Deep Generative Models

Lecture 13

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SDE basics

Let define stochastic process $\mathbf{x}(t)$ with initial condition $\mathbf{x}(0) \sim p_0(\mathbf{x})$:

$$d\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}, t)dt + g(t)d\mathbf{w},$$

where $\mathbf{w}(t)$ is the standard Wiener process (Brownian motion)

$$\mathbf{w}(t) - \mathbf{w}(s) \sim \mathcal{N}(0, (t-s)\mathbf{I}), \quad d\mathbf{w} = \epsilon \cdot \sqrt{dt}, \text{ where } \epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \mathbf{I}).$$

Langevin dynamics

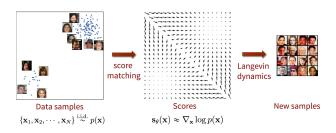
Let \mathbf{x}_0 be a random vector. Then under mild regularity conditions for small enough η samples from the following dynamics

$$\mathbf{x}_{t+1} = \mathbf{x}_t + \eta \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{\mathbf{x}_t} \log p(\mathbf{x}_t | \boldsymbol{\theta}) + \sqrt{\eta} \cdot \boldsymbol{\epsilon}, \quad \boldsymbol{\epsilon} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \mathbf{I}).$$

will comes from $p(\mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\theta})$.

The density $p(\mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\theta})$ is a **stationary** distribution for the Langevin SDE.

Welling M. Bayesian Learning via Stochastic Gradient Langevin Dynamics, 2011



Theorem (implicit score matching)

$$\frac{1}{2}\mathbb{E}_{\pi}\big\|\mathbf{s}_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}) - \nabla_{\mathbf{x}}\log\pi(\mathbf{x})\big\|_{2}^{2} = \mathbb{E}_{\pi}\Big[\frac{1}{2}\|\mathbf{s}_{\theta}(\mathbf{x})\|_{2}^{2} + \mathrm{tr}\big(\nabla_{\mathbf{x}}\mathbf{s}_{\theta}(\mathbf{x})\big)\Big] + \mathrm{const}$$

- 1. The left hand side is intractable due to unknown $\pi(\mathbf{x})$ denoising score matching.
- 2. The right hand side is complex due to Hessian matrix sliced score matching (Hutchinson's trace estimation).

Song Y. Generative Modeling by Estimating Gradients of the Data Distribution, blog post, 2021

Let perturb original data by normal noise $p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x},\sigma) = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x},\sigma^2\mathbf{I})$

$$\pi(\mathbf{x}'|\sigma) = \int \pi(\mathbf{x}) p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x},\sigma) d\mathbf{x}.$$

Then the solution of

$$rac{1}{2}\mathbb{E}_{\pi(\mathbf{x}'|\sigma)}ig\|\mathbf{s}_{m{ heta}}(\mathbf{x}',\sigma) -
abla_{\mathbf{x}'}\log\pi(\mathbf{x}'|\sigma)ig\|_2^2
ightarrow \min_{m{ heta}}$$

satisfies $\mathbf{s}_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}', \sigma) \approx \mathbf{s}(\mathbf{x}', \theta, 0) = \mathbf{s}(\mathbf{x}', \theta)$ if σ is small enough.

Theorem (denoising score matching)

$$\begin{split} & \mathbb{E}_{\pi(\mathbf{x}'|\sigma)} \left\| \mathbf{s}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\mathbf{x}', \sigma) - \nabla_{\mathbf{x}'} \log \pi(\mathbf{x}'|\sigma) \right\|_{2}^{2} = \\ & = \mathbb{E}_{\pi(\mathbf{x})} \mathbb{E}_{p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x}, \sigma)} \left\| \mathbf{s}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\mathbf{x}', \sigma) - \nabla_{\mathbf{x}'} \log p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x}, \sigma) \right\|_{2}^{2} + \text{const}(\boldsymbol{\theta}) \end{split}$$

Here $\nabla_{\mathbf{x}'} \log p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x}, \sigma) = -\frac{\mathbf{x}' - \mathbf{x}}{\sigma^2}$.

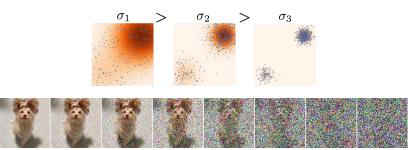
- ► The RHS does not need to compute $\nabla_{\mathbf{x}'} \log \pi(\mathbf{x}'|\sigma)$ and even more $\nabla_{\mathbf{x}'} \log \pi(\mathbf{x}')$.
- ightharpoonup $\mathbf{s}_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}', \sigma)$ tries to **denoise** a corrupted sample.
- Score function $\mathbf{s}_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}', \sigma)$ parametrized by σ .

