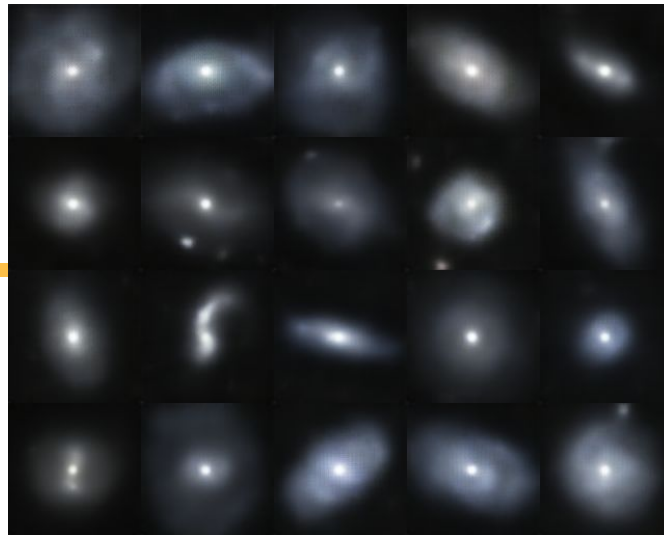




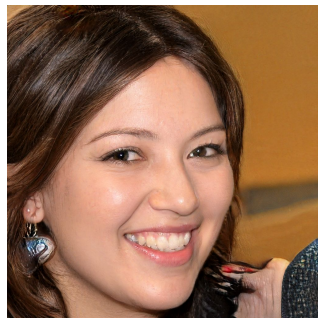
This galaxy does not exist

Matias Carrasco Kind, NCSA & Astronomy



Astrofest, April 23rd, 2019

This person does not exist



<https://thispersondoesnotexist.com/>

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1812.04948>

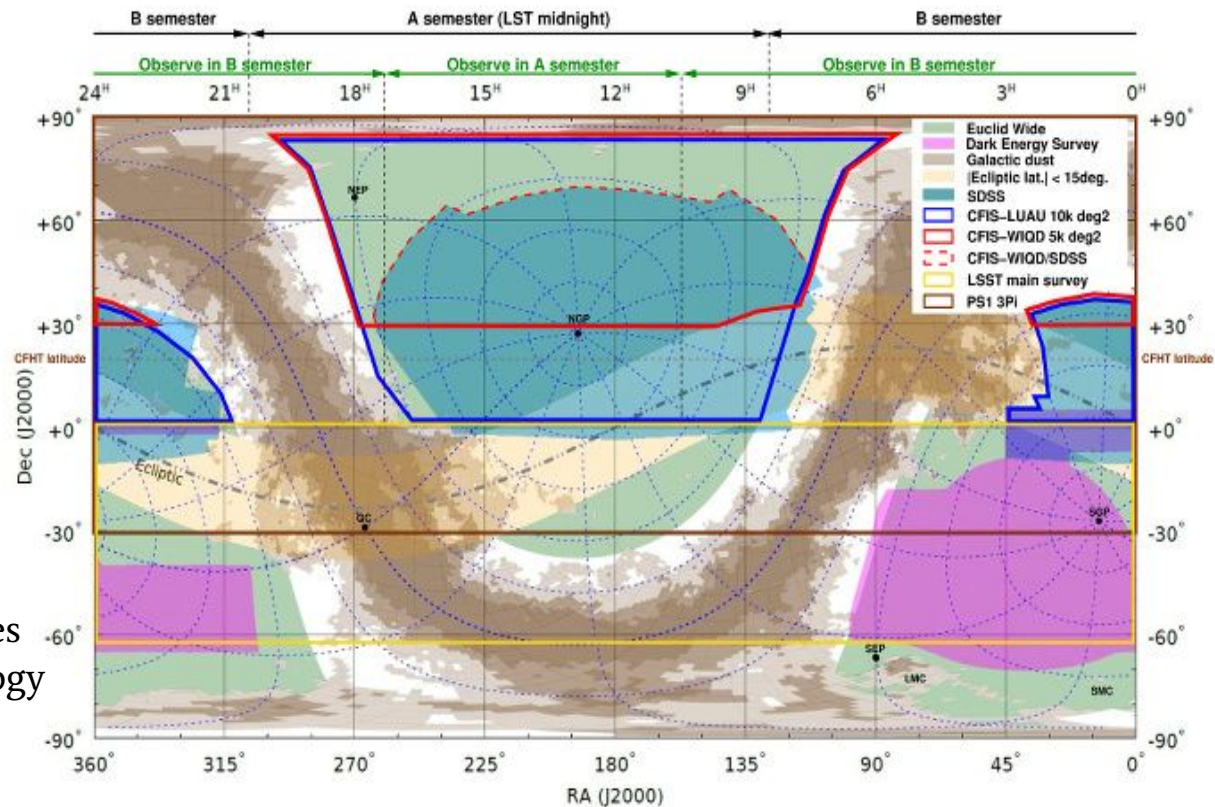
Are we ever going to get this good?

.
. .
.

