



Probabilistic Graphical Models with Neural Networks in InferPy

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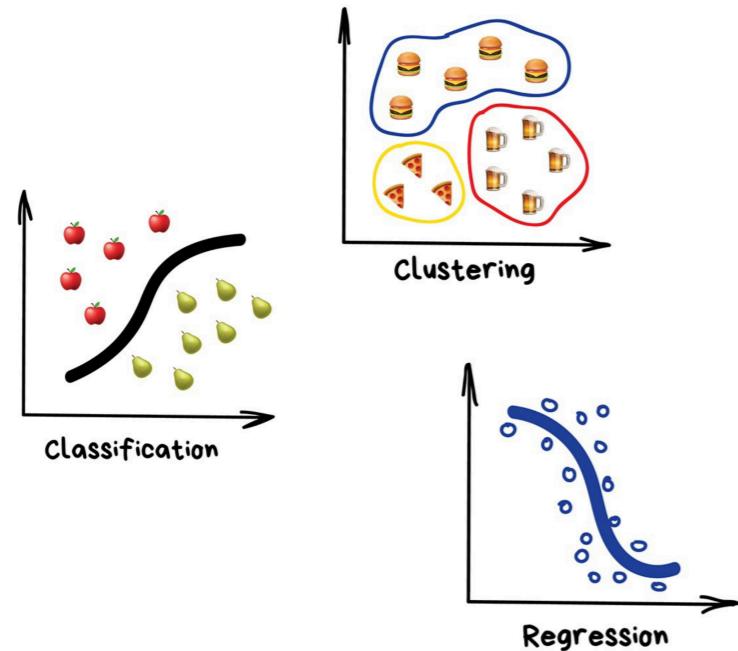
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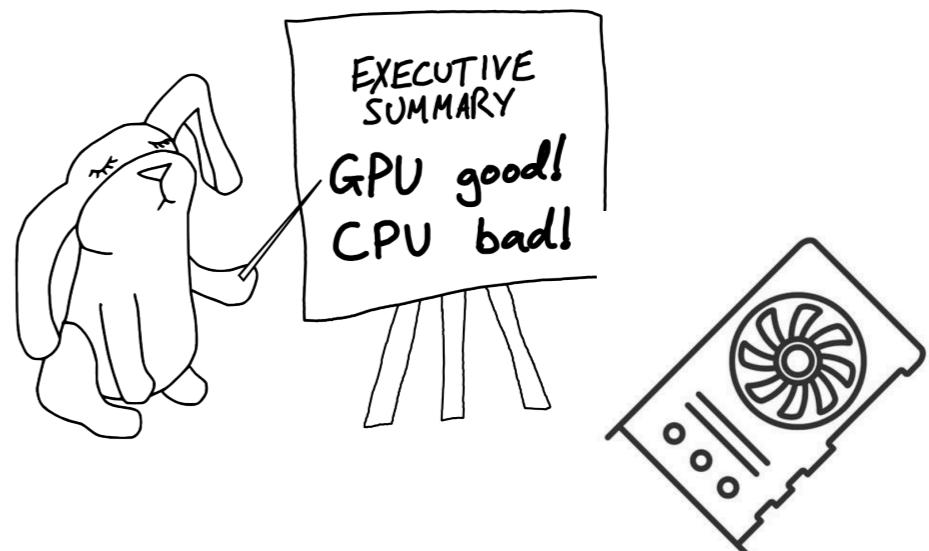
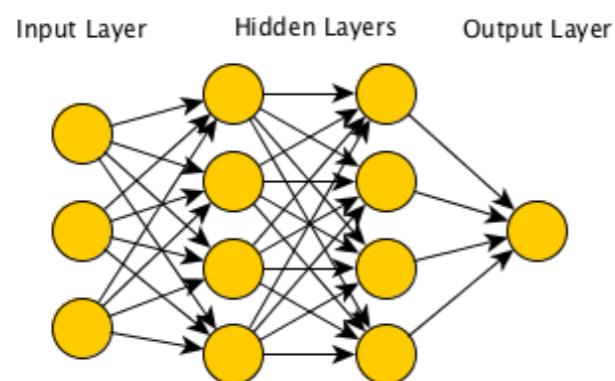
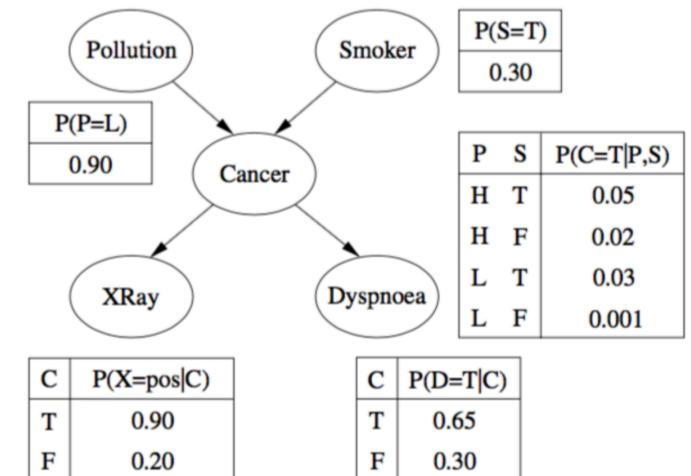


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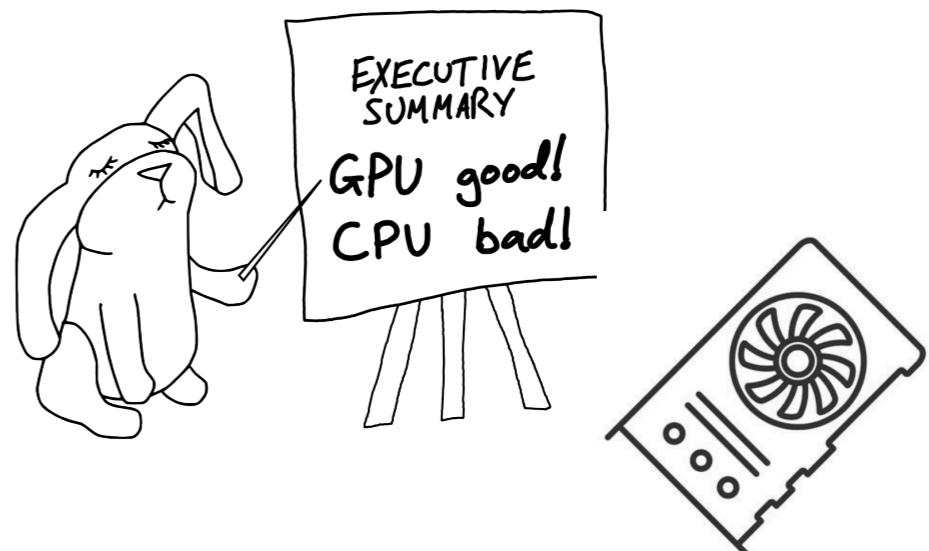
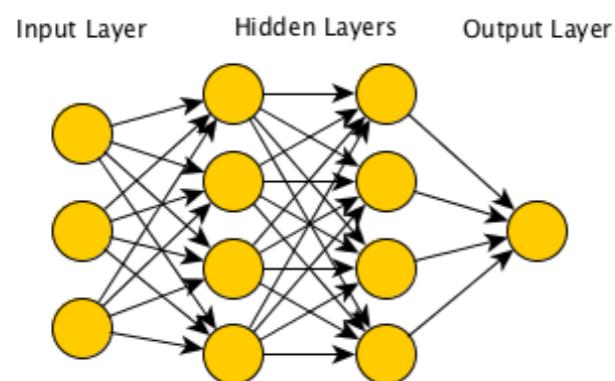
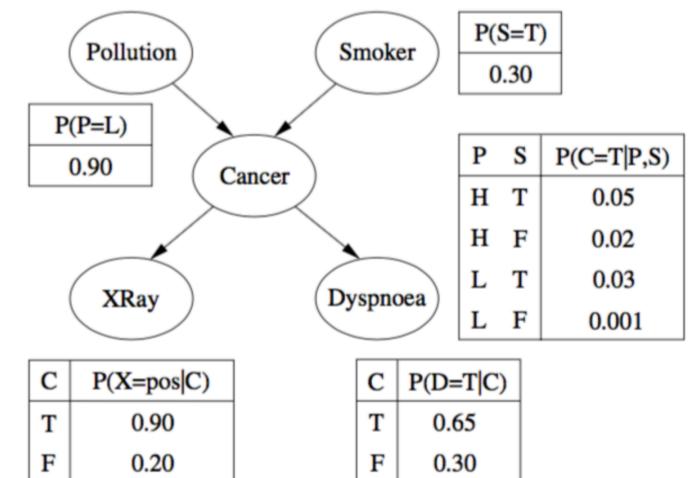
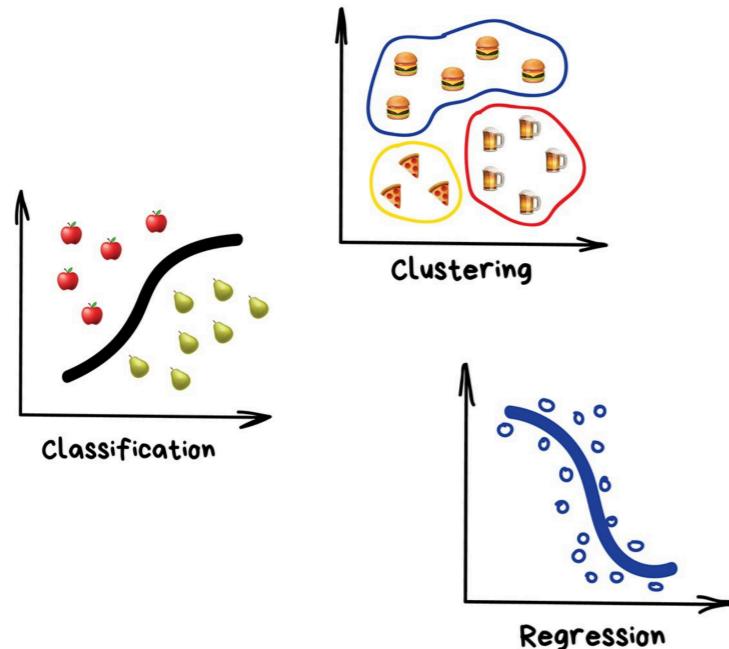


