Generative Image Models

DRAW: Deep Recurrent Attention Writer by K Gregor et al.

CS698N Final Project Presentation

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Outline

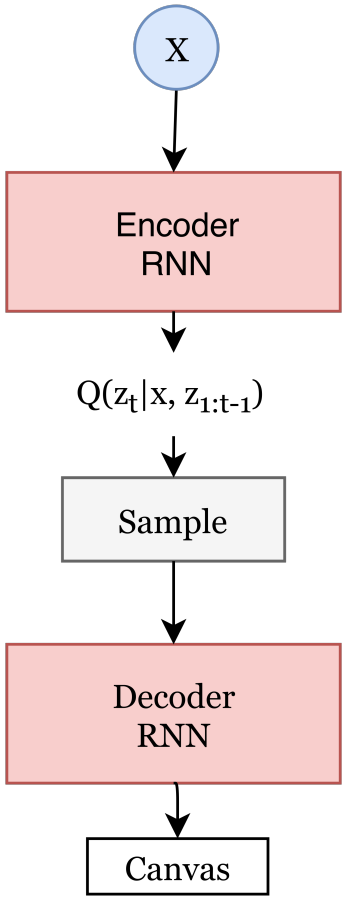
Problem Statement

- Learning generative model for images.
- Inspired from DRAW: A Recurrent Neural Nerwork for Image Generation by Gregor et al. (Google DeepMind)

DRAW Model

Existing Work

- *Encoder RNN* : Compresses real images presented during training into **latent codes** distribution.
- *Decoder RNN* : Reconstitutes images from sampled codes.
- Encoder network at every time step is made aware of the decoder output of the previous time step.
- Training Time $\sim$ 30 minutes (MNIST)



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Analysis of the DRAW model

	Avg.	σ	Max. ($\leq$)
DRAW(Attention)	643	264	1370
DRAW(No-Attention)	644	268	1337
DRAW(T=1)	653	290	1724
DRAW(T=2)	698	276	1402
DRAW(T=5)	796	302	1853
DRAW(no-privy[1])	809	298	2546
DRAW(only error image)	648	302	1853

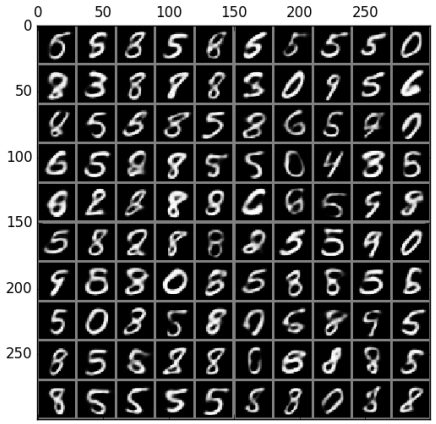
It can be observed that **DRAW model with attention** is performing better than the other models which is the proposed model of the *DRAW* paper.
Qualitative Results – in midterm report.

[1] decoder output is not made privy to the encoder

Latent Space Analysis

Effect of each time step latent code

To study the effect of each time step latent code. For $T = 10$:



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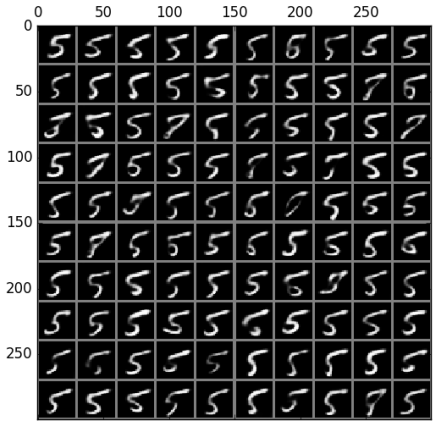

