

# LOTS of Fashion!

Multi-Conditioning for Image Generation via Sketch-Text Pairing

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# LOTS of Fashion: Task Description

Fashion design is a complex creative process that often blends **visual sketching** and **textual expression**

- depicts design outlines
- indicates spatial structures
- specifies design elements



- describes patterns/textures
- indicates materials/touch
- captures stylistic details

complementary & paired

In fashion design, designers need to express their abstract inspirations through forms that are natural to humans, e.g., sketches or natural language.

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效果图

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Multiple sketch-text pair is essential in describing a complete fashion design.

Each description pair specifies a localized part of the design, in terms of silhouette shapes, materials, and textual details, allowing fine-grained localized control over the generation.

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	IP-Adapter[45]	Multi-T2I[25]	Ours
Generated			
Conditioning Input	<div><p>A floral regular-fit, classic [...] t-shirt with an oval neckline [...], poet sleeves; check, mini [...] shorts</p><p><b>G</b></p></div>	<div><p>A floral regular-fit, classic [...] t-shirt with an oval neckline [...], poet sleeves; check, mini [...] shorts</p><p><b>G</b></p></div> <div><p><b>L</b></p></div>	<div><p>A floral regular-fit, classic [...] t-shirt with an oval neckline [...], poet sleeves; check, mini [...] shorts</p><p><b>G</b></p></div> <div><p><b>L</b></p></div> <div><p><b>G+L</b></p></div>



A floral regular-fit, classic [...] t-shirt with an oval neckline [...], poet sleeves; check, mini [...] shorts

local sketch + global & local text

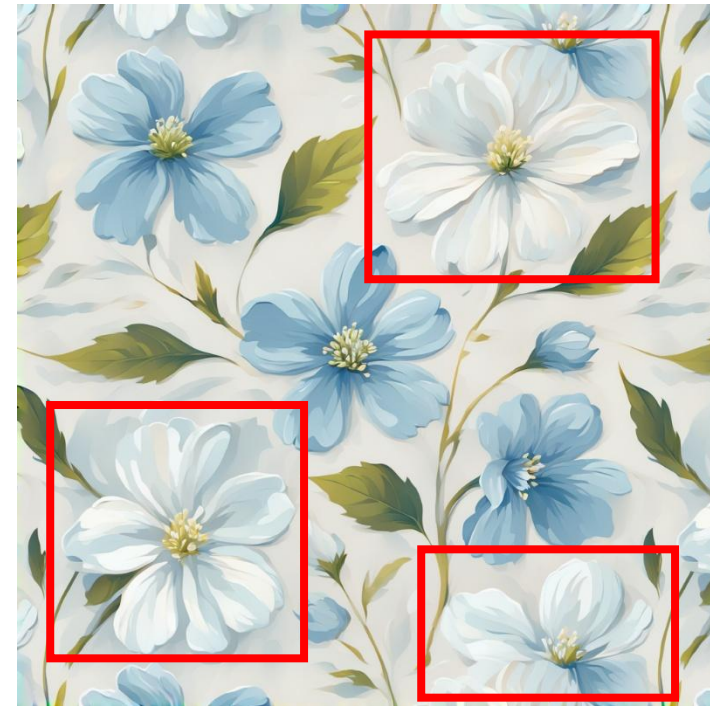


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It seems like ControlNet already provided a complete process on Multi-Conditioning for Image Generation. However, prior works mainly focus on global control rather than localized controlling via various forms of information.



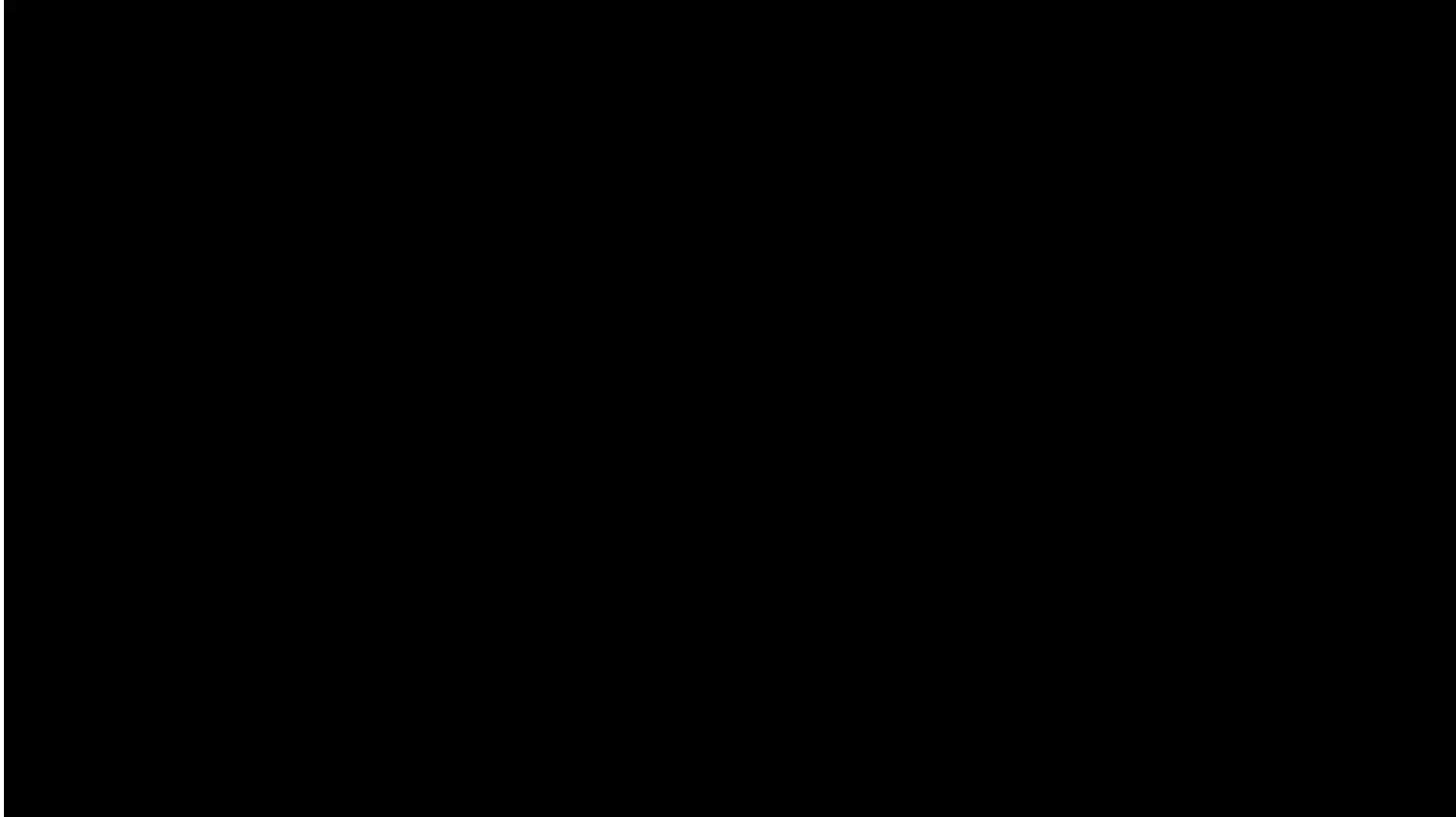
blue flower.



blue flower. green leaves. white background.

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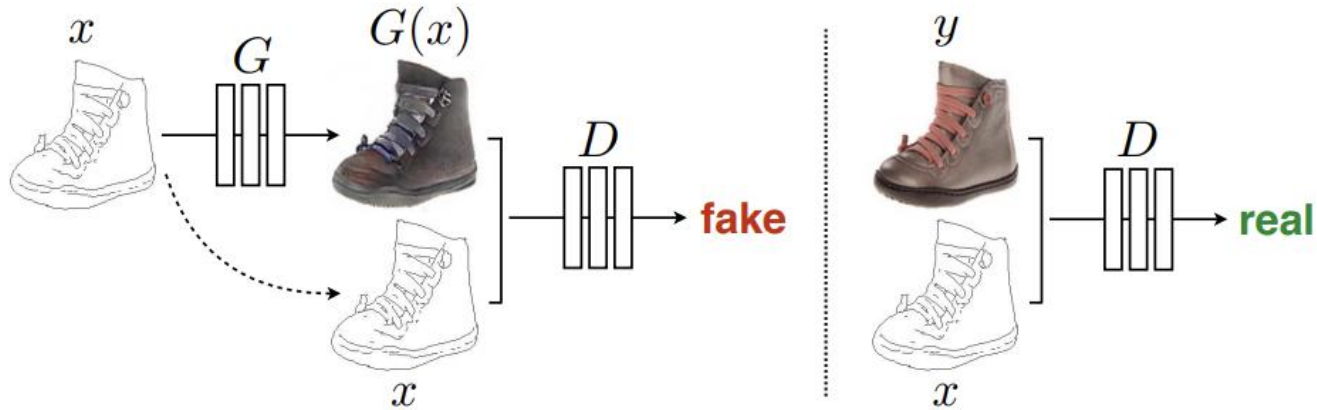
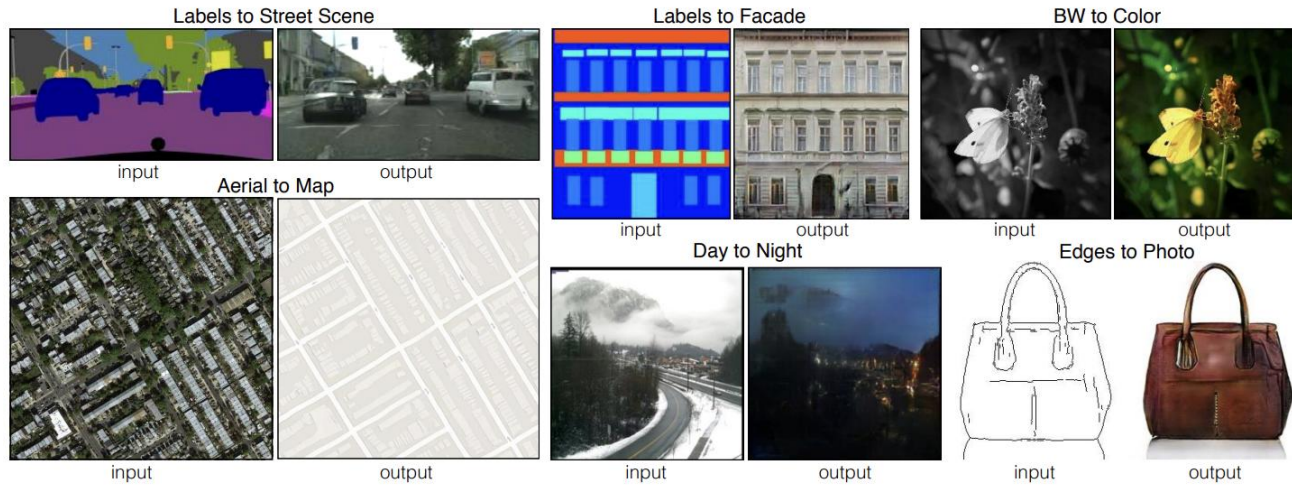


By using localized sketch-text pairing input, generate overall harmonious and detailed fashion images.

