

Lecture - 7 : Tokenization

Data preparation and sampling

→ we will look at "Data preparation and sampling" in this lecture.

1. How do you prepare input text for training LLMs?

Step-1: (a.) Splitting text into individual word and subwords & token

Step-2: (b.) convert token into token IDs.

Step-3: (c.) Encode token IDs into vector representation.

output text

post processing steps

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□□□ □□□ □□□ - Token embedding (step-2)

4013 201 302 1134 - Token IDs (step-3)

This is an example - Tokenized text (step-1)

This is an example - Input text

2. let's us look at step-1:

Tokenizing Text

(a.) Dataset used: "The verdict" by Edith Wharton.

(b.) Download and load in python.

(c.) Tokenize the short story.

↳ use python's regular expression library.

(d.) convert Token into Token IDs

compute training dataset



Tokenized text t

"The quick brown fox jumps the lazy dog"

The quick
brown fox --

Each unique token is mapped to an unique integer called token ID.

usually sorted alphabetically

vocabulary

brown → 0

dog → 1

fox → 2

jump → 3

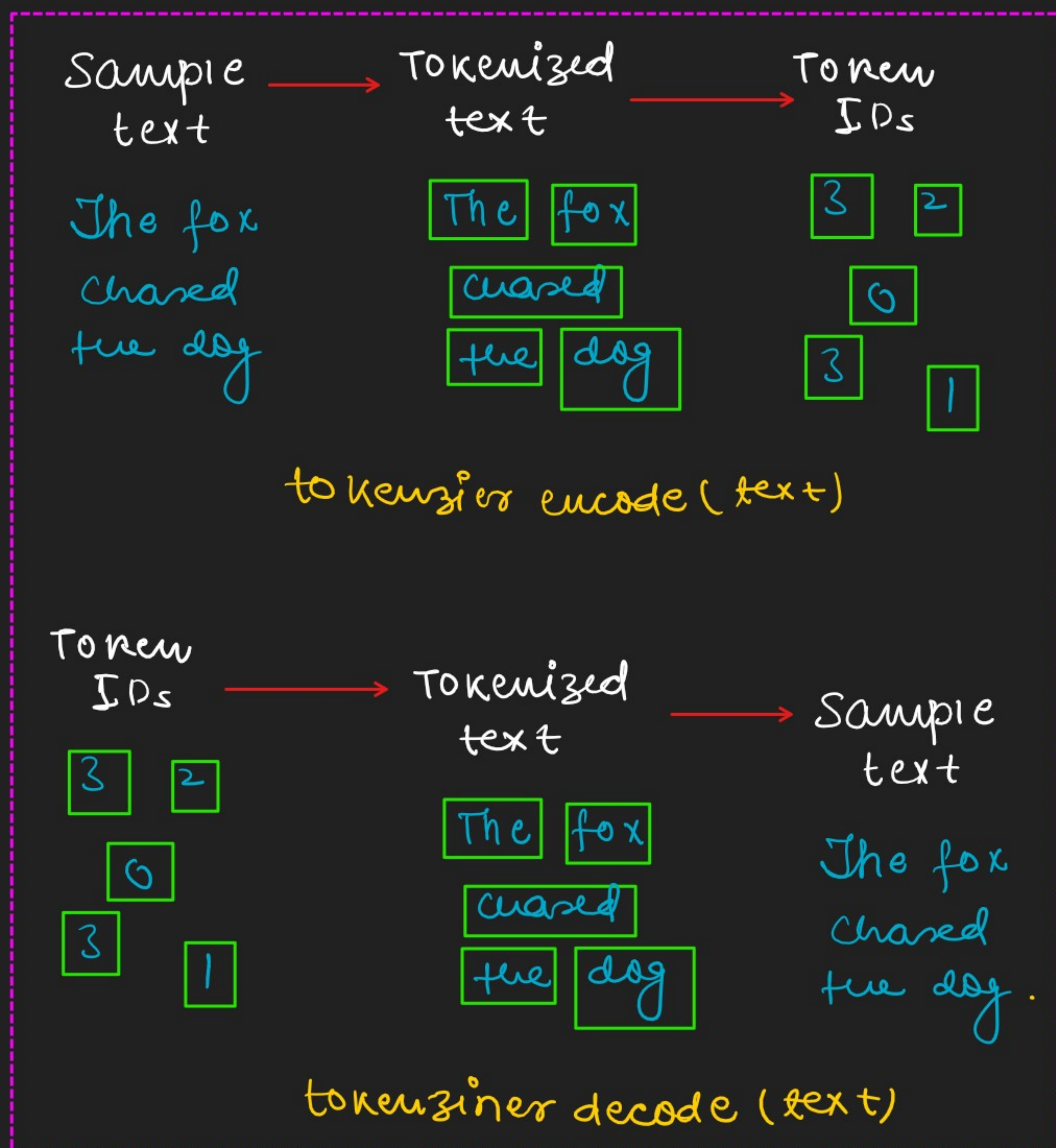
lazy → 4



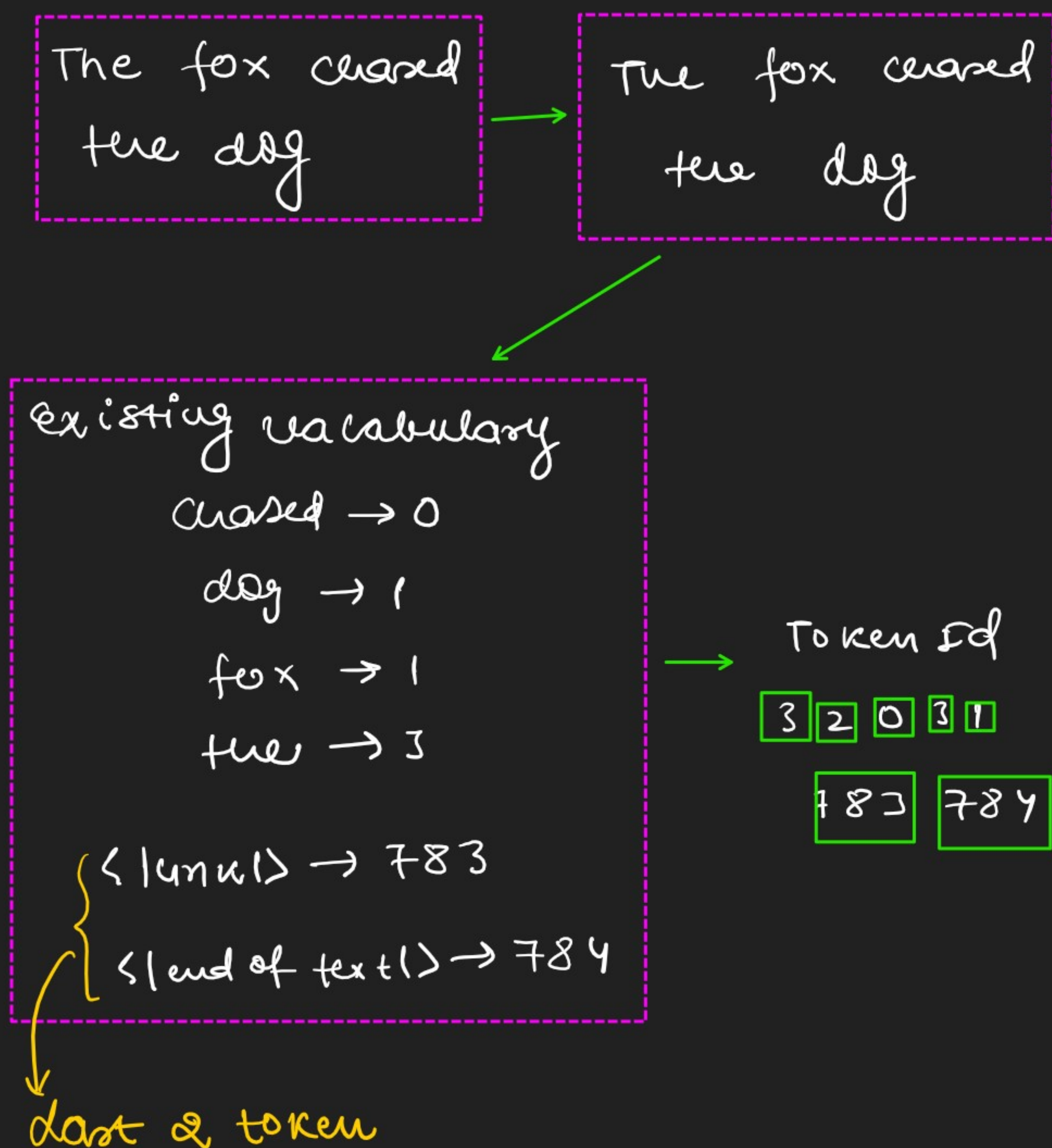
unique tokens

↳ token ID

(e.) Implement the token class in python.



(f.) Adding special text token



more details on <|end of text|>

* when working with multiple text sources, we add <|end of text|> token b/w these text.

* These <|end of text|> token acts as markers, signalling the start of end a particular segment.