

APPLYING THE MAGIC OF NEURAL
NETWORKS

MACHINE LEARNING WITH
NODEJS

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>RANDOM_STRING_OUTPUT

I NEVER PREDICT ANYTHING,
AND I NEVER WILL.

Paul Gascoigne

UNDERSTANDING

NEURAL NETWORKS

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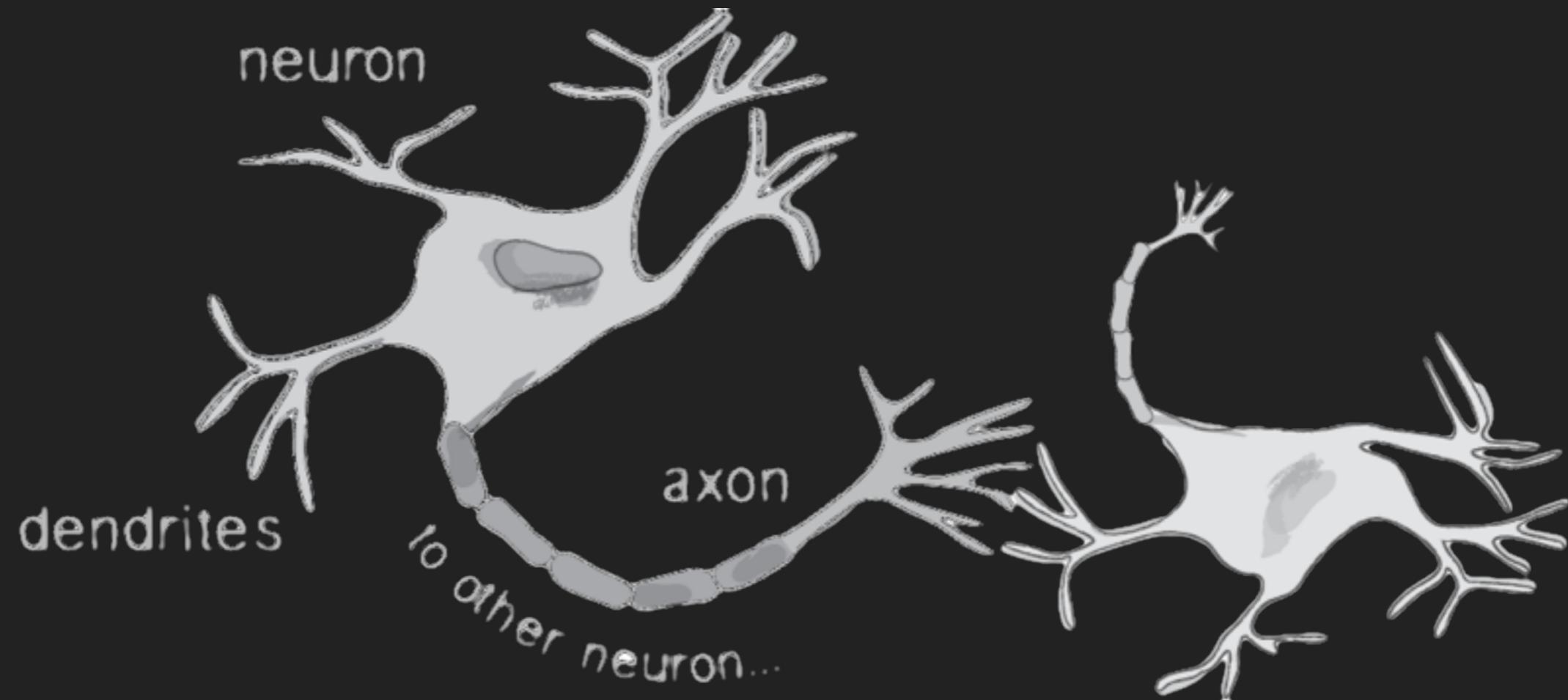
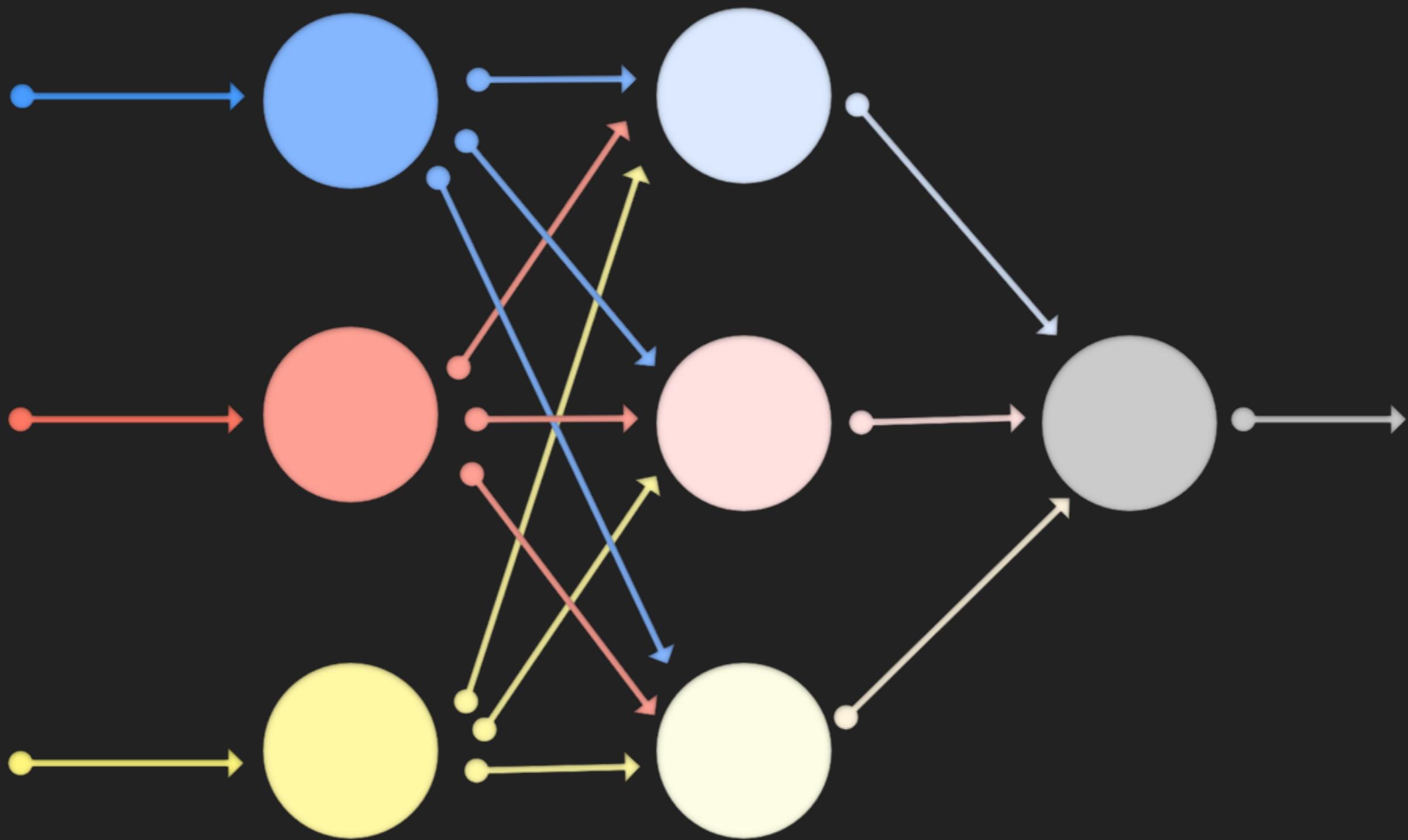


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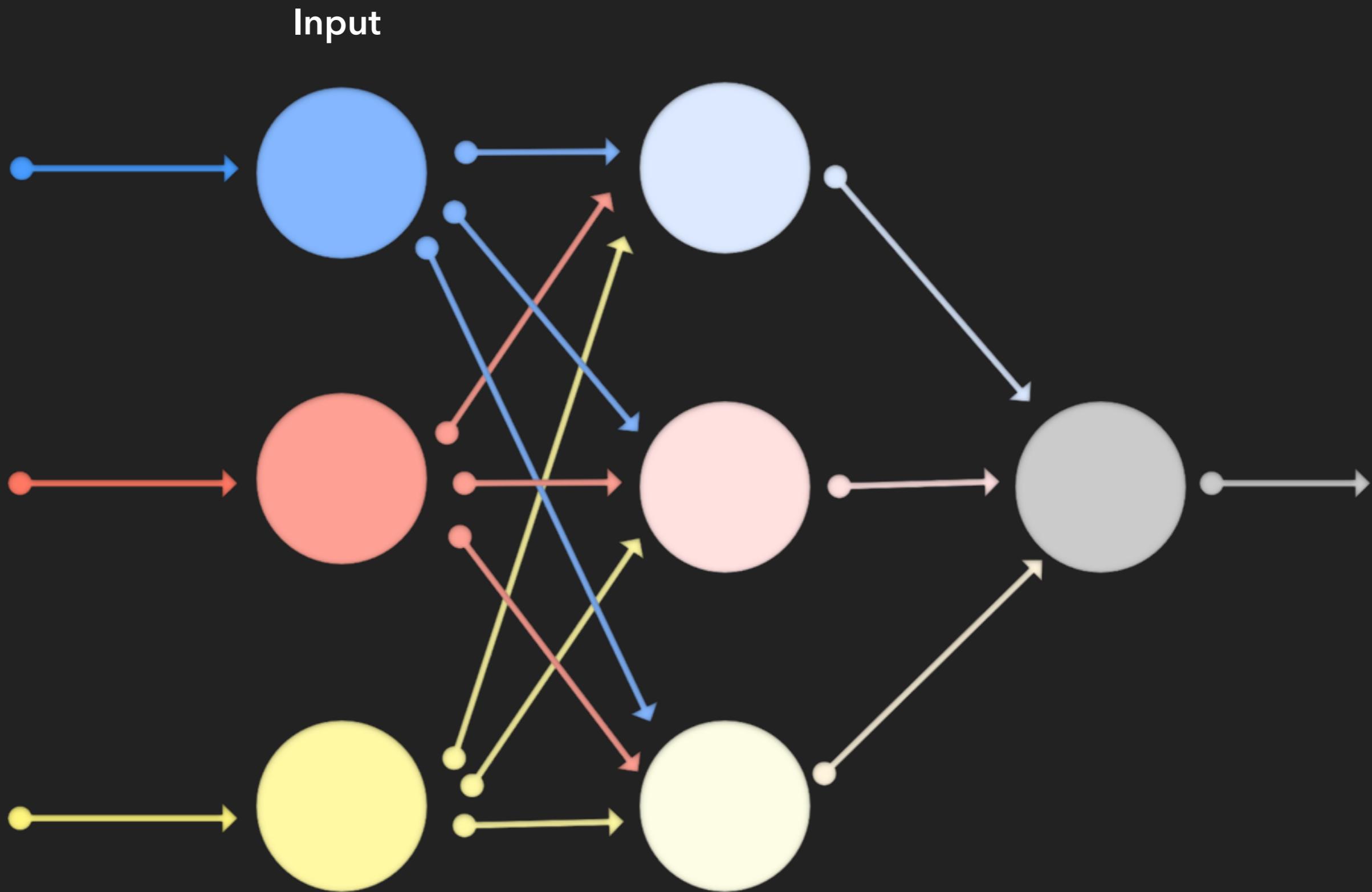
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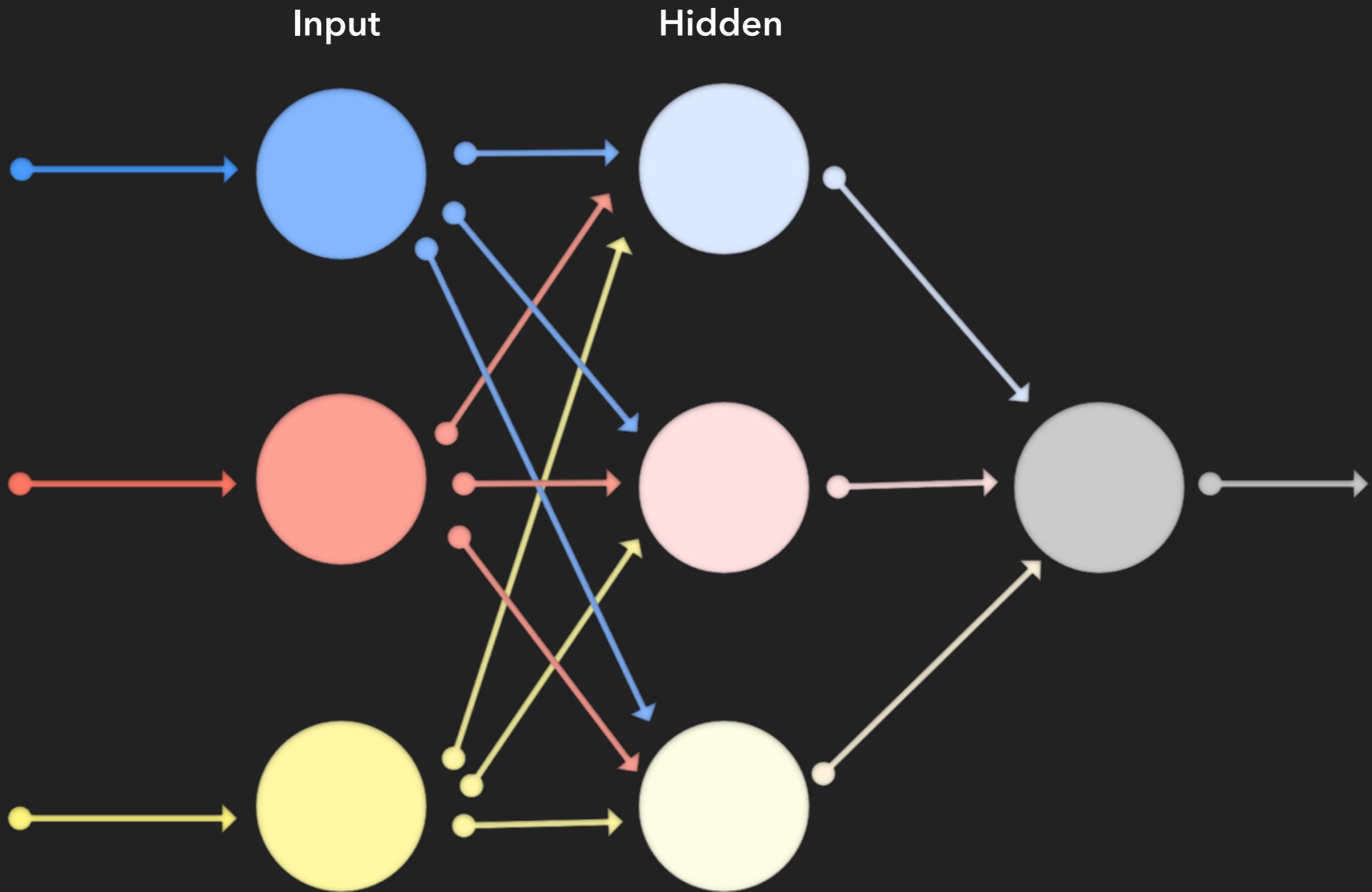
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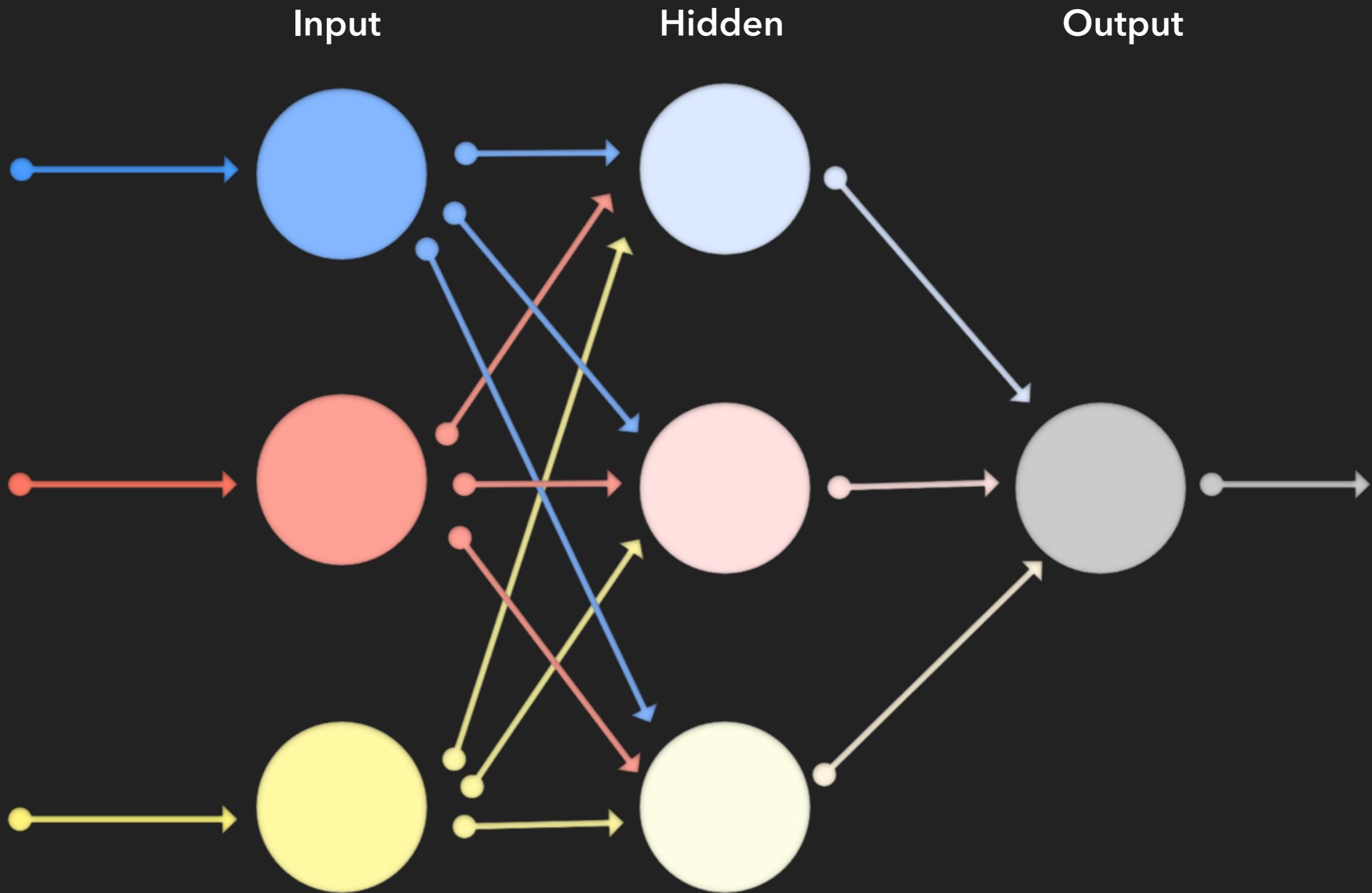
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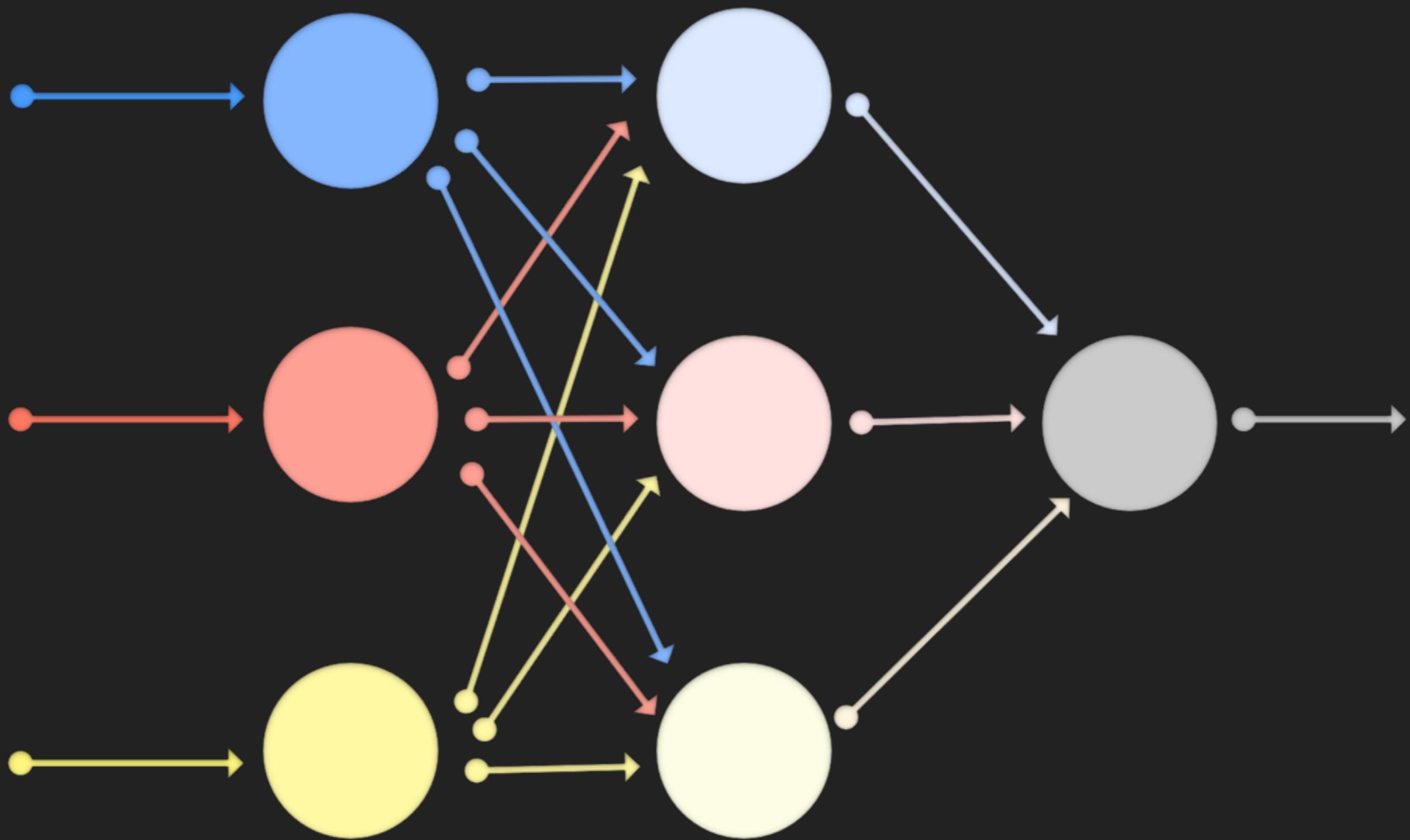
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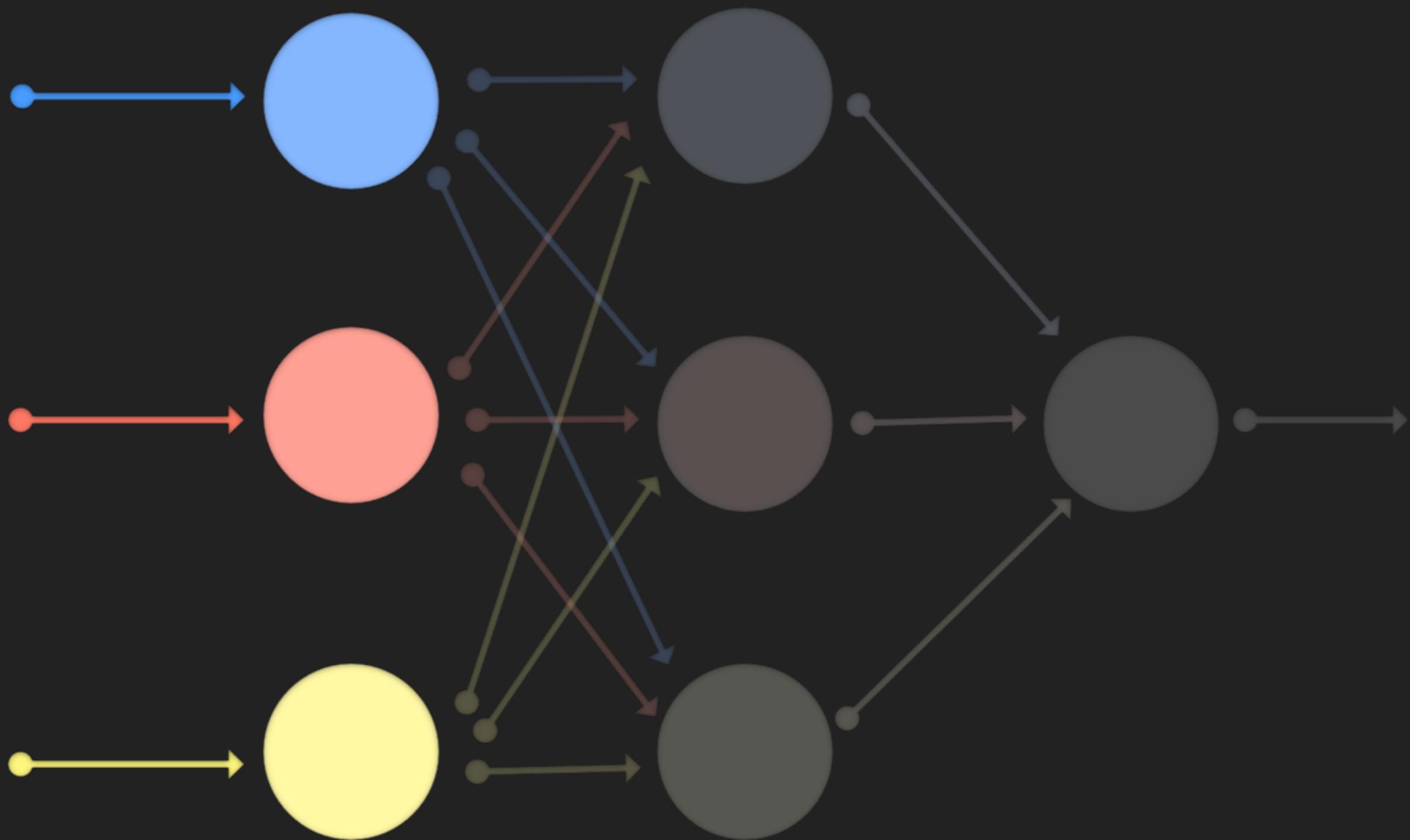


