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# Special Project 10/17 HW2

## What can we do with Self-Supervised Learning?

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For **S**elf-**S**upervised **S**peech  
**P**re-training and **R**epresentation **L**earning



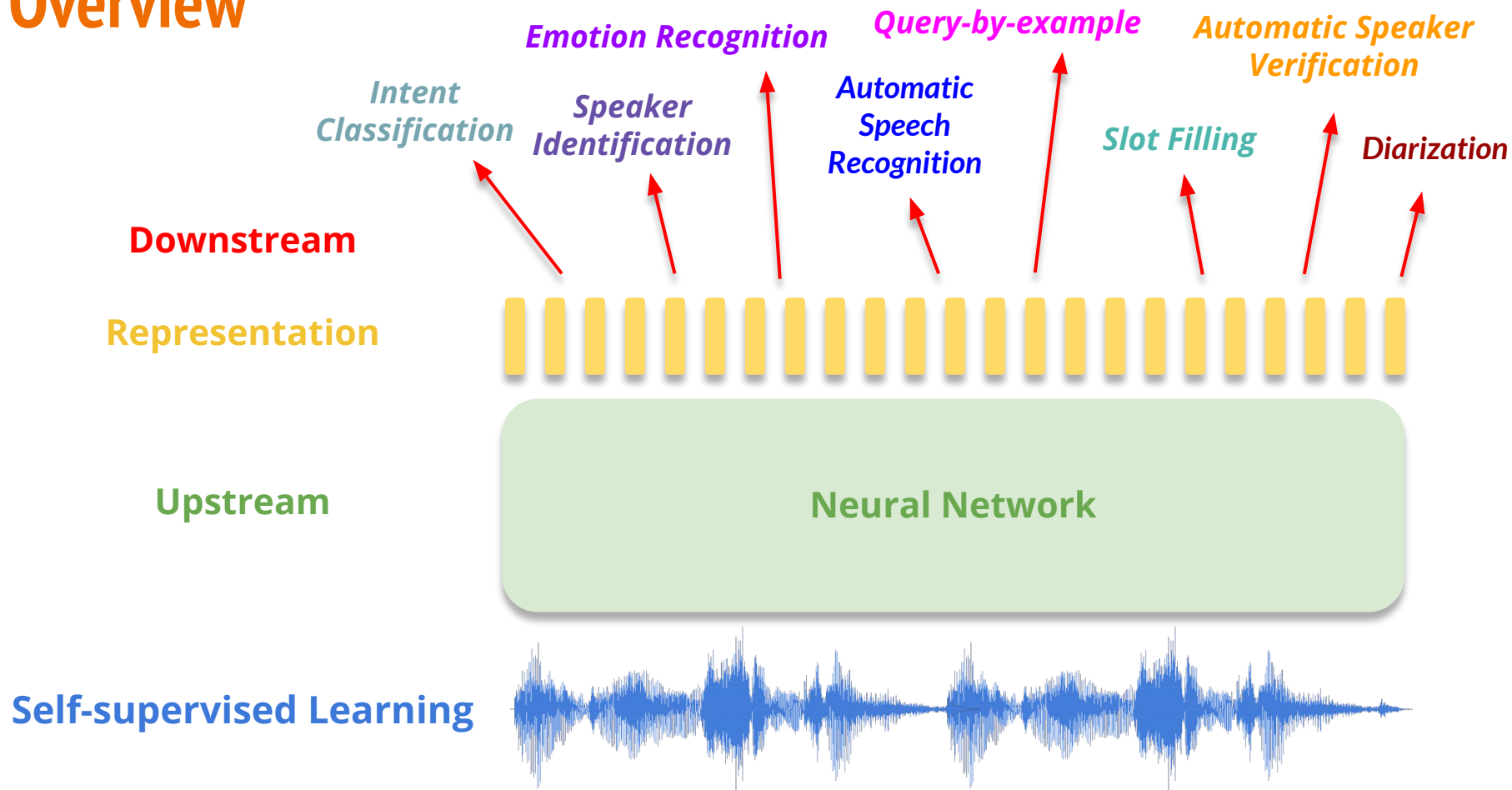
**S3PRL**  
SPEECH TOOLKIT

Tutorial link: <https://youtu.be/PkMFnS6cjAc>

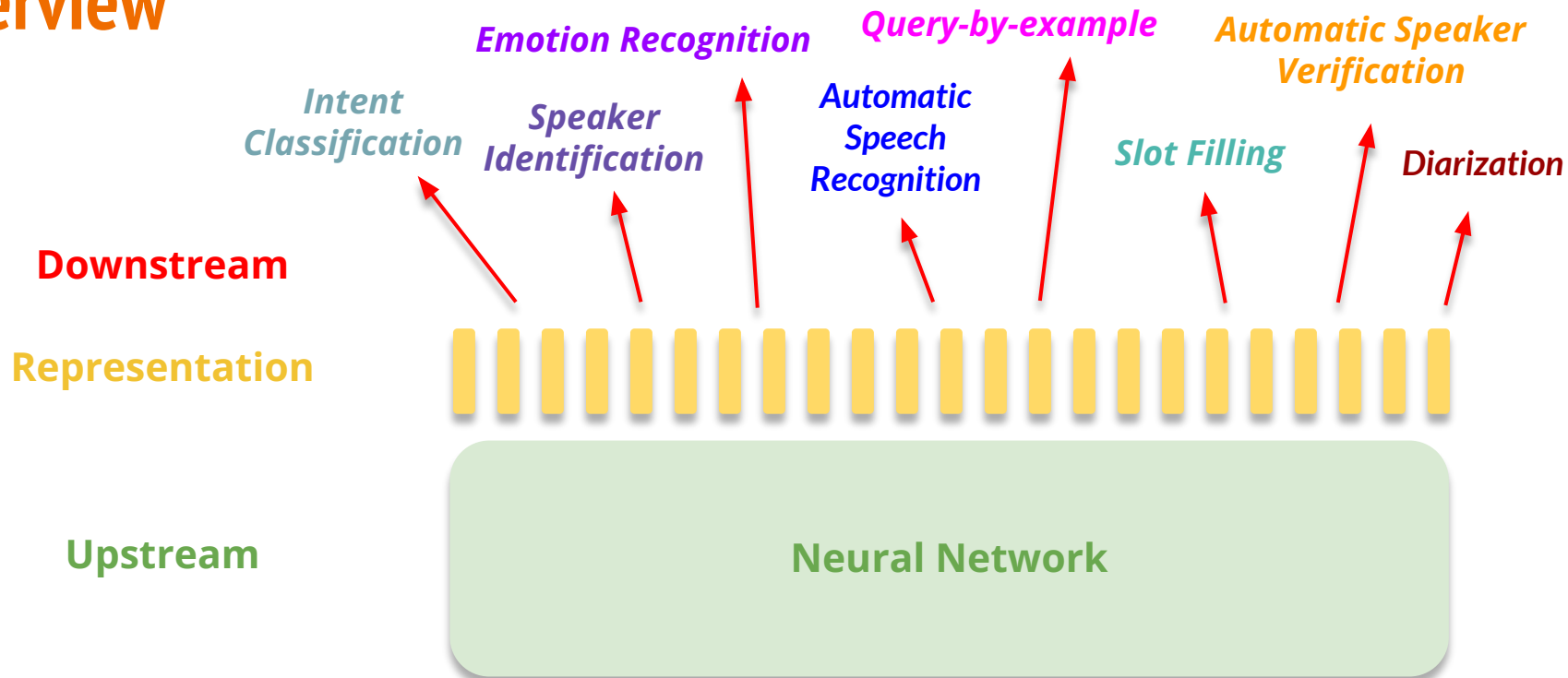
Repo link: <https://github.com/s3prl/s3prl>

