

How fast?
How furious?

Real people
Real optimizations

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Testing Evaluating Tuning

Bench
marks



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Comput.
System

Bench
marks

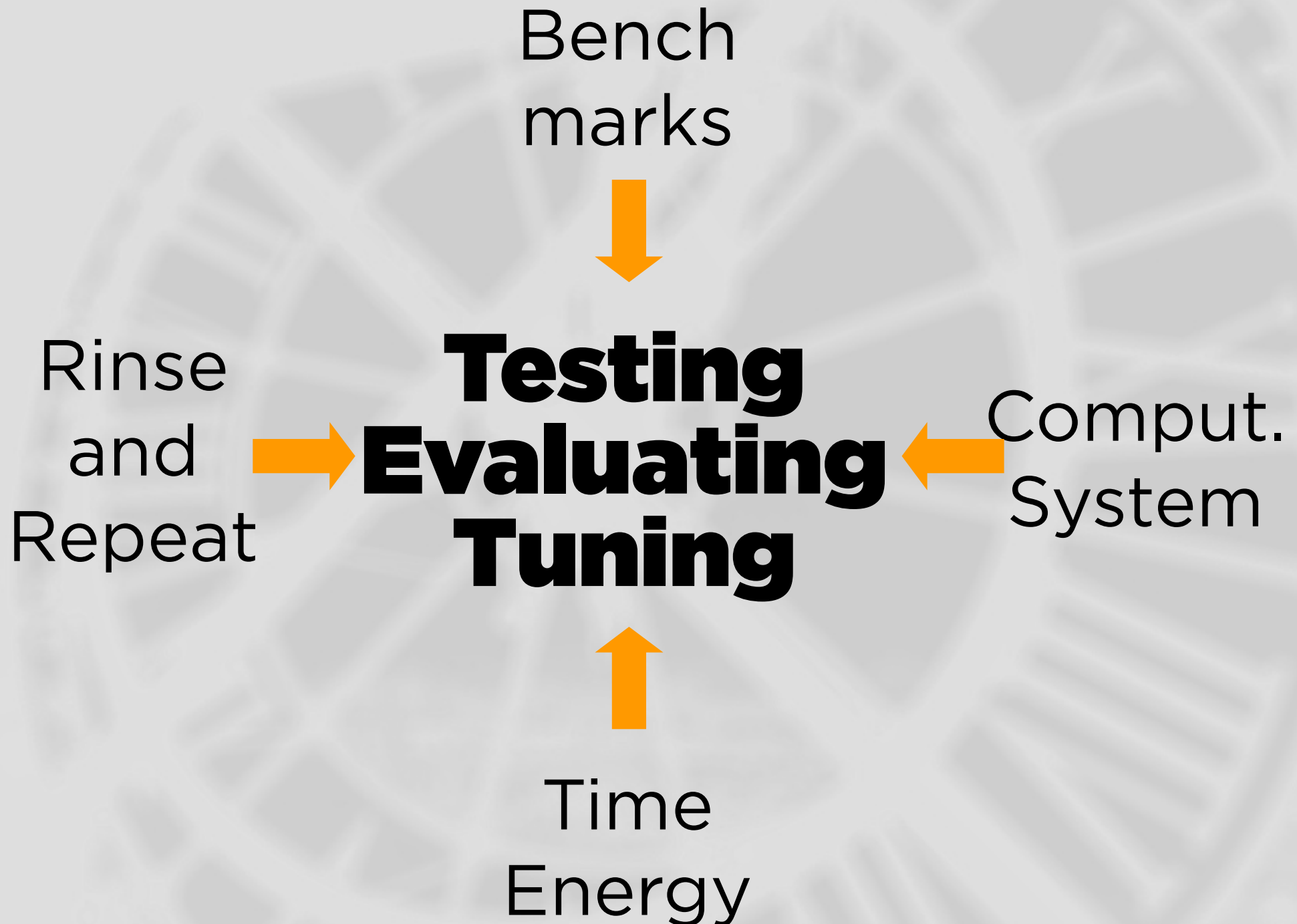


**Testing
Evaluating
Tuning**

Comput.
System



Time
Energy



One size fits all?

Servers ✓

One size fits all?

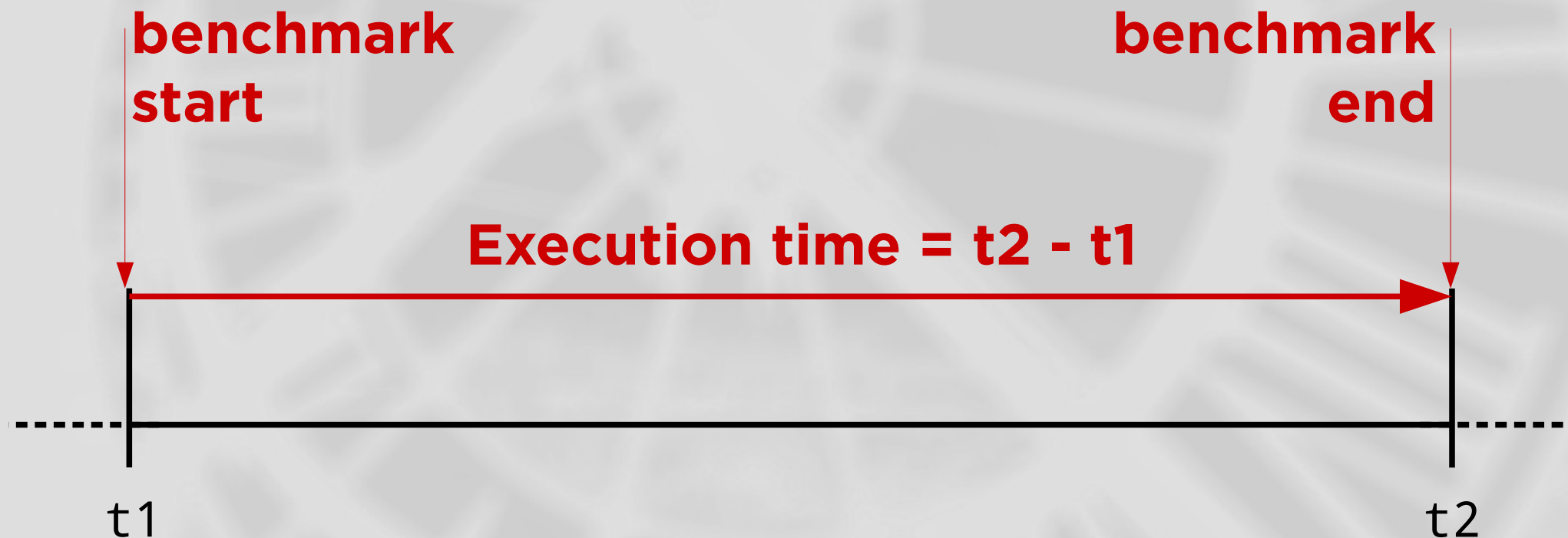
Desktops ✓ ✗

One size fits all?

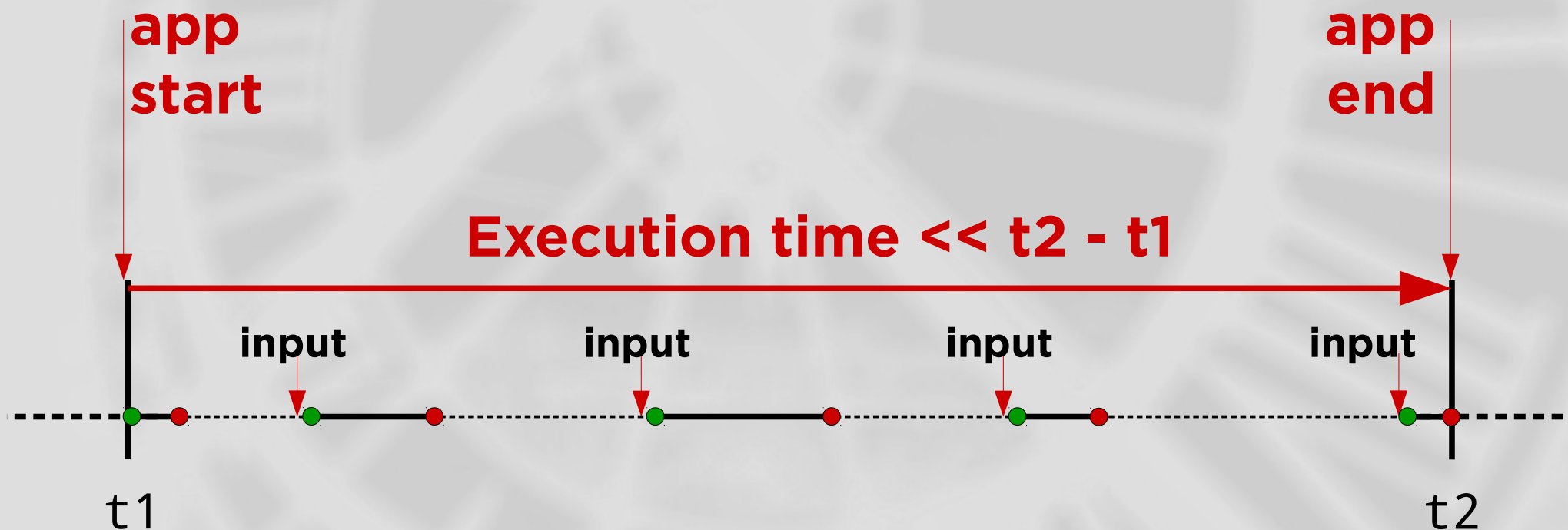
Smartphones **X**

**What does
the user really
care about?**

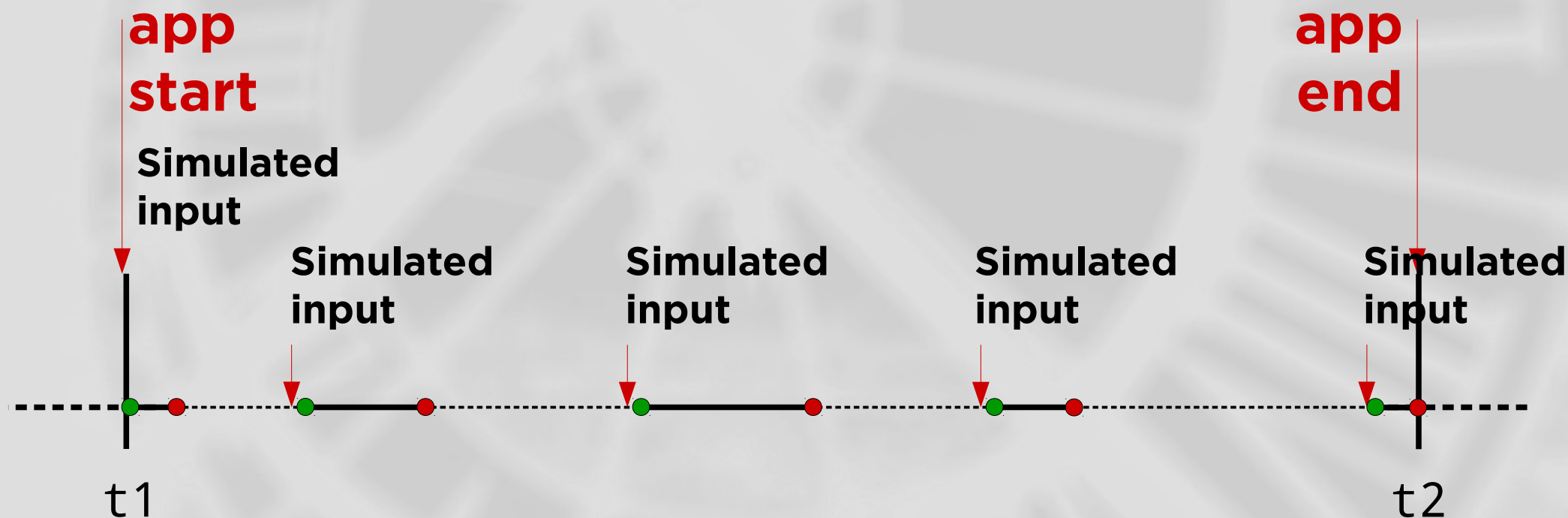
Standard Benchmarks



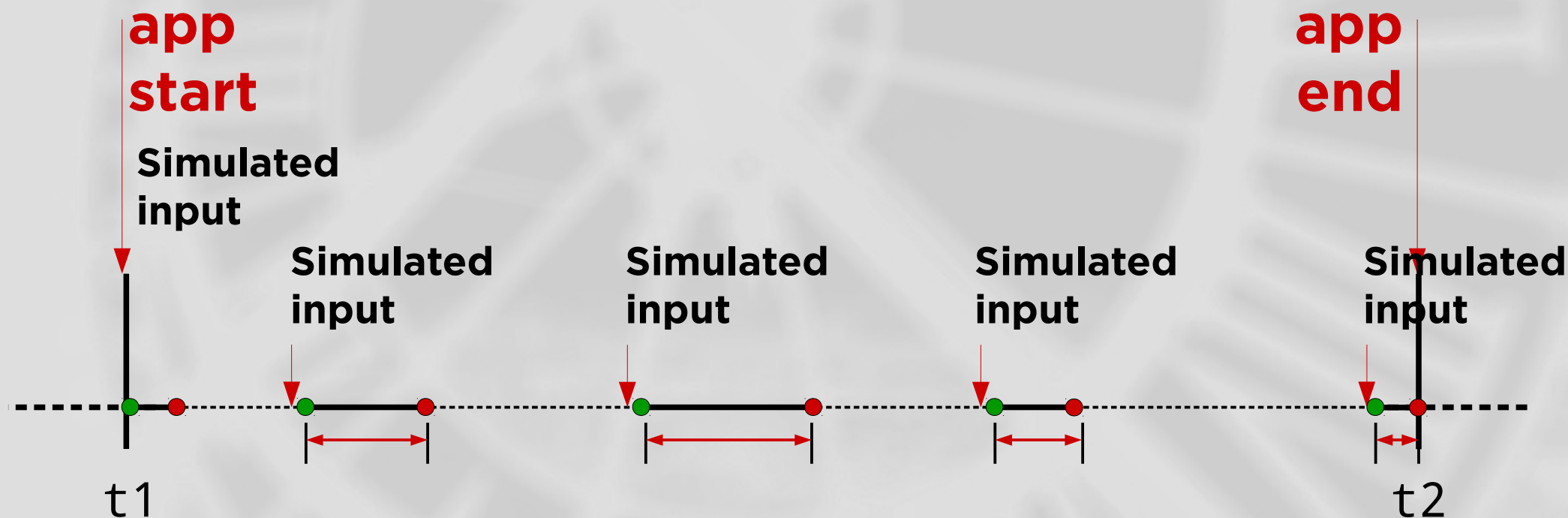
Mobile apps



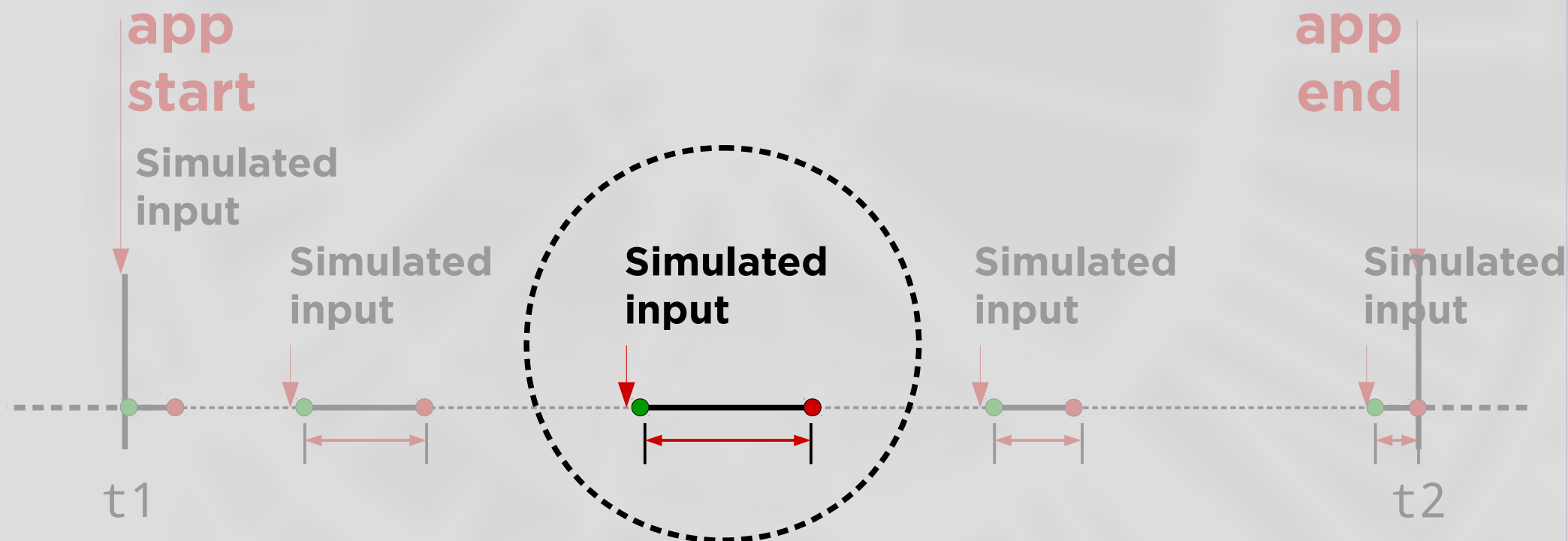
Input Replay



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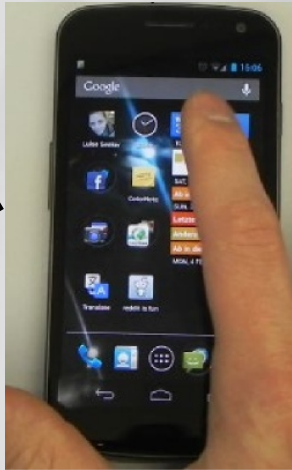
What does the user care about?



input



What does the user care about?



