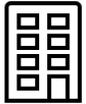


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# Dataset Distillation

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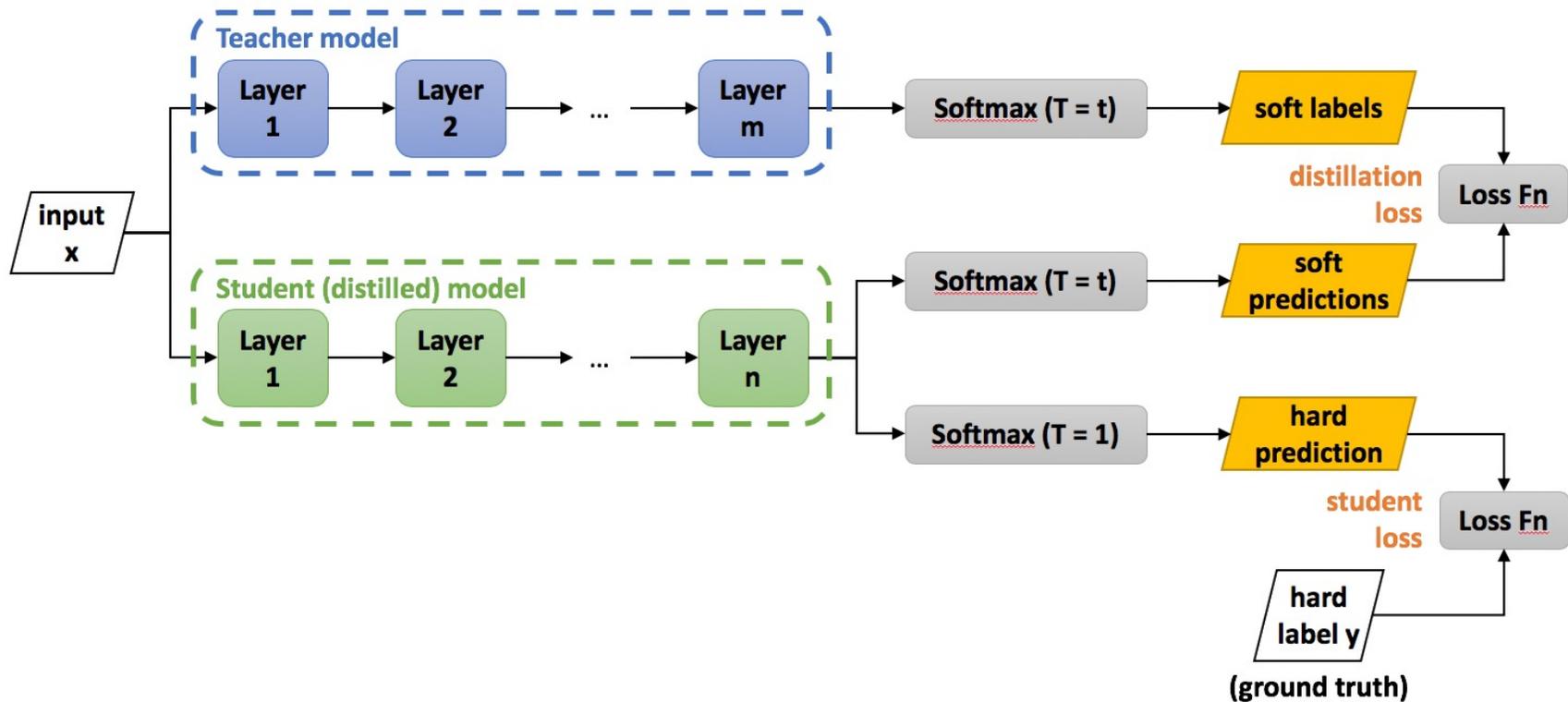
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  - Referred to Teacher-student model
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    - Student : Small model



