

Deep Learning

6 Backpropagation-2

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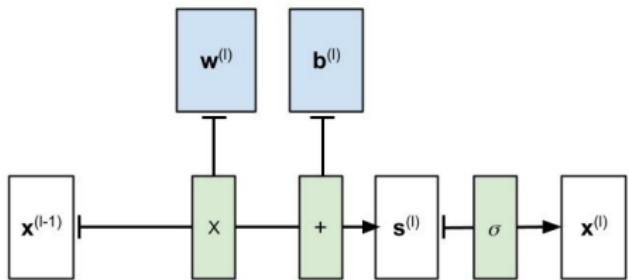
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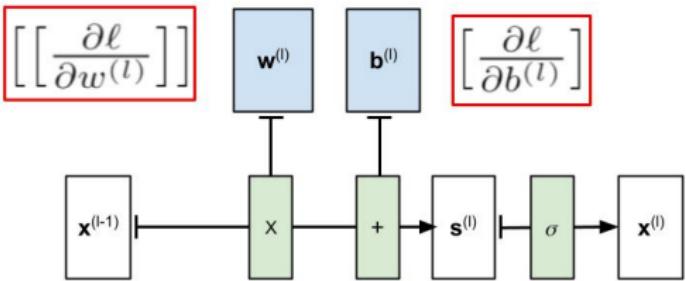
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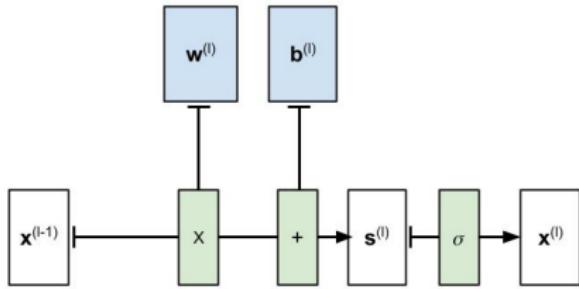
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Goal of Backward Pass

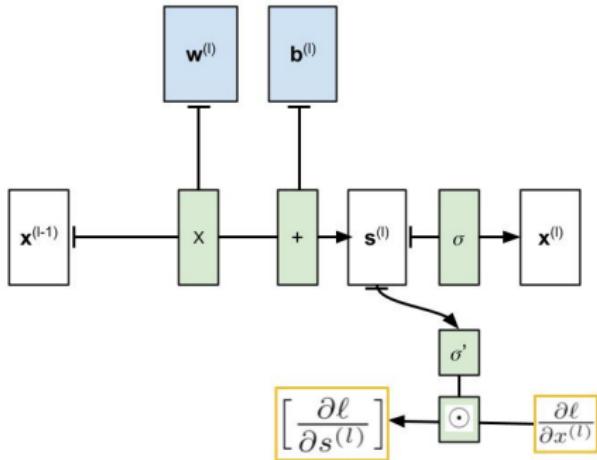


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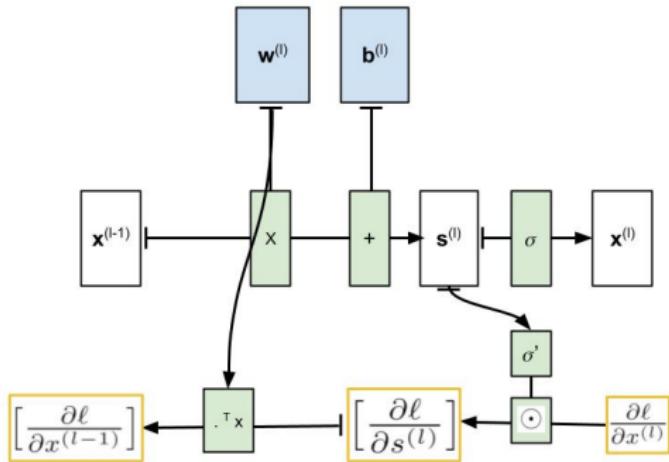


