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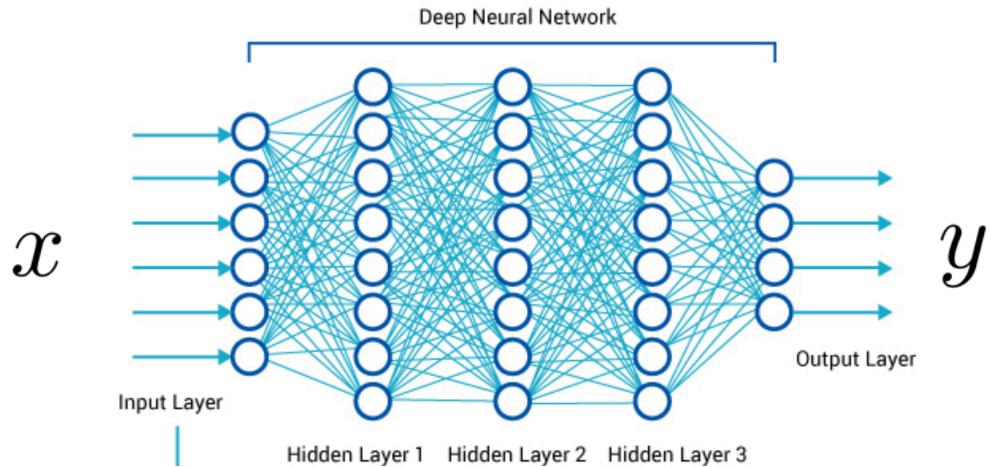
Session 6: Frontiers in Probabilistic Machine Learning

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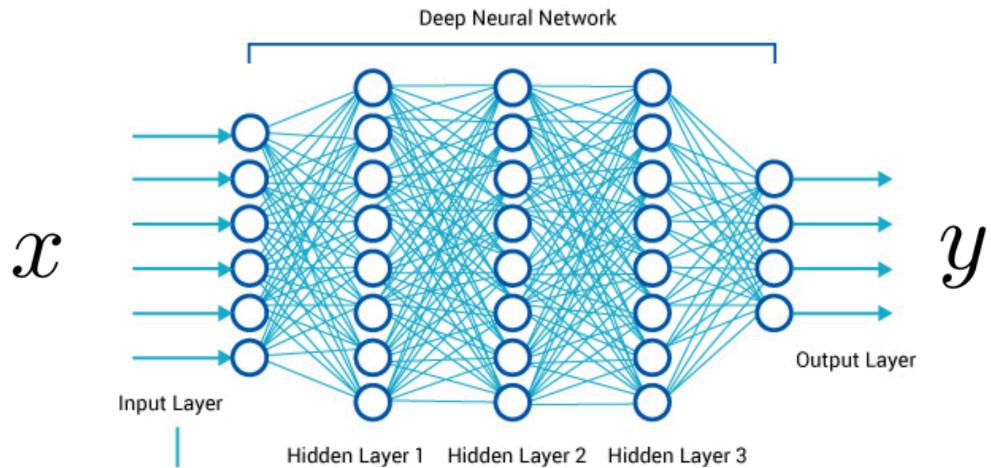
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# Bayesian Deep Learning





