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ABSTRACT

Human beings are quickly able to conjure and imagine images related to natural language descriptions. For example, when we read a story about a sunny field full of flowers, an image of a beautiful field with blossoming flowers might pop into head. Artificial synthesis of images using text descriptions or human cues could have profound applications in visual editing, animation, and digital design.

Generating high-quality image from the given text description is a challenging problem in computer vision and has different advantages in many applications. The sample image generated by existing text-to-image approach could be roughly reflect the meaning of the given description, but they fail to contain necessary details and vivid object parts which is necessary to build the image properly.

In this report, Stacked Generative Adversarial Networks (StackGAN) is used to generate 256x256 photo-realistic image conditioned on the text description. Using decomposition technique, the hard problems is sub divided into sub-problems through a sketch-refinement process. The stage-I GAN sketches the primitive shape and color of the object based on the given text description, and in this stage-I we get low-resolution image. The Stage-II GAN takes Stage-I results and text description as input, and generates high-resolution images with photo-realistic details. Some of the defects that arrives in stage-I will be rectified and add compelling details with the refinement process. After refinement process is done than the significant improvements on generating photo-realistic image is generated.

Keywords: artificial, synthesis, computer vision, Stack GAN, Stage-I GAN, Stage-II GAN, Vivid, high-resolution, Photo-realistic

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LIST OF ABBREVIATION

CNN	Convolutional Neural Network
CUB	Caltech-UCSD Bird
DCGAN	Deep Convolutional Generative Adversarial Networks
GAN	Generative Adversarial Network
MSCOCO	Microsoft Common Object in Context
PPGN	Plug & Play Generative Networks