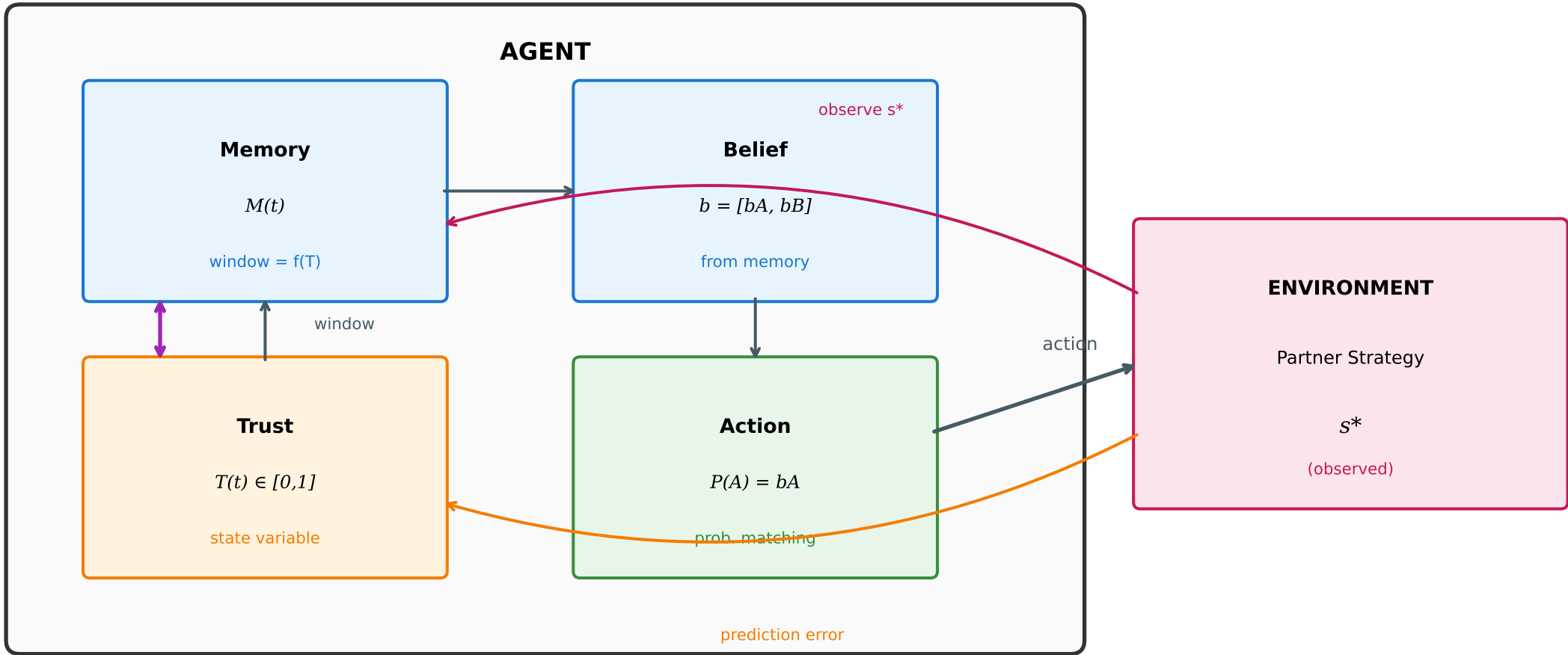


# Cognitive Lock-in Model

*Trust → Memory Window → Belief Stability*



## COGNITIVE LOCK-IN MECHANISM

Majority  $\uparrow$  → Prediction accuracy  $\uparrow$  → Trust  $\uparrow$  → Window  $\uparrow$  → Belief stability  $\uparrow$  → Norm resilience  $\uparrow$

*(No behavioral amplification — only cognitive stabilization)*