Unsupervised Learning: Deep Auto-encoder

How Much Information is the Machine Given during Learning?



The machine predicts a scalar reward given once in a while.

A few bits for some samples

Supervised Learning (icing)

- The machine predicts a category or a few numbers for each input
- Predicting human-supplied data
- ▶ 10→10,000 bits per sample

Self-Supervised Learning (cake génoise)

- The machine predicts any part of its input for any observed part.
- Predicts future frames in videos

Millions of bits per sample

https://medium.com/syncedreview/yann-lecun-cake-analogy-2-0-a361da560dae

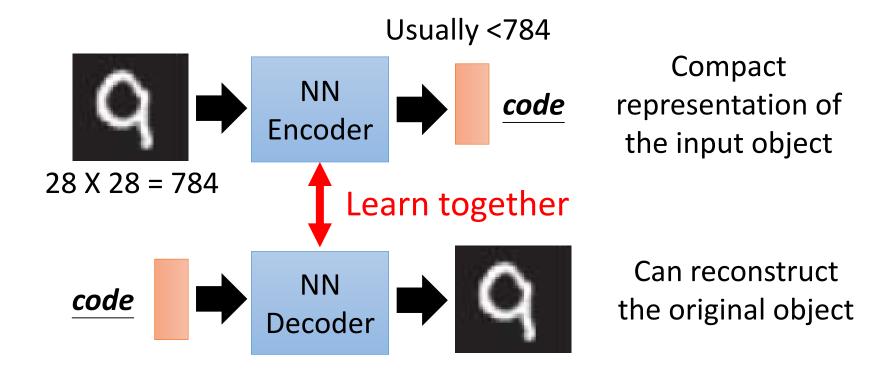
"We expect unsupervised learning to become far more important in the longer term. Human and animal learning is largely unsupervised: we discover the structure of the world by observing it, not by being told the name of every object." – LeCun, Bengio, Hinton, Nature 2015

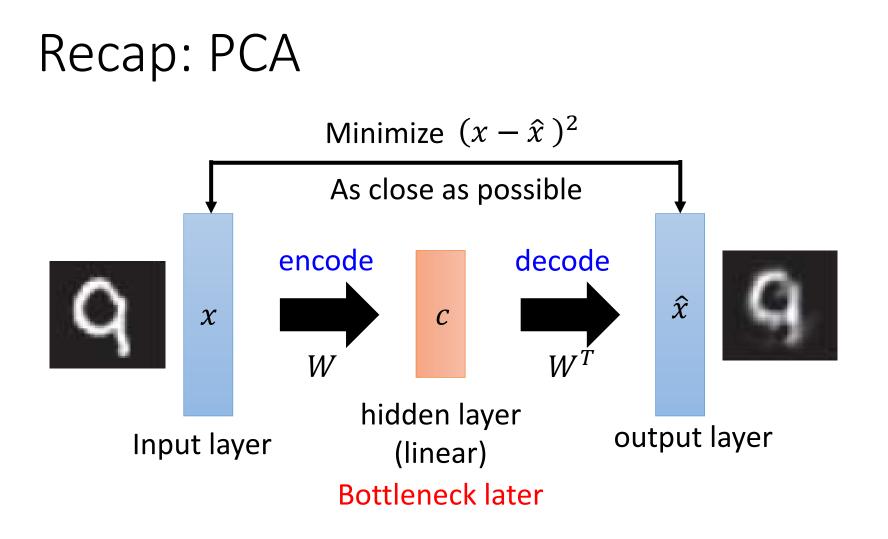
"If intelligence was a cake, unsupervised learning would be the cake, supervised learning would be the icing on the cake, and reinforcement learning would be the cherry on the cake. We know how to make the icing and the cherry, but we don't know how to make the cake." - Yann LeCun, March 14, 2016 (Facebook)

