The background of the slide features a scene from the Pixar movie WALL-E. WALL-E, a small blue and orange robot, is standing on a pile of dark, jagged rocks. He is looking up at a massive, yellow, cartoonish dinosaur head that dominates the upper half of the frame. The dinosaur has large, expressive green eyes and a friendly expression. The scene is set against a bright blue sky with some clouds. In the top right corner, there is a black logo consisting of three interlocking circles.

# *Python and Machine learning: An Introduction*

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# Yesterday's question

How is + translated to `__add__` ?

Answer here:

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/13334218/where-are-operators-mapped-to-magic-methods-in-python>



She was the first to  
classify stars based on  
their spectral signatures.  
Who is this?

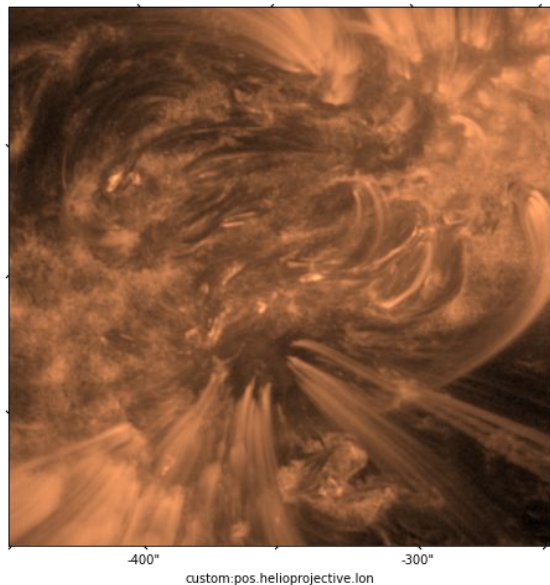
# Menu for today

1. Recap of data.
2. What is Machine learning?
3. Machine learning algorithms.
4. Classification: exercise #1
  - a. Using Scikit-learn
5. Regression: exercise #2
  - a. Using Pytorch

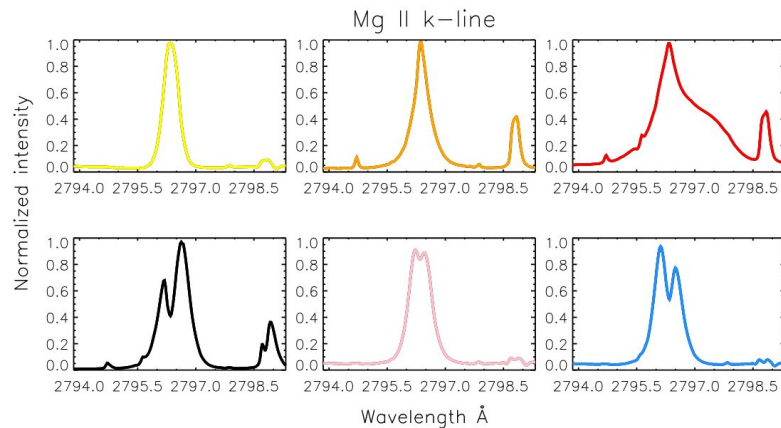
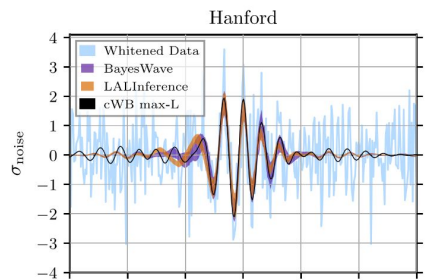


# The data:

## Looking at data



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Keyword: Features

# What is Machine learning?

Machine learning is the study of **computer algorithms** that improve **automatically** through experience and by the use of **data**.

– *Wikipedia*

- Computer algorithms.
- Improve automatically.
- Use data.

