

Tutorial



Deep Learning for Music Information Retrieval

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Tutorial on Github

https://github.com/slychief/ismir2018_tutorial

or

<http://tiny.cc/dlismir2018>

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**Download the data sets linked in the README!
(prepared subset of MagnaTagATune dataset)**

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Tutorial Outline

I. Convolutional Neural Networks:

- Instrumental vs. Vocal
- Genre Recognition
- Mood Recognition

II. Similarity Retrieval and Representation Learning:

- Similarity Retrieval
- Siamese Networks
- Learning Music Similarity from Tags

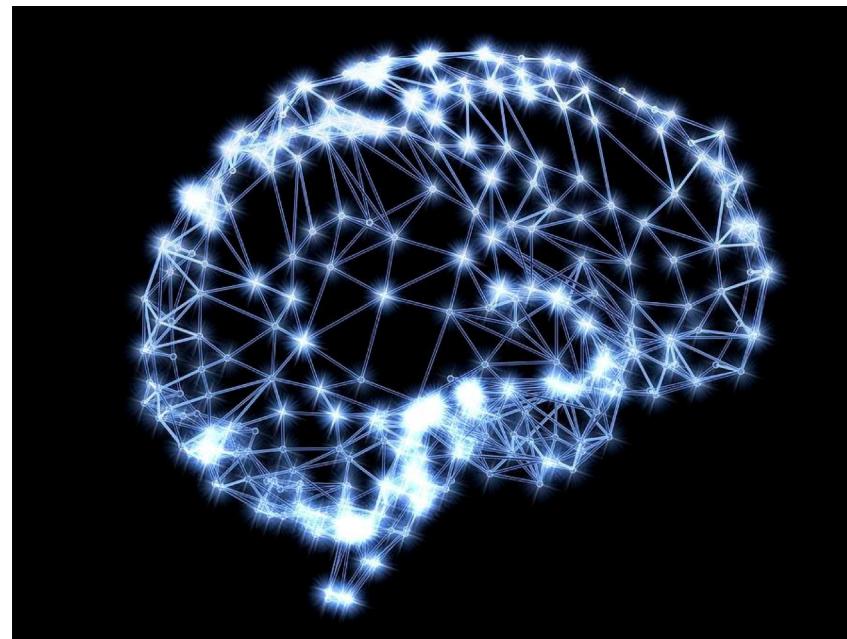
III. Onset and Beat Detection with RNNs:

- Recurrent Neural Networks
- Onset and Beat Detection

Deep Learning

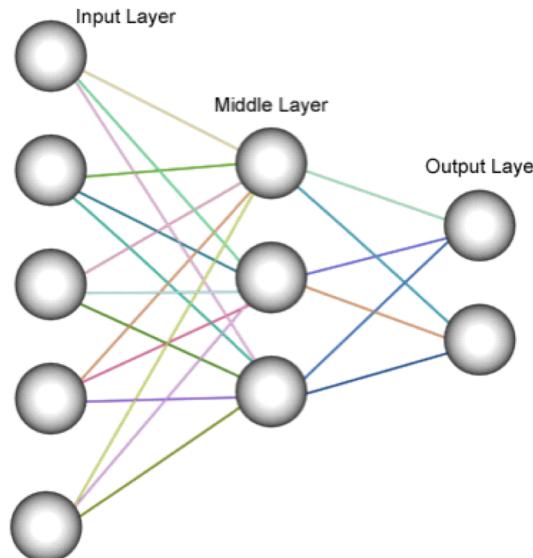
= (Deep) Artificial Neural Networks (ANNs)

Neural Networks are loosely inspired by biological neurons that are interconnected and communicate with each other



Neural Networks

In reality, a neural network is a **mathematical function**:



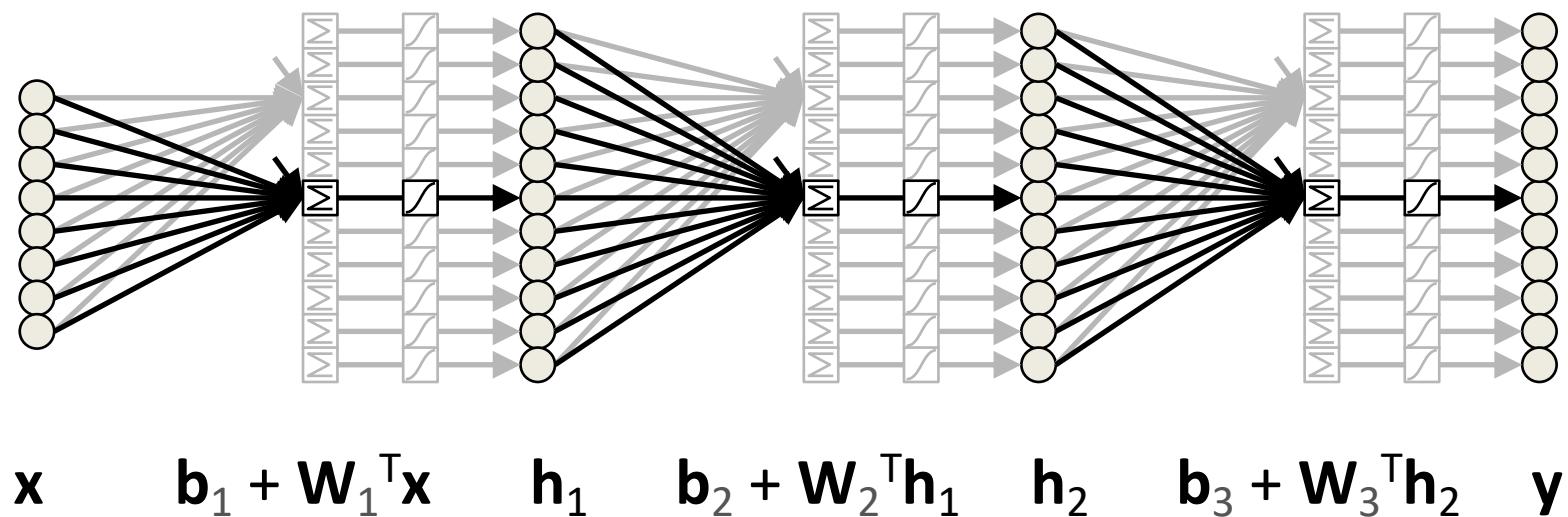
- in which the “**neurons**” are **sets of adaptive weights**, i.e. numerical parameters that are **tuned by a learning algorithm**
- which has the capability of approximating non-linear functions of their inputs

What are Artificial Neural Networks?

Mathematical expressions, such as:

$$\mathbf{y} = \sigma(\mathbf{b}_3 + \mathbf{W}_3^T \sigma(\mathbf{b}_2 + \mathbf{W}_2^T \sigma(\mathbf{b}_1 + \mathbf{W}_1^T \mathbf{x})))$$

expression can be visualized as a graph:



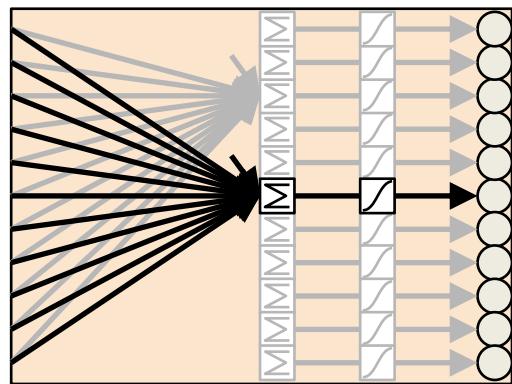
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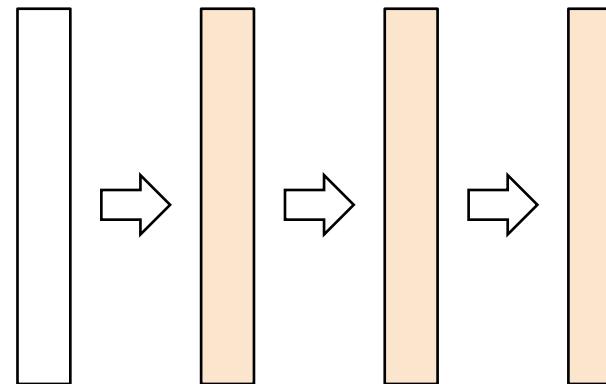
$$f_{W,b}(x) = \sigma(b + W^T x)$$

$$y = (f_{W_3, b_3} \circ f_{W_2, b_2} \circ f_{W_1, b_1})(x)$$

expression can be visualized as a graph – as connected layers:



“dense layer”

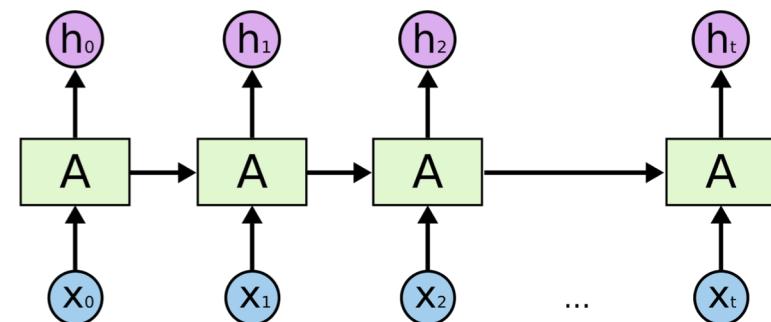
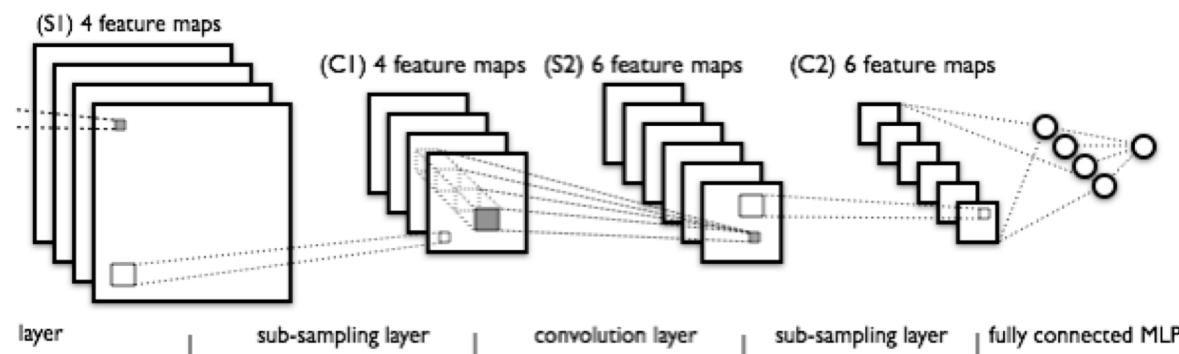


composed of simpler **functions**, commonly termed “**layers**”

