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# Making Faces: Conditional generation of faces using GANs via Keras+Tensorflow

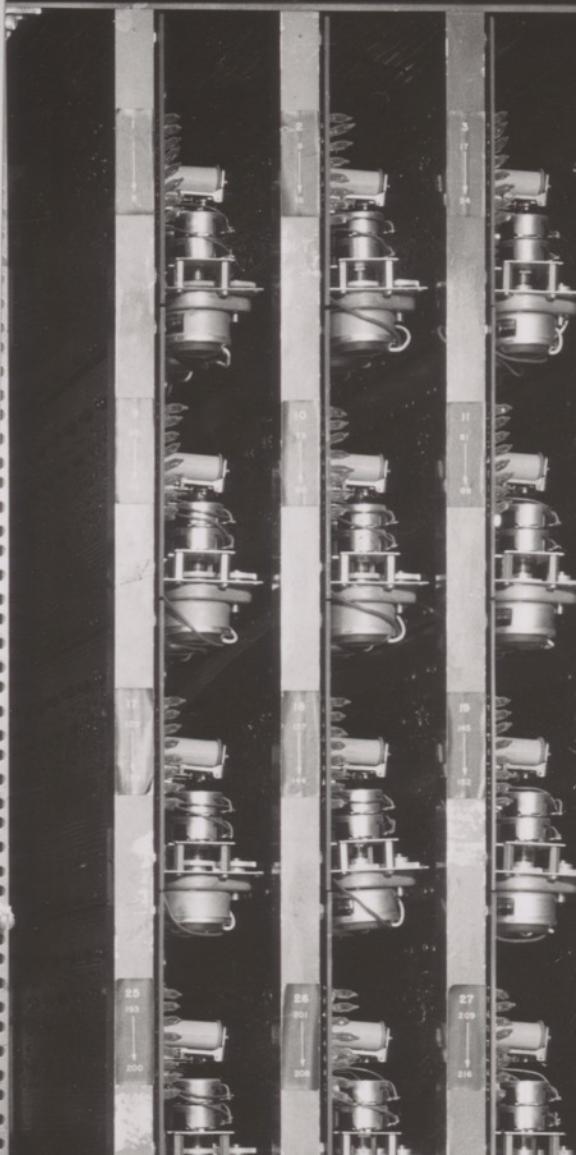
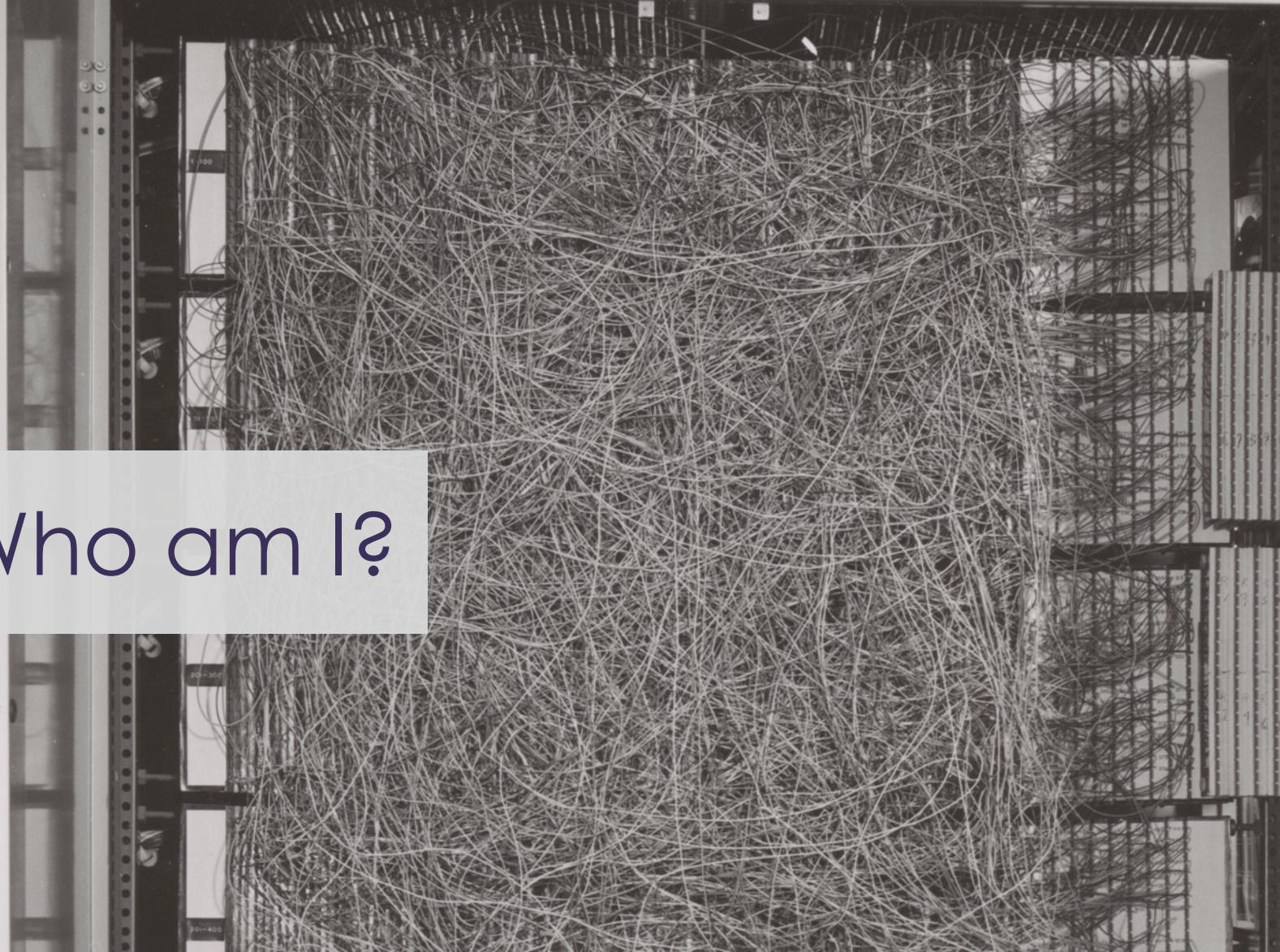
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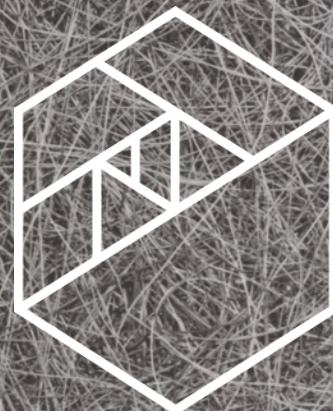
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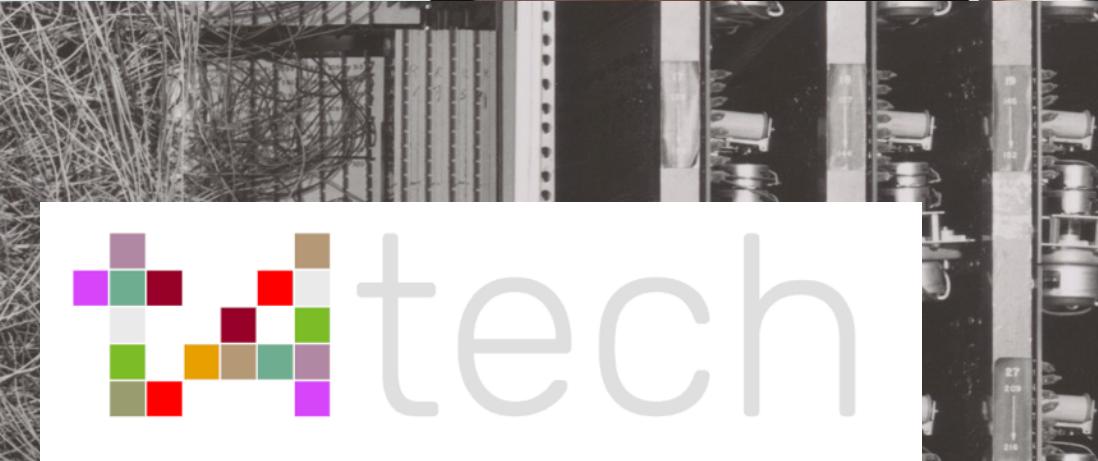
# Who am I?

- ▶ Sophie Searcy
- ▶ Curriculum development lead and Data Science Instructor at Metis
- ▶ Deep Learning and Data Science Ethics
- ▶ Write and lead free workshops with t4tech

