

This is a dataset composed of high quality images gathered from the flim.ai database that were tagged with various tags related to sex work. It was collated to explore depictions of sex workers in popular culture through a General Adversarial Network. Images have been resized and pixel values have been normalised. I have removed any images from the dataset that do not clearly depict a person. It is labelled with the name of the film the image is from. The purpose of this dataset is to examine stereotypes and perceptions around sex work, however it is important to note that that does not mean that those featured in this dataset are sex workers. It is a dataset composed of images from fictitious films and those featured are actors. It is also based on what the flim.ai system tagged the images as, or what came up in my searches. Collecting these images was as much what is perceived to be sex work adjacent or related as it is about collecting images of sex work on film. The search terms I used were: "prostitute," "sex worker," "stripper" and "dominatrix." However many of the images in the dataset don't depict anyone playing those professions, they often just depict women, as in the example below from the film Mandy.



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