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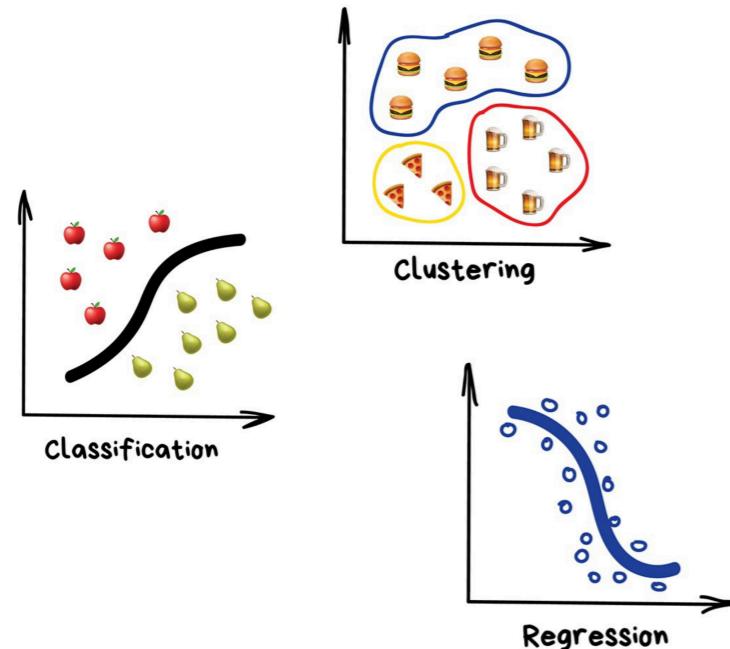
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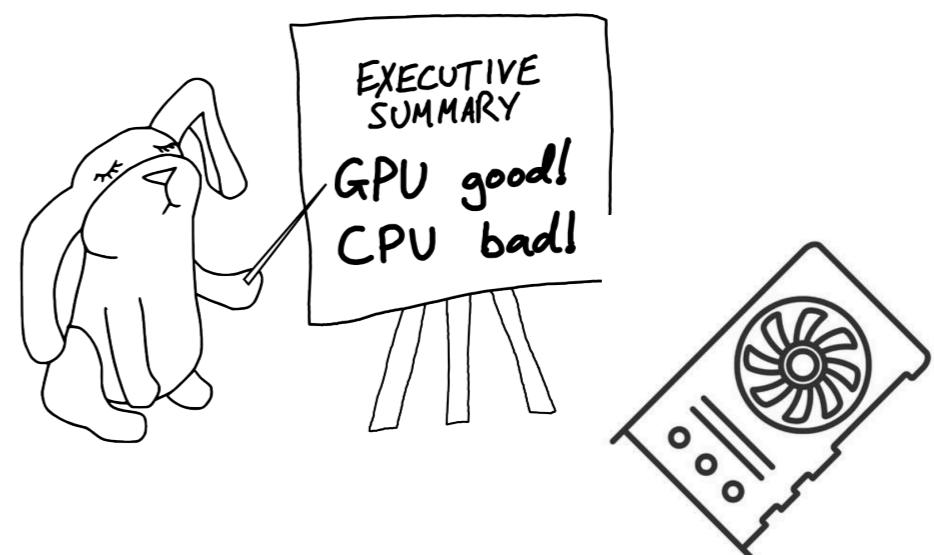
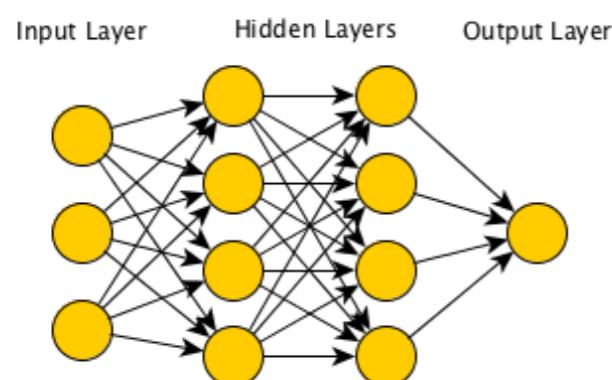
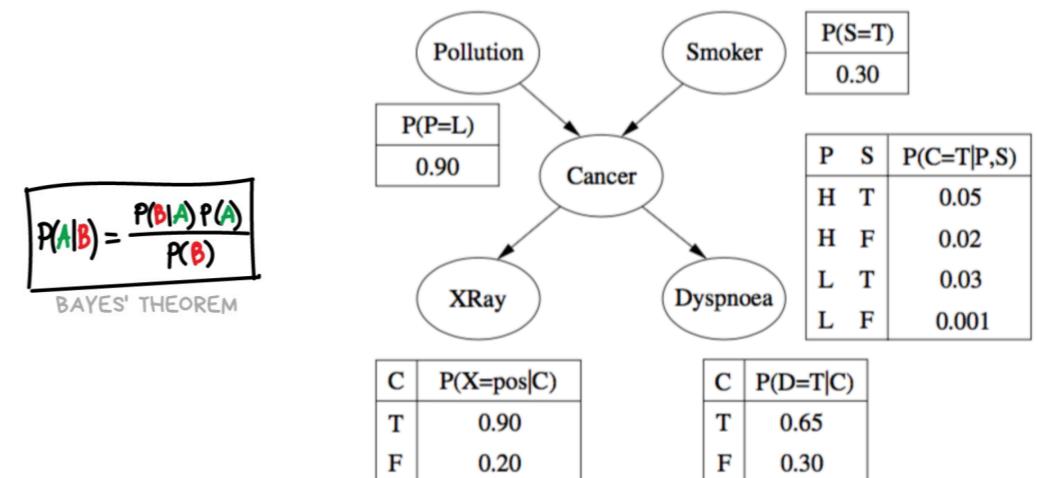
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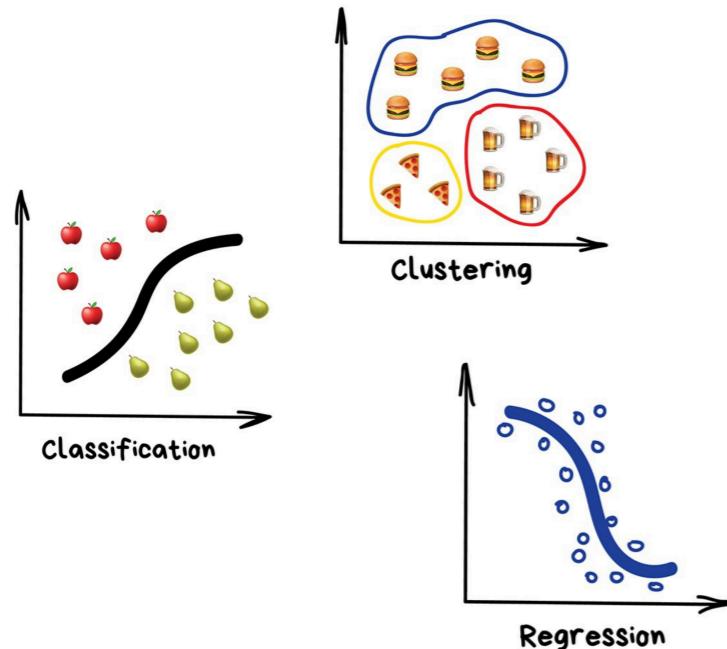
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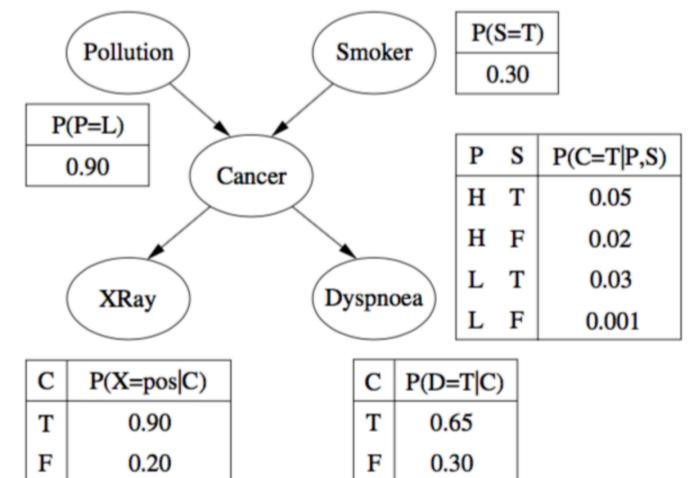