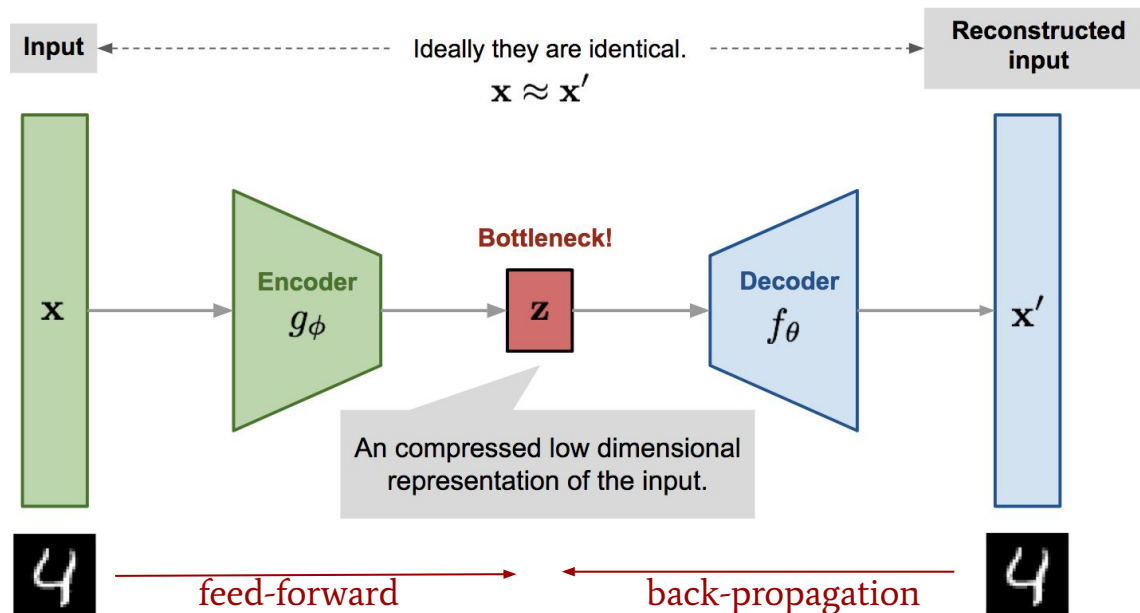
No, and probably don't need to

Introduction

- DES DR1 ~ 300M galaxies $r \sim 24$
- LSST DR1 ~ 9B galaxies $r \sim 25$
- LSST DR11 ~ 18B galaxies $r \sim 27.5$
- For galaxies with $i < 17$,
DR1 ~ 60K galaxies and
LSST DR1 ~ 250K
- Single visits from LSST will be
same depth as DES final coadds ~ 25
- LSST overlaps DES completely
- Error estimation, denoising, deconv.
- Sampling technique, training samples
- Photo-z still only option for cosmology
- Big data problem \rightarrow compression
techniques
- Galaxy Census and anomaly detection



Autoencoders



- Around since the 80's
- Data compression
- Anomaly detection
- Denoising
- Regular Machine Learning
- PCA

$$z = g_\phi(x)$$

$$x' = f_\theta(g_\phi(x))$$

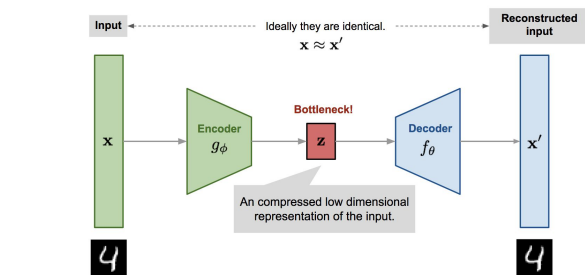
$$\mathcal{L}(x, x') + reg.$$

$$\ell_1 = \lambda \sum_i |a_i^{(h)}|$$

$$\mathcal{L}(x, x') = ||x - x'||^2$$

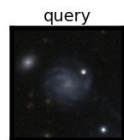
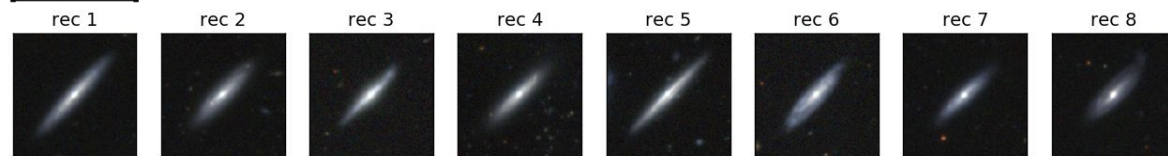
Many variants: Sparse AE, Contractive AE, Stacked AE, etc...

Autoencoders Applications: Image compression



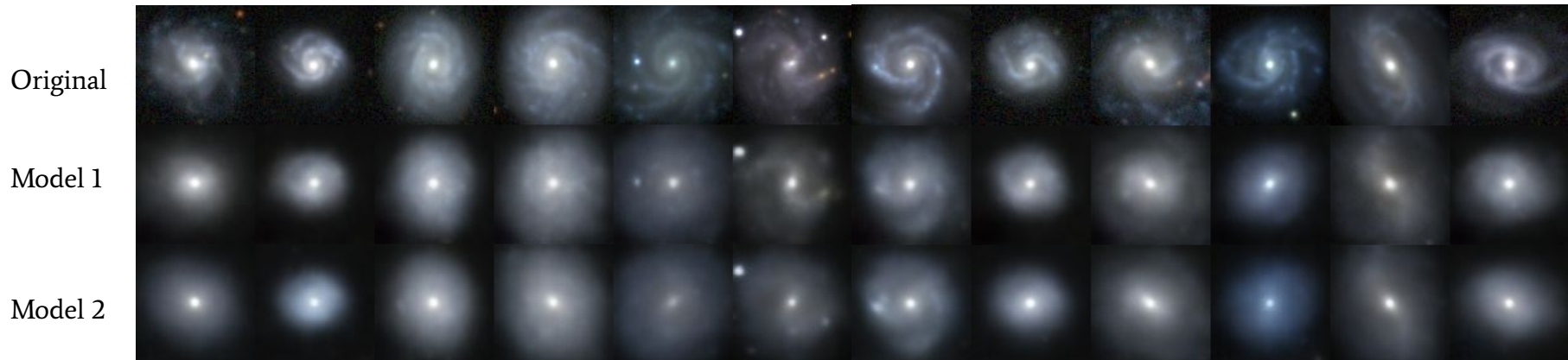
Compress images from 220x220x3 pixels to 50-vector (2000x), for fast similarity search, anomaly detection, etc...

