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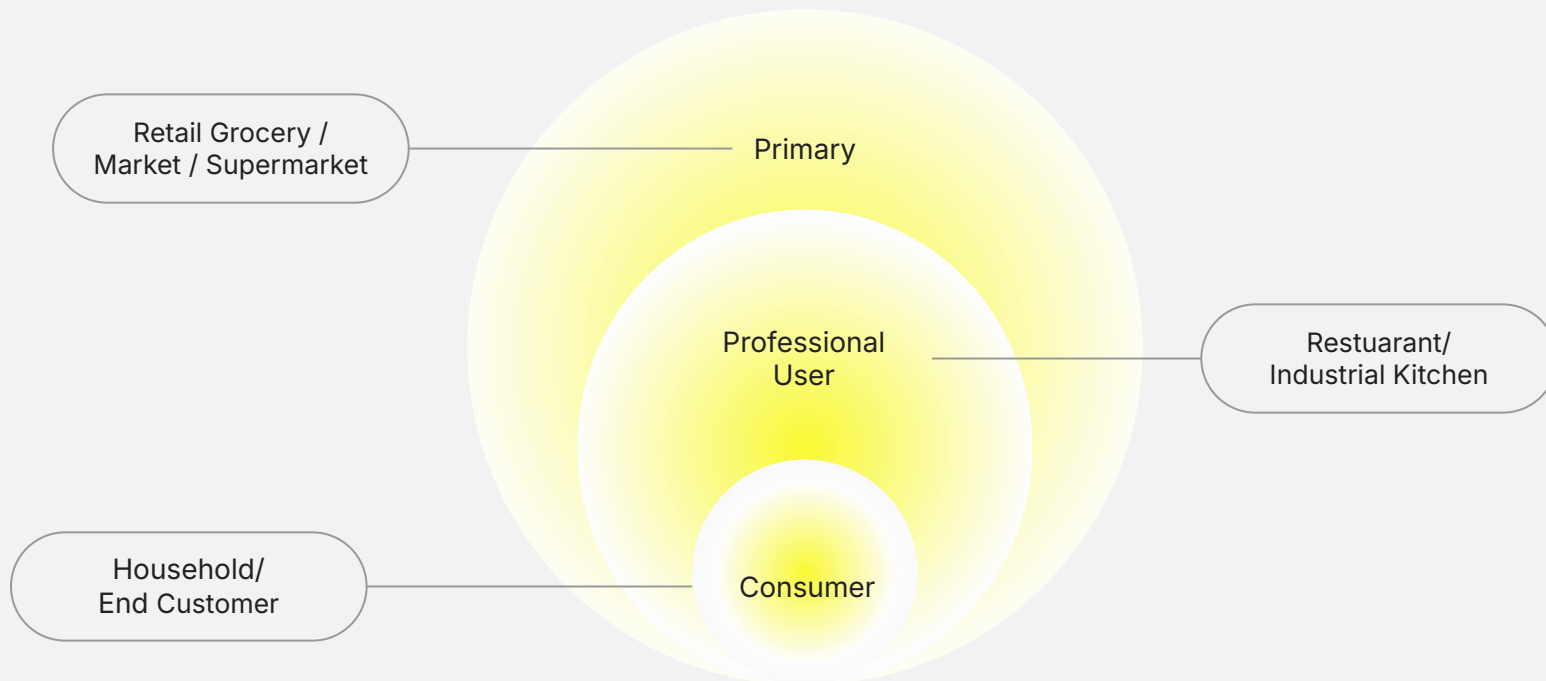
M2M: Meal2Mark et Autonomy System