In order to achieve Multi-Conditioning for Image Generation via Sketch-Text Pairing, we need:

1. Text-to-Image Generation
2. Sketch-to-Image Generation
3. Controllable diffusion-based generation

# Background: GAN based Sketch-to-Image Generation





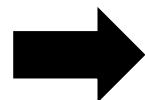
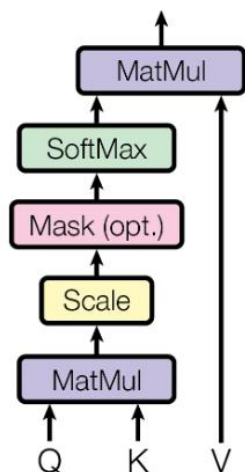
# Background: Attention Mechanism

Calculate similarity in  $QK^T$ , and weight sum using  $V$ .

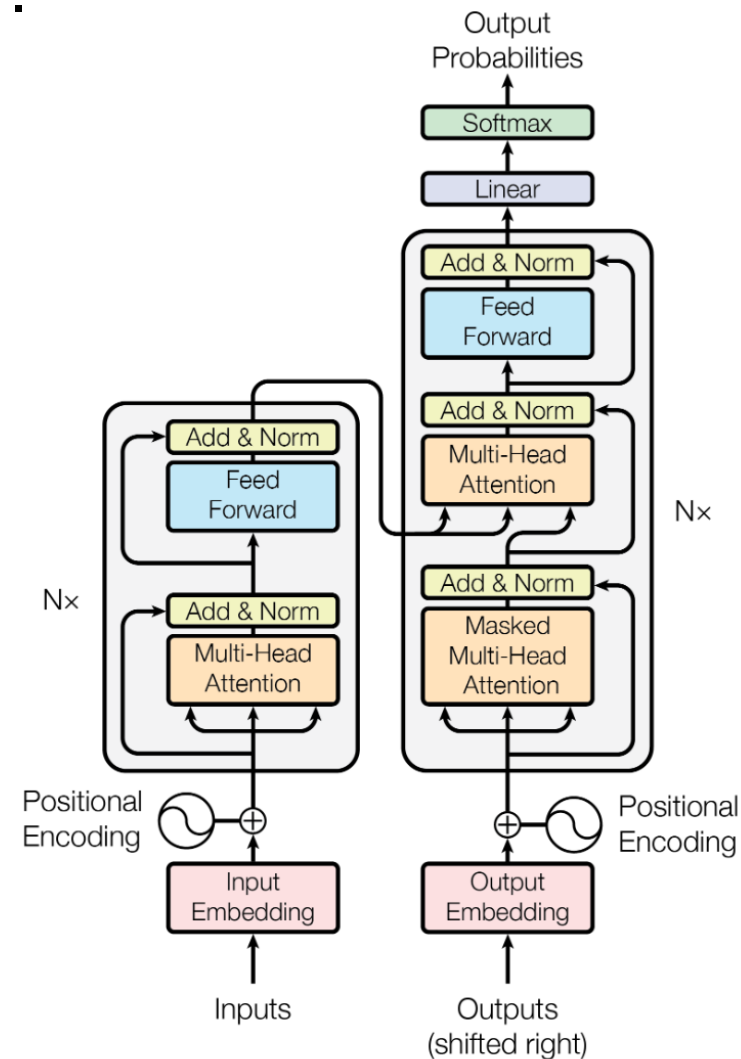
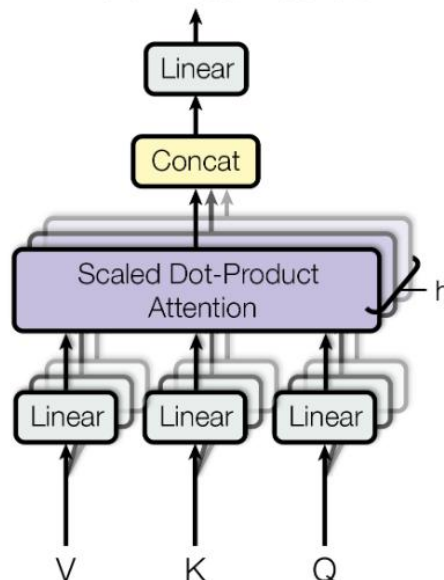
- Long-range dependency and dynamic weight
- Global information capturing

$$Attention(Q, K, V) = softmax(\frac{QK^T}{\sqrt{d_k}}) V$$

Scaled Dot-Product Attention



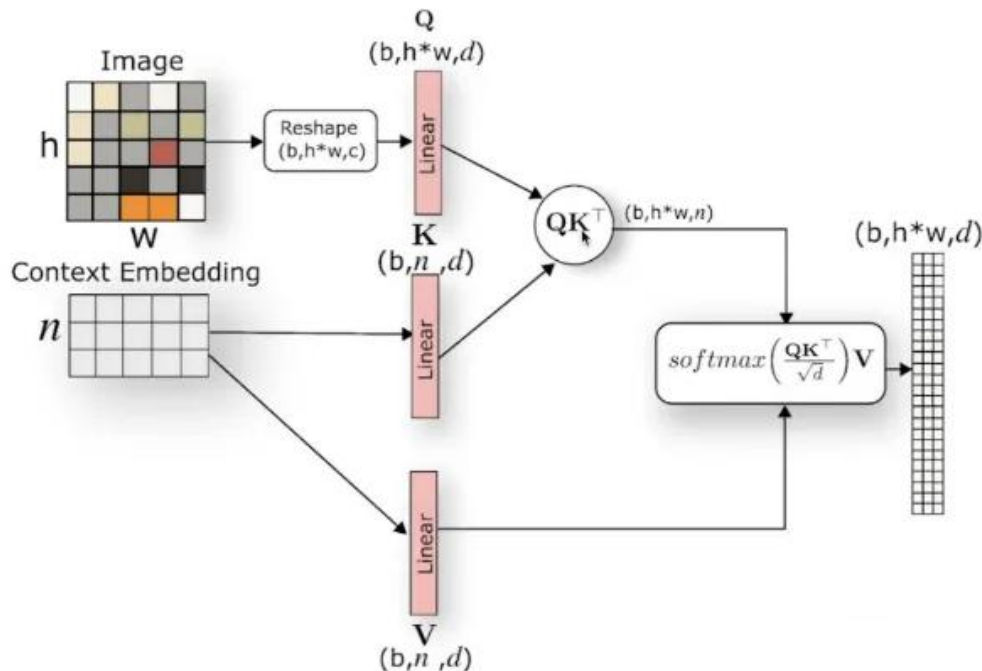
Multi-Head Attention



# Background: Cross Attention

$$Attention(Q, K, V) = softmax\left(\frac{QK^T}{\sqrt{d_k}}\right) V$$
$$Q \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times d_k}, K \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d_k}, V \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d_v}$$

Q comes from the image, while K and V come from the conditional control.



