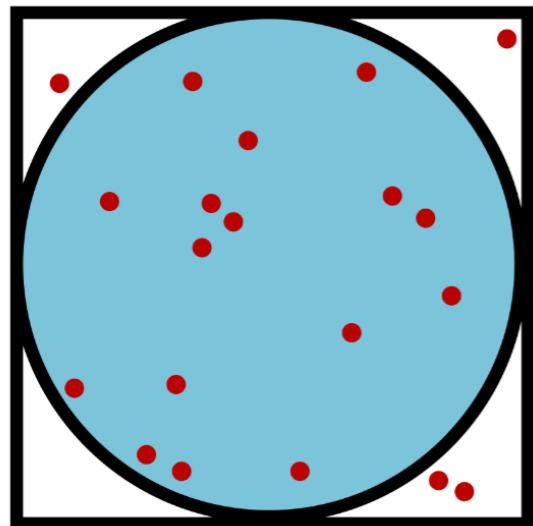
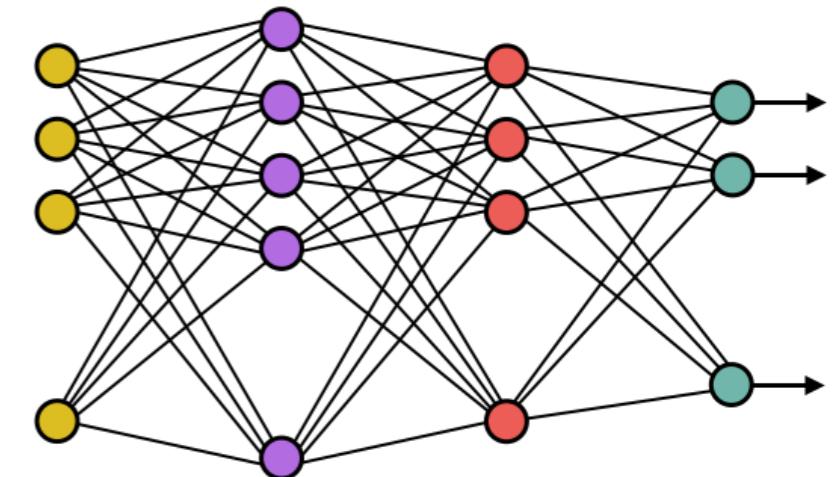
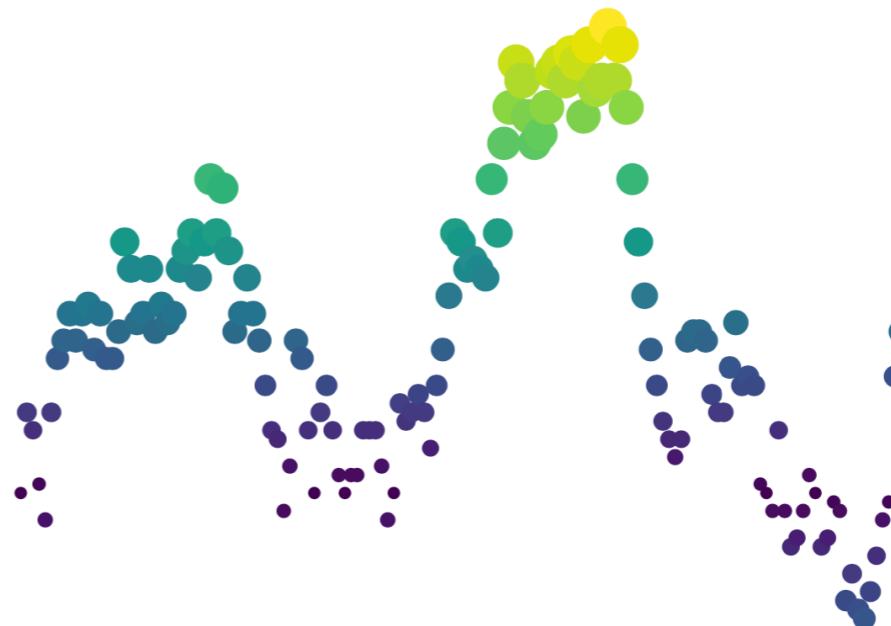


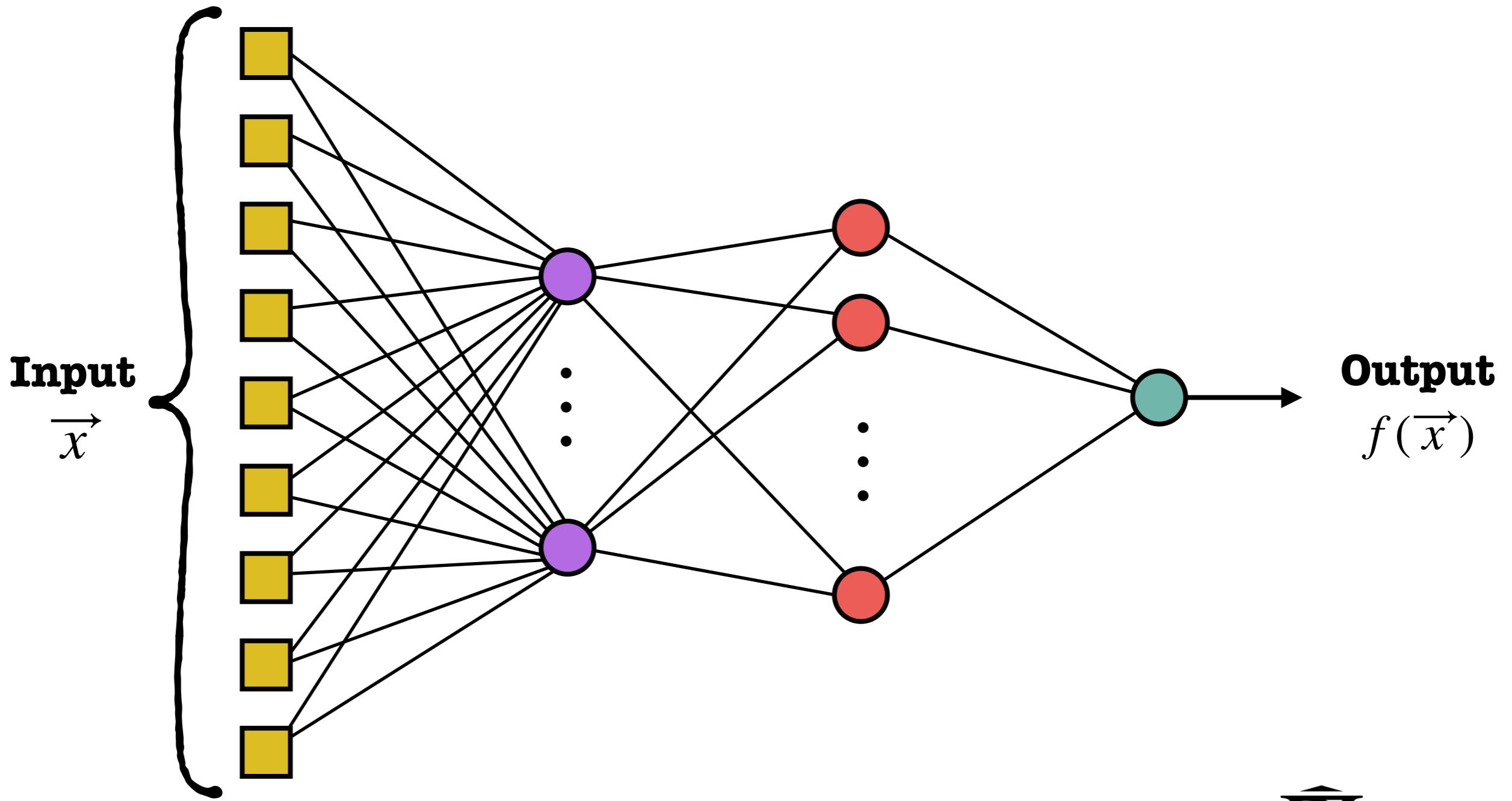
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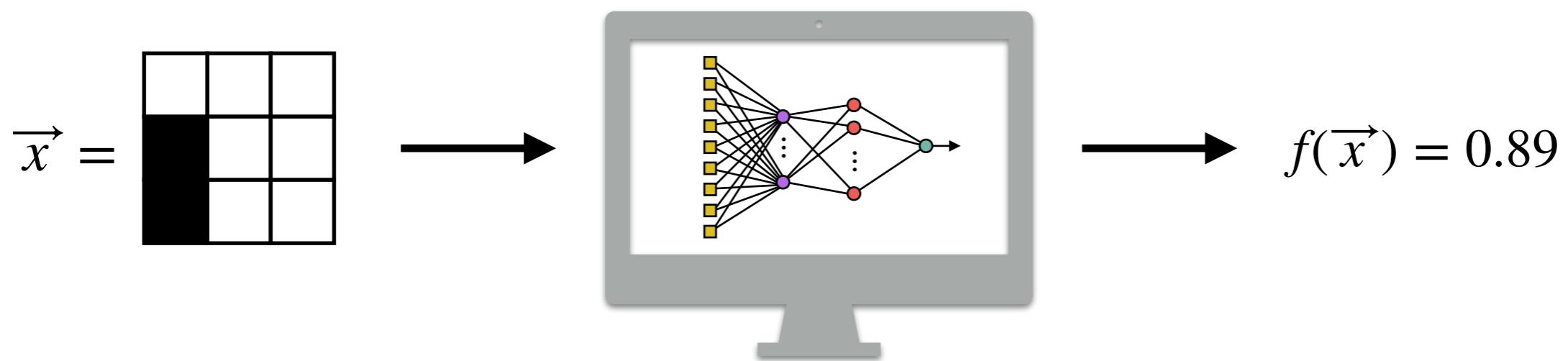


