

Robust and Hybrid Machine Learning

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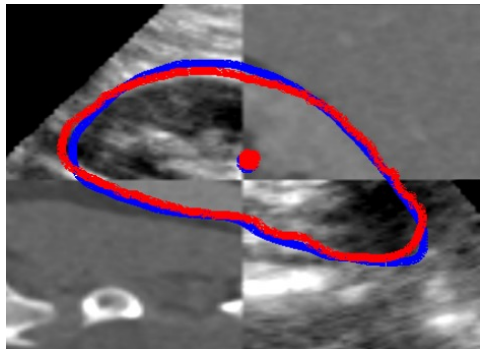
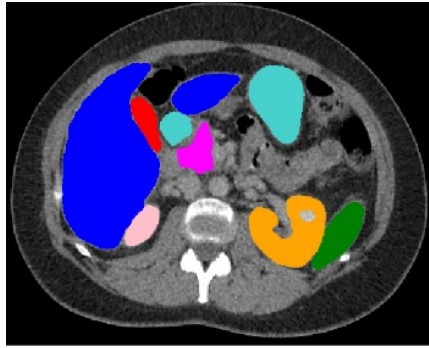
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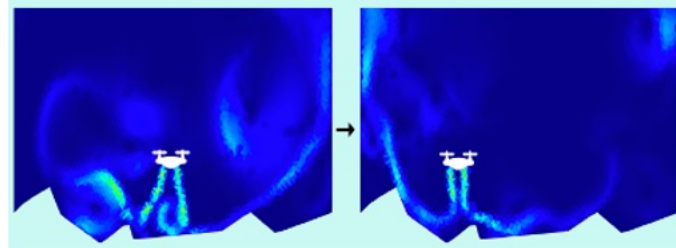
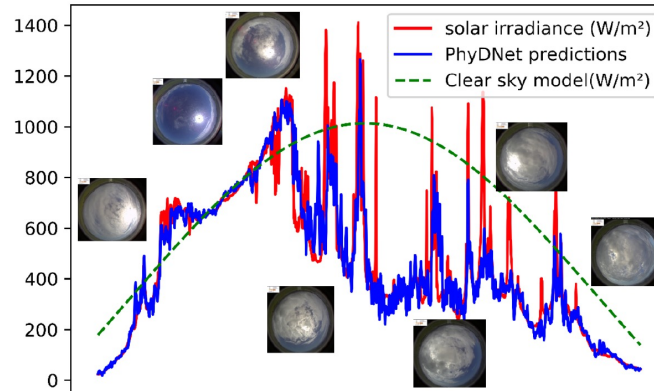
Research activities

Research topics: machine learning (ML), deep learning

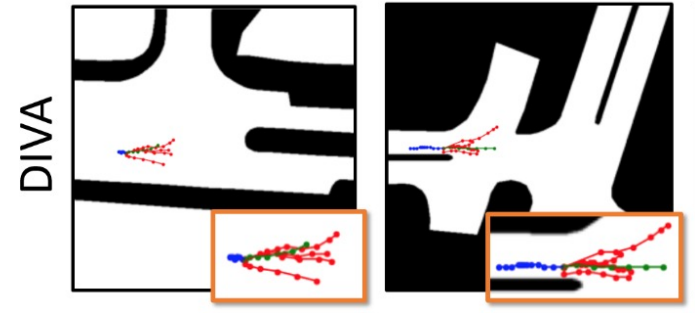
Application domains



Healthcare



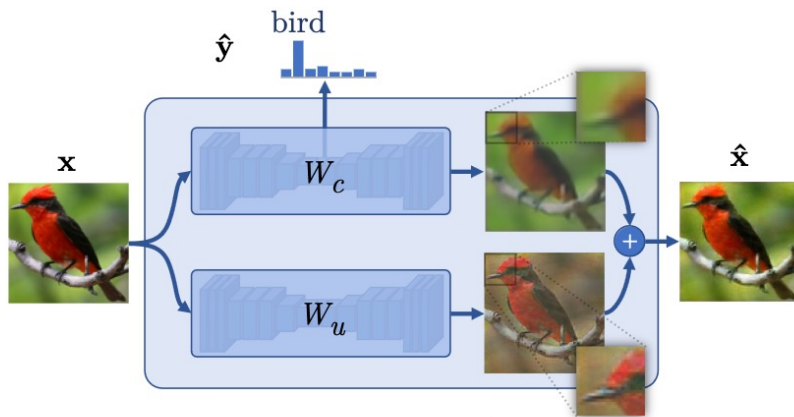
Physics



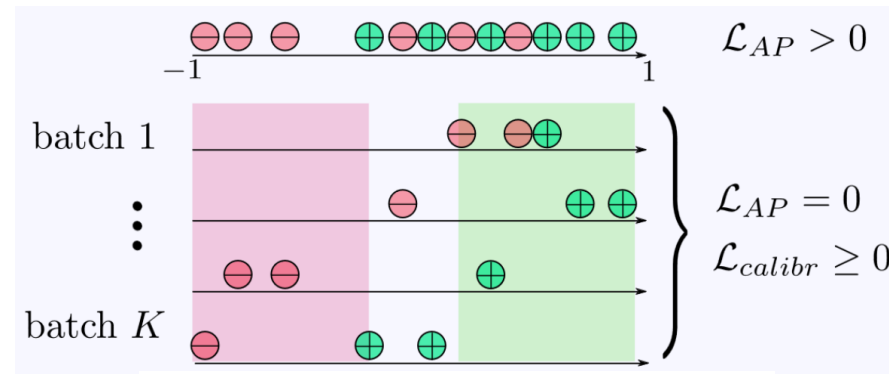
autonomous vehicles

Topics: machine learning (ML), deep learning

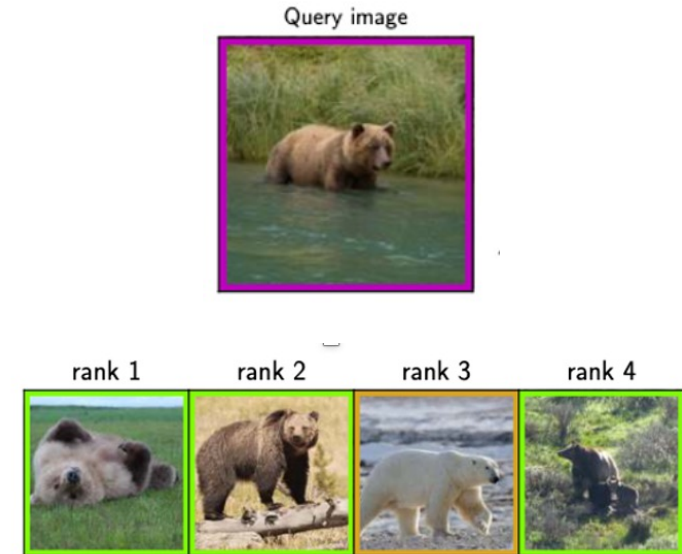
- **Learning formulation:** semi-supervised, weakly supervised learning
- **Theoretical ML:** robustness, optimization
- **Including various forms of knowledge in ML**



Optimization of non-decomposable losses, e.g. rank losses (AP)



$$DG_{AP}(\theta) = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{b=1}^K AP_i^b(\theta) - AP_i(\theta)$$



[RTC18] T. Robert, N. Thome, M. Cord. Classification and reconstruction cooperation for semi-supervised learning. ECCV 2018.

[RTR+21] E. Ramzi, N. Thome, C. Rambour, N. Audebert, X. Bitot. Robust and Decomposable Average Precision for Image Retrieval. NeurIPS 2021.

[RAT+22] E. Ramzi, N. Audebert, N. Thome, C. Rambour, X. Bitot. Hierarchical Average Precision Training for Pertinent Image Retrieval. ECCV 2022.

