

Exploiting Deep Generative Prior for Versatile Image Restoration and Manipulation

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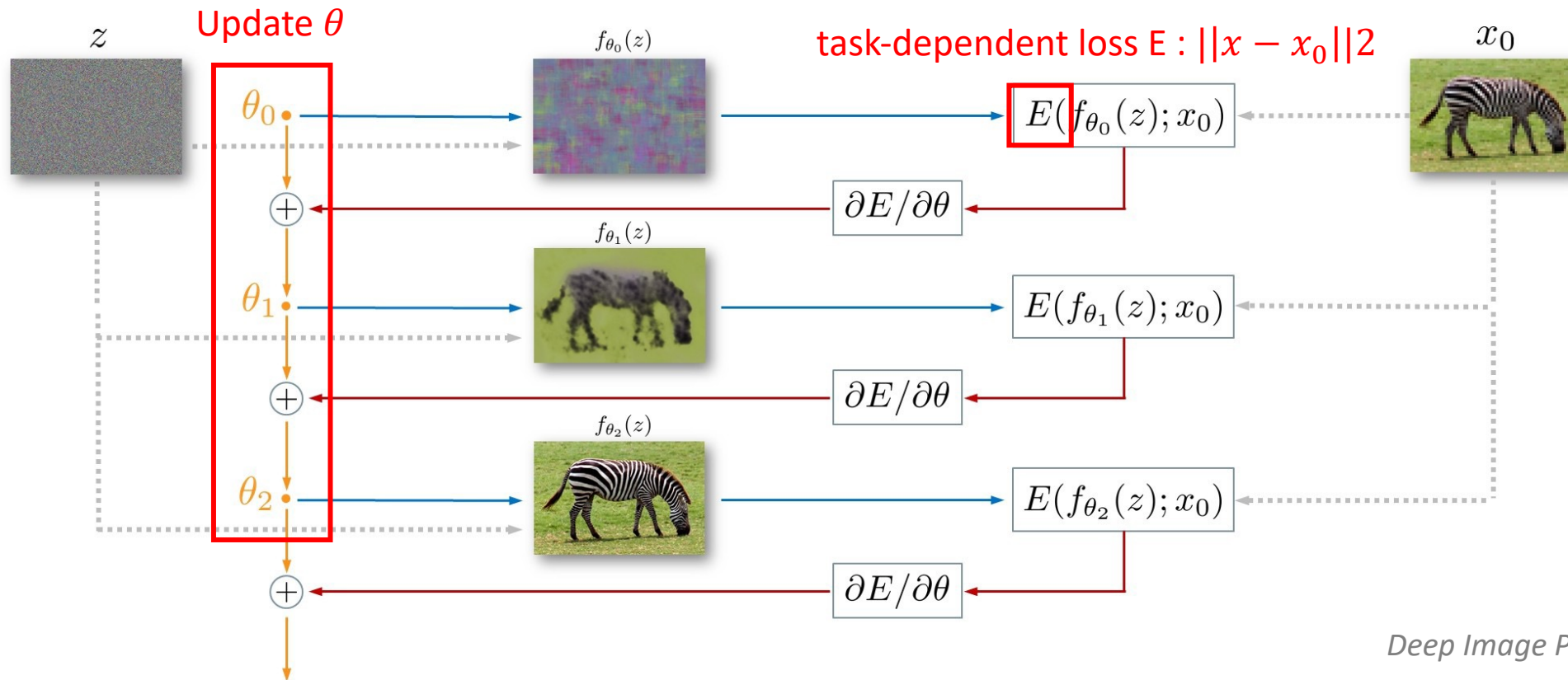
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Background