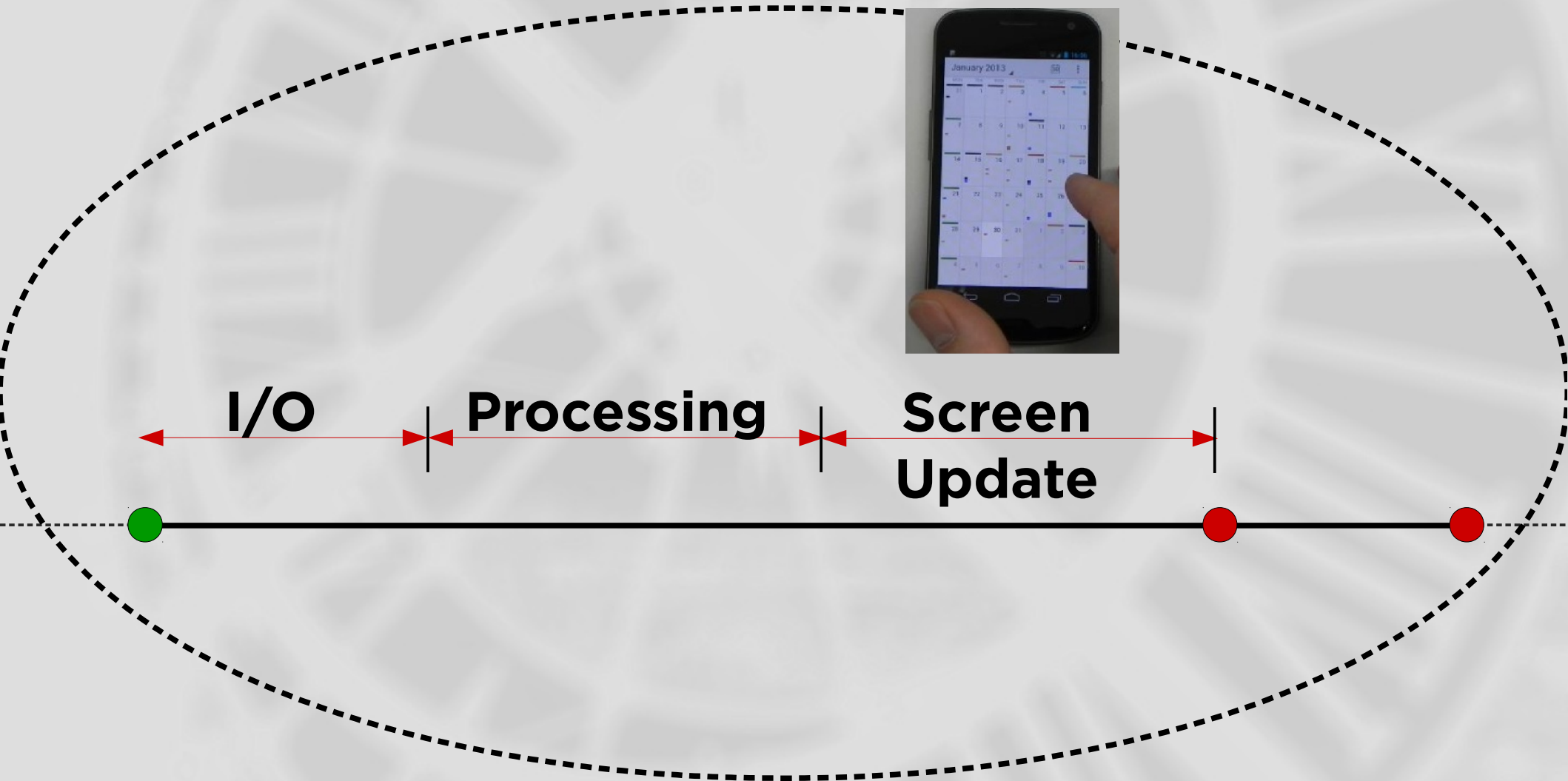
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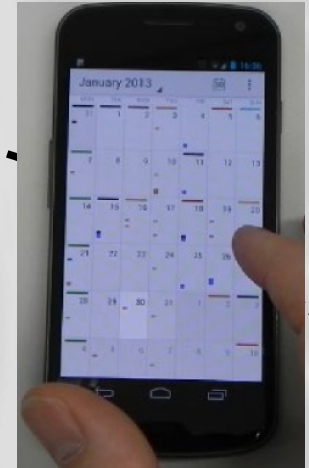
What does the user care about?



What does the user care about?



What does the user care about?



**Cleanup/
Non
critical**

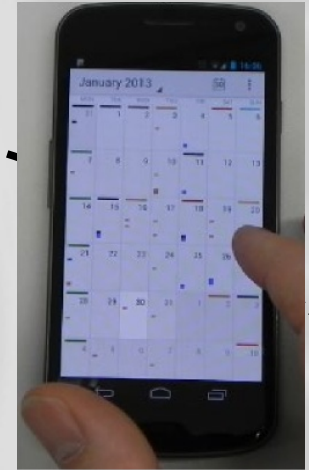
I/O

Processing

**Screen
Update**



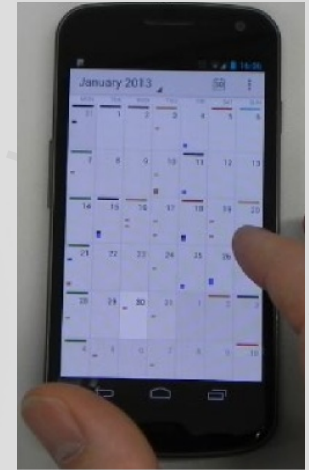
What does the user care about?



System's perception of latency

User's perception of latency

What does the user care about?



**Interaction
Lag**

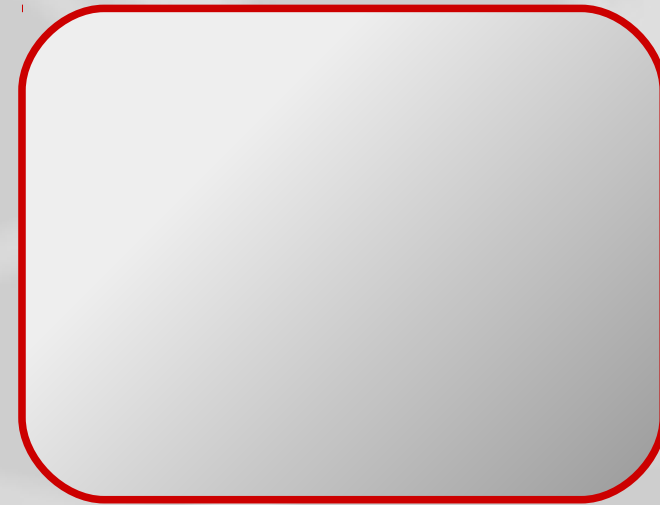


Quantifying interaction lags

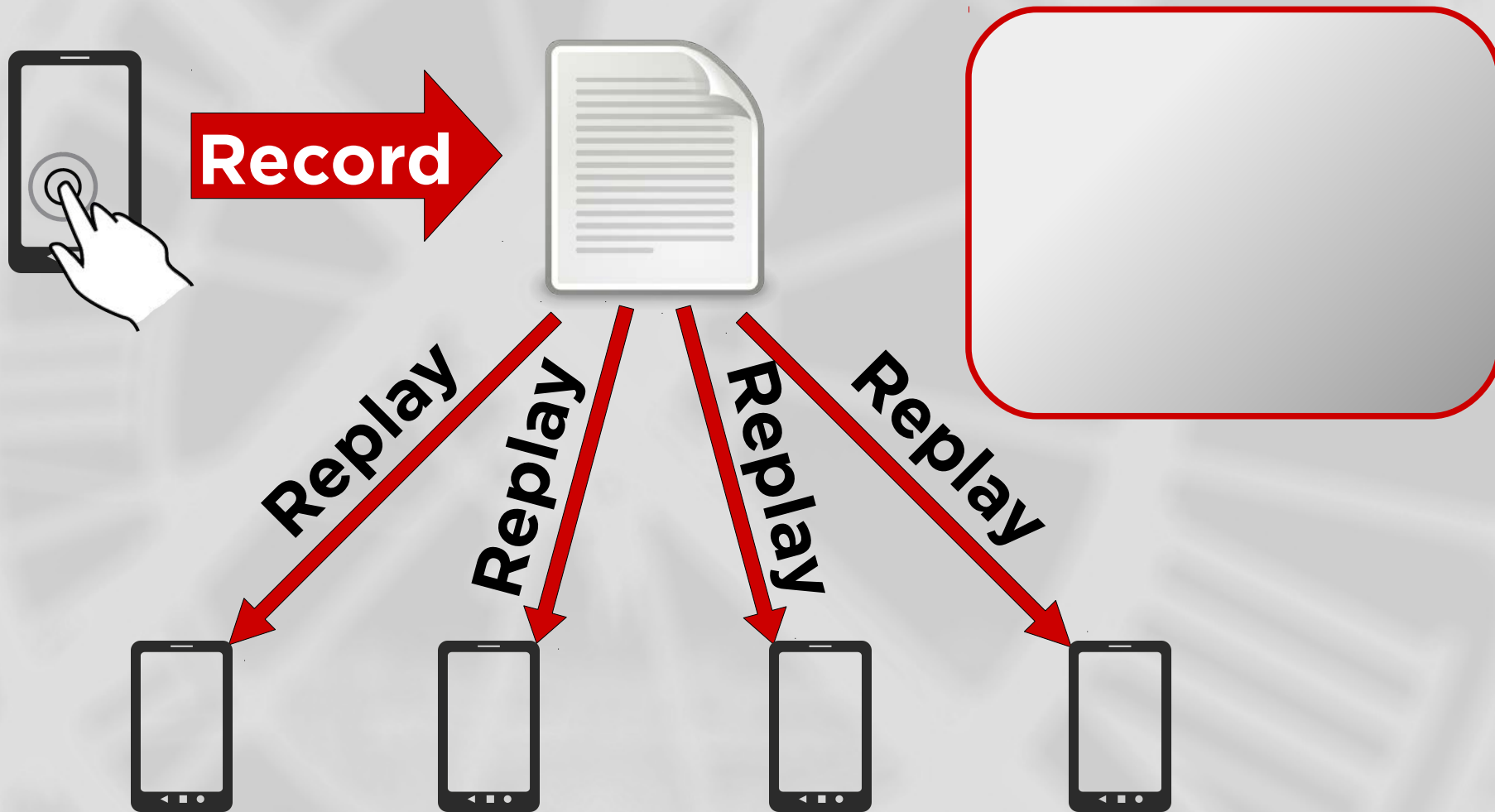
Record/Replay



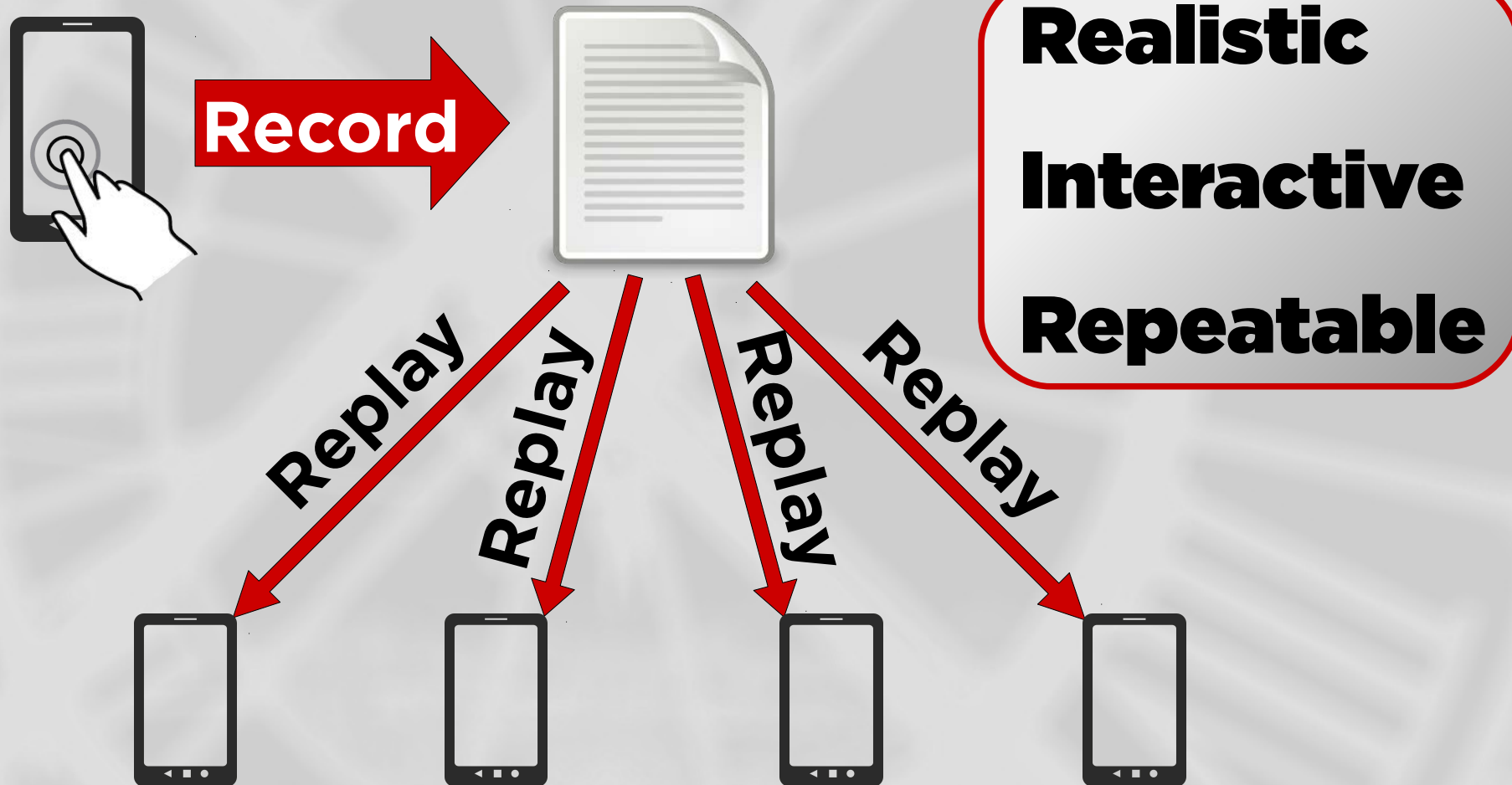
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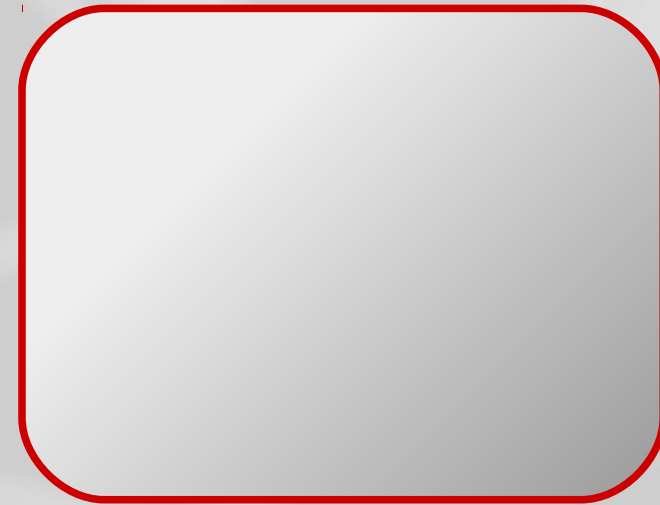
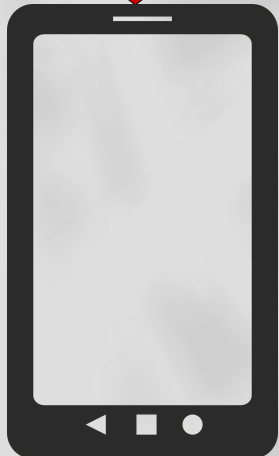
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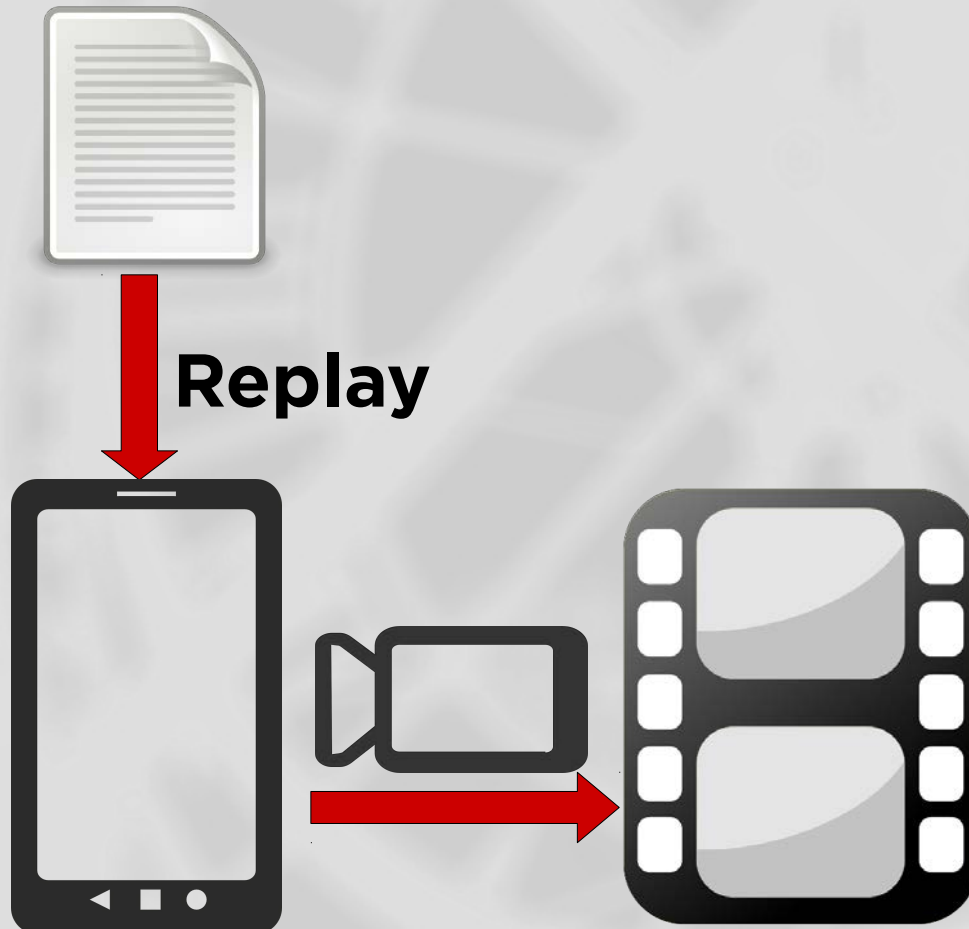
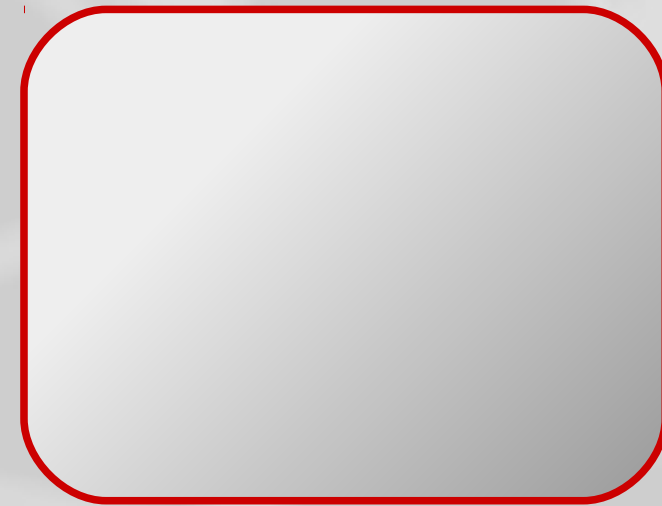
Markup



