

Optimization

Normalization
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Applied Deep Learning

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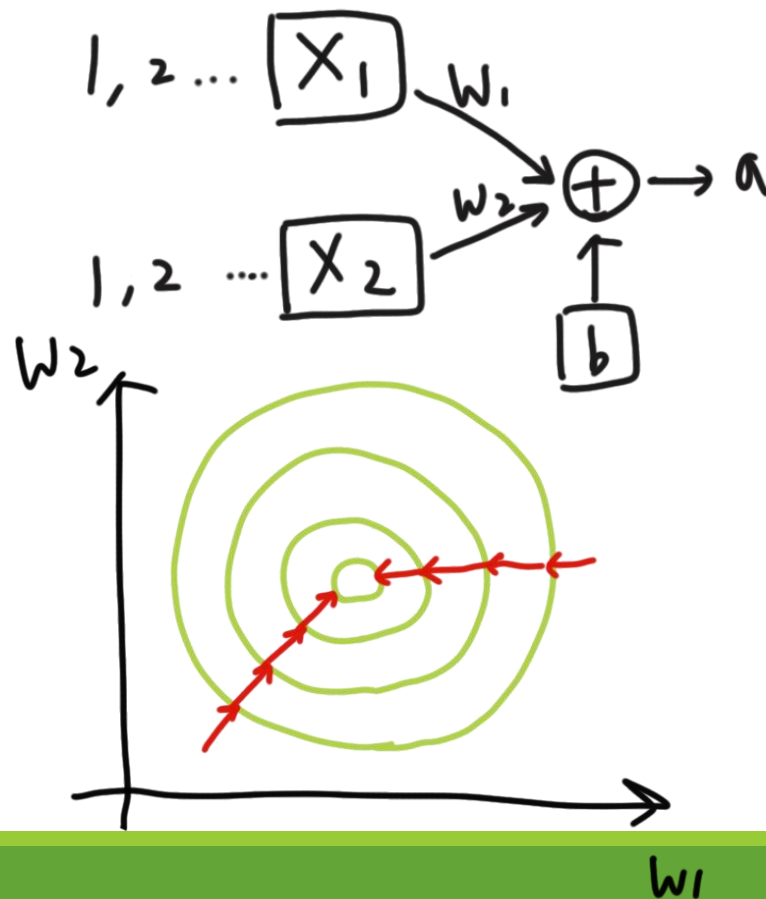
