

Scalable Collaborative Human–Robot Learning (SCHool)

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Learning from Demonstrations

- Imitation Learning
- Inverse Reinforcement Learning (IRL)
 - Pioneered by co-PI Russel (1998)
 - Apprenticeship Learning (Abbeel & Ng, 2004)
- HRI Optimizing Legibility (Dragan, 2013)
- Cloud Robotics (Kuffner 2015, Kehoe, Abbeel, Goldberg, 2017)

Cooperative IRL

- A CIRL is a 2-player cooperative Markov game $\langle \mathcal{S}, (\mathcal{A}^H, \mathcal{A}^R), P, R_\theta \rangle$
- Human and robot take simultaneous actions, get same reward parametrized by θ
- Human preference R_θ initially unknown to the robot
- This incentivizes the human to teach and the robot to learn this preference
- Both agents can reason about the robot's belief state, making it a sufficient state representation (together with the environment state)
- Example: human signals which objects should not be decluttered by replacing them in the environment when the robot removes them

4 Research Objectives

$$\tau^{\mathbf{H}} \leftarrow \underset{\tau}{\operatorname{argmax}} \phi(\tau)^{\top} \theta - \eta \|\phi_{\theta} - \phi(\tau)\|^2$$

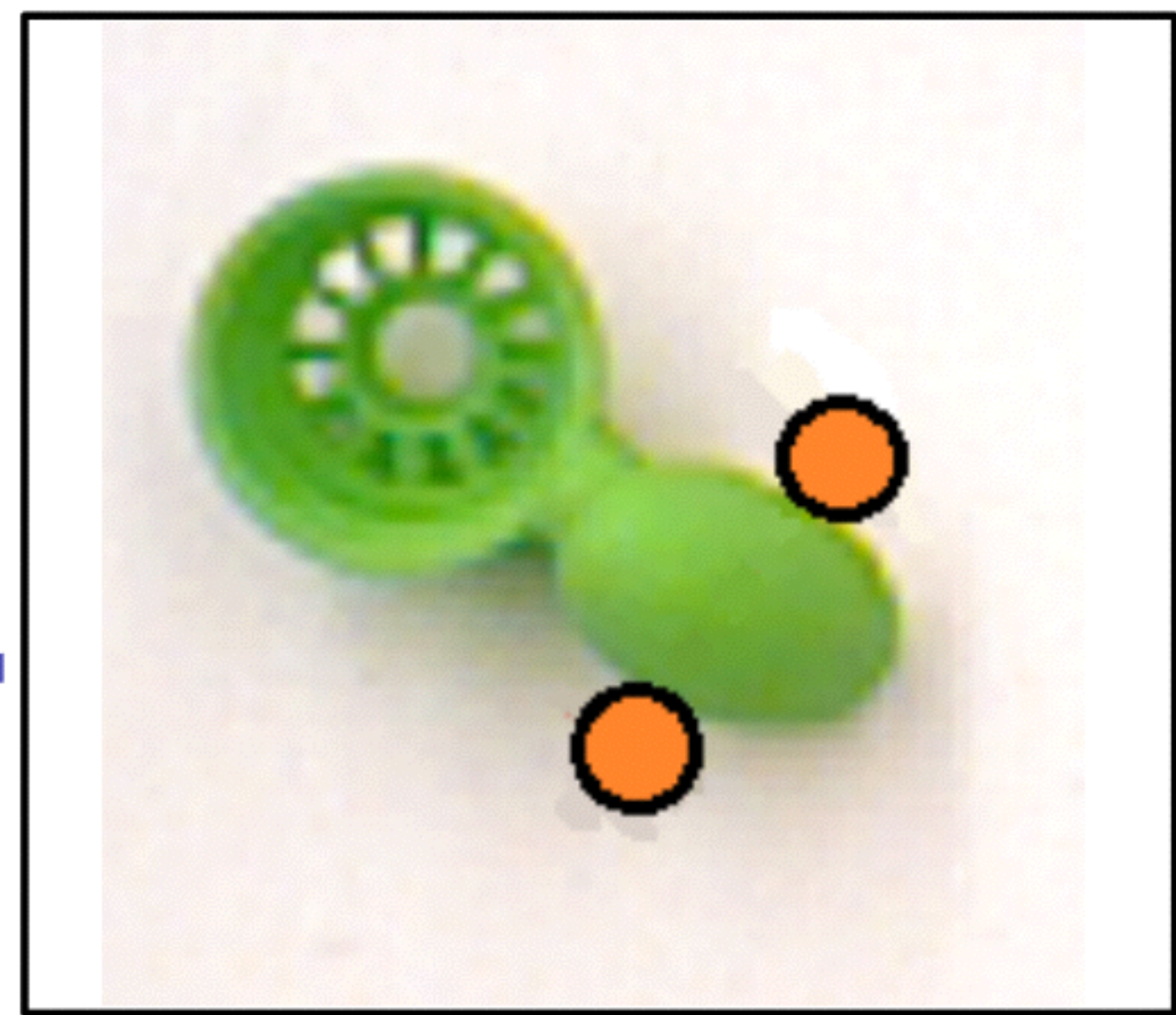
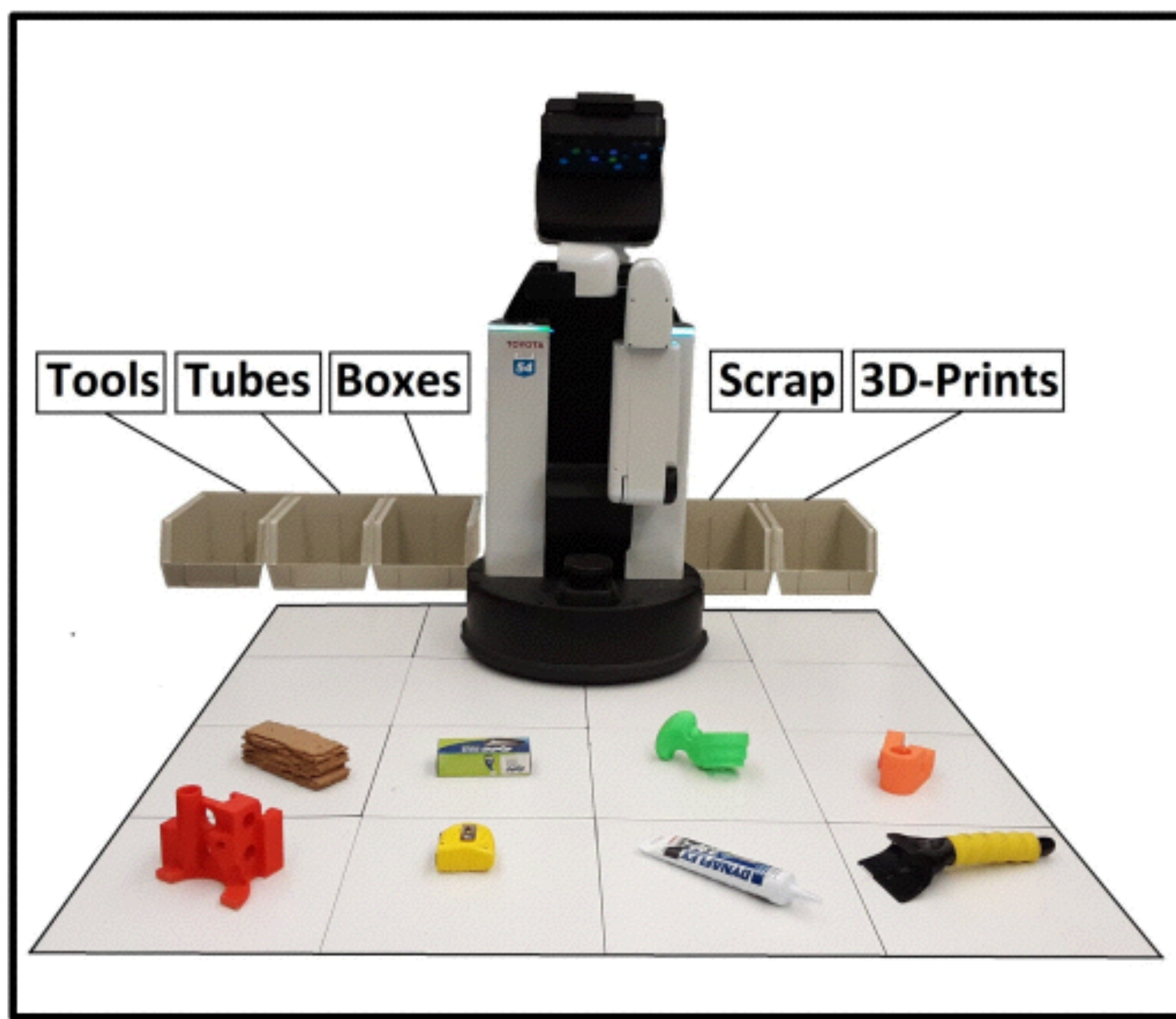
1. Extend CIRL Formal Framework:
2. Distributed Sensing, Reward Models using Deep Learning
3. Learning Hierarchical Task and Reward Structure
4. Bidirectional / Active Human–Robot Communication



Integrative Application: **Surface Decluttering**

To increase productivity and safety in homes, machine shops, warehouses, offices, and retail stores.





