

AI, Machine Learning, Deep Learning



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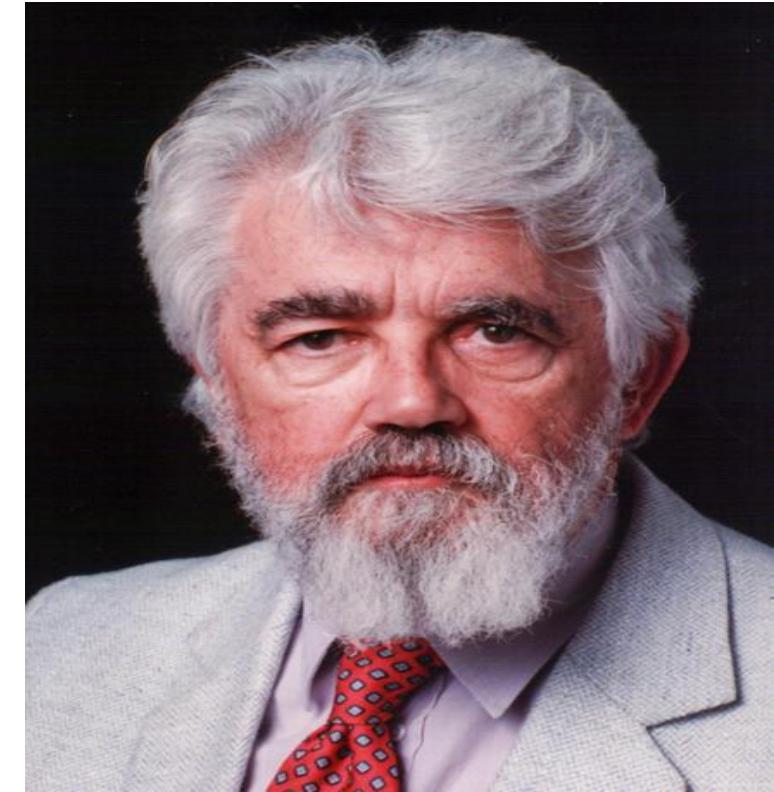
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- Neural networks and deep learning.
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Introduction to Machine Learning

What is AI?

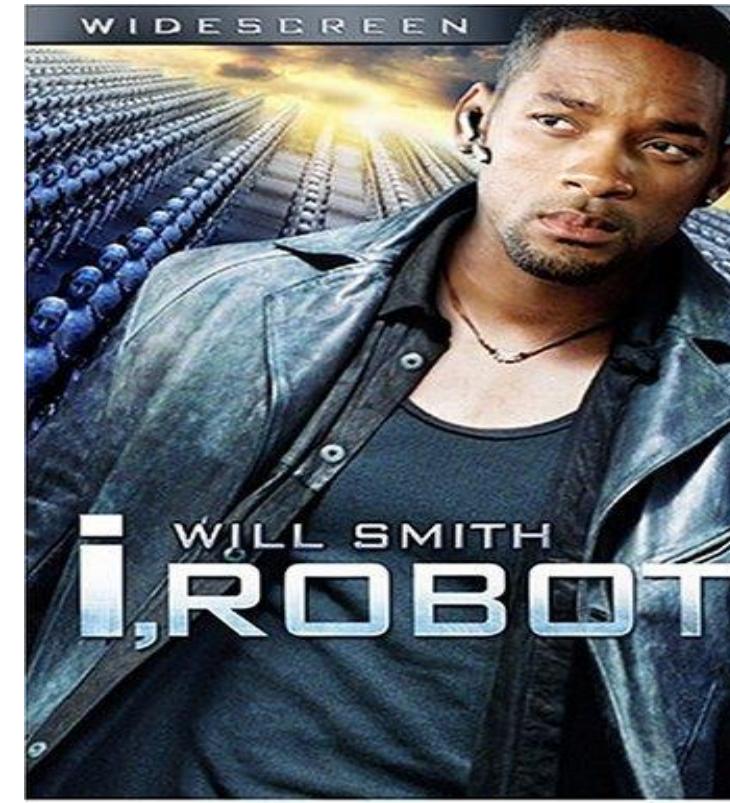
- John McCarthy coined the term “Artificial Intelligence” in 1955.
- Not easy to give a concise and unique definition of AI
- Two schools of thought on AI :
Strong (general) AI vs. Weak (specific) AI.



Strong AI

Strong AI: Robot and AI could become a new race (human-being, self-aware).

- Machine can think, reason, fully conscious.
- Expected by some AI researchers, Futurists, and Hollywood!



Weak AI

Weak AI: AI could mimic some intelligent behaviors of human.

- Accepted by most AI researchers
- Often be confused with Strong AI.

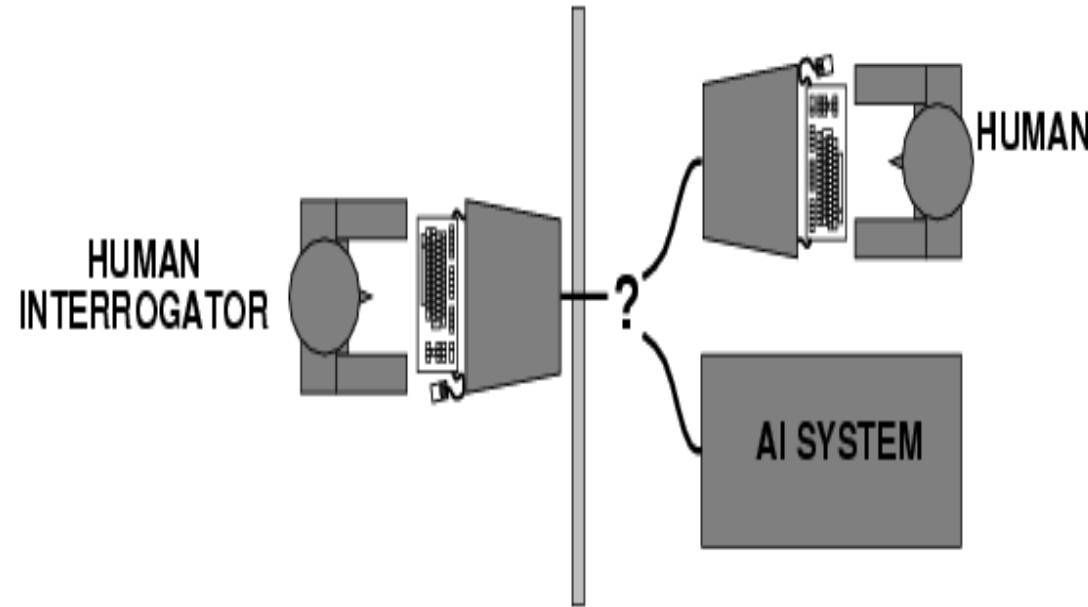


HOW UBER'S FIRST SELF-DRIVING CAR WORKS



Turing Test

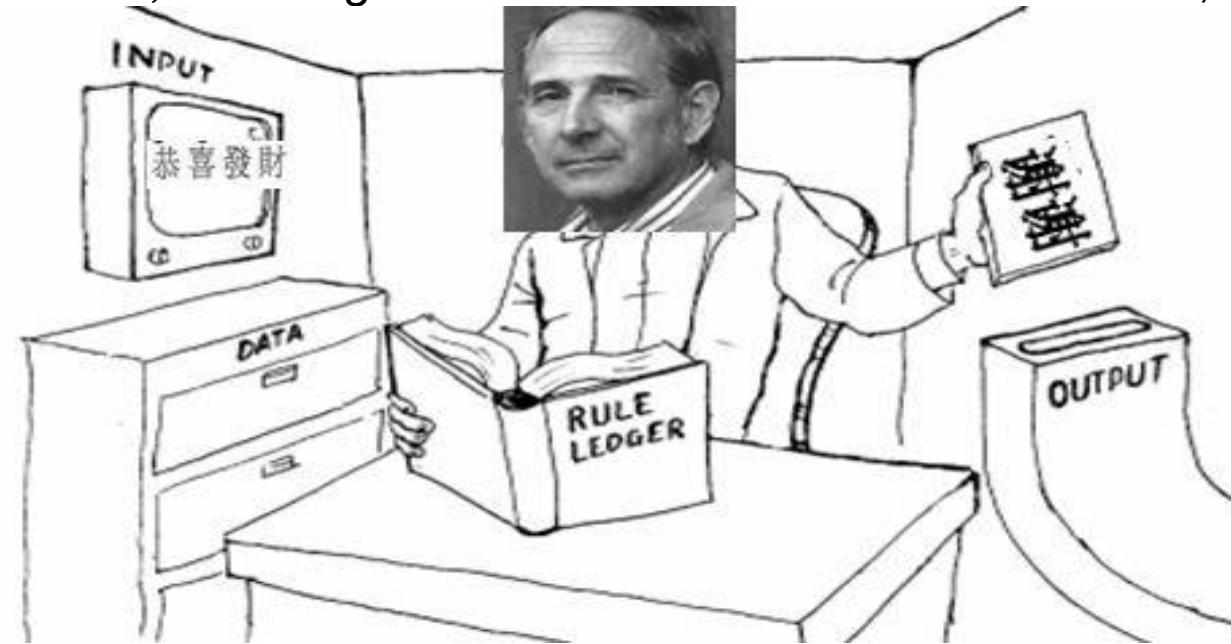
- A. M. Turing (1950) *Computing Machinery and Intelligence*, Mind 49: 433-460.



- Predicted by 2000, AI machine could have 30% chance to deceive human in 5 minutes.
- Influential and controversial for AI field in the next 50 years.
- Suggest components of intelligence: knowledge), reasoning, language understanding, learning, ...

Chinese Room Argument

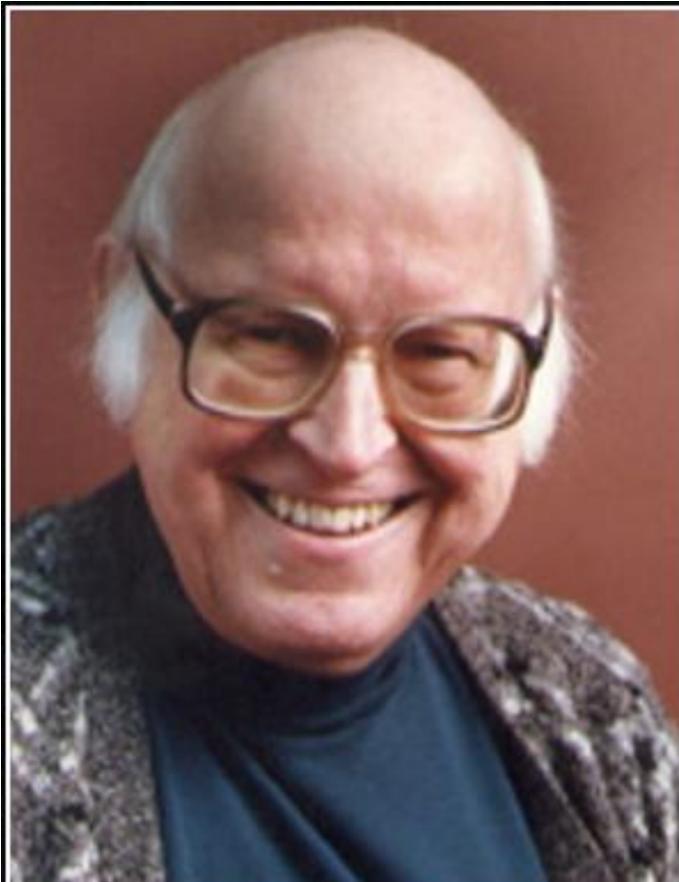
Searle, John. *Minds, Brains, and Programs*. Behavioral and Brain Sciences 3, 1980, pp. 417-424.



- AI programmed machines could not really have thinking or consciousness but only imitate human, even if they pass the Turing test.

Paradigms for Building AI

- Top-down: Cognitive science → Symbolism (Allen Newell and Herbert A. Simon) Symbolic representation, Symbolic Computation.
 - General Problem Solver, Planner, Knowledge Based Systems, Expert Systems ...

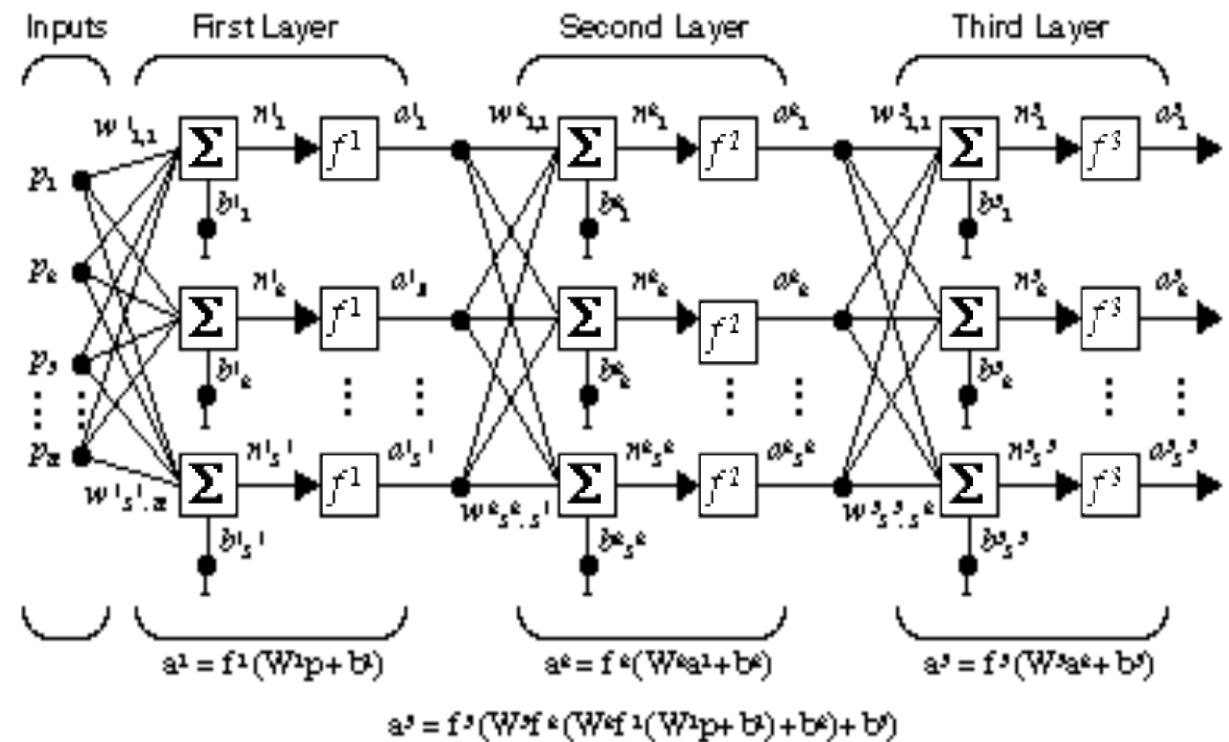
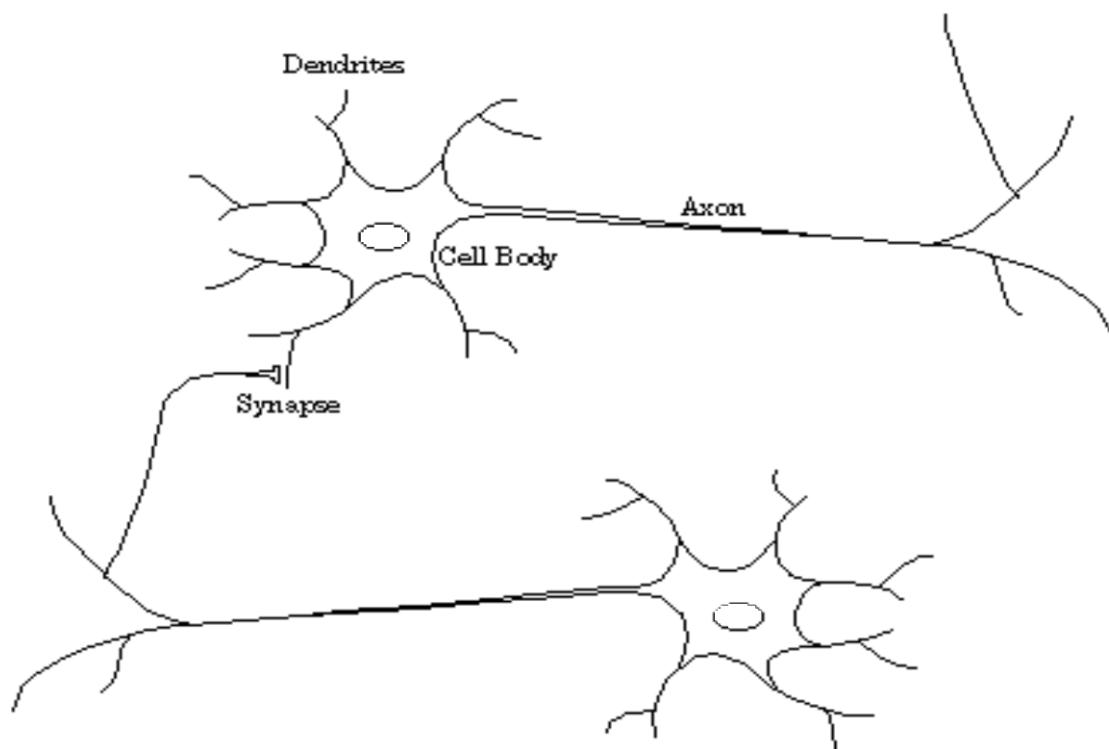


The Physical Symbol System Hypothesis. A physical symbol system has the necessary and sufficient means for general intelligent action.

— Allen Newell —

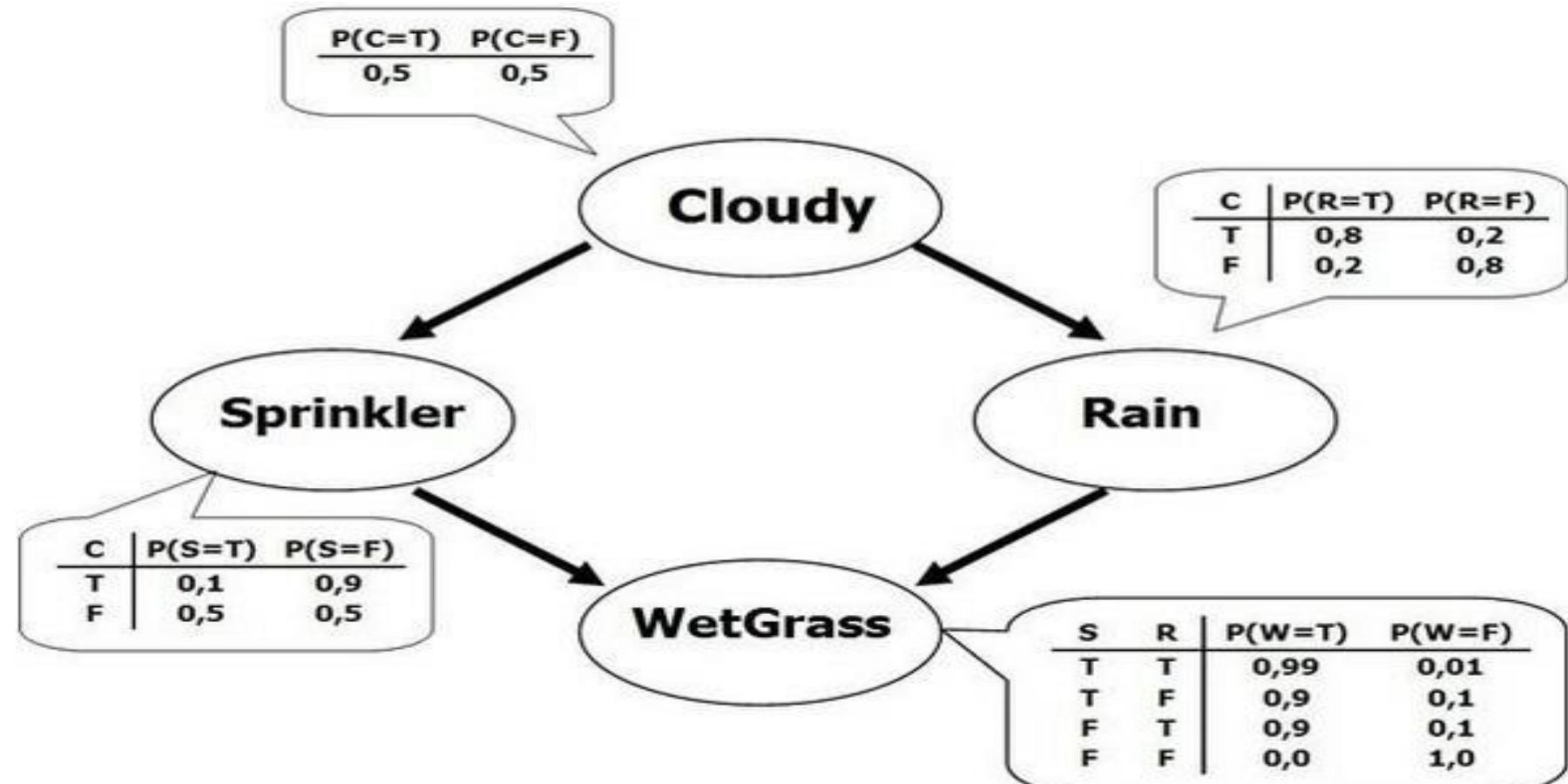
Paradigms for Building AI

- Bottom-up: Neural and Brain Science → Connectionism (Sub-symbolic)
 - Neural Networks, Deep Learning



Paradigms for Building AI

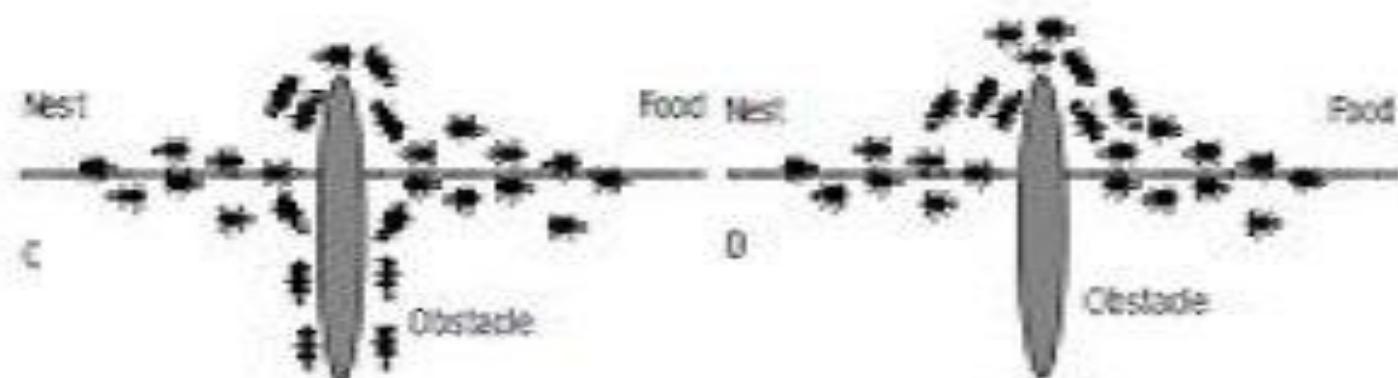
- Uncertain AI: handle uncertainty information/ data (Probabilistic AI, Fuzzy Based AI)
 - Statistical techniques, Graphical Models, Fuzzy Logic, ...



