

Lecture 15: Generative models

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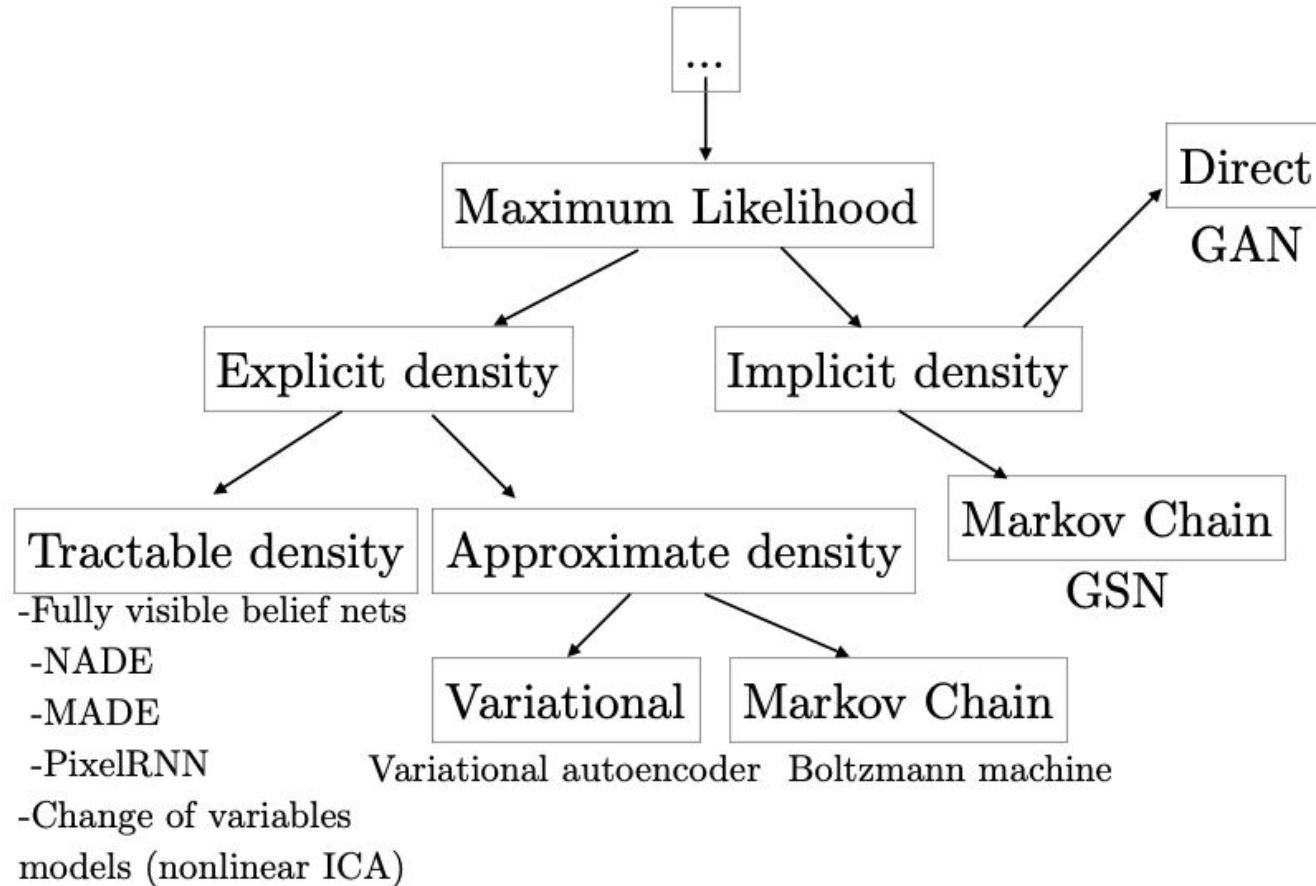
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This lecture structure was inspired a lot by the [series of Habr posts on Autoencoders and GANs in Keras](#)

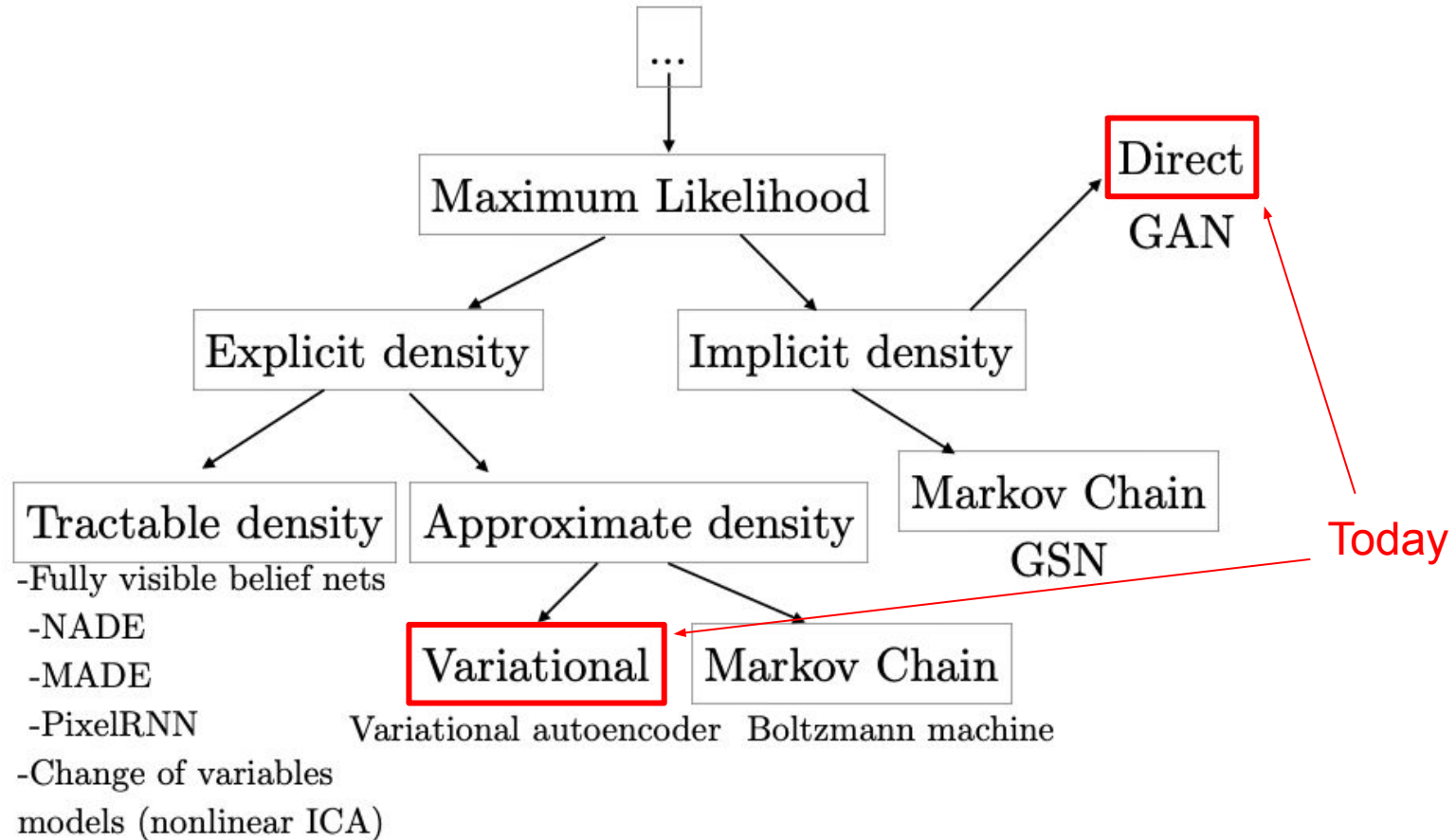
- Generative models overview
- Simple Autoencoders (not generative models!)
- Variational Autoencoders (VAE)
 - Conditional VAE
- Generative Adversarial Networks
 - Conditional GAN

And a lot of gif images.

Generative models taxonomy



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Autoencoders

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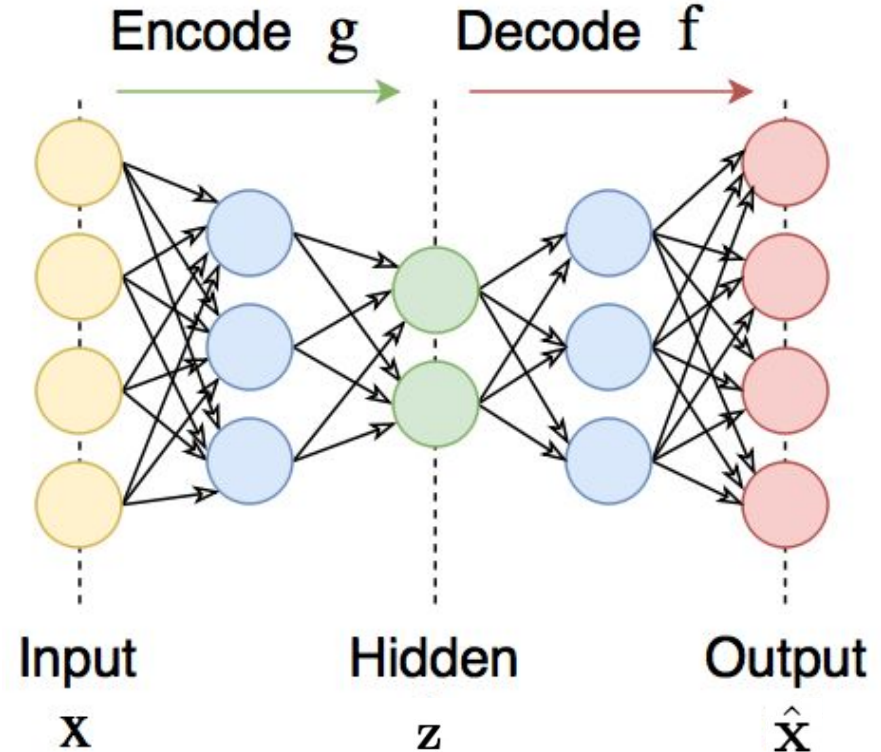
$$\mathbf{z} = E(\mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\theta}_E)$$

Decoder D recovers \mathbf{x} from latent representation

$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = D(\mathbf{z}, \boldsymbol{\theta}_D)$$

