



Lab03

Machine Translation

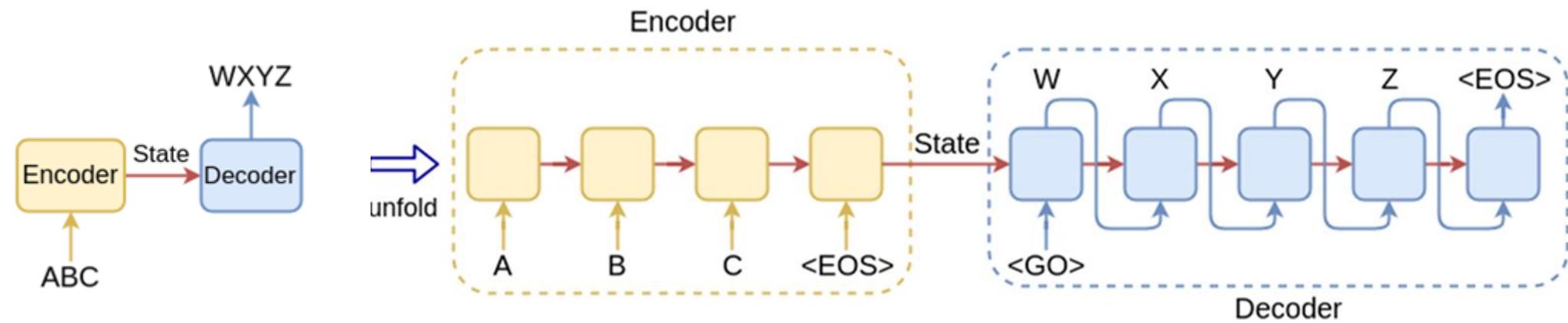
Dataset: English-Chinese Translation

- Tatoeba
 - <https://tatoeba.org/zh-cn/>
- XDailyDialog
 - <https://github.com/liuzeming01/XDailyDialog>
- The dataset contains daily-style conversation sentence pairs
- Select 50000 sentence pairs for training and validation
- Select 200 sentence pairs for testing

English	Chinese
Who are you looking for, Tom?	你找誰,湯姆?
I was a student at that time.	我当时是学生。
What's your real goal?	你真正的目標是什么?
I'm at the beach.	我在海滩。
You can always count on Tom.	你可以永遠信賴湯姆。
...	...

