

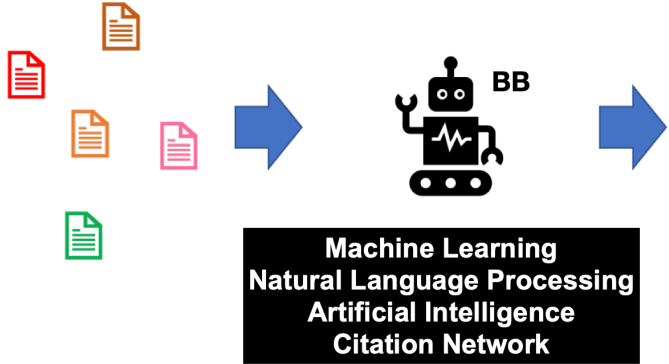
# Enhancing Reliability in Automated Literature Screening: A Resample Algorithm

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# Overview

- Automated literature screening
- A resample algorithm
- Questions

# Automated Literature Screening



1. Train a predictive model to predict the probability of relevancy for each candidate paper.
2. Only screen the papers with high probability of relevance.

# Example 1

- Task: Screening 10,000 candidate papers.
- Example Workflow 1 (Supervised Learning):
  1. **Initial Screening:** Human reviewers screen 4,000 candidate papers randomly.
  2. **Model Training:** Utilize the screened papers as the training set to train a predictive model, denoted as  $M$ .
  3. **Final Screening:** Subsequently, screen the remaining 6,000 papers based on the predictive relevancy determined by the model.

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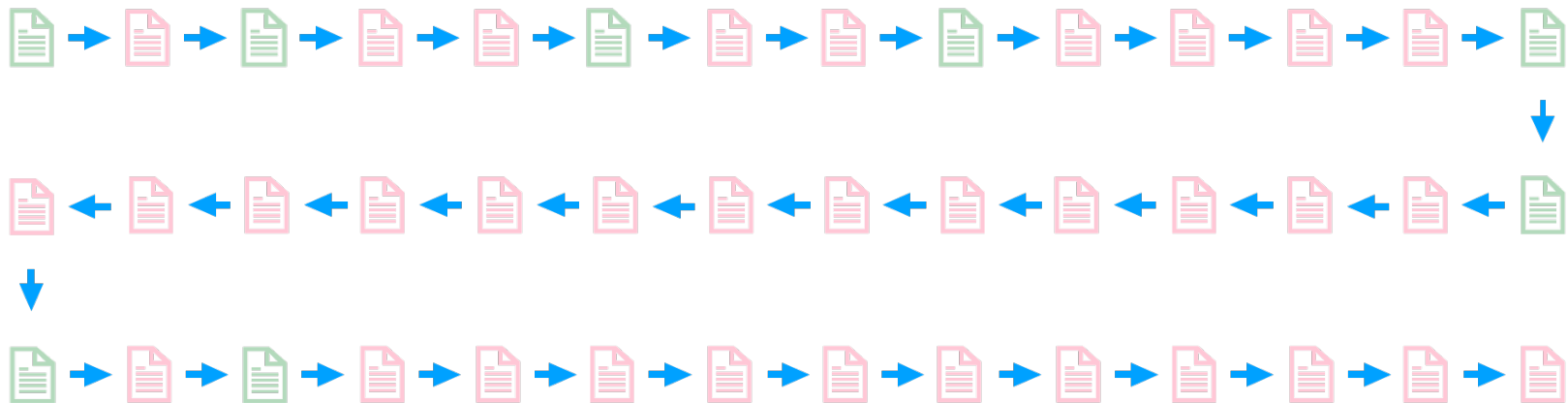
- Task: Screening 10,000 candidate papers.
- Example Workflow 2 (Learning with Model Updates):
  1. **Initial Screening:** Human reviewers randomly screen 2,000 candidate papers.
  2. **Model Training:** Utilize the screened papers as the training set to train the initial predictive model, denoted as  $M_1$ .
  3. **Secondary Screening:** Subsequently, select 2,000 candidate records with the highest predicted relevancy from the pool of 8,000 unscreened candidates.
  4. **Model Update:** Use the screened 4,000 papers to train an updated model.
  5. **Final Screening:** Screen the remaining 6,000 papers based on the predictive relevancy determined by the updated model.

## Example 3

- Task: Screening 10,000 candidate papers.
- Example Workflow 3 (Active Learning):
  1. **Initial Screening:** Human reviewers randomly screen 1 candidate paper.
  2. **Model Training:** Utilize the screened papers as the training set to train the initial predictive model, denoted as  $M_1$ .
  3. **Secondary Screening:** Subsequently, select 1 candidate record with the highest predicted relevancy from the pool of **9,999** unscreened candidates.
  4. **Model Update:**  $M_2 \rightarrow M_3 \rightarrow M_4 \rightarrow \dots$

