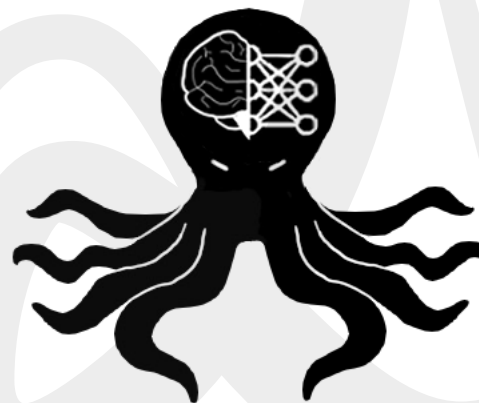




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# ClinicaDL

*An open-source software  
for deep learning  
processing on neuro-  
imaging data*



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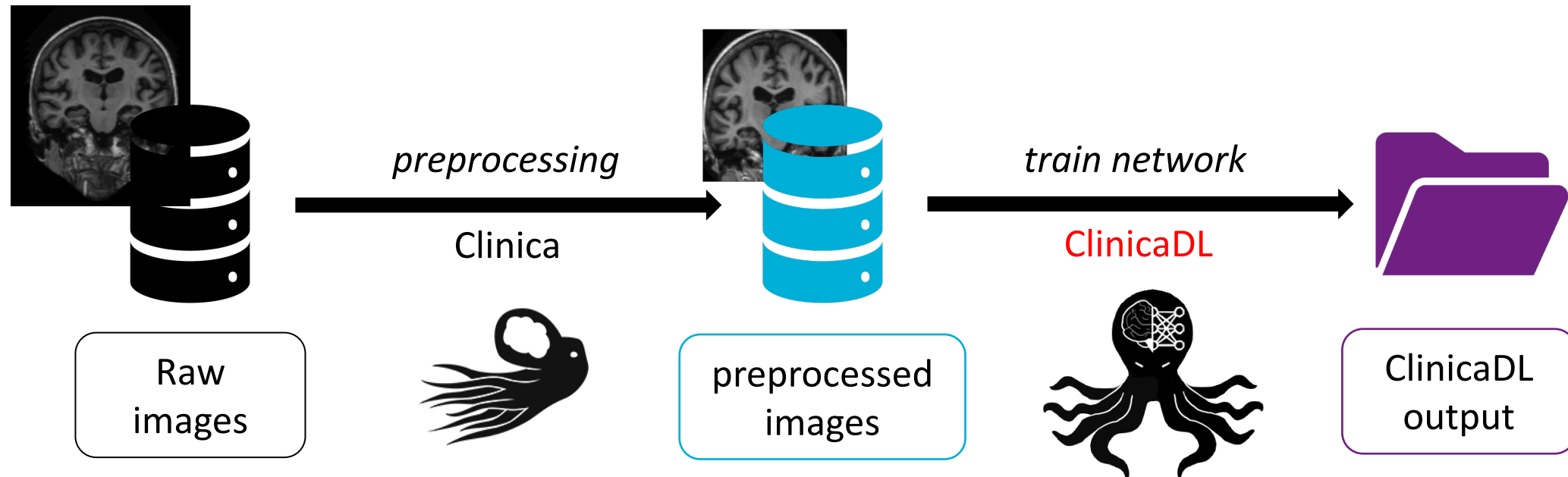


# Software overview

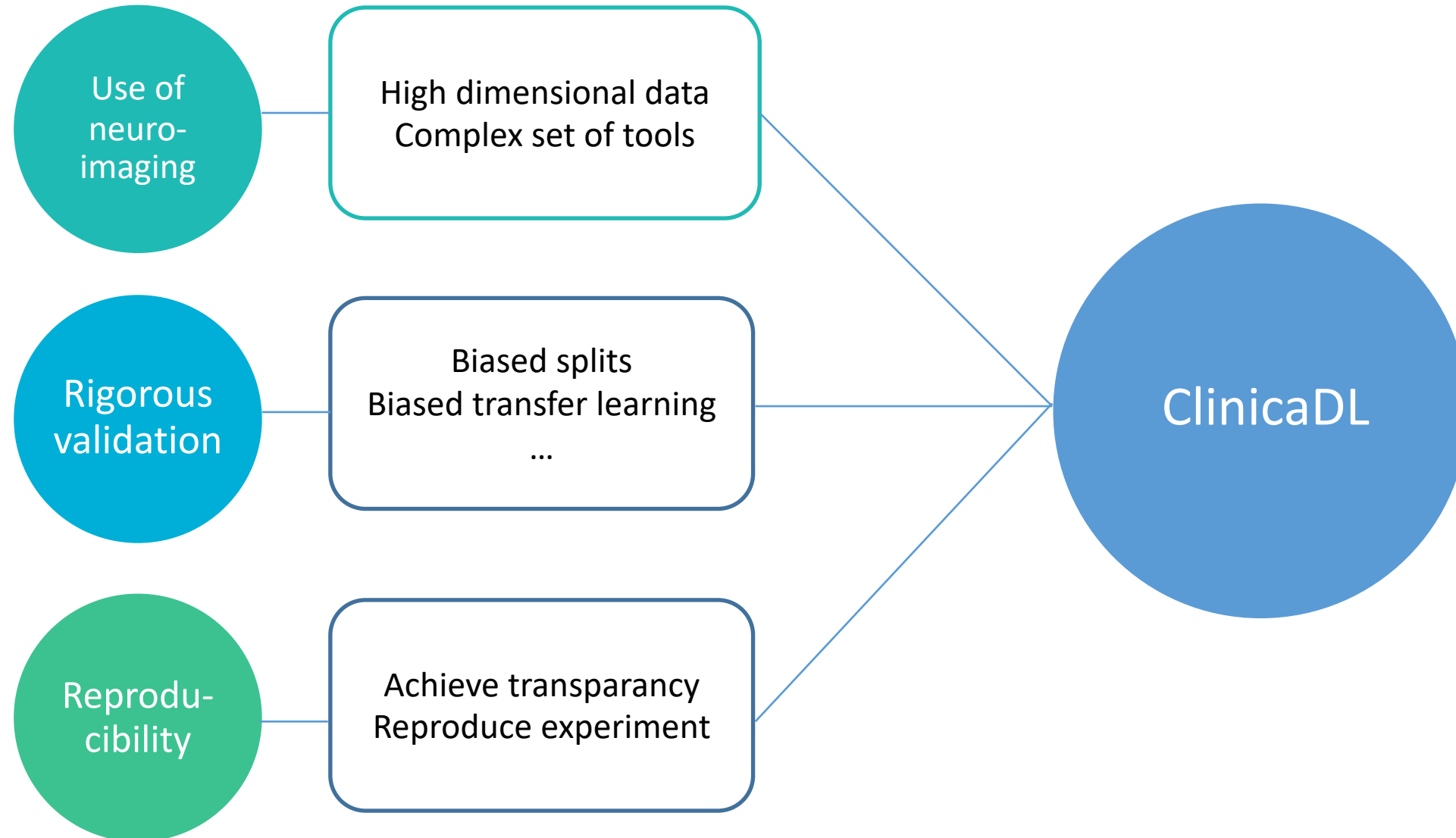
- What is ClinicaDL ?
- The answer to 3 main issues
- What does ClinicaDL look like ?
- An end to end deep learning framework

