

Hidden Markov Model and Machine Learning

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Markov Chain

- A Markov chain is a discrete-time and discrete-valued random process in which each new sample is only dependent on the previous sample.
- Let $\{X_n\}_{n=0}^N$ be a sequence of random variables taking values in the countable set Ω .
- **Def:** X_n is a Markov chain if for all values of X_k and all n

$$P\{X_n = x_n | X_k = x_k \text{ for all } k < n\} = P\{X_n = x_n | X_{n-1} = x_{n-1}\}$$

Markov Chain

- A Markov chain tells something about the probabilities of sequences of random variables (states)
- The basic idea behind a Markov chain is to assume that X_k captures all *the relevant information* for predicting the future.

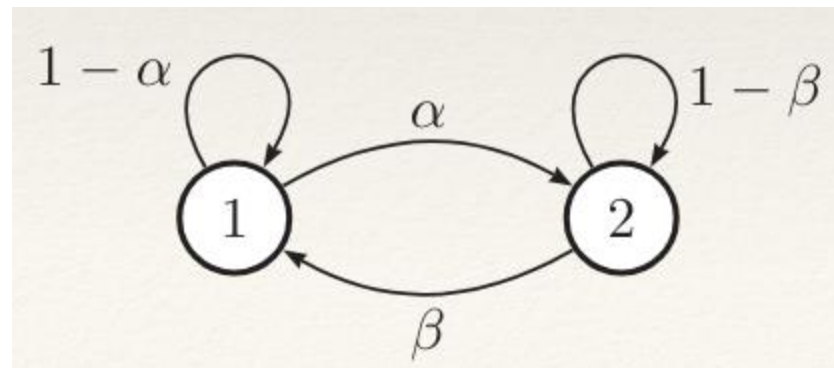


Fig: state transition diagram for Markov chain

Hidden Markov Model

- A Markov chain is useful when we need to compute a probability for a sequence of observable events.
 - What if the events we are interested in are hidden?
- A hidden Markov model (HMM) allows us to talk about both observed events and hidden events.
- For example: How do you know your wife is happy or not?
 - Determine from observable external factors

Hidden Markov Model

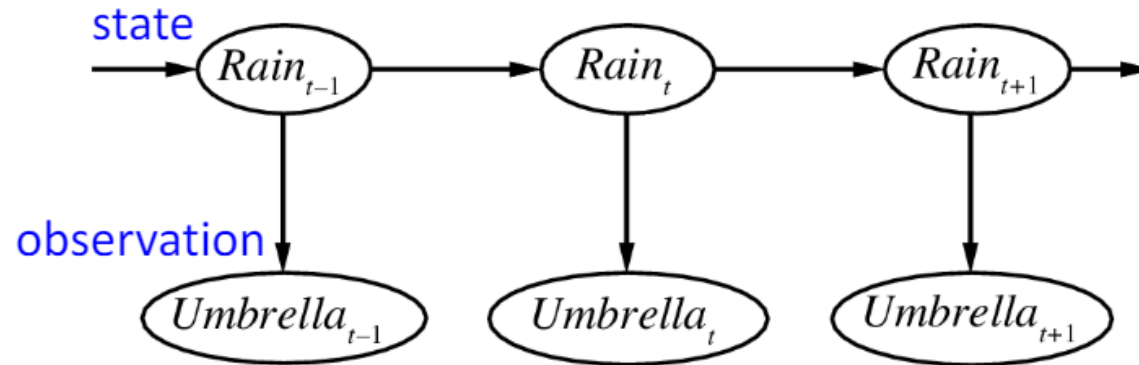
- An HMM is specified by the following components:
 - states
 - transition probability matrix
 - observation likelihoods (emission probabilities)
 - initial probability distribution over states
- How do we obtain the HMM?

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- Example Scenario: Umbrella World (Scenario from chapter 15 of Russell & Norvig)
 - **Elsbeth** Dunsany is an AI researcher.
 - **Richard** Feynman is an AI, its workstation is not connected to the internet.
 - He has noticed that Elspeth sometimes brings an **umbrella** to work.
 - He correctly infers that she is more likely to carry an umbrella on days when it **rains**.

