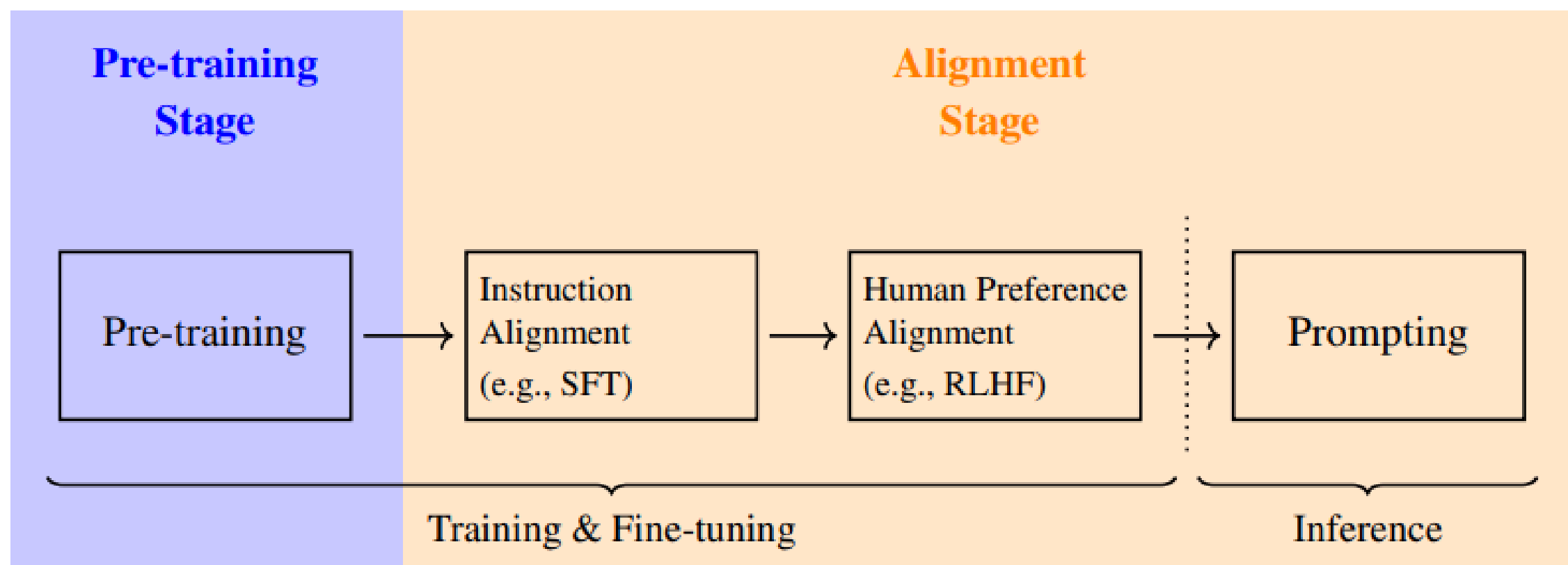


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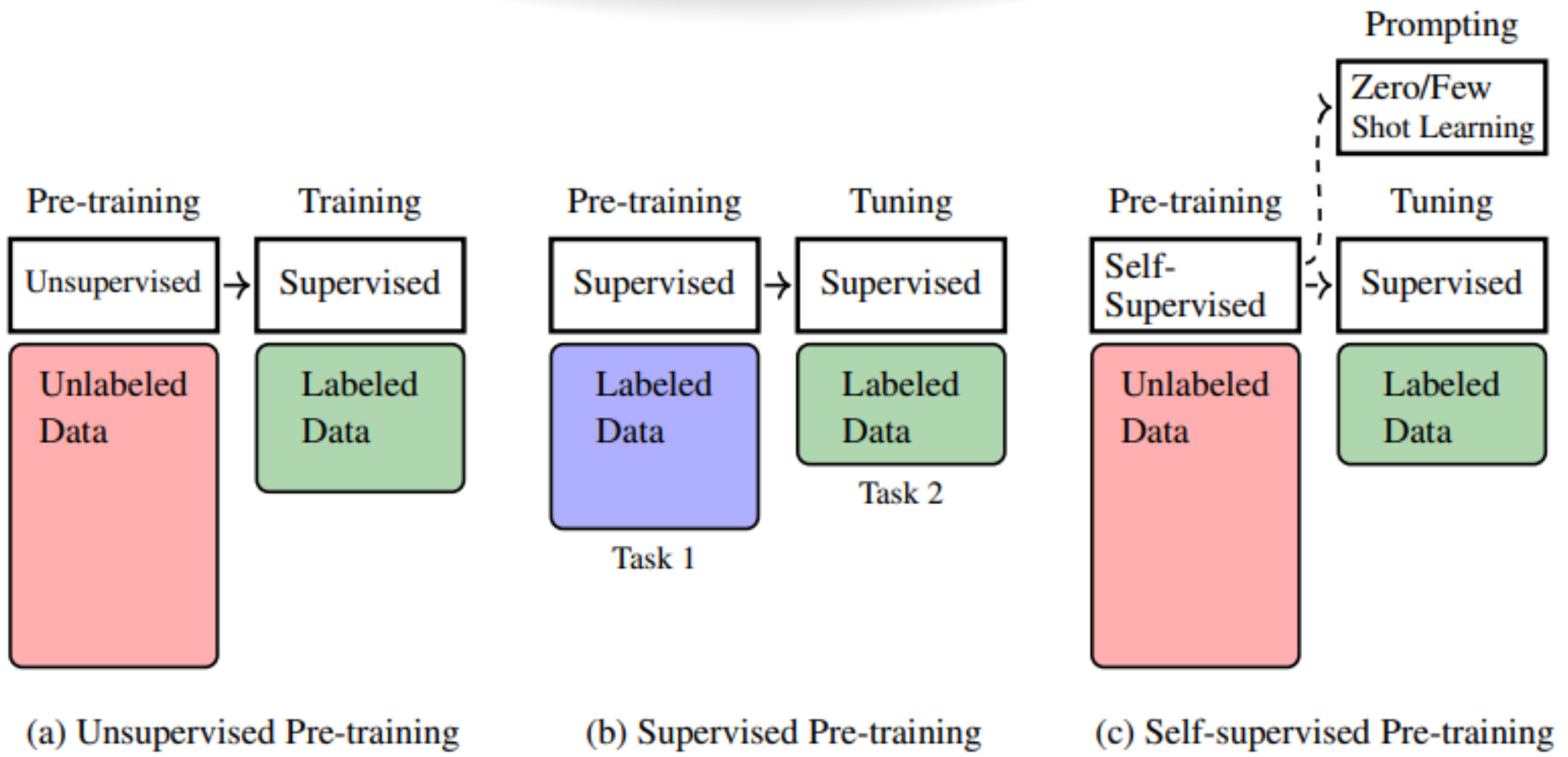
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