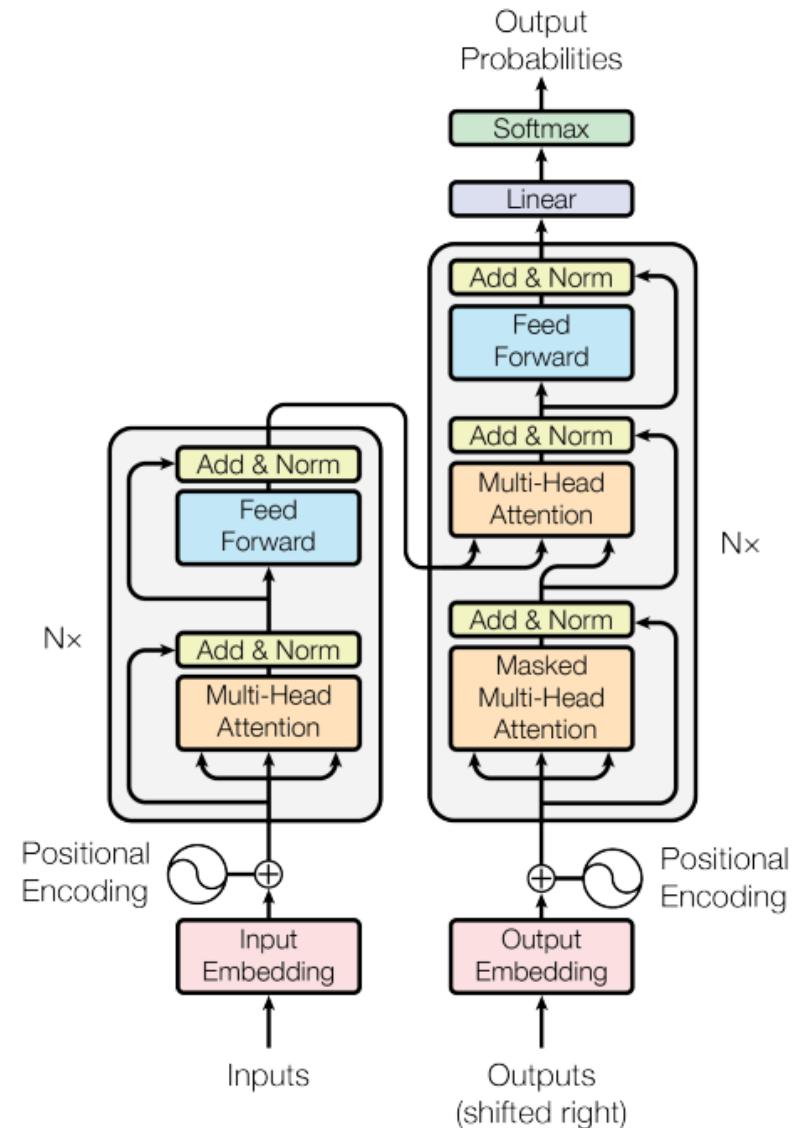
Seq2Seq Model

- Encoder-Decoder structure
- Applications: machine translation, chatbot...



