

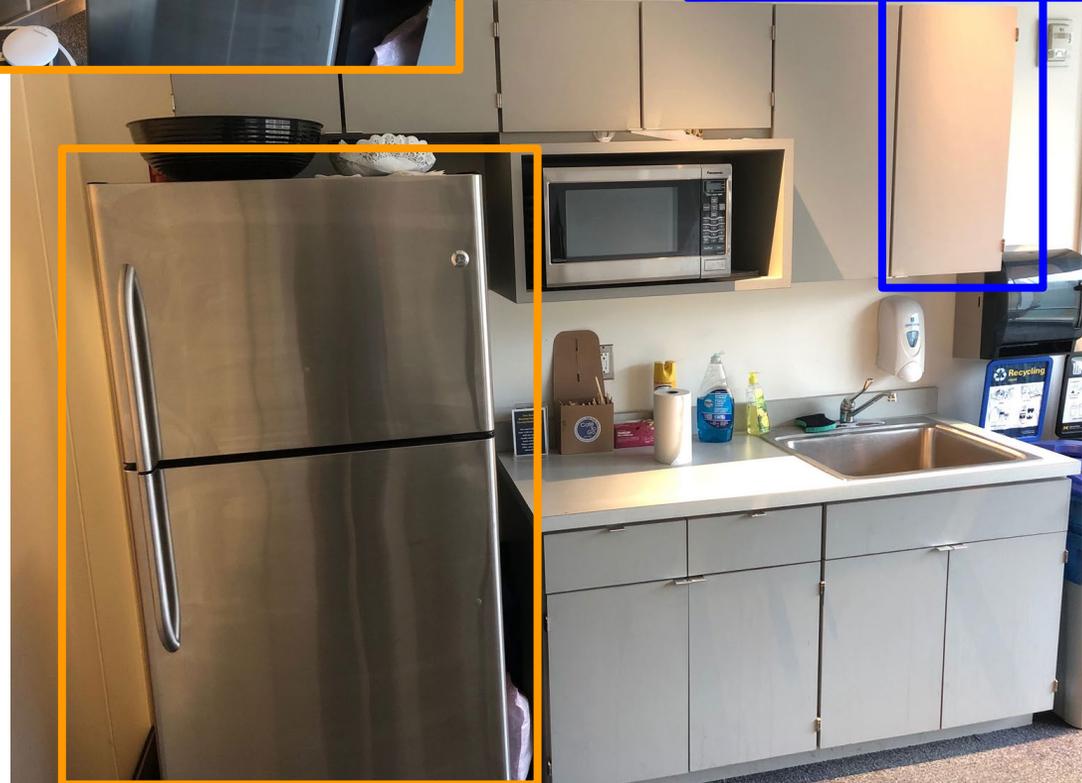
Machine Learning & Image Classification

ROB 102: Introduction to AI & Programming

Lecture 10

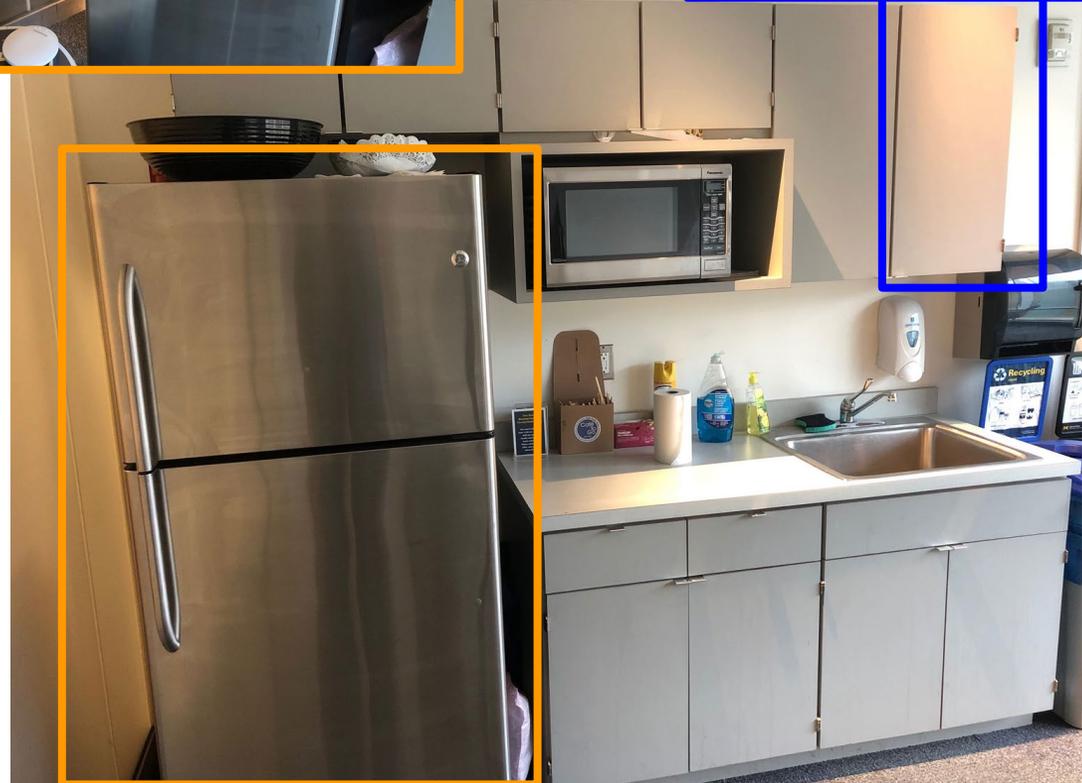
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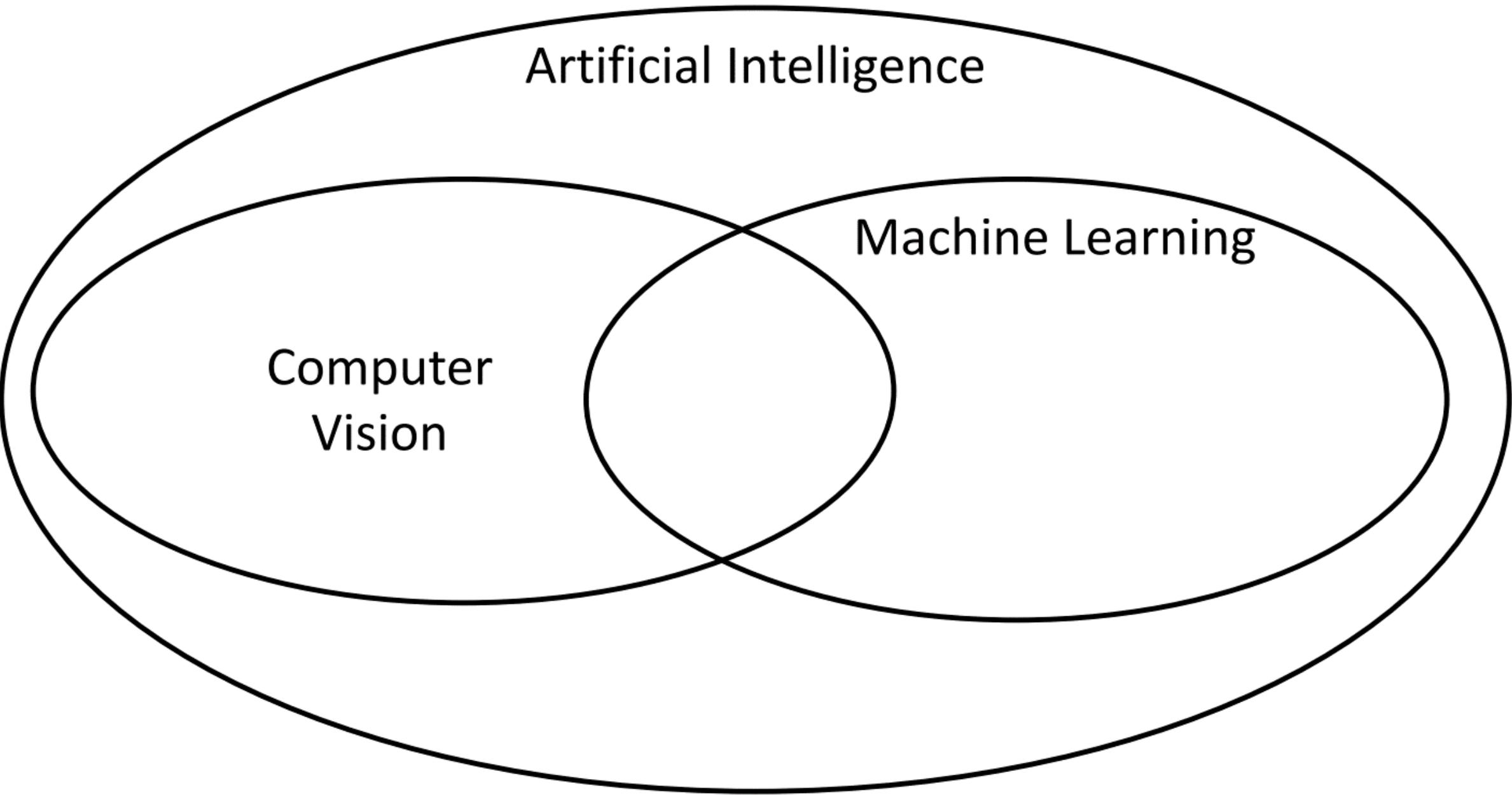
How can we make a robot see?