No need decoder (only for Loss)



Working on a service for image similarity ranking for DES images

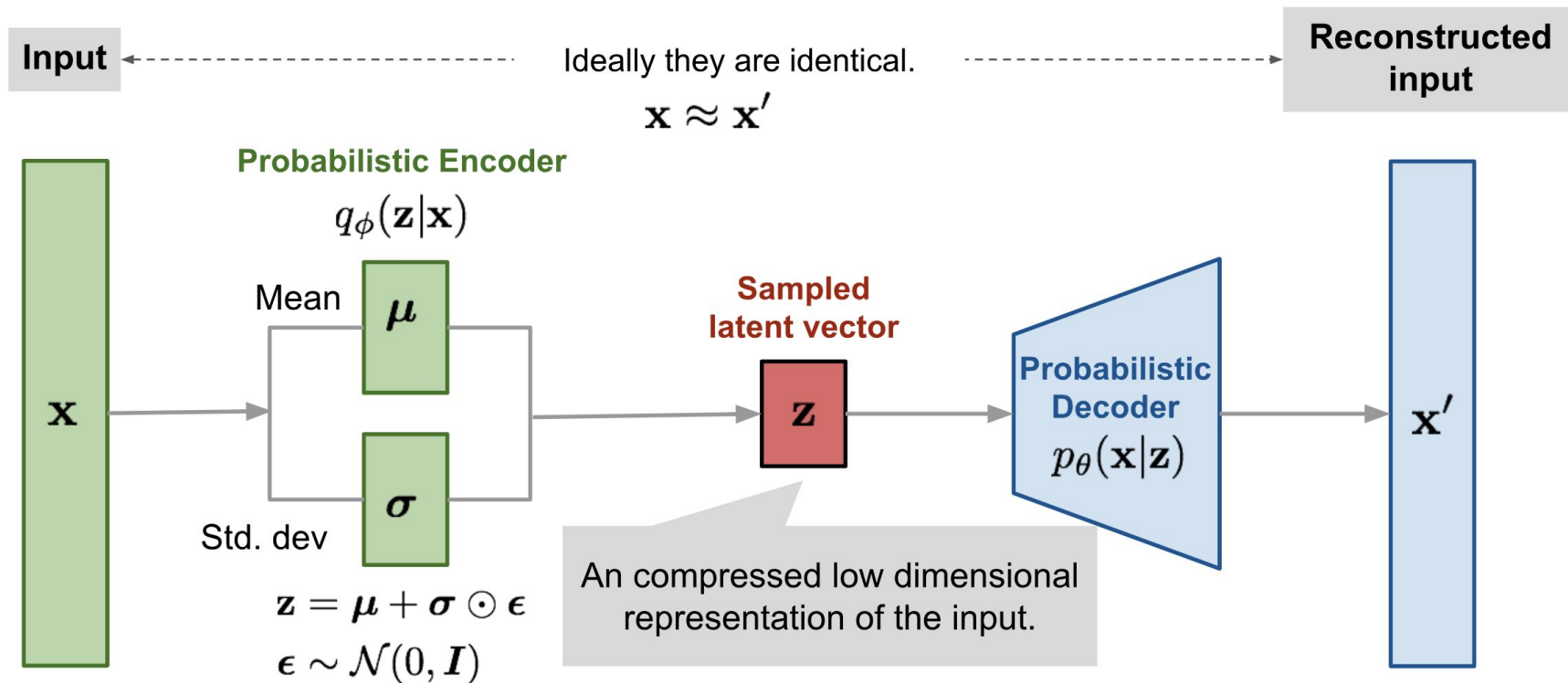
Autoencoders Applications: Reconstruction



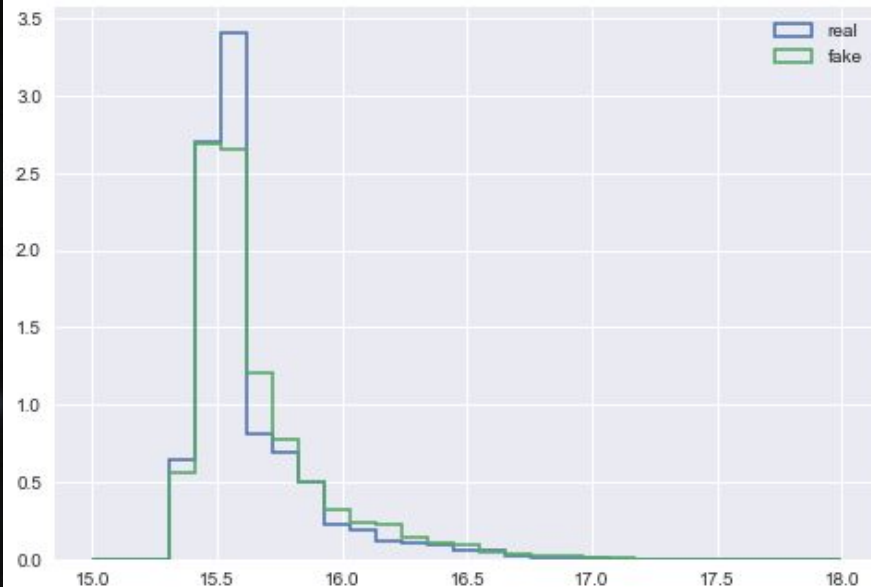
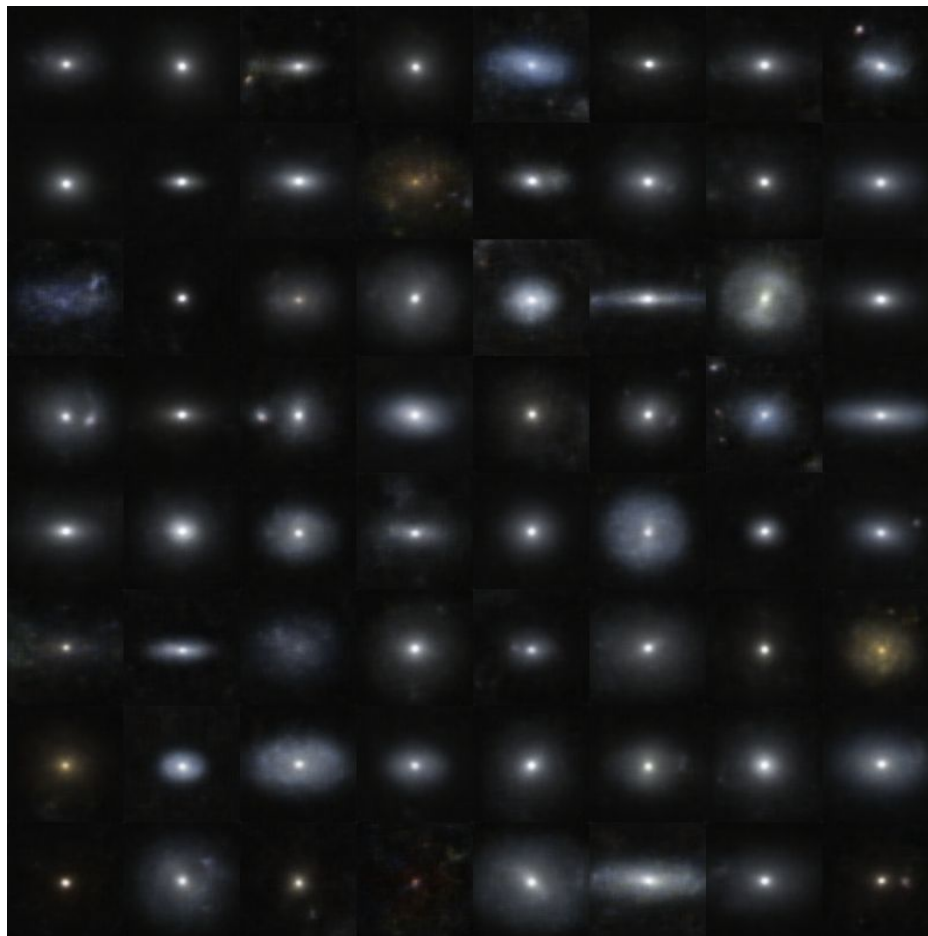
Blurry images and structure is lost, but angular sizes, radial profiles and brightness are a match.