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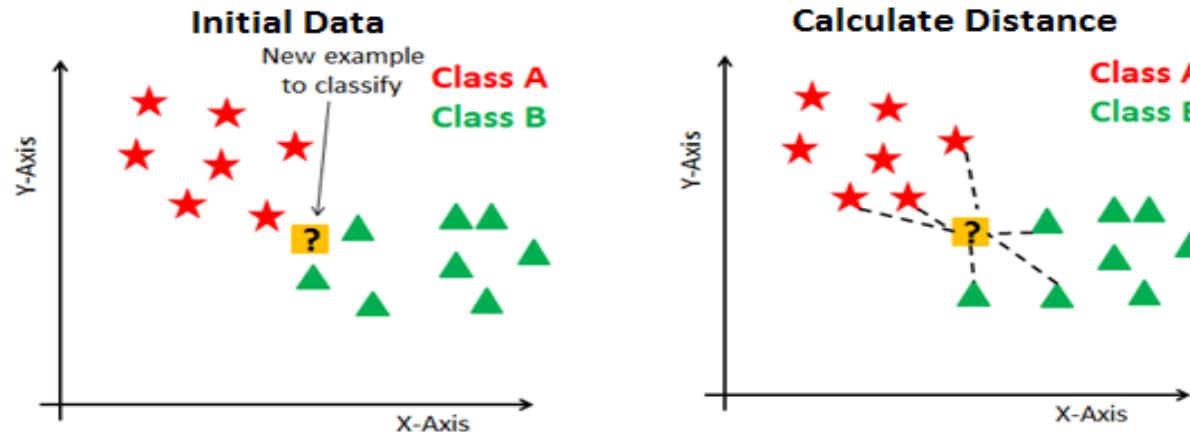
- Simulation Based AI: Based on natural adaptation
 - Evolutionary Computation, Swarm Intelligence.

NATURAL BEHAVIOR OF ANTS

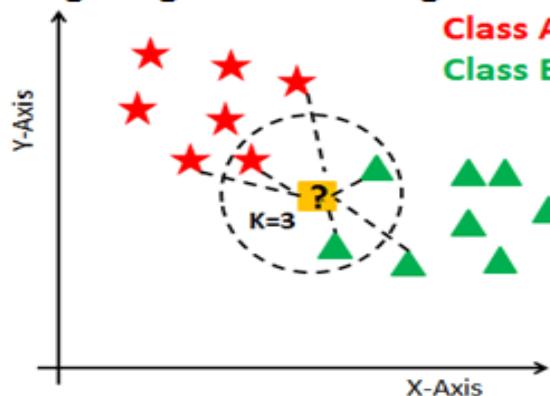


Paradigms for Building AI

- Similarity Based (lazy) AI: learning by imitation based on past knowledge and data.
 - Case-based reasoning, K-nearest neighbors, SVM,



Finding Neighbors & Voting for Labels



Past AI Achievements

- MYCIN (1984, Standford).
- Proved a mathematical conjecture (Robbins conjecture) unsolved for decades.
- During the 1991 Gulf War, US forces deployed an AI logistics planning and scheduling program that involved up to 50,000 vehicles, cargo, and people
- Deep Blue defeated the reigning world chess champion Garry Kasparov in 1997.
- Gulf War 2 (2003), Artificial War.
- NASA's on-board autonomous planning program controlled the scheduling of operations for a spacecraft.
- Human identification through eyes detection and analysis at Heathrow airport using evolutionary computation technique.
- Washing machine generation using NeuroFuzzy Technology, Robotic Vacuum-Cleaner, ...
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AI Today

Weak AI could be used to assist/replace human in:

- Exacting information from big data:
 - Image, video processing (Computer vision).
 - Speech processing (Speech Recognition).
 - Natural Language Processing/ Understanding.
- Decision Making:
 - Prediction, forecasting.
 - Optimization.
 - Recommendation.

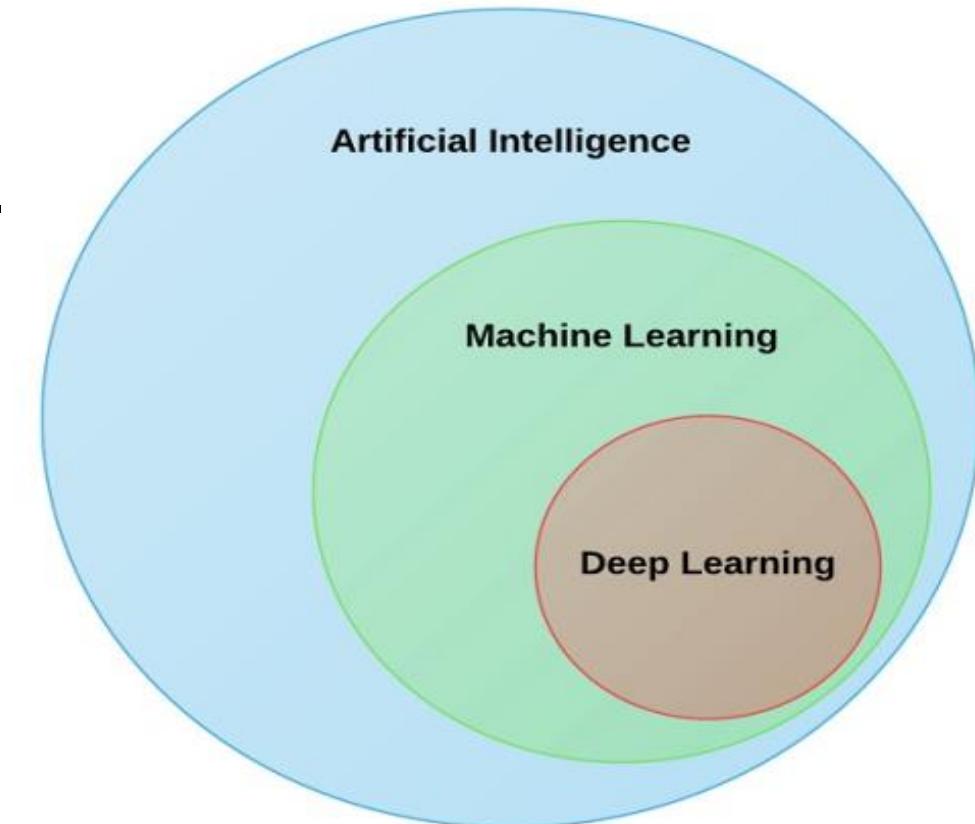
AI Today

- Many Deep Learning Based AI Systems have surpassed human capabilities in solving some certain tasks:
 - Computer Vision, Pattern Recognition, Speech Recognition, Machine Translation, Game Playing,
- AI have been applied in all spheres of life
 - AI grant projects (Google Brain, OpenAI, ...)
- AI transformed many fields and big companies (Google, Facebook, Amazon, ...) và **AI has become a new industry!**



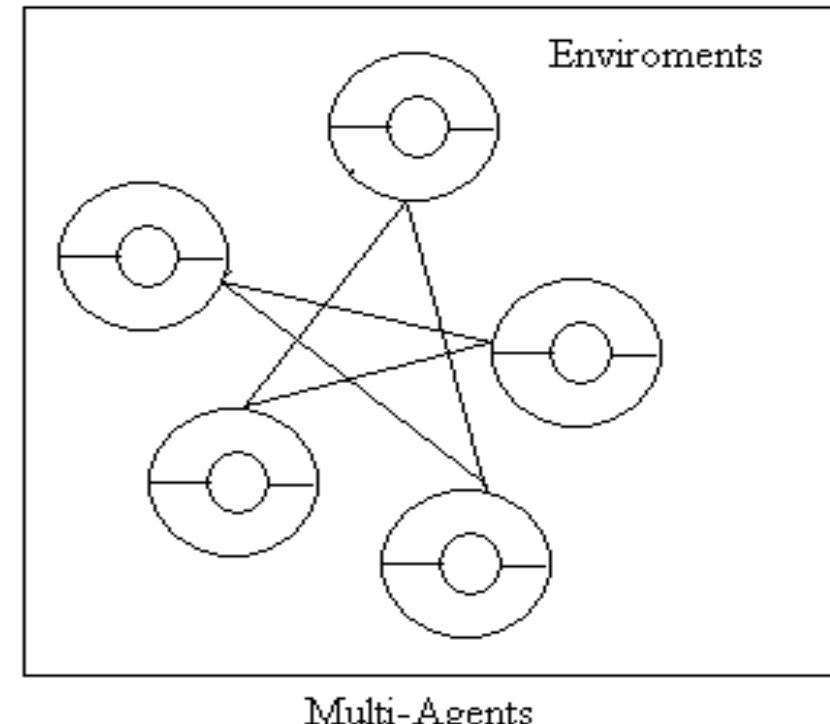
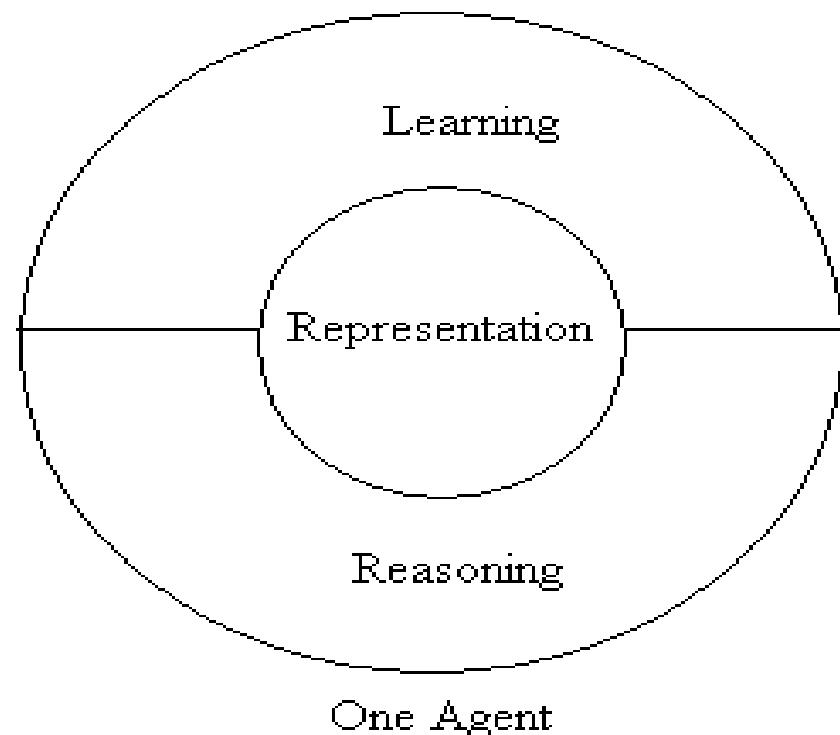
Subfields of AI

- **Machine Learning.**
- Data Science, Mining and Knowledge Discovery.
- Computer Vision.
- Natural Language Processing.
- Speech Recognition.
- Evolutionary and Natural Computation.
- Fuzzy Computation and Technologies.
- Artificial Life.
- Knowledge-Based Systems.
- Automated Reasoning.
- Logic and Constraint Programming.
- Intelligent Planning.
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Core components of AI

- *Representation.*
- *Reasoning.*
- *Learning.*
- *Interaction.*



What is machine learning?

Definition of machine learning (T. Mitchell): A computer program is said to learn from experience E for solving a task T, measured by performance measure P iff it could solve T better after using E (measured by P).

Example : - Learn to play chess

- Learn to detect malware
- Learning for autonomous vehicles.

Why “learn”?

- Machine to learn: allow it to solve problems based on data and experience instead of by algorithms.
- When learning is needed:
 - No prior human knowledge (Find ways on Mars),
 - Human could not explain how he solve the problem (voice recognition)
 - Solution is constantly needed (Network (re)routing)
 - For special tasks (with respect to each user)

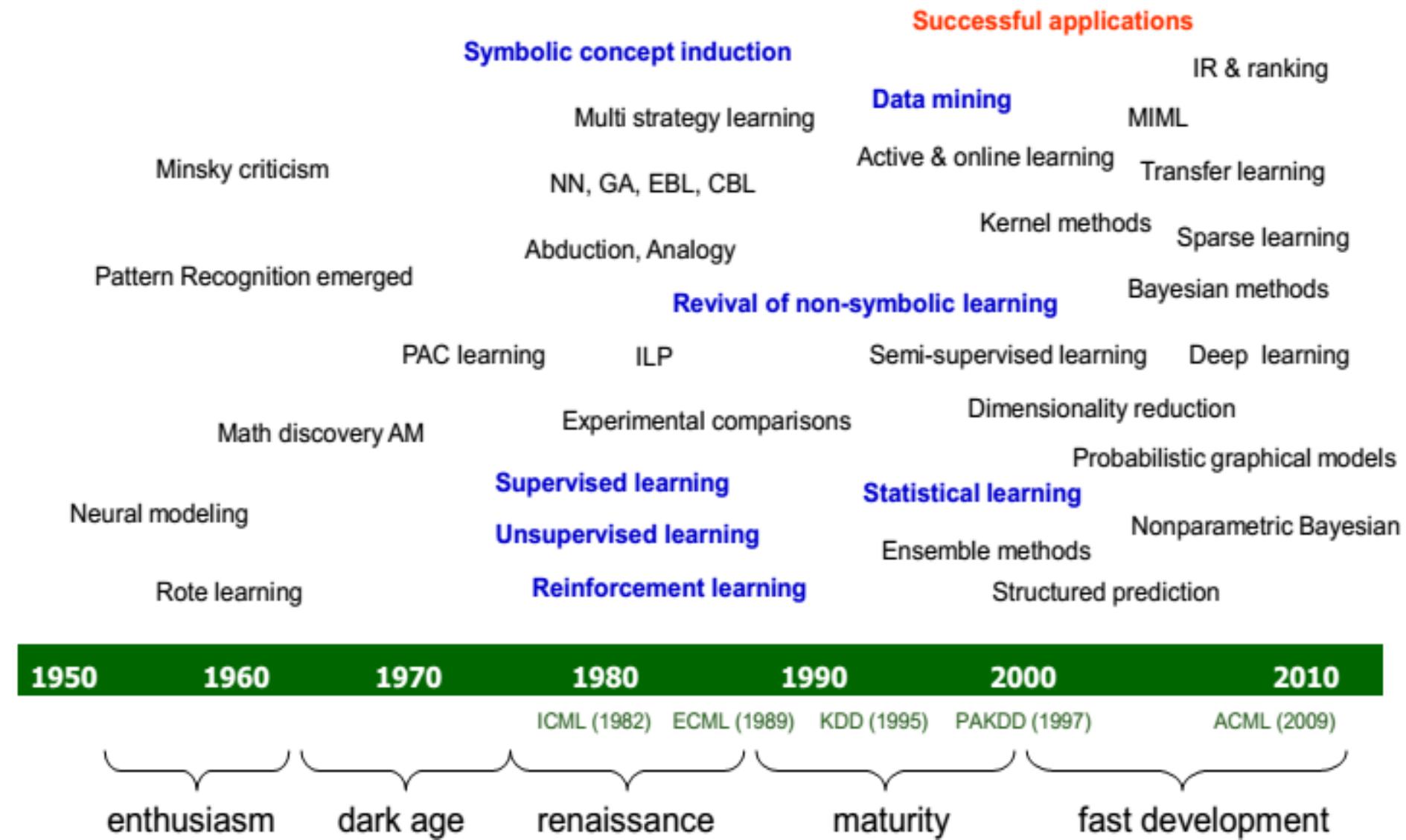
How to learn?

- Build models from data to solve problems, not by hardwired algorithms.
- Data is cheap, abundant, and available.
- Knowledge is expensive (e.g from doctors).

Example: Medical expert for reading MRI images

- Task: Build models from data to approximate the knowledge of the medical expert.

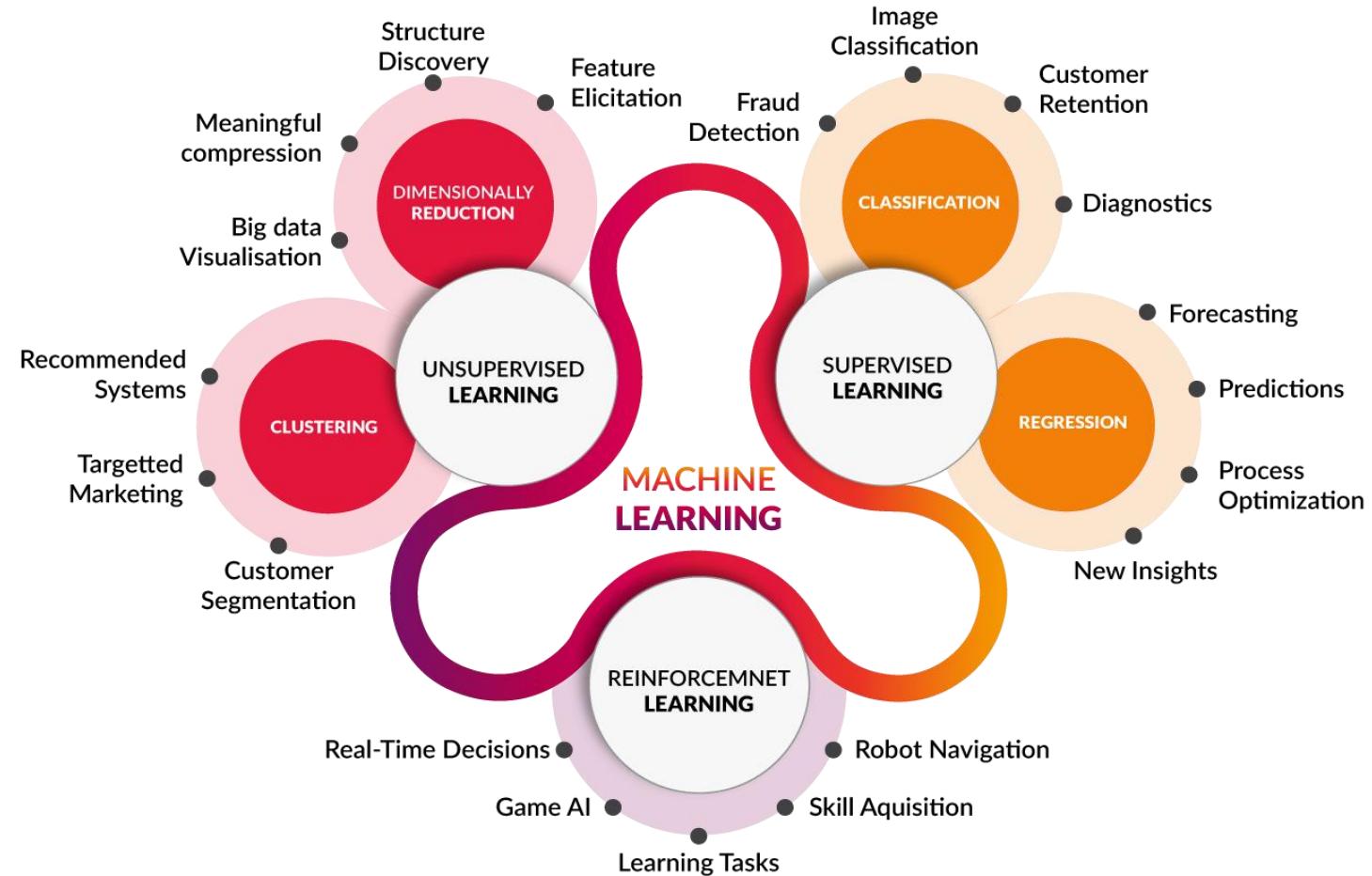
Timeline of ML(Pre-Deep Learning)