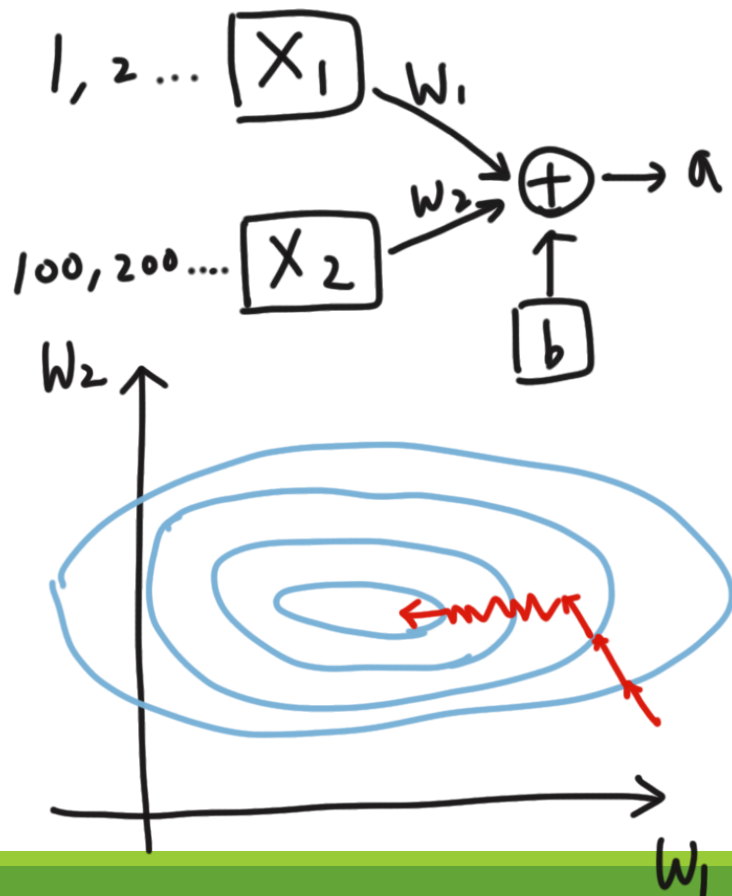
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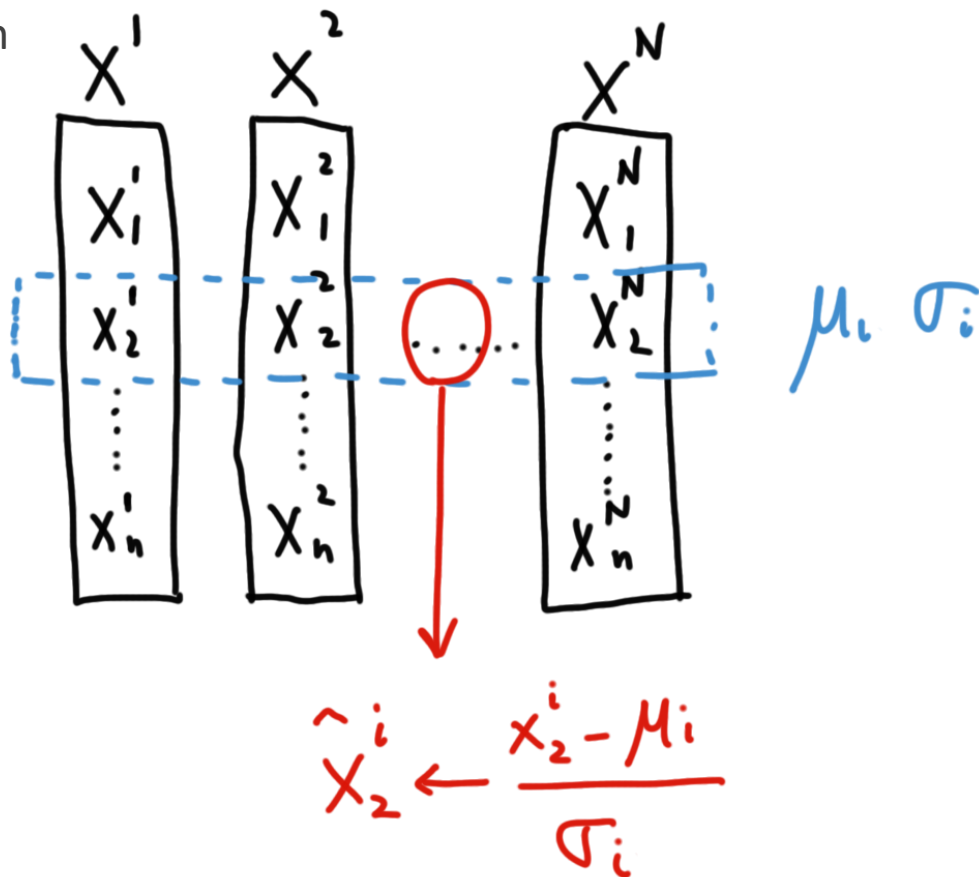
Feature Scaling

