

# Lecture 07 – CNN Applications and Tricks

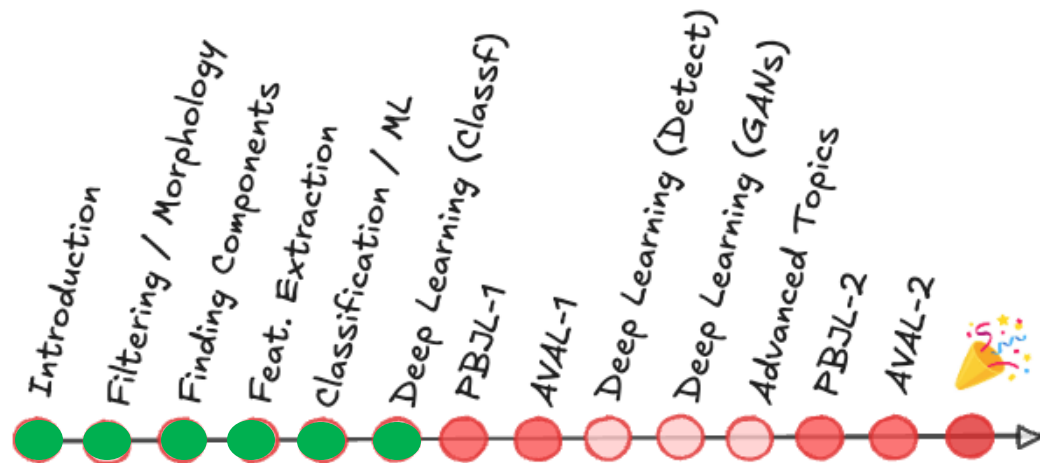
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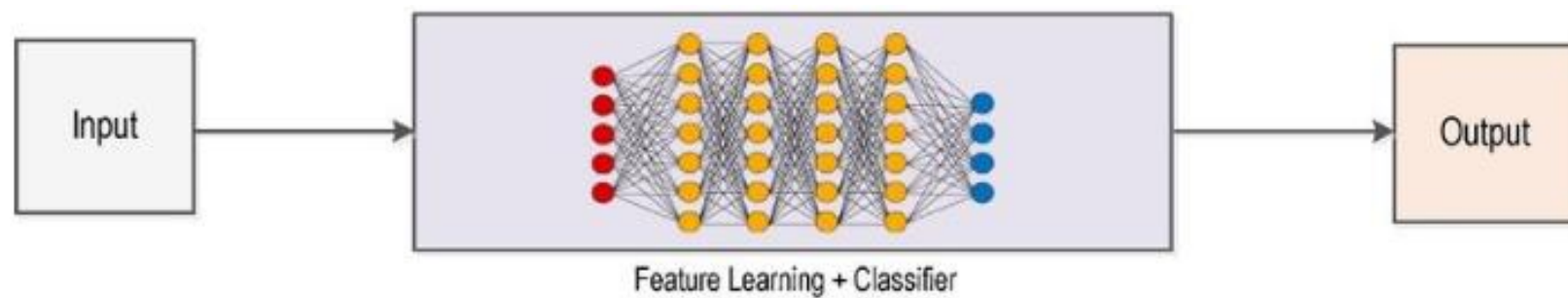
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# Topics

- Convolutional Neural Network
  - Basic Concepts
  - Architecture and Hyper Parameters
  - Data Augmentation
  - Transfer-Learning
  - Applications
- Practice