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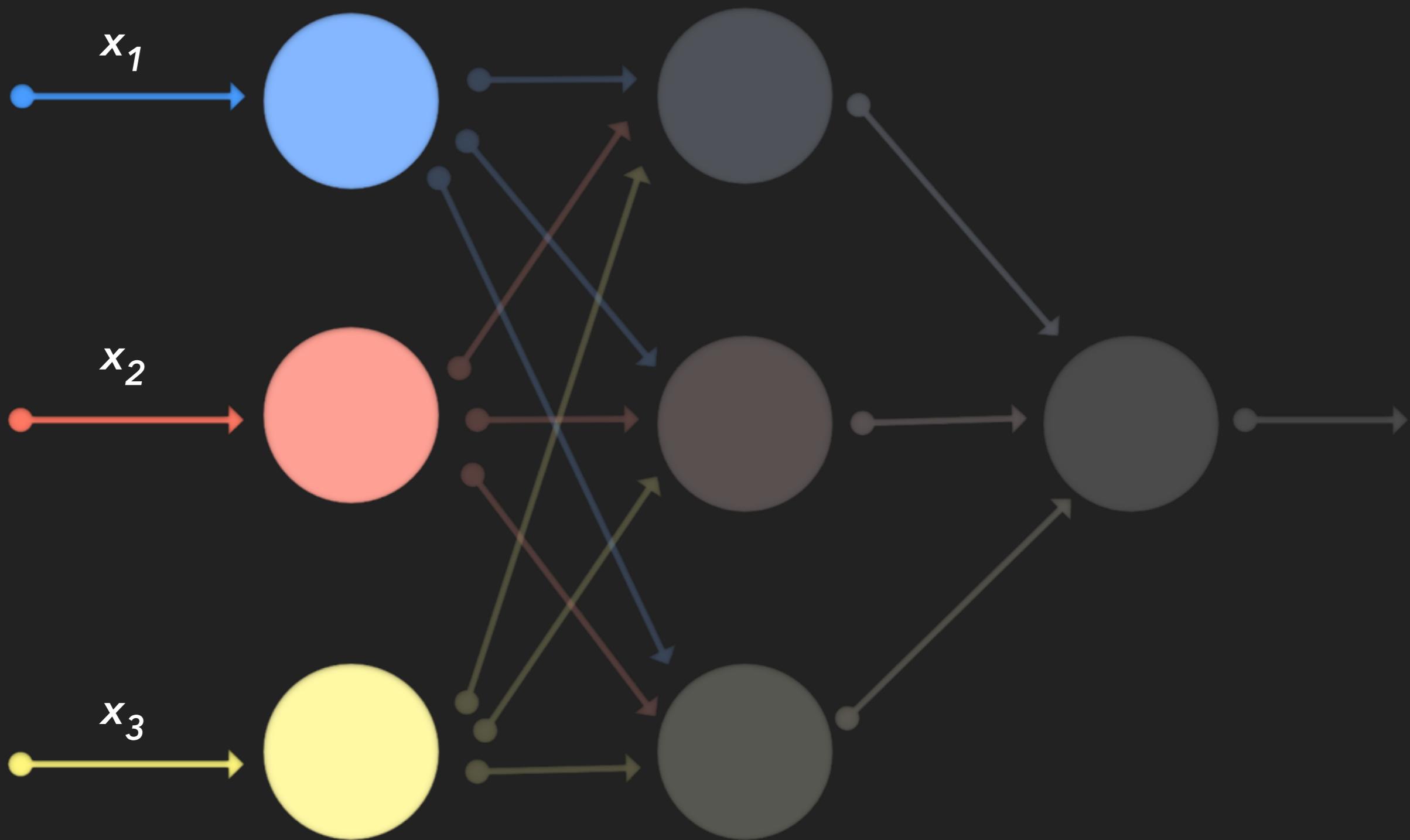


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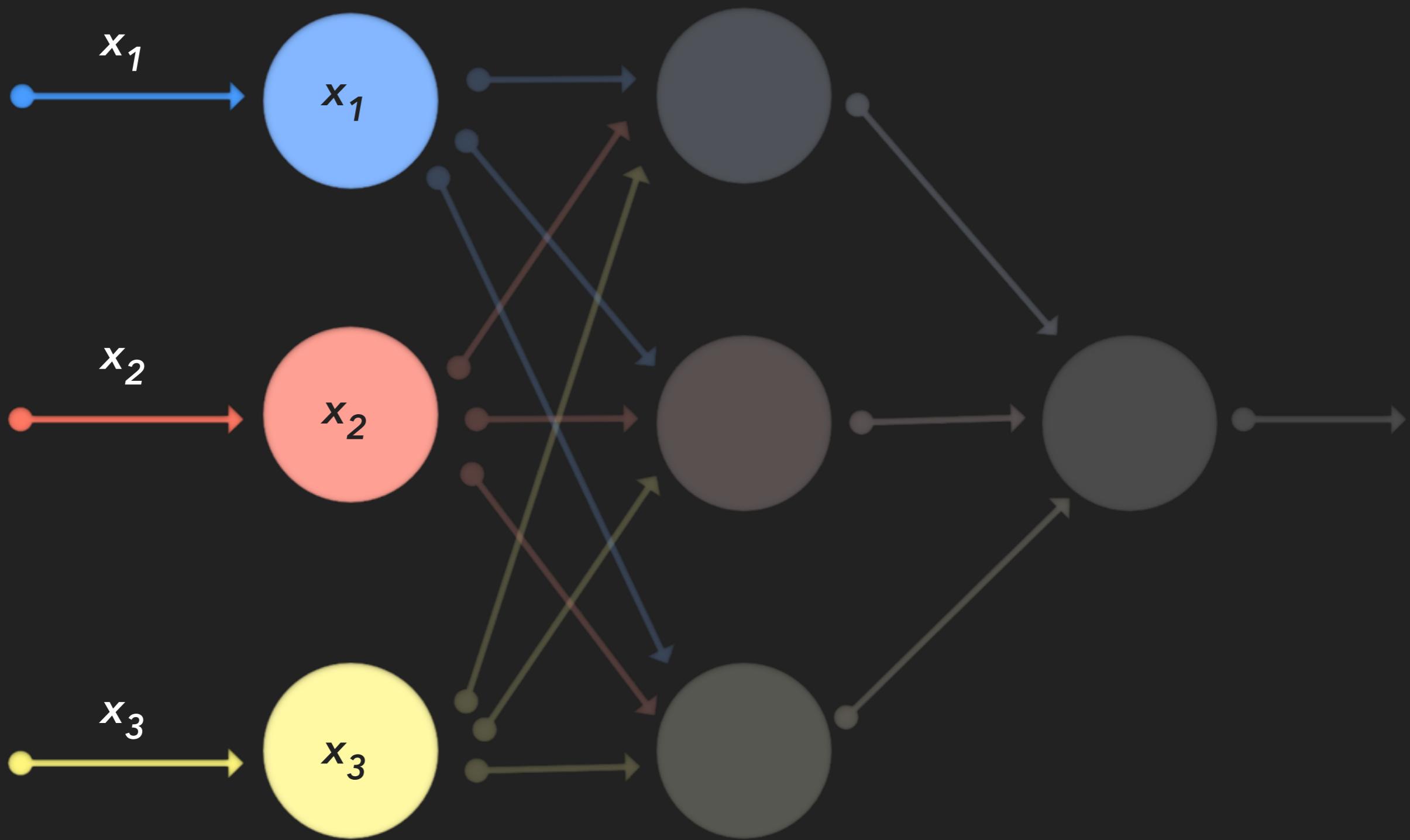
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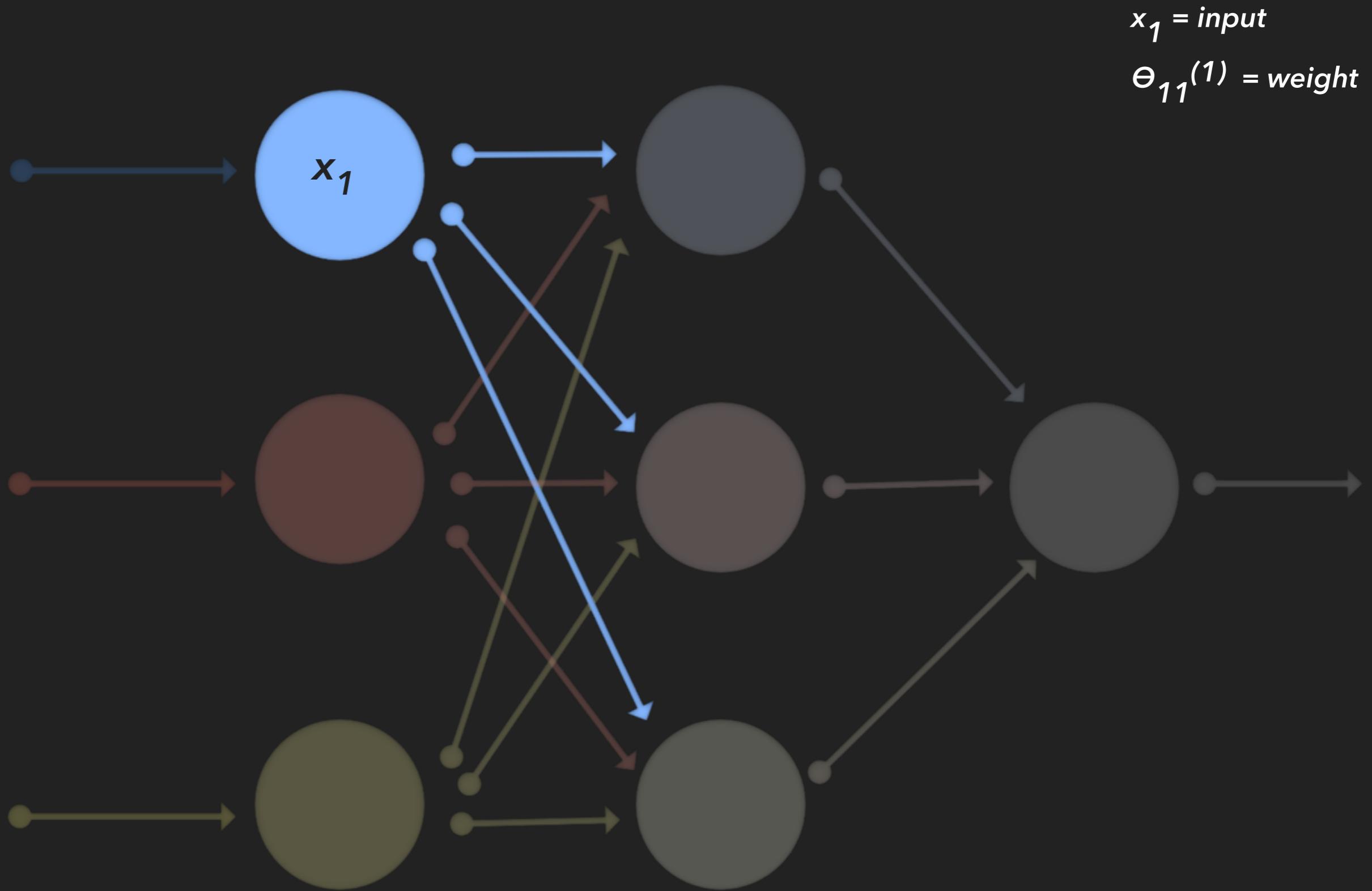


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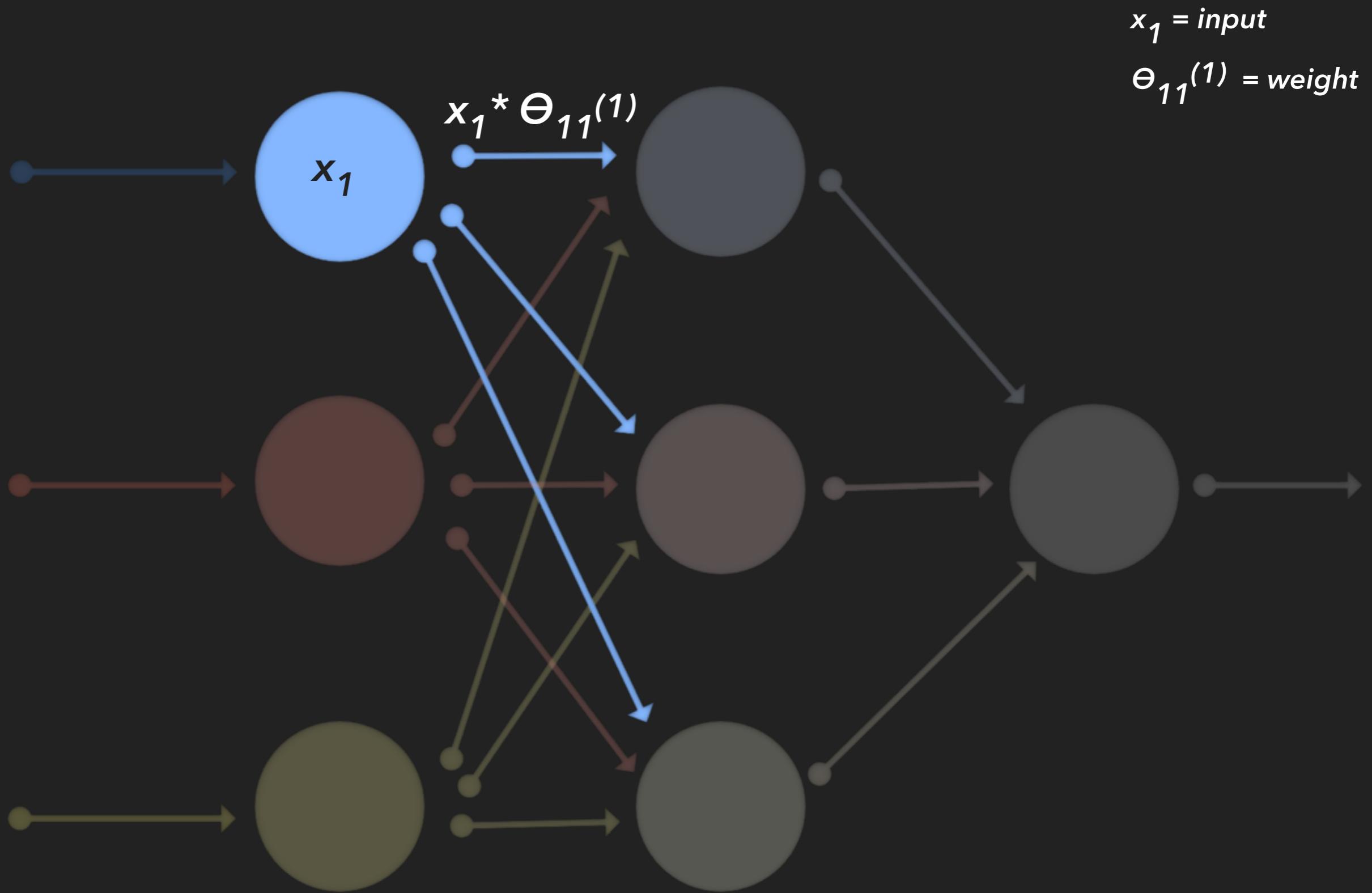
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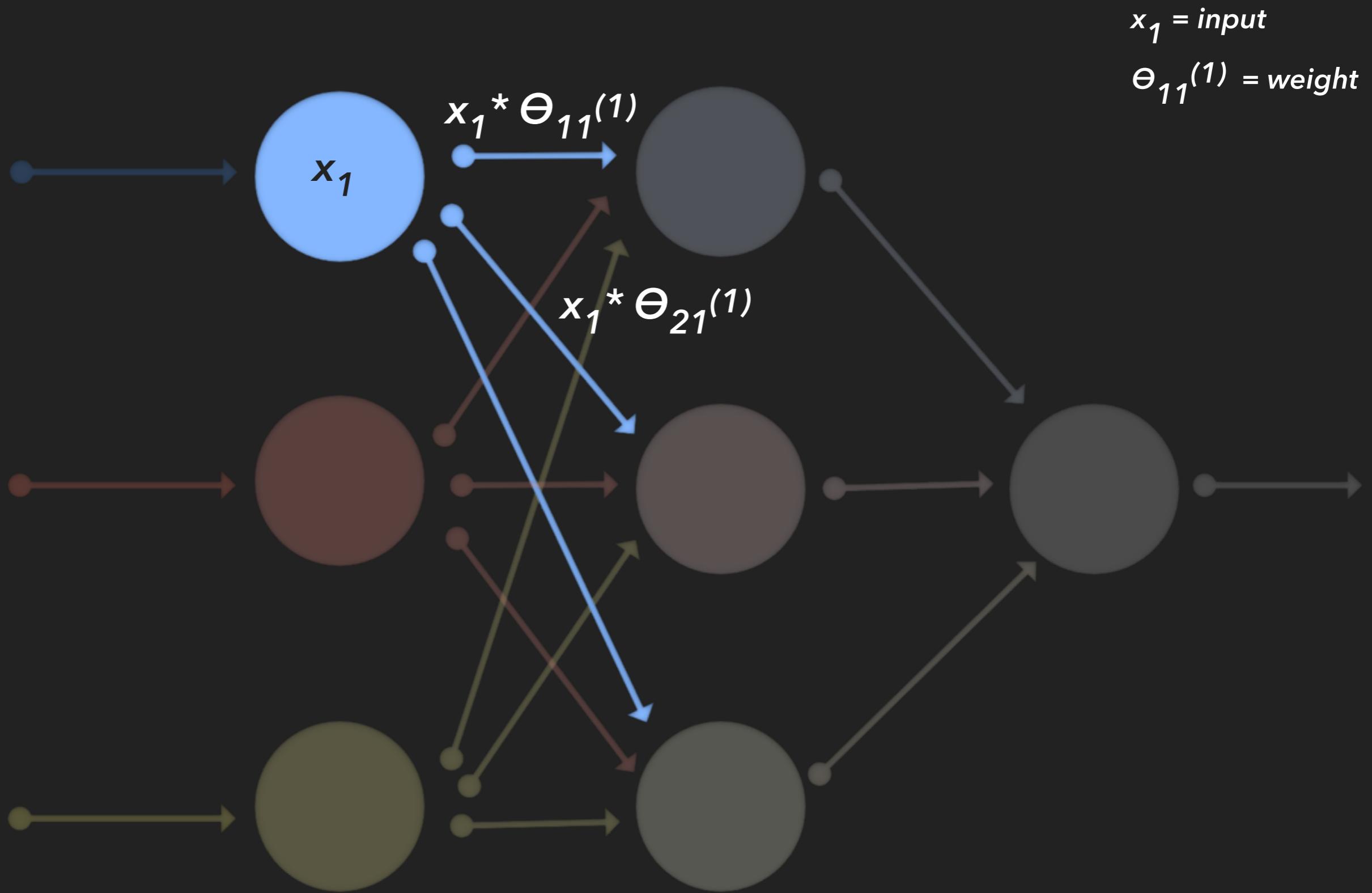
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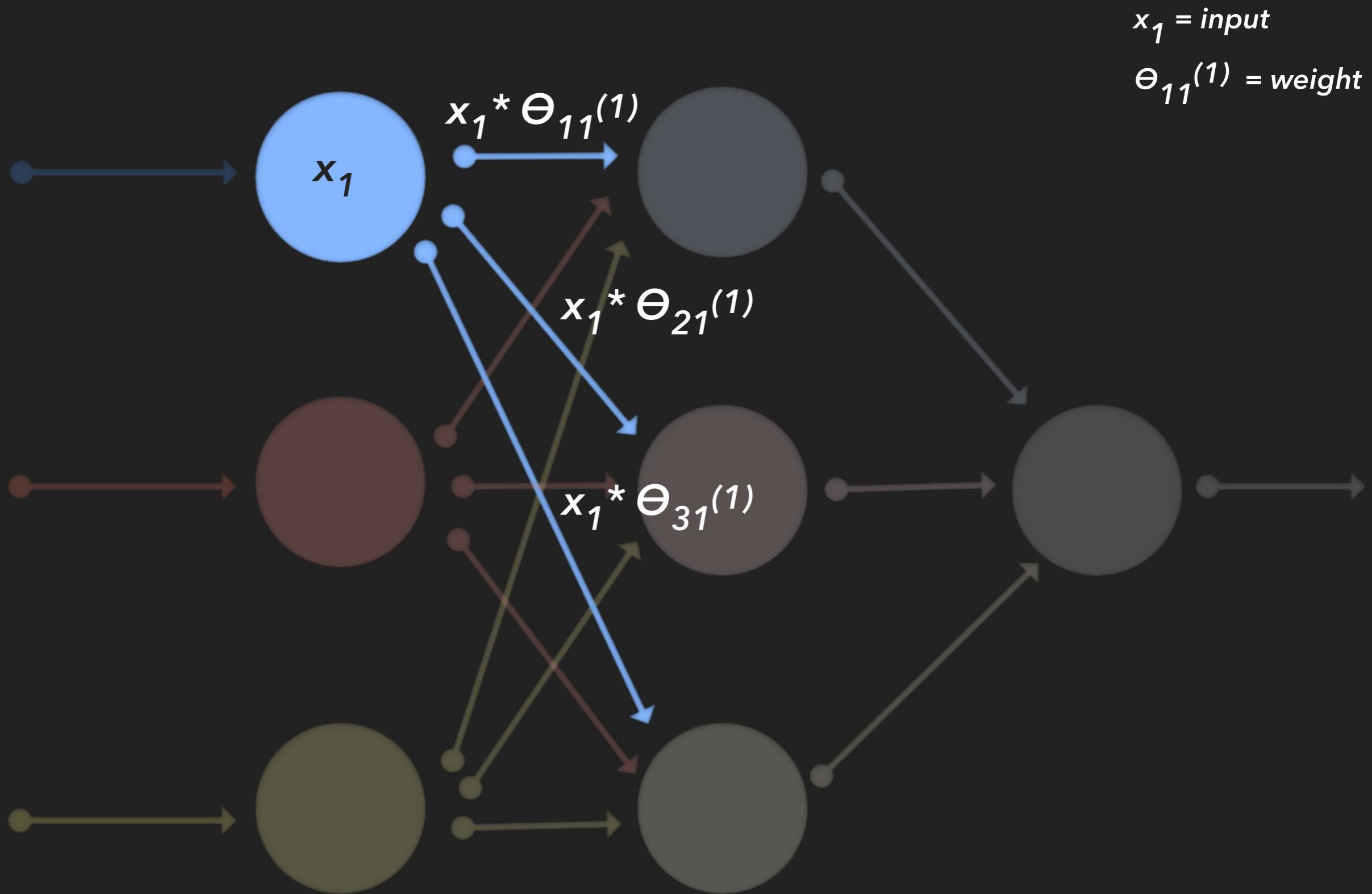
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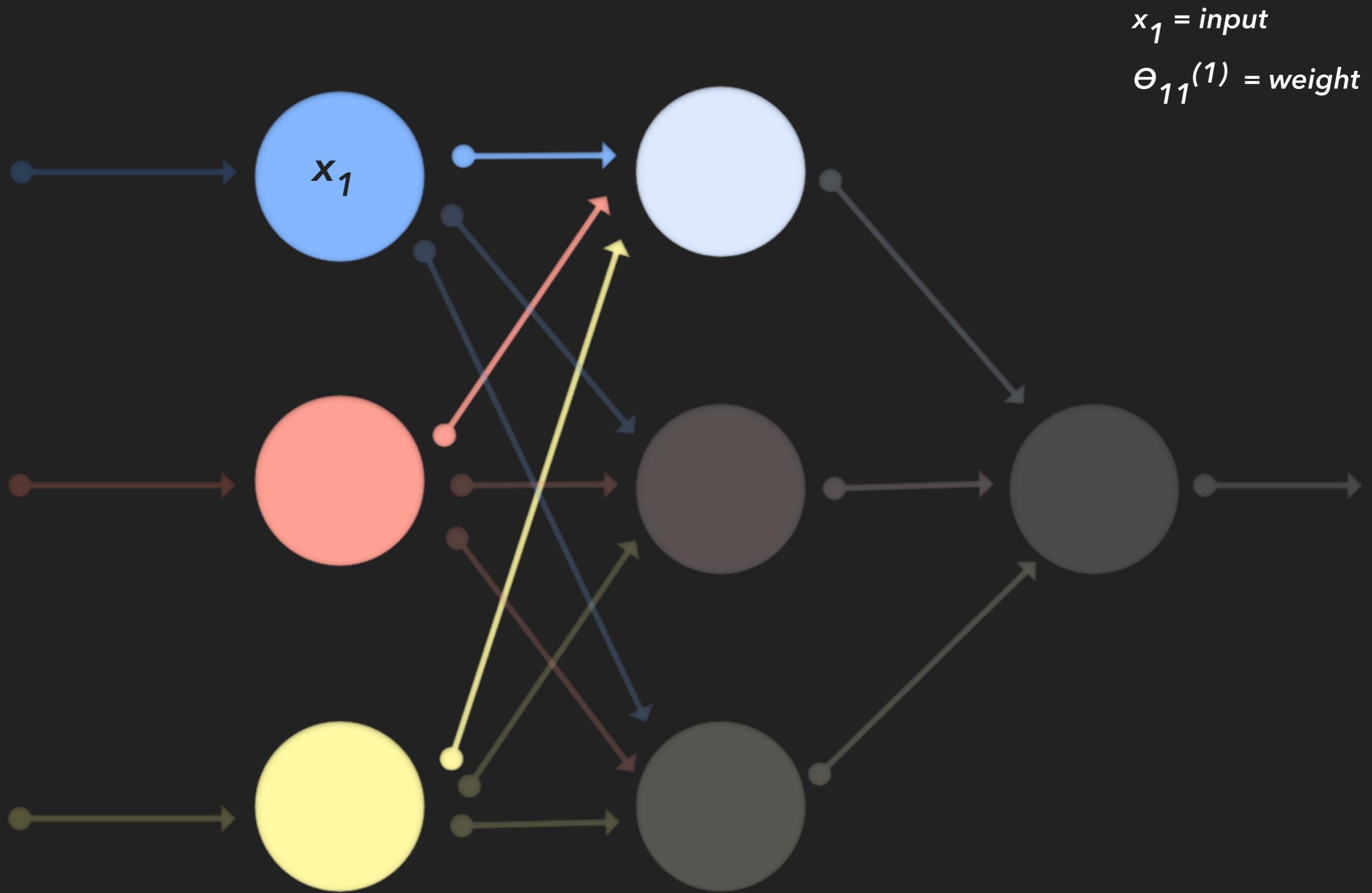