Paper link: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2105.01051>

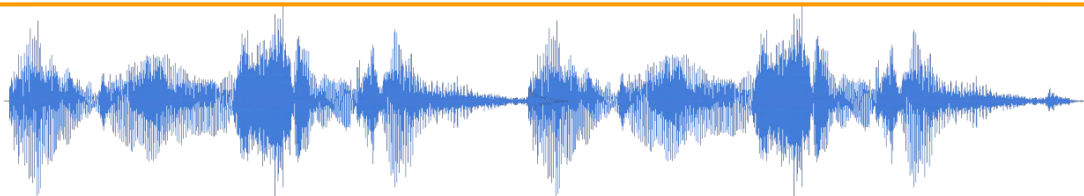
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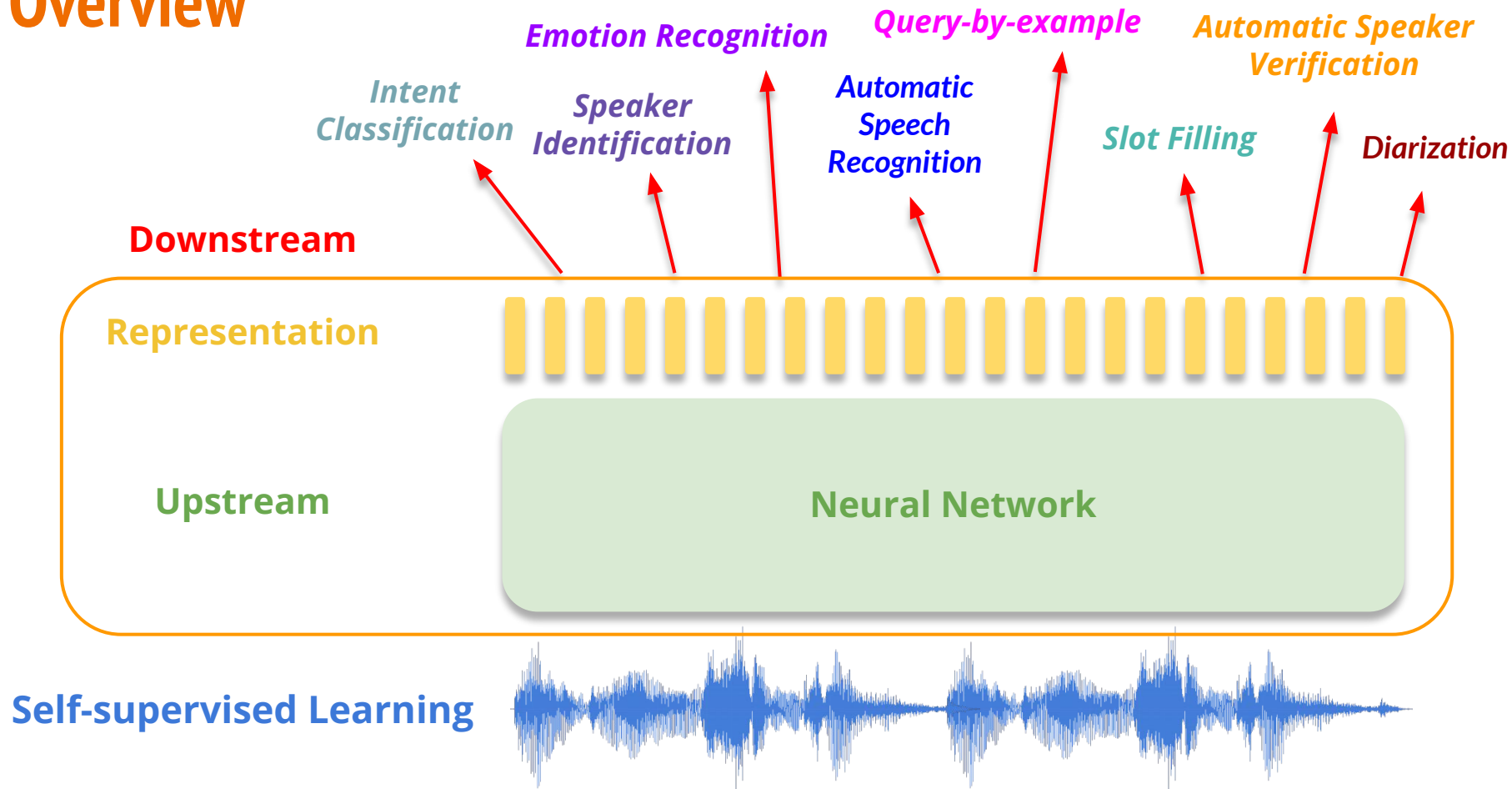
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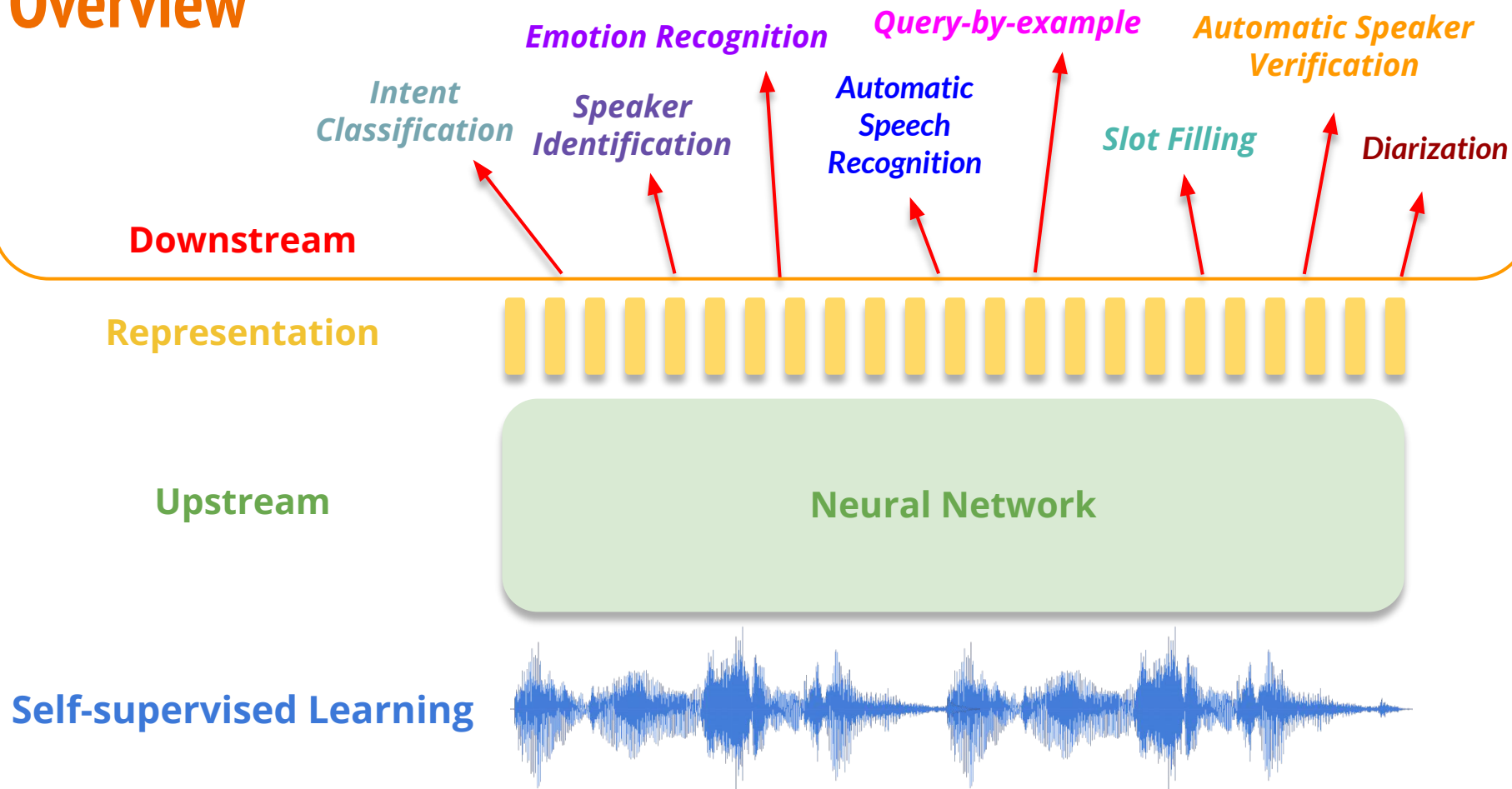
Self-supervised Learning



