

Intel Summer Camp 2021

Introduction to Generative Adversarial Networks

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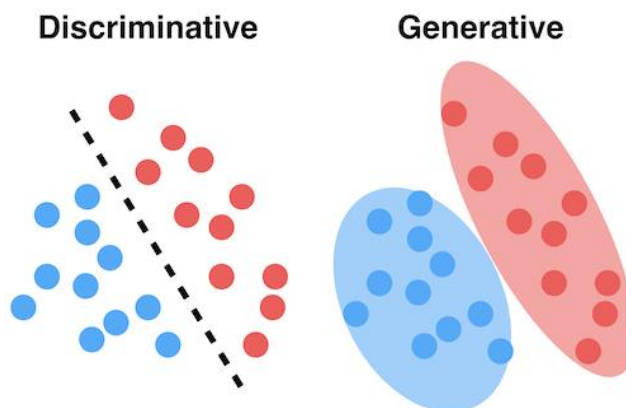


Agenda

- What is a generative model?
- When do we need to generate new data?
- Overview of the GAN learning framework
- How to evaluate GANs?
- Problems and limitations of the approach
- Examples of practical applications

Discriminative and generative learning

- Discriminative model tries to establish a boundary between classes. It learns a conditional distribution $p(y/x)$.
- Generative models can generate new data instances. They learn the joint distribution $p(x,y)$ or $p(x)$ if there are no labels.



When do we need to generate new data?