- Idea: make sure features are on the same scale



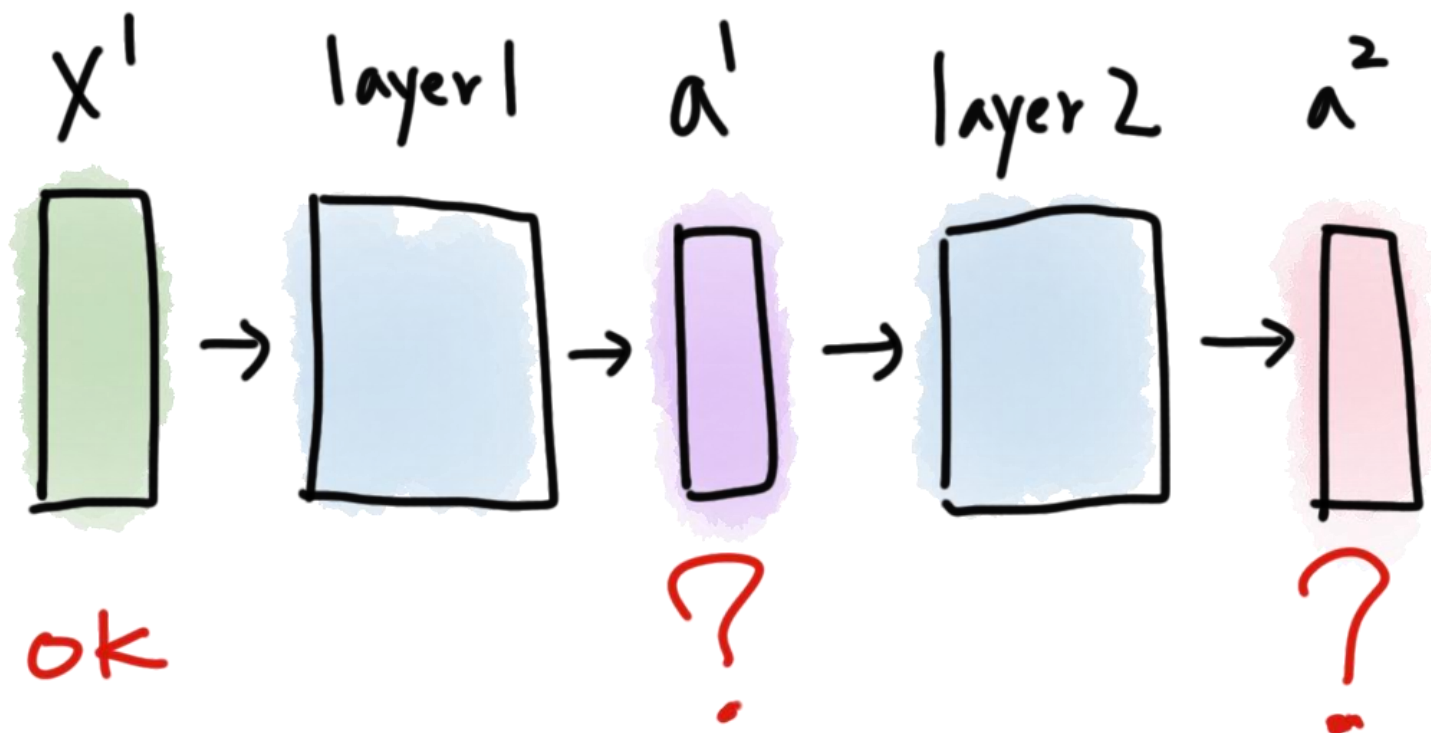
Feature Scaling

- for each dimension, compute mean and standard deviation
- the means of normalized feature vectors are all 0 and the variances are all 1