Optimal parameters learned w.r.t. loss function L

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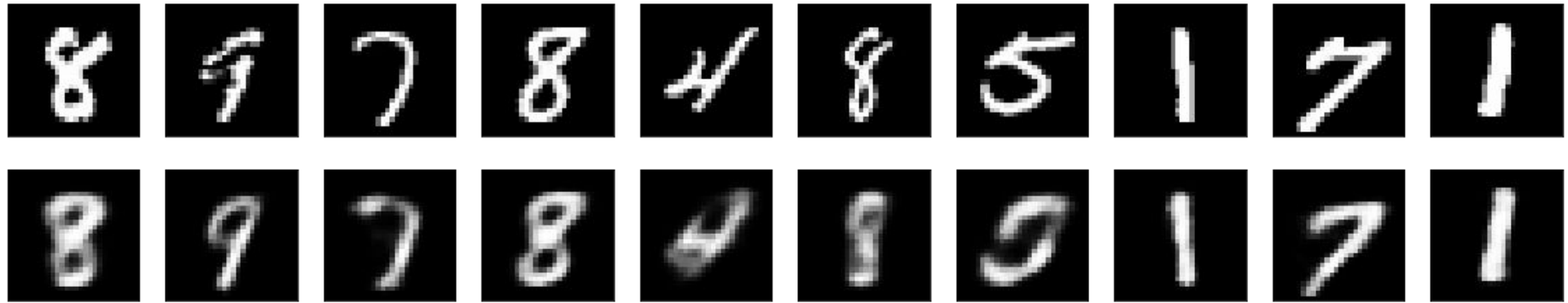
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Simple example: PCA

Optimal parameters learned w.r.t. loss function L

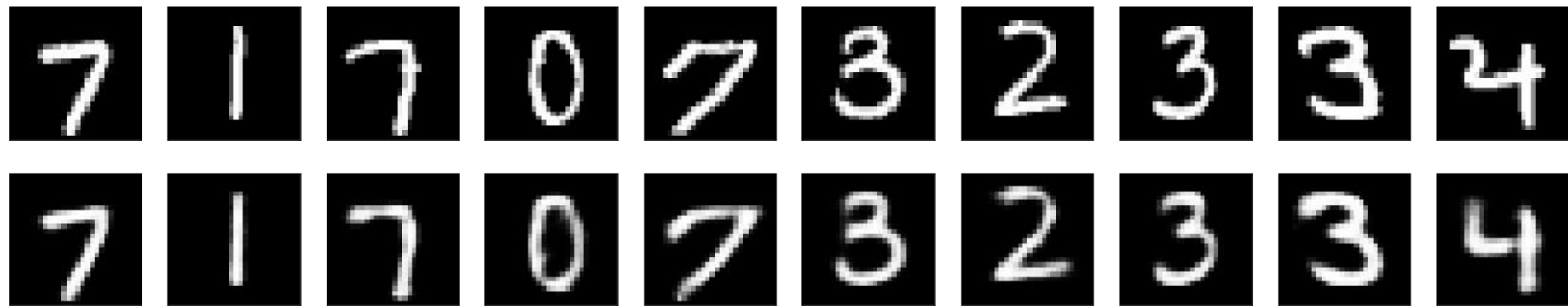
$$[\boldsymbol{\theta}_E, \boldsymbol{\theta}_D] = \arg \min L(\hat{\mathbf{x}}, \mathbf{x})$$

PCA performance on MNIST



16 components

Convolutional performance on MNIST

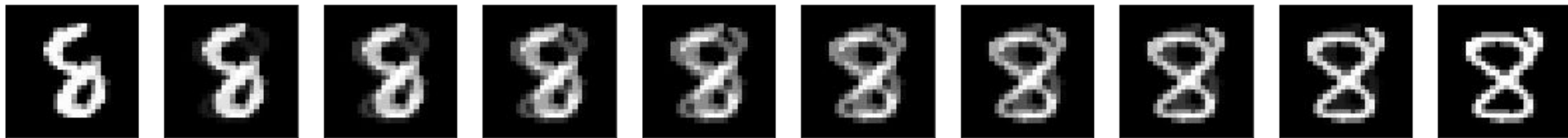


7 x 7 latent space

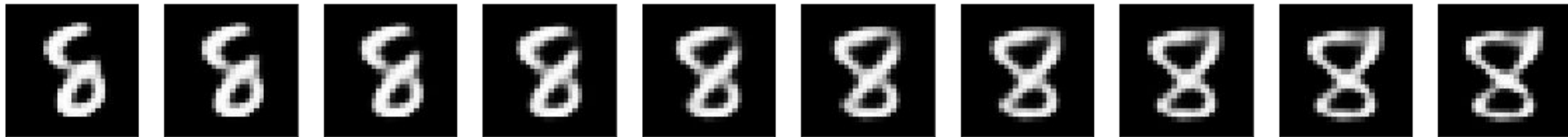
Homotopy between samples

10 steps between samples

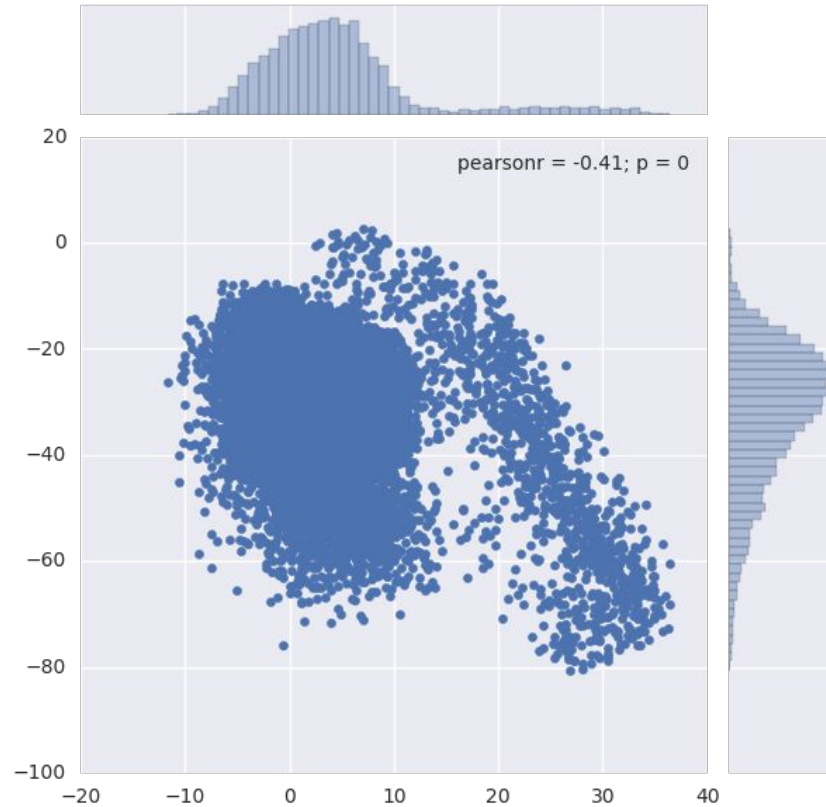
- In original feature space (28 x 28):



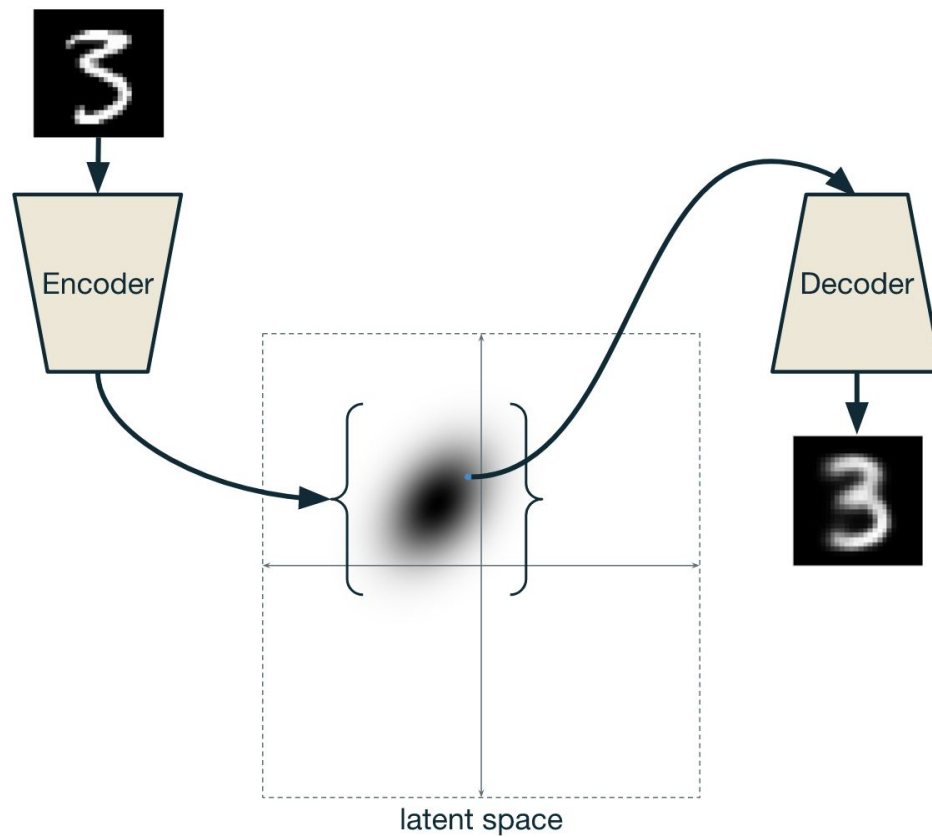
- In latent space (7 x 7):



Latent space structure



VAE intuition



KL divergence

Denote distributions $Q(z)$ and $P(z|X)$.