01. Background

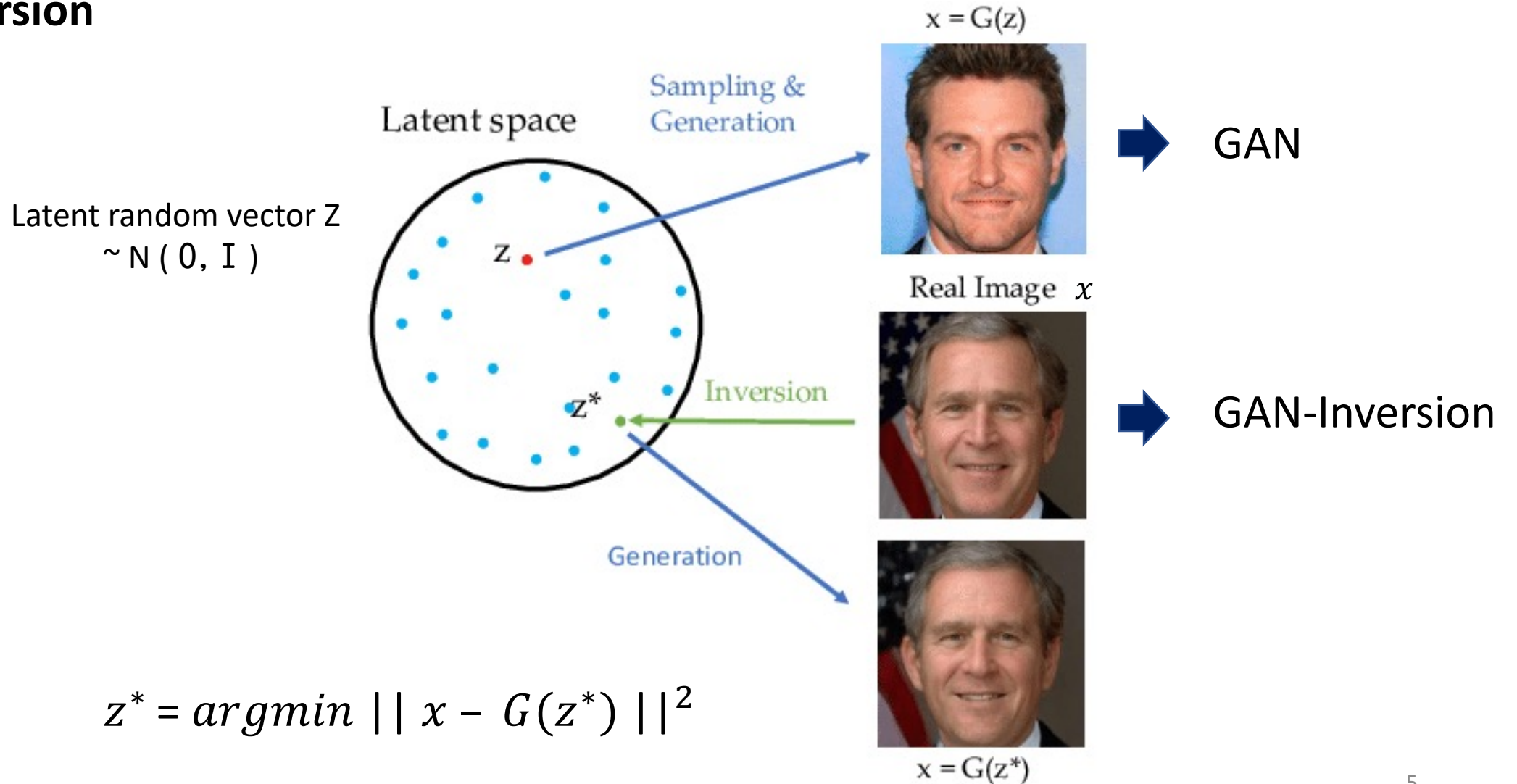
Previous work : Deep Image Prior



Limitation : Still exist **gaps** toward image prior that **captures rich image semantics**. (e.g. color, textures, high-level concepts)

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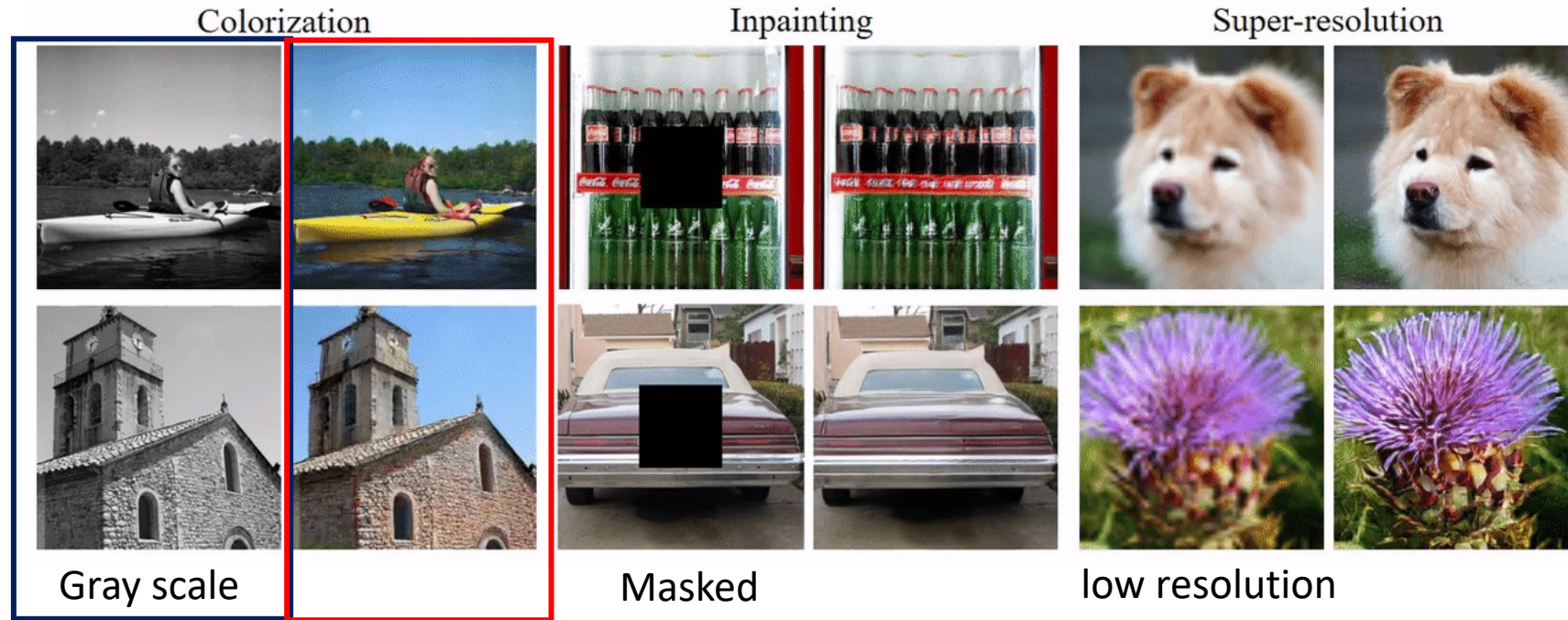
GAN-Inversion