Yann LeCun Cake Analogy



Auto-encoder



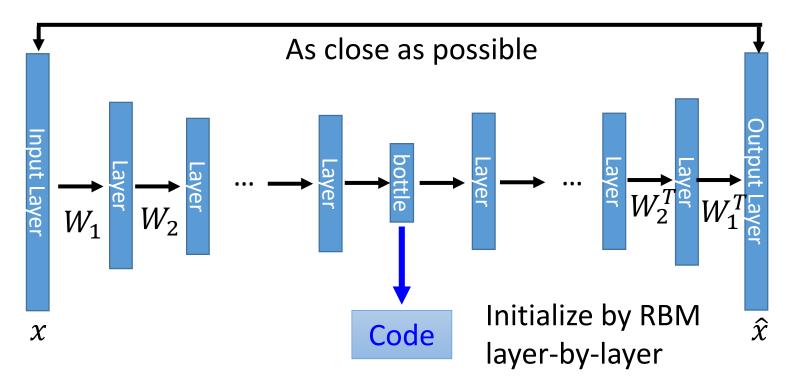


Output of the hidden layer is the code

Deep Auto-encoder

Symmetric is not necessary.

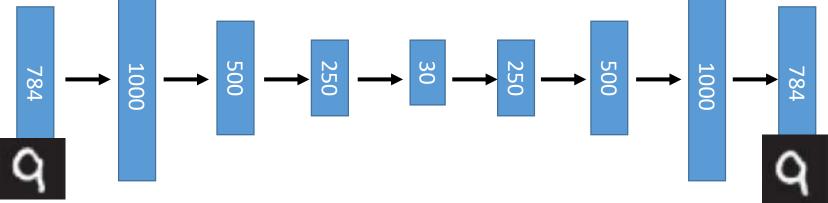
• Of course, the auto-encoder can be deep

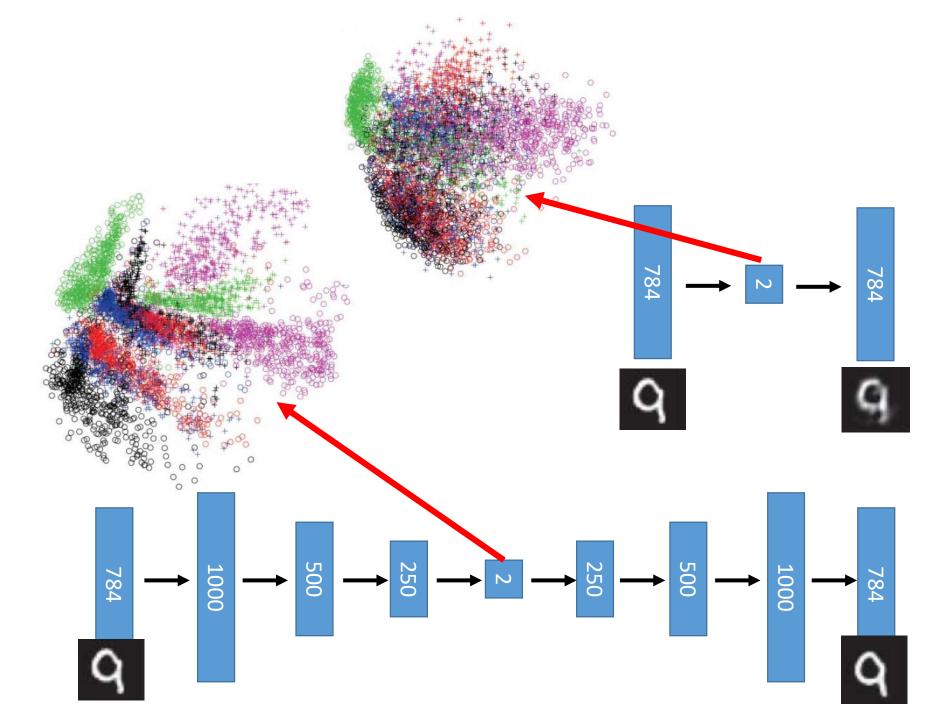


Reference: Hinton, Geoffrey E., and Ruslan R. Salakhutdinov. "Reducing the dimensionality of data with neural networks." *Science* 313.5786 (2006): 504-507

