

# As you walk in

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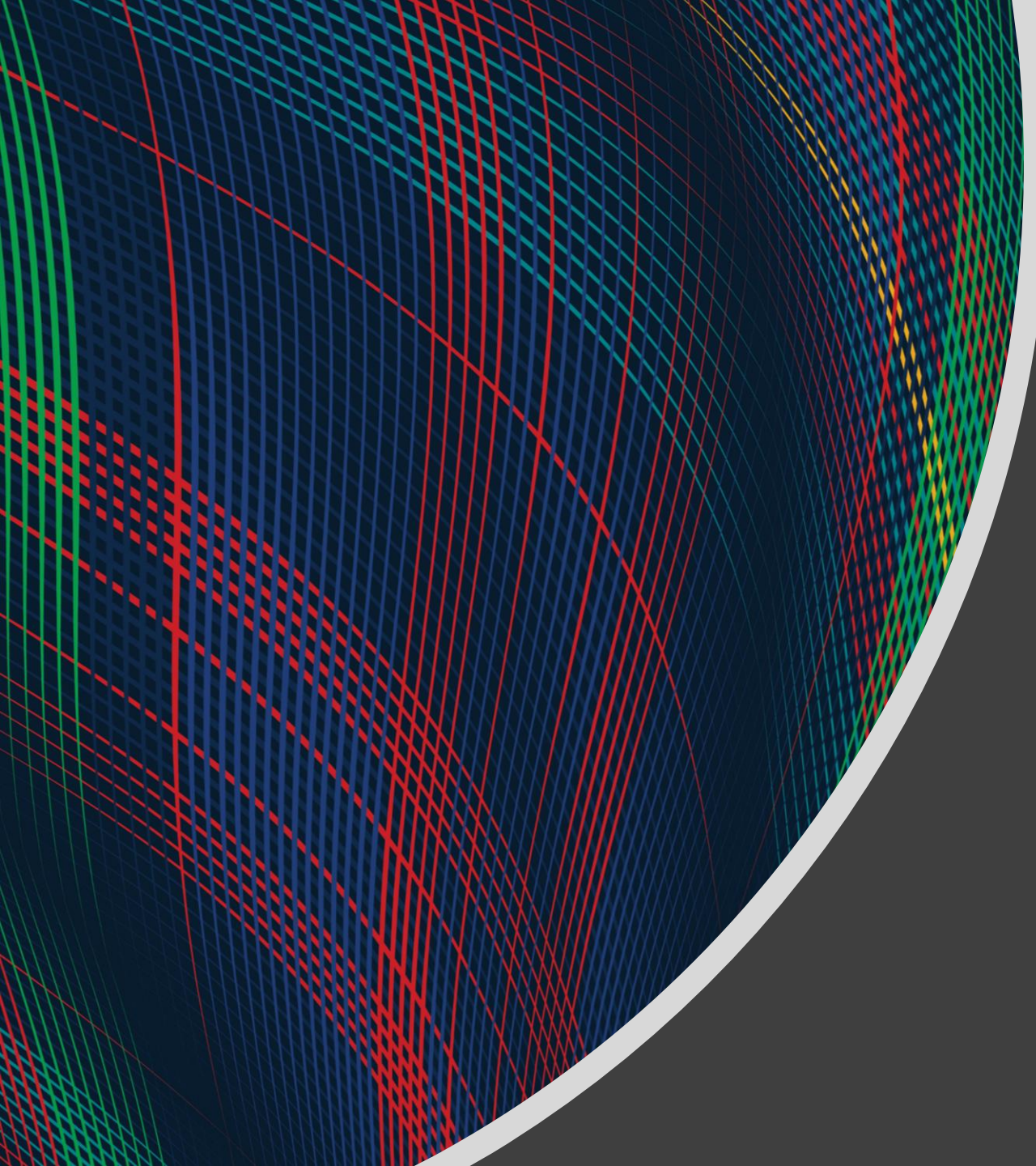
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Introduction to ML

Instructor: Pat Virtue



# Today

Course team

ML framework

Elephants in the room (ChatGPT, DALL-E 2, ...)

Alien exercise

ML Models

Autoencoders

More course info

Announcements



DALL-E: "Logo of a Scotty dog with a red collar whose brain is made of circuits"

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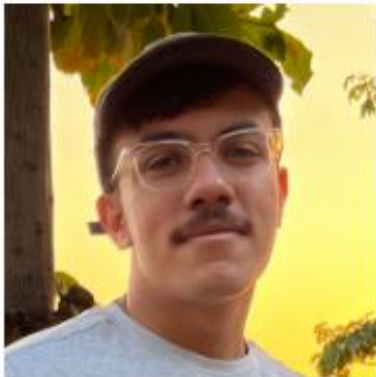
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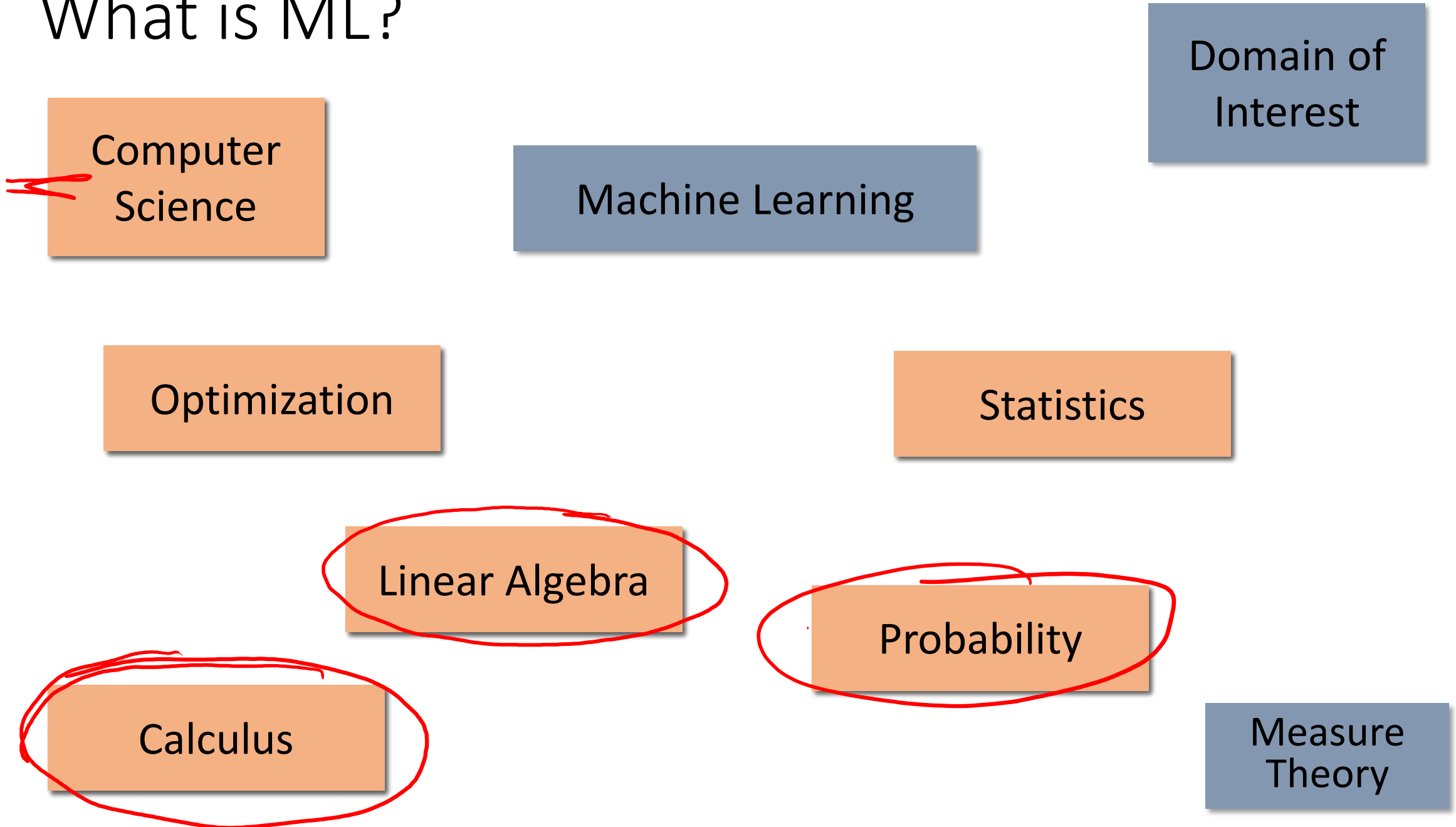


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Students!!



# What is ML?



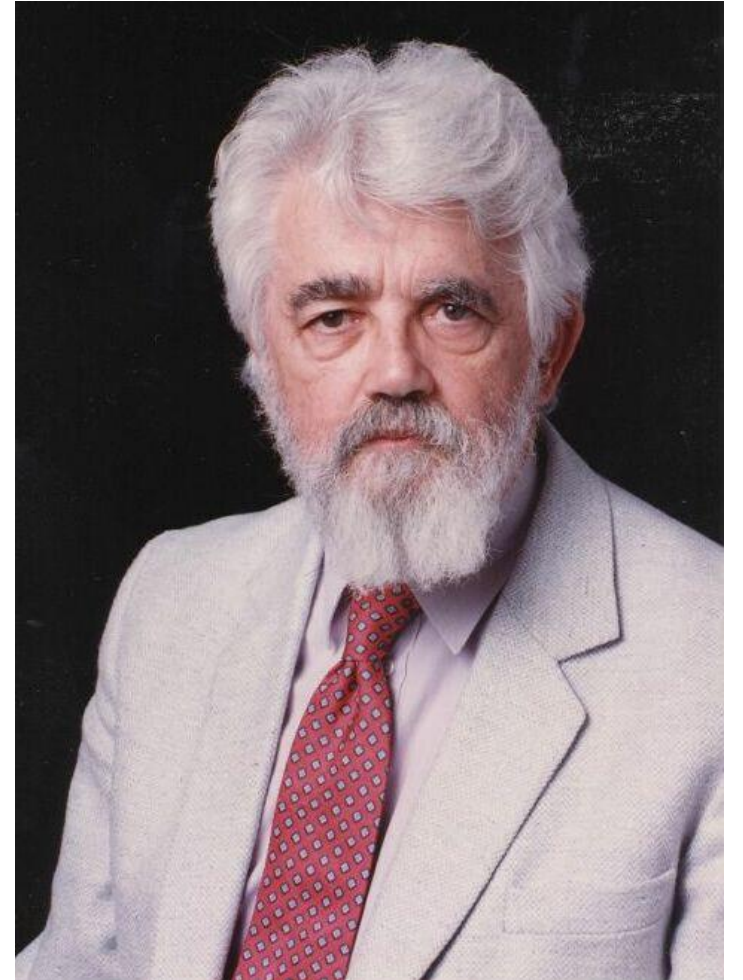
# AI Definition by John McCarthy

## What is artificial intelligence

- It is the science and engineering of making intelligent machines, especially intelligent computer programs