camera!



ROB 102 (Project 4): We will perform a **computer vision** task using **machine learning** algorithms.

Artificial Intelligence



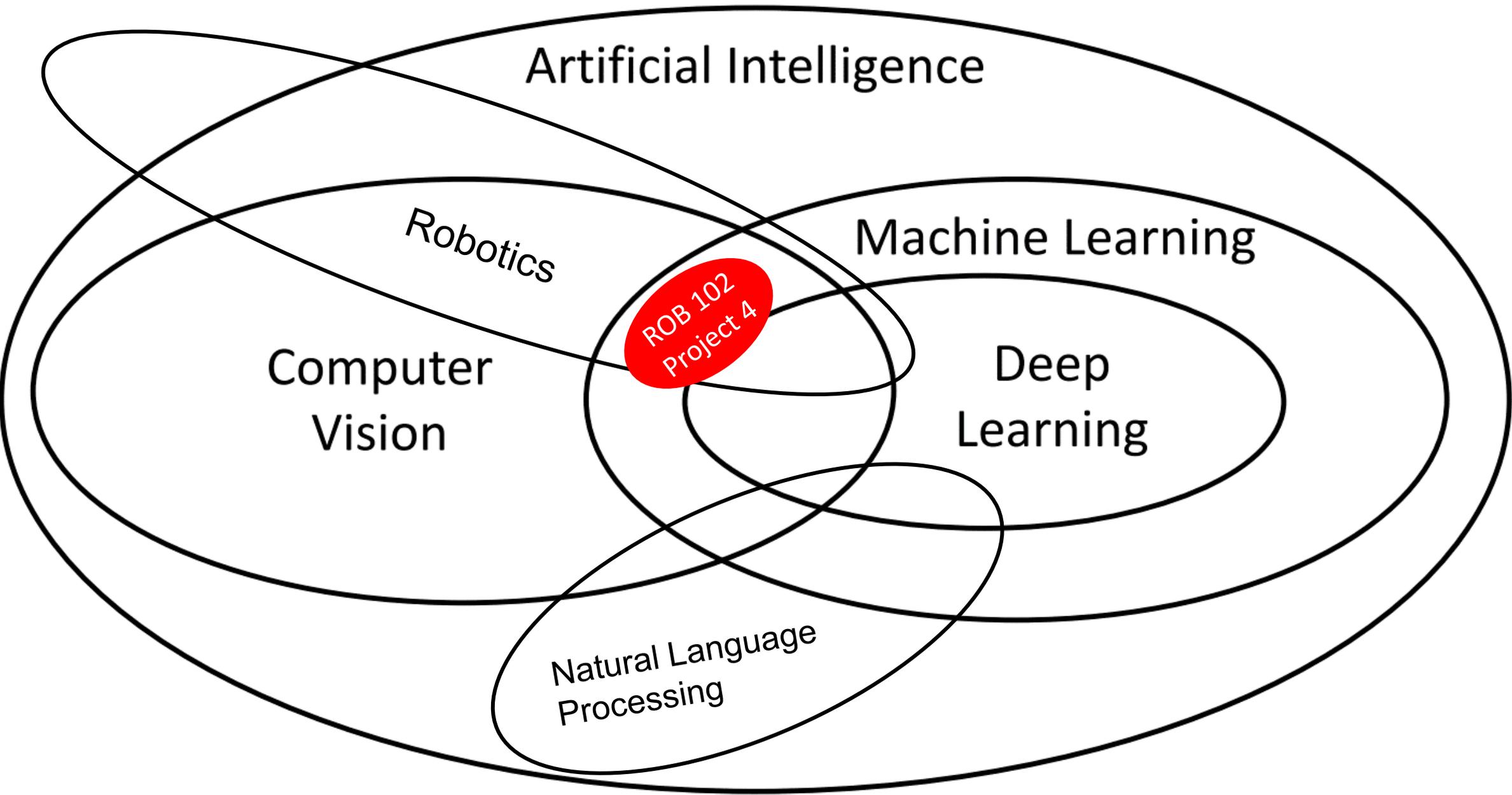
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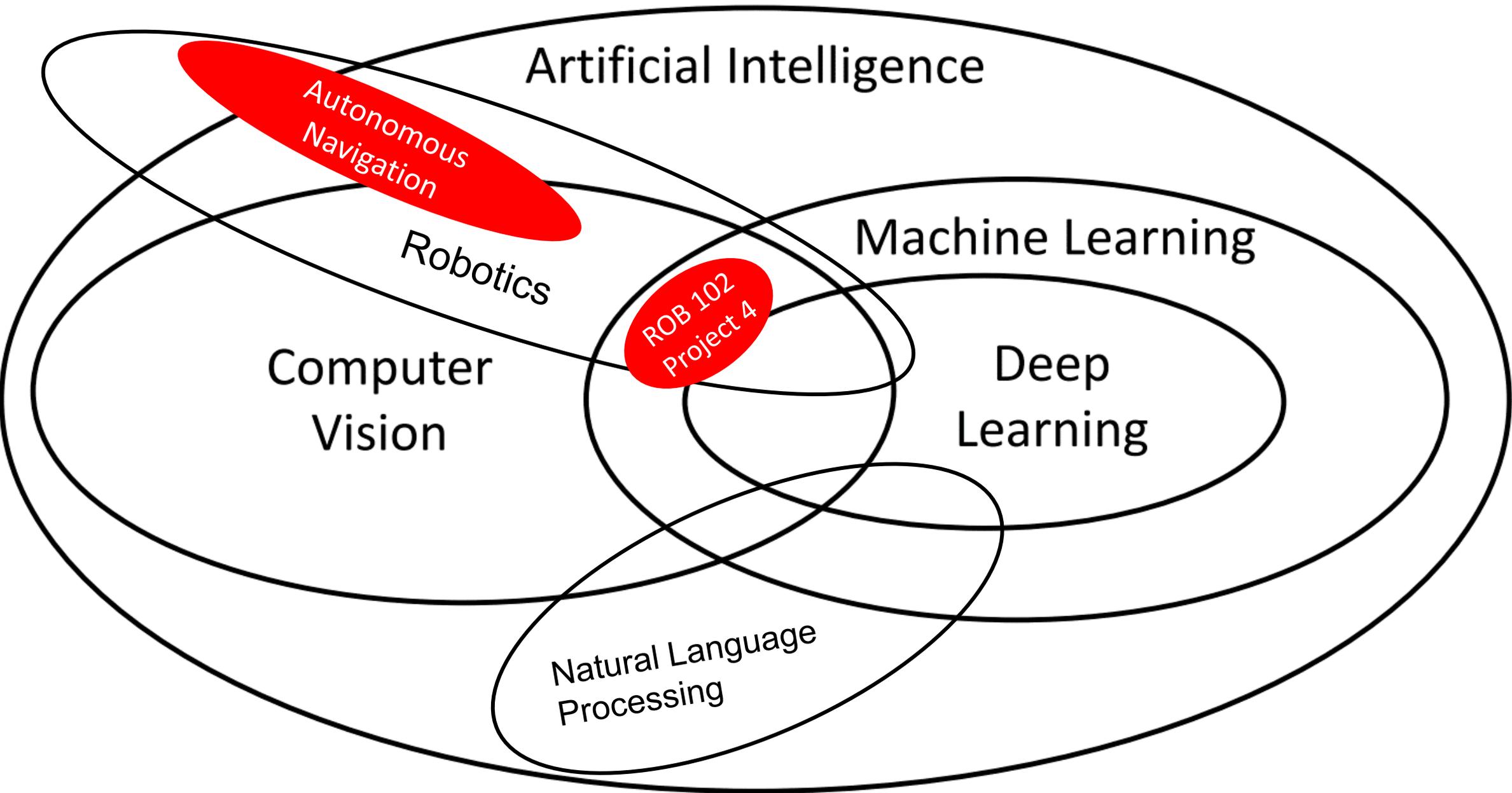
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Goal for ROB 102 Project 4: Perform image classification with machine learning algorithms.