Methodology of Deep Generative Prior

02. Methodology of DGP

Goal : exploiting generic image prior of GAN



Degraded image (left side) →

GAN



Restored image (right side)

02. Methodology of DGP

Main Contribution

1. Training Generator through **relaxed GAN-Inversion** methods.
2. Allow the generator to be fine-tuned on-the-fly in a **progressive manner** regularized by **feature distance** obtained by the discriminator in GAN.

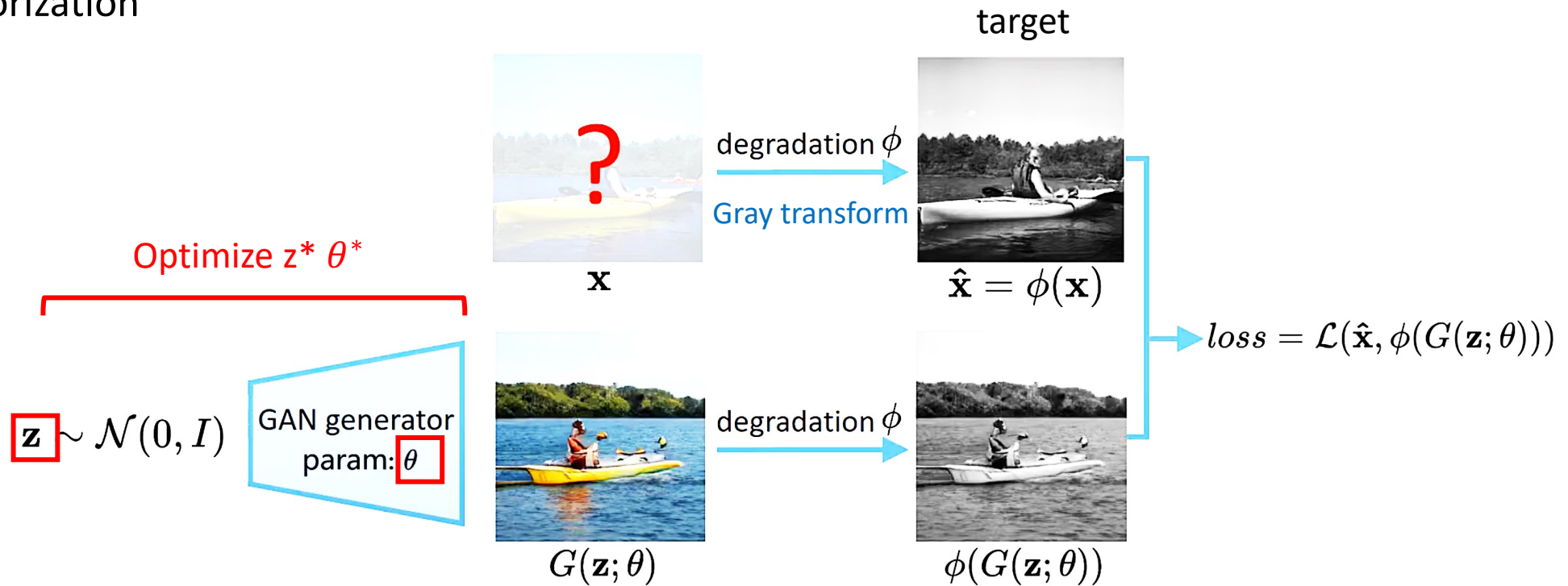


“ Restore missing semantics and enable diverse image manipulation ”