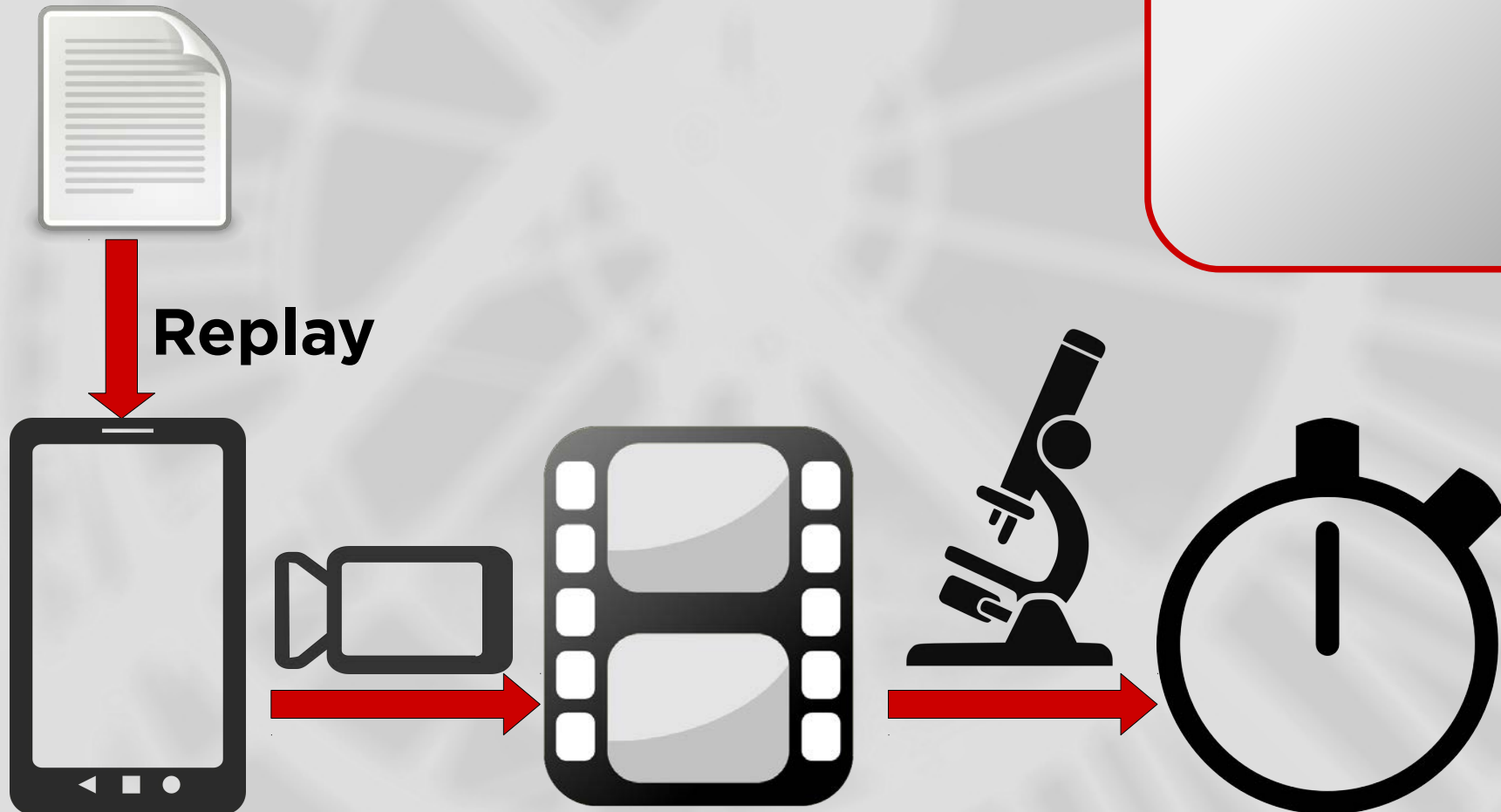
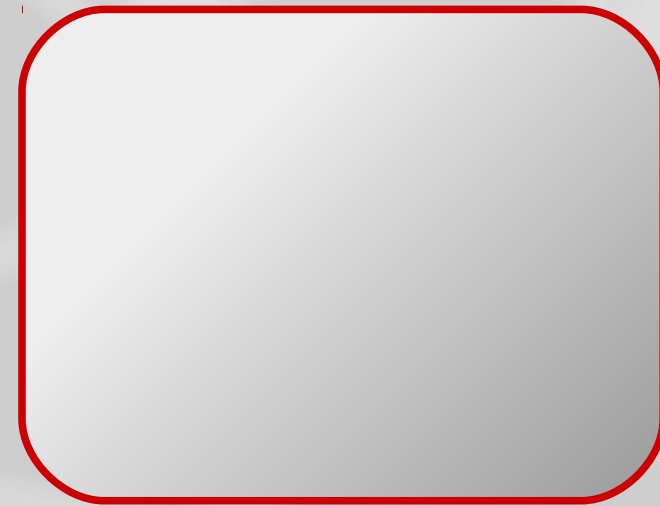
Replay



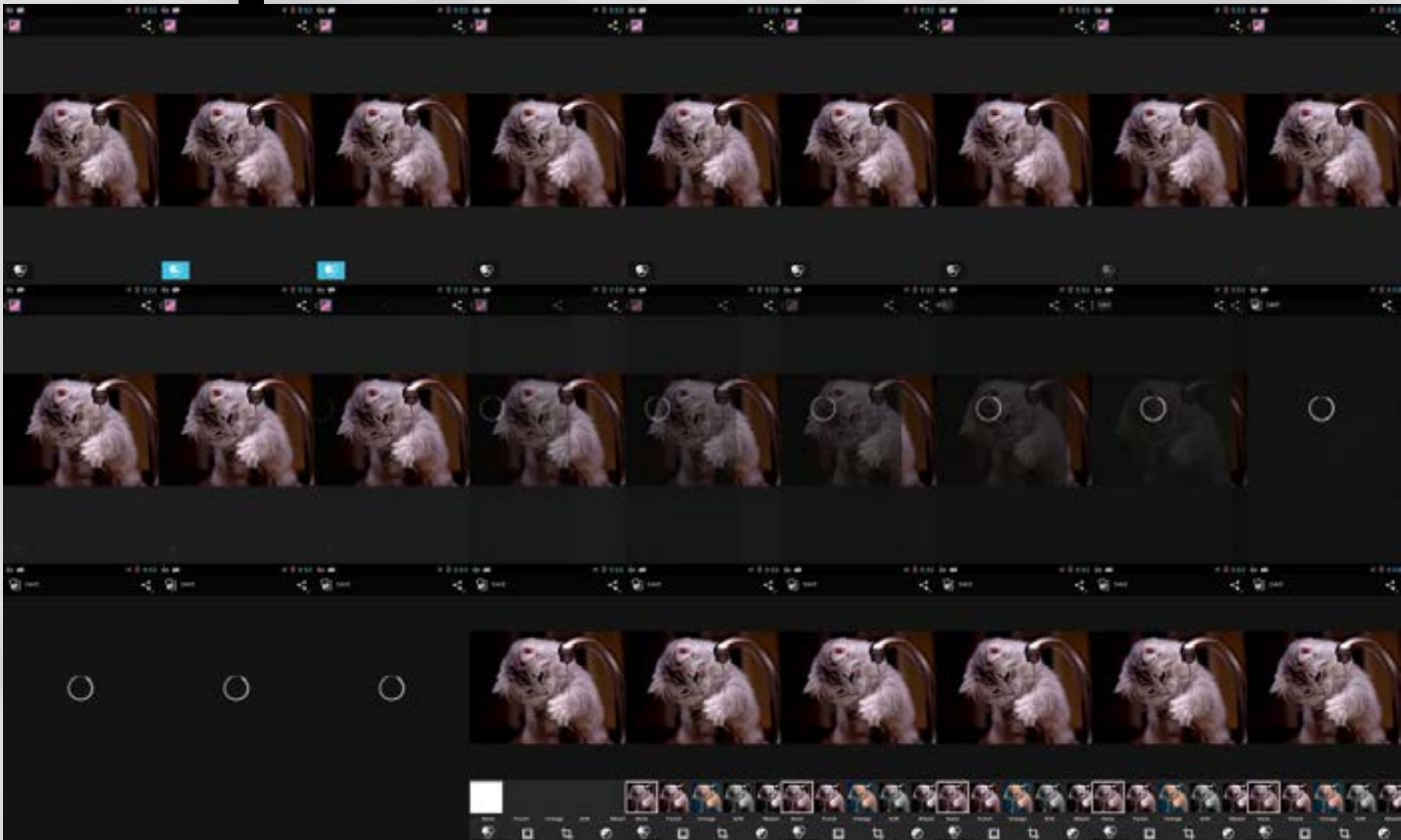
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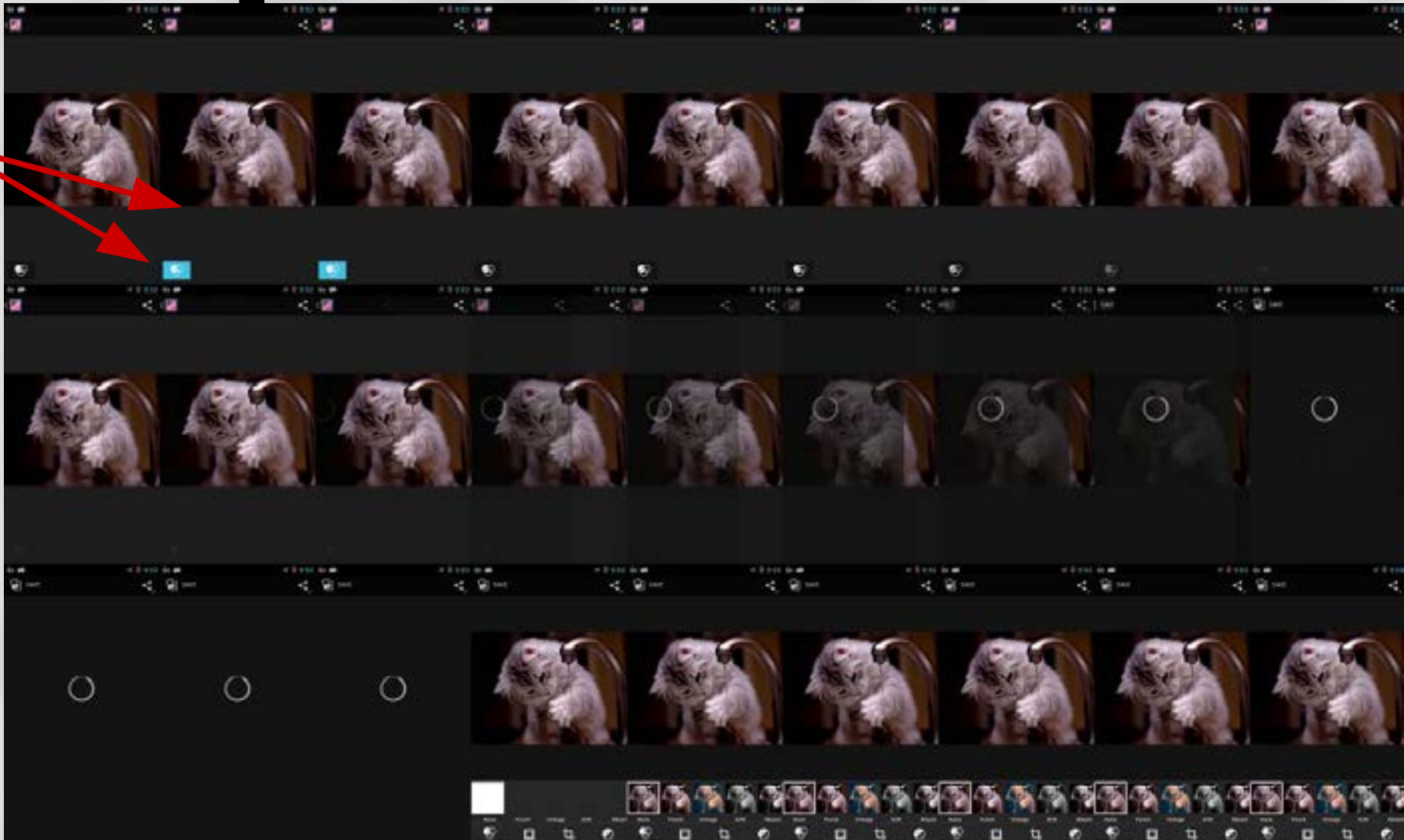


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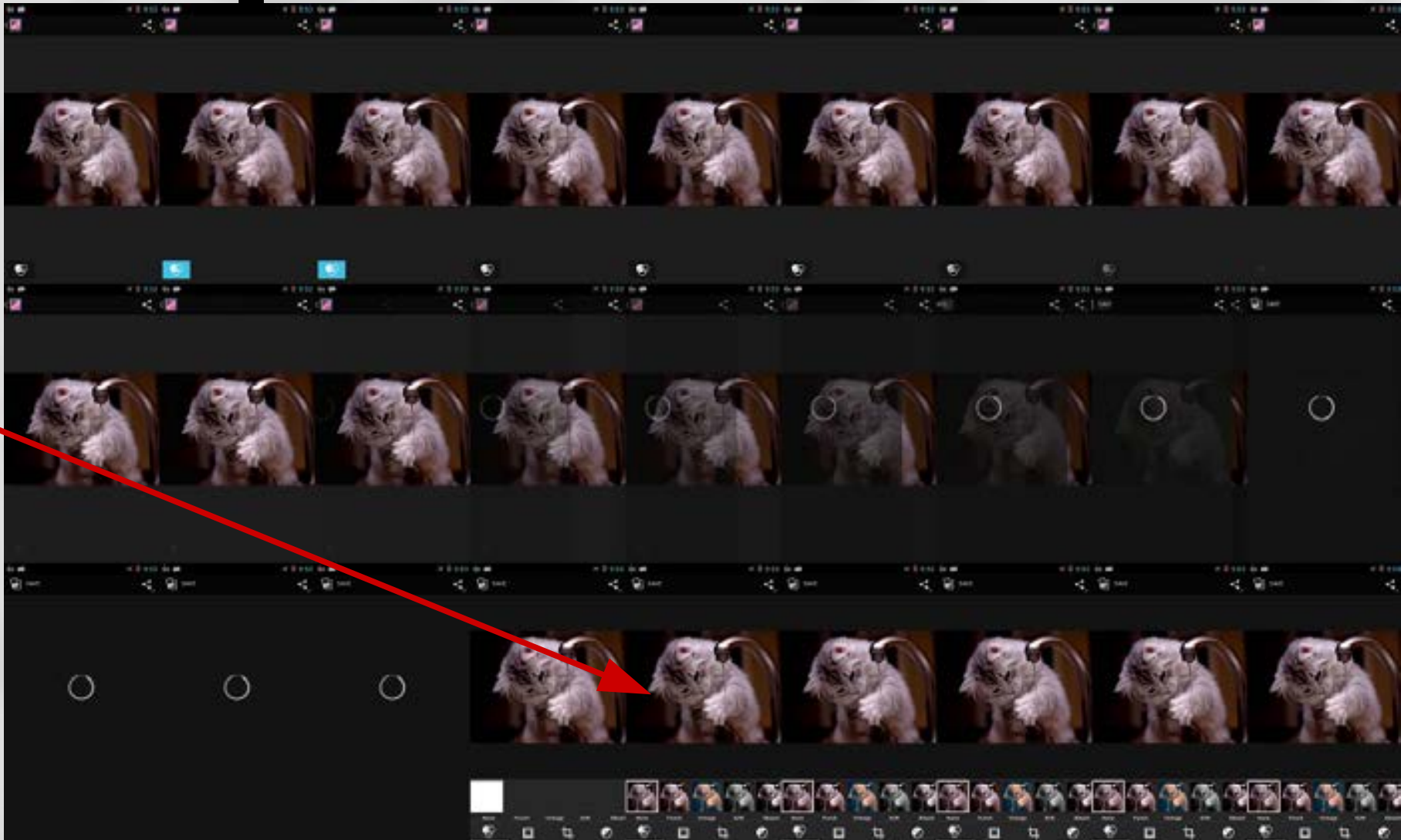
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Input