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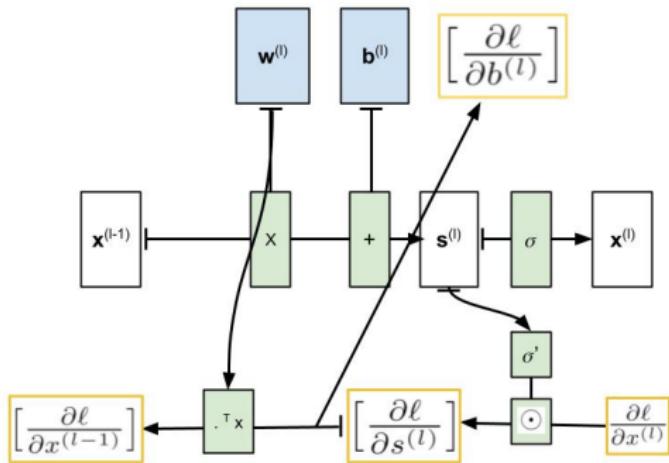
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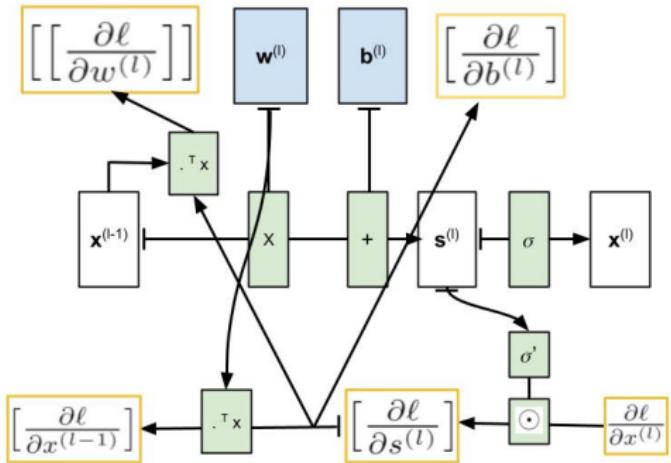
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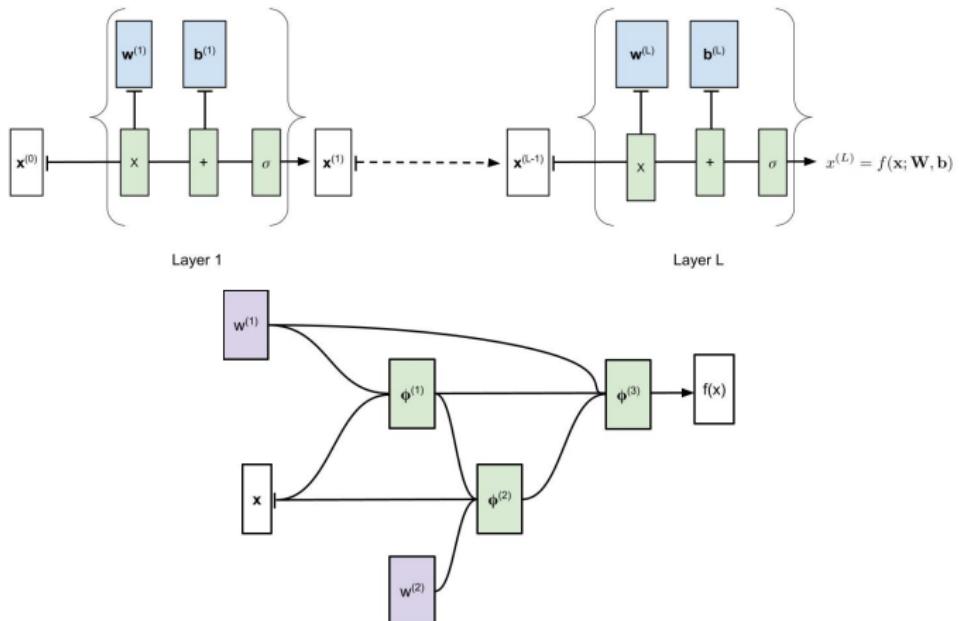
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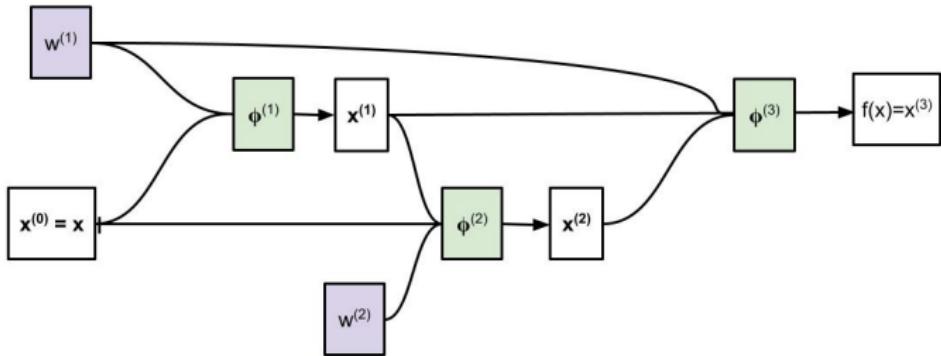
Beyond MLP