# Why Machine learning?

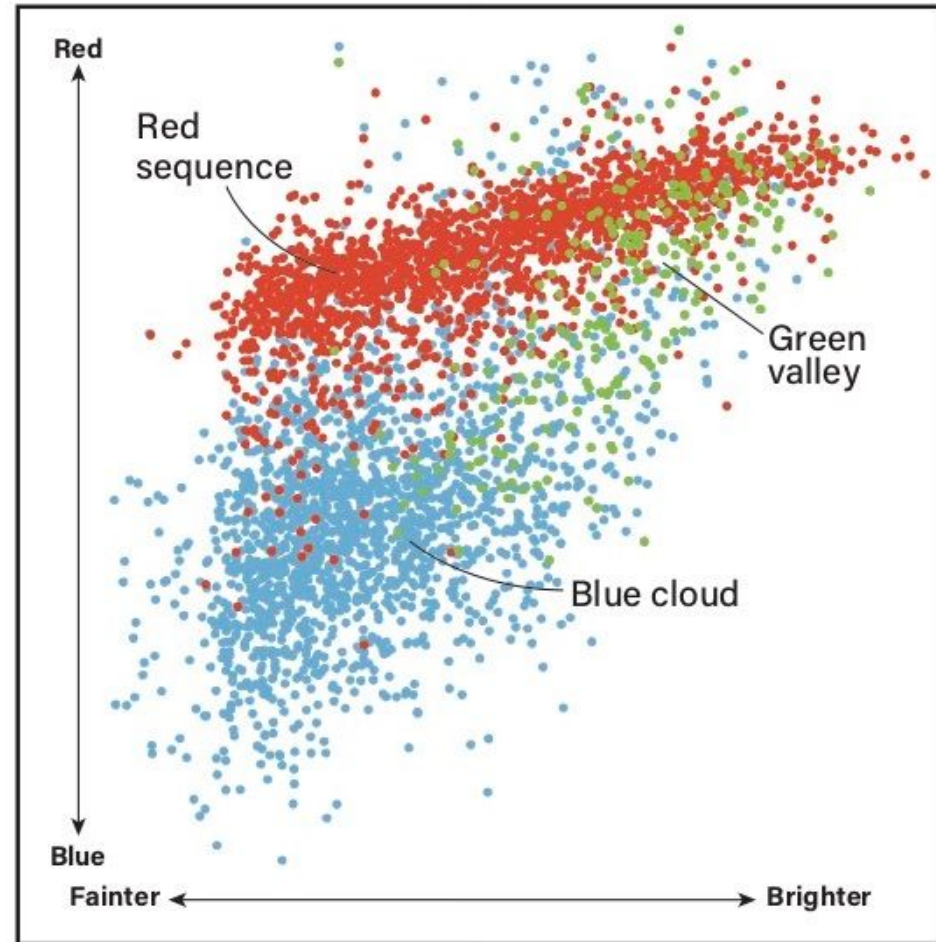


GPUs:

One task, many times.

# Typical ML problems #1

Easy question: How many clusters are present in this pic?



