

Maior Dúvida da Aula

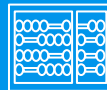
1. Não consigo entender a essência de transferência de conhecimento entre redes, para mim não faz sentido treinarmos um modelo para executar certa tarefa e ele ficar bom em resolver outra tarefa, não entra na minha cabeça isso.
2. Existe algum caso de sucesso onde se fez transfer learning para uma atividade intermediária, antes do fine-tuning na tarefa alvo, resultando em um melhor modelo?
3. O transfer learning resolve o problema de usar um “mesmo modelo” treinado em um hospital (por exemplo) em outro? Apenas fazendo um fine-tuning fino, já que esse tipo de problema generaliza mal.

4. Redes já treinadas são ainda mais difíceis de serem interpretadas, ou existem áreas de estudos que colocam esforços para entender o poder de generalização dessas ferramentas?
5. Existe algum método para verificar se a arquitetura que queremos retreinar (transfer learning) é passível de receber imagens com dimensões diferentes às aquelas utilizadas no treinamento? Por exemplo: treinamento foi efetuado com imagens (3, 224, 224), porém deseja-se utilizar imagens (3, 336, 336).
6. Sobre o projeto: pretendemos usar uma segunda base de dados para testar a rede num contexto bastante diferente e ver como ela generaliza. Isso é um bom método para encontrar e testar exemplos 'difíceis'?

7. Não entendi como a tarefa pretexto funciona. Ela não é uma anotação igual a do label que eu pretendo utilizar no meu algoritmo?
8. Ainda estou um pouco confuso a respeito do processo de self supervised learning. Precisamos fazer um fine tuning da rede após treiná-la com a tarefa inicial?
9. Como decidir entre usar self-learning ou pré-treinamento à moda antiga?
10. Podemos utilizar o aprendizado auto supervisionado com dados tabulares?
11. Com o self-supervised learning nossos problemas de dados anotados acabaram.



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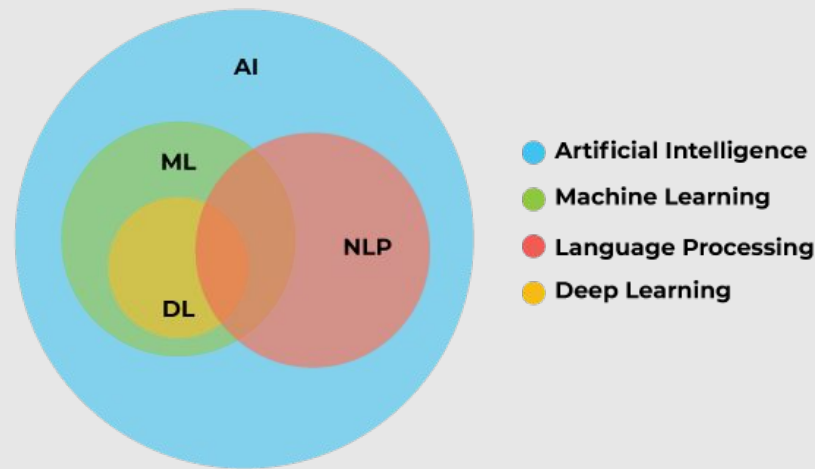
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Natural Language Processing





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I love this movie! It's sweet, but with satirical humor. The dialogue is great and the adventure scenes are fun... It manages to be whimsical and romantic while laughing at the conventions of the fairy tale genre. I would recommend it to just about anyone. I've seen it several times, and I'm always happy to see it again whenever I have a friend who hasn't seen it yet!



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Bag of Words

Chapter 10

Sequence Modeling: Recurrent and Recursive Nets

Recurrent neural networks, or RNNs (Rumelhart et al., 1986a), are a family of neural networks for processing sequential data. Much as a convolutional network is a neural network that is specialized for processing a grid of values X such as an image, a recurrent neural network is a neural network that is specialized for processing a sequence of values $x^{(1)}, \dots, x^{(t)}$. Just as convolutional networks can readily scale to images with large width and height, and some convolutional networks can process images of variable size, recurrent networks can scale to much longer sequences than would be practical for networks without sequence-based specialization. Most recurrent networks can also process sequences of variable length.

To go from multilayer networks to recurrent networks, we need to take advantage of one of the early ideas found in machine learning and statistical models of the 1980s: sharing parameters across different parts of a model. Parameter sharing makes it possible to extend and apply the model to examples of different forms (different lengths, here) and generalize across them. If we had separate parameters for each value of the time index, we could not generalize to sequence lengths not seen during training, nor share statistical strength across different sequence lengths and across different positions in time. Such sharing is particularly important when a specific piece of information can occur at multiple positions within the sequence. For example, consider the two sentences "I went to Nepal in 2009" and "In 2009, I went to Nepal." If we ask a machine learning model to read each sentence and extract the year in which the narrator went to Nepal, we would like it to recognize the year 2009 as the relevant piece of information, whether it appears in the sixth

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Problems? **Sparse data**

Order matters!

“work to live” vs. “live to work”

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Recurrent Neural Network

We can process a sequence of vectors \mathbf{x} by applying a **recurrence formula** at every time step:

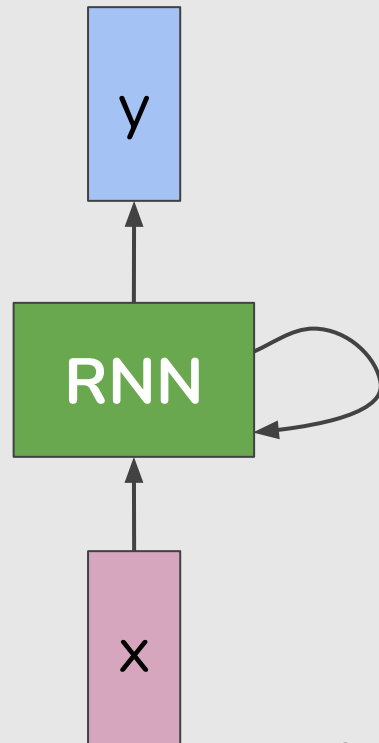
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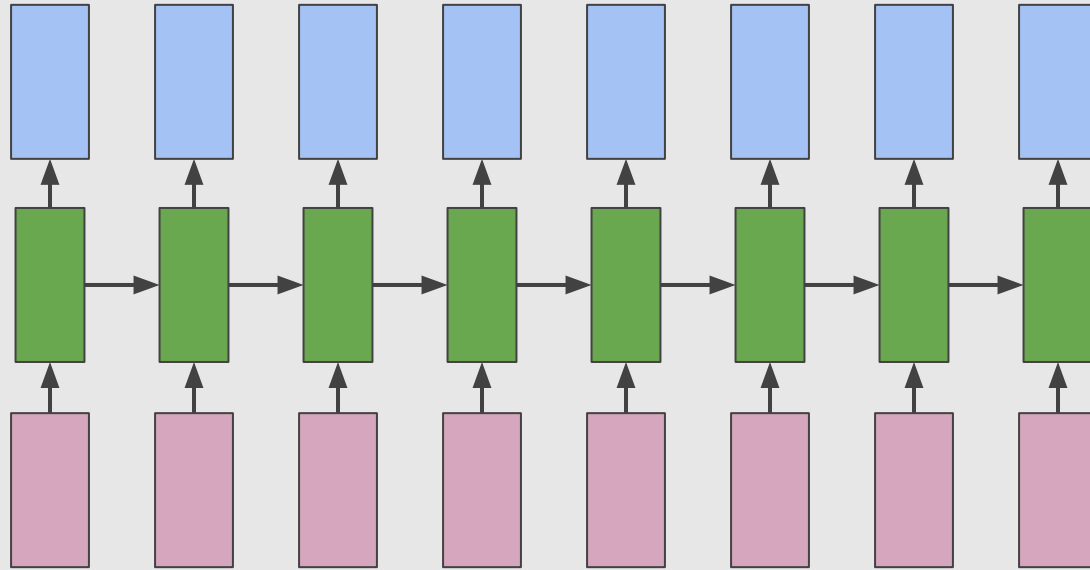
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Recurrent Neural Network

