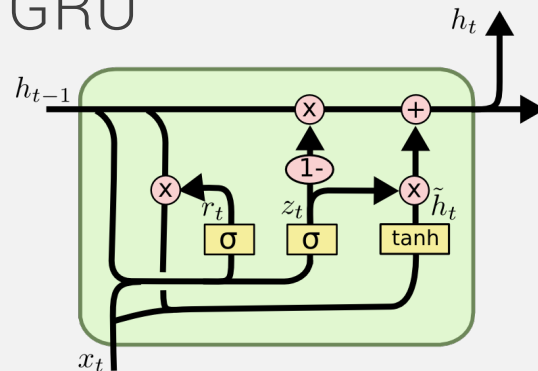
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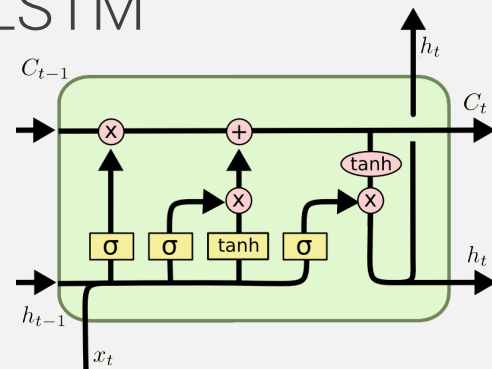


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LSTM



sat

...

cat

What have I built?

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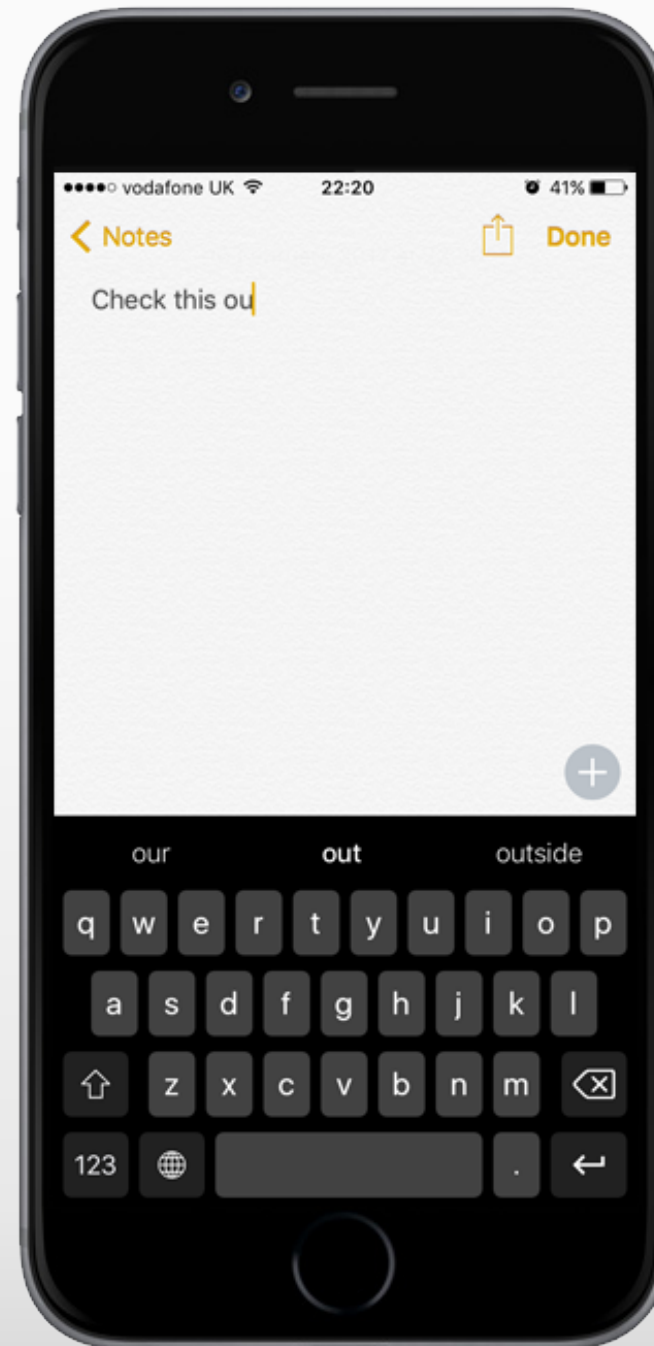
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What's left?

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The weather is nice

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The **whether** is ____

Thanks for listening!

3-gram + Kneser-Ney smoothing

the meaning of life is threatened to veto the bill.

LSTM

the meaning of life is that the new york times isn't
the only way to be the first time to be a major part of
the problem.