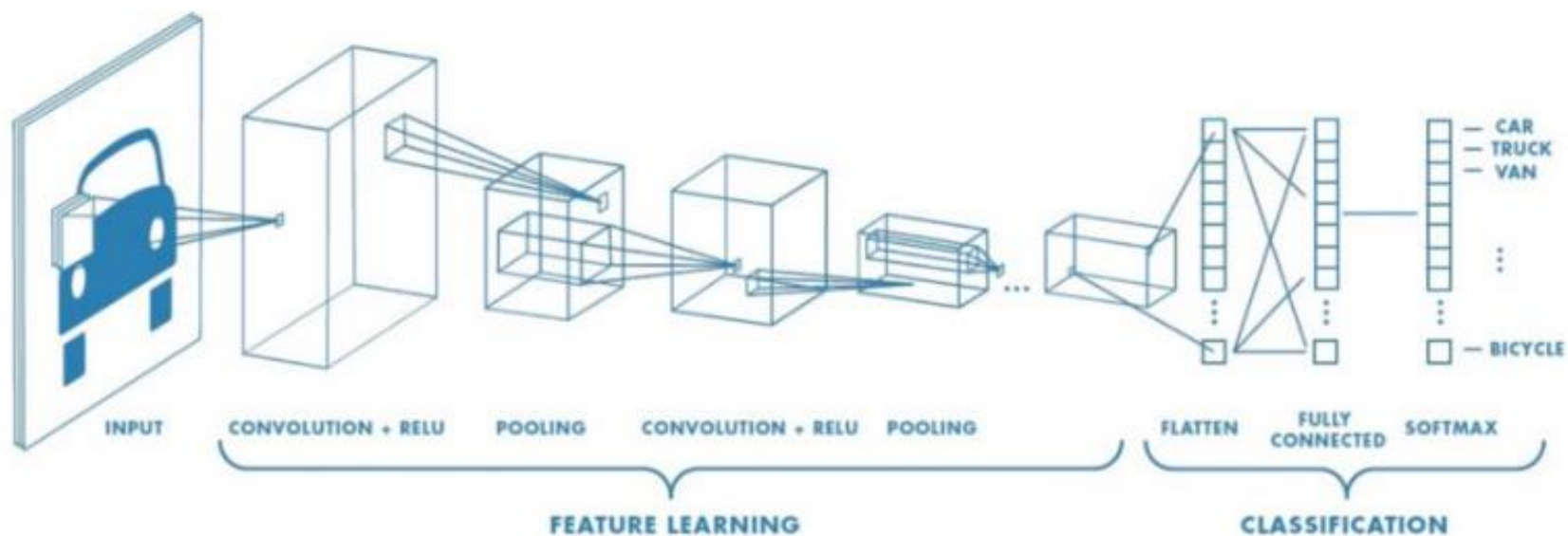


# Deep Learning Pipeline



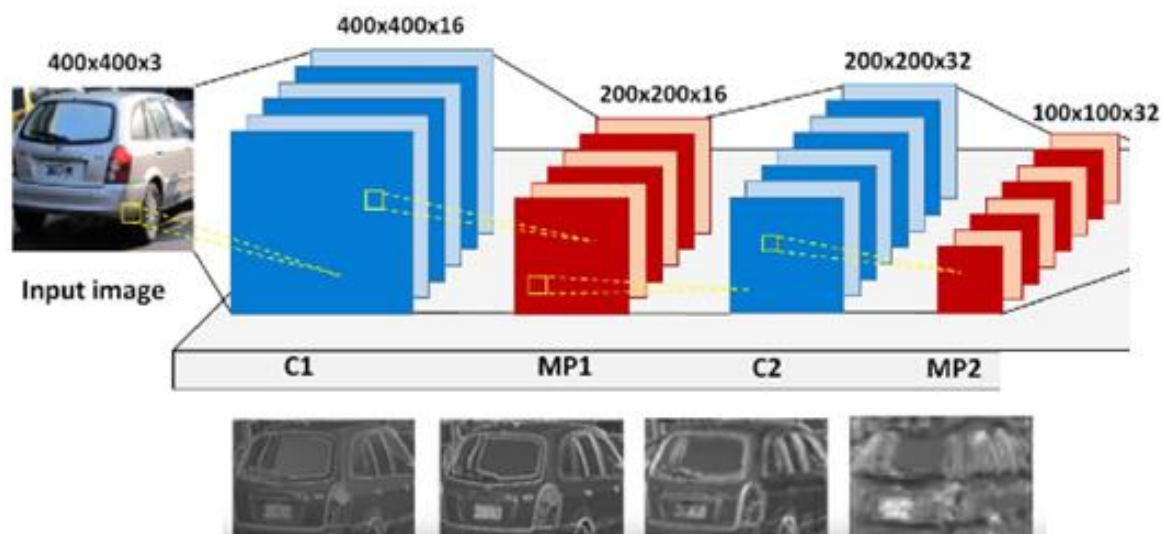
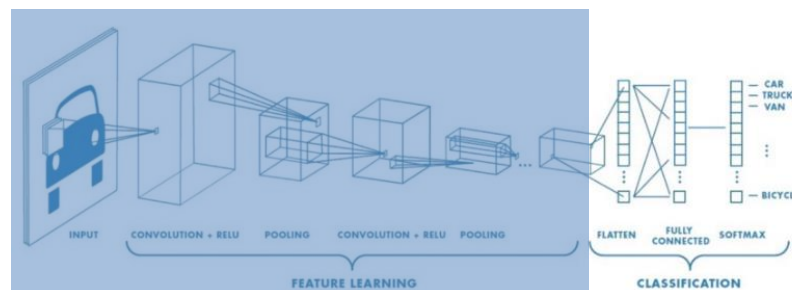
# Convolutional Neural Network