$$p(y|x, \theta)$$

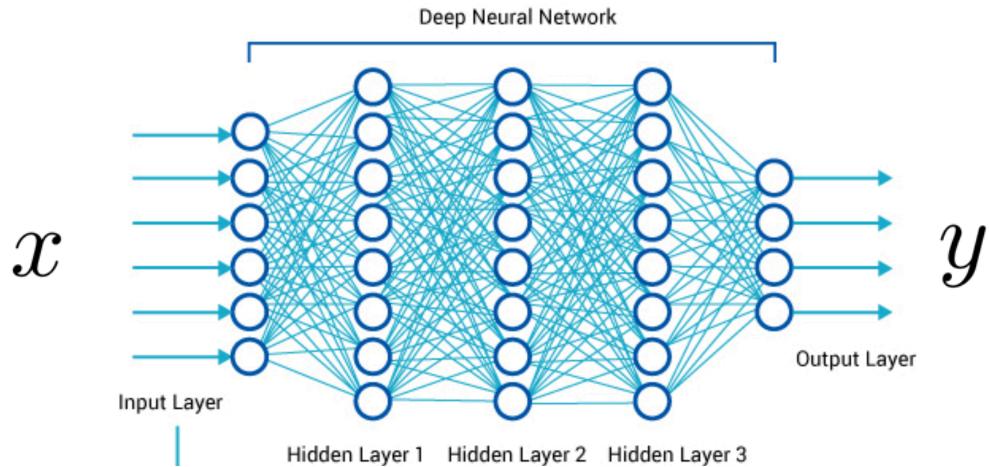


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## Deep Learning + Bayesian modeling

Powered by new advances in variational inference

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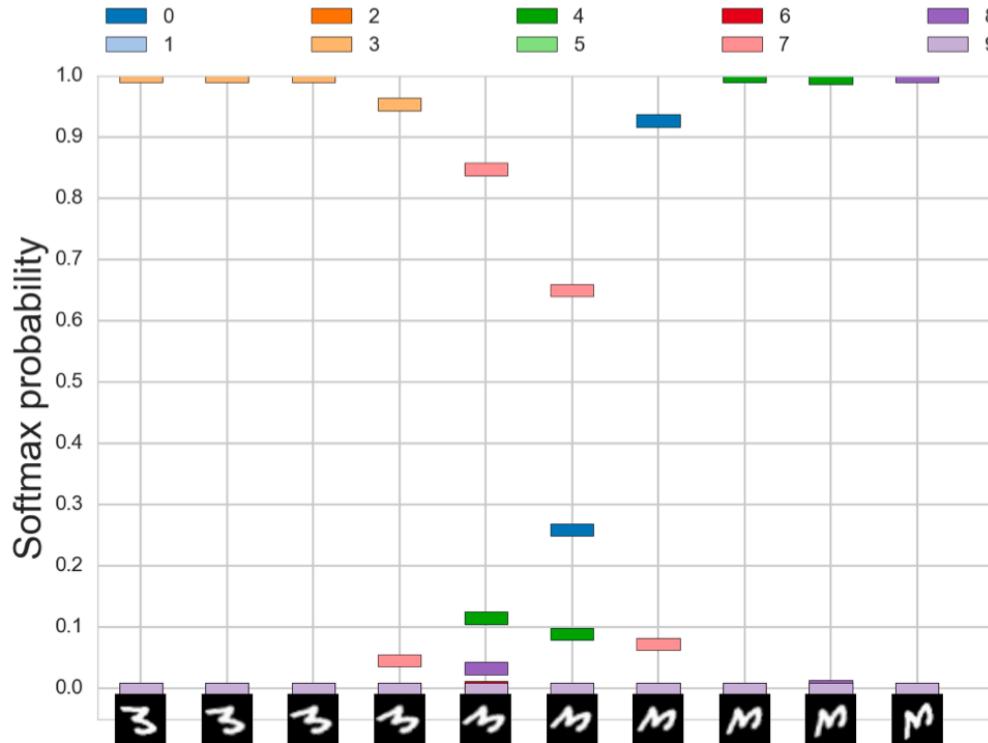


$$p(y|x, D) = \int p(y|x, \theta)p(\theta|D)d\theta \approx \sum_i p(y|x, \theta_i)w_i$$

