

# Modelling sequence data and using ideas from CNN

# Recurrent Neural Networks

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# **Topics**

### Famous tricks in challenge winning CNN architectures

• Inductive Bias, weight sharing, Inception moduls, gradient highway via skip-connections

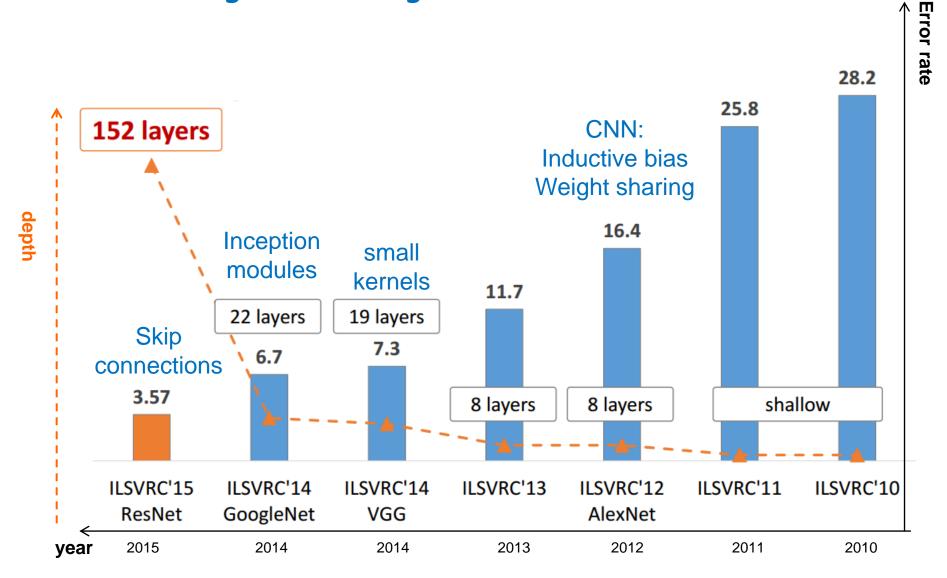
### Working with text data

- Bag of words
- Word-embedding

### Recurrent neural networks (RNN)

- possible use cases
- memory in recurrent NN
- loss construction in an RNN
- RNNs in Keras

## Review of ImageNet winning CNN architectures



# Going deeper is easy - or not?



The challenge is to design a network in which the gradient can reach all the layers of a network which might be dozens, or even hundreds of layers deep.

This was achieved by some recent improvements, such as ReLU and batch normalization, and by designing the architecture in a way which allows the gradient to reach deep layer, e.g. by additional skip connections.

# "Oxford Net" or "VGG Net" 2014 2nd place

- 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the imageNet challenge
- More traditional, easier to train
- Small pooling
- Stacked 3x3 convolutions before maxpooling
  - -> large receptive field
- ReLU after conv. and FC (batchnorm was not used)
- More weights than GoogLeNet

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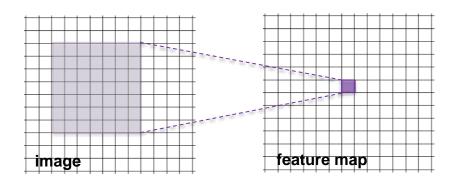
softmax

http://arxiv.org/abs/1409.1556

# The trend in modern CNN architectures goes to small filters

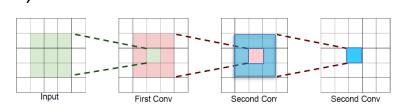
How best to achieve a receptive field of 7x7 pixels?

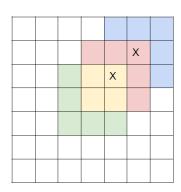
1) Working with one7x7 conv layers (stride 1)49 weights



2) Working with **three** 3x3 conv layers (stride 1)

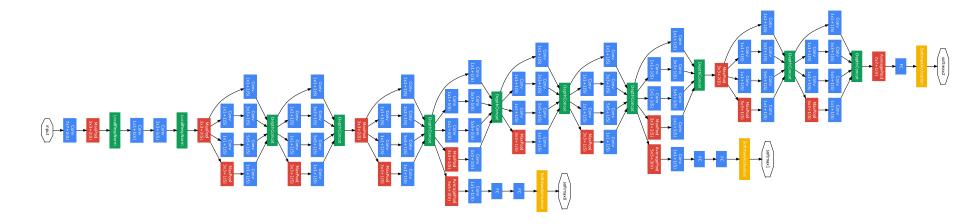
3\*9=27 weights



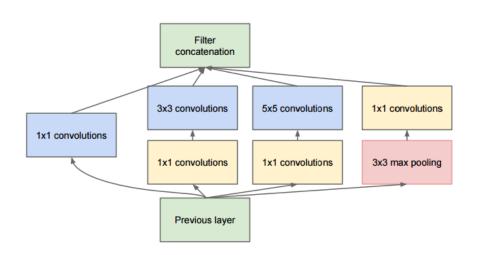


When working stacking conv-layers with small kernels we can achieve with less weights and more non-linear combinations the same receptive field

# Winning architecture (GoogLeNet, 2014)

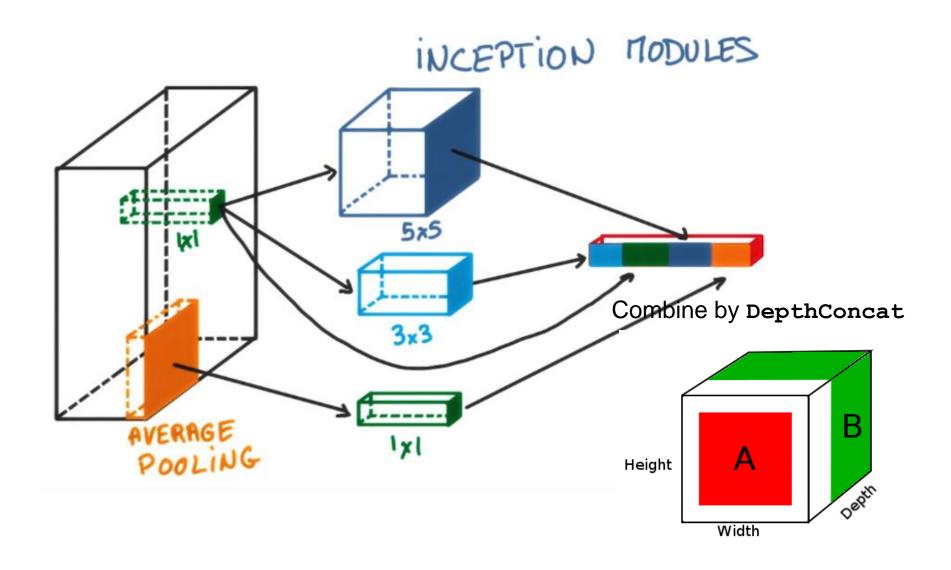


The inception module: use in 1 layer in parallel different kernels and combine their results



Few parameters, hard to train. Comments see <a href="here">here</a>

# The idea of inception modules

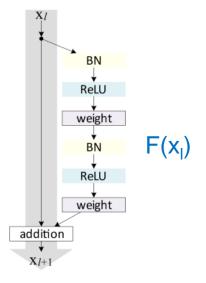


# "ResNet" from Microsoft 2015 winner of imageNet



ResNet basic design (VGG-style)

- add shortcut connections every two
- all 3x3 conv (almost)

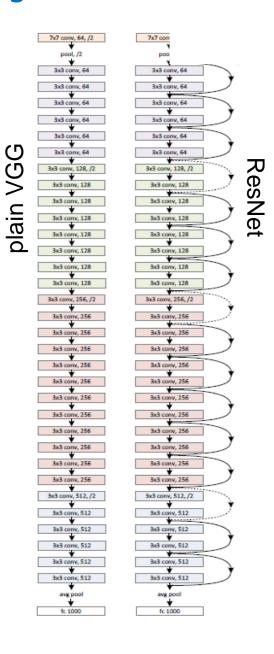


152 layers: Why does this train at all?

