



# ANR ExTra-Learn

## Extraction and Transfer of Knowledge in Reinforcement Learning

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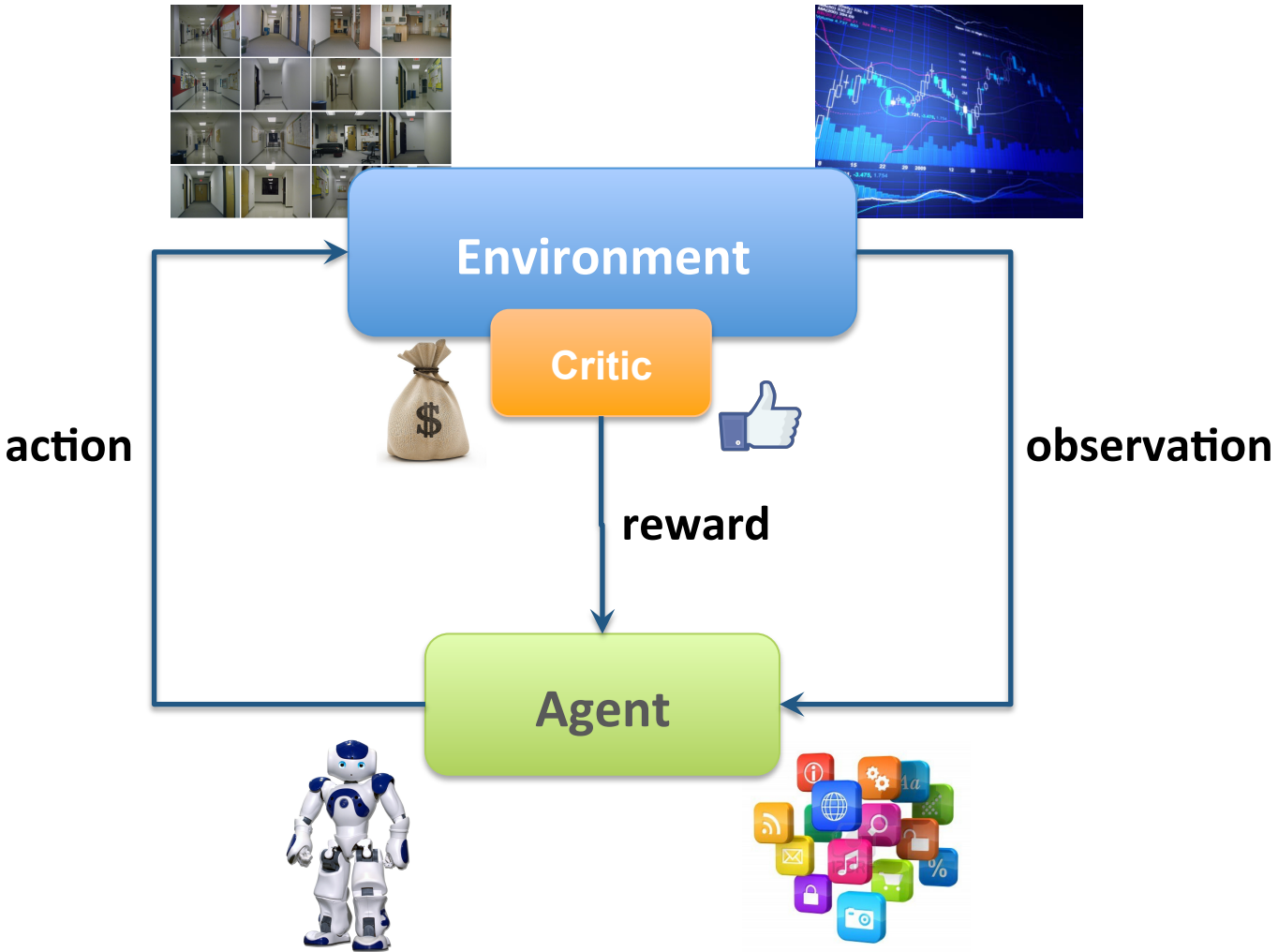