# Last lecture: Feedforward neural networks



# Last lecture: Neural network output

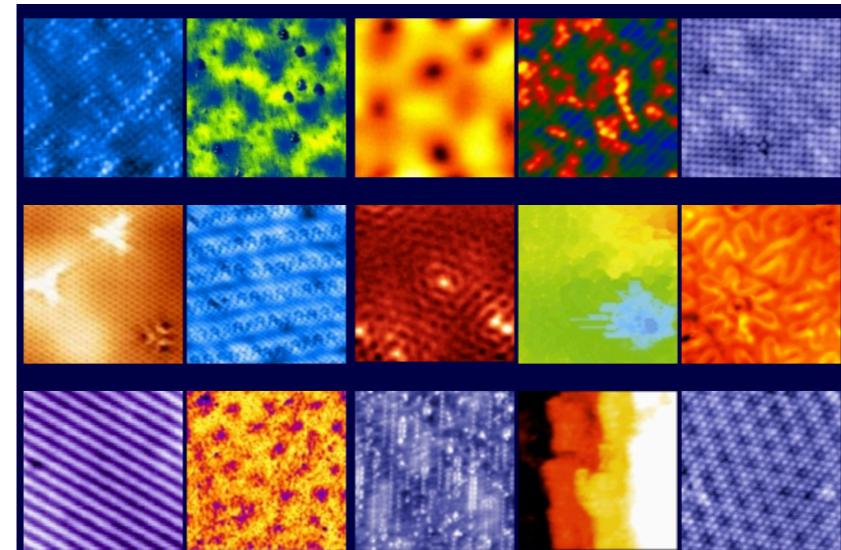
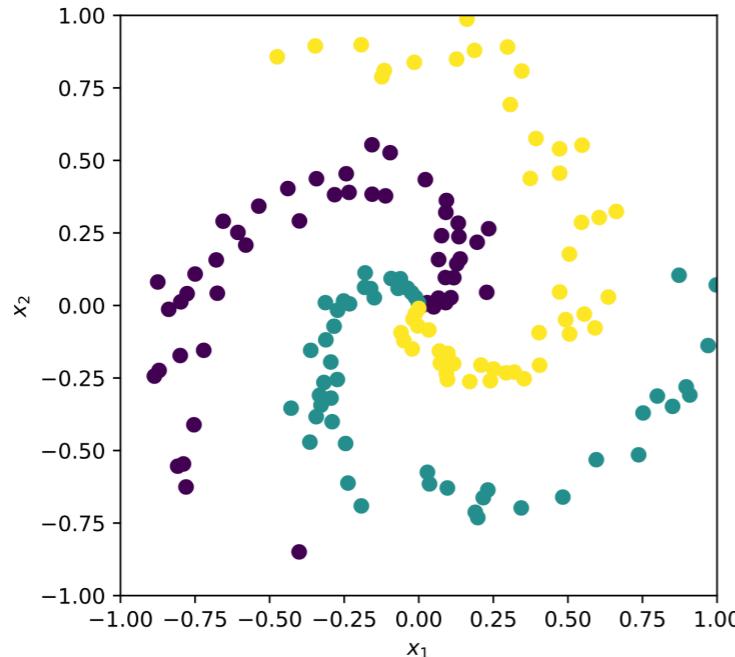
Our network might give the output:



While the true answer should be:  $y_{\text{true}}(x) = 1$

**We would like to choose the weights  $W$  and biases  $b$  such that the difference between  $f(x)$  and  $y_{\text{true}}(x)$  is as small as possible.**

# Outline for today



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## Training feedforward neural networks

- ▶ Cost functions, learning algorithms, hyperparameters
- ▶ Training feedforward neural networks in PyTorch
- ▶ Applications in many-body physics

# Cost function

We measure how well our network is doing by calculating a **cost function**, such as

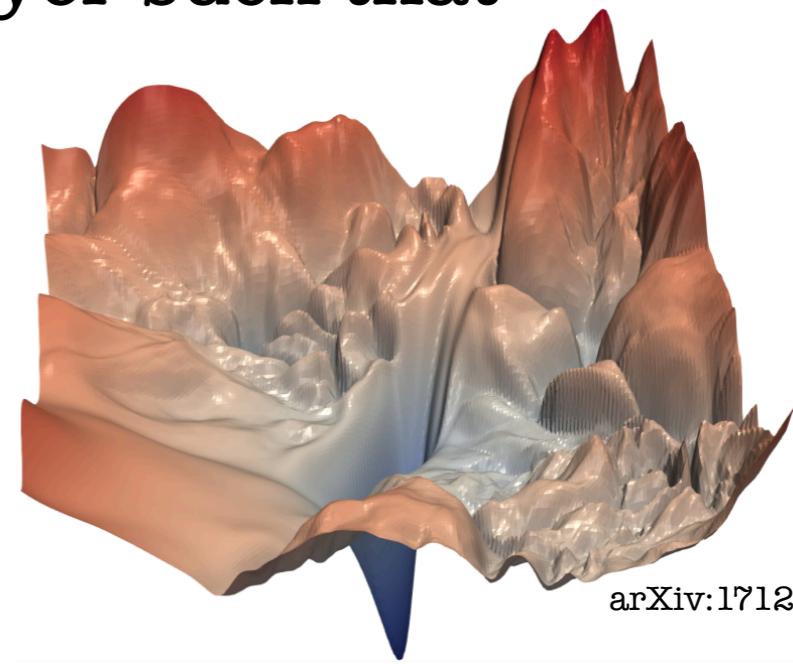
$$C(W, b) = \sum_{\text{inputs } x} [f(x) - y_{\text{true}}(x)]^2.$$

For a perfect classifier,  $C(W, b) = 0$ .

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We would like to minimize the cost function over all possible weights and biases in each layer such that

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial C}{\partial W_{ij}^{(\ell)}} &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^{(\ell)}} &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{For all } i, j, \ell$$



# Learning algorithm

The weights and biases are adjusted as the network **learns**.

We use the cost function to modify the weights and biases with a **learning algorithm** such as gradient descent:

$$W_{ij}^{(\ell)} \rightarrow W_{ij}^{(\ell)} - R \times \frac{\partial C}{\partial W_{ij}^{(\ell)}}$$

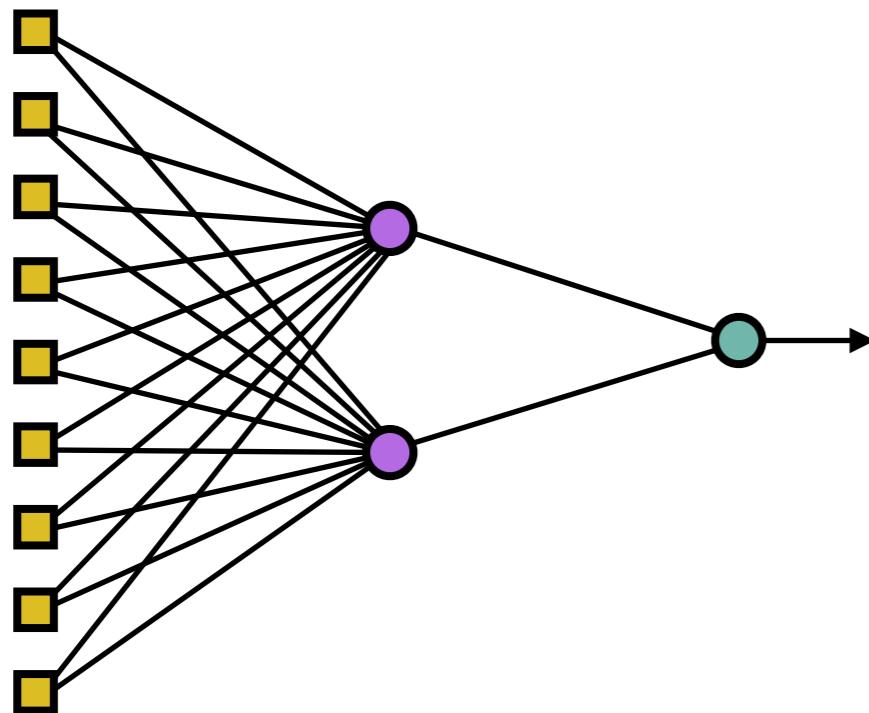
**R : learning rate**

$$b_i^{(\ell)} \rightarrow b_i^{(\ell)} - R \times \frac{\partial C}{\partial b_i^{(\ell)}}$$