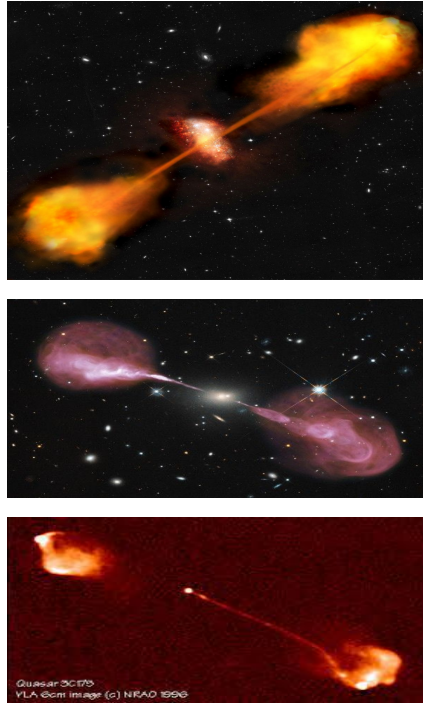


# Typical ML problems #2

Galaxies



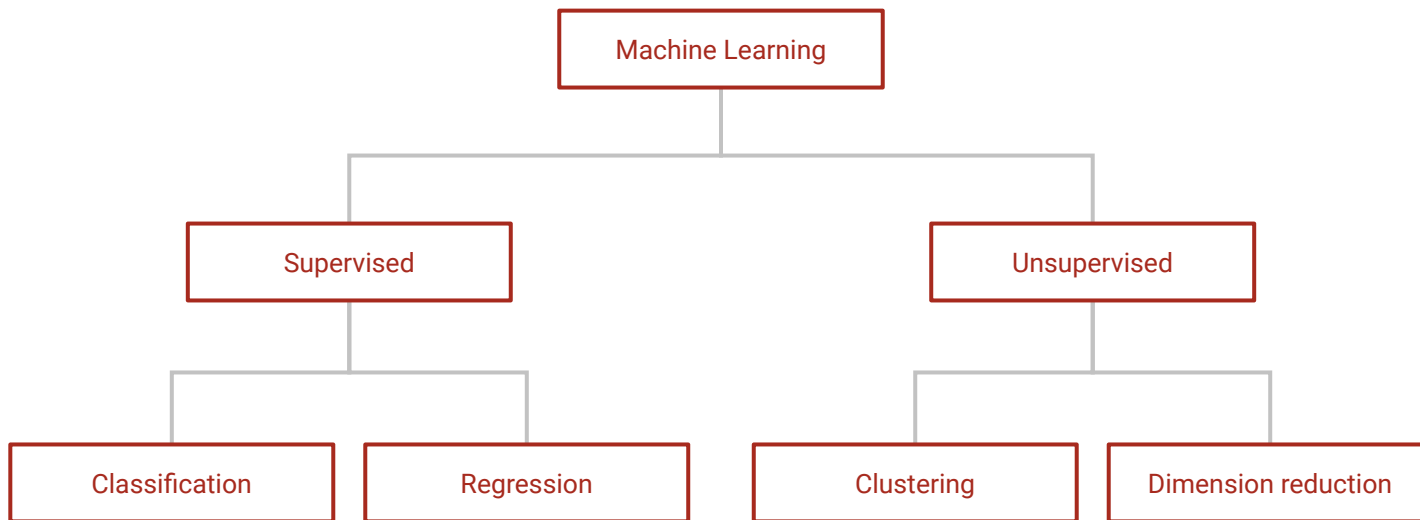
Jets



Galaxy or Jet?



# Typical ML problems



# Supervised learning

Question asked: If I have Data A, what is the value of Data B?

Data B is a bunch of discrete variables: "Star", "Galaxy", "Quasar"

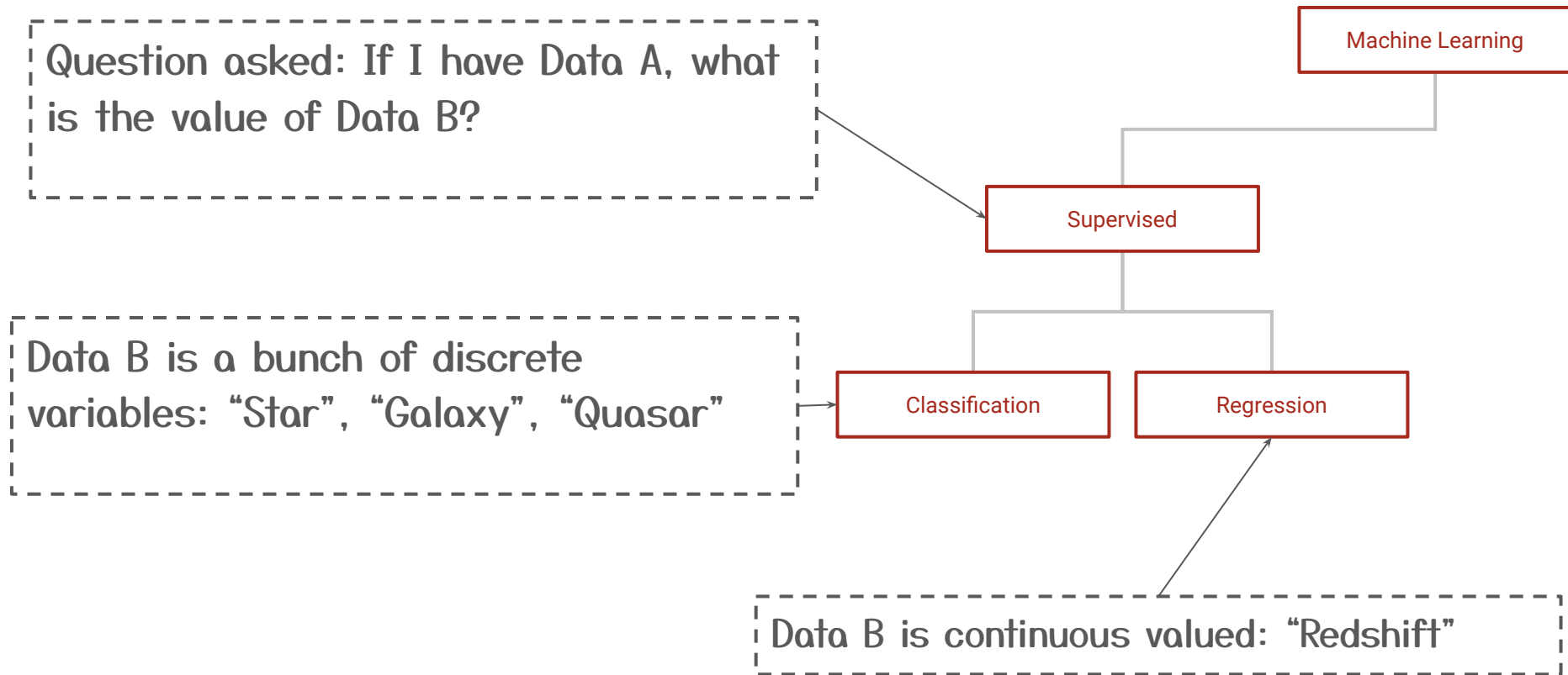
Data B is continuous valued: "Redshift"