Deep Auto-encoder





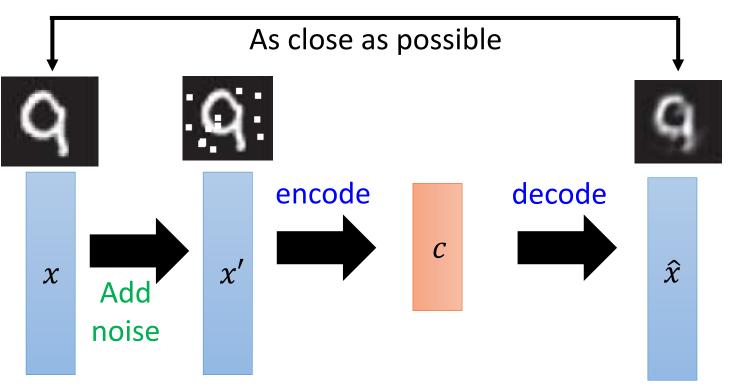


Auto-encoder

More: Contractive auto-encoder

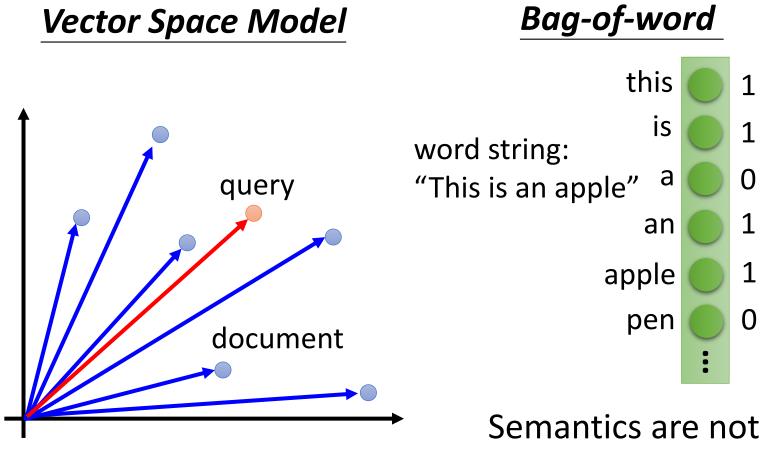
Ref: Rifai, Salah, et al. "Contractive auto-encoders: Explicit invariance during feature extraction." *Proceedings of the 28th International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML-11)*. 2011.

De-noising auto-encoder



Vincent, Pascal, et al. "Extracting and composing robust features with denoising autoencoders." *ICML*, 2008.

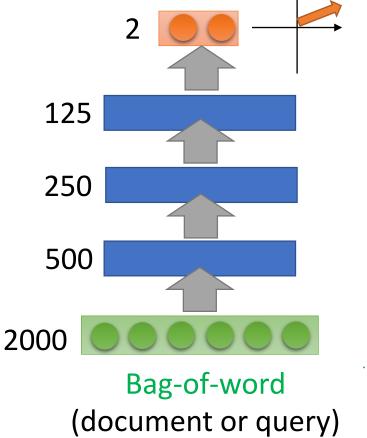
Auto-encoder – Text Retrieval

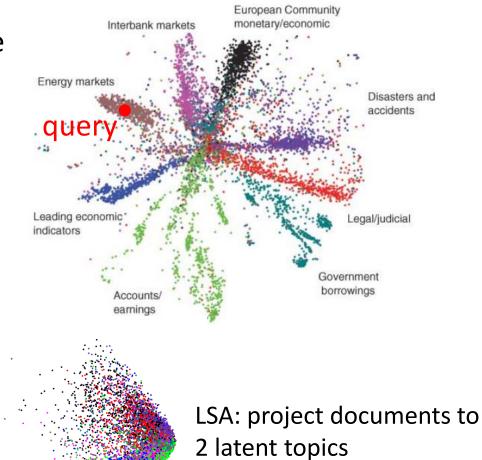


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Auto-encoder – Text Retrieval

The documents talking about the same thing will have close code.





