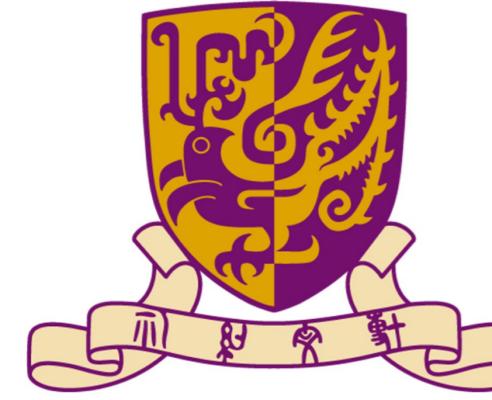


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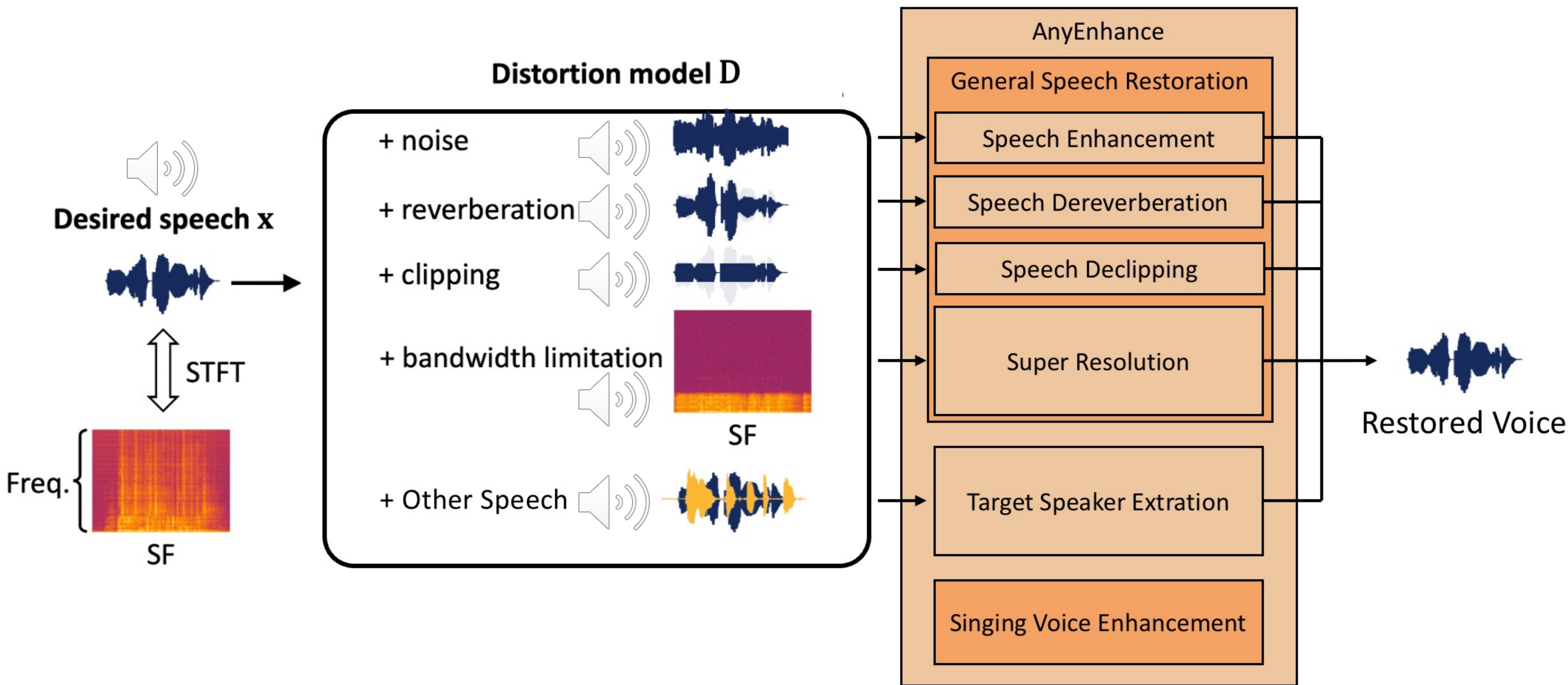
AnyEnhance: A Unified Generative Model with Prompt-Guidance and Self-Critic for Voice Enhancement

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 - collaboration welcome!

Background



Speech Enhancement Model in the Era of Large Generative Models:

- Multi-Task, Multi-Domain Pretraining
- In-Context-Learning

Background

Category	Model	Enhancement Tasks					Simultaneity	Domain	Sampling Rate	Supports Speaker Prompt?	Fine-tuning Required?
		Denoise	Dereverb	Declip	SR	TSE					
Multi-Task	Voicefixer[1]	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	Speech	44.1kHz	✗	No
	MaskSR[2]	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	Speech	44.1kHz	✗	No
	SpeechX[3]	✓				✓		Speech	16kHz	✗	No
	SpeechFlow[4]	✓				✓	✓	Speech	16kHz	✗	Yes
	NeMo[5]	✓				✓		Speech	16kHz	✗	Yes
	Uniaudio[6]	✓	✓			✓		Speech	16kHz	✗	Yes
Multi-Domain	AudioSR[7]				✓			Speech, Singing	48kHz	✗	No
Multi-Task Multi-Domain	ANYENHANCE	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Speech, Singing	44.1kHz	✓	No

Limitation in existing methods:

1. Task and Domain Universallity/Simutaneity
2. Prompt audio support

AnyEnhance:

1. Multi-Task, Multi-Domain, Simultaneous
2. Supports prompt audio

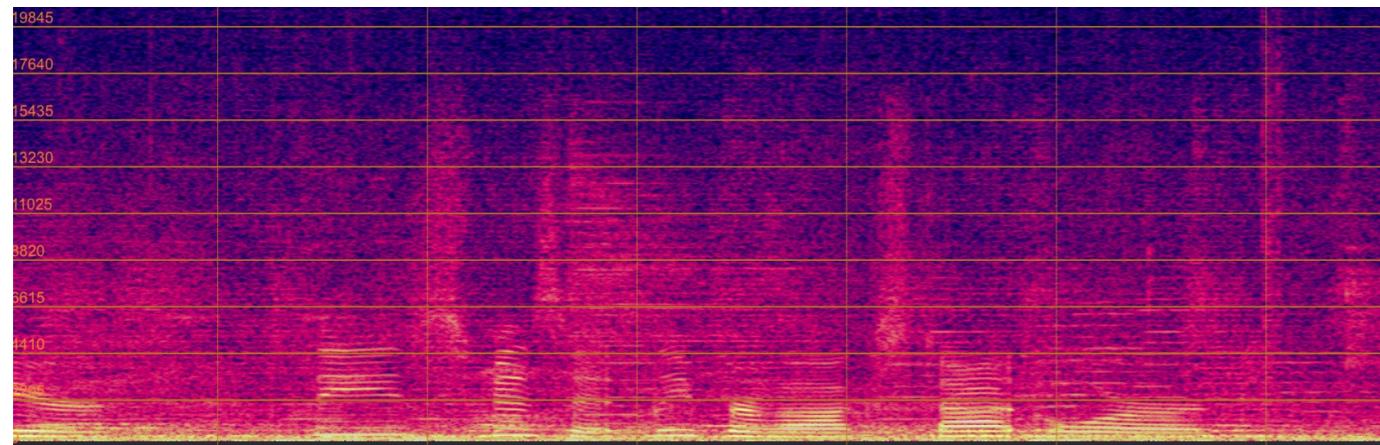
What's more:

1. Self-critic for more stable sampling

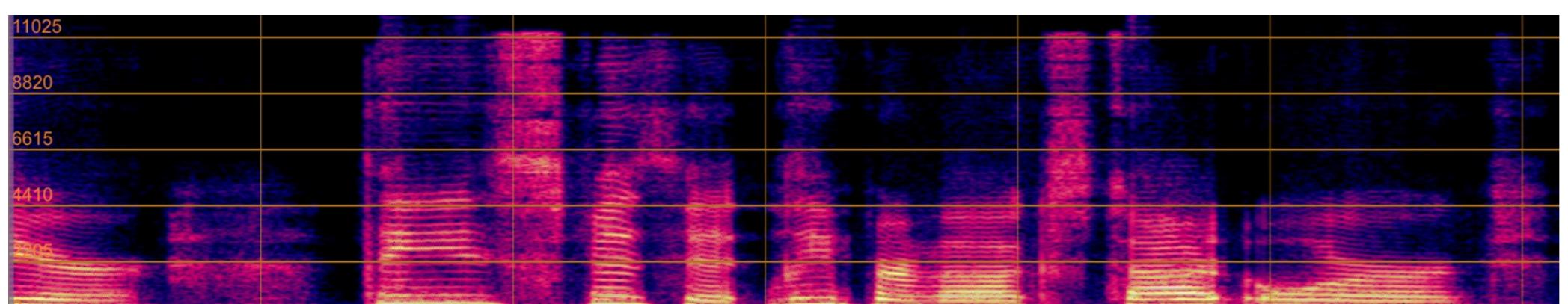
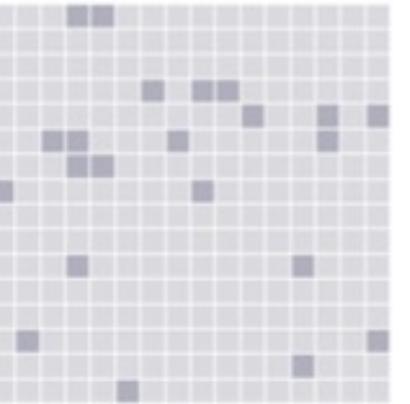
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masked generative models

