

Unsupervised Deep Learning by

Neighbourhood Discovery

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Summary

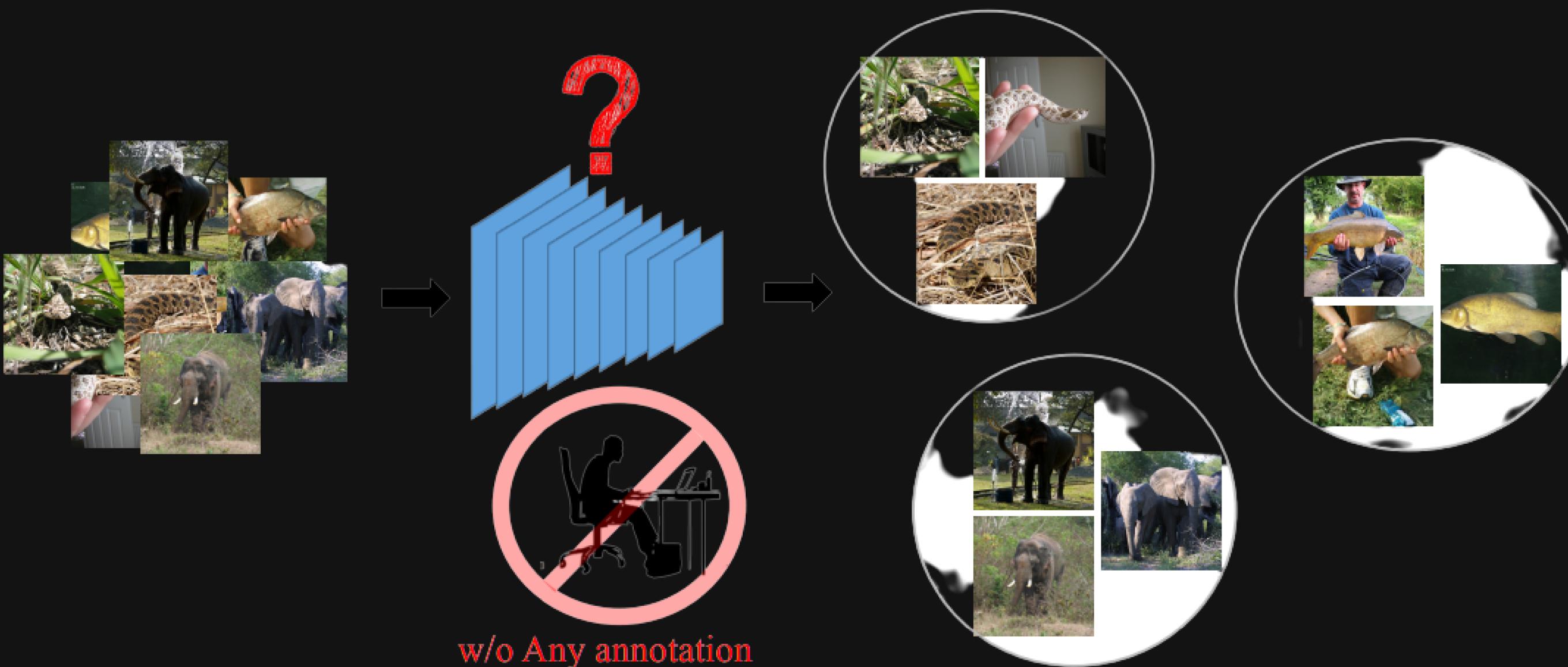
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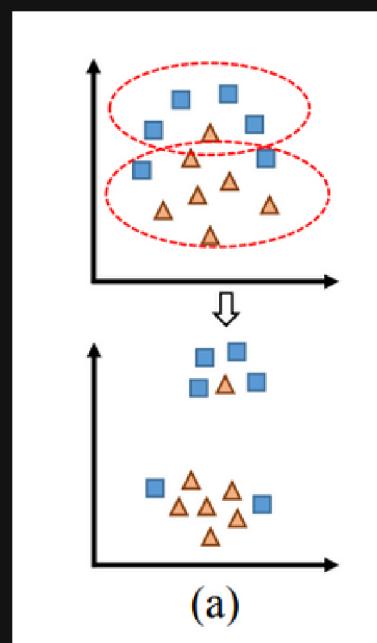
Learning the true data distribution of training set

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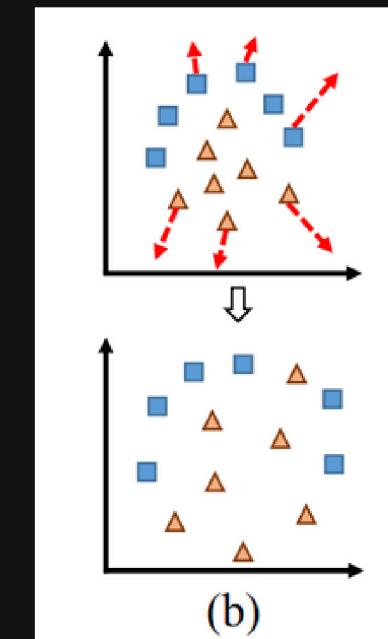
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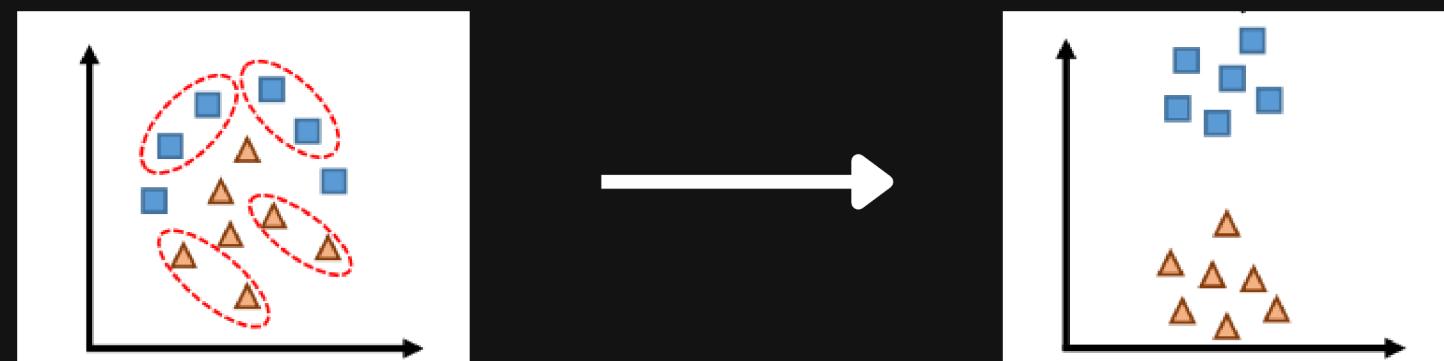
- Leaving out the correlation between samples
- poor discriminative ability