What if we can make the model learn properties at the same time as images.? What if can sample from the latent space?

Summarizing VAE basics, more complex models built on top



VAE Sampling example (no reconstruction)



We can generate samples from z , next step is can we constrain what's being sampled?

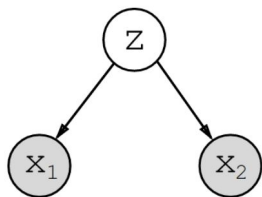
Multimodal VAE: Training modalities

Multimodal Generative Models for Scalable Weakly-Supervised Learning

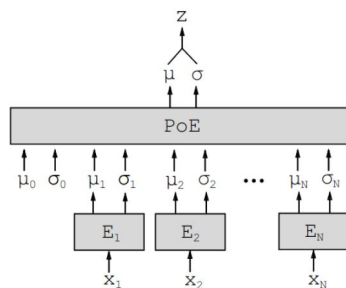
Mike Wu
Department of Computer Science
Stanford University
Stanford, CA 94025
wumike@stanford.edu

Noah Goodman
Departments of Computer Science and Psychology
Stanford University
Stanford, CA 94025
ngoodman@stanford.edu

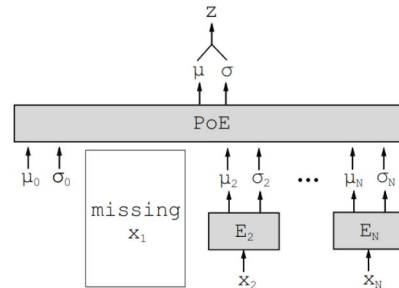
[multimodal-generative-models-for-scalable-weakly-supervised-learning](#)



(a)



(b)



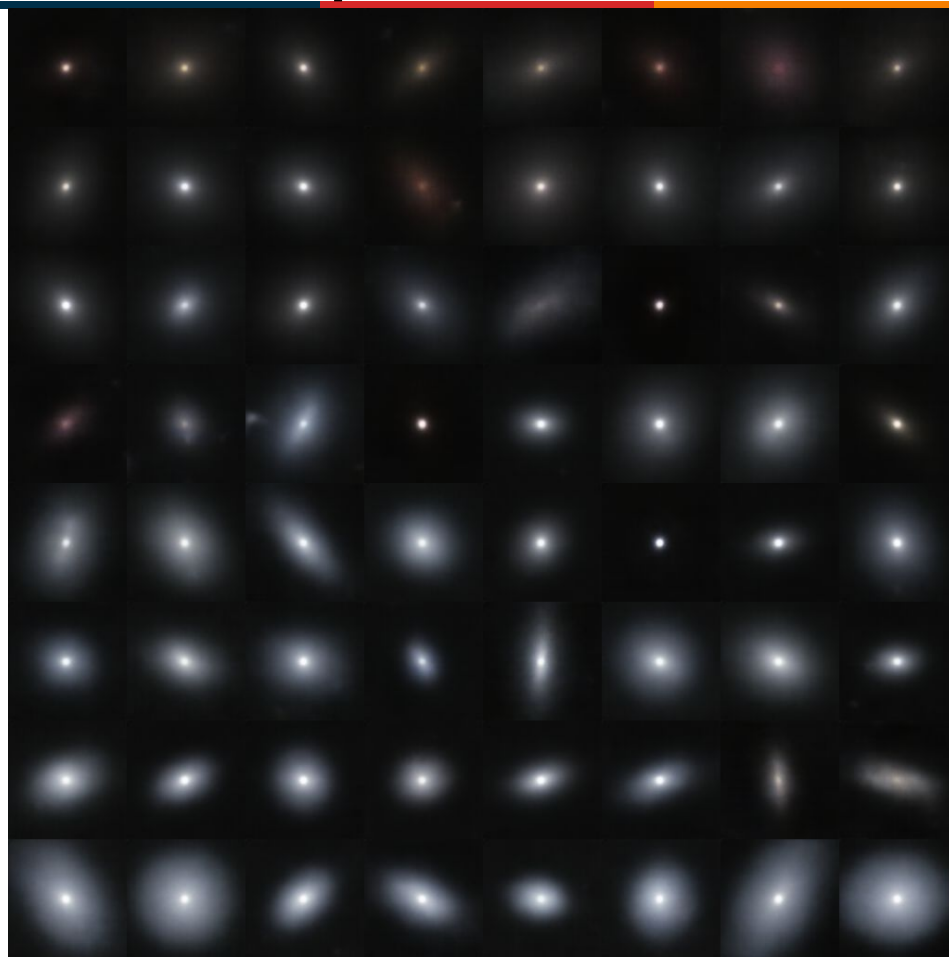
(c)