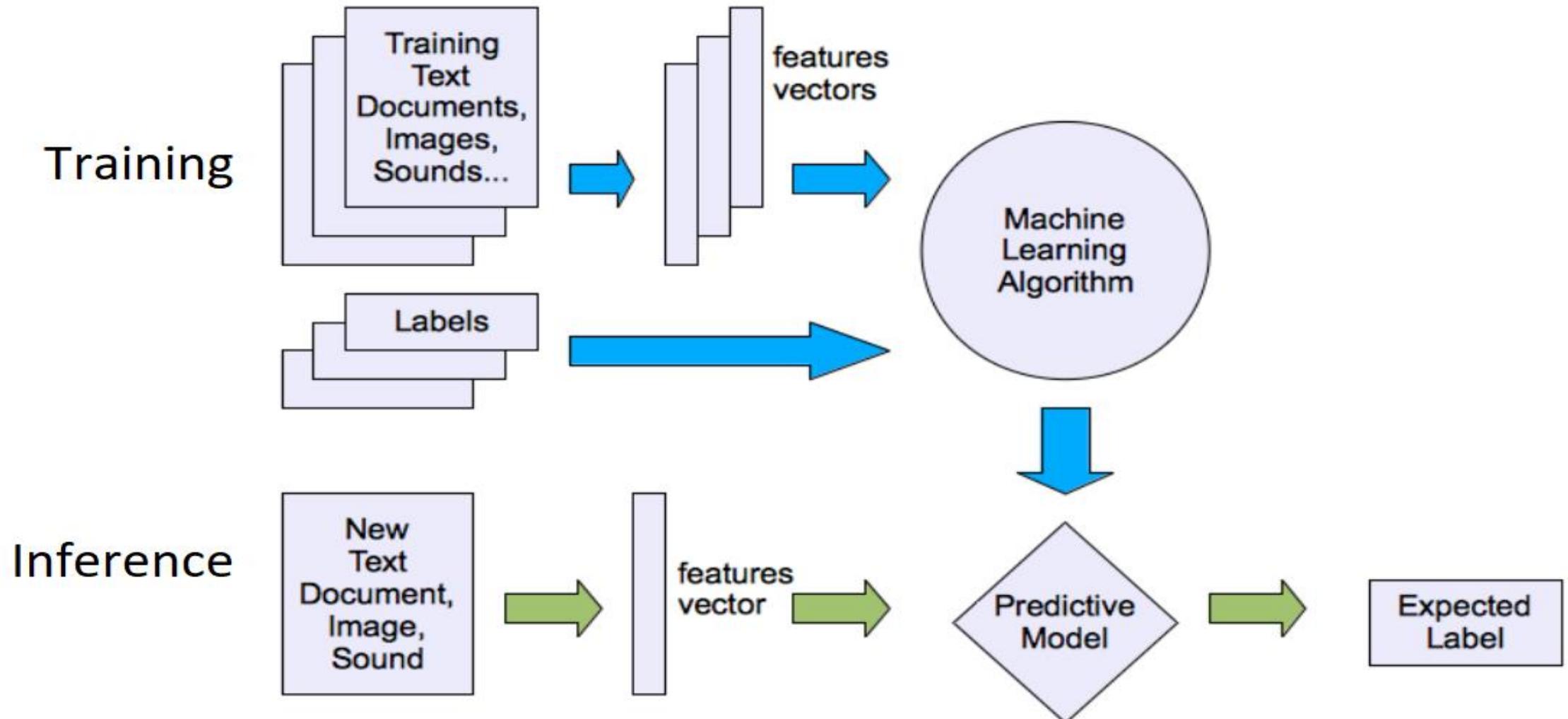


Machine learning problems

Machine Learning Problems



Supervised Learning



Supervised Learning

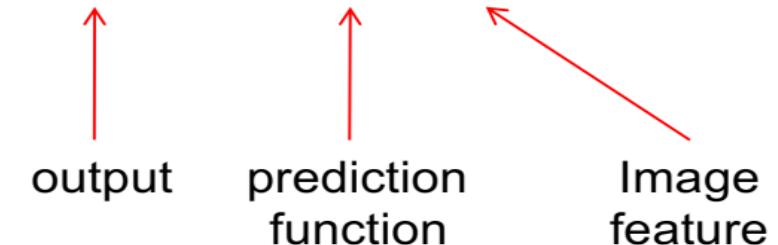
Task (T): Build a predictive function to give an output for each input.

$$f(\text{apple}) = \text{"apple"}$$

$$f(\text{tomato}) = \text{"tomato"}$$

$$f(\text{cow}) = \text{"cow"}$$

$$y = f(x)$$

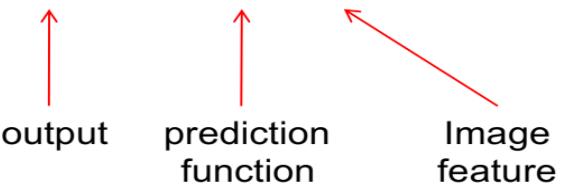


If y is discrete – Classification problem.

If y is continuous – Regression problem.

Supervised Learning

Data (E): Build a predictive function to give an output for each input.

$$y = f(x)$$


output prediction function Image feature

Training data: $(x_i, y_i, i=1,2, \dots, n)$ is the dataset training machine learning model. y_i is the i^{th} desired output (**ground truth, labelled by human/expert**).

Testing data: $(x_j, y_j, j=1,2, \dots, m)$ is the dataset for testing/evaluating the performance (goodness) of the learned models.

Supervised Learning

Error Function: Measure the error of the machine learning model on training data.

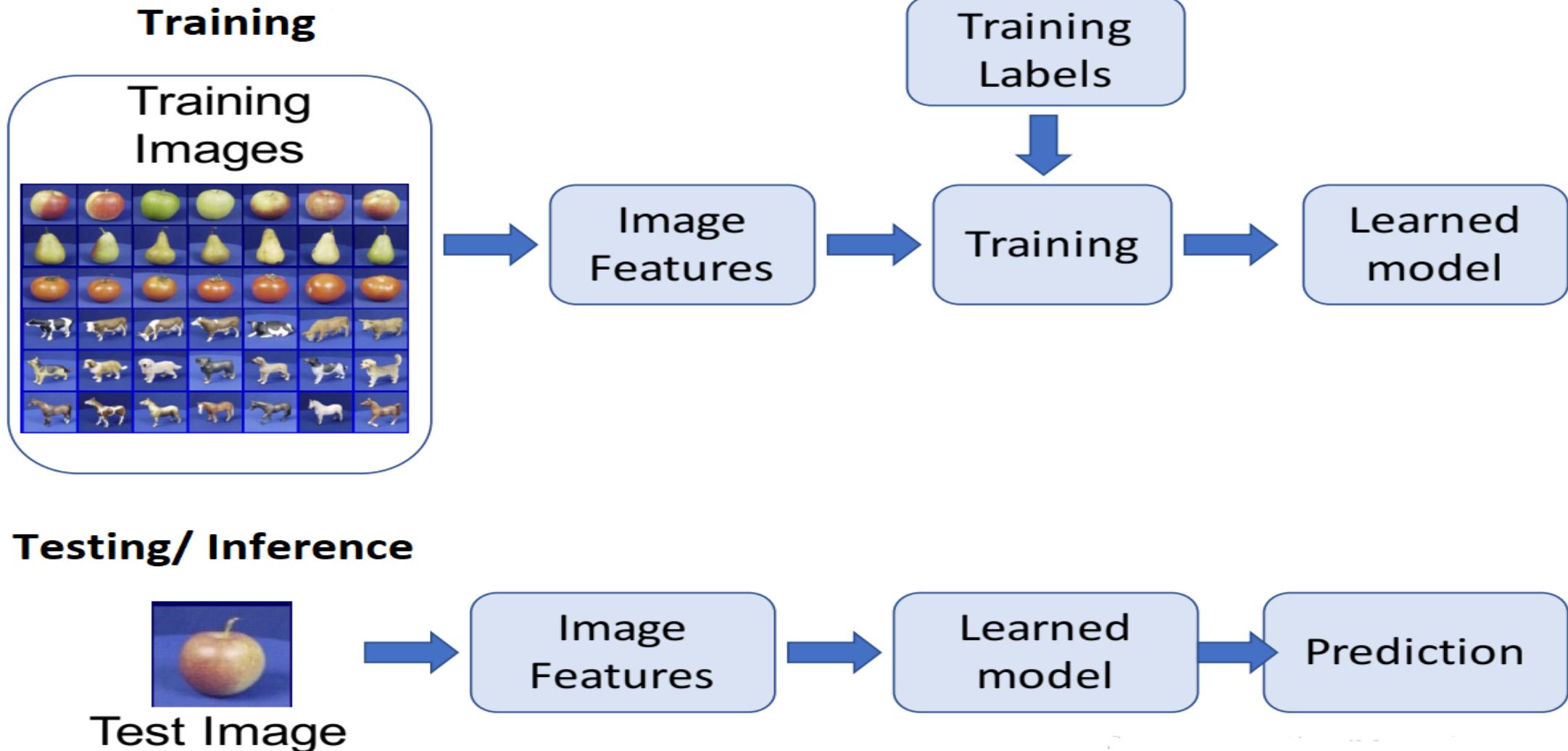
$$\text{MSE} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \hat{Y}_i)^2$$

Loss Function (- P): Measure the loss of machine learning model on training data.

$$Loss = Error(y, \hat{y}) + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^N w_i^2$$

Training machine learning models: Minimize the loss function on training data.

Supervised Learning



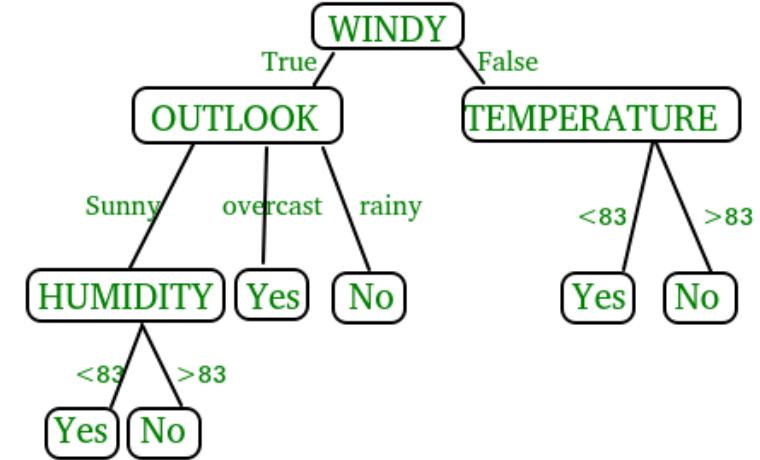
Supervised Learning

Examples for classification problems:

- Weather classification
- Malware detection for data center security.

Example for regression problems:

- Real estate pricing.
- Stock price forecasting
- Forecasting connection demand at BTSSs.



Supervised Learning

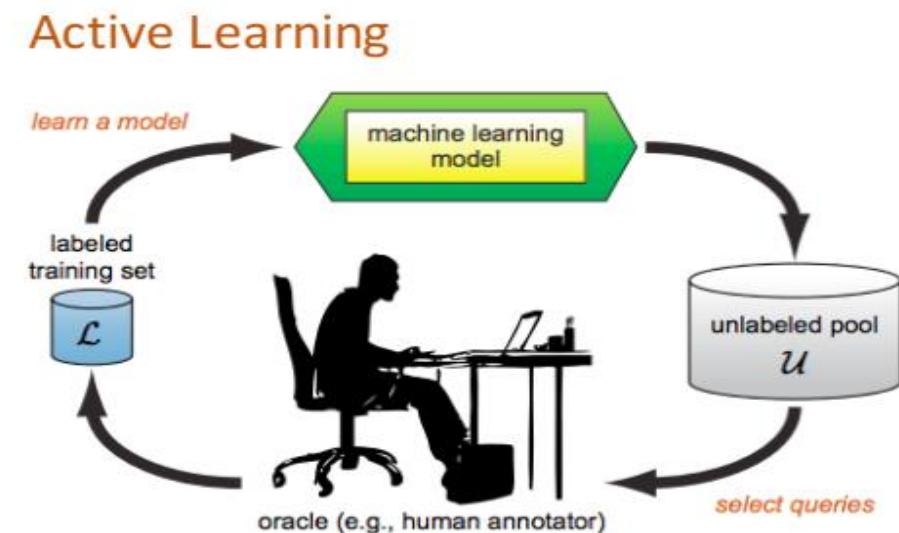
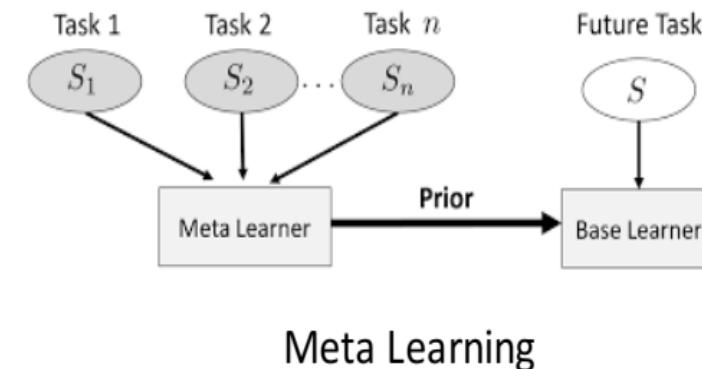
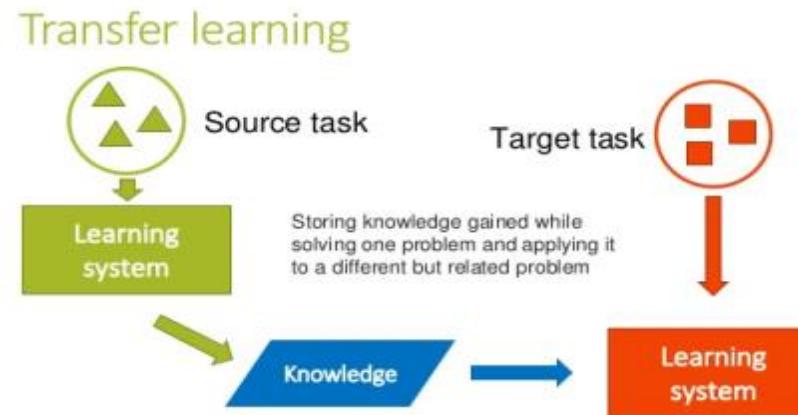
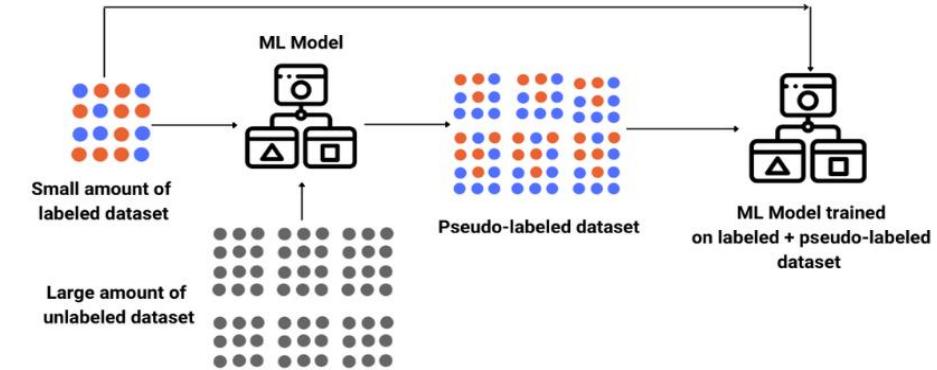
Techniques for supervised learning:

- Symbolic Machine Induction
 - Rule induction, inductive logic programming, decision tree,
- Statistical Machine Learning
 - Statistical regression models, Bayesian models,
- Connectionist Machine Learning
 - Feed forward neural networks,
- Fuzzy Machine Learning
 - Fuzzy systems, ...
- Lazy Machine Learning
 - K-NN, SVM,

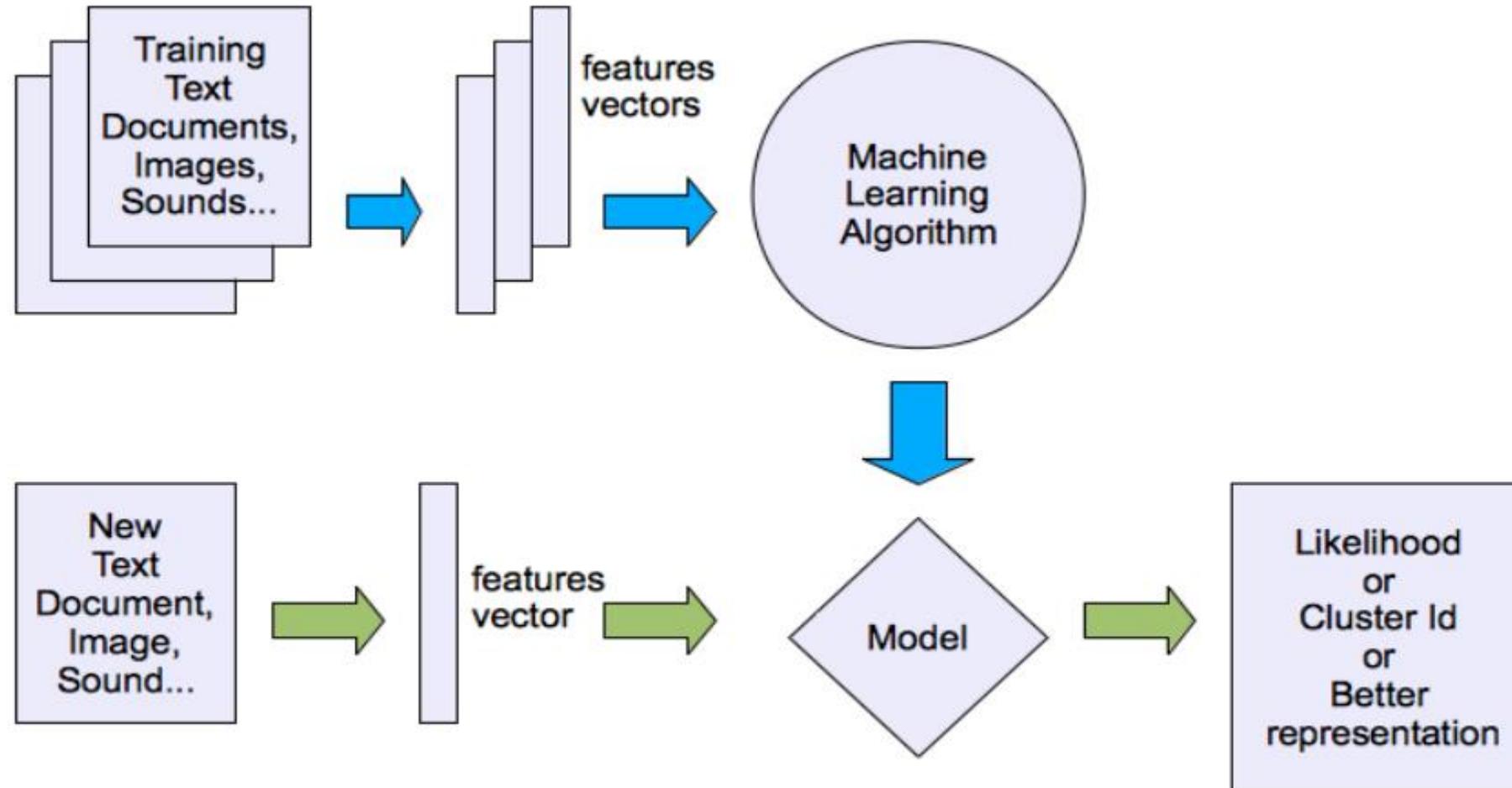
Weakly Supervised Learning

Data labelling can be very expensive. **Weakly supervised learning** is used to reduce the amounts of labelled data needed.

- Semi-supervised learning.
- Active Learning (Human-in-the-loop).
- Meta learning (zero shot, one-shot).
- Transfer learning.



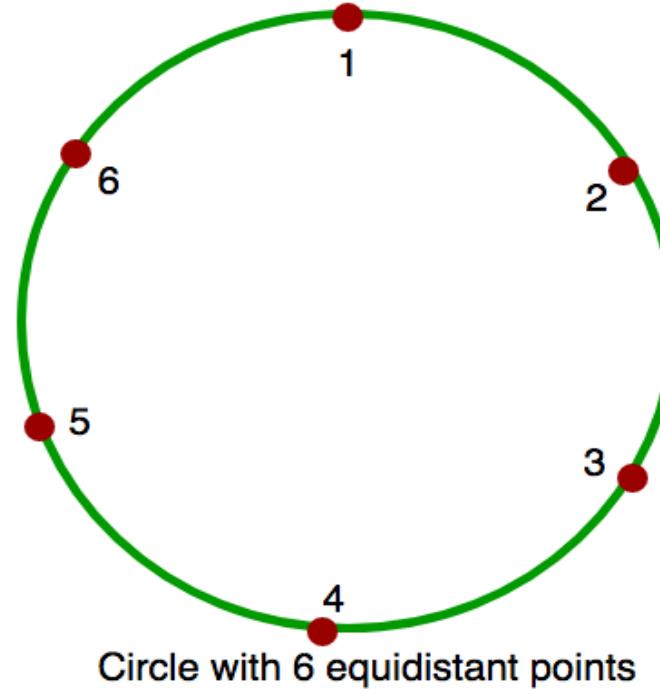
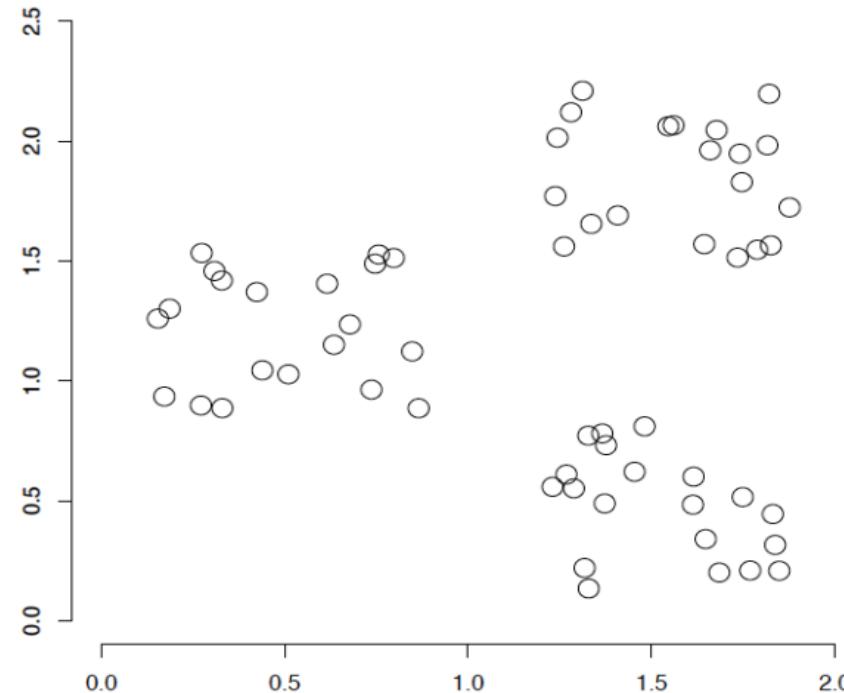
Unsupervised Learning



Unsupervised Learning

Clustering (T): Group data objects/ instances into cluster so that:

- Data instances within one cluster are “similar” (“closed”) to each other
- Data instances from different clusters are “dissimilar’ (“far”) to each other
- Clustering is rather subjective.