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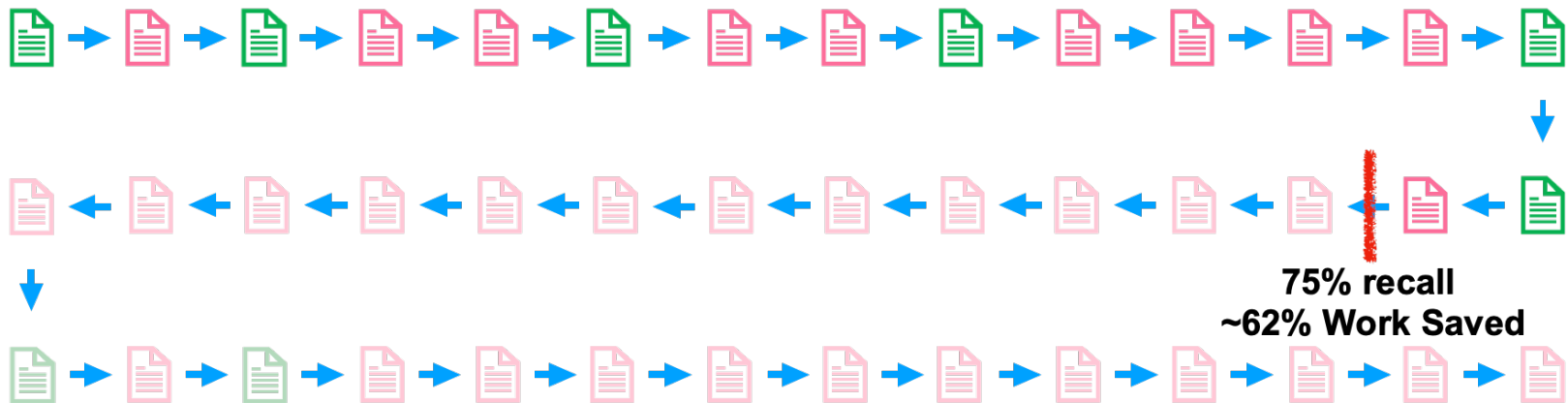