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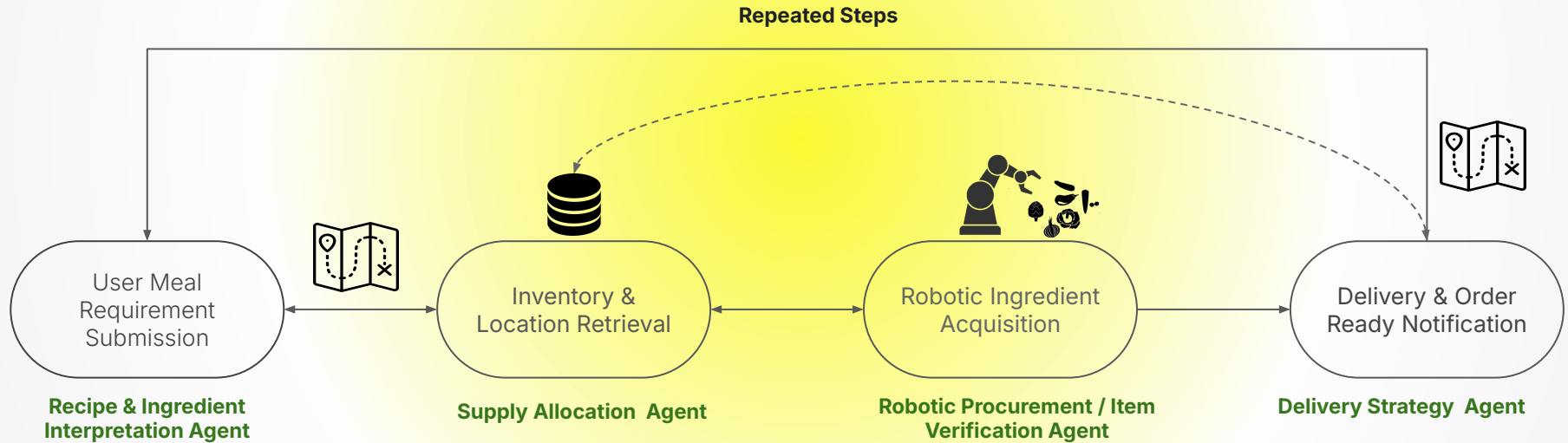
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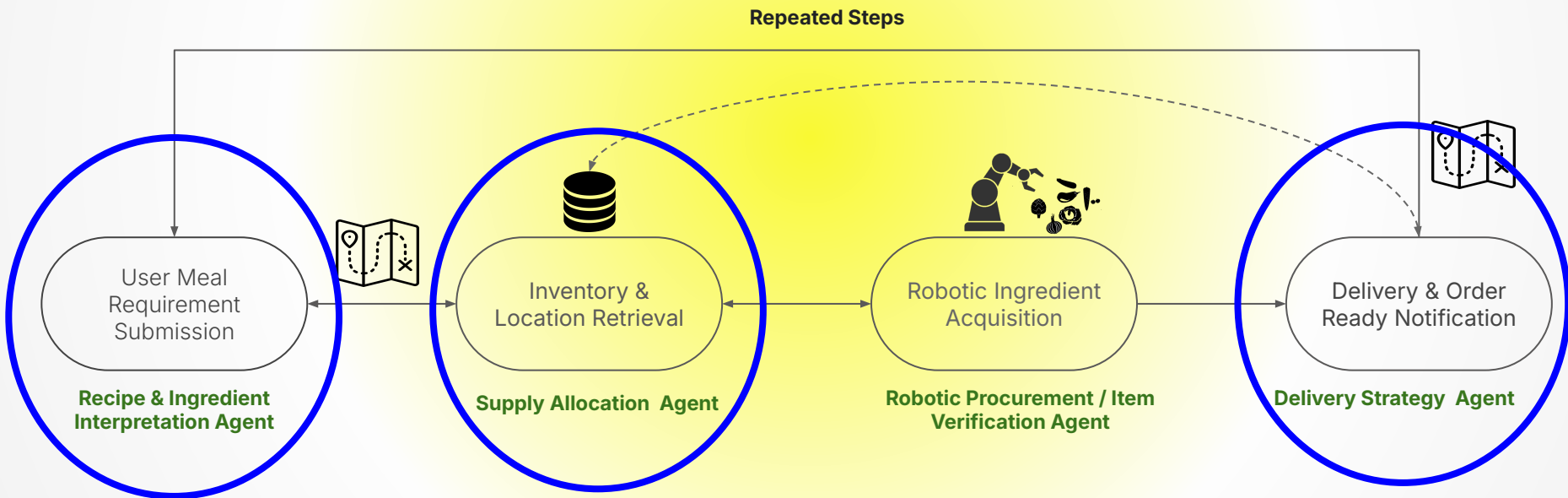
Who are the users?



How we conducted M2M services on multiagent system



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How does M2M make decisions?

When you want to buy something, how do you decide which shop to go to?

Have you ever gone to one grocery store, but still couldn't find everything you needed?

How does M2M make decisions?