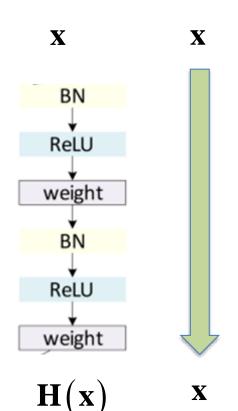
This deep architecture could still be trained, since the gradients can skip layers which diminish the gradient!

$$H(x_1)=x_{1+1}=x_1+F(x_1)$$

F(x) is called "residual" since it only learns the "delta" which is needed to add to x to get H(x)



# Highway Networks with skip connections: providing a highway for the gradient



Idea: Use nonlinear transform T to determine how much of the output **y** is produced by H or the identity mapping. Technically we do that by:

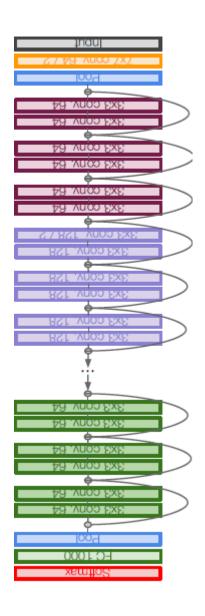
$$\mathbf{y} = H(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W}_{\mathbf{H}}) \cdot T(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W}_{\mathbf{T}}) + \mathbf{x} \cdot (1 - T(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W}_{\mathbf{T}})).$$

Special case:

$$\mathbf{y} = \begin{cases} \mathbf{x}, & \text{if } T(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W_T}) = \mathbf{0} \\ H(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W_H}), & \text{if } T(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W_T}) = \mathbf{1} \end{cases}$$

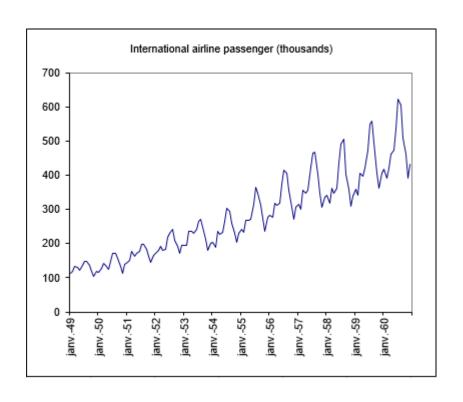
This opens a highway for the gradient:

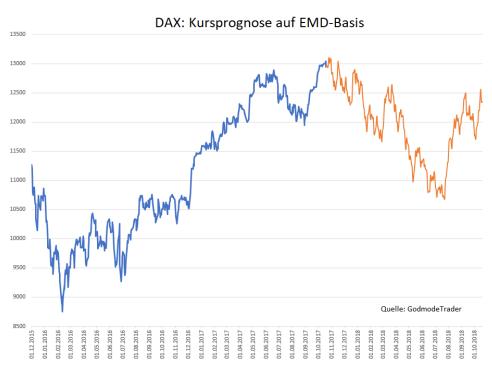
$$\frac{d\mathbf{y}}{d\mathbf{x}} = \begin{cases} \mathbf{I}, & \text{if } T(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W_T}) = \mathbf{0}, \\ H'(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W_H}), & \text{if } T(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W_T}) = \mathbf{1}. \end{cases}$$



# Sequence Data

# Example Sequence Data: time-series

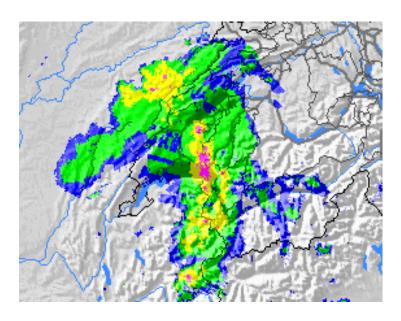




How many passenger will we have next month?

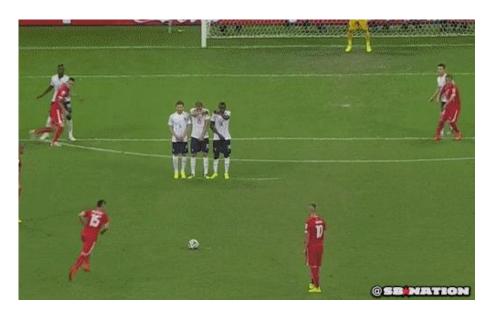
What will be the DAX value tomorrow?

# Example Sequence Data: videos



https://www.metradar.ch/2009\_exp/pc/service.php

How much does it rain in Winterthur within the next hour?



https://www.pinterest.ch/pin/460704236854535539/

Who will be the next star?

# Example sequence data: speech translation



Speech Recognition Breakthrough for the Spoken, Translated Word

**2012**: Microsoft Chief Research Officer Rick Rashid demonstrates breakthrough in DL based translation that converts his spoken English words into computer-generated Chinese language.

**2017**: Language translator is available as mobile app

# Example Sequence Data: text

Guten Tag, Sick Beate (sick)

siehe Anhang gescanntes Dokument.:

http://dildosatisfaction.com/Rechnungs-Details-98773504333/Sick Beate (sick)

Mit freundlichen GrÃ1/4ße

I know the sender very well!

Should I open the attachment?

# Example: Produce sequence of words as caption



"man in black shirt is playing guitar."



"construction worker in orange safety vest is working on road."



"two young girls are playing with lego toy."



"boy is doing backflip on wakeboard."



"a young boy is holding a baseball bat."



"a cat is sitting on a couch with a remote control."



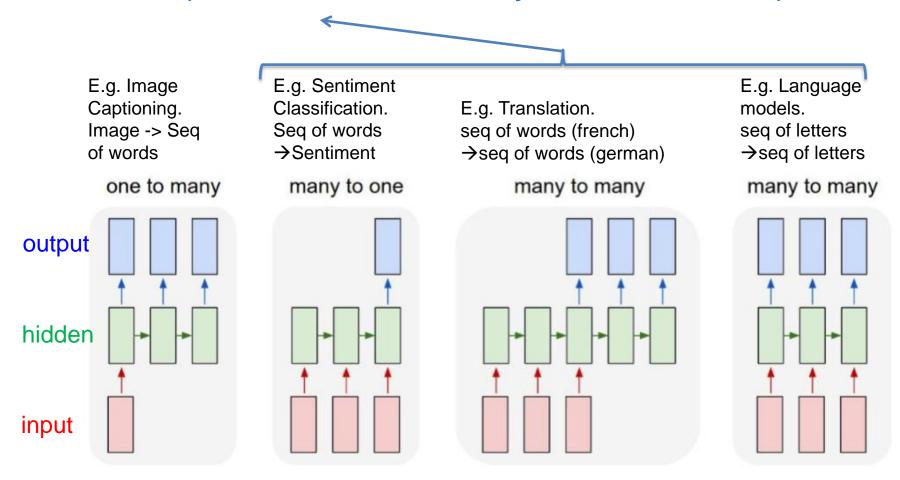
"a woman holding a teddy bear in front of a mirror."