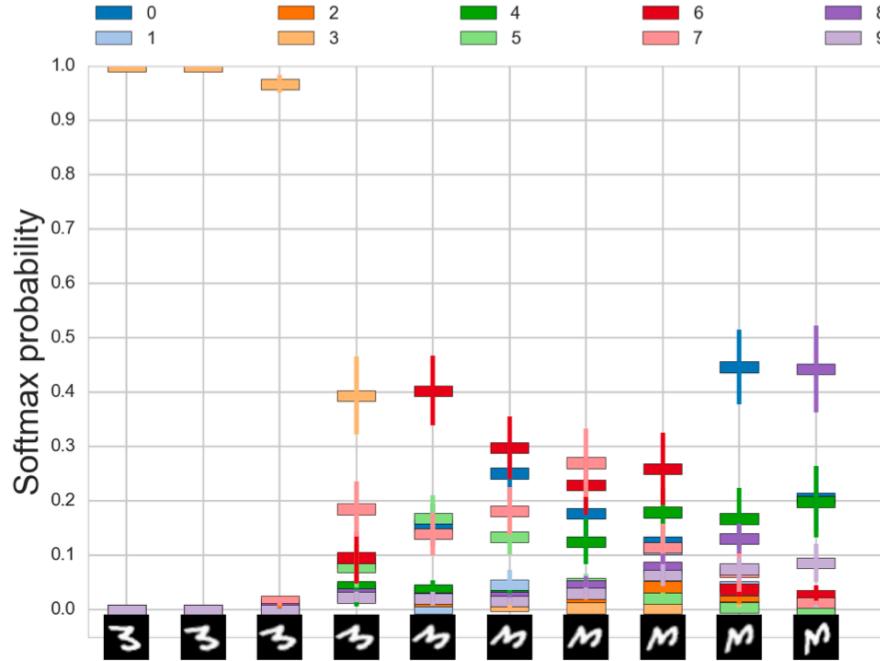
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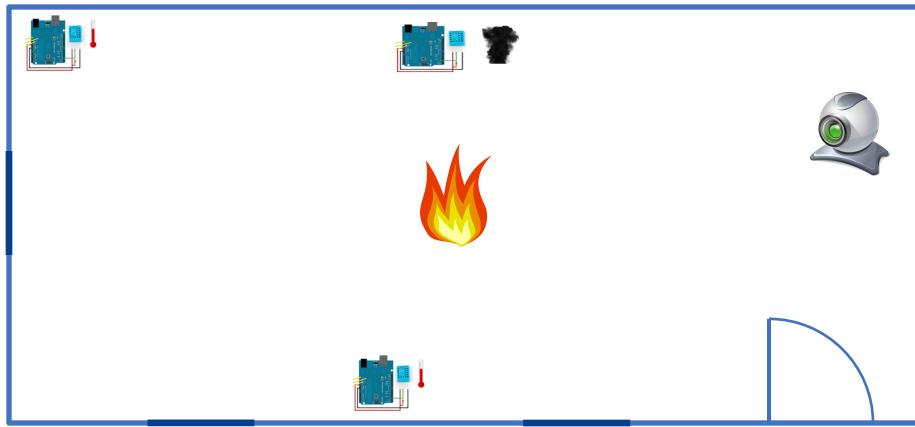
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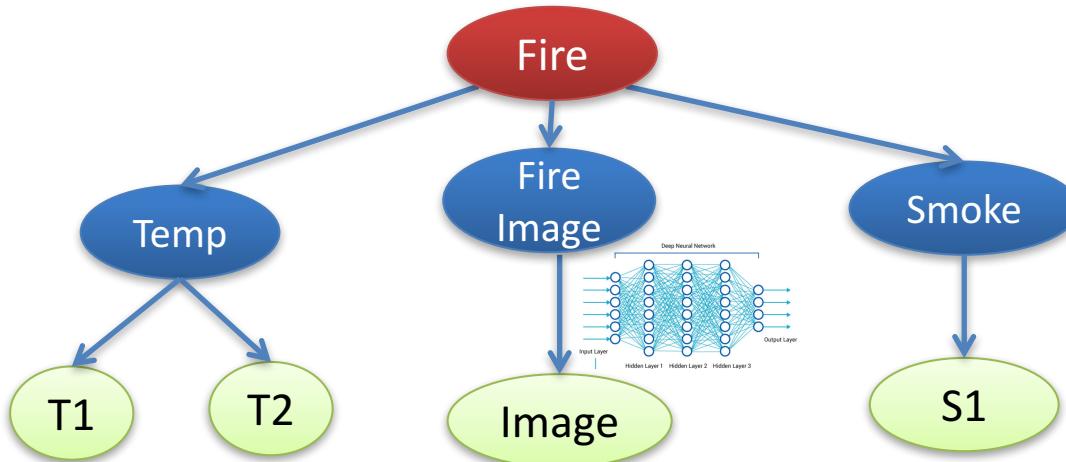
# Probabilistic Modelling with Deep Neural Networks