Machine Learning

Supervised

Classification

Regression



# Unsupervised learning

Question asked: If I have Data A, what can I learn from it?

There are groups of similar values in Data A. What are these groups?

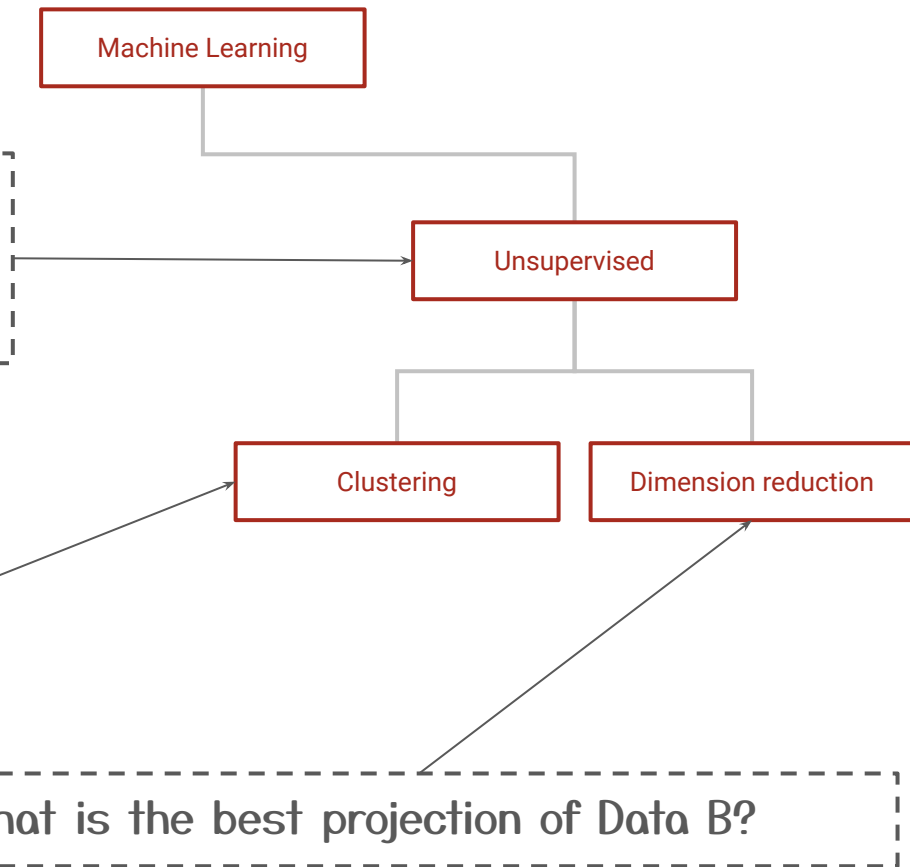
What is the best projection of Data B?

