

Current State of Unsupervised Deep Learning

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Unsupervised vs self-supervised vs supervised learning

Why we don't like supervised learning

Cost of supervised learning

Theoretical approaches to unsupervised learning

Current State-of-the-art

Closing thoughts

Unsupervised vs Supervised vs Self-supervised learning

Label this datapoint



Cutest thing ever

Dog

Dancing dog

Pet in living room

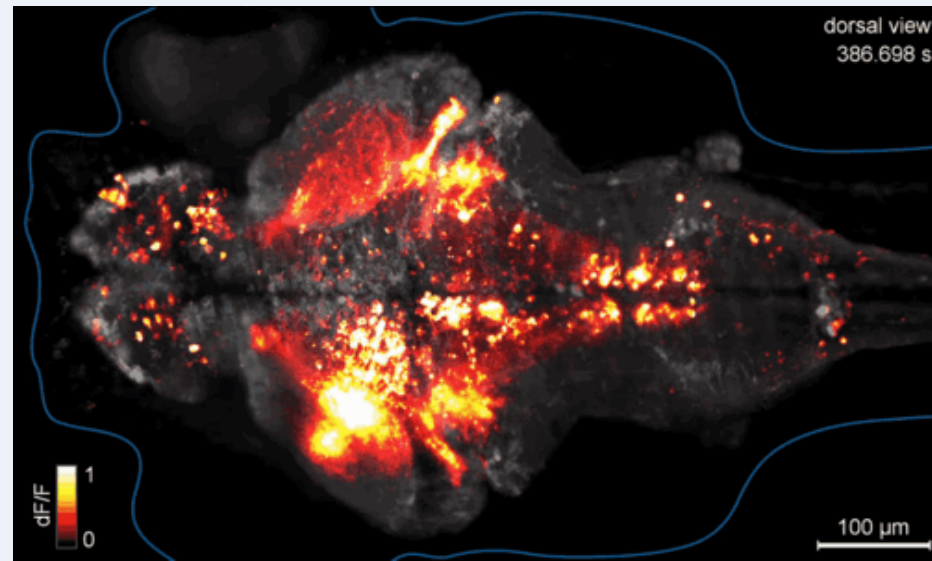
Pet on floor

Dog evolving

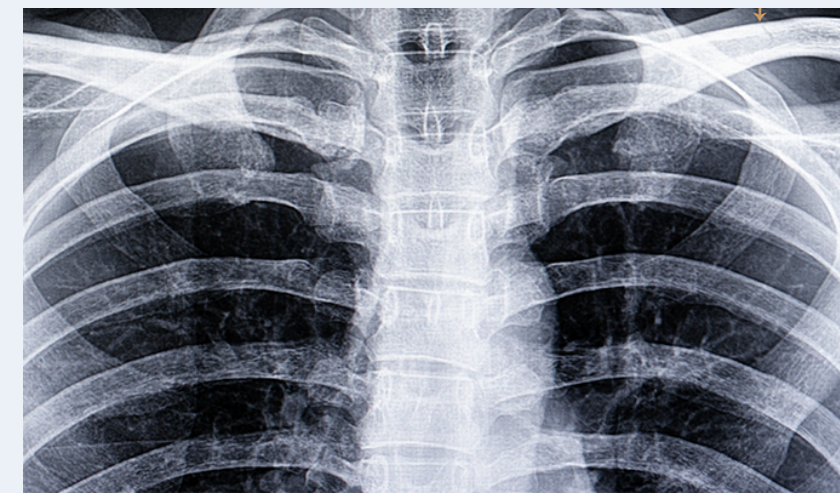
Humans are biased

Transfer Learning

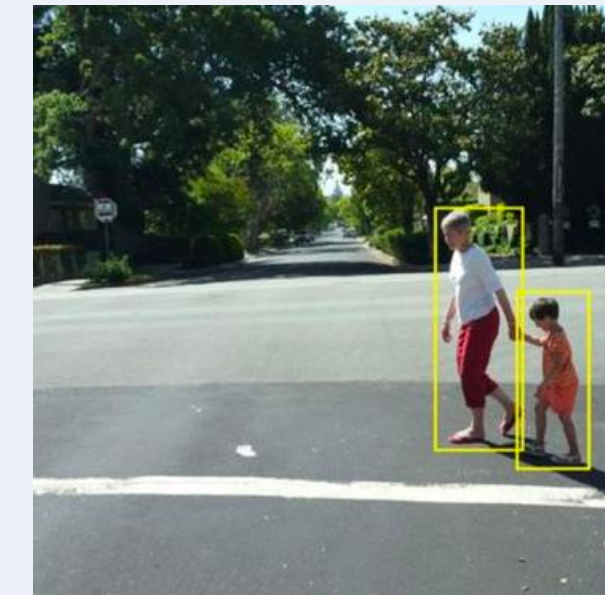
Transfer Learning



Neuroscience

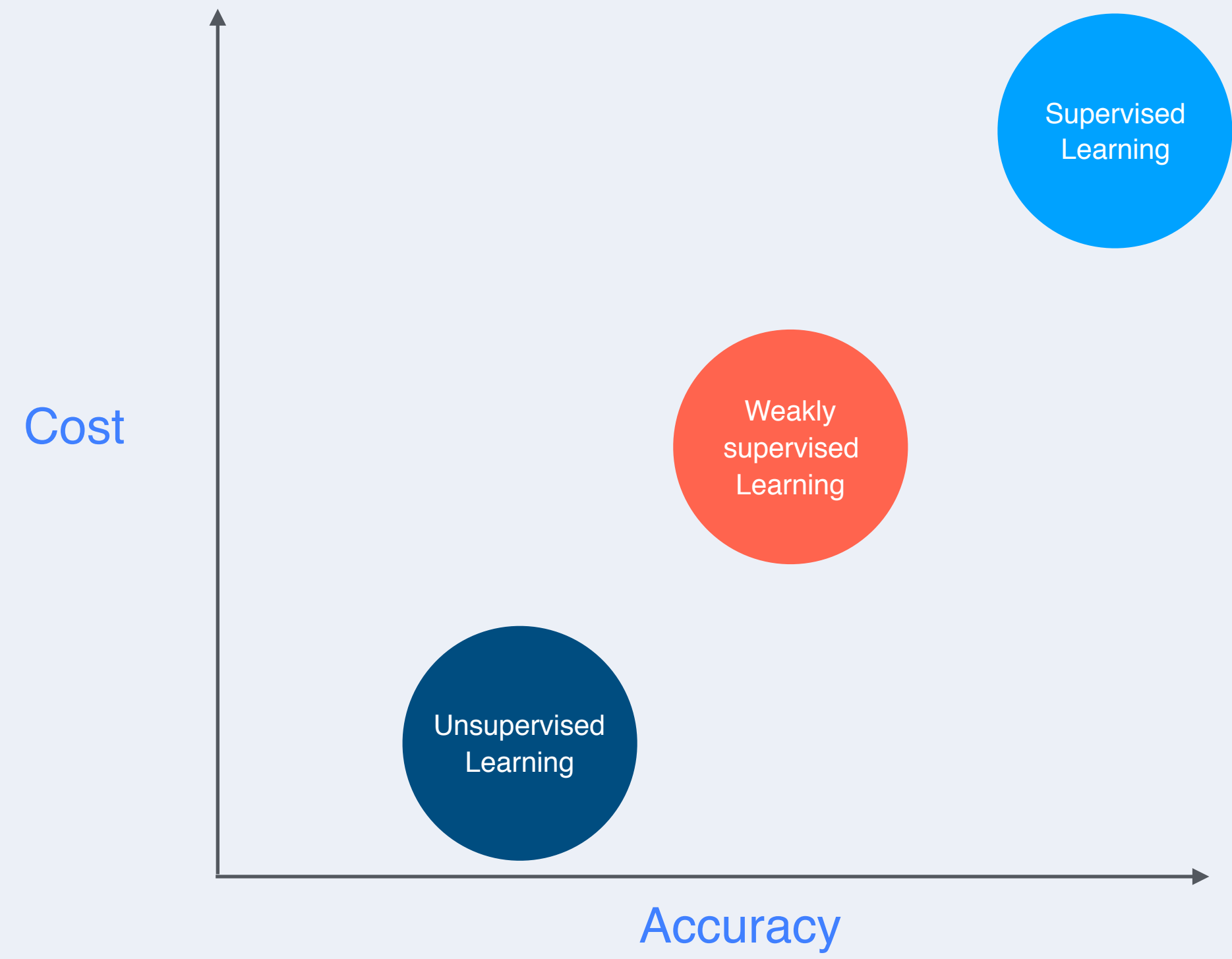


