

Rethinking Domain Generalization for Face Anti-spoofing: Separability and Alignment

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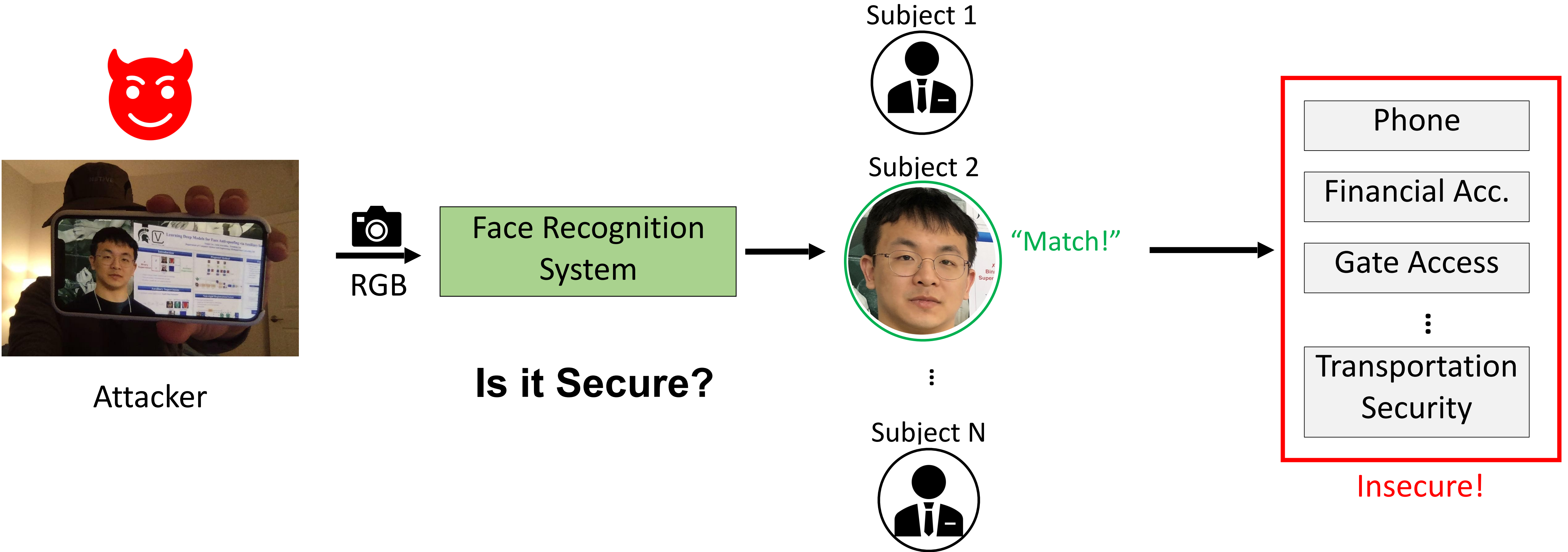


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Face Anti-spoofing (FAS) is Important!



Face Anti-spoofing (FAS) is Hard in the Wild

Different Cameras



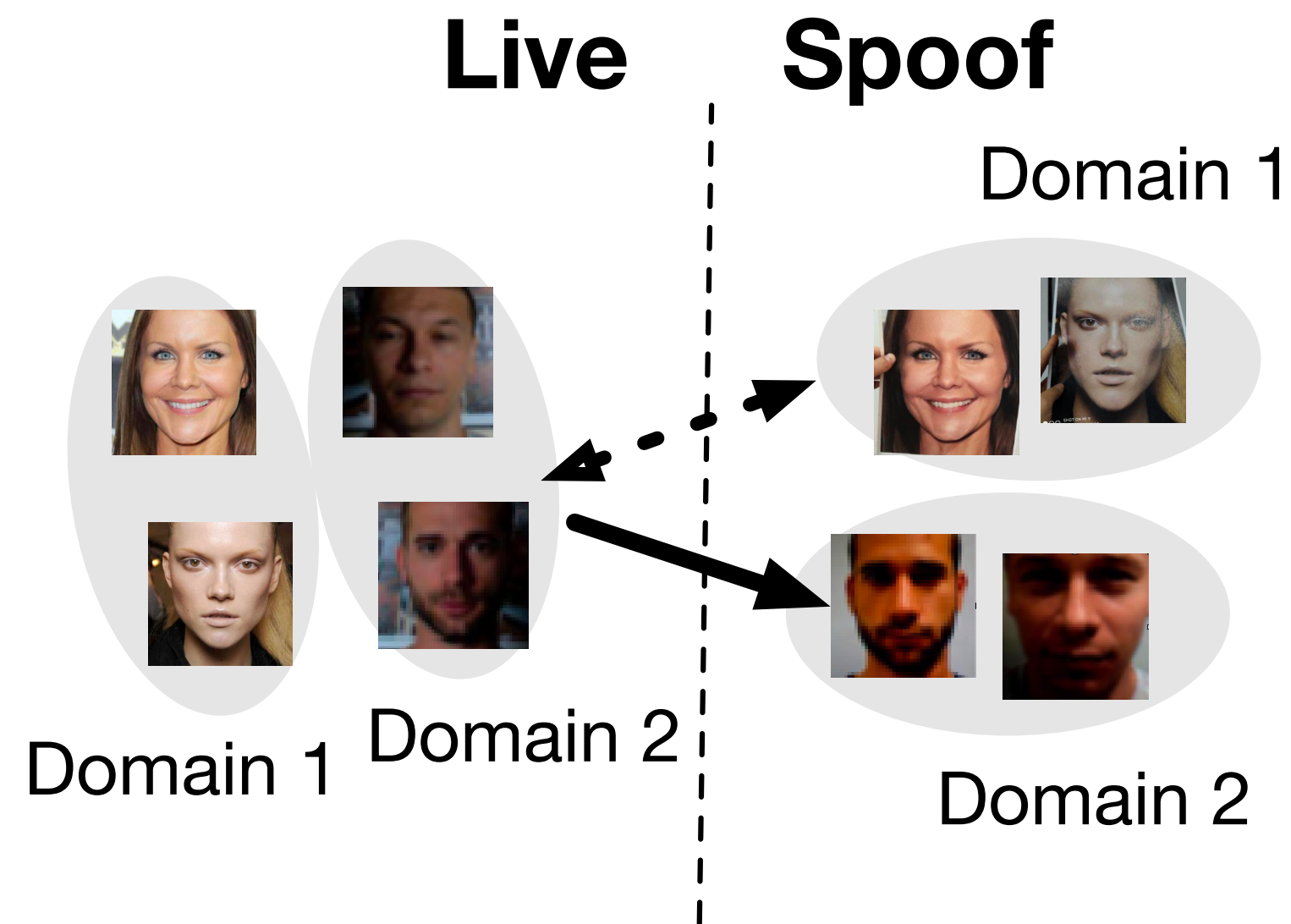
Different Environments



New Challenges: design algorithm well with **domain generalization!**

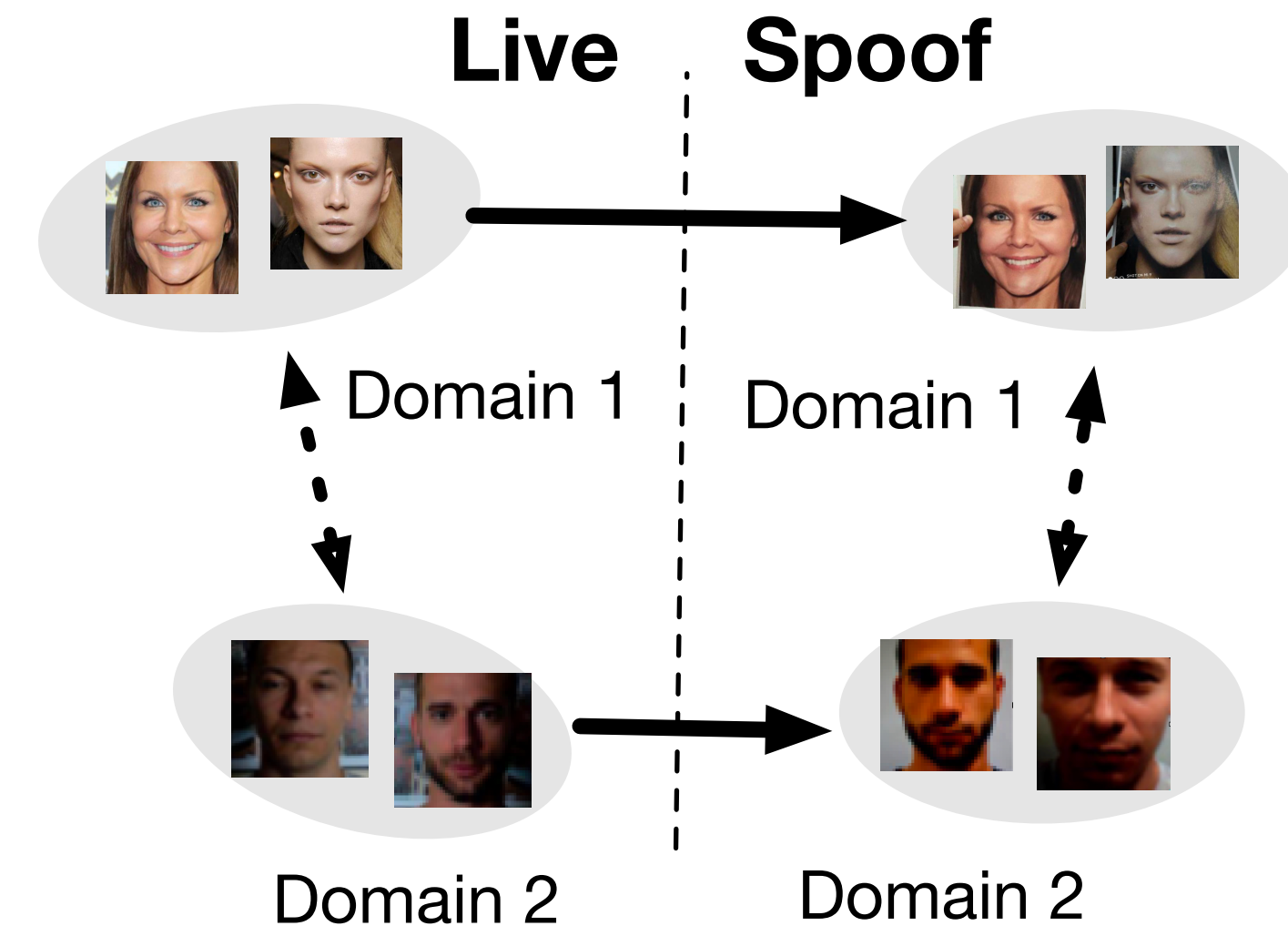
1-min Highlight: Motivation

Learns a Domain-invariant Live/Spoof Classifier



- Domain signal is **ignored**
- Live-to-spoof transition is **inconsistent**

Common Solutions:
SSDG (CVPR 2020) / SSAN (CVPR 2022)



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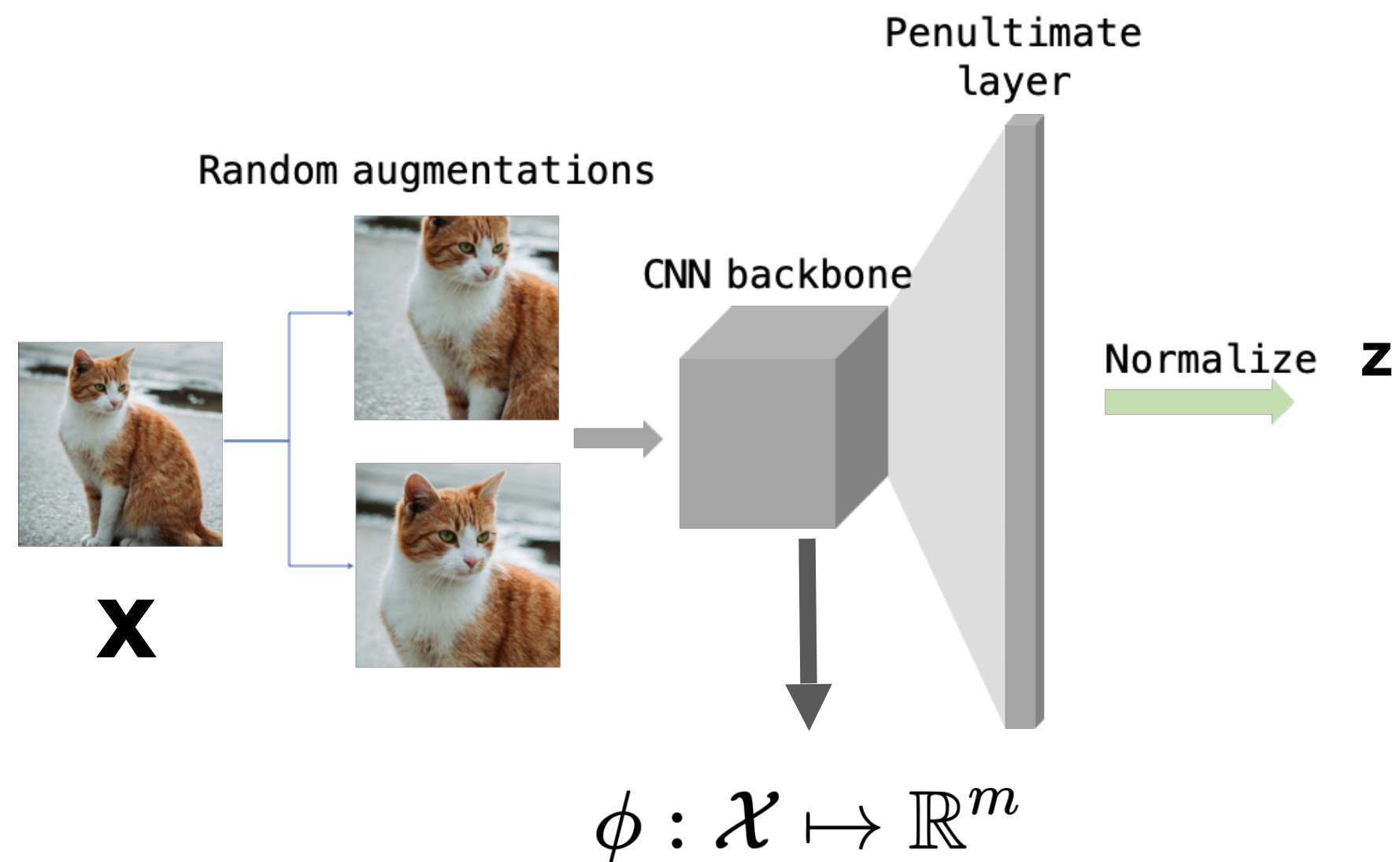
SAFAS (Our Solution)