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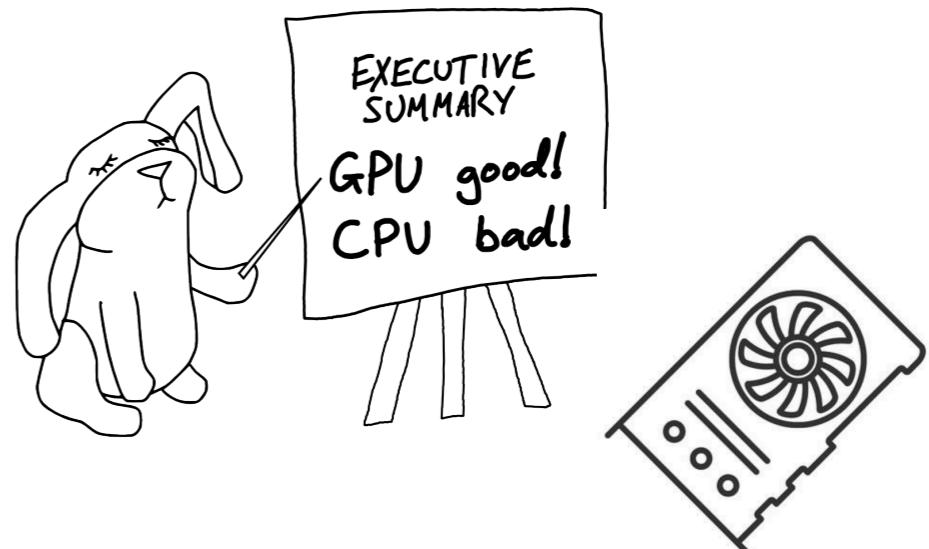
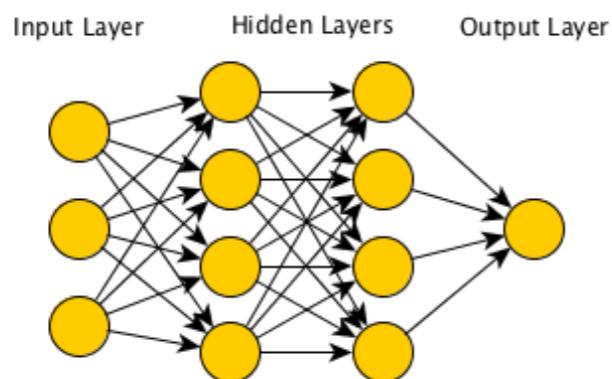
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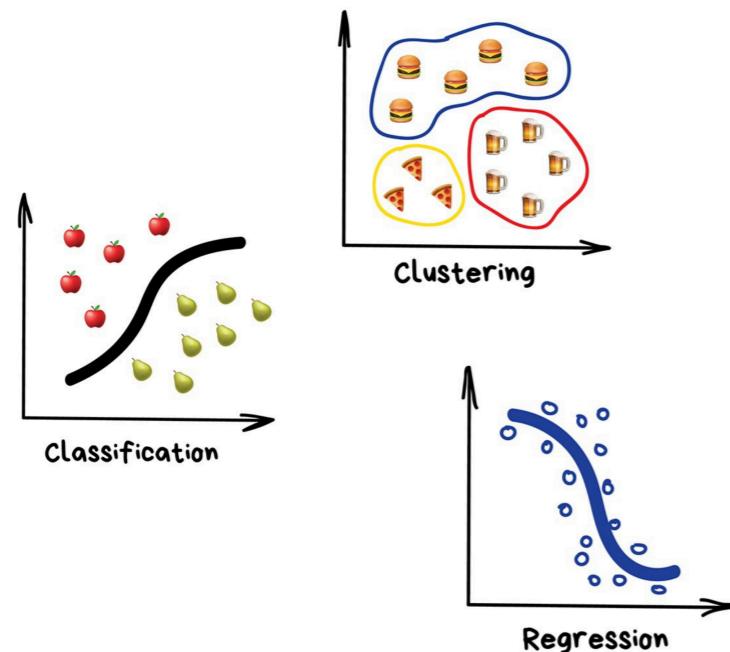
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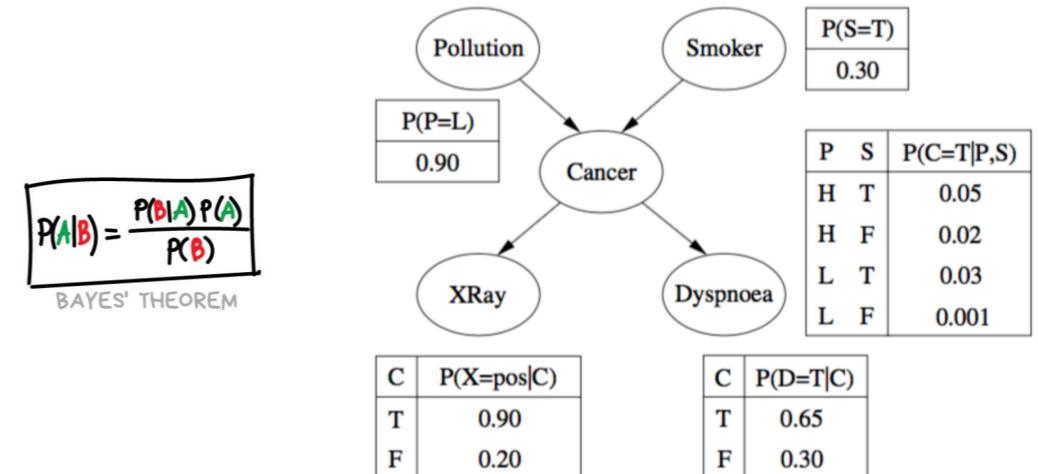
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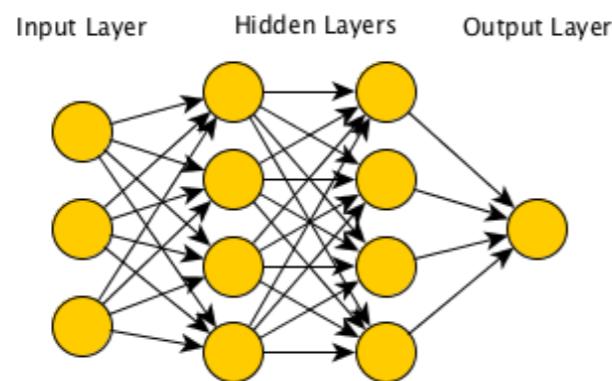
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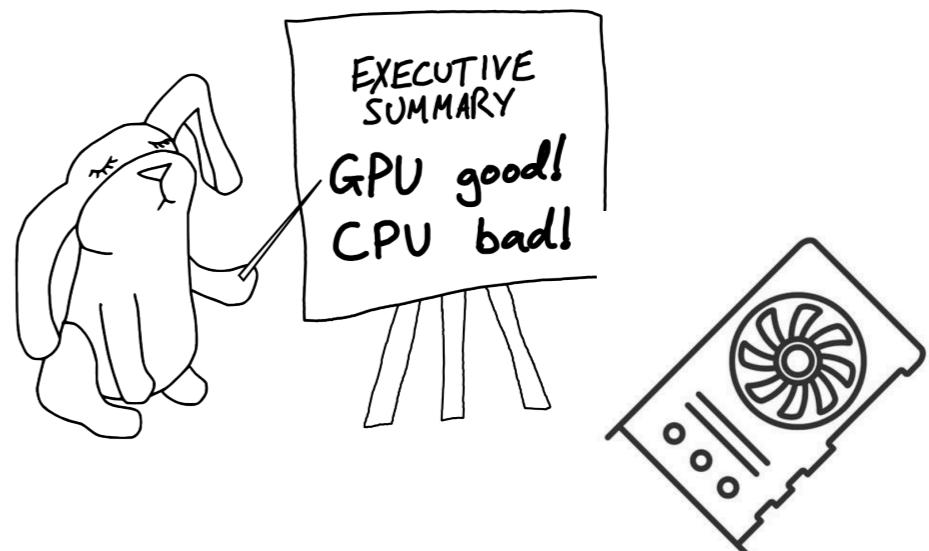
Probabilistic models