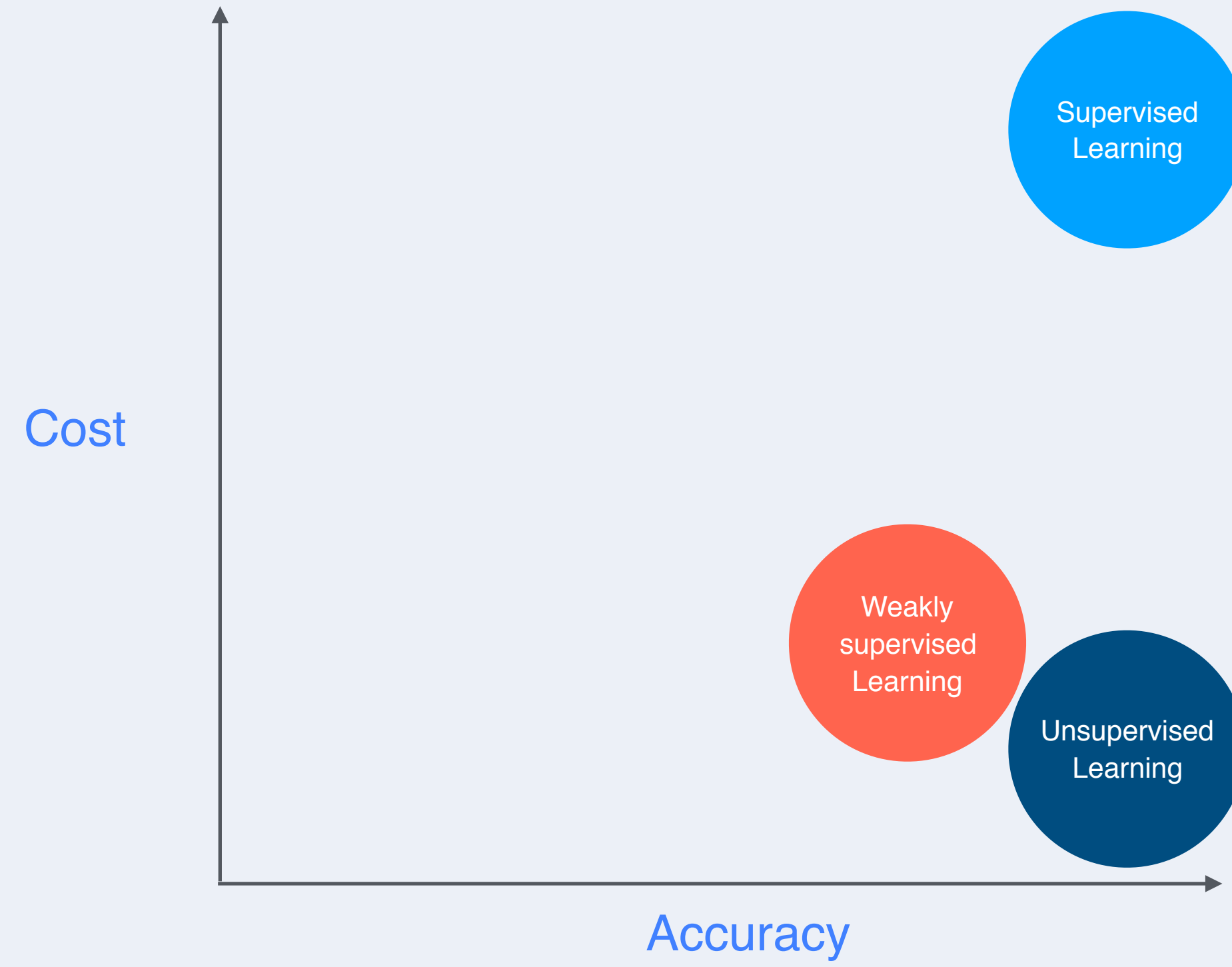
Medical Imaging



Self-driving cars

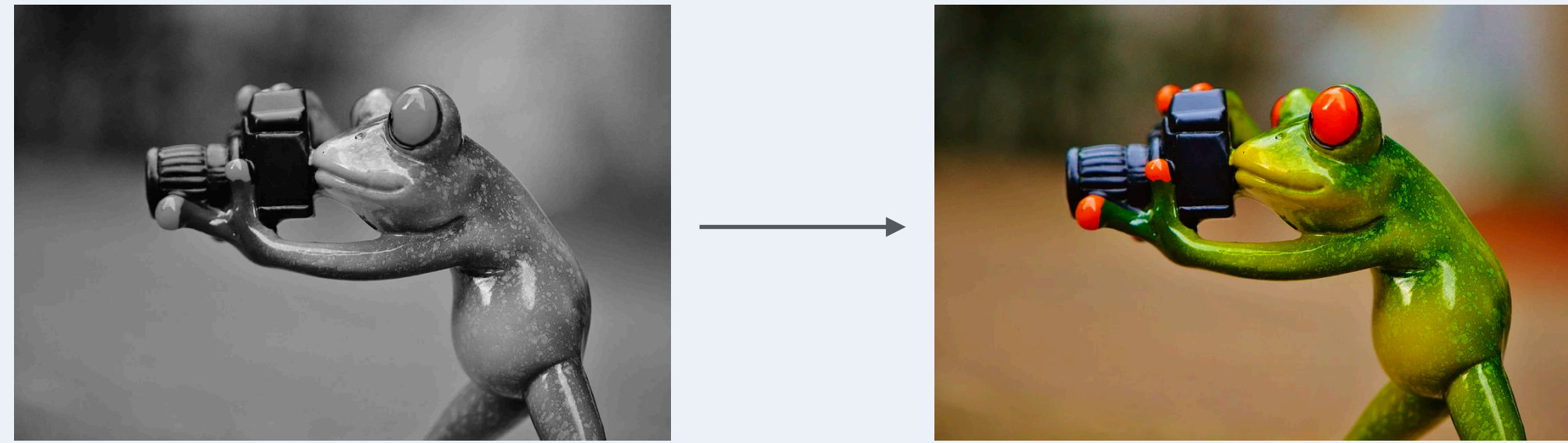
Cost



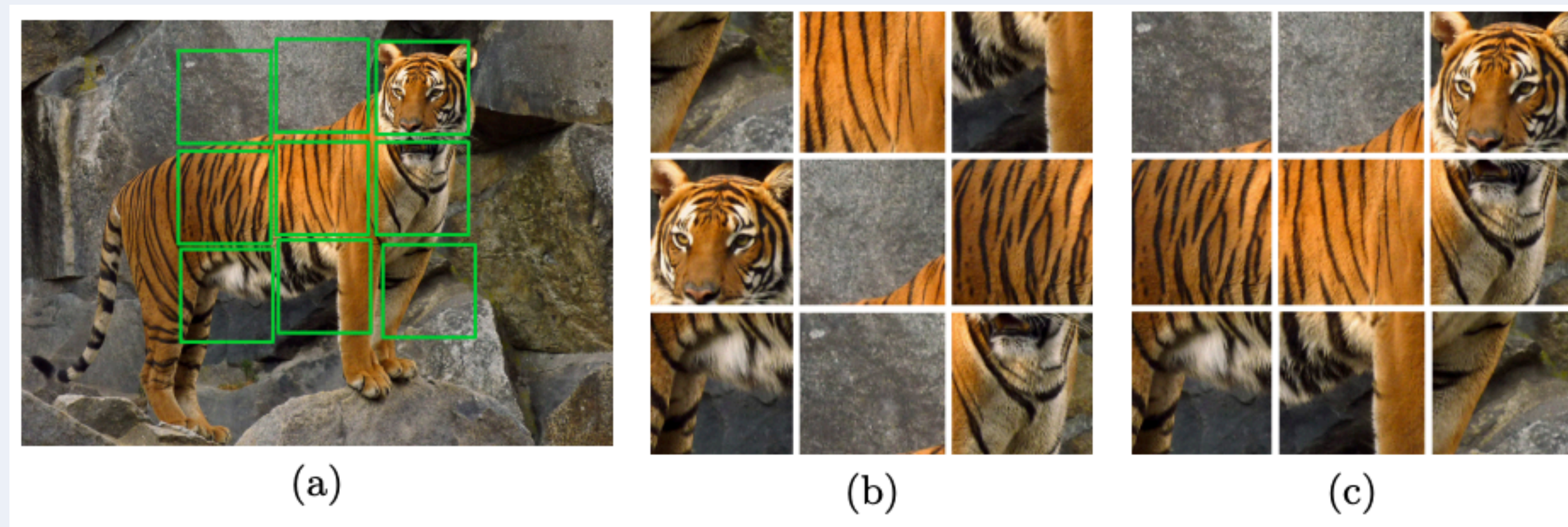


Unsupervised Learning vs self-supervised learning

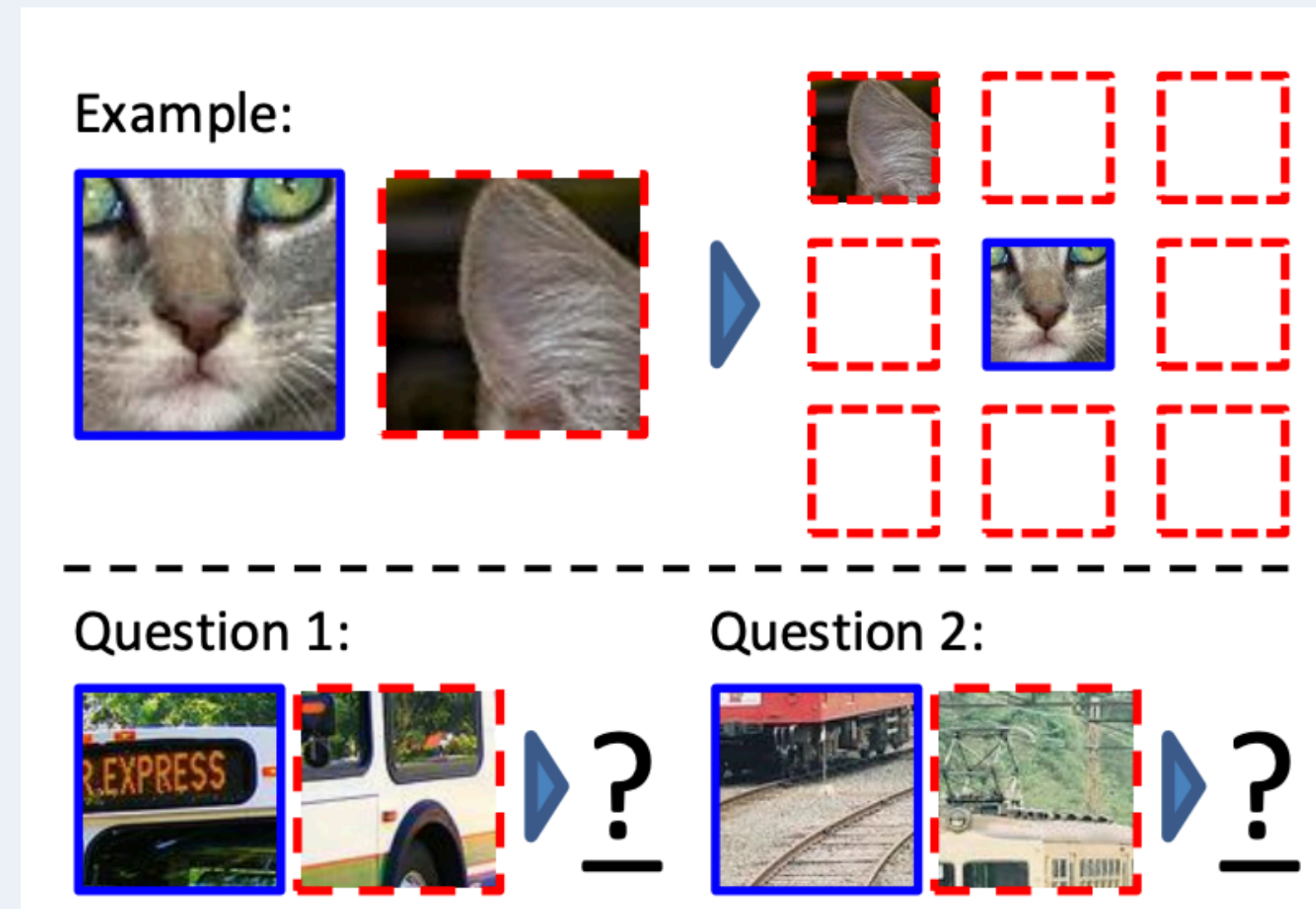
Colorful Image Colorization (Zhang et al 2016)



Unsupervised Learning of Visual Representations by solving Jigsaw Puzzles (Mehdi et al, 2016)



Unsupervised Visual Representation Learning by Context Prediction (Doersch et al, 2016)



Unsupervised Representation Learning By Predicting Image Rotations (Giradis et al, 2018)



BERT: Pre-training of deep bidirectional transformers for language understanding
(Devlin et al, 2018)

