

Deep Unsupervised Domain Adaptation and its Application to Generative Models

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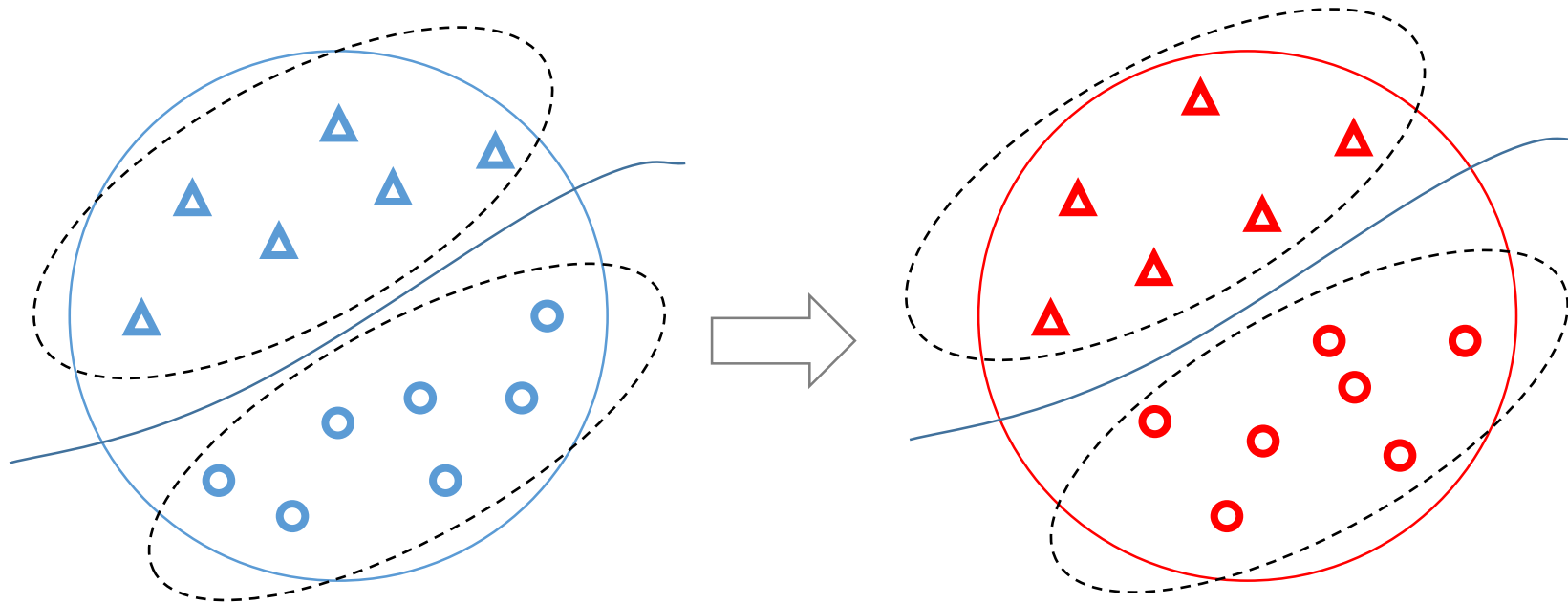
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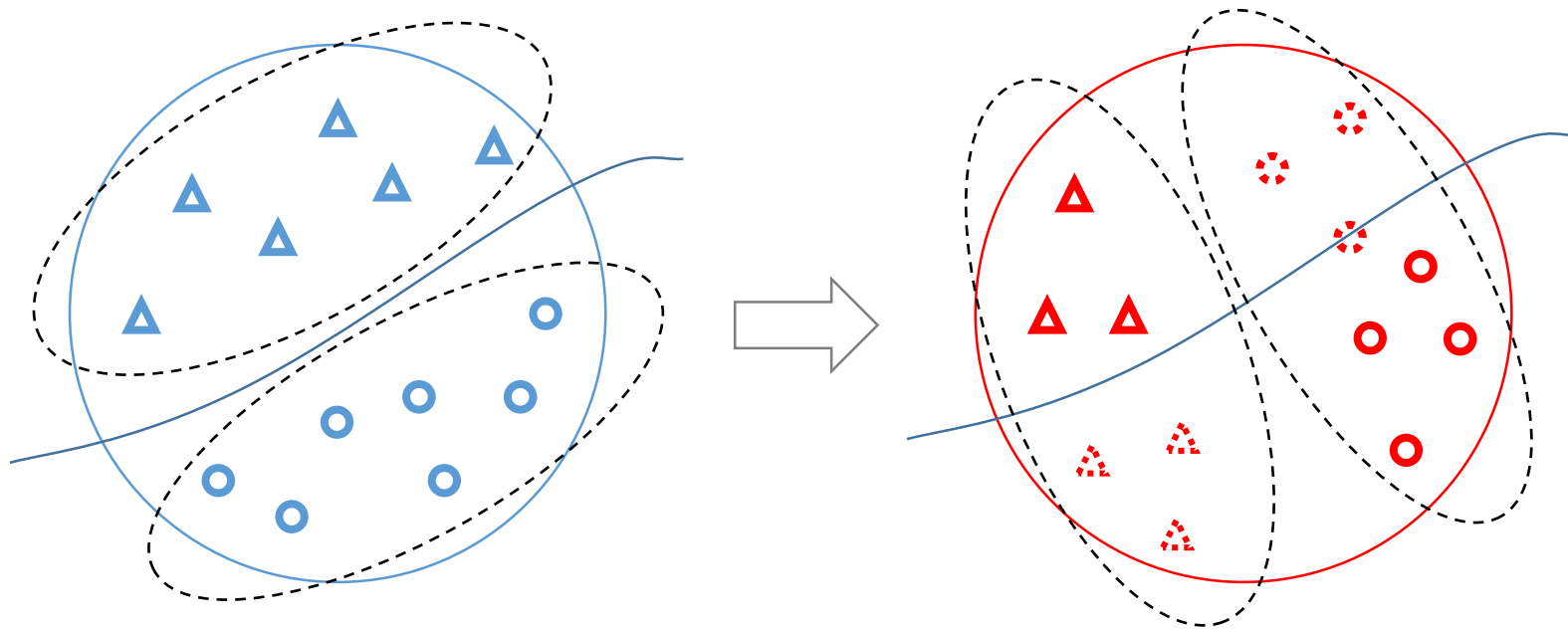
Domain Adaptation Background

- Traditional supervised learning works often implicitly assume that the training dataset and the test dataset have the same distribution, thus, the pretrained model can achieve reliable performance during testing.



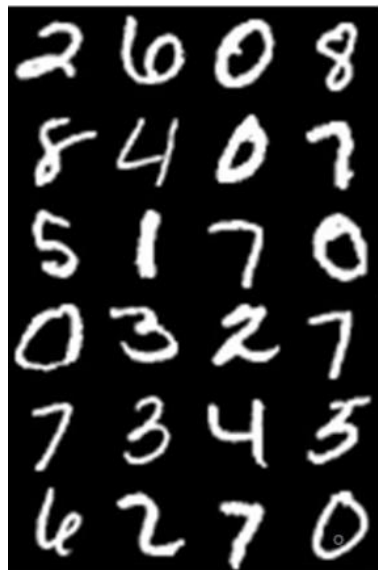
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- However, in real scenarios, the training and test datasets are from related but different distributions. The performance of source model may be degraded (called **domain shift**).



Real Domain Adaptation Scenarios

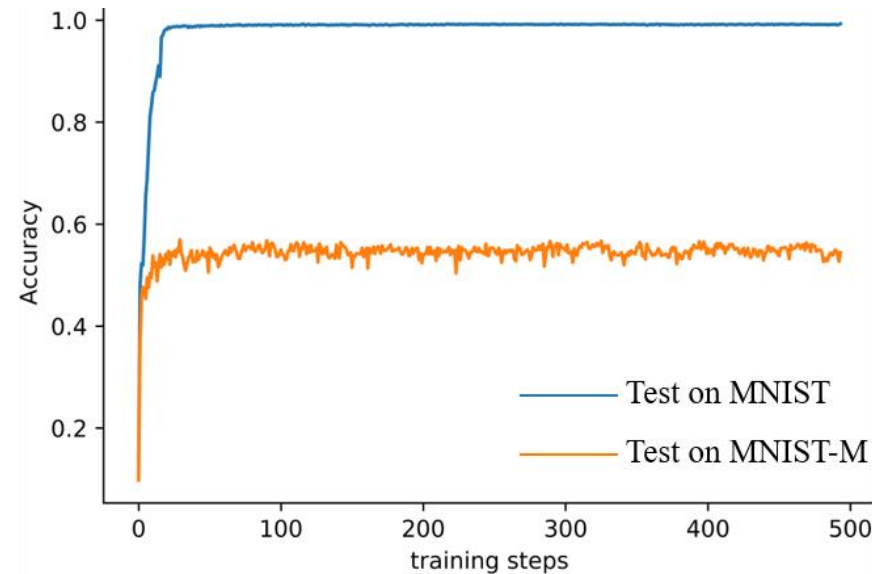
- In the image classification task (Source: MNIST and Target: MNIST-M):