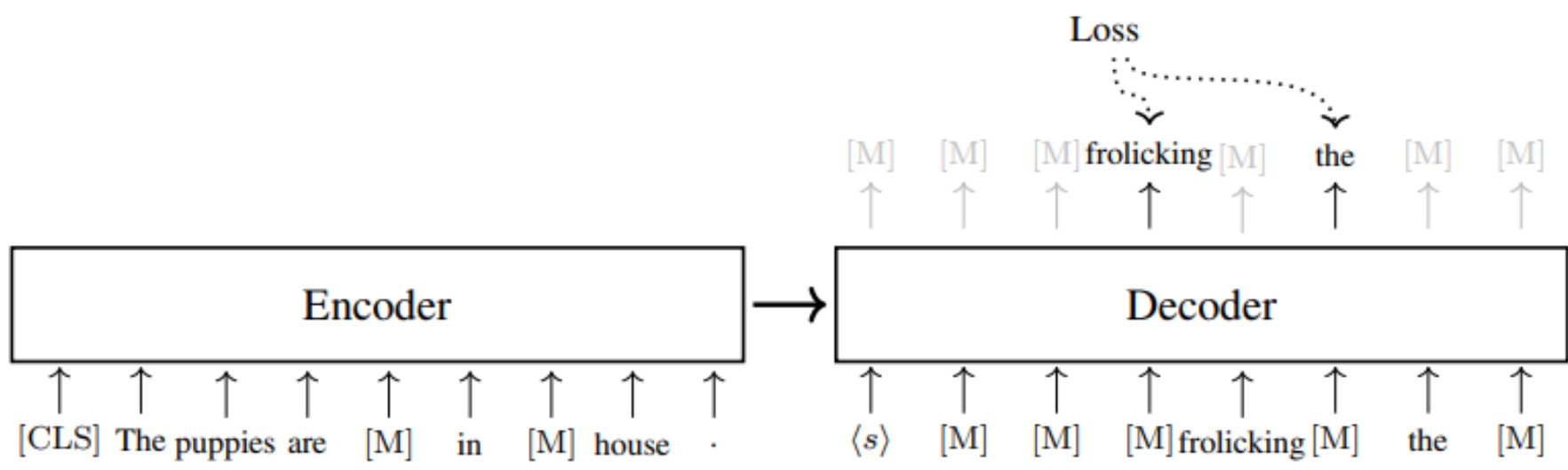
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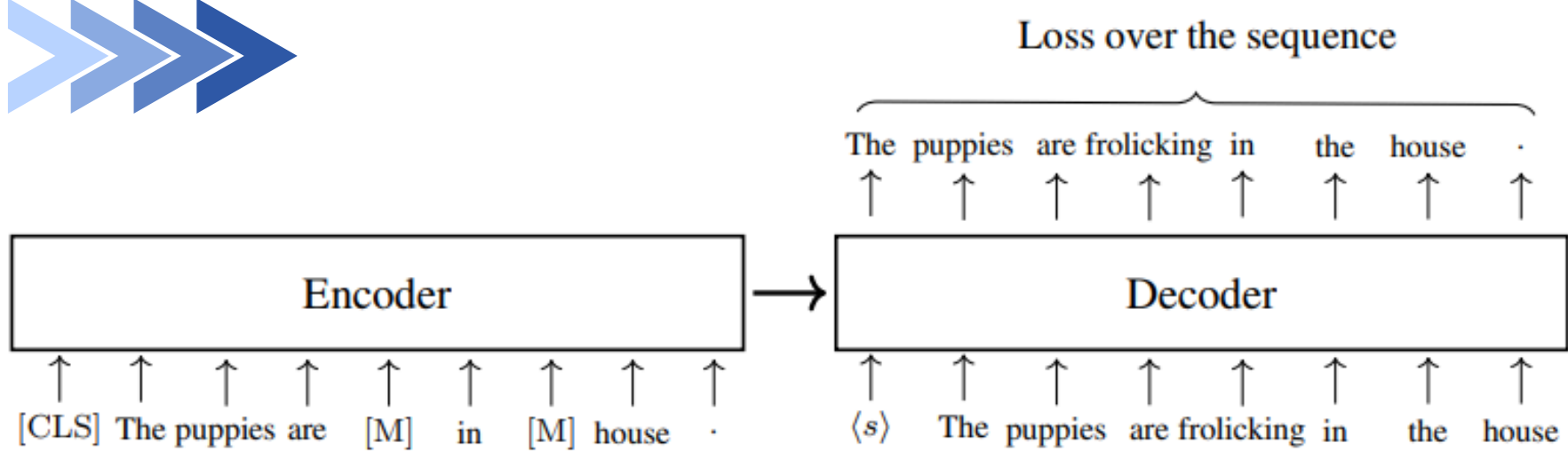
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Encoders & Decoders