Learning joint representation of conditionally independent modalities using product of experts.

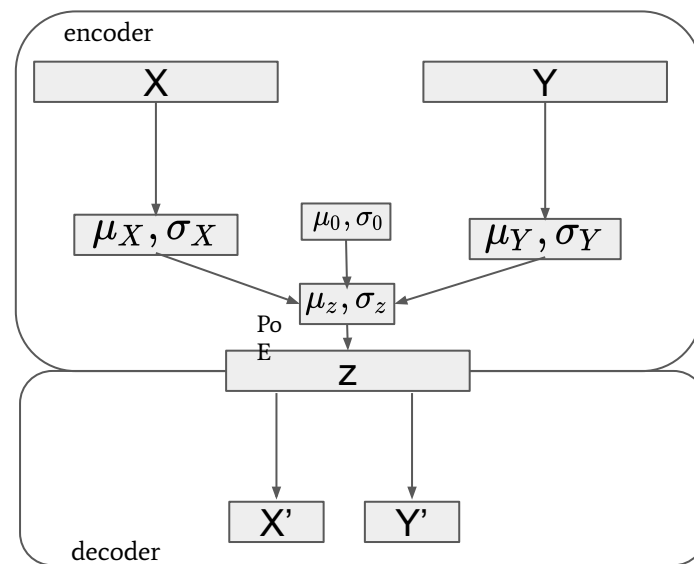
We can:

- Conditional sample with certain attributes
- Sample without any limitations
- Change the attribute of an existing input data
- Similarity search and anomaly detection
- Predict one modality from the others
- Sample and train with missing modalities

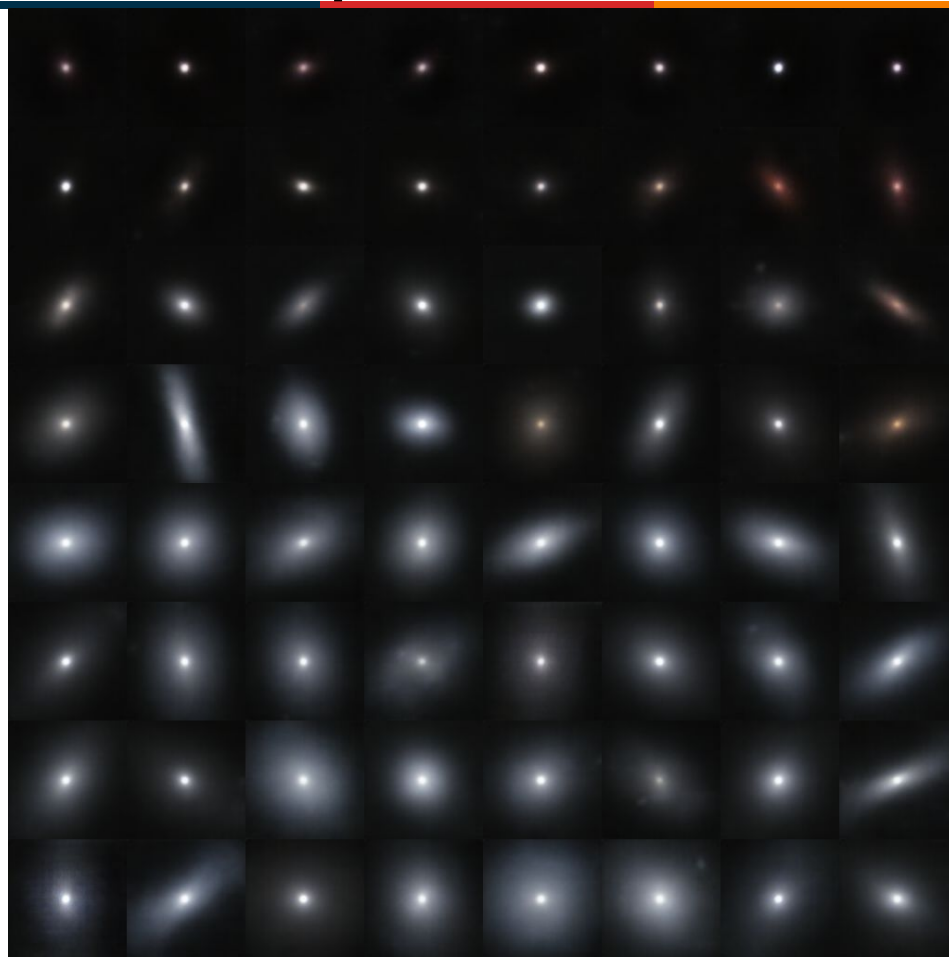
MVAE: Examples



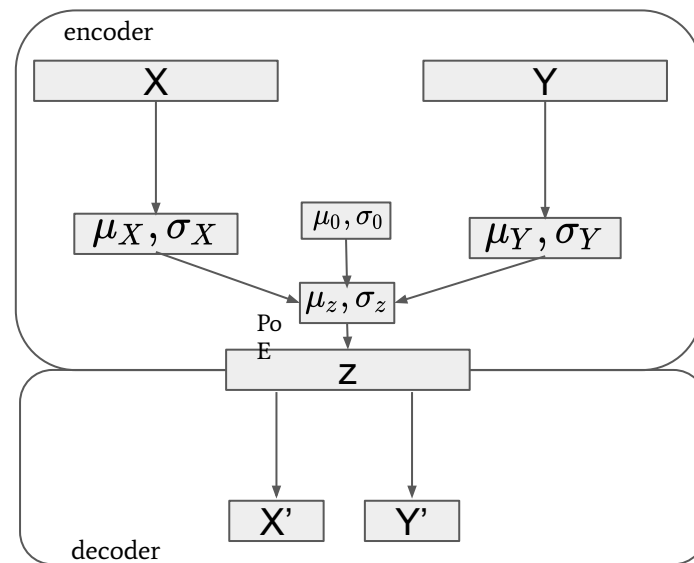
Samples with changing brightness
(increasing downwards)