## What is intelligence

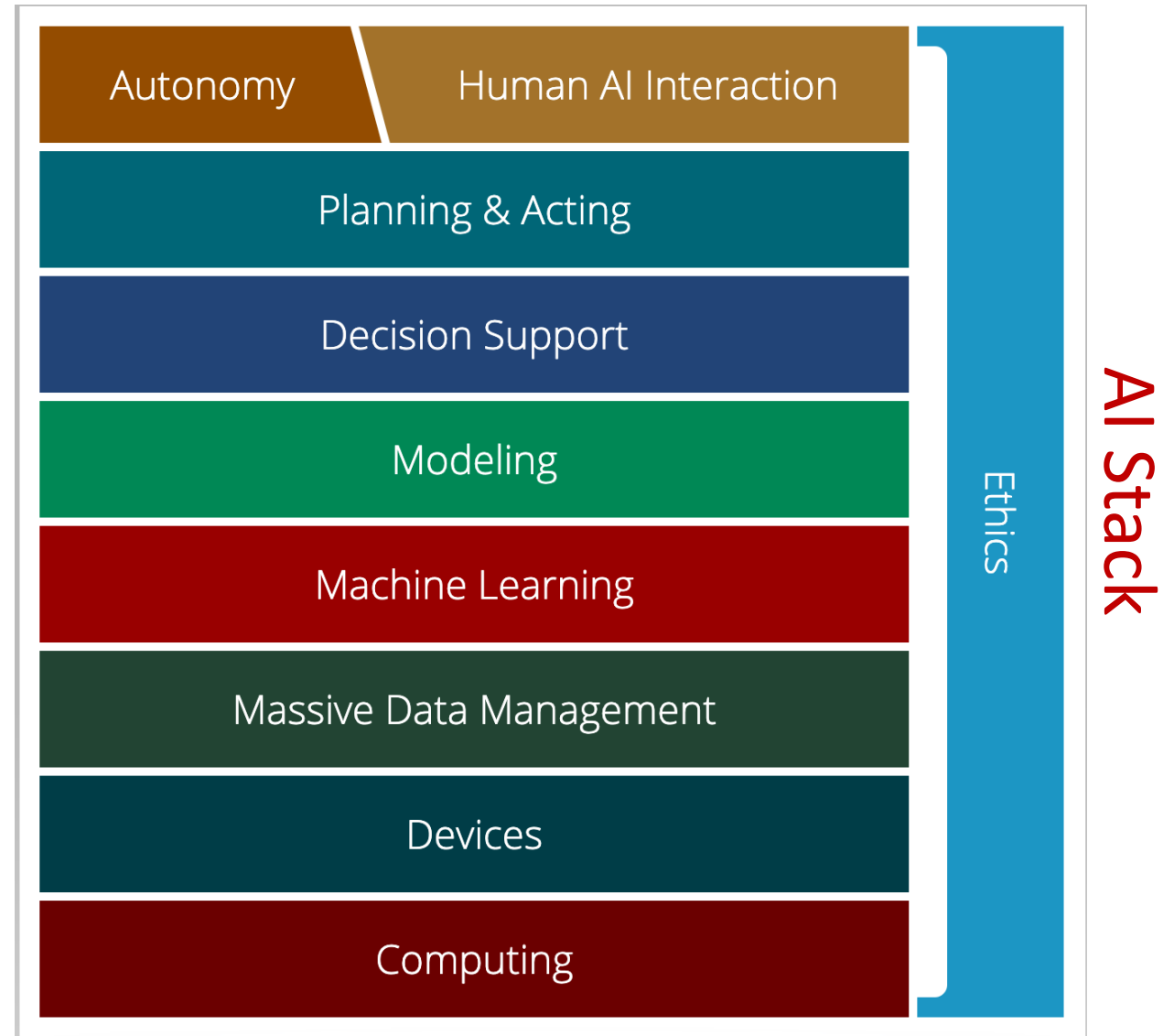
- Intelligence is the computational part of the ability to achieve goals in the world





# AI Stack for CMU AI

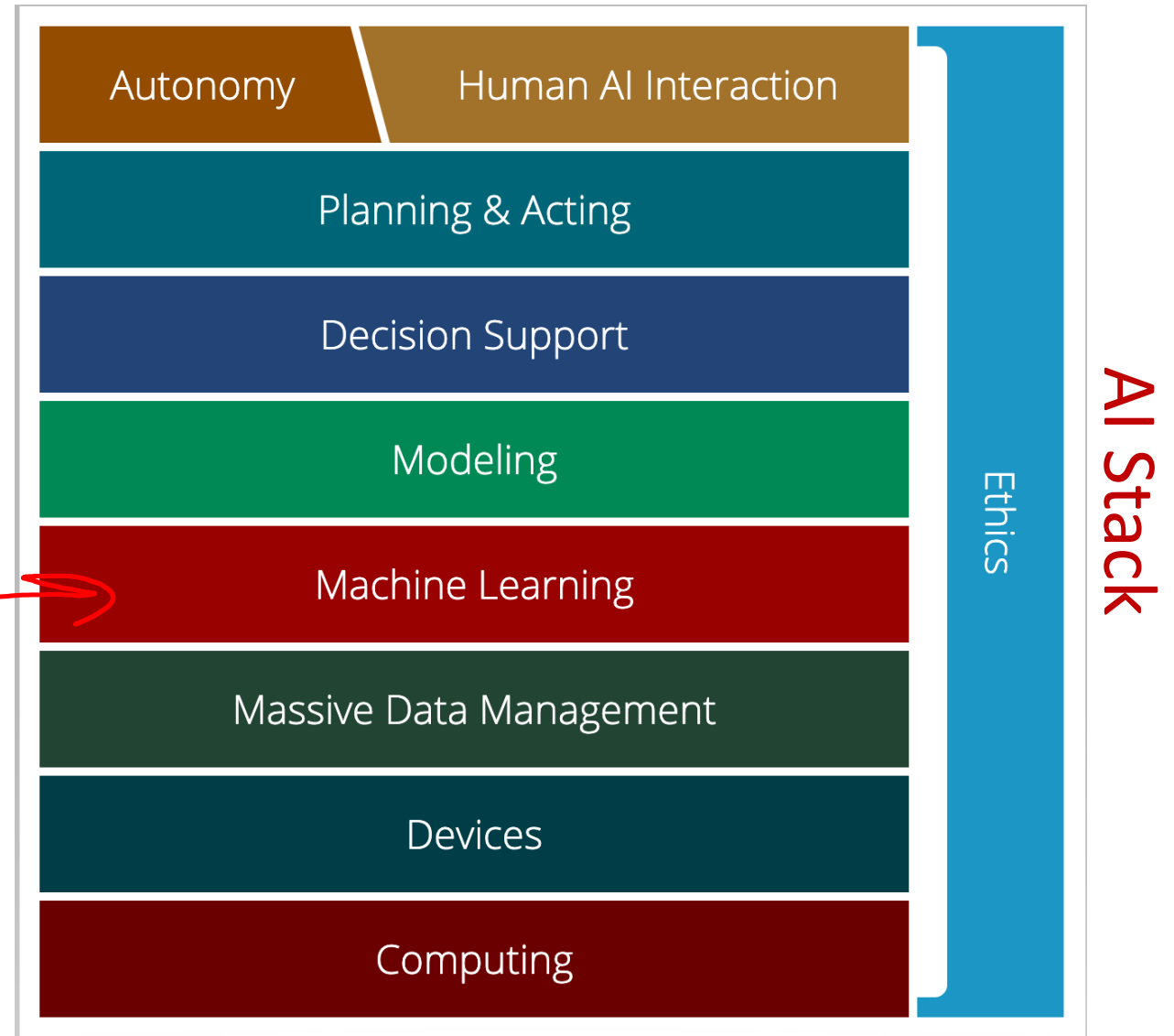
“AI must understand the human needs and it must make smart design decisions based on that understanding”



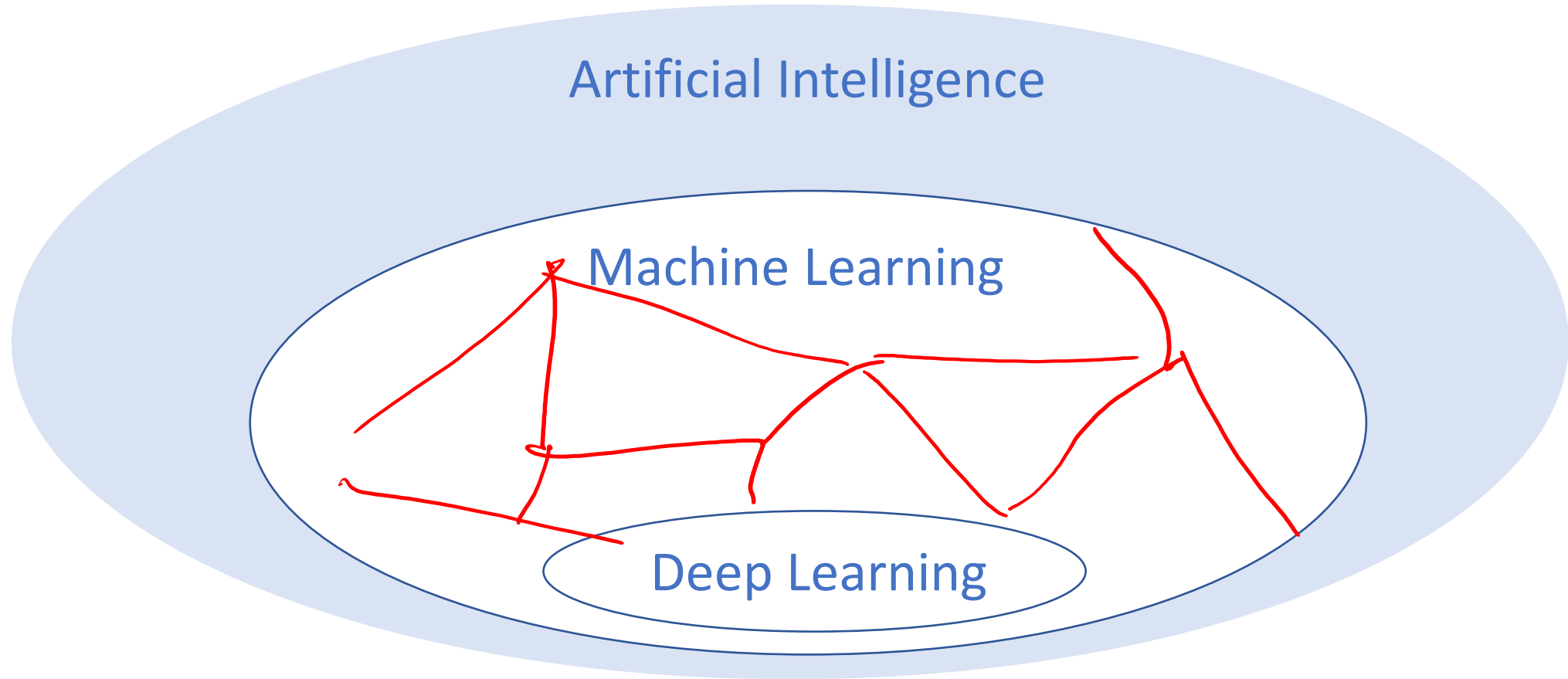
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“Machine learning focuses on creating programs that learn from experience.”

“It advances computing through exposure to new scenarios, testing and adaptation, while using pattern- and trend-detection to help the computer make better decisions in similar, subsequent situations.”

