

# Deep Learning

## 14 Encoder-Decoder Models & Attention

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- E.g., **The check I issued could not be encashed.** → Did you check the balance in your account?

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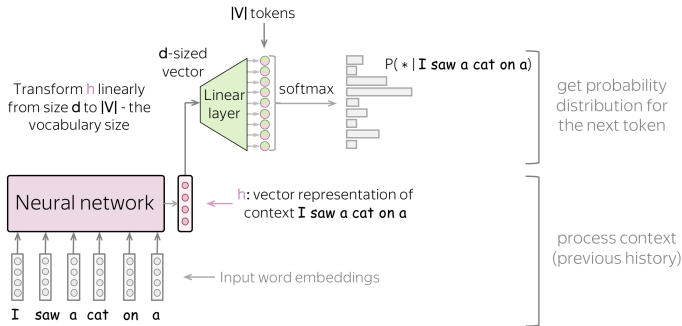
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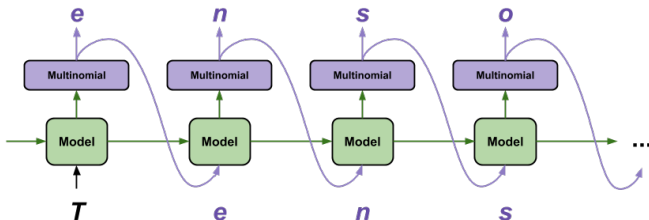
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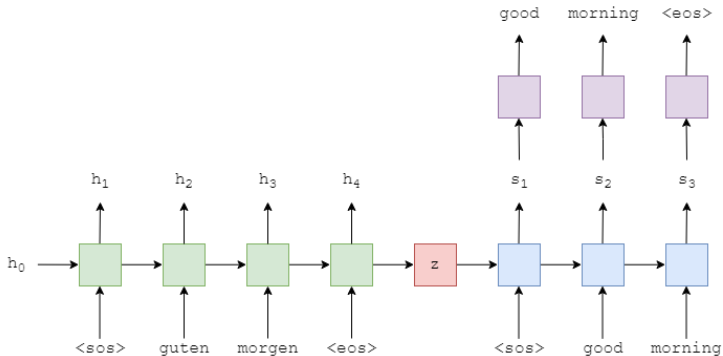
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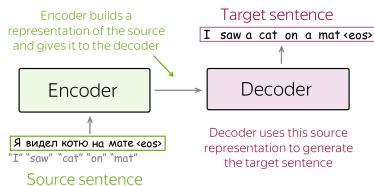
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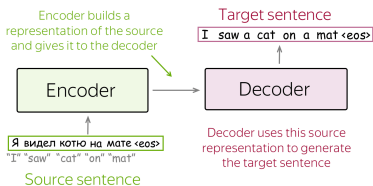


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- ① Hence, Seq2Seq tasks can be modelled as conditional language models

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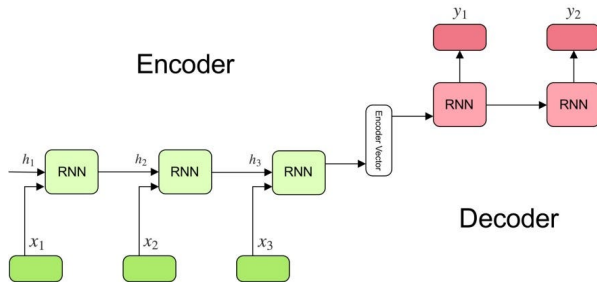
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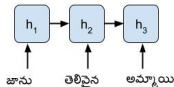


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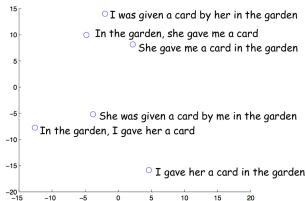
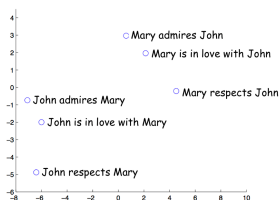
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- Representations of sentences with similar meaning but different structure are close!