Neural networks



Parallelism



Probabilistic programming languages (PPLs)

- PPLs aim to apply the ideas of high-level programming languages to machine learning
- Probabilistic models are defined as programs

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```

K, d, N = 5, 10, 200

# model definition
with inf.ProbModel() as m:
    #define the weights
    with inf.replicate(size=K):
        w = inf.models.Normal(0, 1, dim=d)

    # define the generative model
    with inf.replicate(size=N):
        z = inf.models.Normal(0, 1, dim=K)
        x = inf.models.Normal(inf.matmul(z,w),
                             1.0, observed=True, dim=d)

```

data

+

prior model as
a program
(sample generator)

 $p(\theta | \text{data})?$ $\mathcal{N}(3.25, 1.2)$

query

blackbox
methods

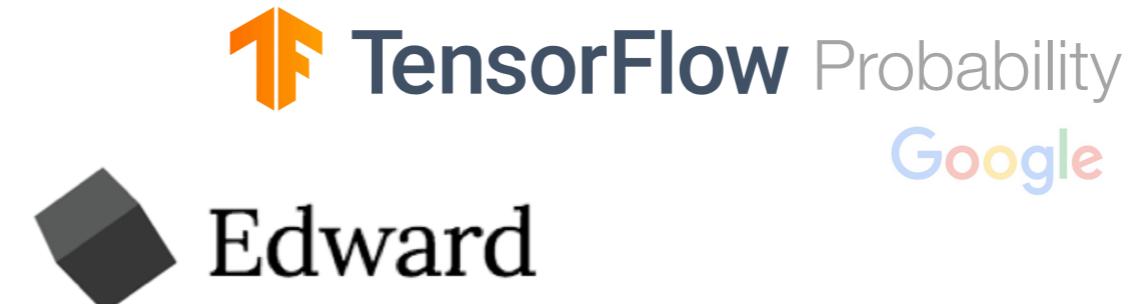
answer

(e.g., Variational Inference)

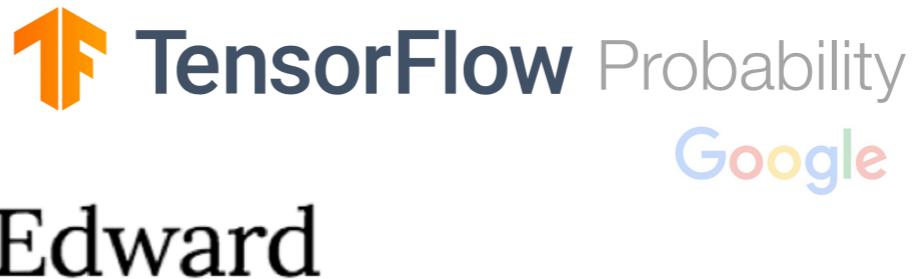
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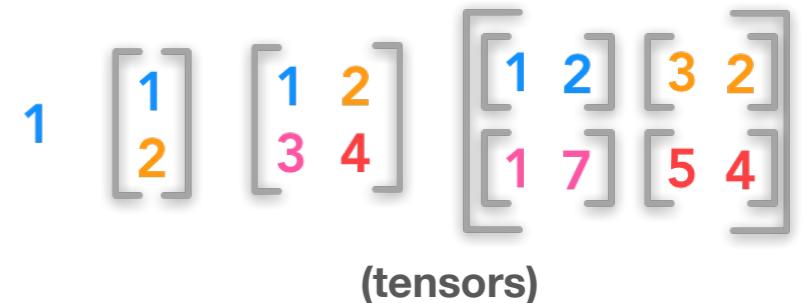