- CNN



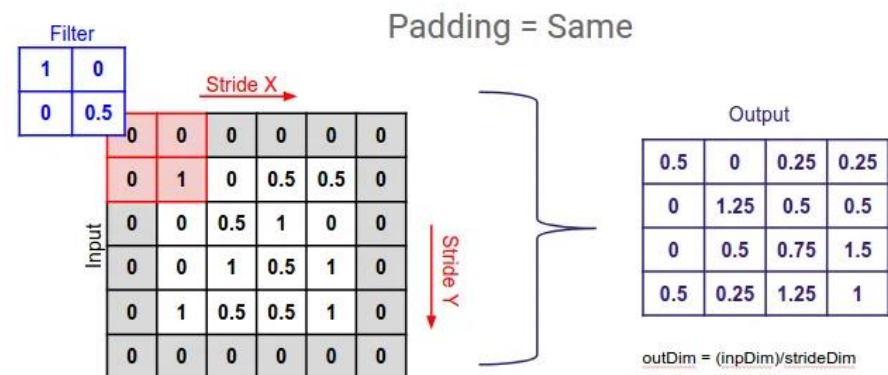
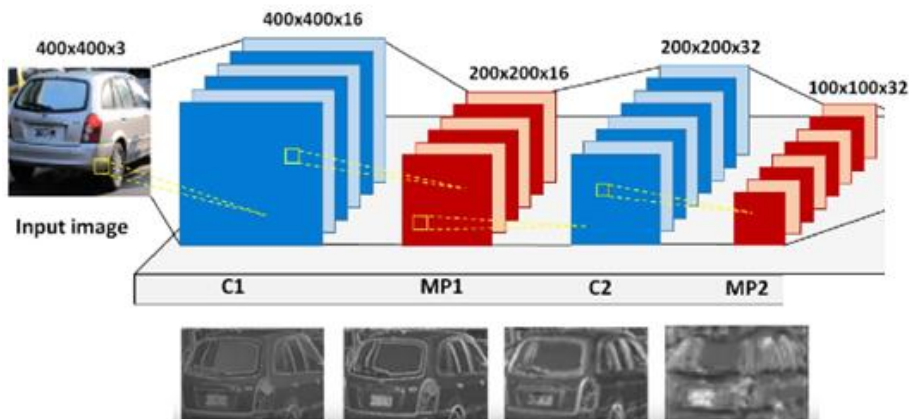
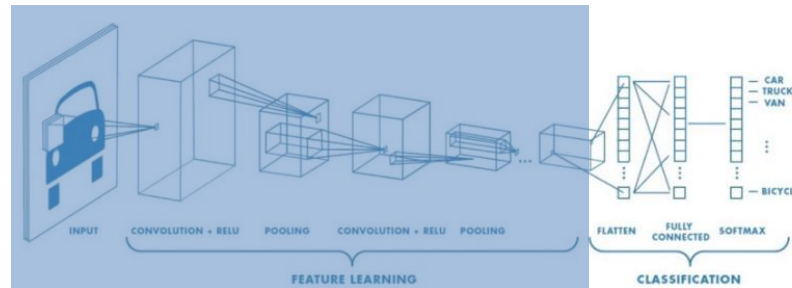
# Convolutional Neural Network

- Feature Extraction



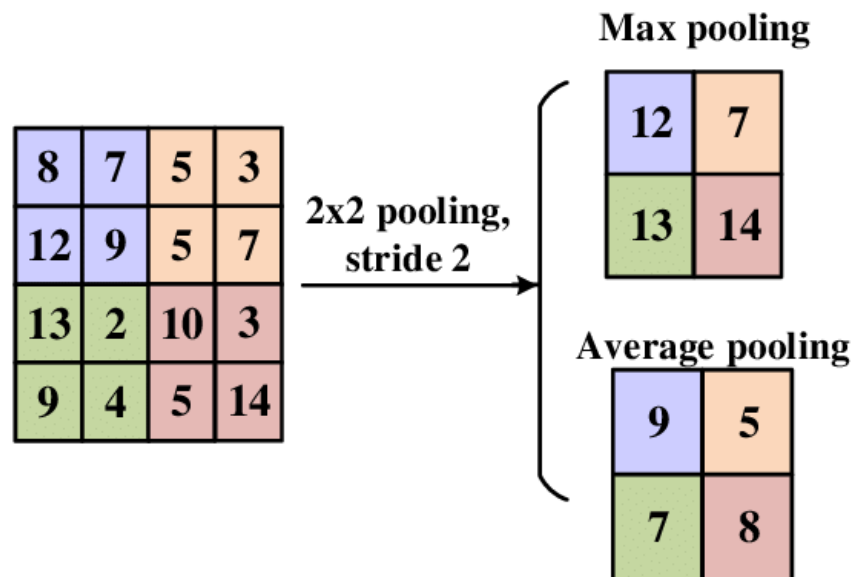
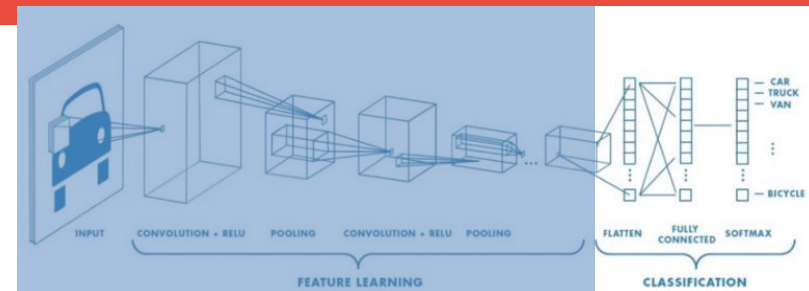
# Convolutional Neural Network