Masked word prediction

This is a [MASK] long sentence with missing [MASK]

Next sentence prediction

i love AI because → it's crazy that it works

Why is this bad?

Humans don't likely learn like this



birth



4 months



5 months



12 months

■ **"Pure" Reinforcement Learning (cherry)**

▶ The machine predicts a scalar reward given once in a while.

▶ **A few bits for some samples**

■ **Supervised Learning (icing)**

▶ The machine predicts a category or a few numbers for each input

▶ Predicting human-supplied data

▶ **10→10,000 bits per sample**

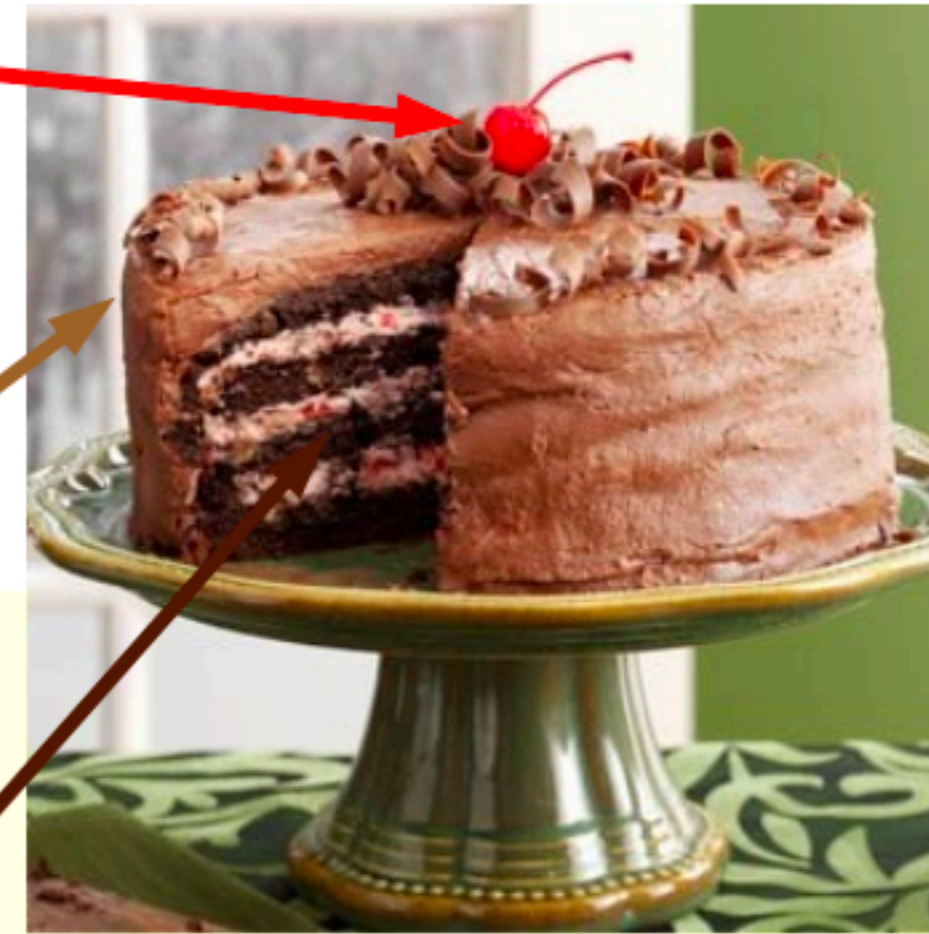
■ **Unsupervised/Predictive Learning (cake)**

▶ The machine predicts any part of its input for any observed part.