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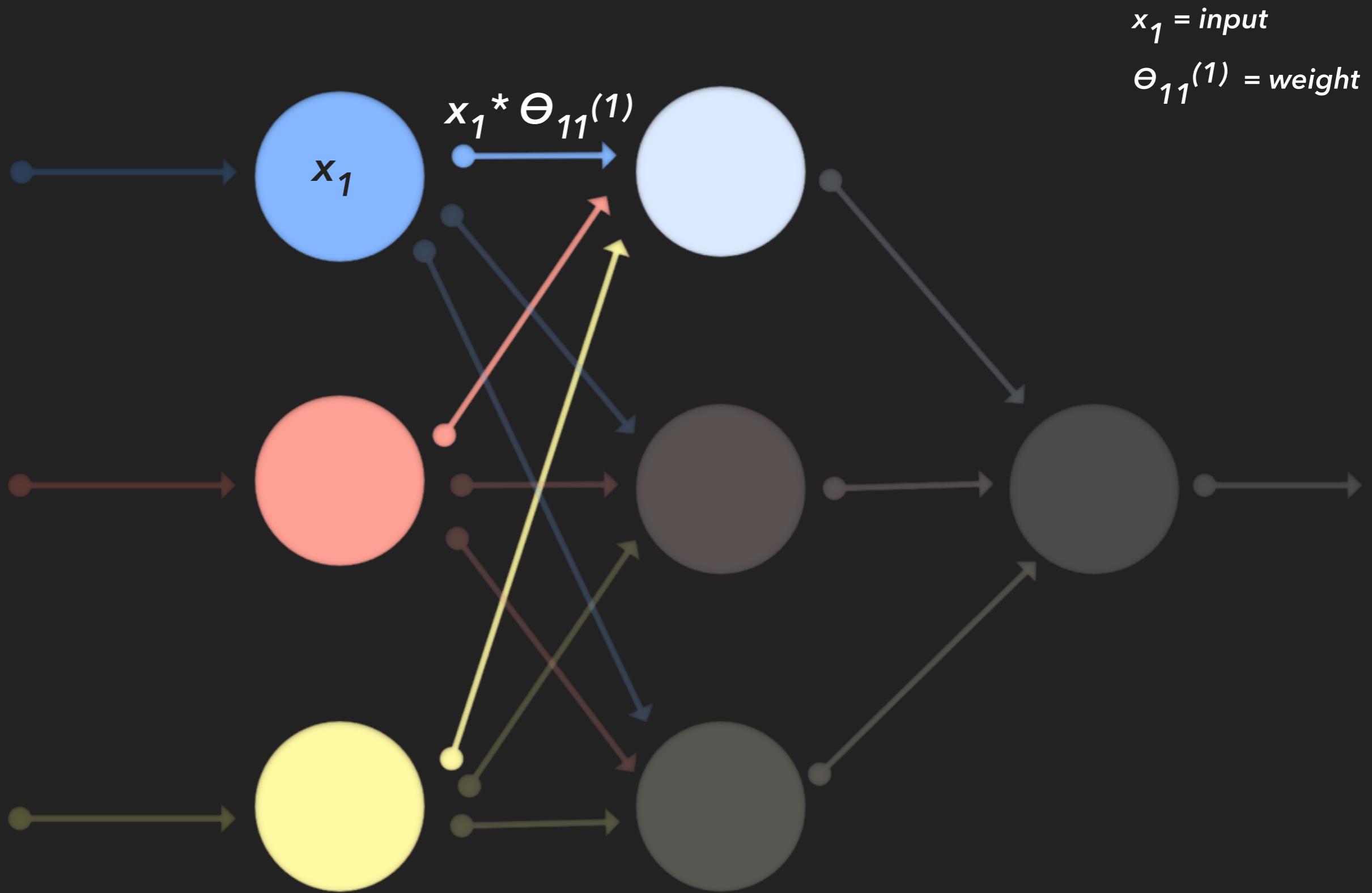
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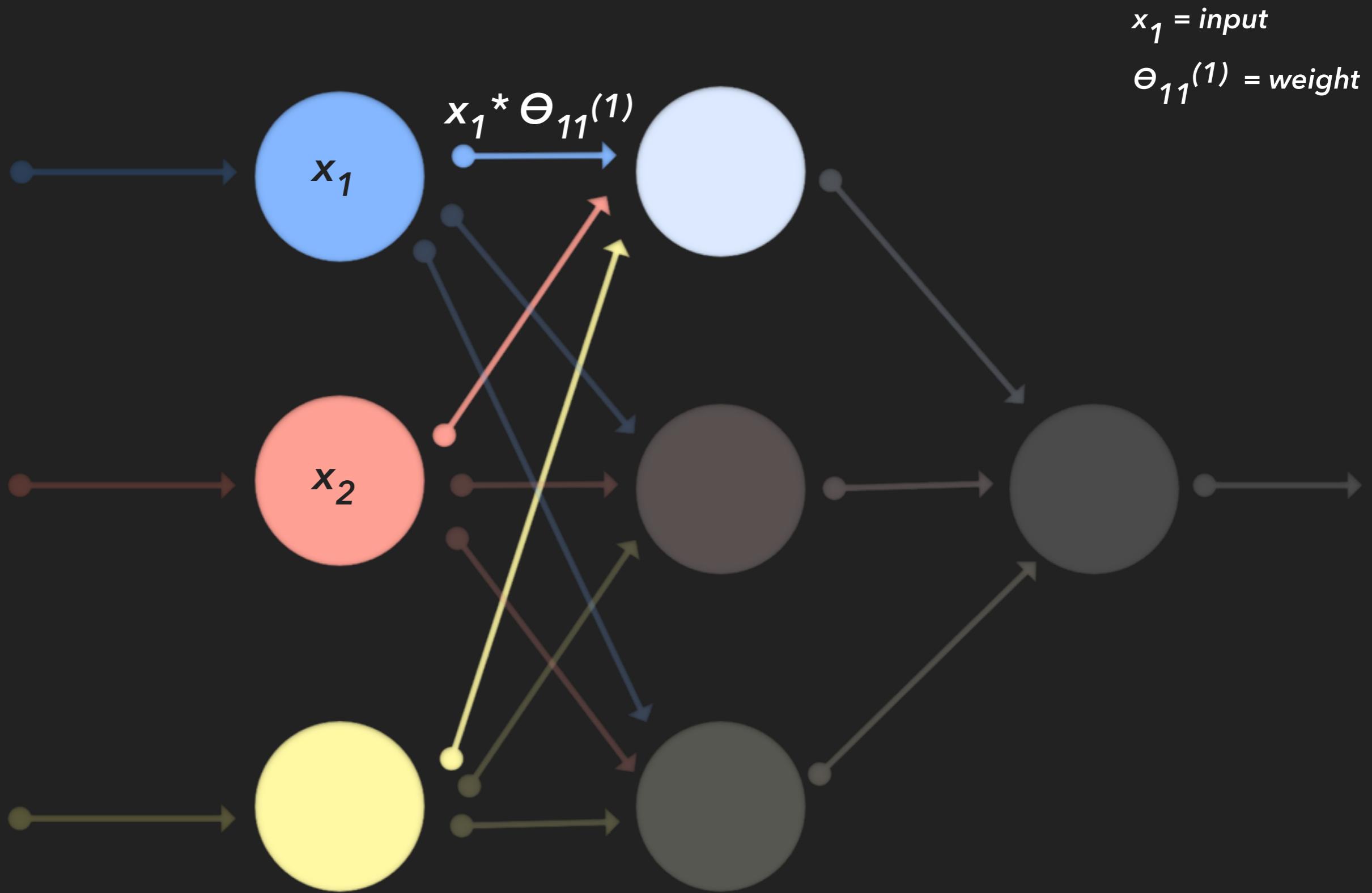
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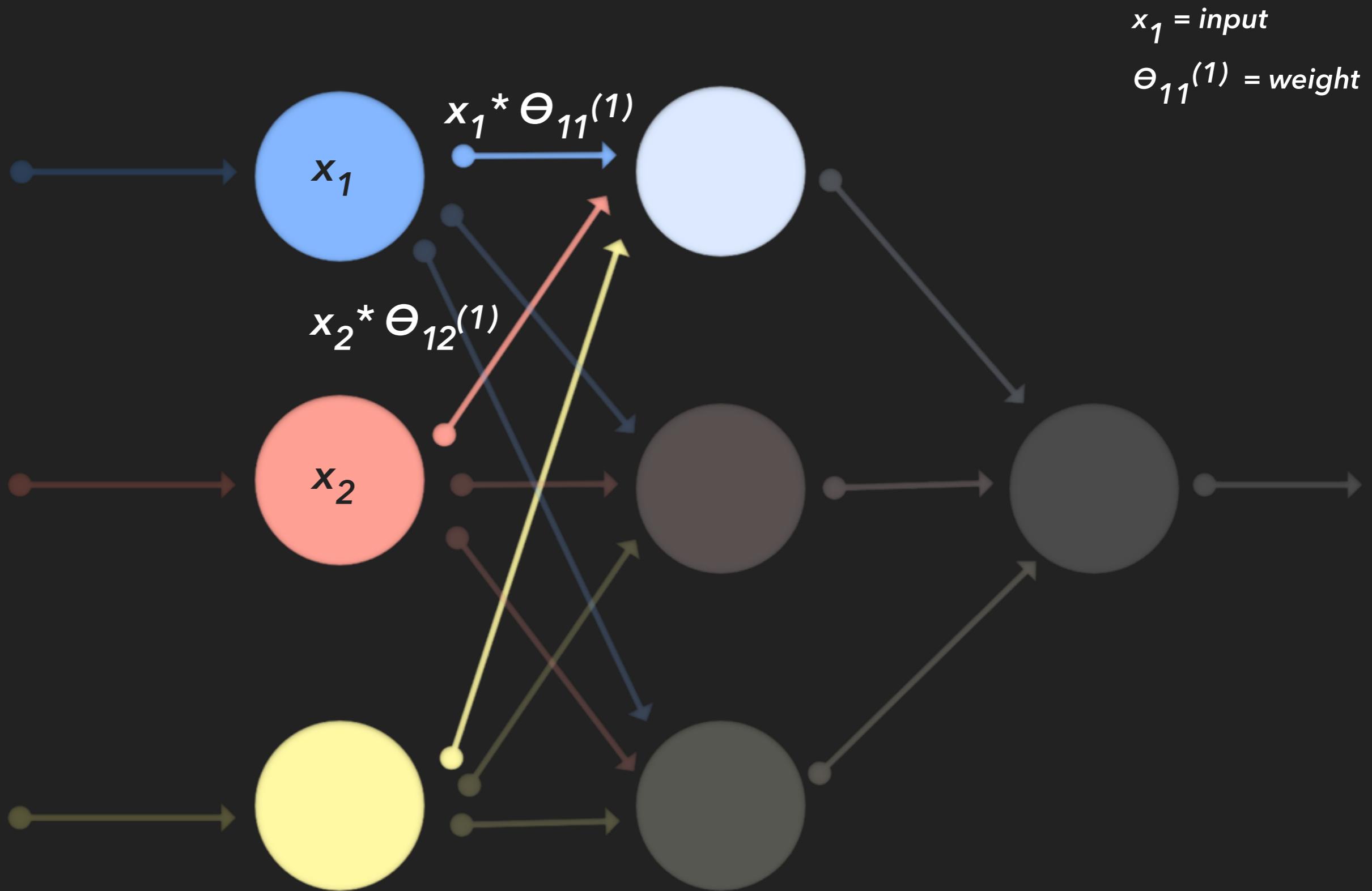
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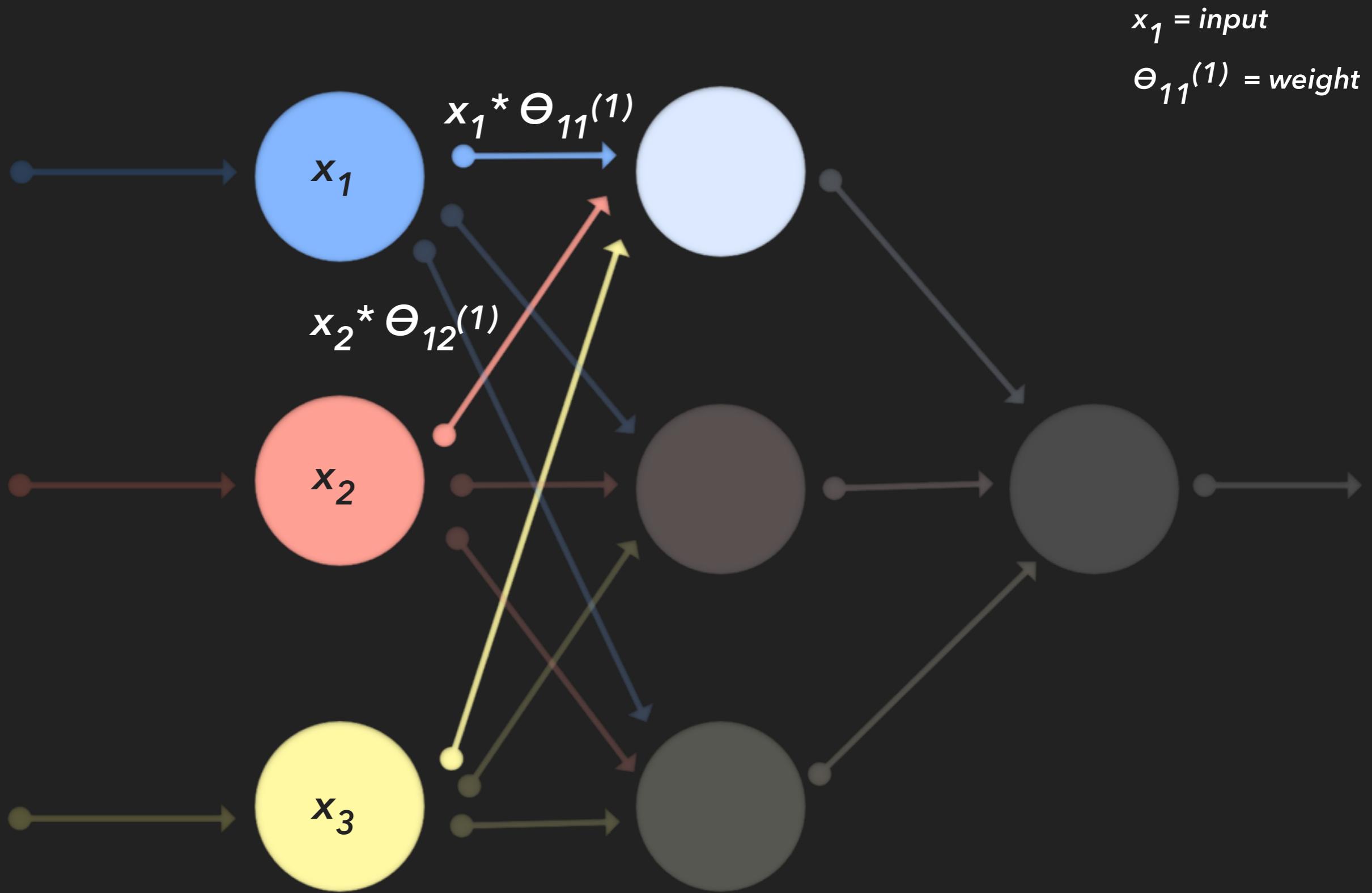
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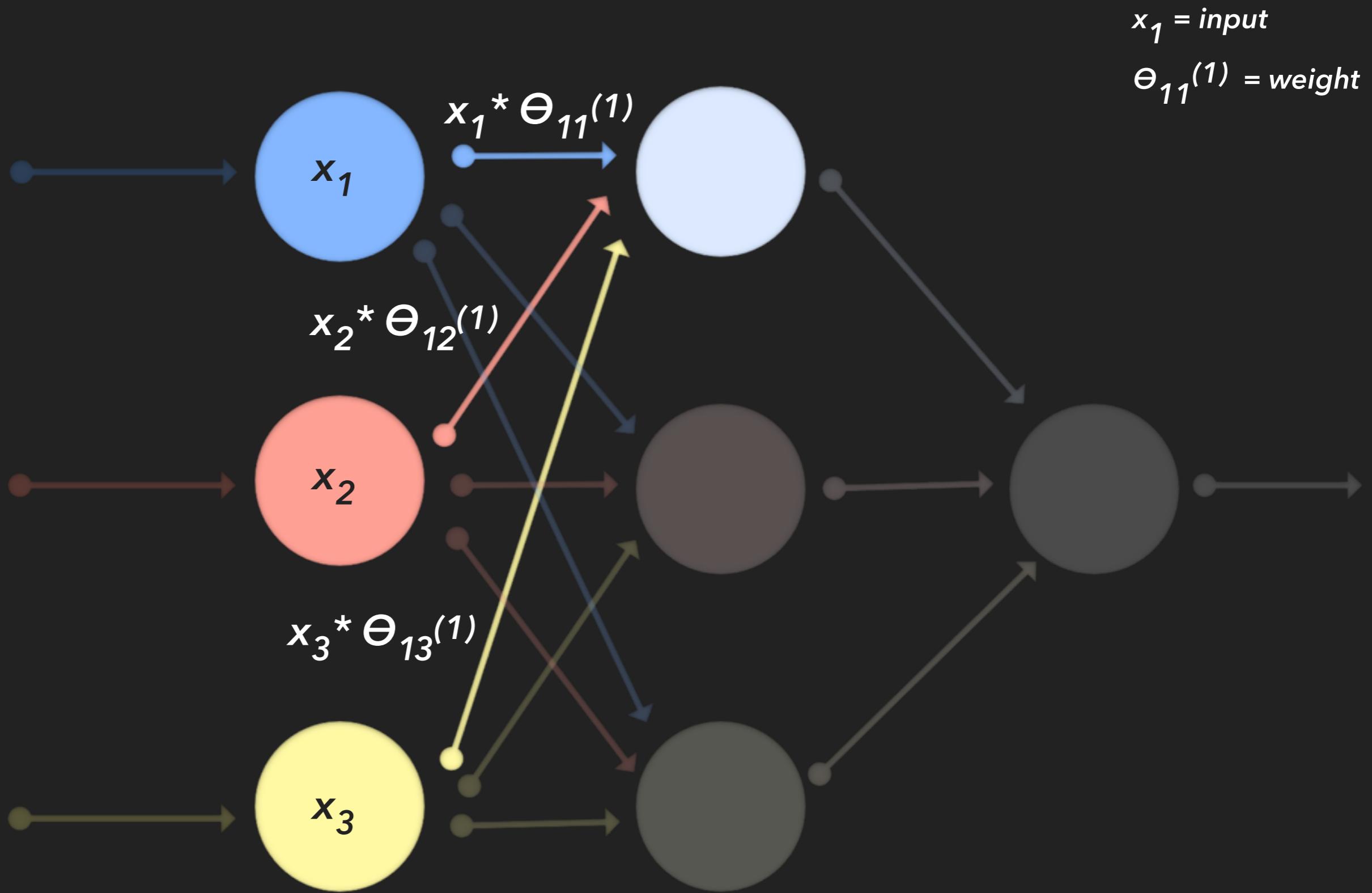
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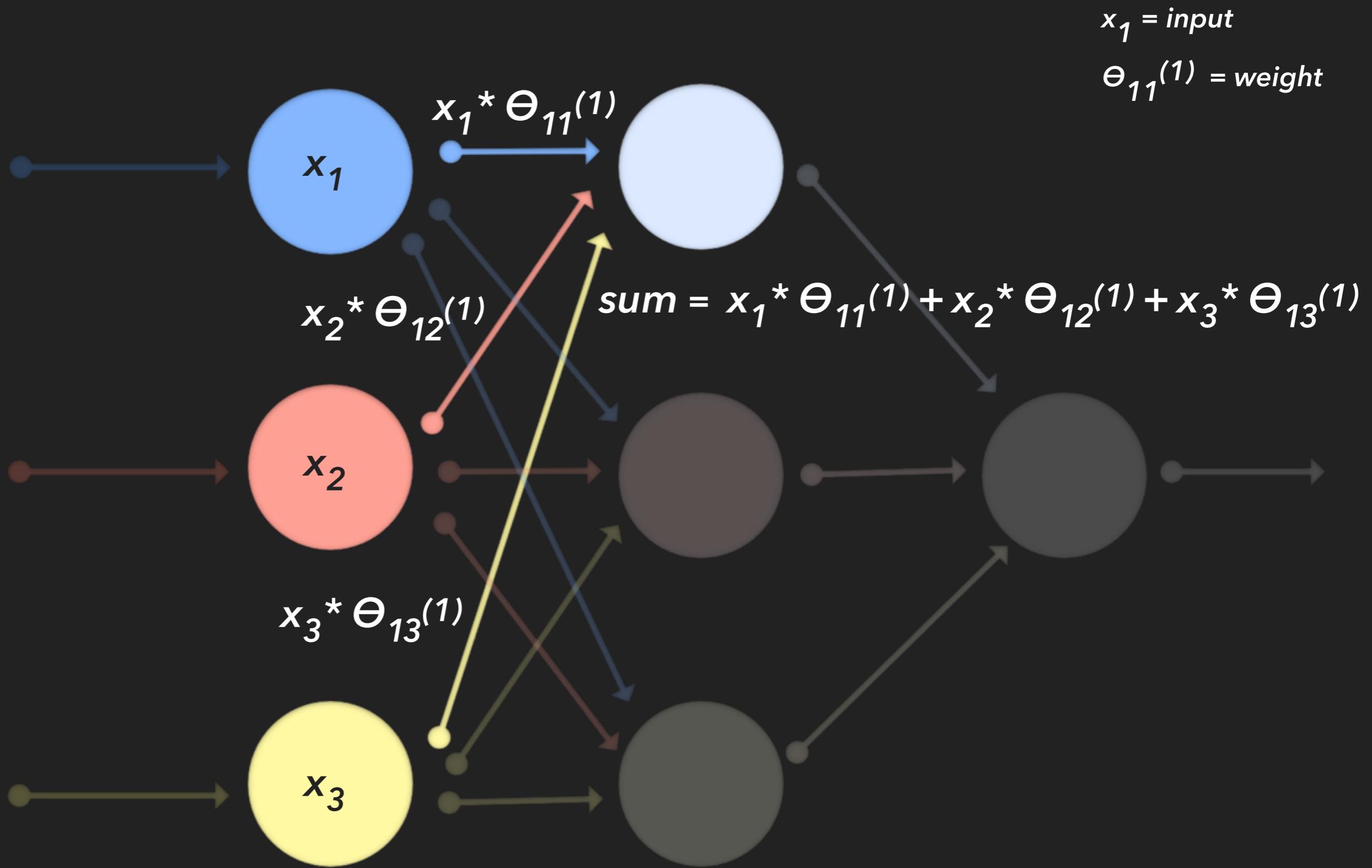
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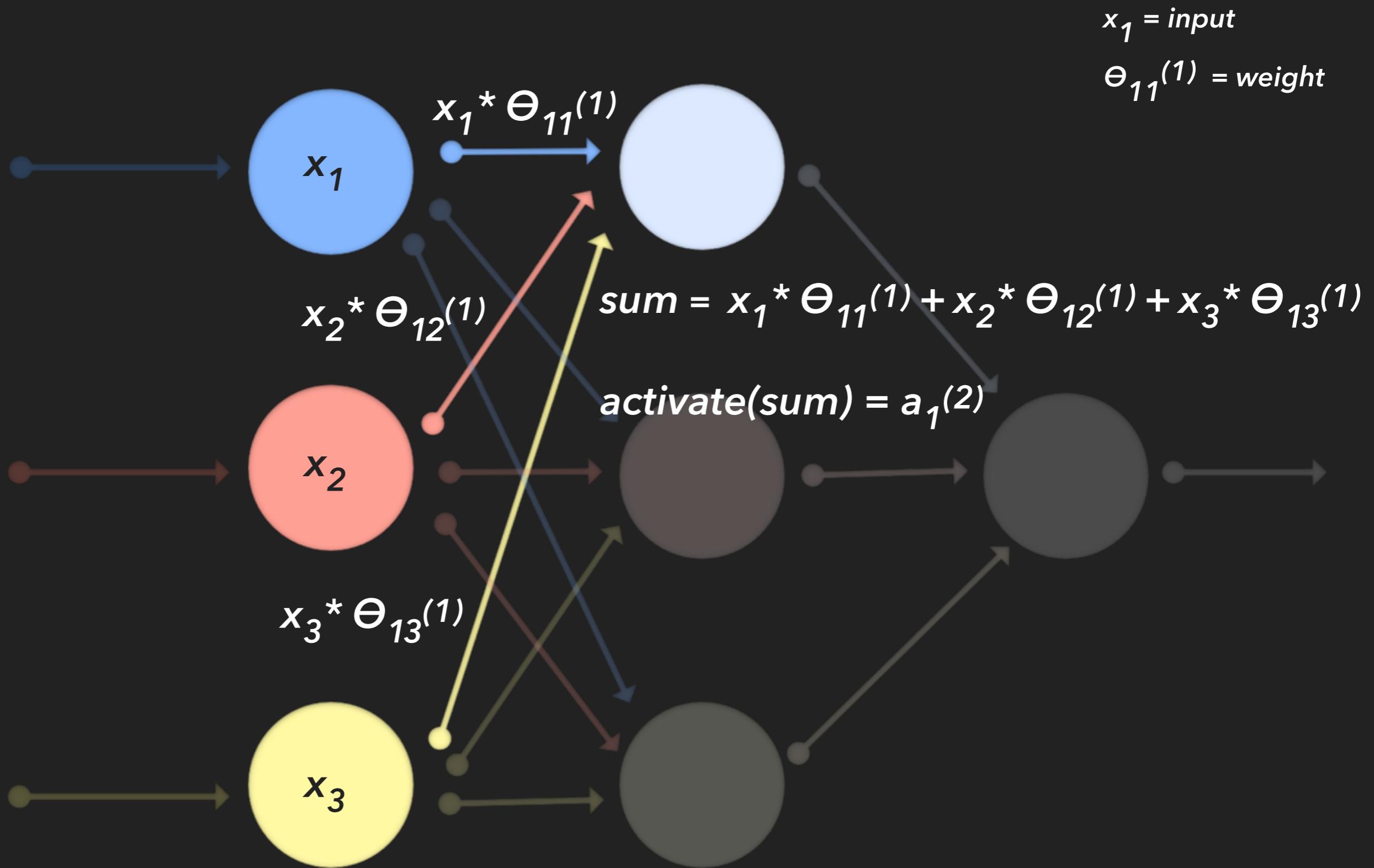
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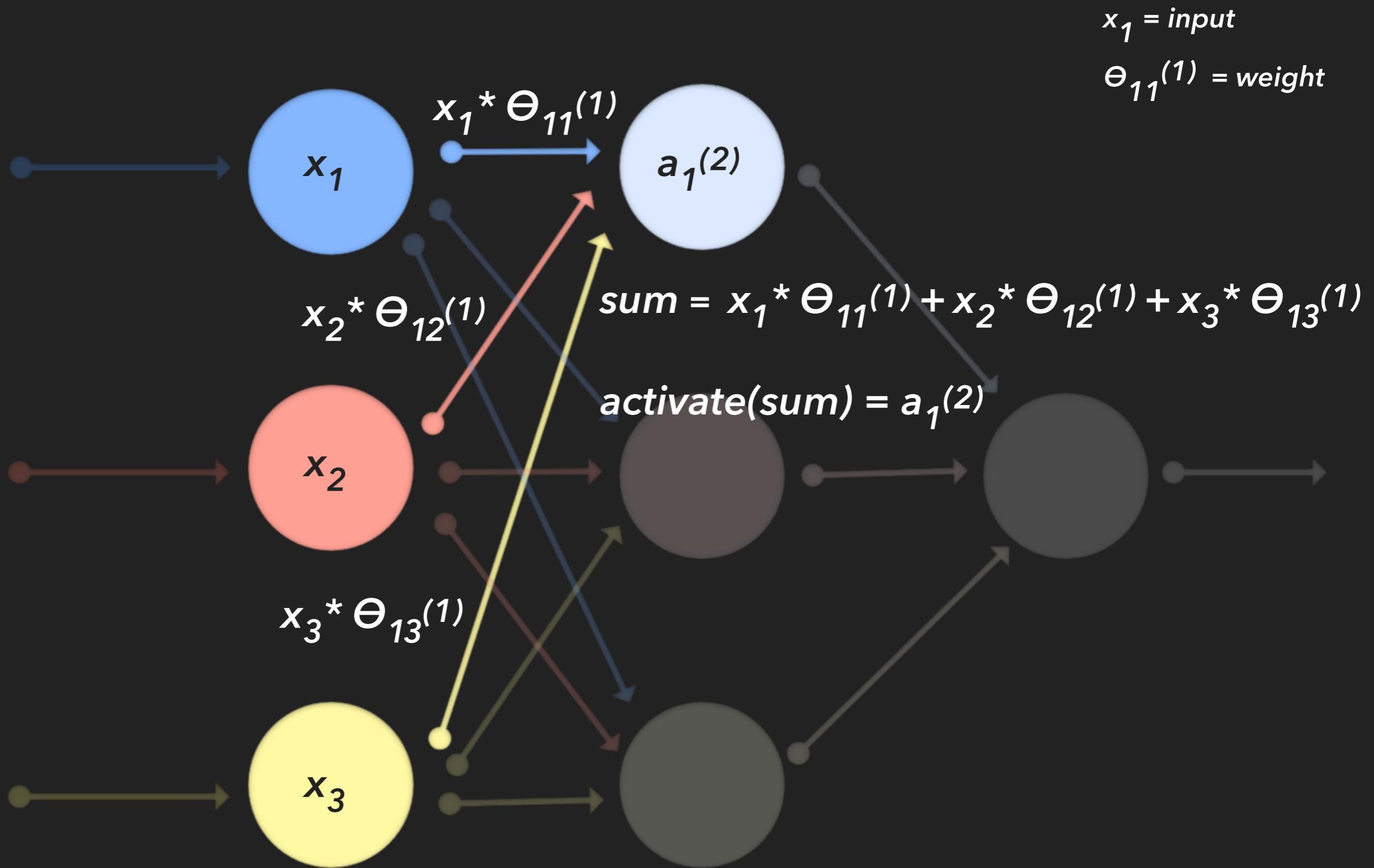
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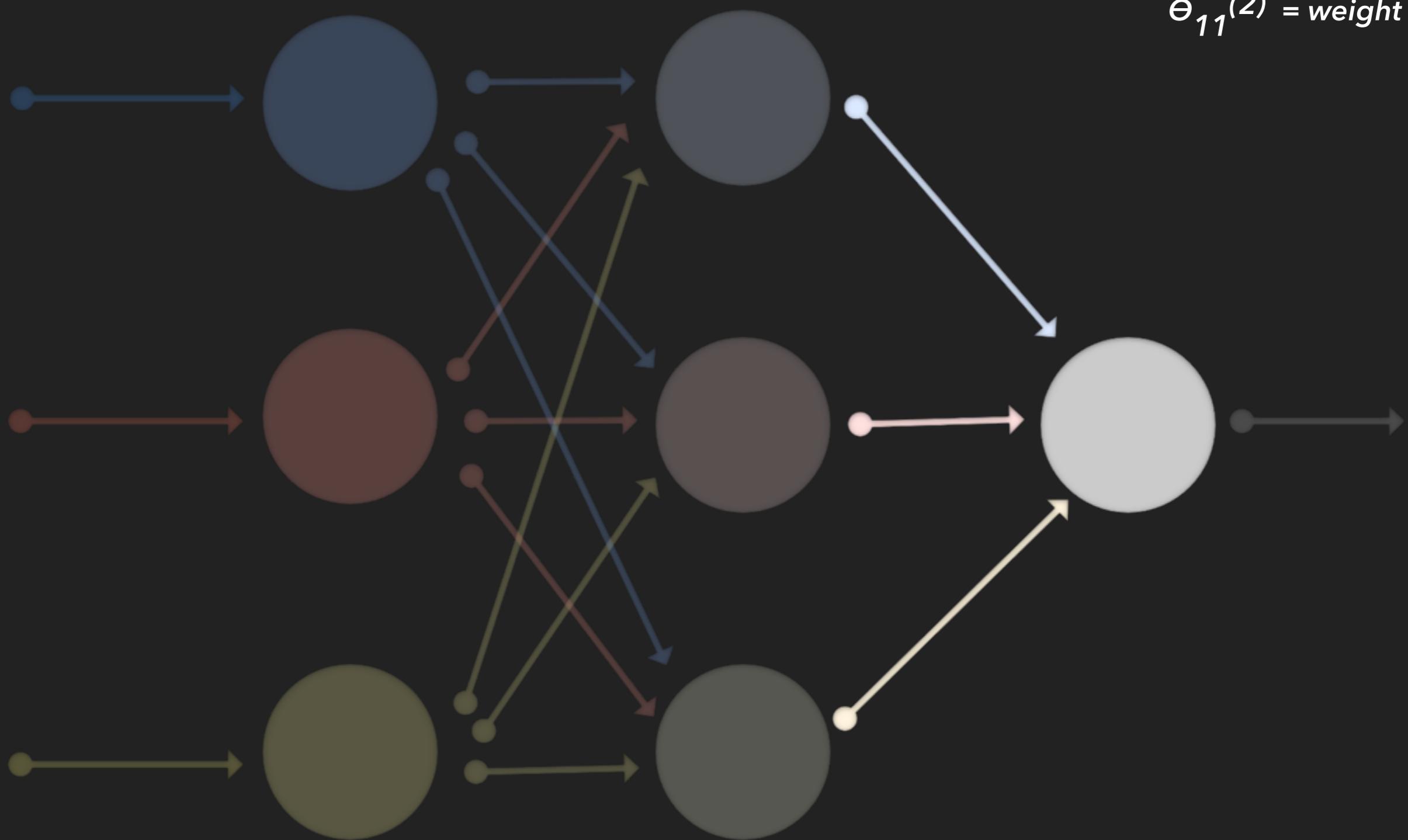