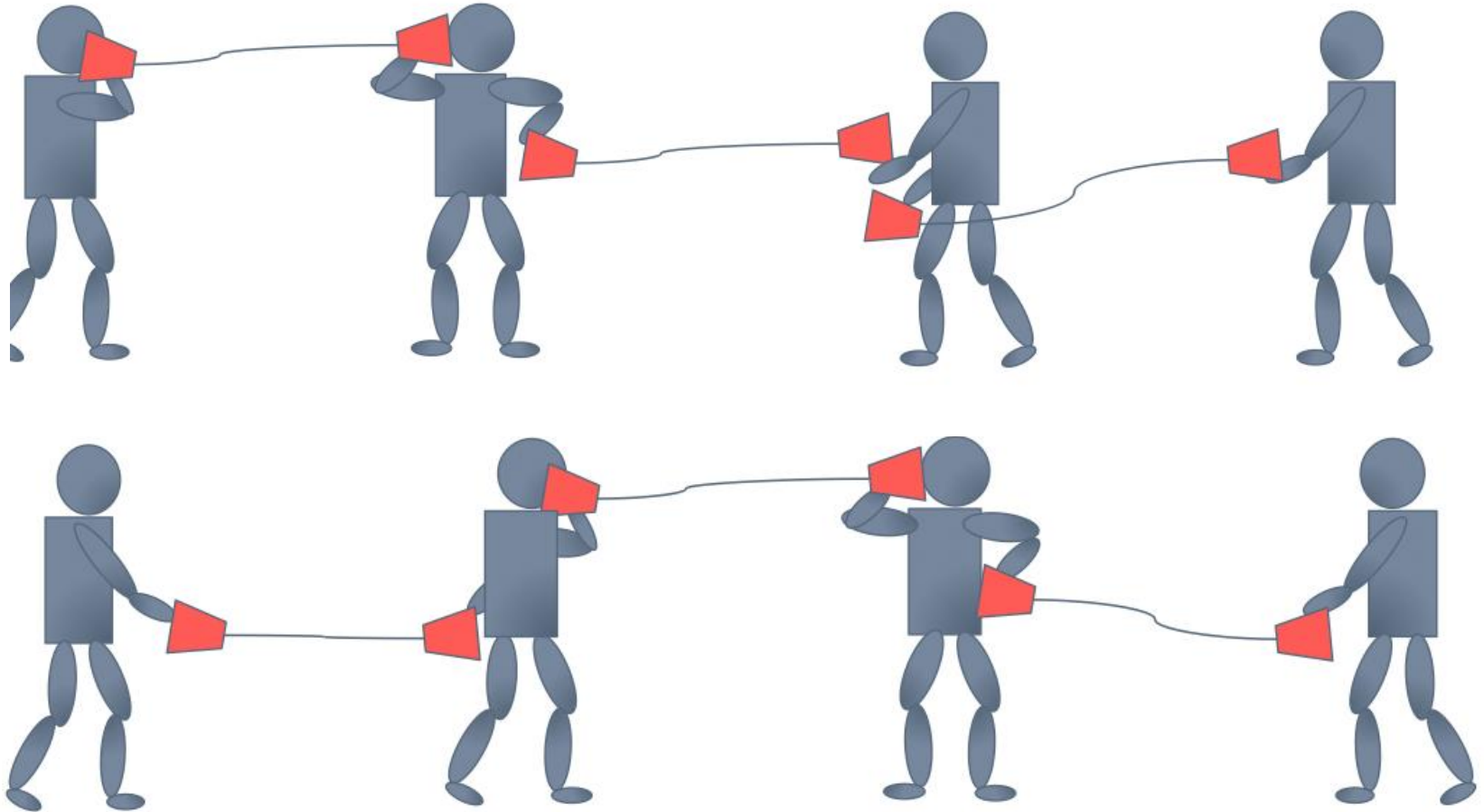


Hidden States

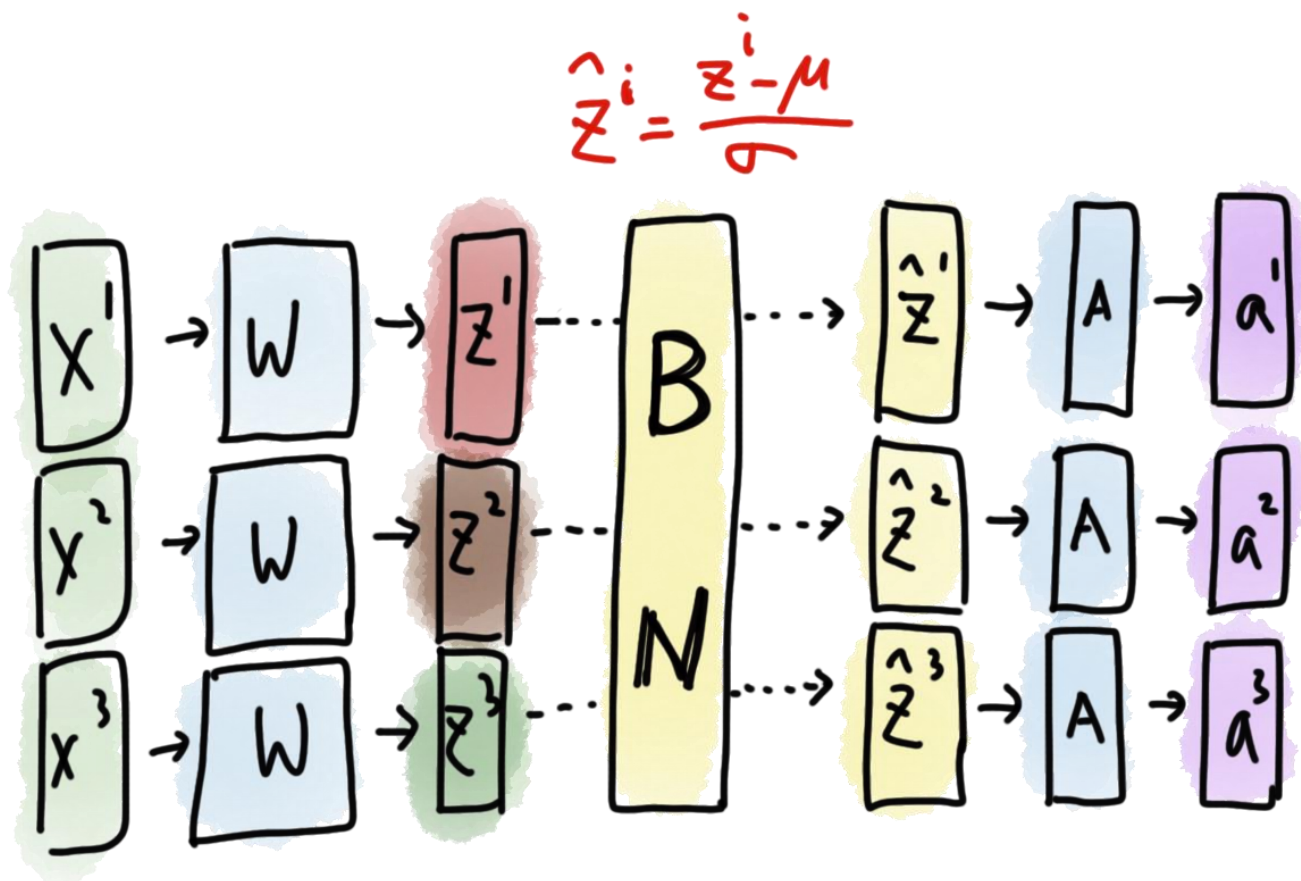
- statistics of hidden states keep changing during training