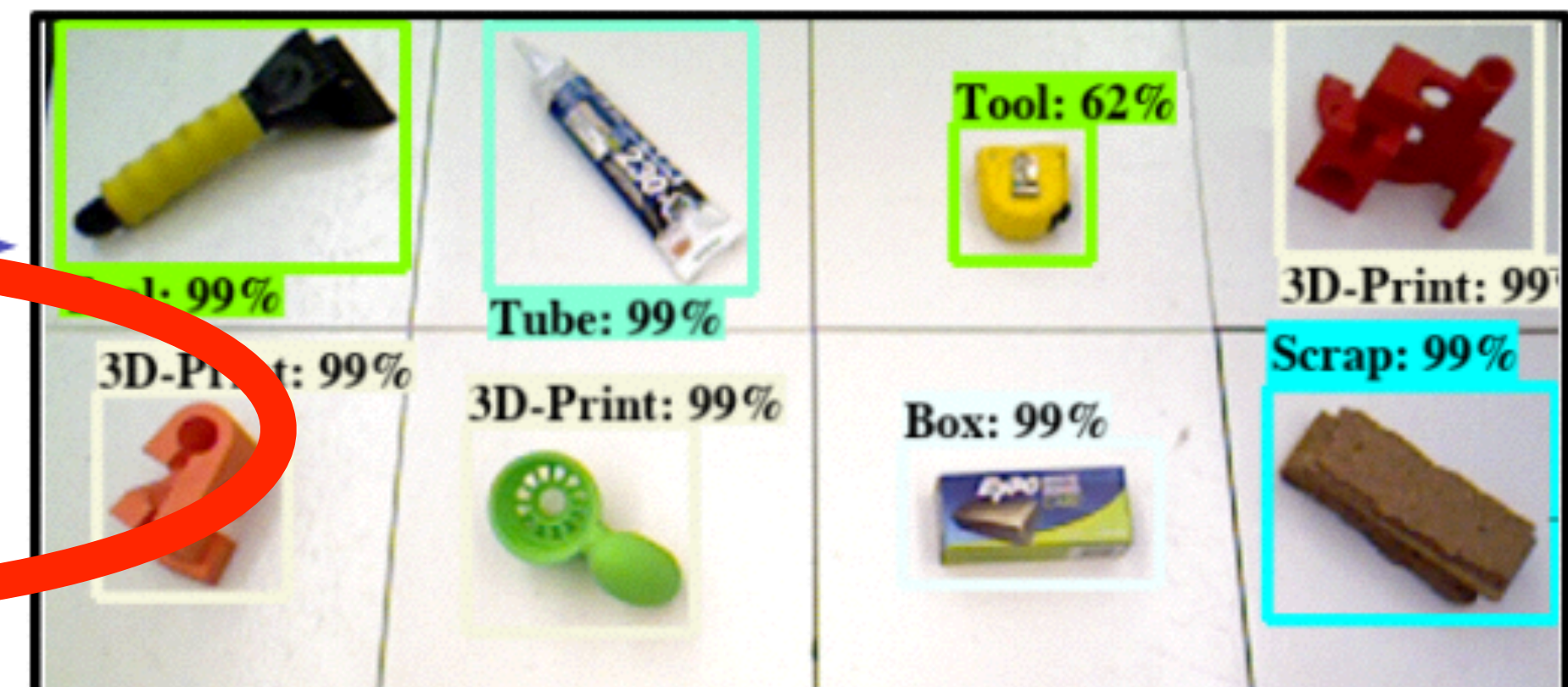
Grasp Execution

Onboard Cameras

Grasp Planning



Object Recognition



Cloud



Local Servers (eg. 5G):



Edge Robots:



Robust Task-Based Grasping as a Service

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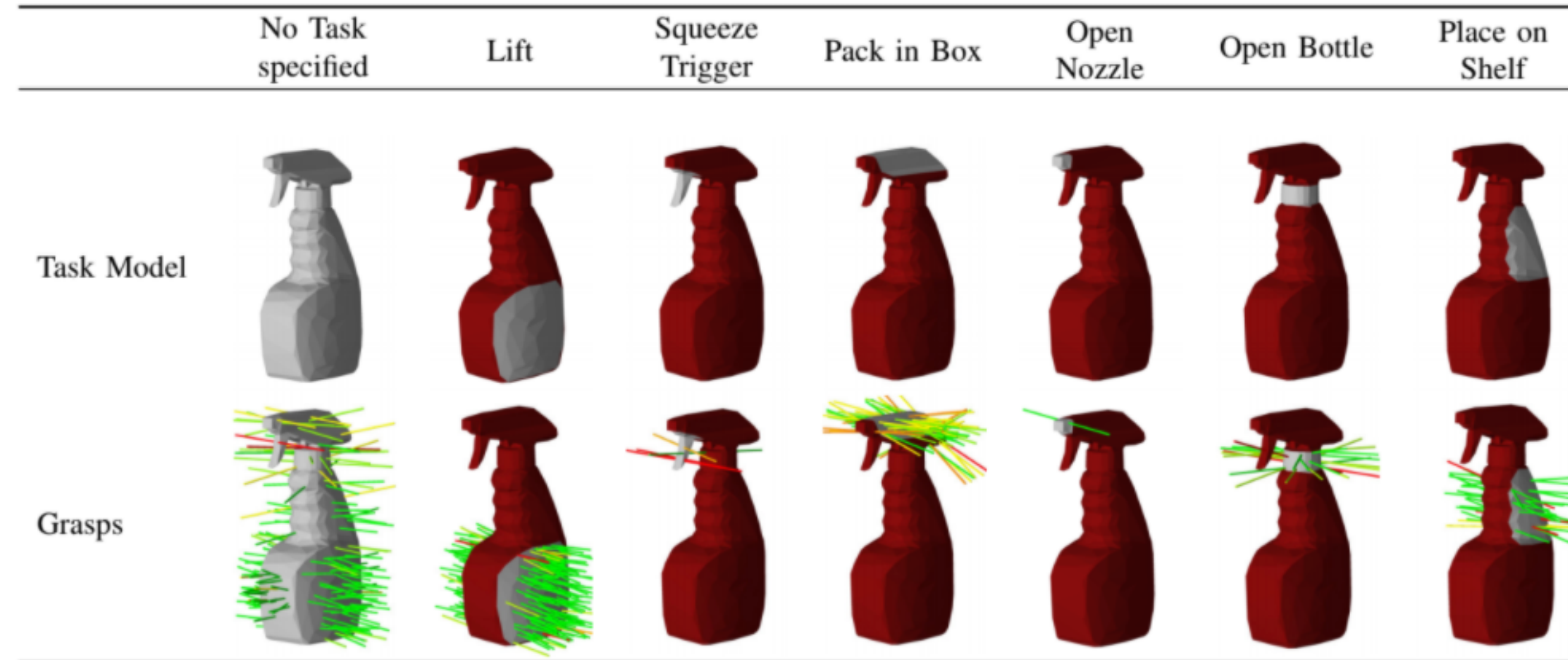
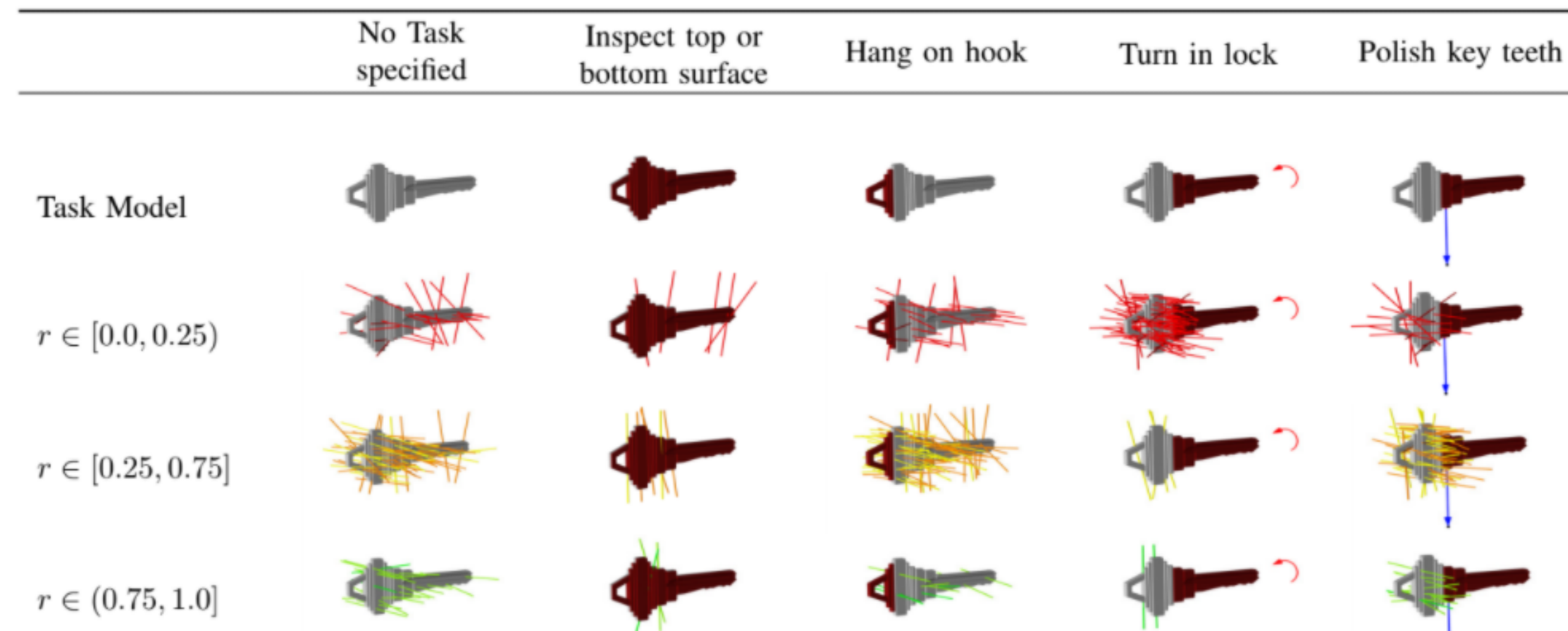


Fig. 3: **Task-directed grasping for spray bottle.** The stay-out zones of the spray bottle object displayed on the second row model the tasks described on the first row, resulting filtered grasps showed on the third row.