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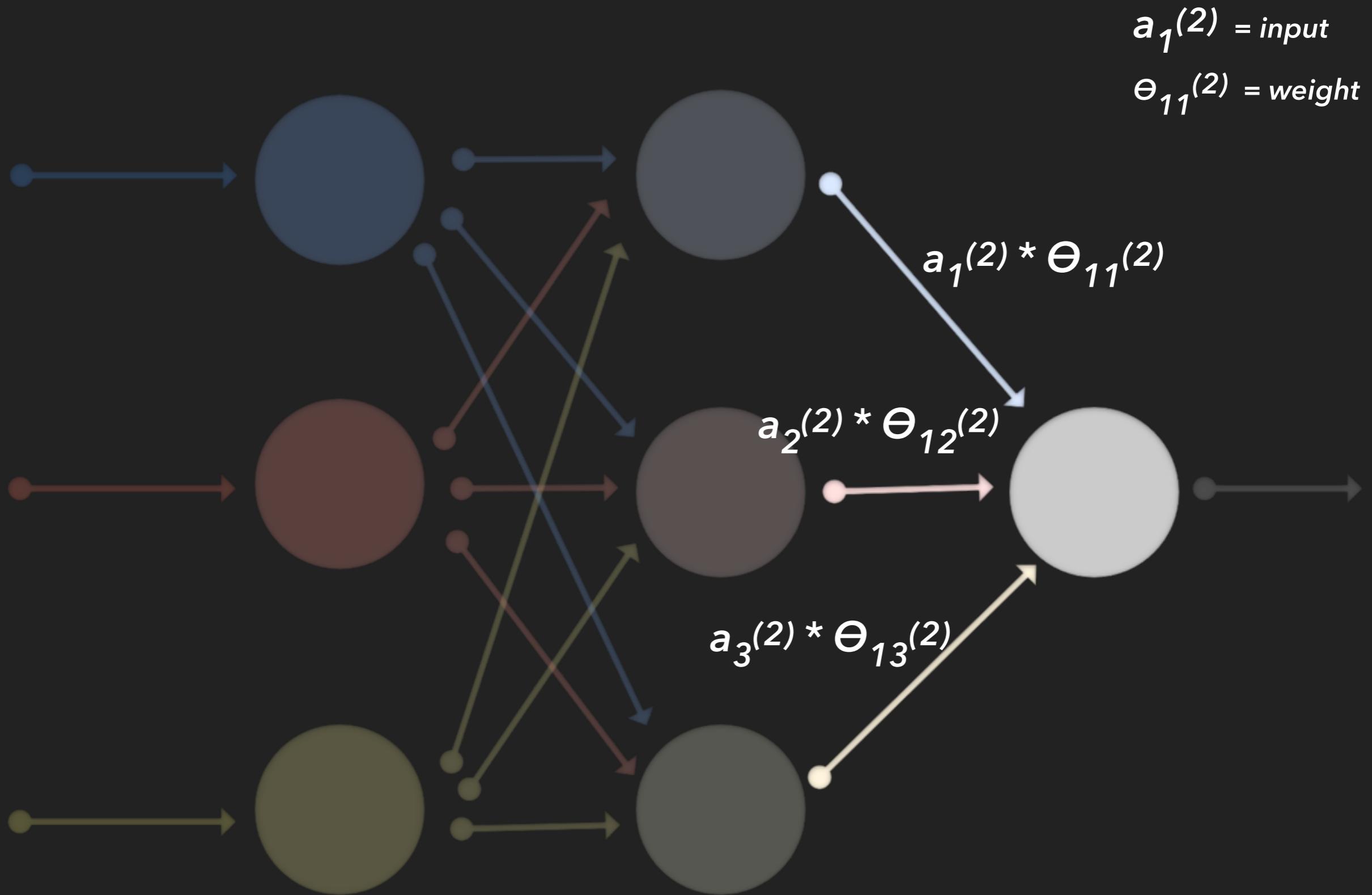
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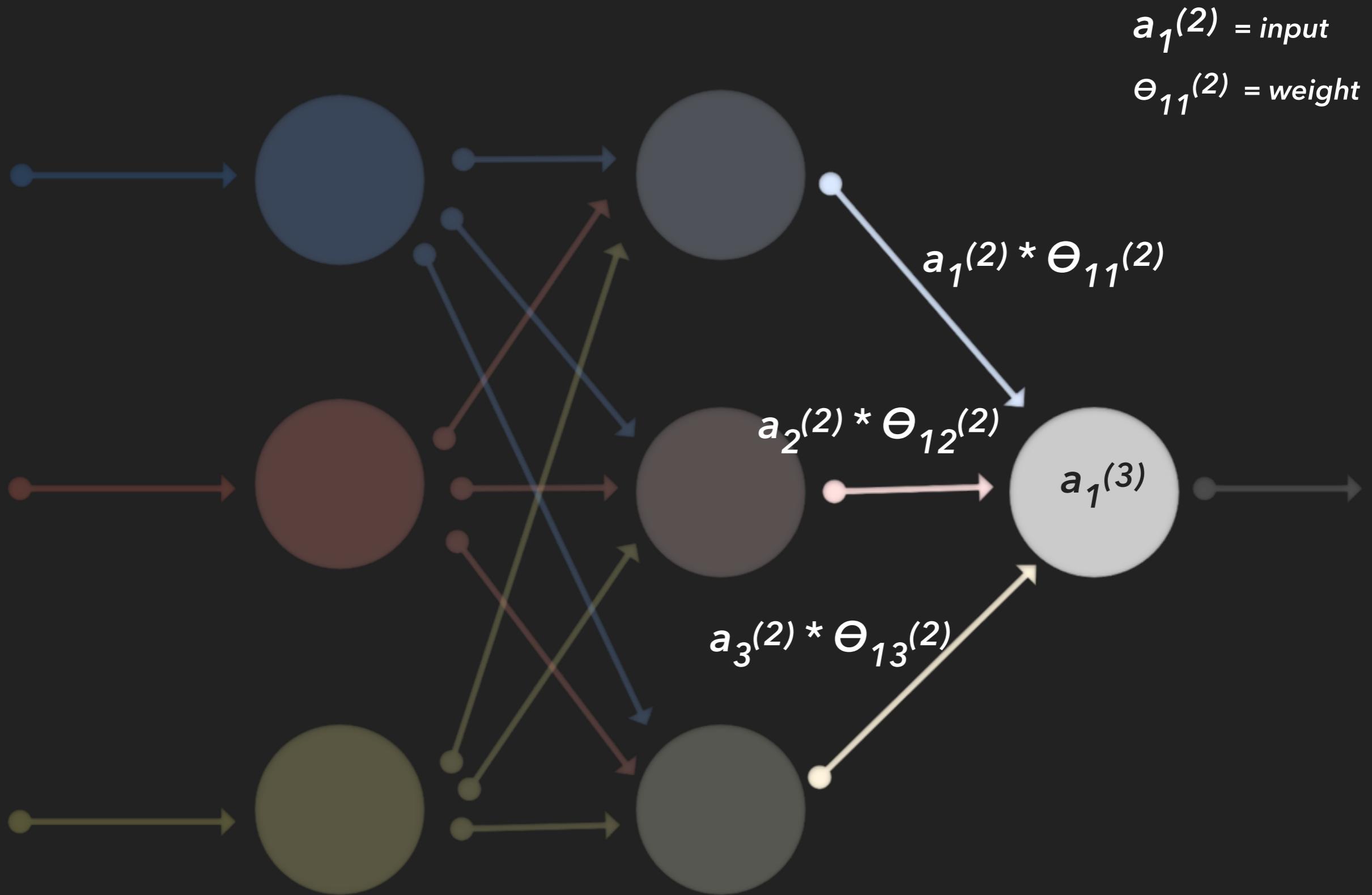
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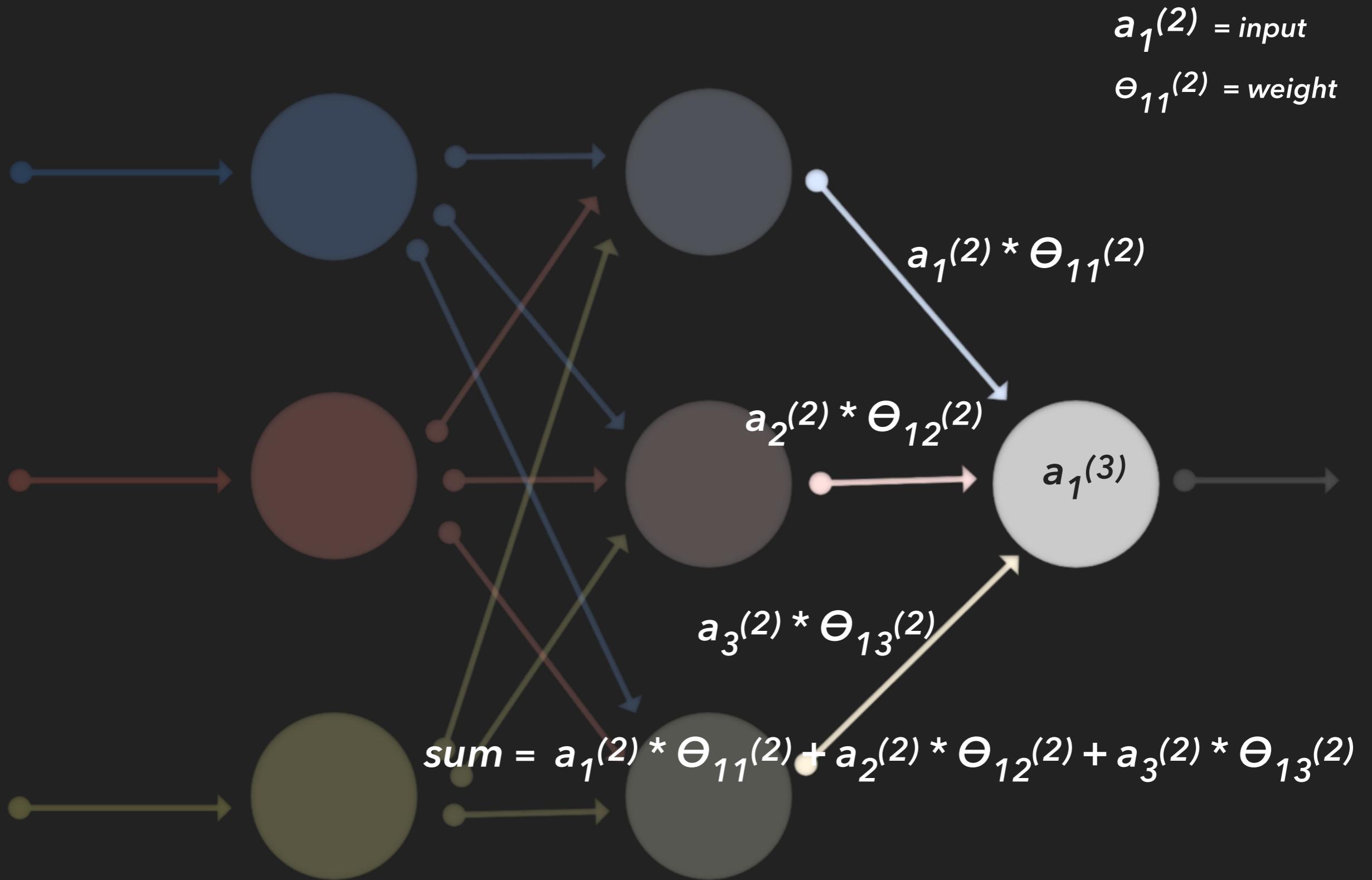
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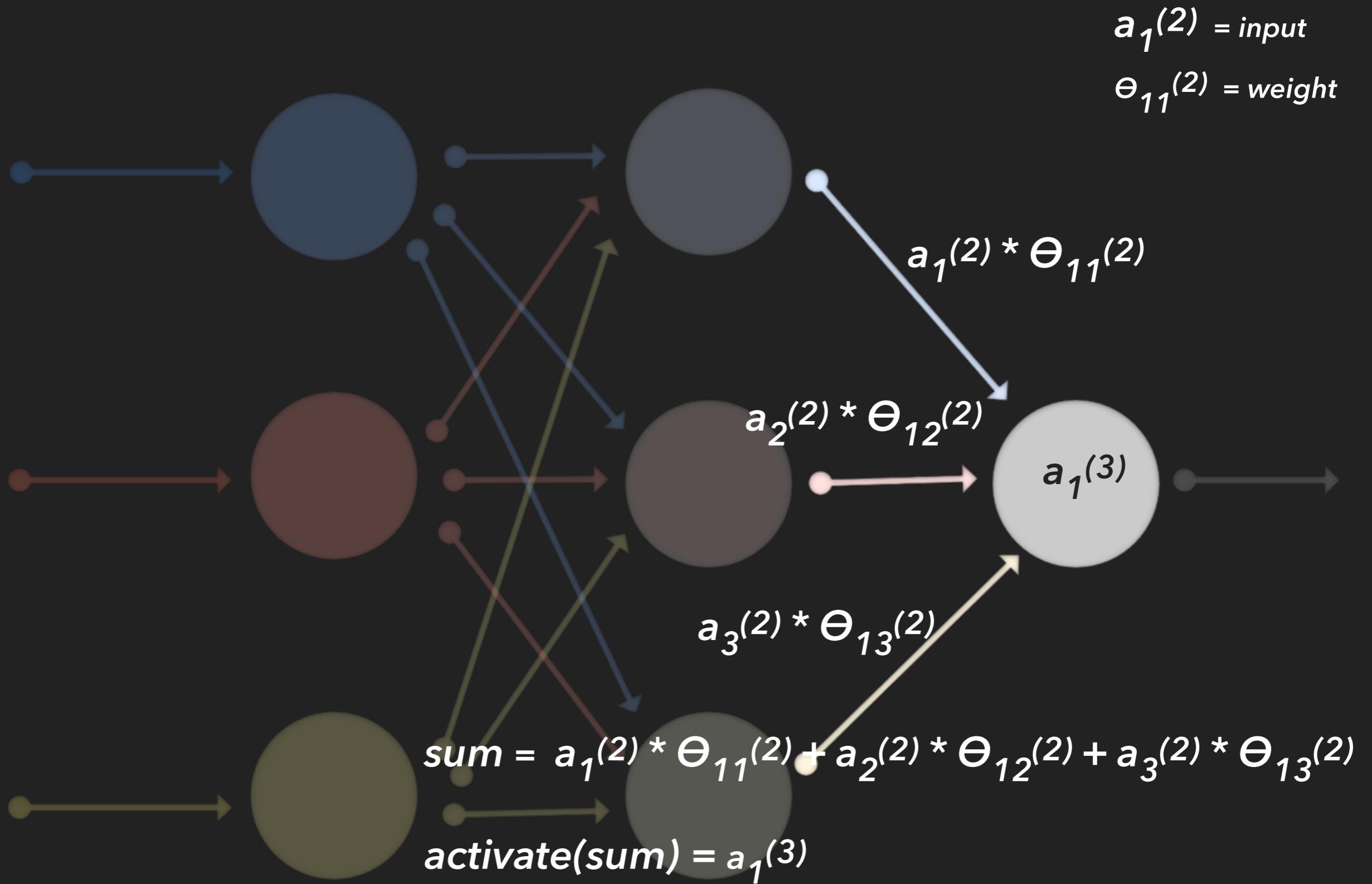
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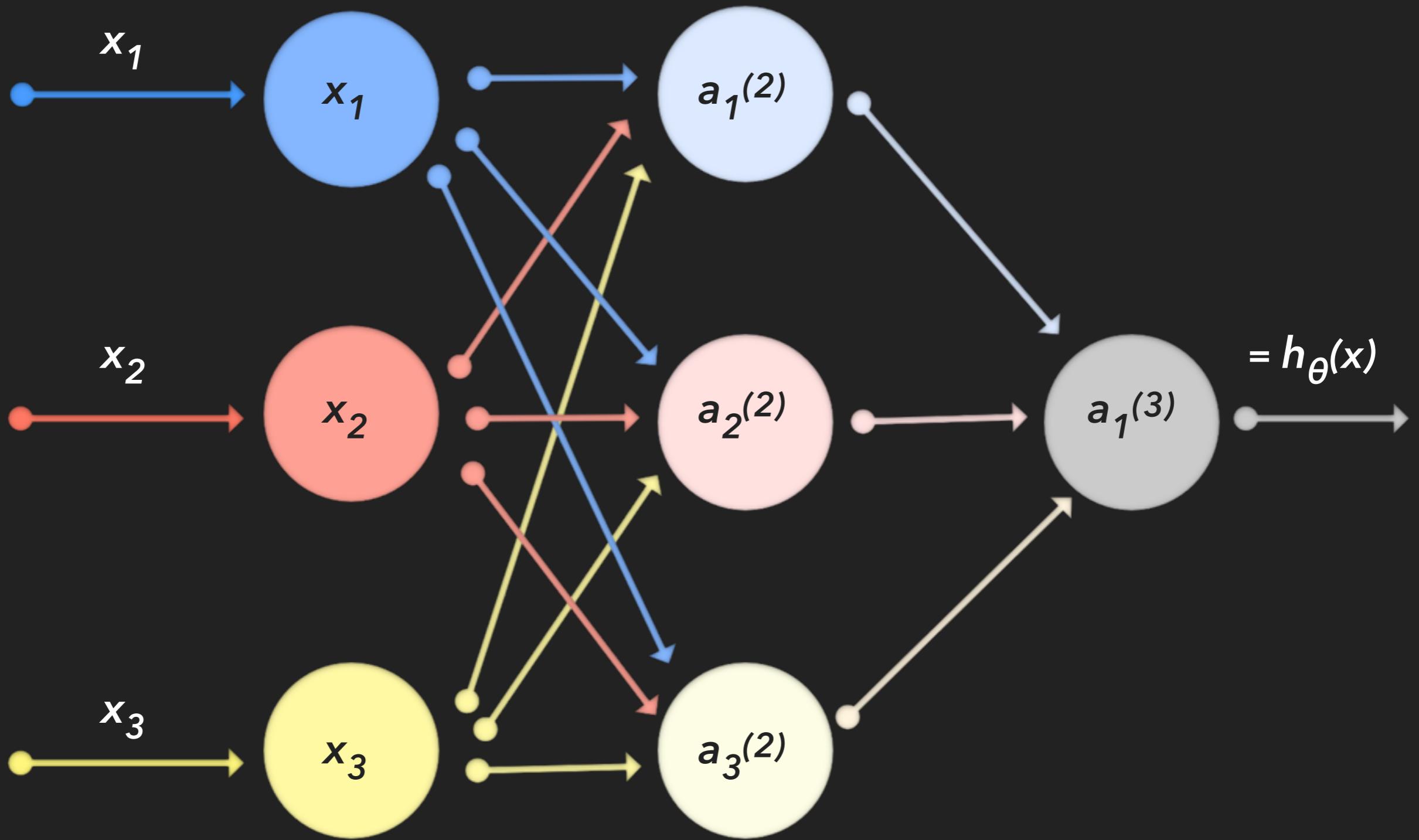
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>RANDOM_STRING_OUTPUT