Machine Learning

Unsupervised

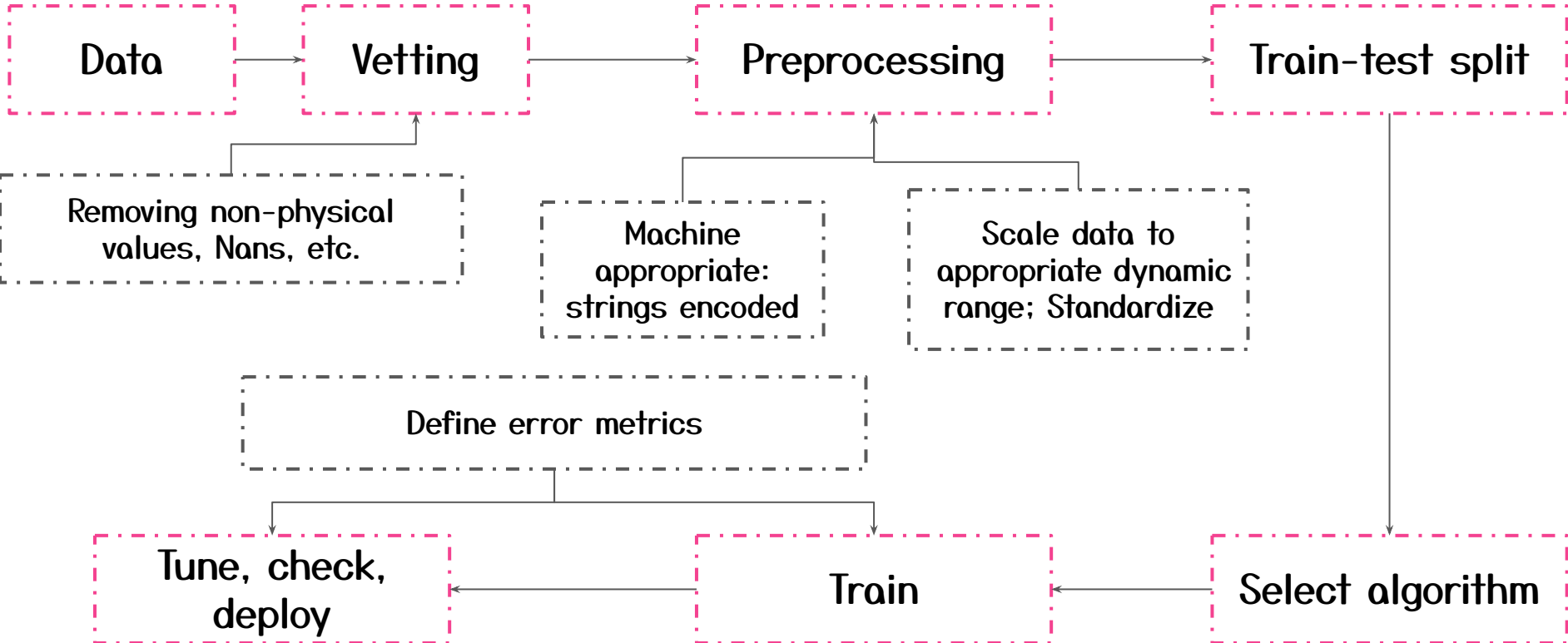
Clustering

Dimension reduction



# What is the procedure to ML?

Frame the correct science question.