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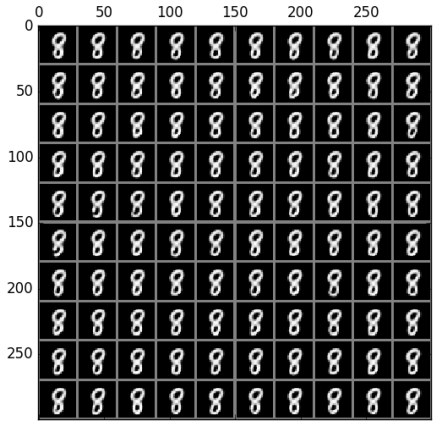

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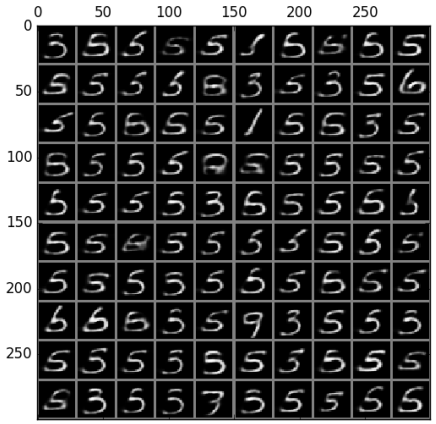

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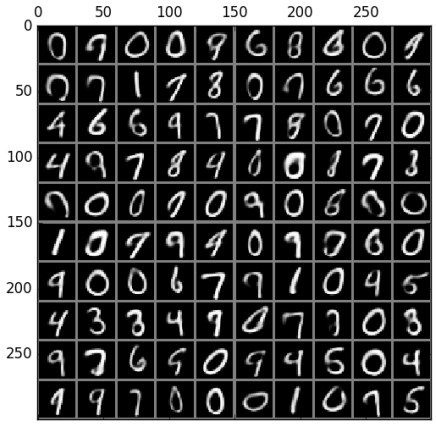

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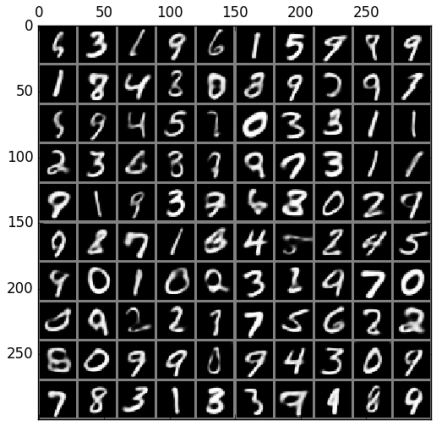

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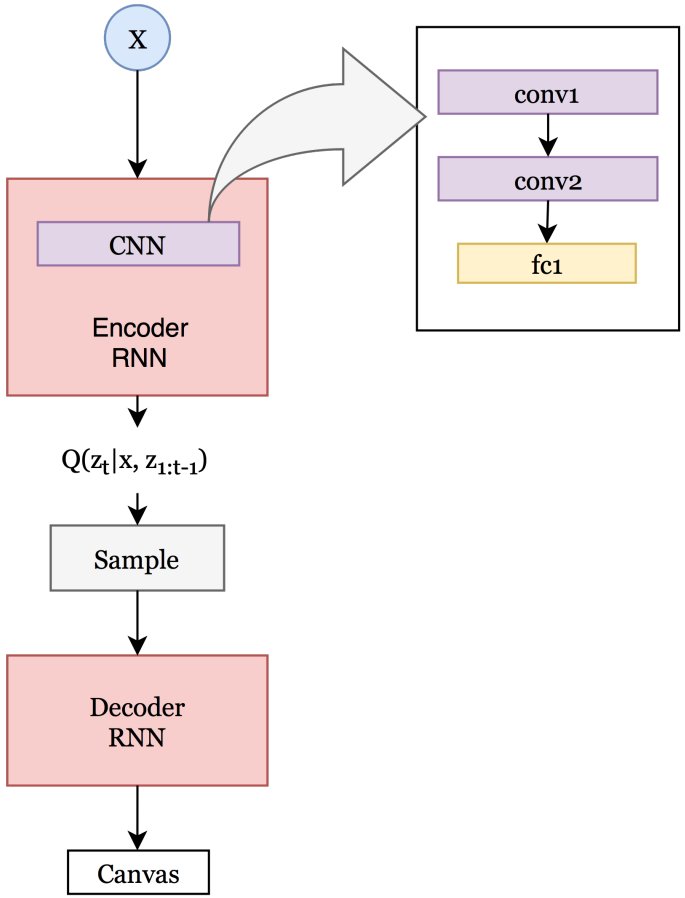
Interpolation in latent space