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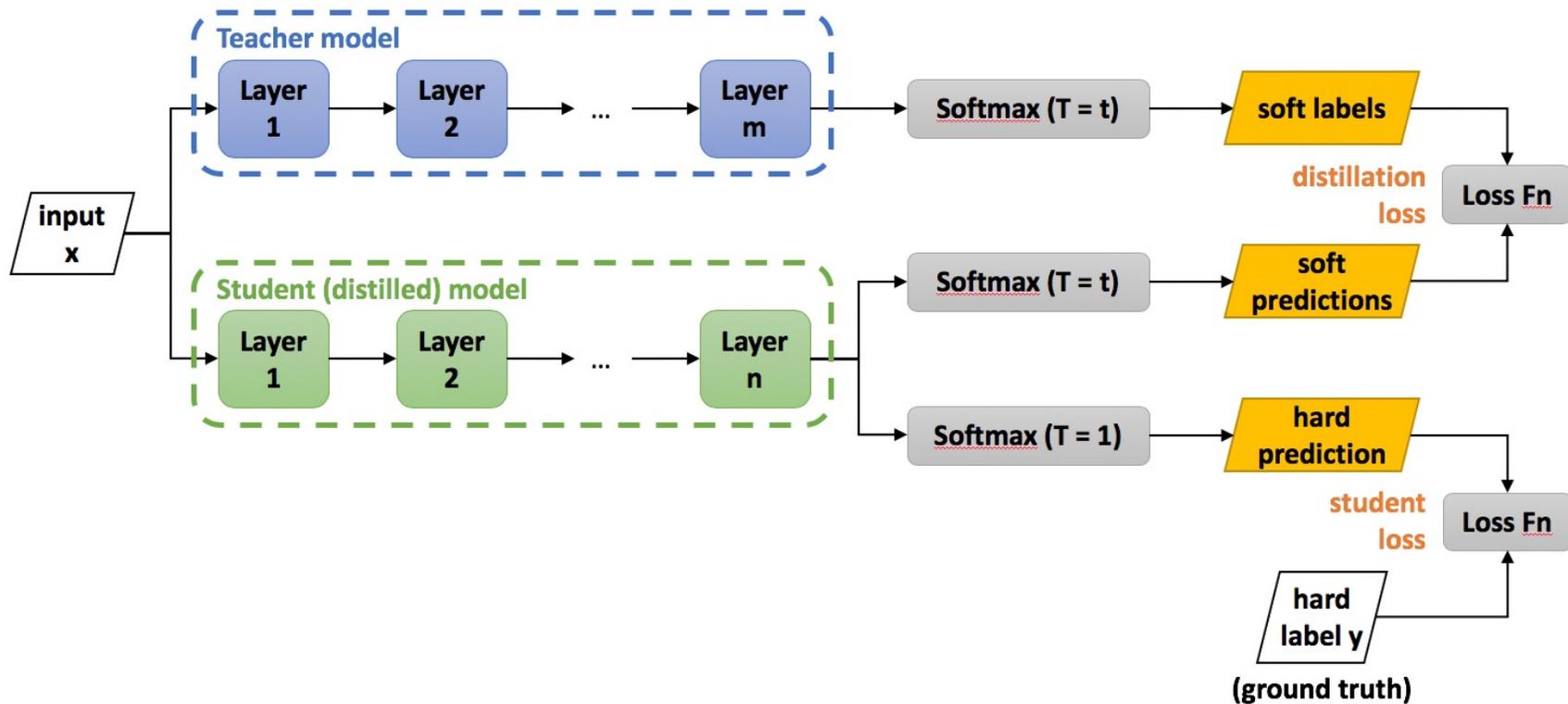
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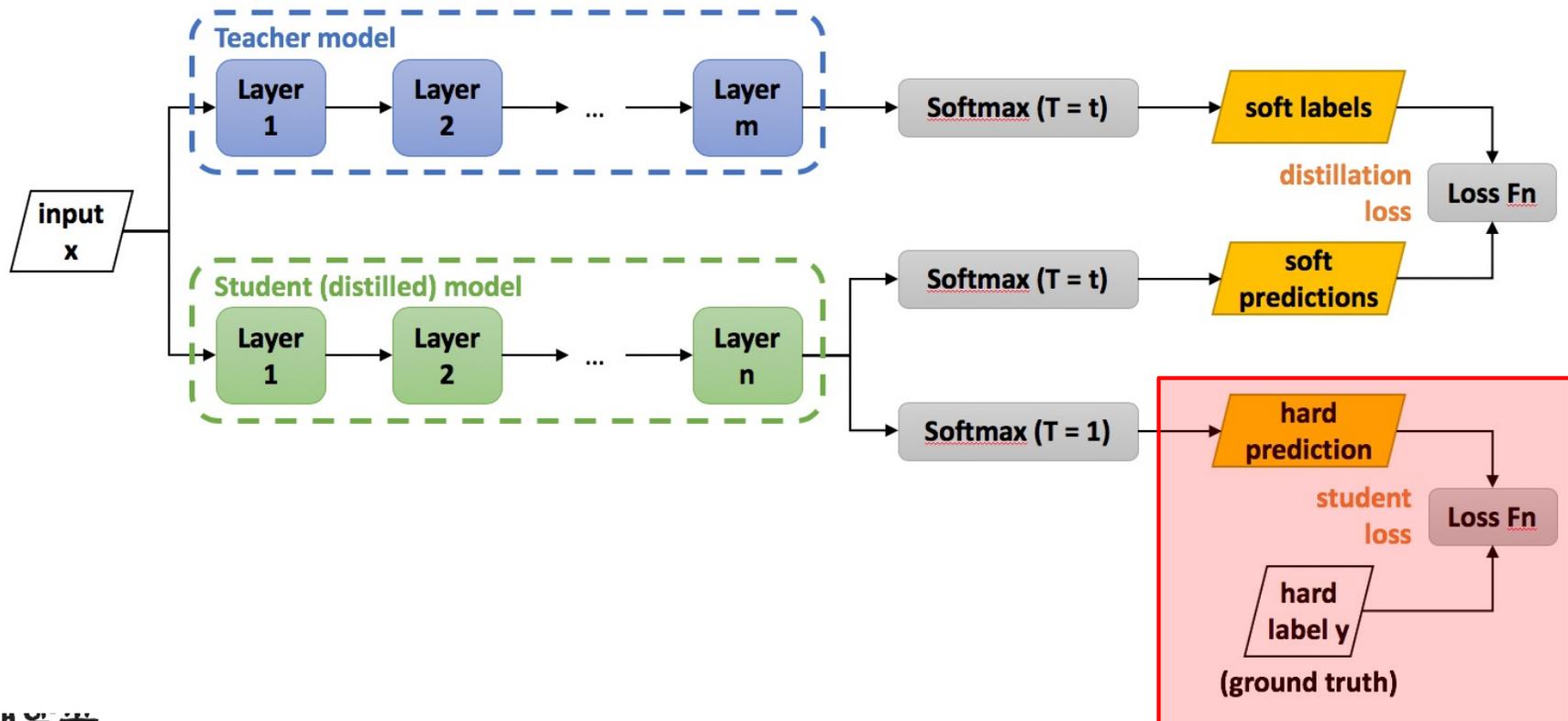
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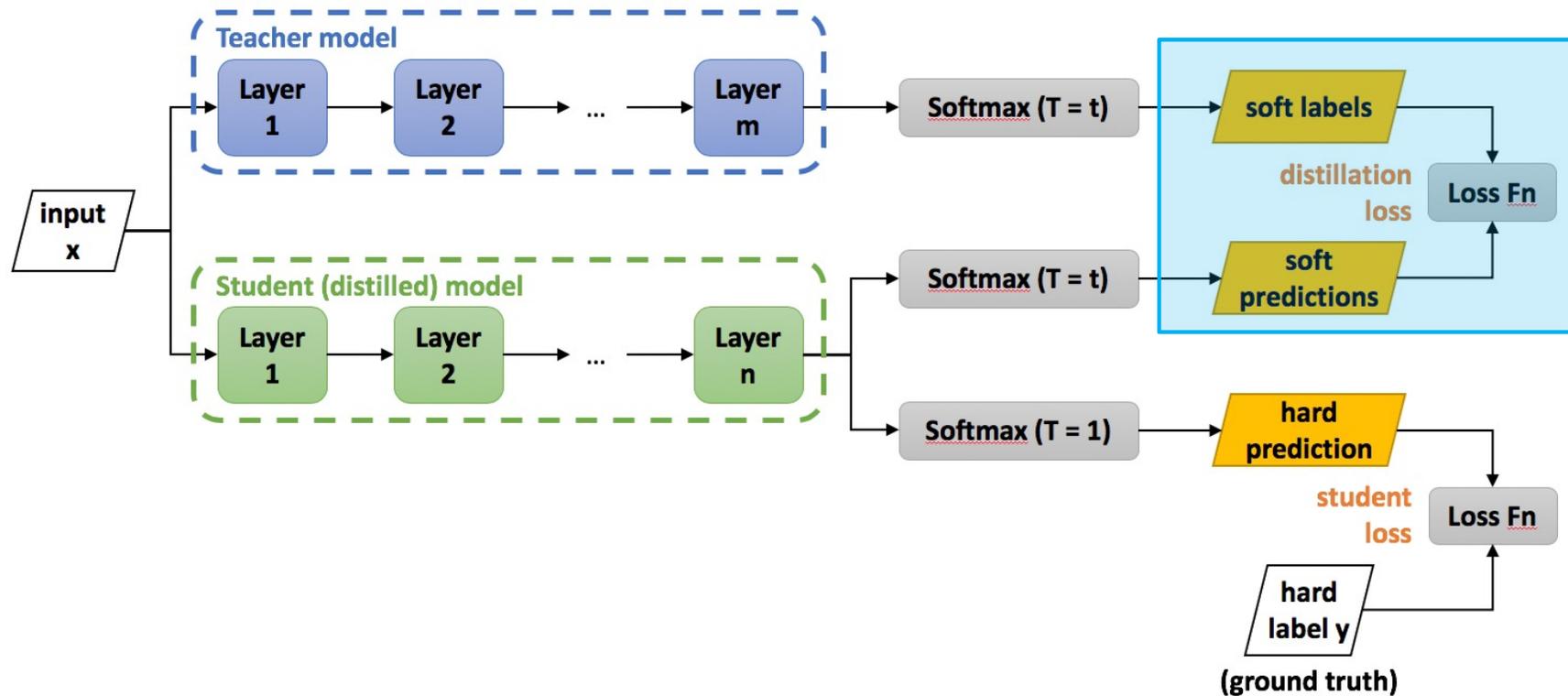
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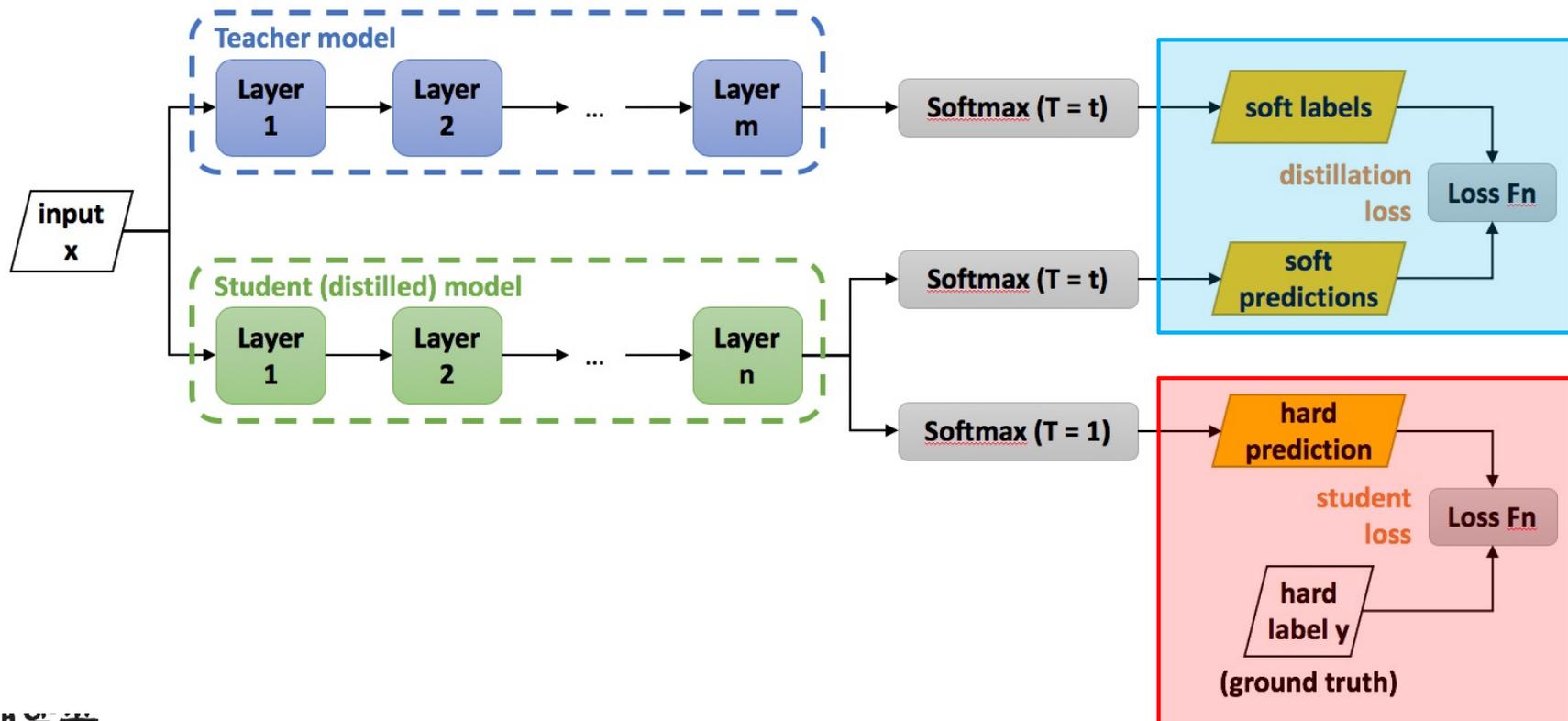
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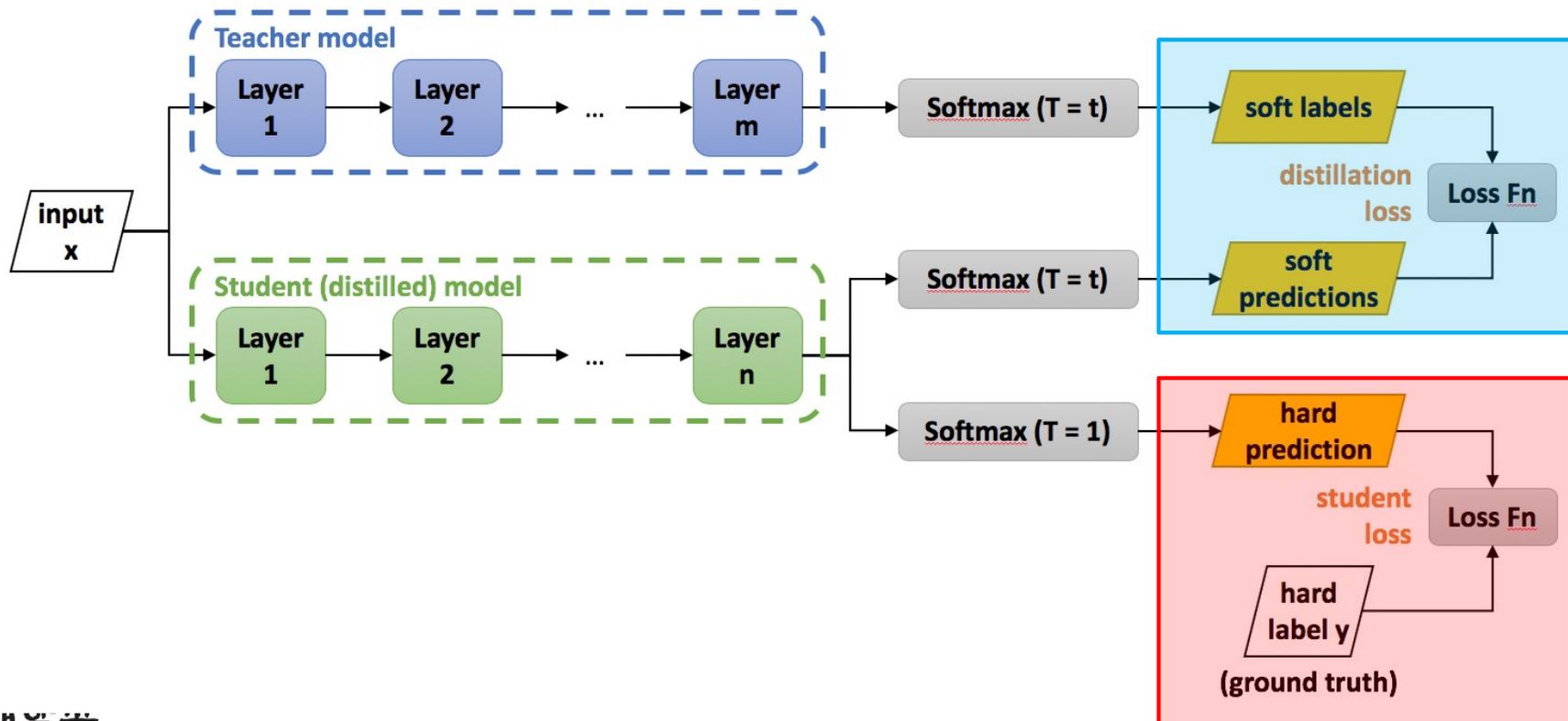
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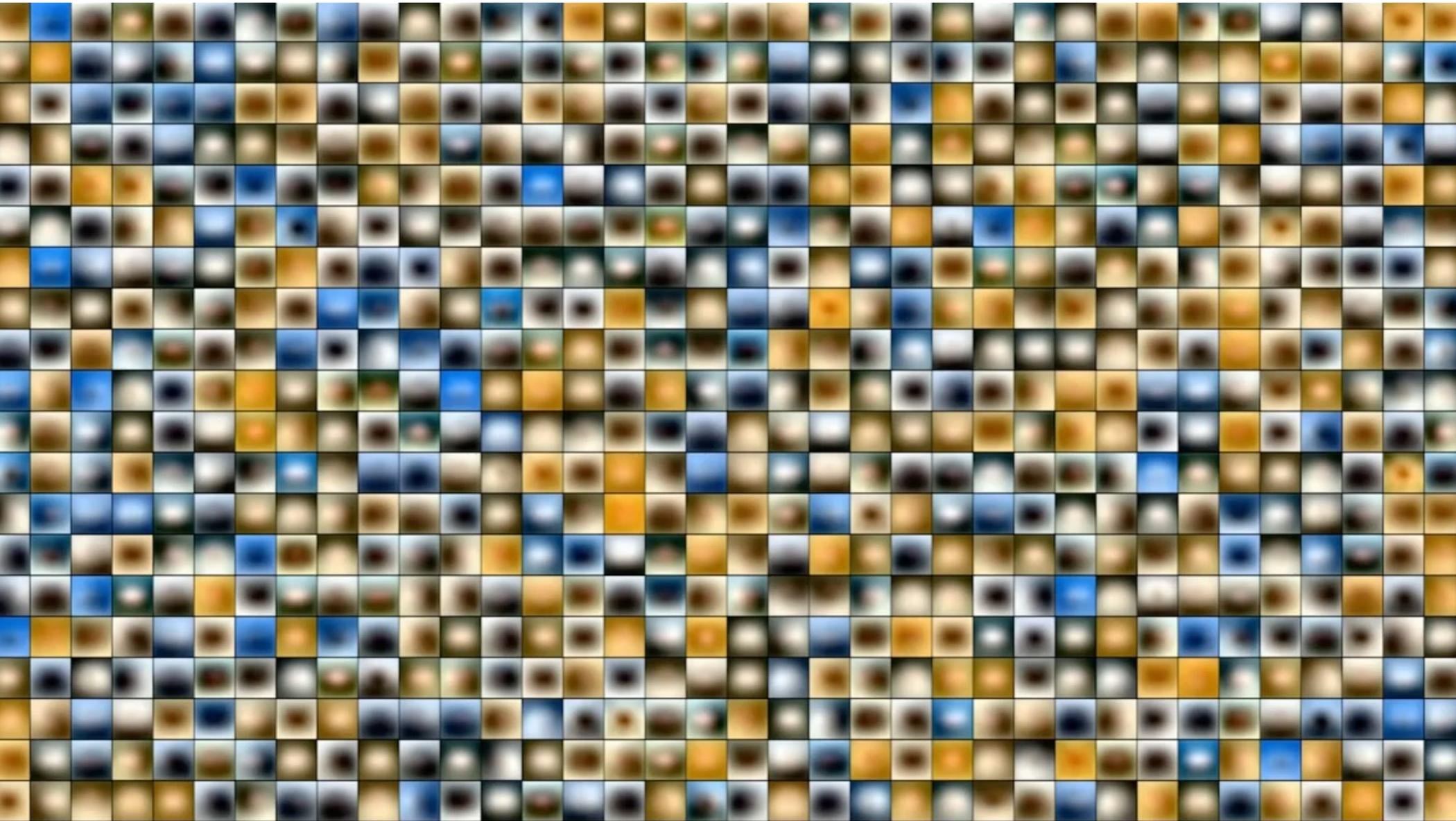
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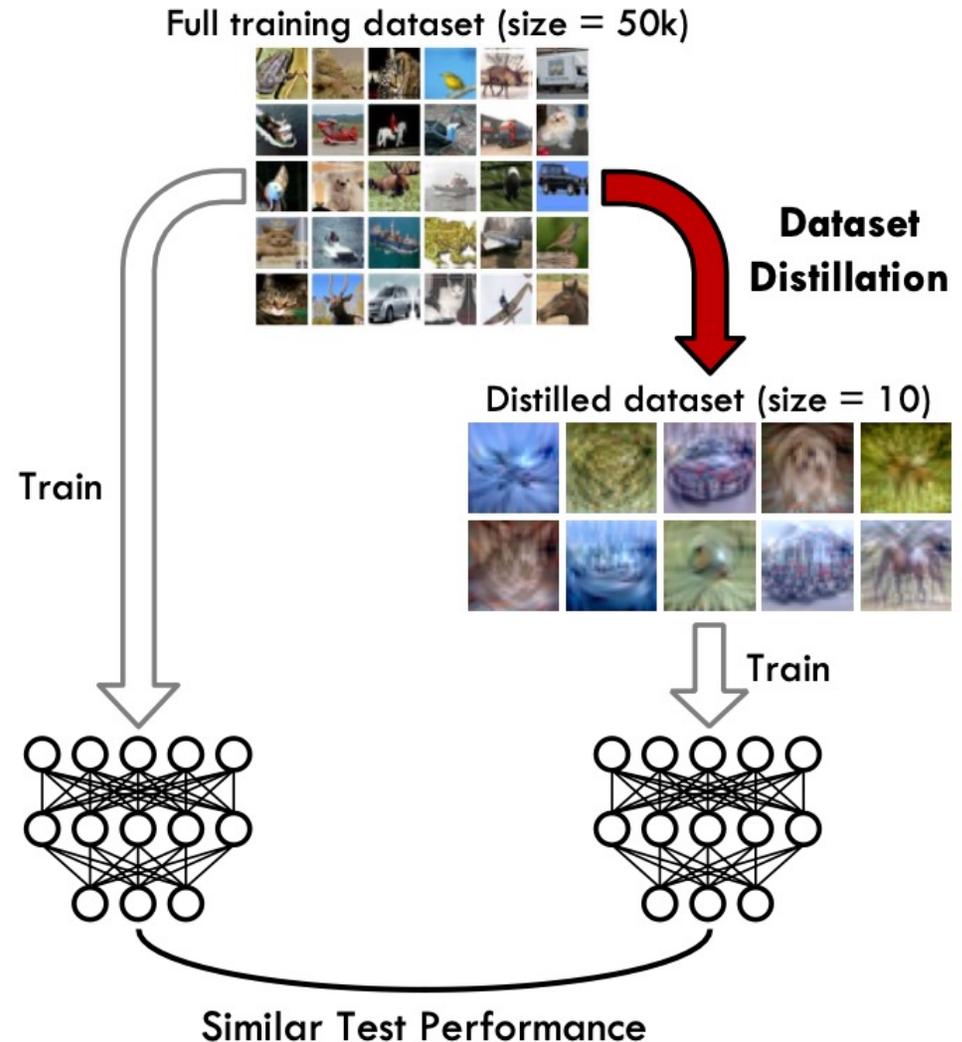


