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# Glossary

**ZSL** Zero-Shot Learning

CNN Convolutional Neural Network
NLP Natural Language Processing
GCN Graph Convolution Network

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