Auto-encoder – Similar Image Search

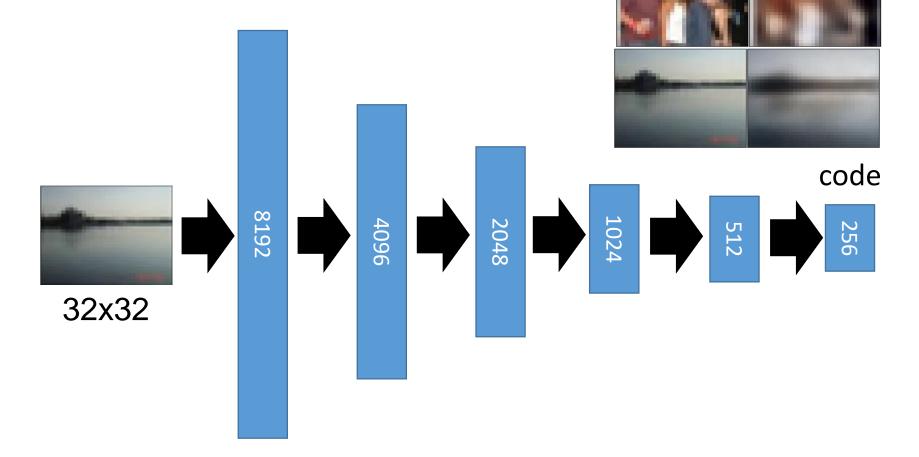
Retrieved using Euclidean distance in pixel intensity space



(Images from Hinton's slides on Coursera)

Reference: Krizhevsky, Alex, and Geoffrey E. Hinton. "Using very deep autoencoders for content-based image retrieval." *ESANN*. 2011.

Auto-encoder – Similar Image Search



(crawl millions of images from the Internet)

