
Model-Agnostic Meta-Learning for Fast Adaptation of Deep Networks

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→ Meta-learning: task data(x) : label(y)이 아닌 **task data(x): \emptyset** 을 학습함으로써 처음보는 task가 들어와도 빠르게 학습할 수 있음

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“Learn to learn”(메타러닝)을 통해
new task에 빠르게 적응(학습)하는
gradient based method

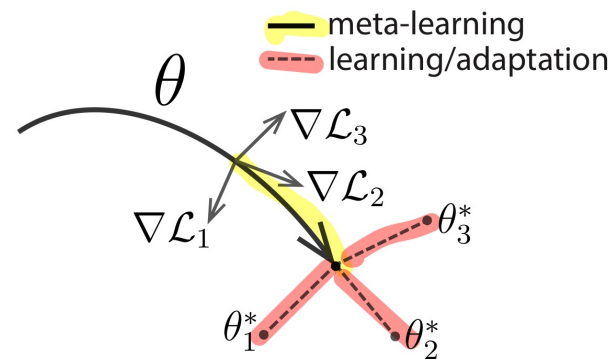


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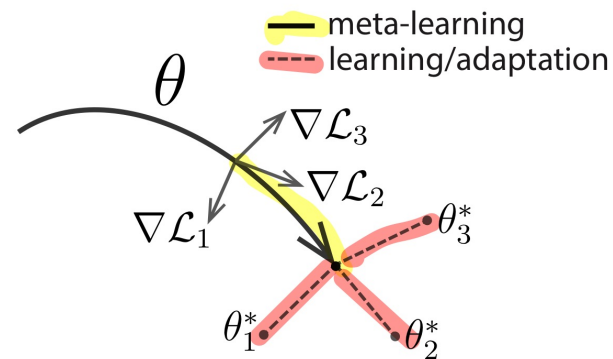


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Goal:

“train the model’s initial parameters for model performance on a new task after few parameter update(finetune) with a small amount of data from that new task.”

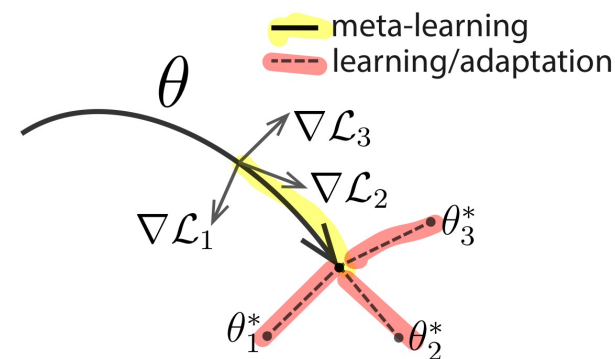
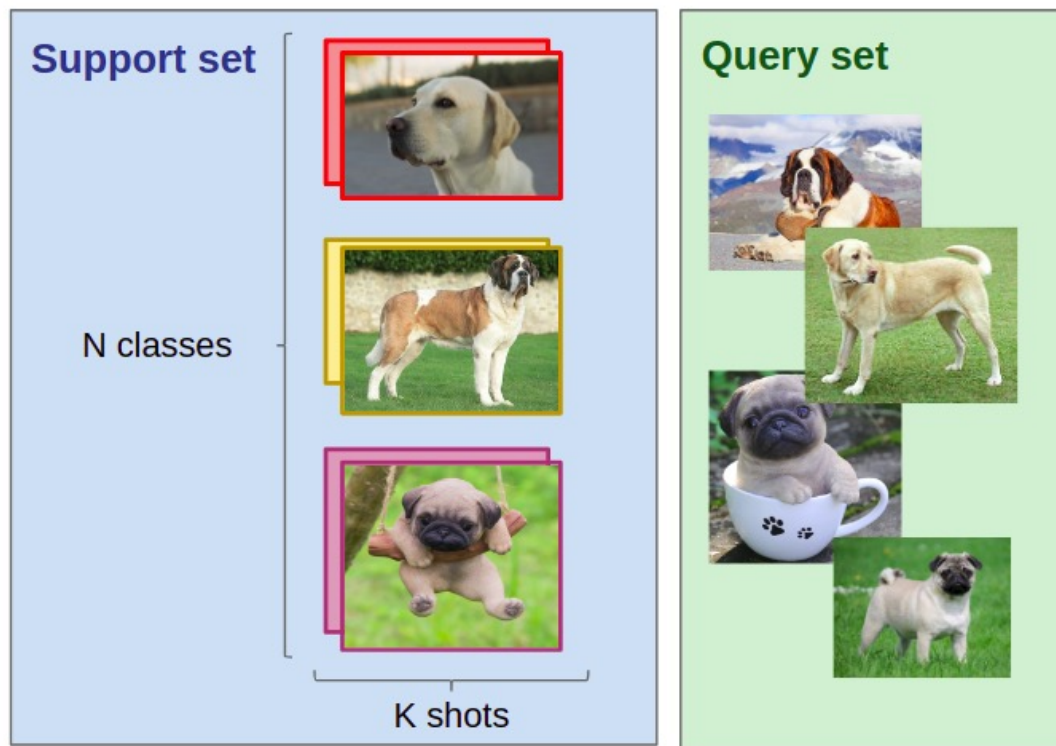


