

# Distribution Learning using GANs

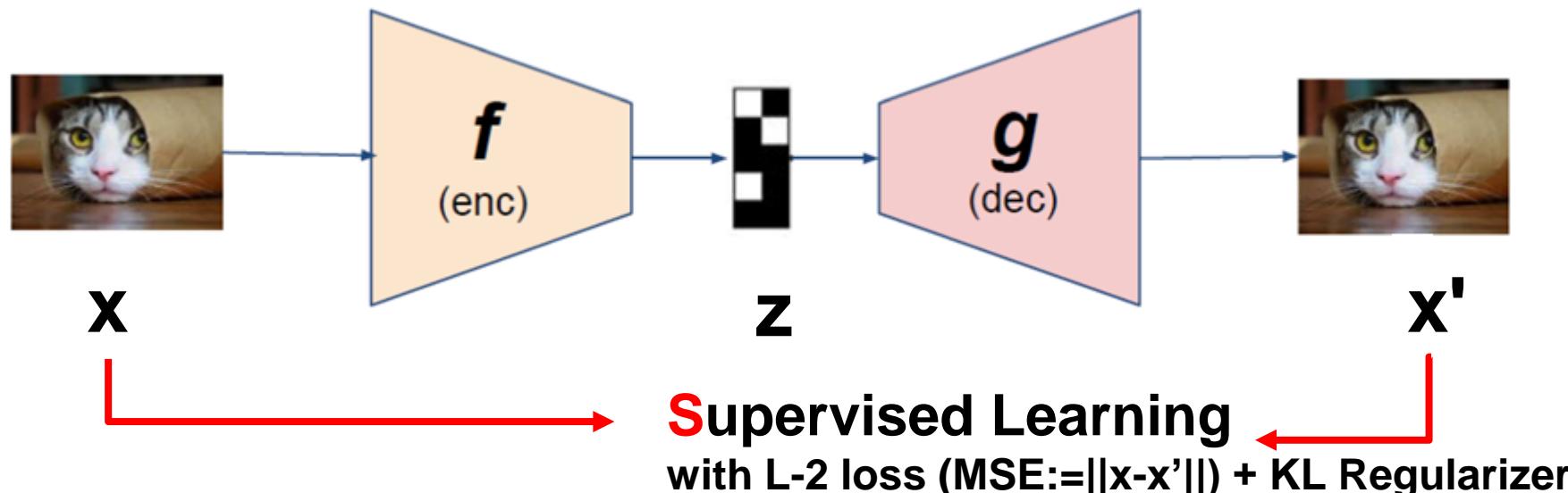
(A crash course)

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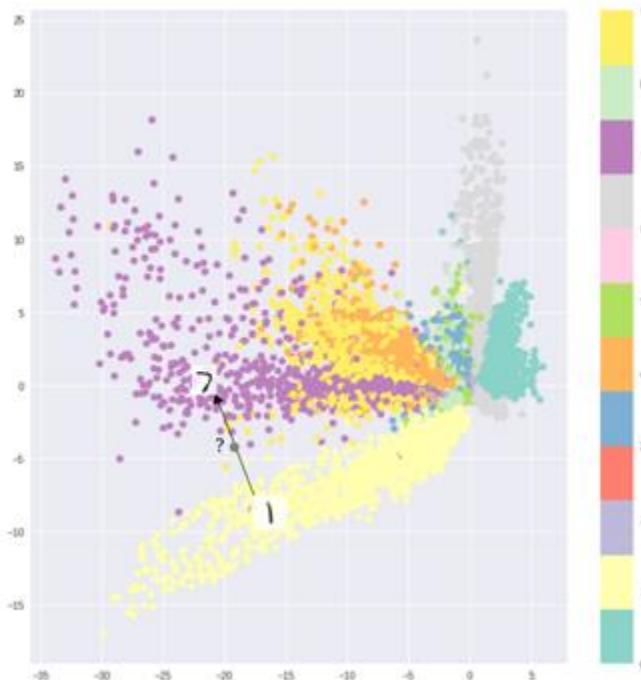
# Auto-Encoders: (As Generative Models)

- Reconstruction with penalization on latent variables
  - $\min_f(f, g) = \mathbb{E}_{q(z)}[\log p(x|z)] - KL(q(z)||p(z))$

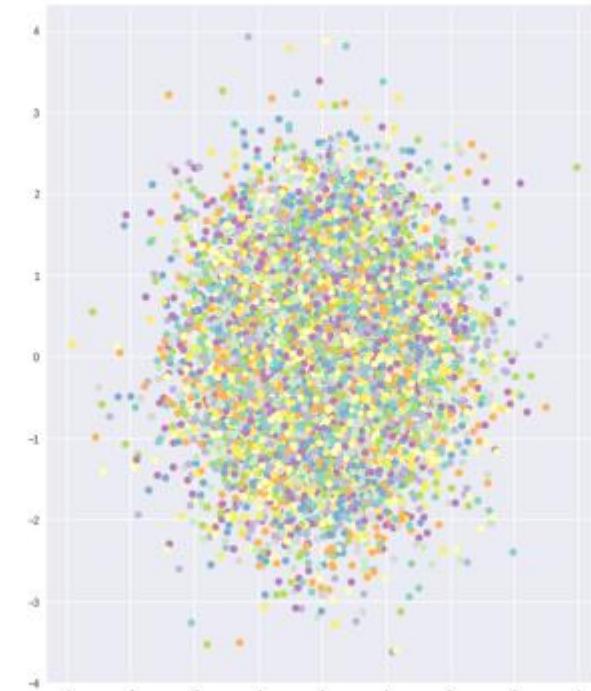


# Divergence and Reconstruction loss

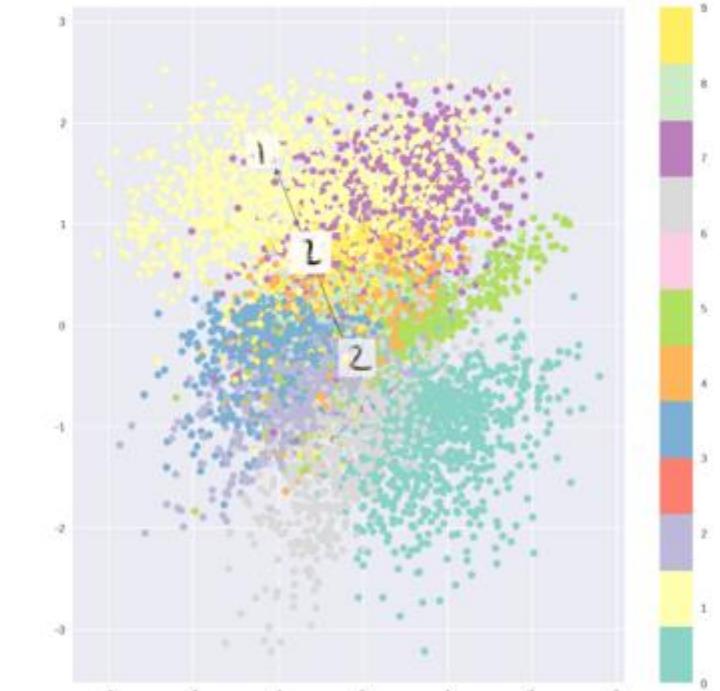
Only reconstruction loss



Only KL divergence



Combination

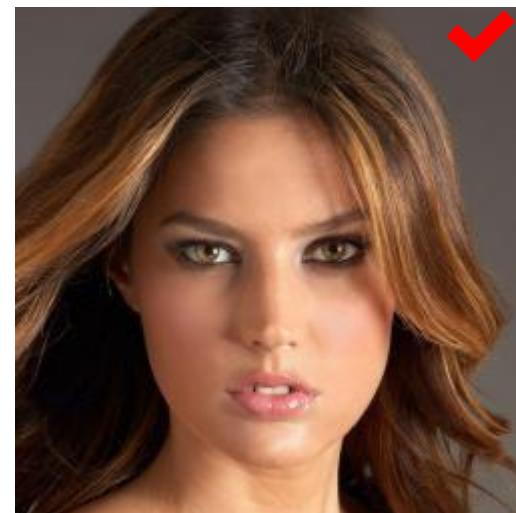
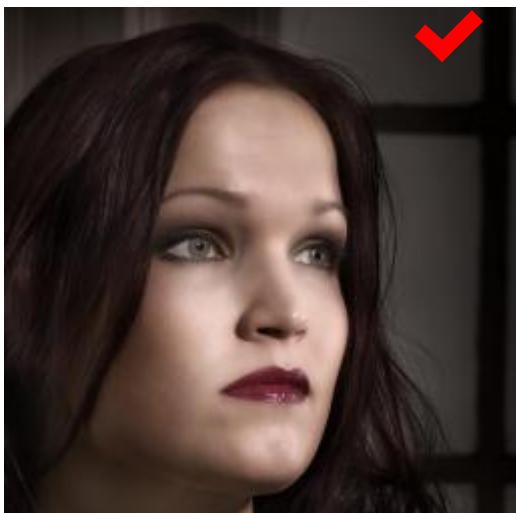
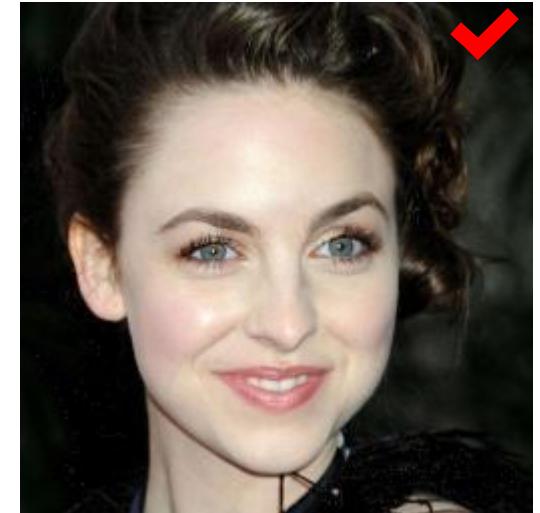




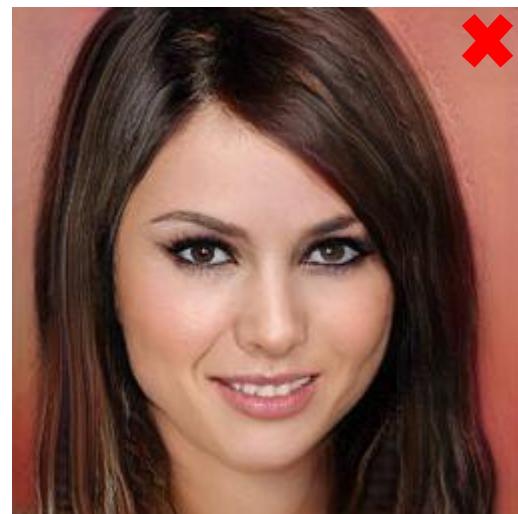
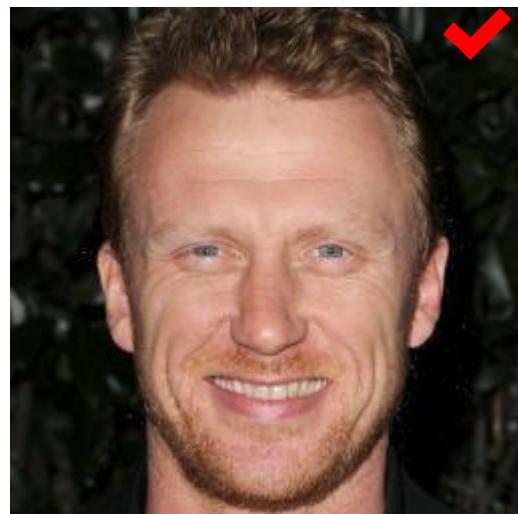
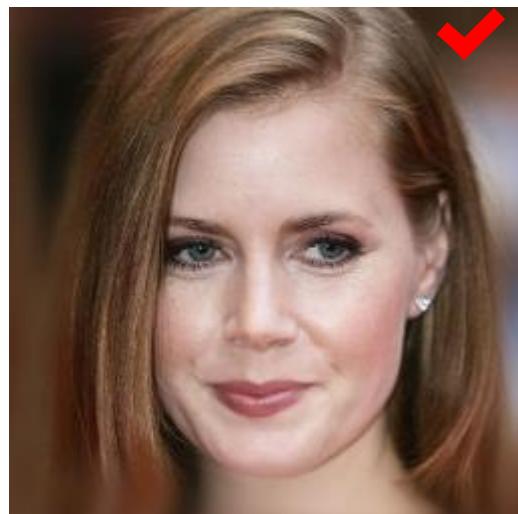
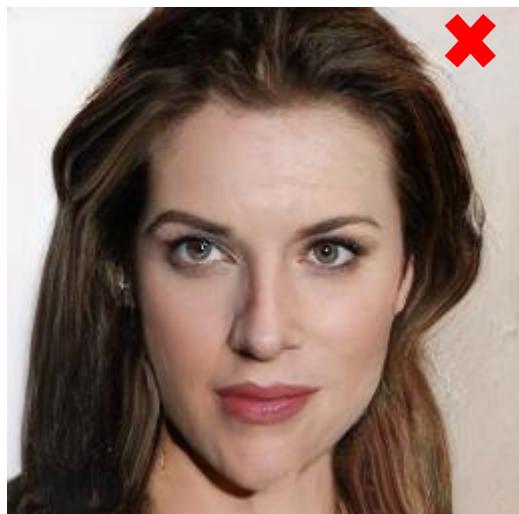
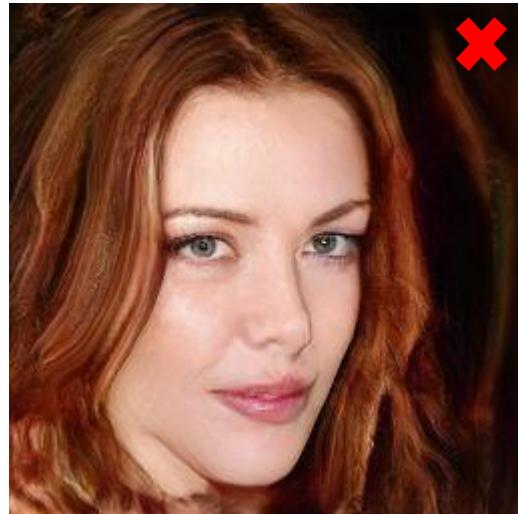
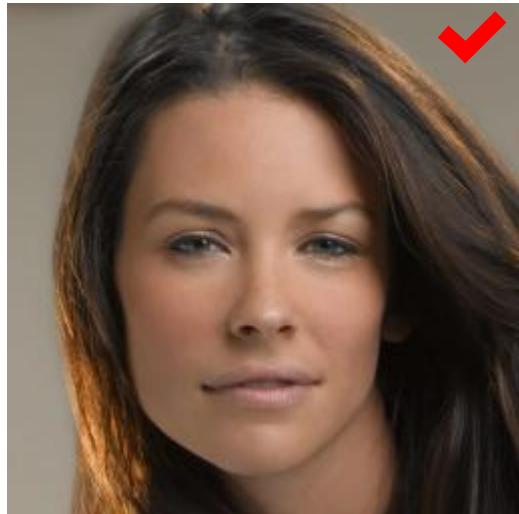
We all have friends we love dearly  
that couldn't pass for human in a  
strict Turing test.

— Penn Jillette —

Real or Fake?



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# Hints for Real or Fake?