- Current State**
- *Required ingredients*
 - *Available suppliers*



M2M Decision Policy

Single-Agent Utility Function



- Scores individual suppliers.
- Prioritizes ingredient completeness over distance

Cooperative Sourcing Strategy



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Final Purchasing Plan

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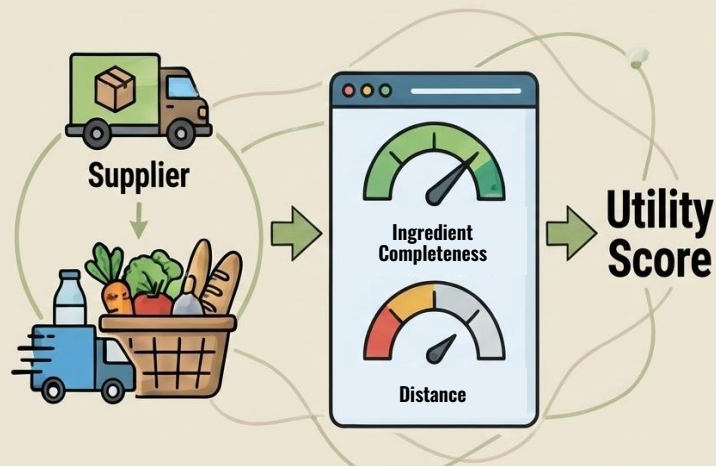


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Utility: 0.95 (Very High)



Ingredient Completeness: 100%

Perfect completeness, minimal distance.



Distance: 1 km

2. Supplier B: City Grocers

Utility: 0.75 (High)



Ingredient Completeness: 100%

Perfect completeness, moderate distance.



Distance: 5 km

3. Supplier C: Regional Hub

Utility: 0.50 (Medium)



Ingredient Completeness: 100%

Perfect completeness, but significant distance.



Distance: 15 km

Decision Policy Checks

$$\text{Inv}(s_{\text{partial}}^*) \supseteq I_{\text{req}}$$

YES → stop, output plan

NO → some ingredients are missing

How to know whether a supplier is good or not?

Single-Agent Utility Function

1. Supplier A: Farm Fresh Co.

Utility: 0.92 (High)



Ingredient Completeness: **95%**
Best for completeness, reasonable distance.



Distance: **5 km**

2. Supplier B: City Grocers

Utility: 0.65 (Medium)



Ingredient Completeness: **70%**
Closer, but missing some items.



Distance: **2 km**

3. Supplier C: Regional Hub

Utility: 0.38 (Low)



Ingredient Completeness: **40%**
Significant ingredient gaps and far distance.



Distance: **15 km**

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How to solve this problem?

When NO single supplier has all ingredients, how to select multiple suppliers?

Cooperative Sourcing Strategy

- The nearest supplier → may have incomplete stock 😞
- The supplier with the most complete stock → may be too far away 😞
- Cheap but lacking key ingredients → Order failed 😞

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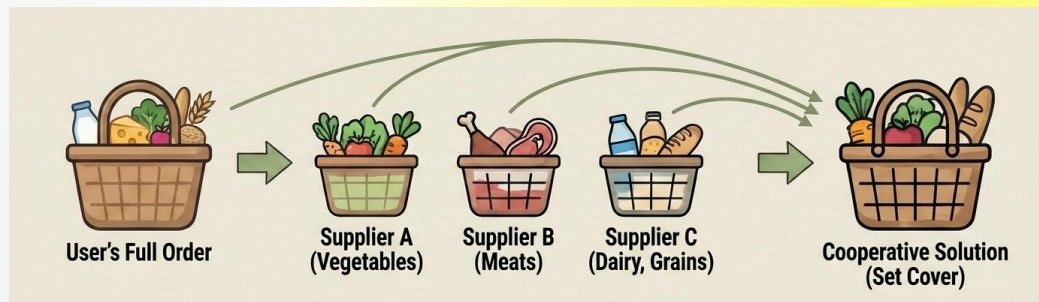


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Select a combination of suppliers that:

- completes all missing items
- with the lowest delivery cost

Find $S^* \subseteq S$ such that all I_{req} are covered

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Cooperative Sourcing Strategy

Coverage Constraint:

Every ingredient is supplied by at least one supplier.

$$\forall i \in I_{req}, \quad \sum_{j \in S} x_{ij} \geq 1$$

x_{ij} : whether supplier j supplies ingredient i (1 = yes, 0 = no)