Kullback–Leibler divergence is defined as

$$\mathcal{D} [Q(z) || P(z|X)] = E_{z \sim Q} [\log Q(z) - \log P(z|X)]$$

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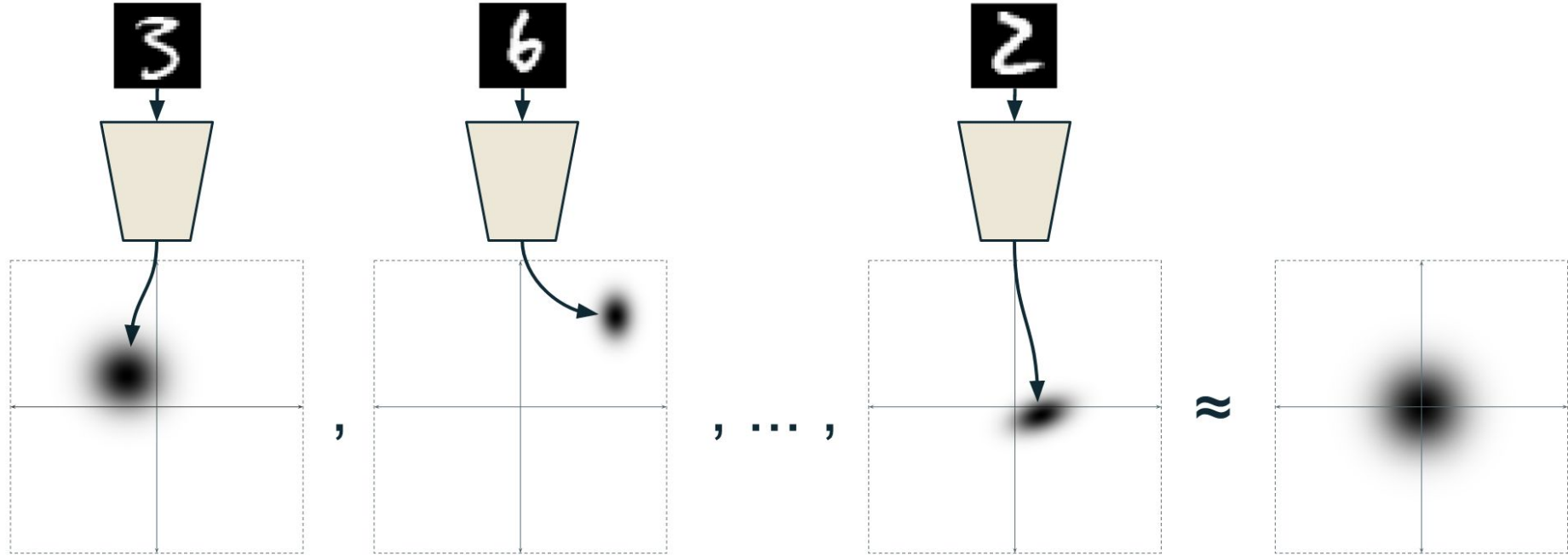
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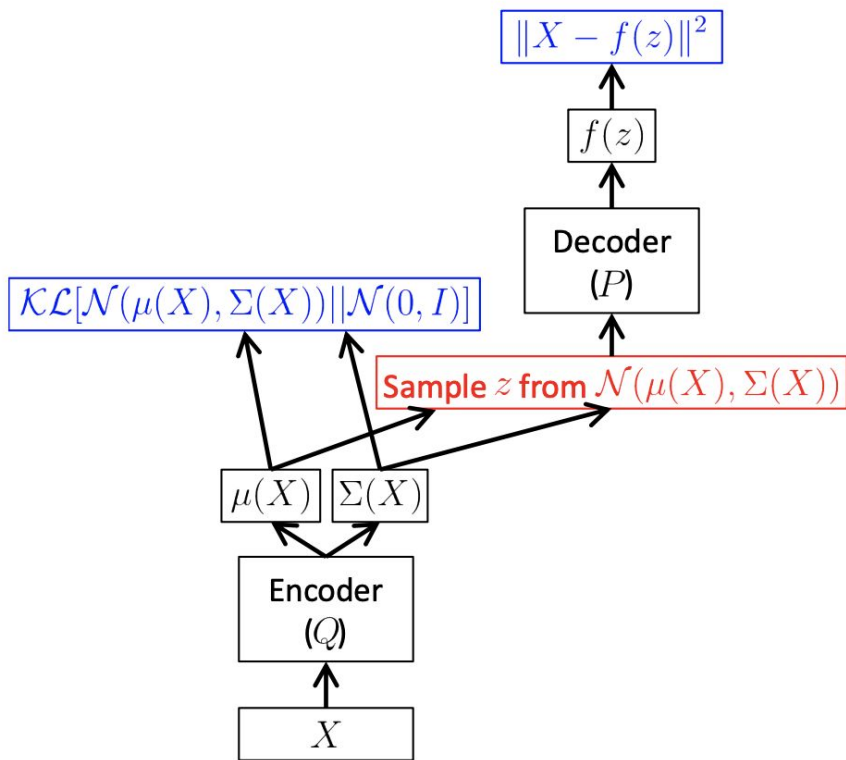
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This equation is the core of Variational Autoencoders

Structure of the latent space



VAE so far



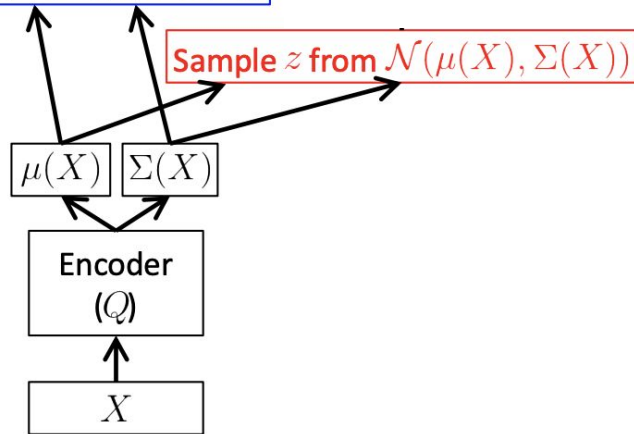
VAE so far

$$\mathcal{D}[\mathcal{N}(\mu(X), \Sigma(X)) \| \mathcal{N}(0, I)] =$$

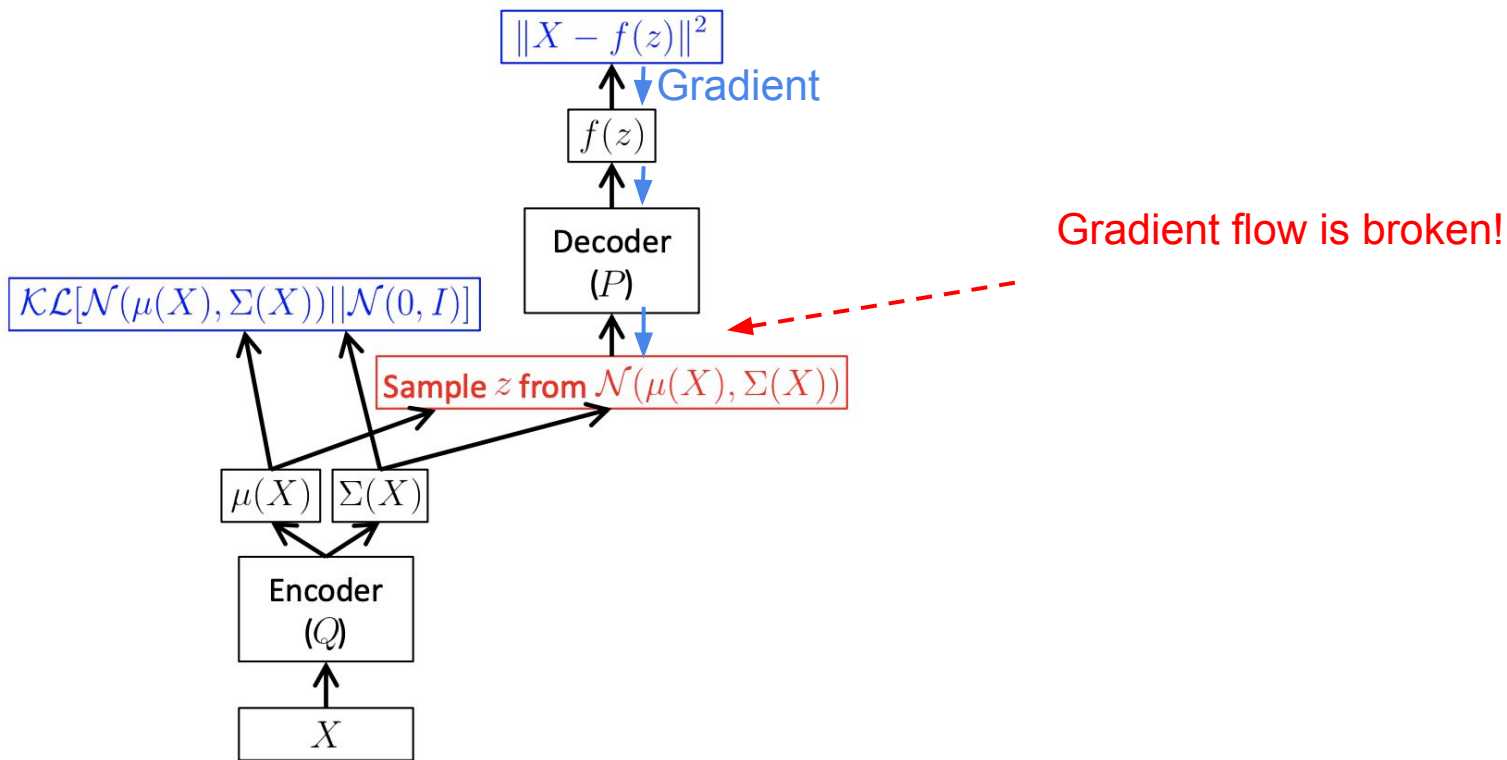
$$\frac{1}{2} \left(\text{tr}(\Sigma(X)) + (\mu(X))^T (\mu(X)) - k - \log \det(\Sigma(X)) \right)$$

Try to derive it by yourself

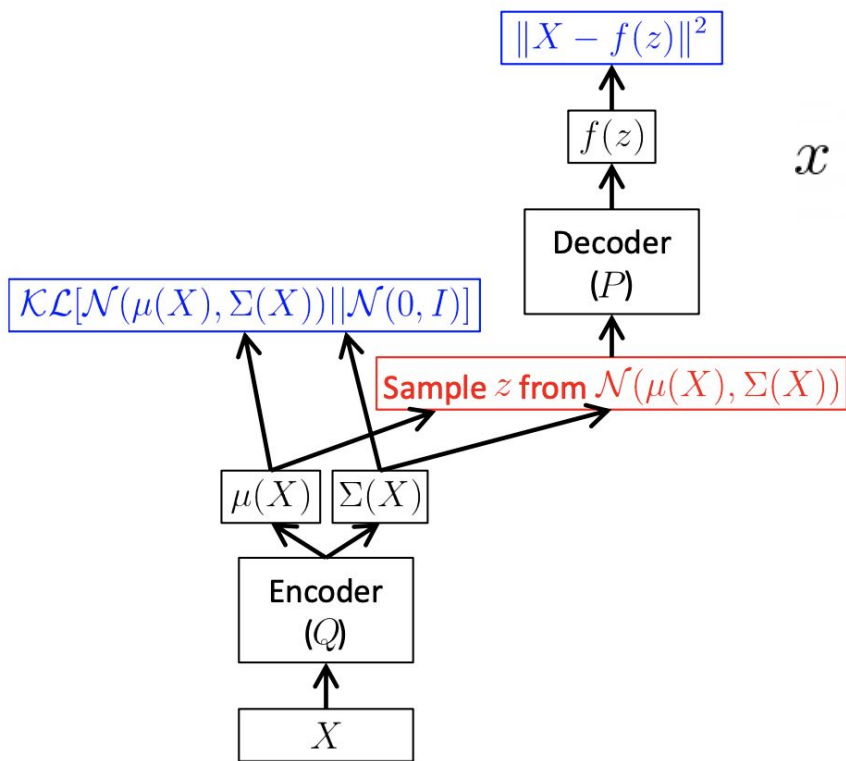
$$\mathcal{KL}[\mathcal{N}(\mu(X), \Sigma(X)) \| \mathcal{N}(0, I)]$$



