# INF721

2024/2



# Deep Learning

L14: Recurrent Neural Networks (Part II)

# Logistics

#### Announcements

▶ PA3 is due this Wednesday, 11:59pm

#### **Last Lecture**

- Sequential Problems
- Recurrent Neural Networks
  - Hidden State
- Forward Pass
- ▶ Backward Pass (structure)

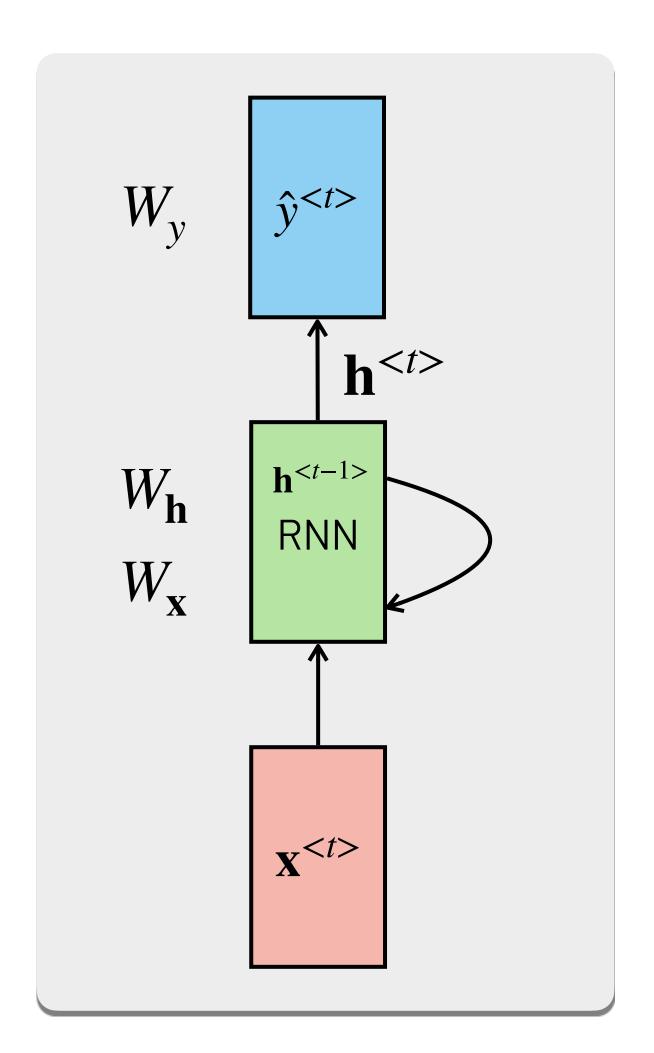


#### Lecture Outline

- Backpropagation
- ▶ Implementing RNNs
- Vanishing/Exploding Gradients
- LSTMs & GRUs
- Bidirectional RNN
- Deep RNNs



#### Recurrent Neural Networks (RNNs)



RNNs process each input element  $\mathbf{x}^{< t>}$  at a time, keeping a state (vector)  $\mathbf{h}^{< t>}$  that is updated at each time step t to produce the output  $\mathbf{y}^{< t>}$ 

$$\mathbf{h}^{} = g_1(W_h \mathbf{h}^{} + W_\mathbf{x} \mathbf{x}^{} + \mathbf{b}_h)$$
$$\hat{y}^{} = g_2(W_y \mathbf{h}^{} + \mathbf{b}_y)$$

- $ightharpoonup g_1$ : hidden layer activation function (tanh/relu)
- $\blacktriangleright$   $g_2$ : output layer activation function (sigmoid/softmax)



### Types of RNNs

Many to Many Many to Many (Seq2Seq) Many to one One to many one to one **Example Example Example** MLP Example Sentiment Analysis Machine Translation Image Description Named Entity Recognition



# Language Model

A Language Model predicts the next word (or character) from a textual context.

Language Modeling is a fundamental problem in Natural Language Processing!

# This lecture is very

context 
$$\{x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4\}$$

$$P(x_5 | x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)$$

- 0.31 cool
- 0.28 interesting

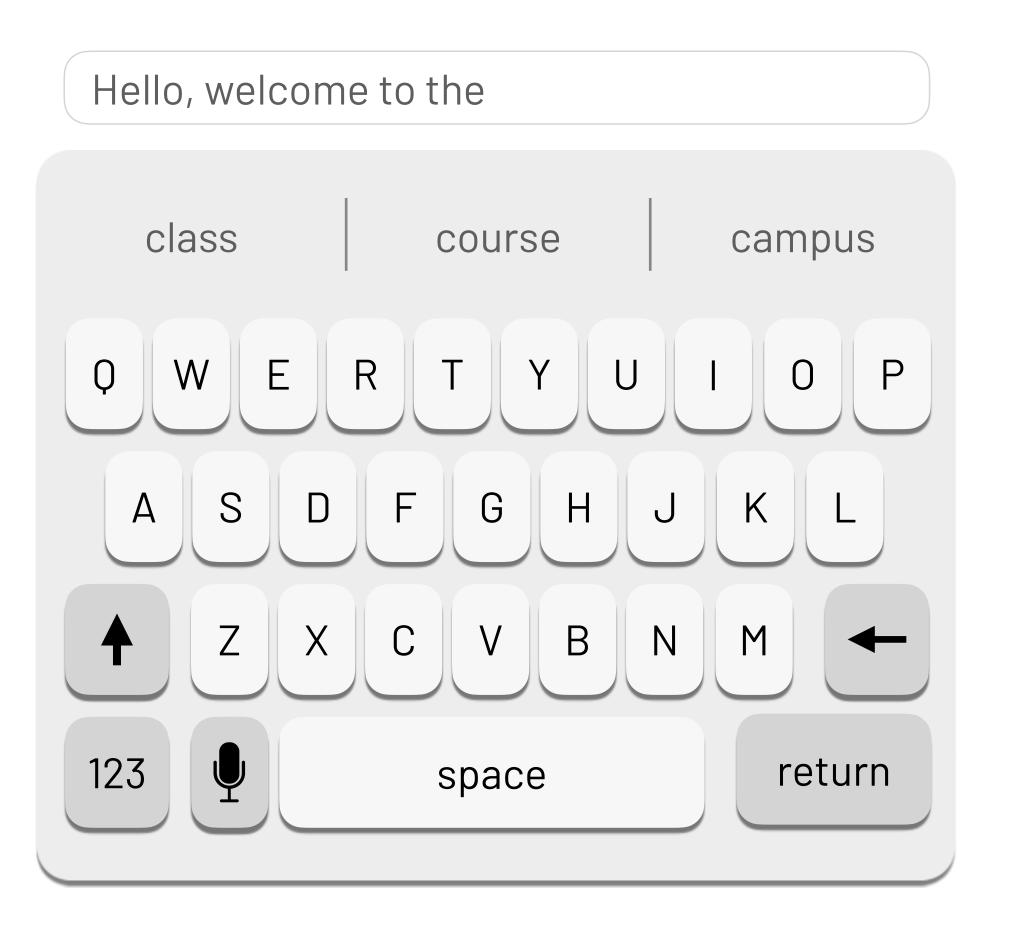
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### Applications of Language Models

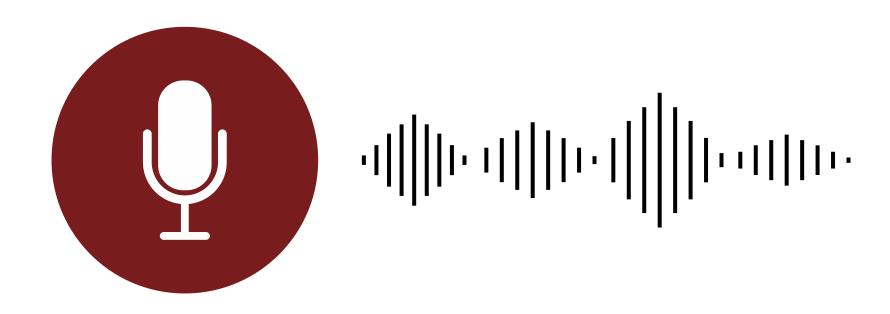
We can use a Language Model to implement autocompletion in mobile keyboards:





### Applications of Language Models

We can use a Language Model to compute the probability of a given sentence when decoding audio for speech recognition :



P("The apple and pair salad?") = 0.1

P("The apple and pear salad?") = 0.23





Explique em poucas palavras como você funciona.