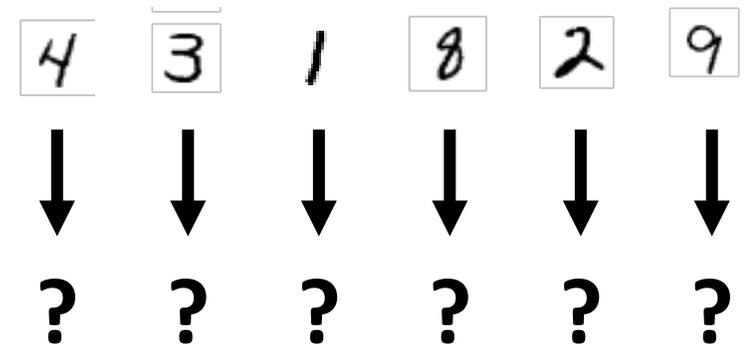
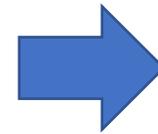


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Machine Learning Terminology

Supervised
Learning

Unsupervised
Learning

Reinforcement
Learning

Supervised Learning

Given input data X and labels for that data y , learn a function to perform prediction on new data:

$$f(X) = y.$$

Supervised Learning

IMAGENET Large Scale Visual Recognition Challenge

The Image Classification Challenge:
1,000 object classes
1,431,167 images

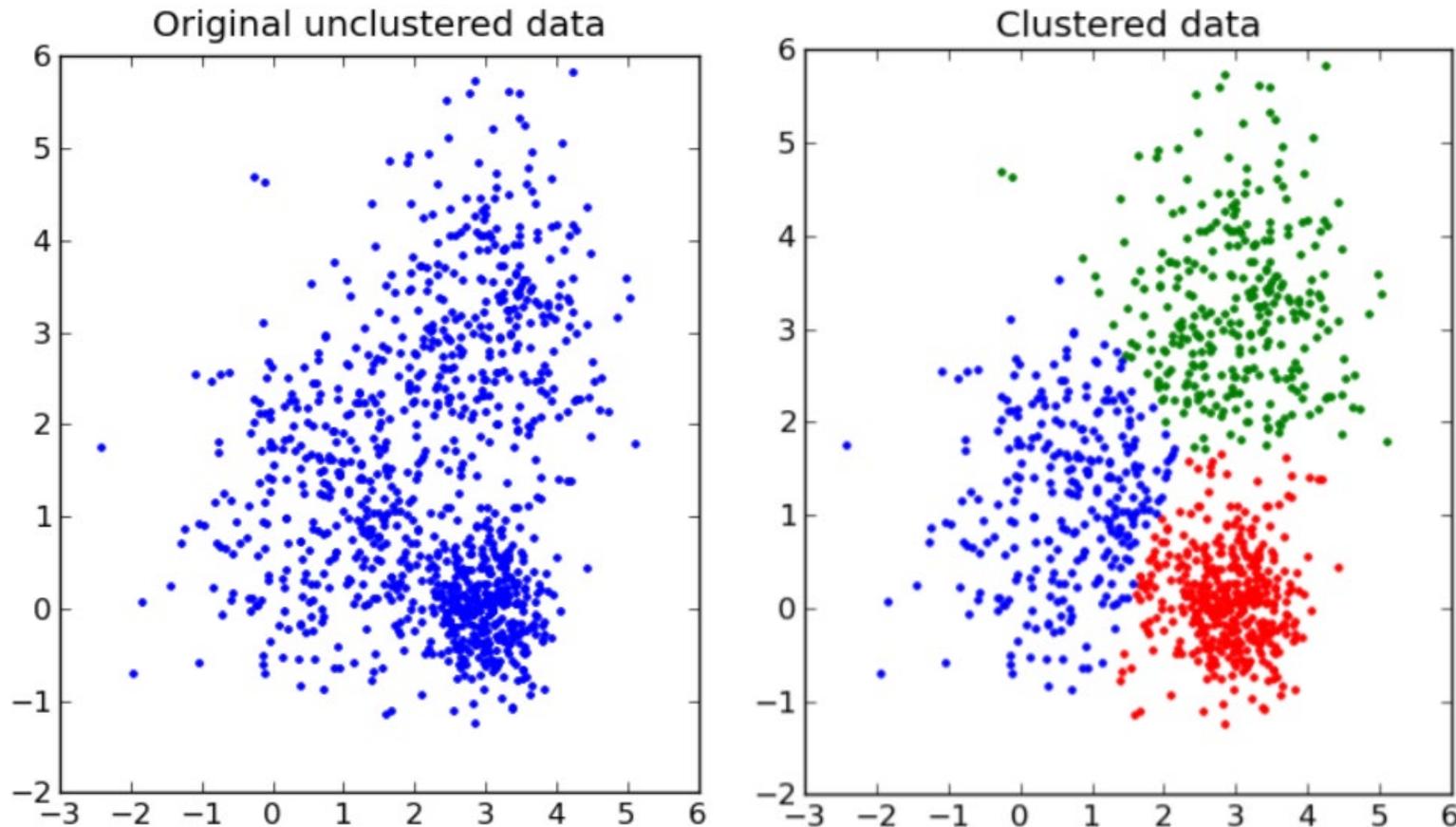


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Unsupervised Learning

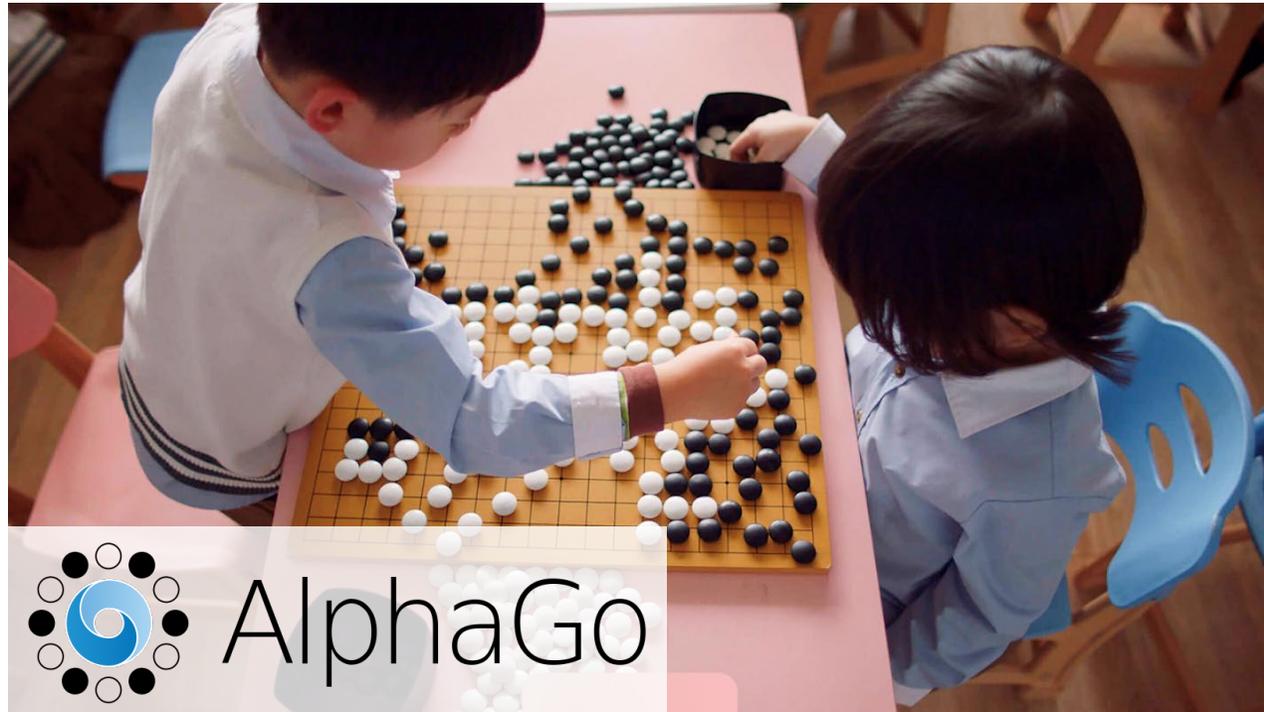
Given unlabeled data, learn a function over the input.



Source: Pineau, 2017 ([link](#))

Reinforcement Learning

An agent learns a policy that maximizes a reward.



DeepMind ([link](#))



Beat the world Go champion in 2017.

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What is in this picture?



Image: Alastair Pollock Photography/Getty Images

“shark”

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Image: WeRateDogs

~~“shark”~~
“dog”

Solve the following equation:

$$10230823.5849 \times 3729.2201 + 19420186 = ?$$

Humans are very good at reasoning about images:



“shark”



“shark”



~~“shark”~~
“dog”

Computers are very good at doing arithmetic:

$$10230823.5849 \times 3729.2201 + 19420186 = ?$$

Goal for ROB 102 Project 4: Perform image classification with machine learning algorithms.

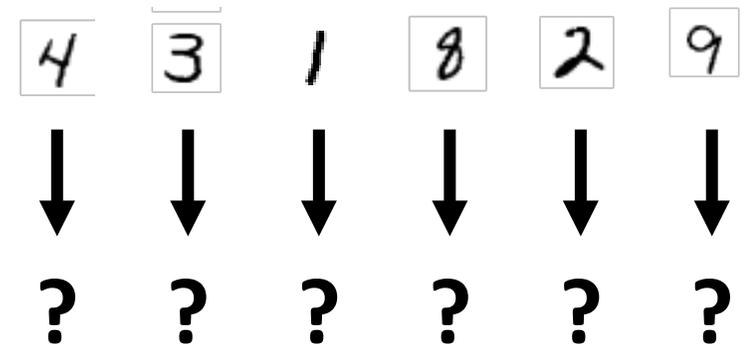
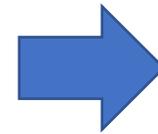