VAE so far

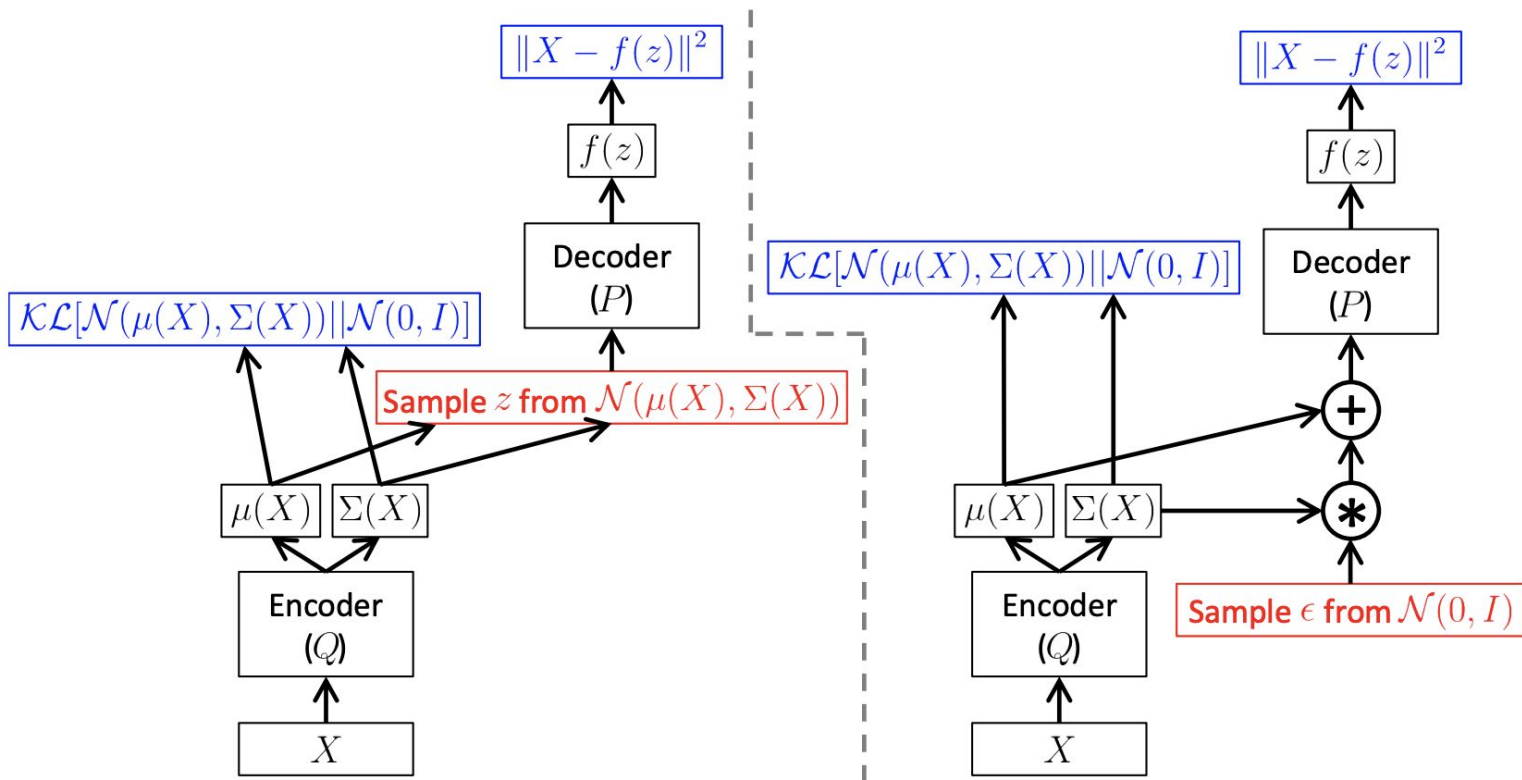


Reparametrization trick



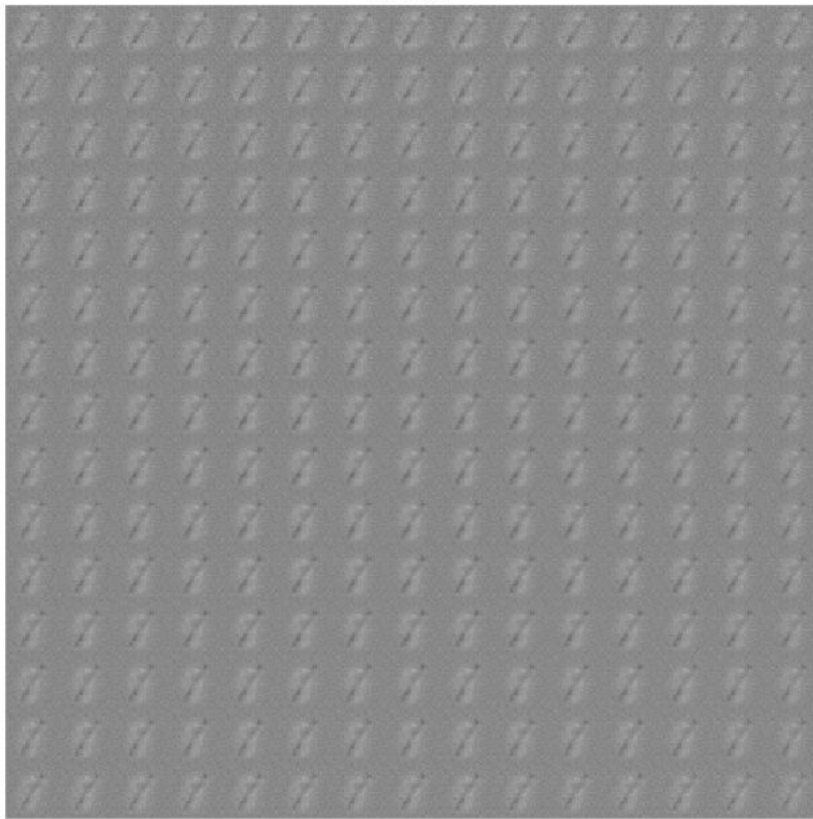
$$x \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2), \quad z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$
$$\Rightarrow x = \sigma(z + \mu) \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

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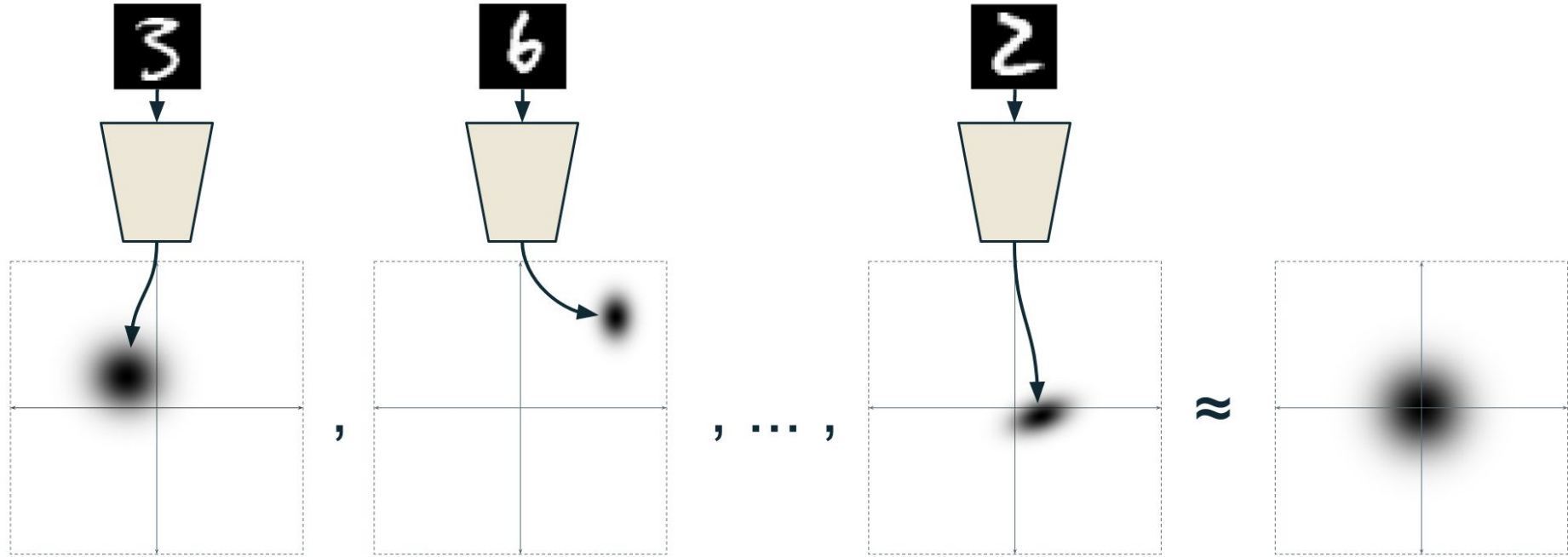


