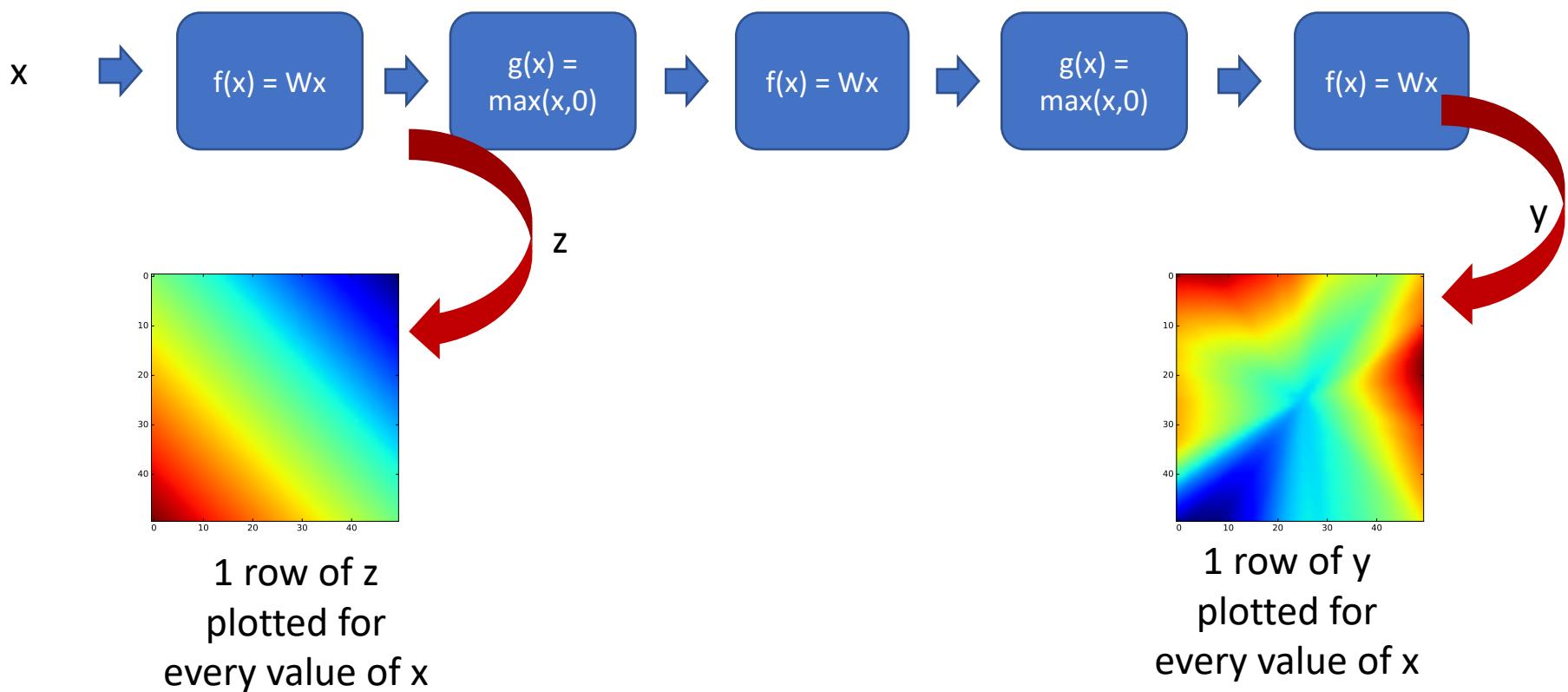


# Convolutional network training

# Multilayer perceptrons

- Key idea: build complex functions by composing simple functions



# Linear function + translation invariance = *convolution*

- Local connectivity determines kernel size

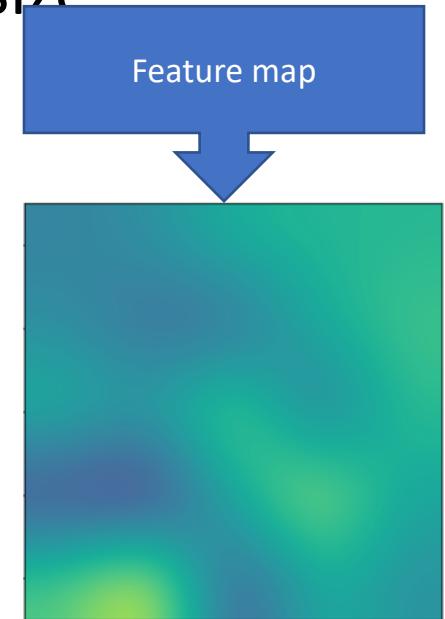
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# Linear function + translation invariance = *convolution*

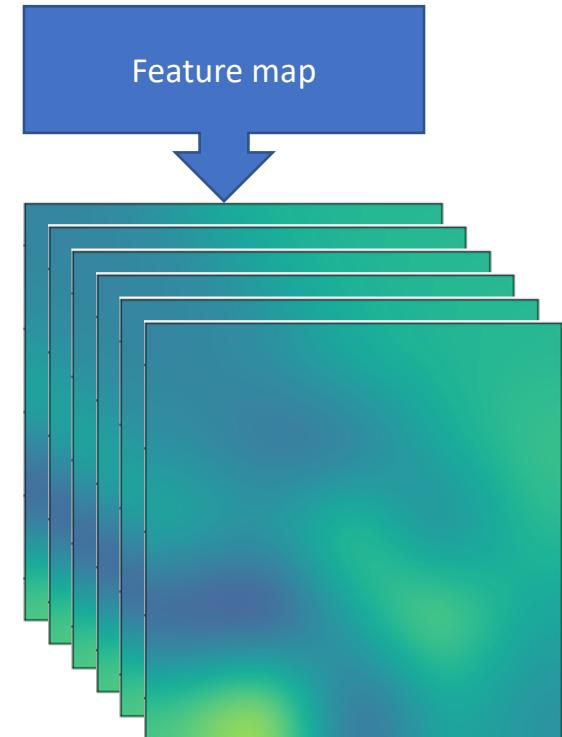
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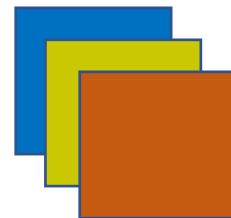
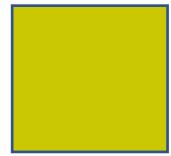


# Convolution with multiple filters

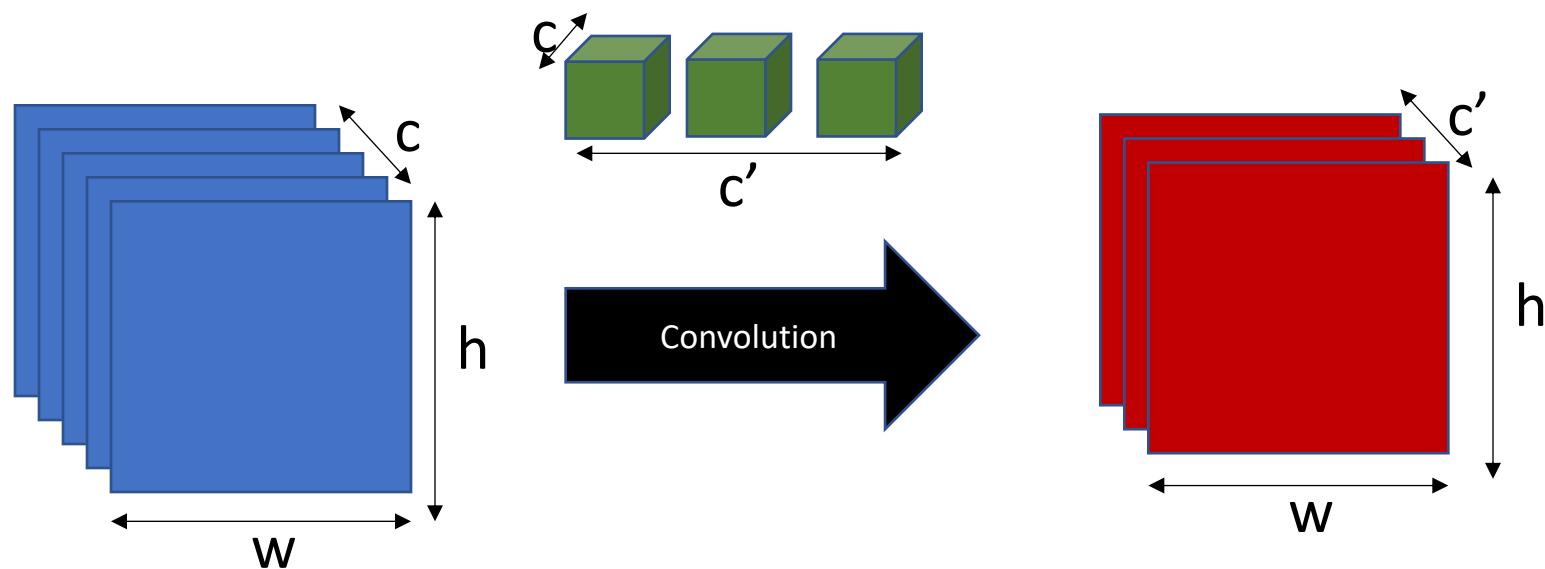
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# Convolution over multiple channels