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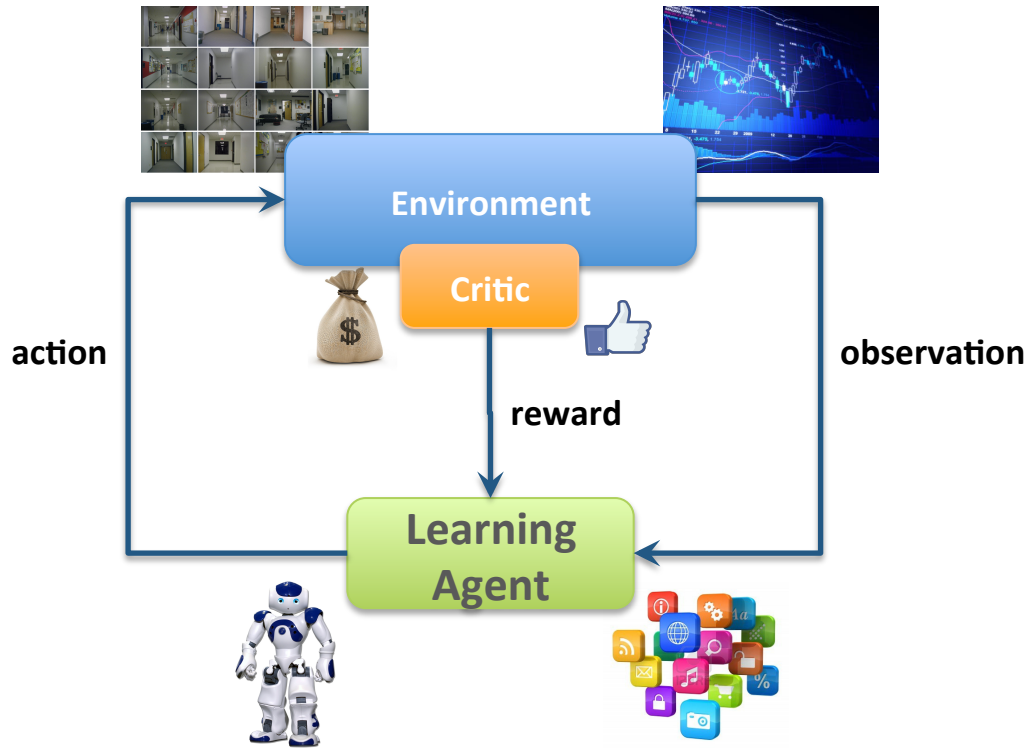