Retrieved using Euclidean distance in pixel intensity space



dist: 3139.2



dist: 3094.1







dist: 3132.4

dist: 3154.8



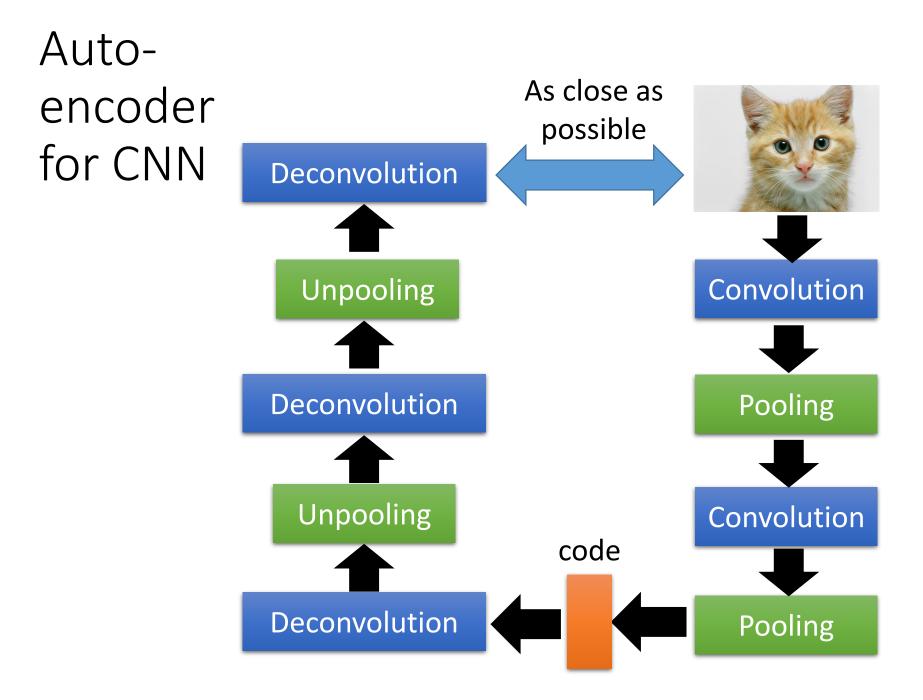


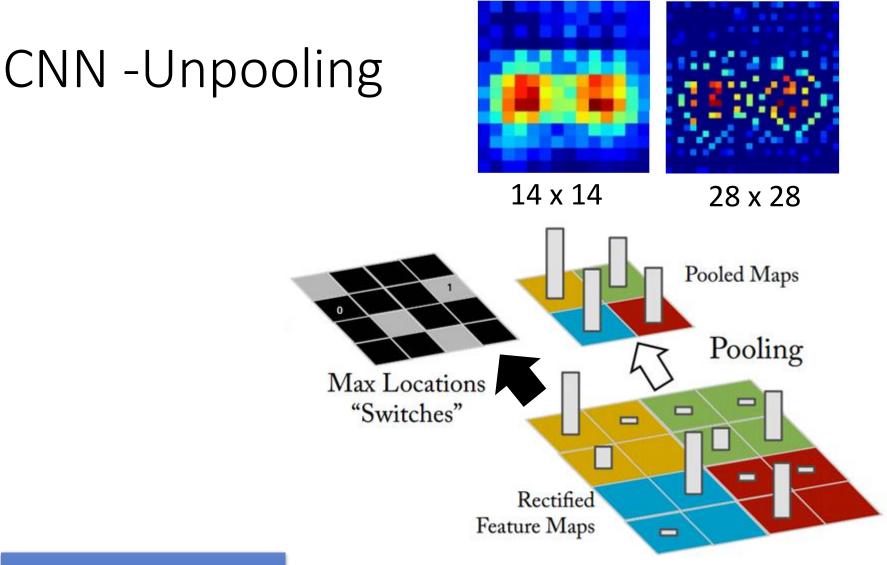




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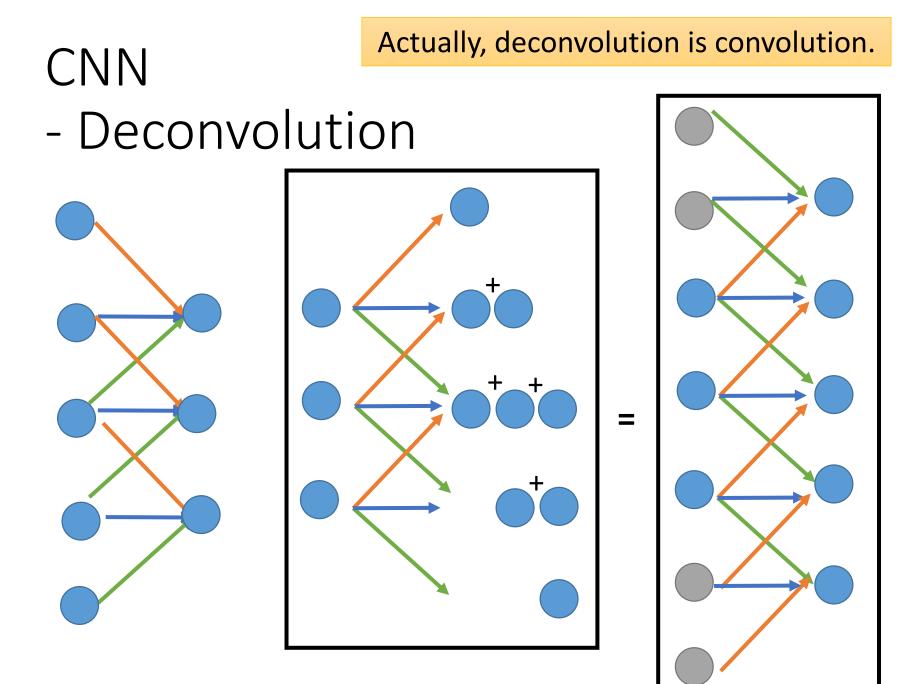