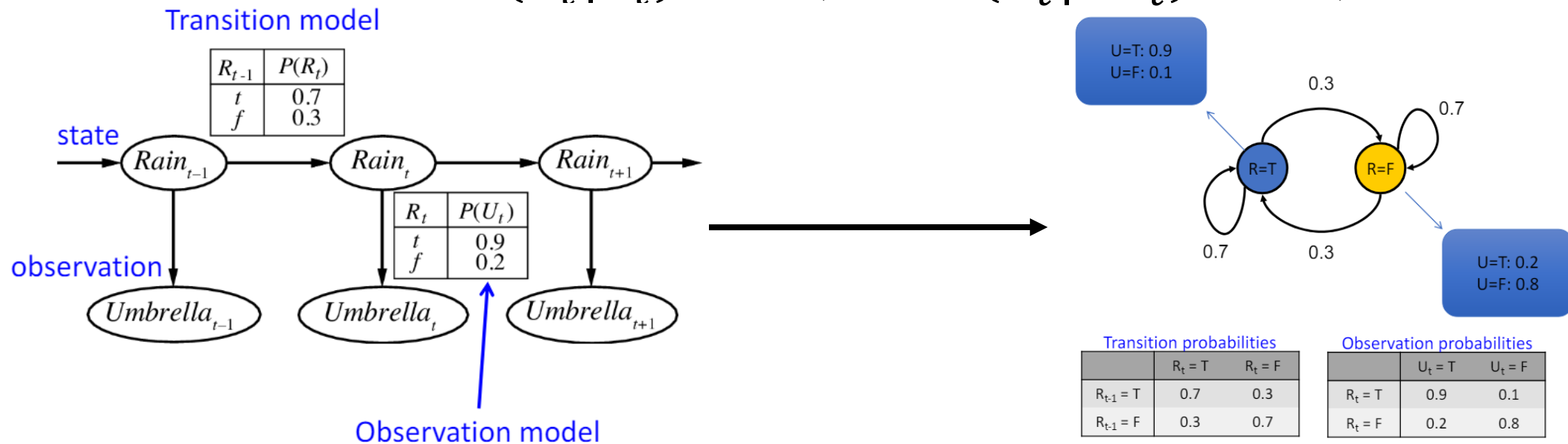
Hidden Markov Model

- Richard proposes a hidden Markov model:
 - Rain on day $t - 1$, (R_{t-1}), makes rain on day t , (R_t), more likely.
 - Elspeth usually brings her umbrella (U_t) on days when it rains (R_t), but not always.



Hidden Markov Model

- Richard learns that the weather changes on 3 out of 10 days,
 $P(R_t|R_{t-1}) = 0.7, \quad P(R_t|\sim R_{t-1}) = 0.3,$
- Also, Elspeth sometimes forgets umbrella when it's raining, and sometimes brings an umbrella when it's not raining.
 $P(U_t|R_t) = 0.9, \quad P(U_t|\sim R_t) = 0.1,$



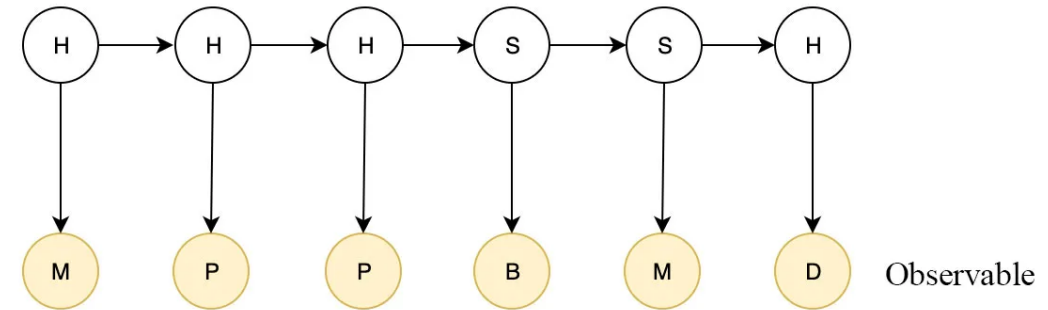
Hidden Markov Model

- The HMM is characterized by three **fundamental problems**
 - **Likelihood:** Given an HMM $\lambda = (A, B)$ (parameters) and observation sequence O , determine the likelihood probability of observed sequence ($P(O|\lambda)$).
 - **Decoding:** Given observation sequence O and an HMM $\lambda = (A, B)$, discover the best hidden state sequence Q .
 - **Learning:** Given an observation sequence O and the set of states in the HMM, learn the HMM parameters A and B .

Hidden Markov Model

- Example scenario-2

internal state $\{H, S\}$ is not observable or hard to determine



0.2 chance that I go to movie when I am happy.
0.4 chance that I go to movie when I am sad.

