Beyond ULL

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Summary

Outline



Beyond VAEs

Beyond Gaussian latent variables

• automatic differentiation VI (Kucukelbir et al., 2017)

Beyond known densities

 Normalising flows (Rezende and Mohamed, 2015; Kingma et al., 2016)

Literature I

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