ALL MODELS ARE WRONG,
BUT SOME ARE USEFUL.

George E. P. Box

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 - ▶ Netflix recommender System

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x	y	h(x)
$x_1 = 10$ $x_2 = 15$	43	60
$x_1 = 6$ $x_2 = 90$	26	10
$x_1 = 30$ $x_2 = 34$	54	40
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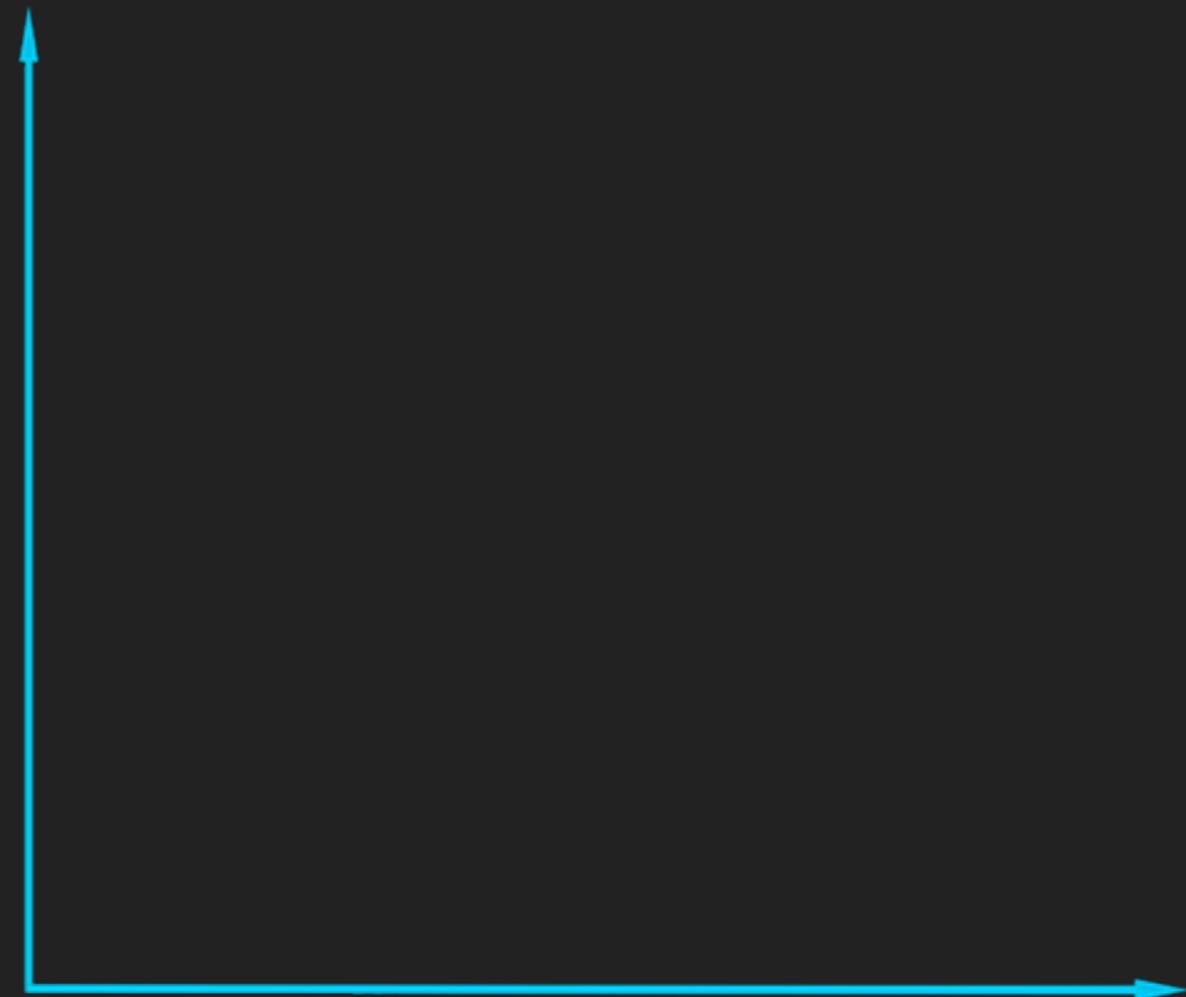
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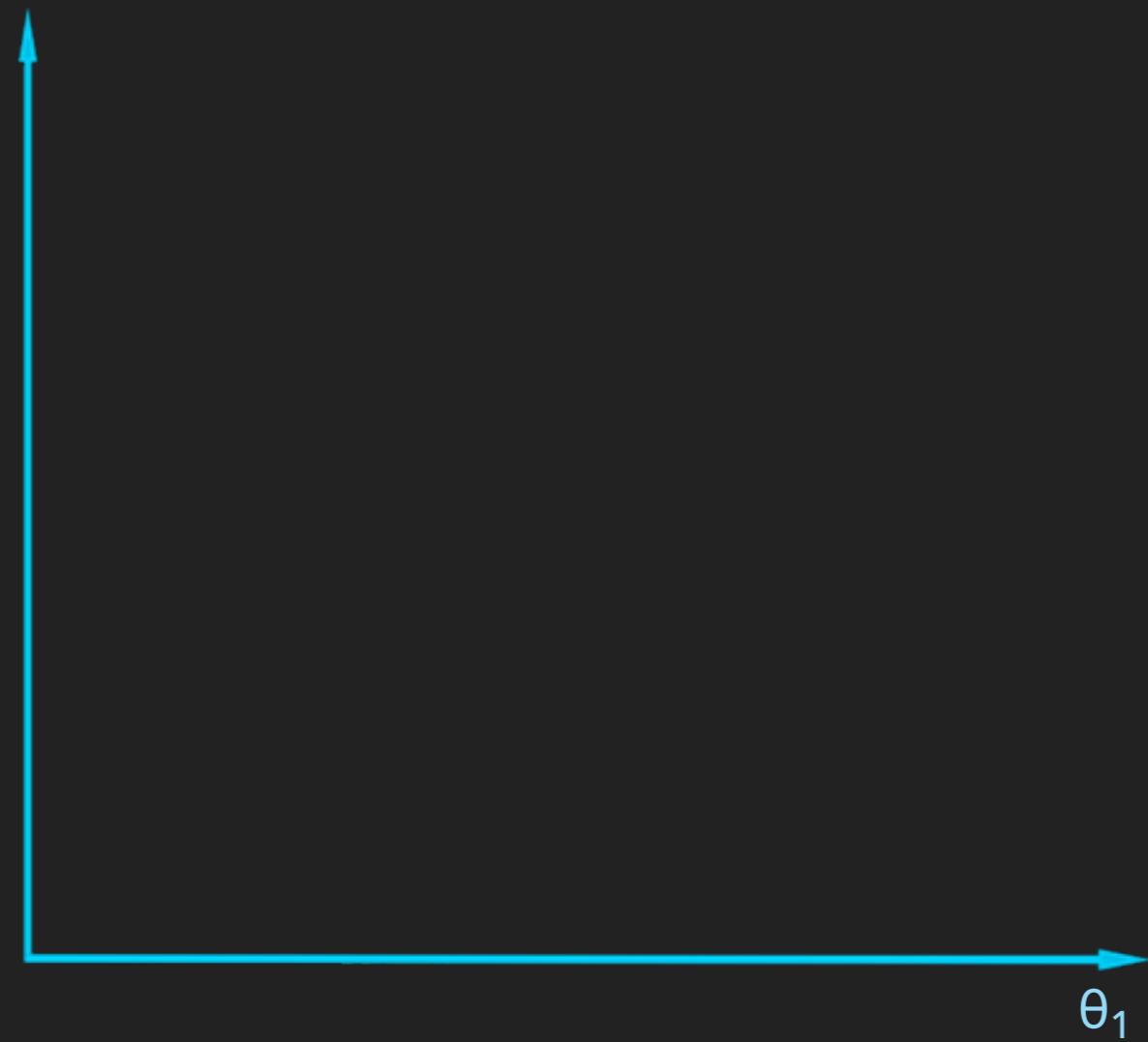
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- ▶ Gradient Descent

