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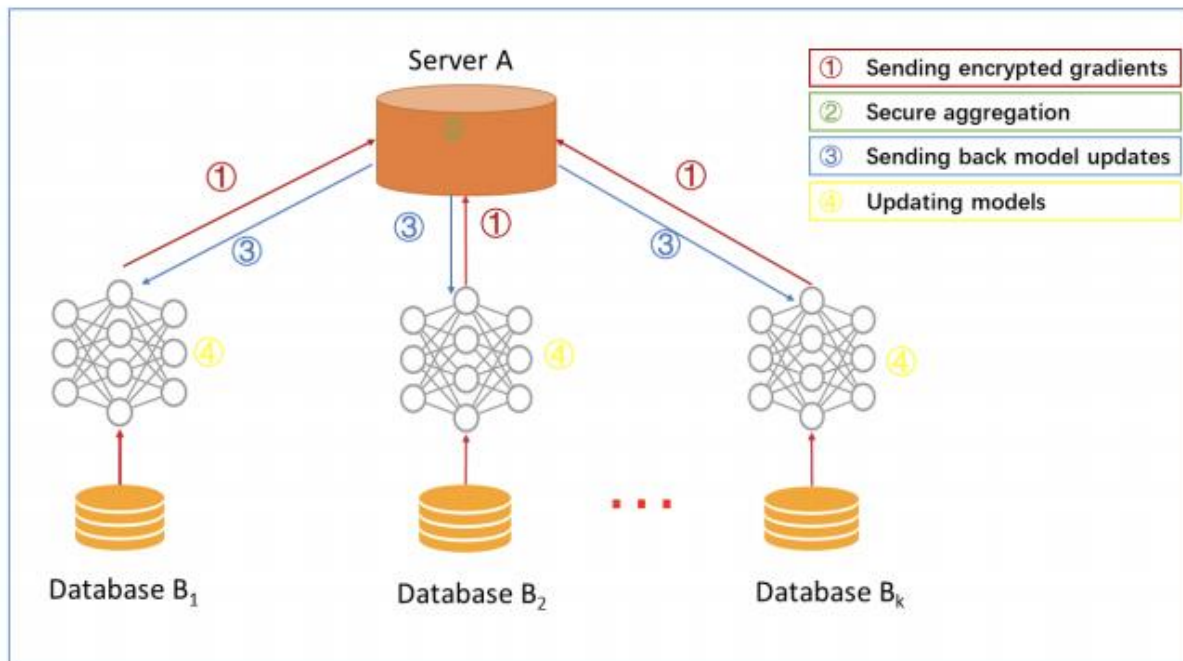
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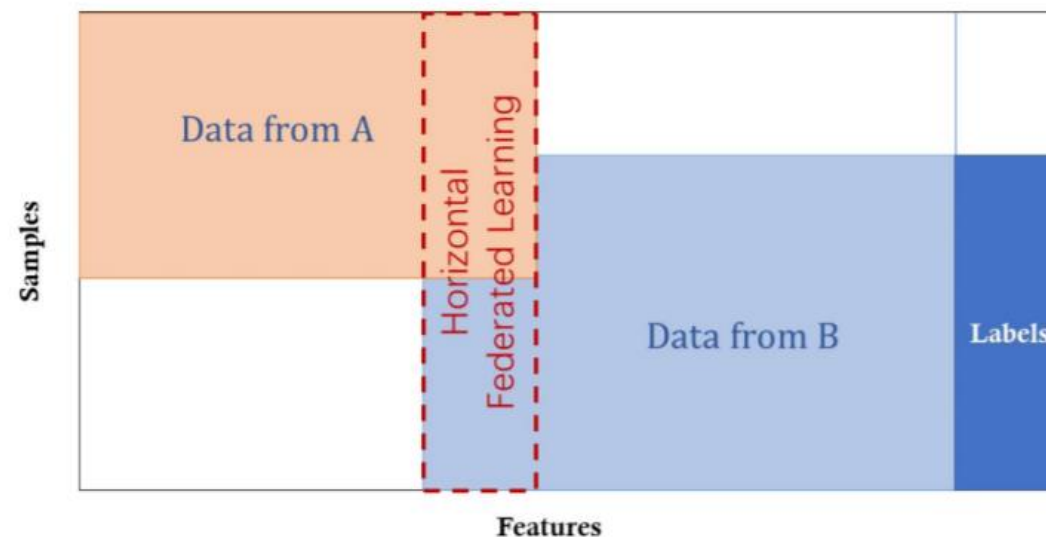
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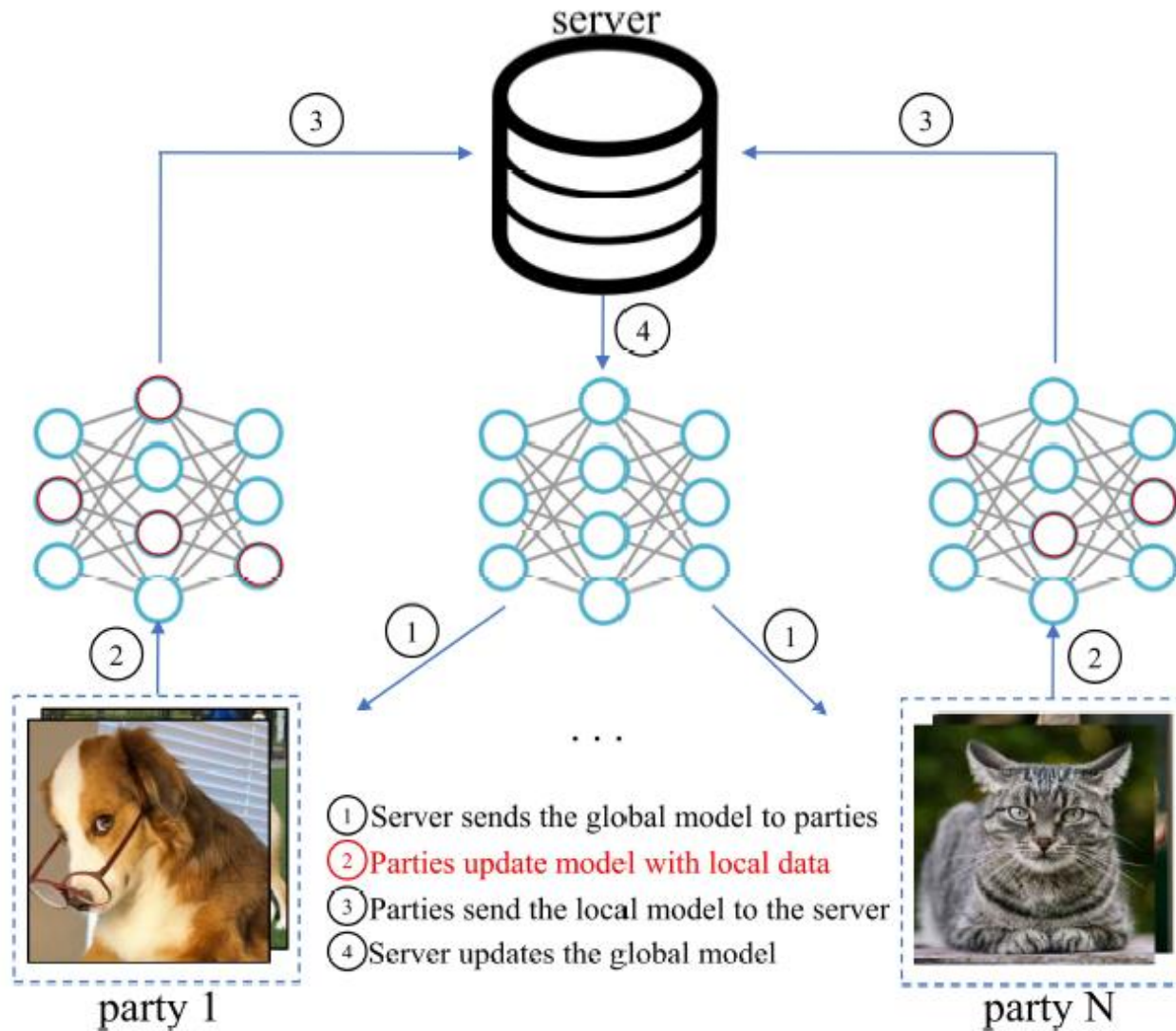
## Horizontal Federated Learning



$$\mathcal{X}_i = \mathcal{X}_j, \quad \mathcal{Y}_i = \mathcal{Y}_j, \quad I_i \neq I_j, \quad \forall \mathcal{D}_i, \mathcal{D}_j, i \neq j.$$

**Example:** Two regional banks may have very different user groups from their respective regions, and the intersection set of their users is very small.

However, their business is very similar, so the feature spaces are the same.



**Algorithm 1** FederatedAveraging. The  $K$  clients are indexed by  $k$ ;  $B$  is the local minibatch size,  $E$  is the number of local epochs, and  $\eta$  is the learning rate.

**Server executes:**

initialize  $w_0$

**for** each round  $t = 1, 2, \dots$  **do**

$m \leftarrow \max(C \cdot K, 1)$

$S_t \leftarrow$  (random set of  $m$  clients)

**for** each client  $k \in S_t$  **in parallel do**

$w_{t+1}^k \leftarrow \text{ClientUpdate}(k, w_t)$

$w_{t+1} \leftarrow \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{n_k}{n} w_{t+1}^k$

**ClientUpdate**( $k, w$ ): // Run on client  $k$

$\mathcal{B} \leftarrow$  (split  $\mathcal{P}_k$  into batches of size  $B$ )

**for** each local epoch  $i$  from 1 to  $E$  **do**

**for** batch  $b \in \mathcal{B}$  **do**

$w \leftarrow w - \eta \nabla \ell(w; b)$

**return**  $w$  to server

FedAvg: One of the standard and most widely used algorithm for federated learning.



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# Motivation

A key challenge in federated learning is to handle the **heterogeneity of local data distribution** across parties.

Existing methods failed to achieve high performance in **image datasets** with **deep learning models**.



MOON (**m**odel-**co**ntrastive learning) is proposed.

MOON is based on an intuitive idea: the model trained on the whole dataset is able to extract a better feature representation than the model trained on a skewed subset.