(a) Training an encoder-decoder model with BERT-style masked language modeling

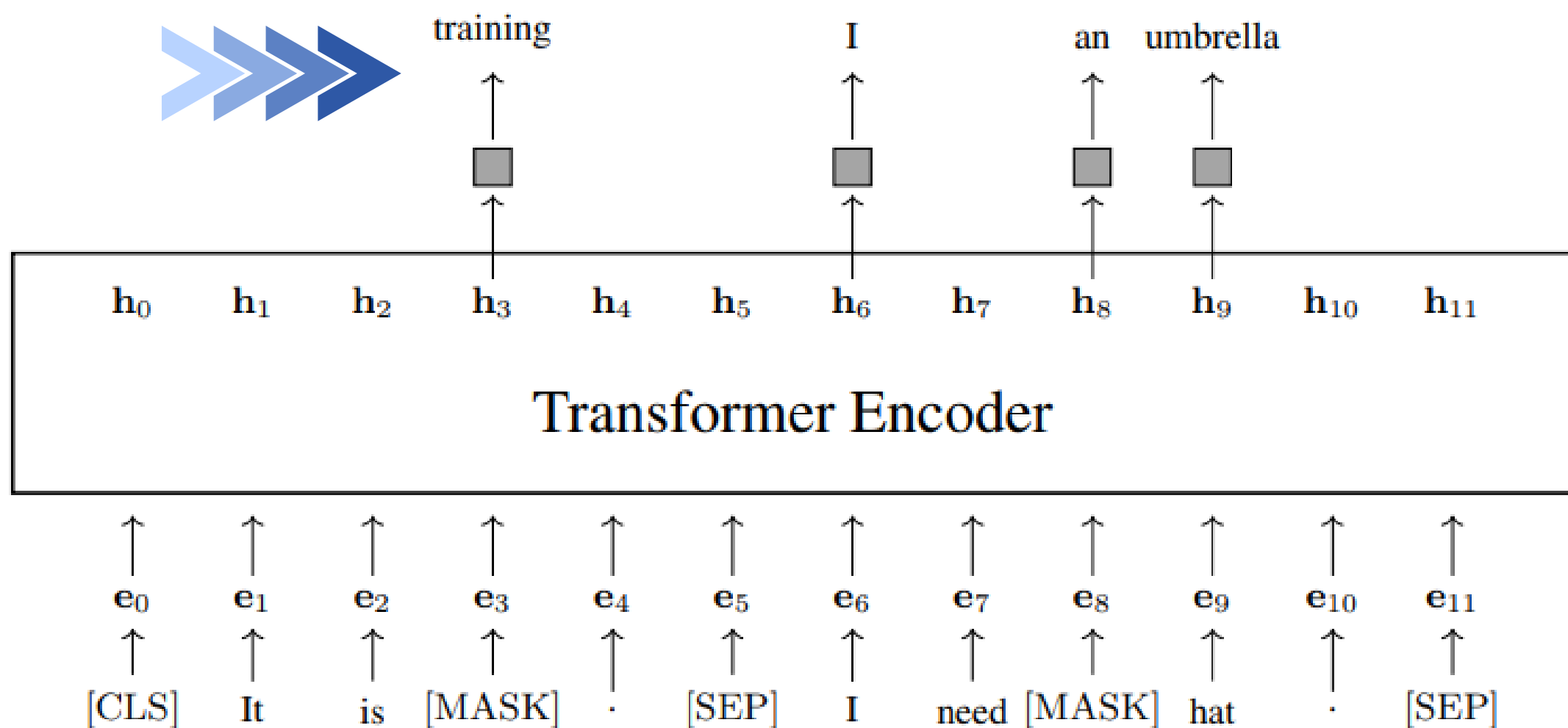


(b) Training an encoder-decoder model with denoising autoencoding



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Transformers Pre-training

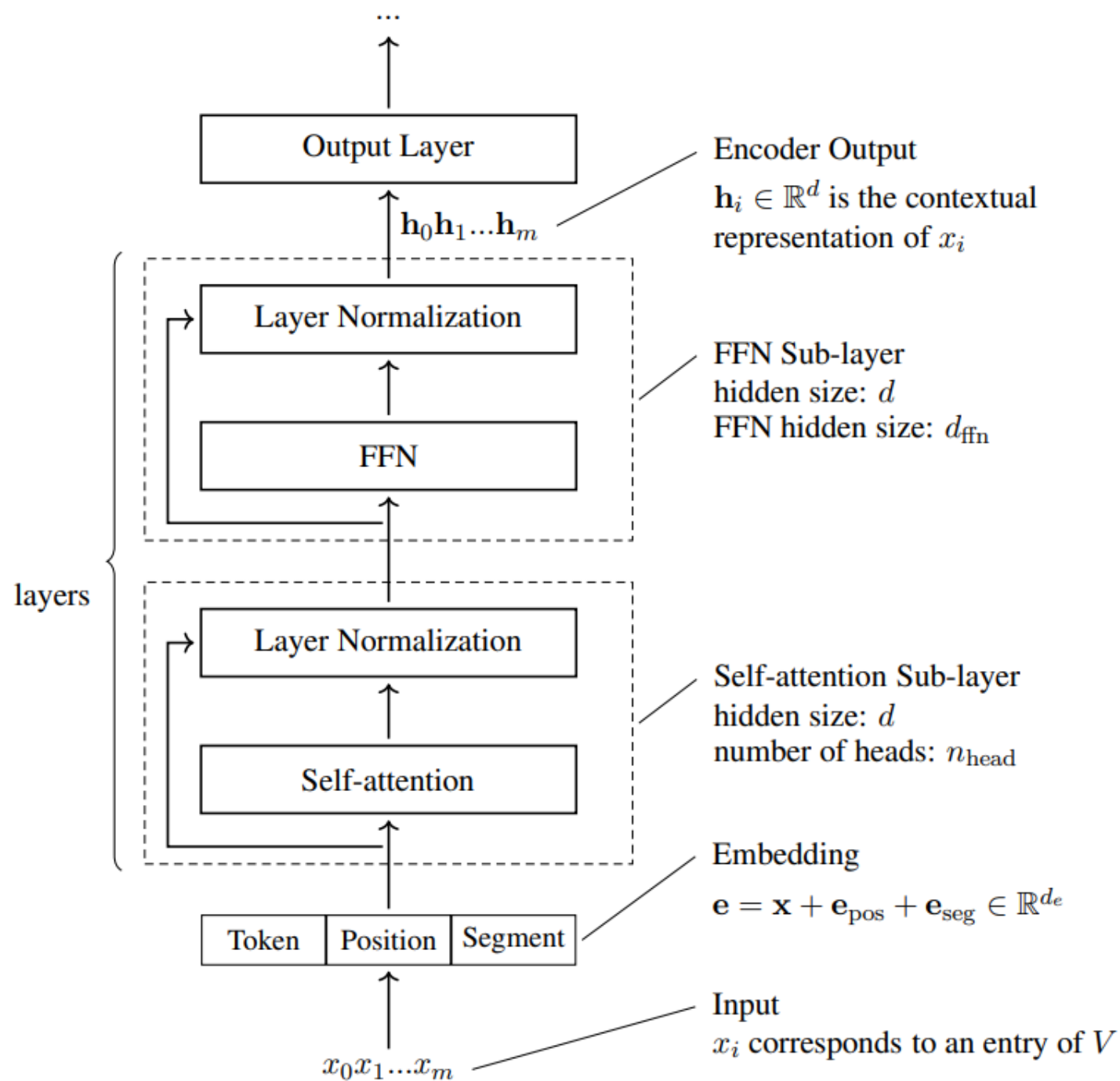


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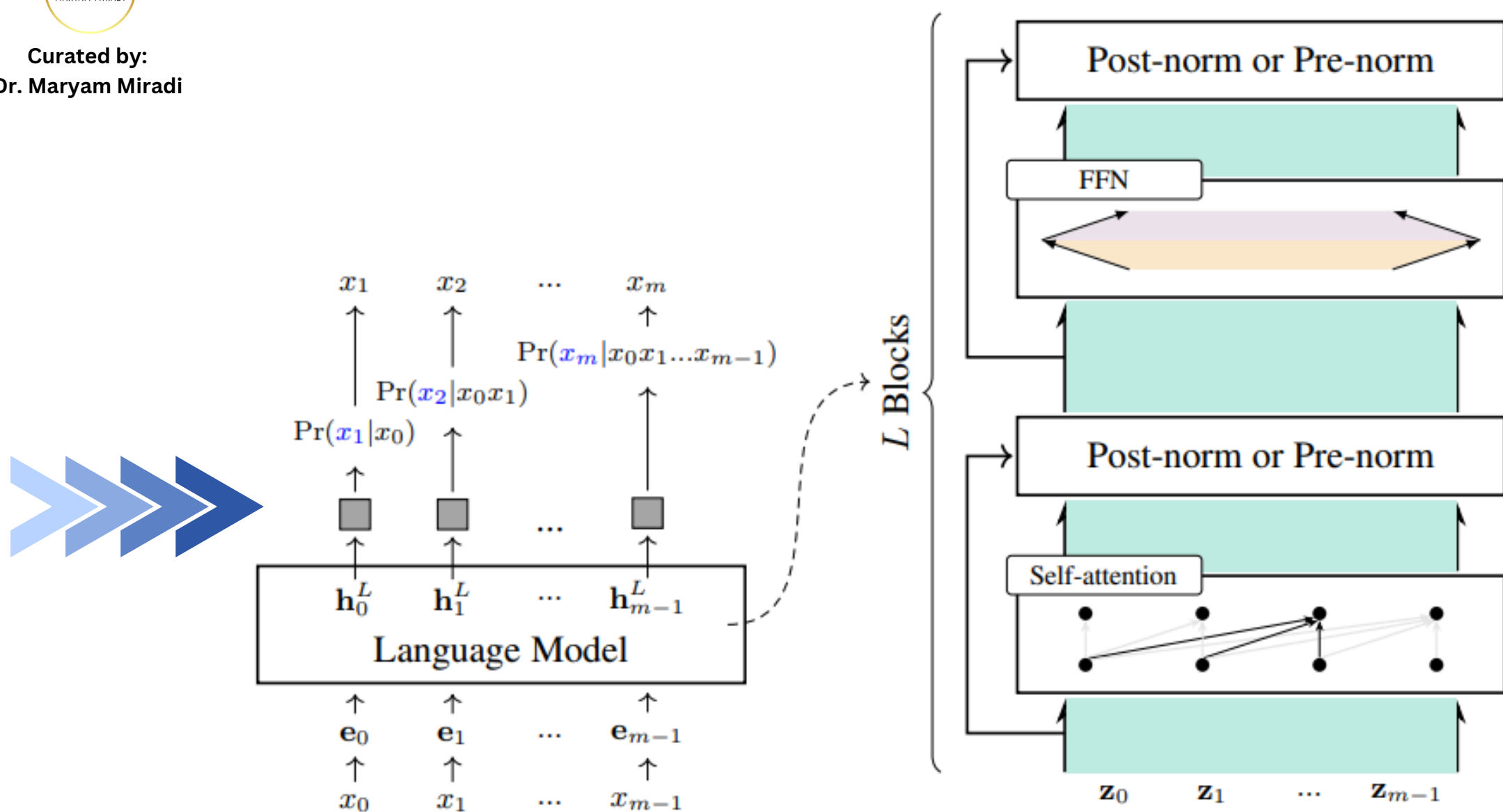