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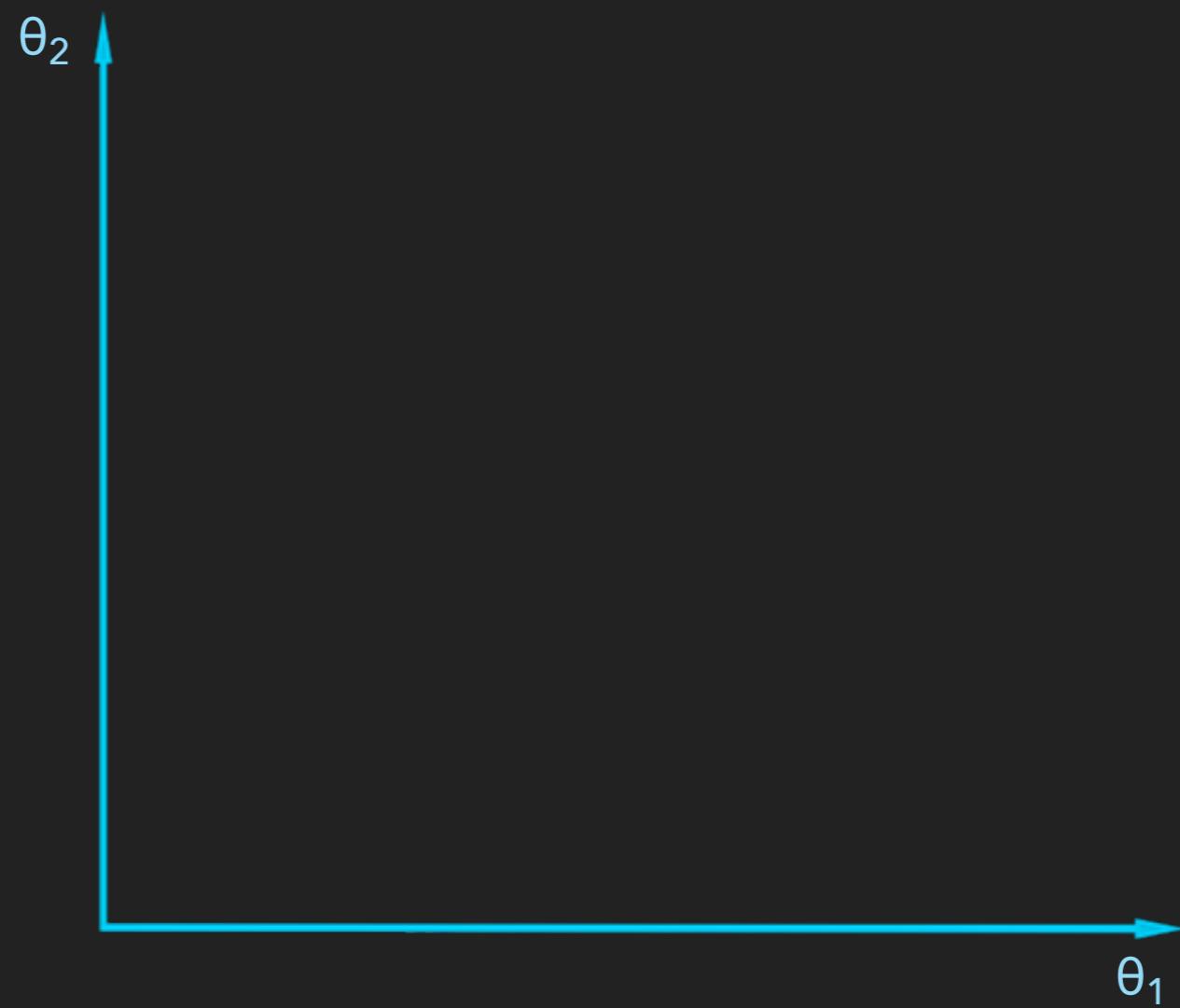
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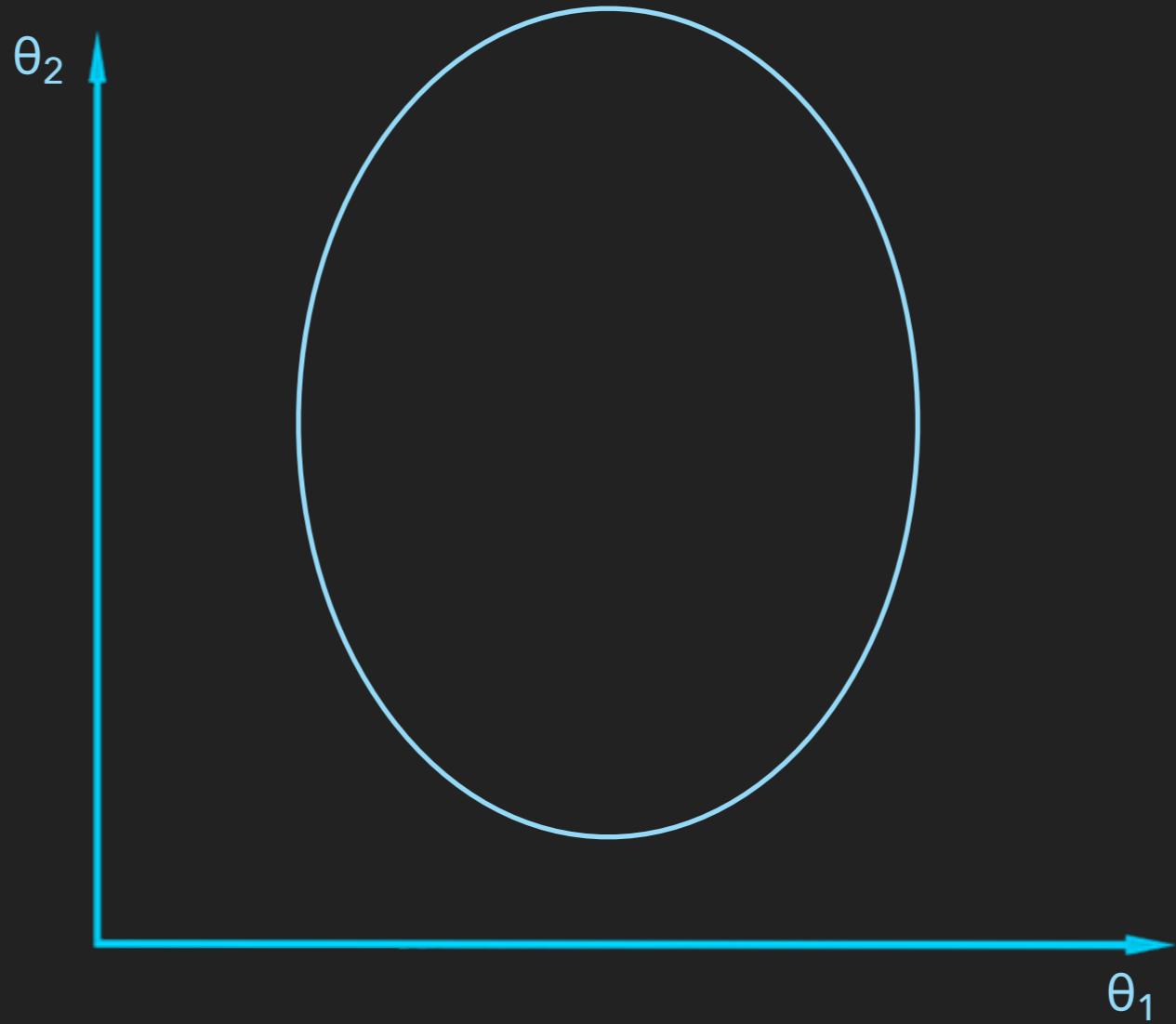
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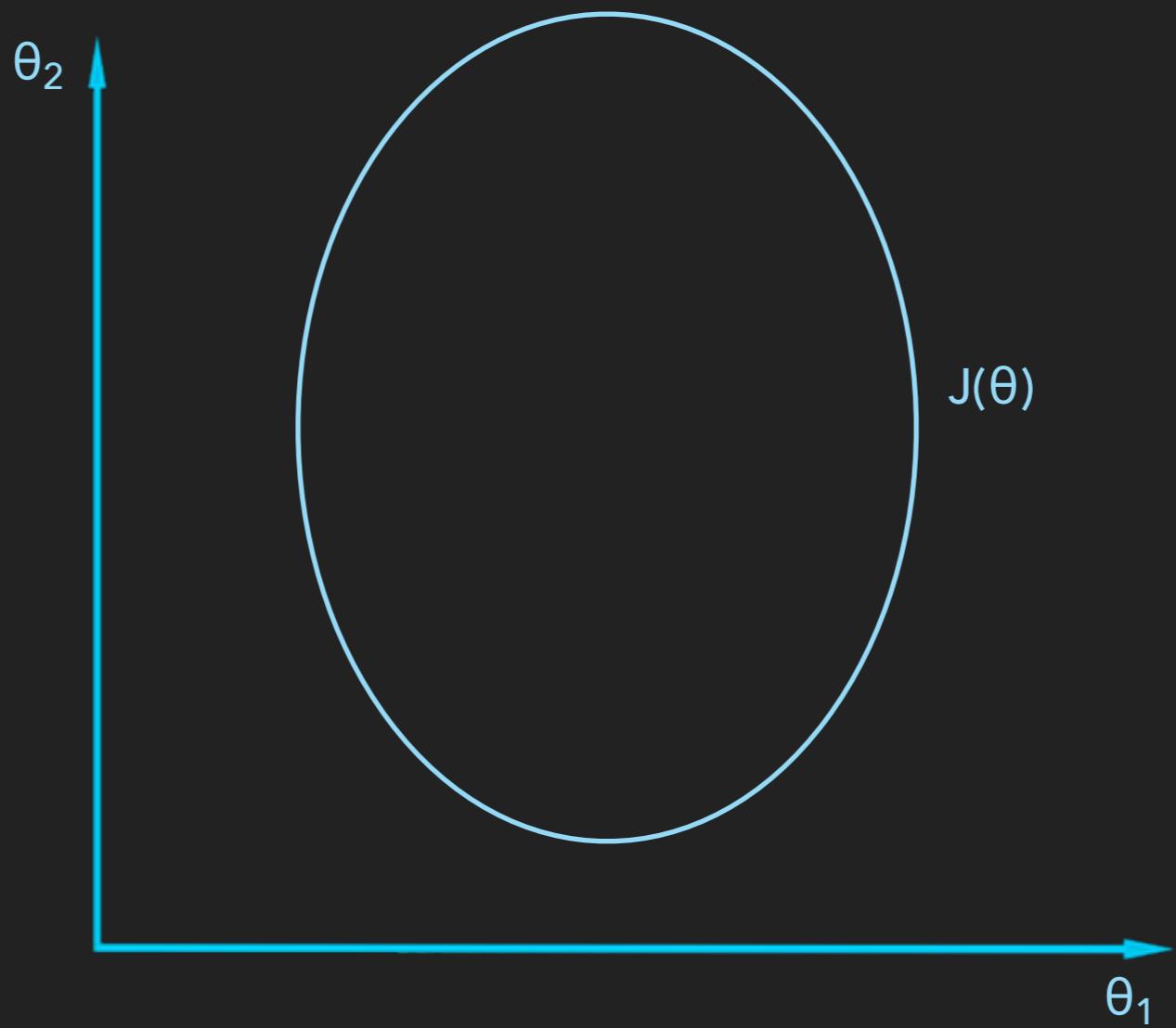
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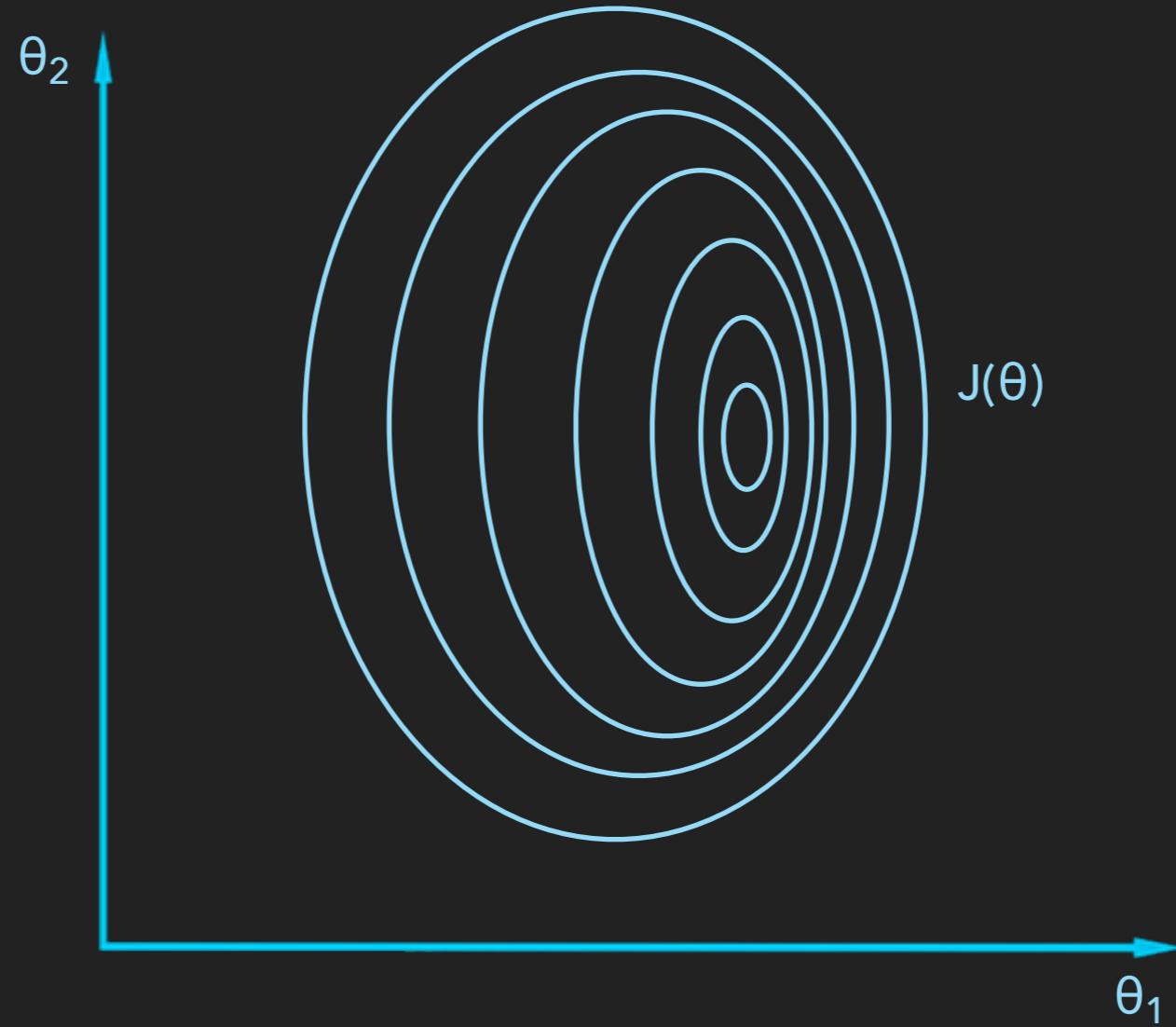
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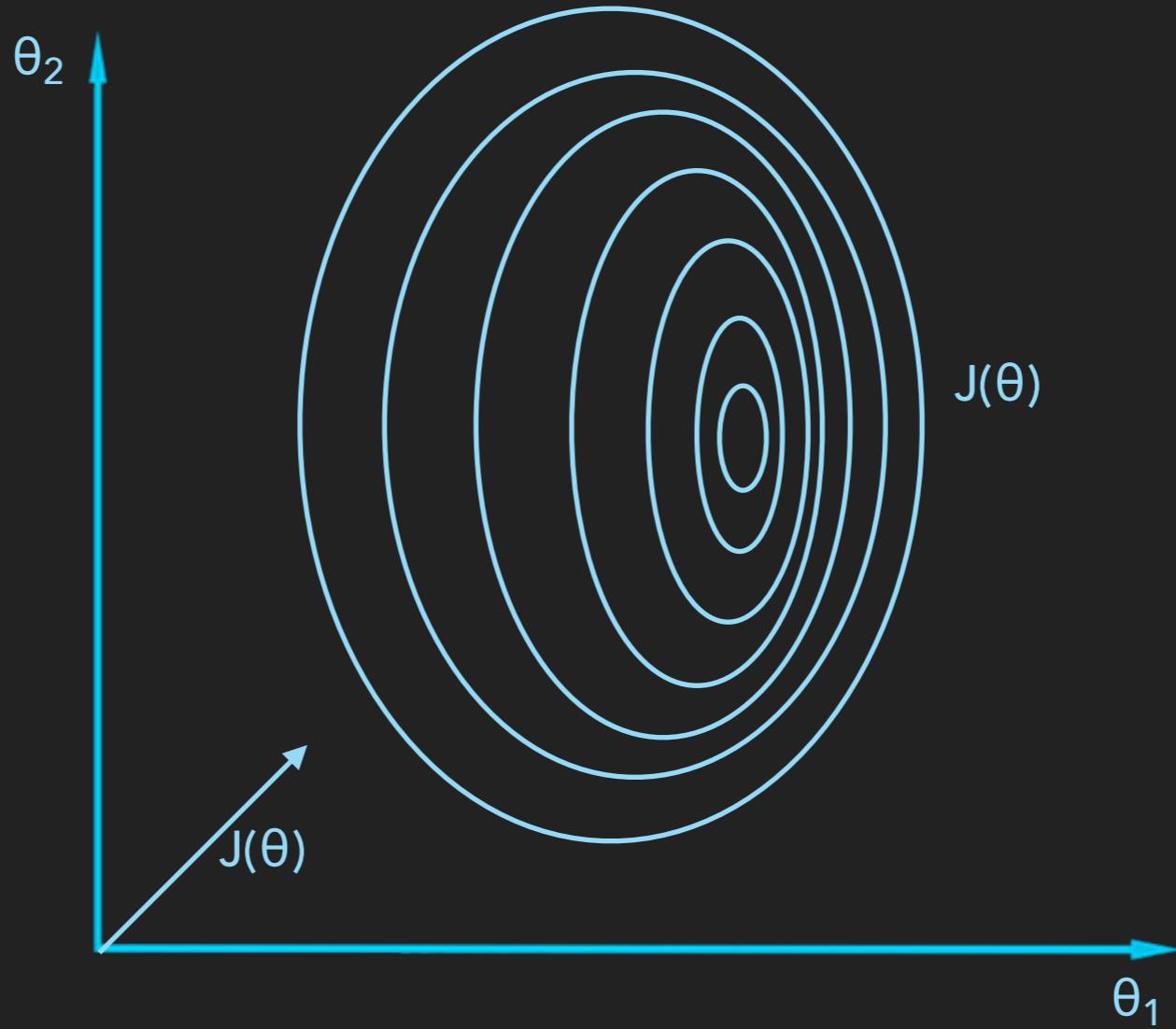
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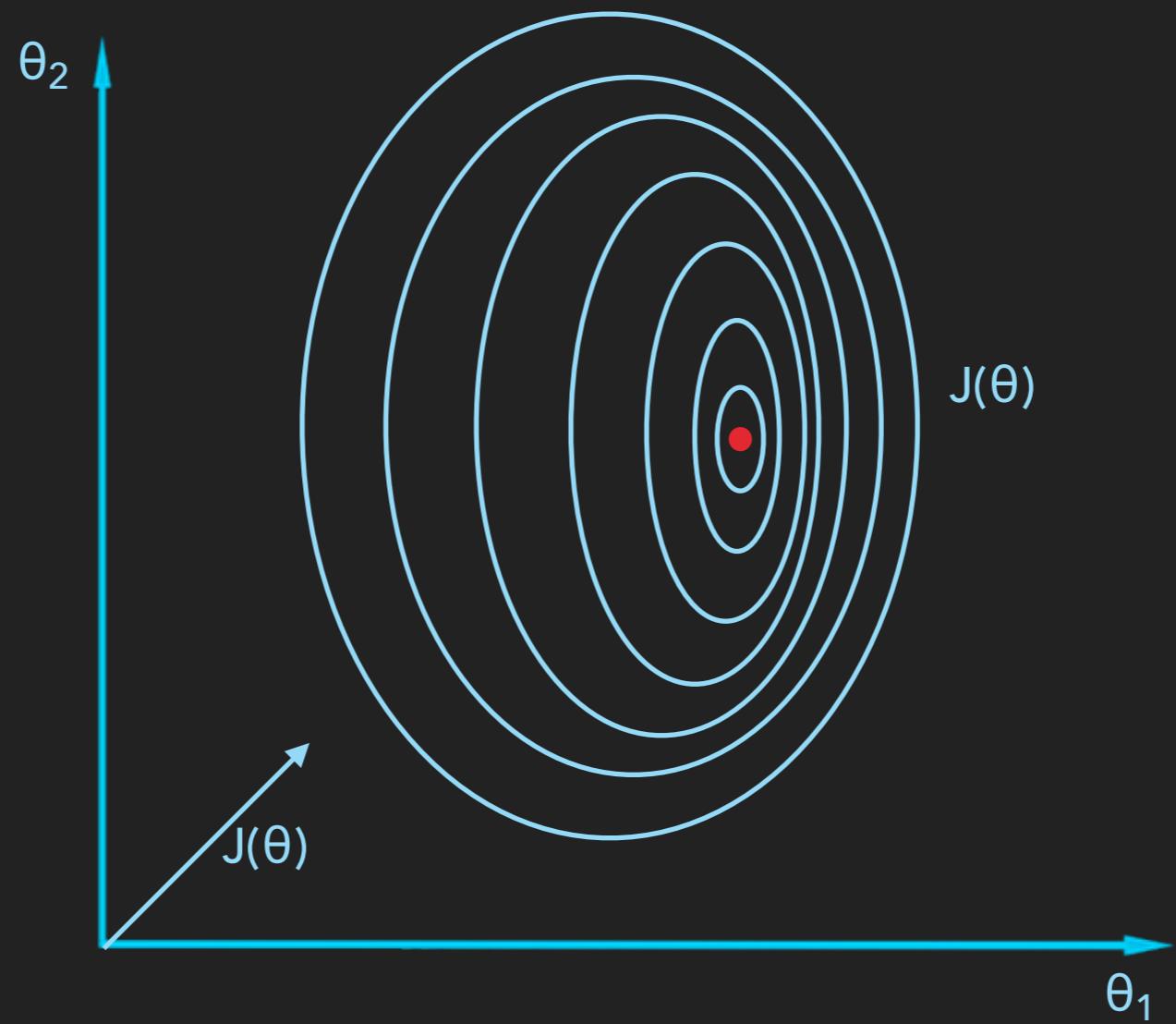
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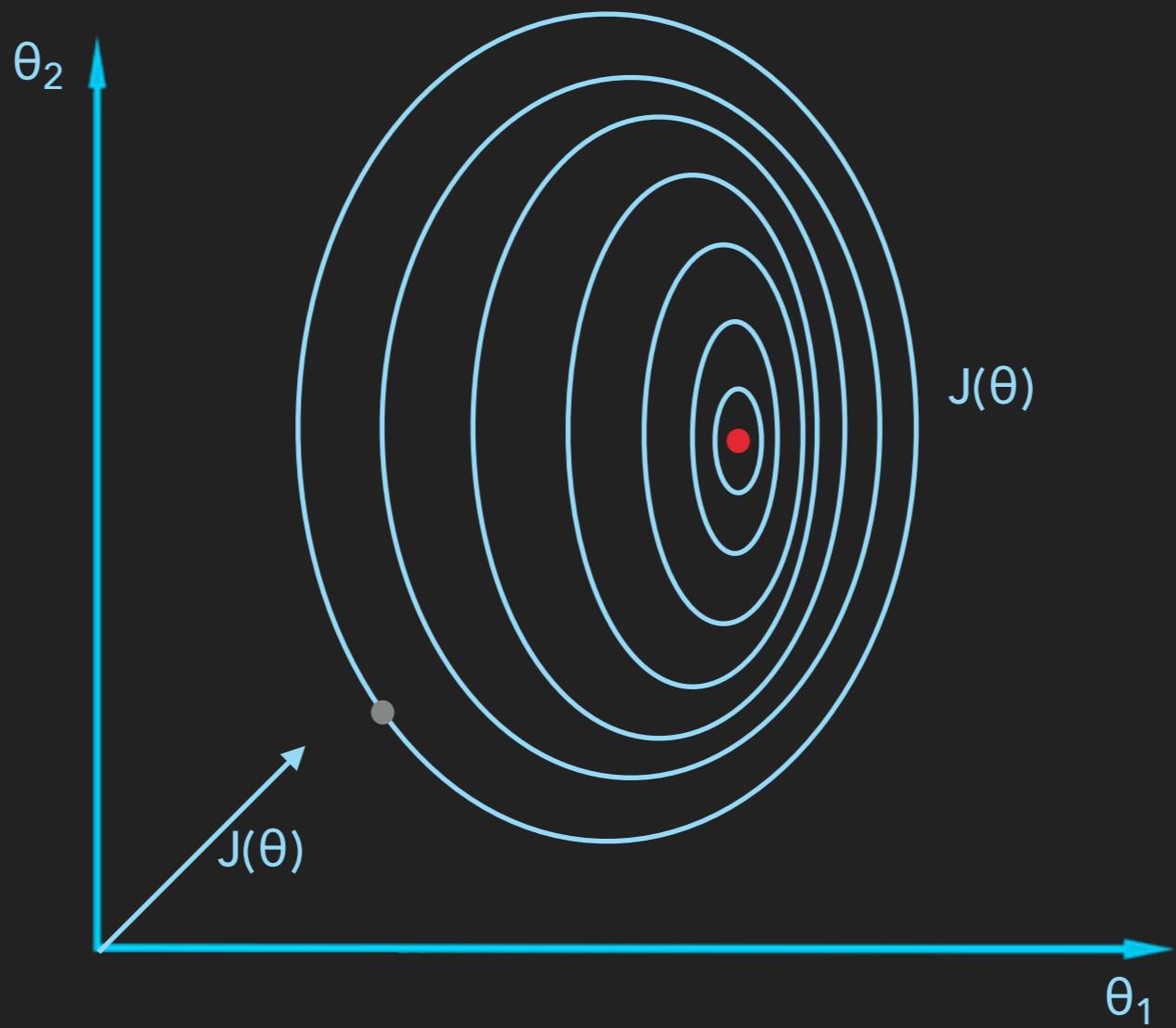