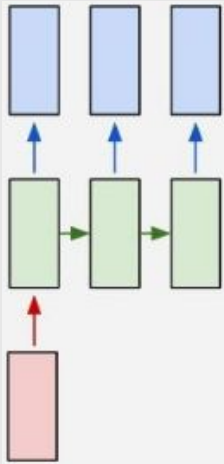


RNNs: Process Sequences

one to one



one to many



Vanilla Neural
Networks

Image Captioning
image \Rightarrow seq. words

Image Captioning

No errors



A white teddy bear sitting in the grass

Minor errors



A man in baseball uniform throwing a ball

Somewhat related



A woman is holding a cat in her hand



A man riding a wave on top of a surfboard



A cat sitting on a suitcase on the floor



A woman standing on a beach holding a surfboard

RNNs: Process Sequences

one to one



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one to many

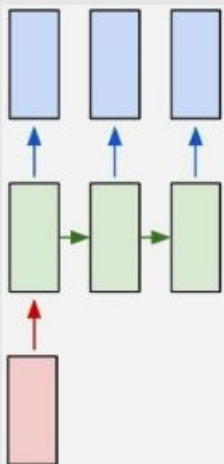
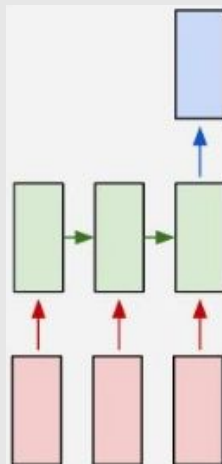


Image Captioning
image \Rightarrow seq. words

many to one



Sentiment Classification
seq. words \Rightarrow sentiment

Visual Question Answering (VQA)



COCOQA 33827

What is the color of the cat?

Ground truth: black

IMG+BOW: **black** (0.55)

2-VIS+LSTM: **black** (0.73)

BOW: **gray** (0.40)

COCOQA 33827a

What is the color of the couch?

Ground truth: red

IMG+BOW: **red** (0.65)

2-VIS+LSTM: **black** (0.44)

BOW: **red** (0.39)



DAQUAR 1522

How many chairs are there?

Ground truth: two

IMG+BOW: **four** (0.24)

2-VIS+BLSTM: **one** (0.29)

LSTM: **four** (0.19)

DAQUAR 1520

How many shelves are there?

Ground truth: three

IMG+BOW: **three** (0.25)

2-VIS+BLSTM: **two** (0.48)

LSTM: **two** (0.21)



COCOQA 14855

Where are the ripe bananas sitting?

Ground truth: basket

IMG+BOW: **basket** (0.97)

2-VIS+BLSTM: **basket** (0.58)

BOW: **bowl** (0.48)

COCOQA 14855a

What are in the basket?

Ground truth: bananas

IMG+BOW: **bananas** (0.98)

2-VIS+BLSTM: **bananas** (0.68)

BOW: **bananas** (0.14)



DAQUAR 585

What is the object on the chair?

Ground truth: pillow

IMG+BOW: **clothes** (0.37)

2-VIS+BLSTM: **pillow** (0.65)

LSTM: **clothes** (0.40)

DAQUAR 585a

Where is the pillow found?

Ground truth: chair

IMG+BOW: **bed** (0.13)

2-VIS+BLSTM: **chair** (0.17)

LSTM: **cabinet** (0.79)

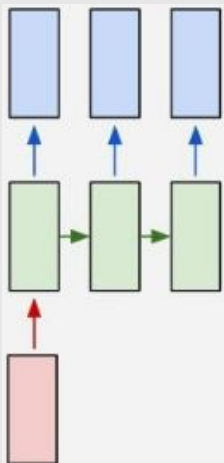
Ren et al., "Exploring Models and Data for Image Question Answering"

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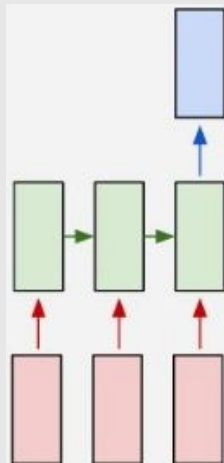
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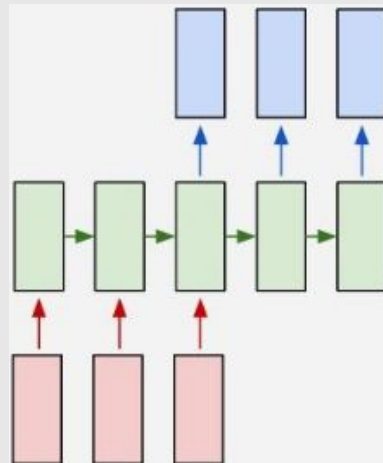
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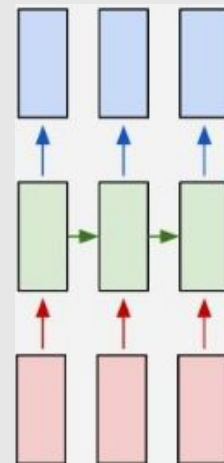
many to one



many to many



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Networks

Image Captioning
image \Rightarrow seq. words

Sentiment Classification
seq. words \Rightarrow sentiment

Machine Translation
seq. words \Rightarrow seq. of words

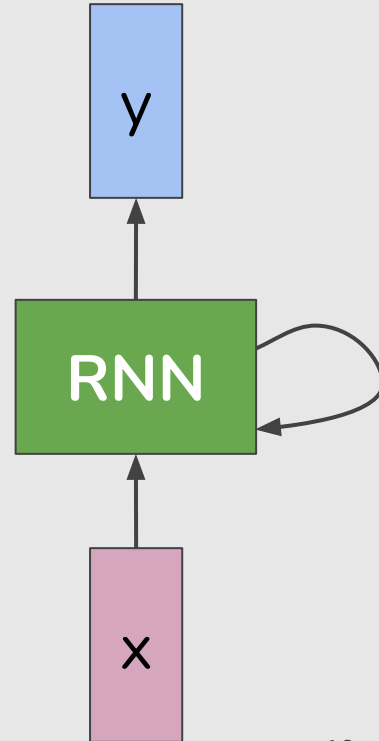
**Video classification
on frame level**

Recurrent Neural Network

We can process a sequence of vectors \mathbf{x} by applying a **recurrence formula** at every time step:

$$h_t = f_W(h_{t-1}, x_t)$$

Notice: the same function and the same set of parameters are used at every time step.