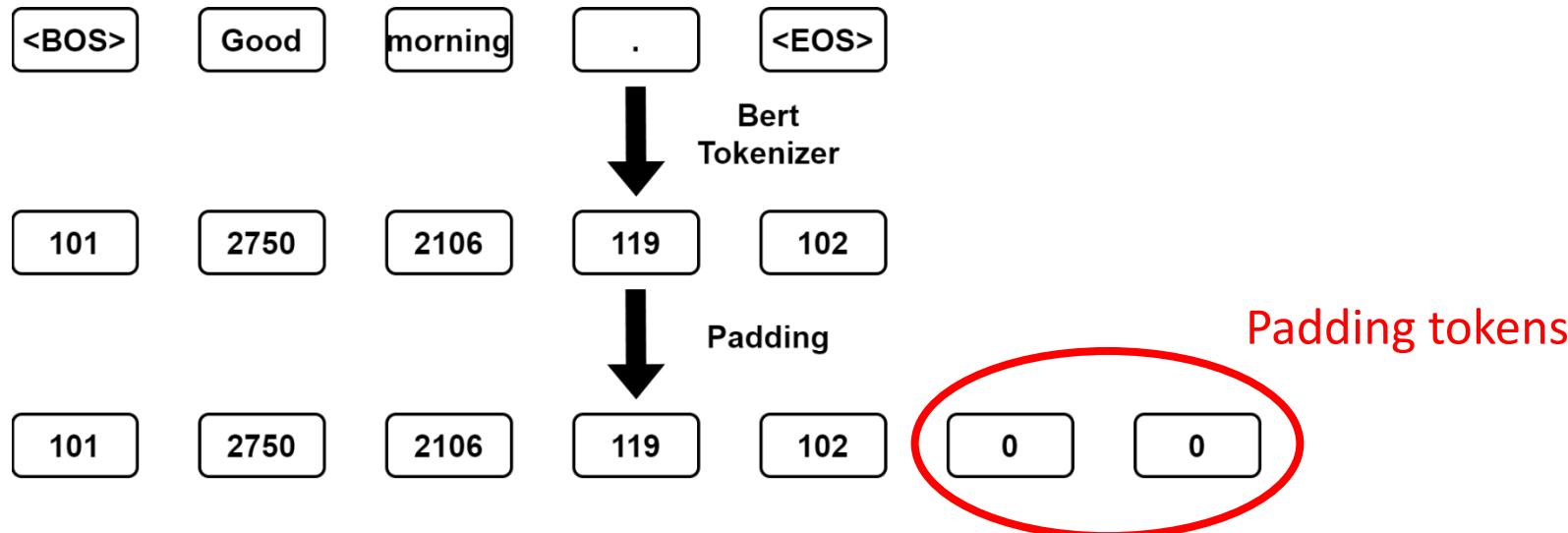
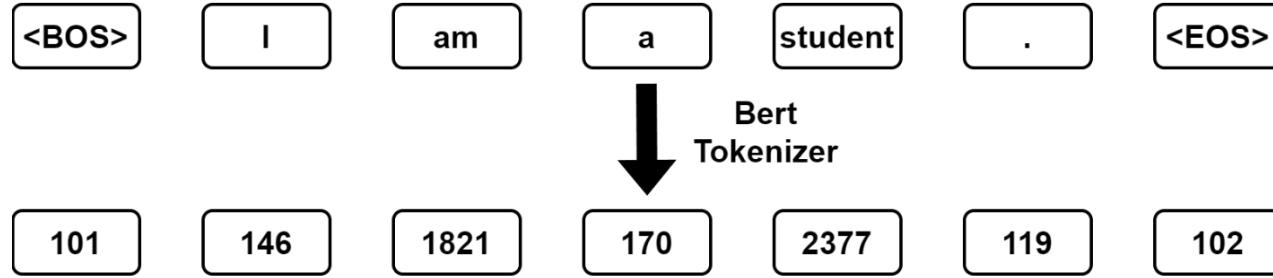
Transformer Model Architecture