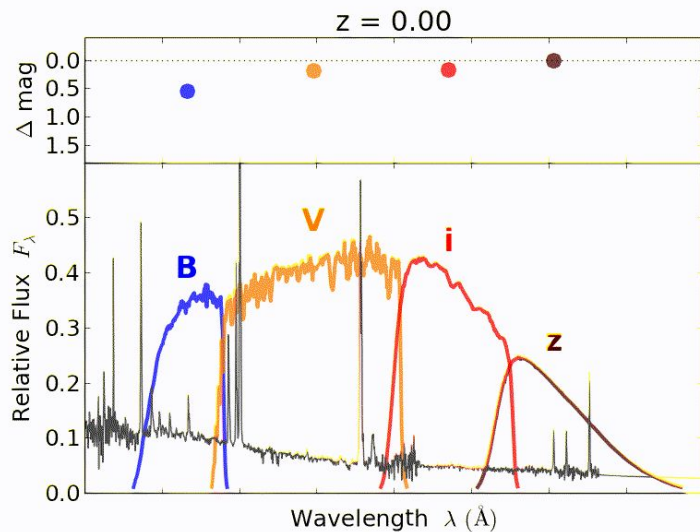
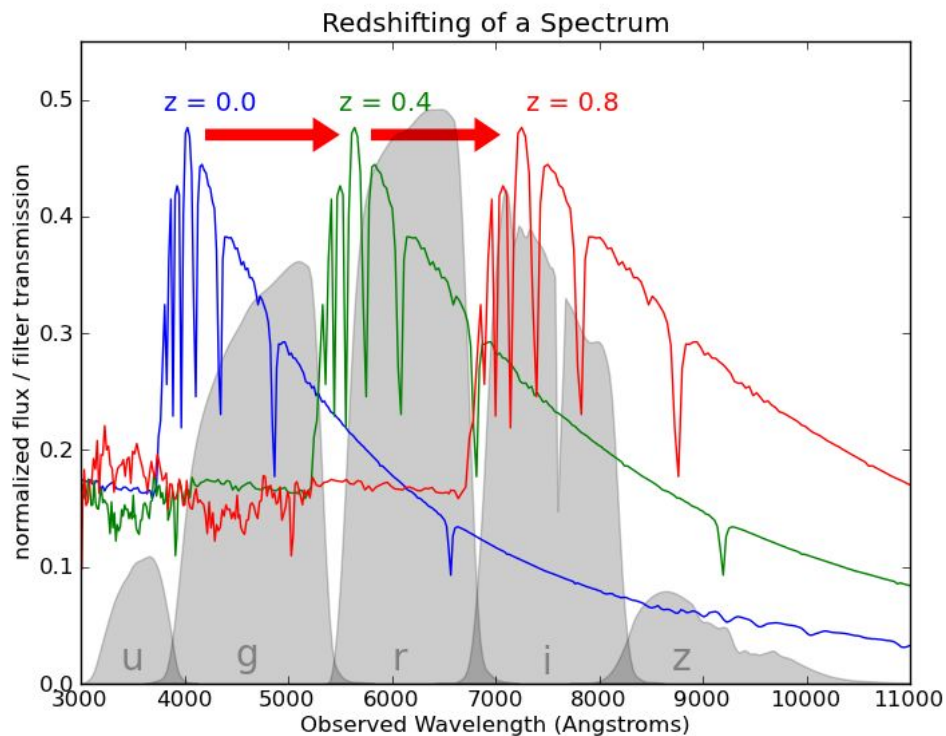


# Task for the day

Estimate spectroscopic redshift from photometric colors  $\Rightarrow$

We will use a simple **Linear Regression** and a **Deep neural network**.

# Why should it work?



From  
<https://www.kaggle.com/c/photometric-redshift-estimation-2019>

# Metrics

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum (z_{pred} - z_{known})^2$$