Proposed Models

Model I - Each Step Convolution

- Introduced Convolutional layers in the Encoder network.
- Encoder reads both the input image and cnn features as input at each time step.
- Training Time $\sim$ 3 hr (MNIST)



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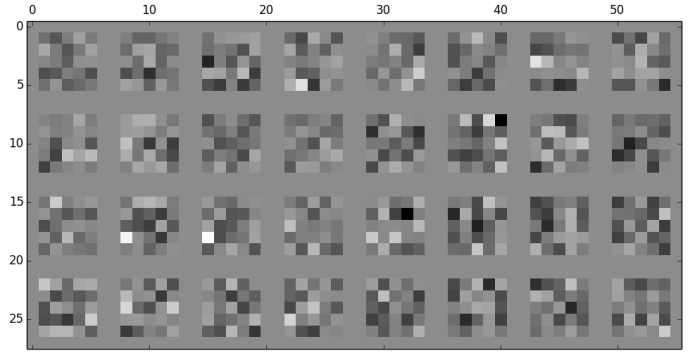
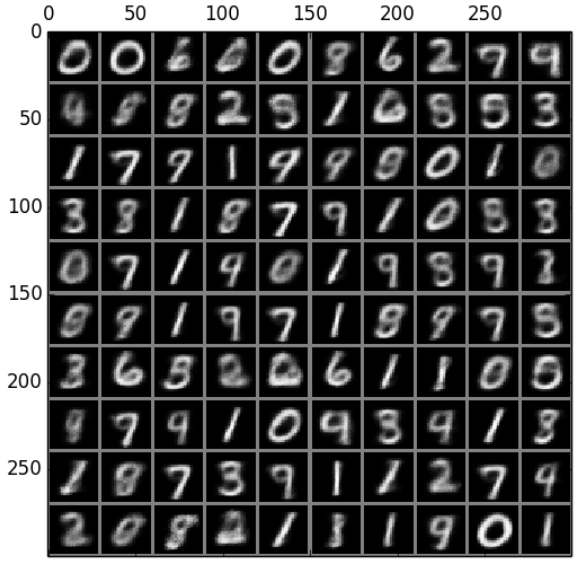
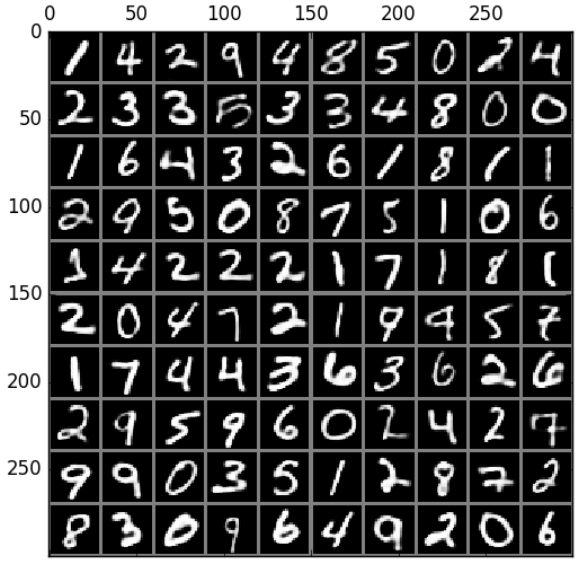


Learned 1st layer kernels ($5 \times 5 \times 32$)



