



# Machine Learning for Molecules

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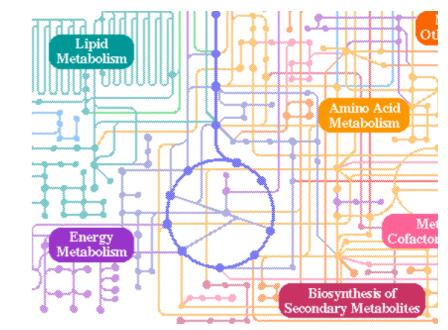
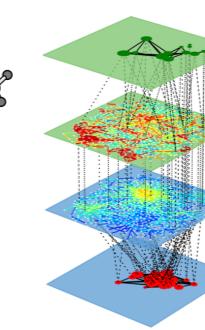
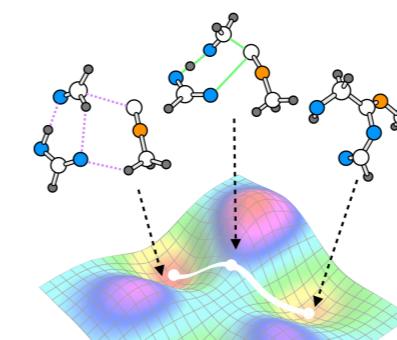
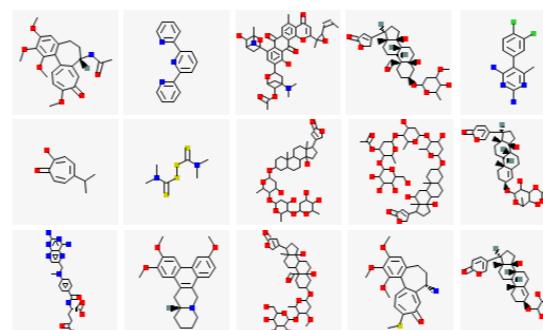
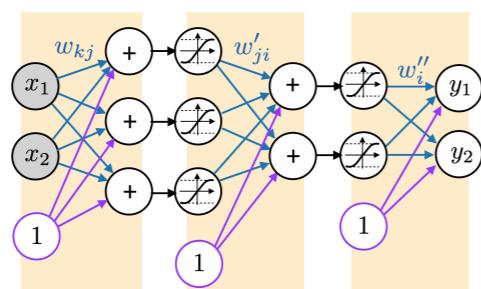
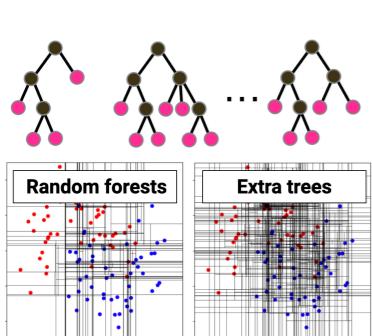
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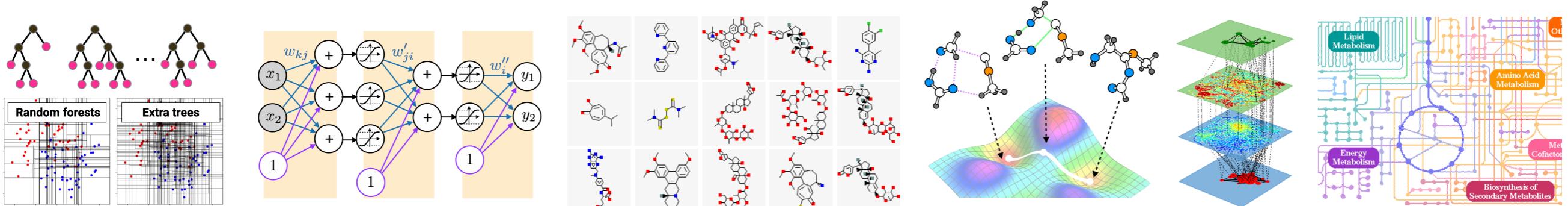
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### Joint project with HU Med Dept:

- Prof. Shinya Tanaka: Cancer diagnosis with fluorescent markers, Enzyme-catalyzed reaction design
- Prof. Shigetsugu Hatakeyama: Mediator complex of transcription regulations (*Nat Commun* 2020, 2015)
- Prof. Ichiro Yabe: Video-based predictions of motor symptom severity
- Prof. Yasuyuki Fujita: Cell competition (*Cell Reports* 2018; *Sci Rep* 2015)
- Prof. Hidenao Sasaki: Copy number variations for neurodegenerative diseases (*Mol Brain* 2017)

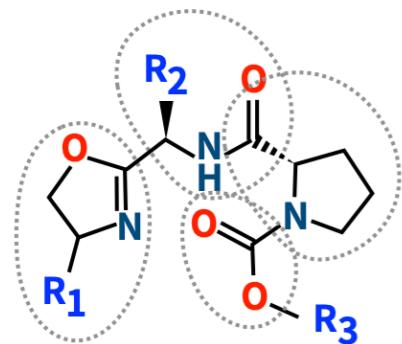
# X-informatics: Bio- and Chemo-informatics

In addition to pure ML research, I've worked for **bio/chemo-informatics**

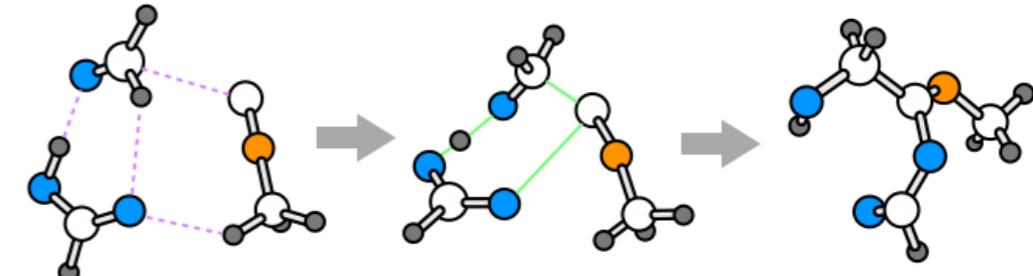
- **Biochemical reaction networks (Metabolic pathways)**  
*Bioinformatics 2007, 2008a, 2008b, 2009, 2010*  
*Nucleic Acids Res 2011, PLoS One 2012, 2013, KDD'07*
- **Drug-target interactions (Polypharmacology)**  
*PLoS One 2011, Drug Discov Today 2013, Brief Bioinform 2014*
- **Modulatory proteolysis**  
*Mol Cell Proteom 2016, Genome Informatics 2009*  
*(We also developed a database <http://calpain.org>)*
- **Genomic repeats**  
*Discrete Appl Math 2013, 2016, AAAI 2020*
- **Genetic variations in cancer cells**  
*Brief Bioinform 2014*
- **Mediator complex and transcription regulation**  
*Nat Commun 2015, 2020 (w/ Prof. Hatakeyama)*
- **Genomic copy number variations for neurodegenerative diseases**  
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*Cell Reports 2018, Sci Rep 2015 (w/ Prof. Fujita)*



# Molecules have a combinatorial aspect



$R_1$	$R_2$	$R_3$
<chem>H</chem>	<chem>CH3</chem>	<chem>CH2CH3</chem>
Hydrogen	Methyl	Ethyl
<chem>C(=O)O</chem>	<chem>c1ccccc1</chem>	<chem>CC(C)C</chem>
Carboxyl	Phenyl	Benzyl
<chem>C1CCCCC1</chem>	<chem>CC(C)C(F)(F)C</chem>	<chem>CC(C)C1(C)CCC1</chem>
Cyclohexyl	Tert-butyl	Trifluoromethyl
		adamantyl
...		



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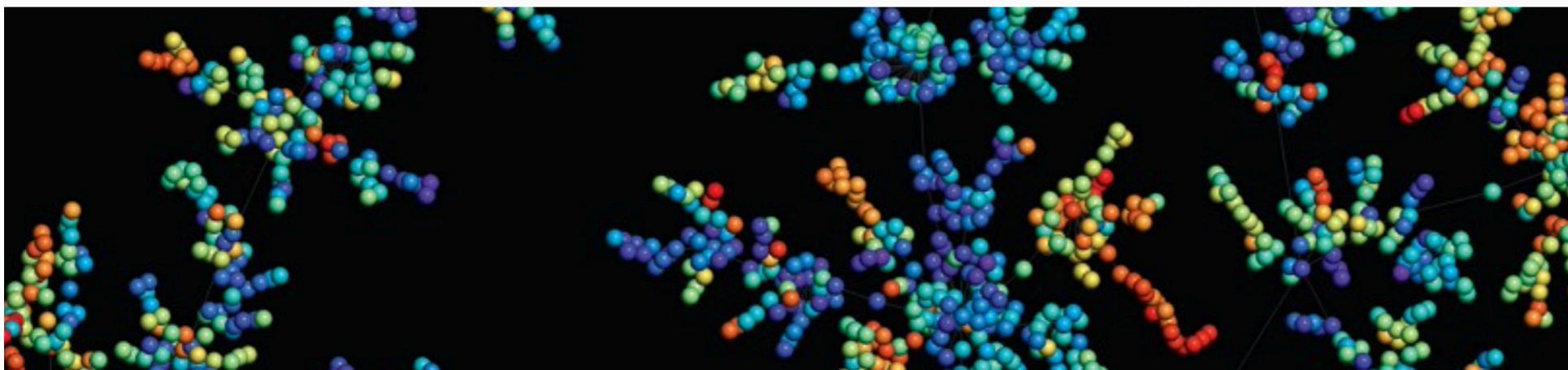
COMPUTATIONAL CHEMISTRY

## Exploring chemical space: Can AI take us where no human has gone before?

Artificial intelligence is helping us find novel, useful molecules. For the field to really take off, though, these tools will need to be accessible to the wider chemistry community

by Sam Lemonick

April 6, 2020 | A version of this story appeared in **Volume 98, Issue 13**



### BY THE NUMBERS

$10^{180}$

An upper estimate of the number of possible molecules

$10^{80}$

Estimated number of atoms in the universe

$10^{60}$

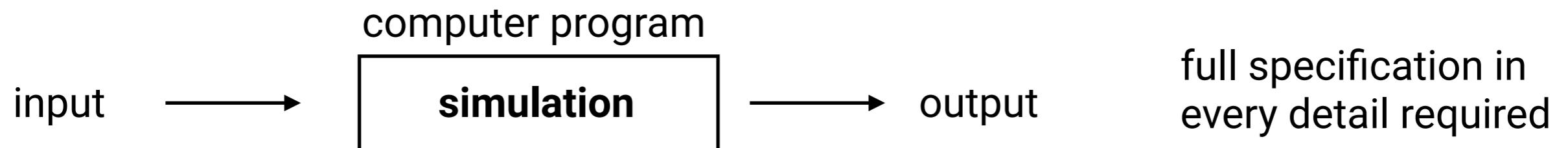
An estimate of the number of possible small organic molecules

$10^8$

The number of organic and inorganic substances in the CAS database

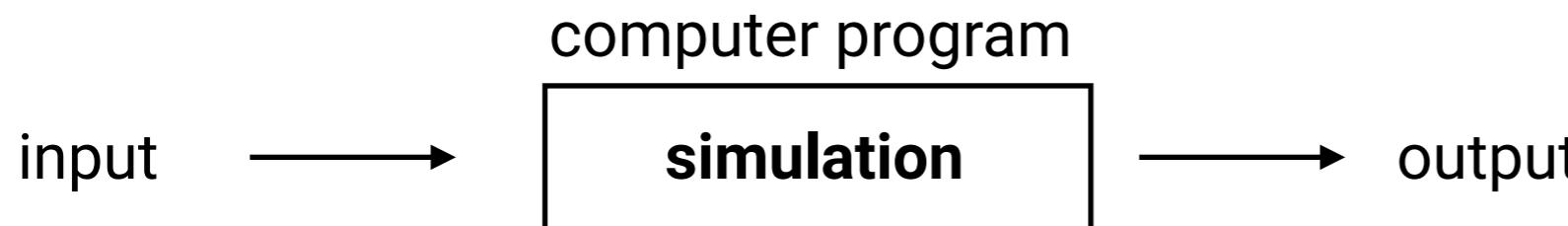
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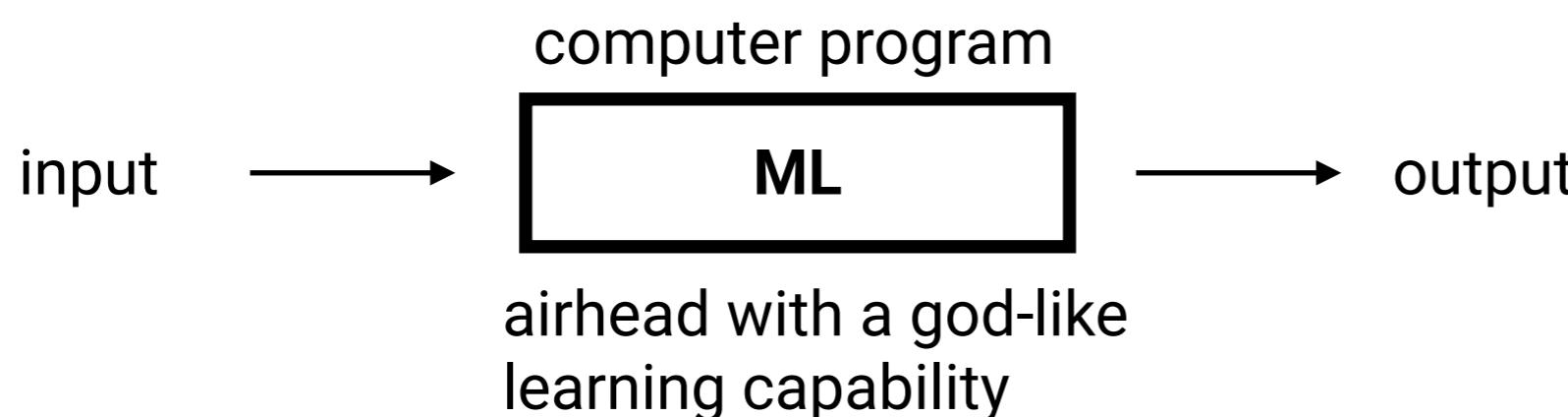
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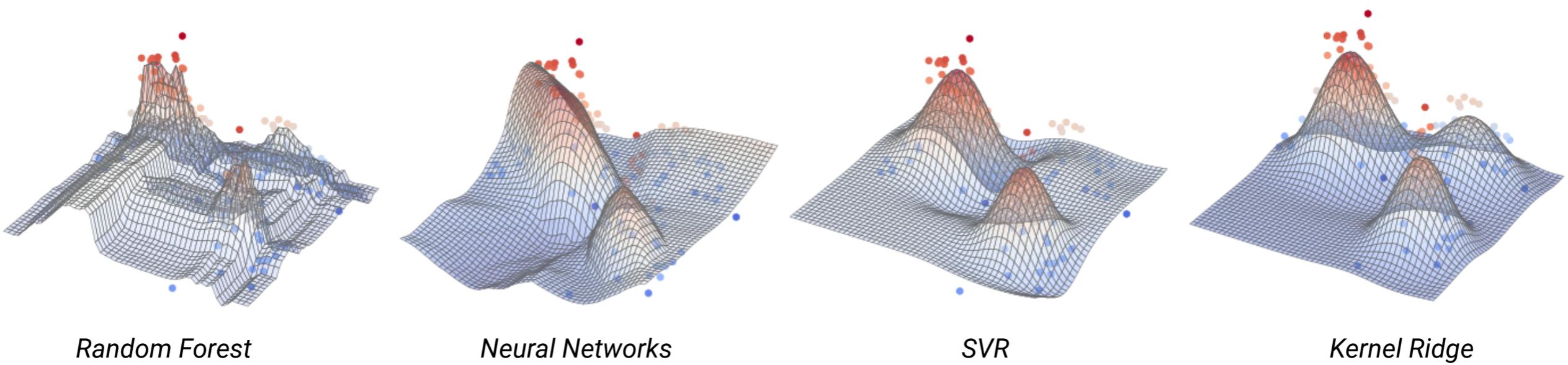
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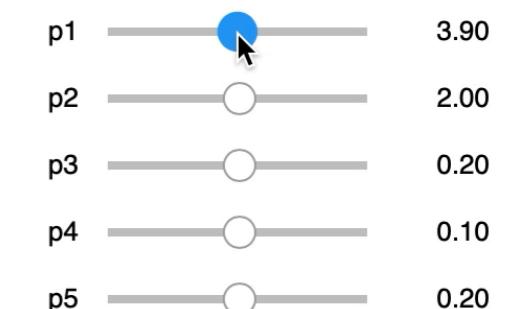
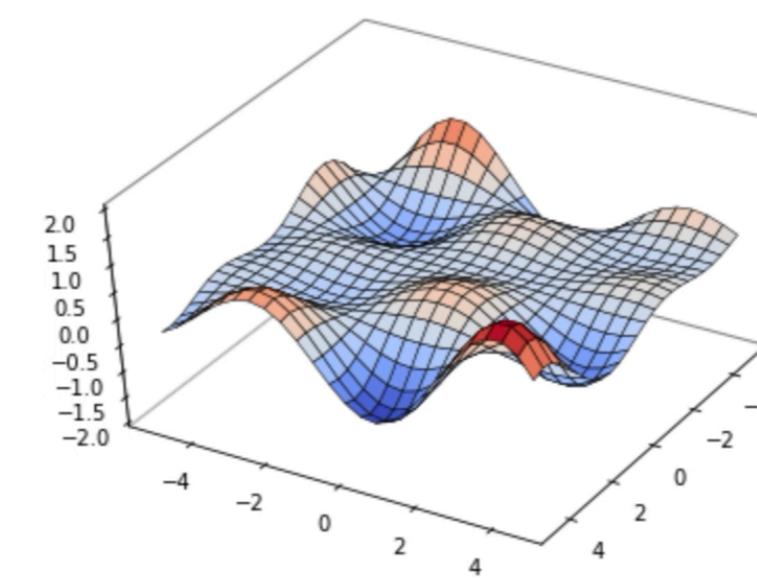
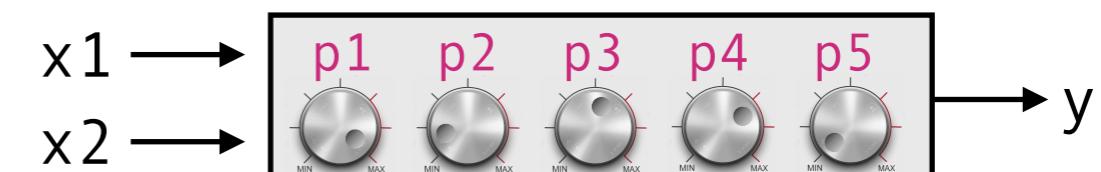
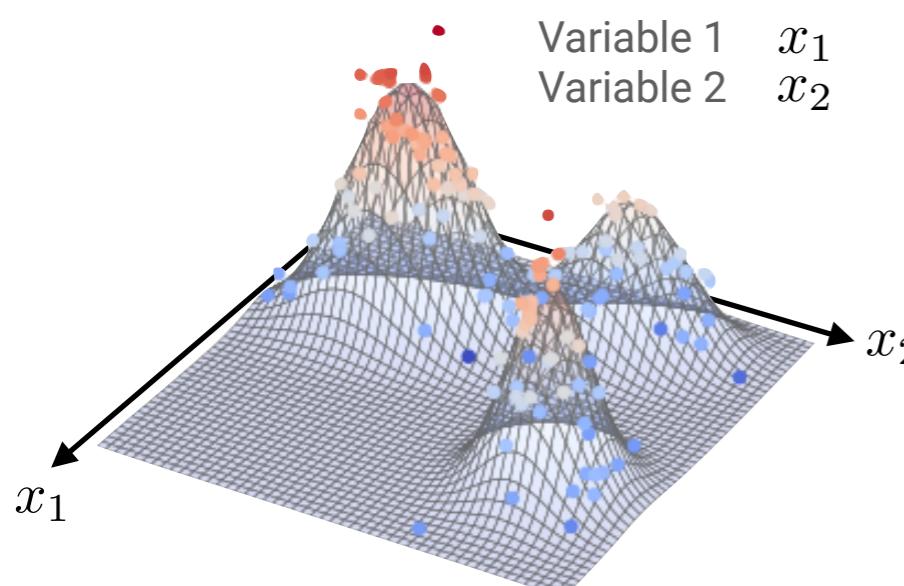
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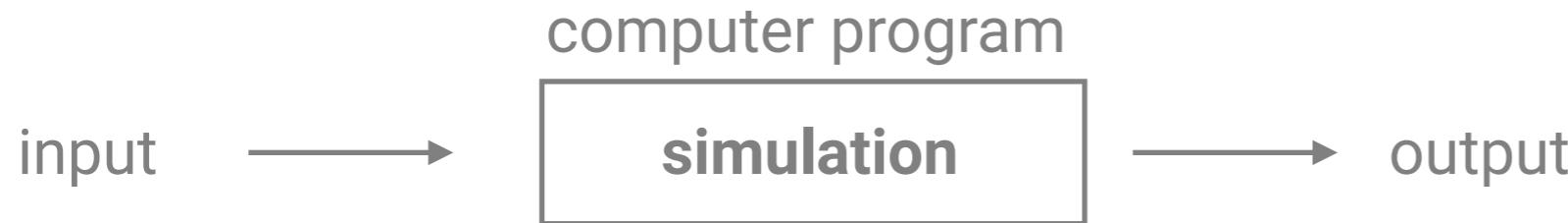
All about statistical and algorithmic techniques for surface-model fitting to data points by adjusting **model parameters**.