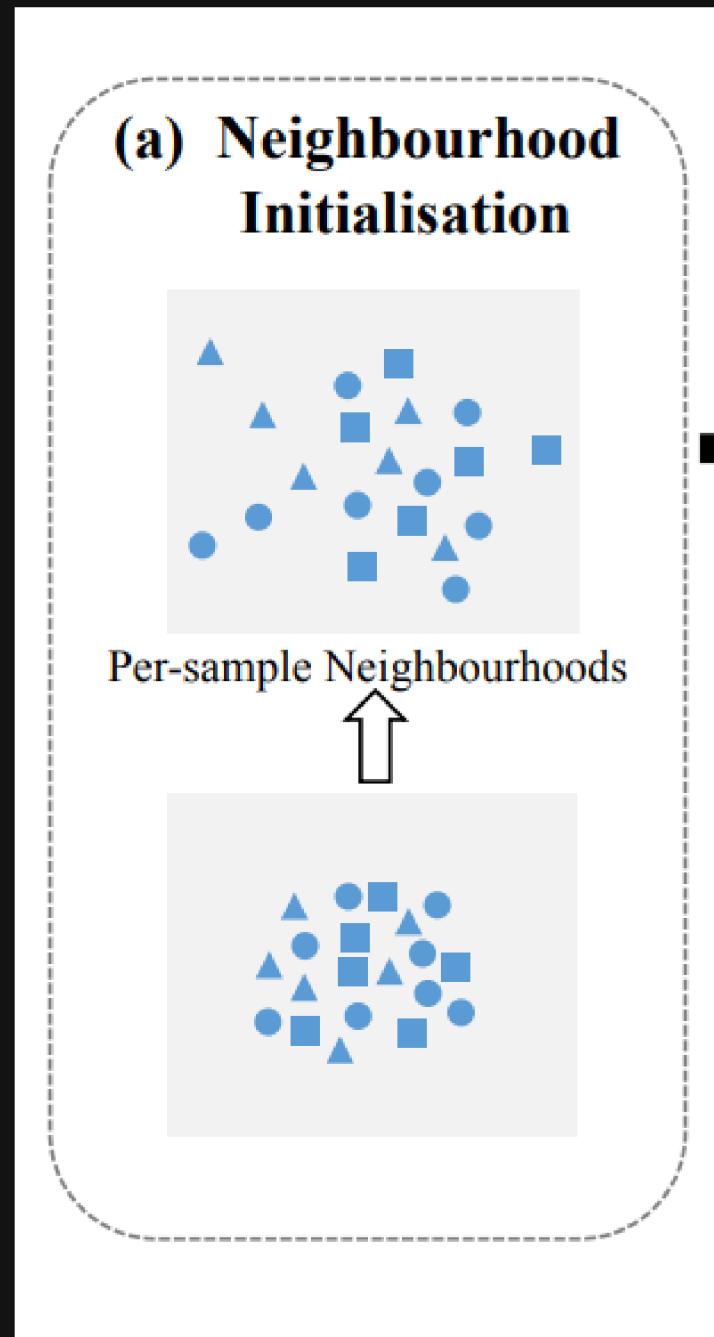


Clustering Analysis
error-propagation

Sample Specificity
poor discriminative ability

Measuring the **consistency** of inter-sample relations and learn from those in high-confidence only





HOW TO IDENTIFY NEIGHBOURHOODS

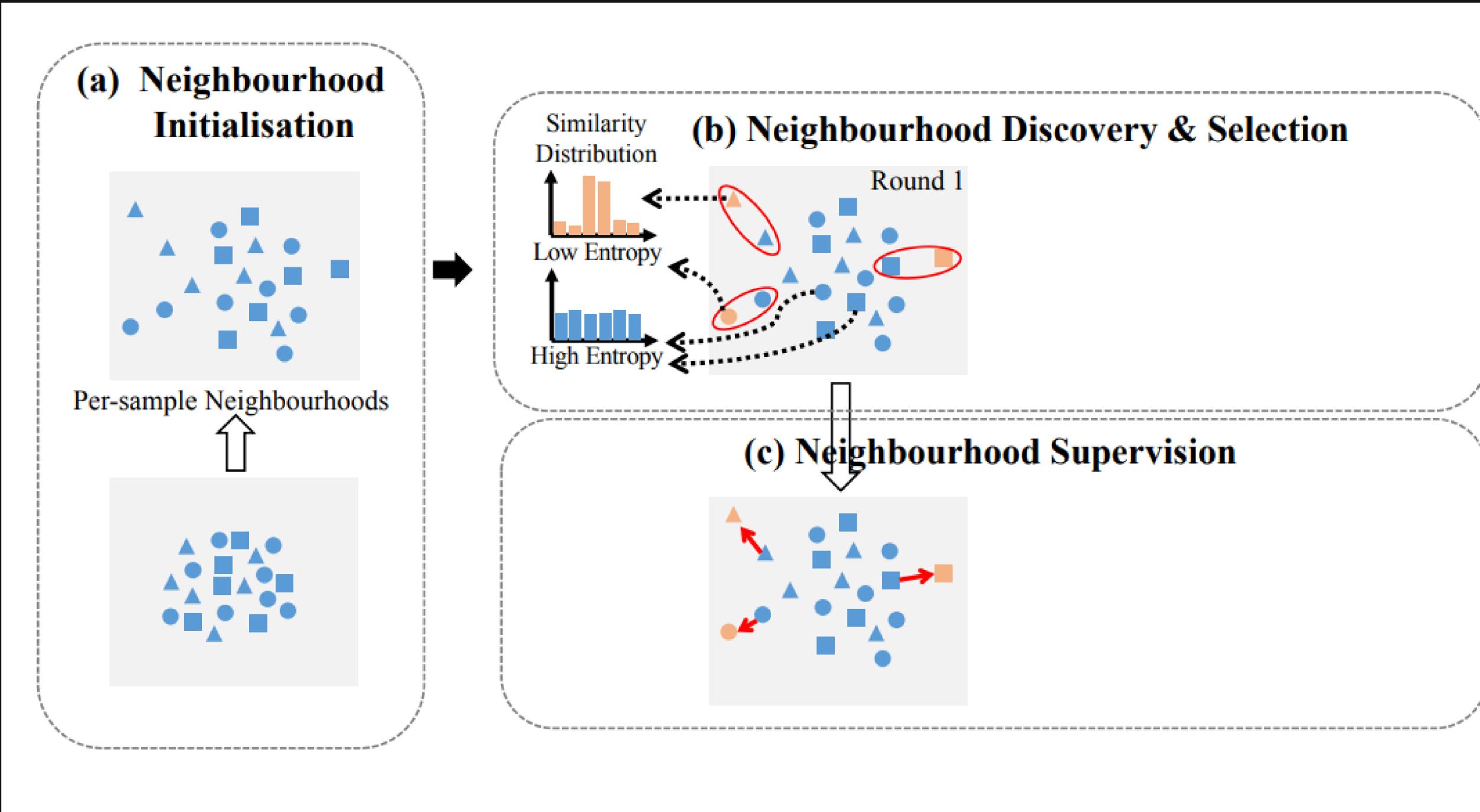
$$N_k(x) = \{x_i \mid s(x_i, x) \text{ is top-}k \text{ in } X\} \cup \{x\}$$

Anchor Neighbourhoods (AN)

NEIGHBOURHOOD INITIALISATION

Each individual sample represents a distinct AN. The instance loss to commence the model learning:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{init}} = - \sum_{i=1}^{n_{\text{bs}}} \log(p_{i,i}), \quad p_{i,j} = \frac{\exp(\mathbf{x}_i^\top \mathbf{x}_j / \tau)}{\sum_{k=1}^N \exp(\mathbf{x}_i^\top \mathbf{x}_k / \tau)}$$