# What is ClinicaDL ?

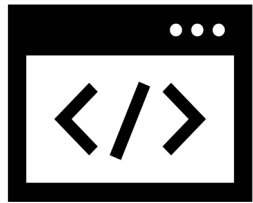
## The software ecosystem



# The answer to 3 main issues

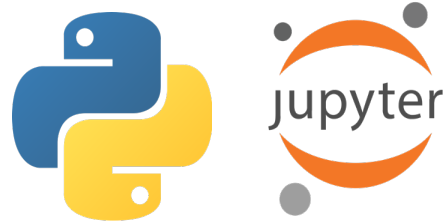


# What does ClinicaDL looks like ?



Command line

or



API mode

```
Entrée [ ]: from clinica dl import MapsManager
            maps = MapsManager("/path/to/MAPS")
```

```
➤ ~ clinica dl -h
Usage: clinica dl [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...

ClinicaDL command line.

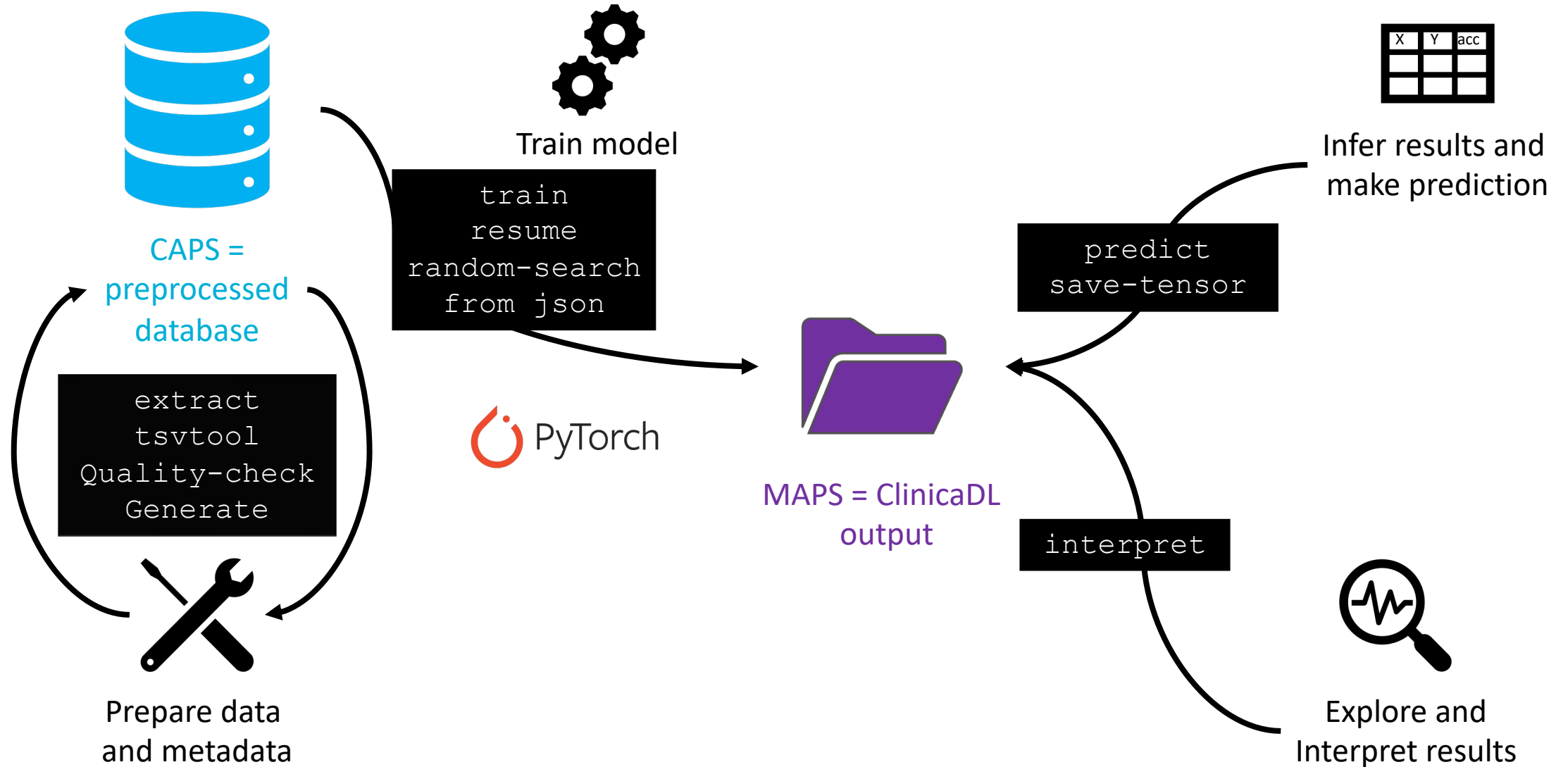
For more information please read the doc: https://clinica dl.readthedocs.io/en/latest/ . Source code is available on GitHub: https://github.com/aramis-lab/clinica DL .

Do not hesitate to create an issue to report a bug or suggest an improvement.

Options:
  --version      Show the version and exit.
  -v, --verbose  Increase logging verbosity.
  -h, --help     Show this message and exit.

Commands:
  extract      Extract Pytorch tensors from nifti images.
  generate     Generation of synthetic dataset.
  interpret    Interpretation of trained models using saliency map method.
  predict     Infer the outputs of a trained model on a test set.
  quality-check  Performs quality check procedure for t1-linear or t1-volume pipelines.
  random-search  Hyperparameter exploration using random search.
  resume      Resume training job in specified maps.
  save-tensor  Save the output tensors of a trained model on a test set.
  train       Train a deep learning model on your neuroimaging dataset.
  tsvtool     Manipulation of TSV files to prepare and manage input data.
```