02. Methodology of DGP

1) Relax the Generator for GAN-Inversion

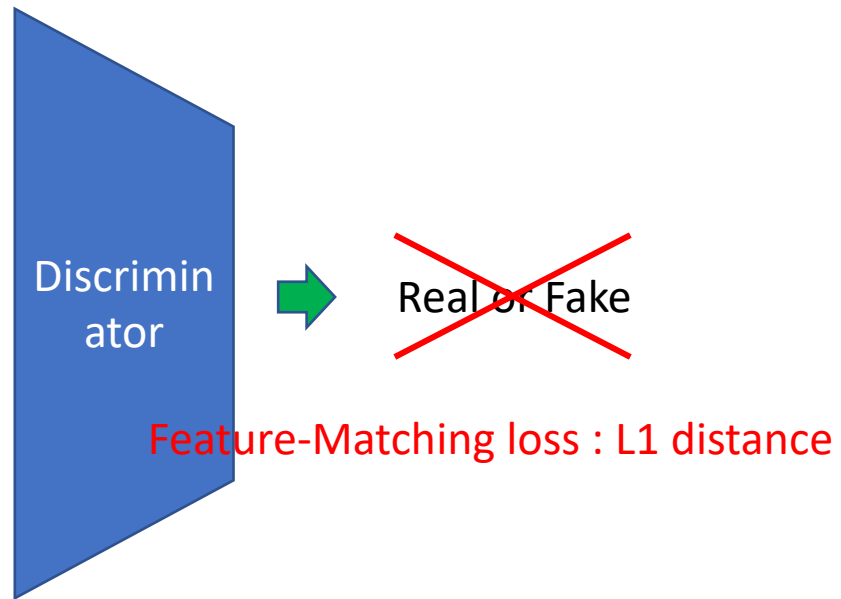
e.g. colorization



Updated objective : $\theta^*, \mathbf{z}^* = \arg \min_{\theta, \mathbf{z}} \mathcal{L}(\hat{\mathbf{x}}, \phi(G(\mathbf{z}; \theta))), \quad \mathbf{x}^* = G(\mathbf{z}^*; \theta^*).$

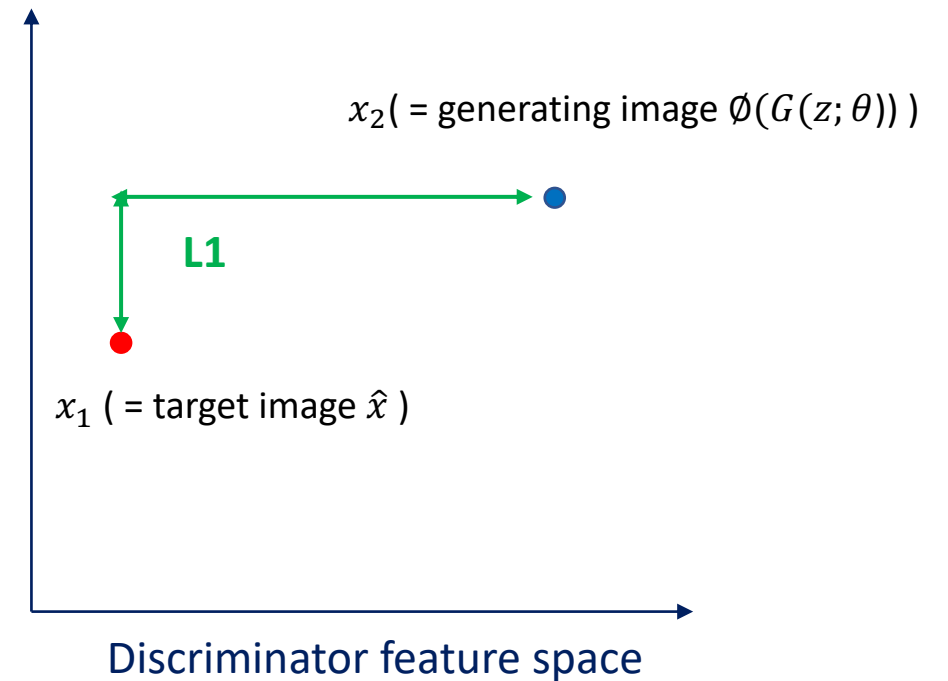
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2) Discriminator Guided Progressive Reconstruction – Feature Matching loss



$$\mathcal{L}(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \sum_{i \in \mathcal{I}} \|D(\mathbf{x}_1, i), D(\mathbf{x}_2, i)\|_1.$$

- $D(x_1, i)$ 는 discriminator의 i 번째 block에서의 x 의 feature
- \mathcal{I} 는 사용한 block의 index set



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2) Discriminator Guided Progressive Reconstruction