Eu sou um modelo de linguagem desenvolvido pela OpenAl chamado GPT-3.5. Funciono processando texto ou linguagem escrita para gerar respostas ou textos coerentes e relevantes com base nas informações e no contexto fornecido. Isso é feito por meio do aprendizado de máquina e da análise de vastas quantidades de texto durante o treinamento. Posso ser usado para uma variedade de tarefas, como responder a perguntas, gerar texto, traduzir idiomas e muito mais. Minha capacidade de resposta depende das informações disponíveis até a minha data de corte em setembro de 2021.

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#### Language Model: Dataset

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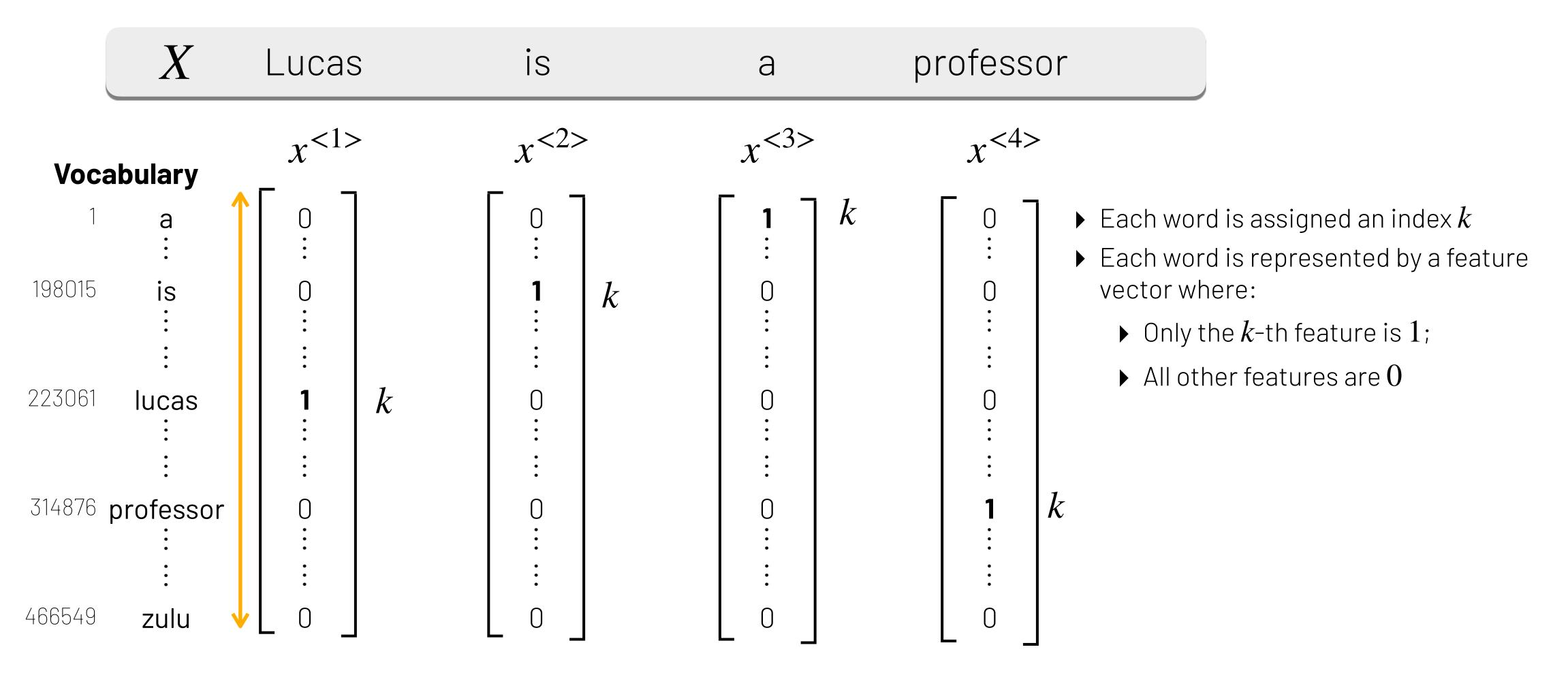
Collect a giant volume of text (e.g., wikipedia) and create examples  $(\mathbf{x}, y)$  using a sliding window (e.g., size j = 8)

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#### Representing words as vectors

One of the simplest strategies to represent works as vectors is the one-hot encoding:



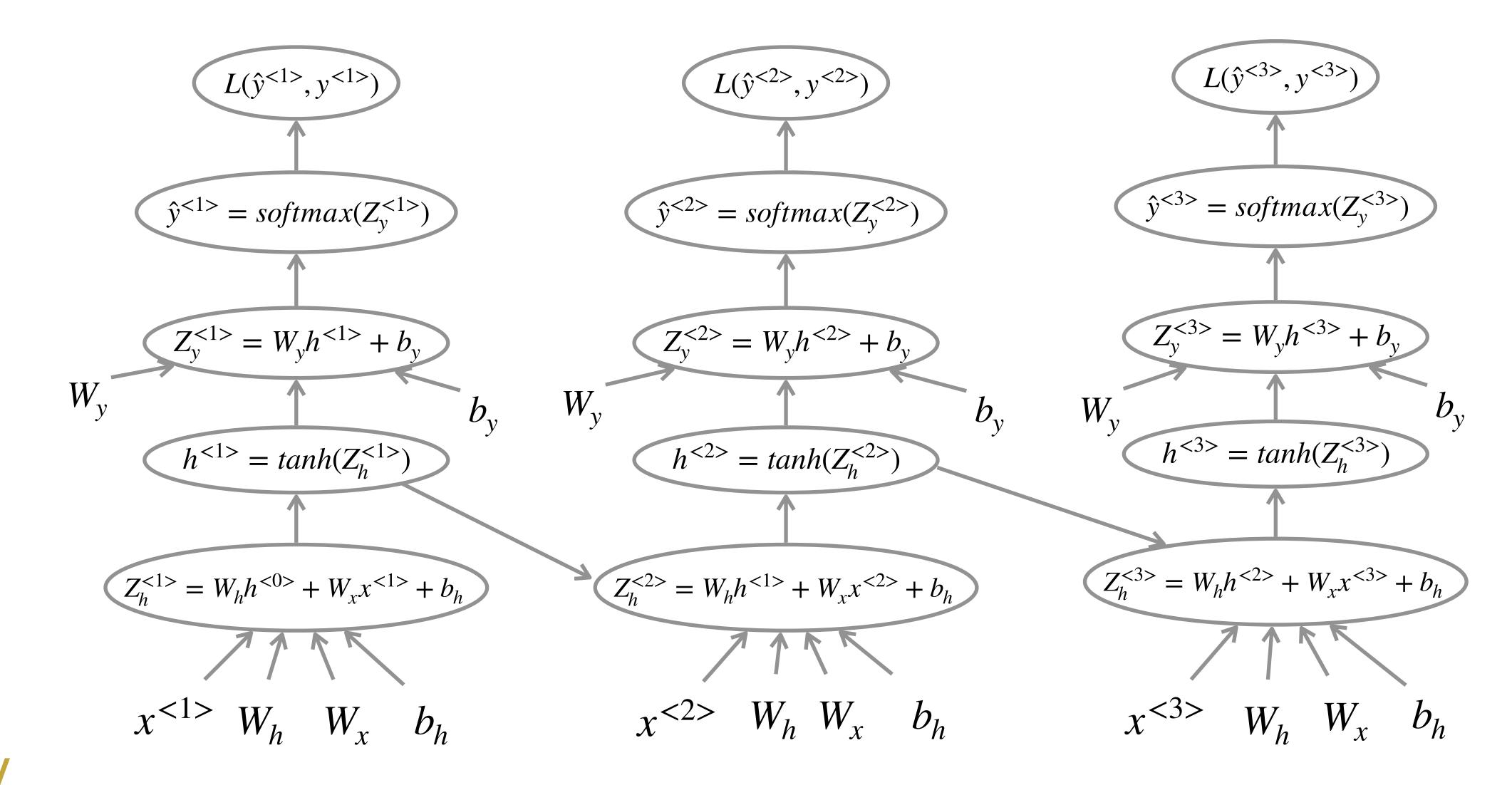


### Language Model: Forward

 $L^{<t>}(\hat{y}, y) = -\sum_{i=1}^{t} \sum_{j=1}^{d} y_{j}^{<i>} log \hat{y}_{j}^{<i>}$ professor Lucas is а  $= -\sum_{k=0}^{n} y_{k}^{<i>log} \hat{y}_{k}^{<i>log} = -\sum_{k=0}^{n} log \hat{y}_{k}^{<i>log}$ 0.35 0.04  $\hat{y}^{<t>} = softmax(W_y h^{<t>} + b_y)$  $h^{<0>}$ professor *h*<1>  $h^{<2>}$ 1.0 ]  $h^{<t>} = tanh(W_h h^{<t-1>} + W_x x^{<t>} + b_h)$ 0.9  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is Lucas а



### Language Model: Computational Graph





### Backward timestep t

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \hat{y}^{\langle t \rangle}} = -\frac{y^{\langle t \rangle}}{\hat{y}^{\langle t \rangle}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_y^{\langle t \rangle}} = \hat{y}^{\langle t \rangle} - y^{\langle t \rangle}$$

$$\frac{\partial Z_y^{\langle t \rangle}}{\partial W_y} = h^{\langle t \rangle}, \frac{\partial Z_y^{\langle t \rangle}}{\partial b_y} = 1, \frac{\partial Z_y^{\langle t \rangle}}{\partial h^{\langle t \rangle}} = W_y^T$$

$$\frac{\partial h^{\langle t \rangle}}{\partial Z_h^{\langle t \rangle}} = 1 - (h^{\langle t \rangle})^2$$

$$L(\hat{y}^{}, y^{})$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial L} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial L} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial L}$$

$$\mathbf{2.} \quad \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial \hat{\mathbf{y}} < t >} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial \hat{\mathbf{y}} < t >} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{D}}{\partial \hat{\mathbf{y}}}$$

$$\hat{y}^{} = softmax(Z_y^{})$$

$$\mathbf{3.} \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_y^{}} = \frac{\partial \hat{y}^{}}{\partial Z_y^{}} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial \hat{y}^{}}$$

$$Z_y^{\langle t \rangle} = W_y h^{\langle t \rangle} + b_y$$

$$dt> \frac{\partial W_{y}}{\partial L}$$
5.

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial W_{y}} = \frac{\partial Z_{y}^{}}{\partial W_{y}^{}} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_{y}^{}} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_{y}^{}} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial A^{}} = \frac{\partial Z_{y}^{}}{\partial h^{}} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_{y}^{}} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_{y}^{}}$$

7. 
$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_h^{}} = \frac{\partial h^{}}{\partial Z_h^{}} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial h^{}}$$

$$\frac{\partial Z_h^{< t>}}{\partial W_h} = h^{< t-1>}, \frac{\partial Z_h^{< t>}}{\partial b_h} = 1, \frac{\partial Z_h^{< t>}}{\partial W_x} = x^{< t>}$$

$$\chi < t>$$

$$W_{x} \frac{9. \partial L}{\partial W_{x}} = \frac{\partial Z_{h}^{\langle t \rangle}}{\partial W_{x}} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_{h}^{\langle t \rangle}}$$

$$b_h \frac{8. \partial L}{\partial b_h^{}} = \frac{\partial Z_h^{}}{\partial b_h^{}} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_h^{}}$$



#### Backward timestep t

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \hat{y}^{\langle t \rangle}} = -\frac{y^{\langle t \rangle}}{\hat{y}^{\langle t \rangle}}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_y^{\langle t \rangle}} = \hat{y}^{\langle t \rangle} - y^{\langle t \rangle}$$

$$\frac{\partial Z_y^{}}{\partial W_y} = h^{}, \frac{\partial Z_y^{}}{\partial b_y} = 1, \frac{\partial Z_y^{}}{\partial h^{}} = W_y^T$$

$$\frac{\partial h^{\langle t \rangle}}{\partial Z_h^{\langle t \rangle}} = 1 - (h^{\langle t \rangle})^2$$

$$L(\hat{y}^{< t>}, y^{< t>})$$

$$\hat{y}^{} = softmax(Z_y^{})$$

$$\mathbf{3.} \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_y^{}} = \hat{y}_r^{} - 1$$

$$Z_{y}^{\langle t \rangle} = W_{y}h^{\langle t \rangle} + b_{y}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial W} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z \le t >} \cdot (h^{< t >})^T$$

$$\frac{\partial V_{y}}{\partial t} = W_{y}^{T}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial W_{y}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_{y}^{}} \cdot (h^{})^{T}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial h^{}} = tanh(Z_{h}^{})$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial t} = W_{y}^{T} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_{y}^{}}$$

$$h^{} = tanh(Z_{h}^{})$$

$$b_y \frac{4 \cdot \partial L}{\partial b_y} = \hat{y}_r^{\langle t \rangle} - 1$$

$$h^{} = tanh(Z_h^{})$$
7. 
$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_h^{}} = (1 - (h^{})^2) \odot \frac{\partial L}{\partial h^{}}$$

$$\frac{\partial Z_h^{< t>}}{\partial W_h} = h^{< t-1>}, \frac{\partial Z_h^{< t>}}{\partial b_h} = 1, \frac{\partial Z_h^{< t>}}{\partial W_x} = x^{< t>}$$

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$$W_h = \frac{\partial L}{\partial W_h} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_h^{}} \cdot (h^{})^T \qquad W_x = \frac{\partial L}{\partial W_x} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_h^{}} \cdot (x^{})^T \qquad \frac{\partial L}{\partial b_h} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_h^{}}$$

$$W_{x} \frac{\mathbf{9.}}{\partial W_{x}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_{h}^{\langle t \rangle}} \cdot (x^{\langle t \rangle})^{T}$$

$$b_h$$
 8.  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial b_h} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial Z_h^{< t>}}$ 



