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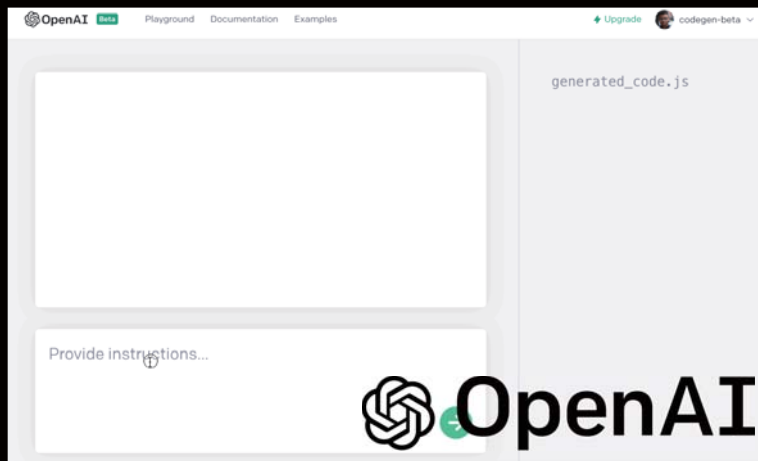
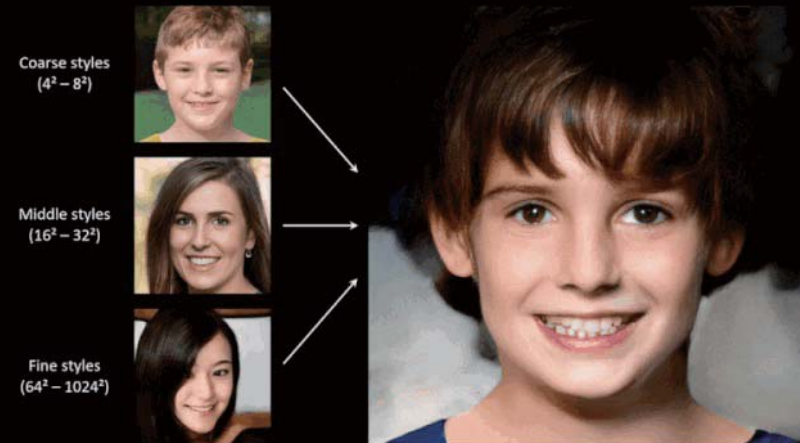
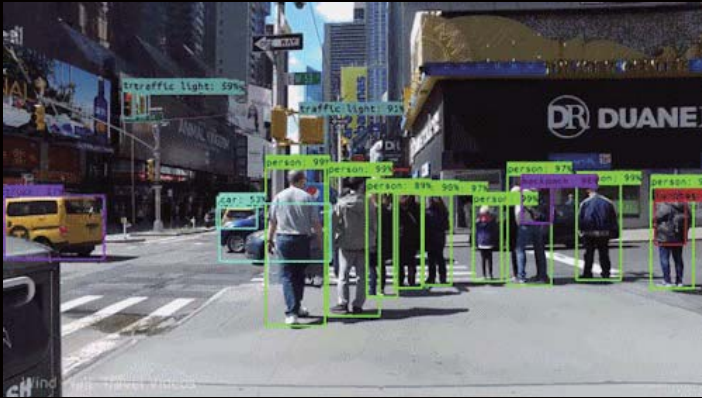
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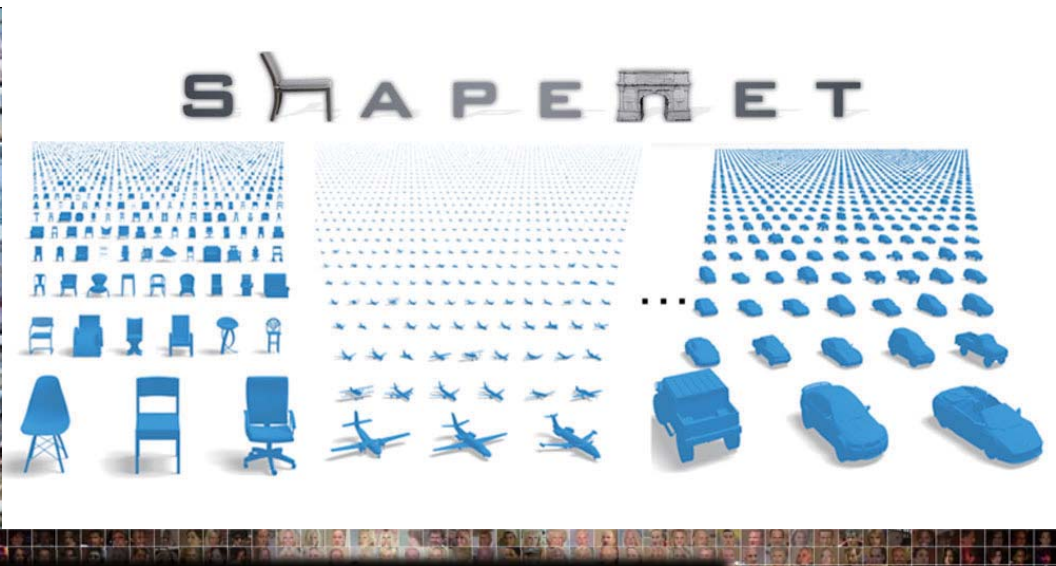
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Motivation for Few-Shot Learning

- **Deep Learning: A lot of breakthroughs**





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- Humans can quickly learn new concepts with few examples