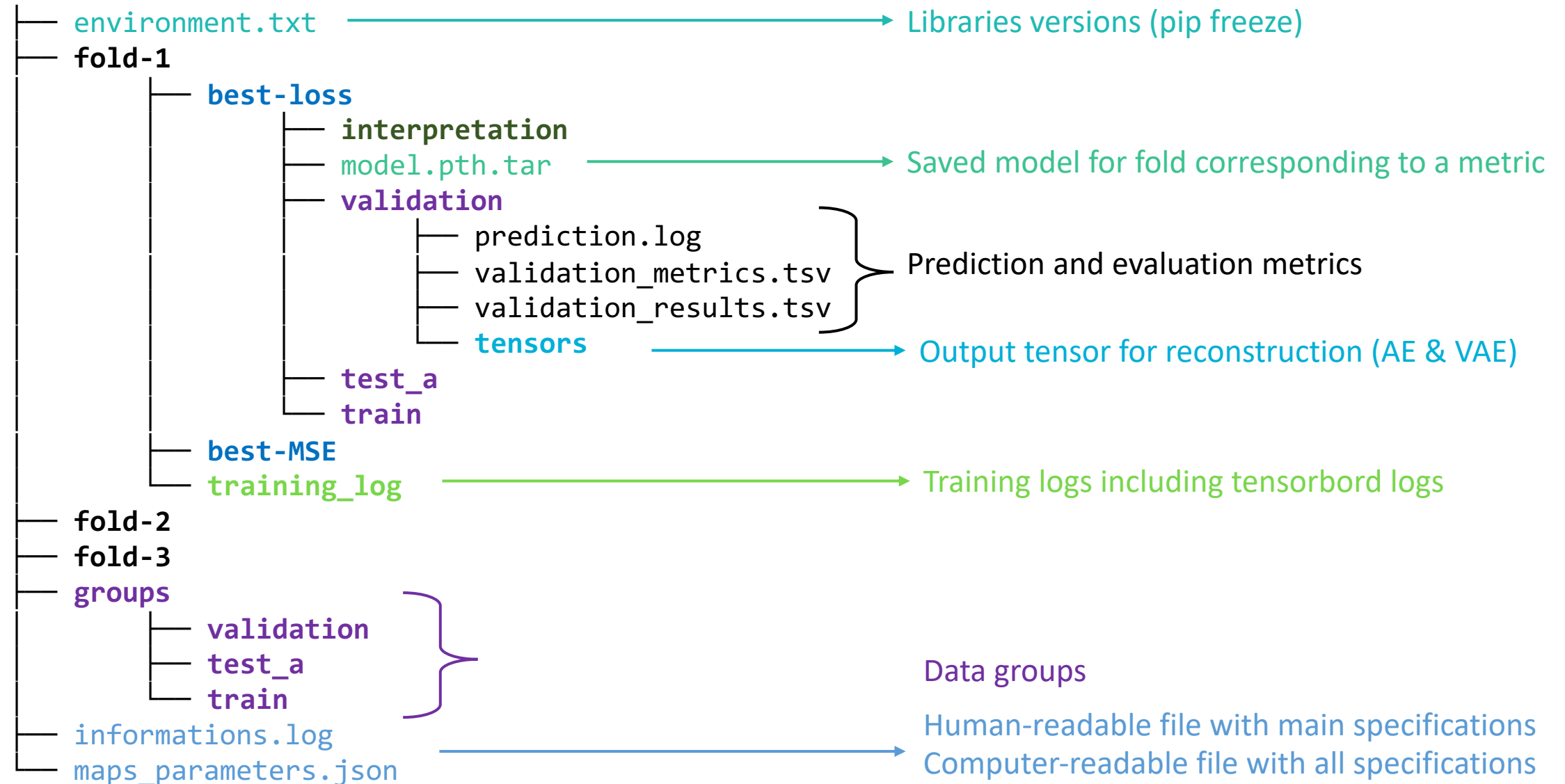
# End to end deep learning framework



# MAPS: Model Analysis and Processing Structure



## MAPS



# Reproducibility (Store all hyperparameters)

```
3 [Model]
4 architecture = "default"
5 multi_network = false
6
7 [Architecture]
8 latent_space_size = 128
9 feature_size = 1024
10 n_conv = 4
11
12 [Classification]
13 selection_metrics = ["loss"]
14
15 [Regression]
16 selection_metrics = ["loss"]
17 label = "age"
18 loss = "MSELoss"
19
20
21
22
23
24 [Computational]
25 gpu = true
26 n_proc = 2
27 batch_size = 8
28 evaluation_steps = 0
29
30 [Reproducibility]
31 seed = 0
32 deterministic = false
```