VAE manifold

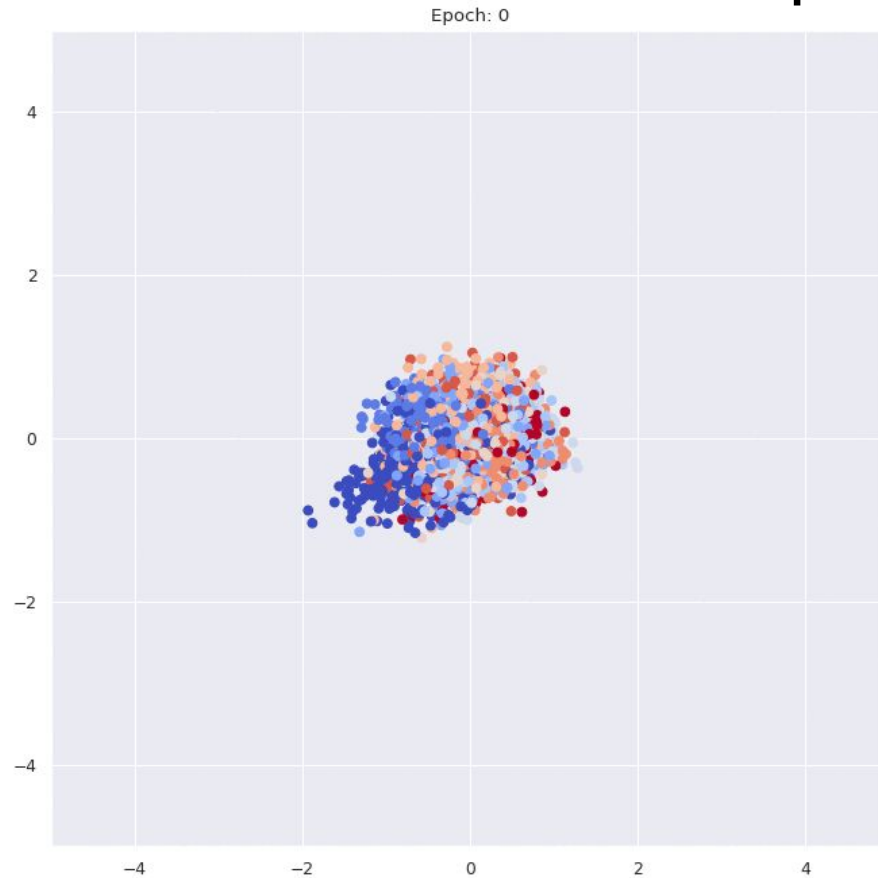
Epoch: 0



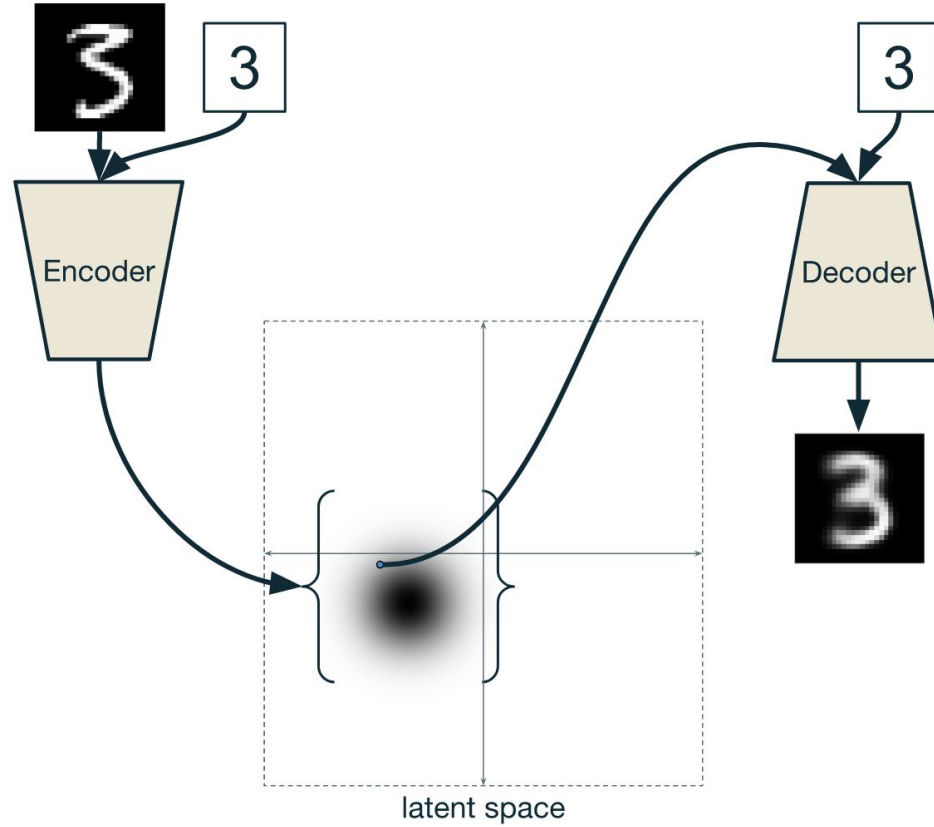
Structure of the latent space



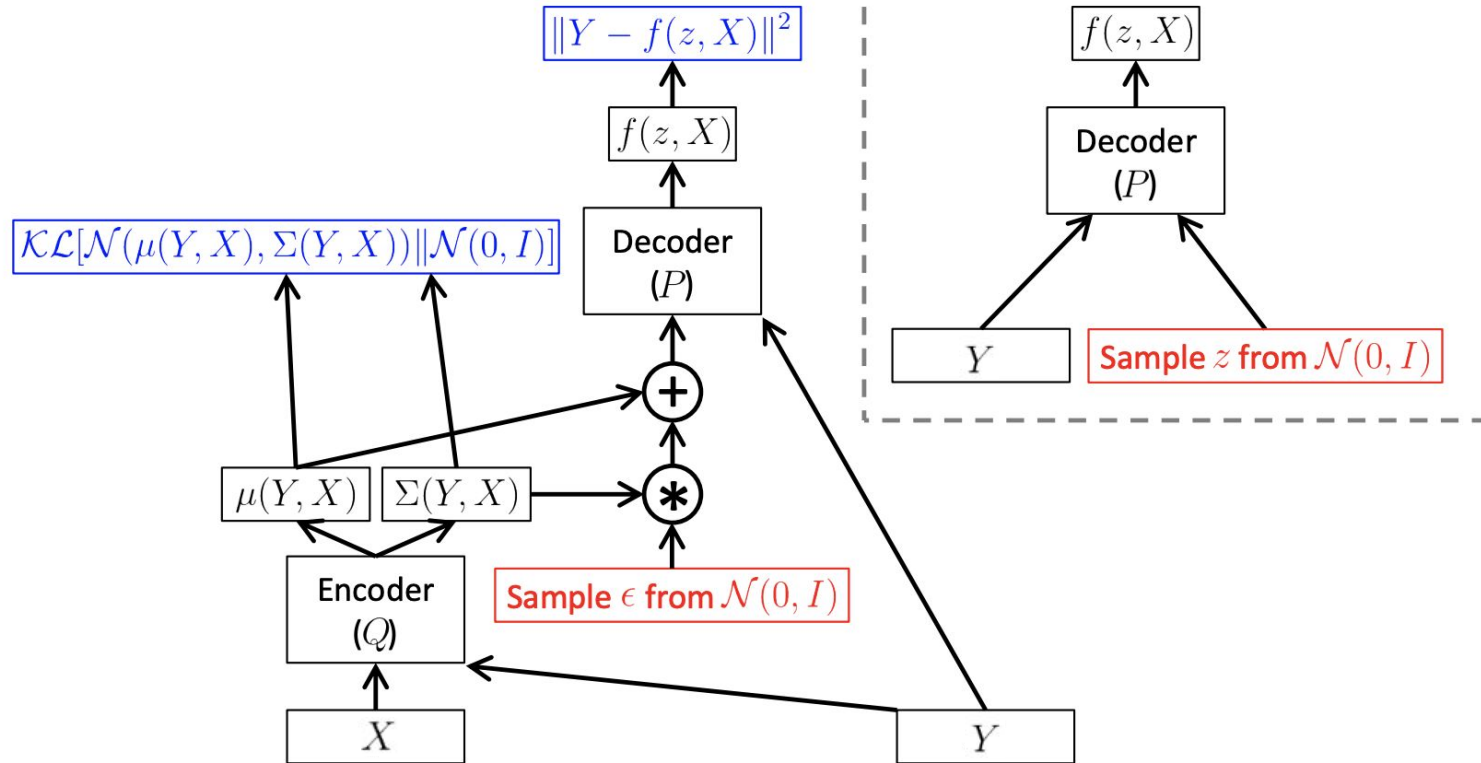
VAE latent space distribution



Conditional VAE intuition

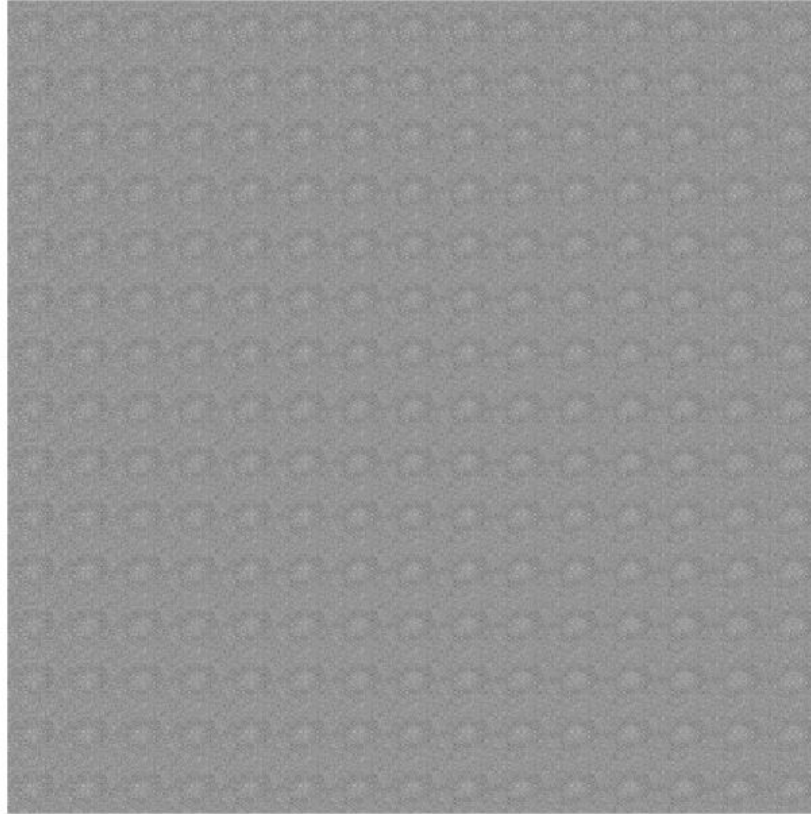


Conditional VAE



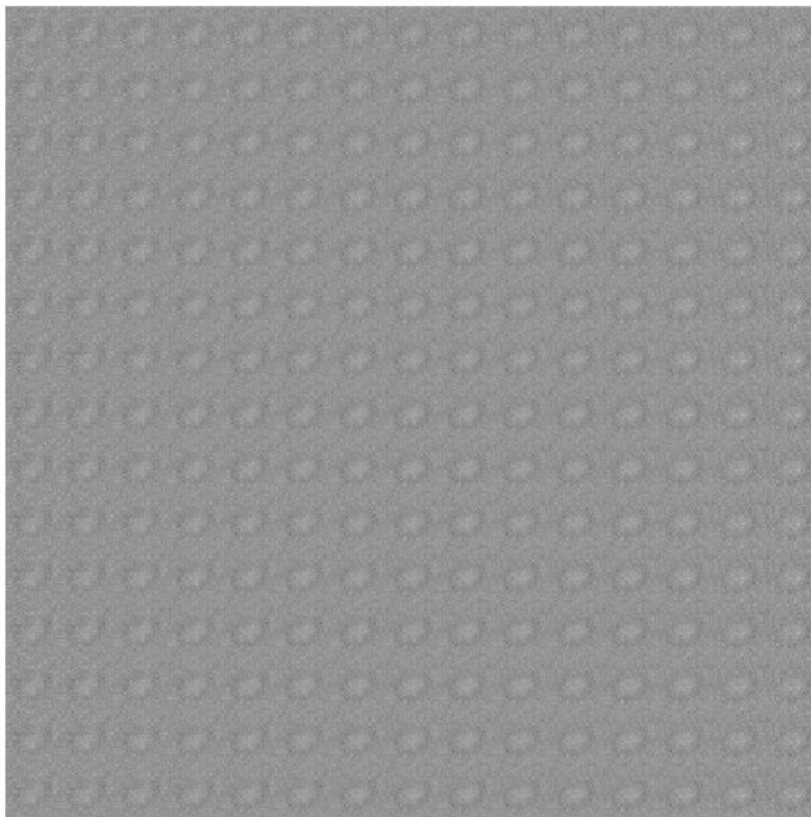
cVAE manifold

Epoch: 0



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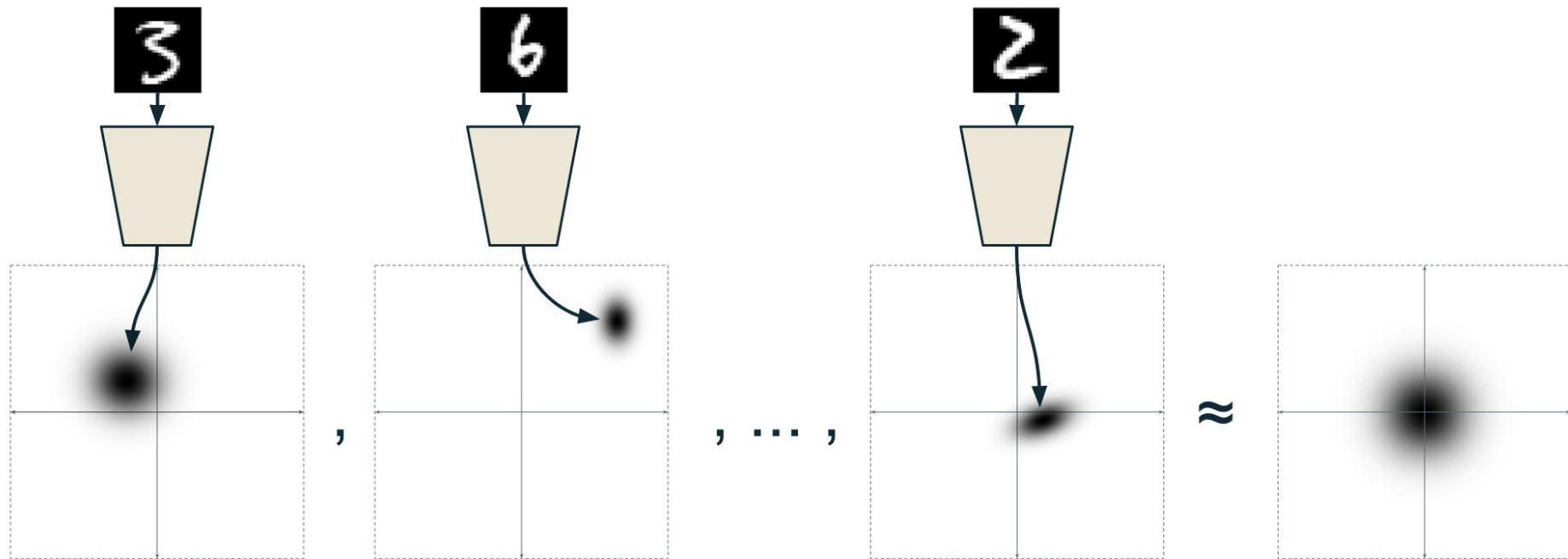