#### Andrej Karpathy's Minimal Character Level RNN

```
2 Minimal character-level Vanilla RNN model. Written by Andrej Karpathy (@karpathy)
 5 import numpy as np
 7 # data I/0
 8 data = open('input.txt', 'r').read() # should be simple plain text file
 9 chars = list(set(data))
10 data_size, vocab_size = len(data), len(chars)
print 'data has %d characters, %d unique.' % (data_size, vocab_size)
12 char_to_ix = { ch:i for i,ch in enumerate(chars) }
13 ix_to_char = { i:ch for i,ch in enumerate(chars) }
15 # hyperparameters
16 hidden_size = 100 # size of hidden layer of neurons
17 seg length = 25 # number of steps to unroll the RNN for
18 learning_rate = 1e-1
20 # model parameters
21 Wxh = np.random.randn(hidden_size, vocab_size)*0.01 # input to hidden
22 Whh = np.random.randn(hidden_size, hidden_size)*0.01 # hidden to hidden
23 Why = np.random.randn(vocab_size, hidden_size)*0.01 # hidden to output
24 bh = np.zeros((hidden_size, 1)) # hidden bias
25 by = np.zeros((vocab_size, 1)) # output bias
27 def lossFun(inputs, targets, hprev):
29 inputs, targets are both list of integers.
     hprev is Hx1 array of initial hidden state
      returns the loss, gradients on model parameters, and last hidden state
     xs, hs, ys, ps = {}, {}, {}, {}, {}
      hs[-1] = np.copy(hprev)
35 loss = 0
     # forward pass
     for t in xrange(len(inputs)):
       xs[t] = np.zeros((vocab_size,1)) # encode in 1-of-k representation
        xs[t][inputs[t]] = 1
        hs[t] = np.tanh(np.dot(Wxh, xs[t]) + np.dot(Whh, hs[t-1]) + bh) # hidden state
        ys[t] = np.dot(Why, hs[t]) + by # unnormalized log probabilities for next chars
        ps[t] = np.exp(ys[t]) / np.sum(np.exp(ys[t])) # probabilities for next chars
        loss += -np.log(ps[t][targets[t],0]) # softmax (cross-entropy loss)
44 # backward pass: compute gradients going backwards
      dWxh, dWhh, dWhy = np.zeros_like(Wxh), np.zeros_like(Whh), np.zeros_like(Why)
     dbh, dby = np.zeros_like(bh), np.zeros_like(by)
     dhnext = np.zeros_like(hs[0])
      for t in reversed(xrange(len(inputs))):
        dy[targets[t]] -= 1 # backprop into y. see http://cs231n.github.io/neural-networks-case-study/#grad if confused here
        dWhy += np.dot(dy, hs[t].T)
        dby += dy
        dh = np.dot(Why.T, dy) + dhnext # backprop into h
         dhraw = (1 - hs[t] * hs[t]) * dh # backprop through tanh nonlinearity
         dWxh += np.dot(dhraw, xs[t].T)
        dWhh += np.dot(dhraw, hs[t-1].T)
        dhnext = np.dot(Whh.T, dhraw)
       for dparam in [dWxh, dWhh, dWhy, dbh, dby]:
        np.clip(dparam, -5, 5, out=dparam) # clip to mitigate exploding gradients
      return loss, dWxh, dWhh, dWhy, dbh, dby, hs[len(inputs)-1]
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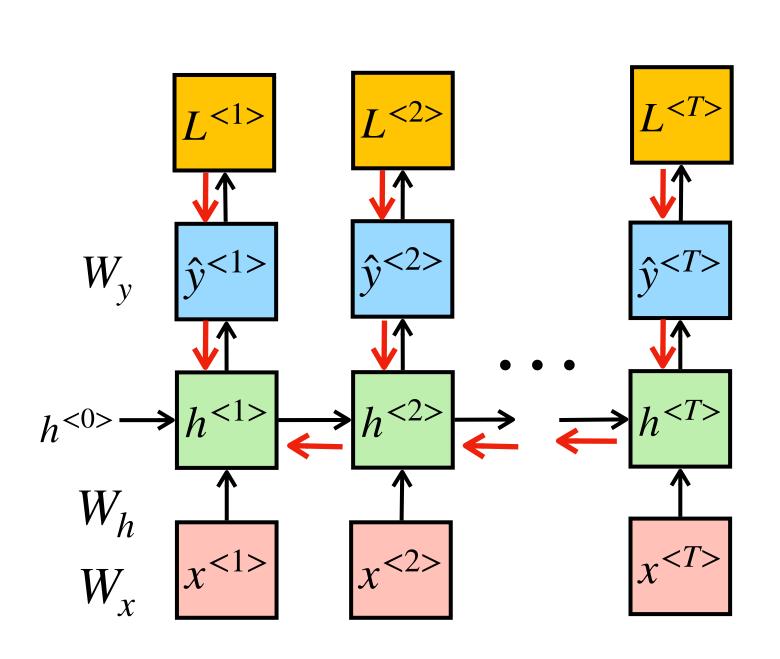
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63 def sample(h, seed_ix, n):
       sample a sequence of integers from the model
       h is memory state, seed_ix is seed letter for first time step
      x = np.zeros((vocab_size, 1))
       x[seed ix] = 1
        ixes = []
       for t in xrange(n):
         h = np.tanh(np.dot(Wxh, x) + np.dot(Whh, h) + bh)
         y = np.dot(Why, h) + by
         p = np.exp(y) / np.sum(np.exp(y))
         ix = np.random.choice(range(vocab_size), p=p.ravel())
         x = np.zeros((vocab_size, 1))
         x[ix] = 1
         ixes.append(ix)
        return ixes
  82 mWxh, mWhh, mWhy = np.zeros_like(Wxh), np.zeros_like(Whh), np.zeros_like(Why)
  83 mbh, mby = np.zeros_like(bh), np.zeros_like(by) # memory variables for Adagrad
  84 smooth_loss = -np.log(1.0/vocab_size)*seq_length # loss at iteration 0
       # prepare inputs (we're sweeping from left to right in steps seq_length long)
       if p+seg length+1 >= len(data) or n == 0:
         hprev = np.zeros((hidden_size,1)) # reset RNN memory
         p = 0 # go from start of data
        inputs = [char_to_ix[ch] for ch in data[p:p+seq_length]]
       targets = [char_to_ix[ch] for ch in data[p+1:p+seq_length+1]]
       # sample from the model now and then
       if n % 100 == 0:
         sample_ix = sample(hprev, inputs[0], 200)
         txt = ''.join(ix_to_char[ix] for ix in sample_ix)
         print '----\n %s \n----' % (txt, )
       # forward seq_length characters through the net and fetch gradient
       loss, dWxh, dWhh, dWhy, dbh, dby, hprev = lossFun(inputs, targets, hprev)
       smooth_loss = smooth_loss * 0.999 + loss * 0.001
       if n % 100 == 0: print 'iter %d, loss: %f' % (n, smooth_loss) # print progress
       # perform parameter update with Adagrad
       for param, dparam, mem in zip([Wxh, Whh, Why, bh, by],
                                     [dWxh, dWhh, dWhy, dbh, dby],
                                     [mWxh, mWhh, mWhy, mbh, mby]):
         mem += dparam * dparam
         param += -learning rate * dparam / np.sgrt(mem + 1e-8) # adagrad update
110
     p += seq_length # move data pointer
112    n += 1 # iteration counter
```