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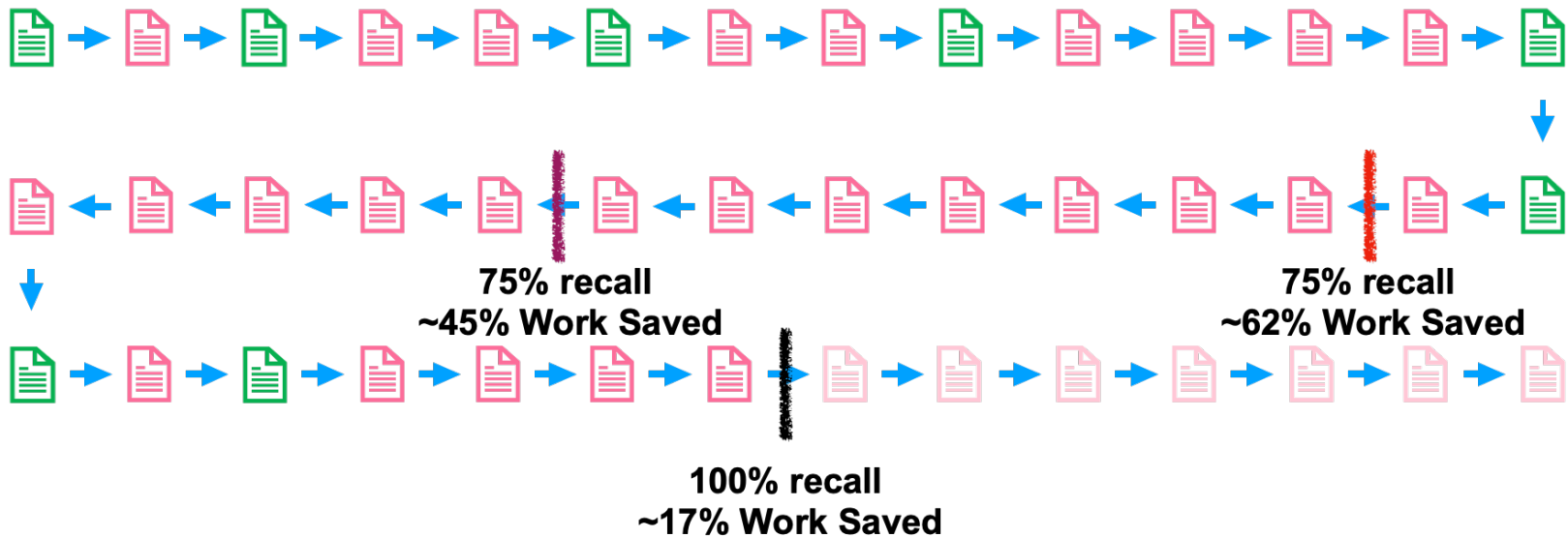
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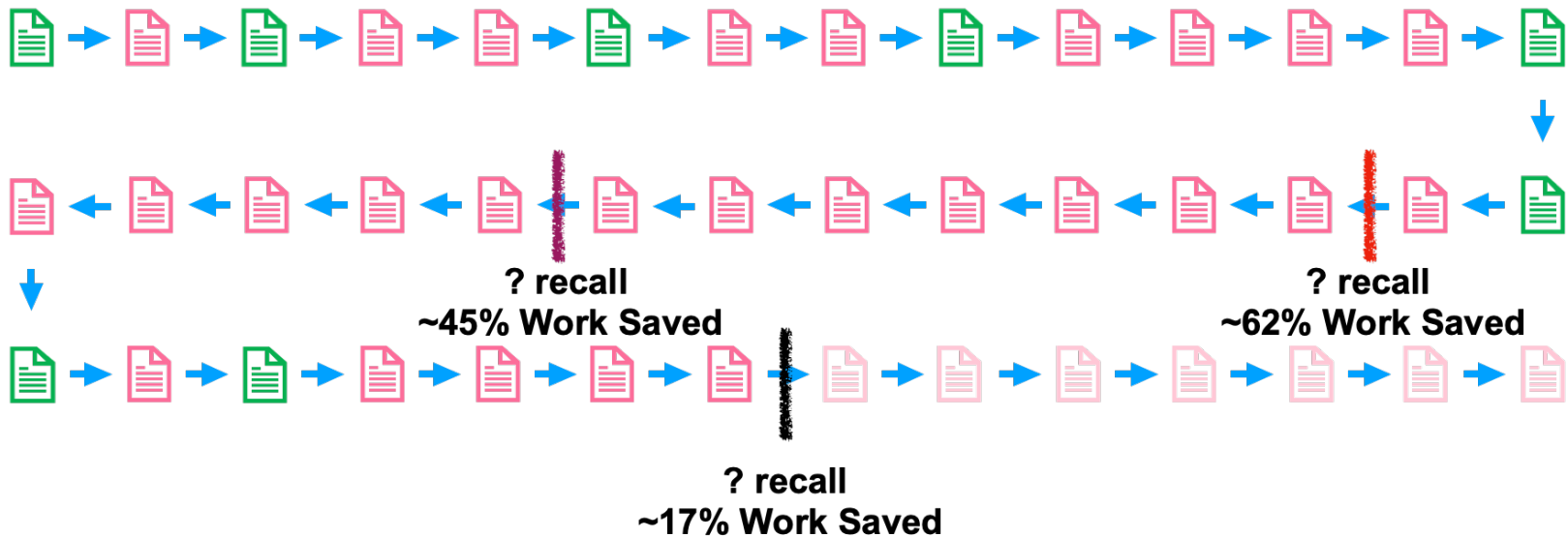
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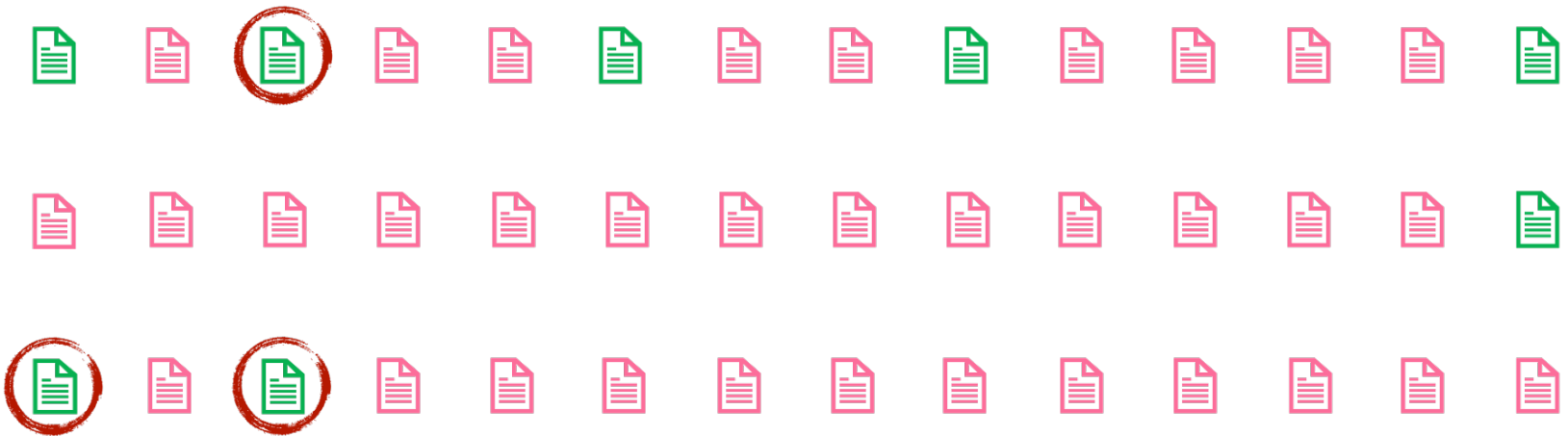