 $*$  $=$  $*$  $+$  $*$ 

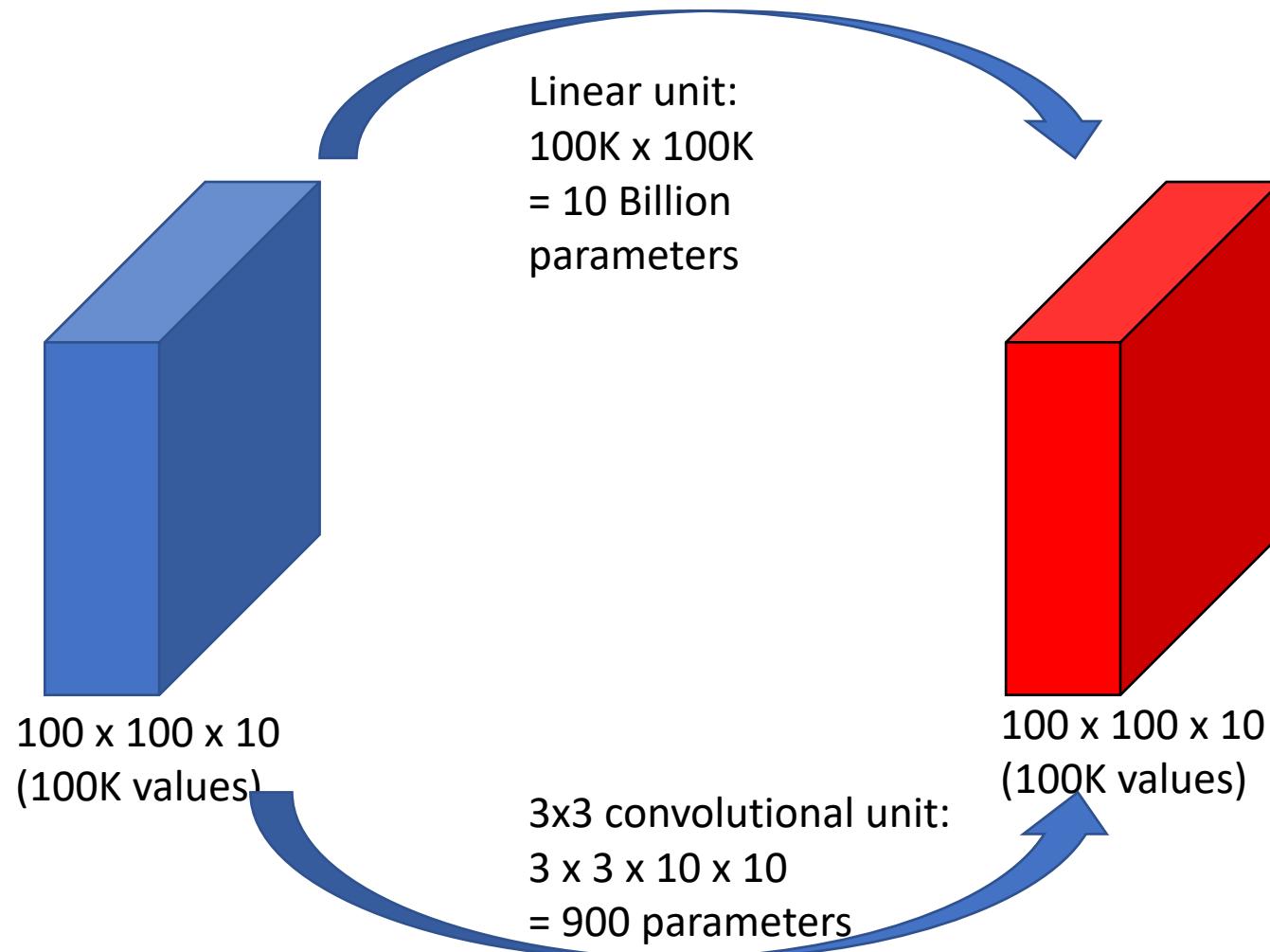
# Convolution as a primitive



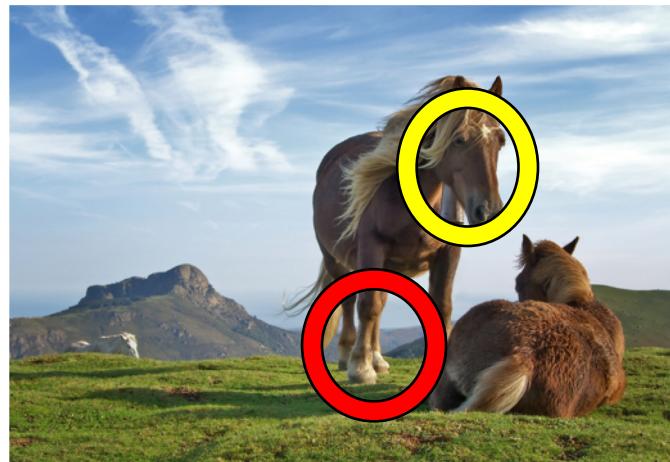
# The convolution unit

- Each convolutional unit takes *a collection of feature maps* as input, and produces *a collection of feature maps* as output
- Parameters: Filters (+bias)
- If  $c_{in}$  input feature maps and  $c_{out}$  output feature maps
  - Each filter is  $k \times k \times c_{in}$
  - There are  $c_{out}$  such filters
- Other hyperparameters: padding

# Convolution vs Linear unit

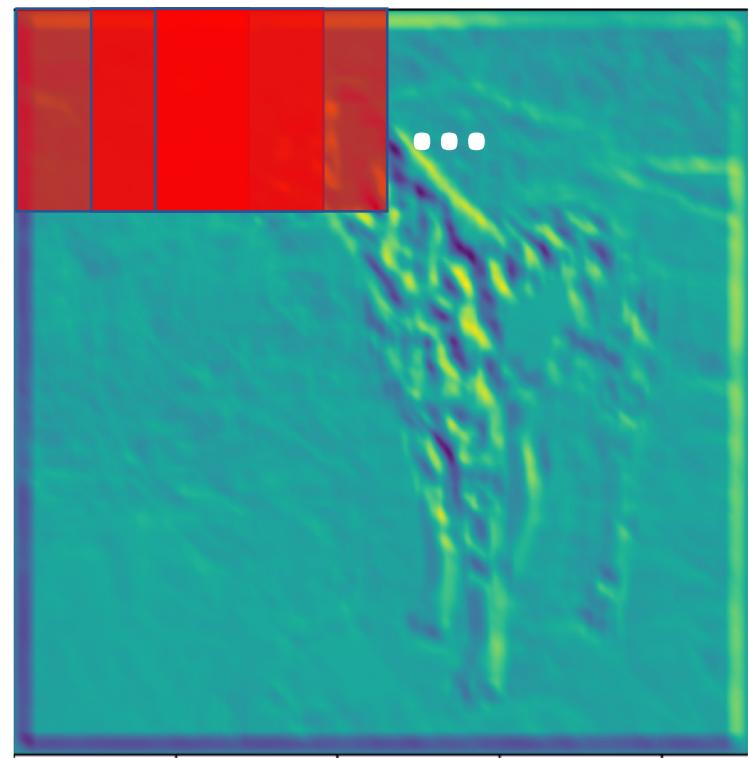


# Invariance to distortions

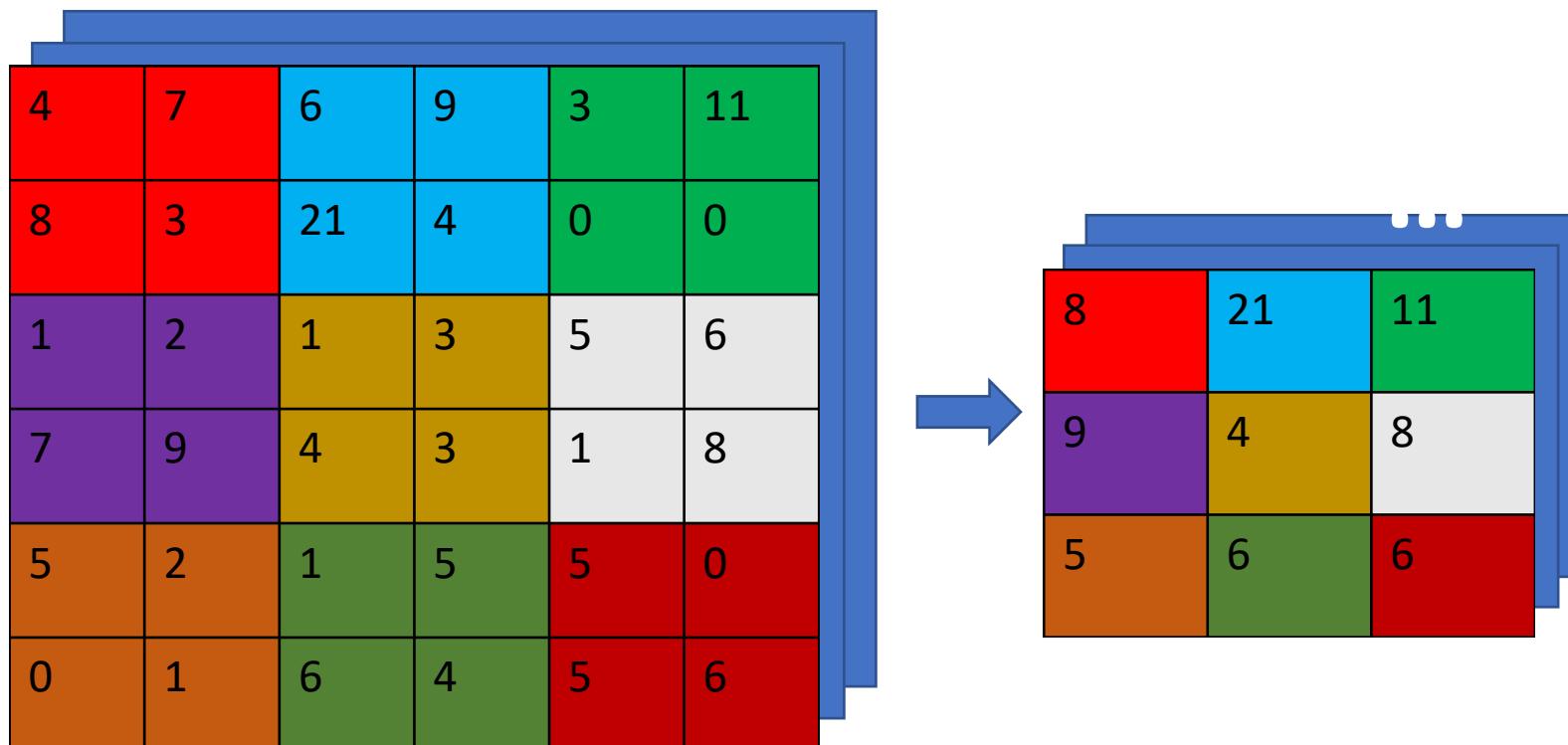


# Invariance to distortions: Pooling

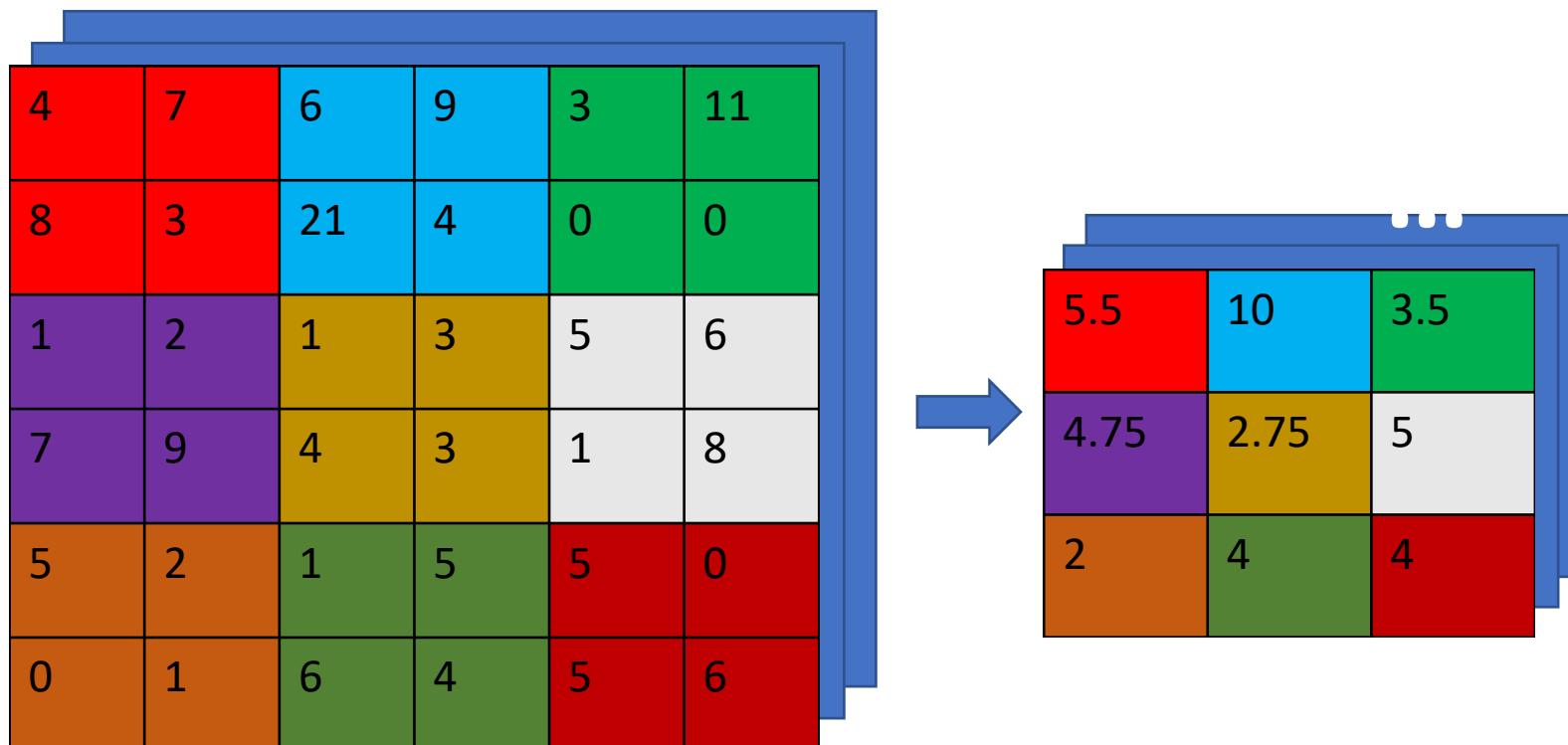
- Each window is reduced to a single value, example max or average



