

Building Streaming Recommendation Engines on Spark

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Overview

- Collaborative Filtering
 - Batch Alternating Least Squares (ALS)
 - Streaming ALS
- Apache Spark
 - Distributed Streaming ALS
- OpenShift deployment

Collaborative Filtering

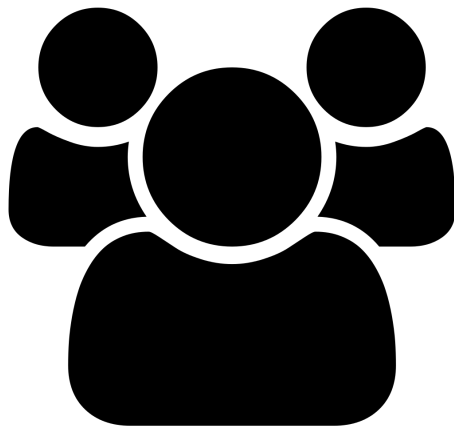
Collaborative Filtering

- Users, products and ratings
 - $(\text{user}, \text{product}) \mapsto \text{rating}$
- Collaborative
- “Filtering”

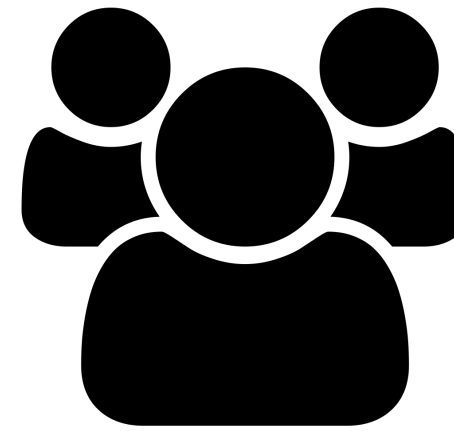
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A



B



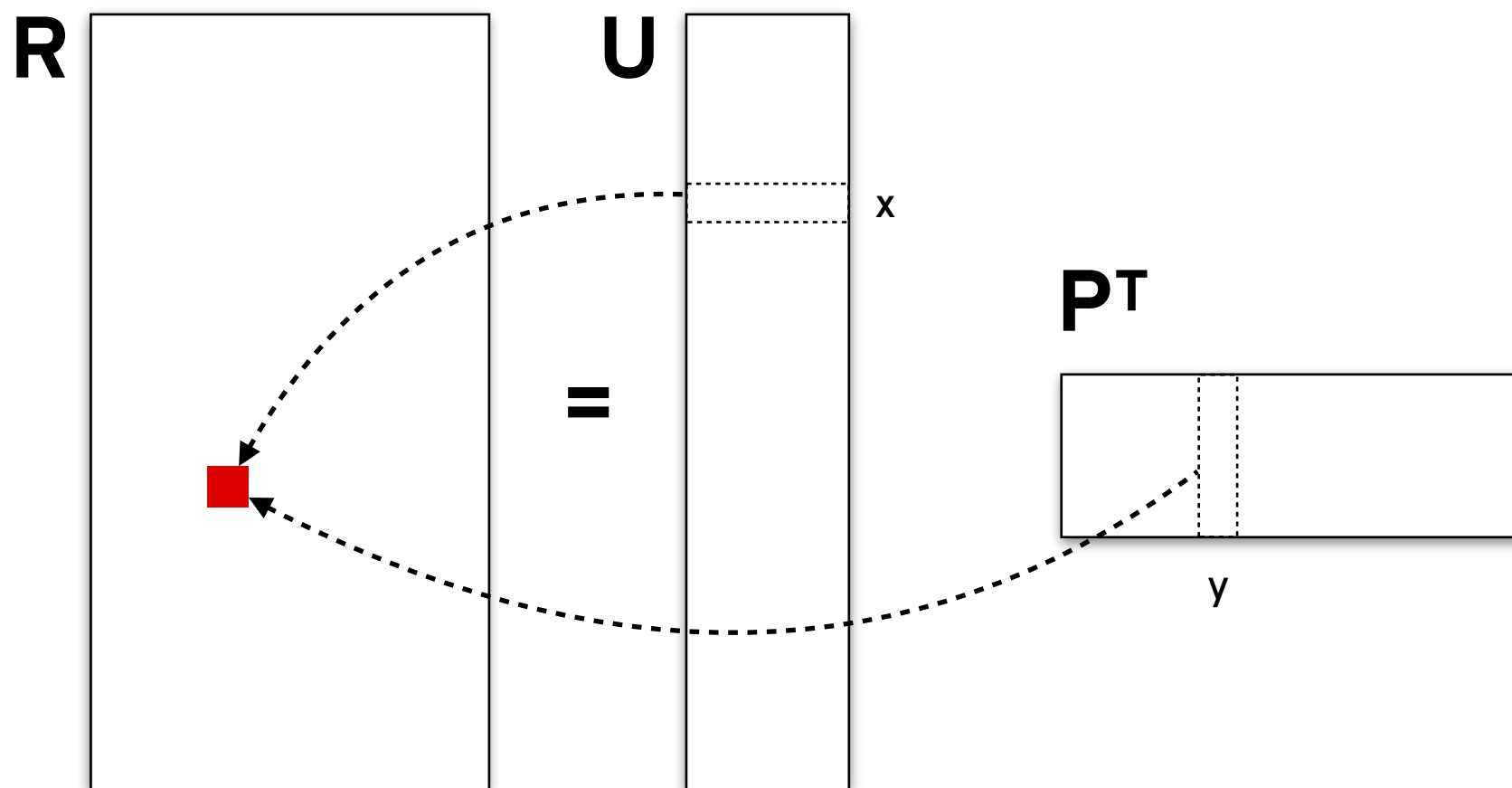
Collaborative Filtering



Alternating Least Squares

$$R = \begin{array}{ccccc} & \text{user 1} & \text{user 2} & \text{user 3} & \dots & \text{user N} & \\ \left[\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ ? \\ 5 \\ \vdots \\ 2 \end{array} \right. & \begin{array}{c} 4.5 \\ 3 \\ 3 \\ \vdots \\ 4 \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} ? \\ 3 \\ ? \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} \dots \\ \dots \\ \dots \\ \ddots \\ \dots \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} 3 \\ 4 \\ ? \\ \vdots \\ ? \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} \text{product 1} \\ \text{product 2} \\ \text{product 3} \\ \vdots \\ \text{product M} \end{array} \end{array}$$

Alternating Least Squares



$$\hat{r}_{x,y} = U_x P_y^T$$

Batch ALS

$$\text{loss} = \sum_{x,y} \left(\underbrace{r_{x,y} - \hat{r}_{x,y}}_{\epsilon_{x,y}} \right)^2 + \lambda_x \sum_x ||\mathbf{U}_x||^2 + \lambda_y \sum_y ||\mathbf{P}_y||^2$$

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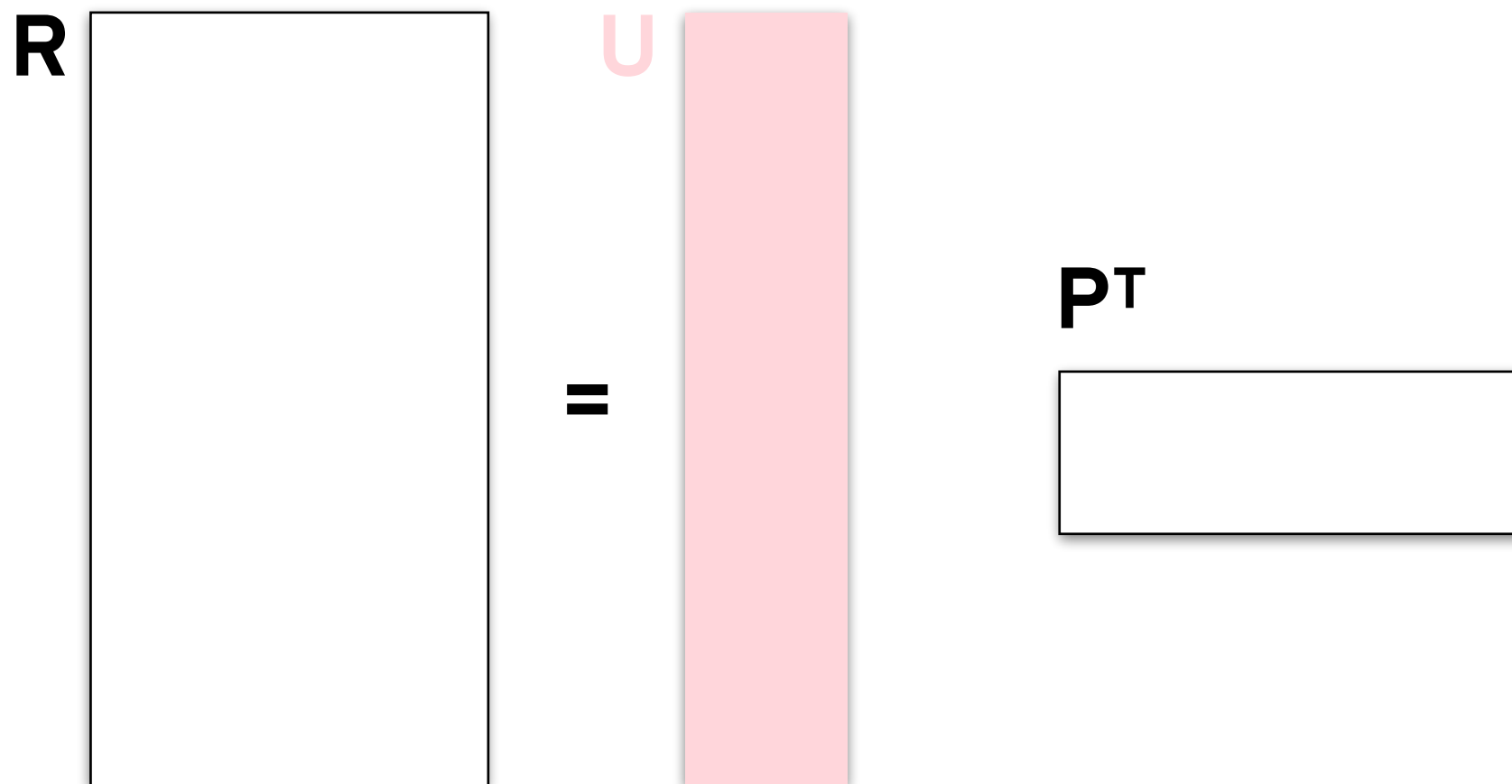
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(minimize)

$$\frac{\partial \text{loss}}{\partial U_x} = 0,$$

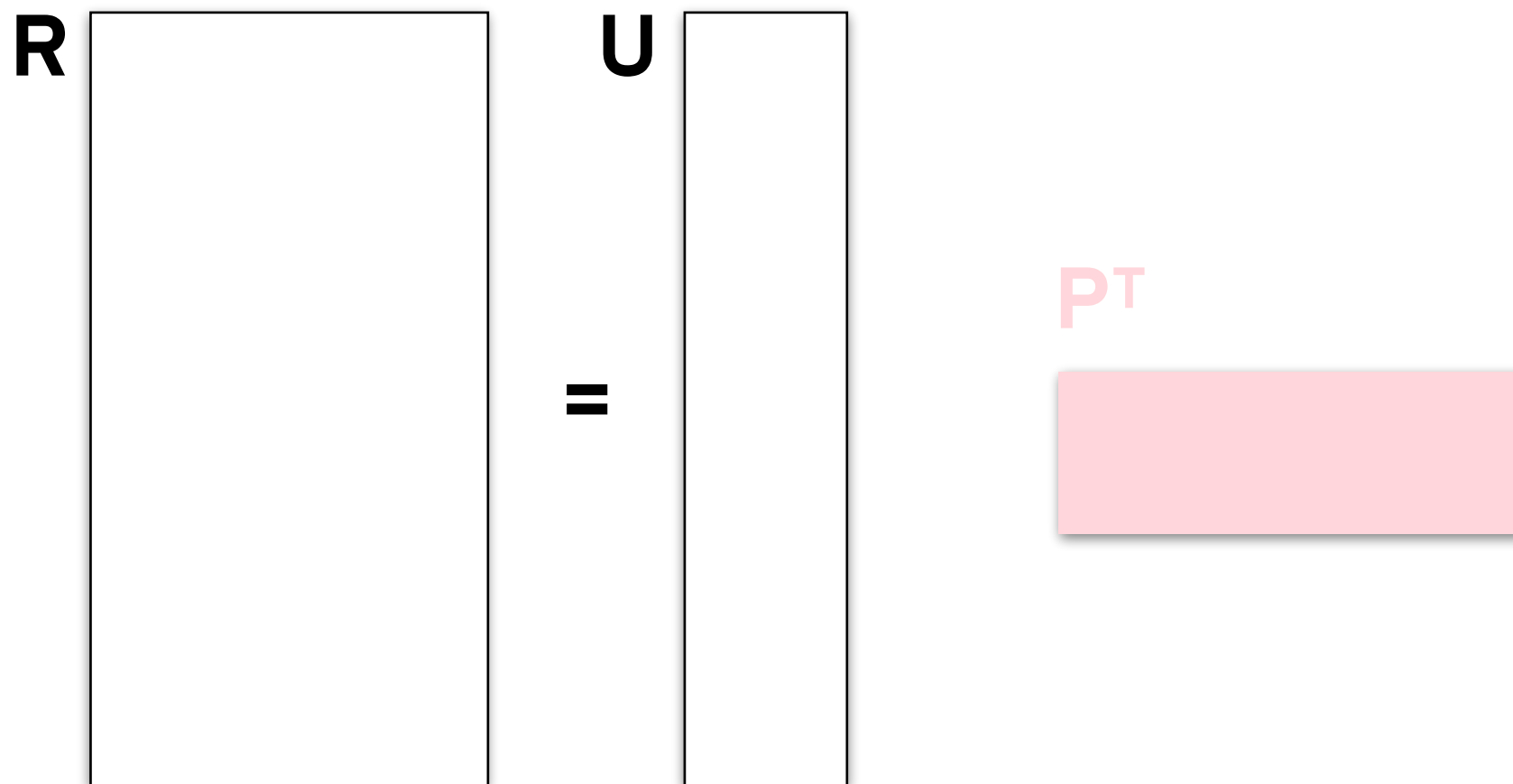
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Alternating Least Squares