ML = Tweak **these parameter values** to best fit a surface model to the given points.



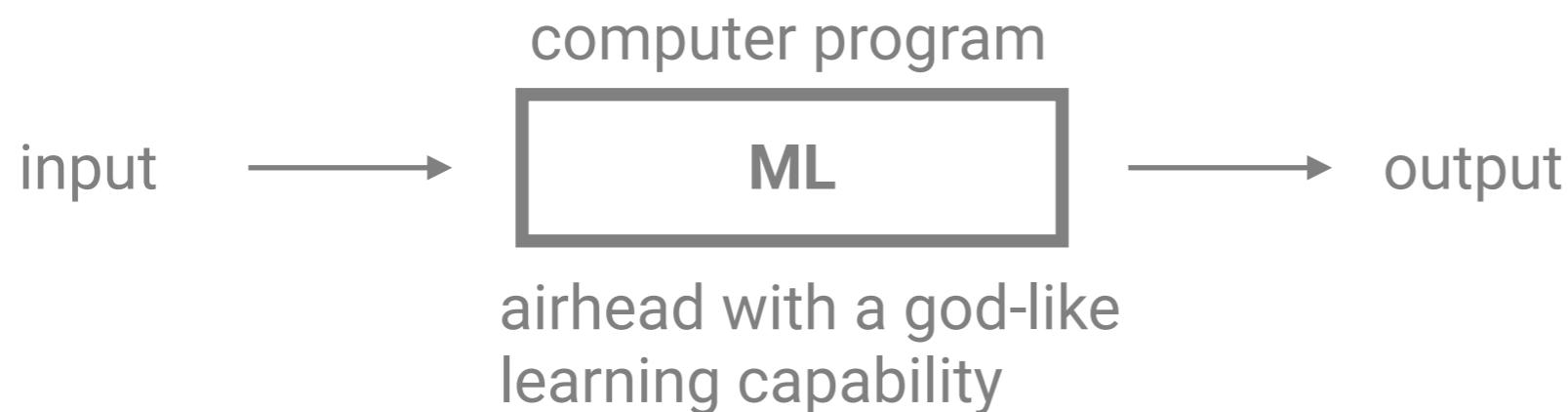
# A modern aspect of ML

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ResNet50: **26 million** params

ResNet101: **45 million** params

EfficientNet-B7: **66 million** params

VGG19: **144 million** params

12-layer, 12-heads BERT: **110 million** params

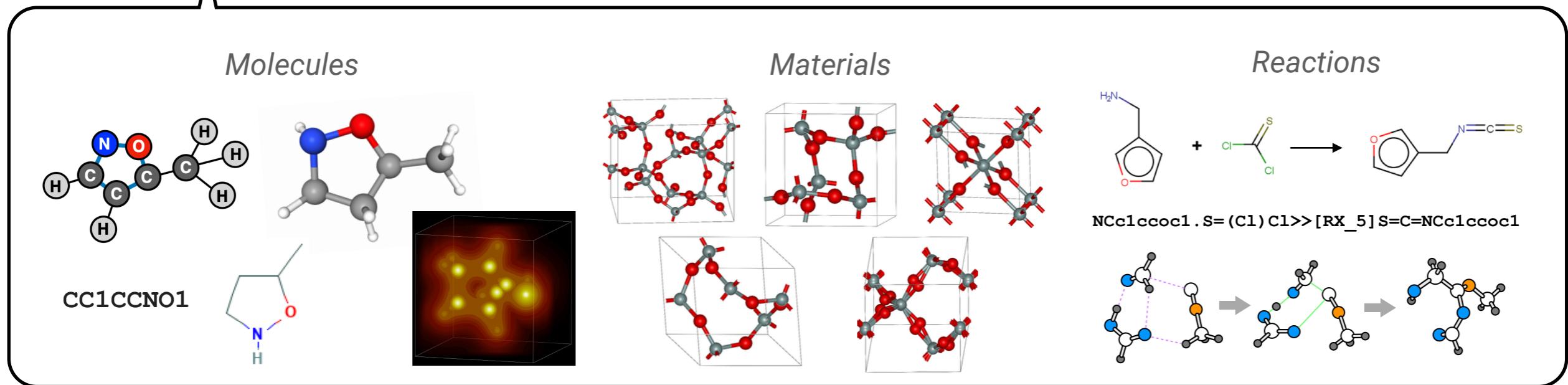
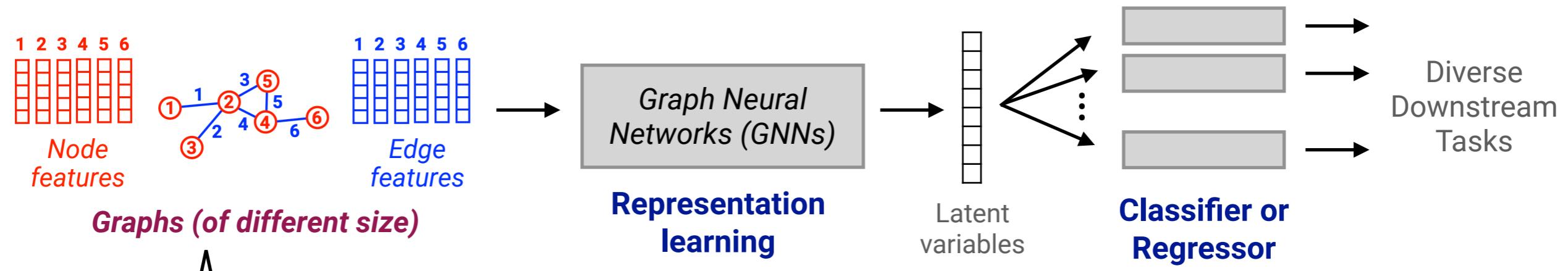
24-layer, 16-heads BERT: **336 million** params

GPT-2 XL: **1558 million** params

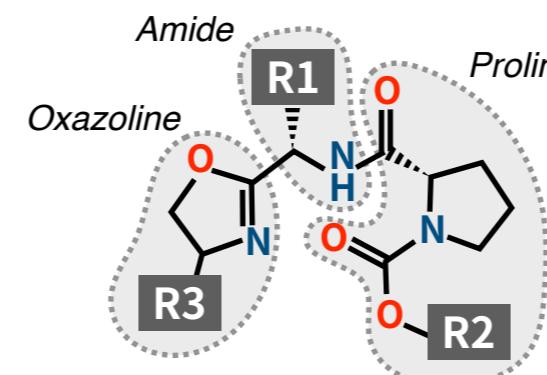
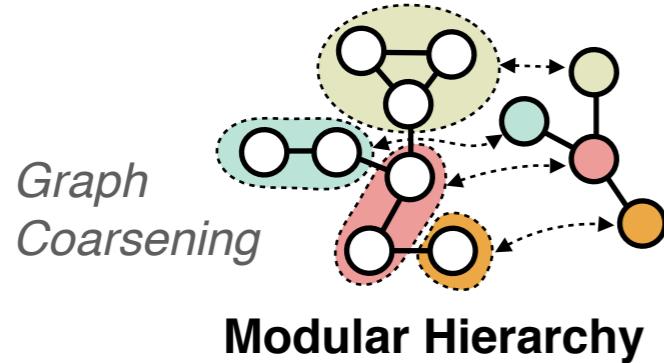
GPT-3: **175 billion** params

**Modern ML:** Can we imagine what would happen if we try to fit a function having **175 billion** parameters to **100 million** data points in **10 thousand** dimension??