Unsupervised Learning

Data (E): $\{x_i, i = 1, 2, 4, \dots, n\}$ unlabeled vector data.

“similarity”/“disimilarity”, “far”/“closed” are measured by similarity measures:

$$d(x, y) = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - x_i)^2}$$

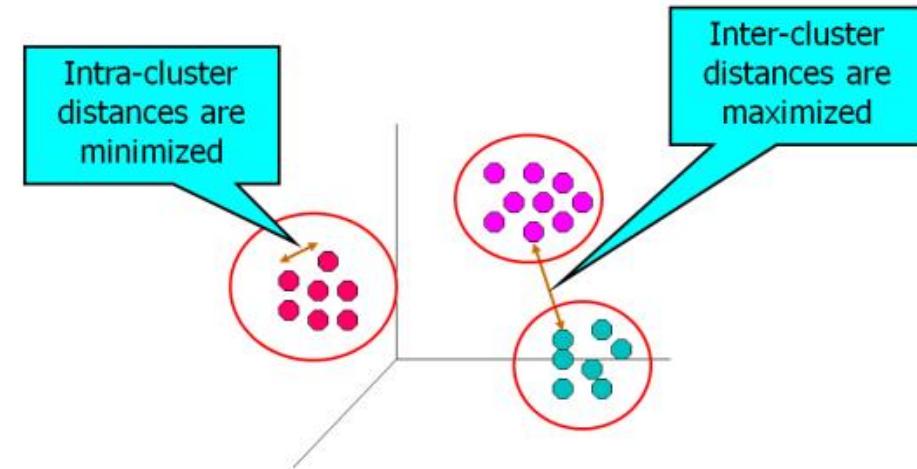
$$\text{similarity}(A, B) = \frac{A \cdot B}{\|A\| \times \|B\|} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n A_i \times B_i}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n A_i^2} \times \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n B_i^2}}$$

There might be no prior information for the number of clusters!

Unsupervised Learning

Goodness measures for clustering (P):

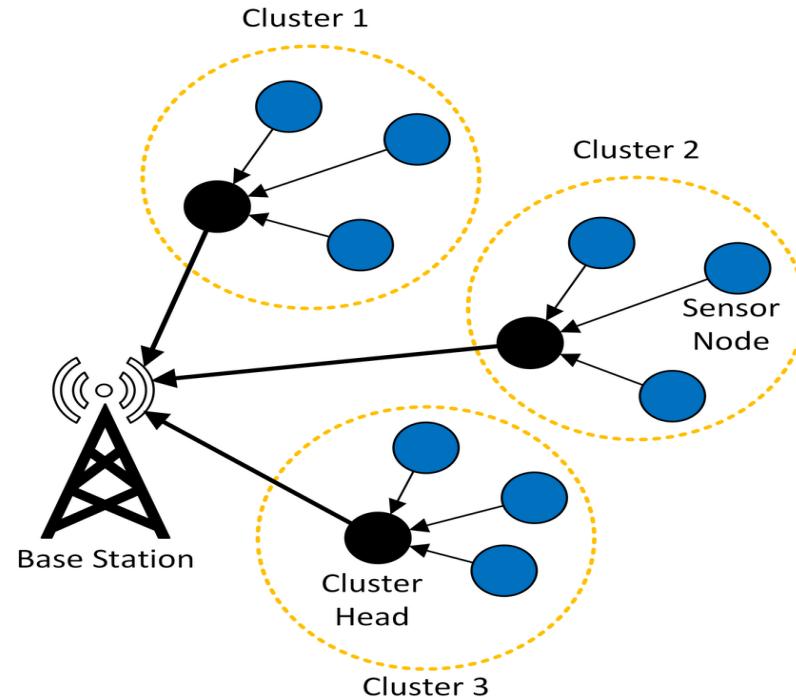
- Based on intra-similarity and extra-similarity measures of data instances.
- Based on ground-truth: need labeled data.
- Based on purity, entropy,



Unsupervised Learning

Examples of Clustering application problems:

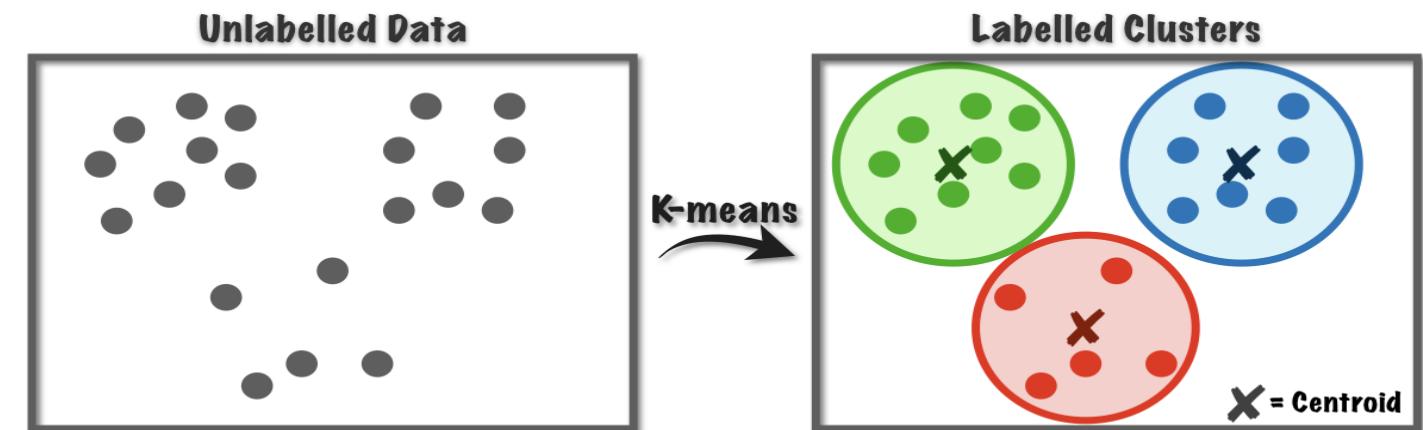
- Customer segmentation.
- Anomaly detection.
- Clustering access connections for location optimization of BTS.



Unsupervised Learning

Techniques for Clustering:

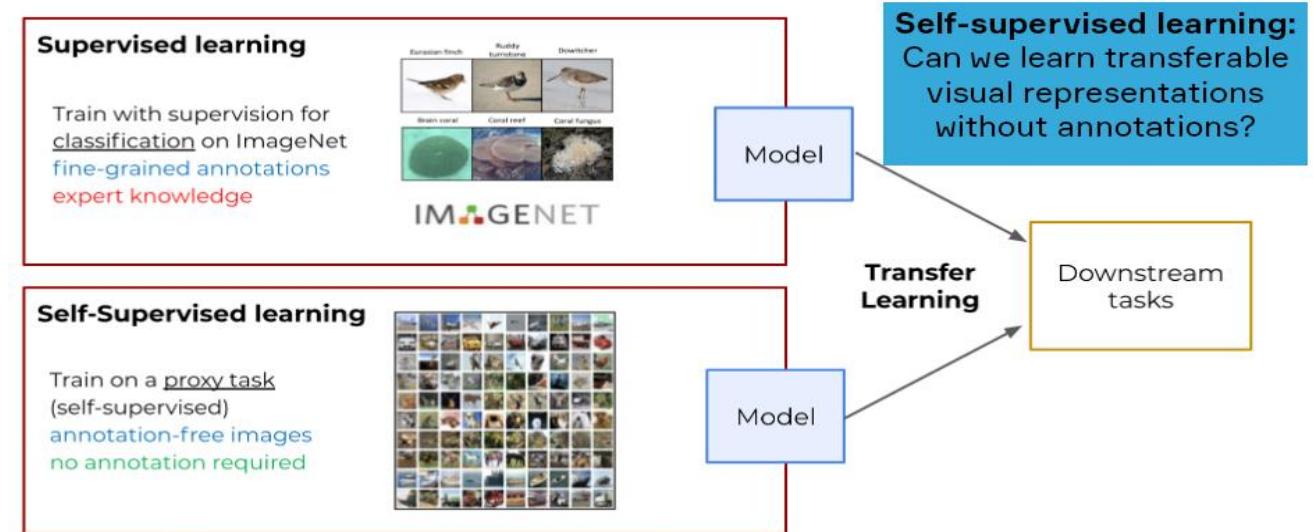
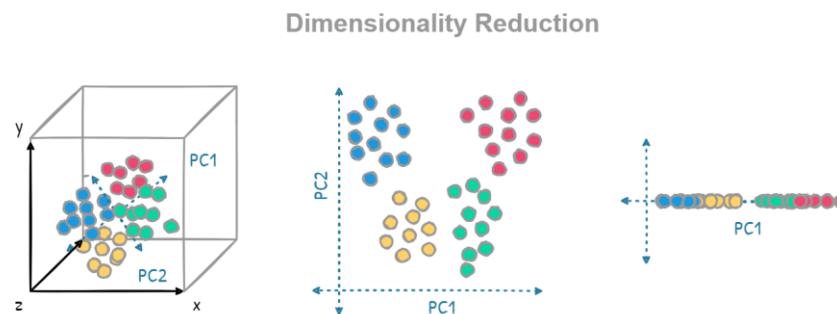
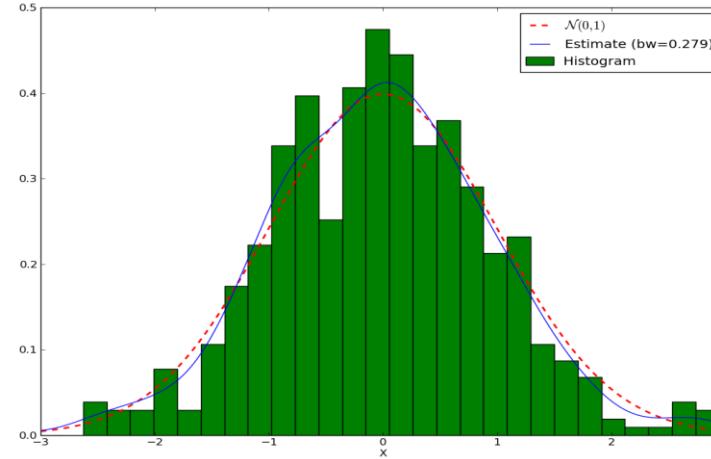
- Partitioning Algorithms (eg. K-means).
- Hierarchy algorithms.
- Density-based algorithms.
- Grid-based algorithms.
- Model-based algorithms.



Unsupervised Learning

Other unsupervised learning problems:

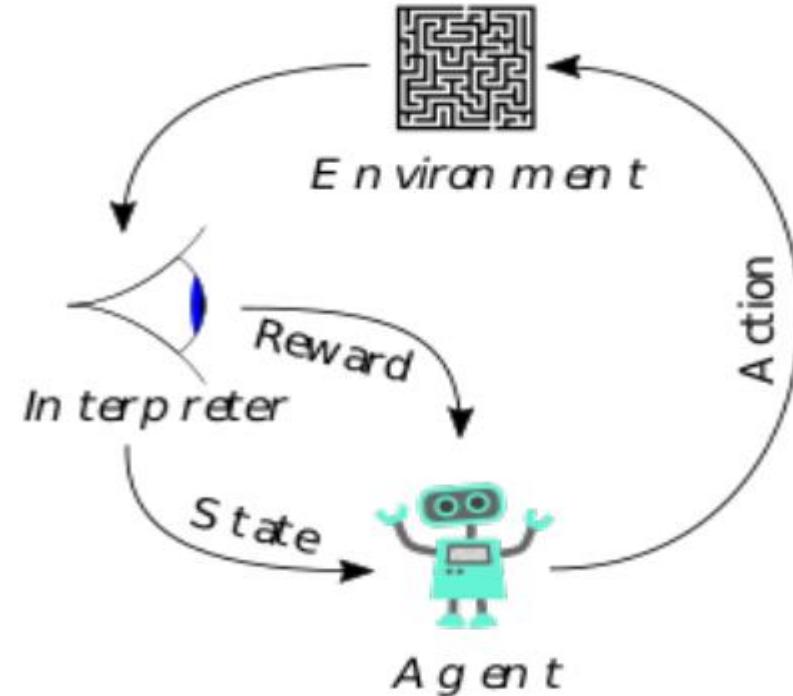
- Density Estimation.
- Dimensionality Reduction
- Self-supervised learning



Reinforcement Learning

General AI Agent Problem (T):

- At each step t the agent:
 - Executes action A_t
 - Receives observation O_t
 - Receives scalar reward R_t
- The environment:
 - Receives action A_t
 - Emits observation O_{t+1}
 - Emits scalar reward R_{t+1}
- t increments at environment step



Task: Maximize the rewards that AI Agent could receive in the long run (e.g after time T and/or condition C is satisfied).

Reinforcement Learning

General AI Agent Problem (T): For each agent

- **Policy** function: To choose action at each state t of the agent.
- **Value Function**: To estimate the reward after each step of the agent.
- **Model**: Agent's representation of the environment.

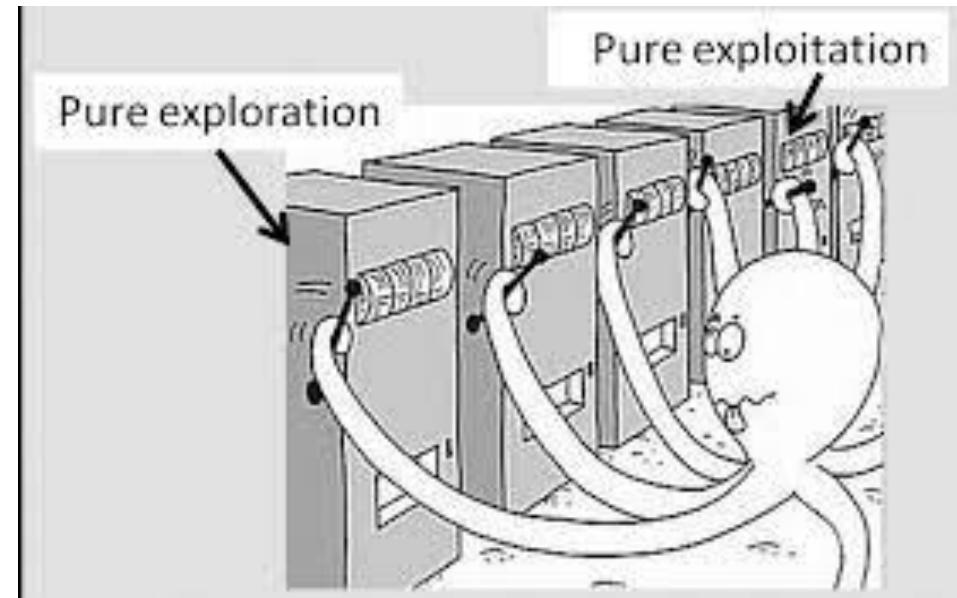
Data (E): Collected when the agent acts in the environment.

Task: Learn the policy function so as to maximize the reward for the agent in the long run (e.g after time T and/or condition C is satisfied).

Reinforcement Learning

Reinforcement learning application problems:

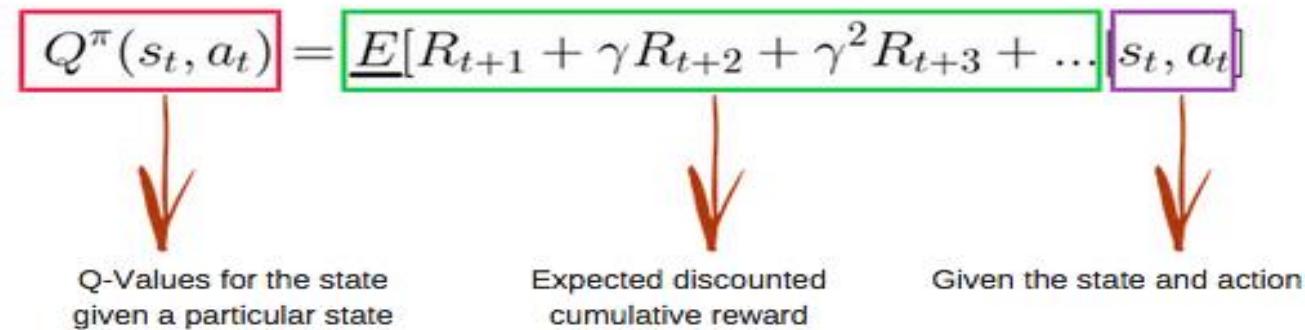
- Multi-armed bandits (**exploration vs. exploitation**)
- Robot control.
- Learn to play chess.
- Learn optimal strategies for resource allocation in data centers



Reinforcement Learning

Techniques for reinforcement learning:

- Value-based, policy-based, model-based.
- Q-learning, Temporal Difference Learning, Deep RL.

$$Q^\pi(s_t, a_t) = \mathbb{E}[R_{t+1} + \gamma R_{t+2} + \gamma^2 R_{t+3} + \dots | s_t, a_t]$$


Q-Values for the state given a particular state

Expected discounted cumulative reward

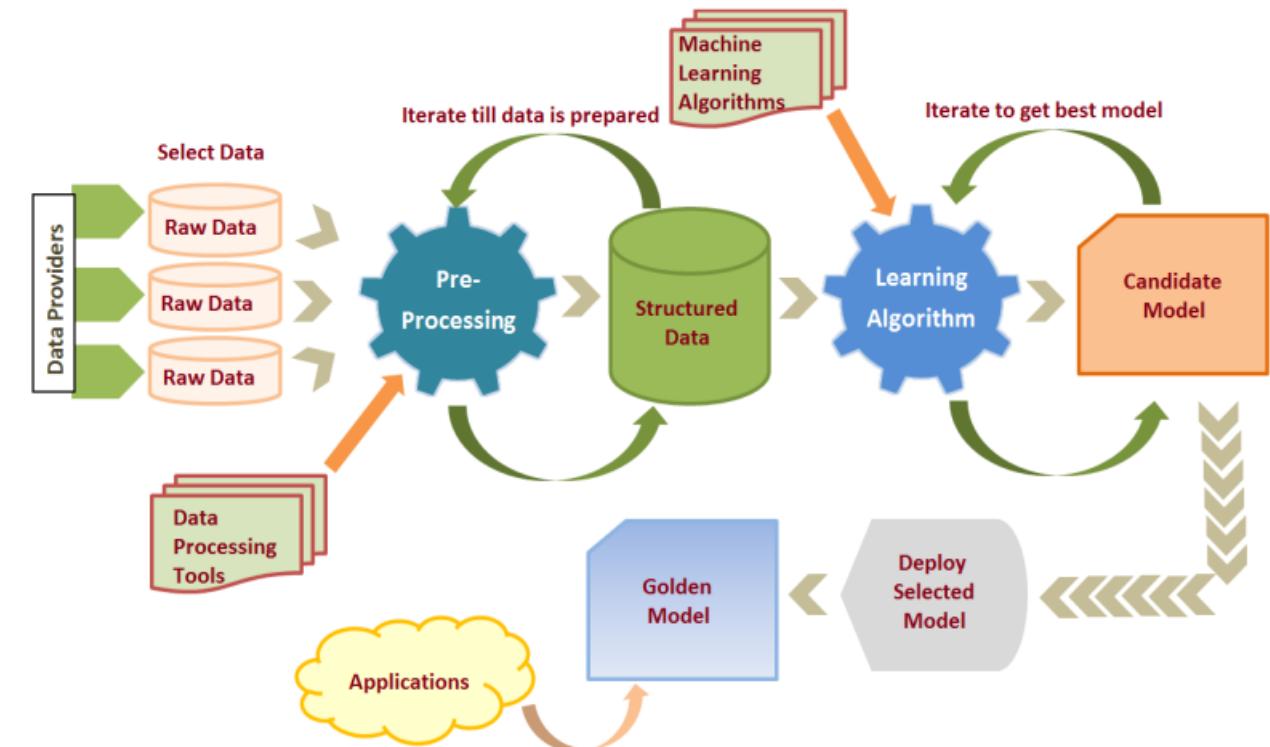
Given the state and action



Machine Learning Pipeline

Machine Learning Pipeline

- Data Collection
- Data Preparation
- Model Selection
- Model Training
- Evaluation
- Deployment