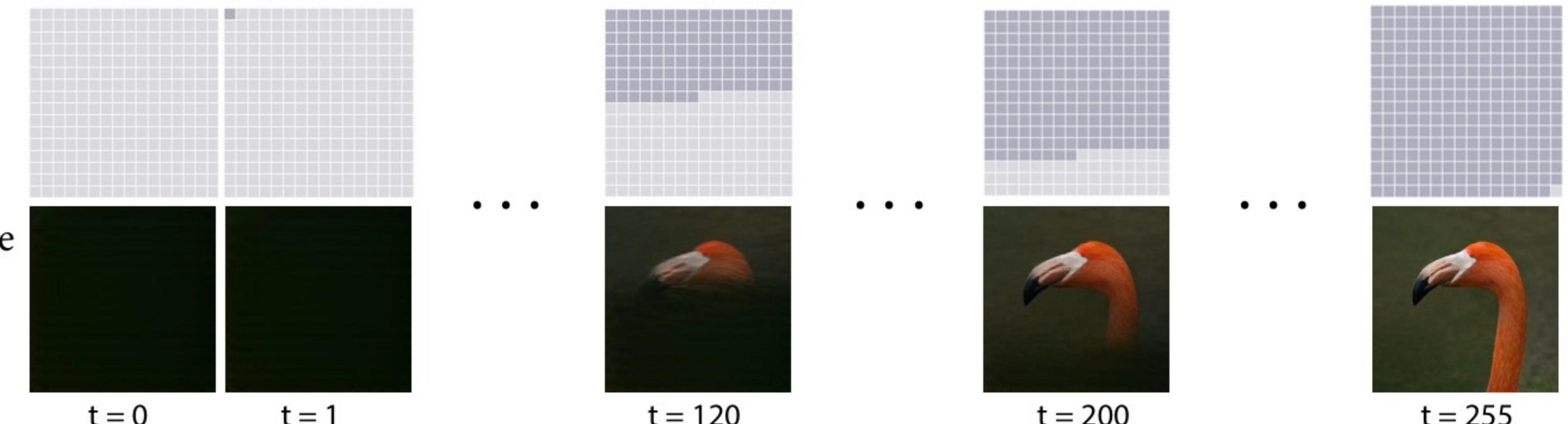
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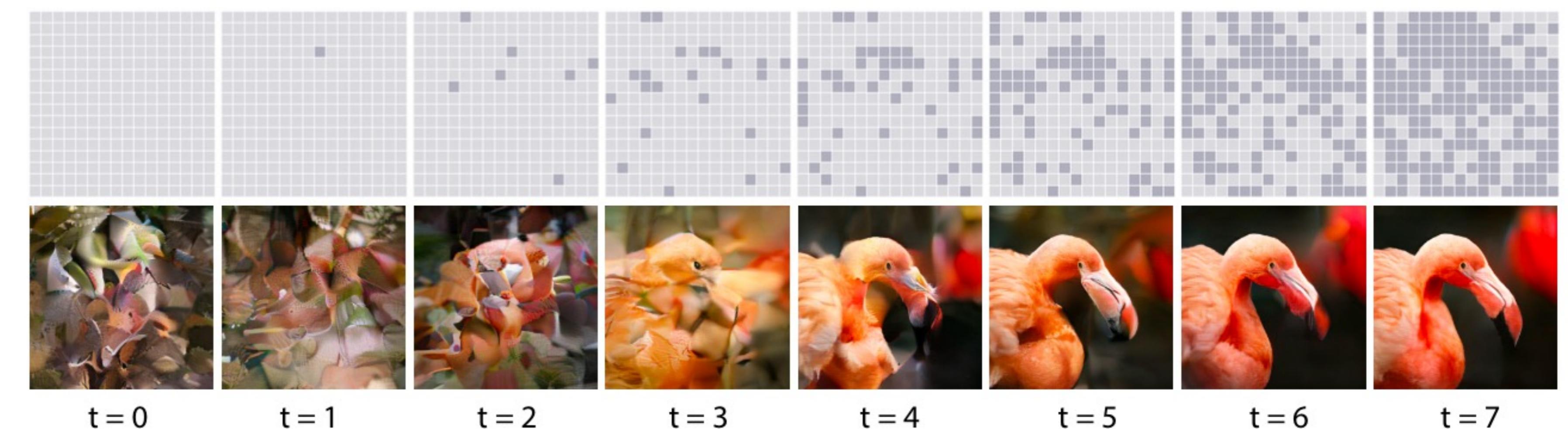
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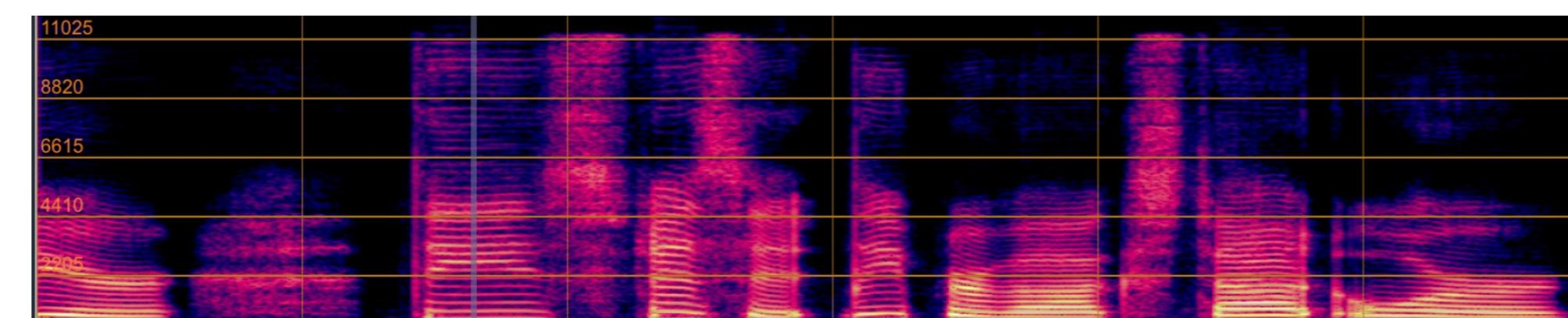
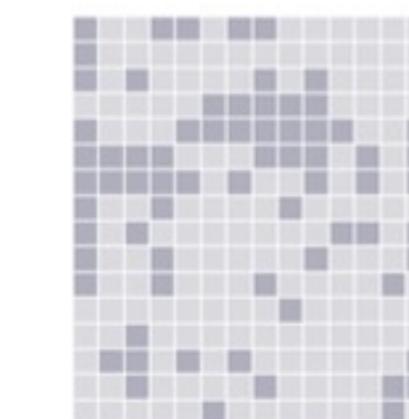
Sequential Decoding with Autoregressive Transformers



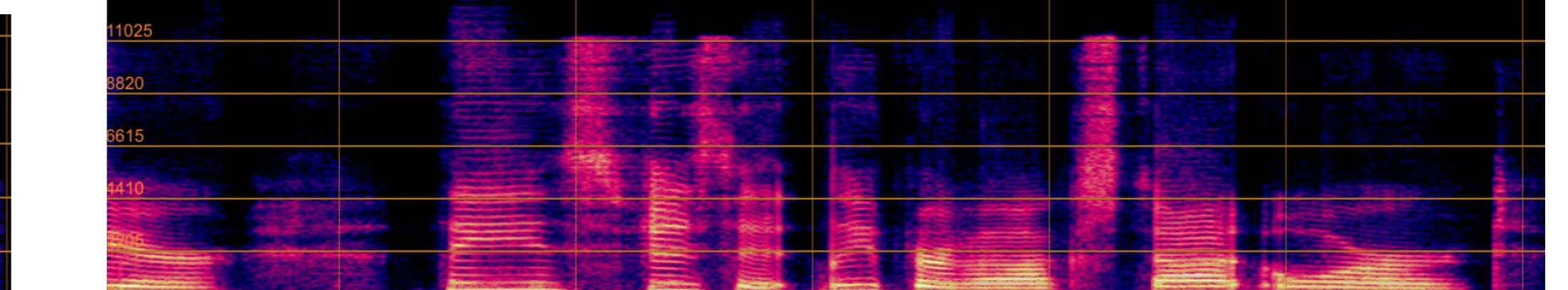
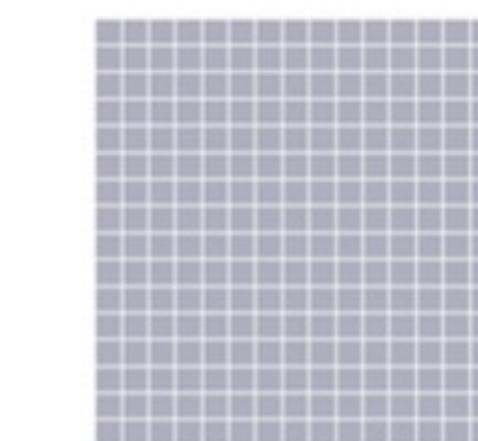
Scheduled Parallel Decoding with MaskGIT