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Personalized Education



Robot Navigation



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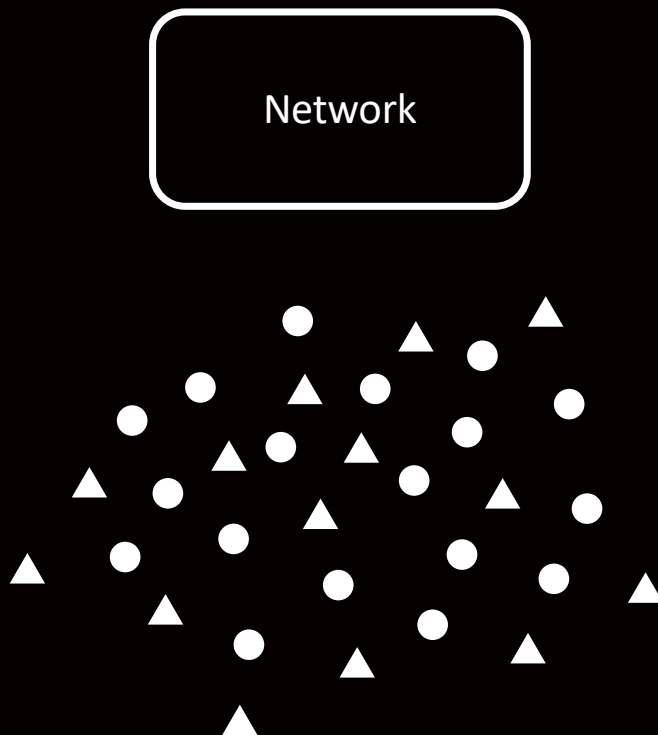
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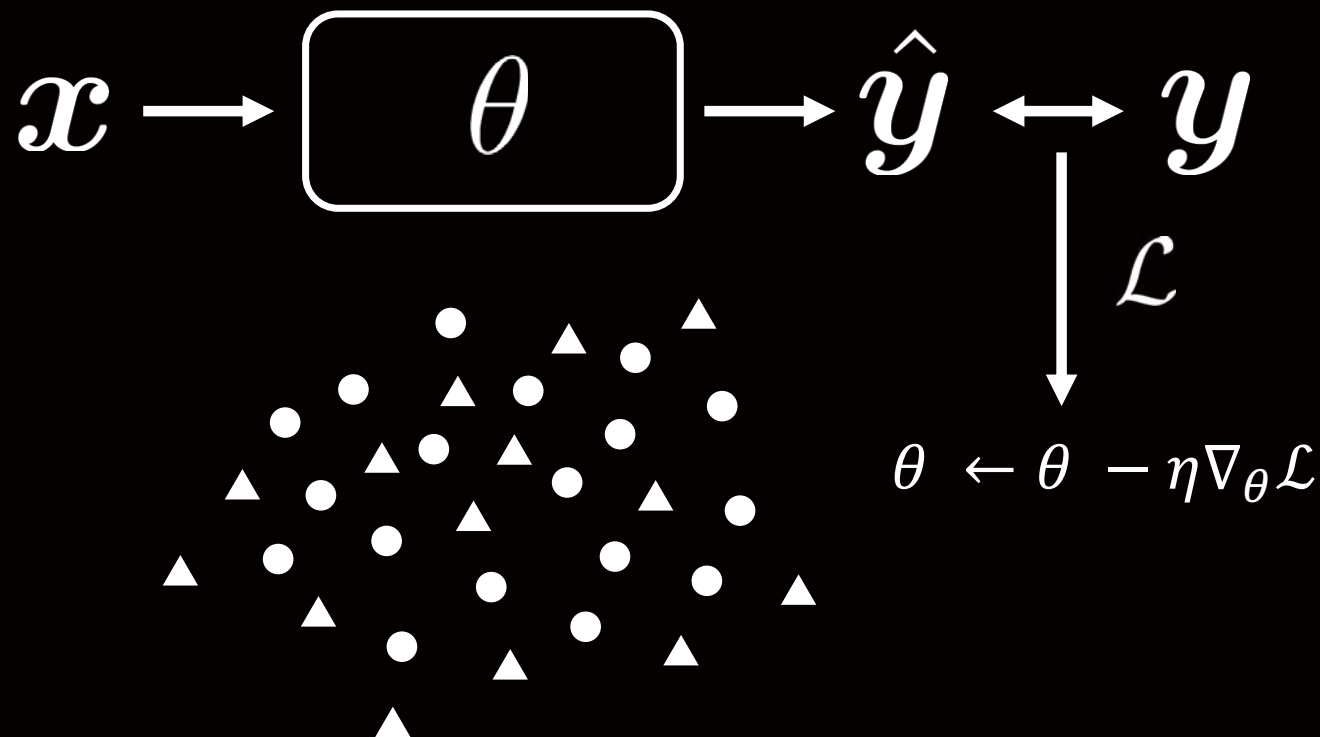
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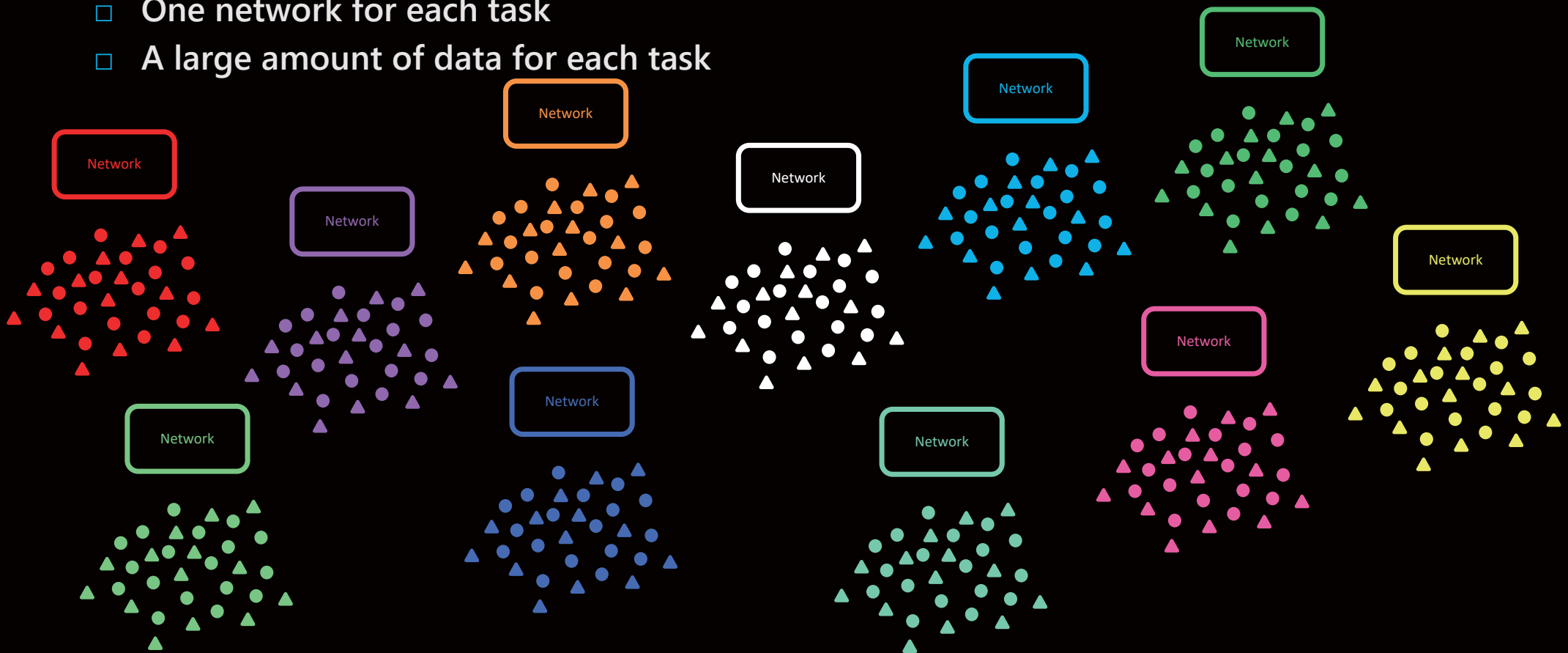
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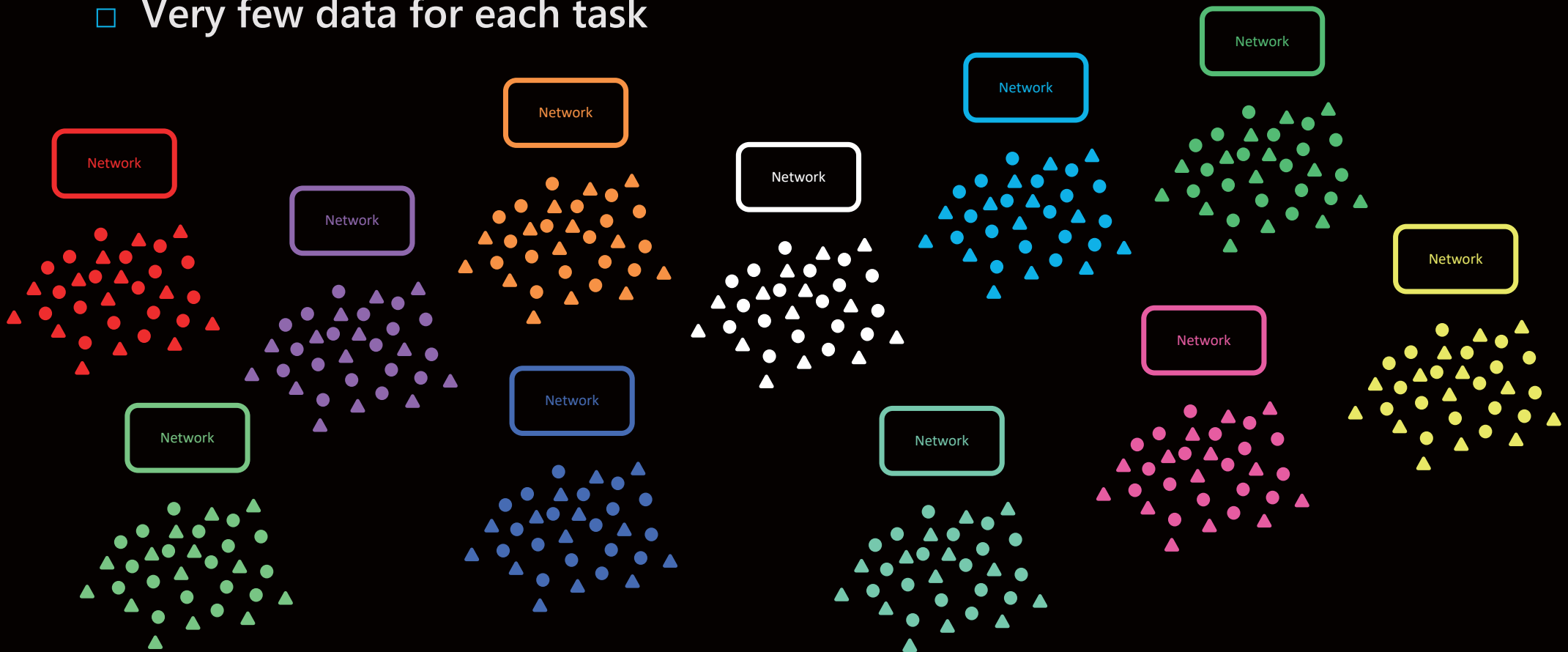
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 - Very few data for each task