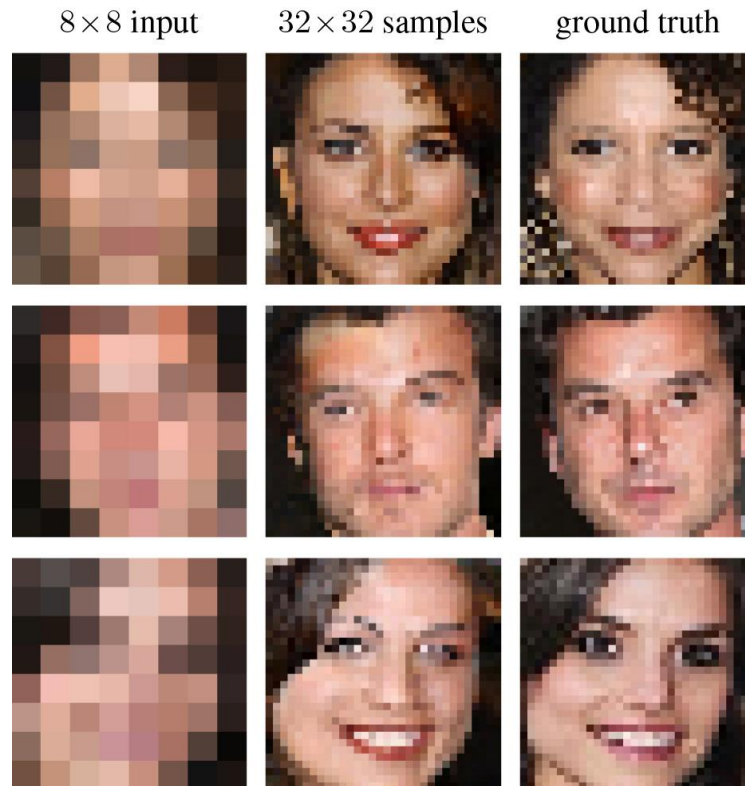


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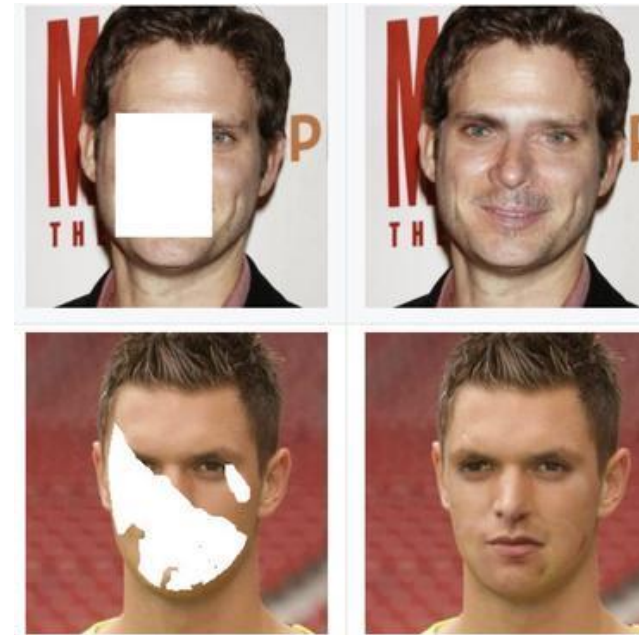
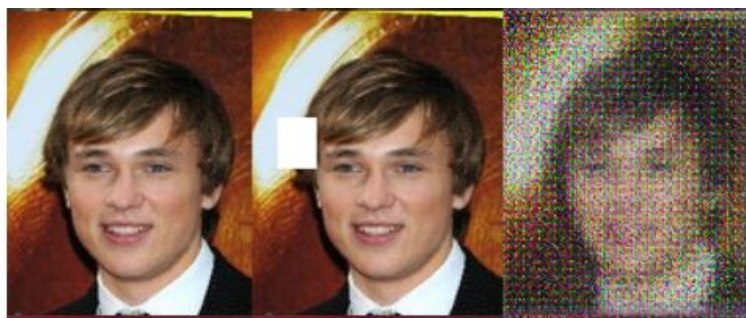
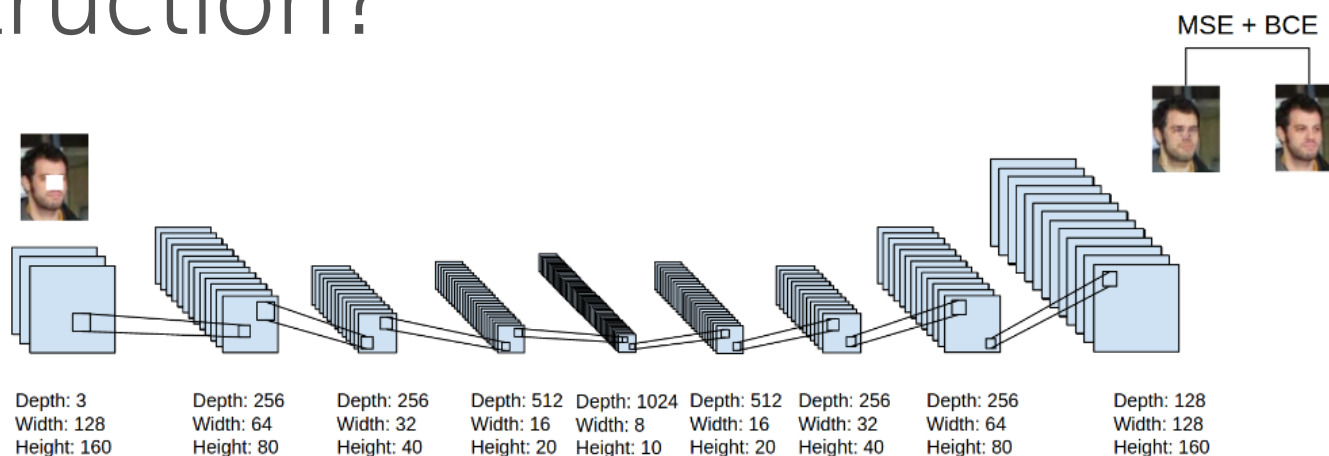


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Why not L2 reconstruction?



THE AVERAGE FACE



Avery Allen, Wenchen Li - Generative Adversarial Denoising Autoencoder for Face Completion (2016)

Pioneering works

- Ian J. Goodfellow, Jean Pouget-Abadie, Mehdi Mirza, Bing Xu, David Warde-Farley, Sherjil Ozair, Aaron Courville, Yoshua Bengio - Generative Adversarial Networks (2014)
- Mehdi Mirza, Simon Osindero - Conditional Generative Adversarial Nets (2014)
- Alec Radford, Luke Metz, Soumith Chintala - Unsupervised Representation Learning with Deep Convolutional Generative Adversarial Networks (2015)

Dynamics of research on the GANs topic

“Generative Adversarial Networks is the most interesting idea in the last 10 years in Machine Learning.” — Yann LeCun, Chief AI scientist at Facebook

Cumulative number of paper publications/journals related to GANs per year since its introduction in 2014:

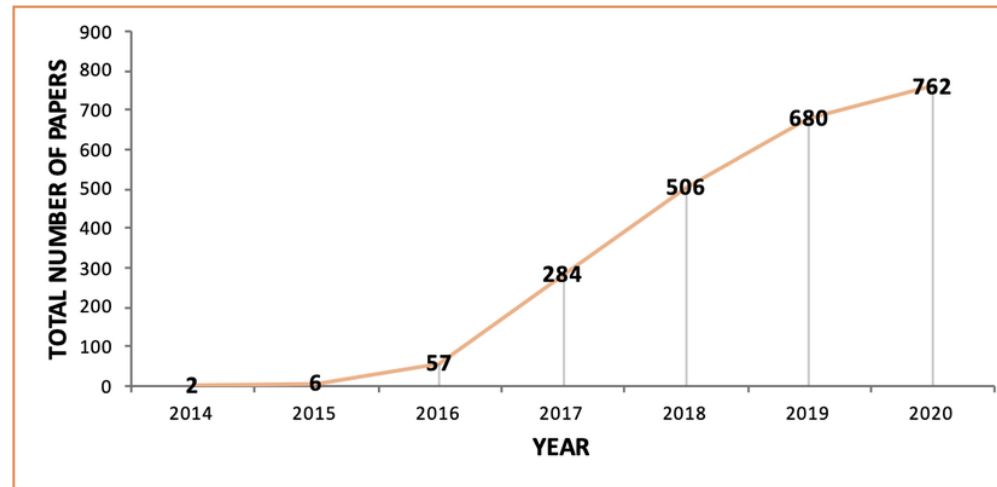


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Data Generation Using Gene Expression Generator.