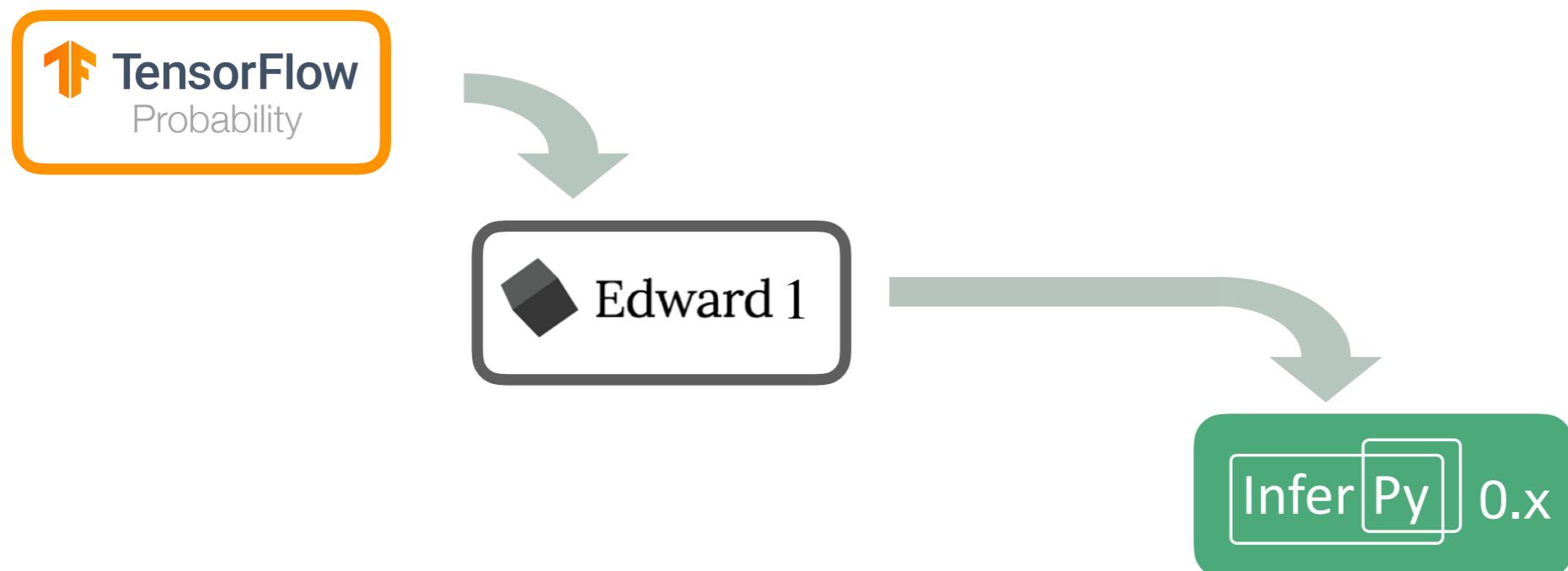
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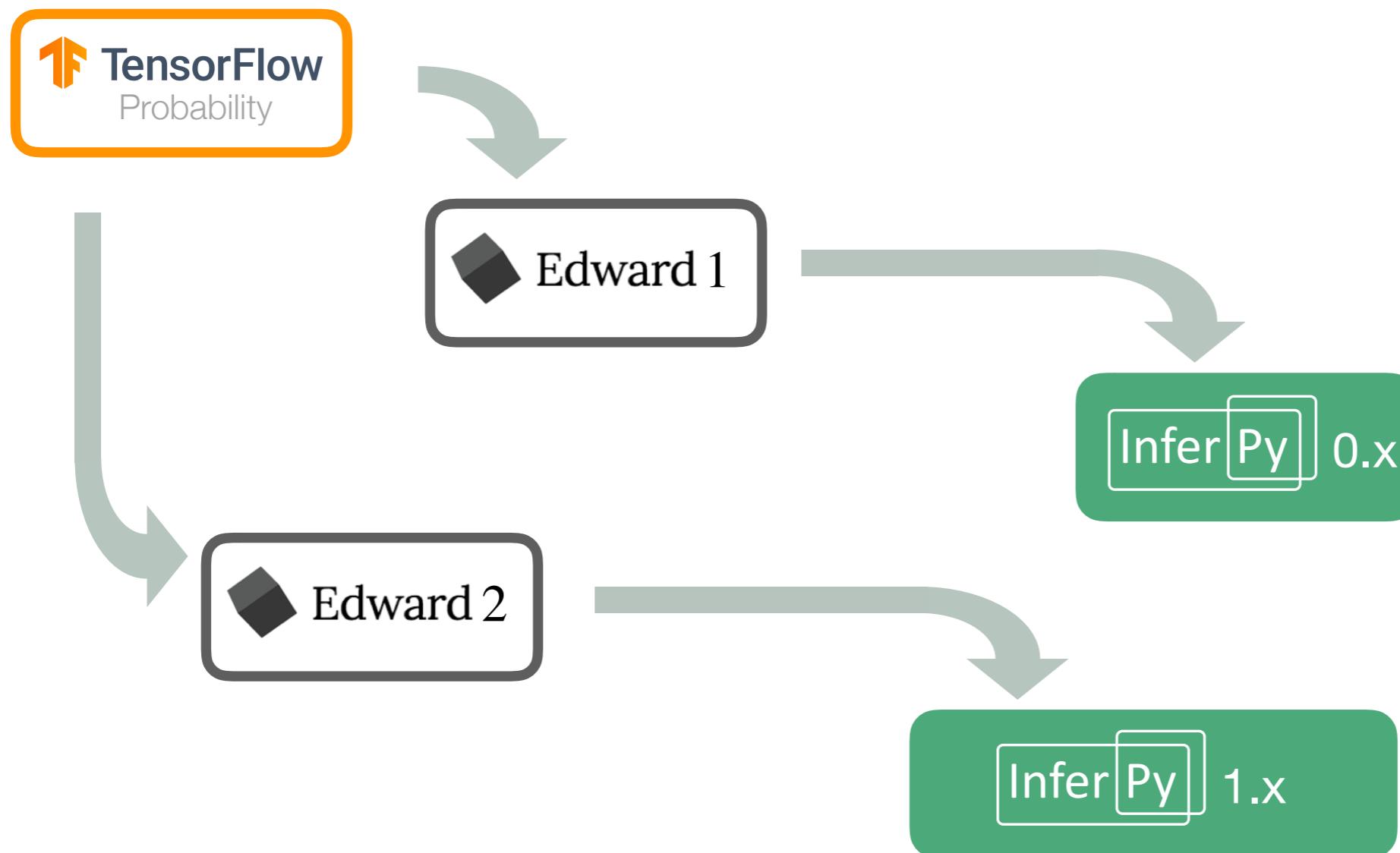


Advantages of InferPy:

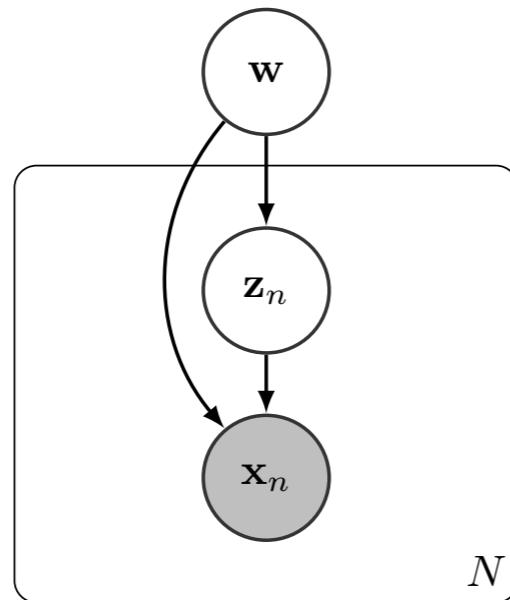
- The definition of distributions over tensors is simplified
- No need to have a strong background in inference algorithms







Hierarchical Probabilistic Models



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z : local hidden variables

x : observations

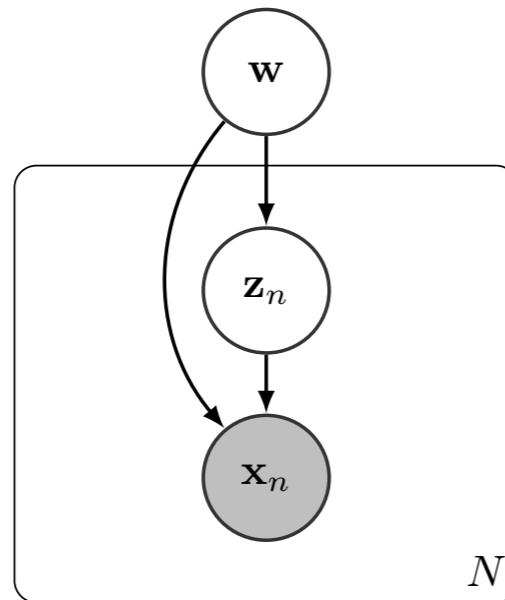
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$p(x, z|w)$: data model

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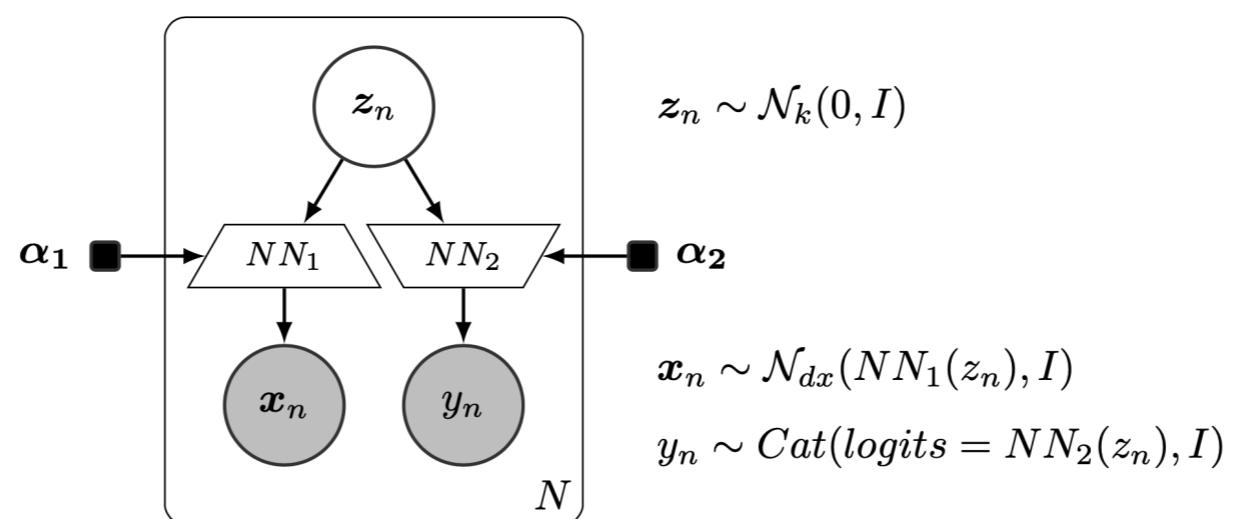
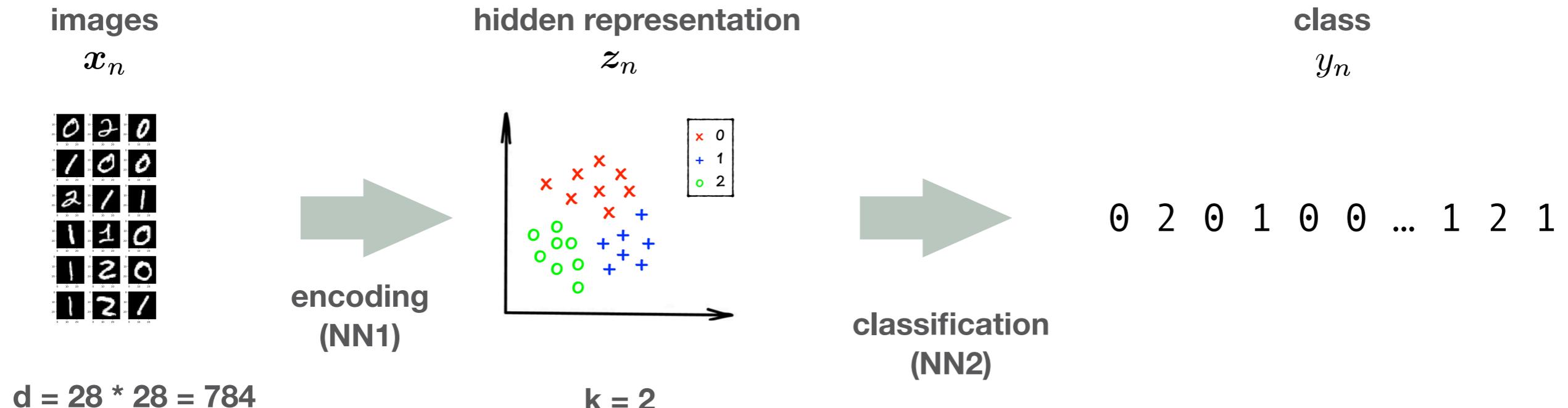
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- Dependencies between variables might be defined with TF functions or even NNs



Classification of hand-written digits



Model definition

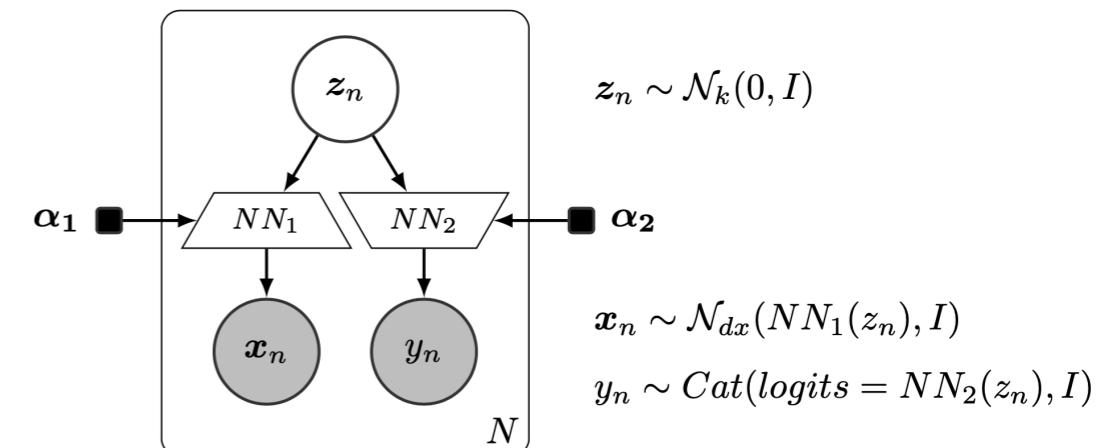