Model II



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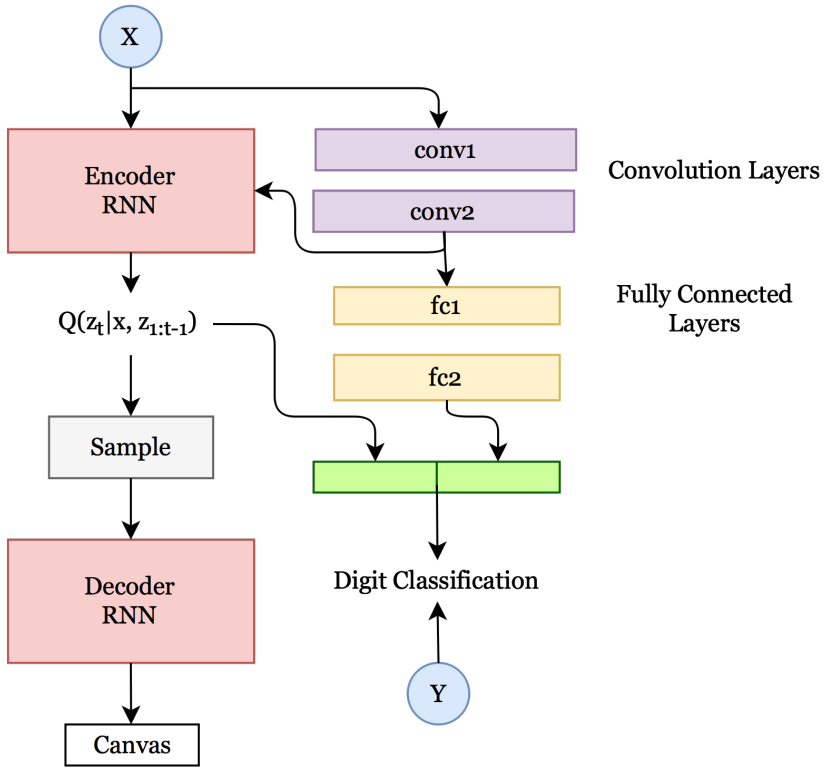
Model II - Supervised Encoder

- Supervision in the form of a digit classification network
- Interconnected with the encoder network at two places.
- Training Time $\sim$ 3 hr (MNIST)



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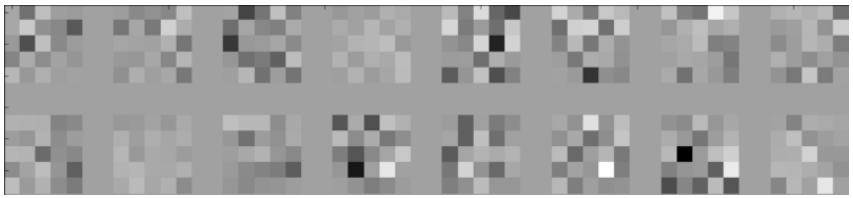

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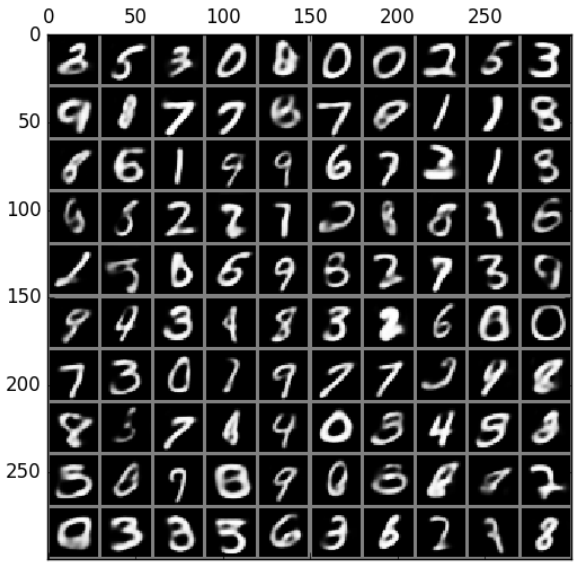