Overview of the GAN learning framework

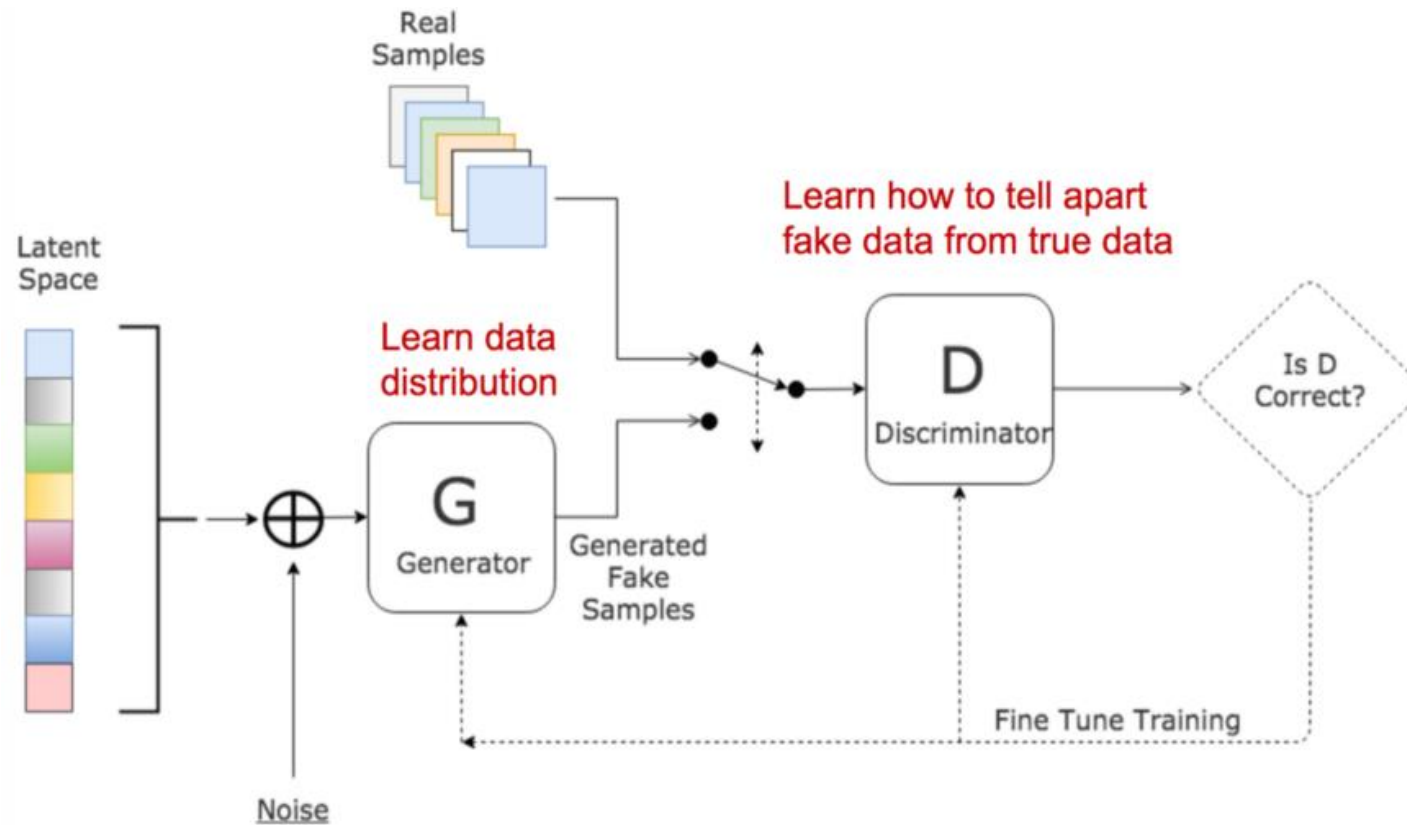


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Adversarial learning technique

x - real data

z - latent variable

D - discriminator

G - generator

$$\min_G \max_D V(D, G) = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x} \sim p_{\text{data}}(\mathbf{x})} [\log D(\mathbf{x})] + \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{z} \sim p_{\mathbf{z}}(\mathbf{z})} [\log(1 - D(G(\mathbf{z})))]$$

How to evaluate GANs?



How to evaluate GANs?