Neural Network Architectures

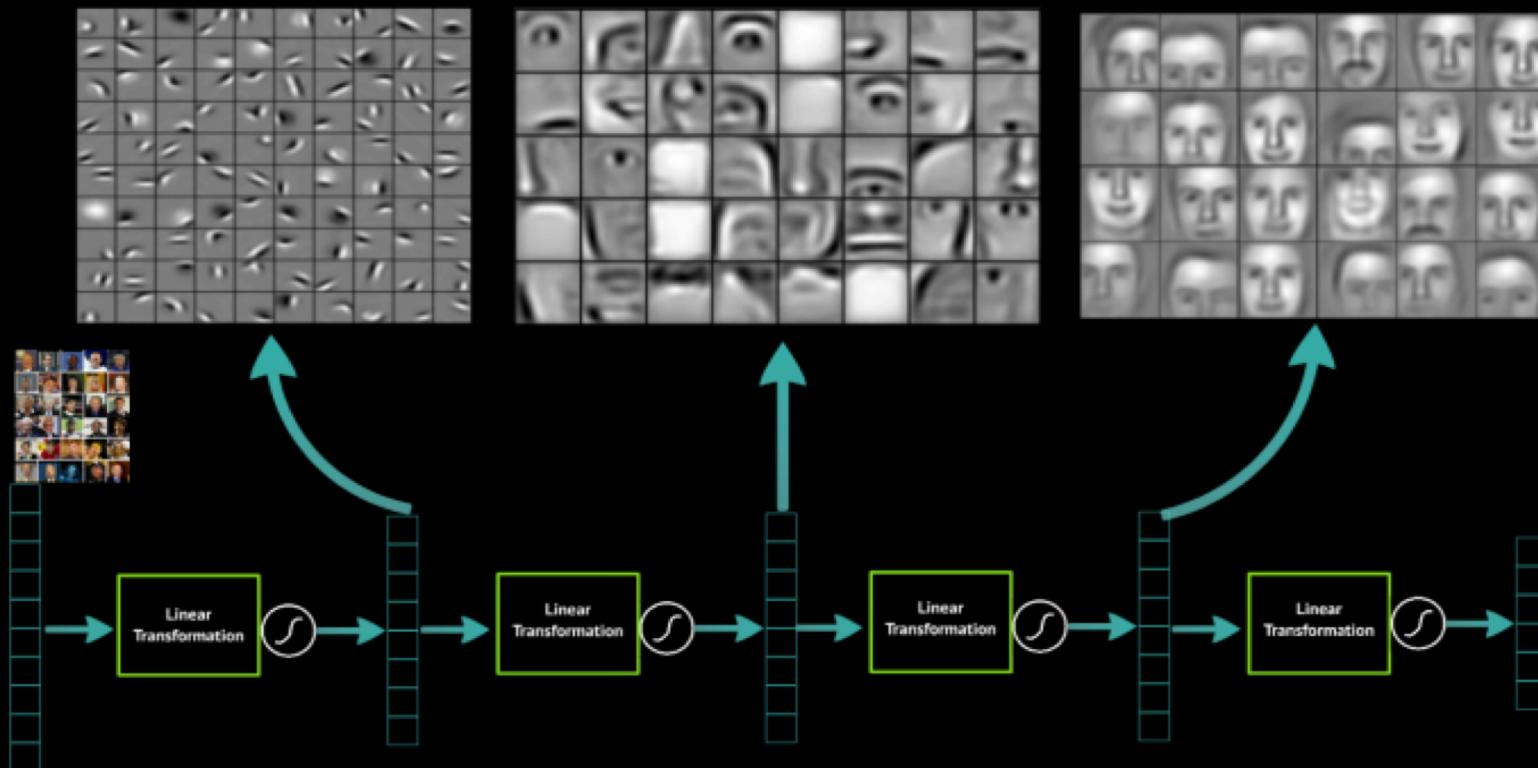
Two main Neural Network types in use today:

- **Convolutional Neural Networks** (ConvNets or CNN)
- **Recurrent Neural Networks** (RNN, LSTM, GRU)



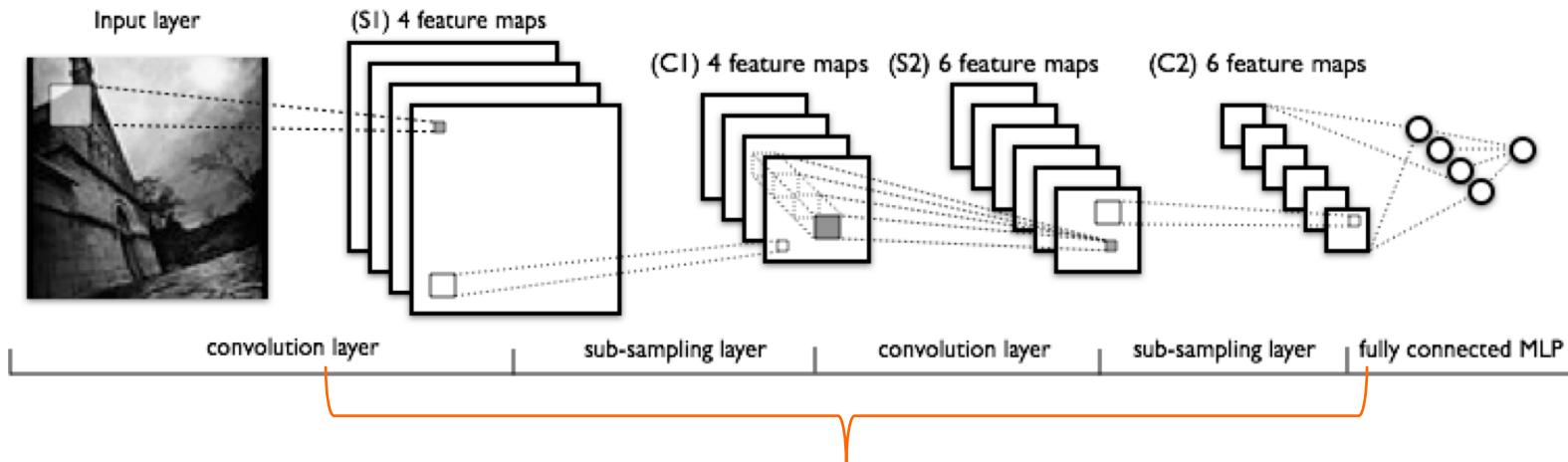
Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN)