Q : Specifies the image's **structure and layout**

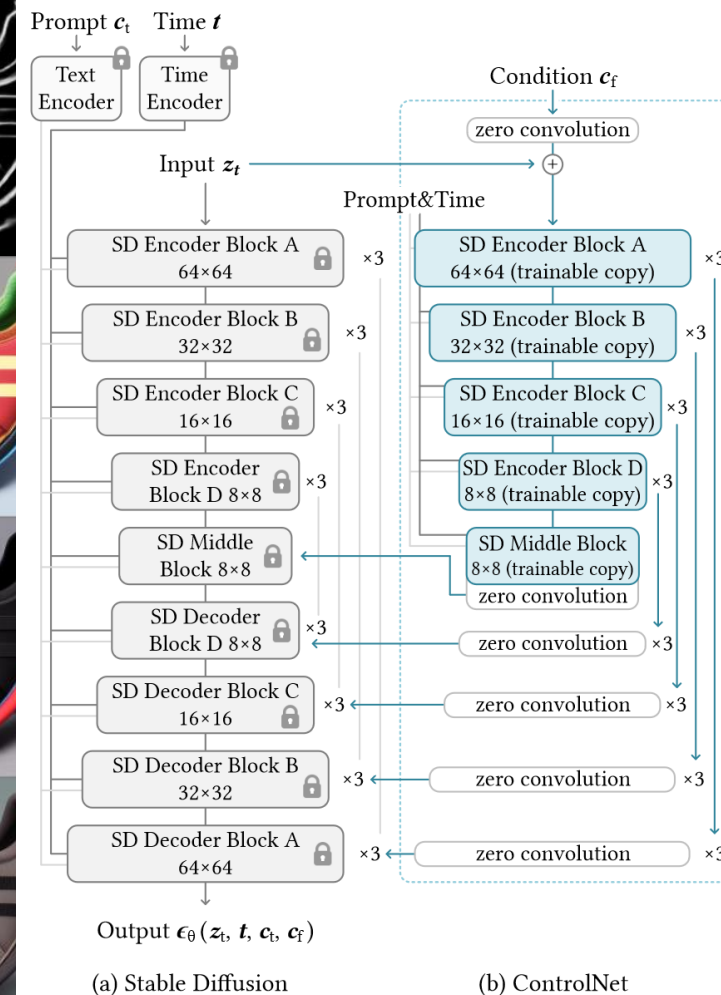
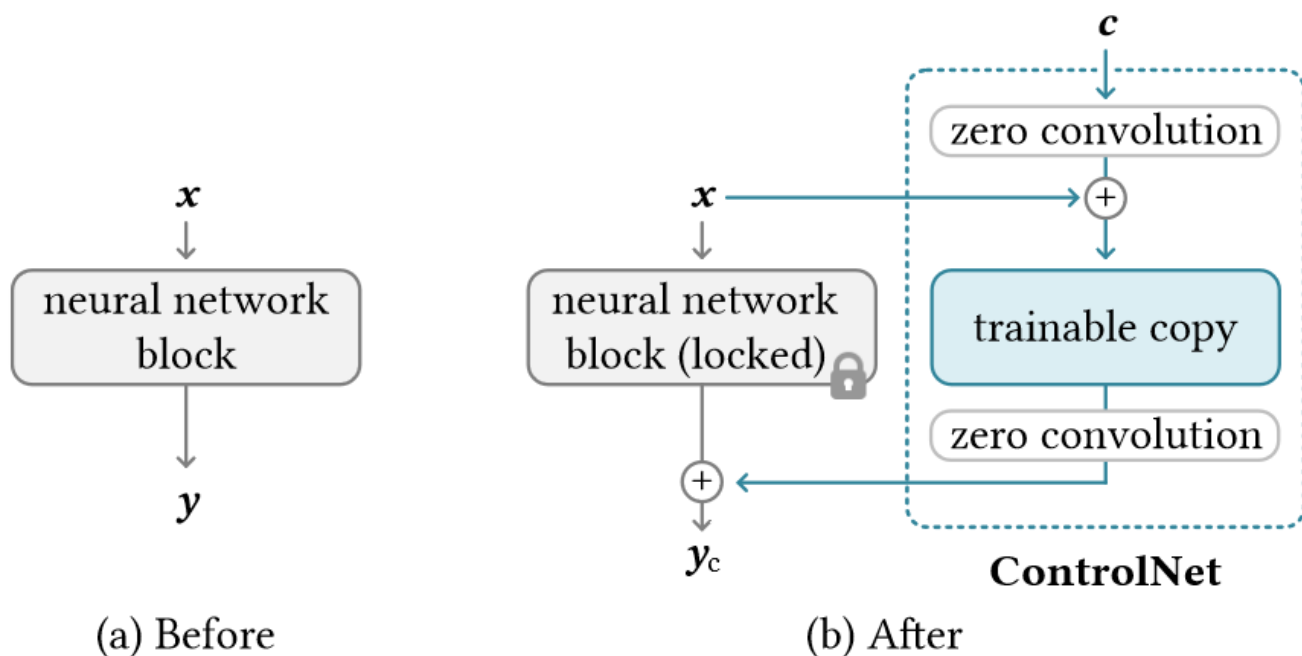
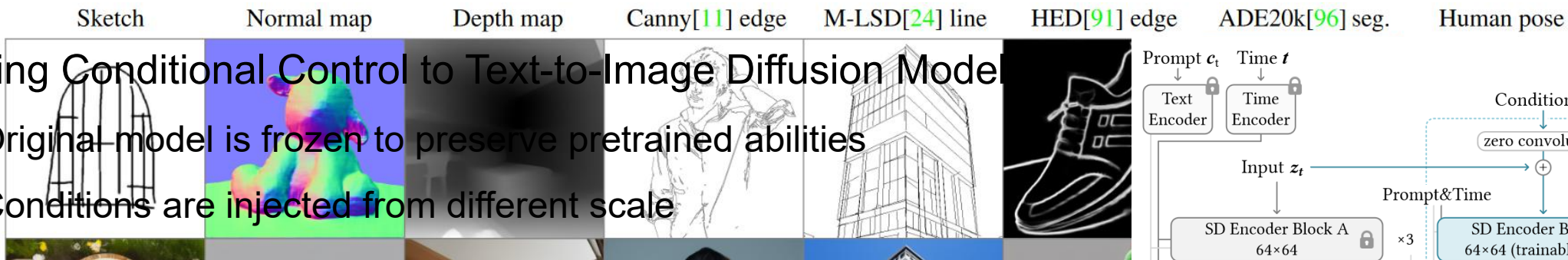
K : **Compact** representation of the generated image

V : Injects **detailed appearance** information into the output

# Background: ControlNet

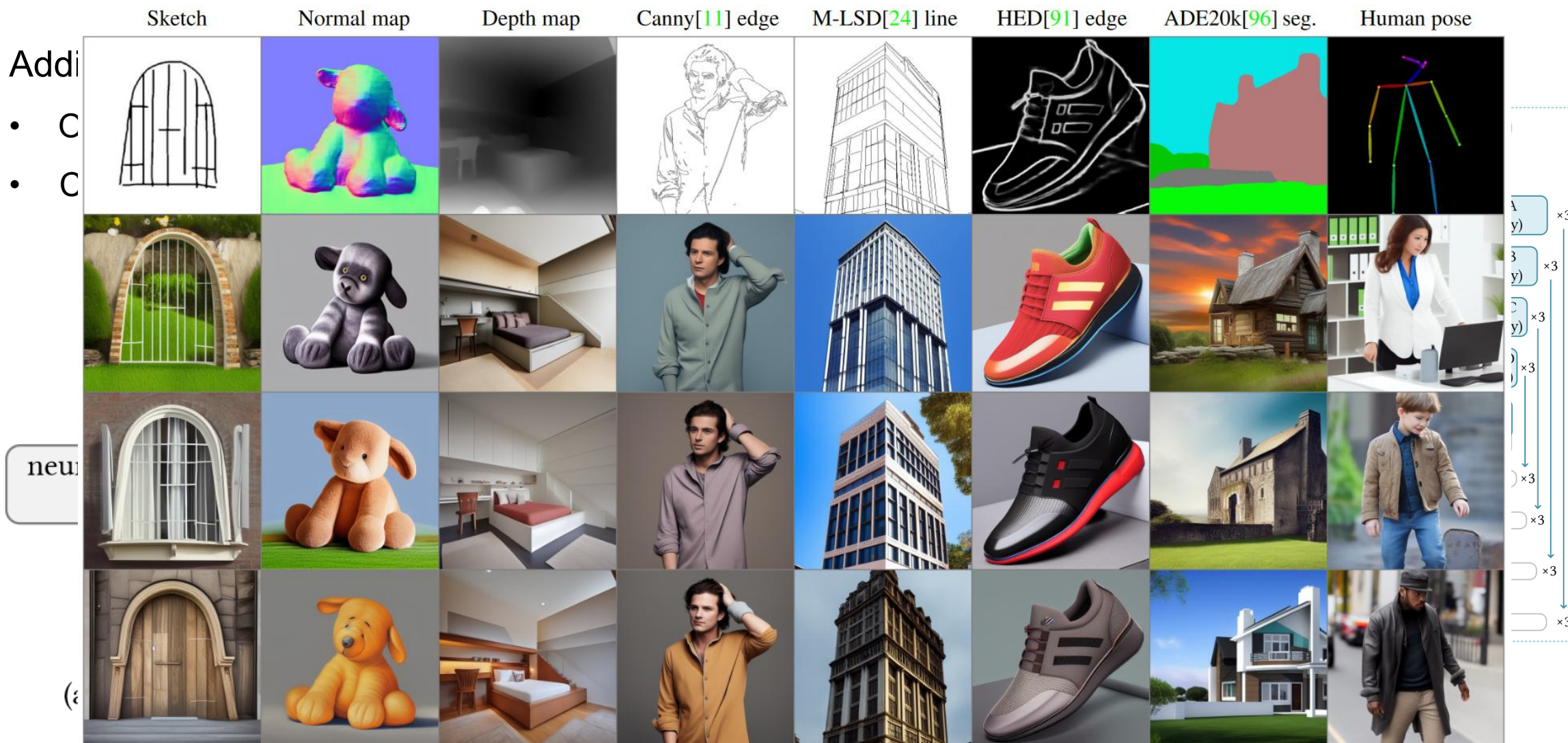
## Adding Conditional Control to Text-to-Image Diffusion Model

- Original model is frozen to preserve pretrained abilities
- Conditions are injected from different scale