Transferring style with cVAE

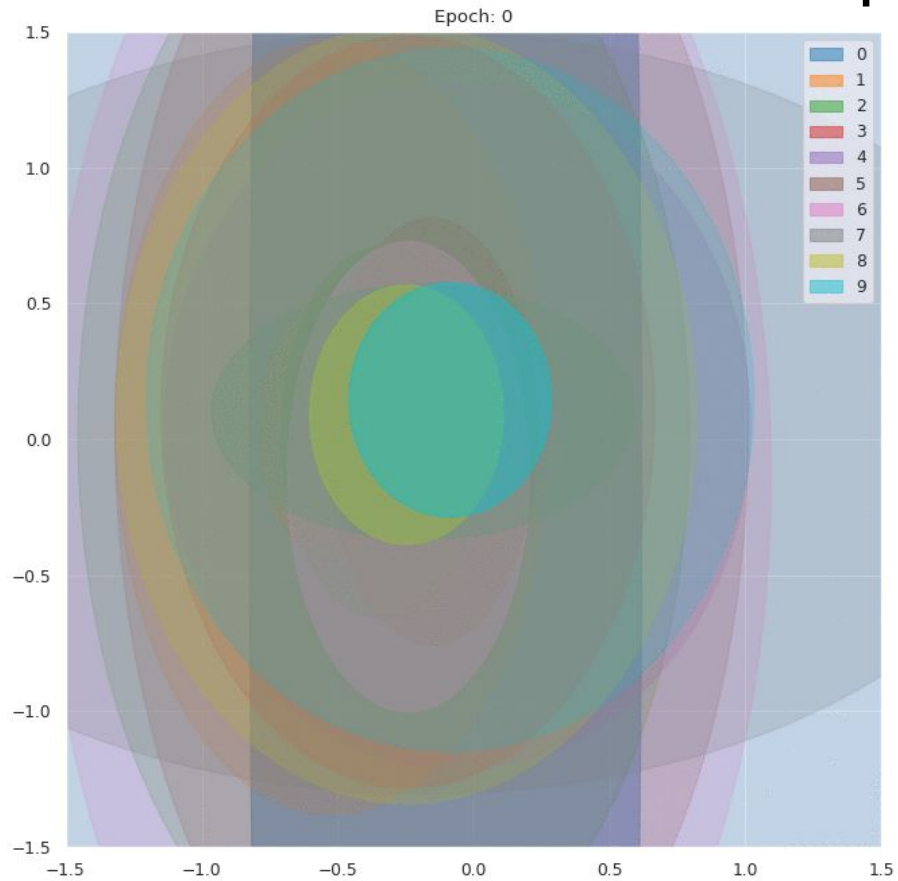


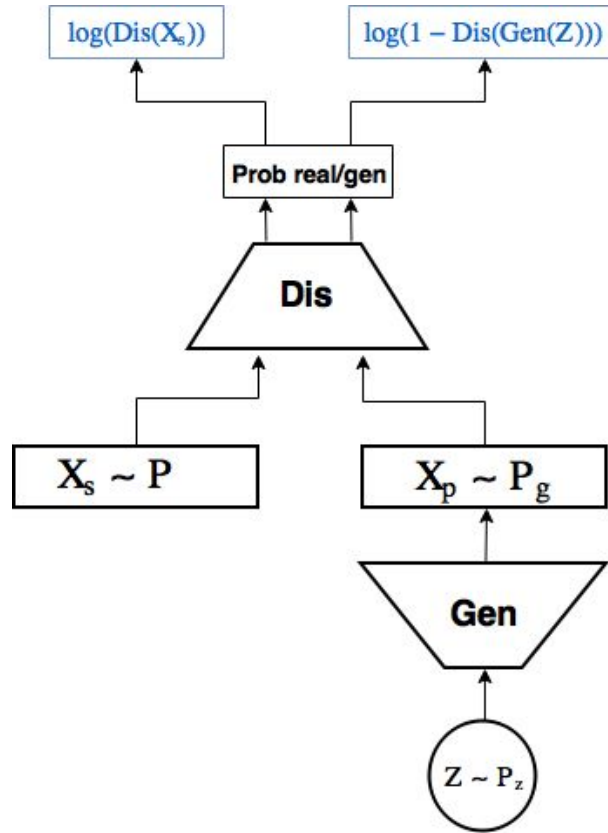
Seed label is 1

Once again

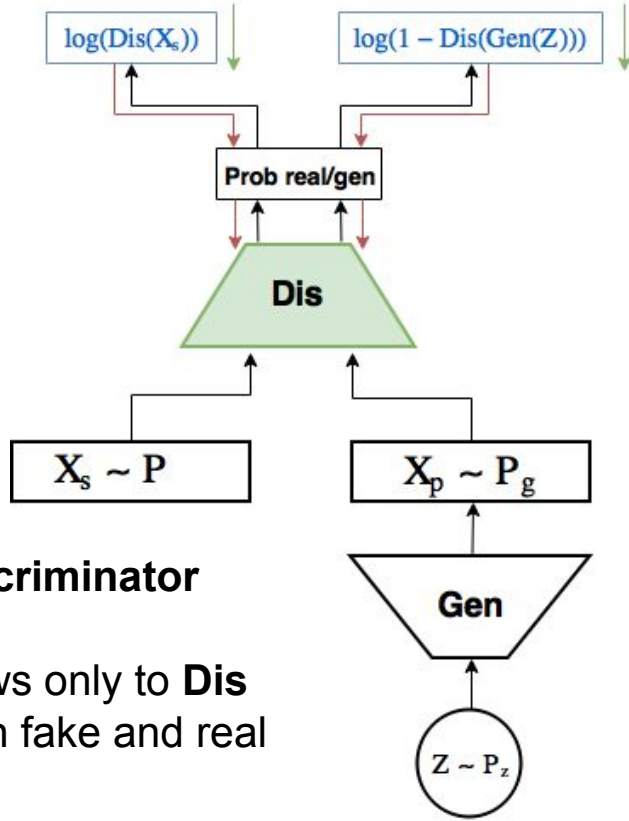


cVAE latent space distribution



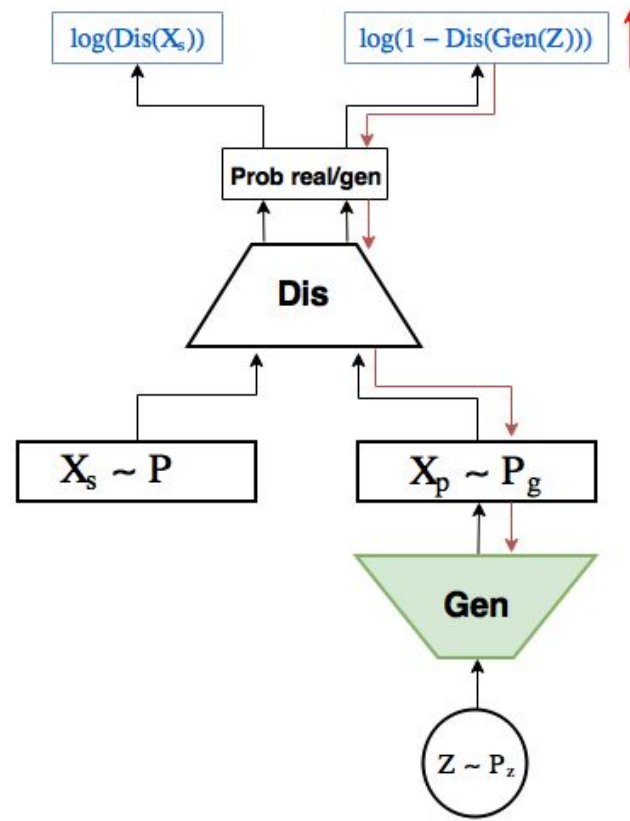


Training GAN

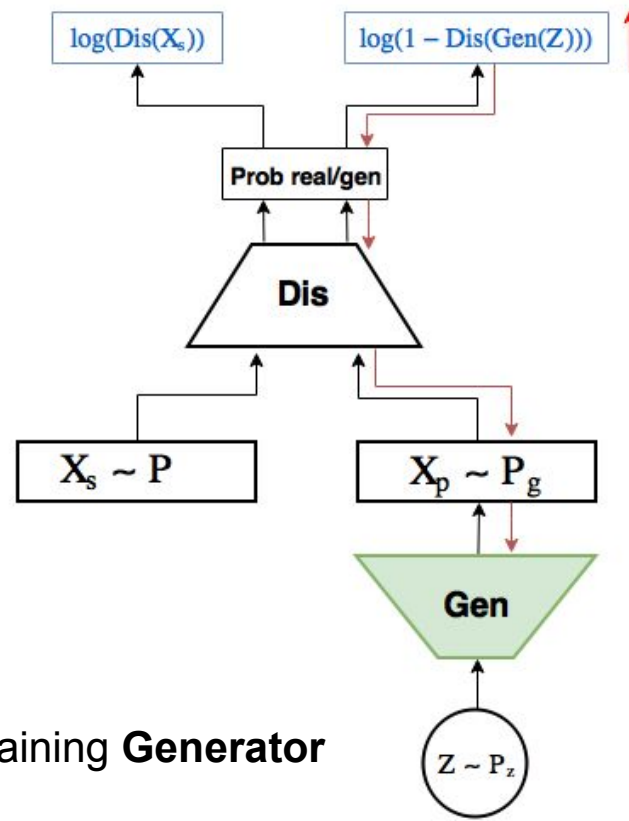
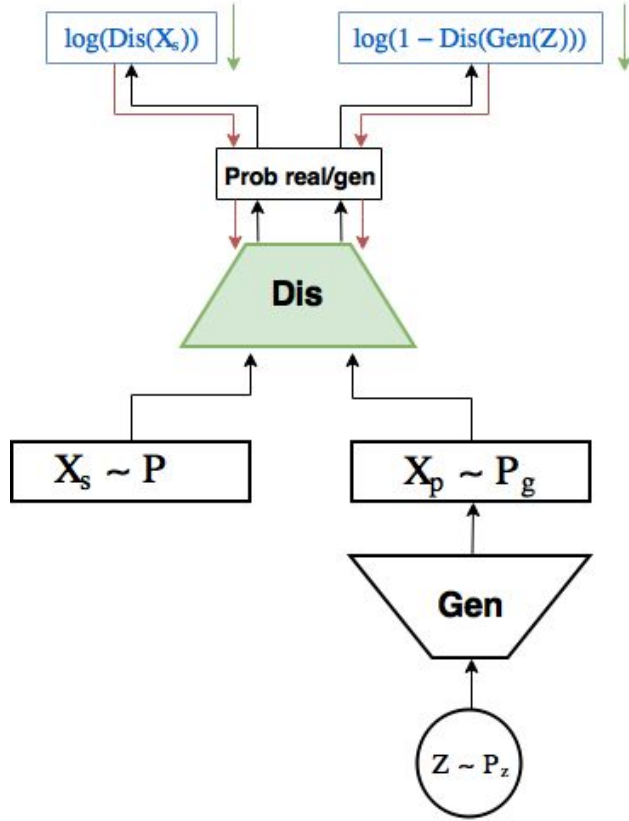