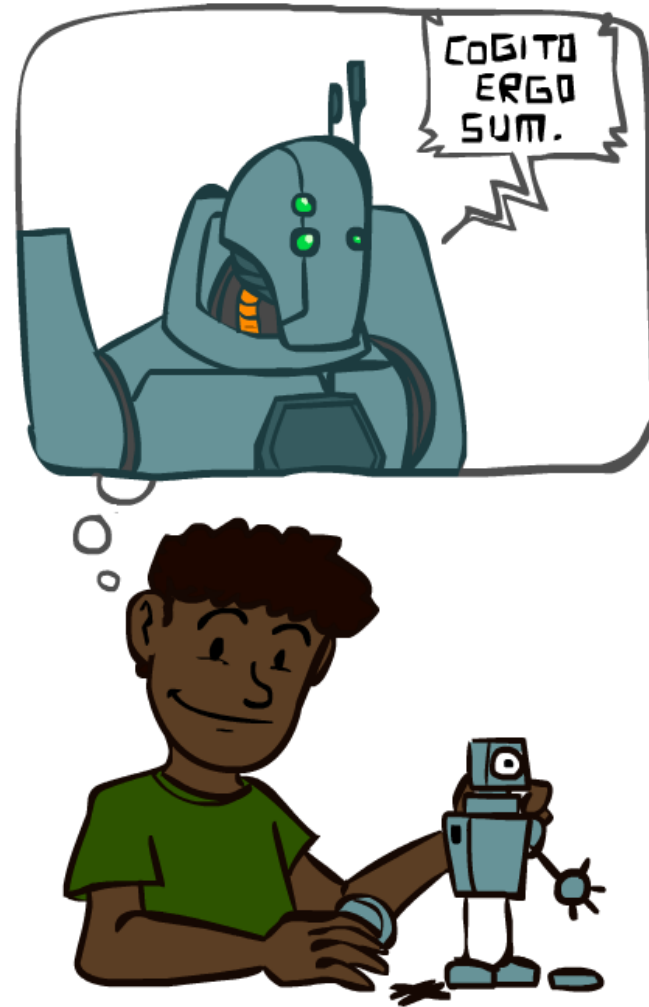


# Artificial Intelligence vs Machine Learning?

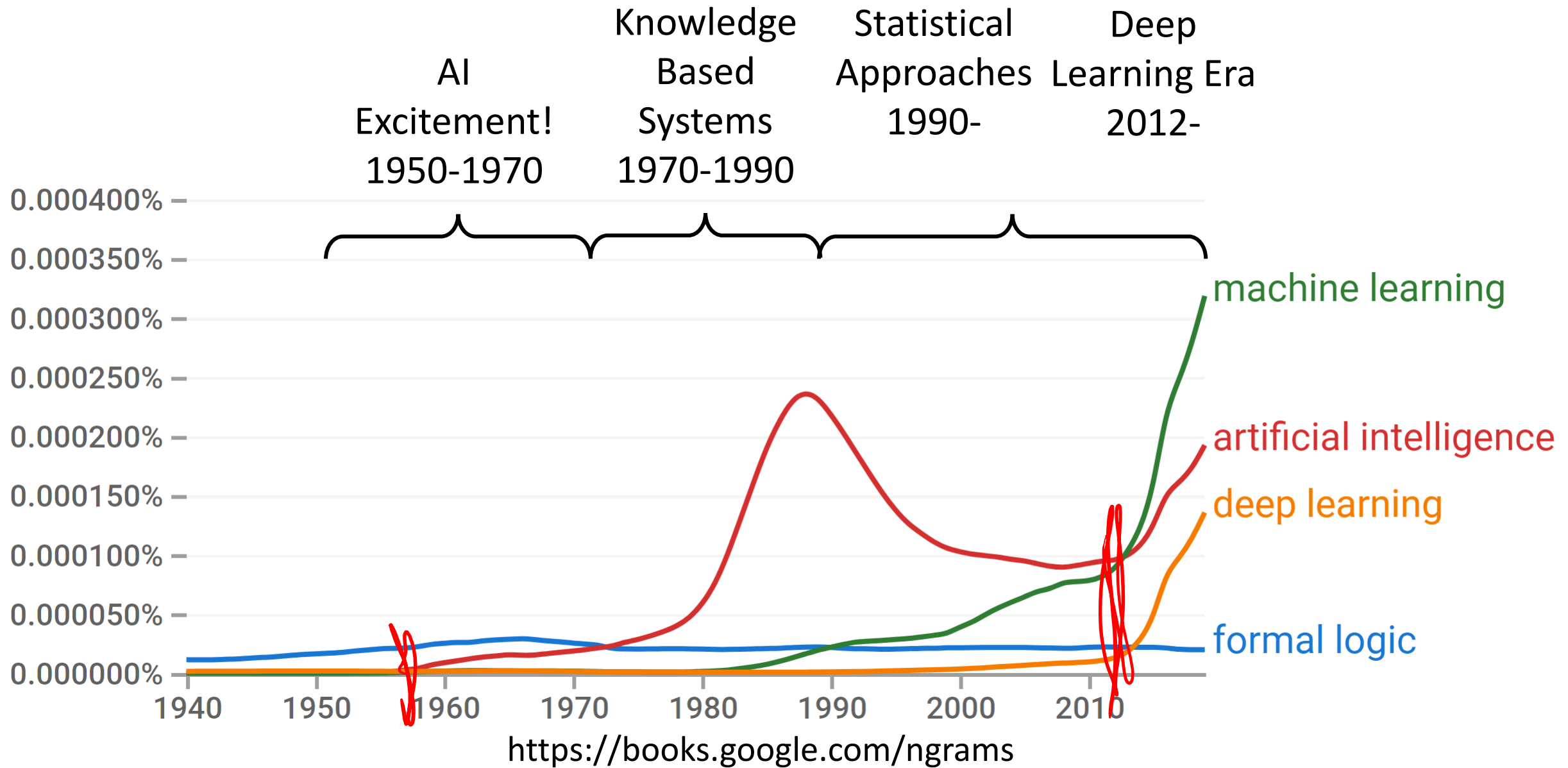




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## 1940-1950: Early days

- 1943: McCulloch & Pitts: Boolean circuit model of brain
- 1950: Turing's "Computing Machinery and Intelligence"

## 1950—70: Excitement: Look, Ma, no hands!

- 1950s: Early AI programs, including Samuel's checkers program, Newell & Simon's Logic Theorist, Gelernter's Geometry Engine
- 1956: Dartmouth meeting: "Artificial Intelligence" adopted

## 1970—90: Knowledge-based approaches

- 1969—79: Early development of knowledge-based systems
- 1980—88: Expert systems industry booms
- 1988—93: Expert systems industry busts: "AI Winter"

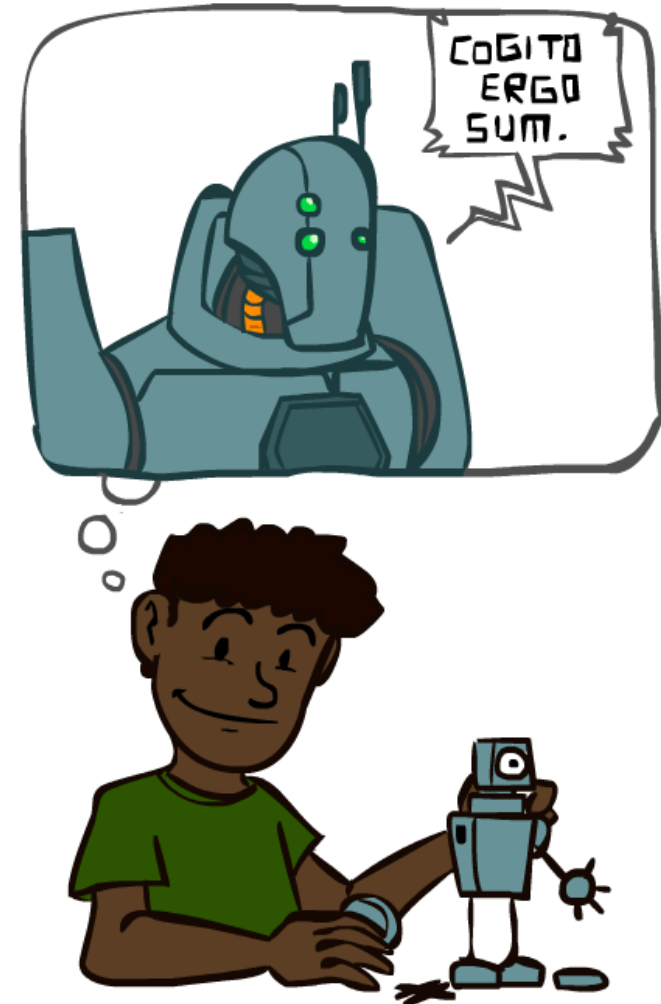
## 1990—: Statistical approaches

- Resurgence of probability, focus on uncertainty
- General increase in technical depth
- Agents and learning systems... "AI Spring"?

## 2012—: Deep learning

- 2012: ImageNet & AlexNet

Images: ai.berkeley.edu





# ML Applications?

## Speech Recognition

### 1. Learning to recognize spoken words

THEN	NOW
<p>"...the SPHINX system (e.g. Lee 1989) learns speaker-specific strategies for recognizing the primitive sounds (phonemes) and words from the observed speech signal...neural network methods...hidden Markov models..."</p>	

(Mitchell, 1997)

Source: <https://www.stonetemple.com/great-knowledge-box-showdown/#VoiceStudyResults>

## Robotics

### 2. Learning to drive an autonomous vehicle

THEN	NOW
<p>"...the ALVINN system (Pomerleau 1989) has used its learned strategies to drive unassisted at 70 miles per hour for 90 miles on public highways among other cars..."</p>	

(Mitchell, 1997)

waymo.com

## Games / Reasoning

### 3. Learning to beat the masters at board games

THEN	NOW
<p>"...the world's top computer program for backgammon, TD-GAMMON (Tesauro, 1992, 1995), learned its strategy by playing over one million practice games against itself..."</p>	

(Mitchell, 1997)

## Computer Vision

### 4. Learning to recognize images

THEN	NOW
<p>"...The recognizer is a convolution network that can be spatially replicated. From the network output, a hidden Markov model produces word scores. The entire system is globally trained to minimize word-level errors..."</p>	

(LeCun et al., 1995)

Images from <https://blog.openai.com/generative-models/>

## Learning Theory

### 5. In what cases and how well can we learn?

**Sample Complexity Results**

Definition: The sample complexity of a learning algorithm is the number of examples required to achieve arbitrarily small error (with respect to the optimal hypothesis) with high probability (i.e. close to 1).

Four Cases we care about...

Realizable	Agnostic
<p>Finite [PAC]: <math>N \geq \frac{1}{\epsilon} (\log \frac{1}{\delta}) + \frac{1}{\epsilon} \log \frac{1}{\delta}</math> (selected as <math>\delta = \frac{\epsilon}{2}</math>)</p>	<p>Infinite [PAC]: <math>N \geq \frac{1}{\epsilon} (\log \frac{1}{\delta}) + \frac{1}{\epsilon} \log \frac{1}{\delta}</math> (selected as <math>\delta = \frac{\epsilon}{2}</math>)</p>

**Two Types of Error**

① Test Error (aka expected risk) (aka Generalization Error)  
 $R(h) = \int_{\mathcal{X} \times \mathcal{Y}} \ell(h(x), y) p(x, y) dx dy$

② Train Error (aka empirical risk)  
 $\hat{R}(h) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \ell(h(x_i), y_i)$

Handwritten notes: "Empirical risk", "Learnable, computable", "S = {x^1, ..., x^N}"

**PAC Learn**

Q: Can we bound  $R(h)$  in terms of  $\hat{R}(h)$ ?  
 A: Yes!