- Convolutional Layer (Learnable Filters)
  - Padding
  - Stride
  - Kernel Size
  - Number of Filters



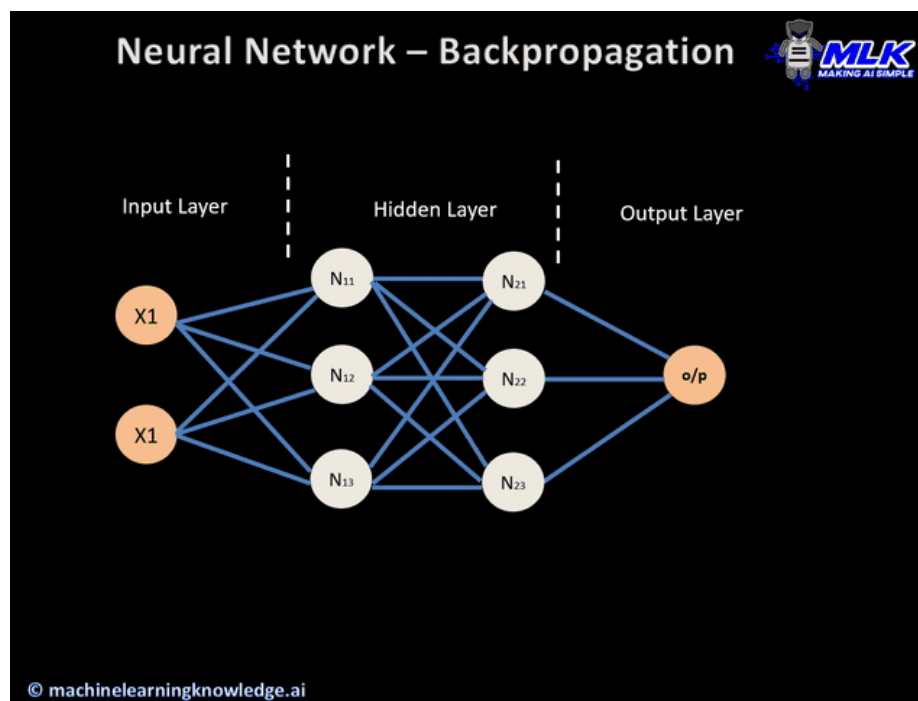
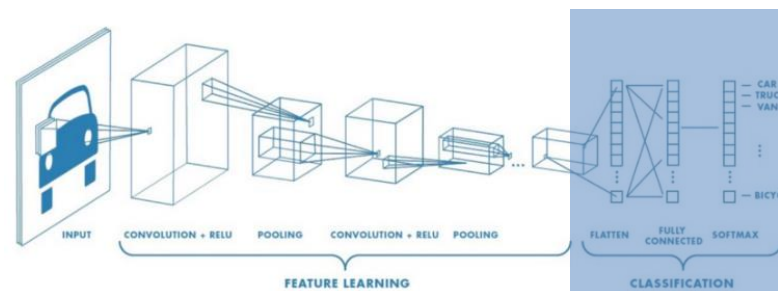
# Convolutional Neural Network

- Pooling Layer
  - Reduce Spatial Dimensions
  - Translation-Invariant
  - Common Filter
    - Max: Preserve the “strongest” features
    - Average: Smooth features, preserves general representations