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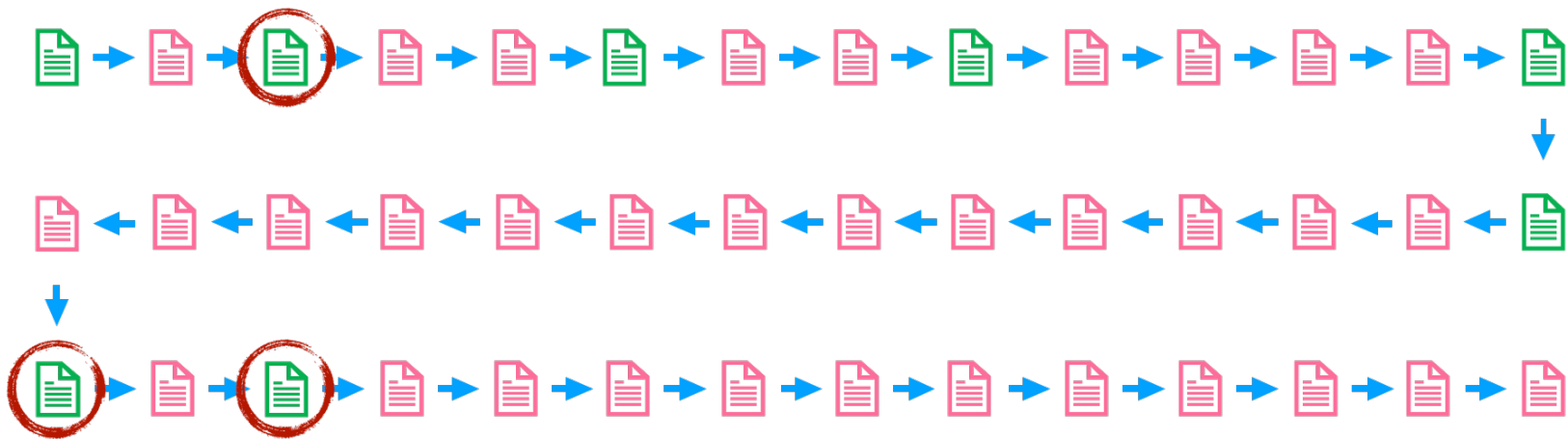
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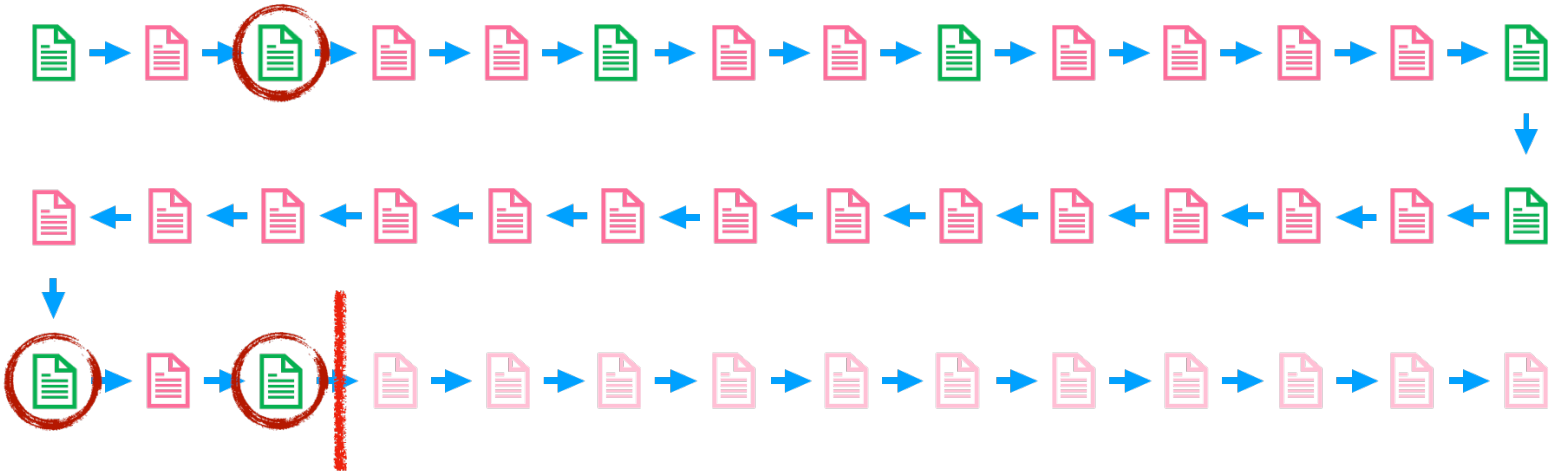
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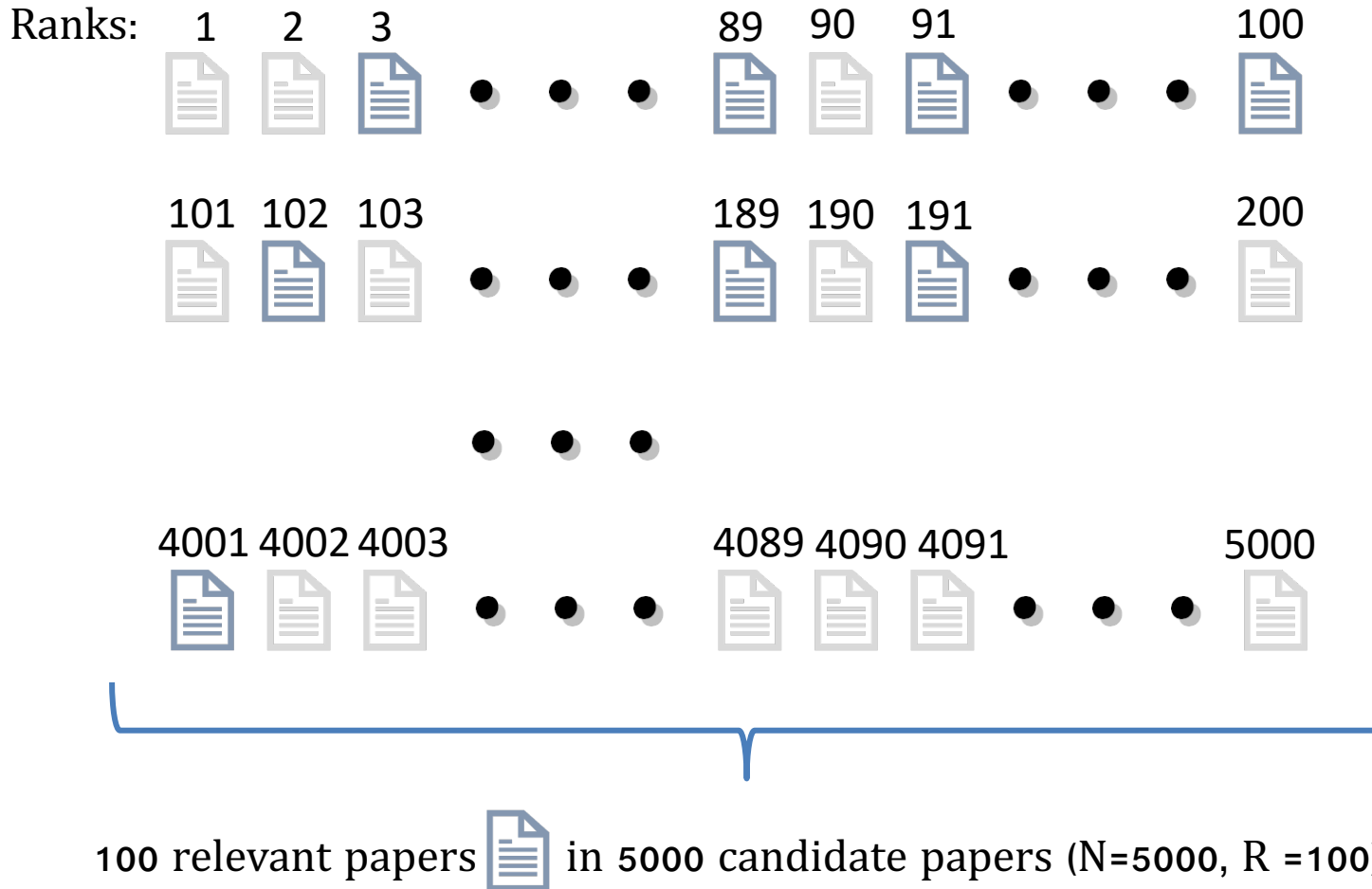