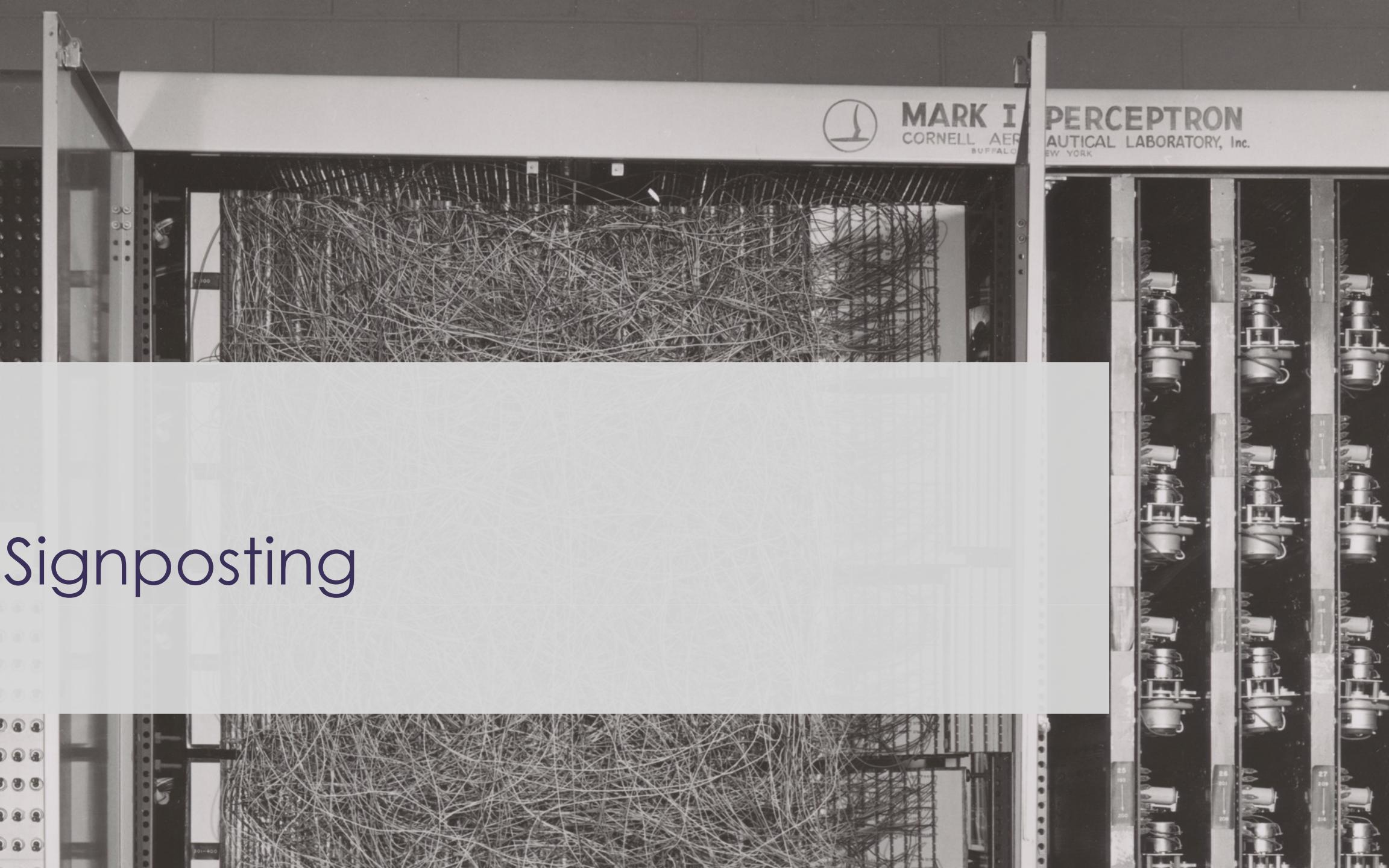


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# Signposting



# Who is this for

Someone who

- ▶ Understands and can explain the fundamentals of modern Deep Learning (there will be a review)
  - ▶ BackProp
  - ▶ Stochastic Gradient Descent
  - ▶ Common loss and activation functions
- ▶ Has built models using a recent Deep Learning package (PyTorch, Theano, Keras, etc.)

# What we'll cover

Students should be able to:

- ▶ Understand and explain the important components of Generative Adversarial Networks
- ▶ Use provided boilerplate code and adapt it for new purposes
- ▶ State of The Art techniques in GANs:
  - ▶ Students will be exposed to a few important, recent developments.
  - ▶ Students will have the building blocks needed to independently explore new techniques.



# Deep Learning Review

# What makes deep Learning special?

## Typical Machine Learning

Data

Transformations

Model

Output

Feature engineering,  
feature extraction

Linear model, SVM, RF, etc.

Tuned by hand,  
parameter search

Optimized wrt  
objective function

# What makes deep Learning special?

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# Essential parts: Differentiable functions

- ▶  $h_0 = f(W_0^T x + b_0)$
- ▶  $h_1 = f(W_1^T h_0 + b_1)$
- ▶ ...
- ▶  $y = f(W_n^T h_n + b_n)$
- ▶ DL models use these functions to process data in steps from input → output
  - ▶ Traditional application:
    - ▶ Tabular data → Regression/Classification
  - ▶ New (ish) applications
    - ▶ Image → Text
    - ▶ Image → Image

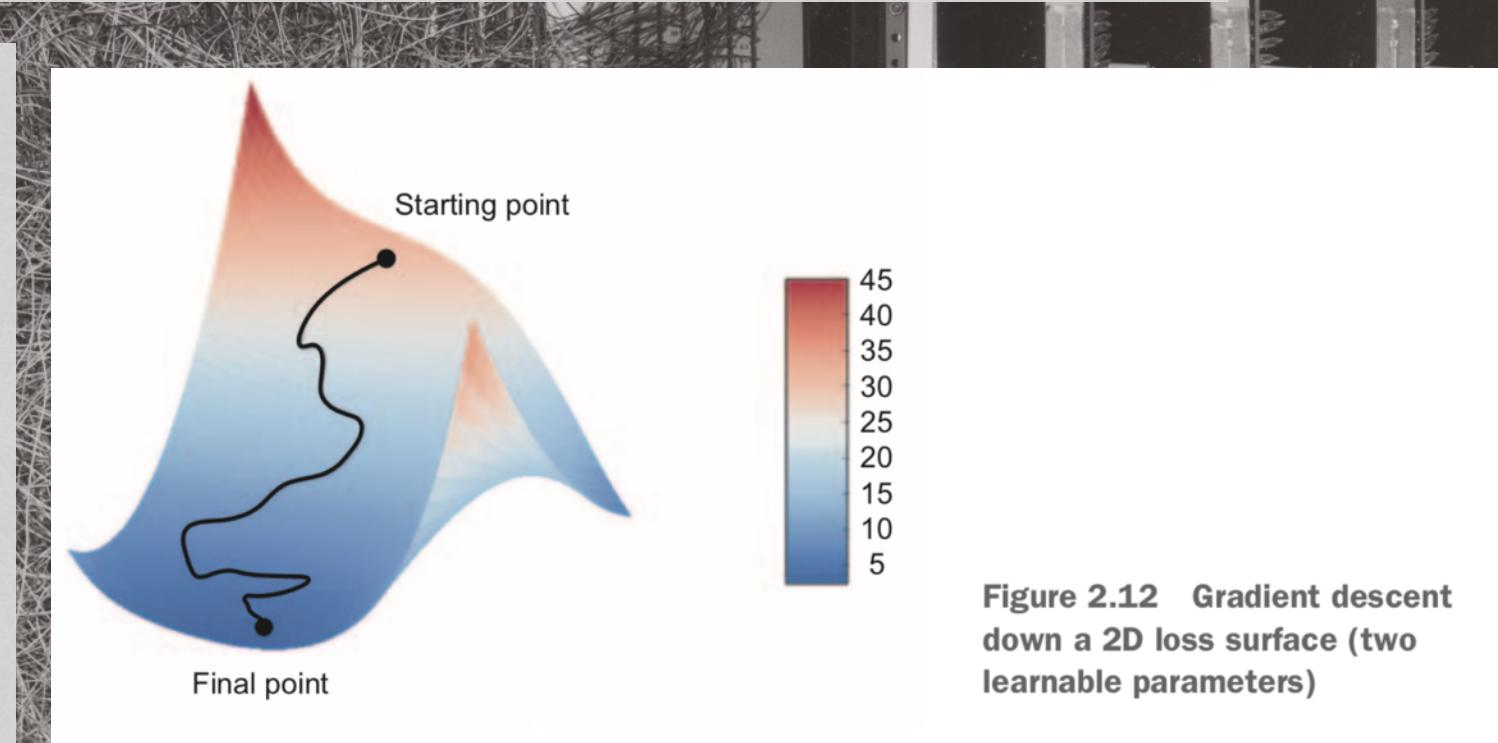
# Essential parts: Stochastic Gradient Descent + BackProp

## Gradient Descent

- ▶ Finds adjustment to function parameters that minimizes the loss function

## Back Propagation

- ▶ Chain rule of calculus in algorithm form.
- ▶ Applies gradient descent over many layers of a network.



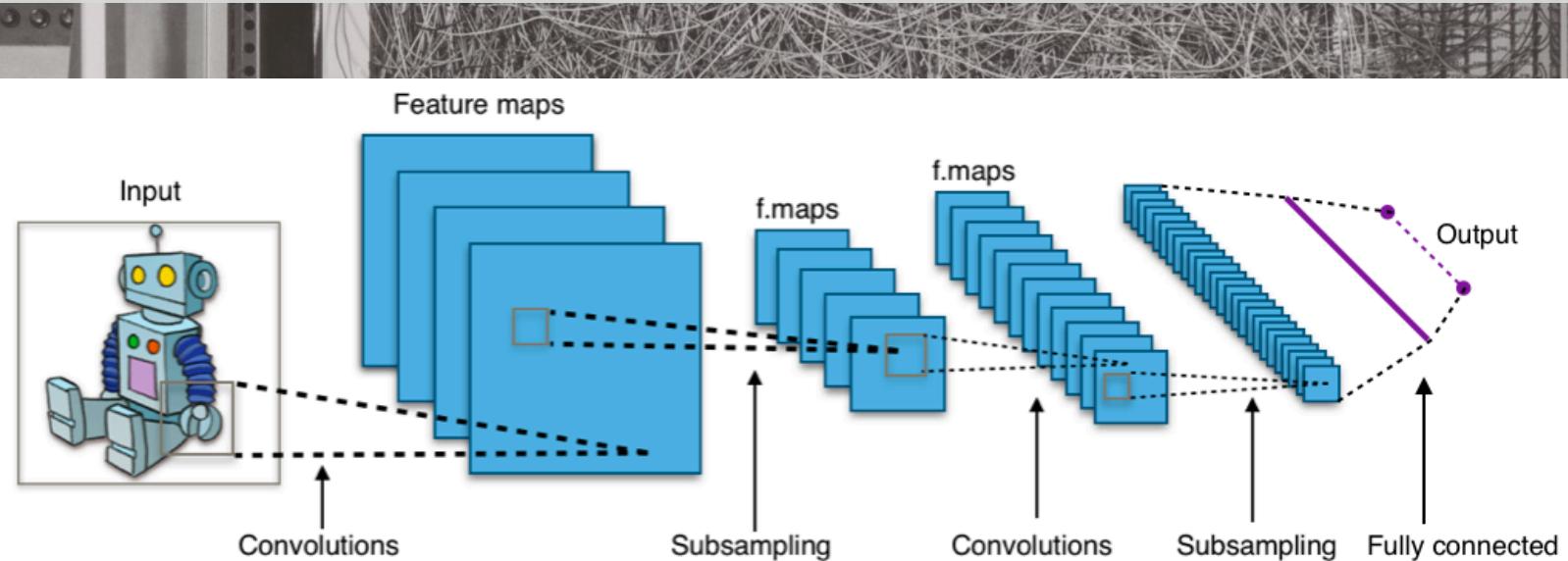
**Figure 2.12** Gradient descent down a 2D loss surface (two learnable parameters)



