

1. Suppose your training examples are sentences (sequences of words). Which of the following refers to the l^{th} word in the k^{th} training example?

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- ☐ $x^{<k>(l)}$
- ☒ $x^{(l)<k>}$
- ☐ $x^{(k)<l>}$
- ☐ $x^{<l>(k)}$

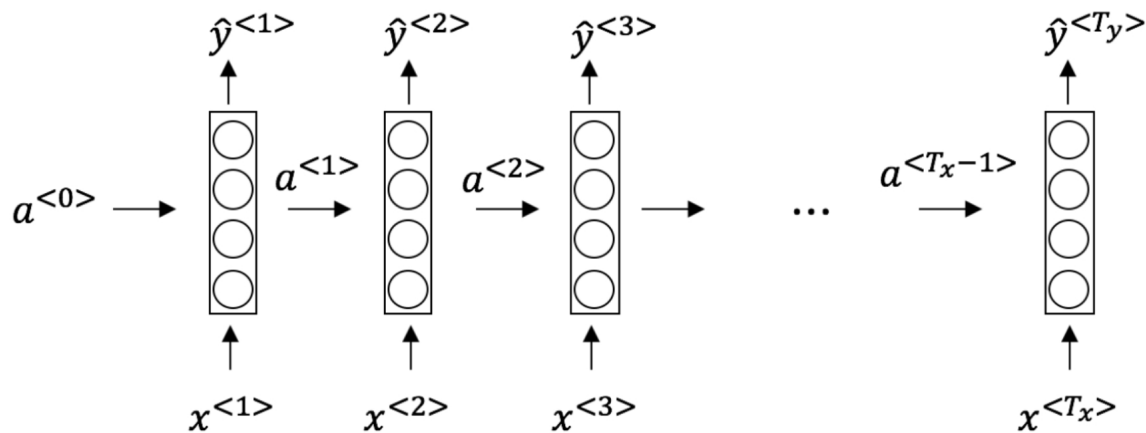
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The parentheses represent the training example and the brackets represent the word. You should choose the training example and then the word.

2. Consider this RNN:

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True/False: This specific type of architecture is appropriate when $T_x = T_y$

- ☐ False
- ☒ True

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It is appropriate when the input sequence and the output sequence have the same length or size.

3. Select the two tasks combination that could be addressed by a many-to-one RNN model architecture from the following:

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- ☐ Task 1: Gender recognition from audio. Task 2: Image classification.
- ☒ Task 1: Speech recognition. Task 2: Gender recognition from audio.
- ☐ Task 1: Image classification. Task 2: Sentiment classification.
- ☐ Task 1: Gender recognition from audio. Task 2: Movie review (positive/negative) classification.

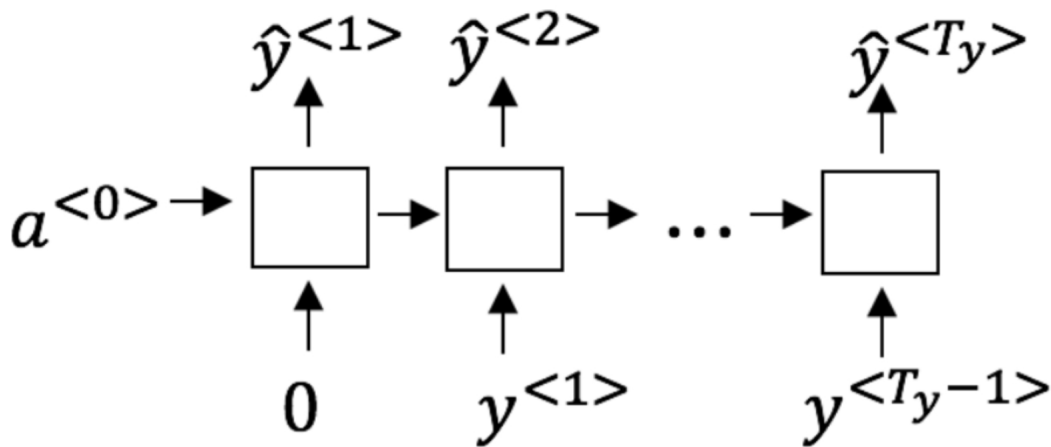
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Speech recognition is an example of many-to-many recognition.

4. Using this as the training model below, answer the following:

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True/False: At the t^{th} time step the RNN is estimating $P(y^{<t>} | y^{<1>}, y^{<2>}, \dots, y^{<t-1>})$

- ☒ True
- ☐ False

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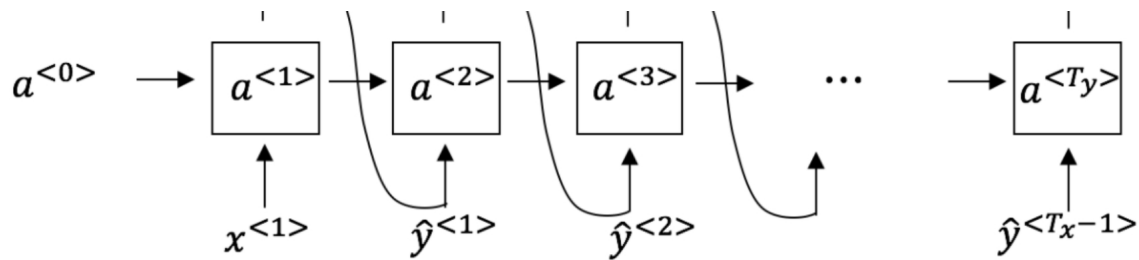
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Yes, in a training model we try to predict the next step based on knowledge of all prior steps.