Deep Learning learns layers of features



Note: the images are conceptual here and do not represent the actual output of the neurons.

Convolutional Neural Network (CNN)

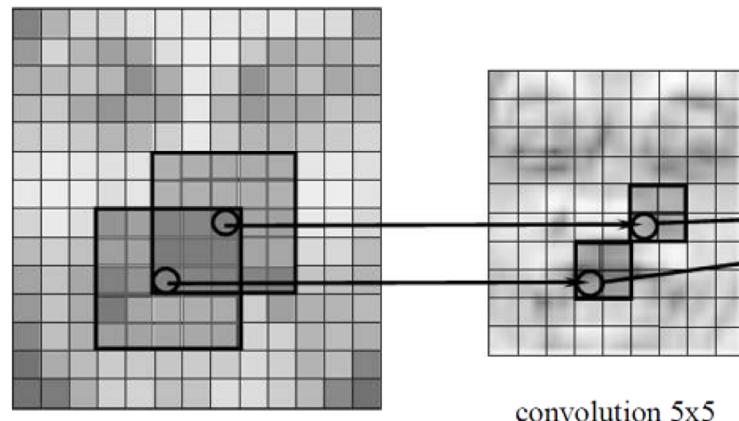


Combines three types of layers:

- **Convolutional layer:** performs 2D convolution of 2D input with multiple learned 2D kernels – **learns shapes**
- **Subsampling layer:** replaces 2D patches by their maximum (“max-pooling”) or average (“average-pooling”) – **reduces resolution**
- **Fully-connected layer:** computes weighted sums of its input with multiple sets of learned coefficients – **maps to output**

What is a Convolution?

- Apply local filter kernels and slide them over the input
- Instead of using predefined kernels, these kernels are the neurons that are learned!



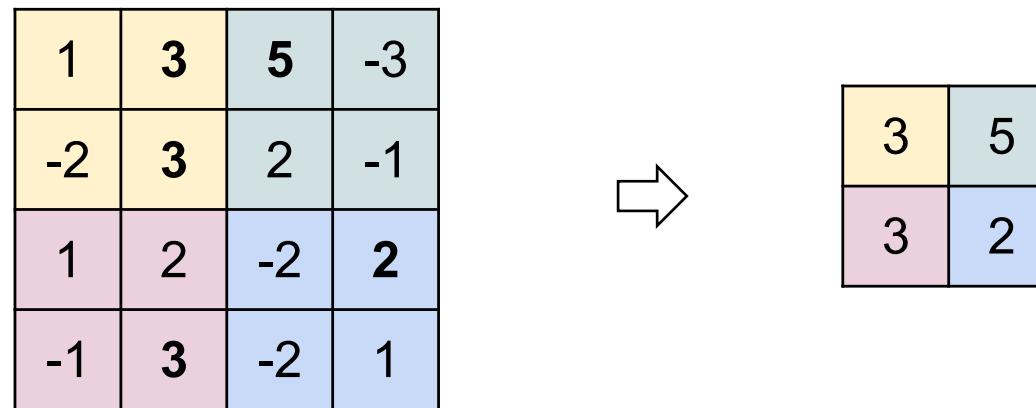
Operation	Kernel	Image result
Identity	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$	
Edge detection	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	
Sharpen	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -4 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$	
Box blur (normalized)	$\frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	

Images: <http://sanghyukchun.github.io/75/>
[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kernel_\(image_processing\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kernel_(image_processing))

What is Pooling?

