

Deep Learning: Theory and Practice

Recurrent Neural Networks

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Introduction

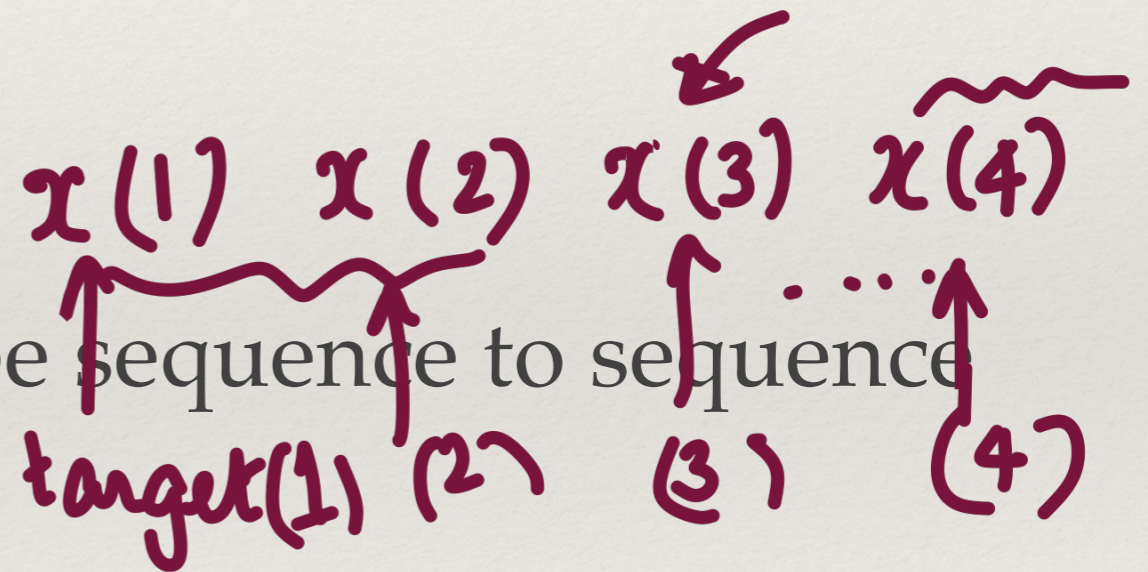
❖ The standard DNN / CNN paradigms

❖ $(\underline{x}, \underline{y})$ - ordered pair of data vectors / images (\underline{x}) and target (\underline{y})

❖ Moving to sequence data

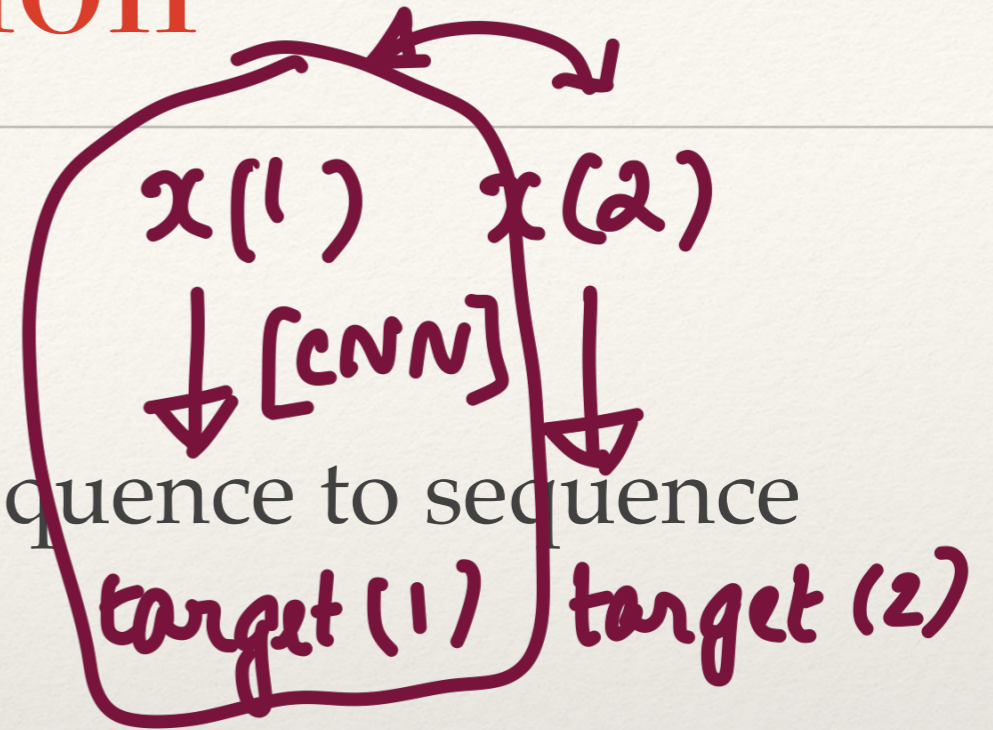
❖ $(x(t), y(t))$ where this could be sequence to sequence mapping task.

❖ $(x(t), \underline{y})$ where this could be a sequence to vector mapping task.



Introduction

- ❖ Difference between CNNs / DNNs
 - ❖ $(x(t), y(t))$ where this could be sequence to sequence mapping task.
 - ❖ Input features / output targets are correlated in time.
 - ❖ Unlike standard models where each pair is independent.
 - ❖ Need to model dependencies in the sequence over time.



Chap 10 of Deep Learning Book Introduction to Recurrent Networks

Recurrence

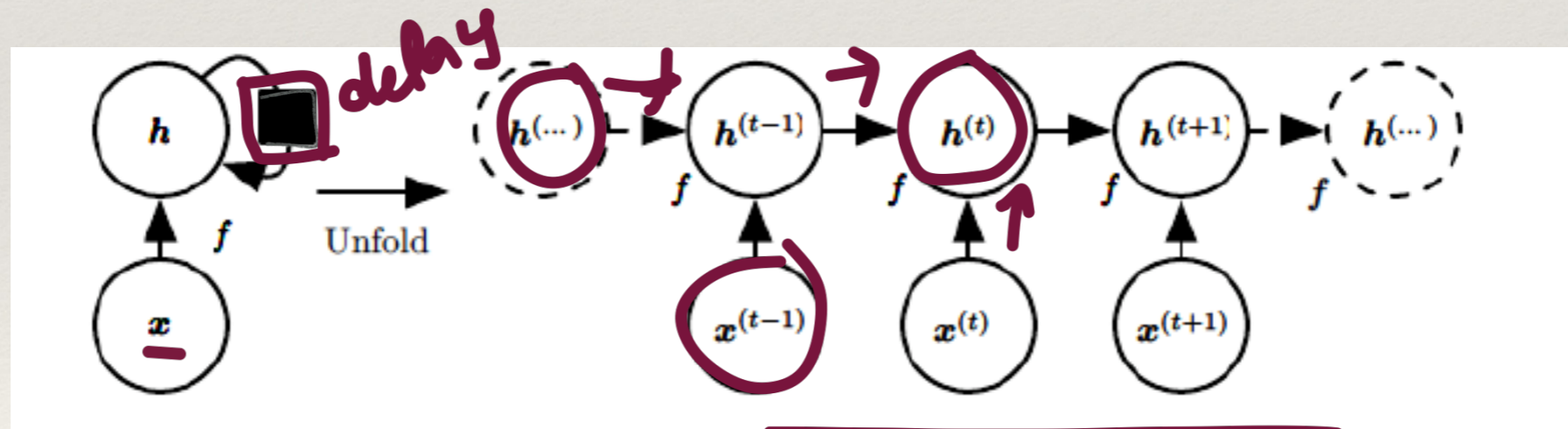
$$s^{(t)} = f(s^{(t-1)}; \theta),$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{s^{(3)}} &= f(\underline{s^{(2)}}; \theta) \\ &= f(f(\underline{s^{(1)}}; \theta); \theta) \end{aligned}$$

$$s^{(t)} = f(s^{(t-1)}, x^{(t)}; \theta),$$

$$h^{(t)} = f(h^{(t-1)}, x^{(t)}; \theta),$$

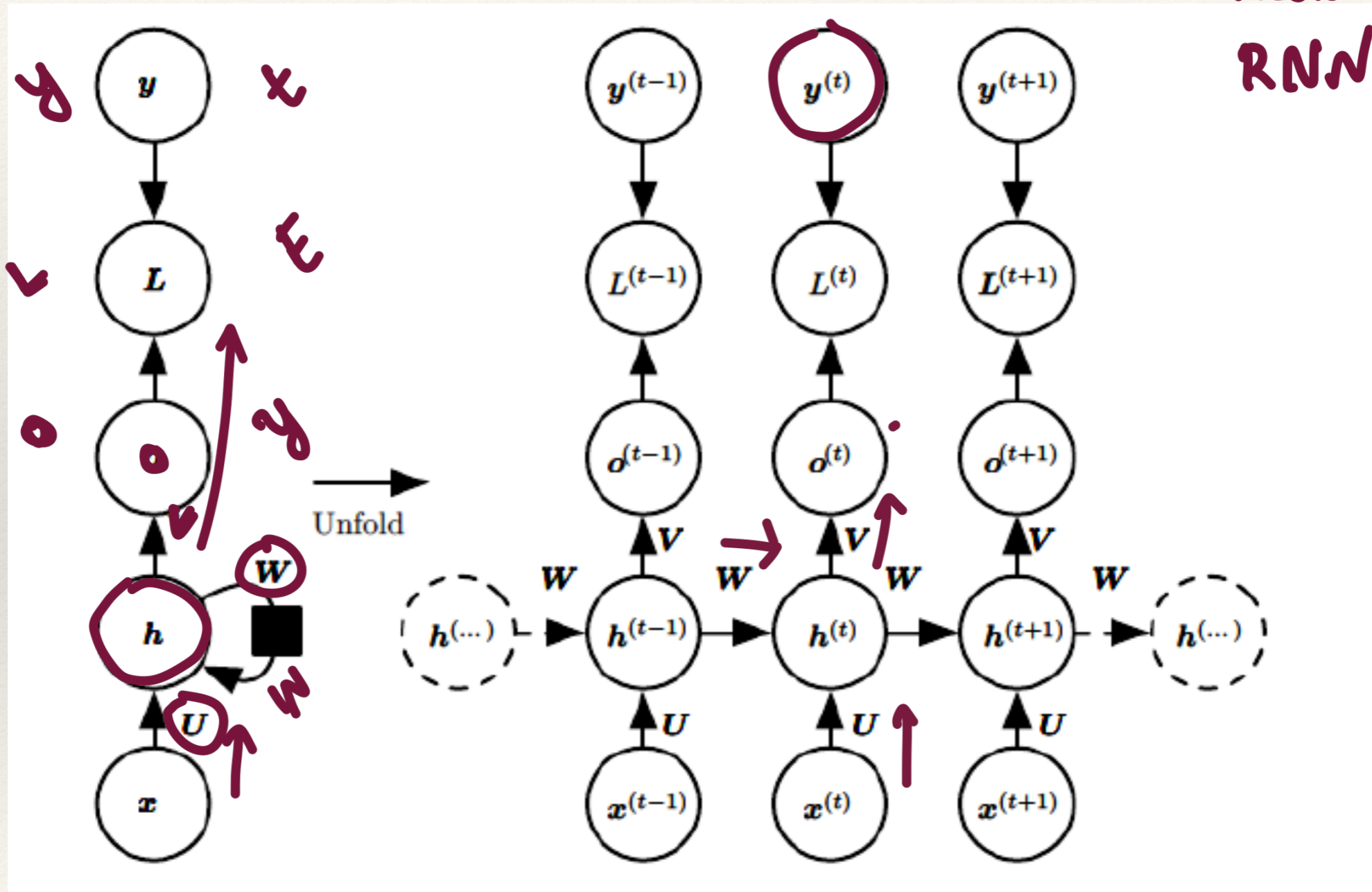
Need network



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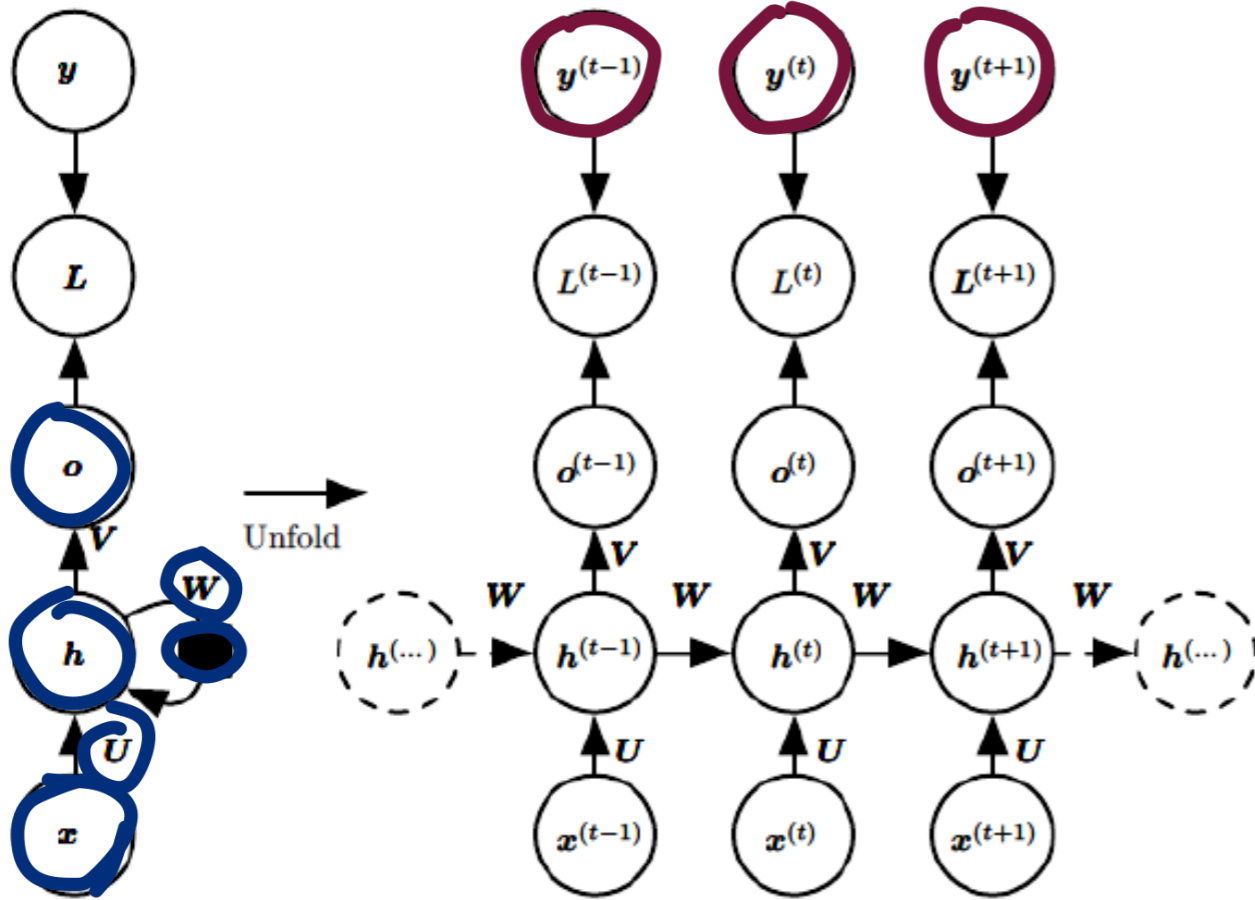
1-hidden layer