1-min Highlight: Methodology

Separability (SupCon) and Alignment (IRM)

Challenge 1: Separability

Supervised Contrastive Learning (SupCon)



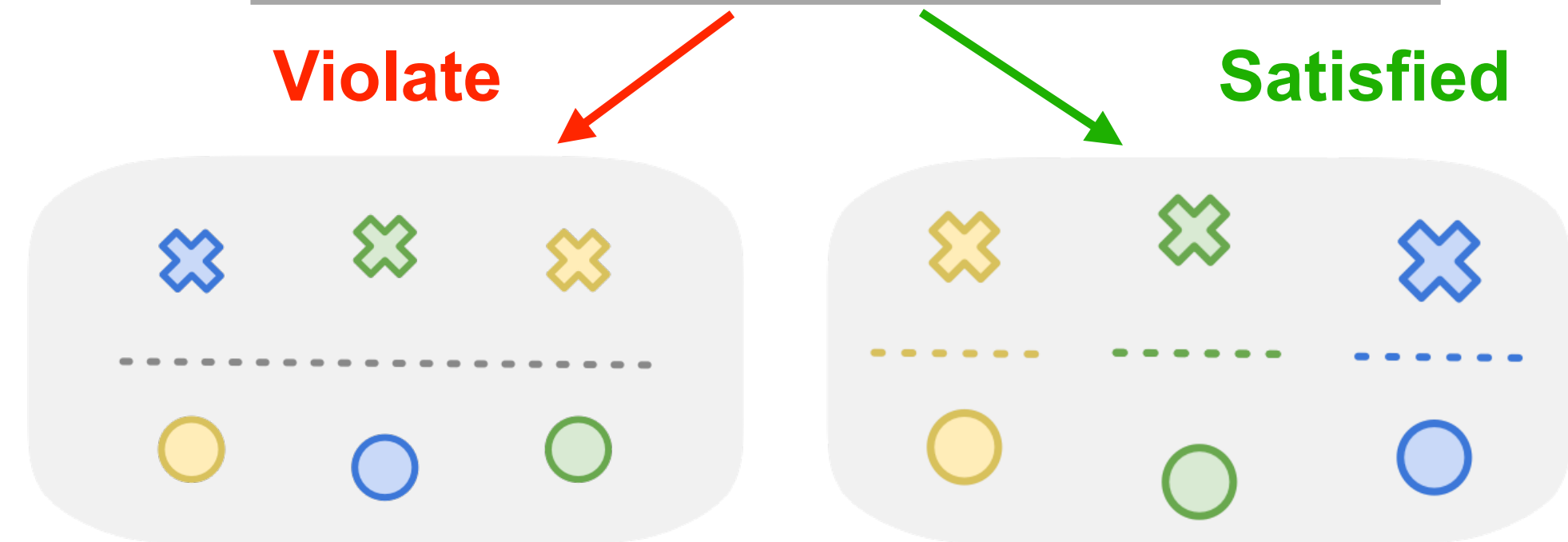
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Challenge 2: Alignment

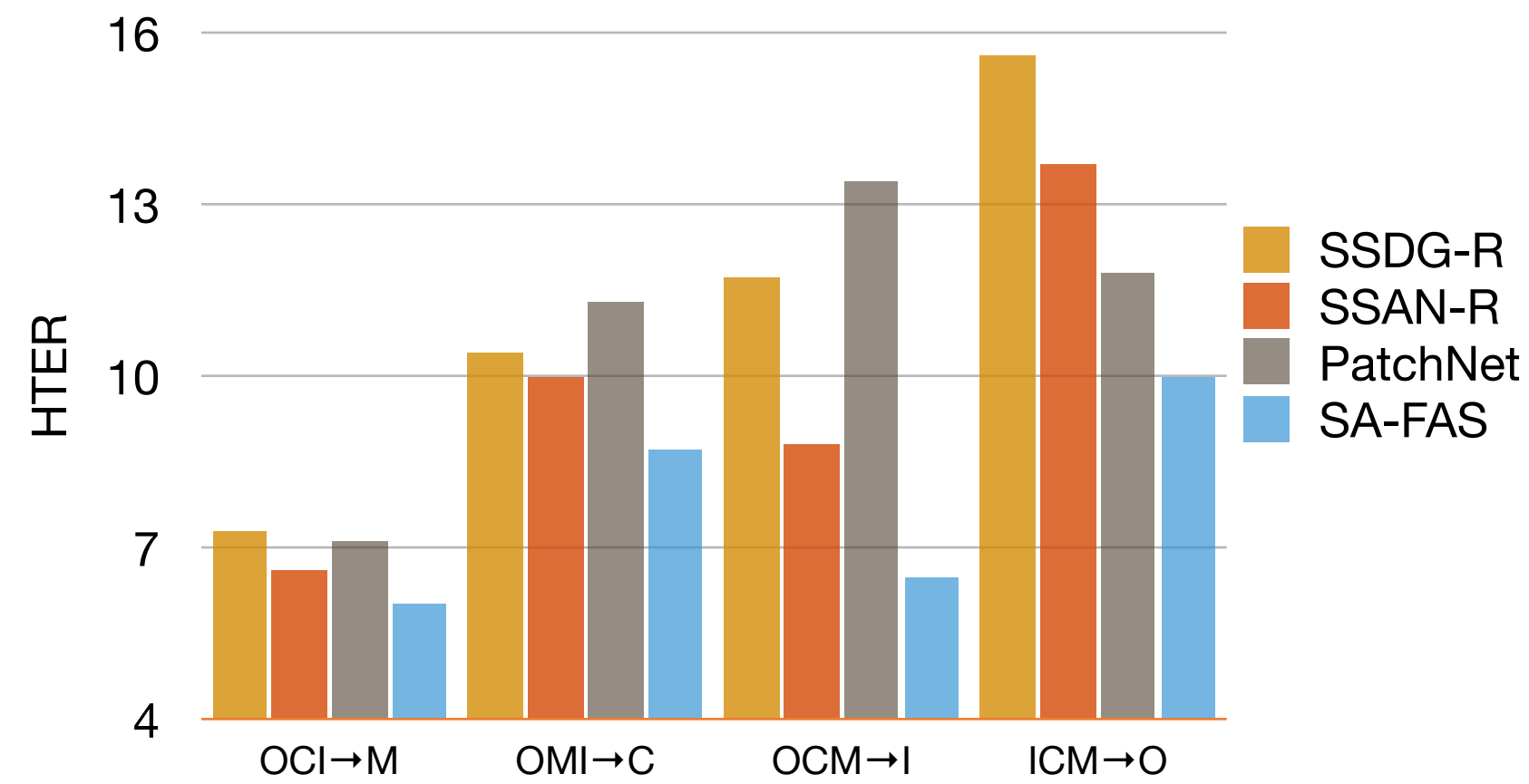
Invariant Risk Minimization (IRM)

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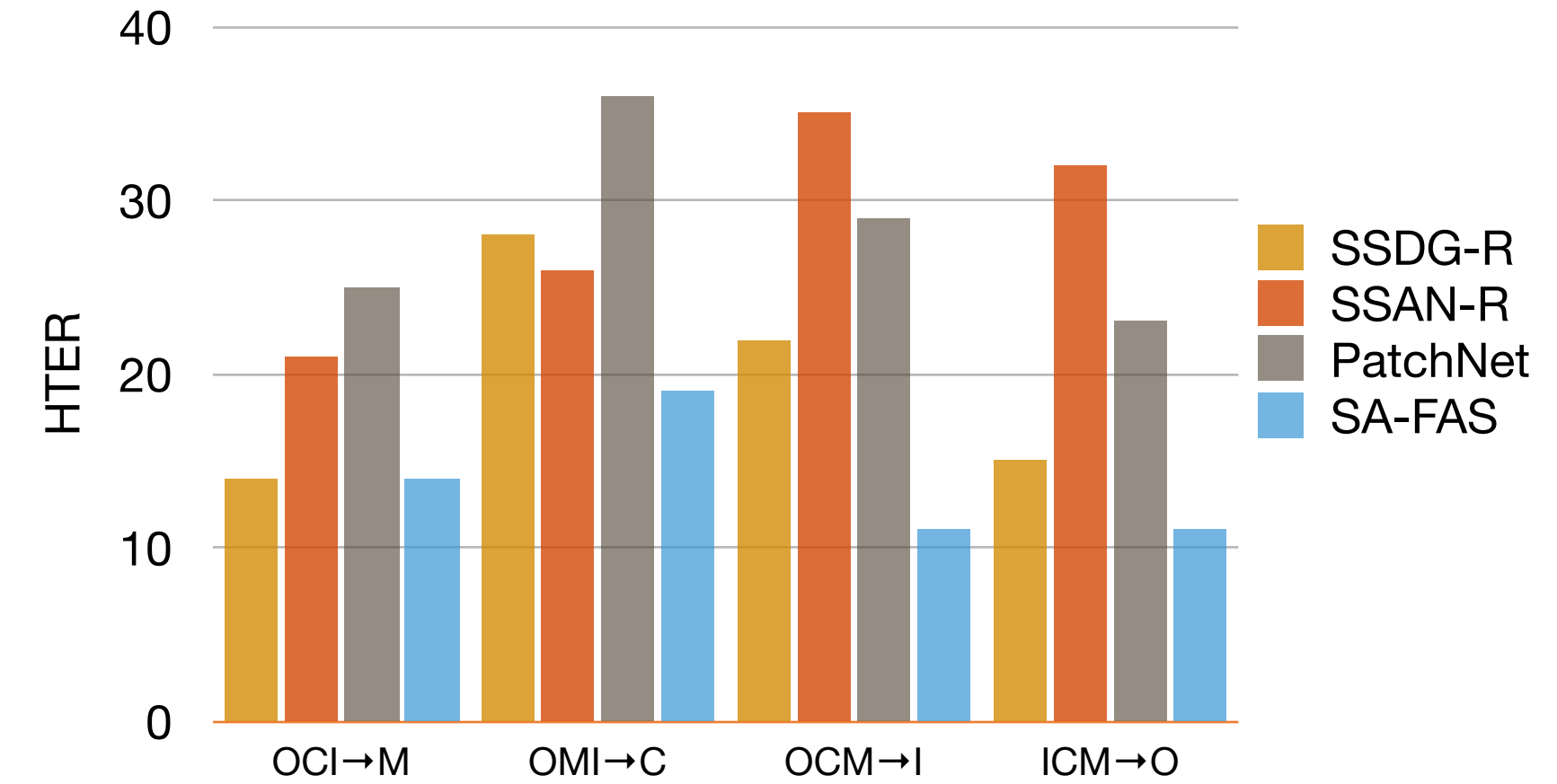
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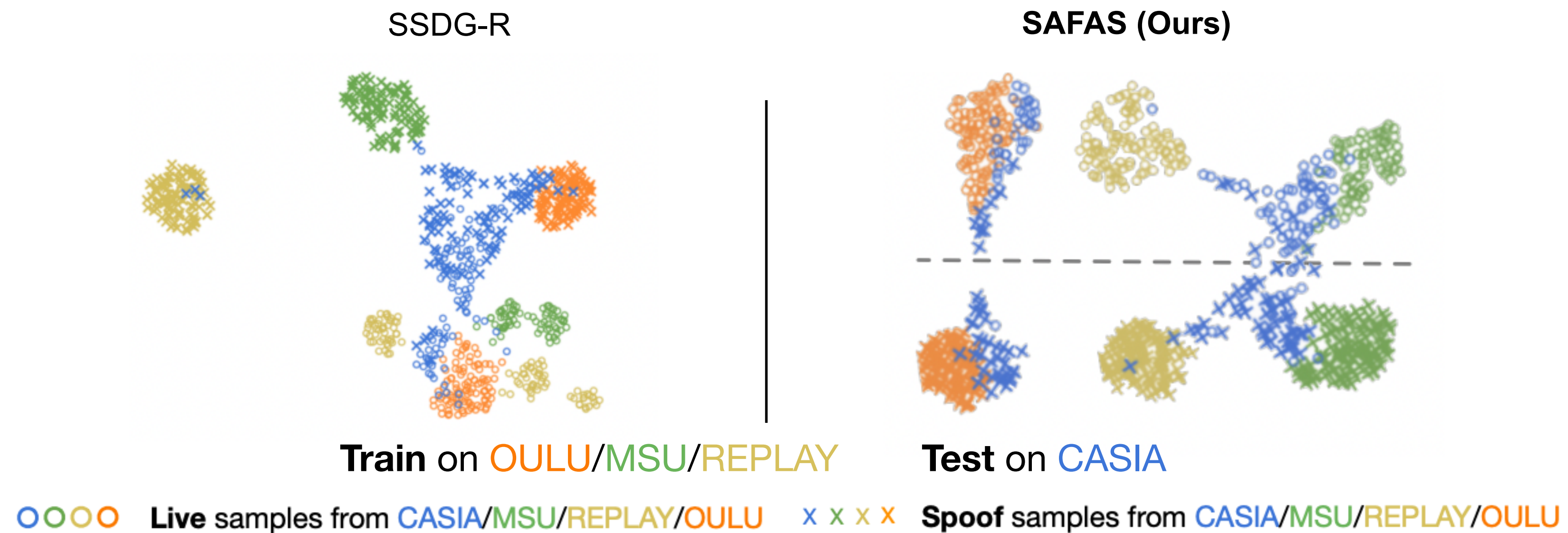
1-min Highlight: Experiment