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- Rank the papers by predicted relevancy.
- Stop screening when all of the sampled papers are identified.
- $\text{Probability}(\text{Recall} \geq c) \geq 1 - c^k$ . (When  $k = 10$ ,  $\text{Probability}(\text{Recall} \geq 80\%) \geq 89.2\%$ )

How does the algorithm work?

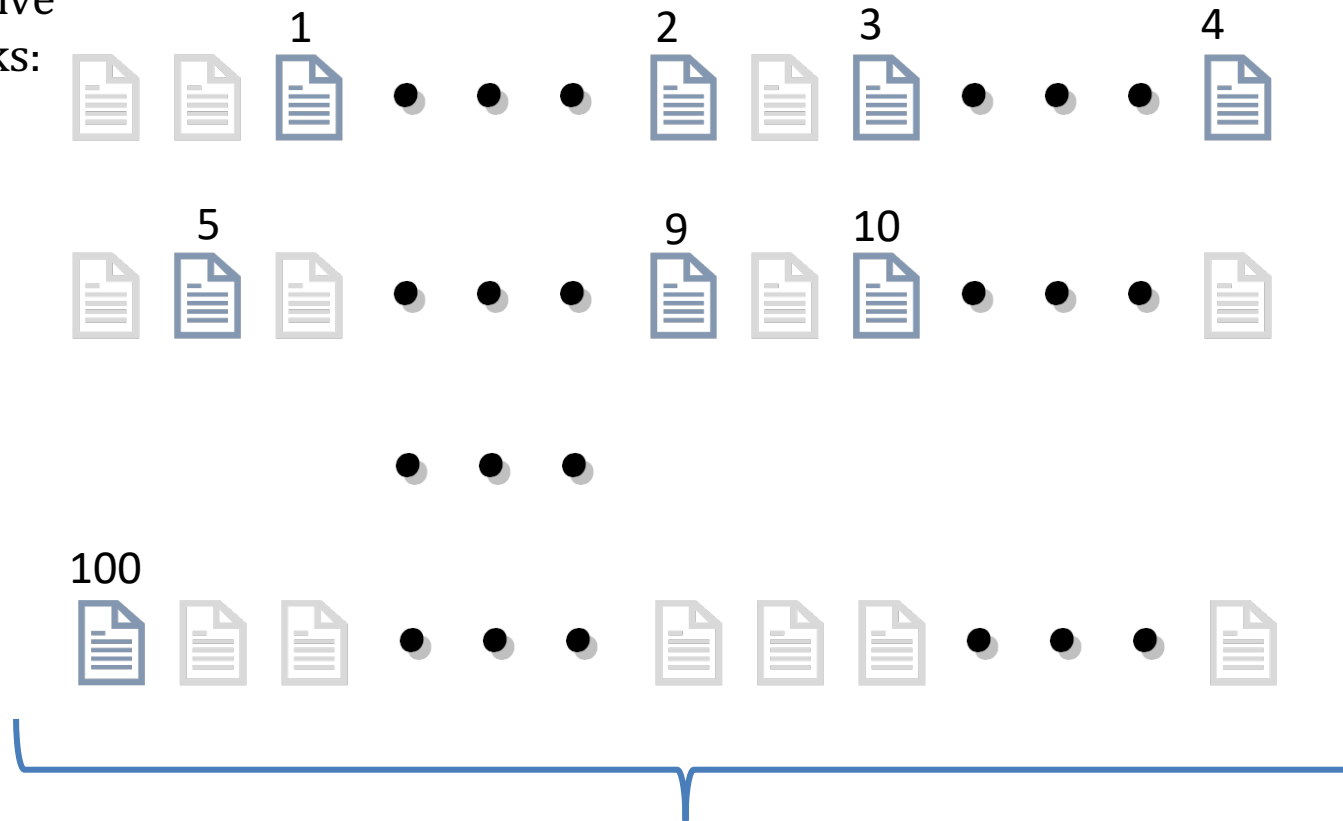



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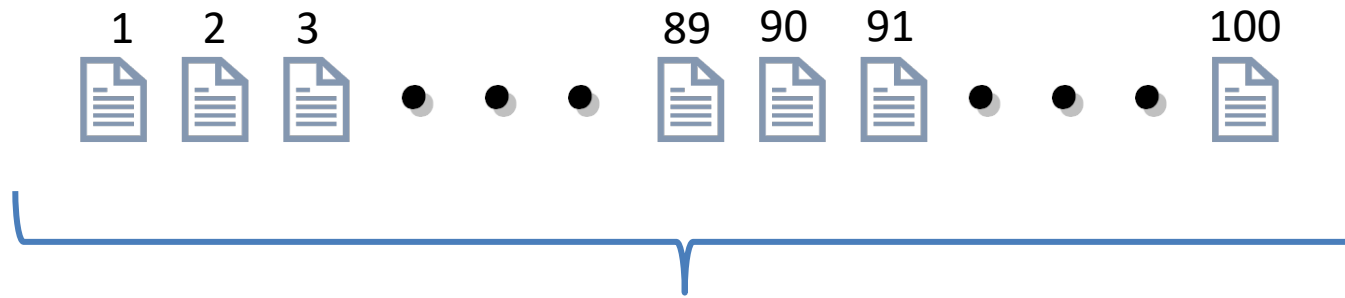
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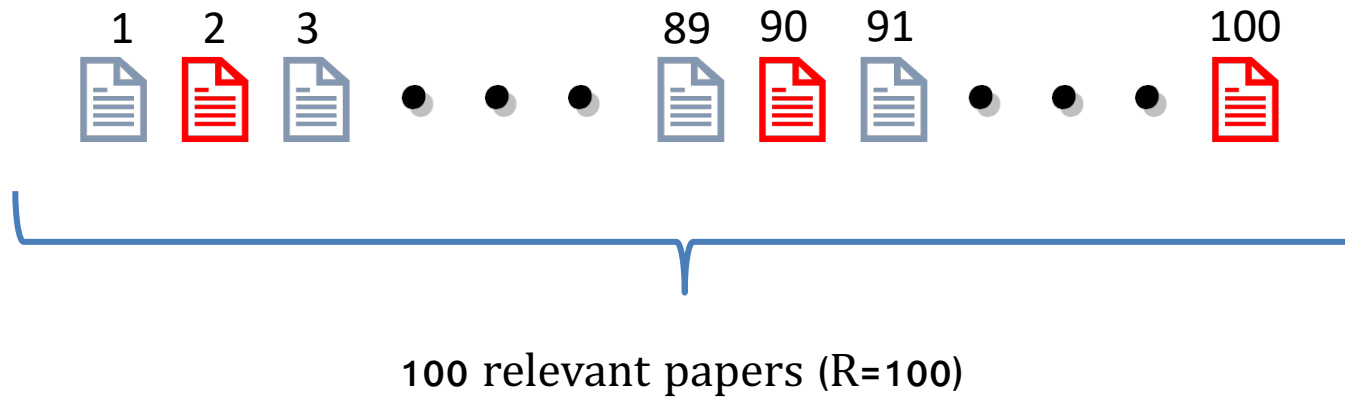
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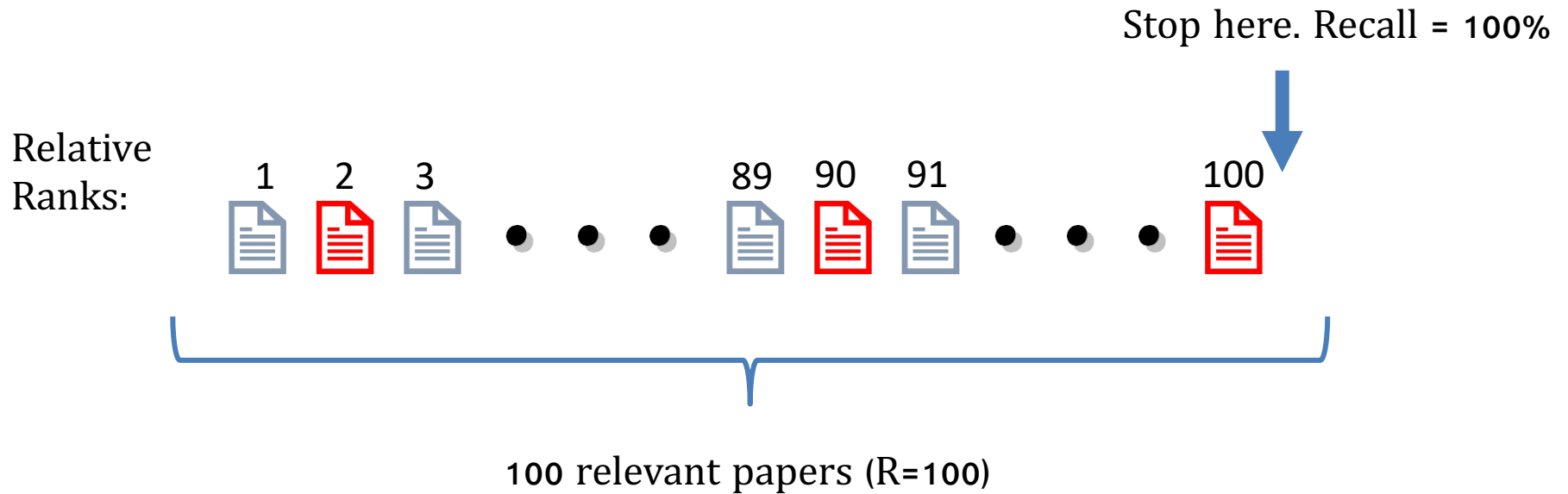