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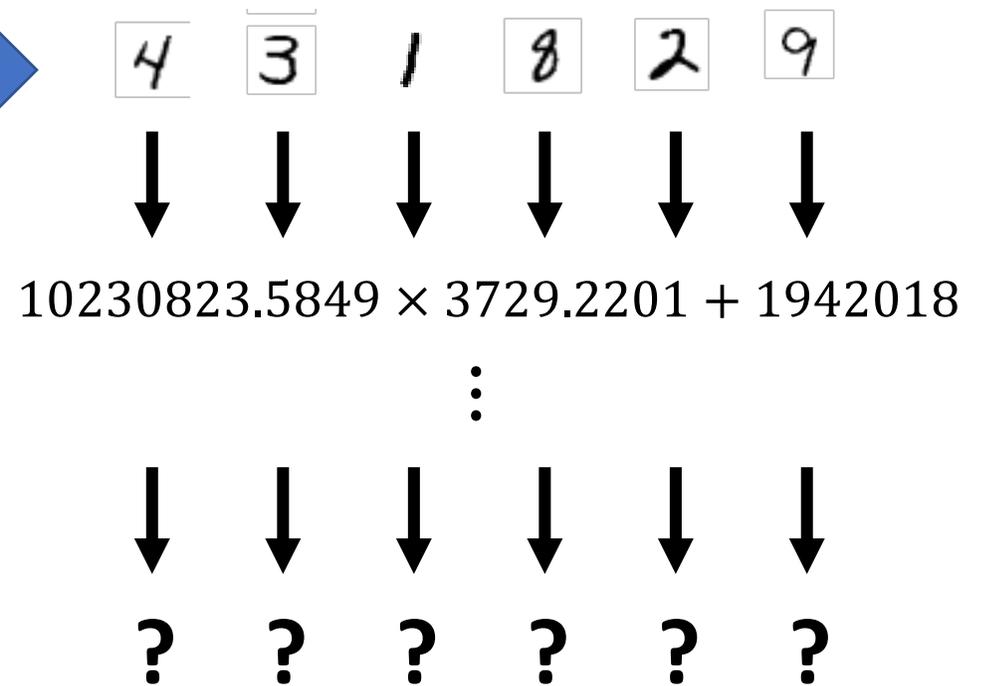
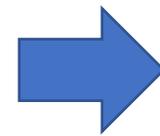
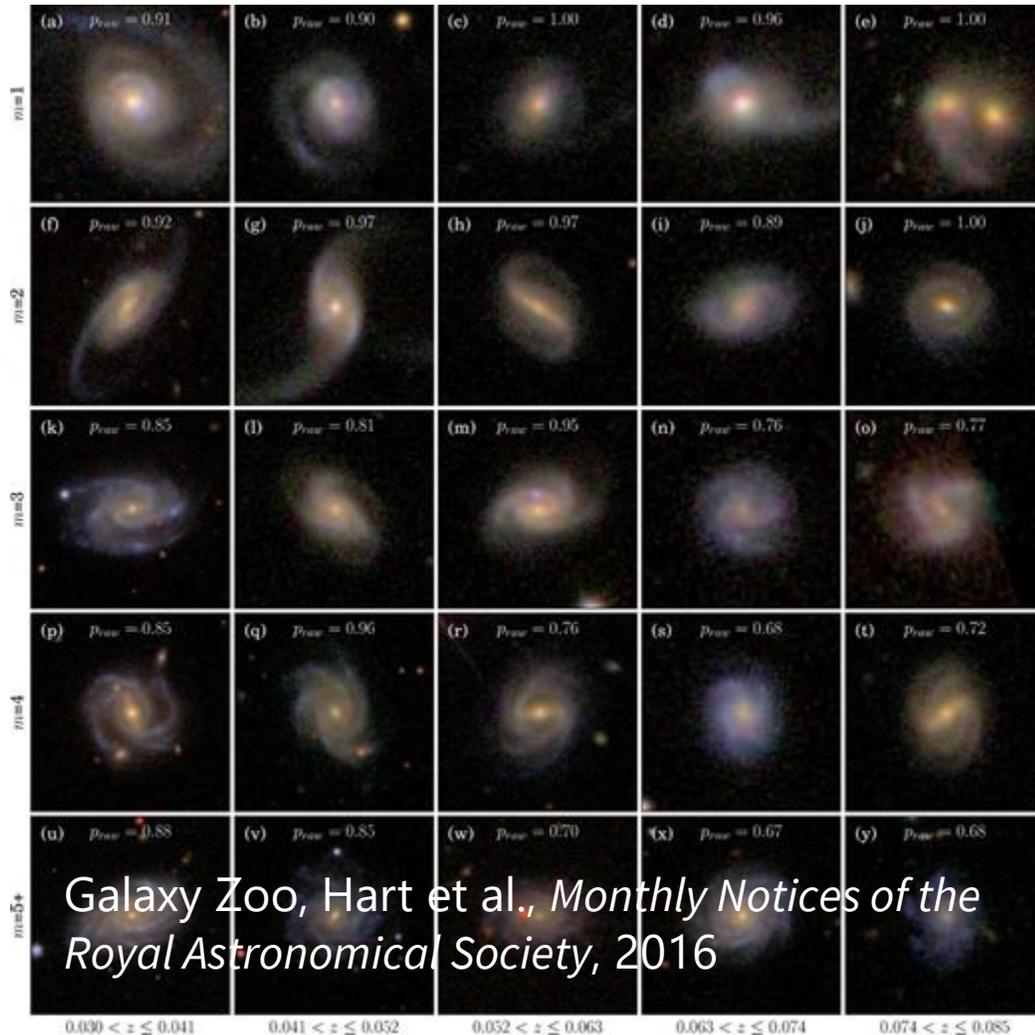


Image Classification



Galaxy Zoo, Hart et al., *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 2016

Galaxy Classification

Skin Cancer Detection