- Manual Image Inspection
- Birthday paradox test
- Nearest Neighbors test (find the closest image from a set of real images)
- Inception Score:
 - Collect output of the InceptionV3 model on fake images: $p(y|x)$
 - Compute the marginal distribution of labels $p(y)$
 - Compute the average KL-divergence between $p(y|x)$ and $p(y)$

$$D_{KL}(p(y|x)||p(y)) = \sum_{y=1}^C p(y|x) \log \left(\frac{p(y|x)}{p(y)} \right)$$
$$IS = \exp [\mathbb{E}_x D_{KL}(p(y|x)||p(y))]$$

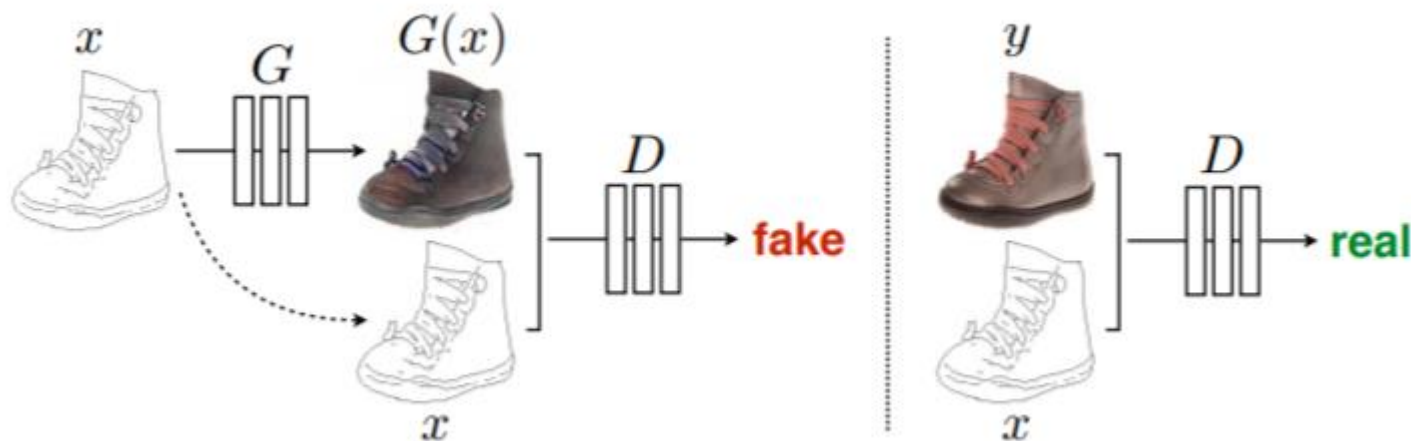
- *Frechet Inception Score*

Problems and limitations of GANs

- Optimization process is not always stable and hard to tune
- Mode collapse
- Inconsistent background
- High-frequency artifacts
- Restricted capacity of the generator and discriminator
- Inconsistency between the learned and actual distribution

Pix2Pix

Conditional GAN trained on image pairs.



Note: the generator has no additional random input

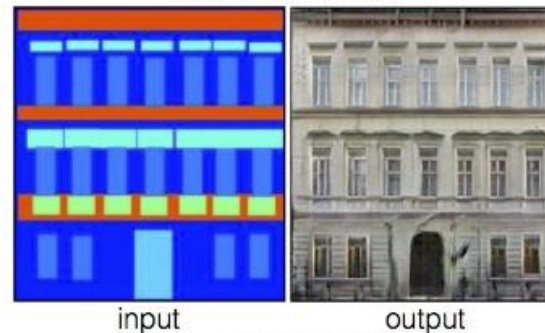
Phillip Isola et al.: Image-to-Image Translation with Conditional Adversarial Nets, CVPR`2017

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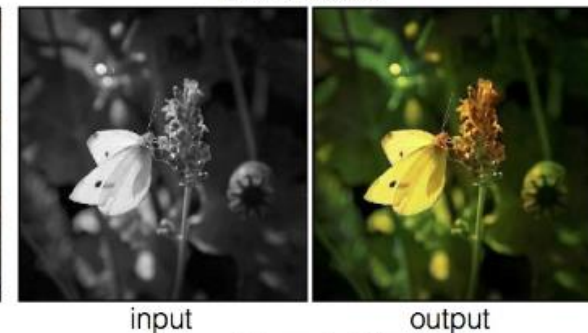
Labels to Street Scene