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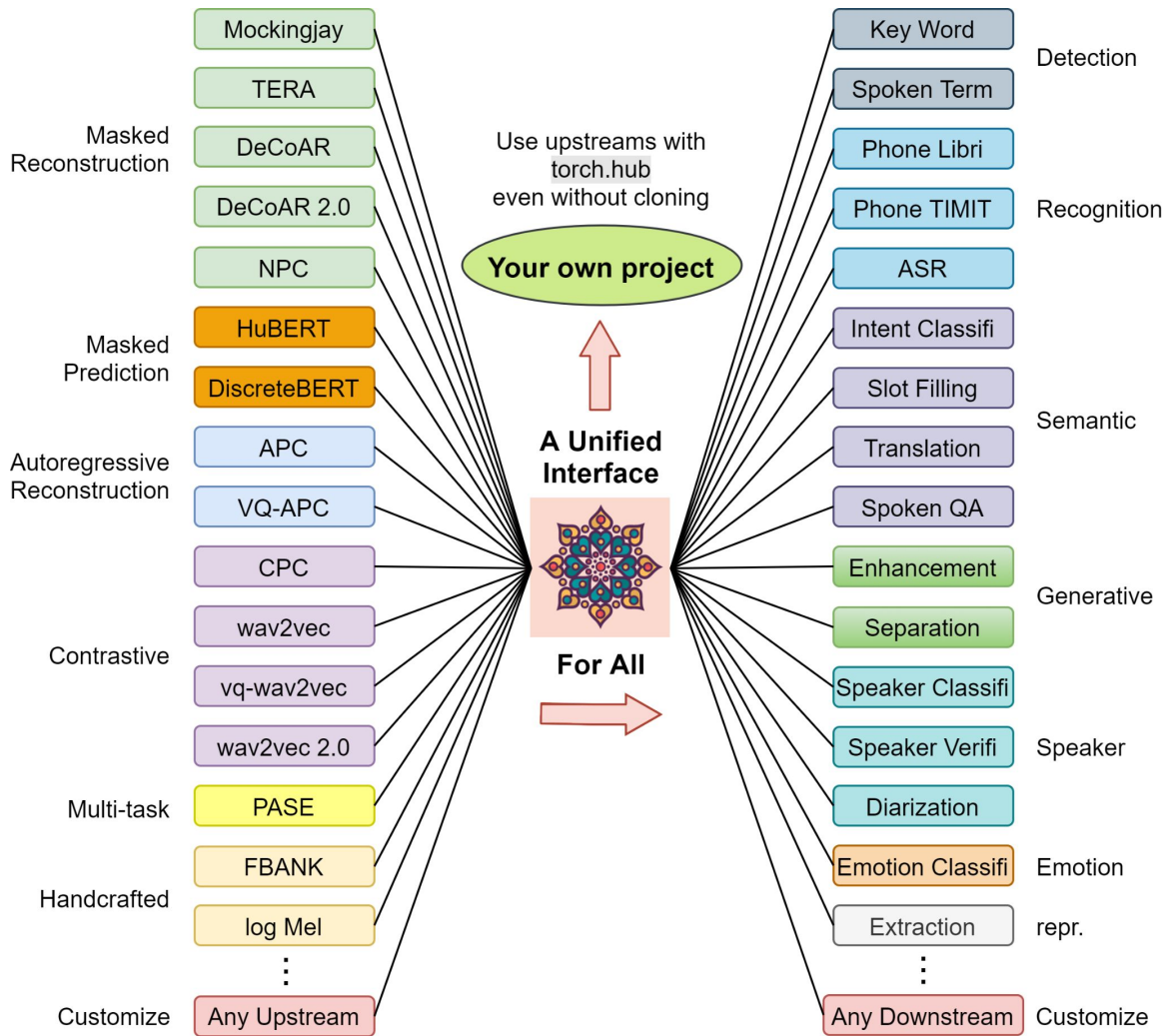


# Overview



# S3PRL Features

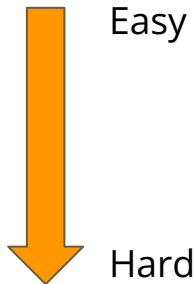
- Upstream Pre-training
- Upstream Hub
- Downstream fine-tuning
- SUPERB Challenge



# How to pass this flexible exercise?

Earn  $\geq 3$  points

- Track 1 (1 point)
- Track 2-1 (2 points - team up)
- Track 2-2 (3 points - team up)
- Track 3-1 (2 points - team up)
- Track 3-2 (3 points - team up)
- Track 4 (5 points - team up)



Easy

Hard

"2 points team up" + "1 points" by your own group is OK.