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Transformer-decoder architecture



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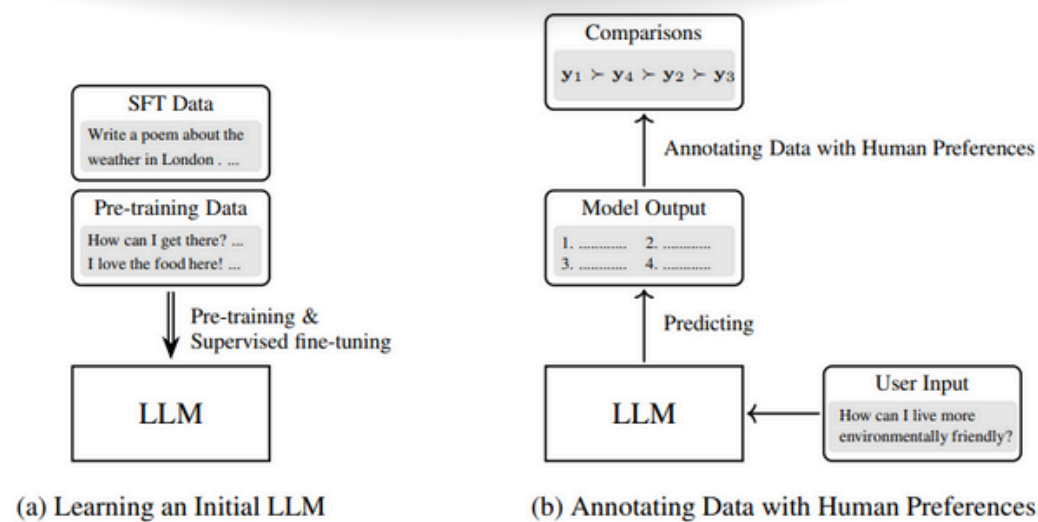


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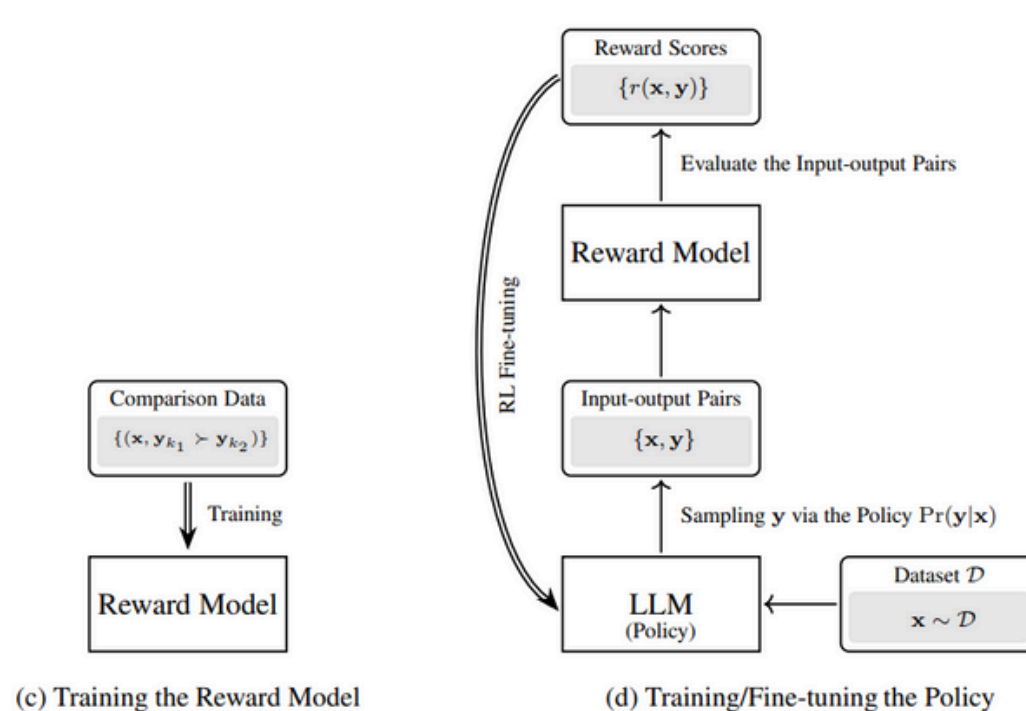
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(a) Learning an Initial LLM

(b) Annotating Data with Human Preferences



(c) Training the Reward Model

(d) Training/Fine-tuning the Policy

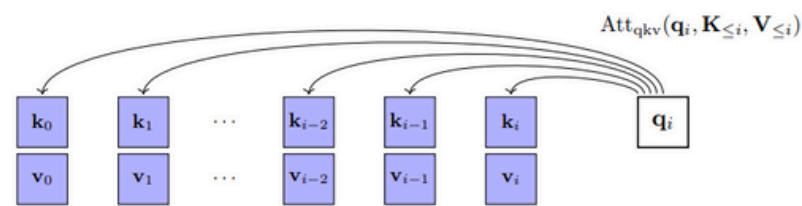


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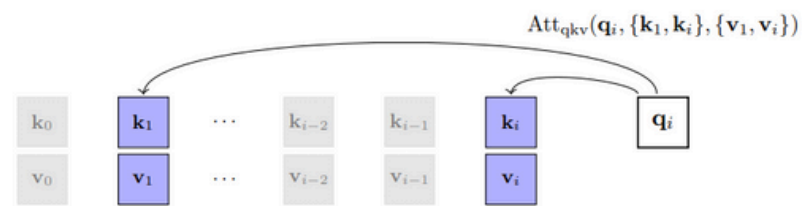
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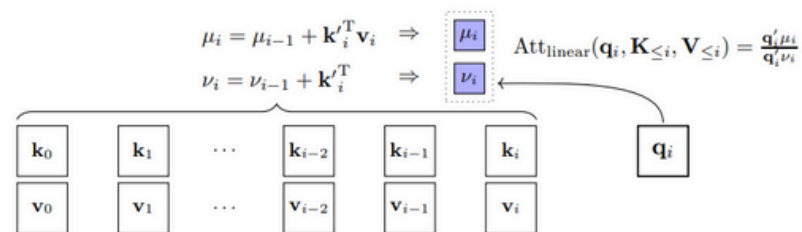
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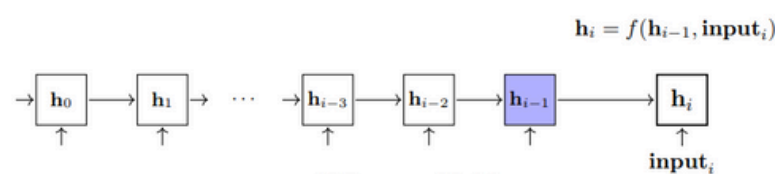
(a) Standard Self-attention



