

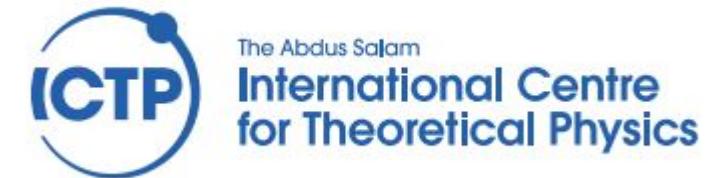
Sound and KWS in the Edge



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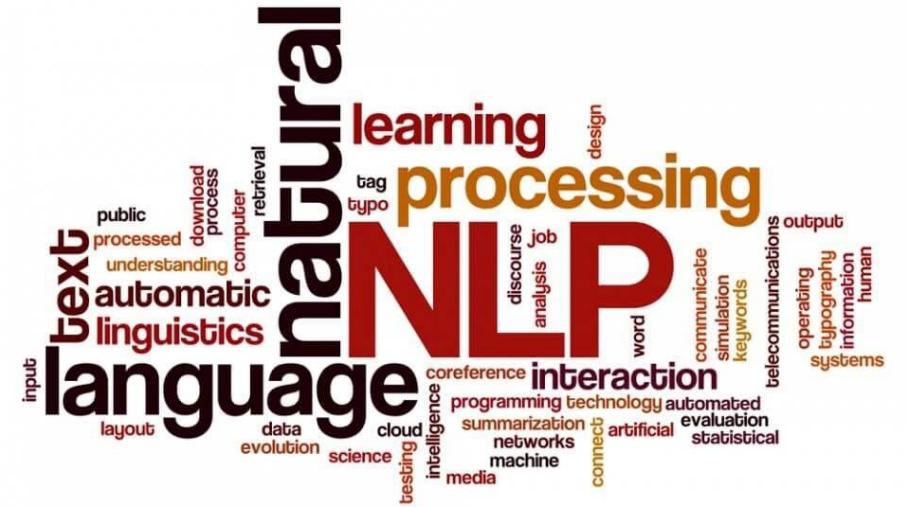
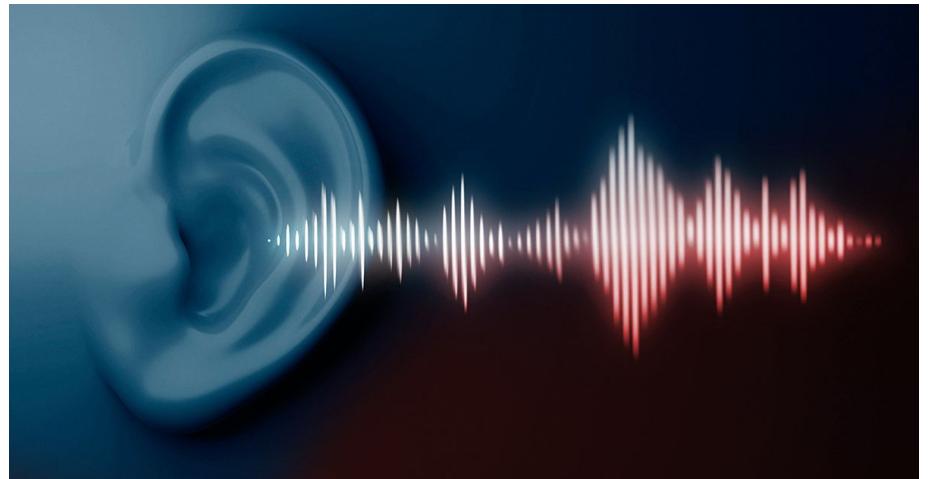
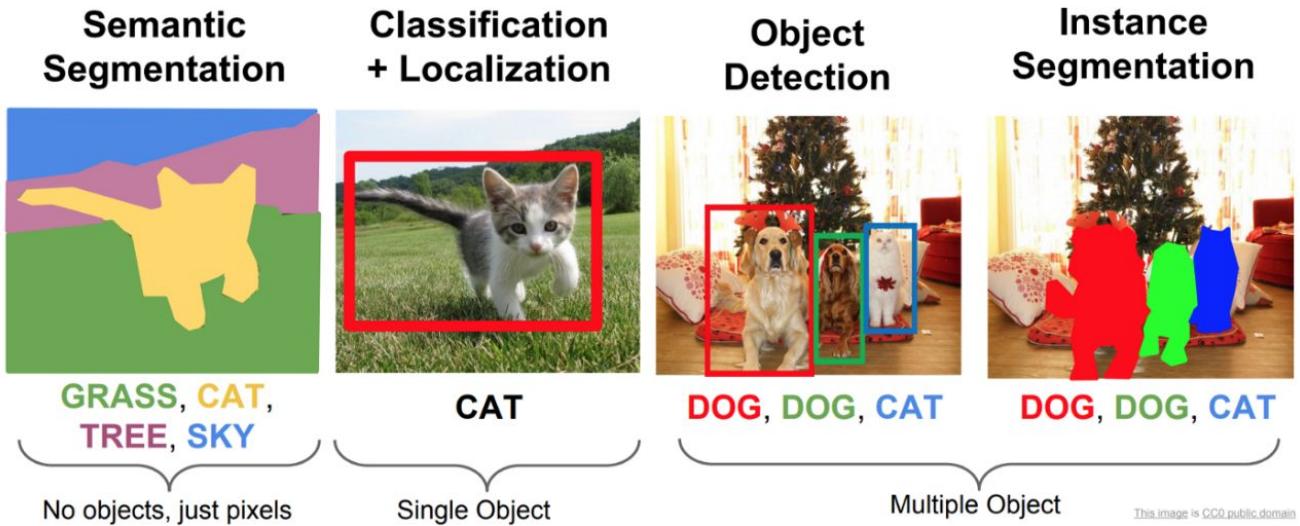
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Workshop on TinyML for Sustainable Development

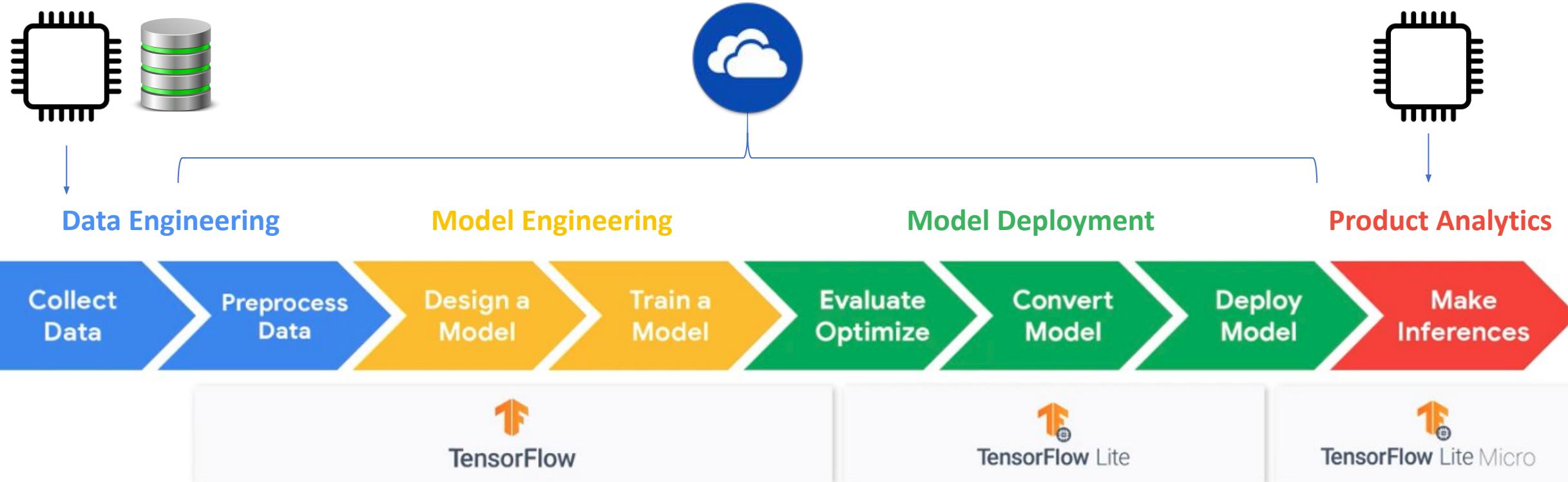


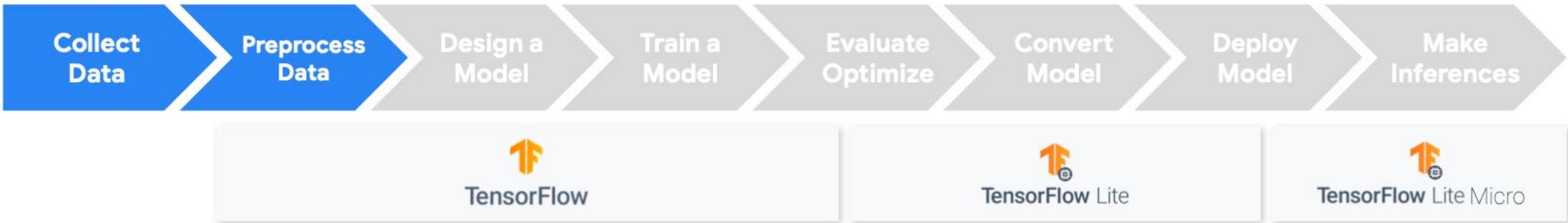
Images are Ok but, What
About Sound?

Unstructured Data

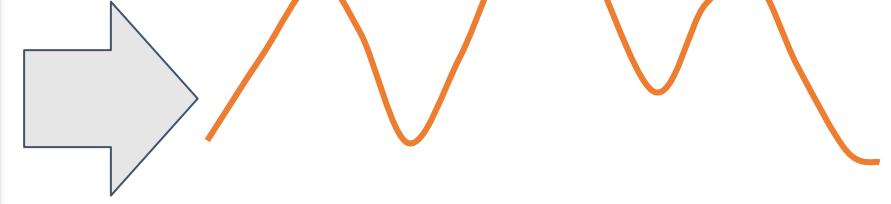
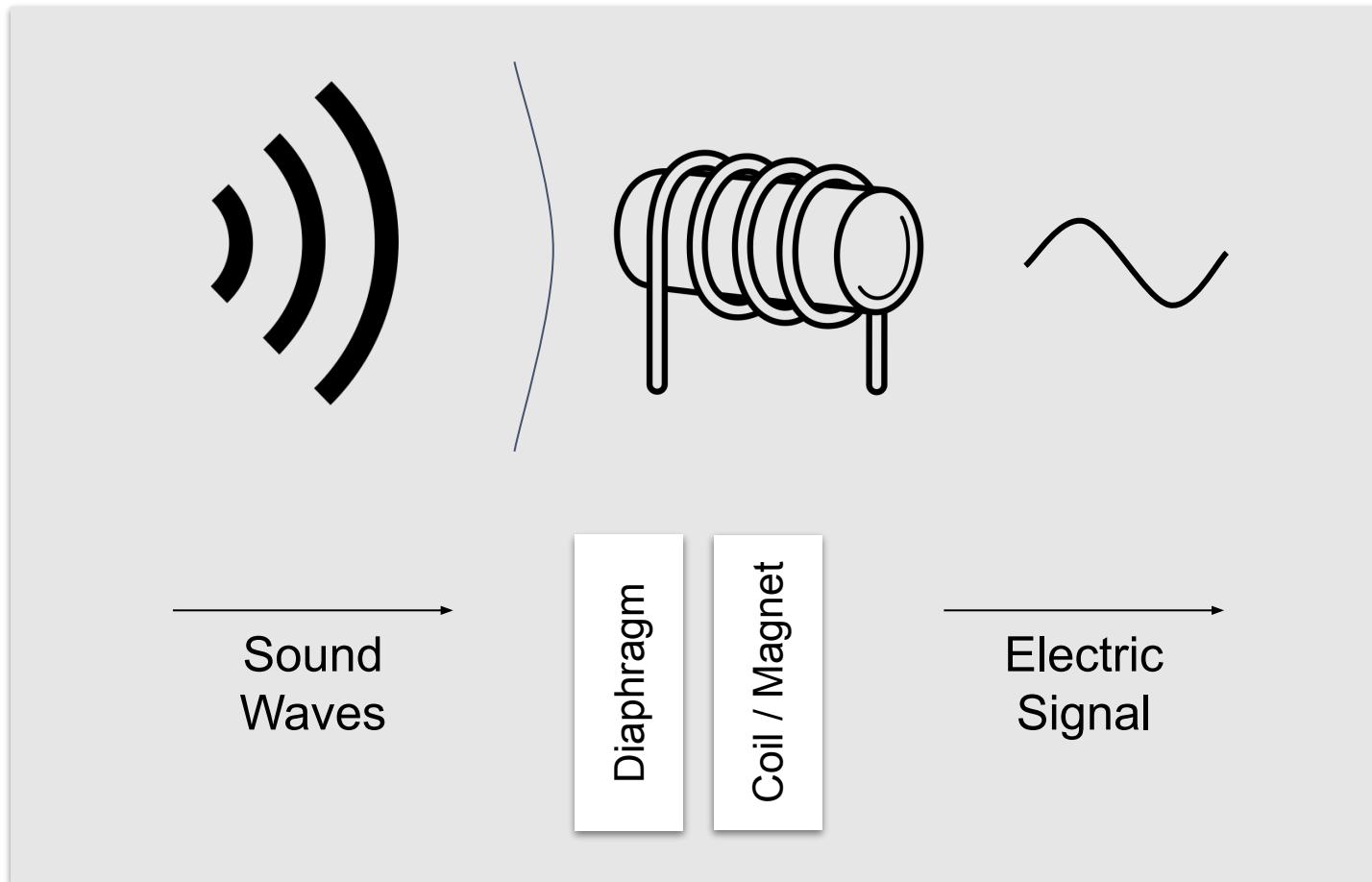