(a) MNIST



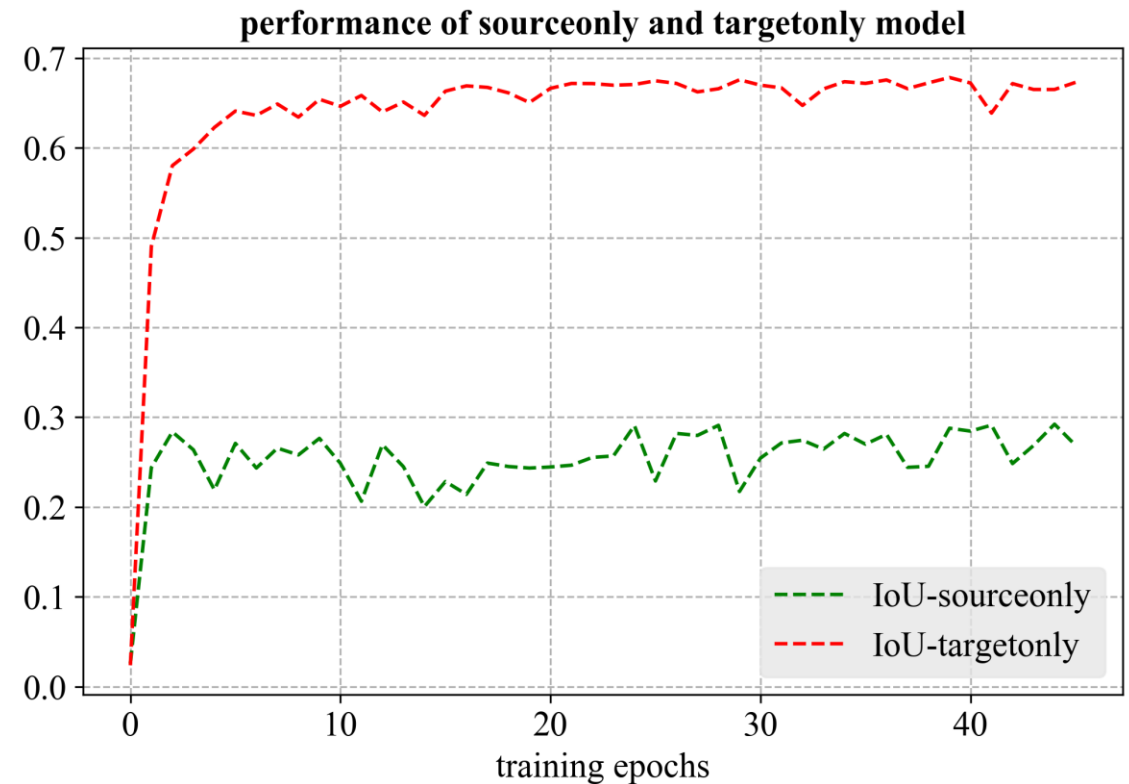
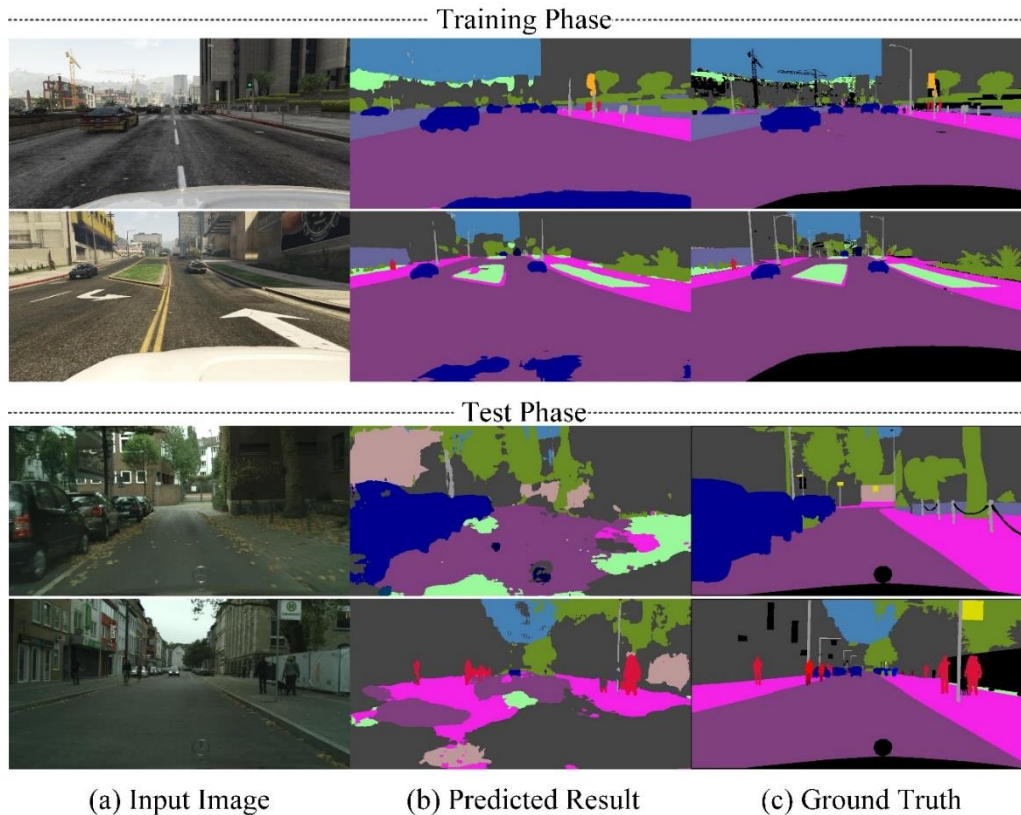
(b) MNIST-M



(c) Performance Comparison

Real Domain Adaptation Scenarios

- In the semantic segmentation task (Source: GTA5 and Target: Cityscapes):



Domain Adaptation Problem Settings

Source Data: $D_s = \{X_s, Y_s\}$ and Target Data: $D_t = \{X_t, Y_t\}$

Two Domains follow different data distributions, and the goal is to infer target labels as accurately as possible.

- If we have **enough** target labeled data: no need adaptation;
- If we have **a few** target labeled data: we can fine-tune the model trained on D_s with these target labeled data.
- If we have no labeled data, i.e., we only have $D_s = \{X_s, Y_s\}$ and $D_t = \{X_t\}$. This is referred to as **Unsupervised Domain Adaptation (UDA)**, which is our main topic.

Domain Adaptation Benefits

Domain adaptation allows to adapt the model from a label-rich (domain) to a label-scarce (target) domain.

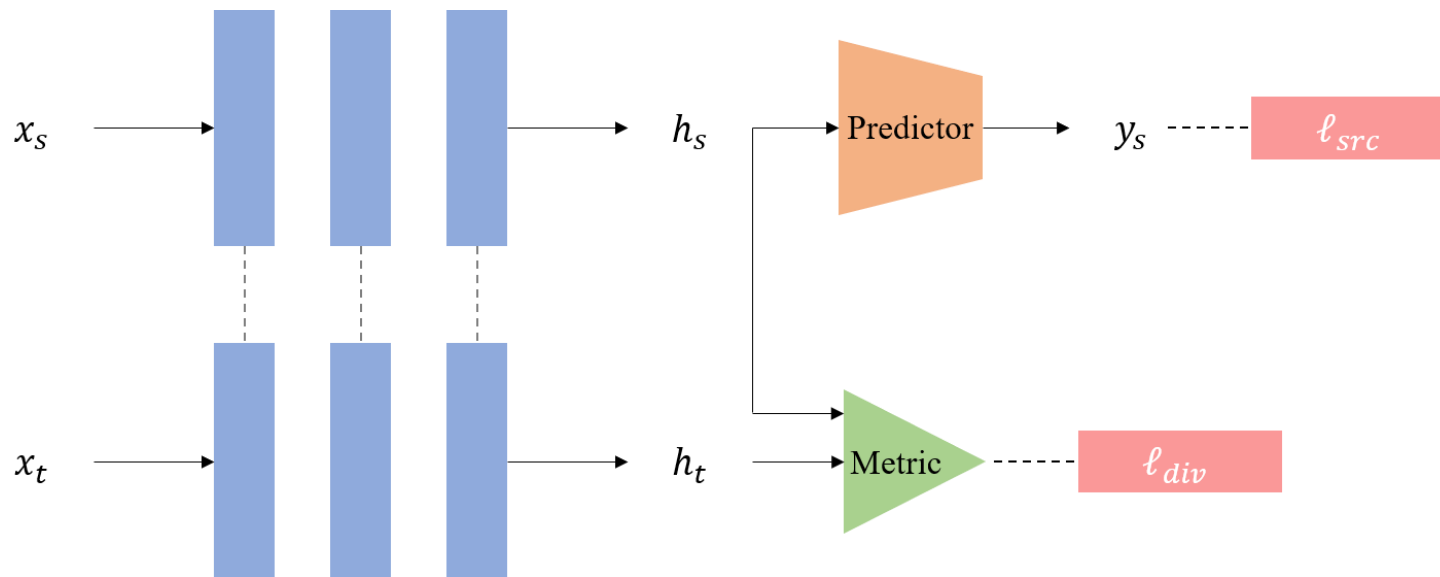
- Avoid learning from scratch.
- Transfer knowledge learnt from source data.
- Reduce the cost of annotation.

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Main Idea for Domain Adaptation

- **Reduce the domain discrepancy** -- learning domain-invariant features (Feature-space alignment between two domains)

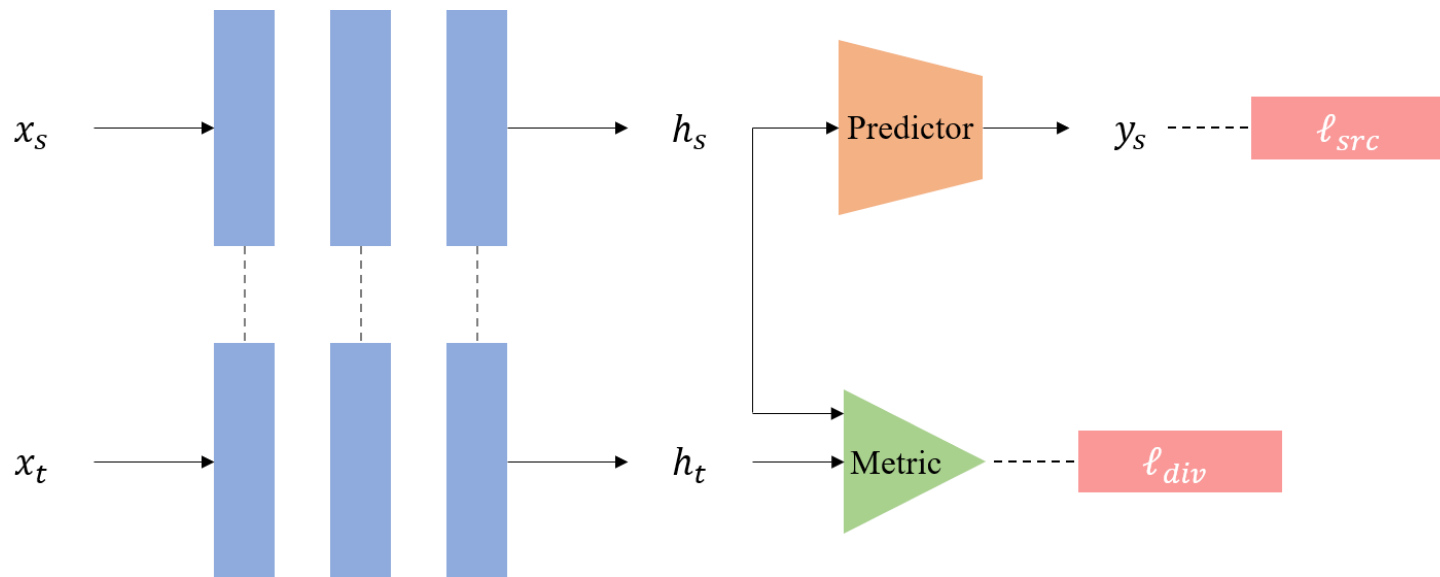


For feature extractor (blue blocks):

- Sharing layers or not
- Single or multiple layers

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For distance metric (Green block):

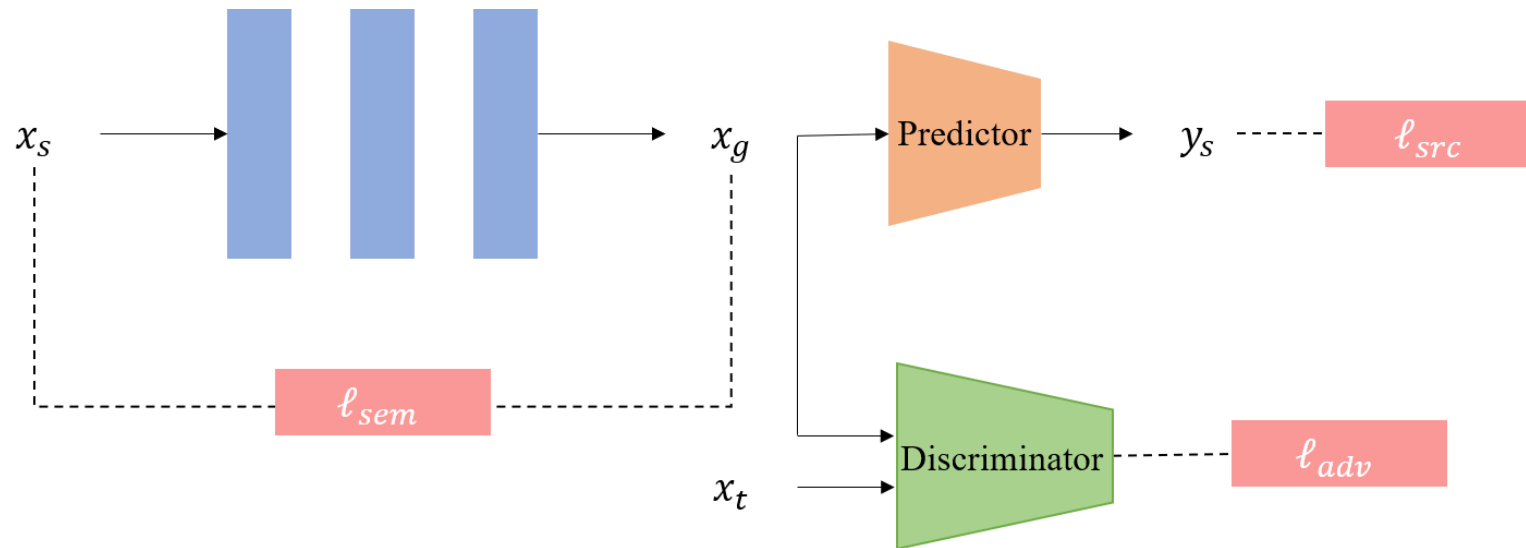
- Statistics metrics, i.e., MMD, CORAL, etc.
- Adversarial training with an extra discriminator or classifier.

