Google Cloud Self-study: Designing ML model architectures

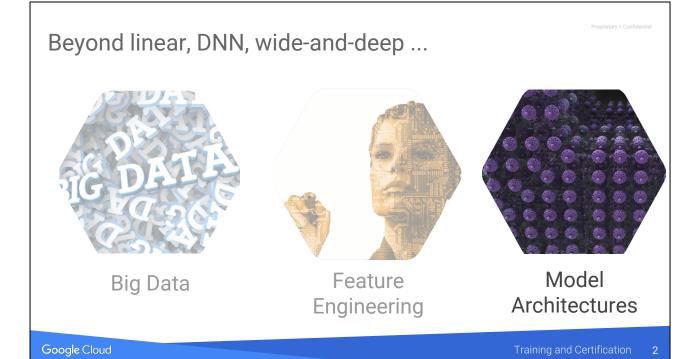
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We briefly looked at wide-and-deep models in the previous chapter. Let's look at other model architectures.

Now that you know *how* to build ML, let's learn how to do it well in the rest of the course.

Ordered from easiest to most difficult.

Agenda

Packaged solutions + Lab
Image analysis + Demo
Embedding and sequences
Recommendation systems

Packaged solutions in Datalab

What if we could:

- Take structured data and identify which columns are categorical ("wide") and which are continuous ("dense")
- Get a reasonable TensorFlow model TRADE FLEXIBILITY FOR AGILITY built for us?





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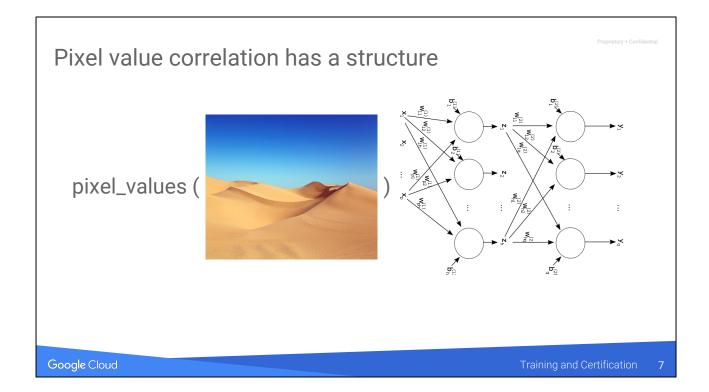
Lab: Structured data packaged solution

In this lab, you will learn:

• How to use the structured data packaged solution in Datalab

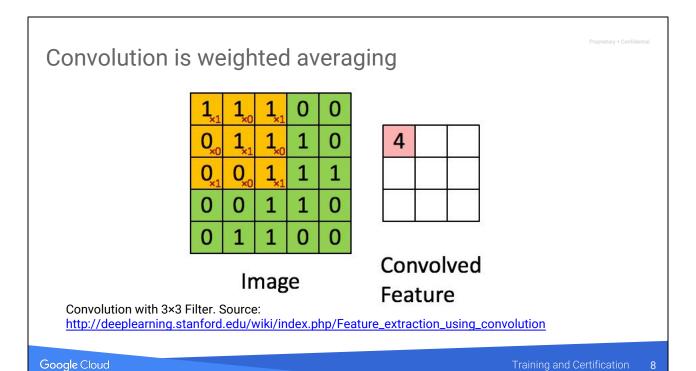
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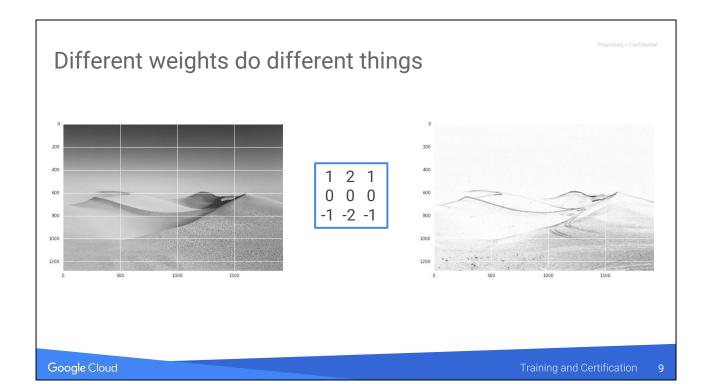


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It's spatial contiguity; i.e., nearby pixels are likely to be similar.