Data Collection

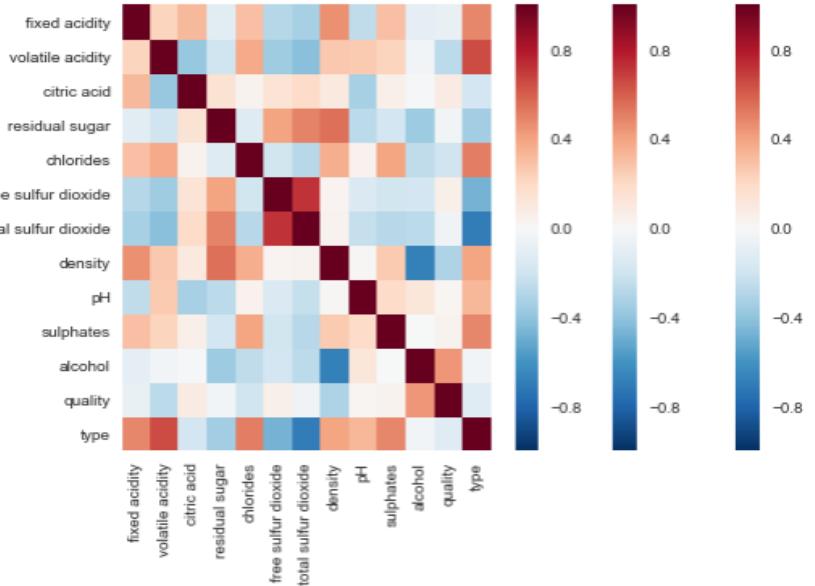
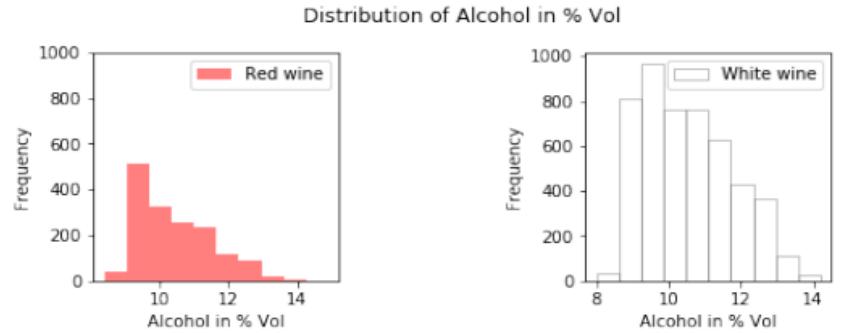
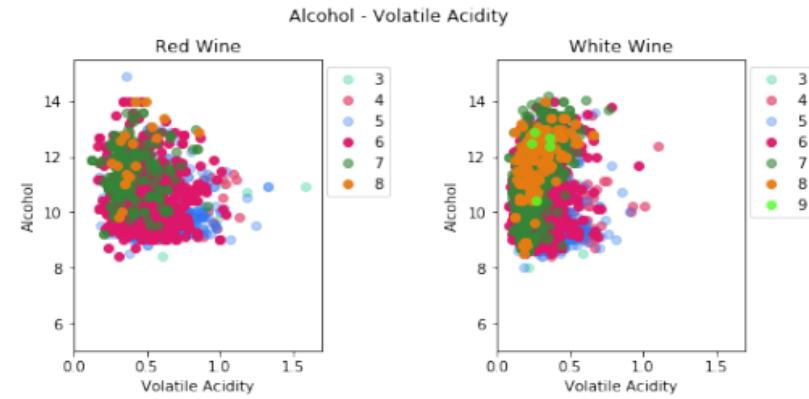
- How large the data is: numbers of items or stories
- Source of data: environment, system stories, human data
- Available of data source and time
- Complexity: types of data, relational data, distributed data
- Frequency of data collection
- Which form of data analysis

Data Preparation

- Why data preparation needed
 - Data need to be formatted for a given toolbox
 - Data need to be made adequate for a given data mining method
- Major Tasks in Data Preparation
 - Data exploration
 - Data cleansing
 - Data Transformation (feature engineering, feature extraction)
 - Balancing
 - Feature selection

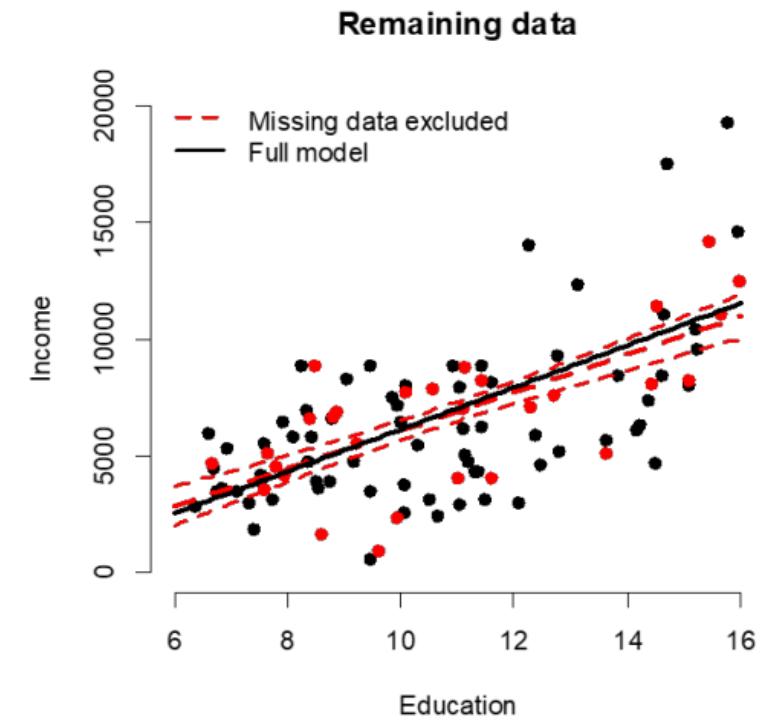
Data Exploration

- What features relevant with target
 - Correlation among features
 - Correlation between features of difference classes



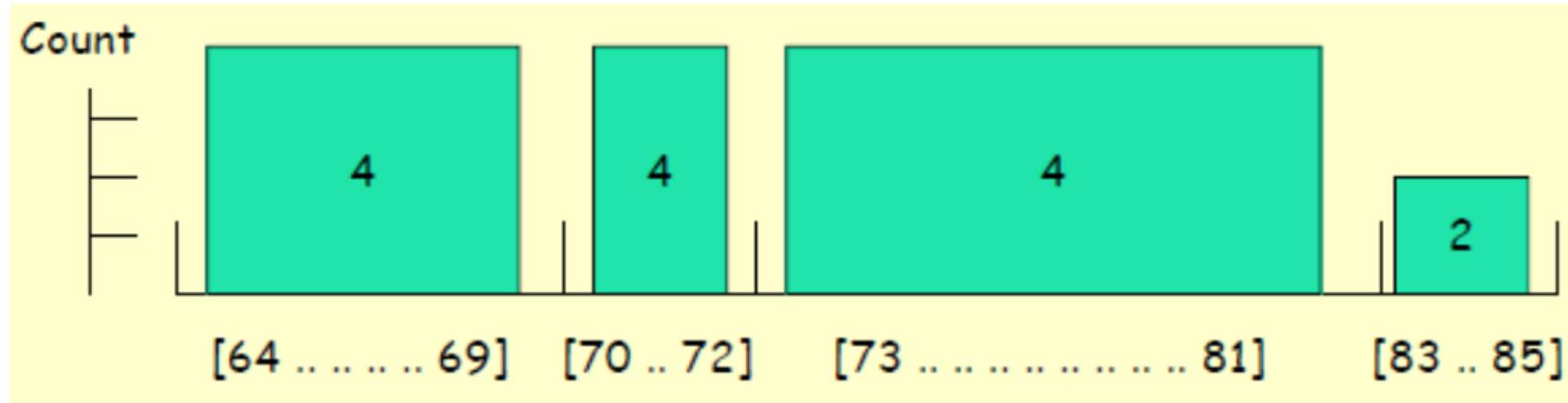
Data Cleansing – Missing Data

- Data is not always available
 - E.g., many tuples have no recorded value for several attributes, such as customer income in sales data
- Missing data may be due to
 - equipment malfunction
 - inconsistent with other recorded data and thus deleted
 - data not entered due to misunderstanding
 - certain data may not be considered important at the time of entry
 - not register history or changes of the data
- Missing data may need to be inferred.
- Missing values may carry some information content



Data Transformation - Discretization

- Divide the range of a continuous attribute into intervals
 - Some methods require discrete values, e.g. most versions of Naïve Bayes, Decision Tree, Rule Based
 - Reduce data size by discretization
 - Prepare for further analysis
 - Discretization is very useful for generating a summary of data



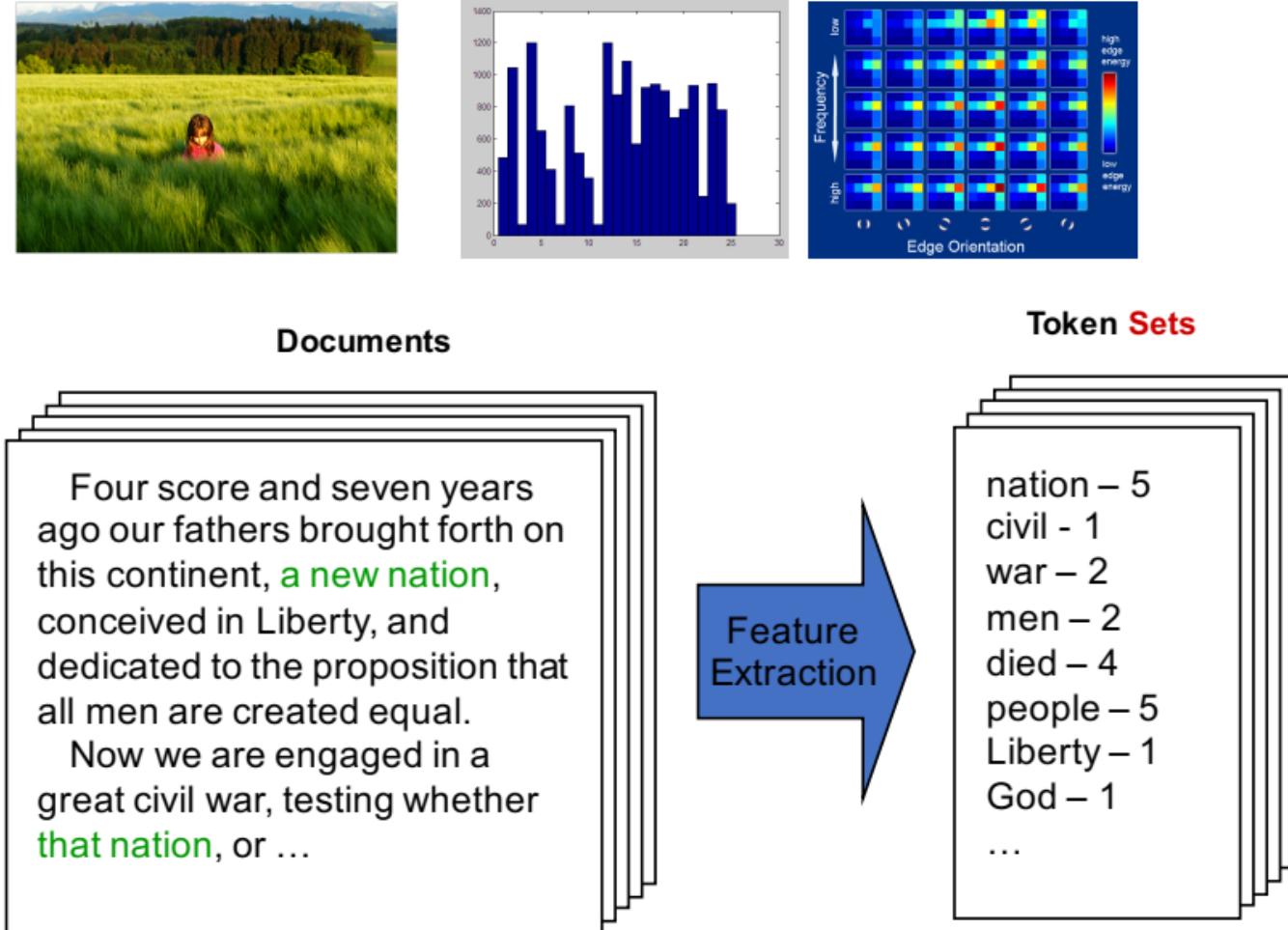
Data Transformation – Normalization

- Normalization
 - Different scales of attributes/features reduce accuracy of distance-based models
 - Age: 0-99, Salary: 1 million to 1 billion VND
 - Normalization to equalize scale of features, normally from 0 to 1
 - Some simple methods:
 - min-max normalization
 - z-score normalization
 - normalization by decimal scaling

$$v' = \frac{v - \text{min}_v}{\text{max}_v - \text{min}_v} (\text{new_max}_v - \text{new_min}_v) + \text{new_min}_v$$

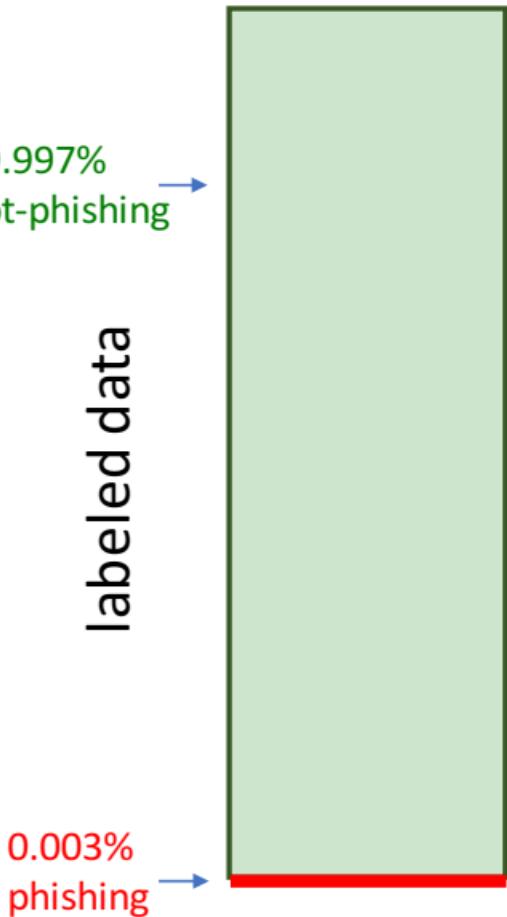
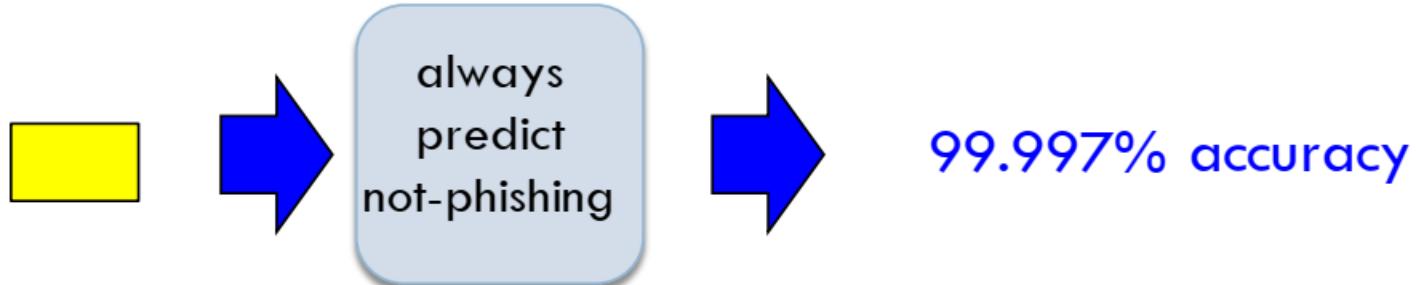
Feature Engineering

- Feature engineering:
 - Raw pixels to histograms, SHIFT, GIST descriptors,
 - Text: BoW, TF-IDF
 - Categorial: coding, one-hot
 - Graph topology
- Feature extraction
 - PCA, LDA, Autoencoder...
- Feature learning
(representation learning:
very interesting with deep
learning methods)



Handling Imbalanced Data

- Imbalanced data: number of one class is far bigger than the rest
- Phishing email detection
 - Every 1 million email, there are 30 phishing emails



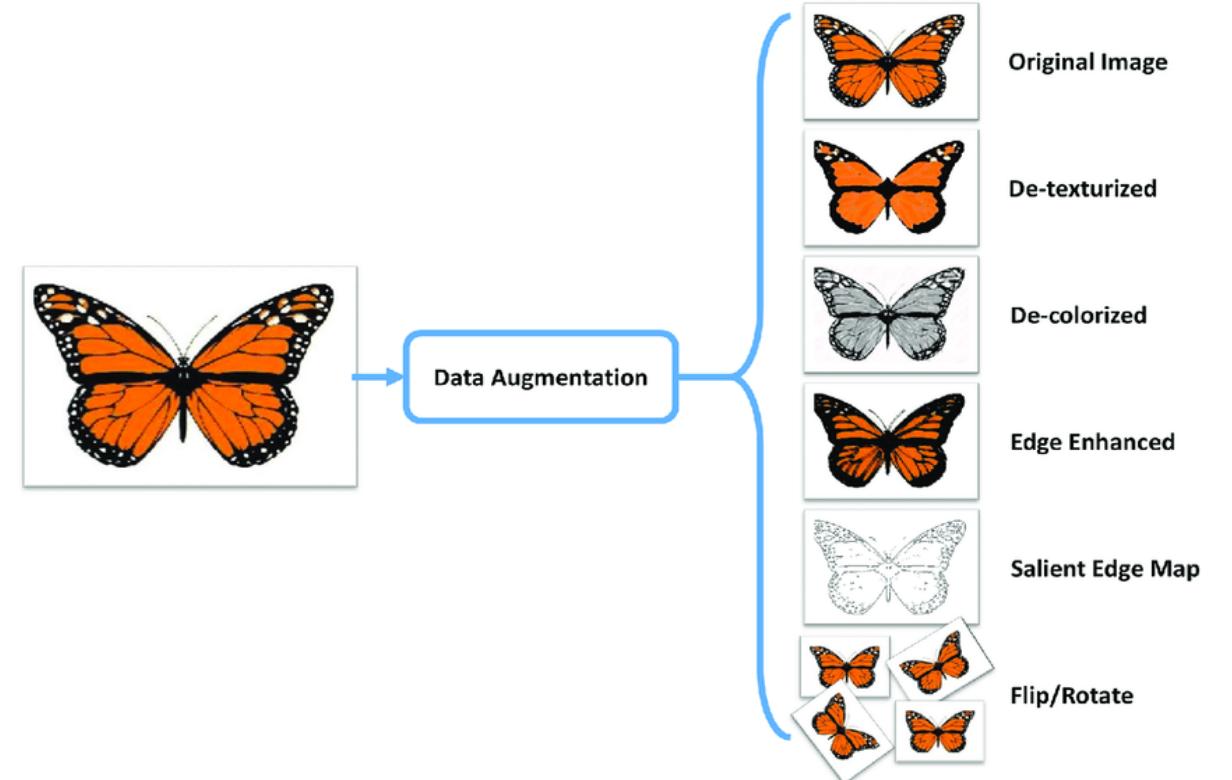
Data Augmentation

Data Augmentation for:

- Handling the lack of training data (eg. Imbalanced).
- Helping machine learning models be more robust (against noise).

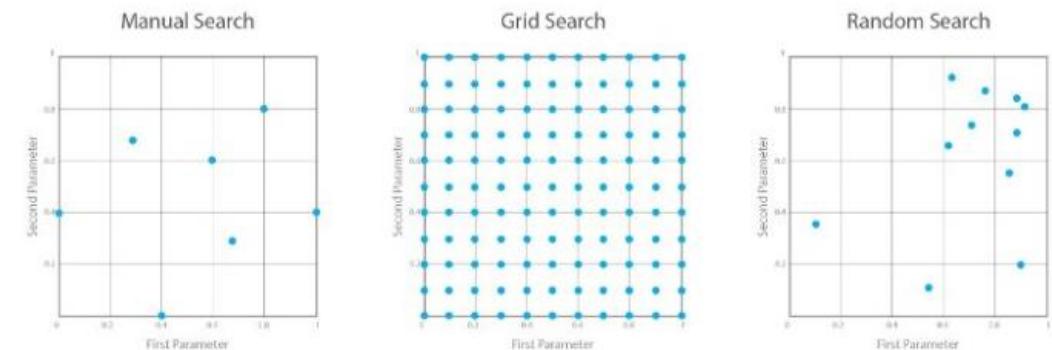
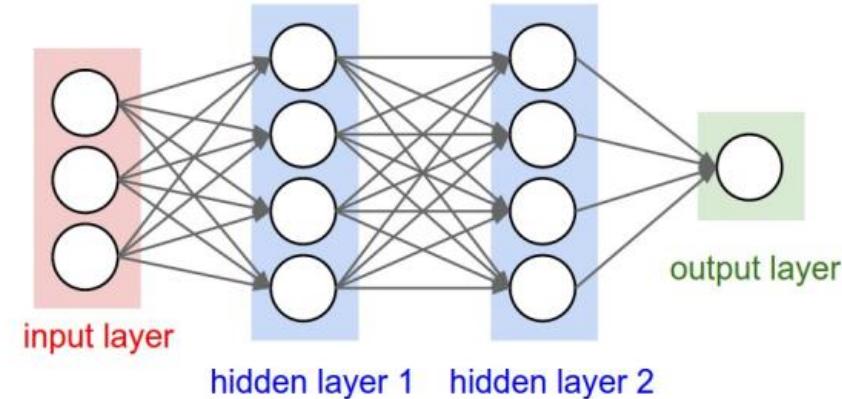
Methods:

- Data transformation.
- Noise injection.
- Data generation (eg GANs)



Model Selection

- Hyper parameter
 - Regularization strength
 - Naïve Bayes, linear and logistic regression
 - SVM
 - Kernel trick/feature extraction
 - Decision trees
 - Depth and leaves
 - Boosting
 - Number of rounds
 - Neural network
 - Step size/learning rate
 - Mini-batch size...