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# Reinforcement Learning

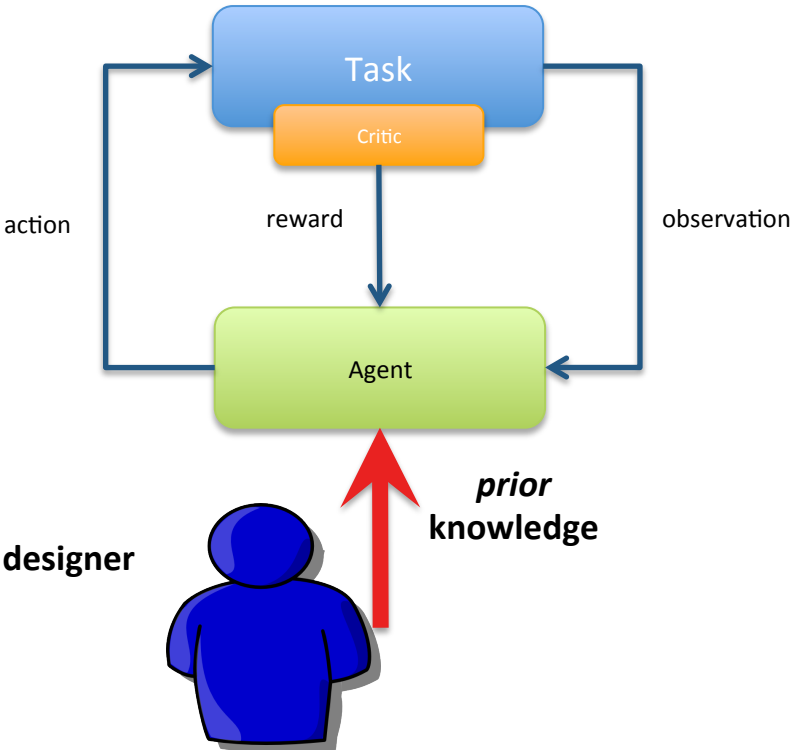


# Reinforcement Learning

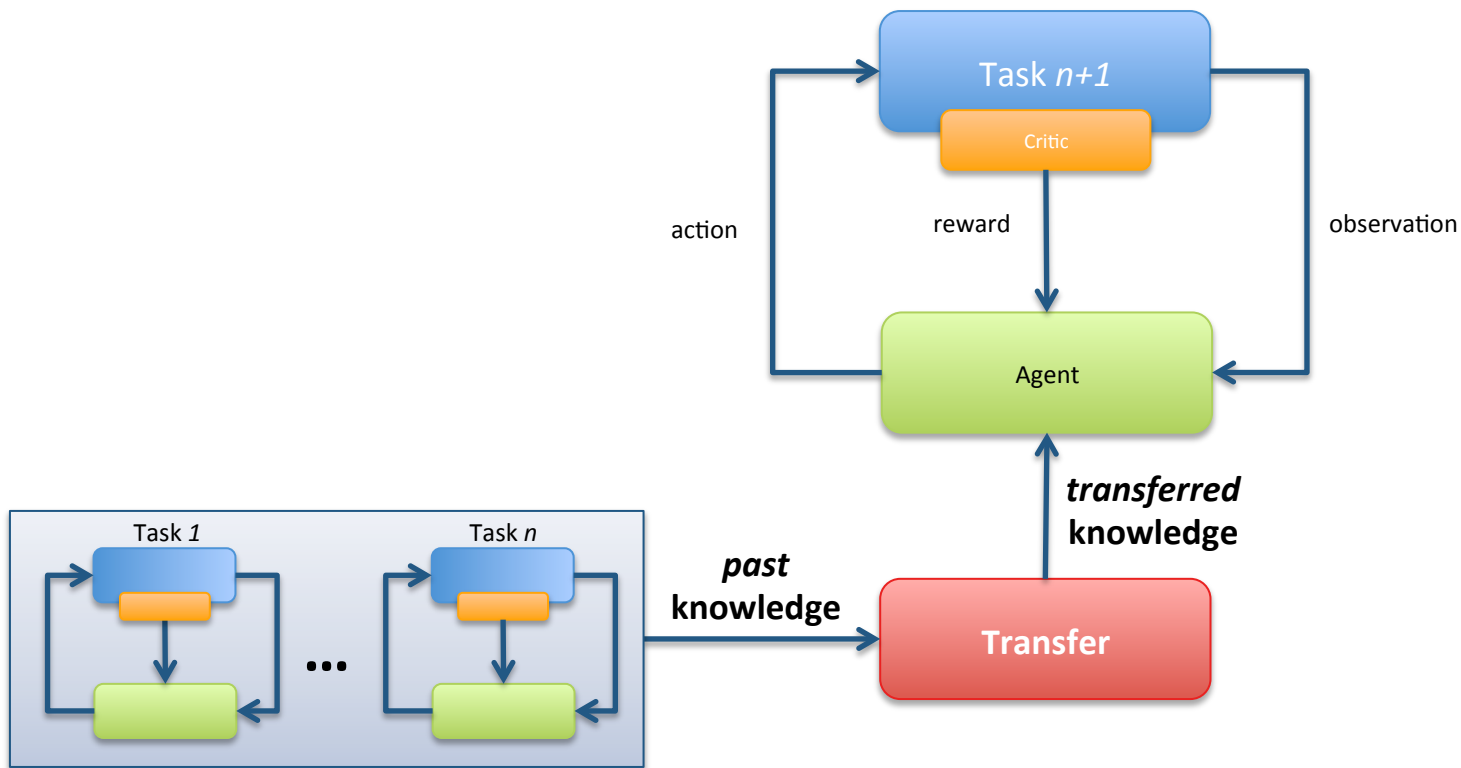


**Learning** of a behavior strategy (a policy) which maximizes the long term sum of **rewards** (delayed reward) by a **direct interaction** (trial-and-error) with an **unknown** and uncertain **environment**.

# Reinforcement Learning



# Transfer in Reinforcement Learning



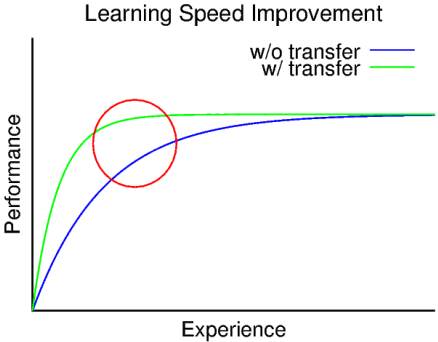
**Transfer** of knowledge **across tasks** to **improve** the performance of the learning process