Recurrent Neural Network

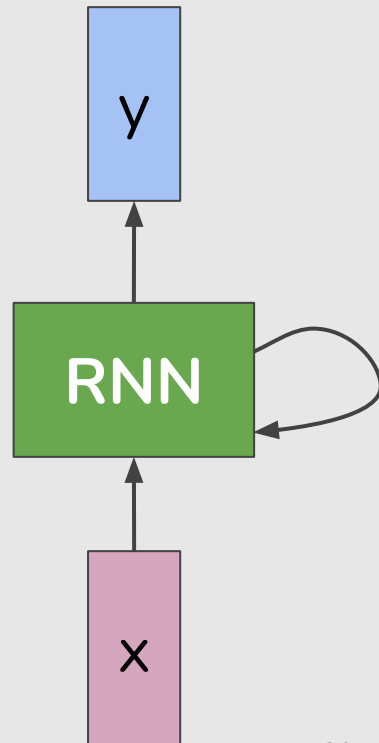
The state consists of a single “hidden” vector \mathbf{h} :

$$h_t = f_W(h_{t-1}, x_t)$$




$$h_t = \tanh(W_{hh}h_{t-1} + W_{xh}x_t)$$


$$y_t = W_{hy}h_t$$




Recurrent Neural Network



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Recurrent layers

- LSTM layer
- GRU layer
- SimpleRNN layer
- TimeDistributed layer
- Bidirectional layer
- ConvLSTM1D layer
- ConvLSTM2D layer
- ConvLSTM3D layer
- Base RNN layer

https://keras.io/api/layers/recurrent_layers/

Recurrent Neural Network

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Description: Complete guide to using & customizing RNN layers.

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Introduction

Recurrent neural networks (RNN) are a class of neural networks that is powerful for modeling sequence data such as time series or natural language.

Schematically, a RNN layer uses a `for` loop to iterate over the timesteps of a sequence, while maintaining an internal state that encodes information about the timesteps it has seen so far.

The Keras RNN API is designed with a focus on:

- **Ease of use:** the built-in `keras.layers.RNN`, `keras.layers.LSTM`, `keras.layers.GRU` layers enable you to quickly build recurrent models without having to make difficult configuration choices.
- **Ease of customization:** You can also define your own RNN cell layer (the inner part of the `for` loop) with custom behavior, and use it with the generic `keras.layers.RNN` layer (the `for` loop itself). This allows you to quickly prototype different research ideas in a flexible way with minimal code.

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https://keras.io/guides/working_with_rnns/

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Sequence-to-sequence models are deep learning models that have achieved a lot of success in tasks like machine translation, text summarization, and image captioning. Google Translate started [using](#) such a model in production in late 2016. These models are explained in the two pioneering papers ([Sutskever et al., 2014](#), [Cho et al., 2014](#)).



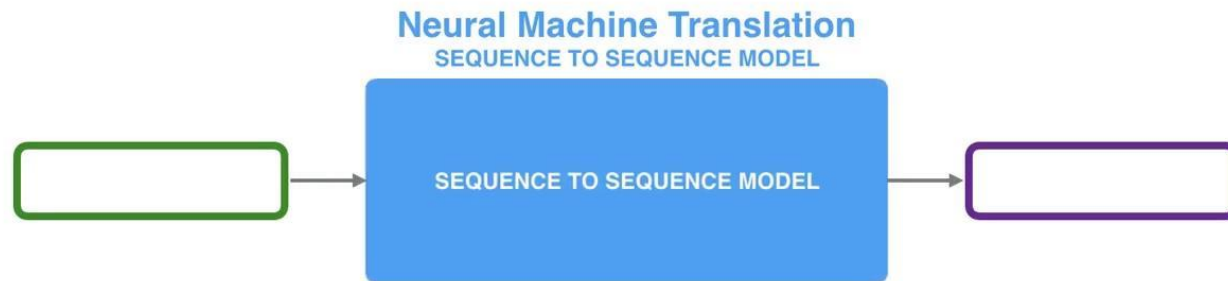
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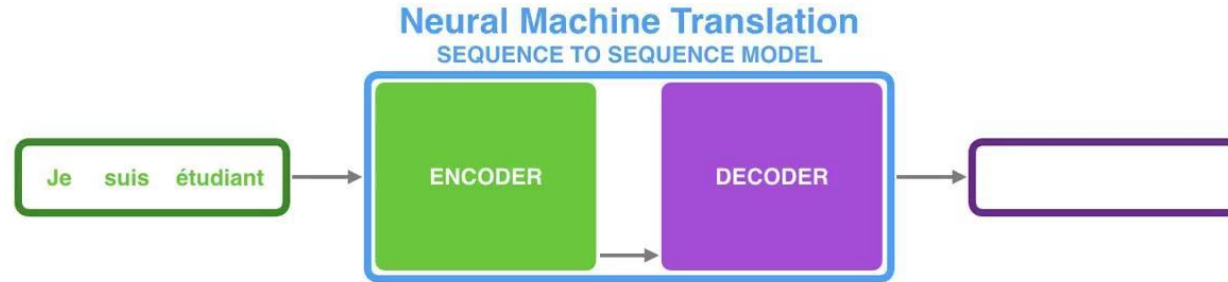
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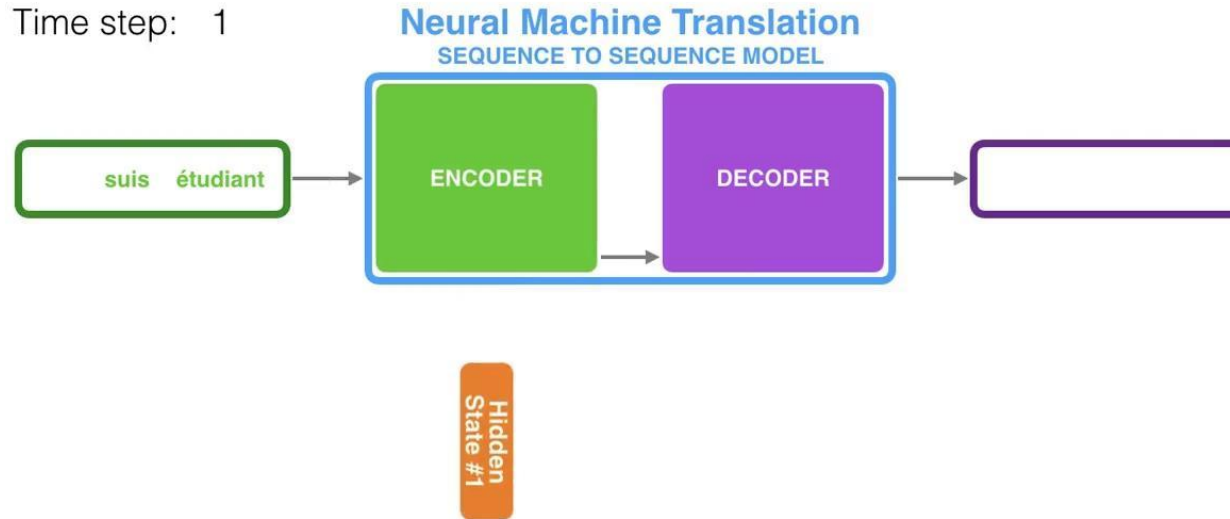
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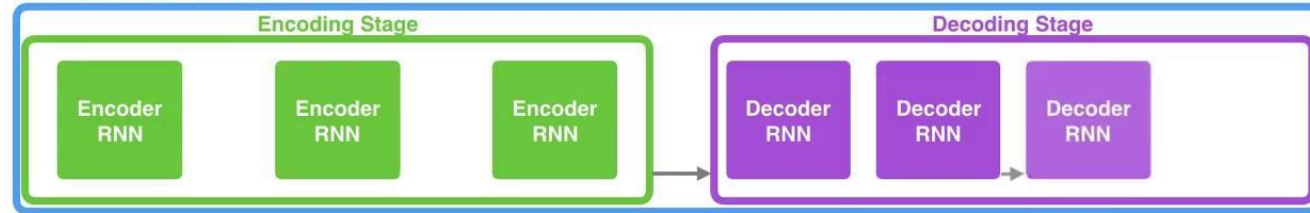
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Neural Machine Translation SEQUENCE TO SEQUENCE MODEL