# Invariance to distortions: Max Pooling



# Invariance to distortions: Average Pooling



# Global average pooling

4	7	6	9	3	11
8	3	21	4	0	0
1	2	1	3	5	6
7	9	4	3	1	8
5	2	1	5	5	0
0	1	6	4	5	6

w x h x c

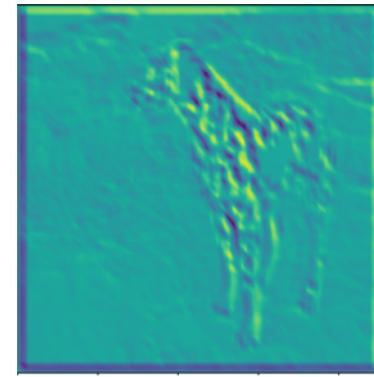
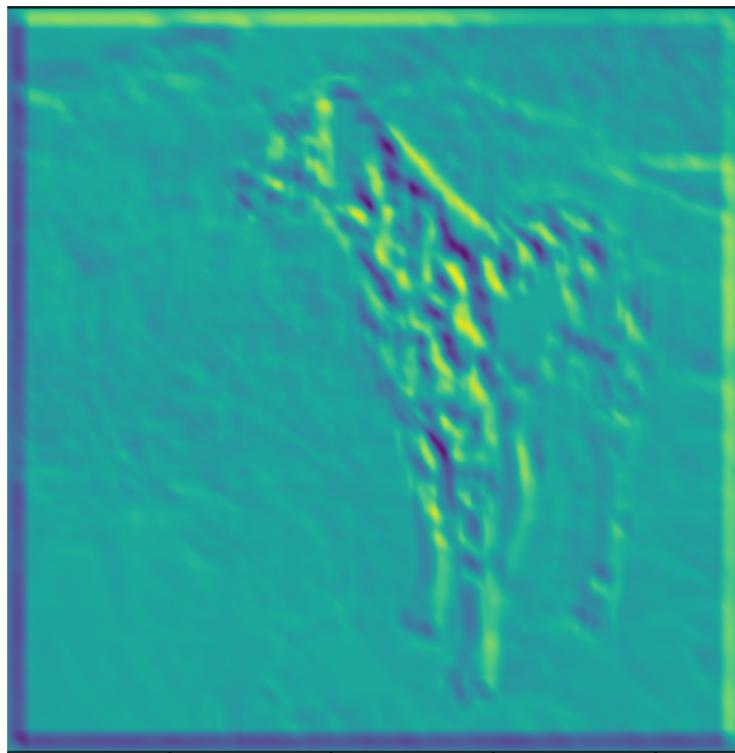


$1 \times 1 \times c$   
=c dimensional vector

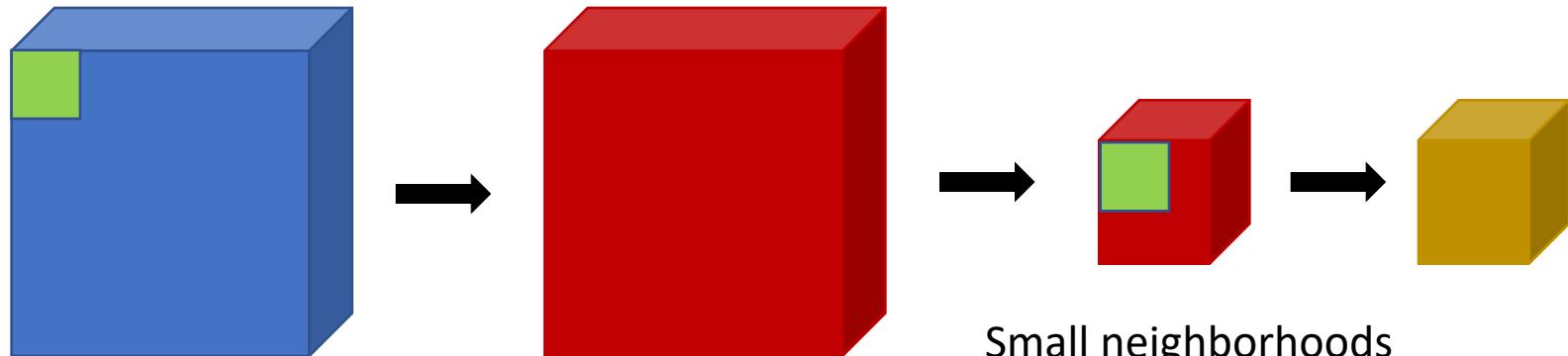
# The pooling unit

- Each pooling unit takes *a collection of feature maps* as input and produces *a collection of feature maps* as output
- Output feature maps are usually smaller in height / width
- Parameters: None

# Invariance to distortions: Subsampling



# Convolution subsampling convolution



Small neighborhoods  
on subsampled  
feature map = large  
neighborhood on  
original image

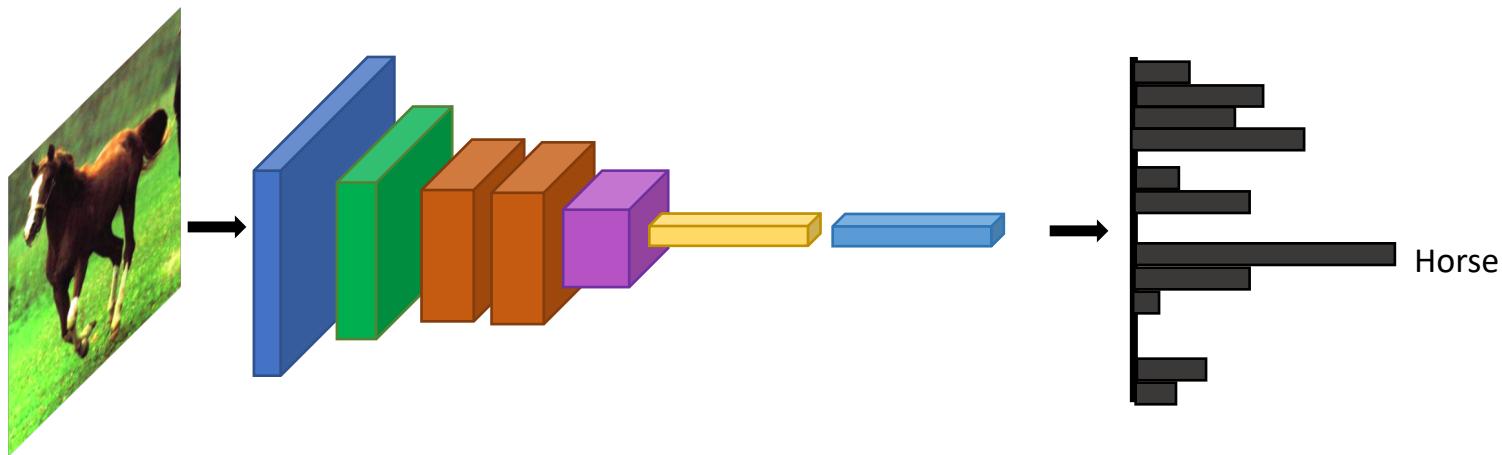
# Convolution subsampling convolution

- Convolution in earlier steps detects *more local* patterns *less resilient* to distortion
- Convolution in later steps detects *more global* patterns *more resilient* to distortion
- Subsampling allows capture of *larger, more invariant* patterns

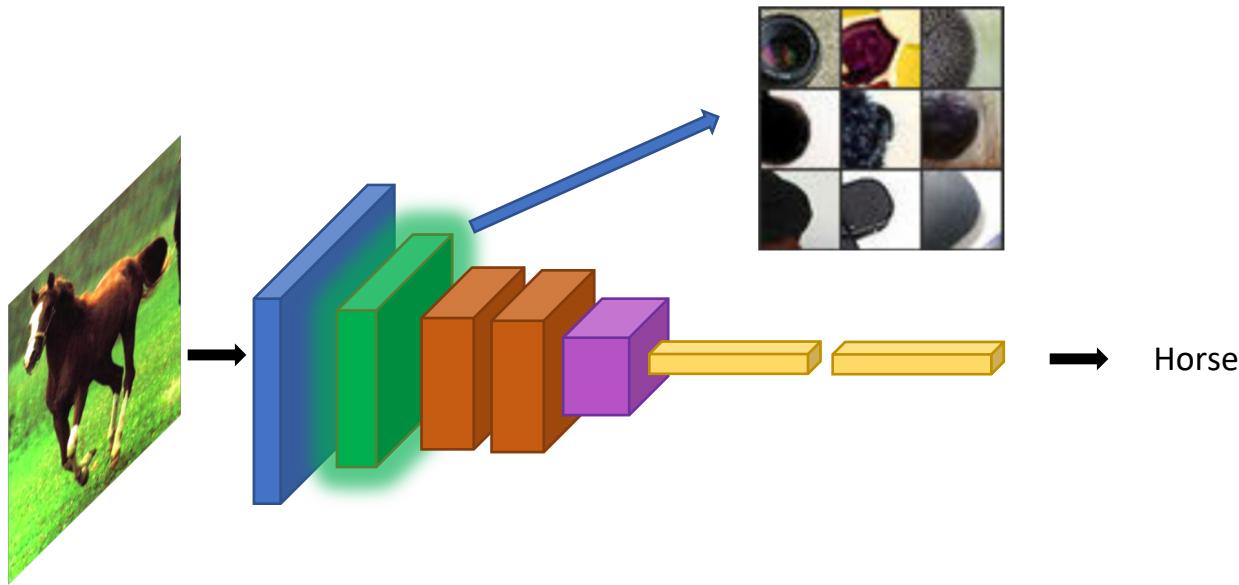
# Strided convolution

- Convolution with stride  $s$  = standard convolution + subsampling by picking 1 value every  $s$  values
- Example: convolution with stride 2 = standard convolution + subsampling by a factor of 2