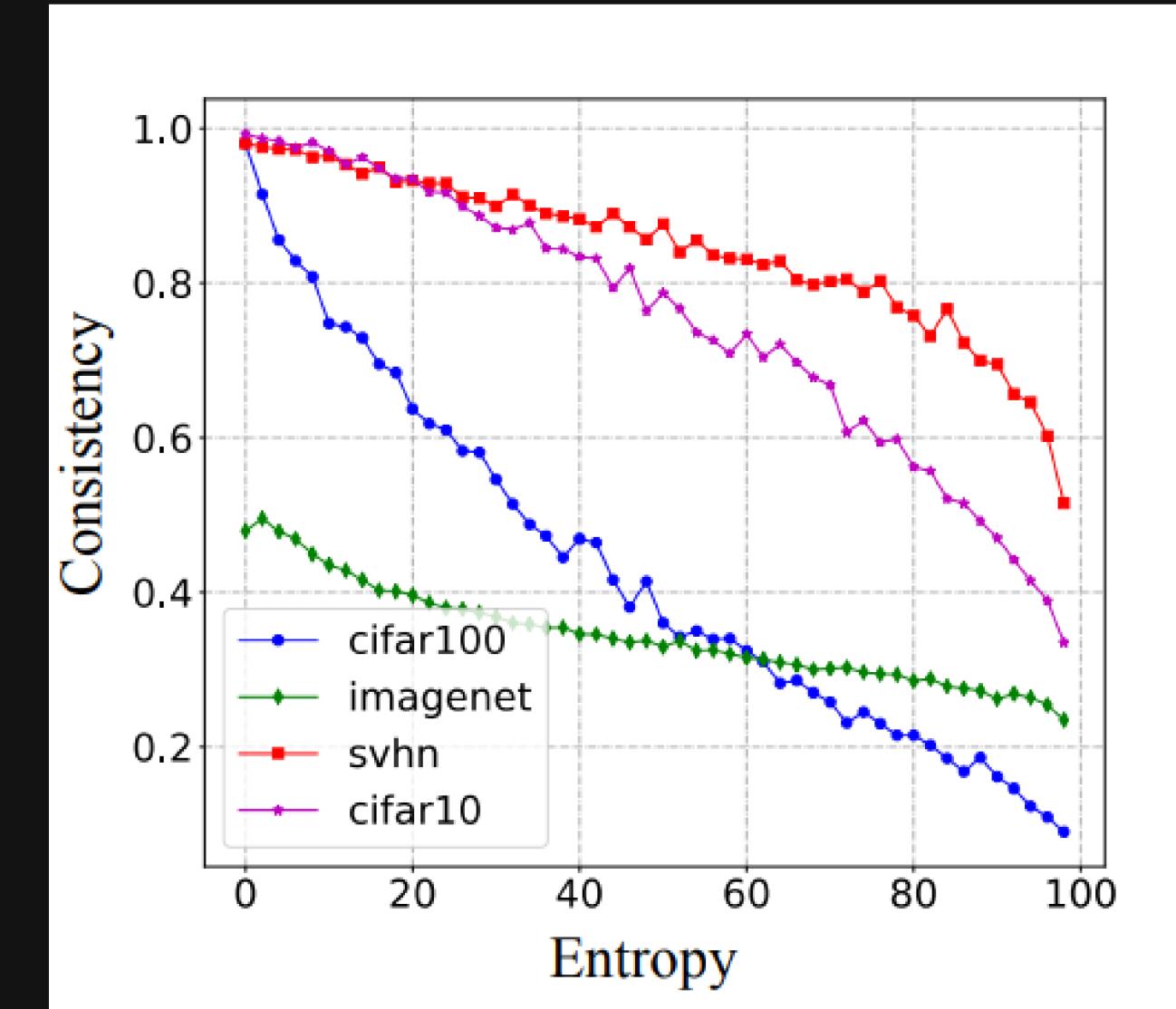
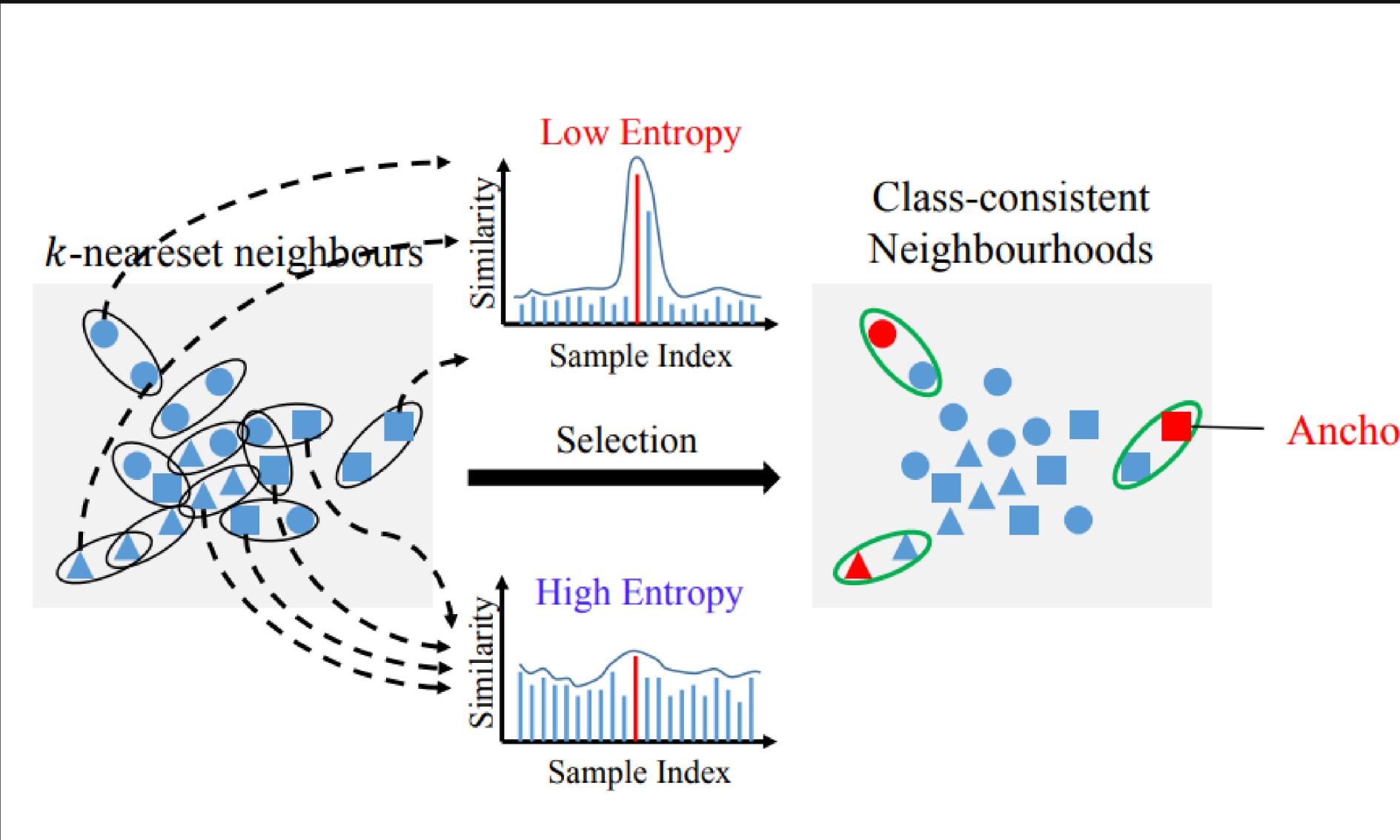
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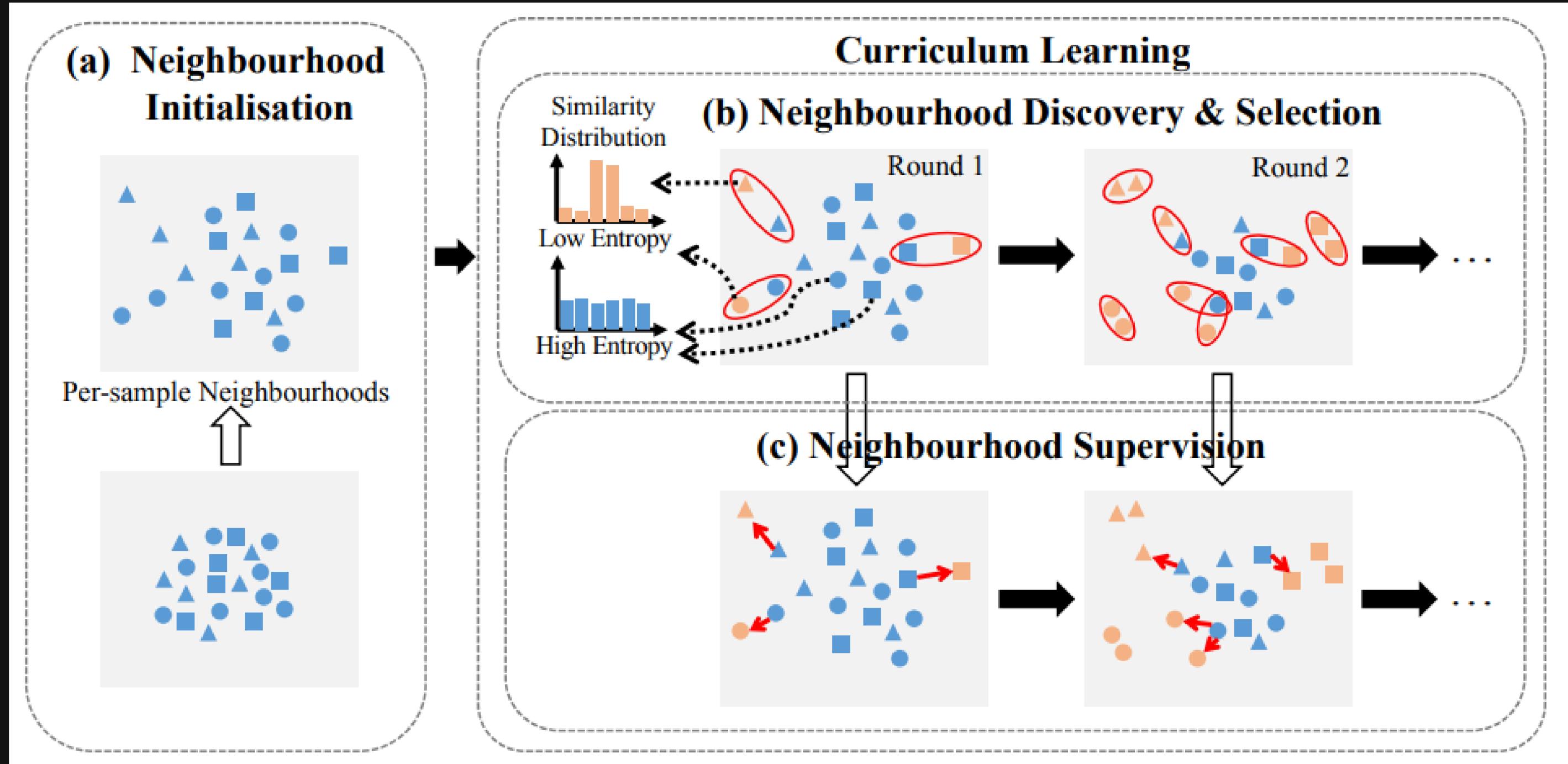
