

Employing Layers in Keras Models



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Common Methods

`get_weights(), set_weights(weights)`
`get_config(), from_config(config)`

`input, output`
`input_shape, output_shape`

`get_input_at(node_idx)`
`get_output_at(node_idx)`
`get_input_shape_at(node_idx)`
`get_output_shape_at(node_index)`



Layers

Expanding number of layers

Over 70 layers

Build most Neural Networks



Keras Layer Groups

Common

Shaping

Merging

Extension

Convolutional –
separate module

Recurrent –
separate module

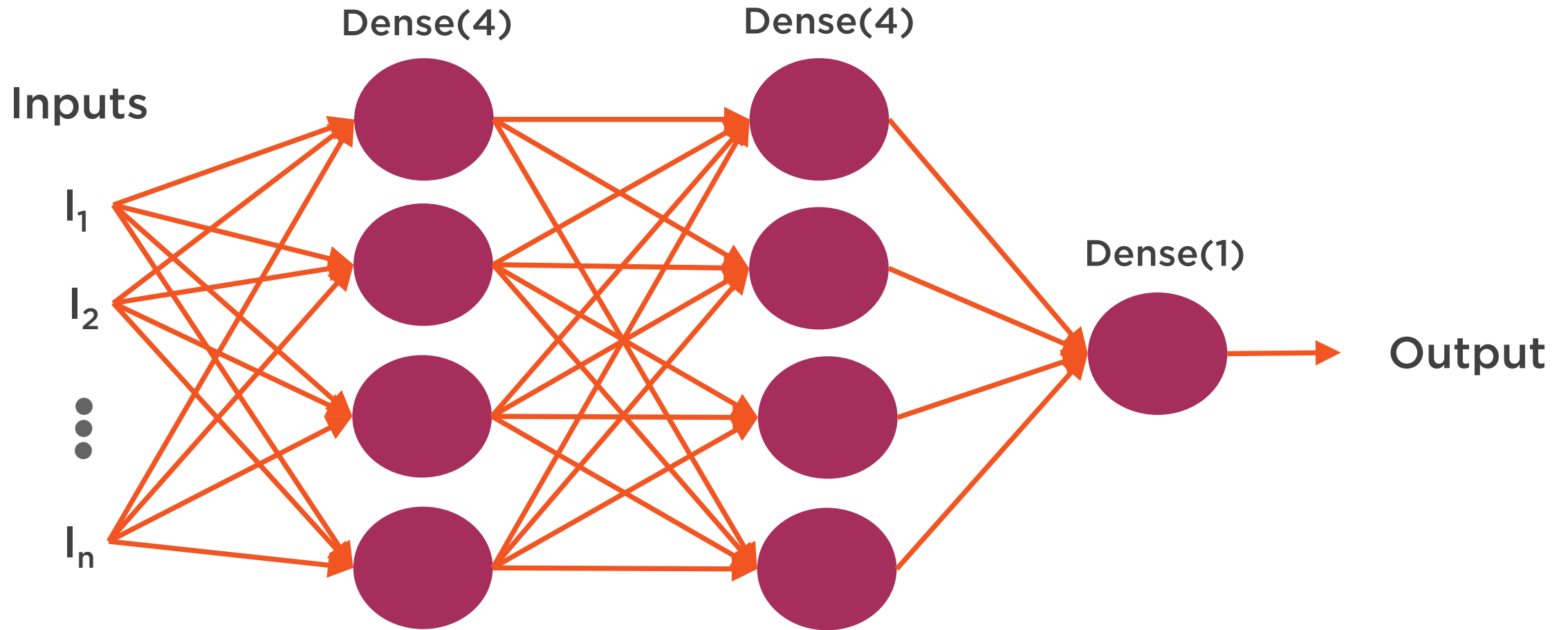


Common Layers

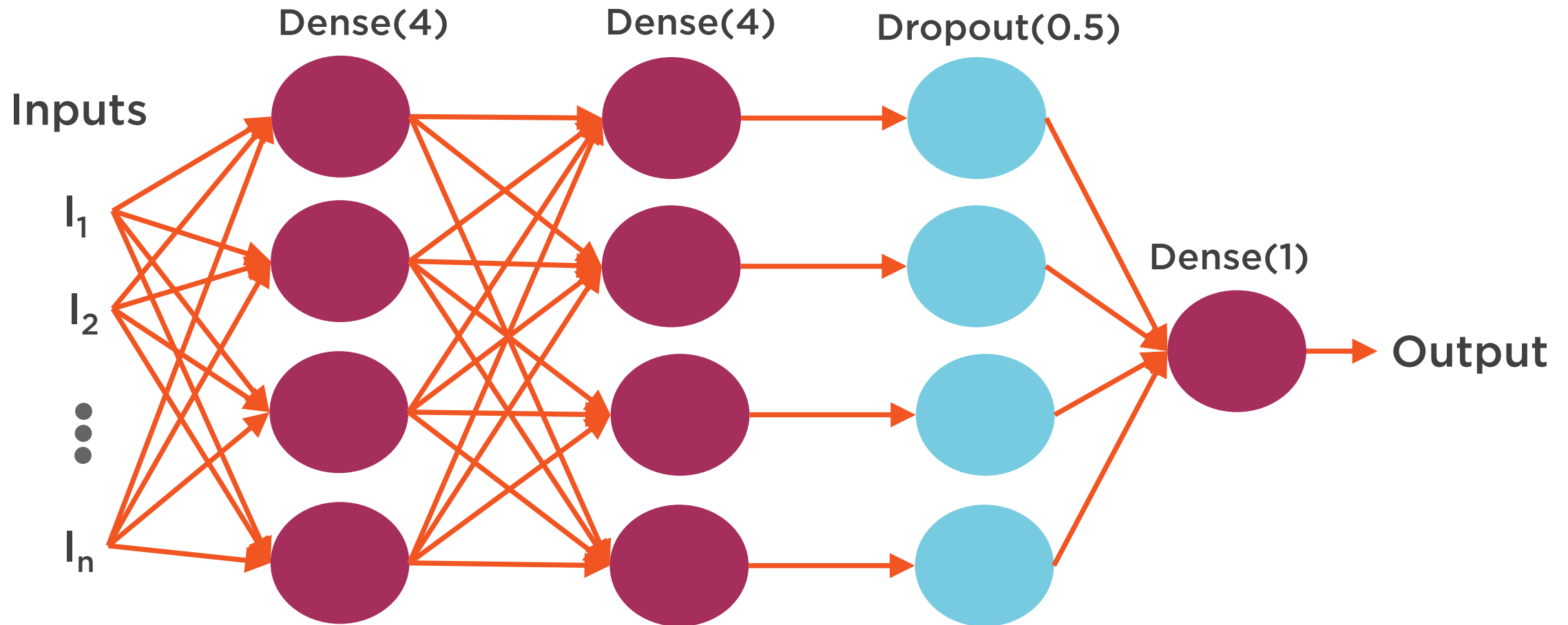
Dense
Dropout



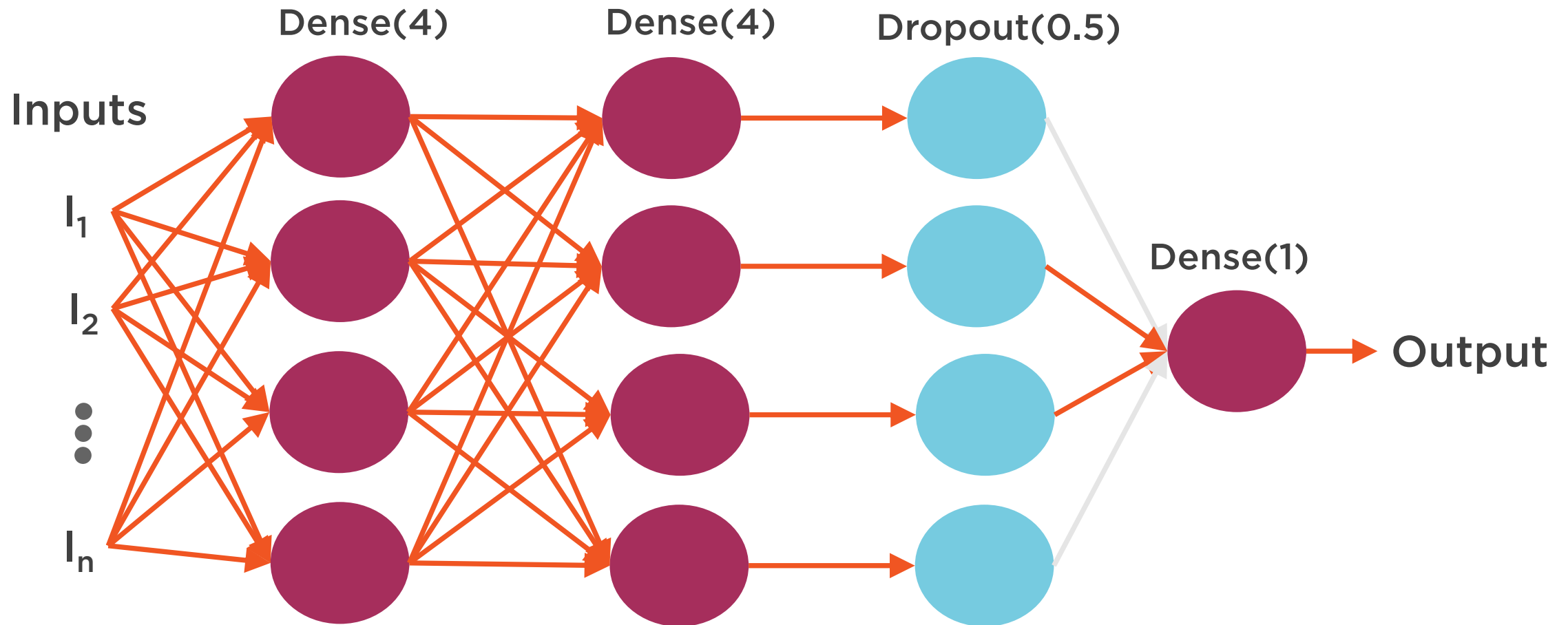
Dense Layer