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Dogs



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We aim to learn a meta-model that will **find the network** with **few given examples for new task**

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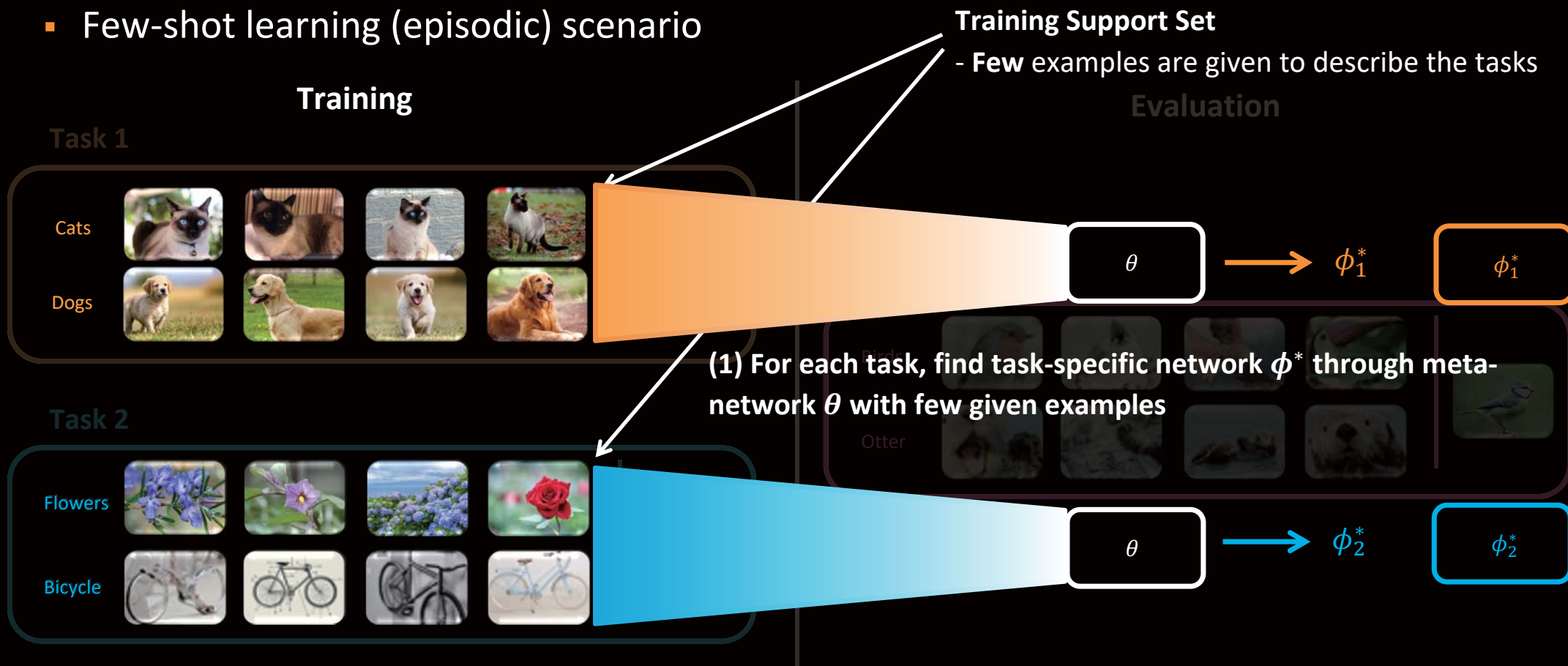
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Training Query Set