Labels to Facade



BW to Color



Aerial to Map



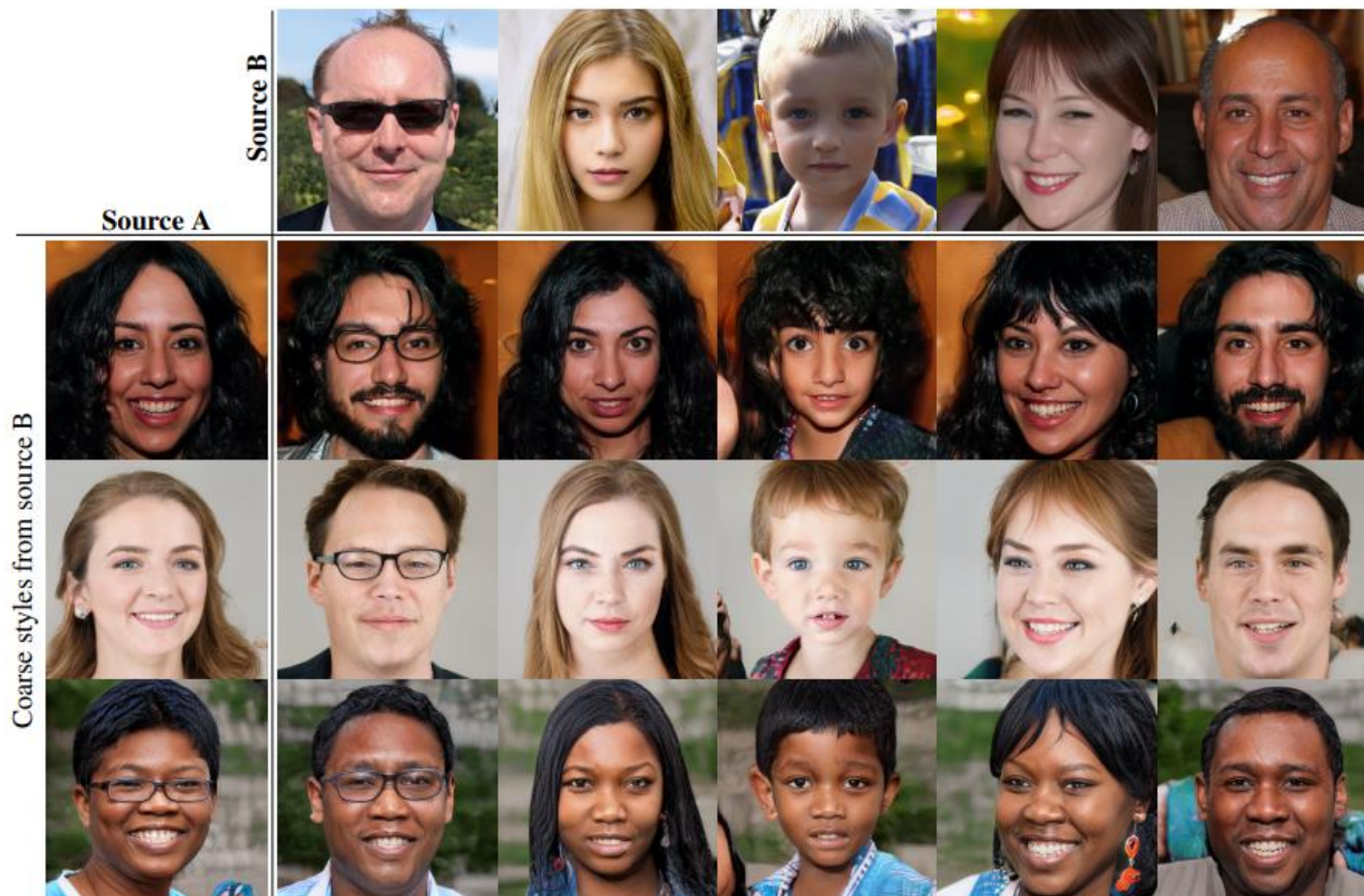
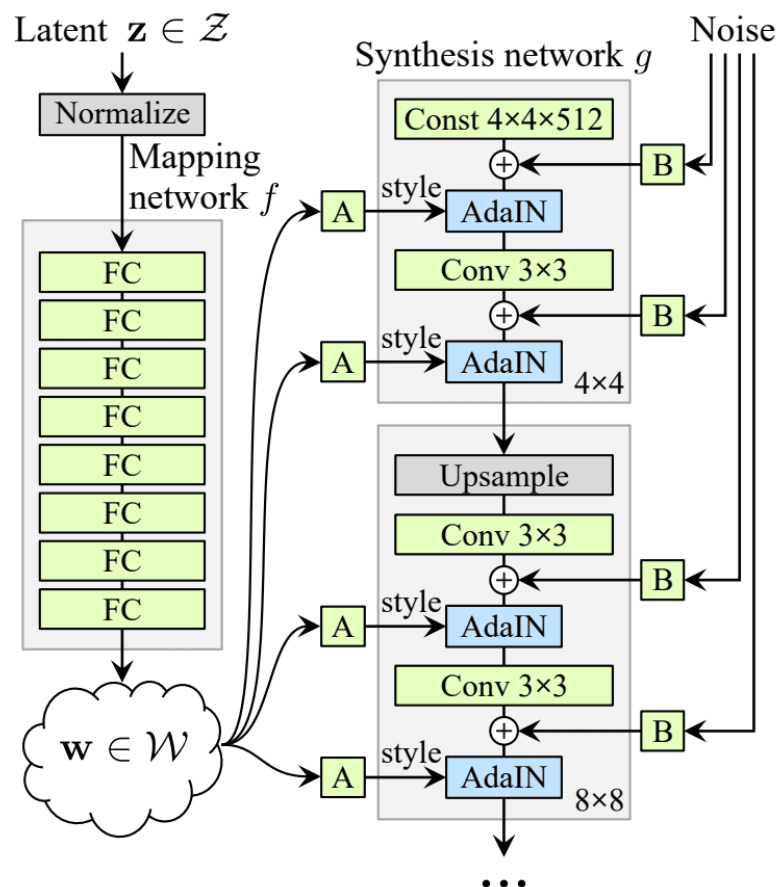
Day to Night