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<https://gist.github.com/karpathy/d4dee566867f8291f086> (Andrej Karpathy)

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Minimal character-level language model with a Vanilla Recurrent Neural Network, in Python/numpy

min-char-rnn.py Raw

```
1 """
2 Minimal character-level Vanilla RNN model. Written by Andrej Karpathy (@karpathy)
3 BSD License
4 """
5 import numpy as np
6
7 # data I/O
8 data = open('input.txt', 'r').read() # should be simple plain text file
9 chars = list(set(data))
10 data_size, vocab_size = len(data), len(chars)
11 print 'data has %d characters, %d unique.' % (data_size, vocab_size)
12 char_to_ix = { ch:i for i,ch in enumerate(chars) }
13 ix_to_char = { i:ch for i,ch in enumerate(chars) }
14
15 # hyperparameters
16 hidden_size = 100 # size of hidden layer of neurons
17 seq_length = 25 # number of steps to unroll the RNN for
18 learning_rate = 1e-1
19
20 # model parameters
21 Wxh = np.random.randn(hidden_size, vocab_size)*0.01 # input to hidden
22 Whh = np.random.randn(hidden_size, hidden_size)*0.01 # hidden to hidden
23 Why = np.random.randn(vocab_size, hidden_size)*0.01 # hidden to output
24 bh = np.zeros((hidden_size, 1)) # hidden bias
25 by = np.zeros((vocab_size, 1)) # output bias
26
27 def lossFun(inputs, targets, hprev):
28     """
29     inputs, targets are both list of integers.
30     hprev is Hx1 array of initial hidden state
31     returns the loss, gradients on model parameters, and last hidden state
32     """
33     xs, bs, ys, ps = {}, {}, {}, {}
34     h, h_tilde = hprev, None
35     n = len(inputs)
36     cur_h = h.copy()
37     losses = 0
38     for i in xrange(n):
39         ix = inputs[i]
40         o, loss = predictChar(cur_h, ix)
41         losses += loss
42         if i < n-1:
43             yi = targets[i]
44             cur_h = update_h(cur_h, ix, yi)
45     return losses, h_tilde
```

Training: “Maior Dúvida da Aula” 2017

GoogLeNet, Inception Module

Não entendi muito bem sobre as inception layers na GoogLeNet. Entendi a ideia de fazer a mesma coisa de um filtro grande com vários filtros menores. Com vários filtros menores temos menos parâmetros que um filtro grande?

Quando fazemos inception e concatenamos os resultados, podemos comparar isso à criação de vetor de características? Porque estamos retirando tipos diferentes de informações de uma mesma camada de input e juntando elas pra formar um output.

Acho que não consegui entender muito bem o inception module da arquitetura GoogLeNet. Para que ele serve exatamente? Obrigada.

no modelo de inception v4, usa a paralelizacao para obter menos parametros, entao isso quer dizer que enquanto menos parametros e mais profundo da melhores resultados?

Não entendi exatamente que fator possibilitou a remoção das camadas fully connected na GoogLeNet. Pelo que eu entendi, as redes mais modernas voltaram com a camada fully connected. Então quando usá-la ou não usá-la?

Números de parâmetros

Em relação a arquitetura proposta na rede GoogLeNet, não ficou muito claro para mim as camadas internas, principalmente na parte em que aplicar vários filtros menores, equilibra a aplicar um filtro maior (embora o resultado não seja o mesmo).

Não ficou claro para mim qual a vantagem de se utilizar, por exemplo, 3 pequenos filtros 3x3 ao invés de um 7x7. Na aula você comentou que é para evitar diminuir drasticamente a imagem, mas qual a desvantagem disso?

Eu não entendi aquelas contas dos filtros que reduziam o número de parâmetros

ResNet Filtro 1x1

Achei um pouco confuso as dimensões do filtro 1x1. Achei confuso a parte da convolução de tal filtro.

Não consegui entender a dinâmica dos small filters. O que se passa com uma convolução 1x1? Além disso, na LeNet as camadas foram aumentadas para 512, 1024 e 512. O fato de serem potências de dois ajudou em algum aspecto do problema?