Noise conditioned score network

- ▶ Define the sequence of noise levels: $\sigma_1 > \sigma_2 > \cdots > \sigma_L$.
- ▶ Train denoised score function $\mathbf{s}_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}', \sigma)$ for each noise level:

$$\sum_{l=1}^{L} \sigma_{l}^{2} \mathbb{E}_{\pi(\mathbf{x})} \mathbb{E}_{p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x},\sigma_{l})} \|\mathbf{s}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\mathbf{x}',\sigma_{l}) - \nabla_{\mathbf{x}}' \log p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x},\sigma_{l}) \|_{2}^{2} \rightarrow \min_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}$$

▶ Sample from **annealed** Langevin dynamics (for l = 1, ..., L).



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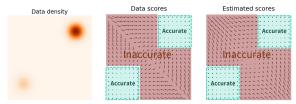
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Denoising score matching

▶ If σ is **small**, the score function is not accurate and Langevin dynamics will probably fail to jump between modes.



If σ is **large**, it is good for low-density regions and multimodal distributions, but we will learn too corrupted distribution.



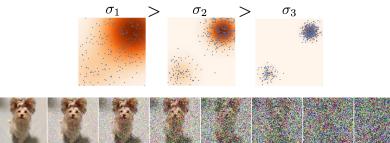
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Noise conditioned score network

- ▶ Define the sequence of noise levels: $\sigma_1 > \sigma_2 > \cdots > \sigma_L$.
- Perturb the original data with the different noise level to get $\pi(\mathbf{x}'|\sigma_1), \ldots, \pi(\mathbf{x}'|\sigma_L)$.
- ▶ Train denoised score function $\mathbf{s}_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}', \sigma)$ for each noise level:

$$\sum_{l=1}^{L} \sigma_{l}^{2} \mathbb{E}_{\pi(\mathbf{x})} \mathbb{E}_{p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x},\sigma_{l})} \|\mathbf{s}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\mathbf{x}',\sigma_{l}) - \nabla_{\mathbf{x}}' \log p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x},\sigma_{l}) \|_{2}^{2} \to \min_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}$$

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Noise conditioned score network

Training: loss function

$$\sum_{i=1}^{L} \sigma_{I}^{2} \mathbb{E}_{\pi(\mathbf{x})} \mathbb{E}_{\epsilon} \left\| \mathbf{s}_{I} + \frac{\epsilon}{\sigma_{I}} \right\|_{2}^{2},$$

Here

$$ightharpoonup \mathbf{s}_I = \mathbf{s}_{\theta}(\mathbf{x} + \sigma_I \cdot \boldsymbol{\epsilon}, \sigma_I).$$

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{x}'} \log p(\mathbf{x}'|\mathbf{x},\sigma) = -\frac{\mathbf{x}'-\mathbf{x}}{\sigma^2} = -\frac{\epsilon}{\sigma^2}.$$

Inference: annealed Langevin dynamic

Algorithm 1 Annealed Langevin dynamics.

Samples



Gaussian diffusion model vs Score matching

$$\mathcal{L}_{t} = \mathbb{E}_{\epsilon} \left[\frac{\beta_{t}^{2}}{2\tilde{\beta}_{t}(1 - \beta_{t})} \left\| \frac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t}}} - \frac{\epsilon_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}_{t}, t)}{\sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t}}} \right\|^{2} \right]$$

▶ Result from Statement 2

$$q(\mathbf{x}_t|\mathbf{x}_0) = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}_t|\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}\cdot\mathbf{x}_0, (1-\bar{\alpha}_t)\cdot\mathbf{I}).$$

Score of noised distribution

$$abla_{\mathbf{x}_t} \log q(\mathbf{x}_t|\mathbf{x}_0) = -rac{\epsilon}{\sqrt{1-ar{lpha}_t}}, \quad ext{where } \epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0,\mathbf{I}).$$

Let reparametrize our model:

$$\mathbf{s}_{m{ heta}}(\mathbf{x}_t,t) = -rac{\epsilon_{m{ heta}}(\mathbf{x}_t,t)}{\sqrt{1-ar{lpha}}_t}.$$

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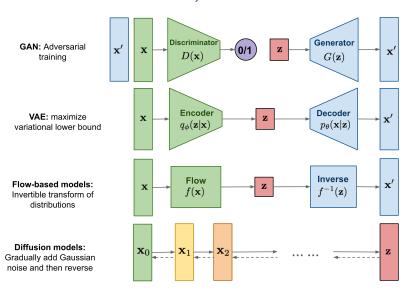
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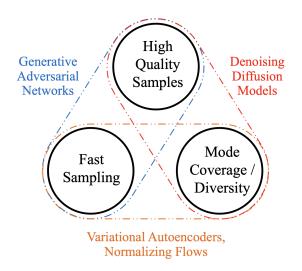
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Summary