"a horse is standing in the middle of a road."

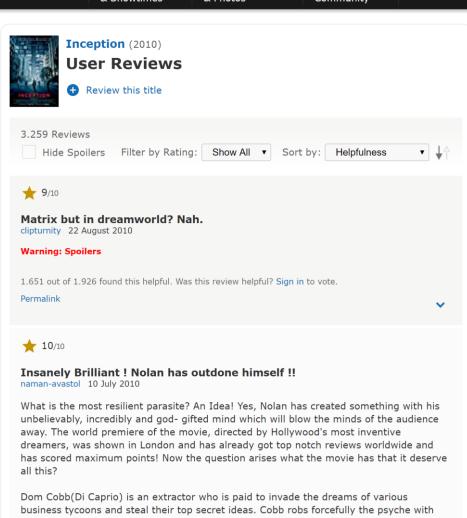
# Modeling sequence data

To learn with sequence data we need a **memory** about the seen former parts.



# Possible task: Sentiment analysis with movie reviews





	review	sentiment
0	I went and saw this movie last night after bei	1
1	Actor turned director Bill Paxton follows up h	1
2	As a recreational golfer with some knowledge o	1
3	I saw this film in a sneak preview, and it is	1
4	Bill Paxton has taken the true story of the 19	1

### Challenges:

- We need to find a numeric representation of words (e.g. bag of words, or embedding)
- 2) We need to be able to handle inputs of different length.

# Bag of words: Ignoring word order

- Count vectors or "bag of words"
  - Determine vocabulary (or alphabet, or word, or token)

### **Example:**

Document 1: "The cat sat on the hat"

Document 2: "The dog ate the cat and the hat"

Bag of words (=word count vector):

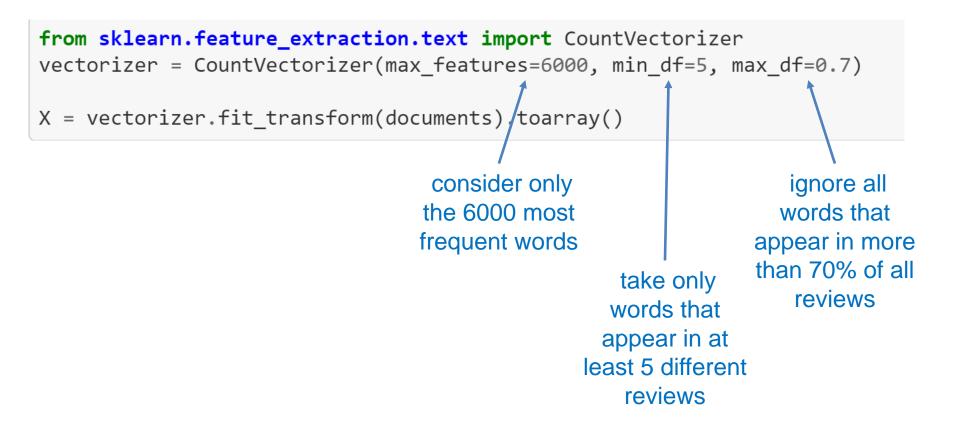
document		the	cat	sat	on	hat	dog	ate	and
	1	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
	2	3	1	0	0	1	1	1	1

Represent document as word count vector ignoring order of words (token).

This allows to represent each sentence as a numeric vector of the same length!

This can be seen as feature-vector and can be used for traditional classifiers as RF.

# Getting Bag of words in sklearn: ignoring word order



# Get from text to ordered numeric vector Step 1) Tokenize text, 1-hot-encoding

- Determine the size N of the relevant vocabulary
- Each token (word) is represented by a numeric value between 0 and N-1
- Corresponding 1-hot-encoded representations have length N

**Example:** Look at vocabulary with N=9 to tokenize the 2 text-samples below

Vocabulary: {'the': 1, 'cat': 2, 'sat': 3, 'on': 4, 'mat': 5, 'dog': 6, 'ate': 7, 'my': 8, 'homework': 9}

Text-sample: "The cat sat on the hat"

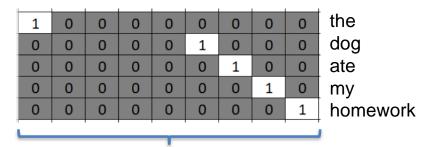
Tokenized: [1, 2, 3, 4, 1, 5].

1-hot:

the	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
cat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
sat	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
on	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
the	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
hat	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0

N elements (=vocabulary size)

"The dog ate my homework"



N elements (=vocabulary size)

# Tokenizing in keras

```
Creates a tokenizer, configured
                                                                     to only take into account the
                                                                      1,000 most common words
           from keras.preprocessing.text import Tokenizer
           samples = ['The cat sat on the mat.', 'The dog ate my homework.']
           tokenizer = Tokenizer(num words=1000)
           tokenizer.fit_on_texts(samples)
                                                                               Turns strings into lists
Builds
  the
                                                                               of integer indices
           sequences = tokenizer.texts to sequences(samples)
word
index
        -> one_hot_results = tokenizer.texts_to_matrix(samples, mode='binary')
           word_index = tokenizer.word_index
           print('Found %s unique tokens.' % len(word index))
                                                                           How you can recover
                                                                           the word index that
        You could also directly get the one-hot
                                                                           was computed
         binary representations. Vectorization
         modes other than one-hot encoding
        are supported by this tokenizer.
```

# Learning an embedding in keras

```
# fit tokenizer on all reviews
total_reviews = documents
tokenizer = Tokenizer()
tokenizer.fit_on_texts(total_reviews)

# transform tokens to a sequence of integers
X_train_tokens = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences(X_train)
X_val_tokens = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences(X_val)
X_test_tokens = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences(X_test)

# zeropad the sequences to have the "same" length
X_train_pad = pad_sequences(X_train_tokens, maxlen=max_length, padding='post')
X_val_pad = pad_sequences(X_val_tokens, maxlen=max_length, padding='post')
X_test_pad = pad_sequences(X_test_tokens, maxlen=max_length, padding='post')
```

 Generate token-representation and use zero-padding to get same length for all sequences

```
from keras.models import Sequential
from keras.layers import Dense, Embedding,GlobalAveragePooling1D,Dropout

EMBEDDING_DIM = 30

2) Define embedding-dimension:
    Within the embedding layer the
    token-representation is
    model.add(Embedding(vocab_size, EMBEDDING_DIM, input_length=(None))) transformed into 1-hot-encoding
    model.add(GlobalAveragePooling1D())
    model.add(Dropout(0.5))
    model.add(Dense(20, activation='relu'))
    model.add(Dropout(0.5))
    model.add(Dense(1, activation='sigmoid'))
    model.add(Dense(1, activation='sigmoid'))
    model.compile(loss='binary_crossentropy', optimizer='adam', metrics=['accuracy'])

model.summary()
```