**Text is uninterpretable**



**Background is surreal**



**Asymmetry**



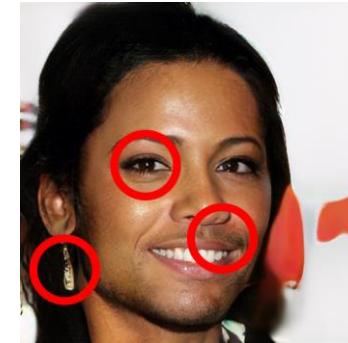
**Weird teeth**



**Messy hair**

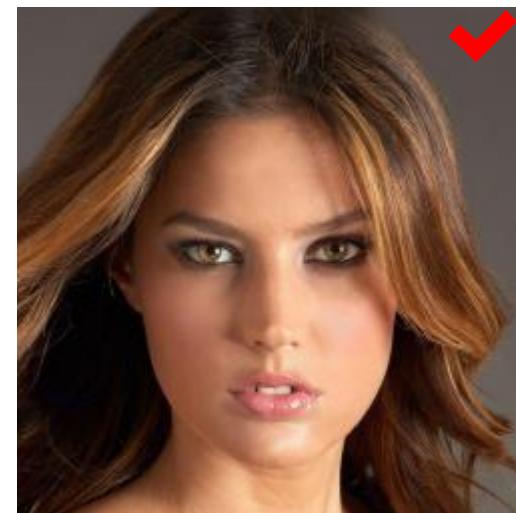
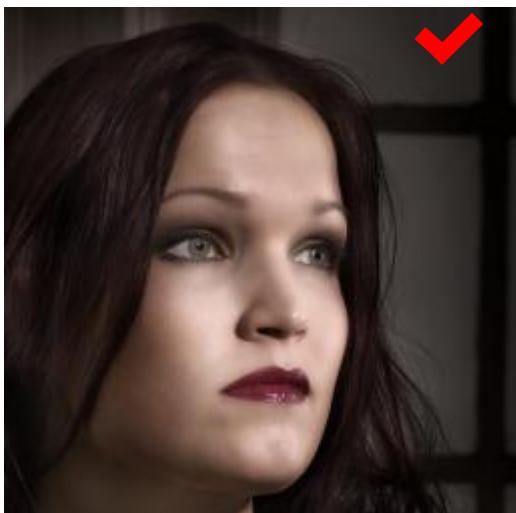
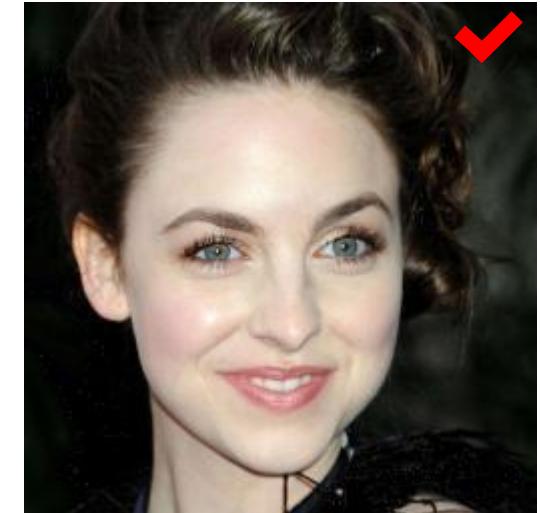
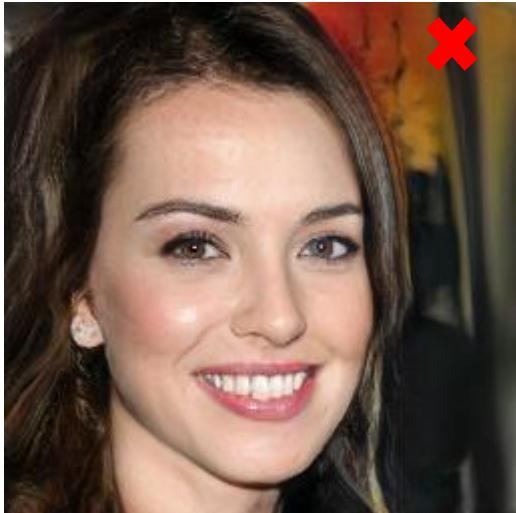


**Non-stereotypical gender**



Images from <https://medium.com/@kcimc/how-to-recognize-fake-ai-generated-images-4d1f6f9a2842>

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Before or After?

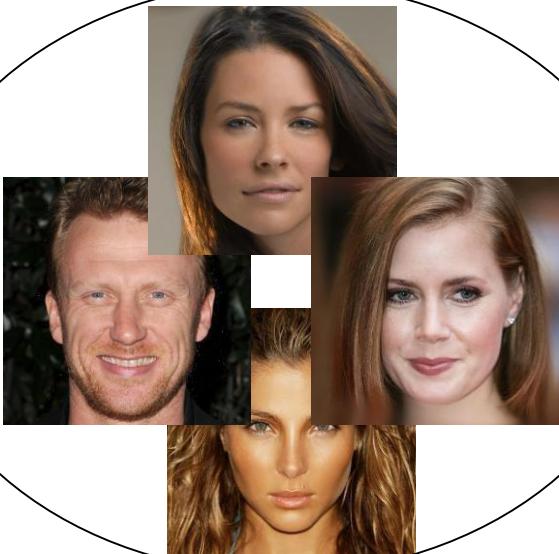


## Img Generation

Generated



Real



Distribution Distance Measurement ???

## Img Enhancement

Enhanced

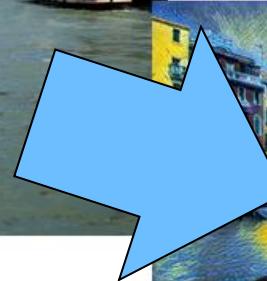


Target



# Generative Models

## (VAE limitations.. Examples)



This bird is white with some black on its head and wings, and has a long orange beak



VAEs are suitable for data compression or generating semantics. GANs are suitable for generating data.

# GAN को शान

GAN “predicts” data given a label, Instead of label given data.



# The Minimax Theorem

*"As far as I can see, there could be no theory of games ... without that theorem ... I thought there was nothing worth publishing until the Minimax Theorem was proved"*

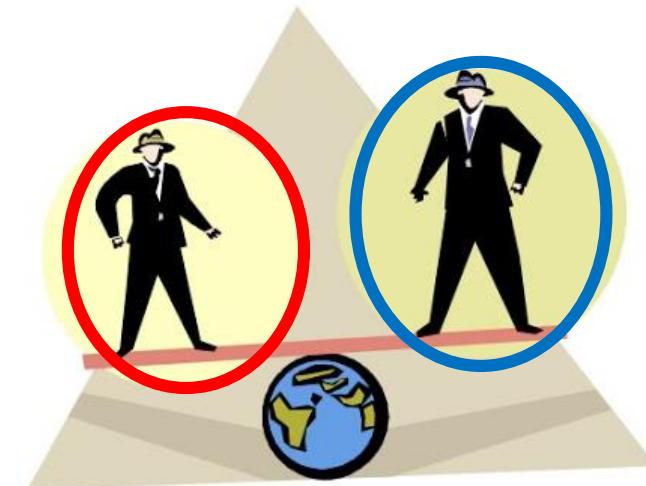
-- John von Neumann, 1928



## Zero-sum Game (An Example)

- A zero-sum game is *strictly* a competitive game.

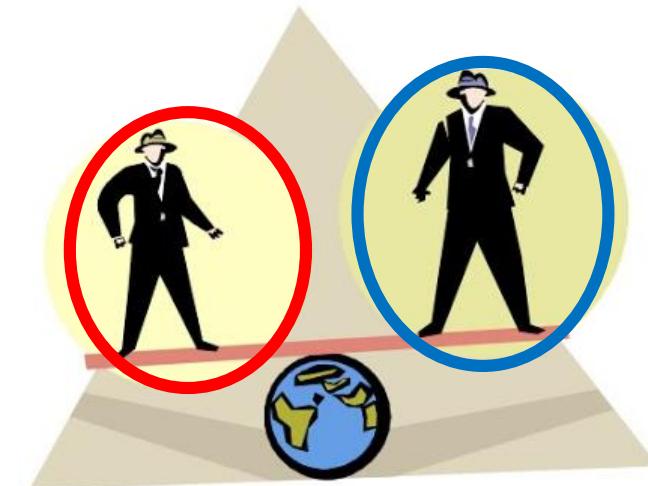
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2	30	-10	20



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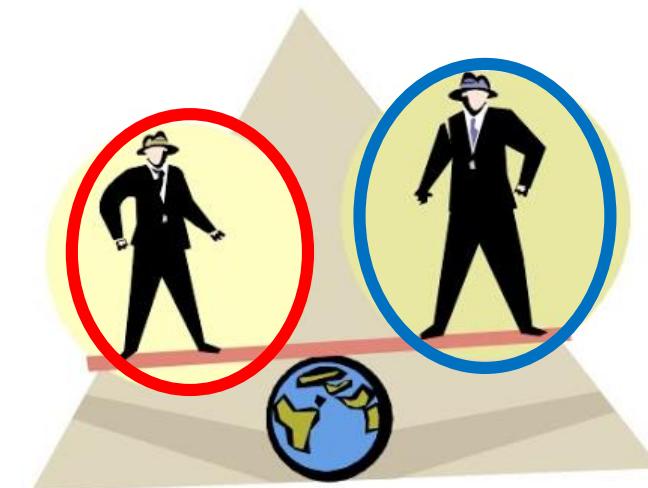
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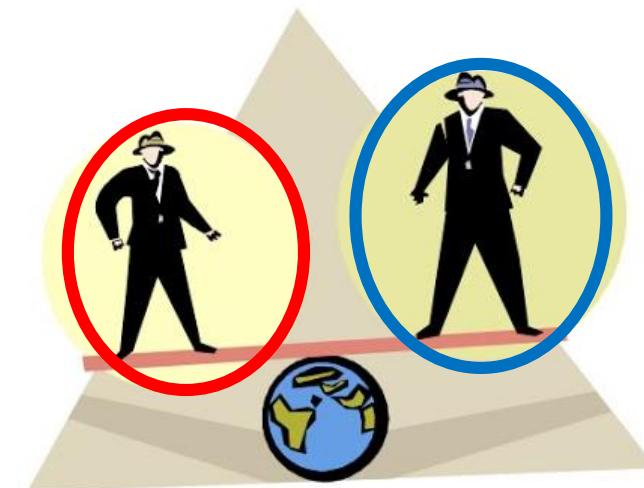


- Two players assign probabilities to their respective actions.
- Each player computes the probabilities to minimize the maximum expected point-loss.
- One's strategy is independent of its opponent.
- This leads to a minmax problem with the optimal strategies for each player.

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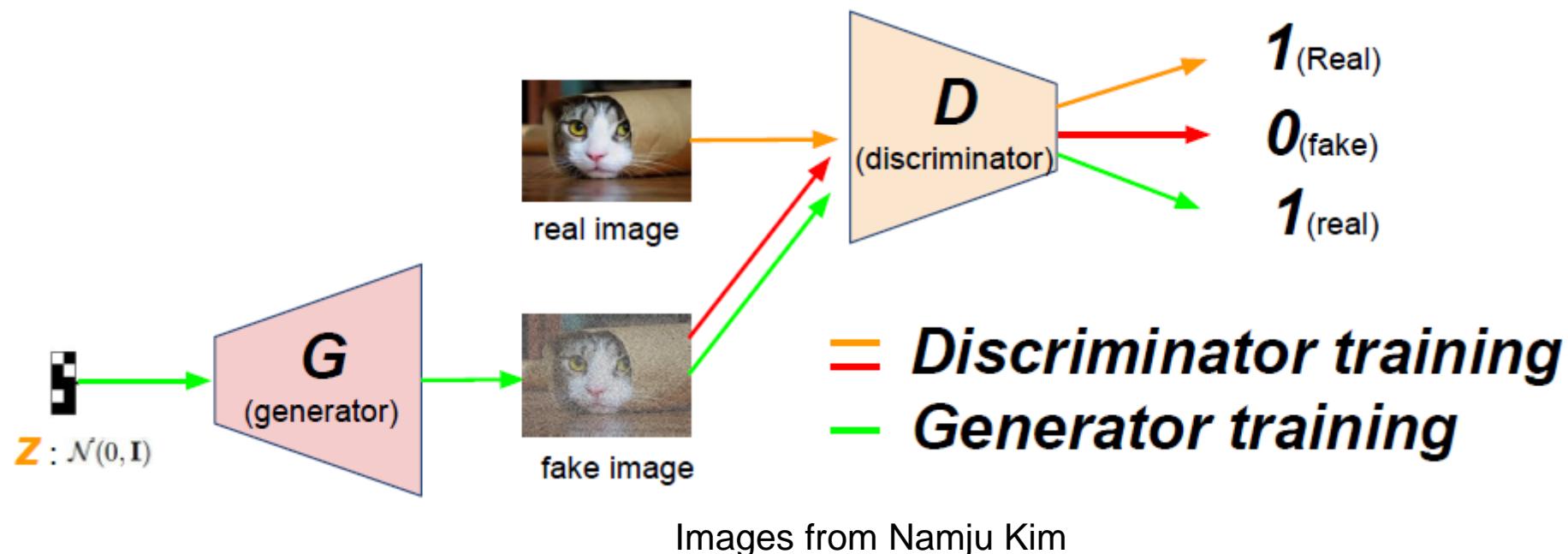
$$\max_{x \in X} \min_{y \in Y} f(x, y) = \min_{y \in Y} \max_{x \in X} f(x, y).$$

$f(\cdot, y) : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is concave for fixed  $y$ , and  
 $f(x, \cdot) : Y \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is convex for fixed  $x$ .

Can Compute the Nash Equilibrium!!