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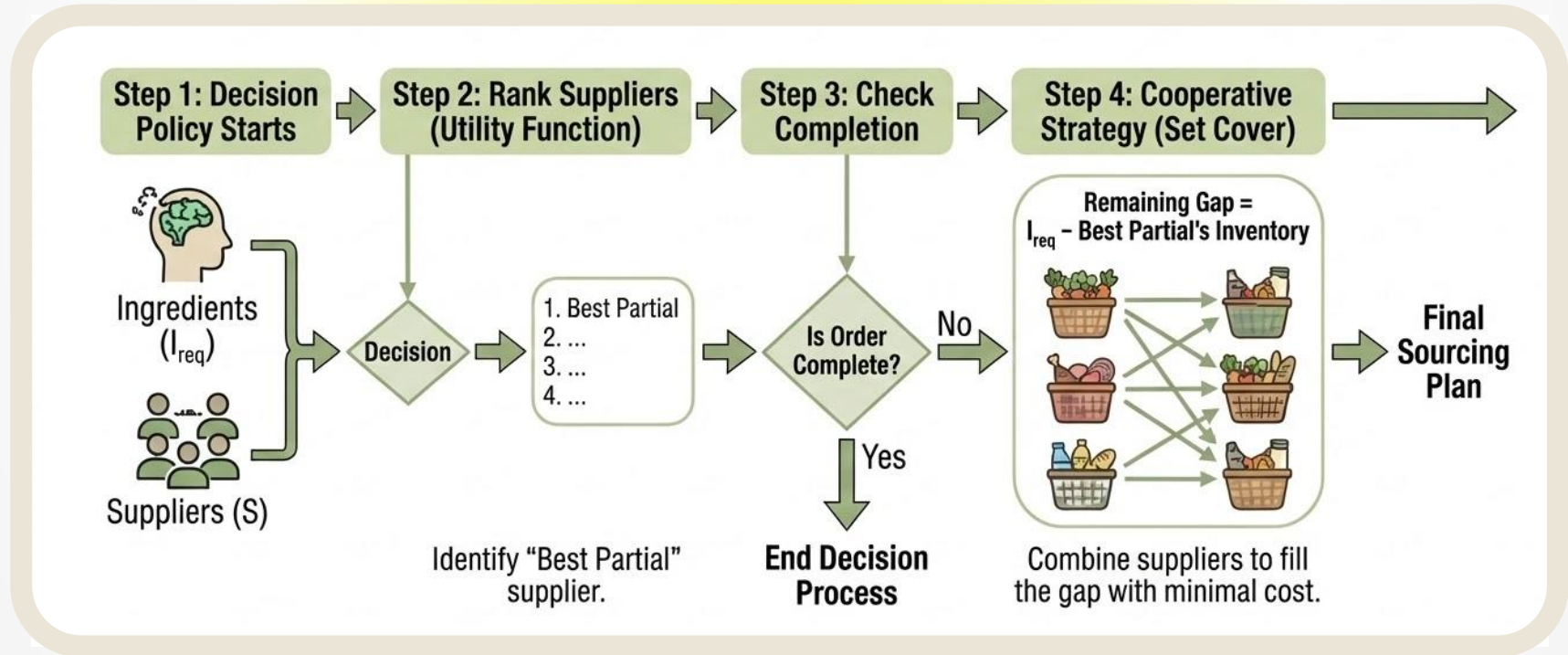
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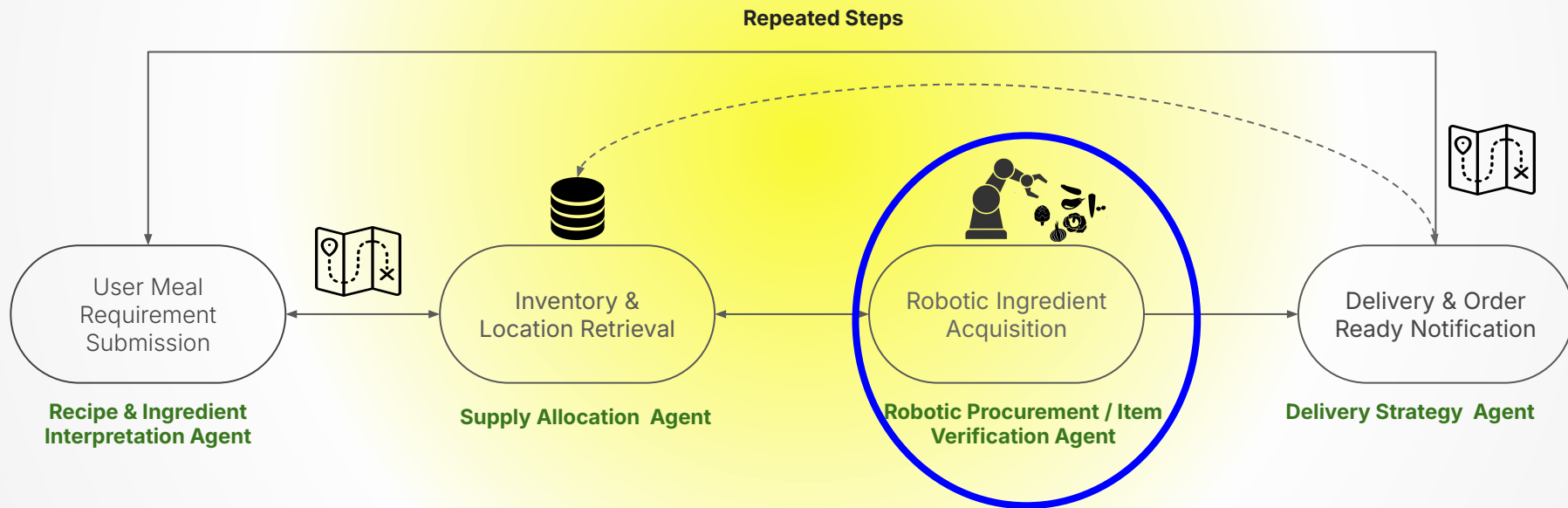