(a) Comparison with Baselines (Best Possible Performance)



(b) Comparison with Baselines (Upon Convergence)



(c) Visualization of Feature Space

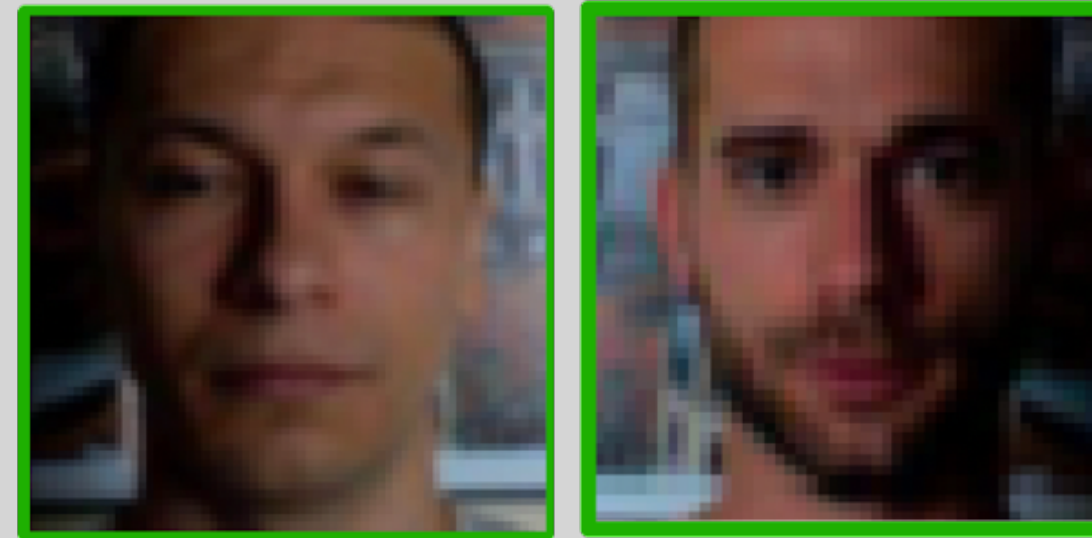
Problem Setting

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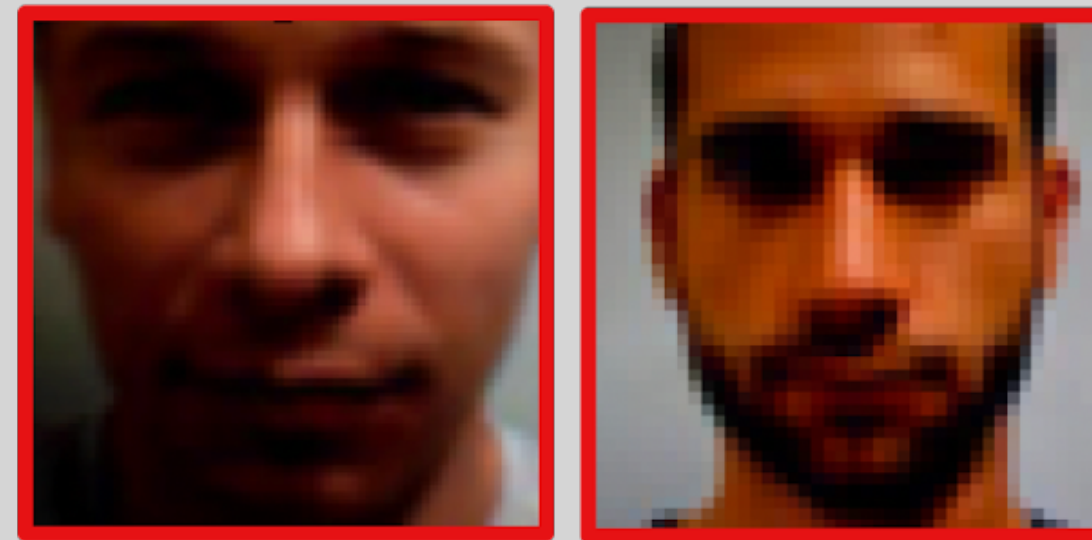
Domain 1

Domain 2

Live



Spoof

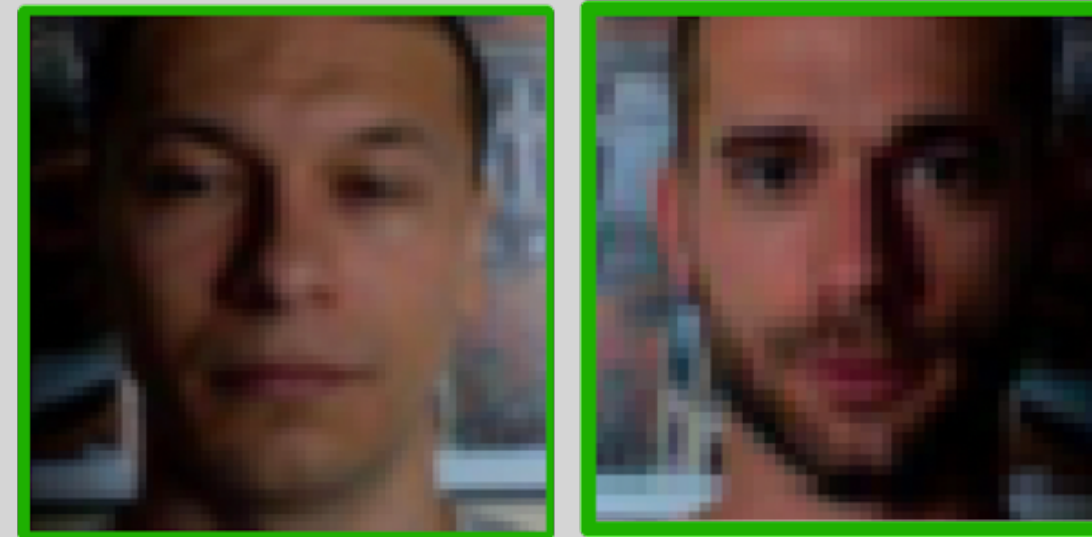


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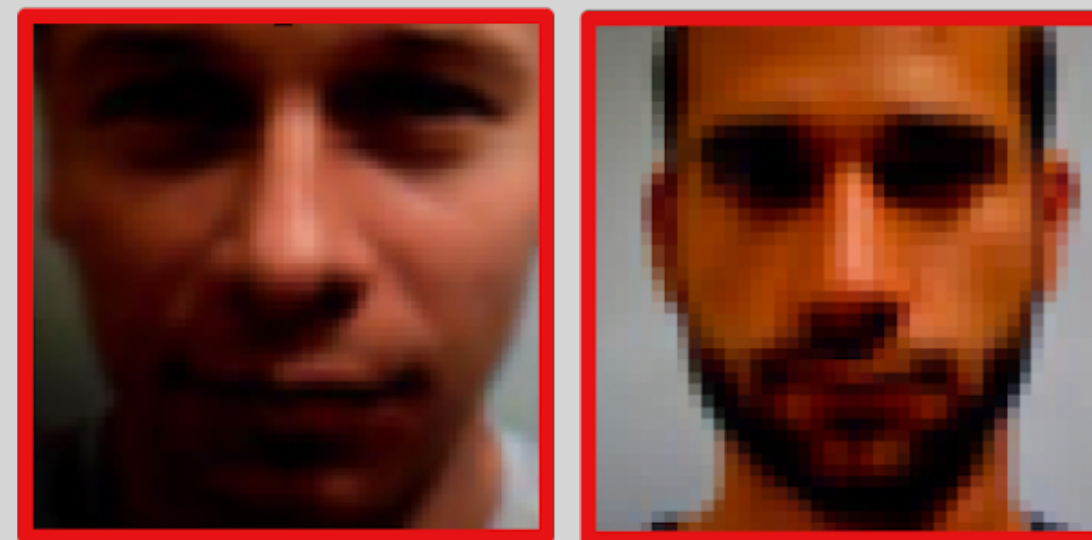
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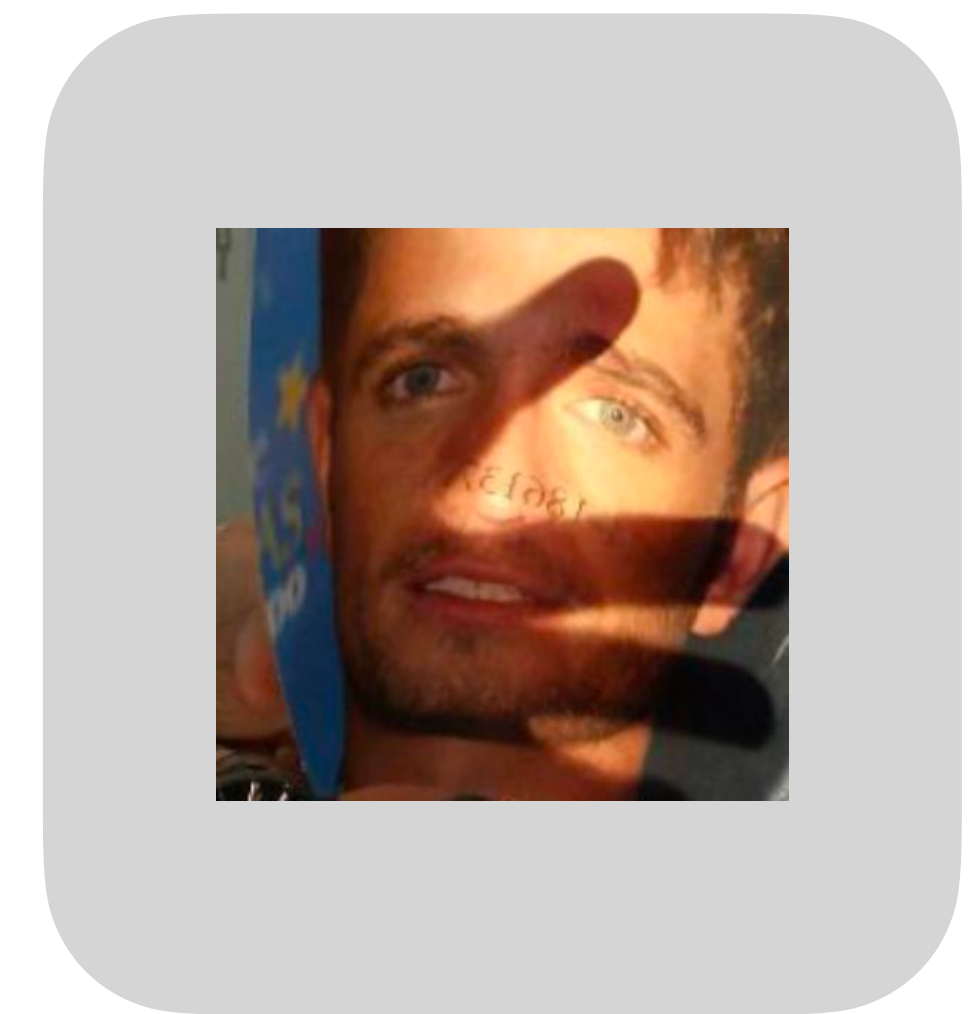