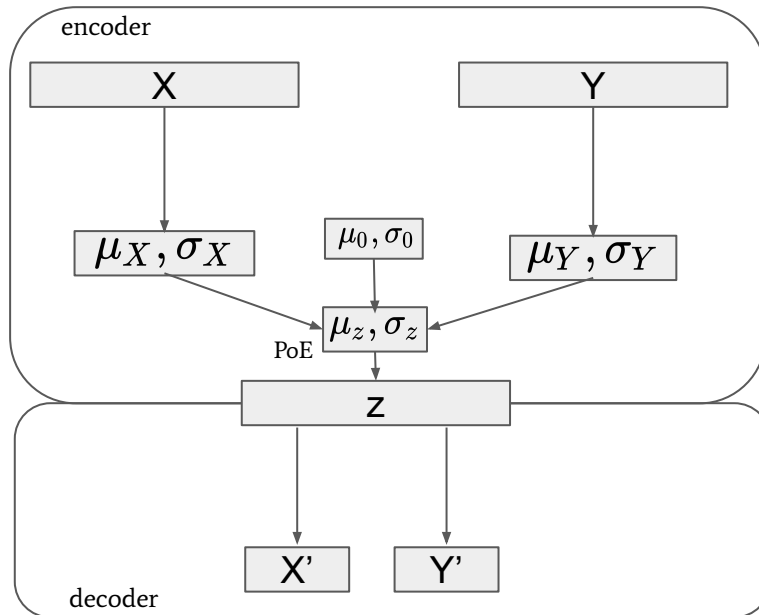
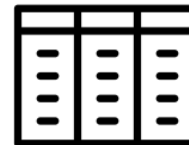
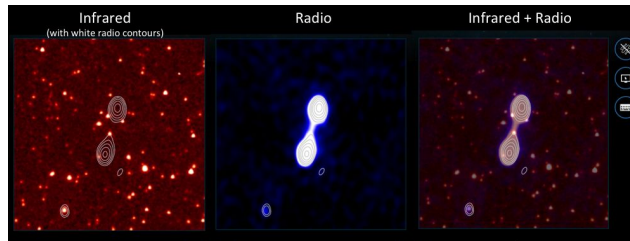
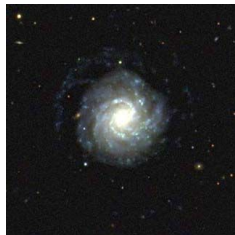
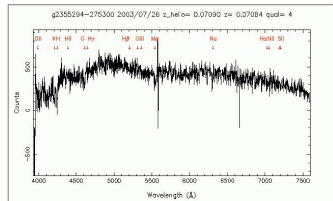
MVAE: Examples



Samples with changing area
(increasing downwards)

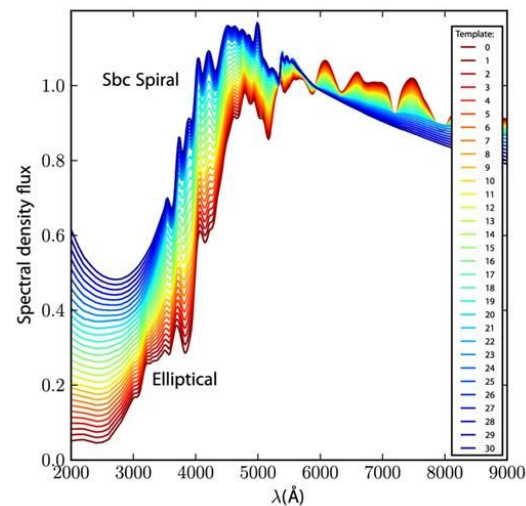
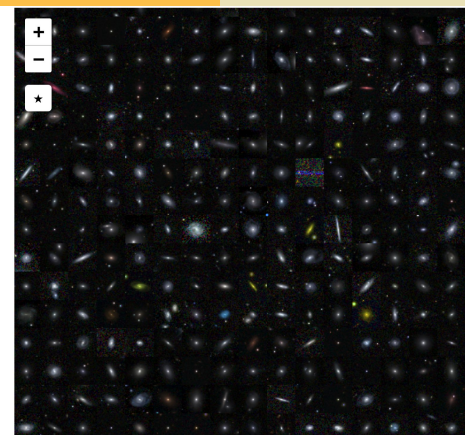


MVAE: Opens very interesting options



Conclusions and Future plan

- Use VAE for data/image compression and similarity search of galaxy images for comparative studies
 - Elliptical stacking for diffuse extended halo S/N
 - Modern Hubble sequence and census
 - Search of similar galaxies and anomalies
 - Denoising/deconvolving
- Use CVAE/MVAE and TL to generate sampling of realistic galaxy images conditioned to diverse priors
 - Create a uniform training sample for photo-z's
 - Break color/redshift degeneracy
 - Conditioning on redshift, template, brightness,
 - Galaxy evolutions studies
 - Sampling procedures for galaxy images
 - Combine multiple modalities
- Develop photo-z compression techniques considering information from galaxy images
- Simulate SN events and galaxy images for training
- There is plans to classify DES images ([prototype](#))



Thank you!