RNN



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$x_1 = \{x_1^{(1)} \dots x_1^{(\tau_1)}\}$ ← time
 $x_2 = \{x_2^{(1)} \dots x_2^{(\tau_2)}\}$ ← sequence index



$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{a}^{(t)} &= \underline{b} + \underline{W} \underline{h}^{(t-1)} + \underline{U} \underline{x}^{(t)} \\
 \underline{h}^{(t)} &= \underline{\tanh}(\underline{a}^{(t)}) \\
 \underline{o}^{(t)} &= \underline{c} + \underline{V} \underline{h}^{(t)} \\
 \underline{\hat{y}}^{(t)} &= \underline{\text{softmax}}(\underline{o}^{(t)})
 \end{aligned}$$

$L(\hat{y}^{(t)}, y^{(t)})$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &L(\{x^{(1)} \dots x^{(\tau)}\}, \{y^{(1)}, \dots, y^{(\tau)}\}) \\
 &= \sum_t L^{(t)} \\
 &= - \sum_t \log p_{\text{model}}(y^{(t)} | \{x^{(1)}, \dots, x^{(t)}\})
 \end{aligned}$$

Back Propagation in RNNs

$[x_1^{(1)}, x_2^{(1)}]$... $x^{(30)}$ April
 $[x_1^{(2)}, x_2^{(2)}]$... $x_2^{(31)}$ May

$$\begin{aligned}
 a^{(t)} &= b + W h^{(t-1)} + U x^{(t)} \\
 h^{(t)} &= \tanh(a^{(t)}) \\
 o^{(t)} &= c + V h^{(t)} \\
 \hat{y}^{(t)} &= \text{softmax}(o^{(t)})
 \end{aligned}$$

$(y^{(t)})$
 $(x^{(t)})$

Model Parameters

U , V , W , b and c

Gradient Descent

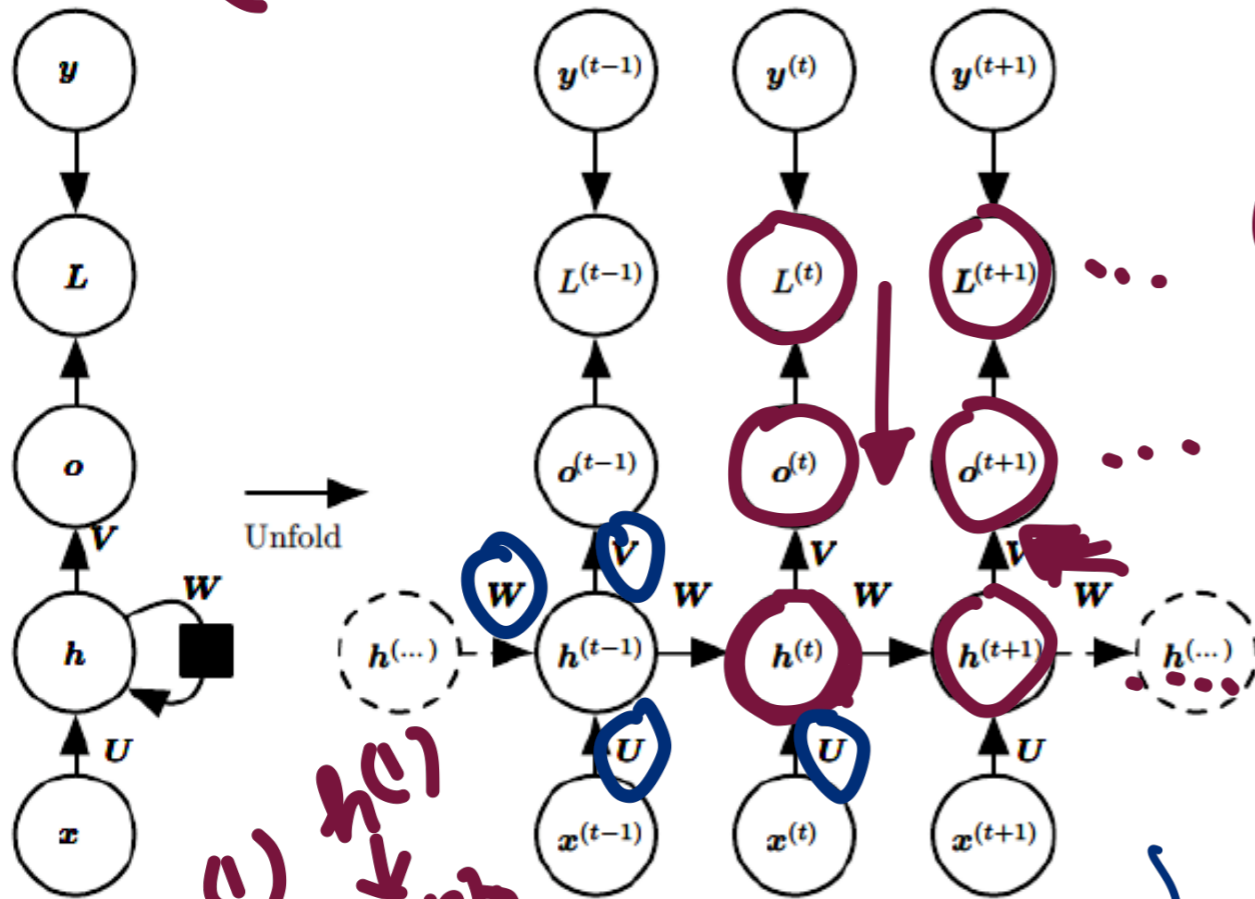
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 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial L^{(t)}} = 1.$$

$$(\nabla_{\alpha^{(t)}} L)_i = \frac{\partial L}{\partial o_i^{(t)}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial L^{(t)}} \frac{\partial L^{(t)}}{\partial o_i^{(t)}} = \hat{y}_i^{(t)} - \mathbf{1}_{i, y^{(t)}}$$

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Handwritten notes: $h^{(t)} \rightarrow h^{(t)} + \epsilon$ and $\lambda = y^{(t)}$

$$\underline{\underline{\nabla_{o^{(t)}} L}}_i = \frac{\partial L}{\partial o_i^{(t)}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial L^{(t)}} \frac{\partial L^{(t)}}{\partial o_i^{(t)}} = \underline{\underline{\hat{y}_i^{(t)} - \mathbf{1}_{L, y^{(t)}}}}$$

$$\nabla_{h^{(\tau)}} L = \mathbf{V}^\top \nabla_{o^{(\tau)}} L$$

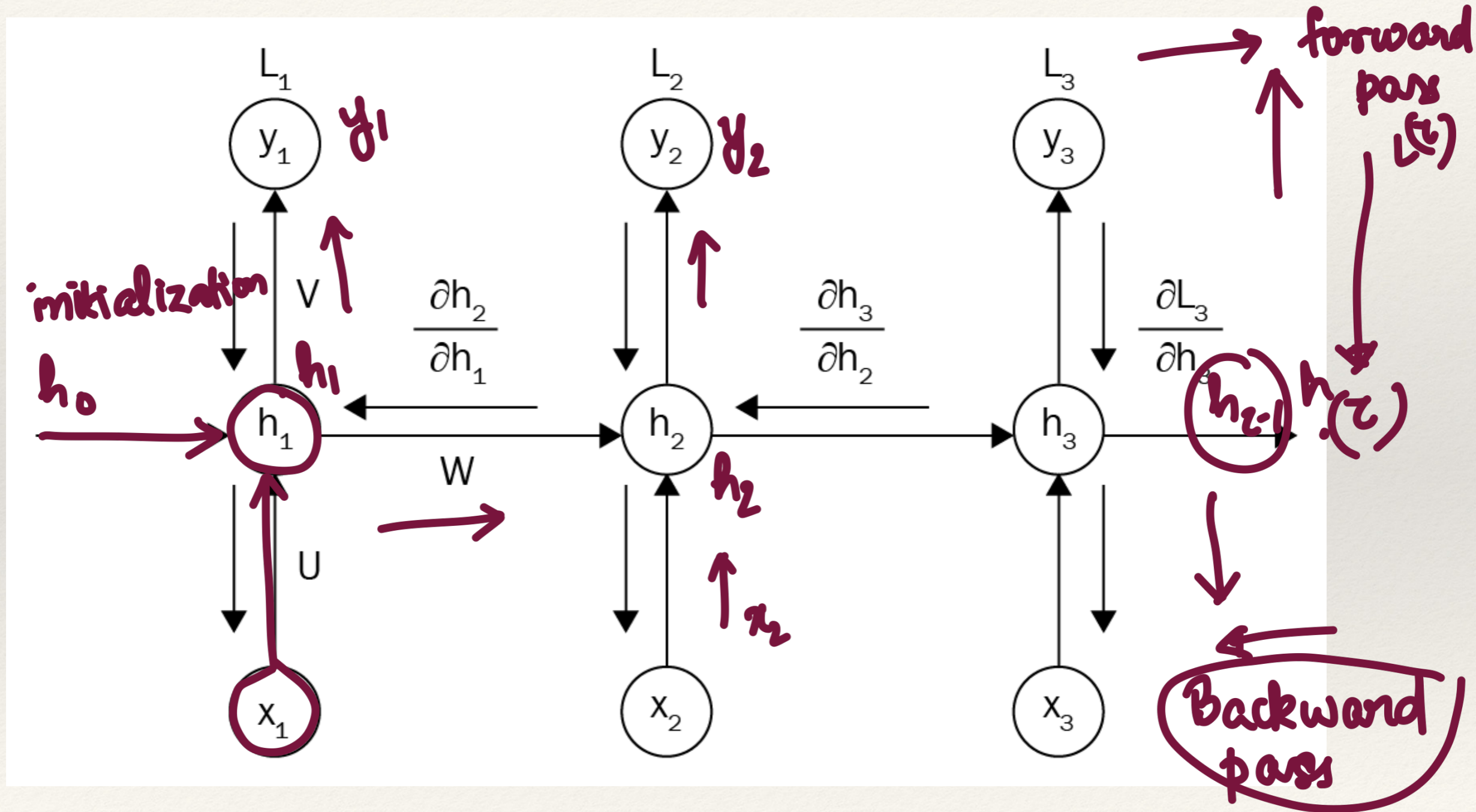
Backward Recurrence

$$\nabla_{h^{(t)}} L = \left(\frac{\partial h^{(t+1)}}{\partial h^{(t)}} \right)^\top \left(\nabla_{h^{(t+1)}} L \right) + \left(\frac{\partial o^{(t)}}{\partial h^{(t)}} \right)^\top \nabla_{o^{(t)}} L$$

$$= \mathbf{W}^\top \left(\nabla_{h^{(t+1)}} L \right) \text{diag} \left(1 - \left(h^{(t+1)} \right)^2 \right) + \mathbf{V}^\top \left(\nabla_{o^{(t)}} L \right)$$

(BPTT)

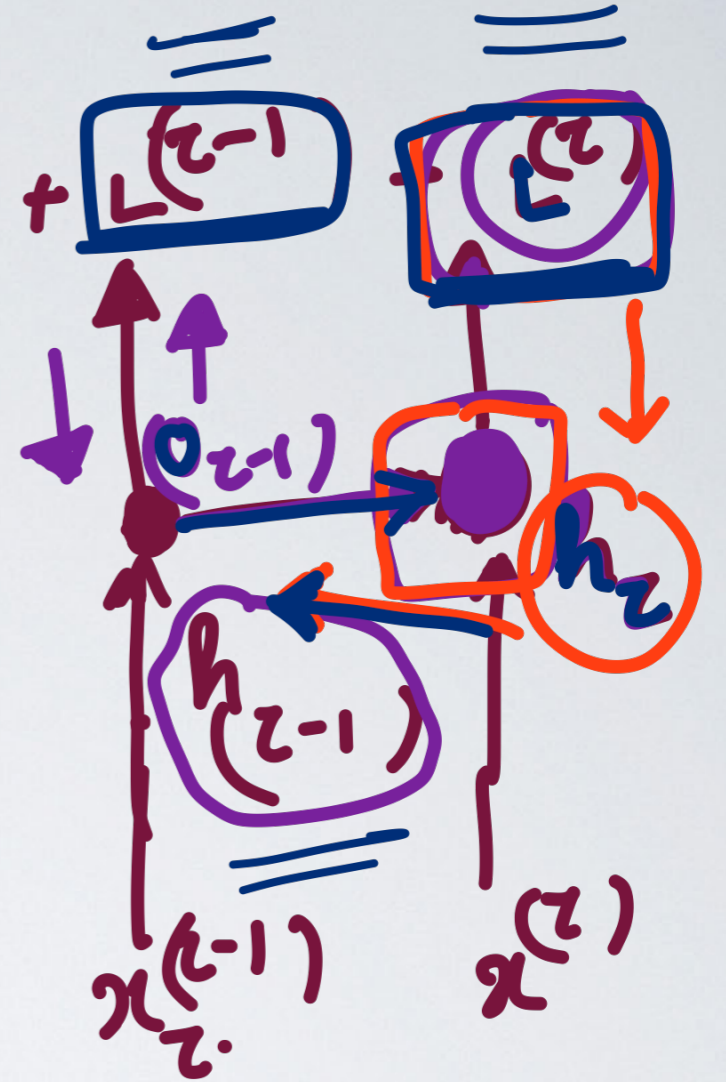
Back Propagation Through Time



$$\left[\frac{\partial L}{\partial h^{(z-1)}} \right]$$

$$L = \dots + L^{(z-1)} + L^z$$

$$h_{z-1} + \epsilon$$



$$o_z = v^T (h_z + \epsilon)$$

$$L^z = \text{CE}[y_z, \hat{y}_z]$$

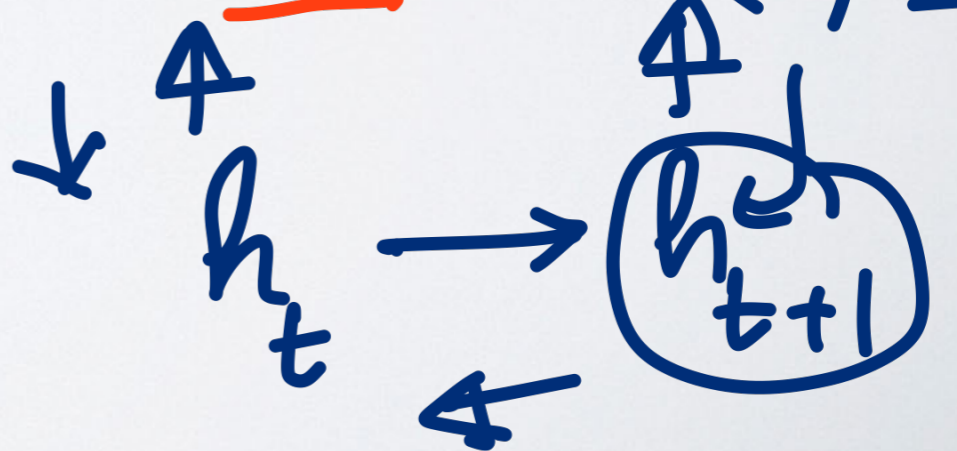
$$\hat{y}_z = \text{softmax}(o_z)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial h^z} = v^T \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial o_z} \right)$$