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- Goal
  - Distill the knowledge from a large training dataset into a very small set of synthetic training images.
  - Training a model on the distilled data would give a similar test performance as training one on the original dataset.



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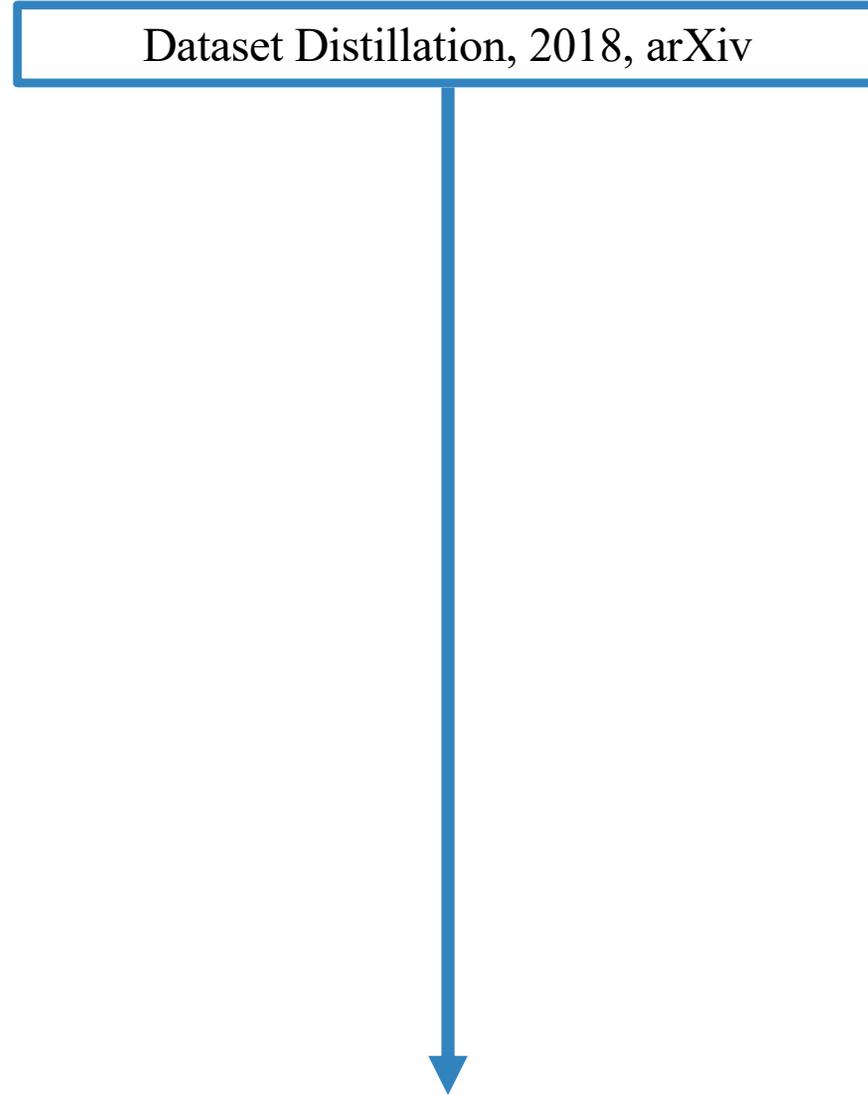
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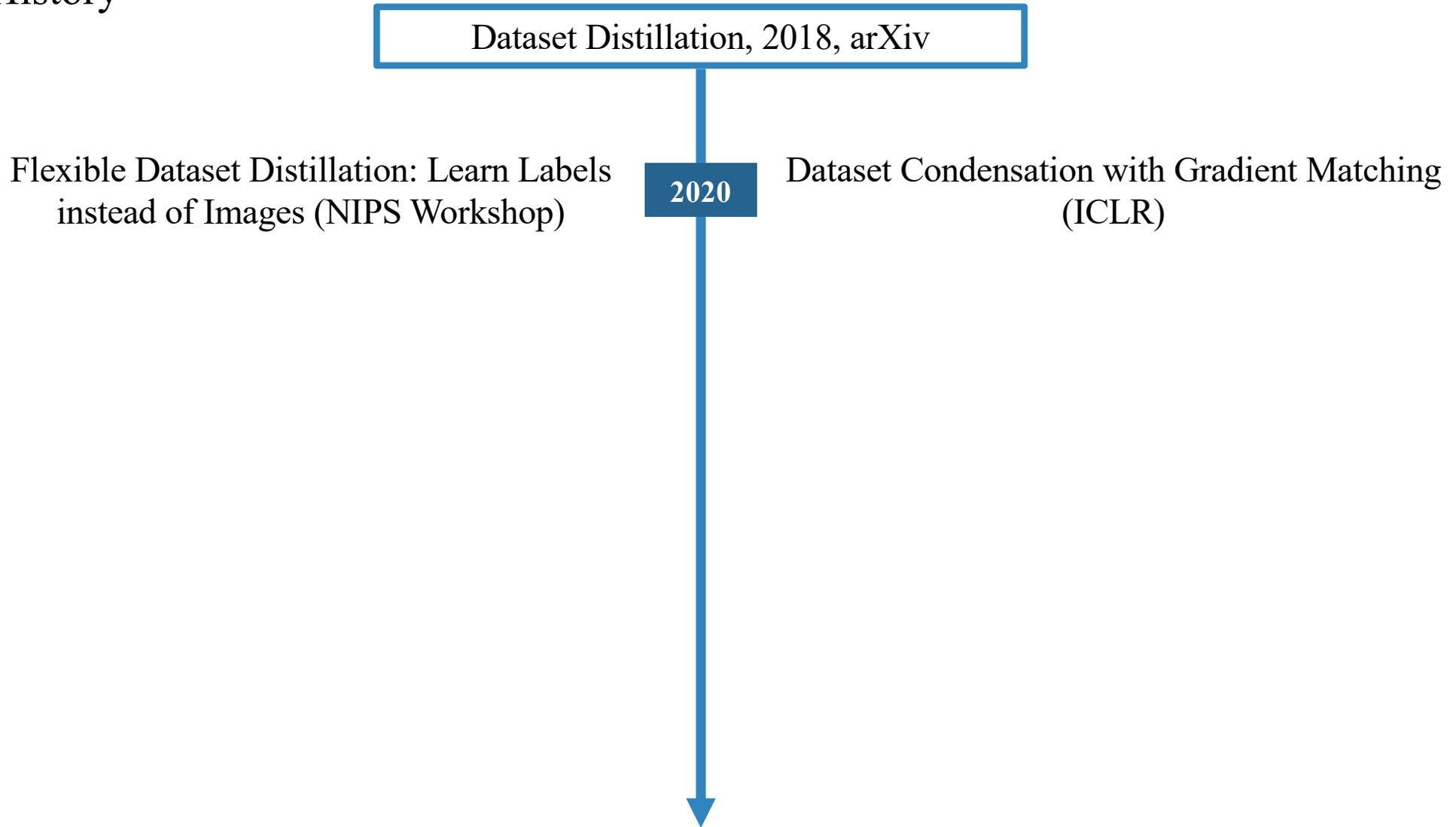