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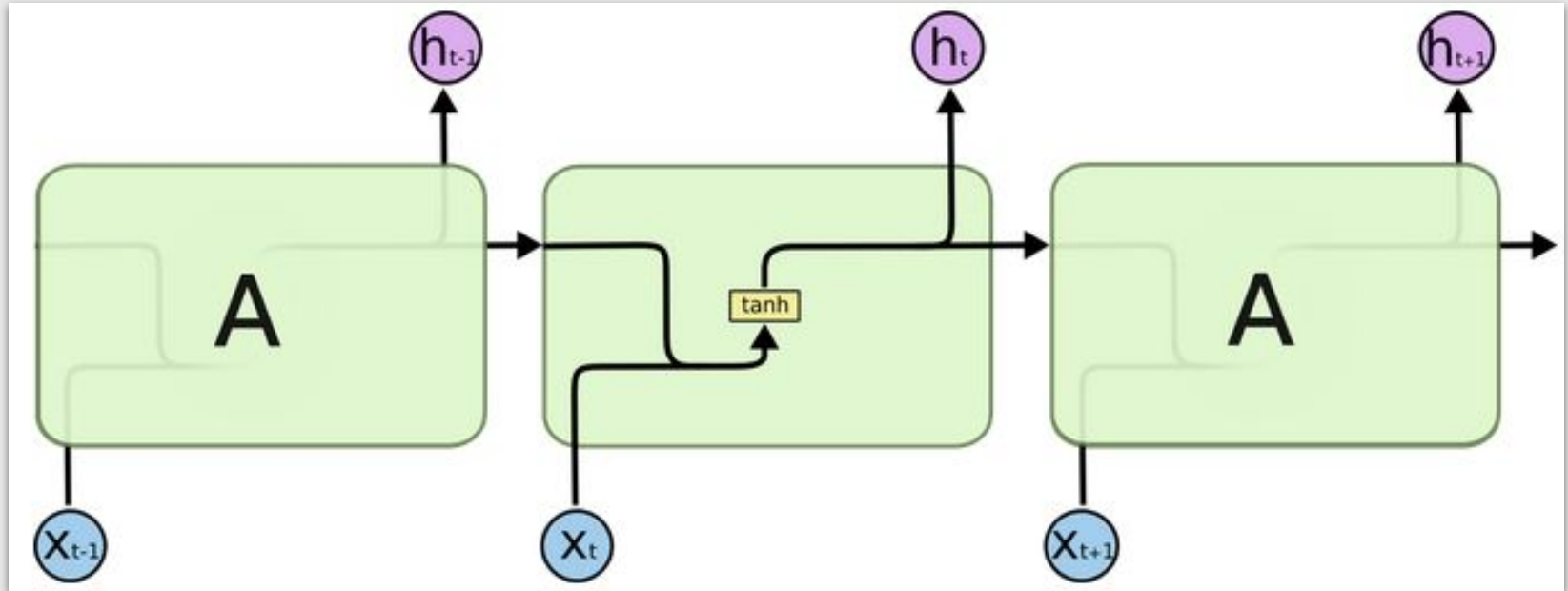
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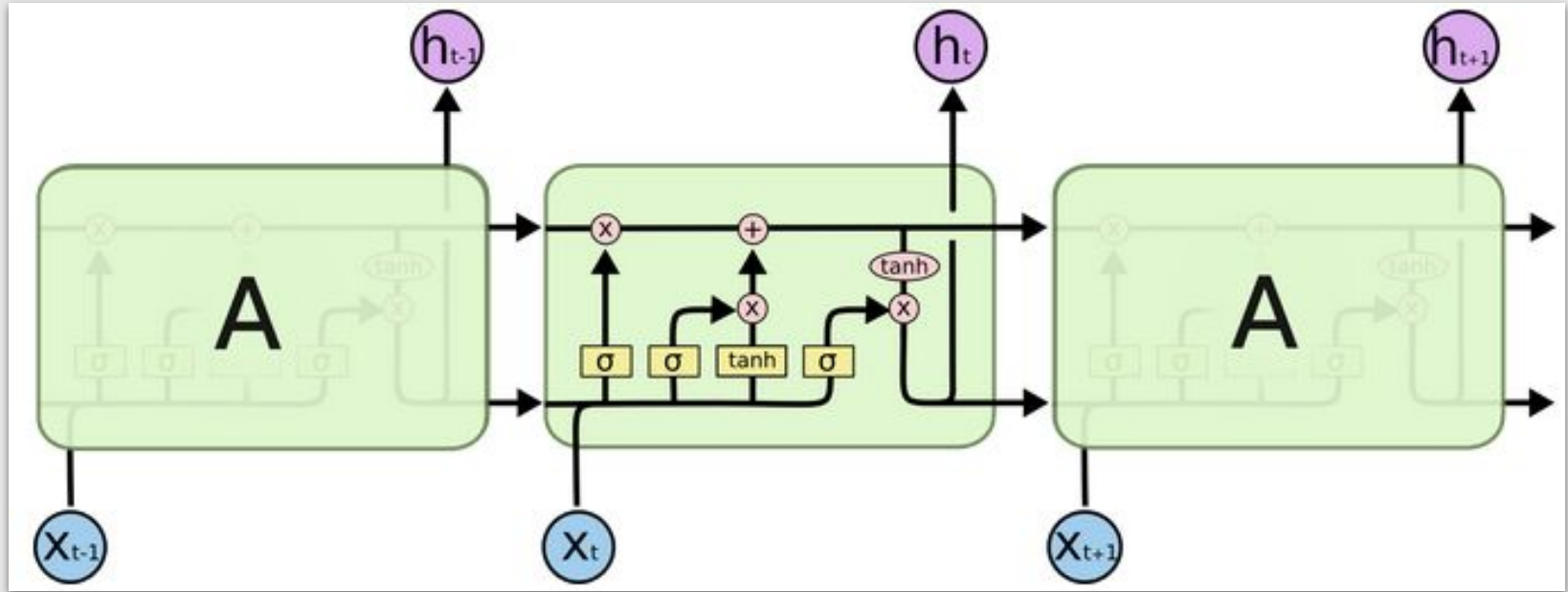


Long Short Term Memory (LSTM)



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Hochreiter and Schmidhuber, "Long Short Term Memory", Neural Computation, 1997



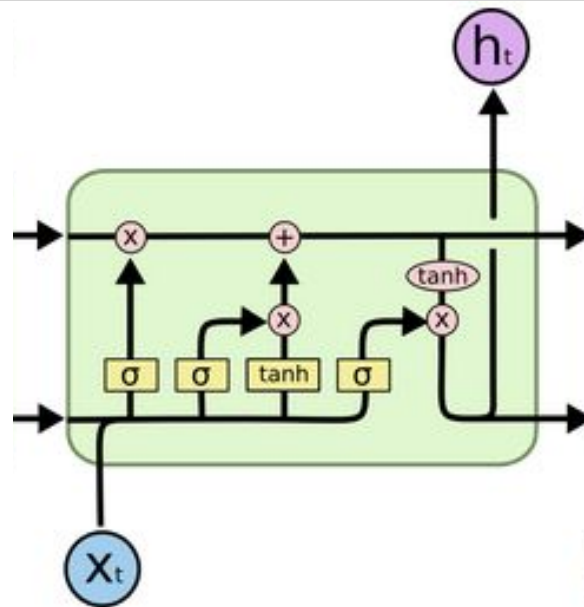
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$$\begin{pmatrix} i \\ f \\ o \\ g \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma \\ \sigma \\ \sigma \\ \tanh \end{pmatrix} W \begin{pmatrix} h_{t-1} \\ x_t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c_t = f \odot c_{t-1} + i \odot g$$