Preference learning along multiple criteria: A game-theoretic perspective

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Multi-Principal Assistance Games: Definition and Collegial Mechanisms

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EECS Special Seminar: Dylan Hadfield-Menell "The Value Alignment Problem in Artificial Intelligence"

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SPEAKER

Dylan Hadfield-Menell

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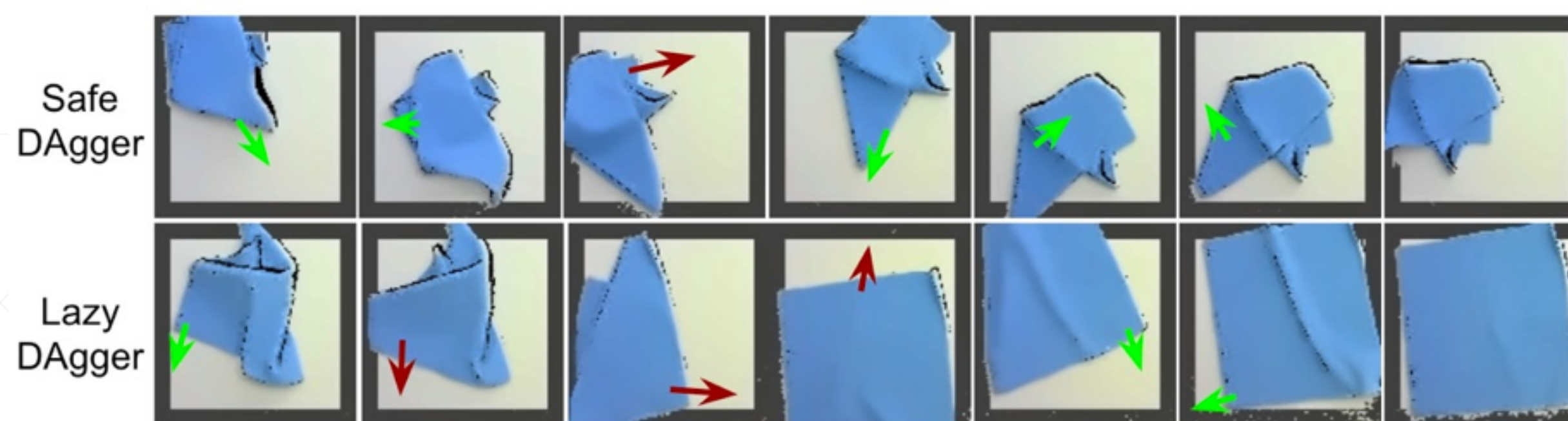
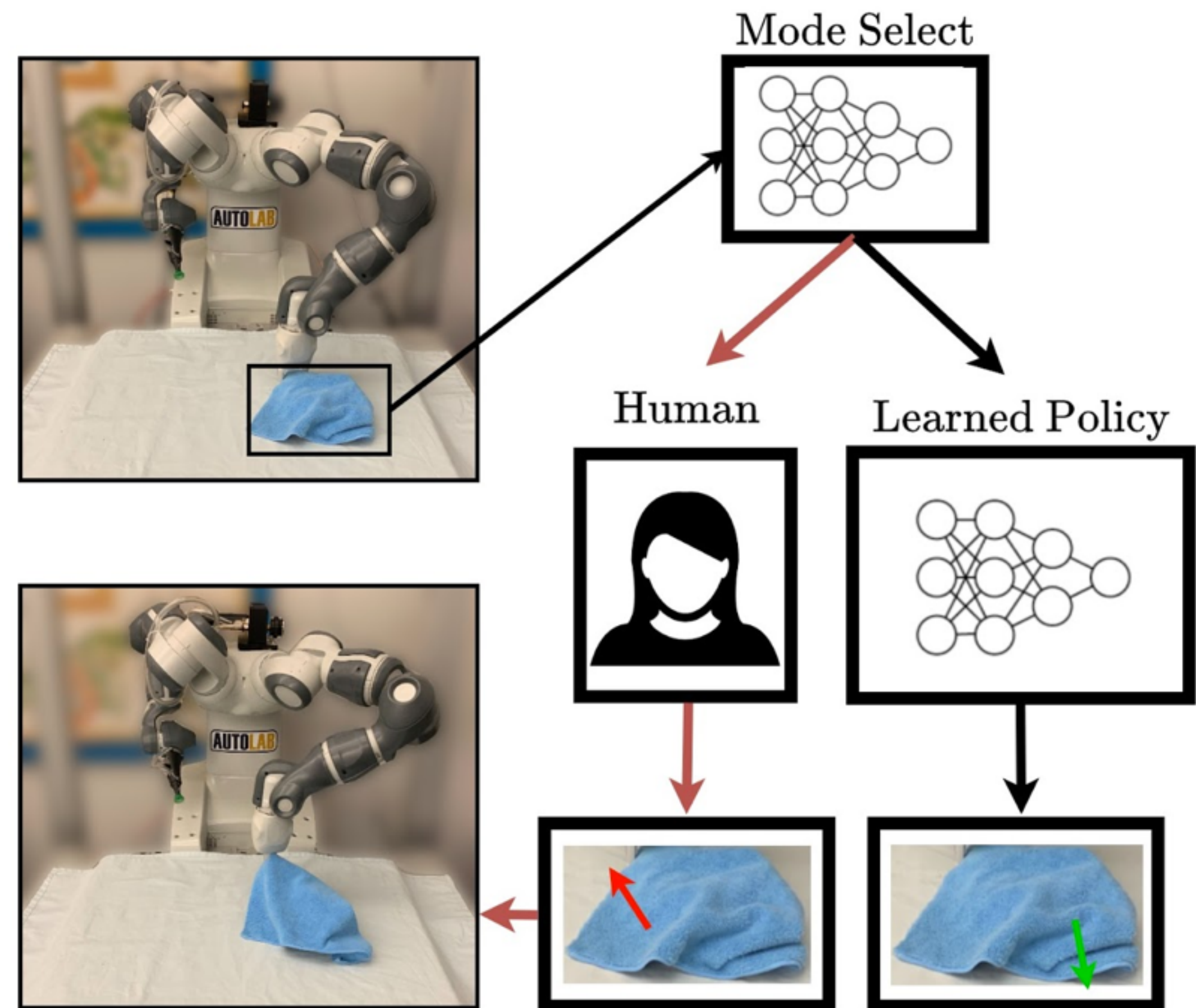
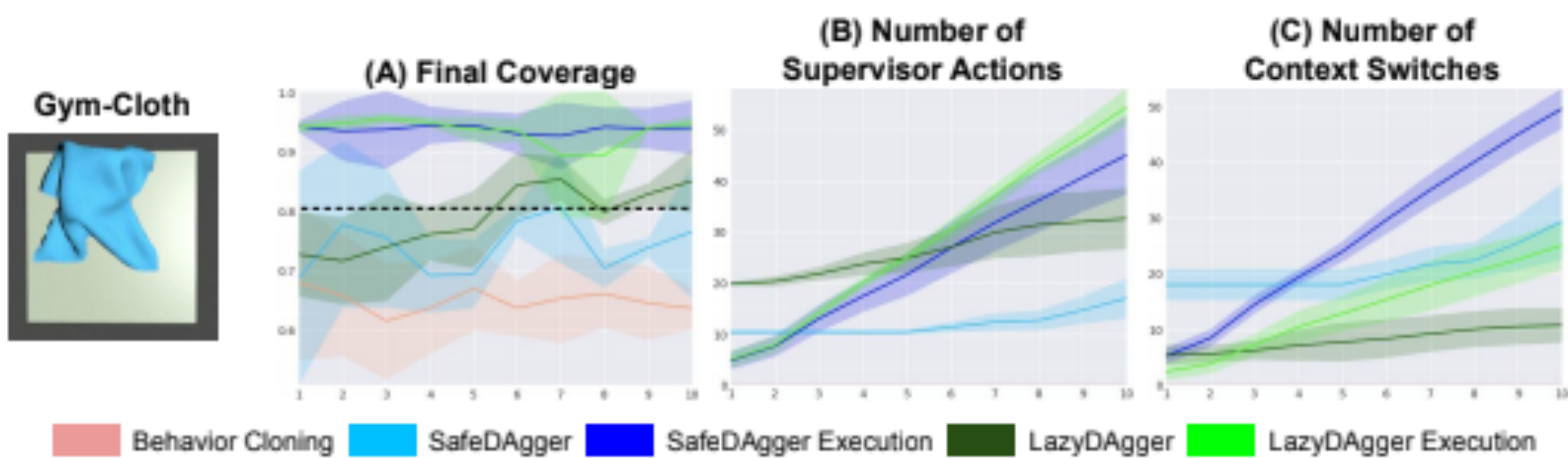
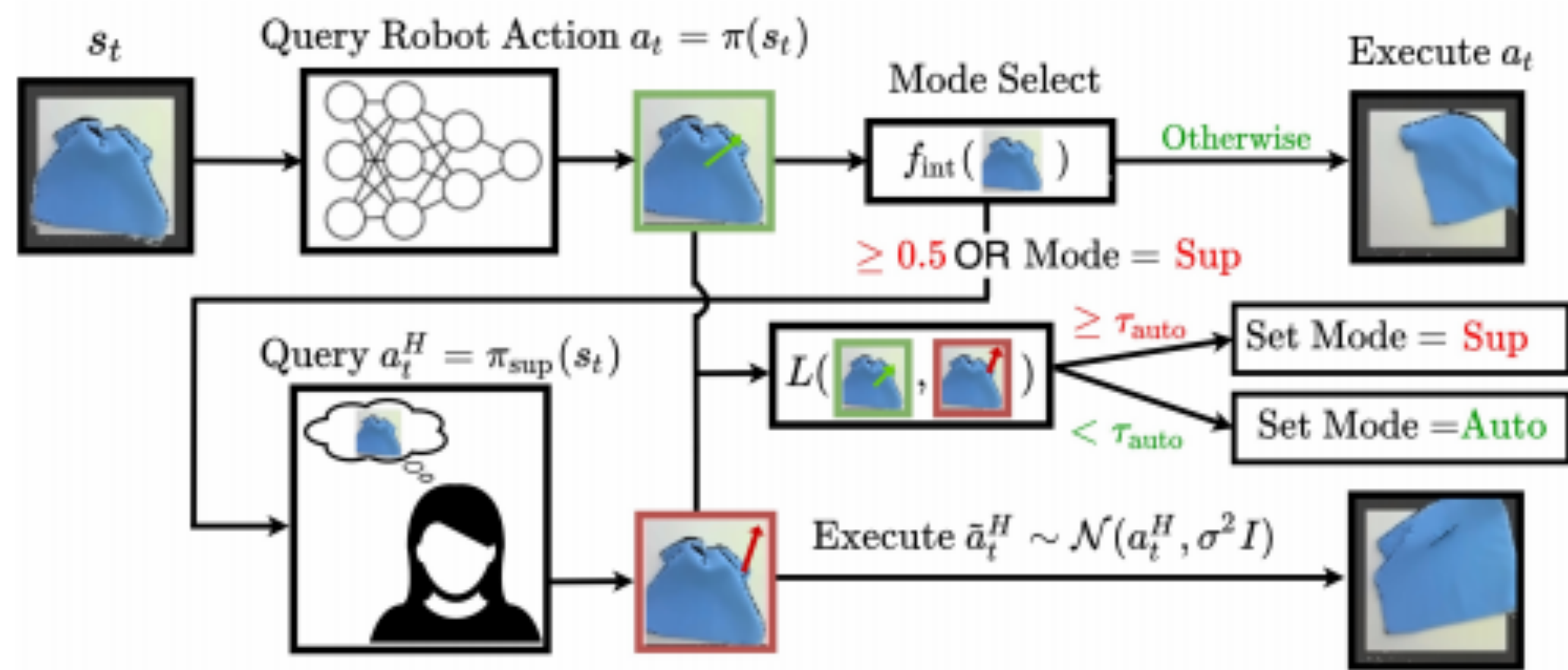
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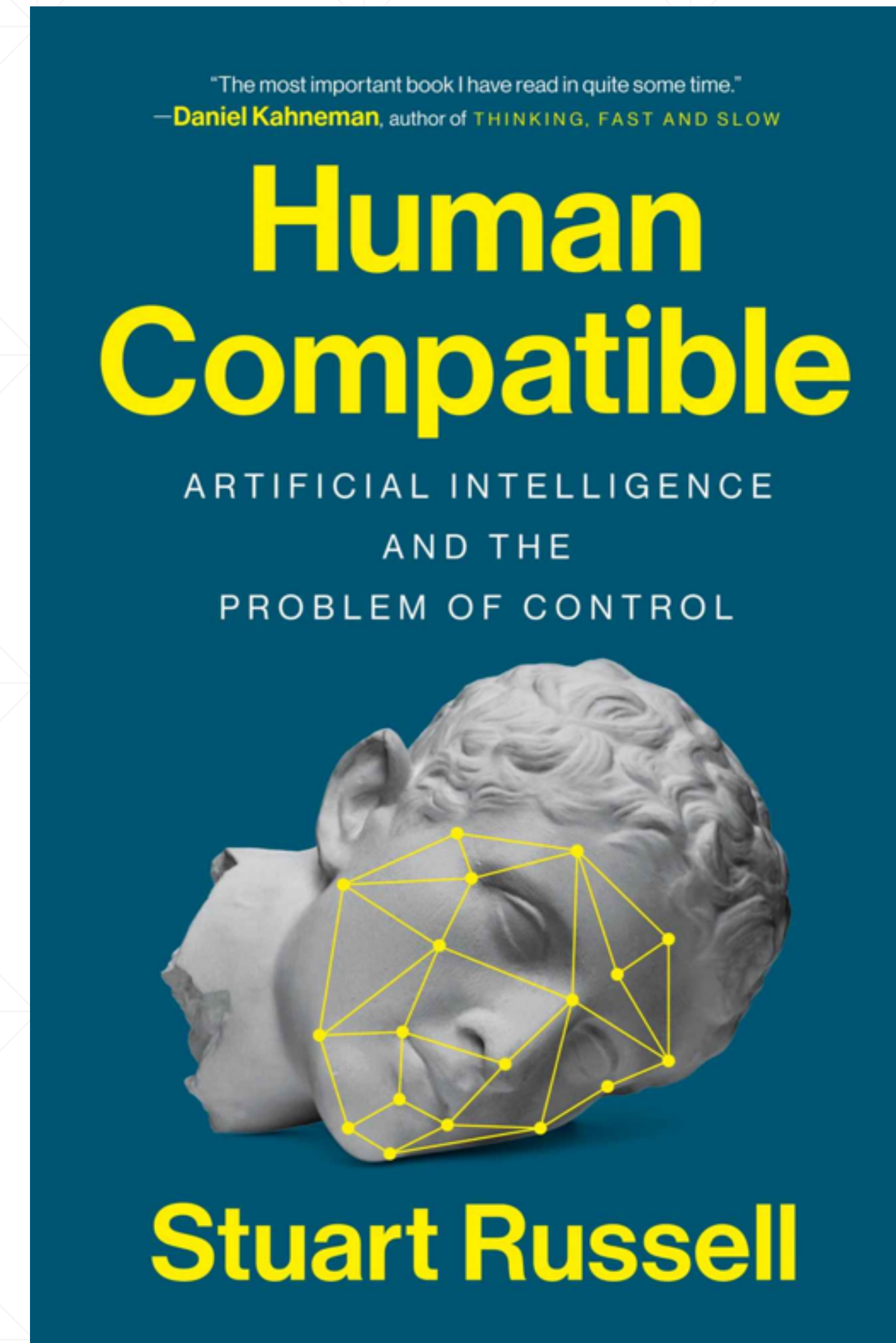