Esteva et al., *Nature*, 2017



Image: Matt Young ([link](#))

Handwriting classification

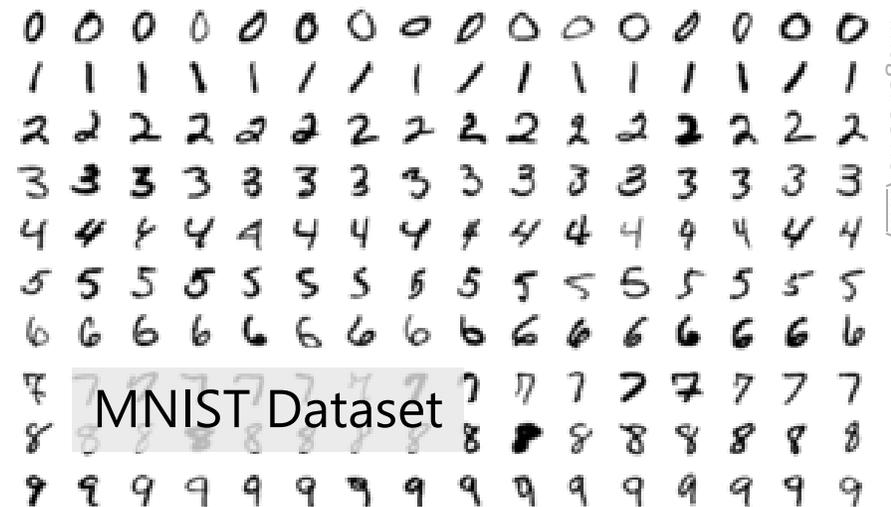


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Image Classification: A Building Block

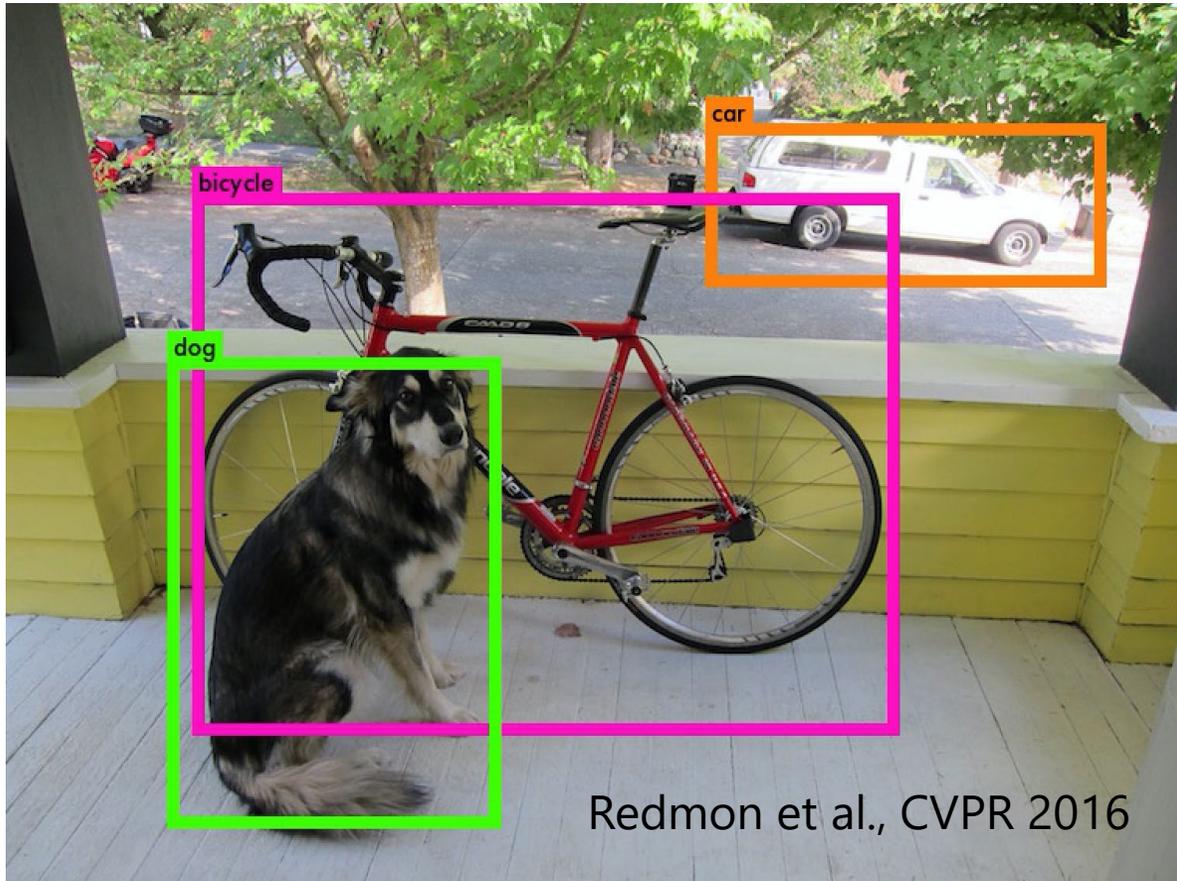


Image Recognition



Image Segmentation

How does a computer process an image?