# Background: ControlNet

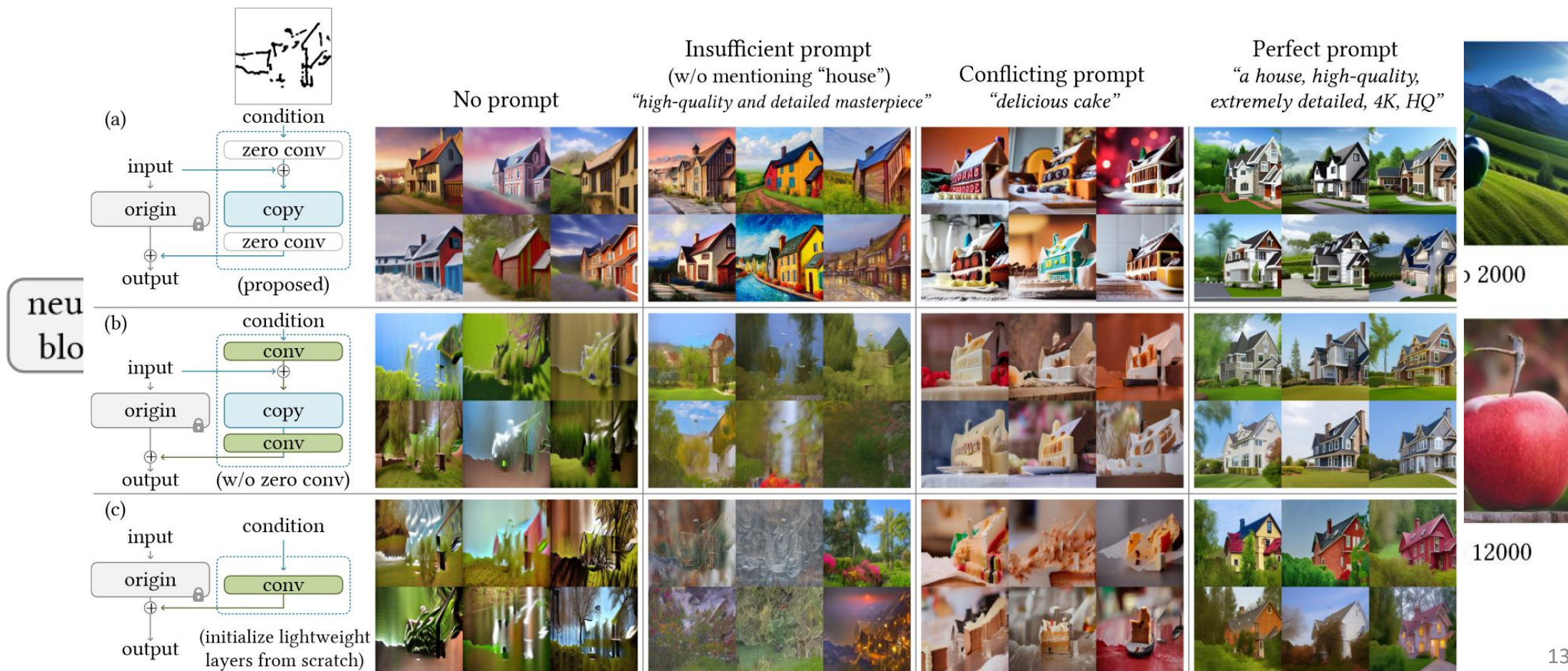


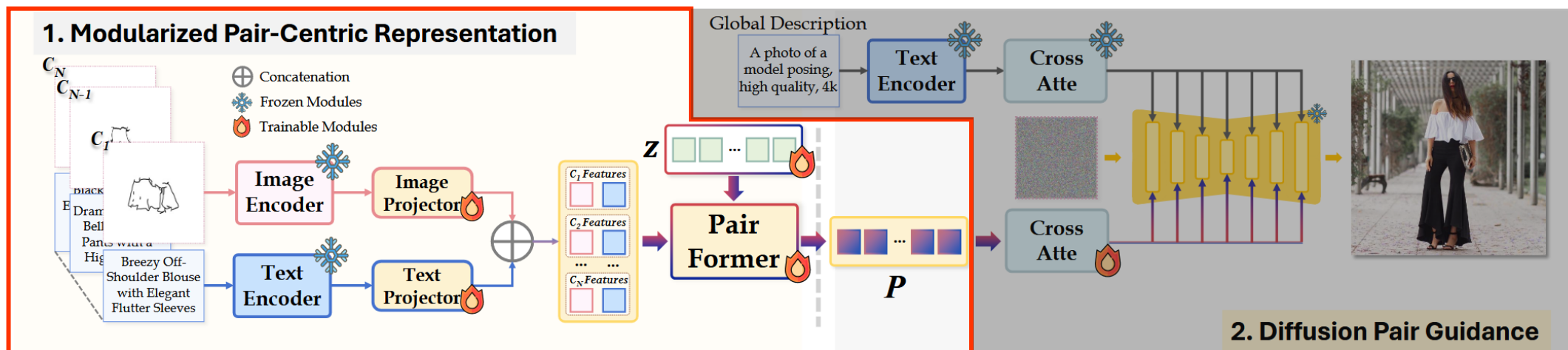


# Background: ControlNet

Due to the **zero convolutions**, ControlNet always predicts high-quality images during the entire training.

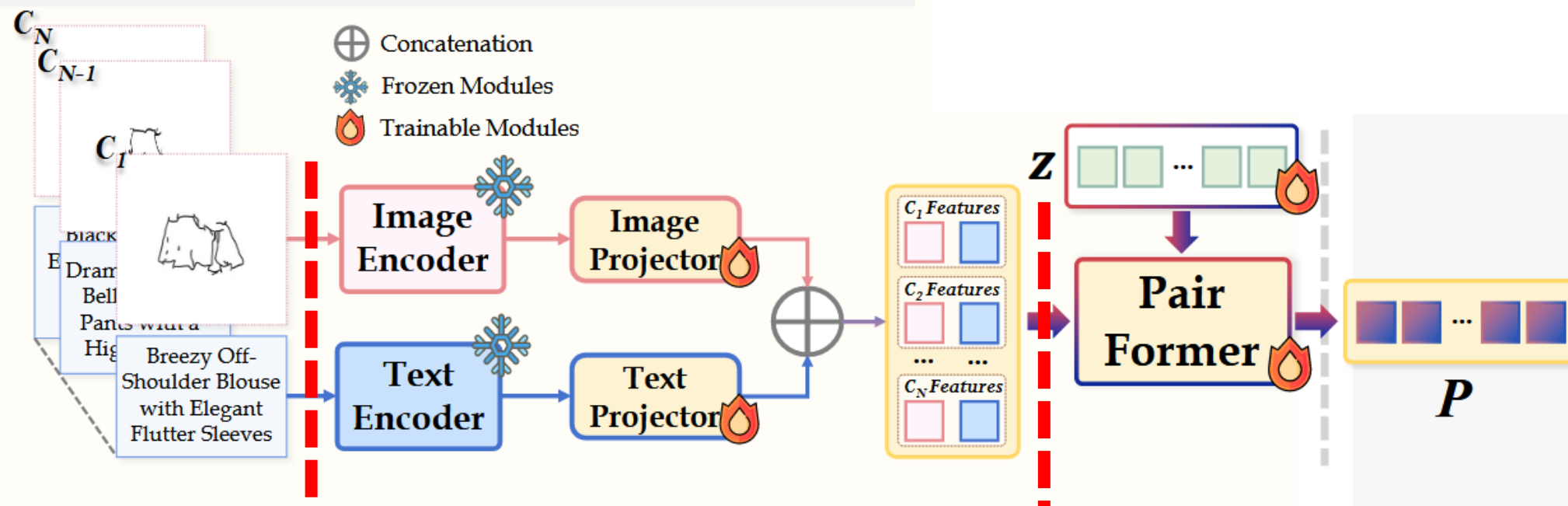
At a certain step in the training process, the model suddenly learns to follow the input condition.





# LOTS Method: Modularized Pair-Centric Representation

## 1. Modularized Pair-Centric Representation



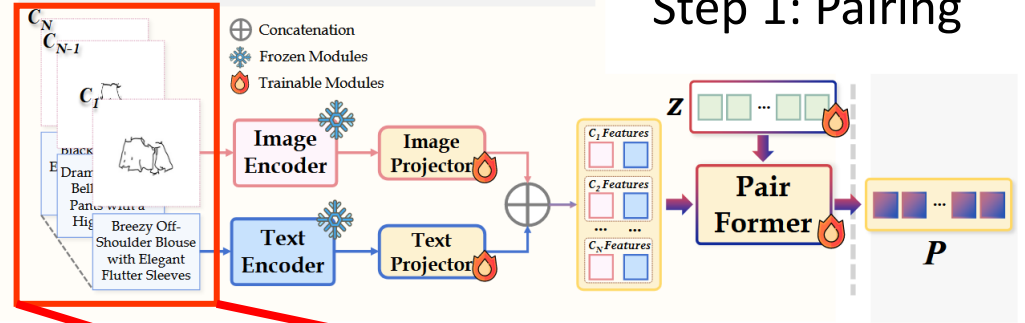
Step 1: Pairing

Step 2: Encoding

Step 3: PairFormer

# LOTS Method: Modularized Pair-Centric Representation

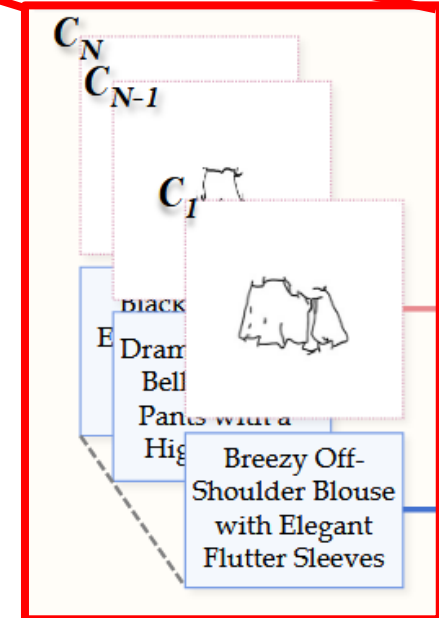
## 1. Modularized Pair-Centric Representation



Use **Sketch-Image Pairs**  $C_i = (S_i, T_i)$  as input.