π

A

B

$P(x_i)$

$P(x_i = \text{happy}) = 0.8$

$P(x_i = \text{sad}) = 0.2$

x_i

	x_{t+1}	
	Happy	Sad
Happy	0.99	0.01
Sad	0.1	0.9

For example, $P(\text{Happy}_{t+1} | \text{Happy}_t) = 0.99$

$P(y_t | x_t)$:

	movie	book	party	dinning
Given being happy	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2
Given being sad	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.2

Observation likelihoods or Emission probabilities B

Initial state distribution

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Transition probability matrix A in Markov Process

model λ

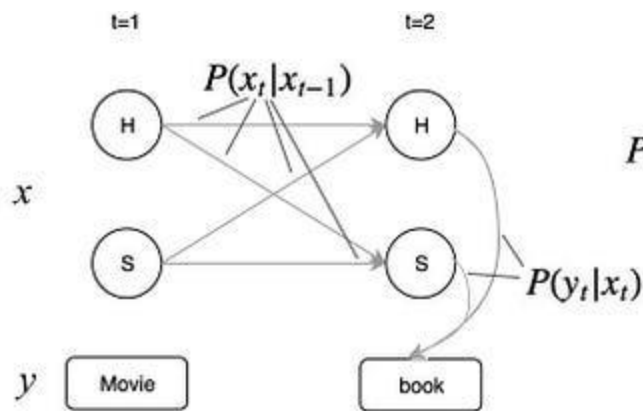
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- The next state and the current observation solely depend on the current state only.

$$P(x_i | x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{i-1}) = P(x_i | x_{i-1}) \quad (\text{Markov process})$$

$$P(o_i | x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{i-1}) = P(o_i | x_i) \quad (\text{Output independence})$$

$$A + B = \text{HMM model } \lambda$$



$$P(x_t | y_{1:t}) = \frac{P(y_t | x_t) P(x_t | y_{1:t-1})}{\sum_{x_t} P(y_t | x_t) P(x_t | y_{1:t-1})}$$

from time 1 to t

$$\sum_{x_{t-1}} \frac{P(x_t | x_{t-1}) P(x_{t-1} | y_{1:t-1})}{P(x_{t-1} | y_{1:t-1})}$$

Hidden Markov Model

- **Likelihood** (likelihood of the observation)

$$p(Y) = \sum_x p(Y, X) = \sum_x p(Y | X) p(X)$$

the observed events

sum over all possible time sequences of internal states

calculated from emission probability

calculated from transition probability

Applications of Hidden Markov Model

- Speech Recognition
 - observations are acoustic signals, hidden states correspond to the different sounds
- Natural Language Processing
 - observations are the words in the text, hidden states are associated with the underlying grammar or structure of the text
- Bioinformatics
- Finance
 - observations are the stock prices, interest rates, or exchange rates, hidden states correspond to different economic states

Limitations of Hidden Markov Models

- Limited Modeling Capabilities
- Overfitting
- Lack of Robustness
- Computational Complexity