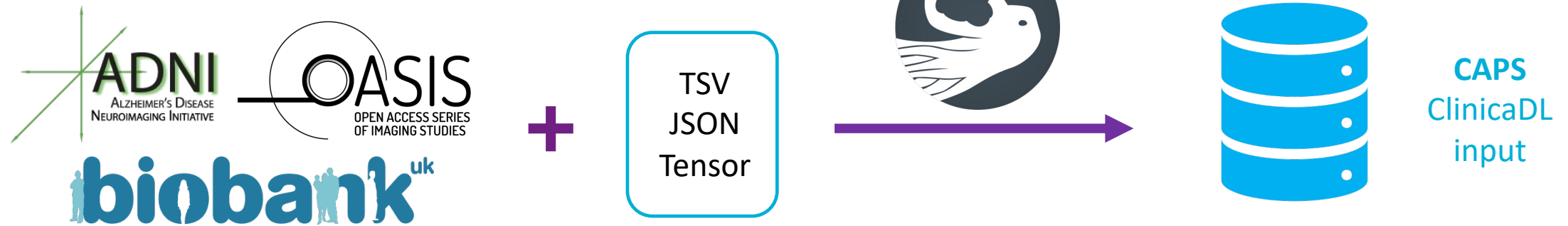
 **Toml & Json files**

```
▼ preprocessing_dict:
  preprocessing: "t1-linear"
  mode: "image"
  use_uncropped_image: false
  ▼ file_type:
    ▼ pattern: "*space-MNI152Nlin2009cSym_desc-Crop_res-1x1x1_T1w.pt"
    ▼ description: "T1W Image registered using t1-linear and cropped (matrix size 169x208x179, 1 mm isotropic voxels)"
      needed_pipeline: "t1-linear"
  mode: "image"
  network_task: "classification"
  ▼ caps_directory: "/gpfswork/rech/bgc/commun/data/labels_list/session_3/ADNI_NIFD_caps_linear.tsv"
  ▼ tsv_path: "/gpfswork/rech/bgc/commun/data/labels_list/session_3/ADNI_NIFD_tsv_linear.tsv"
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# Practical aspect

- Dependencies
- Current state of the project
- Test on the ClinicaDL software package

## Data constraints

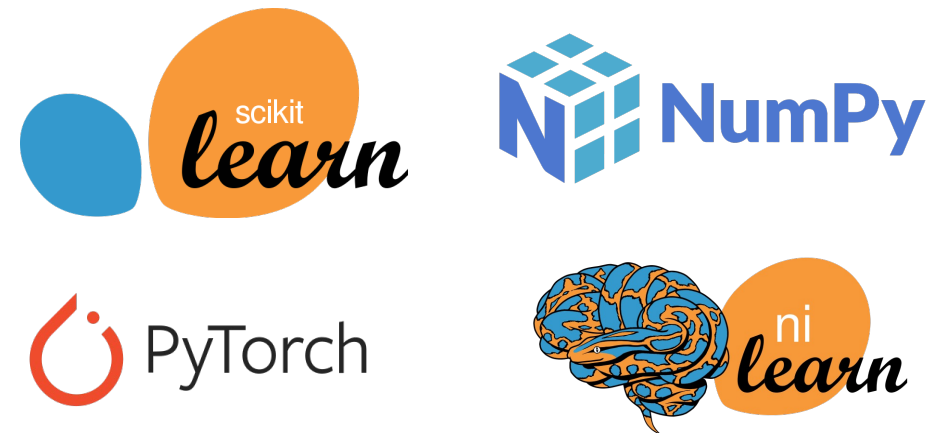


## Dependency management

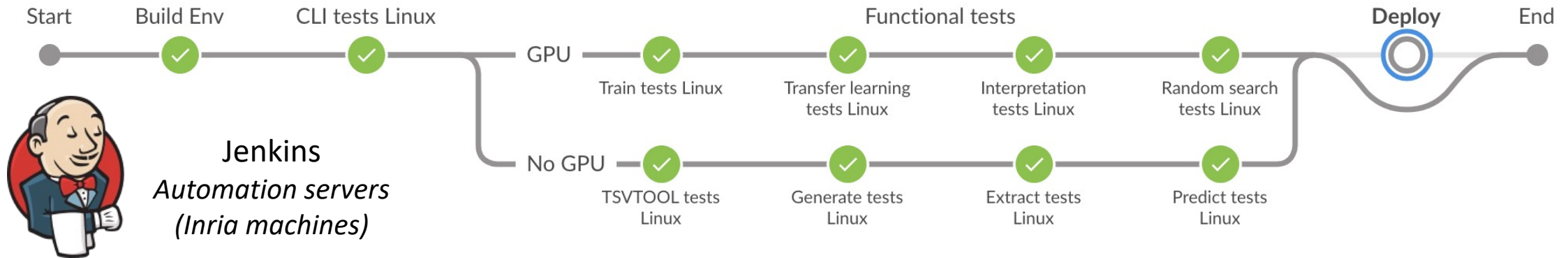
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141 [[package]]
142 name = "clinica"
143 version = "0.7.2"
144 description = "Software platform for clinical neuroimaging studies"
145 category = "main"
146 optional = false
147 python-versions = ">=3.8,<3.11"
148
149 [package.dependencies]
150 argcomplete = ">=1.9.4,<2.0.0"
151 attrs = ">=20.1.0"
152 cattr = ">=1.9.0,<2.0.0"
153 click = ">=8,<9"
154 click-option-group = ">=0.5,<0.6"
155 colorlog = ">=5,<6"
```



## Dependencies



## Continuous Integration



### 2 machines



### Stock testing data



Documentation: <https://clinicadl.readthedocs.io/en/latest/>

## Development:

- Team of 2 engineers and 1 Phd student (ARAMIS)
- External contributions are rare