"2 points team up" x2 is also OK.

"1 point" x3 is also OK.

**Friendly warning:** Some are easy some are hard, first come first serve! Also keep in mind that you'll have to present what you did when its due.

**Team up:** two groups can join and become a larger group for harder tracks



# Track 1

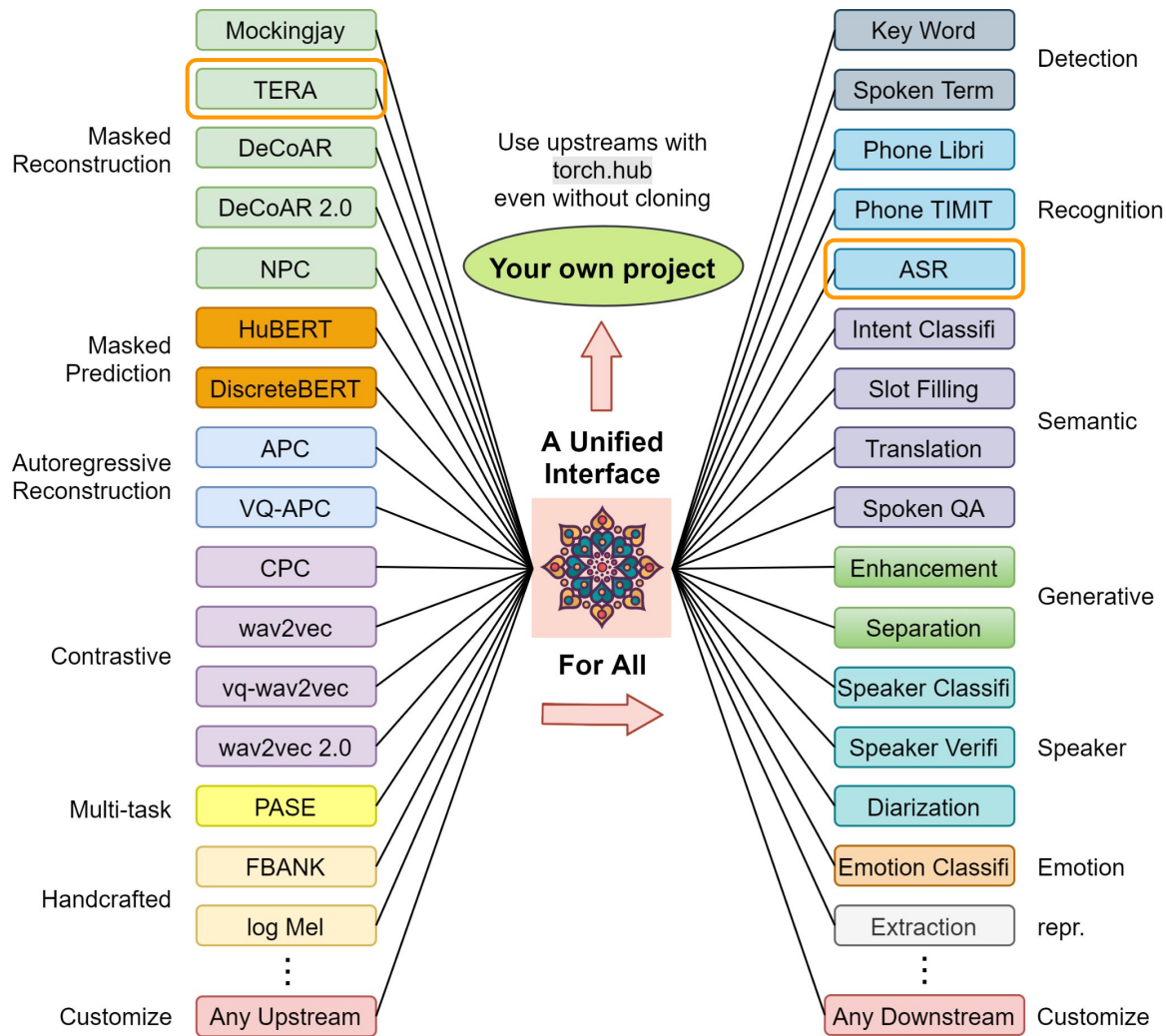
1. Run an **“upstream and downstream” pair** of your choice **(1 point)**
2. Read the description of the downstream task and prepare data.
3. Run the experiment and report your results / observations.
4. An unique *“upstream and downstream” pair* counts for 1 point, you can do different pairs to get more points.
5. Setting different hyperparameters for an existing pair also counts for 1 point.