- We can generalize MLP



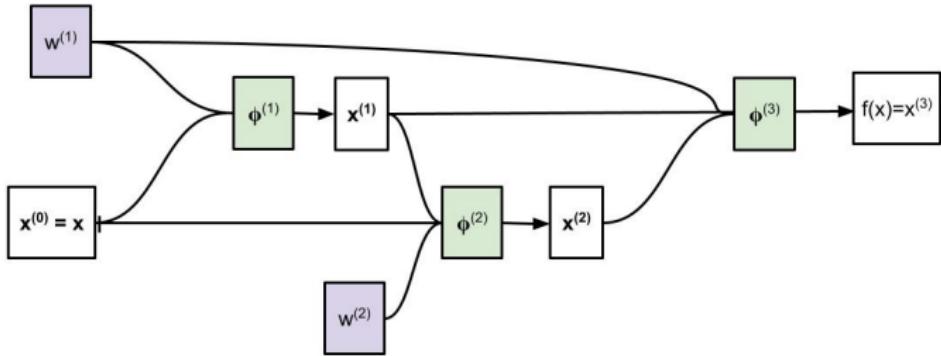
To an arbitrary Directed Acyclic Graph (DAG)

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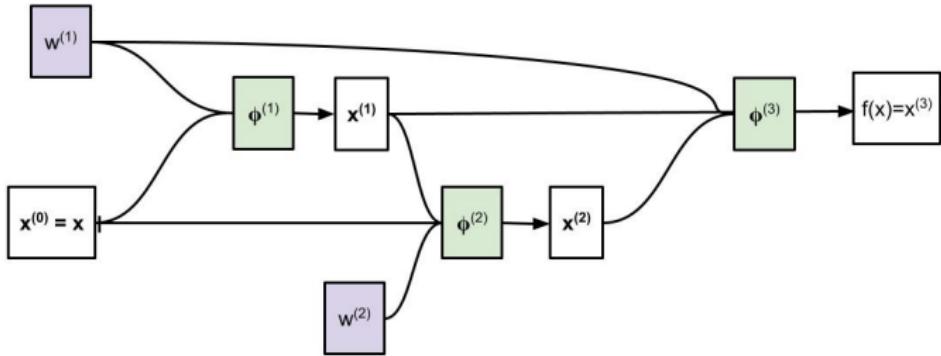
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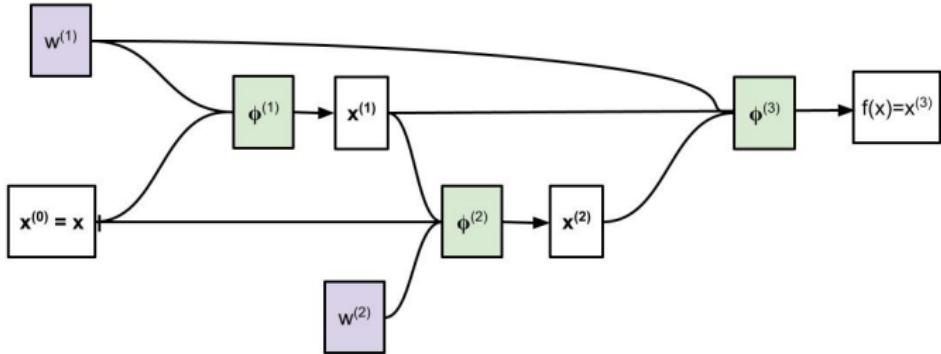
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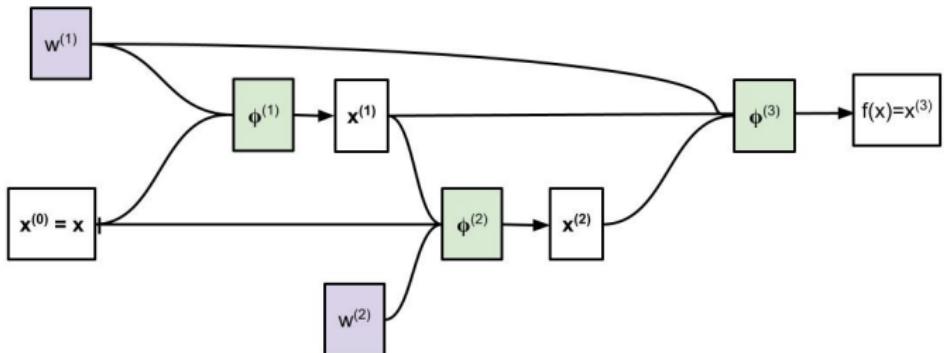
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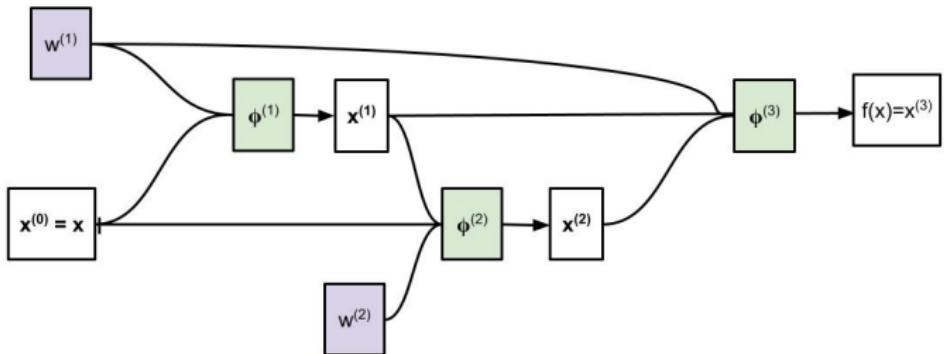
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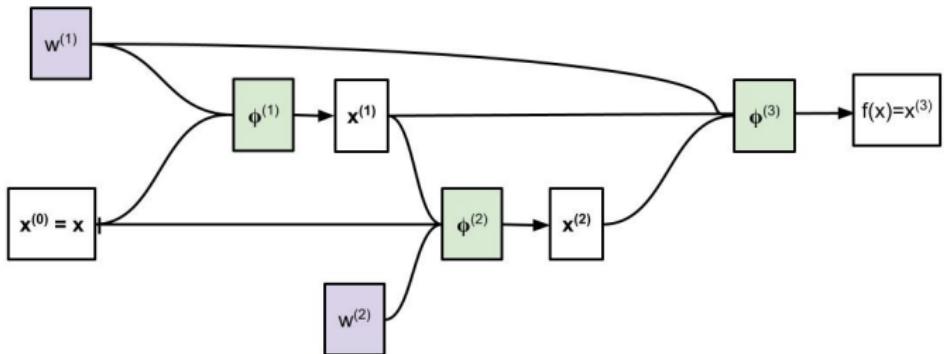