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Background

Distortion Type	Mathematical Definition	Description
Noise	$d_{\text{noise}}(y) = y + n$	n is the noise signal.
Reverb	$d_{\text{reverb}}(y) = y * r$	r is the room impulse response.
Clipping	$d_{\text{clip}}(y) = \max(\min(y, \gamma), -\gamma)$	$\gamma \in [0, 1]$ is the clipping threshold.
Bandwidth Limitation	$d_{\text{bw}}(y) = \text{Resample}(y, \text{freq})$	freq is the target lower sampling frequency.
Other Voice	$d_{\text{voice}}(y) = y + v$	v is the other voice signal.

Previous works [1], [18] model distortions in a sequential order. Similarly, we model the overall distortion $D(\cdot)$ as a **composite function**:

$$D(x) = d_1 \circ d_2 \circ \dots \circ d_Q(x), d_q \in \mathbb{D}, q = 1, 2, \dots, Q,$$

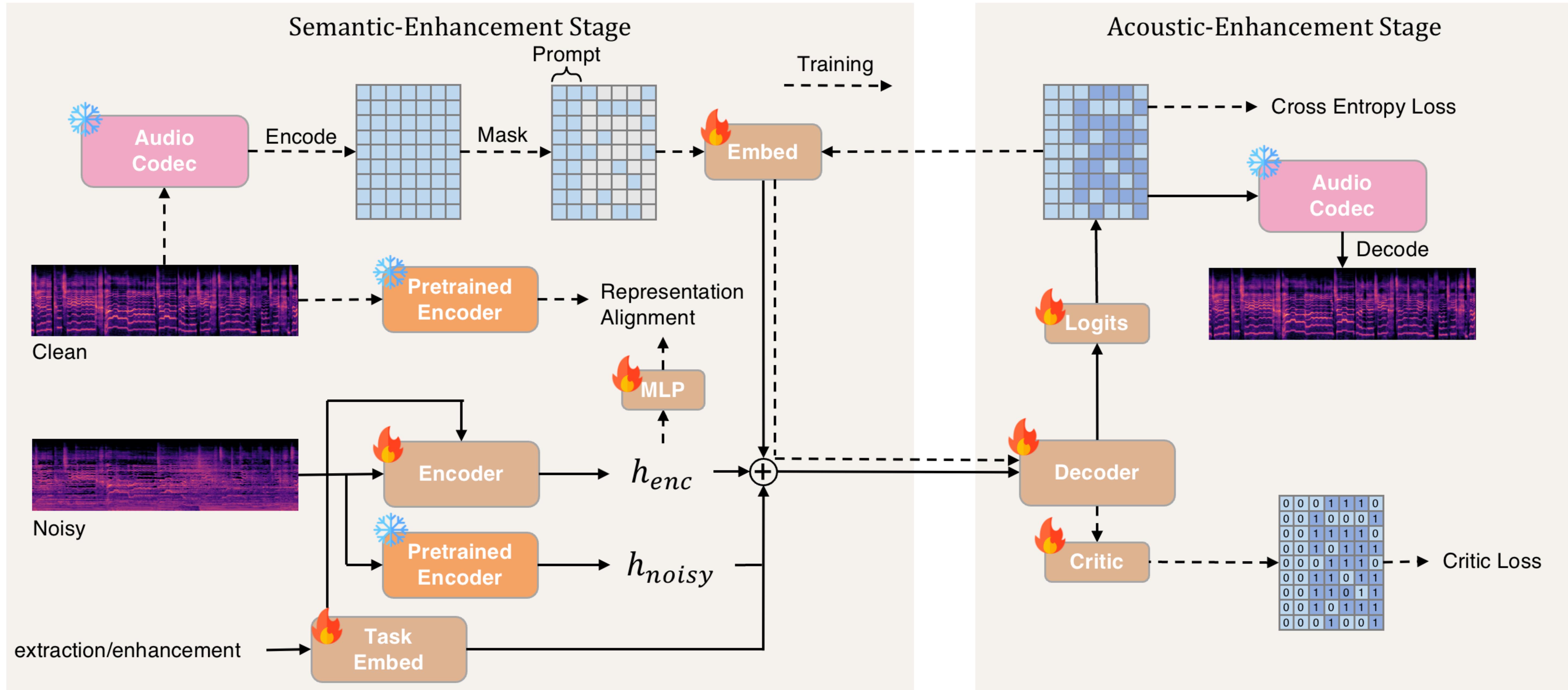
Previous work: always adds noise last
 $d_{\text{noise}} \circ d_{\text{bw}} \circ d_{\text{clip}} \circ d_{\text{reverb}}$

Ours: noise is added before reverberation, and more realistic vocal effect

$$D(x) = d_{\text{bw}} \circ d_{\text{clip}} \circ d_{\text{reverb}} \circ d_{\text{noise}} \circ d_{\text{vocal_effect}}$$

Where $d_{\text{vocal_effect}} = d_{\text{reverb}} \circ d_{\text{eq}}$ is the vocal effect chain.

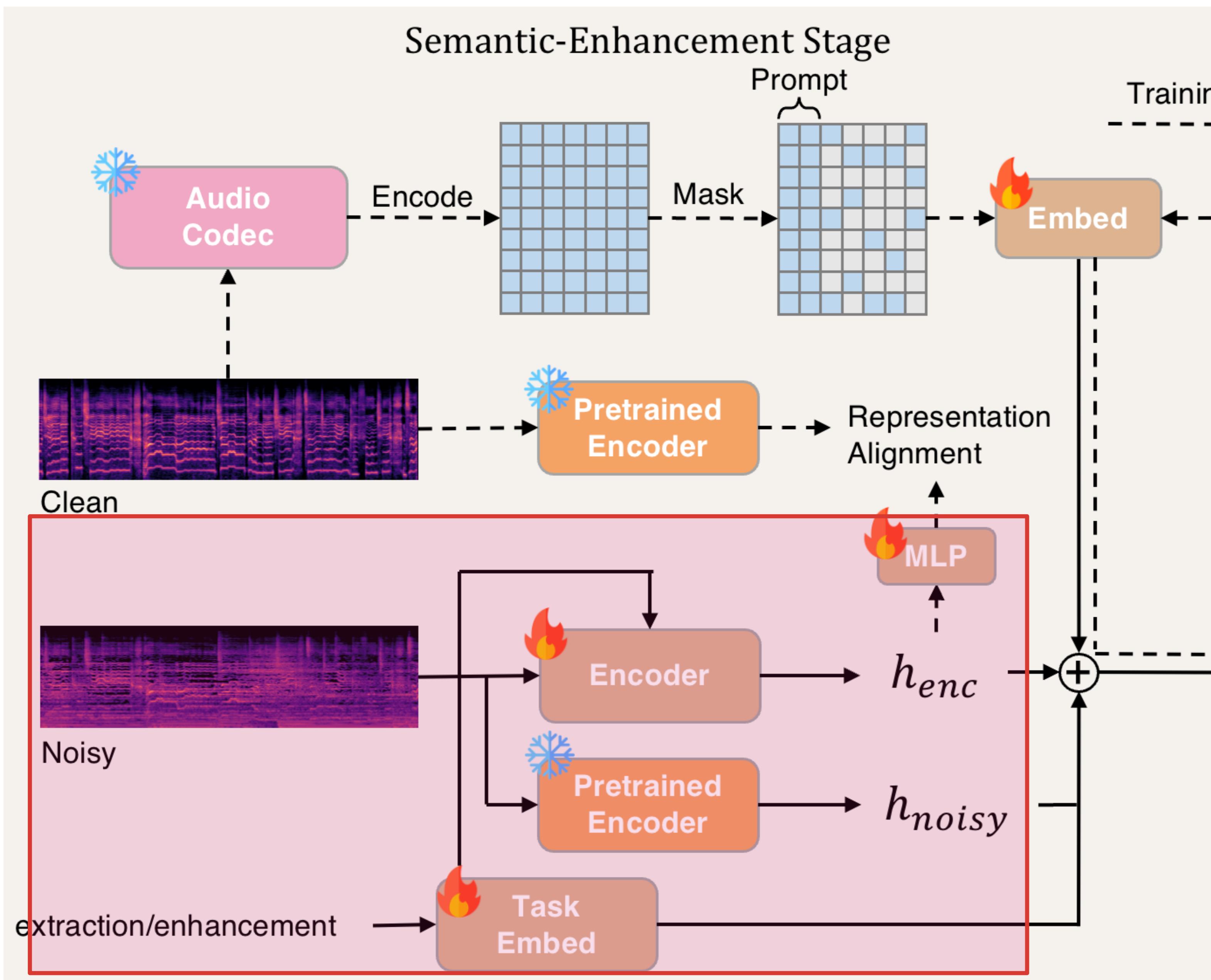
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2 stages:

1. semantic enhancement: noisy audio \rightarrow semantic features
2. acoustic enhancement: semantic features + masked audio codes \rightarrow full audio codes

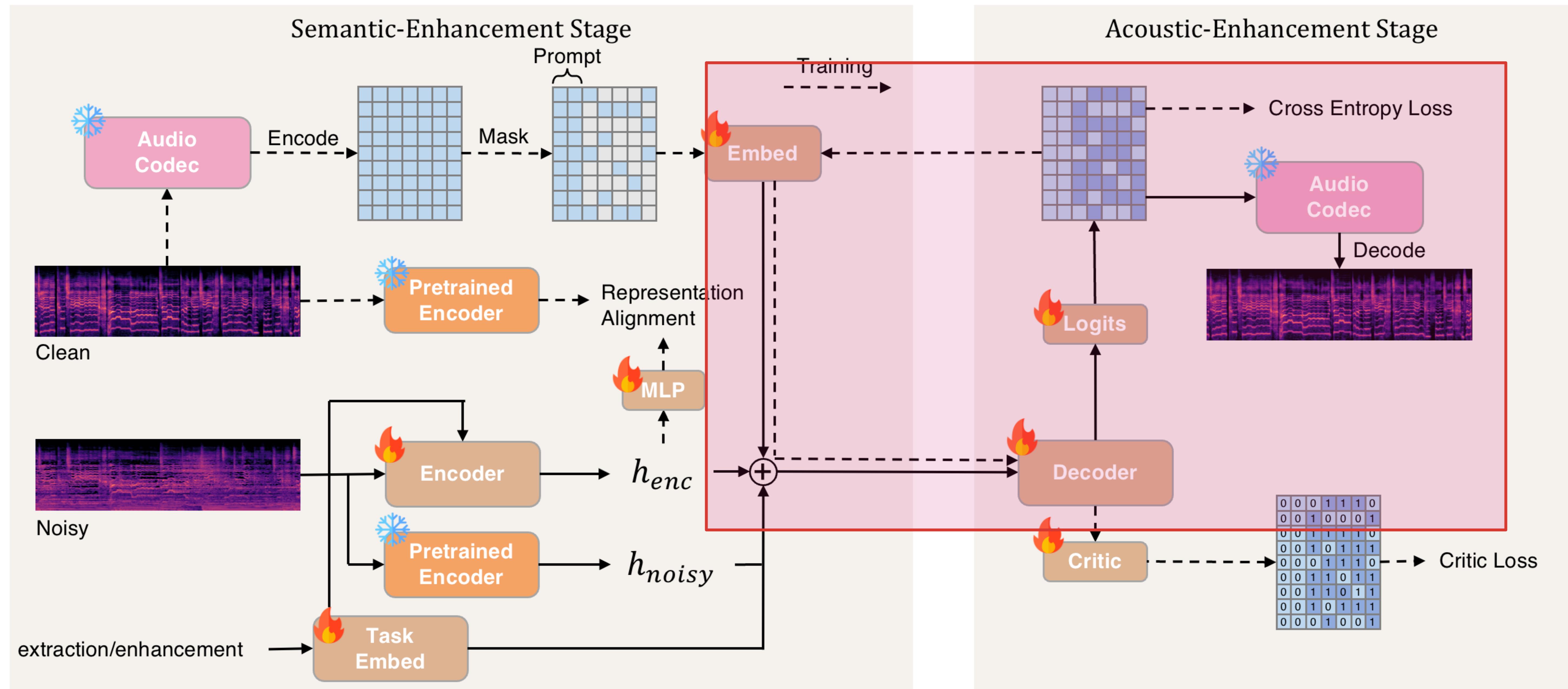
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$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{REPA}} = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x}} \left[- \sum_{t=1}^T \text{sim} \left(\mathbf{y}^{[t]}, h_{\phi}(h_{\text{enc}}^{[t]}) \right) \right],$$

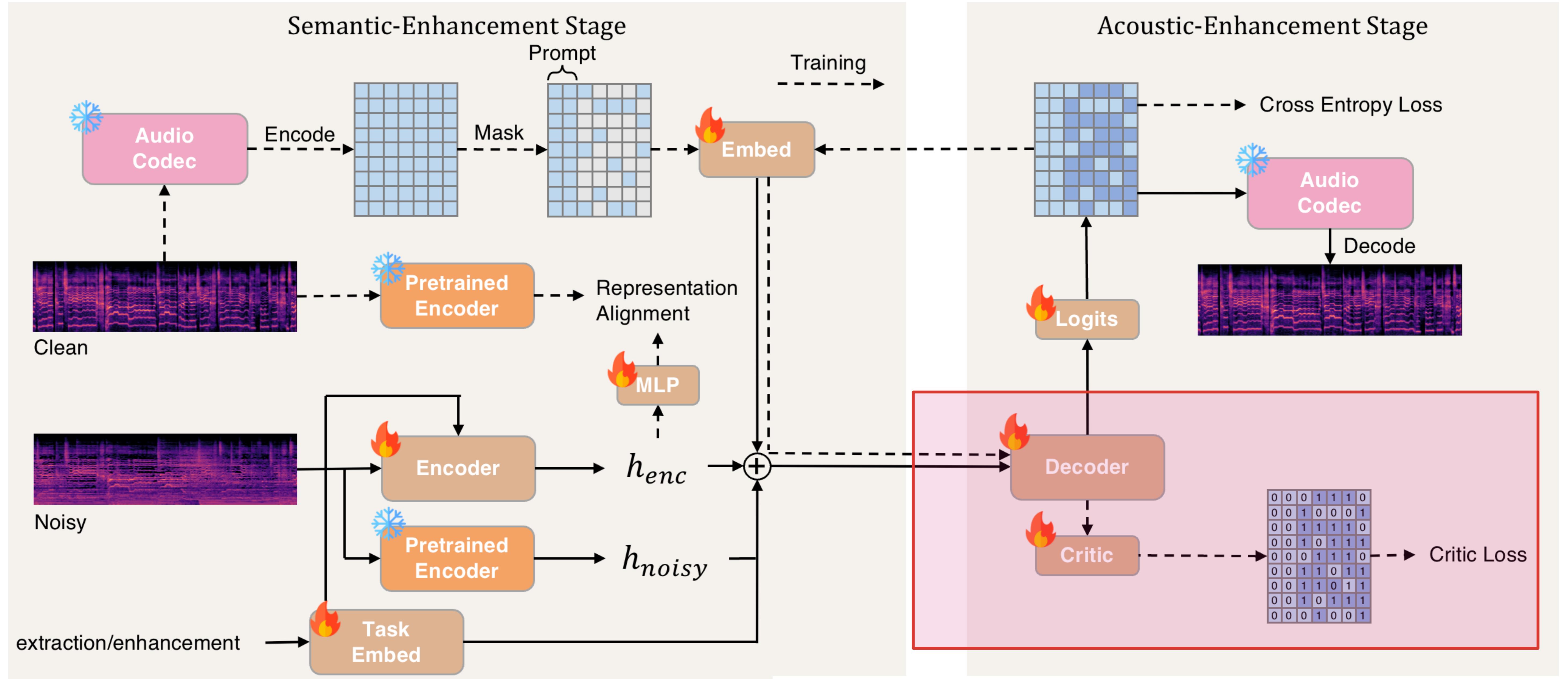
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$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{mask}} = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{X} \in \mathcal{D}, t \in [0, T]} \left[- \sum_{i=1}^N m_{t,i} \cdot \log (p_{\theta}(x_i | \mathbf{X}_t, \mathbf{C})) \right].$$

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Self-Critic:
used to tell whether a token is real

during sample: we use critic head's output instead
of original token's logits as confidence score

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{critic}} = \mathbb{E}_{\substack{\mathbf{X} \in \mathcal{D}, t \in [0, T], \\ p_{\theta}(\tilde{\mathbf{X}}_0 | \mathbf{X}_t, \mathbf{C})}} \left[- \sum_{i=1}^N m_{t,i} \cdot \log \left(p_{\phi}(\hat{m}_{t,i} | \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_0, \mathbf{C}) \right) \right].$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{mask}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{REPA}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{critic}}.$$