5. You have finished training a language model RNN and are using it to sample random sentences, as follows:

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True/False: In this sample sentence, step t uses the probabilities output by the RNN to pick the highest probability word for that time-step. Then it passes the ground-truth word from the training set to the next time-step.

- ☐ True
- ☒ False

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The probabilities output by the RNN are not used to pick the highest probability word and the ground-truth word from the training set is not the input to the next time-step.

6. You are training an RNN model, and find that your weights and activations are all taking on the value of NaN ("Not a Number"). Which of these is the most likely cause of this problem?

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- ☐ Vanishing gradient problem.
- ☒ Exploding gradient problem.
- ☐ The model used the ReLU activation function to compute $g(z)$, where z is too large.
- ☐ The model used the Sigmoid activation function to compute $g(z)$, where z is too large.

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7. Suppose you are training an LSTM. You have a 10000 word vocabulary, and are using an LSTM with 100-dimensional activations $a^{<t>}$. What is the dimension of Γ_u at each time step?

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- ☐ 1
- ☒ 100
- ☐ 300
- ☐ 10000

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Correct, Γ_u is a vector of dimension equal to the number of hidden units in the LSTM.

8. Here are the update equations for the GRU.

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GRU

$$\tilde{c}^{<t>} = \tanh(W_c[\Gamma_r * c^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_c)$$

$$\Gamma_u = \sigma(W_u[c^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_u)$$

$$\Gamma_r = \sigma(W_r[c^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_r)$$

$$c^{<t>} = \Gamma_u * \tilde{c}^{<t>} + (1 - \Gamma_u) * c^{<t-1>}$$

$$a^{<t>} = c^{<t>}$$

Alice proposes to simplify the GRU by always removing the Γ_u . I.e., setting $\Gamma_u = 0$. Betty proposes to simplify the GRU by removing the Γ_r . I. e., setting $\Gamma_r = 1$ always. Which of these models is more likely to work without vanishing gradient problems even when trained on very long input sequences?

- ☐ Alice's model (removing Γ_u), because if $\Gamma_r \approx 0$ for a timestep, the gradient can propagate back through that timestep without much decay.
- ☐ Alice's model (removing Γ_u), because if $\Gamma_r \approx 1$ for a timestep, the gradient can propagate back through that timestep without much decay.
- ☒ Betty's model (removing Γ_r), because if $\Gamma_u \approx 0$ for a timestep, the gradient can propagate back through that timestep without much decay.
- ☐ Betty's model (removing Γ_r), because if $\Gamma_u \approx 1$ for a timestep, the gradient can propagate back through that timestep without much decay.

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Yes. For the signal to backpropagate without vanishing, we need $c^{<t>}$ to be highly dependent on $c^{<t-1>}$.

9. True/False: Using the equations for the GRU and LSTM below the Update Gate and Forget Gate in the LSTM play a role similar to $1 - \Gamma_u$ and Γ_u .

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GRU

$$\tilde{c}^{<t>} = \tanh(W_c[\Gamma_r * c^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_c)$$

LSTM

$$\tilde{c}^{<t>} = \tanh(W_c[a^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_c)$$

$$\Gamma_u = \sigma(W_u [c^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_u)$$

$$\Gamma_u = \sigma(W_u [a^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_u)$$

$$\Gamma_r = \sigma(W_r [c^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_r)$$

$$\Gamma_f = \sigma(W_f [a^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_f)$$

$$c^{<t>} = \Gamma_u * \tilde{c}^{<t>} + (1 - \Gamma_u) * c^{<t-1>}$$

$$\Gamma_o = \sigma(W_o [a^{<t-1>}, x^{<t>}] + b_o)$$

$$a^{<t>} = c^{<t>}$$

$$c^{<t>} = \Gamma_u * \tilde{c}^{<t>} + \Gamma_f * c^{<t-1>}$$

$$a^{<t>} = \Gamma_o * c^{<t>}$$

☐ True

☒ False

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Instead of using Γ_u to compute $1 - \Gamma_u$, LSTM uses 2 gates (Γ_u and Γ_f) to compute the final value of the hidden state. So, Γ_f is used instead of $1 - \Gamma_u$.

10. Your mood is heavily dependent on the current and past few days' weather. You've collected data for the past 365 days on the weather, which you represent as a sequence as $x^{<1>}, \dots, x^{<365>}$. You've also collected data on your mood, which you represent as $y^{<1>}, \dots, y^{<365>}$. You'd like to build a model to map from $x \rightarrow y$. Should you use a Unidirectional RNN or Bidirectional RNN for this problem?

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- ☒ Unidirectional RNN, because the value of $y^{<t>}$ depends only on $x^{<1>}, \dots, x^{<t>}$, but not on $x^{<1>}, \dots, x^{<365>}$.
- ☐ Bidirectional RNN, because this allows the prediction of mood on day t to take into account more information.
- ☐ Bidirectional RNN, because this allows backpropagation to compute more accurate gradients.
- ☐ Unidirectional RNN, because the value of $y^{<t>}$ depends only on $x^{<t>}$, and not other days' weather.

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