3) Train NN including weight of embedding-layer from 1-hot-encoding to embedding-representation

```
history=model.fit(X_train_pad, y_train, batch_size=64, epochs=40, validation_data=(X_val_pad, y_val), verb ose=1)
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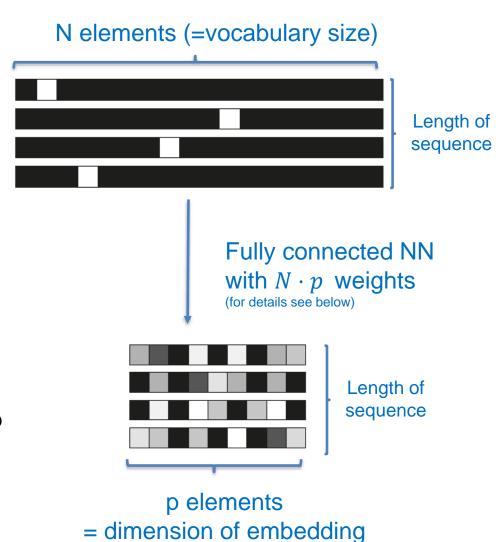
# Go from 1-hot-encodings to word embeddings

### 1-hot encodings

- Based on vocabulary of size N
- sparse: one 1 and N-1 zeros
- High-dim: vector-length = N

### Word embedding's are

- Dense
- Low-dimensional: vector-length = p
- Learned from data via fcNN N→p



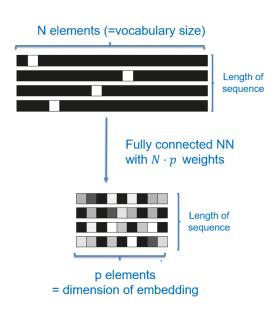
# Wordembedding layer in keras

```
from keras.layers import Embedding embedding layer takes at least two arguments: the number of possible tokens (here, 1,000: 1 + maximum word index) and the dimensionality of the embeddings (here, 64).
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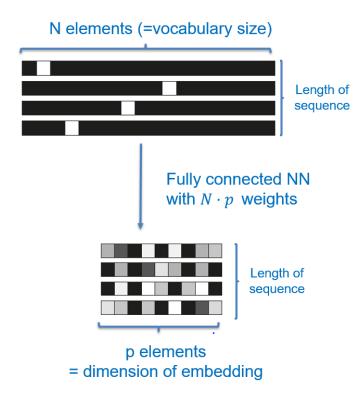
The embedding layer returns a 3D floating-point tensor of shape

(samples, sequence\_length, embedding\_dimensionality).

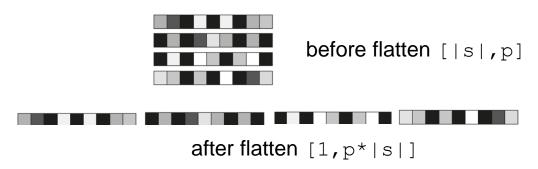
### Look at 1 sample:



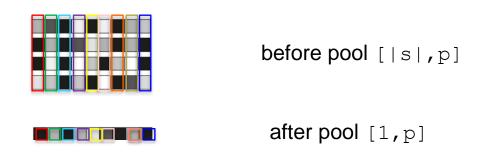
# How to proceed with embeddings



- Flatten results in vector of length: |s|\*p



 Pool over sequence length results in vector of length: p



Use as input to 1D-conv, RNN, GRU, LSTM

# A text classification NN using pooled embeddings

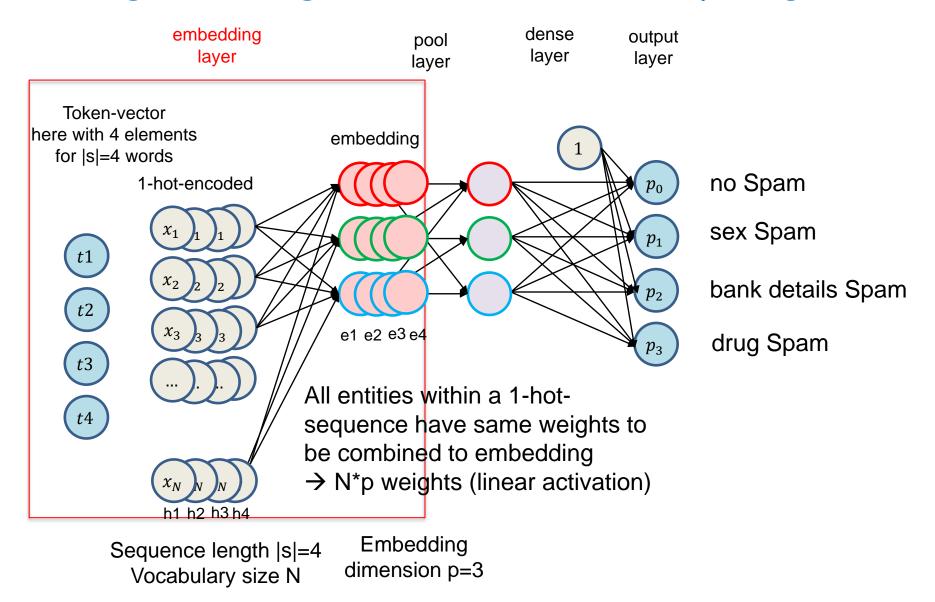
```
from keras.models import Sequential
from keras.layers import Dense, Embedding,GlobalAveragePooling1D,Dropout

EMBEDDING_DIM = 30

model = Sequential()
model.add(Embedding(vocab_size, EMBEDDING_DIM, input_length=(None)))
model.add(GlobalAveragePooling1D())
model.add(Dropout(0.5))
model.add(Dense(20, activation='relu'))
model.add(Dropout(0.5))
model.add(Dense(1, activation='sigmoid'))
model.compile(loss='binary_crossentropy', optimizer='adam', metrics=['accuracy'])
model.summary()
```

Layer (type)	Output	Shape	Param #
embedding_1 (Embedding)	(None,	None, 30)	1868910
global_average_pooling1d_1 (	(None,	30)	0
dropout_1 (Dropout)	(None,	30)	0
dense_1 (Dense)	(None,	20)	620
dropout_2 (Dropout)	(None,	20)	0
dense_2 (Dense)	(None,	1)	21