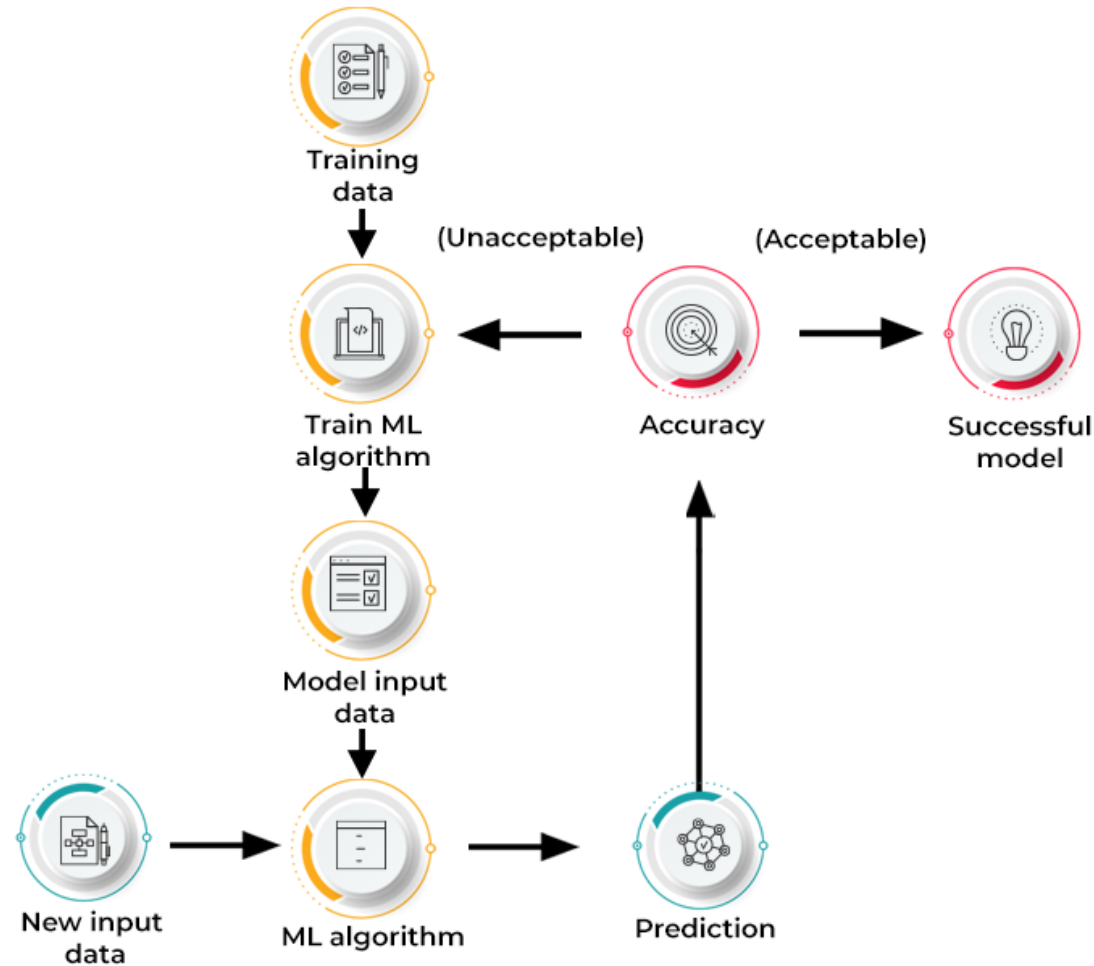
Assignment

- Find a paper that uses HMM to solve a problem in your relevant field.
- Make a report and submit by 26 May, 20204.