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# Conditional GAN

## (As Joint distribution learning)

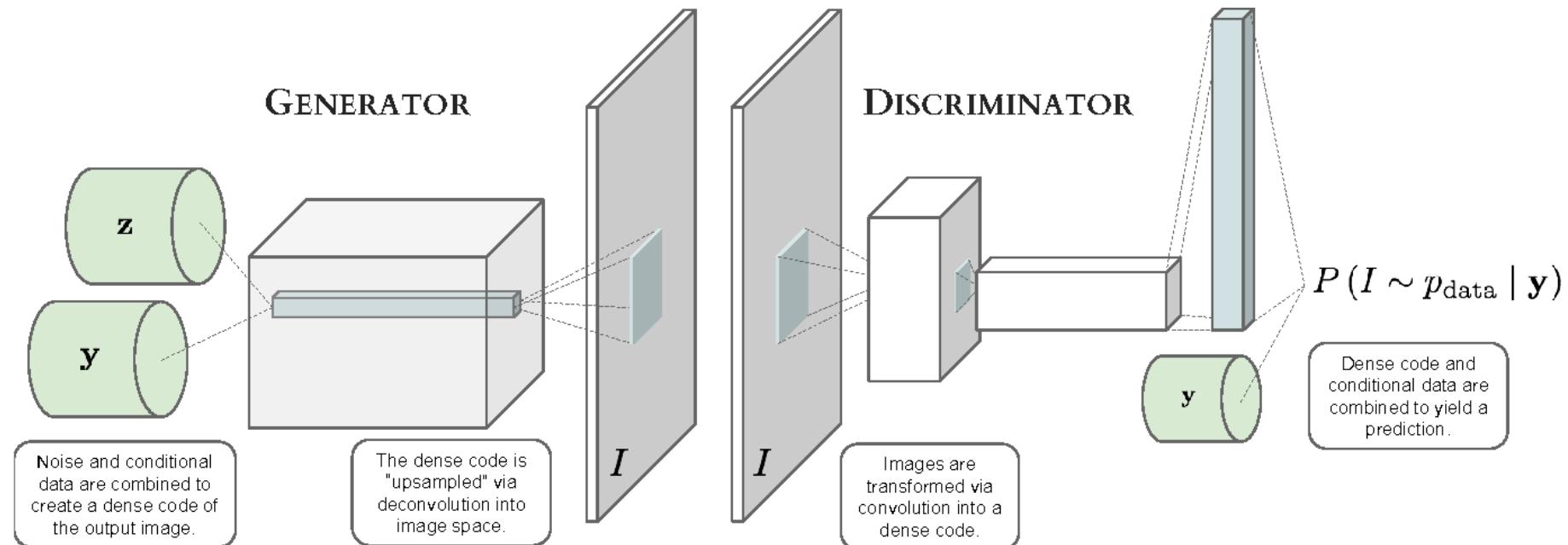


Image from: [Jon Gauthier](#)



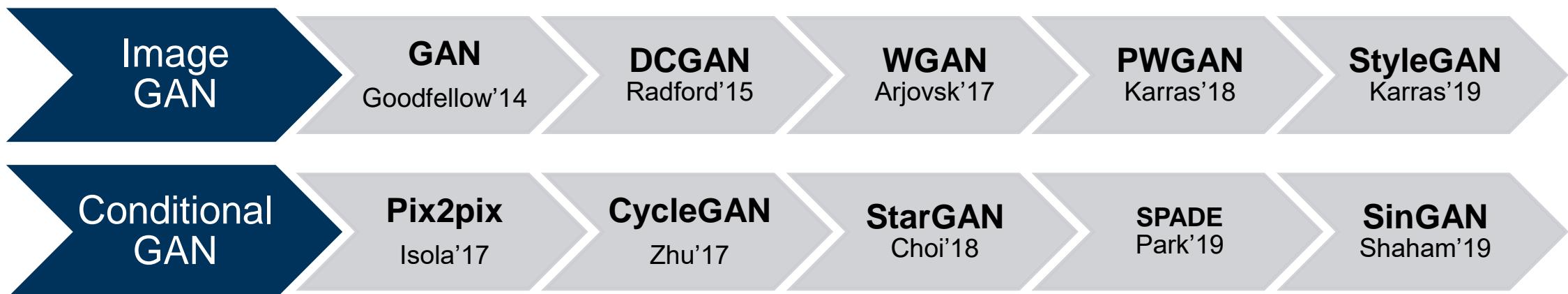
"Generative Adversarial Networks is the **most interesting idea in the last ten years** in machine learning."

Yann LeCun, Director, Facebook AI

The general idea of learning via competition between players dates back to at least 1959 with Arthur Samuel.

# How GANs evolve? Two branches

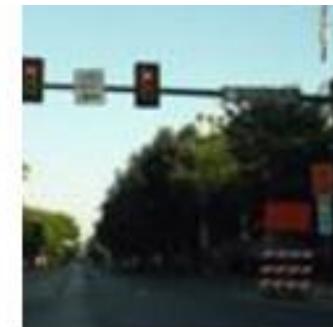
“Those who do not move, do not notice their chains.”  
— Rosa Luxemburg



# Image GAN

**GAN**

Goodfellow'14

**WGAN**

Arjovsky'17

**PWGANG**

Karras'18

**StyleGAN**

Karras'19

*From ImageNet*

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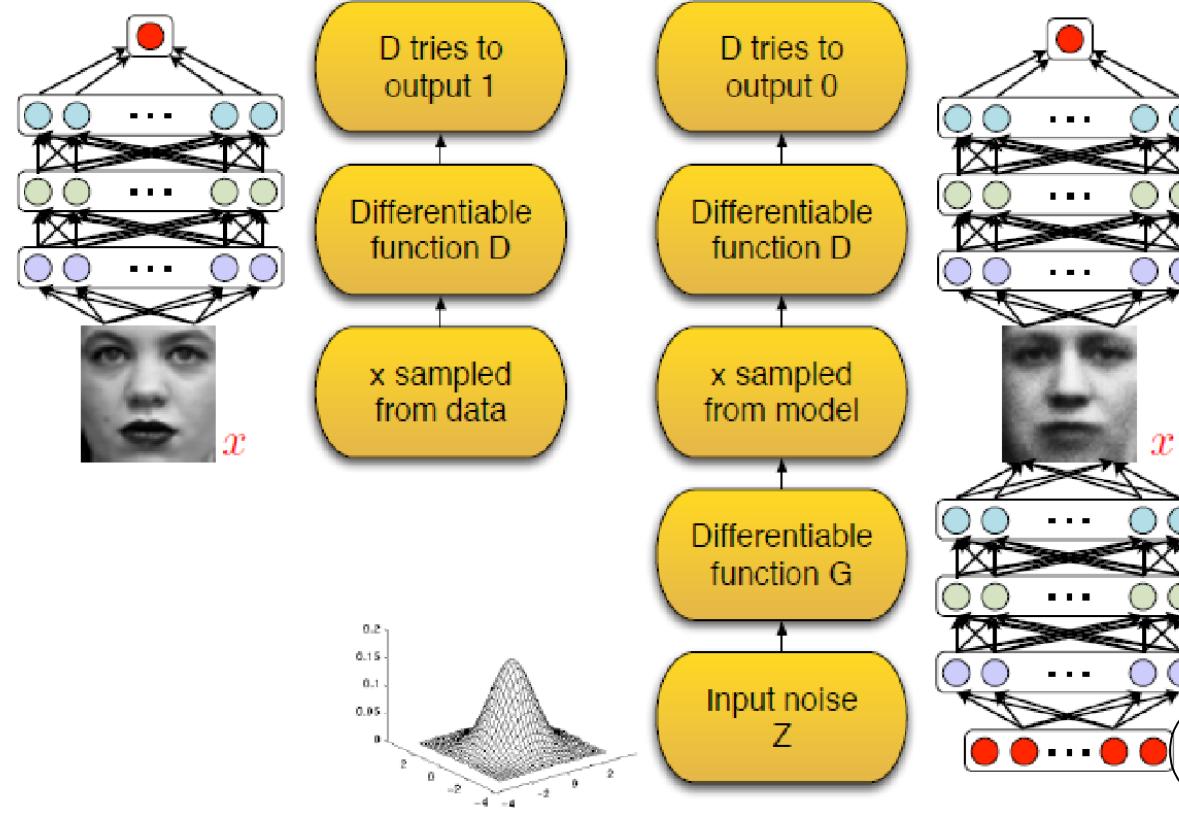
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**Discriminator:** distinguish between real and fake samples

**Generator:** generate samples from noises

Ian Goodfellow, NIPS'2014 workshop

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- **GAN by Example**

```
# Generator
# Discriminator
D = nn.Sequential(nn.Linear(image_size, hidden_size),
nn.LeakyReLU(0.2), nn.Linear(hidden_size, hidden_size))

# Binary cross entropy loss and optimizer
criterion = nn.BCELoss()
d_optimizer = torch.optim.Adam(D.parameters(), lr=0.0002)
g_optimizer = torch.optim.Adam(G.parameters(), lr=0.0002)

for epoch in range(num_epochs):
    for i, (images, _) in enumerate(data_loader):
        images = images.reshape(batch_size, -1).to(device)

        # Create the labels which are later used as input for the BCE loss
        real_labels = torch.ones(batch_size, 1).to(device)
        fake_labels = torch.zeros(batch_size, 1).to(device)
```

```
# Train the discriminator #
# Compute BCE_Loss using real images where
# BCE_Loss(x, y): - y * log(D(x)) - (1-y) * log(1 - D(x))
# Second term of the loss is always zero since real_labels == 1

outputs = D(images)
d_loss_real = criterion(outputs, real_labels)
real_score = outputs

# Compute BCELoss using fake images
# Train the generator #
# Compute loss with fake images
z = torch.randn(batch_size, latent_size).to(device)
fake_images = G(z)
outputs = D(fake_images)

# We train G to maximize log(D(G(z))) instead of minimizing log(1-D(G(z)))
g_loss = criterion(outputs, real_labels)
# Backprop and optimize
reset_grad()
g_loss.backward()
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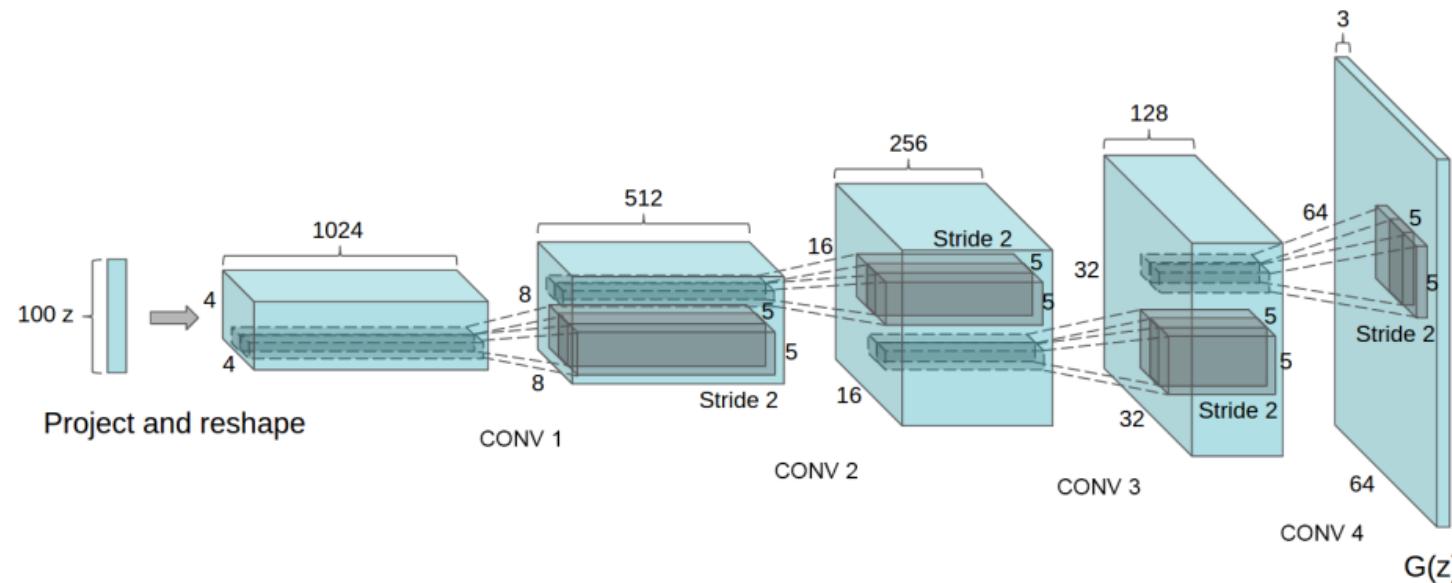
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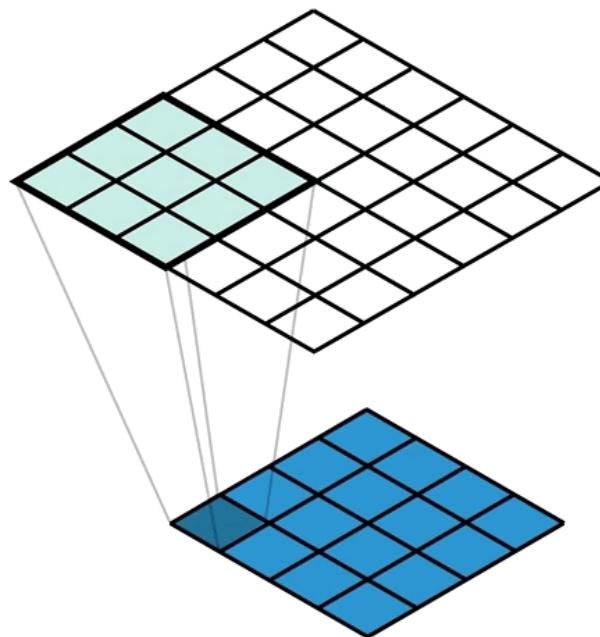
Karras'19

- GAN with explicit usage of convolutional and convolutional-transpose layers!



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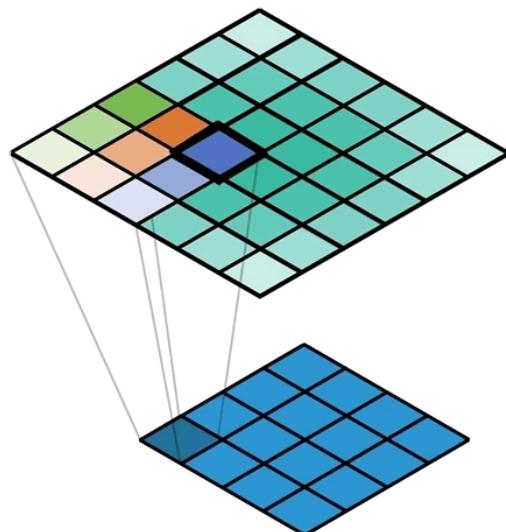
-- Distributing Values.....



Input	Kernel	Output
1 1 1 1	1 1 1	1 2 3 3 2 1
1 1 1 1	1 1 1	2 4 6 6 4 2
1 1 1 1	1 1 1	3 6 9 9 6 3
1 1 1 1	1 1 1	3 6 9 9 6 3
		2 4 6 6 4 2
		1 2 3 3 2 1

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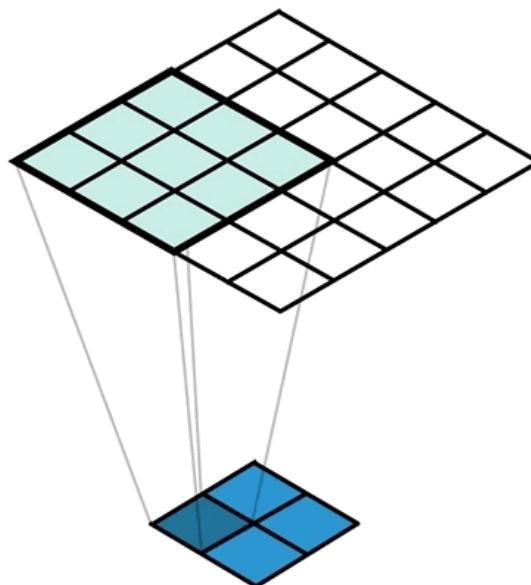
-- Collecting Values.....



<u>Input</u>	<u>Kernel</u>	<u>Output</u>
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0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0		
0 0 1 3 2 1 0 0 0	1 2 3	1 6 15 18 12 3
0 0 1 3 3 1 0 0 0	0 1 0	4 13 21 21 15 11
0 0 2 1 1 3 0 0 0	2 1 2	5 17 28 27 25 11
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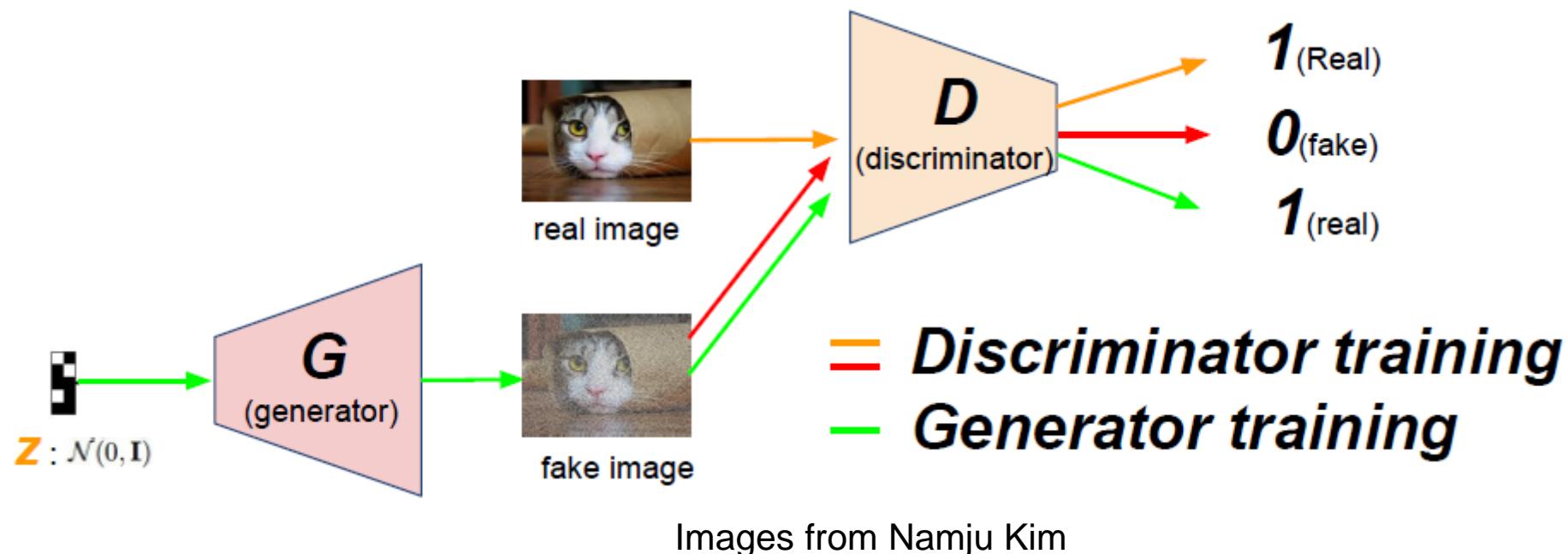
-- Playing with strides.....



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# The Mode Collapse Problem



A DCGAN model is trained with an MLP network with 4 layers, 512 units and ReLU activation function, configured to lack a strong inductive bias for image generation. The results shows a significant degree of mode collapse. (Image source: [Arjovsky, Chintala, & Bottou, 2017.](#))

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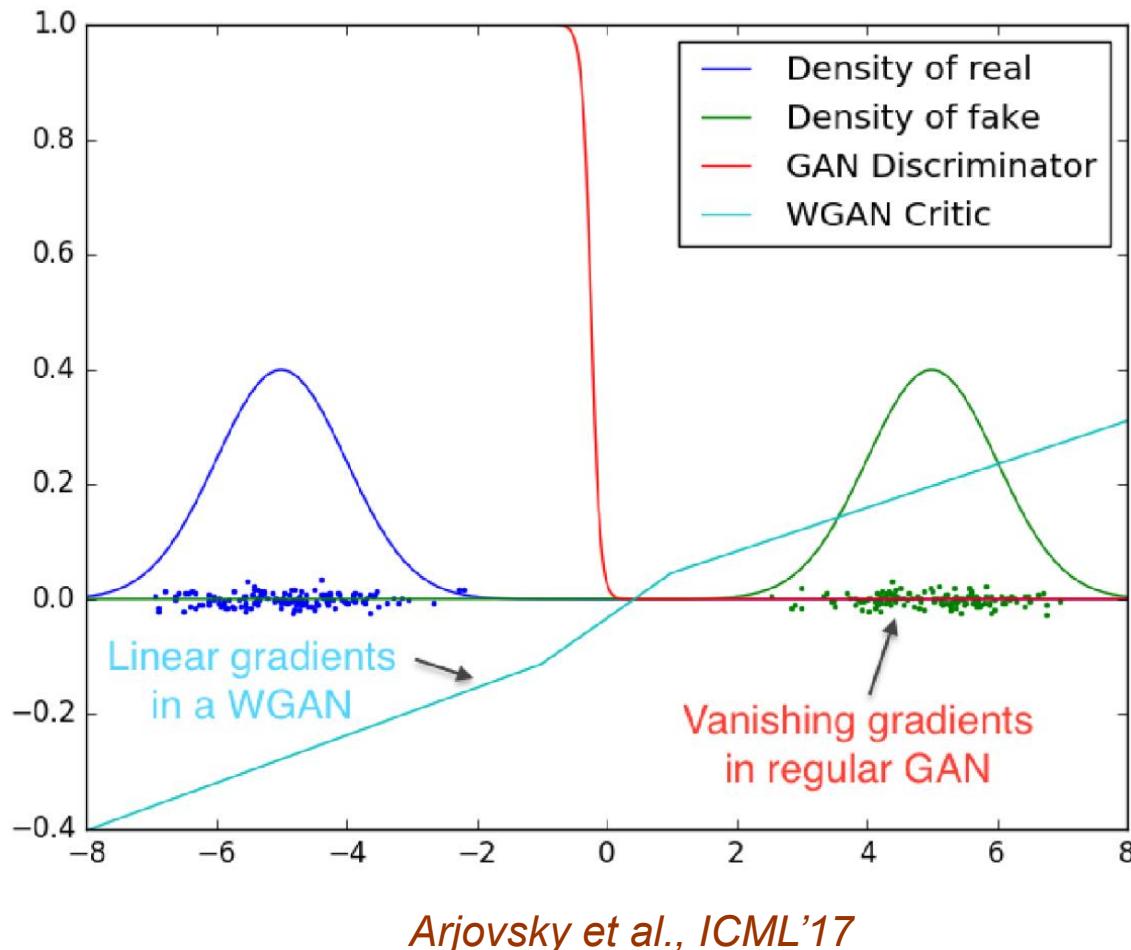
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CVL



## Early GANs

Goodfellow et al., NIPS'14;  
Radford et al., arXiv'15

(JS divergence): locally saturated

$$\min_G \max_D(D, G) = \mathbb{E}_{x \sim p_{data}(x)}[\log D(x)] + \mathbb{E}_{x \sim p_z(z)}[\log(1 - D(G(z)))]$$

## Wasserstein GANs

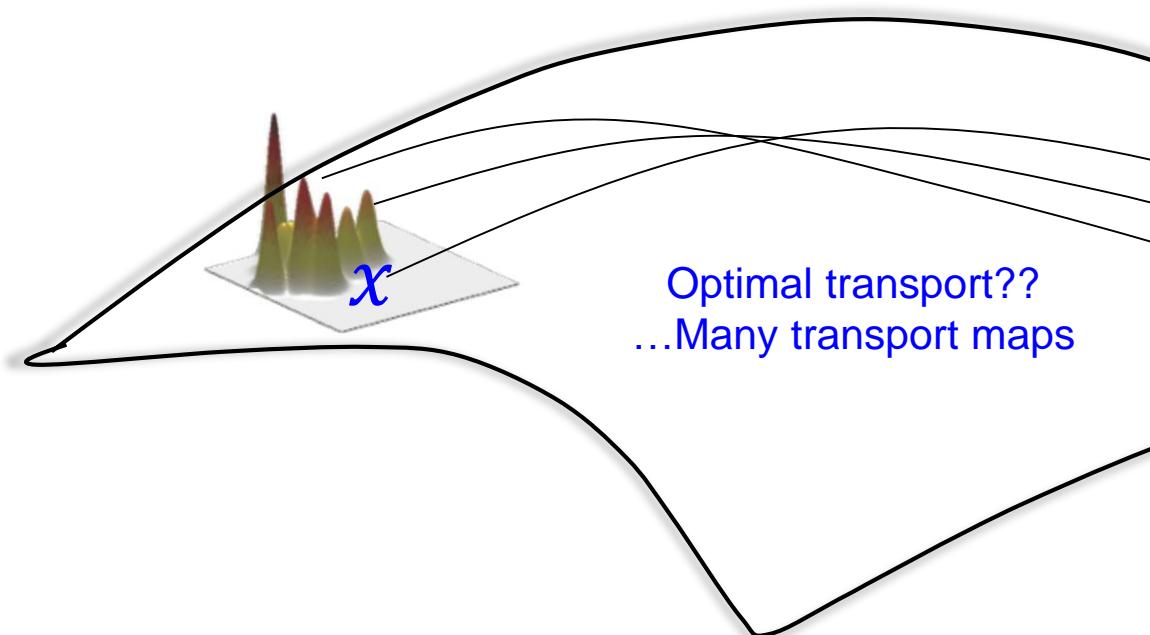
Arjovsky et al., ICML'17  
Gulrajani et al., NIPS'17  
Wei et al., ICLR'18

(Wasserstein distance): continuous and differentiable

$$\min_G \max_{\|C\|_L \leq 1} (C, G) = \mathbb{E}_{x \sim p_{data}(x)}[C(x)] - \mathbb{E}_{z \sim p_z(z)}[C(G(z))]$$

# Wasserstein Distance

$$W(P_r, P_g) = \inf_{\gamma \in \Pi(P_r, P_g)} \mathbb{E}_{(x,y) \sim \gamma} [\|x - y\|]$$