# GAN Overview

# Convolutional Classifiers

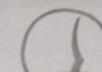
- ▶ Convolutions learn feature maps
- ▶ Use sampling/pooling to summarize over height and width of image
- ▶ Output is some classification vector, e.g. probabilities



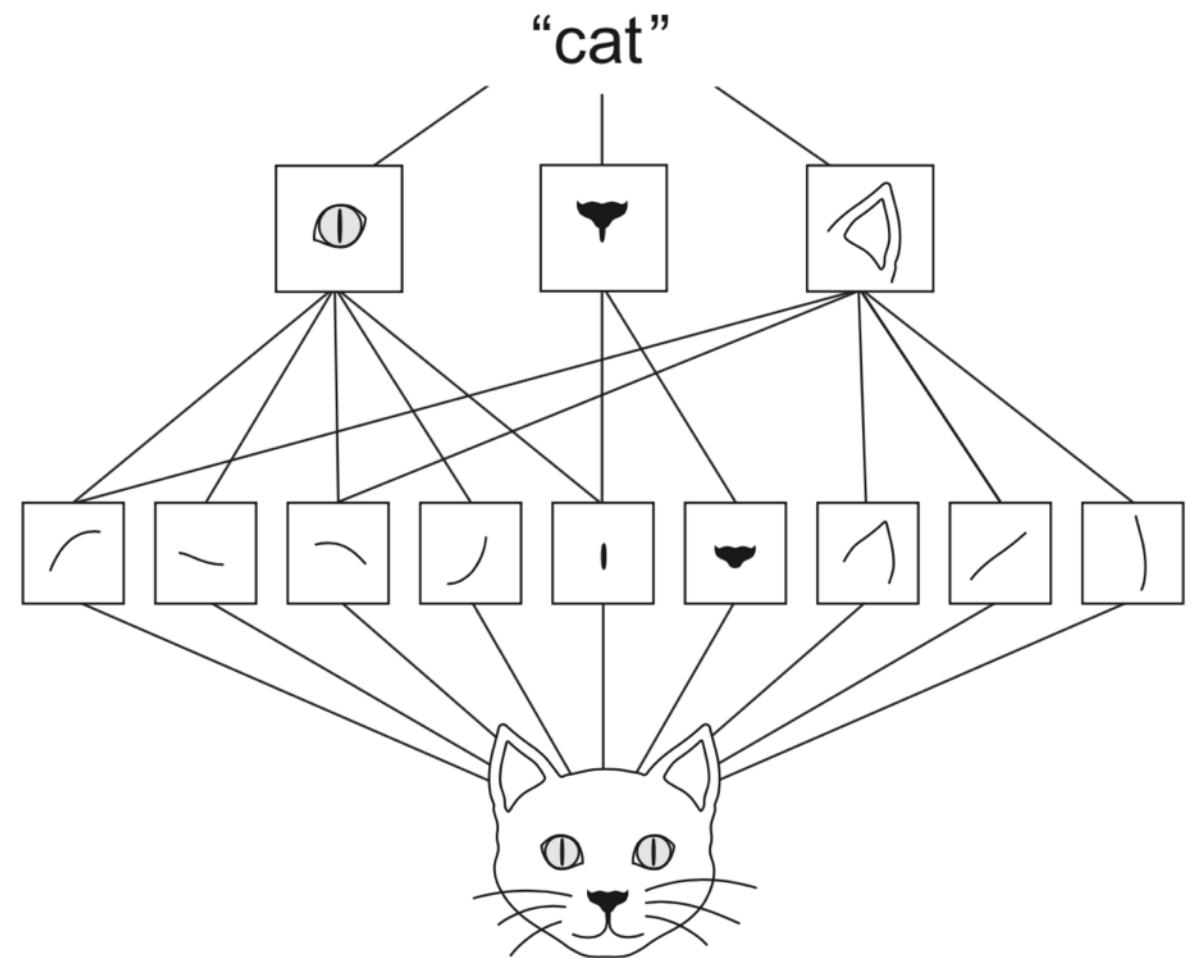
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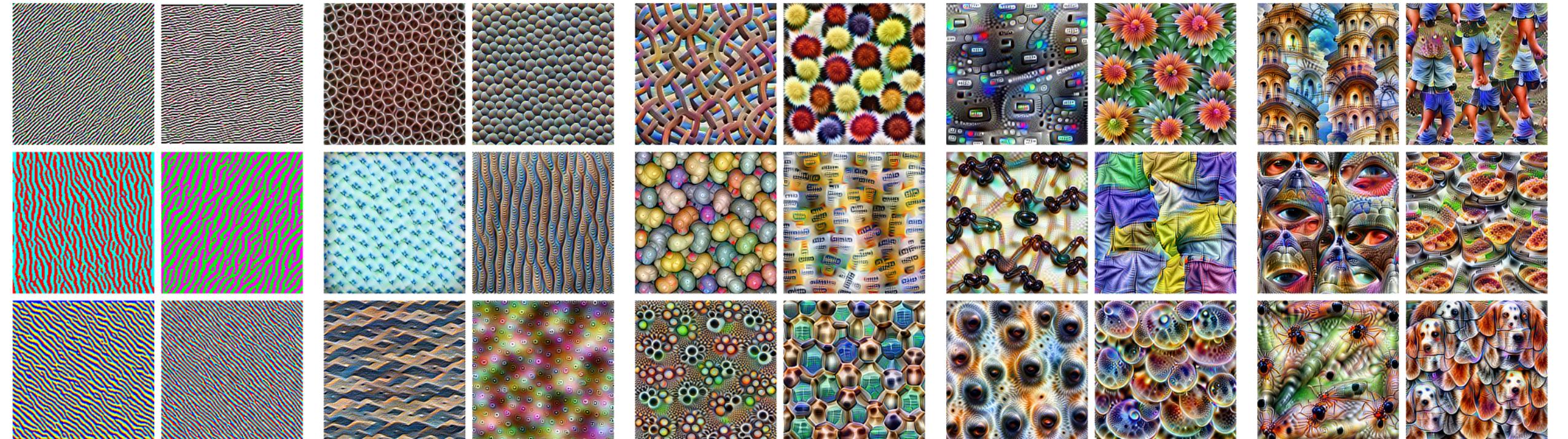
- ▶ Convolutional filters
- ▶ Pixels → subparts → parts → whole



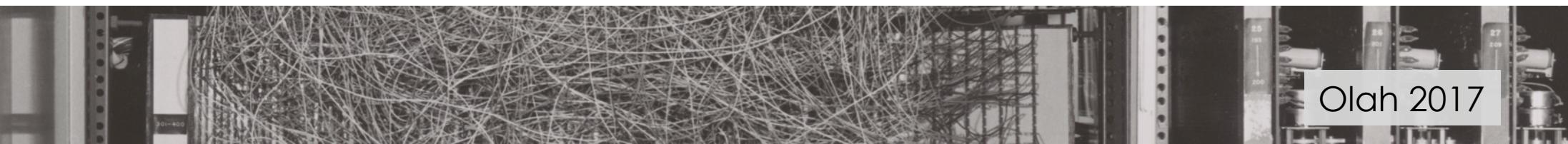
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- ▶ Convolutional filters
- ▶ Pixels → subparts → parts → whole
- ▶ We can visualize this progression by finding input that maximizes activity at layer



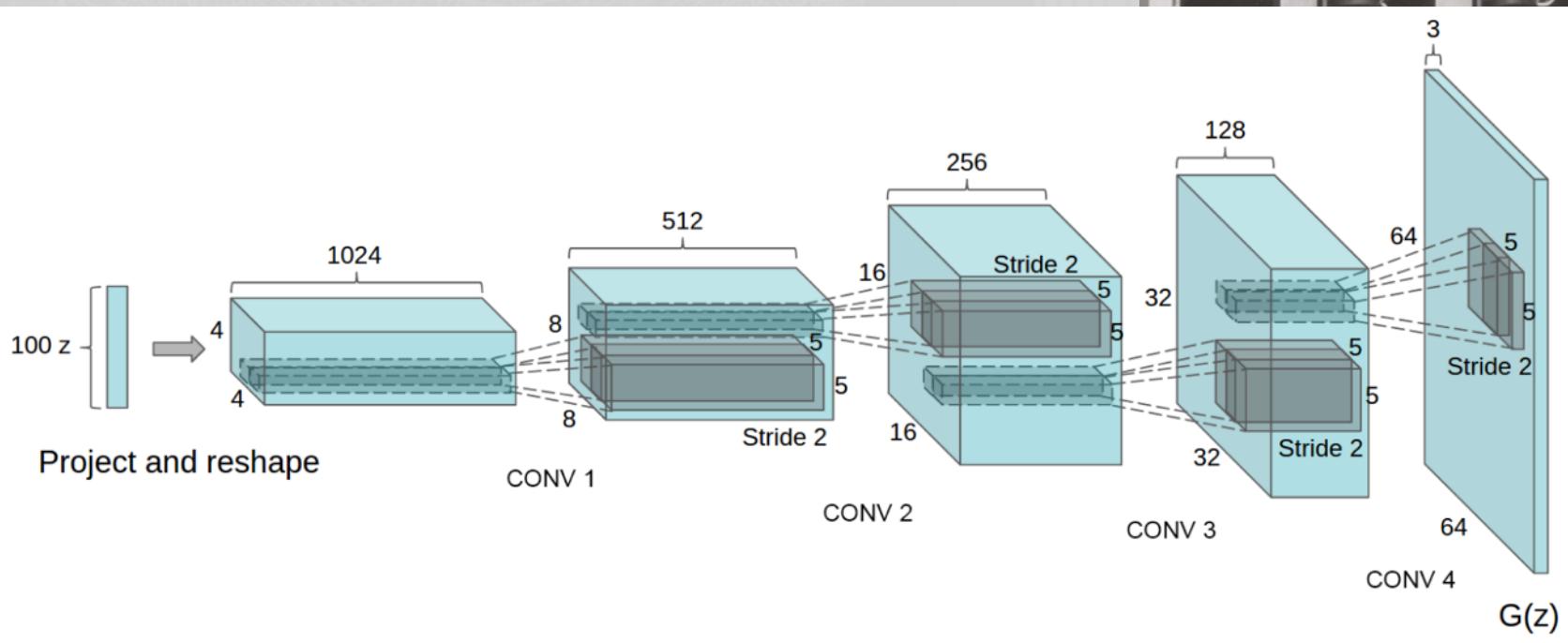
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# Convolutional Generation