Questions?

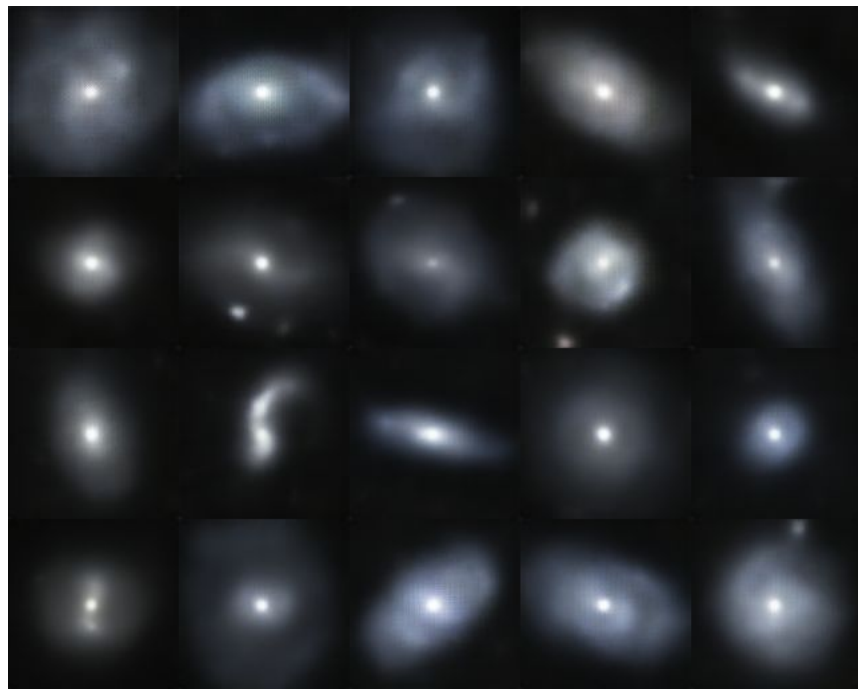
Matias Carrasco Kind -- NCSA

[Full Talk](#)

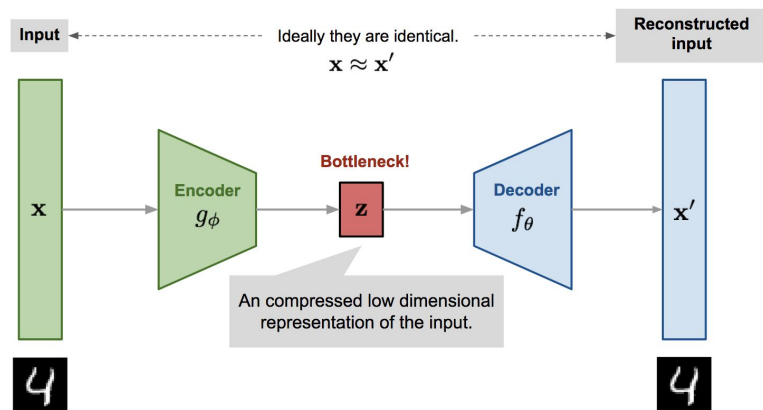
mcarras2@illinois.edu

github.com/mgkind

matias-ck.com



Can we sample z to generate fake data?



Exist θ for max the likelihood

$$p(x) = \int p(x|z, \theta)p(z)dz$$

Too expensive

$$p(z|x) = \frac{p(x|z)p(z)}{p(x)}$$

We need an approximate posterior (prob. encoder)

$$q_\lambda(z|x) \approx p(z|x)$$

And we can use q to be Gaussian (there are other alternatives)

$$q_\lambda(z|x) = \mathcal{N}(z; \mu_\lambda(x), \sigma_\lambda(x))$$

$$p(z) = \mathcal{N}(0, I)$$

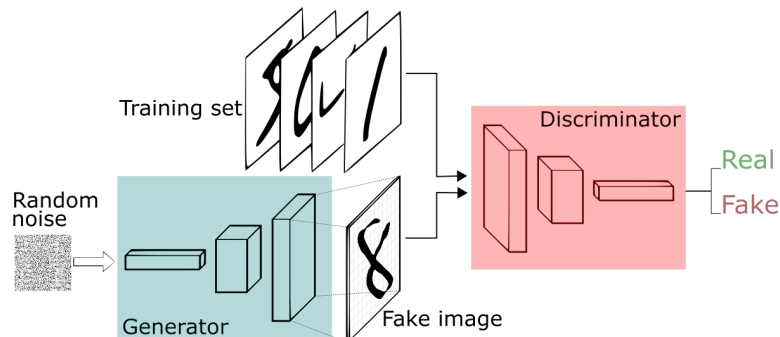
- Map x to a distribution $p(z|x)$
- Sample from distribution $z_i \sim p(z)$
- Generate fake data $x'_i \sim p_\theta(x'|z)$
- Probabilistic approach

$$p(x, z) = p(x|z)p(z)$$

Variational “Autoencoder”

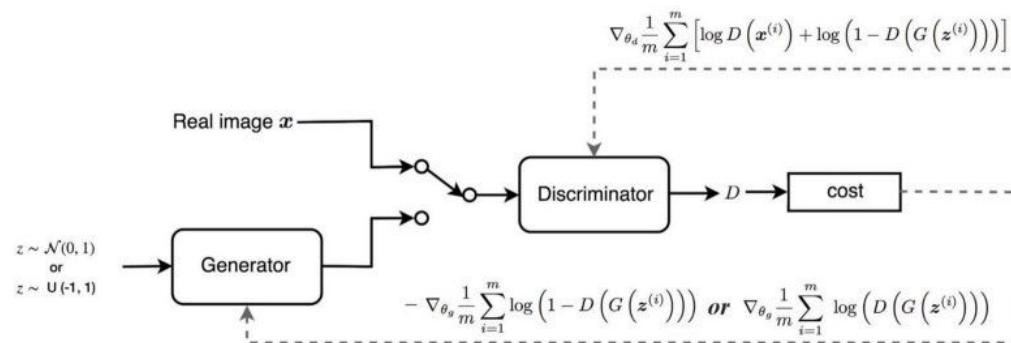
Generative Adversarial Networks (GAN)