```
import inferpy as inf
import tensorflow as tf

@inf.probmodel
def digit_classifier(k, d0, dx, dy):
    with inf.datamodel():
        z = inf.Normal(tf.ones(k)*0.1, 1., name="z")

        nn1 = tf.keras.Sequential([
            tf.keras.layers.Dense(d0, tf.nn.relu),
            tf.keras.layers.Dense(dx),
        ])
        nn2 = tf.keras.Sequential([
            tf.keras.layers.Dense(dy)
        ])
        x = inf.Normal(nn1(z), 1., name="x")
        y = inf.Categorical(logits=nn2(z), name="y")

p = digit_classifier(k=2, d0=100, dx=28*28, dy=3)
```



```
In[*]: p.prior().sample()
Out[*]:
OrderedDict([('z', array([[ 0.8503272 , -0.40765837]]], dtype=float32)),
             ('x', array([-2.68360198e-01,  3.11490864e-01, -6.55998230e-01,
                         1.80848286e-01,  5.62604547e-01,  1.11705911e+00,
                         2.10047036e-01, -6.50202155e-01, -6.62622333e-01,
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                         2.39737108e-02]], dtype=float32)),
             ('y', array([1], dtype=int32))])
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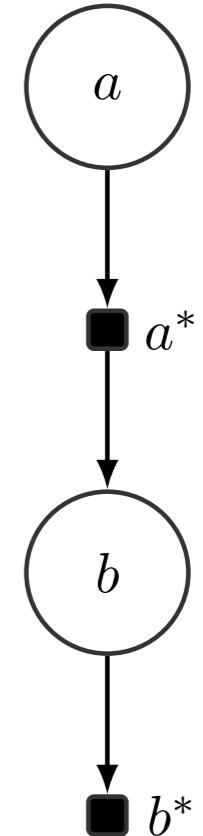
- Random variables in InferPy encapsulate another from Edward 2
- These can follow the following distributions

```
In[*]: inf.models.random_variable.distributions_all  
Out[*]: ['Autoregressive', 'Bernoulli', 'Beta', 'Binomial',  
'Categorical', 'Cauchy', 'Chi2', 'ConditionalTransformedDistribution',  
'Deterministic', 'Dirichlet', 'DirichletMultinomial',  
'ExpRelaxedOneHotCategorical', 'Exponential', 'Gamma', 'Geometric',  
'HalfNormal', 'Independent', 'InverseGamma', 'Kumaraswamy', 'Laplace',  
'Logistic', 'Mixture', 'MixtureSameFamily', 'Multinomial',  
'MultivariateNormalDiag', 'MultivariateNormalFullCovariance',  
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'VectorLaplaceDiag', 'VectorSinhArcsinhDiag', 'Wishart']
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```
a = inf.Normal(0, 100)
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b = inf.Normal(a, 5)
```