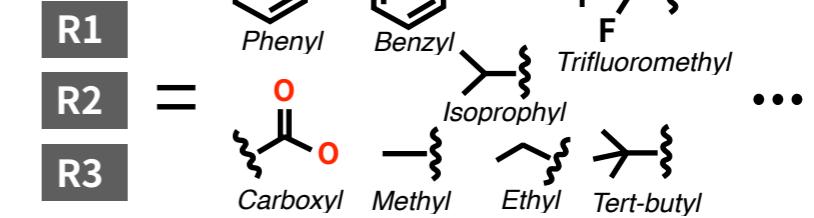
# This Talk: ML for Molecular Graphs



*Combinatorial aspects*



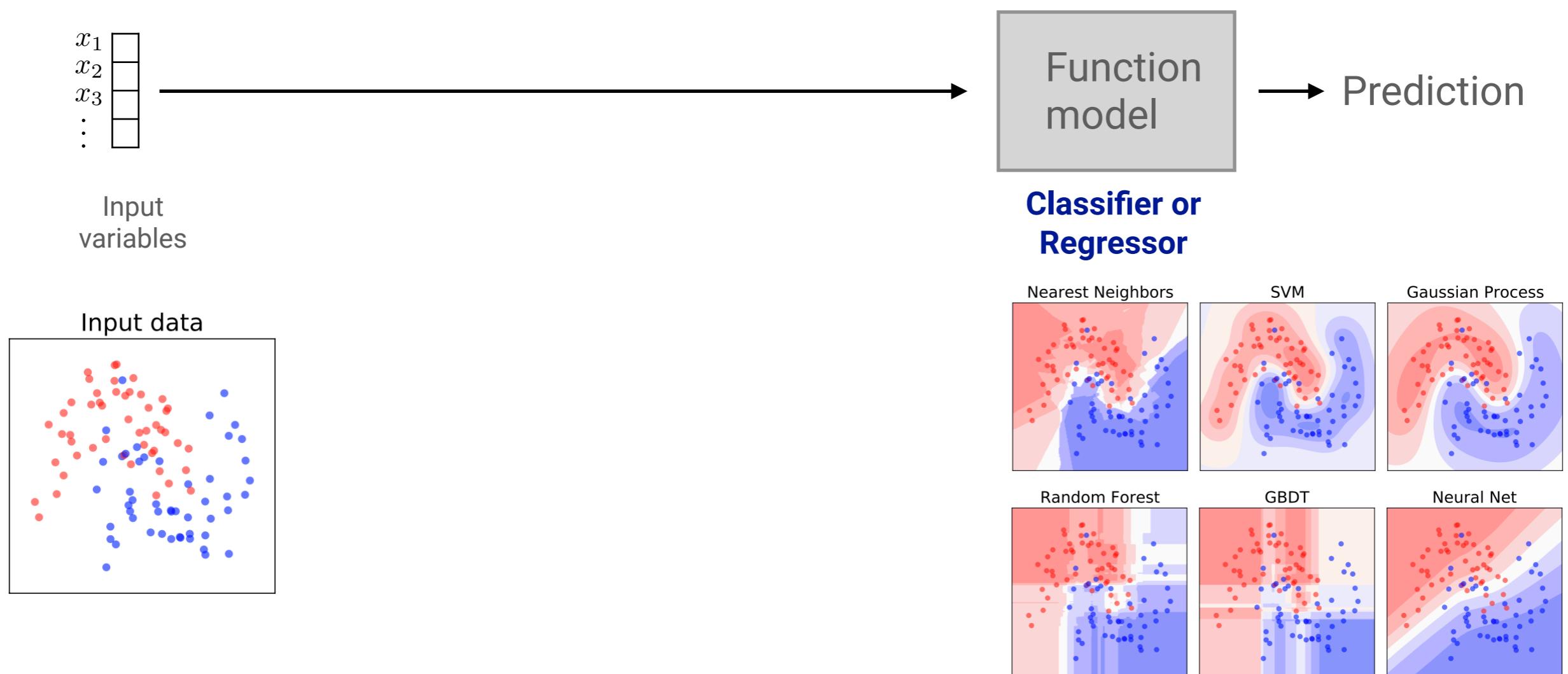
*Substituents*



*Compositionality*

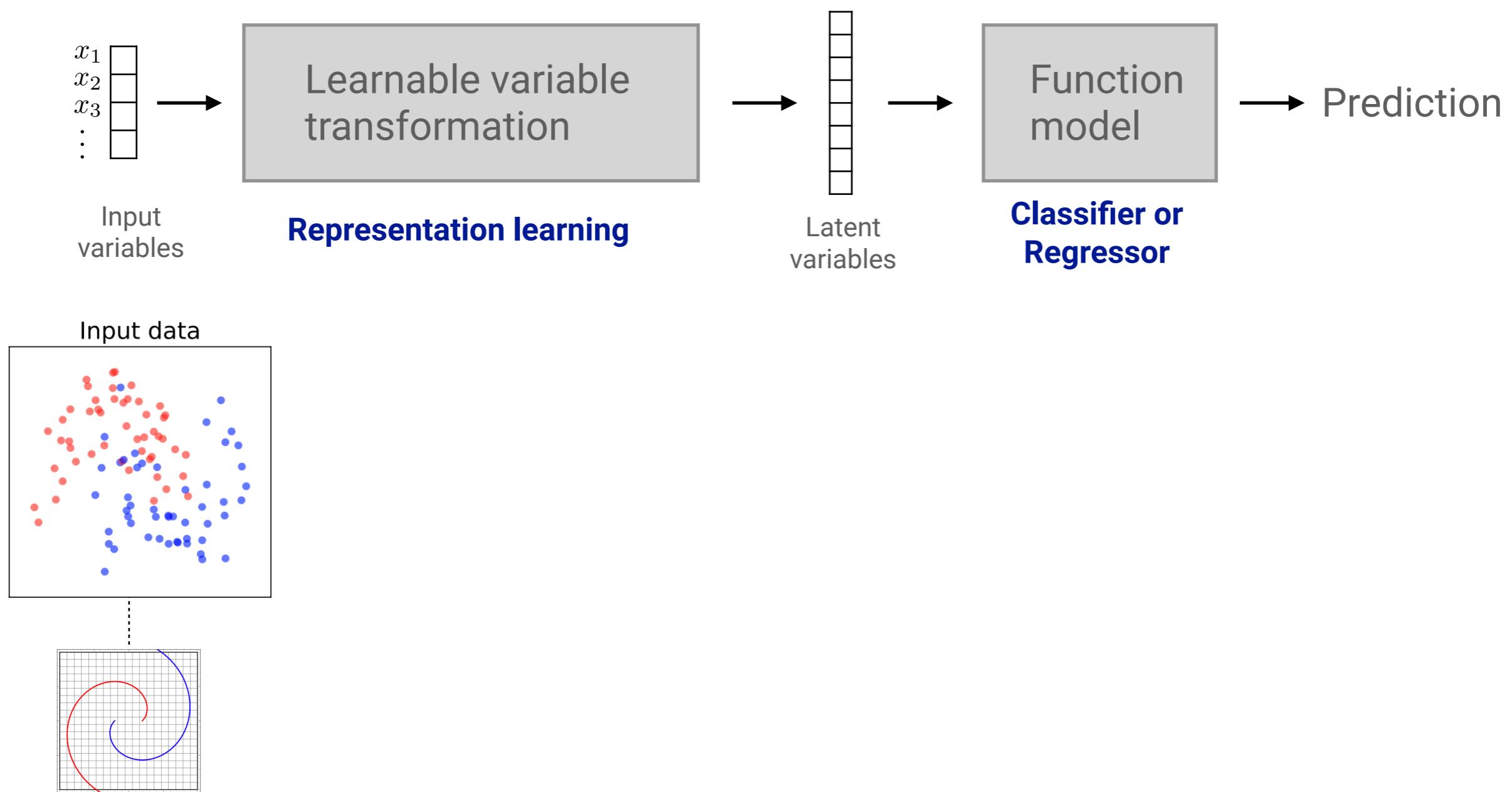
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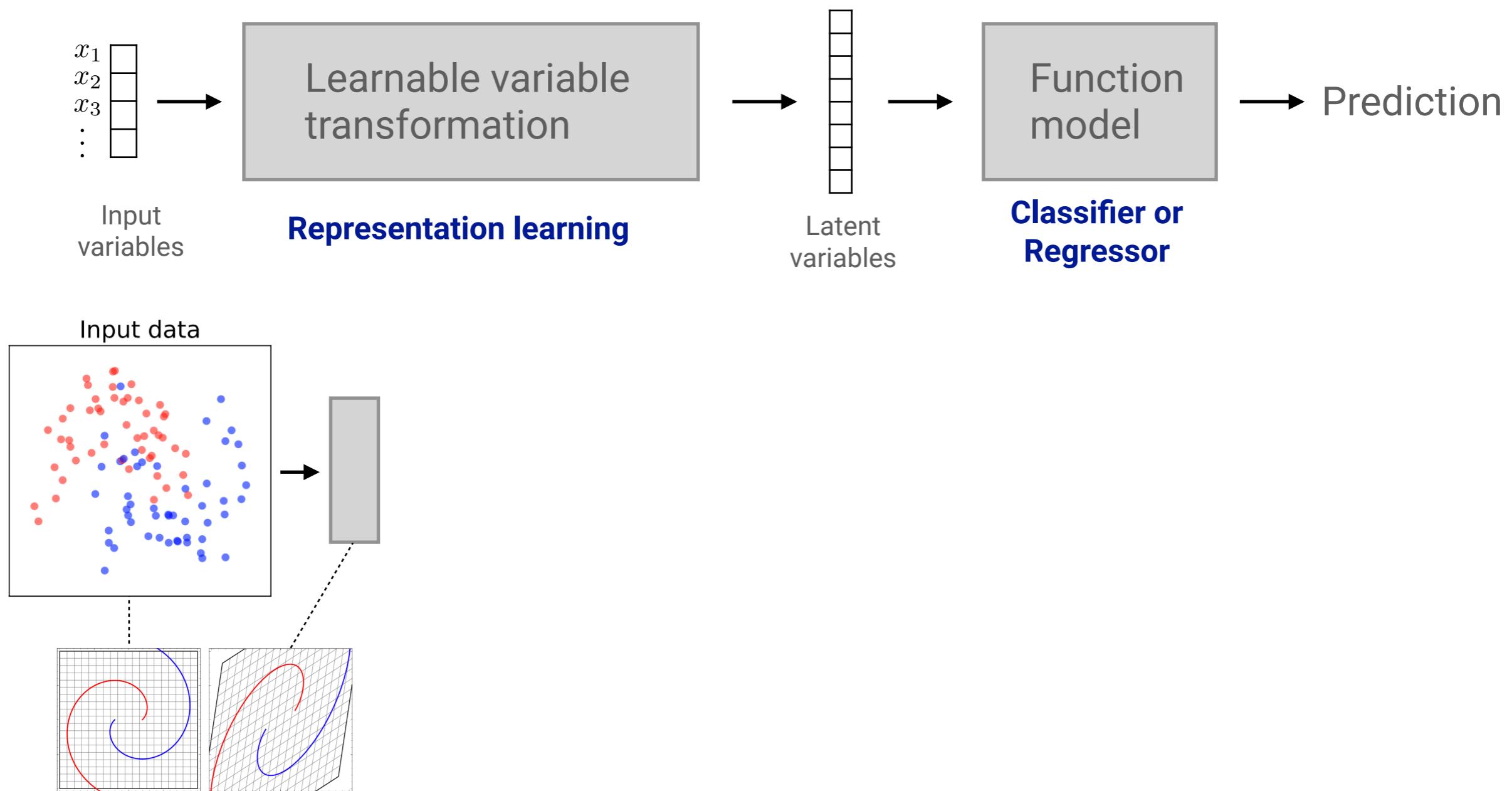
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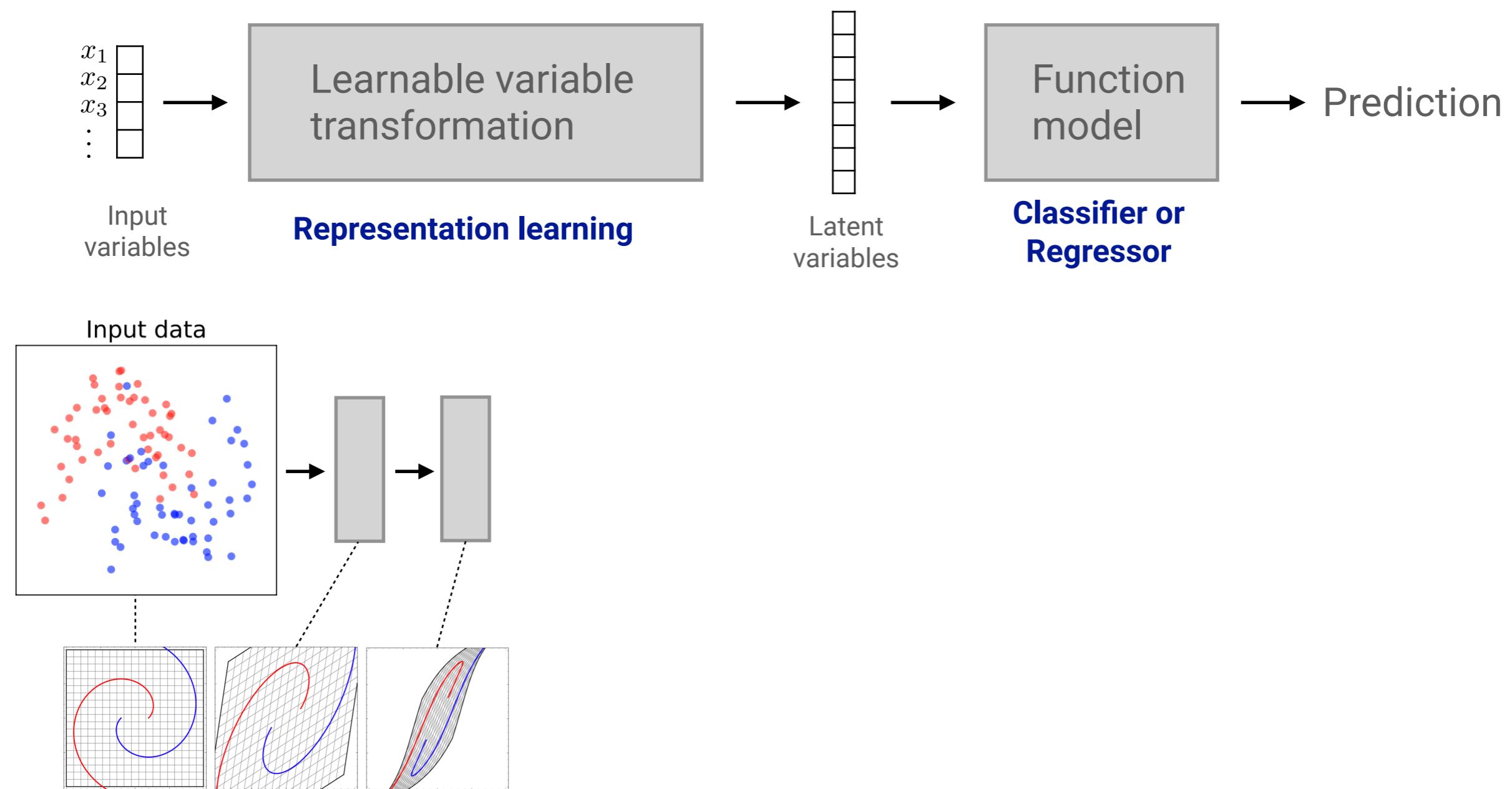
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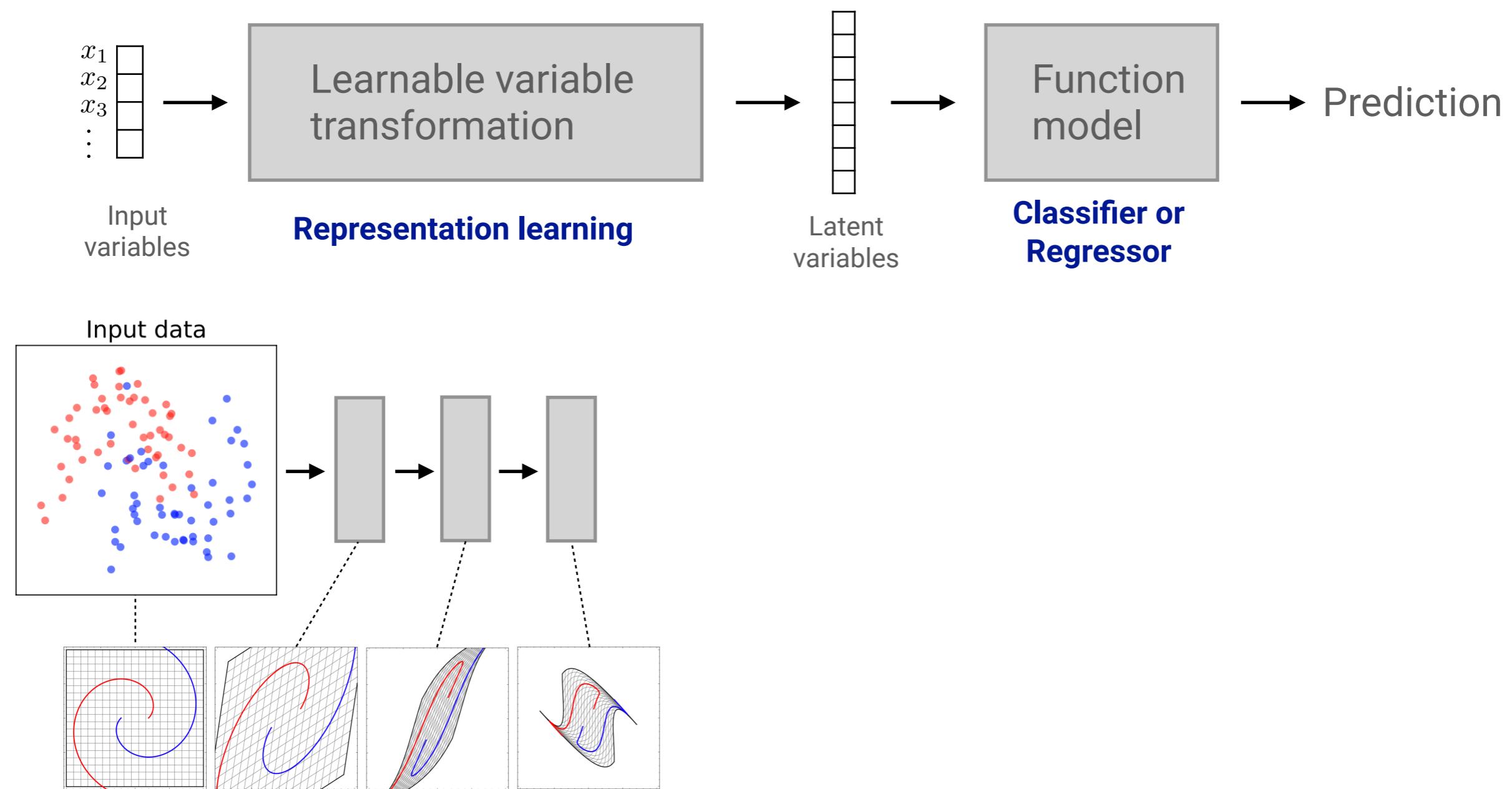
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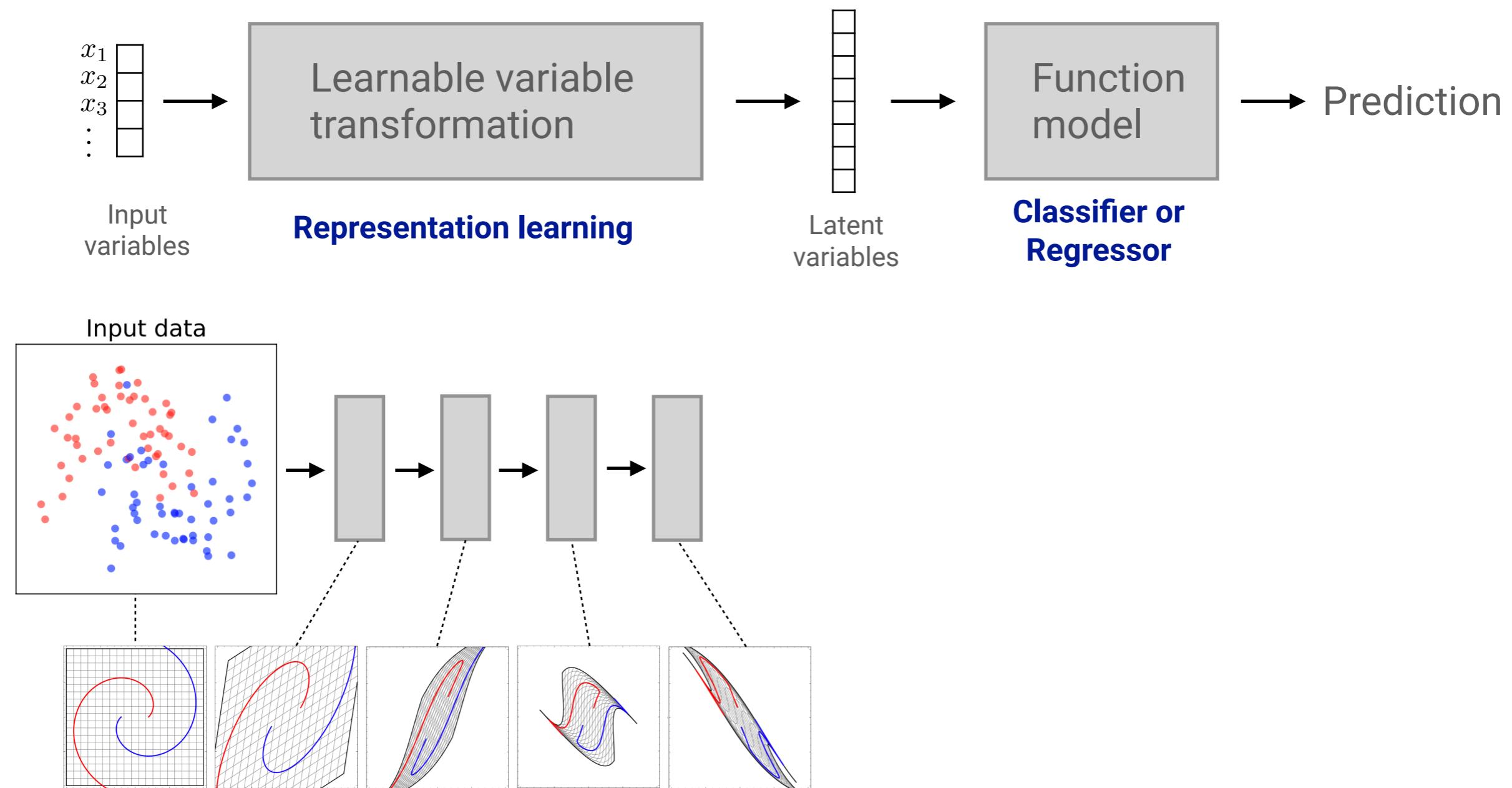
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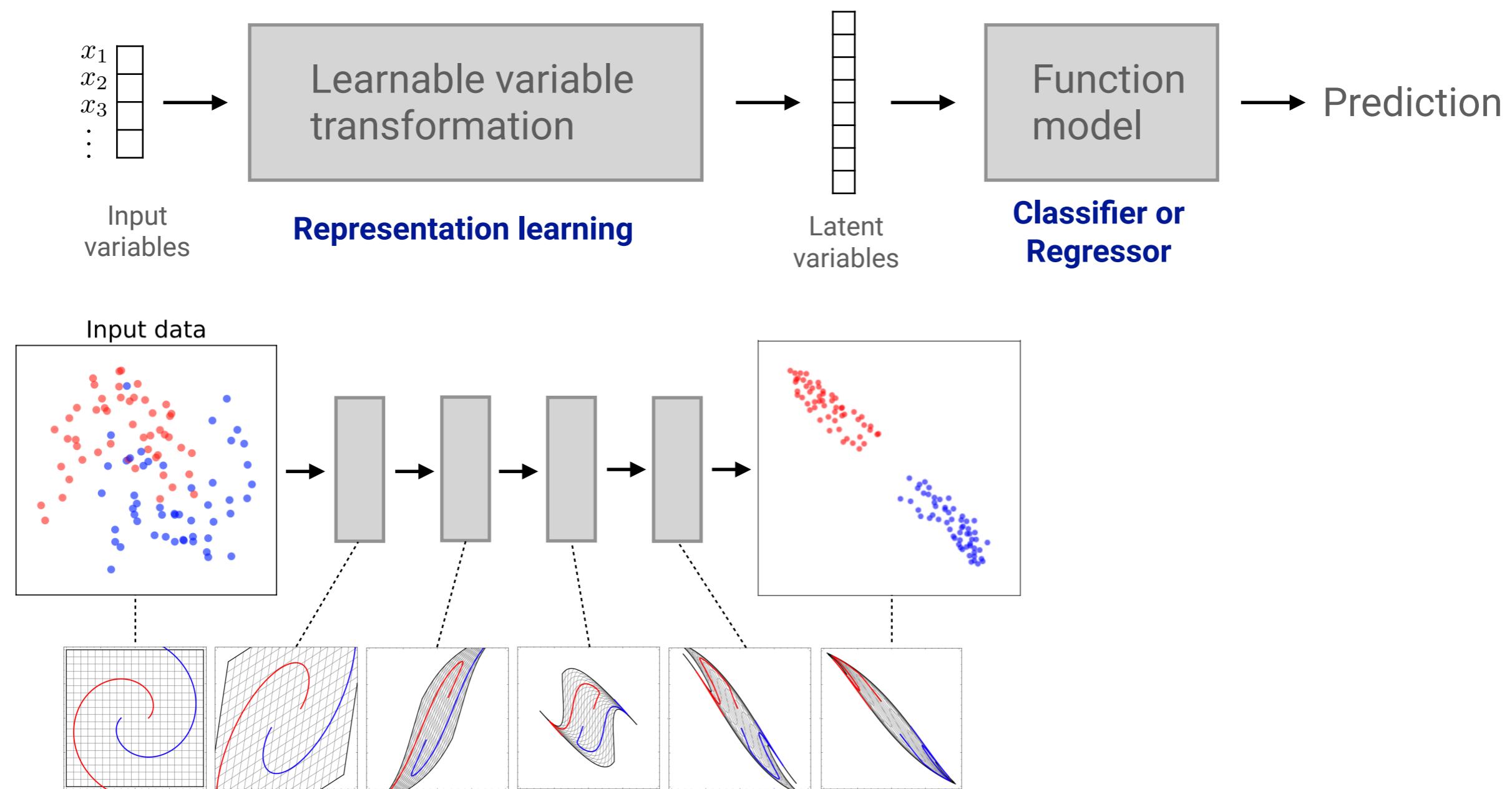
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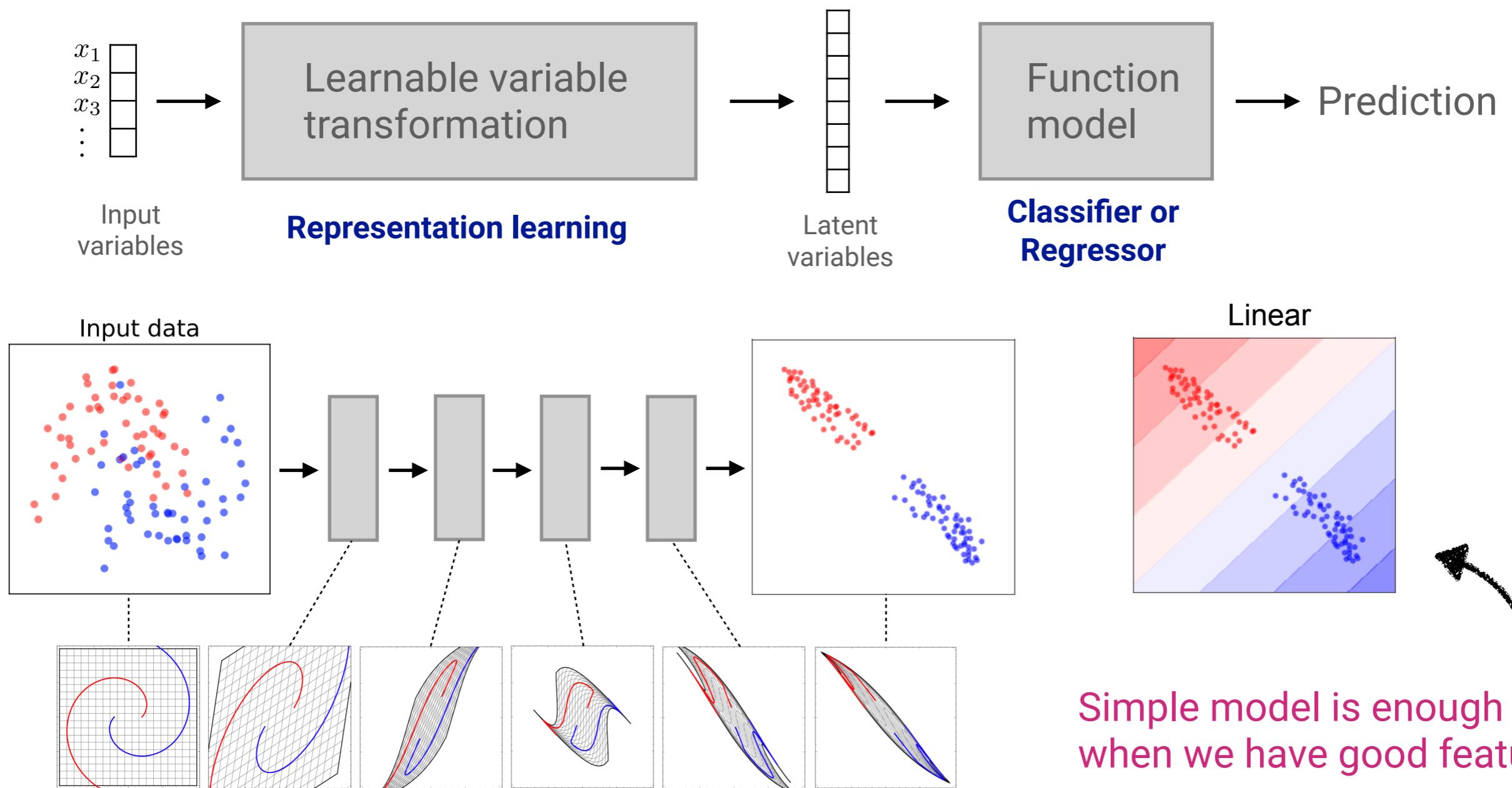
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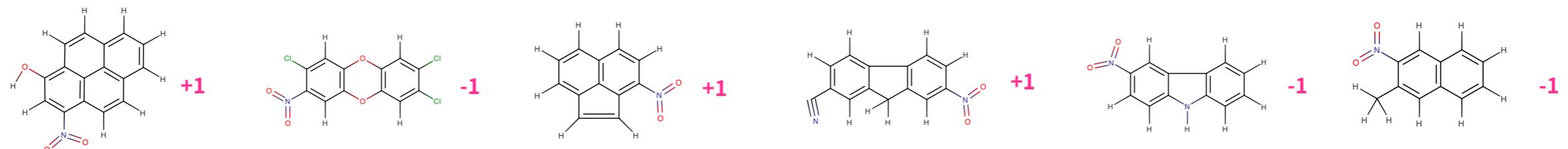
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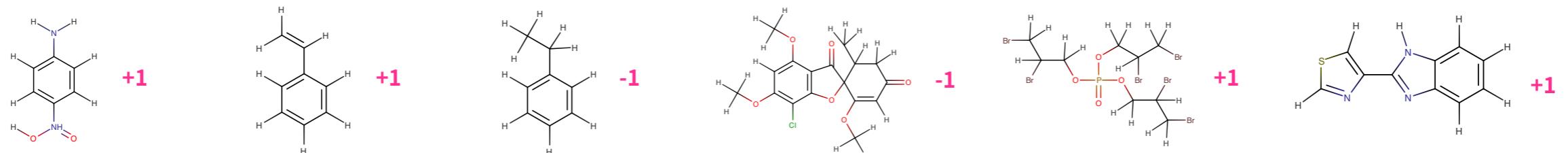


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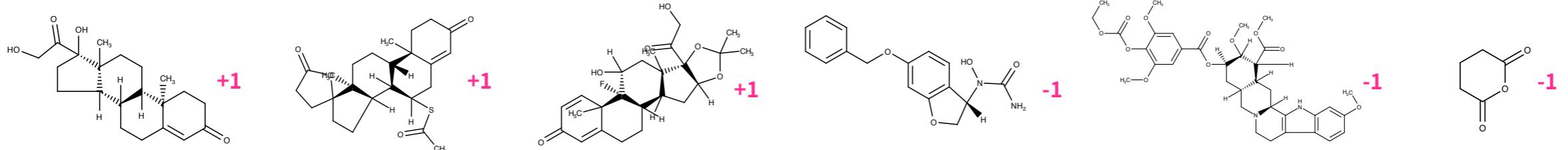
- Mutagenic potency**



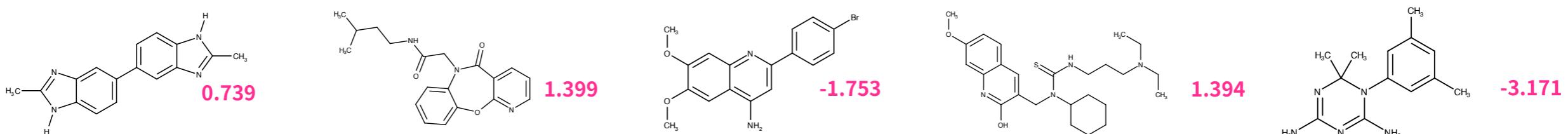
- Carcinogenic potency**



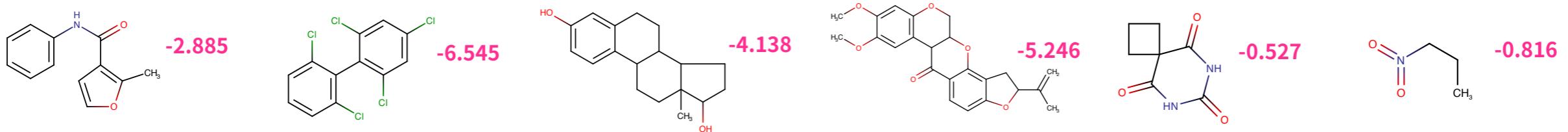
- Endocrine disruption**



- Growth inhibition**



- Aqueous solubility**



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<https://pubchem.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/bioassay/1>

**BIOASSAY RECORD**

**NCI human tumor cell line growth inhibition assay. Data for the NCI-H23 Non-Small Cell Lung cell line**

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**PubChem AID** 1

**Source** DTP/NCI

**External ID** [NCI human tumor cell line growth inhibition assay. Data for the NCI-H23 Non-Small Cell Lung cell line](#)

**BioAssay Type** Confirmatory

**Tested Substances**  All (53,554)  Active (3,025)  Inactive (50,655) [Data Table](#) 

**Tested Compounds**  All (51,583)  Active (2,814)  Inactive (48,922)

**Version** 2.1 [Revision History](#)

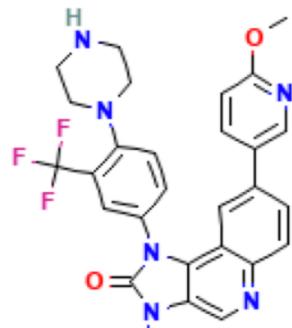
**Status** Live

**Dates** Modify 2021-07-12 Deposit 2004-08-15

Please note that the bioassay record (AID 1) is presented as provided to PubChem by the source(depositor). When possible, links to additional information have been provided by PubChem.