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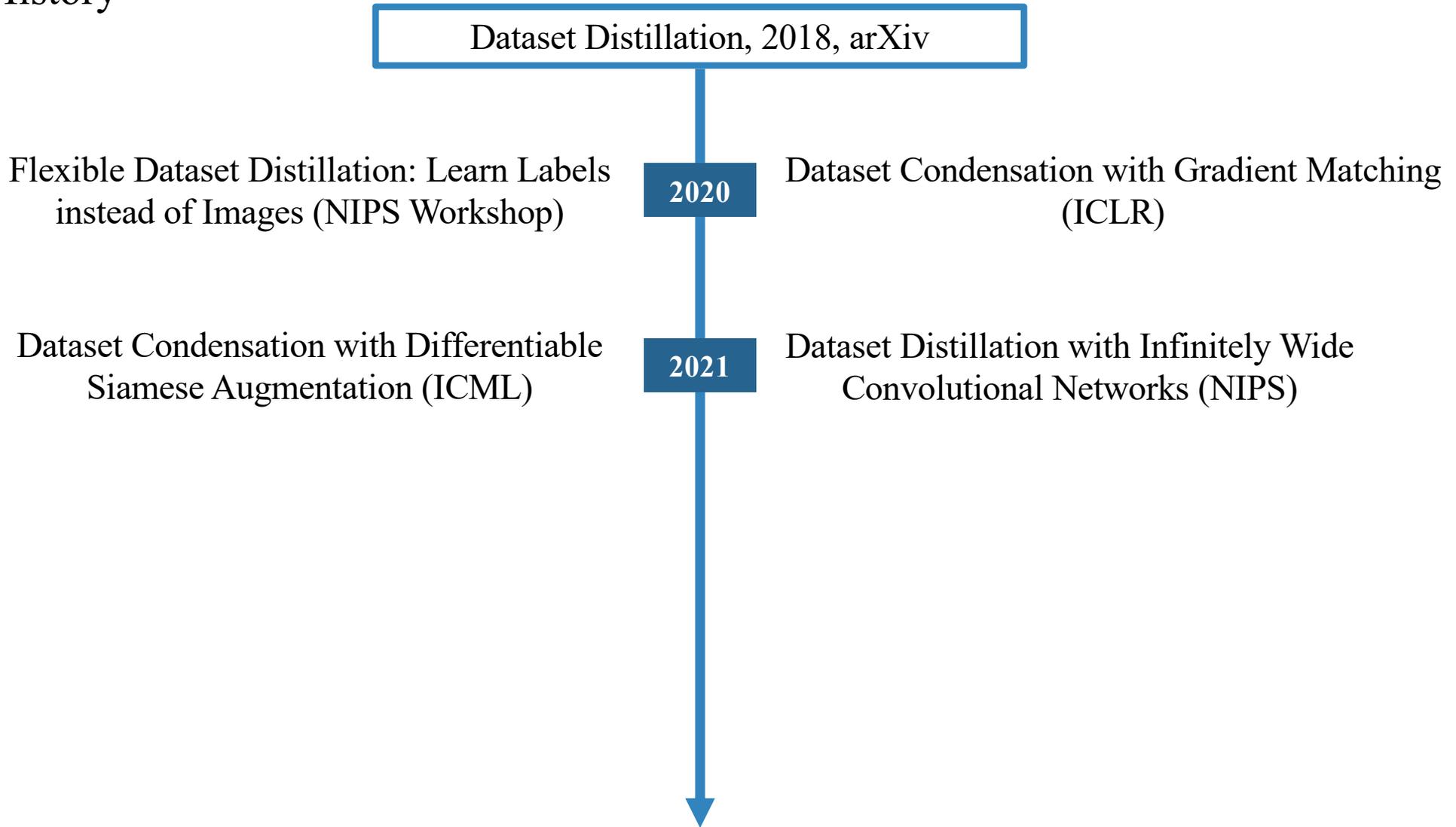
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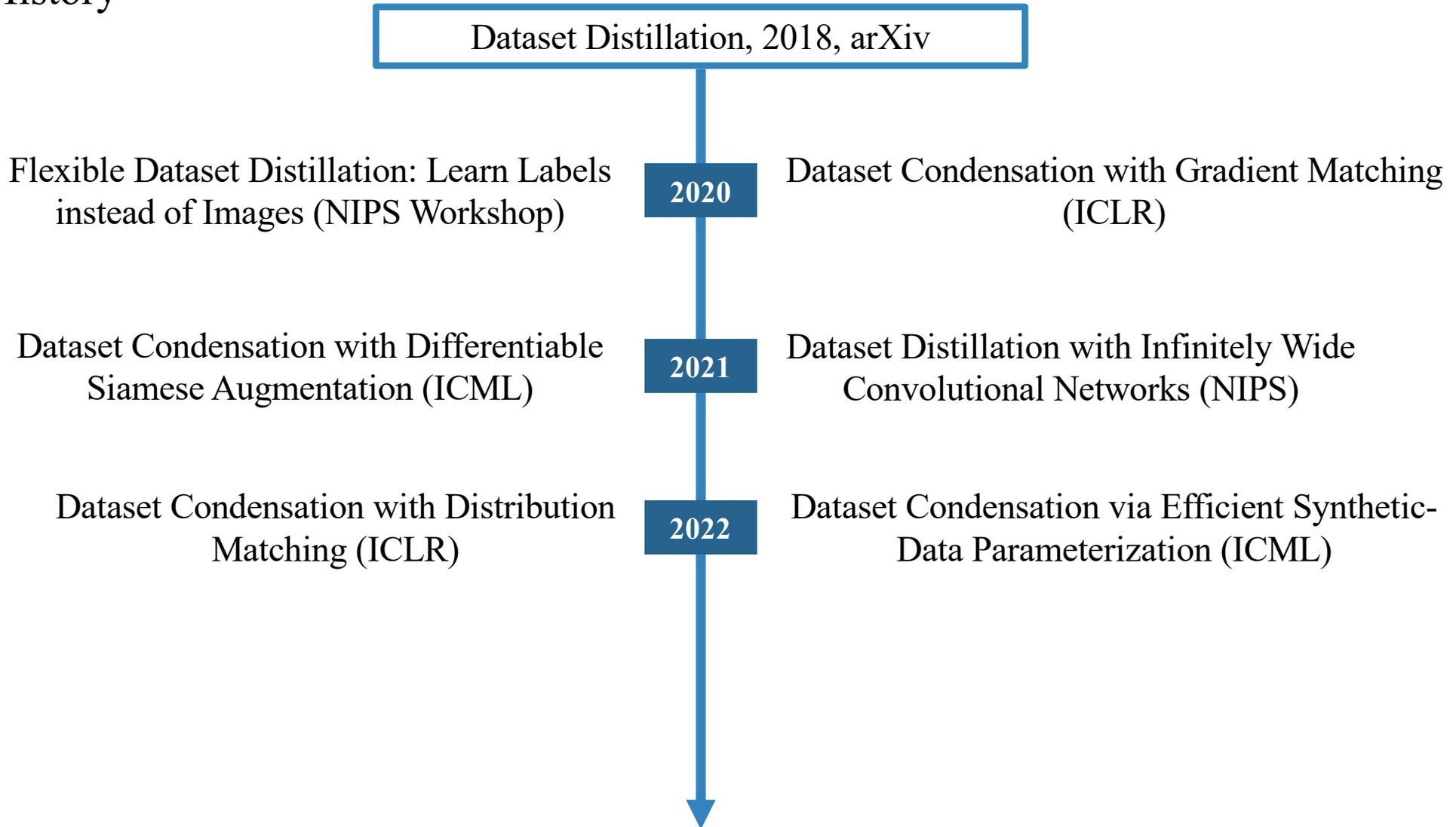
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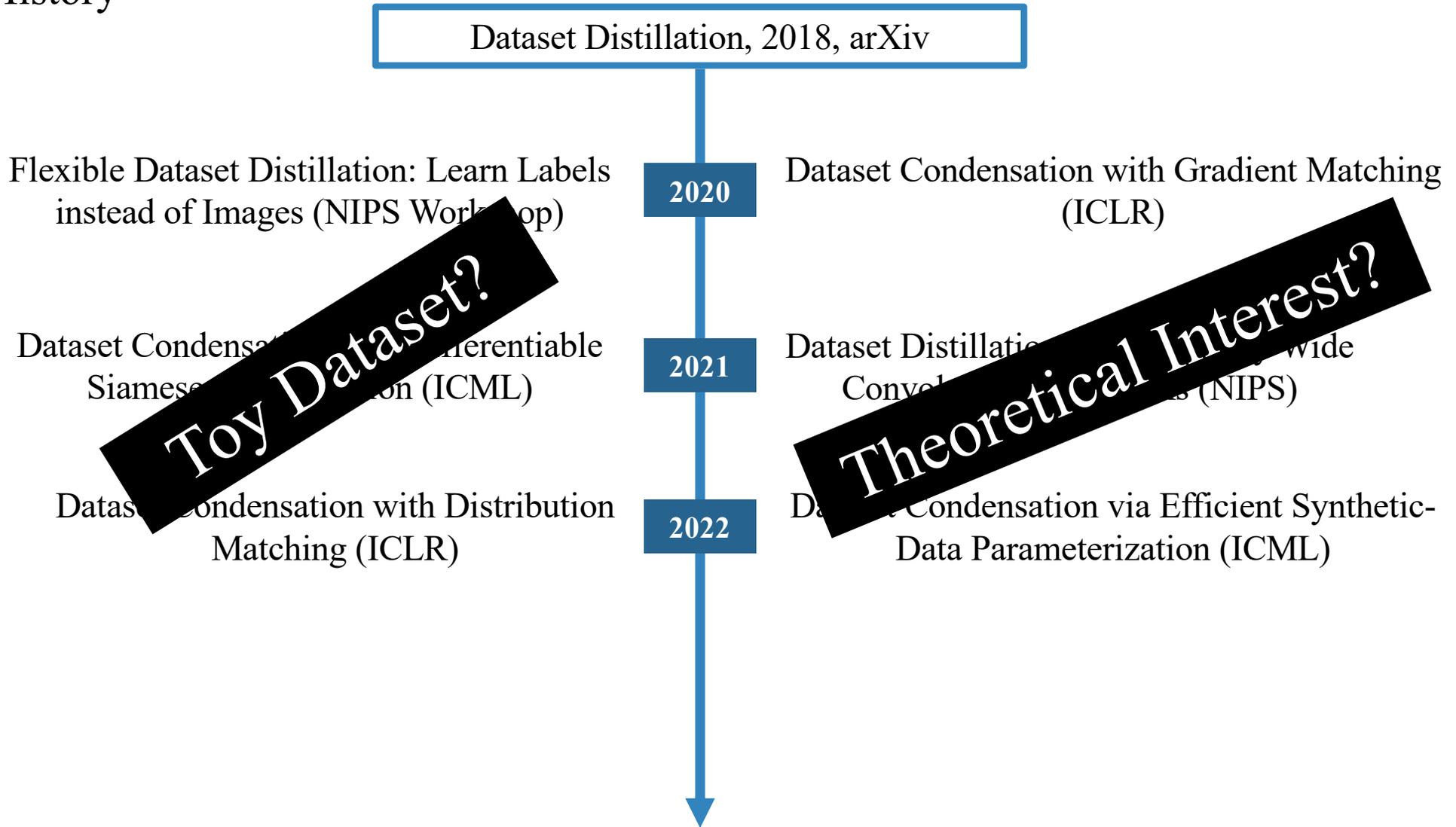
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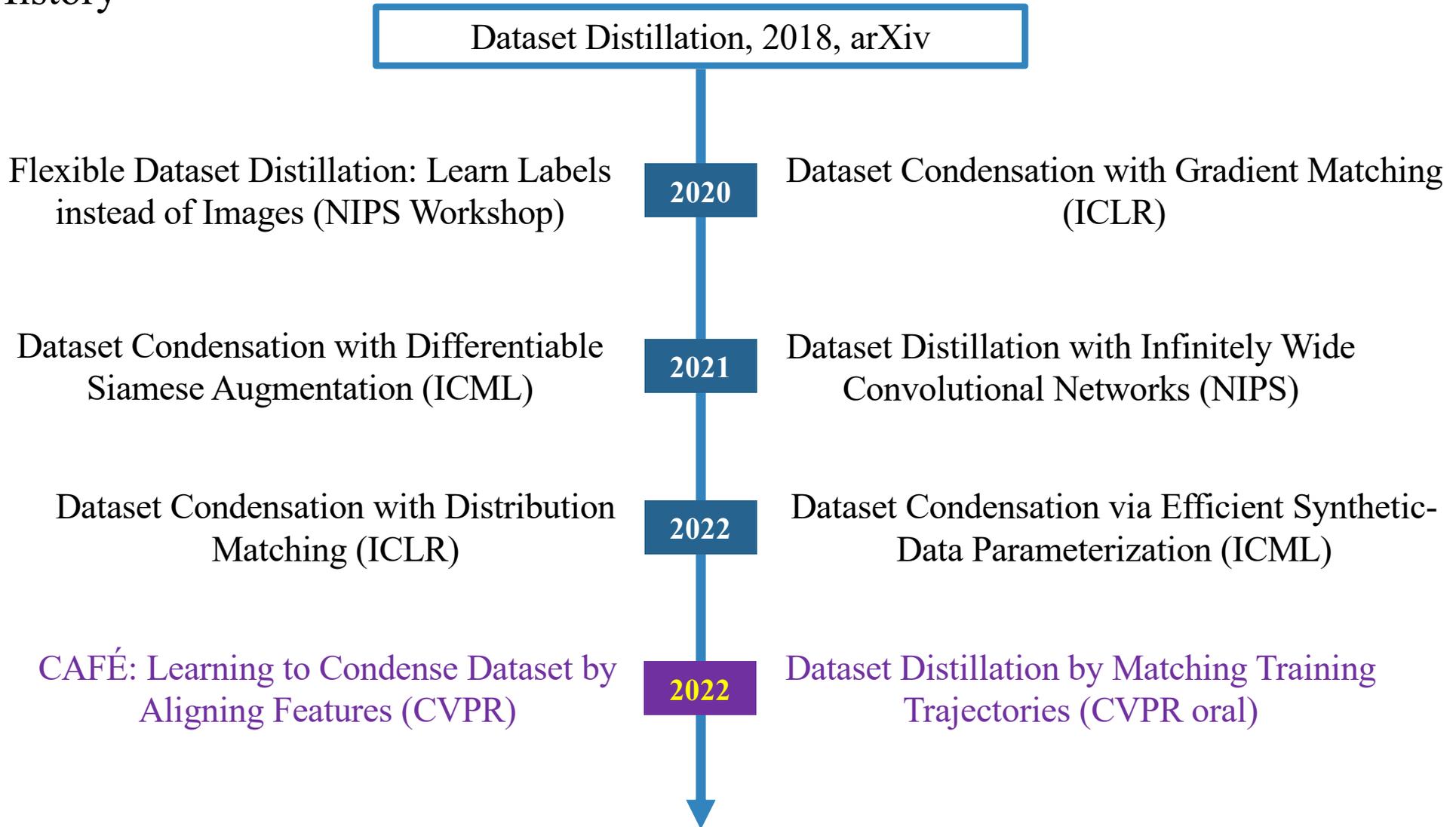
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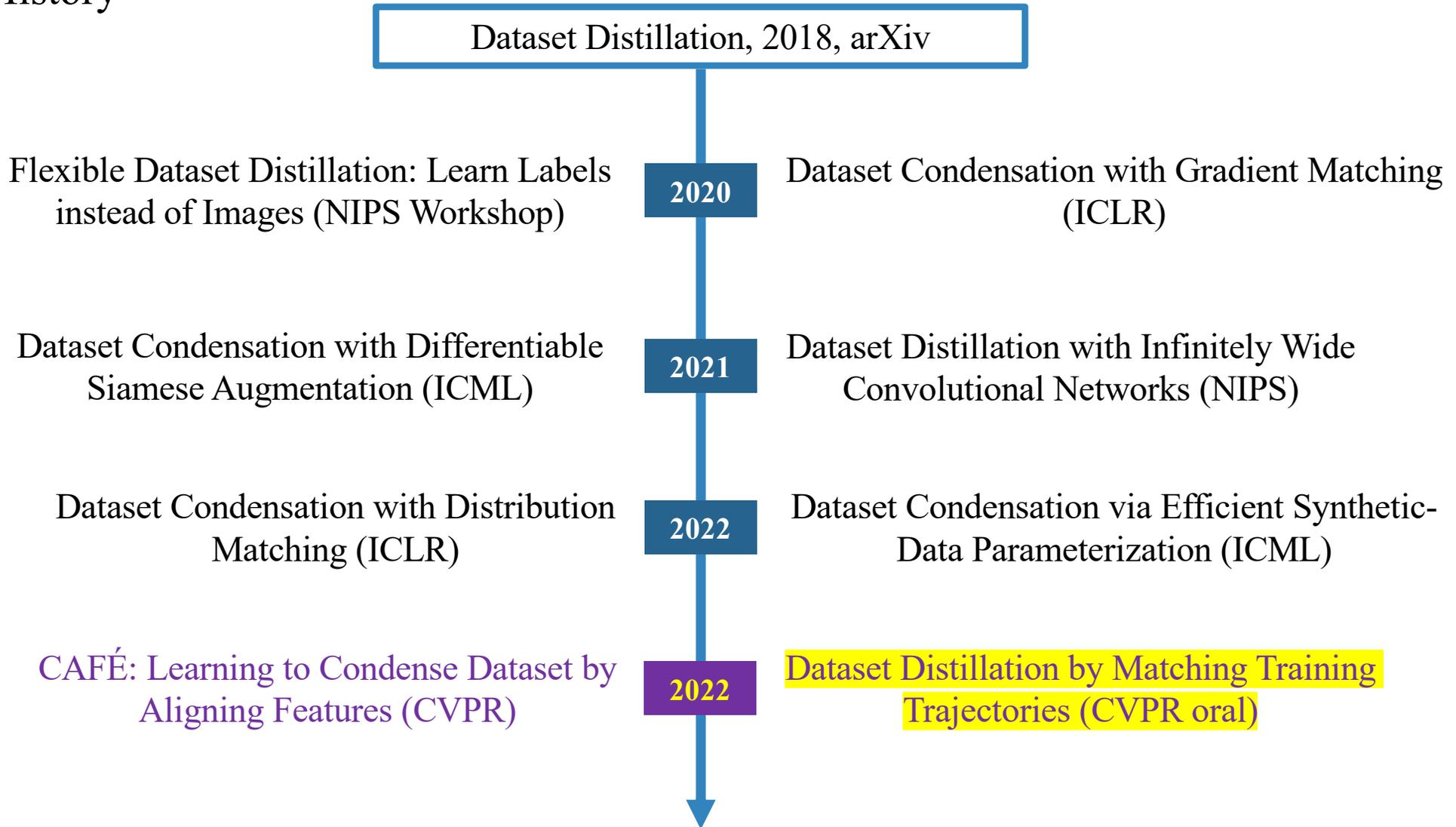
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# Matching Training Trajectories<sup>3)</sup>