PAC states: Probably (with high probability) Approximably (with high probability) Correct (with high probability)  $P(R(h) \leq \epsilon) \geq 1 - \delta$

DAG: PAC Criterion  
 $\mathbb{E}[\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \ell(h(x_i), y_i) - R(h)] \geq 1 - \delta$



# Machine Learning and Statistics

Statistics is also about learning from data

Statistics has been around from much longer!


What's the difference?

Until the mid 1990s:

**Statistics:**

- A branch of mathematics
- Emphasized rigor, correctness, provable properties (“is it correct?”)
- Was not very concerned with scaling
  - Not much awareness of computational complexity

**Machine Learning:**

- A branch of Computer Science / AI
- Focus on heuristics, making things work in practice (“does it work?”)
- Not much awareness of statistical theory 

# Machine Learning and Statistics

From the mid 1990s:

The two fields have effectively merged

- Carnegie Mellon has led the way!

ML is now often called “Statistical Machine Learning”

- There is very little non-statistical ML today





# Machine Learning Systems

Task

Experience

Performance measure

# Machine Learning Framework

## Formalize the task as a mapping from input to output

- Task examples will usually be pairs: (input, correct\_output)

## Formalize performance as an error measure

- or more generally, as an objective function (aka Loss function)

## Examples:

- Medical Diagnosis
  - mapping input to one of several classes/categories (aka classification)
- Predict tomorrow's Temperature
  - mapping input to a number (aka regression)
- Chance of Survival: From patient data to  $p(\text{survive} \geq 5 \text{ years})$ 
  - mapping input to probability (aka logistic regression)
- Driving recommendation
  - mapping input into a plan (aka Planning)

# Input/Output Tasks *Task*

numerical data → Iris classification → category

hour/time → Traffic prediction → num

img → Image classification → category

img → Image denoising → img

img → Medical image recon → img

text → Text to image generation → img

rand num → Face generation → img

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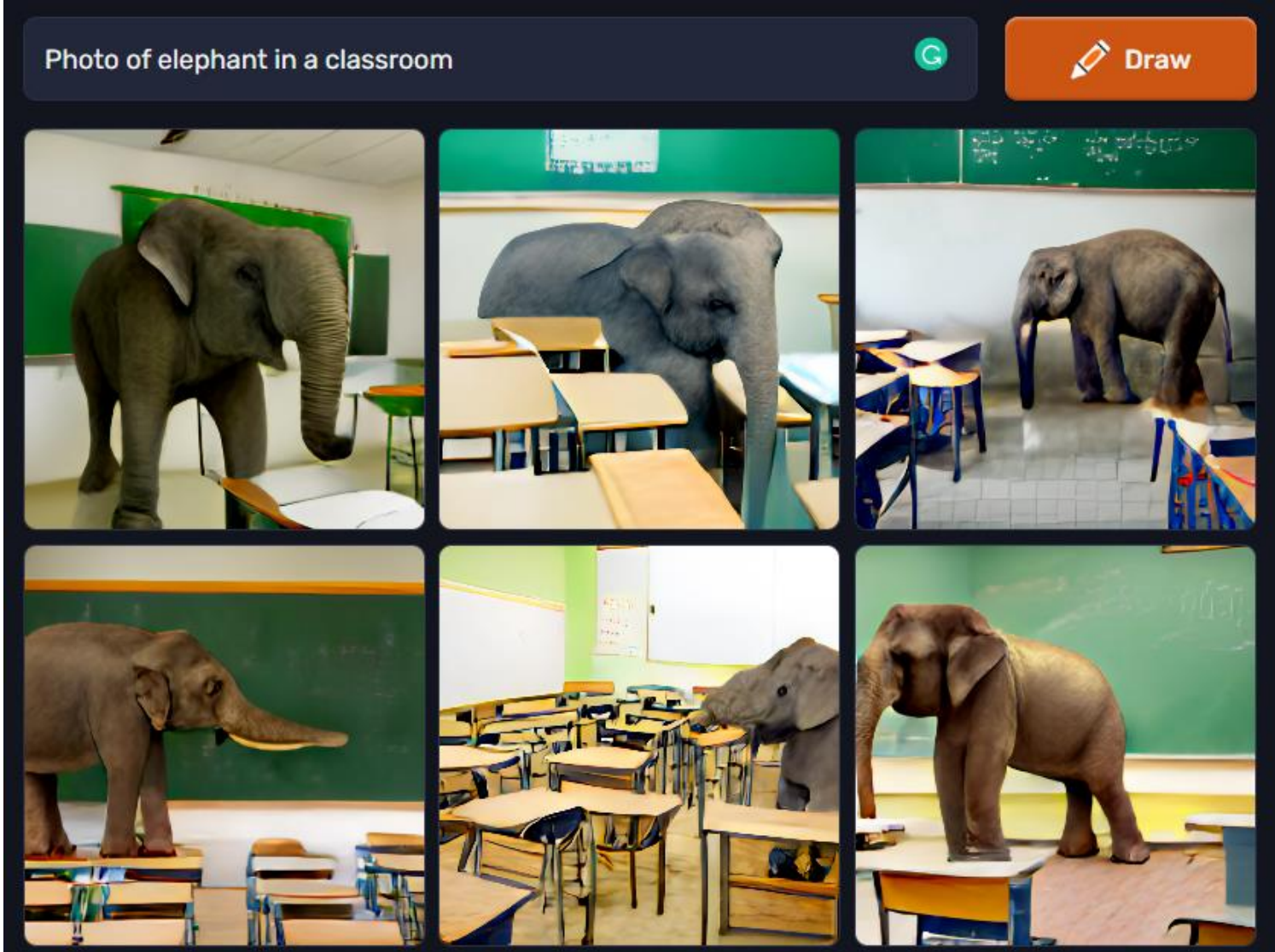



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 Axios

**AI could someday make medical decisions instead of your doctor**


ChatGPT recently passed all three parts of the U.S. Medical Licensing Examination.  
4 hours ago




 Ad Age

**What generative AI means for brands—a marketing guide to ChatGPT, DALL-E and other artificial intelligence**


Chatbots and image generators are the latest technology piquing marketers' interest.  
7 hours ago



 Business Insider

**ChatGPT is a 'game changer,' says Coursera CEO**

Coursera CEO Jeff Maggioncalda said that he uses ChatGPT daily and plans to integrate the AI into his company's coursework despite its early...  
1 day ago



# Dimensionality Reduction

<https://cs.stanford.edu/people/karpathy/convnetjs/demo/autoencoder.html>



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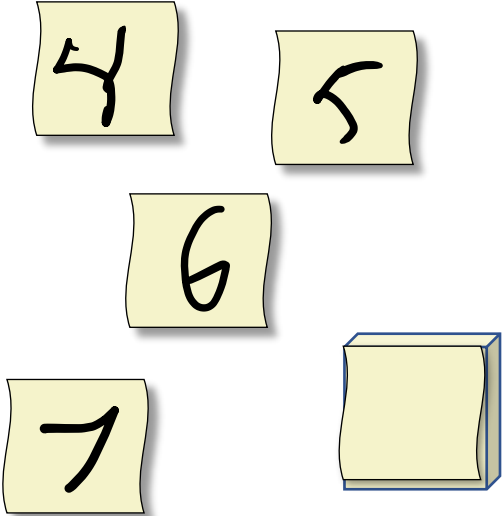
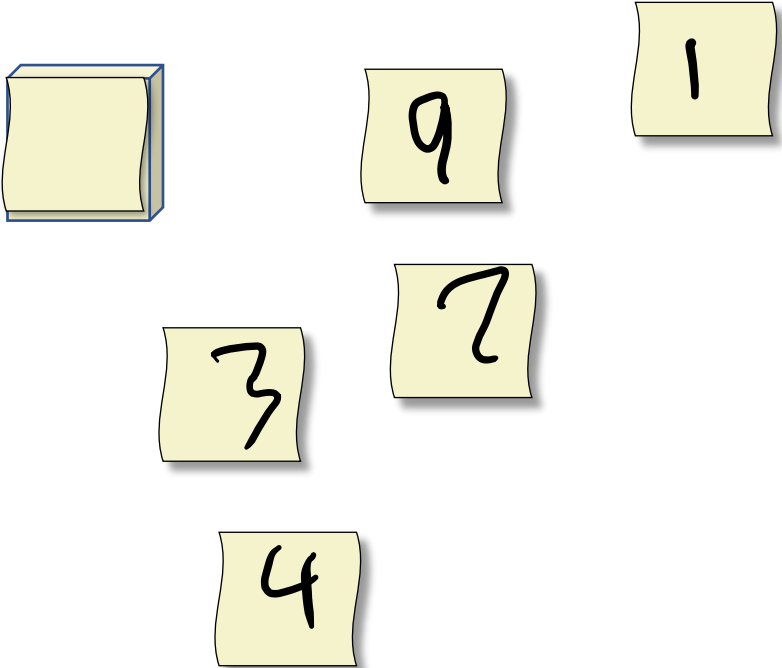
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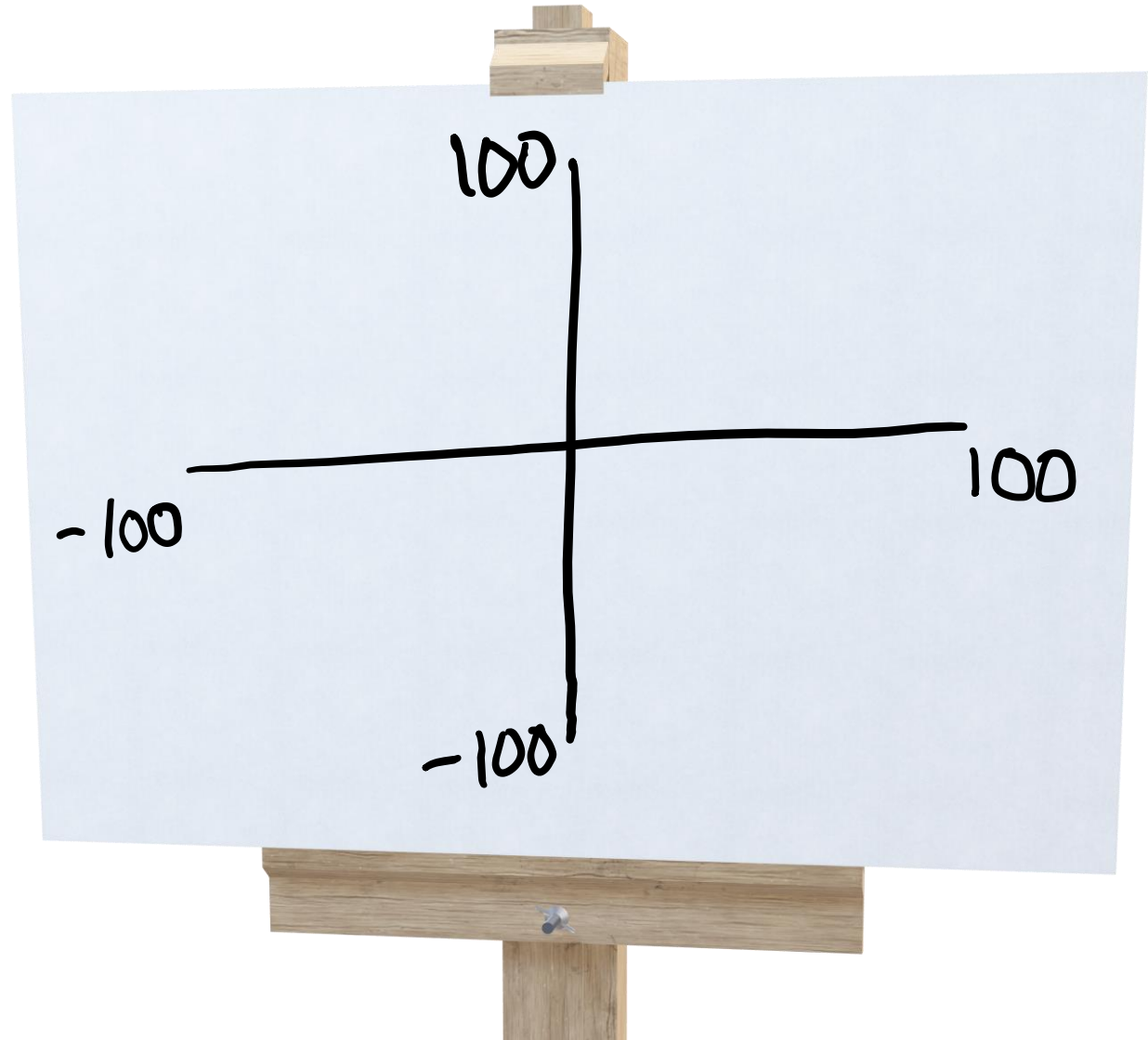
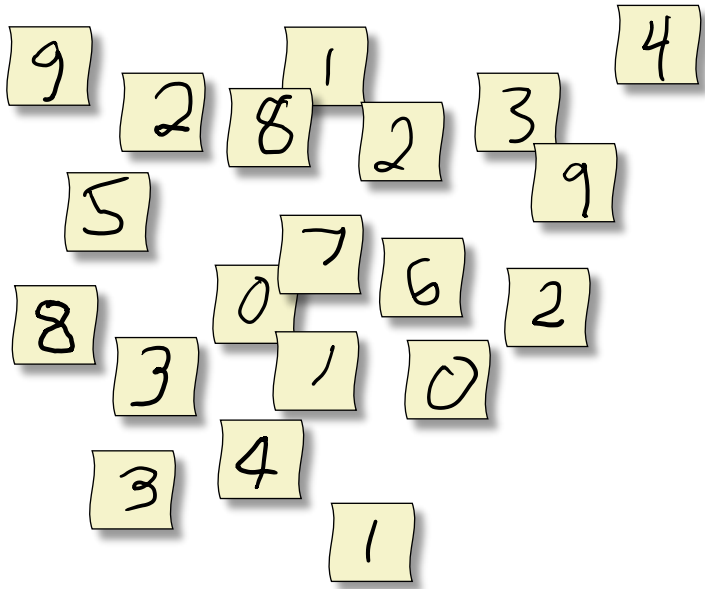
# Exercise: Human-defined Feature Space