- ▶ Convolutions learn feature maps
- ▶ Upsampling/DeConvolution progressively grow image



# GAN Architecture

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D(x) - Discriminator

- ▶ Given image
- ▶ Attempts to classify as fake or real



# GAN Architecture



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$G(z)$  - Generator

- ▶ Given random vector  $z$
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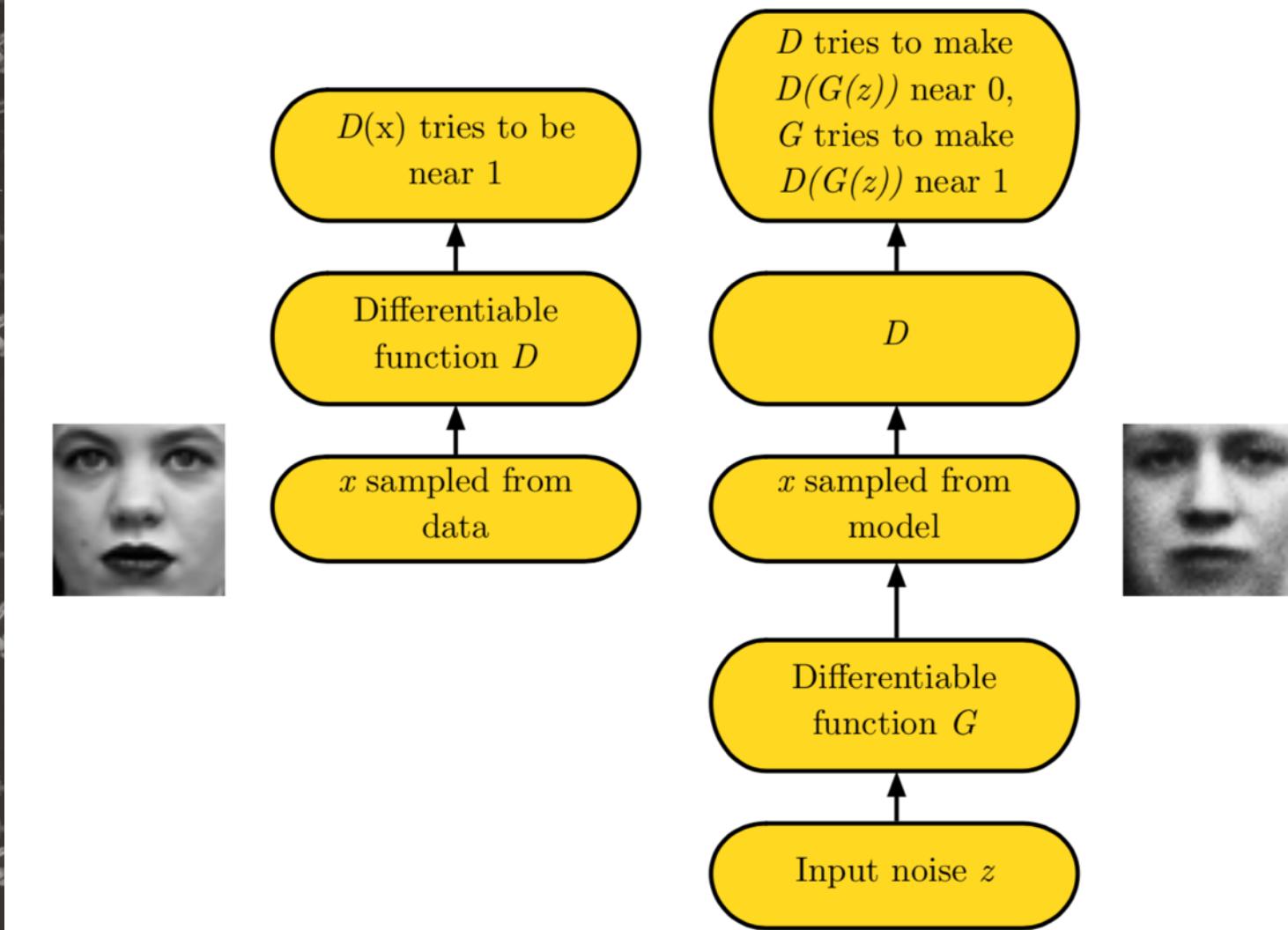
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# Generator task



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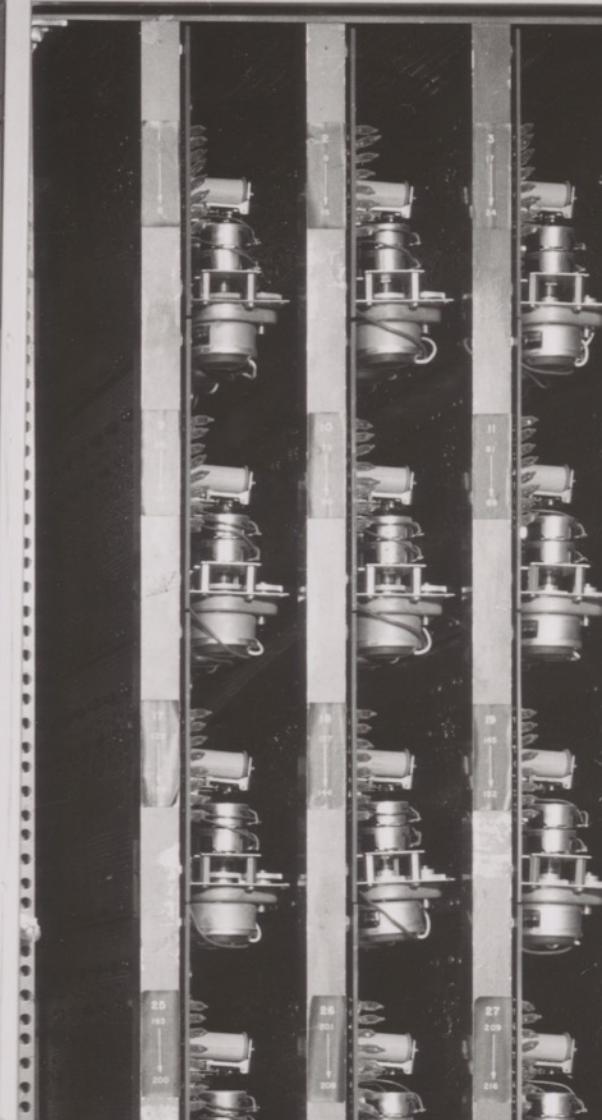
Imagine you are the generator

- ▶ CIFAR image data (32x32)
- ▶ Generate a frog that will fool the discriminator



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# Generator task

You are the generator

- ▶ Imagine you can see the training data.
- ▶ You can learn as much as you want from the training data.
- ▶ You have to devise a strategy to trick the Discriminator.
- ▶ What is your strategy for fooling the discriminator?
  - ▶ i.e. what if you had to say/write pseudocode for the best strategy in a minute or so?



# Generator task

What is your strategy?