$$h_t = o \odot \tanh(c_t)$$



Activity Recognition Sequences in the Input

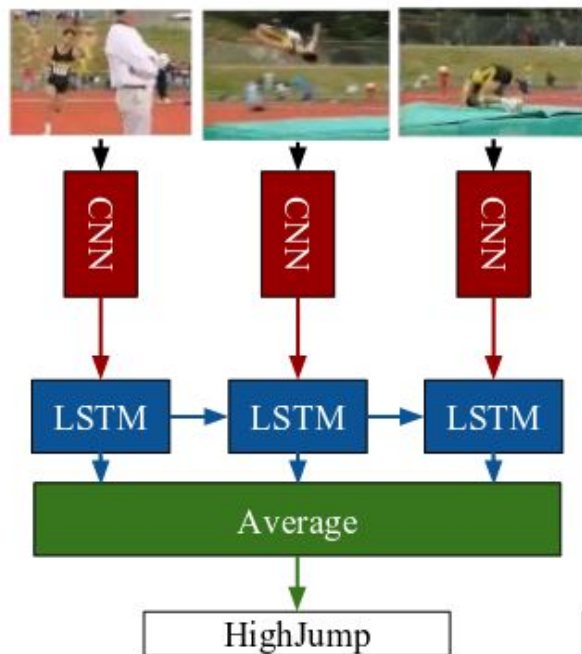
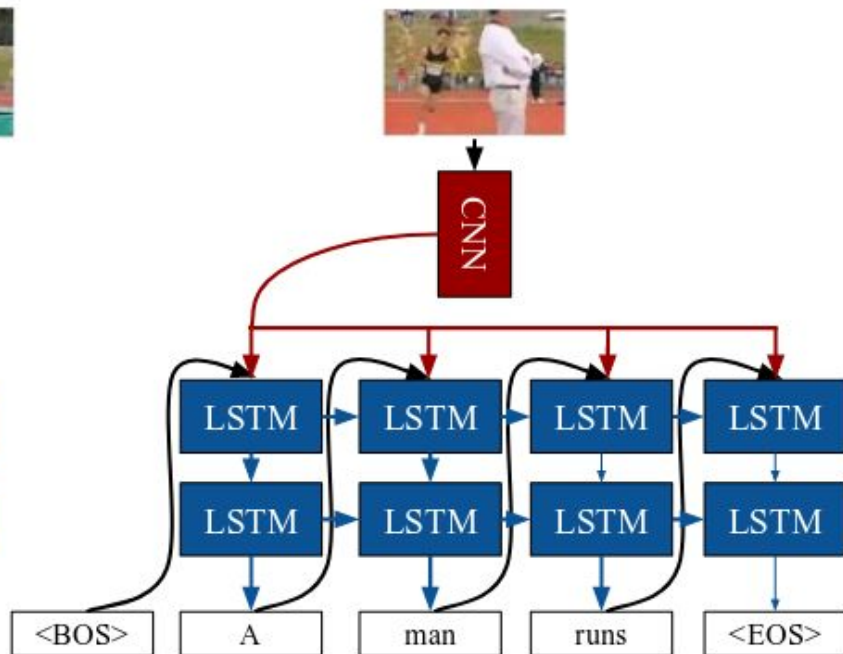


Image Captioning Sequences in the Output





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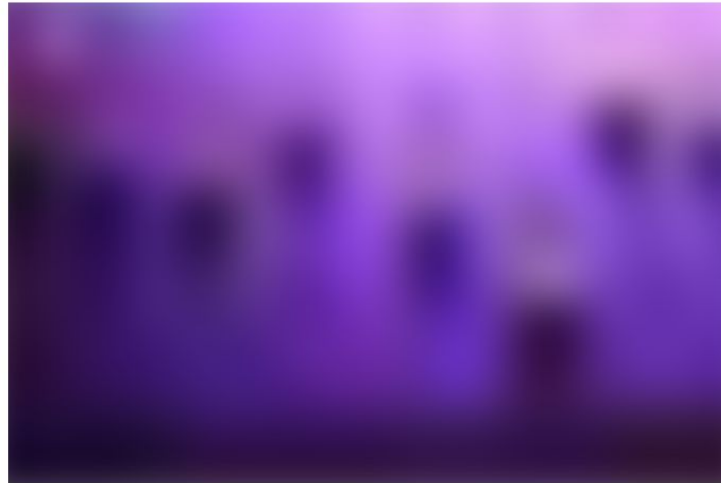
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NeurIPS, 2017

Attention Is All You Need

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Abstract

The dominant sequence transduction models are based on complex recurrent or convolutional neural networks that include an encoder and a decoder. The best performing models also connect the encoder and decoder through an attention mechanism. We propose a new simple network architecture, the Transformer, based solely on attention mechanisms, dispensing with recurrence and convolutions

<https://papers.nips.cc/paper/7181-attention-is-all-you-need.pdf>

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Note: The animations below are videos. Touch or hover on them (if you're using a mouse) to get play controls so you can pause if needed.

Sequence-to-sequence models are deep learning models that have achieved a lot of success in tasks like machine translation, text summarization, and image captioning. Google Translate started [using](#) such a model in production in late 2016. These models are explained in the two pioneering papers ([Sutskever et al., 2014](#), [Cho et al., 2014](#)).



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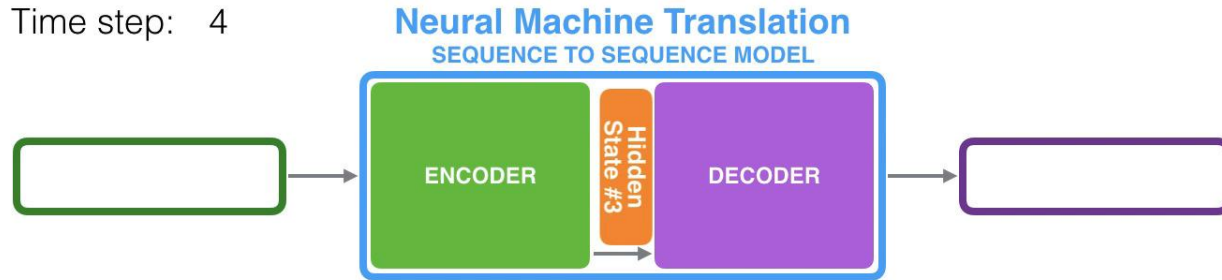
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Neural Machine Translation