Mean square error

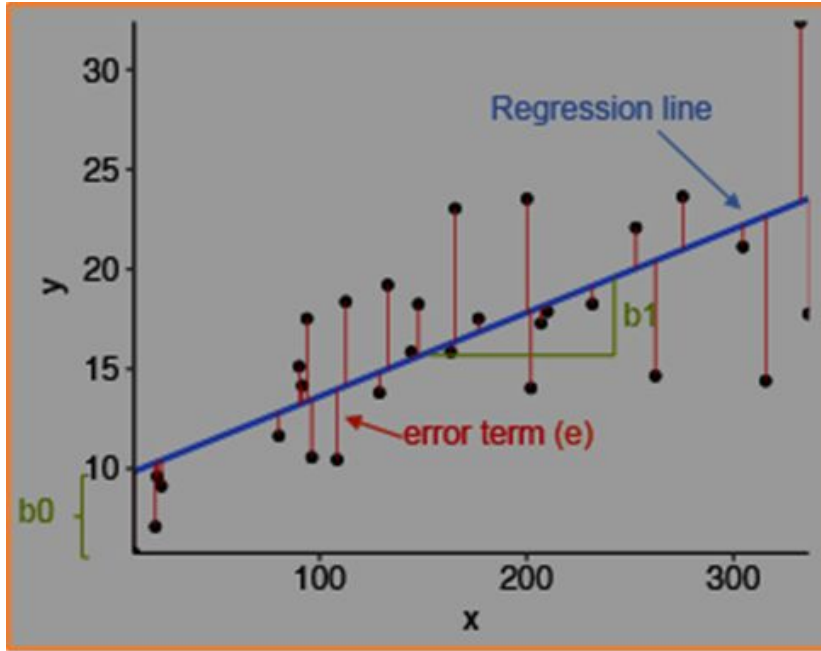
$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^N \frac{|z_{known,i} - z_{pred,i}|}{\max(\epsilon, |z_{known,i}|)}$$

Mean absolute % error

$$1 - \frac{\sum (z_{pred} - z_{known})^2}{\sum (z_{known} - \mu(z_{known}))^2}$$