- New unseen examples from the same task
- Given during training to **prevent** model from **overfitting** to support set.

- (1) For each task, find task-specific network ϕ^* through meta-network θ with few given examples
- (2) Train meta-network θ such that ϕ^* will perform well on query set

Previous Solution for Few-Shot Learning?

- Supervised learning from scratch :
 - Given **few data** may be **not enough**
 - High chance of overfitting
- Supervised learning from pre-trained network:
 - > need ***careful hyperparameter tuning***
 - When to stop finetuning?
 - What about learning rate?
 - Can we guarantee generalization?
 - Hinder prompt applications

Why **Meta-Learning** for **Few-Shot Learning**?

- Meta-Learning for general tasks:

Learn an optimization algorithm for each task

- e.g. hyperparameters

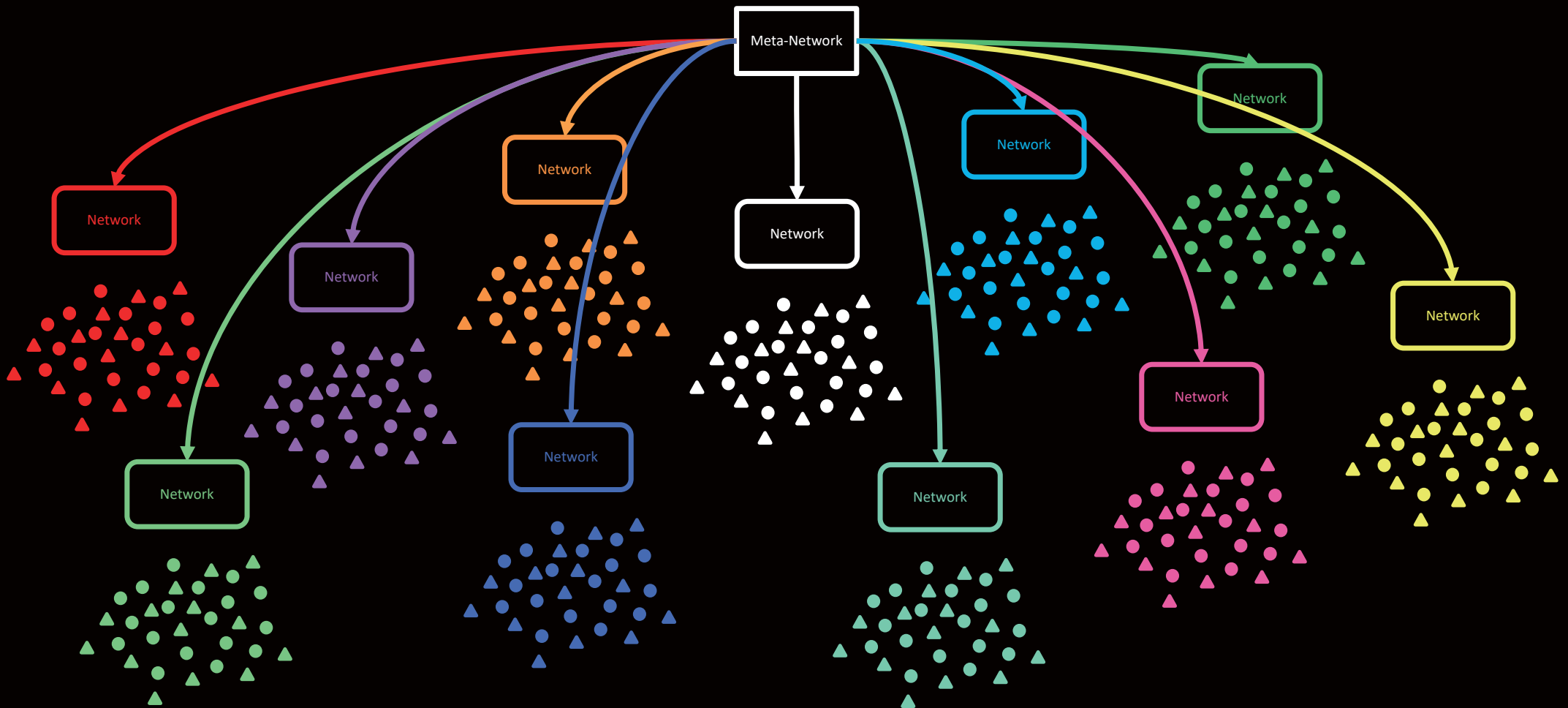
For each task,

- Need long training time
- Assume a lot of data

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 - Learn an optimization algorithm for each task
 - Need a lot of data & time for each task
- Meta-Learning for Few-Shot Learning
 - Finding ***a good adaptation process*** that *works for all tasks*
 - Utilizes the knowledge shared among different tasks
 - Use the prior knowledge to facilitate adaptation to each task

Meta-learning for Few Shot Learning



Meta-Learning for Few-Shot Learning

- **Meta-Learning**
 - Learn to share the *prior* knowledge across tasks
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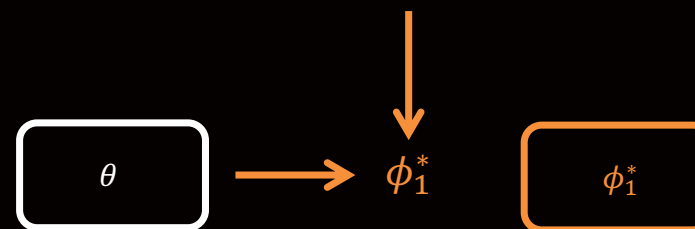
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Obtained by optimization