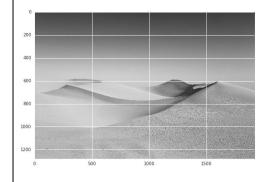
The easiest way to understand a convolution is by thinking of it as a sliding window function applied to a matrix.

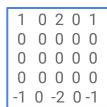


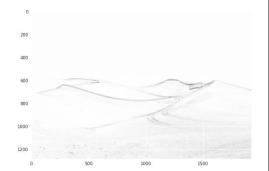
At each pixel, take the 8 neighbors around it and apply the weights to the 9 values that you have. This is called a Sobel horizontal filter, and it finds horizontal edges in the image.

 $Larger\ windows \rightarrow Larger\ scale\ features$









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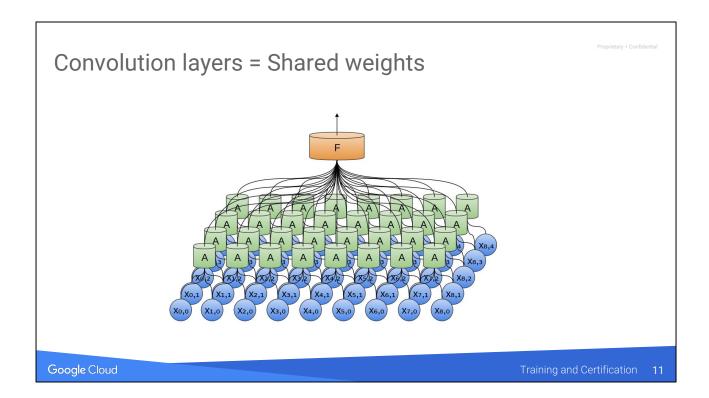
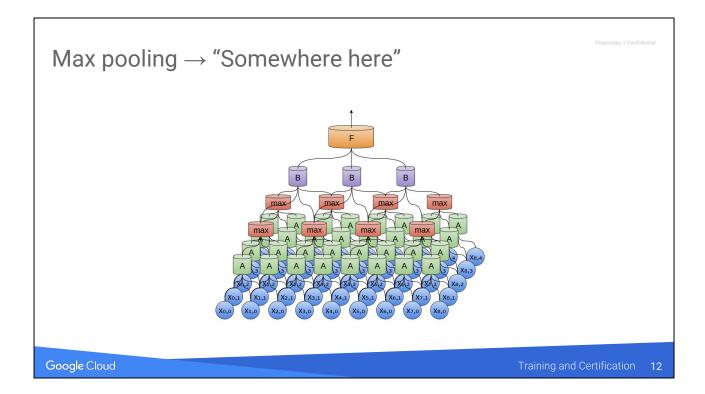


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If you use convolution layers with overlapping windows and follow it by taking the maximum of these windows, you get translation invariance.

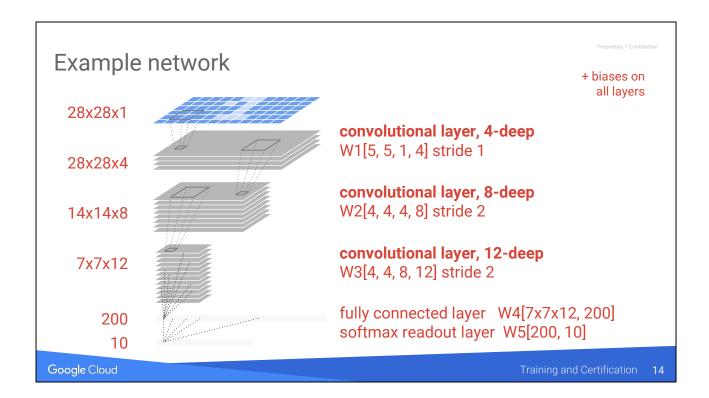
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Convolution & max pooling in TF