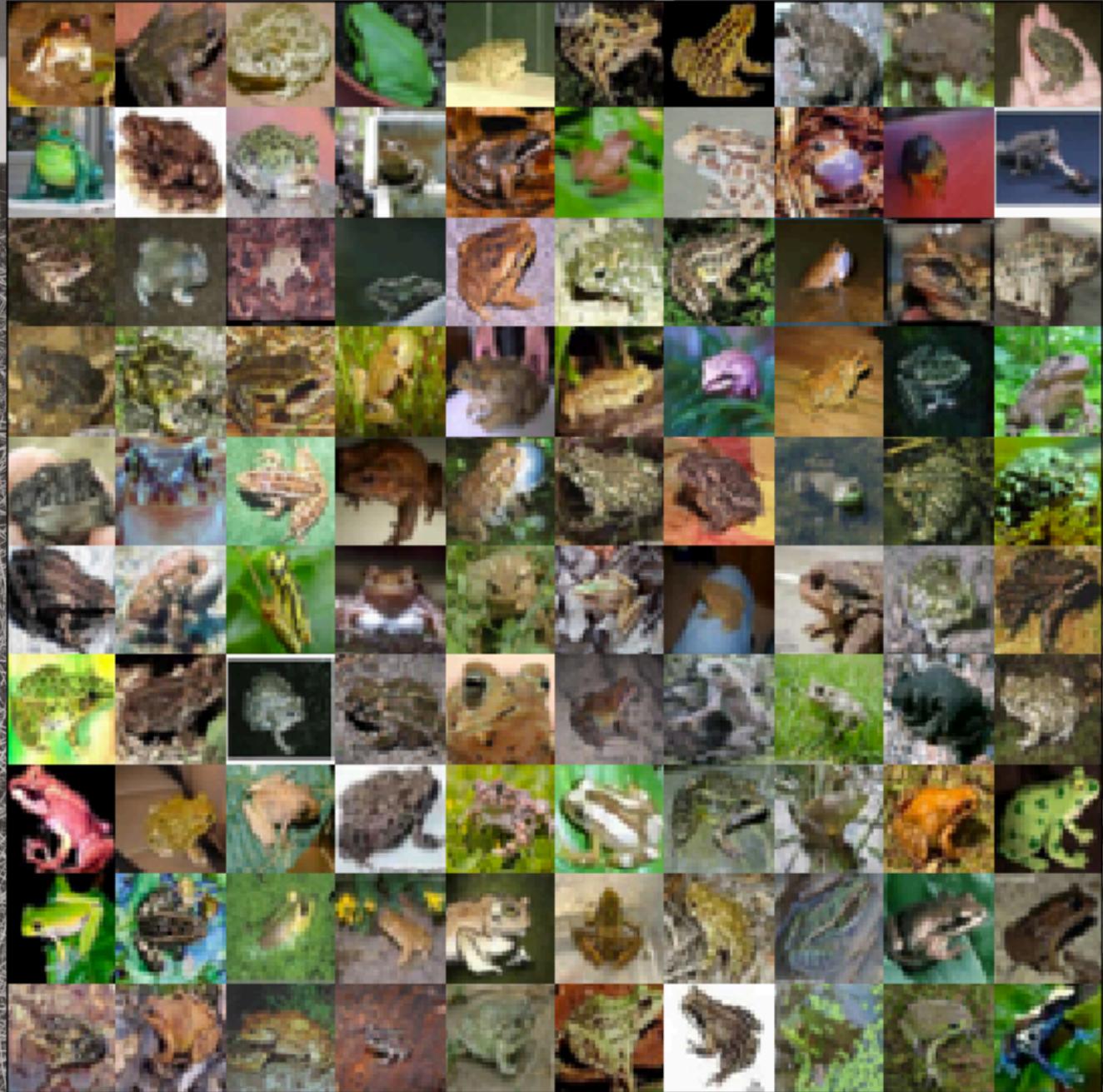
- ▶ Memorize training images?
  - ▶ You have ~ 1 million parameters but the training data has ~ 100 million pixels



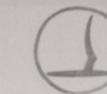
# Generator task

What is your strategy?

- ▶ Memorize training images?
  - ▶ You have ~ 1 million parameters but the training data has ~ 100 million pixels
- ▶ Instead the generator learns the *distribution* of the training data.
  - ▶ Attempts to generate an example from that distribution



# Distribution Learning

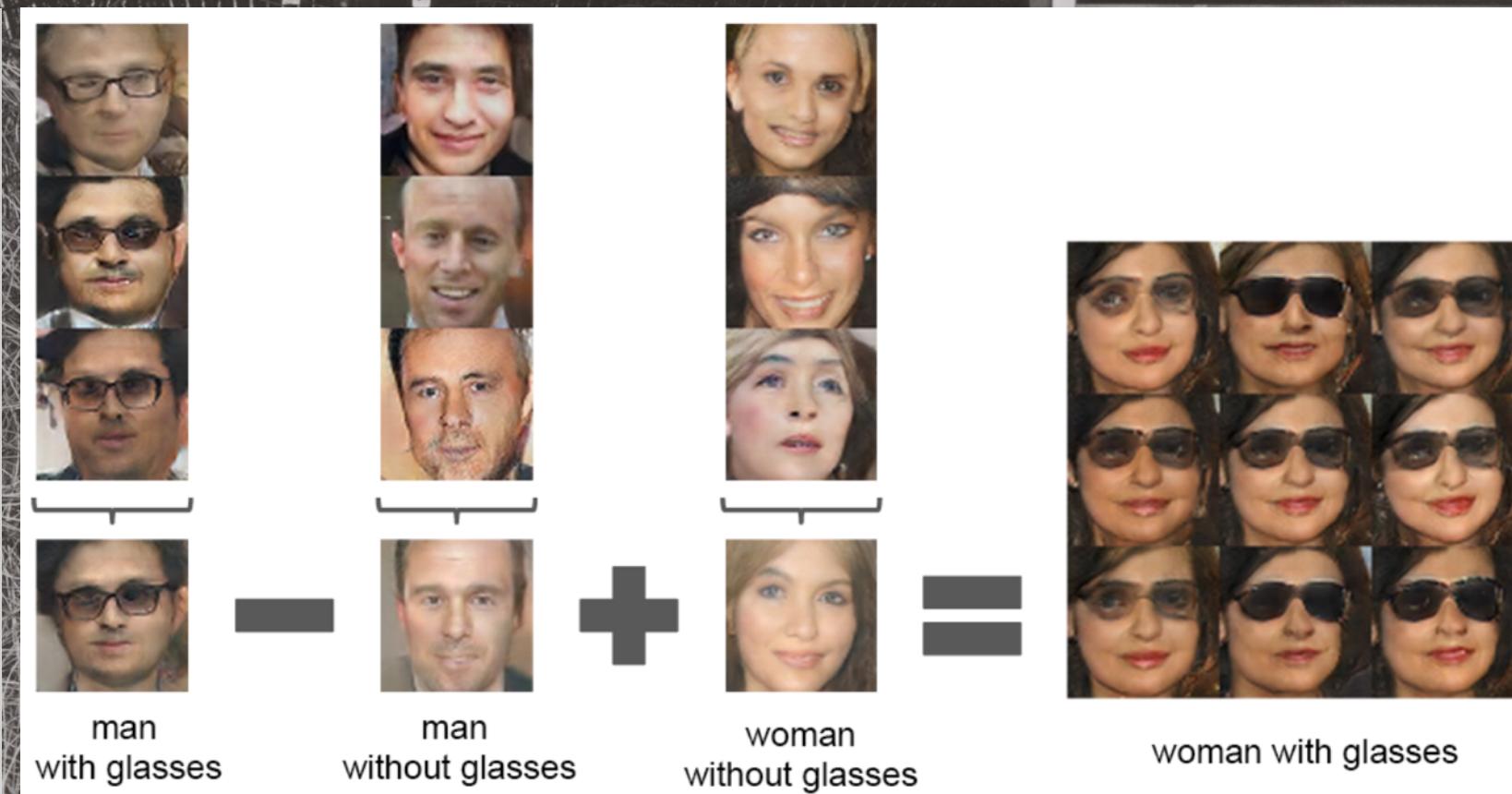


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Generator learns *distribution* of training data

- ▶ Meaningful understanding of that training data





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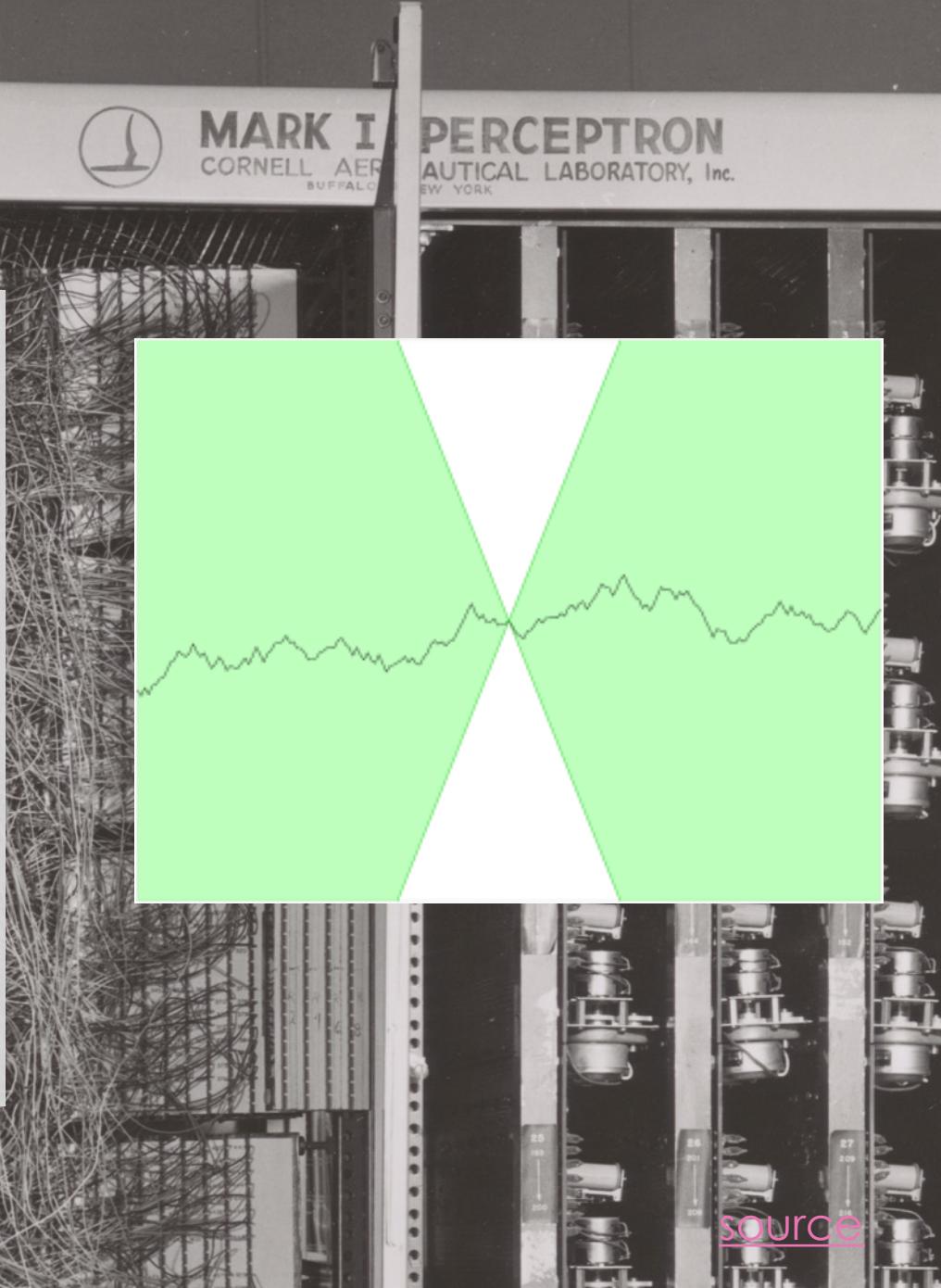
# Advanced GAN Topics

# Lipschitz Continuity

- ▶ Problem: in many cases, the discriminator can be essentially impossible for the generator to beat.
  - ▶ Impossible to win → zero gradient → no learning

Lipschitz constant: Maximum rate of change of a function

Spectral Normalization (Miyato et al 2018) constrains the Lipschitz constant of the discriminator, ensuring stable training of generator.



