

One-shot Generalization in Deep Generative Model

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Reference Papers

Auto-Encoding Variational Bayes (D.P. Kingma, M. Welling, ICLR 2014)

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Spatial Transformer Networks (M. Jaderberg et al, NIPS 2015)

One-shot Generalization

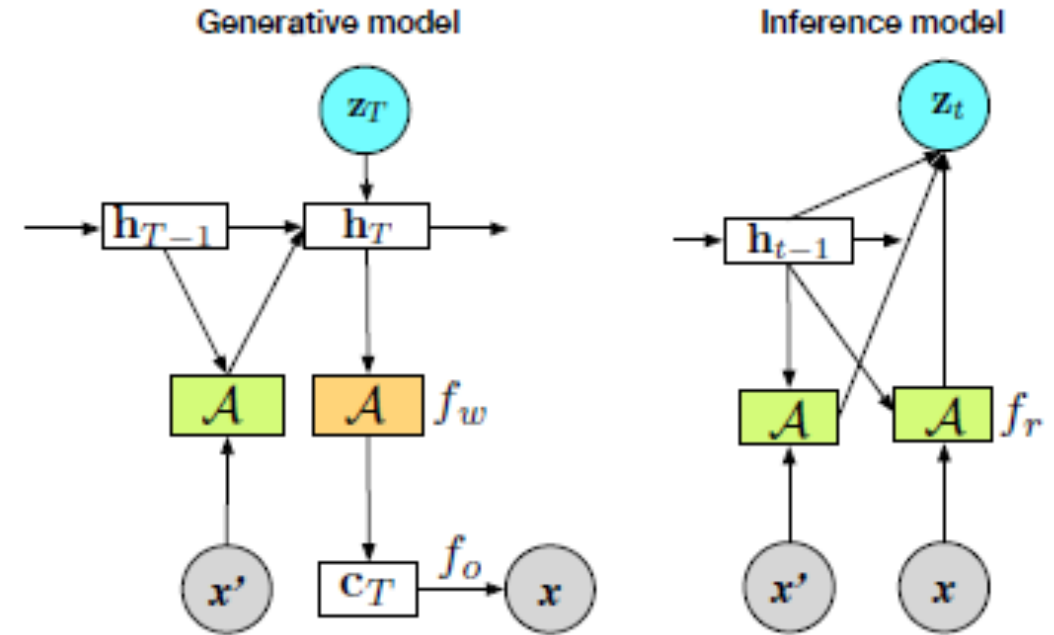
Task

Generation of novel variations of a given exemplar

How?

By conditional, sequential generative model

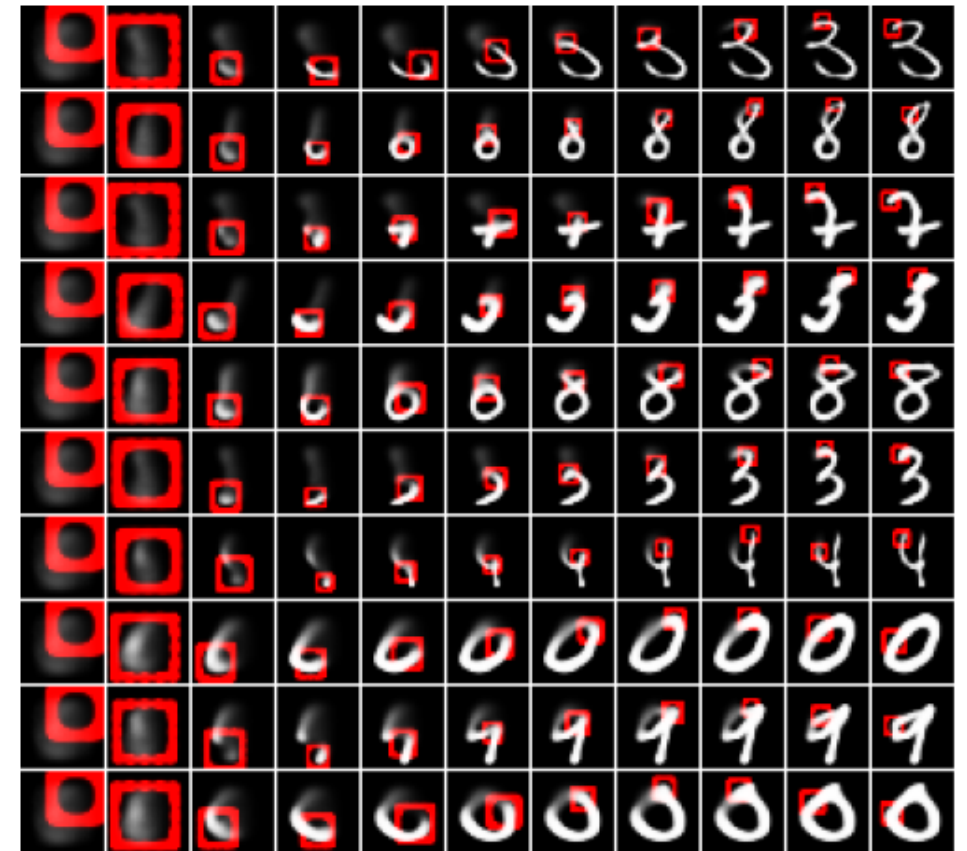
One-shot learning vs. One-shot generalization



(b) One-step of the conditional generative model.