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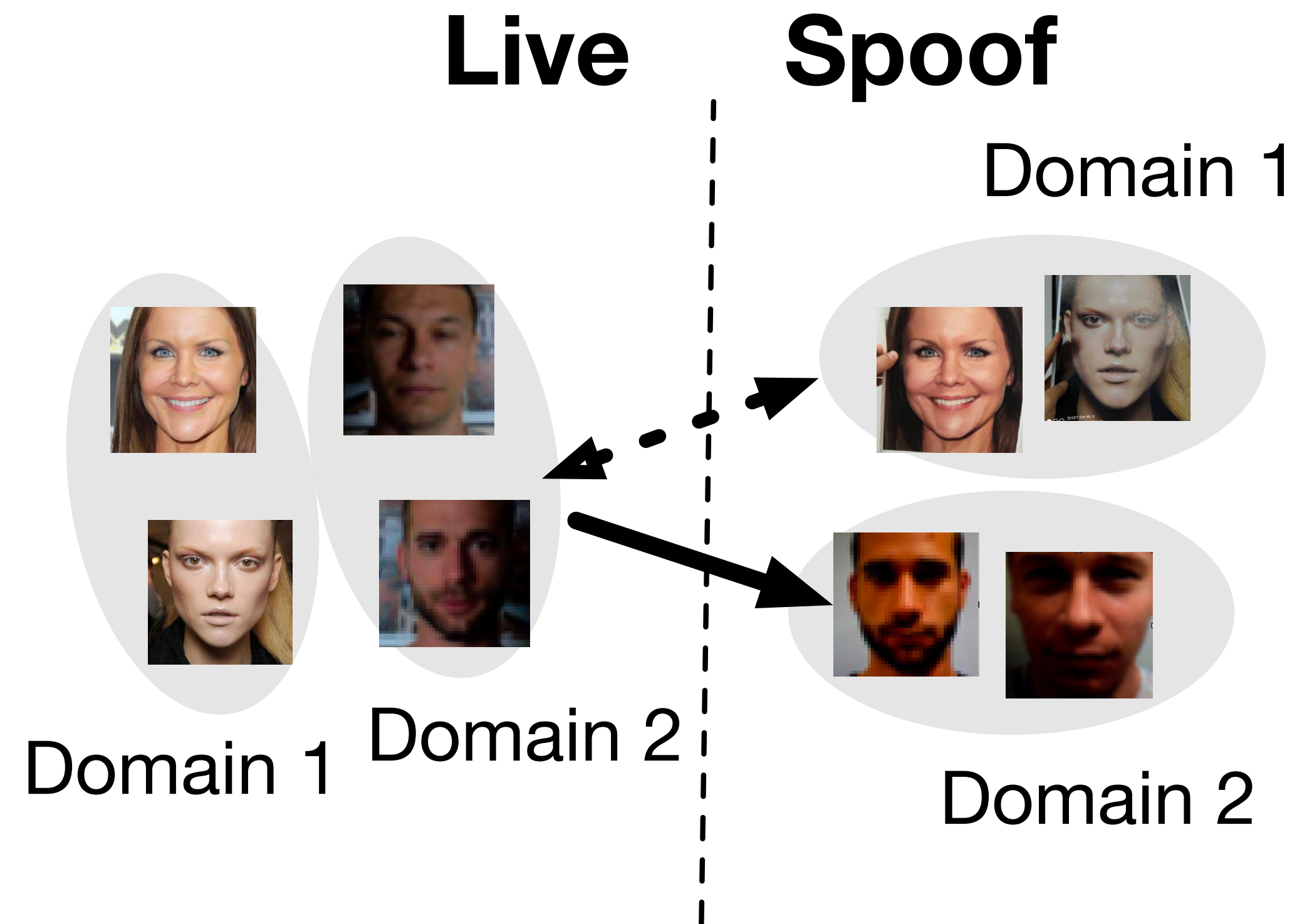
Test Data

Domain 3 (NEW)



live?spoof?

Prior Solutions for Cross-domain FAS



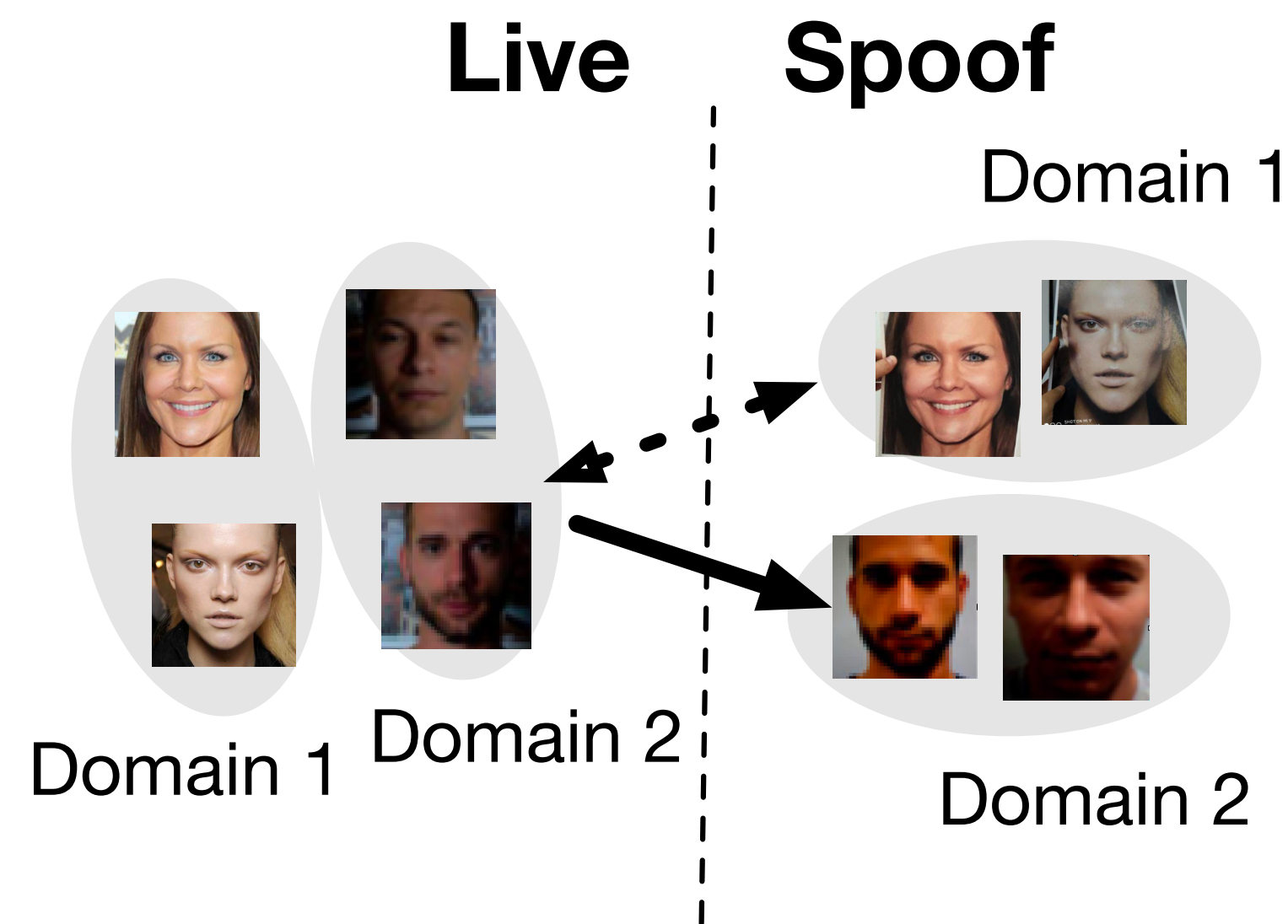
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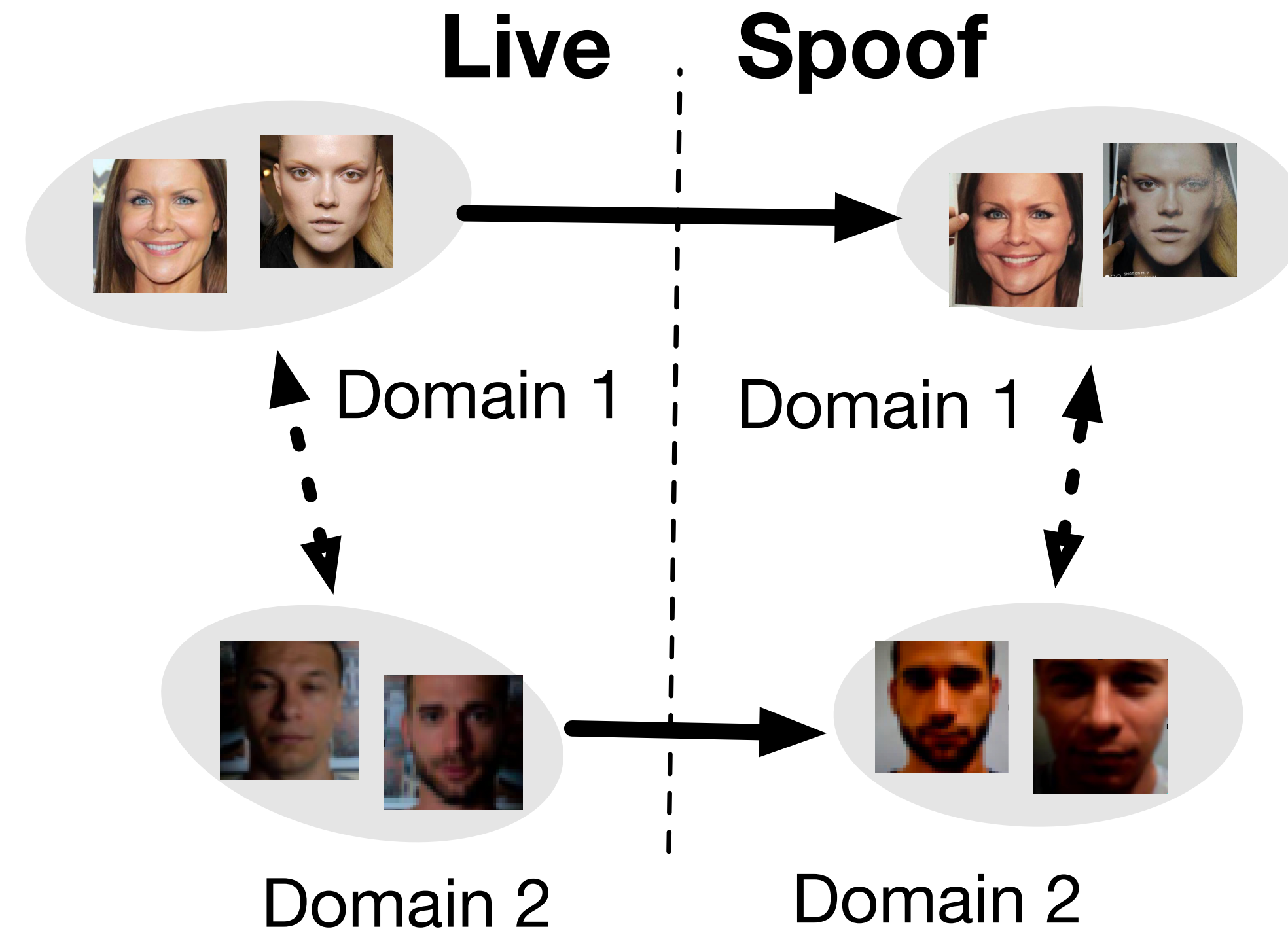
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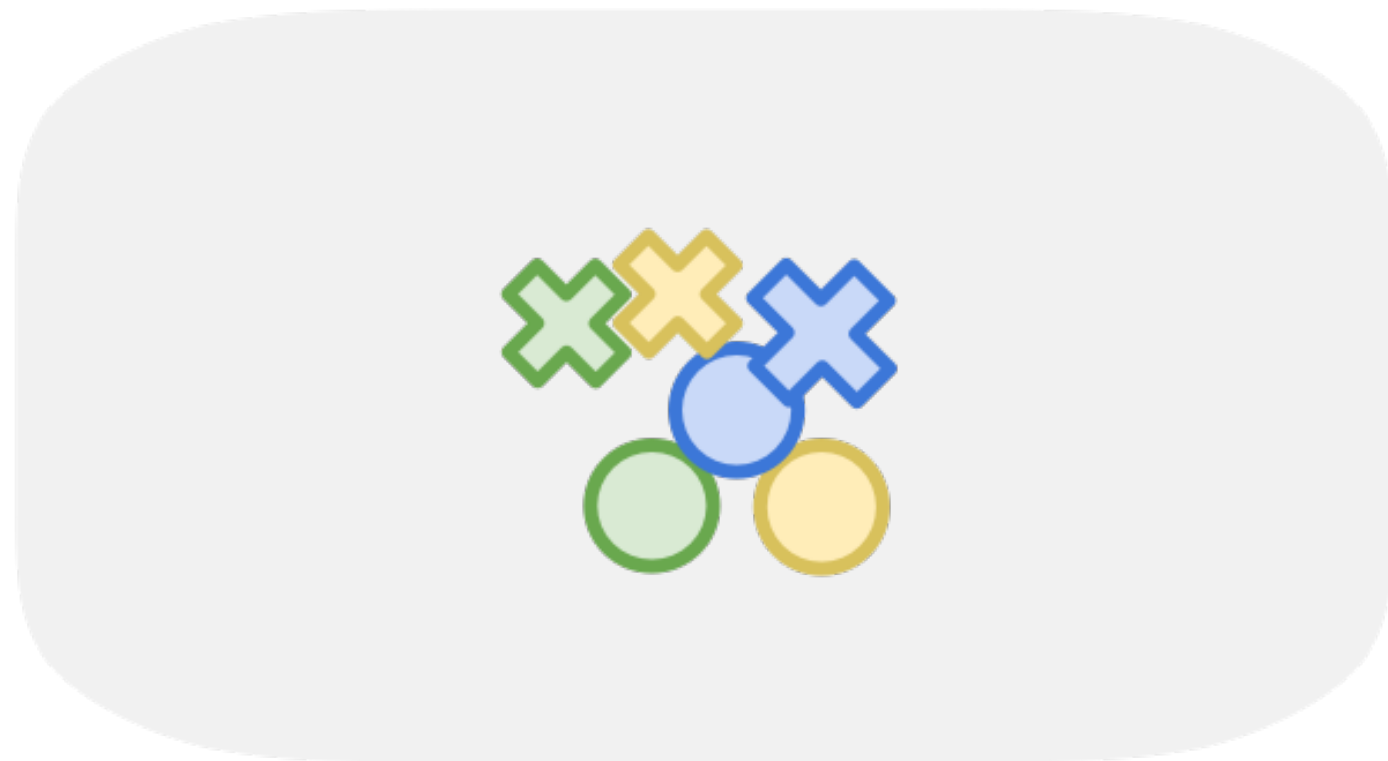