## Versioning

15 releases  
since august 2020

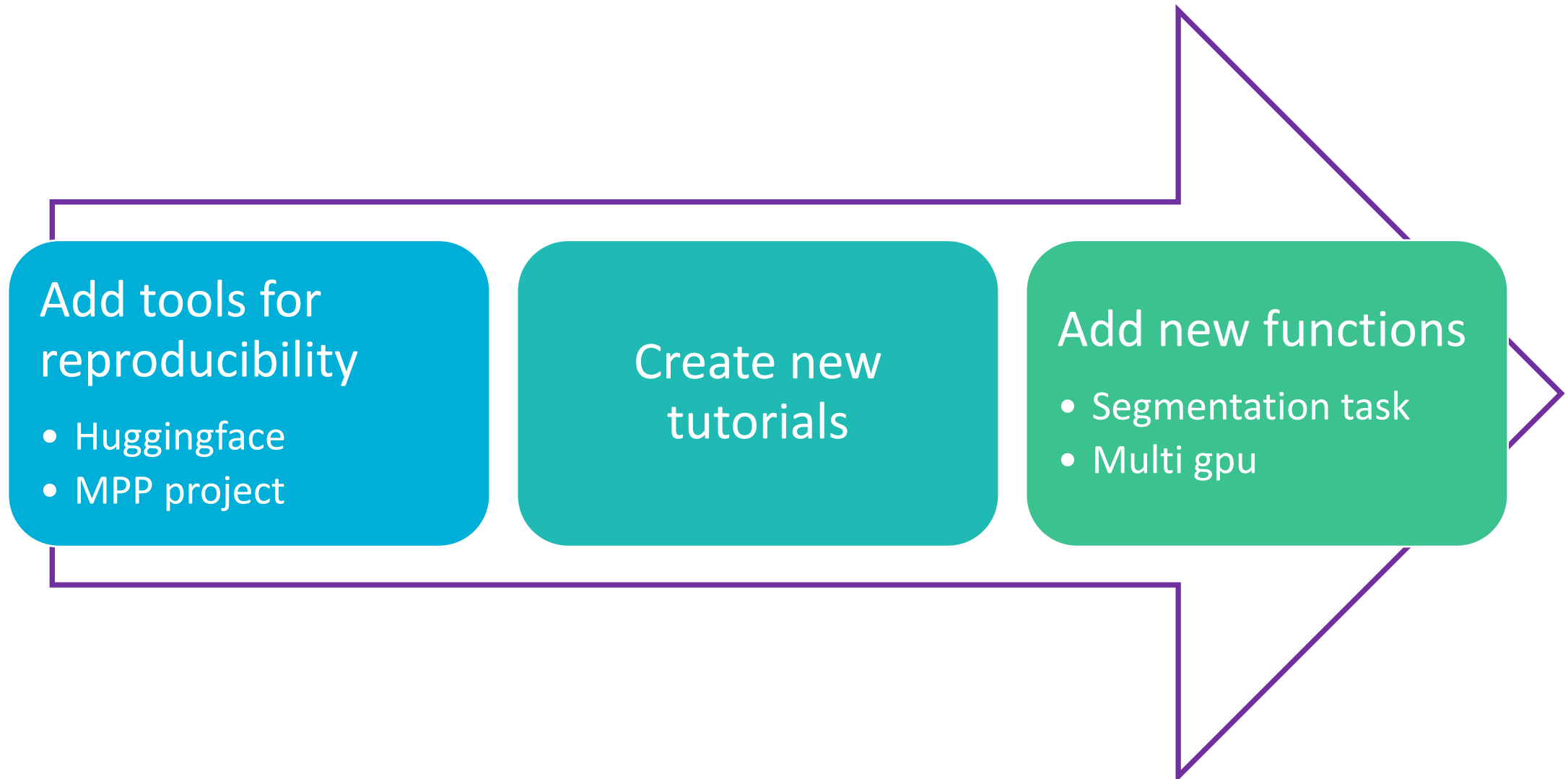


THIS VERSION

1.1.1  
28 juil. 2022

```
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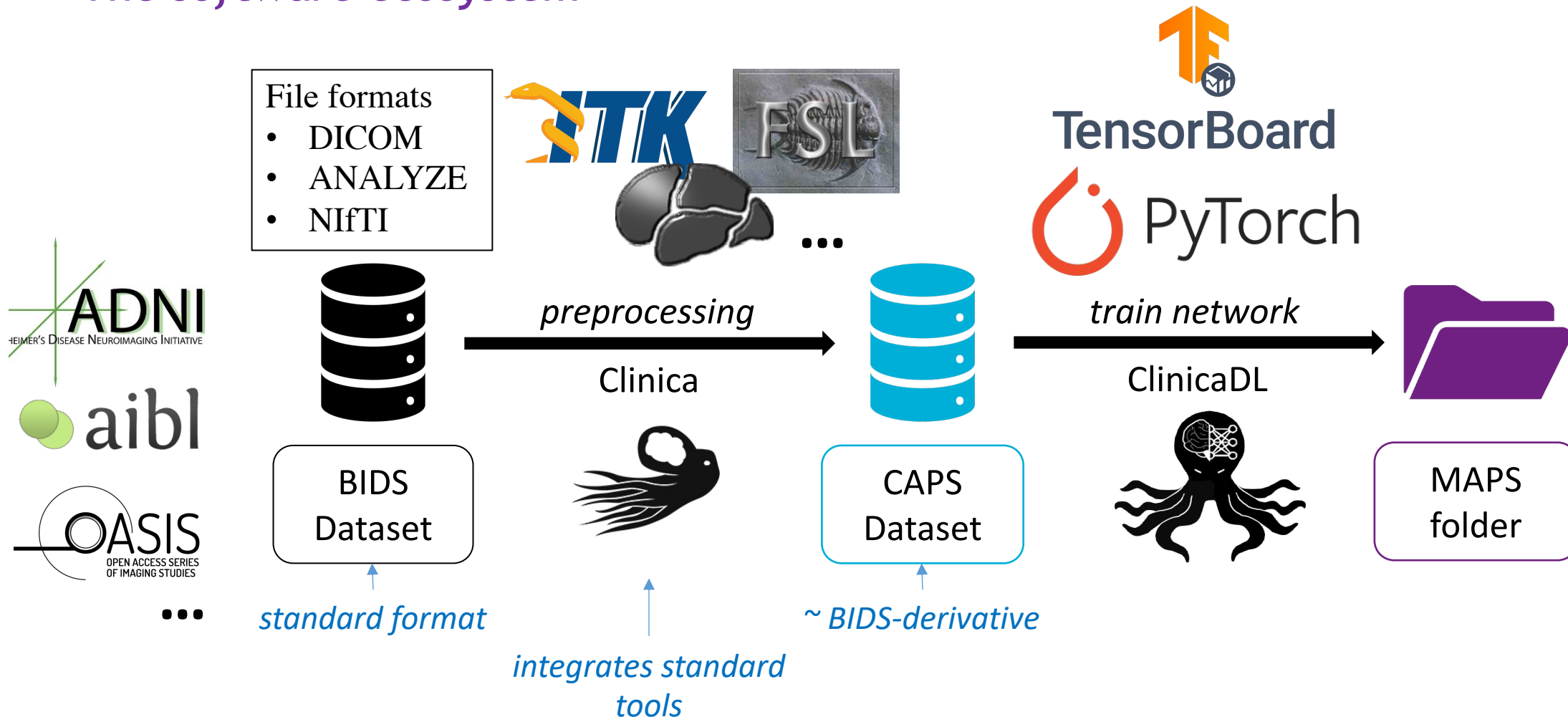
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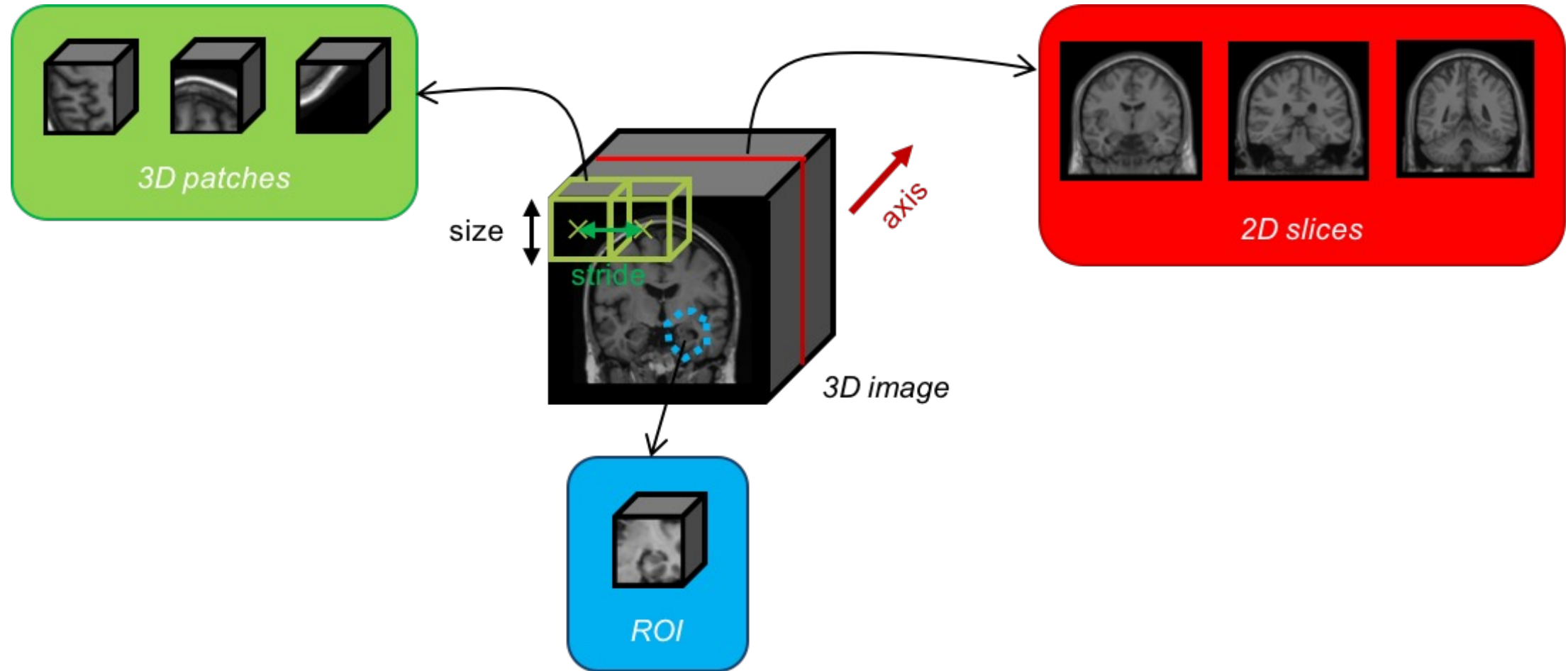
**Thanks !**  
**Any questions ?**

# Issue #1: Easy use of neuroimaging data sets

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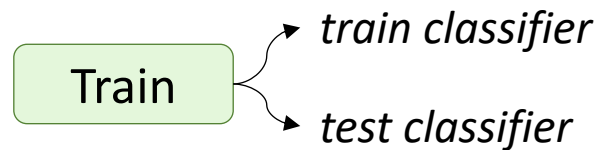


## 3D data decomposition

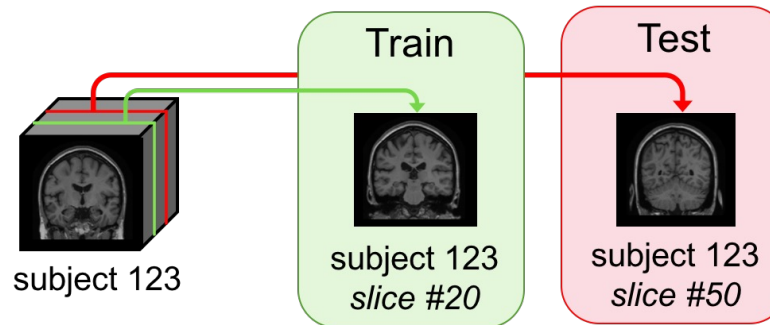


## Scenarios of data leakage

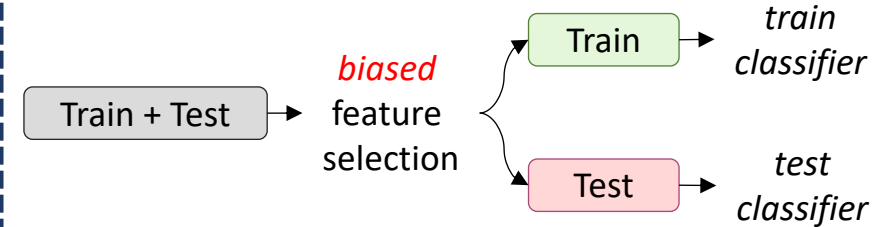
### 1. Absence of an independent test set



### 2. Biased split

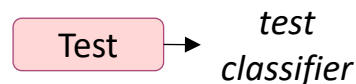
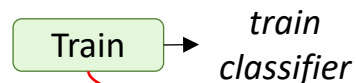


### 3. Late split

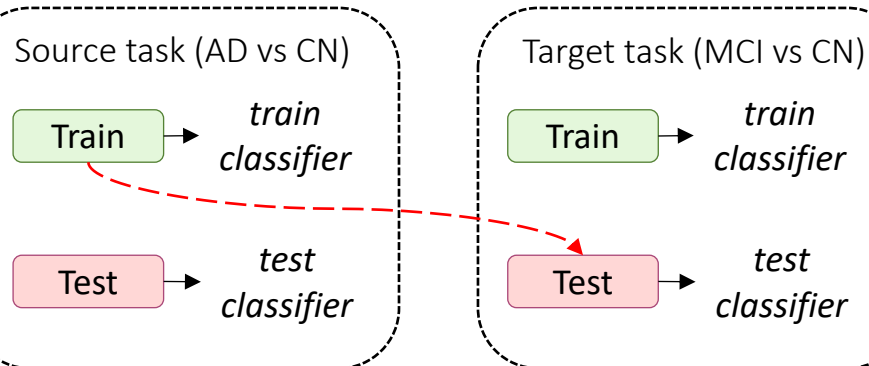
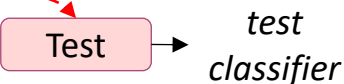
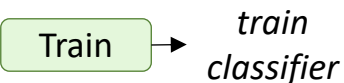


### 4. Biased transfer learning

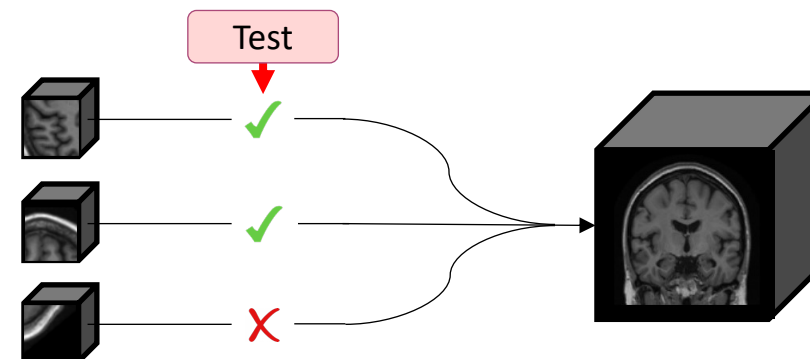
Source task (AD vs CN)



Target task (MCI vs CN)

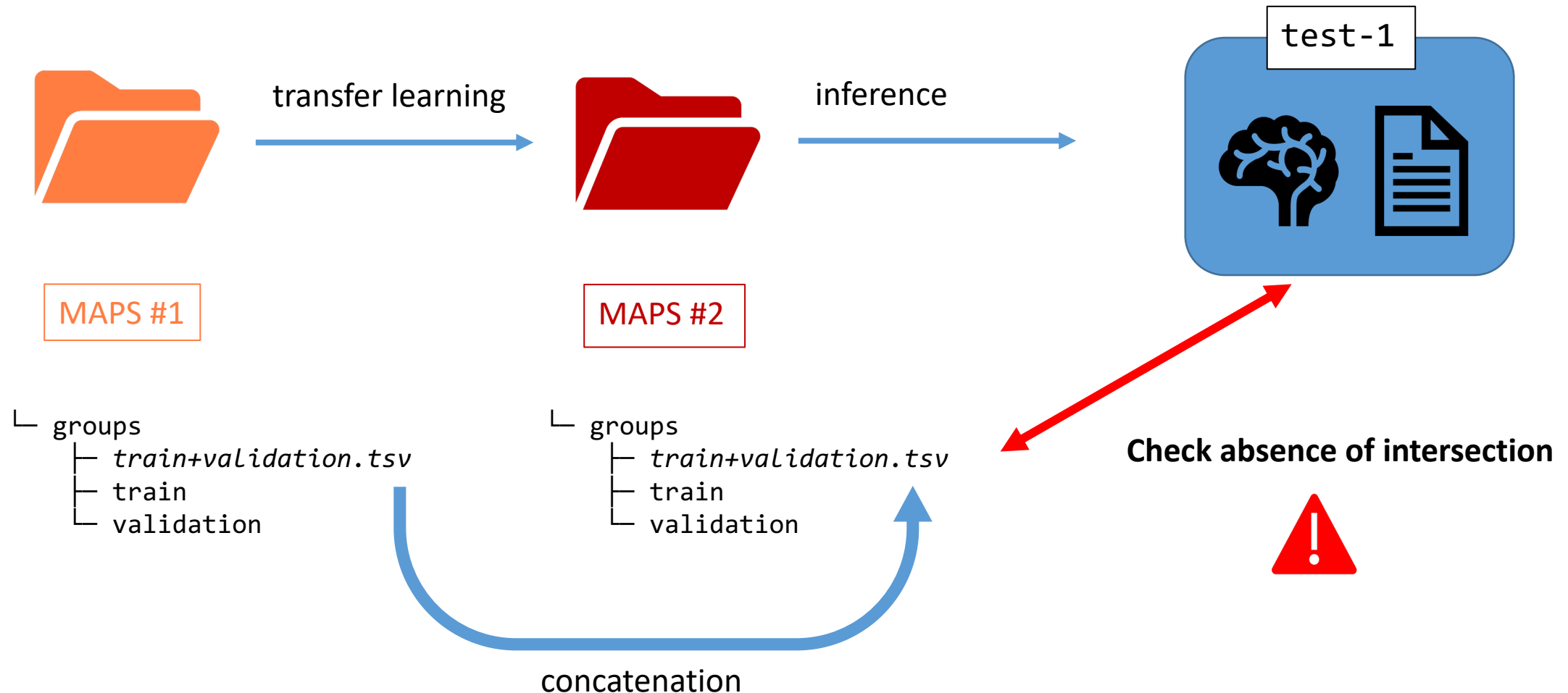