Main Idea for Domain Adaptation

- **Reduce the domain discrepancy** -- Image-to-image translation (Pixel-space alignment between two domains)
 - Focus on generating reliable image-label pairs in the target domain.
 - The common tool is the **Generative Adversarial Networks (GAN)** for simulating the target distributions.

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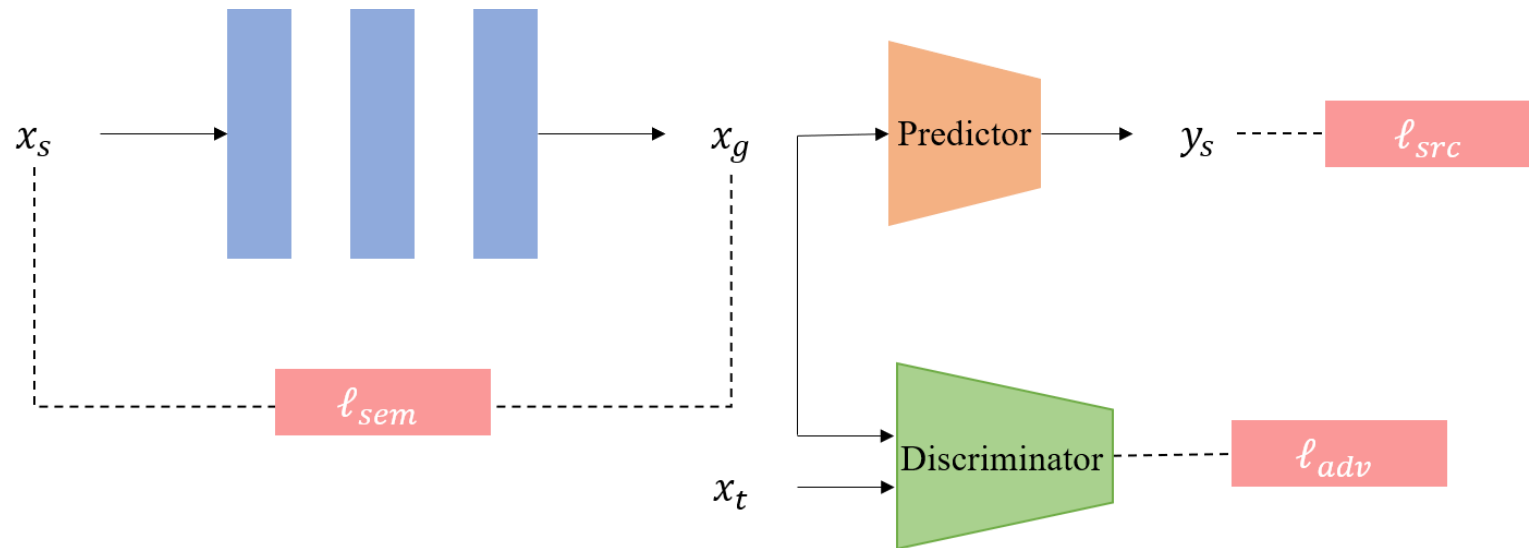


There are two requirements during the translation:

- **Distribution matching:** x_g and x_t should be undistinguishable by the discriminator.
- **Semantic preservation:** the semantic information between x_g and x_s should be the same.

Main Idea for Domain Adaptation

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These generative-based methods have two benefits:

- Interpretable: visualize x_g .
- Flexible: the predictor and the adaptor are decoupled.

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Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation

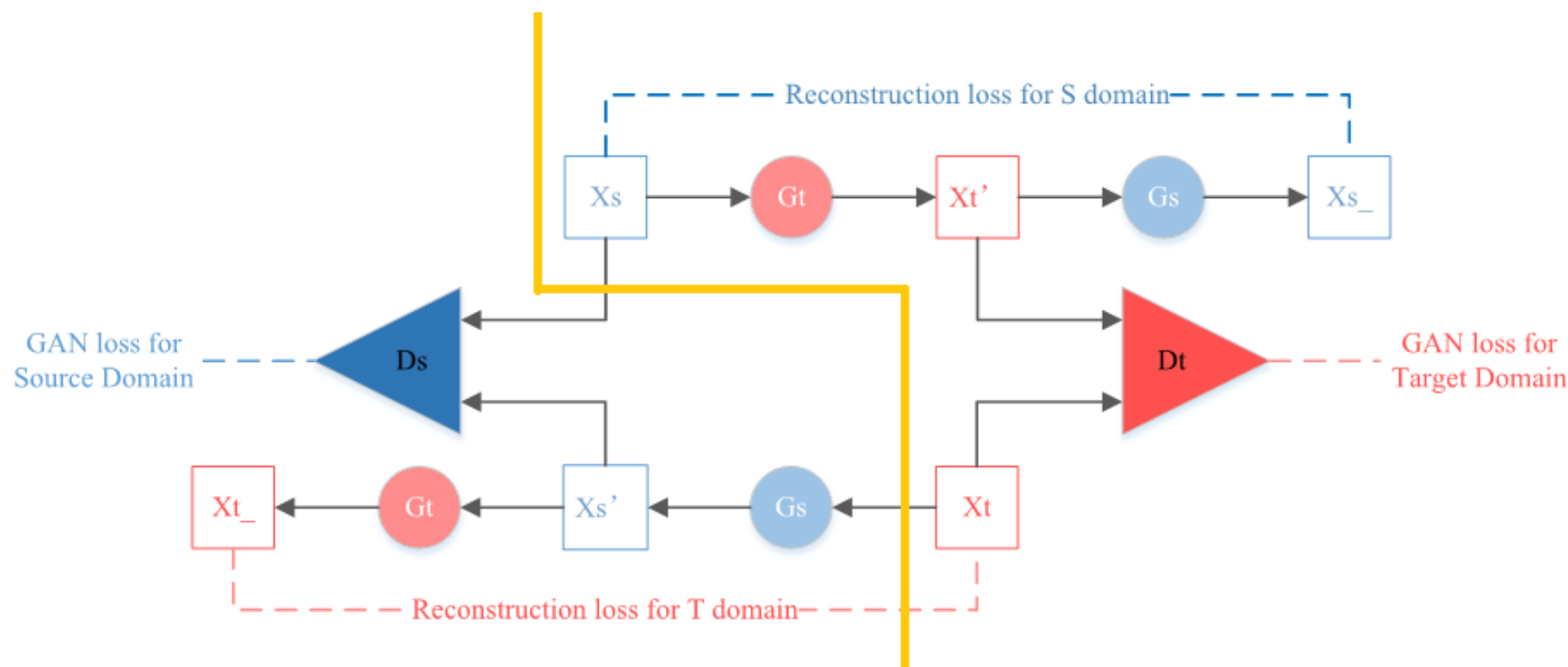
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Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Motivation

- Many feature-level alignment methods focus on the image classification, which may not be effective on the semantic segmentation which requires accurate spatial information.
- Therefore, recent works tend to image-to-image translation for domain adaptation, which is the pixel-level alignment.

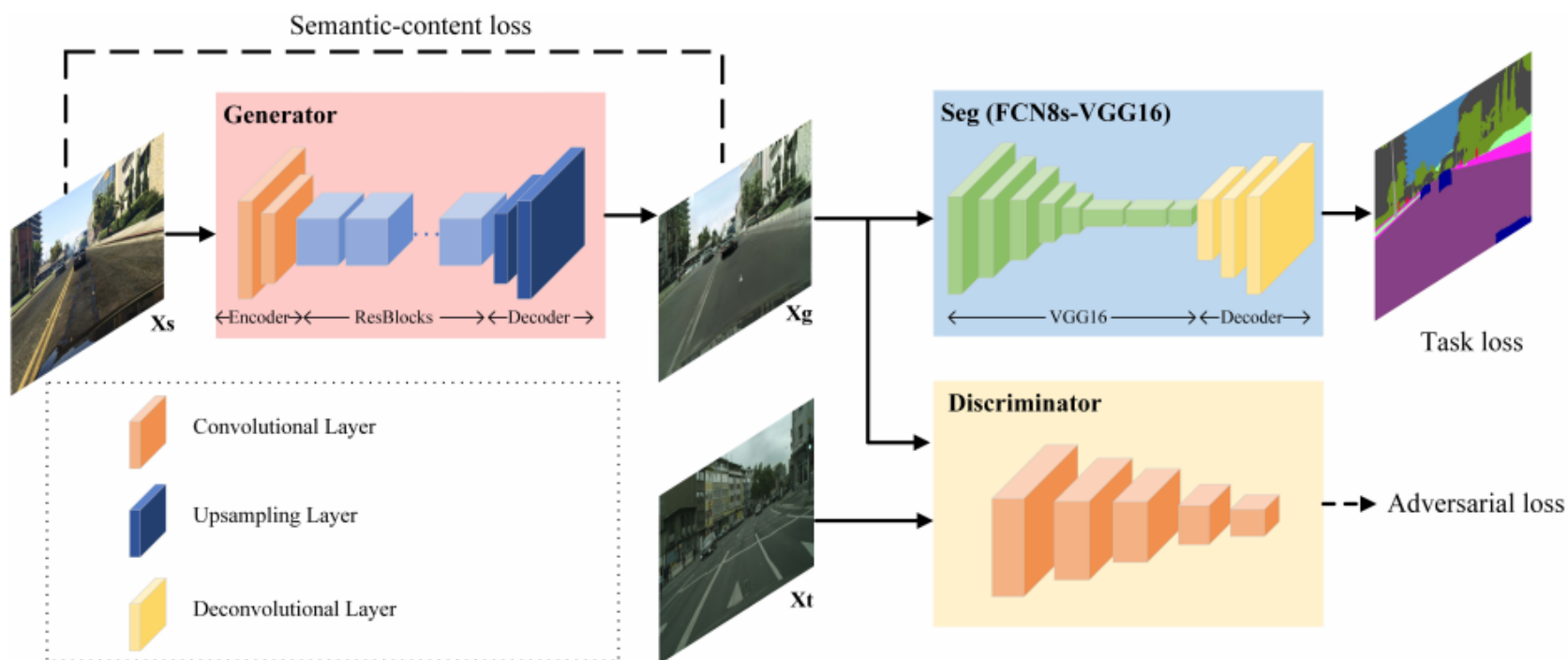
Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Motivation

- However, for unsupervised high-resolution image-to-image translation, Cycle-GAN is often used:

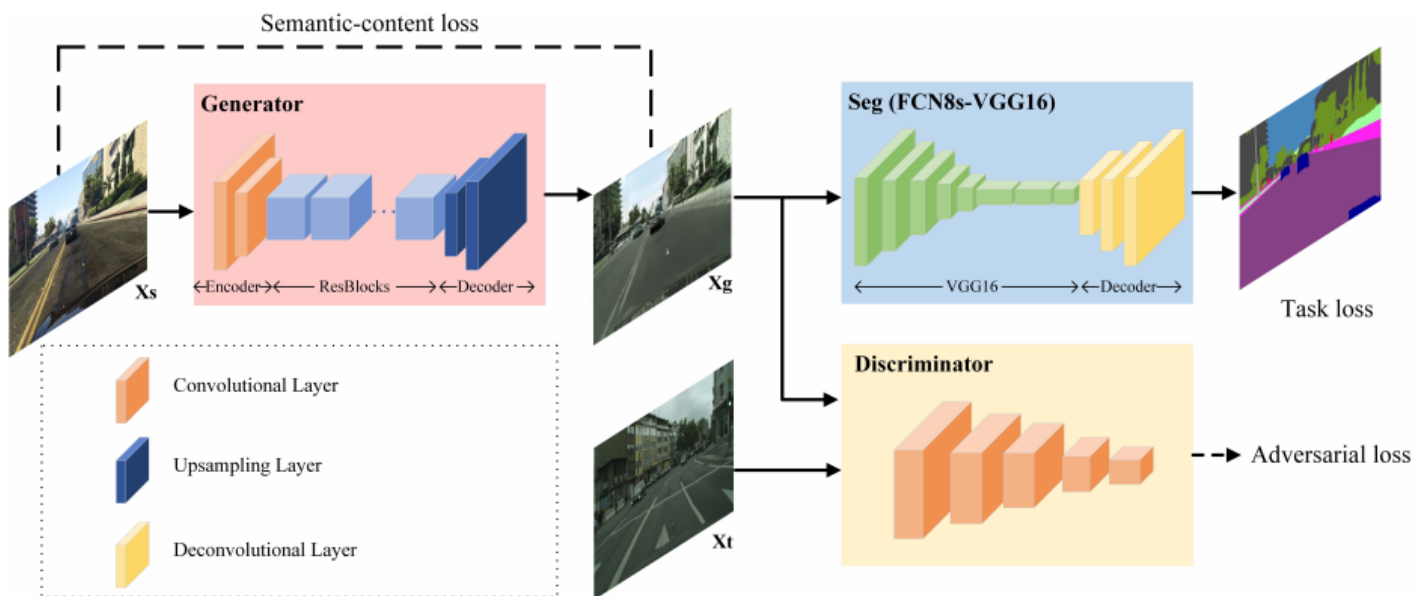


Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Motivation

- We aim to propose a simplified one-way translation method, designed for the semantic segmentation task:



Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Method

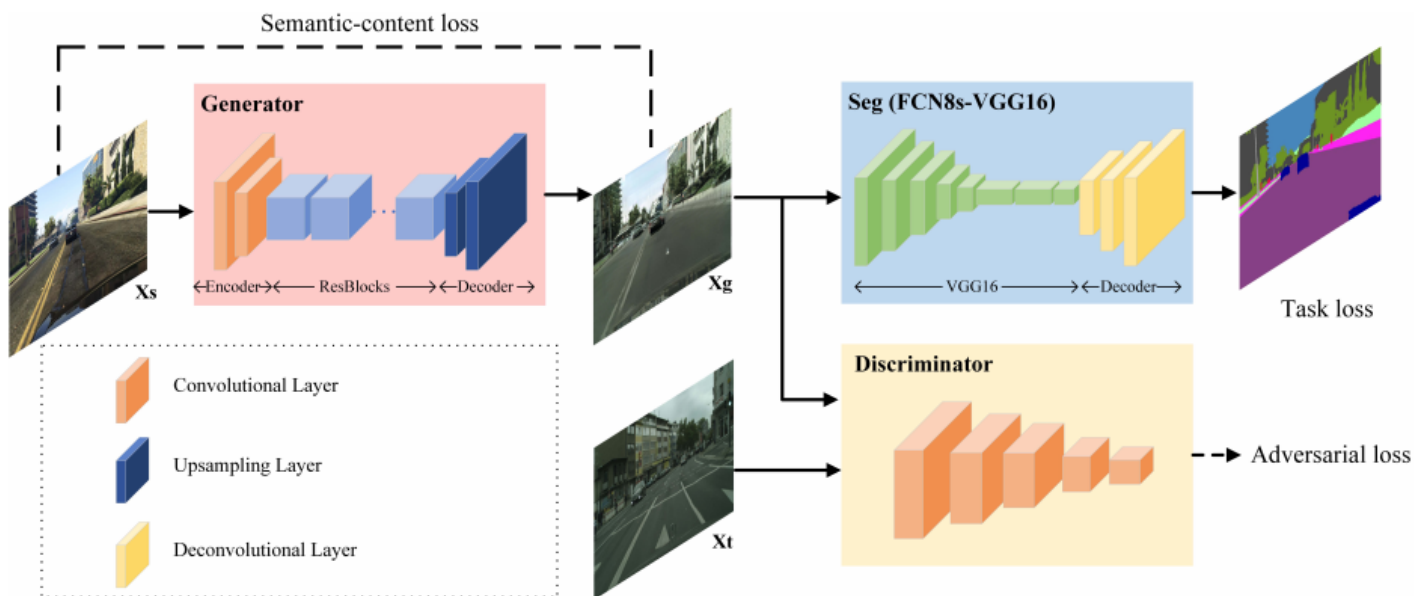


Adversarial Loss: aims to match the target distribution.

$$L_{adv}(D, G) = \mathbb{E}_{X_t}[\log D(X_t)] + \mathbb{E}_{X_s}[\log (1 - D(G(X_s)))]$$

$$\min_{G, Seg} \max_D L_{adv}(D, G) + L_{semCon}(G) + L_{task}(Seg)$$

Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Method



Semantic-Content Loss: aims to preserve the semantic and content information.

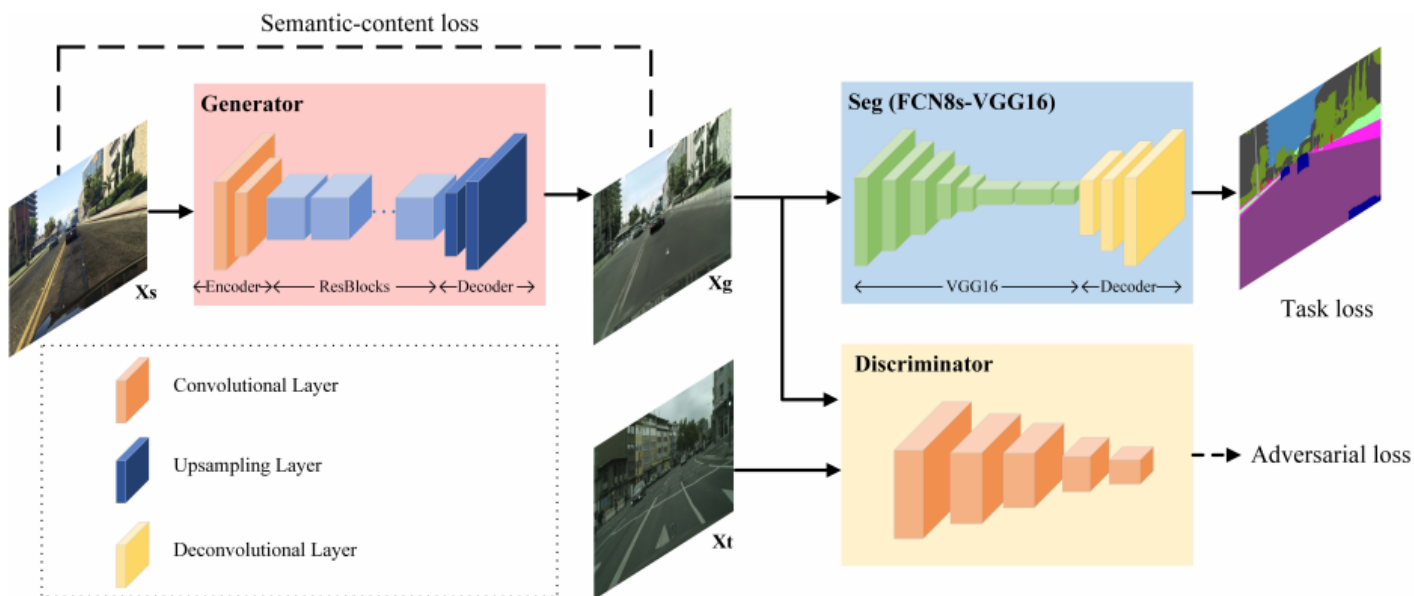
$$L_{semCon}(G) = L_{sem} + L_{con}$$

Where $L_{sem} = \mathbb{E}_{X_s} \mathcal{H}[Seg(G(X_s)), Y_s]$

$$L_{con} = \mathbb{E}_{X_s} [\|f(G(X_s)) - f(X_s)\|^2]$$

$$\min_{G, Seg} \max_D L_{adv}(D, G) + L_{semCon}(G) + L_{task}(Seg)$$

Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Method



Task Loss: computes cross entropy for each pixel with source and generated images.

$$L_{task}(Seg) = \mathbb{E}_{X_s} \{ \mathcal{H}[Seg(X_s), Y_s] + \mathcal{H}[Seg(G(X_s)), Y_s] \}$$