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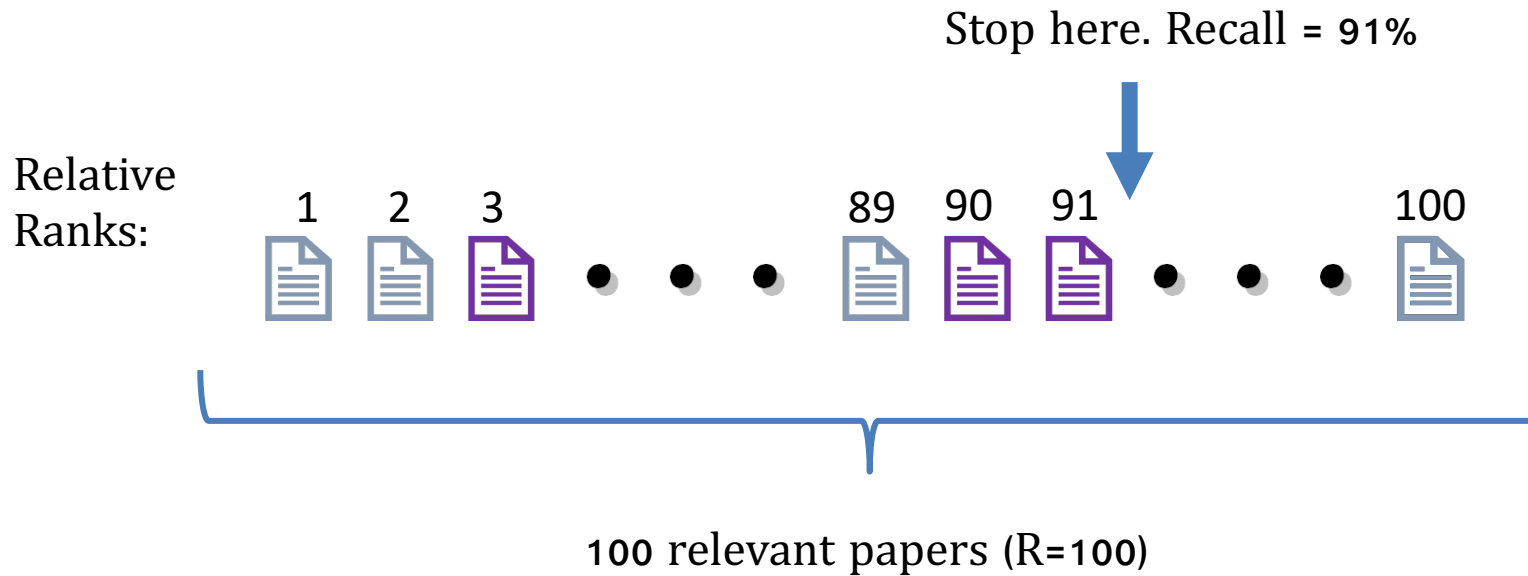
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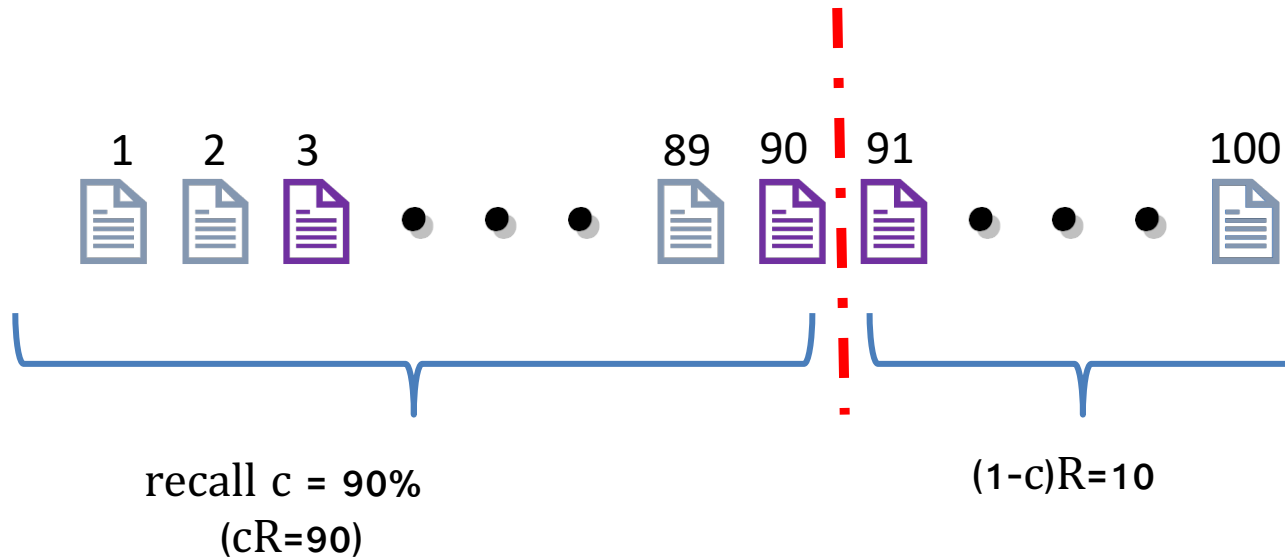
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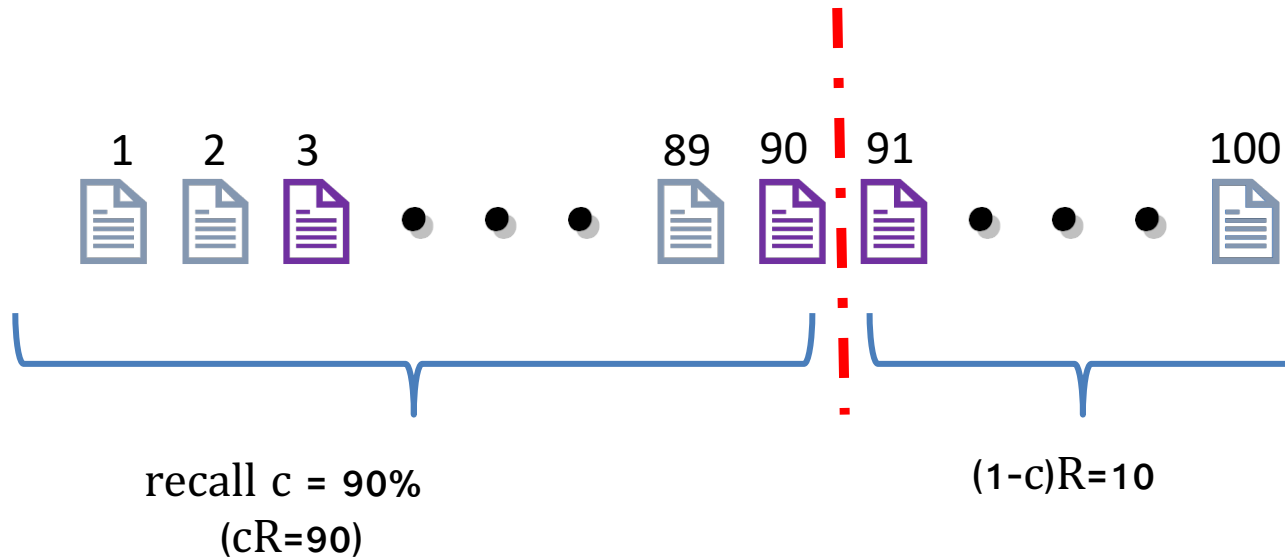