$$P_y = r_y X (X^T X + \lambda_y I)^{-1}$$

Alternating Least Squares



$$U_x = r_x Y (Y^T Y + \lambda_x I)^{-1}$$

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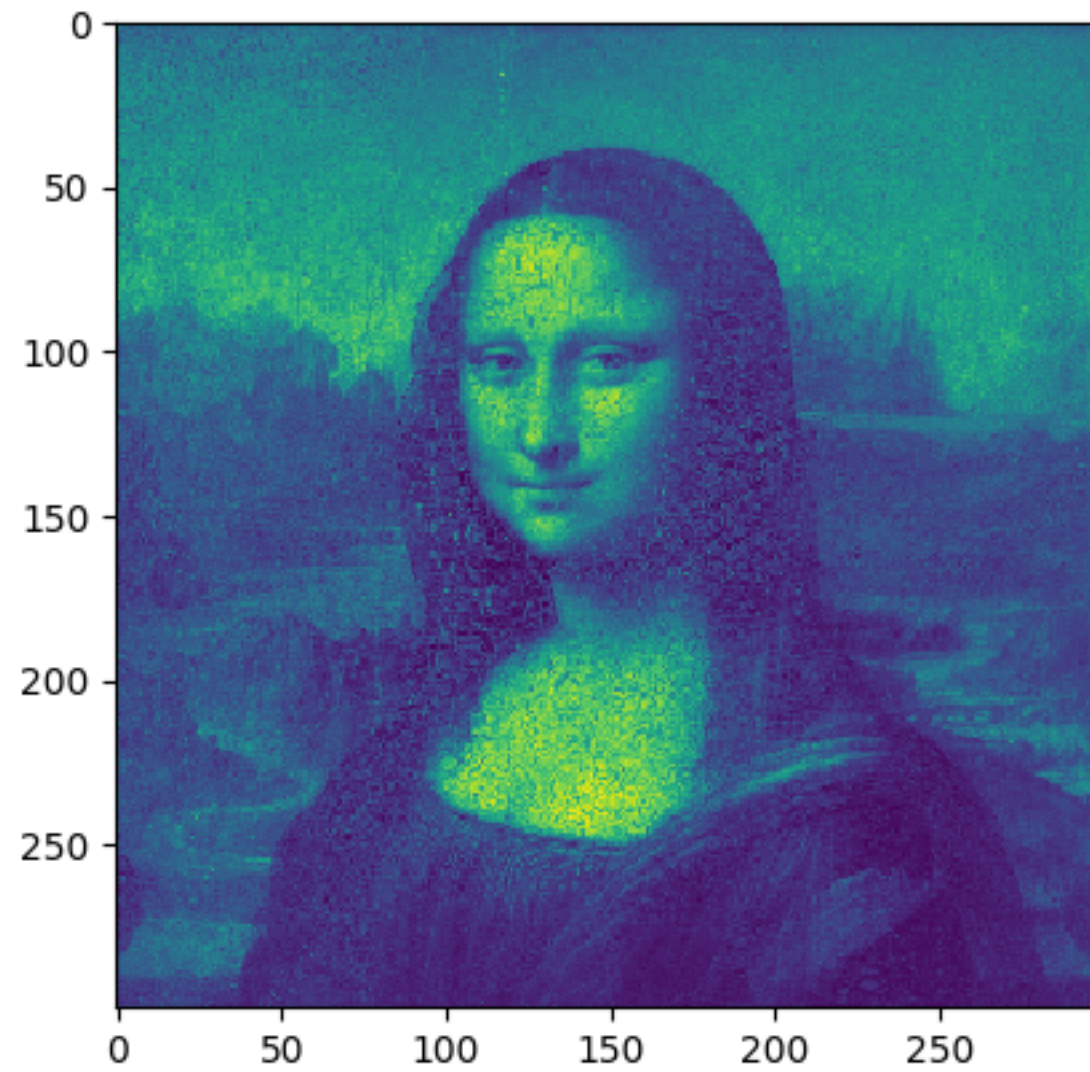
Batch ALS

	1	2	3	4	...	300
1	70	82	60	54		65
2	70	86	68	67		72
3	96	103	82	82		77
4	90	87	68	93		82
...						
300	38	48	44	51		35

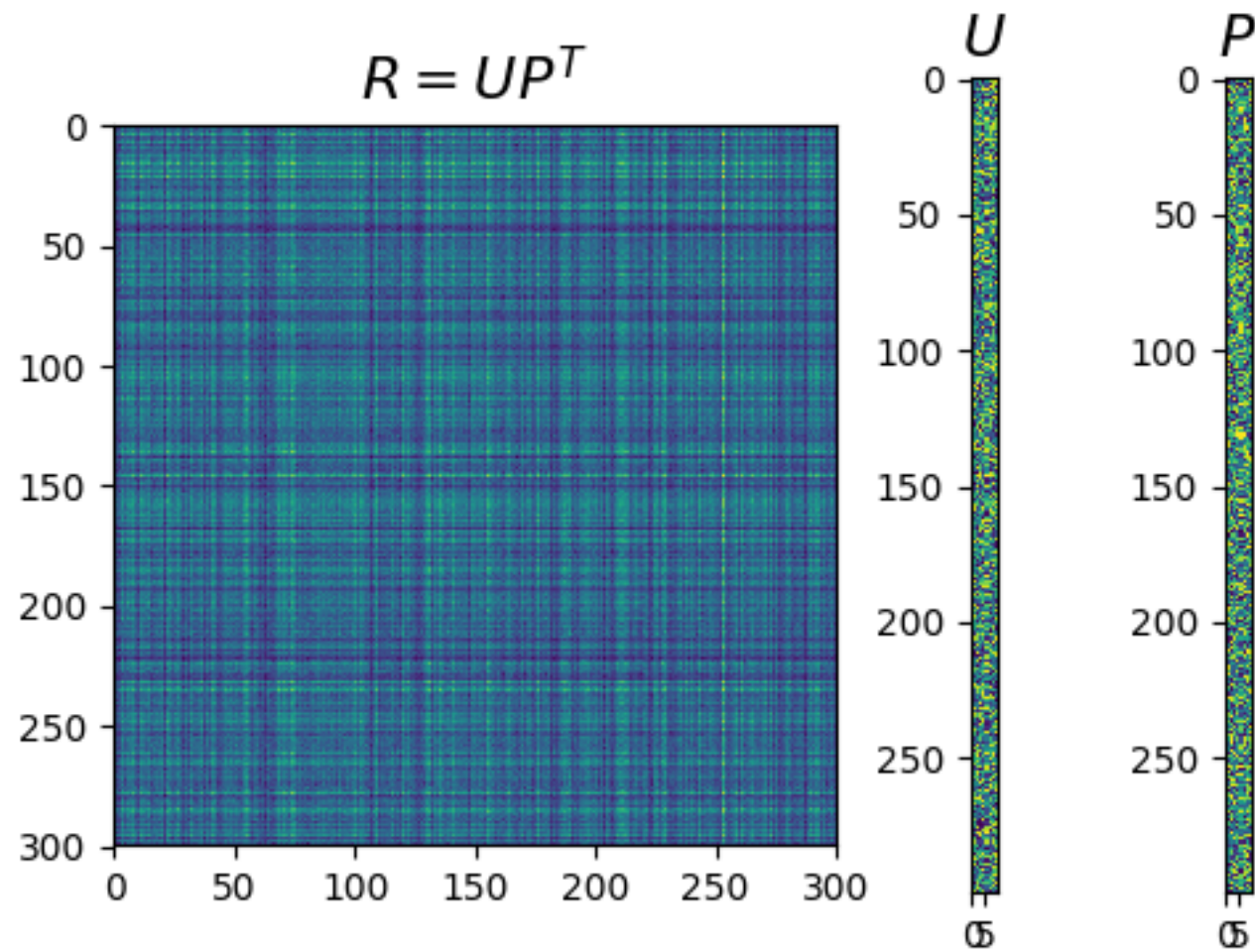
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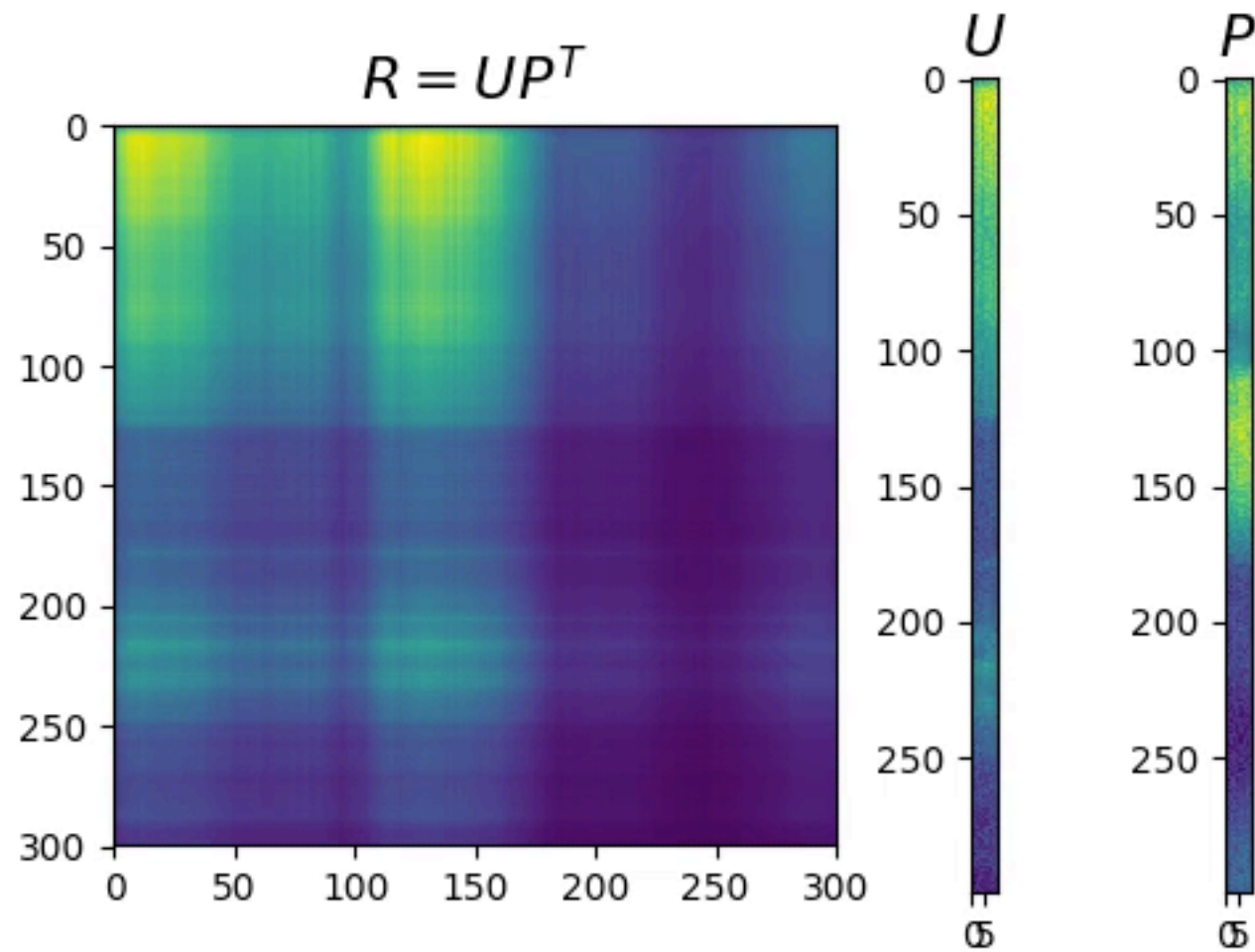
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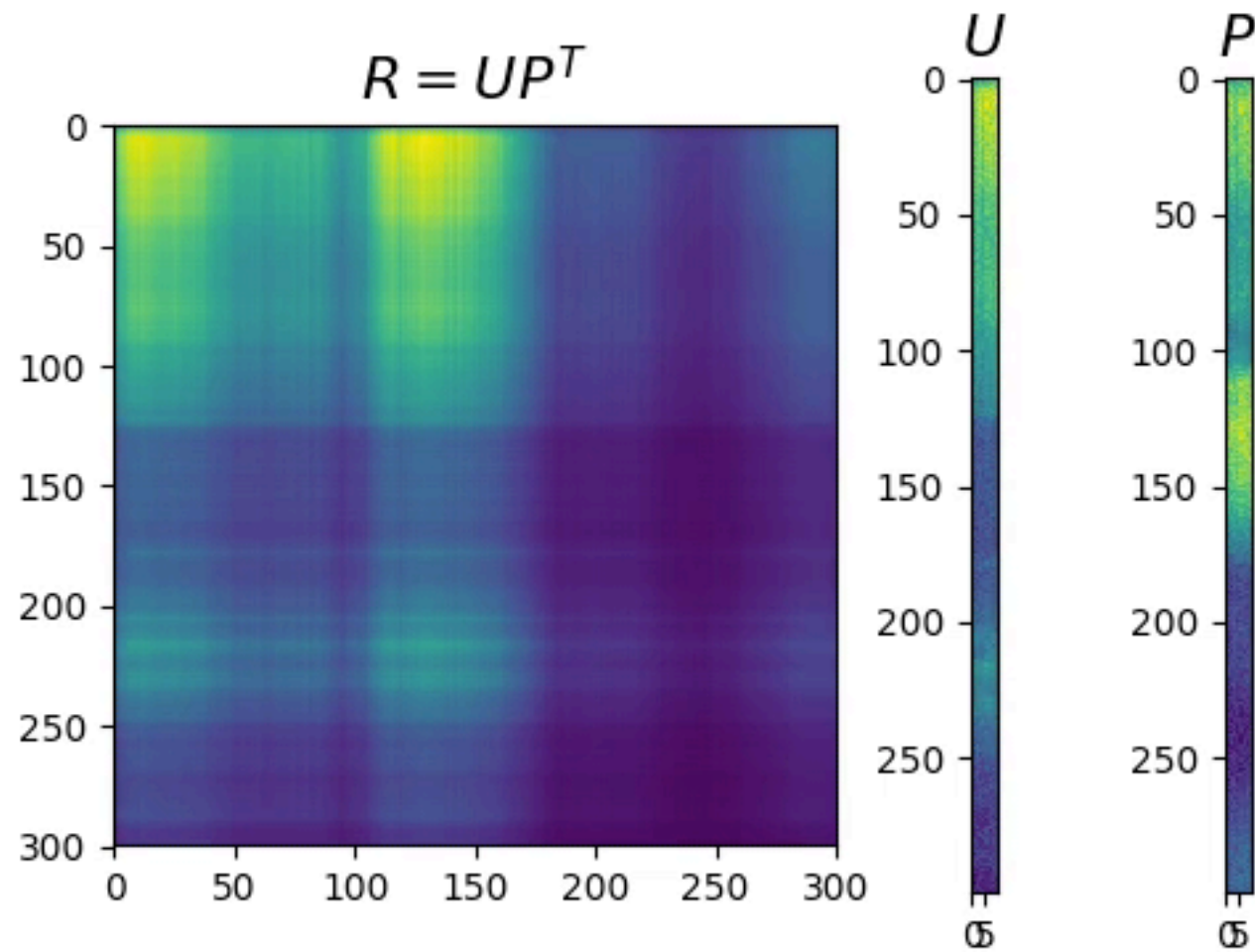
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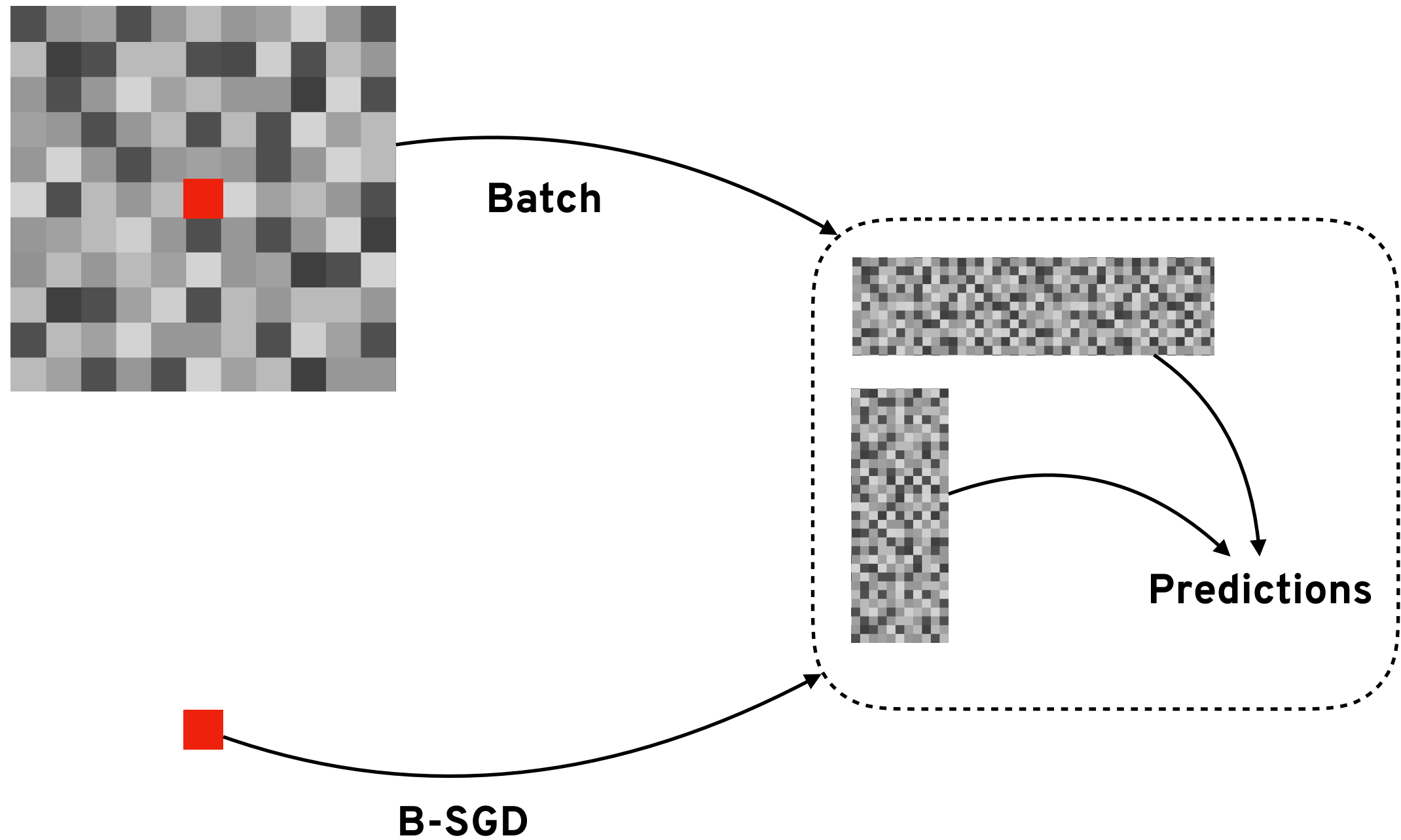
Batch ALS