(b) Sparse Attention



(c) Linear Attention



(d) Recurrent Models

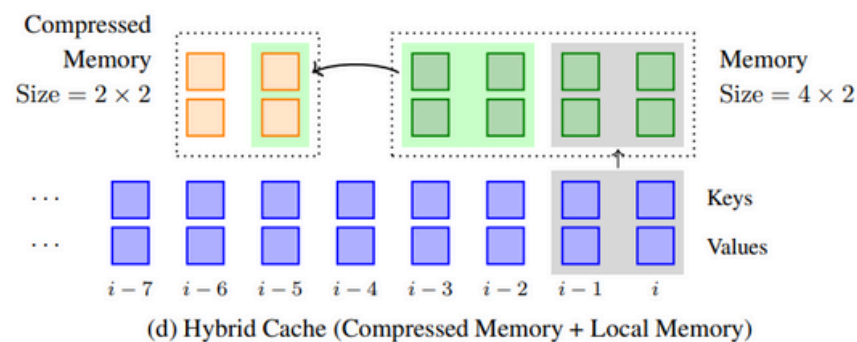
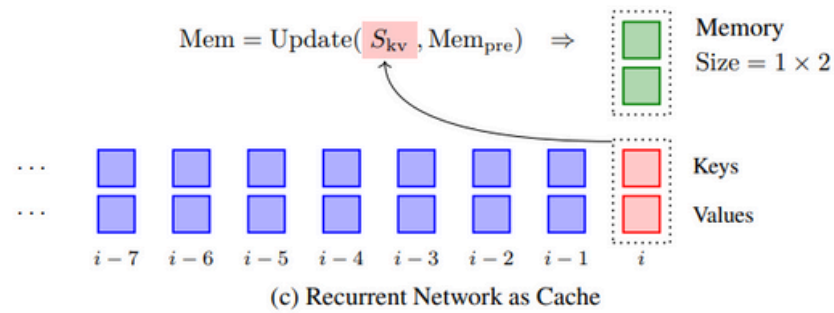
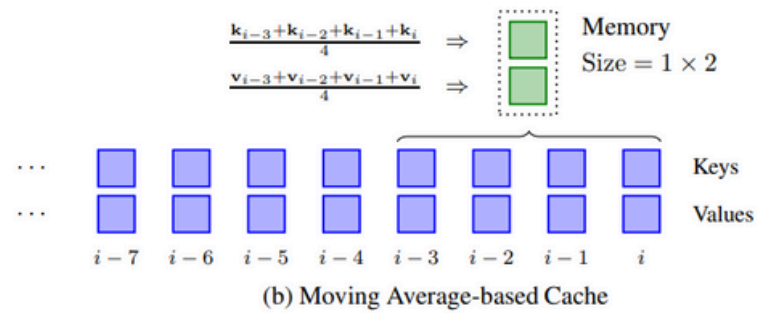
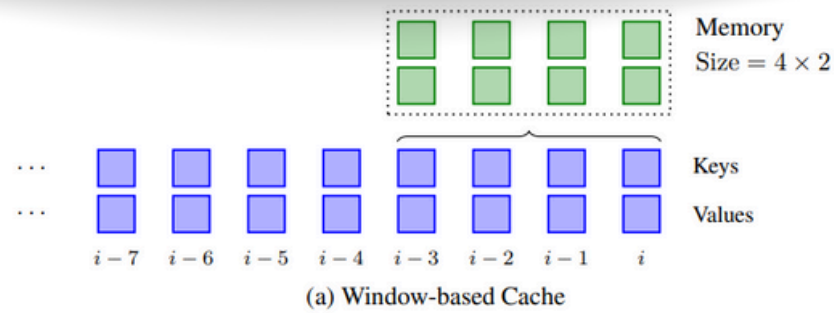


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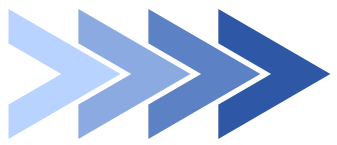
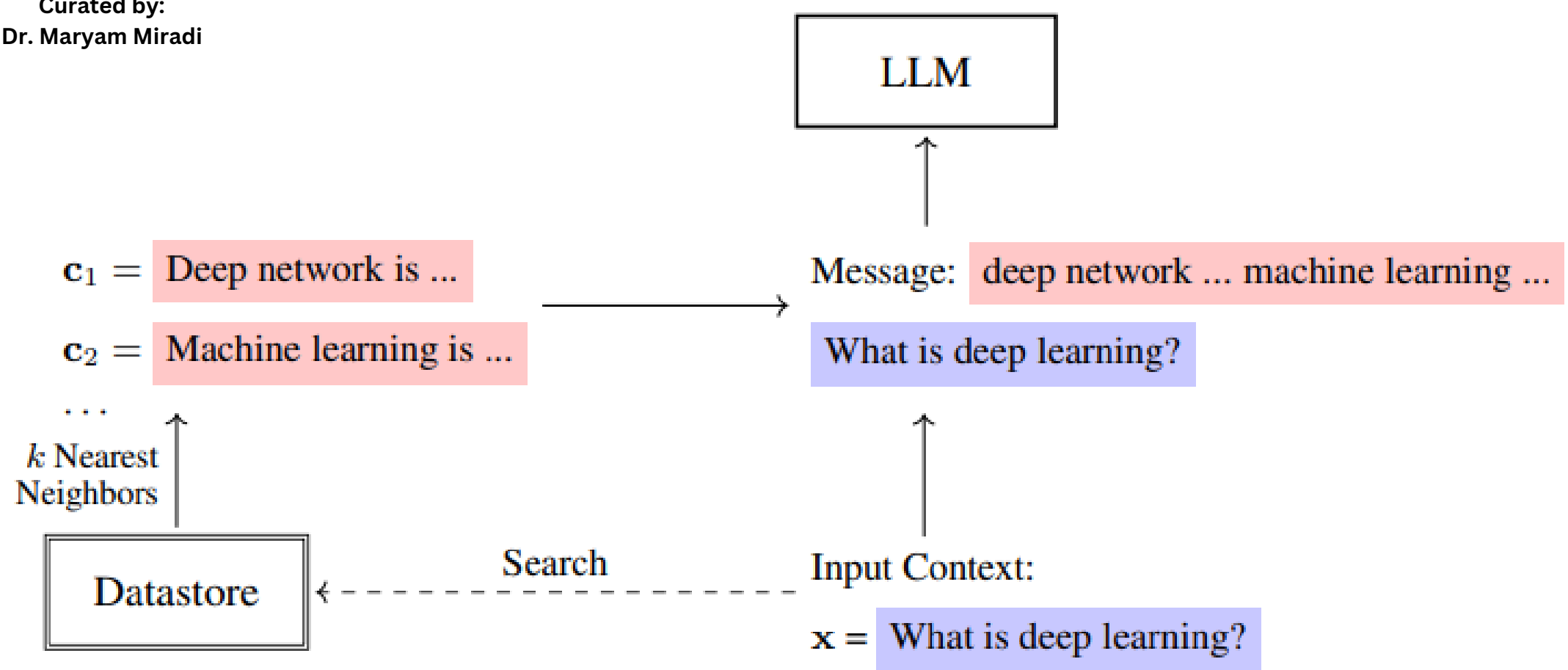
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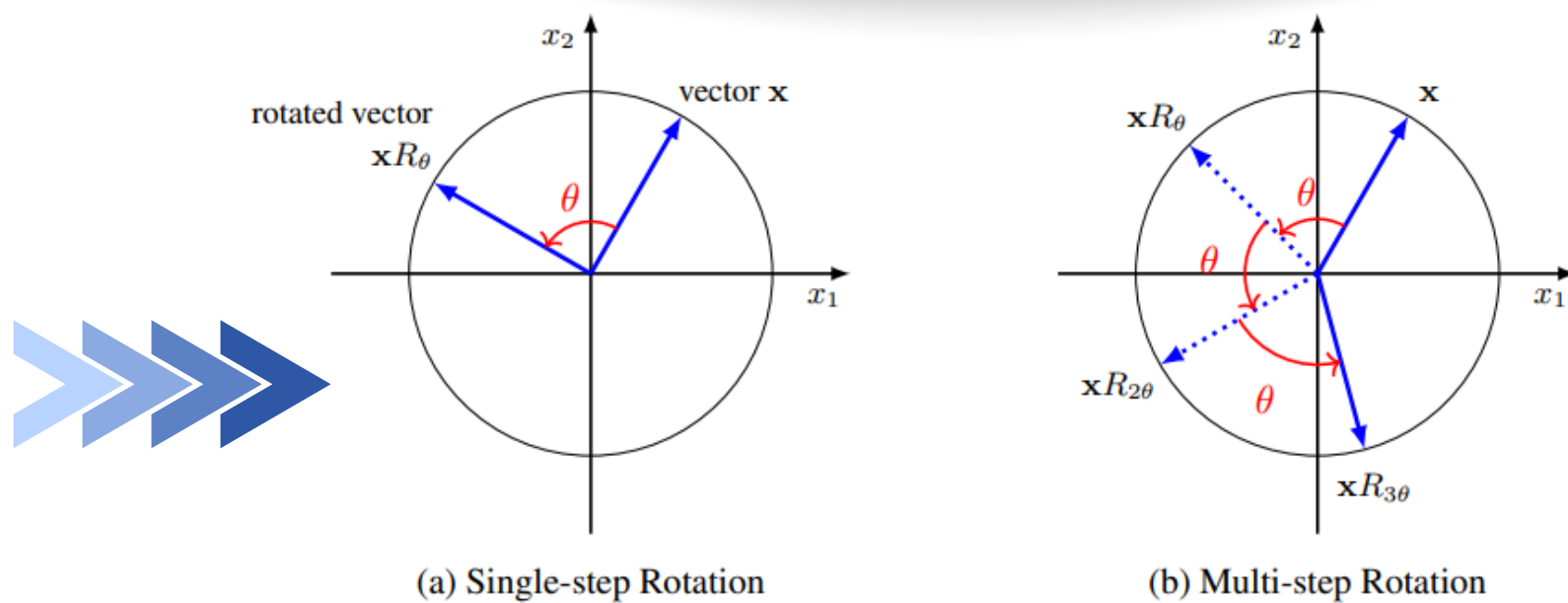