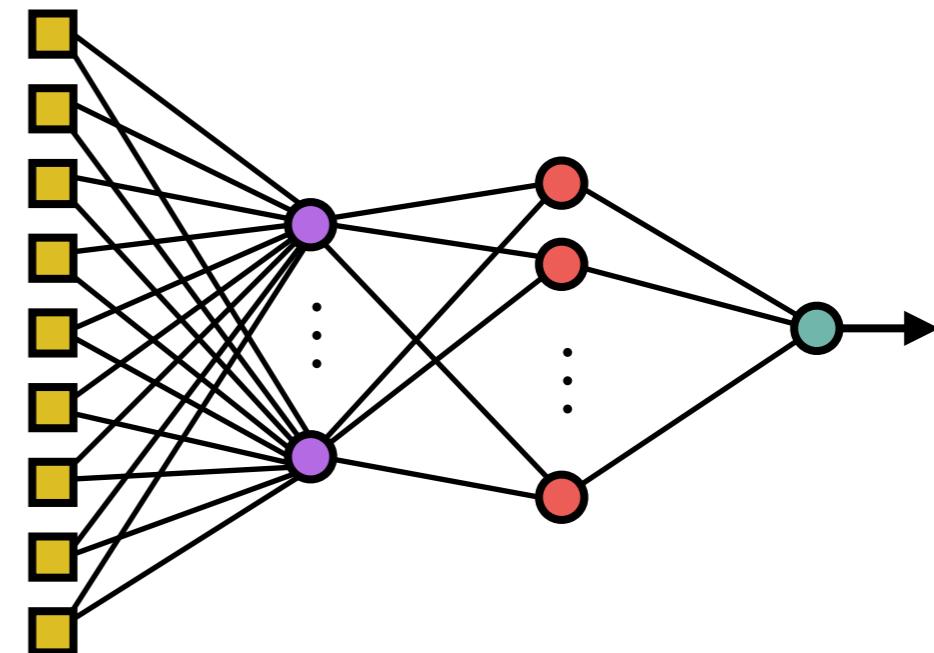
# Hyperparameters

There are many **hyperparameters** we can adjust that affect the performance of a neural network:

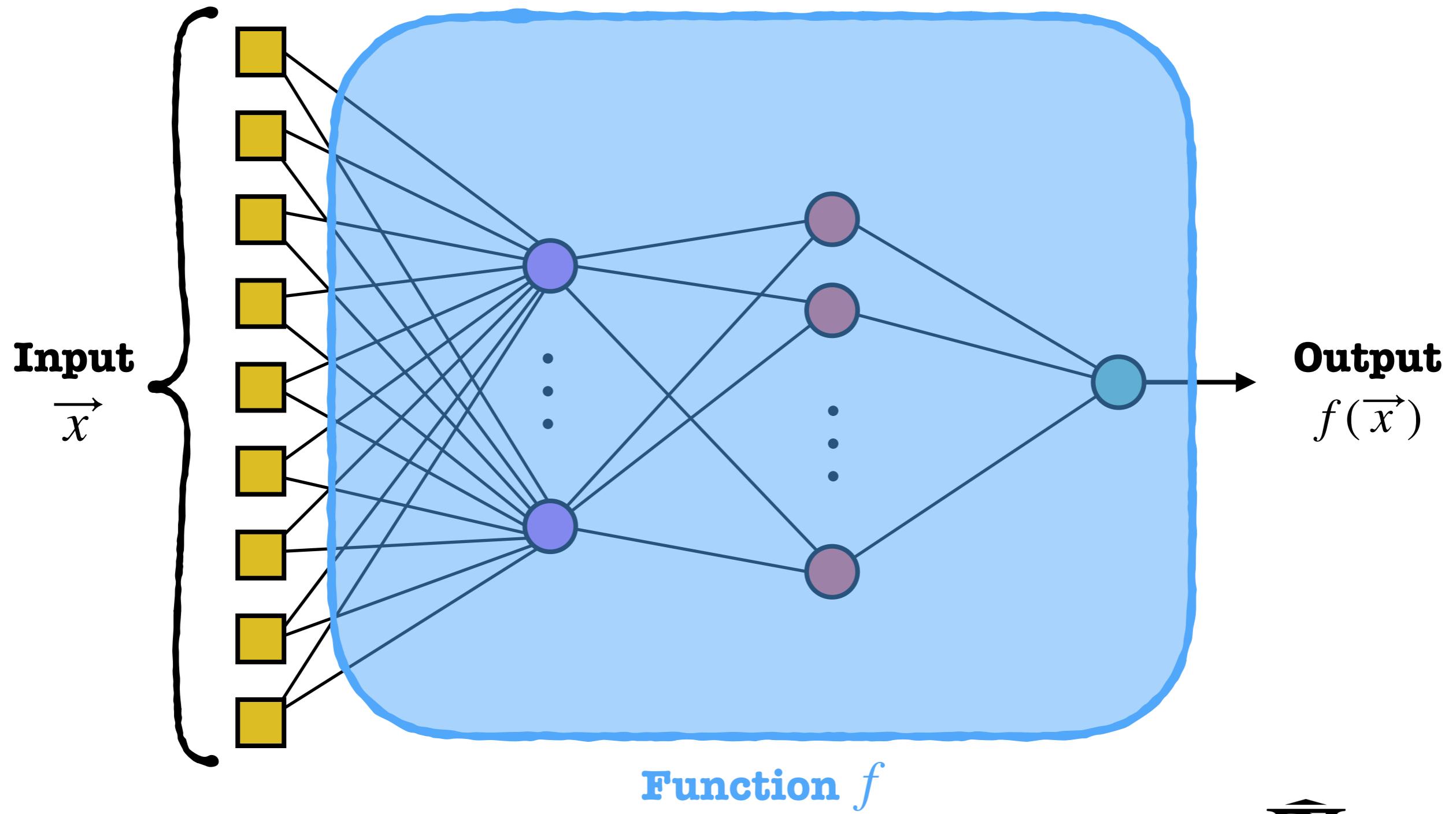
- ▶ Number of hidden layers
- ▶ Number of neurons in each hidden layer
- ▶ Learning rate
- ▶ Activation function on each layer
- ▶ Cost function
- ▶ Learning algorithm



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# Summary of neural networks



# Machine learning algorithms

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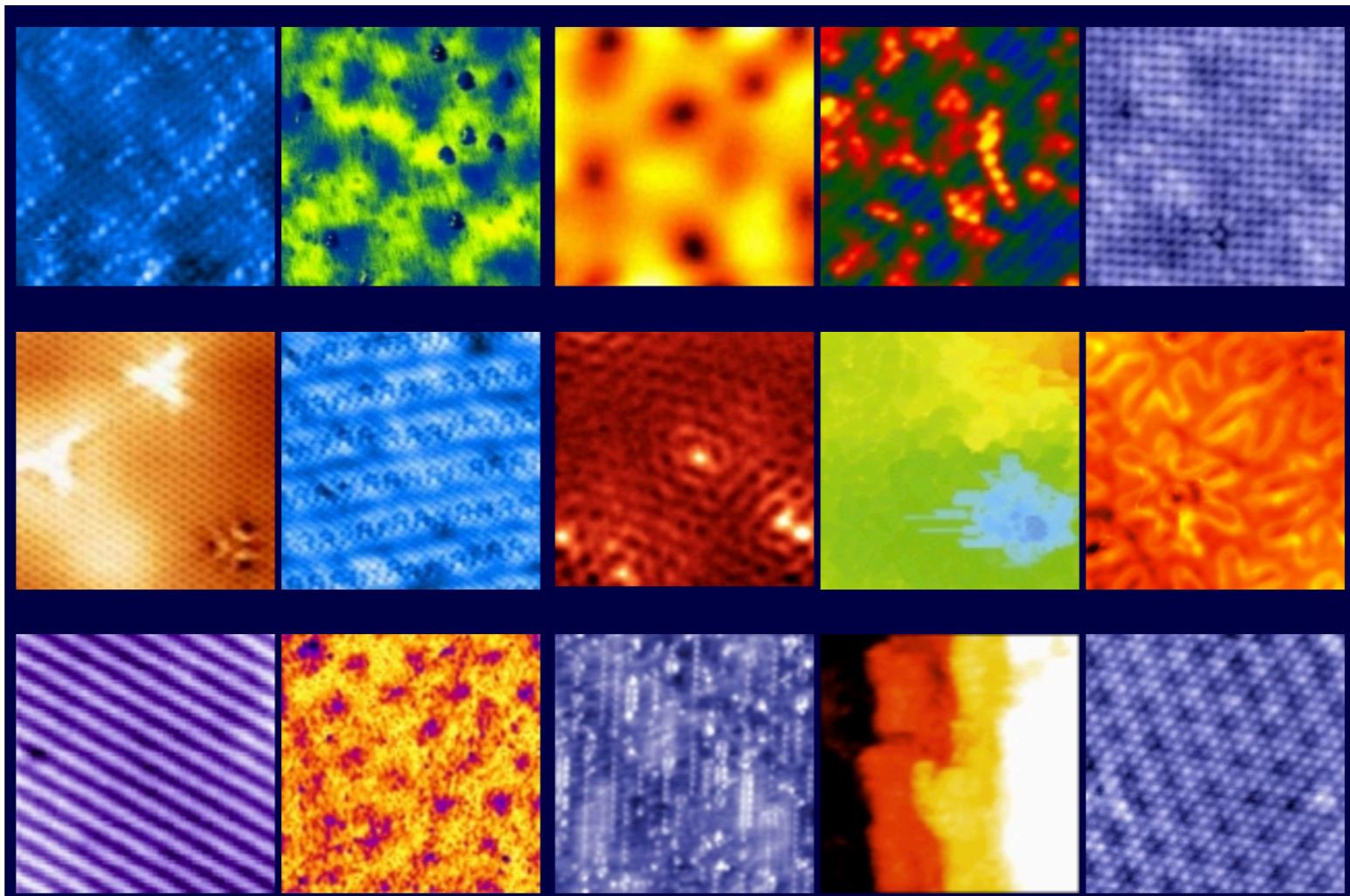
# Other supervised learning algorithms