Data Collection & Pre-Processing

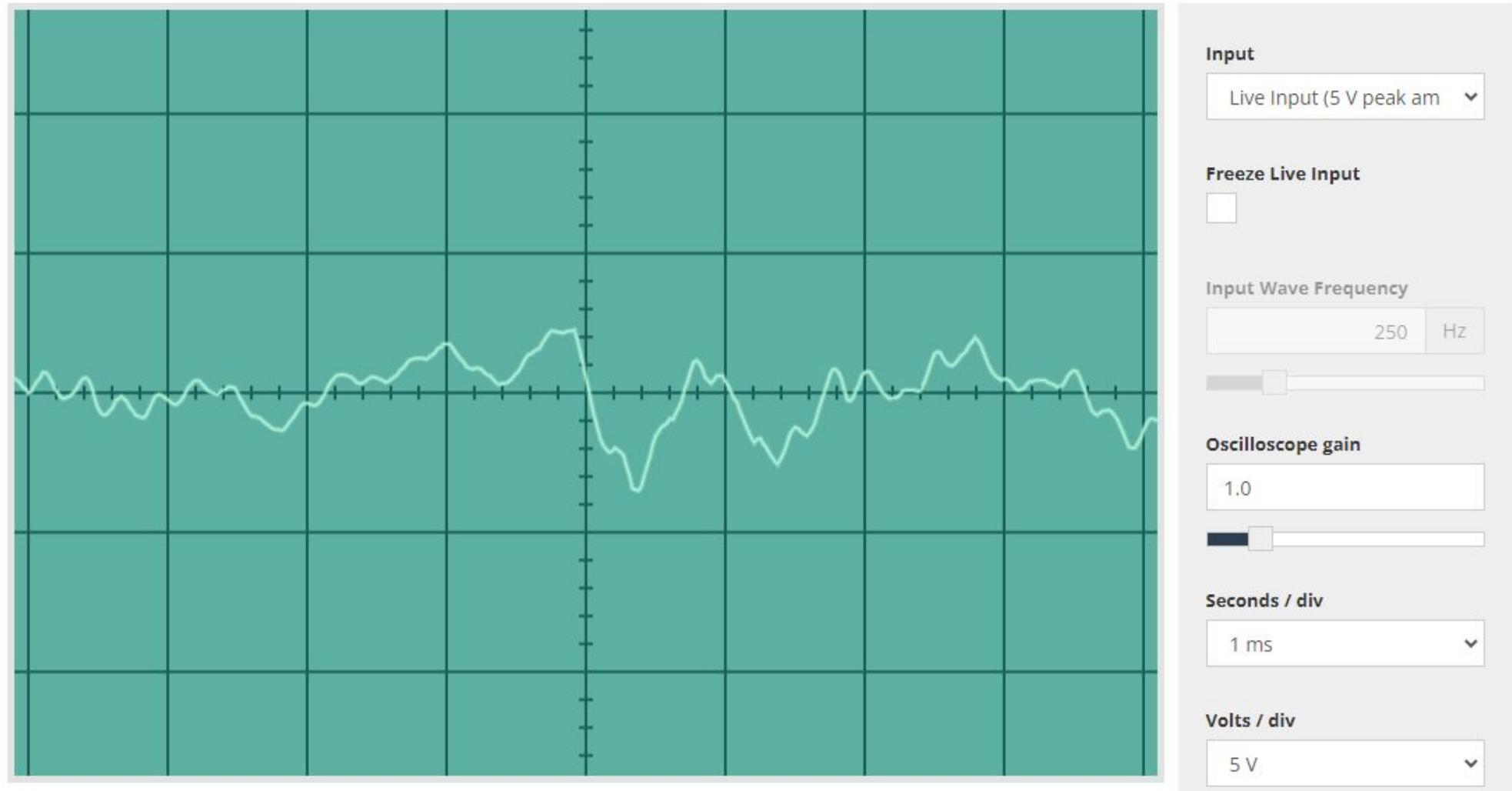




Sensor Data



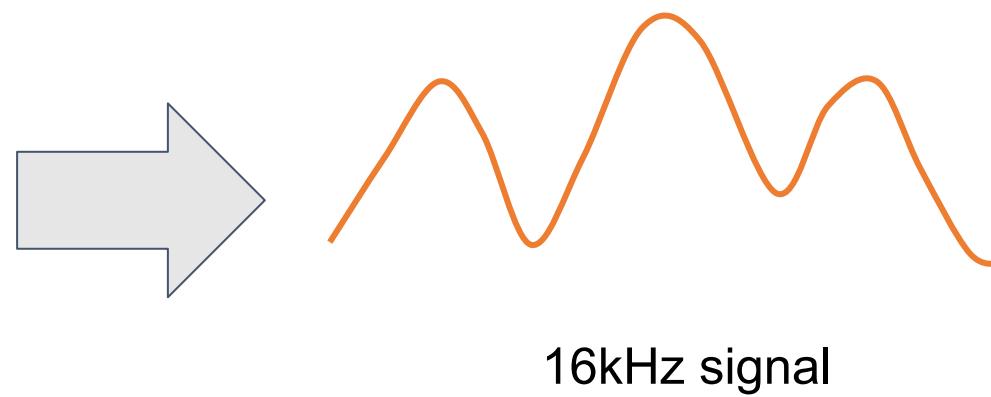
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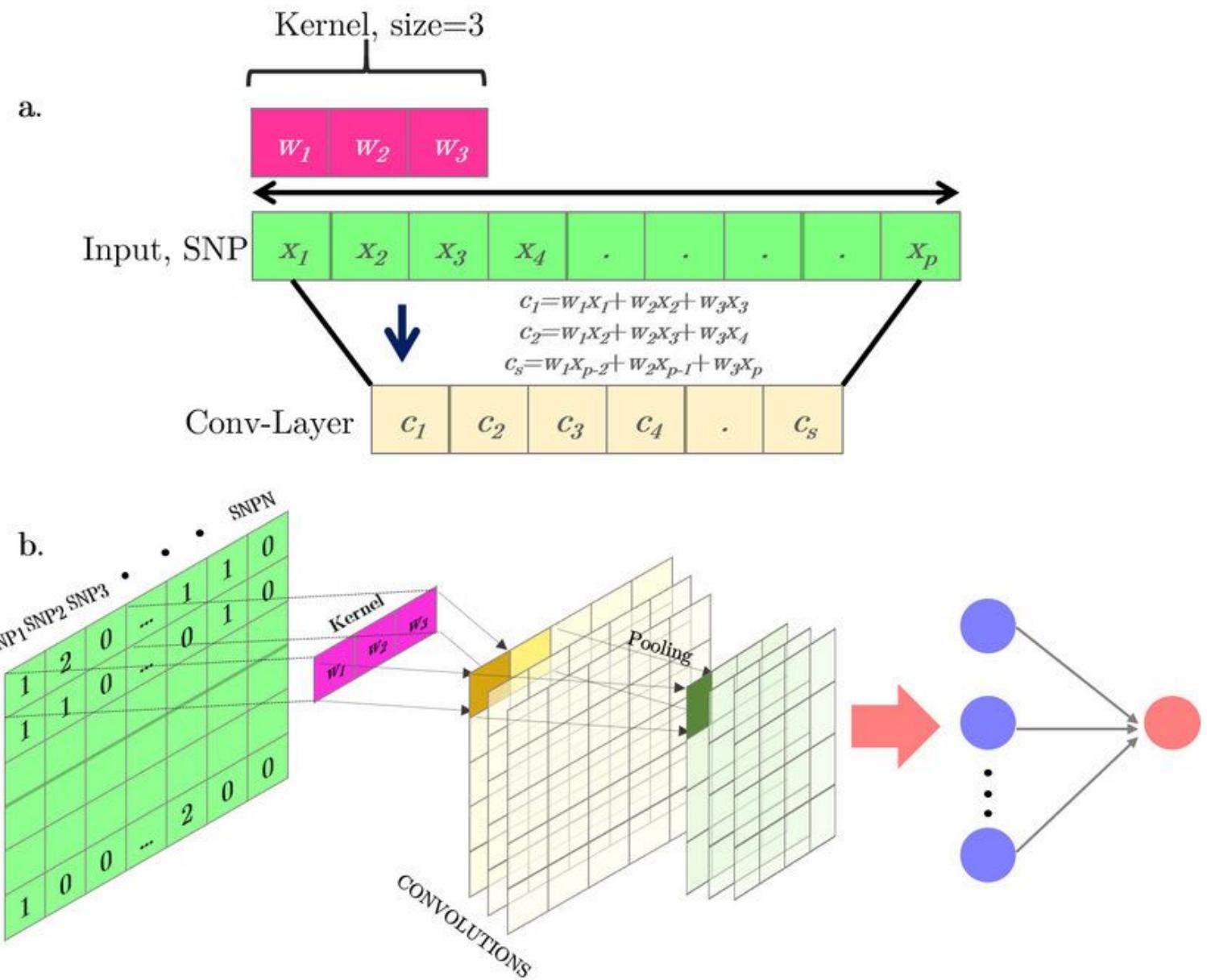
<https://academo.org/demos/virtual-oscilloscope/>

Sensor Data

- 1D signal
- 16kHz signal, so that's **16000** samples (points / second)
- How do you feed ***all*** of that data into the model?
- Need to **think creatively** about the input signal!

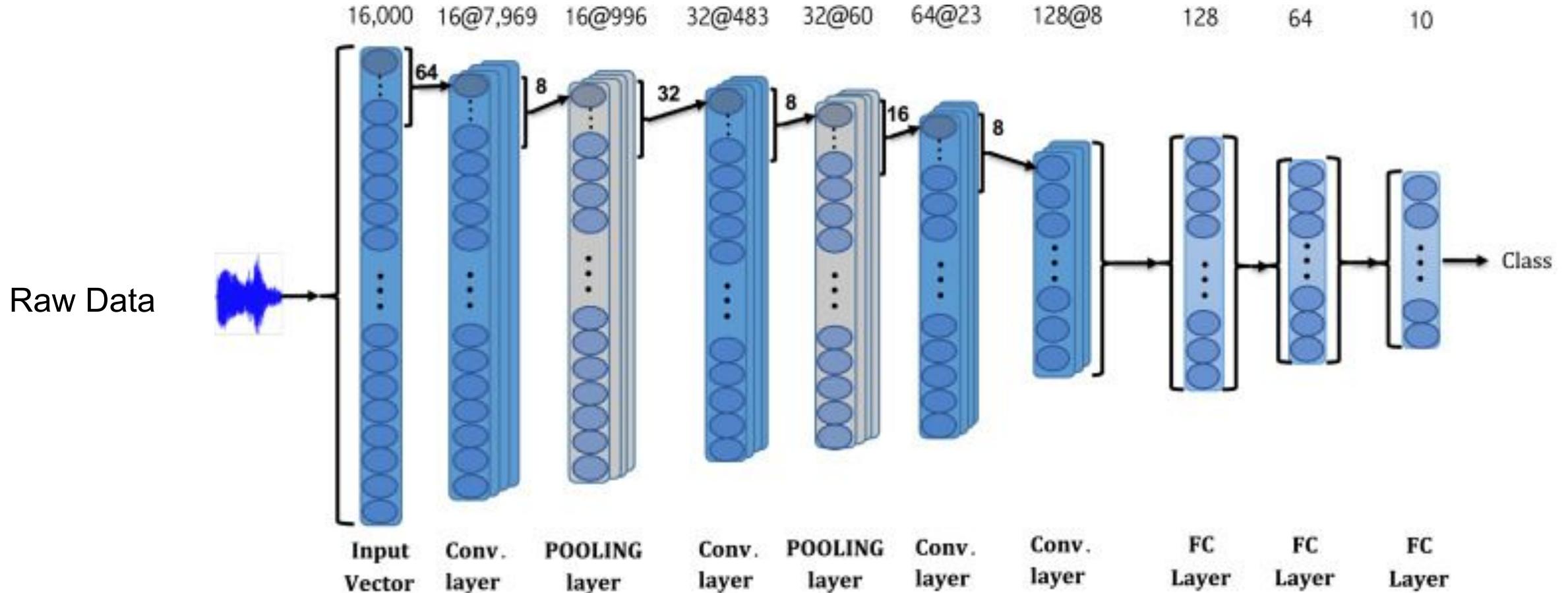


1D Convolution



https://www.researchgate.net/figure/a-Simple-scheme-of-a-one-dimensional-1D-convolutional-operation-b-Full-fig2_334609713

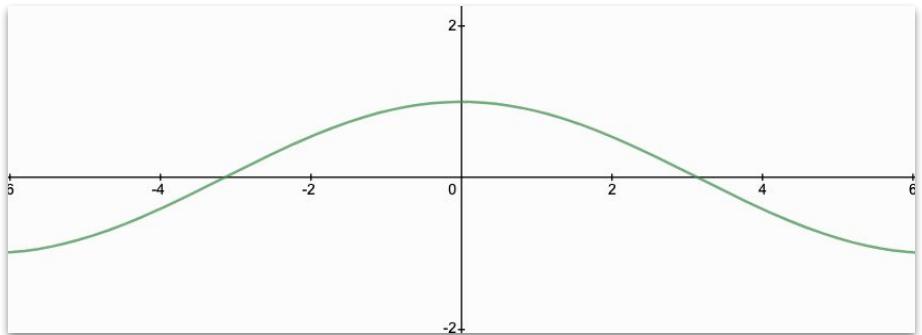
1D Convolution



End-to-End Environmental Sound
Classification using a 1D Convolutional Neural
Network

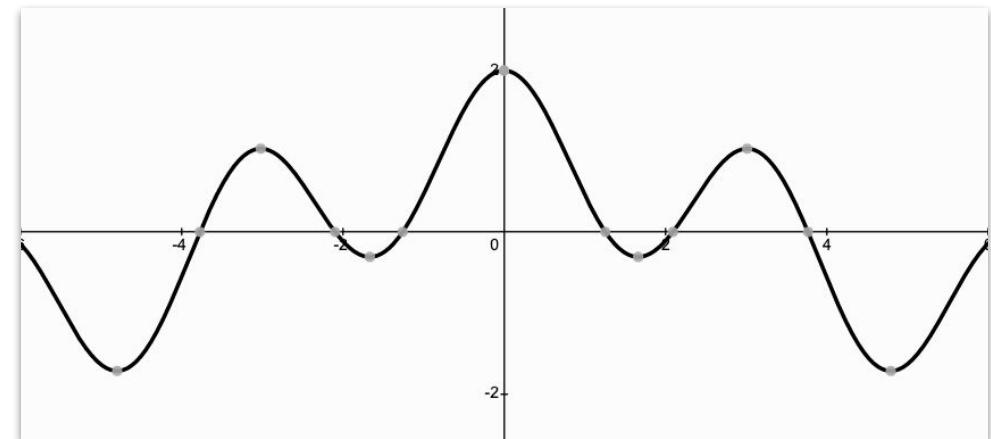
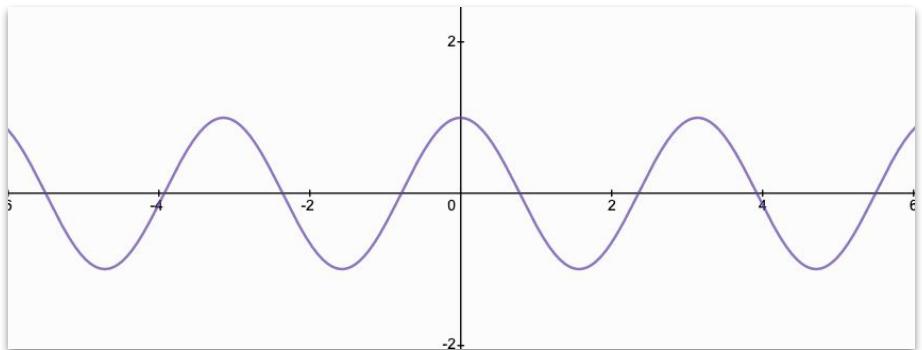
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Signal Components?



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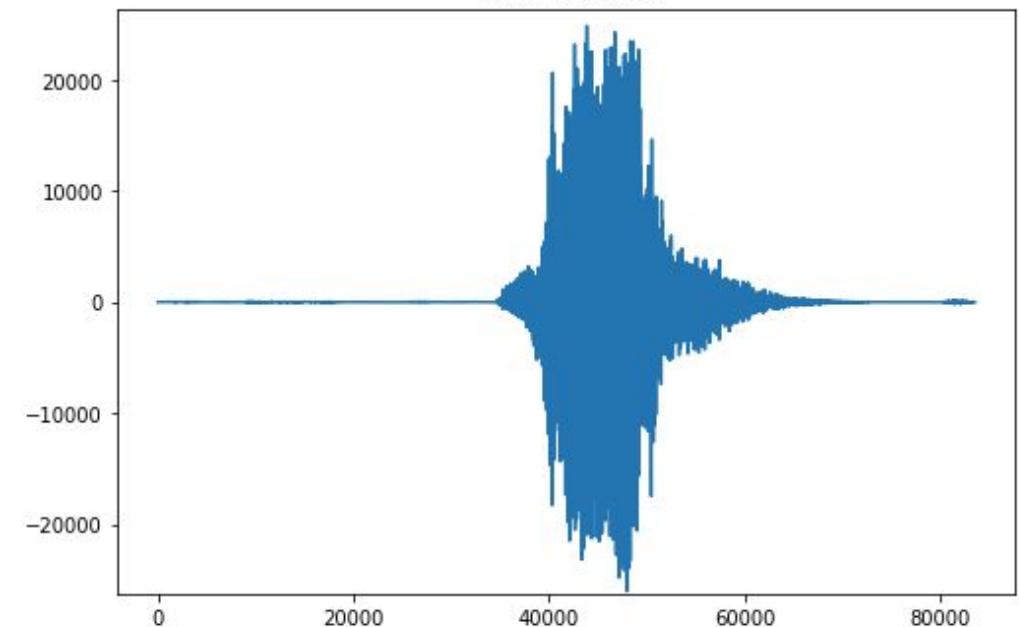
Signal Components?