Gan can be VERY good to specific image generation and create realistic images. Very powerful discriminator



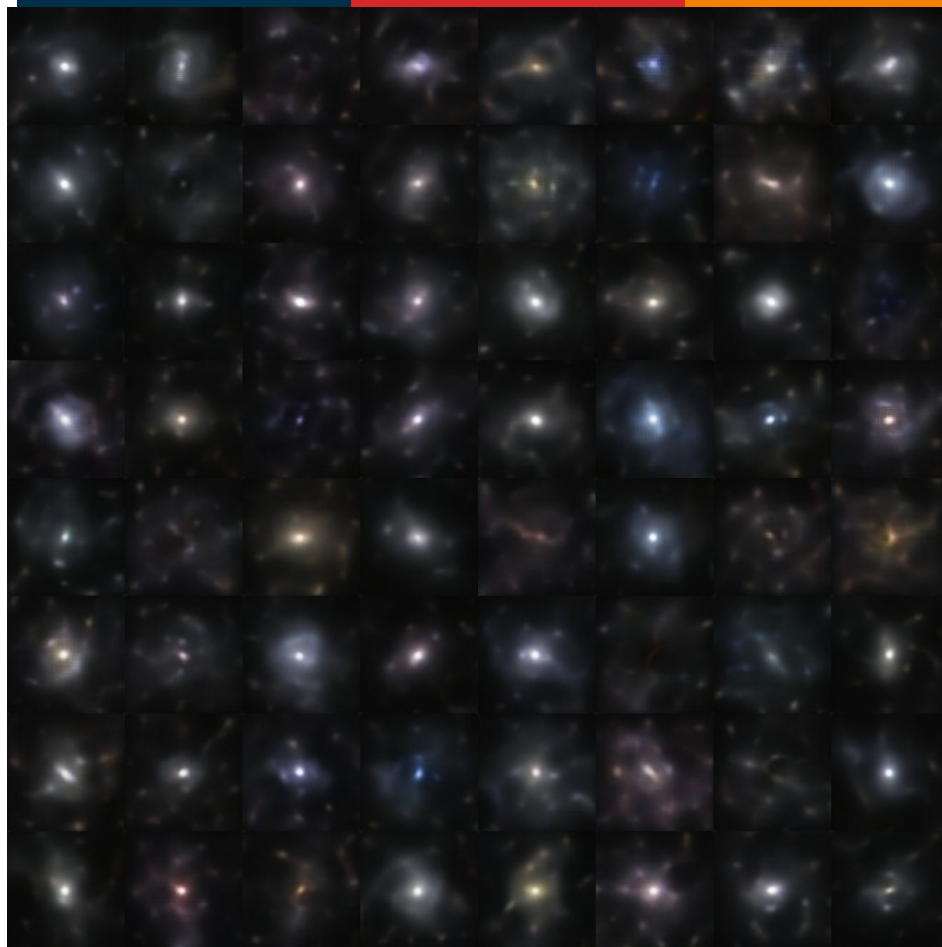
But:

- Very hard to train (unstable)
- Not really sampling methods
- Hard to evaluate likelihood of data $p(x)$
- Tend to underfit data distribution
- Main goal is to fool the discriminator



Very powerful if combined with VAE

MVAE: Examples



Unconstrained sampling, very small β . Lots of structure, less control over modalities

$$\text{ELBO}(X) \triangleq \mathbb{E}_{q_\phi(z|X)} \left[\sum_{x_i \in X} \lambda_i \log p_\theta(x_i|z) \right] - \beta \text{KL}[q_\phi(z|X), p(z)]$$

Create realistic samplings of galaxy images with no prior (DES)

Real



Ours



CAVEP



Learn from one survey to another

Knowledge transfer of Deep Learning for galaxy morphology from one survey to another

H. Domínguez Sánchez^{1*}, M. Huertas-Company^{1,2,3}, M. Bernardi¹, S. Kaviraj⁴, J.L. Fischer¹, T. M. C. Abbott⁵, F. B. Abdalla^{6,7}, J. Annis⁸, S. Avila⁹, D. Brooks⁶, E. Buckley-Geer⁸, A. Carnero Rosell^{10,11}, M. Carrasco Kind^{12,13}, J. Carretero¹⁴, C. E. Cunha¹⁵, C. B. D'Andrea¹, L. N. da Costa^{10,11}, C. Davis¹⁵, J. De Vicente¹⁶, P. Doel⁶, A. E. Evrard^{17,18}, P. Fosalba^{19,20}, J. Frieman^{8,21}, J. García-Bellido²², E. Gaztanaga^{19,20}, D. W. Gerdes^{17,18}, D. Gruen^{15,23}, R. A. Gruendl^{12,13}, J. Gschwend^{10,11}, G. Gutierrez⁸, W. G. Hartley^{6,24}, D. L. Hollowood²⁵, K. Honscheid^{26,27}, B. Hoyle^{28,29}, D. J. James³⁰, K. Kuehn³¹, N. Kuropatkin⁸, O. Lahav⁶, M. A. G. Maia^{10,11}, M. March¹, P. Melchior³², F. Menanteau^{12,13}, R. Miquel^{14,33}, B. Nord⁸, A. A. Plazas³⁴, E. Sanchez¹⁶, V. Scarpine⁸, R. Schindler²³, M. Schubnell¹⁸, M. Smith³⁵, R. C. Smith⁵, M. Soares-Santos³⁶, F. Sobreira^{37,10}, E. Suchyta³⁹, M. E. C. Swanson¹³, G. Tarle¹⁸, D. Thomas⁹, A. R. Walker⁵, and J. Zuntz⁴⁰

SDSS (GalaxyZoo) transfer learning to DES images for morphological classification