Outline

1. Recent contributions

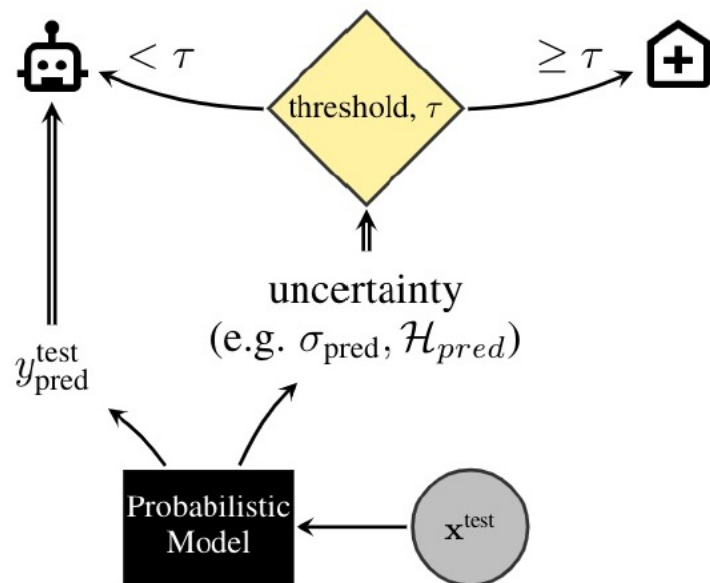
- I) Robustness in deep learning
- II) Hybrid physics-informed ML

2. Open issues & perspectives

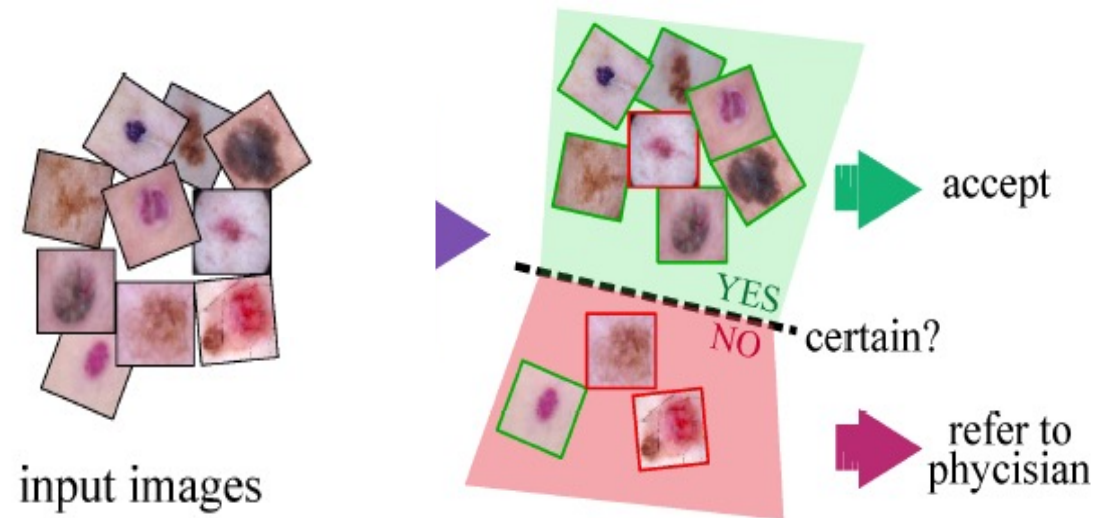
I) Robustness in deep learning

- **Uncertainty quantification: crucial in critical systems**

“Know when you do not know”



Abstain to make a prediction

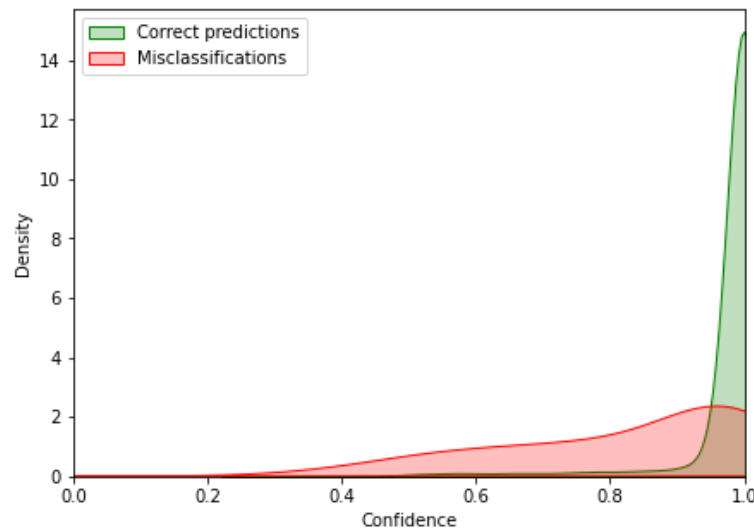
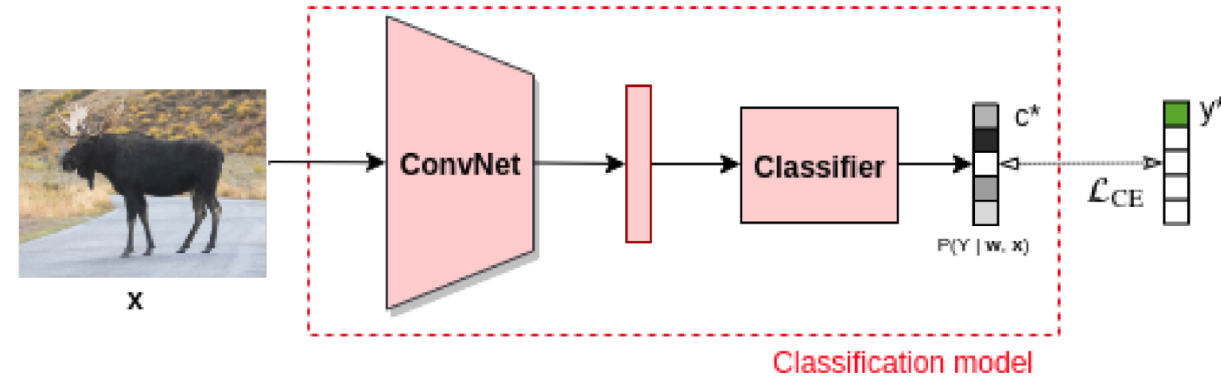


Uncertainty quantification in deep learning

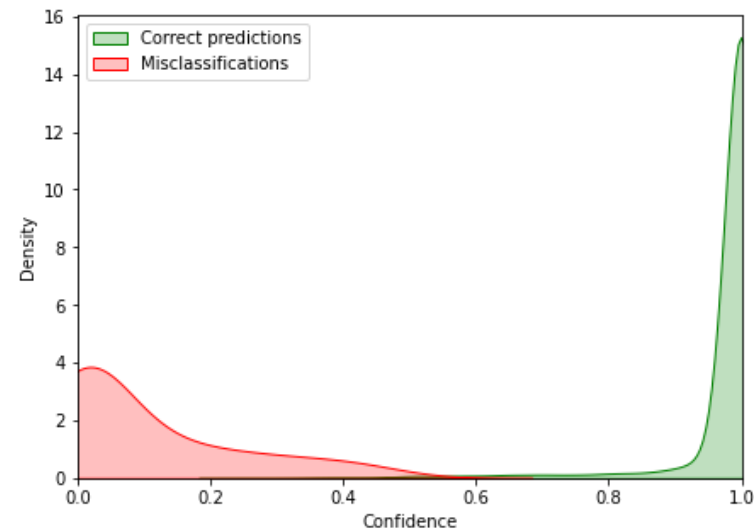
- **Uncertainty for failure prediction [CBT+19]:** correct vs incorrect predictions

- **Our proposal: True Class probability (TCP)** vs Maximum Class Probability (MCP)