(c) Retrieval-augmented Generation

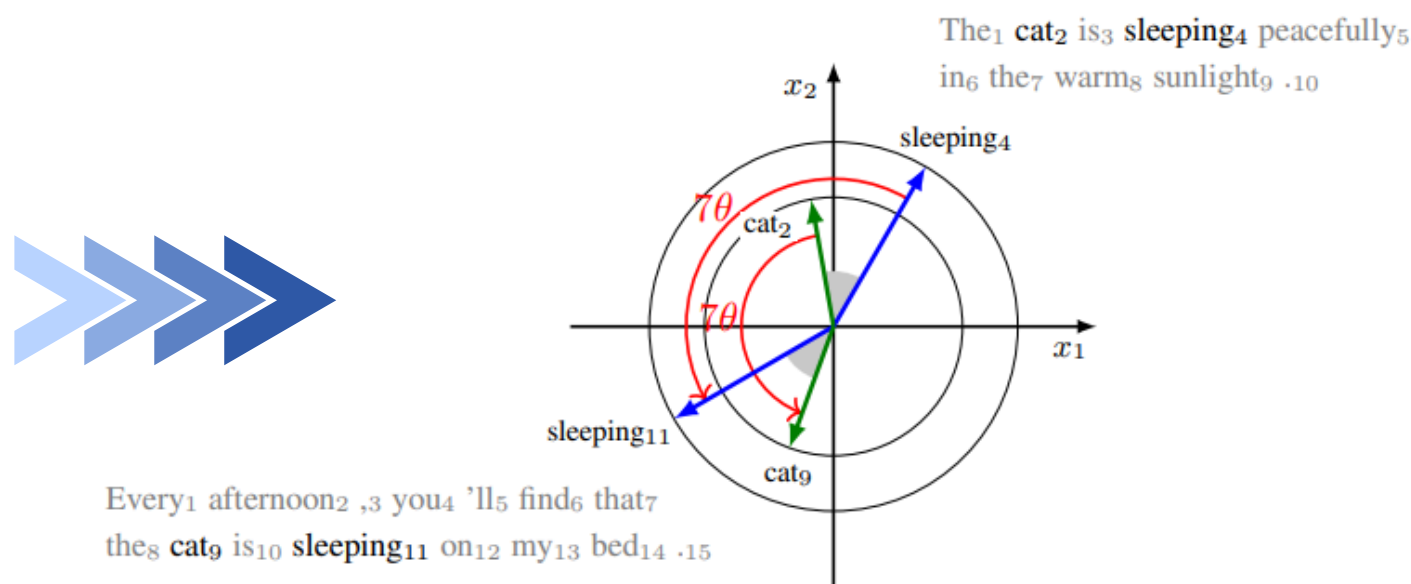
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Embedding



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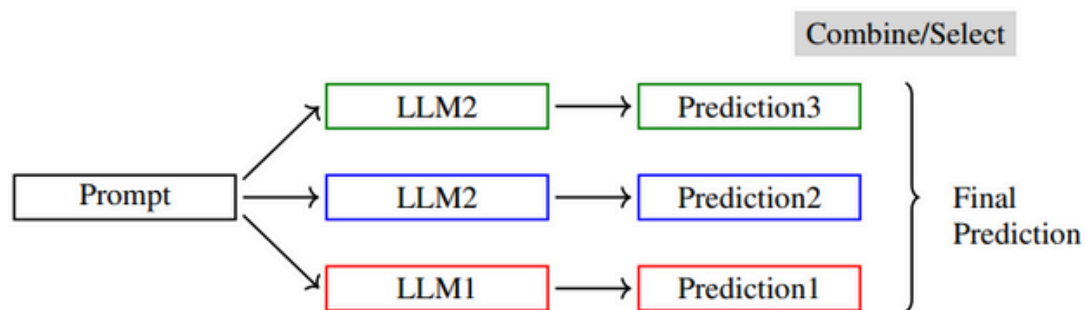


(c) Angles between embeddings of two tokens at different positions

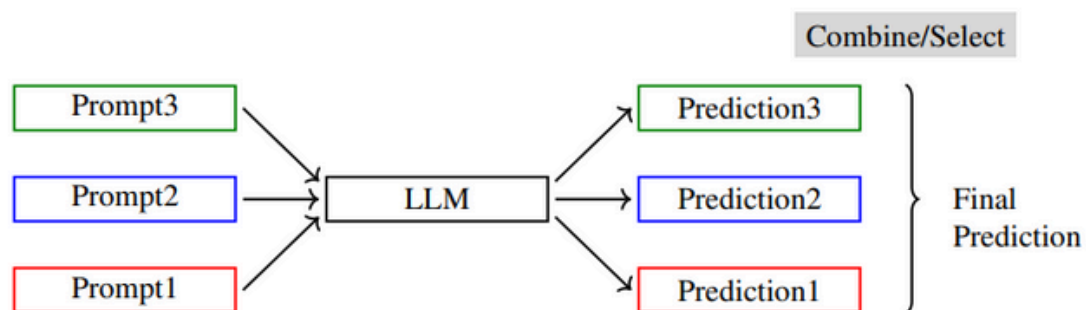
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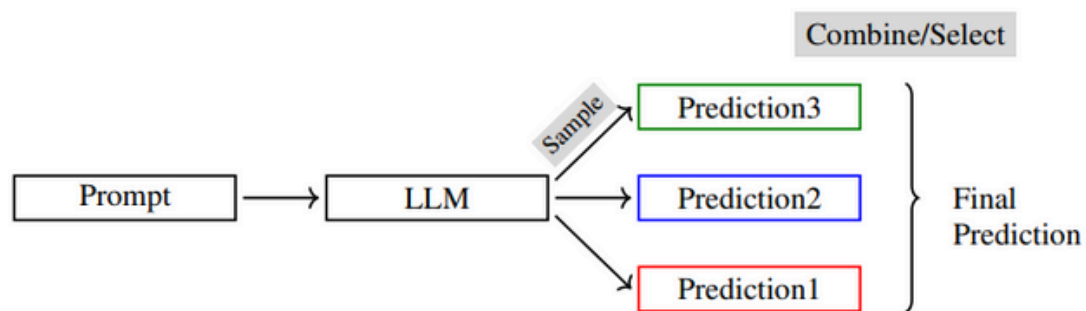
Ensembling