- New formulation that optimizes our distilled data
- Train the network for several iterations on our distilled data and optimize the distilled data
- Outperform existing methods & allow us to distill higher-resolution visual data



# Matching Training Trajectories<sup>3)</sup>

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## Algorithm 1 Dataset Distillation via Trajectory Matching

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**Input:**  $\{\tau_i^*\}$ : set of expert parameter trajectories trained on  $\mathcal{D}_{\text{real}}$ .

**Input:**  $M$ : # of updates between starting and target expert params.

**Input:**  $N$ : # of updates to student network per distillation step.

**Input:**  $\mathcal{A}$ : Differentiable augmentation function.

**Input:**  $T^+ < T$ : Maximum start epoch.

1: Initialize distilled data  $\mathcal{D}_{\text{syn}} \sim \mathcal{D}_{\text{real}}$

2: Initialize trainable learning rate  $\alpha := \alpha_0$  for apply  $\mathcal{D}_{\text{syn}}$

3: **for each** distillation step... **do**

4:     ▷ Sample expert trajectory:  $\tau^* \sim \{\tau_i^*\}$  with  $\tau^* = \{\theta_t^*\}_0^T$

5:     ▷ Choose random start epoch,  $t \leq T^+$

6:     ▷ Initialize student network with expert params:

7:          $\hat{\theta}_t := \theta_t^*$

8:     **for**  $n = 0 \rightarrow N - 1$  **do**

9:         ▷ Sample a mini-batch of distilled images:

10:              $b_{t+n} \sim \mathcal{D}_{\text{syn}}$

11:         ▷ Update student network w.r.t. classification loss:

12:              $\hat{\theta}_{t+n+1} = \hat{\theta}_{t+n} - \alpha \nabla \ell(\mathcal{A}(b_{t+n}); \hat{\theta}_{t+n})$

13:     **end for**

14:     ▷ Compute loss between ending student and expert params:

15:          $\mathcal{L} = \|\hat{\theta}_{t+N} - \theta_{t+M}^*\|_2^2 / \|\theta_t^* - \theta_{t+M}^*\|_2^2$

16:     ▷ Update  $\mathcal{D}_{\text{syn}}$  and  $\alpha$  with respect to  $\mathcal{L}$

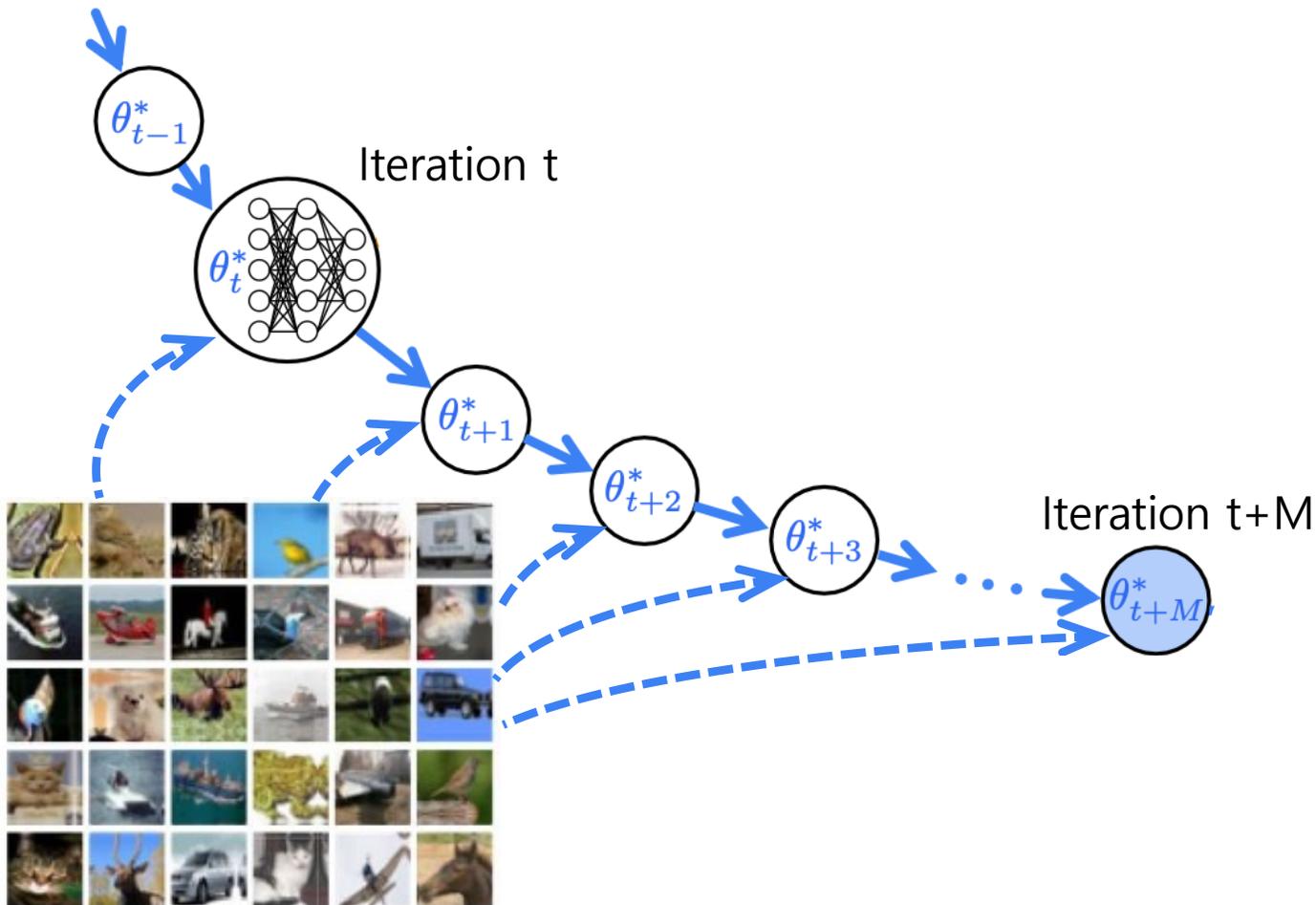
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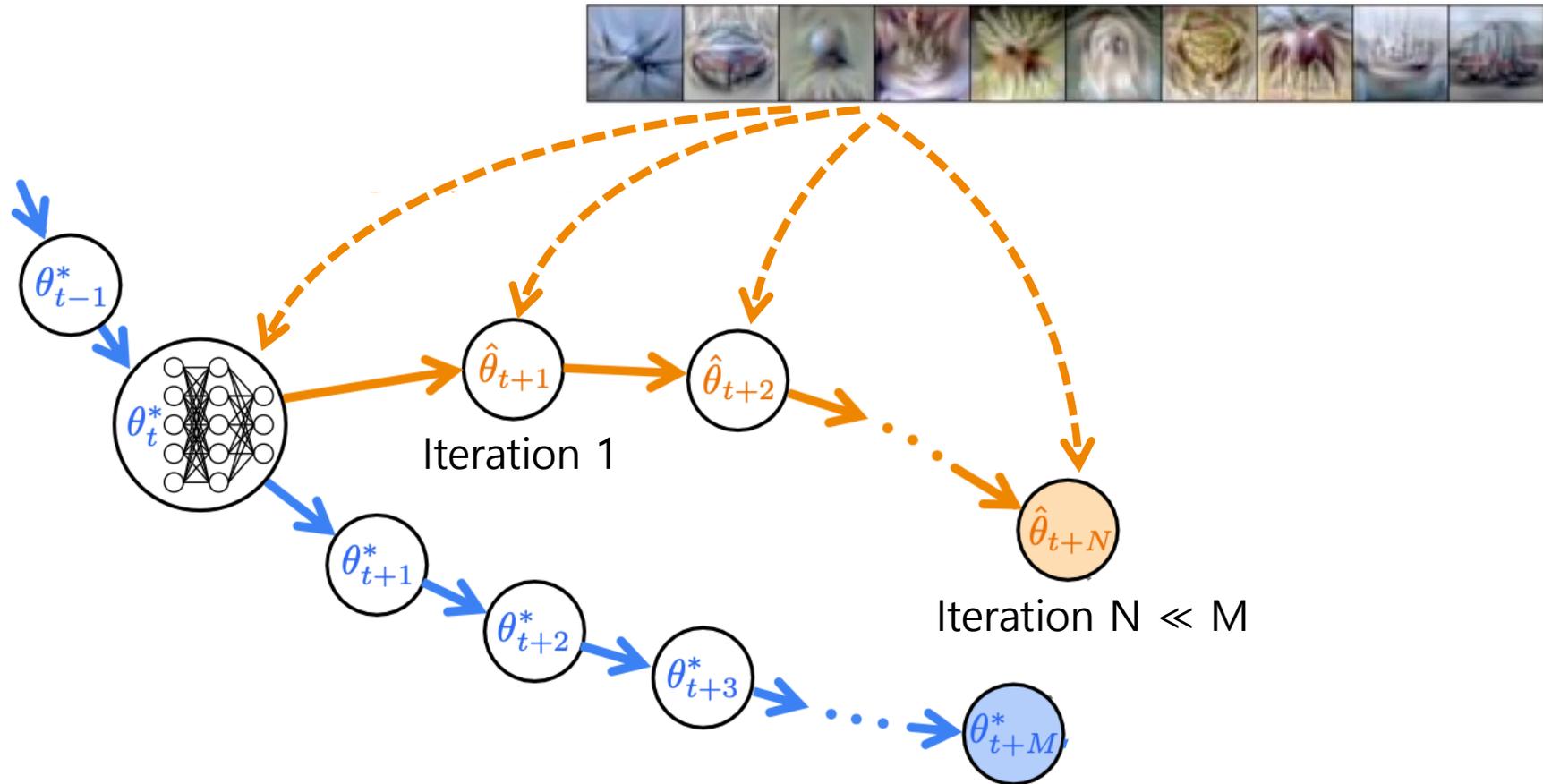
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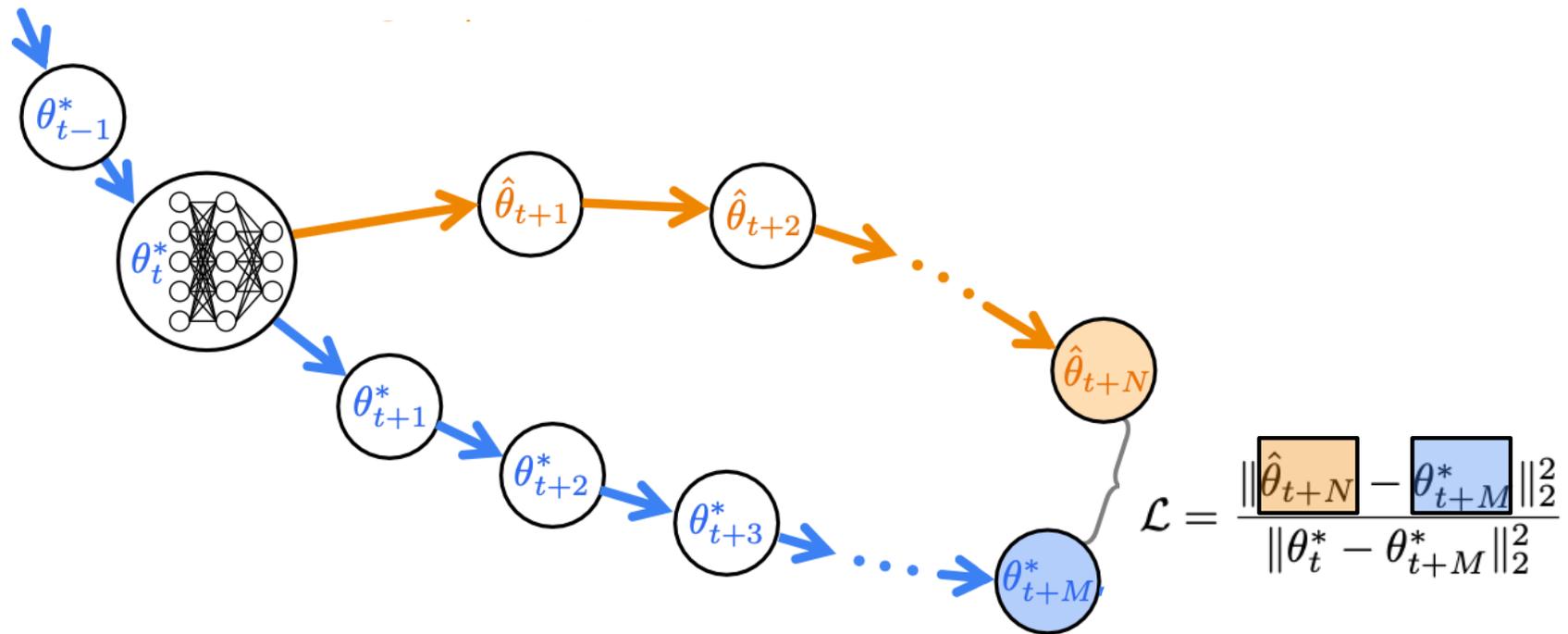