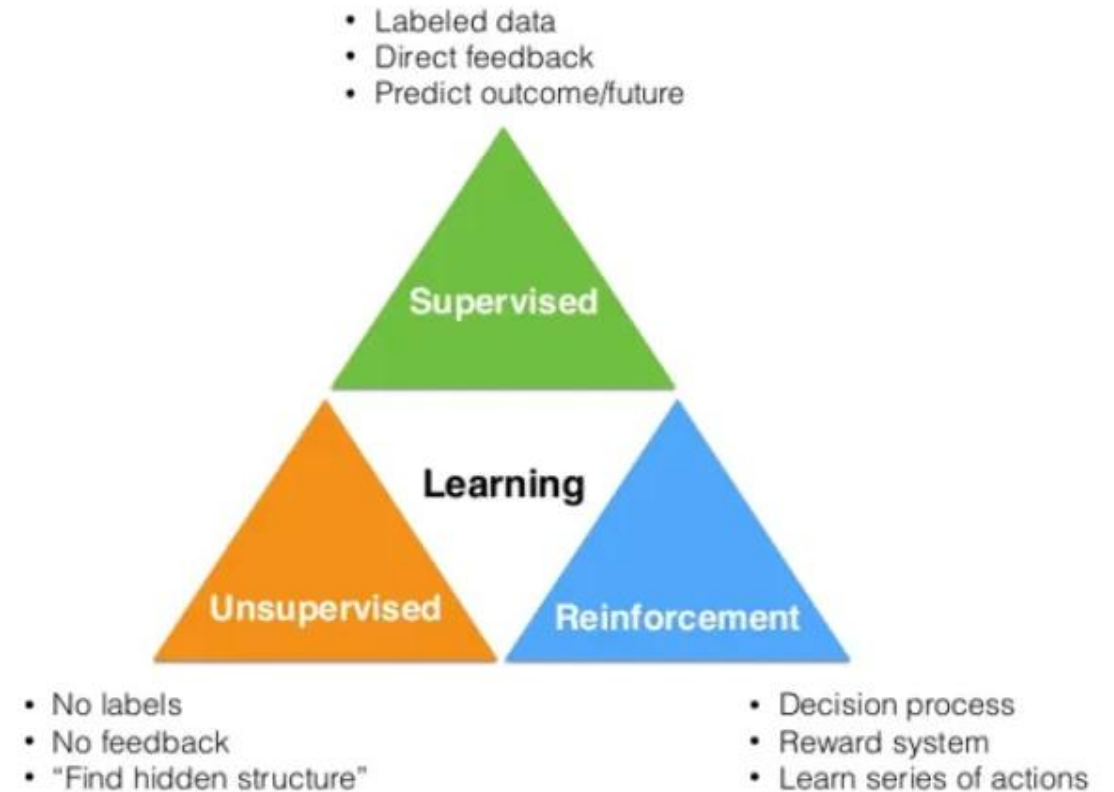
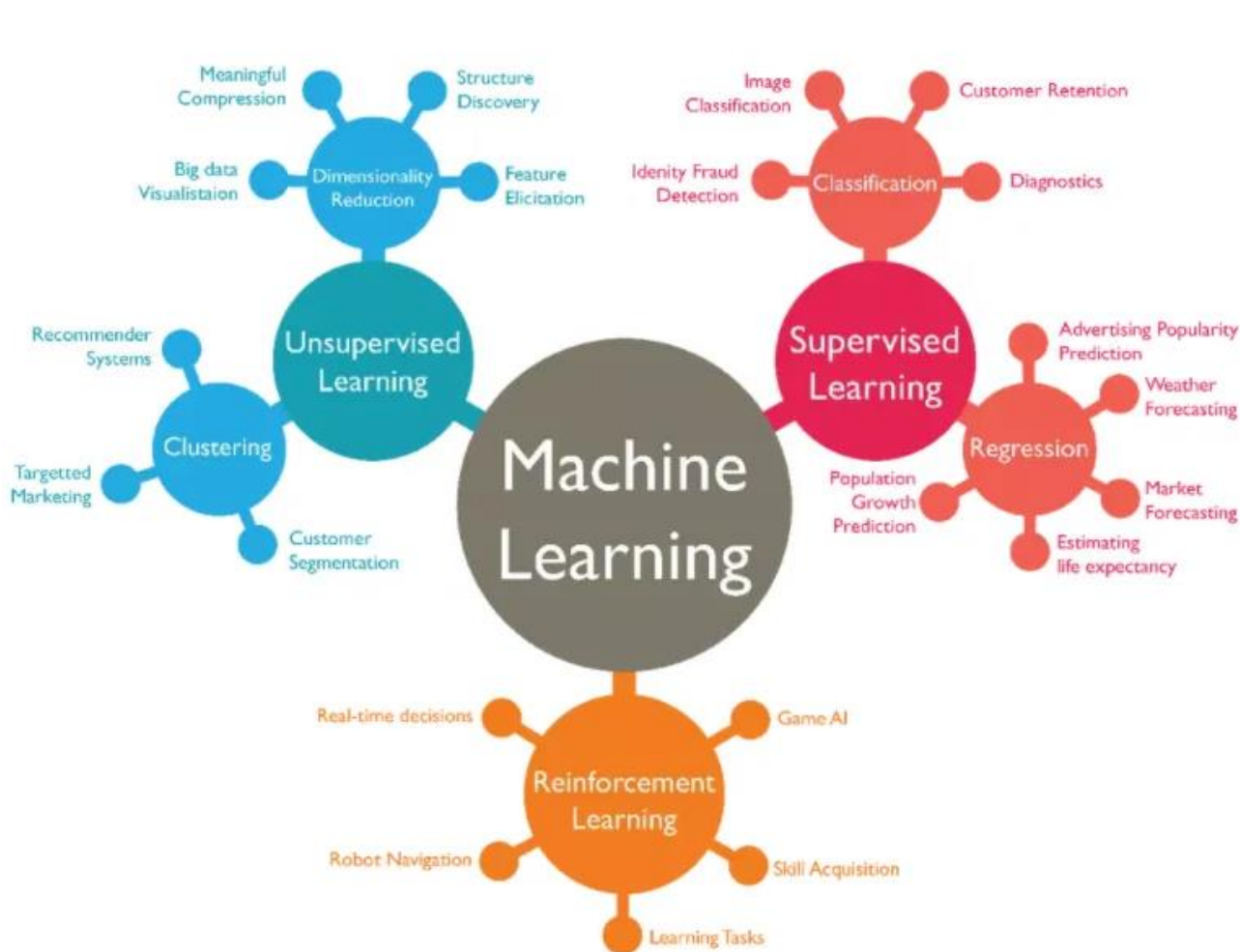
What is Machine Learning

- Machine learning is a discipline of artificial intelligence (AI).
 - It provides machines with the ability to automatically learn from data and past experiences while identifying patterns to make predictions with minimal human intervention.
- Machine learning algorithms employ statistics to detect patterns in massive amounts of data.
 - Data could be anything: numbers, words, images, signals, or anything else.

How Does Machine Learning Work?