Edges to Photo



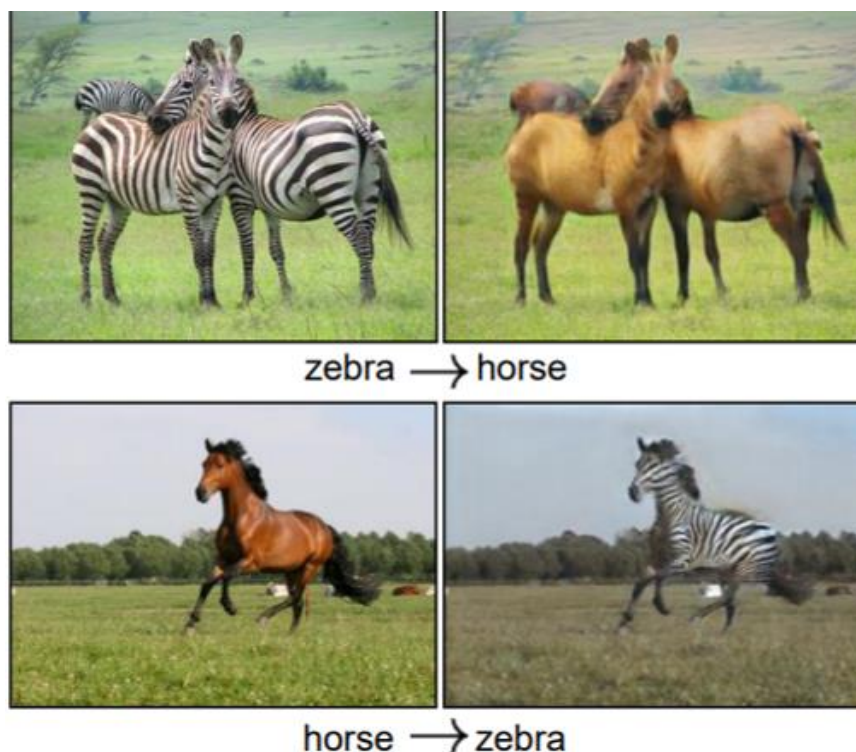
Style GAN



Tero Karras et al.: A Style-Based Generator Architecture for Generative Adversarial Networks (2018)

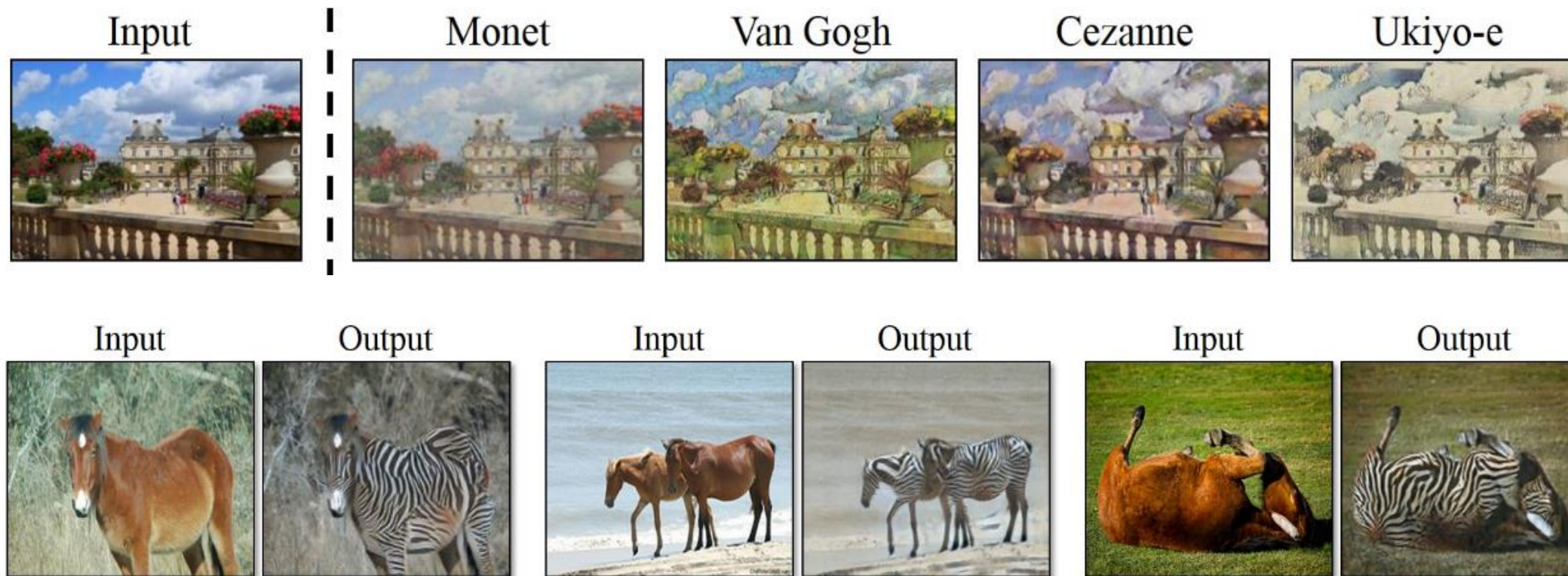
Cycle GAN

Problem formulation: let we need to learn to transfer images from one domain to another without implicit pairwise annotation