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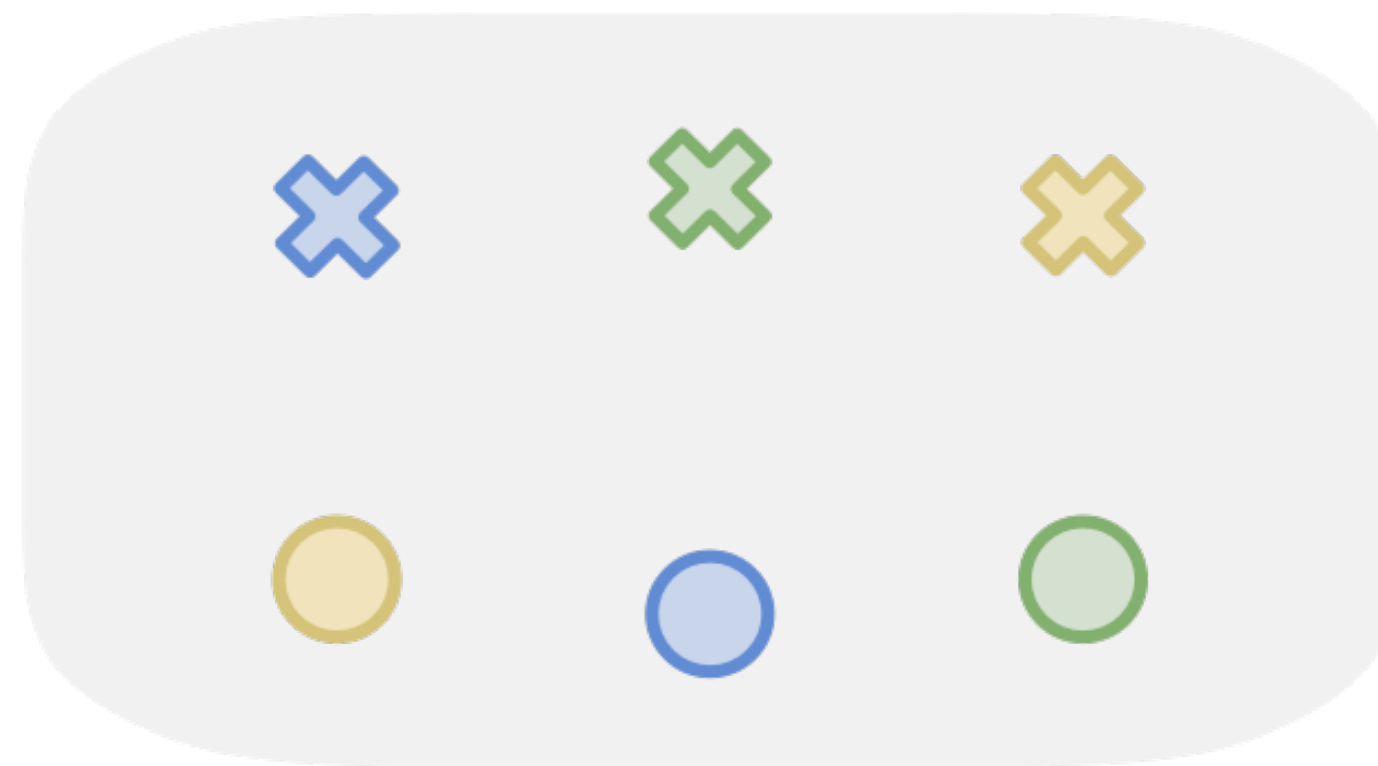
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How to Achieve the Ideal Feature Space?

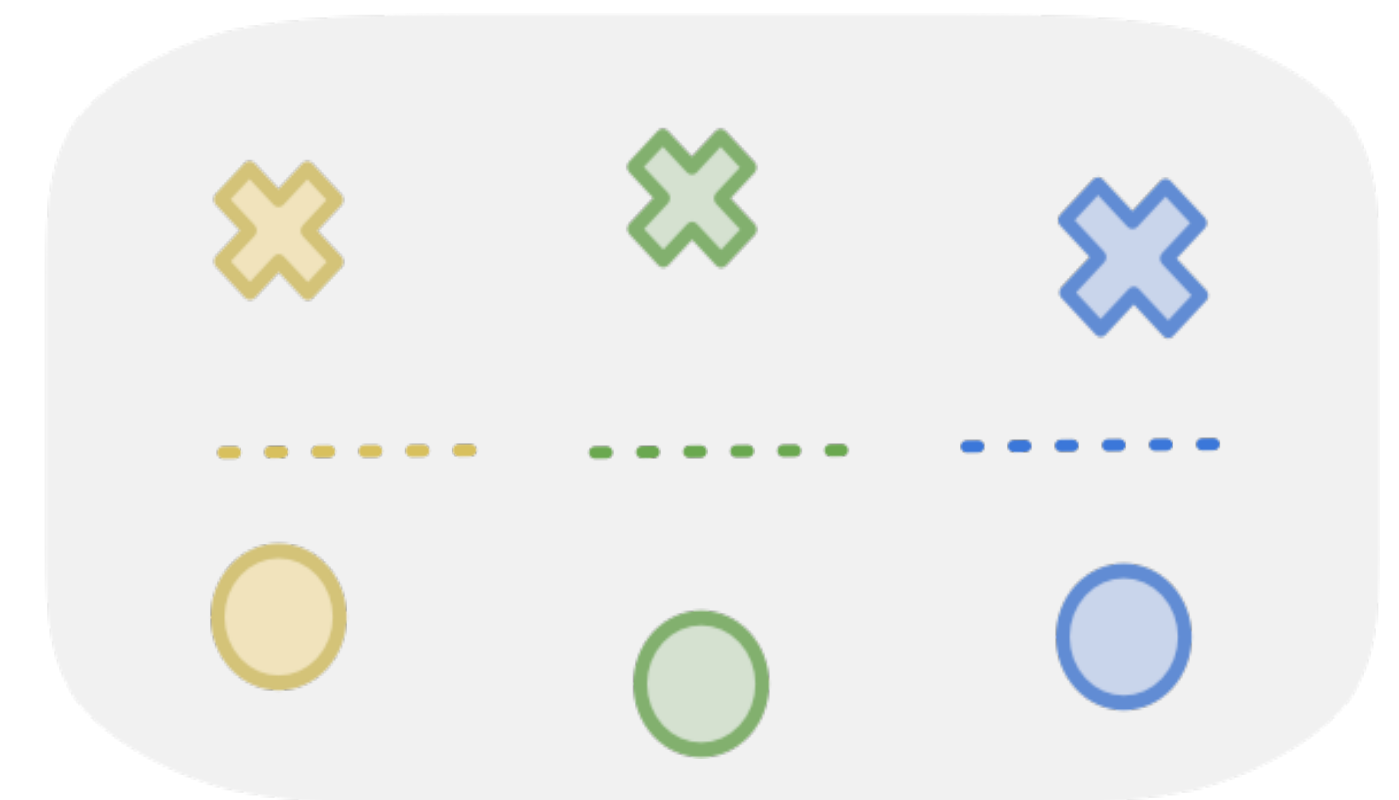
Two Key Challenges



Original Feature Space



Challenge 1:
Separate Feature Space

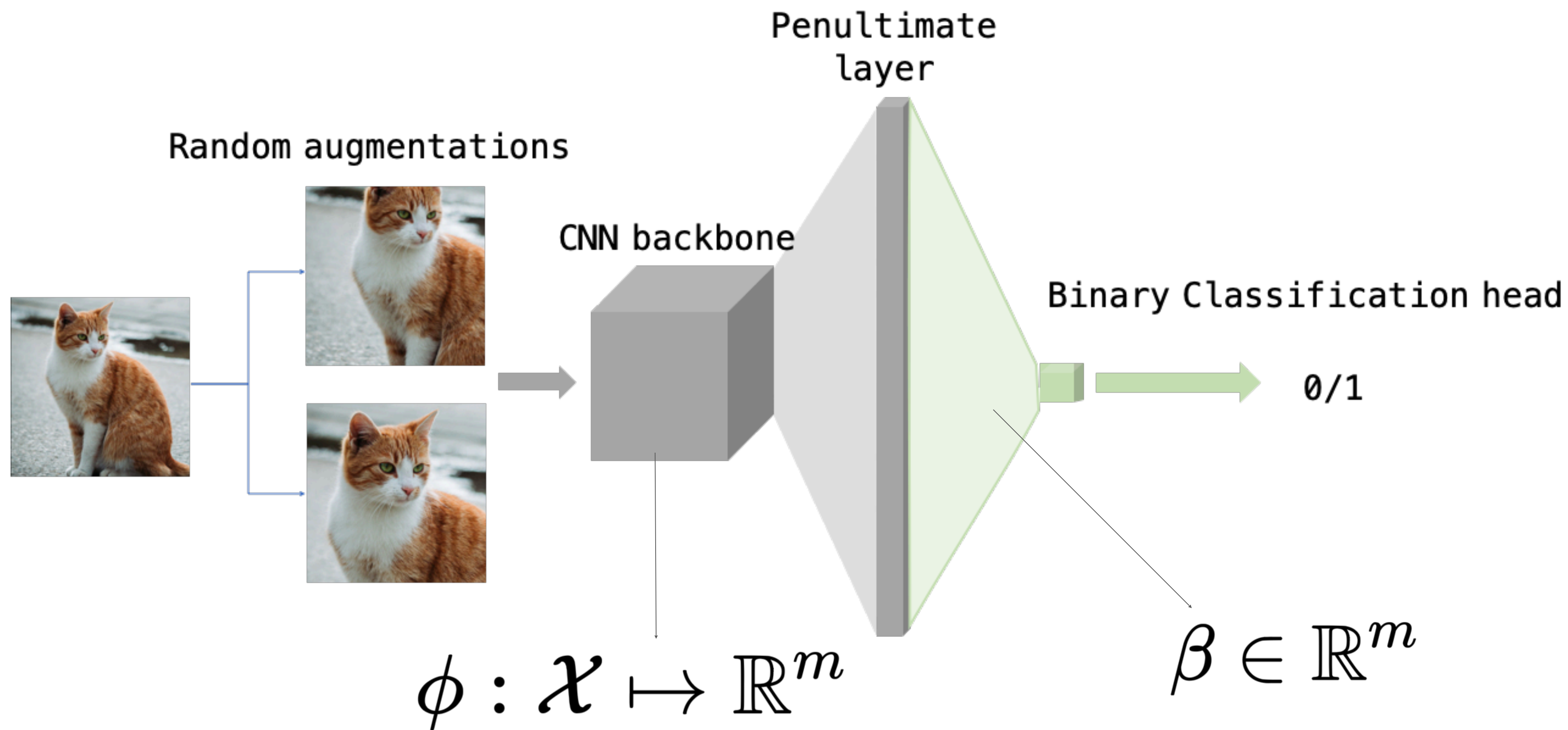


Challenge 2:
Align Live-to-spoof Transition

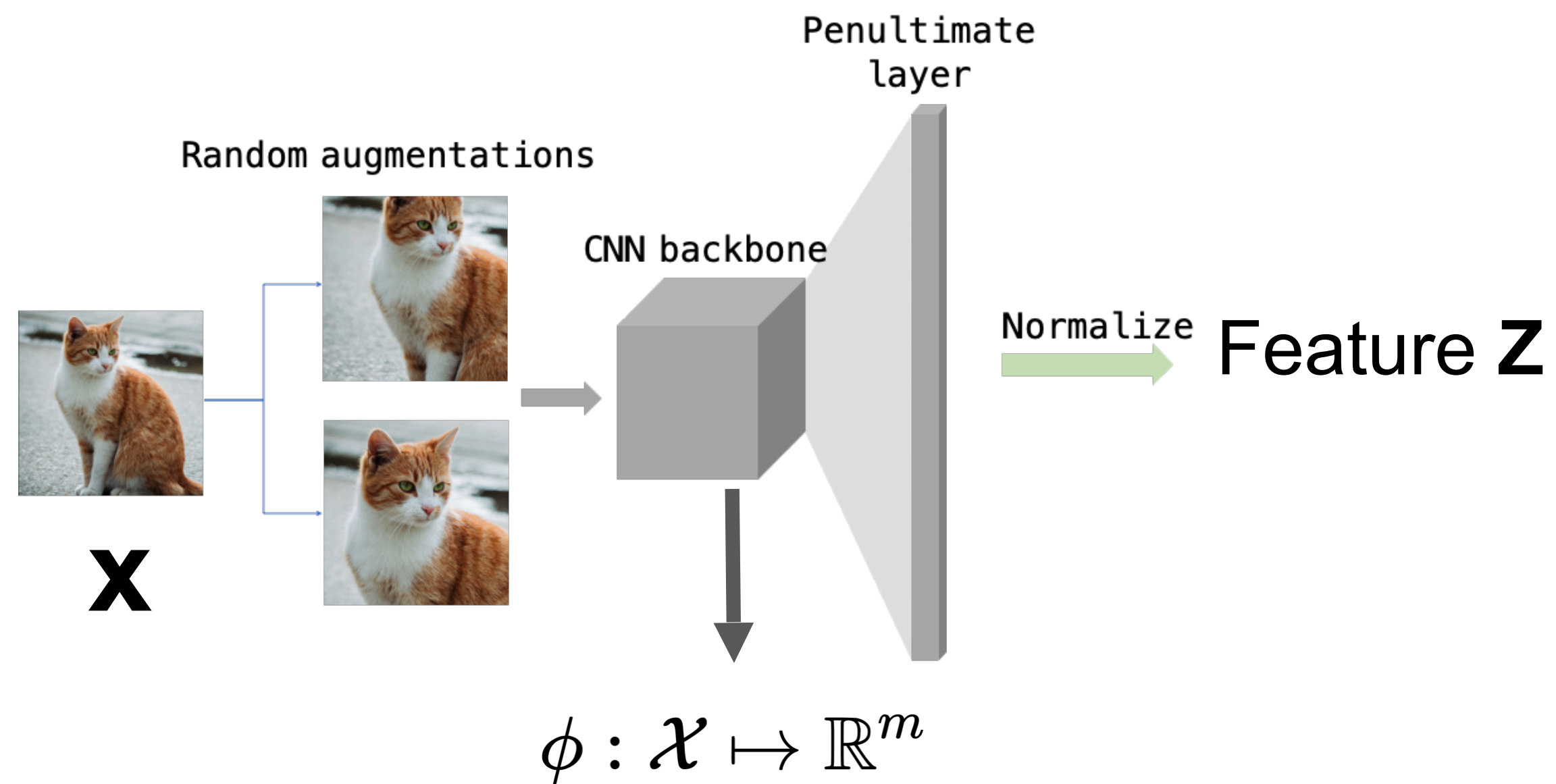
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Methodology