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input



CID 11978790

ML

output

activity: "Active"  
LogGI50: -7.8811

GI50: concentration required  
for 50% inhibition of growth

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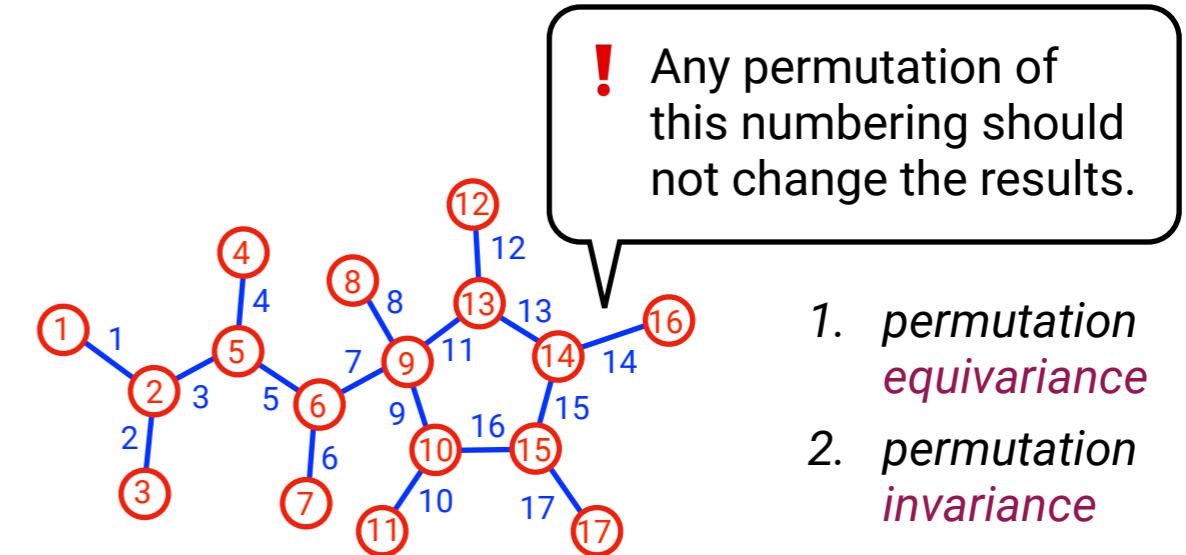
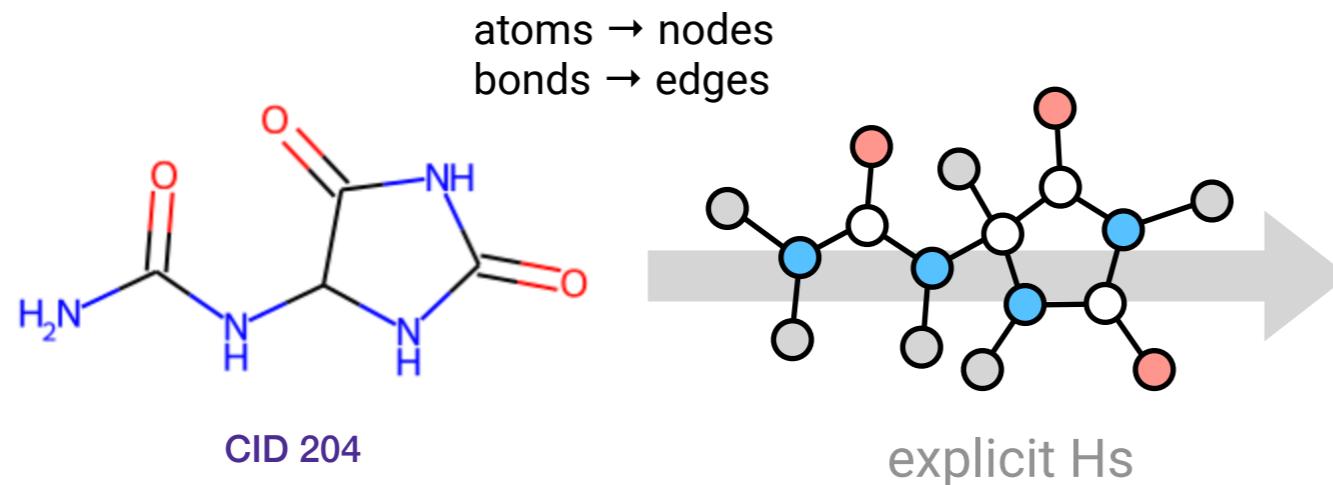
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Structure	CID	SID					
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	363173	493713	Active	43	-6.5871		
	399631	530868	Active	51	-7.0678		
	399630	530867	Active	60	-7.617		

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	390324	521601	Inactive	0	-4		
	390311	521588	Inactive	0	-4		
	390312	521589	Inactive	4	-4.214		
	135489876	521590	Inactive	13	-4.7552		

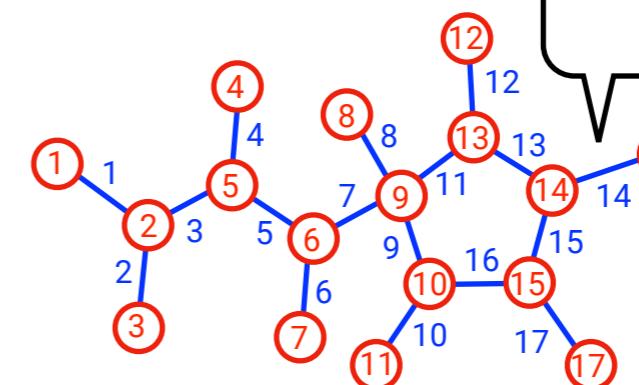
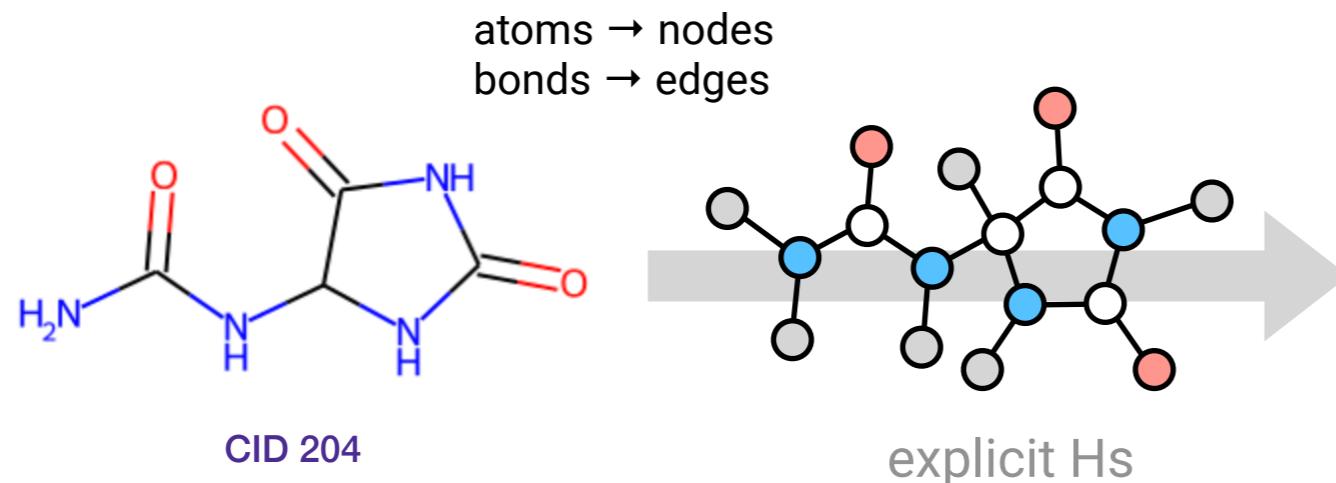
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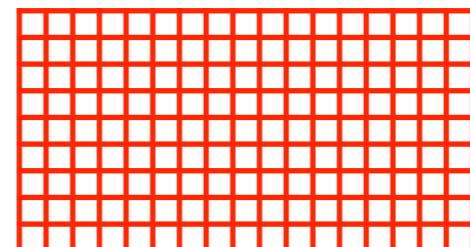


1. *permutation equivariance*
2. *permutation invariance*

e.g. Features for ChemProp (Yang et al, 2019)

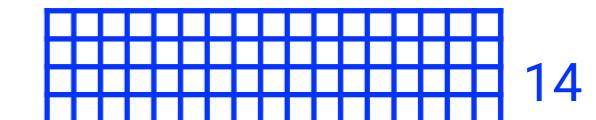
node(atom) features

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edge(bond) features

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133 features

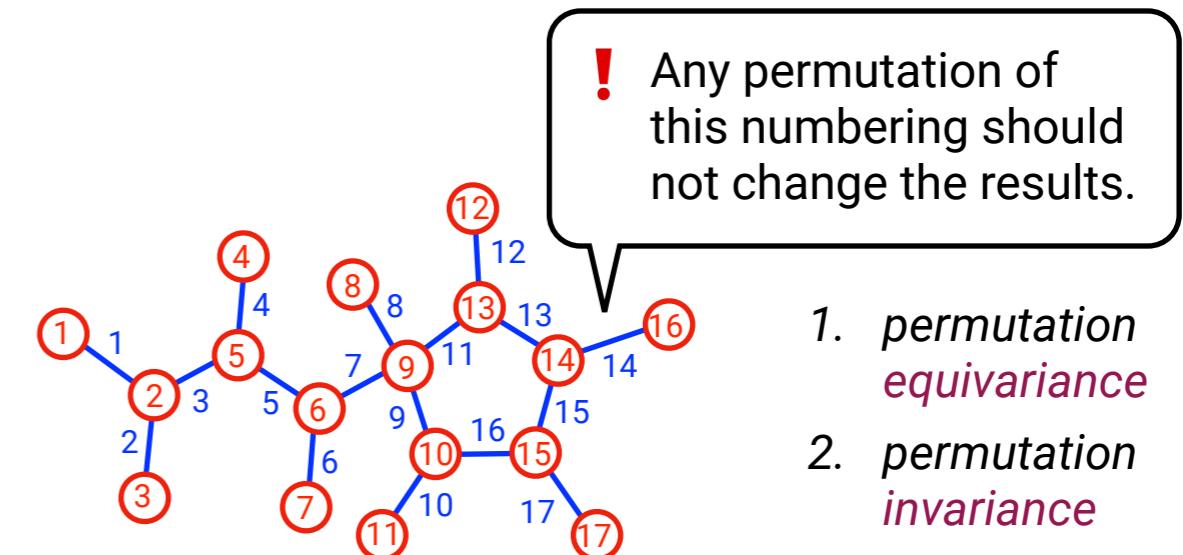
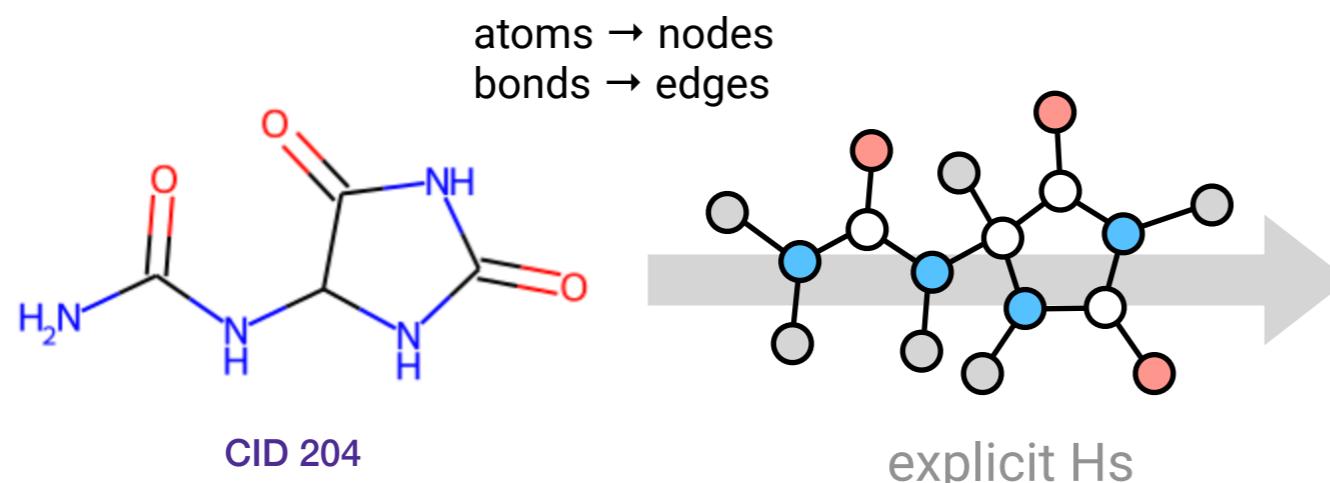
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- hybridization (one-hot, 6)
- is\_aromatic (binary, 1)
- atomic\_mass (real, 1)

14 features

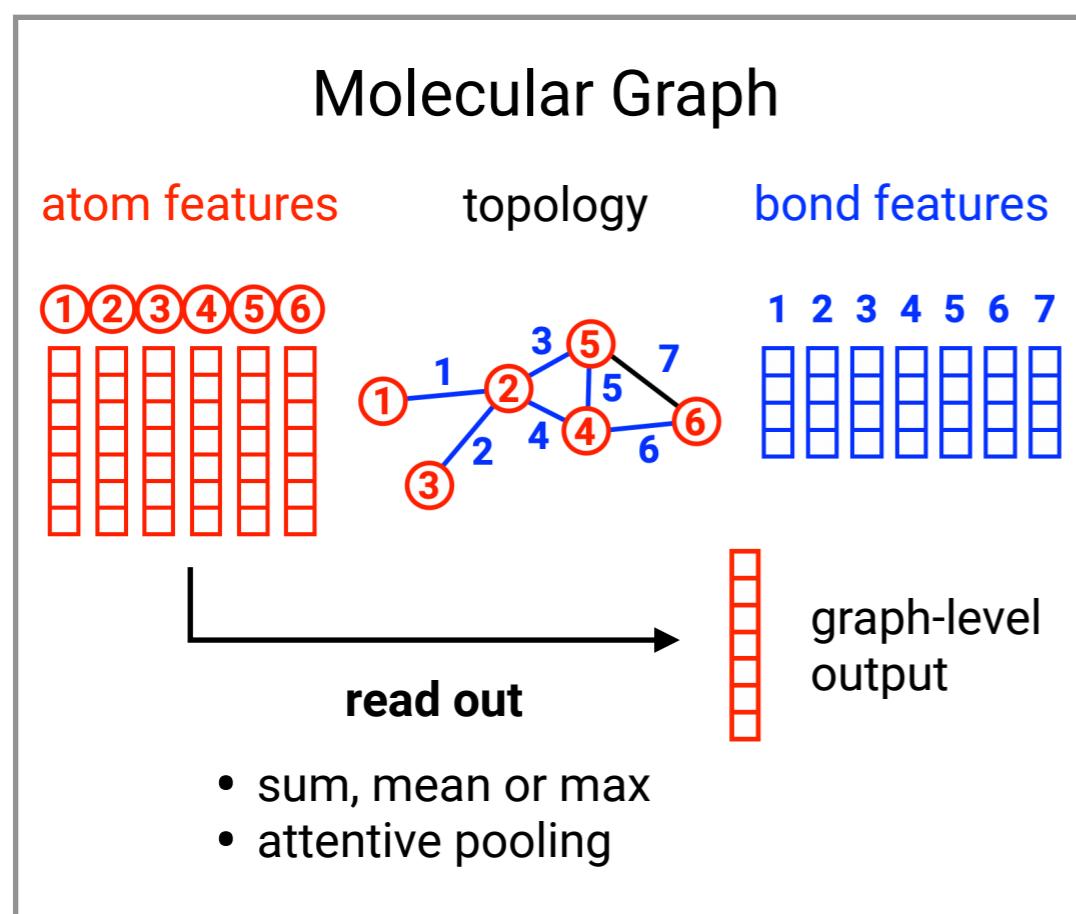
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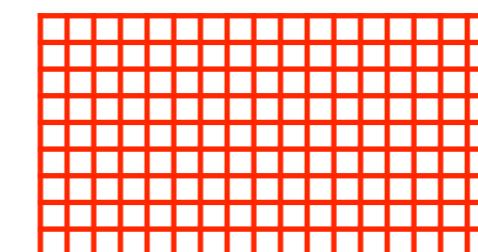


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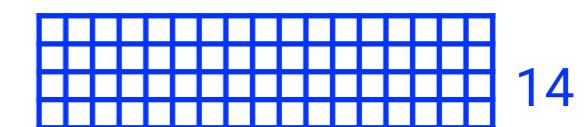