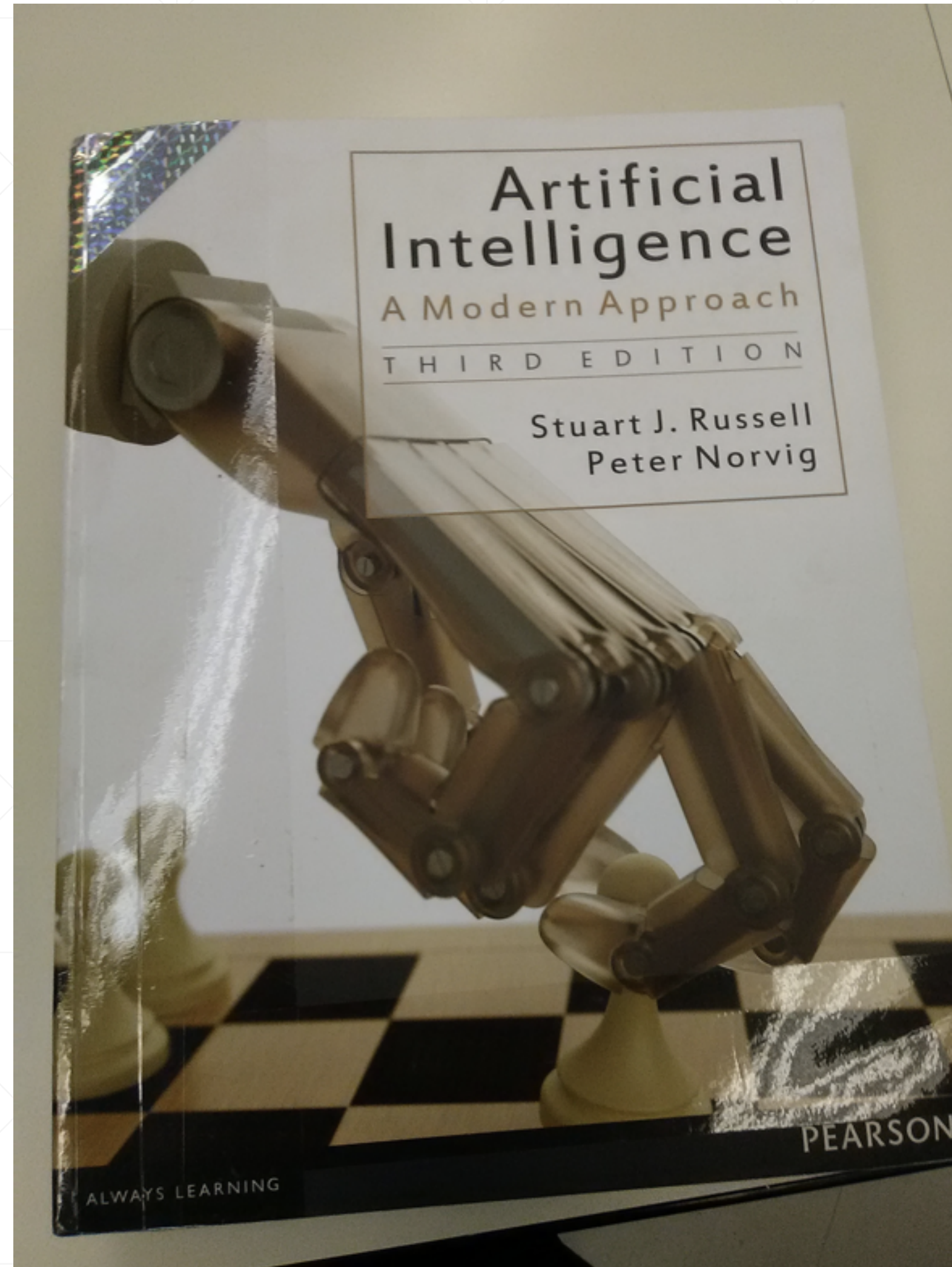


LazyDagger: Reducing Context Switching in Interactive Robot Imitation Learning

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Broader Impacts



How to Train Your Robot



by Blooma Goldberg, Ken Goldberg, and Ashley Chase
illustrated by Dave Clegg



I'm Blooma. I love art, science, math, dancing, basketball, and roller skating, but my favorite activity is inventing new things... especially robots! And I'm super excited to tell you how I figured out the best way to train a robot.

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How to Train Your Robot

video based on the book: **How To Train Your Robot**
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