### Exploding/Vanishing Gradients

When processing large sequences, RNNs can suffer from exploding or vanishing gradients:

```
# backward pass: compute gradients going backwards
       dWxh, dWhh, dWhy = np.zeros_like(Wxh), np.zeros_like(Whh), np.zeros_like(Why)
45
       dbh, dby = np.zeros_like(bh), np.zeros_like(by)
46
       dhnext = np.zeros_like(hs[0])
47
       for t in reversed(xrange(len(inputs))):
48
        dy = np.copy(ps[t])
49
        dy[targets[t]] -= 1
50
        dWhy += np.dot(dy, hs[t].T)
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        dby += dy
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        dh = np.dot(Why.T, dy) + dhnext # backprop into h
         dhraw = (1 - hs[t] * hs[t]) * dh # backprop through tanh nonlinearity
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         dbh += dhraw
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56
         dWxh += np.dot(dhraw, xs[t].T)
         dWhh += np.dot(dhraw, hs[t-1].T)
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         dhnext = np.dot(Whh.T, dhraw)
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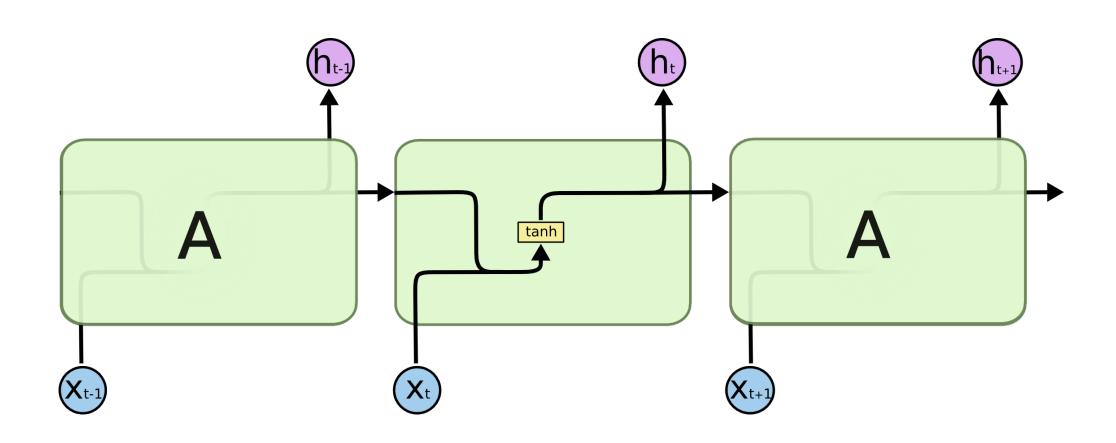


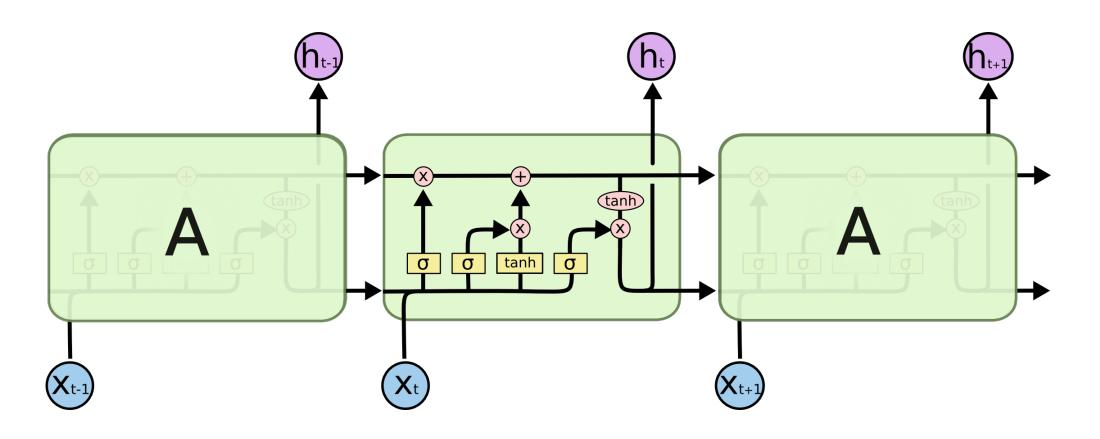
**Backpropation thought time** makes a series of multiplications of  $W_h$  by itself (line 58):

- ▶ If the weights of  $W_h > 1 \rightarrow \text{exploding gradients}$
- ▶ If the weights of  $W_h$  < 1 → vanishing grandients



# Long-Short Term Memory (LSTM)





LSTM are complex RNNs to handle vanishing/exploding gradients

#### **RNN Hidden Layer:**

$$h^{} = tanh(W_h h^{} + W_x x^{} + b_h)$$

#### LSTM Hidden Layer:

$$f^{< t>} = \sigma(W_{fh}h^{< t-1>} + W_{fx}x^{< t>} + b_f) \qquad \text{Forget Gate}$$