# Learning embeddings within a NN based on pooling



→ During pooling we loose information on the order in the sequence

# A simple text classification NN using flattened embeddings

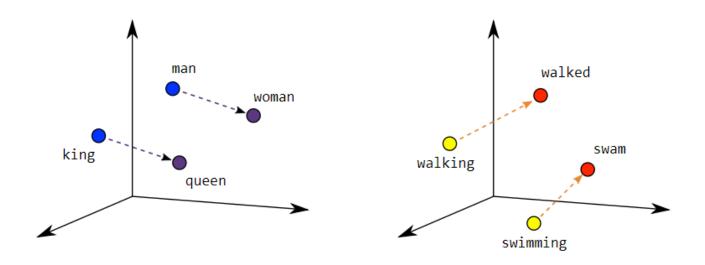
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Specifies the maximum input length to the
Embedding layer so you can later flatten the
embedded inputs. After the Embedding layer.
                                                                     Flattens the 3D tensor of
the activations have shape (samples, maxlen, 8).
                                                                     embeddings into a 2D
                                                                     tensor of shape (samples,
     from keras.models import Sequential
                                                                     maxlen * 8)
     from keras.layers import Flatten, Dense
     model = Sequential()
    model.add(Embedding(10000, 8, input length=maxlen))
     model.add(Flatten())
                                                                         Adds the
                                                                         classifier on top
     model.add(Dense(1, activation='sigmoid')) <-</pre>
     model.compile(optimizer='rmsprop', loss='binary crossentropy', metrics=['acc'])
     model.summary()
     history = model.fit(x train, y train,
                            epochs=10,
                           batch_size=32,
                           validation split=0.2)
```

→ Flattening preserves information on the order in the sequence

# Word embedding space

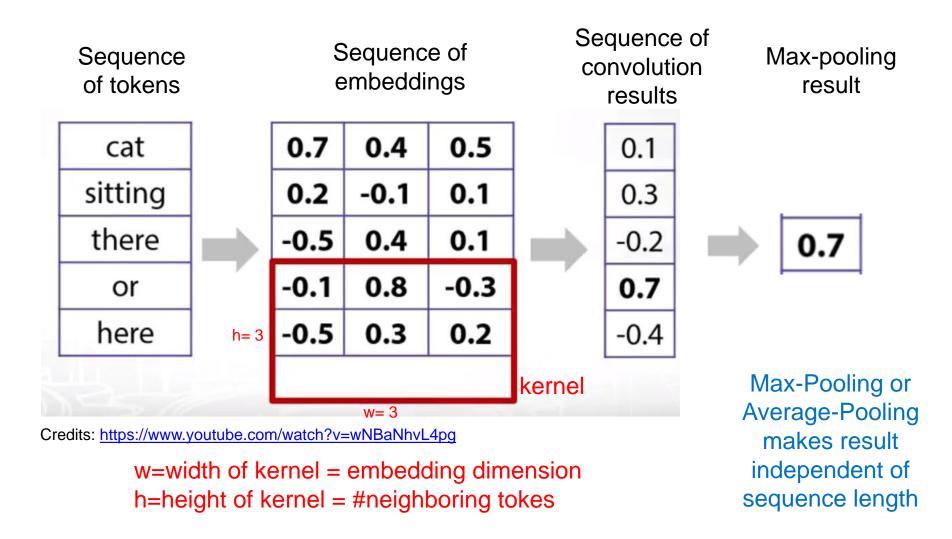


Sequence with 4 words, represented by **3-dim embedding space** 



Remark: The result of the embedding depends on the task where it was trained-Task in pre-trained embedding is usually predicting context word.

# Applying 1D convolution on n-grams of embeddings



We slide h<sub>x</sub>w kernel only in 1 direction → 1D convolution A kernel can intakes h embeddings (=h-grams, h neighboring words)

# Use embeddings as input to 1D conv