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Signal Components?

R// Fourier Transform

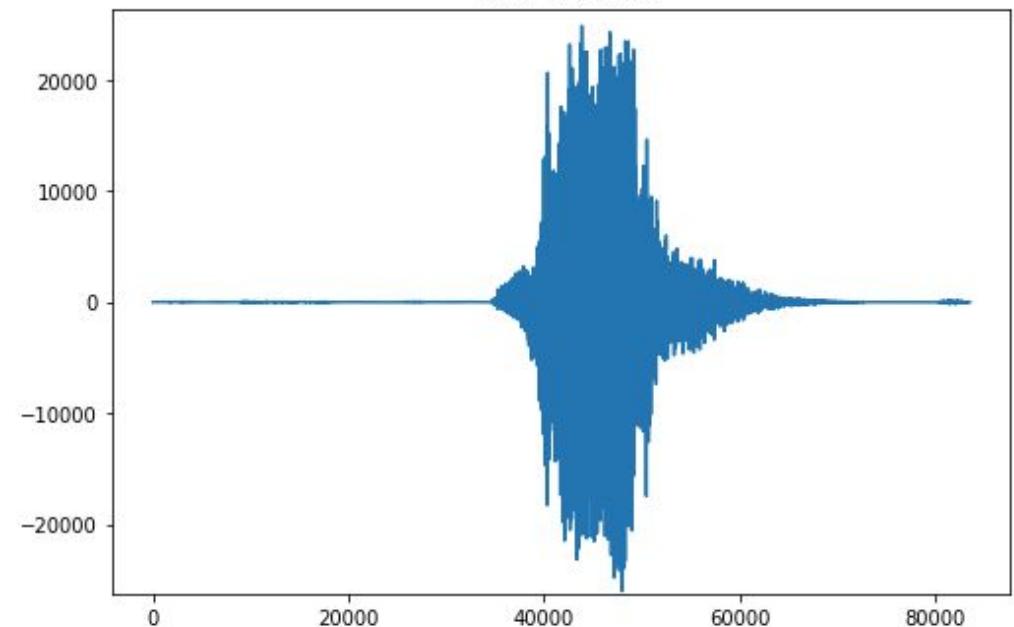


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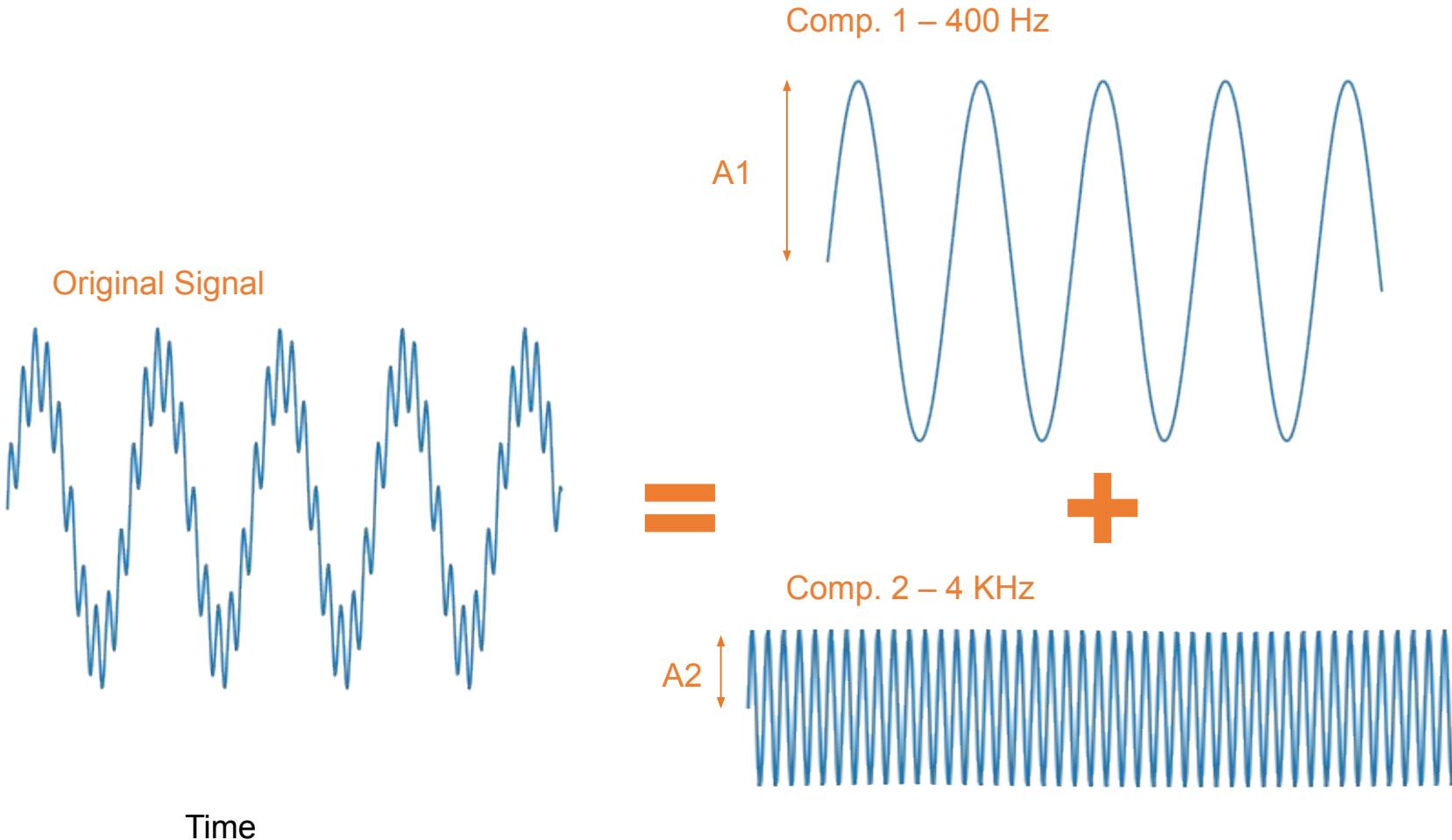
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[https://www.youtube.com/watch
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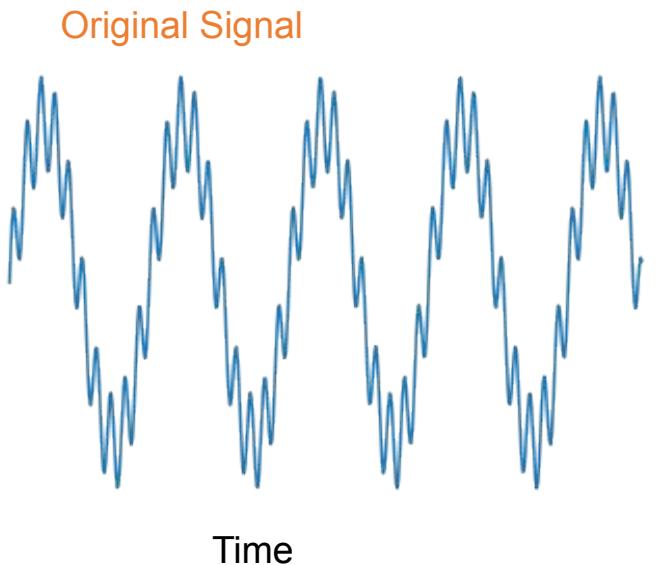


Fourier Transform



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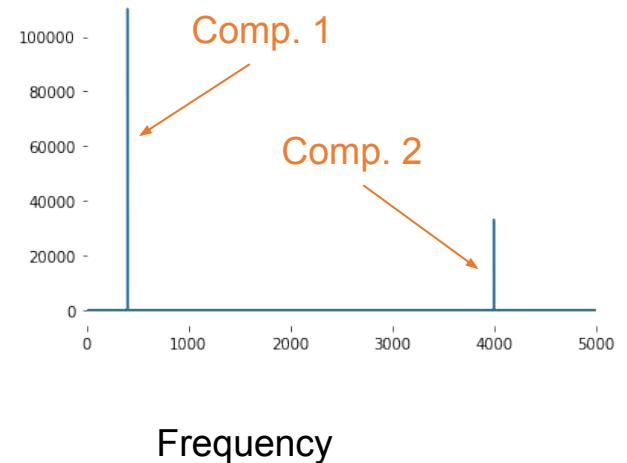
Fourier Transform



$$F(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

Fourier Transform

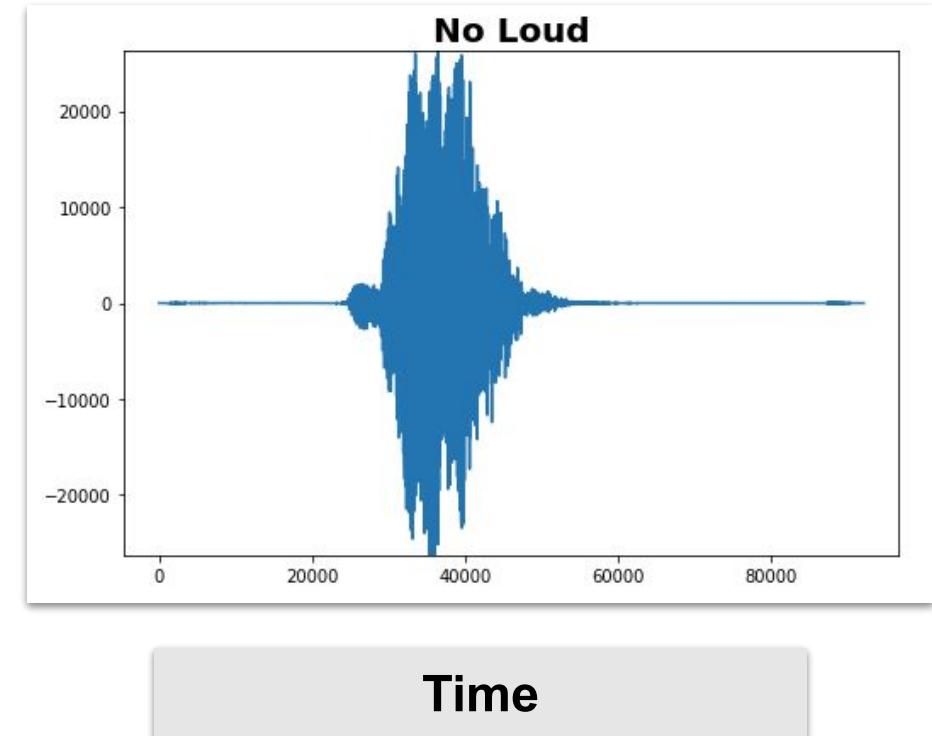
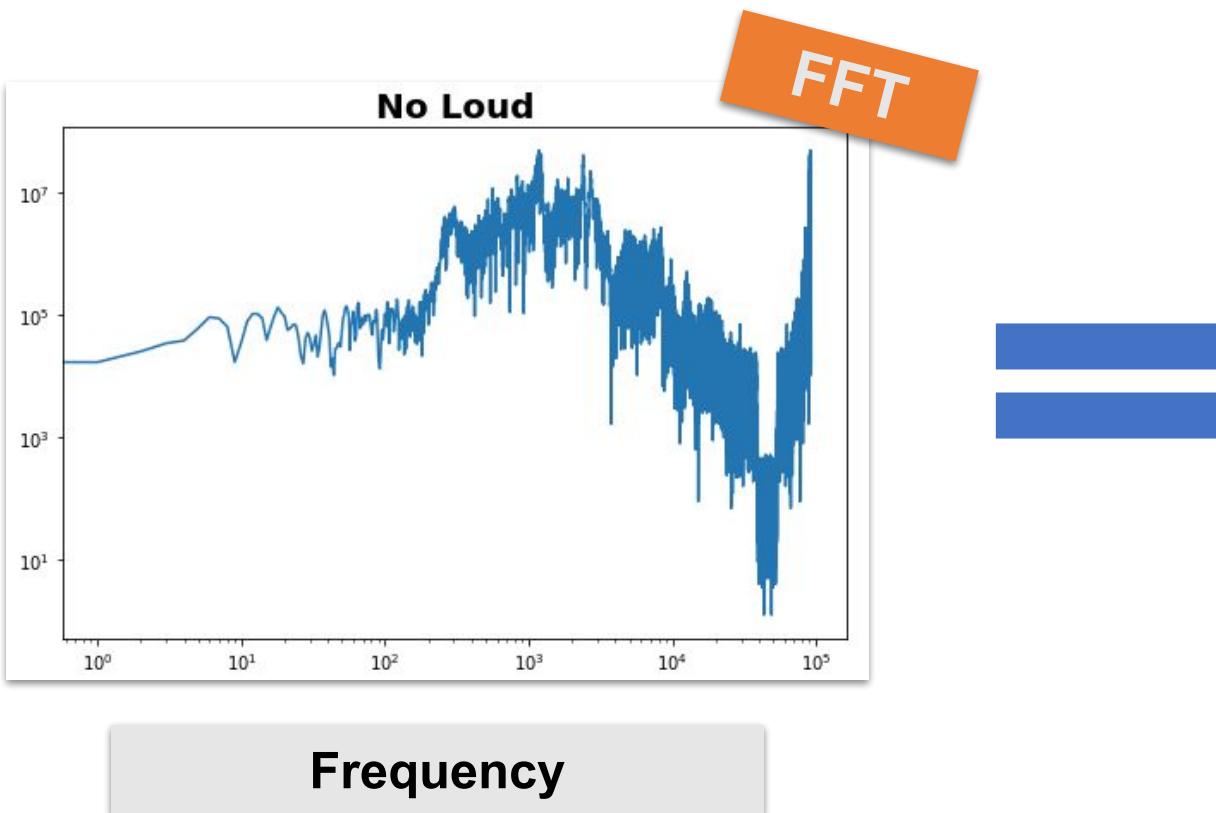
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from scipy.fft import fft  
yf = fft(raw signal)  
plt.plot(xf, np.abs(yf));
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<https://prajwalsouza.github.io/Experiments/Fourier-Transform-Visualisation.html>