- Embedding Layer
- Positional Encoding
- Encoder
 - Multi-head self attention
 - FFN
- Decoder
 - Masked multi-head self attention
 - Multi-head cross attention
 - FFN



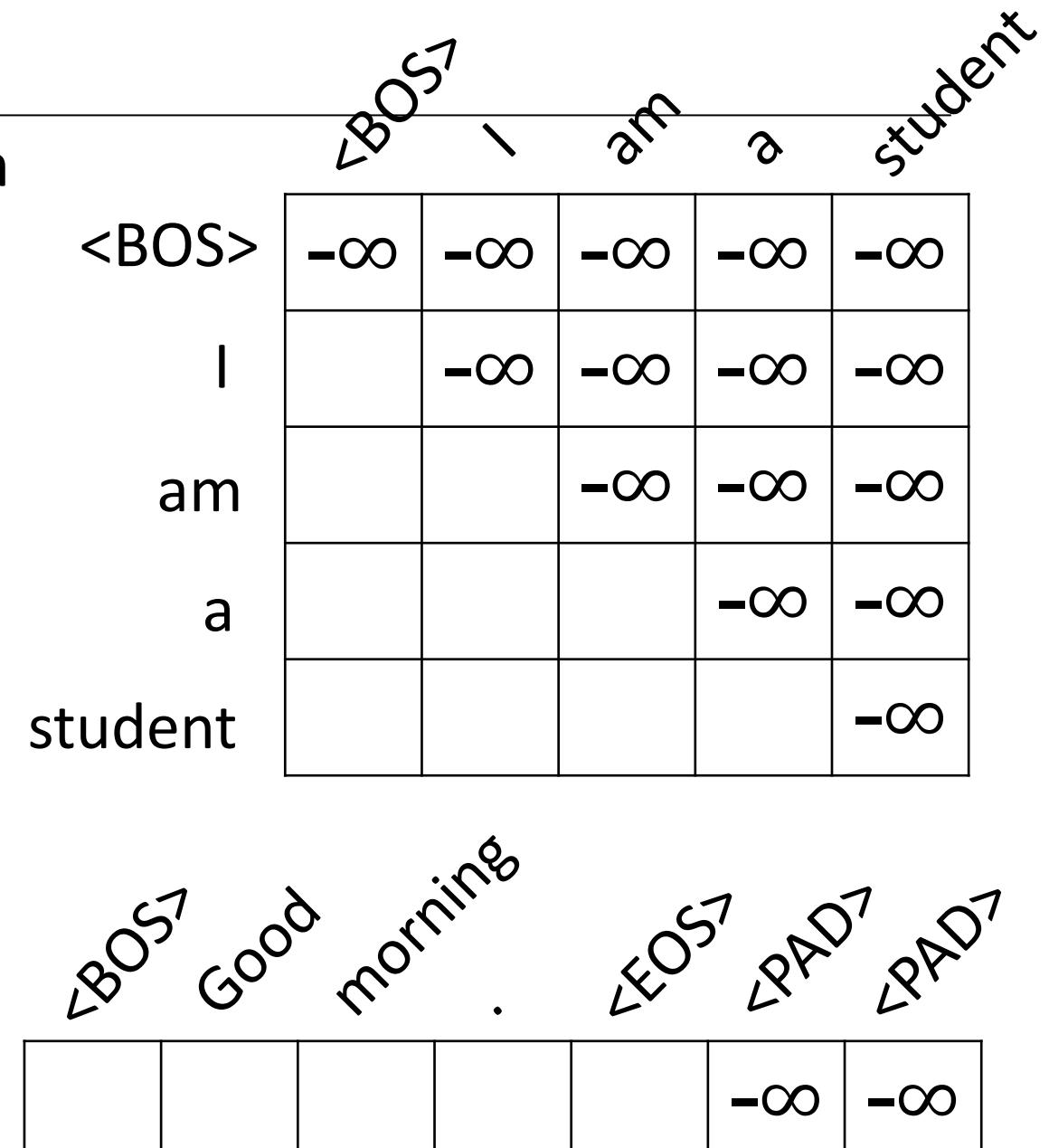
Input Paddings

- Make the input sentence equal-length



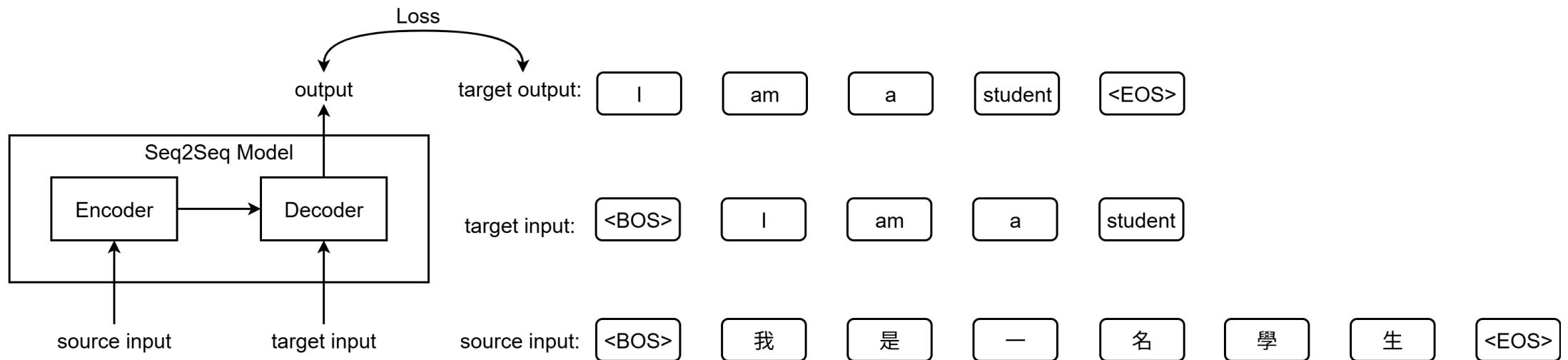
Masks

- Masking is directly applied in attention score
- Future mask
 - Used in decoder self attention
 - Prevent from attending to the future tokens
- Padding mask
 - Used in encoder, decoder self attention both
 - Prevent from attending to the padding tokens