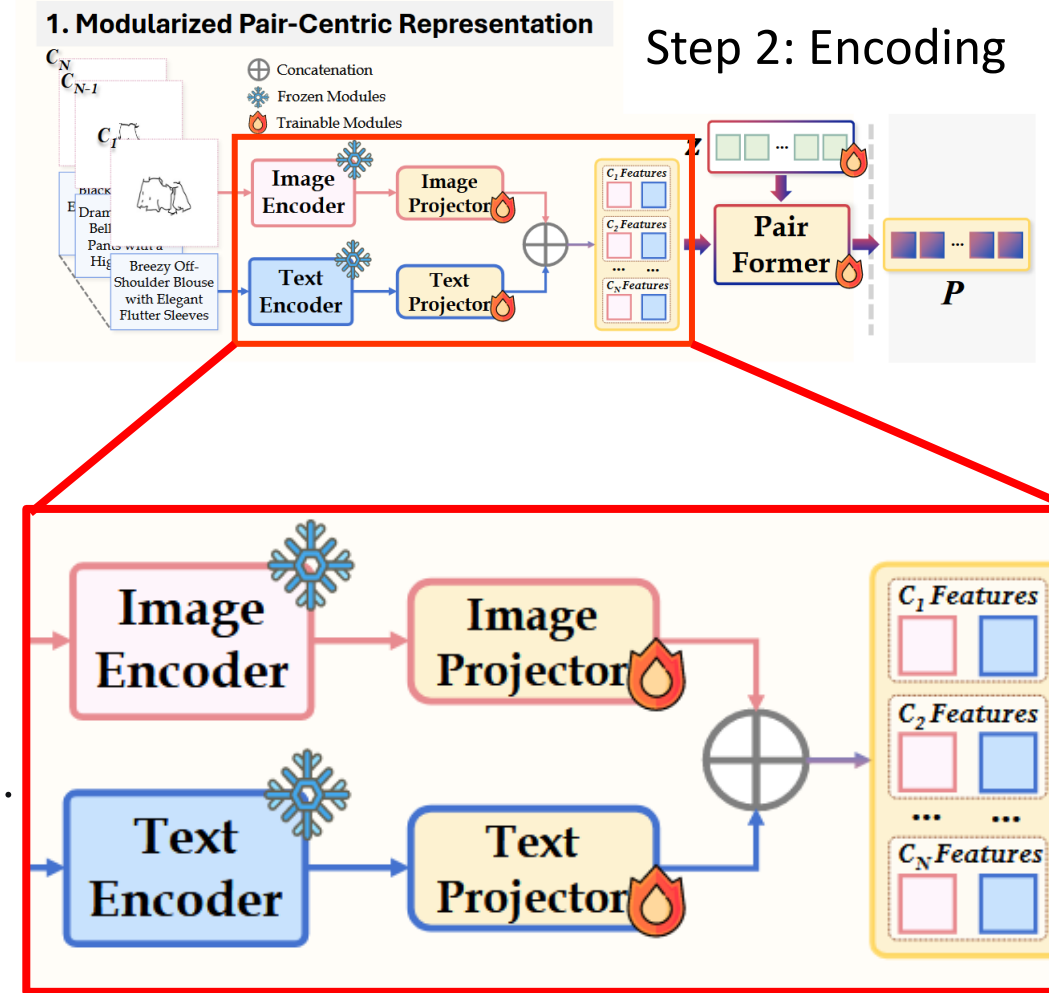
$S_i$  is a binary sketch array, sharing same size with the target output image.

$T_i$  is a text description in natural language such as “a shirt with flower pattern”.

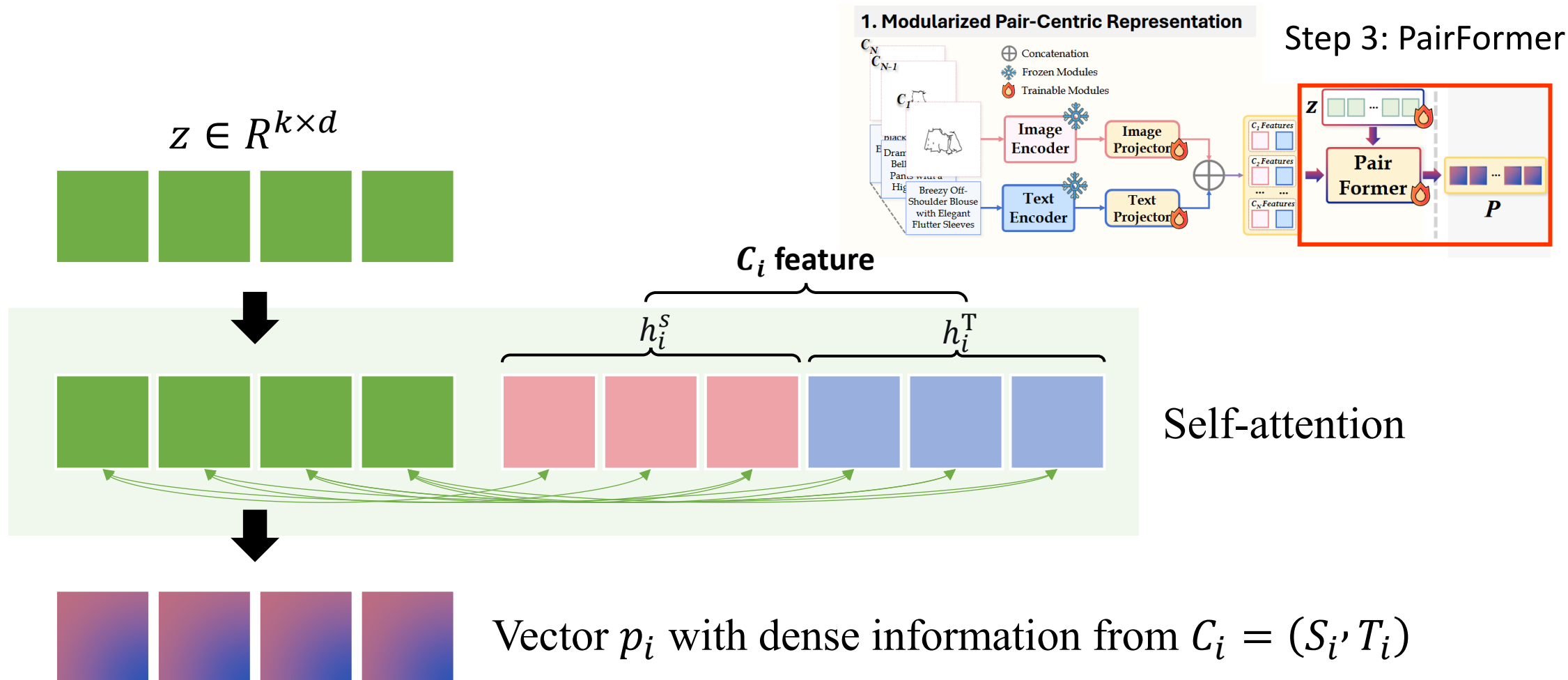




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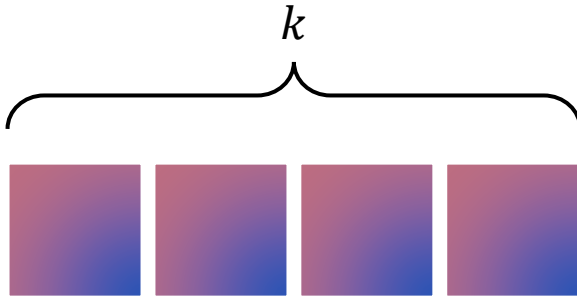


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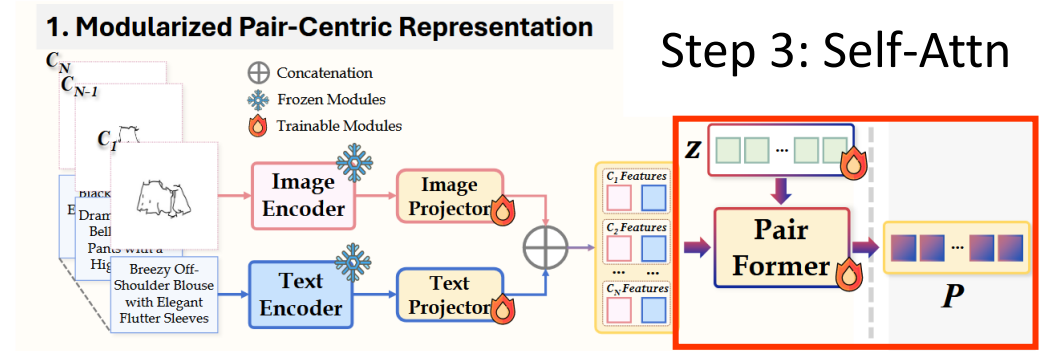


Put sequence  $C_i$  into the self-attention layer of a Transformer. By doing so, the self-attention mechanism enables each token to focus on all other tokens in the sequence.

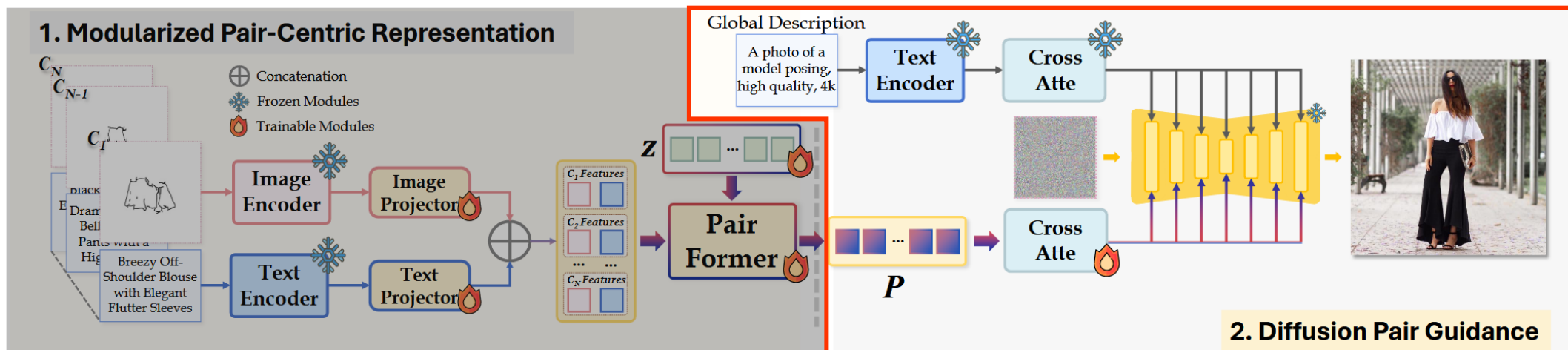
# LOTS Method: Modularized Pair-Centric Representation



Vector  $p_i$  with dense information from  $C_i = (S_i, T_i)$



The output of the self-attention layer is a sequence of the same length as the input sequence. We only take the **first k tokens** (that is, the part corresponding to the initial learnable token  $z$ ) as the final fused representation of this pair  $p_i$ .