Fire Detection from smoke, temperature and camera sensors



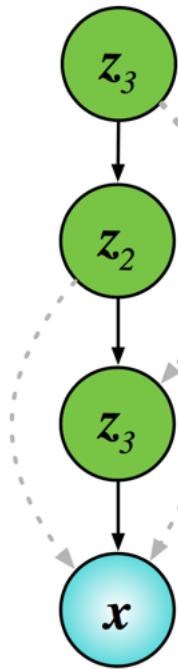
- Data Collected
  - Tons of observations in normal settings (no fire).
  - No observations in the presence of fire.



$$p(Fire = True | t_1, t_2, t_3, s_1, image)$$

**Much more expressive and powerful models**

- Beyond standard probability distribution assumptions.
- Modelling highly-non linear relationships.



$$\mathbf{z}_3 \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I})$$

$$\mathbf{z}_2 | \mathbf{z}_3 \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu(\mathbf{z}_3), \Sigma(\mathbf{z}_3))$$

$$\mathbf{z}_1 | \mathbf{z}_2 \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu(\mathbf{z}_2), \Sigma(\mathbf{z}_2))$$

$$\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{z}_1 \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu(\mathbf{z}_1), \Sigma(\mathbf{z}_1))$$

## Deep Generative Models

- Model Complex joint distributions over data.
- GANs can be interpreted as generative models.

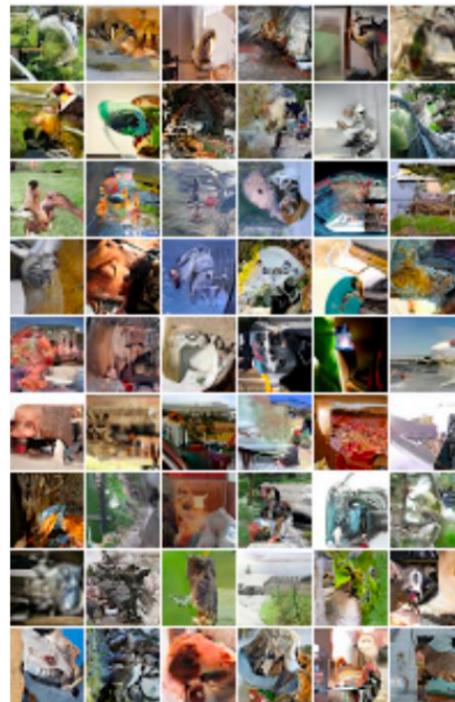
# IMAGE CONTENT GENERATION

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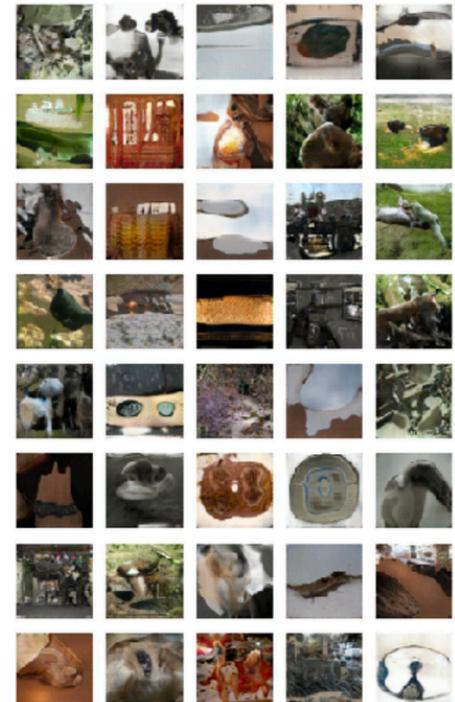
Generating images and video content.