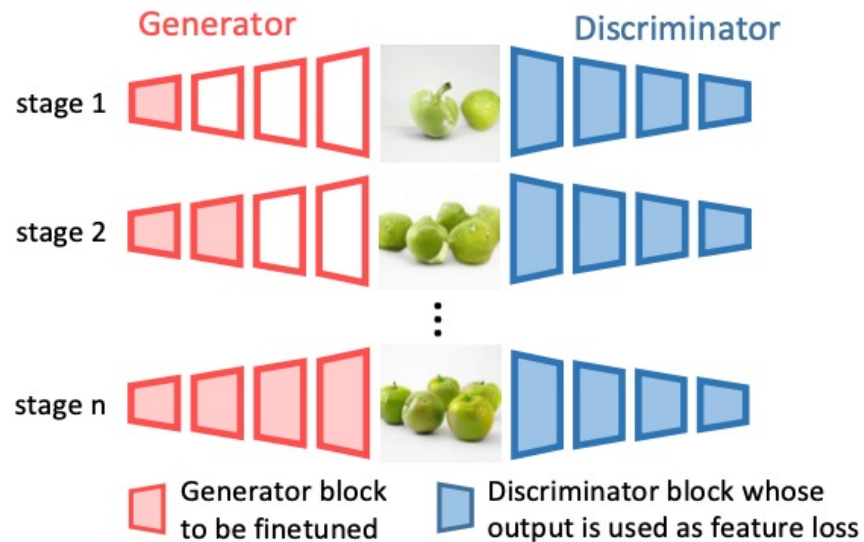


Fig. 4. Progressive reconstruction of the generator can better preserve the consistency between missing and existing semantics in comparison to simultaneous fine-tuning on all the parameters at once. Here the list of images shown in the middle are the outputs of the generator in different fine-tuning stages.

➡ The generator can better **preserve the consistency** between missing and existing semantics.

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2) Discriminator Guided Progressive Reconstruction

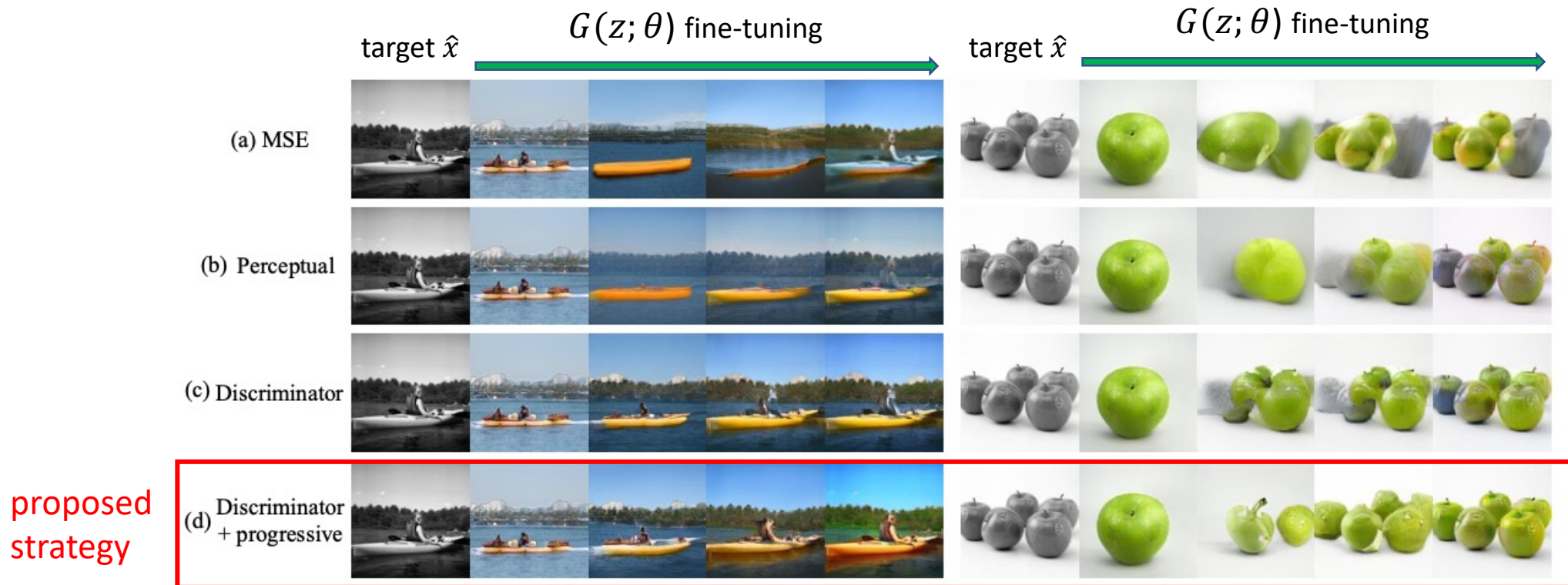


Fig. 3. Comparison of different loss types when fine-tuning the generator to reconstruct the image

Experiment / Result

03. Experiment

1) Task

Image Restoration

- Inpainting
- SR
- Colorization
- Adversarial defense

Image Manipulation

- Random jittering
- Image morphing
- Category transfer

2) Architecture : BigGAN (Pretrained on **ImageNet** / Test on 1K images from ImageNet Validation set)

3) Initialization of Z : randomly sample 500 images using the GAN, select the neighbor of the target image under the discriminator feature metric as the starting point.