Step1: Write a bunch of digits 0-9 on post-it notes



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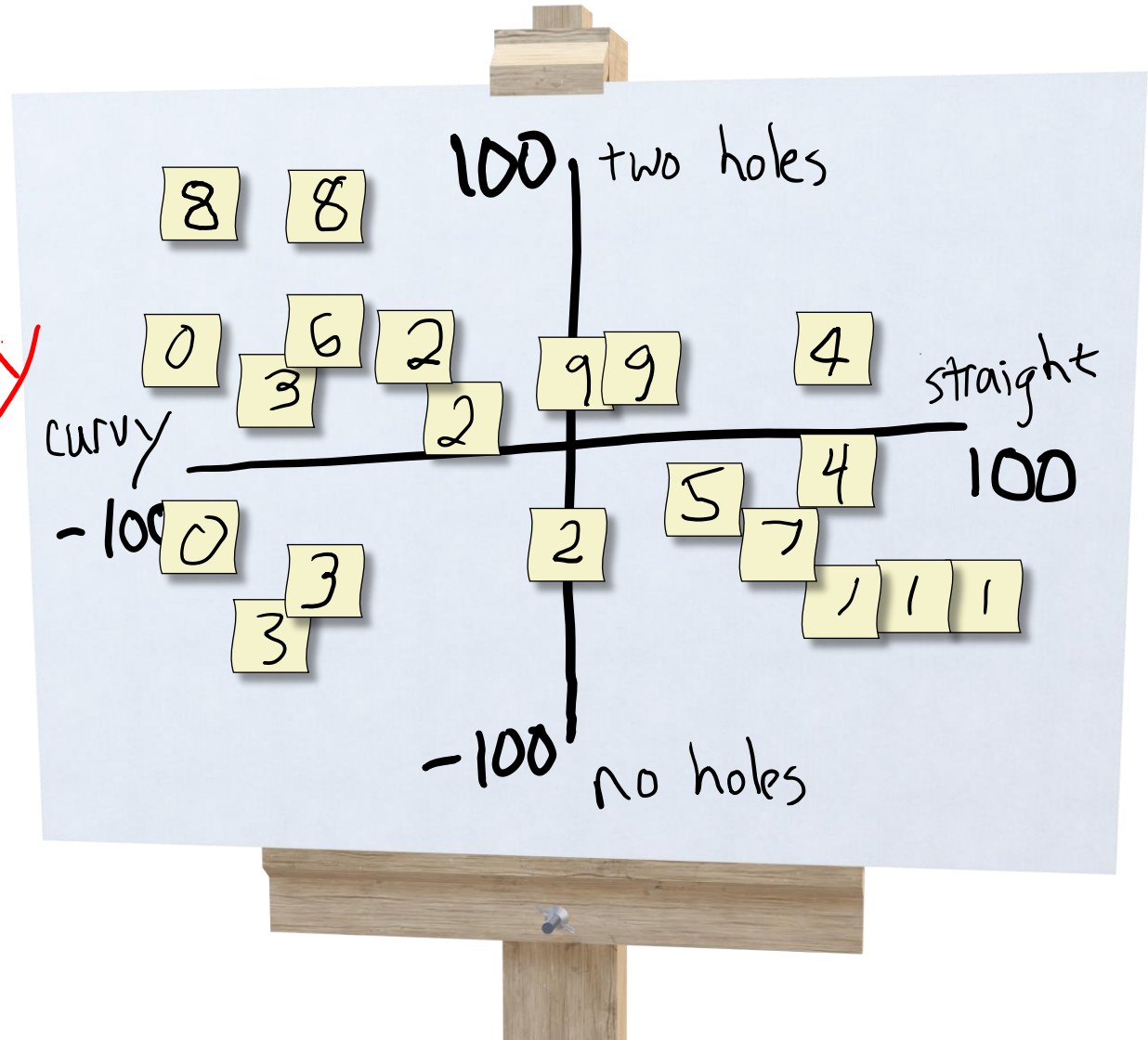
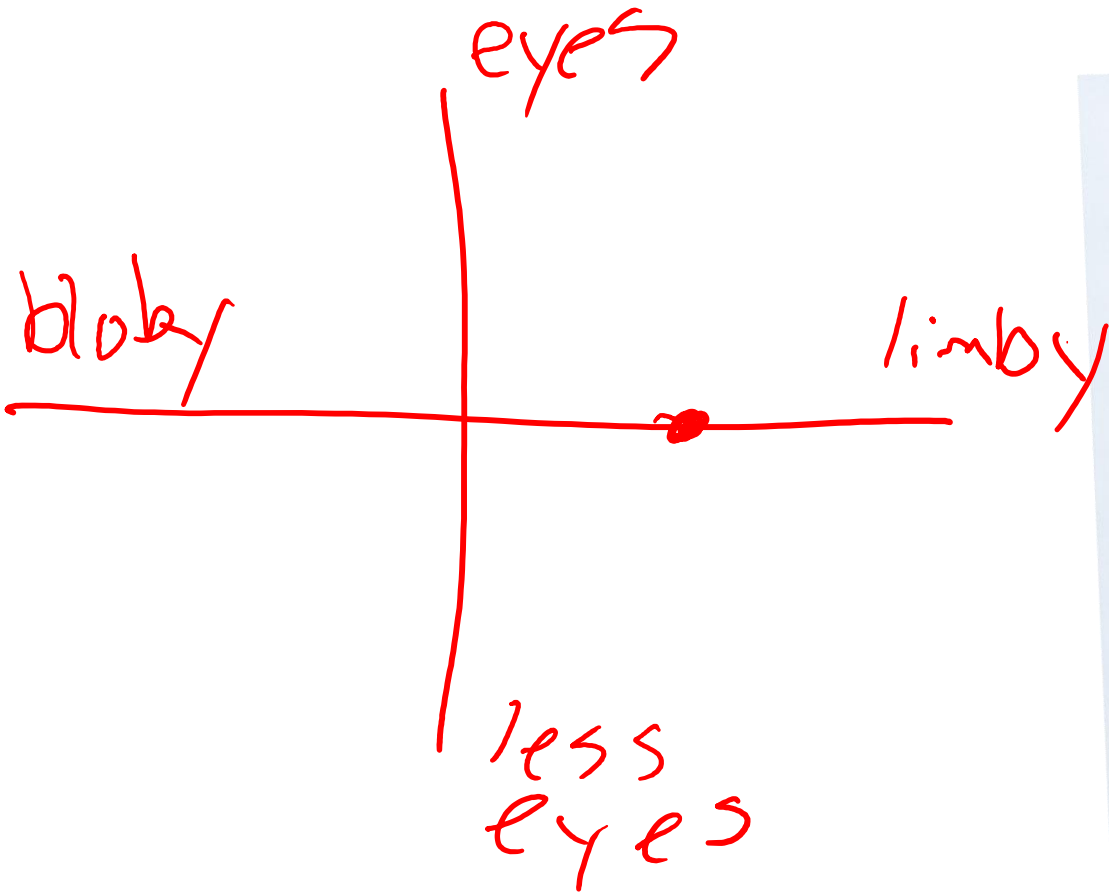
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Optional: label the extreme ends of both coordinate axes