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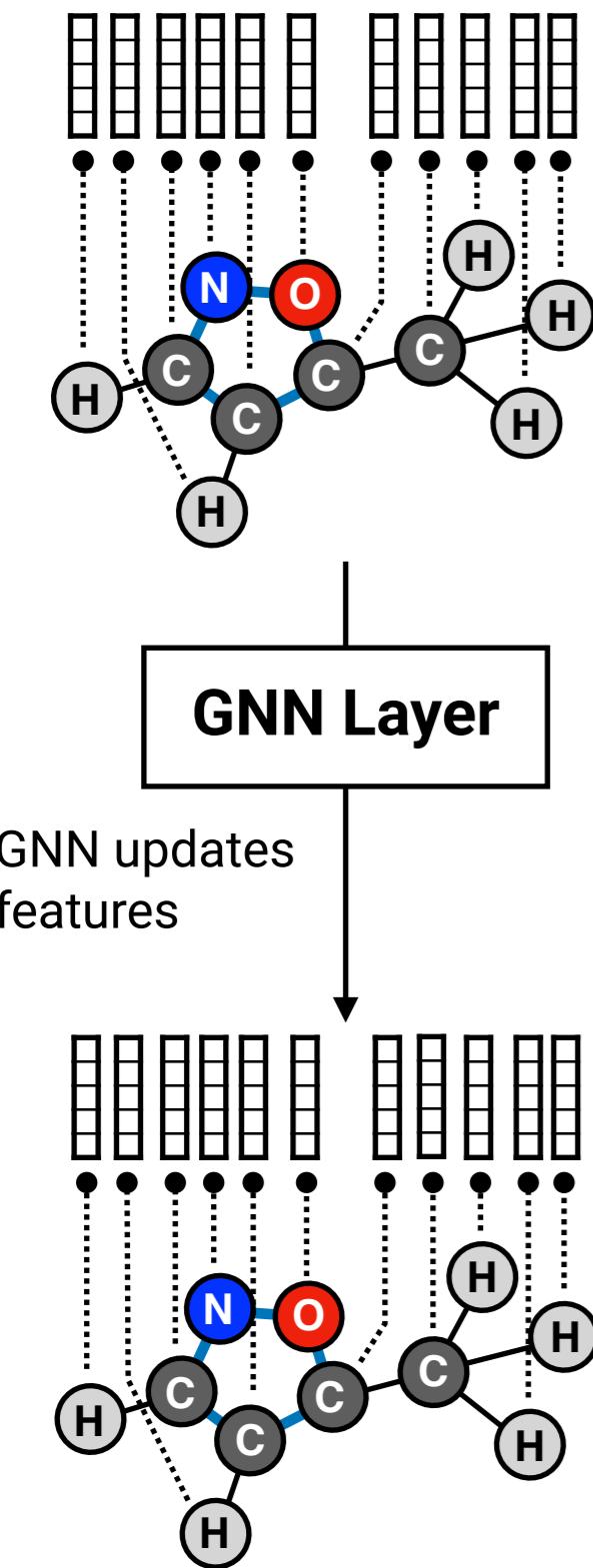
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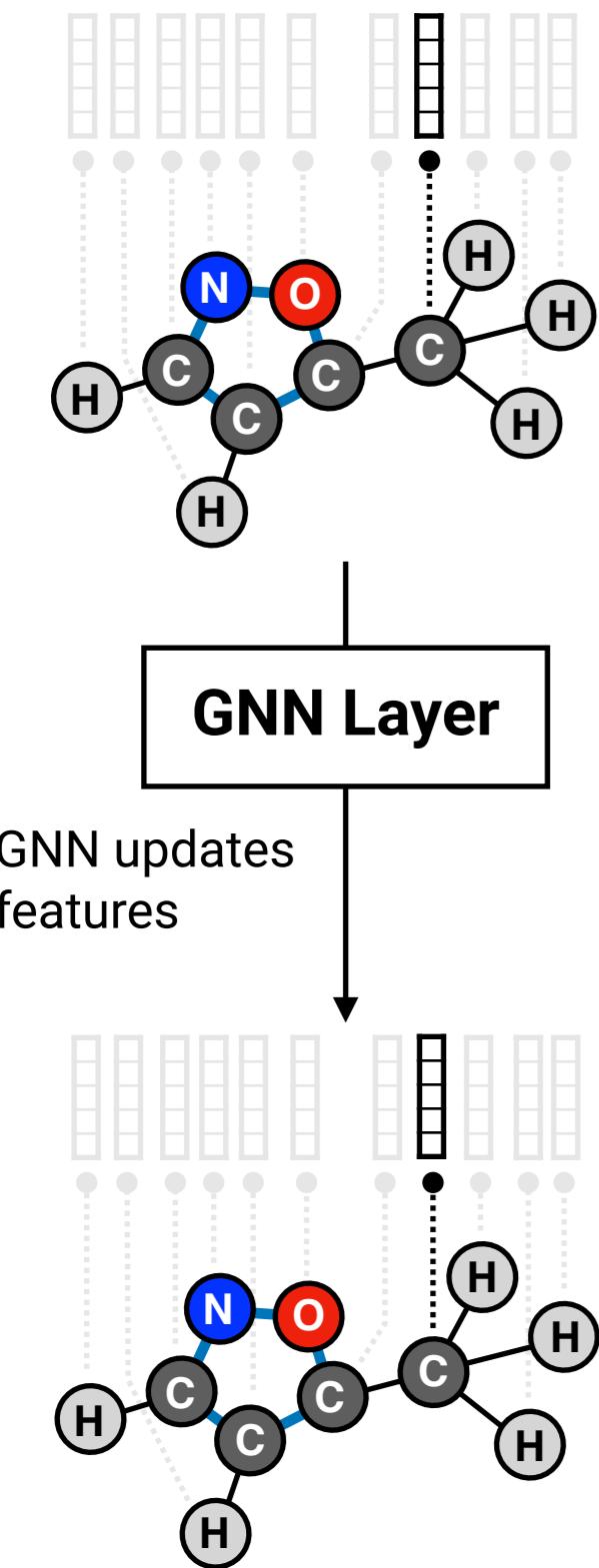
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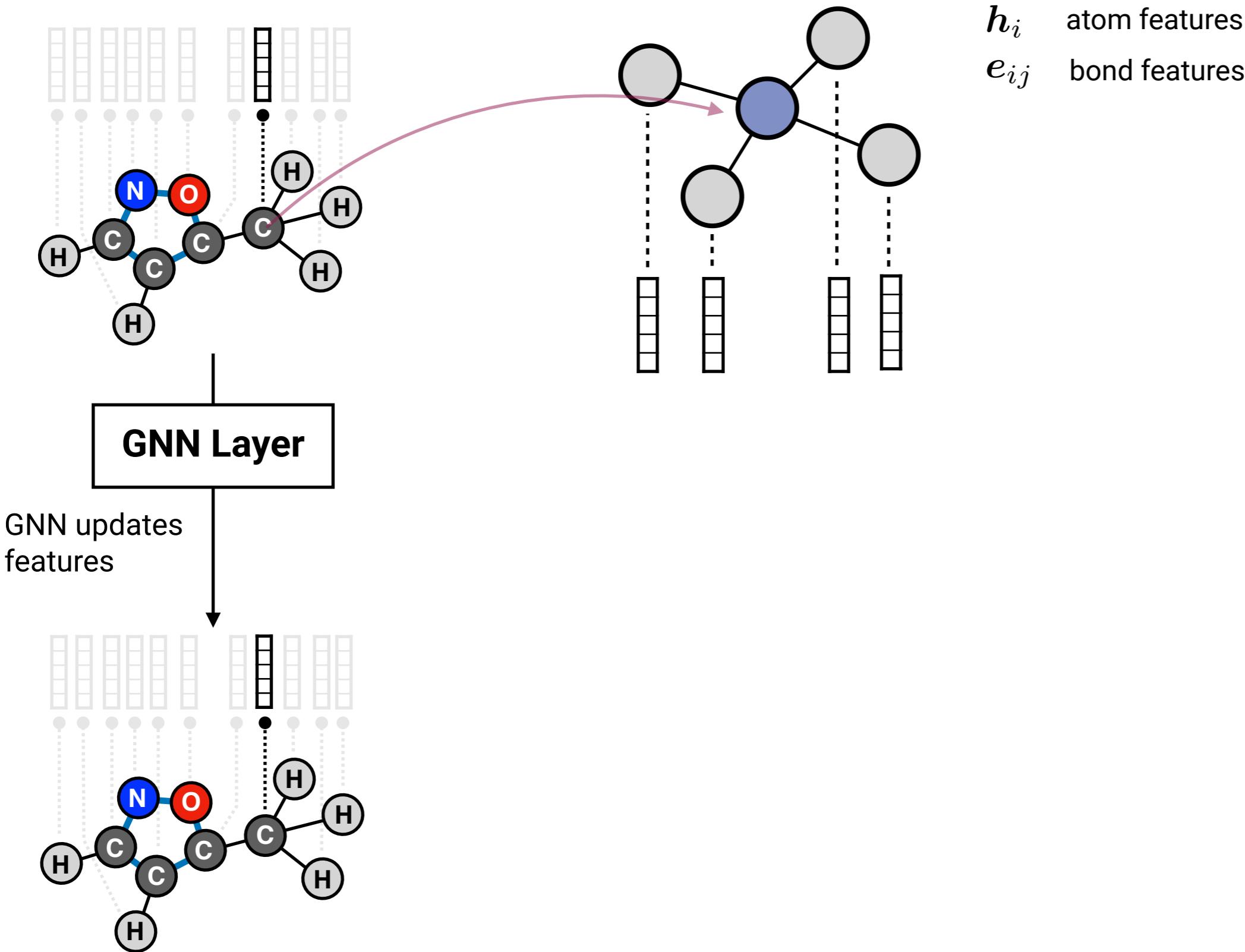
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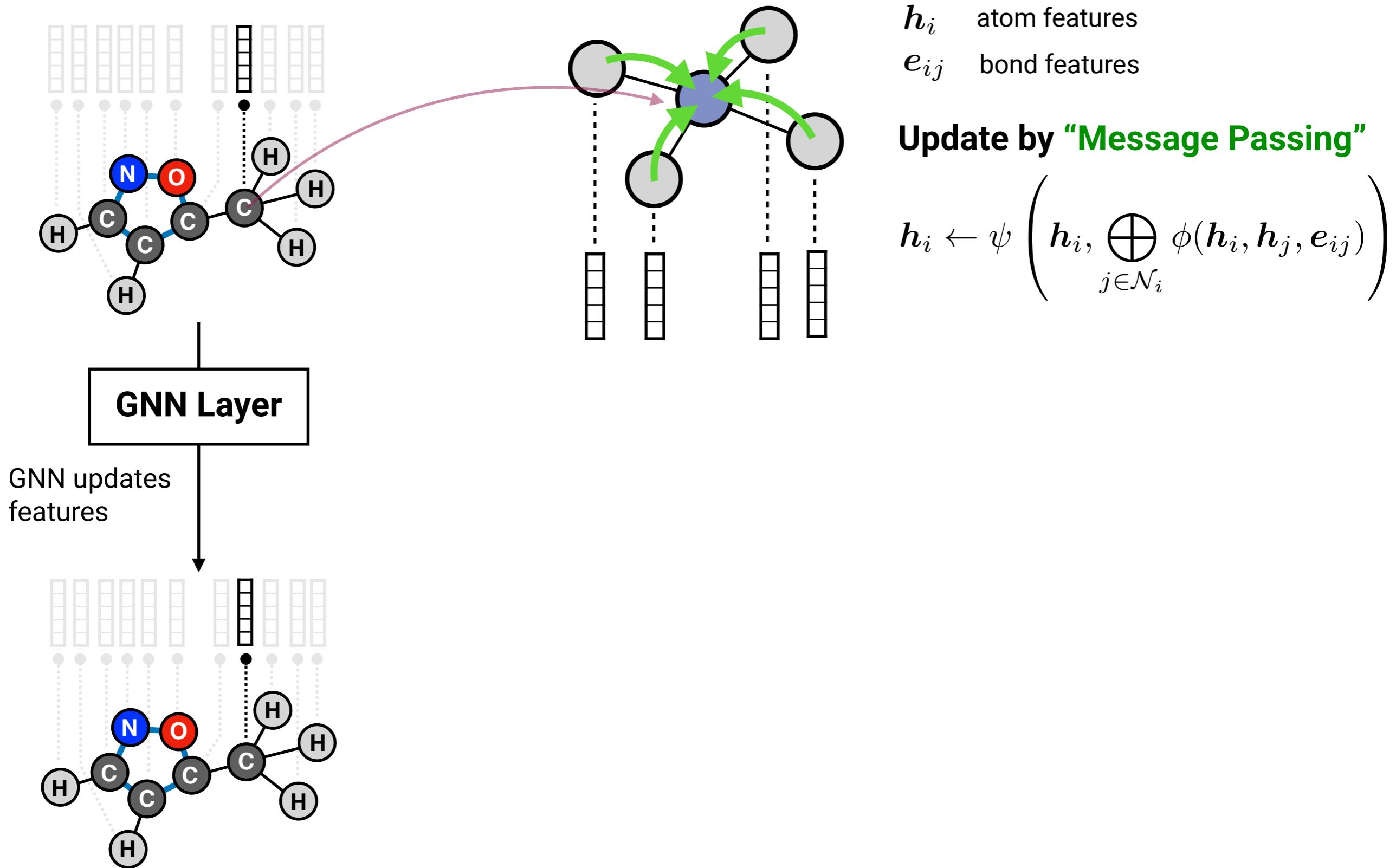
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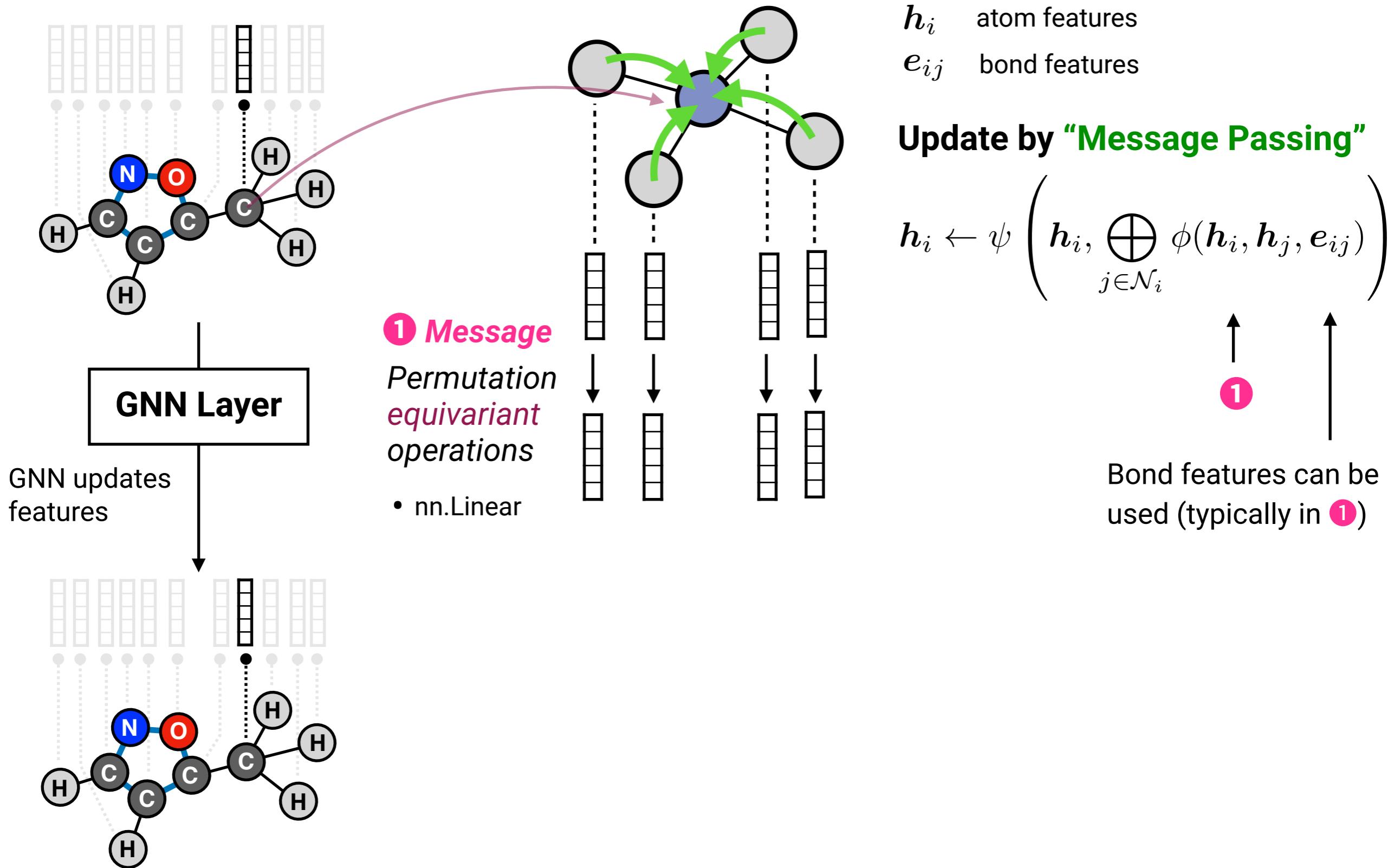
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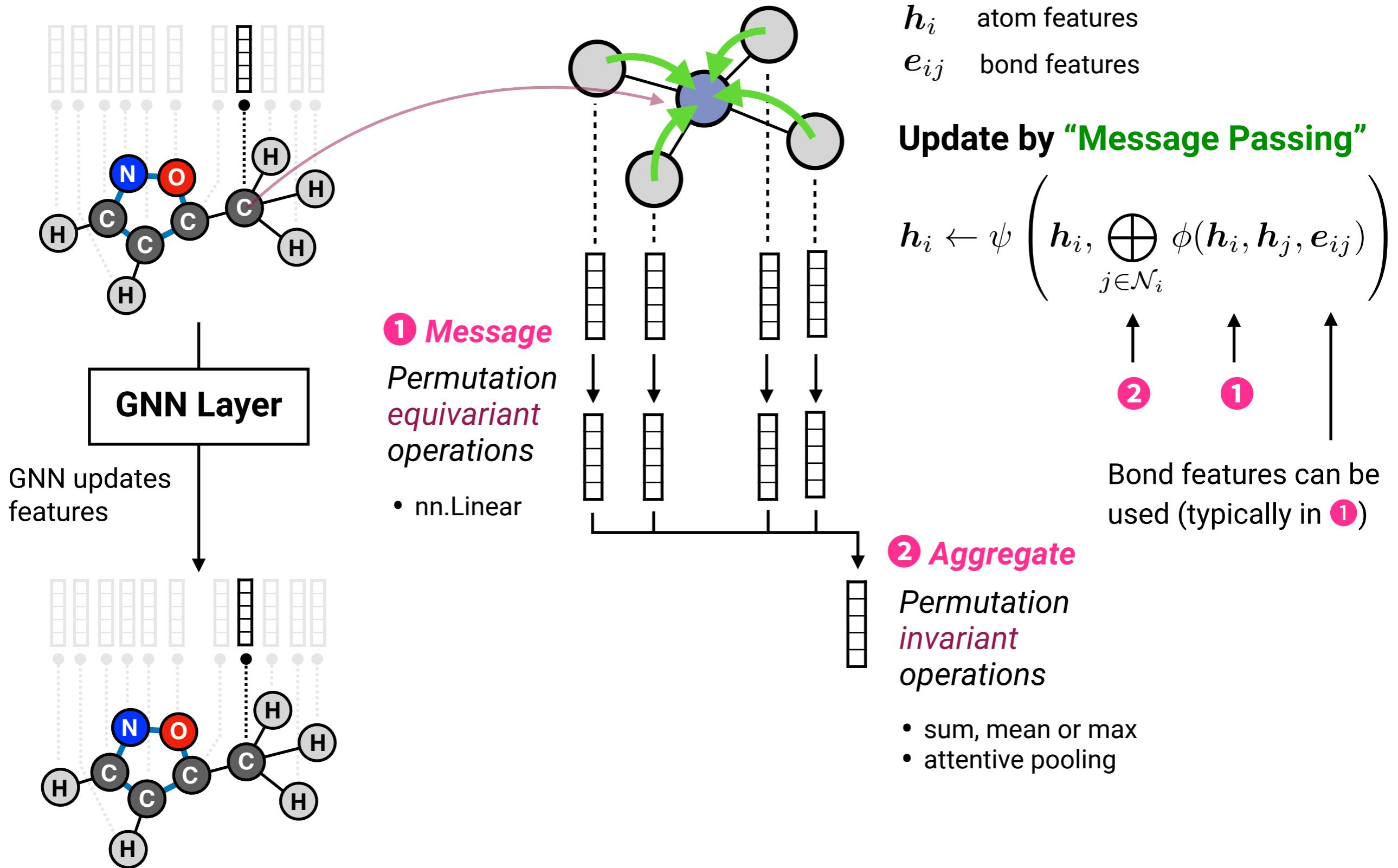
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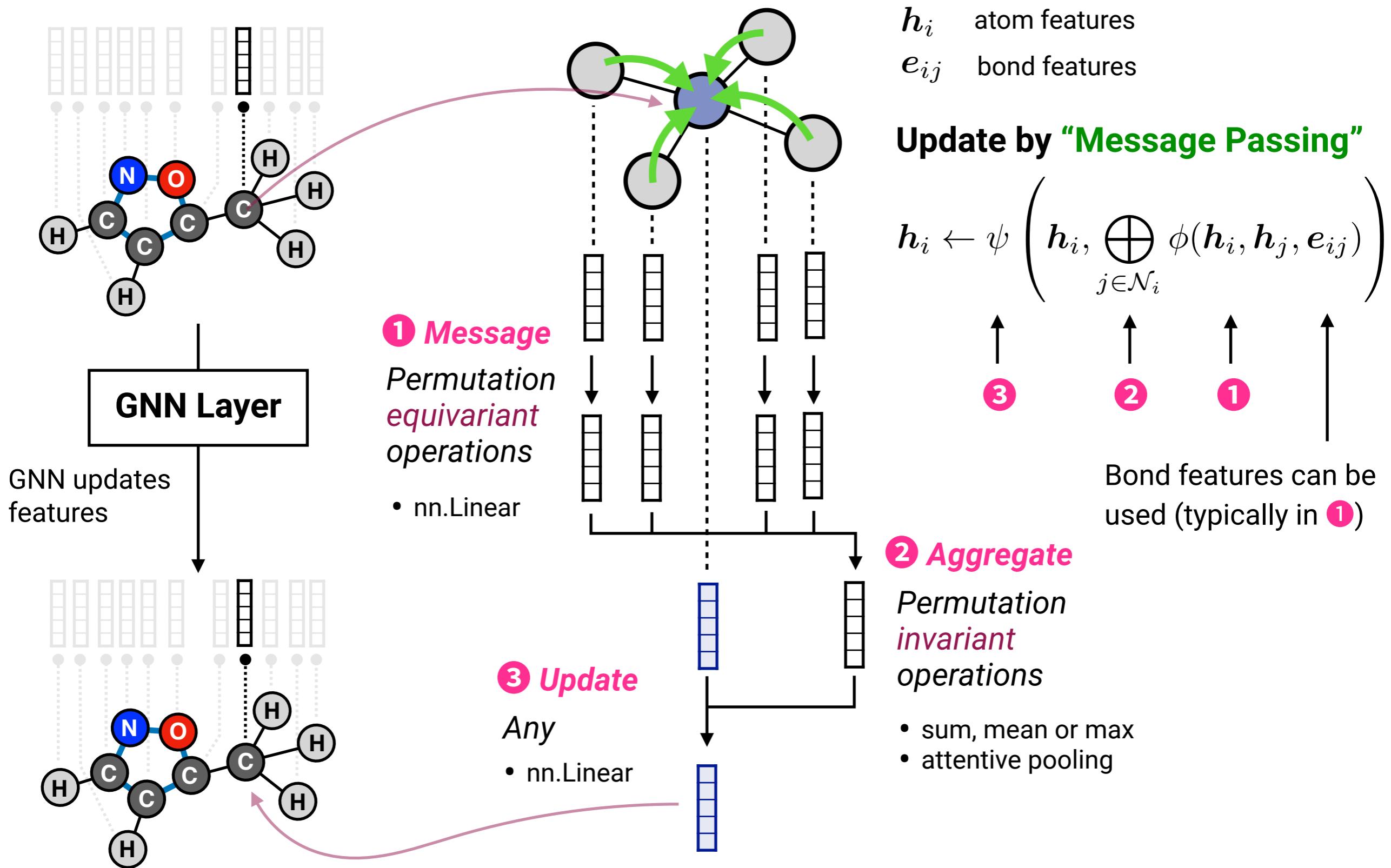
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# Graph Neural Networks (GNNs)