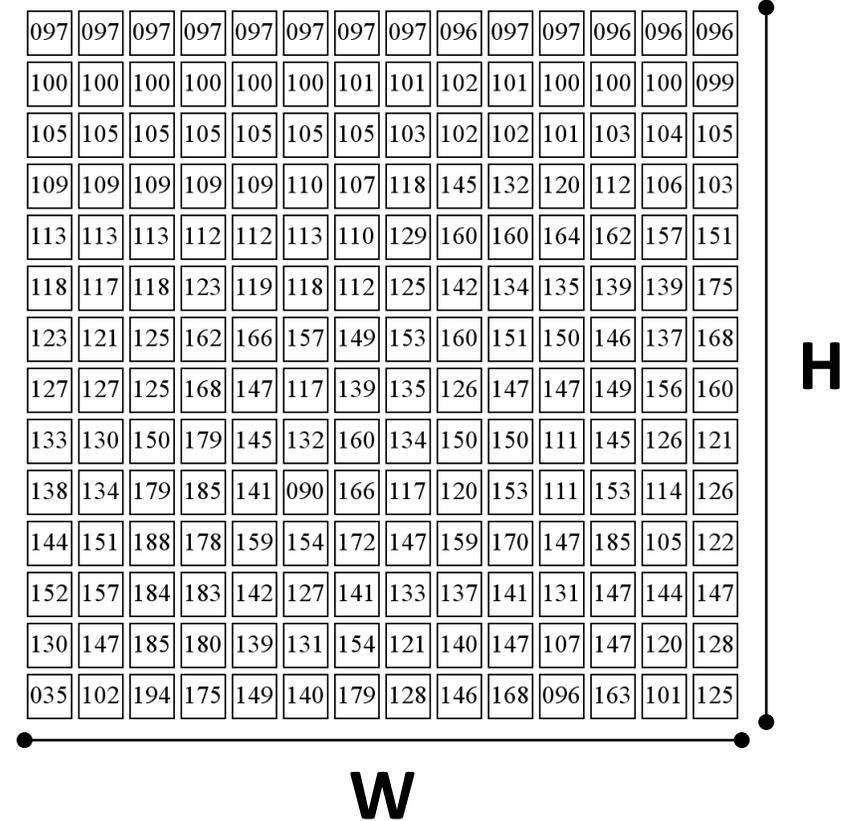


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An image is a grid of pixels. Each pixel has a numerical value.

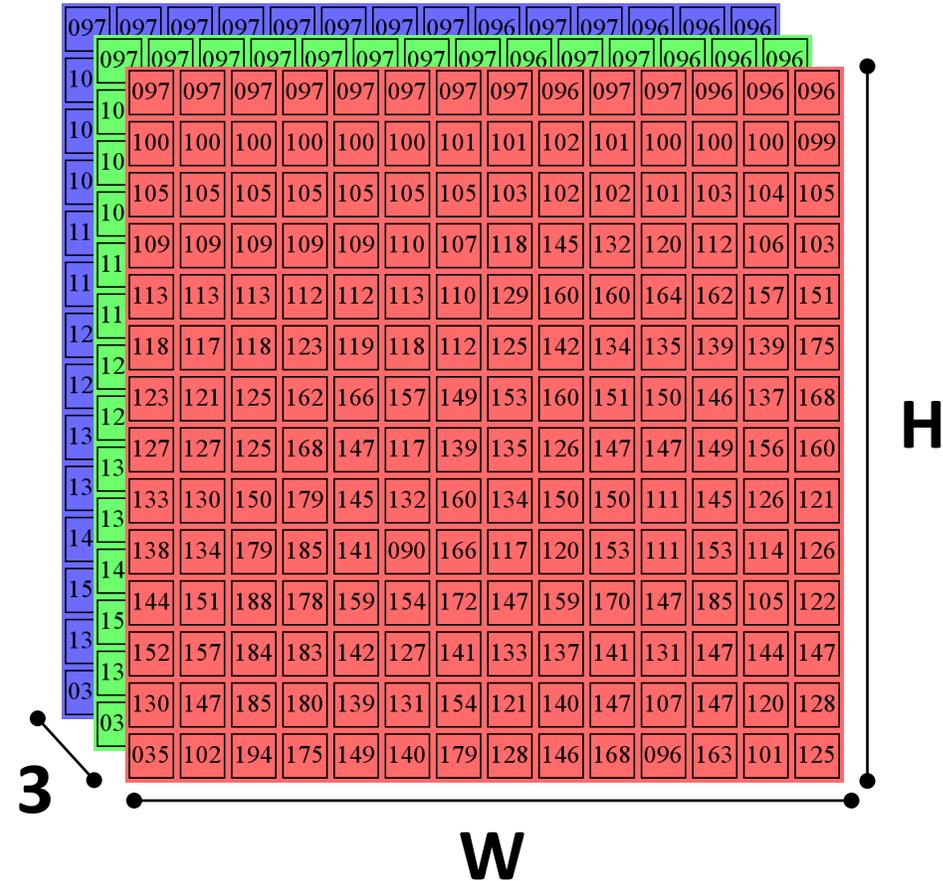
For a greyscale image, the value corresponds to the intensity of that pixel.

How does a computer process an image?



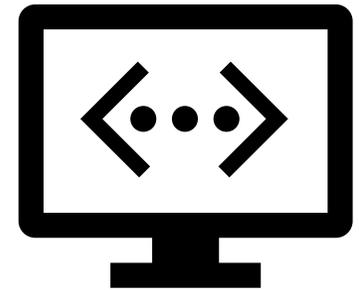
The image has size HxW.

How does a computer process an image?



A color can be represented by 3 values at each pixel: red, green, blue (RGB)
A full-color image can be represented by $H \times W \times 3$ numbers.

We could try to code up a classifier...