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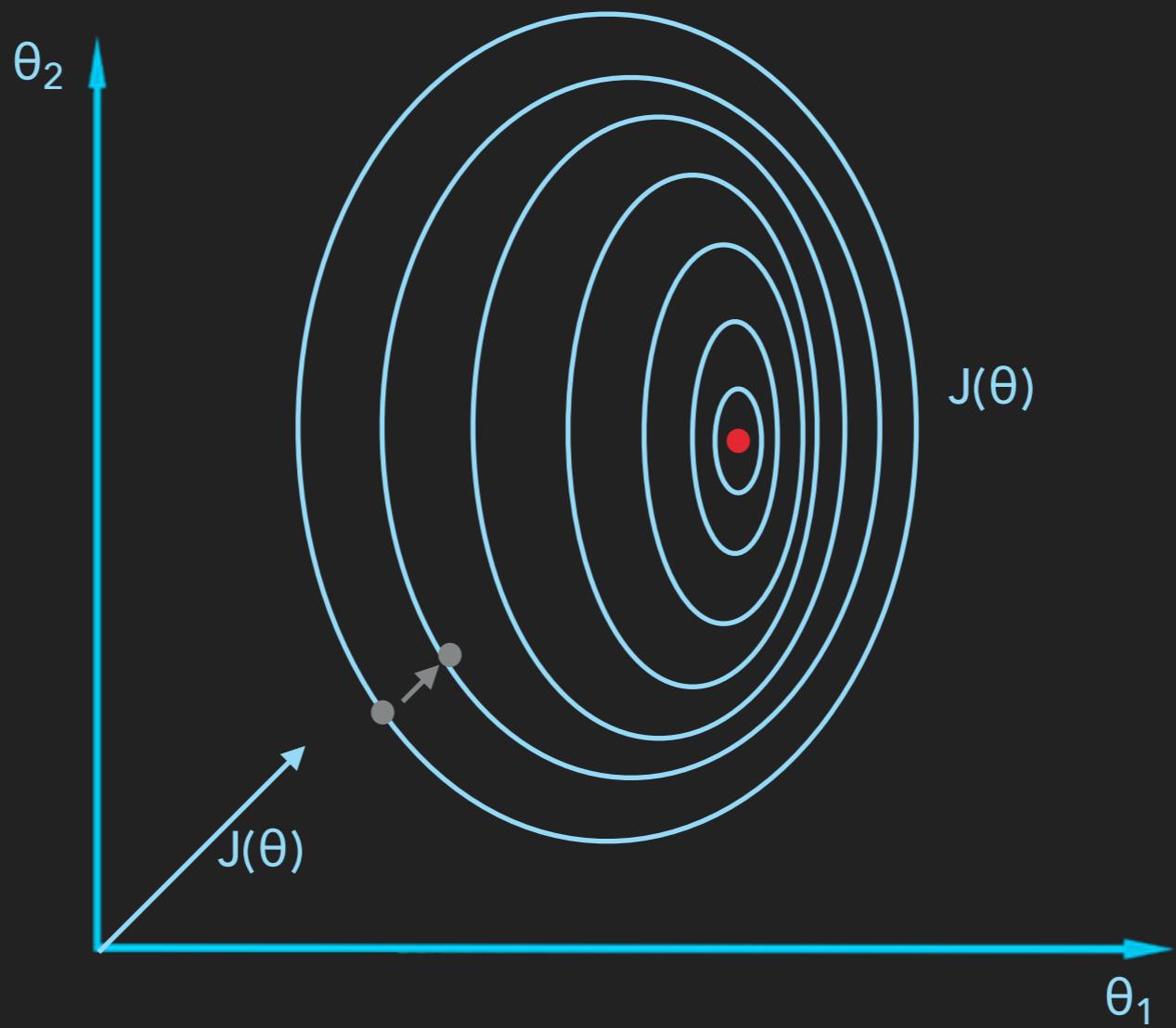
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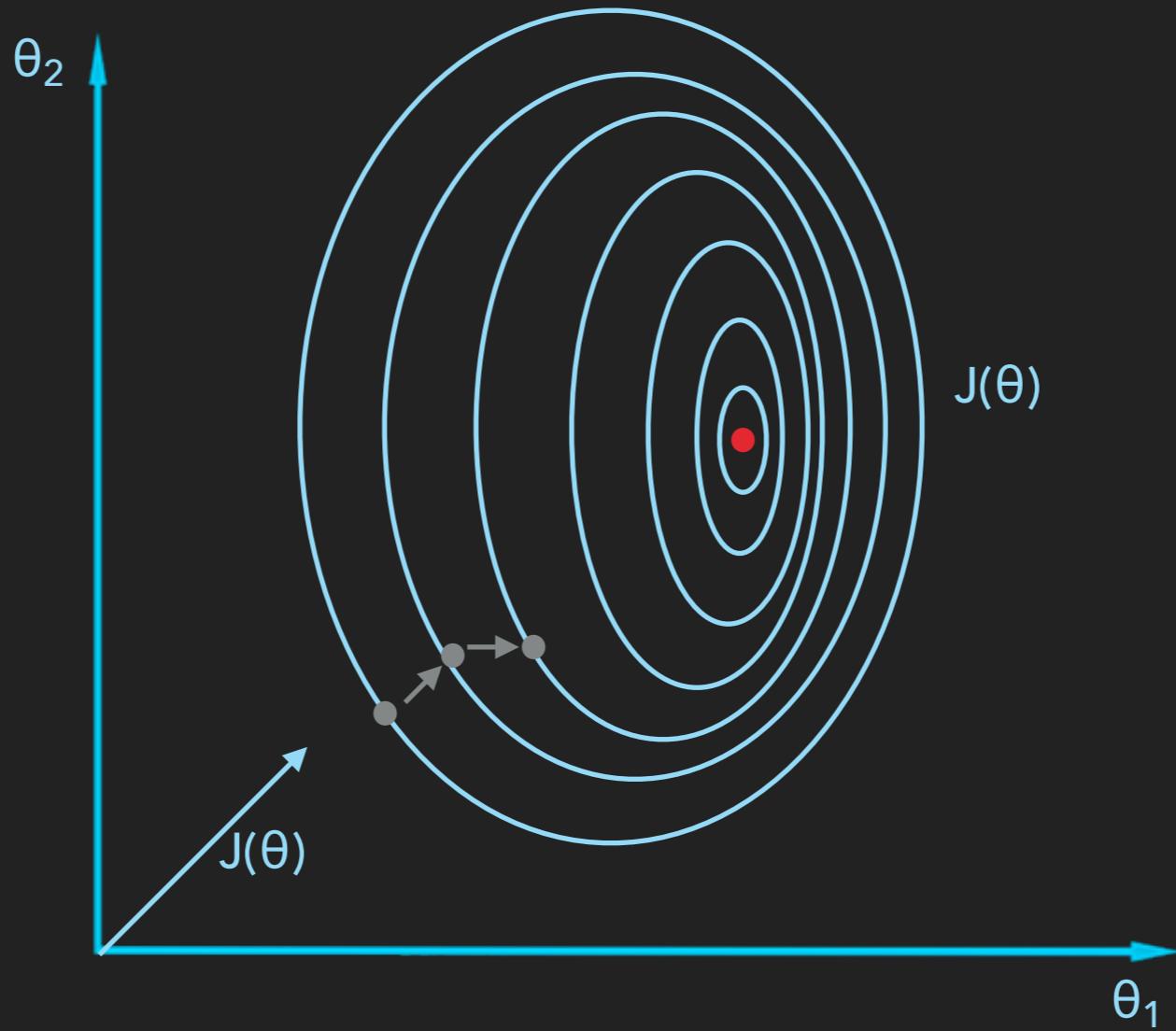
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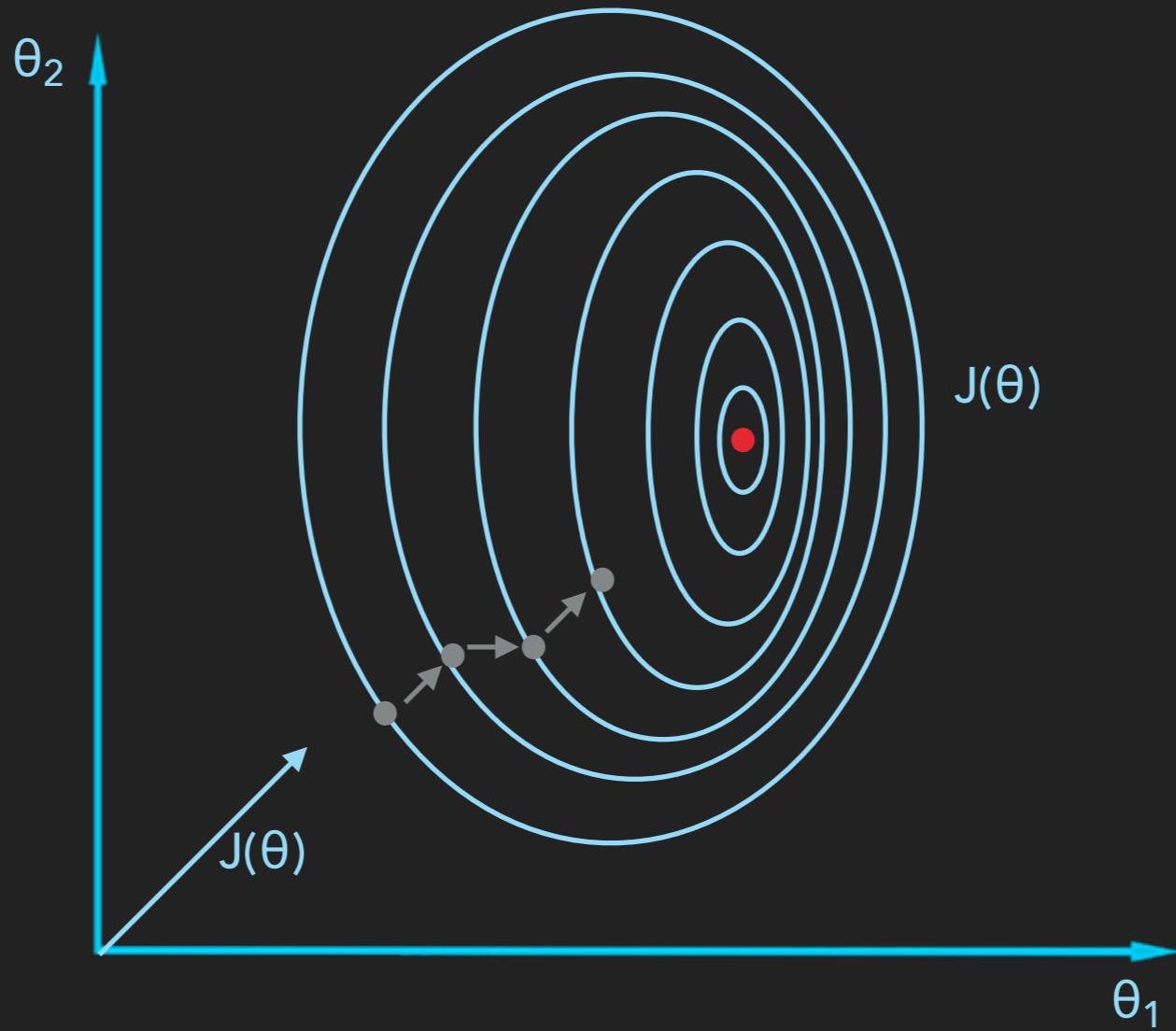
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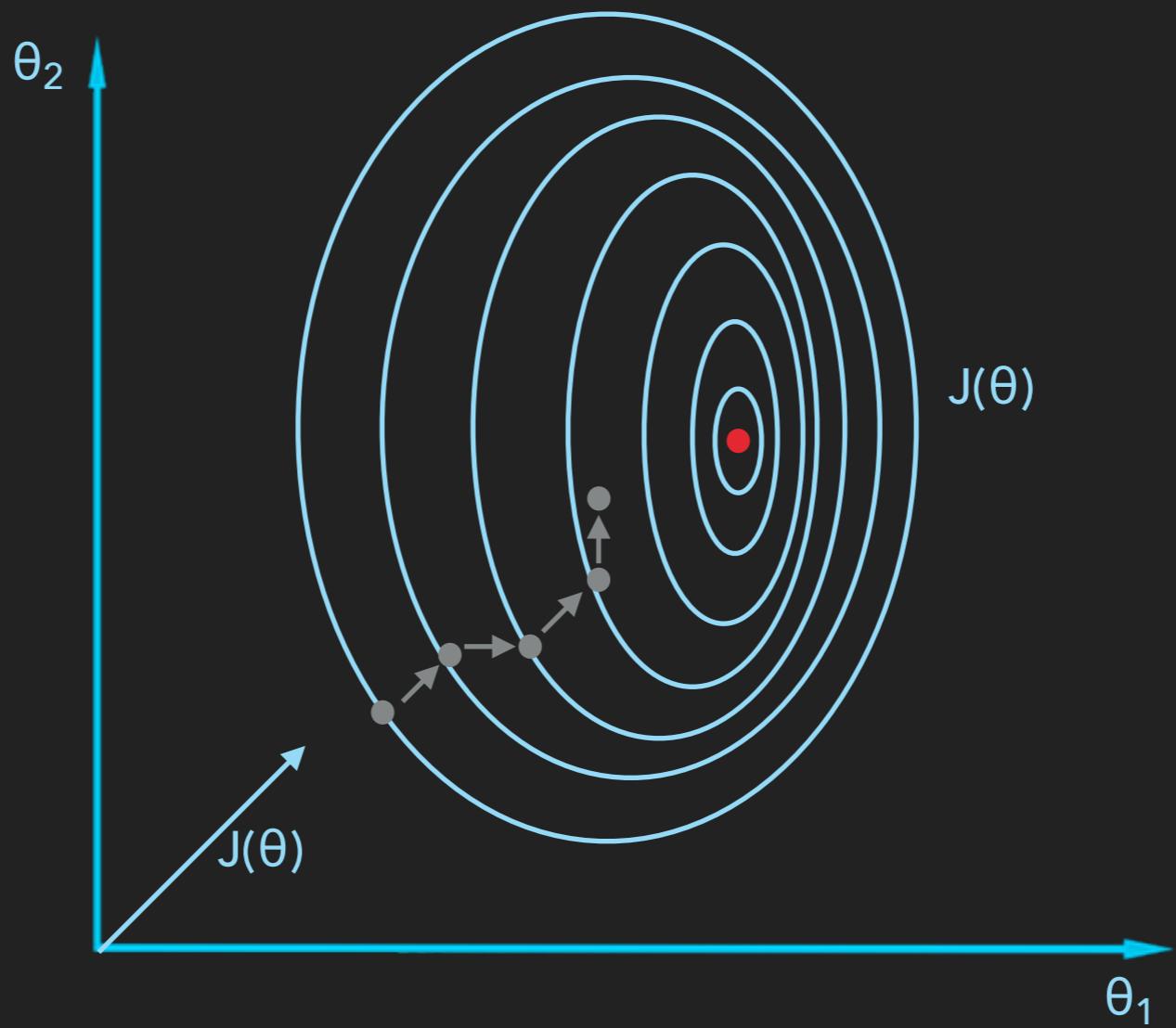
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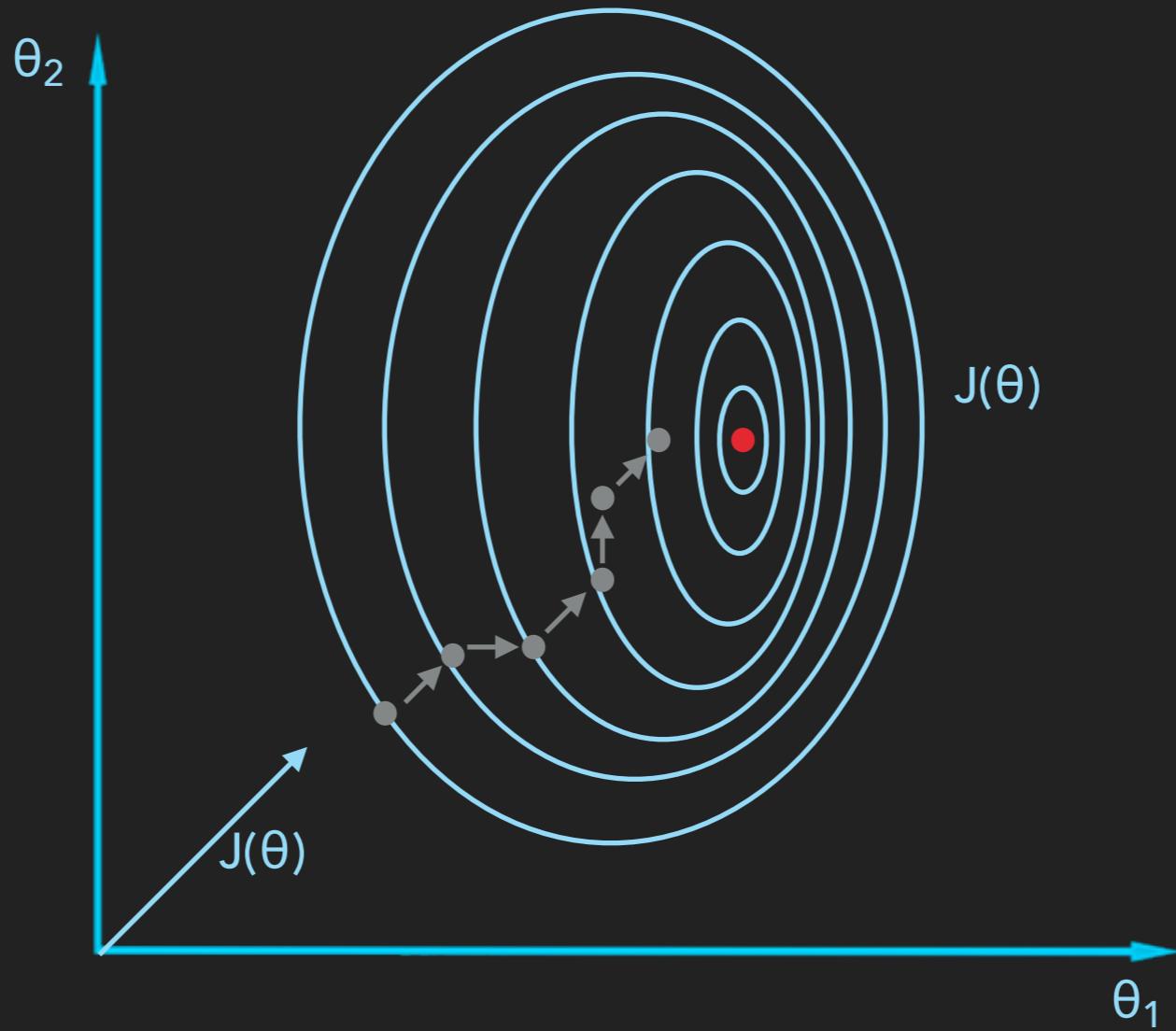
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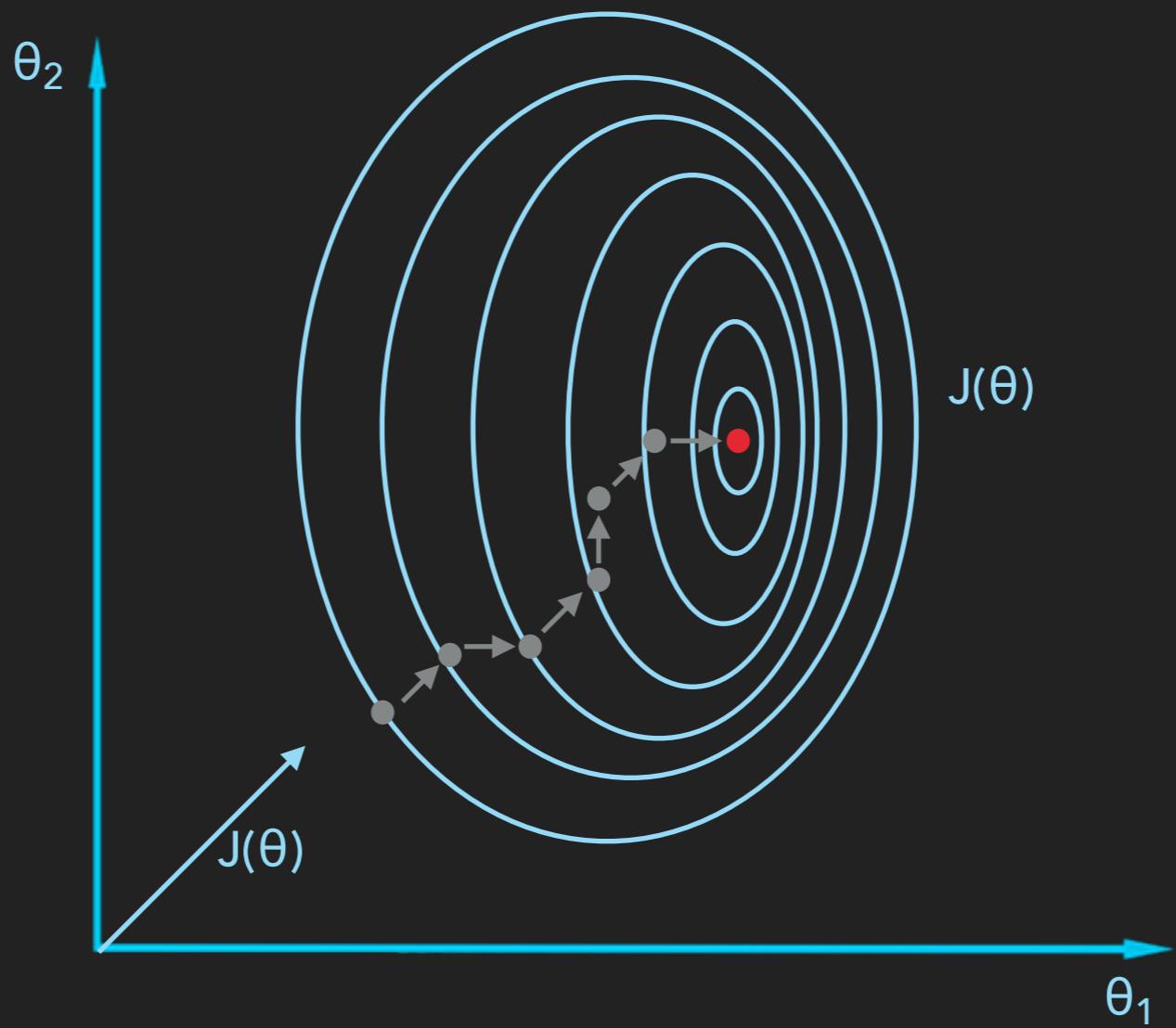
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ENOUGH THEORY FOR NOW