```

# train with real
real_cpu, _ = data
netD.zero_grad()
batch_size = real_cpu.size(0)

if opt.cuda:
    real_cpu = real_cpu.cuda()
input.resize_as_(real_cpu).copy_(real_cpu)
inputv = Variable(input)

errD_real = netD(inputv)
errD_real.backward(one)

# train with fake
noise.resize_(opt.batchSize, nz, 1, 1).normal_(0, 1)
noisev = Variable(noise, volatile = True) # totally freeze netG
fake = Variable(netG(noisev).data)
inputv = fake
errD_fake = netD(inputv)
errD_fake.backward(mone)
errD = errD_real - errD_fake
optimizerD.step()

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$$W_p(P, Q) = \sup_{\|f\|_L \leq 1} \mathbb{E}_{x \sim p_r}[f(x)] - \mathbb{E}_{y \sim p_\theta}[f(y)]$$

WAE

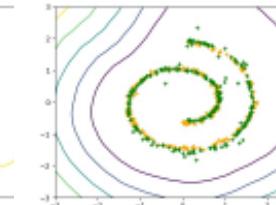
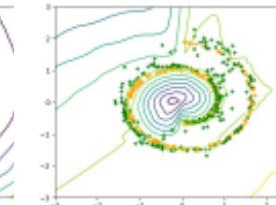
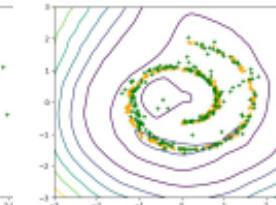
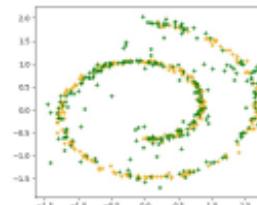
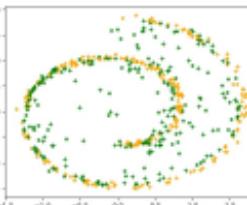
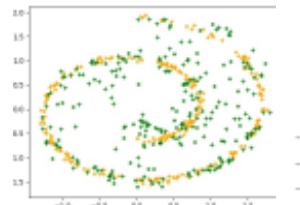
AE +100 IDT

SWAE

CT-GAN

SWG

SWGAN



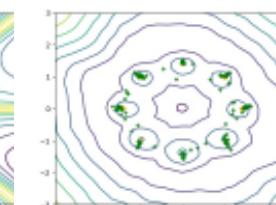
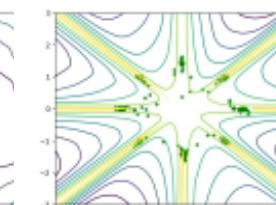
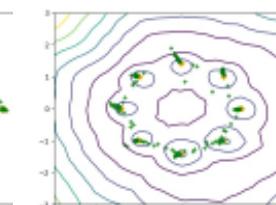
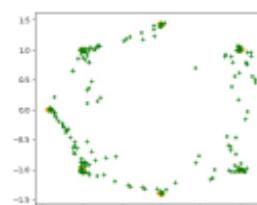
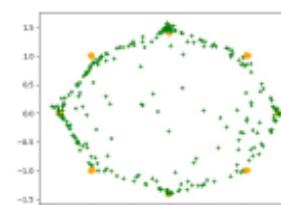
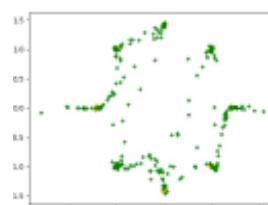
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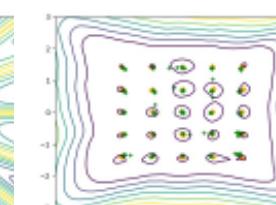
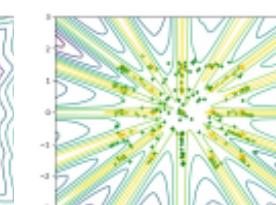
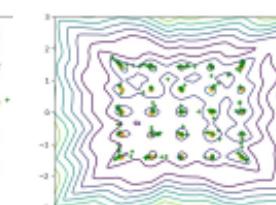
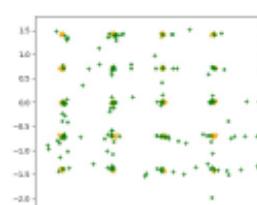
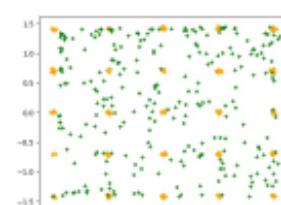
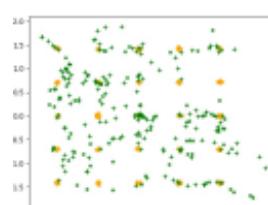
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Frechet Inception  
 Distance (FID)

$$\text{FID} = \left\| \mu_r - \mu_g \right\|^2 + \text{Tr}(\Sigma_r + \Sigma_g - 2(\Sigma_r \Sigma_g)^{1/2})$$