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# Multilabel Conditional GAN

# Classifier + GAN

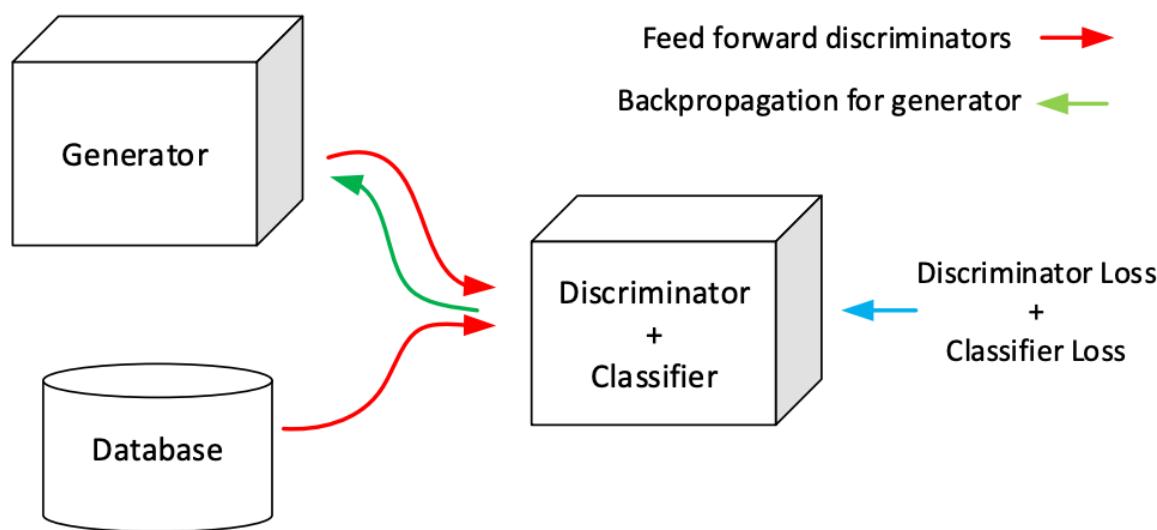
- ▶ Classes provide additional signal
  - ▶ both generator and discriminator learn data distribution more quickly
  - ▶ Significantly quicker learning (wall clock)
- ▶ Allows direct manipulation of class feature in generator

# VAC GAN

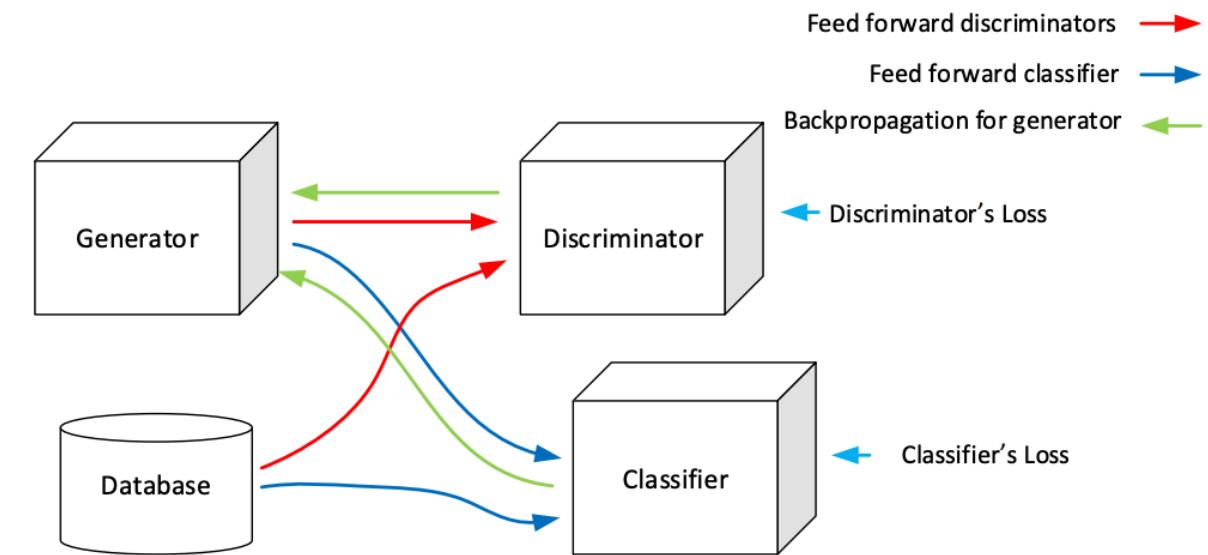


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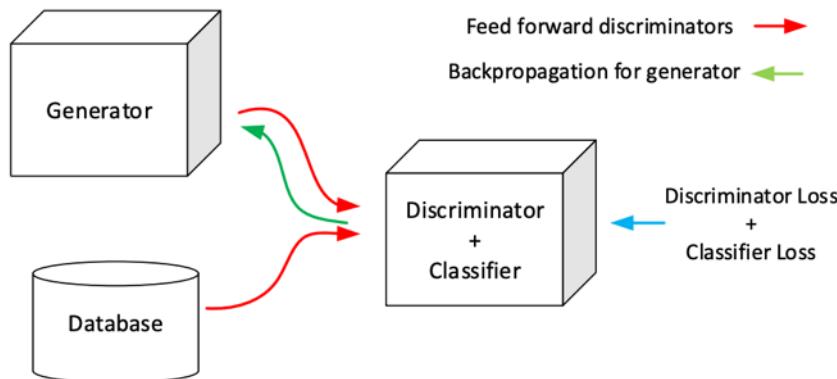
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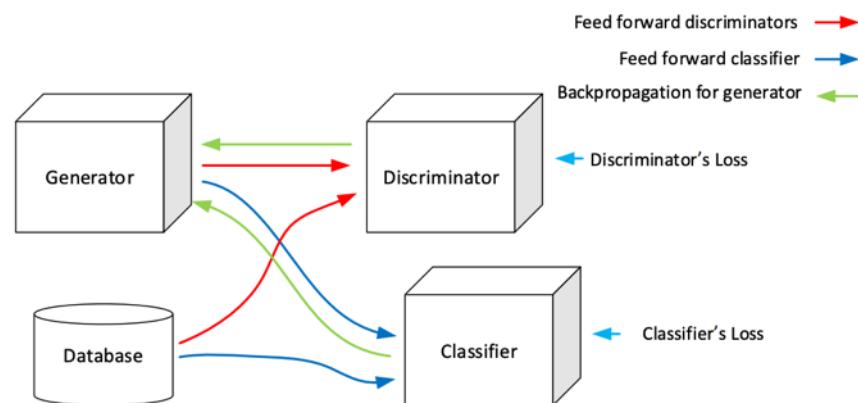
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# VAC GAN

- ▶ VAC GAN
  - ▶ Good: Versatile classification with GAN
  - ▶ Bad: Requires a 3<sup>rd</sup> model
- ▶ Today's demo: VAC-GAN variant that combines Discriminator and Classifier