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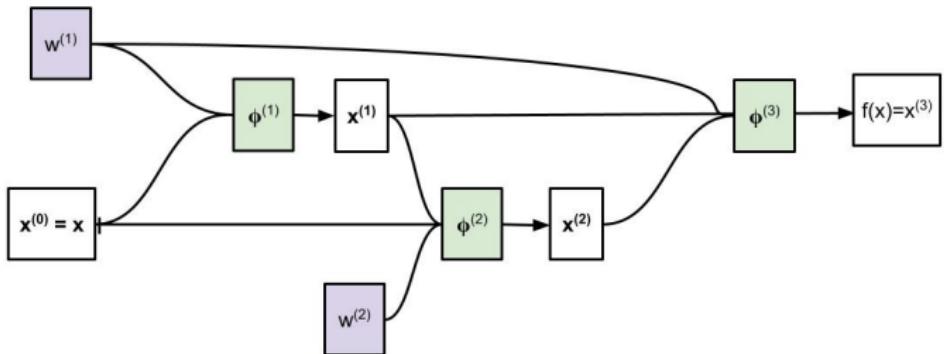


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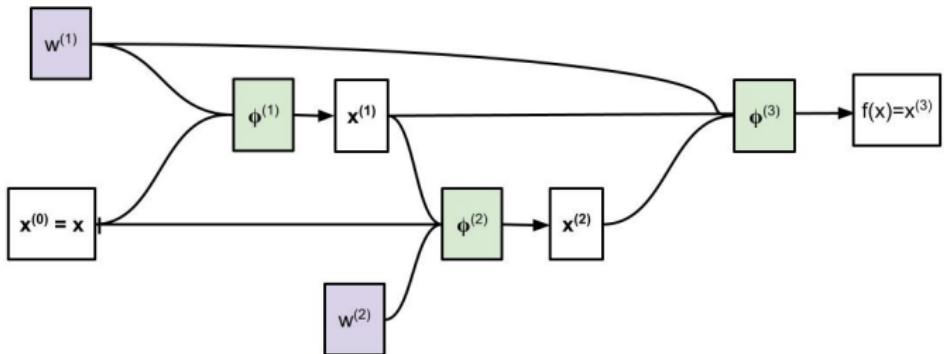
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