$$i^{< t>} = \sigma(W_{ih}h^{< t-1>} + W_{ix}x^{< t>} + b_i) \qquad \text{Input Gate}$$

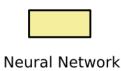
$$\tilde{C}^{< t>} = \tanh(W_{ch}h^{< t-1>} + W_{cx}x^{< t>} + b_c)$$

$$C^{< t>} = f^{< t>} \odot C^{< t-1>} + i^{< t>} \odot \tilde{C}^{< t>}$$

$$c^{< t>} = \sigma(W_{oh}h^{< t-1>} + W_{ox}x^{< t>} + b_o) \qquad \text{Output Gate}$$

$$h^{< t>} = o_t \odot \tanh(C^{< t>})$$

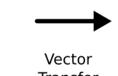




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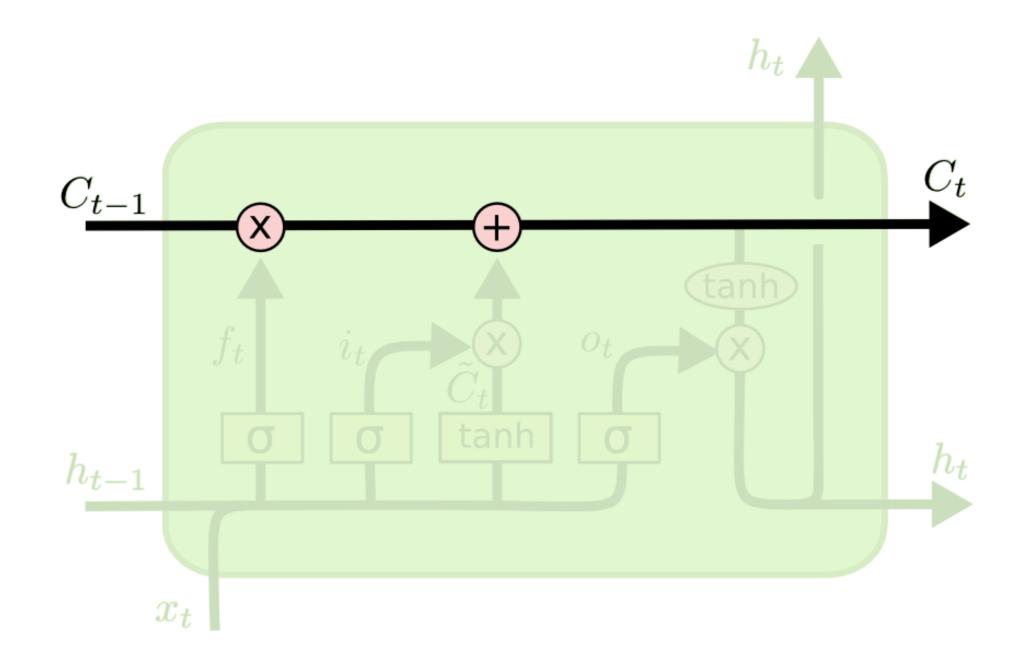




#### LSTM: Cell State and Gates

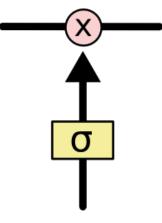
The key to LSTMs is the **cell state**  $C^{< t>}$ , which can be seen as another hidden state:

- ▶ It runs straight down the entire sequence, with only some minor linear interactions.
- ▶ It's very easy for information to just flow along it unchanged.

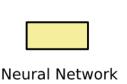


The gates control what information gets removed or added to the cell state:

- ▶ Forget, Input, and Ouput Gates
- $\blacktriangleright$  Implemented as a sigmoid ( $\sigma$ ) units and pointwise multiplication













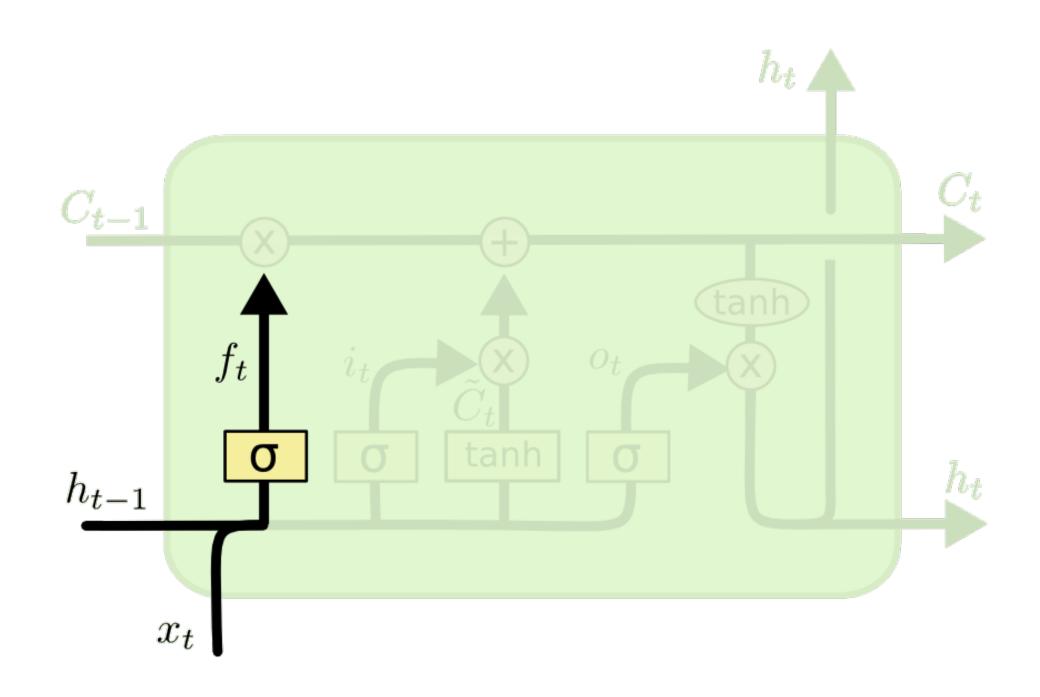




### LSTM: The Forget Gate

The first step is to decide what information we're going to throw away from the cell state

This decision is made by a sigmoid layer called the "forget gate layer."



$$f^{} = \sigma(W_{fh}h^{} + W_{fx}x^{} + b_f)$$

$$i^{} = \sigma(W_{ih}h^{} + W_{ix}x^{} + b_i)$$

$$\tilde{C}^{} = tanh(W_{ch}h^{} + W_{cx}x^{} + b_c)$$

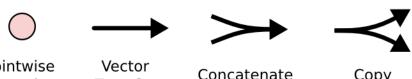
$$C^{} = f^{} \odot C^{} + i^{} \odot \tilde{C}^{}$$

$$o^{} = \sigma(W_{oh}h^{} + W_{ox}x^{} + b_o)$$