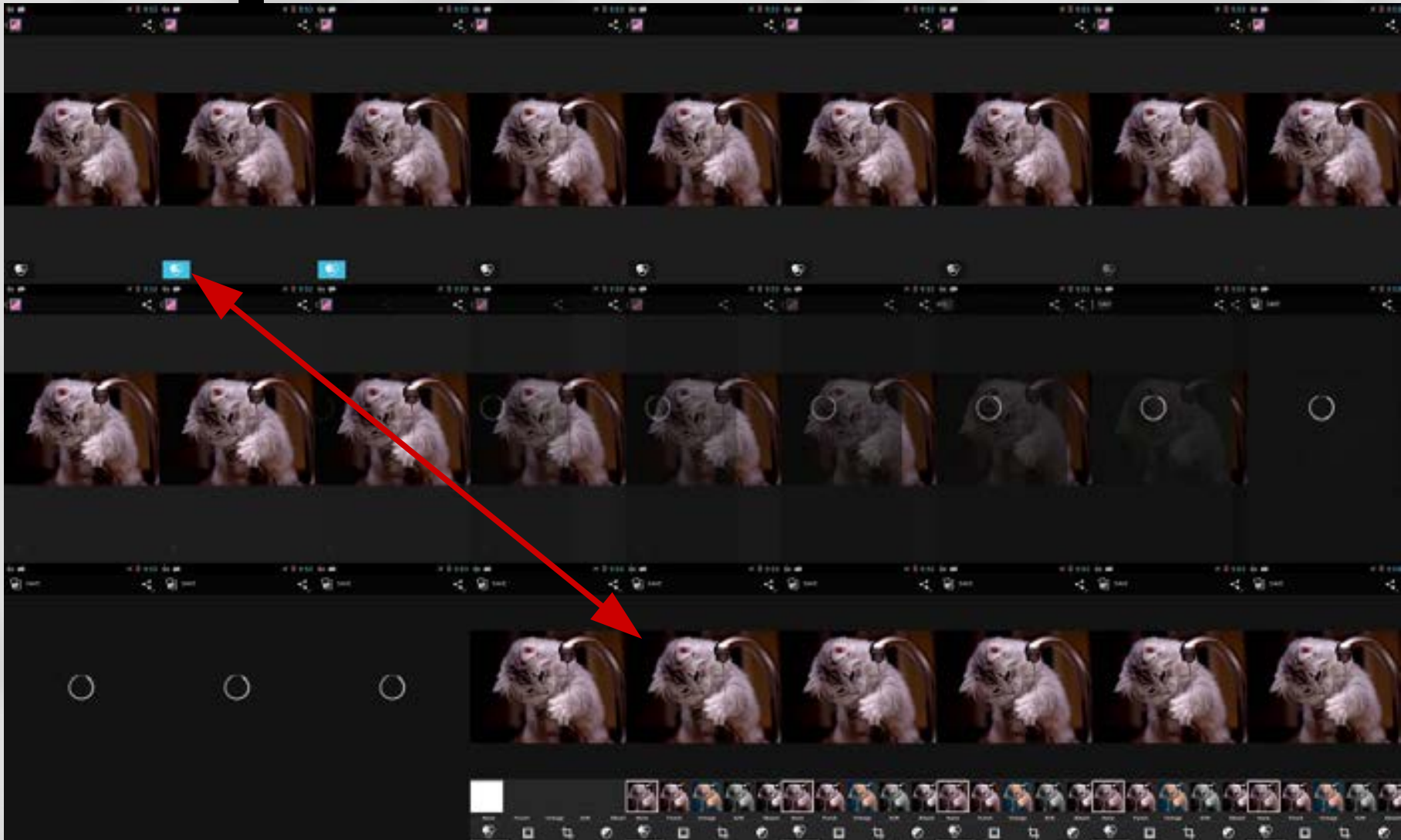


Markup

Inter-
action
End



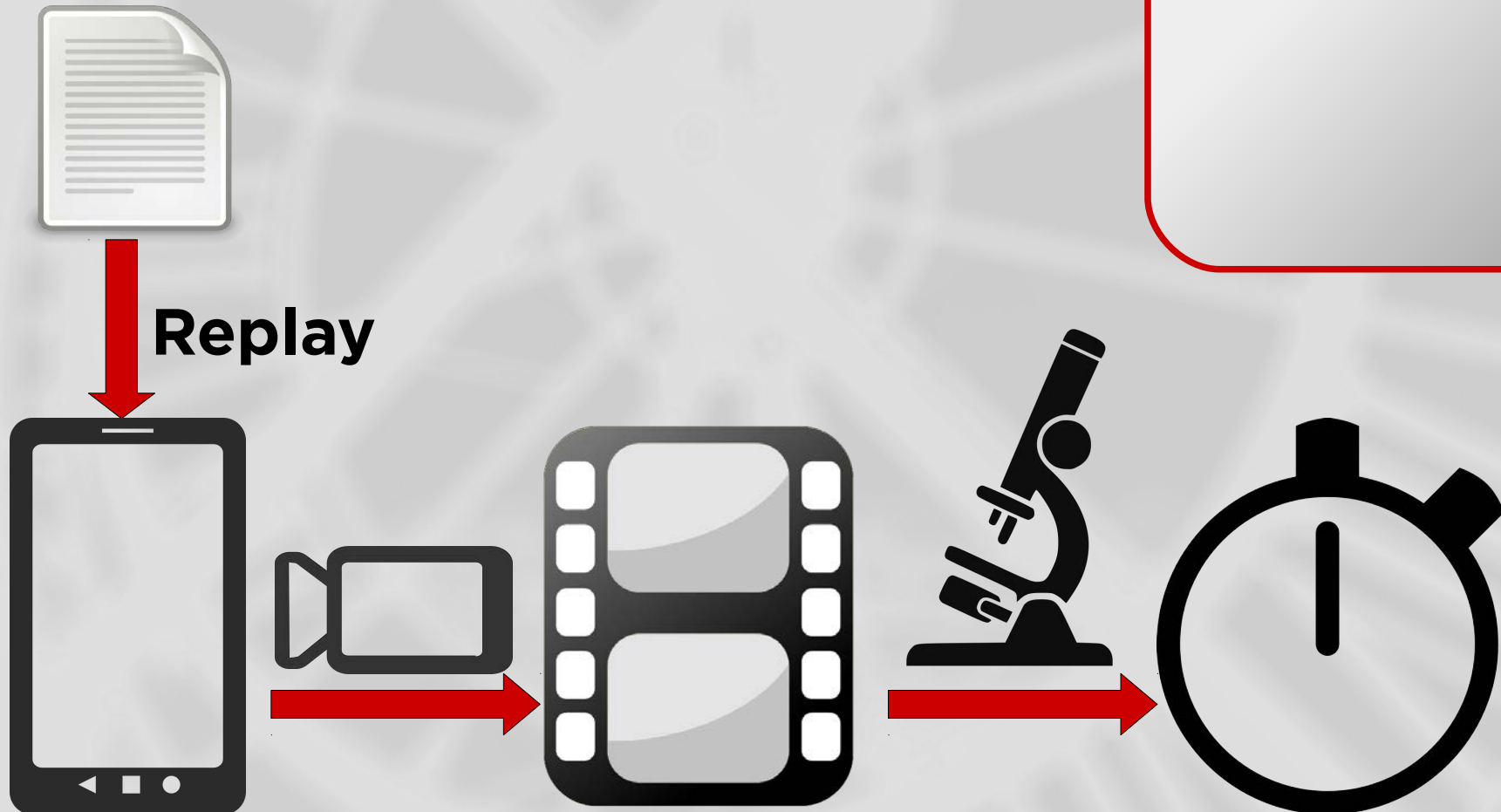
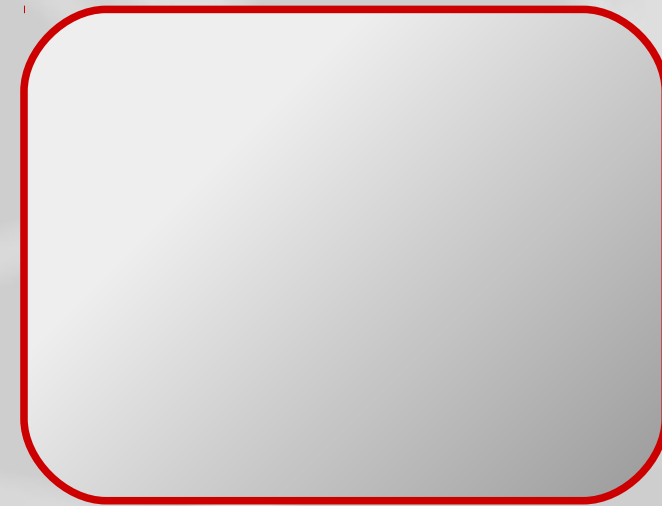
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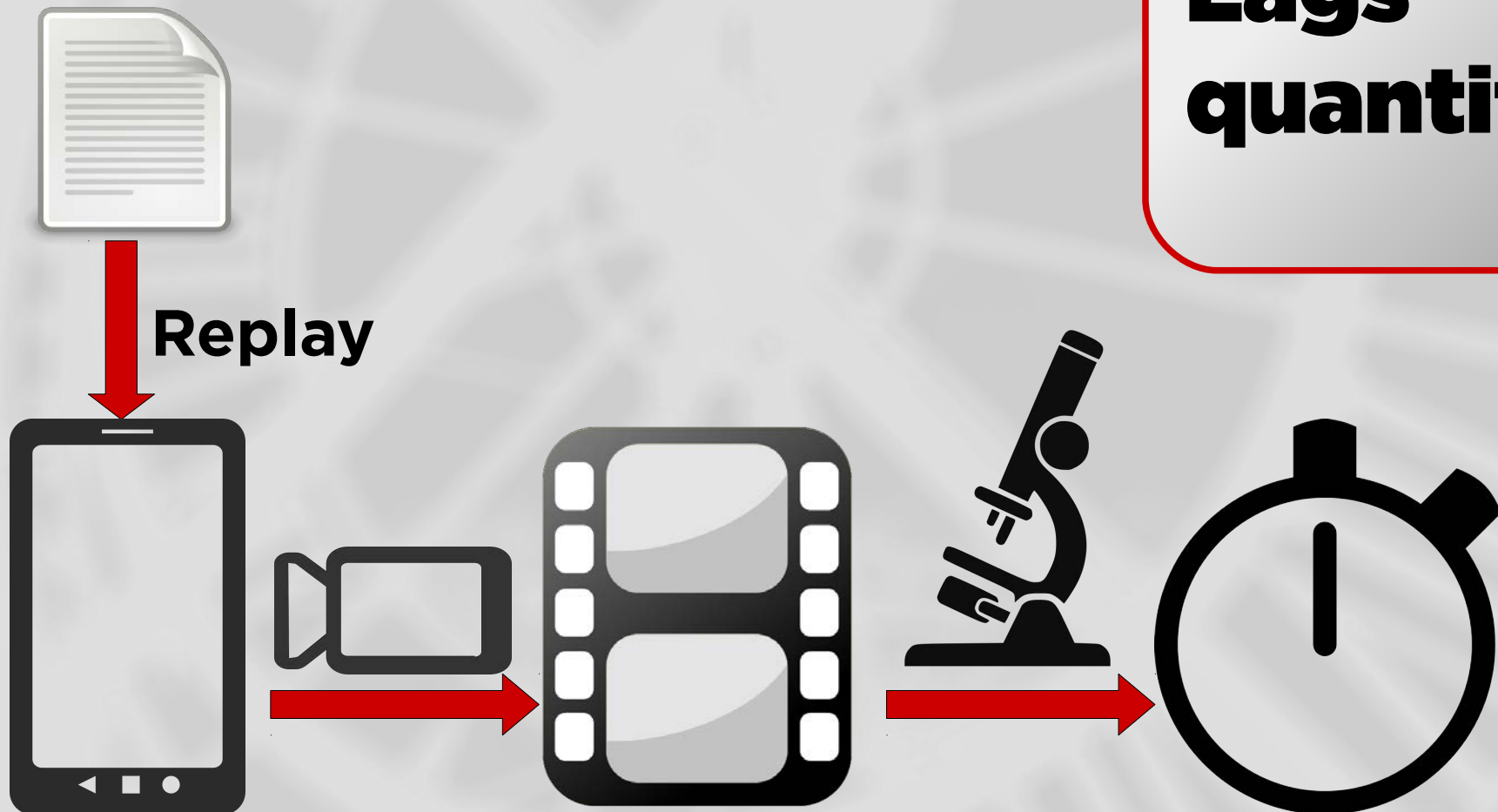
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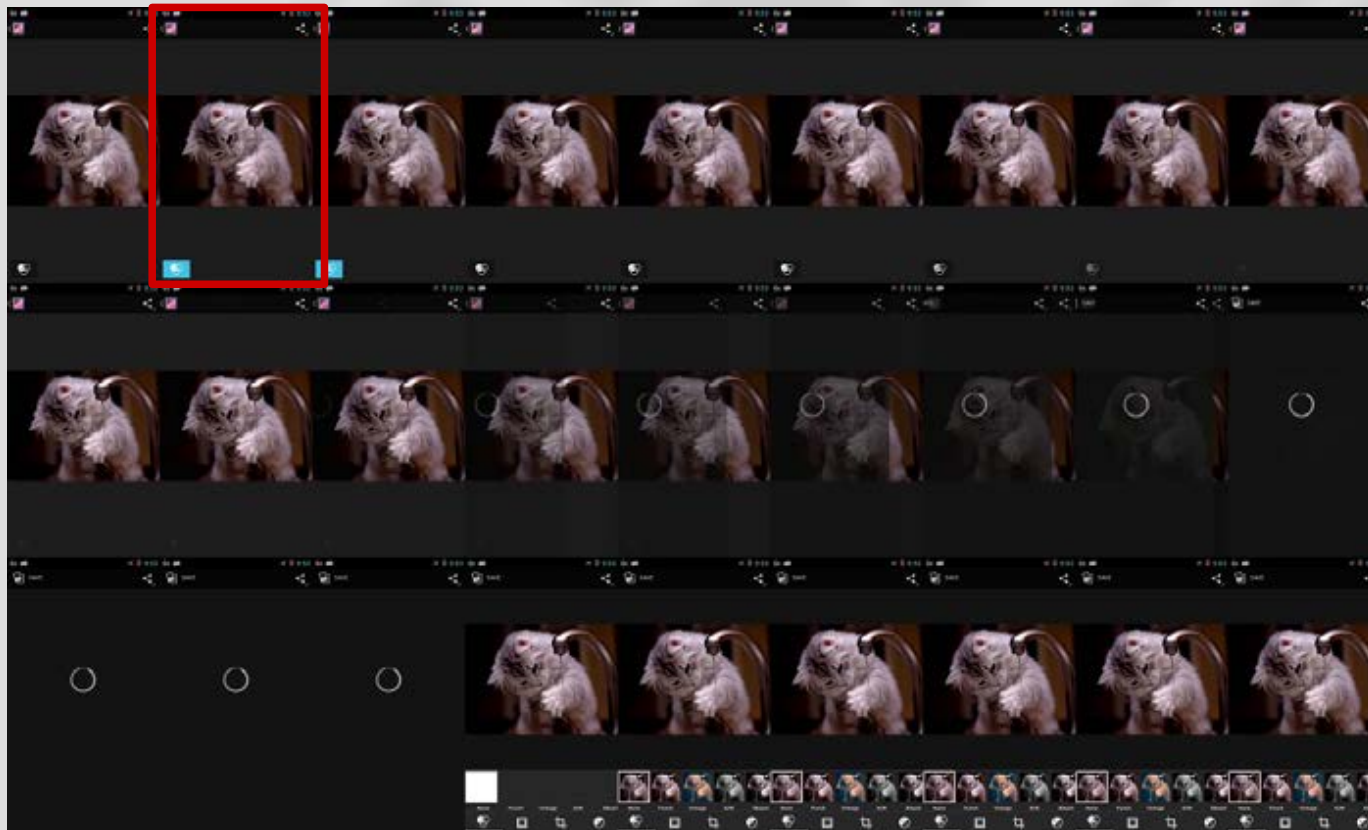
**Lags
quantified**