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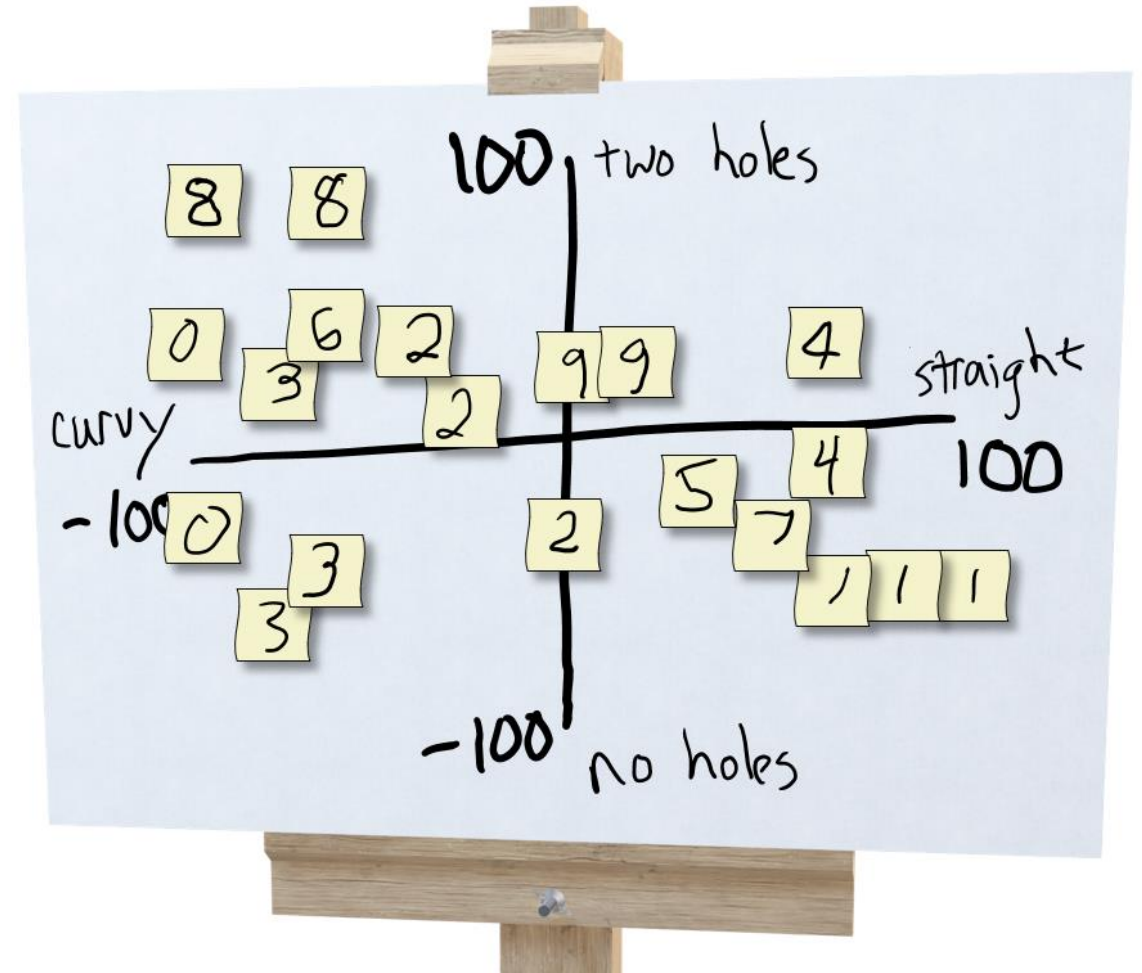
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# Exercise: Human-defined Feature Space

## Step 3: Prediction!

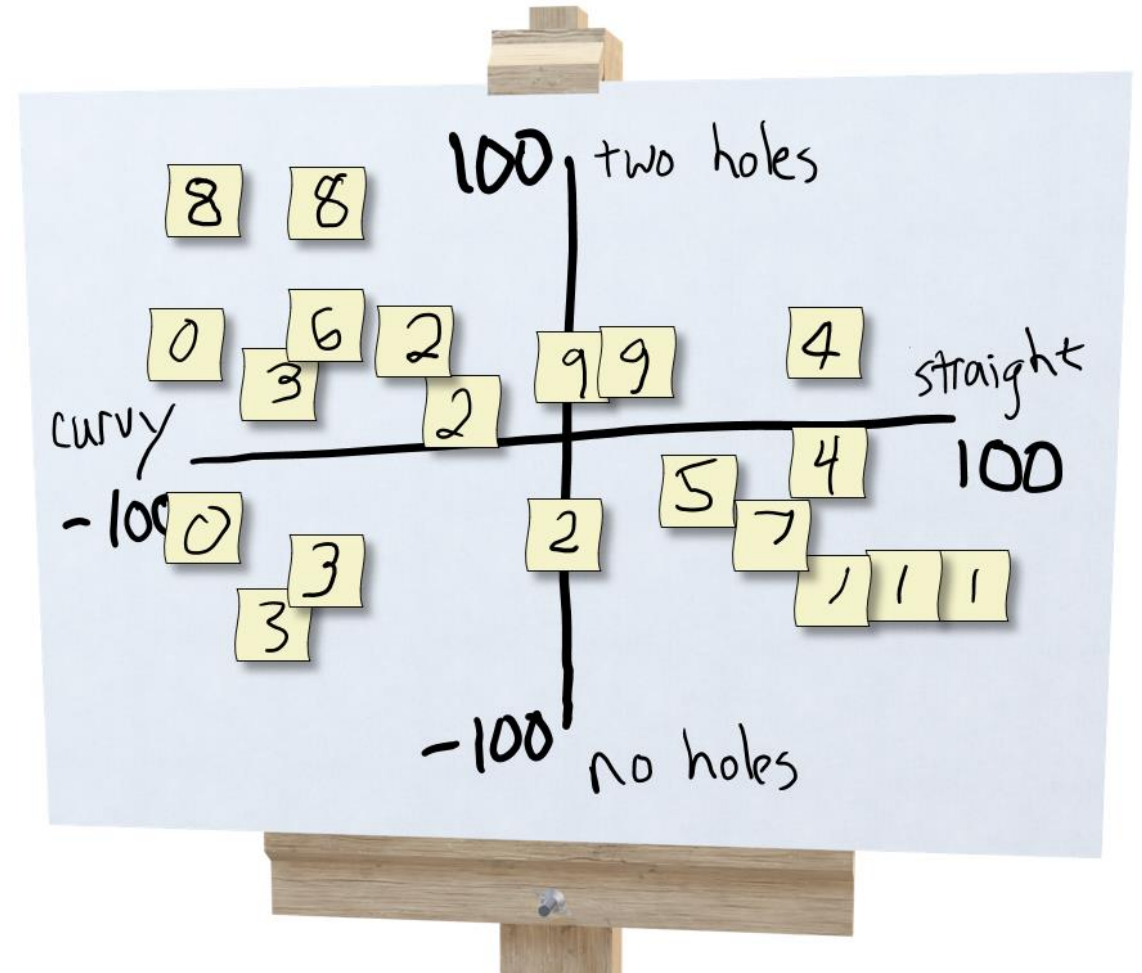
1. Select three students: A,B,C
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3. Student B thinks about where to plot it and comes up with a 2-D coordinate,  $(x, y)$
4. Student C looks at the coordinate and the plot (but not the drawing from A) and predicts the digit, 0-9



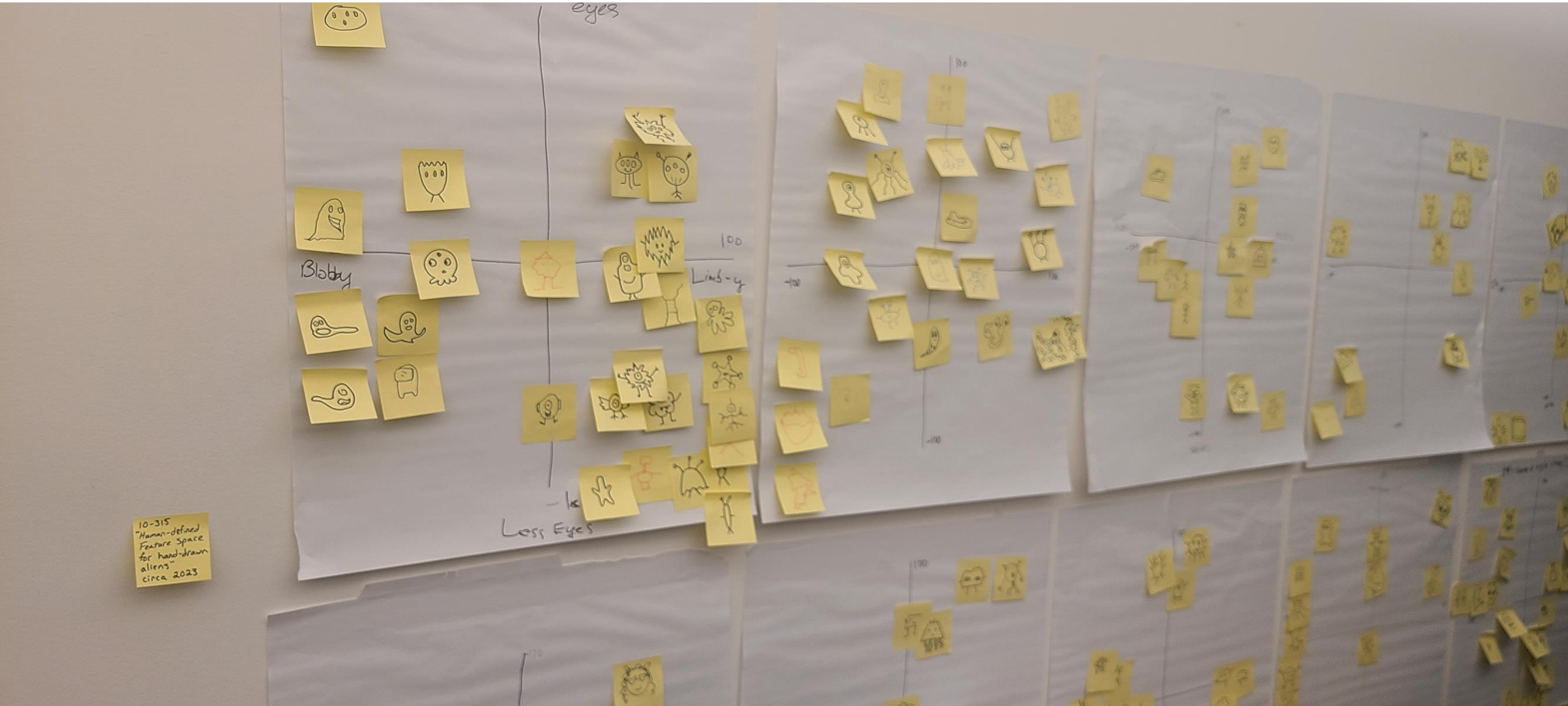
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## Step 4: Creation!