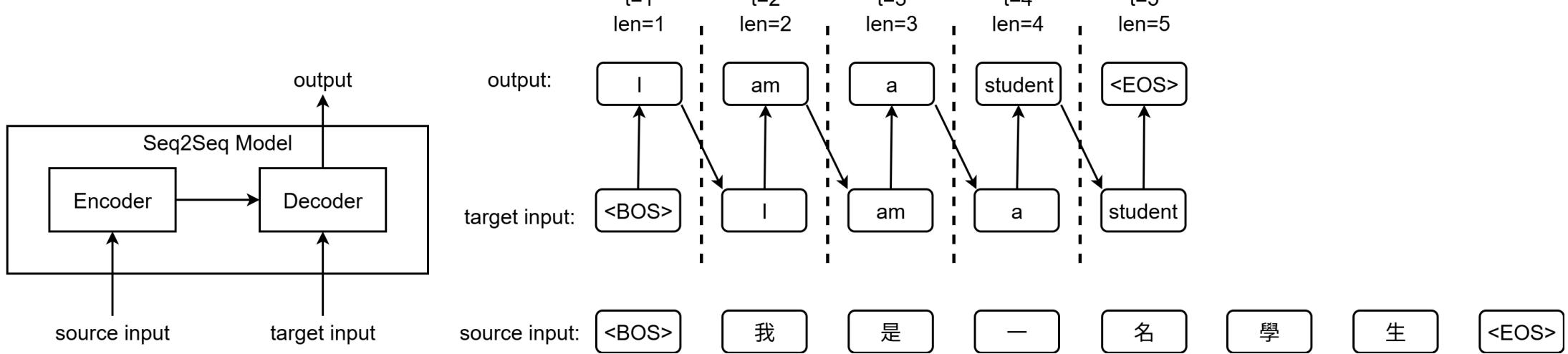
Sequence Generation Algorithm

- During training
 - Model input: source sentence, target sentence
 - Expected model output: target sentence with one token left shift
 - The decoder is trained to predict the next token



Sequence Generation Algorithm

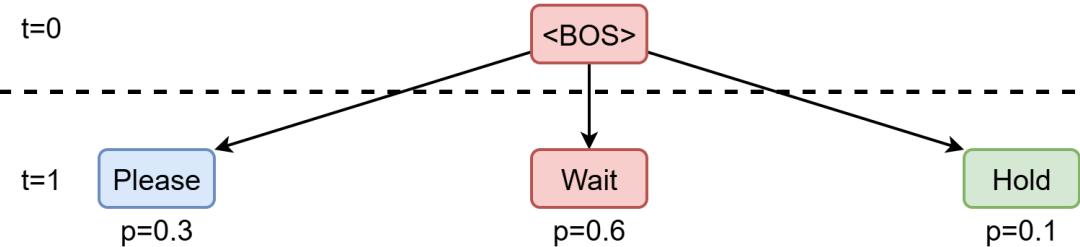
- During inference
 - Generate output tokens autoregressively (the output token depends on its previous output)
 - Greedy search: in every iteration, choose the token with the highest probability as output