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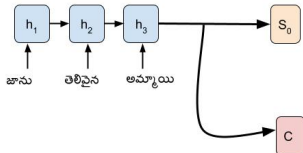
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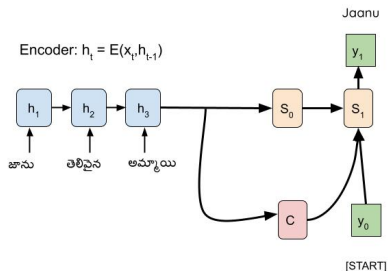
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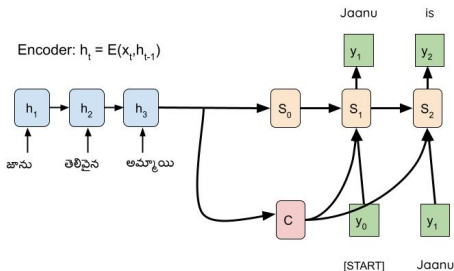
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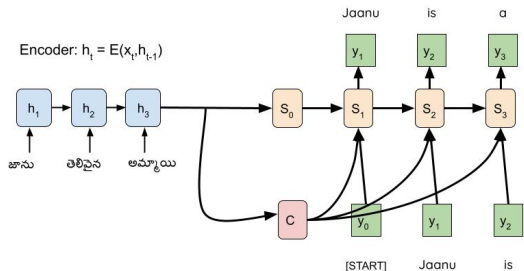
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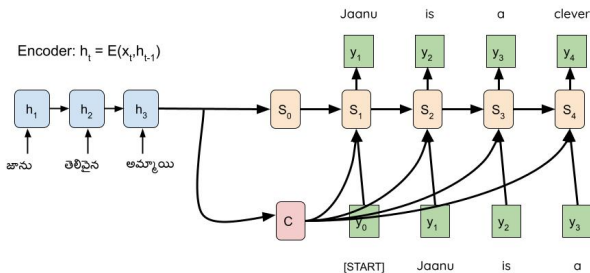
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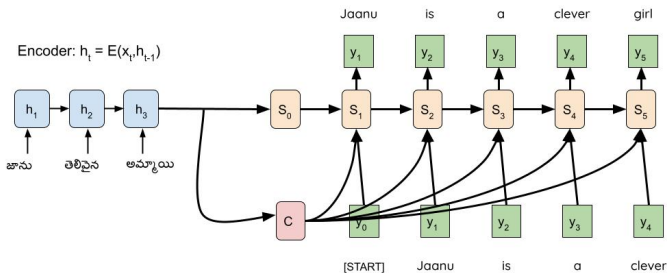
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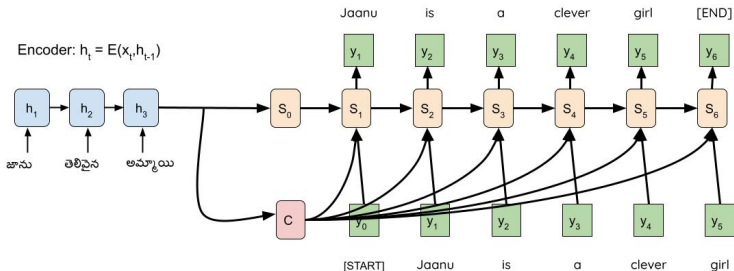
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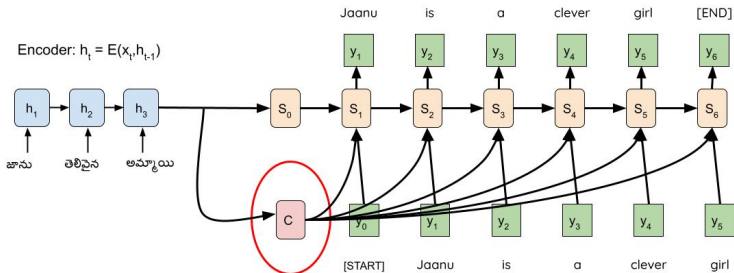
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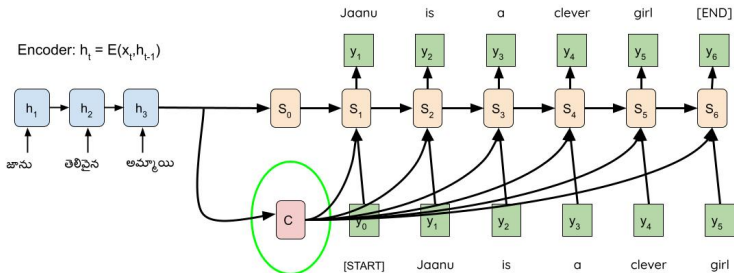
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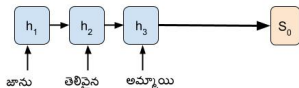
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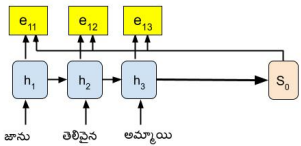
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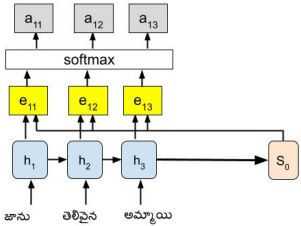
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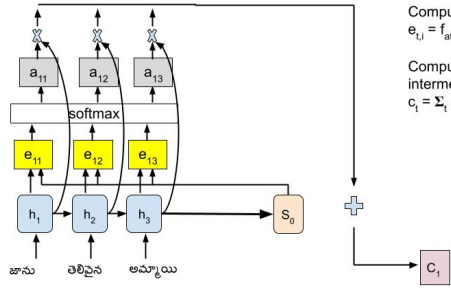
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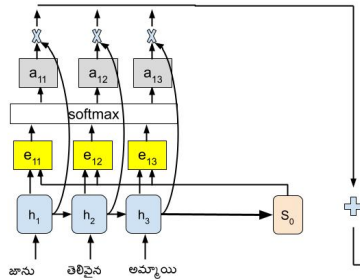
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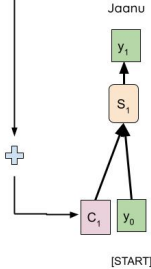
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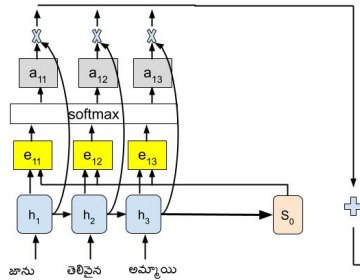
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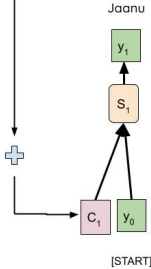
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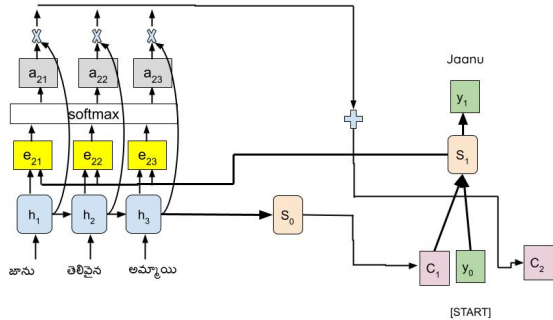