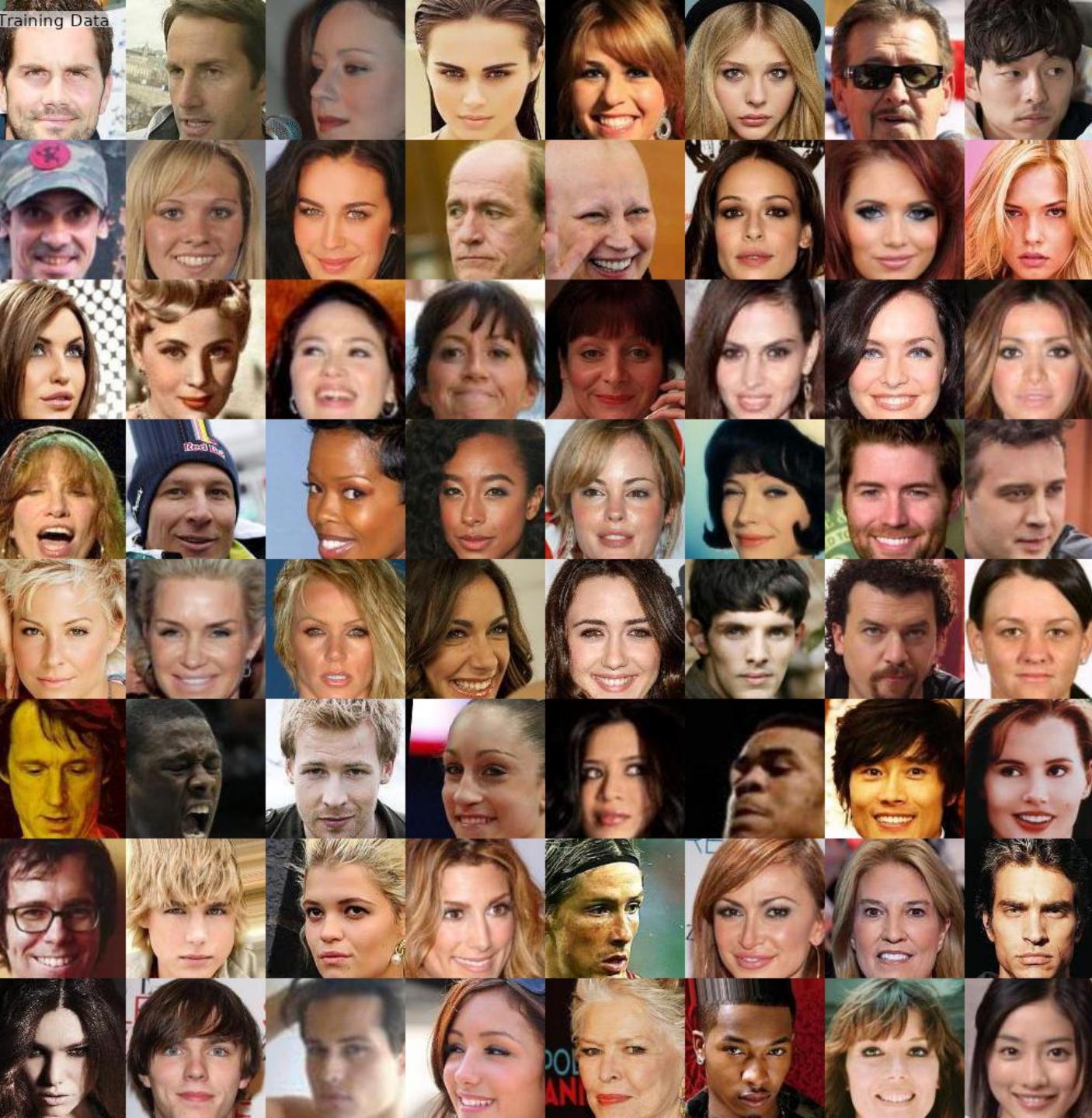


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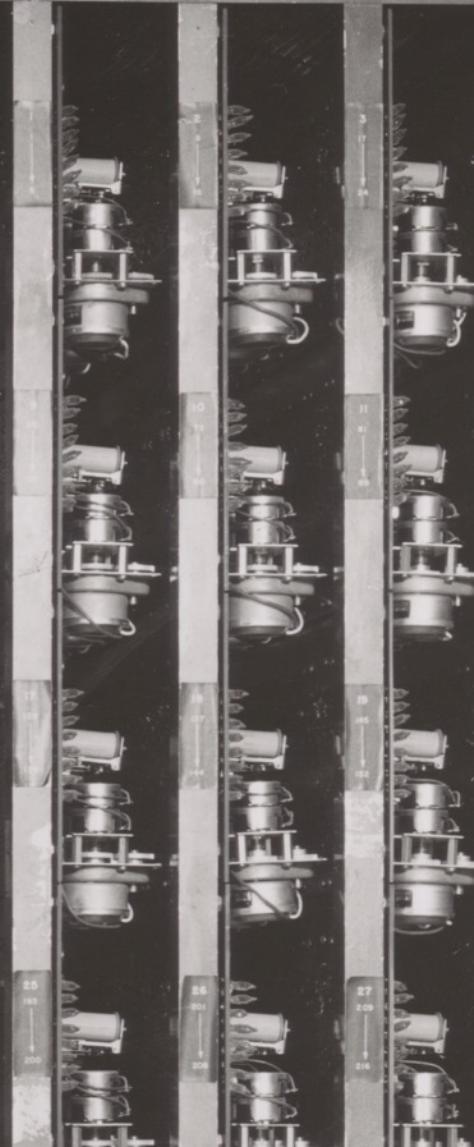