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Integrated Process Flow



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What Does the Robot Need?

Goal space

$$g_t = \{(o_k, n_k)\}_{k=1}^K$$

- g_t : Goal set at time t
- o_k : Semantic category of the k -th goal item (e.g., tomato, egg, milk)
- n_k : Required quantity of that item (e.g., 2 units, 1 box)
- K : Number of goal item categories

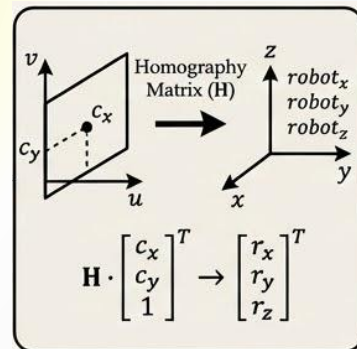
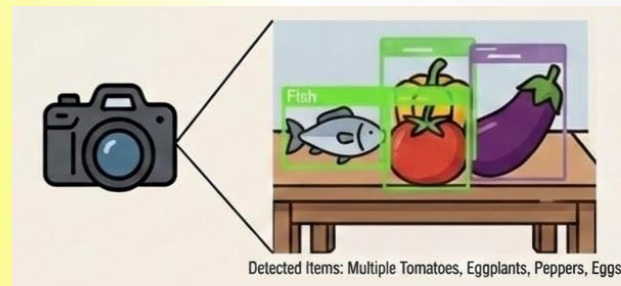


What Does the Robot See?

Observation space

$$\mathbf{O}_t = \{\mathbf{o}_{t,i}\}_{i=1}^N = \{(\mathbf{c}_i, \mathbf{b}_i, \mathbf{p}_i, \mathbf{g}_i)\}_{i=1}^N$$

- \mathbf{c}_i : Detected category
- \mathbf{b}_i : bounding box
- \mathbf{p}_i : 3D position
- \mathbf{g}_i : graspability (Probability or score)

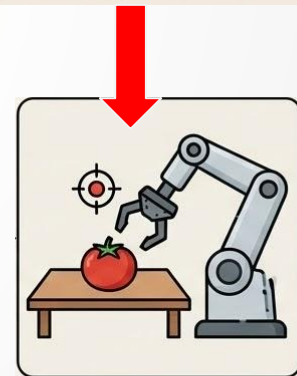
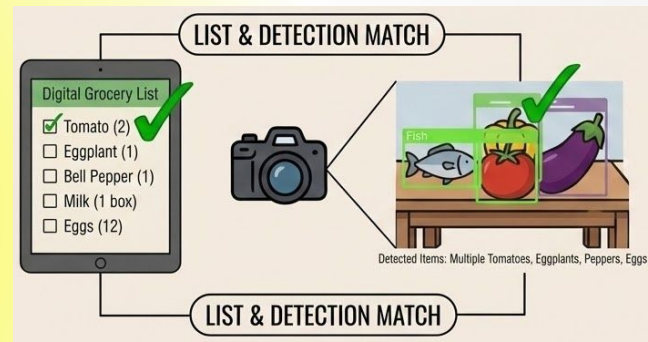


Can the Robot Act on This Item?

Verification

$$V_t(o_k) = \mathbf{1}[\exists_{i \in \{1, \dots, N\}} s.t. c_i = o_k \wedge g_i \geq \tau_g]$$

- $V_t(o_k)$: At time t , whether the target category o_k is 'verified as actionable'
- $\mathbf{1}[\cdot]$: Indicator function (condition true \rightarrow 1, otherwise \rightarrow 0)
- $\exists_{i \in \{1, \dots, N\}}$: There exists at least one perceived object instance
- $c_i = o_k$: The perceived object category matches the target category
- $g_i \geq \tau_g$: The object's graspability is greater than or equal to the threshold τ_g



Demo

M2M app