LET'S IMPLEMENT
SOMETHING!

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► Architect

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- ▶ Network

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- ▶ Trainer

>MAN SYNAPTIC

- ▶ Architect
- ▶ Network
- ▶ Trainer
- ▶ Network.activate()

>CAT POSITRONIC-BRAIN

```
1 var historicMatch = {  
2   'input': [43.2, 54.2]  
3   'output' : [1, 0, 0]  
4 };  
5  
6 var matchInTheFuture = {  
7   'input': [32.42, 634.4]  
8 }  
9  
10 var trainingSet = [historicMatch];  
11 var network = new Architect.Perceptron(historicMatch.input.length, 6, 6, 3);  
12 var trainer = new Trainer(network);  
13  
14 trainer.train(trainingSet, {  
15   rate: .0003,  
16   iterations: 100000,  
17 });  
18  
19 var toBePredicted = [matchInTheFuture];  
20 toBePredicted.forEach(function (match) {  
21   var activations = match.input;  
22   console.log(activations, network.activate(activations));  
23 });
```

>POSITRONIC-BRAIN

```
lian@Lians-MacBook-Pro ~/Privat/positronic-brain master • node src/main.js
Training neural network...
[ 321.15, 58.4 ] [ 0.770202754848928, 0.13353316788844524, 0.10229533610602289 ]
[ 71.13, 64.15 ] [ 0.5561042289272905, 0.2215426757492098, 0.2277661316237316 ]
[ 58.4, 60.83 ] [ 0.4369071411789803, 0.24778939091651866, 0.3137594022112385 ]
[ 198.45, 213.65 ] [ 0.36707492320049523, 0.26134629561012834, 0.36323200187402965 ]
[ 182.1, 58.65 ] [ 0.7700340881192606, 0.13361018801114452, 0.10237946660979043 ]
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[ 172.15, 86.08 ] [ 0.5561016884965589, 0.22154321157072754, 0.22776802991055403 ]
```

AN APPROXIMATE ANSWER TO THE
RIGHT PROBLEM IS WORTH A GOOD
DEAL MORE THAN AN EXACT ANSWER
TO AN APPROXIMATE PROBLEM.

John Tukey

OK, LOOKS GOOD SO FAR

BUT HOW WELL DOES IT
PERFORM?

>TAIL -V ERRORS

SYNAPTIC DATA ERROR

```
14   trainer.train(trainingSet, {  
15     rate: .0003,  
16     iterations: 100000,  
17     schedule: {  
18       every: 10000,  
19       do: function (data) {  
20         console.log("error", data.error);  
21       }  
22     }  
23   });
```

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```
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Training neural network...
error 0.19007911504127187
error 0.18802092021642586
error 0.18692413681619047
error 0.1854934102252014
error 0.18463050462306577
error 0.18365117232422246
error 0.1829250147744015
error 0.18259779005875912
error 0.18227652566379604
error 0.18187424069529254
```

>TAIL -V ERRORS

CLASSIFICATION ERROR

```
25    do: function (data) {
26      var errors = 0;
27      trainingSet.forEach(function (dataPoint) {
28        var expected = predictFromProbability(dataPoint.output);
29        var prediction = network.activate(dataPoint.input)
30        var predicted = predictFromProbability(prediction);
31
32        if (expected != predicted) {
33          errors++;
34        }
35      });
36      console.log(errors / trainingSet.length);
37    }
```

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Training neural network...
errorRate: 0.4528301886792453
errorRate: 0.4397677793904209
errorRate: 0.444121915820029
errorRate: 0.4281567489114659
errorRate: 0.4426705370101596
errorRate: 0.432510885341074
errorRate: 0.4339622641509434
errorRate: 0.4513788098693759
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errorRate: 0.43831640058055155
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CROSS VALIDATION ERROR

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12 var dataSet = [historicMatch];
13 var trainingSet = dataSet.splice(0, threshold);
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27   crossValidationSet.forEach(function (dataPoint) {
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29     var prediction = network.activate(dataPoint.input)
30     var predicted = predictFromProbability(prediction);

31     if (expected != predicted) {
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33     }
34   });
35   console.log(errors / crossValidationSet.length);
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errorRate: 0.48695652173913045
errorRate: 0.4927536231884058
errorRate: 0.5043478260869565
errorRate: 0.5072463768115942
errorRate: 0.5130434782608696
errorRate: 0.5101449275362319
errorRate: 0.5014492753623189
errorRate: 0.518840579710145
errorRate: 0.5130434782608696
```

OK, BUT WHY?

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

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- ▶ Data Error

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- ▶ Data Error
 - ▶ error = mean squared error

>TAIL -V ERRORS

- ▶ $h(x) = [0.3, 0.5, 0.2]$
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 - ▶ error = mean squared error
 - ▶ squared error = $\| [-0.3, -0.5, 0.8] \| ^ 2 = \sim 0.98$

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 - ▶ error = 1

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- ▶ Cross Validation Error

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- ▶ $h(x) = [0.3, 0.5, 0.2]$
- ▶ $y = [0, 0, 1]$
- ▶ Data Error
 - ▶ error = mean squared error
 - ▶ squared error = $\| [-0.3, -0.5, 0.8] \| ^ 2 = \sim 0.98$
- ▶ Classification Error
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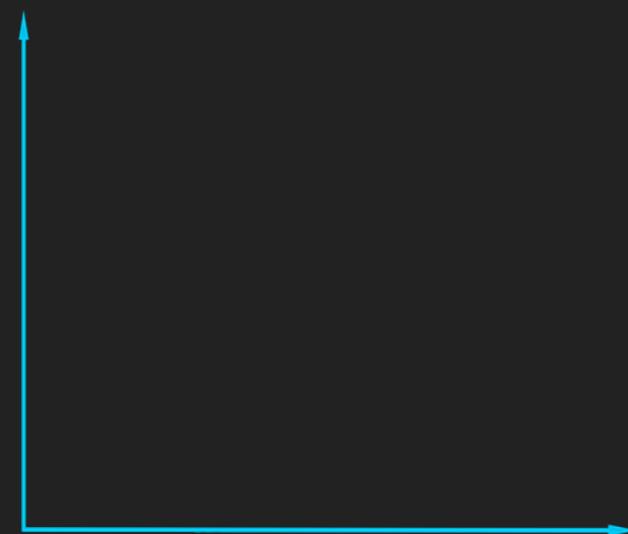
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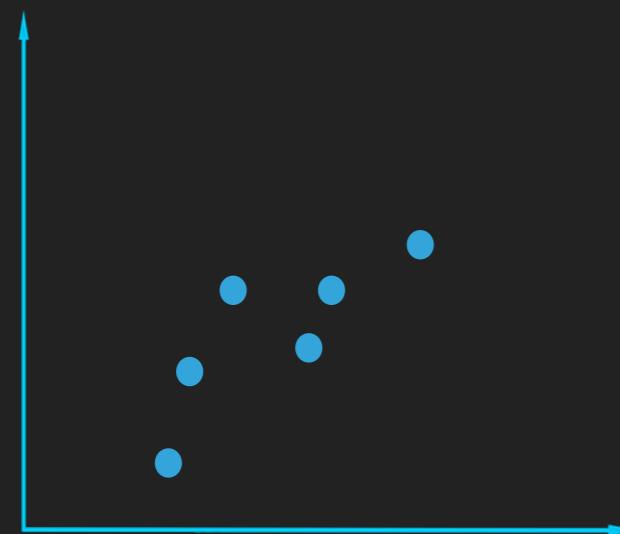
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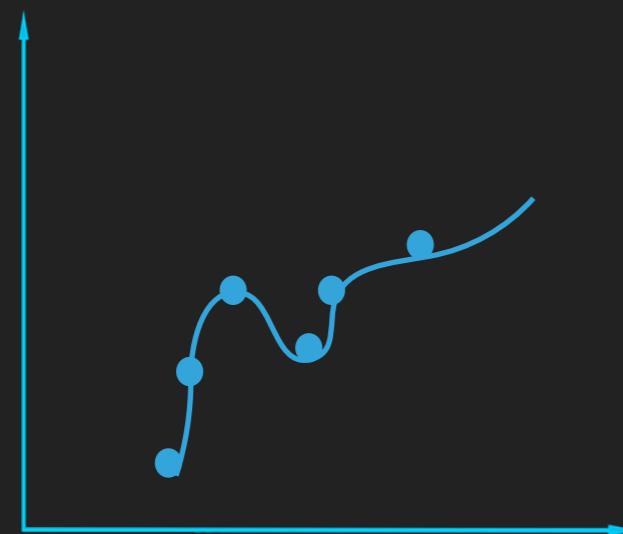
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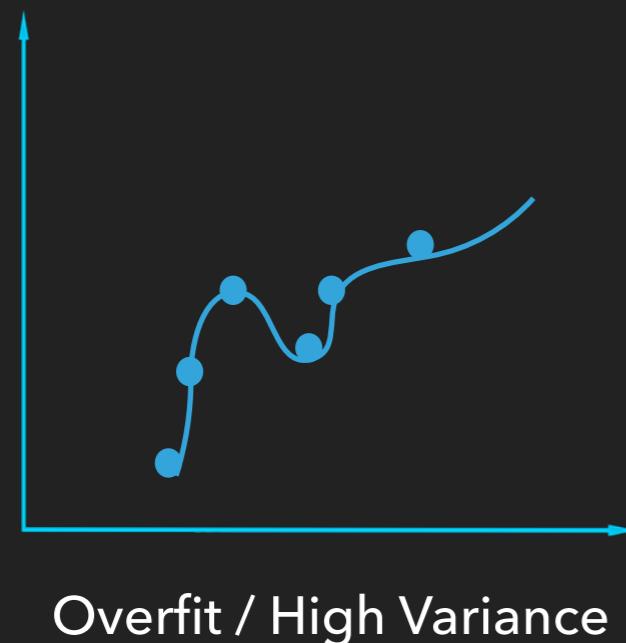
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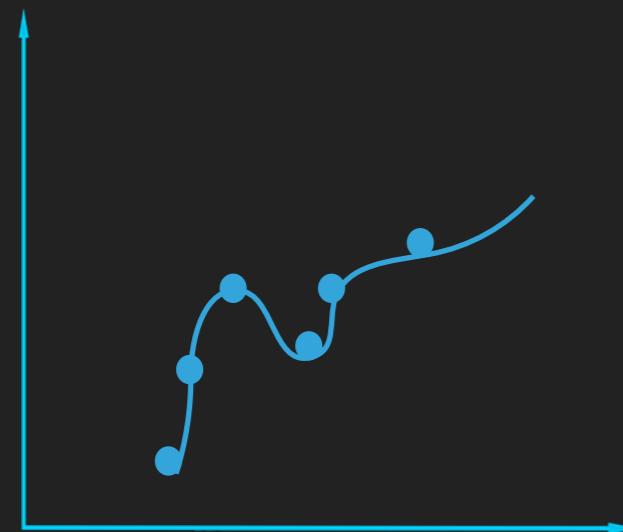
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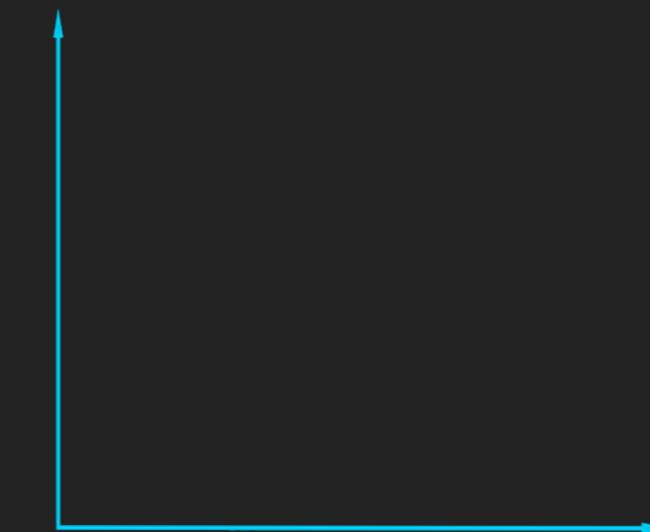


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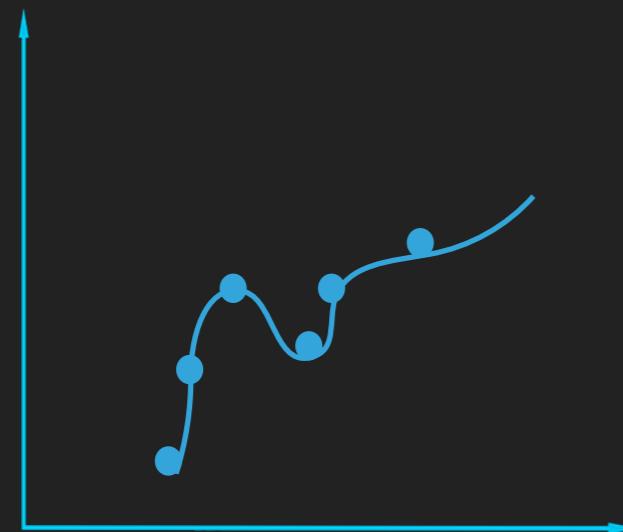


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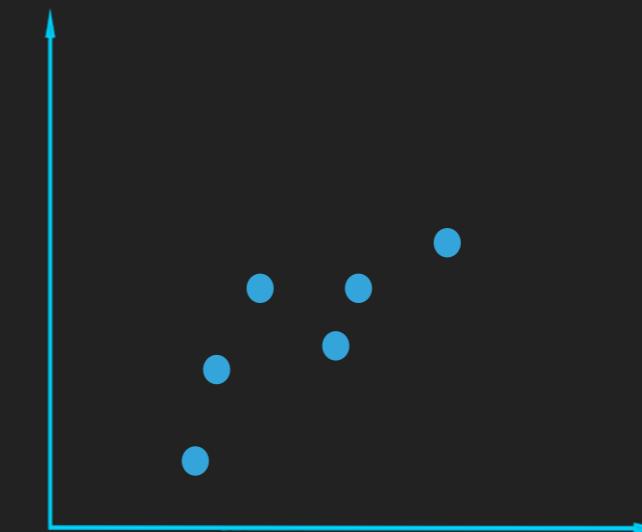


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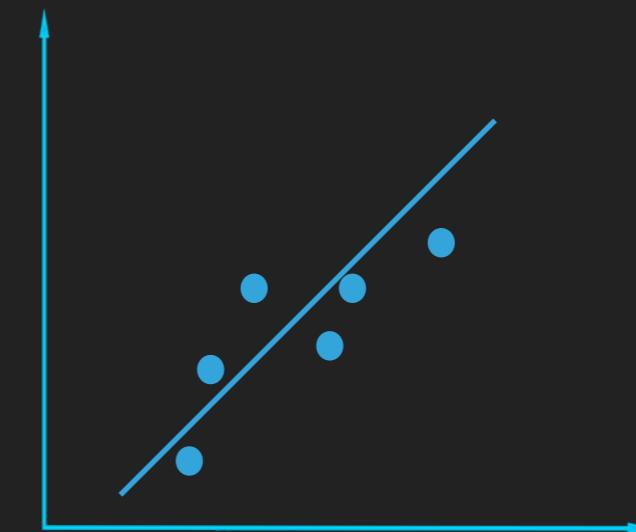


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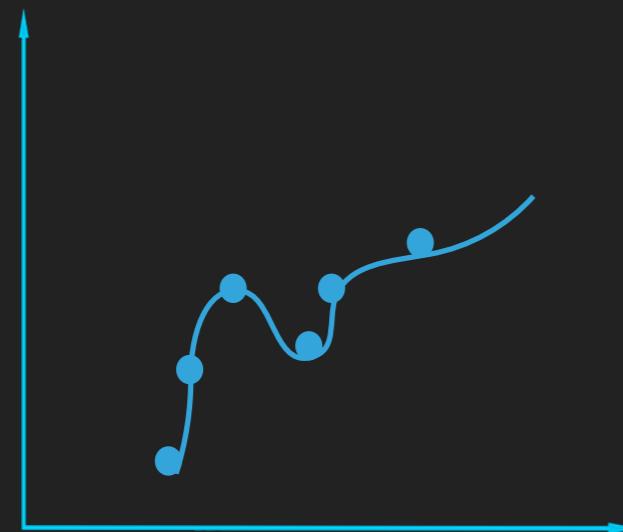


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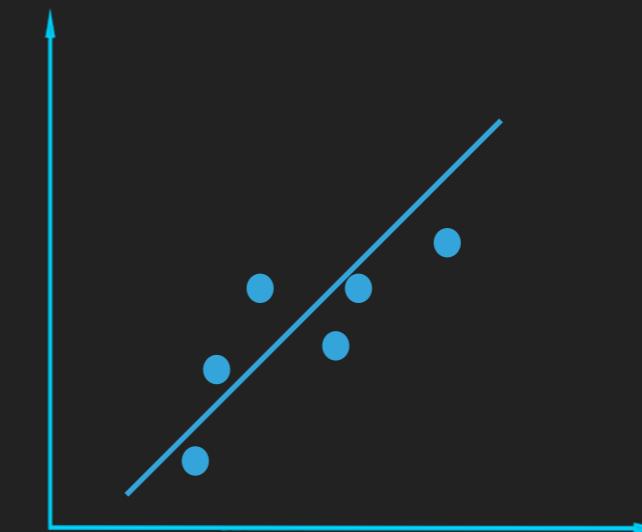


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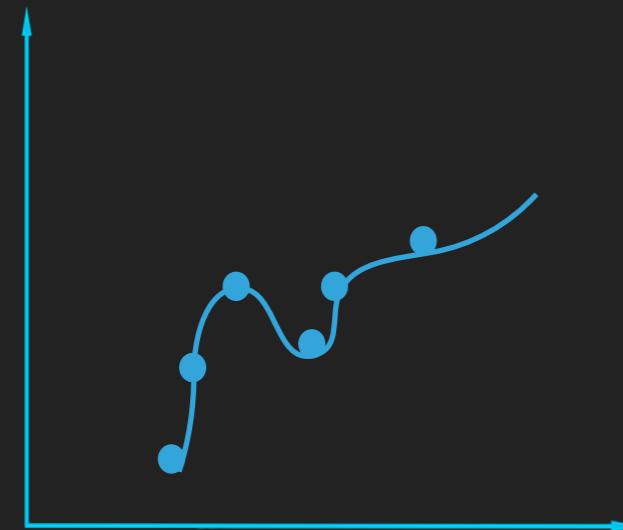
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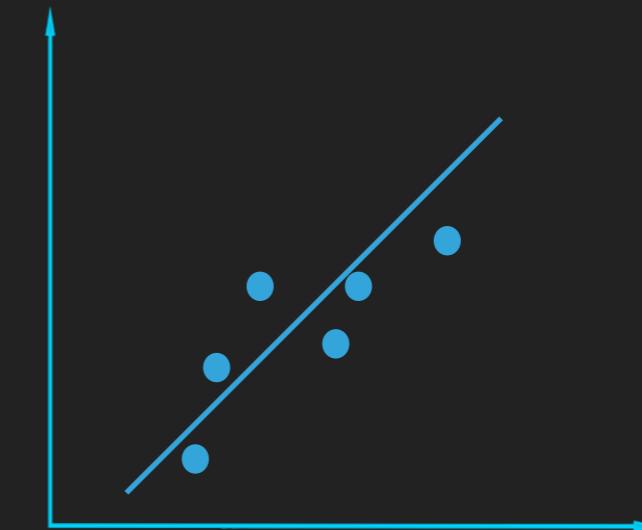
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lian@Lians-MacBook-Pro ~/Privat/positronic-brain master • node src/main.js
Training neural network...
[ 94.03, 76.08 ]
data error: 0.18815276130336966 | classification error: 0.44668587896253603 | crossvalidation error: 0.521613832853026
data error: 0.1865592591273571 | classification error: 0.45244956772334294 | crossvalidation error: 0.5187319884726225
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lian@Lians-MacBook-Pro ~/Privat/positronic-brain ✘ master • node src/main.js
Training neural network...
[ 11, 174.45, 80.1, 2, 14 ]
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>PREDICT MATCHDAY31

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- ▶ VfL Wolfsburg - 1. FC Augsburg: **Home** 71%
- ▶ VfB Stuttgart - Borussia Dortmund: **Away** 69%
- ▶ 1. FC Köln - SV Darmstadt: **Home** 40%
- ▶ Hertha BSC - FC Bayern München: **Away** 69%
- ▶ FC Ingolstadt - Hannover 96: **Home** 42%
- ▶ FC Schalke - Bayer Leverkusen: **Home** 60%
- ▶ Borussia Mönchengladbach - TSG Hoffenheim: **Home** 71%
- ▶ Eintracht Frankfurt - 1. FSV Mainz: **Away** 41%

>CONTINUE

RECOMMENDED READING

- ▶ github.com/Chimney42/positronic-brain
- ▶ <https://slidr.io/Chimney42/machine-learning-with-synaptic#1>
- ▶ <https://www.codingame.com/games/machine-learning>
- ▶ <https://github.com/cazala/synaptic/wiki/Neural-Networks-101>
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