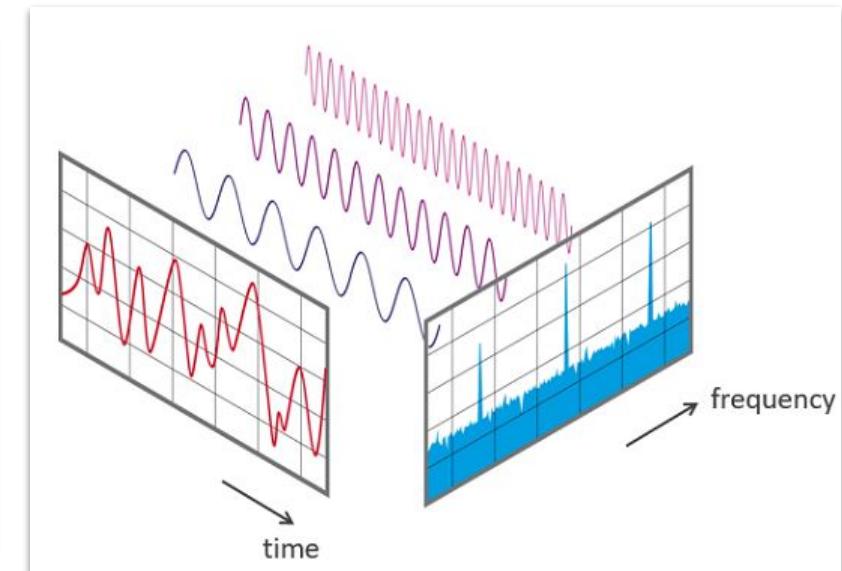
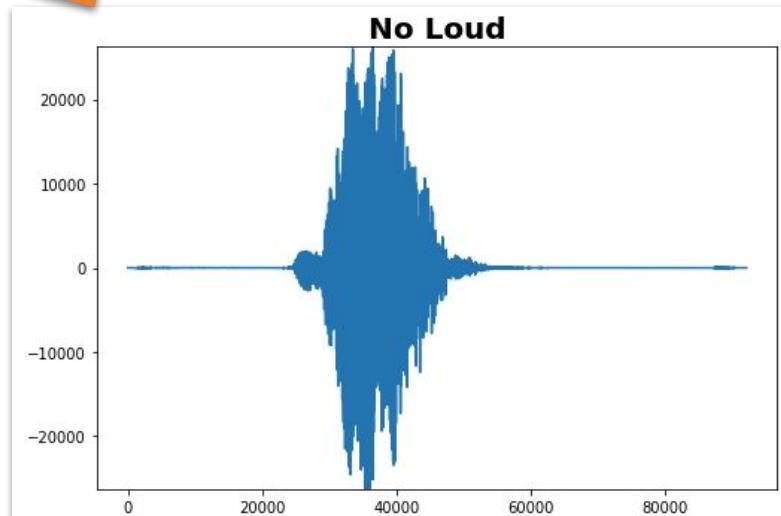
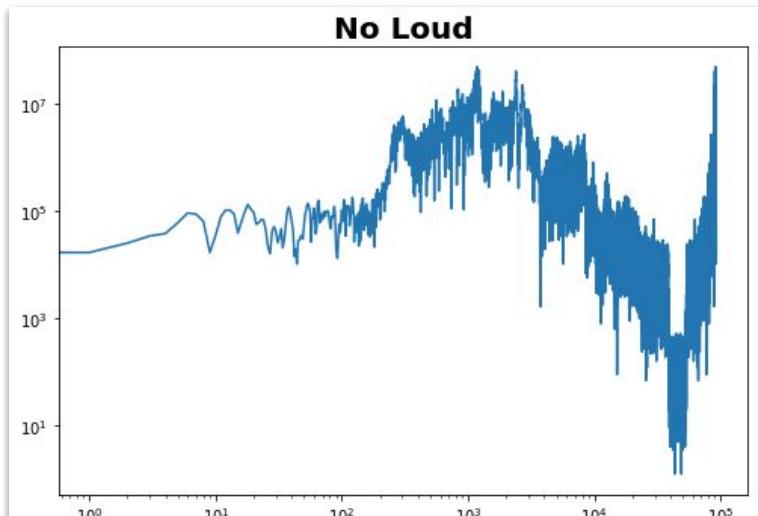
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Signal Components!

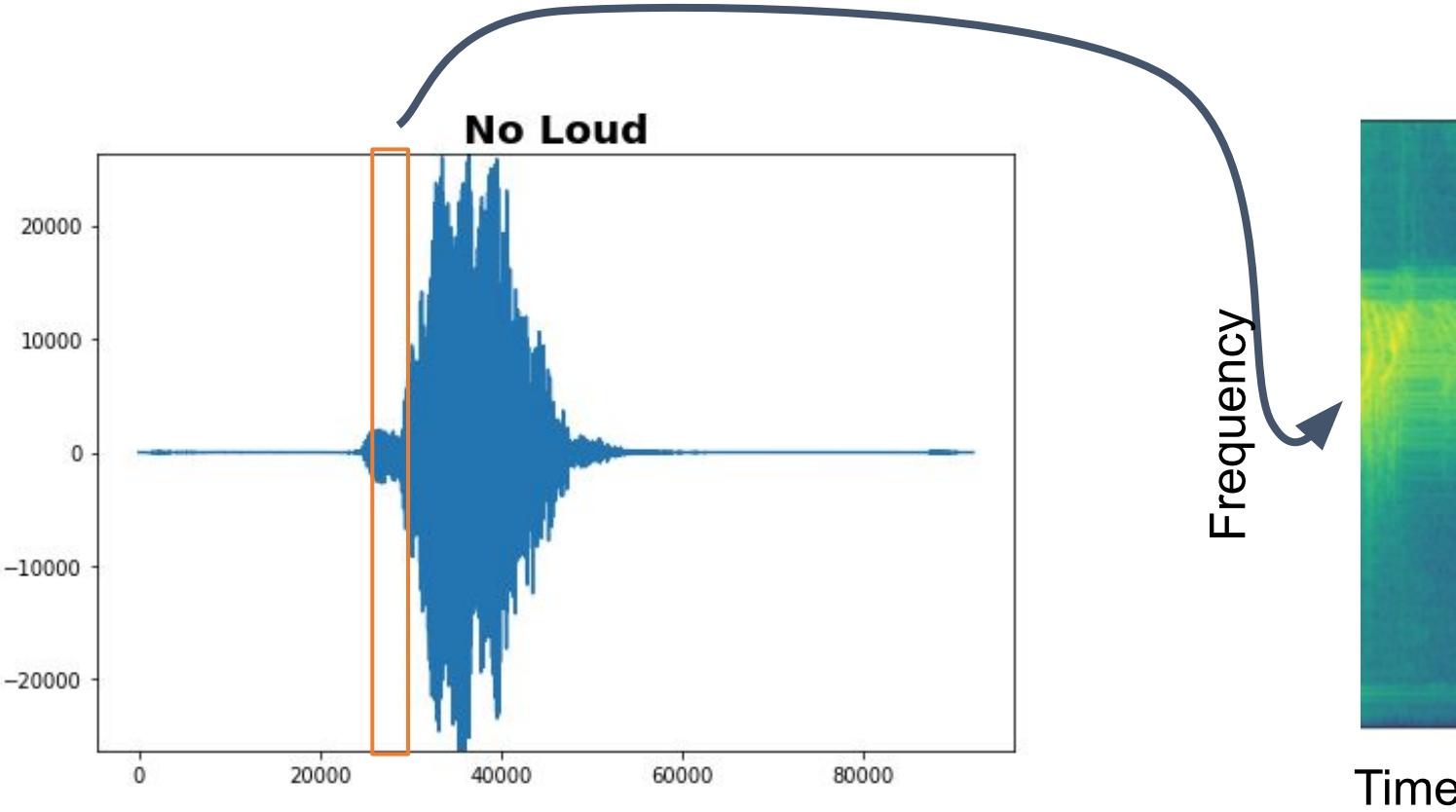


How Can We Mix Time and Frequency Information?