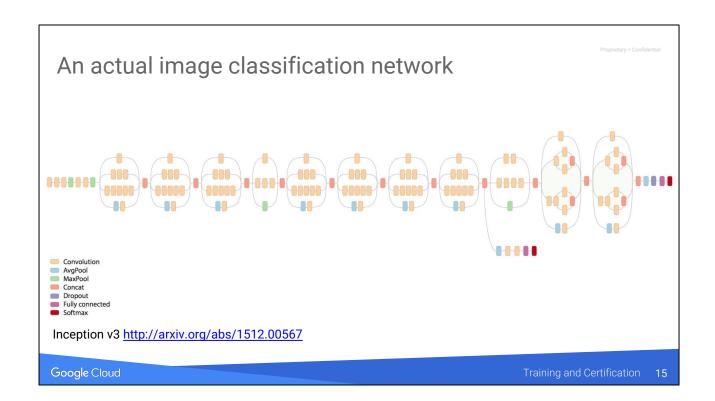
tf.contrib.layers.convolution2d(inputs, noutputs, kernel_size=[5,5], stride=[3,3])

tf.contrib.layers.max_pool2d(inputs, noutputs, kernel_size=[25,25], stride=[1,1])

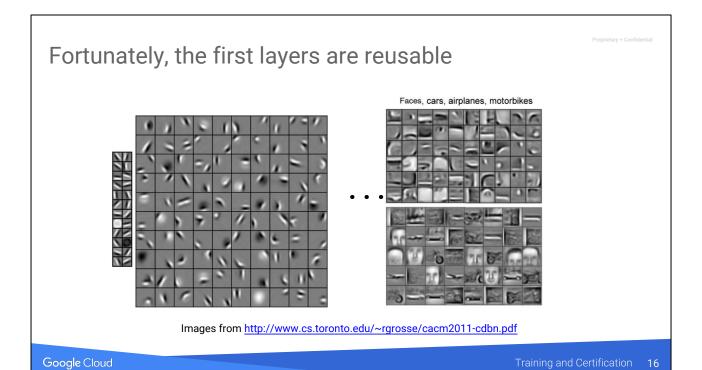
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28x28x1 is the size of the MNIST images. All images that are provided as input have to be the same size, so part of the preprocessing workflow will be to resize images.

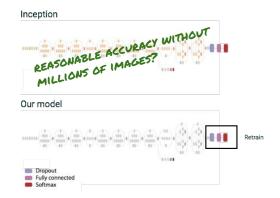


How many examples do you need to train a monster like this?



The last layers are specific to the categories of images you trained the model on, but the first few layers are very general purpose and can be reused.

Custom image classification through transfer learning—retrain last few layers





https://cloud.google.com/blog/big-data/2016/12/how-to-train-and-classify-images-using-google-cloud-machine-learning-and-cloud-dataflow

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Demo: Inception transfer learning

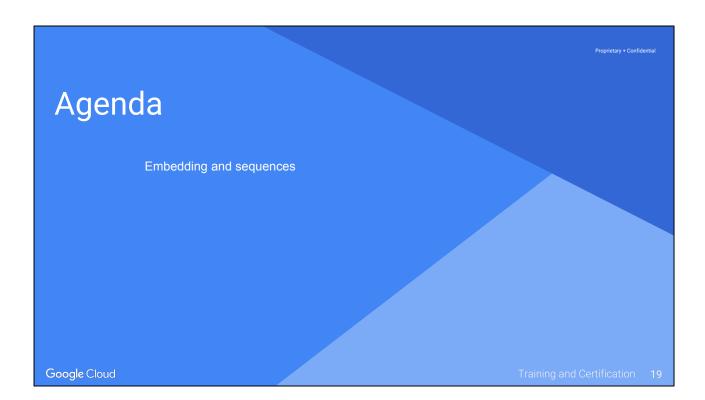
In this demo, you will learn how to use the transfer learning packaged solution in Datalab to classify custom images

In Datalab, see: datalab/codelabs/ml/image/flower/Cloud.ipynb or datalab/codelabs/ml/image/coast/Cloud.ipynb

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This comes with Datalab. The flowers is the original blog post. The "coast" is an example of applying it to a new set of images.