# Convolutional Neural Network

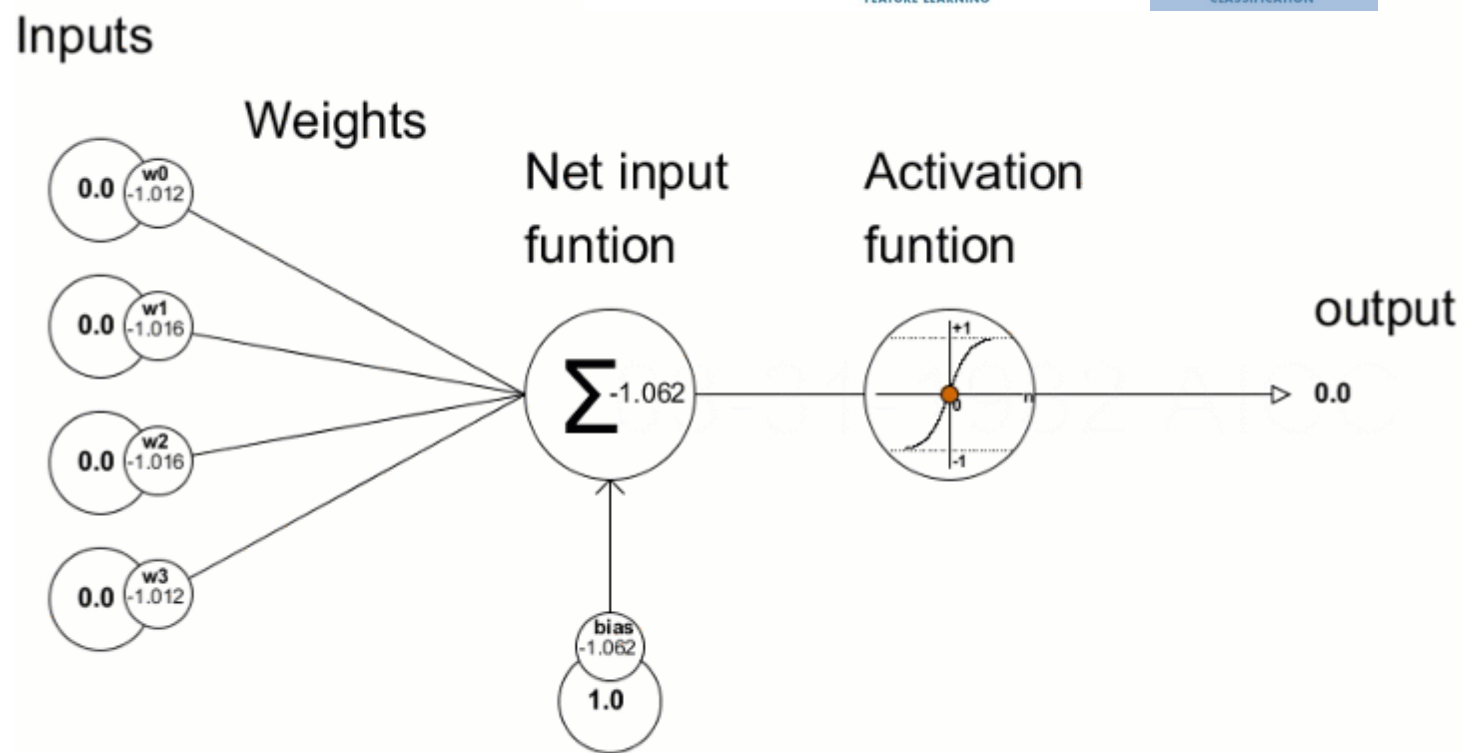
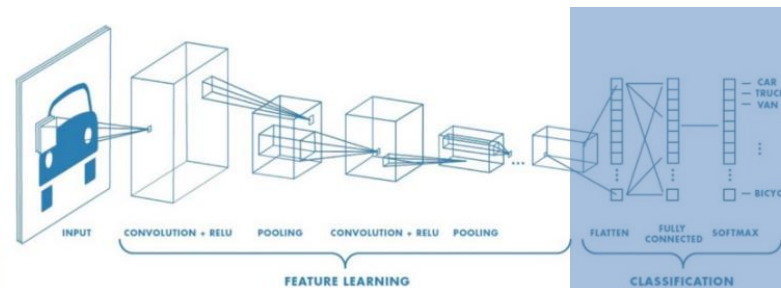
- Classification
- Forward and Back Propagation