Streaming ALS

- Can we update the model with a data stream?
- Stochastic Gradient Descent (SGD)
 - Bias SGD (B-SGD)

Streaming ALS



Streaming ALS

$$b_{x,y} = \mu + b_x + b_y$$

$$\hat{r}_{x,y} = \mu + b_x + b_y + \mathbf{U}_x \cdot \mathbf{P}_y^T$$

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Streaming ALS

bias

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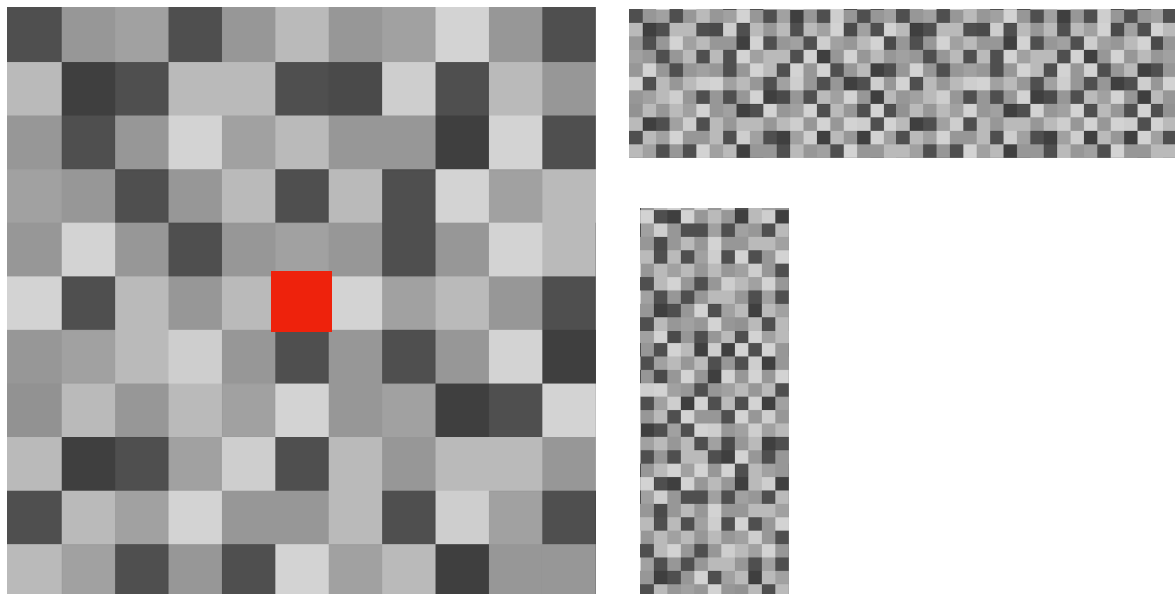
$$b_y \leftarrow b_y + \gamma (\epsilon_{x,y} - \lambda_y b_y)$$

factors

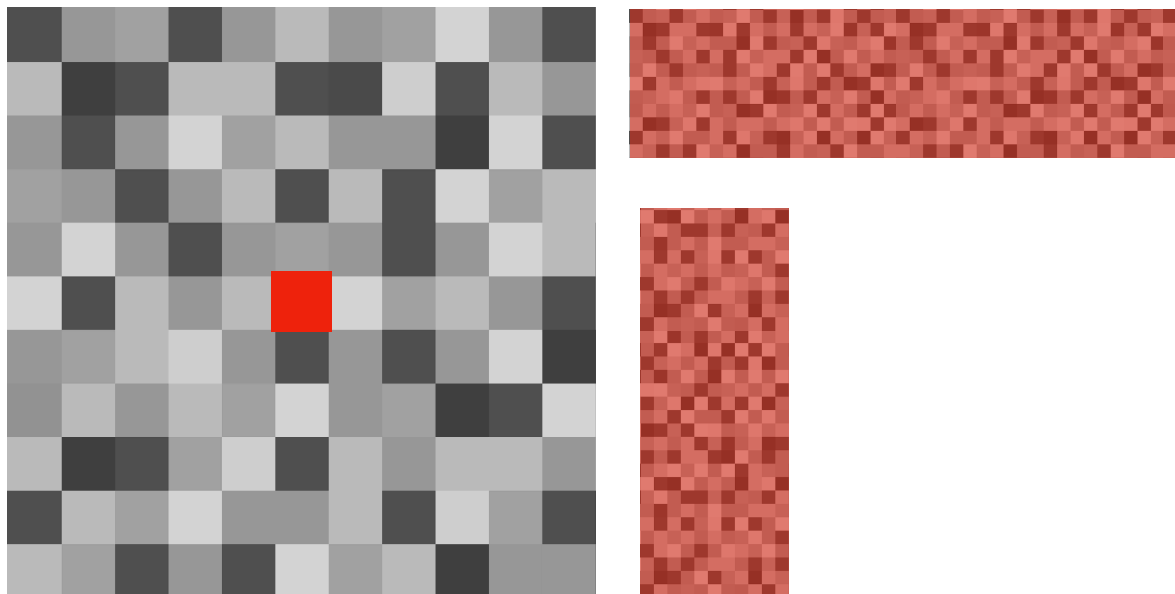
$$U_x \leftarrow U_x + \gamma (\epsilon_{x,y} P_y - \lambda'_x U_x)$$