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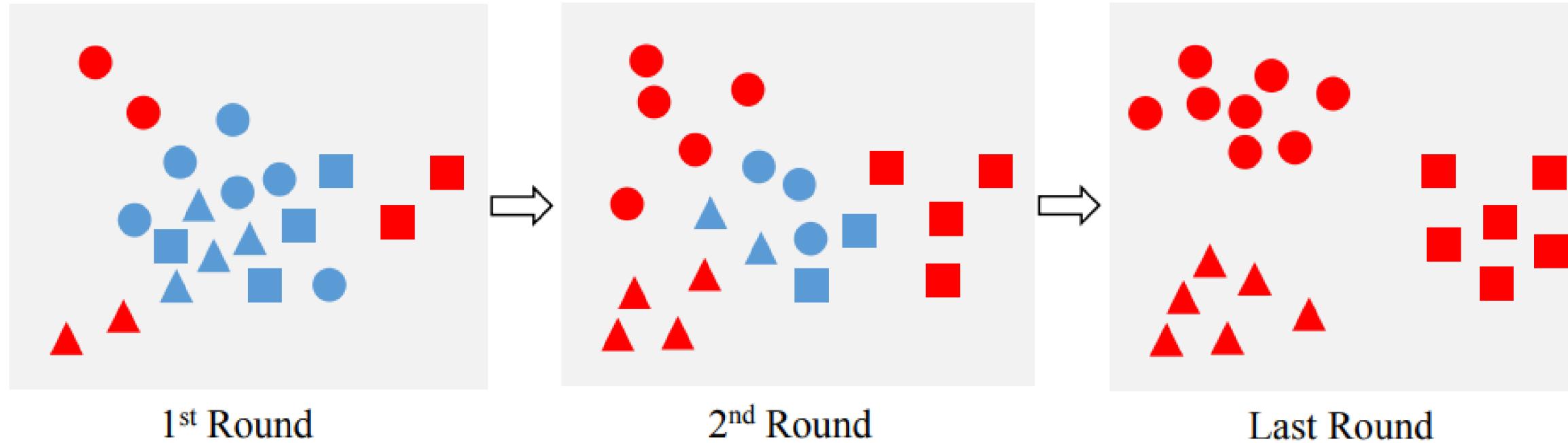
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➤ Curriculum Learning