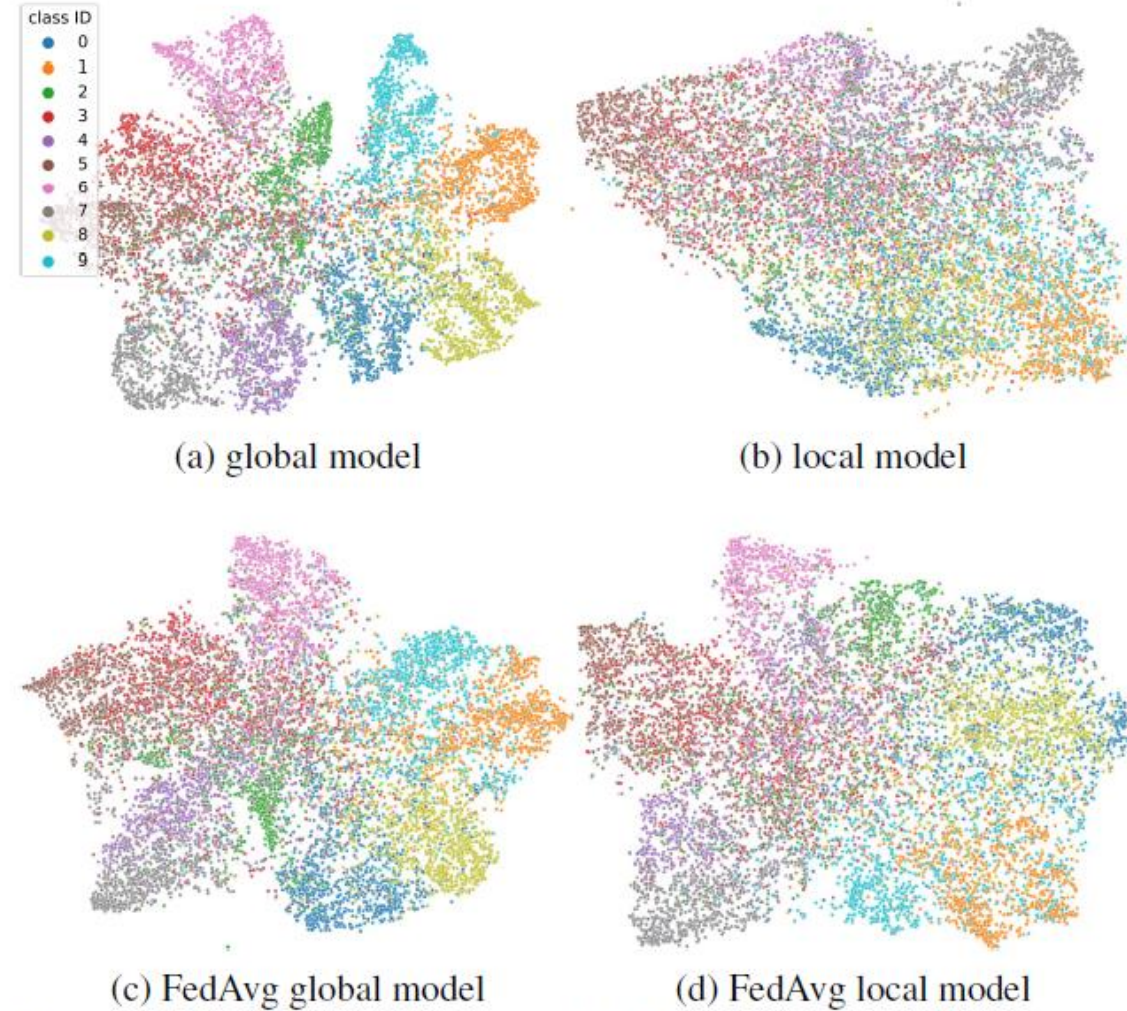


Figure 2. T-SNE visualizations of hidden vectors on CIFAR-10.

MOON:

- ✓ **Decreasing the distance between** the representation learned by the **local model and** the representation learned by the **global model**;
- ✓ **Increasing the distance between** the representation learned by the **local model and** the representation learned by the **previous local model**.

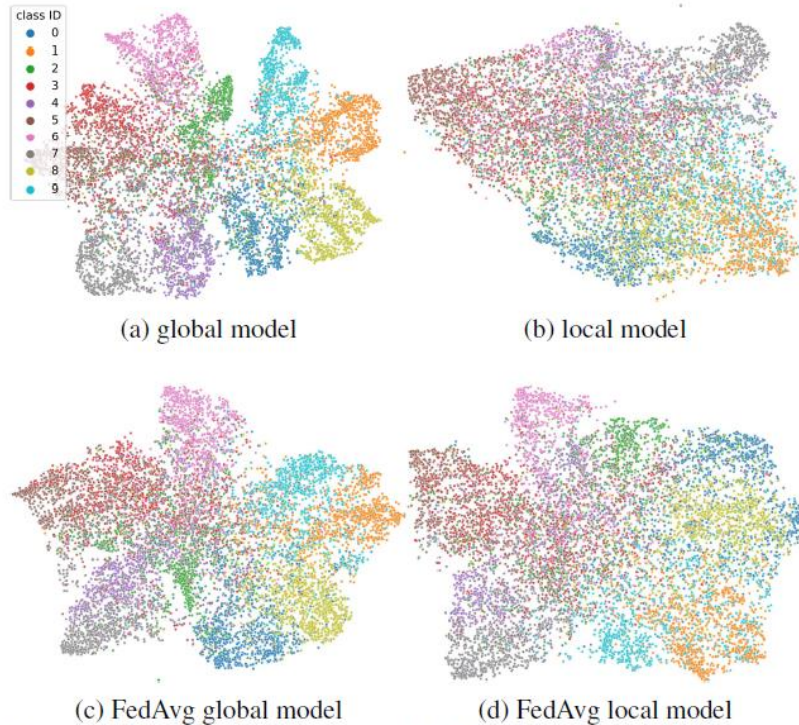


Figure 2. T-SNE visualizations of hidden vectors on CIFAR-10.

$$\Rightarrow l_{i,j} = -\log \frac{\exp(\text{sim}(x_i, x_j)/\tau)}{\sum_{k=1}^{2N} \mathbb{I}_{[k \neq i]} \exp(\text{sim}(x_i, x_k)/\tau)}$$

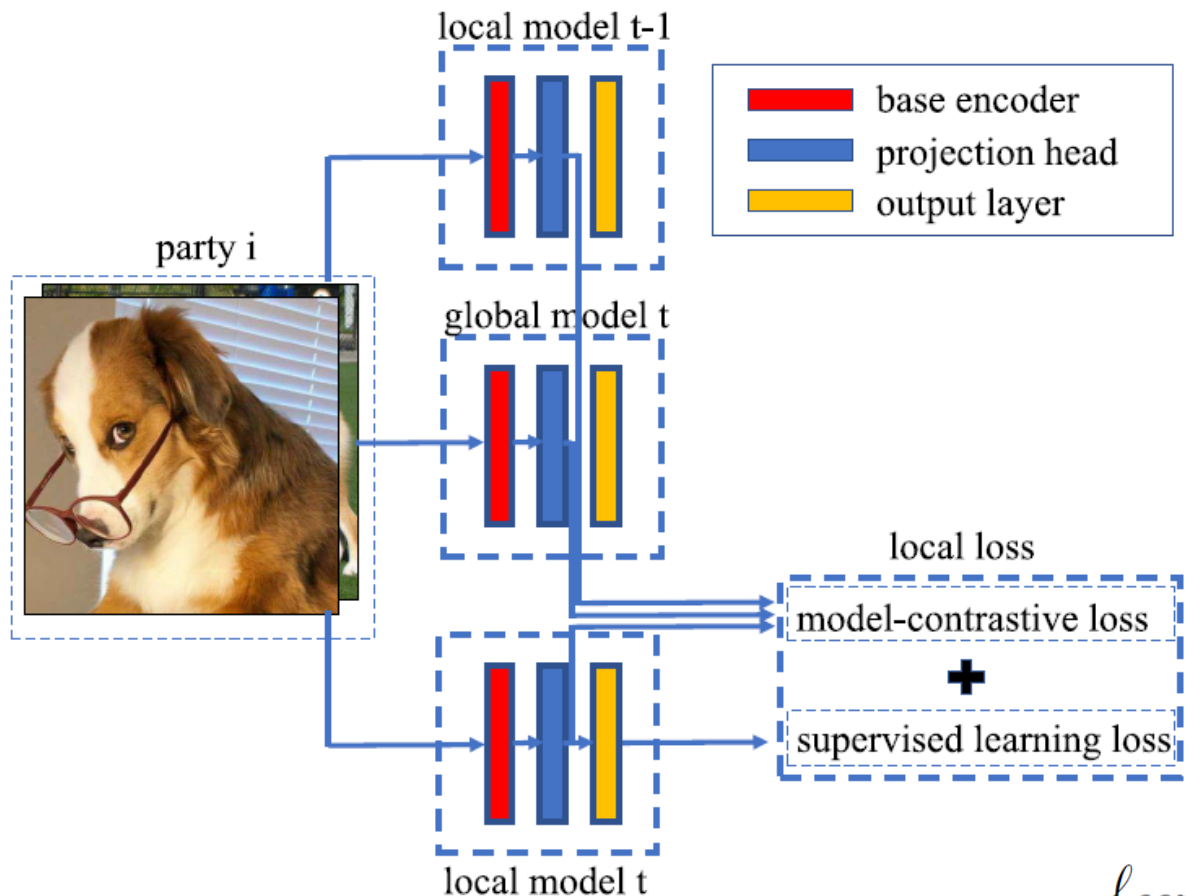
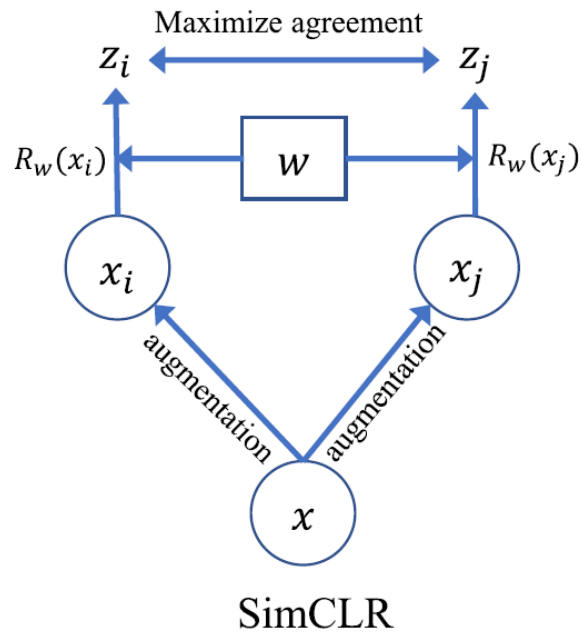
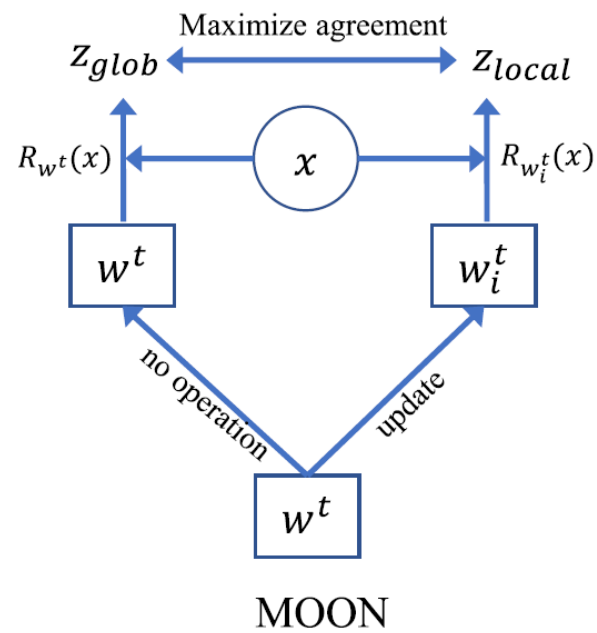