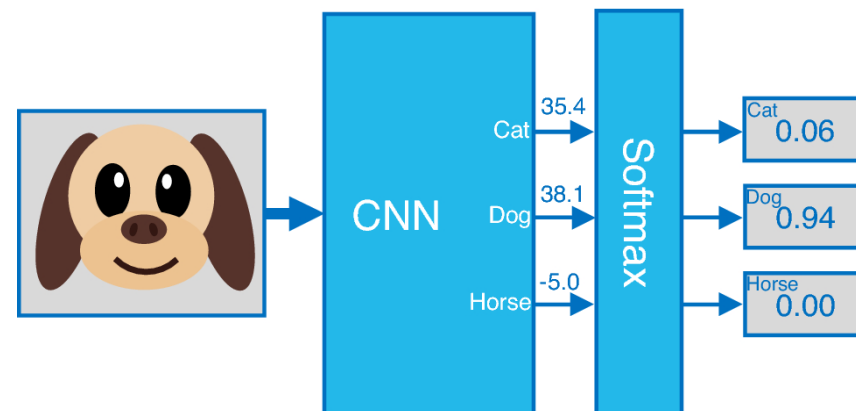
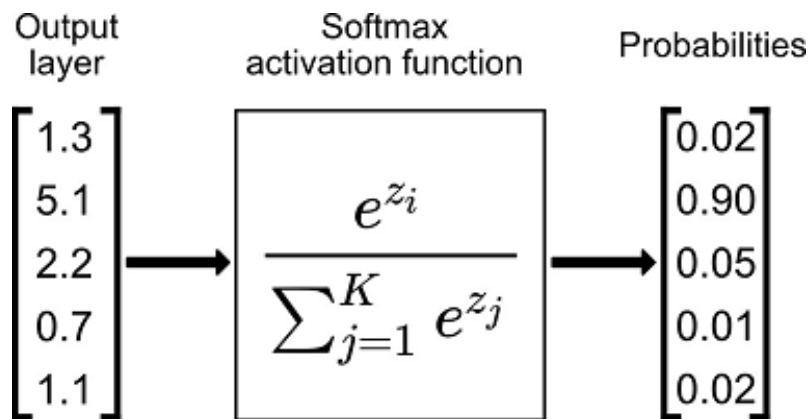
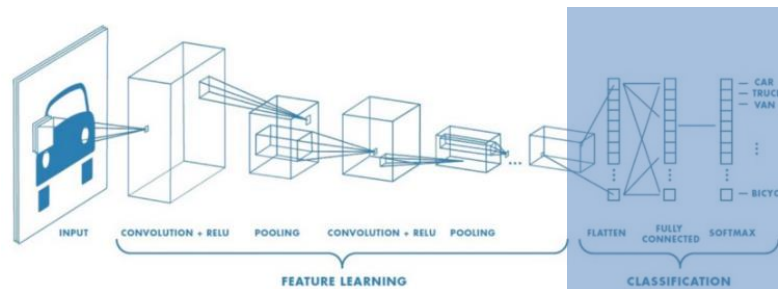
# Convolutional Neural Network

- Forward and Back Propagation



# Convolutional Neural Network

- Softmax



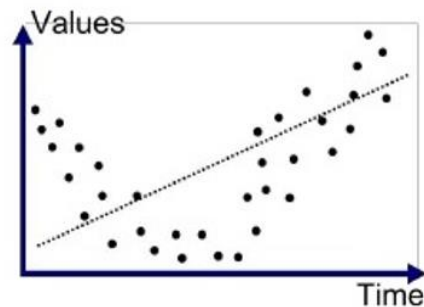
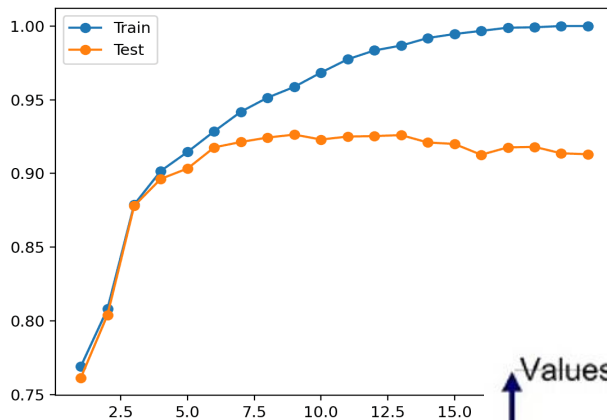
# Convolutional Neural Network

- Lets code our first CNN from scratch

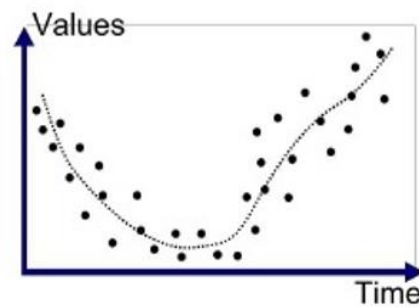
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# Overfitting

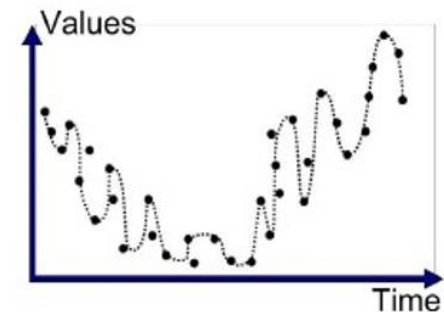
- Overfitting occurs when a model captures noise or specific patterns in the training data, impairing its ability to generalize to unseen data. Strategies such as regularization, dropout, data augmentation, and transfer learning help mitigate this by controlling model complexity and leveraging pre-learned features.