$$h^{} = o_t \odot tanh(C^{})$$



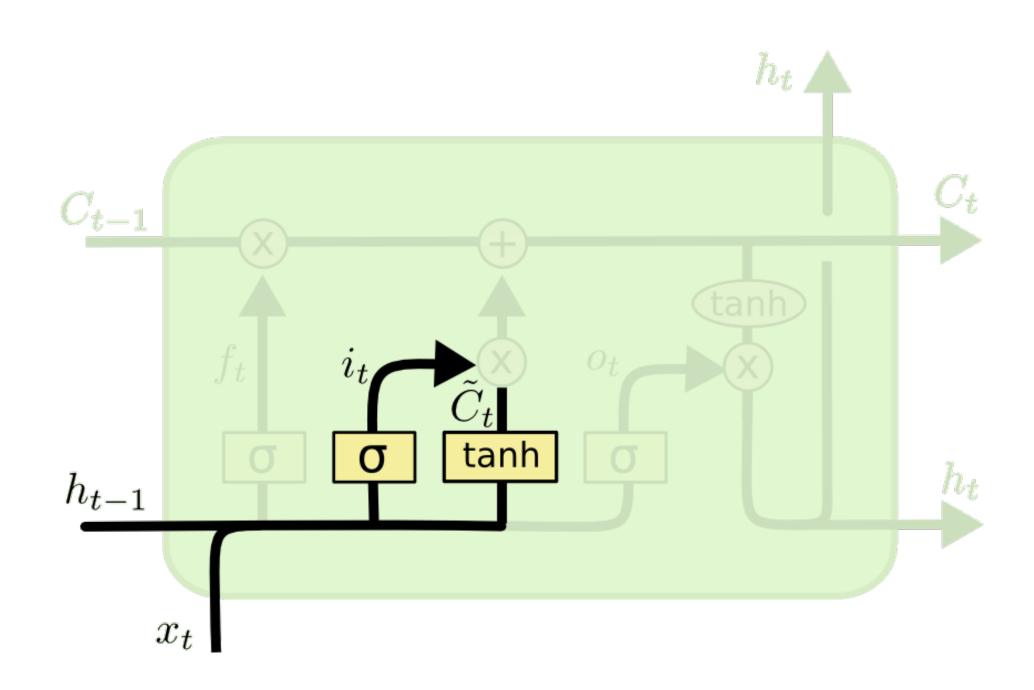




### LSTM: The Input Gate

The next step is to decide what new information we're going to store in the cell state:

- The input gate decides which values we'll update;
- A tanh unit creates a new candidate state  $ilde{C}^{< t>}$  that could be added to  $C^{< t>}$



$$f^{< t>} = \sigma(W_{fh}h^{< t-1>} + W_{fx}x^{< t>} + b_f)$$

$$i^{< t>} = \sigma(W_{ih}h^{< t-1>} + W_{ix}x^{< t>} + b_i)$$

$$\tilde{C}^{< t>} = tanh(W_{ch}h^{< t-1>} + W_{cx}x^{< t>} + b_c)$$

$$C^{< t>} = f^{< t>} \odot C^{< t-1>} + i^{< t>} \odot \tilde{C}^{< t>}$$

$$o^{< t>} = \sigma(W_{oh}h^{< t-1>} + W_{ox}x^{< t>} + b_o)$$

$$h^{< t>} = o_t \odot tanh(C^{< t>})$$











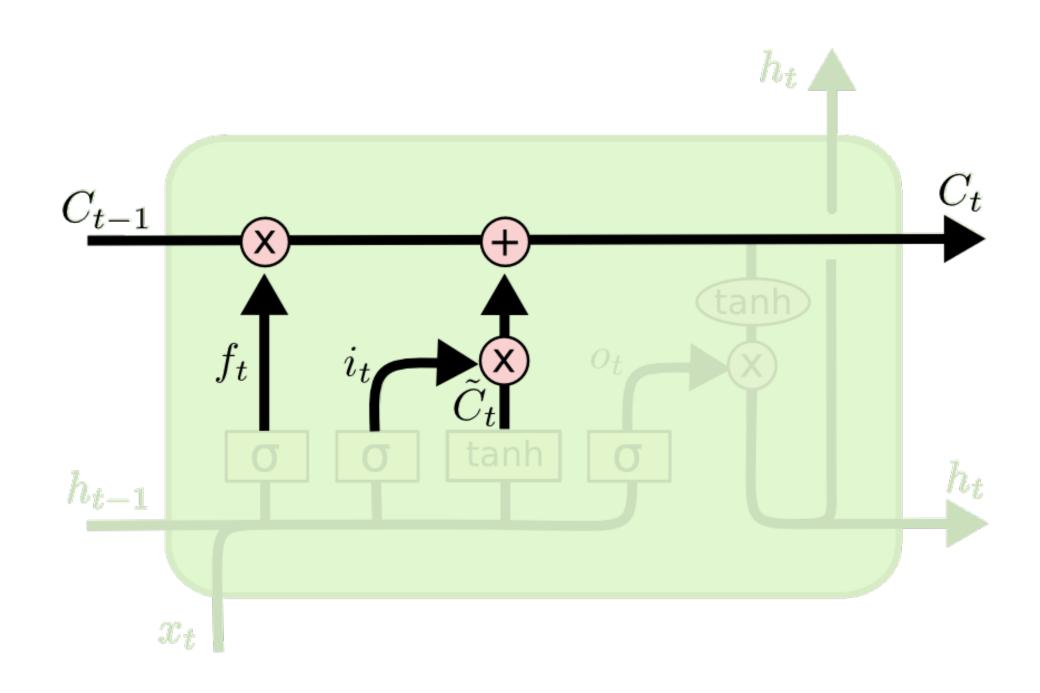




### LSTM: Updating the Cell State

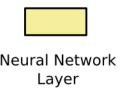
It's now time to update the old cell state:

- 1. Multiply the old state  $C^{< t-1>}$  by  $f^{< t>}$  to forget the information we decided to forget earlier
- 2. Sum  $i^{<t>} \odot \tilde{C}^{<t>}$  to include the new information that is coming in



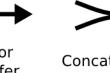
$$\begin{split} f^{< t>} &= \sigma(W_{fh}h^{< t-1>} + W_{fx}x^{< t>} + b_f) \\ i^{< t>} &= \sigma(W_{ih}h^{< t-1>} + W_{ix}x^{< t>} + b_i) \\ \tilde{C}^{< t>} &= tanh(W_{ch}h^{< t-1>} + W_{cx}x^{< t>} + b_c) \\ C^{< t>} &= f^{< t>} \odot C^{< t-1>} + i^{< t>} \odot \tilde{C}^{< t>} \\ o^{< t>} &= \sigma(W_{oh}h^{< t-1>} + W_{ox}x^{< t>} + b_o) \\ h^{< t>} &= o_t \odot tanh(C^{< t>}) \end{split}$$



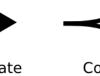










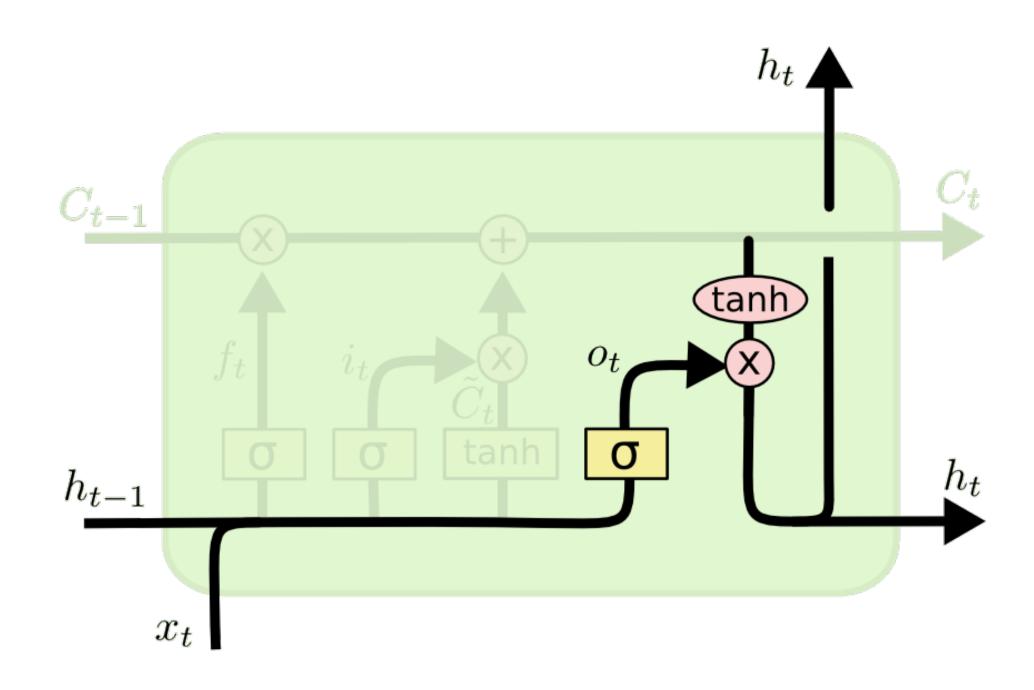