$$P_y \leftarrow P_y + \gamma (\epsilon_{x,y} U_x - \lambda'_y P_y)$$

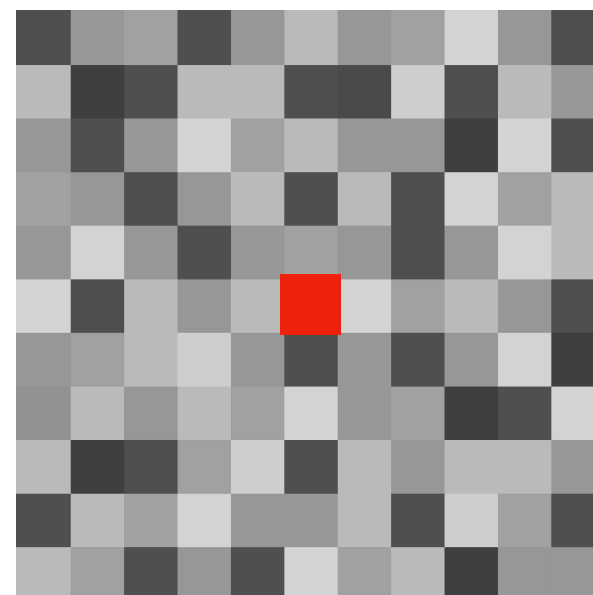
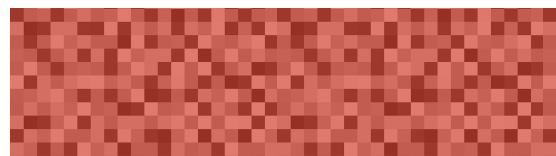
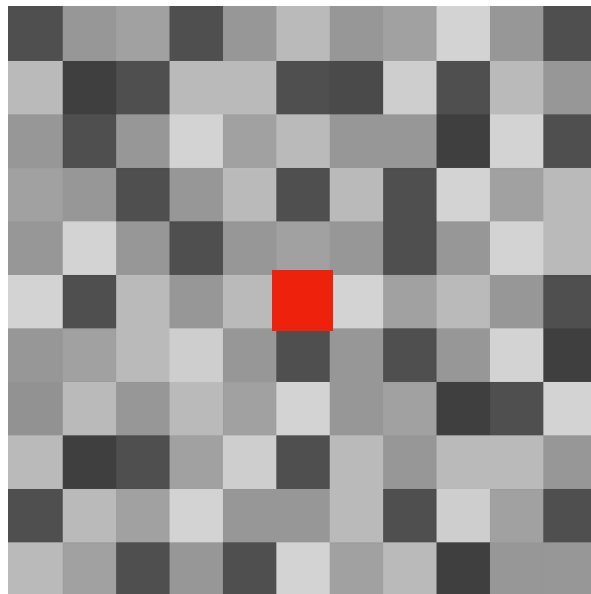
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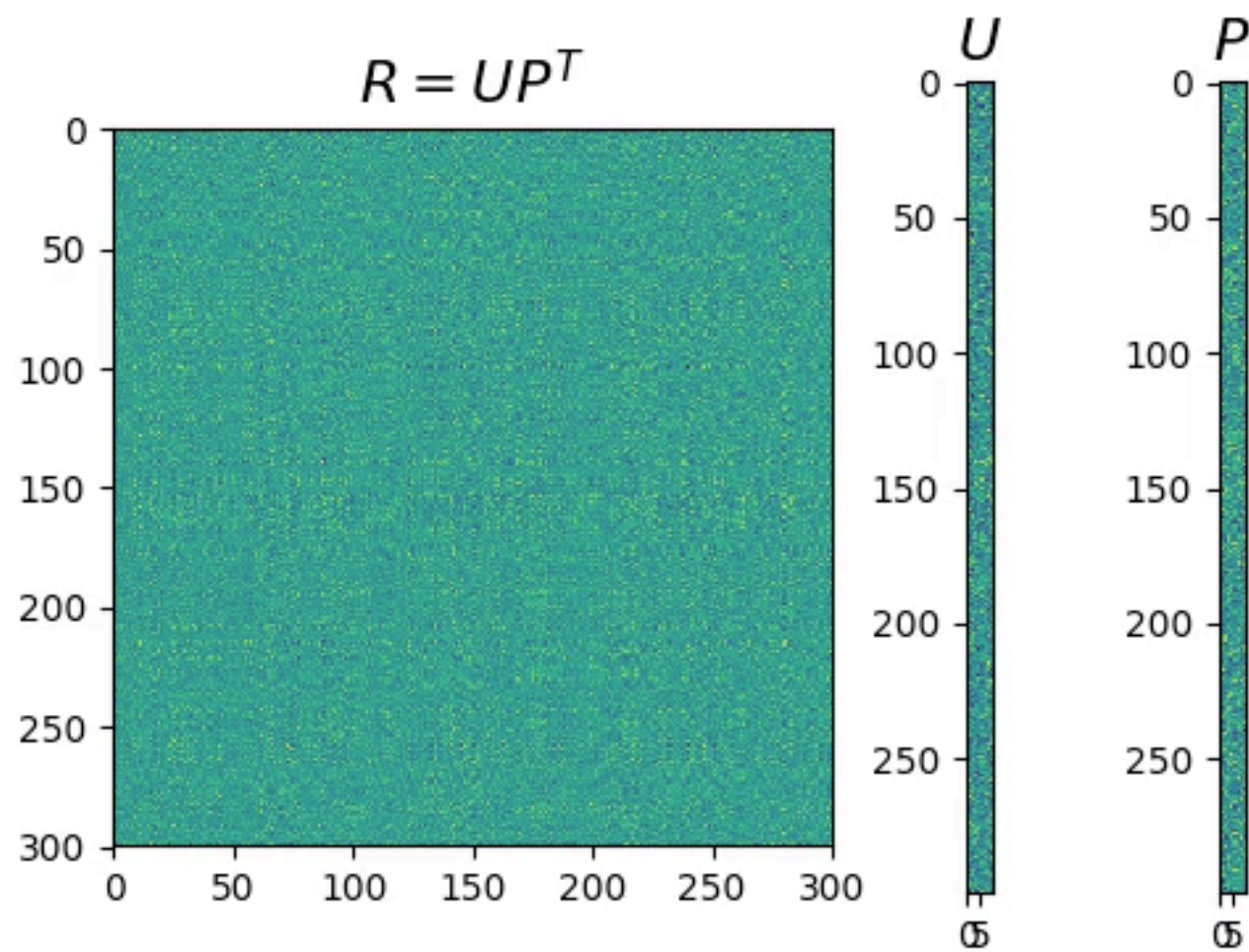
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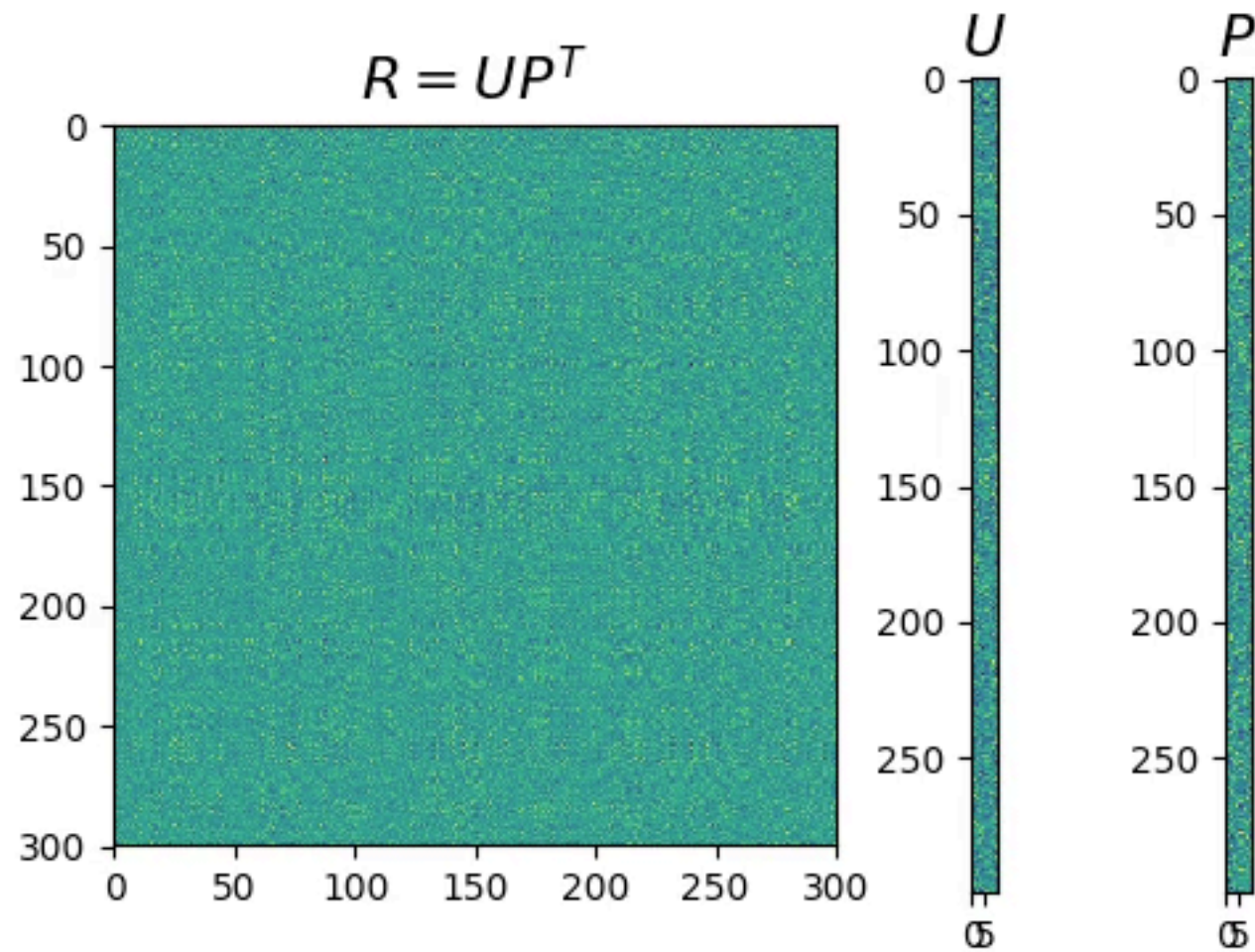
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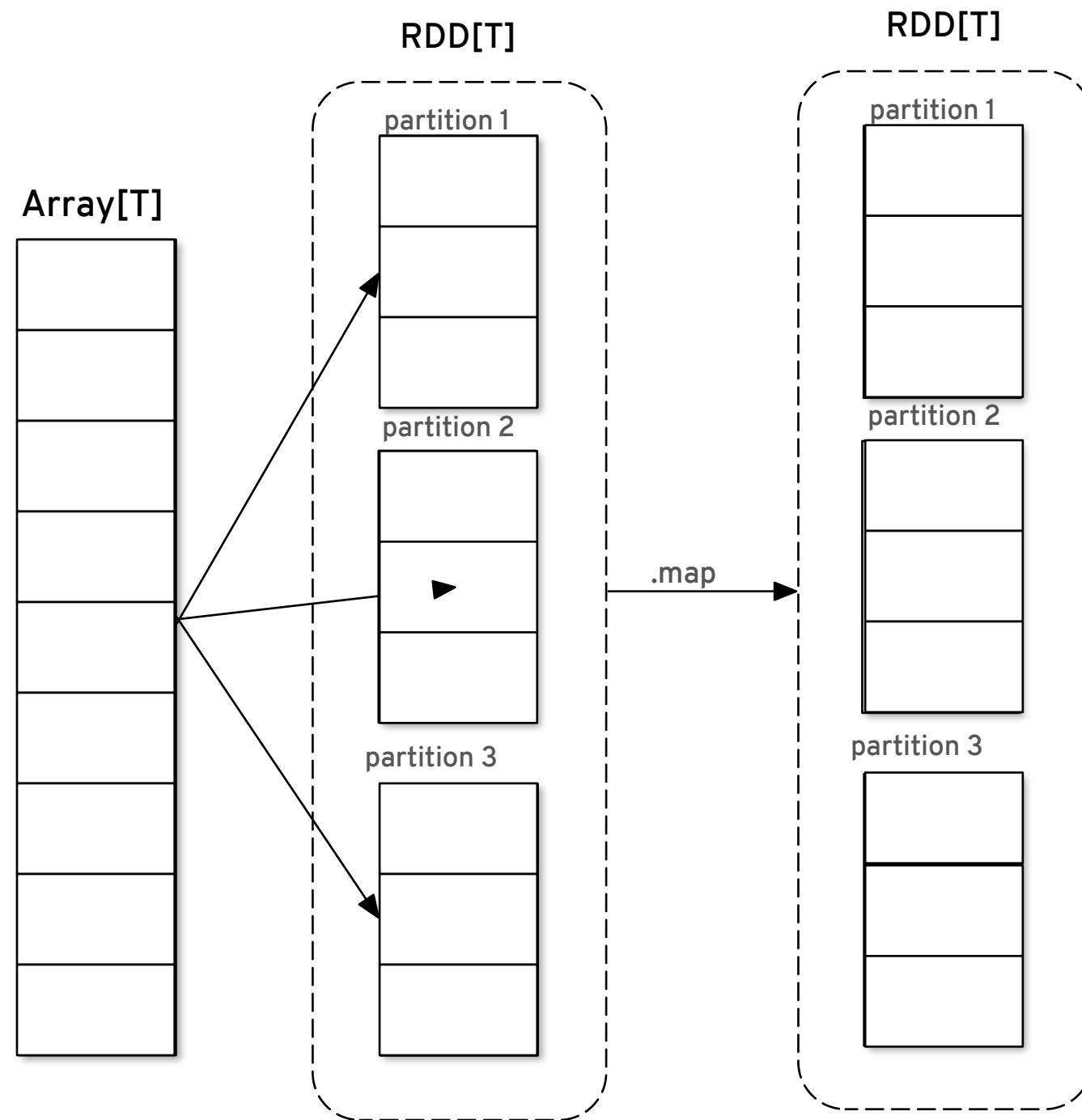
Streaming ALS



Apache Spark



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```
val lambda: Double
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```
model: MatrixFactorizationModel
```

```
class MatrixFactorizationModel {
```

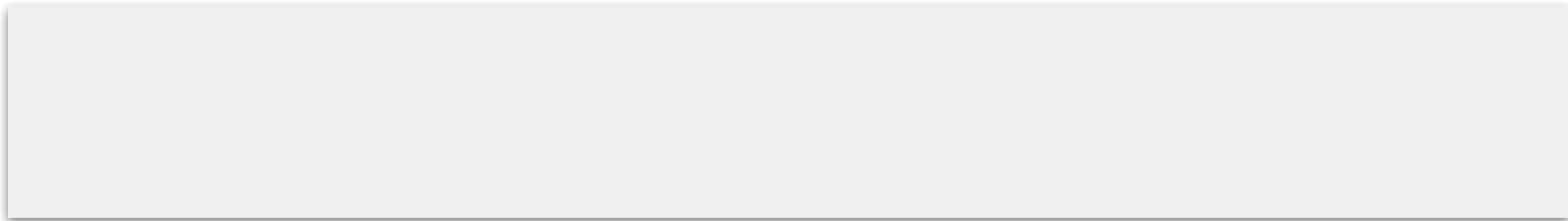
```
    val userFeatures: RDD[(Int, Array[Double])]
```