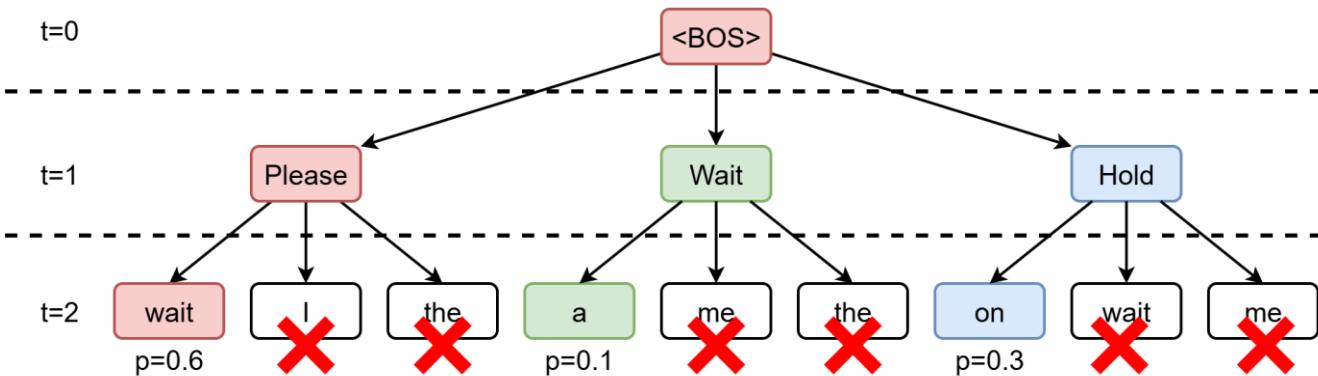
Sequence Generation Algorithm

- During inference
 - Beam search: keep a number of sentences as candidate (top-k highest probability)
 - Using beam search may improve the inference quality, but slow down the inference speed

An example with beam width = 3



Prune the search tree and keep 3 sentences with highest probability

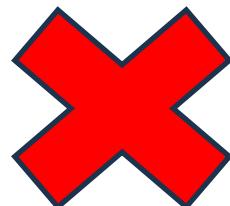


Tasks in this lab

1. In “Lab03.ipynb” and “network.py”

- Build vanilla transformer (from Attention is All You Need) by yourself
 - <https://arxiv.org/abs/1706.03762>
- You should build the encoder, decoder by yourself
- Inside the encoder/decoder, you should build the attention mechanism (multi-head attention) by yourself

(You can't call the model directly with the command)



```
self.encoder_layer = nn.TransformerEncoderLayer(d_model, nhead, d_feedforward)
self.encoder = nn.TransformerEncoder(self.encoder_layer, num_enc_layer)
self.decoder_layer = nn.TransformerDecoderLayer(d_model, nhead, d_feedforward)
self.decoder = nn.TransformerDecoder(self.decoder_layer, num_dec_layer)

self.transformer = nn.Transformer(d_model, nhead, num_enc_layer, num_dec_layer, d_feedforward, dropout)

self.attention = nn.MultiheadAttention(emb_dim, nhead)
```

Tasks in this lab

1. In “Lab03.ipynb” and “network.py”

- The parameter size of model should be less than **100M** !
- Achieve at least **0.25** 1-gram BLEU score on testing dataset
- Achieve at least **0.1** 2-gram BLEU score on testing dataset
- The inference latency (program execution time) should be less than **200s**

Tasks in this lab

1. In “Lab03.ipynb” and “network.py”

– You can **NOT** use the following models, TA will check your code!

- torch.nn.TransformerEncoderLayer
- torch.nn.TransformerEncoder
- torch.nn.TransformerDecoderLayer
- torch.nn.TransformerDecoder
- torch.nn.Transformer
- torch.nn.MultiheadAttention

Tasks in this lab

2. Write a report

- Required

- The structure of Transformer you implement (ex. number of encoder layers, decoder layers)
- Training strategy (ex. learning rate scheduler)
- Anything you do to improve the performance.
- Any difficulty you encounter

- **Plagiarism is forbidden !!!**

- **There should be comment in your code**

- **You should make sure your code is executable**

File List

- `translation_train_data.json` (50000 sentence pairs)
- `translation_test_data.json` (200 sentence pairs)
- `util.py`
 - Include all the used functions
 - BLEU score calculation
 - English/Chinese tokenizer
 - Definition of BOS/EOS/PAD ID
- `run.py`
 - Run inference of your model. TA will use this code to check parameter size of your model and evaluate performance
- `network.py`
 - TO-DO: finish Transformer model and translate function here
- `Lab3.ipynb`
 - TO-DO: alter the training setting and train the model