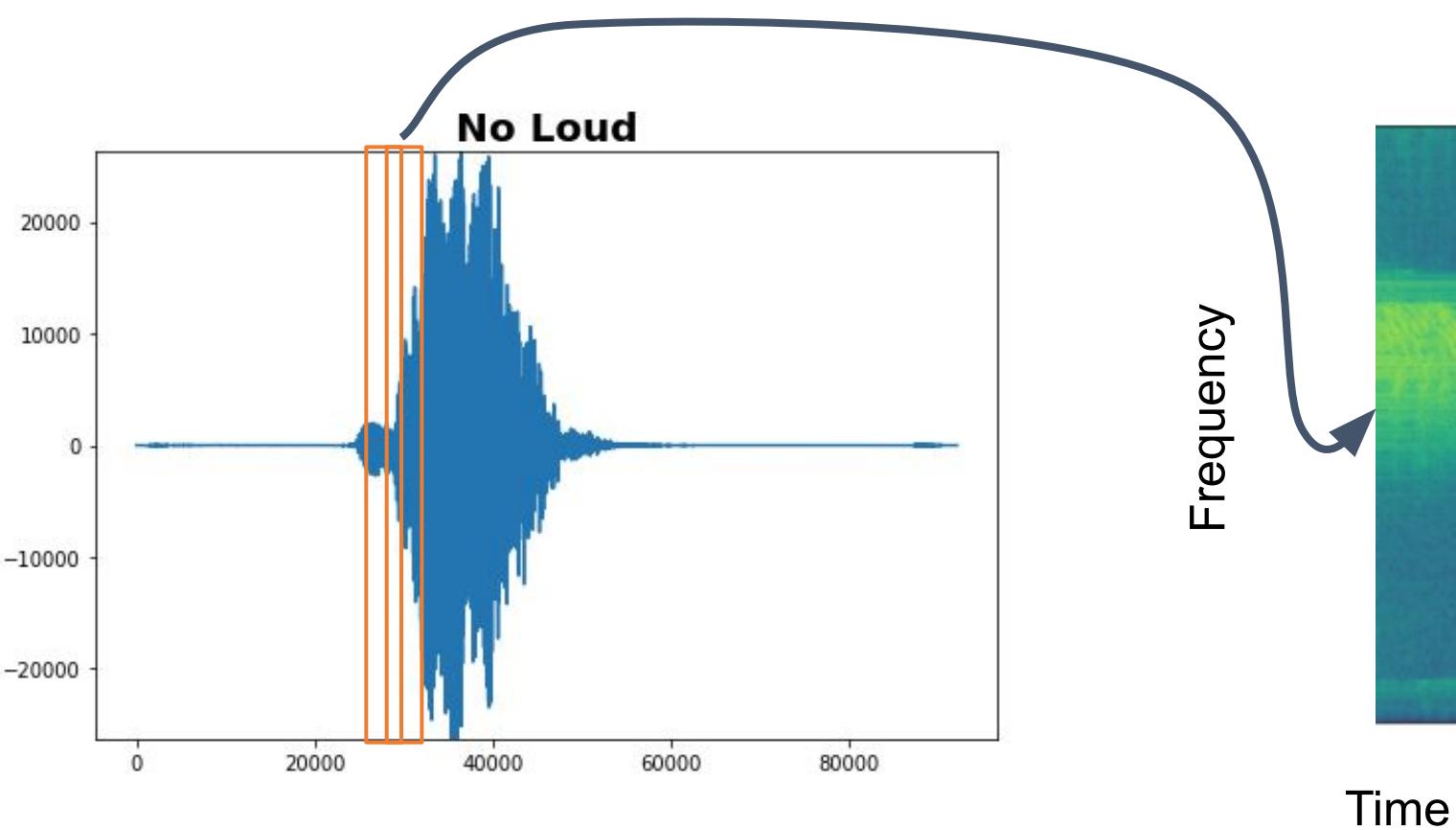
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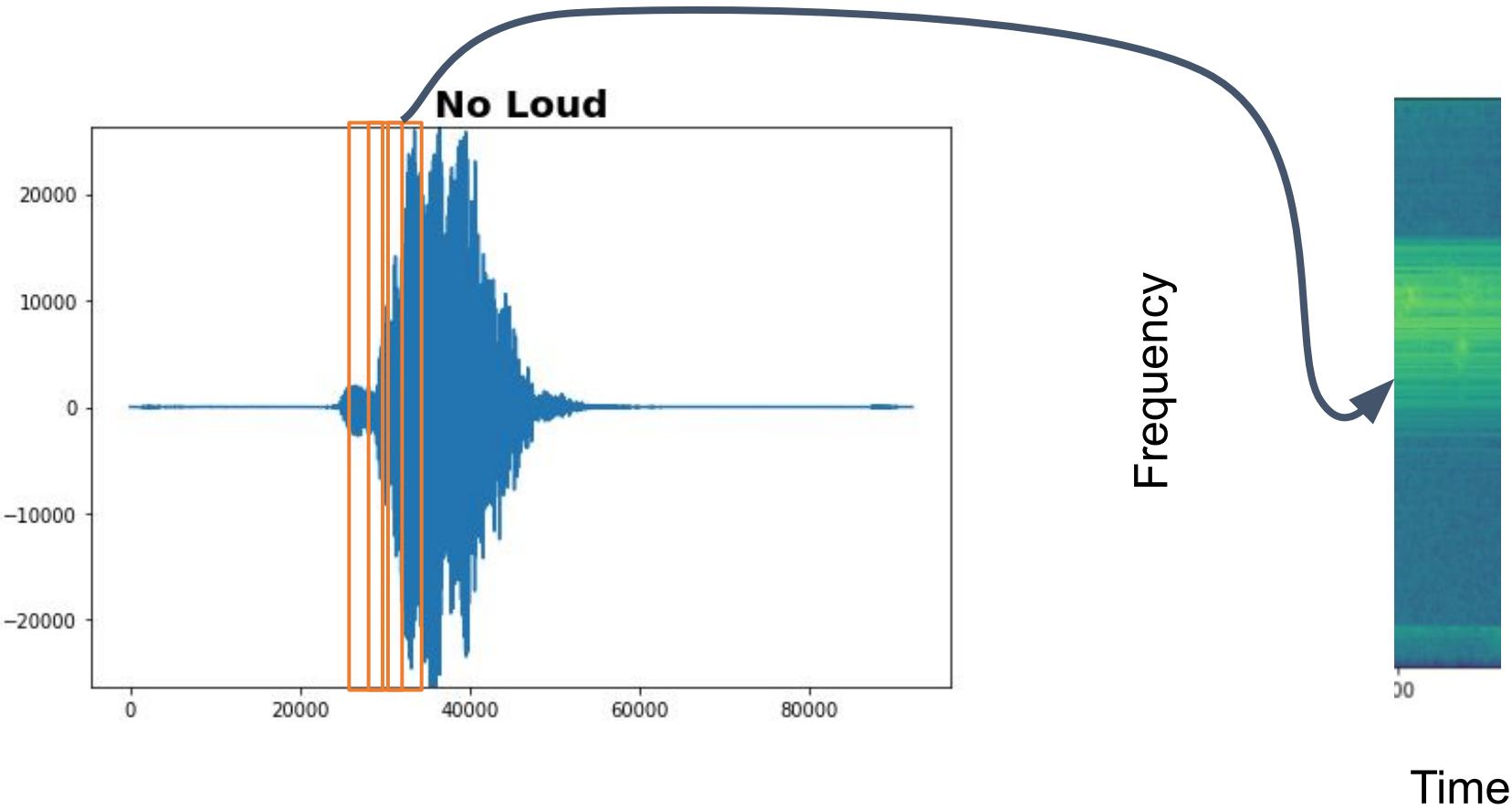
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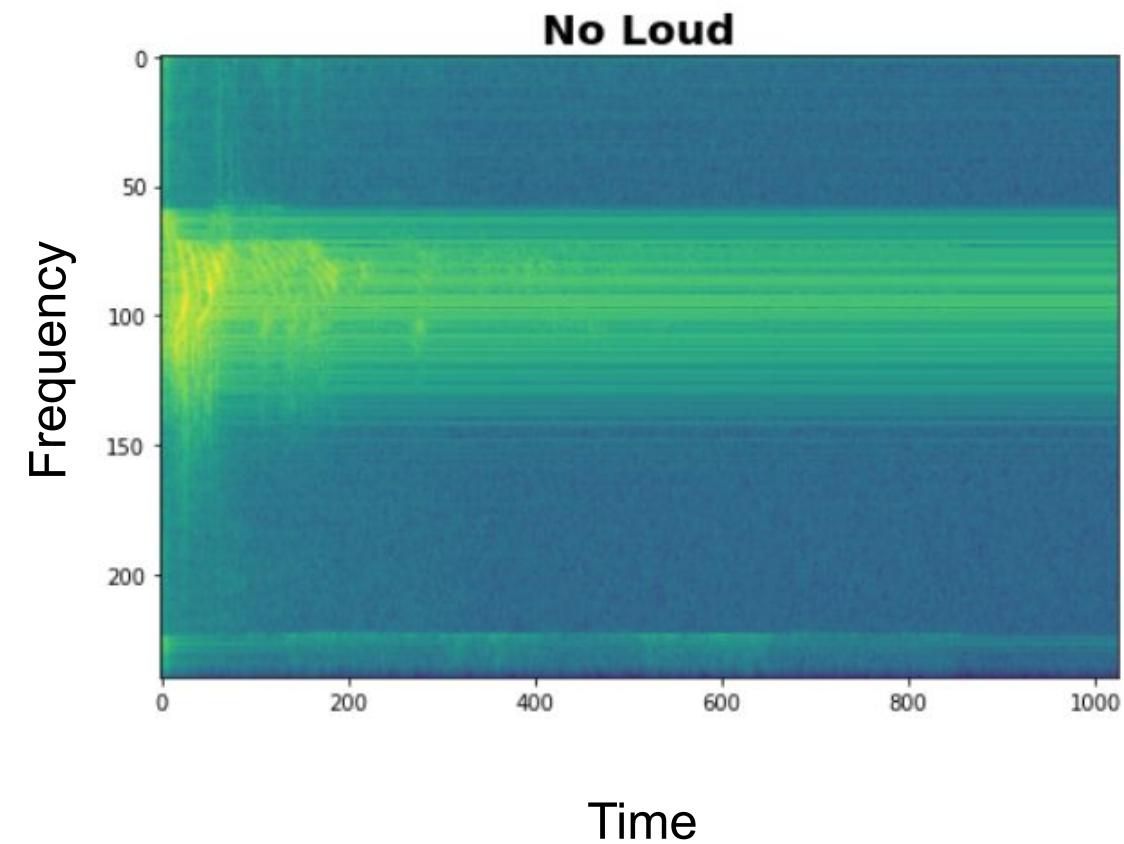
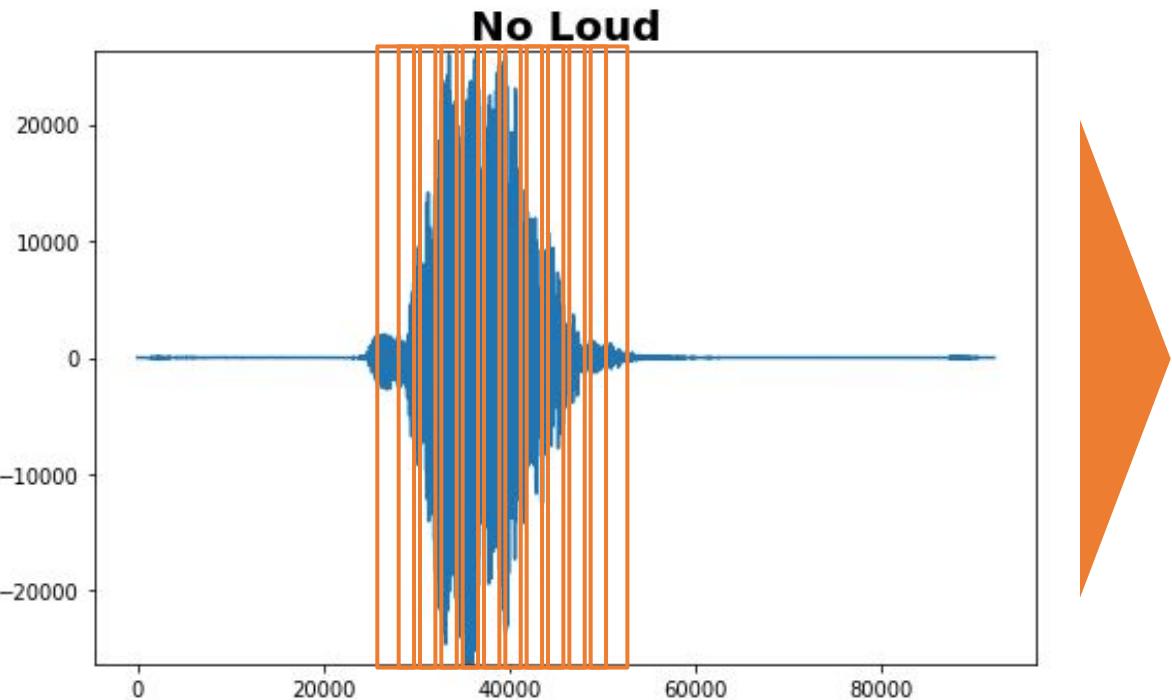
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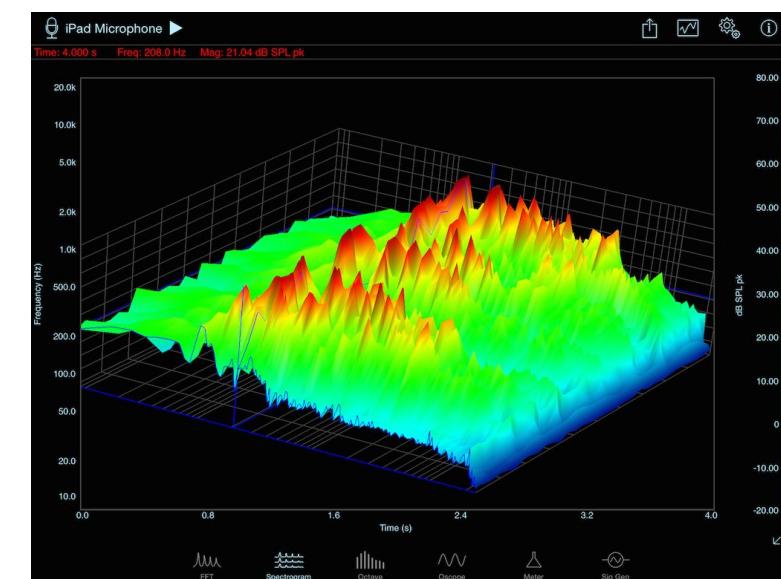
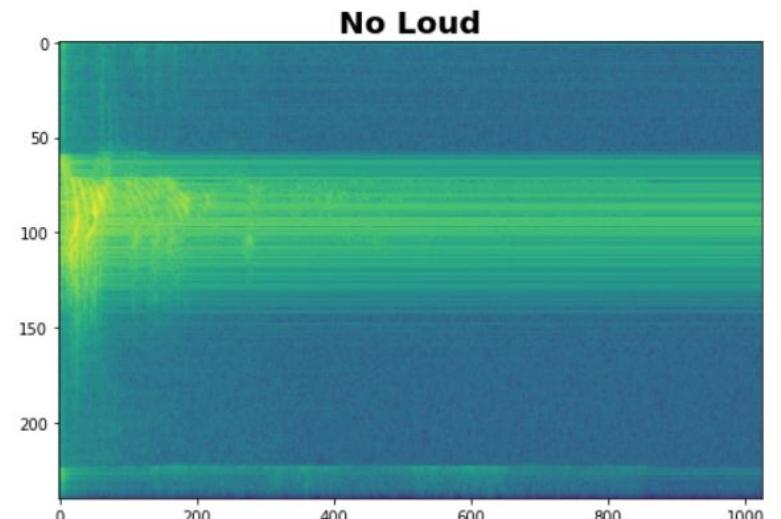
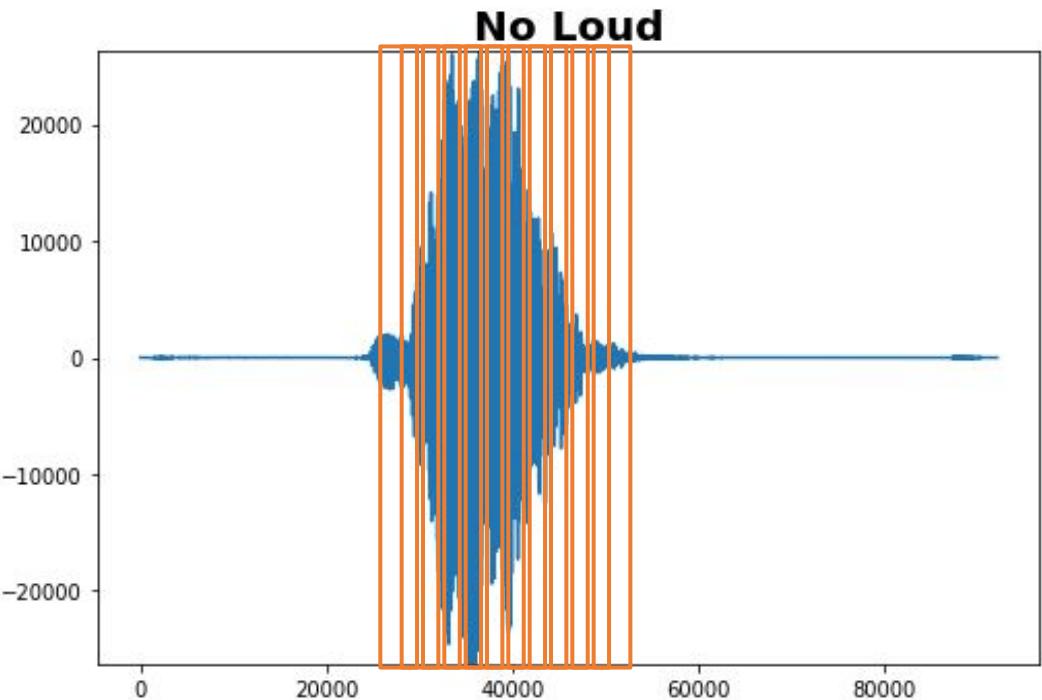
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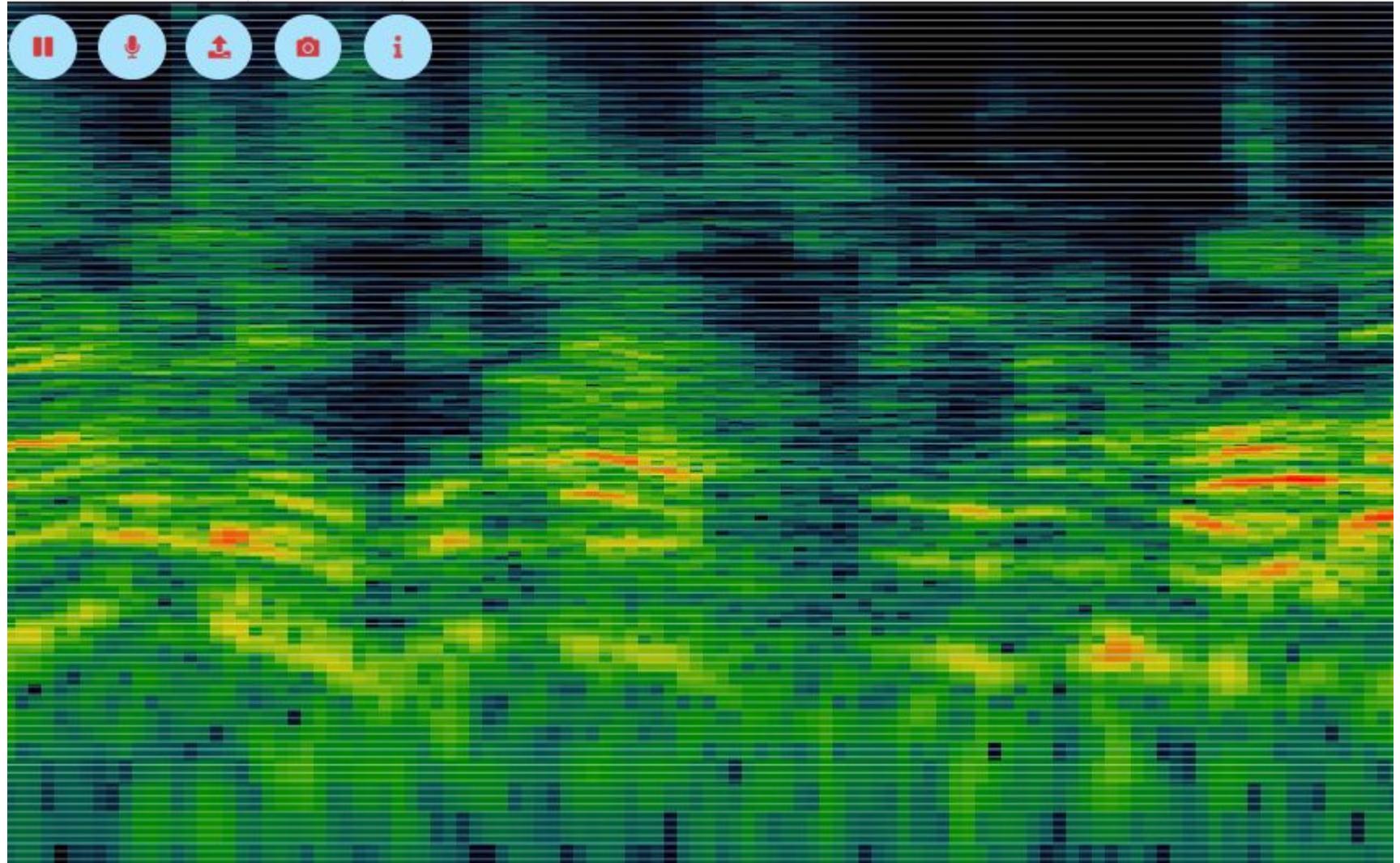
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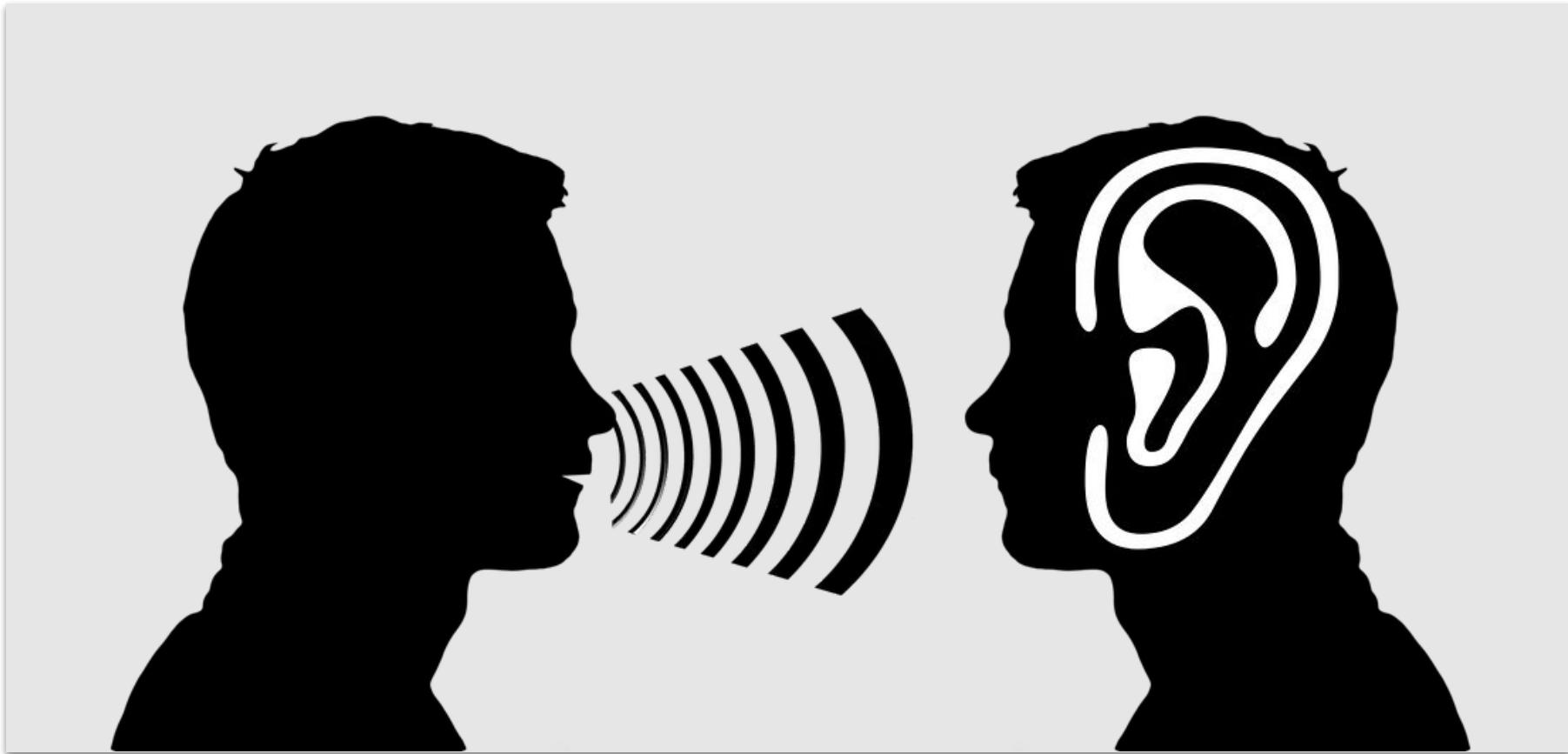