```
    val productFeatures: RDD[(Int, Array[Double])]
```

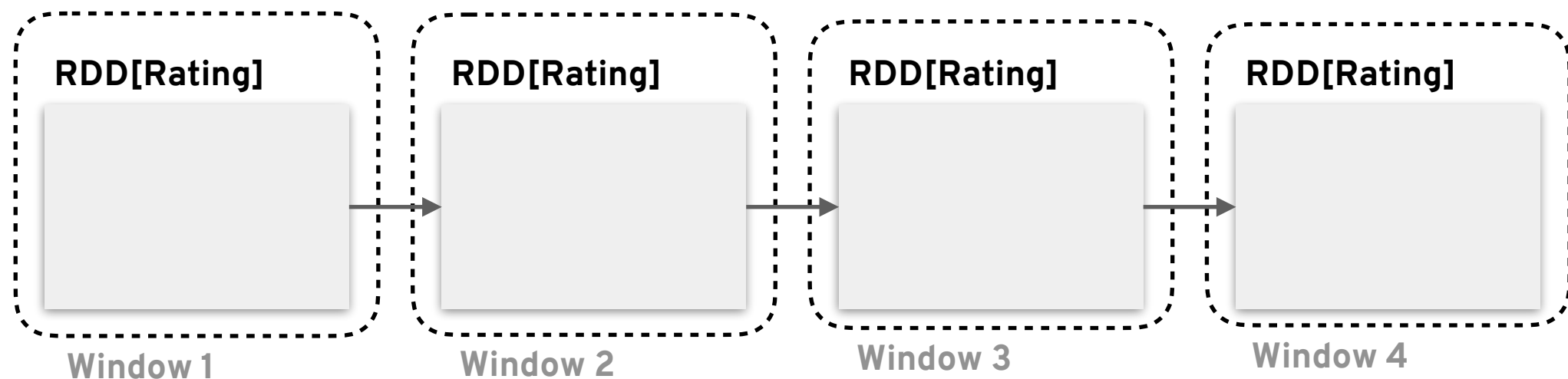
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}
```

Spark Streaming ALS

RDD[Rating]



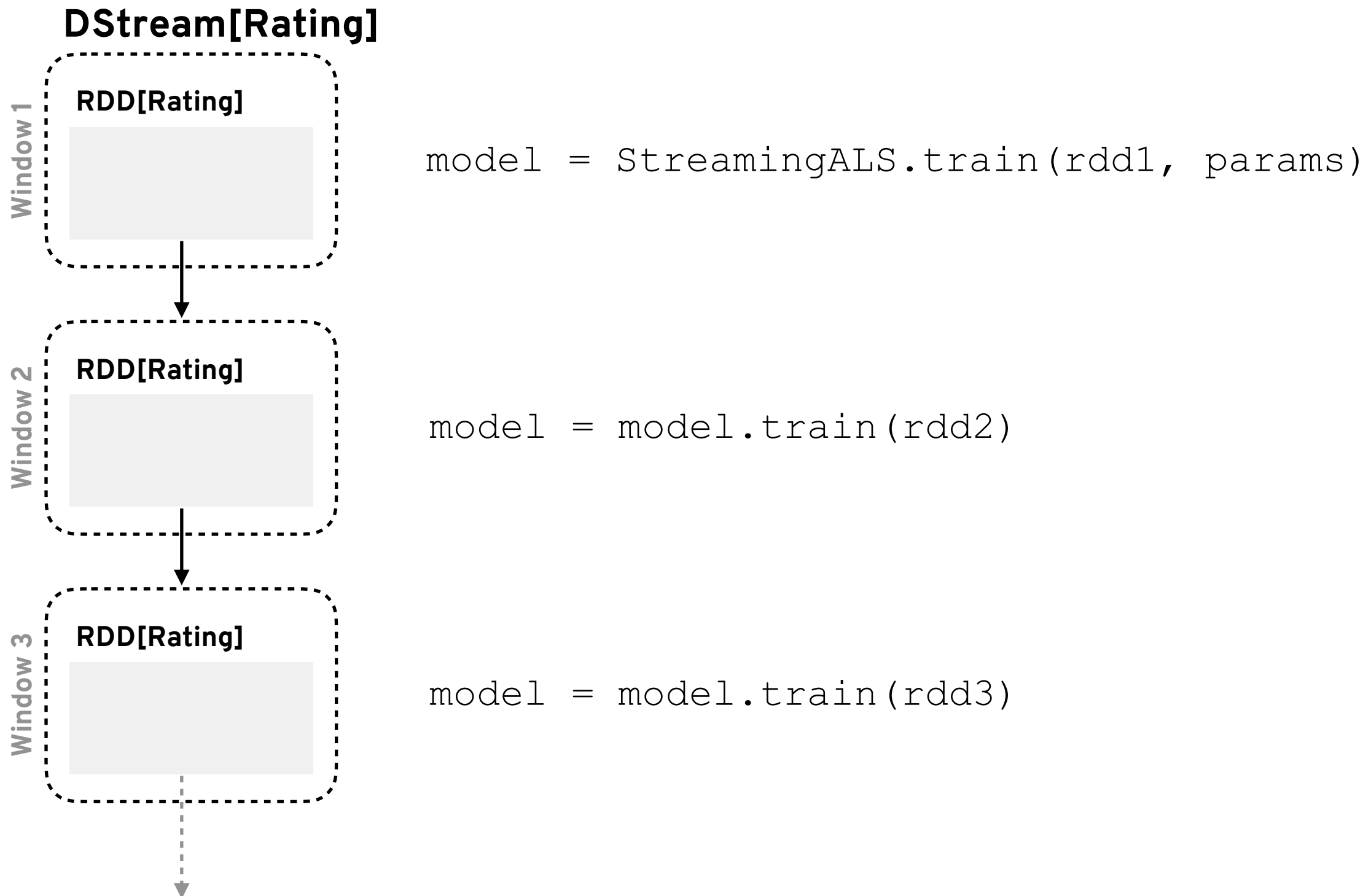
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```
userBias += gamma * (error - lambda * userBias)
```

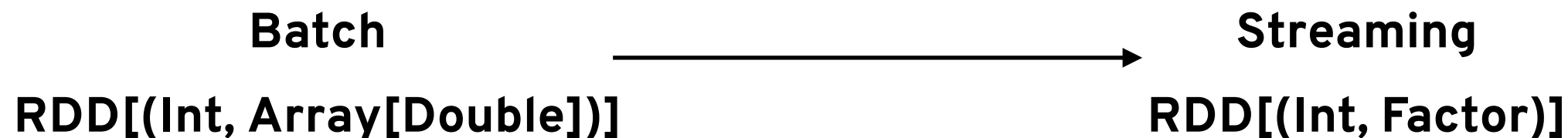
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userFeature(i) += gamma * (error * prodFeature(j) - lambda * userFeature(i))
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```
case class Factor(var bias: Double, features: Array[Double])
  extends Serializable {
}
}
```



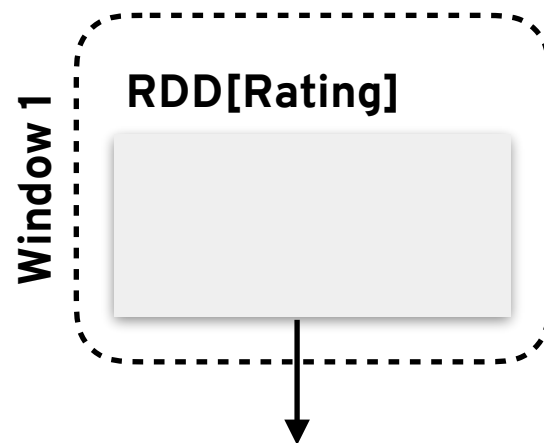
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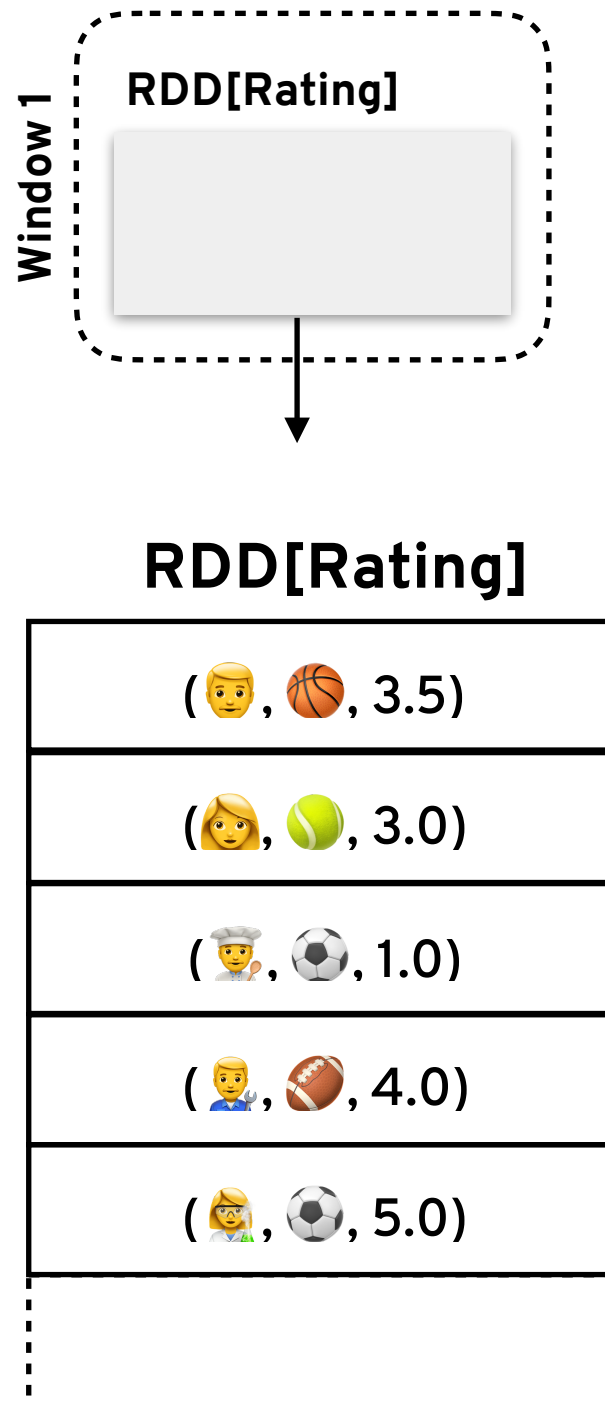
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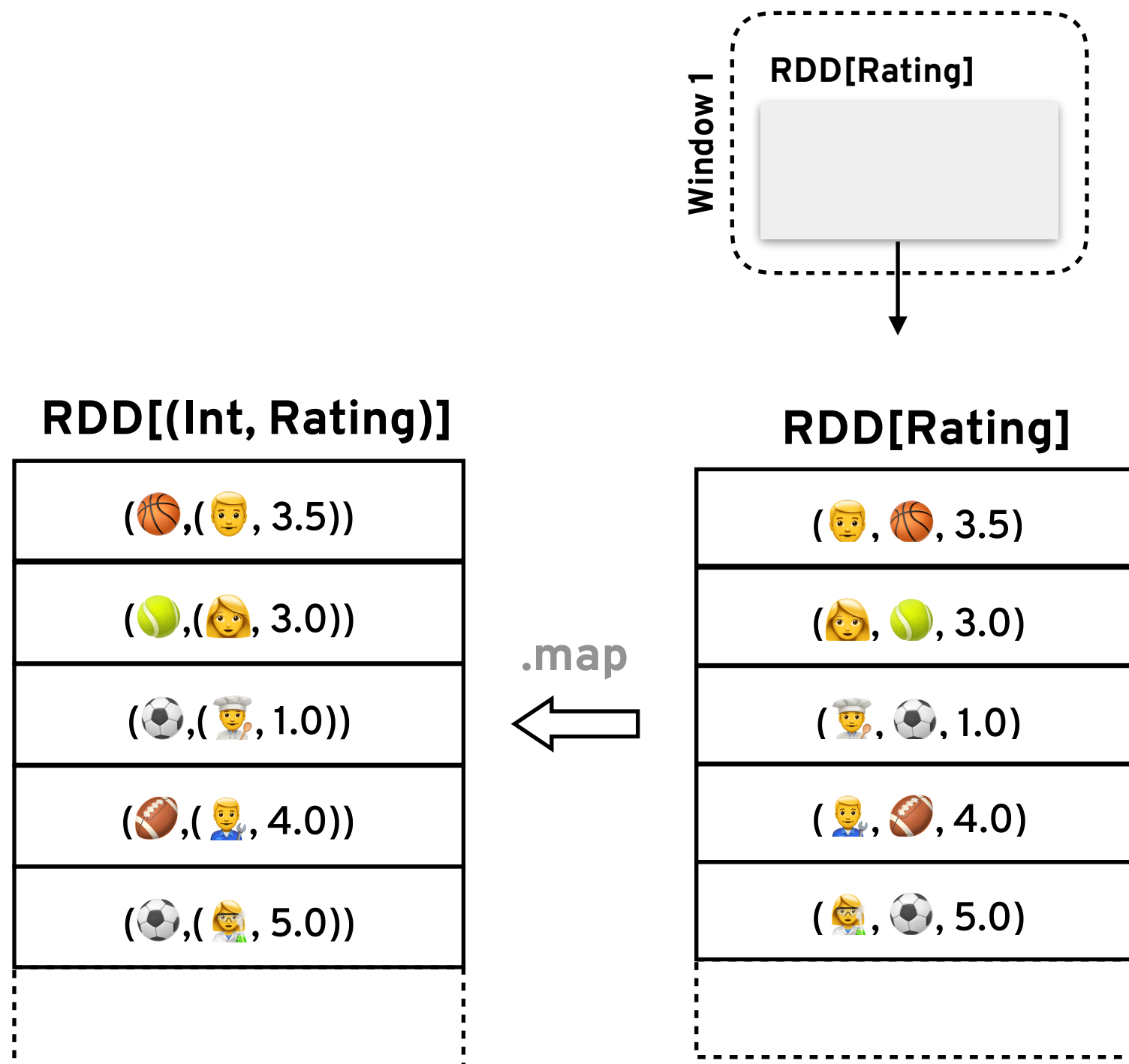
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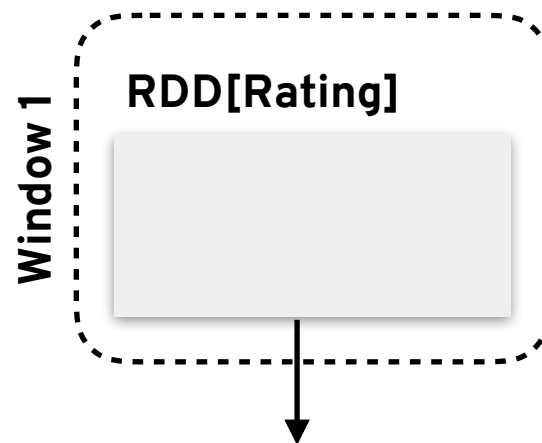
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RDD[(Int, Rating)]

