

Hands-on Machine Learning Training

Session 9 – Generative Adversarial Networks

Preparation

In this session, you will learn how generative adversarial networks work and how they are implemented.

Preparation consists of the following tasks:

- Read and understand the following literature:
 - Goodfellow et al., "Generative Adversarial Networks", NIPS 2014 ¹.
 - Alec Radford et al. "Unsupervised representation learning with deep convolutional neural networks", 2015, arXiv:1511.06434 ²
- Based on this literature you should have an understanding of
 - What is a generative adversarial network (GAN)?
 - What is the function of the Generator and Discriminator, respectively?
 - How are GANs trained?
 - How many networks are trained?
 - What is the training objective?
 - What is the difference between a GAN and a DCGAN?

¹<https://papers.nips.cc/paper/5423-generative-adversarial-nets.pdf>

²<https://arxiv.org/abs/1511.06434>