DRAW : overview

- DRAW: Deep Recurrent Attentive Writer
- Basic model of sequential generative model
- Sequential VAE + attention
- Idea : Images like MNIST are generated sequentially
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zt-7MI9eKEo>

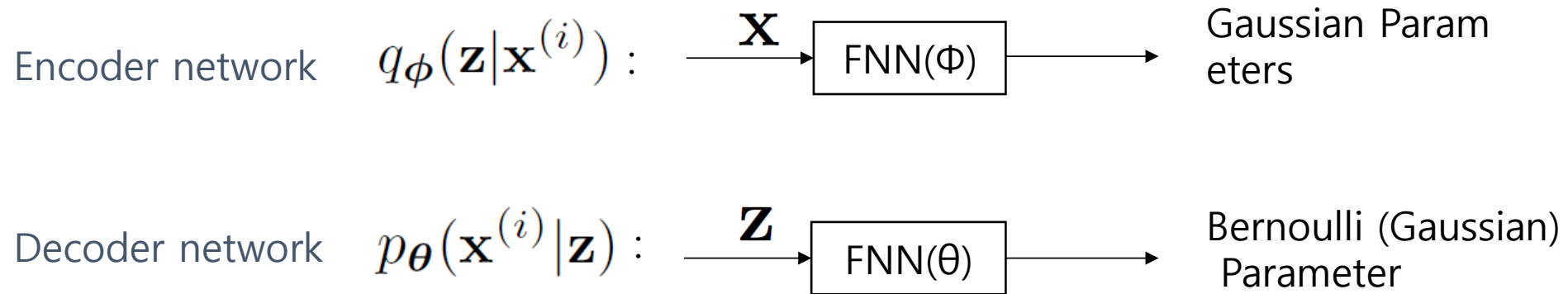


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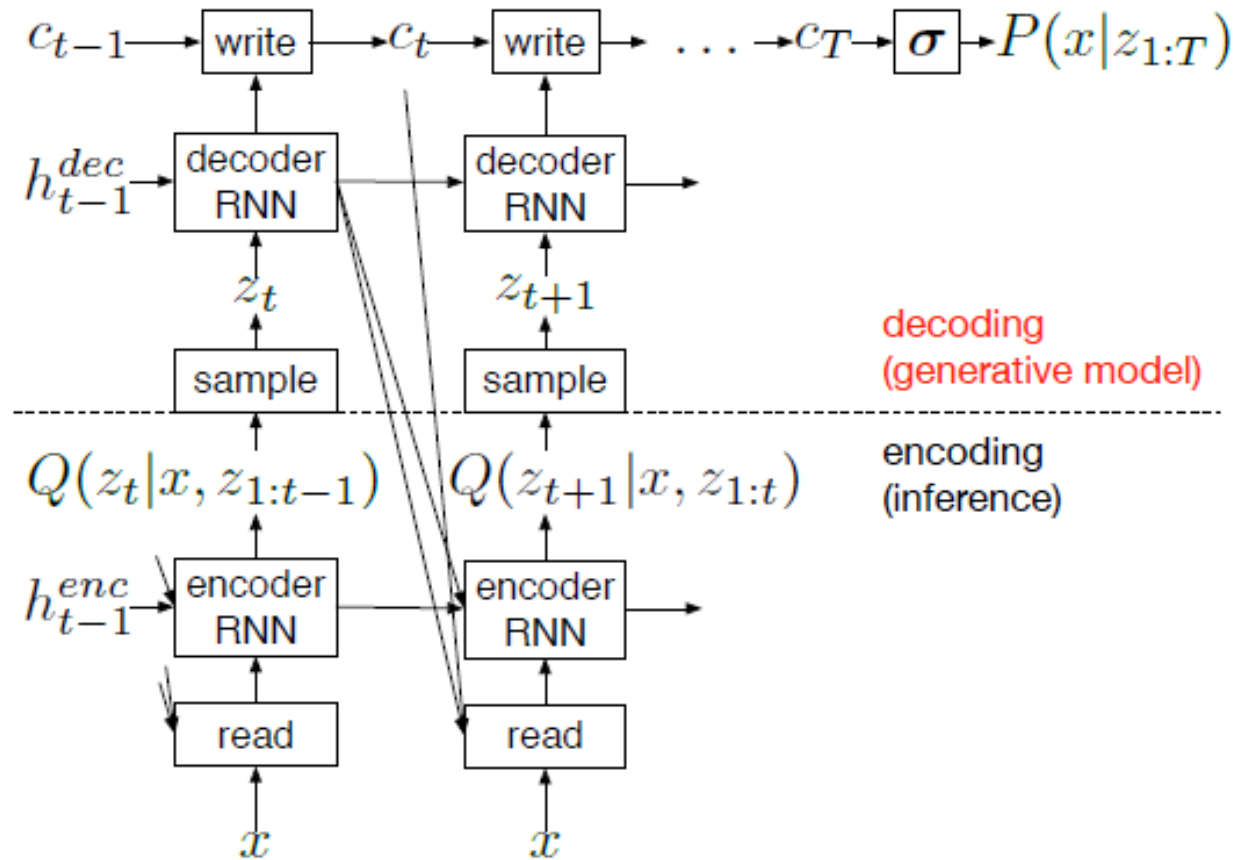
Variational Autoencoder