- ♦ k-Nearest Neighbours
- ♦ Decision trees
- ♦ Random forests
- ♦ Linear regression
- ♦ Logistic regression
- ♦ Support vector machines

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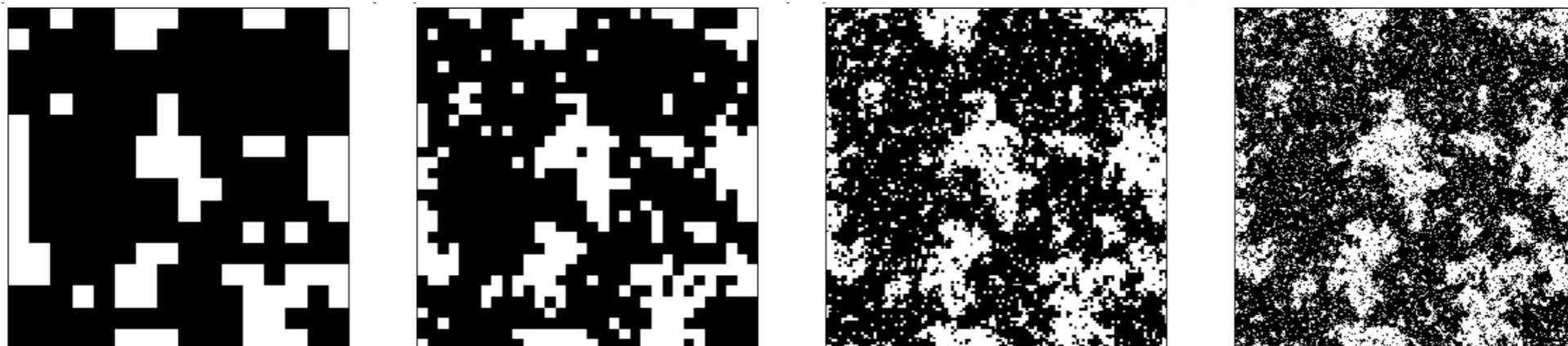
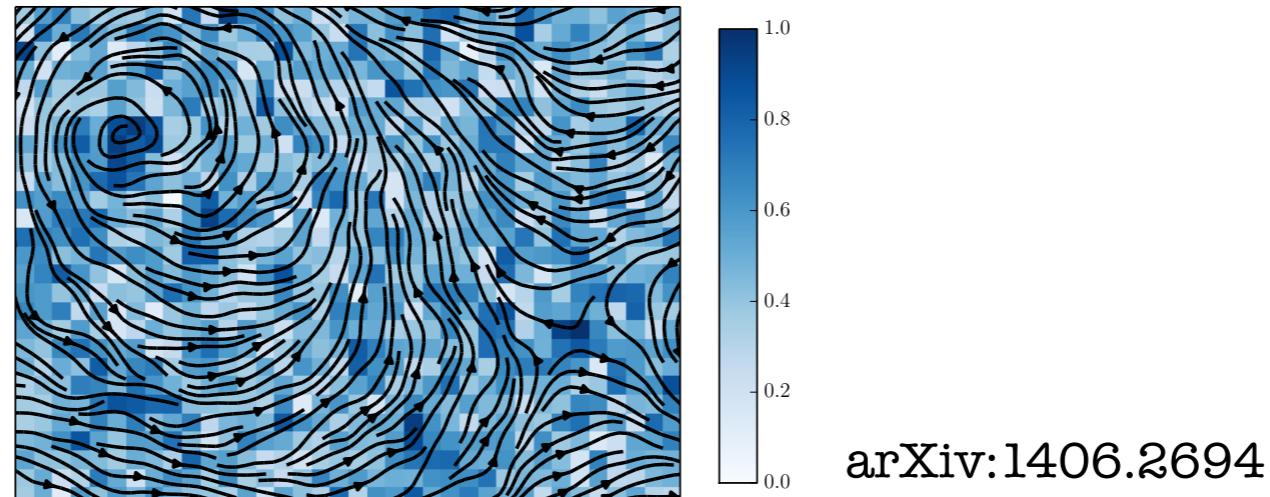
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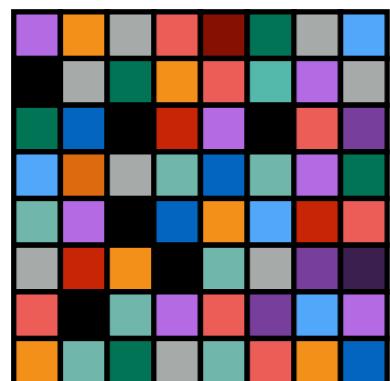
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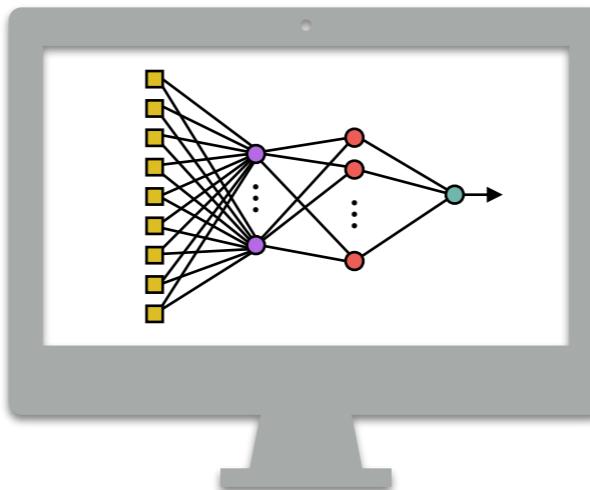
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# Classifying phases of matter

**When classifying images:**

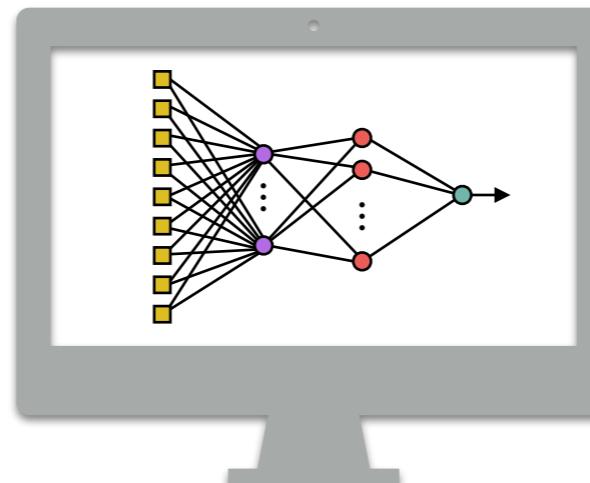


Input: an image



Output: some description of the image

**To classify phases of matter:**



Output: the phase of matter that the material is in

Input: an image describing the state of a material

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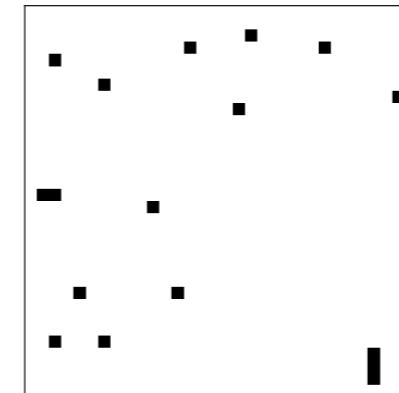
$$H = - J \sum_{\langle ij \rangle} s_i \ s_j$$