# Use Case 1: Virtual Screening (QSAR/QSPR)

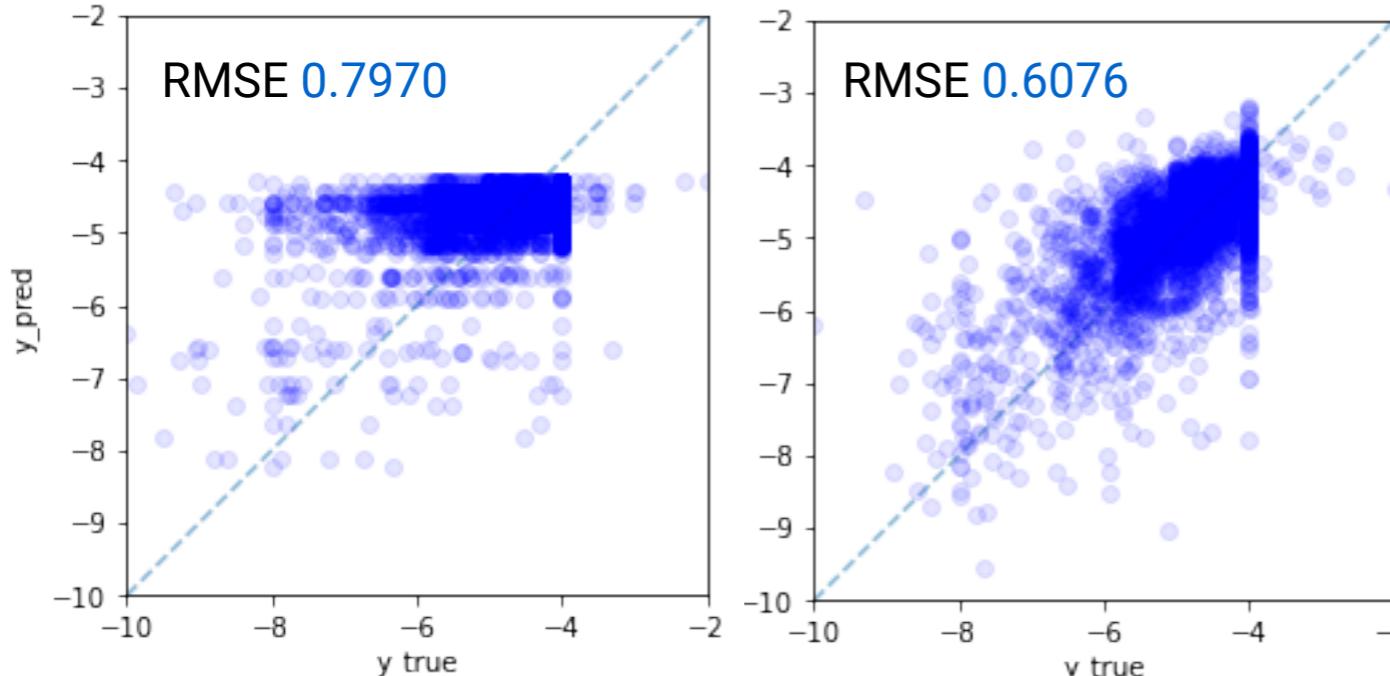
## Performance for **unseen (test) data:**

Active/Inactive (Classification), LogGI50 (Regression)

### *Standard ML*

ExtraTrees  
w/ ECFP6(1024)

- Classification accuracy  
**95.079%** (Active/Inactive)
- Regression for LogGI50



*Disclaimer:* This is just for a toy demo. This should be taken as classification for ACTIVITY\_OUTCOME (Active or Inactive)

### *GNN*

ChemProp  
(Directed MPNN)

- Classification accuracy  
**95.604%** (Active/Inactive)
- Regression for LogGI50

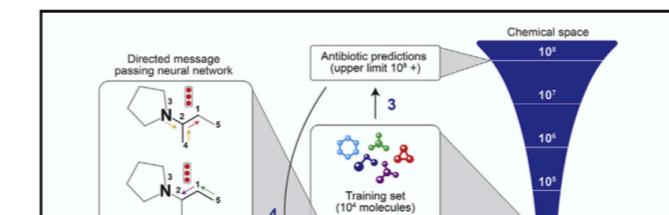
## ChemProp (Yang et al, 2019)

from MIT MLPDS (Machine Learning for Pharmaceutical Discovery and Synthesis) Consortium

## Cell

### A Deep Learning Approach to Antibiotic Discovery

#### Graphical Abstract



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Stokes et al, *Cell* (2020) <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cell.2020.01.021>

## nature

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### Powerful antibiotics discovered using AI

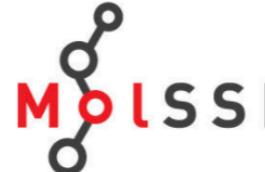
Machine learning spots molecules that work even against ‘untreatable’ strains of bacteria.

Jo Marchant

Marchant, *Nature* (2020) <https://doi.org/10.1038/d41586-020-00018-3>

# Use Case 2: Quantum chemistry

[https://qcarchive.molssi.org/apps/ml\\_datasets/](https://qcarchive.molssi.org/apps/ml_datasets/)


Machine Learning Datasets Repository

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Name	↑↓	Quality	↑↓	Data Points	↑↓	Elements	↑↓	Sampling	↑↓	Download
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+ ANI-1x	↑↓	DFT	↑↓	4,956,005	↑↓	C H N O	↑↓	MD,NMS,DS,TS	↑↓	<a href="#">Download HDF5</a>
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Description

Small organic molecules with up to 9 heavy atoms sampled from GDB-17, optimized at the B3LYP/6-31G(2df,p) level of theory. Ground state, orbital, and thermodynamic properties are available (at the B3LYP/6-31G(2df,p) level). All molecules are neutral singlets. This dataset was sourced from [quantum-machine.org](#) and [qmml.org](#).

Elements: C H F N O

Labels

energy homo lumo polarizability dipole frequency zpve  
enthalpy free energy heat capacity rotational constant

Tags

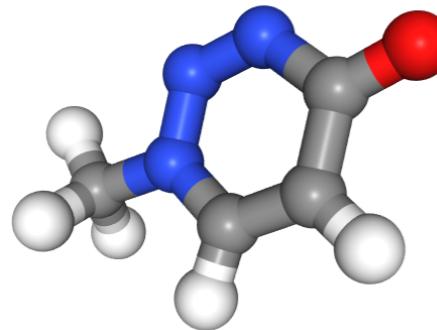
organic thermodynamics GDB

Citations

- Blum, L. C. & Reymond, J.-L. 970 million druglike small molecules for virtual screening in the chemical universe database GDB-13.

# Use Case 2: Quantum chemistry

input



gdb\_21014

	x	y	z
O	0.314096	-0.129589	-0.389150
C	0.111219	2.102676	-0.051749
C	2.331344	3.941075	0.212303
O	4.667017	2.677399	0.437948
C	6.152491	3.062553	-1.780599
C	4.732264	5.009654	-3.282819
C	2.562527	5.549427	-2.143825
H	-1.771427	3.048695	0.071772
H	1.977918	5.086871	1.919865
H	8.050245	3.696867	-1.222422
H	6.372399	1.276980	-2.825015
H	5.428656	5.805758	-5.033531
H	1.118529	6.857080	-2.763050

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Quantum chemical calculations

by solving a one-electron Schrödinger equation (Kohn–Sham equation)

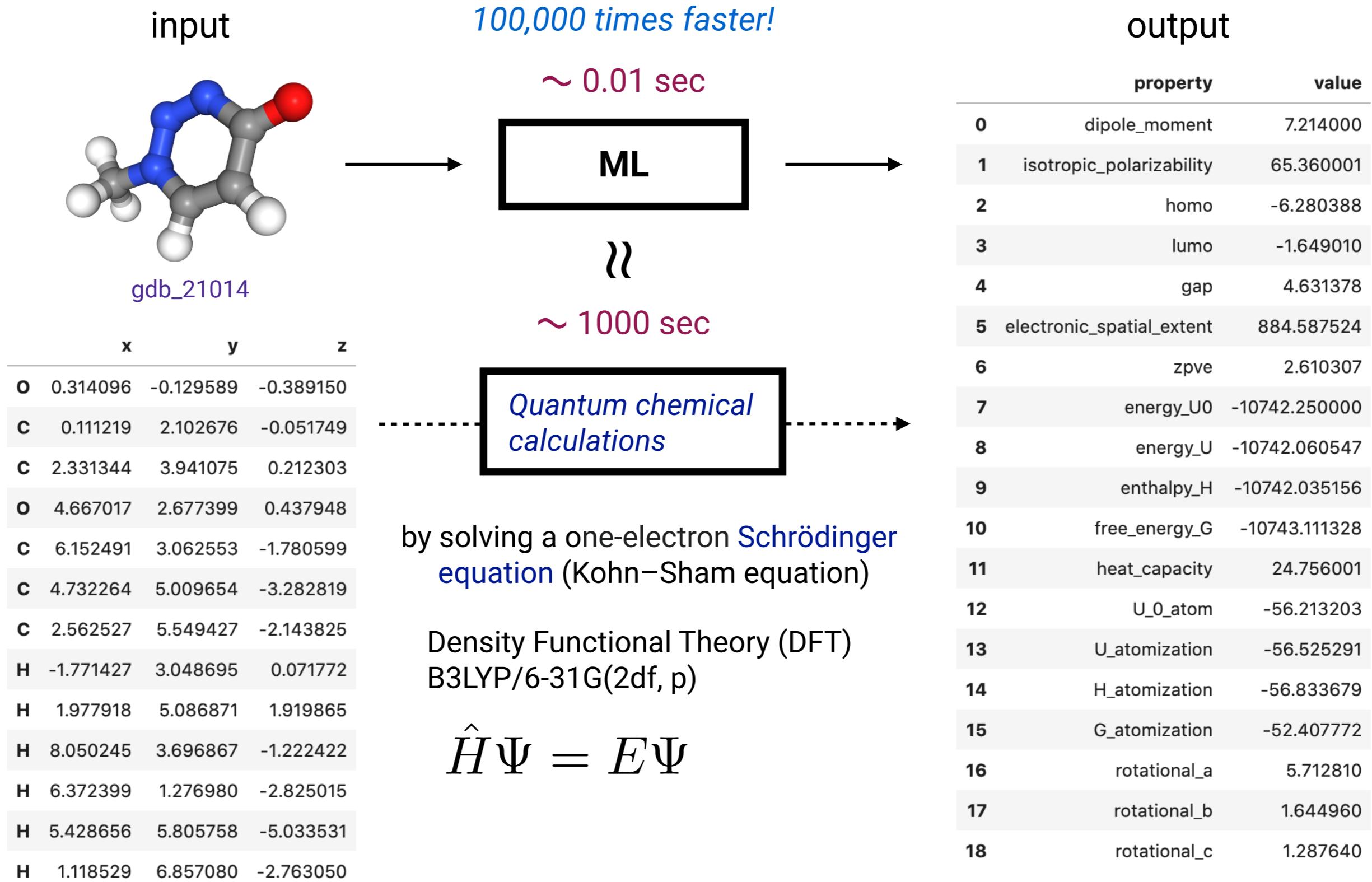
Density Functional Theory (DFT)  
B3LYP/6-31G(2df, p)

$$\hat{H}\Psi = E\Psi$$

output

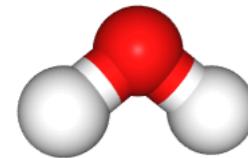
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1	isotropic_polarizability	65.360001
2	homo	-6.280388
3	lumo	-1.649010
4	gap	4.631378
5	electronic_spatial_extent	884.587524
6	zpve	2.610307
7	energy_U0	-10742.250000
8	energy_U	-10742.060547
9	enthalpy_H	-10742.035156
10	free_energy_G	-10743.111328
11	heat_capacity	24.756001
12	U_0_atom	-56.213203
13	U_atomization	-56.525291
14	H_atomization	-56.833679
15	G_atomization	-52.407772
16	rotational_a	5.712810
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input molecule H<sub>2</sub>O



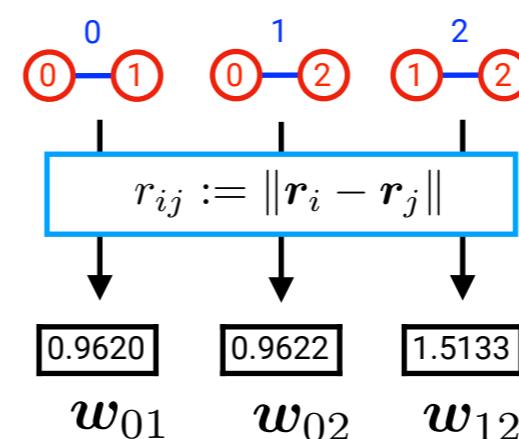
gdb\_3

	x	y	z	AN
O	-0.0344	0.9775	0.0076	8
H	0.0648	0.0206	0.0015	1
H	0.8718	1.3008	0.0007	1

atom features

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \textcircled{0} & \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{2} \\ \boxed{8} & \boxed{1} & \boxed{1} \\ \boldsymbol{x}_0 & \boldsymbol{x}_1 & \boldsymbol{x}_2 \end{array}$$

bond features

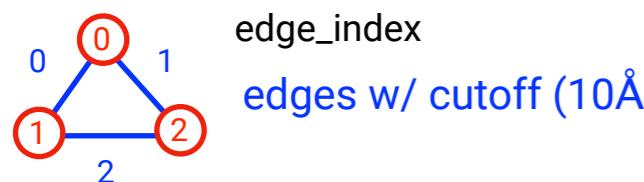


**SchNet (Schütt et al, 2017)**

Message Passing with residual connections

$$\boldsymbol{x}_i \leftarrow \boldsymbol{x}_i + \psi \left( \sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}_i} \phi(\boldsymbol{x}_j) \odot \omega_{ij} \right)$$

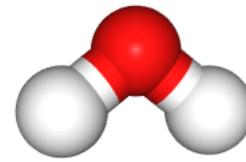
graph (SchNet)



$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_0 &= [-0.0344, 0.9775, 0.0076] & Z_0 &= 8 \\ \mathbf{r}_1 &= [0.0648, 0.0206, 0.0015] & Z_1 &= 1 \\ \mathbf{r}_2 &= [0.8718, 1.3008, 0.0007] & Z_2 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

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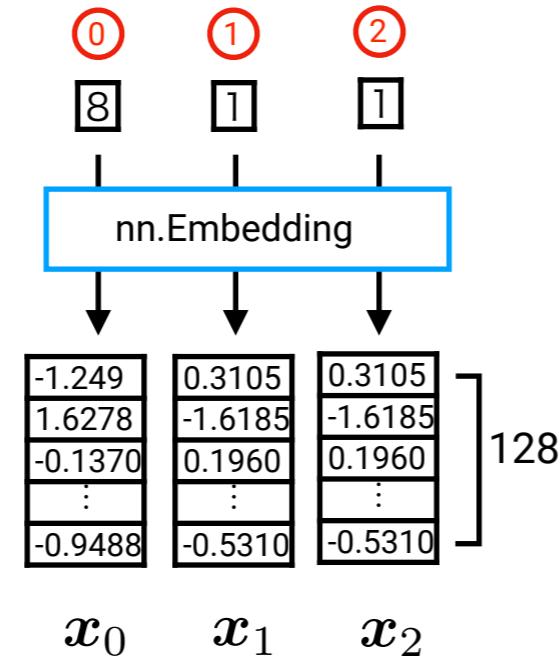
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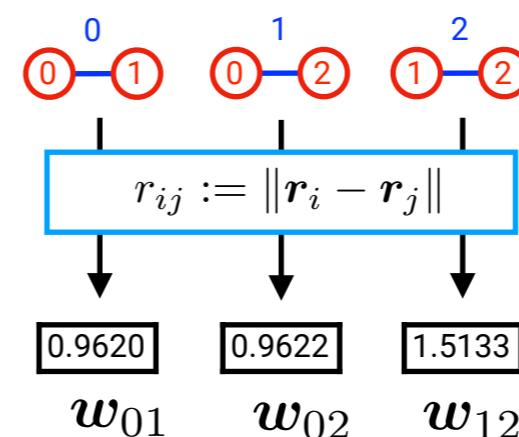
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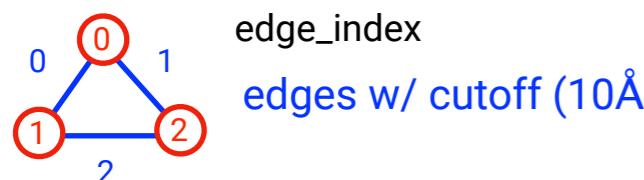


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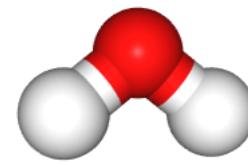
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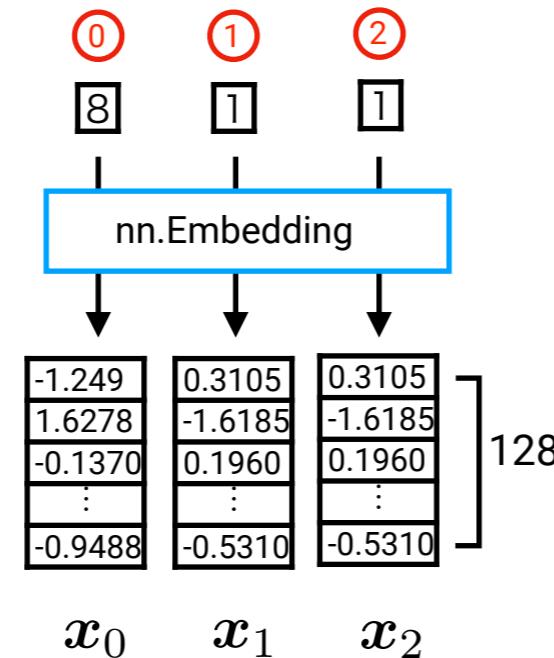
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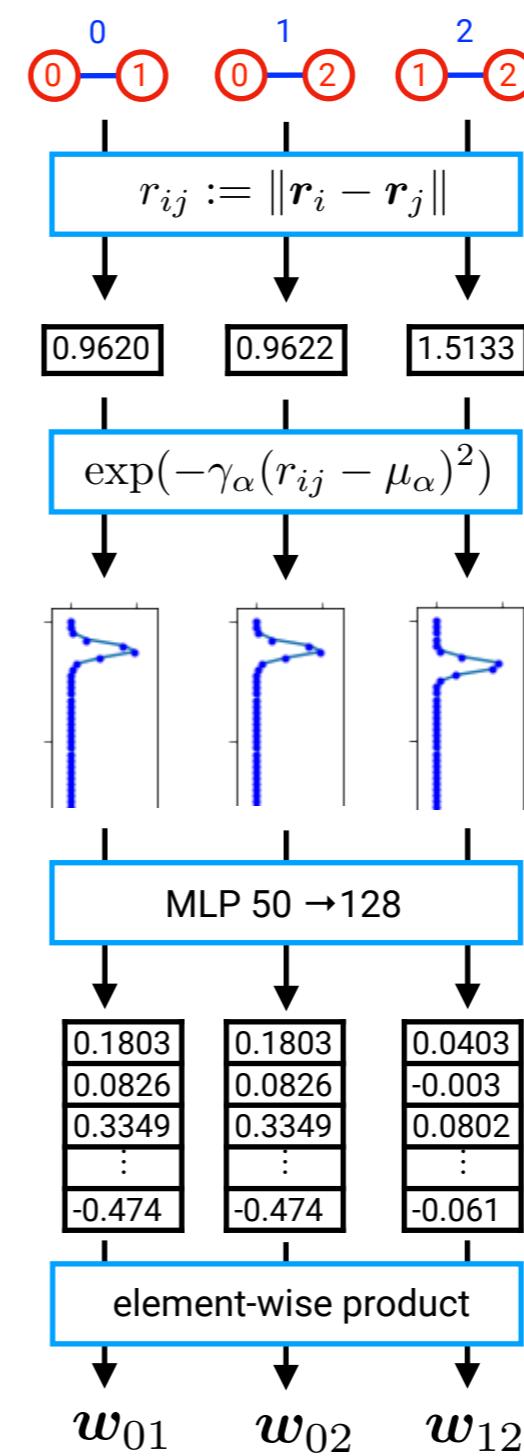
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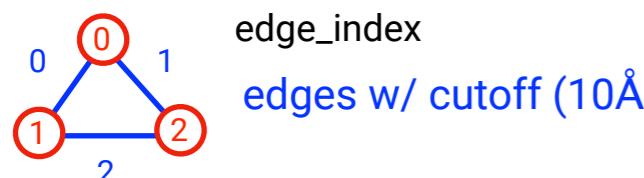