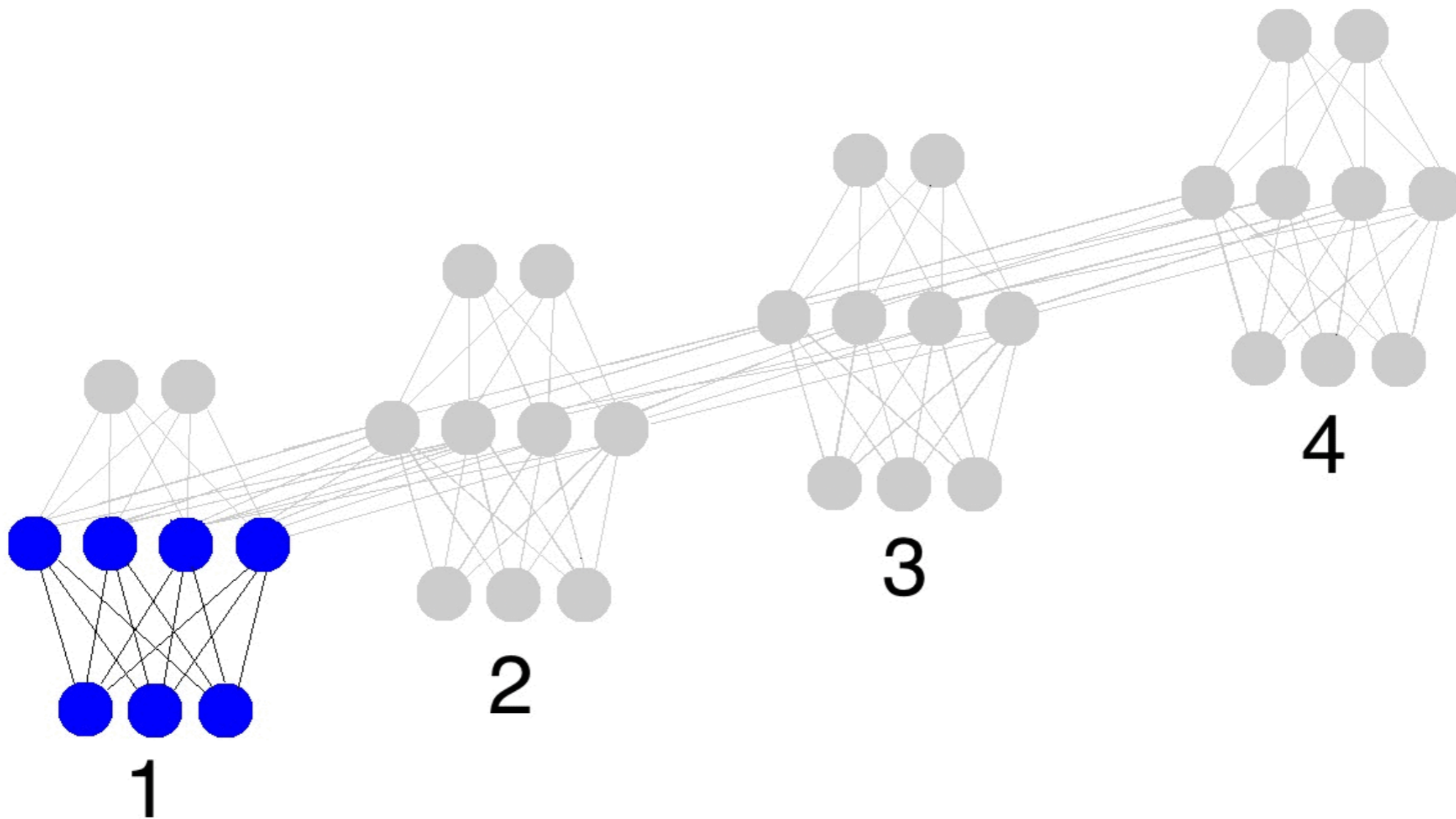
$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial h^{(z-1)}}$$

$$= v^T \frac{\partial L}{\partial o_z} + w^T (\text{der}_{\tanh}) \frac{\partial L}{\partial h^z}$$

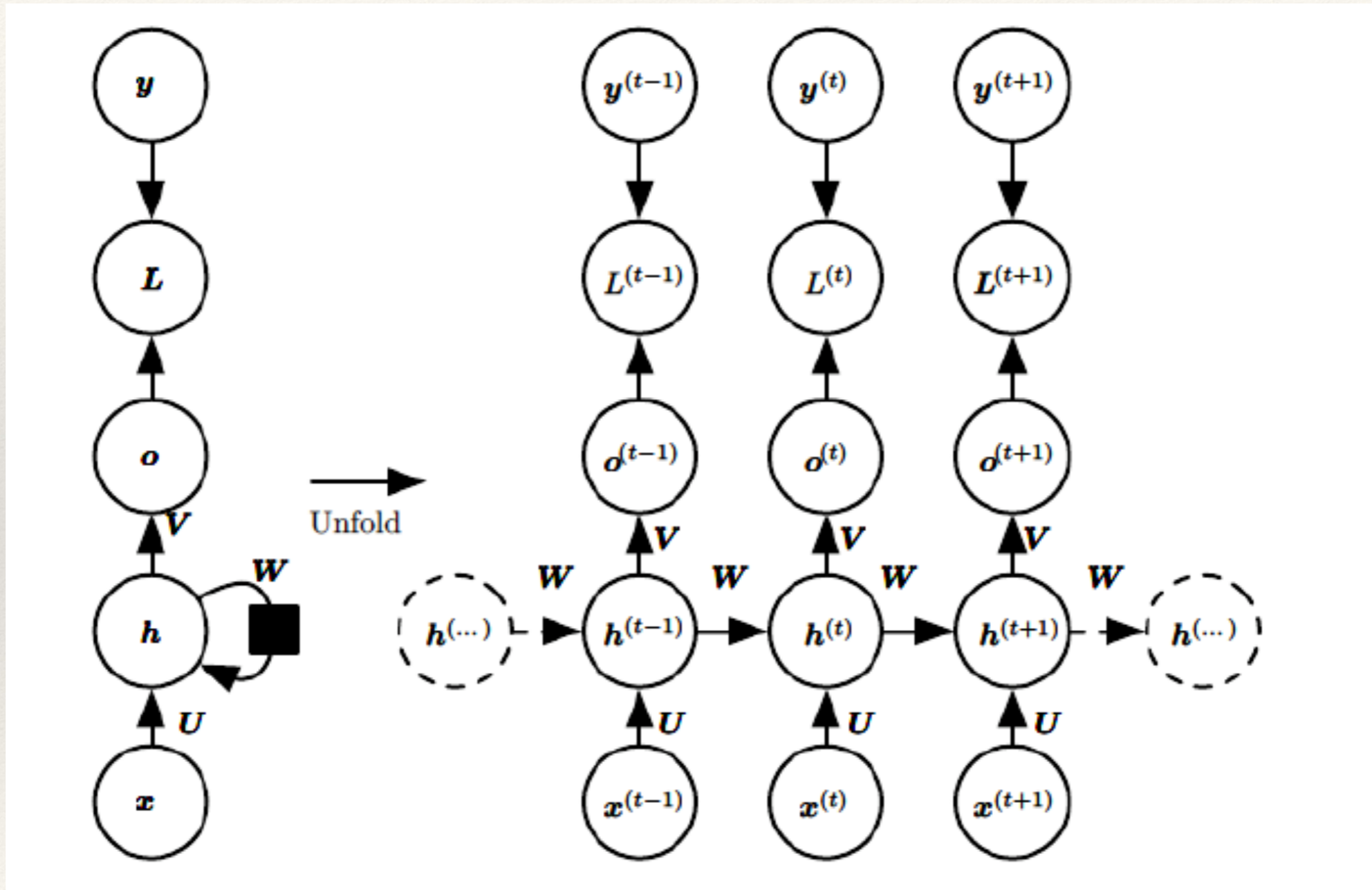
$$h^{(z)} = \tanh(W h^{(z-1)} + U x^{(z)} + b)$$



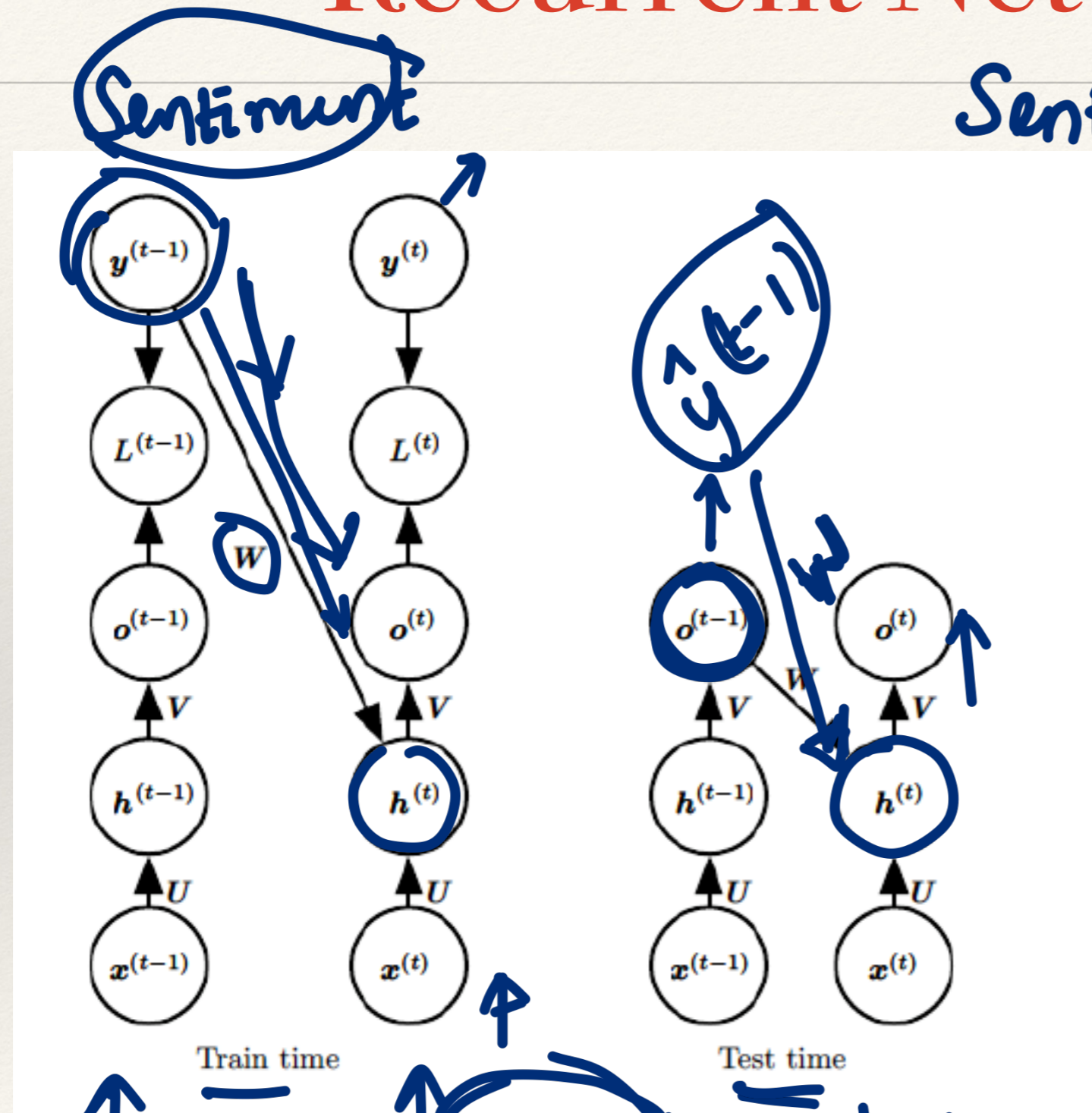
Back Propagation Through Time



Standard Recurrent Networks



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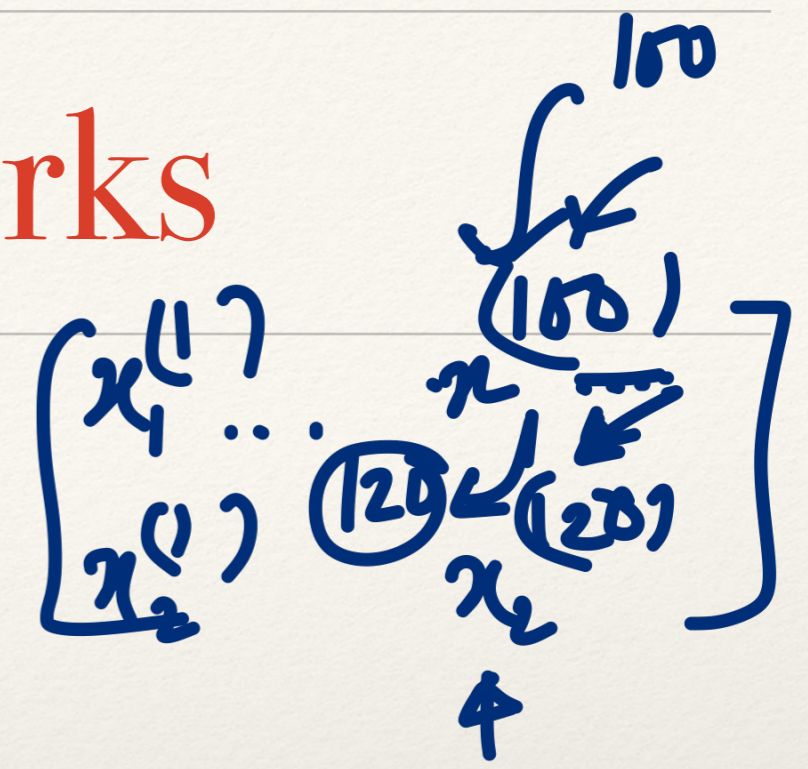
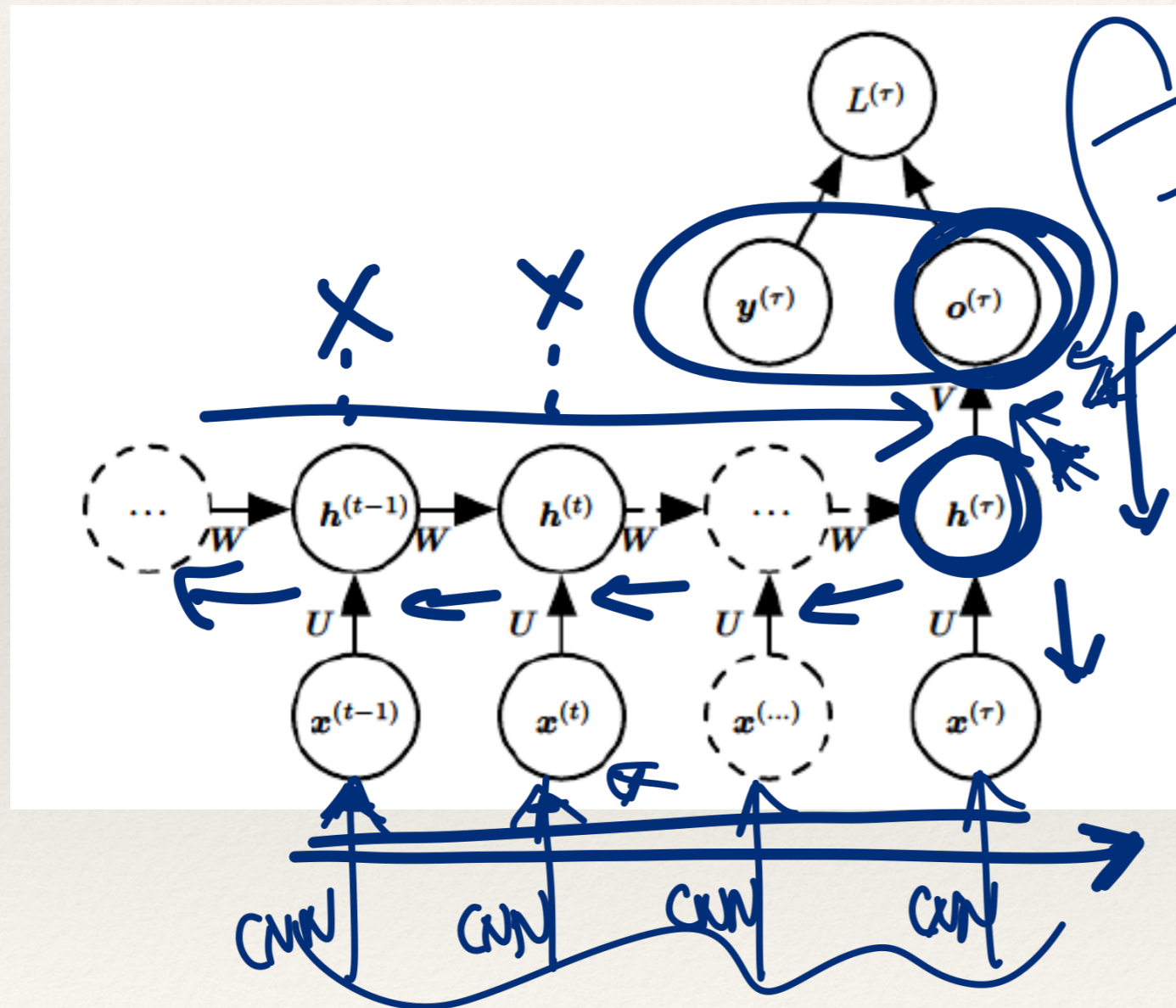