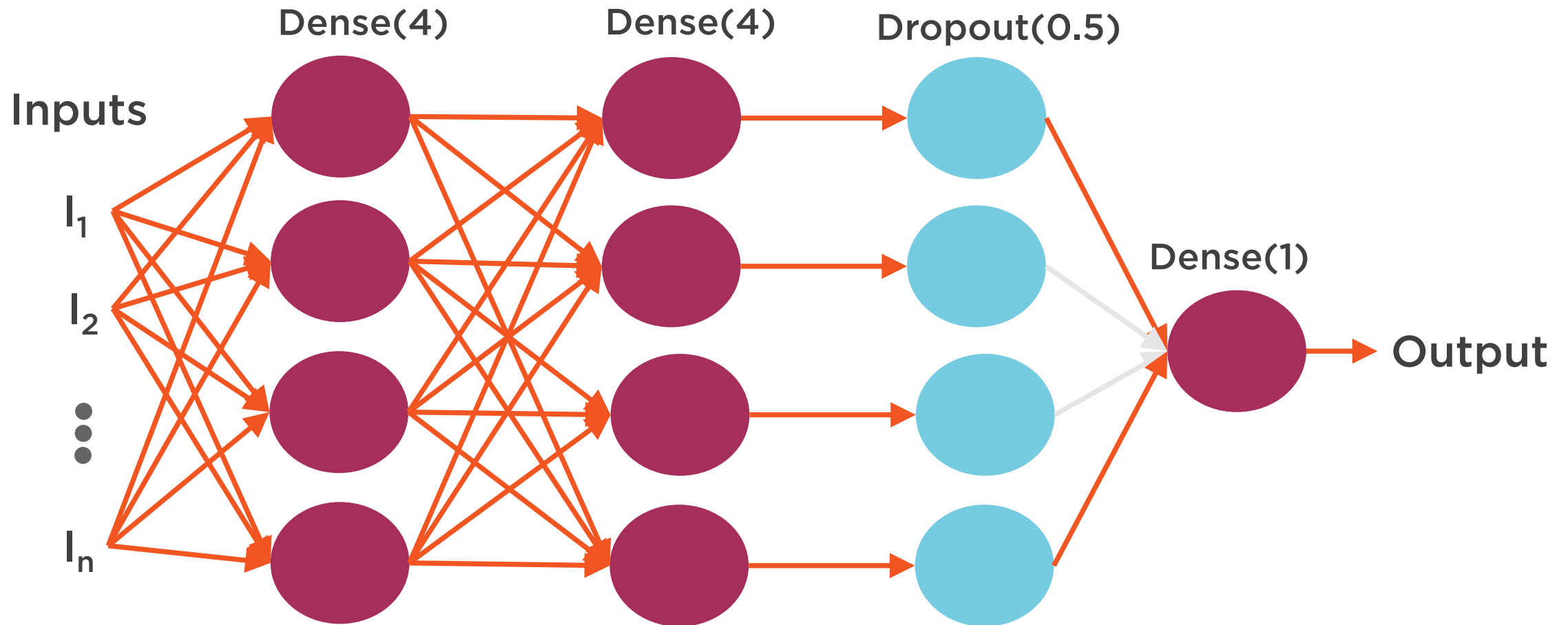
Dropout Layers



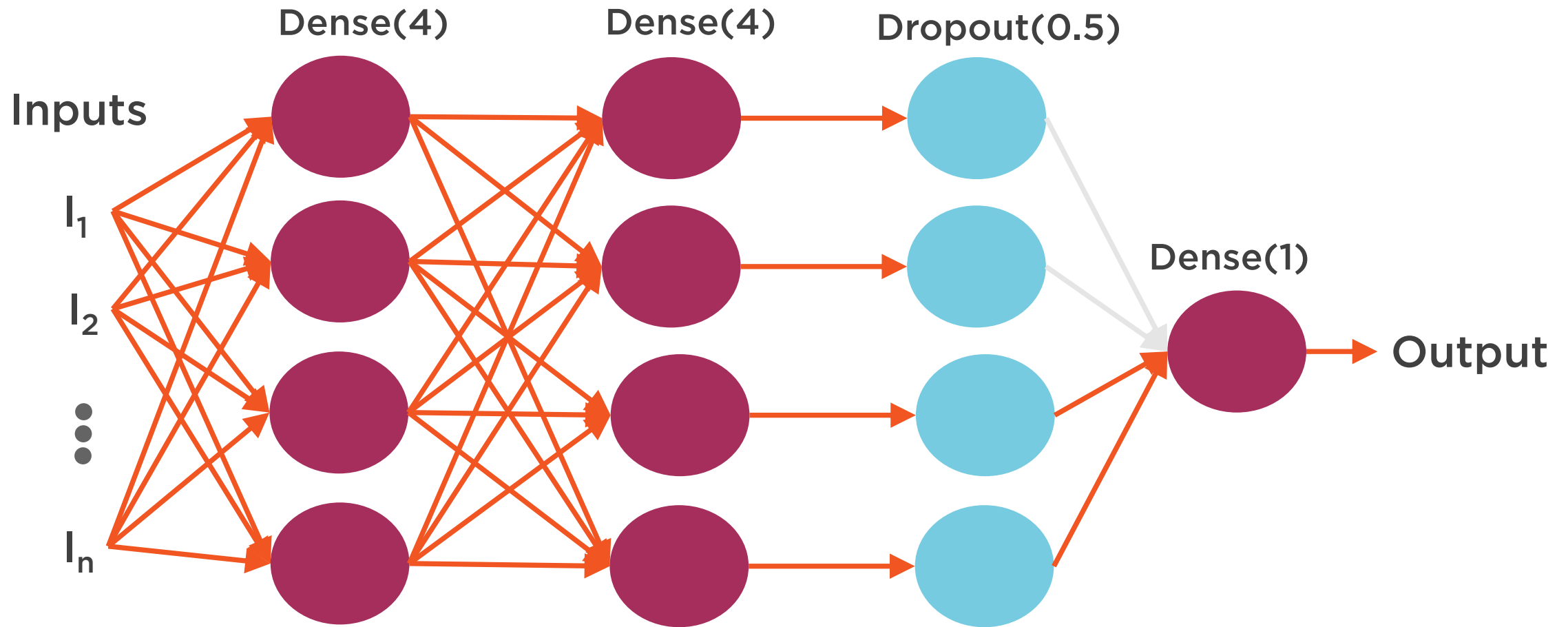
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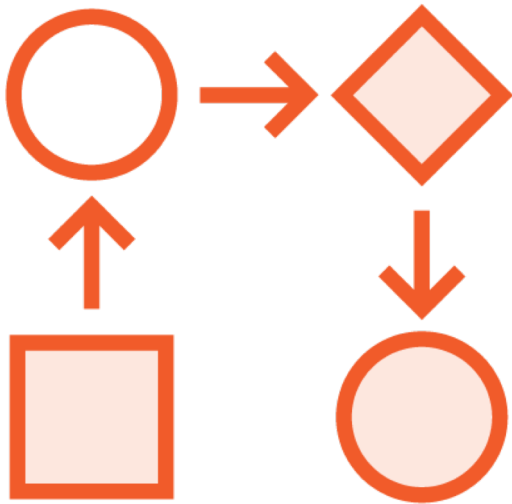
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Dropout Layers