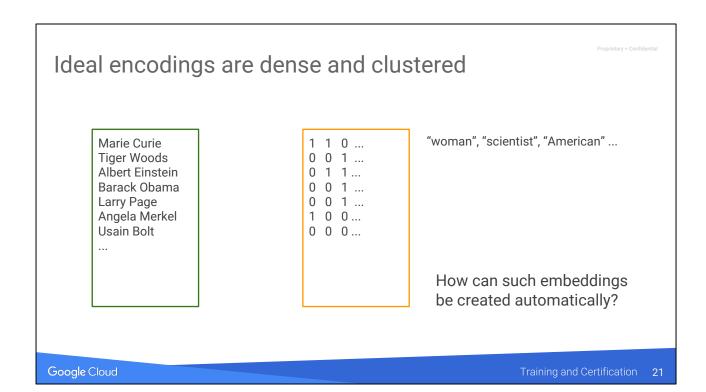


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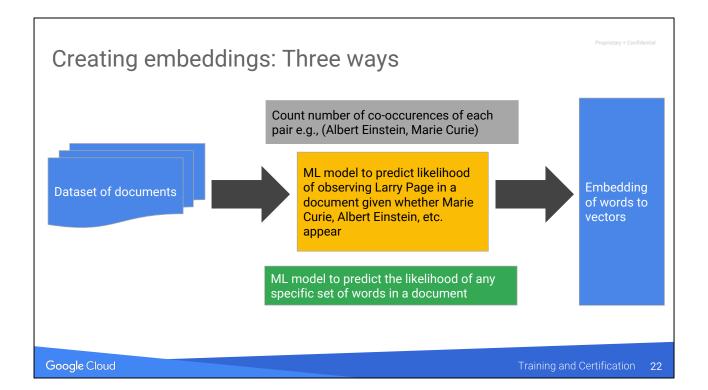
The numbers on the right is the dense representation of the one-hot data on the left.

There is no information in terms of what id is assigned to what person, which is why we one-hot encode them, but this is sub-optimal, because things are not truly independent.

This is not just for persons. Any categorical column that is one-hot encoded has this problem. It could be products in your catalog, or parts in your assembly line. It is also not just for features. It also affects labels in your image classification.



Dense: went from having one dimension for every object (7) to just 3.



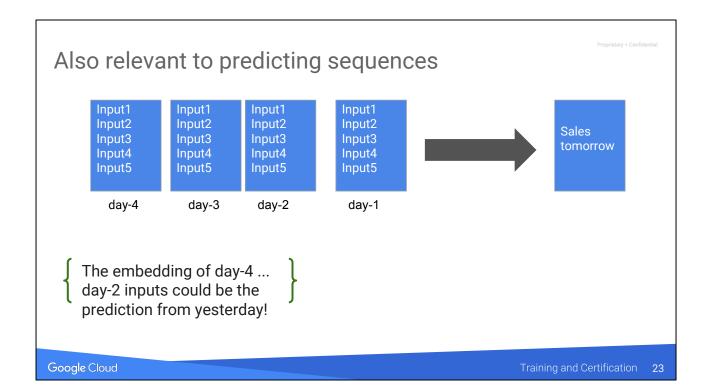
For example, for a product catalog, you would look at all your customers' purchases and count how many times diapers & baby bottles cooccur (might be higher than the number of times that diapers and bicycles cooccur).

The first method is called Distributional Statistical Model (DSM). Once you have the cooccurences, various encoding methods exist to put highly cooccuring pairs together but these are pretty heuristic. The latter two approaches are much more hands-off – all that you have to do is to throw away the output nodes and use the remaining NN to be the vector corresponding to the word.

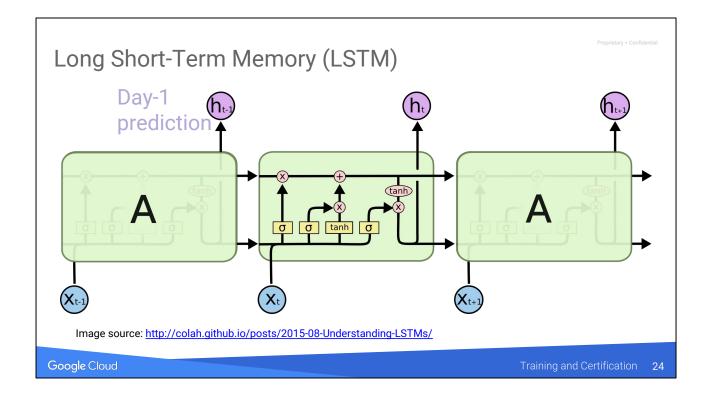
The second is called Continuous Bag-of-Words (CBOW). It is usually done for small datasets and relatively few words. Essentially, you have one input node for each word and that input node is 0/1 depending on whether the word appears in the document (or a smaller section of the document, termed the context).