Markup

**45 sec
per lag**



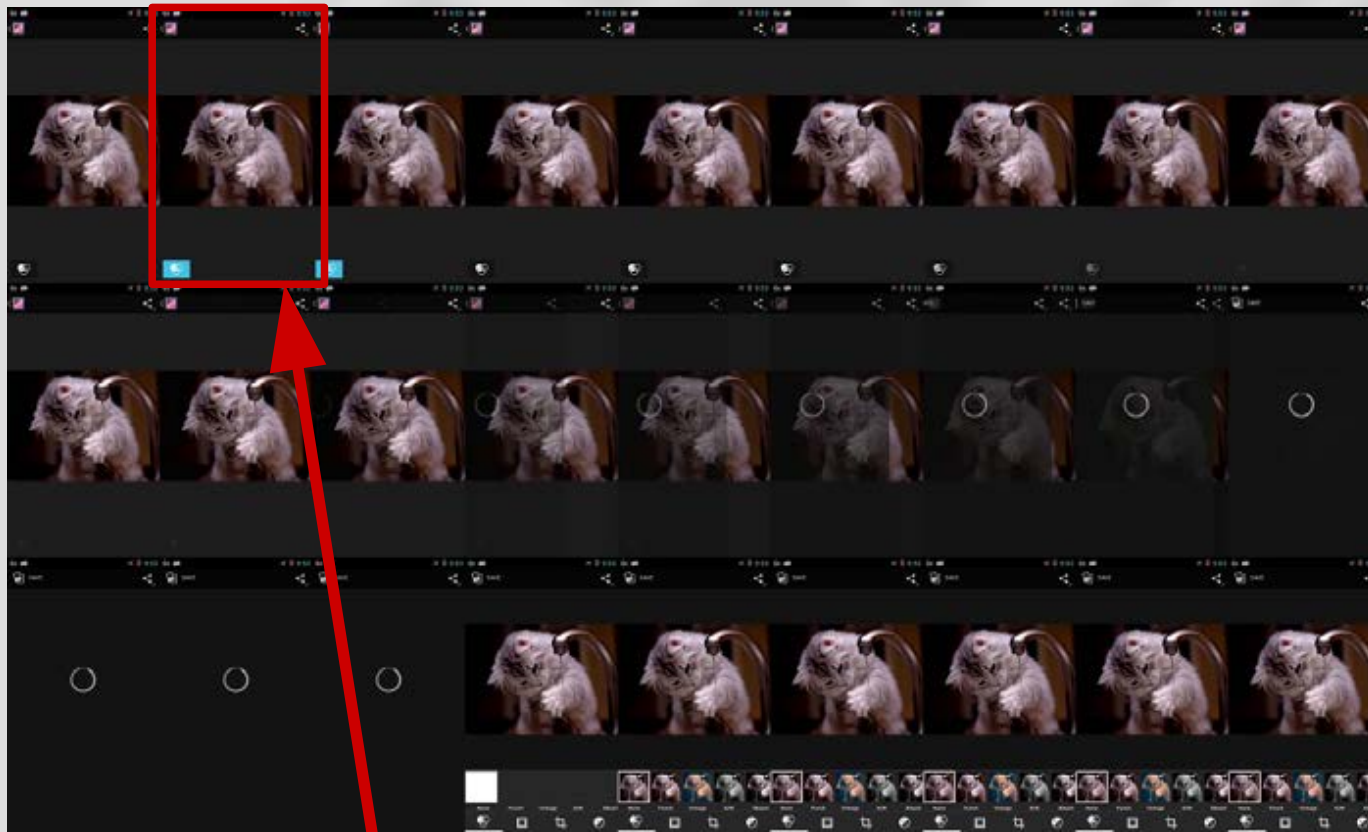
Semi-automatic markup



**45 sec
per lag**



Semi-automatic markup

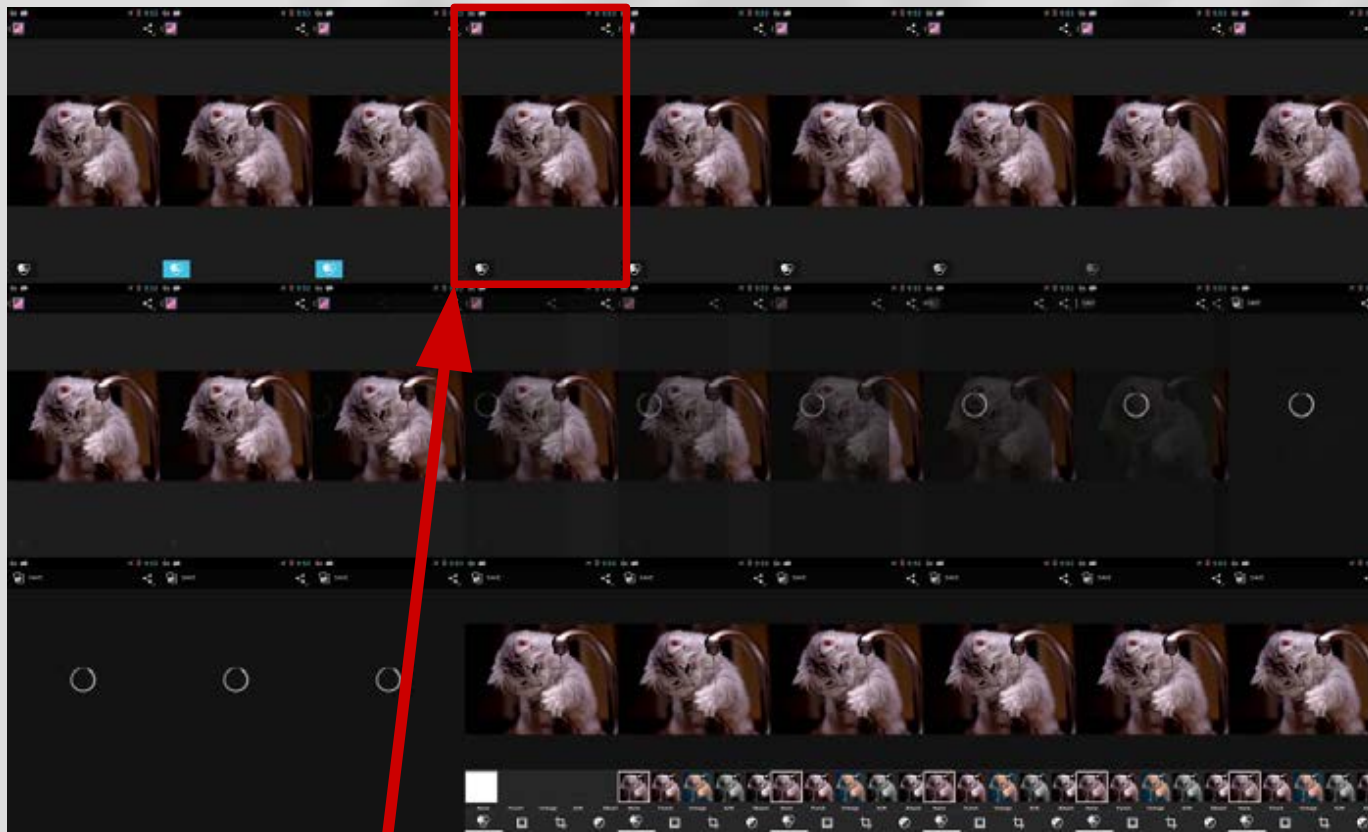


**45 sec
per lag**



**Interaction ends
after first frame**

Semi-automatic markup

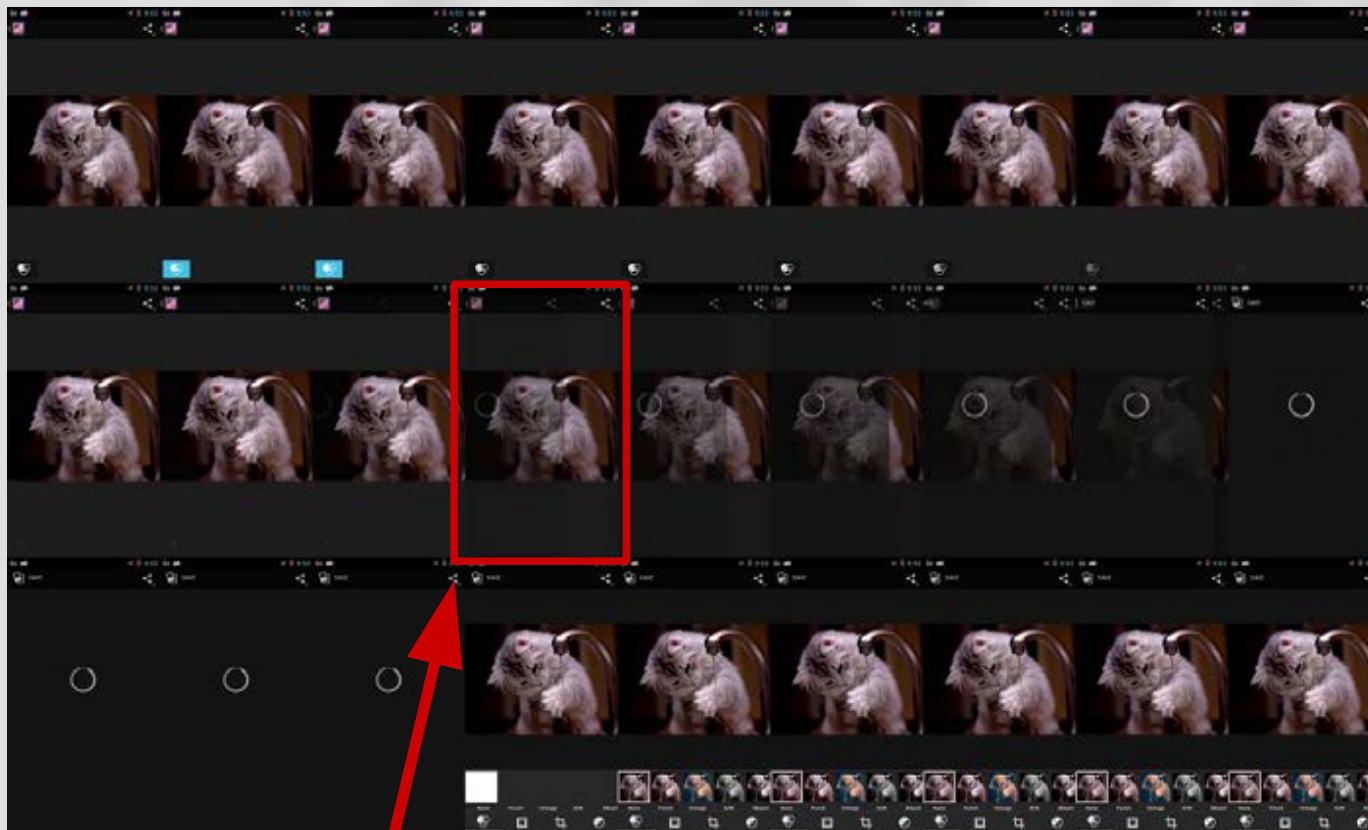


**First Screen
Change**

**45 sec
per lag**



Semi-automatic markup

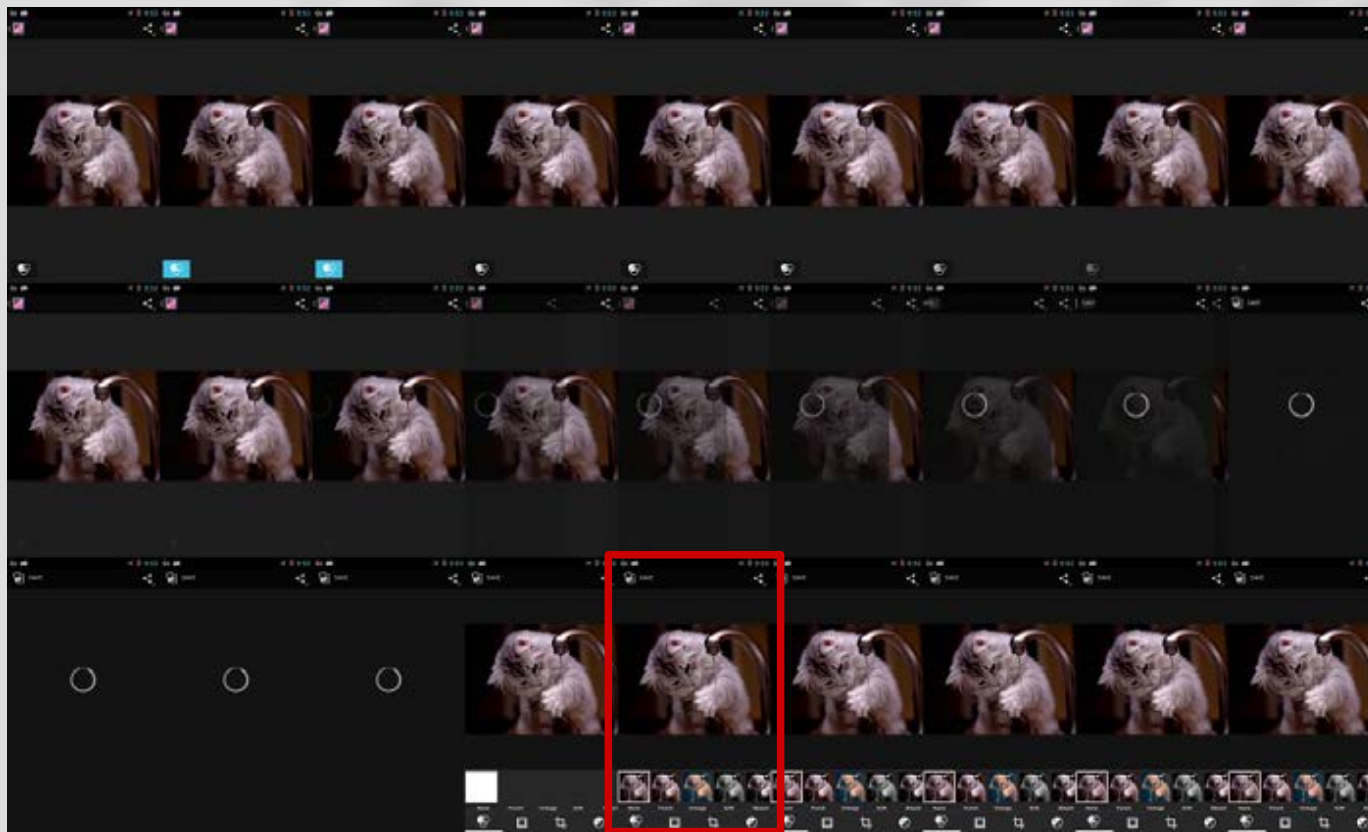


**Screen Changes
after frames of
no change**

**45 sec
per lag**



Semi-automatic markup

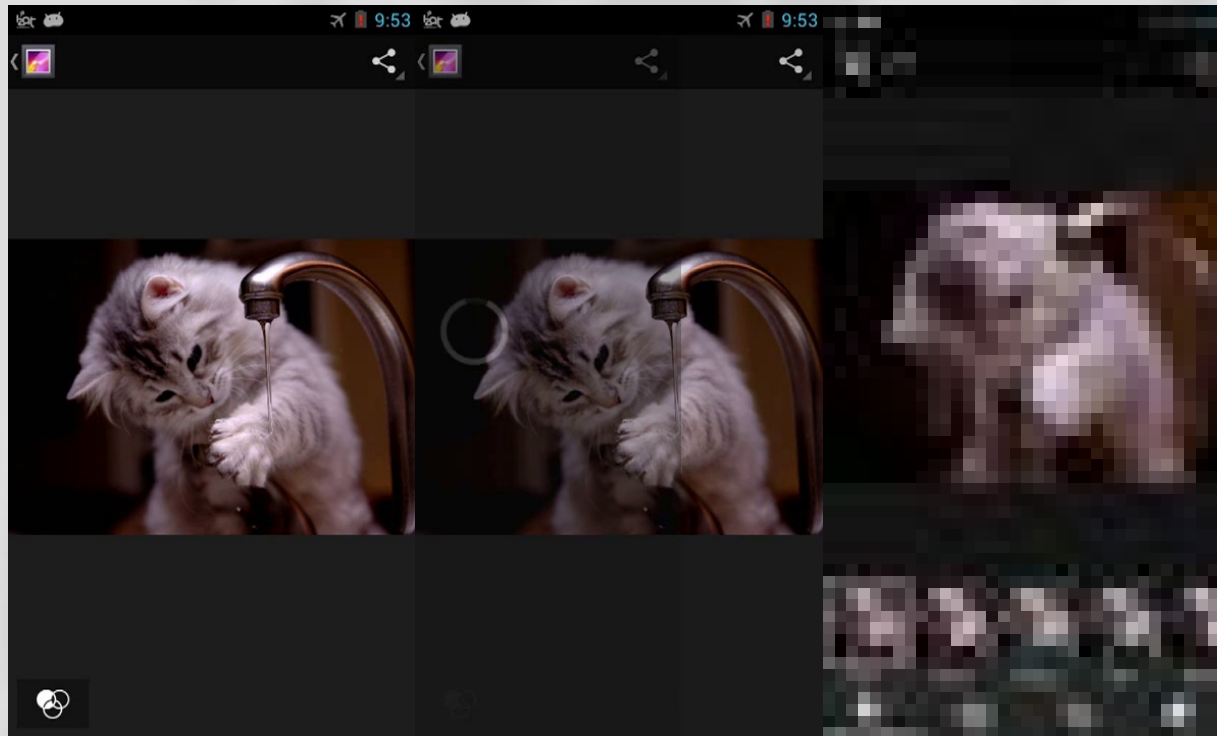


**Screen stops
changing**

**45 sec
per lag**



Semi-automatic markup

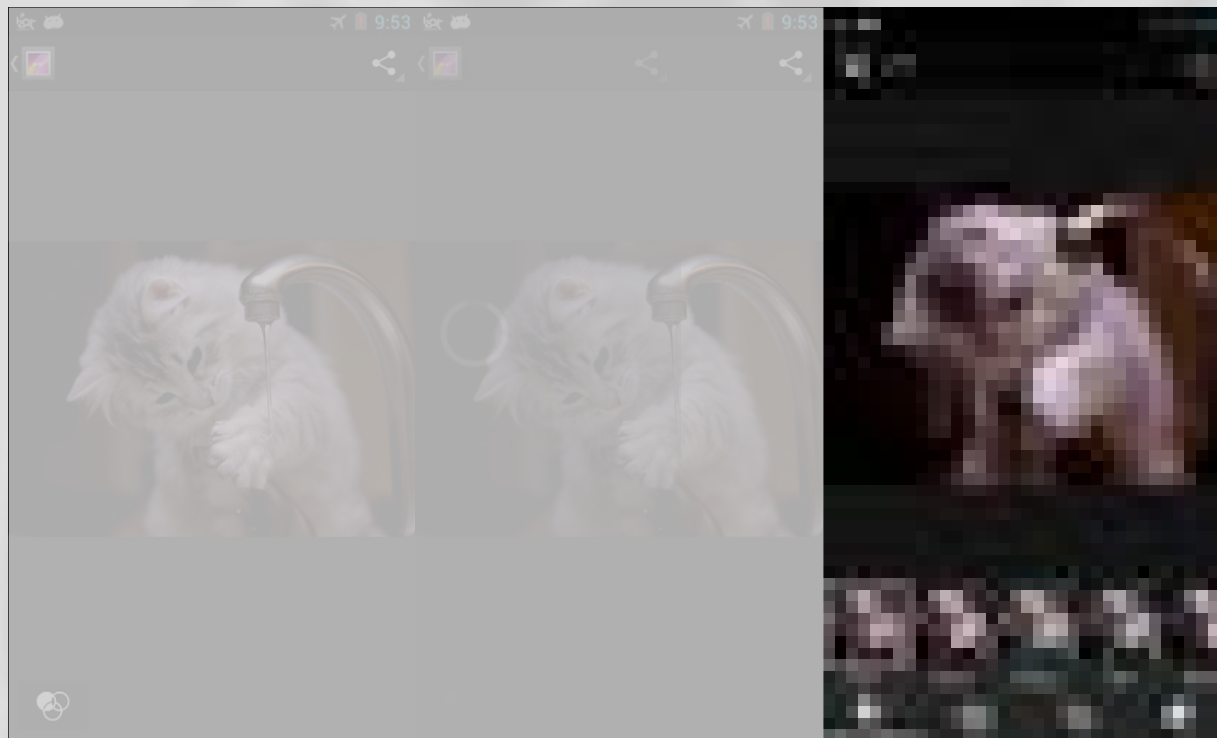


**45 sec
per lag**



**3 frames to
choose from**

Semi-automatic markup



**2-5 sec
per lag**



Interaction End

Semi-automatic markup



Save frame

**2-5 sec
per lag**



Semi-automatic markup



**2-5 sec
per lag**



Variable area

Semi-automatic markup

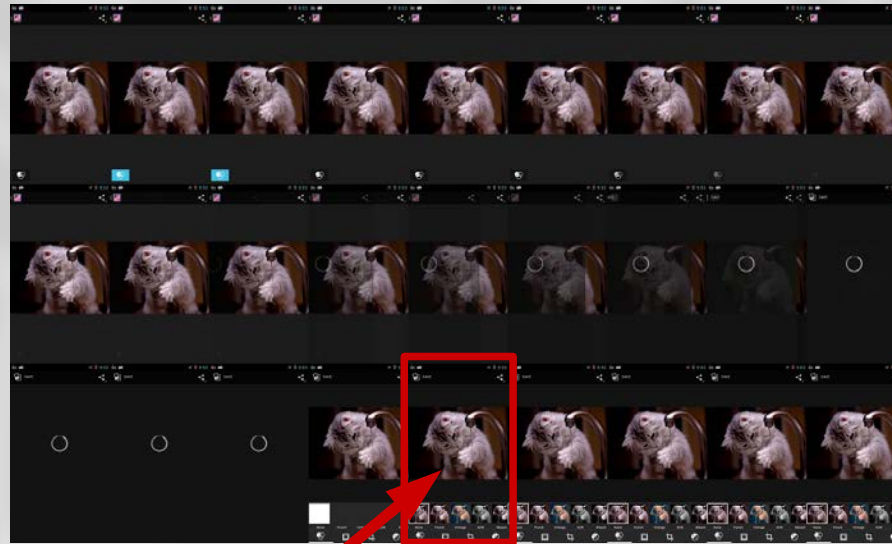
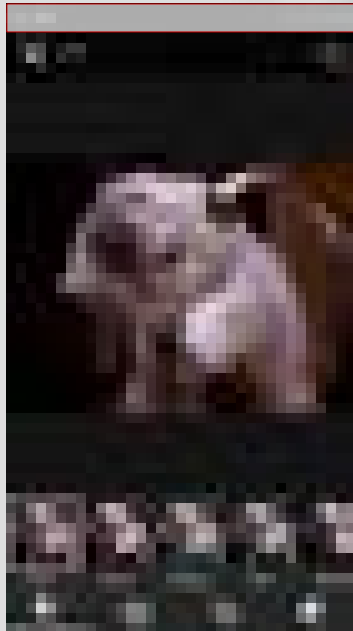