Shaping Layers



Reshape(target_shape)

- Reshape((2, 3), inputs_shape=(6,))
- input: (None, 6) -> (None, 2, 3)

Flatten()

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- input: (None, 64, 32, 32) -> (None, 65536)

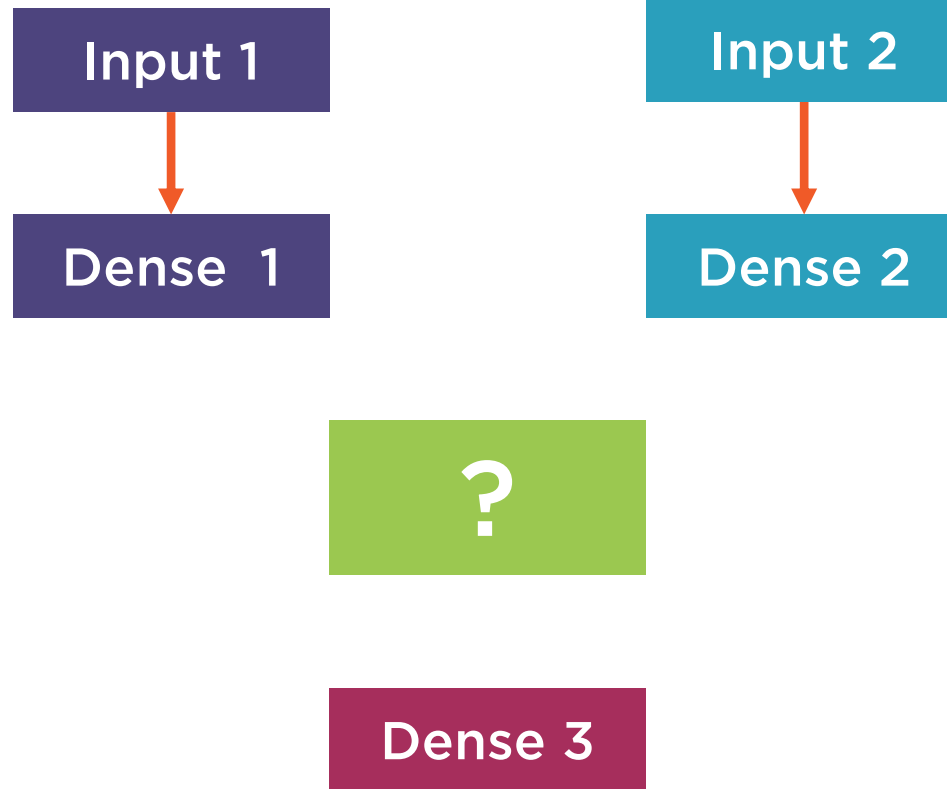
Permute(dims)