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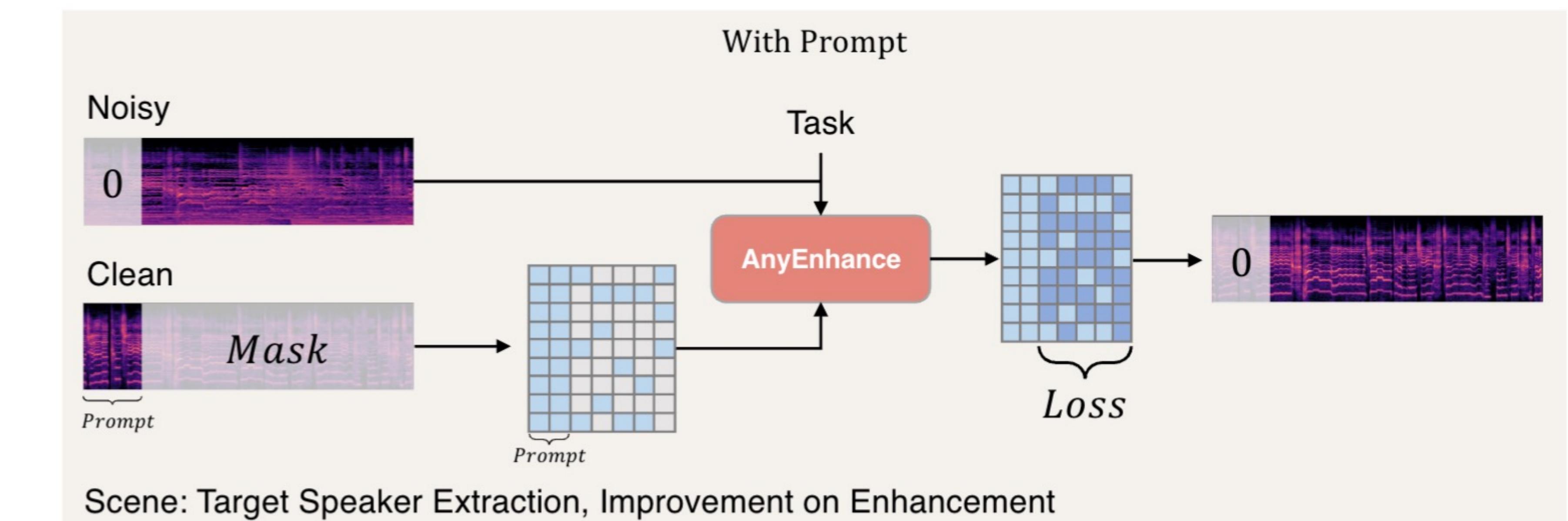
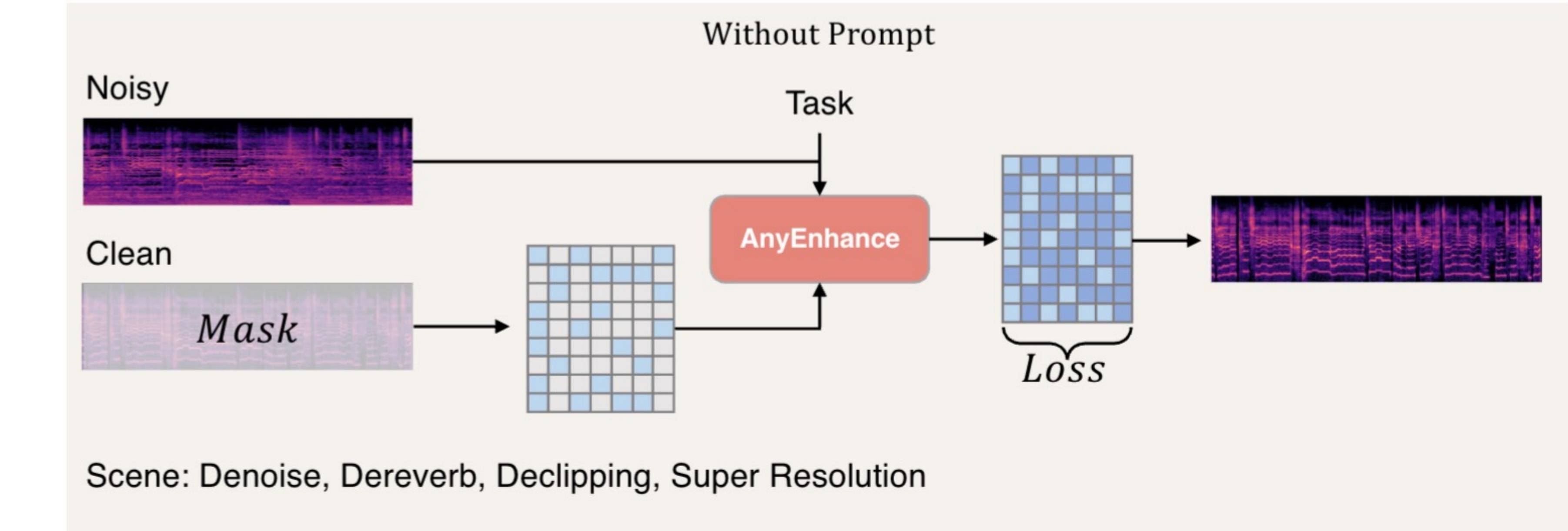
Inspired by zero-shot tts, during training, we preserve a portion of clean audio with a certain probability.

Allows the model to reference clean audio for:

- Speaker identity
- Quality preservation

Benefits:

- Enables Target Speaker Extraction
- Personalized Enhancement - further improves audio quality when speaker reference is available



Experimental Results & Demo

Model & Training:

- 363.54M parameters
- 50% keep first 3s as prompt
- 4 A800 GPUs, 5.5k token per GPU, Adam optimizer for 300k steps

Four Evaluation Groups:

- GSR Group (General Speech Restoration)
- SE (Speech Enhancement)
- SR (Super Resolution)
- TSE (Target Speaker Extraction)

TABLE II: Statistics of the speech, singing voice, noise and room impulse response (RIR) datasets used for ANYENHANCE.

Category	Datasets	Size
24kHz Speech	Emilia [14] (Filtered Subset)	20.987.49 hours
Fullband Speech	VCTK [35], HiFi-TTS [36], HQ-TTS [1], AI-Shell3 [37], Bible-TTS [38]	956.74 hours
Fullband Singing	OpenSinger [39], PopCS [40], PopBuTFy [41], Opencpop [42], M4Singer [43], SingStyle111 [44], ACESinger [45]	572.01 hours
Noise	MUSAN [46], Urgent Challenge [21], FSD50K [47], DESED [48], TUT Urban Acoustic Scenes [49], Live-performance Noise	1233.89 hours
RIR	SLR26, SLR28, Self-collected	62,668 pieces

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Group	Distortion(s)	Domain	Dataset	Model	SIG↑	BAK↑	OVRL↑	NISQA↑	Speech-BERTScore↑	Similarity↑
GSR	Noise, Reverb, Clipping, Bandwidth Limitation	Speech	Voicefixer GSR	TFGridNet	3.253	3.906	2.945	3.643	0.782	0.613
				NSNet2	3.011	3.969	2.758	3.433	0.728	0.615
				Voicefixer (checkpoint)	3.299	3.971	3.003	4.16	0.797	0.882
				Voicefixer (retrained)	3.3	3.984	2.996	4.054	0.818	0.884
				MaskSR	3.408	4.041	3.122	4.335	0.832	0.916
				ANYENHANCE	3.406	4.073	3.136	4.308	0.829	0.924
		Speech	Librivox GSR	TF-GridNet	3.274	3.872	2.951	3.138	0.77	0.931
				NSNet2	2.895	3.866	2.589	2.735	0.7	0.892
				Voicefixer (checkpoint)	3.365	3.971	3.085	3.77	0.706	0.864
				Voicefixer (retrained)	3.35	4.024	3.069	3.63	0.758	0.897
				MaskSR	3.499	4.133	3.258	4.155	0.779	0.94
				ANYENHANCE	3.546	4.142	3.308	4.346	0.822	0.955
		Singing	CCMusic GSR	TF-GridNet	2.764	3.37	2.362	2.396	0.57	0.81
				NSNet2	2.608	3.645	2.226	2.439	0.574	0.798
				Voicefixer (checkpoint)	2.75	3.094	2.354	2.917	0.636	0.823
				Voicefixer (retrained)	2.948	3.349	2.551	3.224	0.738	0.881
				MaskSR	3.153	3.483	2.715	3.157	0.77	0.889
				ANYENHANCE	3.243	3.547	2.797	3.345	0.811	0.915