**At high temperatures:**



Paramagnetic phase

**At low temperatures:**



Ferromagnetic phase



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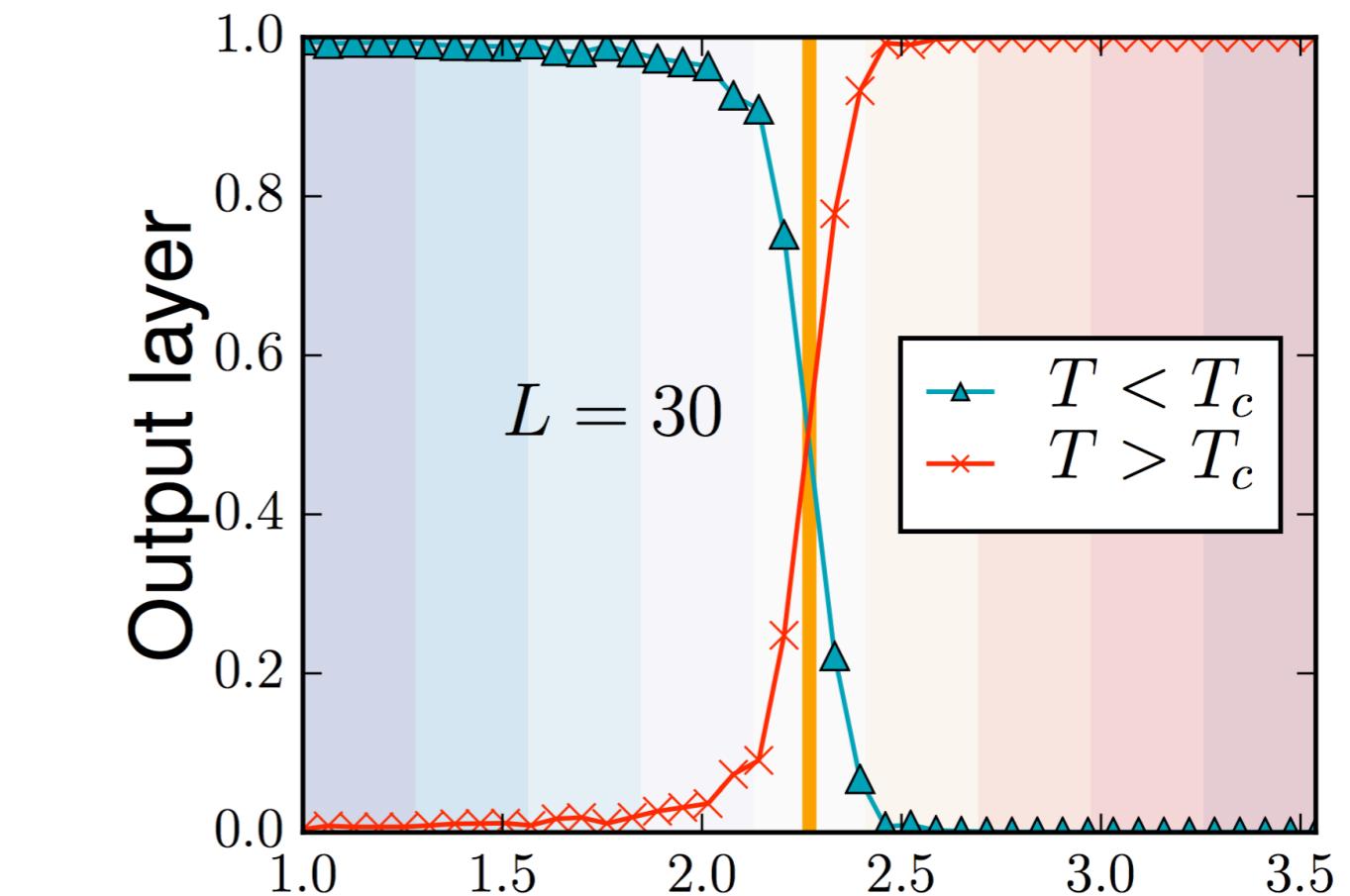
## Machine learning phases of matter

Juan Carrasquilla  & Roger G. Melko

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### Abstract

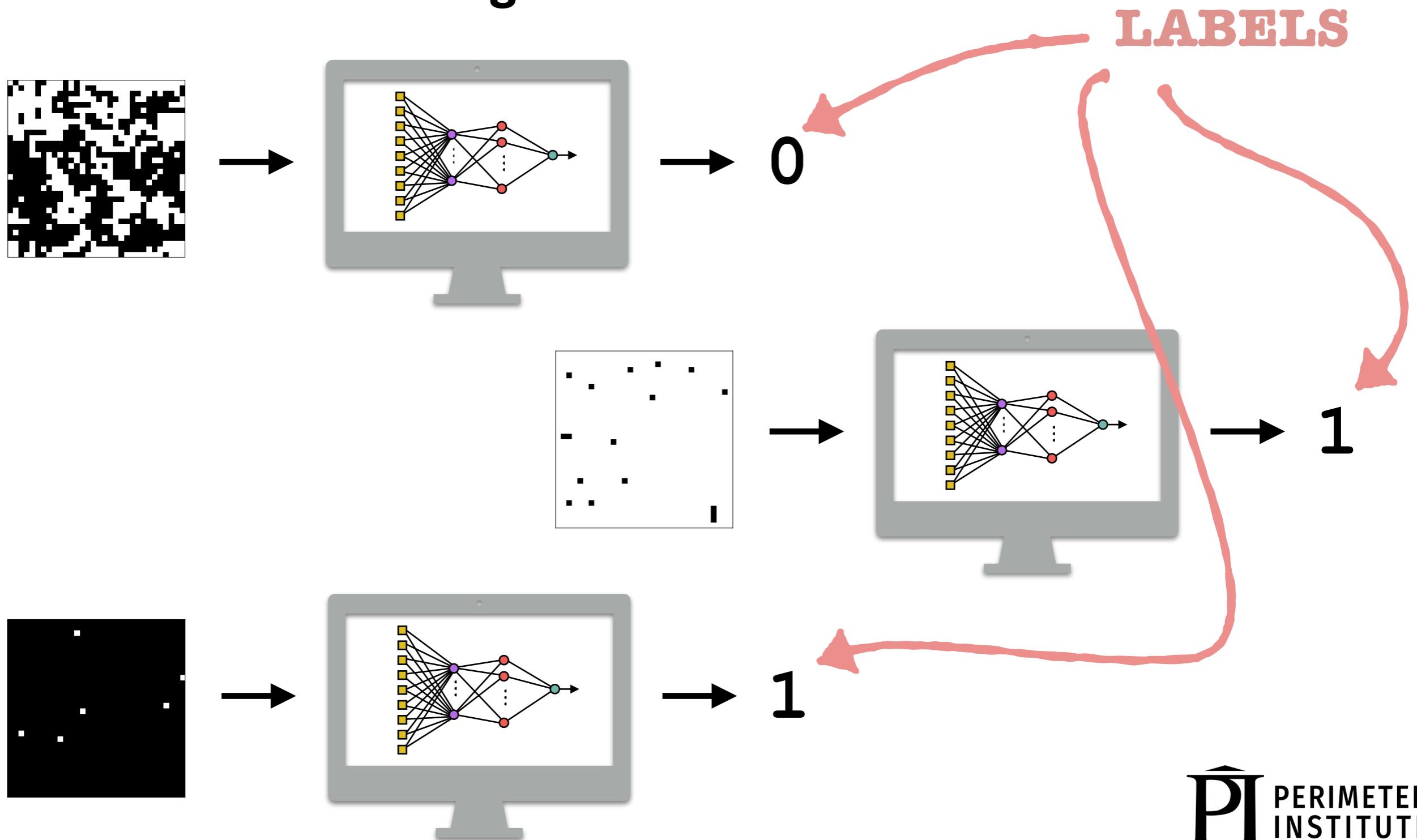
Condensed-matter physics is the study of the collective behaviour of infinitely complex assemblies of electrons, nuclei, magnetic moments, atoms or qubits<sup>1</sup>. This complexity is reflected in the size of the state space, which grows exponentially with the number of particles, reminiscent of the ‘curse of dimensionality’ commonly encountered in machine learning<sup>2</sup>. Despite this curse, the machine learning community has developed techniques with remarkable abilities to recognize, classify, and characterize complex sets of data. Here, we show that modern machine learning architectures, such as fully connected and convolutional neural networks<sup>3</sup>, can identify phases and phase transitions in a variety of condensed-matter Hamiltonians. Readily programmable through modern software libraries<sup>4,5</sup>, neural networks can be trained to detect multiple types of order parameter, as well as highly non-trivial states with no conventional order, directly from raw state configurations sampled with Monte Carlo<sup>6,7</sup>.