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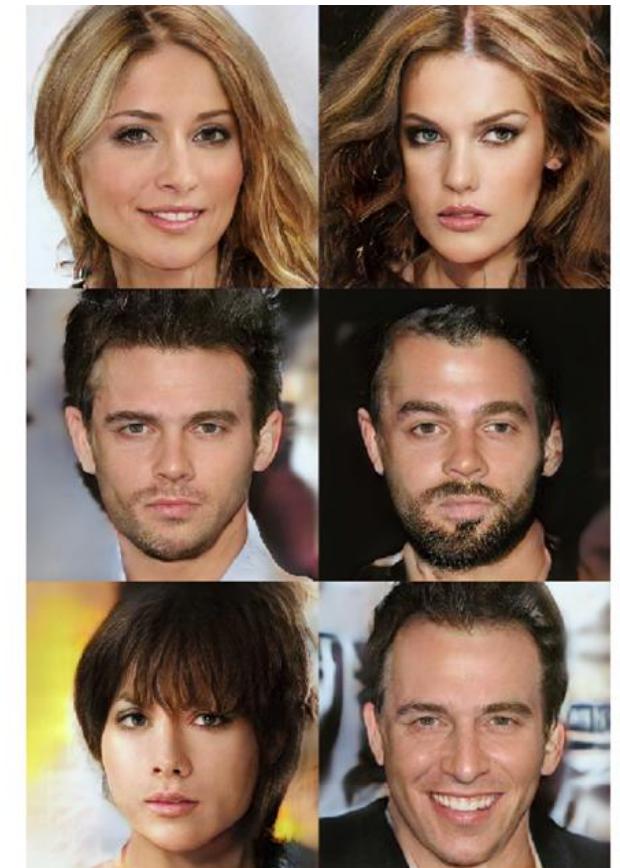
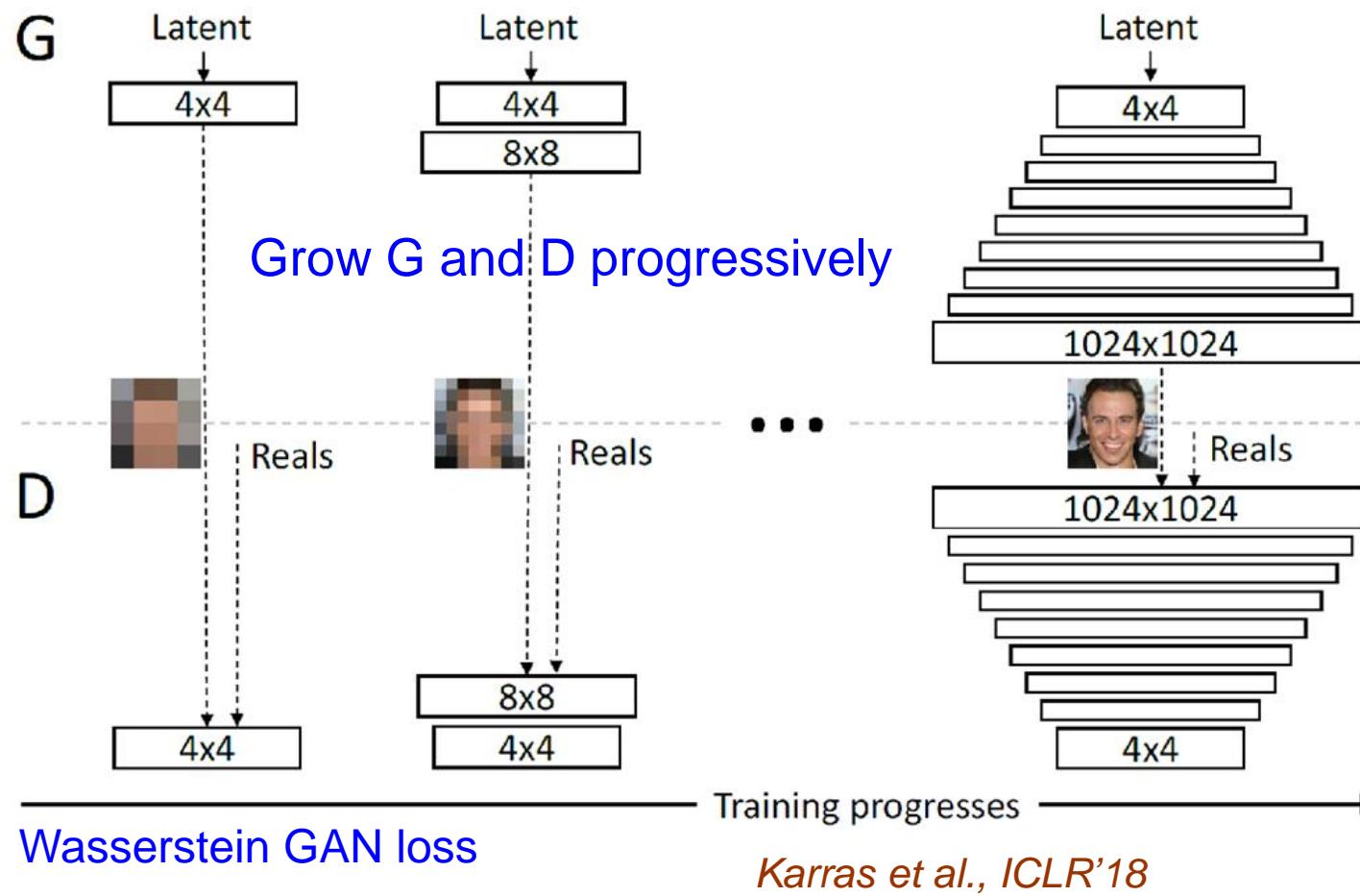
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Arjovsky'17

**PWGANG**  
Karras'18

**StyleGAN**  
Karras'19

CVL

Progressive growing of GANs:



Generated HQ samples

# Image GAN

**GAN**

Goodfellow'14

**DCGAN**

Radford'15

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# Image GAN

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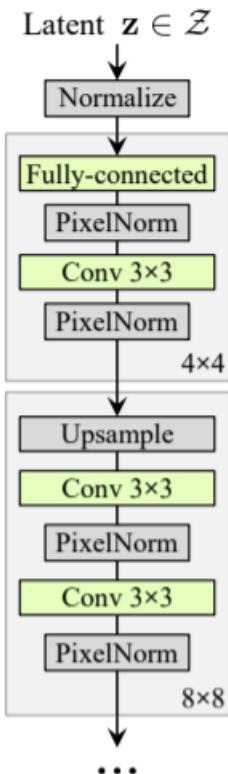
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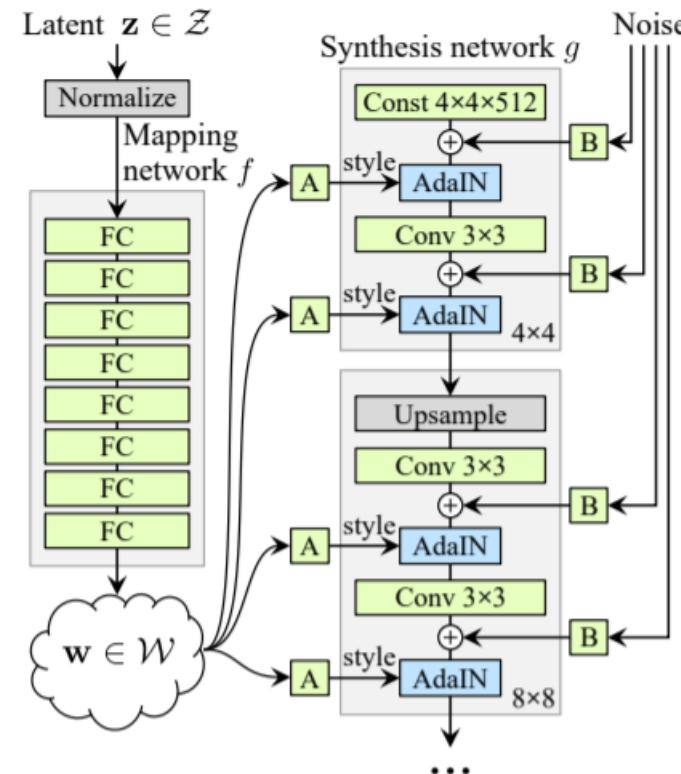
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## StyleGAN

Karras'19



(a) Traditional



## Conditional GAN

**Pix2pix**  
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Choi'18

**SPADE**  
Park'19

**SinGAN**  
Shaham'19

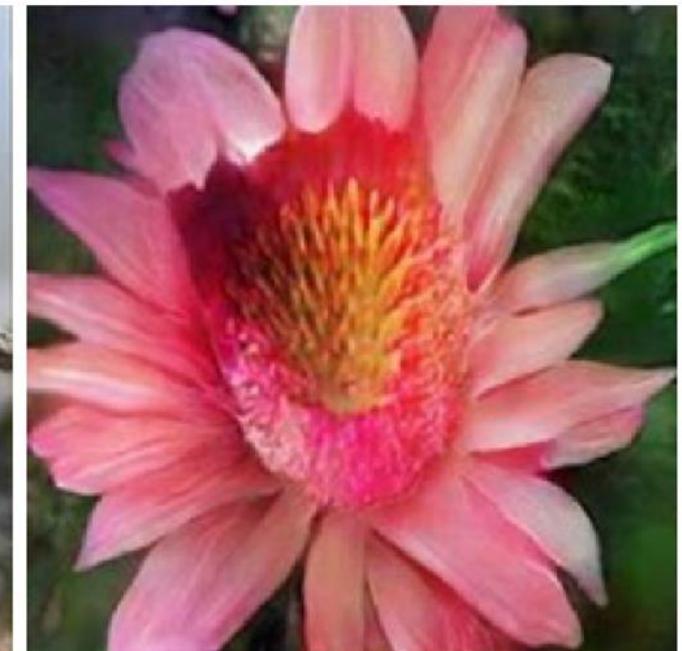
This bird is white with some black on its head and wings, and has a long orange beak



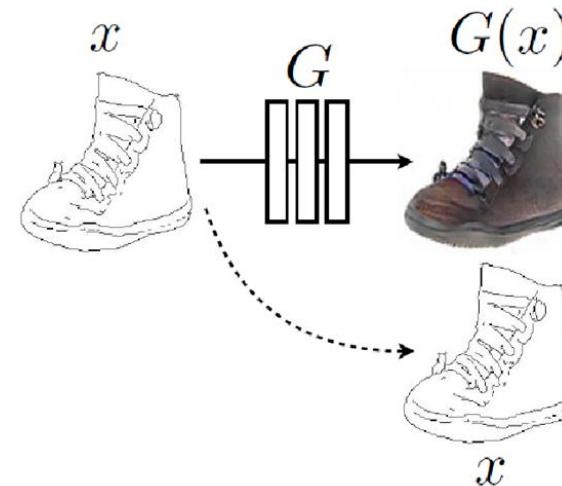
This bird has a yellow belly and tarsus, grey back, wings, and brown throat, nape with a black face



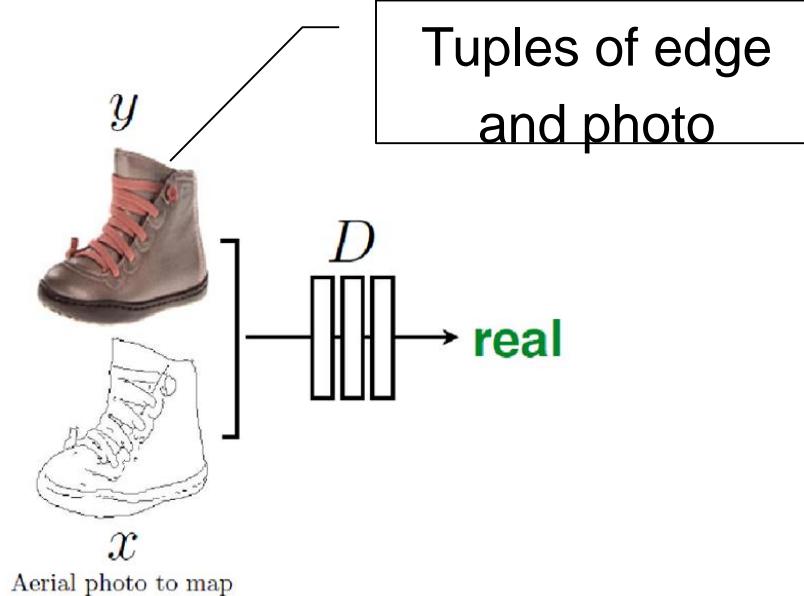
This flower has overlapping pink pointed petals surrounding a ring of short yellow filaments



Zhang et al., ICCV'17

Conditional  
GANPix2pix  
Isola'17CycleGAN  
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Park'19SinGAN  
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Map to aerial photo