The third is called skip-gram and because it is a smoother model, it really comes on its own when you have lots of data. Here, the input is a set of words and the ML model predicts whether that combination is likely to happen or is

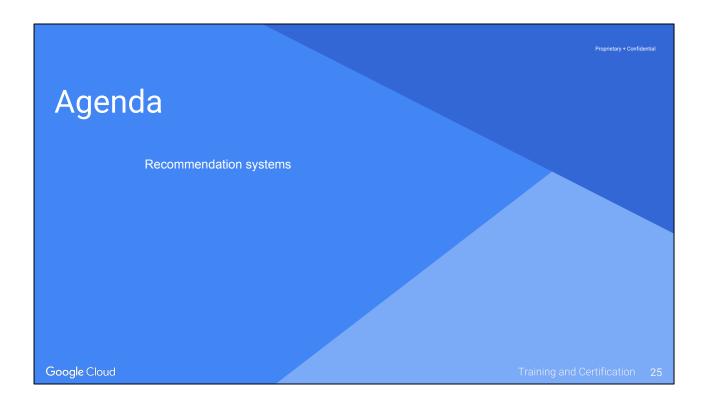
just noise. Here, each context is treated as an observation, so you get complete coverage over the entire input space.

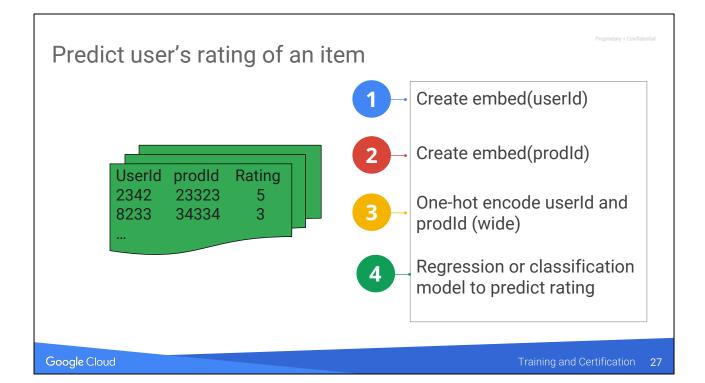


Yesterday's prediction captures all that state.



The sigmoid node outputs a value between [0,1], so essentially a weighted average of h(t-1) and a function of the current inputs is input to the neural network -- this is the short-term memory. Meanwhile, the internal nodes accumulate over the entire dataset and function like the count-based model in the embedding diagram; i.e., they create long-term memory.





The point is to predict the rating of an item the user hasn't rated. This is very sparse, since most users will rate only 5-10 products.

To create embeddings, you have 3 ways:

One is to simply use distributive statistics as discussed in earlier slide. In CPB100, we used an algorithm called Alternating Least Squares to do this using Spark on Dataproc.

Second (and better) is to create a predictive model using the continuous bag of words approach:

To create embedding of userId, predict the likelihood of a user liking a product given the users who liked that product.

To create embedding of prodld, predict the likelihood of a product being liked by a user given the other products that (s)he liked.

Third (and best) when you have a lot of data, you can do the skip-gram approach:

To create embedding of userId, predict the likelihood of any specific set of users liking a given product.

To create embedding of prodld, predict the likelihood of a given user liking any specific set of products.

It could be classification if you treat the ratings as separate classes and do a soft-max.

It could be regression if you treat the ratings as a continuous number in the range [1,5].

Resources

Wide-and-deep	https://www.tensorflow.org/versions/master/tutorials/wide_and_deep/index.html
Image classification	https://www.tensorflow.org/versions/master/tutorials/deep_cnn/index.html
Transfer learning	https://www.tensorflow.org/versions/master/how_tos/image_retraining/index.htm
Image generation	https://github.com/tensorflow/tensorflow/blob/master/tensorflow/examples/tutorials/deepdream/deepdream.ipynb
Word embeddings	https://www.tensorflow.org/versions/master/tutorials/word2vec/index.html
Recurrent models	https://www.tensorflow.org/versions/master/tutorials/recurrent/index.html
Sequence-to-sequence	https://www.tensorflow.org/versions/master/tutorials/seq2seq/index.html
Recommendation systems	http://arxiv.org/abs/1606.07792 https://github.com/songgc/TF-recomm

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