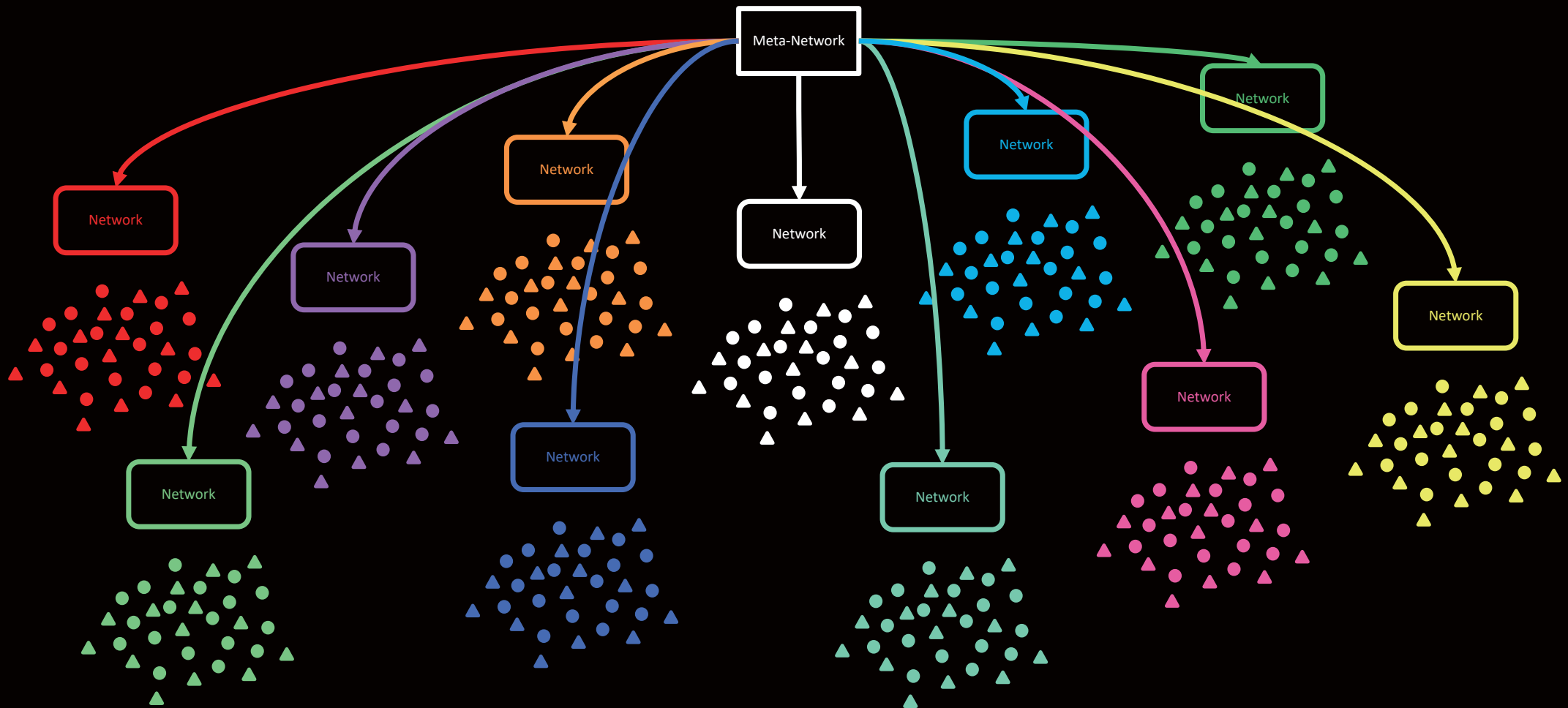
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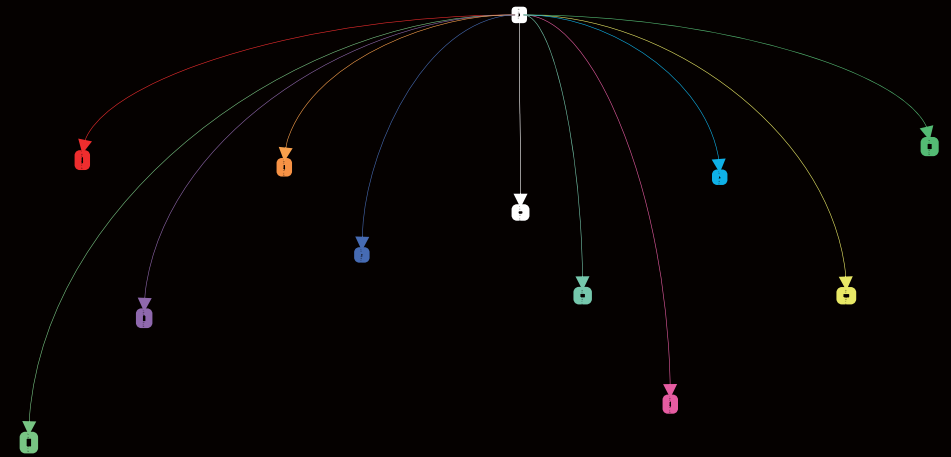
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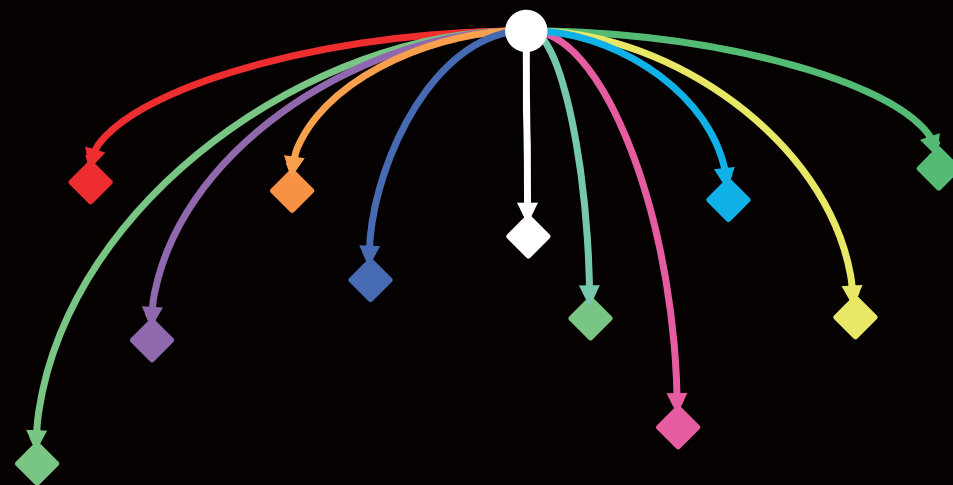
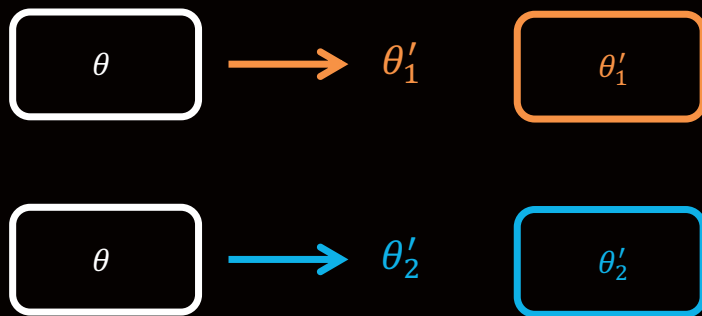
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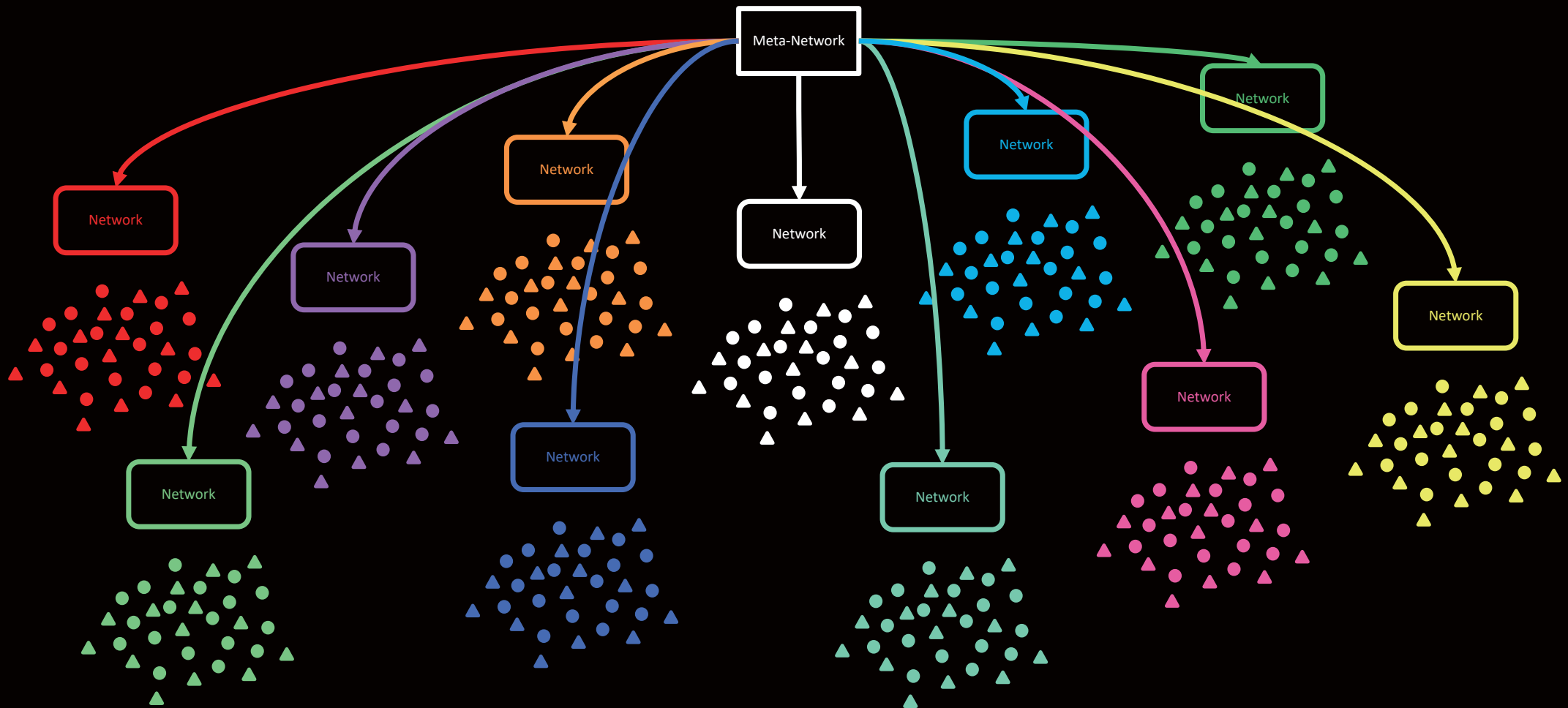
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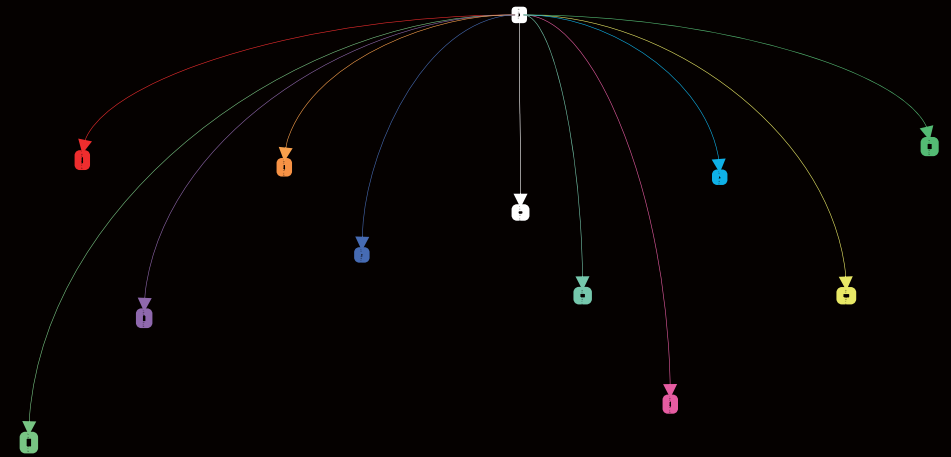
Can we utilize prior knowledge to *adapt an adaptation process* to each given task?