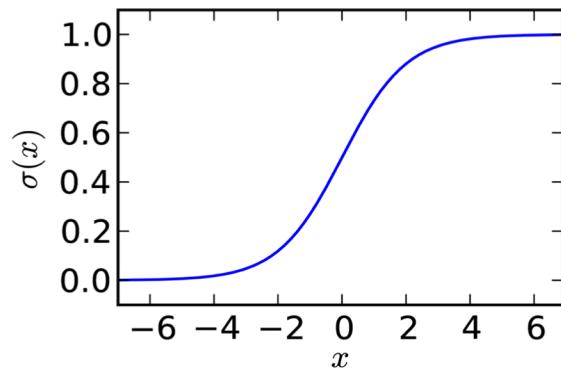
Second very important aspect of a CNN:
(also called subsampling or downsampling)

A **pooling layer** reduces the size of feature maps (i.e. output of a CNN layer and thus the input to the next layer)



Max pooling: take the max. activation across small regions
(e.g. 2x2, as in the example above)
it can also be considered as an aggregation step

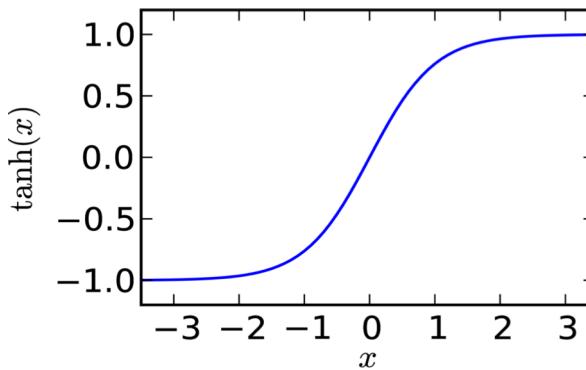
Activation Functions: Linear Rectifier (ReLU)



Sigmoid

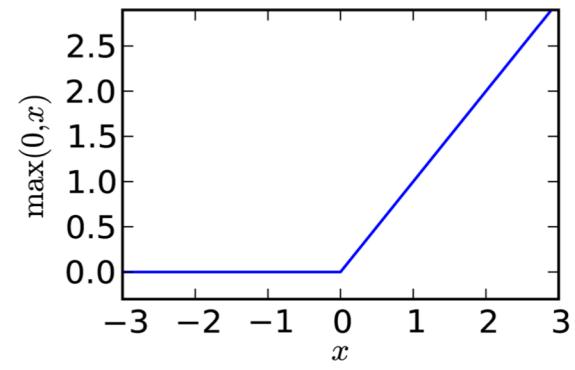
saturates for large inputs
(small slope, weak gradient!)

has nonzero mean
(slows learning)



TanH

saturates for large inputs
(small slope, weak gradient!)



ReLU

has nonzero mean
(slows learning)
has zero gradient for
negative input

Variants of ReLU: Leaky Rectifier (LReLU),
Parametric Rectifier (PReLU), ...