- Optimization of Variation Lower Bound

$$\mathcal{L}(\theta, \phi; \mathbf{x}^{(i)}) = -D_{KL}(q_{\phi}(\mathbf{z}|\mathbf{x}^{(i)})||p_{\theta}(\mathbf{z})) + \mathbb{E}_{q_{\phi}(\mathbf{z}|\mathbf{x}^{(i)})} \left[\log p_{\theta}(\mathbf{x}^{(i)}|\mathbf{z}) \right]$$



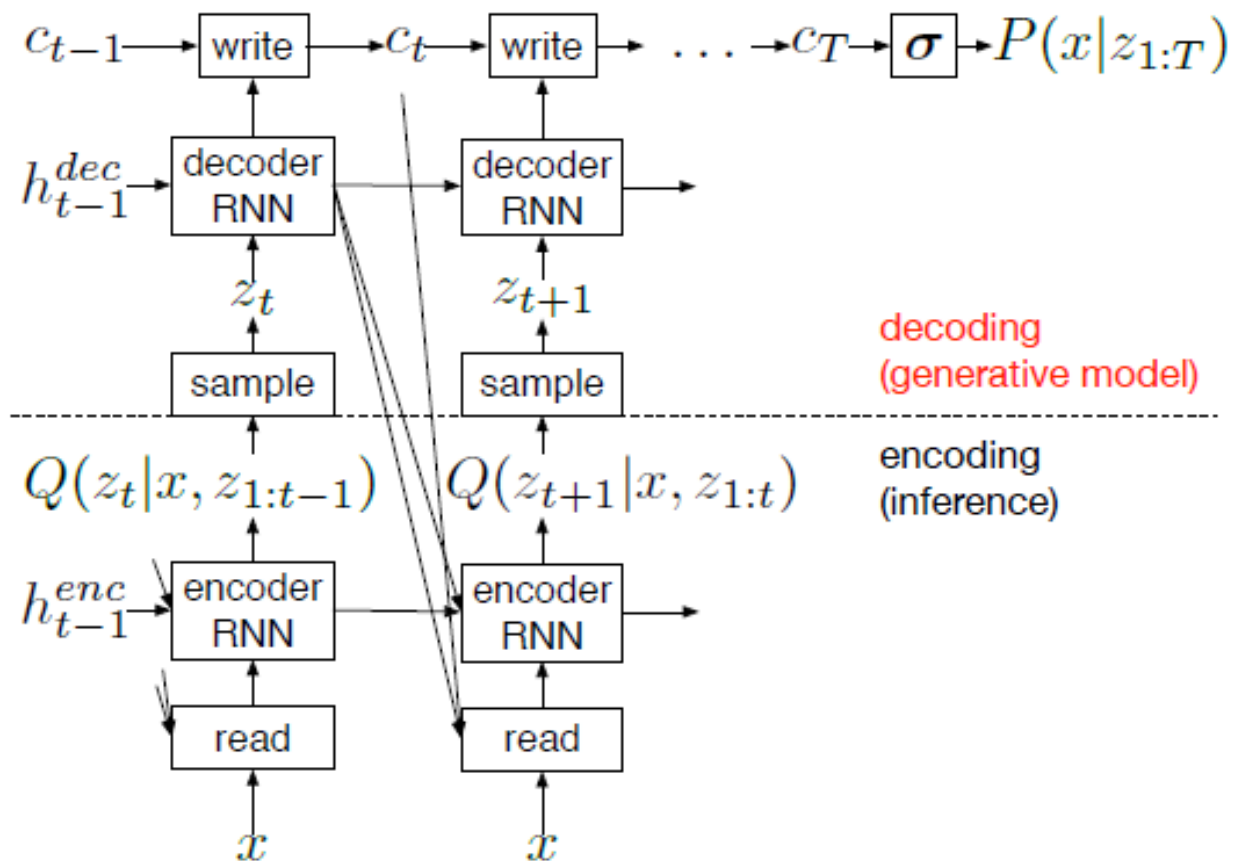
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Key Features