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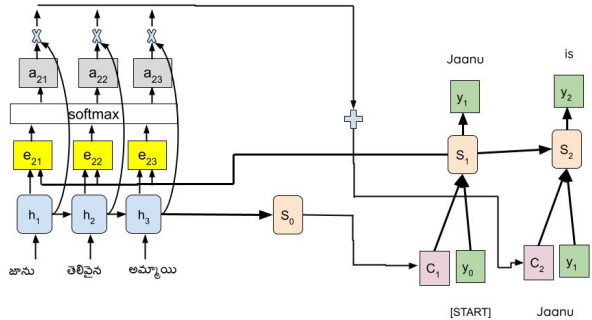
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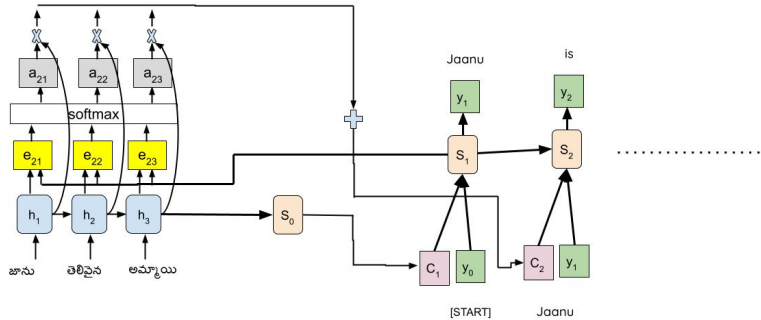