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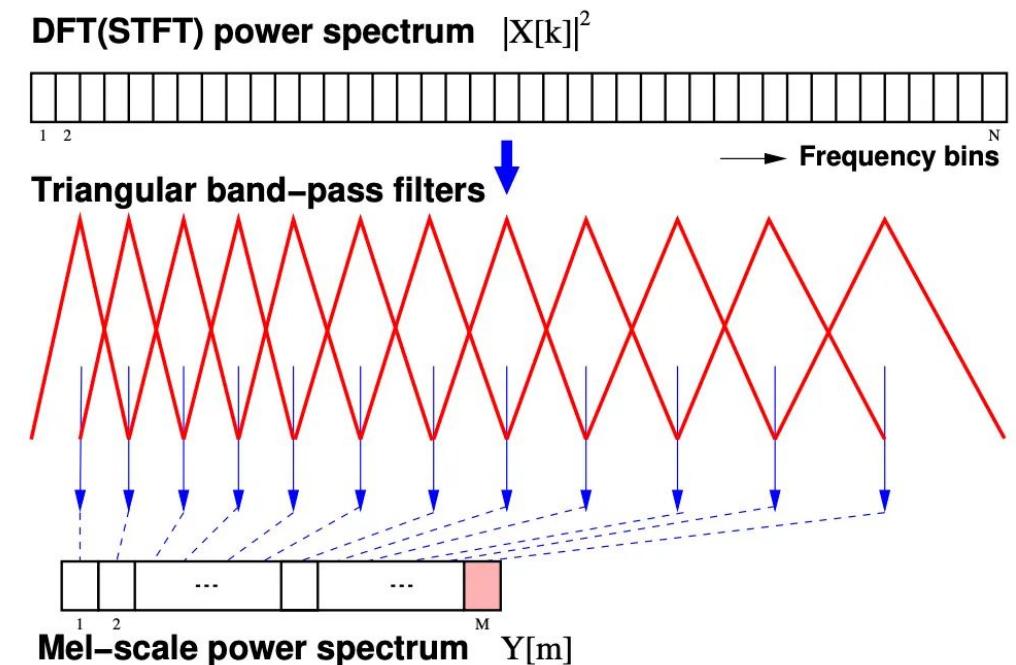
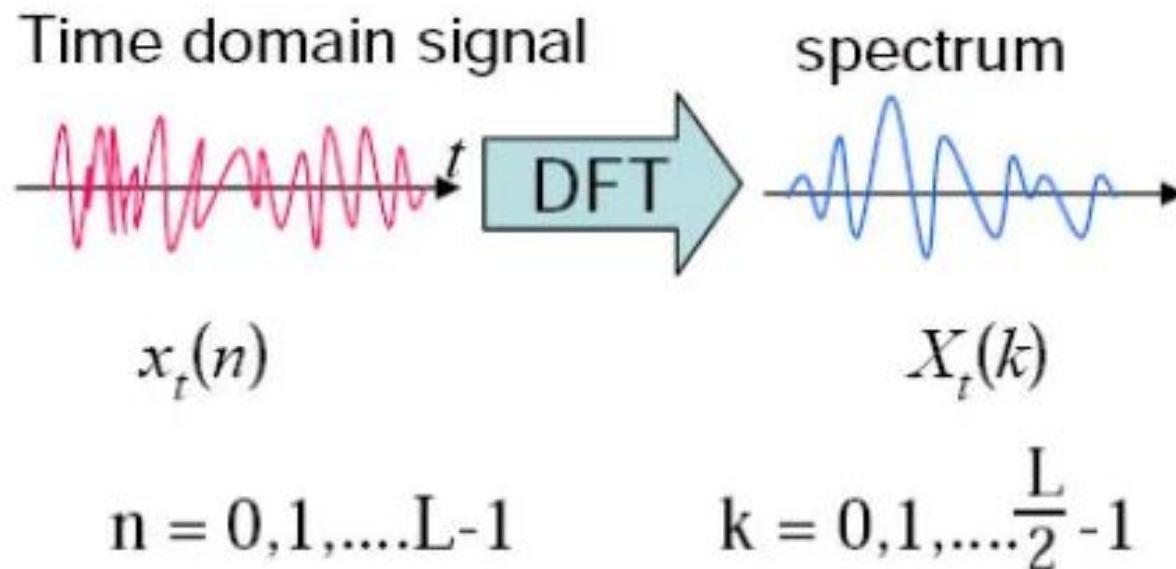


<https://spectrogram.sciencemusic.org/>

Can we find more
salient features?



Mel-Frequency Cepstral Coefficients : MFCC

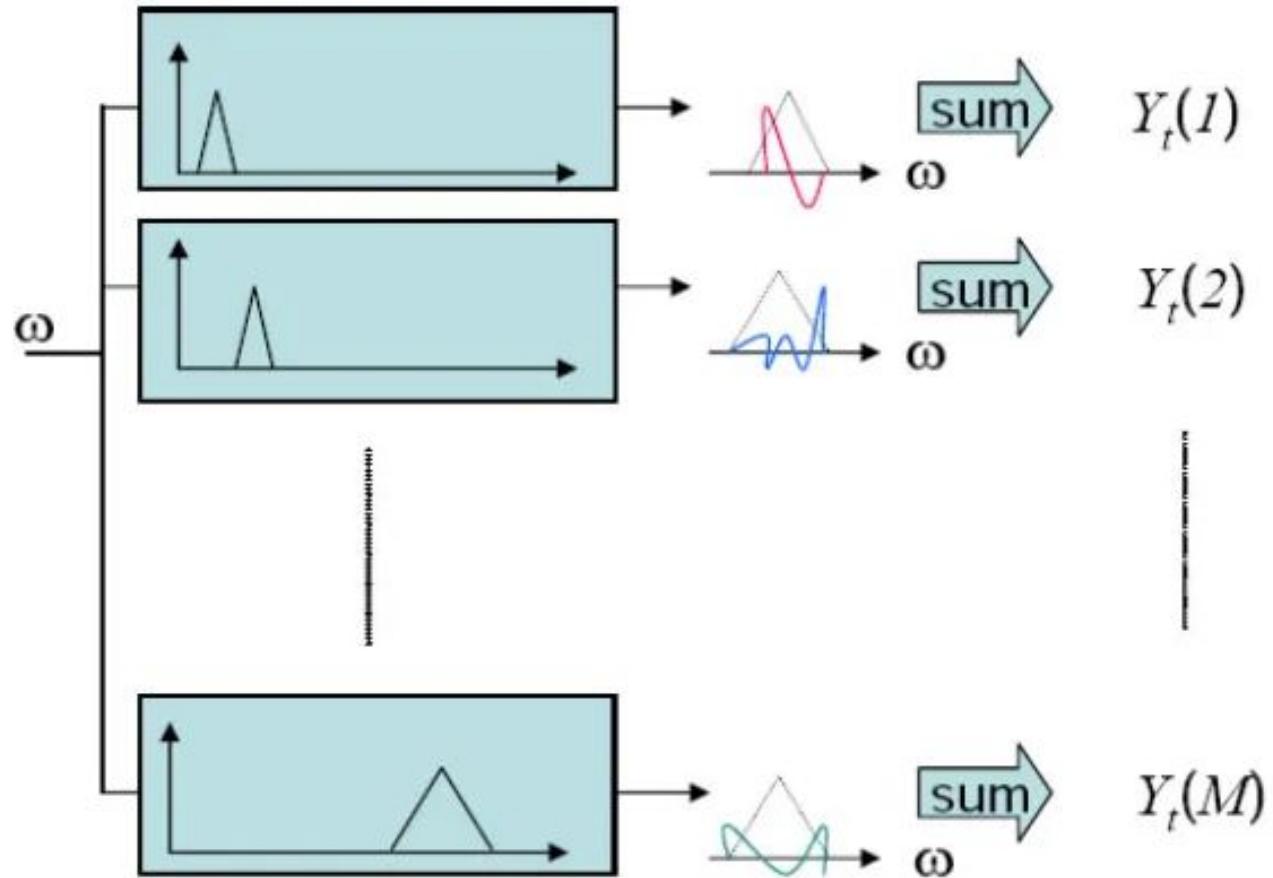


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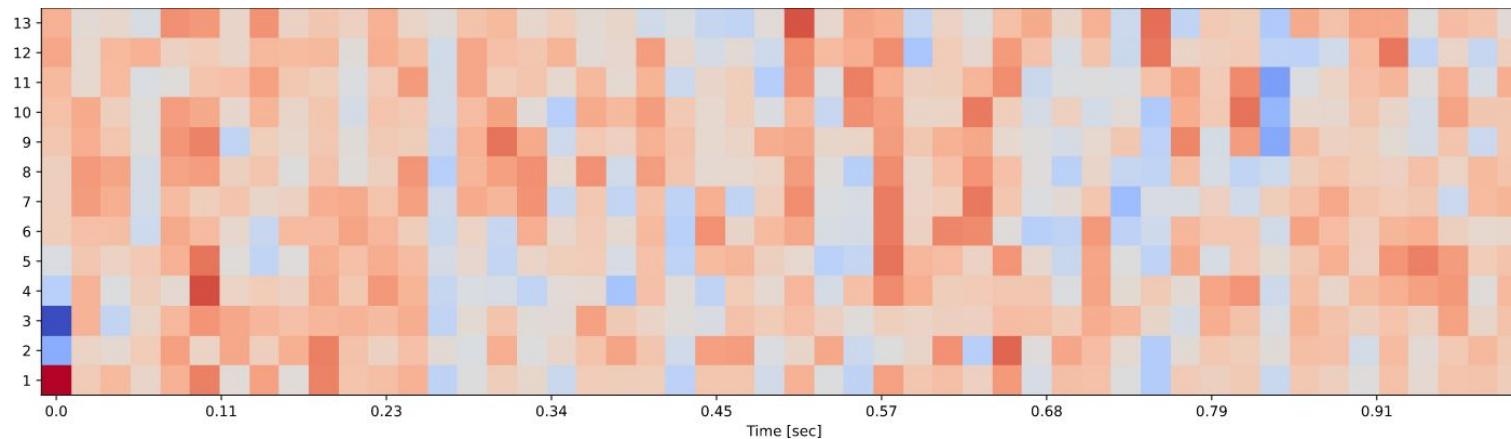
$$Y_t[m] = \sum_{k=1}^N W_m[k] |X_t[k]|^2$$

where k : DFT bin number ($1, \dots, N$)
 m : mel-filter bank number ($1, \dots, M$)



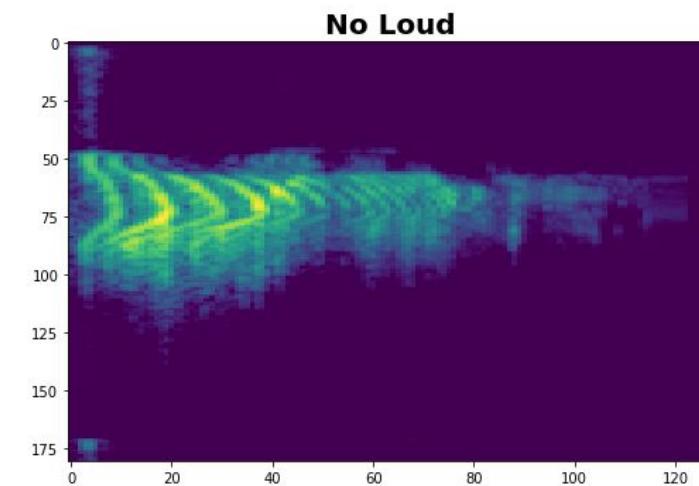
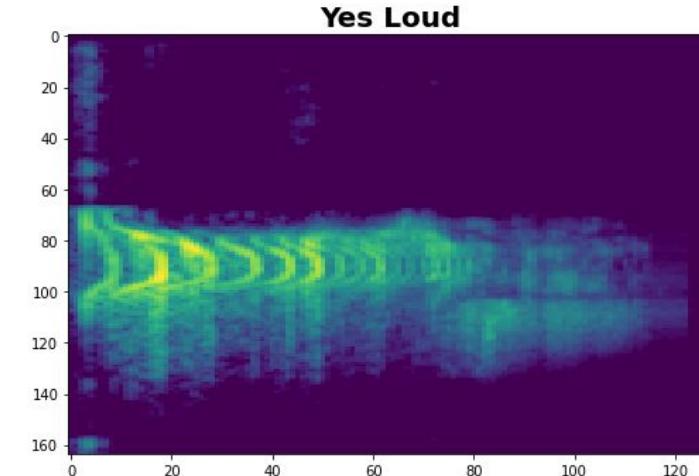
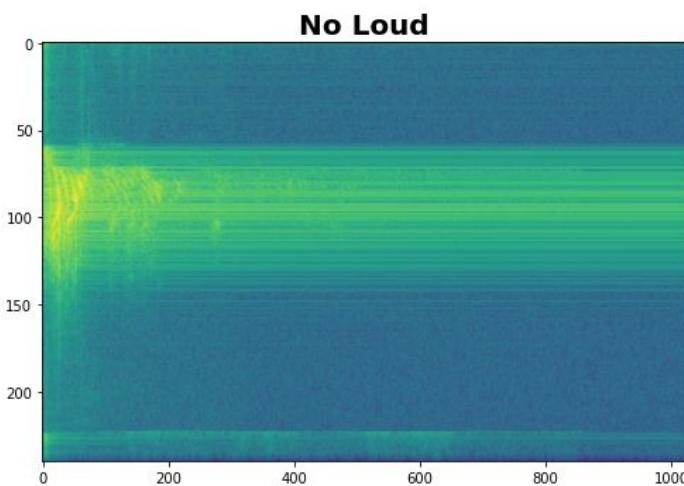
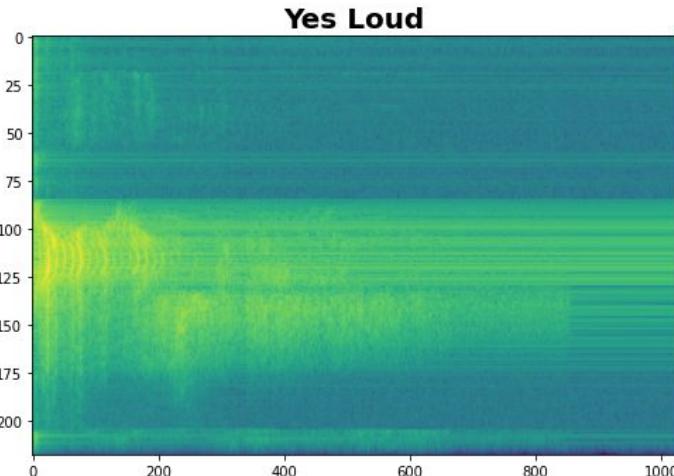
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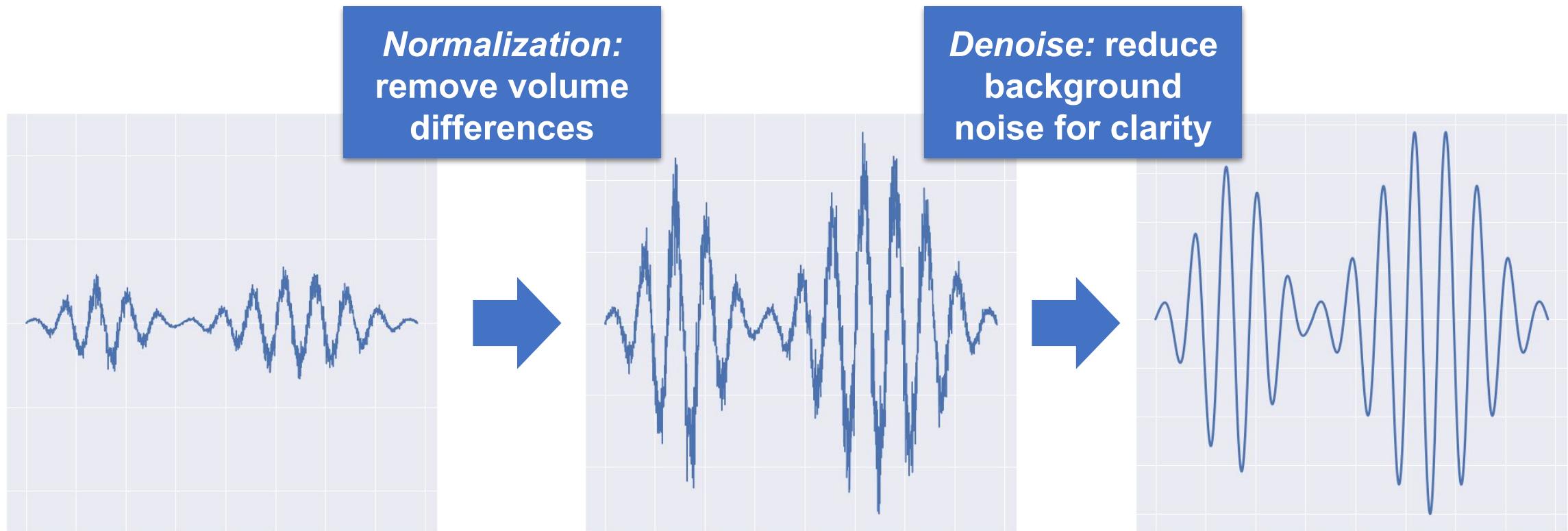