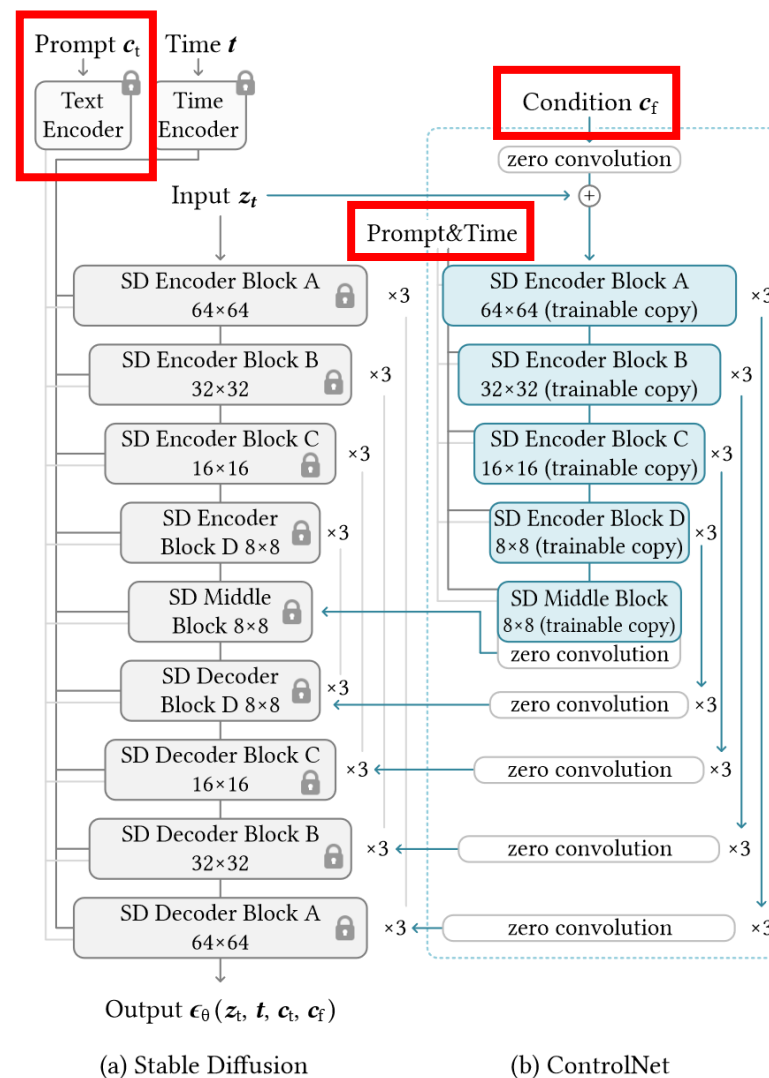
# LOTS Method: Diffusion Pair Guidance

## Fundamental Flaws in Traditional Methods:

- Attribute Confusion
- Premature condition merging

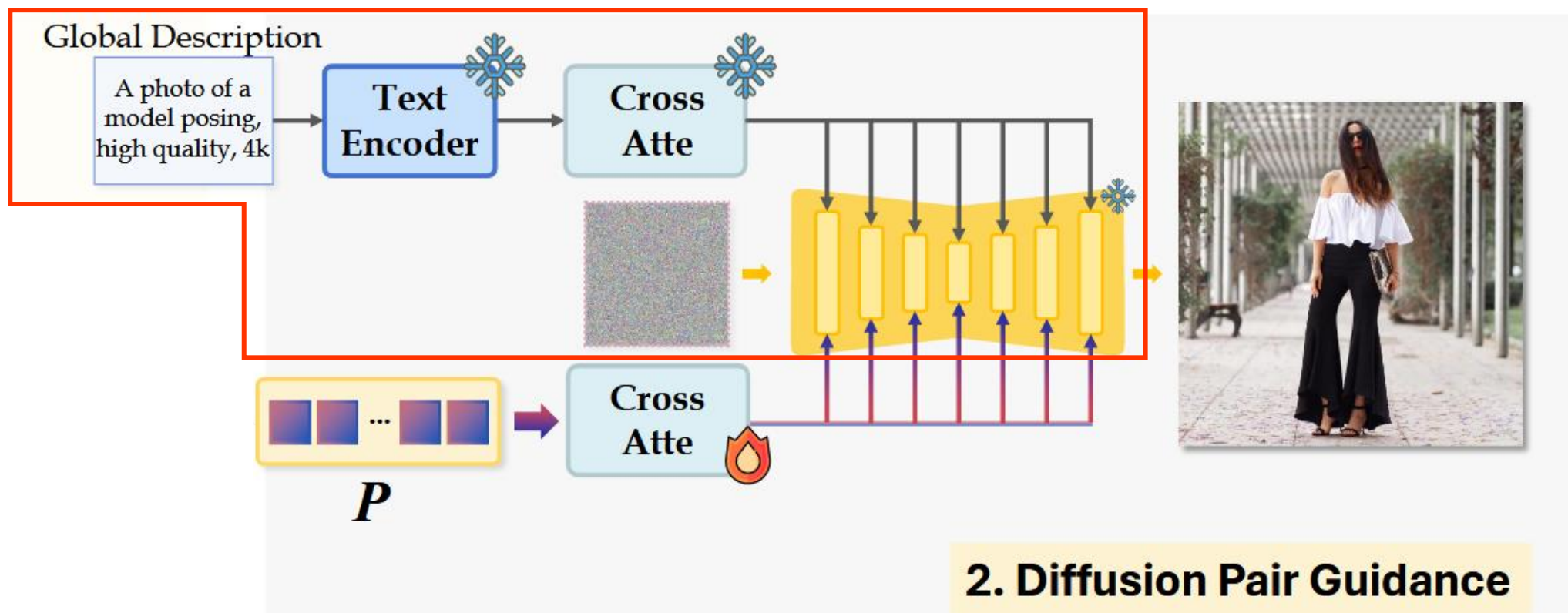


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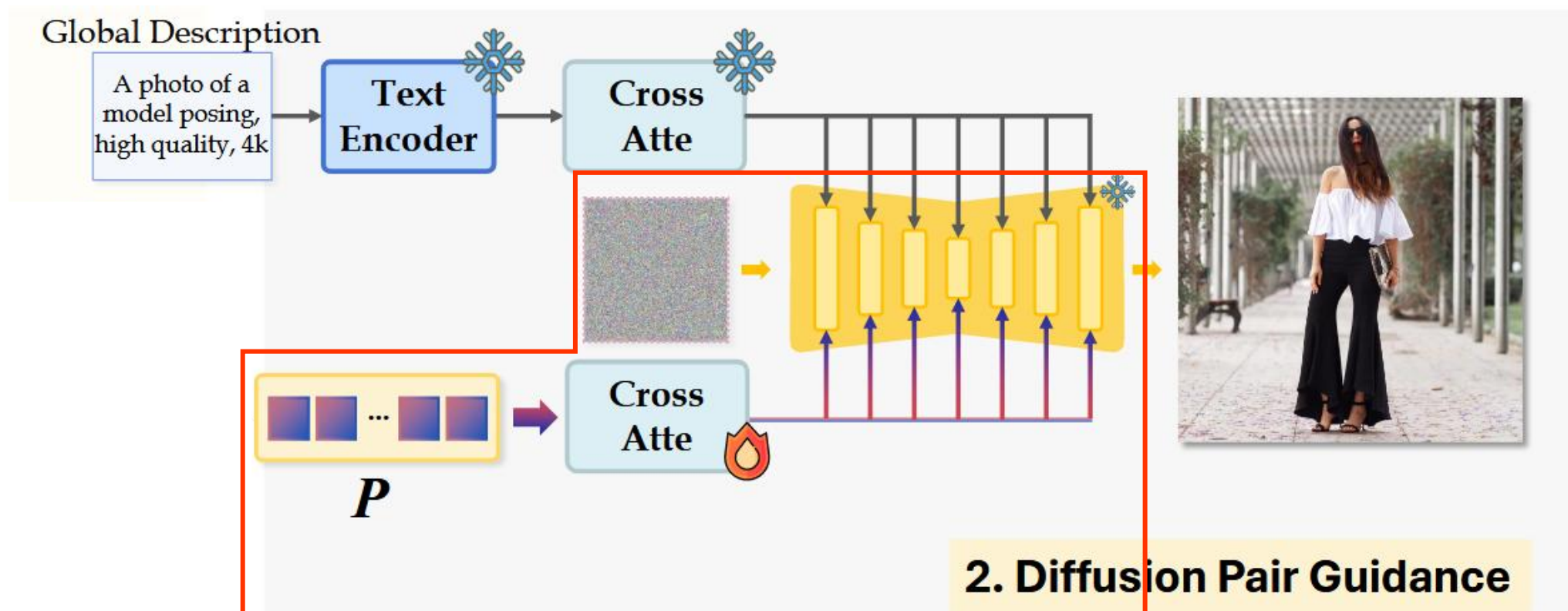