$$\min_{G, Seg} \max_D L_{adv}(D, G) + L_{semCon}(G) + L_{task}(Seg)$$

Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Experiments

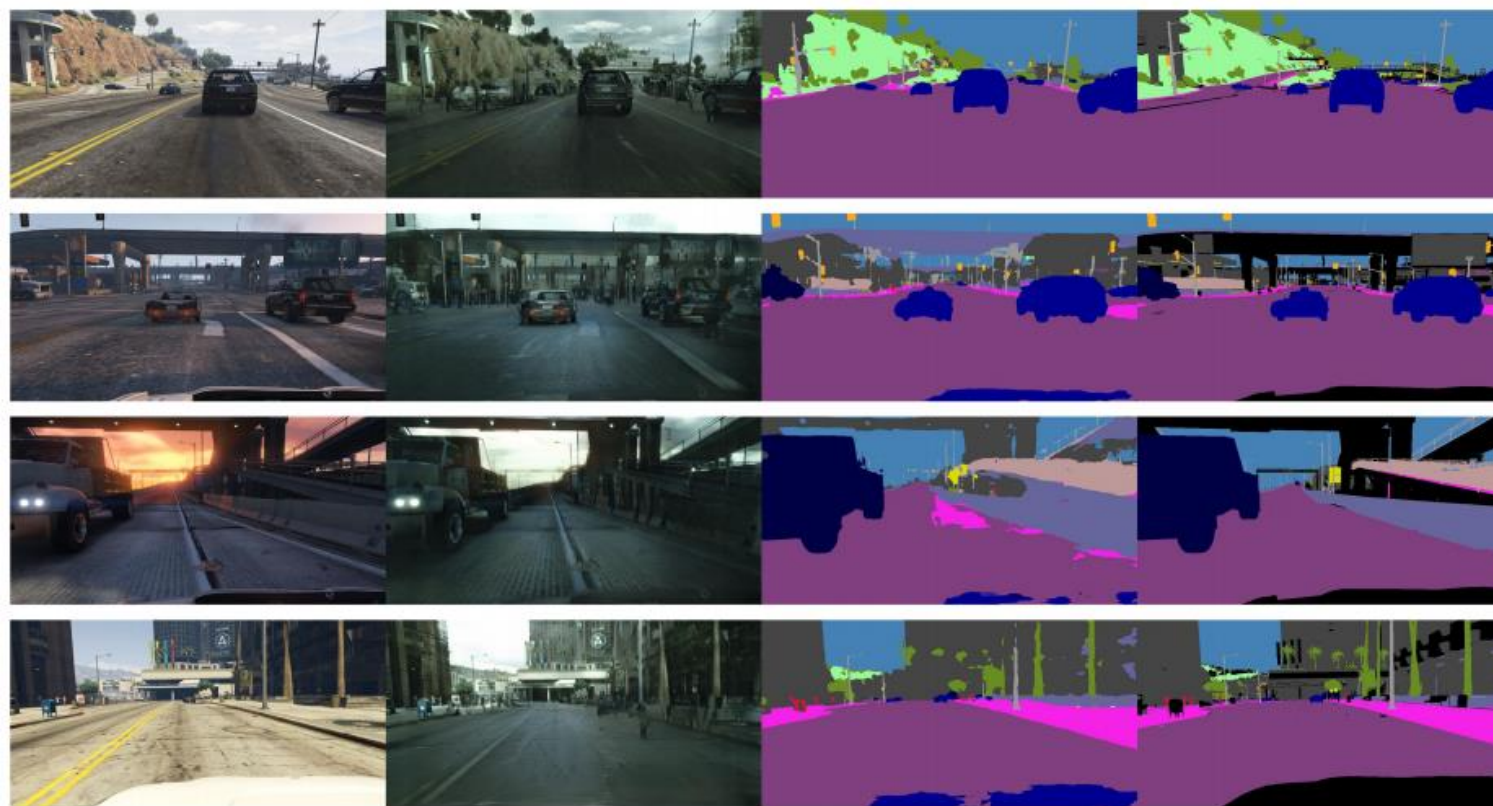


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- Dataset Settings: focus on adaptation from synthetic domain to real domain:
 - GTA5: is a large-scale urban scene dataset that includes 24966 synthetic high-quality images with pixel-level annotations. All these images and annotations are collected from Grand Theft Auto V (GTA5).
 - SYNTHIA: is a dataset with large well-annotated synthetic images collected from virtual worlds across various environments.
 - Cityscapes: is a real-world urban scene dataset that includes 2975 training samples and 500 validation samples with fine pixel-level annotation.

Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Experiments

- GTA5 to Cityscapes (Generated images)



(a) Source Images

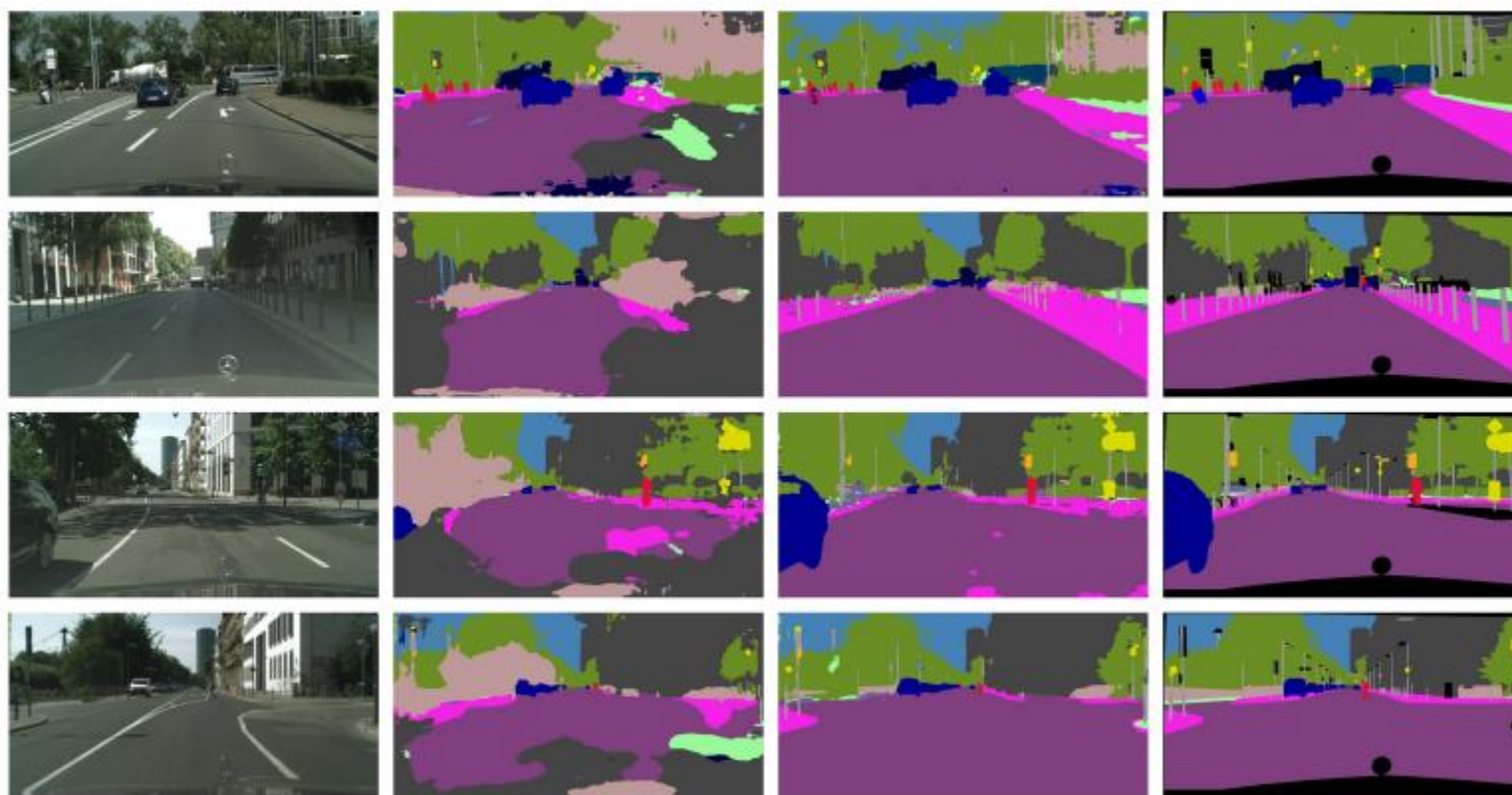
(b) Generated Images

(c) Segmentation Map

(d) Source Labels

Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Experiments

- GTA5 to Cityscapes (Comparison before and after adaptation)



(a) Test Images

(b) SourceOnly Results

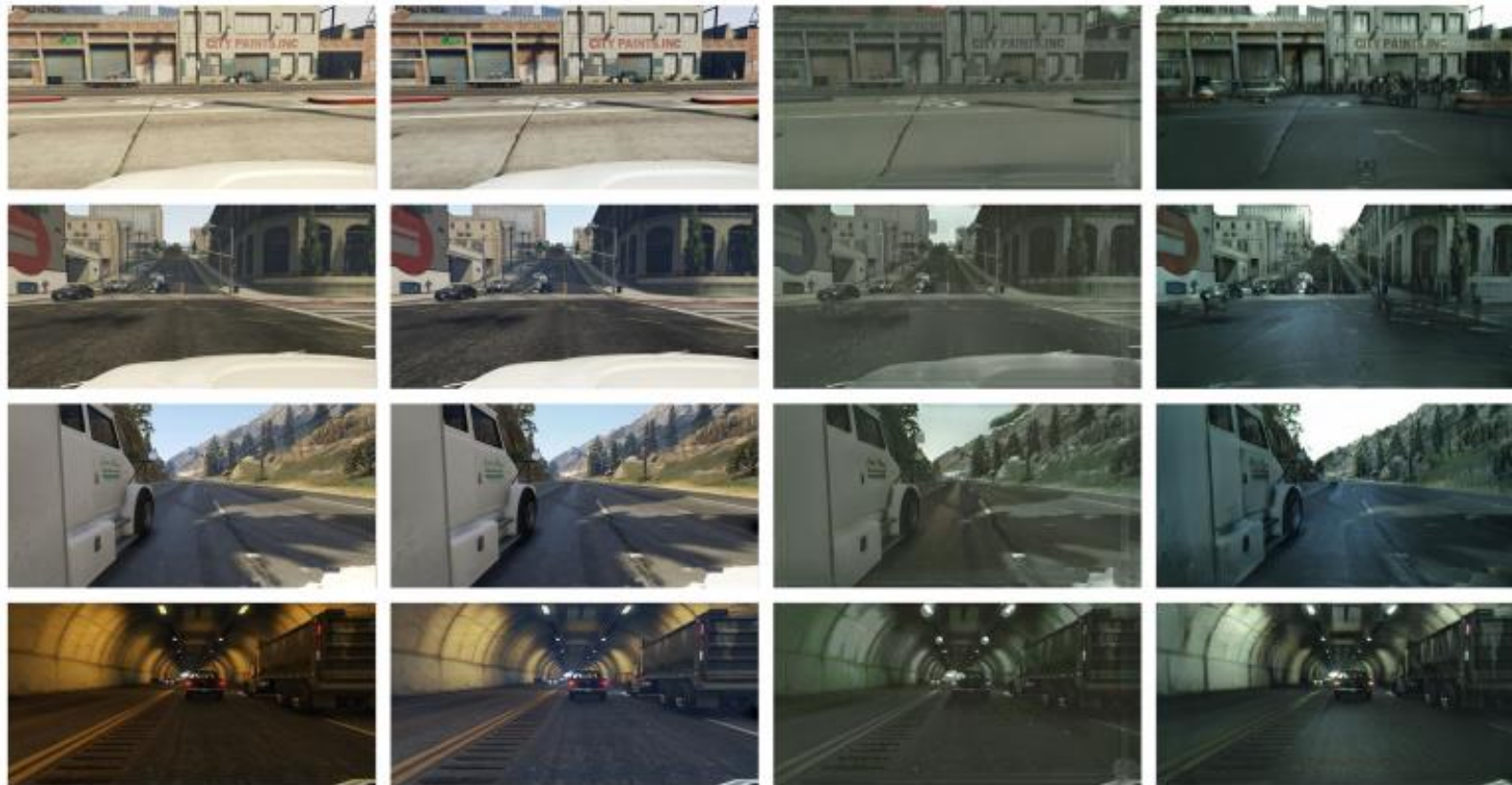
(c) Ours Results

(d) Ground Truth

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Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Experiments

- GTA5 to Cityscapes (Generation comparison)



(a) Source Images

(b) Vanilla GAN

(c) CyCADA

(d) Our Results

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Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Experiments

- GTA5 to Cityscapes (Segmentation comparison)

Method	SourceOnly	FCNWild [42]	CDA [154]	MCD [109]	CBST [161]	OutputSpaceAdapt [128]	CyCADA [41]	DCAN [143]	SUIT	SUIT w/ Avg.W	SourceOnly	OutputSpaceAdapt [128]	DLOW [32]	SUIT	SUIT w/ Avg.W
Base Net	FCN8s-VGG16										Deeplab-v2				
mIoU (%)	26.4	27.1	28.9	28.8	30.9	35.0	35.4	36.2	38.9	40.6	34.2	41.4	42.3	43.7	45.3

Simplified Unsupervised Image Translation for Semantic Segmentation Adaptation --- Experiments

- Transplant the pre-trained generator (with FCN-VGG16) to the other segmentation backbone.