Coefficient of  
determination

# Linear regression



Known z

Set of colors

Estimated (or predicted) y value

Estimate of the regression intercept

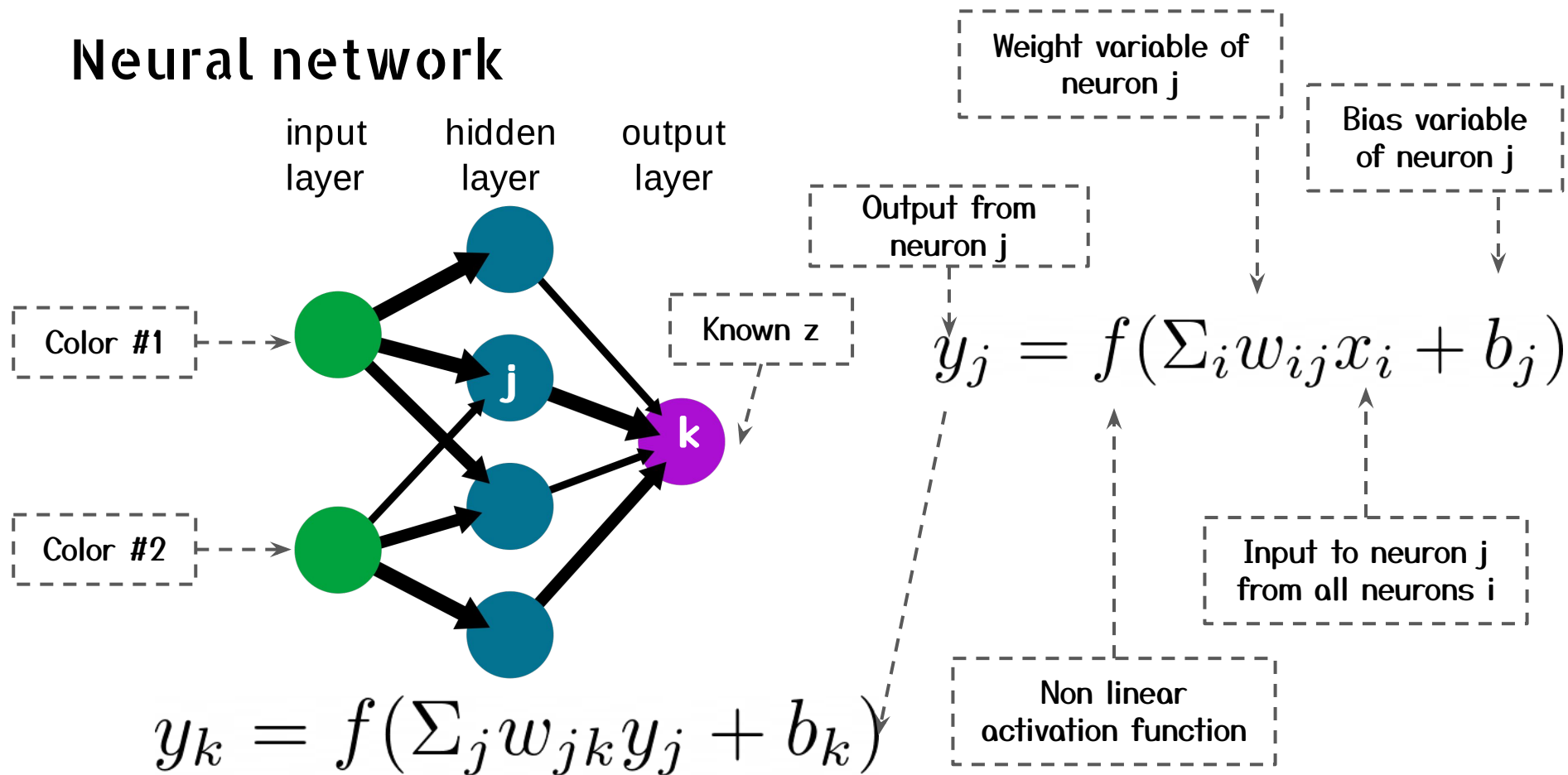
Estimate of the regression slope

Independent variable

Error term

$$y_i = b_0 + b_1 x + e$$

# Neural network





# Neural network: Training

Step 1: Initialize  $w$  and  $b$  for all layers with some non-zero values.

Step 2: Calculate output from NN for input set:

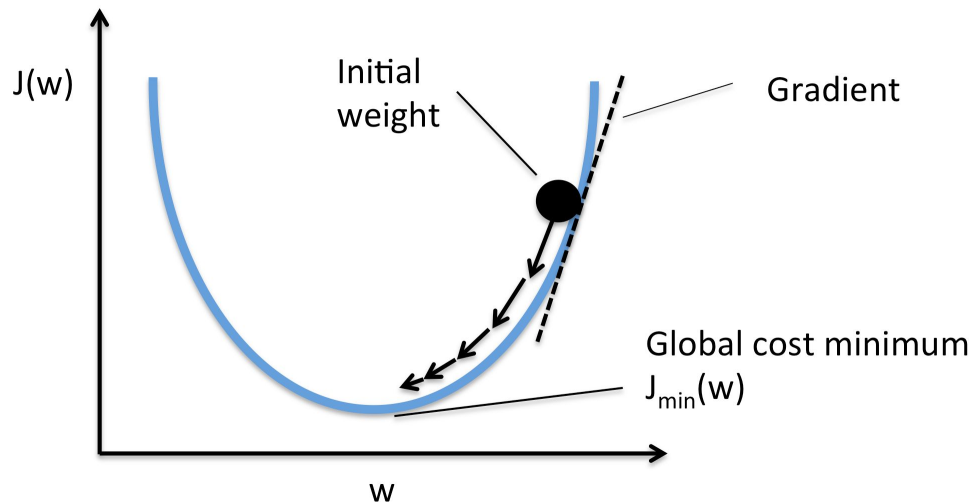
$$z_{pred} = f(\dots f(\sum_k f(\sum_j w_{jk} x_j + b_k) + b_k) \dots)$$

Step 3:  $z_{pred}$  will not match  $z_{known}$ . So get the error between these two values.

Step 4: Now you update weights and biases using this error:

$$w \rightarrow w - \alpha \frac{\partial loss}{\partial w}$$

Step 5: Repeat till convergence!



**Let us move on to Jupyter →**

# References for further reading

1. Andrew Ng 's course on Machine learning in coursera:  
<https://www.coursera.org/learn/machine-learning>
2. Fast AI deep learning course: <https://www.fast.ai/>
3. Analytics vidhya and Towards Data Science are good blogs too:  
<https://www.analyticsvidhya.com/blog/2015/06/machine-learning-basics/>,  
<https://towardsdatascience.com/machine-learning-basics-part-1-a36d38c7916> .
4. Advanced: Bishop 's book on Pattern recognition and Machine learning;  
Ian Goodfellow 's book on Machine learning.