▶ Predicts future frames in videos

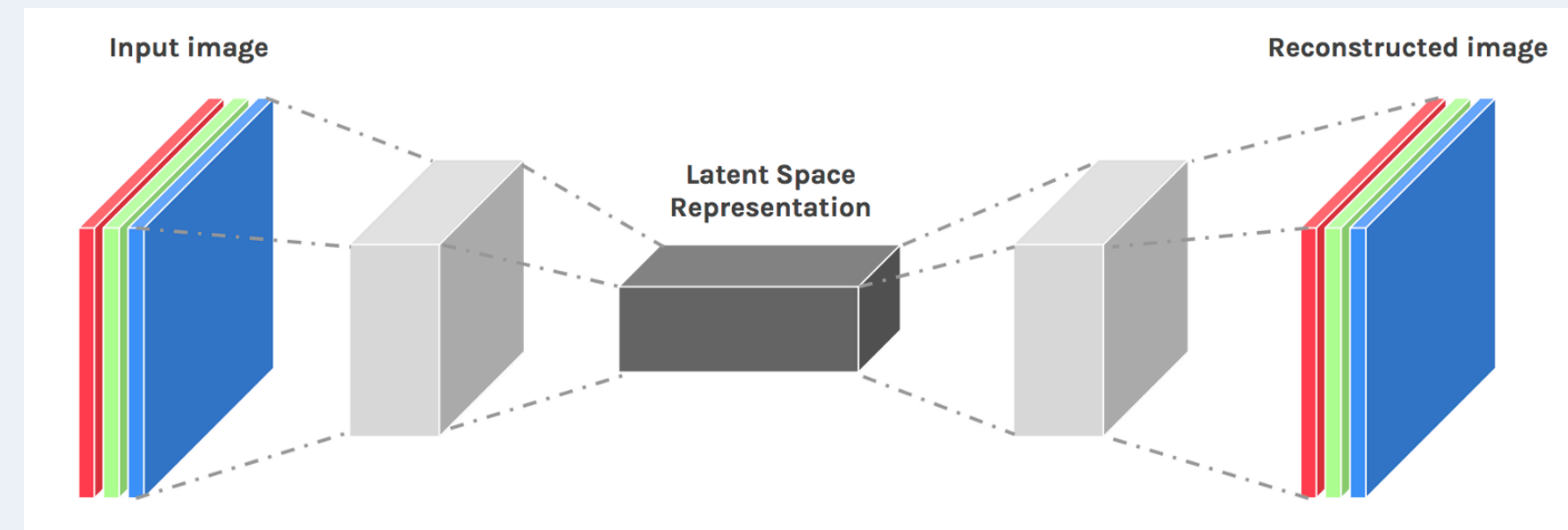
▶ **Millions of bits per sample**

■ (Yes, I know, this picture is slightly offensive to RL folks. But I'll make it up)

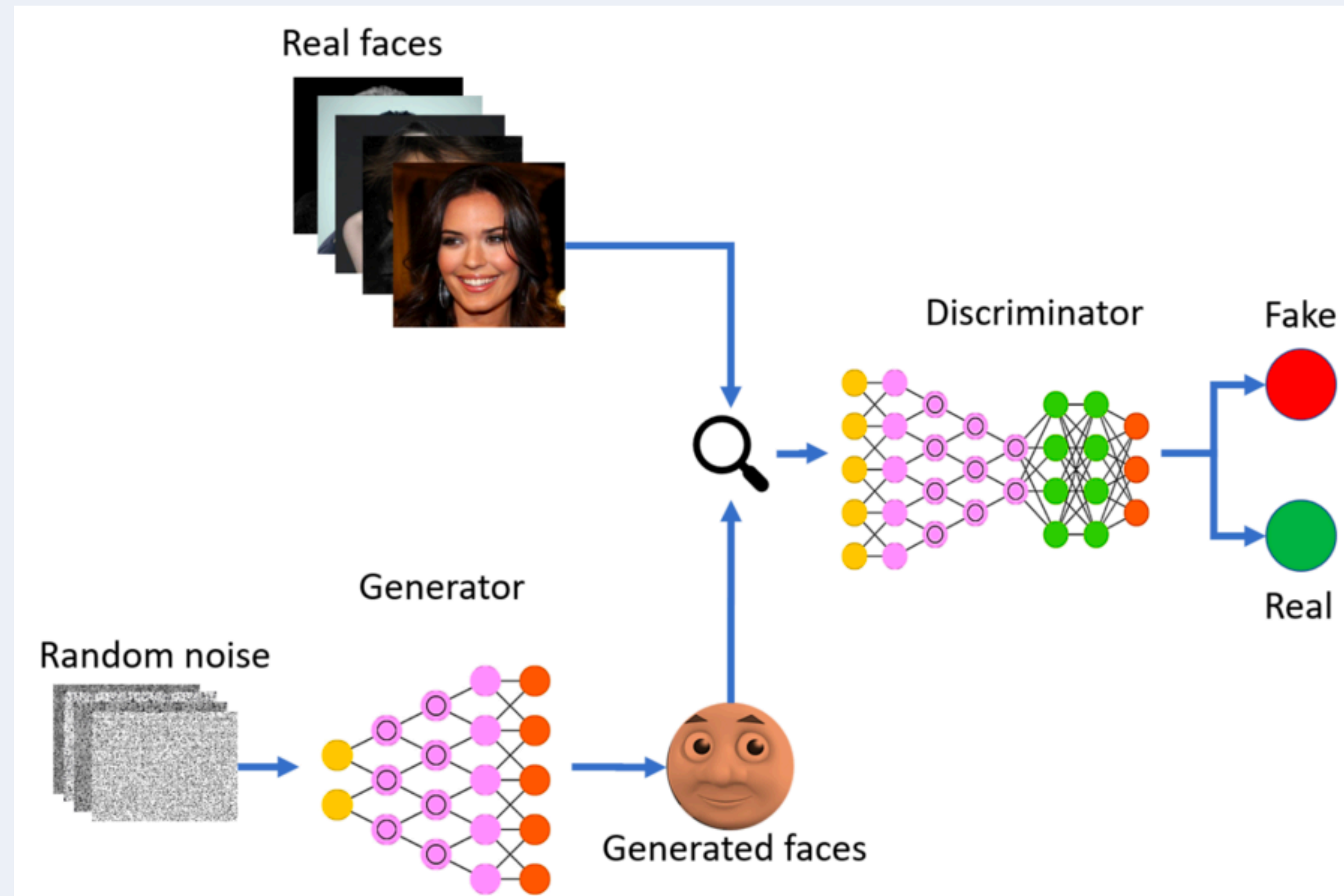


(Credit: Yann LeCun)

Autoencoder



Generative Adversarial Networks (Goodfellow et al. 2015)