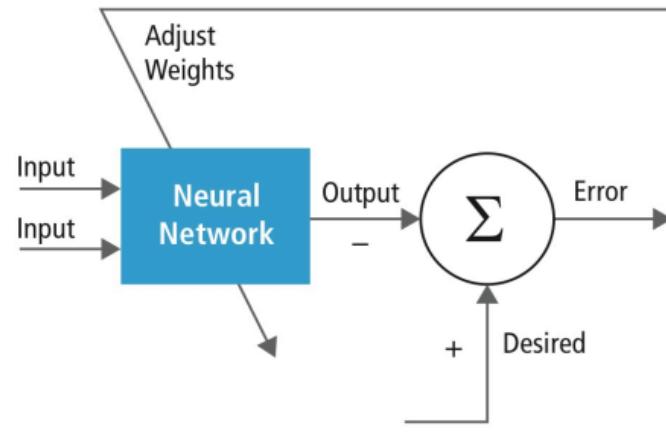


Model Training

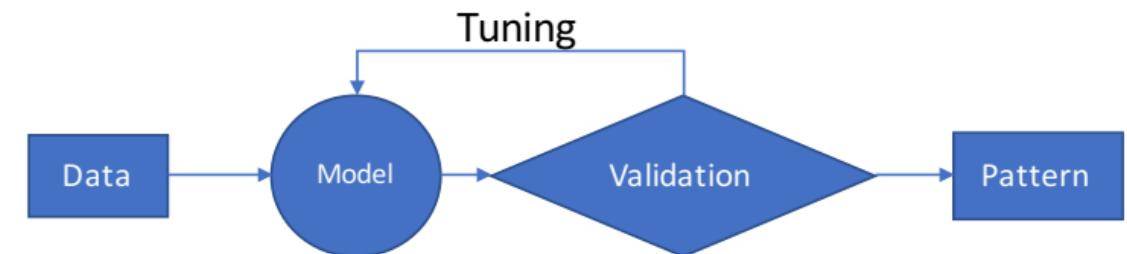
- Tuning parameter to find the best model that approximate distribution of data

$$y = f(\mathbf{x})$$

output prediction function Input data

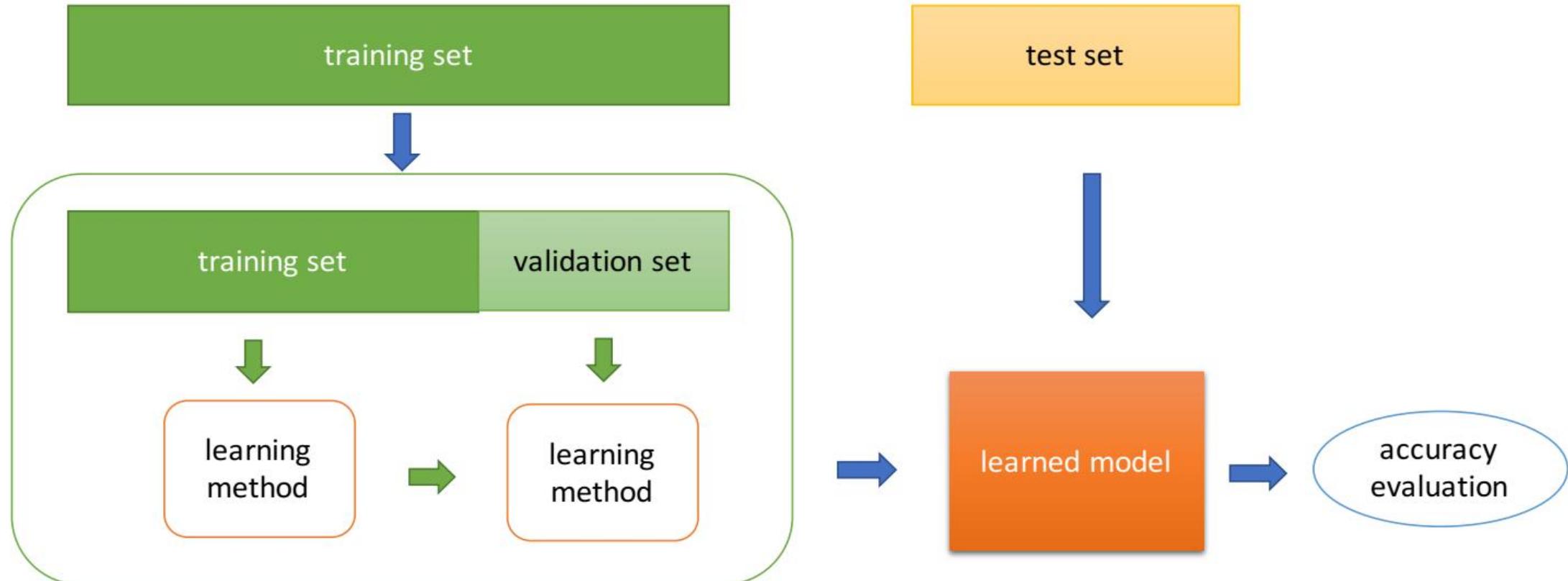


Supervised Learning

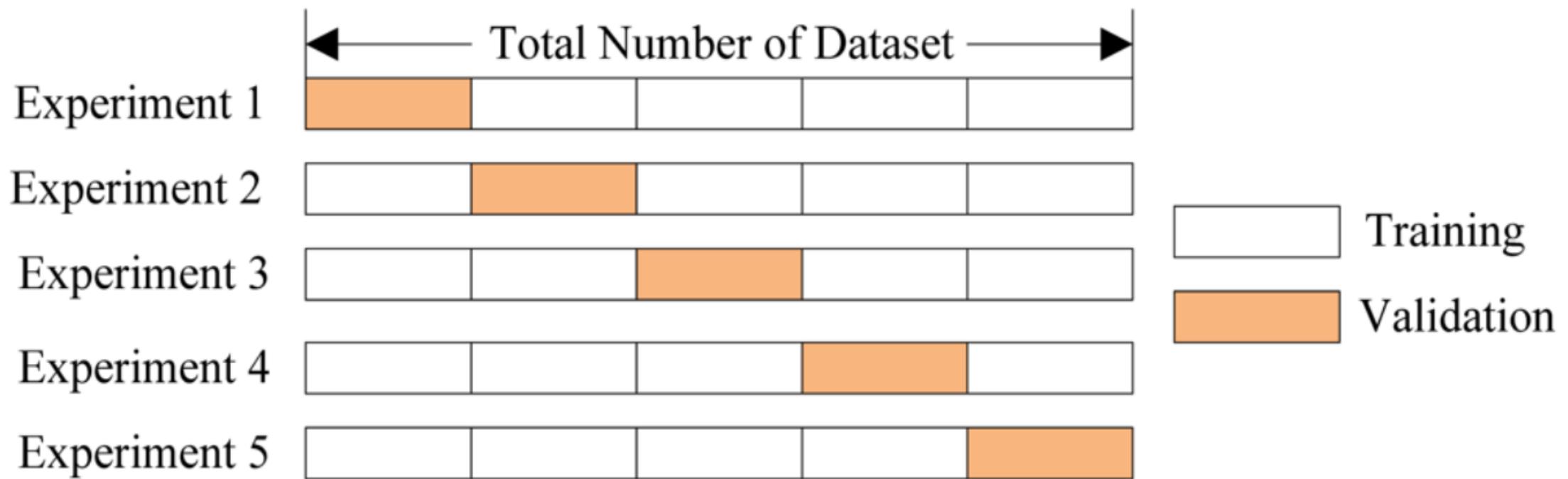


Unsupervised Learning

Datasets for Training and Evaluation

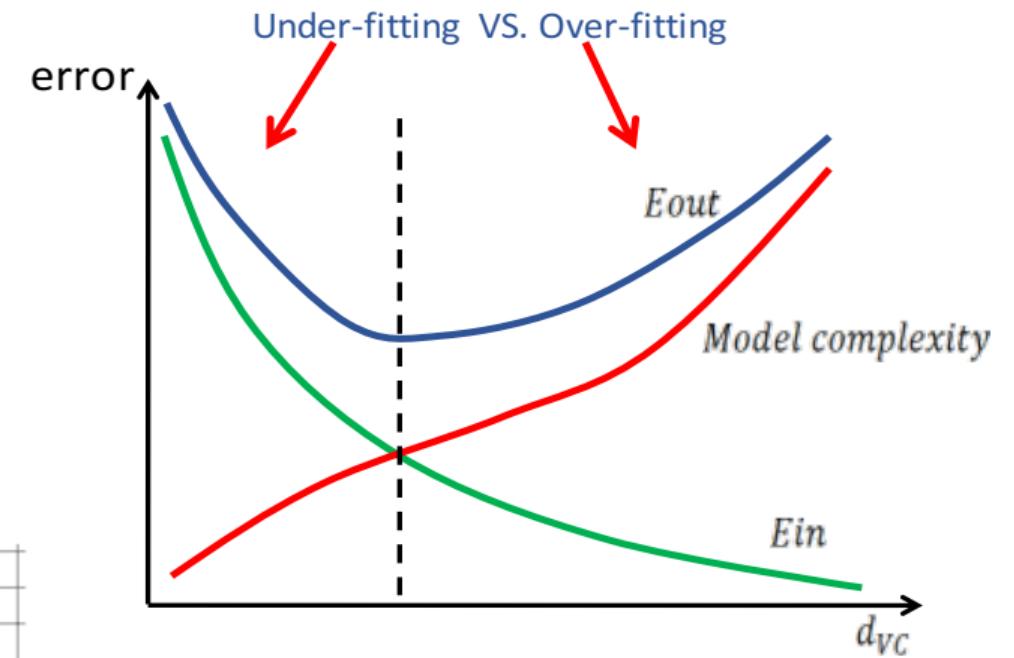
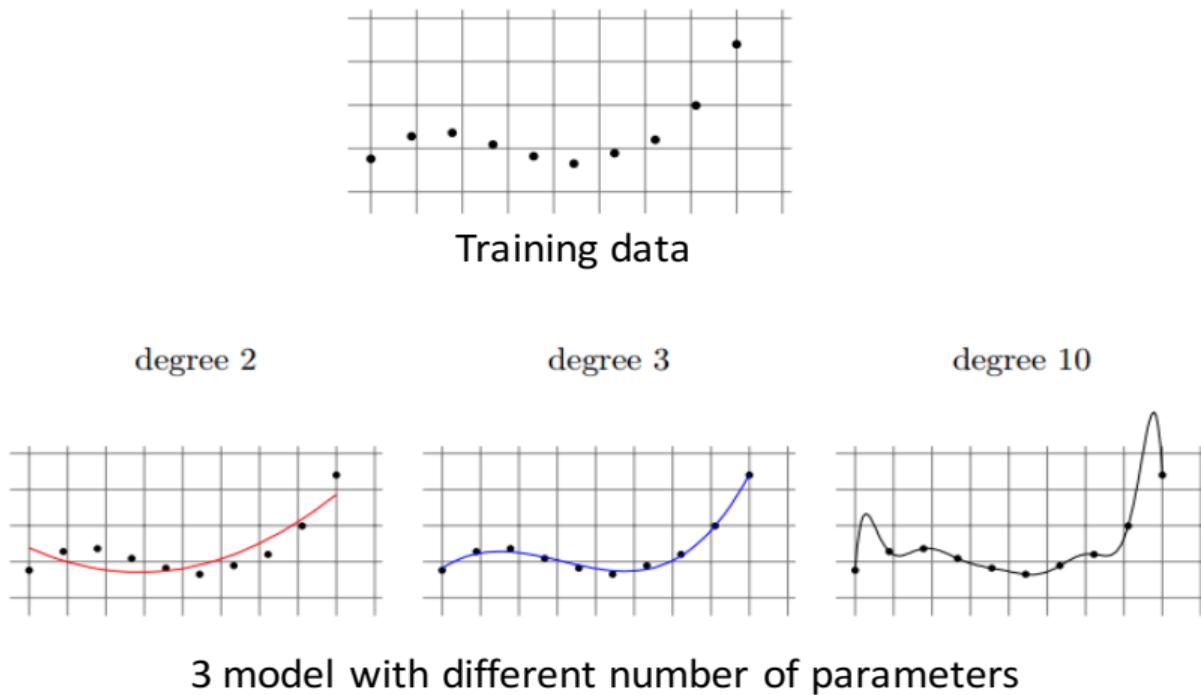


Cross Validation



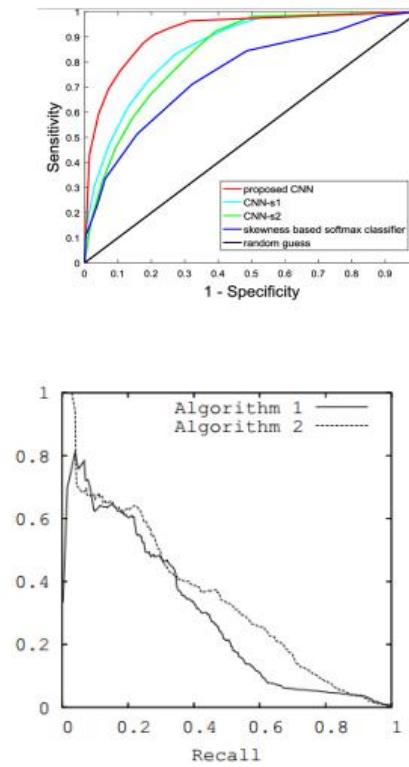
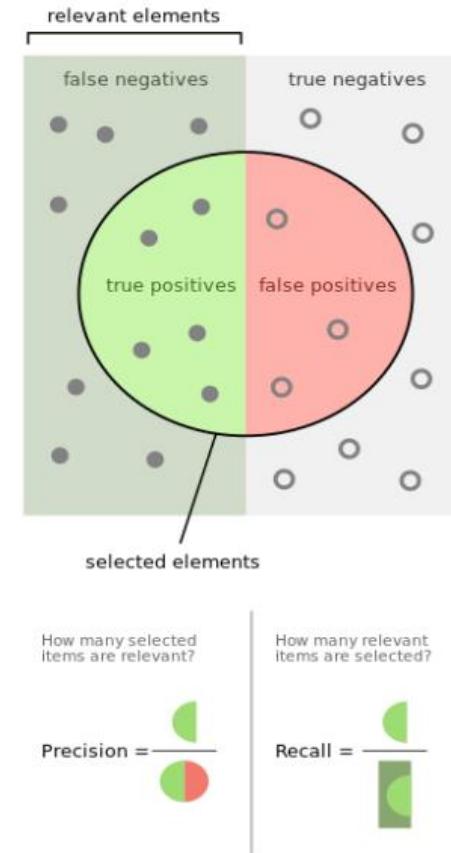
Learning Generalization

- Overfitting



Model Evaluation: Classification

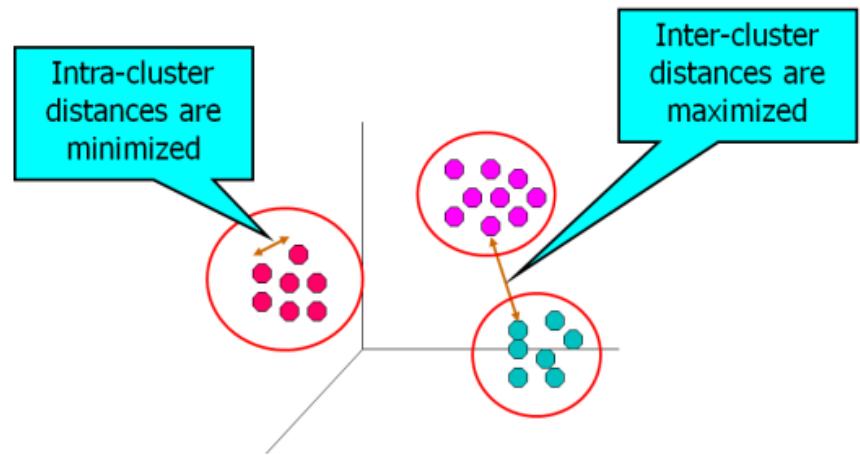
Accuracy	How many number of all emails including phishing is correctly classify
Precision	Number of correctly predicted phishing email/Number of predicted as phishing
Recall	Number of correctly predicted phishing email/ Number of actual phishing email
f1-score	Mean of precision and recall
ROC - Receiver operating characteristic, PRC - Precision Recall Curve, AUC – Area under the curve of ROC	



Model Evaluation: Clustering

- Intra-cluster cohesion (tính nhõ gọn)

- Cohesion: how the data near the centroid of the clusters
- SSE (Sum of squared error) is usually used



- Inter-cluster cohesion (tính giãn cách)

- Measure the space among clusters
- Usually as the sum of distance among centroids of clusters

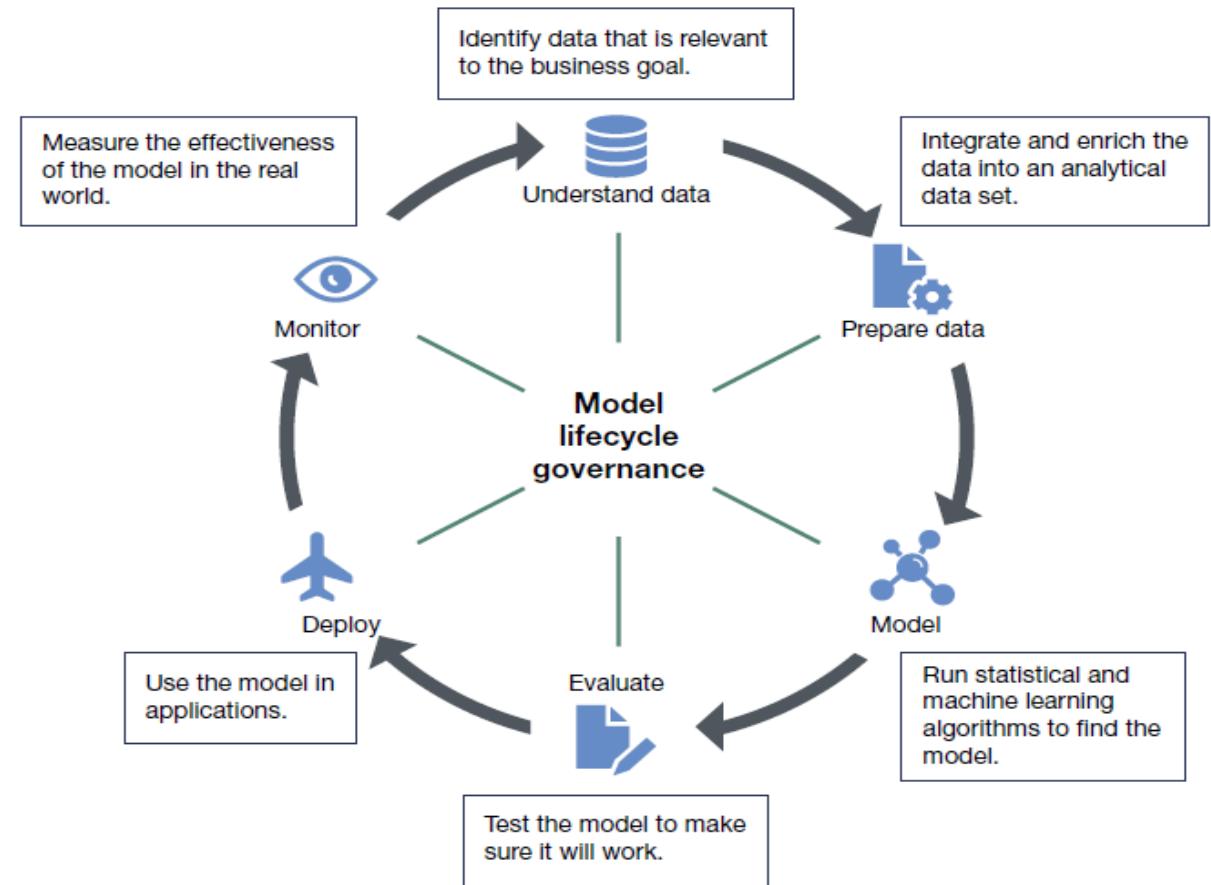
Machine Learning Engineering

ModelOps: Governance of models through all model life cycle.

Objective: Model quality (model fit).