Documentation: [link](#)

Tutorial: [link](#)

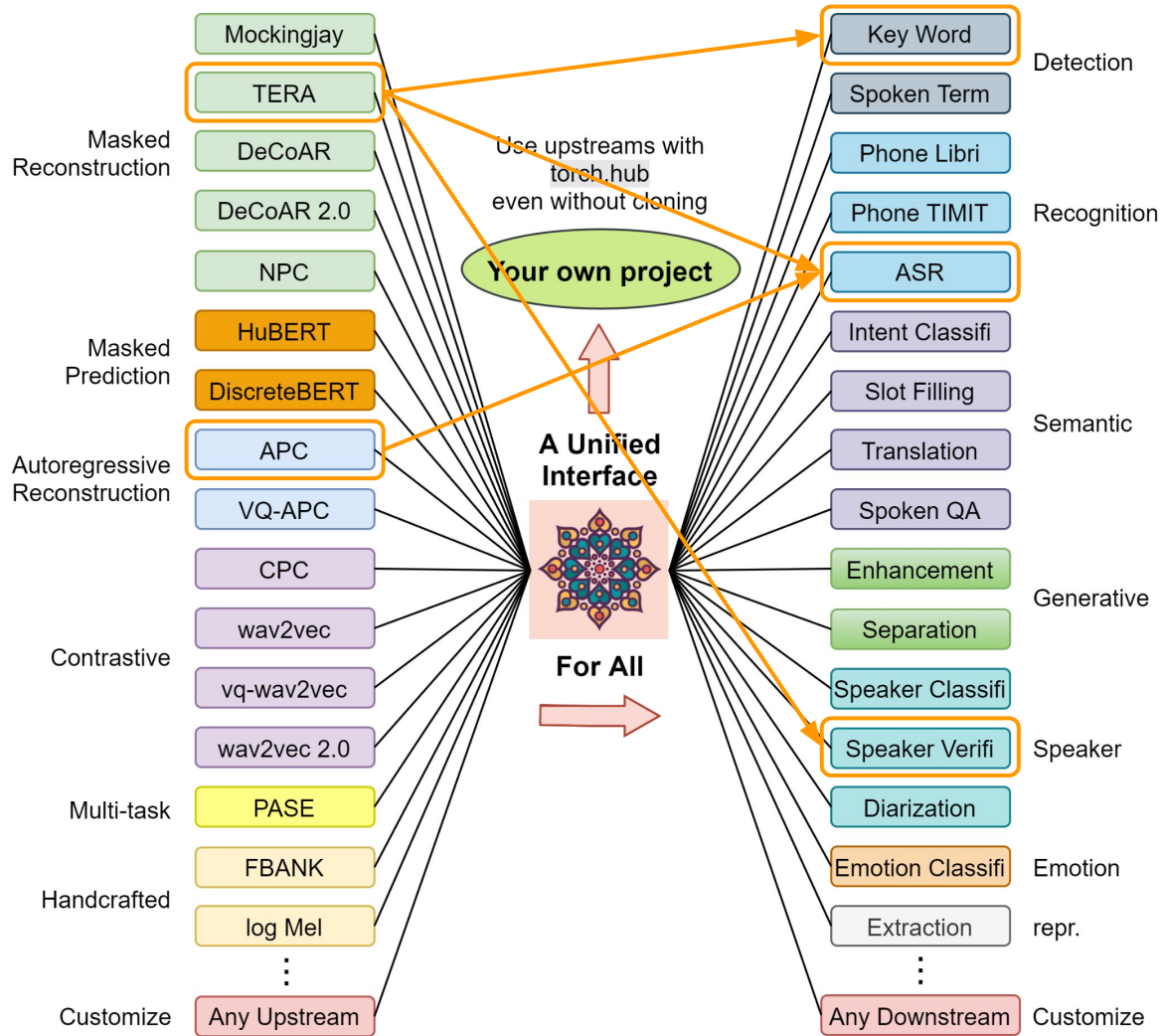
# Track 1 (example)

- Choose one from the left.
- Choose one from the right.



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- Each unique pair counts **1 point**.