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N-shot K-way Learning : k 가 작으면 “few shot” learning



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메타 테스트

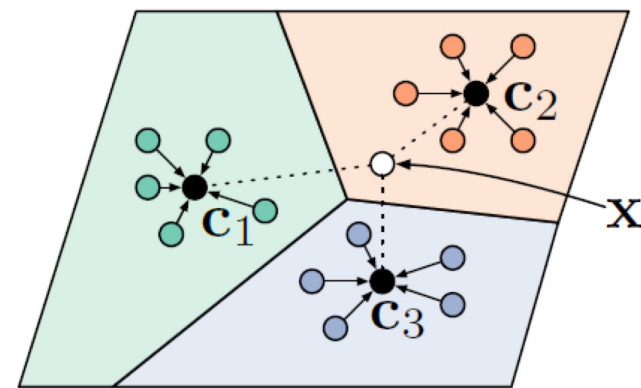


Meta learning: Support set(meta-train)과 전혀 상관없는 unseen class(new task)에 대해서도 잘하자

2/ MIL Related: meta learning methods

(1) Metric-based approach

- Meta learning phase의 훈련데이터(meta train)를 임베딩(mapping: θ)
- New task(새로운 데이터)가 들어오면 임베딩 시키고 가장 가까운 클래스로 배정



(a) Few-shot

(2) Optimization-based approach

- Meta train을 통해 학습하는 법을 배움(learn to optimize parameter: θ)
- MAML

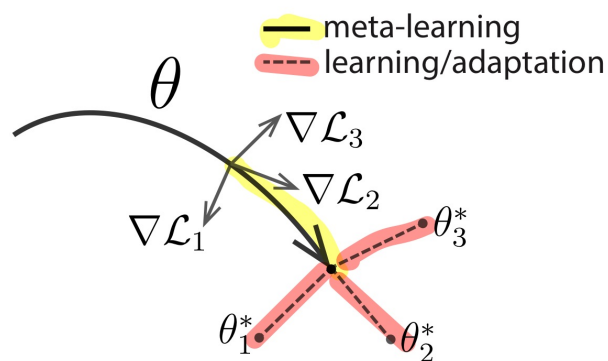
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→ “maximizing the **sensitivity** of the loss functions of new tasks with respect to the parameters”

Sensitivity?: 해당 task에 대해 매우 약간의 변화(update)만으로 큰 변화(loss 차이)

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Sensitivity한(easy to fine-tune) initial parameter θ 를 찾자

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Require: α, β : step size hyperparameters

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 - 2: **while** not done **do**
 - 3: Sample batch of tasks $\mathcal{T}_i \sim p(\mathcal{T})$
 - 4: **for all** \mathcal{T}_i **do**
 - 5: Evaluate $\nabla_{\theta} \mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{T}_i}(f_{\theta})$ with respect to K examples
 - 6: Compute adapted parameters with gradient descent: $\theta'_i = \theta - \alpha \nabla_{\theta} \mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{T}_i}(f_{\theta})$
 - 7: **end for**
 - 8: Update $\theta \leftarrow \theta - \beta \nabla_{\theta} \sum_{\mathcal{T}_i \sim p(\mathcal{T})} \mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{T}_i}(f_{\theta'_i})$
 - 9: **end while**
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Adaptation: $\phi_i \leftarrow \theta - \alpha \nabla_{\theta} L(\theta, D_i^{tr})$

Meta-learning: $\theta \leftarrow \theta - \beta \nabla_{\theta} \sum L(\phi_i, D_i^{test})$