# LOTS Method: Diffusion Pair Guidance

Traditional global text control on UNet via CrossAttn  $w(x, h_g^T)$



## U-Net Modification in LOTS:



Local pair conditioning with a separate CrossAttn  $\hat{w}(x, P)$

Total Feature  $P$

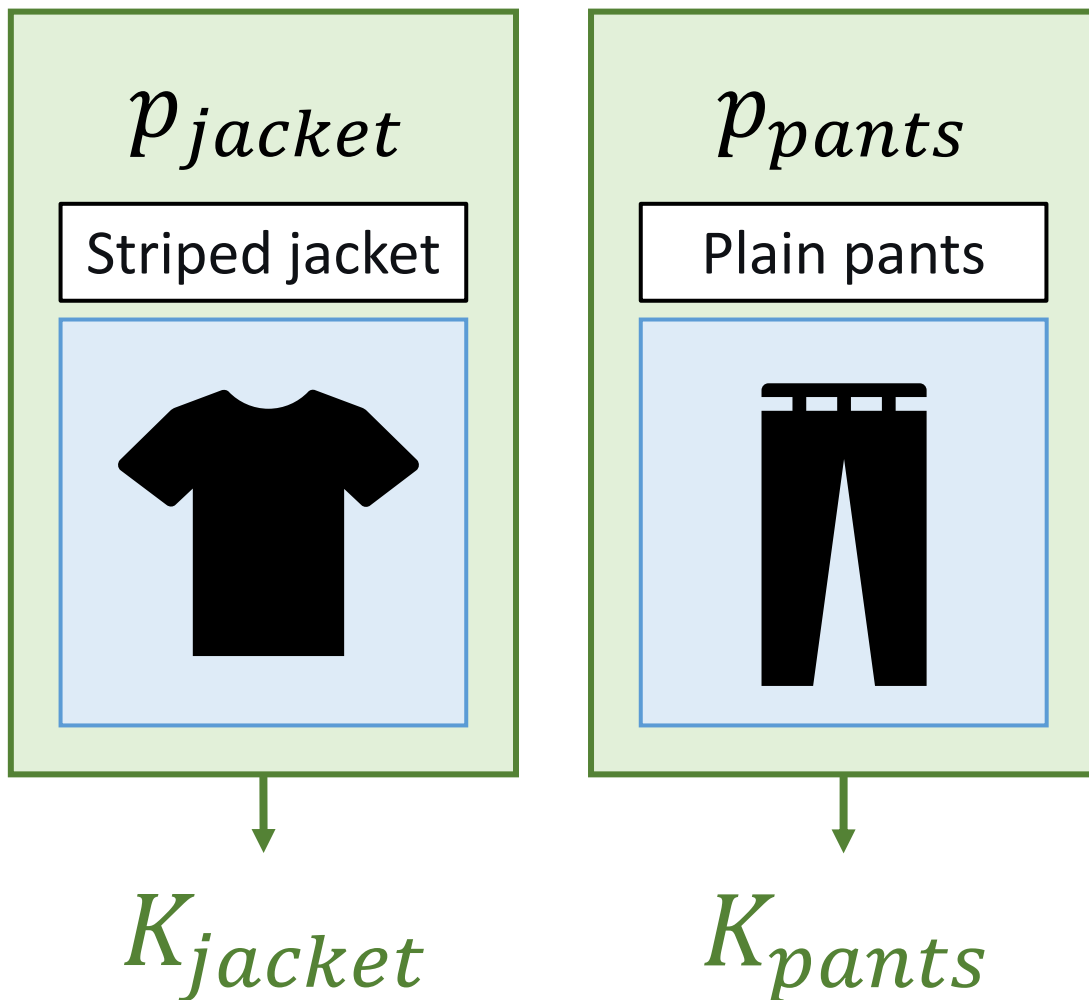
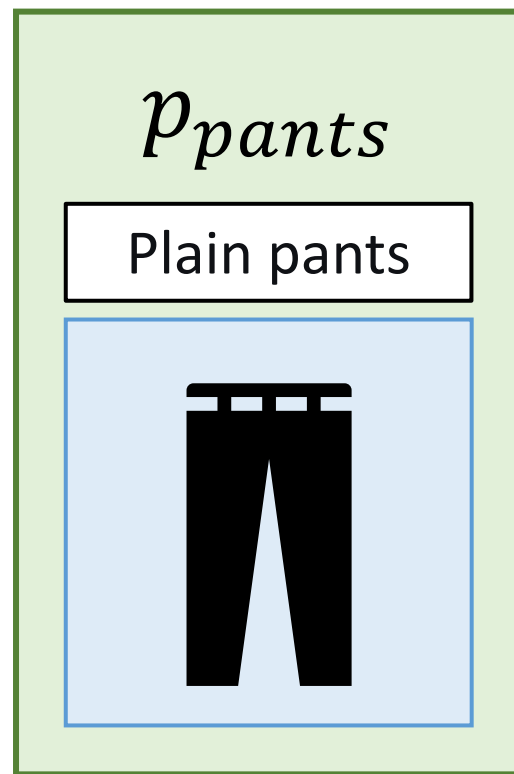
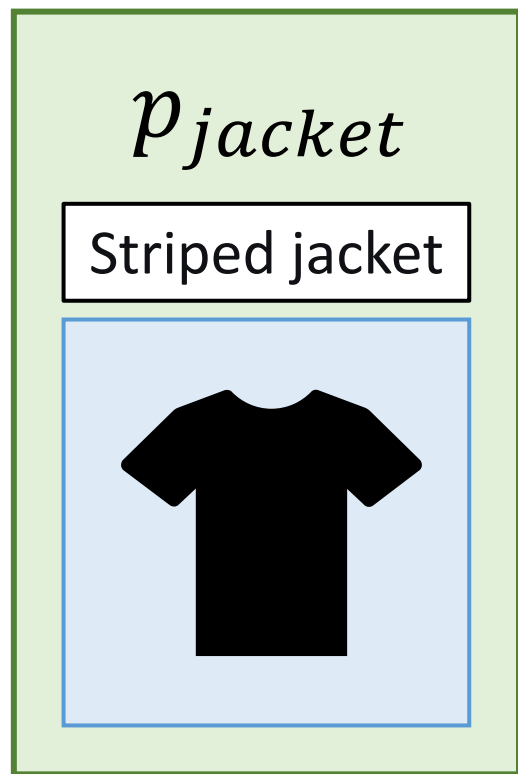


Image  $x$





Total Feature  $P$



$V_P$

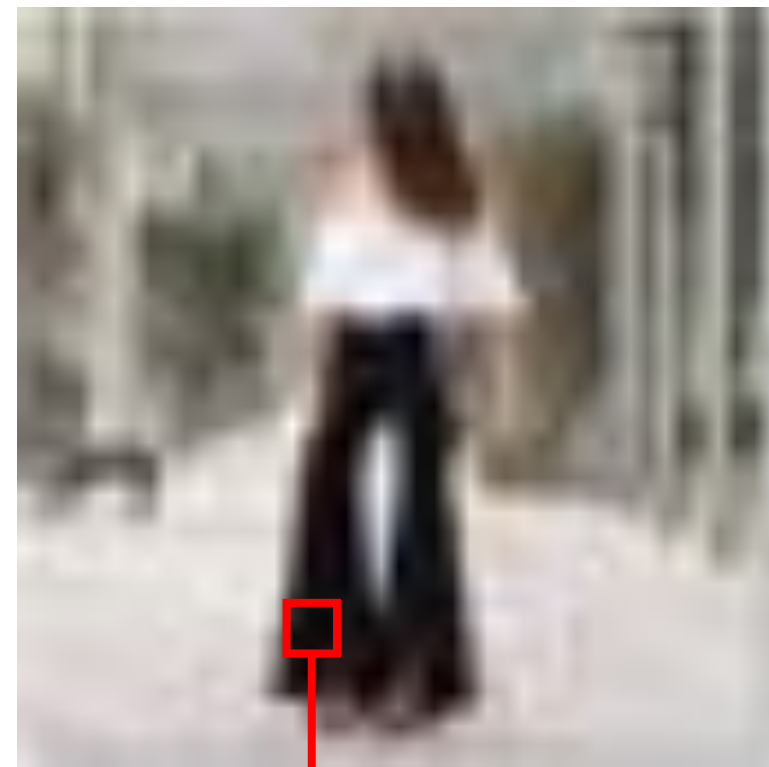


Image  $x$

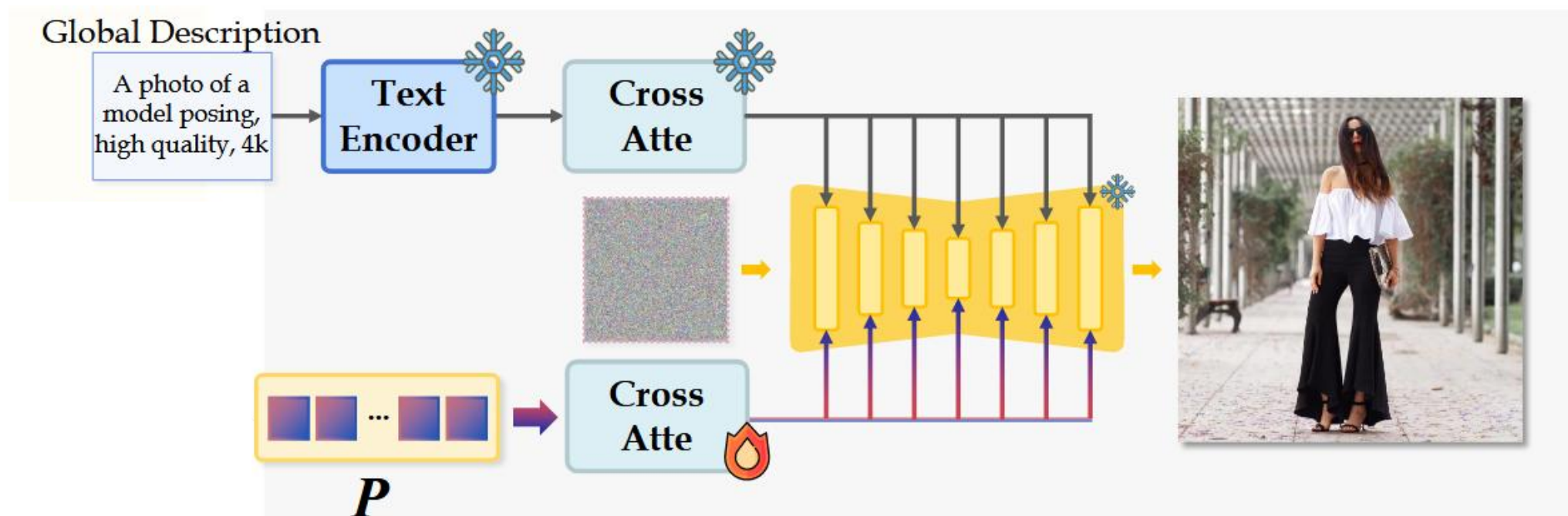
$K_{jacket}$

$K_{pants}$

$Q_{x_{pants}} \rightarrow \hat{w}(x, P)$

# LOTS Method: Diffusion Pair Guidance

$w(x, P)$  Global information (text)