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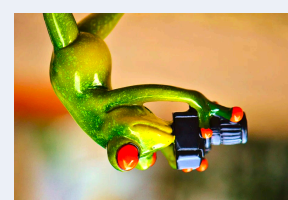
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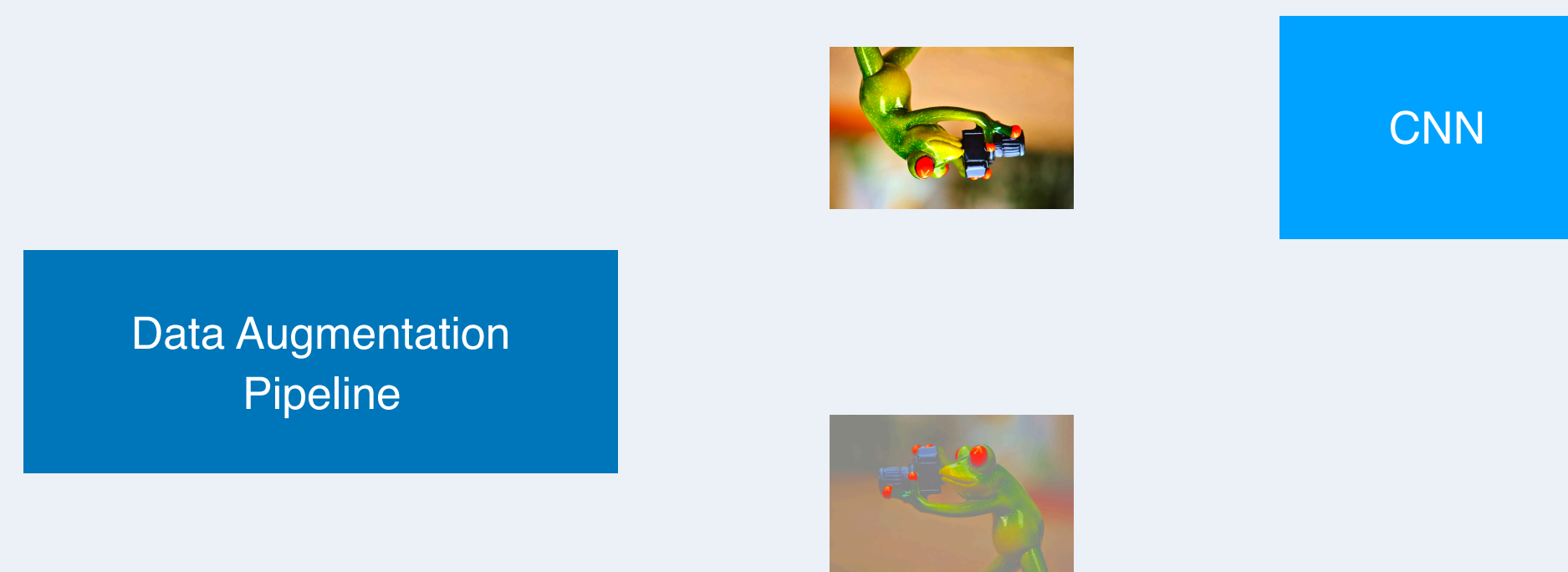
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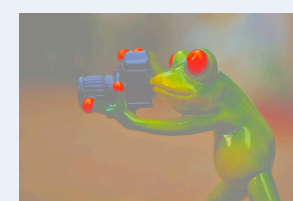


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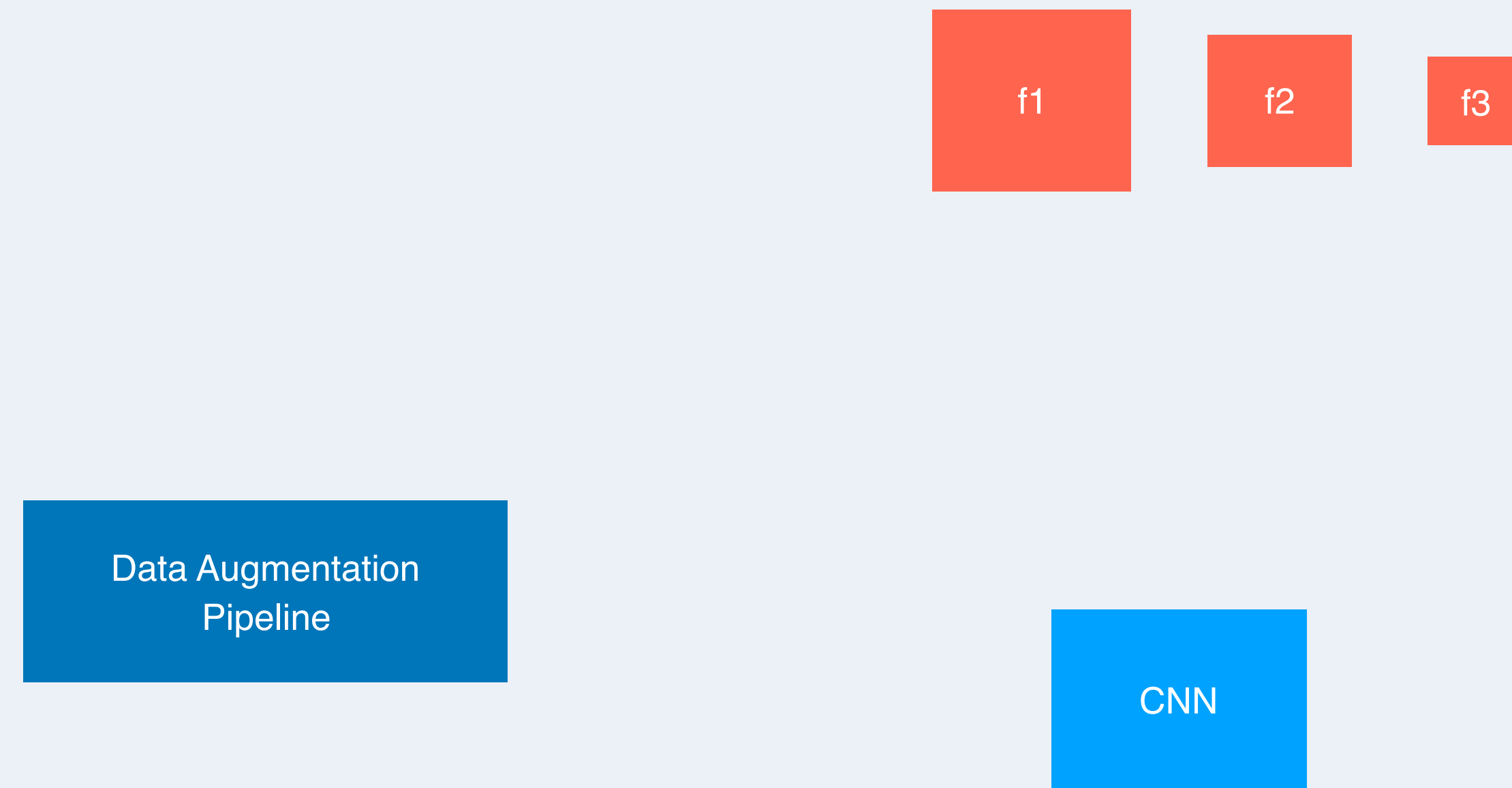