Sentiment $\begin{matrix} + \\ - \end{matrix}$
neutral

Teacher Forcing Networks

previous embedding \uparrow current word embedding

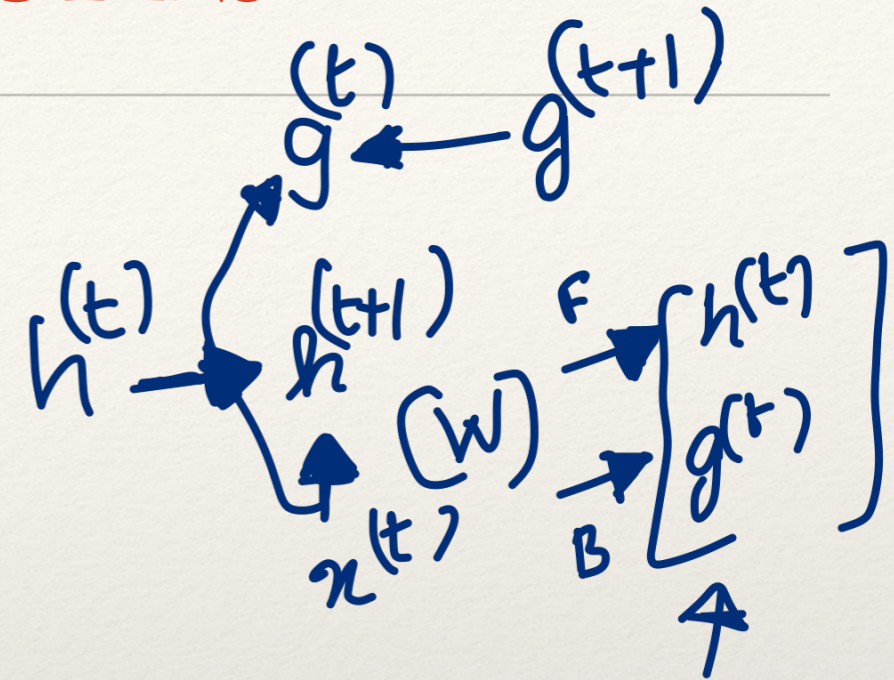
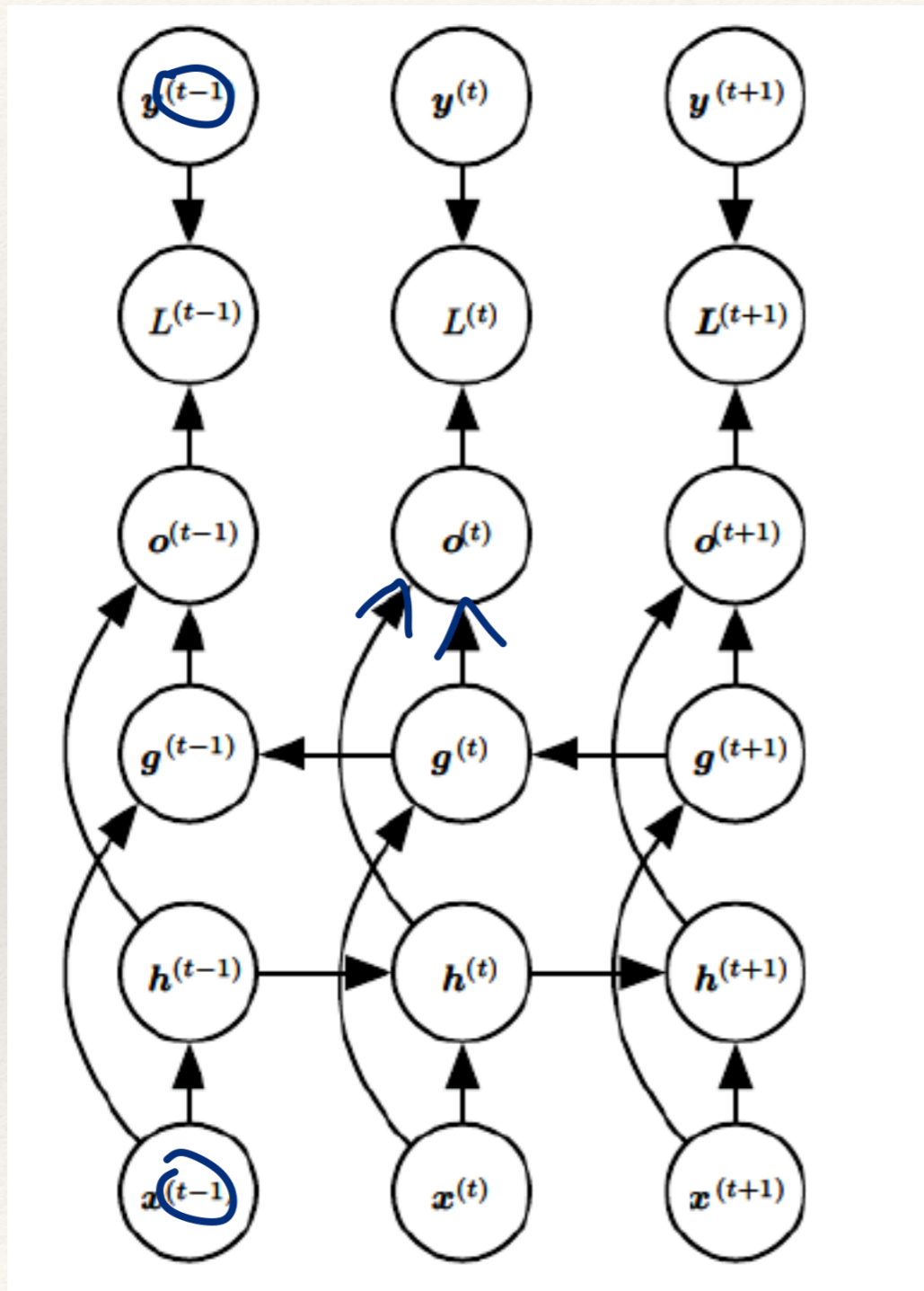
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**Multiple Input
Single Output**

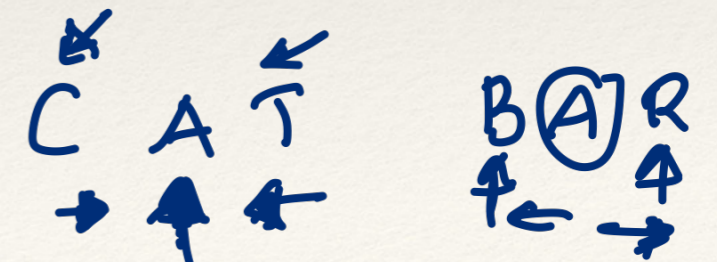
Variable length
inputs.

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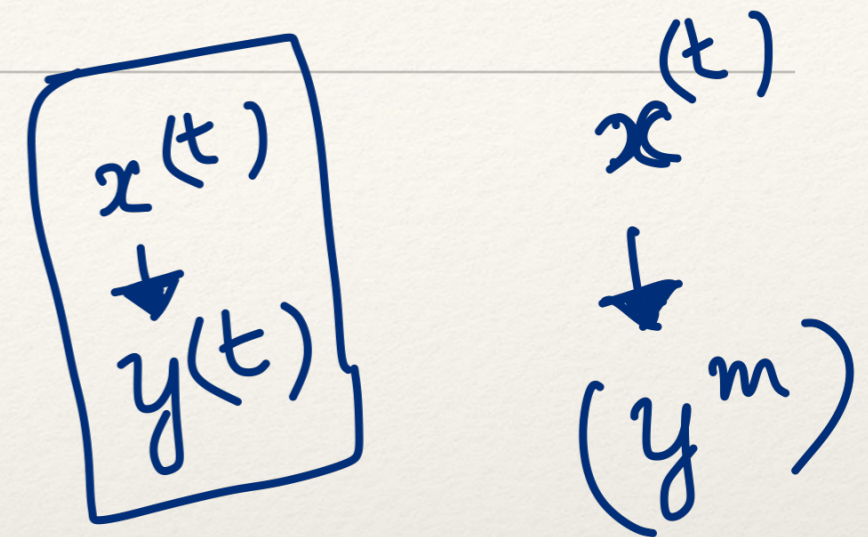
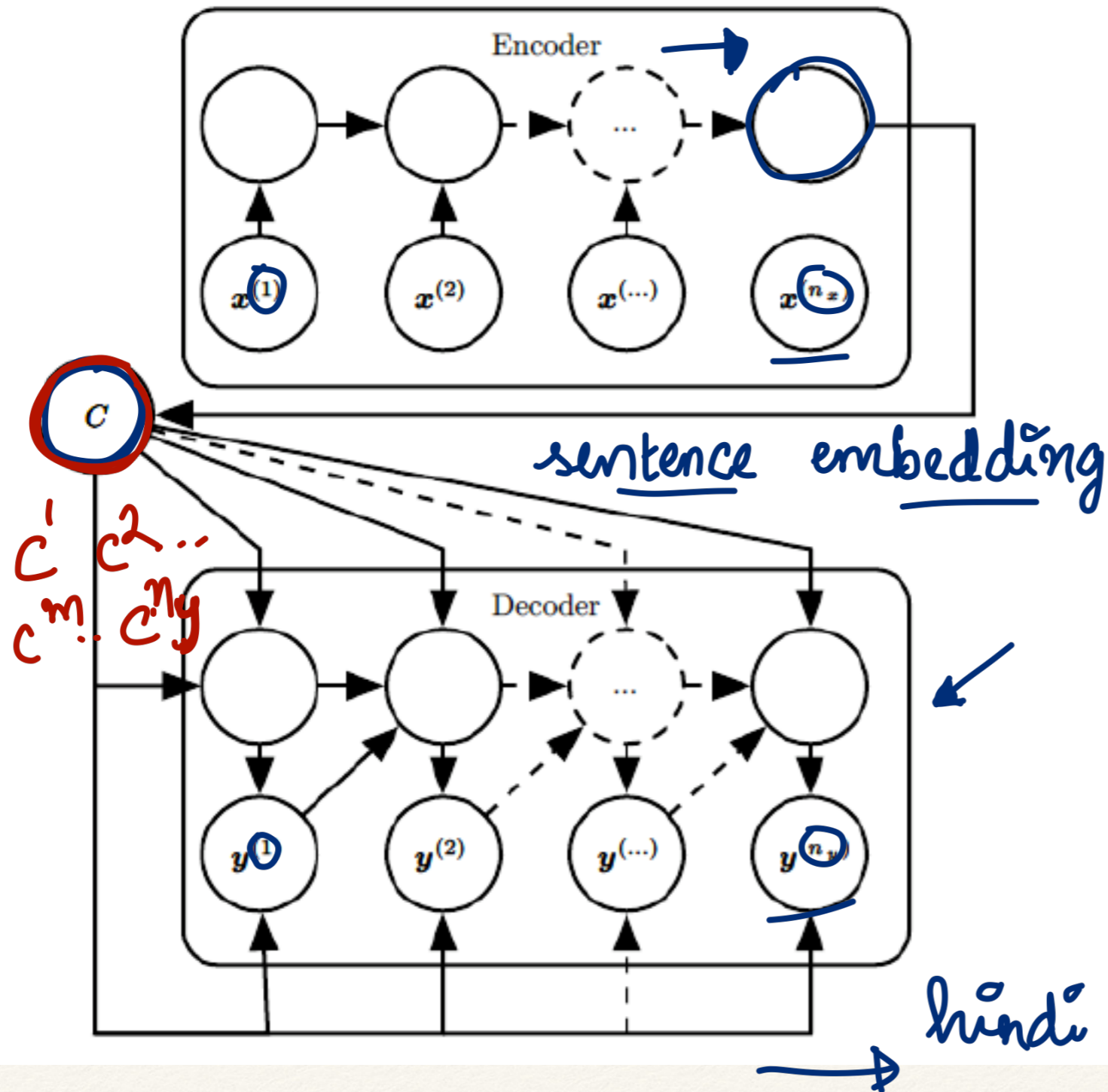