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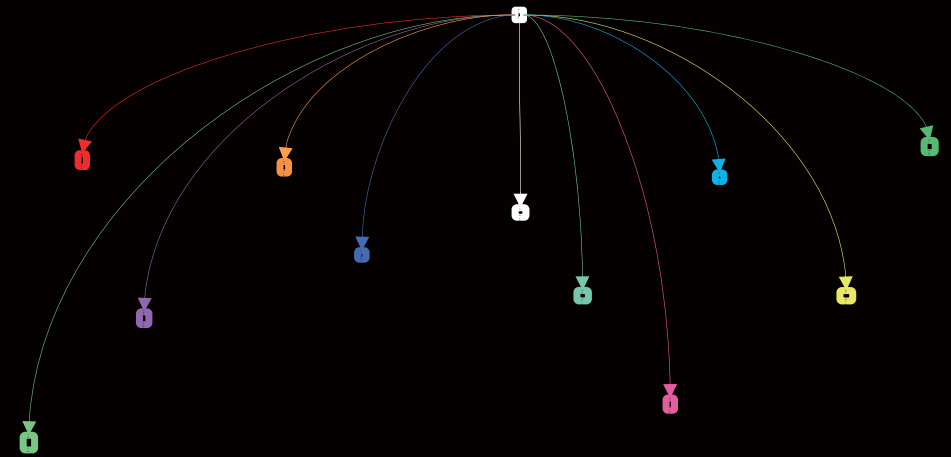
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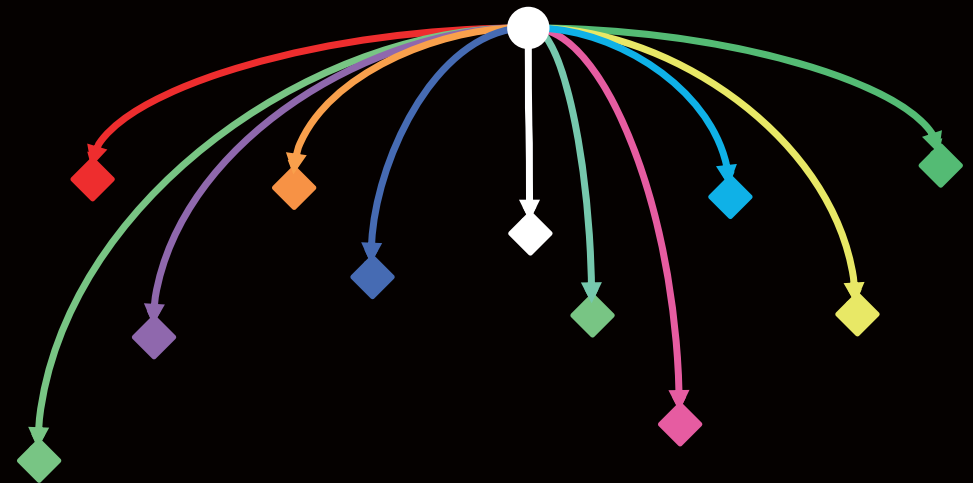