CNN

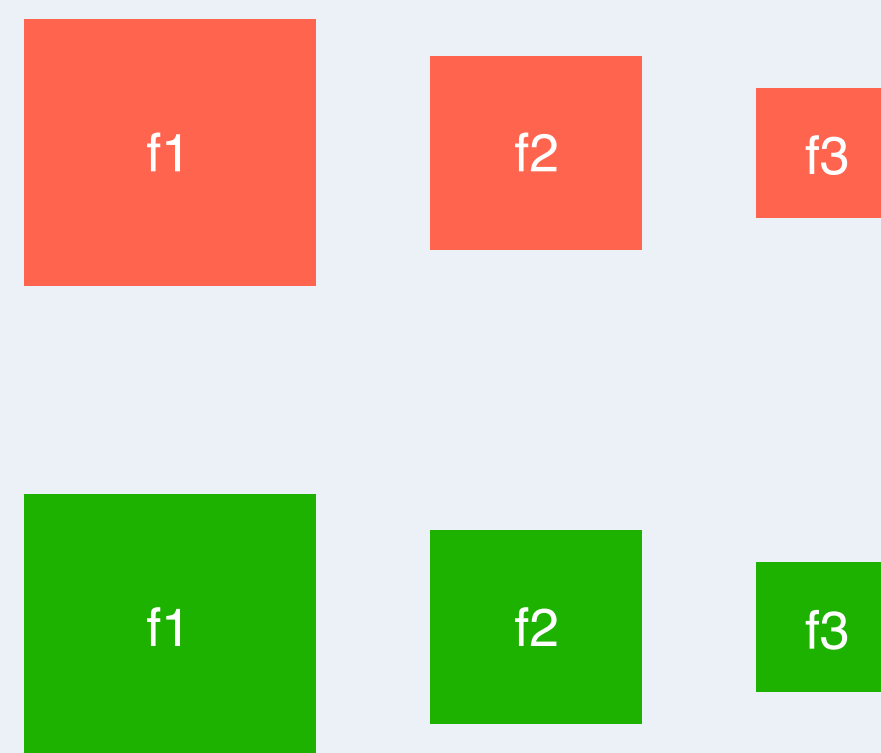
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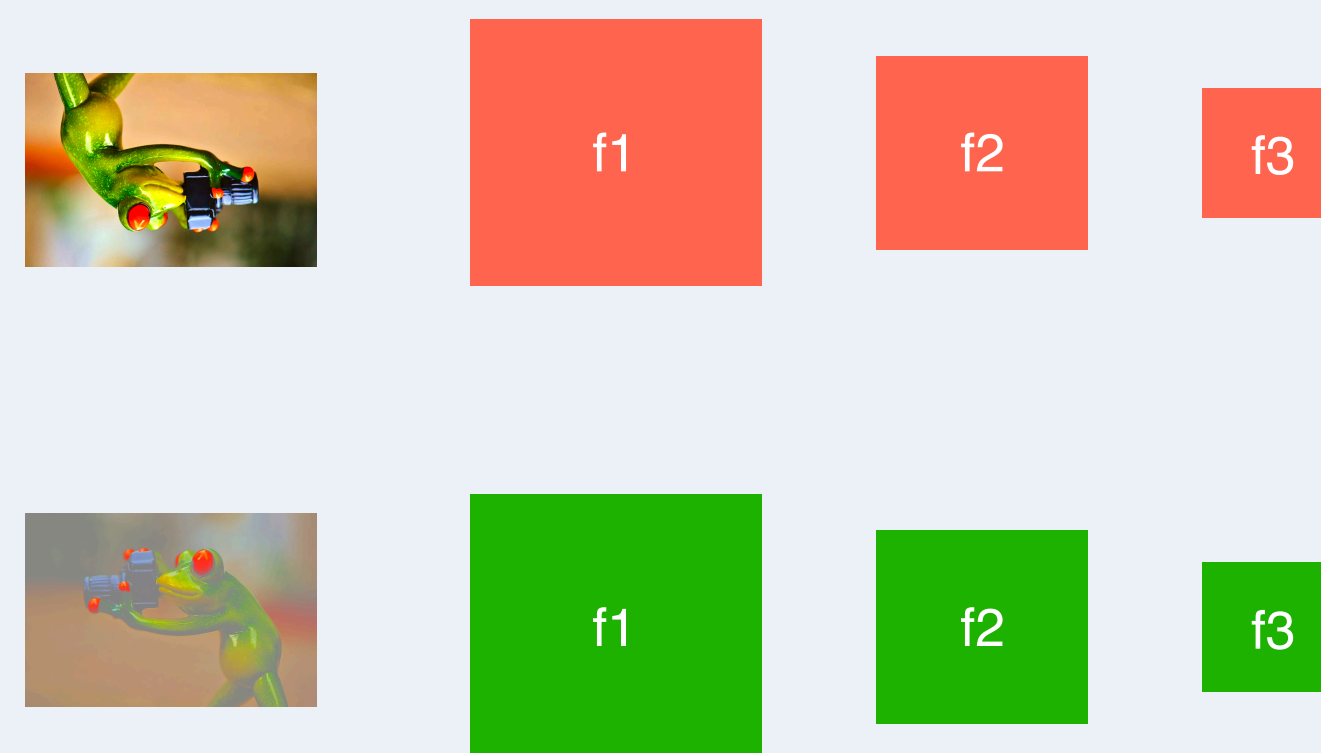
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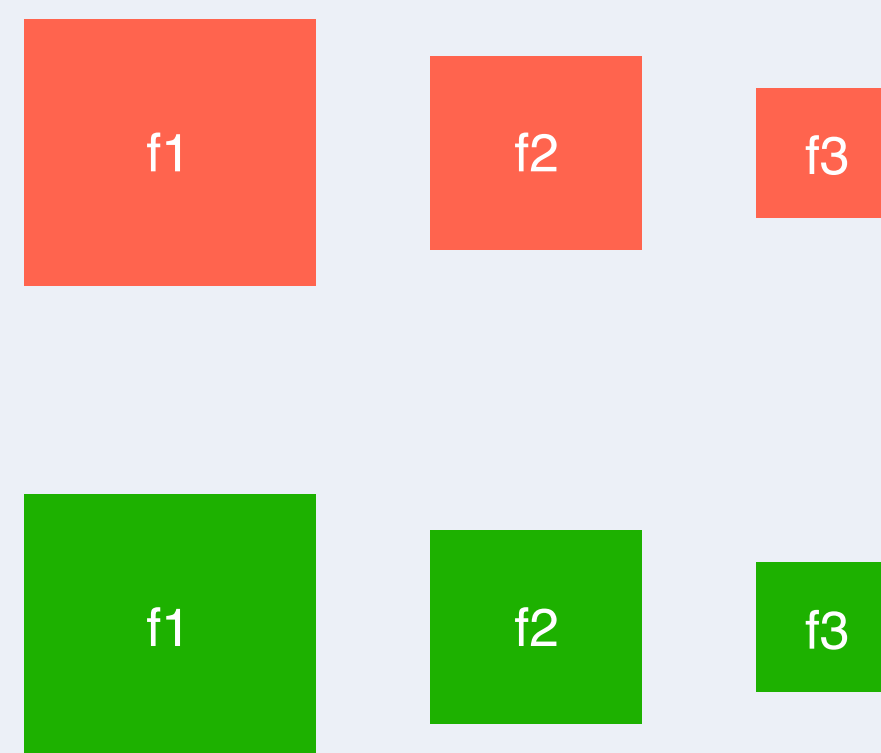
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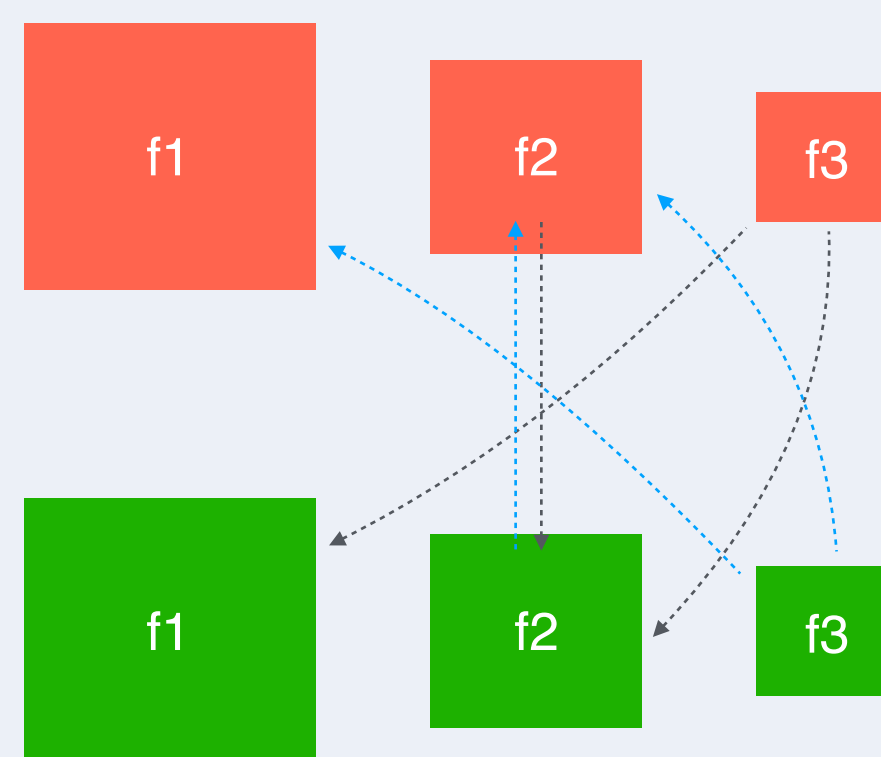