Bi-directional Networks

$[w_1, w_2]$ $\begin{bmatrix} h \\ g \end{bmatrix}$
multiple input
single output



Recurrent Networks



Sequence to Sequence Mapping Networks

Encoder \leftarrow sequence to vector

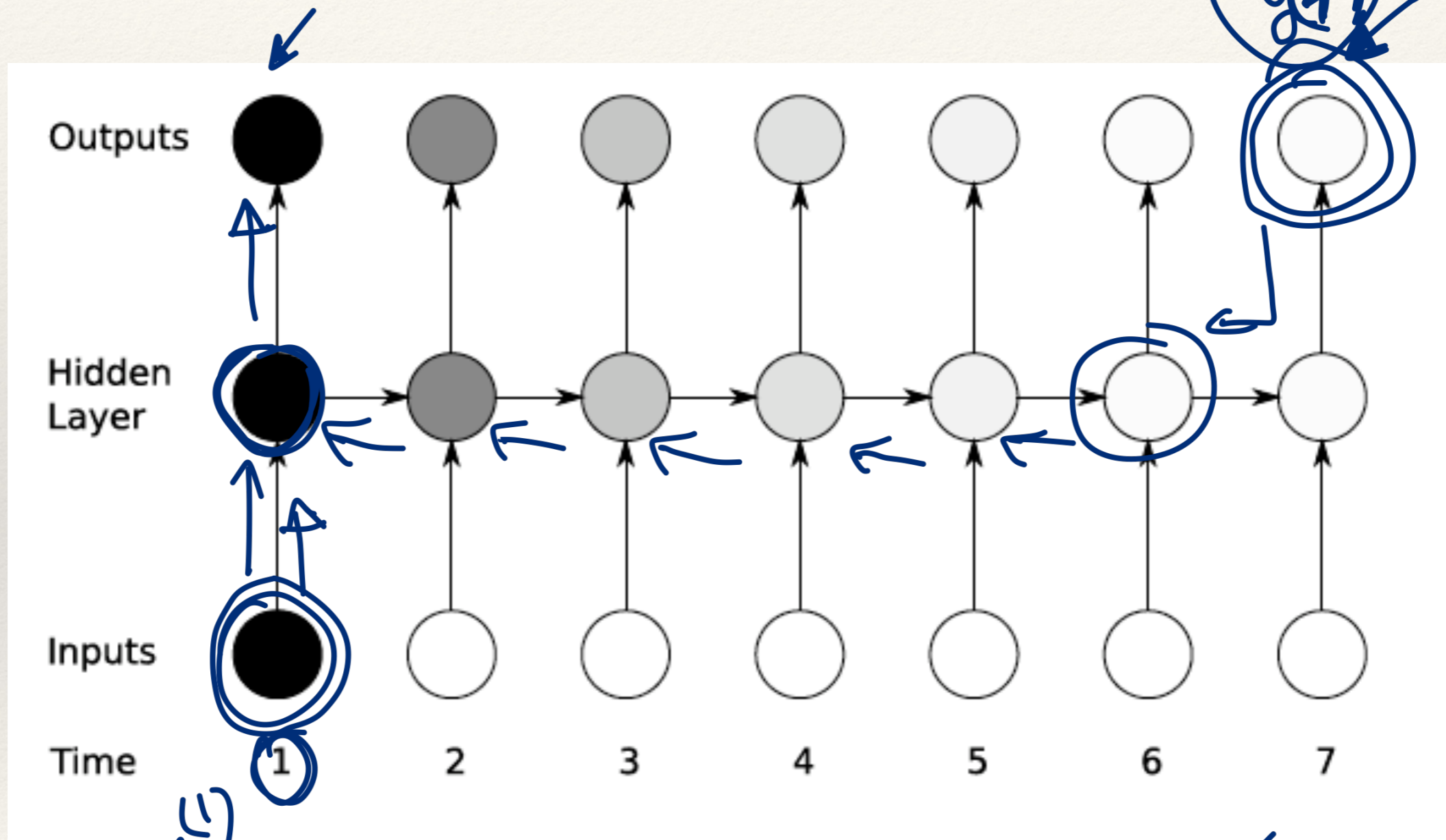
Decoder \leftarrow vector to a new sequence

$\textcircled{X} = \{ x^{(1)} \dots x^{(T)} \} \rightarrow \{ \text{Eng Senten} \}$

$\textcircled{Y} = \{ y^{(1)} \dots y^{(M)} \} \rightarrow \{ \text{Hindi Sentence} \}$

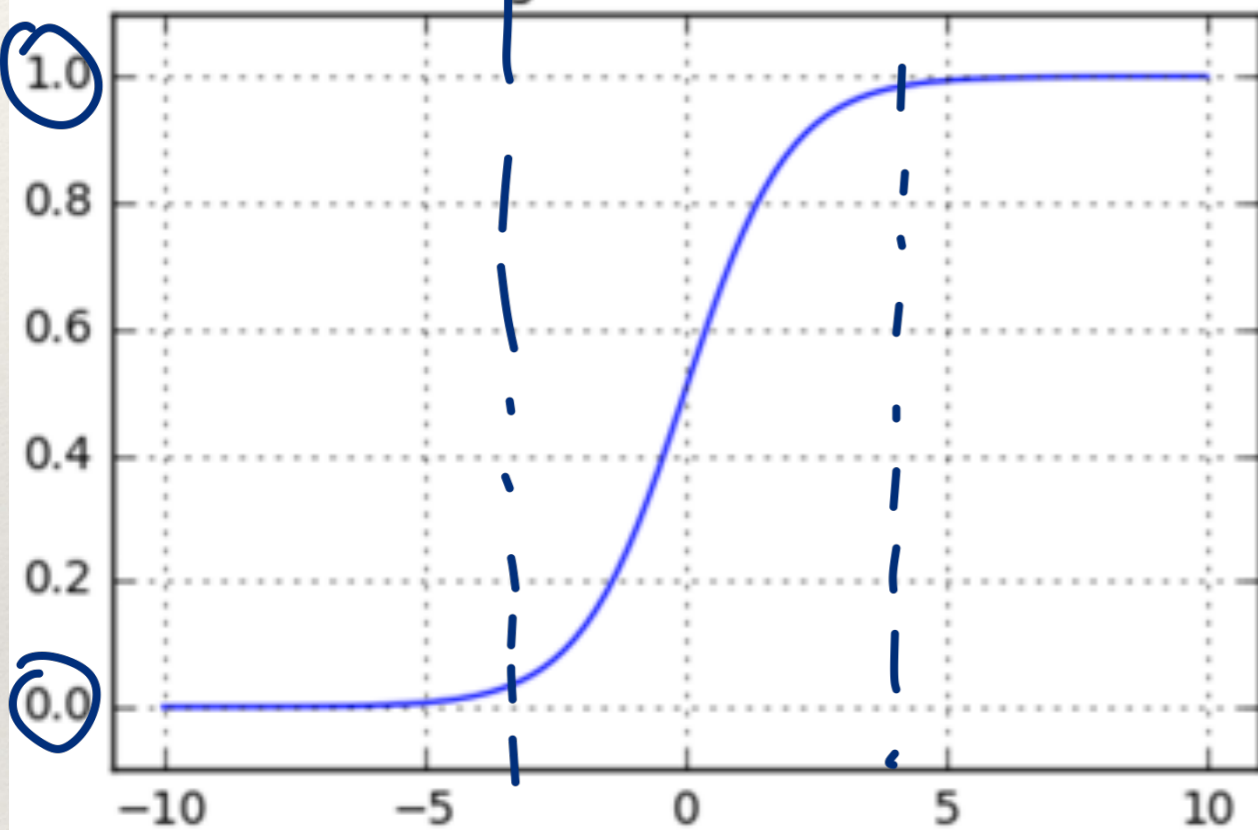


Long-term Dependency Issues

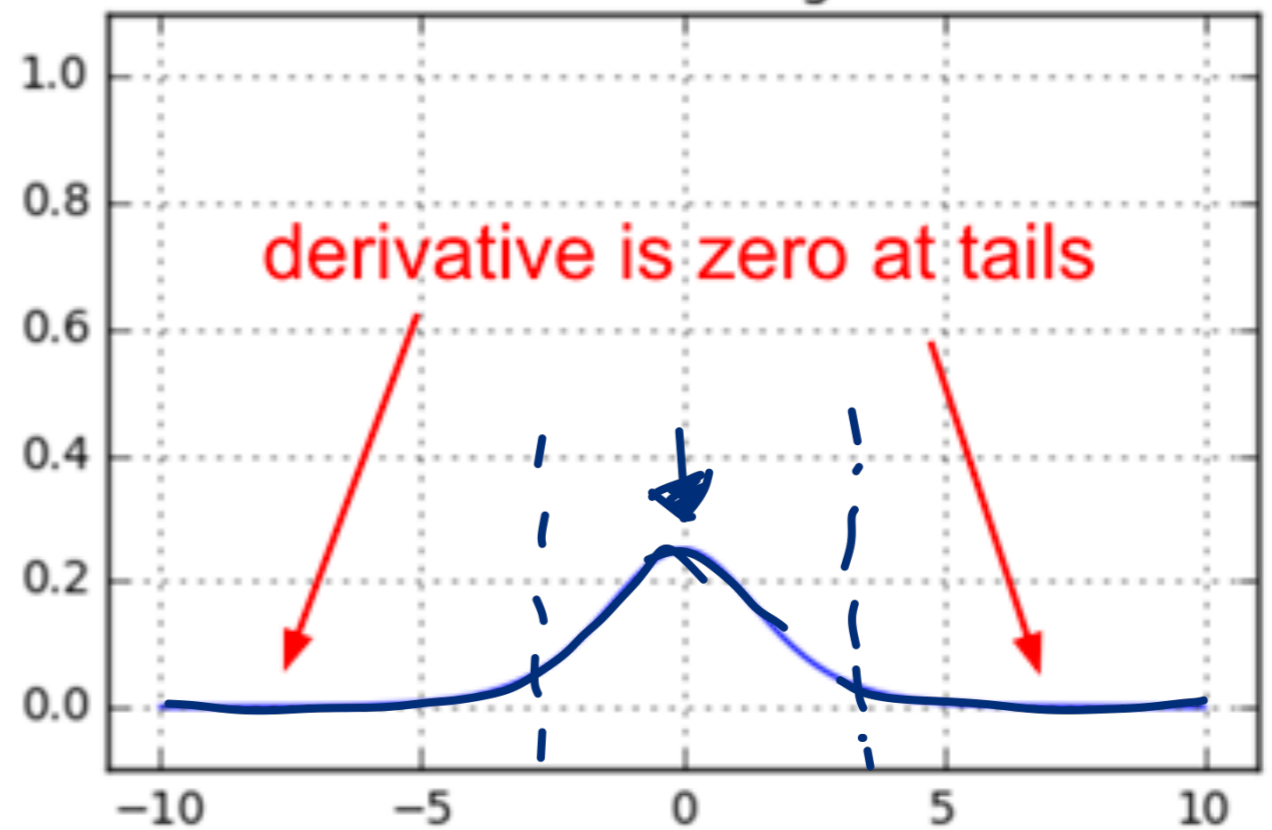


Vanishing/Exploding Gradients

sigmoid function

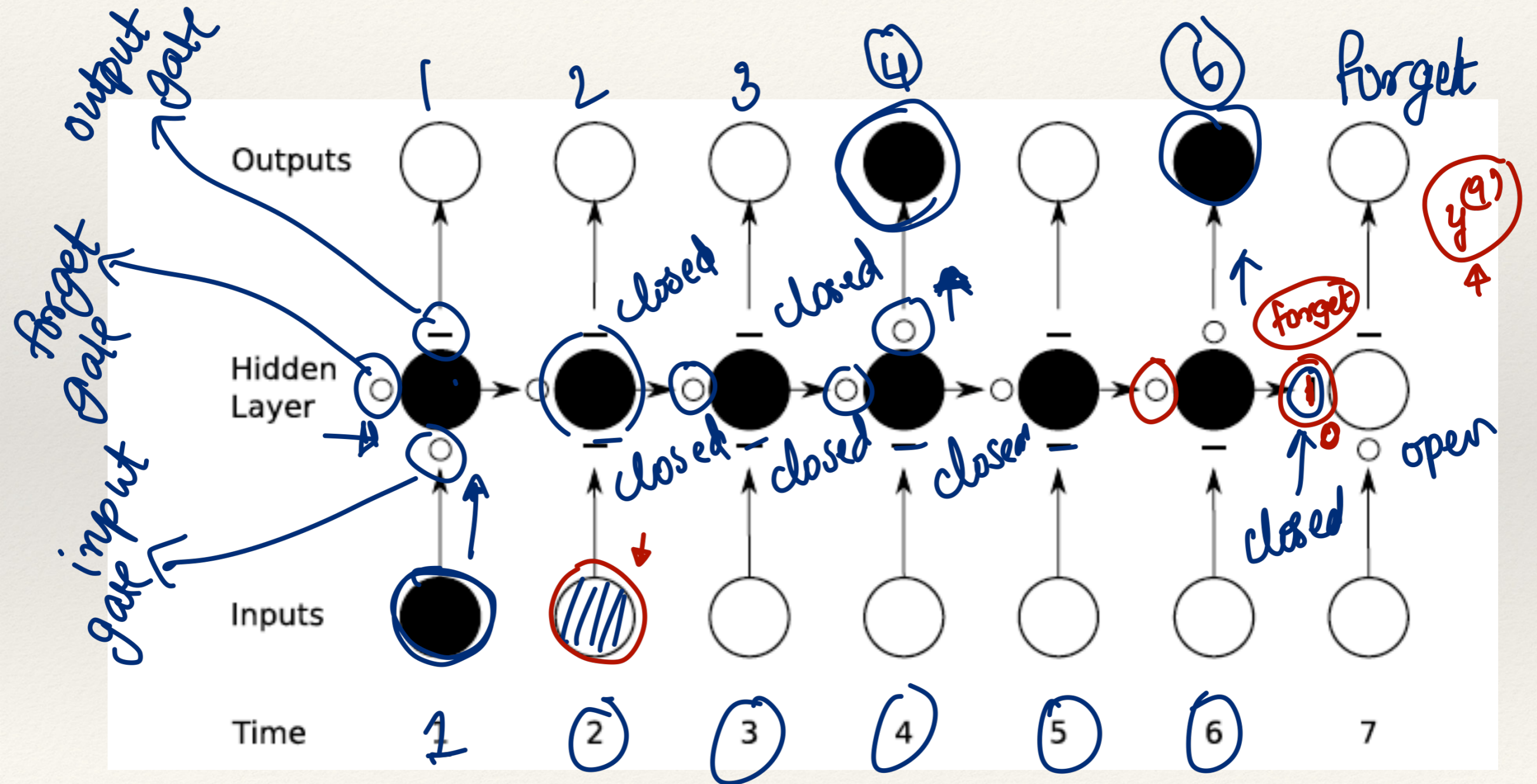


derivative of sigmoid



- ❖ Gradients either vanish or explode
- ❖ Initial frames may not contribute to gradient computations or may contribute too much.