Method	Seg Net	From GTA-5	From SYNTHIA
SourceOnly		34.2	37.4
OutputSpaceAdapt [128]	Deeplab-v2 [11]	41.4	45.9
SUIT		42.1	44.3
SUIT w/ Avg.W		44.5	46.5
SourceOnly		35.2	38.8
SUIT	Deeplab-v3 [12]	44.6	46.0
SUIT w/ Avg.W		46.2	47.1

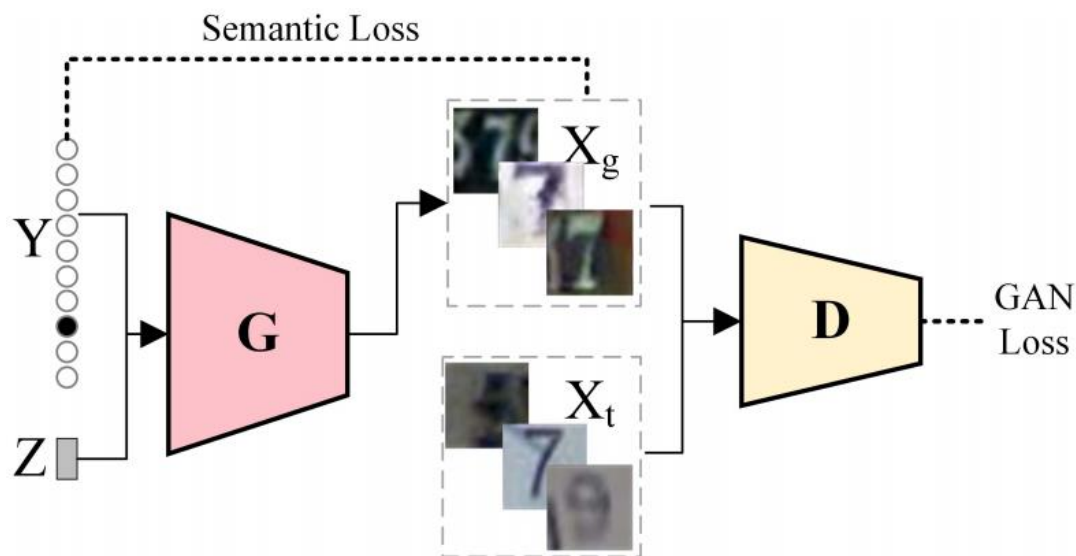
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Generating Target Image-Label Pairs for Unsupervised Domain Adaptation --- Motivation

- Most domain adaptation works focus on reducing the discrepancy between two domains, which becomes difficult in case of the large domain gap.
- We propose for target generation from the shared label space, which can alleviate the large domain gap.

Generating Target Image-Label Pairs for Unsupervised Domain Adaptation --- Motivation



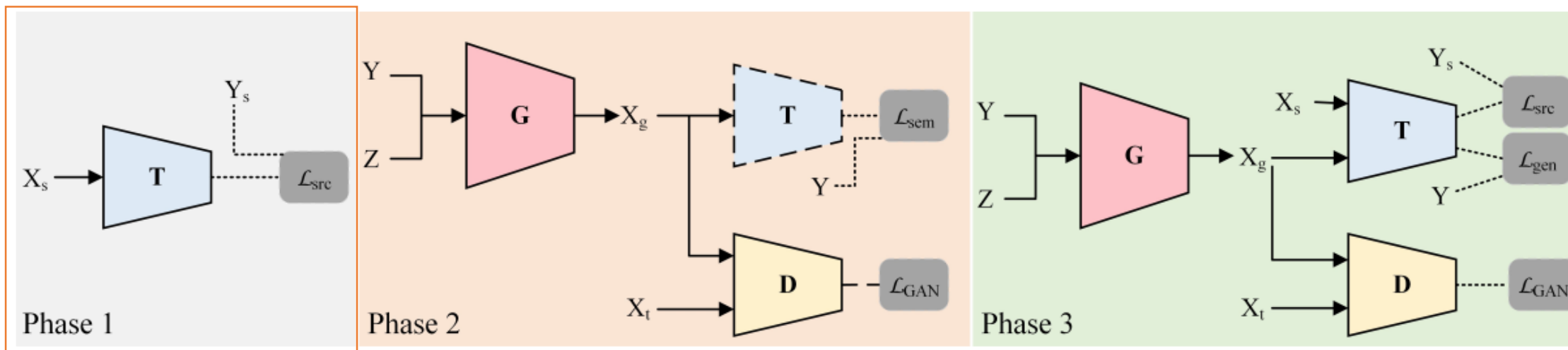
(a) Idea of label-to-image generation process



(b) Examples sampled from real target domain and generated by our model

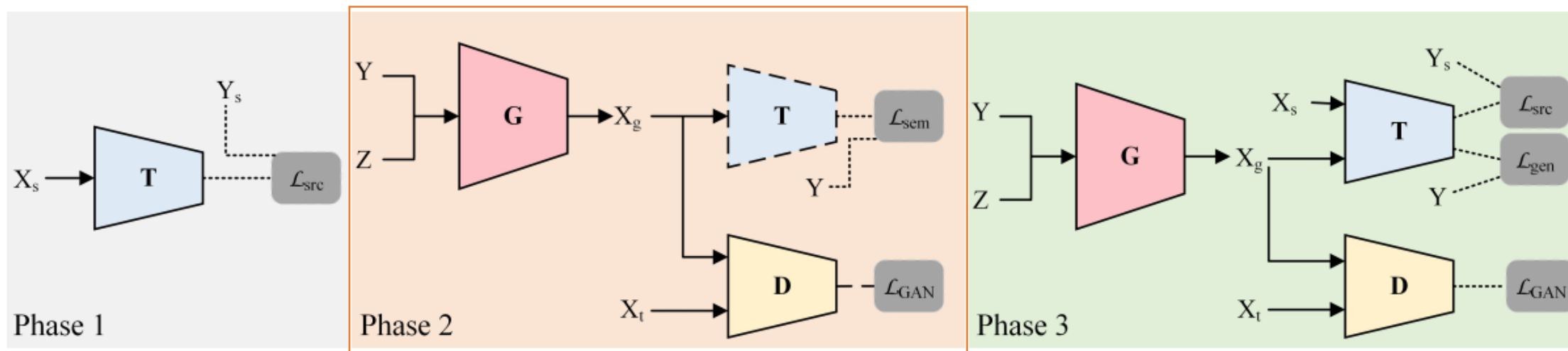
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- (Phase 1) Training the task prediction model (T) with the source data to obtain a weak T in the target domain.



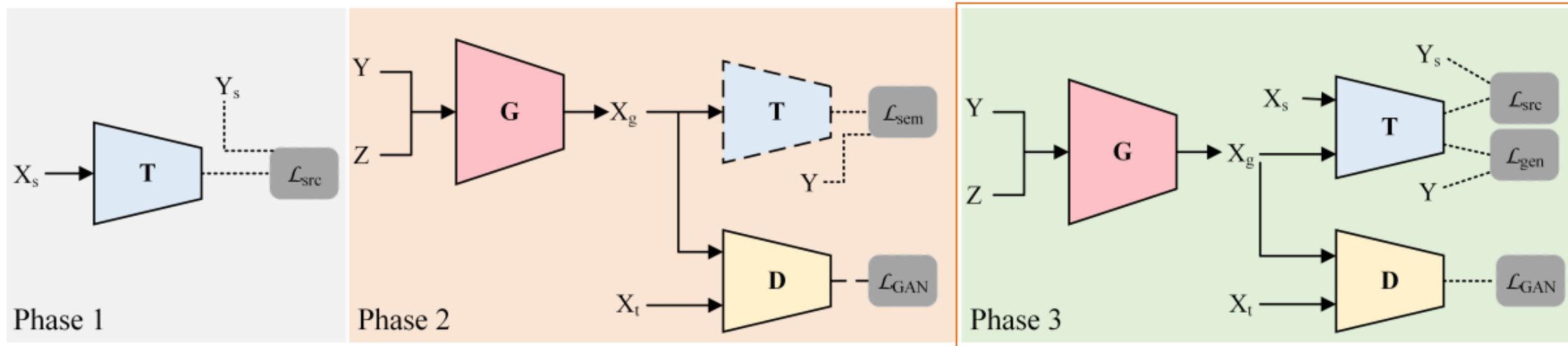
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- (Phase 2) Training the generator G and the discriminator D in adversarial manner to obtain target training pairs.



Generating Target Image-Label Pairs for Unsupervised Domain Adaptation --- Method

- (Phase 3) Adding the generated data into training of T .



Generating Target Image-Label Pairs for Unsupervised Domain Adaptation --- Experiments

- Quantitative results.

Method	MNIST→USPS	USPS→MNIST	MNIST→MNIST-M	SVHN→MNIST	MNIST→SVHN
<i>Not GAN-based Adaptation</i>					
MMD [7]	81.1	-	76.9	71.1	-
CORAL [5]	81.7	-	57.7	63.1	-
DA _{assoc} [33]	-	-	89.5	97.6	-
DANN [43]	85.1	73.0	77.4	73.9	35.7
ADDA [44]	89.4±0.2	90.1±0.8	-	76.0±1.8	-
ATT [10]	-	-	94.2	86.2	52.8
DSN [16]	91.3	-	83.2	82.7	-
DRCN [32]	91.8±0.1	73.7±0.1	-	82.0±0.2	40.1±0.1
VADA [45]	-	-	97.7	97.9	73.3
DIRT-T [45]	-	-	98.9	99.4	76.5
<i>GAN-based Adaptation</i>					
UNIT [53]	95.9	93.5	-	90.5	-
DuplexGAN [48]	96.01	98.75	-	92.46	62.65
GenToAdapt [47]	95.3±0.7	90.8±1.3	-	92.4±0.9	-
CoGAN [52]	91.2±0.8	89.1±0.8	62.0	-	-
PixelDA [12]	95.9	-	98.2	-	-
SBADA-GAN C_t [55]	96.7	94.4	99.1	72.2	59.2
SBADA-GAN [55]	97.6	95.0	99.4	76.1	61.1
CyCADA pixel only [26]	95.6±0.2	96.4±0.1	-	70.3±0.2	-
CyCADA pixel+feat [26]	95.6±0.2	96.5±0.1	-	90.4±0.4	-
<i>Our results</i>					
SourceOnly	92.4±1.7	86.1±1.3	54.2±0.9	76.4±1.5	57.3±2.1
Label2Image-DA	96.9±0.5	<u>98.9±0.1</u>	97.1±0.2	99.0±0.1	-
Label2Image-DA with \mathcal{L}_{reg}	98.1±0.3	99.4±0.1	<u>99.2±0.1</u>	99.5±0.03	91.3±0.2
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Generating Target Image-Label Pairs for Unsupervised Domain Adaptation --- Experiments

- Generation results.

----- Each column shares the same label and each row shares the same noise variable -----



(a) MNIST → USPS



(b) USPS → MNIST



(c) MNIST → MNIST-M



(d) SVHN → MNIST



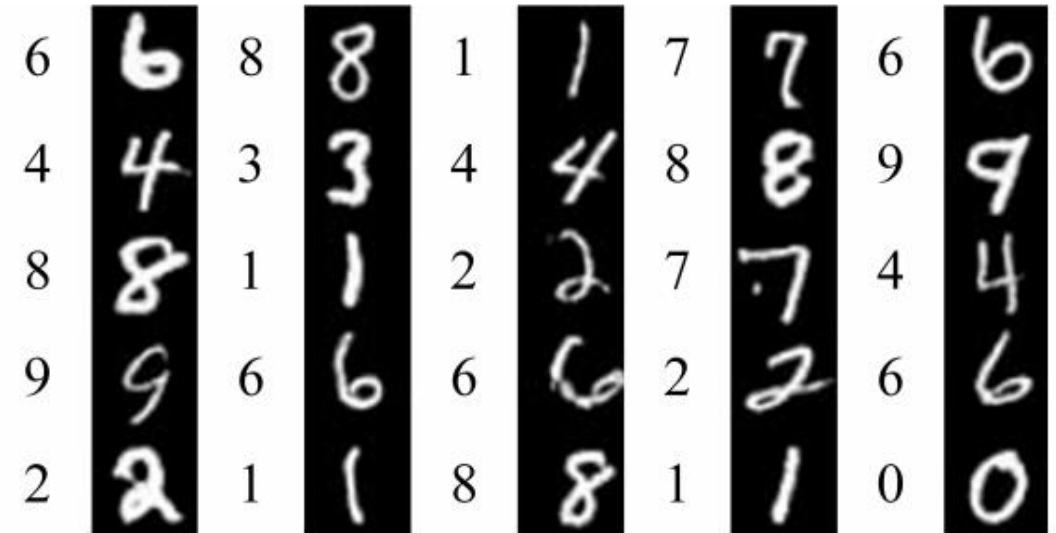
(e) MNIST → SVHN

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- Comparison between Image-to-Image Translation and Label-to-Image Translation.