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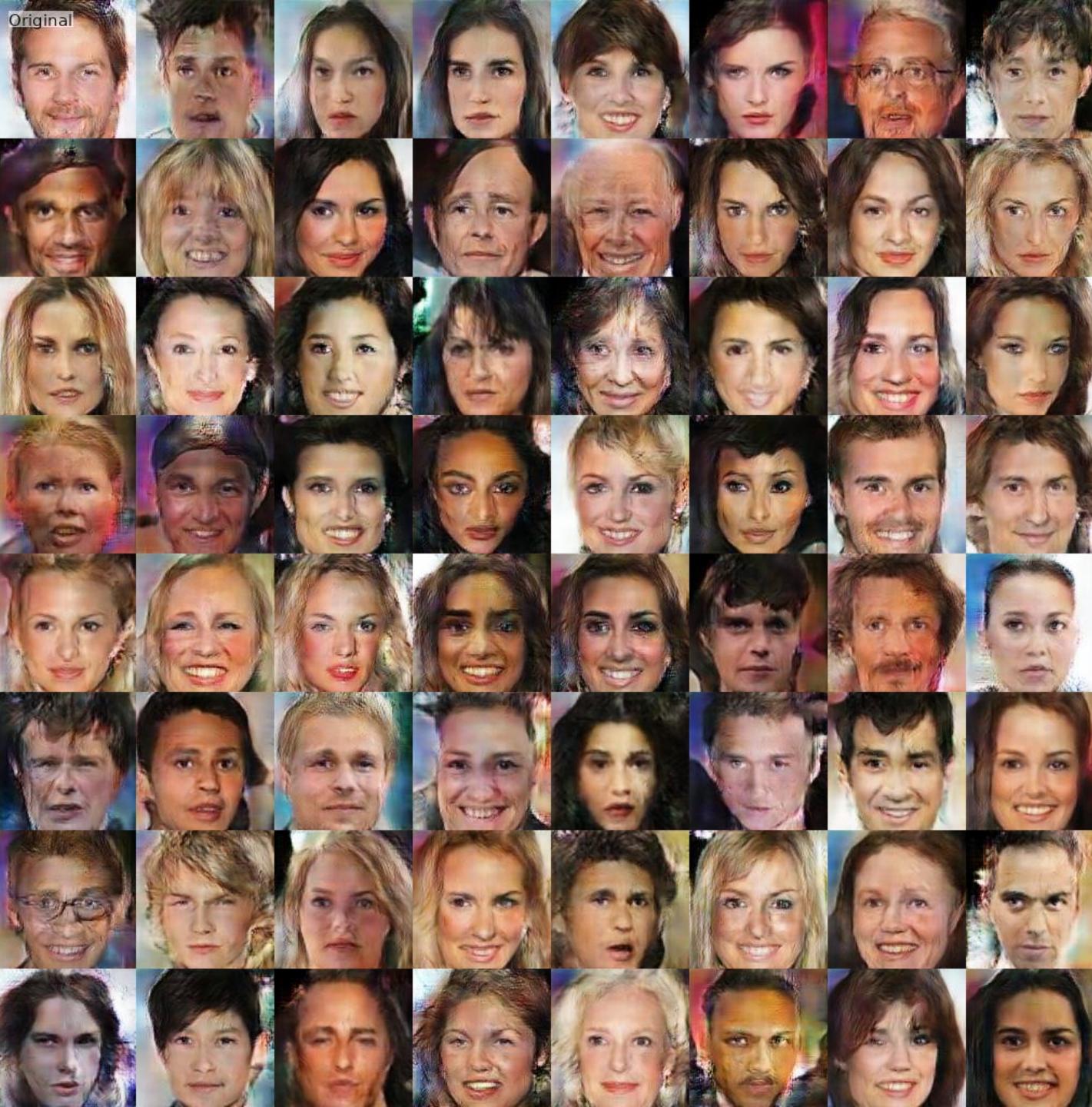
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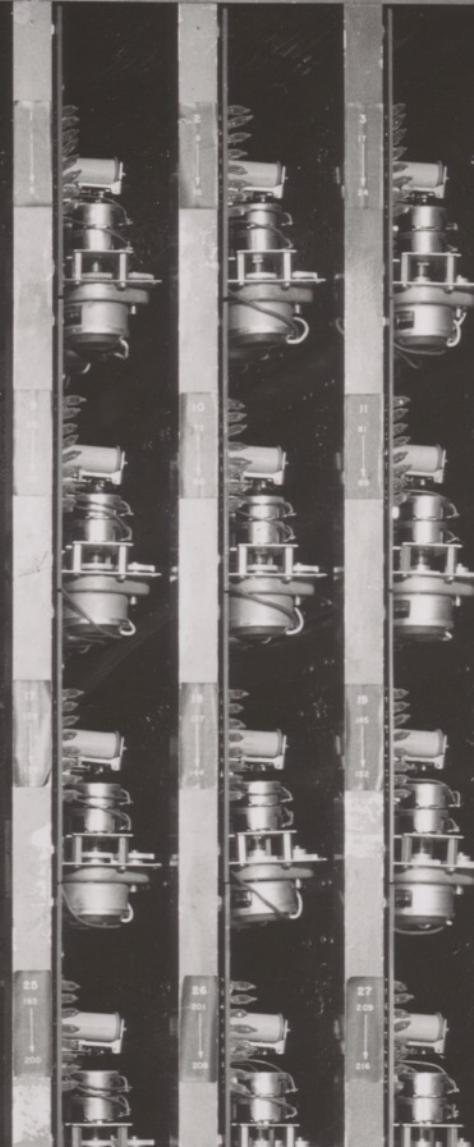
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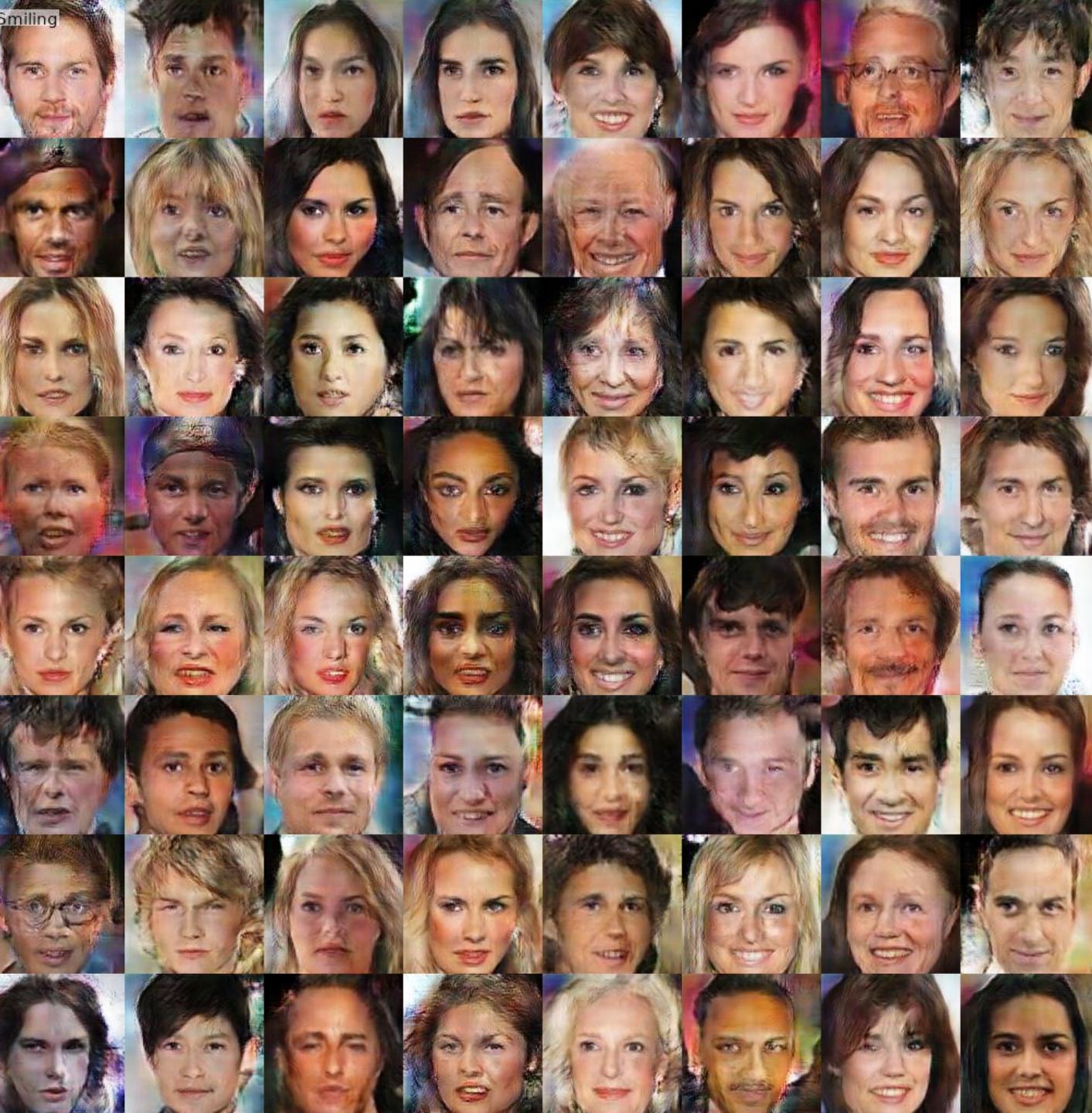
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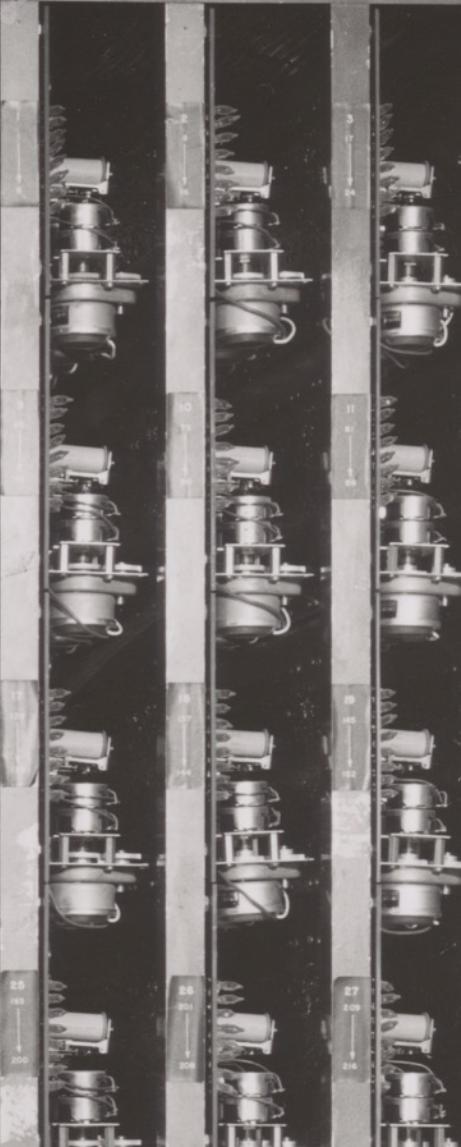
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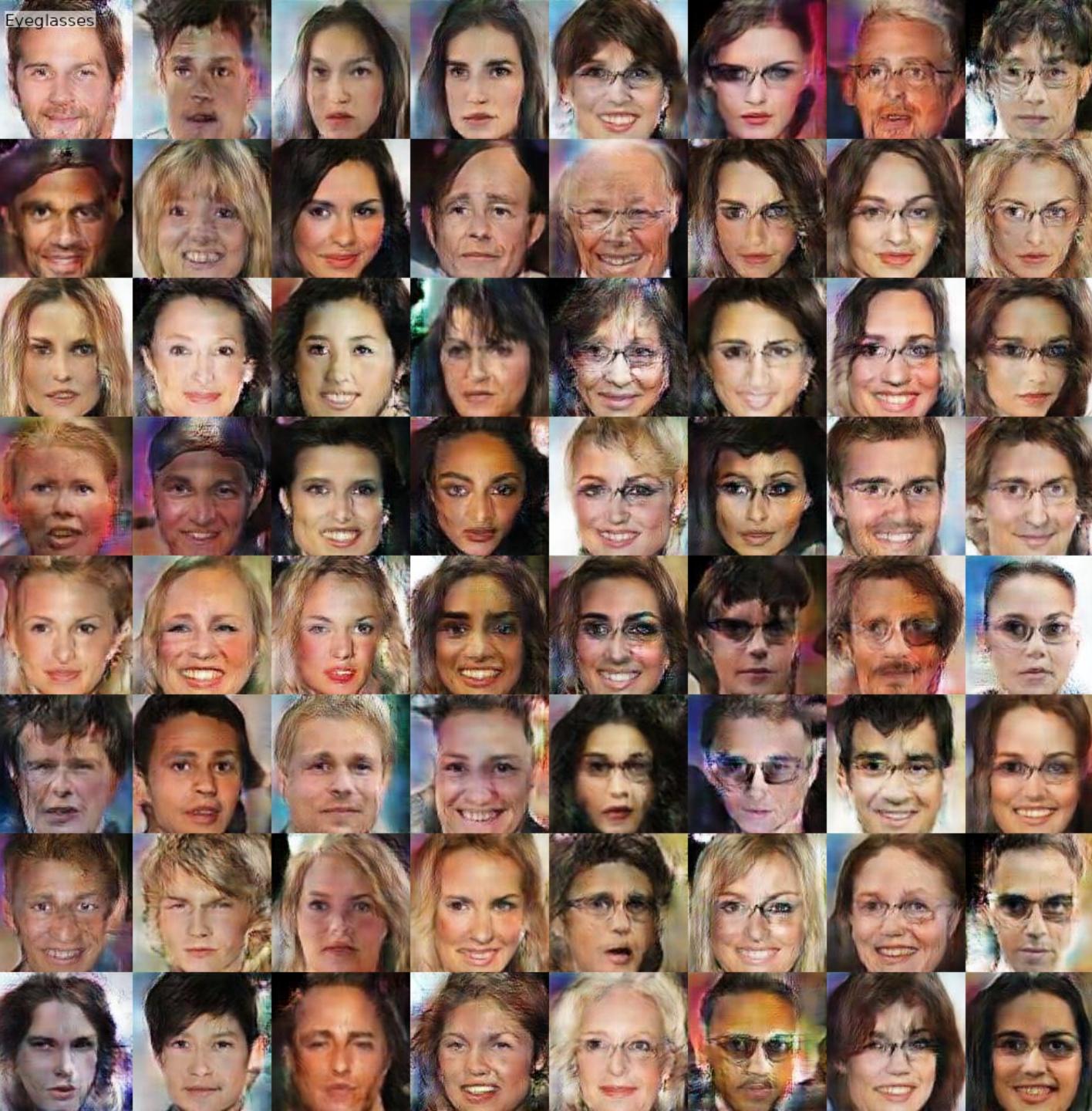
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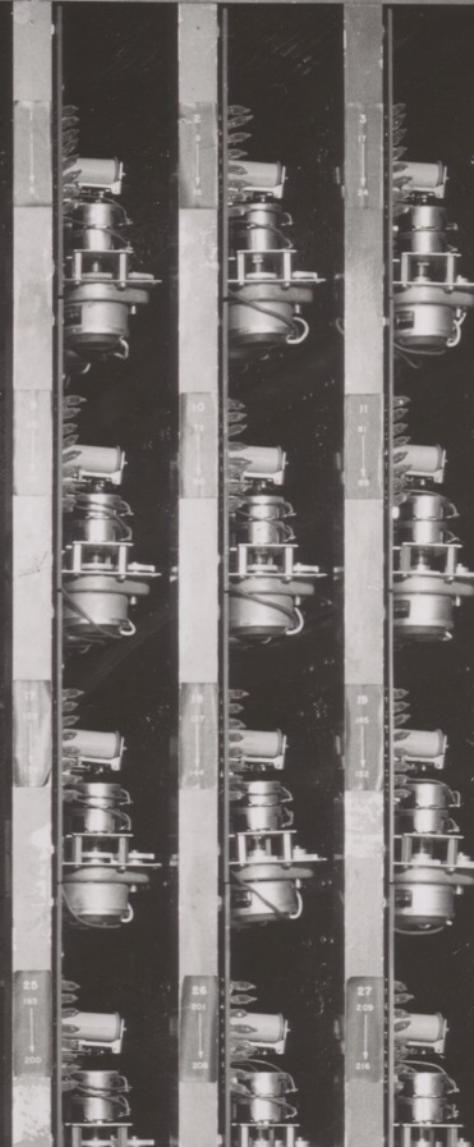
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