```
from keras.models import Model
from keras.layers import Input, Dense, Concatenate, Dropout, Embedding, Conv1D, GlobalMaxPooling1D, GlobalAv
eragePooling1D
EMBEDDING DIM = 30
a = Input(shape=(max length,))
x = Embedding(vocab_size, EMBEDDING_DIM)(a)
                                                                                Inception idea:
x1 = Conv1D(filters=50,kernel size=(3),activation="relu",padding="same")(x)
x2 = Conv1D(filters=50,kernel size=(5),activation="relu",padding="same")(x)
                                                                                Use several filter-
x3 = Conv1D(filters=50, kernel size=(7), activation="relu", padding="same")(x)
                                                                                heights in parallel.
g1 = GlobalAveragePooling1D()(x1)
g2 = GlobalAveragePooling1D()(x2)
g3 = GlobalAveragePooling1D()(x3)
conc= Concatenate()([g1,g2,g3])
conc = Dropout(0.3)(conc)
conc = Dense(50, activation='relu')(conc)
conc = Dropout(0.3)(conc)
out= Dense(1, activation='sigmoid')(conc)
model = Model(inputs=a, outputs=out)
model.compile(loss='binary crossentropy', optimizer='adam', metrics=['accuracy'])
model.summary()
```

# Do your own sentiment analysis

 Work through the instructions in sentiment exercise in day 6 using <u>13\_sentiment\_analysis\_with\_i</u> <u>mdb\_reviews.ipynb</u>



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# Recurrent Neural Networks

Recurrent NN have memory

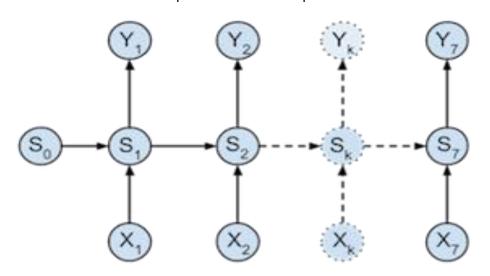
# Challenge 2: How to handle input of different lengths?

Each text (e.g. e-mail) can have a different number of words!

By reading from word to word our believe in different categories (e.g. spam or not-spam) can change and we want to update our classification.

We need a model which can memorize the information from former inputs.

Output:  $y_1 = prob_{spam}$ ,  $y_2 = prob_{spam}$ , ....



Input:  $x_1 = vector_{word1}, x_2 = vector_{word2}, \dots$ 

**Hidden memory State:** 

S₁=state after first word

S<sub>2</sub>=state after first word

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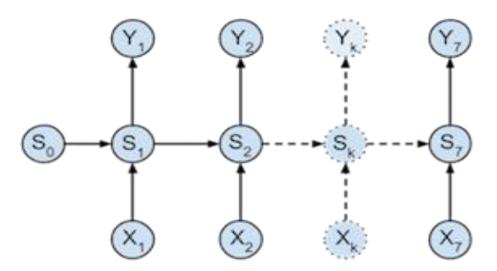
### How to choose the dimensions of the hidden state?

The input **x** is a vector of the size of our vocabulary.

The output **y** is a vector of size 2 (spam/no-spam or passed/failed).

The hidden state **h** (or **S**) should have enough capacity to capture different concepts of spams (e.g. fraud, sex, conference) – we could choose a vector of length 3.

Output:  $y_1 = (p_1, p_2)_{t1}$   $y_2 = (p_1, p_2)_{t2}$  ....



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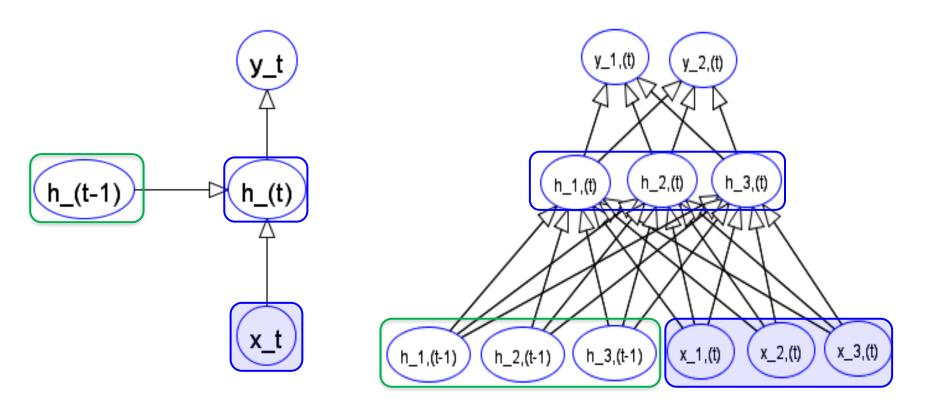
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### Two representations of a RNN at time t