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cutoff function

$$\frac{1}{2} \left( \cos \left( \frac{\pi r_{ij}}{r_c} \right) + 1 \right)$$

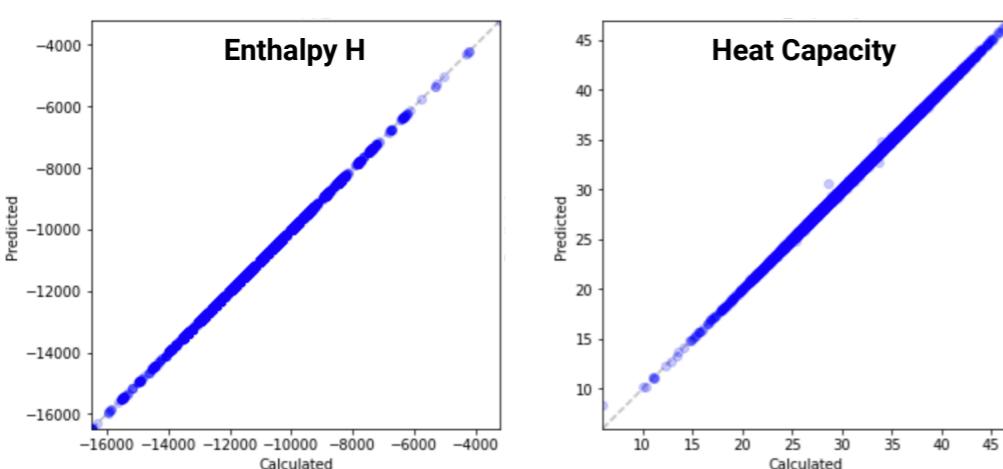
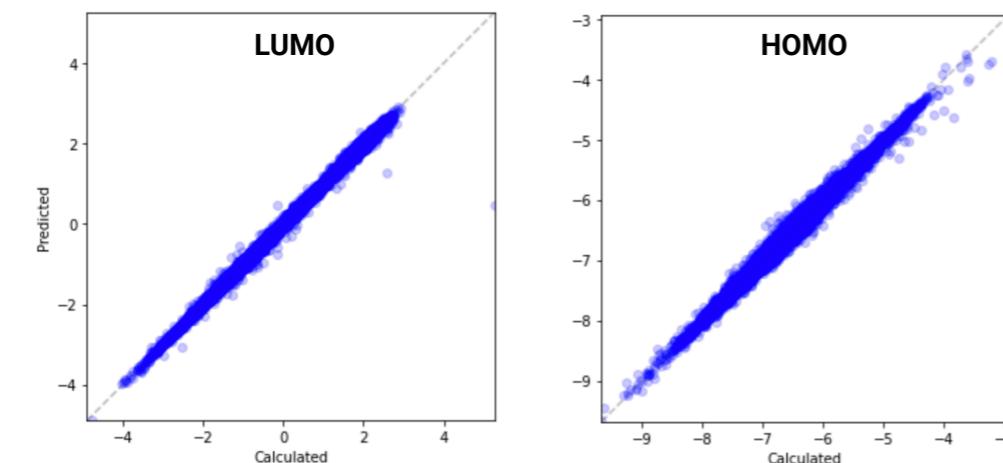
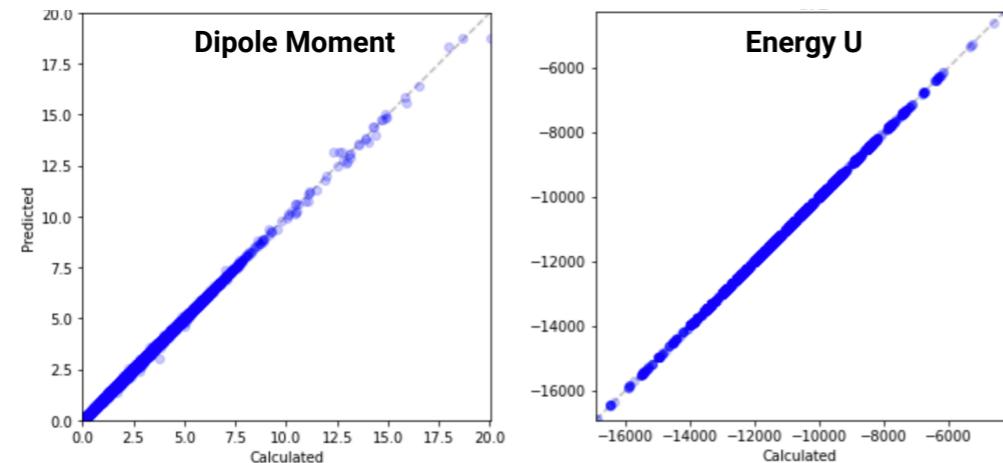
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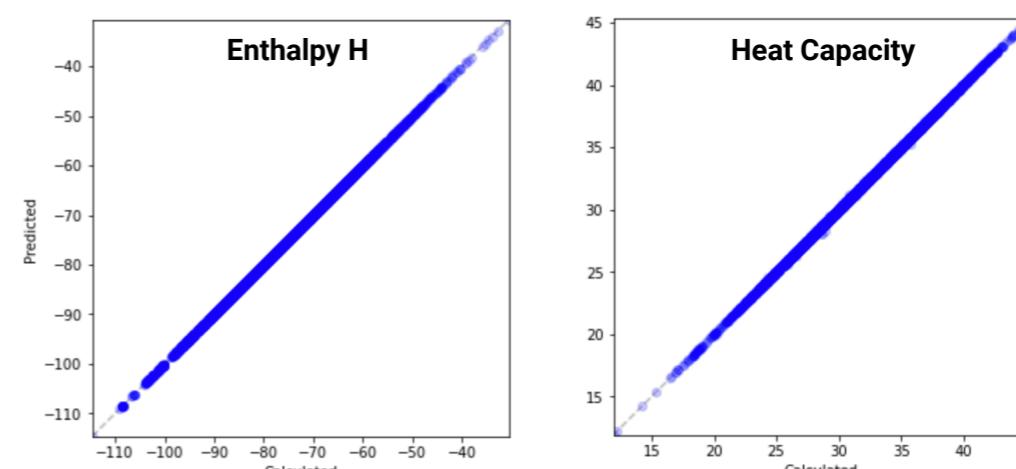
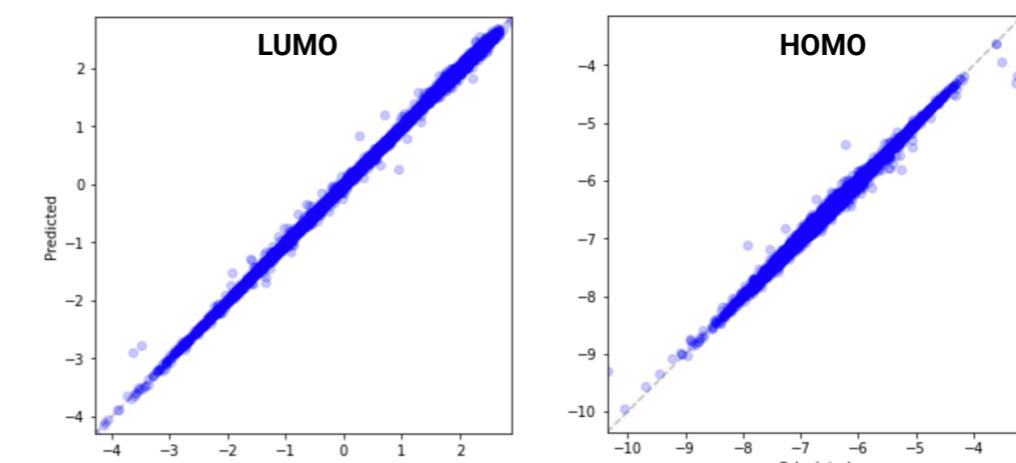
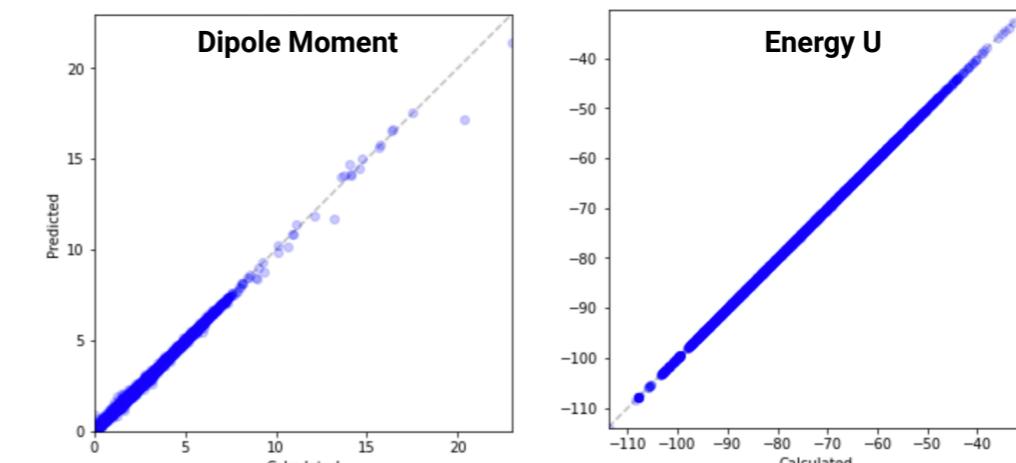
Weighted ACSFs (ACSFs = atom-centered symmetry functions)  
for Behler-Parrinello potentials

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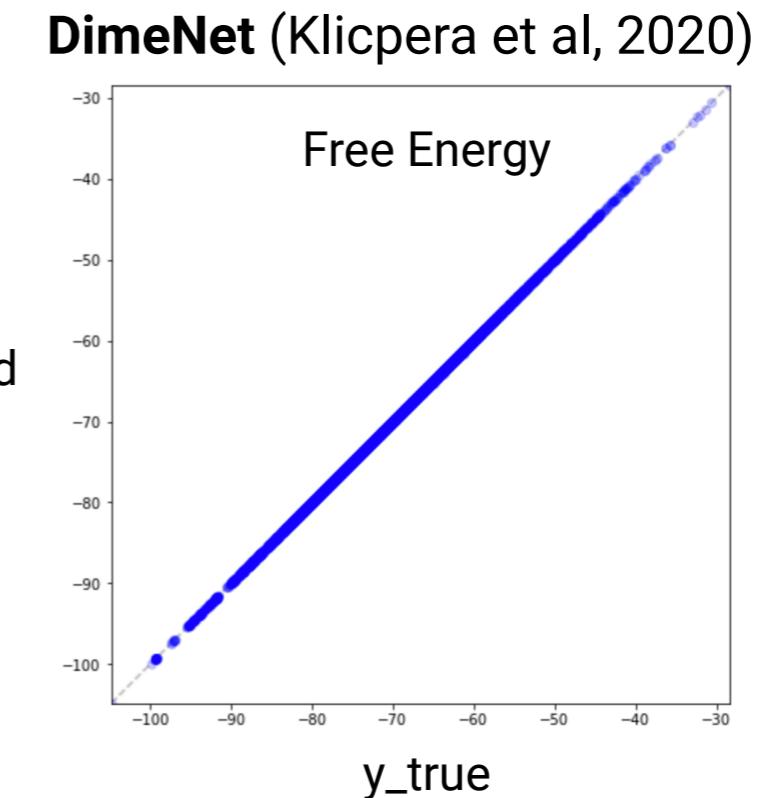
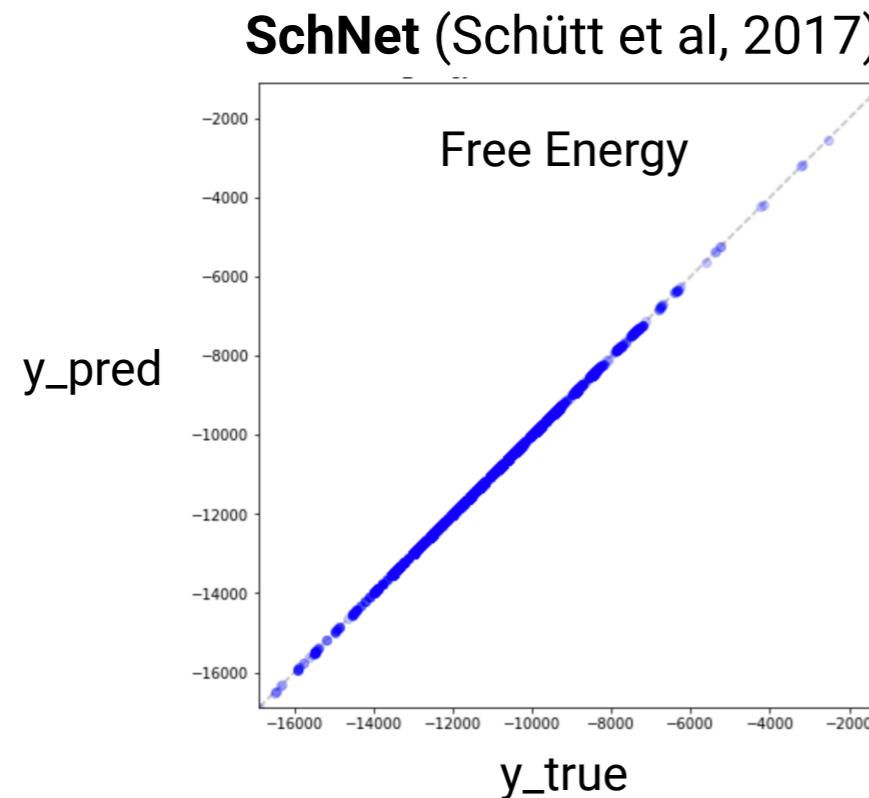
pred vs true for **SchNet** (Schütt et al, 2017)



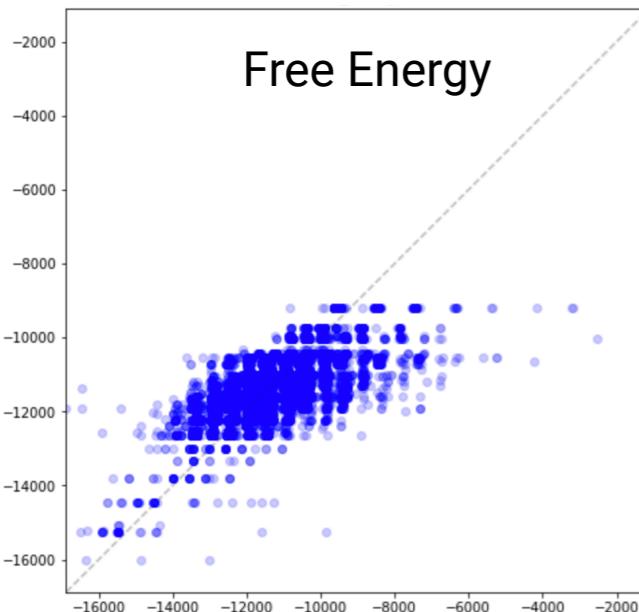
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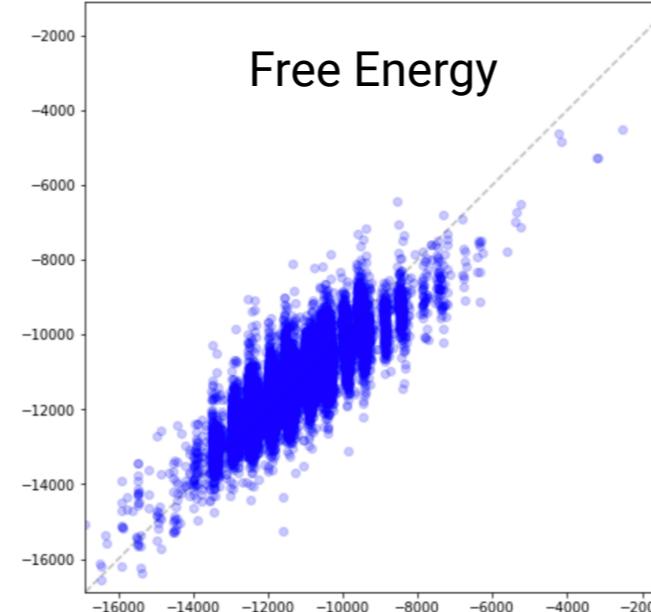
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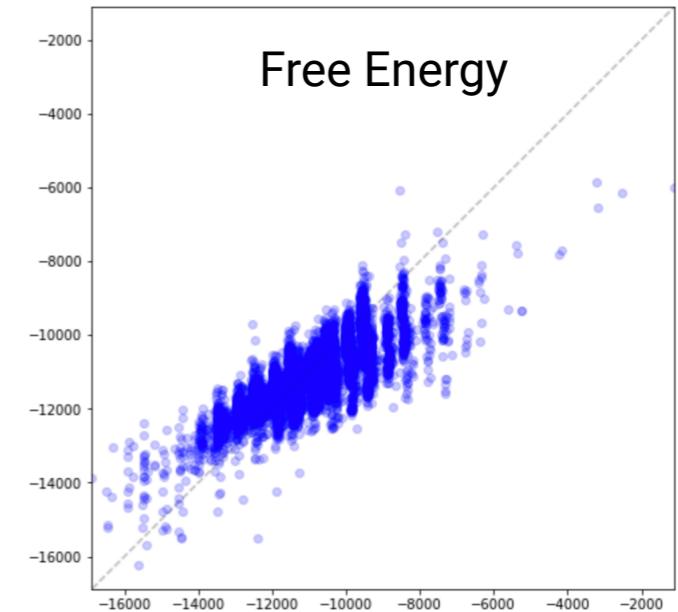
**ExtraTrees w/ ECFP6**  
(without 3D geometry)



**LightGBM w/ ECFP6**  
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**3-Layer MLP w/ ECFP6**  
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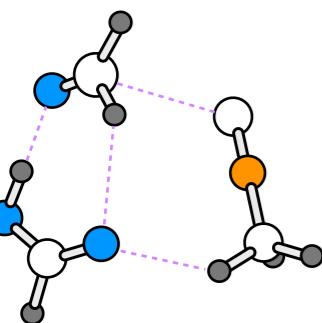


# Chemical Reaction Design and Discovery



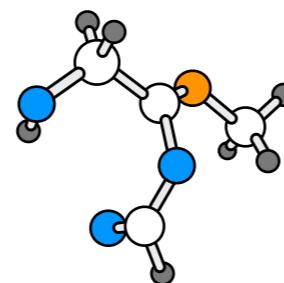
## Chemical Reaction

EQ1



*How we can have this?*

EQ2

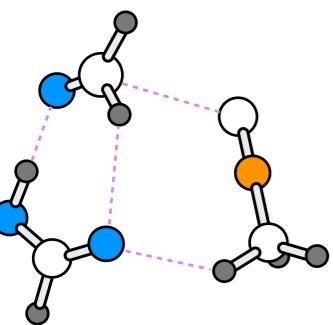


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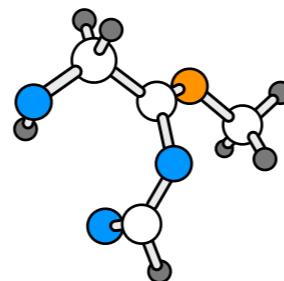