(a) Model Ensembling



(b) Prompt Ensembling



(c) Output Ensembling

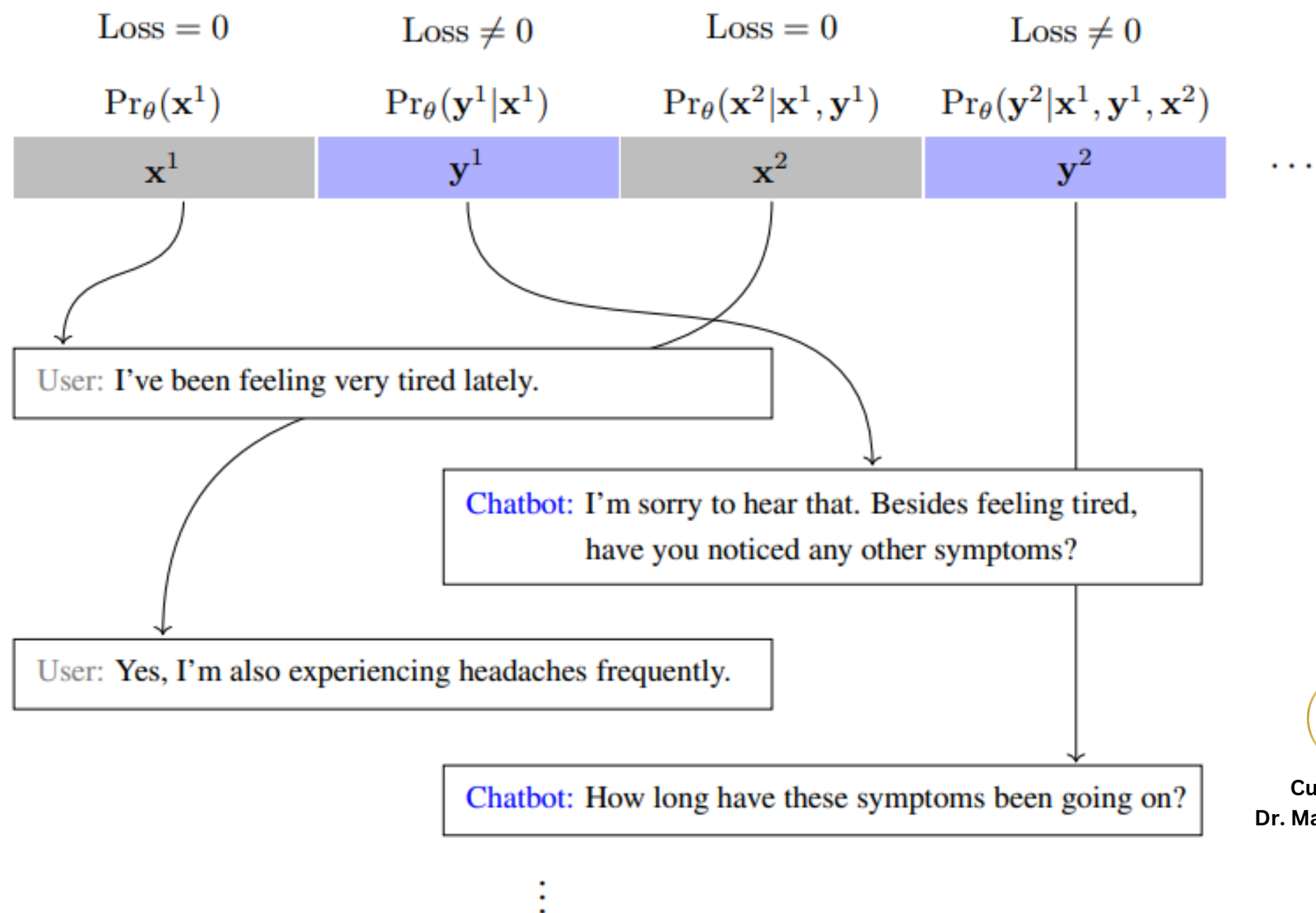


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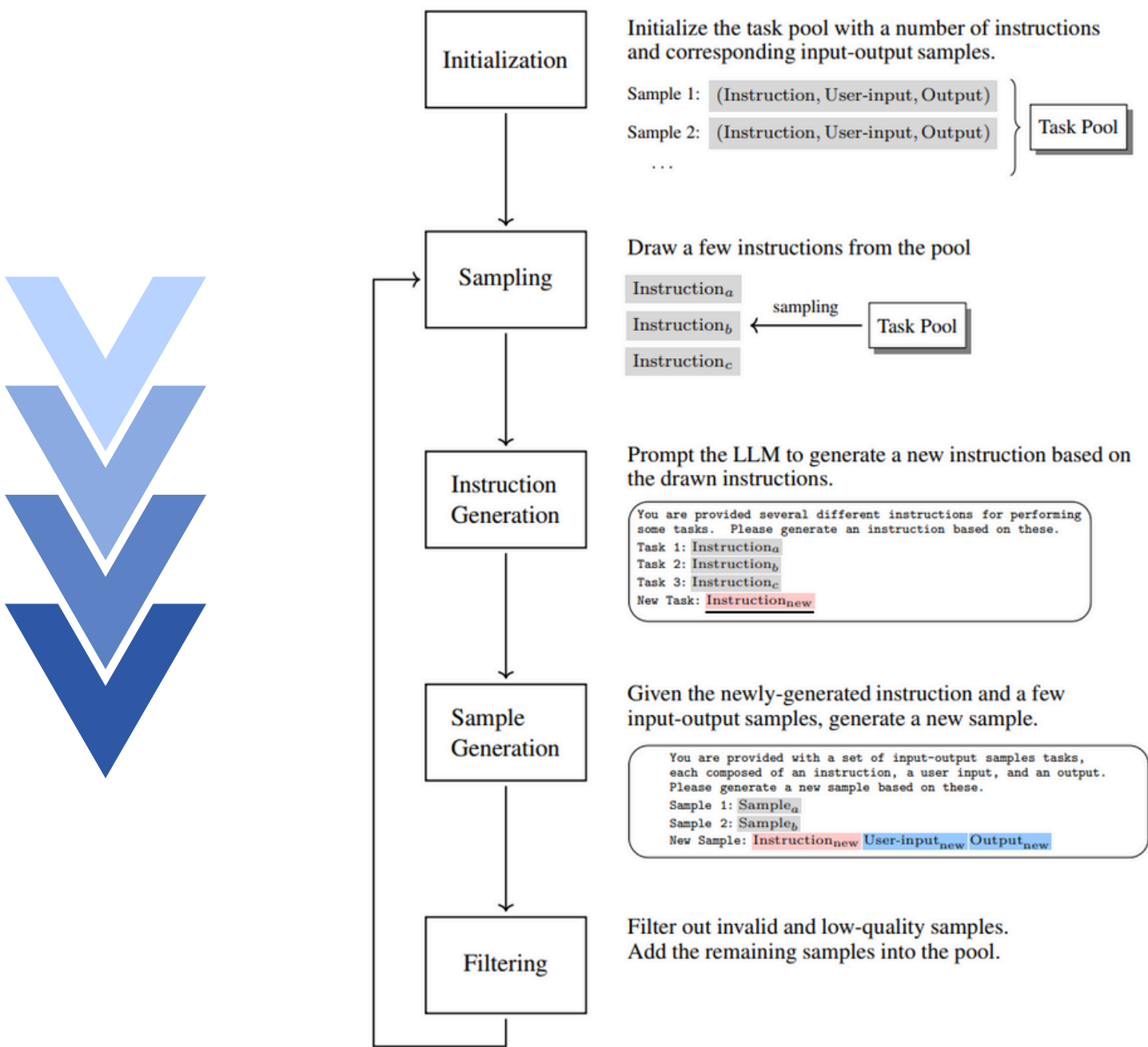
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Fine-Tuning