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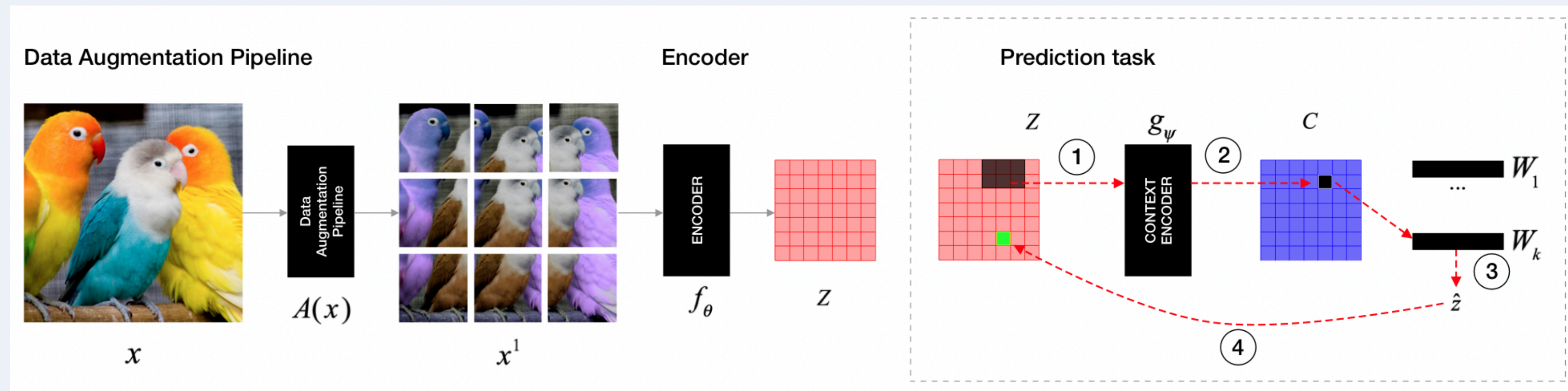
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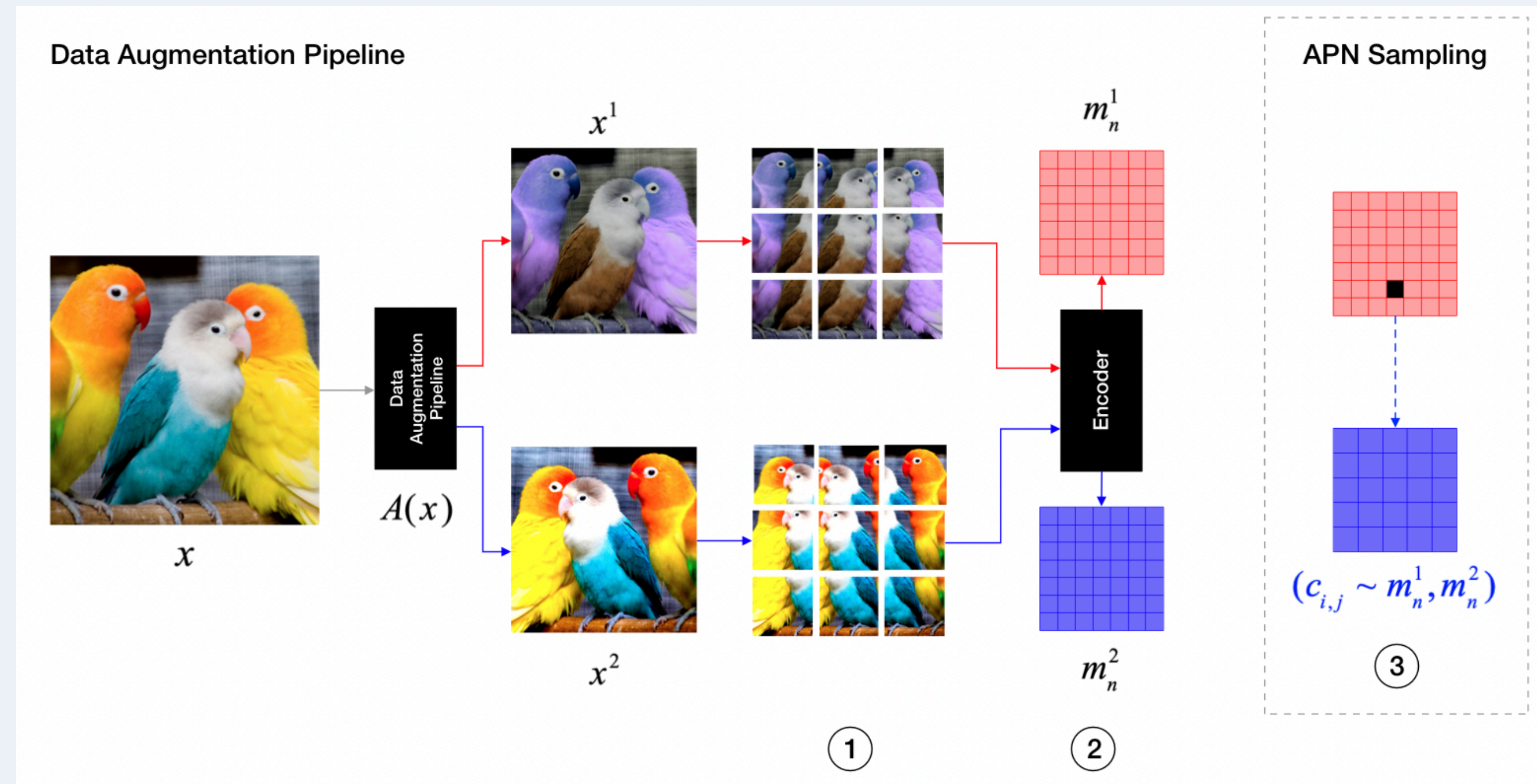
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Data-efficient Image Recognition with Contrastive Predictive Coding (Hennaff, 2019)