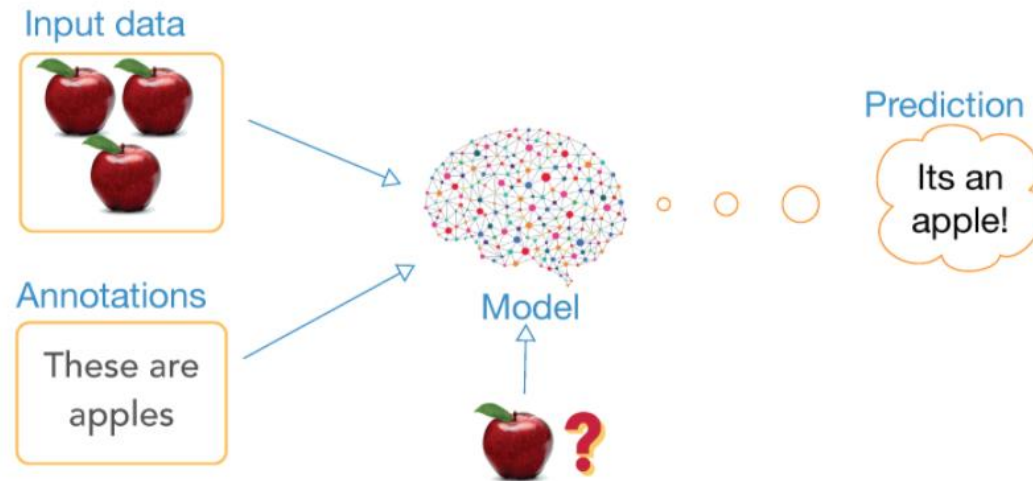


Categorization of Machine Learning

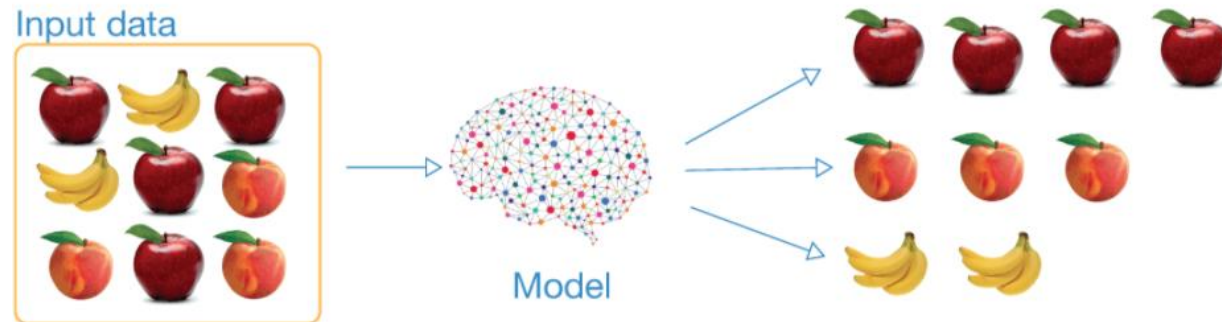


Supervised vs Unsupervised Learning

supervised learning

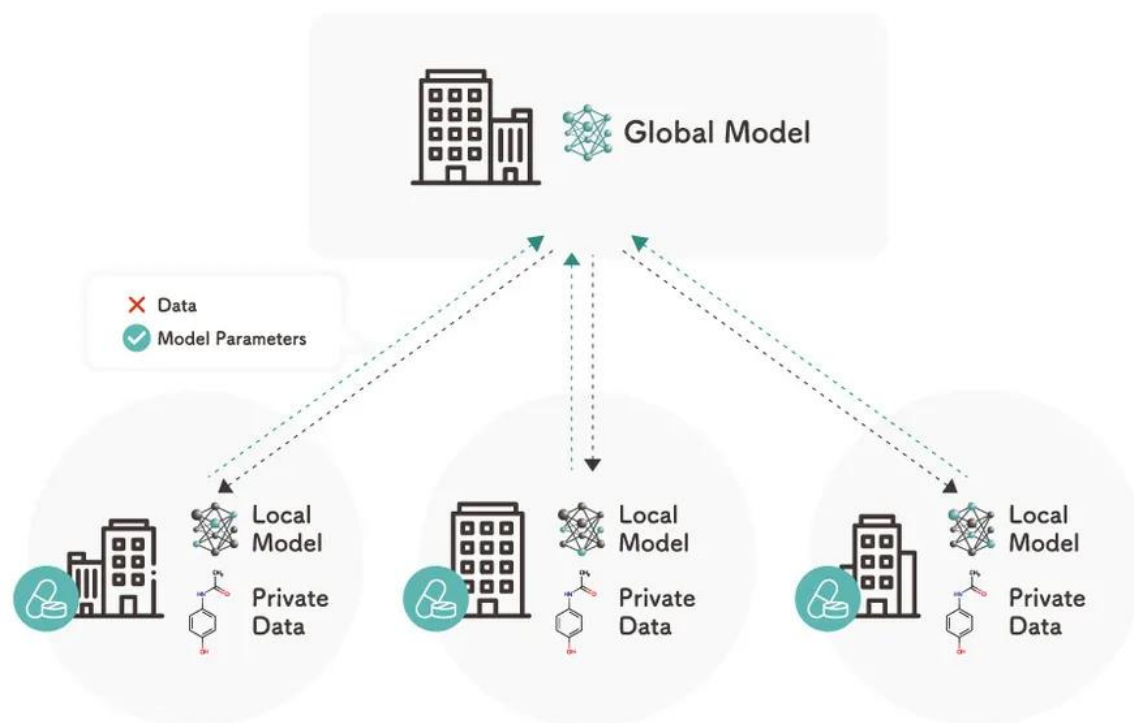