- TCP better than MCP for failure prediction



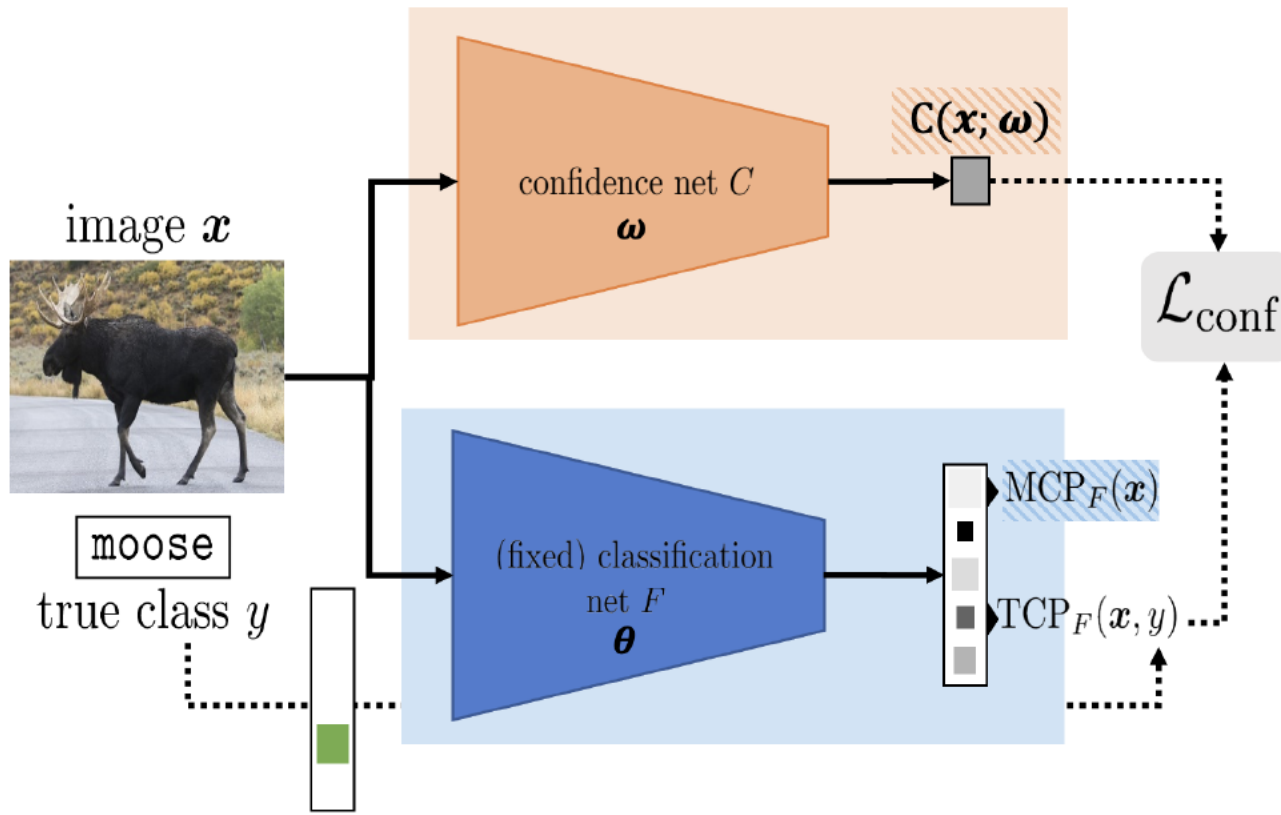
MCP



TCP

Uncertainty quantification in deep learning

TCP unknown at test time: learning it!

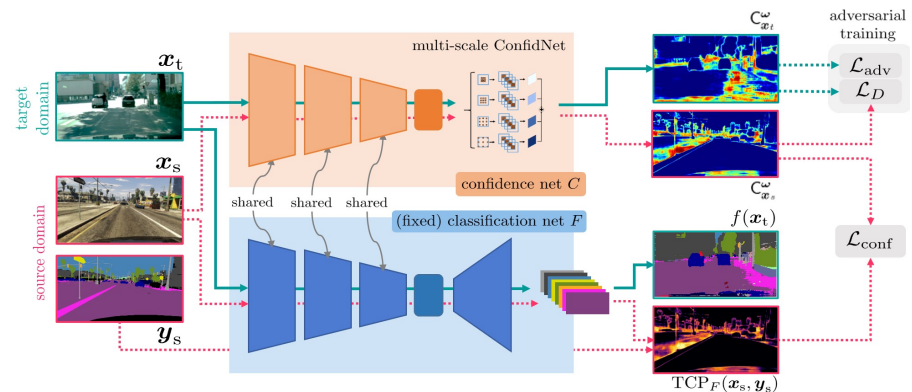
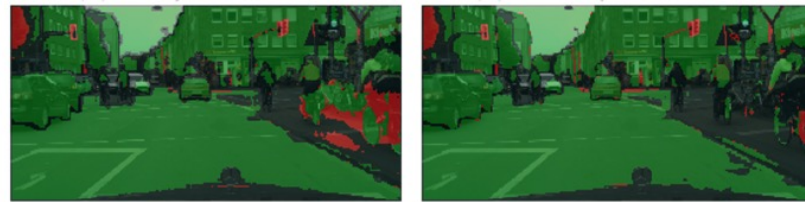
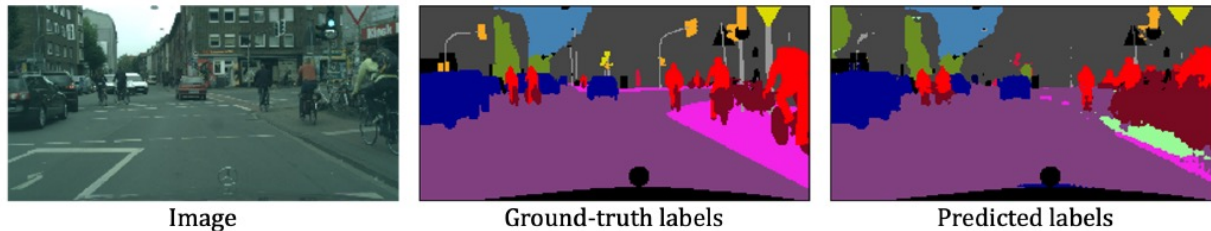


- Pre-trained prediction model (blue)
- Learning to regress TCP with an auxiliary model (orange)

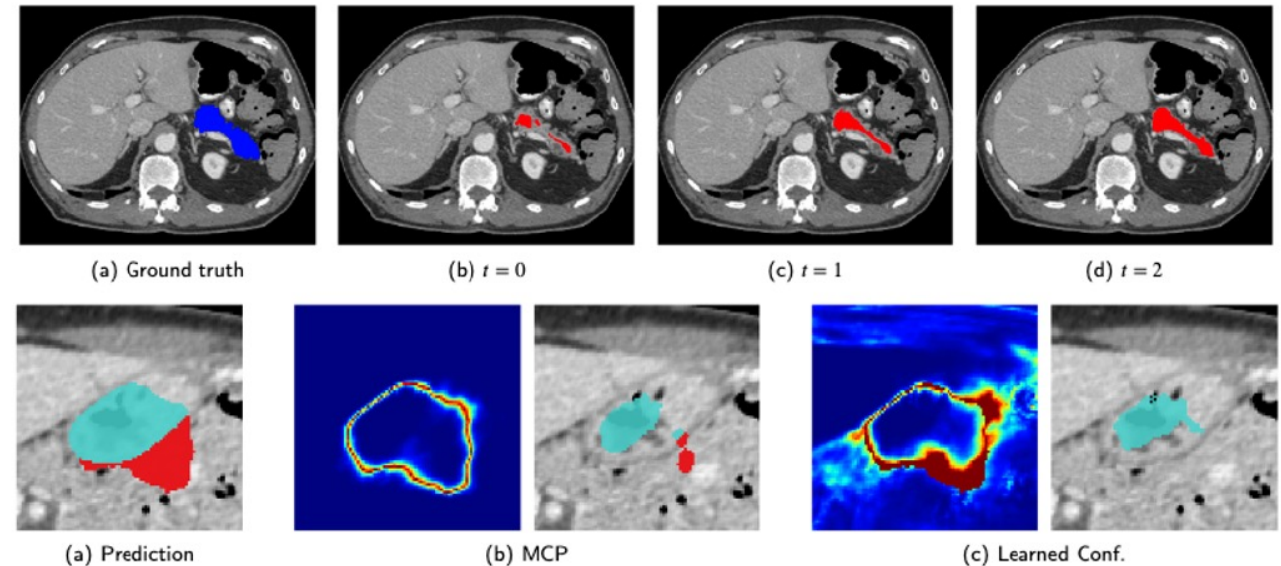
$$\mathcal{L}_{conf}(\theta; \mathcal{D}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{c}(\mathbf{x}_i, \theta) - c^*(\mathbf{x}_i, y_i^*))^2$$

Learning confidence for self-labelling

- Extension for domain adaptation [CTS+21]



Medical image segmentation [PTS21]