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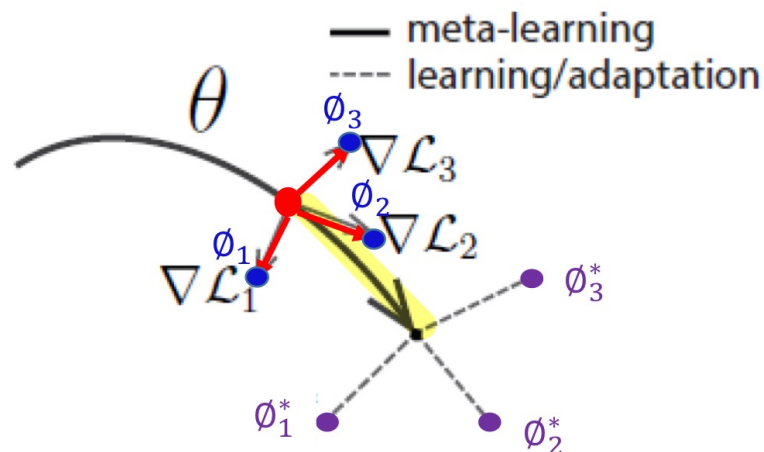
θ 를 ϕ_i 의 weight initialization으로 사용

D_i^{tr} 의 양이 적기 때문에 적은 update 만으로 $\theta \rightarrow \phi_i$

$$\theta \leftarrow \theta - \beta \nabla_{\theta} \sum L(\phi_i, D_i^{test})$$

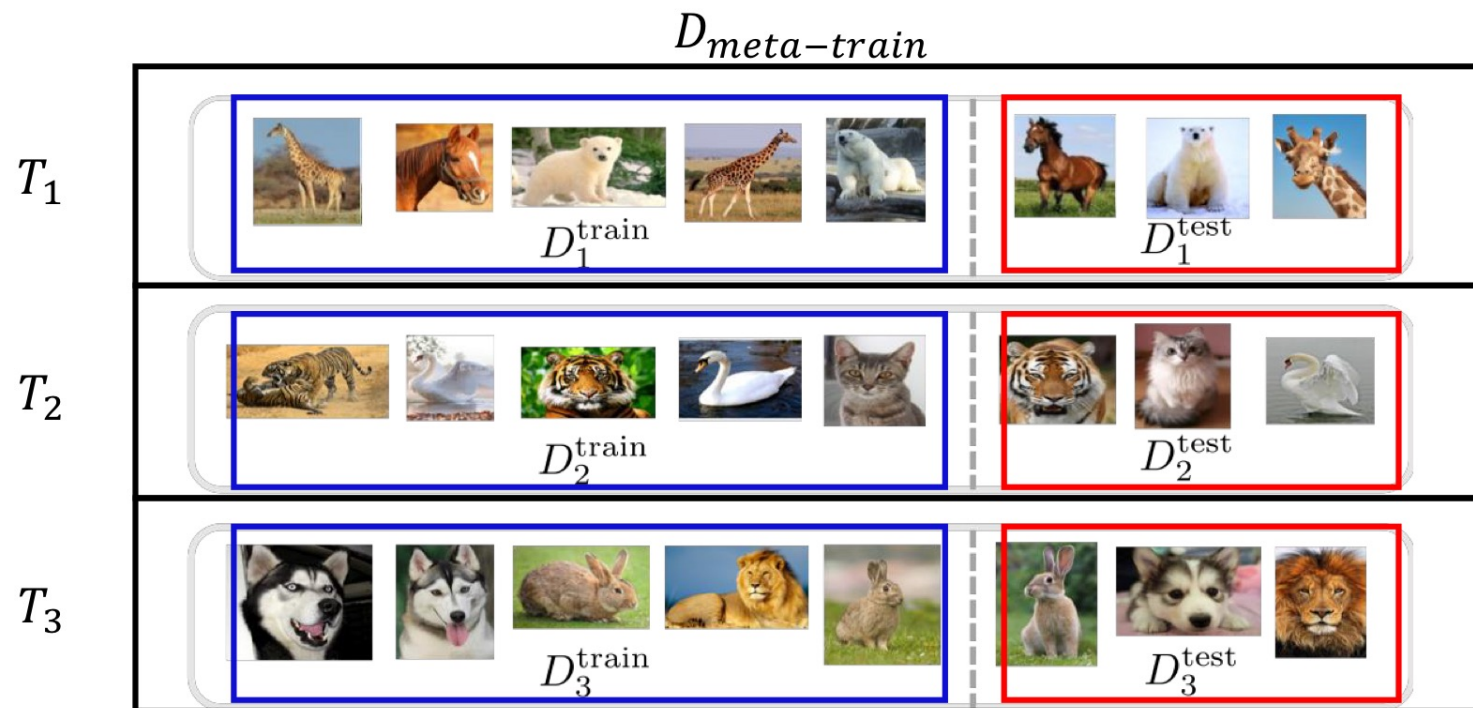
$L(\phi_i, D_i^{test})$ 가 최소인 경우는 $L(\phi_i^*, D_i^{test})$