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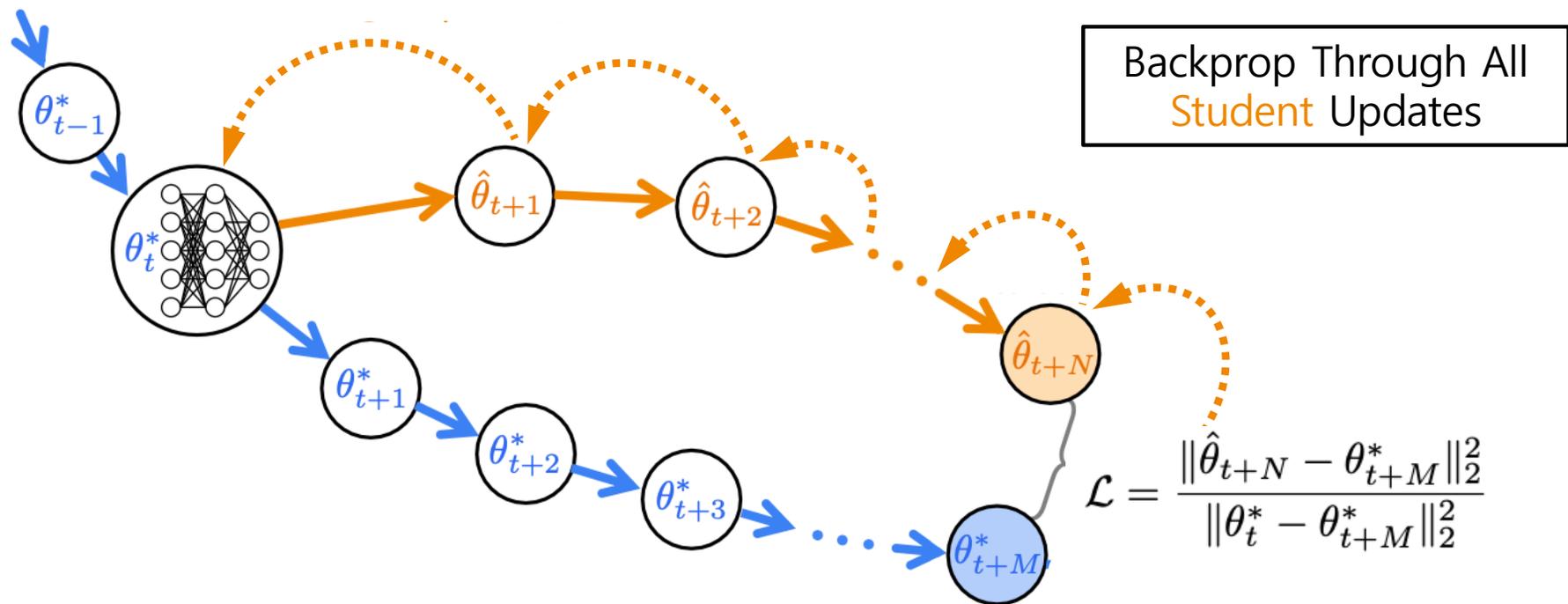
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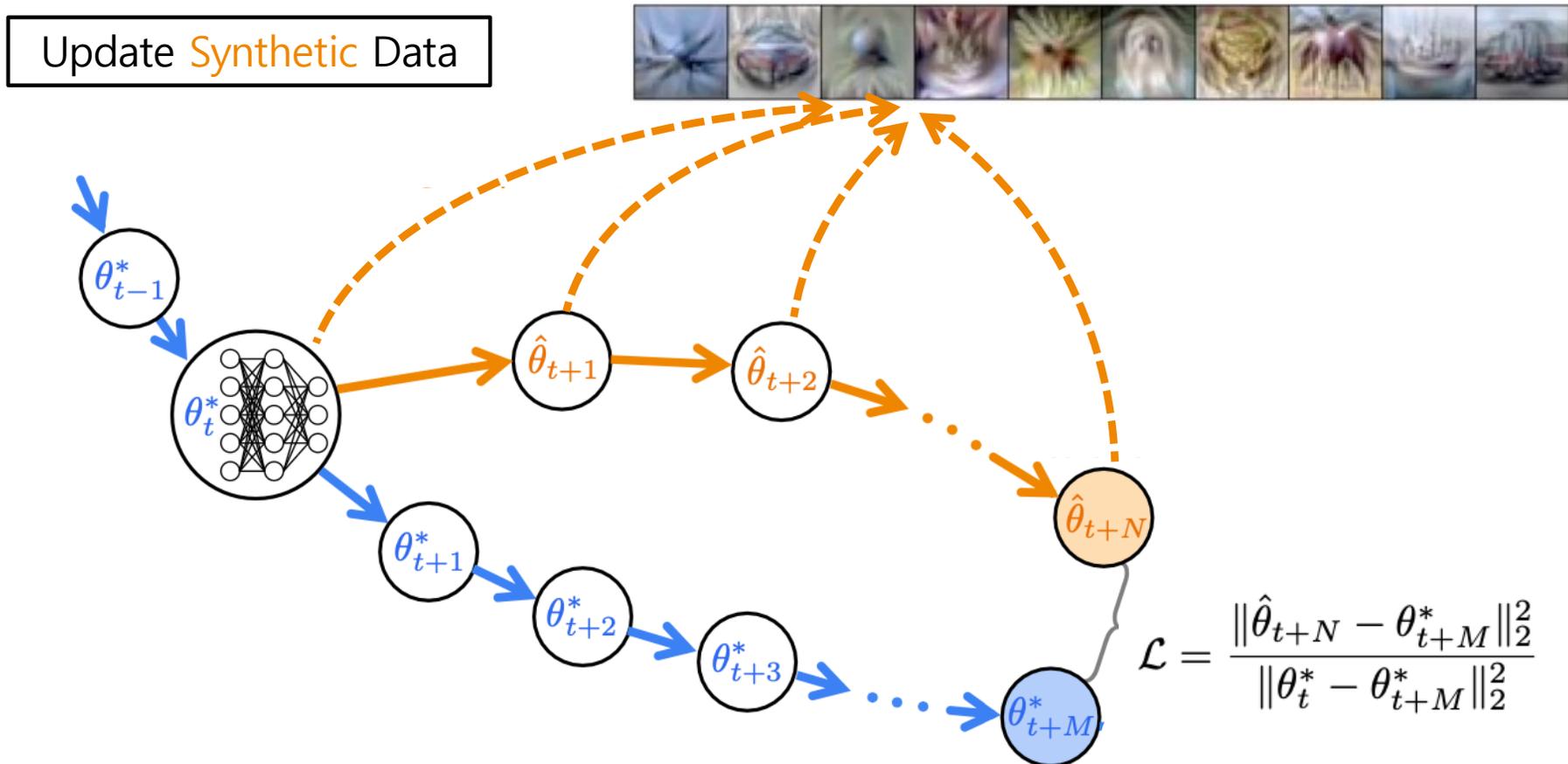


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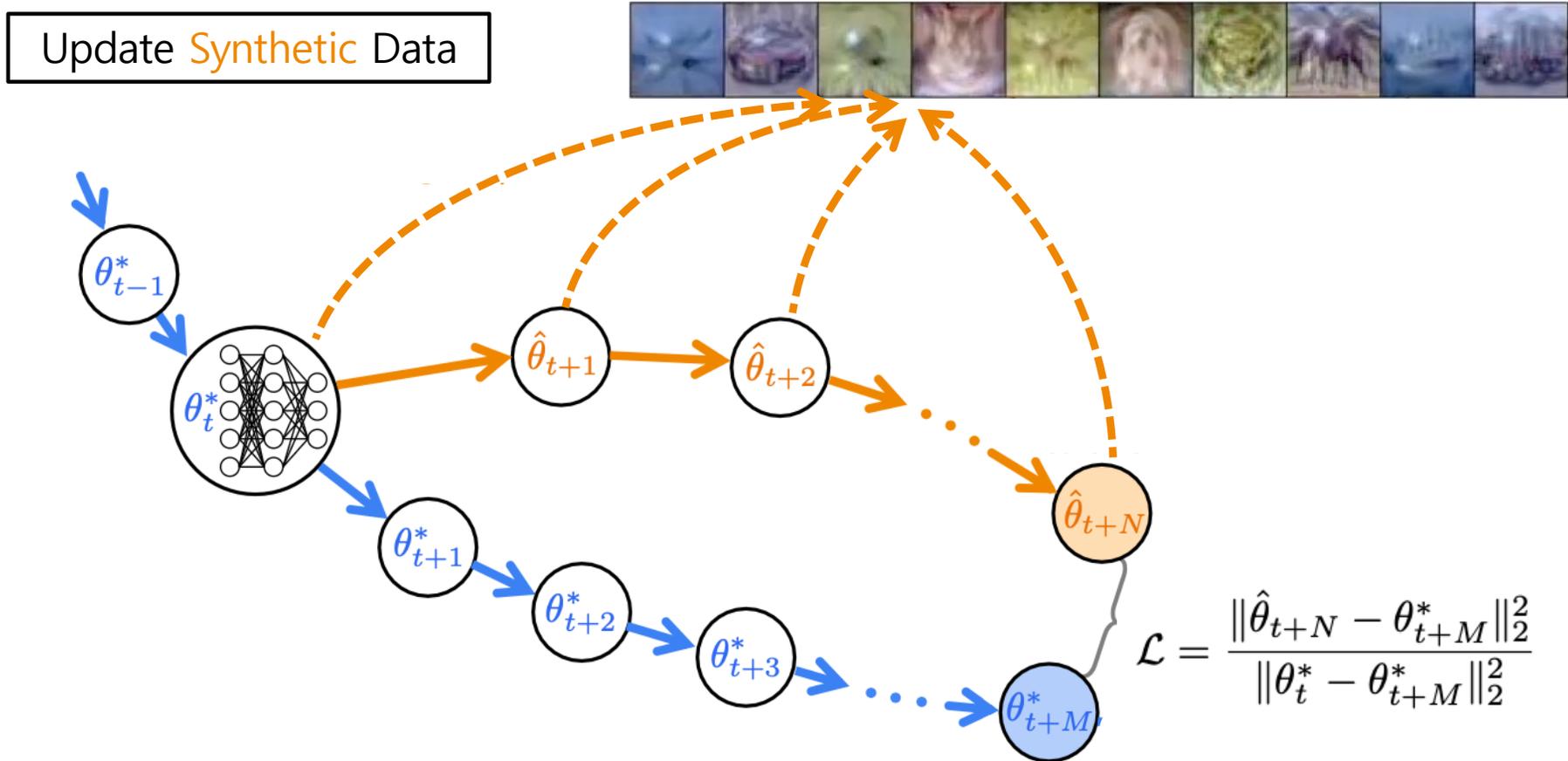
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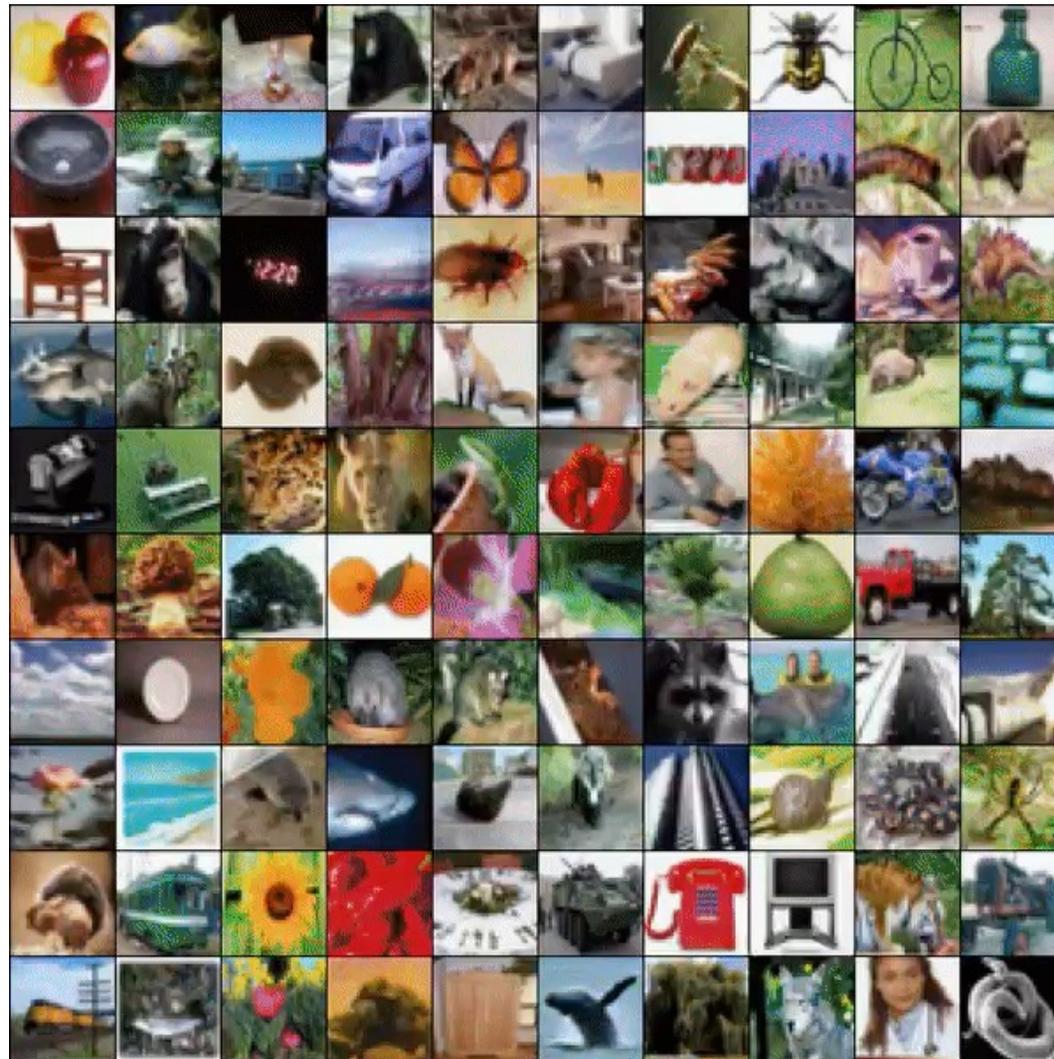