DRAW



Pixel RNN



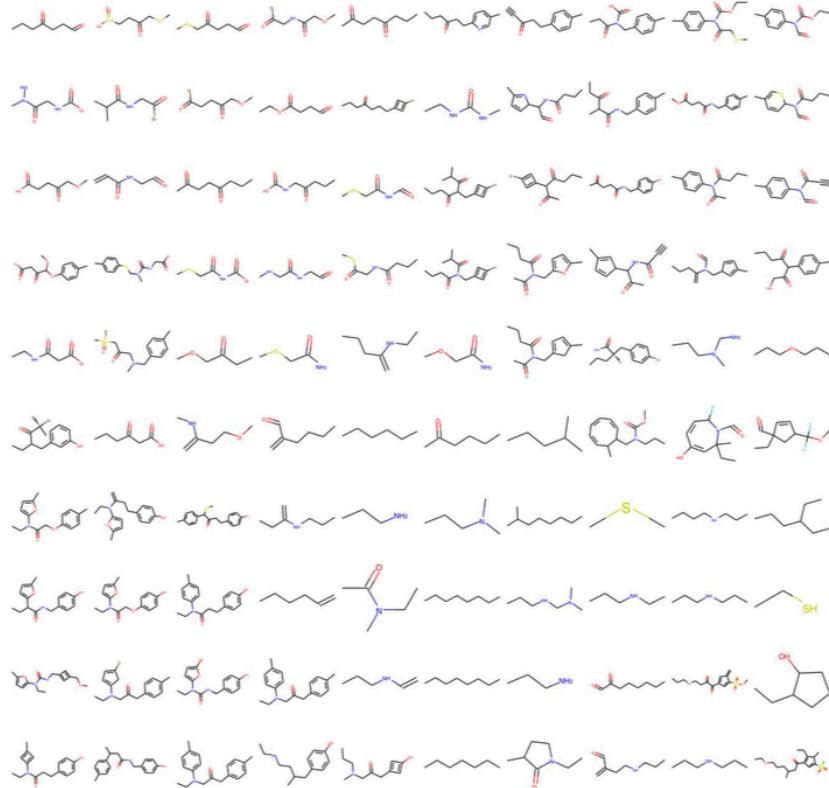
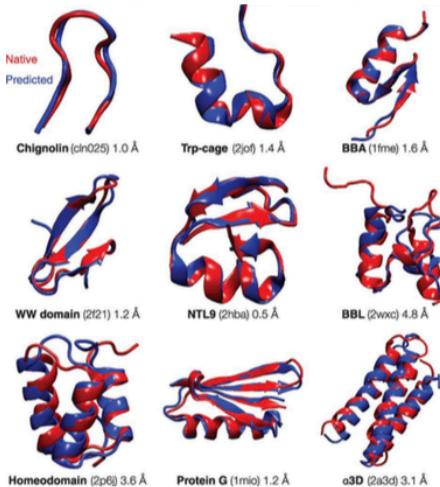
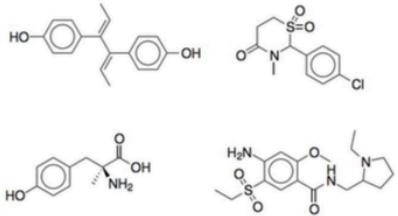
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Gregor et al., 2015, Oord et al., 2016, Dumoulin et al., 2016



# DRUG DESIGN

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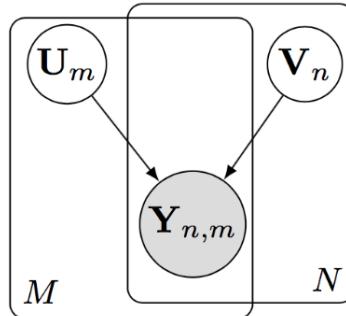


Gómez-Bombarelli, et al. 2016



# Probabilistic Programming Languages





```
1 N = 10
2 M = 10
3 K = 5 # latent dimension
4
5 U = Normal(mu=tf.zeros([M, K]), sigma=tf.ones([M, K]))
6 V = Normal(mu=tf.zeros([N, K]), sigma=tf.ones([N, K]))
7 Y = Normal(mu=tf.matmul(U, V, transpose_b=True), sigma=tf.ones([N, M]))
```