Underfitted



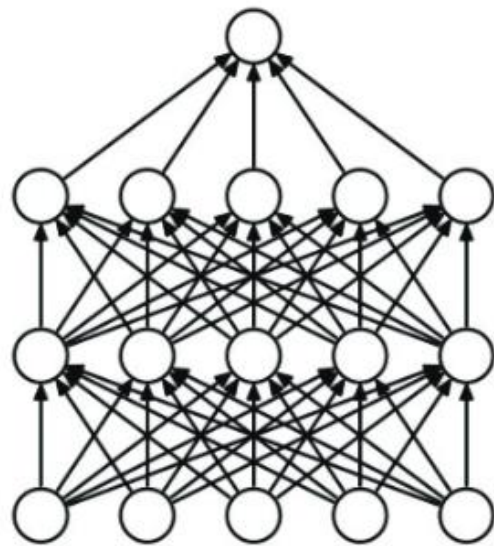
Good Fit/Robust



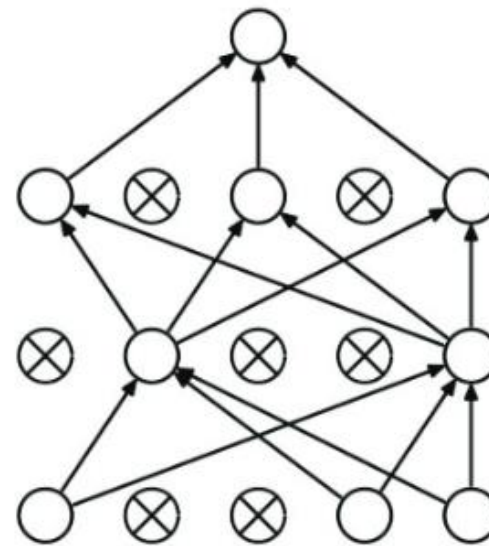
Overfitted

# Dropout

- Dropout is a regularization technique that randomly deactivates a fraction of neurons during training, forcing the model to learn redundant representations and reducing overfitting.



(a) Standard Neural Network



(b) Neural Net with Dropout

# Data Augmentation

- Enlarge the dataset with synthetic samples
  - Rotation
  - Crop
  - Brightness