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(🏈,(👨🔧, 4.0))
(⚽,(👩🔧, 5.0))

.map
←

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➡

RDD[(Int, Factor)]

(👨, [0.123, -0.234, ...])
(👩, [0.934, 0.526, ...])
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(👨, [0.034, 0.661, ...])
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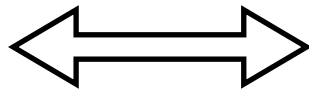
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.join



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RDD[(Int, (Int, Double, Factor))]

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user latent factors

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(⚽, [0.136, 0.933, ...])
(🎾, [0.663, -0.134, ...])
(🎾, [0.811, 0.535, ...])
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Spark Streaming ALS



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RDD[(Int, (Int, Double, Factor, Factor))]

(, (, 1.0, [0.421, -0.594, ...], [0.663, ...]))

predicted(, ) = $\mu + b_x + b_y + [0.421, -0.594, \dots] \times [0.663, \dots]^T = 2.3$

Spark Streaming ALS

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(🏀, (👨‍🍳, 1.0, [0.421, -0.594, ...], [0.663, ...]))

rating(👨‍🍳, 🏀) = 1.0

predicted(👨‍🍳, 🏀) = 2.3

error(👨‍🍳, 🏀) = rating(👨‍🍳, 🏀) - predicted(👨‍🍳, 🏀) = -1.3

Spark Streaming ALS

gradients

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Spark Streaming ALS

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RDD[(Int, Double, Factor)]

(👨, 0.932, [0.123, -0.140, ...])

(👩, 0.101, [0.334, 0.273, ...])

(👨🍳, 0.128, [0.957, -0.247, ...])

(👨💻, 0.242, [0.038, 0.883, ...])

(👨🔬, 0.245, [0.283, -0.953, ...])

Spark Streaming ALS

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(👨🍳, 0.128, [0.957, -0.247, ...])
(👨💡, 0.242, [0.038, 0.883, ...])
(👨🔬, 0.245, [0.283, -0.953, ...])

RDD[(Int, Double, Factor)]

(🏀, 0.274, [0.445, -0.233, ...])
(🎾, 0.483, [0.843, 0.023, ...])
(⚽, 0.595, [0.284, -0.987, ...])
(🏈, 0.103, [0.340, 0.328, ...])
(⚽, 0.253, [0.472, -0.274, ...])

Spark Streaming ALS

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RDD[(Int, Double, Factor)]

( , 0.932, [0.123, -0.140, ...])
( , 0.101, [0.334, 0.273, ...])

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RDD[(Int, Double)]

(👨, 0.932)
(👩, 0.101)

∇b_x

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∇b_x

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(👩, [0.334, ...])

∇U_x

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∇U_x

RDD[(Int, Double)]

(🏀, 0.274)
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∇b_y

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RDD[(Int, Double)] RDD[(Int, Factor)]

(👤, 0.932)
(👩, 0.101)

(👤, [0.123, ...])
(👩, [0.334, ...])

∇b_x

∇U_x

RDD[(Int, Double)] RDD[(Int, Factor)]

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(🎾, 0.483)

(🏀, [0.445, ...])
(🎾, [0.843, ...])

∇b_y

∇P_y

Spark Streaming ALS

Spark Streaming ALS

RDD[(Int, Double)]

(👤, 0.932)
(👤, 0.101)

$$b(\text{👤}) += \sum \nabla b(\text{👤})$$

Spark Streaming ALS

RDD[(Int, Double)] RDD[(Int, Factor)]

(👤, 0.932)
(👤, 0.101)

(👤, [0.123, ...])
(👤, [0.334, ...])

$$b(\text{👤}) += \sum \nabla b(\text{👤})$$

$$U(\text{👤}) += \sum \nabla U(\text{👤})$$

Spark Streaming ALS

RDD[(Int, Double)]

(👤, 0.932)
(👤, 0.101)

RDD[(Int, Factor)]

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(👤, [0.334, ...])

RDD[(Int, Double)]

(⚽, 0.274)
(⚽, 0.483)

$$b(\text{👤}) += \sum \nabla b(\text{👤})$$

$$U(\text{👤}) += \sum \nabla U(\text{👤})$$

$$b(\text{⚽}) += \sum \nabla b(\text{⚽})$$

Spark Streaming ALS

RDD[(Int, Double)] RDD[(Int, Factor)]

(👤, 0.932)
(👤, 0.101)

(👤, [0.123, ...])
(👤, [0.334, ...])

RDD[(Int, Double)] RDD[(Int, Factor)]

(⚽, 0.274)
(⚽, 0.483)

(⚽, [0.445, ...])
(⚽, [0.843, ...])

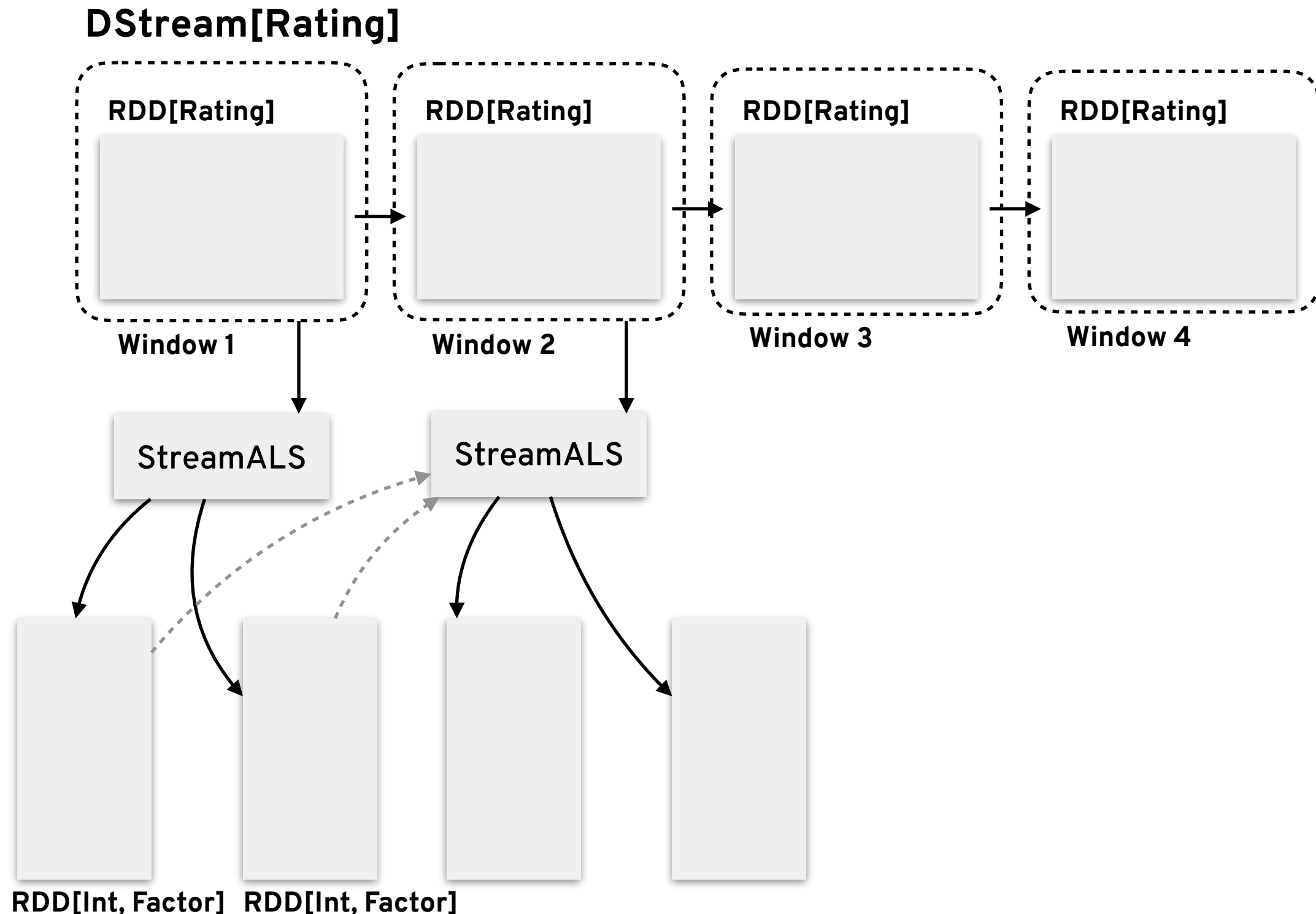
$$b(\text{👤}) += \sum \nabla b(\text{👤})$$

$$U(\text{👤}) += \sum \nabla U(\text{👤})$$

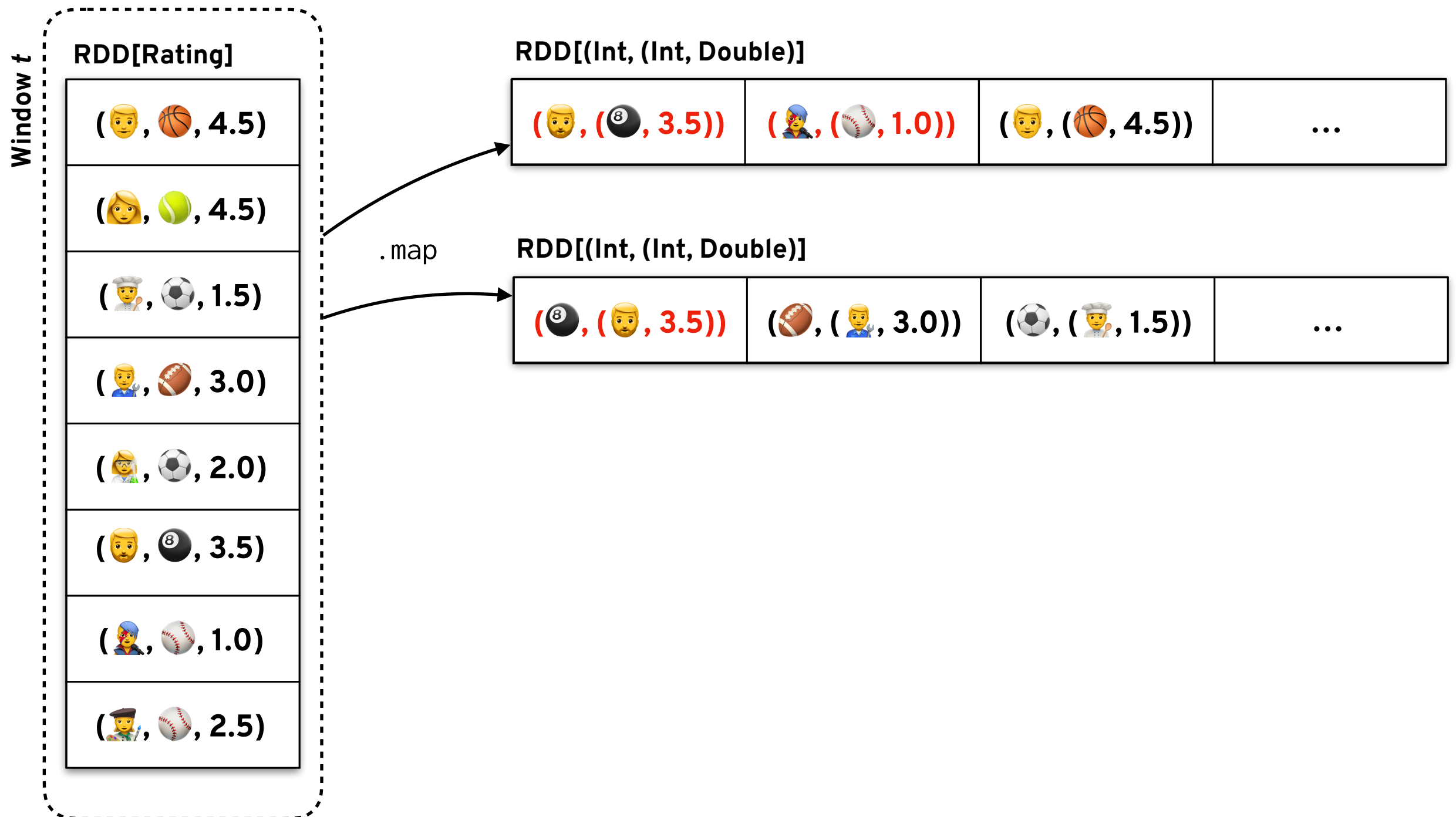
$$b(\text{⚽}) += \sum \nabla b(\text{⚽})$$

$$U(\text{⚽}) += \sum \nabla U(\text{⚽})$$

Spark Streaming ALS



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Spark Streaming ALS

RDD[(Int, (Int, Double))]

(👤, (🏀, 4.5))	(👩, (🎾, 4.5))	(👨, (🎱, 1.5))	...
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RDD[(Int, (Int, Factor))]

(👤, (0.12, [0.9,...]))
(👩, (-0.1, [1.37,...]))
(👨, (1, [0.123,...]))
...