Subset - **MLOps:**

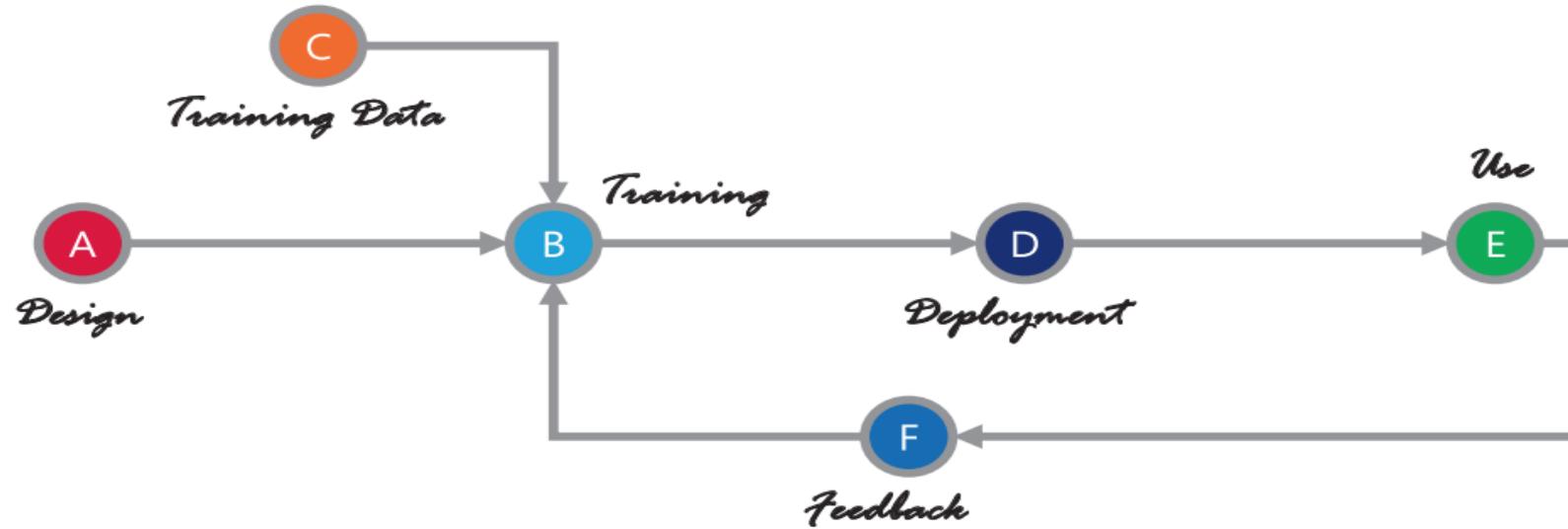
- Model development.
- Model store and versioning.
- Model testing/ evaluating.
- Model deployment (CI/CD).
- Model roll back.
- E.g: Kubeflow



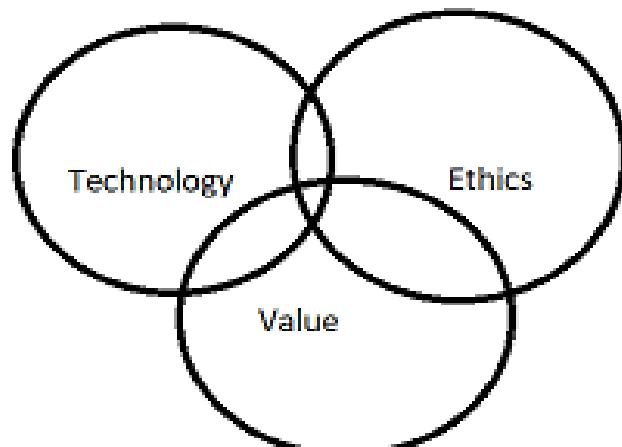


AI/Machine Learning Project

Full AI Development Process



Three Pillars for AI Solutions



01
**Problem
study and
data
exploration**
Customer understanding

- What values does the solution of the considered problem bring to the customer?
- What are their expectations?
- Do they understand the strengths and weaknesses of AI?
- Can AI's solution solve the problem completely? or partially? Are there any alternatives?

Data exploration

- Data quality check
- Work closely with domain experts or customers to understand data semantics.
- Collect useful domain knowledge for the problem

02
R&D, PoC
POC, Feasibility study

- Discovering solution methods
- Feasibility study report including the complexity of the problem, proposed solution methods & development process.

03
**Solution
expectations
of the
customer**

- Evaluation criteria, performance measures, use cases, ...

05
**AI
system
building**
AI system building

- Data pre-processing, Data Enrichment
- Building and training AI models
- Building decision-making models
- Developing integrated software systems ...

04
**AI System
Analysis
and
Design**
AI system analysis and design

- AI system analysis and design for users

06
**Test,
evaluation**
Test, evaluation

- Test and evaluate the quality of AI models.
- Audit the entire AI product-making process to evaluate Ethics (risk, bias, security,).
- Integration testing.
- ...

07
**Deployment
and testing
in the
production
environment**
Deployment of AI product/solution

- Build decision making process.
- Collect results and metrics.
- Collect feedbacks from users.
- Recalculate the benefits of AI products to customers
- System audit.
- ...

08
**Support,
Maintenance**
Support, Maintenance

- Support, Maintenance (concept drift handle, data growth, unknown cases, ...).
- Fix bugs and AI software system warranty.
- Training, customer supports

Neural Networks and Deep Learning

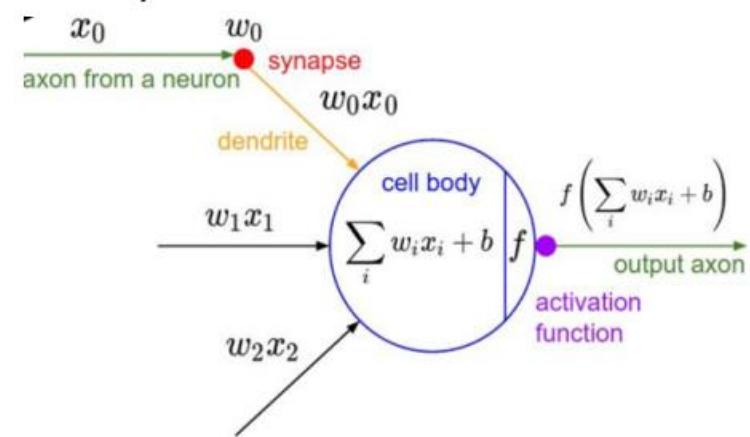
First Building Block – Perceptron

Linear classification

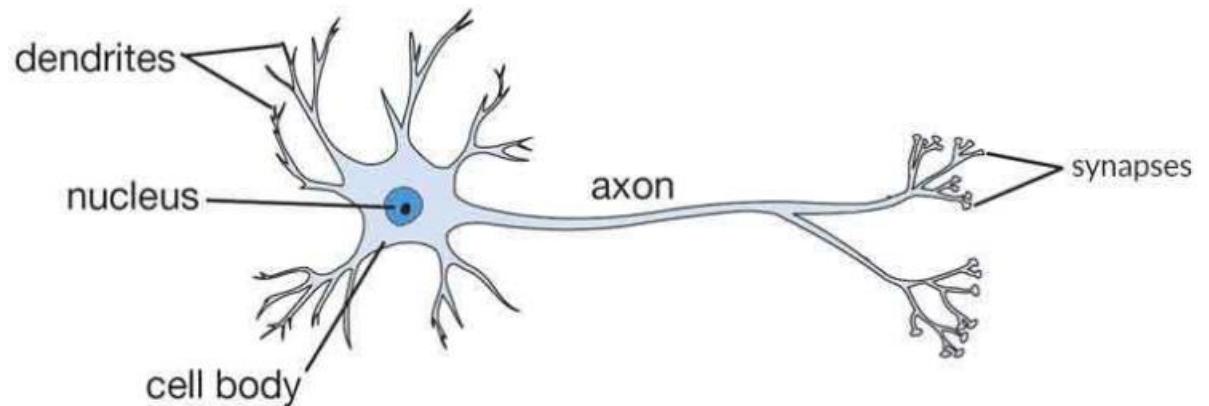
$$\text{output} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } w \cdot x + b \leq 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } w \cdot x + b > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Output} = \text{sign}(Wx+b)$$

Perceptron

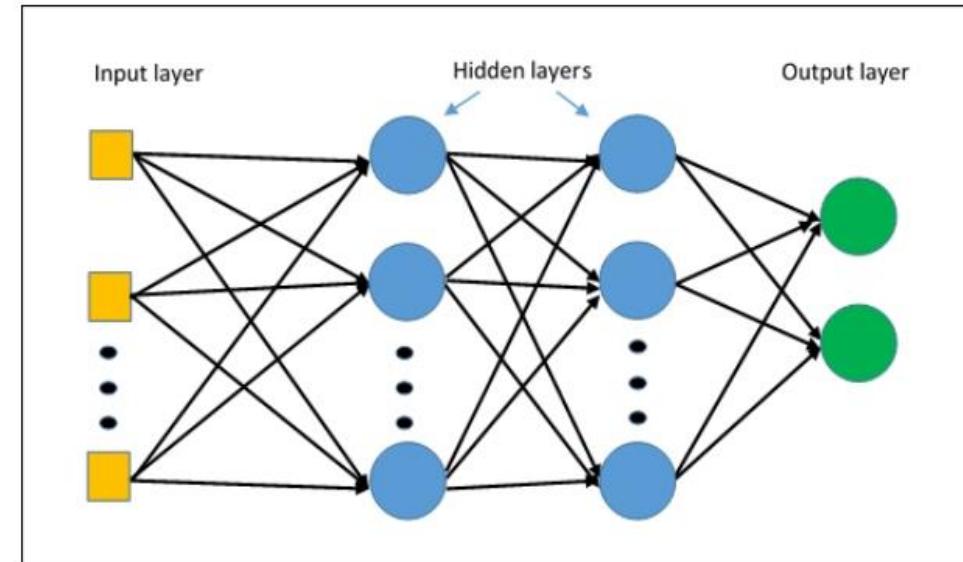
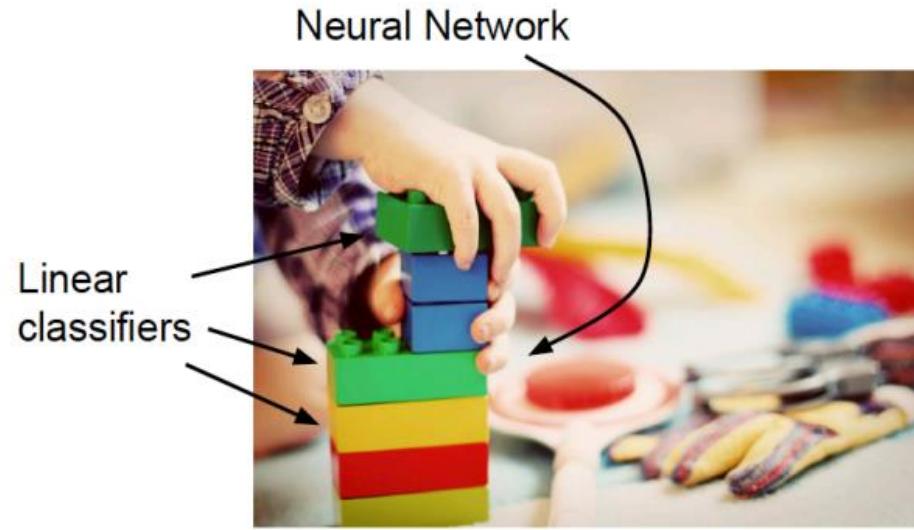


Biological Neuron

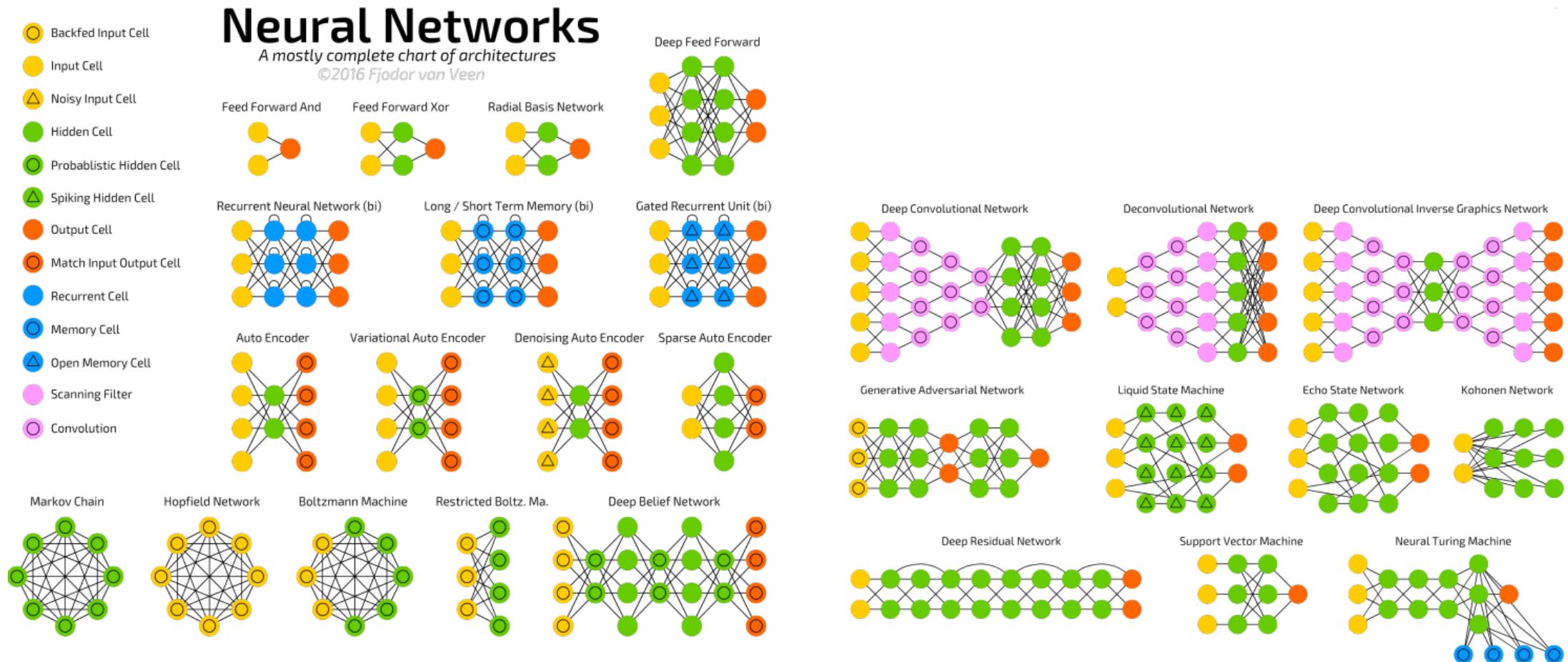


Neural Networks – Multi-layer Perceptron

- Multi-layers Perceptron
 - Layers: Bricks with many types
 - Network design: Construction and connection

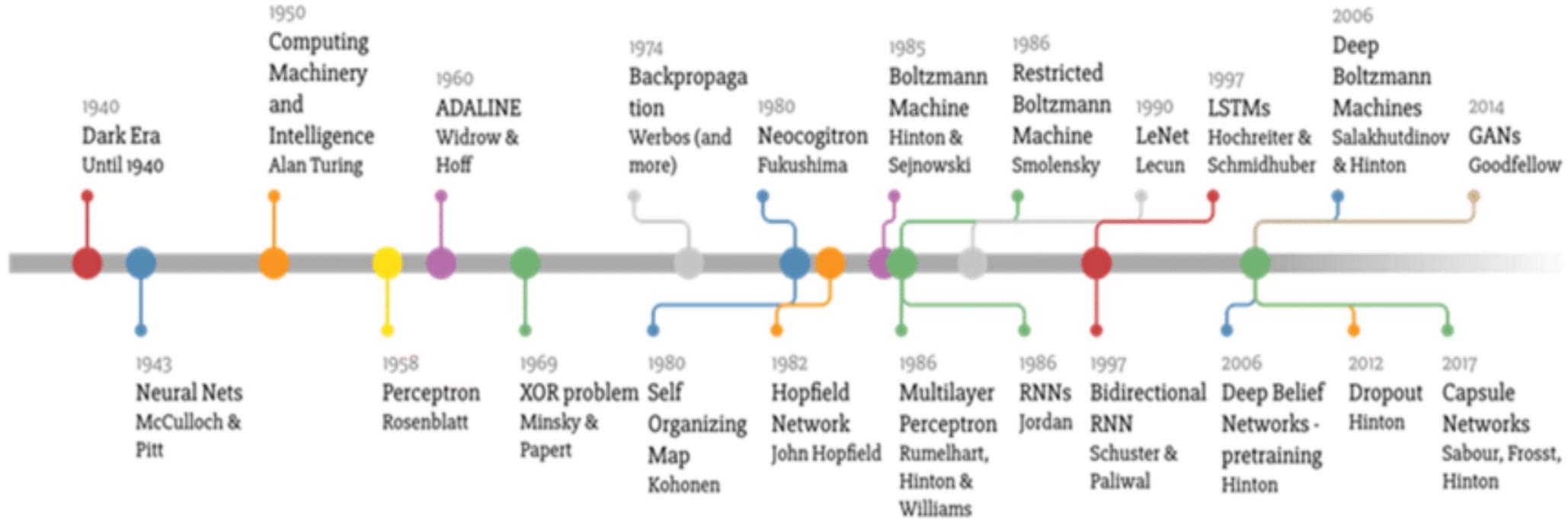


Neural Networks – Architecture



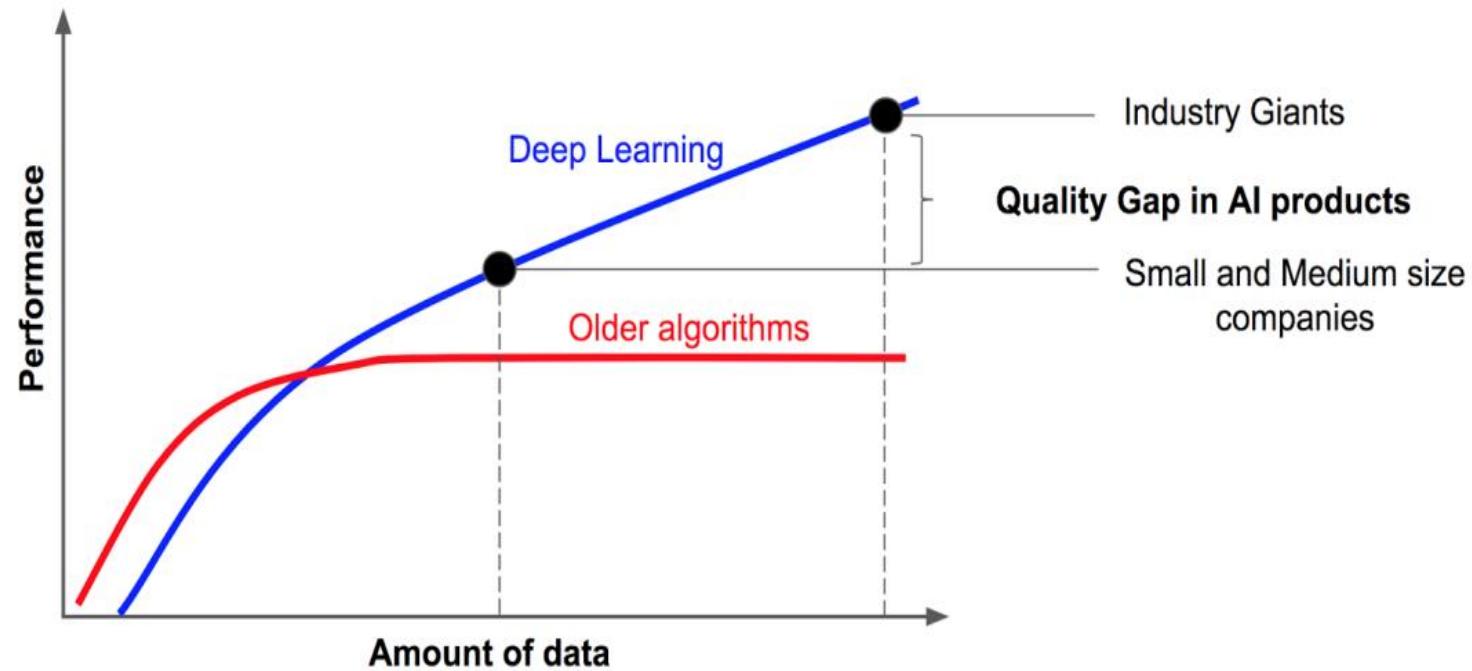
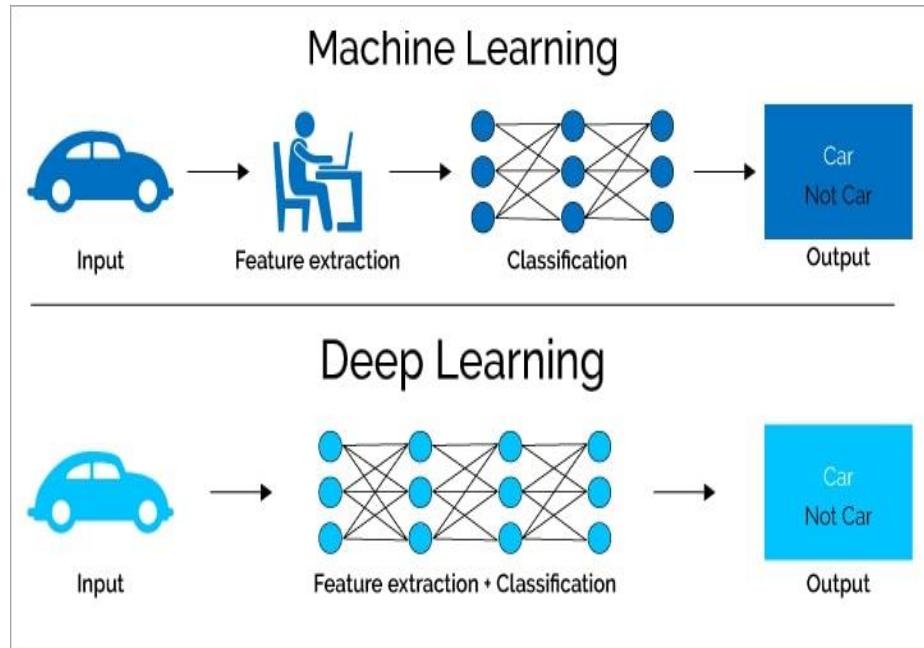
Deep Learning

Neural Networks with many layers.