4) Fine-tuning : a little differences for each tasks

03. Quantitative Result

1) Image Restoration

Colorization

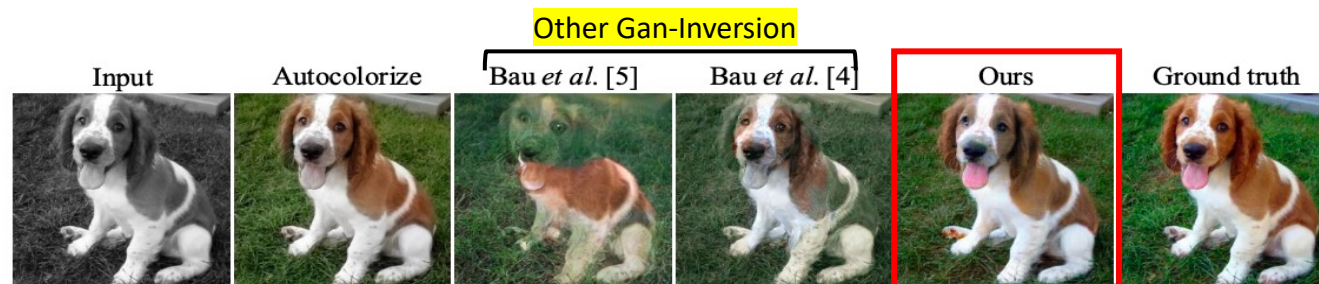


Fig. 5. Colorization. Qualitative comparison of Autocolorize [25], other GAN-inversion methods [5][4], and our DGP

Inpainting

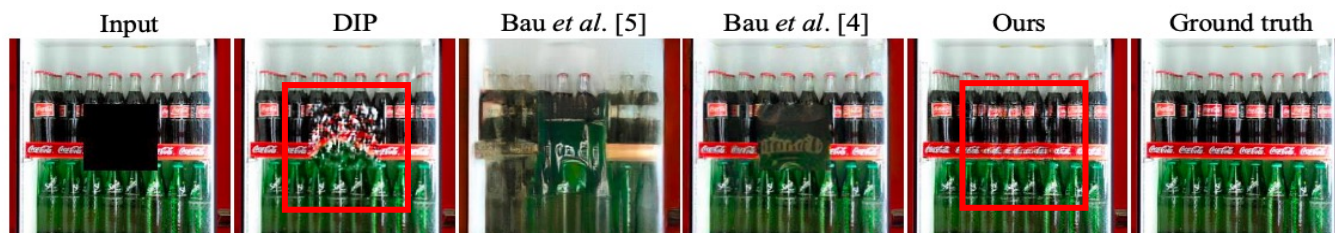


Fig. 6. Inpainting. Compared with DIP and [5][4], the proposed DGP could preserve the spatial coherence in image inpainting with large missing regions

SR

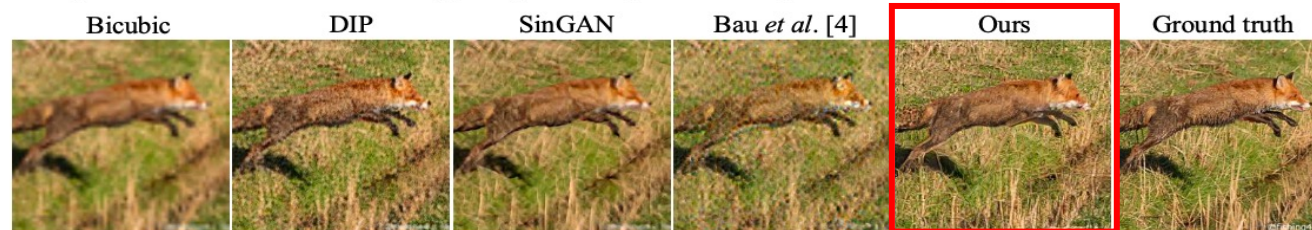


Fig. 7. Super-resolution ($\times 4$) on 64×64 size images. The comparisons of our method with DIP, SinGAN, and [4] are shown, where DGP produces sharper super-resolution results

03. Quantitative Result

1) Image Restoration : Adversarial defense

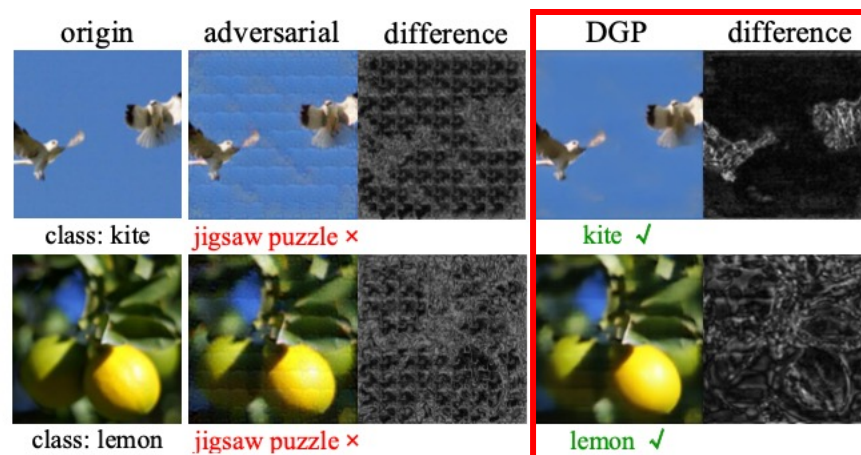


Fig. 10. Adversarial defense. DGP is capable of filtering out unnatural perturbations in the adversarial samples by reconstructing them