# Convolutional networks

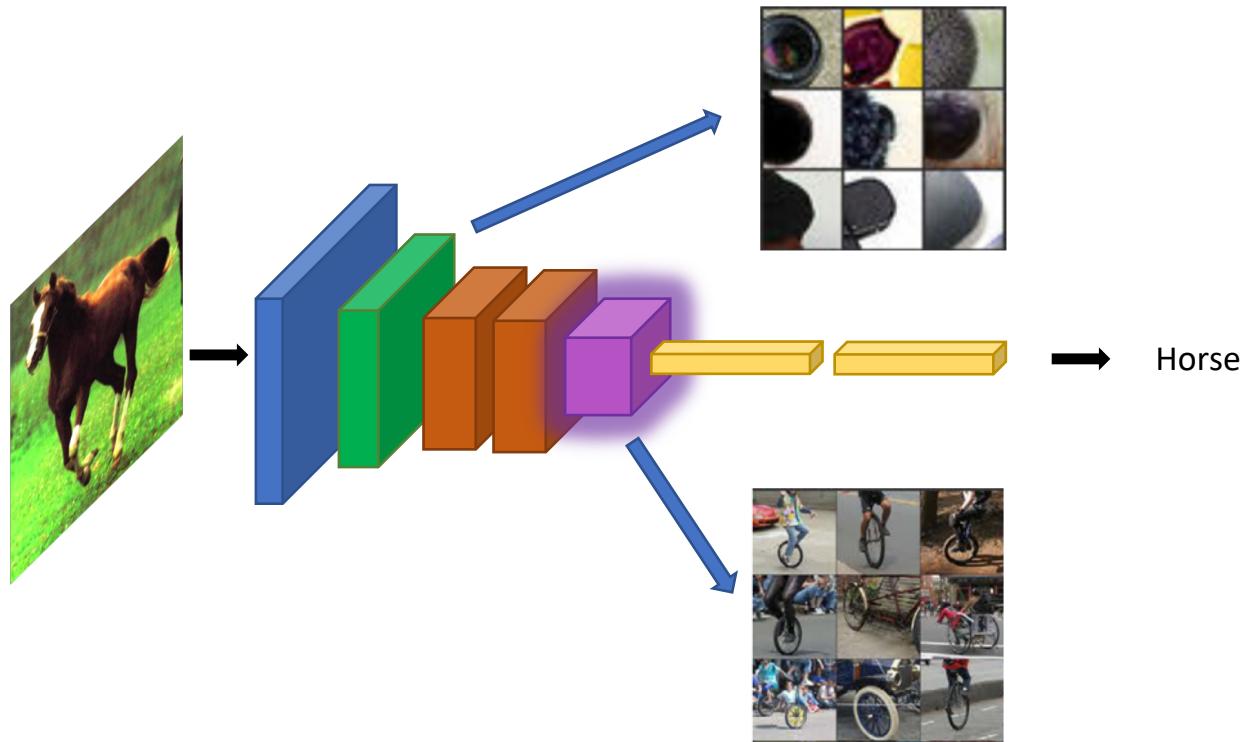


# Convolutional networks



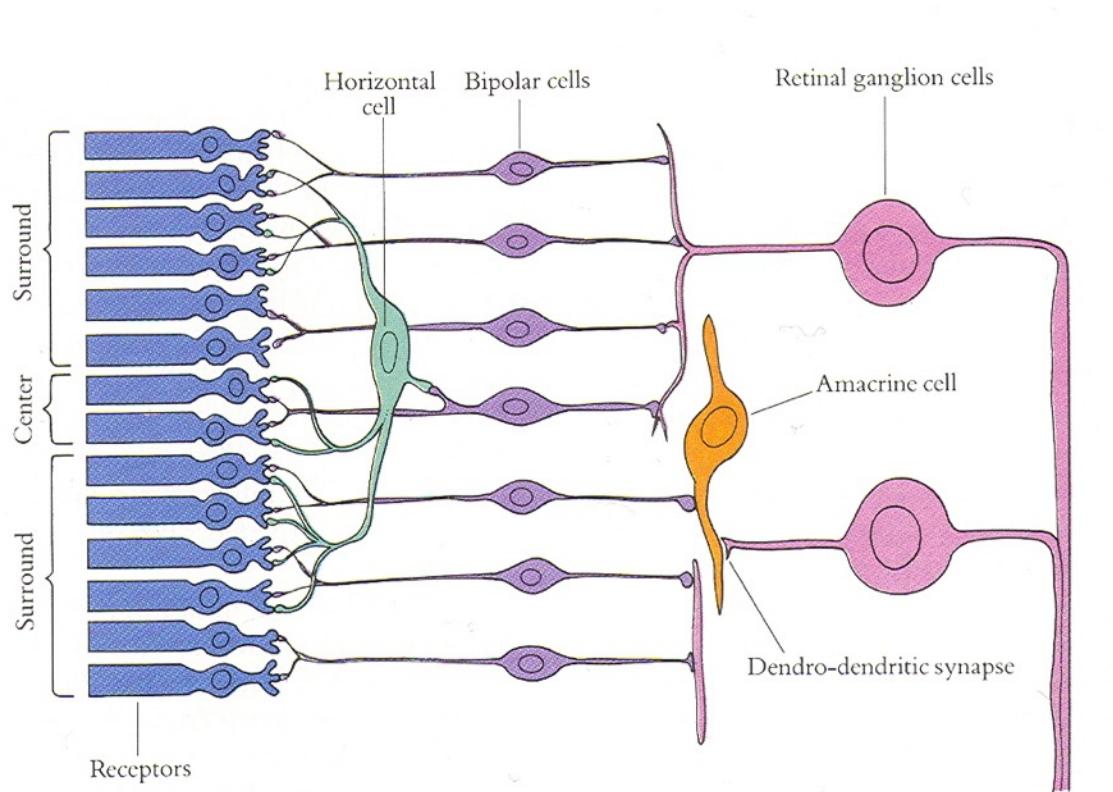
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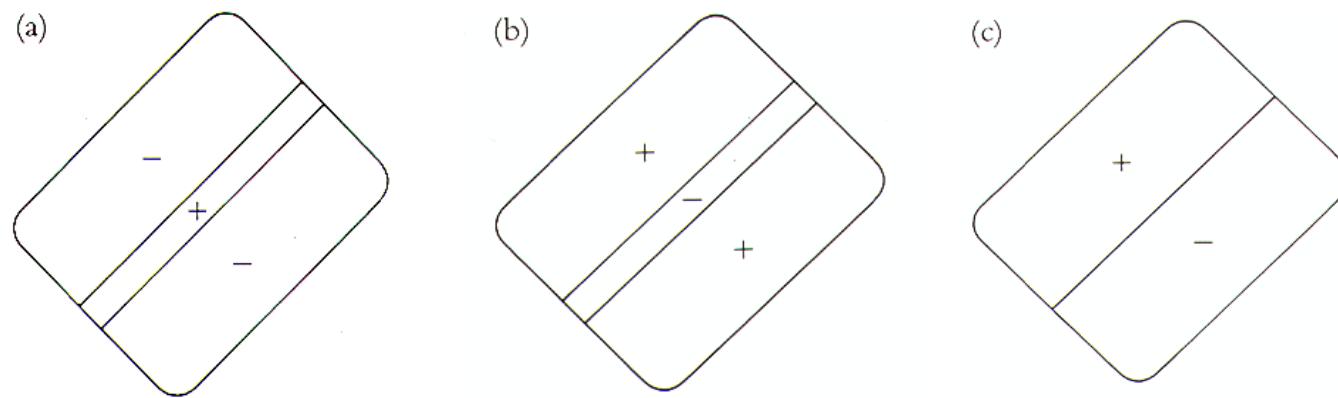
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# Convolutional Networks and the Brain



Slide credit: Jitendra Malik

# Receptive fields of simple cells (discovered by Hubel & Wiesel)



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# Convolutional networks

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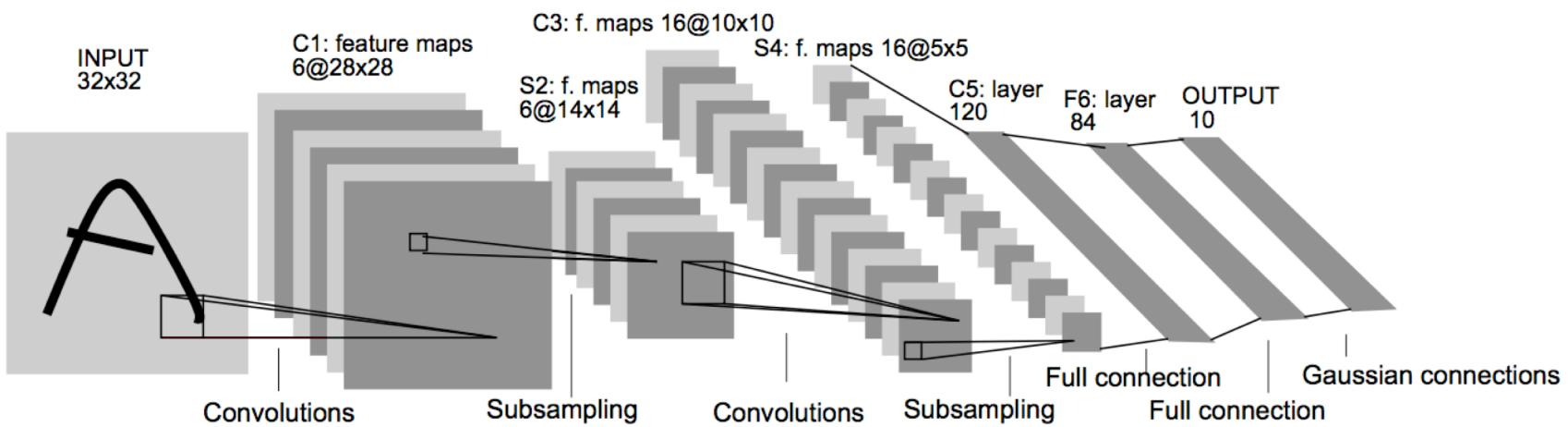
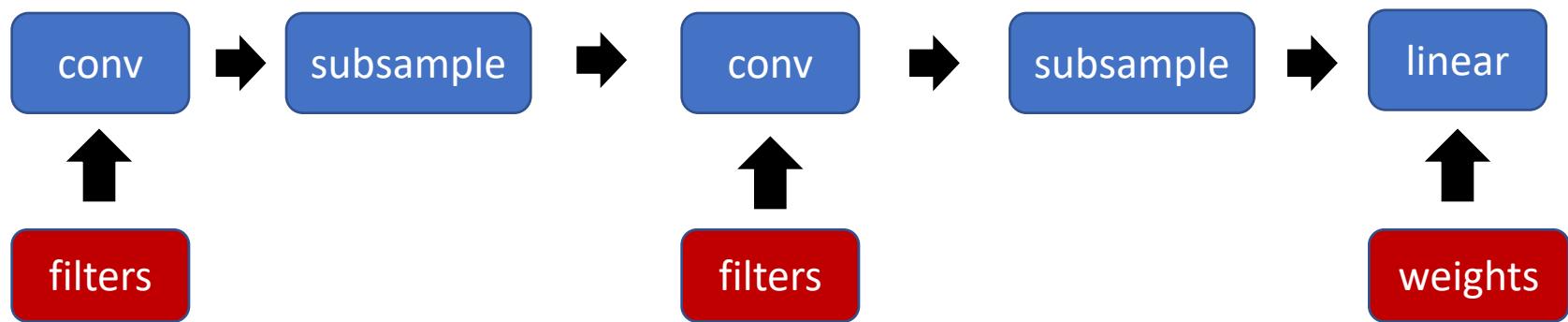


Fig. 2. Architecture of LeNet-5, a Convolutional Neural Network, here for digits recognition. Each plane is a feature map, i.e. a set of units whose weights are constrained to be identical.