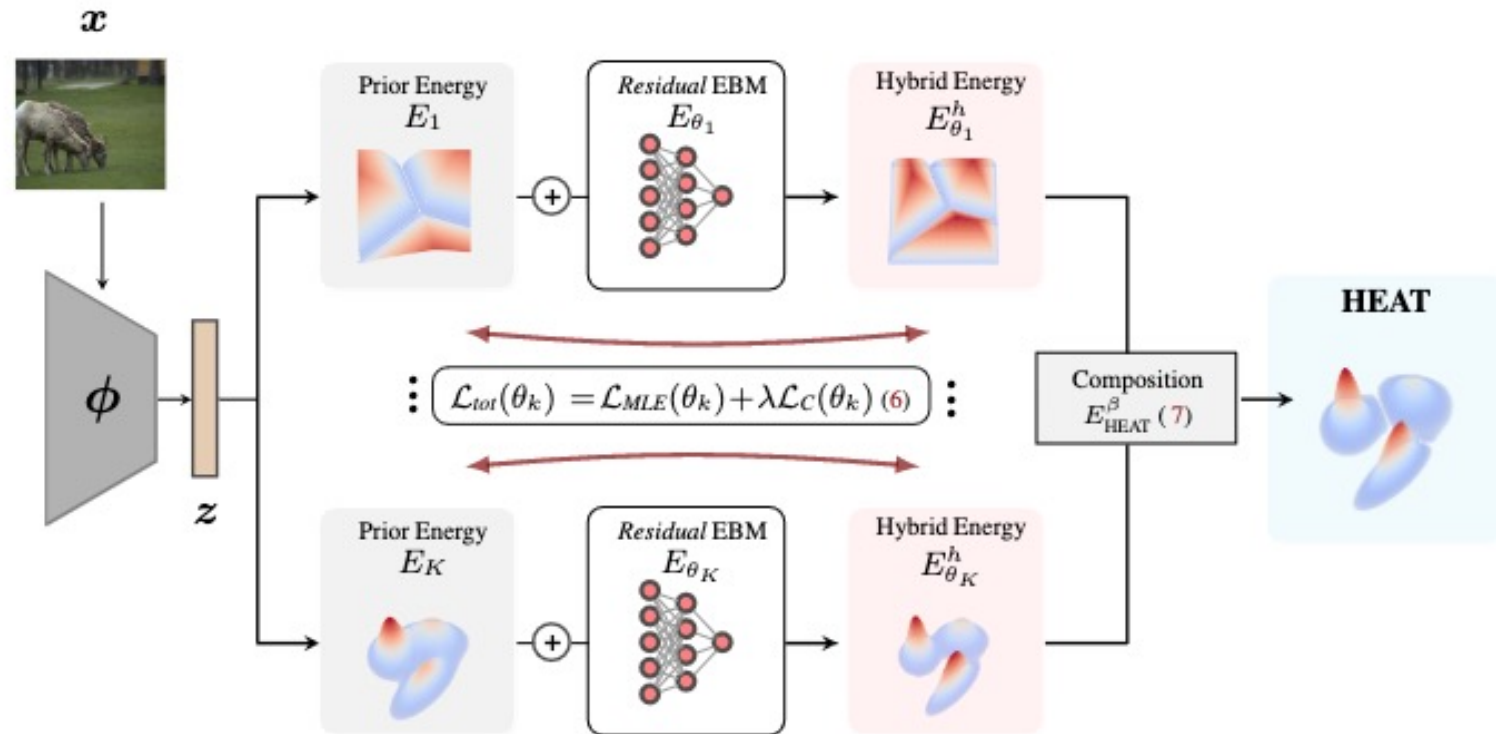
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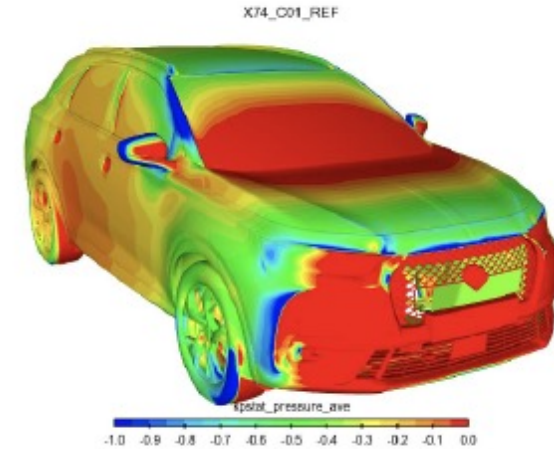
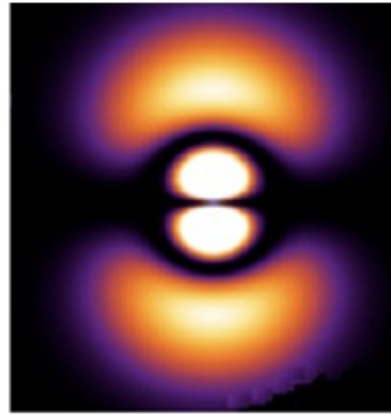
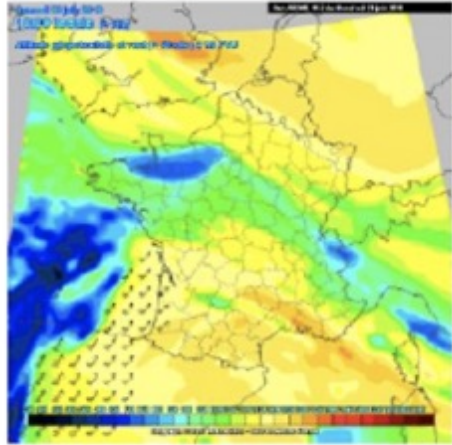
Uncertainty: Out-Of-Distribution (OOD) detection

- Accurate OOD detection \Leftrightarrow accurate density estimation
- **HEAT [LRR+23]: Hybrid Energy Based Model (EBM)**

- **Energy-based correction** of prior energy terms, *e.g.* Gaussians
- **Energy composition** of several terms (Gaussian, Energy Logits, std for style)



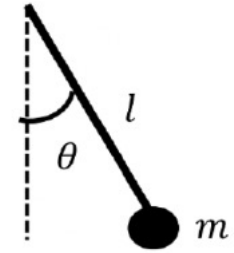
II) Prediction for physical & dynamical systems



- **Model-based (MB)** approaches, *e.g.* based on ODE/PDE
 - Physical models: approximation of real world-dynamics
- **Machine Learning (ML)**: less biased BUT generalization issues
 - Contributions: hybrid physics-informed machine learning
 - learning residual of approximate physical models

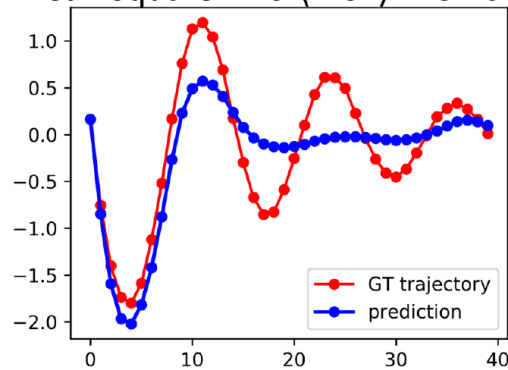
Motivation: data-driven vs simplified models

Damped pendulum:
$$\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} + \omega_0^2 \sin\theta + \lambda \frac{d\theta}{dt} = 0$$



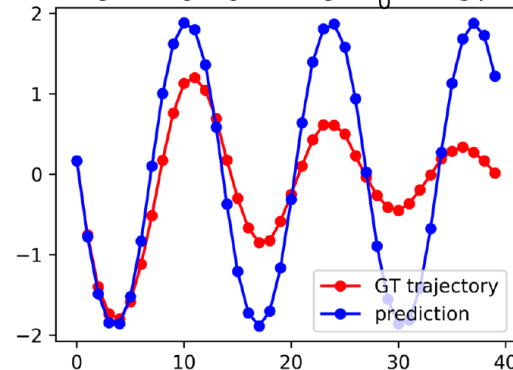
- **Data-driven models** struggle to extrapolate complex dynamics, in particular in data-scarce contexts
- **Physical models** fail to extrapolate when they are misspecified: forecasting & parameter identification failure