masked area

**2-5 sec
per lag**



Semi-automatic markup



**Human
input
needed
only once**



Interaction End

Representative

Representative

Real Mobile Applications

Real Inputs

Real Metrics

Repeatable

Repeatable

Same behaviour every time

Automatic

Automatic

No code analysis

No instrumentation

No humans needed*

***after initial video markup**

After the fact

Lag End

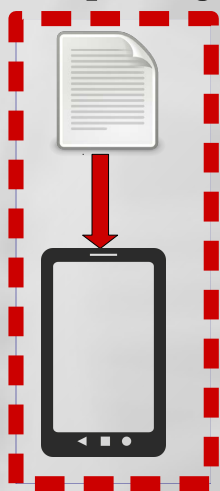
Estimation

**Can only
identify
lags offline**

Want to identify lags **online**

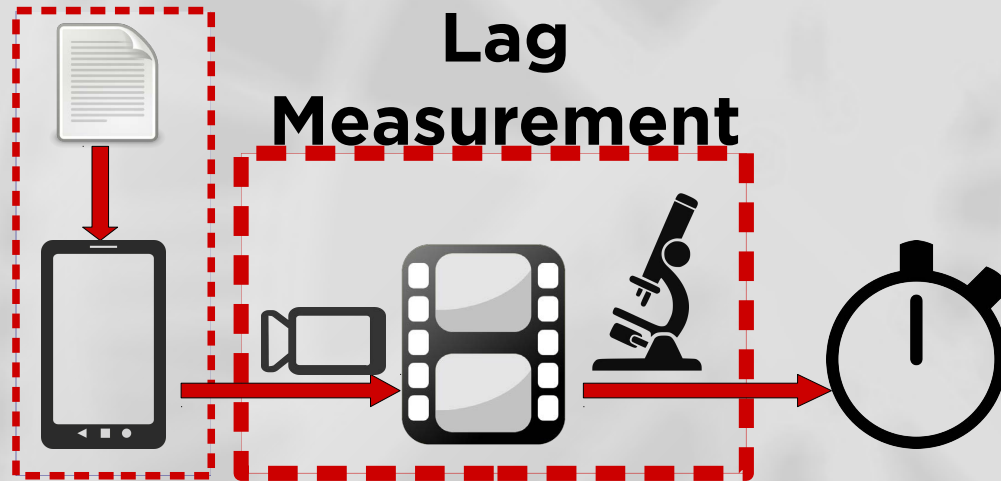
Training

Replay



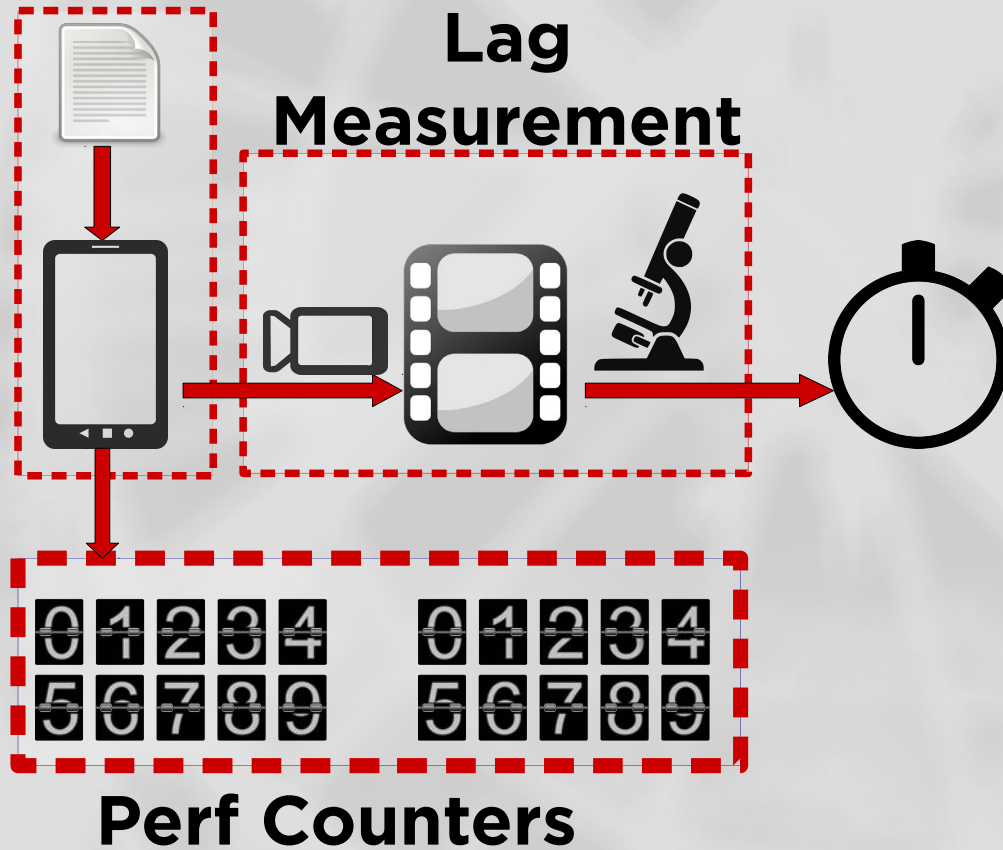
Training

Replay



Training

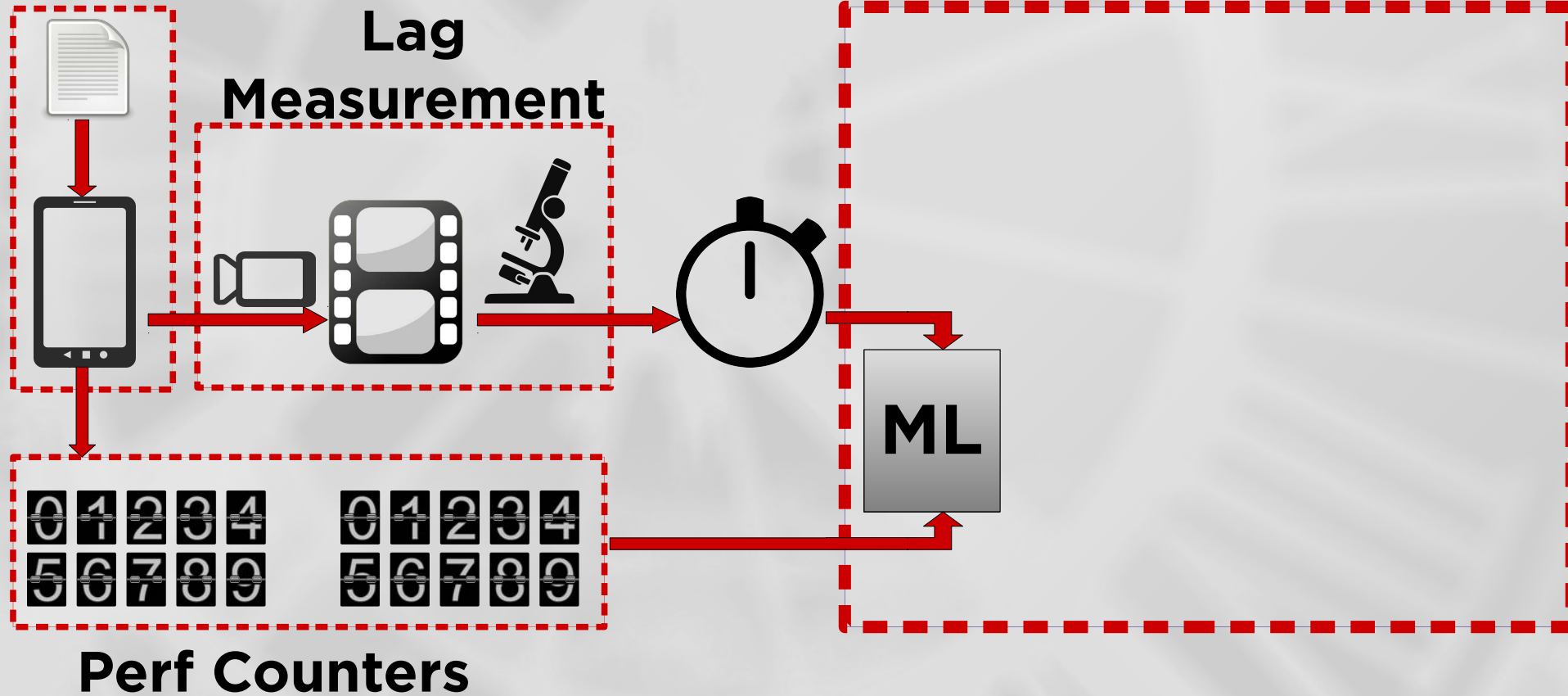
Replay



Training

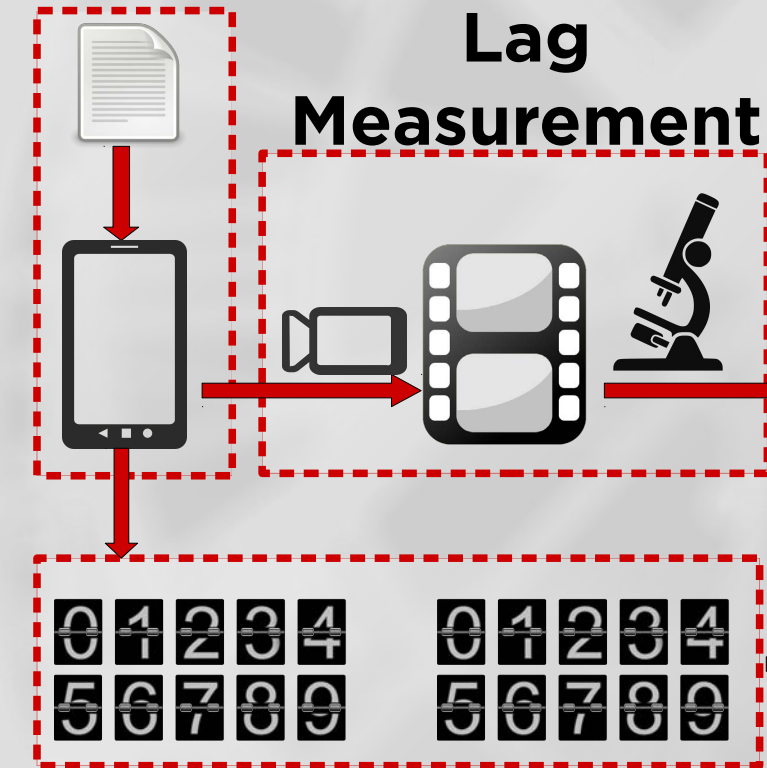
Replay

Offline

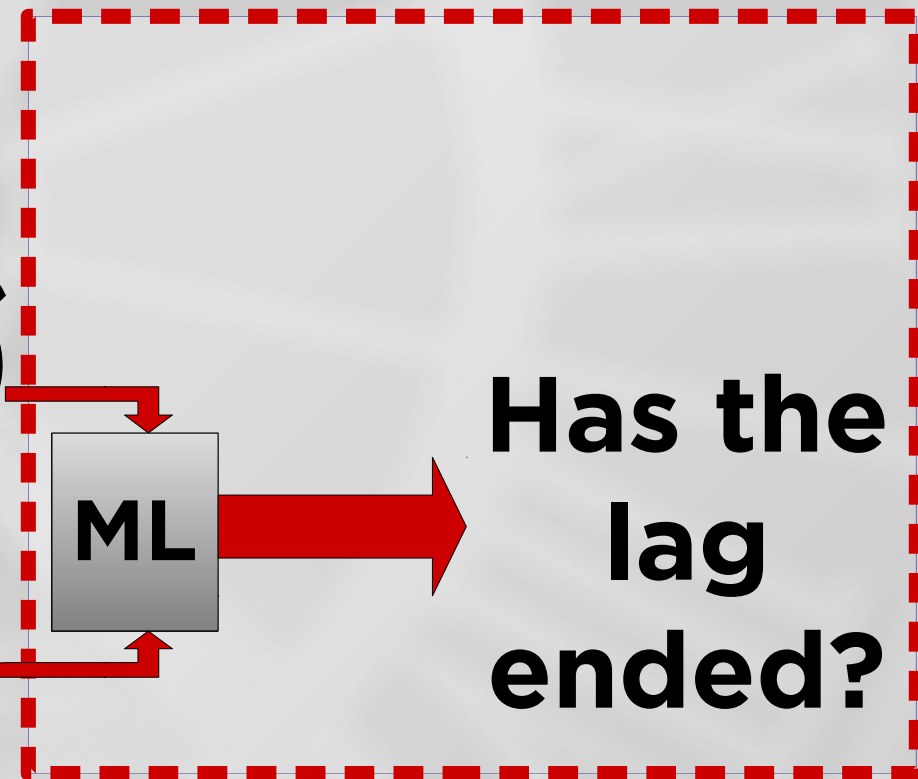


Training

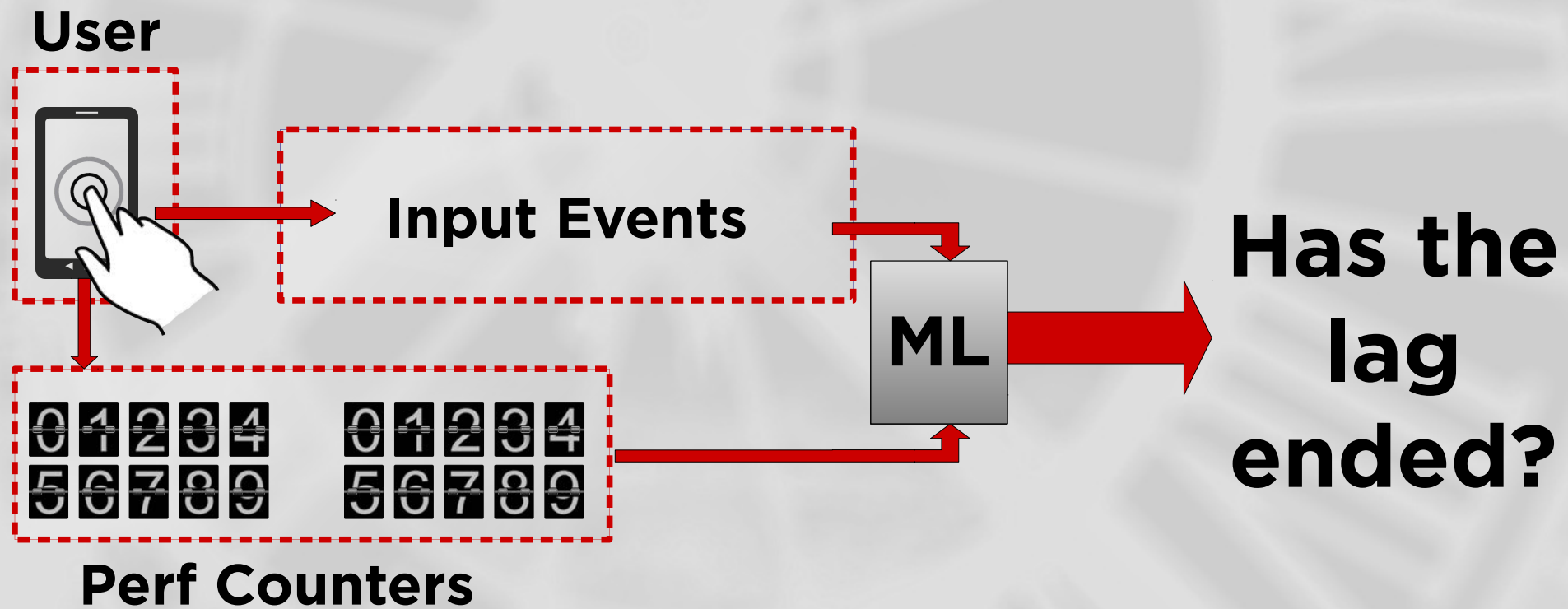
Replay