- Permute((2,1), input_shape(20,40))
- output -> (None, 40, 20)

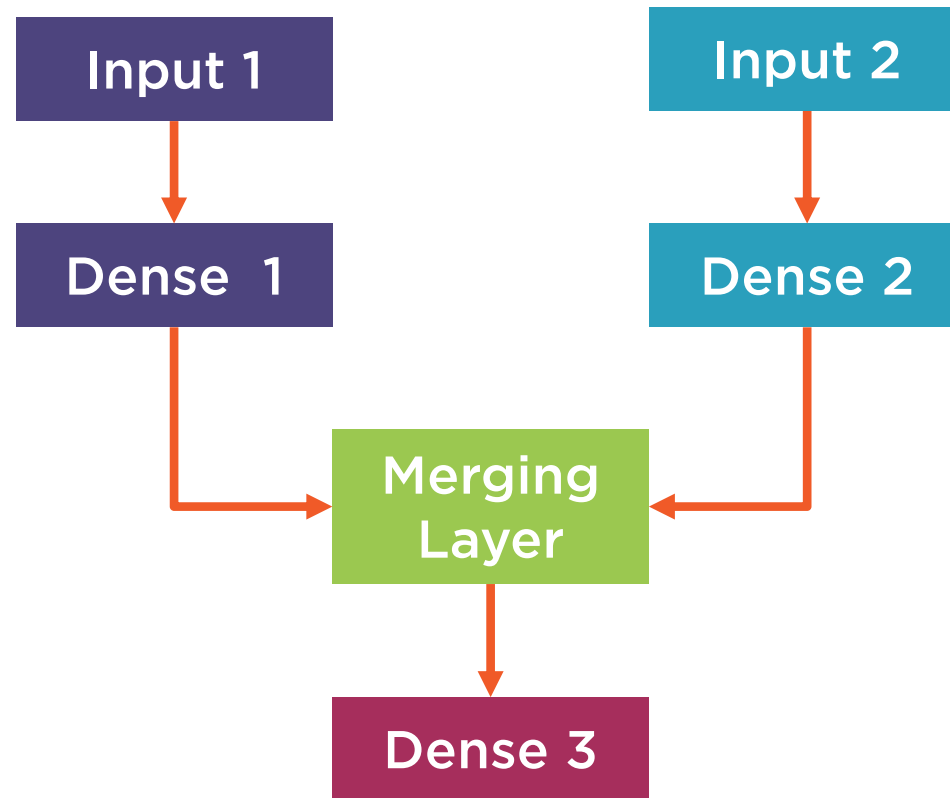
RepeatVector(n)

- RepeatVector(3)
- input (None, 32) -> (None, 3, 32)

Merging Layers



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Merging Layer Features

Different type of
“merges”