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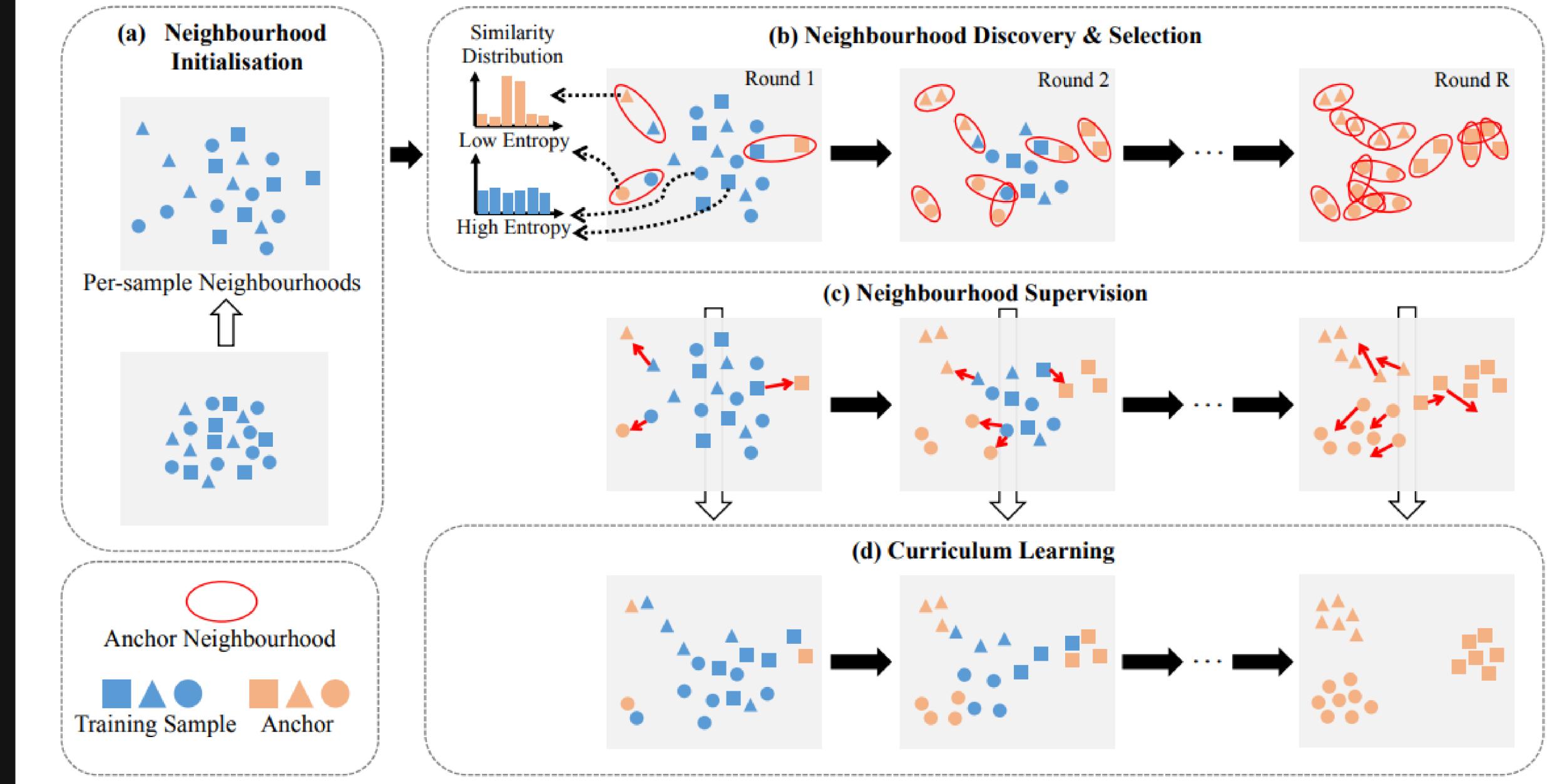
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Objective Loss Function. With the progressive neighbourhood discovery as above, we obtain the model objective loss function for the r -th round as:

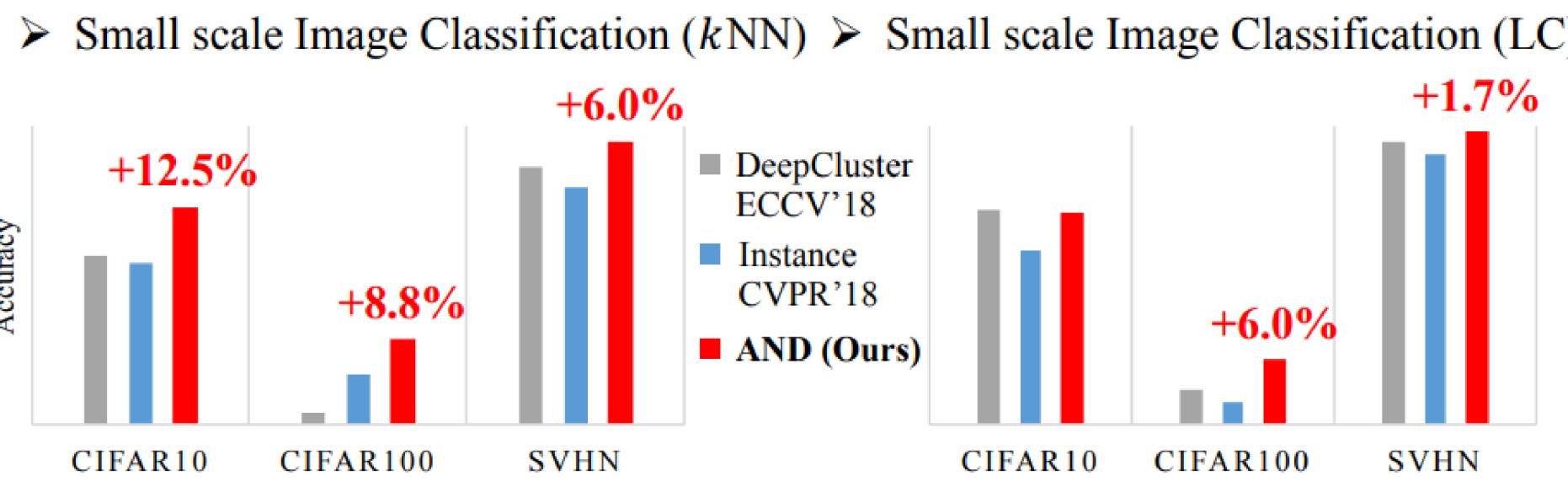
$$\mathcal{L}^r = - \sum_{i \in B_{\text{inst}}^r} \log(p_{i,i}) - \sum_{i \in B_{\text{AN}}^r} \log \left(\sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}_k(\mathbf{x}_i)} p_{i,j} \right) \quad (7)$$

where B_{inst}^r and B_{AN}^r denote the set of instances and the set of ANs in a mini-batch at the r -th round, respectively.

The proposed loss function (Eq (7)) is differentiable therefore enabling the stochastic gradient descent algorithm for model training.

