

Figure 4: NTM Generalisation on the Copy Task. The four pairs of plots in the top row depict network outputs and corresponding copy targets for test sequences of length 10, 20, 30, and 50, respectively. The plots in the bottom row are for a length 120 sequence. The network was only trained on sequences of up to length 20. The first four sequences are reproduced with high confidence and very few mistakes. The longest one has a few more local errors and one

global error: at the point indicated by the red arrow at the bottom, a single vector is duplicated, pushing all subsequent vectors one step back. Despite being subjectively close to a correct copy,

this leads to a high loss.