.fullOuterJoin

(👤, (🏀, 4.5), 👤, (0.12, [0.9,...]))
(👩, (🎾, 4.5), 👩, (-0.1, [1.37,...]))
(👨, (🎱, 1.5), None)
...

```
userRatings.fullOuterJoin(userFactors).map {  
  case (userId, (_, userFactors)) =>  
    (userId, userFactors(featureGenerator.nextValue()))  
}
```

RDD[(Int, (Int, Double), Int, Factor)]

Data

- MovieLens
- Widely used in recommendation engine research
- Variants
 - Small - 100,000 ratings / 9,000 movies / 700 users
 - Full - 26 million ratings / 45,000 movies / 270,000 users
- CSV data
 - Ratings
 - (userId, movieId, rating, timestamp)
 - (100, 200, 3.5, 2010-12-10 12:00:00)

Training batch ALS

```
val split: Array[RDD[Rating]] = ratings.randomSplit(0.8, 0.2)  
val model = ALS.train(split(0), rank, iter, lambda)
```

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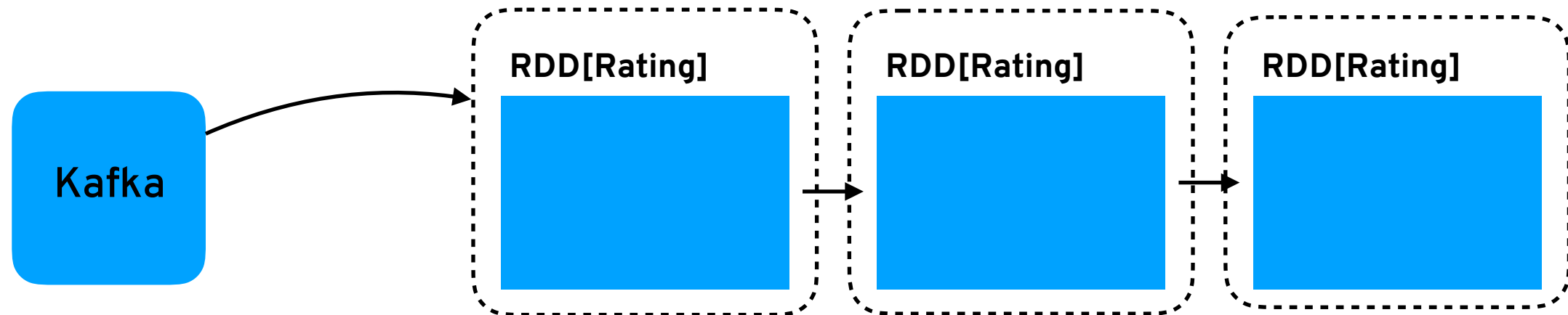
```
val model = ALS.train(split(0), rank, iter, lambda)
```

```
val predictions: RDD[Rating] = model.predict(split(1).map { x =>  
  (x.user, x.product)  
})
```

```
val pairs = predictions.map(x => ((x.user, x.product), x.rating))  
  .join(split(1).map(x => ((x.user, x.product), x.rating))  
  .values
```

```
Val RMSE = math.sqrt(pairs.map(x => math.pow(x._1 - x._2, 2)).mean())
```

Training streaming ALS



```
val model = StreamingALS(rank, iterations, lambda, gamma)

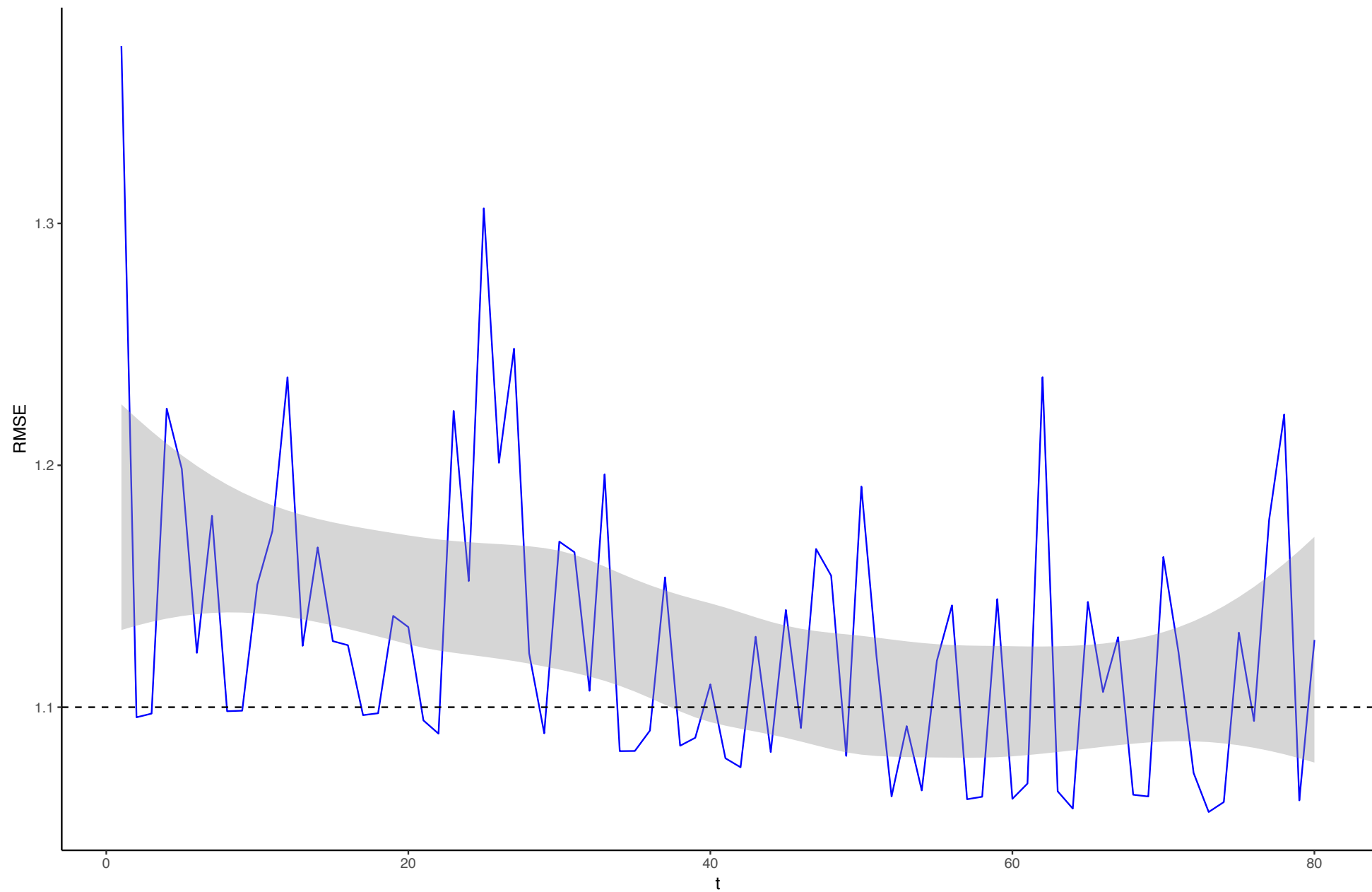
trainingStreamSet.foreachRDD { rdd =>

    model.train(rdd)

    val RMSE = calculateRMSE(model, validation)

}
```

Comparison

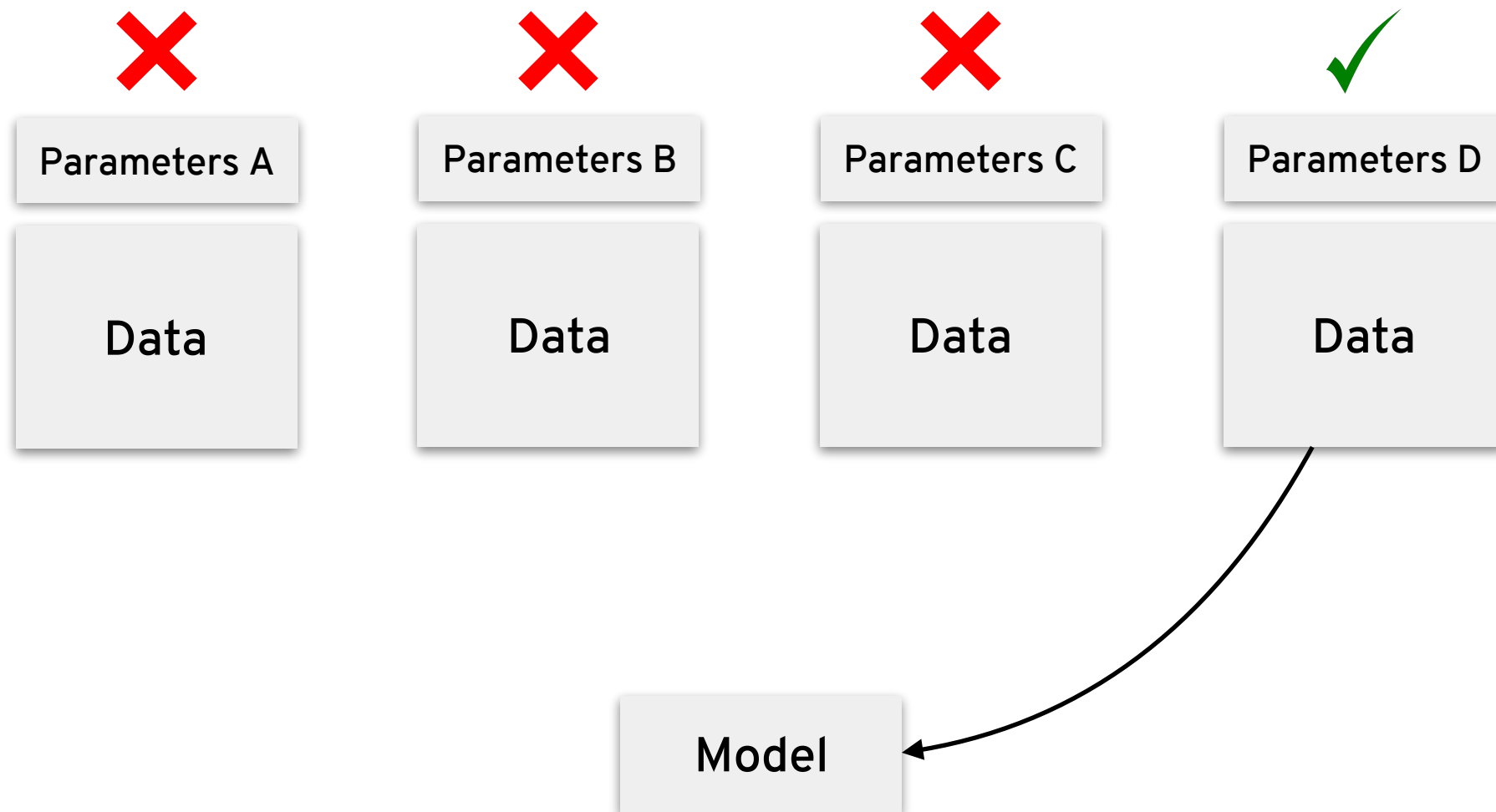


To consider

- “Cold start”
- Same as batch ALS
- Too few observations = meaningless
- Train offline