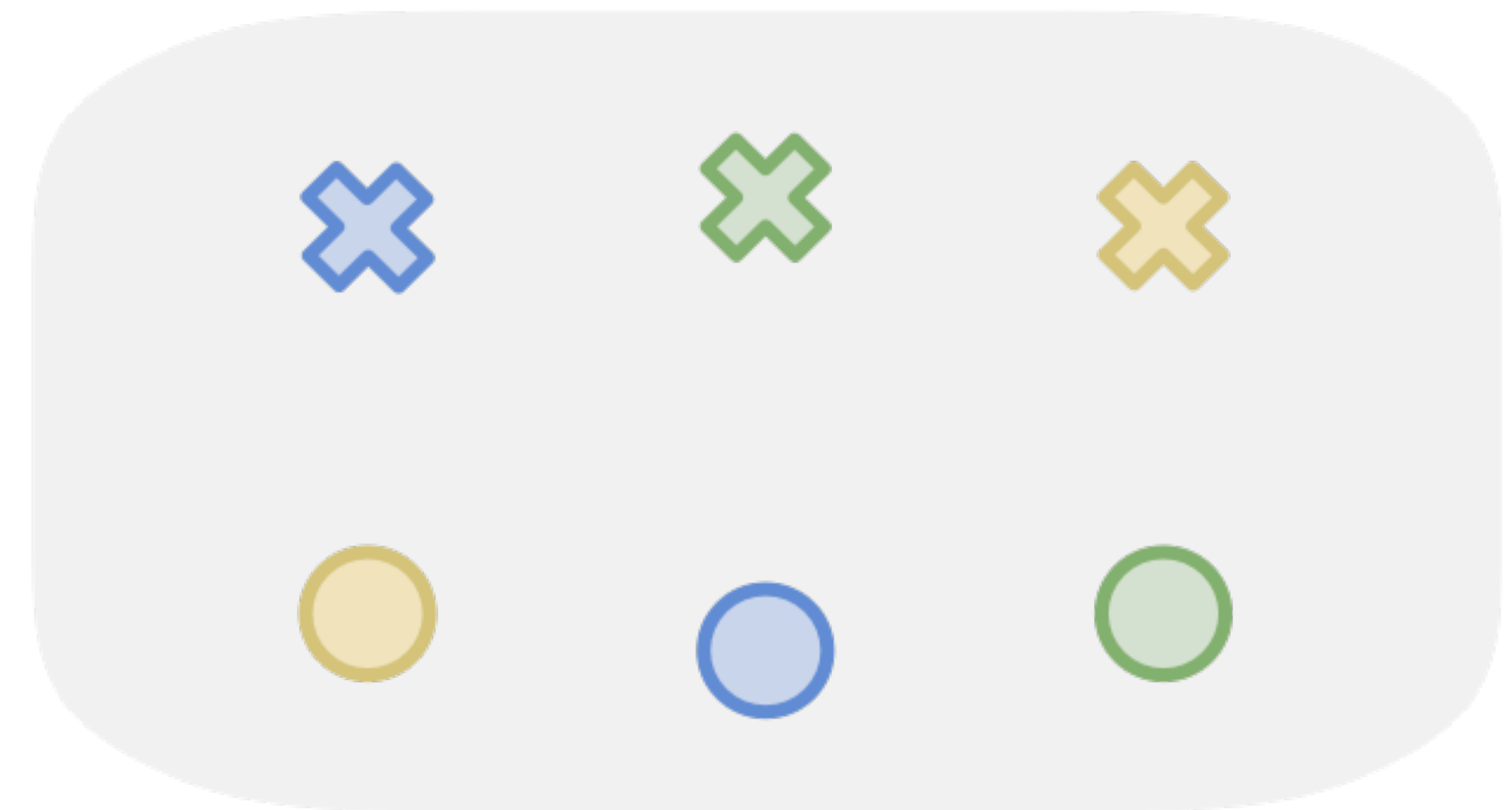
Set Up



Challenge 1: Feature's Separability



Feature Space



   **Spoof** training domain $e^{(1)} / e^{(2)} / e^{(3)}$

   **Live** training Domain $e^{(1)} / e^{(2)} / e^{(3)}$

Supervised Contrastive Learning (SupCon)

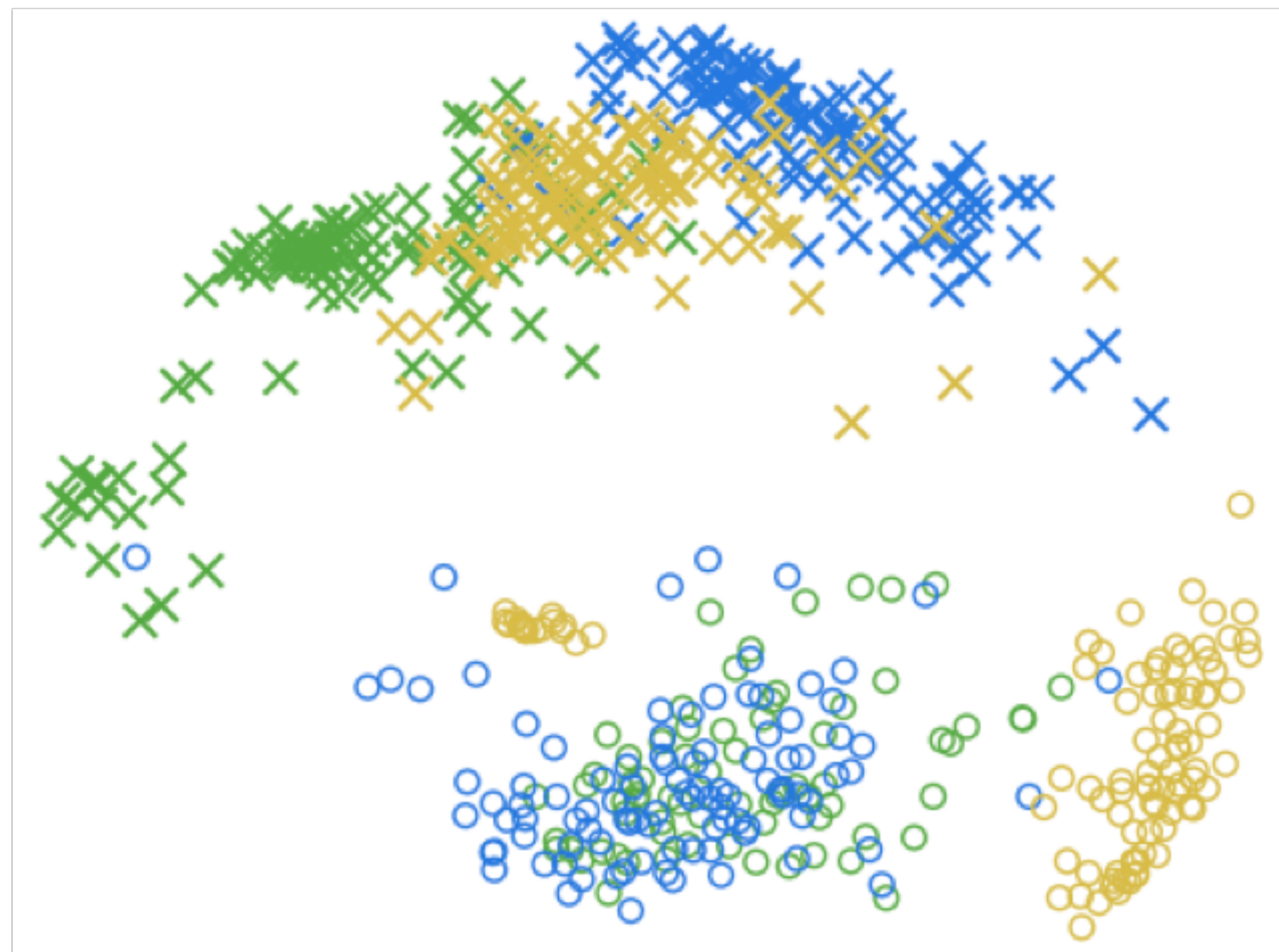
$\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x})$ contains features of samples with same live/spoof label and domain as \mathbf{x} .

$\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x})$ contains features of samples except \mathbf{x} .

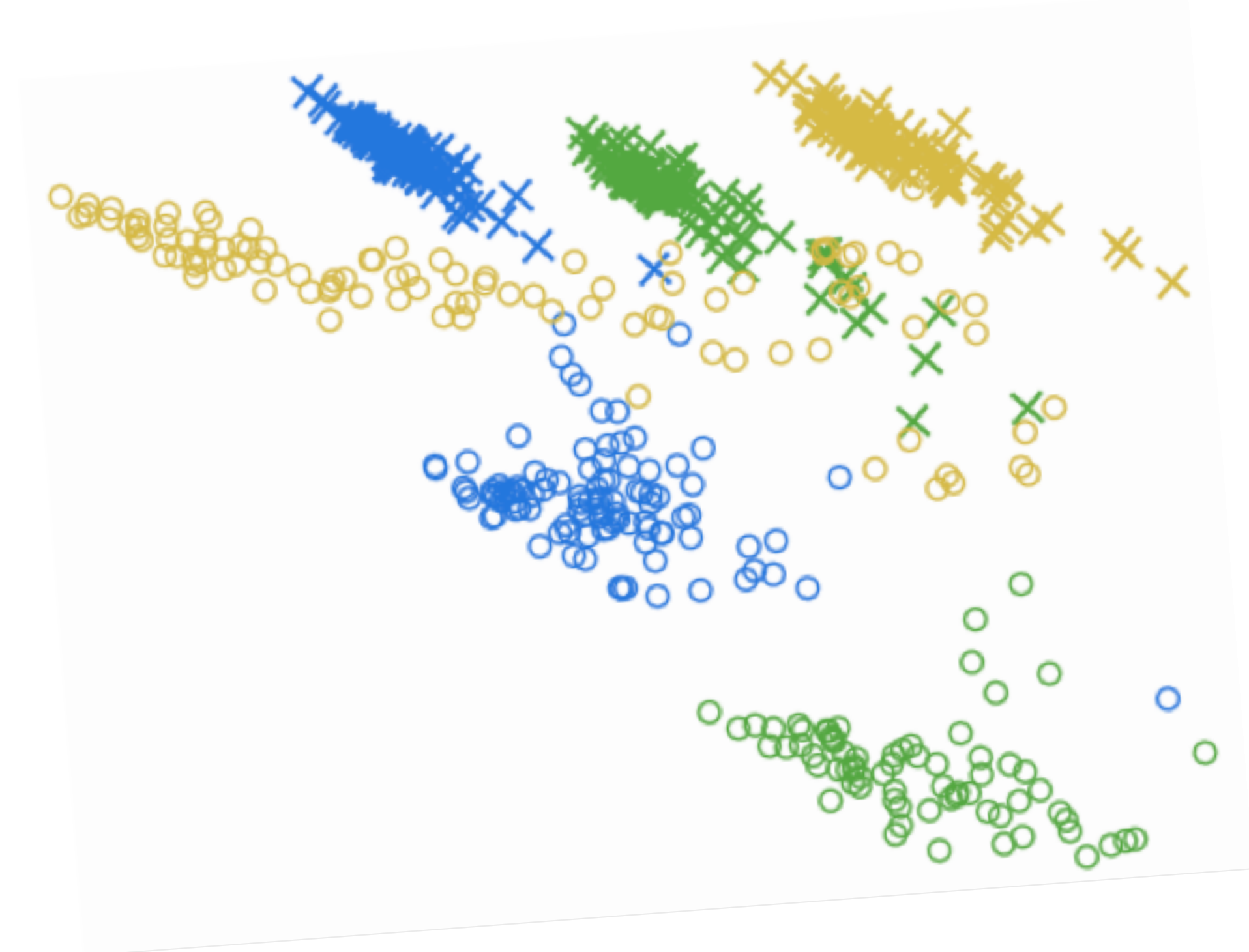
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Supervised Contrastive Learning (SupCon) Enhances the Separability