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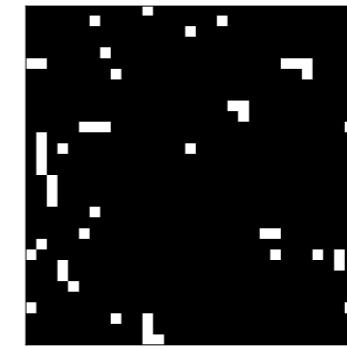
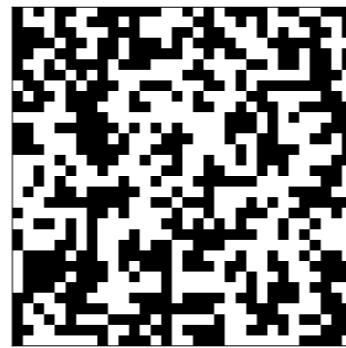
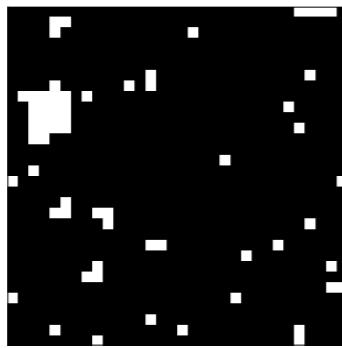
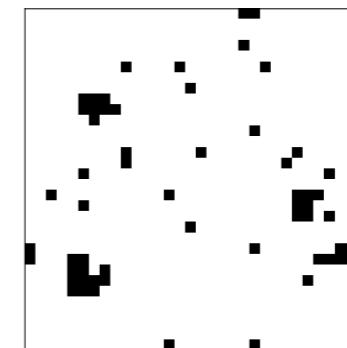
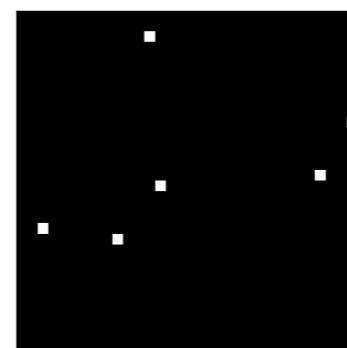
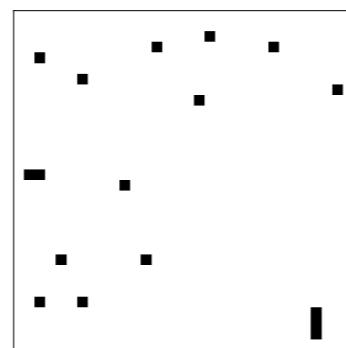
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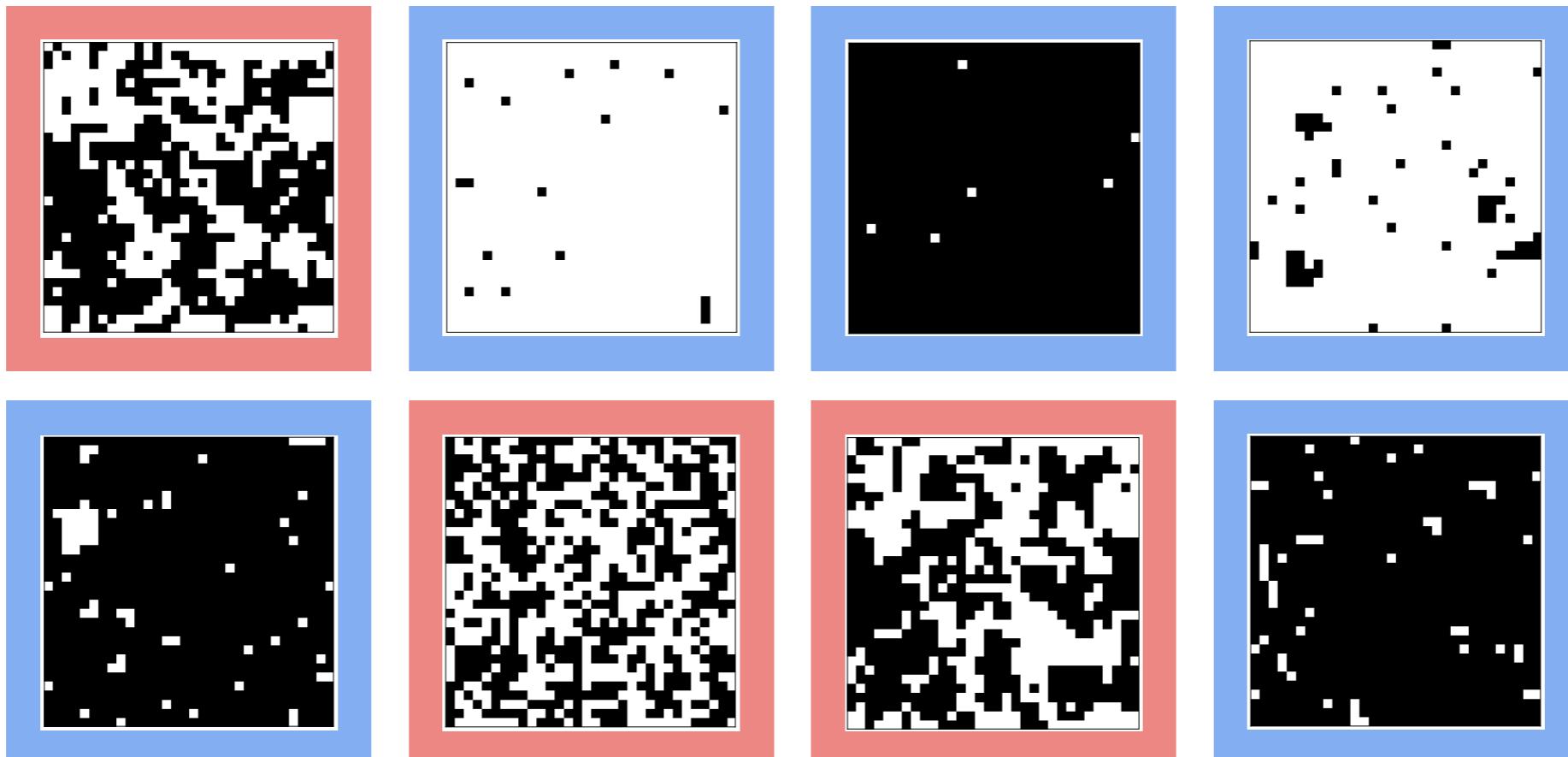
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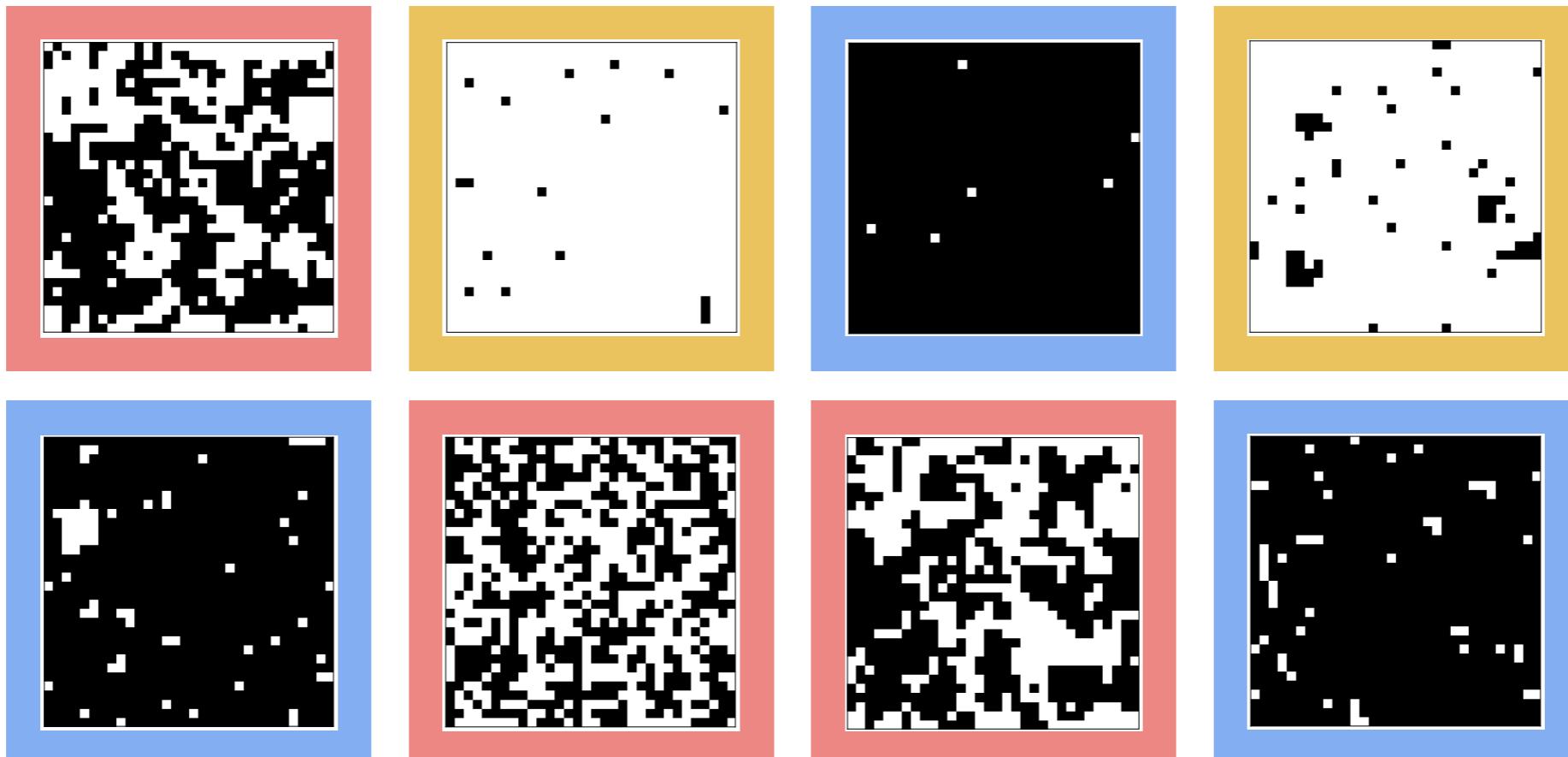