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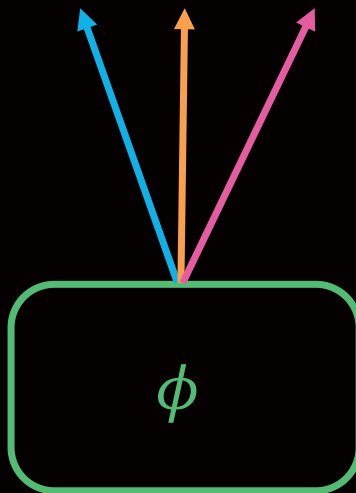
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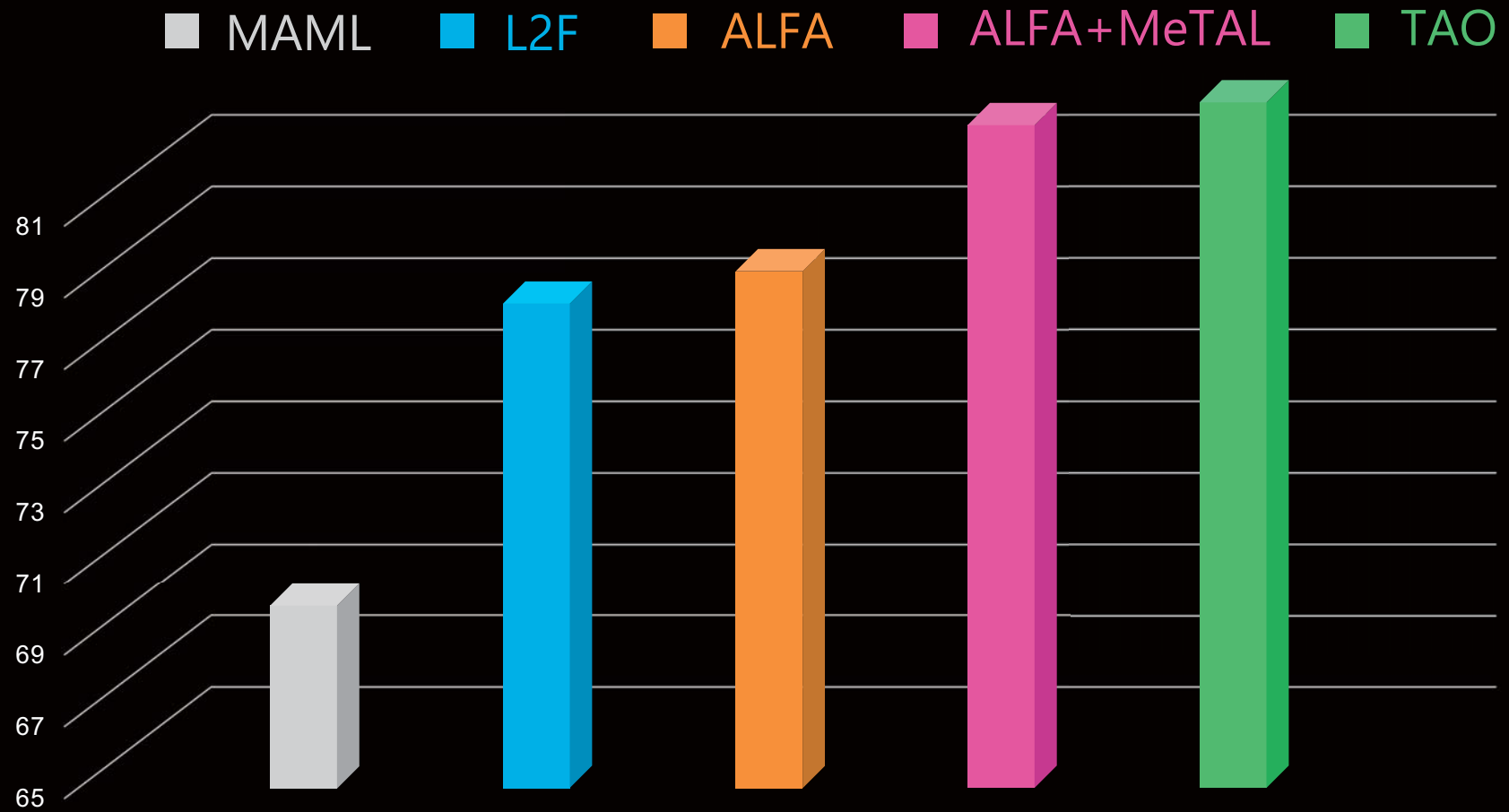
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- **Task-Adaptive Optimization (TAO)**
 - Combine all three proposed modules into one