Long-Short Term Memory



LSTM Cell

f - sigmoid function
g, h - tanh function

Input Gate

$$a_i^t = \sum_{i=1}^I w_{ii} x_i^t + \sum_{h=1}^H w_{hi} b_h^{t-1} + \sum_{c=1}^C w_{ci} s_c^{t-1}$$
$$b_i^t = f(a_i^t)$$

Forget Gate

$$a_\phi^t = \sum_{i=1}^I w_{i\phi} x_i^t + \sum_{h=1}^H w_{h\phi} b_h^{t-1} + \sum_{c=1}^C w_{c\phi} s_c^{t-1}$$
$$b_\phi^t = f(a_\phi^t)$$

Cell

$$a_c^t = \sum_{i=1}^I w_{ic} x_i^t + \sum_{h=1}^H w_{hc} b_h^{t-1}$$
$$s_c^t = b_\phi^t s_c^{t-1} + b_i^t g(a_c^t)$$

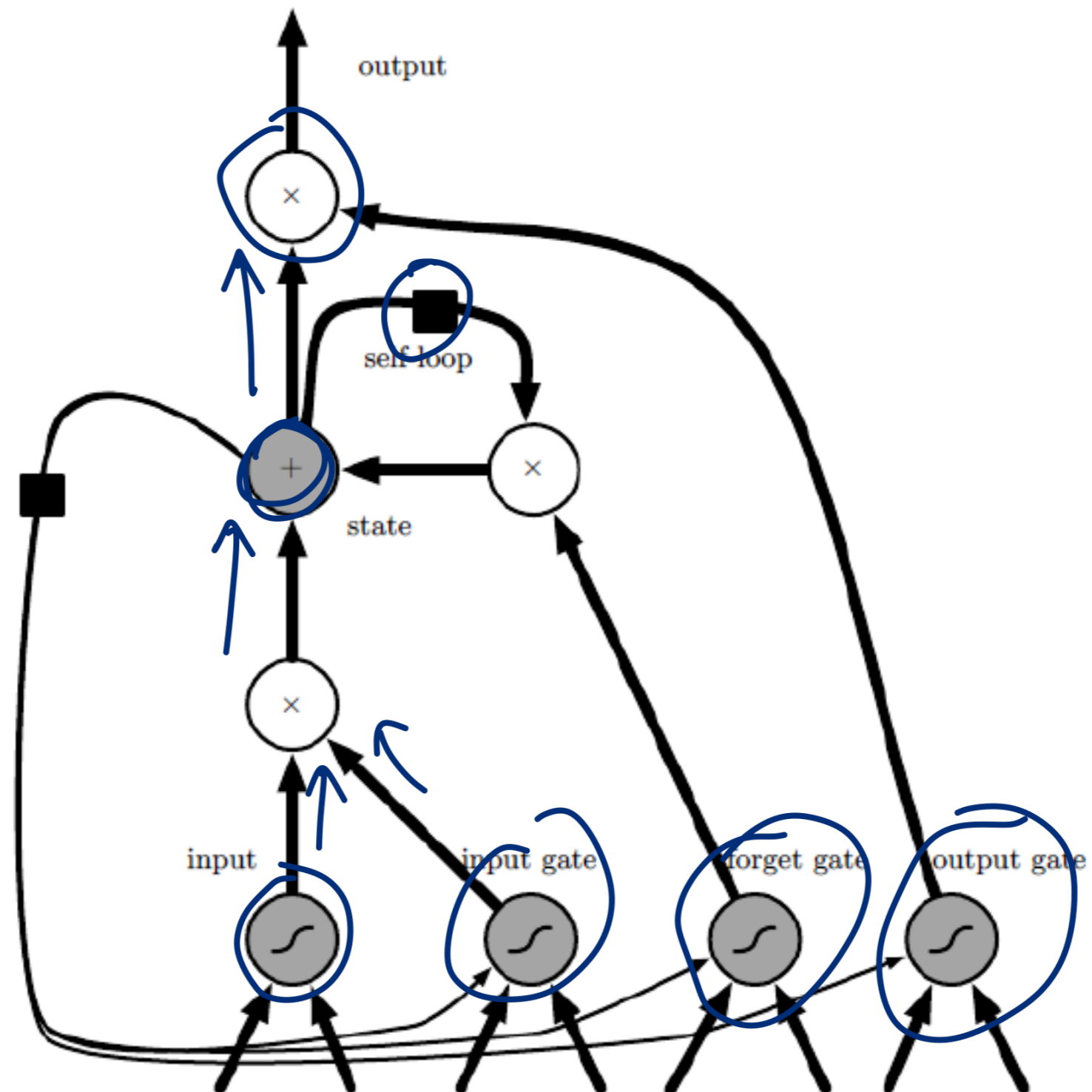
Output Gate

$$a_\omega^t = \sum_{i=1}^I w_{i\omega} x_i^t + \sum_{h=1}^H w_{h\omega} b_h^{t-1} + \sum_{c=1}^C w_{c\omega} s_c^t$$
$$b_\omega^t = f(a_\omega^t)$$

LSTM output

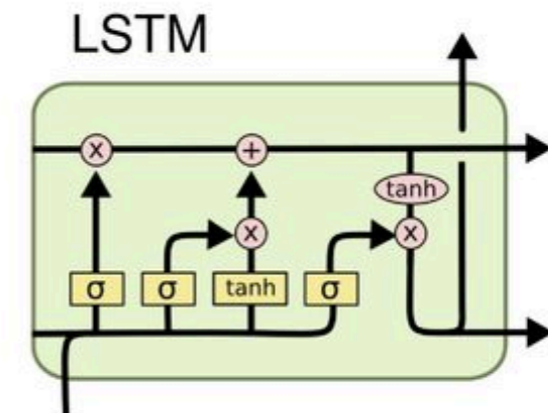
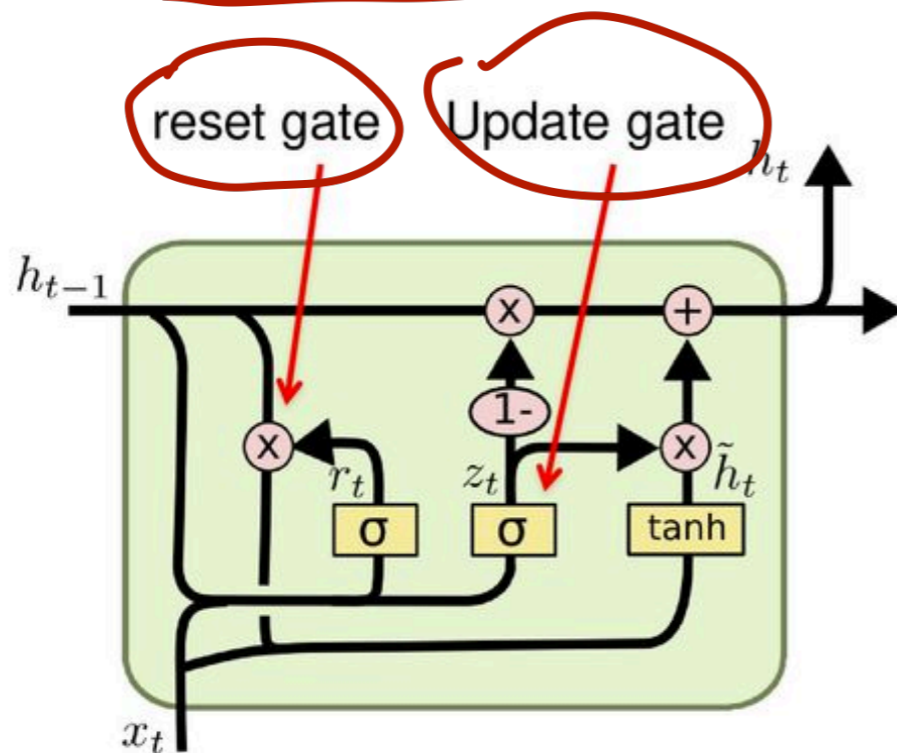
$$b_c^t = b_\omega^t h(s_c^t)$$

Long Short Term Memory Networks



Gated Recurrent Units (GRU)

GRU – gated recurrent unit (more compression)



$$z_t = \sigma(W_z \cdot [h_{t-1}, x_t])$$

$$r_t = \sigma(W_r \cdot [h_{t-1}, x_t])$$

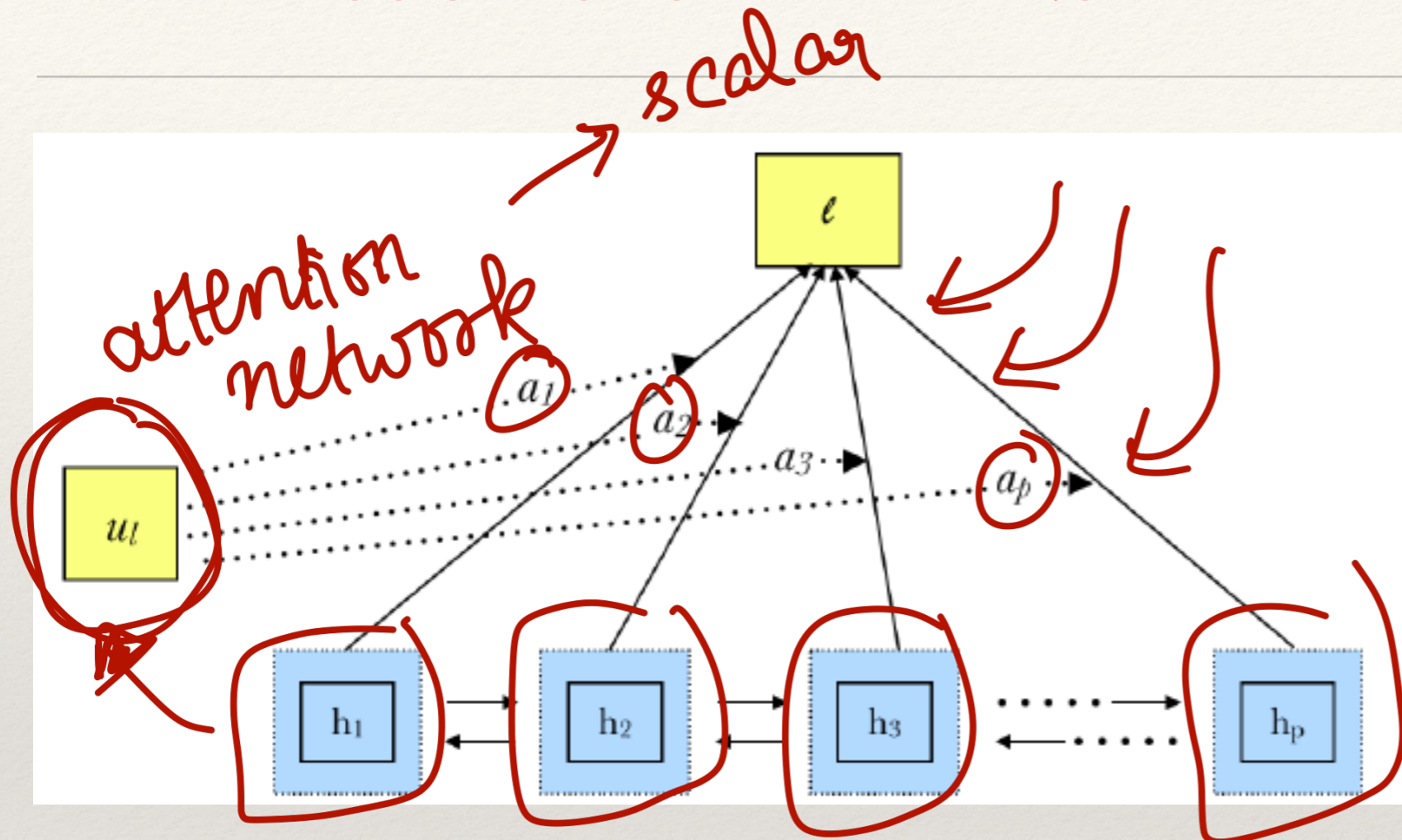
$$\tilde{h}_t = \tanh(W \cdot [r_t * h_{t-1}, x_t])$$

$$h_t = (1 - z_t) * h_{t-1} + z_t * \tilde{h}_t$$

It combines the forget and input into a single update gate.
It also merges the cell state and hidden state. This is simpler than LSTM. There are many other variants too.

X,*: element-wise multiply

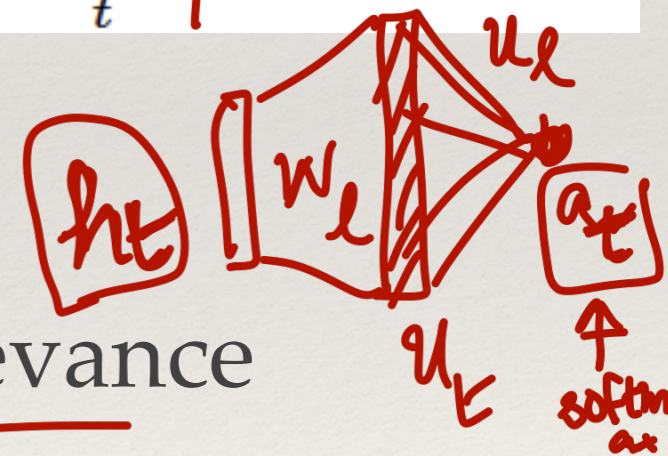
Attention in LSTM Networks



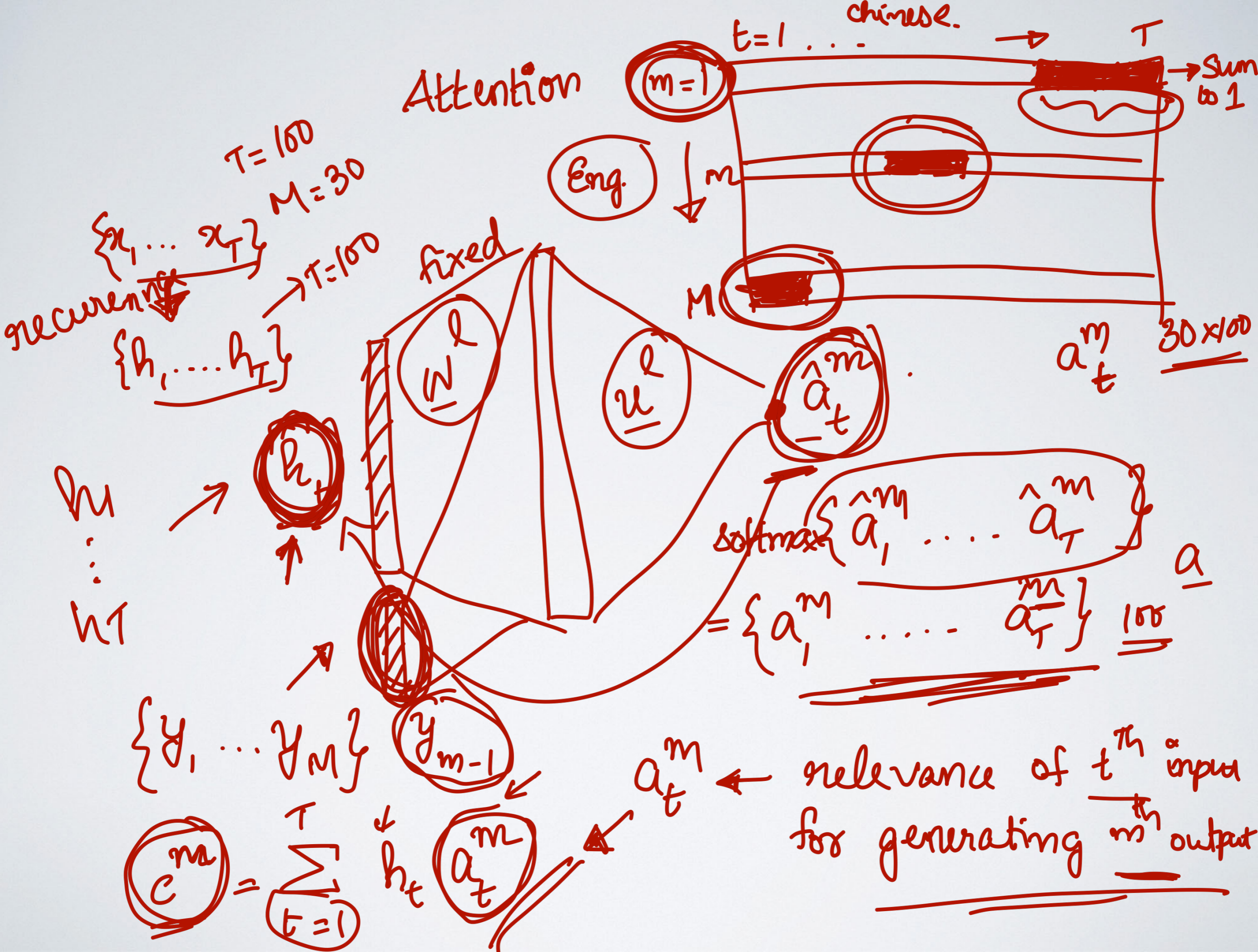
$$\mathbf{u}_t = \tanh(\mathbf{W}_t \mathbf{h}_t + \mathbf{b}_t)$$

$$a_t = \frac{\exp(\mathbf{u}_t^T \mathbf{u}_l)}{\sum_t \exp(\mathbf{u}_t^T \mathbf{u}_l)}$$