# Available tasks to choose from

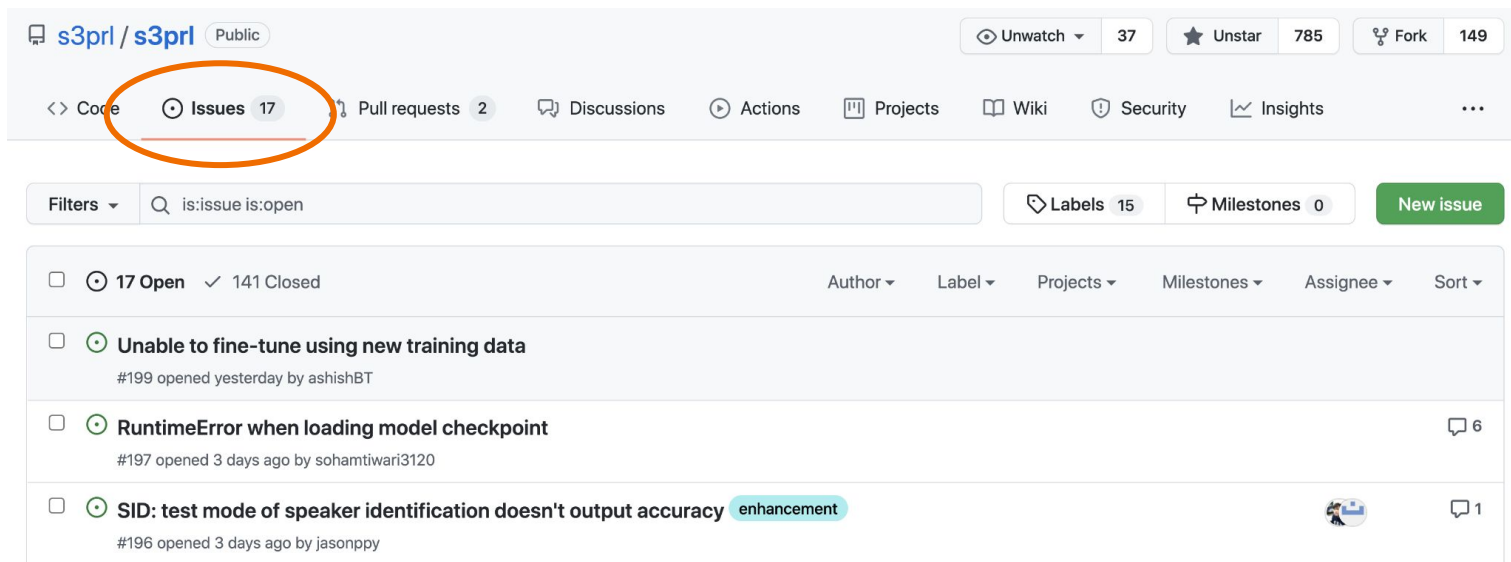
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<a href="#">KS</a>	Keyword Spotting	Content	V	
<a href="#">QbE</a>	Query-by-Example	Content	V	V
<a href="#">SID</a>	Speaker Identification	Speaker	V	V
<a href="#">ASV</a>	Automatic Speaker Verification	Speaker	V	V
<a href="#">SD</a>	Speaker Diarization	Speaker	V	V
<a href="#">ER</a>	Emotion Recognition	Paralinguistics	V	V
<a href="#">IC</a>	Spoken Intent Classification	Semantics	V	
<a href="#">SF</a>	Spoken Slot Filling	Semantics	V	
<a href="#">ST</a>	Speech Translation	Semantics		V
<a href="#">SE</a>	Speech Enhancement	Generation		V
<a href="#">SS</a>	Source Separation	Generation		V
<a href="#">VC</a>	Voice Conversion	Generation		

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# Track 2-1

**Resolve** an open issue **without** making a pull request (2 points - team up)

Comment under the issue and tag me: **@andi611**, I will close it if applicable.



The screenshot shows the GitHub repository page for `s3prl/s3prl`. The `Issues` tab is selected and circled in orange. The repository is public and has 37 issues, 2 pull requests, 785 stars, and 149 forks. The search bar shows the filter `is:issue is:open`. The list of issues includes:

- ☐ **17 Open** ✓ 141 Closed
- ☐ **Unable to fine-tune using new training data**  
#199 opened yesterday by ashishBT
- ☐ **RuntimeError when loading model checkpoint**  
#197 opened 3 days ago by sohamtiwari3120
- ☐ **SID: test mode of speaker identification doesn't output accuracy** enhancement  
#196 opened 3 days ago by jasonppy

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## Track 2-2

**Resolve** an open issue **with** a pull request **(3 points - team up)**

Start a pull request, I will approve it if applicable.

See [here](#) for detailed steps:

### Development pattern for contributors

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1. [Create a personal fork](#) of the [main S3PRL repository](#) in GitHub.
2. Make your changes in a named branch different from `master`, e.g. you create a branch `new-awesome-feature`.
3. Contact us if you have any questions during development.
4. [Generate a pull request](#) through the Web interface of GitHub.
5. Please verify that your code is free of basic mistakes, we appreciate any contribution!

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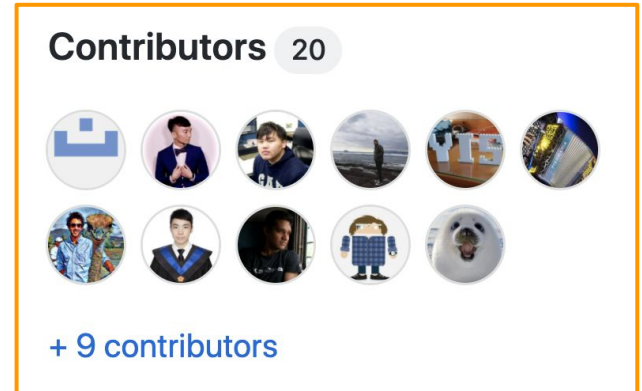
## Track 2-2

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Start a pull request, I will approve it if applicable.

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**Bonus:** This will make you a official contributor to the project!