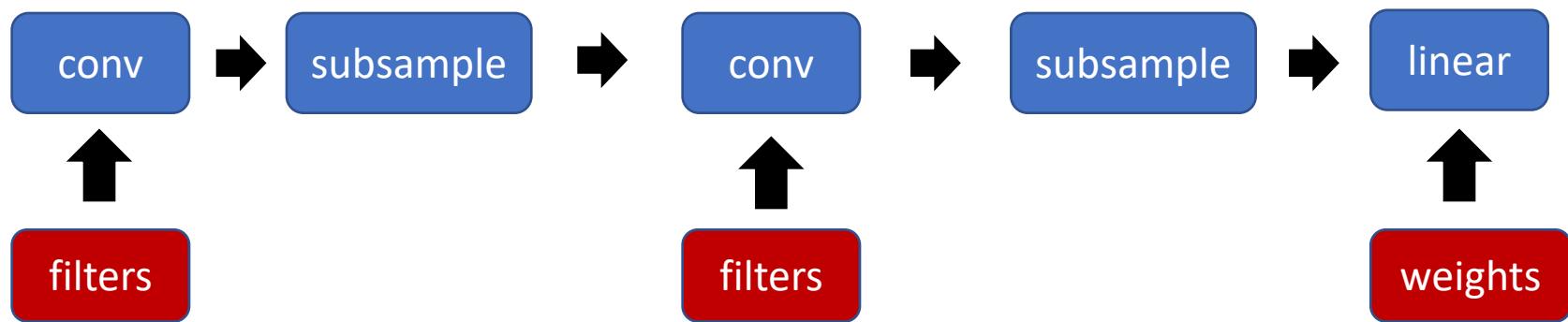
# Convolutional networks



# Last time

- Linear classifiers on pixels bad, need non-linear classifiers
- Multi-layer perceptrons overparametrized
- Reduce parameters by local connections and shift invariance => Convolution
- Intersperse subsampling to capture ever larger deformations
- Stick a final classifier

# Convolutional networks



# Empirical Risk Minimization

$$\min_{\theta} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N L(h(x_i; \theta), y_i)$$



Convolutional network

$$\theta^{(t+1)} = \theta^{(t)} - \lambda \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \nabla L(h(x_i; \theta), y_i)$$



Gradient descent update

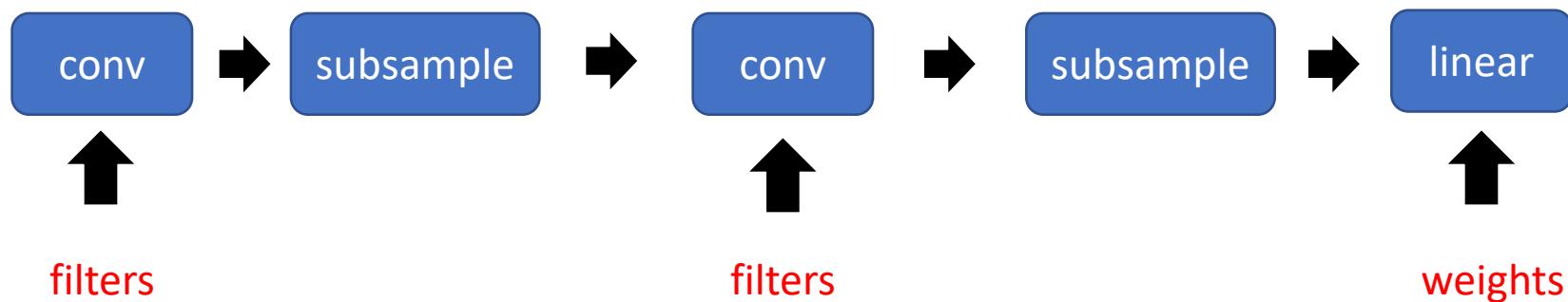
# Computing the gradient of the loss

$$\nabla L(h(x; \boldsymbol{\theta}), y)$$

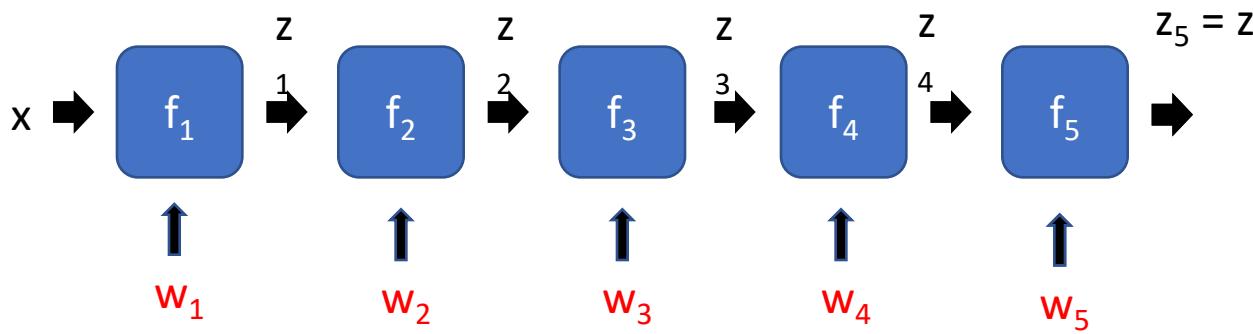
$$z = h(x; \boldsymbol{\theta})$$

$$\nabla_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} L(z, y) = \frac{\partial L(z, y)}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial \boldsymbol{\theta}}$$

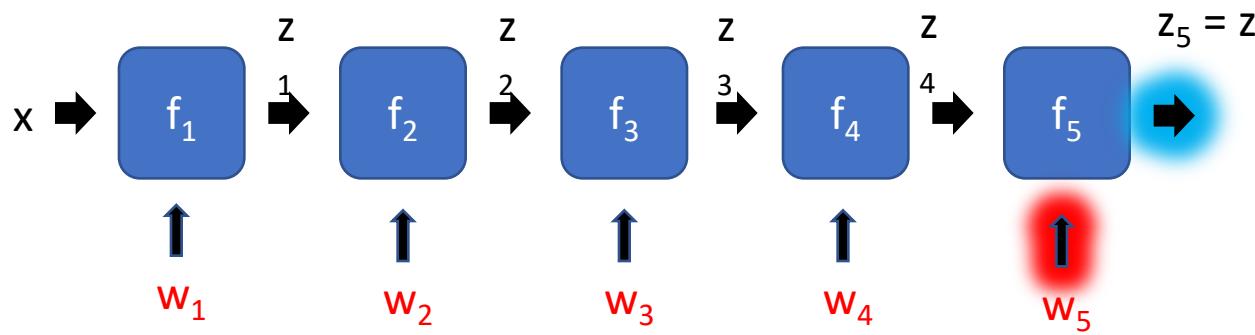
# Convolutional networks



# The gradient of convnets

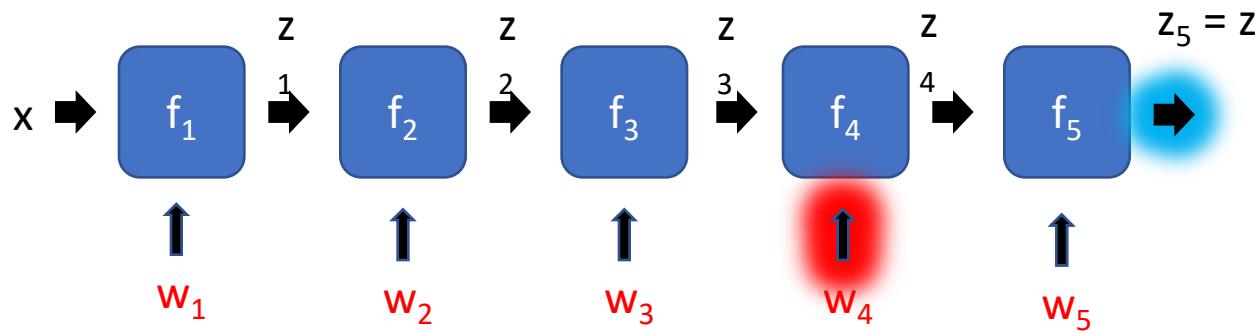


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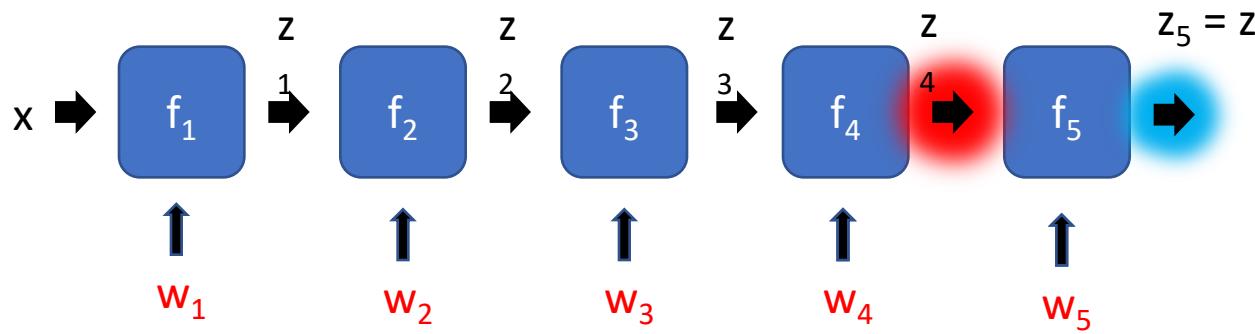
$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial w_5}$$