unsupervised learning

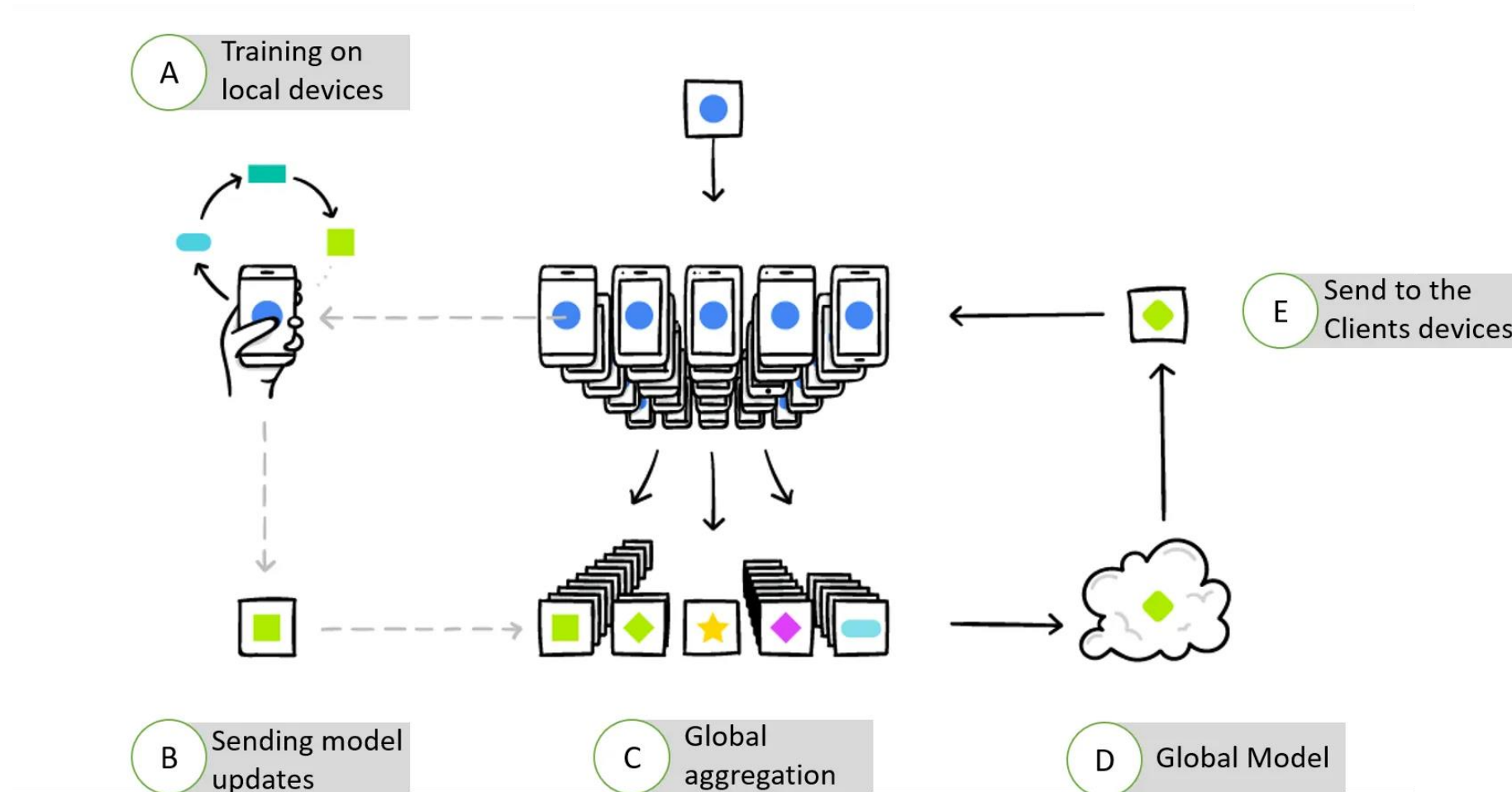


Federated Learning (FL)

- Federated Learning addresses the **challenges** of privacy, security, and data decentralization.