No SupCon



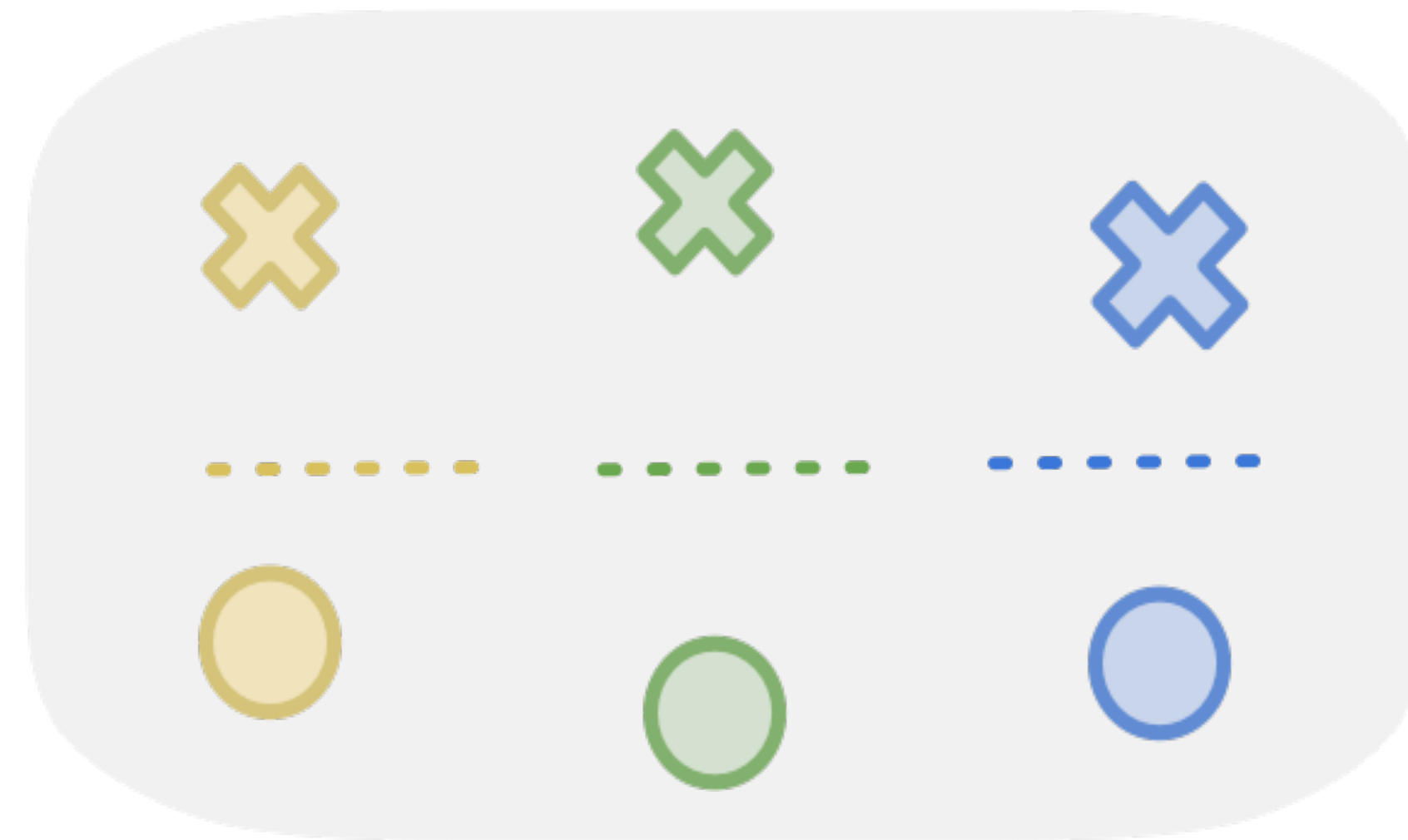
With SupCon
(More Separable between domains)



○ ○ ○ Live training Domain CASIA/MSU/REPLAY

X X X Spoof training domain CASIA/MSU/REPLAY

Challenge 2: Feature's Alignment



Challenge 2:
Align Live/spoof Direction

   **Live** training Domain $e^{(1)} / e^{(2)} / e^{(3)}$    **Spoof** training domain $e^{(1)} / e^{(2)} / e^{(3)}$

Alignment Target: Invariant Risk Minimization (IRM)

Notations:

- Environments: $\mathcal{E} = \{e^{(1)}, e^{(2)}, \dots, e^{(E)}\}$
- Training dataset: $\mathcal{D} = \{(\mathbf{x}_i, y_i, e_i)\}_{i=1}^N$
- Risk in Env. e : $\mathcal{R}^e(\phi, \beta) \doteq \mathbb{E}_{(\mathbf{x}_i, y_i, e_i=e) \sim \mathcal{D}} \ell(f(\mathbf{x}), y)$

Objective:

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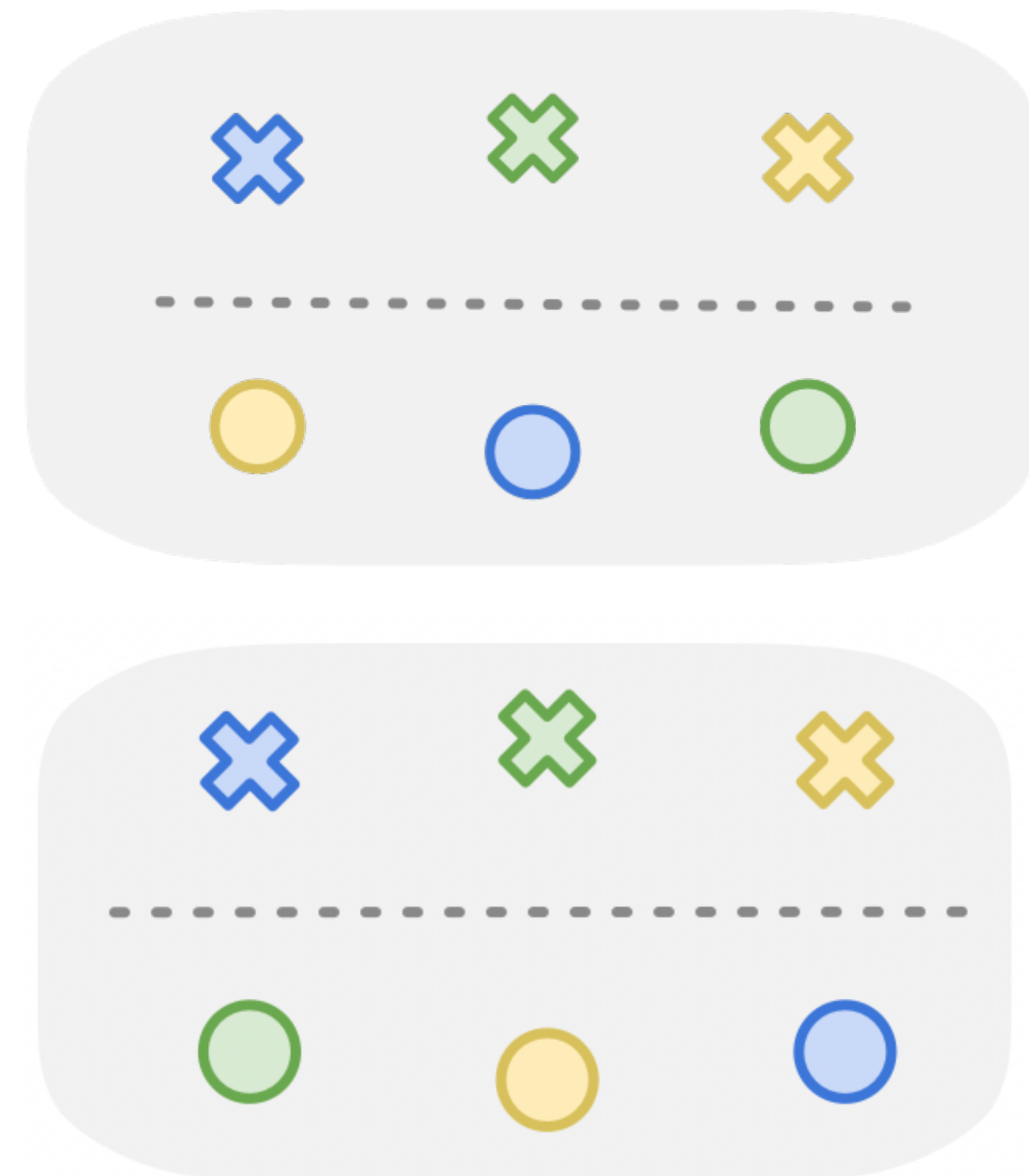
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Result: The feature in different domains can be arbitrarily shuffled. Therefore, **no alignment!**

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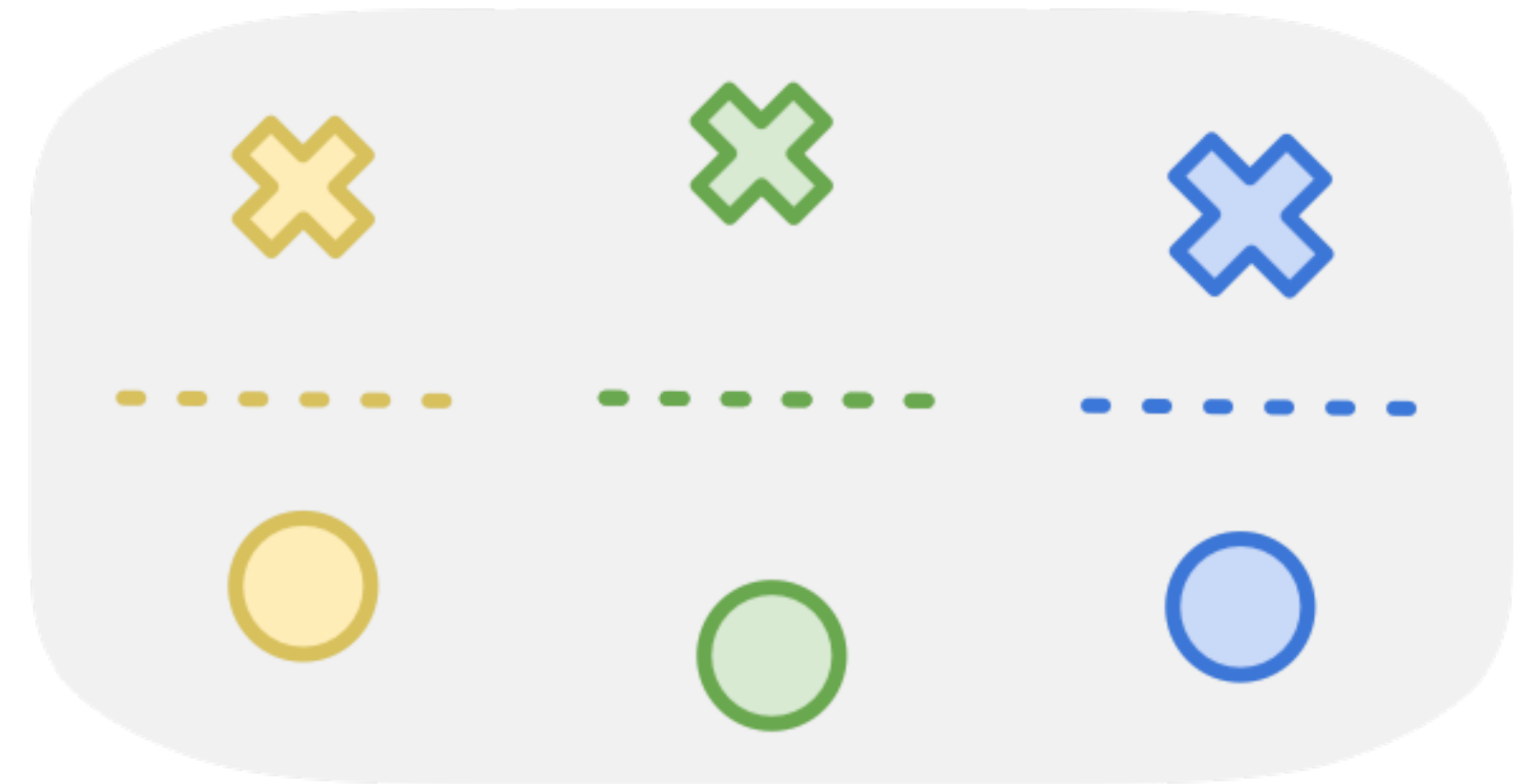
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Result: Live-to-spoof transition is **aligned**!

Optimize Invariant Risk Minimization (IRM) by Projected Gradient Descent (PGD)

Theorem 1. (PG-IRM objective) For all $\alpha \in (0, 1)$, the IRM objective is equivalent to the following objective:

$$\min_{\phi, \beta_{e(1)}, \dots, \beta_{e(E)}} \frac{1}{|\mathcal{E}|} \sum_{e \in \mathcal{E}} \mathcal{R}^e(\phi, \beta_e) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{align} \quad (5)$$

$$s.t. \forall e \in \mathcal{E}, \exists \beta_e \in \Omega_e(\phi), \beta_e \in \Upsilon_\alpha(\beta_e),$$

where the parametric constrained set for each environment is simplified as $\Omega_e(\phi) = \arg \min_{\beta} \mathcal{R}^e(\phi, \beta)$, and we define

the α -adjacency set:

$$\Upsilon_\alpha(\beta_e) = \{v \mid \max_{e' \in \mathcal{E} \setminus e} \min_{\beta_{e'} \in \Omega_{e'}(\phi)} \|v - \beta_{e'}\|_2 \quad (6)$$

$$\leq \alpha \max_{e' \in \mathcal{E} \setminus e} \min_{\beta_{e'} \in \Omega_{e'}(\phi)} \|\beta_e - \beta_{e'}\|_2\} \quad (7)$$

Algorithm 2 PG-IRM

Initialize $\phi, \beta_{e(1)}, \dots, \beta_{e(E)}$, learning rate γ , alignment parameter α , alignment starting epoch T_α .

for t in $0, 1, \dots$, **do**

Run forward pass and calculate the gradient.

for $e \in \mathcal{E}$ **do**

$$\tilde{\beta}_e^{t+1} = \beta_e^t - \gamma \nabla_{\beta_e^t} \mathcal{L}_{PG-IRM}$$

$$\alpha' := 1 - \mathbf{1}_{t > T_\alpha} (1 - \alpha)$$

select $\beta_{\bar{e}}^t$ with $\bar{e} = \arg \max_{e' \in \mathcal{E} \setminus e} \|\tilde{\beta}_e^{t+1} - \beta_{e'}^t\|_2$

$$\beta_e^{t+1} = \alpha' \tilde{\beta}_e^{t+1} + (1 - \alpha') \beta_{\bar{e}}^t$$

end for

Update $\phi^{t+1} = \phi^t - \gamma \nabla_{\phi^t} \mathcal{L}_{PG-IRM}$.

