

Constructing Training Target:

Training: Finding Parameters θ

Flow model:

Initialize:

$$x_0 \sim p_{\text{init}}$$

\downarrow
Gaussian

ODE:

$$\frac{dx_t}{dt} = u_t^\theta(x_t) \quad \rightarrow \quad x_t \sim p_{\text{data}}$$

how?

↓

Neural Network vector field.

Goal: Derive Training Target: $u_t^{\text{target}}(x)$

↳ we want to train model by minimizing a mean squared error:

$$L(\theta) = \|u_t^\theta(x) - u_t^{\text{target}}(x)\|^2$$

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Training Target

what is? In classification,
Labels are training targets

→ Nevertheless,
here we don't have
labels

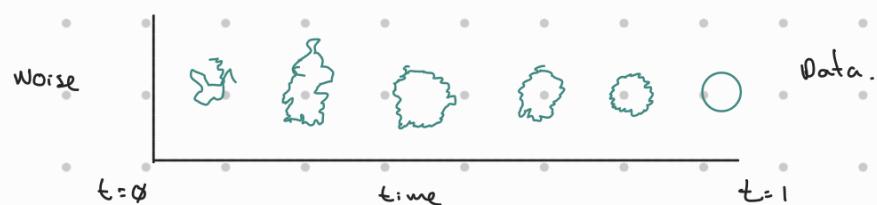
Key terminology:

1) "Conditional": "Per single Data Point" (single)

2) "Marginal": "Across Distribution of Data Points" (many)

Probability Paths:

↳ Interpolation between noise dist. and Data dist. through time points.

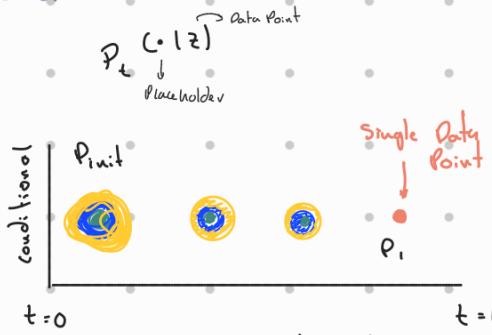


3.1) Conditional and Marginal Probability Paths

* Dirac Distribution: $z \in \mathbb{R}^d$, δ_z $x \sim \delta_z \Rightarrow x = z$
 vector

- ↳ Always return same point.
- ↳ Dist. Returns same object

* Conditional Prob. Path:



* Dist. Collapses into Data Point *

1) $p_t(\cdot | z)$: Distributions are in \mathbb{R}^d

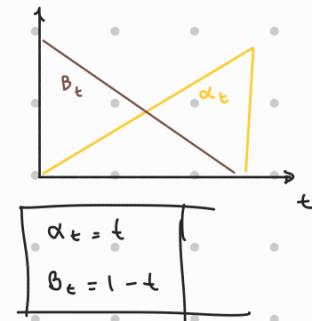
2) $P_0(\cdot | z) = p_{\text{init}}$, $p_i(\cdot | z) = \delta_z$

Initial Dist
Dirac Dist

Ex. - Gaussian Probability Path:

$p_t(\cdot | z) = N(\alpha_t z, B_t^{-1})$; where α_t, B_t are noise schedulers

Start: $\alpha_0 = \emptyset$ $B_0 = I$
 End: $\alpha_1 = z$ $B_1 = \emptyset$



* Simp:

$$p_{\text{init}} = N(0, I_d)$$

From Data Dist. and
CONDITIONAL PROB
PATH.

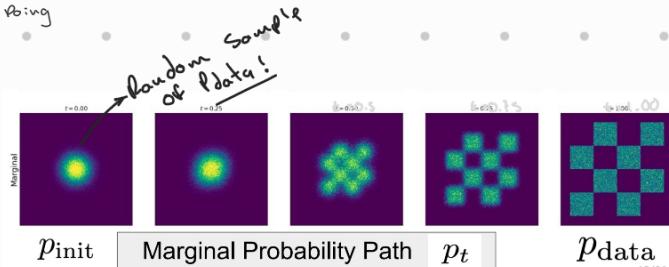
Marginal Probability Path: p_t

$z \sim p_{\text{data}}, x \sim p_t(\cdot | z) \Rightarrow x \sim p_t$ [how to sample.]
 Random Initial Point conditional prob. path no $z \perp$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad p_t(x) = \int p_t(x | z) p_{\text{data}}(z) dz \quad \text{I Density}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad p_0 = p_{\text{init}}, p_1 = p_{\text{data}} \quad \text{[From noise to data]}$$

② → ① what we are doing



3.2 Conditional and marginal Vector Fields.

① Conditional vector field: $u_t^{\text{target}}(x|z) \begin{cases} 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ x, z \in \mathbb{R}^d \end{cases}$

Such that

$$x_0 \sim p_{\text{init}}, \frac{d}{dt} x_t = u_t^{\text{target}}(x_t|z) \Rightarrow x_t \sim p_t(z|z)$$

Initial Point we follow vector field Any point x_t is given by Prob. Path

$\boxed{p_t(z|z)}$

$$\varphi_t(z|z) \quad \vec{s}_t$$

↳ ODE follows $p_t(z|z)$ with vector field!