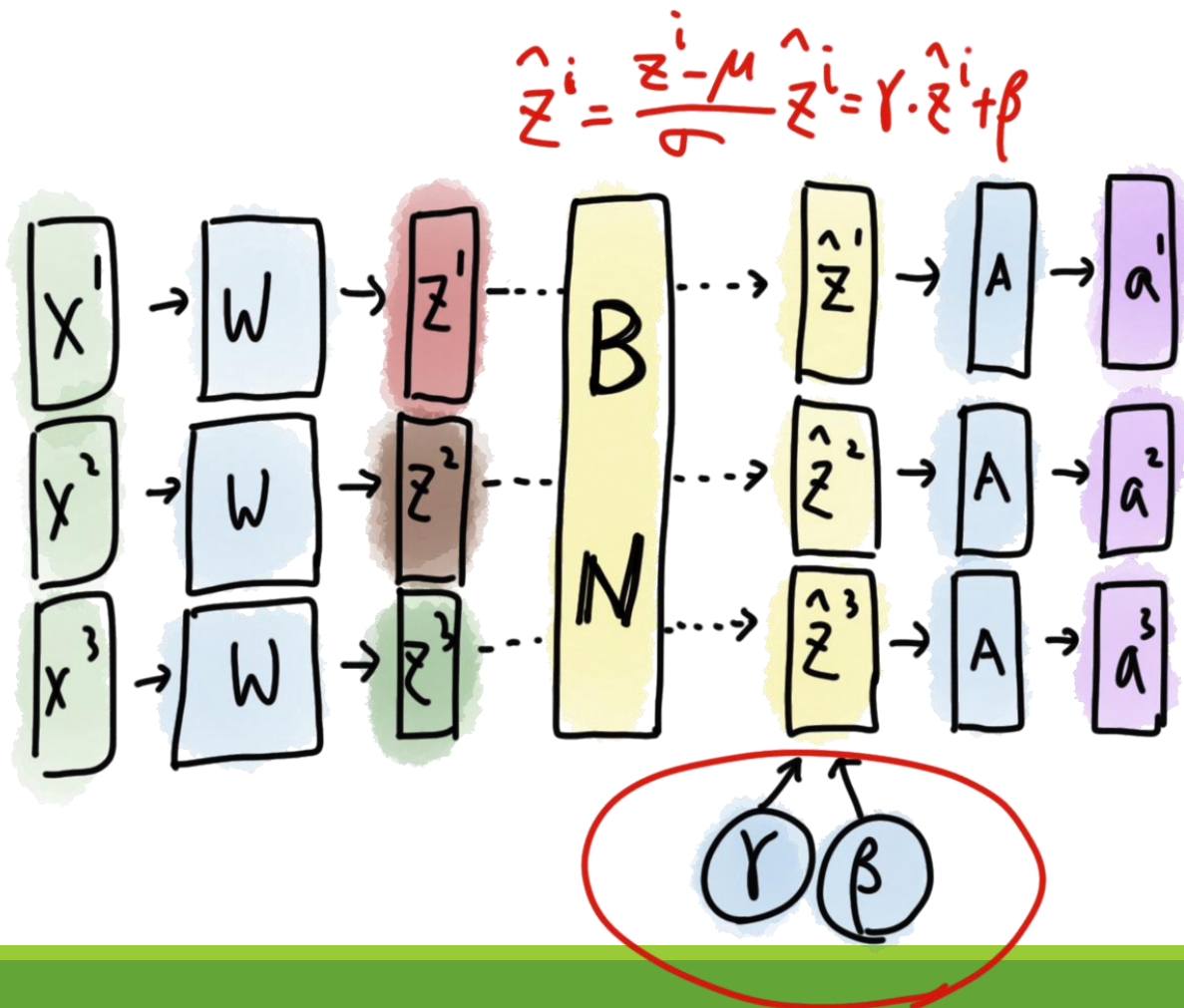
Internal Covariate Shift



Batch Normalization



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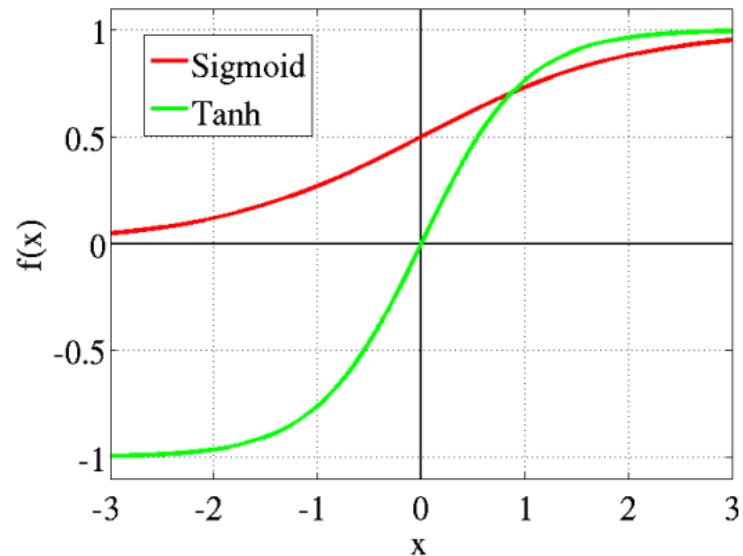