Federated Learning-Training Mechanism



Issues and Challenges in FL

- Communication Efficiency
- Heterogeneity of Clients
- Non-Independent and Identically Distributed (IID) Data

FL in 5G Networks

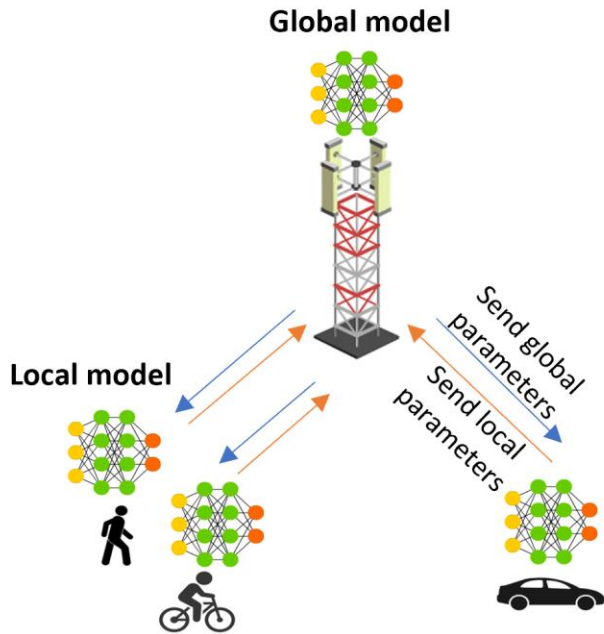


Fig: Federated learning

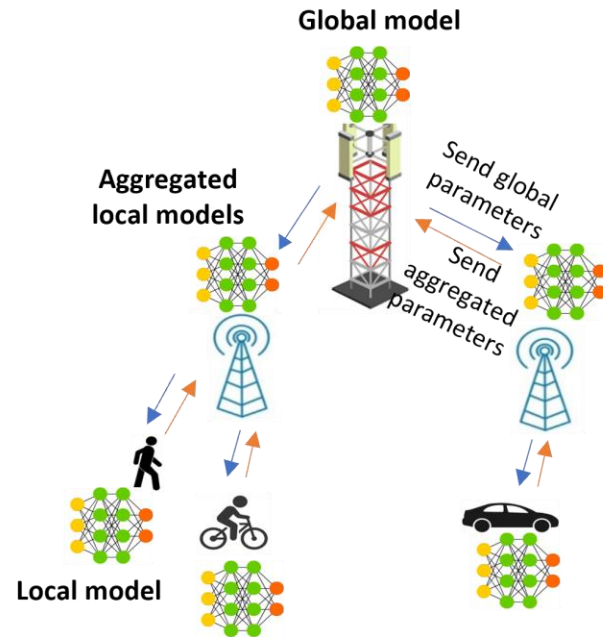


Fig: Hierarchical FL

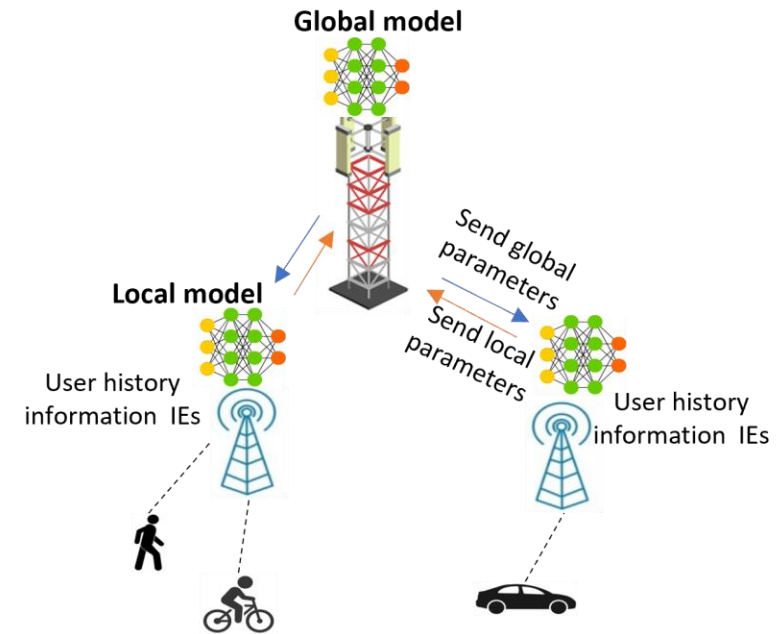


Fig: Proposed FL architecture
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