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Assignment 04
Analysis Report
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To run the generative adversarial network (GAN) on the CIFAR-10 dataset, a single architecture model was used with three different *learning rate* parameters. Following are the results discussed in detail for all the three different parameters.

Model Specification:

- Batch-size = 100
- Discriminator: 4 convolution layers with Leaky ReLU activation and 1 dense layer with Sigmoid activation.
- Generator: 1 dense layer followed by 3 de-convolution layers with ReLU activation, again followed by 1 de-convolution layer with Tanh activation.
- Optimizer: Adam optimizer.
- Loss function: Cross-entropy.

Results:

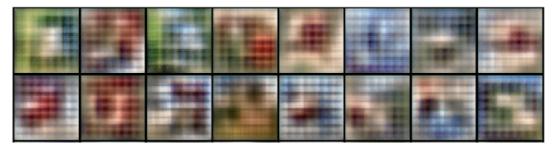
(i) Learning rate = 0.001

The model does not seem to perform well on 0.001 learning rate. The model was analyzed at epoch 1, 2 and 80. No significant difference in results was observed.

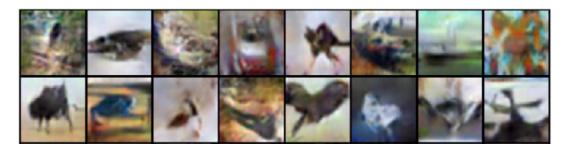
Epoch # 1



Epoch # 2



Epoch # 80



(ii) Learning rate = 0.0005

The model seemed to perform relatively well in this case. The results were analyzed at epochs 1, 2 and 15. The results were better even at the 15th epoch.



Epoch # 2



Epoch # 15



(iii) Learning rate = 0.0002

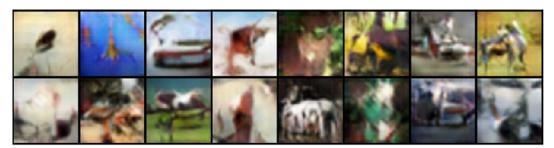
So far, 0.0002 learning rate performed the best among the three.



Epoch # 2



Epoch # 15



Among all the three models, model 3 performed the best even at 15 epochs. The loss was continuously decreasing and it can be said that if the same model is allowed to run for further epochs, it can generate even better results.