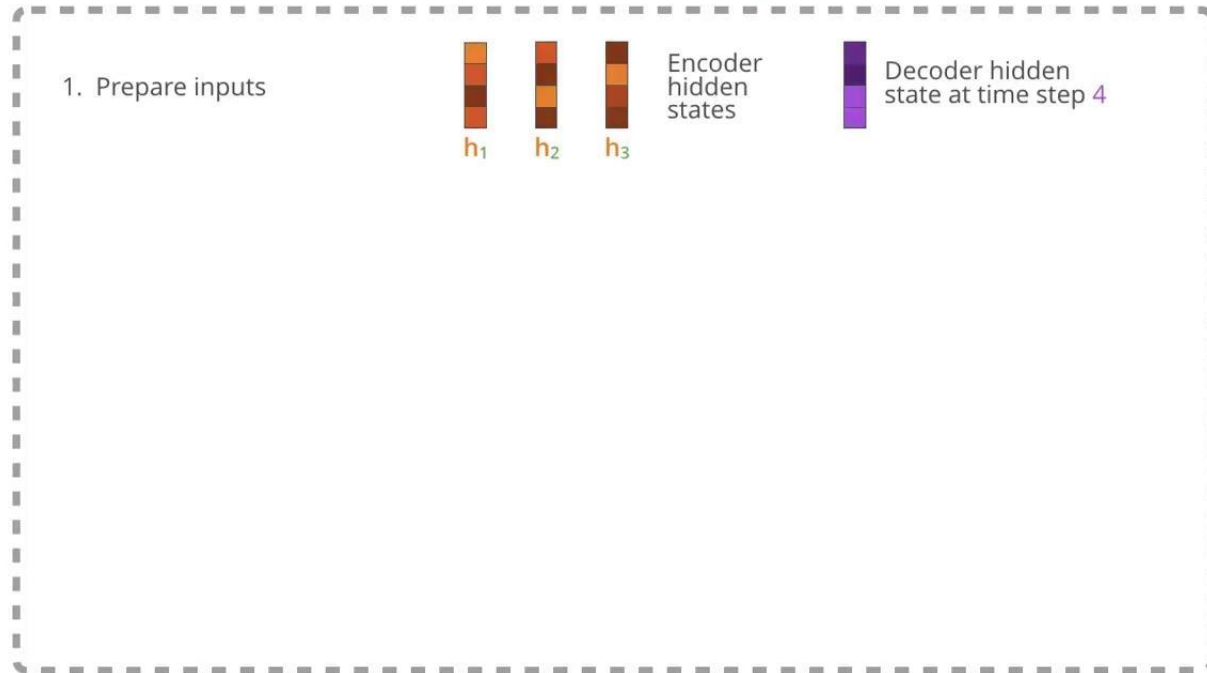
SEQUENCE TO SEQUENCE MODEL WITH ATTENTION



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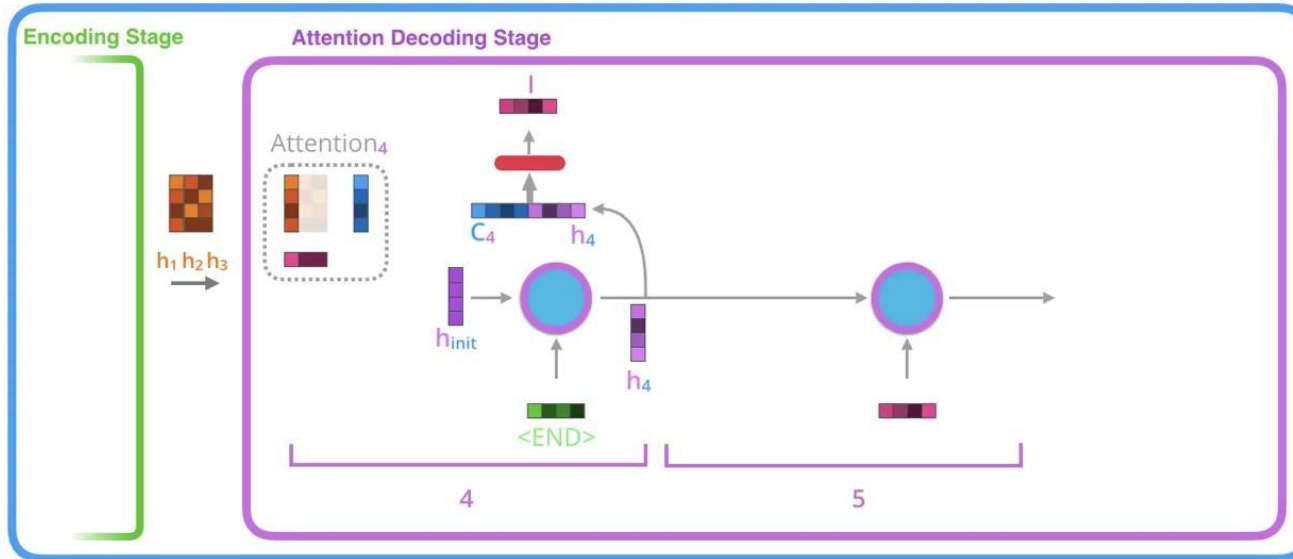
Attention at time step 4



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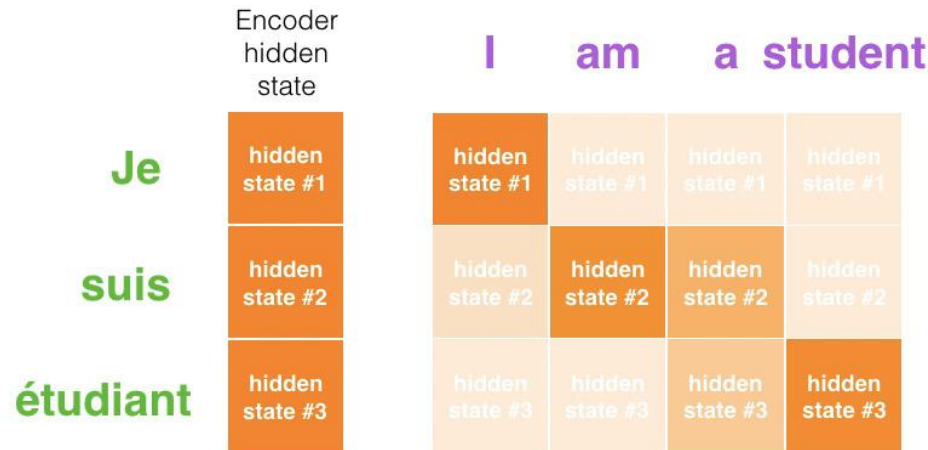
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The Illustrated Transformer

Discussions: [Hacker News \(65 points, 4 comments\)](#), [Reddit r/MachineLearning \(29 points, 3 comments\)](#)

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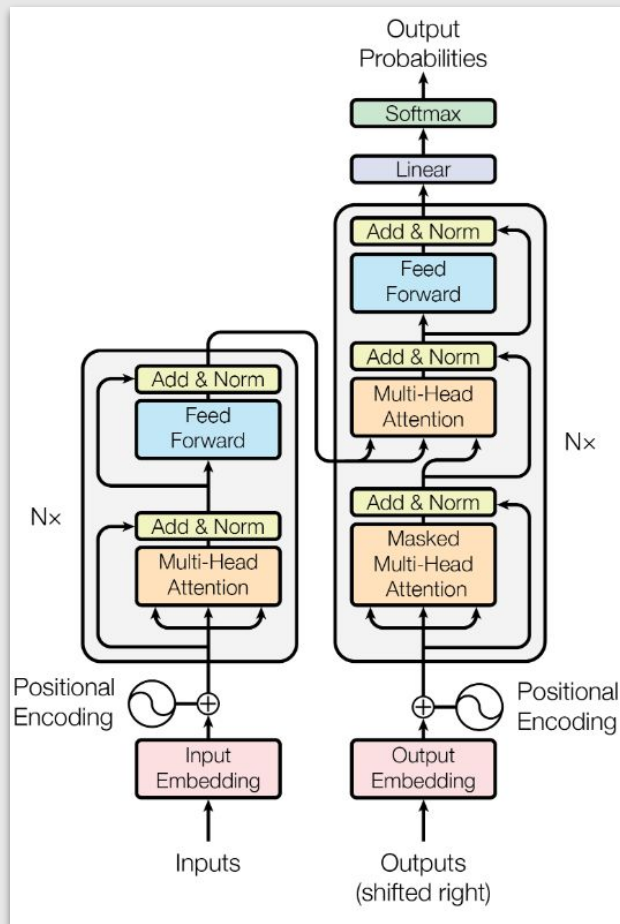
In the [previous post, we looked at Attention](#) – a ubiquitous method in modern deep learning models. Attention is a concept that helped improve the performance of neural machine translation applications. In this post, we will look at **The Transformer** – a model that uses attention to boost the speed with which these models can be trained. The Transformers outperforms the Google Neural Machine Translation model in specific tasks. The biggest benefit, however, comes from how The Transformer lends itself to parallelization. It is in fact Google Cloud's recommendation to use The Transformer as a reference model to use their [Cloud TPU](#) offering. So let's try to break the model apart and look at how it functions.