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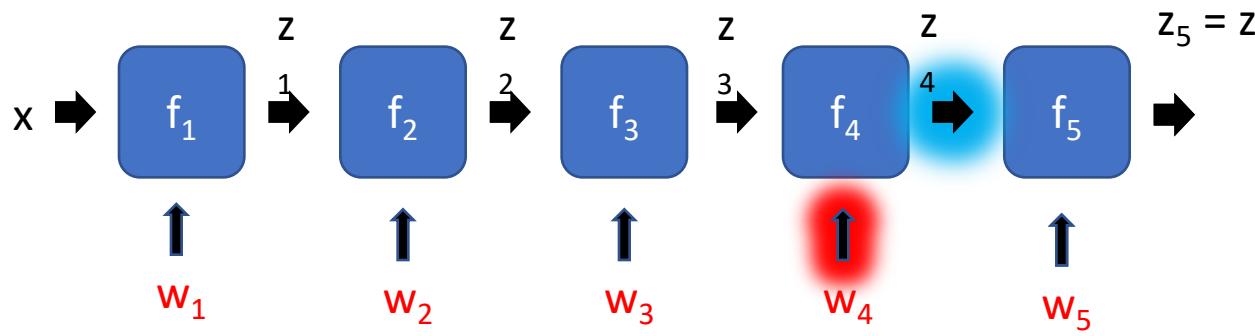
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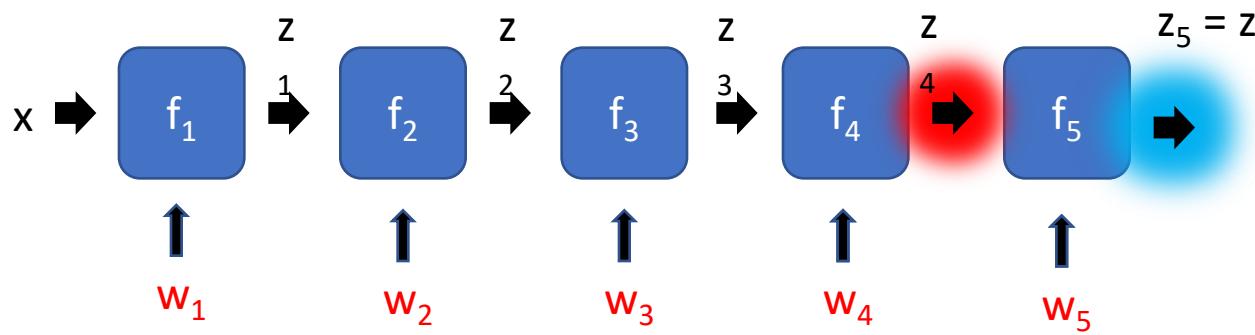
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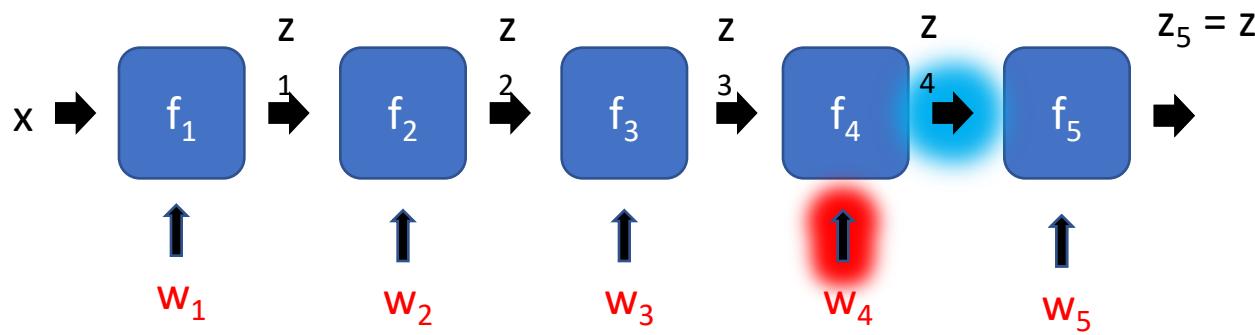
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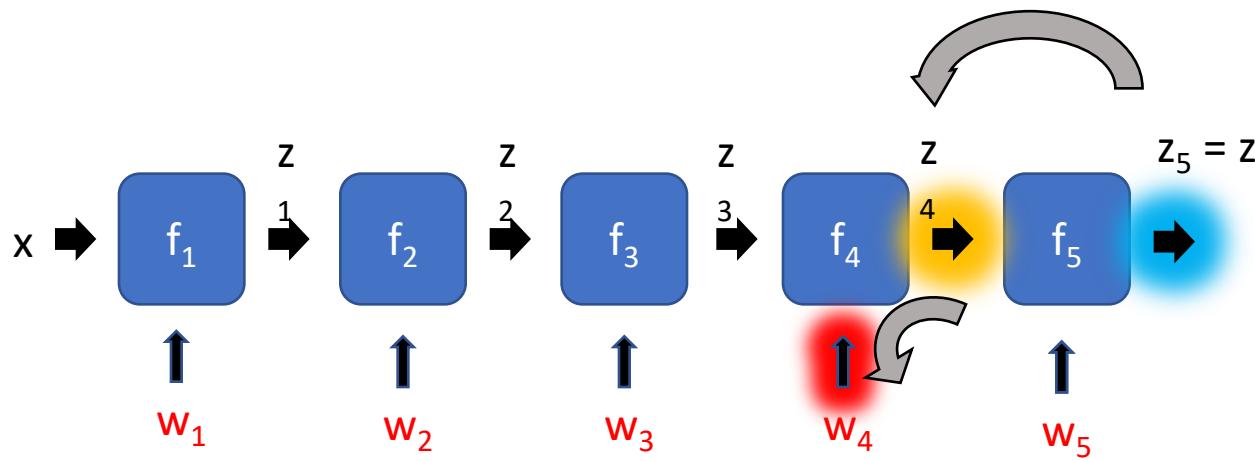
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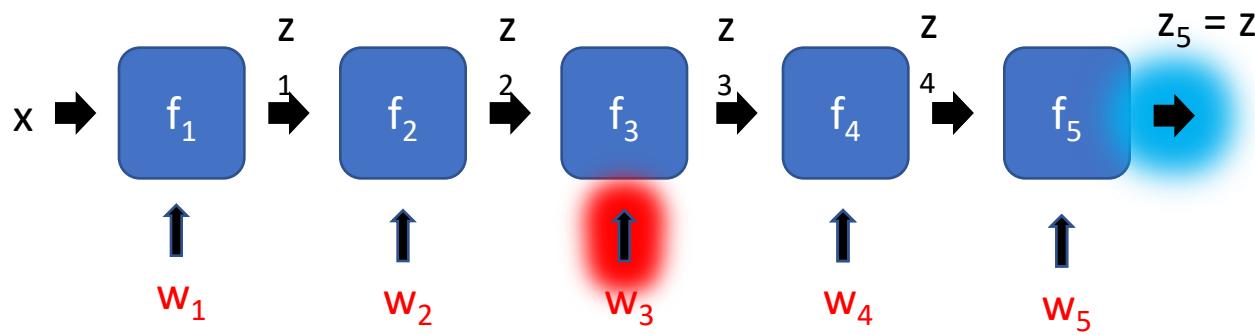
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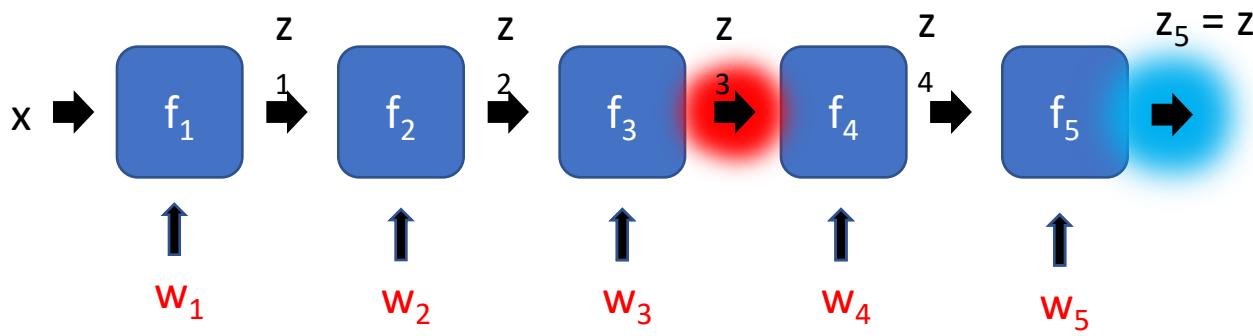
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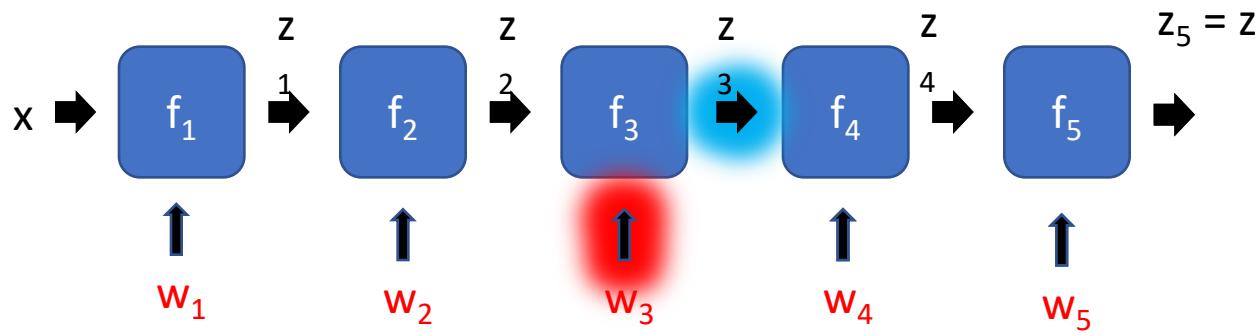
$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial w_3}$$

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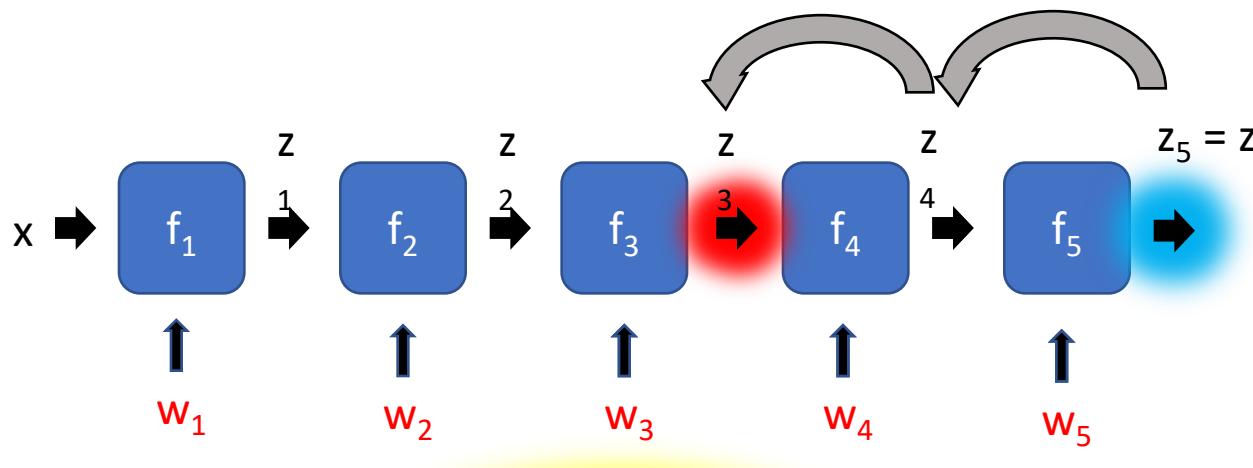
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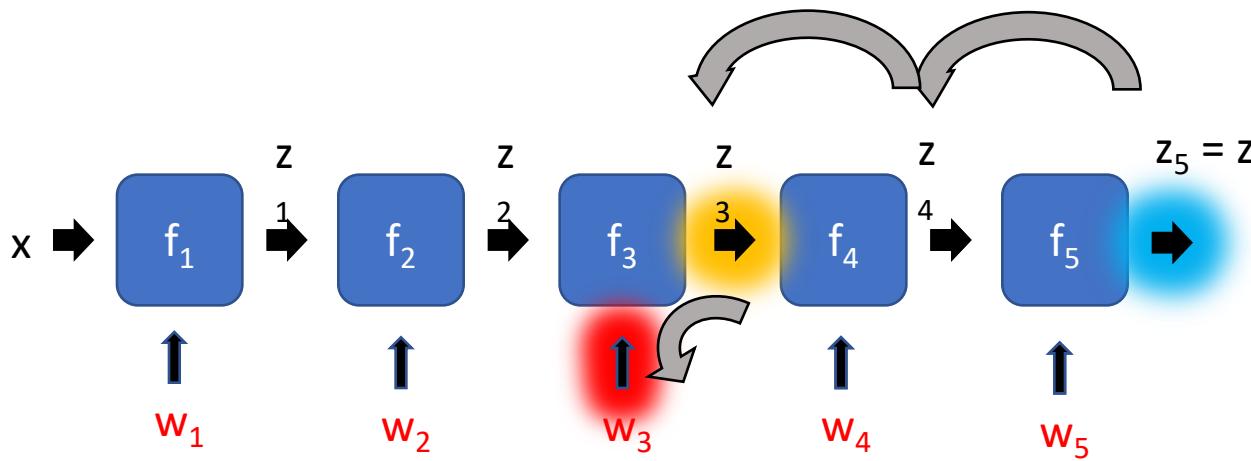
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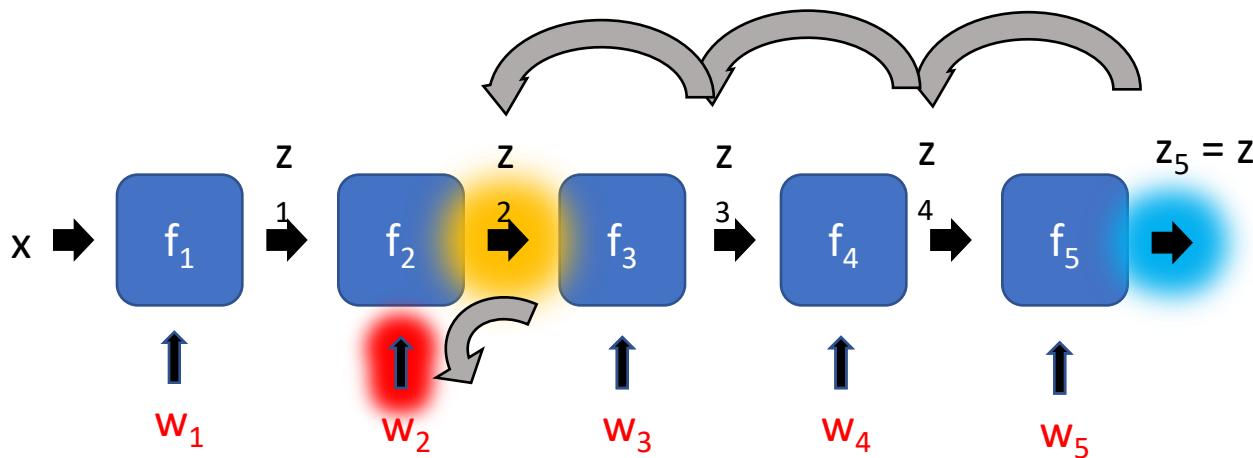
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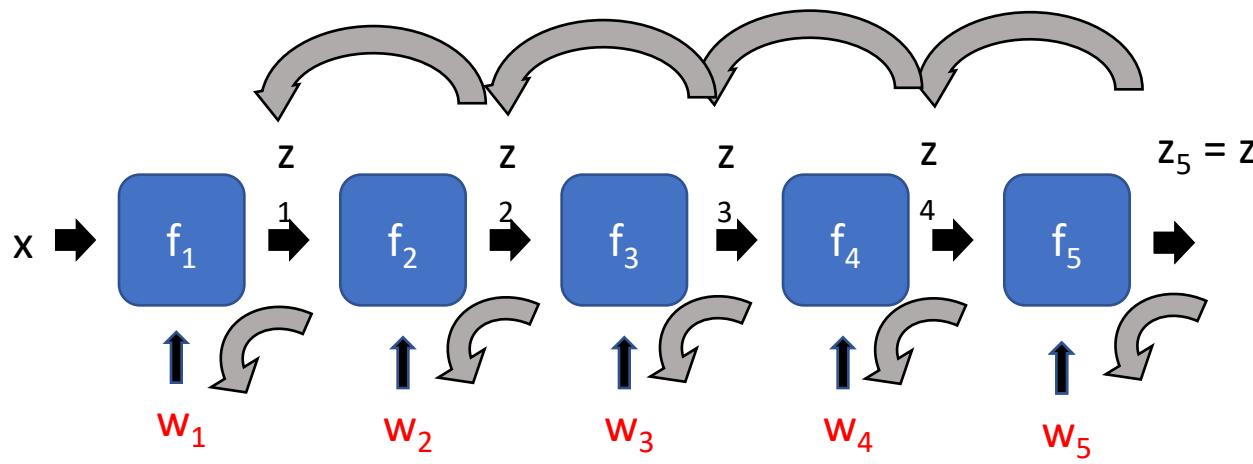