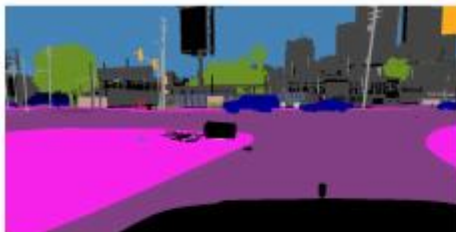
(a) Image-to-Image Translation



(b) Label-to-Image Translation

Generating Target Image-Label Pairs for Unsupervised Domain Adaptation --- Experiments

- Our model is also applicable for the semantic segmentation task (Generation).



(a) Input Labels



(b) Generated Images (target-style)



(c) Corresponding Source Images

Generating Target Image-Label Pairs for Unsupervised Domain Adaptation --- Experiments

- Our model is also applicable for the semantic segmentation task (Segmentation).

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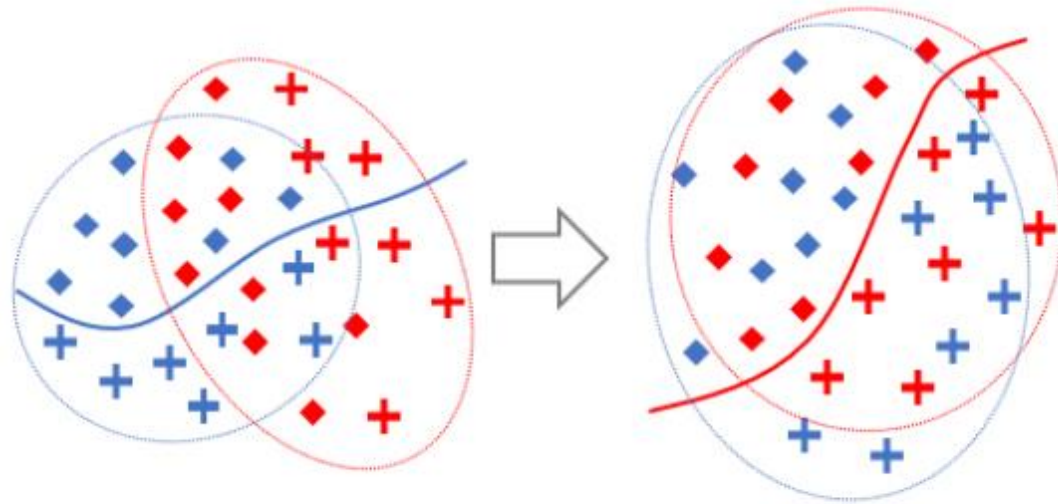
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Model Adaptation: Unsupervised Domain Adaptation without Source Data --- Motivation

- Considering source data are not always available:
 - For many companies, they will only provide the learned models instead of their customer data due to the data privacy and security issues.
 - The source datasets like videos or high-resolution images may be so large that it is not practical or convenient to transfer to different platforms.
- We focus on a more challenging setting – Model Adaptation, where we only have the **pre-trained source model** and the **unlabeled target dataset** during adaptation process.

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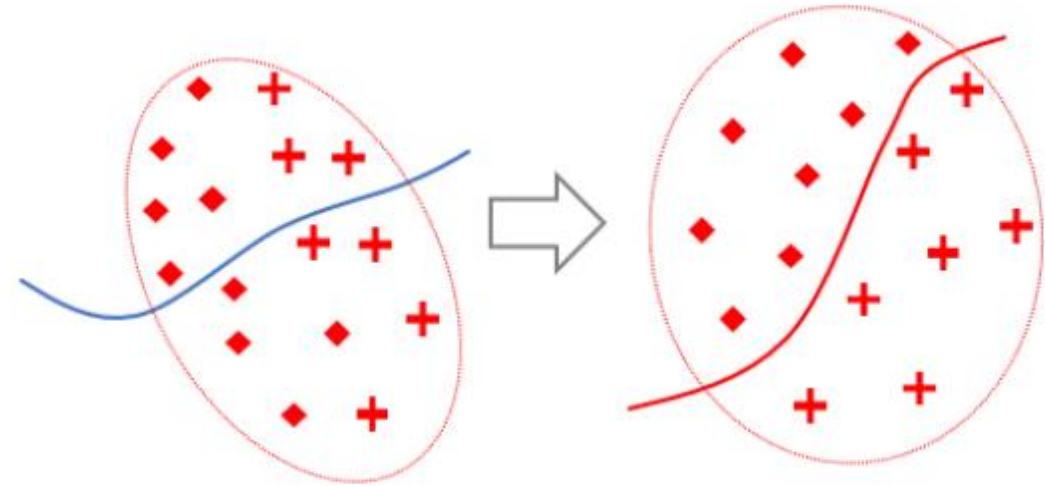
Conventional data-based adaptation



Source data: + ◆

Source model: —

Proposed model adaptation

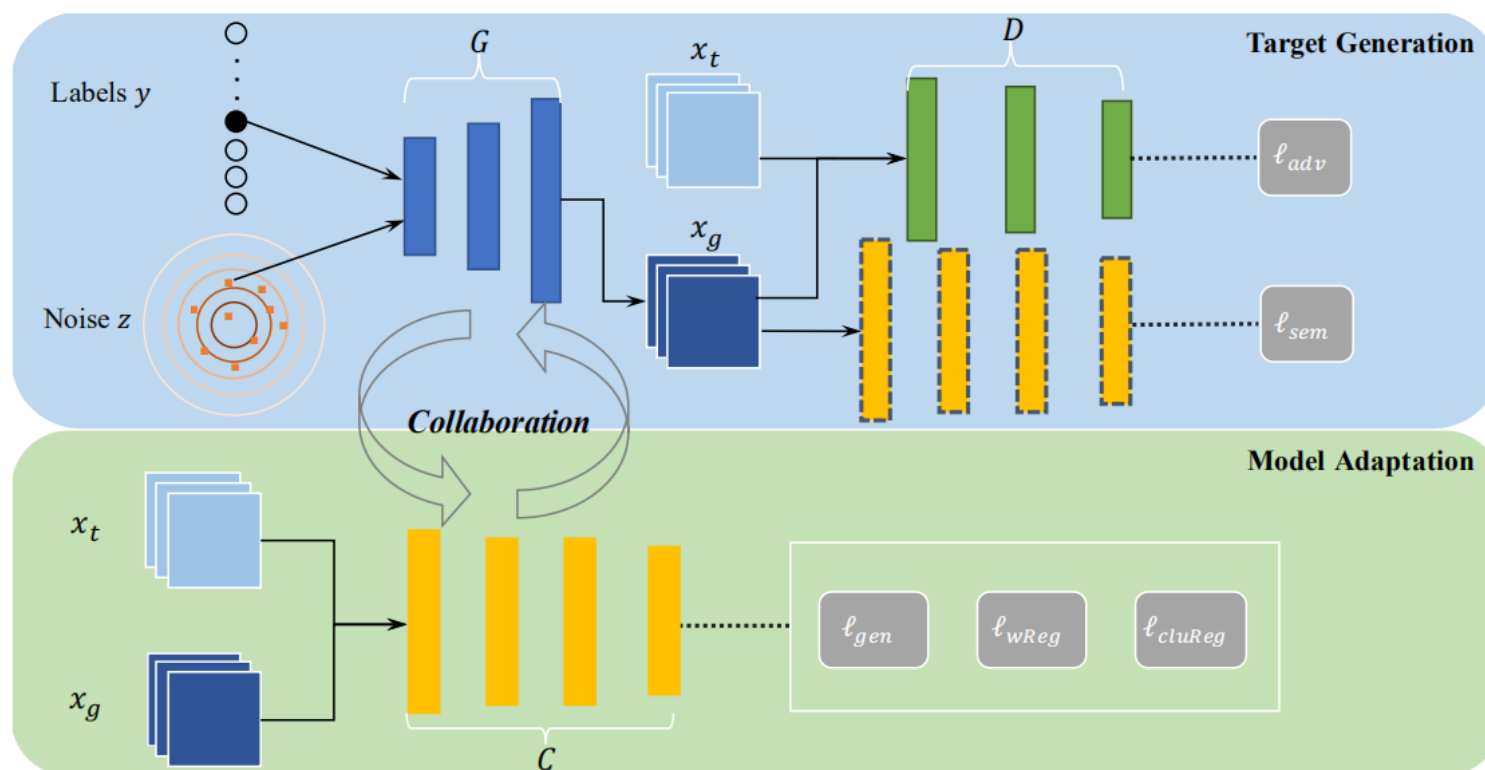


Target data: + ◆

Adapted model: —

Model Adaptation: Unsupervised Domain Adaptation without Source Data --- Method

- Collaborative Class Conditional GAN (**Generation**)

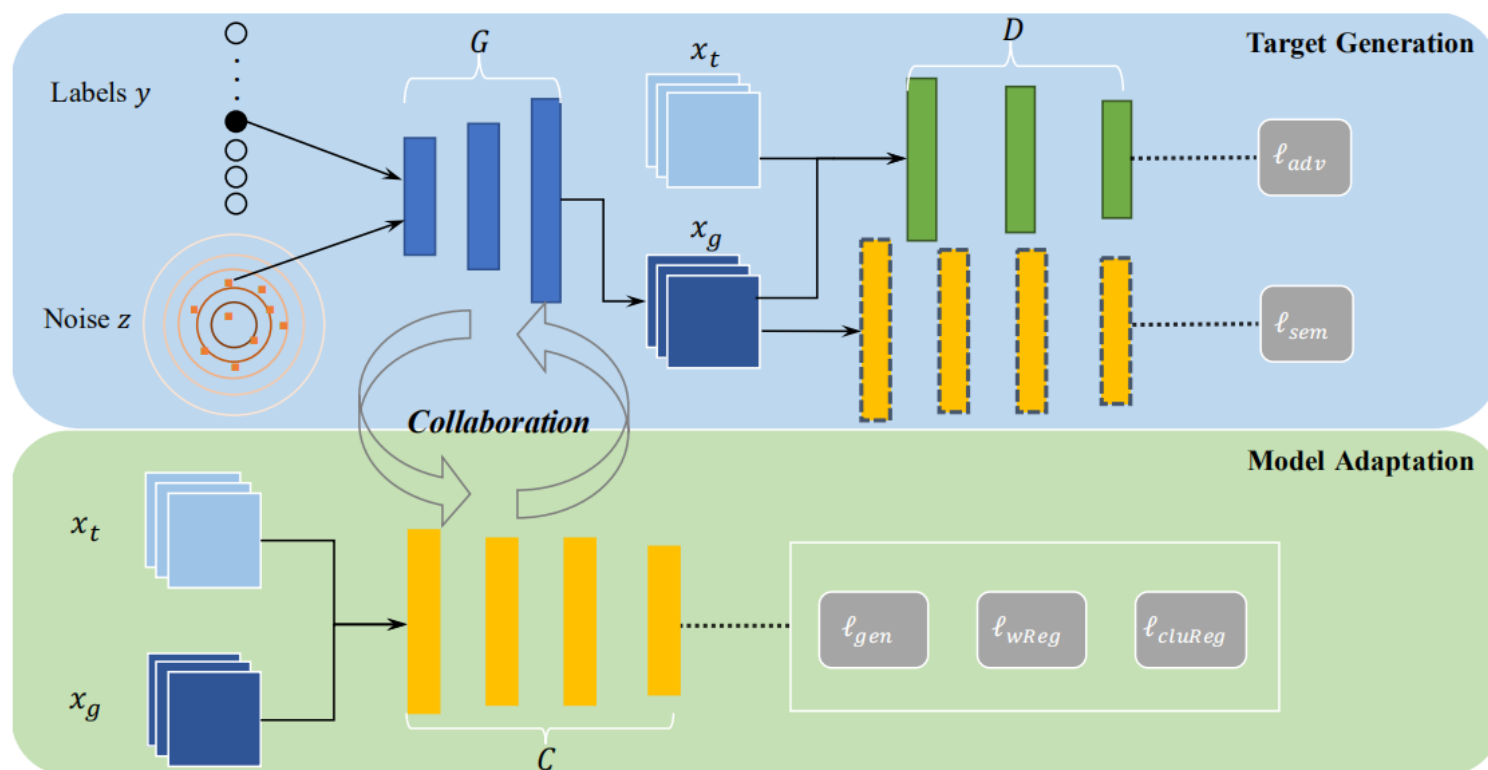


$$\min_G \max_D \ell_{adv} + \ell_{sem}$$

$$\ell_{sem}(G) = \mathbb{E}_{y,z} [-y \log C(G(y, z))]$$

Model Adaptation: Unsupervised Domain Adaptation without Source Data --- Method

- Collaborative Class Conditional GAN (**Adaptation**)