Training **Discriminator**

Gradient flows only to **Dis**
to distinguish fake and real
examples



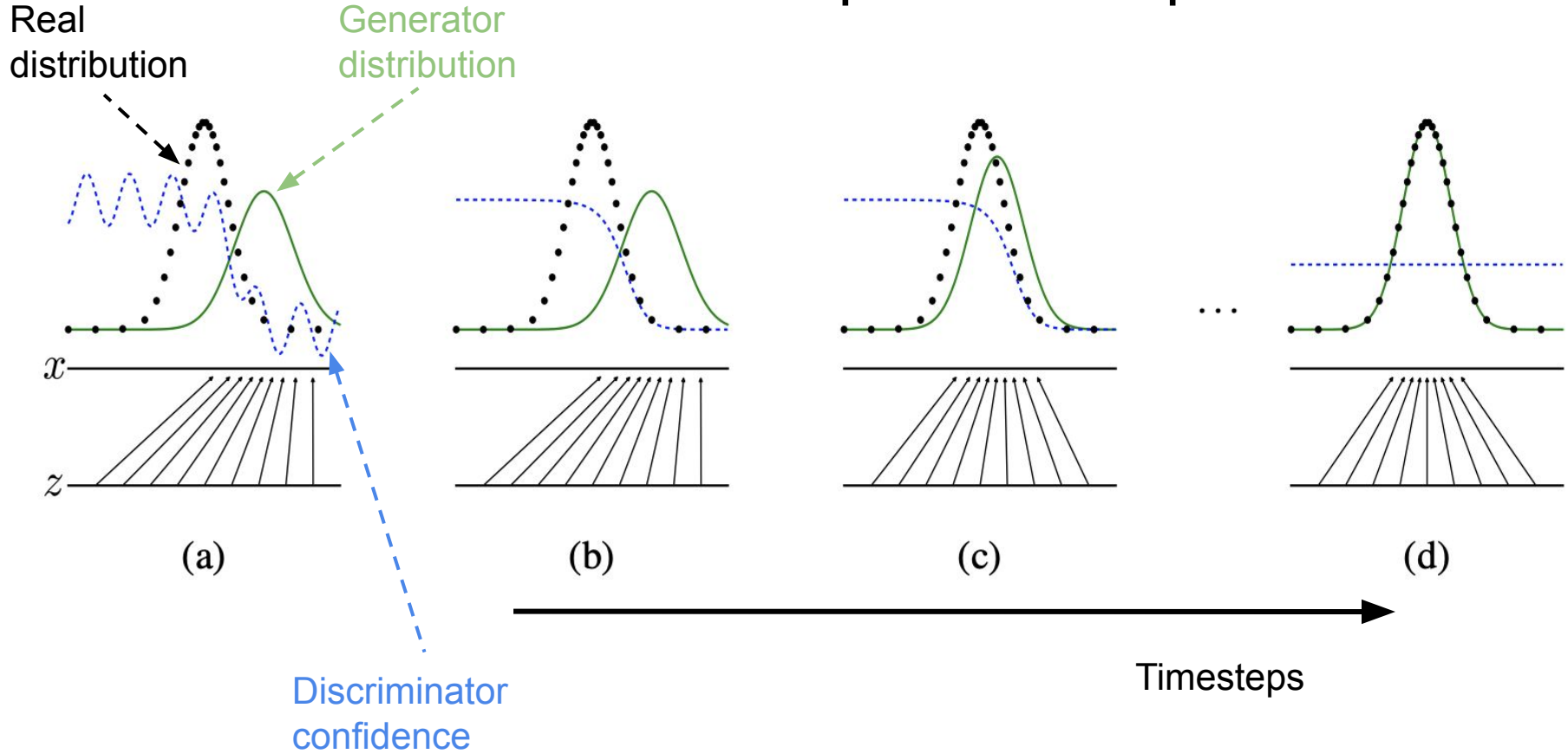
Training GAN



Training **Generator**

Gradient flows to **Gen** with **Dis** weights freezed to fool the Discriminator

Optimization process in GAN

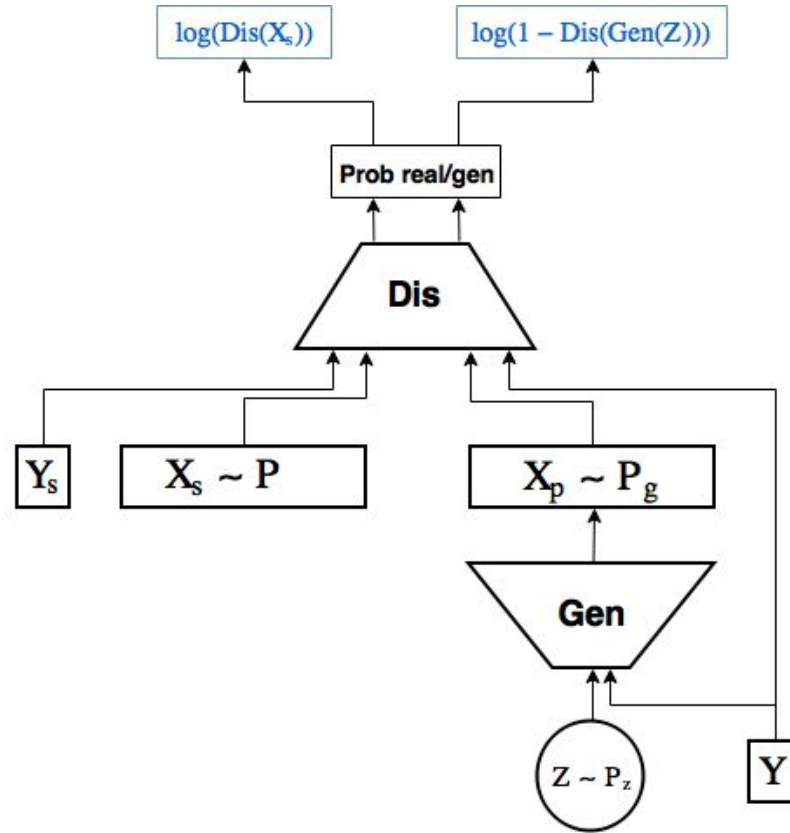


GAN manifold

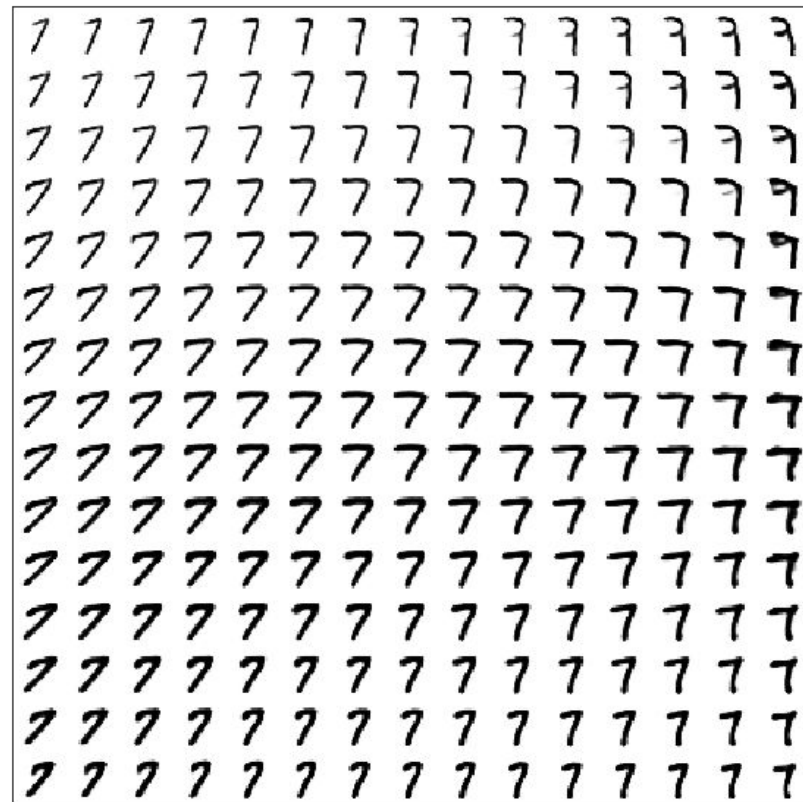