Figure 3. The local loss in MOON.



SimCLR



MOON

$$\ell_{con} = -\log \frac{\exp(\text{sim}(z, z_{glob})/\tau)}{\exp(\text{sim}(z, z_{glob})/\tau) + \exp(\text{sim}(z, z_{prev})/\tau)}$$

$$\ell = \ell_{sup}(w_i^t; (x, y)) + \mu \ell_{con}(w_i^t; w_i^{t-1}; w^t; x)$$

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**Algorithm 1:** The MOON framework

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**Input:** number of communication rounds  $T$ ,  
number of parties  $N$ , number of local  
epochs  $E$ , temperature  $\tau$ , learning rate  $\eta$ ,  
hyper-parameter  $\mu$

**Output:** The final model  $w^T$

1 **Server executes:**

2 initialize  $w^0$

3 **for**  $t = 0, 1, \dots, T - 1$  **do**

4     **for**  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$  **in parallel do**

5         send the global model  $w^t$  to  $P_i$

6          $w_i^t \leftarrow \text{PartyLocalTraining}(i, w^t)$

7      $w^{t+1} \leftarrow \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{|\mathcal{D}^i|}{|\mathcal{D}|} w_k^t$

8 **return**  $w^T$

9 **PartyLocalTraining**( $i, w^t$ ):

10  $w_i^t \leftarrow w^t$

11 **for** epoch  $i = 1, 2, \dots, E$  **do**

12     **for** each batch  $\mathbf{b} = \{x, y\}$  of  $\mathcal{D}^i$  **do**

13          $\ell_{sup} \leftarrow \text{CrossEntropyLoss}(F_{w_i^t}(x), y)$

14          $z \leftarrow R_{w_i^t}(x)$

15          $z_{glob} \leftarrow R_{w^t}(x)$

16          $z_{prev} \leftarrow R_{w_i^{t-1}}(x)$

17          $\ell_{con} \leftarrow$

$-\log \frac{\exp(\text{sim}(z, z_{glob})/\tau)}{\exp(\text{sim}(z, z_{glob})/\tau) + \exp(\text{sim}(z, z_{prev})/\tau)}$

18          $\ell \leftarrow \ell_{sup} + \mu \ell_{con}$

19          $w_i^t \leftarrow w_i^t - \eta \nabla \ell$

20 **return**  $w_i^t$  to server

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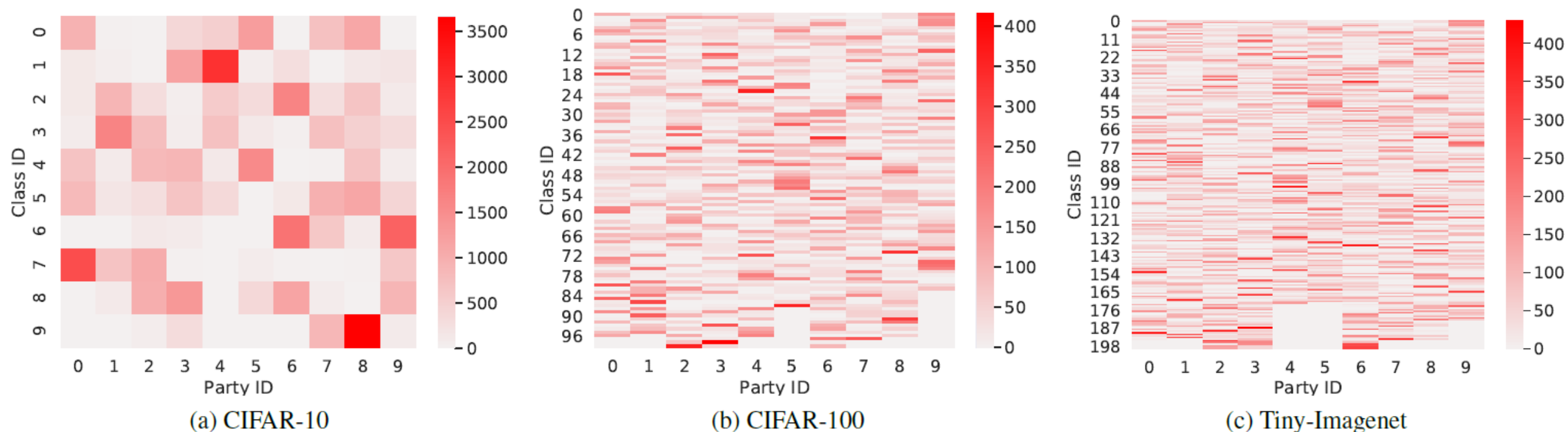
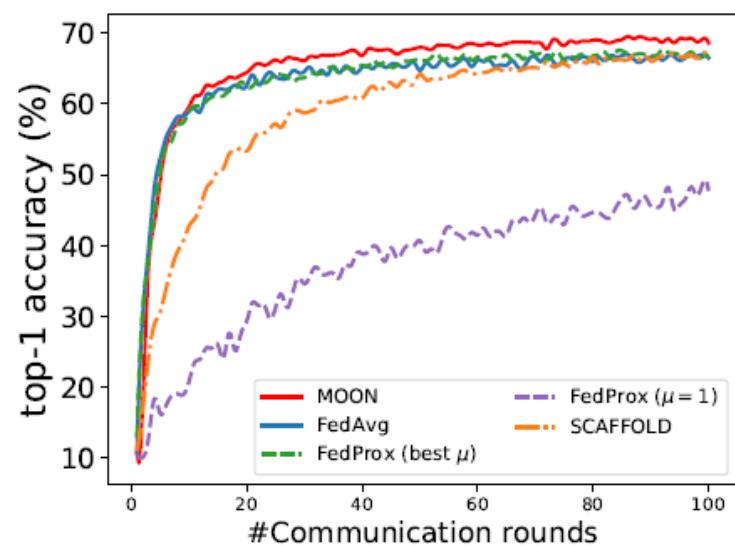


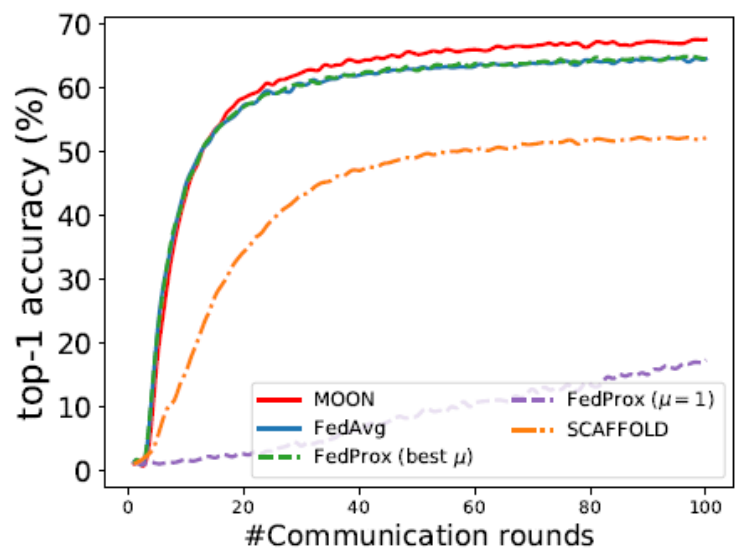
Figure 5. The data distribution of each party using non-IID data partition. The color bar denotes the number of data samples. Each rectangle represents the number of data samples of a specific class in a party.

Table 1. The top-1 accuracy of MOON and the other baselines on test datasets. For MOON, FedAvg, FedProx, and SCAFFOLD, we run three trials and report the mean and standard derivation. For SOLO, we report the mean and standard derivation among all parties.