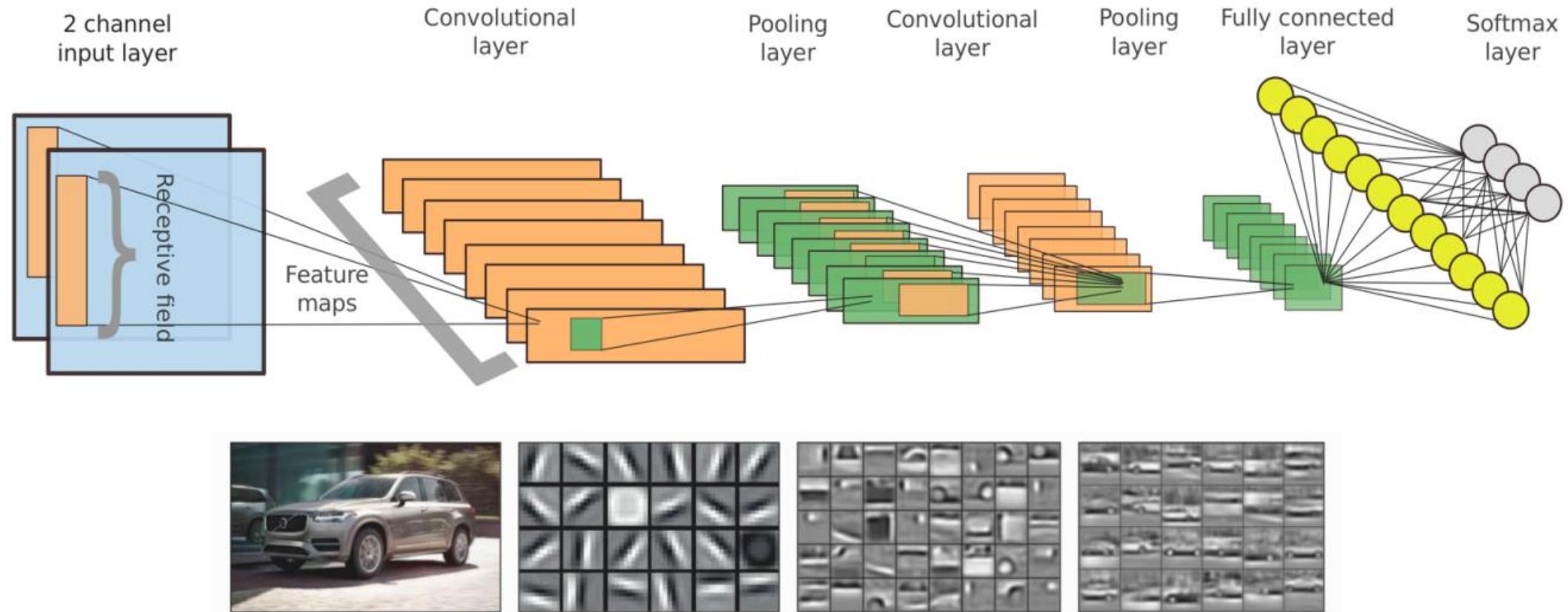
After 2017 – Transformers, Generative Deep Learning,

Deep Learning



Vanilla DL Architectures

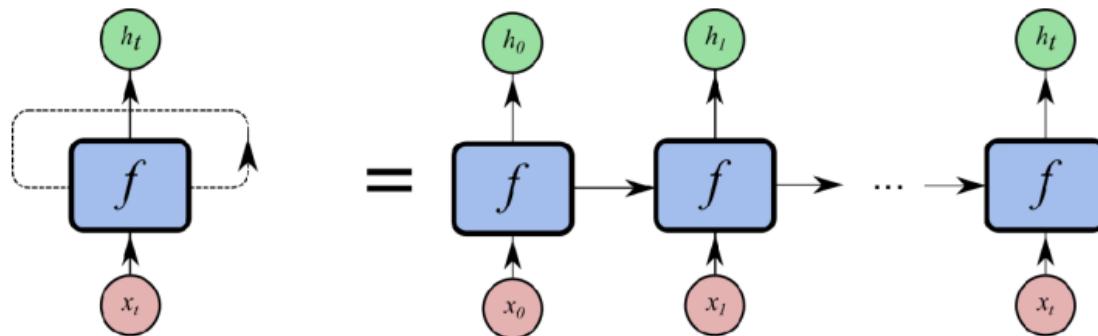
Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN):



Vanilla DL Architectures

Recurrent Neural Networks (CNN):

- Usually want to predict a vector at some time steps
- Process a sequence of vector x by applying a recurrence formula at every step



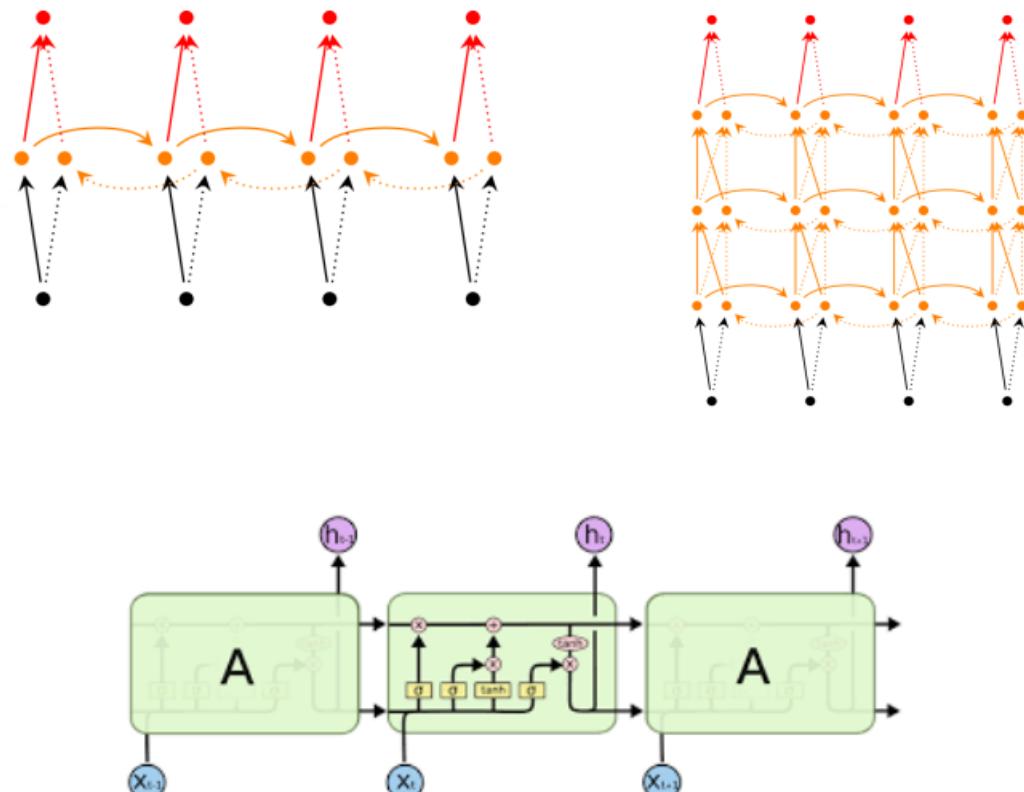
$$h_t = f_W(h_{t-1}, x_t)$$

new state old state input vector at
 some function / some time step
 with parameters W

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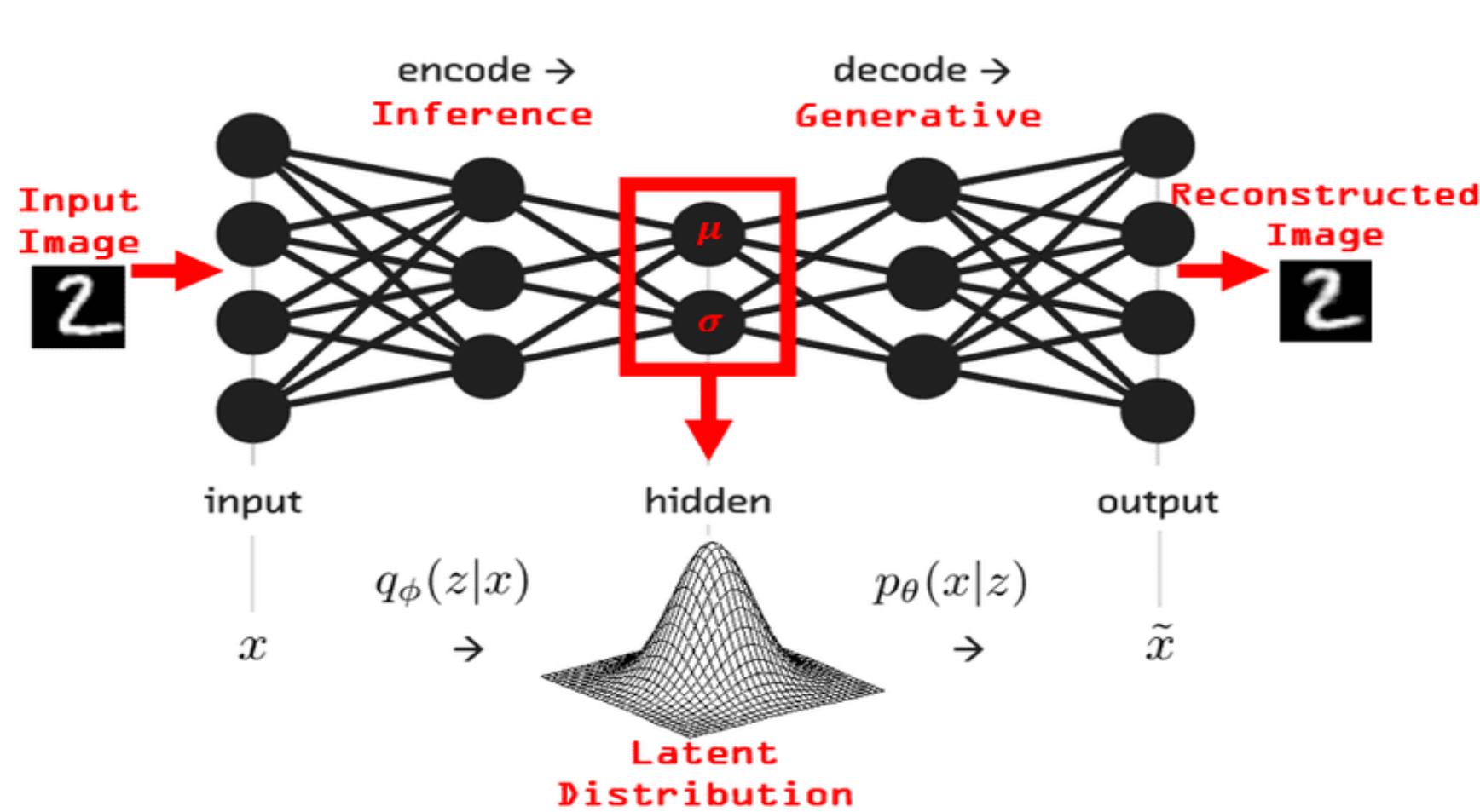
Recurrent Neural Networks (CNN):

- Bidirectional RNNs:
 - Output at time t depend on.
 - the previous elements in the sequence.
 - future elements.
- Deep (Bidirectional) RNNs:
 - Similar to Bidirectional RNNs.
 - Have multiple layers per time step.
- Long short-term memory (next slides)



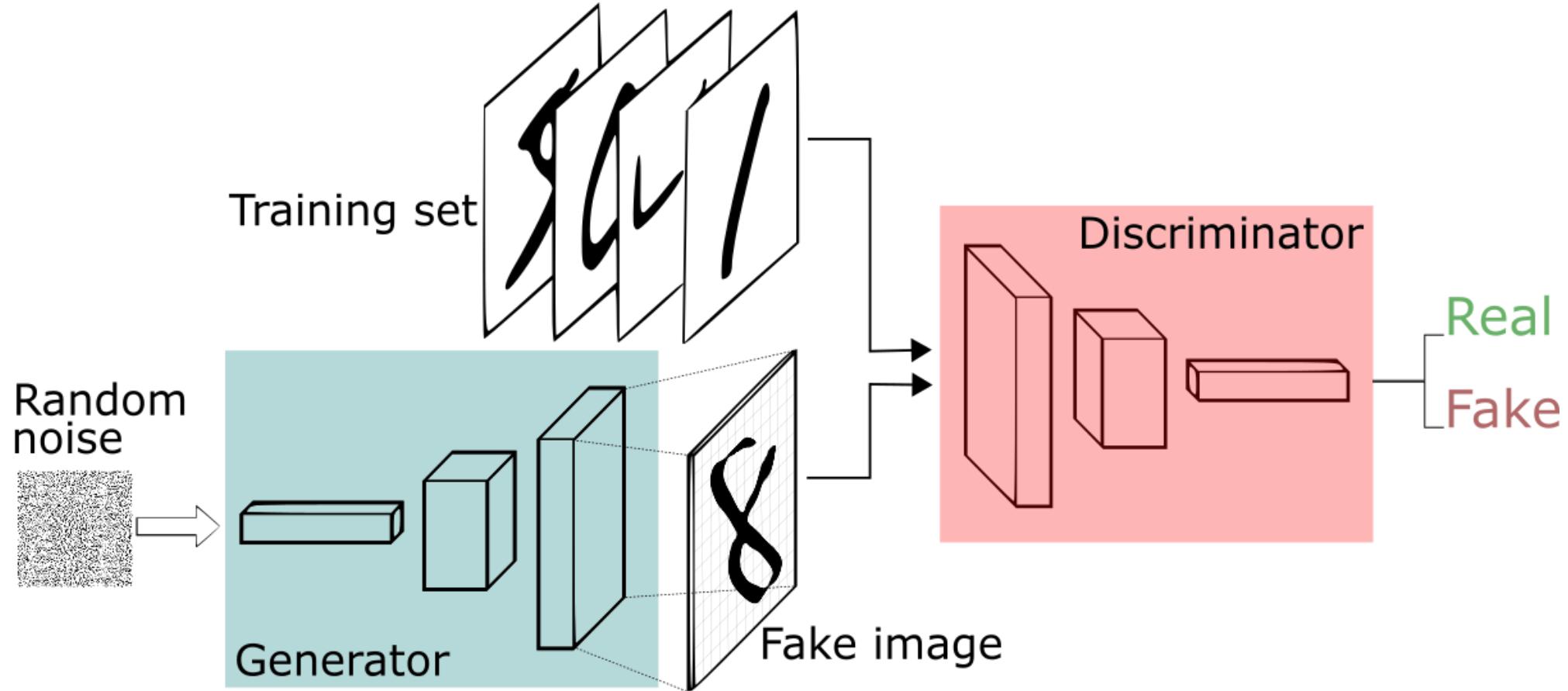
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Autoencoders:



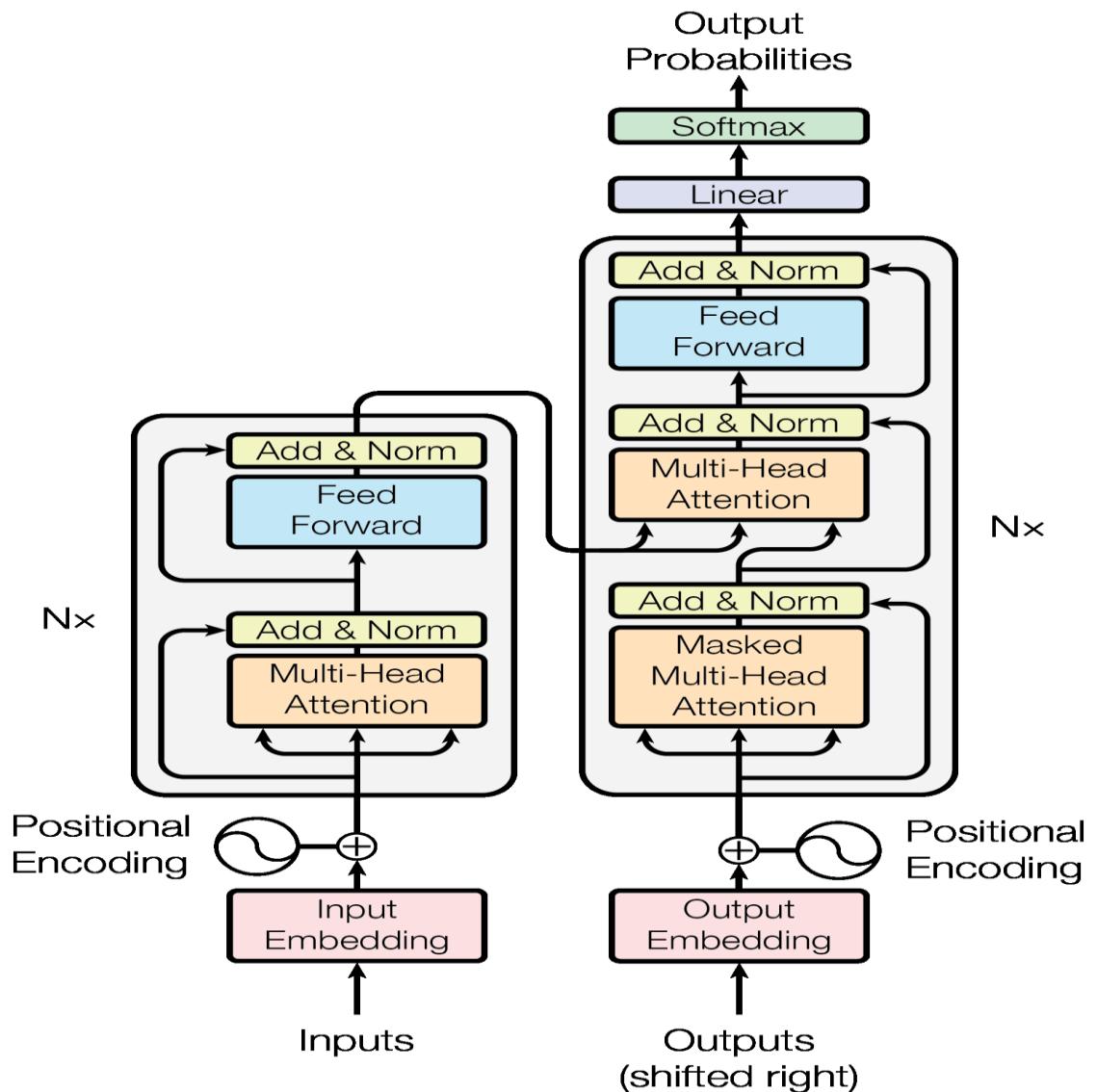
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Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs):



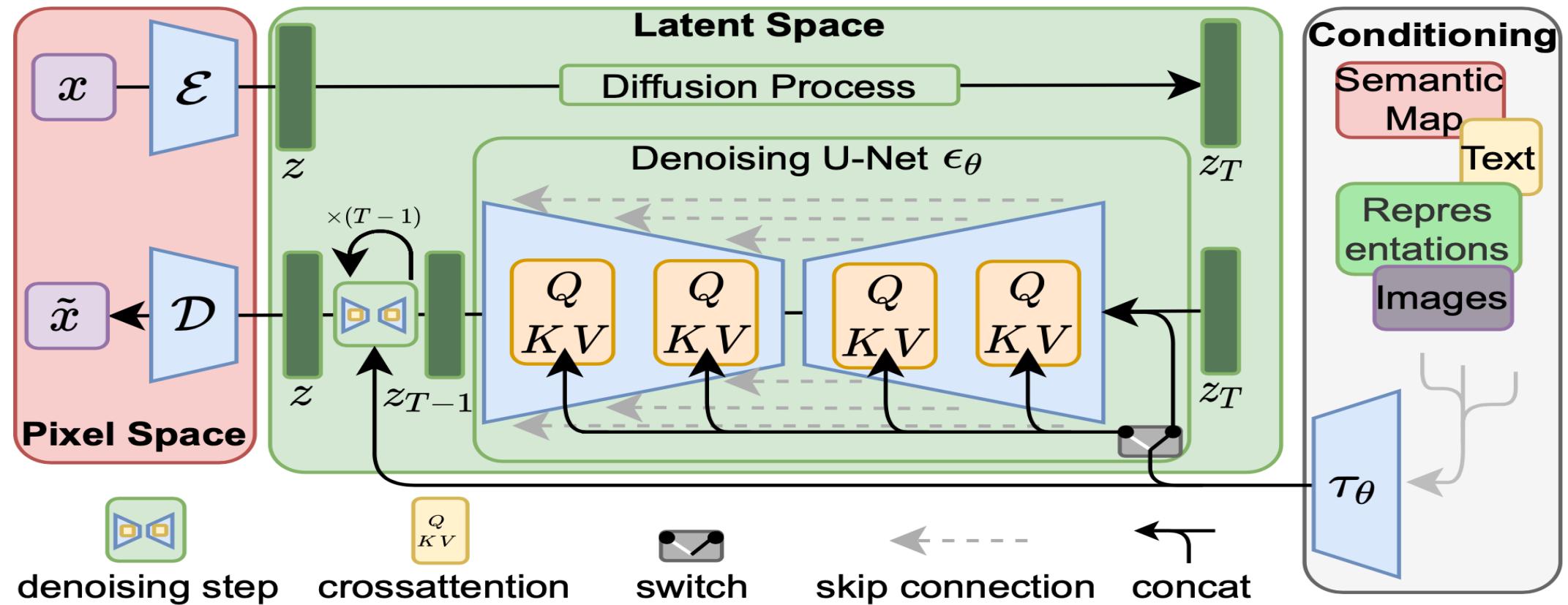
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Transformer Networks:



Vanilla DL Architectures

Diffusion Models:





Machine Learning Toolboxes

Popular Machine Learning Toolboxes

- Minimum Requirements



- Some for industry and large scale projects



Popular Machine Learning Courses

- Coursera ML courses (<https://www.coursera.org/specializations/machine-learning>).
- Udemy ML courses (<https://www.udemy.com/topic/machine-learning/>).
- Machine Learning Courses from Top-tier Universities (Stanford, UC, Carnegie Mellon, ...).
- Forum – Machine Learning Cơ Bản.
- AI Academy Vn's AI Engineer Training Program.



Thank you!