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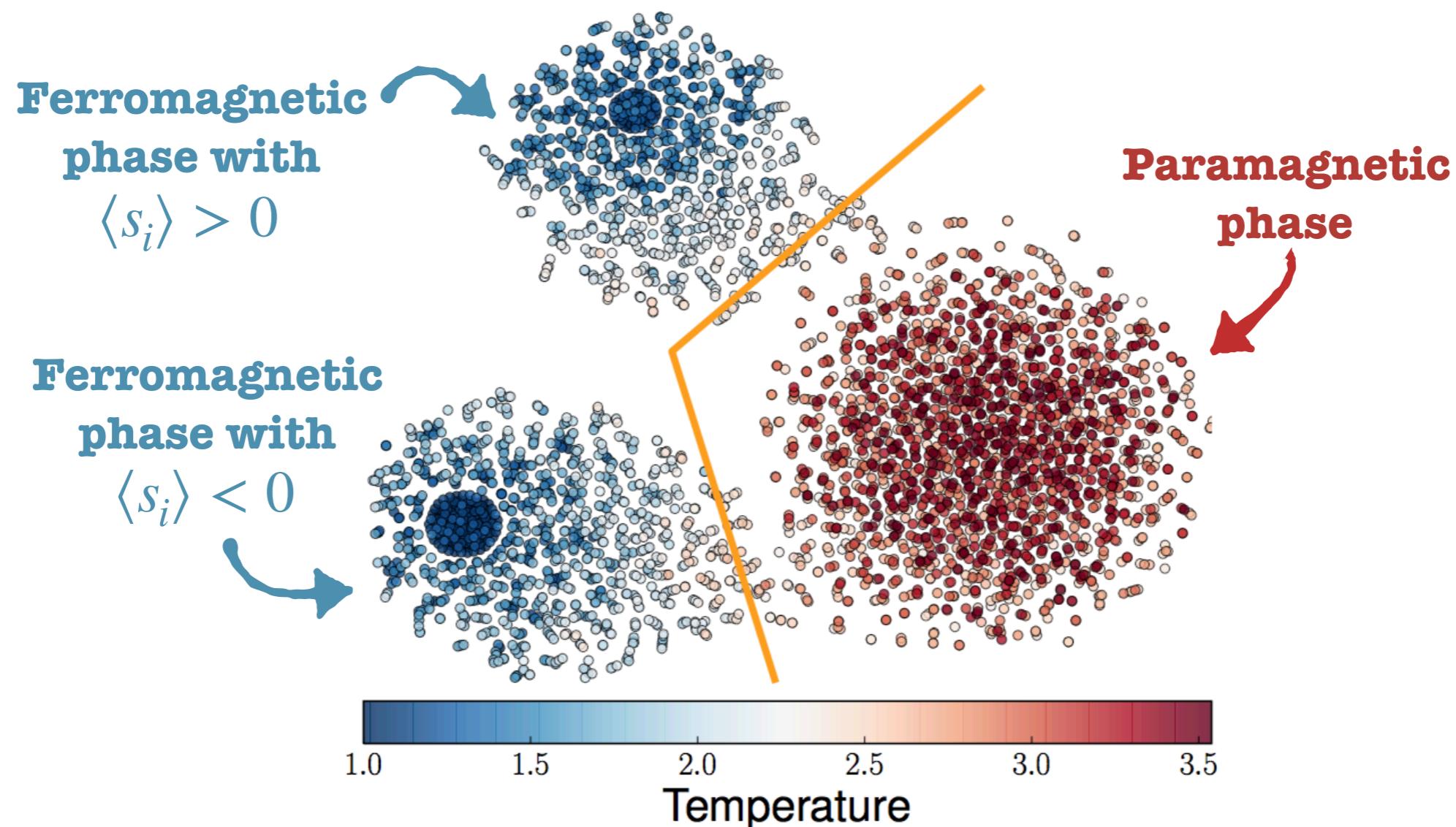