→ condition

↓ how construct?

Ex. 0.1 - Gaussian:

last Ex:
Note: $d_t = t$; $B_t = 1-t$

↳ Cond. Gaussian Vector Field:

$$u_t^{\text{target}}(x|z) = \left[\dot{x}_t - \frac{B_t}{B_t} \alpha_t \right] z + \left[\frac{B_t}{B_t} \right] x$$

\downarrow

$$\dot{x}_t = \frac{d}{dt} x_t; \dot{B}_t = \frac{d}{dt} B_t$$

Marginal vector field:

→ MOST IMPORTANT FORMULA !!

$$\hookrightarrow u_t^{\text{target}}(x) = \int u_t^{\text{target}}(x|z) \frac{p_t(x|z) p_{\text{data}}(z)}{p_t(x)} dz$$

↓ conditional vector field



↳ Campo Velocidad marginal como una media ponderada de campos Velocidad condicionales

$u_t^{\text{target}}(x|z)$, donde z es un vector (x_0, v_0) y determinan trayectoria interpolación $x(t)$.

→ If I follow this ODE with marginal vector field → then I follow marginal path!

↳ Satisfies:

$$x_0 \sim p_{\text{init}}, \frac{d}{dt} x_t = u_t^{\text{target}}(x_t) \rightarrow x_t \sim p_t(z|z) \quad (0 \leq t \leq 1)$$

start $x_0, \text{ end } x_1$

→ then $x_t \sim p_{\text{data}}$

Conditional Prob. Path, Vector Field, and Score

	Notation	Key property	Gaussian example
Conditional Probability Path	$p_t(\cdot z)$	Interpolates p_{init} and a data point z	$\mathcal{N}(\alpha_t z, \beta_t^2 I_d)$
Conditional Vector Field	$u_t^{\text{target}}(x z)$	ODE follows conditional path	$\left(\dot{\alpha}_t - \frac{\dot{\beta}_t}{\beta_t} \alpha_t \right) z + \frac{\dot{\beta}_t}{\beta_t} x$

Marginal Prob. Path, Vector Field, and Score

	Notation	Key property	Formula
Marginal Probability Path	p_t	Interpolates p_{init} and p_{data}	$\int p_t(x z)p_{\text{data}}(z)dz$
Marginal Vector Field	$u_t^{\text{target}}(x)$	ODE follows marginal path	$\int u_t^{\text{target}}(x z) \frac{p_t(x z)p_{\text{data}}(z)}{p_t(x)} dz$

Diffusion models

↳ Not necessary but useful to compare

Conditional and marginal Score function:

$$\rightarrow \text{Conditional Score: } \nabla_x \log p_t(x|z) \quad \begin{matrix} \text{Gradient} \\ \downarrow \text{Prob Path} \\ \longleftarrow \text{Likelihood} \end{matrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{marginal Score: } \nabla \log p_t(x) \quad \begin{matrix} \text{marginal Path.} \\ \downarrow \end{matrix}$$

→ Formula:

$$\nabla \log p_t(x) = \frac{\nabla p_t(x)}{p_t(x)} = \frac{\int \nabla p_t(x|z) p_{\text{data}}(z) dz}{p_t(x)} = \int \nabla \log p_t(x|z) \frac{p_t(x|z) p_{\text{data}}(z)}{x} dz$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{tuch: } (\frac{d}{dx} \log x = \frac{1}{x})$$

↳ implies:

$$\nabla \log p_t(x|z) = \frac{\nabla p_t(x|z)}{p_t(x|z)}$$

→ Density Gaussian Score (Path):

$$\nabla \log p_t(x|z) = -\frac{x - a_t z}{B_t^2}$$

why is bump?

Then (SDE extension trick): Let $u_t^{\text{target}}(x)$ be as before.

Then for any $\sigma_t \geq 0$:

$$x \sim p_{\text{init}}, dx_t = \left[u_t^{\text{target}}(x_t) + \frac{\sigma_t^2}{2} \nabla \log p_t(x_t) \right] dt + \sigma_t dW_t \quad \begin{matrix} \text{Does same thing} \\ \text{as Flows} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{Best!} \end{matrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_t \sim p_t \quad (0 \leq t \leq 1)$$

$$\hookrightarrow \boxed{x_t \sim p_{\text{data}}}$$