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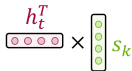
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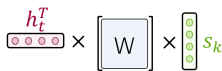
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$$h_t^T \times W \times s_k$$

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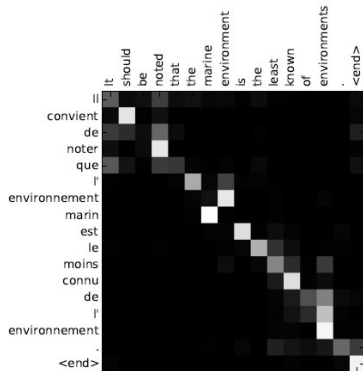
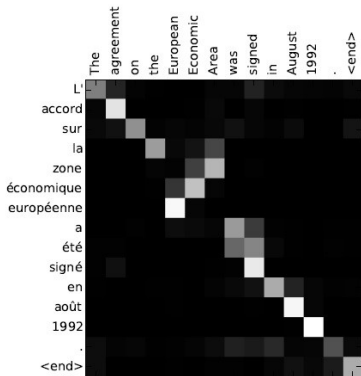
Multi-Layer Perceptron


$$w_2^T \times \tanh \left[ W_1 \times \begin{bmatrix} h_t \\ s_k \end{bmatrix} \right]$$

$$\text{score}(h_t, s_k) = w_2^T \cdot \tanh(W_1 [h_t, s_k])$$

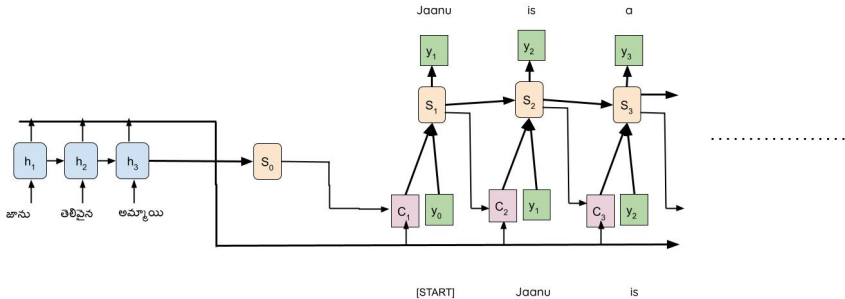
Computing Attention  
(Credits: Elene Voita)

# Encoder-Decoder for Machine Translation with Attention



Neural Machine Translation with aligning by Bahdanau et al. ICLR 2015

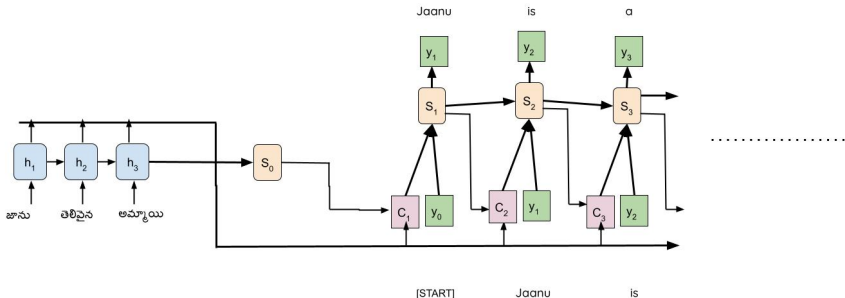
# Encoder-Decoder for Machine Translation with Attention