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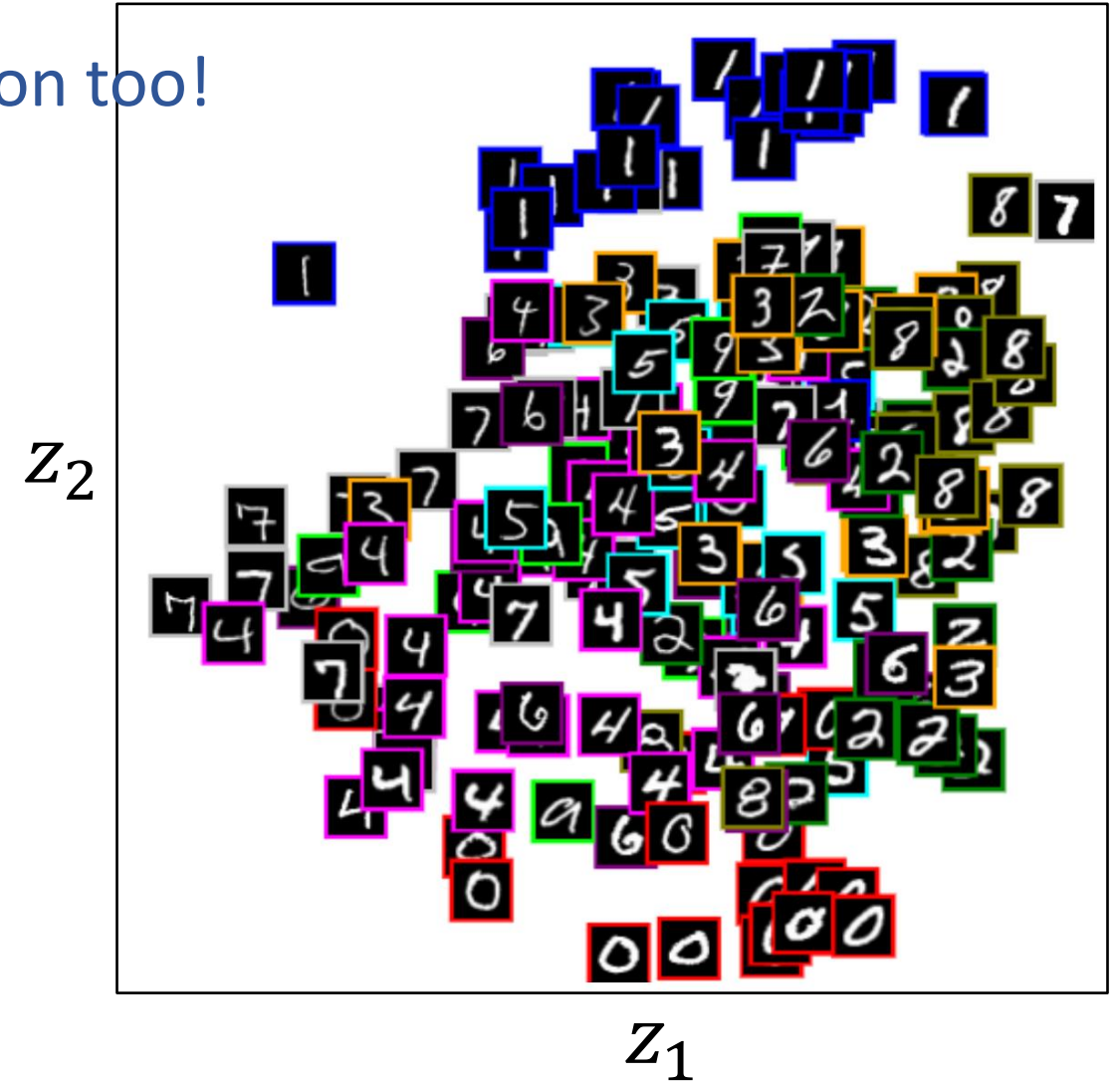
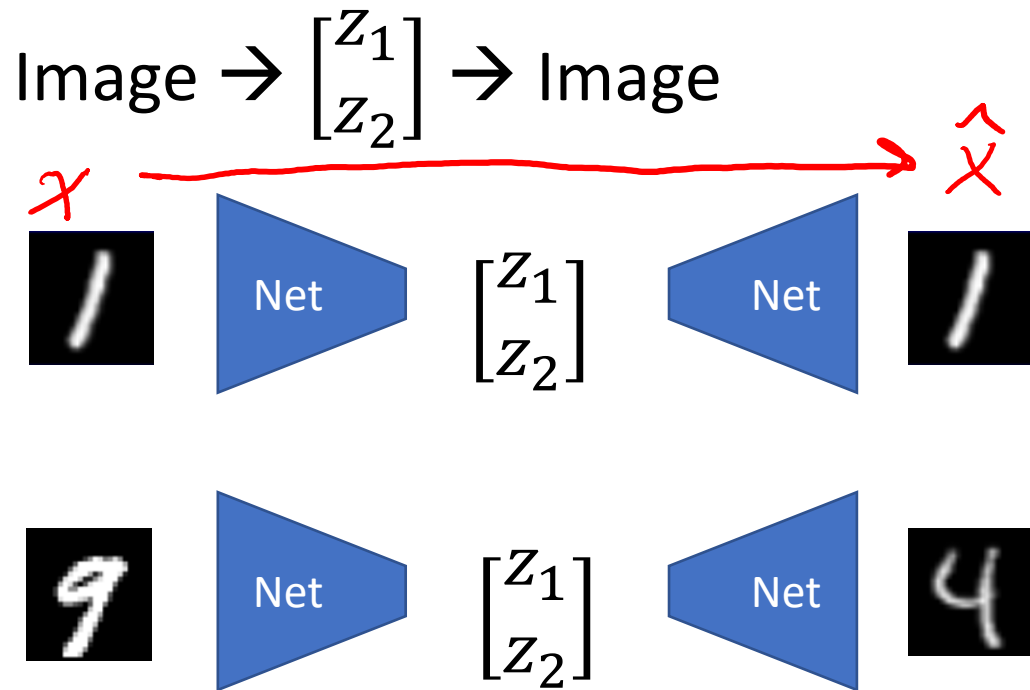
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"Human-defined  
Feature Space  
for hand-drawn  
aliens"  
circa 2023

# Learning to Organize Data

Neural networks can learn to organization too!

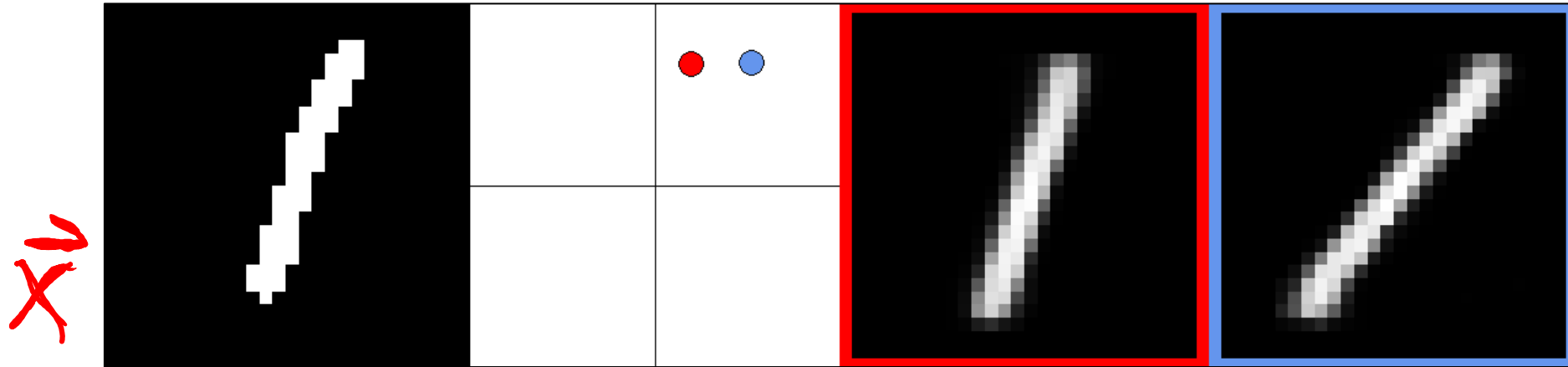


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# Digit Autoencoder

Demo: Using a learned feature space

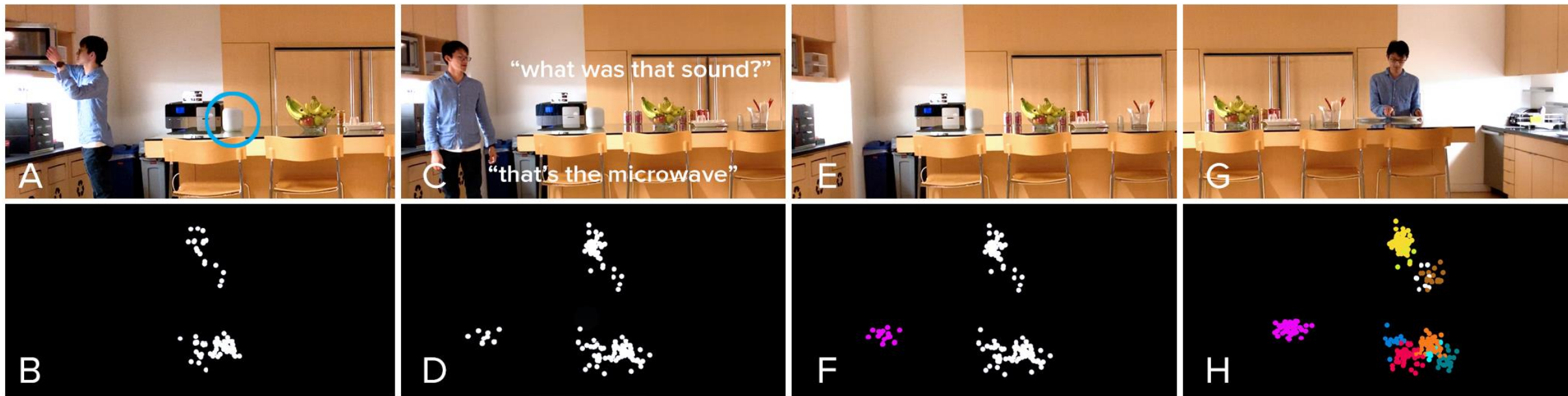


$$\text{encoder}(\vec{x}) \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{decode}} \text{decode}(\vec{z}) \rightarrow \hat{\vec{x}}$$