# Objectives

## ExTra-Learn (2014-2017)

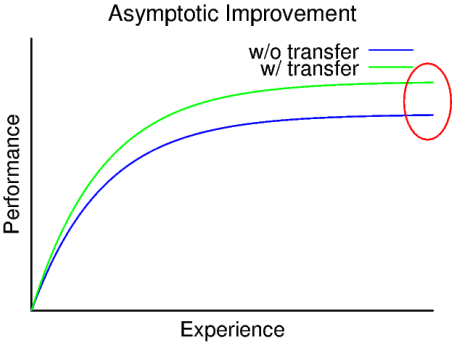
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Reduce sample complexity



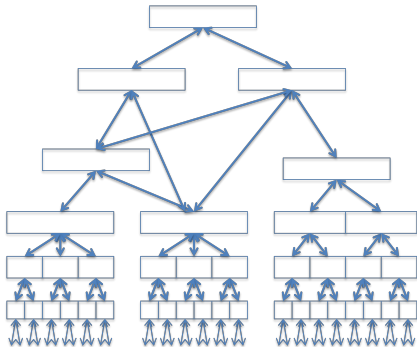
Objective 2

Improve accuracy

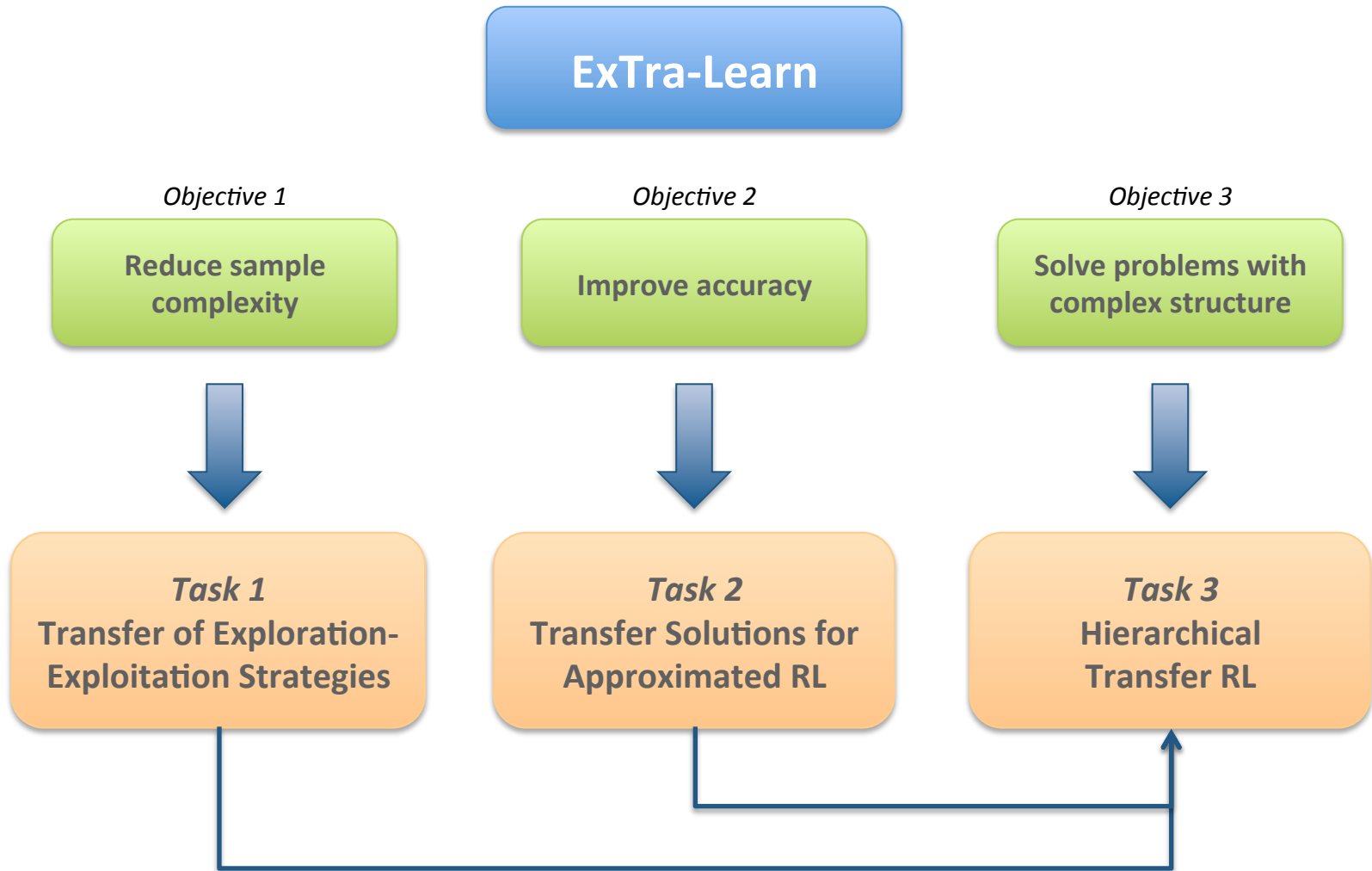


Objective 3

Solve problems with complex structure



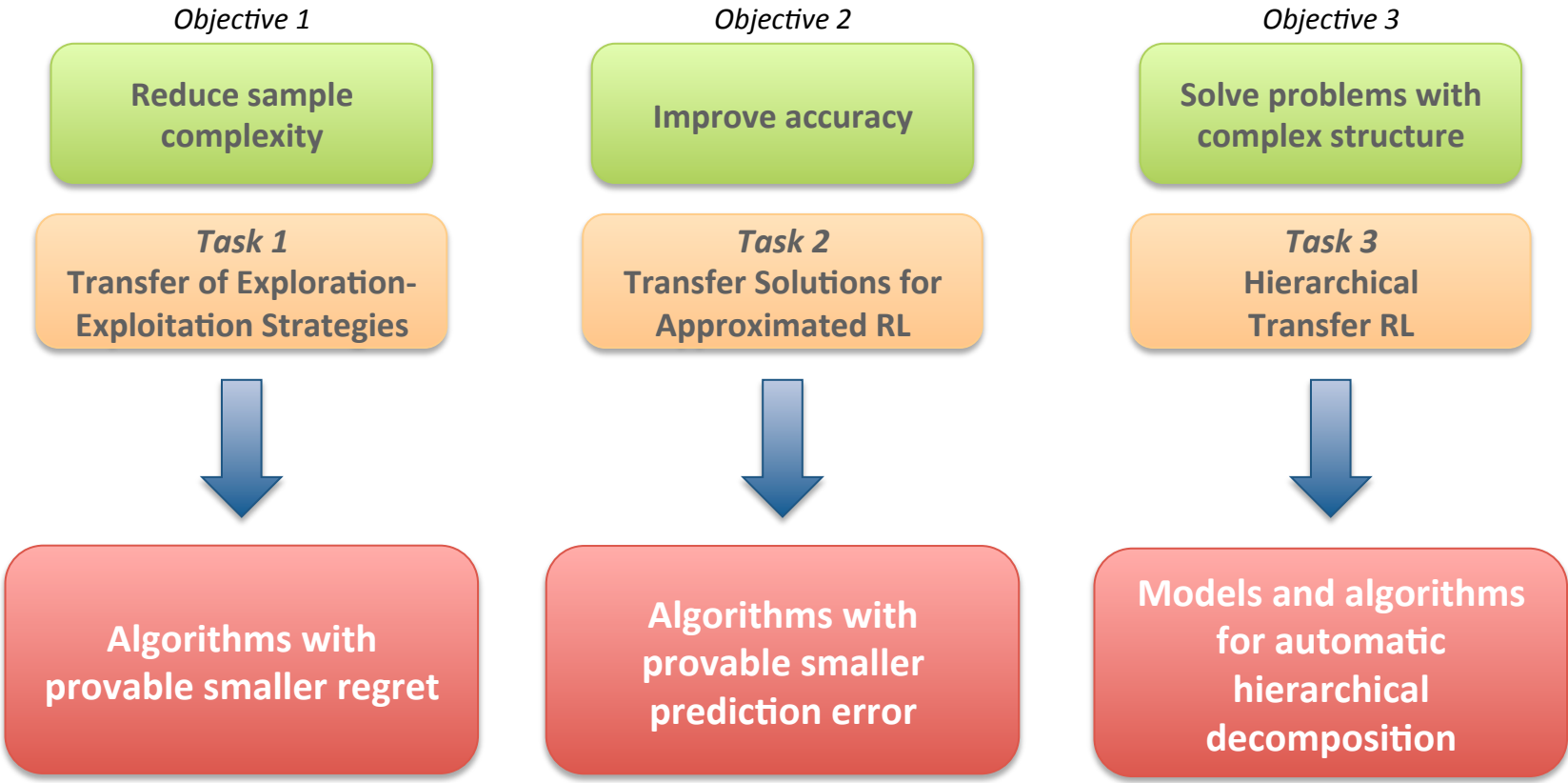
# Tasks



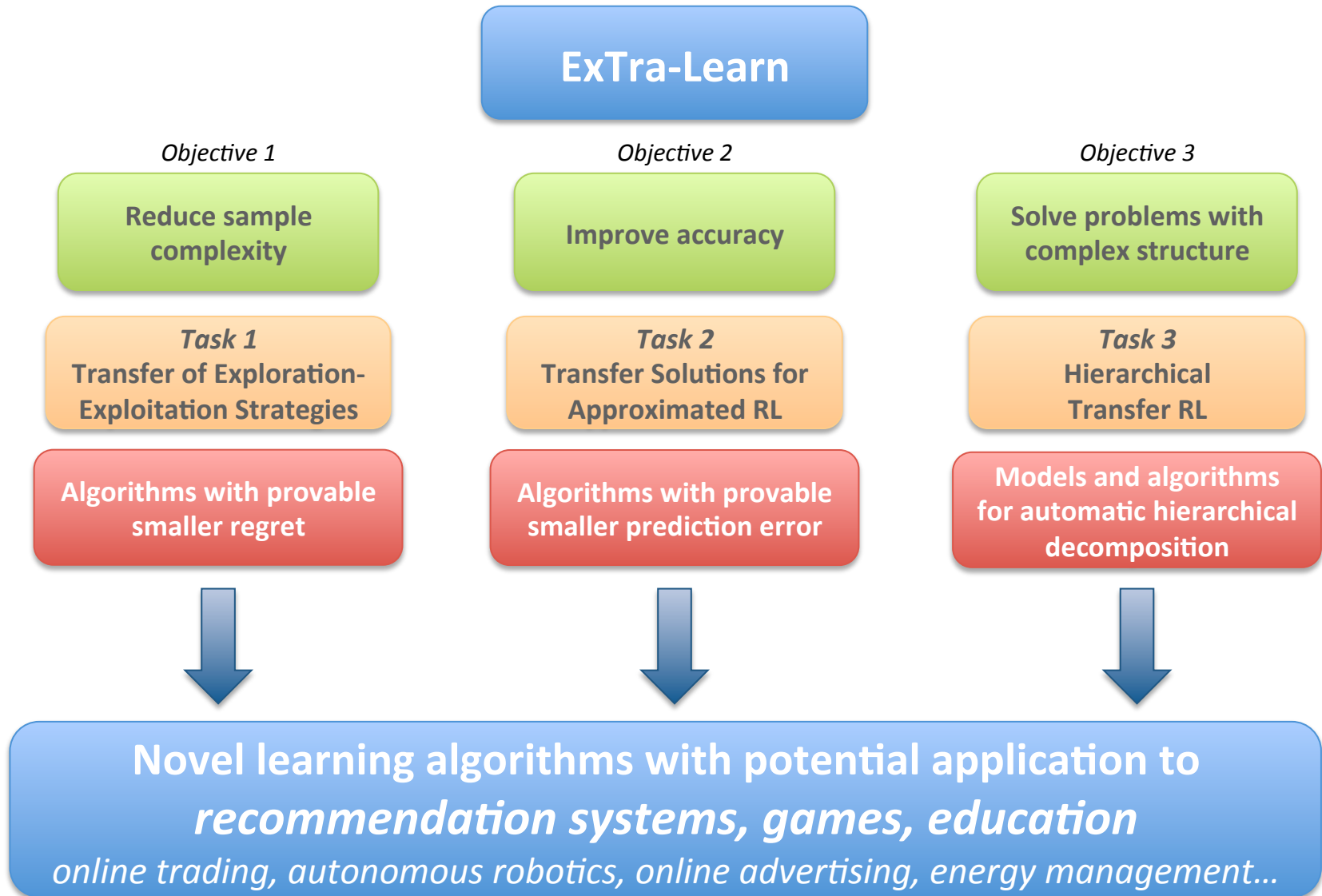


# Expected Results

## ExTra-Learn



# Expected Impact



# ExTra-Learn

<https://project.inria.fr/ExTra-Learn/>  
*(under construction)*



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