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In [*]:  
....: sess = inf.get_session()  
....: for i in range(5):  
....:     print(sess.run([a,b]))  
  
[-7.2810316, -6.471646]  
[29.092255, 37.471718]  
[74.87469, 62.43242]  
[44.46464, 39.6697]  
[169.10535, 173.74834]
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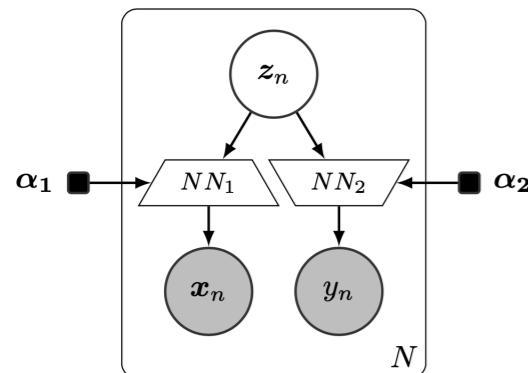


a continuous variable might be parent of a discrete one

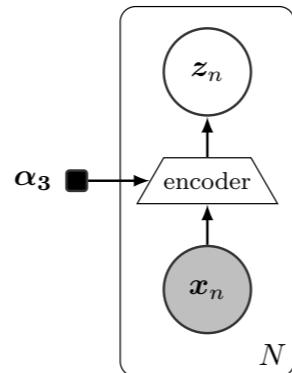
```
x = inf.Normal(0, 1)  
c = inf.Categorical(probs=tf.case({ x > 0: lambda : [0.0, 1.0],  
                                     x <= 0: lambda : [1.0, 0.0]}))
```

Stochastic Variational Inference (SVI)

P model



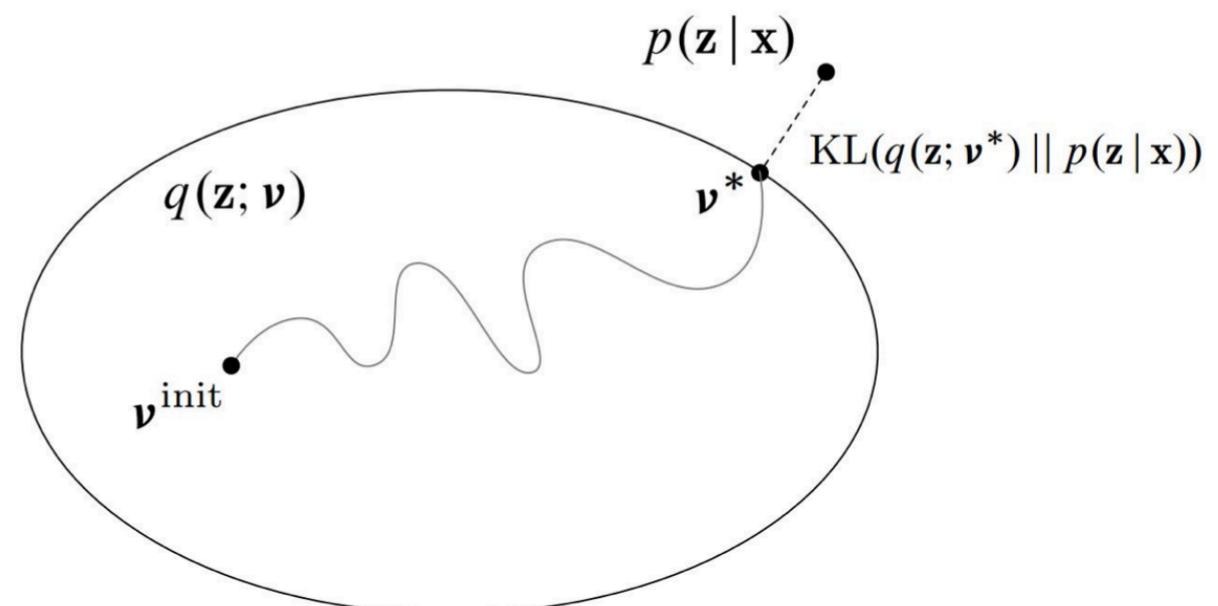
Q model



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- Inference turns into an optimisation problem

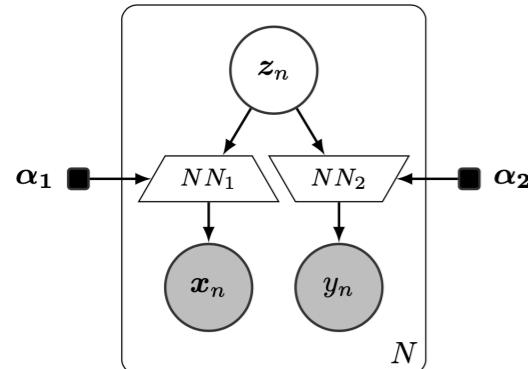


Inference (of the parameters)

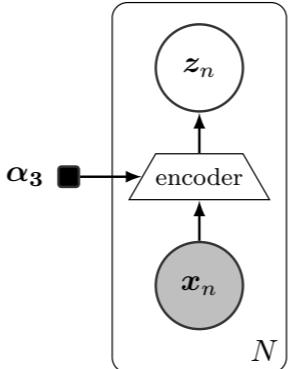


Variational Inference (VI)

P model

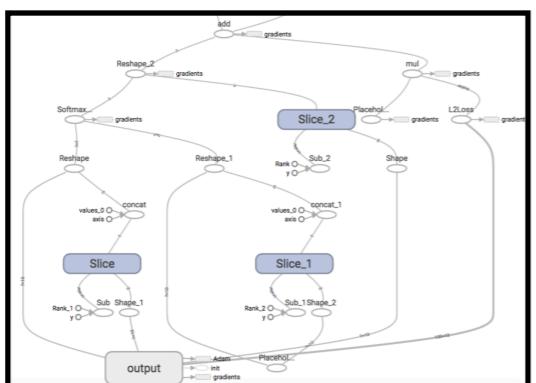
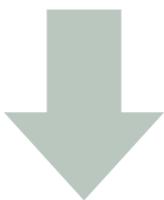


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Computational graph of the *ELBO*

(to maximise)

$$\text{loss}(P, Q, \text{data}) = -\text{ELBO}(P, Q, \text{data})$$

(to minimise)

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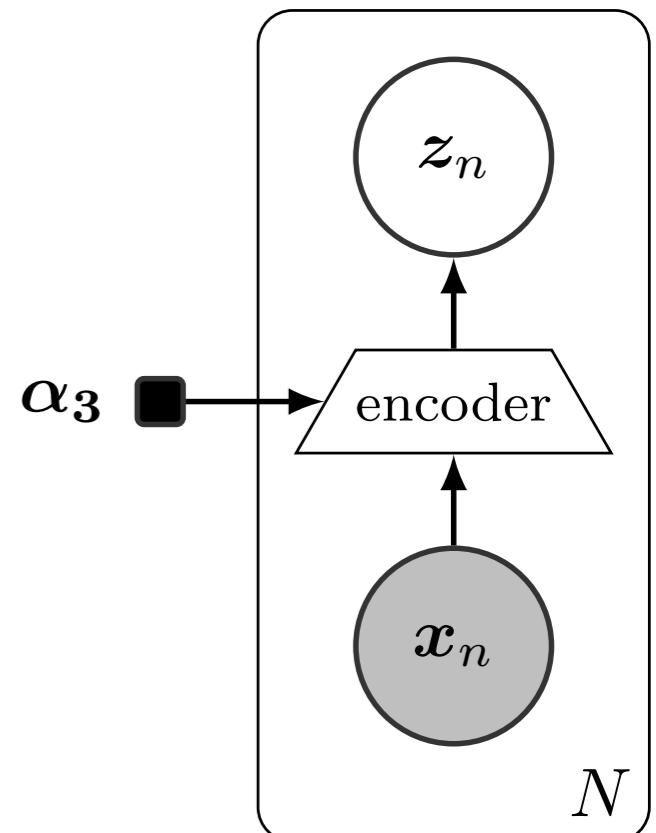