Mean Square Error(MSE)= $1.5 \cdot 10^{-1}$



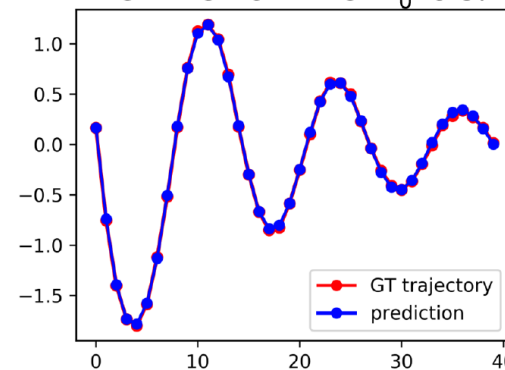
(a) Data-driven Neural ODE

MSE= $7.6 \cdot 10^{-1}$ Error $T_0=12.9\%$



(b) Simple physical model

MSE= $1.9 \cdot 10^{-4}$ Error $T_0=0.3\%$

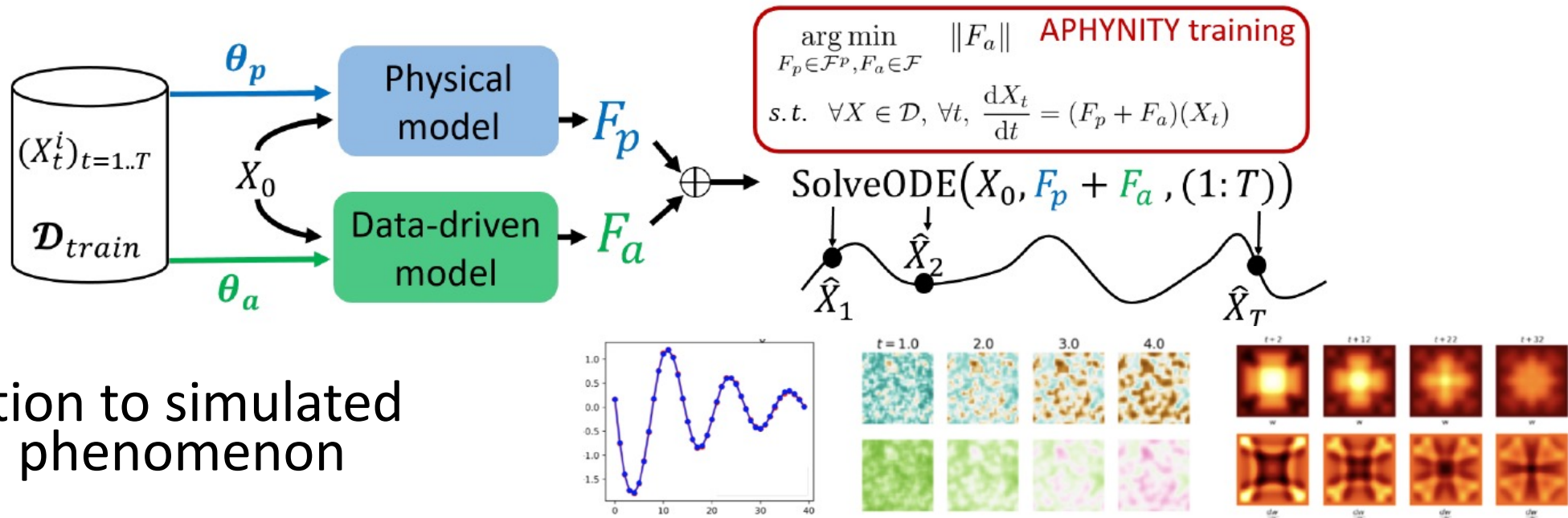


(c) Our APHYNITY framework

⇒ Augmenting PHYSical models for ideNtlfying and forecasTing complex dYnamic (APHYNITY)

Augmenting physical models: APHYNITY [YLD+21]

- Representing state's derivative as $\frac{dX_t}{dt} = F(X_t) = F_p + F_a$
 - F_p approximate ODE/PDE, F_a **learned residual**
- APHYNITY objective : $\min_{F_p \in \mathcal{F}_p, F_a \in \mathcal{F}} \|F_a\|$ subject to $\forall X \in \mathcal{D}, \forall t, \frac{dX_t}{dt} = (F_p + F_a)(X_t)$
 - Decomposition: exists and is unique (under mild conditions)



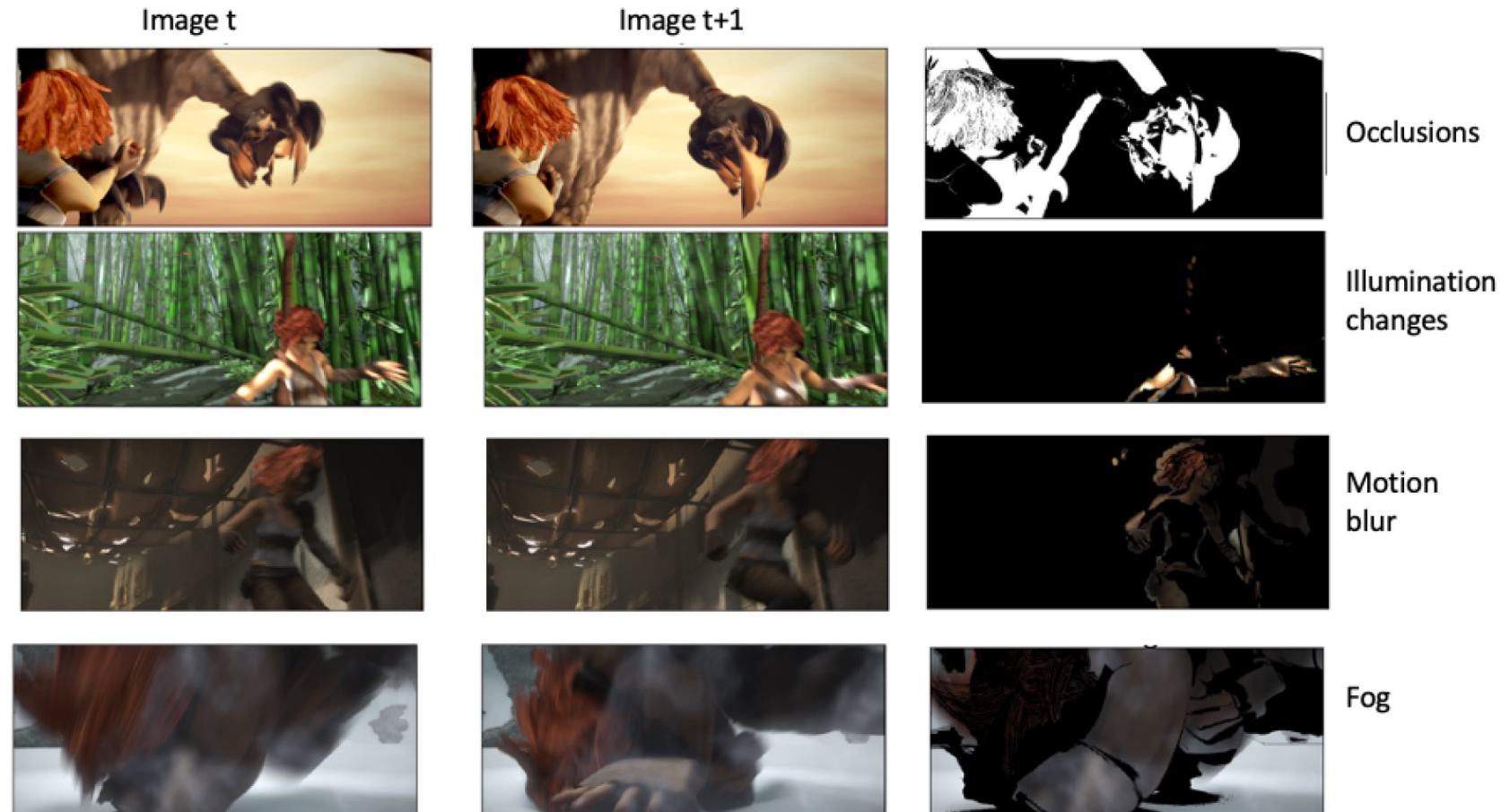
- Application to simulated physical phenomenon

Learning Residual dynamics: video prediction [LT20] and optical flow estimation [LRT22]

- Deep learning models: trained with complex curriculum, i.e. synthetic data (Chairs, Things, Sintel), real data (HD1K, Kitti)
- Traditional methods: based on brightness consistency (BC) assumption:

$$\frac{\partial I}{\partial t}(t, \mathbf{x}) + \mathbf{w}(t, \mathbf{x}) \cdot \nabla I(t, \mathbf{x}) = 0$$

- BUT: BC violated in several usual conditions



[LT20] V. Le Guen, N. Thome. Disentangling Physical Dynamics from Unknown Factors for Unsupervised Video Prediction. CVPR 2020.

[LRT22] V. Le Guen, C. Rambour N. Thome. Complementing Brightness Constancy with Deep Networks for Optical Flow Prediction. ECCV 2022.