Catari 2600

Challenges: Viewpoint Variation

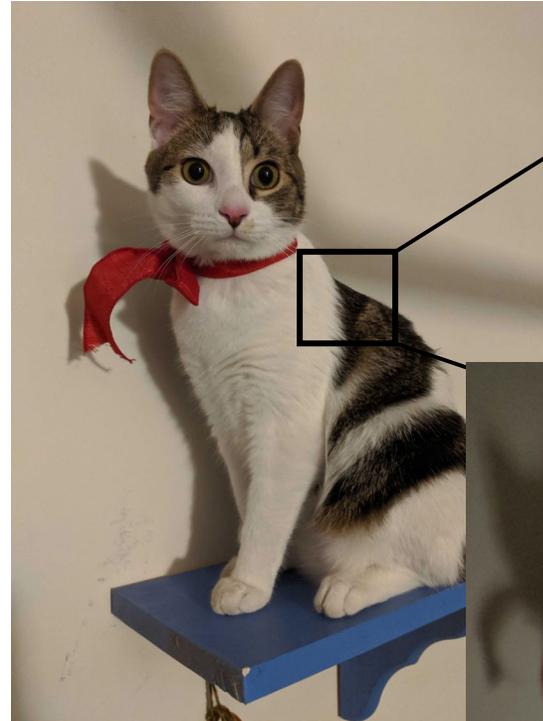


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Pixels change values when the camera moves

Challenges: Viewpoint Variation



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Pixels change values when the camera moves

Challenges: Variation within Classes



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Challenges: Background Clutter



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Challenges: Lighting Changes



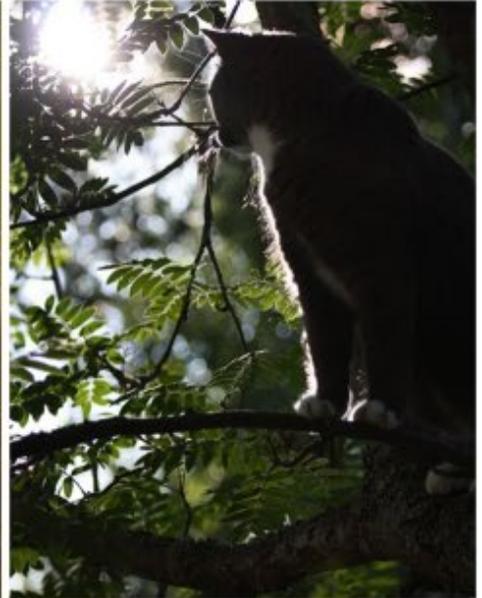
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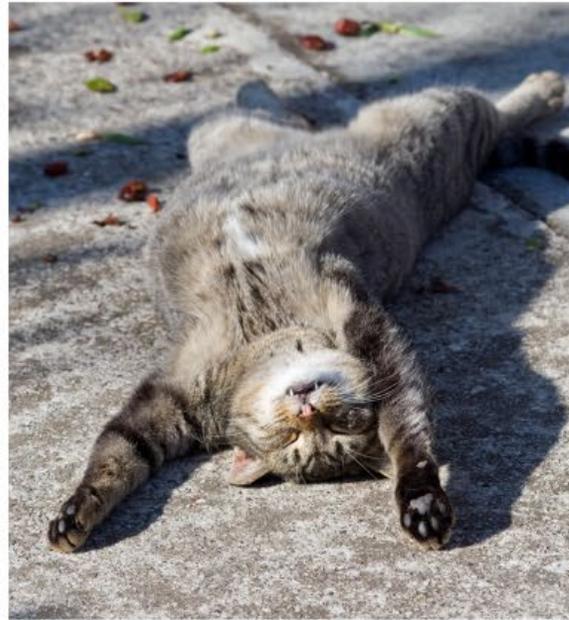


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Challenges: Deformation



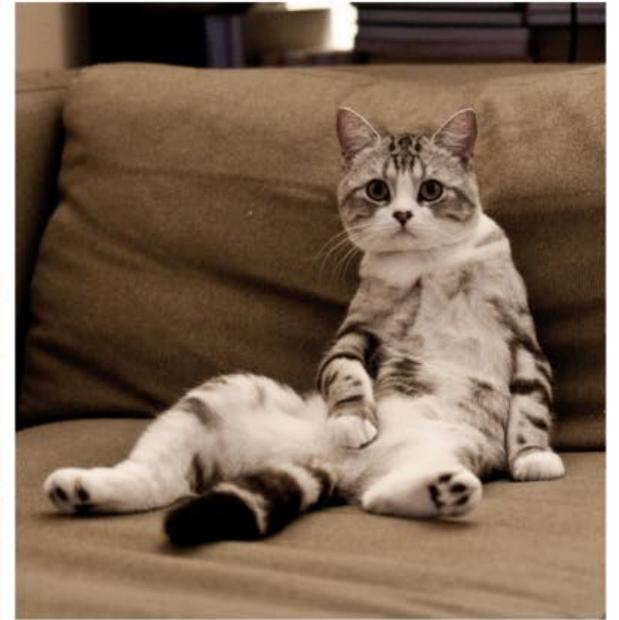
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Challenges: Occlusion



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Data-Driven Approach

Idea: Use (lots & lots of) data to learn to classify images.

1. Get a bunch of labelled data.
2. Use Supervised Learning to train a classifier.
3. Use the classifier to label new images.

This will take lots and lots of data and compute power.

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The Image Classification Challenge:
COCO 2020 Object Detection Task



Output:
Scale

COCO Dataset ([link](#))



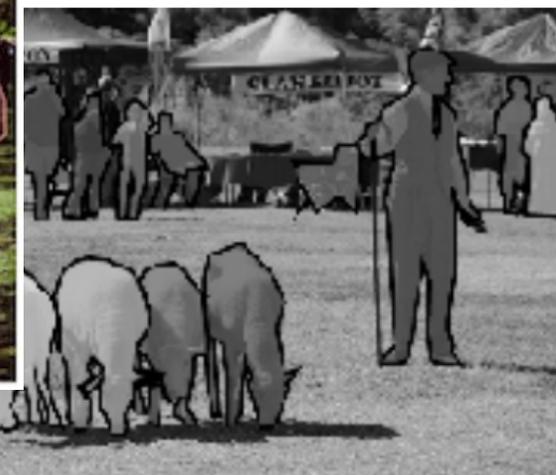
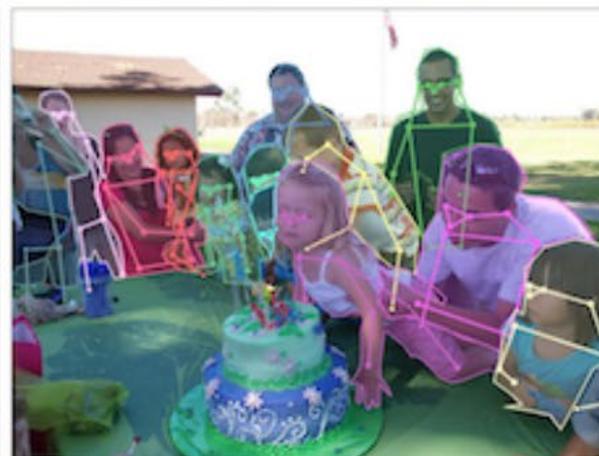
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COCO 2020 Keypoint Detection Task

COCO Dataset ([link](#))

Challenge

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KITTI Vision Benchmark Suite ([link](#)) ([video](#))

Challenge

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Scale



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The MNIST dataset of images



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MNIST contains 70k images of handwritten digits. All of them are labelled as a digit from 0 to 9.

The images are 28x28 pixels (tiny!).

Machine Learning Algorithm

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Learn a prediction model by optimizing over a labeled dataset.

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Use the model to perform prediction on new data.

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We have to pick the data, the model, and the optimization method.

Training & Testing Datasets

Training set: Labelled data used for training a machine learning algorithm.

Test set: Data used to test the accuracy of the machine learning algorithm.