$\hat{w}(x, P)$  Localized details (text & sketch)

## U-Net Modification in LOTS:

Base Formula:

$$x' = w(x, h_g^T) + \alpha \cdot \hat{w}(x, P)$$

Detailed Expansion:

$$w(x, h_g^T) = \text{Softmax}\left(\frac{Q_x \cdot K_{h_g^T}^T}{\sqrt{d}}\right) \cdot V_{h_g^T}$$
$$\hat{w}(x, P) = \text{Softmax}\left(\frac{Q_x \cdot K_P^T}{\sqrt{d}}\right) \cdot V_P$$

Where:

$Q_x = x \cdot W_Q$	(Image feature query)
$K_P = P \cdot W_K$	(Pair feature key)
$V_P = P \cdot W_V$	(Pair feature value)

## Sketchy Dataset

- Based on Fasionpedia, with 47000+ images and 79000 annotations.
- 14 higher level categories(shirt, skirt, pants, etc.) & 21 lower level categories(sleeve, pocket, etc.)
- Generate clothing sketch from image via Photo-Sketching
- Apply LLaMMA-3.1-8B to generate descriptions on sketches with a average length of 16 words





# LOTS of Fashion: Results

## Conditions



A hip-length, single-breasted blazer with plain design, notched lapels, wrist-length set-in sleeves, and two kangaroo pockets with a welt pocket. A classic **floral**, above-the-hip, regular fit, symmetrical top with no waistline, featuring a v-neck. A striped, maxi-length, straight pair of pants with a normal waist and regular fit, featuring a symmetrical design and a fly opening, and a simple buckle.



A **floral**, single-breasted blazer jacket with a regular fit, normal waist, above-the-hip length, notched lapel, welt pockets, and set-in sleeves with wrist-length cuffs. Low-waisted, striped, symmetrical, fly-front, straight pants with curved pockets. A plain, tight-fitting blouse with a normal waist, single-breasted front, symmetrical design, a flap pocket, a shirt collar and wrist-length sleeves

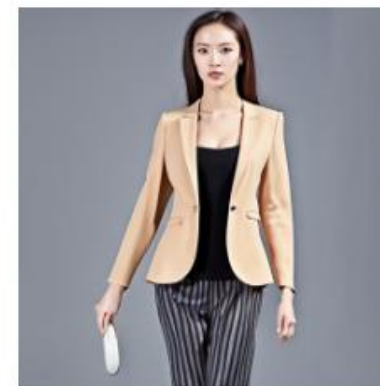
## LOTS



## Multi-T2I-Adapter (zero-shot)



## IP-Adapter



## T2I-Adapter



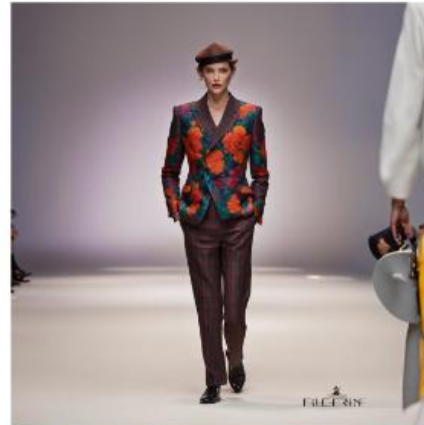
# LOTS of Fashion: Results

## Conditions

## LOTS



Double-breasted, floral jacket with peak lapels, and wrist-length set-in sleeves.  
Maxi length, symmetrical and straight sailor pants with a check pattern.



A tight-fitting, floral shirt with a hip length, short sleeves and a traditional shirt collar.  
Striped bermuda shorts.



## Conditions

## LOTS



A regular-fit shirt with a striped pattern [...], featuring set-in sleeves and a regular collar.  
A plain, classic printed t-shirt with a round neckline.  
Loose, maxi-length, straight, check pants.



A dotted, regular-fit, hip-length shirt, featuring short set-in sleeves and a traditional shirt collar.  
Check, loose-fitting, above-the-knee bermuda shorts.



# LOTS of Fashion: Results

Model	Conditioning Visual/Textual	Global Quality		Compositional Alignment		
		FID (↓)	GlobalCLIP (↑)	LocalCLIP (↑)	VQAScore (↑)	SSIM (↑)
SD [34]	-/G	1.11	.603	.745	.719	.663
SDXL [30]	-/G	1.77	.529	.701	.660	.544
GLIGEN [20]	-/L	0.93	.568	.704	.395	.614
ControlNet [46]	G/G	1.08	.622	.789	.733	.674
Multi-ControlNet [46]	L/G	1.10	.615	.780	.730	.672
IP-Adapter [45]	G/G	2.80	.537	.682	.611	<u>.715</u>
T2I-Adapter [25]	G/G	2.16	.534	.705	.635	.482
Multi-T2I-Adapter [25]	L/G	1.14	.583	.766	.697	<b>.723</b>
AnyControl [37]	L/G	0.99	.602	.777	.712	.544
GLIGEN [20]	-/L	1.70	.564	.713	.419	.514
ControlNet [46]	G/G	0.80	<u>.645</u>	<u>.801</u>	.717	.574
Multi-ControlNet [46]	L/G	0.84	.638	.799	.720	.572
IP-Adapter [45]	G/G	<b>0.69</b>	.621	.787	.714	.631
T2I-Adapter [25]	G/G	1.03	.570	.753	<b>.749</b>	.612
Multi-T2I-Adapter [25]	L/G	1.11	.559	.744	<u>.734</u>	.605
LOTS (Ours)	<b>L/L</b>	<u>0.79</u>	<b>.679</b>	<b>.813</b>	<b>.749</b>	.678

(a) Comparisons between LOTS and state-of-the-art sketch-to-image approaches. In the Conditioning column, L and G indicate whether the model accepts Local or Global inputs as Visual or Textual conditioning. We divide the table into three sections: zero-shot approaches, fine-tuned approaches on Sketchy, and our approach LOTS. We highlight the best performance in bold and underline the second best



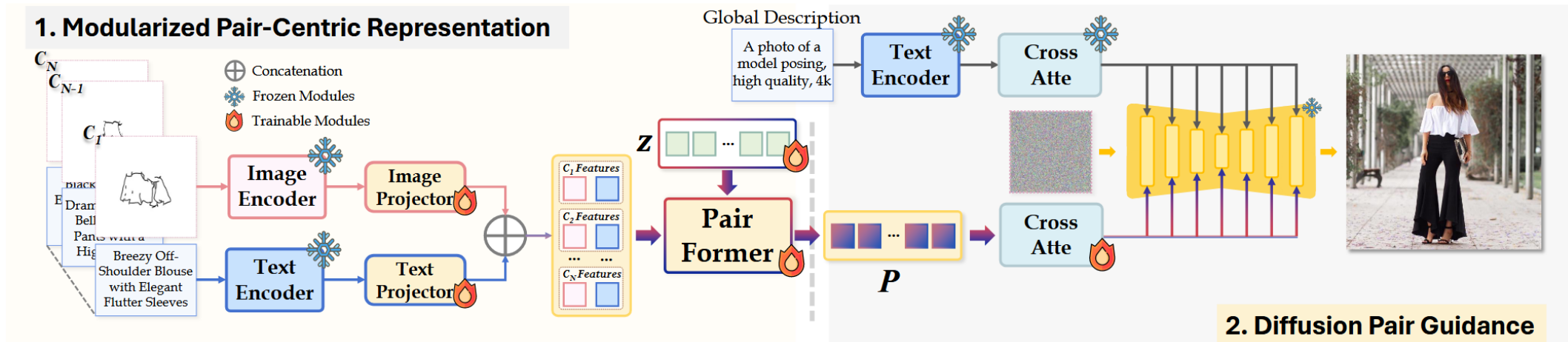
Model	Attribute Localization		
	Precision (↑)	Recall (↑)	F1 (↑)
SDXL [30]	.636	<b>.754</b>	<u>.690</u>
ControlNet [46]	.596	.449	.512
Multi-ControlNet [46]	.487	.365	.418
IP-Adapter [45]	.625	.139	.227
T2I-Adapter [25]	.409	.170	.240
Multi-T2I-Adapter [25]	.370	.270	.312
AnyControl [37]	.281	.134	.182
ControlNet [46]	<u>.667</u>	.516	.582
Multi-ControlNet [46]	.541	.417	.471
IP-Adapter [45]	.559	.384	.455
T2I-Adapter [25]	.463	.397	.427
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LOTS (Ours)	<b>.813</b>	<u>.650</u>	<b>.722</b>

(b) Results of qualitative user study of attribute localization and confusion conducted between LOTS and other models. We highlight the best results for each metric in bold and underline the second best.



# LOTS of Fashion: Conclusion

- **Novel Method:** Proposes LOTS, a new approach for fine-grained image generation using localized sketch-text pairs.
- **Technical Innovation:** Introduces a "delayed fusion" mechanism that processes conditions during diffusion, solving attribute confusion.
- **New Dataset:** Creates Sketchy, the first fashion dataset with localized sketch-text annotations.
- **SOTA Results:** Demonstrates superior performance in both image quality and attribute localization.



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# Thanks for listening!

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