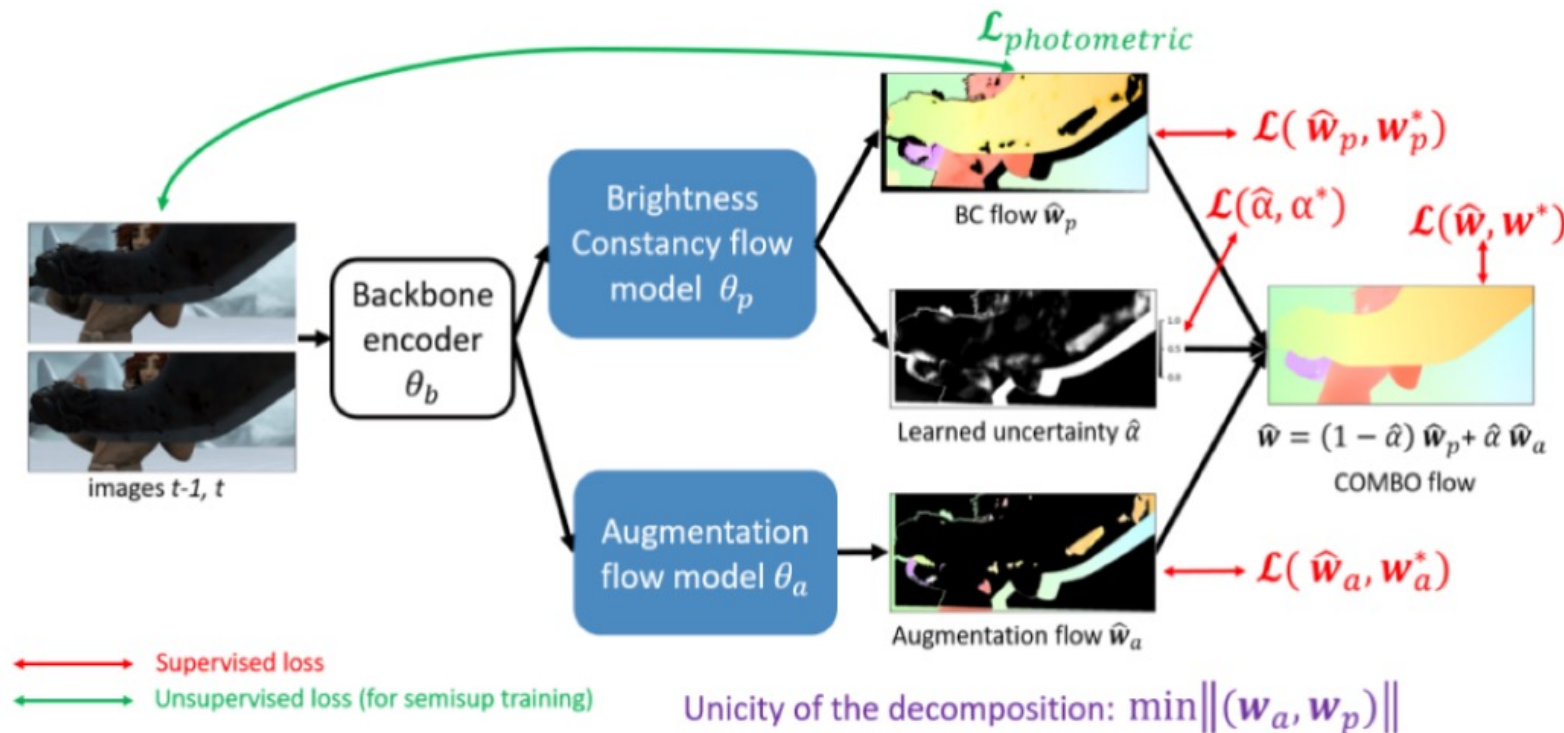
COMBO model for optical flow estimation [LRT22]

- Complementing BC with deep NNs for accurate flow prediction

- **Flow decomposition:**

$$w(x) = \alpha(x) \cdot w_p(x) + (1 - \alpha(x)) \cdot w_a(x)$$

- $\alpha(x)$ BC confidence
- $w_p(x)$ physical flow
- $w_a(x)$ residual flow



Semi-supervised: much simpler training curriculum

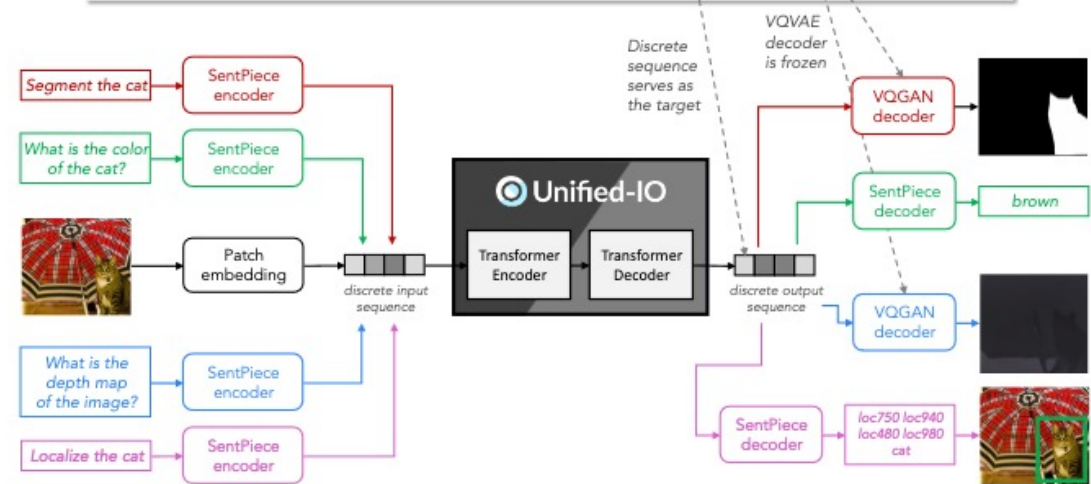
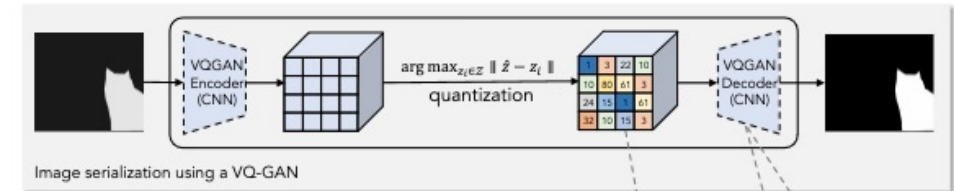
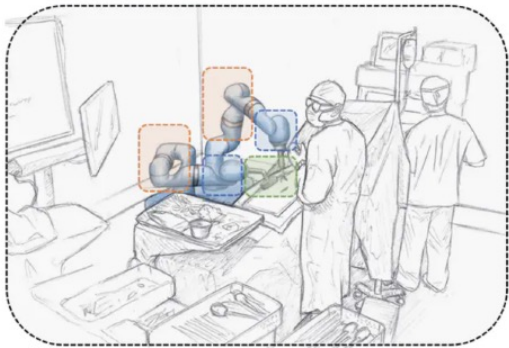
Outline

1. Recent contributions
2. Open issues & perspectives



Current context

- Large Language & Multi-Modal Models,
 - Huge success and buzz in the last year
 - X-modal foundation models, *e.g.* [1]
 - Flexibility of “In-Context Learning” (ICL) [2]
- MLIA Team in robotic lab (ISIR) since '22
 - Collaborations on AI for robotics, medical



[1] Unified-IO: A Unified Model for Vision, Language, and Multi-Modal Tasks. J. Lu, C. Clark, R. Zellers, R. Mottaghi, A. Kembhavi. ICLR 2023

[2] Foundation models for generalist medical artificial intelligence. M. Moor, O. Banerjee, Z.S.H. Abad, H. M. Krumholz, J. Leskovec, E.J.

Topol, P. Rajpurkar. Nature volume 616, pages 259–265, 2023.