$$\ell_{gen} = \mathbb{E}_{x_g, y} [-y \log C(x_g)]$$

$$\ell_{wReg} = \|\theta_C - \theta_{C_s}\|$$

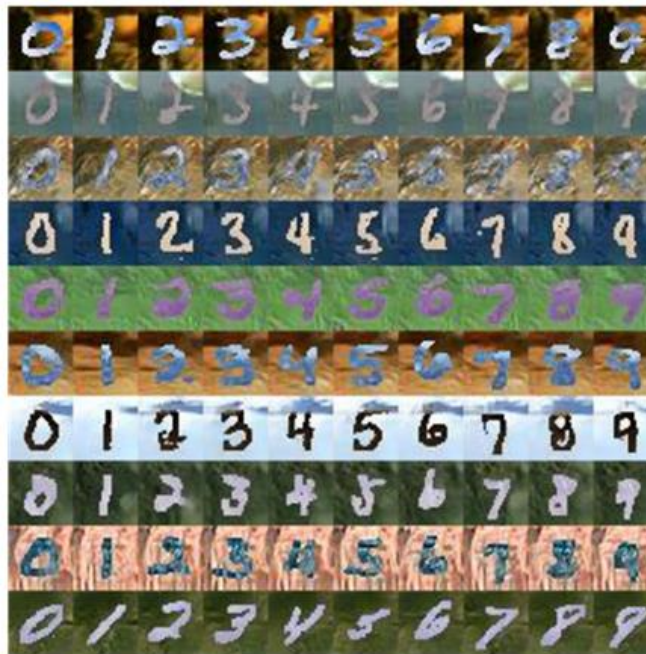
$$\ell_{cluReg} = \mathbb{E}_{x_t} [-C(x_t) \log C(x_t)] + [\text{KL}(C(x_t) || C(x_t + \tilde{r}))]$$

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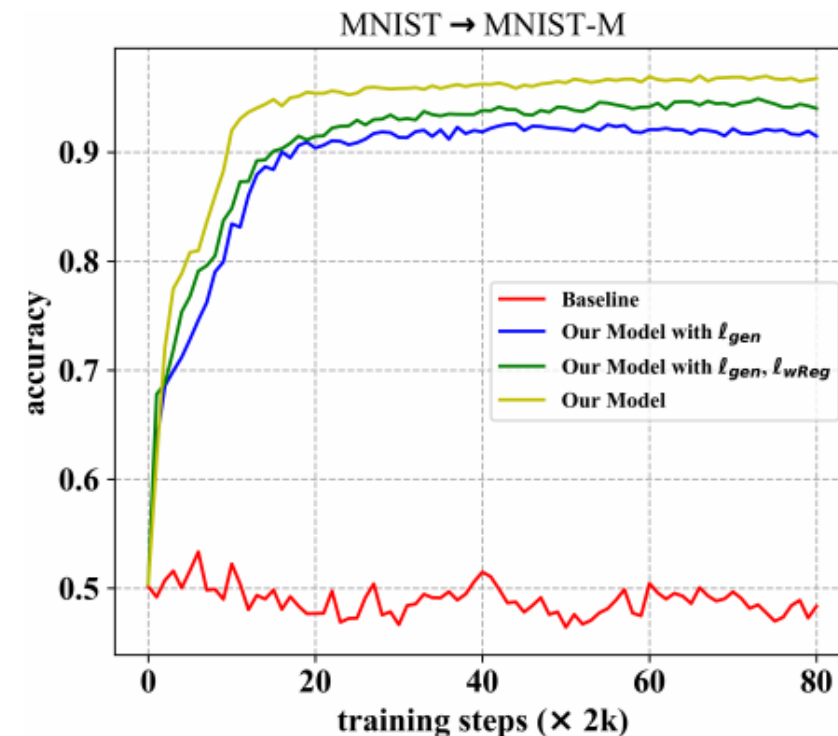
- Collaborative behavior



(a) Before Adaptation



(b) After Adaptation



Model Adaptation: Unsupervised Domain Adaptation without Source Data --- Experiments

- Adaptation results from synthetic domain to real domain

Method	Syn.Digits → SVHN	Syn.Sign → GTSRB
DANN	91.1	88.7
DSN	91.2	93.1
AssocDA	91.8	97.6
VADA	94.8	98.8
DIRT-T	96.1	99.5
Source-Only	86.2	78.3
3C-GAN (Ours)	95.9	99.6

Model Adaptation: Unsupervised Domain Adaptation without Source Data --- Experiments

- Visualization of the generator



(a) Syn.Digits→SVHN



(b) Syn.Sign→GTSRB

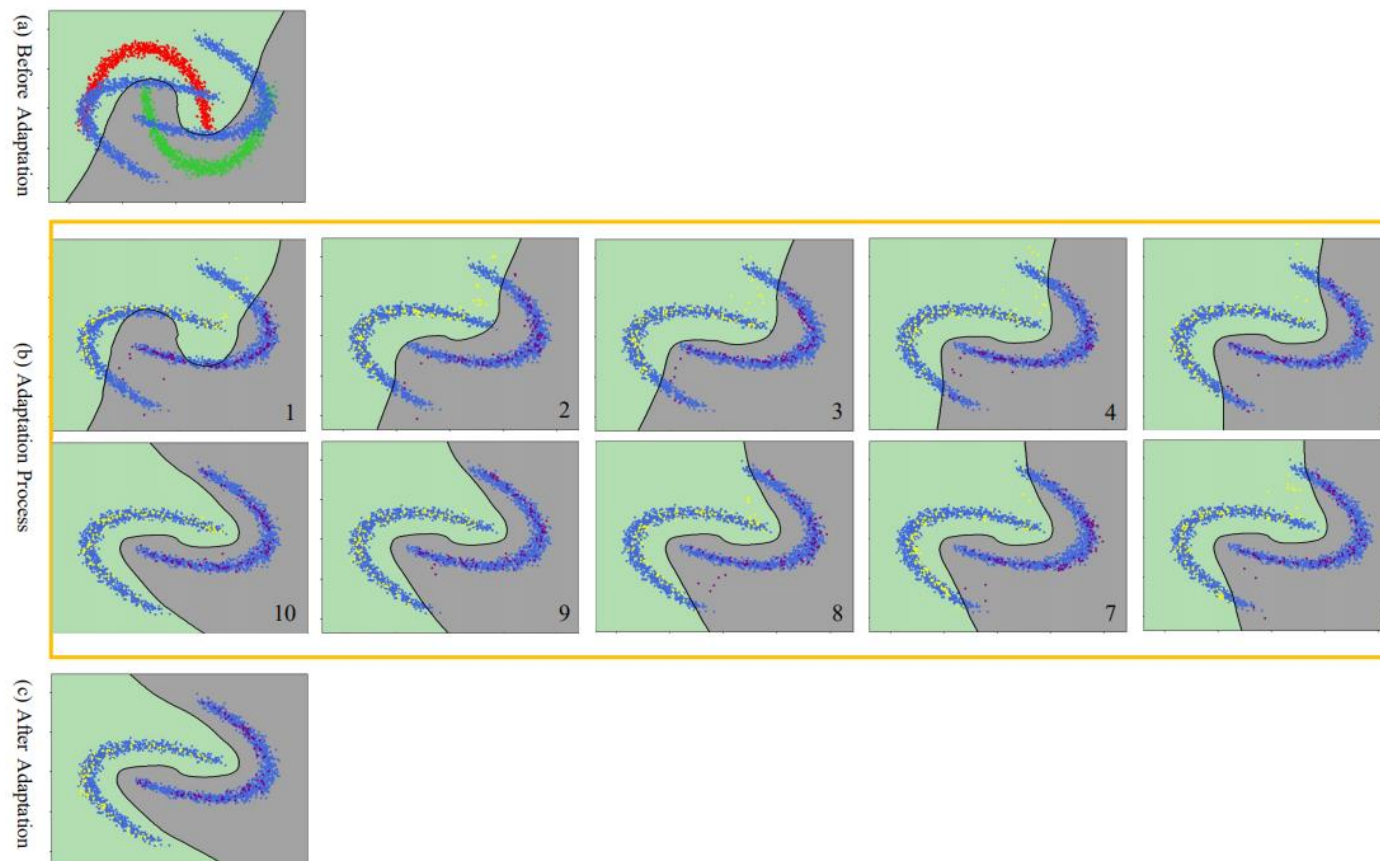
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- Adaptation results in Office31 dataset (based on ResNet50)

Method	A ↓ W	D ↓ W	W ↓ D	A ↓ D	D ↓ A	W ↓ A	Avg
ResNet50 [40]	68.4±0.2	96.7±0.1	99.3±0.1	68.9±0.2	65.2±0.3	60.7±0.3	76.1
DAN [72]	80.5±0.4	97.1±0.2	99.6±0.1	78.6±0.2	63.6±0.3	62.8±0.2	80.4
RTN [75]	84.5±0.2	96.8±0.1	99.4±0.1	77.5±0.3	66.2±0.2	64.8±0.3	81.6
DANN [29]	82.6±0.4	96.9±0.2	99.3±0.2	81.5±0.4	68.4±0.5	67.5±0.5	82.7
ADDA [131]	86.2±0.5	96.2±0.3	98.4±0.3	77.8±0.3	69.5±0.4	68.9±0.5	82.9
JAN [74]	86.0±0.4	96.7±0.3	99.7±0.1	85.1±0.4	69.2±0.4	70.7±0.5	84.6
MADA [92]	90.0±0.2	97.4±0.1	99.6±0.1	87.8±0.2	70.3±0.3	66.4±0.3	85.2
GenToAdapt [110]	89.5±0.5	97.9±0.3	99.8±0.2	87.7±0.5	72.8±0.3	71.4±0.4	86.5
Our Model	93.7±0.2	98.5±0.1	99.8±0.2	92.7±0.4	75.3±0.5	77.8±0.1	89.6

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- Adaptation process with a toy example



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Conclusions

- We propose a simplified one-way translation method for flexible adaptation on semantic segmentation.
- We introduce a Label2ImageDA approaches to avoid cross-domain discrepancy reduction for challenging adaptation tasks.
- We develop a collaborative learning scheme with GAN, which enables unsupervised domain adaptation without source data.