The Transformer was proposed in the paper [Attention is All You Need](#). A TensorFlow implementation of it is available as a part of the [Tensor2Tensor](#) package. Harvard's NLP group created a [guide annotating the paper with PyTorch implementation](#). In this post, we will attempt to oversimplify things a bit and introduce the concepts one by one to hopefully make it easier to understand to people without in-depth knowledge of the subject matter.

2020 Update: I've created a "Narrated Transformer" video which is a gentler approach to the topic:

Transformer

- Transformer Architecture
 - Encoder & Decoder
 - Input & output embedding
 - Positional encoding
 - Self-attention
 - Multi-head attention
 - Masked multi-head attention
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Transformer

Common carbon footprint benchmarks

in lbs of CO2 equivalent

Roundtrip flight b/w NY and SF (1 passenger)

1,984

Human life (avg. 1 year)

11,023

American life (avg. 1 year)

36,156

US car including fuel (avg. 1 lifetime)

126,000

Transformer (213M parameters) w/ neural architecture search

626,155

Chart: MIT Technology Review • Source: Strubell et al. • [Created with Datawrapper](#)

ML CO2 Impact

<https://mlco2.github.io/impact>

CodeCarbon

<https://github.com/mlco2/codecarbon>

Transformers

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Year	Model	# of Parameters	Dataset Size
2019	BERT [39]	3.4E+08	16GB
2019	DistilBERT [113]	6.60E+07	16GB
2019	ALBERT [70]	2.23E+08	16GB
2019	XLNet (Large) [150]	3.40E+08	126GB
2020	ERNIE-GEN (Large) [145]	3.40E+08	16GB
2019	RoBERTa (Large) [74]	3.55E+08	161GB
2019	MegatronLM [122]	8.30E+09	174GB
2020	T5-11B [107]	1.10E+10	745GB
2020	T-NLG [112]	1.70E+10	174GB
2020	GPT-3 [25]	1.75E+11	570GB
2020	GShard [73]	6.00E+11	—
2021	Switch-C [43]	1.57E+12	745GB

Table 1: Overview of recent large language models

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ABSTRACT

The past 3 years of work in NLP have been characterized by the development and deployment of ever larger language models, especially for English. BERT, its variants, GPT-2/3, and others, most recently Switch-C, have pushed the boundaries of the possible both through architectural innovations and through sheer size. Using these pretrained models and the methodology of fine-tuning them for specific tasks, researchers have extended the state of the art on a wide array of tasks as measured by leaderboards on specific benchmarks for English. In this paper, we take a step back and ask: How big is too big? What are the possible risks associated with this technology and what paths are available for mitigating those risks? We provide recommendations including weighing the environmental and financial costs first, investing resources into curating and carefully documenting datasets rather than ingesting everything on the web, carrying out pre-development exercises evaluating how the planned approach fits into research and development goals and supports stakeholder values, and encouraging research directions beyond ever larger language models.

CCS CONCEPTS

• Computing methodologies → Natural language processing.

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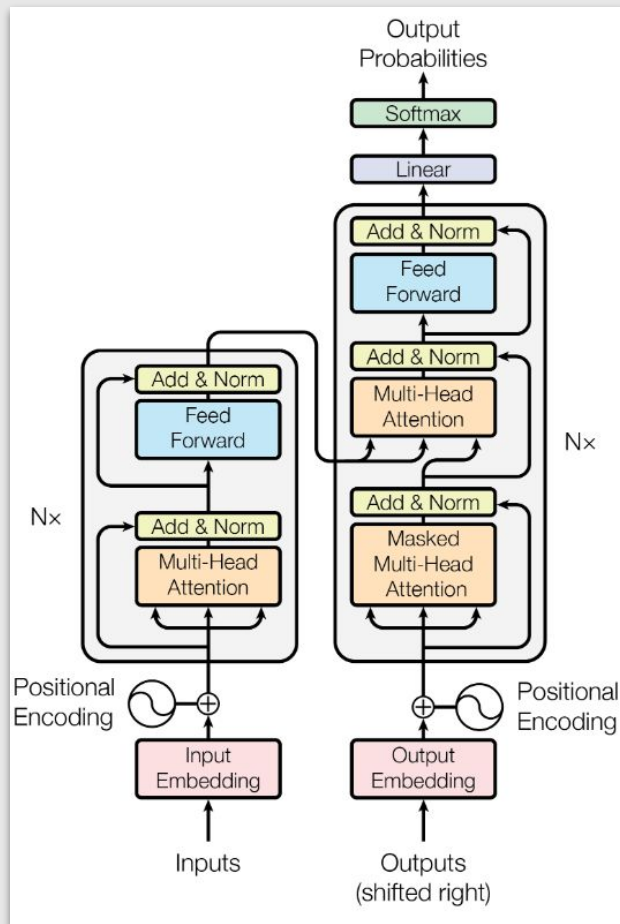
alone, we have seen the emergence of BERT and its variants [39, 70, 74, 113, 146], GPT-2 [106], T-NLG [112], GPT-3 [25], and most recently Switch-C [43], with institutions seemingly competing to produce ever larger LMs. While investigating properties of LMs and how they change with size holds scientific interest, and large LMs have shown improvements on various tasks (§2), we ask whether enough thought has been put into the potential risks associated with developing them and strategies to mitigate these risks.

We first consider environmental risks. Echoing a line of recent work outlining the environmental and financial costs of deep learning systems [129], we encourage the research community to prioritize these impacts. One way this can be done is by reporting costs and evaluating works based on the amount of resources they consume [57]. As we outline in §3, increasing the environmental and financial costs of these models doubly punishes marginalized communities that are least likely to benefit from the progress achieved by large LMs and most likely to be harmed by negative environmental consequences of its resource consumption. At the scale we are discussing (outlined in §2), the first consideration should be the environmental cost.

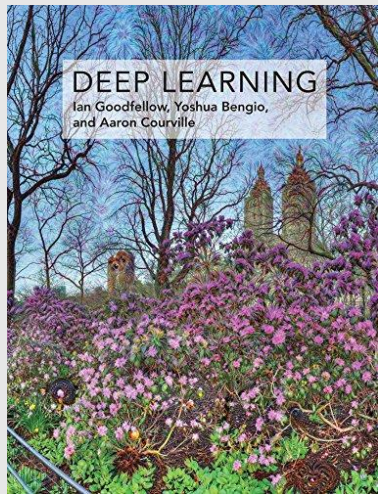
Just as environmental impact scales with model size, so does the difficulty of understanding what is in the training data. In §4, we discuss how large datasets based on texts from the Internet overrepresent hegemonic viewpoints and encode biases potentially damaging to marginalized populations. In collecting ever larger datasets we risk incurring documentation debt. We recommend

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