즉 $\phi_i = \phi_i^*$ 가 되는 방향으로 θ 를 업데이트

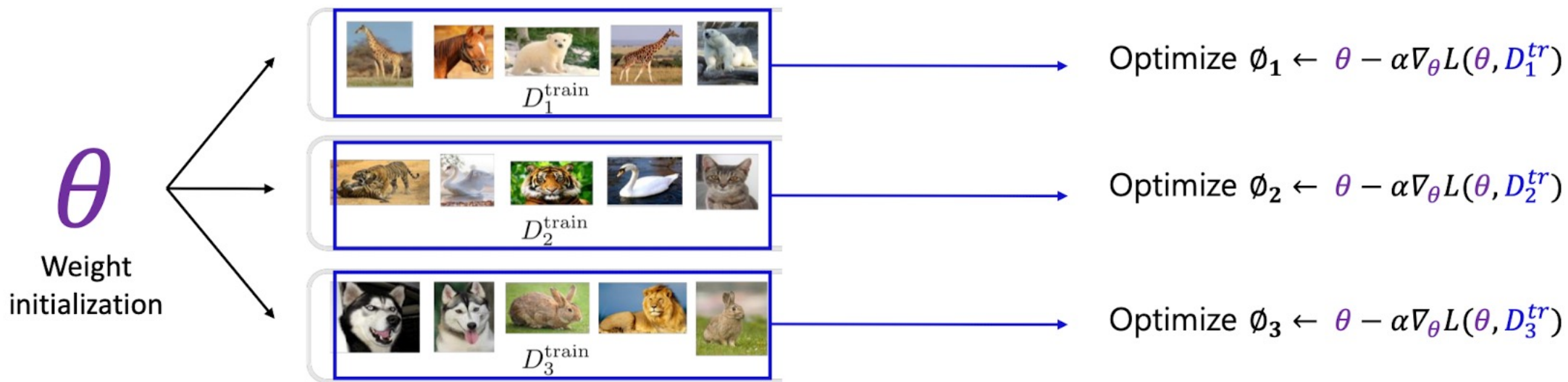


즉, 적은 update 만으로 ϕ_i^* 를 구할 수 있는 θ 를 찾는 것이 meta-learning의 목적

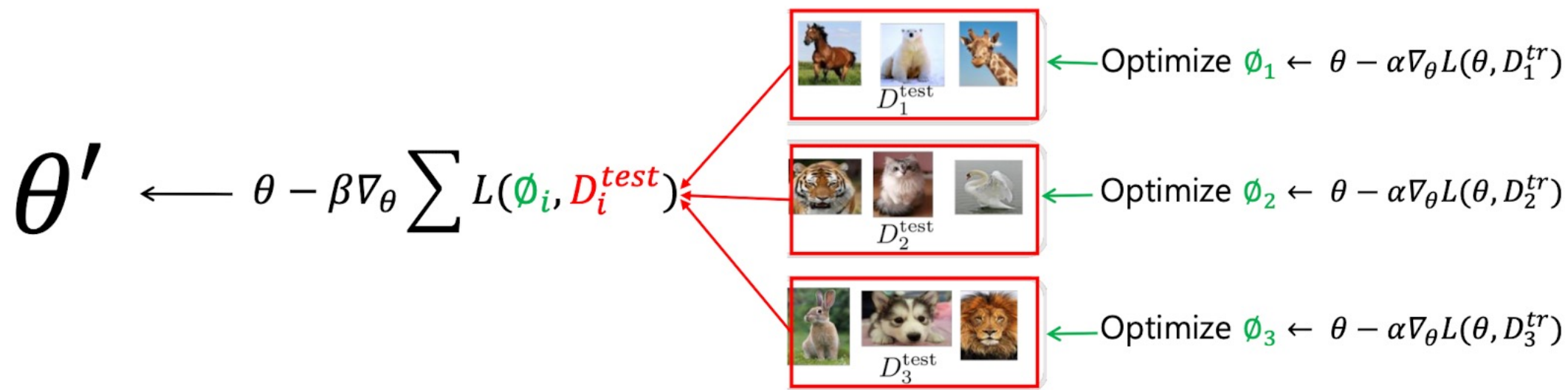
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ex) 5-way, 1-shot classification