Table 5. Adversarial defense evaluation. We reported the classification accuracy of a ResNet50. The results are evaluated on the 1k ImageNet validation set

method	clean image	adversarial	DefenceGAN	DIP	Ours
top1 acc. (%)	74.9	1.4	0.2	37.5	41.3
top5 acc. (%)	92.7	12.0	1.4	61.2	65.9

03. Quantitative Result

Pros 1: Flexibility of DGP

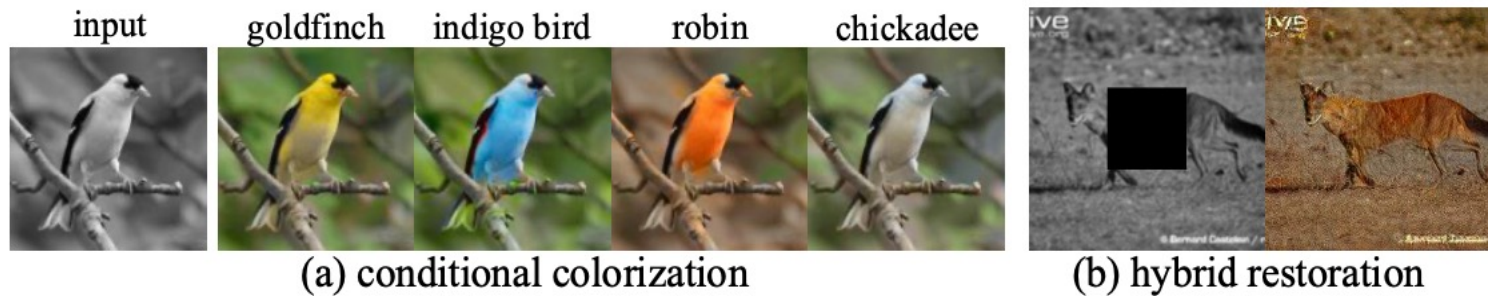


Fig. 8. (a) Colorizing an image under different class conditions. (b) Simultaneously conduct colorization, inpainting, and super-resolution ($\times 2$)

(b) Hybrid degradation : $\beta(x) = \beta_a(\beta_b(\beta_c(x)))$

03. Quantitative Result

Pros 2: Generalization of DGP

Colorization



Inpainting

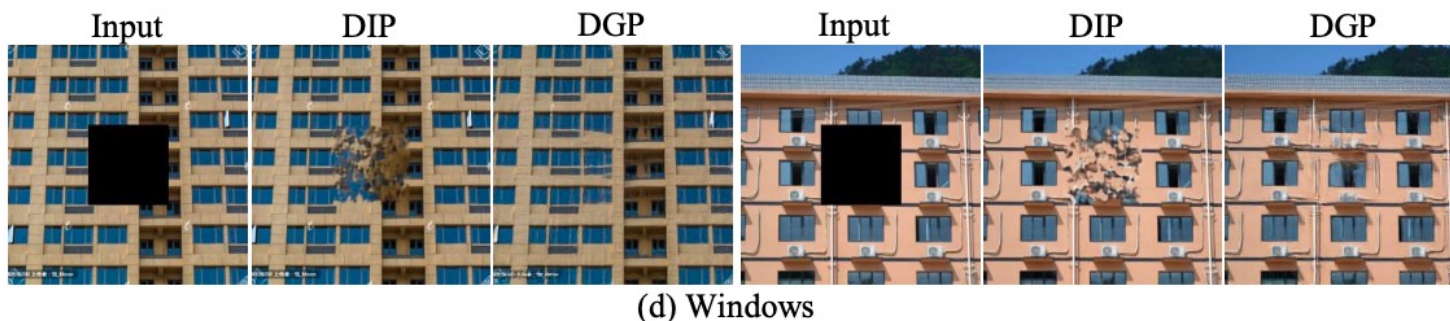


Fig. 9. Evaluation of DGP on non-ImageNet images, including (a) ‘Raccoon’, a category not belonging to ImageNet categories, (b) image from Places dataset [44], (c) image without foreground object, and (d) windows. (a)(c)(d) are scratched from Internet