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Self-Instruct

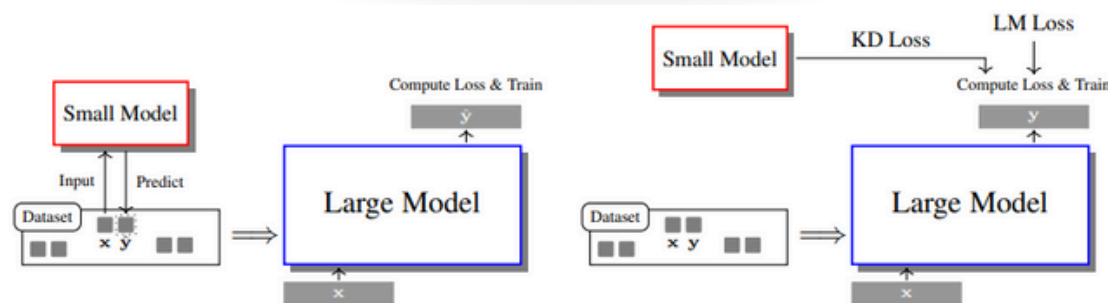


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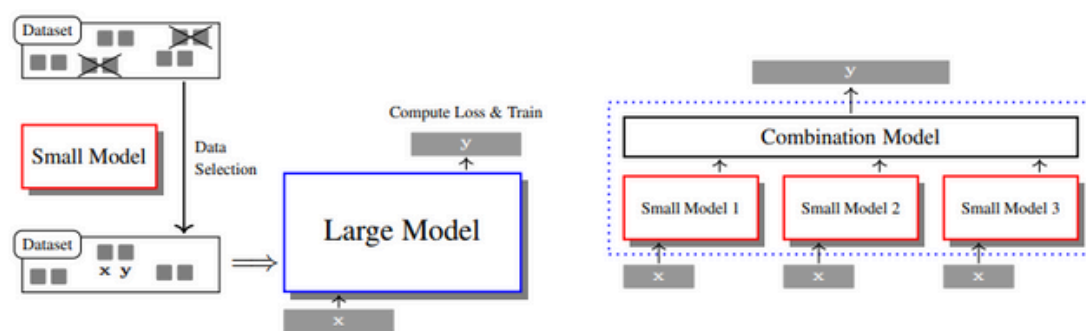
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Small-to-Large



(a) Fine-tuning on data generated by a small model (weak-to-strong generalization)

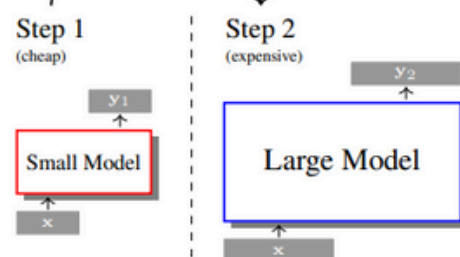
(b) Fine-tuning with KD Loss from a small model (weak-to-strong generalization)



(c) Data selection with a small model

(d) Ensemble of multiple small models

If Step 1 is not satisfactory, go to Step 2



(e) Cascading (at inference time)

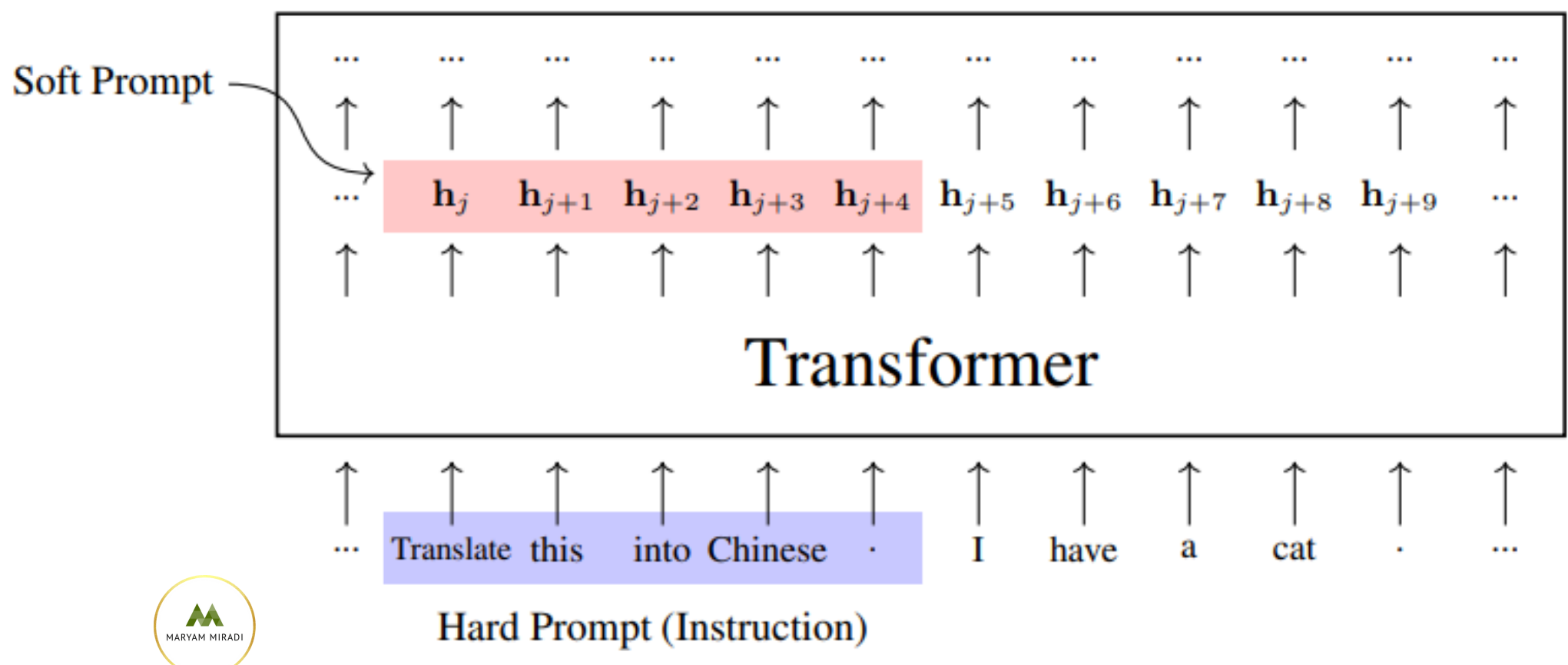


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