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Few-Shot Classification



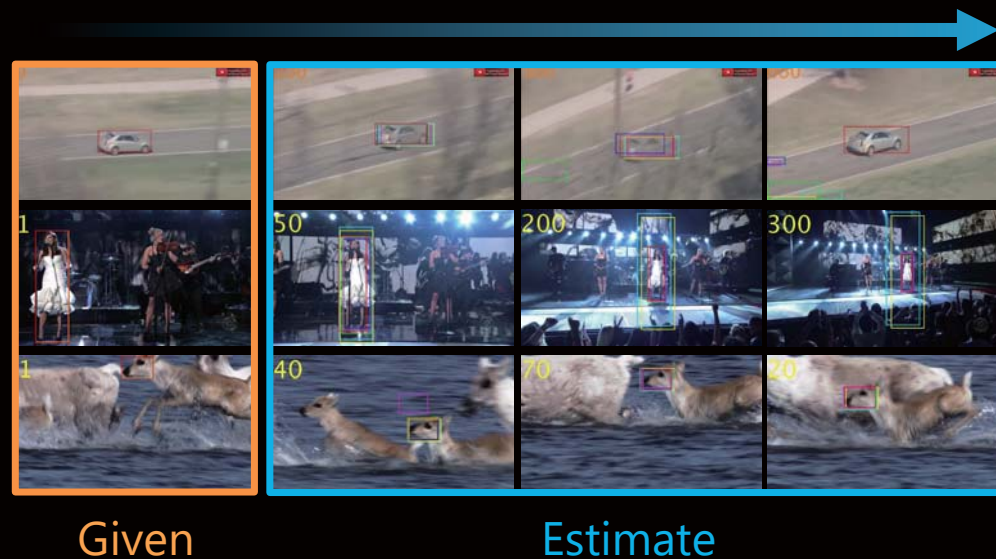
Computer Vision Applications

- During inference, new test image may provide **new information** that was not present during training
- Idea: Use **meta-learning** to **adapt** the network to new test image
- Challenge: Need to obtain (few) supervision signals meta-learning can use

Computer Vision Applications

■ Visual Tracking

- **Goal:** Estimate target object state in consecutive video frames
- **Input:** Initial target state, RGB frame image
- **Output:** Target bounding boxes in every frame



Practical Applications

- Visual Tracking



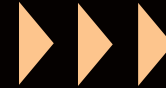
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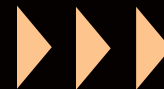
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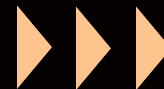
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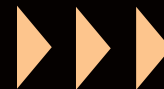
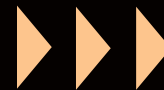
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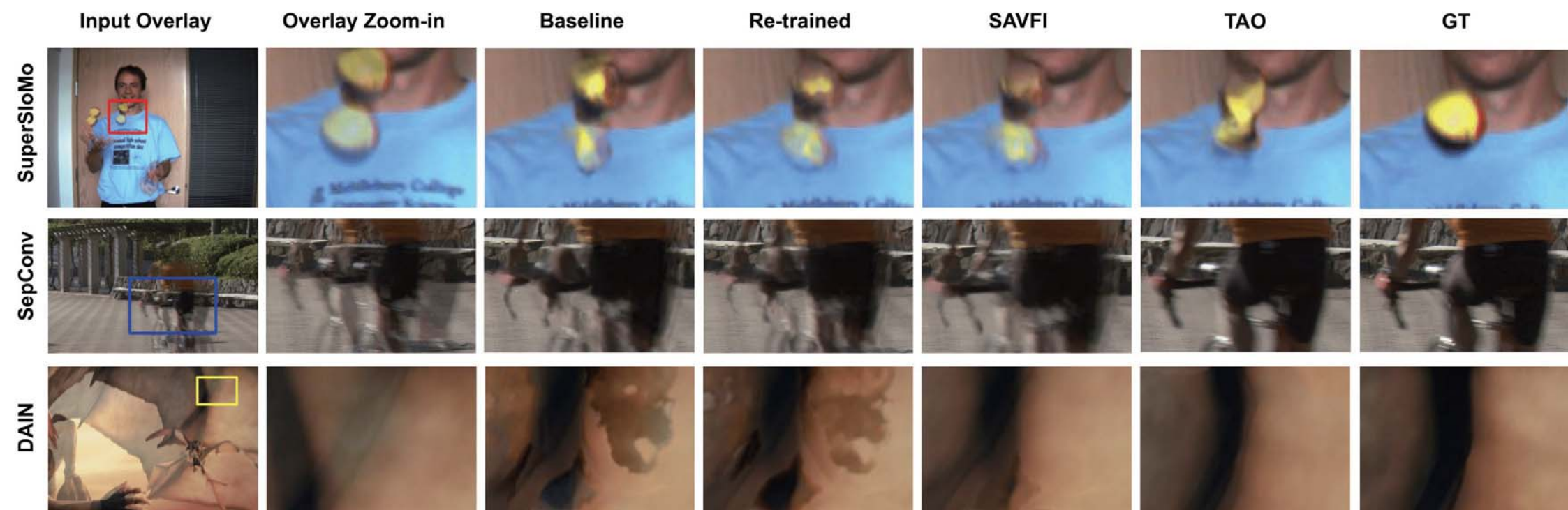
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