### 5. Biased ensemble learning



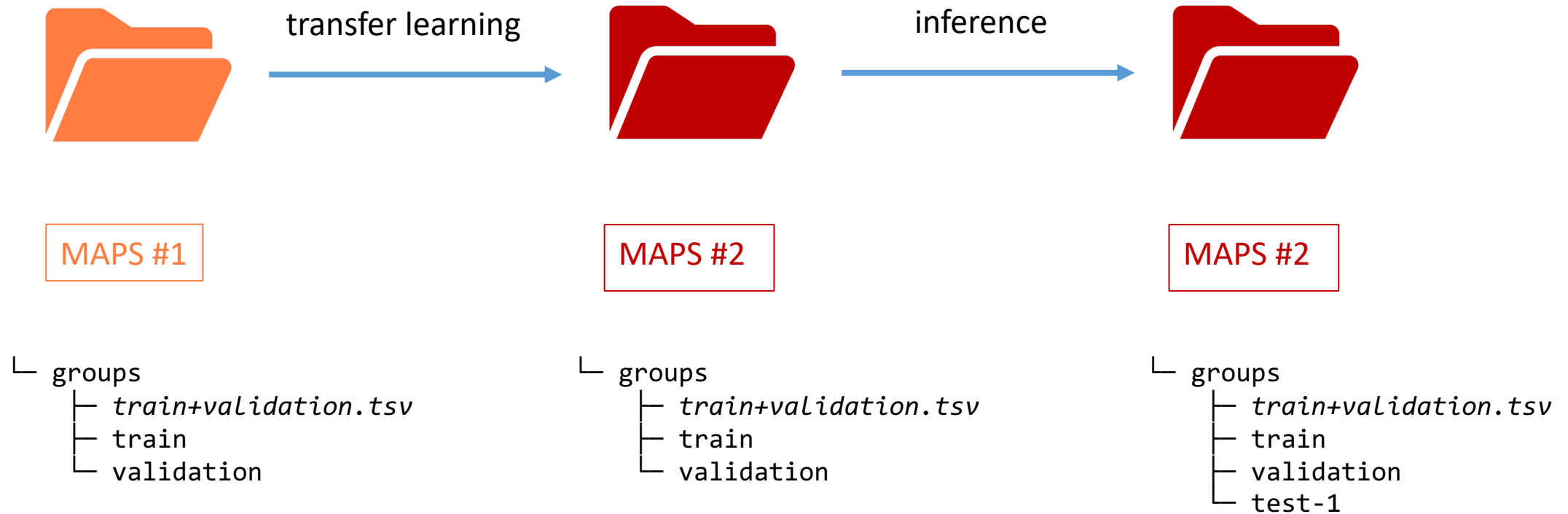
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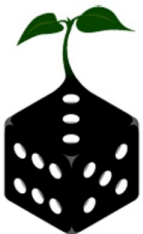


## Reproduce experiments

### Store all hyperparameters

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### Fix random seed

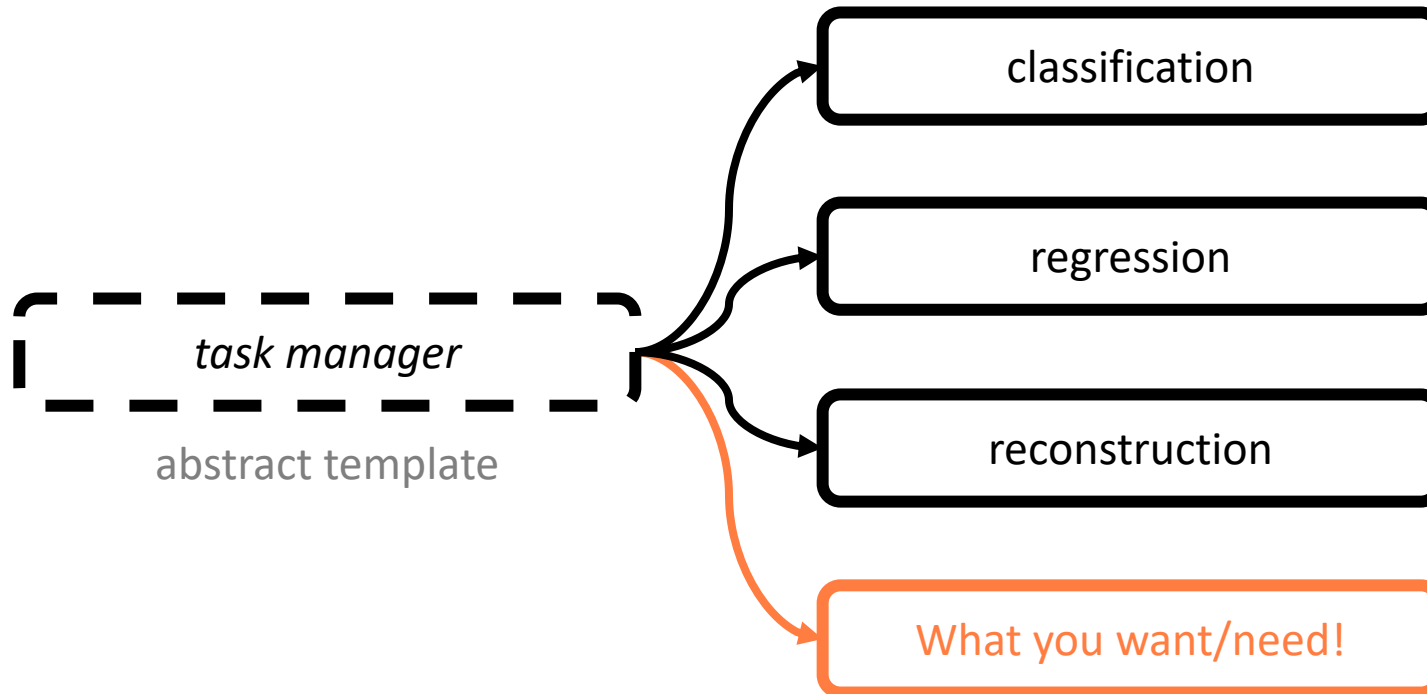


Fix initial state


Data loader ordering and  
transforms

Enforce determinism on  
GPU

## Flexibility



## More info online!

 [ClinicaDL Documentation](#)

Advanced user guide ▾

[Customize your training](#)

Test your modifications

Contribute to the project

Available for **tasks**, **validation procedure**, **metrics**, **modes** and **architectures**!

# Thank you!

## ClinicaDL: an open-source deep learning software for reproducible neuroimaging processing

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**ClinicaDL: an open-source deep learning software for reproducible neuroimaging processing**

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Deep learning has become one of the most used data analysis technique for medical image analysis. Unfortunately, this recent massive use of deep learning has also been associated with methodological flaws in many studies which results are contaminated by data leakage.