Perspectives: learning formulation and architectures

Open questions:

- Zero/few-shot learning, pure prompt vs adapters [3]
- Instruction tuning [4]
- Multi-modal vs mono-modal pre-training
- Model compression

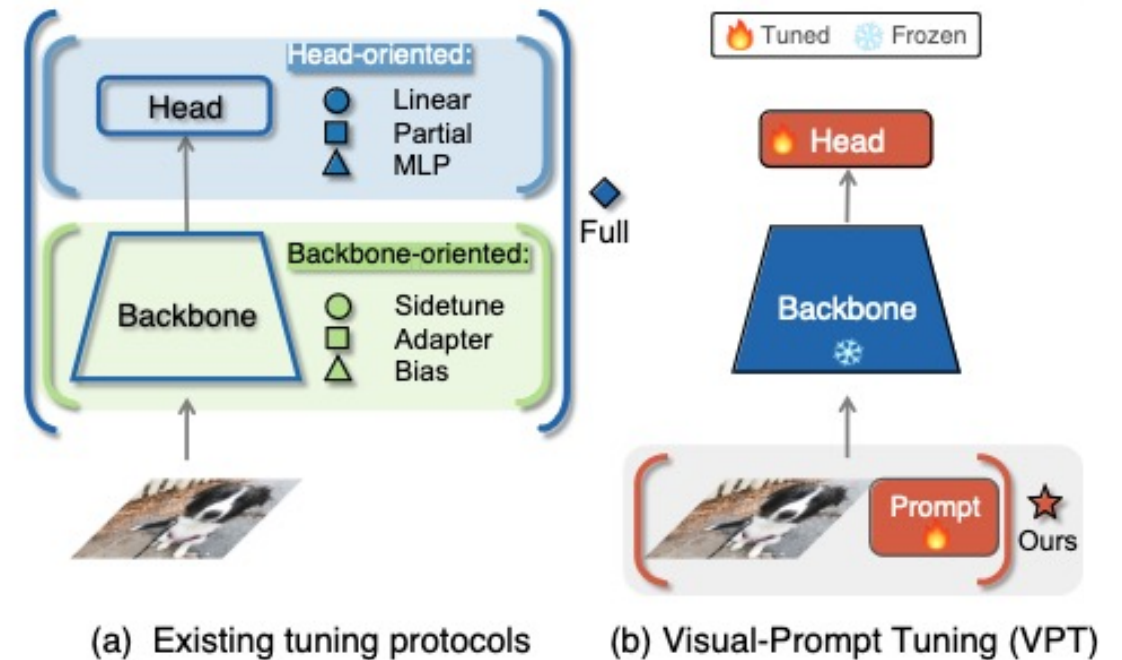


Fig. 1. Visual-Prompt Tuning (VPT) *vs.* other transfer learning methods. (a) Current transfer learning protocols are grouped based on the tuning scope: Full fine-tuning, Head-oriented, and Backbone-oriented approaches.

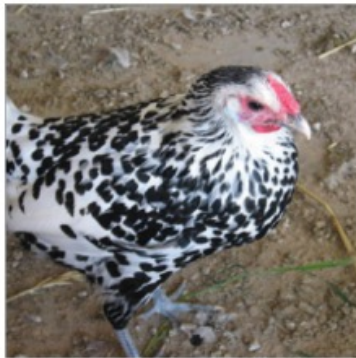
[3] Visual Prompt Tuning. M. Jia, L. Tang, B.C. Chen, C. Cardie, S. Belongie, B. Hariharan, S.N. Lim. ECCV 2022.

[4] MultiInstruct: Improving Multi-Modal Zero-Shot Learning via Instruction Tuning. Zhiyang Xu, Ying Shen, Lifu Huang, ArXiv, 2023.

Perspectives: Robustness

Explainability & reasoning with LLM

- High-level x-AI [5] (\neq saliency)
- Grounding explanation in images
- **Main challenge**: accurate alignment between text/image

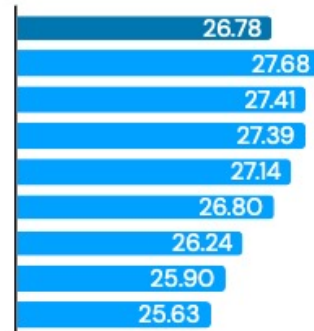


Our top prediction: **Hen**

and we say that because...

Average

- two legs
- red, brown, or white feathers
- a small body
- a small head
- two wings
- a tail
- a beak
- a chicken



CLIP's top prediction: **Dalmatian**

but we don't say that because...

Average

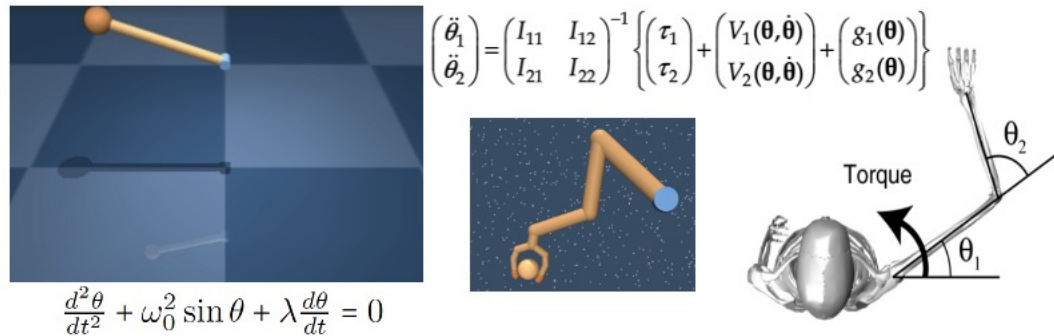
- black or liver-colored spots
- erect ears
- long legs
- short, stiff hair
- a long, tapering tail
- a long, slender muzzle



Perspectives: Hybrid prediction & control

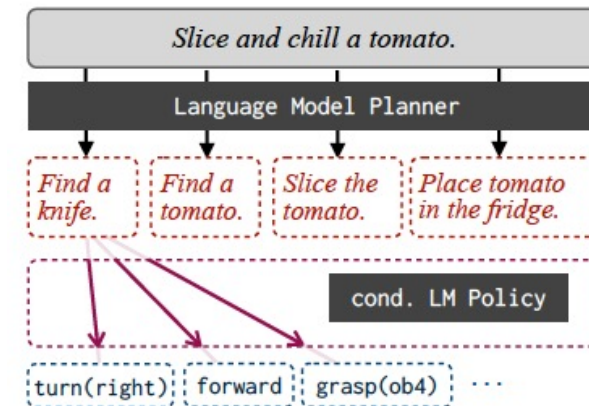
Hybrid physical models

- Physical prior in model-based RL [6]



Language and control

- LLM as controllers [7]
- Hybrid methods: language, control, knowledge bases, etc



[6] Physics-Informed Model-Based Reinforcement Learning. 5th Annual Conference on Learning for Dynamics and Control, 2023

[7] Skill Induction and Planning with Latent Language. P. Sharma, A. Torralba, J. Andreas. ACL 2022.

Thank you for your attention!

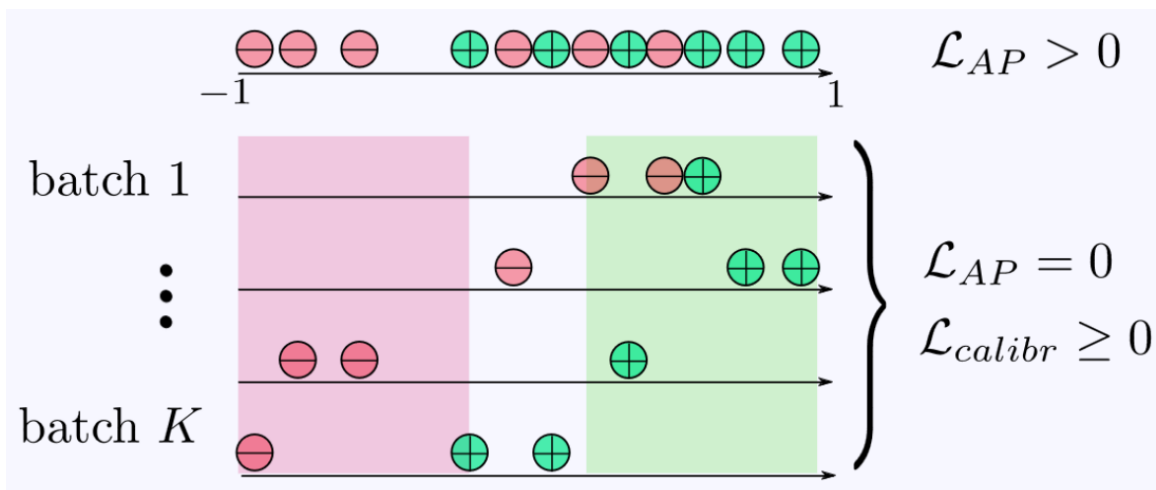
Questions?