# Track 3-1

Open a **new** issue **without** making a pull request (2 points - team up)

Has to be a valid **issue / problem / bug** that applies to all users, asking random questions or your own environment issues do NOT count.

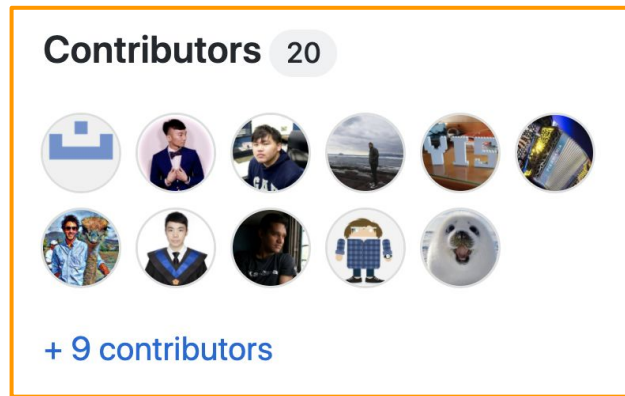


# Track 3-2

Open a **new** issue **and resolve** with pull request **(3 points - team up)**

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# Track 4

Use this toolkit on your own application! (5 points - team up)

- New dataset
- New downstream task
- New upstream
- Your own research topic
- Anything reasonable or related

## Bonus for choosing this track:

You do not have to be fully finished by the deadline,  
you can present a reasonable amount of progress that you've made.

# Submission

## 1. For tracks 2~4, comment on FB post

- a. a single sentence is sufficient (e.g. paste the open issue link)
- b. briefly describing what you plan to do
- c. **to avoid overlap between groups**

## 2. Presentation (on 10/31)

Things you might want to cover, **not limited to or mandatory of:**

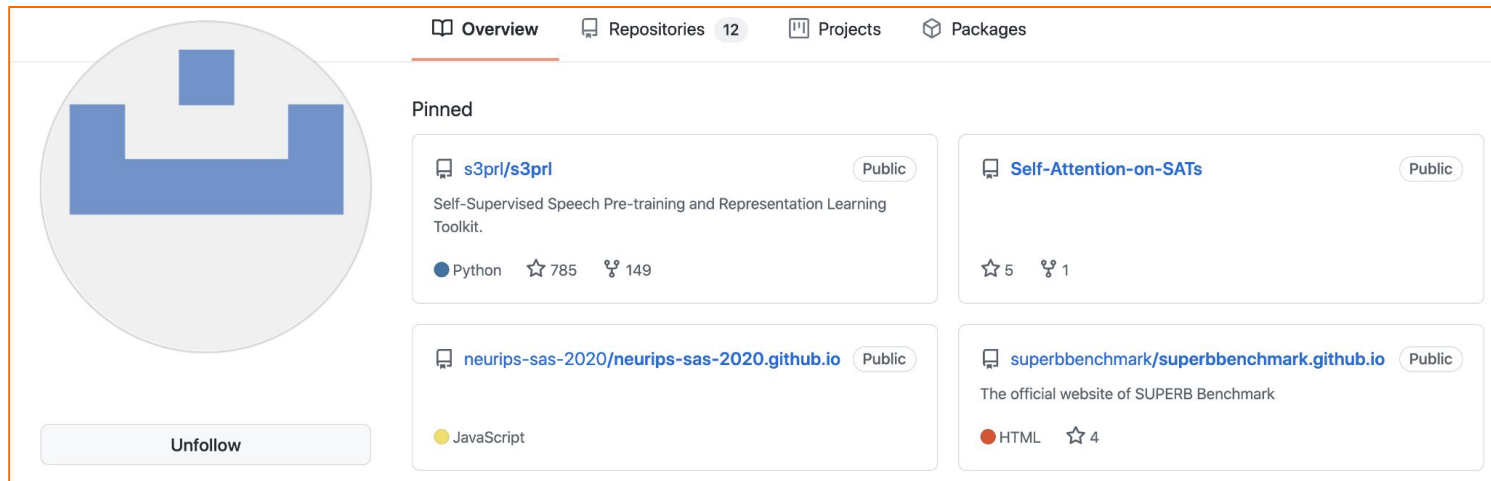
- a. The track(s) you choose
- b. The setting of your track
- c. Screen shots (proofs) of your training / inference results
- d. Screen shots (proofs) of your contribution / pull request / issue / comments
  - i. What was it about & how did you solve the issue
- e. Your observations
- f. Your user feedback of the toolkit

## 3. Do not have to submit any code

## 4. No restriction on presentation format

# Recommendations and Goals

1. Team up on the harder tracks.
2. Make pull requests.
3. Become a contributor.
4. Then, you can happily **pin this project on your Github homepage**:



# What to do if you encounter any problem

1. **ALWAYS** check if there are any related **existing** (open / closed) issues first.
2. Ask you question:
  - a. **Project related:** Comment on the *FB post*
  - b. **Technical related:** Open a new issue on the *S3PRL Github Repo*
    - i. NO points.
    - ii. Tag me with **@andi611** and I will reply you ASAP.
3. Email me
  - a. if it is something personal or you don't want to go public.

# Questions?

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