A General Framework For Self-Supervised Image Representation Learning and PatchedDIM (Falcon, Cho, 2019)





PyTorch Lightning

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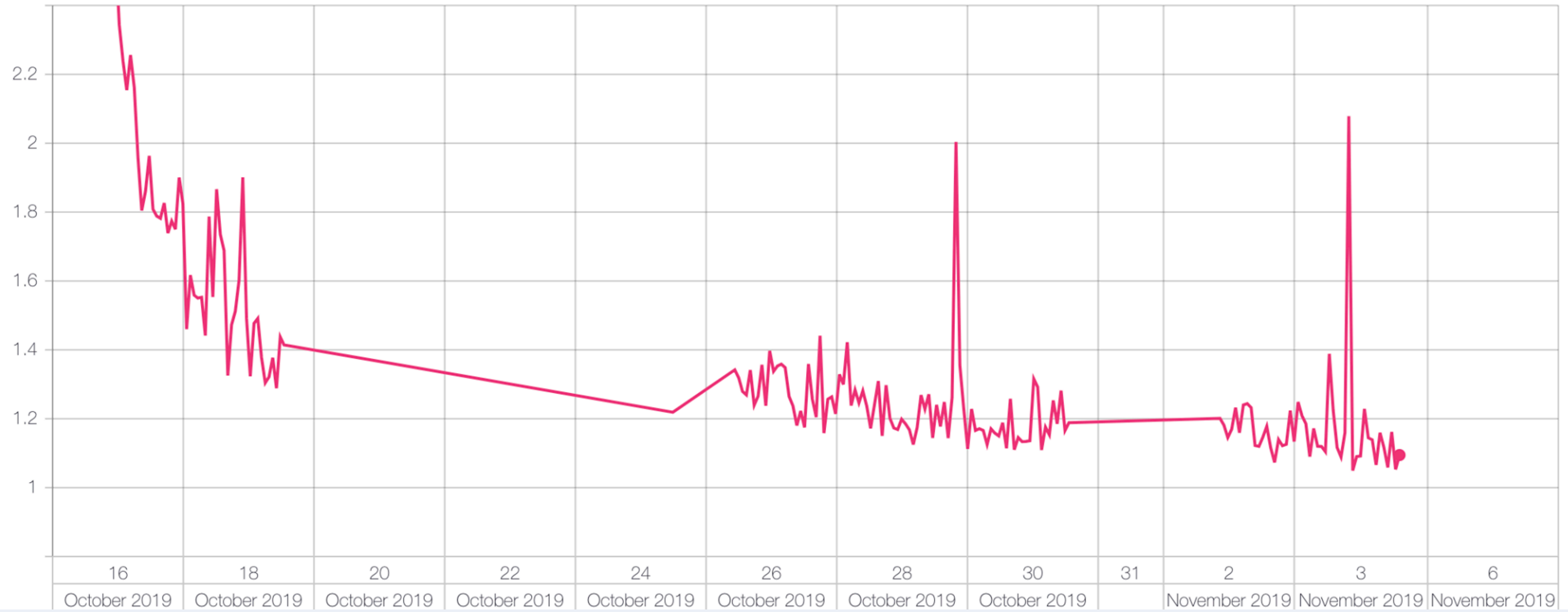
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Simple installation from PyPI

```
pip install pytorch-lightning
```

val_nce



Addressing Reproducibility Crisis

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Reproducible Code

- If you are working in PyTorch, we strongly recommend using [Pytorch Lightning](#), a framework which takes care of the boilerplate and provides highly reproducible standards of ML research pipeline. Check the [seed project](#) as a good starting point.
- Document your code appropriately
- Have a `README.md` file which describes the exact steps to run your code

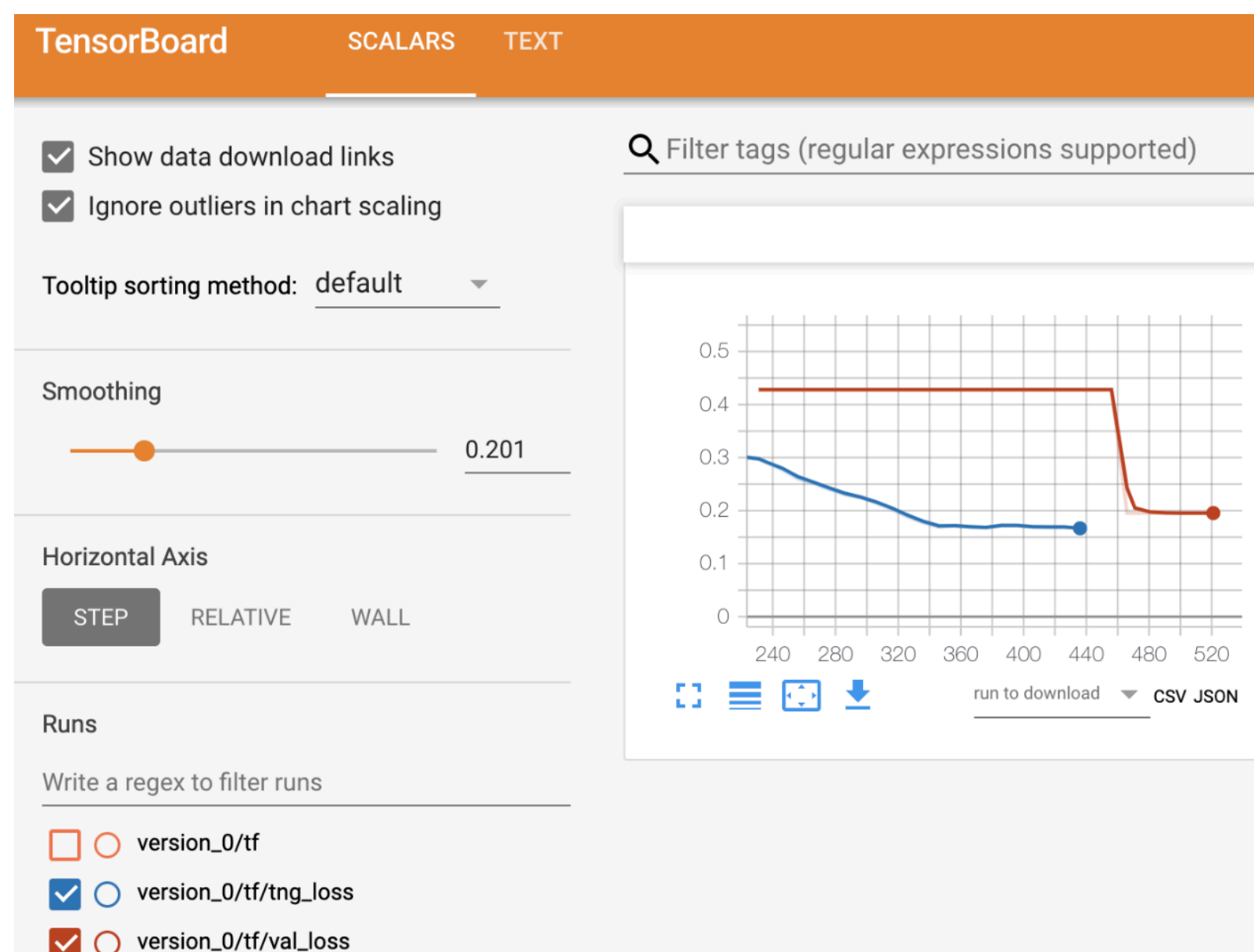
LightningModule

```
class CoolSystem(pl.LightningModule):  
    def __init__(self):  
        super(CoolSystem, self).__init__()  
        self.l1 = torch.nn.Linear(28 * 28, 10)  
  
    def forward(self, x):  
        return torch.relu(self.l1(x.view(x.size(0), -1)))  
  
    def training_step(self, batch, batch_nb):  
        x, y = batch  
        y_hat = self.forward(x)  
        loss = F.cross_entropy(y_hat, y)  
  
        tensorboard_logs = {'train_loss': loss}  
        return {'loss': loss, 'log': tensorboard_logs}  
  
    def validation_step(self, batch, batch_nb):  
        x, y = batch  
        y_hat = self.forward(x)  
        return {'val_loss': F.cross_entropy(y_hat, y)}  
  
    def validation_end(self, outputs):  
        avg_loss = torch.stack([x['val_loss'] for x in outputs]).mean()  
  
        tensorboard_logs = {'val_loss': avg_loss}  
        return {'avg_val_loss': avg_loss, 'log': tensorboard_logs}  
  
    def configure_optimizers(self):  
        return torch.optim.Adam(self.parameters(), lr=0.02)  
  
    @pl.data_loader  
    def train_dataloader(self):  
        return DataLoader(MNIST(os.getcwd(), train=True, download=True, transform=transforms.ToTensor()), batch_size=32)  
  
    @pl.data_loader  
    def val_dataloader(self):  
        return DataLoader(MNIST(os.getcwd(), train=True, download=True, transform=transforms.ToTensor()), batch_size=32)  
  
    @pl.data_loader  
    def test_dataloader(self):  
        return DataLoader(MNIST(os.getcwd(), train=True, download=True, transform=transforms.ToTensor()), batch_size=32)
```

LightningModule

```
model = CoolSystem()
```

```
trainer = Trainer()  
trainer.fit(model)
```



Automatic Tensorboard

Automatic training loop

Automatic validation loop

Automatic checkpointing

Automatic early-stopping

Unsupervised is state-of-the-art in NLP (BERT, GPT-2)

Computer vision is lagging behind (transfer learning is ok but not great)

Unsupervised Learning will unlock new ways of using data

We need to move away from images and clever tasks

Self-supervised gains come from data processing NOT learning

Thank you
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