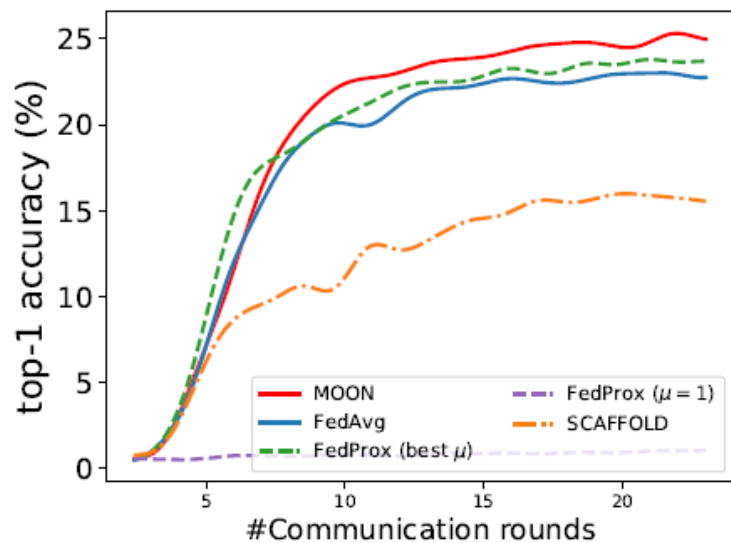
| Method   | CIFAR-10                 | CIFAR-100                | Tiny-Imagenet            |
|----------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| MOON     | <b>69.1%</b> $\pm 0.4\%$ | <b>67.5%</b> $\pm 0.4\%$ | <b>25.1%</b> $\pm 0.1\%$ |
| FedAvg   | 66.3% $\pm 0.5\%$        | 64.5% $\pm 0.4\%$        | 23.0% $\pm 0.1\%$        |
| FedProx  | 66.9% $\pm 0.2\%$        | 64.6% $\pm 0.2\%$        | 23.2% $\pm 0.2\%$        |
| SCAFFOLD | 66.6% $\pm 0.2\%$        | 52.5% $\pm 0.3\%$        | 16.0% $\pm 0.2\%$        |
| SOLO     | 46.3% $\pm 5.1\%$        | 22.3% $\pm 1.0\%$        | 8.6% $\pm 0.4\%$         |



(a) CIFAR-10



(b) CIFAR-100

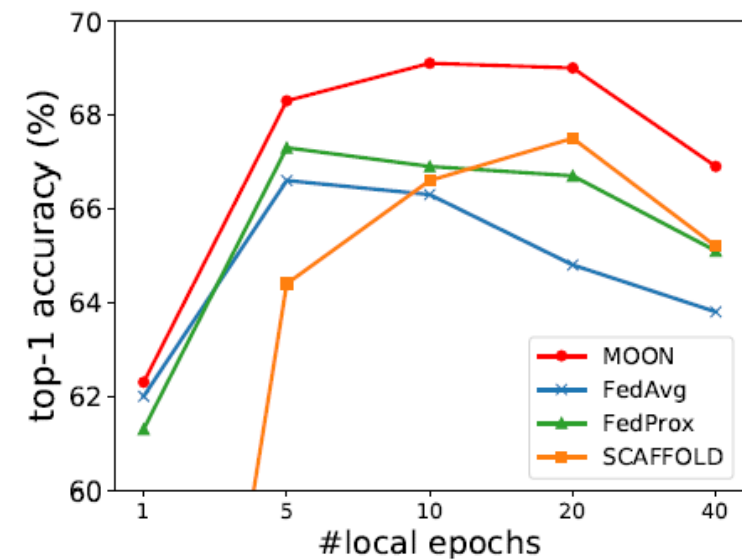


(c) Tiny-Imagenet

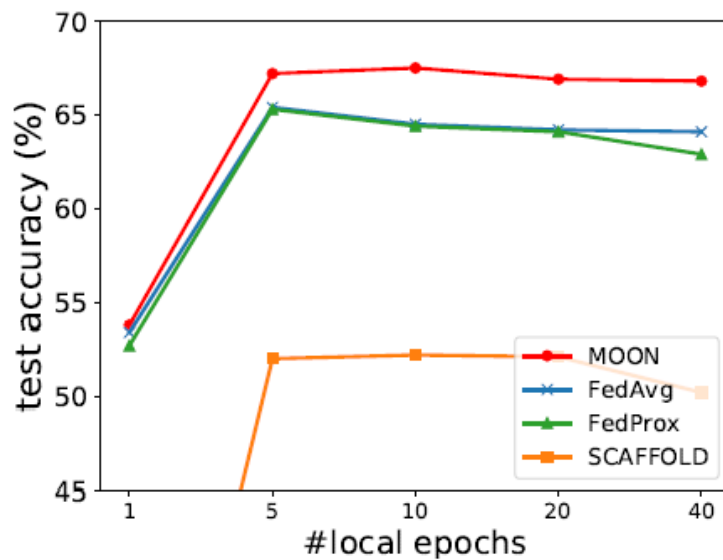
Figure 6. The top-1 test accuracy in different number of communication rounds. For FedProx, we report both the accuracy with best  $\mu$  and the accuracy with  $\mu = 1$ .

Table 2. The number of rounds of different approaches to achieve the same accuracy as running FedAvg for 100 rounds (CIFAR-10/100) or 20 rounds (Tiny-Imagenet). The speedup of an approach is computed against FedAvg.

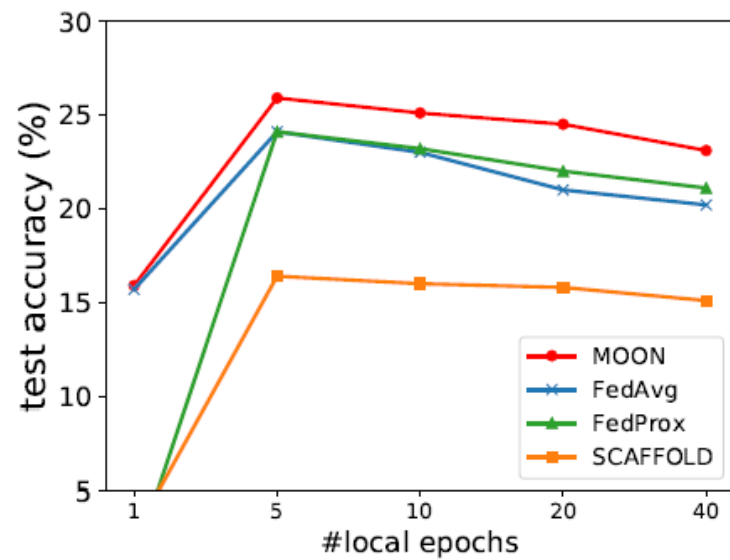
| Method   | CIFAR-10  |             | CIFAR-100 |             | Tiny-Imagenet |             |
|----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
|          | #rounds   | speedup     | #rounds   | speedup     | #rounds       | speedup     |
| FedAvg   | 100       | 1×          | 100       | 1×          | 20            | 1×          |
| FedProx  | 52        | 1.9×        | 75        | 1.3×        | 17            | 1.2×        |
| SCAFFOLD | 80        | 1.3×        | —         | <1×         | —             | <1×         |
| MOON     | <b>27</b> | <b>3.7×</b> | <b>43</b> | <b>2.3×</b> | <b>11</b>     | <b>1.8×</b> |



(a) CIFAR-10



(b) CIFAR-100



(c) Tiny-Imagenet

Figure 7. The top-1 test accuracy with different number of local epochs. For MOON and FedProx,  $\mu$  is set to the best  $\mu$  from Section 4.2 for all numbers of local epochs. The accuracy of SCAFFOLD is quite bad when number of local epochs is set to 1 (45.3% on CIFAR10, 20.4% on CIFAR-100, 2.6% on Tiny-Imagenet). The accuracy of FedProx on Tiny-Imagenet with one local epoch is 1.2%.

Table 3. The accuracy with 50 parties and 100 parties (sample fraction=0.2) on CIFAR-100.

| Method            | #parties=50    |              | #parties=100    |              |
|-------------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
|                   | 100 rounds     | 200 rounds   | 250 rounds      | 500 rounds   |
| MOON ( $\mu=1$ )  | 54.7%          | 58.8%        | 54.5%           | 58.2%        |
| MOON ( $\mu=10$ ) | <b>58.2%</b>   | <b>63.2%</b> | <b>56.9%</b>    | <b>61.8%</b> |
| FedAvg            | 51.9%          | 56.4%        | 51.0%           | 55.0%        |
| FedProx           | 52.7%          | 56.6%        | 51.3%           | 54.6%        |
| SCAFFOLD          | 35.8%          | 44.9%        | 37.4%           | 44.5%        |
| SOLO              | 10% $\pm$ 0.9% |              | 7.3% $\pm$ 0.6% |              |

Table 4. The test accuracy with  $\beta$  from  $\{0.1, 0.5, 5\}$ .

| Method   | $\beta = 0.1$    | $\beta = 0.5$  | $\beta = 5$      |
|----------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| MOON     | <b>64.0%</b>     | <b>67.5%</b>   | <b>68.0%</b>     |
| FedAvg   | 62.5%            | 64.5%          | 65.7%            |
| FedProx  | 62.9%            | 64.6%          | 64.9%            |
| SCAFFOLD | 47.3%            | 52.5%          | 55.0%            |
| SOLO     | 15.9% $\pm$ 1.5% | 22.3% $\pm$ 1% | 26.6% $\pm$ 1.4% |

Table 5. The top-1 accuracy with different kinds of loss for the second term of local objective. We tune  $\mu$  from  $\{0.001, 0.01, 0.1, 1, 5, 10\}$  for the  $\ell_2$  norm approach and report the best accuracy.

