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Directed Generative Nets

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Tropics in Deep Generative Models

- Boltzmann Machines
- Restricted Boltzmann Machines
- Deep Belief Networks
- Deep Boltzmann Machines
- Boltzmann Machines for Real-Valued Data
- Convolutional Boltzmann Machines
- Boltzmann Machines for Structured Sequential Objects
- Other Boltzmann Machines
- Back-Propagation through Random Operations
- Directed Generative Nets
- Drawing Samples from Autoencoders
- Generative Stochastic Networks
- Other Generation Schemes
- Evaluating Generative Models

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Topics in Directed Generative Nets

- What are deep, fully directed models
- 1. Sigmoid belief nets
- 2. Differentiable generator nets
- 3. Variational autoencoders (VAE)
- 4. Generative adversarial networks (GAN)
- 5. Generative moment matching networks
- 6. Convolutional generative networks
- 7. Autoregressive networks
 - 8. Linear autoregressive networks
 - 9. Neural autoregressive networks
 - 10. Neural Autoregressive density estimators (NADE)

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Deep Generative Nets

- Directed models: an important class of PGMs
- But in Deep Learning community they have been overshadowed by undirected models
 - Note that DBNs are partially directed
 - Sparse coding models are shallow directed models
 - Used primarily for feature learners
 - Perform poorly in sample generation and density estimation
- Here we review directed PGMs associated with deep learning

Sigmoid Belief Nets

 Has a vector of binary states s, with each element influenced by its ancestors:

$$p(s_i) = \sigma \left(\sum_{j < i} W_{j,i} s_j + b_i \right)$$

- Structure:
 - Divided into many layers
 - Ancestral sampling proceeds through many hidden layers, finally generating the visible layer
 - Structure is similar to a DBN, except units at the beginning of the sampling process are independent of each other rather than sampled from an RBM