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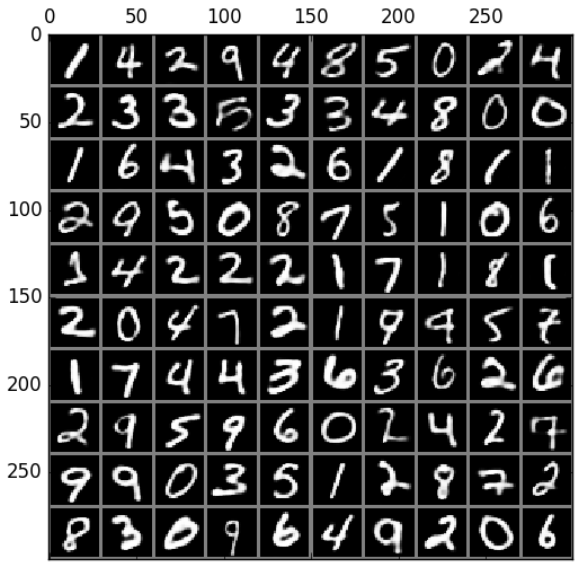

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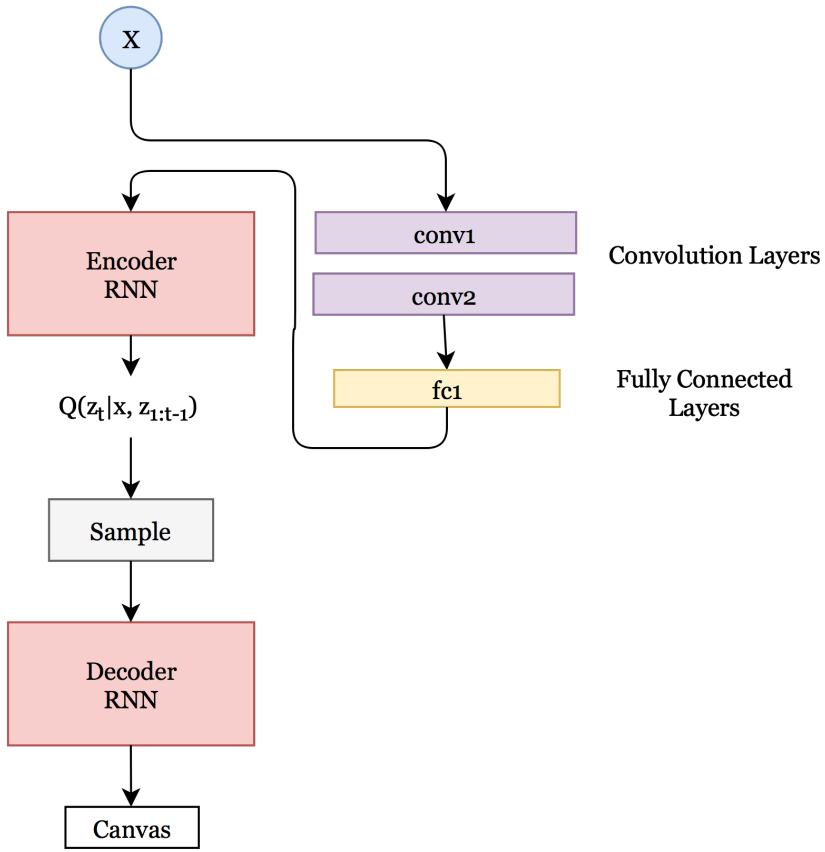
Model III - Convolutional Encoder

- Encoder is fed only the cnn features of the input image.
- CNN parameters updated using reconstruction and latent loss.
- Training Time $\sim$ 3 hr (MNIST)



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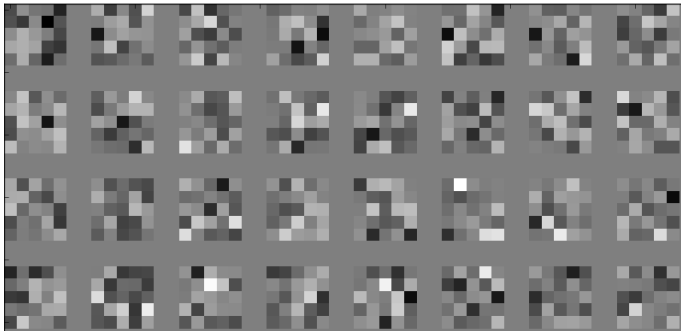