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Group	Distortion(s)	Domain	Dataset	Model	SIG↑	BAK↑	OVRL↑	NISQA↑	Speech-BERTScore↑	Similarity↑
SE	Noise	Speech	DNS No Reverb*	DEMUCS	3.533	4.157	3.31	3.742	0.877	0.984
				FRCRN	3.574	4.154	3.332	4.495	0.914	0.993
				SGMSE	3.501	3.710	3.137	-	-	-
				StoRM	3.514	3.941	3.205	-	-	-
				SELM	3.508	4.096	3.258	-	-	-
				TFGridNet	3.539	4.047	3.268	4.347	0.902	0.675
				NSNet2	3.391	4.071	3.132	3.943	0.847	0.675
				Voicefixer (checkpoint)	3.504	4.109	3.253	4.274	0.819	0.956
				Voicefixer (retrained)	3.452	4.035	3.157	4.105	0.827	0.959
				MaskSR	3.616	4.183	3.393	4.754	0.875	0.983
				ANYENHANCE	3.64	4.179	3.418	4.821	0.907	0.988
SE	Noise, Reverb	Speech	DNS With Reverb*	DEMUCS	2.937	3.844	2.615	2.188	0.725	0.93
				FRCRN	2.933	2.923	2.279	2.27	0.783	0.966
				SGMSE	2.730	2.741	2.430	-	-	-
				StoRM	2.947	3.141	2.516	-	-	-
				SELM	3.160	3.577	2.695	-	-	-
				TFGridNet	3.11	3.225	2.51	2.614	0.84	0.686
				NSNet2	2.756	3.719	2.421	2.043	0.763	0.691
				Voicefixer (checkpoint)	3.43	4.016	3.132	3.822	0.711	0.91
				Voicefixer (retrained)	3.074	3.721	2.667	2.906	0.724	0.918
				MaskSR	3.396	4.043	3.085	3.353	0.701	0.946
				ANYENHANCE	3.5	4.04	3.204	3.722	0.738	0.951

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Group	Distortion(s)	Domain	Dataset	Model	SIG↑	BAK↑	OVRL↑	NISQA↑	Speech-BERTScore↑	Similarity↑	
SR	Bandwidth Limitation	Speech	Voicefixer SR	Voicefixer (checkpoint)	3.405	4.029	3.11	4.131	0.873	0.882	
				Voicefixer (retrained)	3.041	3.903	2.745	3.556	0.837	0.854	
				AudioSR	3.492	4.002	3.18	4.255	0.913	0.911	
				MaskSR	3.464	4.028	3.154	4.352	0.925	0.939	
				ANYENHANCE	3.449	4.063	3.156	4.201	0.941	0.943	
		Singing	CCMusic SR	Voicefixer (checkpoint)	3.179	3.534	2.743	3.356	0.463	0.65	
				Voicefixer (retrained)	3.108	3.504	2.692	3.218	0.768	0.864	
				AudioSR	3.192	3.531	2.75	2.836	0.468	0.63	
				MaskSR	3.308	3.588	2.857	3.173	0.813	0.892	
				ANYENHANCE	3.339	3.628	2.899	3.225	0.854	0.919	
TSE	Other Voice	Speech	Librimix TSE*	WeSep	3.563	3.931	3.228	4.041	0.922	0.991	
				TSELM	3.55	4.084	3.288	4.029	0.808	0.908	
				ANYENHANCE	3.638	4.066	3.353	4.277	0.735	0.914	
	Other Voice, Noise, Reverb, Clipping, Bandwidth Limitation		VCTK TSE	WeSep	2.483	2.191	1.933	1.959	0.568	0.856	
				TSELM	3.345	3.875	3.004	3.388	0.58	0.81	
				ANYENHANCE	3.545	4.102	3.275	4.57	0.727	0.925	

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Ablation: Effect of Prompt Guidance

TABLE V: Effect of Prompt Guidance

Dataset	Model	SIG	BAK	OVRL	NISQA	SpeechBERTScore	Similarity
Librivox GSR	ANYENHANCE	3.546	4.142	3.308	4.346	0.822	0.955
	ANYENHANCE (w/ prompt)	3.636	4.162	3.401	4.472	0.828	0.963
CCMusic GSR	ANYENHANCE	3.243	3.547	2.797	3.345	0.811	0.915
	ANYENHANCE (w/ prompt)	3.33	3.716	2.944	3.571	0.817	0.921
Voicefixer SR	ANYENHANCE	3.449	4.063	3.156	4.201	0.941	0.943
	ANYENHANCE (w/ prompt)	3.477	4.041	3.177	4.339	0.946	0.956

Ablation: Joint Training on Multiple Task

TABLE VI: Effect of Any Task Training

Dataset	Model	SIG	BAK	OVRL	NISQA	SpeechBERTScore	Similarity
Librivox GSR	ANYENHANCE (GSR)	3.438	4.112	3.179	3.827	0.74	0.913
	ANYENHANCE	3.504	4.135	3.255	4.191	0.762	0.91
DNS No Reverb*	ANYENHANCE (SE)	3.646	4.189	3.425	4.765	0.877	0.981
	ANYENHANCE	3.643	4.205	3.432	4.774	0.876	0.98
Voicefixer SR	ANYENHANCE (SR)	3.443	4.04	3.141	4.144	0.943	0.941
	ANYENHANCE	3.476	4.085	3.197	4.339	0.923	0.926
VCTK TSE	ANYENHANCE (TSE)	3.479	4.004	3.17	4.251	0.596	0.888
	ANYENHANCE	3.465	4.077	3.185	4.451	0.653	0.9

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Ablation: Data Simulation & Singing Voice Data

$$d_{\text{noise}} \circ d_{\text{bw}} \circ d_{\text{clip}} \circ d_{\text{reverb}}$$

$$D(x) = d_{\text{bw}} \circ d_{\text{clip}} \circ d_{\text{reverb}} \circ d_{\text{noise}} \circ d_{\text{vocal_effect}}$$

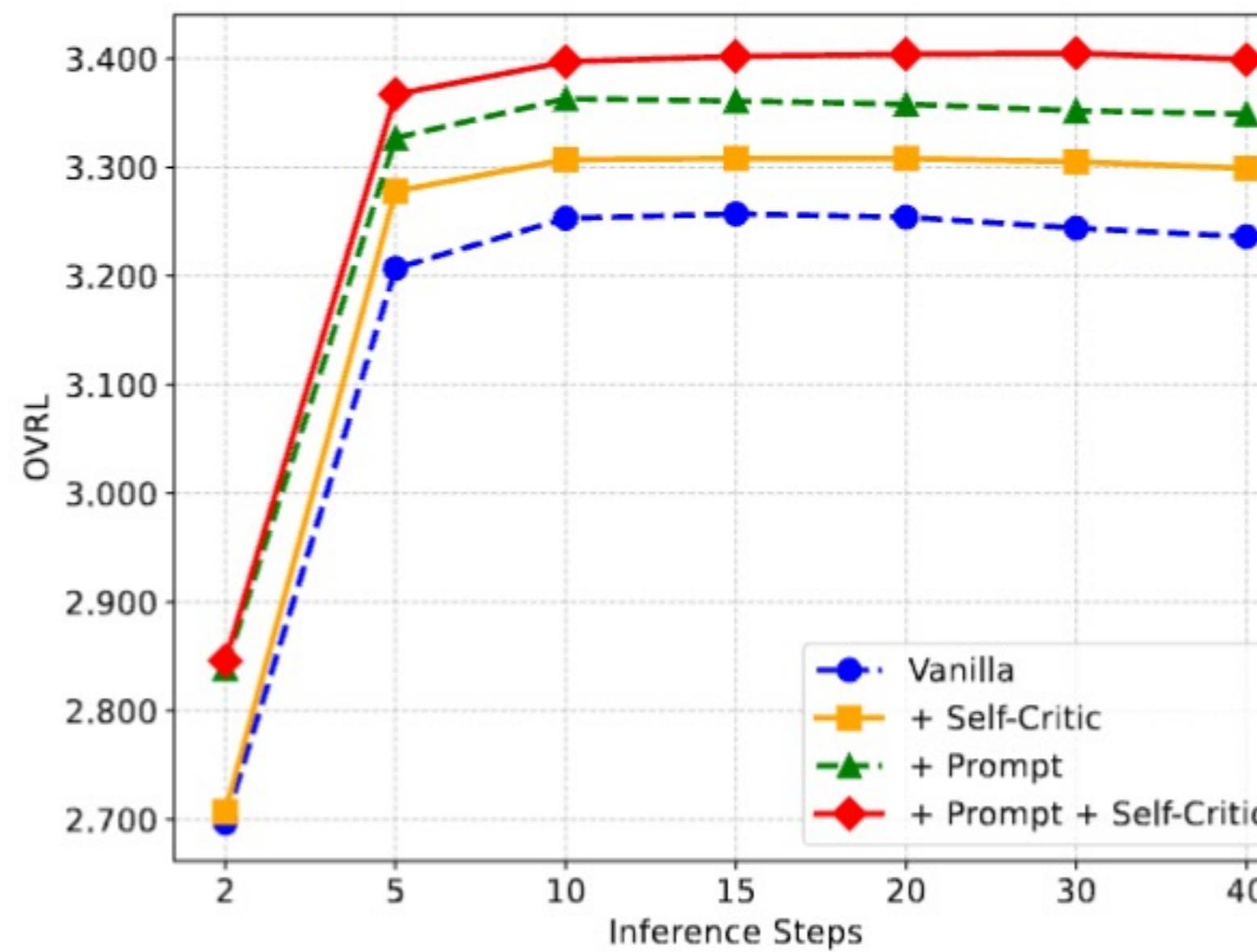
Where $d_{\text{vocal_effect}} = d_{\text{reverb}} \circ d_{\text{eq}}$ is the vocal effect chain.