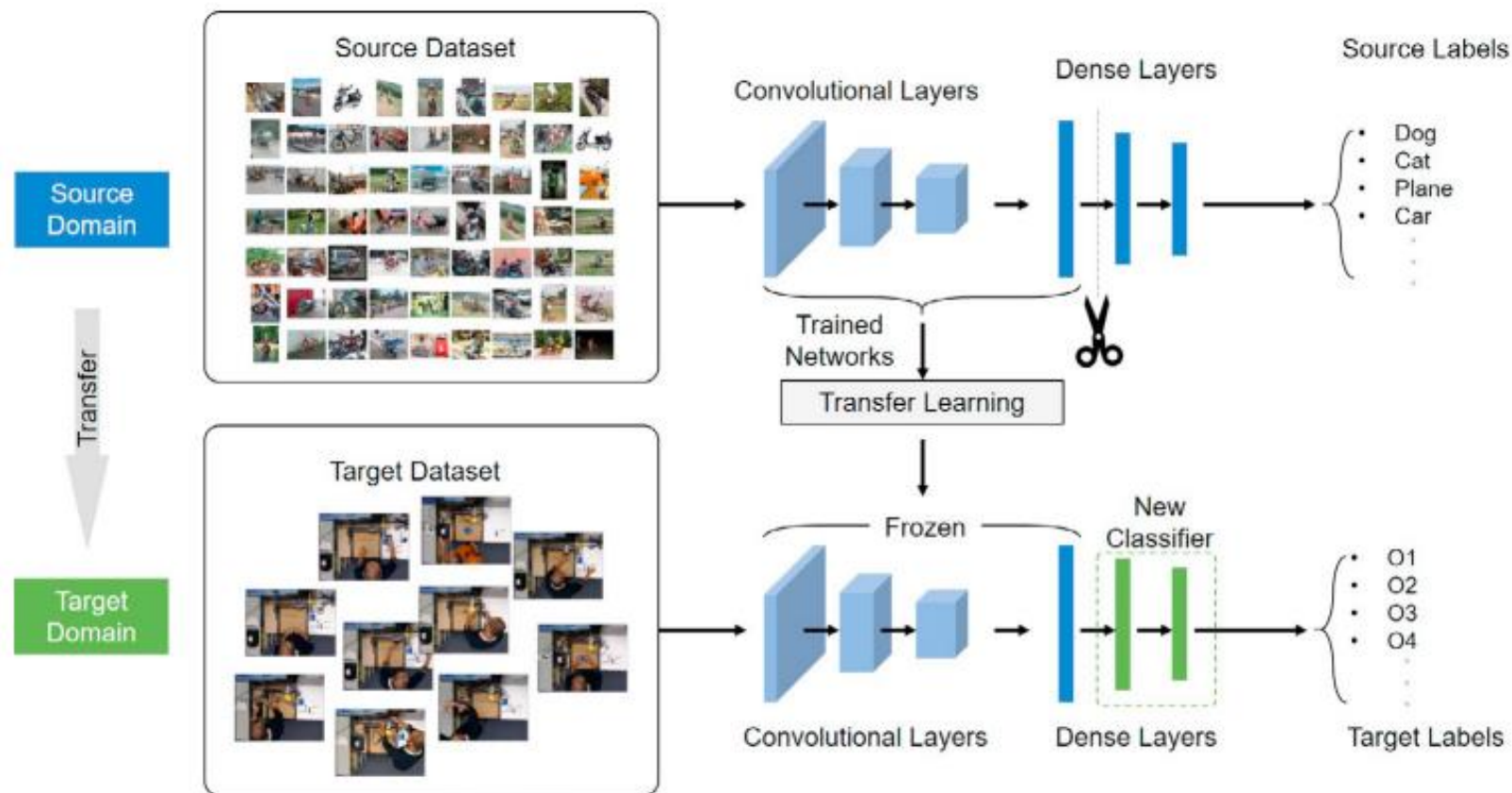


**Image  
Augmentation**



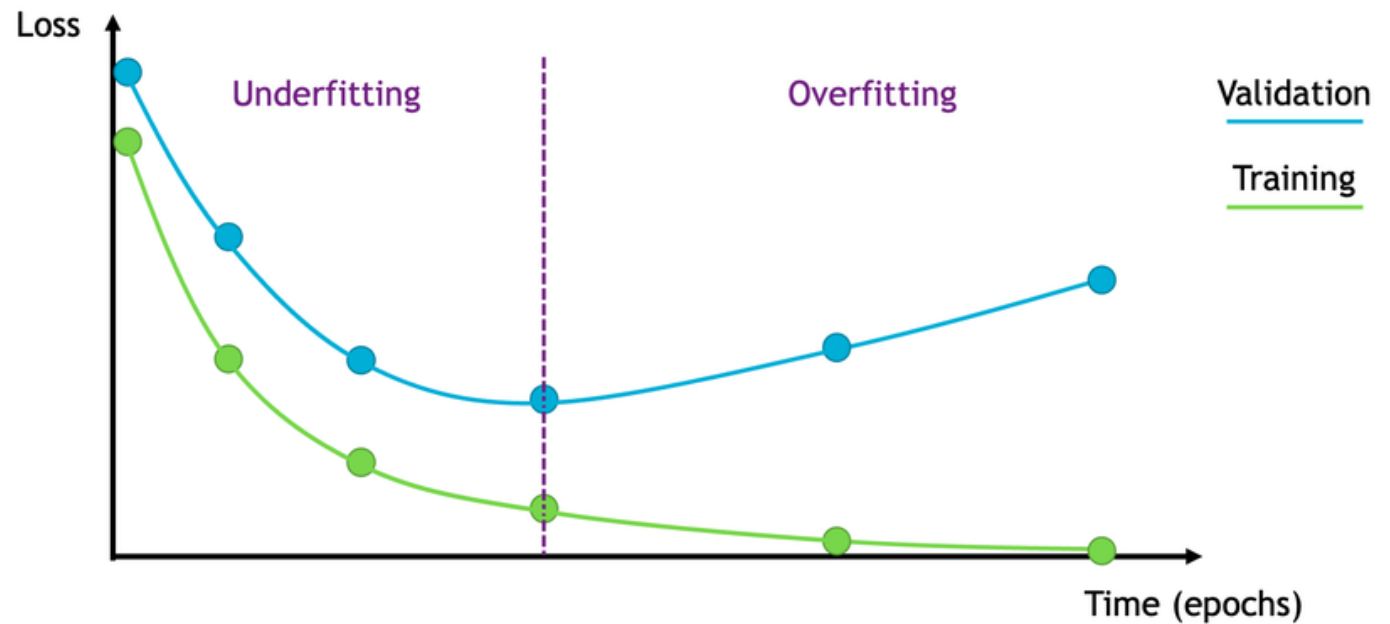
# Transfer Learning

- Weight Sharing
- Feature Extraction weights are frozen (or not...) during learning



# Miscellaneous

- Save and Load Weights
- Model Checkpoint
- Resuming Training
- Early Stopping





# Let's Code

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