03. Quantitative Result

2) Image Manipulation : random jittering

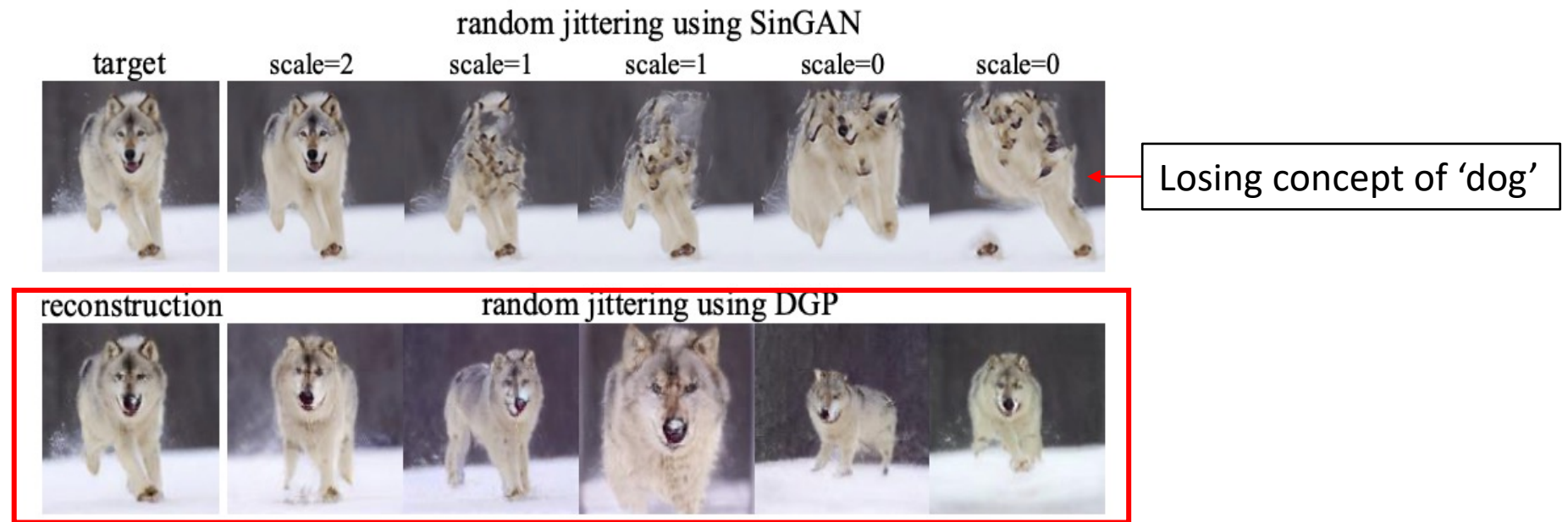


Fig. 11. Comparison of **random jittering** using SinGAN (above) and DGP (below)

* Random jittering ? add Gaussian noise to the latent vector z^*

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2) Image Manipulation : image morphing, category transfer

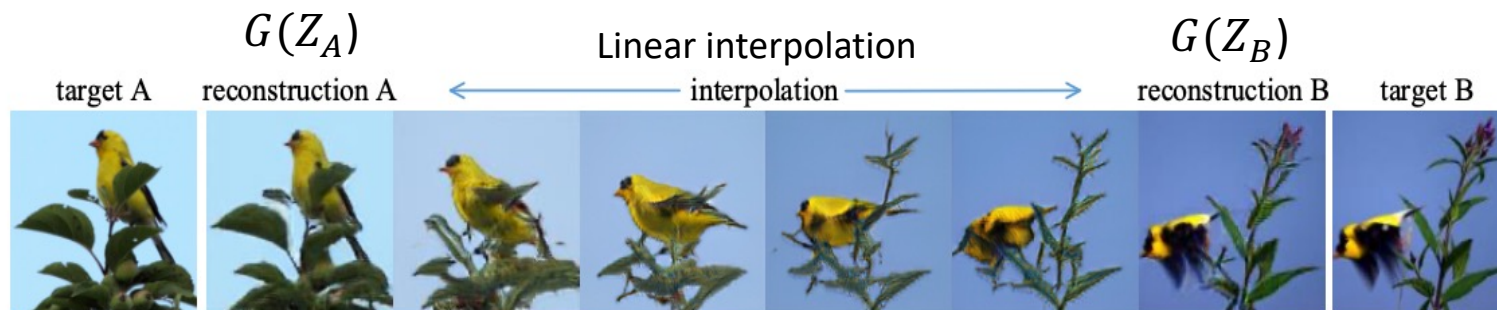


Fig. 12. Image morphing. Our method achieves visually realistic image morphing effects



Fig. 13. Category transfer. DGP enables the editing of semantics of objects in images

03. Quantitative Result

Cons : Failure Case



too many different objects

small face object

Conclusion

04. Conclusion

Conclusion

- GAN generator trained on massive natural images could be used as a generic image prior (DGP).
- DGP could be used to restore the missing information of a degraded image **by progressively reconstructing** it under the **discriminator metric**.
- Show the potential of a **universal image prior captured by a GAN** in image restoration and manipulation.

Future work ?

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