Aerial photo to map



## Conditional GAN

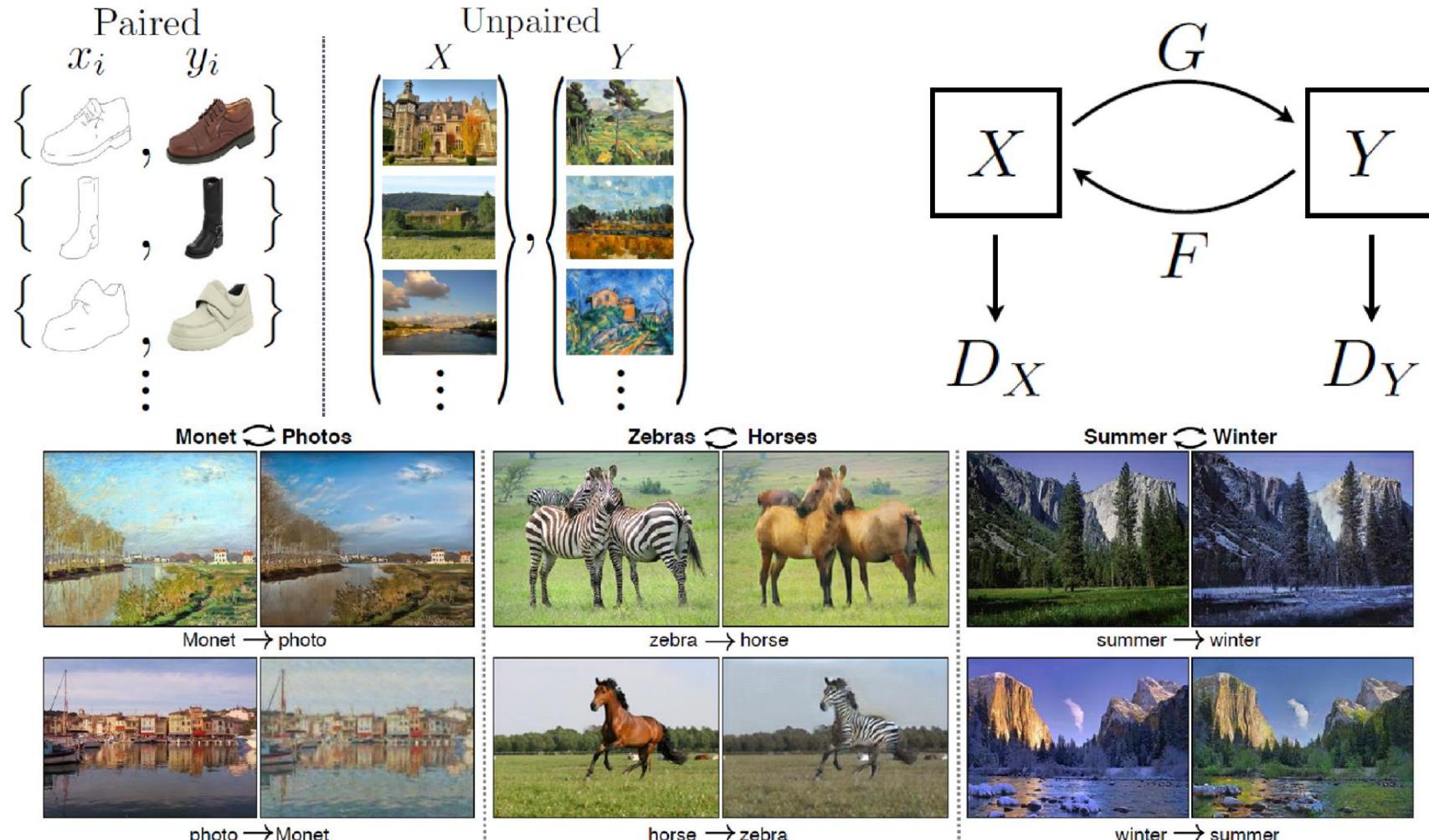
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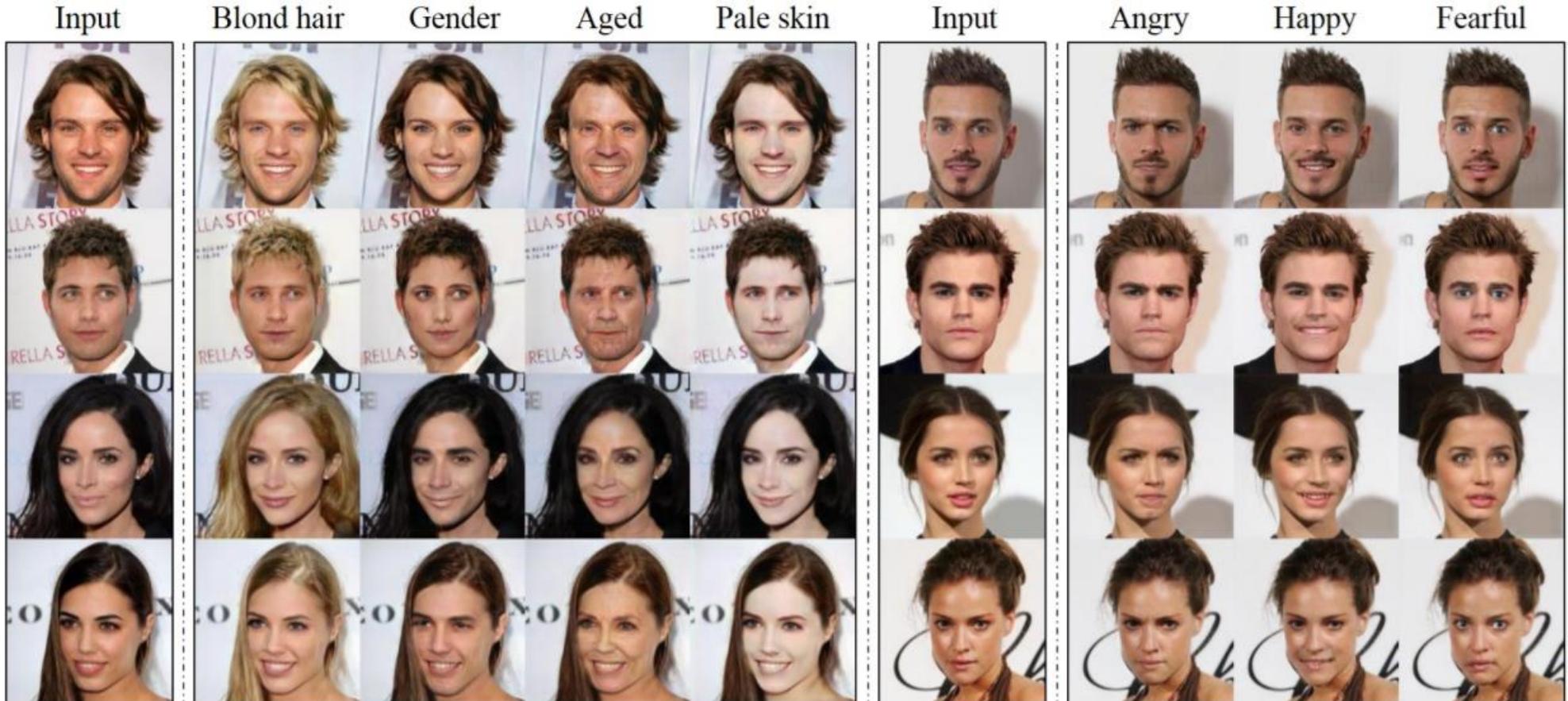
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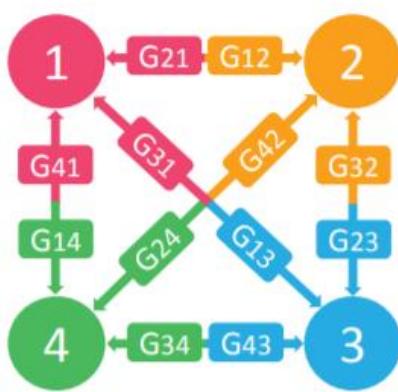
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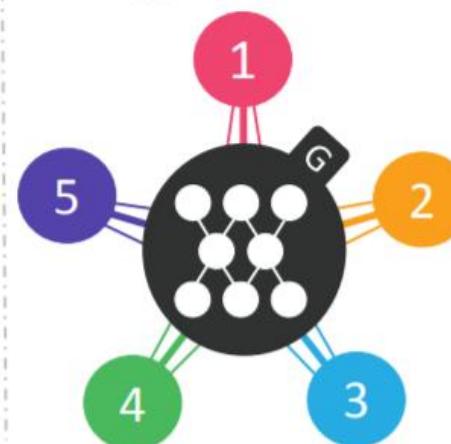
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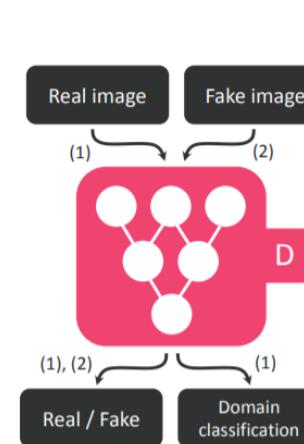
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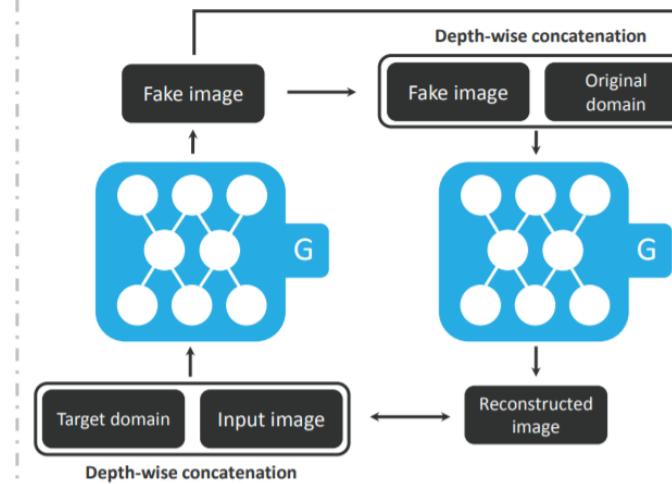
### (b) StarGAN



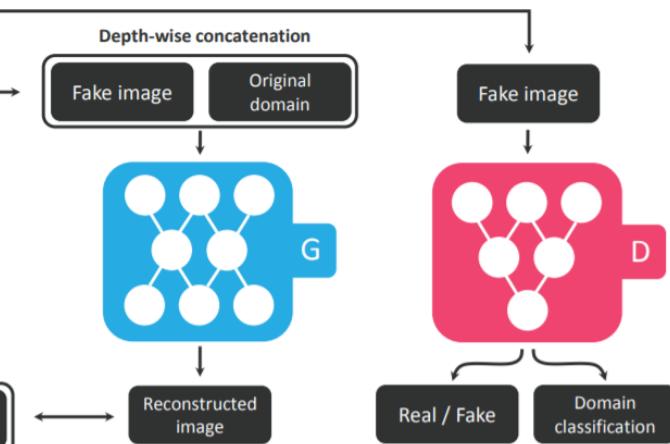
### (a) Training the discriminator



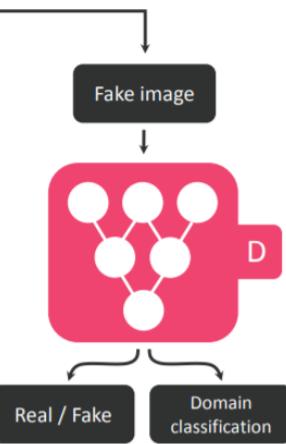
### (b) Original-to-target domain



### (c) Target-to-original domain



### (d) Fooling the discriminator



## Conditional GAN

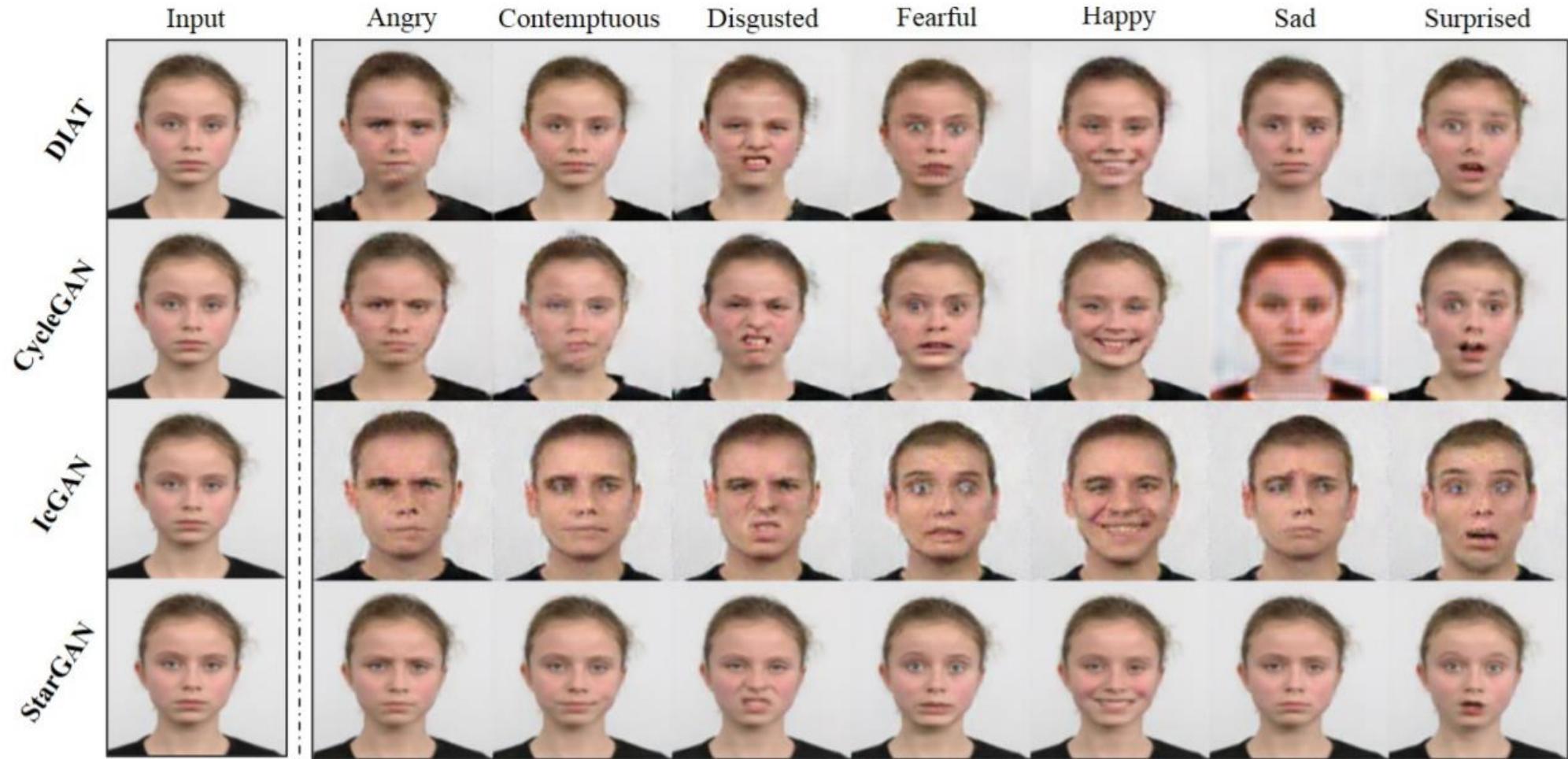
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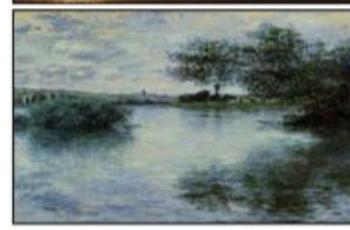
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cloud	sky
tree	mountain
sea	grass



Semantic Manipulation Using Segmentation Map

Style Manipulation using Style Images



## Conditional GAN

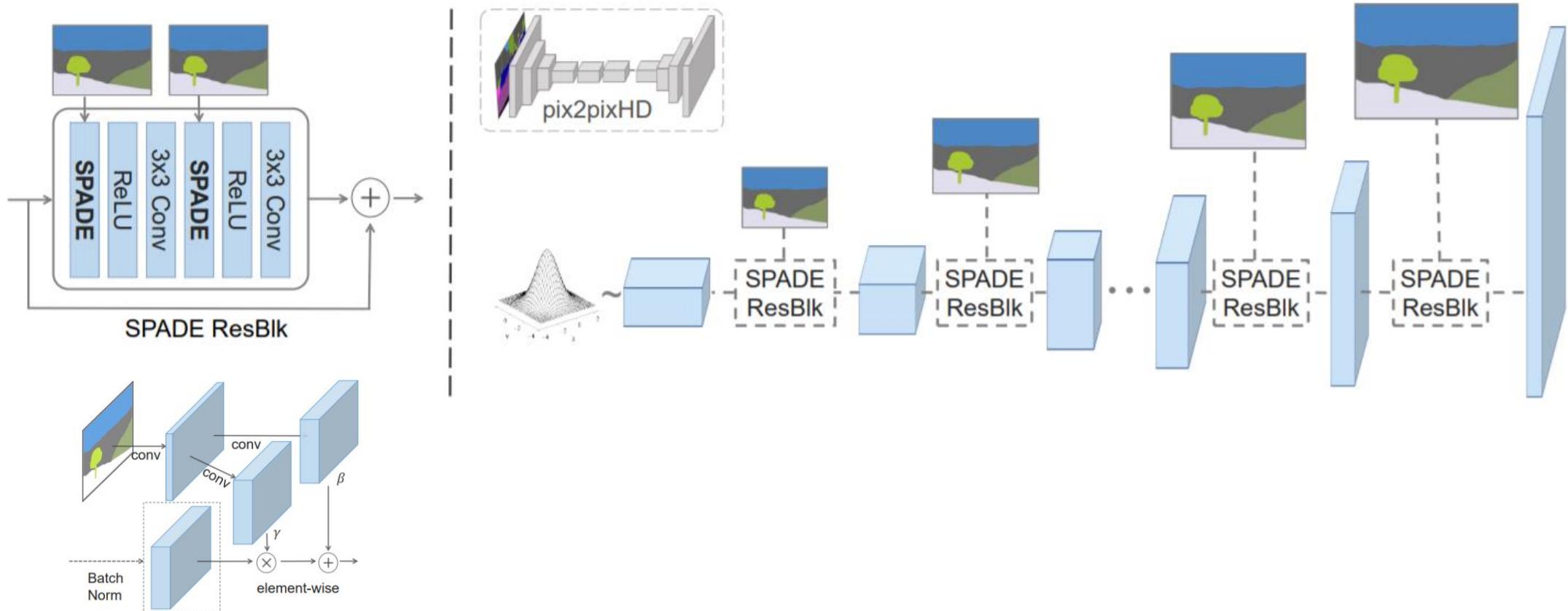
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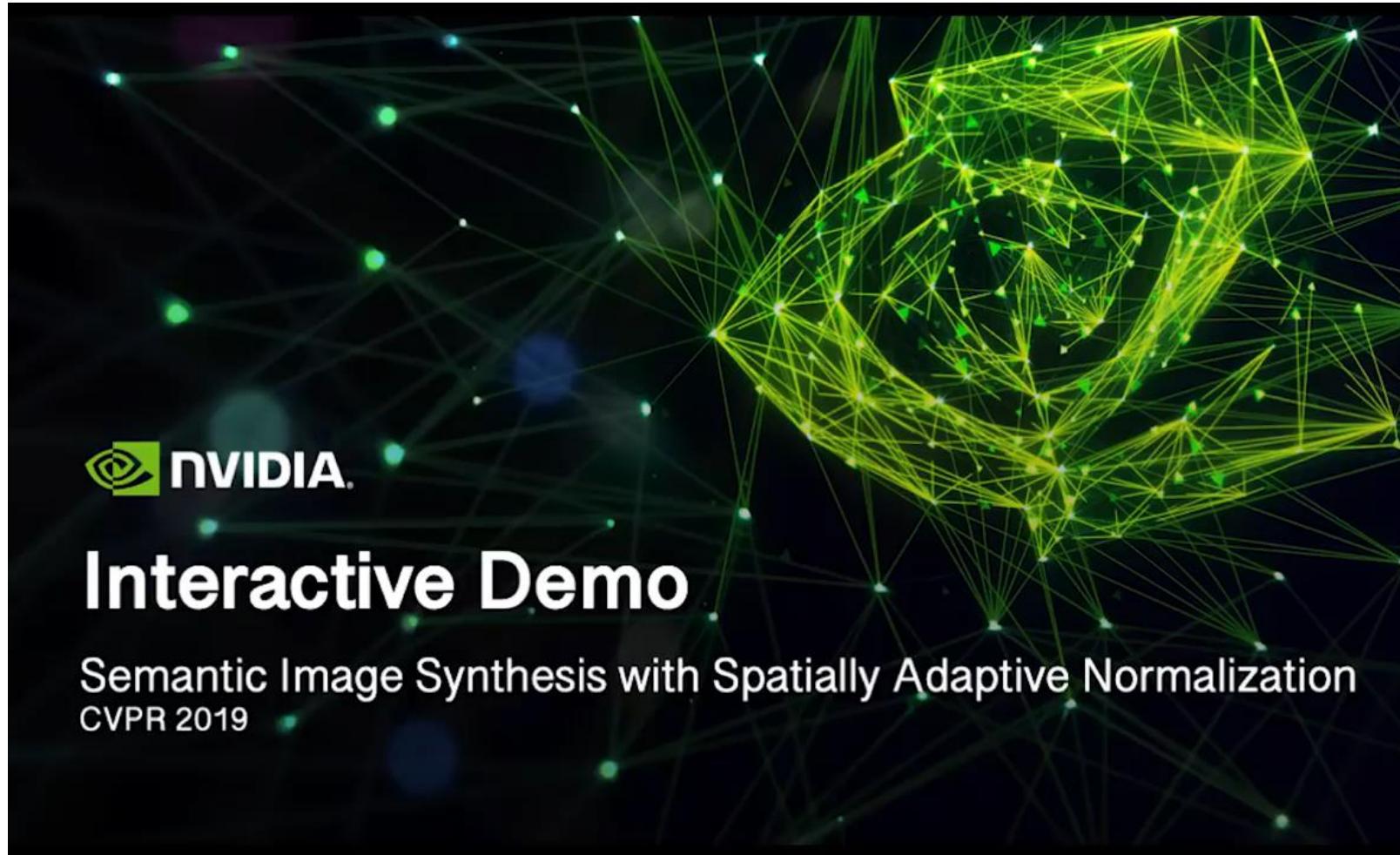
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## Conditional GAN