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1000 distillation iterations of CIFAR-100, 1 image/class



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- Experiments
  - 32×32 CIFAR-10 and CIFAR-100
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	50	1	-	42.5 ± 0.4	53.9 ± 0.5	60.6 ± 0.5	63.0 ± 0.4	55.5 ± 0.6	62.3 ± 0.4	<b>71.6 ± 0.2</b>	
CIFAR-100	1	0.2	-	11.5 ± 0.4	12.8 ± 0.3	13.9 ± 0.3	11.4 ± 0.3	12.9 ± 0.3	14.0 ± 0.3	<b>24.3 ± 0.3*</b>	56.2 ± 0.3
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- 128×128 ImageNet subsets

	ImageNette	ImageWoof	ImageFruit	ImageMeow	ImageSquawk	ImageYellow
1 Img/Cls	47.7 ± 0.9	28.6 ± 0.8	26.6 ± 0.8	30.7 ± 1.6	39.4 ± 1.5	45.2 ± 0.8
10 Img/Cls	63.0 ± 1.3	35.8 ± 1.8	40.3 ± 1.3	40.4 ± 2.2	52.3 ± 1.0	60.0 ± 1.5
Full Dataset	87.4 ± 1.0	67.0 ± 1.3	63.9 ± 2.0	66.7 ± 1.1	87.5 ± 0.3	84.4 ± 0.6

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	50	1	-	42.5 ± 0.4	53.9 ± 0.5	60.6 ± 0.5	63.0 ± 0.4	55.5 ± 0.6	62.3 ± 0.4	<b>71.6 ± 0.2</b>	
CIFAR-100	1	0.2	-	11.5 ± 0.4	12.8 ± 0.3	13.9 ± 0.3	11.4 ± 0.3	12.9 ± 0.3	14.0 ± 0.3	<b>24.3 ± 0.3*</b>	56.2 ± 0.3
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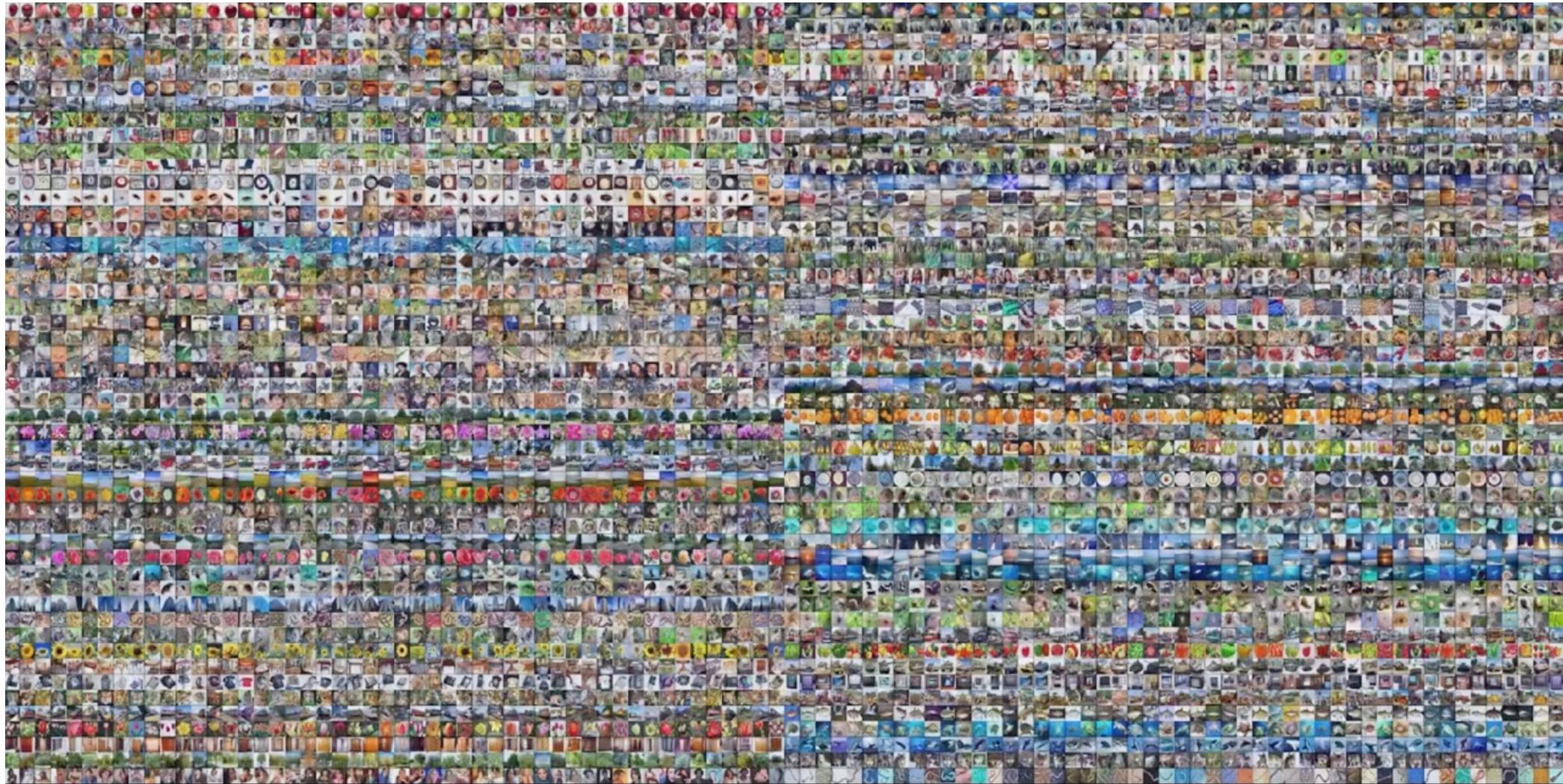
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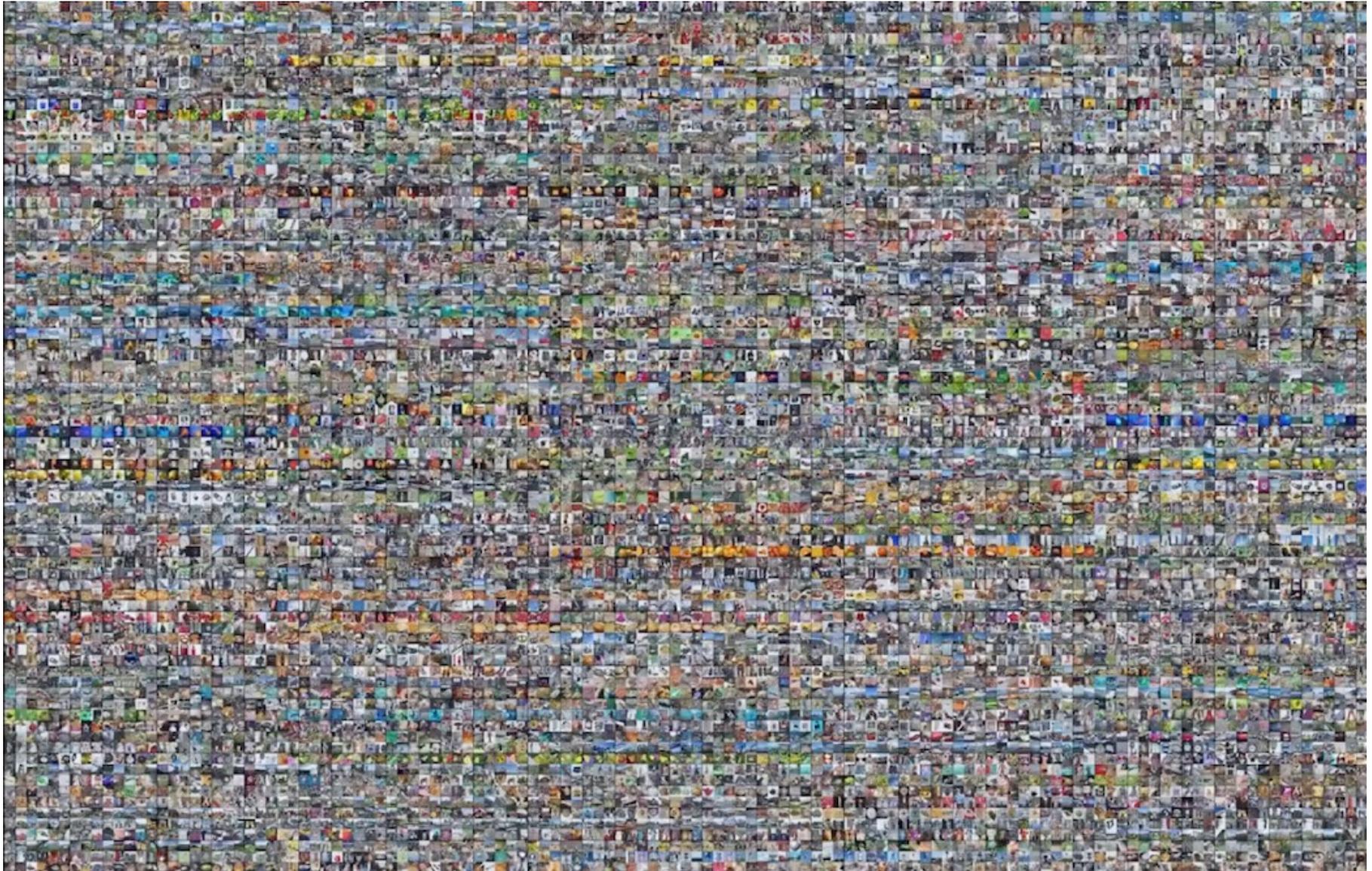
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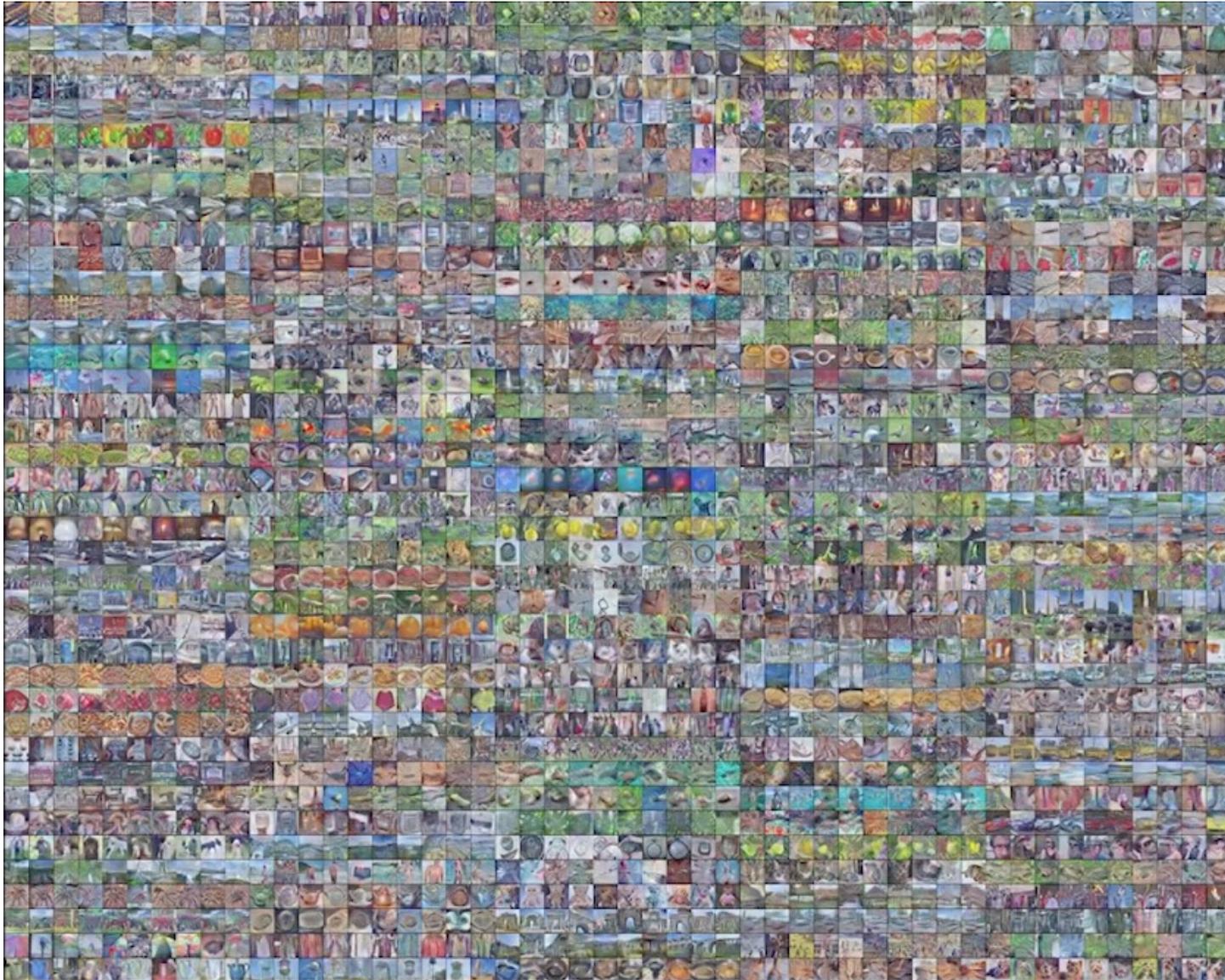
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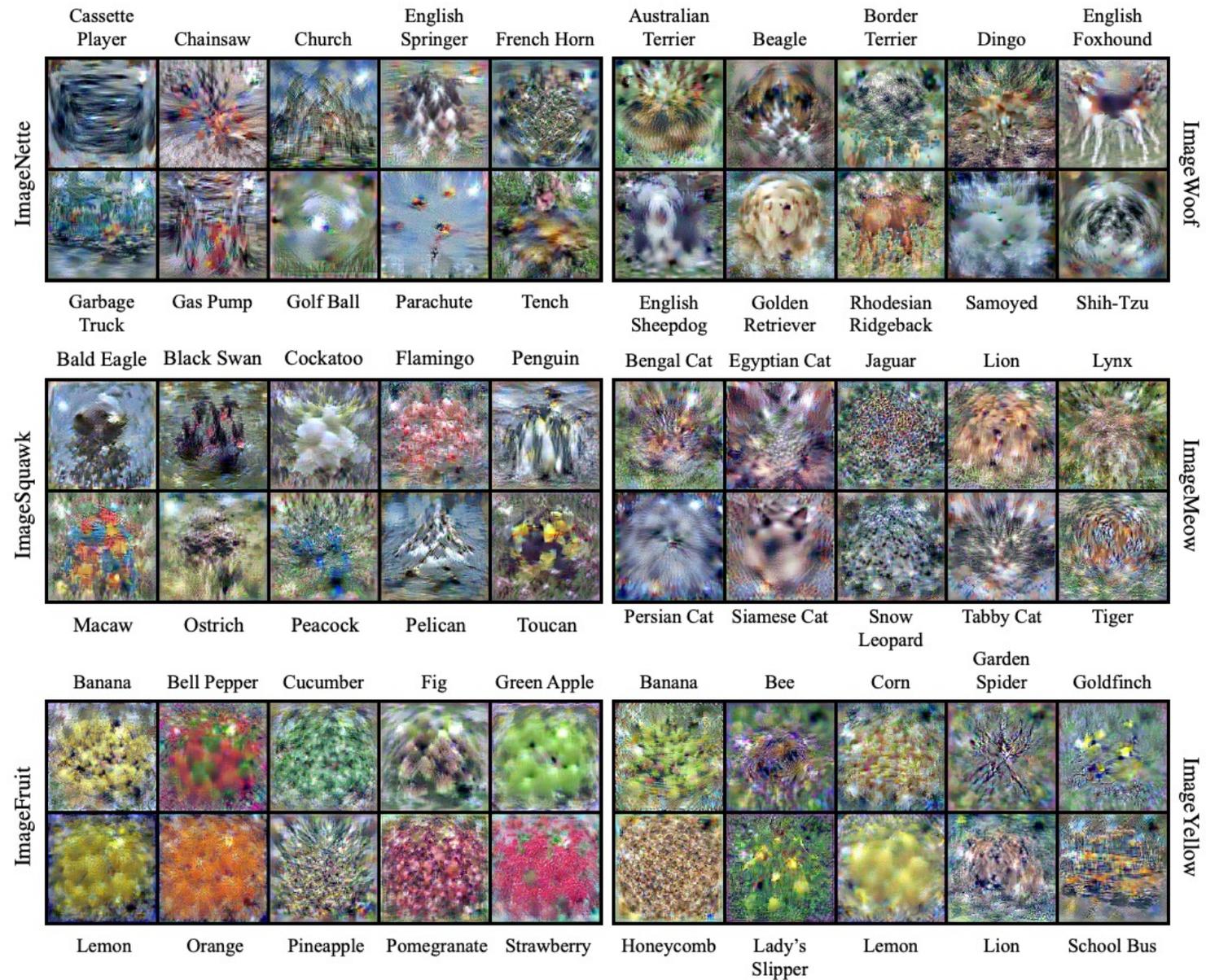
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- Experiments