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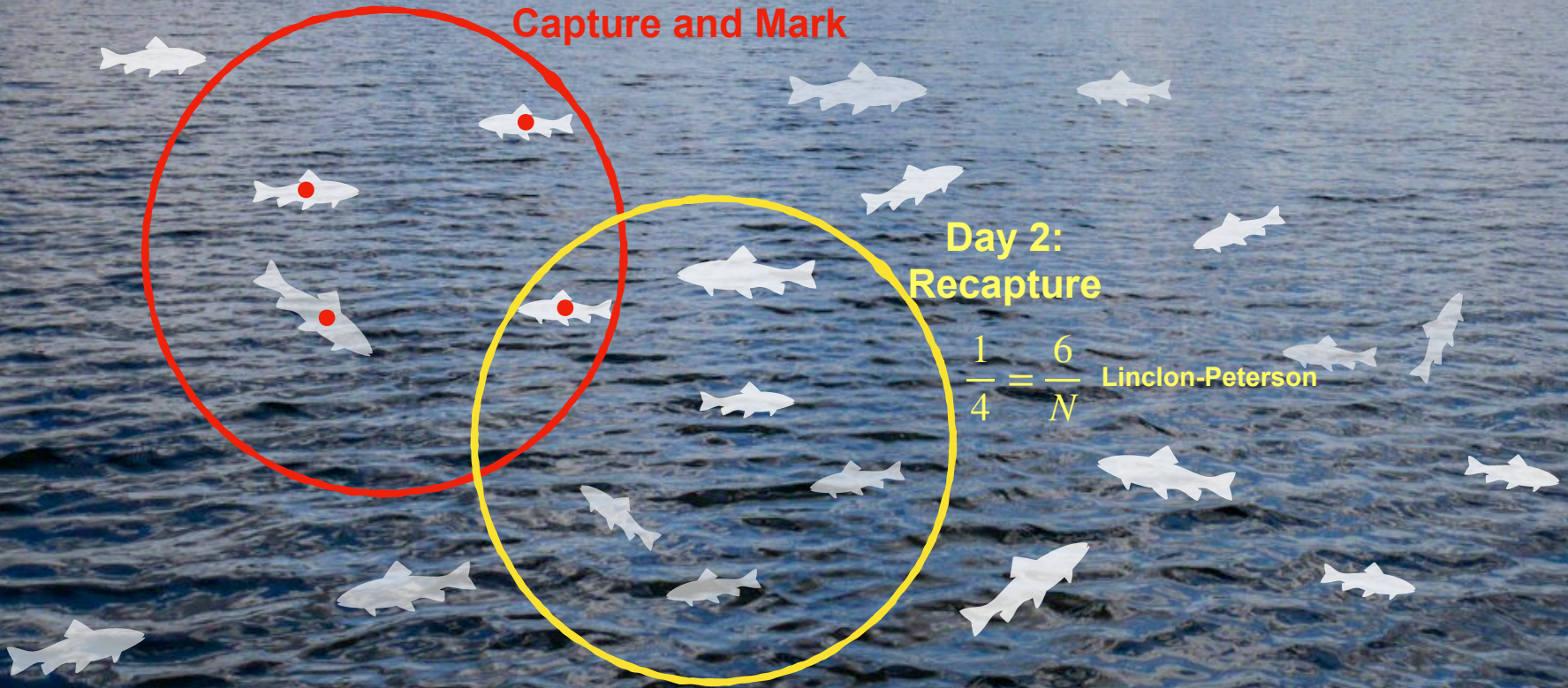
$$\begin{aligned} P(\text{recall} > 90\%) &= 1 - P(\text{All 10 sample papers are the top 90 papers}) \\ &= 1 - 0.9^{10}. \end{aligned}$$

# Capture - Mark - Recapture

Day 1:  
Capture and Mark

Day 2:  
Recapture

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{6}{N} \quad \text{Lincoln-Peterson}$$



# Discussion

1. This resample algorithm is compatible with any predictive models or AI.
2. A Better predictive model results in greater workload savings.
3. Questions?