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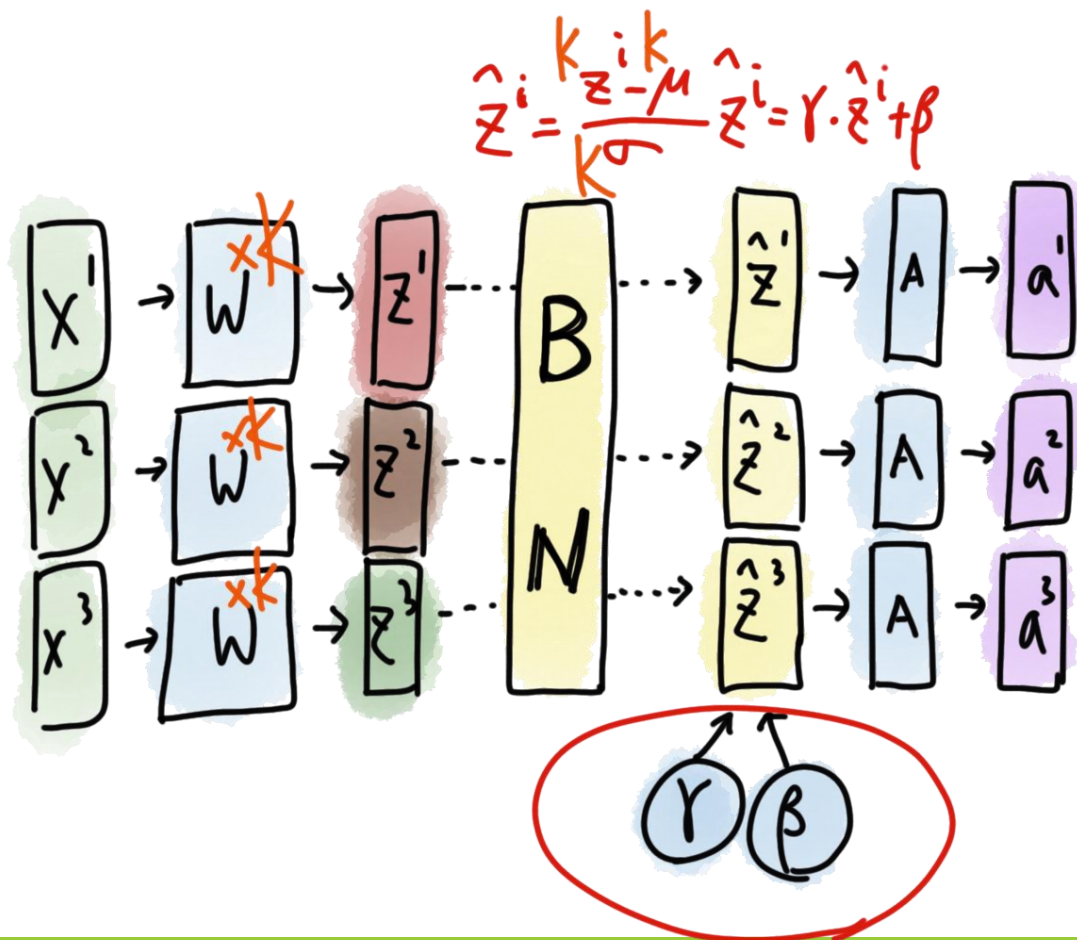
- learnable parameters γ and β to rescale and reshift distribution to preserve model capacity
- do not have “batch” in testing phase
- Ideal solution: computing mean and variance based on the whole training set
- practical solution: computing moving average of mean and variance of batches after convergence

Closer Look...

- Interval Covariate Shift?
- **avoid exploding/vanishing gradients**, especially for sigmoid and tanh activation functions
- usually apply before activation function
- when batch size is large

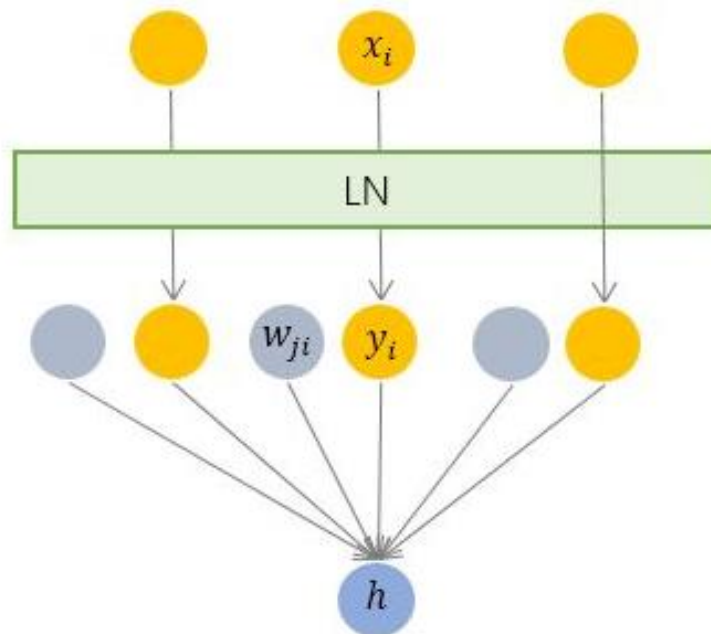
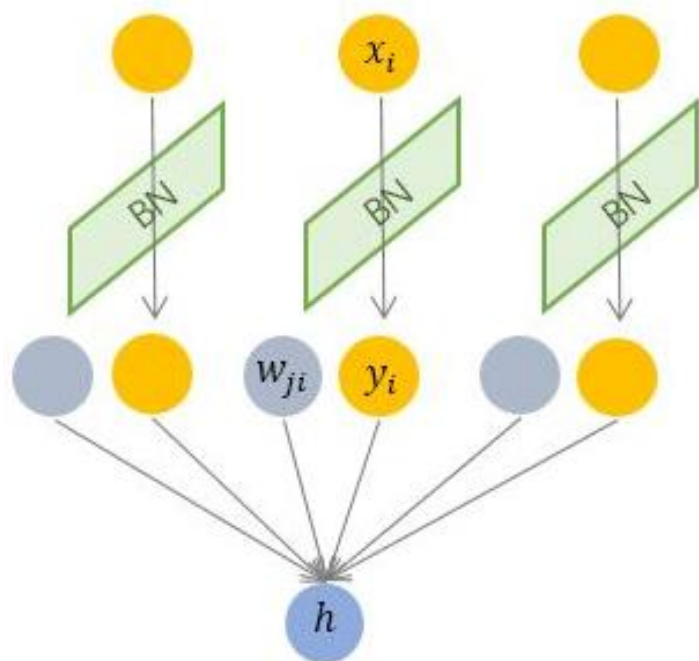