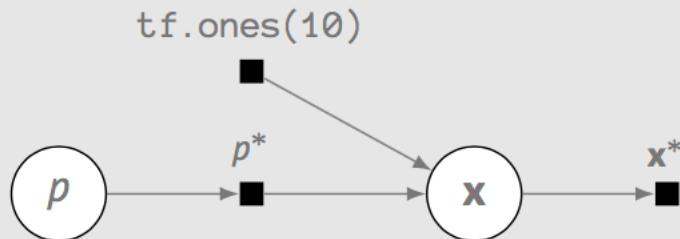
Tran, Dustin, et al. "Edward: A library for probabilistic modeling, inference, and criticism." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1610.09787* (2016).

# Probabilistic Programming Languages

- More powerful probabilistic modeling (e.g. Turing complete).
- Boost the productivity of data scientists.
- Expand the use of probabilistic modeling to non-experts.

**Model code**

```
p = Beta(a=1.0, b=1.0)
x = Bernoulli(p=tf.ones(10) * p)
```

**Computational graph****Edward: Probabilistic Programming with TensorFlow**

- Probabilistic Code compiled to (Stochastic) Computational Graph.
- Speed-up due to GPU computations.

### Generative model

```
from edward.models import Bernoulli, Normal
from keras.layers import Dense

z = Normal(mu=tf.zeros([N, d]), sigma=tf.ones([N, d]))
h = Dense(256, activation='relu')(z.value())
x = Bernoulli(logits=Dense(28 * 28)(h))
```

## Edward: Probabilistic Programming with TensorFlow

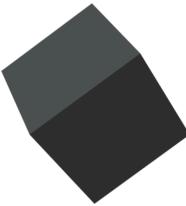
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# Causal Learning



“I would rather discover one causal relation than be King of Persia”

Democritus (430-380 BC)

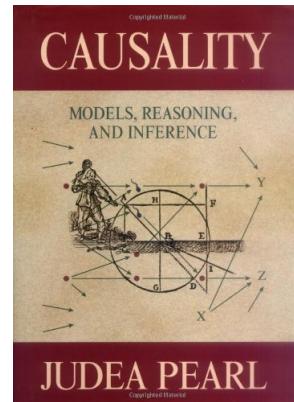
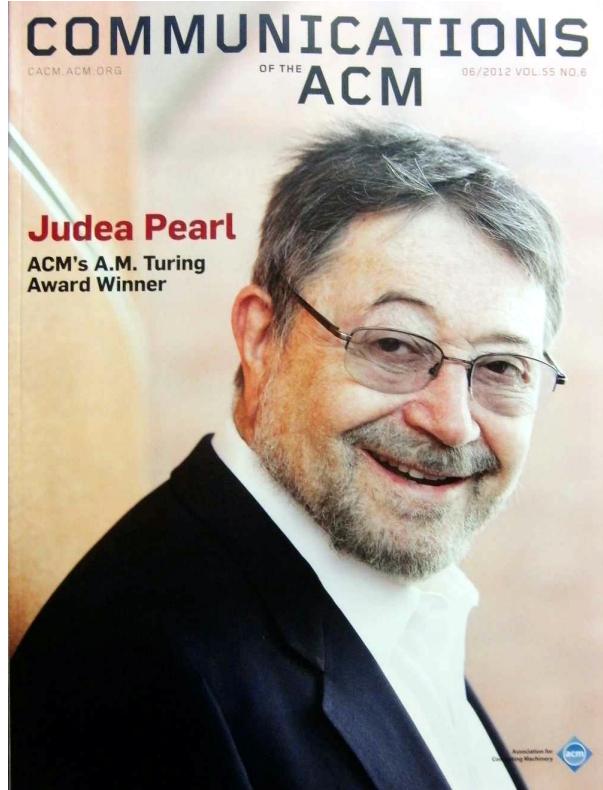
Development of Western science is based on two great achievements: the invention of the **formal logical system** (in Euclidean geometry) by the Greek philosophers, and the discovery of the possibility to find out **causal relationships by systematic experiment** (during the Renaissance).

A. Einstein, April 23, 1953



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a → b  
THE NEW SCIENCE  
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