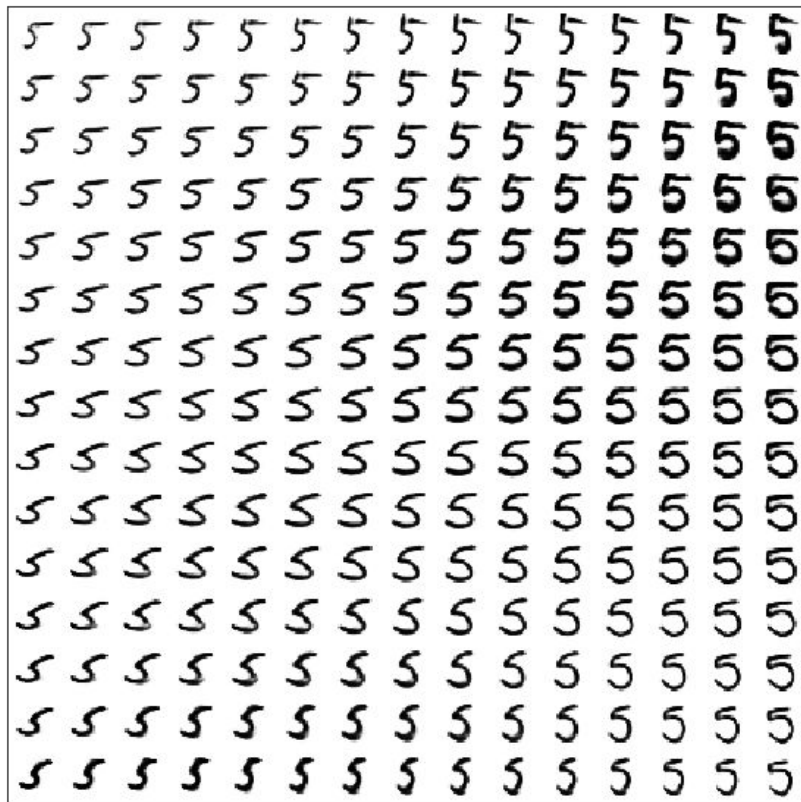
Label: all
Batch: 0



Conditional GAN



cGAN manifolds



Some more combinations

VAE

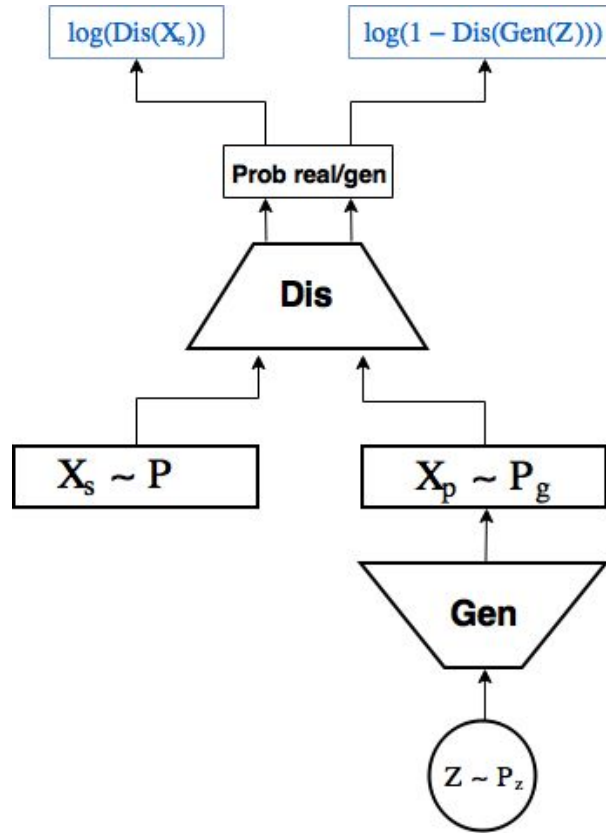
learning latent
distribution

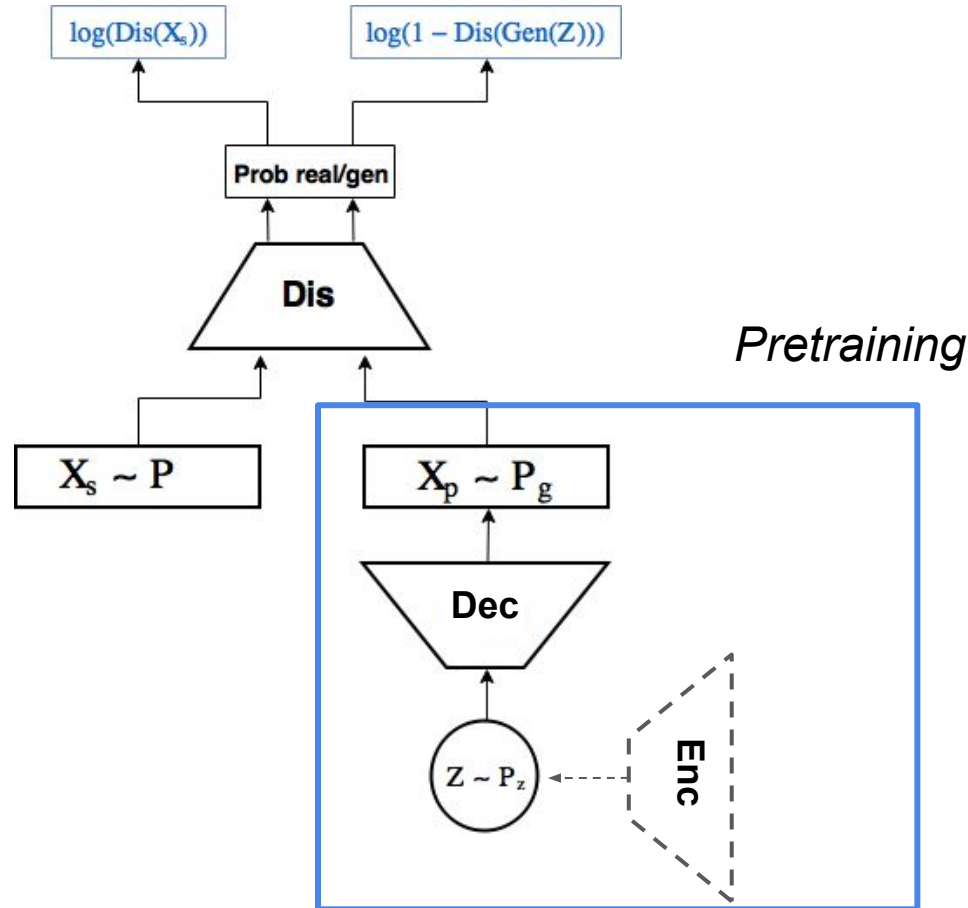
GAN

looking for good
latent distribution

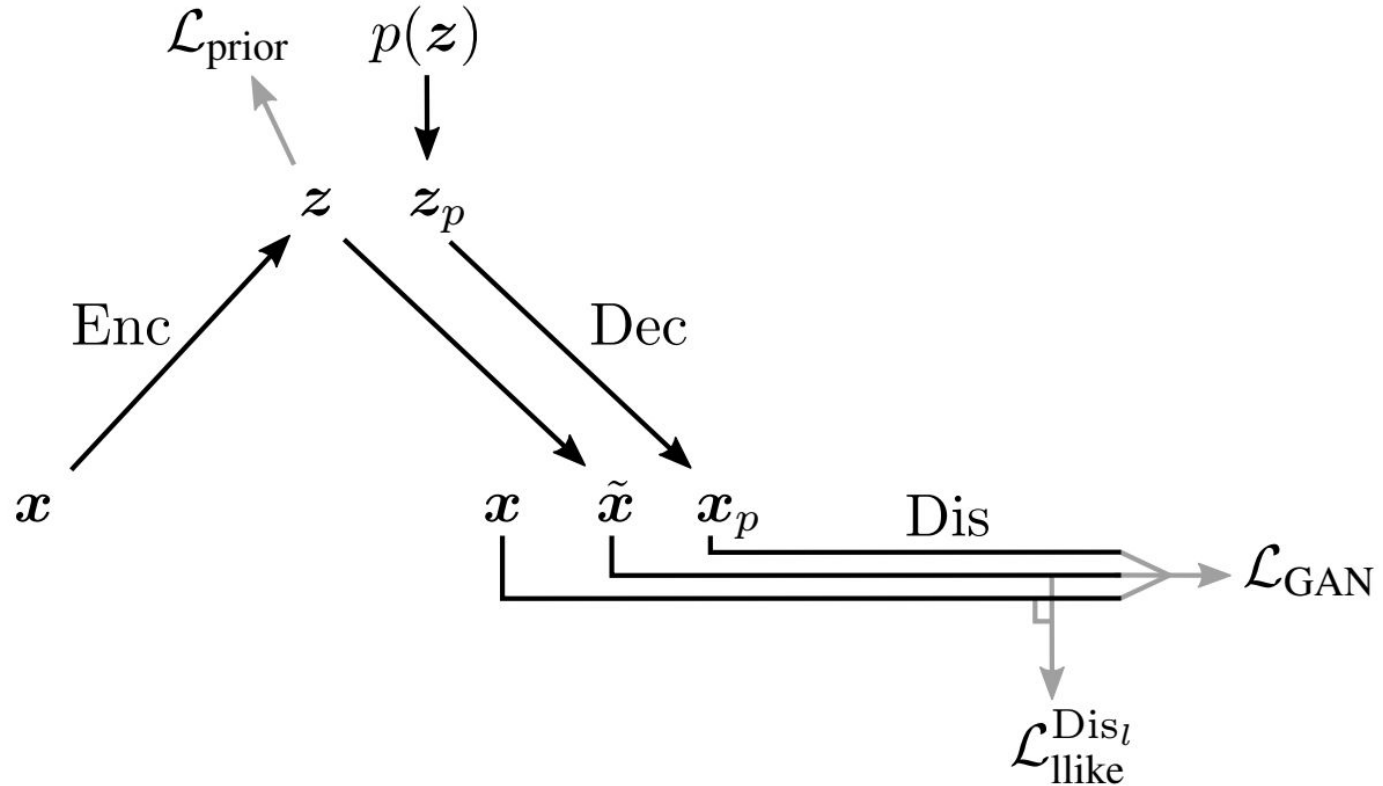


Simple GAN





VAE/GAN original illustration



Q & A and farewell

Time to write some code!