New data : D_{train}^{new} , D_{test}^{new}



optimize $\phi_{new} \leftarrow \theta - \alpha \nabla_{\theta} L(\theta, D_{train}^{new})$

$$\hat{y} = f_{\phi_{new}}(x_{test})$$

4 MIL Experiment

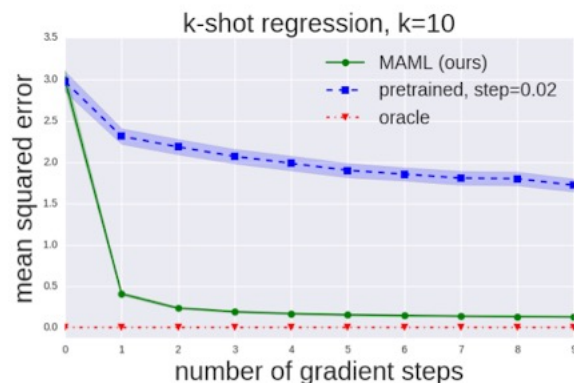


Figure 3. Quantitative sinusoid regression results showing the learning curve at meta test-time. Note that MAML continues to improve with additional gradient steps without overfitting to the extremely small dataset during meta-testing, achieving a loss that is substantially lower than the baseline fine-tuning approach.

	5-way Accuracy		20-way Accuracy	
	1-shot	5-shot	1-shot	5-shot
Omniglot (Lake et al., 2011)				
MANN, no conv (Santoro et al., 2016)	82.8%	94.9%	–	–
MAML, no conv (ours)	89.7 ± 1.1%	97.5 ± 0.6%	–	–
Siamese nets (Koch, 2015)	97.3%	98.4%	88.2%	97.0%
matching nets (Vinyals et al., 2016)	98.1%	98.9%	93.8%	98.5%
neural statistician (Edwards & Storkey, 2017)	98.1%	99.5%	93.2%	98.1%
memory mod. (Kaiser et al., 2017)	98.4%	99.6%	95.0%	98.6%
MAML (ours)	98.7 ± 0.4%	99.9 ± 0.1%	95.8 ± 0.3%	98.9 ± 0.2%

	5-way Accuracy	
	1-shot	5-shot
MiniImagenet (Ravi & Larochelle, 2017)		
fine-tuning baseline	28.86 ± 0.54%	49.79 ± 0.79%
nearest neighbor baseline	41.08 ± 0.70%	51.04 ± 0.65%
matching nets (Vinyals et al., 2016)	43.56 ± 0.84%	55.31 ± 0.73%
meta-learner LSTM (Ravi & Larochelle, 2017)	43.44 ± 0.77%	60.60 ± 0.71%
MAML, first order approx. (ours)	48.07 ± 1.75%	63.15 ± 0.91%
MAML (ours)	48.70 ± 1.84%	63.11 ± 0.92%

Algorithm 3 MAML for Reinforcement Learning

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 - 6: Evaluate $\nabla_\theta \mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{T}_i}(f_\theta)$ using \mathcal{D} and $\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{T}_i}$ in Equation 4
 - 7: Compute adapted parameters with gradient descent:
 $\theta'_i = \theta - \alpha \nabla_\theta \mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{T}_i}(f_\theta)$
 - 8: Sample trajectories $\mathcal{D}'_i = \{(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{a}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_H)\}$ using $f_{\theta'_i}$ in \mathcal{T}_i
 - 9: **end for**
 - 10: Update $\theta \leftarrow \theta - \beta \nabla_\theta \sum_{\mathcal{T}_i \sim p(\mathcal{T})} \mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{T}_i}(f_{\theta'_i})$ using each \mathcal{D}'_i and $\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{T}_i}$ in Equation 4
 - 11: **end while**
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