| second term   | CIFAR-10     | CIFAR-100    | Tiny-Imagenet |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| none (FedAvg) | 66.3%        | 64.5%        | 23.0%         |
| $\ell_2$ norm | 65.8%        | 66.9%        | 24.0%         |
| MOON          | <b>69.1%</b> | <b>67.5%</b> | <b>25.1%</b>  |

$$\ell = \ell_{sup} + \mu \|z - z_{glob}\|_2$$



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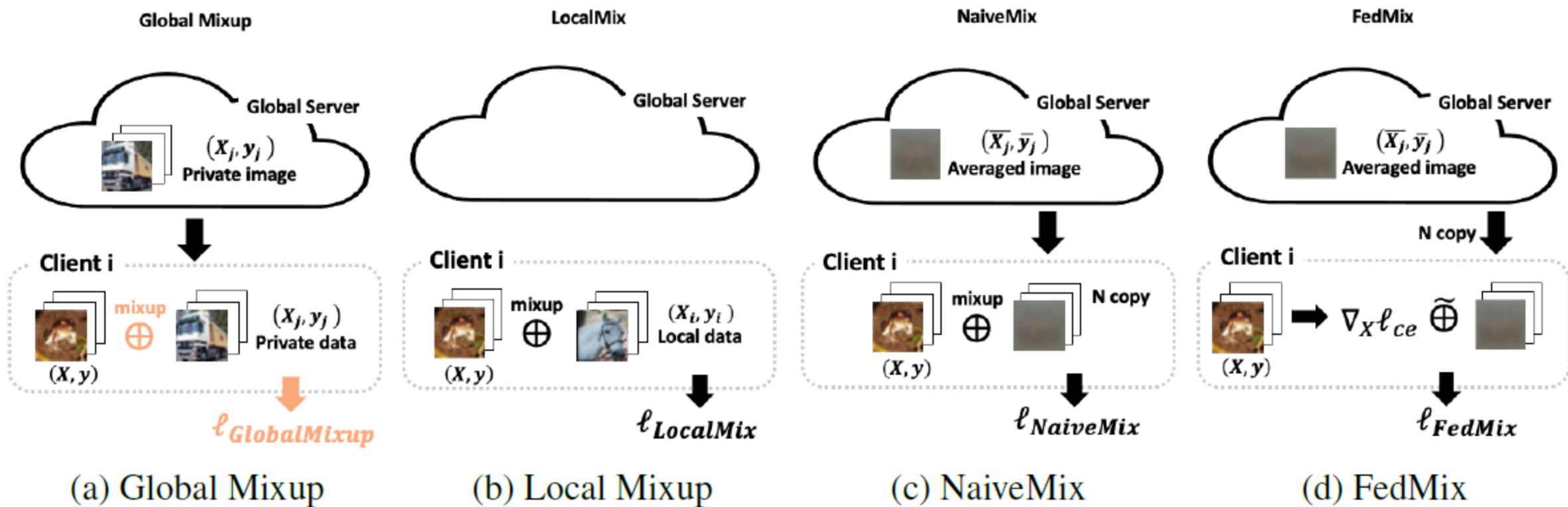
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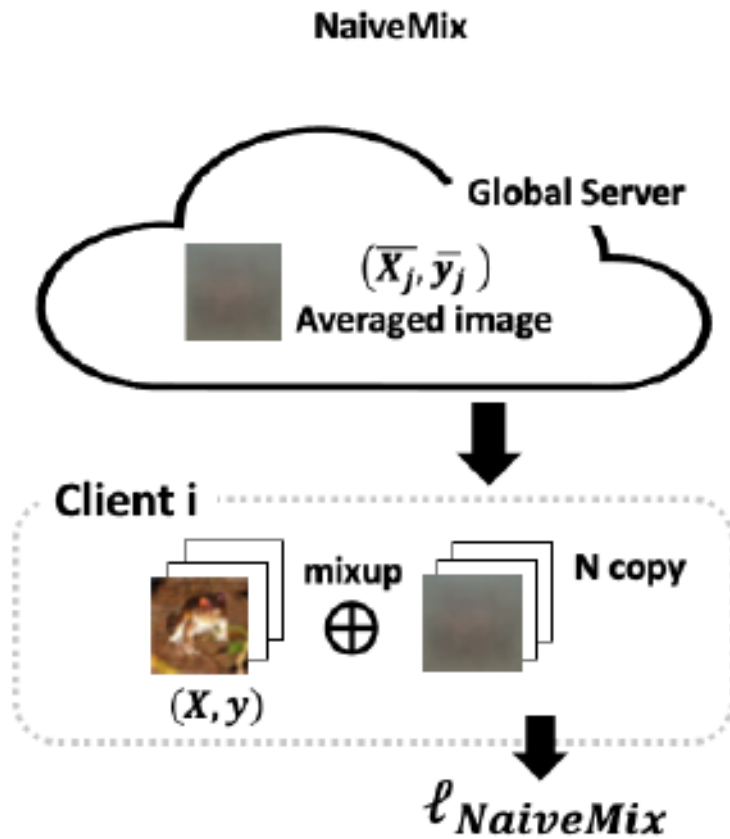
- Given two natural images  $x_i$  and  $x_j$ , mix-up generates multiple synthetic images by a convex combination of the two with different coefficients,

$$\hat{x}_{ij}(\lambda) = \lambda x_i + (1 - \lambda)x_j,$$

- where the coefficient  $\lambda \in [0, 1]$ . Note that this notation also includes the original unlabeled data  $x_i$  and  $x_j$  when  $\lambda = 1$  and  $\lambda = 0$ , respectively.







(c) NaiveMix

$$\ell_{\text{NaiveMix}} = (1 - \lambda) \ell \left( f \left( (1 - \lambda) x_i + \lambda \bar{x}_j \right), y_i \right) + \lambda \ell \left( f \left( (1 - \lambda) x_i + \lambda \bar{x}_j \right), \bar{y}_j \right)$$

**Algorithm 1:** Mean Augmented Federated Learning (MAFL)

**Input:**  $\mathbb{D}_k = \{X_k, Y_k\}$  for  $k = 1, \dots, N$   
 $M_k$ : number of data instances used for computing average  $\bar{x}, \bar{y}$

Initialize  $w_0$  for global server

**for**  $t = 0, \dots, T - 1$  **do**

**for** *client  $k$  with updated local data* **do**

        Split local data into  $M_k$  sized batches

        Compute  $\bar{x}, \bar{y}$  for each batch

        Send all  $\bar{x}, \bar{y}$  to server

**end**

$\mathbb{S}_t \leftarrow K$  clients selected at random

    Send  $w_t$  to clients  $k \in \mathbb{S}_t$

**if** *updated* **then**

        Aggregate all  $\bar{x}, \bar{y}$  to  $X_g, Y_g$

        Send  $X_g, Y_g$  to clients  $k \in \mathbb{S}_t$

**end**

**for**  $k \in \mathbb{S}_t$  **do**

$w_{t+1}^k \leftarrow \text{LocalUpdate}(k, w_t; X_g, Y_g)$

**end**

$w_{t+1} \leftarrow \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k \in \mathbb{S}_t} p_k w_{t+1}^k$

**end**

**Proposition 1** Consider the loss function of the global Mixup modulo the privacy issues,

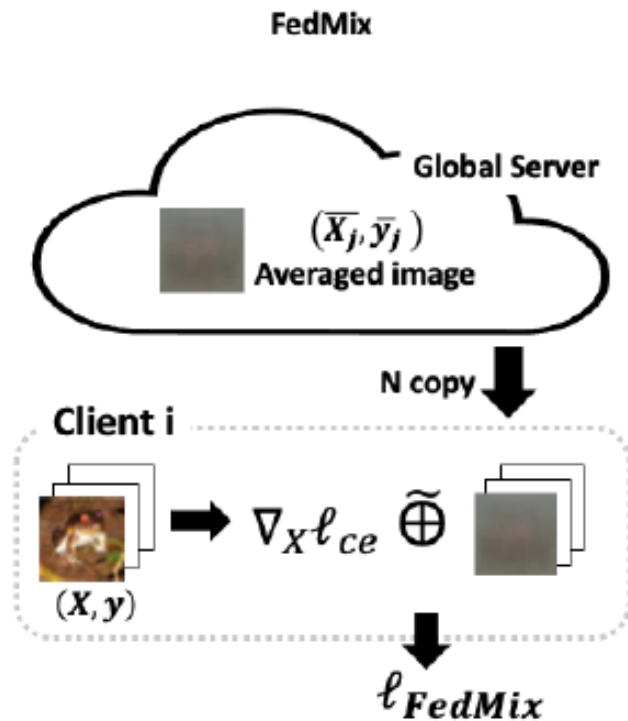
$$\ell_{\text{GlobalMixup}}(f(\tilde{\mathbf{x}}), \tilde{y}) = \ell\left(f((1 - \lambda)\mathbf{x}_i + \lambda\mathbf{x}_j), (1 - \lambda)y_i + \lambda y_j\right) \quad (3)$$

for cross-entropy loss  $\ell^1$ . Suppose that Eq. (3) is approximated by applying Taylor series around the place where  $\lambda \ll 1$ . Then, if we ignore the second order term (i.e.,  $\mathcal{O}(\lambda^2)$ ), we obtain the following approximated loss:

$$(1 - \lambda)\ell\left(f((1 - \lambda)\mathbf{x}_i), y_i\right) + \lambda\ell\left(f((1 - \lambda)\mathbf{x}_i), y_j\right) + \lambda \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \cdot \mathbf{x}_j \quad (4)$$

where the derivative  $\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \mathbf{x}}$  is evaluated at  $\mathbf{x} = (1 - \lambda)\mathbf{x}_i$  and  $y = y_i$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & (1 - \lambda)\ell\left(f((1 - \lambda)\mathbf{x}_i), y_i\right) + (1 - \lambda) \times \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \Big|_{(1 - \lambda)\mathbf{x}_i, y_i} \cdot (\lambda\mathbf{x}_j) \\ & + \lambda\ell\left(f((1 - \lambda)\mathbf{x}_i), y_j\right) + \lambda \times \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \Big|_{(1 - \lambda)\mathbf{x}_i, y_j} \cdot (\lambda\mathbf{x}_j). \end{aligned}$$



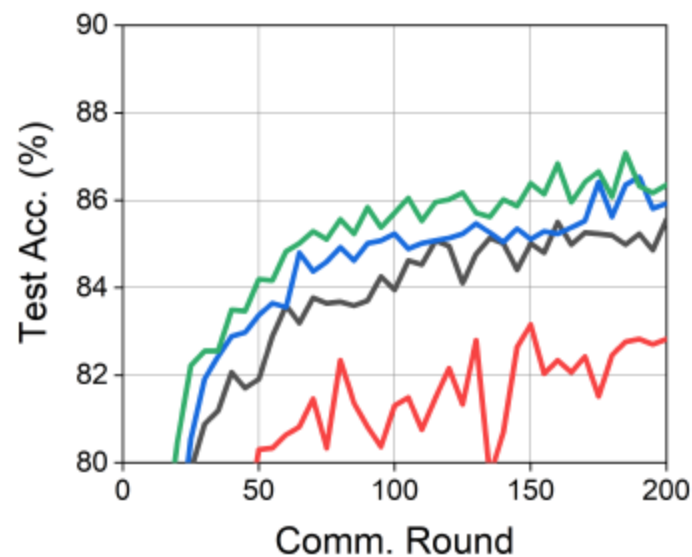
$$\begin{aligned}\ell_{\text{FedMix}} &= \frac{1}{|J|} \sum_{j \in J} (1 - \lambda) \ell(f((1 - \lambda)x_i), y_i) + \lambda \ell(f((1 - \lambda)x_i), \bar{y}_j) + \lambda \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial x} \cdot x_j \\ &= (1 - \lambda) \ell(f((1 - \lambda)x_i), y_i) + \lambda \ell(f((1 - \lambda)x_i), \bar{y}_j) + \lambda \frac{\partial \ell}{\partial x} \cdot \bar{x}_j\end{aligned}$$