Moreover, the whole deep learning community faces a reproducibility crisis that discredits its results. Hence there is an urgent need in publishing open-source software, data sets and scripts that allow reproducing the methodologies described in deep learning studies.

Finally, deep learning users who are not neuroimaging specialists have difficulty in accessing properly formatted and pre-processed data sets. This issue has been partly tackled by a data set format established by the community: the Brain Imaging Data Structure (BIDS).

- Software overview
- MAPS
- Motivations & Solutions
- Conclusion
- Useful links

Prepare your data → CAPS dataset → Train a model → MAPS folder → Infer results → Explore & Interpret

The Model Analyze and Processing Structure (MAPS) contains the results of all operations performed on a model.

MAPS: Model weights, Experiment parameters, Training logs, Evaluation on test sets, Model interpretation.

**Use of neuroimaging**

The software ecosystem: preprocessing (fsl, SPM, AFNI), CAPS Dataset, high-level analysis (nipype, nipype), MAPS folder.

**Problem:** Diversity of formats (DICOM - ANALYZE - NIFTI), Complex set of preprocessing tools (3TK).

**Solution:** Use of a standard (BIDS), Unique library (Clinica).

**Problem:** High dimensional data.

**Solution:** 3D data decomposition (3D patches, 3D atlas, 3D maps).

**Problem:** Achieve transparency.

**Solution:** Share usable code (Python, Docker, Jupyter, GitHub).

**Problem:** Reproduce experiments.

**Solution:** Store hyperparameters in JSON file, Fix random seed.

**Problem:** Many possible scenarios of data leakage.

1. Abuse of an independent test set, 2. Board split, 3. Late split, 4. Board transfer learning, 5. Board ensemble learning.

**Sample of solution:** Check intersection with training data. Inference (test set), MAPS, Check distance of intersection for all participants (even during training and eventual pre-training!).

Preprint HAL, GitHub, Documentation

HAL-03351976, arxiv:1911.04824v1, doi:10.26434/chemrxiv-2019-04824



Come and discuss with us at the poster session!