Offline

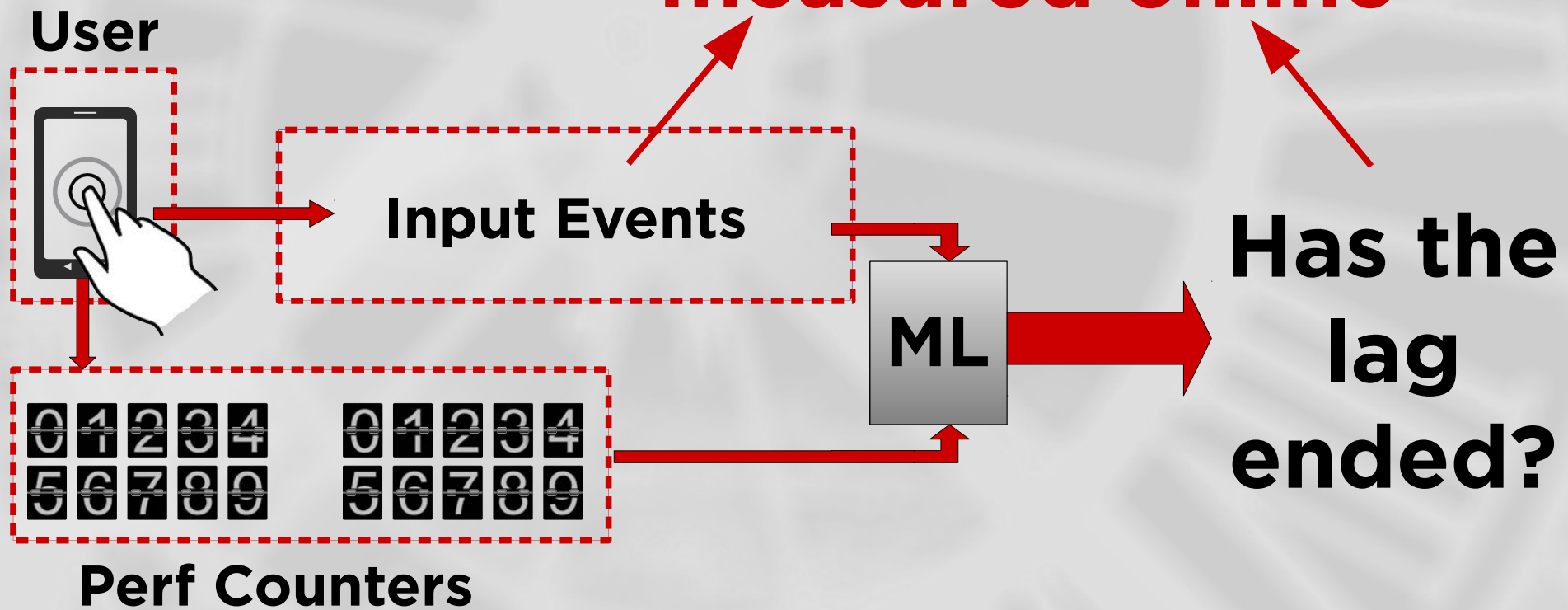


Online prediction



Online prediction

Lag length measured online



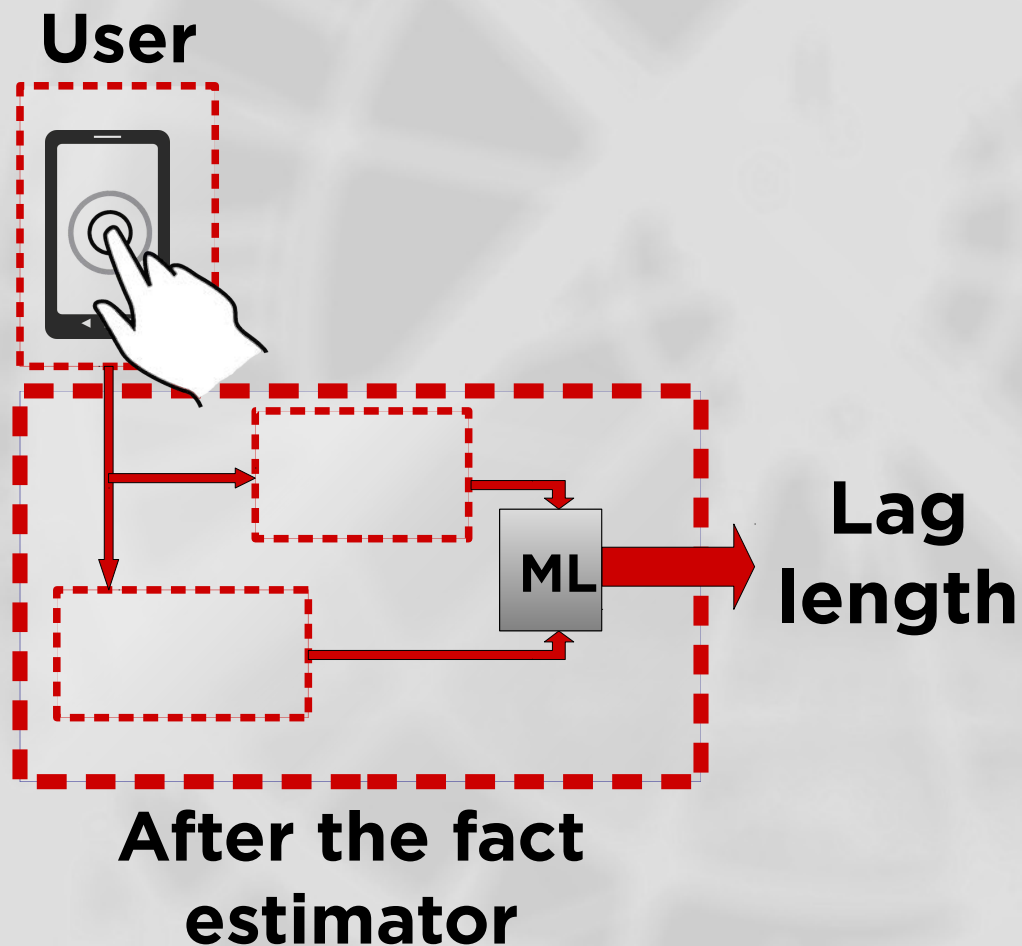
Before the fact

Lag End Predictor

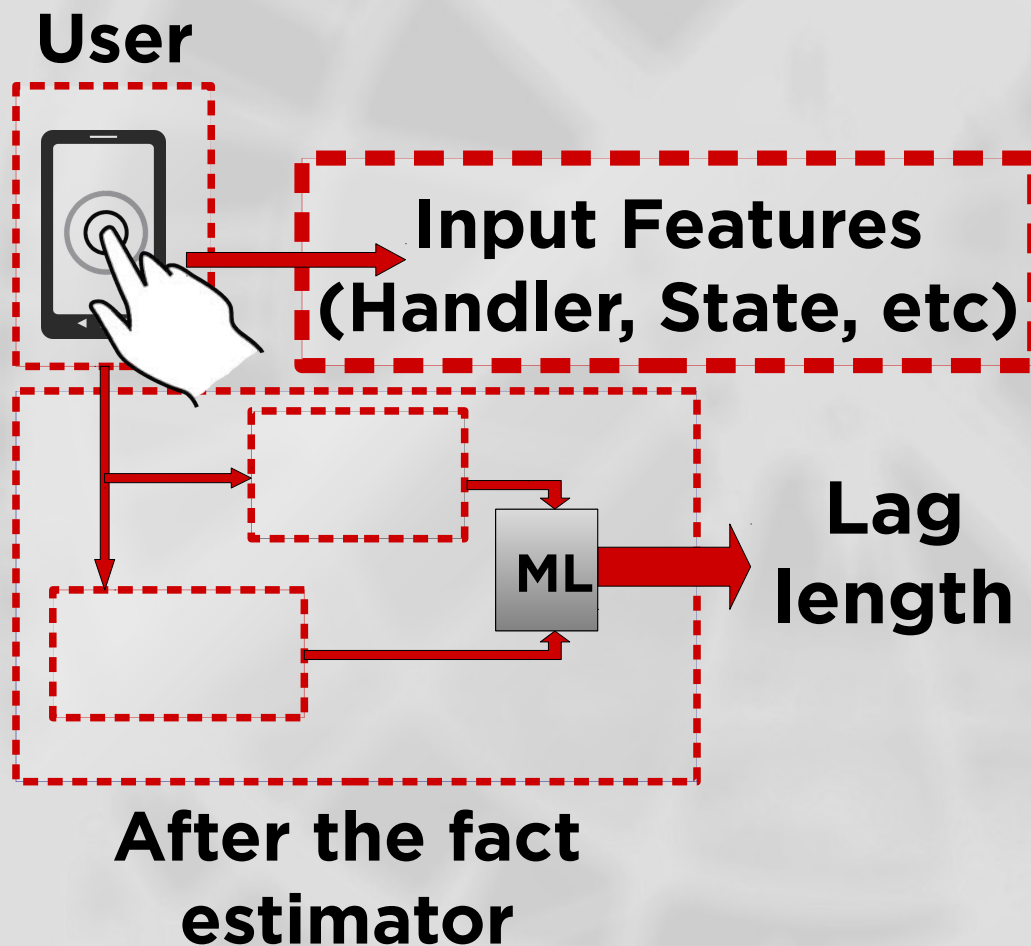
**Can tell
whether the
interaction
has ended**

**Want to tell
when the
interaction
will end**

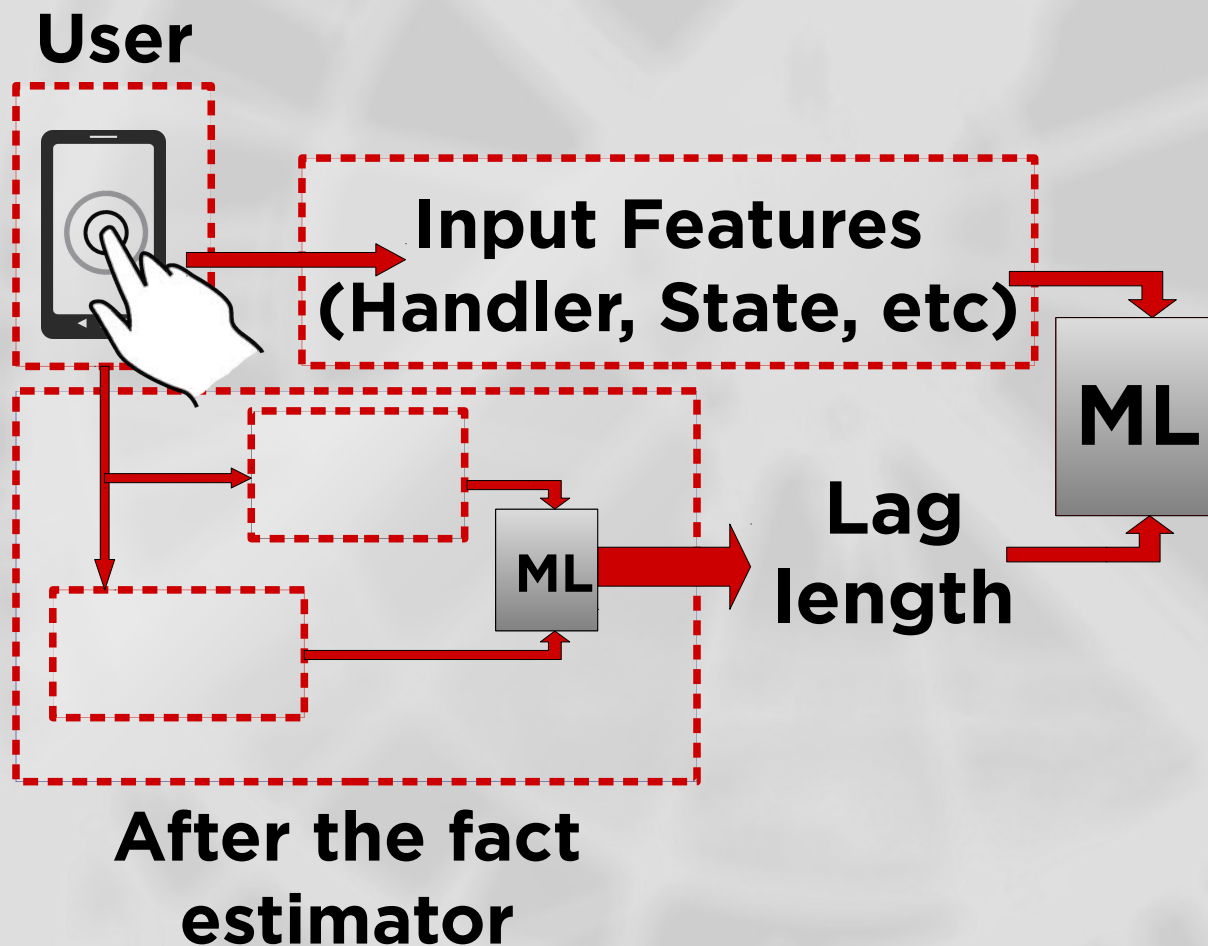
Lag end prediction



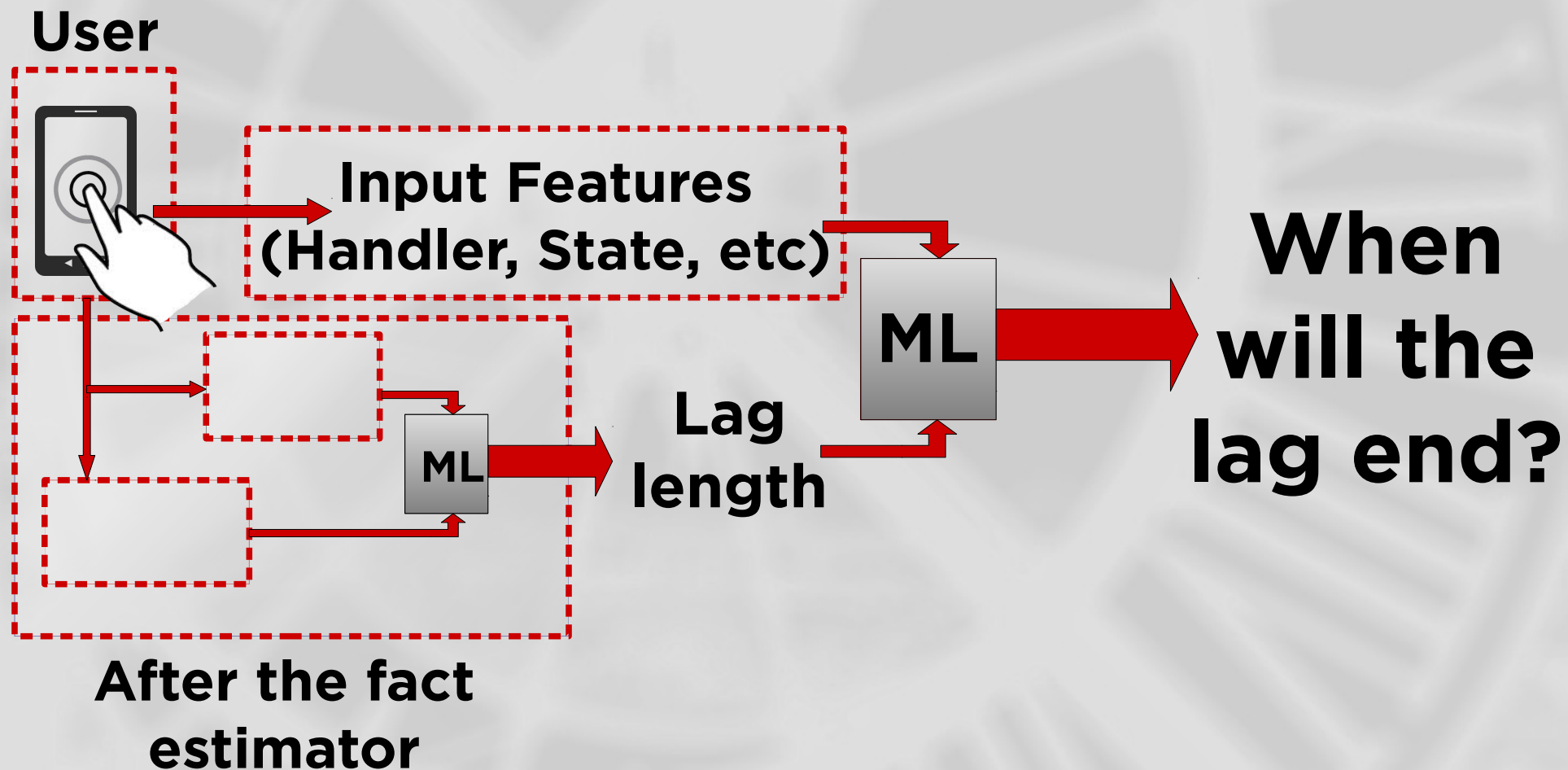
Lag end prediction



Lag end prediction



Lag end prediction





Summary

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Can test/fine-tune heuristics offline

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Will evaluate them online

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Will adapt them online

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**For what users
care about**