Comparisons to the State-of-the-Art Methods

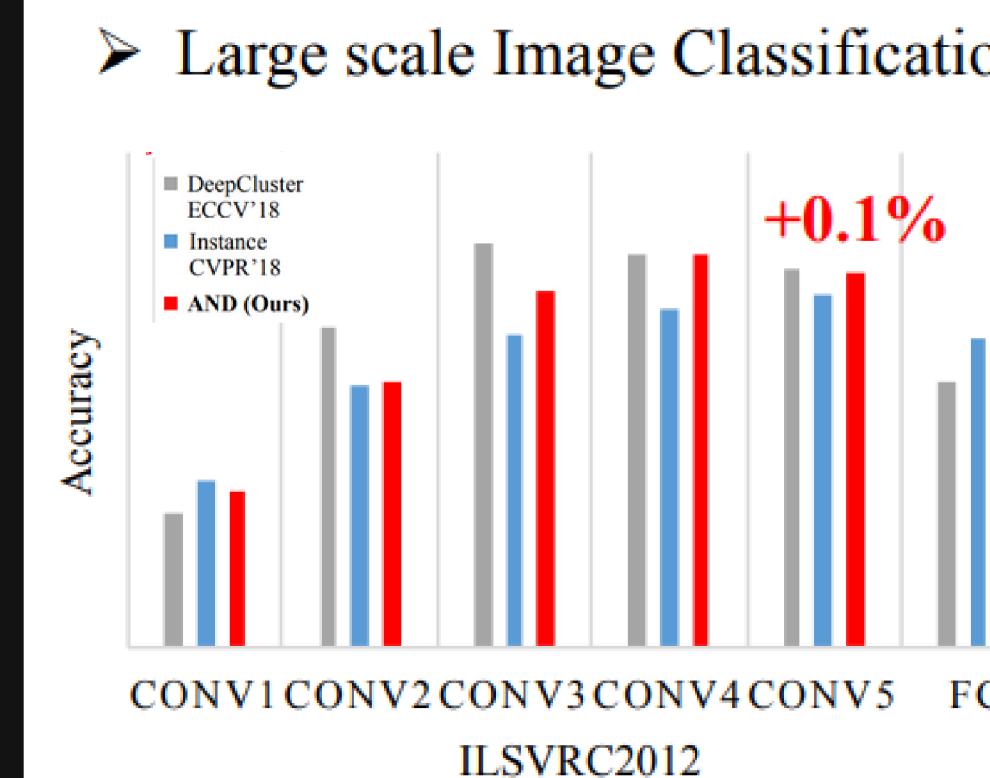
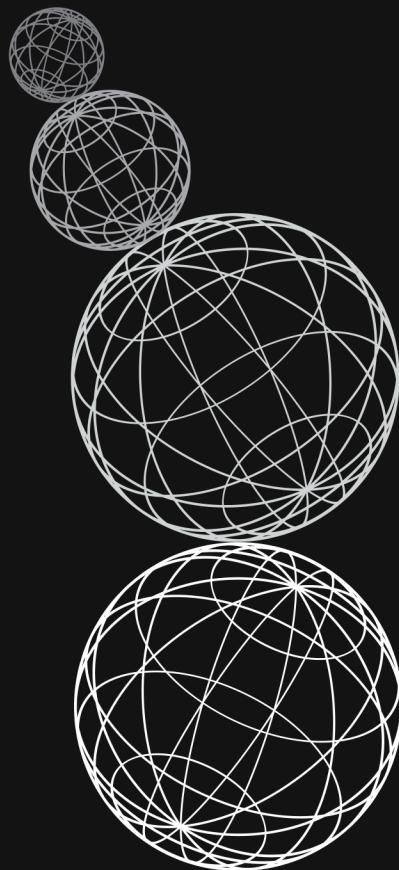
Small scale evaluation



Dataset	CIFAR10	CIFAR100	SVHN
Classifier/Feature	Weighted k NN / FC		
Split-Brain*	11.7	1.3	19.7
Counting*	41.7	15.9	43.4
DeepCluster	<u>62.3</u>	22.7	<u>84.9</u>
Instance	60.3	<u>32.7</u>	79.8
AND	74.8	41.5	90.9
<i>Supervised</i>	91.9	69.7	96.5
Classifier/Feature	Linear Classifier / conv5		
Split-Brain*	67.1	39.0	77.3
Counting*	50.9	18.2	63.4
DeepCluster	77.9	<u>41.9</u>	<u>92.0</u>
Instance	70.1	39.4	89.3
AND	<u>77.6</u>	47.9	93.7
<i>Supervised</i>	91.8	71.0	96.1

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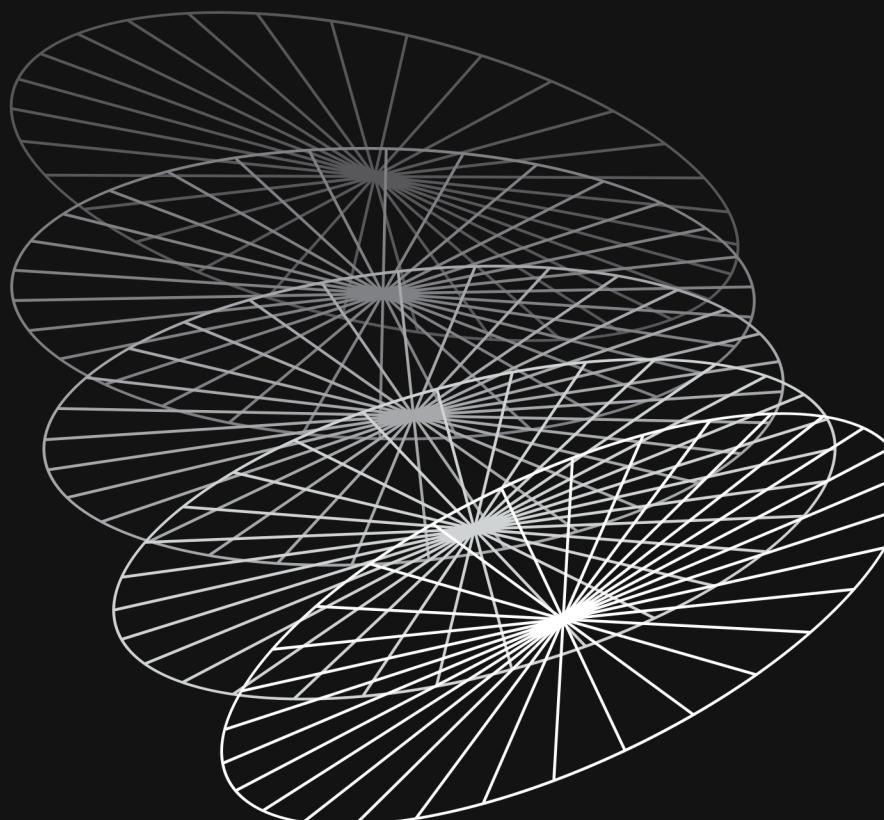
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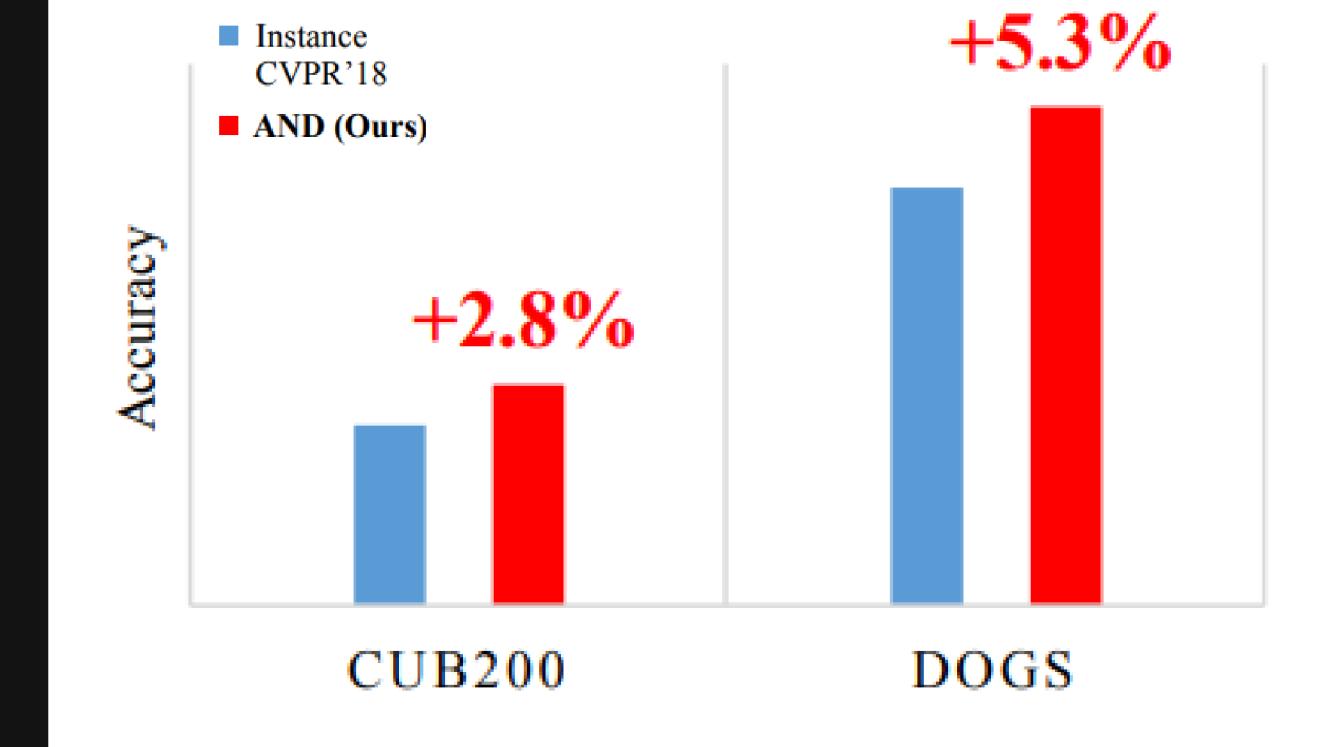
Classifier	Linear Classifier						<i>k</i> NN
	conv1	conv2	conv3	conv4	conv5	FC	
Random	11.6	17.1	16.9	16.3	14.1	12.0	3.5
Supervised	19.3	36.3	44.2	48.3	50.5	-	-
Context	17.5	23.0	24.5	23.2	20.6	30.4	-
BiGAN	17.7	24.5	31.0	29.9	28.0	32.2	-
Colour	13.1	24.8	31.0	32.6	31.8	35.2	-
Jigsaw	19.2	30.1	34.7	33.9	28.3	38.1	-
NAT	-	-	-	-	-	36.0	-
Counting	18.0	30.6	34.3	32.5	25.7	-	-
Split-Brain	17.7	29.3	35.4	35.2	32.8	-	11.8
DeepCluster	13.4	32.3	41.0	39.6	38.2	-	26.8
Instance	16.8	26.5	31.8	34.1	35.6	-	31.3
AND	15.6	27.0	35.9	39.7	37.9	36.7	31.3