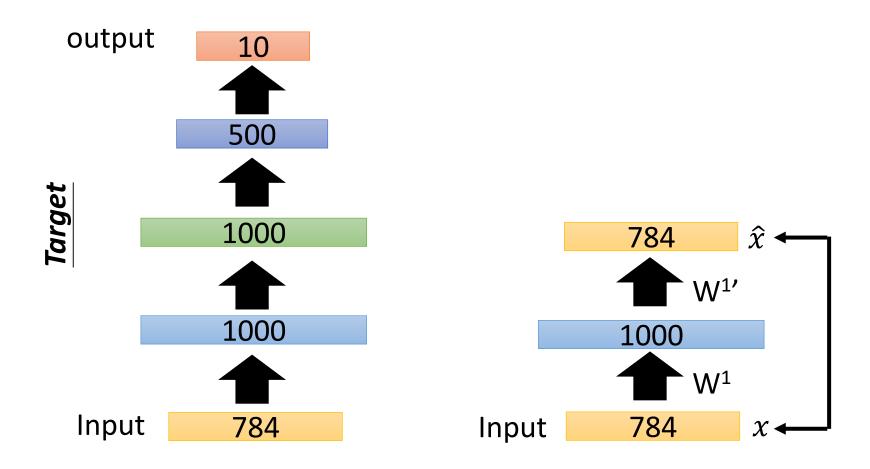
Alternative: simply repeat the values

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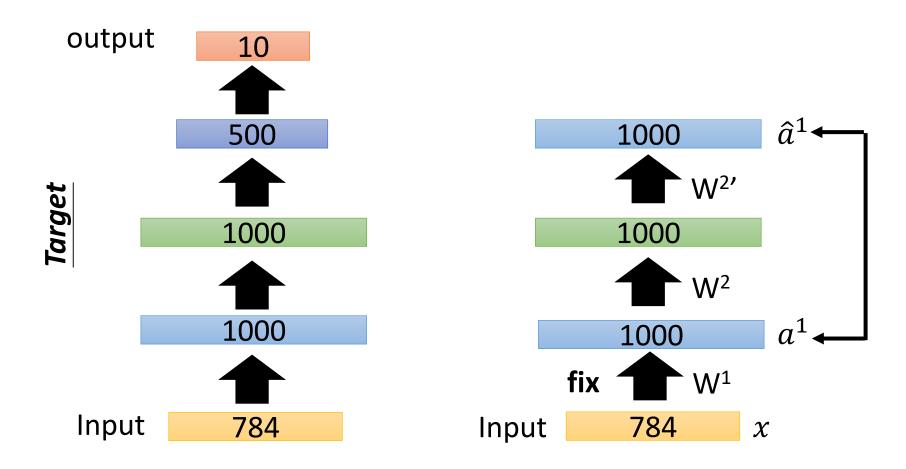
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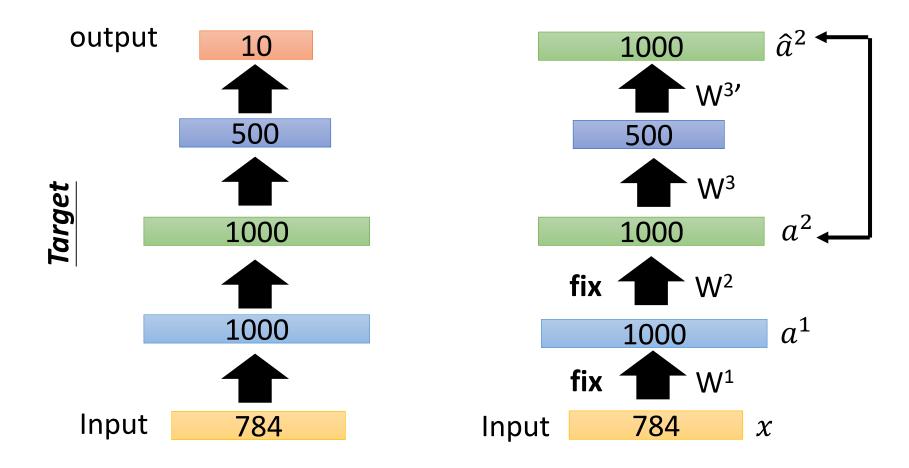
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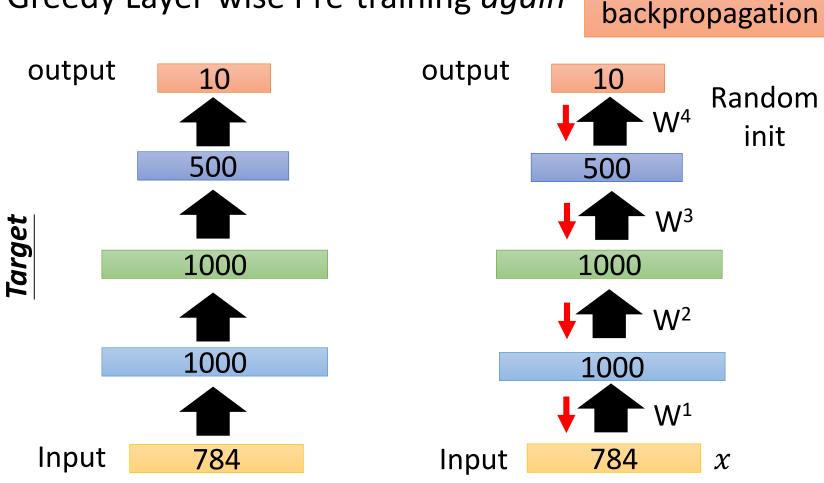
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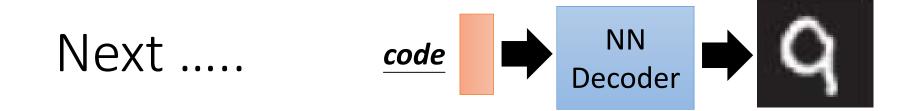
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Learning More