$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial z_2} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial z_3} \frac{\partial z_3}{\partial z_2}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial w_2} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial z_2} \frac{\partial z_2}{\partial w_2}$$

Recurrence  
going  
backward!!

# The gradient of convnets



Backpropagation

# Backpropagation for a sequence of functions

$$z_i = f_i(z_{i-1}, w_i)$$

$$z_0 = x$$

$$z = z_n$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial z_i} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial z_{i+1}} \frac{\partial z_{i+1}}{\partial z_i}$$
$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial w_i} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial z_i} \frac{\partial z_i}{\partial w_i}$$

# Backpropagation for a sequence of functions

$$z_i = f_i(z_{i-1}, w_i) \quad z_0 = x \quad z = z_n$$

- Assume we can compute partial derivatives of each function

$$\frac{\partial z_i}{\partial z_{i-1}} = \frac{\partial f_i(z_{i-1}, w_i)}{\partial z_{i-1}} \quad \frac{\partial z_i}{\partial w_i} = \frac{\partial f_i(z_{i-1}, w_i)}{\partial w_i}$$

- Use  $g(z_i)$  to store gradient of  $z$  w.r.t  $z_i$ ,  $g(w_i)$  for  $w_i$
- Calculate  $g_i$  by iterating backwards

$$g(z_n) = \frac{\partial z}{\partial z_n} = 1 \quad g(z_{i-1}) = \frac{\partial z}{\partial z_i} \frac{\partial z_i}{\partial z_{i-1}} = g(z_i) \frac{\partial z_i}{\partial z_{i-1}}$$

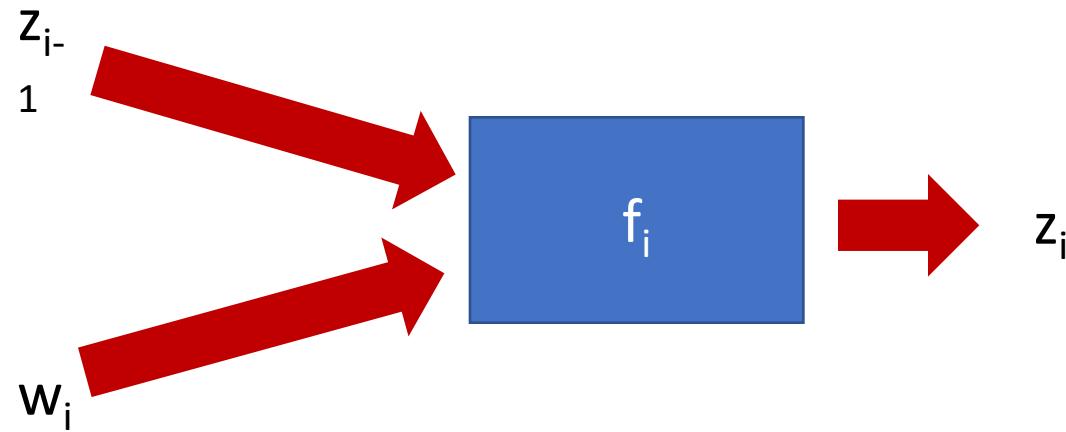
- Use  $g_i$  to compute gradient of parameters

$$g(w_i) = \frac{\partial z}{\partial z_i} \frac{\partial z_i}{\partial w_i} = g(z_i) \frac{\partial z_i}{\partial w_i}$$

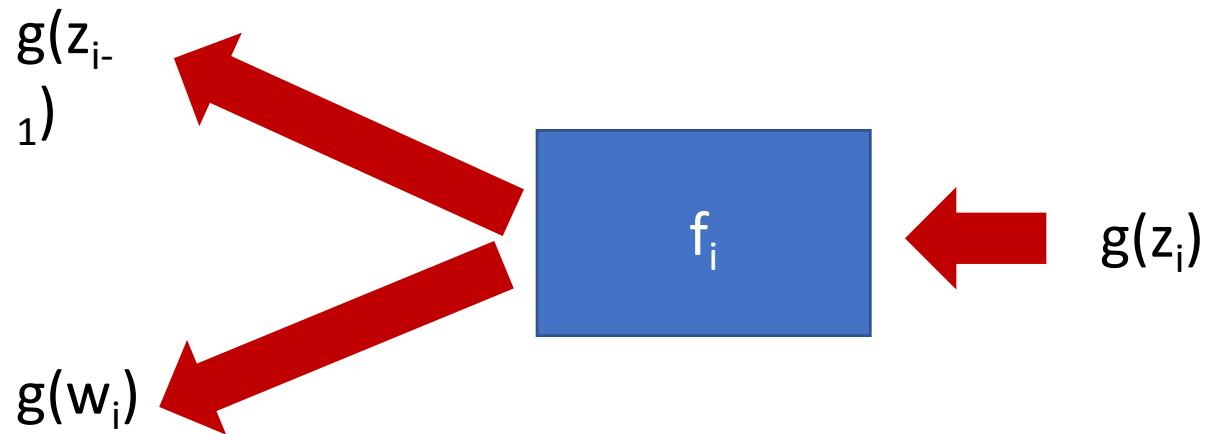
# Backpropagation for a sequence of functions

- Each “function” has a “forward” and “backward” module
- Forward module for  $f_i$ 
  - takes  $z_{i-1}$  and weight  $w_i$  as input
  - produces  $z_i$  as output
- Backward module for  $f_i$ 
  - takes  $g(z_i)$  as input
  - produces  $\frac{\partial z_i}{\partial z_{i-1}}$  and  $\frac{\partial z_i}{\partial w_i}$  as output

# Backpropagation for a sequence of functions



# Backpropagation for a sequence of functions

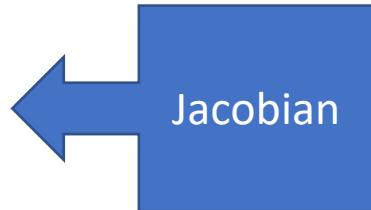


# Chain rule for vectors

$$\frac{\partial a}{\partial b} = \frac{\partial a}{\partial c} \frac{\partial c}{\partial b}$$

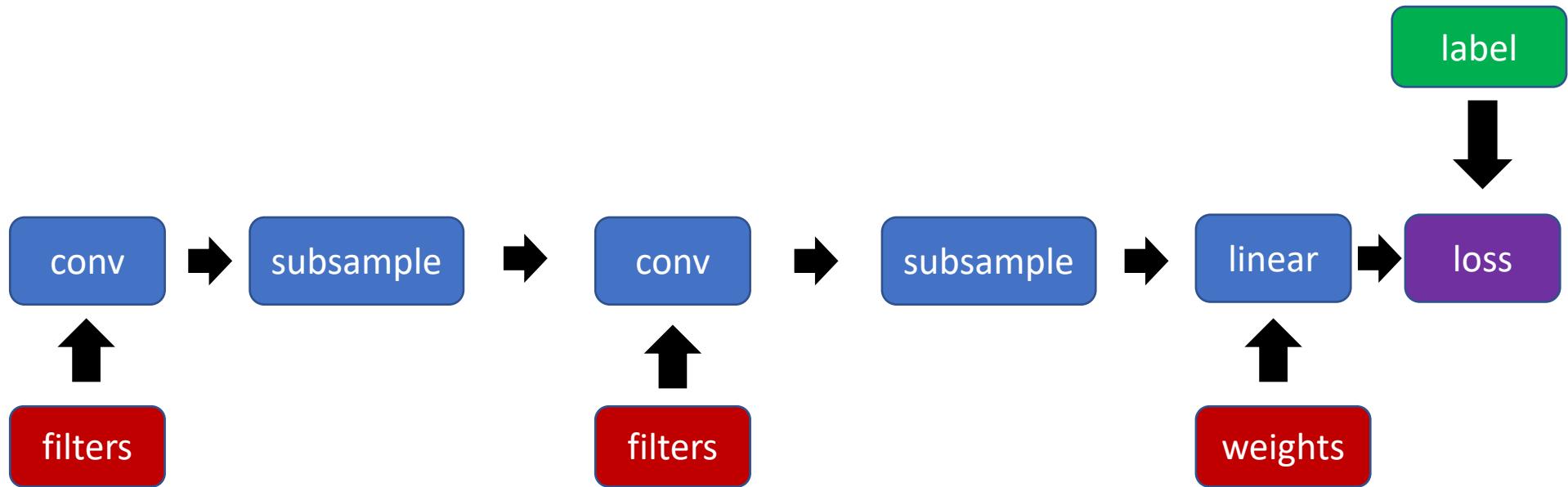
$$\frac{\partial a_i}{\partial b_j} = \sum_k \frac{\partial a_i}{\partial c_k} \frac{\partial c_k}{\partial b_j}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{a}}{\partial \mathbf{b}}(i, j) = \frac{\partial a_i}{\partial b_j}$$