File List

- In “network.py”: Finish these parts

```

def load_model(MODEL_PATH=None):
    EMB_SIZE = 1024
    NHEAD = 64
    FFN_HID_DIM = 2048
    NUM_ENCODER_LAYERS = 6
    NUM_DECODER_LAYERS = 6
    SRC_VOCAB_SIZE = tokenizer_chinese().vocab_size
    TGT_VOCAB_SIZE = tokenizer_english().vocab_size

    model = Seq2SeqNetwork(NUM_ENCODER_LAYERS, NUM_DECODER_LAYERS)
    if MODEL_PATH is not None:
        model.load_state_dict(torch.load(MODEL_PATH))
    return model

def translate(model: torch.nn.Module, src_sentence: str, input_tokenizer, output_tokenizer):
    model.eval()
    sentence = input_tokenizer.encode(src_sentence)
    sentence = torch.tensor(sentence).view(1, -1)
    num_tokens = sentence.shape[1]

    # TO-DO (beam search, greedy search, ...)
    #     sentence shape: (batch_size, seq_length)
    tgt_tokens =
        output_sentence = output_tokenizer.decode(tgt_tokens, skip_special_tokens=True)
    return output_sentence

```

```

class MultiHeadAttention(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        # TO-DO

    def forward(self):
        # TO-DO

class TransformerEncoderLayer(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        # TO-DO

    def forward(self):
        # TO-DO

class TransformerDecoderLayer(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        # TO-DO

    def forward(self):
        # TO-DO

class Transformer(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__()
        # TO-DO

    def forward(self):
        # TO-DO

```

File List

- In “run.py”
 - Input the following command in terminal to check the result
 - python run.py
 - python run.py model.ckpt translation_test_data.json
 - TA will run the above command to check your code and evaluate performance

All the requirement are fulfilled

```
(dl2025f) d12025f_ta_4@pc414-71:~/lab3_TA$ python run.py model.ckpt translation_test_data.json
The parameter size of model is 22919.492 k
===== PASS parameter size requirement =====
BLEU score (1-gram) = 0.3294061906635761
BLEU score (2-gram) = 0.18195724342018366
BLEU score (3-gram) = 0.10283244669437408
BLEU score (4-gram) = 0.06065125815570355
===== PASS BLEU score requirement =====
execution time = 5.610s
===== PASS execution time requirement =====
```

The BLEU score requirement FAILs

```
(dl2025f) d12025f_ta_4@pc414-71:~/lab3_TA$ python run.py model.ckpt translation_test_data.json
The parameter size of model is 22919.492 k
===== PASS parameter size requirement =====
BLEU score (1-gram) = 0.17155522231012582
BLEU score (2-gram) = 0.06659947019070386
BLEU score (3-gram) = 0.027821140252053737
BLEU score (4-gram) = 0.013770492970943451
===== FAIL BLEU score requirement =====
execution time = 26.534s
===== PASS execution time requirement =====
```

Score

- Four requirements are fulfilled (60%)
 - 1-gram BLEU score on testing data > **0.25**
 - 2-gram BLEU score on testing data > **0.1**
 - Parameter size < **100M**
 - Program execution time (on ED414 workstation or Google Colab) < **200s**
- Report (20%)
- Performance (20%)
 - Performance rank (1-gram BLEU score) on hidden testing data
 - No performance score if the above four requirements are NOT fulfilled

Reminder

- Submit Deadline : 2 week (2025/10/20 23:59 PM)
- Please compress a folder into a zip file named StudentID.zip (**example: 313555555.zip**) and upload it to new e3
- The folder should include:
 - Lab3.ipynb
 - network.py
 - model.ckpt
 - StudentID_report.pdf (**example: 313555555_report.pdf**)



HAVE FUN !!!