- For making inference, the Q model approximating the P model is defined

```
@inf.probmodel
def qmodel(k, d0, dx):
    with inf.datamodel():
        x = inf.Normal(tf.ones(dx), 1, name="x")

        encoder = tf.keras.Sequential([
            tf.keras.layers.Dense(d0, activation=tf.nn.relu),
            tf.keras.layers.Dense(2 * k)
        ])
        output = encoder(x)
        qz_loc = output[:, :k]
        qz_scale = tf.nn.softplus(output[:, k:])+0.01
        qz = inf.Normal(qz_loc, qz_scale, name="z")

    q = qmodel(k=2, d0=100, dx=28*28)
```



```
# set the inference algorithm
SVI = inf.inference.SVI(q, epochs=10000, batch_size=M)

# fit the model to the data
p.fit({"x": x_train, "y": y_train}, SVI)
```

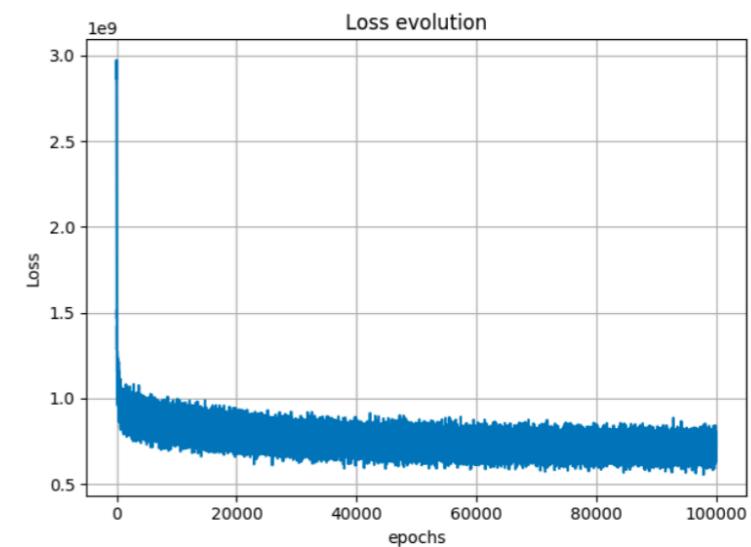
After the inference



- We can extract and plot the loss function evolution

```
# extract the loss evolution
L = SVI.losses
```

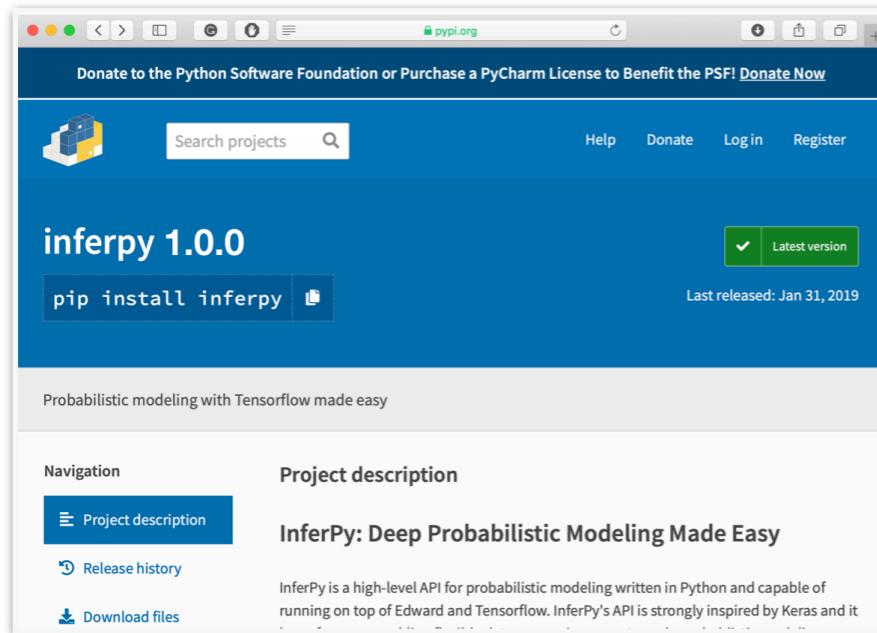
- A function for making predictions



```
# predict a set of images
def predict(x):
    postz = p.posterior("z", data={"x": x}).sample()
    return p.posterior_predictive("y", data={"z": postz}).sample()

y_gen = predict(x_test[:M])

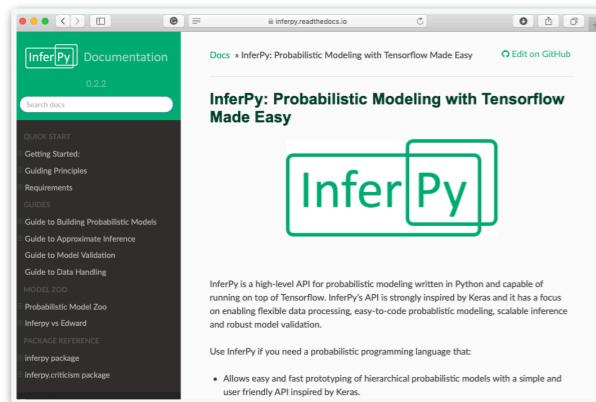
# compute the accuracy
acc = np.sum(y_test[:M] == y_gen)/M
print(f"accuracy: {acc}")
```



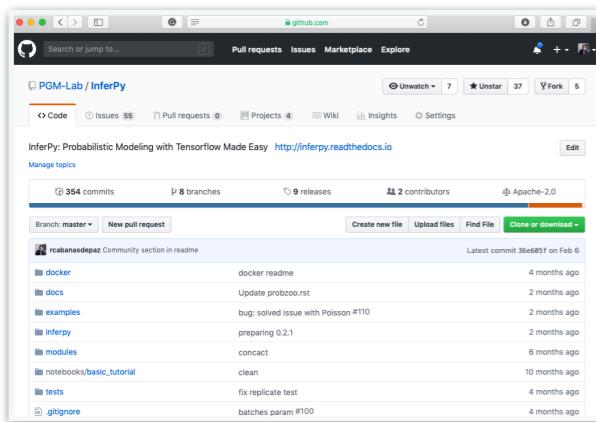
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$ pip install inferpy
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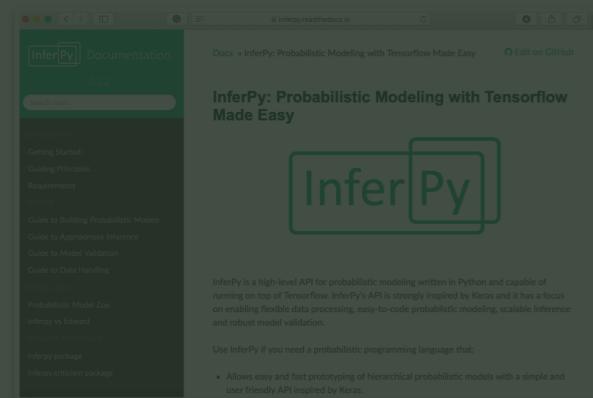


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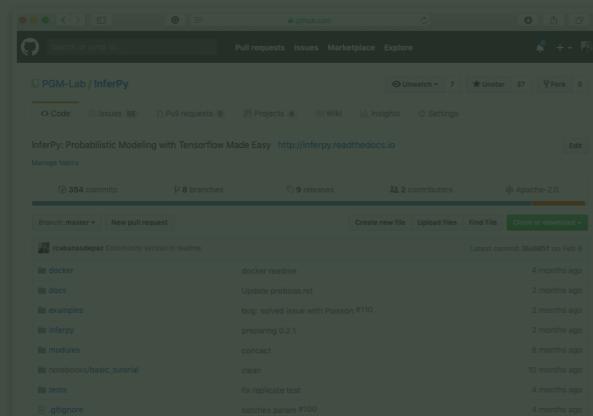


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