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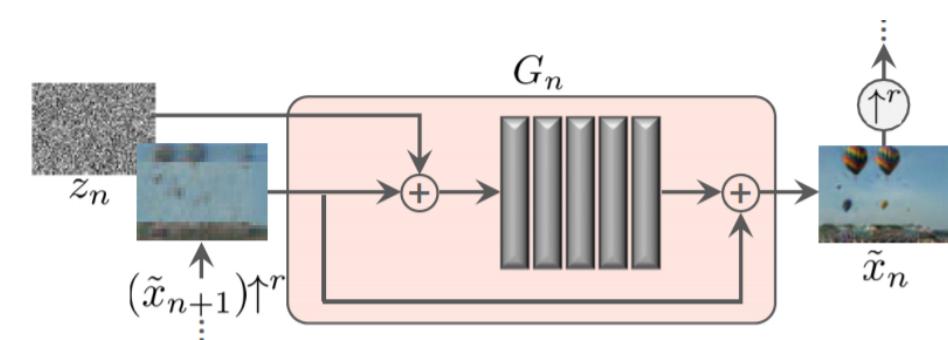
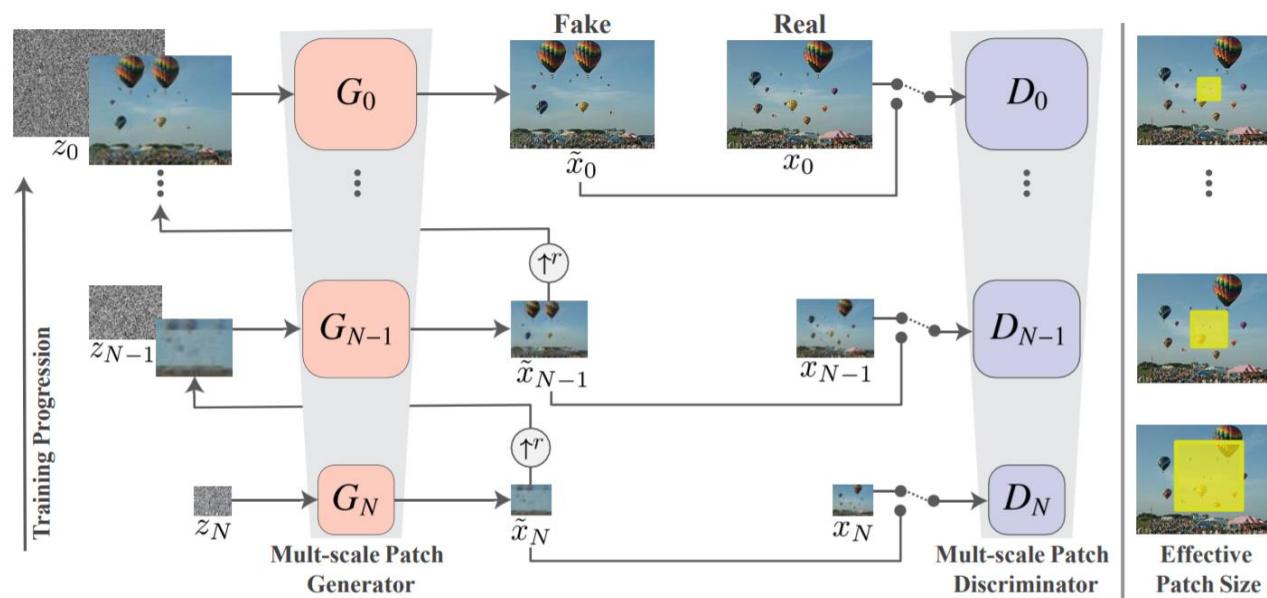
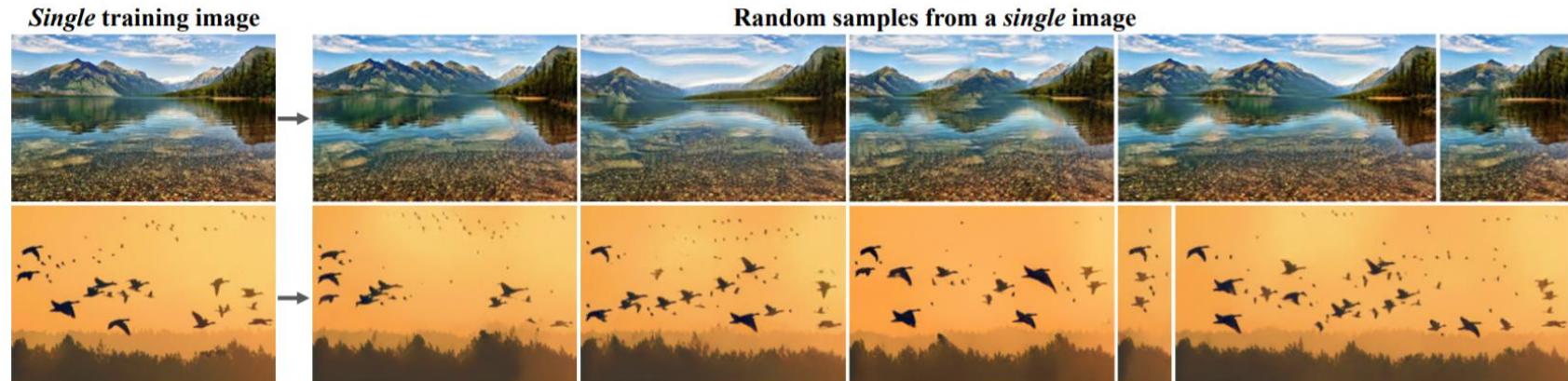
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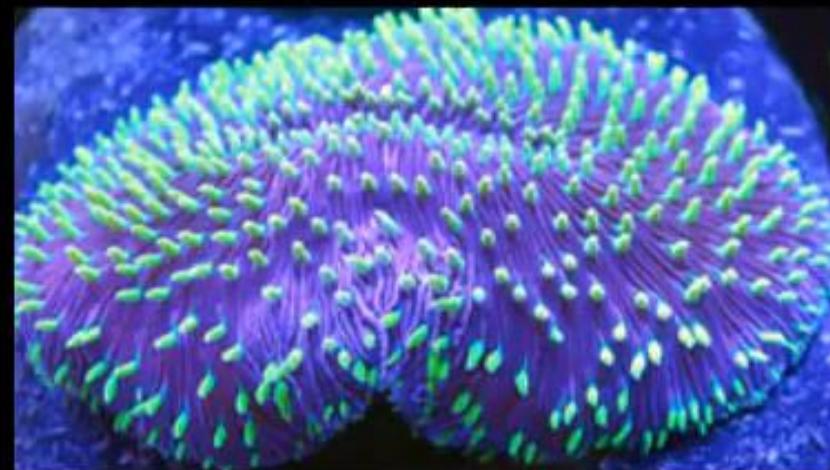
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Training Image

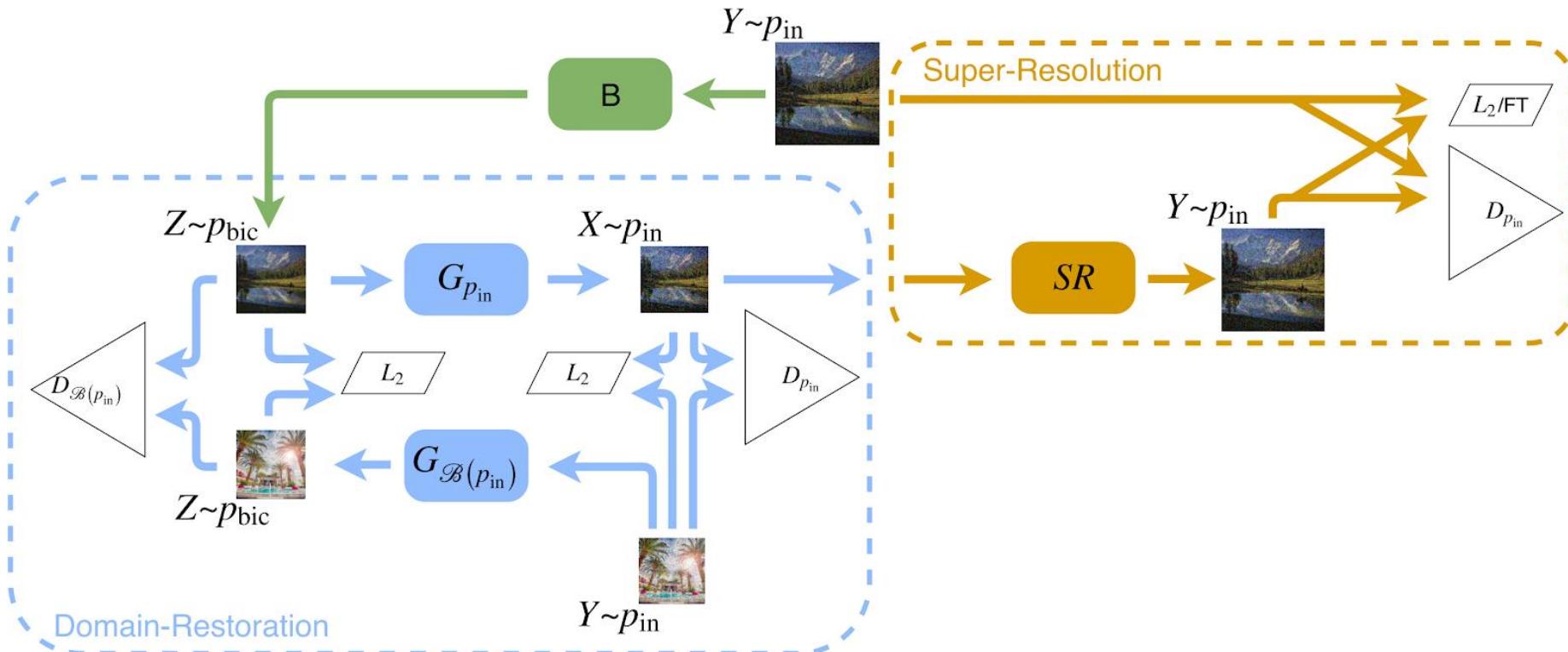


# And Few More Applications.....



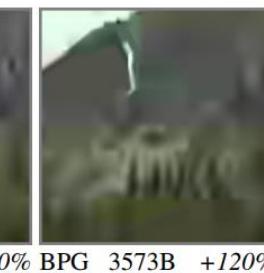
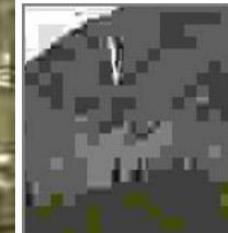
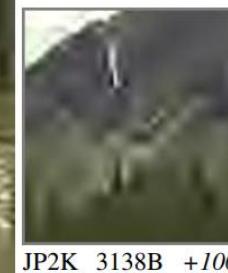
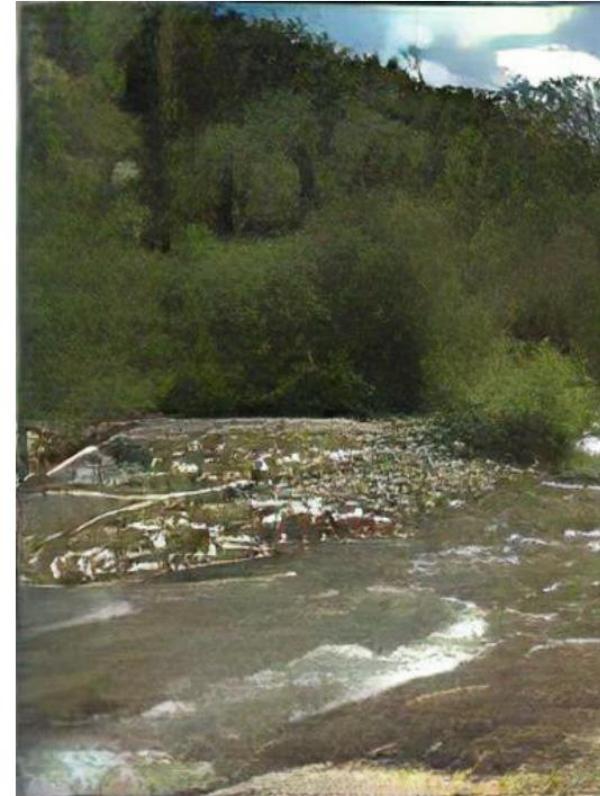
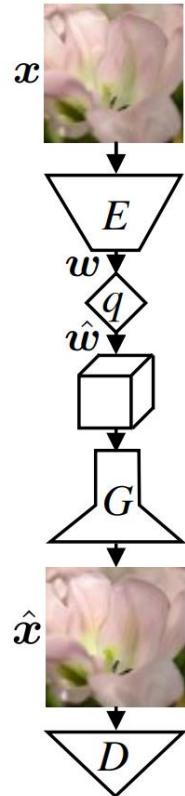
# Unsupervised Image Super-Resolution

- Learn the downsampling operation with unpaired images
- Train the super-resolution network on the generated paired data