Closer Look...



Layer Normalization

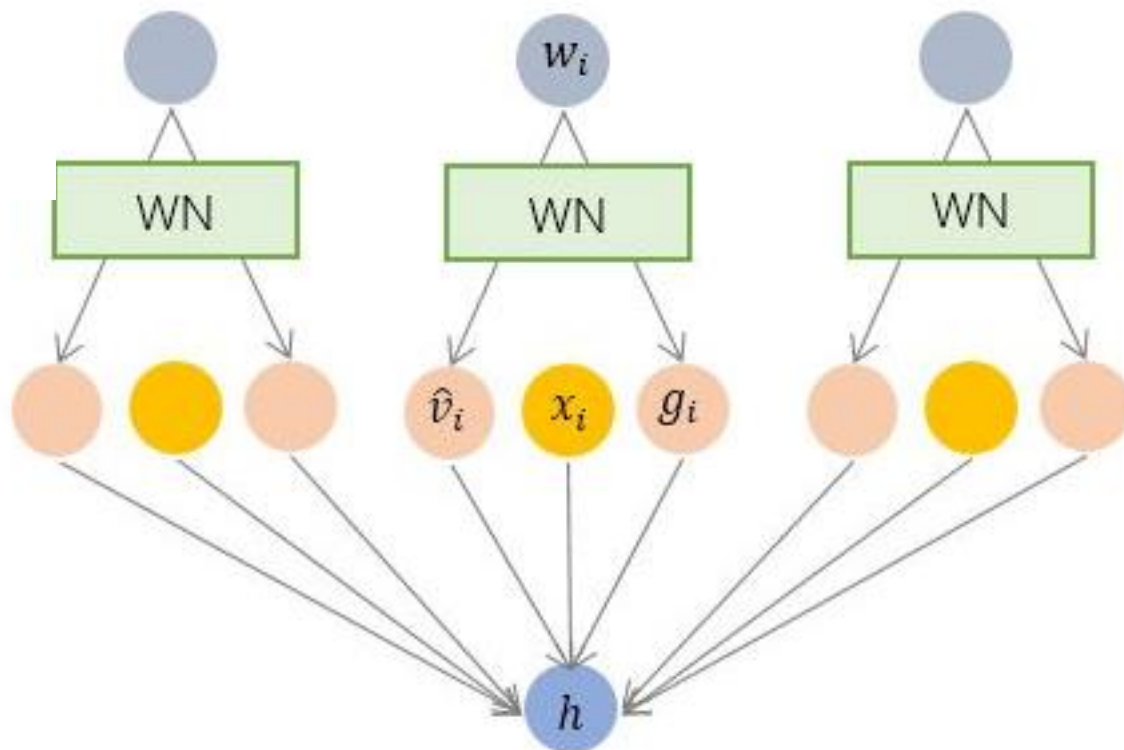
- can be used in (1) small batch scenario, even a single data sample and (2) dynamic network structures like RNN



Weight Normalization

- Reparameterization on weights

$$\mathbf{w} = \frac{g}{\|\mathbf{v}\|} \mathbf{v}$$



More

- Instance Normalization
- Group Normalization
- Spectral Normalization

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