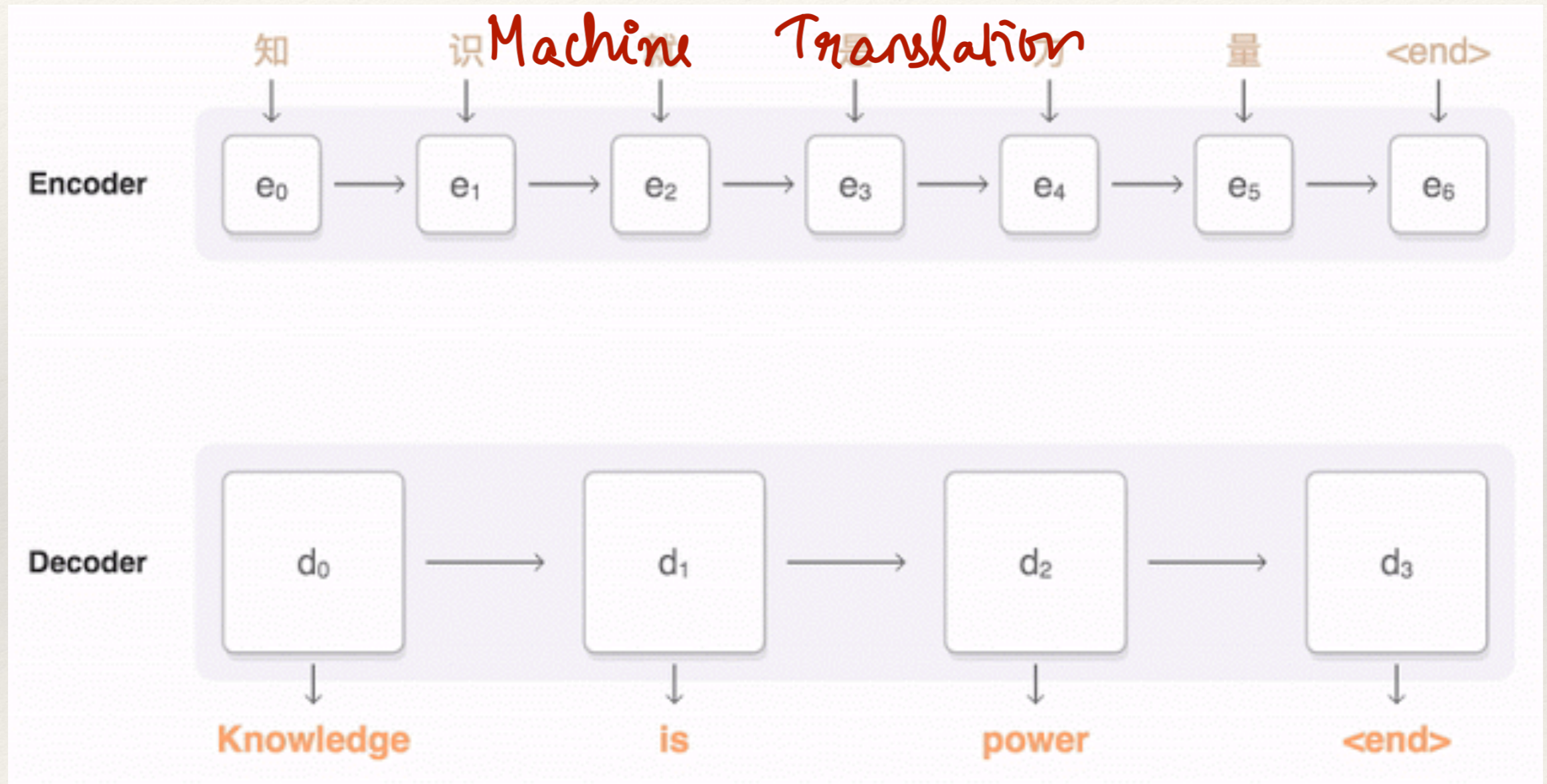
$$\mathbf{l} = \sum_t a_t \mathbf{h}_t$$



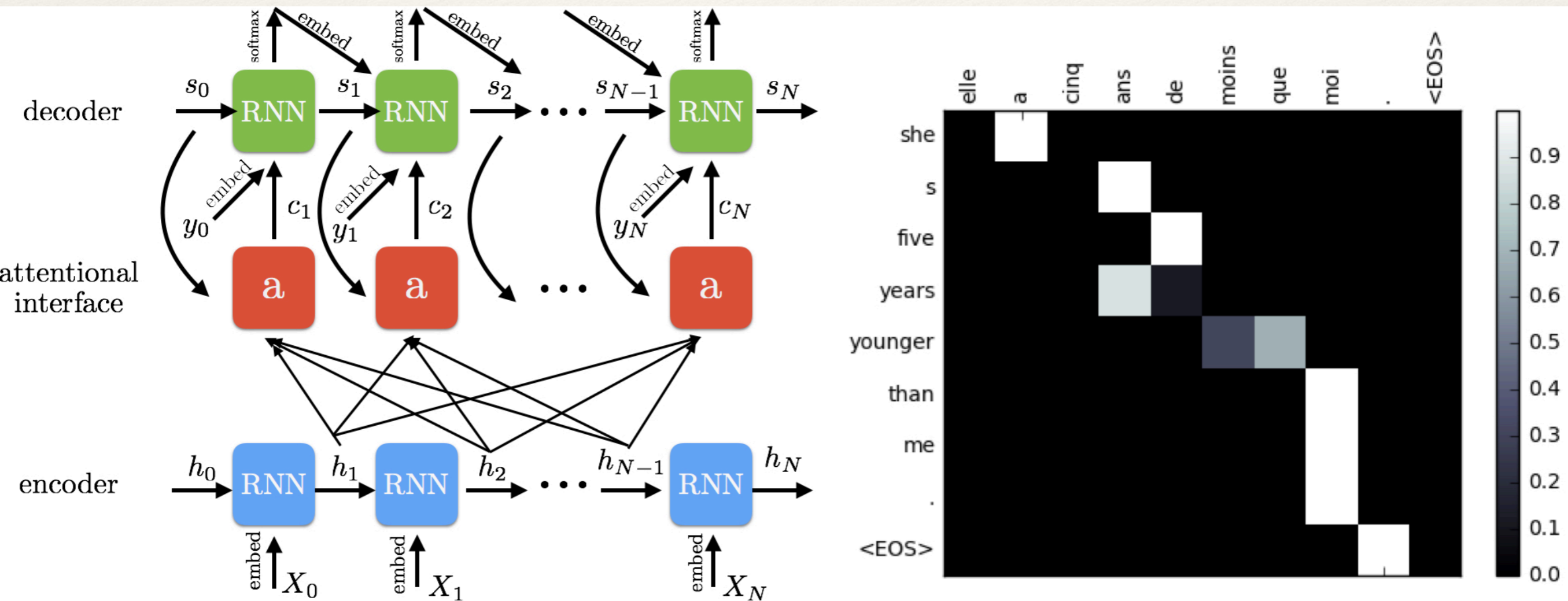
- ❖ Attention allows a mechanism to add relevance
- ❖ Certain regions of the audio have more importance than the rest for the task at hand.



Encoder - Decoder Networks with Attention



Attention Models



Attention - Speech Example

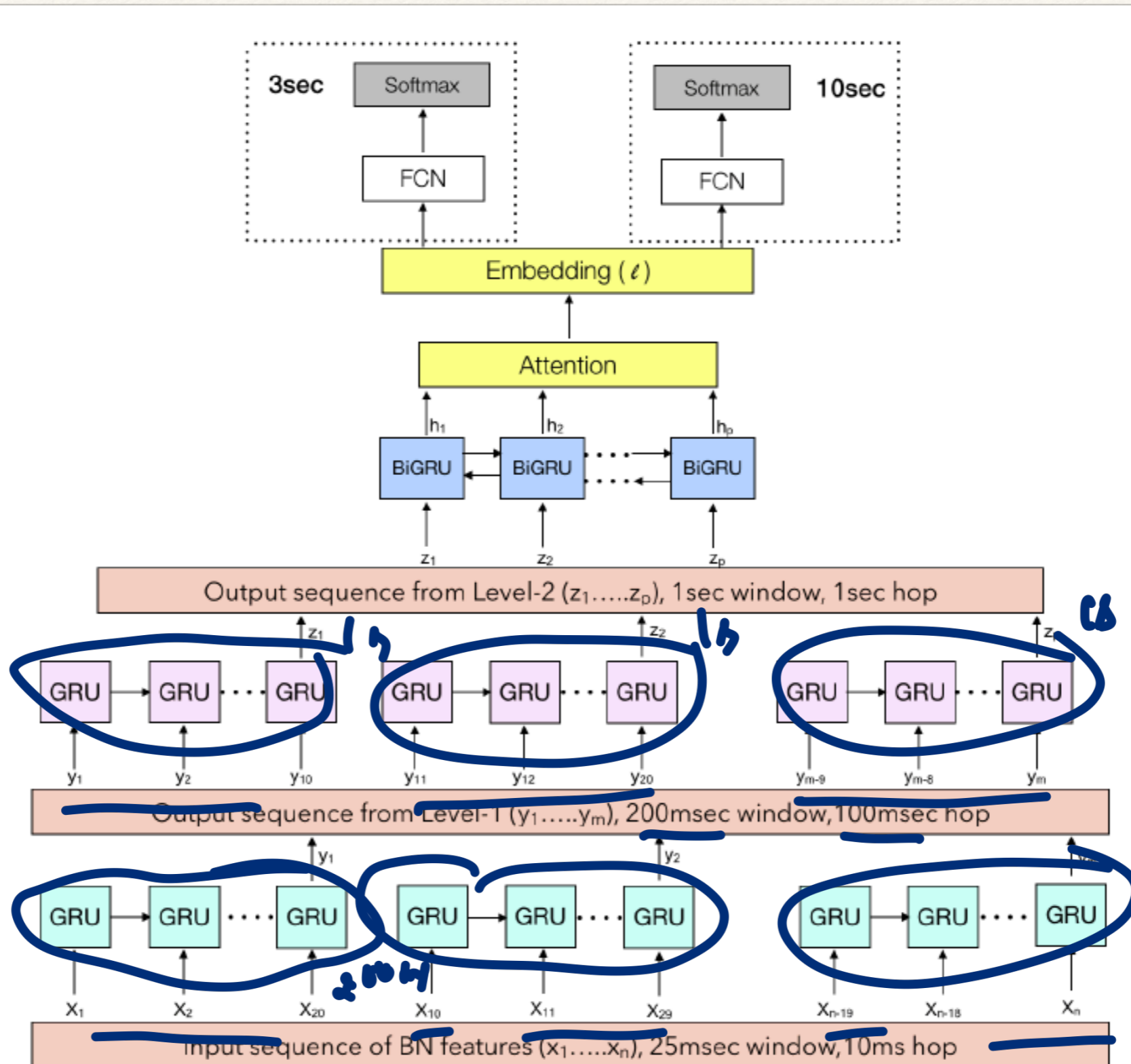
From our lab [part of ICASSP 2019 paper].

Language Recognition Evaluation

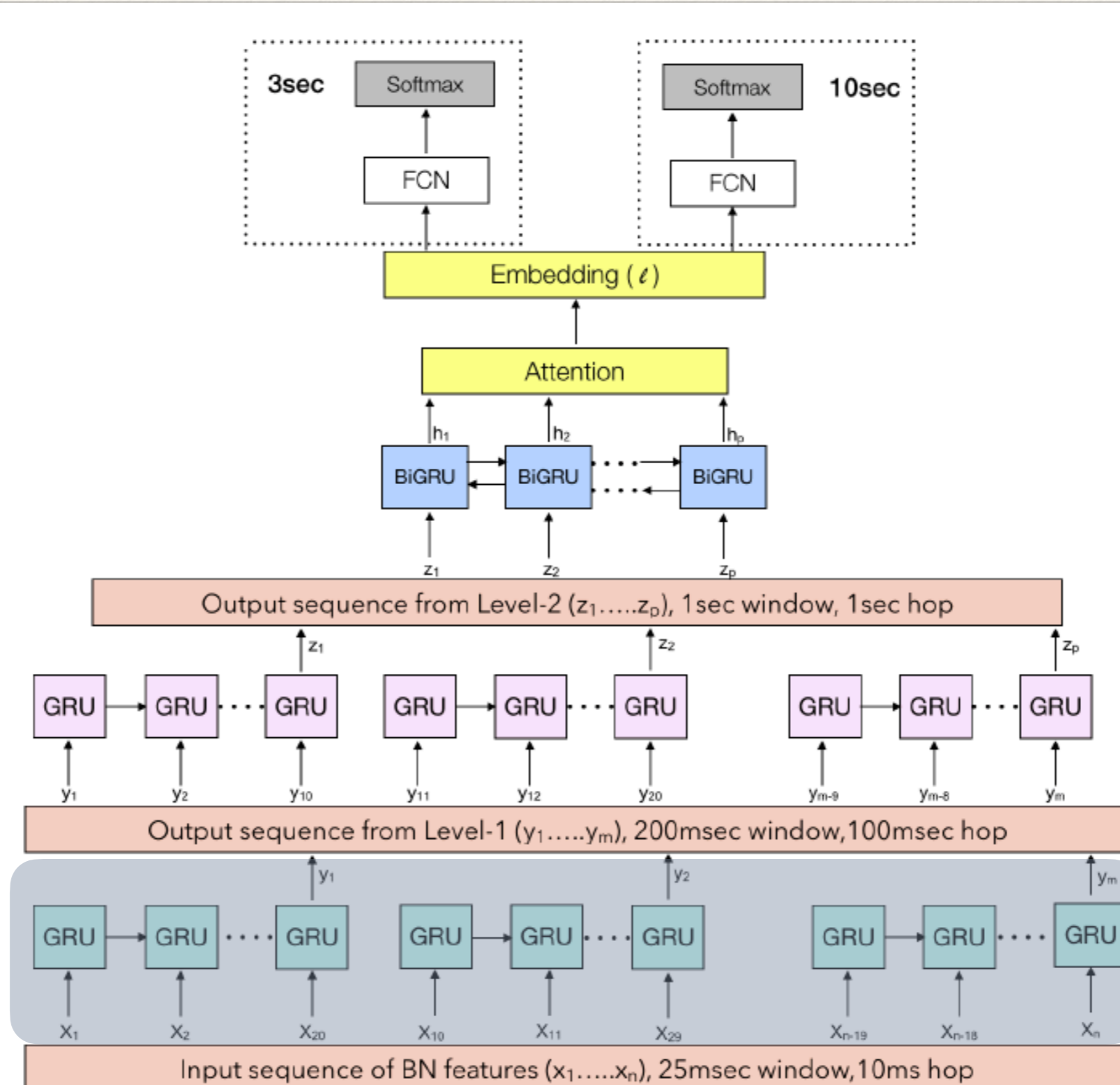
Table 1: LRE17 training set : target languages, language clusters and total number of hours.