## Algorithm 2: FedMix

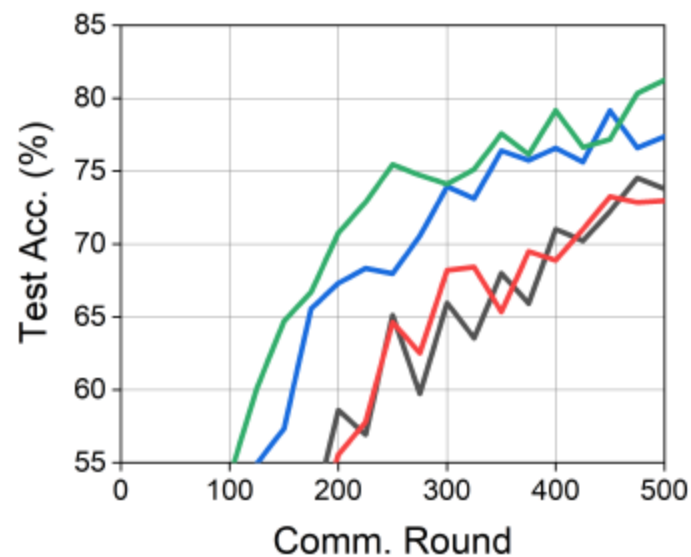
*LocalUpdate*( $k, w_t; X_g, Y_g$ ) under MAFL (Algorithm 1):

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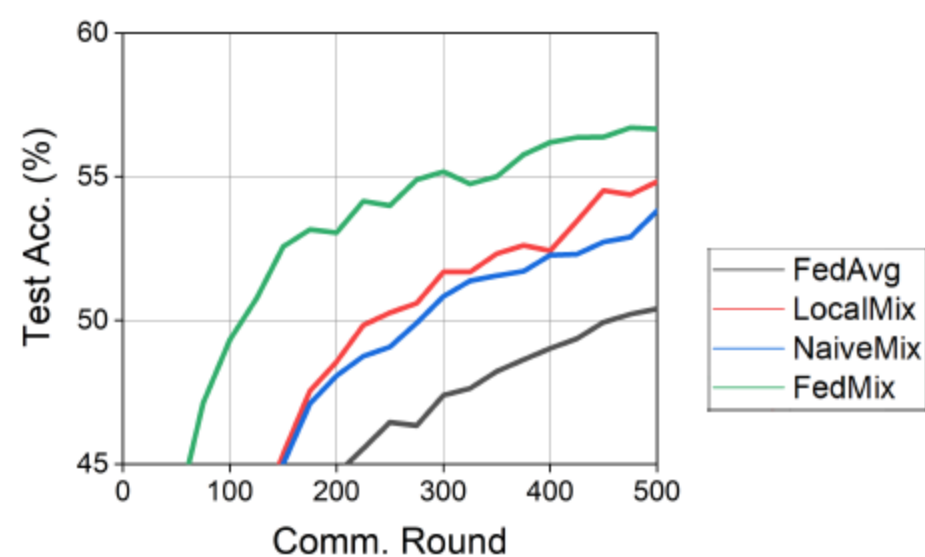
 $w \leftarrow w_t$ 
for  $e = 0, \dots, E - 1$  do
    Split  $\mathbb{D}_k$  into batches of size  $B$ 
    for  $\text{batch}(X, Y)$  do
        Select an entry  $x_g, y_g$  from  $X_g, Y_g$ 
         $\ell_1 = (1 - \lambda) \ell(f((1 - \lambda)X; w), Y)$ 
         $\ell_2 = \lambda \ell(f((1 - \lambda)X; w), y_g)$ 
         $\ell_3 = \lambda \frac{\partial \ell_1}{\partial x} \cdot x_g$ 
        (derivative calculated at  $x = (1 - \lambda)x_i$  and  $y = y_i$  for each of  $x_i, y_i$  in  $X, Y$ )
         $\ell = \ell_1 + \ell_2 + \ell_3$ 
         $w \leftarrow w - \eta_{t+1} \nabla \ell$ 
    end
end
return  $w$ 
    
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(a) FEMNIST



(b) CIFAR10



(c) CIFAR100

Figure 2: Learning curves for various algorithms on benchmark datasets. Learning curves correspond to results in Table 1. (For simplicity, we only show key algorithms to compare.)

Table 1: **Test accuracy after (target rounds) and number of rounds to reach (target test accuracy)** on various datasets. Algorithms in conjunction with FedProx are compared separately (bottom). MAFL-based algorithms are marked in bold.

| Algorithm                 | FEMNIST         |              | CIFAR10         |              | CIFAR100        |              |
|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
|                           | test acc. (200) | rounds (80%) | test acc. (500) | rounds (70%) | test acc. (500) | rounds (40%) |
| Global Mixup              | 88.2            | 8            | 88.2            | 85           | 61.4            | 54           |
| FedAvg                    | 85.3            | 26           | 73.8            | 283          | 50.4            | 101          |
| LocalMix                  | 82.8            | 28           | 73.0            | 267          | 54.8            | 91           |
| <b>NaiveMix</b>           | 85.9            | 23           | 77.4            | 198          | 53.8            | 85           |
| <b>FedMix</b>             | <b>86.5</b>     | <b>18</b>    | <b>81.2</b>     | <b>162</b>   | <b>56.7</b>     | <b>34</b>    |
| FedProx                   | 84.6            | <b>29</b>    | 77.3            | 266          | 51.2            | 79           |
| FedProx + LocalMix        | 84.1            | 39           | 74.1            | 314          | 54.0            | 90           |
| FedProx + <b>NaiveMix</b> | 85.7            | 37           | 76.7            | 230          | 53.1            | 74           |
| FedProx + <b>FedMix</b>   | <b>86.0</b>     | 32           | <b>78.9</b>     | <b>223</b>   | <b>54.5</b>     | <b>63</b>    |

Table 2: Test accuracy after 50 rounds on Shakespeare dataset.

| Algorithm     | Global Mixup | FedAvg | FedProx | LocalMix | NaiveMix    | FedMix      |
|---------------|--------------|--------|---------|----------|-------------|-------------|
| Test Acc. (%) | 54.4         | 54.7   | 54.4    | 53.7     | <b>56.9</b> | <b>56.9</b> |

Table 3: Test accuracy on CIFAR10, under varying number of clients ( $N$ ). Number of samples per client is kept constant.

| # of Clients( $N$ ) | 20          | 40          | 60          |
|---------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Global Mixup        | 86.3        | 89.2        | 88.2        |
| FedAvg              | 65.8        | 73.4        | 73.8        |
| LocalMix            | 46.9        | 71.4        | 73.0        |
| NaiveMix            | 62.2        | 75.1        | 77.4        |
| FedMix              | <b>68.5</b> | <b>76.4</b> | <b>81.2</b> |

Table 5: Test accuracy on CIFAR10, under varying mixup ratio  $\lambda$ .

| $\lambda$    | 0.05 | 0.1  | 0.2  | 0.5  |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|
| Global Mixup | 79.4 | 80.4 | 81.1 | 63.6 |
| FedMix       | 81.2 | 80.5 | 77.7 | 67.1 |

|         | $M_k$    | 5    | 10   | 20   | 50   | All  |
|---------|----------|------|------|------|------|------|
| FEMNIST | NaiveMix | 85.7 | 86.3 | 86.2 | 86.1 | 85.9 |
|         | FedMix   | 86.0 | 85.7 | 86.4 | 86.2 | 86.5 |
| <hr/>   |          |      |      |      |      |      |
| CIFAR10 | NaiveMix | 79.6 | 77.9 | 79.1 | 77.1 | 77.4 |
|         | FedMix   | 81.4 | 79.9 | 80.4 | 79.5 | 81.2 |

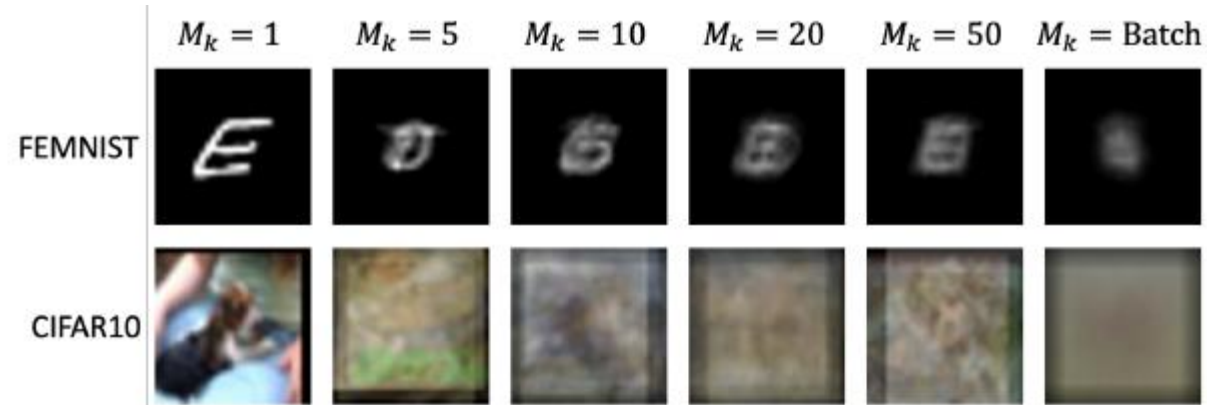


Figure 3: Performance of MAFL-based algorithms for various  $M_k$  values (left), and samples of averaged images from EMNIST/CIFAR10 for various  $M_k$  values (right).