#### LSTM: The Ouput Gate

Finally, we need to decide what we're going to output:

- 1. The output gate decides what parts of the cell state we're going to output.
- 2. Pass updated  $C^{<t>}$  state through tanh and multiply it by the ouput gate, so we output only the parts we decided to.



$$f^{< t>} = \sigma(W_{fh}h^{< t-1>} + W_{fx}x^{< t>} + b_f)$$

$$i^{< t>} = \sigma(W_{ih}h^{< t-1>} + W_{ix}x^{< t>} + b_i)$$

$$\tilde{C}^{< t>} = tanh(W_{ch}h^{< t-1>} + W_{cx}x^{< t>} + b_c)$$

$$C^{< t>} = f^{< t>} \odot C^{< t-1>} + i^{< t>} \odot \tilde{C}^{< t>}$$

$$o^{< t>} = \sigma(W_{oh}h^{< t-1>} + W_{ox}x^{< t>} + b_o)$$

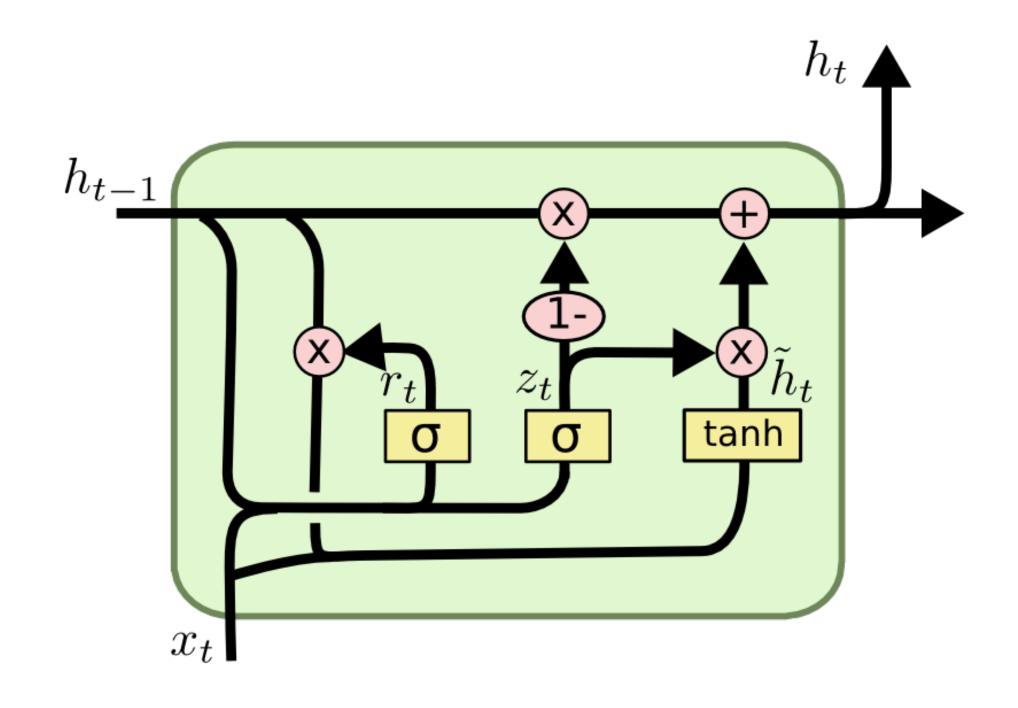
$$h^{< t>} = o_t \odot tanh(C^{< t>})$$





#### Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU)

The GRU combines the forget and input gates into a single "update gate" and merges the cell state with hidden state:



#### **GRU Hidden Layer:**

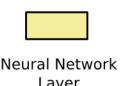
$$z^{} = \sigma(W_{zh}h^{} + W_{zx}x^{} + b_z)$$

$$r^{} = \sigma(W_{rh}h^{} + W_{rx}x^{} + b_r)$$

$$\tilde{h}^{} = tanh(W_{hh}(r^{} \odot h^{}) + W_{hx}x^{} + b_h)$$

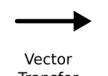
$$h^{} = (1 - z^{}) \odot h^{} + z^{} \odot \tilde{h}^{}$$











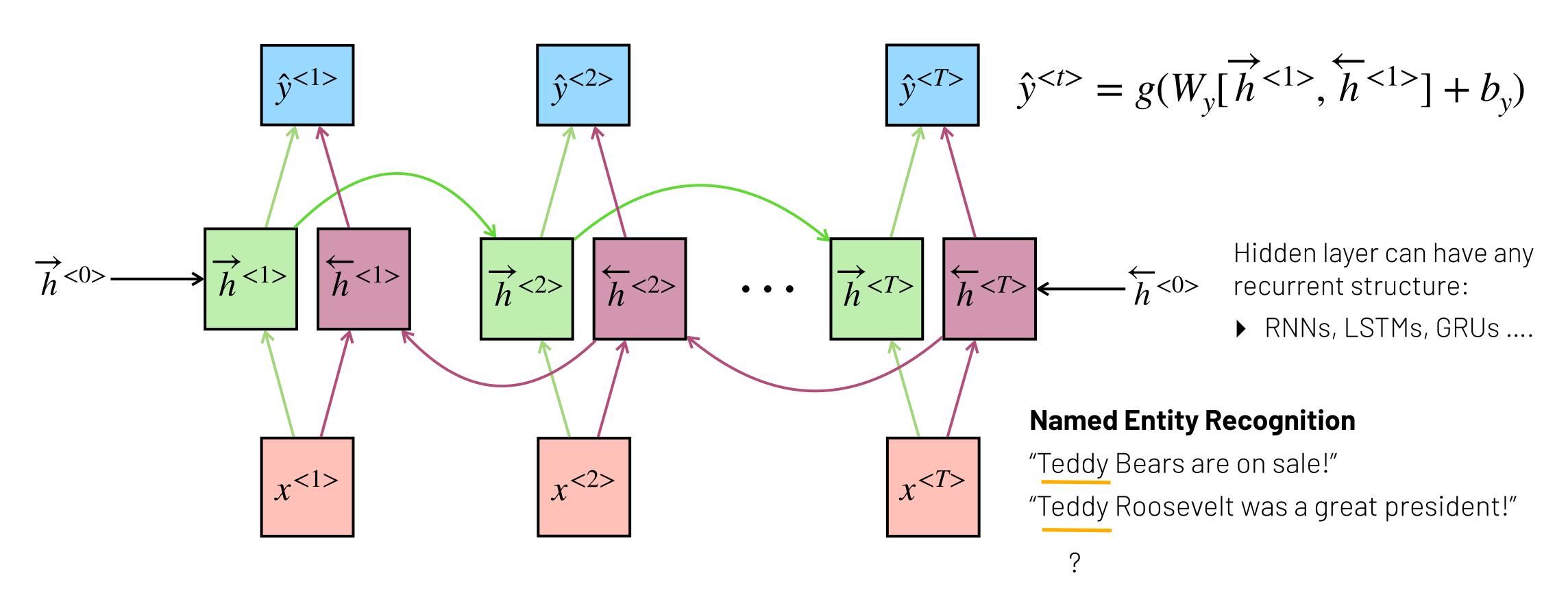




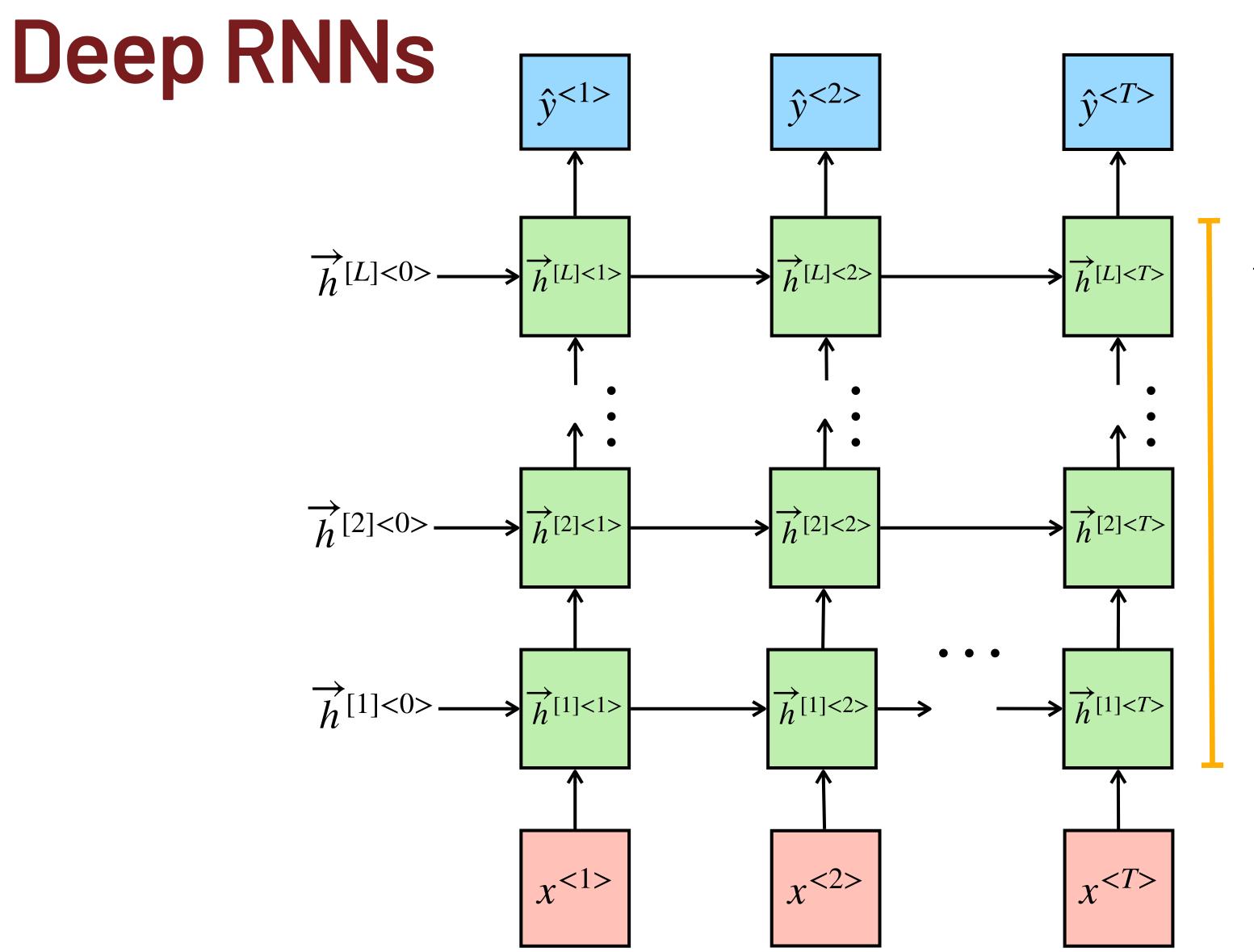


#### **Bidirectional RNN**

Bidirectional RNNs process sequences from **forward** and from **backward** to build a context in both directions.







To create deeper RNNs, we can stack hidden layers on top of each other

Hidden layer can have any recurrent structure:

- ▶ RNNs, LSTMs, GRUs ....
- Biderectional



#### Next Lecture

**L15**: Word Embeddings

Learning vector representations for words