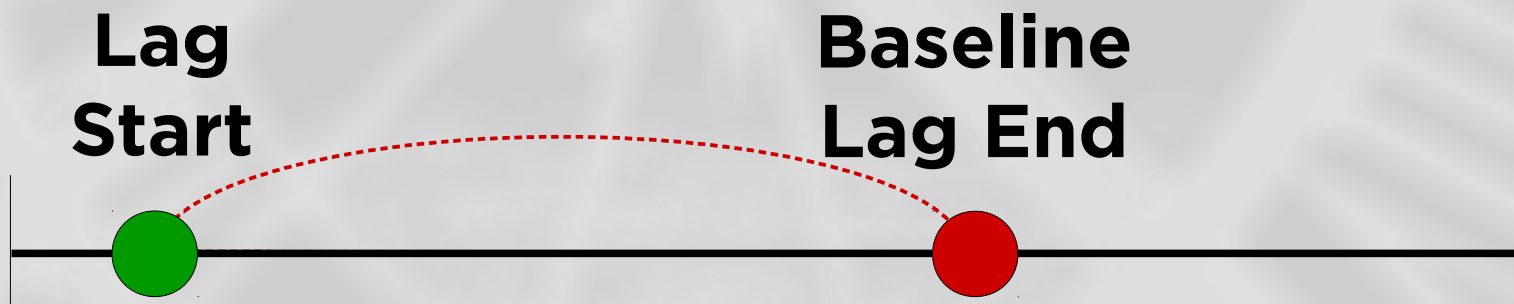
Android Frequency Governors

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Energy VS QoE

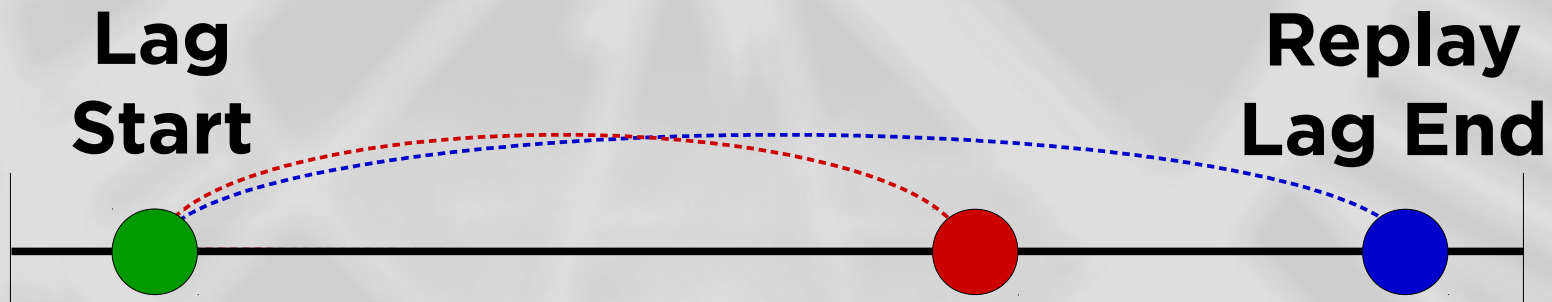
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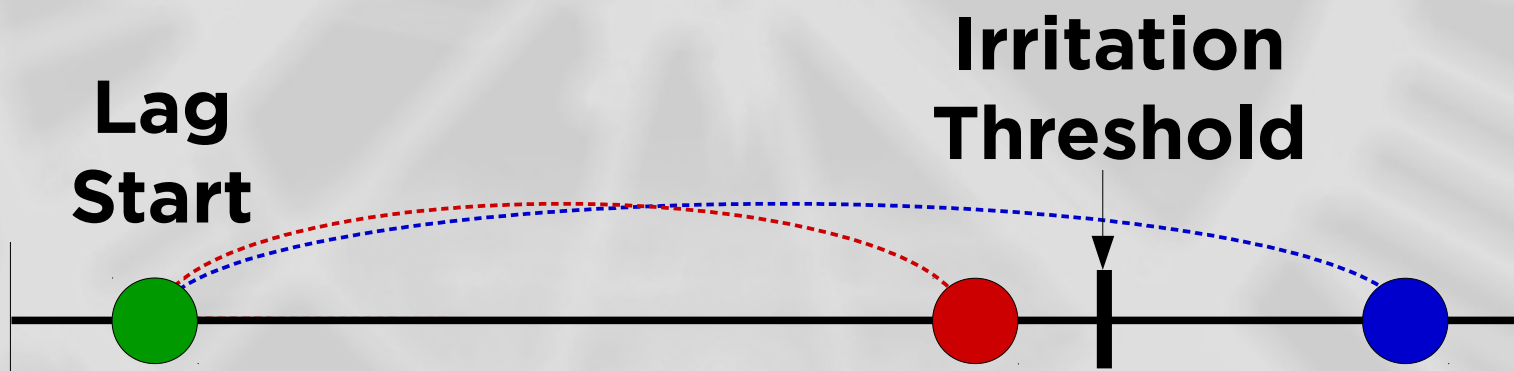
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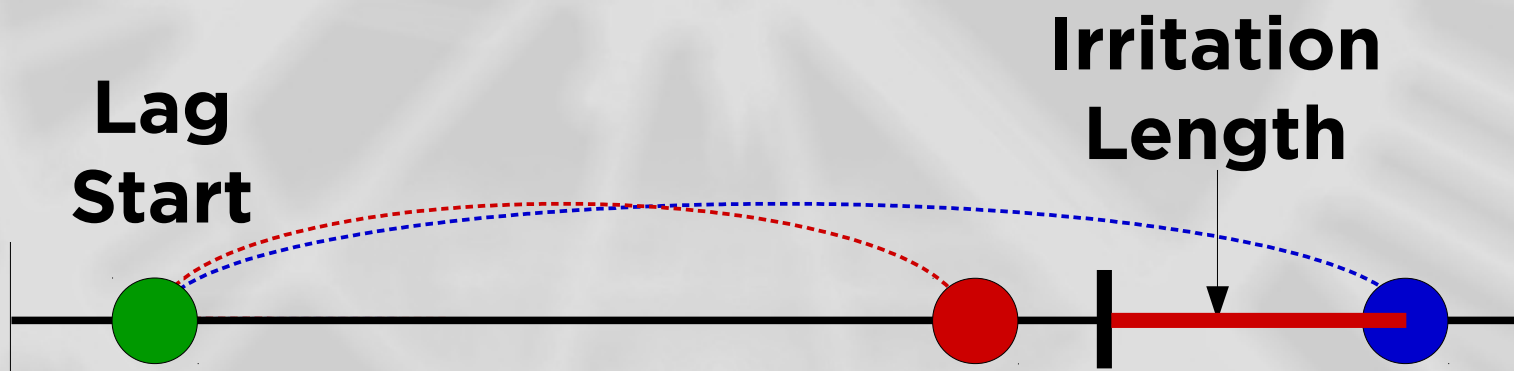
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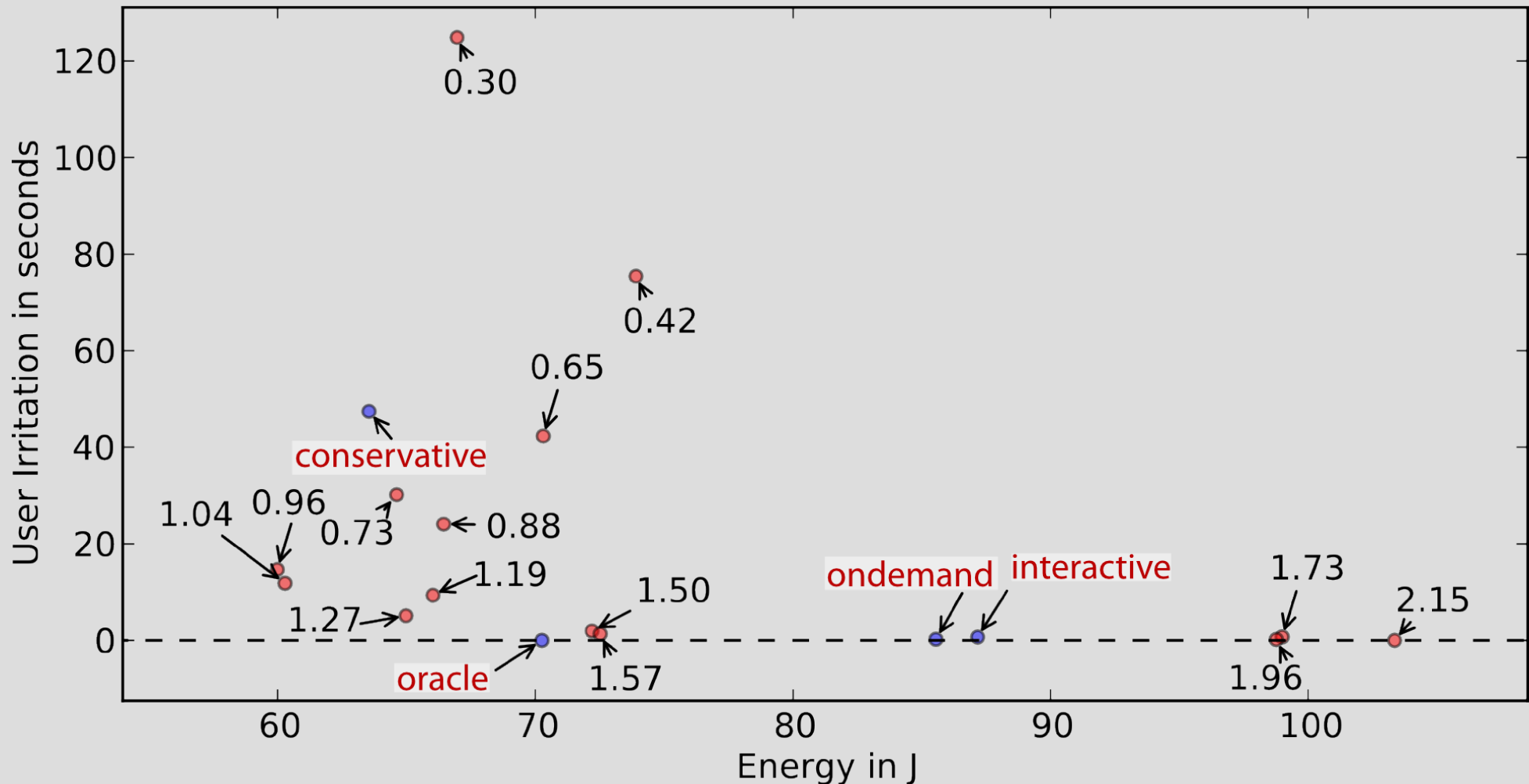
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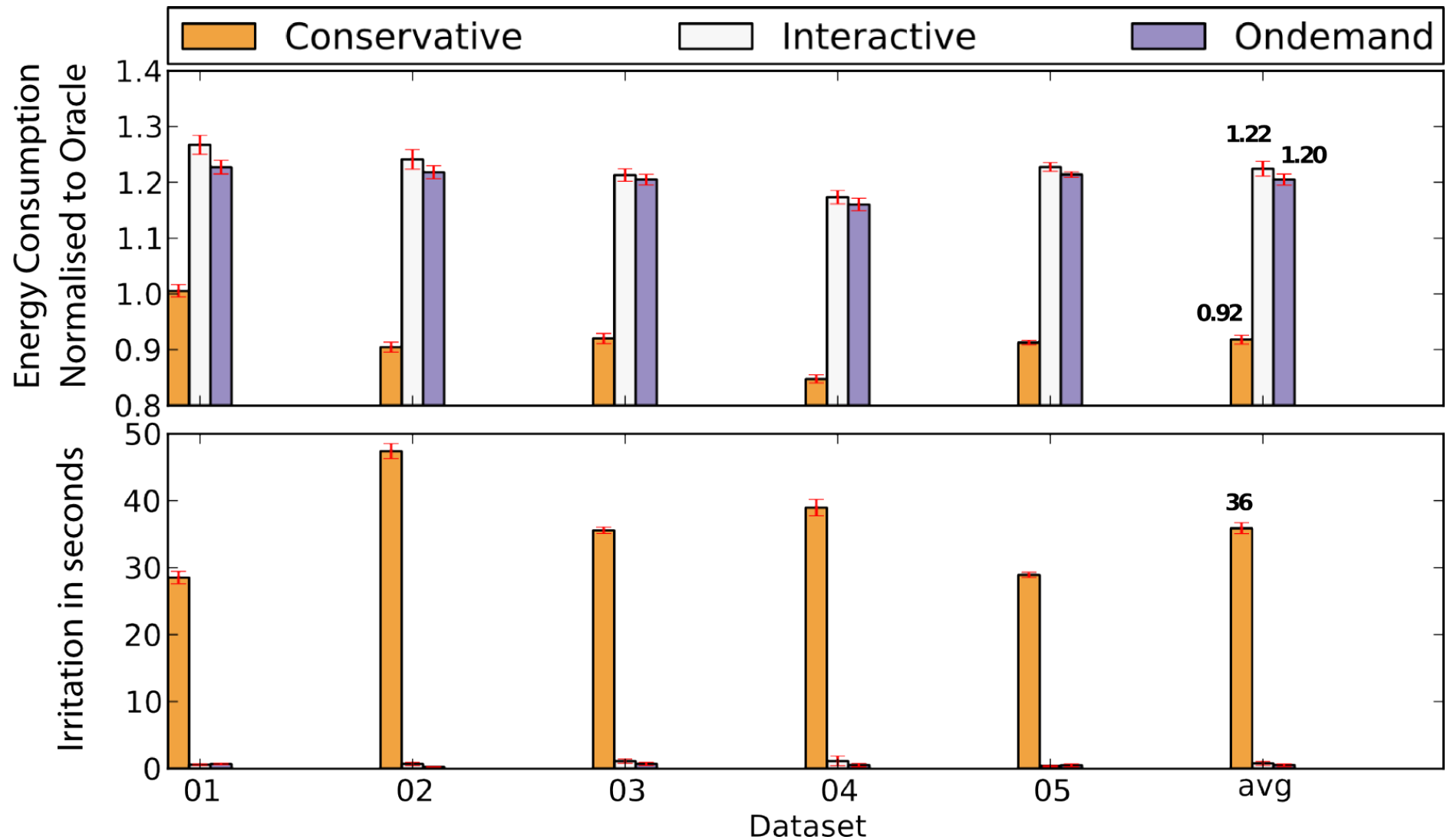


Energy vs QoE

Workload 02

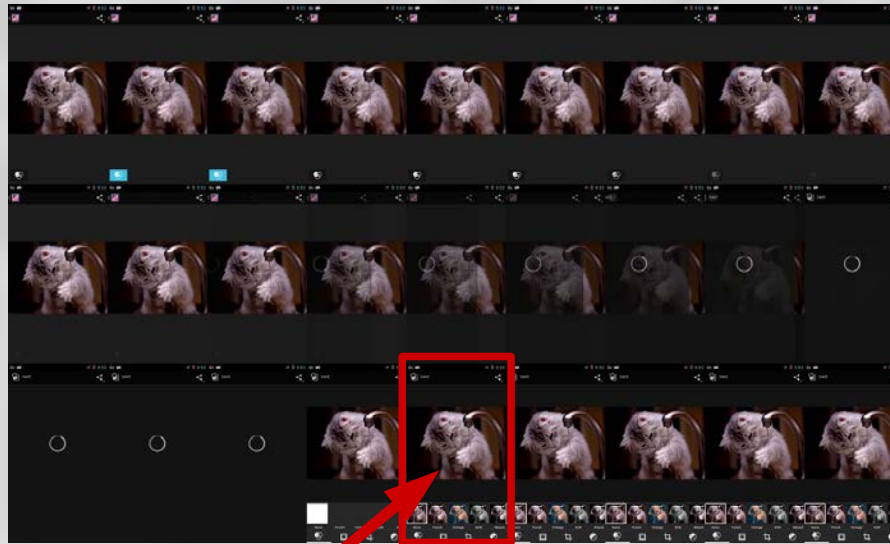


Energy vs QoE



Fully Automatic Markup

Fully automatic markup



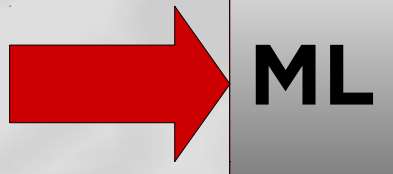
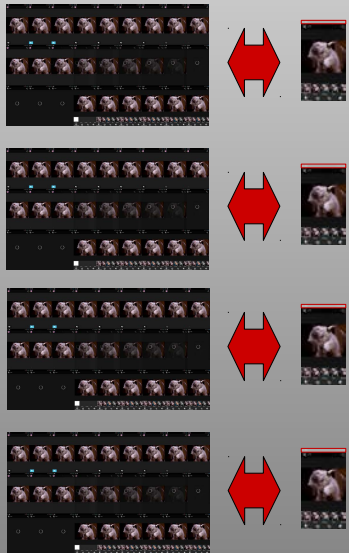
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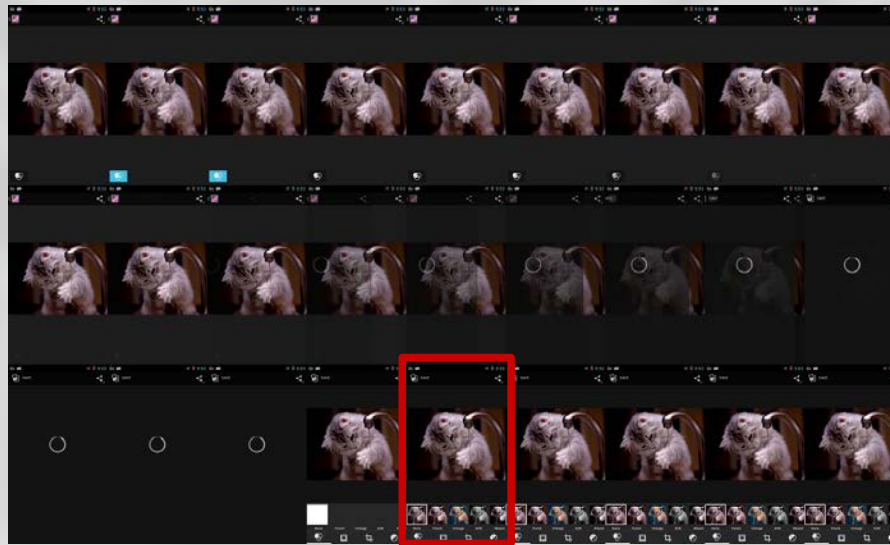
Interaction End

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Training Data



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**Human
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only for
training**