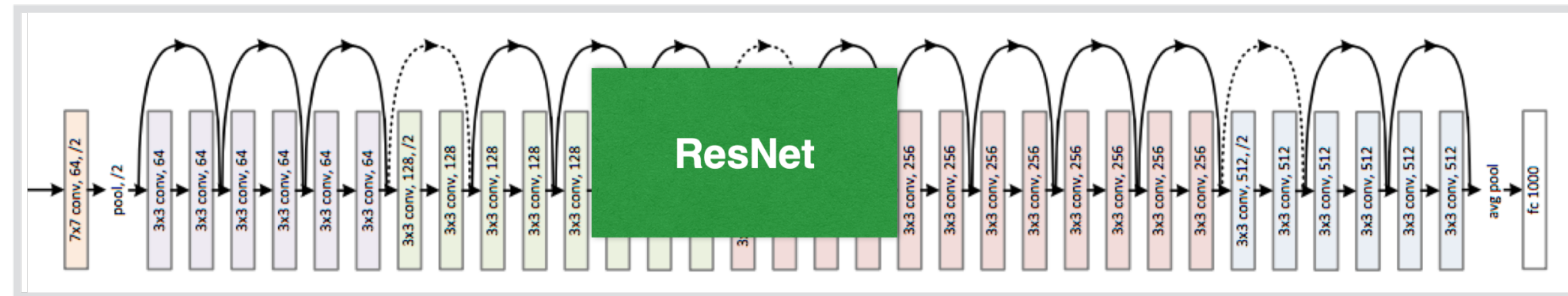
end for

More details are in the paper!

Experiment

Cross-Domain FAS Experiment Settings

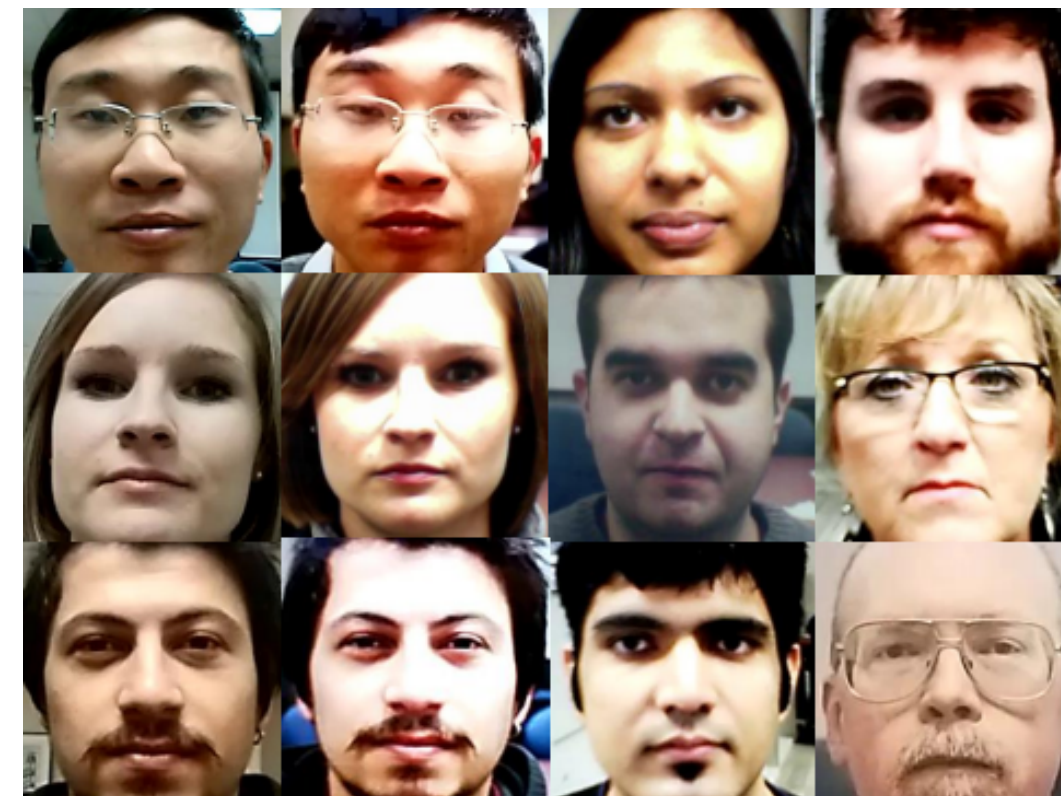
Model



CASIA



OULU



MSU

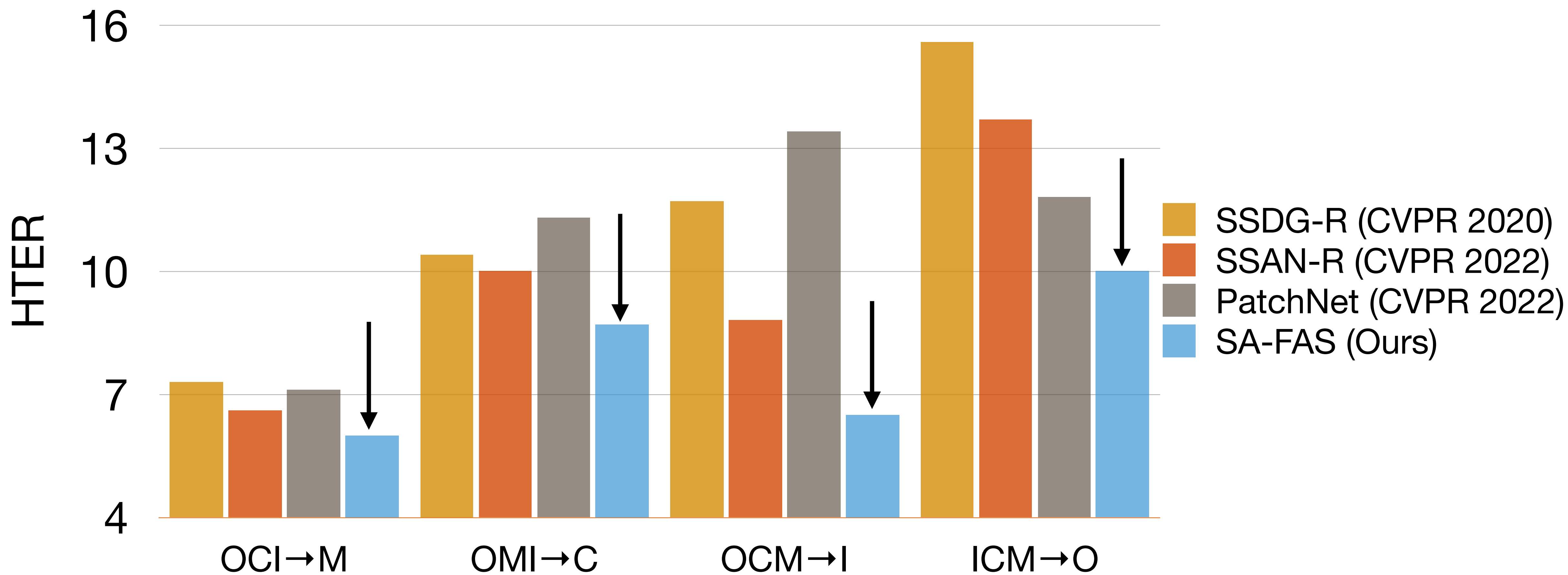


Replay



Leave-one-out protocol: Train on three, test on one.

Our Framework Establishes the Competitive Performance

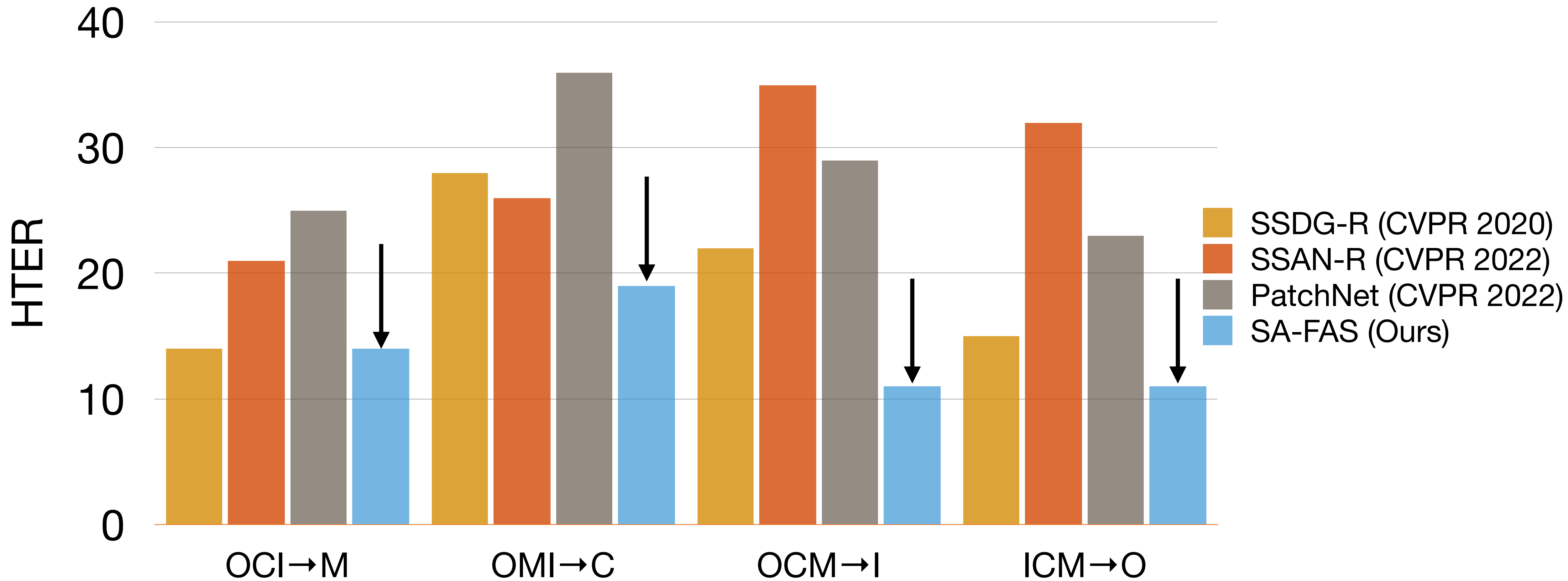


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Comparison with Baseline Methods (Upon Convergence)

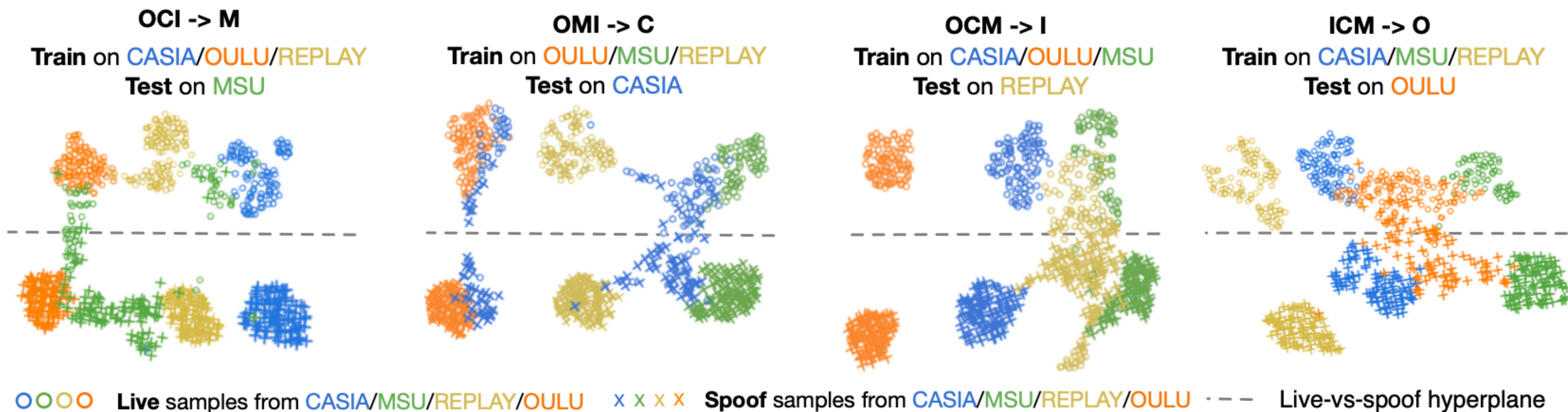


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Visualization on Feature Space



Summary

1. We offer a new perspective for cross-domain FAS by designing the feature space based on **separability** and **alignment**.
2. We first exploit the domain-variant representation learning by combining contrastive learning and optimizing invariant risk minimization (IRM) through the projected gradient algorithm for cross-domain FAS.

Thank you!

Code available at <https://github.com/sunniyou/SAFAS>.

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