- Usually smaller than the training set
- Also has labels, only used for measuring how good the algorithm is (no cheating!!)
- We don't look at this during training, so we are testing on images the algorithm has never seen before.

In MNIST, there are 60k training images and 10k test images.

Project 4: Machine Learning

Implement three machine learning algorithms to classify images from the MNIST dataset.

1. Nearest Neighbors
2. Linear Classifier
3. Neural Network

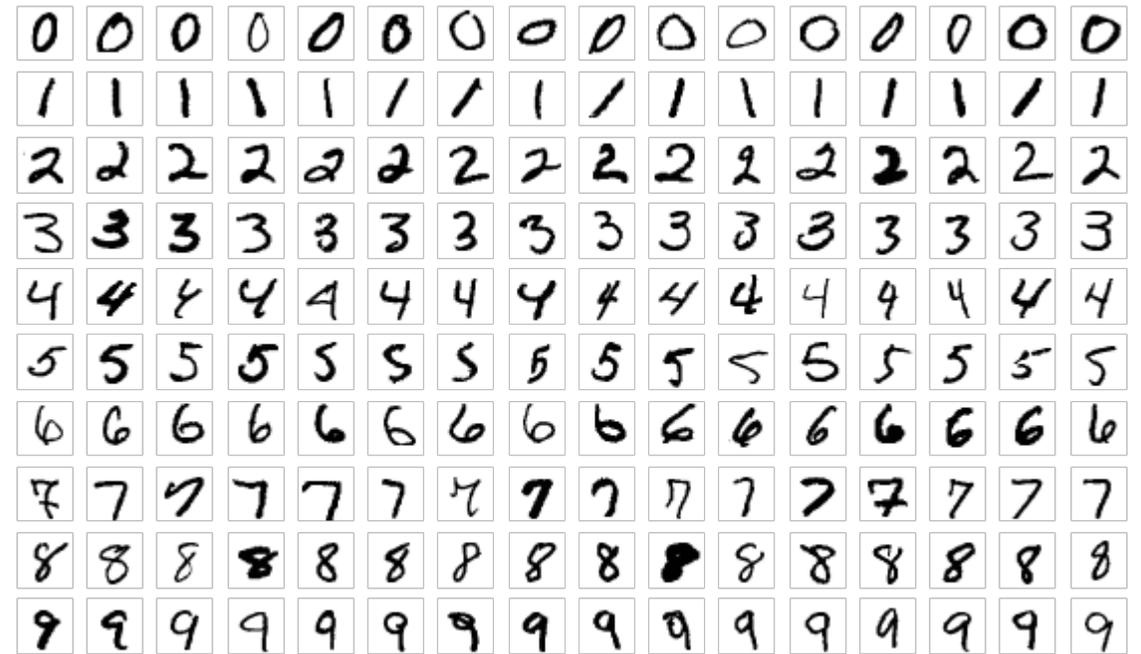
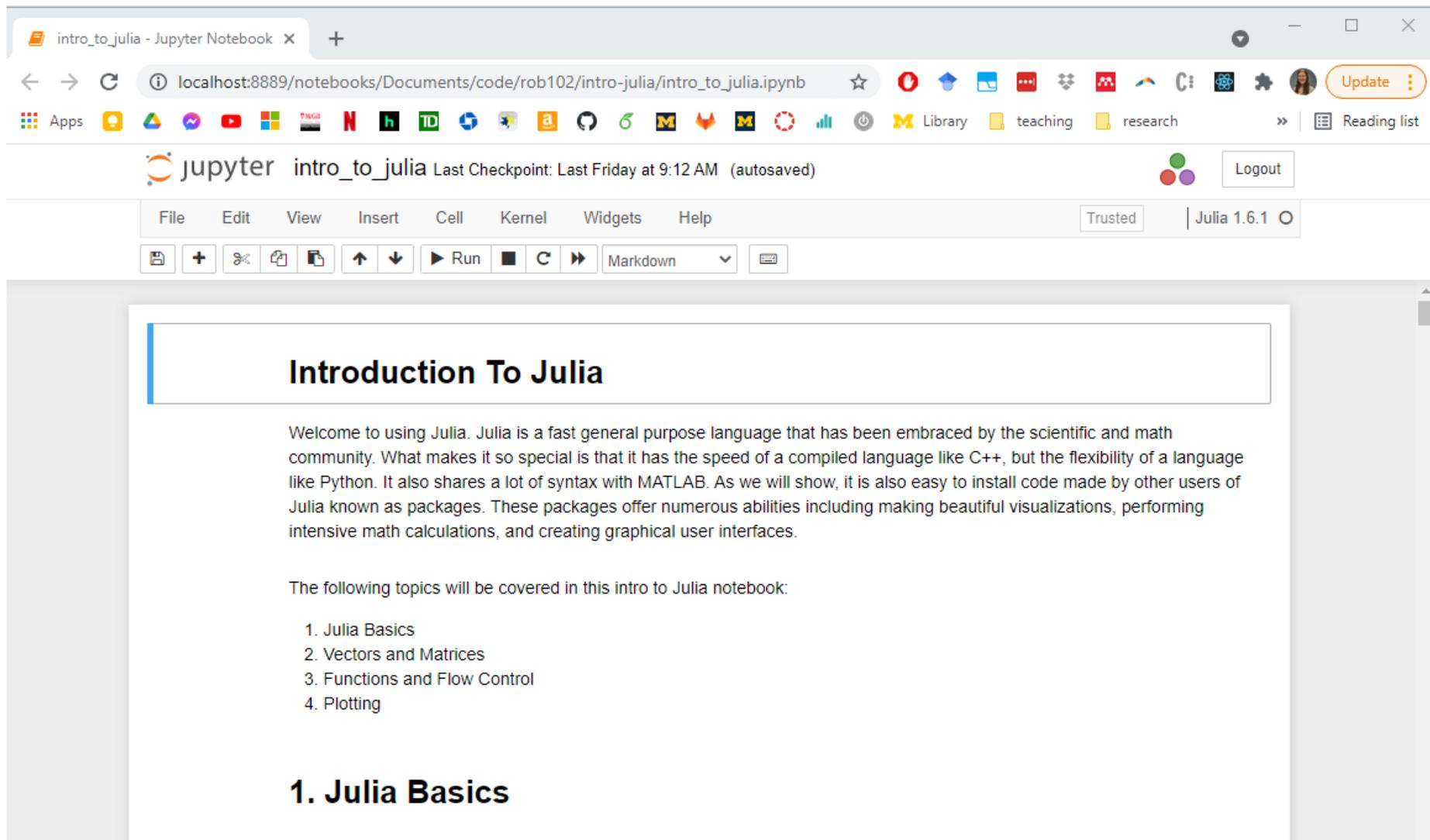


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Julia & Jupyter Notebooks



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Welcome to using Julia. Julia is a fast general purpose language that has been embraced by the scientific and math community. What makes it so special is that it has the speed of a compiled language like C++, but the flexibility of a language like Python. It also shares a lot of syntax with MATLAB. As we will show, it is also easy to install code made by other users of Julia known as packages. These packages offer numerous abilities including making beautiful visualizations, performing intensive math calculations, and creating graphical user interfaces.

The following topics will be covered in this intro to Julia notebook:

1. Julia Basics
2. Vectors and Matrices
3. Functions and Flow Control
4. Plotting

1. Julia Basics

Next time...

Implement three machine learning algorithms to classify images from the MNIST dataset.

1. **Nearest Neighbors** ← Next lecture!
2. Linear Classifier
3. Neural Network



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