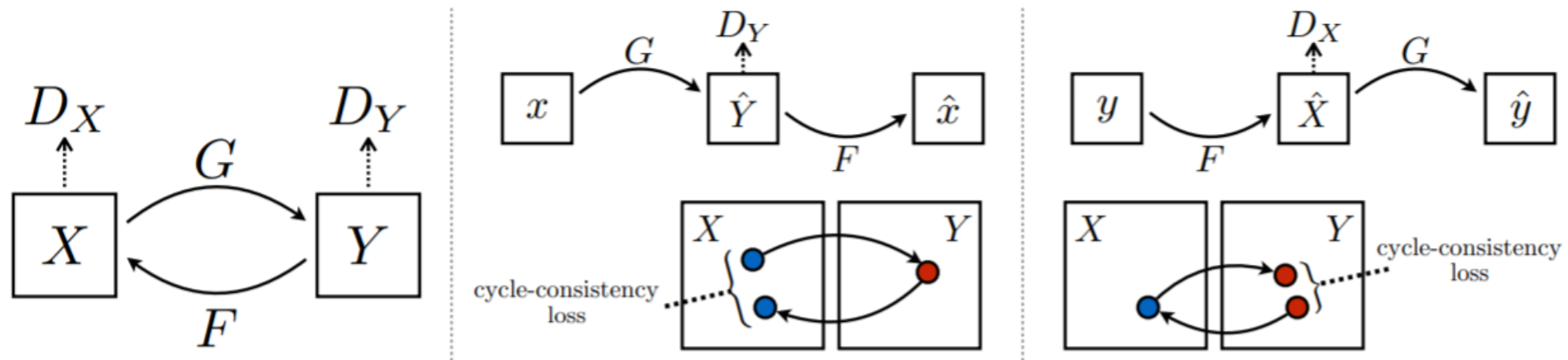


Jun-Yan Zhu et al.: Unpaired Image-to-Image Translation using Cycle-Consistent Adversarial Networks (2017)

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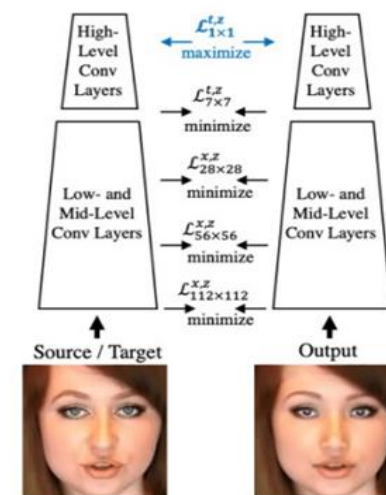
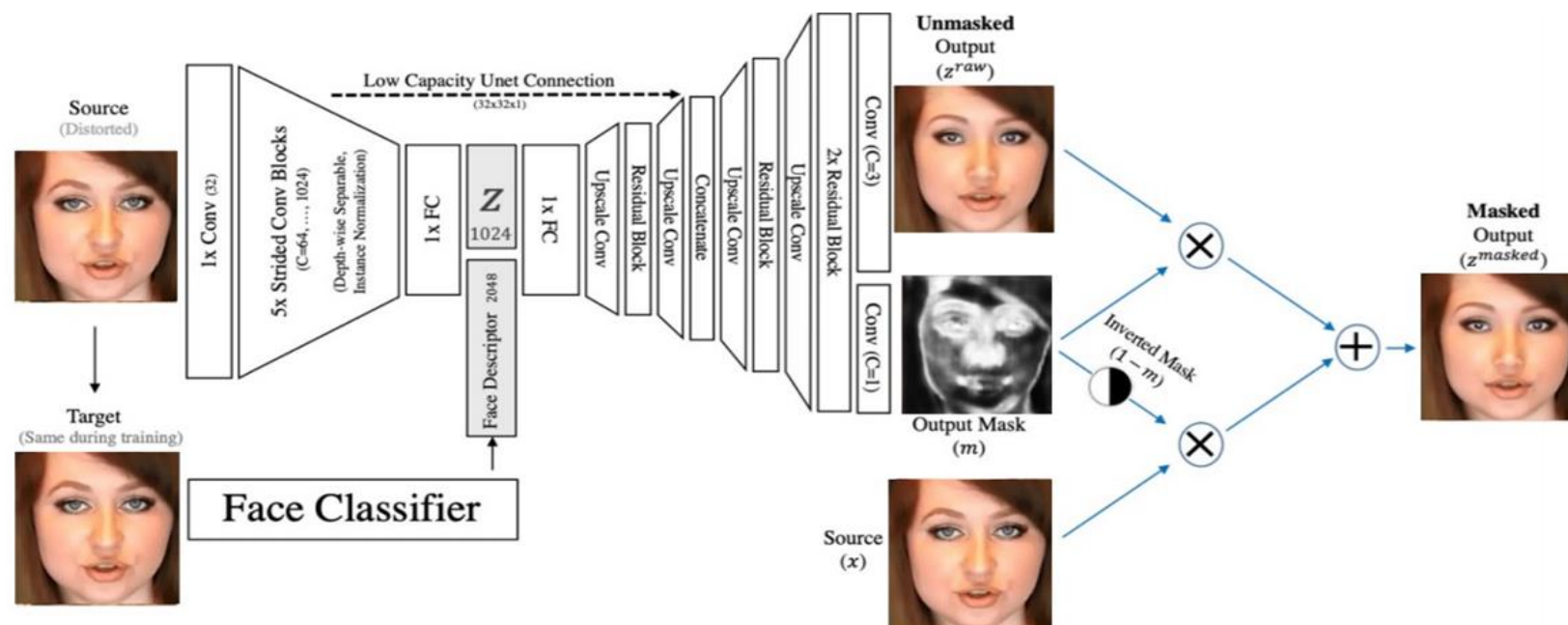
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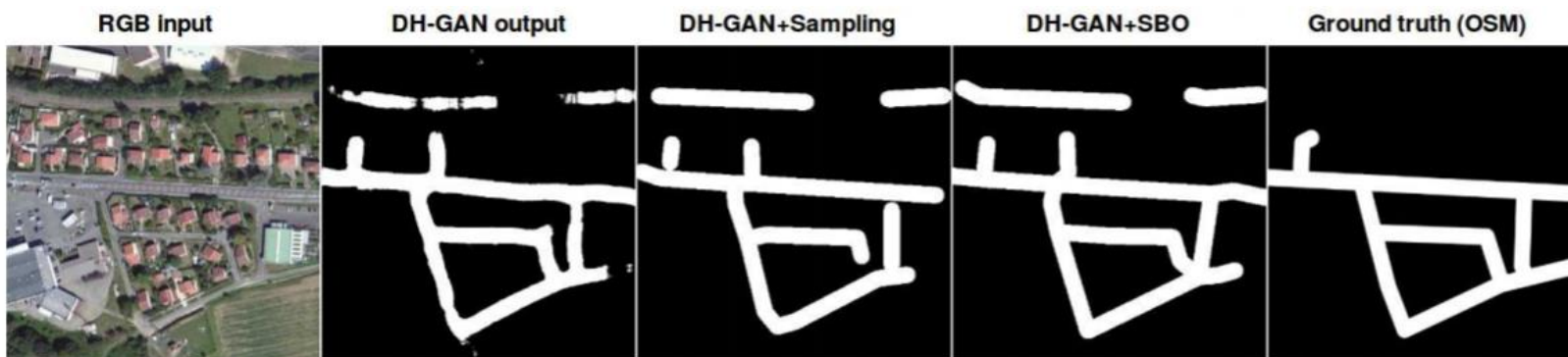