# Listen Learner

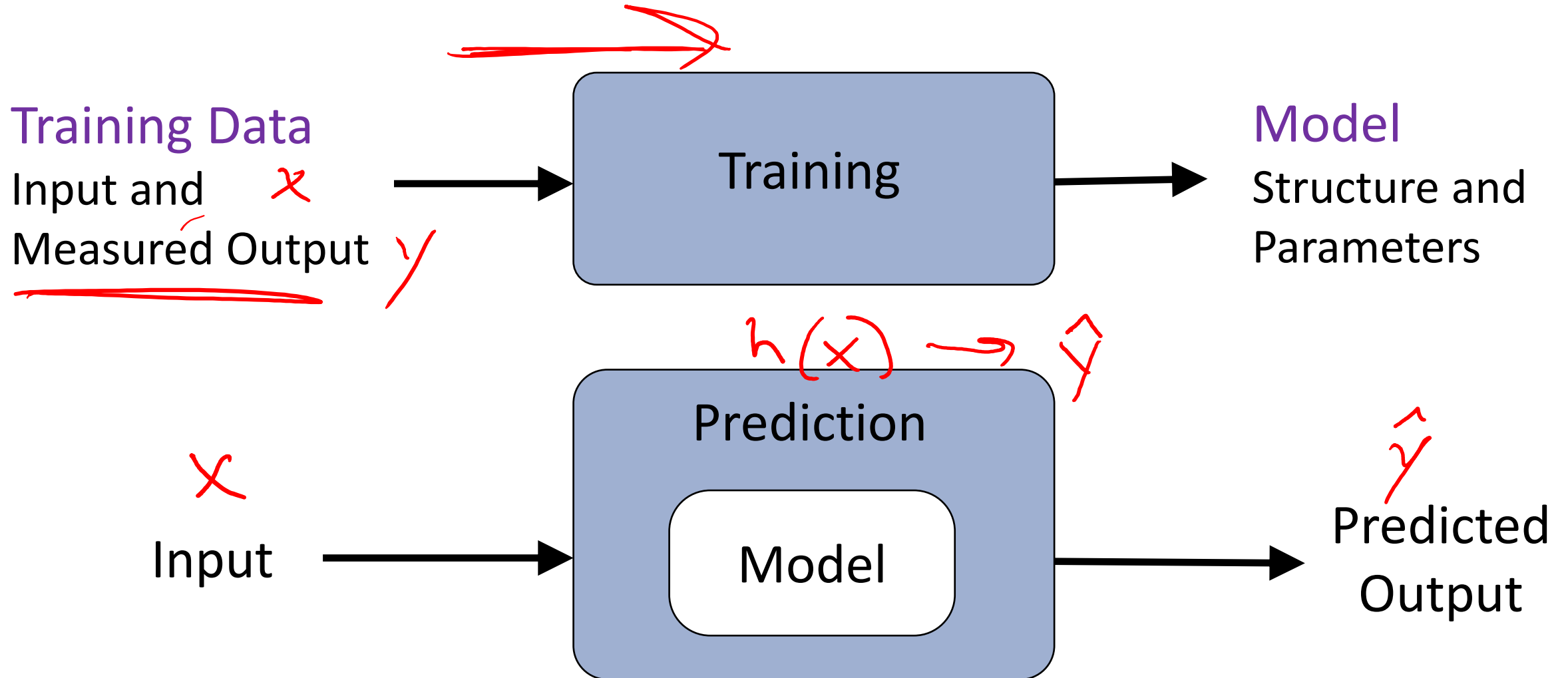
Chris Harrison, CMU



<https://chrisharrison.net/index.php/Research/ListenLearner>

# Machine Learning

Using (training) data to learn a model that we'll later use for prediction



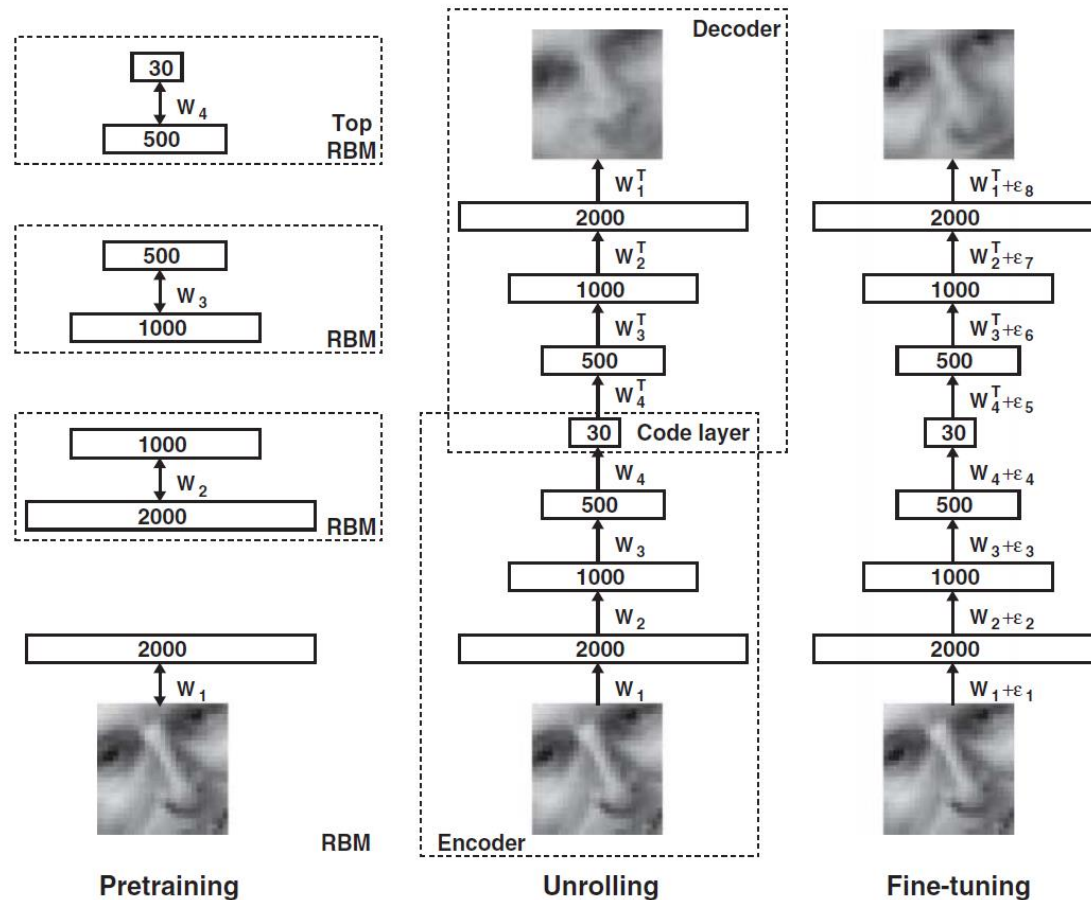
# Autoencoder Model

# Dimensionality Reduction with Deep Learning

Hinton, Geoffrey E., and Ruslan R. Salakhutdinov.

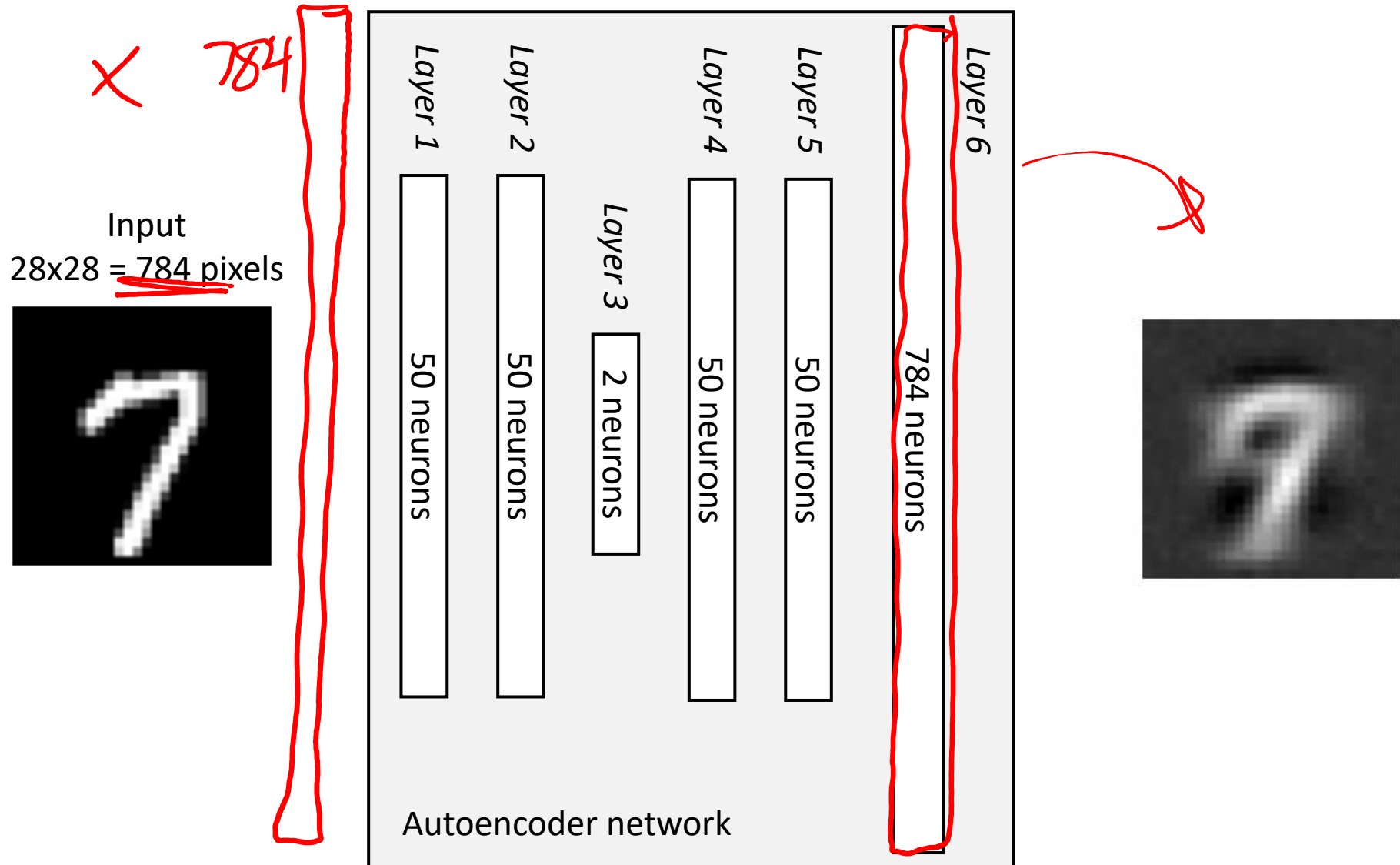
"Reducing the dimensionality of data with neural networks."

*Science* 313.5786 (2006): 504-507.



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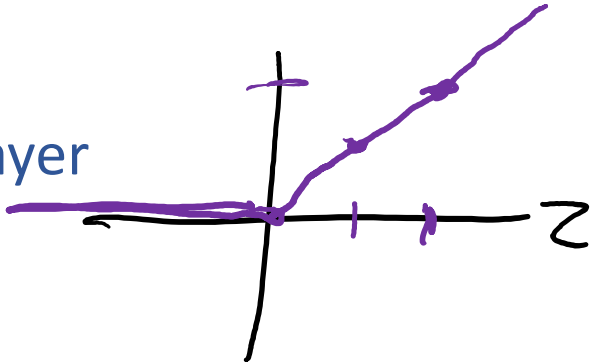
# Digit Autoencoder

Math for autoencoder model

Linear layer  $\vec{x}, W, \vec{b}$

$$W\vec{x} + \vec{b}$$

ReLU layer



$$\max(z, 0)$$

$$\max(\vec{z}, 0)$$

Tanh layer

$$\max\left(\begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ z_3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

# Course Information

Website: <https://www.cs.cmu.edu/~10315>



Canvas: [canvas.cmu.edu](https://canvas.cmu.edu)

Gradescope: [gradescope.com](https://gradescope.com)

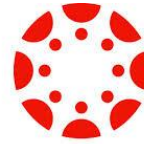
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canvas

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# Course Information

## Lectures

- Pre-reading before week of lecture
- Lectures are recorded
  - Shared with our course and ML course staff only
- Participation points earned by answering Piazza polls in lecture
- Slides will be posted

## Recitations

- Recommended attendance
- Not recorded, no participation points in recitation
- Recitation materials are in-scope for quizzes and exams

# Course Information

## Office Hours

- OH calendar on course website
- OH-by-appointment requests are certainly welcome



## Mental Health

# Announcements

## Updates for this week

- HW1
  - Out this evening
  - Due Sat 1/28, 11:59 pm
- Pick with pre-reading and check-point to get ready for next week
- Policies up on website by tomorrow morning
- Piazza polls will be practice today
  - Use this to work out any kinks