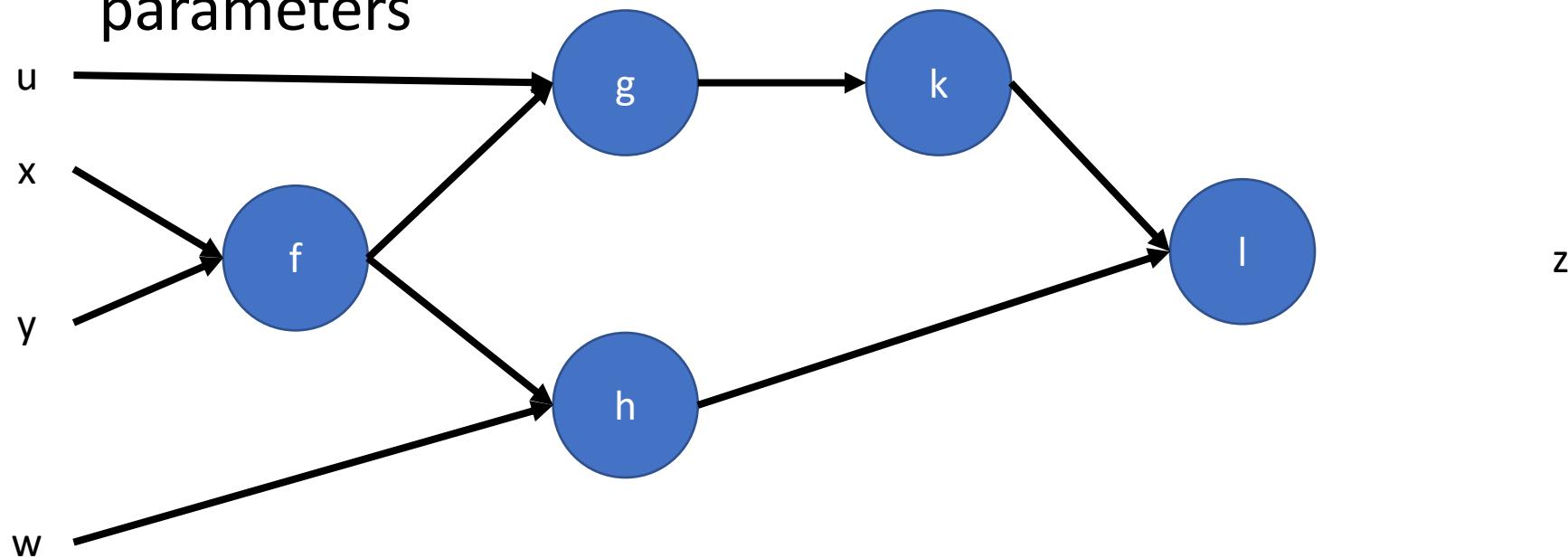
$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{a}}{\partial \mathbf{b}} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}}{\partial \mathbf{c}} \frac{\partial \mathbf{c}}{\partial \mathbf{b}}$$

# Loss as a function



# Beyond sequences: computation graphs

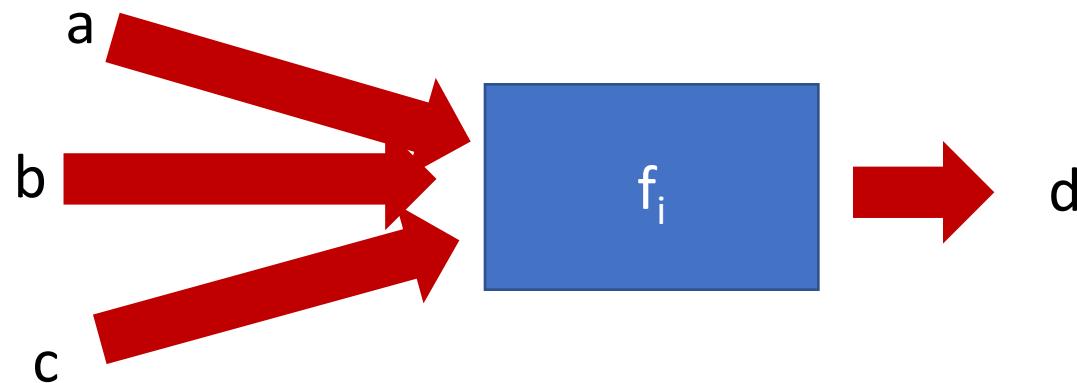
- Arbitrary *graphs* of functions
- No distinction between intermediate outputs and parameters



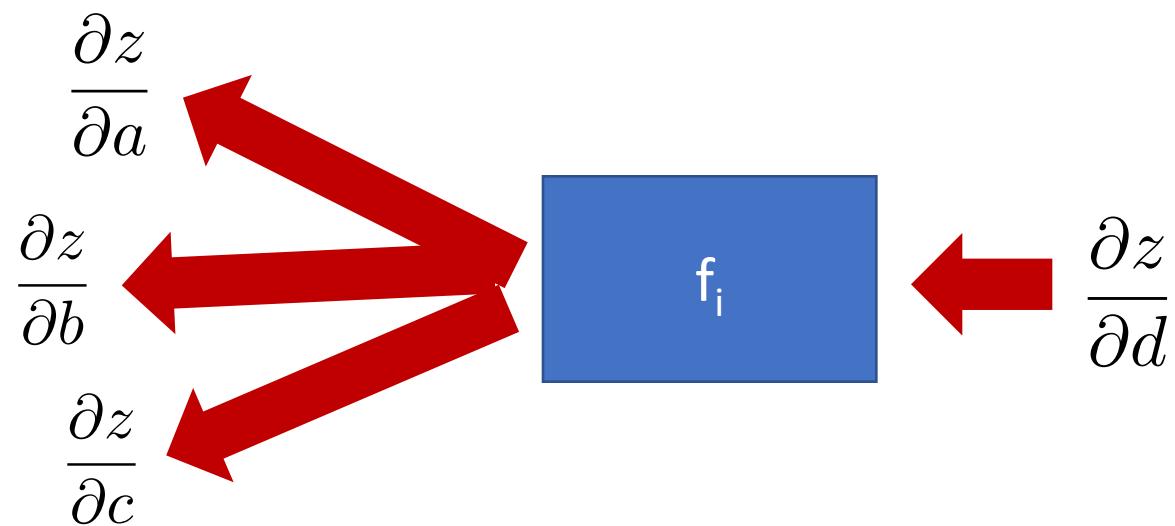
# Computation graph - Functions

- Each node implements two functions
  - A “forward”
    - Computes output given input
  - A “backward”
    - Computes derivative of  $z$  w.r.t input, given derivative of  $z$  w.r.t output

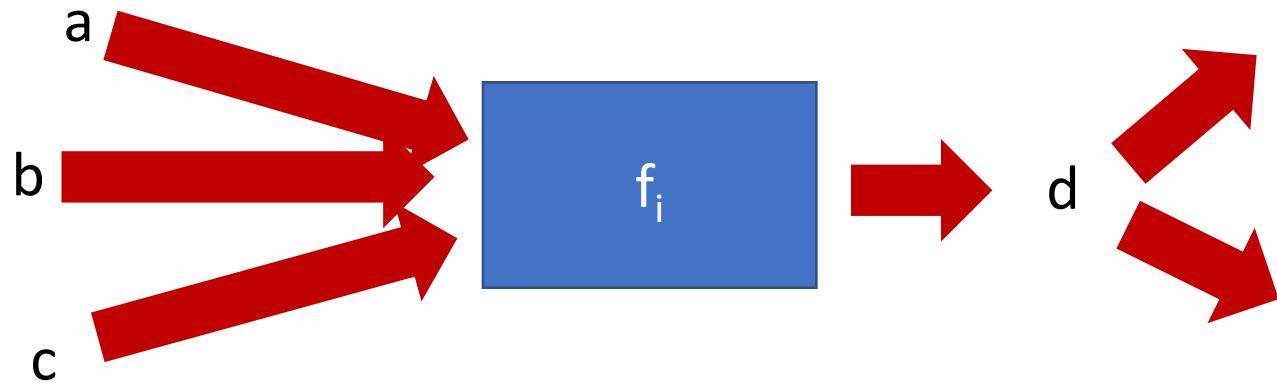
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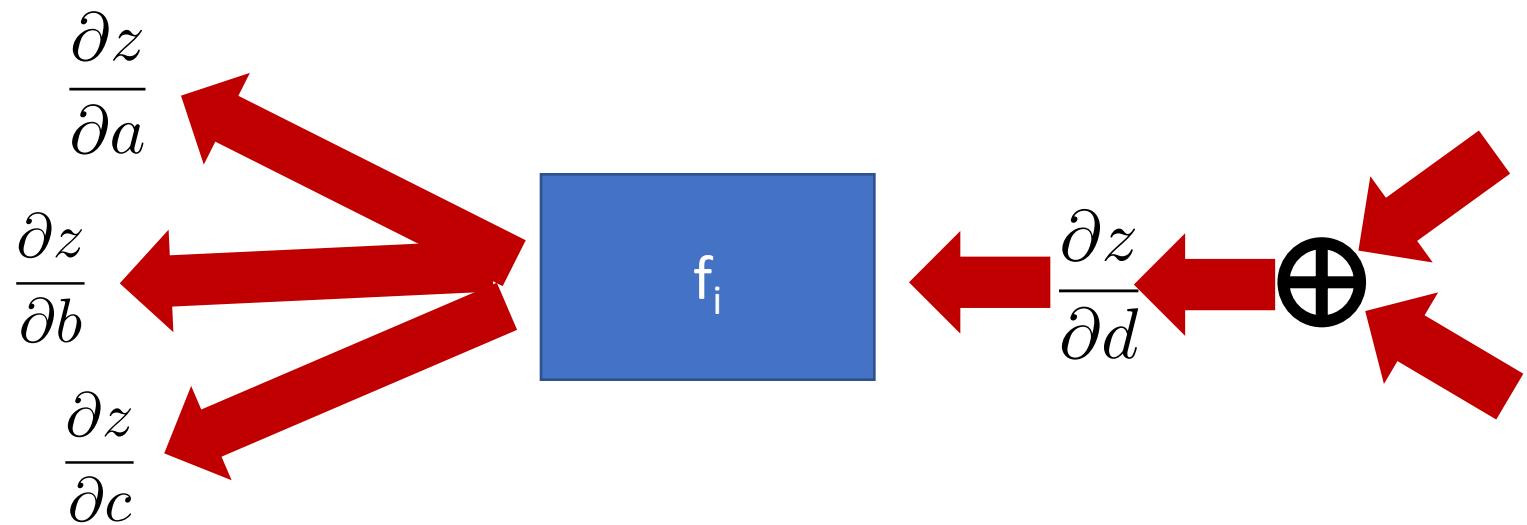
# Computation graphs



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# Neural network frameworks