Take tensors as
input

Result is “merged”
tensor



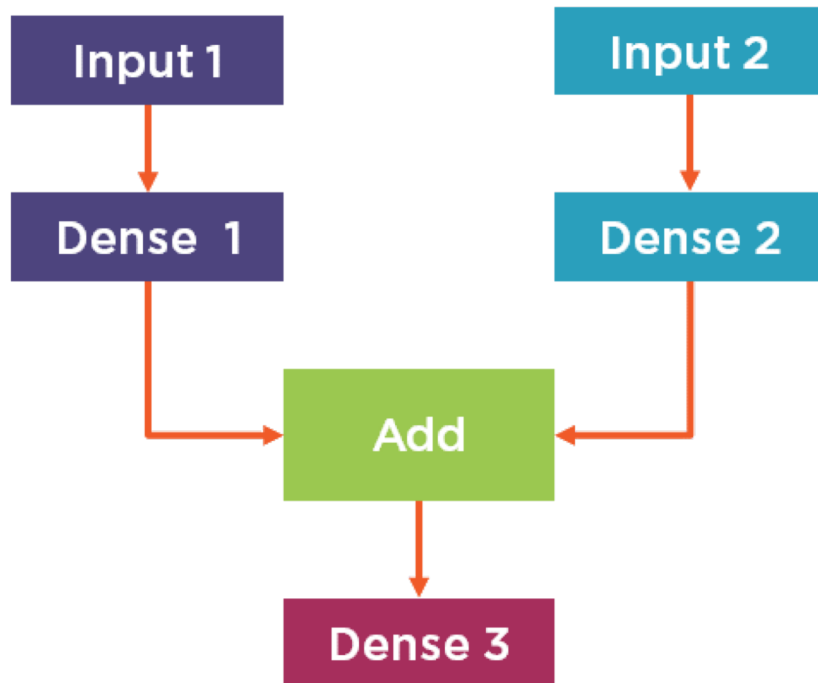
Merging Layers

- Add
 - Subtract
 - Multiply
 - Average
 - Maximum
 - Concatenate
 - Dot
- add
 - subtract
 - multiply
 - average
 - maximum
 - concatenate
 - dot

`Subtract()[x1, x2]` *is equivalent to* `subtract(x1,x2)`



Merging Example



```
input1 = keras.layers.Input(shape=(16,), name='input_1')
x1 = keras.layers.Dense(8, activation='relu', name='dense_1')(input1)
```

```
input2 = keras.layers.Input(shape=(16,), name='input_2')
x2 = keras.layers.Dense(8, activation='relu', name='dense_2')(input2)
```

```
added = keras.layers.Add()[x1, x2]
# added = keras.layers.add(x1, x2)
```

```
out = keras.layers.Dense(4, name='dense_3')(added)
```

```
model = keras.models.Model(inputs=[input1, input2], outputs=out)
```



Extension Layers

Extend functionality

Perform custom tasks

Encapsulate our logic

2 ways

- Lambda Layer
- Custom Layer



Lambda Function

Simple tasks

No trainable
weights

Inline or function
implementation



Lambda Layer

```
#inline lambda
model.add(Lambda(lambda x: x
                    ** 2))
```

```
# function lambda
def sqr(x):
    return x ** 2
```

```
def sqr_shape(input_shape):
    return input_shape
```

```
model.add(Lambda(sqr,
                  output_shape =
                      sqr_shape))
```

Add squaring layer

Define function

Define shape of output
(*Theano only*)

Add layer



Custom Layer

Complex tasks

Trainable weights

Reusable

Must implement methods



Custom Layer - Definition

```
Class MyLayer(Layer):  
  
    def __init__(self, output_dim, **kwargs):  
        self.output_dim = output_dim  
        super(MyLayer,  
              self).__init__(**kwargs)  
  
    def build(self, input_shape):  
        self.kernel = self.add_weight(  
            name="kernel", shape =  
                (input_shape[1], self.output_dim),  
            initializer="uniform",  
            trainable=True)  
        super(MyLayer, self).build(  
            input_shape)  
  
    def call(self, x):  
        return K.dot(x, self.kernel)  
  
    def compute_output_shape(self,  
        input_shape):  
        return (input_shape[0],  
                self.output_dim)
```

◀ Initialize class

◀ Define weights to be trained

◀ Specify the layer logic

◀ Define how output shape is determined



Custom Layer - Usage

```
Model.add(MyLayer(...))
```

```
x1 = Dense(64)(in)  
x2 = MyLayer(...)(x1)
```

◀ Usage - Sequential Model

◀ Usage - Functional API



Summary



Methods common to all layers

Common layers used a lot

Shaping layers shape data

Merging layers merge tensors

Extension layers are user written

Convolutional NN next