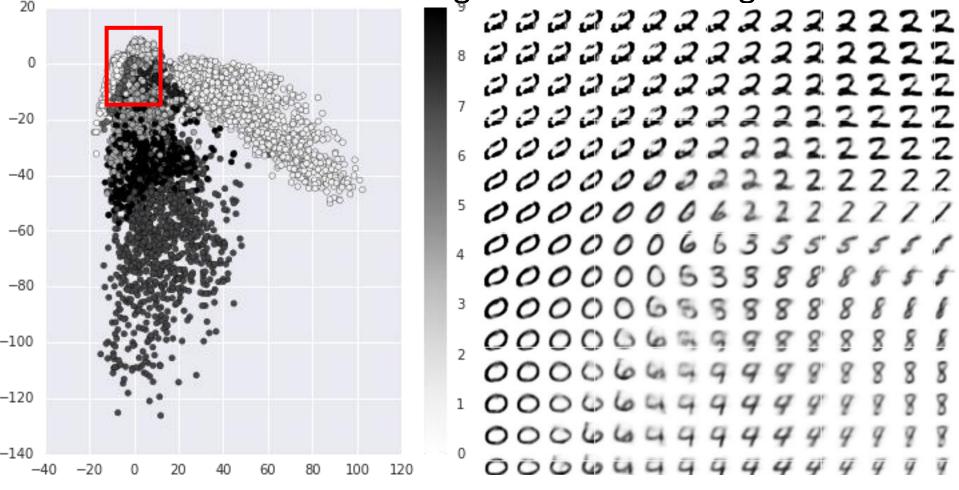
- Restricted Boltzmann Machine
- Neural networks [5.1] : Restricted Boltzmann machine definition
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p4Vh_zMw-HQ&index=36&list=PL6Xpj9I5qXYEcOhn7TqghAJ6NAPrN mUBH
- Neural networks [5.2] : Restricted Boltzmann machine inference
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lekCh_i32iE&list=PL 6Xpj9I5qXYEcOhn7TqghAJ6NAPrNmUBH&index=37
- Neural networks [5.3] : Restricted Boltzmann machine free energy
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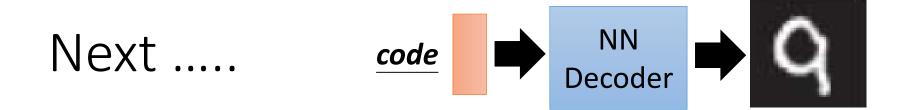
Learning More - Deep Belief Network