Table 6: Test accuracy after 500 rounds on CIFAR10, under varying number of classes per client.

| Algorithm    | class/client |             |             |             |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|              | 2            | 3           | 5           | 10 (iid)    |
| Global Mixup | 88.2         | 90.7        | 90.9        | 91.4        |
| FedAvg       | 73.8         | 84.2        | 86.8        | 89.3        |
| Localmix     | 73           | 83.3        | 86.4        | 89.1        |
| NaiveMix     | 77.4         | 84.5        | 87.7        | <b>89.4</b> |
| FedMix       | <b>81.2</b>  | <b>85.1</b> | <b>87.9</b> | 89.1        |



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# FEDERATED SEMI-SUPERVISED LEARNING WITH INTER-CLIENT CONSISTENCY & DISJOINT LEARNING

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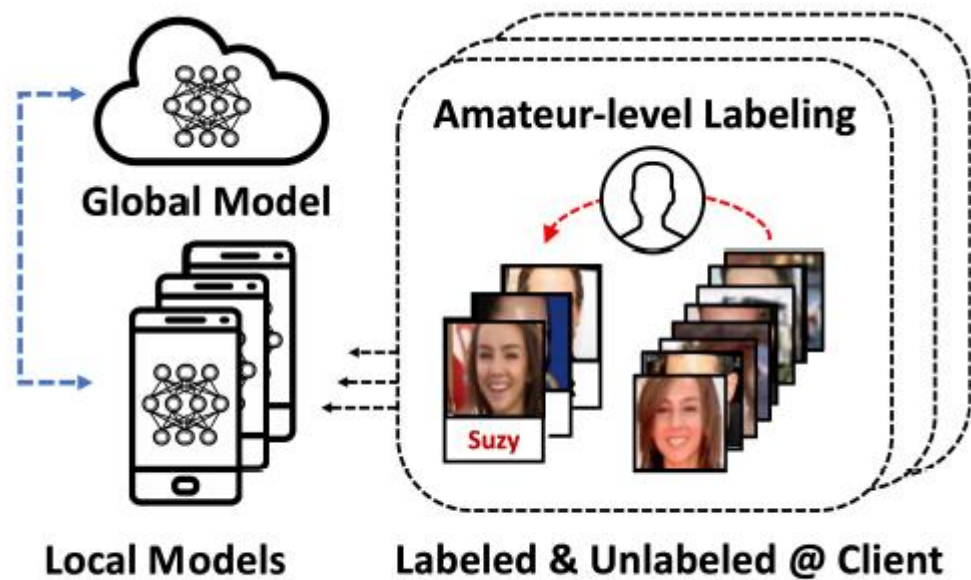
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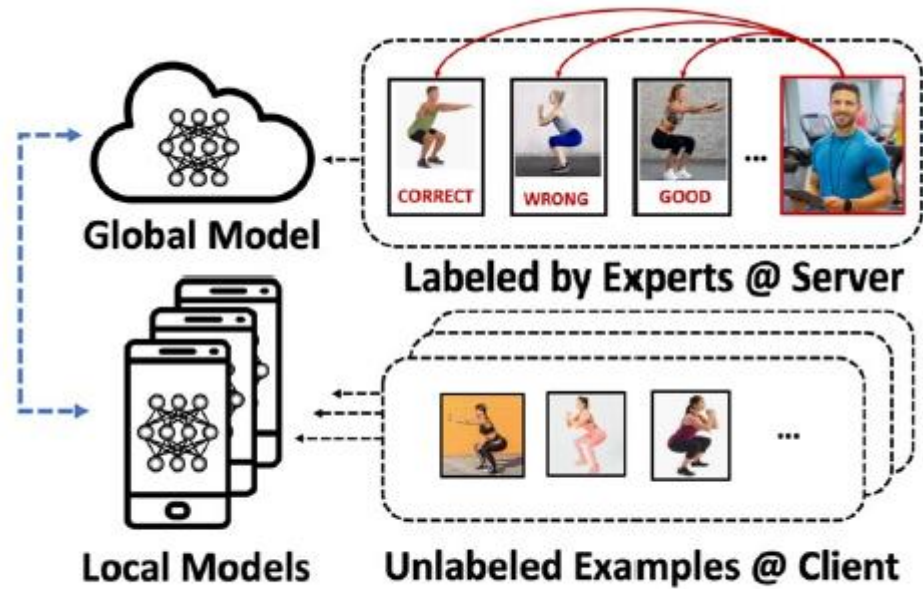
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(a) Labels-at-Client Scenario



(b) Labels-at-Server Scenario

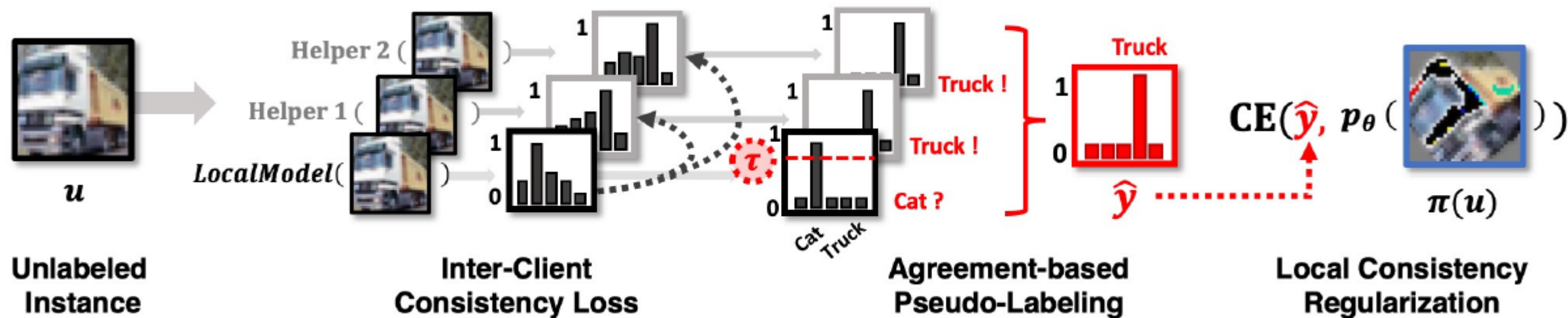


Figure 2: **Illustration of Inter-Client Consistency Loss.** We illustrate each step of our inter-client consistency regularization process performed at local client. We provide the detailed explanations in Section 3.1.

$$\Phi(\cdot) = \text{CrossEntropy}(\hat{\mathbf{y}}, p_{\theta^l}(\mathbf{y}|\pi(\mathbf{u}))) + \frac{1}{H} \sum_{j=1}^H \text{KL}[p_{\theta^{h_j}}^*(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{u}) || p_{\theta^l}(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{u})]$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{y}} = \text{Max}(\mathbb{1}(p_{\theta^l}^*(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{u})) + \sum_{j=1}^H \mathbb{1}(p_{\theta^{h_j}}^*(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{u})))$$

Decomposing model parameters  $\theta$  into two variables,  $\sigma$  for supervised learning and  $\varphi$  for unsupervised learning, such that  $\theta = \sigma + \varphi$ .

Stage 1: Performing standard supervised learning on  $\sigma$ , while keeping  $\varphi$  fixed.

$$\text{minimize } \mathcal{L}_s(\sigma) = \lambda_s \text{CrossEntropy}(\mathbf{y}, p_{\sigma+\psi^*}(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{x}))$$

Stage 2: Performing unsupervised learning conversely on  $\varphi$ , while keeping  $\sigma$  fixed.

$$\text{minimize } \mathcal{L}_u(\psi) = \lambda_{\text{ICCS}} \Phi_{\sigma^*+\psi}(\cdot) + \lambda_{L_2} \|\sigma^* - \psi\|_2^2 + \lambda_{L_1} \|\psi\|_1$$