Ejemplo de MFCC

Spectrograms vs MFCCs



Additional Feature Engineering

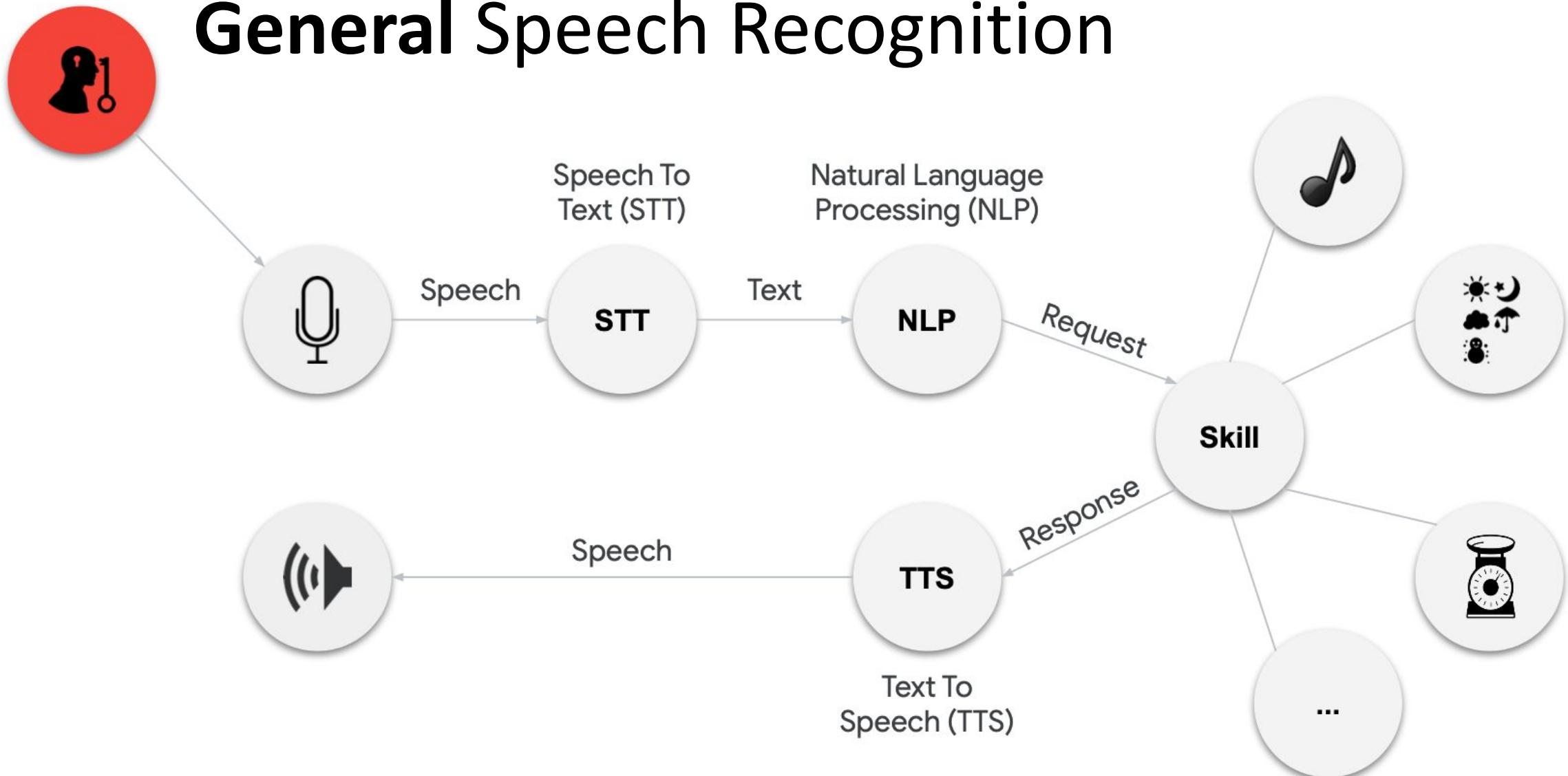


What is
KeyWord Spotting?

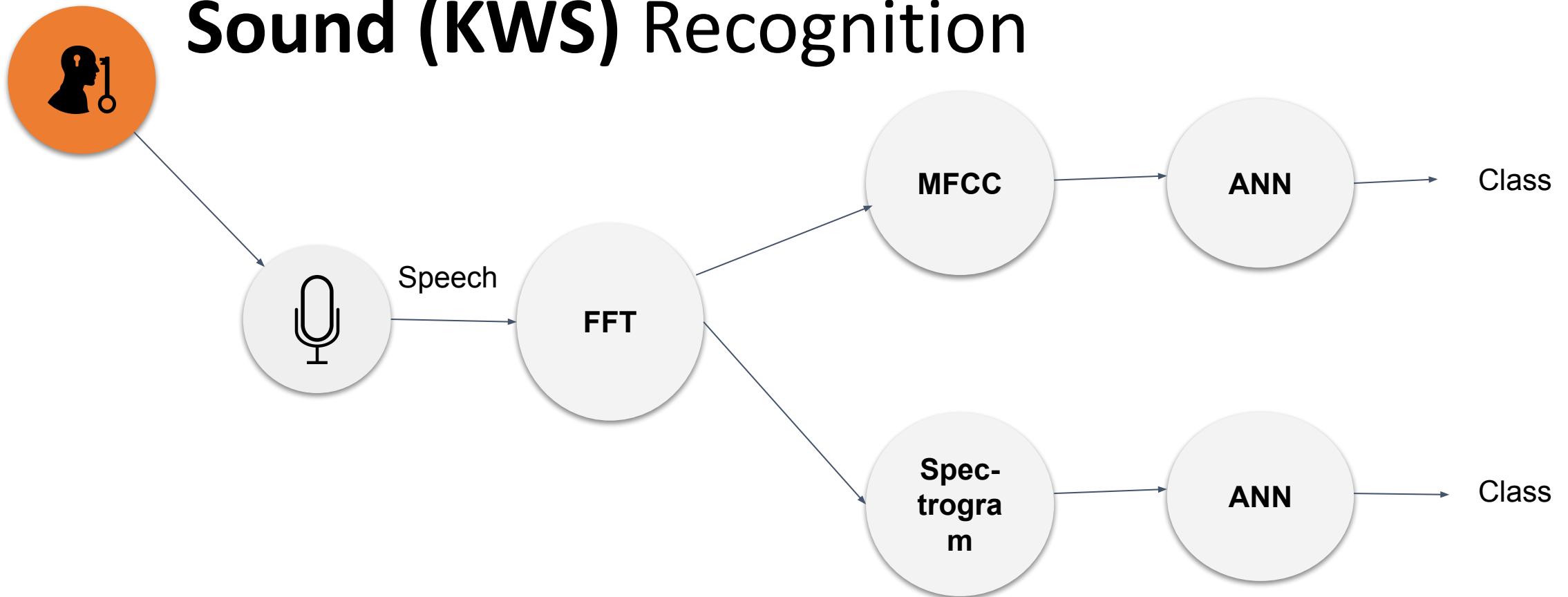
Keyword Spotting v. General Speech Recognition

- **Keyword spotting** is one of the most successful examples of **TinyML**
 - Low-power, continuous, on-device
 - Common Voice SWTS^{*} expands keyword spotting to more languages
 - * Single Word Target Segment
- **General ASR**^{*} still requires **larger, power-hungry models**
 - But it can run on mobile devices (offline dictation on smartphones)
 - * Automatic Speech Recognition

General Speech Recognition



Sound (KWS) Recognition









More than just voice

- Security (Broken Glass)
- Industry (Anomaly Detection)
- Medical (Snore, Toss)
- Nature (Bee, insect sound)



Keyword Spotting Challenges/Constrains

Challenges and Constraints



Latency & Bandwidth



Accuracy & Personalization



Security & Privacy



Battery & Memory

Challenges and Constraints



Latency & Bandwidth



Accuracy & Personalization



Security & Privacy



Battery & Memory

LATENCY

Provide results quickly, respond in real-time to the user

Challenges and Constraints



Latency & Bandwidth



Accuracy & Personalization



Security & Privacy



Battery & Memory

BANDWIDTH

Minimize data sent over the network (slow and expensive)

Challenges and Constraints



Latency & Bandwidth



Accuracy & Personalization



Security & Privacy



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ACCURACY

**Listen
continuously,
but only trigger
at the right time**

Challenges and Constraints



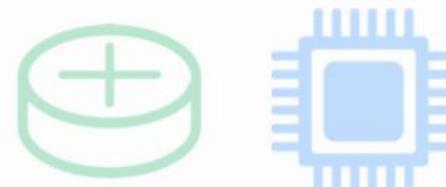
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Accuracy & Personalization



Security & Privacy



Battery & Memory

PERSONALIZATION

Trigger for the user and **not** for background noise

Challenges and Constraints



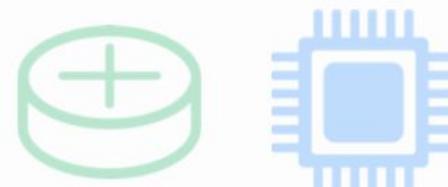
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Accuracy & Personalization



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Battery & Memory

SECURITY

Safeguarding the data that is being sent to the cloud

Challenges and Constraints



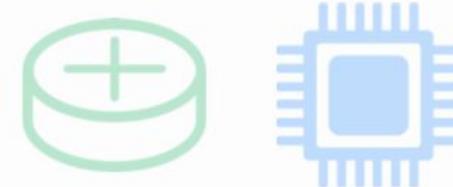
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PRIVACY

Safeguarding the data that is being sent to the cloud

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Latency & Bandwidth



Accuracy & Personalization



Security & Privacy



Battery & Memory

BATTERY

Limited energy,
operate on
coin-cell type
batteries

Challenges and Constraints



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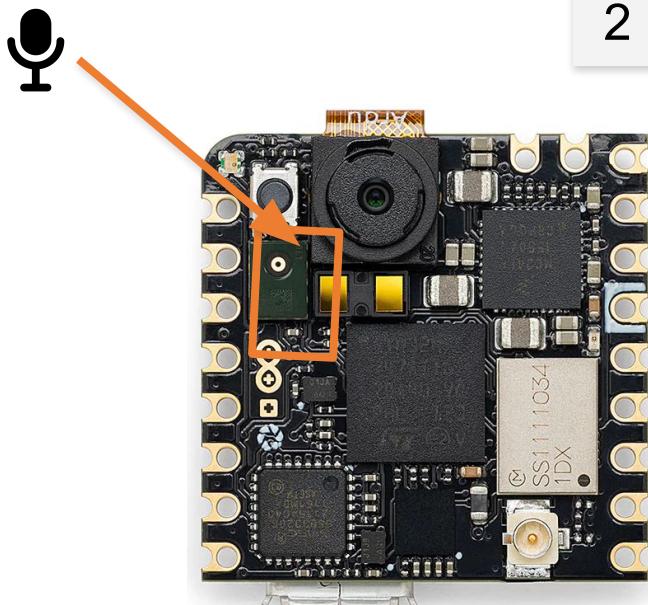


Battery & Memory

MEMORY

Run on resource
constrained
devices

Anatomy of a Keyword Spotting Application

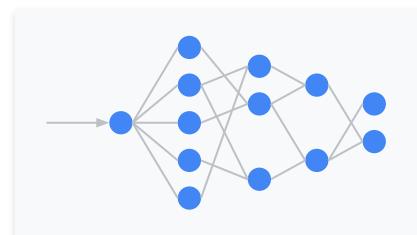


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Continuously listen on
the microcontroller

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Process the data with
TinyML at the edge

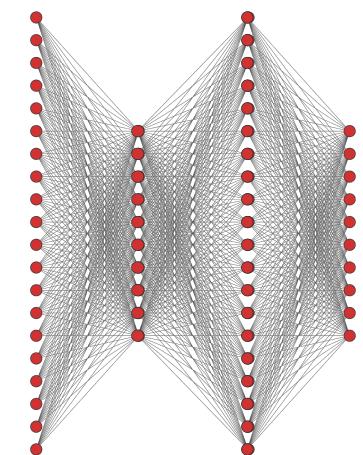


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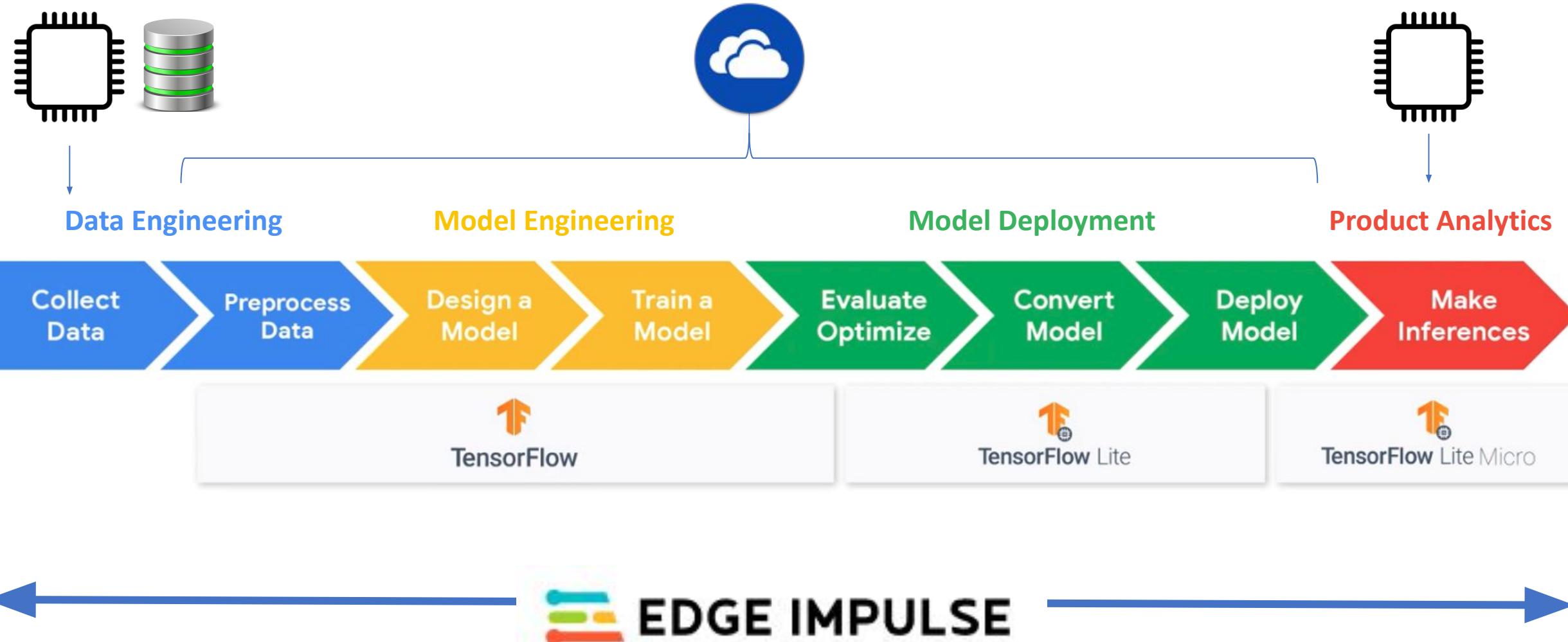
Send the data to the
cloud when triggered