- Decoder doesn't consider the  $h_i$  to be an ordered set



# Encoder-Decoder for Machine Translation with Attention



- Decoder doesn't consider the  $h_i$  to be an ordered set
- This architecture can be exploited to process a set of inputs  $h_i$

# Image captioning using RNNs with Attention

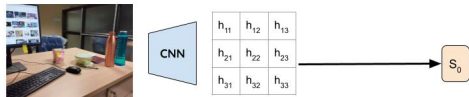


$h_{11}$	$h_{12}$	$h_{13}$
$h_{21}$	$h_{22}$	$h_{23}$
$h_{31}$	$h_{32}$	$h_{33}$

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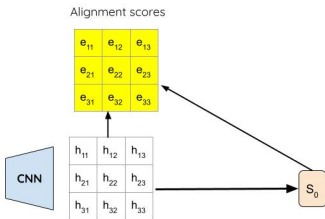
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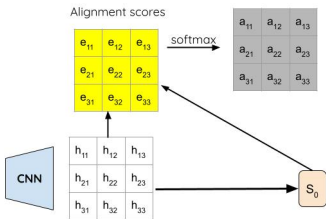
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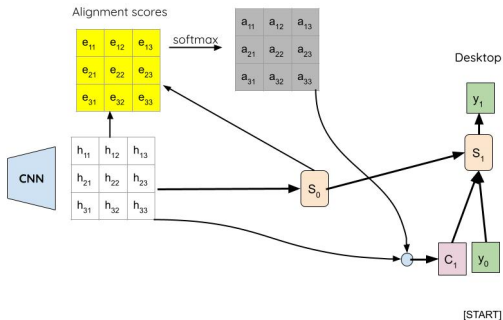
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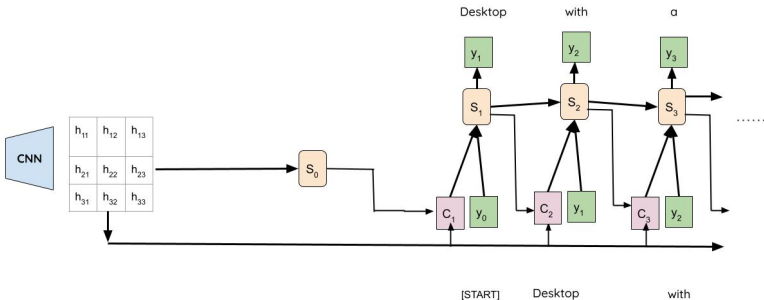
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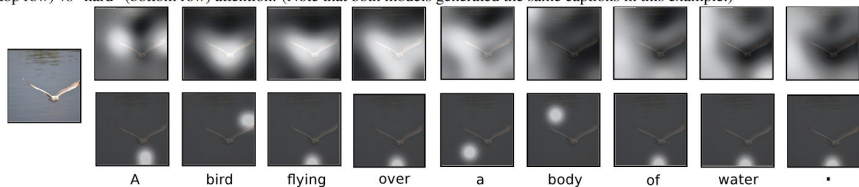
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Figure 2. Attention over time. As the model generates each word, its attention changes to reflect the relevant parts of the image. “soft” (top row) vs “hard” (bottom row) attention. (Note that both models generated the same captions in this example.)



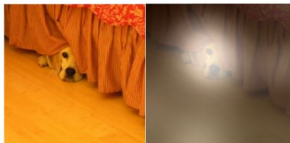
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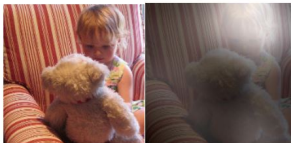
A woman is throwing a frisbee in a park.



A dog is standing on a hardwood floor.



A stop sign is on a road with a mountain in the background.



A little girl sitting on a bed with a teddy bear.



A group of people sitting on a boat in the water.



A giraffe standing in a forest with trees in the background.

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