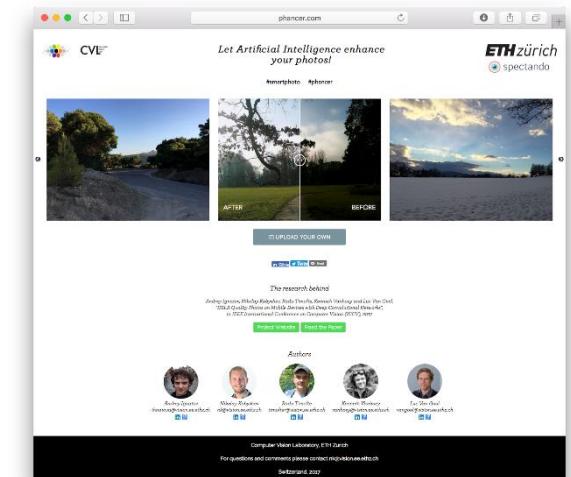
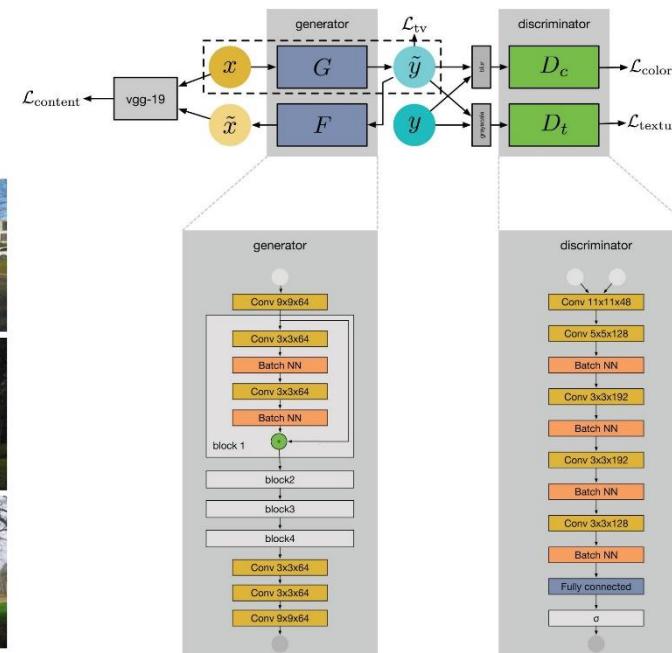
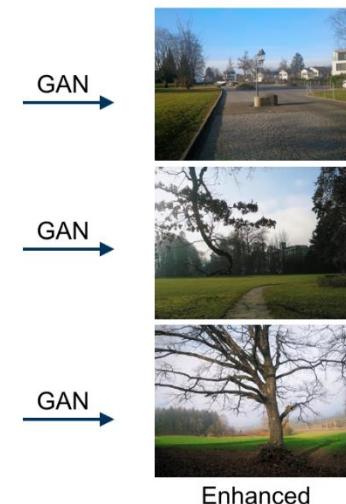
# Compression

- Learned image compression for better quality
- Practical lossless compression



# Deep Image Enhancement

- Make pictures taken by a cheap smartphone camera look as if taken by a DSLR!
- Transform 3D sequences into photorealistic movie

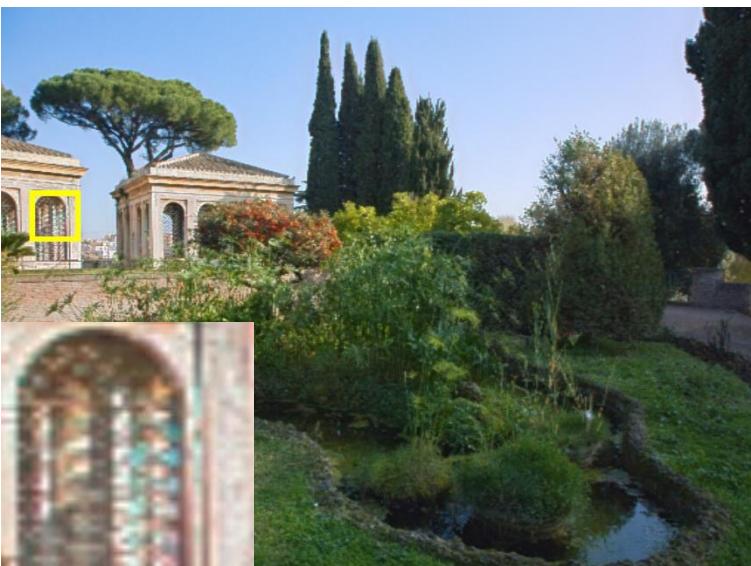




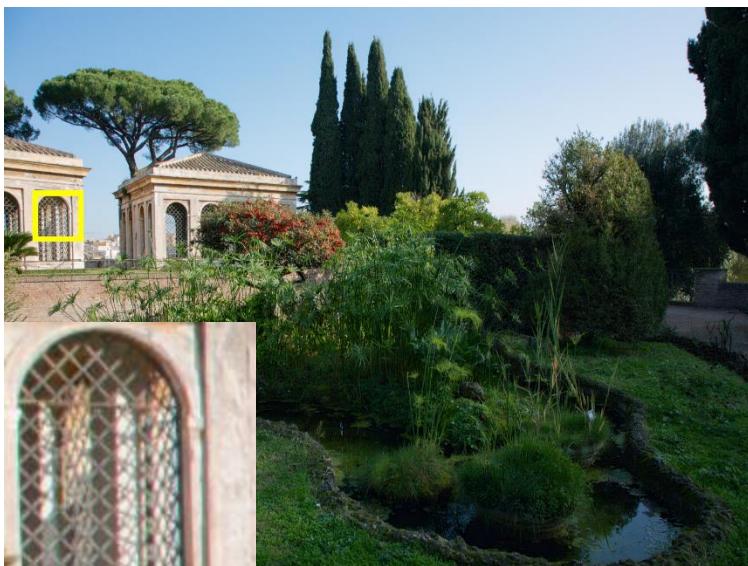
Input



WESPE [Ignatov, CVPRW'18]



DPE [Chen, CVPR'18]



Proposed MUSPE [Under submission]

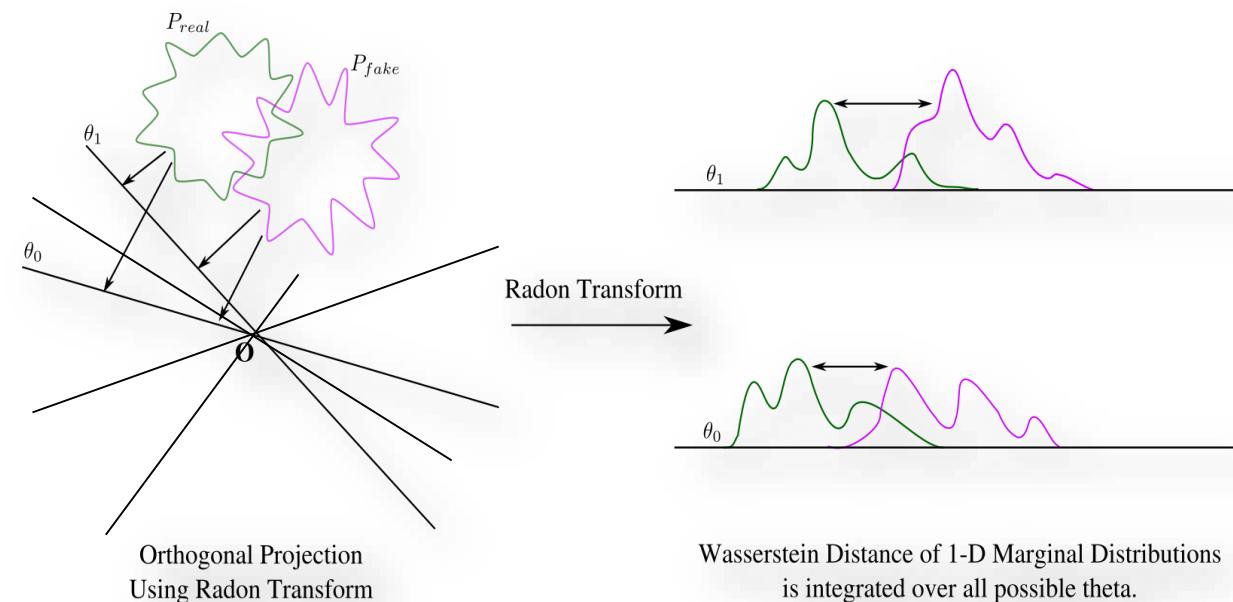
# A Better Loss.....

## Sliced Wasserstein Generative Models

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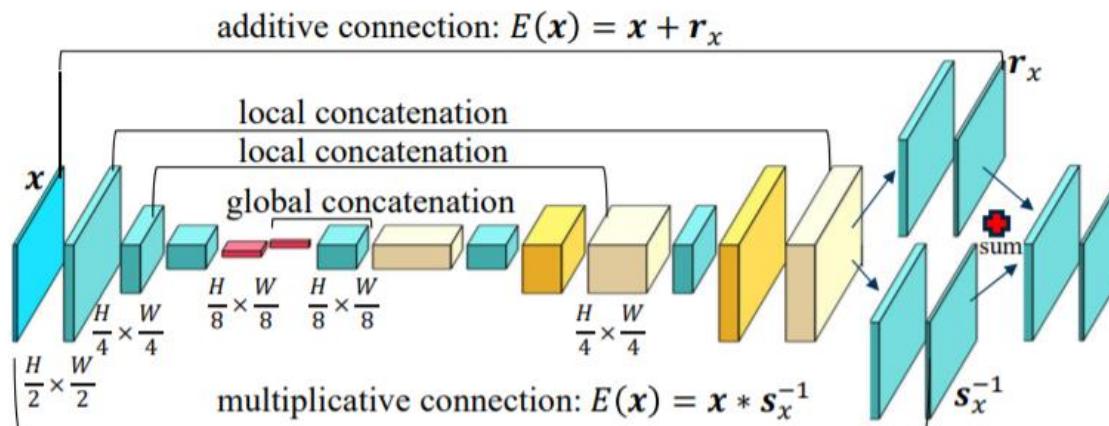
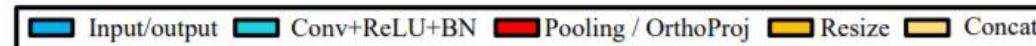


# A Better Architecture ....

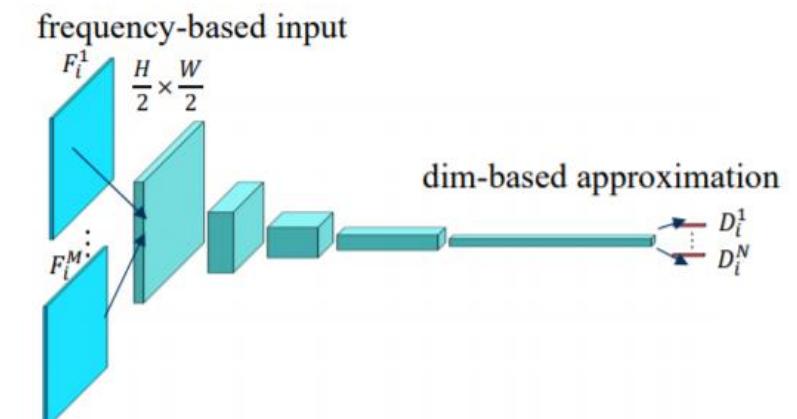
## DIVIDE-AND-CONQUER ADVERSARIAL LEARNING FOR HIGH-RESOLUTION IMAGE AND VIDEO ENHANCEMENT

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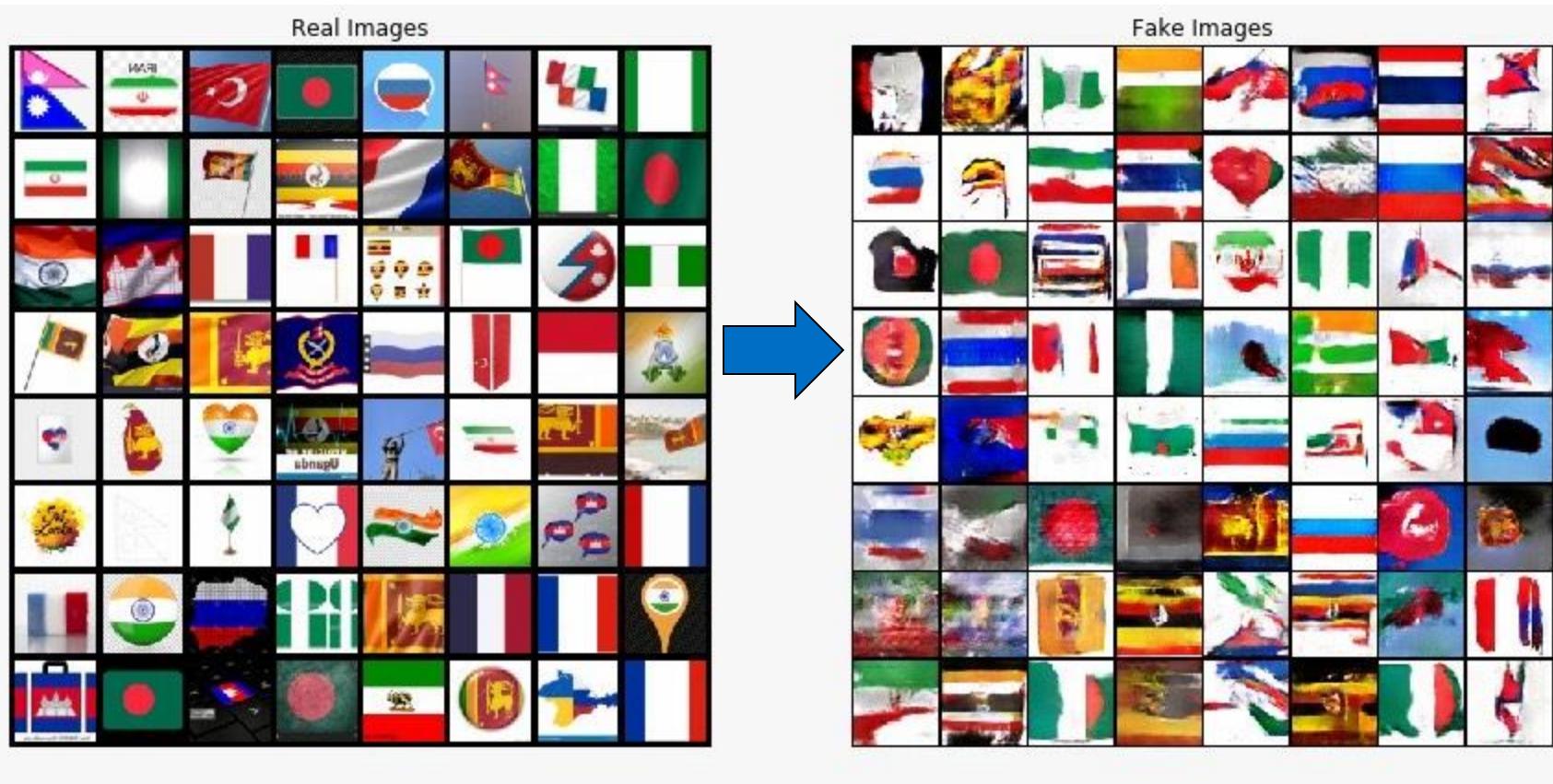
(a) Enhancer for Perception-based Division



(b) Discriminator for Freq- and Dim-based Division



# Lab Session



# Q&A