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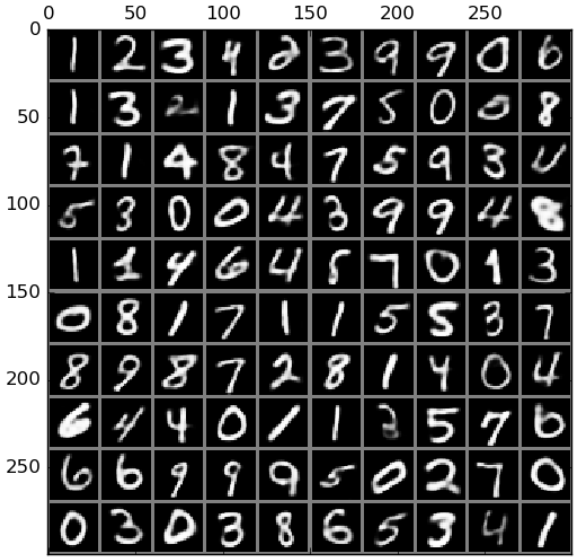

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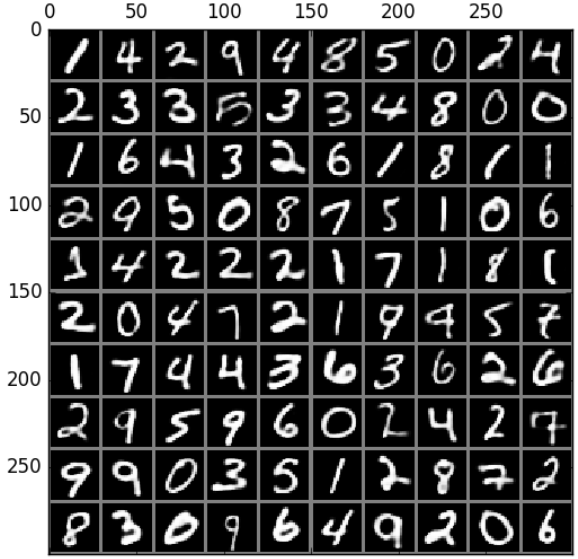

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Calculating Model Error

We calculated the negative log-likelihood of 1000 generated images for each of the model shown in the table below.

	Average Error	**Standard Deviation**	**Maximum Error** ($\leq$)
DRAW	820	327	1989
Model I - Each Step Convolution	656	267	1429
Model II - Supervised Encoder	791	295	1823
Model III - Convolutional Encoder	625	255	1637

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- We proposed and trained 3 models incorporating CNN in the original *DRAW* model:
  - Model I - Each Step Convolution
  - Model II - Supervised Encoder
  - Model III - Convolutional Encoder

  Each model shows better performance than the original *DRAW* model.

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Contributions

Our contributions on top of the existing code

- Implemented **stochastic data generation** part of the paper.
- Added an interface for the **SVHN dataset** to be given as input to the draw network.
- Added **convolution and deconvolution** wrappers for **training the proposed models I, II and III**.
- Implemented the evaluation phase to **calculate the negative log-likelihood of the generated images**.
- Added new sampling functionalities to **visualize the latent space**.
- **Visualizing and plotting kernels** of the learned CNN.

Outline

Who did what?

Task	P	M	E	
Reproduction of results on MNIST and SVHN	✓	✓	✓	VN
Experimenting with parameters	✓	✓	✓	VN
Evaluation using negative log likelihood	✗	✓	✓	V
Model I - Each Step Convolution	✓	✓	✓	VN
Model II - Supervised Encoder	✗	✗	✓	N
Model III - Convolutional Encoder	✗	✗	✓	V
Latent Space Analysis	✗	✗	✓	N

Table: Work proposed(P), completed at midterm(M) and at endterm(E), along with the member-wise distribution. **V** represents Vikas, **N** represents Nirbhay, **VN** represents joint contribution by both members.

Thank you!