Dataset	Model	SIG↑	BAK↑	OVRL↑	NISQA↑	SpeechBERTScore↑	Similarity↑
Librivox GSR	ANYENHANCE (w/o improved data simulation)	3.361	4.096	3.093	3.766	0.731	0.888
	ANYENHANCE (w/ improved data simulation)	3.504	4.135	3.255	4.191	0.762	0.91
Voicefixer GSR	ANYENHANCE (w/o improved data simulation)	3.355	4.033	3.066	4.145	0.798	0.897
	ANYENHANCE (w/ improved data simulation)	3.406	4.024	3.11	4.339	0.832	0.909

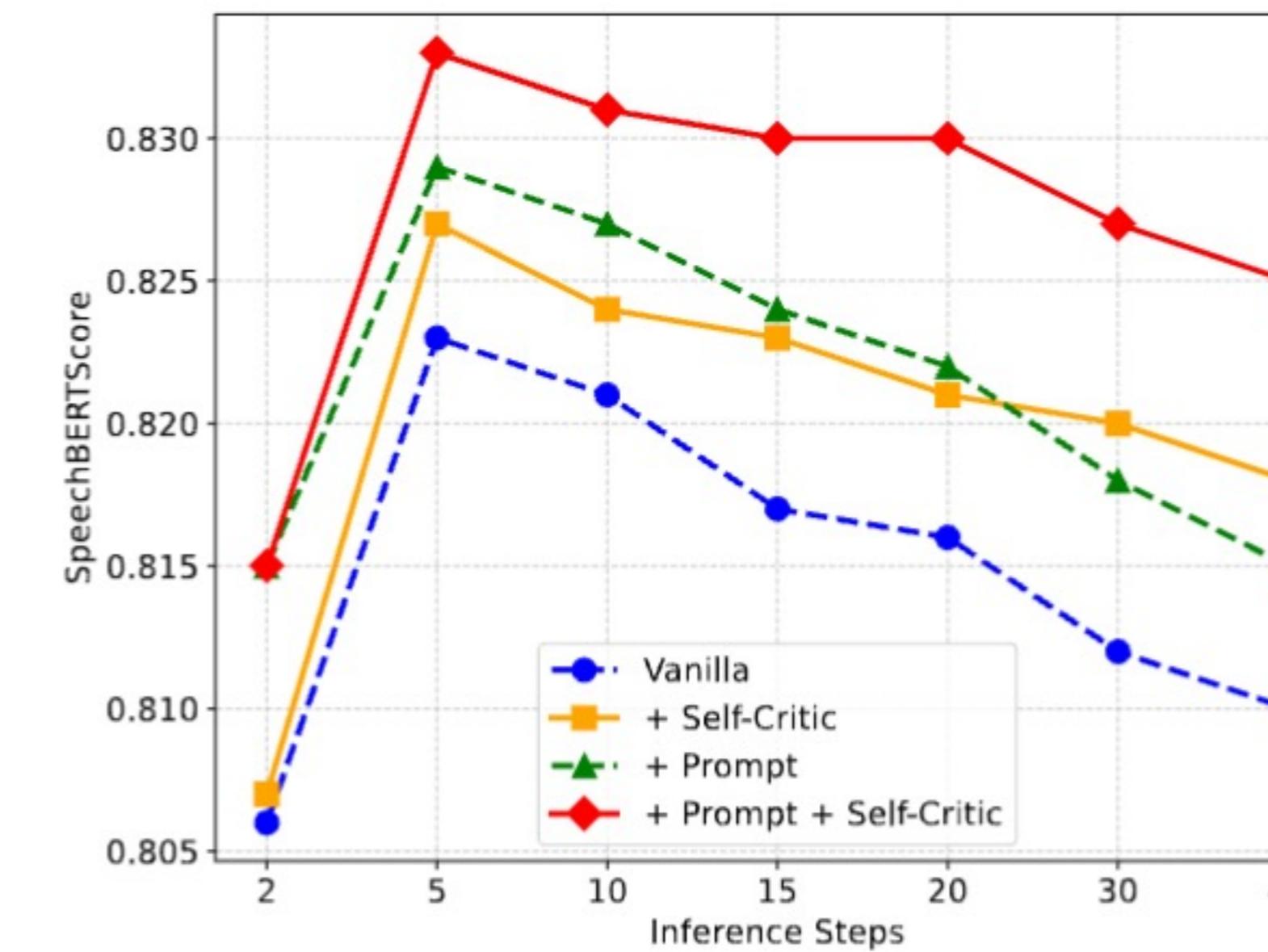
Dataset	+ Improved Simulation	+ Singing Voice Data	SIG↑	BAK↑	OVRL↑	NISQA↑	SpeechBERTScore↑	Similarity↑
CCMusic GSR	✗	✗	2.981	3.736	2.542	2.916	0.559	0.776
	✓	✗	3.17	3.77	2.75	3.406	0.598	0.839
	✗	✓	3.144	3.537	2.694	3.124	0.739	0.863
	✓	✓	3.213	3.647	2.809	3.358	0.759	0.889

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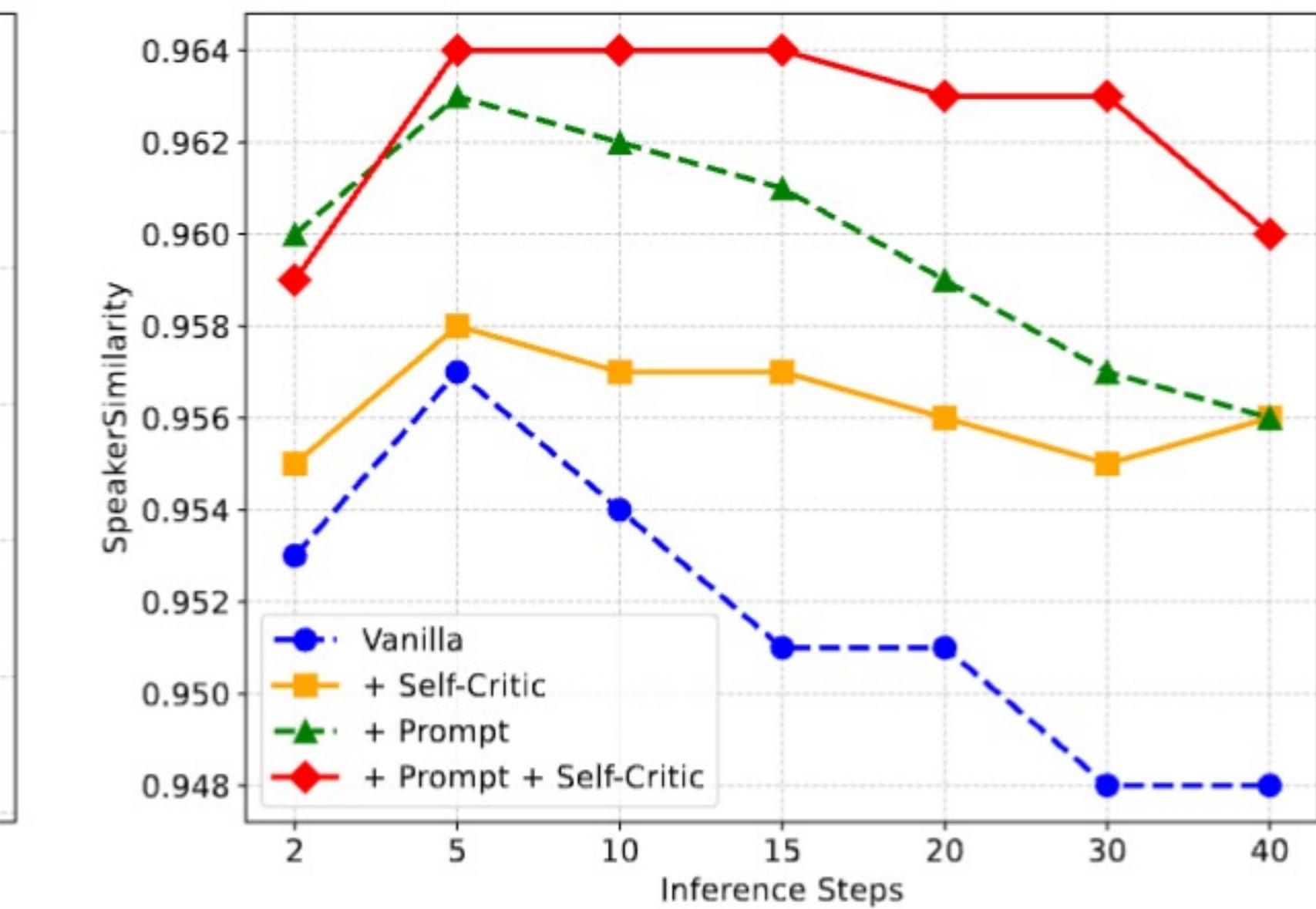
Ablation:
Self-Critic Effect
+ Prompt Guidance