Live Face De-Identification in Video

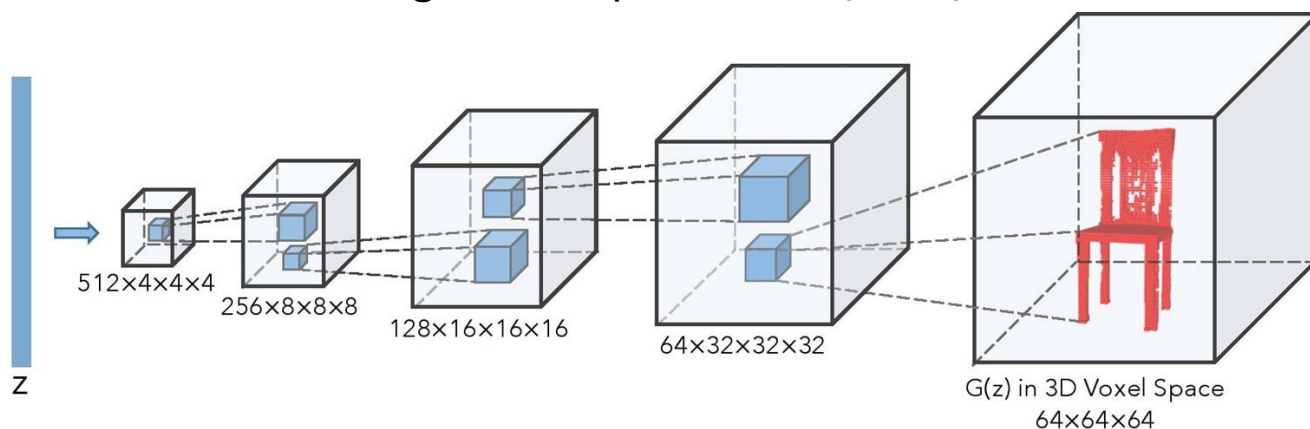


Oran Gafni et al.: Live Face De-Identification in Video, ICCV`2019

Other examples of applications



Dragos Costea et al.: Creating Roadmaps in Aerial Images with Generative Adversarial Networks and Smoothing-based Optimization (2017)



Jiajun Wu et al.: Learning a Probabilistic Latent Space of Object Shapes via 3D Generative-Adversarial Modeling (2016)