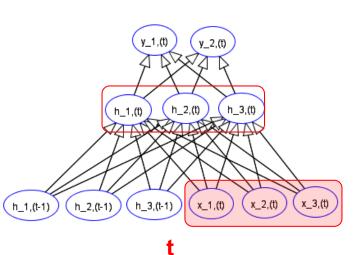
**x** has 3 components – a very small 1-hot-encoded vocabulary or embedding vector ;-)

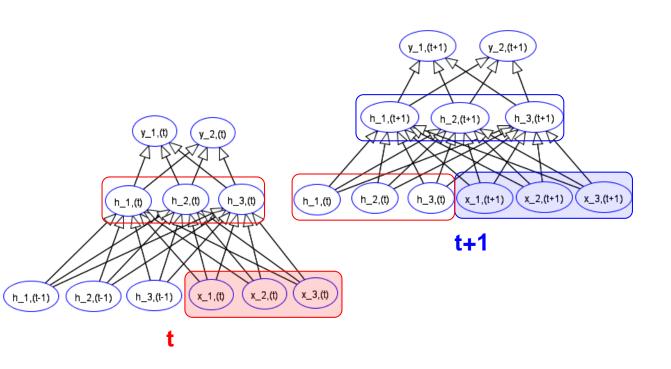
y has 2 components (spam/no-spom for mails, passed/failed for scoring essays).

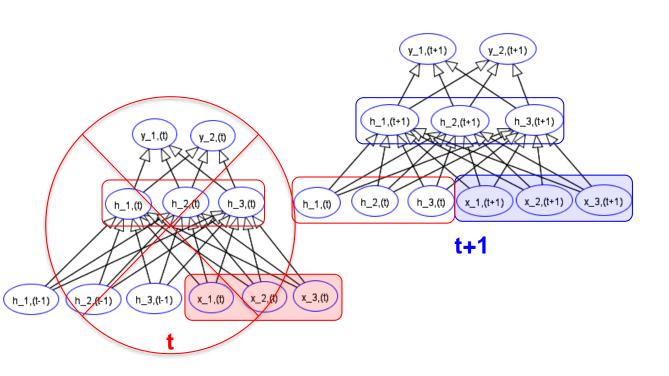
h 3 components to capture abstract concepts (e.g. fraud/sex/conference for emails) and is initialized at t=0 with (0,0,0).

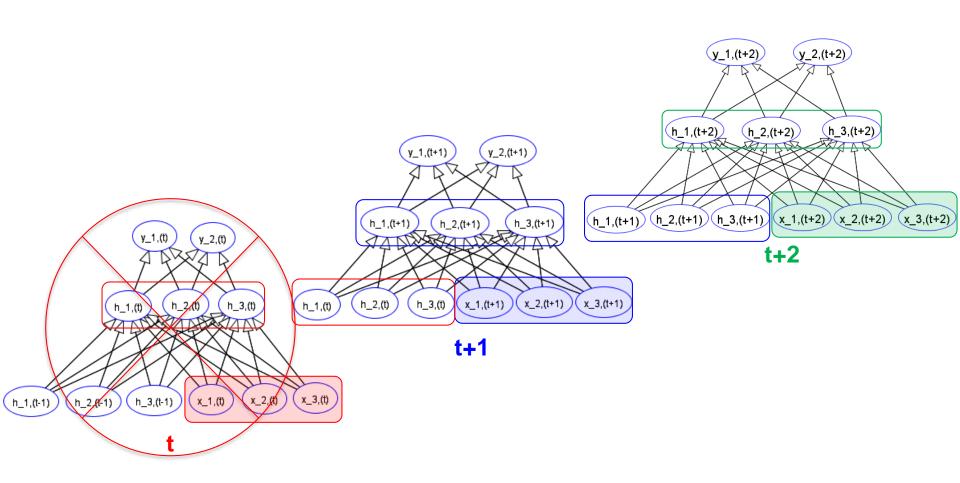


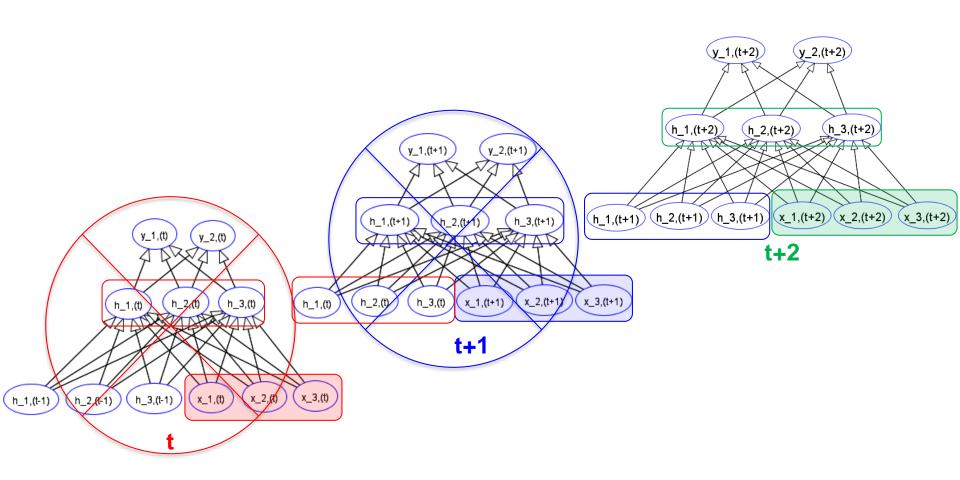
# Stepping through an RNN



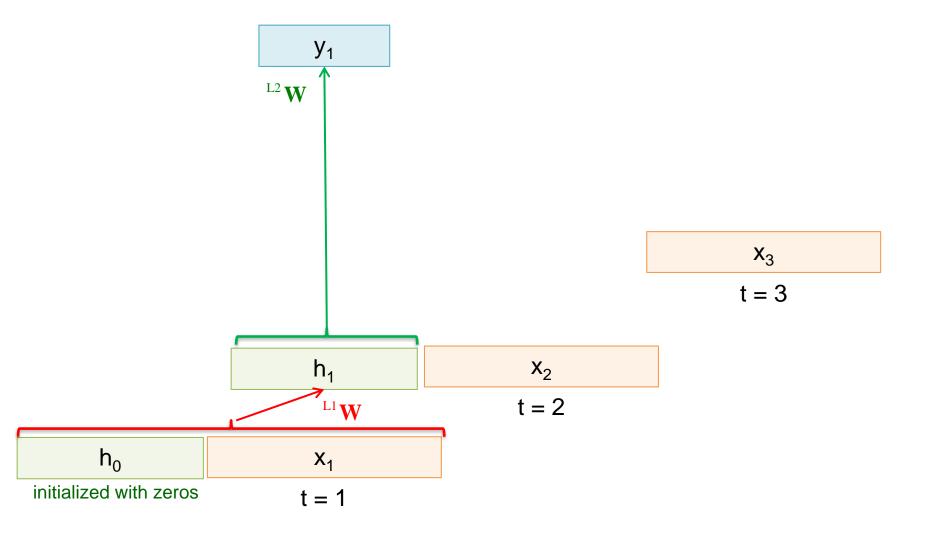








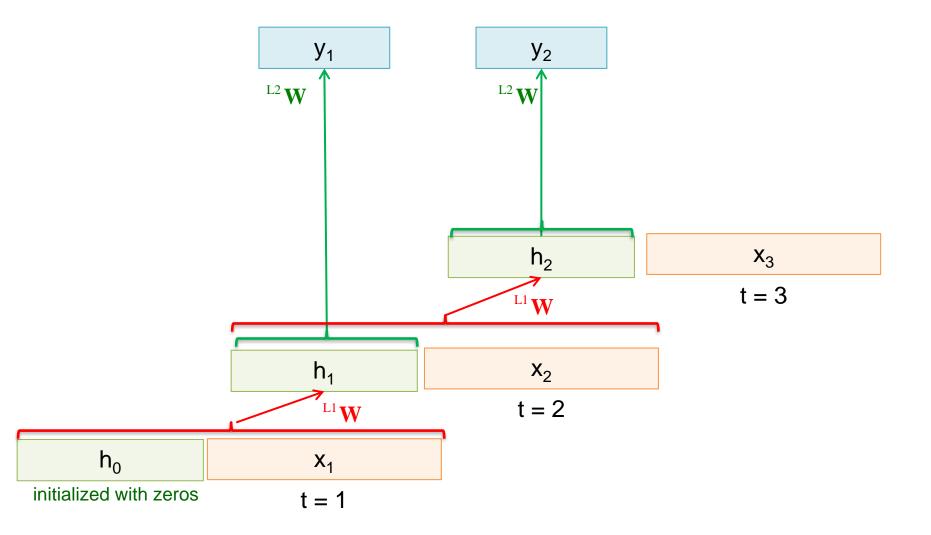
## An RNN shares weights across all time steps



Imagine a trained RNN with fixed weight matrices in layer 1 and layer 2.

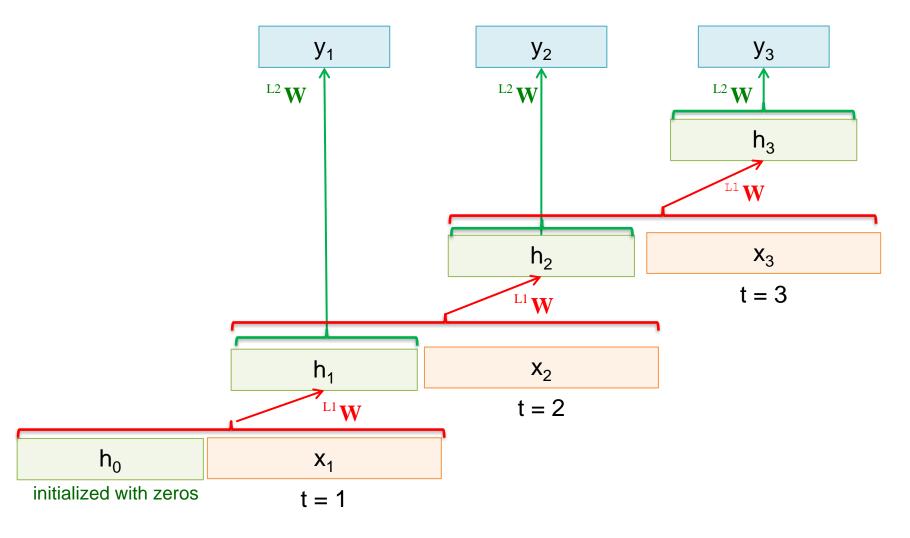
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## An RNN shares weights across all time steps



We use at each time step the same weight matrices between the layers!

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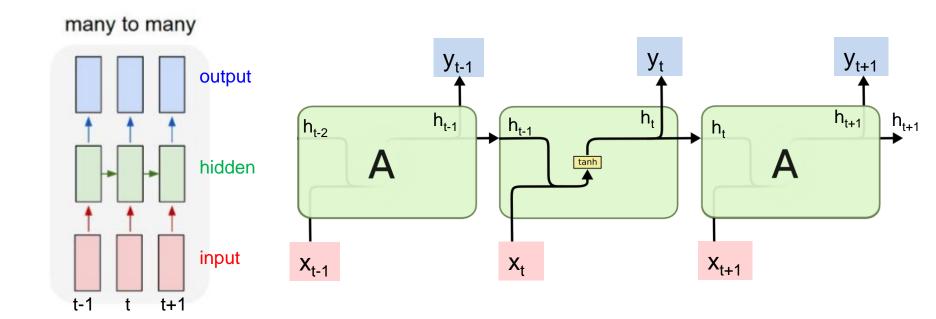
The length of the input sequence can have arbitrary length.

We just reuse (keras: distribute) the same NN for each instance in the sequence!

Therefor it is called recurrent network!!

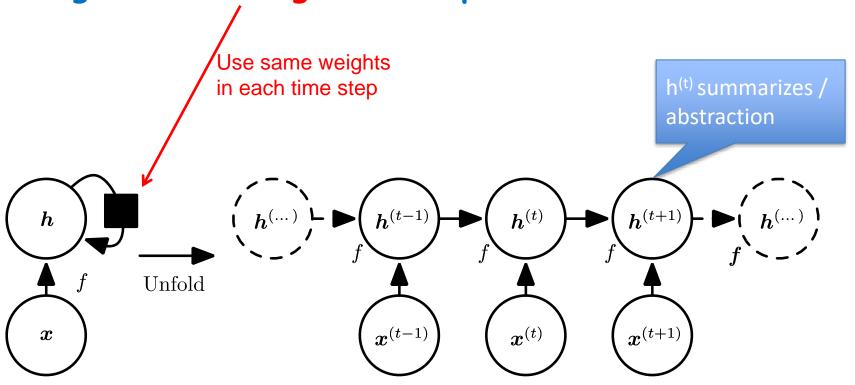
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## Using diagrams to represent an RNN



$$\mathbf{A} = f_{\mathbf{W}}(\mathbf{h}_{t-1}, \mathbf{x}_t) = \tanh([\mathbf{h}_{t-1}, \mathbf{x}_t] \cdot \mathbf{W} + \mathbf{b})$$

## Using a circuit diagram to represent an RNN

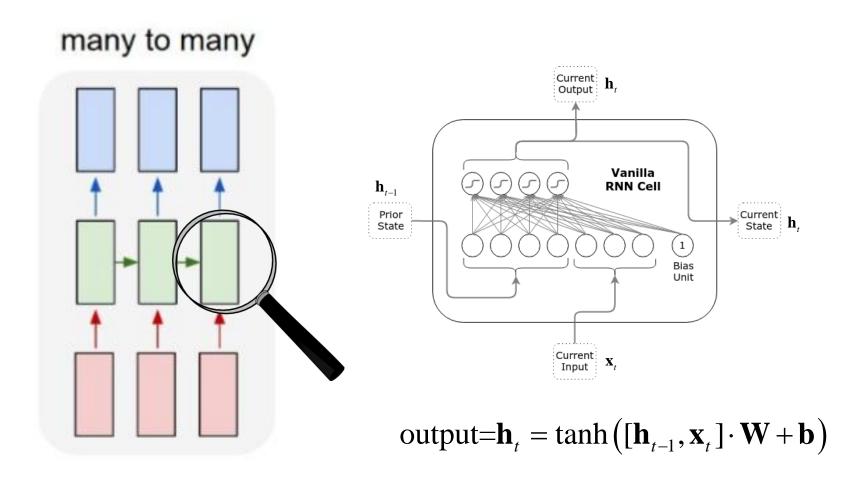


Left: Circuit Diagram (black square delay of one time step)

Right: Unrolled / unfolded

Illustration: <a href="http://www.deeplearningbook.org/">http://www.deeplearningbook.org/</a>

## Looking into a RNN "cell"



## A simple forward pass

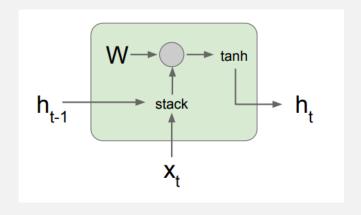
• Given the hidden state at t-1, the input x at t and the weight matrix as:

$$h_{t-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0, & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x_t = \begin{pmatrix} 1, & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$W = \begin{pmatrix} 1.5 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0.5 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$b = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$A = f_{\mathbf{W}}(\mathbf{h}_{t-1}, \mathbf{x}_t) = \tanh([\mathbf{h}_{t-1}, \mathbf{x}_t] \cdot \mathbf{W} + \mathbf{b})...$$

Calculate the activation A of the hidden state h<sub>t</sub> at time t.

### Solution

$$h = (0,1)$$

$$X = (1,0)$$