## Algorithm 1 Labels-at-Client Scenario

```

1: RunServer()
2: initialize  $\sigma^0$  and  $\psi^0$ 
3: for each round  $r = 1, 2, \dots, R$  do
4:    $\mathcal{L}^r \leftarrow$  (select random  $A$  clients from  $\mathcal{L}$ )
5:   for each client  $l_a^r \in \mathcal{L}^r$  in parallel do
6:      $\psi_{1:H}^r \leftarrow \text{GetNearestNeighbors}(\psi^r)$ 
7:      $\sigma_a^r, \psi_a^r \leftarrow \text{RunClient}(\sigma^r, \psi^r, \psi_{1:H}^r)$ 
8:      $\text{EmbedLocalModel}(\sigma_a^r, \psi_a^r)$ 
9:   end for
10:   $\sigma^{r+1} \leftarrow \frac{1}{A} \sum_{a=1}^A (\sigma_{l_a}^r)$ 
11:   $\psi^{r+1} \leftarrow \frac{1}{A} \sum_{a=1}^A (\psi_{l_a}^r)$ 
12: end for
13: RunClient( $\sigma, \psi, \psi_{1:H}$ )
14:  $\theta_{l_a} \leftarrow \sigma + \psi, \theta_{h_{1:H}} \leftarrow \sigma + \psi_{1:H}$ 
15: for each local epoch  $e$  from 1 to  $E_L$  do
16:   for minibatch  $s \in \mathcal{S}_{l_a}$  and  $u \in \mathcal{U}_{l_a}$  do
17:      $\theta_{\sigma+\psi^*} \leftarrow \theta_{\sigma+\psi^*} - \eta \nabla \ell_s(\theta_{\sigma+\psi^*}; \theta_{h_{1:H}}, s)$ 
18:      $\theta_{\sigma^*+\psi} \leftarrow \theta_{\sigma^*+\psi} - \eta \nabla \ell_u(\theta_{\sigma^*+\psi}; \theta_{h_{1:H}}, u)$ 
19:   end for
20: end for

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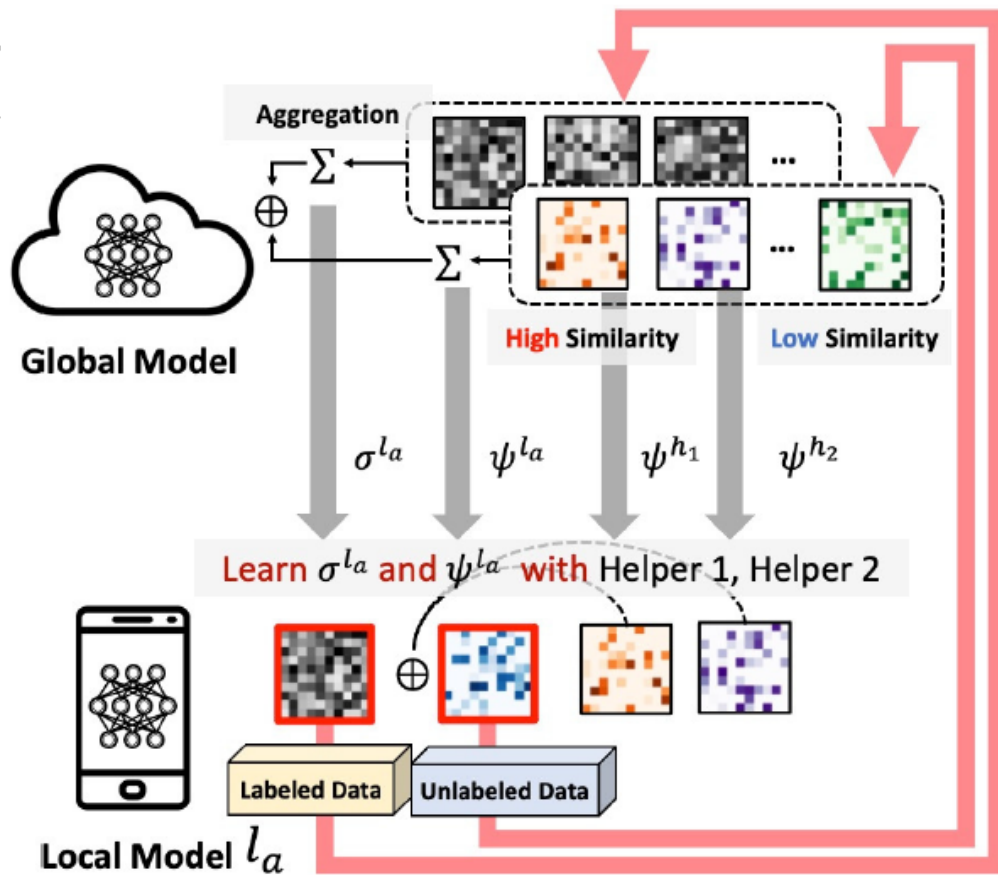


Figure 3: **Illustrative Running Example of Labels-at-Client Scenario** We describe training and communication procedure between local and global model under Labels-at-Client scenario corresponding to the Algorithm 1. More details are described in Section 4.

## Algorithm 2 Labels-at-Server Scenario

```

1: RunServer()
2: initialize  $\sigma^0, \psi^0$ 
3: for each round  $r = 1, 2, \dots, R$  do
4:   for each server epoch  $e$  from 1 to  $E_G$  do
5:     for minibatch  $s \in \mathcal{S}_G$  do
6:        $\theta_{\sigma+\psi^*} \leftarrow \theta_{\sigma+\psi^*} - \eta \nabla \ell_s(\theta_{\sigma+\psi^*}; s)$ 
7:     end for
8:   end for
9:    $\mathcal{L}^r \leftarrow$  (select random  $A$  clients from  $\mathcal{L}$ )
10:  for each client  $l_a^r \in \mathcal{L}^r$  in parallel do
11:     $\psi_{1:H}^r \leftarrow \text{GetNearestNeighbors}(\psi^r)$ 
12:     $\psi_a^r \leftarrow \text{RunClient}(\sigma^{r+1}, \psi^r, \psi_{1:H}^r)$ 
13:    EmbedLocalModel( $\sigma^{r+1}, \psi_a^r$ )
14:  end for
15:   $\psi^{r+1} \leftarrow \frac{1}{A} \sum_{a=1}^A (\psi_{l_a}^r)$ 
16: end for
17: RunClient( $\sigma, \psi, \psi_{1:H}$ )
18:  $\theta_l \leftarrow \sigma^* + \psi, \theta_{h_{1:H}} \leftarrow \sigma^* + \psi_{1:H}$ 
19: for each local epoch  $e$  from 1 to  $E_L$  do
20:   for minibatch  $u \in \mathcal{U}_{l_a}$  do
21:      $\theta_{\sigma^*+\psi} \leftarrow \theta_{\sigma^*+\psi} - \eta \nabla \ell_u(\theta_{\sigma^*+\psi}; \theta_{h_{1:H}}, u)$ 
22:   end for
23: end for

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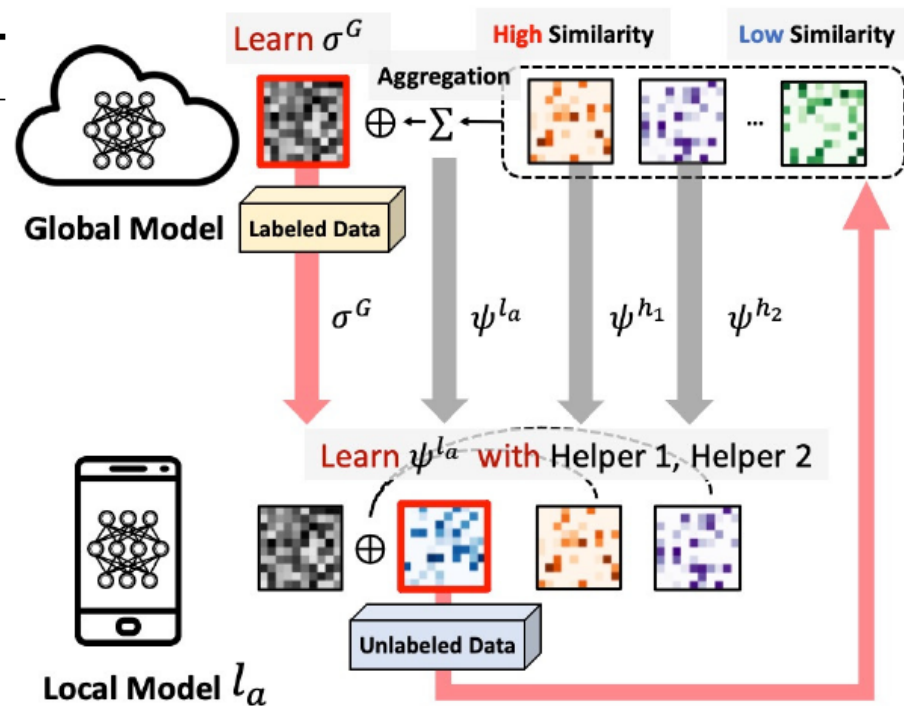


Figure 4: **Illustrative Running Example of Labels-at-Server Scenario** We depict learning and transmitting procedure between a client and the global server under Labels-at-Server scenario corresponding to the Algorithm 2. Note that, in labels-at-server scenario, the labeled data is only available at the server, and thus global model at the server learns on labeled data, while local models at clients learn on only unlabeled data. Further details are explained in Section 5.

Table 1: **Performance Comparison on Batch-IID & NonIID Tasks** We use 100 clients ( $F=0.05$ ) for 200 rounds. We measure global model accuracy and averaged communication costs. Note that the SL (Supervised Learning) models learn on both  $\mathcal{S}$  and  $\mathcal{U}$  with full labels, and are utilized as the upper bounds for each experiment.

| <b>CIFAR-10, Batch-IID Task with 100 Clients (<math>K=100, F=0.05, H=2</math>)</b>    |                                    |                 |                 |                                    |                 |                 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>Methods</b>                                                                        | <i>Labels-at-Client Scenario</i>   |                 |                 | <i>Labels-at-Server Scenario</i>   |                 |                 |
|                                                                                       | <b>Acc.(%)</b>                     | <b>S2C Cost</b> | <b>C2S Cost</b> | <b>Acc.(%)</b>                     | <b>S2C Cost</b> | <b>C2S Cost</b> |
| FedAvg-SL                                                                             | 58.60 $\pm$ 0.42                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 52.45 $\pm$ 0.23                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedProx-SL                                                                            | 59.30 $\pm$ 0.31                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 49.11 $\pm$ 0.38                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedAvg-UDA                                                                            | 46.35 $\pm$ 0.29                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 24.81 $\pm$ 0.73                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedProx-UDA                                                                           | 47.45 $\pm$ 0.21                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 19.91 $\pm$ 0.31                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedAvg-FixMatch                                                                       | 47.01 $\pm$ 0.43                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 11.95 $\pm$ 0.60                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedProx-FixMatch                                                                      | 47.20 $\pm$ 0.12                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 25.61 $\pm$ 0.32                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| <b>FedMatch (Ours)</b>                                                                | <b>52.13 <math>\pm</math> 0.34</b> | <b>79 %</b>     | <b>46 %</b>     | <b>44.95 <math>\pm</math> 0.49</b> | <b>45 %</b>     | <b>22 %</b>     |
| <b>CIFAR-10, Batch-NonIID Task with 100 Clients (<math>K=100, F=0.05, H=2</math>)</b> |                                    |                 |                 |                                    |                 |                 |
| FedAvg-SL                                                                             | 55.15 $\pm$ 0.21                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 51.50 $\pm$ 0.51                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedProx-SL                                                                            | 57.75 $\pm$ 0.15                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 49.31 $\pm$ 0.18                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedAvg-UDA                                                                            | 44.35 $\pm$ 0.39                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 27.61 $\pm$ 0.71                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedProx-UDA                                                                           | 46.31 $\pm$ 0.63                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 26.01 $\pm$ 0.78                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedAvg-FixMatch                                                                       | 46.20 $\pm$ 0.52                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 09.45 $\pm$ 0.34                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| FedProx-FixMatch                                                                      | 45.55 $\pm$ 0.63                   | 100 %           | 100 %           | 09.21 $\pm$ 0.24                   | 100 %           | 100 %           |
| <b>FedMatch (Ours)</b>                                                                | <b>52.25 <math>\pm</math> 0.81</b> | <b>85 %</b>     | <b>49 %</b>     | <b>44.17 <math>\pm</math> 0.19</b> | <b>42 %</b>     | <b>20 %</b>     |

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