- Neural networks [7.7] : Deep learning deep belief network
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vkb6AWYXZ5I&list= PL6Xpj9I5qXYEcOhn7TqghAJ6NAPrNmUBH&index=57
- Neural networks [7.8] : Deep learning variational bound
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pStDscJh2Wo&list= PL6Xpj9I5qXYEcOhn7TqghAJ6NAPrNmUBH&index=58
- Neural networks [7.9] : Deep learning DBN pre-training
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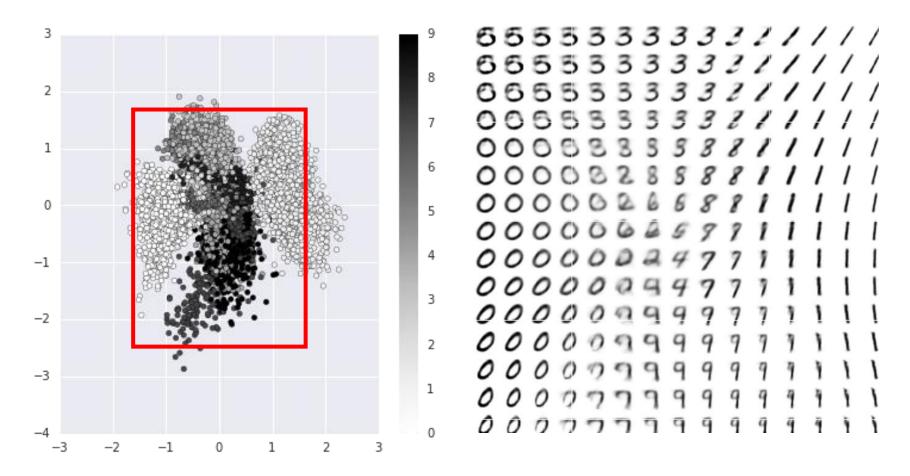


• Can we use decoder to generate something?





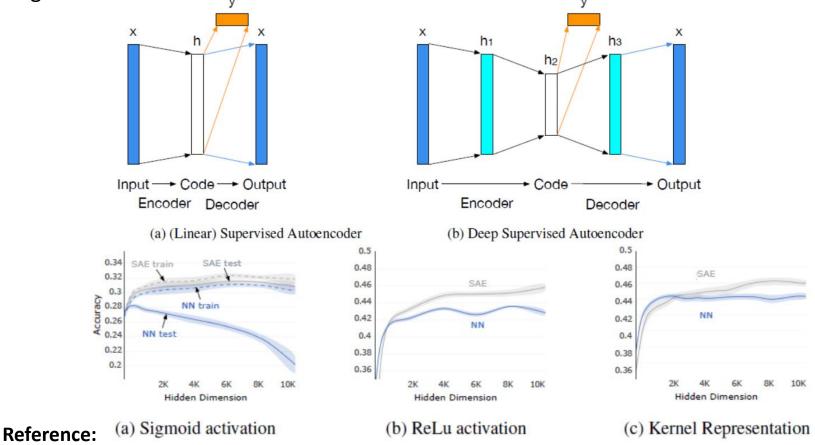
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Appendix

Supervised AutoEncoder

Goal: Improving generalization performance (i.e., reducing overfitting) in supervised learning.
Idea: Auto-encoder design. Jointly predicts target and input (reconstruction) from the code.
Reason: By adding the reconstruction MSE as regularization term, uniform stability can be proved (under mild conditions) assuming linear AE, which in general implies better generalization results.



Lei Le, Andrew Patterson, Martha White, "Supervised autoencoders: Improving generalization performance with unsupervised regularizers." NeurIPS 2018: 107-117