$$W = \begin{pmatrix} 1.5 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1/2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(0,1,1,0) \begin{pmatrix} 1.5 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1/2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = (-1,1.8)$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \mathcal{E}h((-1,1.5)) \approx (-0.76,0.51)$$

## Loss construction in an RNN

### Determine the loss contribution of instance 1

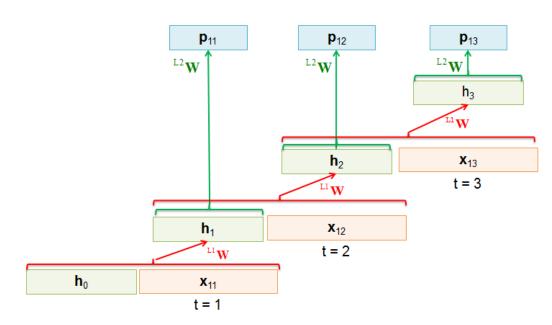
mini-batch of size M=8 train data input (S=len(seq)=3):

instance_id	seq_t1	seq_t2	seq_t3
1	<b>X</b> <sub>11</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>13</sub>
2	<b>X</b> <sub>21</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>22</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>23</sub>
3	<b>X</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>32</sub>	<b>X</b> 33
I	I	I	I
8	<b>X</b> <sub>81</sub>	<b>X</b> 82	<b>X</b> 83

### train data target (2 classes, K=2):

instance id	y_t1	y t2	y_t3
1	(1,0)	(1,0)	(0,1)
2	(0,1)	(1,0)	(0,1)
3	(0,1)	(0,1)	-1
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8	(1,0)	(1,0)	(1,0)

### instance 1:



x-entropy is used to determine distance between 2-dim p-vector and 2-dim y-vector at each of the 3 positions in the sequence:

Loss\_1 = 
$$\sum_{s=1}^{3} \left( -\sum_{k=1}^{2} y_{1sk} \cdot \log(p_{1sk}) \right)$$

### Determine the loss contribution of instance 2

mini-batch of size M=8

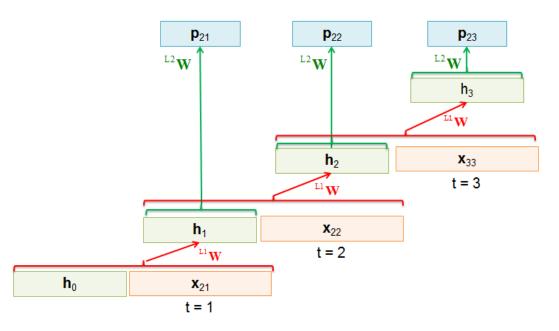
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### instance 2:



x-entropy is used to determine distance between 2-dim p-vector and 2-dim y-vector at each of the 3 positions in the sequence:

Loss\_2 = 
$$\sum_{s=1}^{3} \left( -\sum_{k=1}^{2} y_{2sk} \cdot \log(p_{2sk}) \right)$$

### Determine the loss of the whole mini-batch

#### mini-batch of size M=8

### train data input (S=len(seq)=3):

instance_id	seq_t1	seq_t2	seq_t3
1	<b>X</b> <sub>11</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>13</sub>
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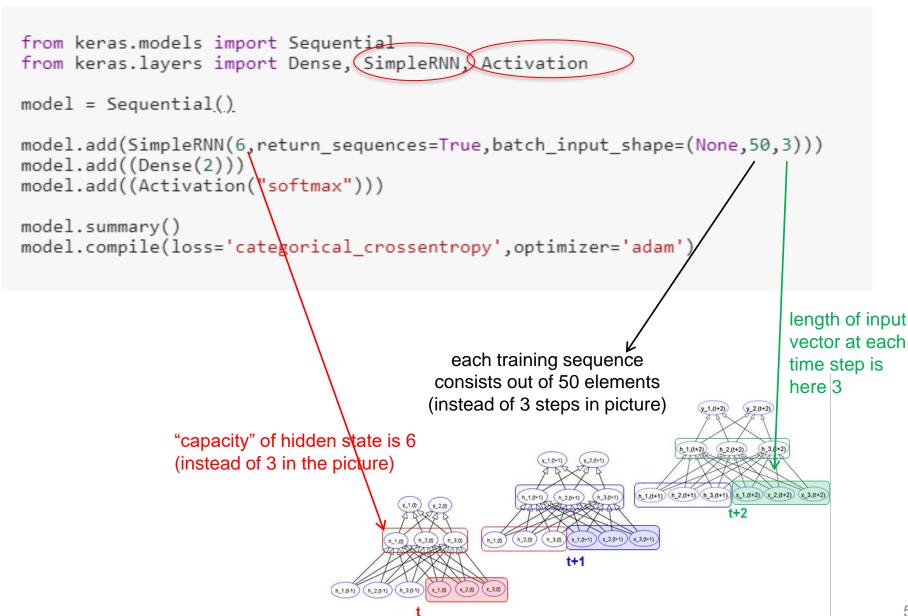
Cost C or Loss is given by the cross-entropy averaged over all instances in mini-batch:

$$Loss = \frac{1}{8} \sum_{m=1}^{8} Loss\_m$$

Loss = 
$$\frac{1}{8} \sum_{m=1}^{8} \left[ \sum_{s=1}^{3} \left( -\sum_{k=1}^{2} y_{msk} \cdot \log(p_{msk}) \right) \right]$$

Based on the mini-batch loss the weights in the two weight matrices of layer 1 and layer 2 are updated.

### RNN in Keras



## Do your own time series predictions

 Work through the instructions in the second exercise in day 6 using <a href="https://github.com/tensorchiefs/dl\_course\_2018/blob/master/notebooks/12\_LSTM\_vs\_1DConv.ipynb">https://github.com/tensorchiefs/dl\_course\_2018/blob/master/notebooks/12\_LSTM\_vs\_1DConv.ipynb</a>