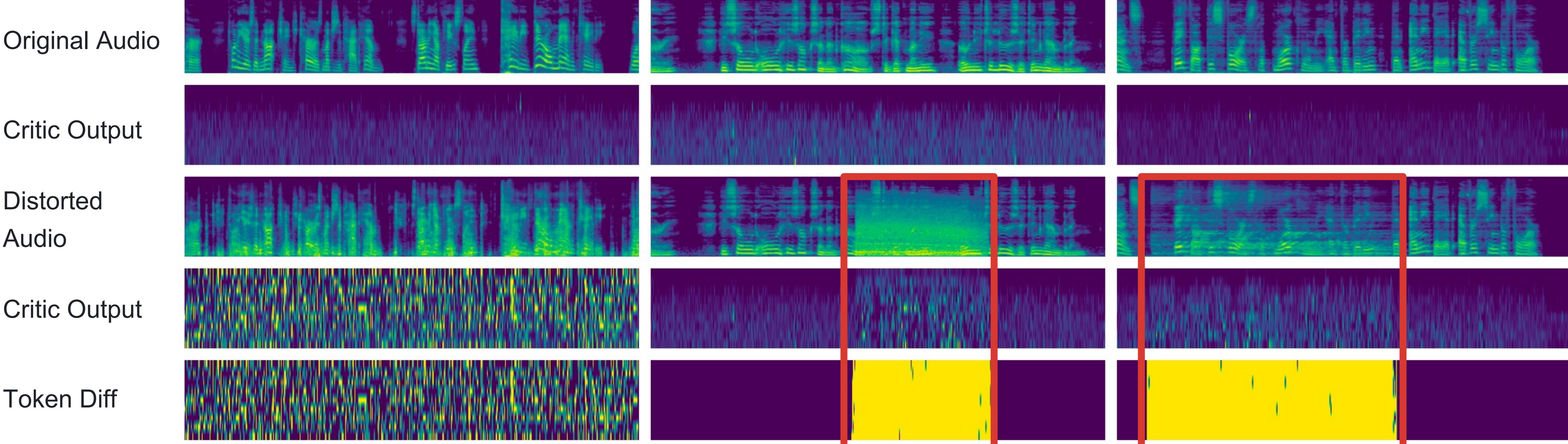
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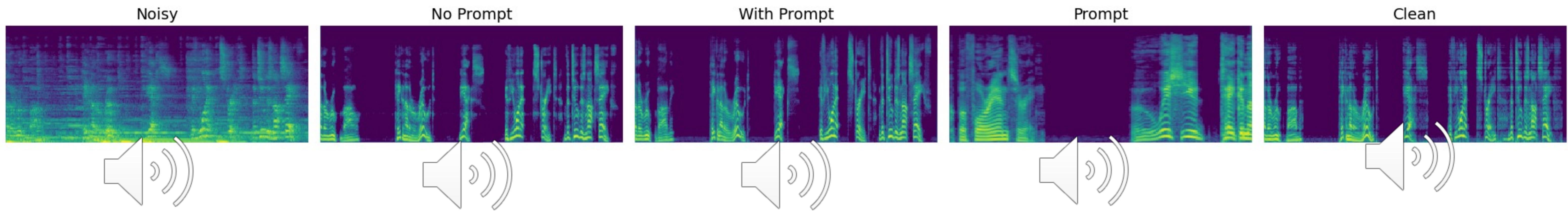
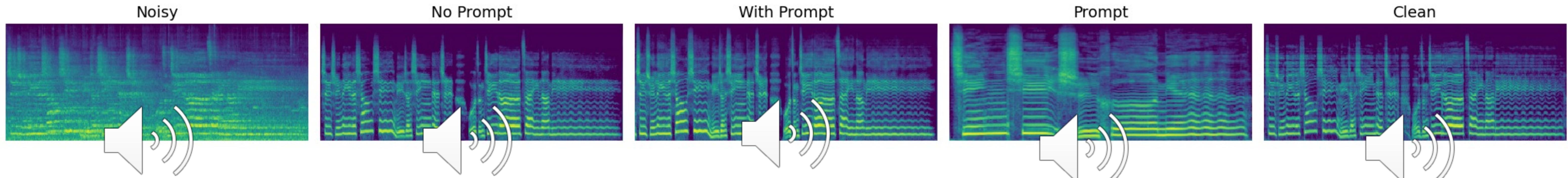
(b) SpeechBERTScore



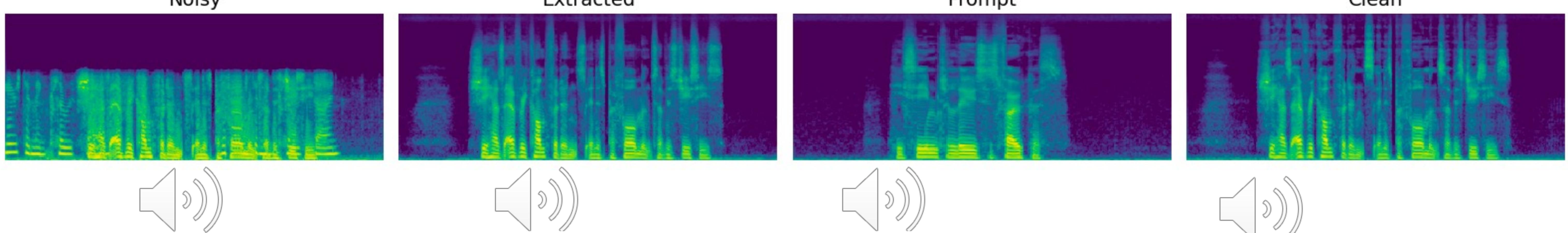
(c) Speaker Similarity



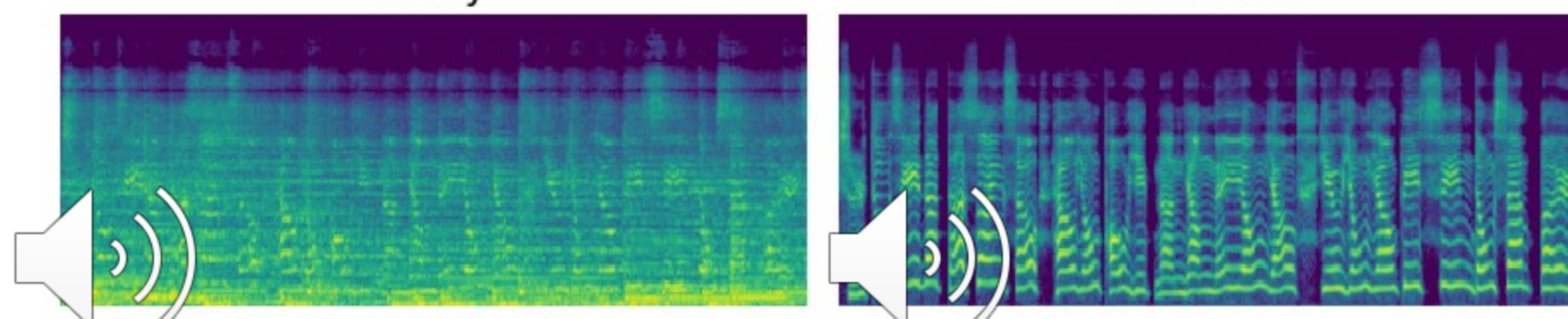
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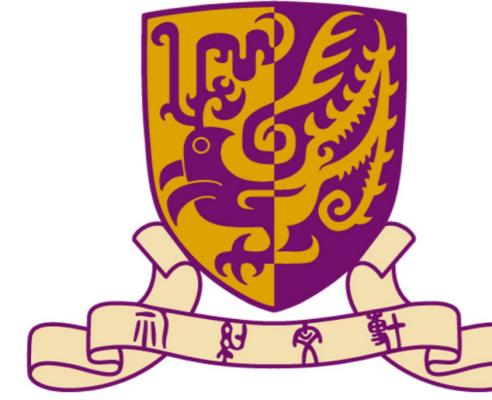


Target Speaker Extraction:



Real-World Live Performance:





Thanks!

- Paperlink: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2501.15417>
- Demopage: <https://amphionspace.github.io/anyenhance>

collaboration welcome!

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