Cluster	Target Languages	Hours
Arabic	Egyptian Arabic (ara-arz)	190.9
	Iraqi Arabic (ara-acm)	130.8
	Levantine Arabic (ara-apc)	440.7
	Maghrebi Arabic (ara-ary)	81.8
Chinese	Mandarin (zho-cmn)	379.4
	Min Nan (zho-nan)	13.3
English	British English (eng-gbr)	4.8
	General American English (eng-usg)	327.7
Slavic	Polish (qsl-pol)	59.3
	Russian (qsl-rus)	69.5
Iberian	Caribbean Spanish (spa-car)	166.3
	European Spanish (spa-eur)	24.7
	Latin American Continental Spanish (spa-lac)	175.9
	Brazilian Portuguese (por-brz)	4.1

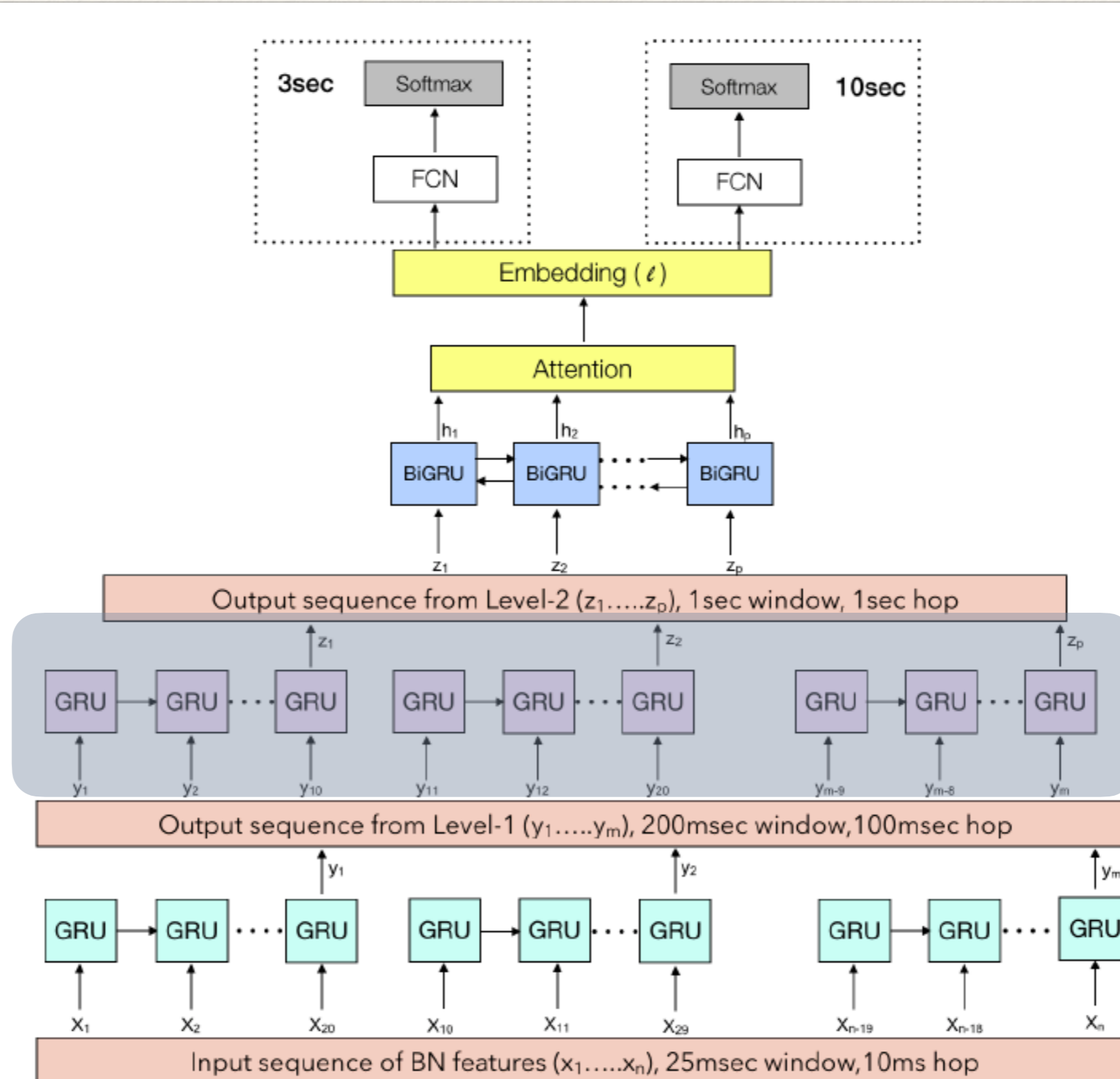
End-to-end model using GRUs and Attention



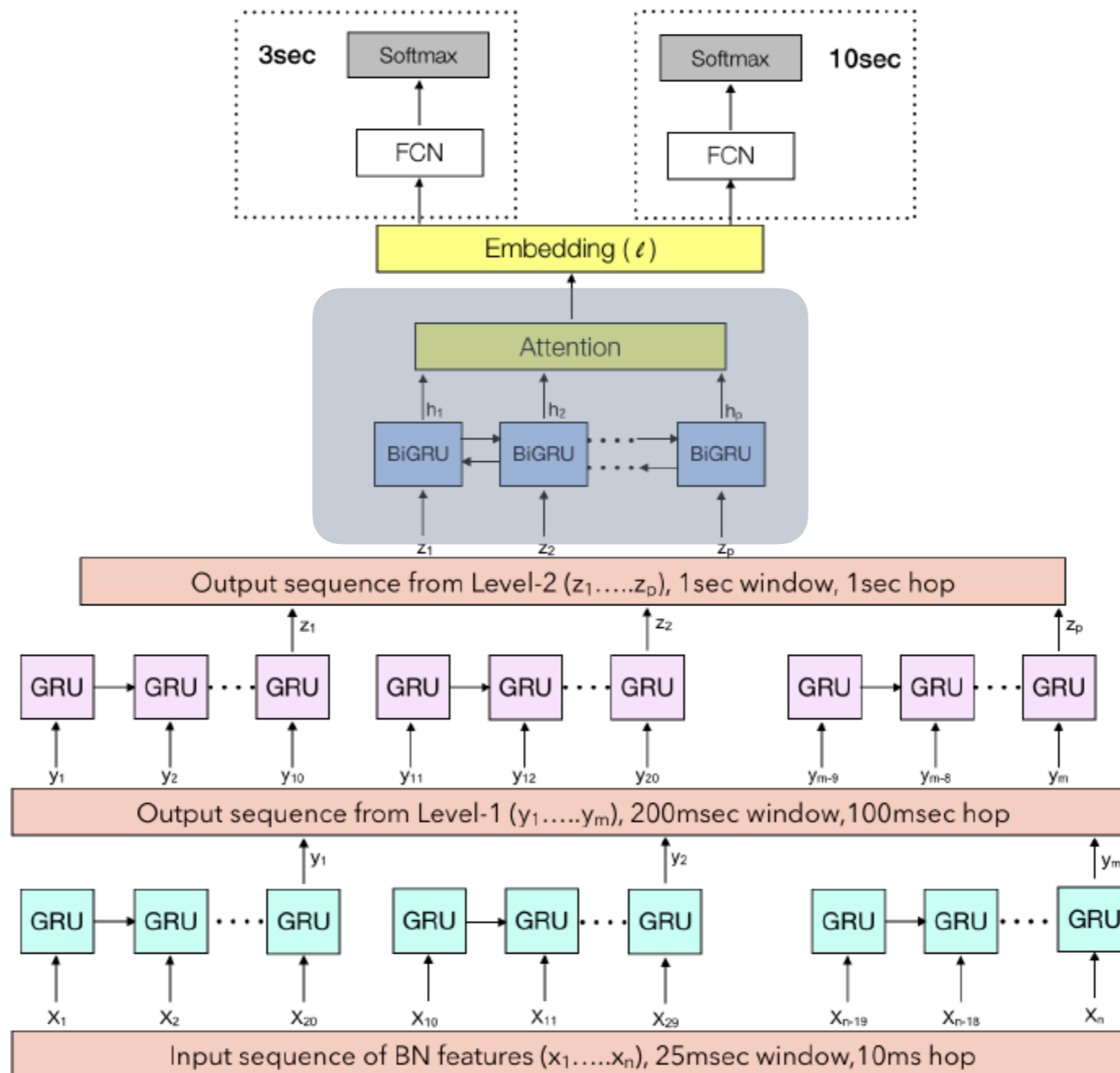
Proposed End-to-End Language Recognition Model



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Language Recognition Evaluation

- ❖ State-of-art models use the input sequence directly.
- ❖ We proposed the attention model - Attention weighs the importance of each short-term segment feature for the task.

Attention Weight

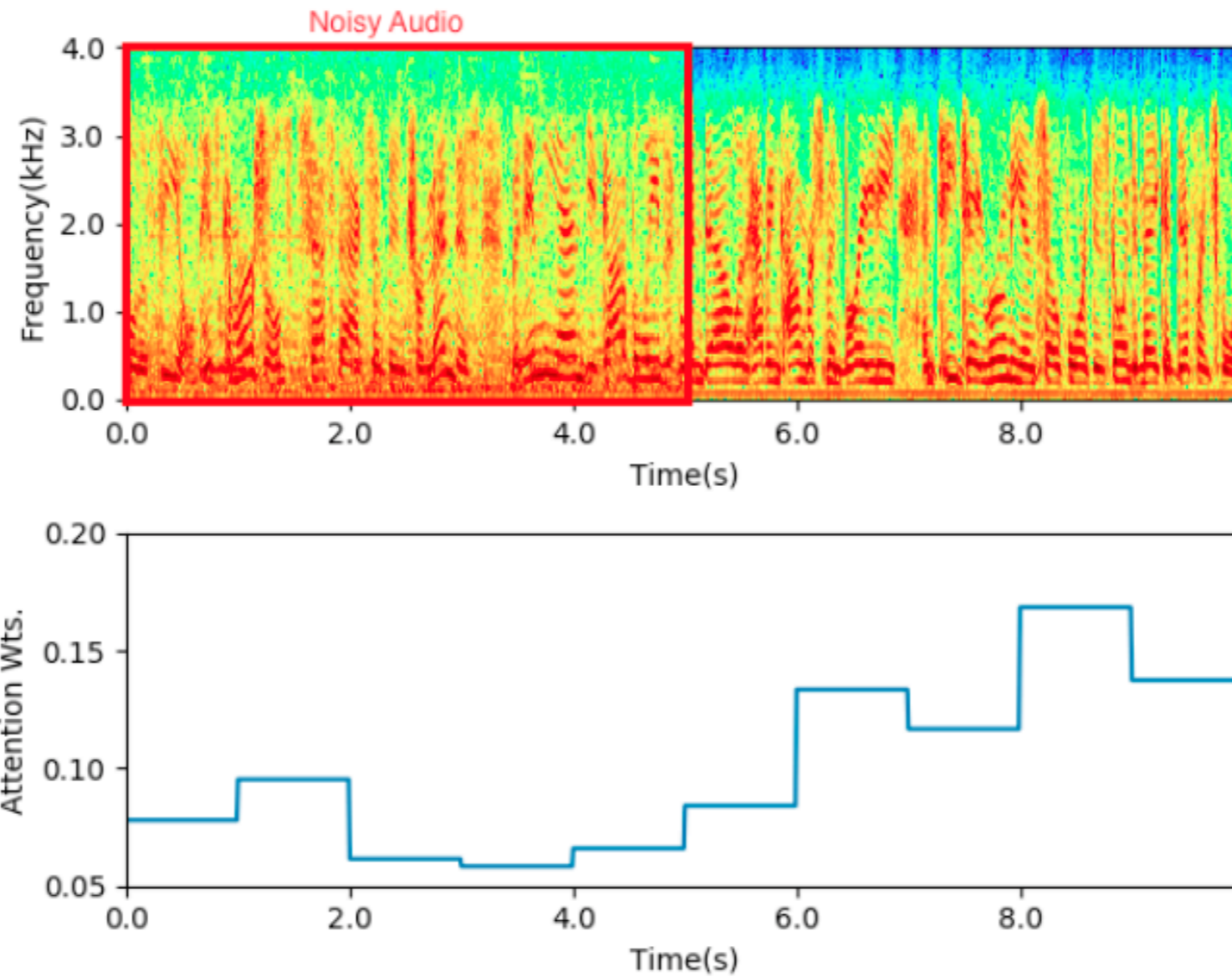
0-3s : O...One muscle at all, it was terrible

3s-4s : ah ah

4s - 9s : I couldn't scream, I couldn't shout, I couldn't even move my arms up, or my legs

9s -11s : I was trying me hardest, I was really really panicking.

Language Recognition Evaluation



Language Recognition Evaluation

Table 3. Approximate computational time in seconds for ten 30sec eval files using a single CPU. Machine Specification: 32 CPU, 8 core, 2 thread Intel x86_64 machine with 16 GB Nvidia Quadro P5000 GPU cards.

	ivec. [19]	LSTM [16]	HGRU
CPU	12	51	8
GPU	12	11.5	1.5

Table 4. LID accuracy in % for additional experiments with multiple speakers speaking the same language and the experiments without any SAD information.

Cond.	i-vec. [19]	HGRU
Multi-Speaker	60.6	67.7
Without SAD information	49.7	52.7