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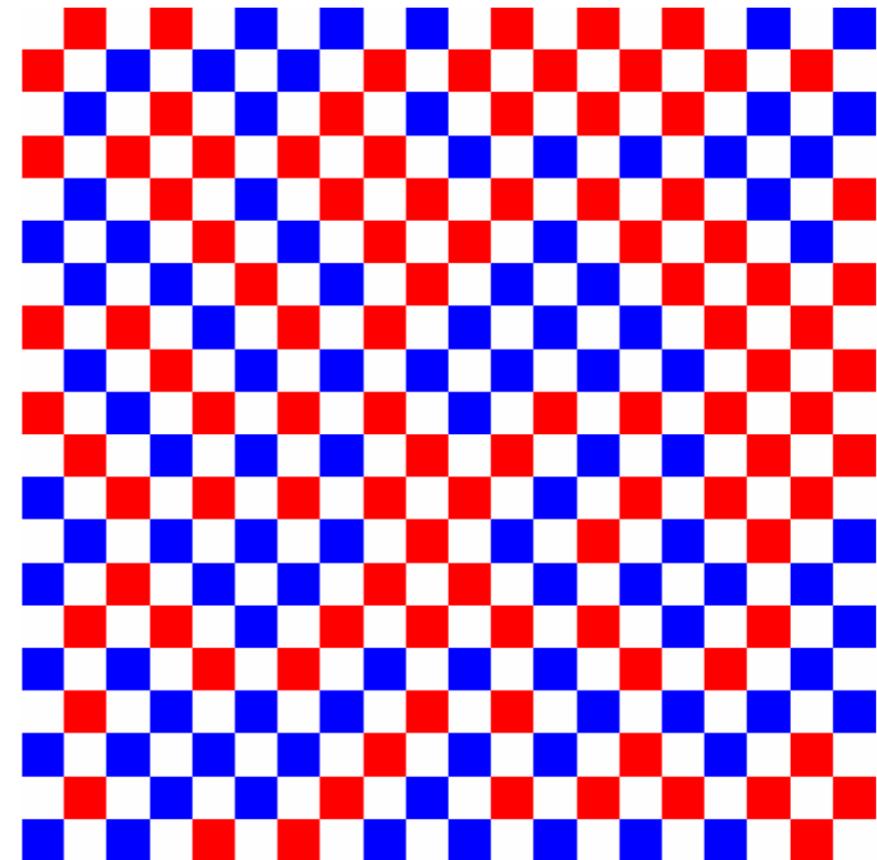
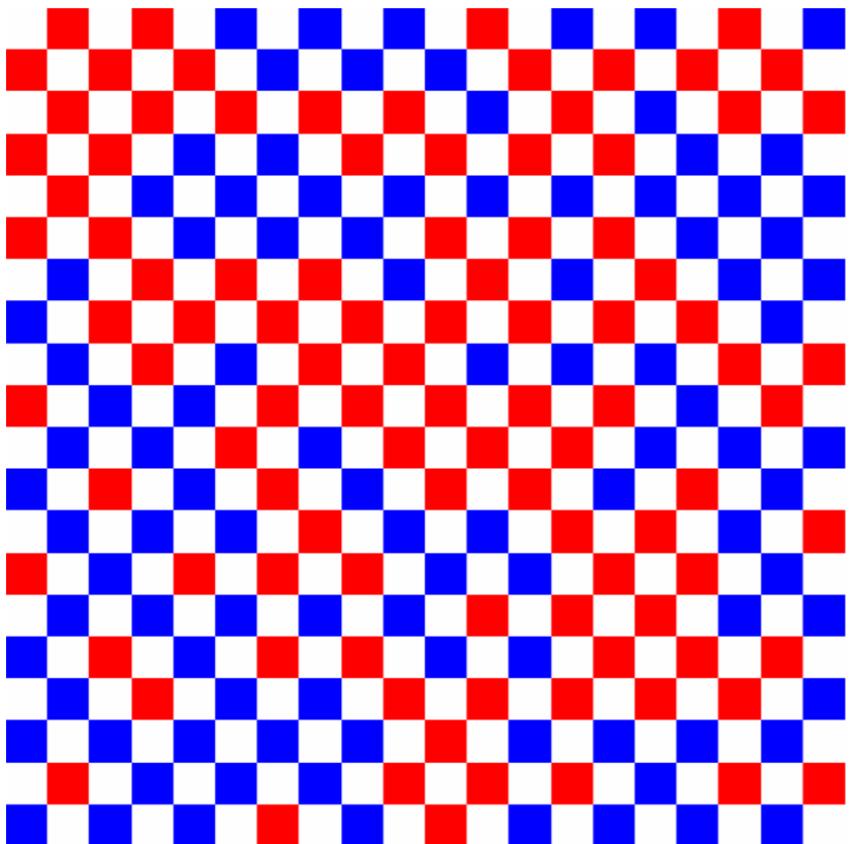
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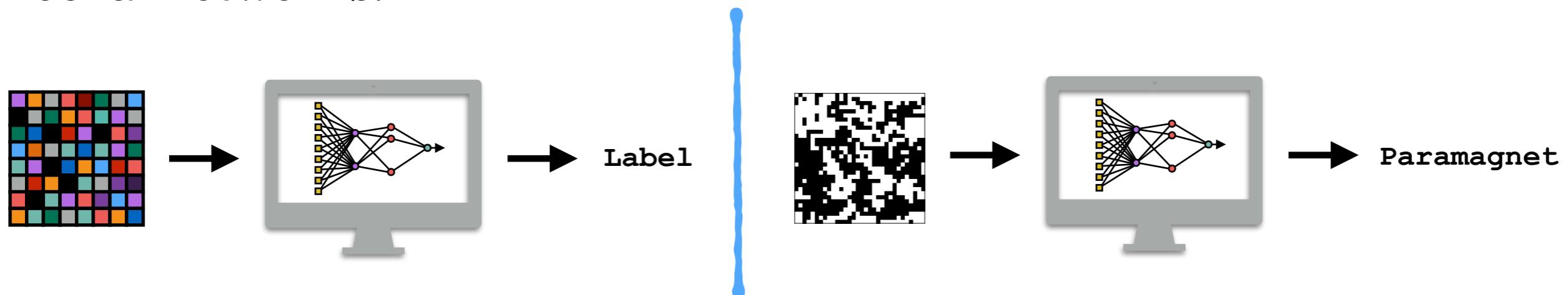
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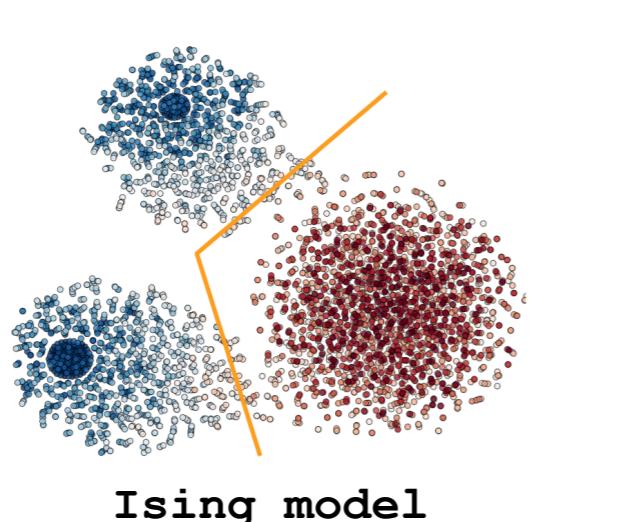


# Machine learning for many-body physics

- ▶ We can classify images using **supervised** machine learning and neural networks:



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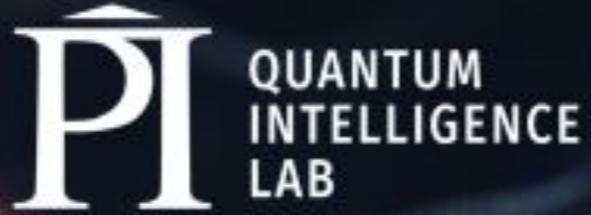
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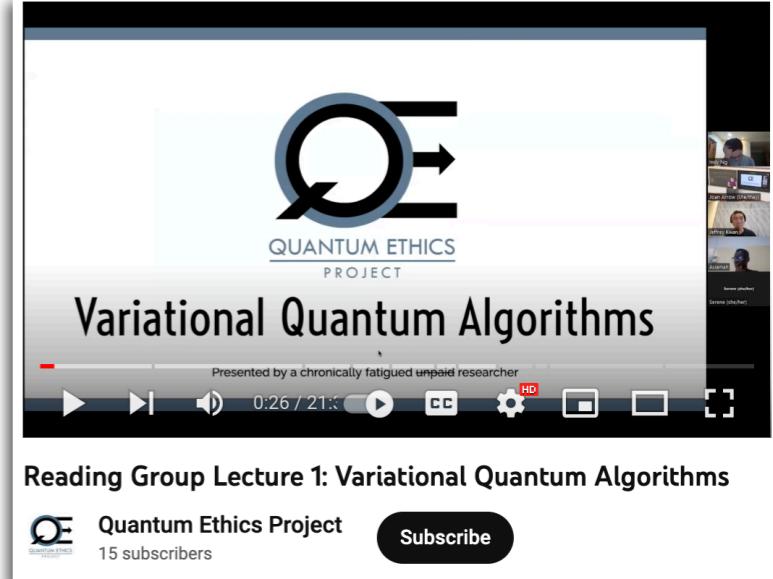
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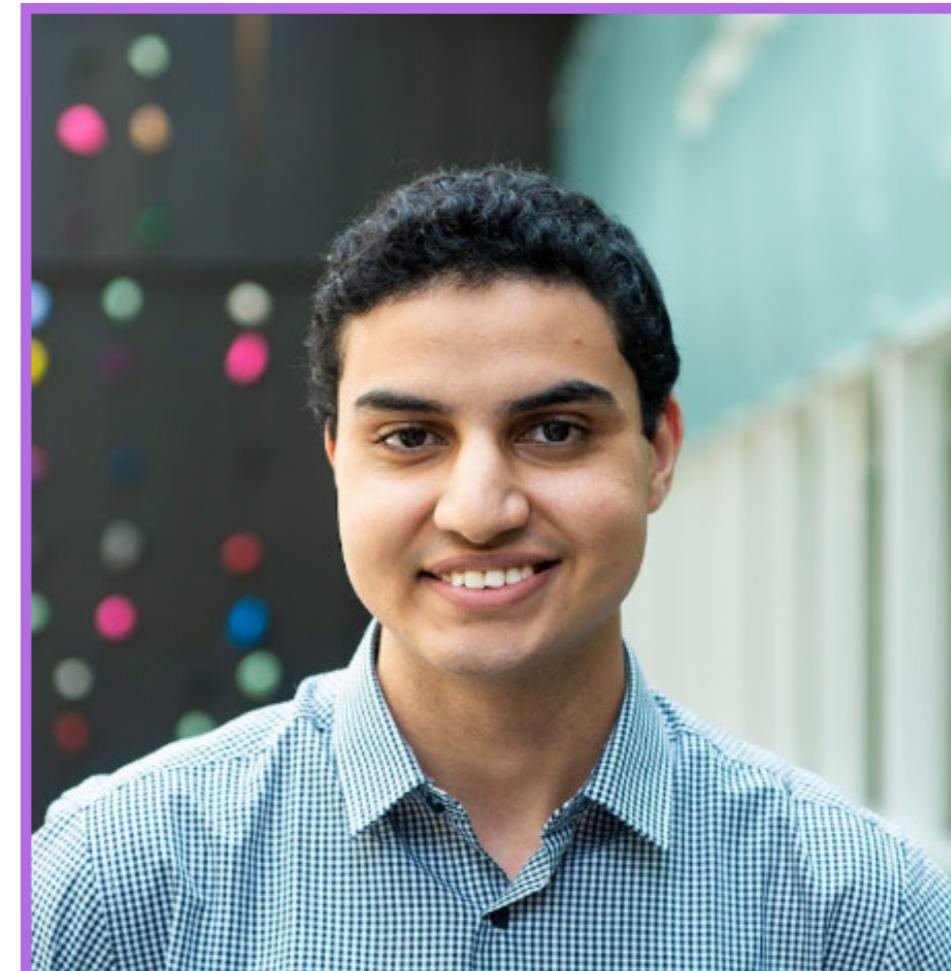
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# Next lecture: Guest lectures



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