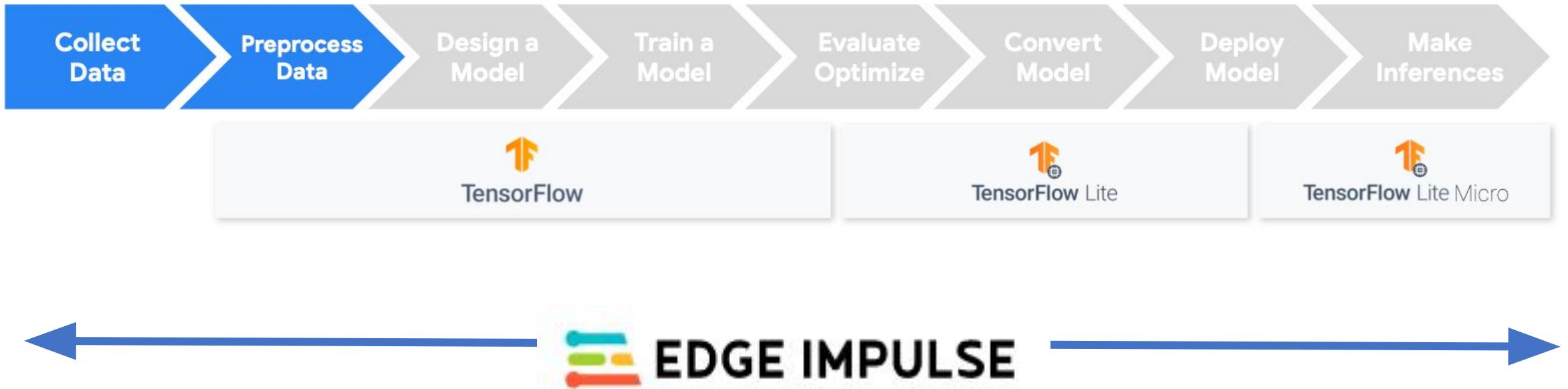
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Process the full speech data with
a large model in the cloud



KWS Data Collection & Pre-Processing

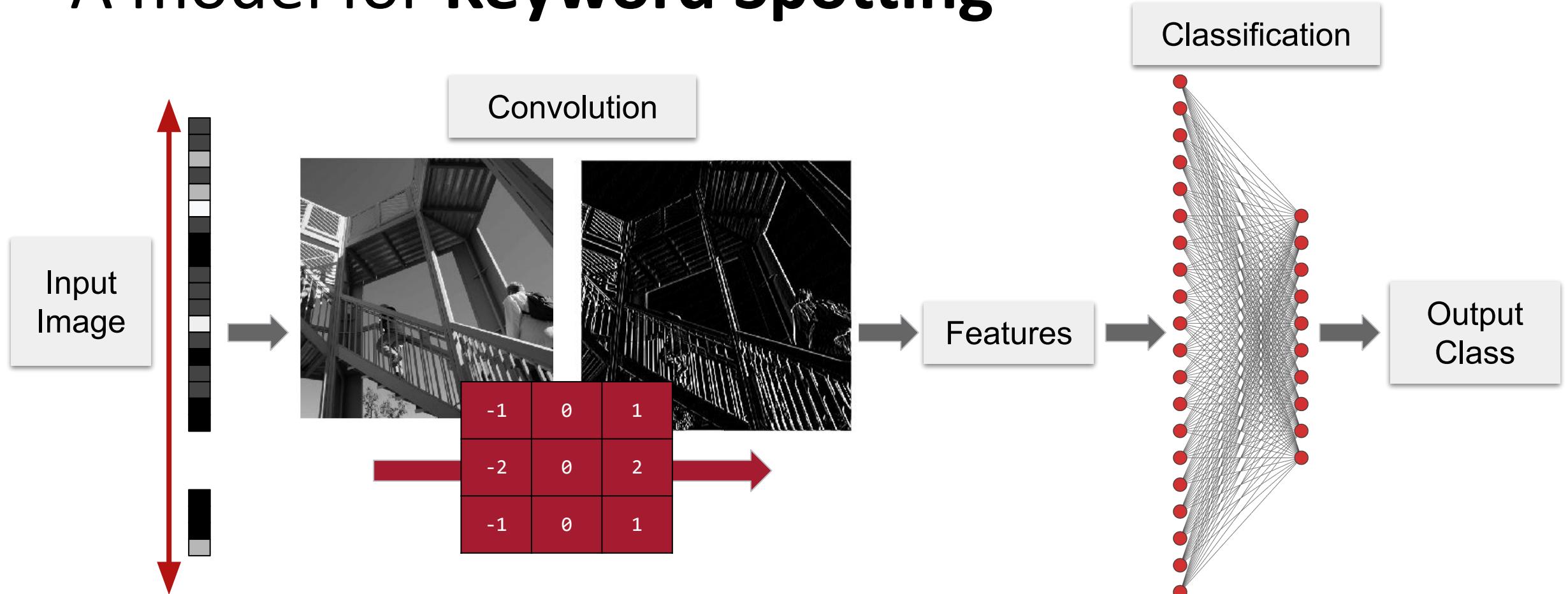




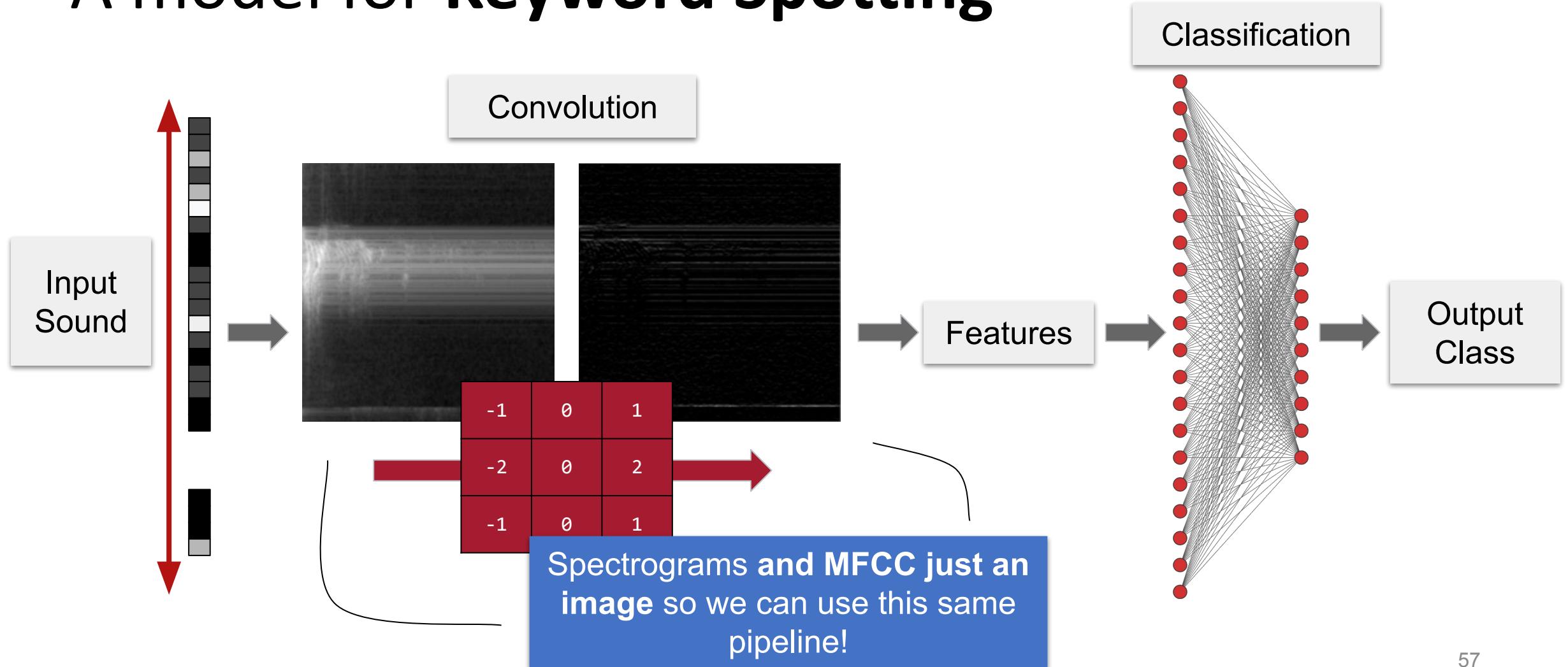
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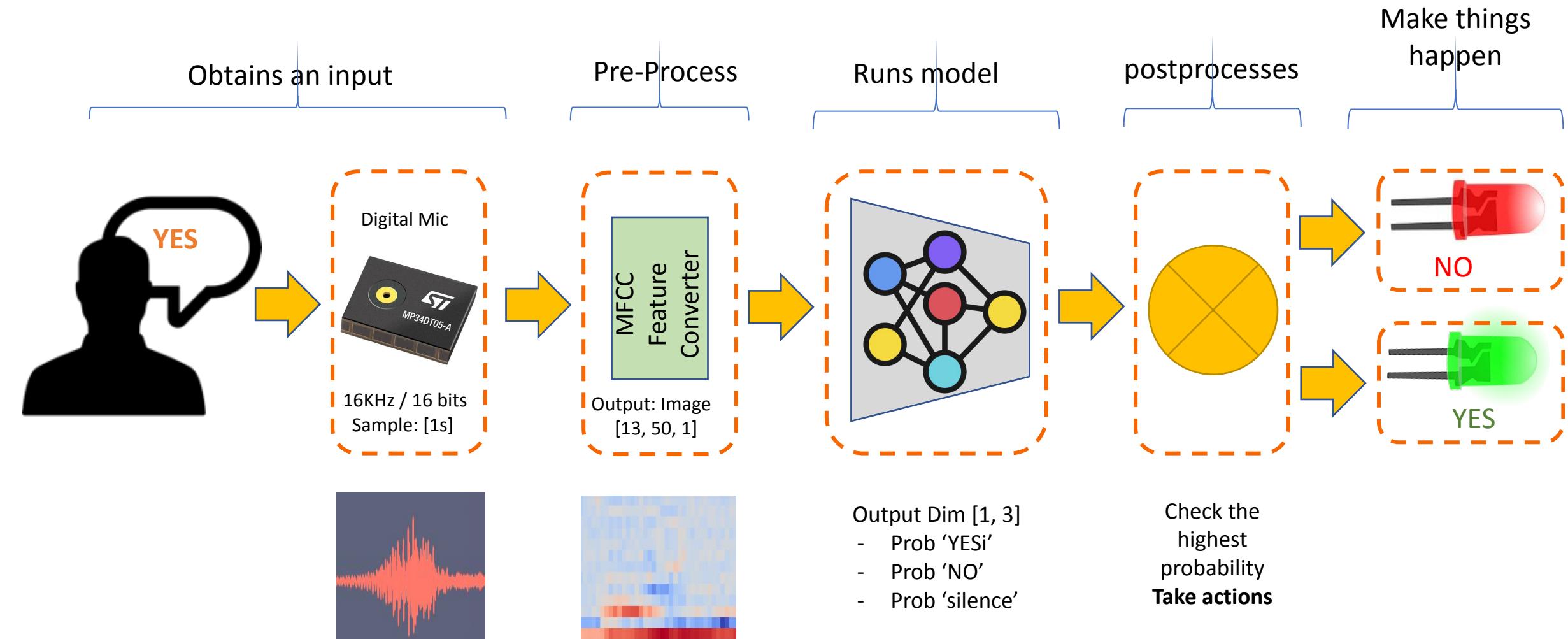
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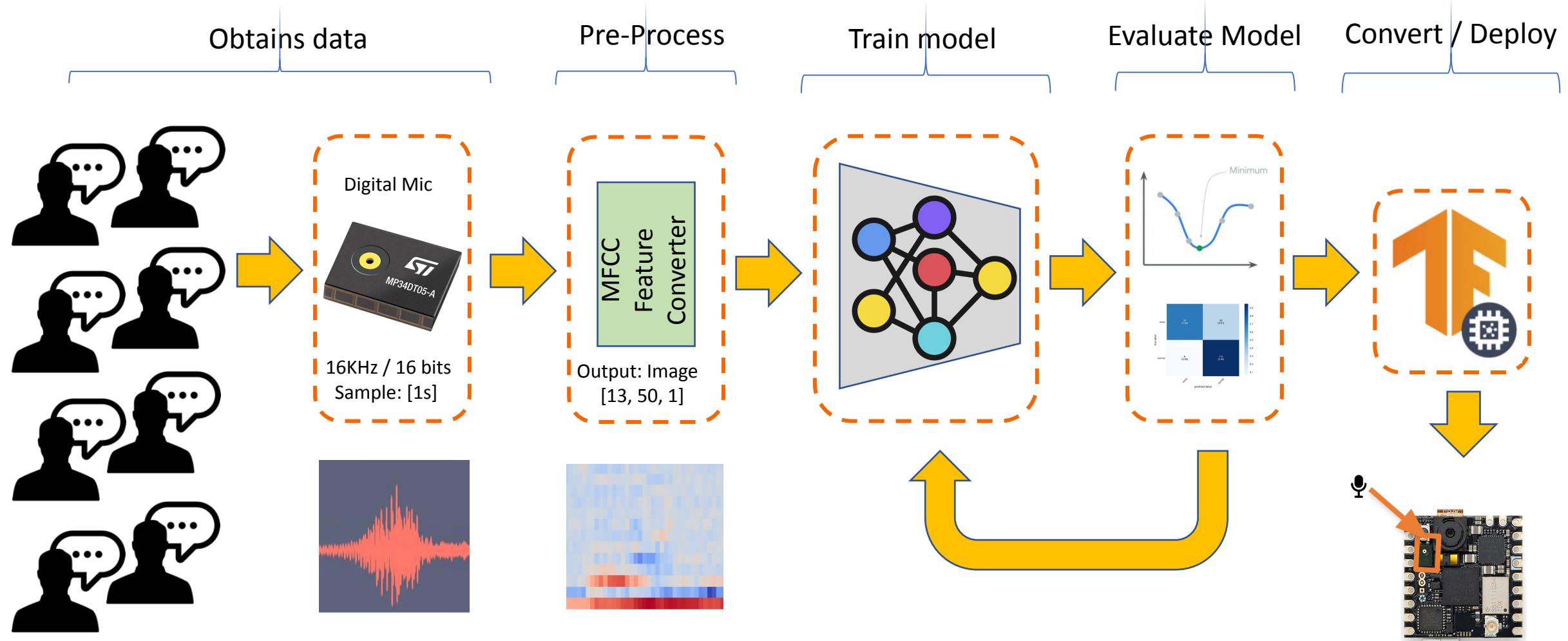
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KeyWord Spotting (KWS) - Inference



KeyWord Spotting (KWS) – Create Model (Training)



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