- Cross-Architecture Generalization

- Evaluate how well our synthetic data performs on various architectures
    - Robust to changes in architectures
    - Do not seem to suffer from much over-fitting to that model

		Evaluation Model			
		ConvNet	ResNet	VGG	AlexNet
Method	Ours	<b>64.3 ± 0.7</b>	<b>46.4 ± 0.6</b>	<b>50.3 ± 0.8</b>	<b>34.2 ± 2.6</b>
	DSA	52.1 ± 0.4	42.8 ± 1.0	43.2 ± 0.5	<b>35.9 ± 1.3</b>
	KIP	47.6 ± 0.9	36.8 ± 1.0	42.1 ± 0.4	24.4 ± 3.9

CIFAR-10 with 10 images/class

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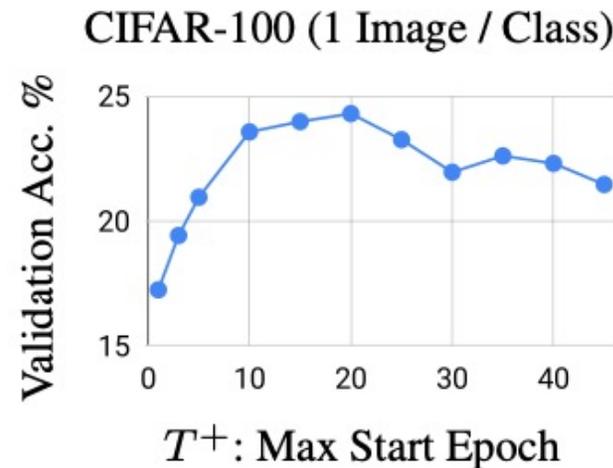
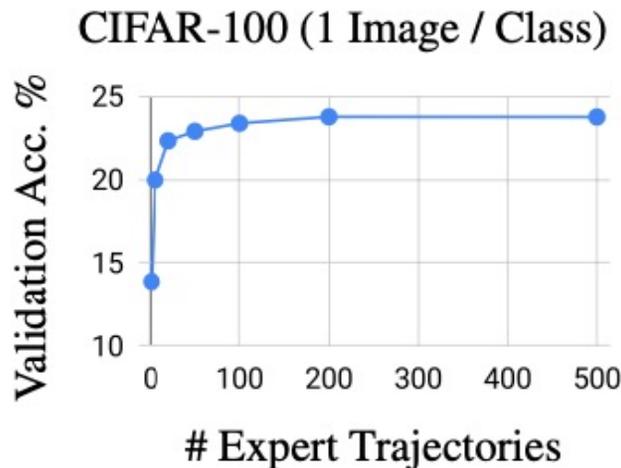
- Experiments

- Performance w.r.t. the number of expert trajectories (left)

- Logarithmic performance improvement
- Quickly saturating near 200

- Performance w.r.t. expert time-step stage (right)

- The upper bound on the expert epoch at which the synthetic data starts working cannot be too high or low to ensure quality learning signal.



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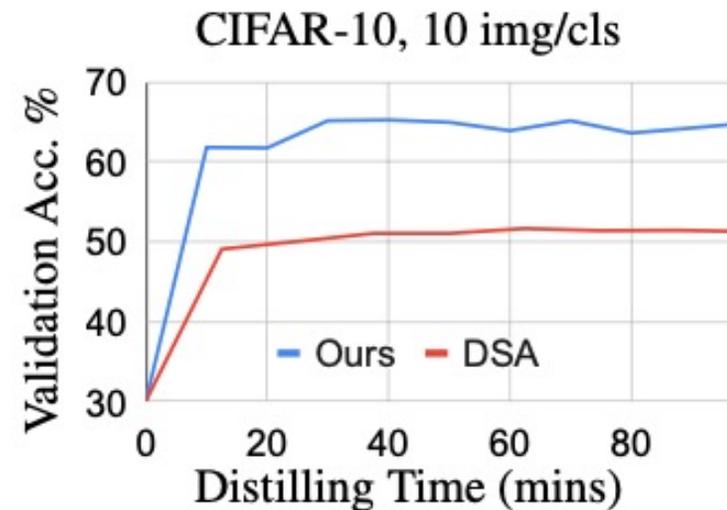
- Distillation time

- 0.6 seconds per distillation step

- ⚡ A single RTX3090

- ⚡ CIFAR-100, 1 image/class with  $N = 20$

Dataset	Img/Cls	1 Iter. (sec)	1k Iter. (min)	5k Iter. (min)	10k Iter. (min)
CIFAR-10	↓ 1	↓ 0.5	↓ 8	↓ 42	↓ 83
	↓ 10	↓ 0.6	↓ 10	↓ 50	↓ 100
	↓ 50	↓ 0.8	↓ 13	↓ 67	↓ 133
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	↓ 10	↓ 0.8	↓ 13	↓ 67	↓ 133
	↓ 50	↓ 1.9	↓ 32	↓ 158	↓ 317
Tiny ImageNet	↓ 1	↓ 1.1	↓ 18	↓ 92	↓ 183
	↓ 10	↓ 2.3	↓ 38	↓ 192	↓ 383
	↓ 50	↓ 2.6	↓ 43	↓ 217	↓ 433



# Conclusion

- Discussion
  - Directly optimizing the synthetic data
    - Induce similar network training dynamics as the real data
  - First to scale to  $128 \times 128$  ImageNet images
    - Allow us to gain interesting insights of the dataset
    - Serve as an important step towards practical applications of dataset distillation on real-world datasets
- Limitations
  - The computational overhead of training and storing expert trajectories
  - Application to other tasks and datasets with higher resolution