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Fine-grained evaluation

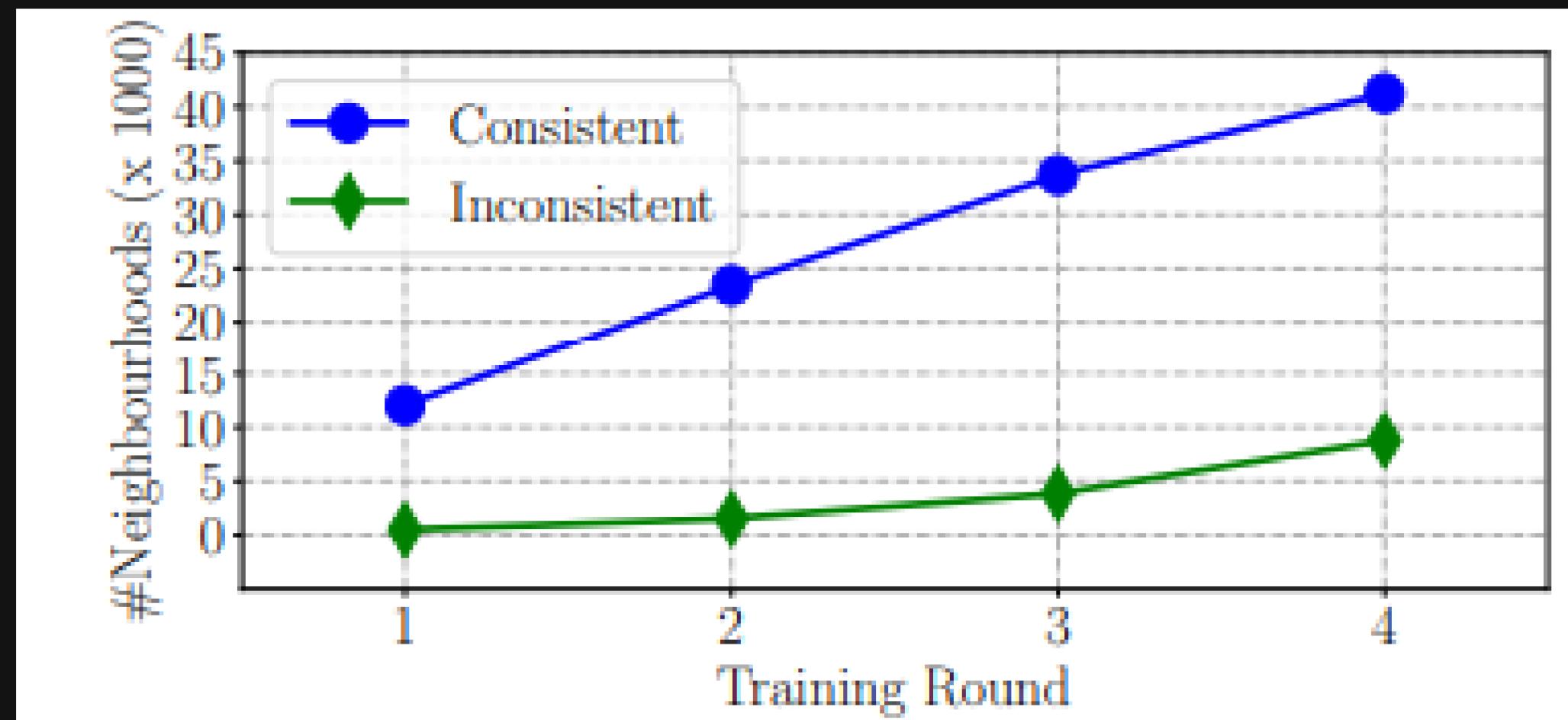


Dataset	CUB200	Dogs
Instance	11.6	27.0
AND	14.4	32.3



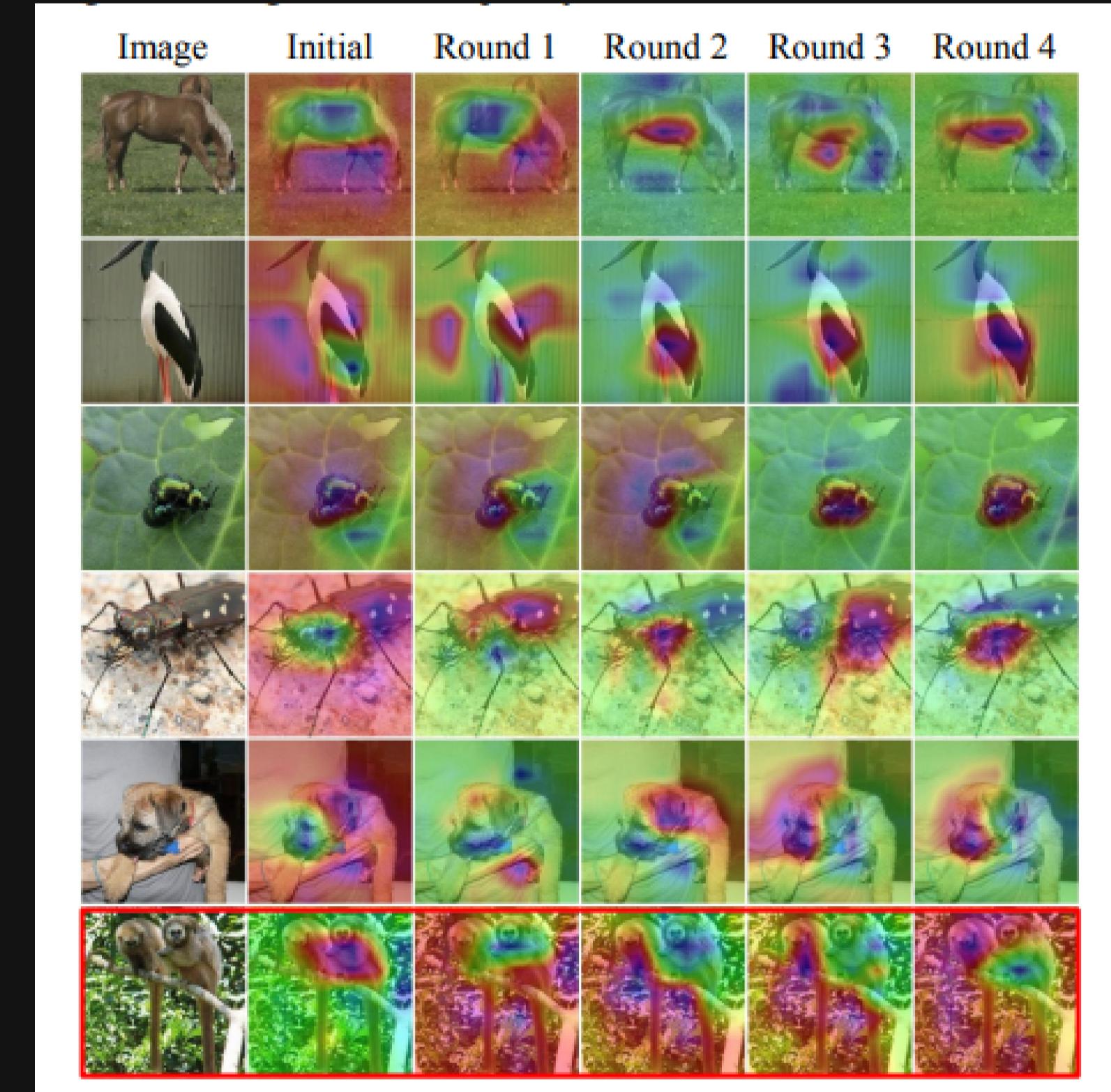
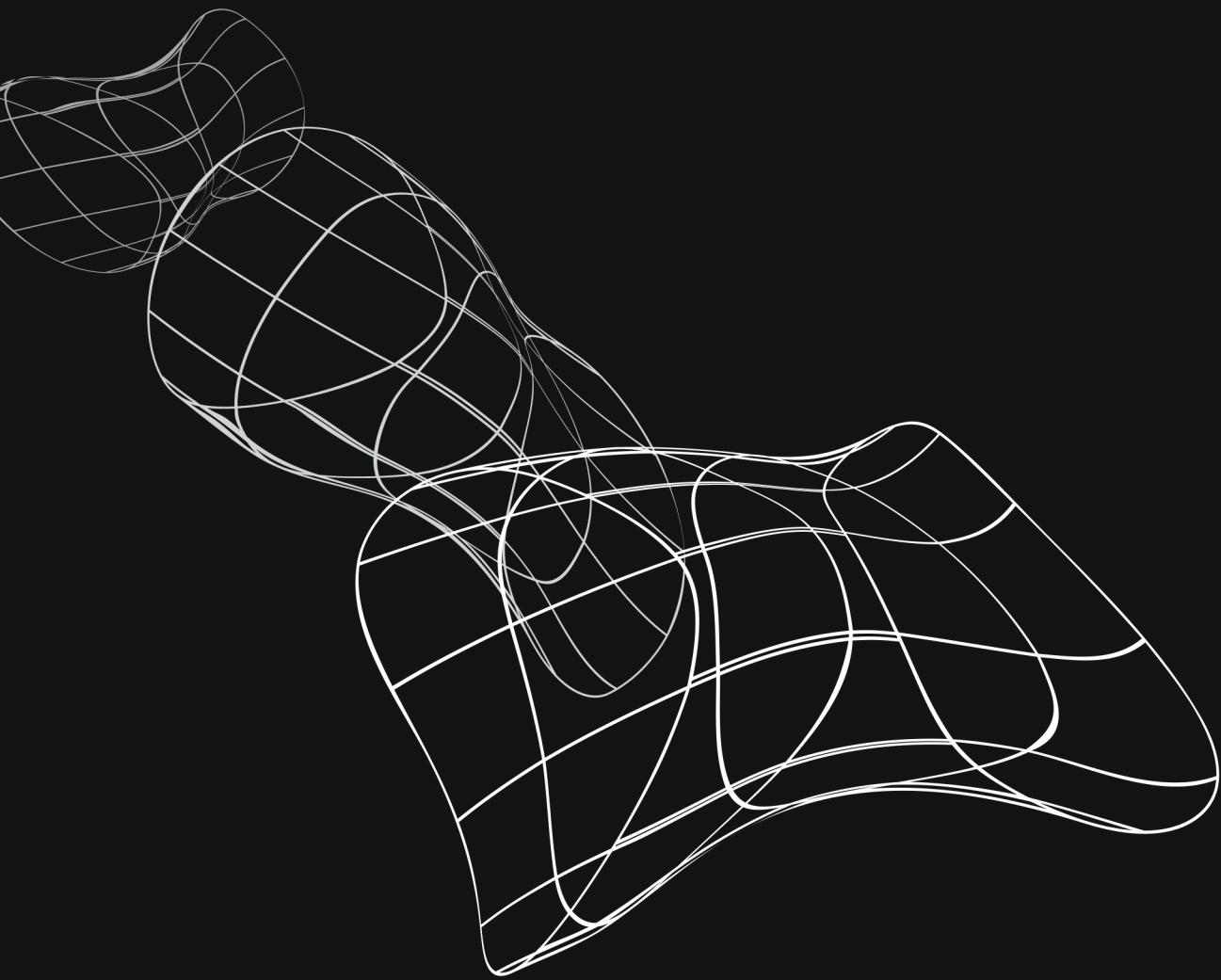
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Neighbourhood quality



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Learning attention dynamics



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