Benefits:
no saturation
low computational costs

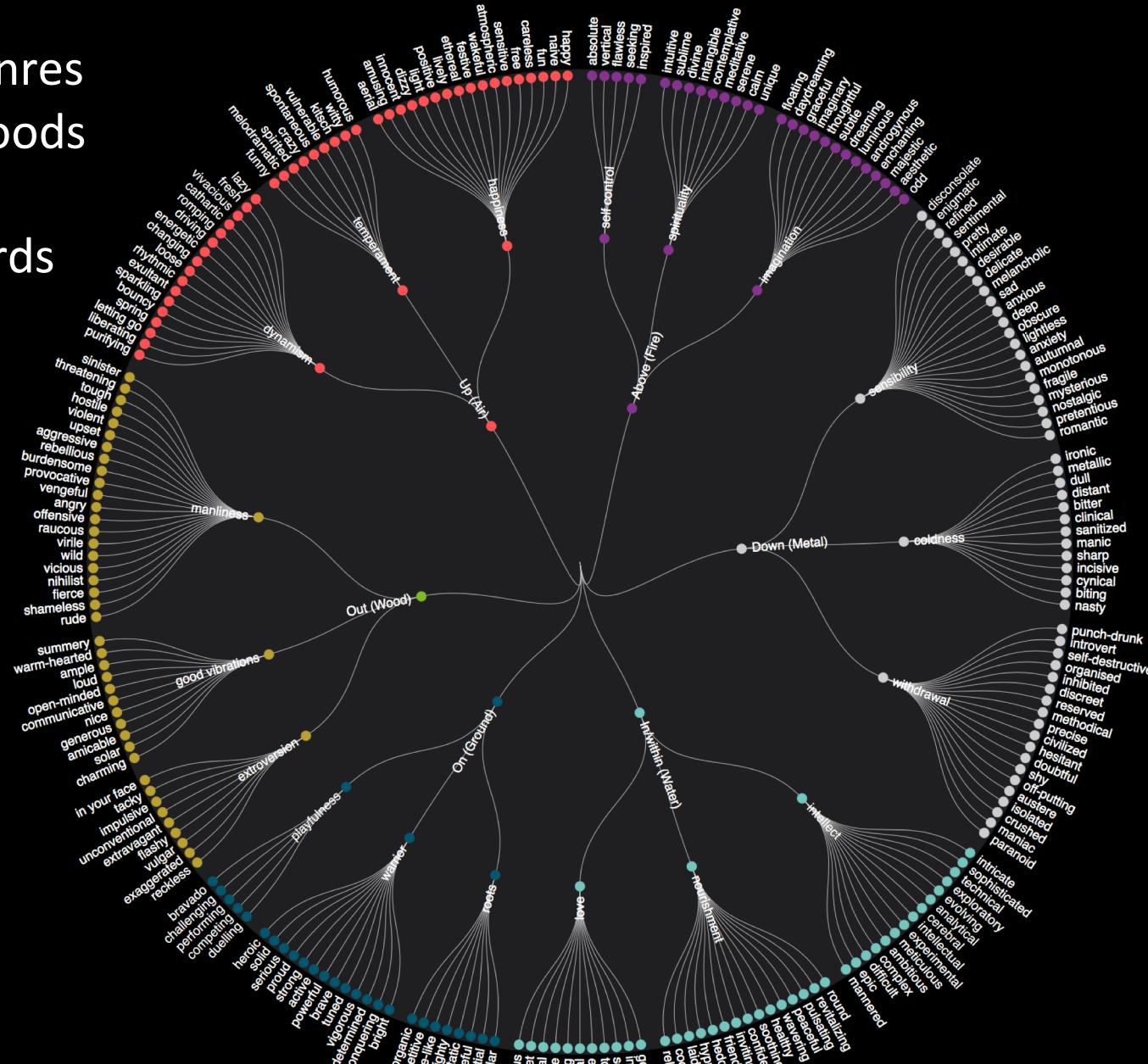


Coding Tutorial:

Jupyter Notebook

Part_1_Convolutional_Neural_Networks.ipynb

400 genres
256 moods
11,000
keywords



35M+
tracks
analyzed

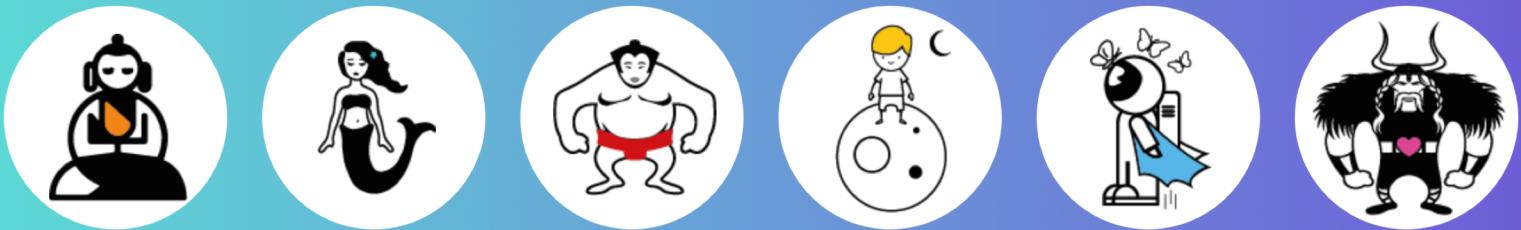
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Slides from 20 past meetups + further resources:

<https://github.com/vdlm/meetups>