Robustness: direct metric optimization

- **Optimization of non-decomposable losses**

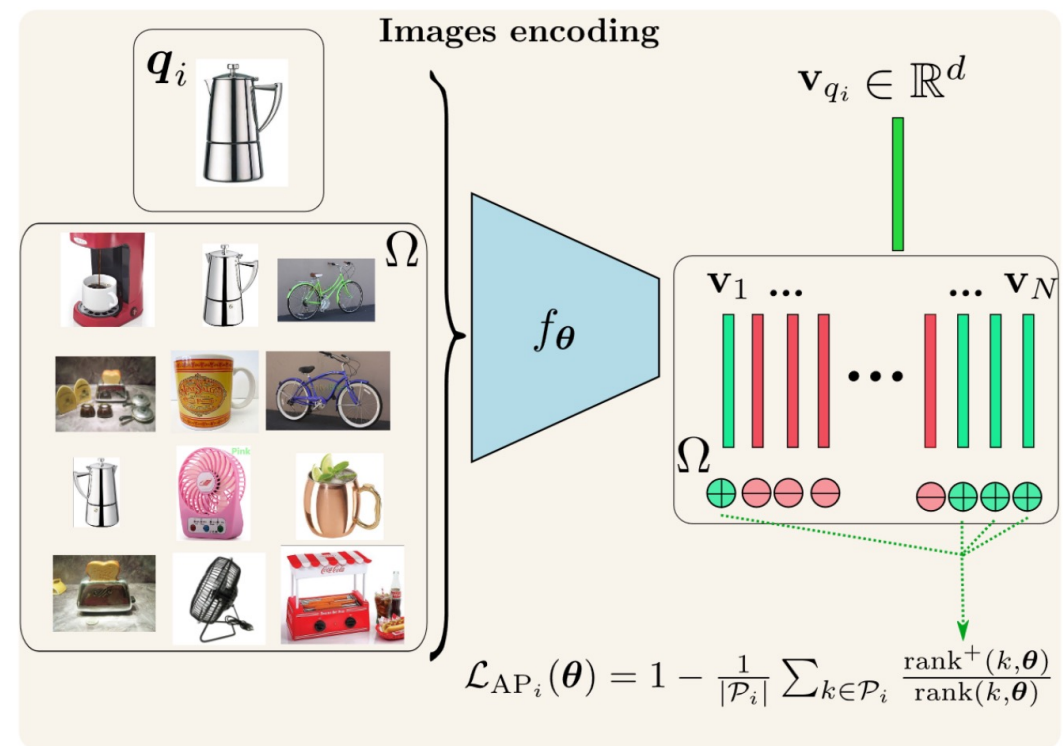
- e.g. rank losses in image retrieval: Average Precision (AP), Recall@k, etc

- **Decomposability gap:** $DG_{AP}(\theta) = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{b=1}^K AP_i^b(\theta) - AP_i(\theta)$



ROADMAP [RTR+21]:

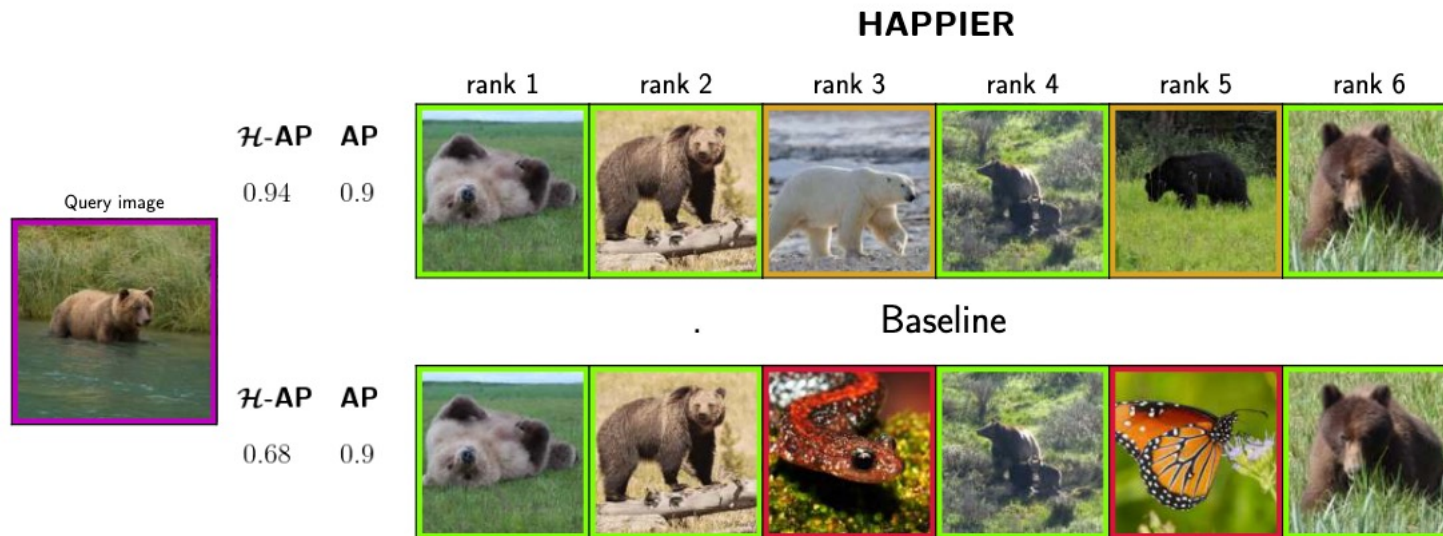
- \mathcal{L}_{calibr} : \downarrow decomposability gap
- Robust wrt batch size



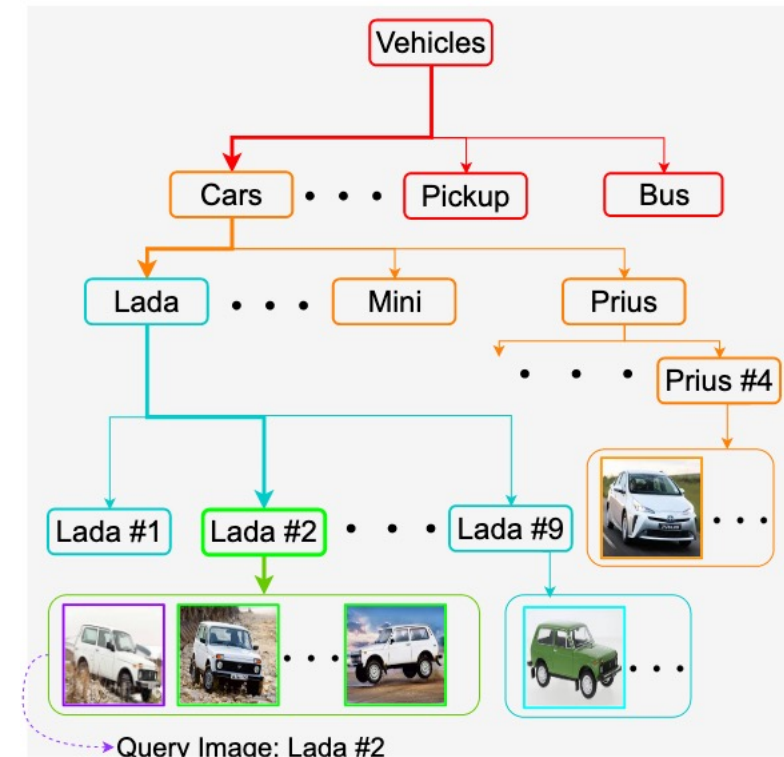
$$\mathcal{L}_{ROADMAP}(\theta) = (1 - \lambda) \cdot \mathcal{L}_{SupAP}(\theta) + \lambda \cdot \mathcal{L}_{calibr.}(\theta)$$

Optimization of hierarchical metrics

- Extension to hierarchical metrics
- **HAPPIER [RAT+22]:** Hierarchical Average Precision (H-AP) Training
 - Non-binary relevance, *e.g.* semantic tree between concepts



- Flat AP training: same score
- HAPPIER: favors top list



Data driven dynamics for CFD: EAGLE [JBN+23]

- Large-scale Learning of Turbulent Fluid Dynamics with Mesh Transformers
 - New dataset for turbulent fluid dynamics
 - New mesh-transformer architecture with graph pooling