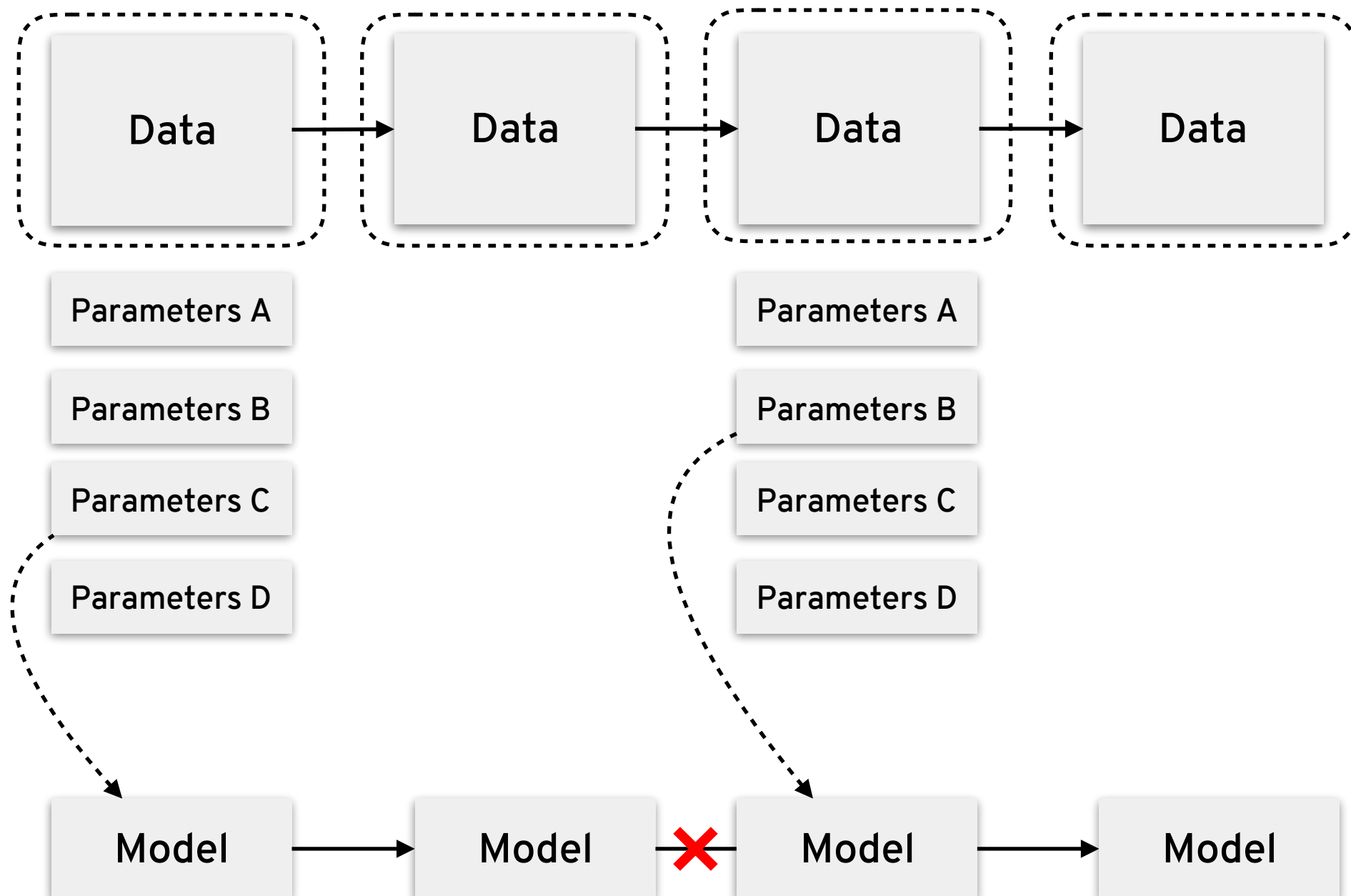
To consider

- Hyper-parameter estimation



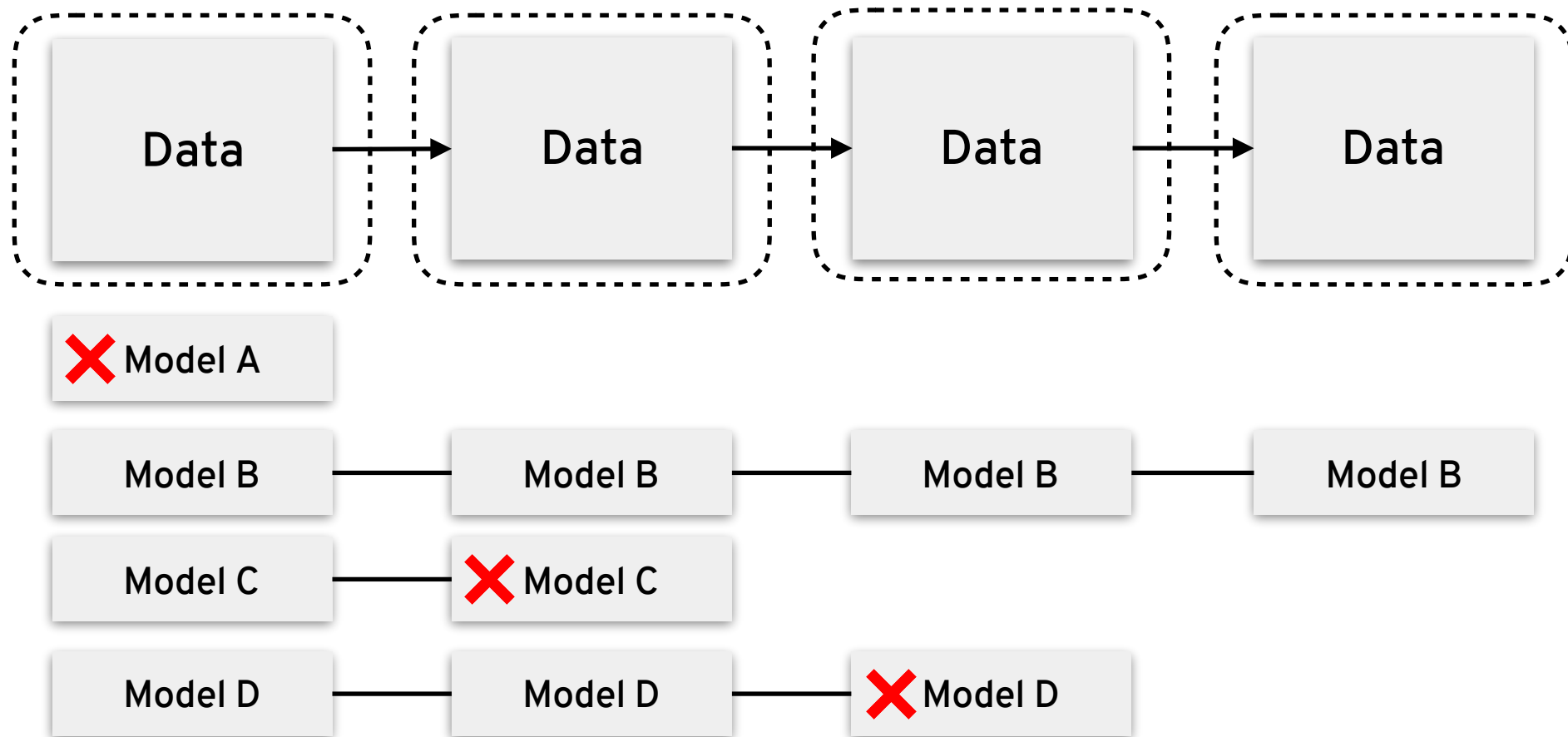
To consider

- Hyper-parameter estimation



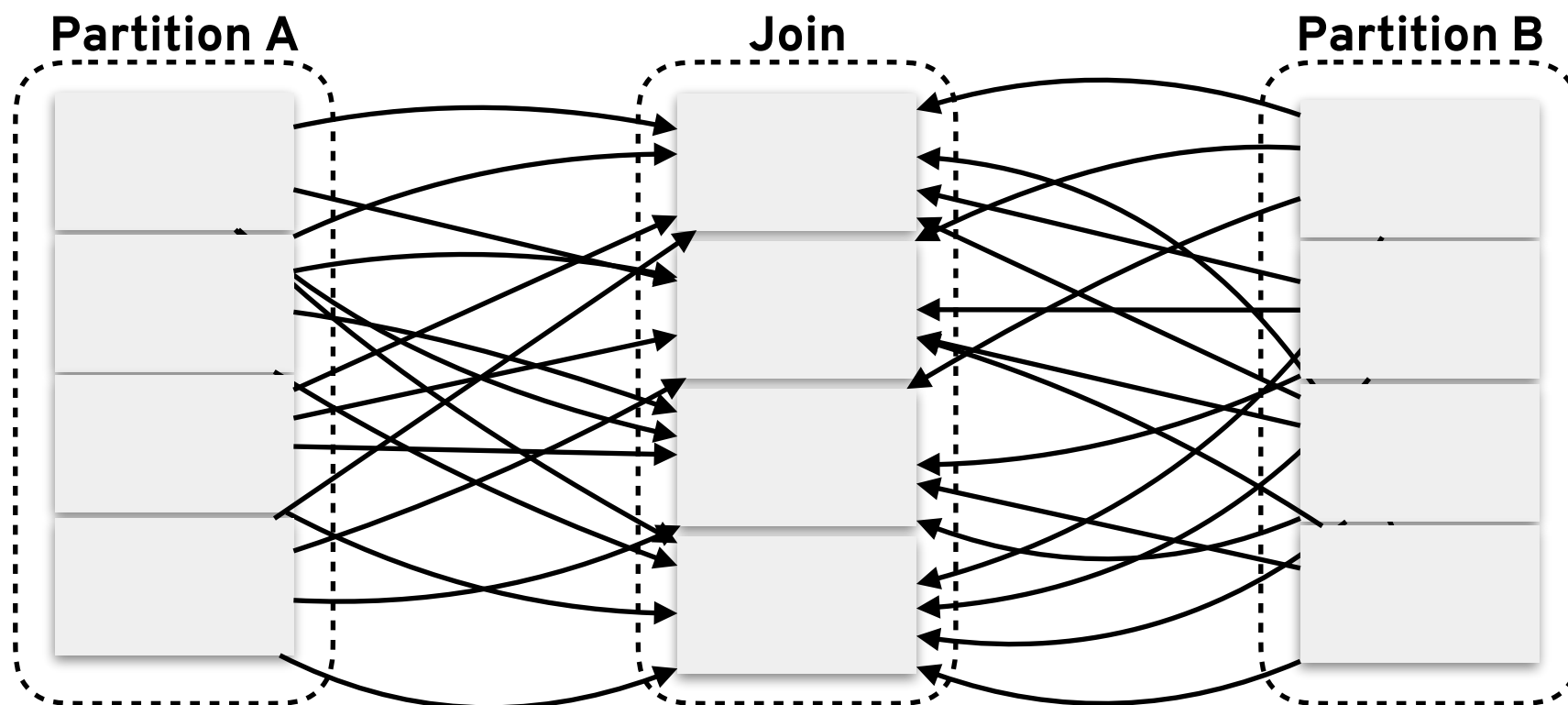
To consider

- Hyper-parameter estimation



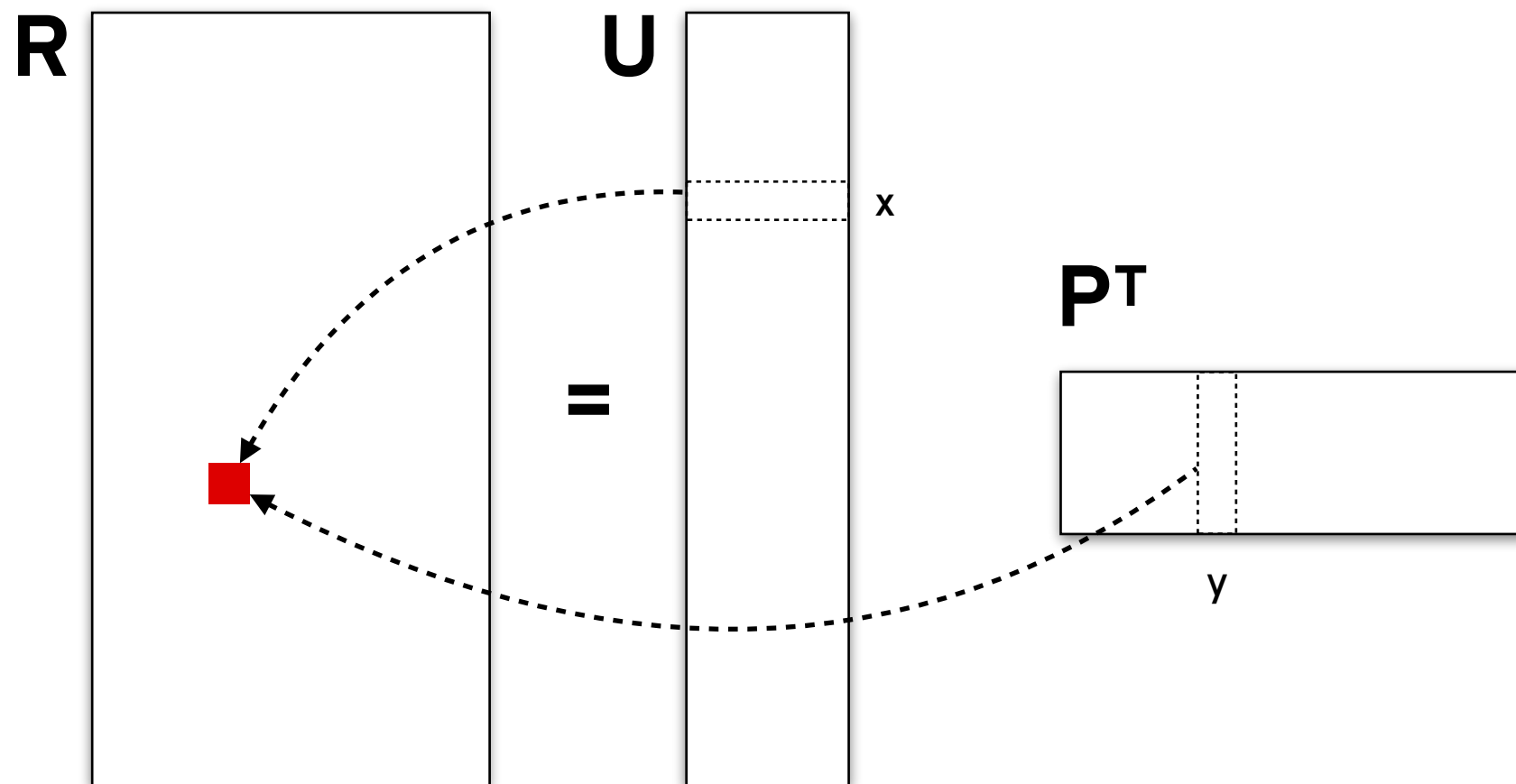
To consider

Partitioning



To consider

RDD random access?



```
val u = userFeatures.lookup(userId)
val p = productFeatures.lookup(productId)
val predicted = model.predict(userId, productId, u, p, globalBias)
```

Links

- Blog:
 - <https://ruivieira.github.io/>
- radanalytics.io

Thank you!