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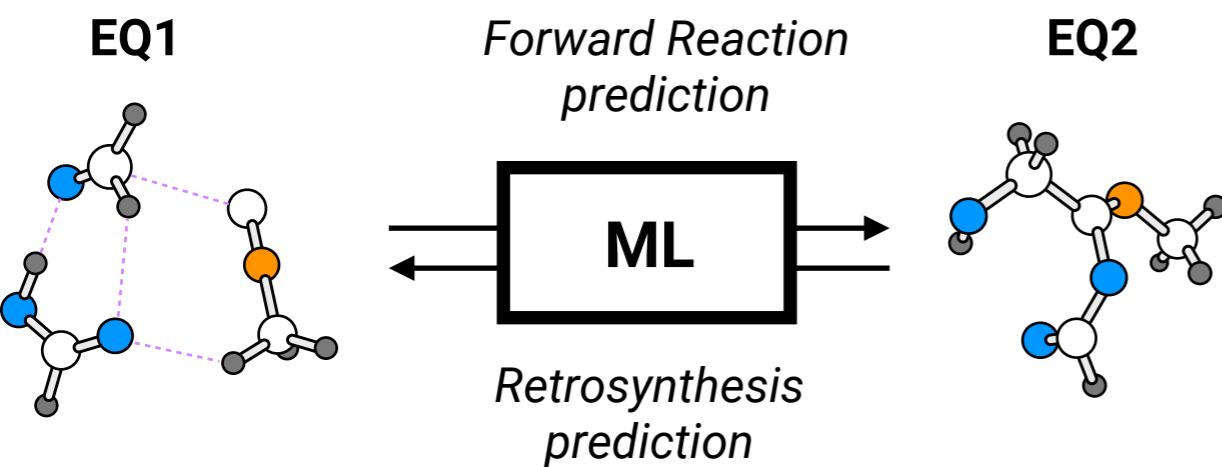
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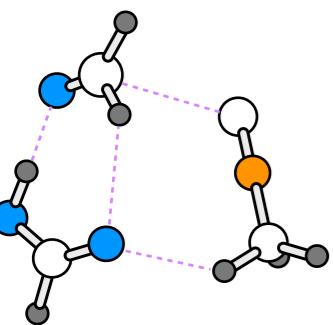


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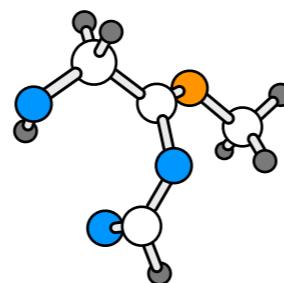


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EQ1



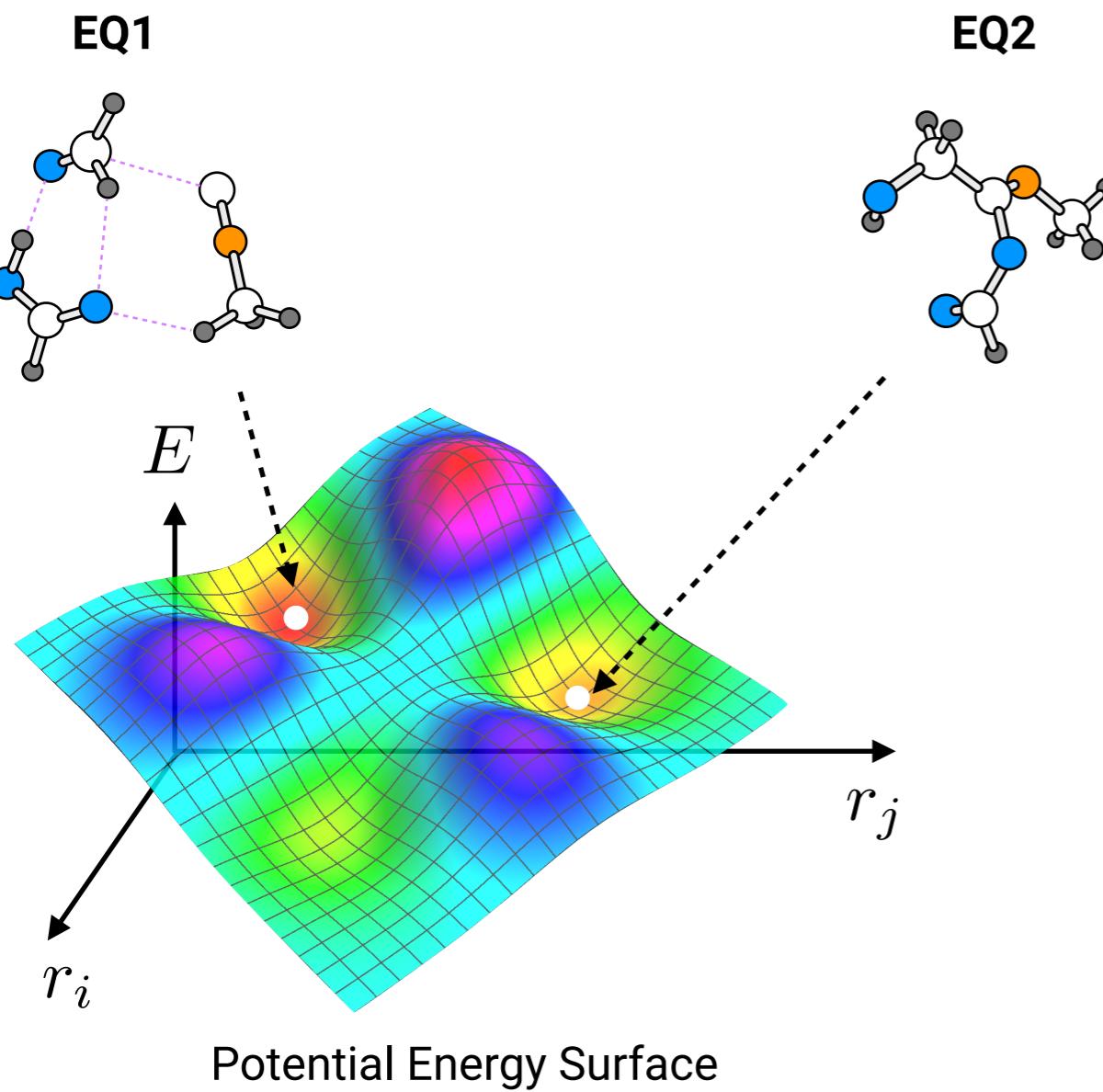
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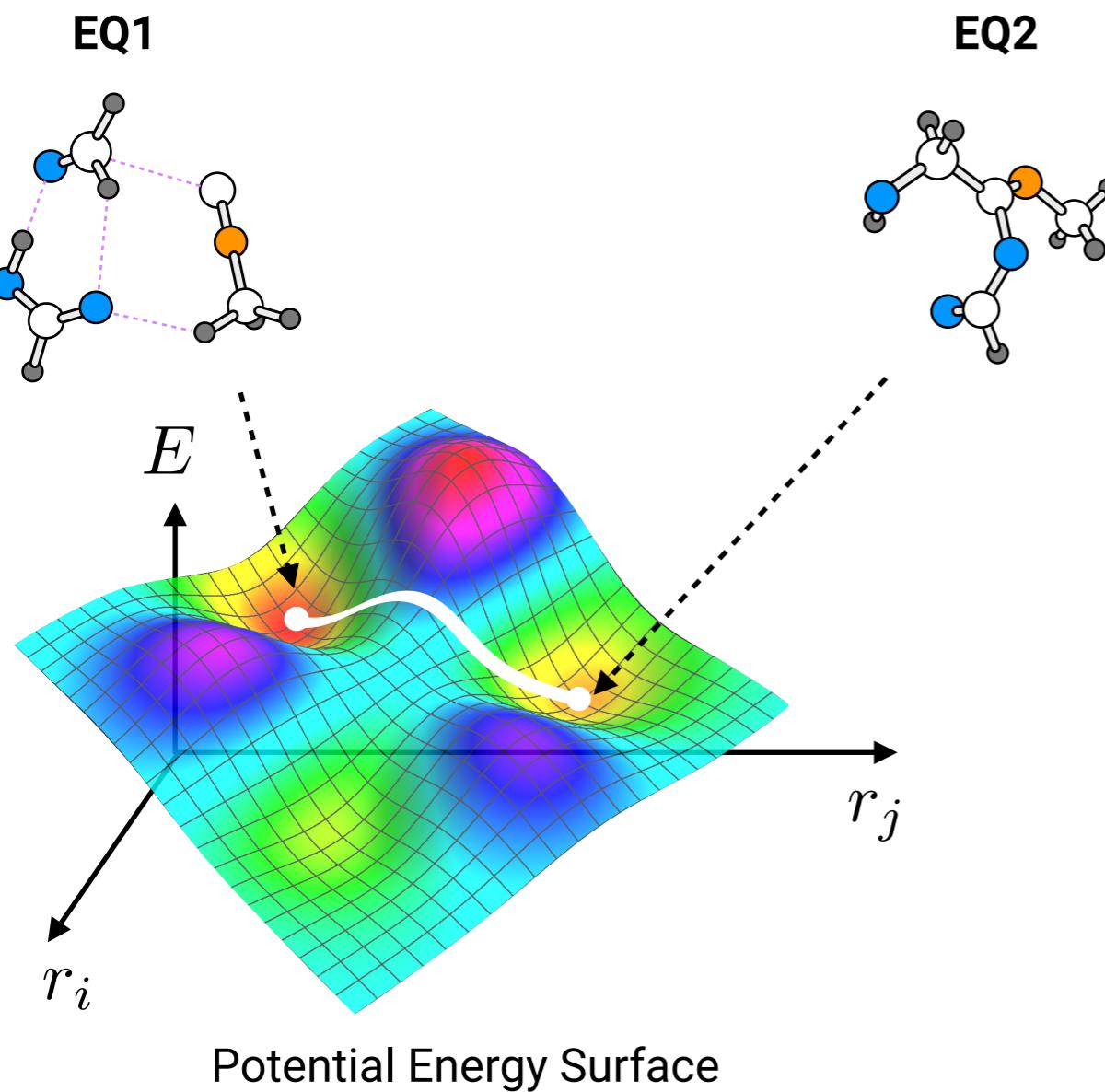
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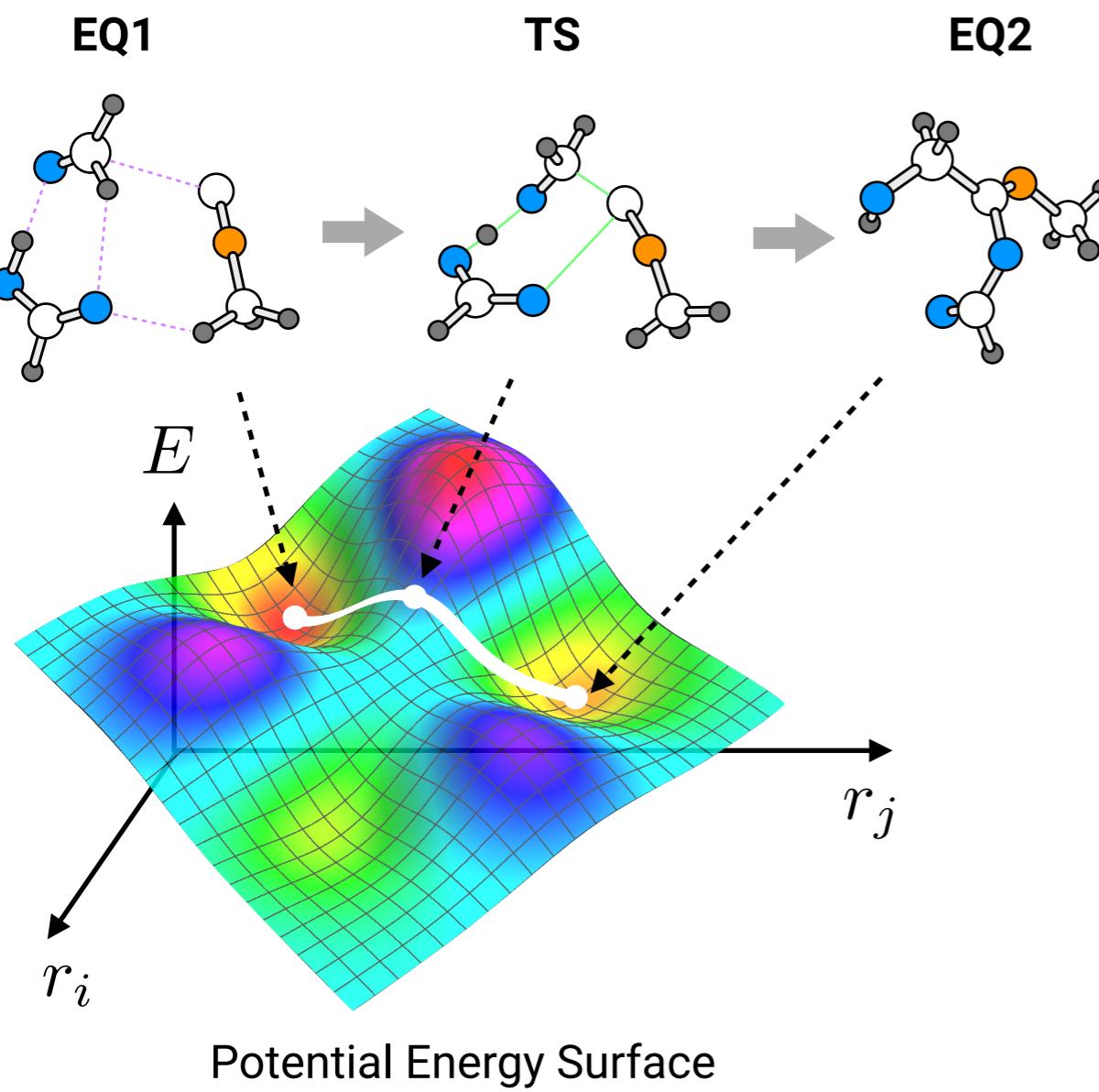
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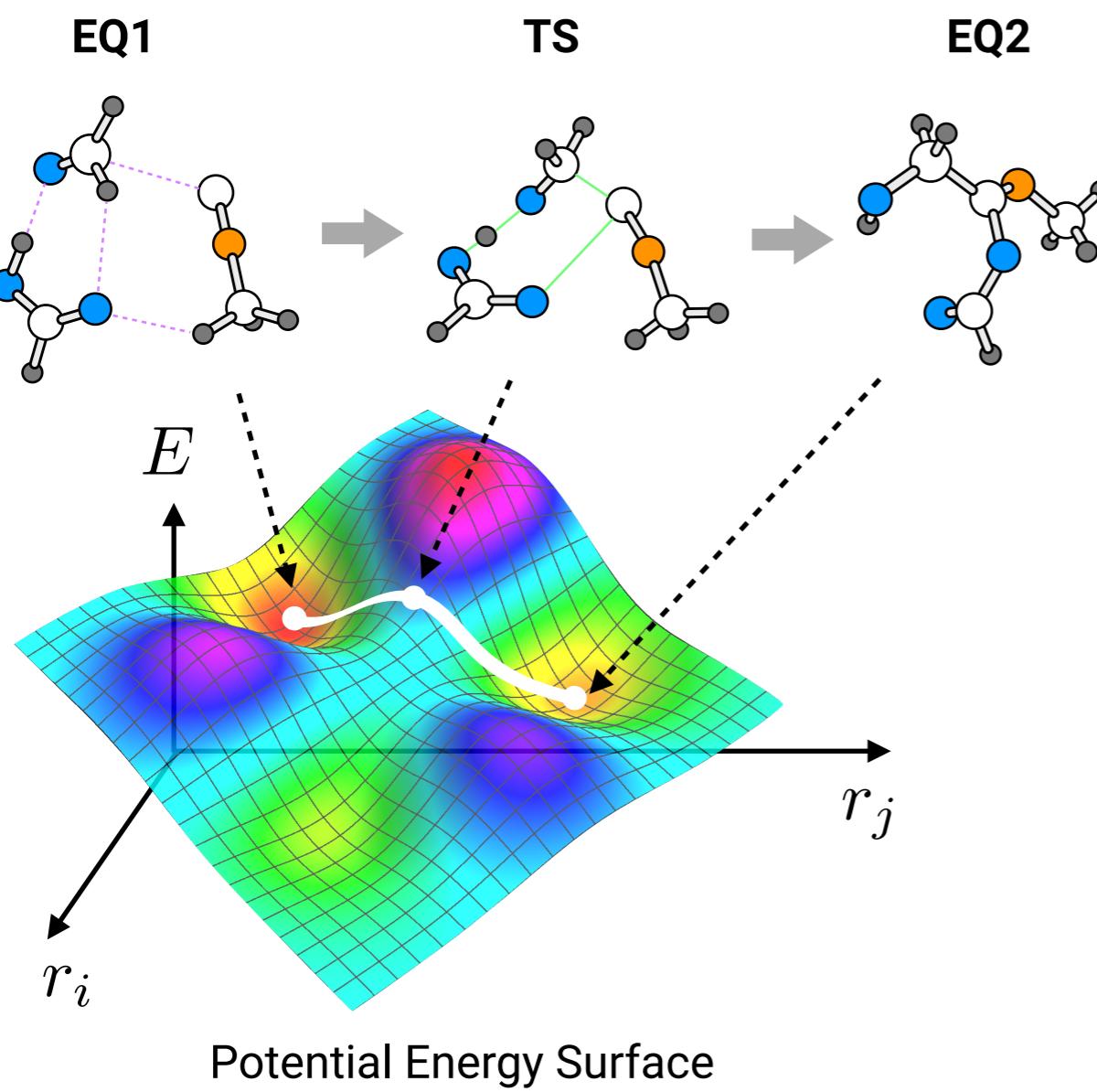
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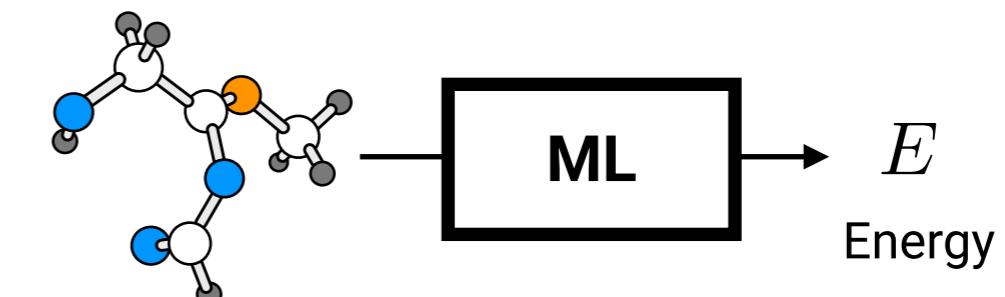


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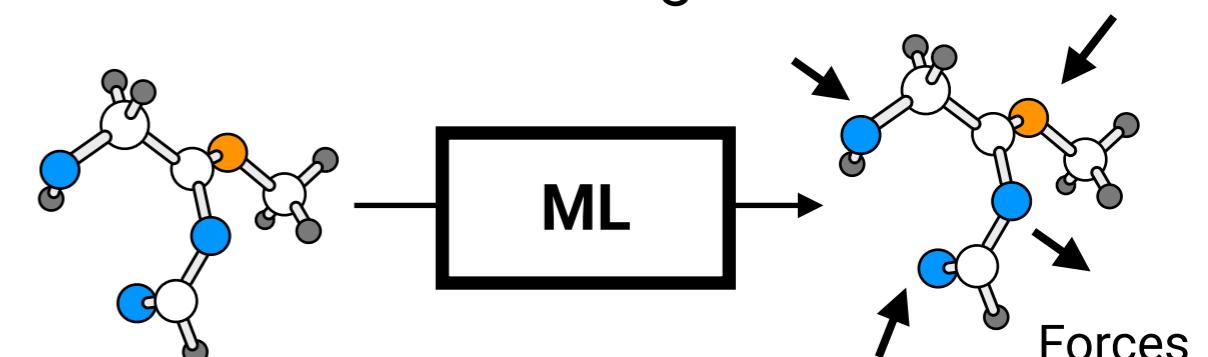


- Fill any gap between theory and experiments (reality) by data?

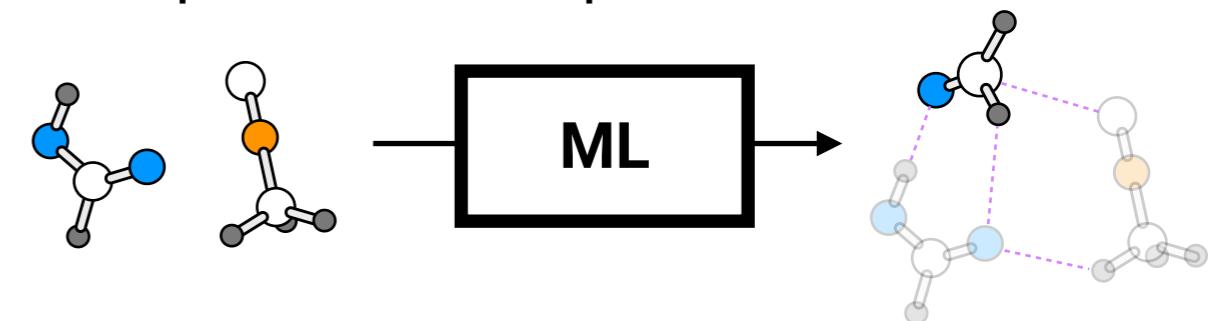
- Acceleration by ML potential?



- Artificial force learning?



- Scope/network expansion?



# Machine Learning and Machine Discovery



An exciting “real-world” test bench for ML researchers!

- **Machine Learning:** many fascinating technical topics of my long-standing interests on “ML with combinatorial structures” (such as GNNs)
- **Machine Discovery:** many long-standing important open problems towards “AI for automating discovery”