- Encoder / Decoder Network : LSTM
- Additive Canvas
- Attention ; where to read, where/w hat to write

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$$\hat{x}_t = x - \sigma(c_{t-1})$$

$$r_t = read(x_t, \hat{x}_t, h_{t-1}^{dec})$$

$$h_t^{enc} = RNN^{enc}(h_{t-1}^{enc}, [r_t, h_{t-1}^{dec}])$$

$$z_t \sim Q(Z_t | h_t^{enc})$$

$$h_t^{dec} = RNN^{dec}(h_{t-1}^{dec}, z_t)$$

$$c_t = c_{t-1} + write(h_t^{dec})$$

$C \Downarrow t$: canvas matrix

$C \Downarrow T$ is used to parameterize $P(x|z)$

read/write : attention mechanism

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- **Approximate posterior** $Q(z_{1:t} | h_{1:t}^{enc}) = N(z_{1:t} | \mu_{1:t}, \sigma_{1:t})$

where $\mu_t = W(h_t^{enc}), \quad \sigma_t^2 = \exp(W(h_t^{enc}))$

- **Data distribution** $P(x_{1:T}) = B(x | \sigma(c_{1:T}))$

- **Data Generation**

$$\tilde{z}_t \sim P(Z_t)$$

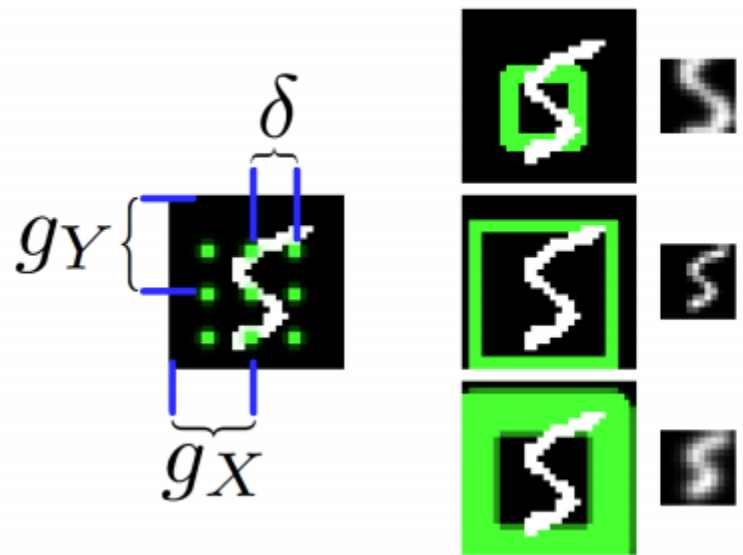
$$\tilde{h}_t^{dec} = RNN^{dec}(\tilde{h}_{t-1}^{dec}, \tilde{z}_t)$$

$$\tilde{c}_t = \tilde{c}_{t-1} + write(\tilde{h}_t^{dec})$$

$$\tilde{x} \sim D(X | \tilde{c}_T)$$

Selective Attention Model

- from the A x B input image, to obtain an N x N attention patch
- Horizontal and vertical filterbank $F_X(N \times A)$ and $F_Y(N \times B)$



The diagram illustrates the Selective Attention Model. On the left, an input image patch of size $A \times B$ is shown with a white 'S' shape. The horizontal dimension is labeled g_X and the vertical dimension is labeled g_Y . A small white square in the top-right corner of the patch is labeled δ . To the right of the input patch, three filterbank outputs are shown, each consisting of a green square and a small white 'S' shape. These outputs correspond to the horizontal and vertical filterbanks F_X and F_Y .

$$F_X[i, a] = \frac{1}{Z_X} \exp \left(-\frac{(a - \mu_X^i)^2}{2\sigma^2} \right)$$

$$F_Y[j, b] = \frac{1}{Z_Y} \exp \left(-\frac{(b - \mu_Y^j)^2}{2\sigma^2} \right)$$

$$\mu_X^i = g_X + (i - N/2 - 0.5)\delta$$

$$\mu_Y^j = g_Y + (j - N/2 - 0.5)\delta$$

Selective Attention Model

- Attention Parameters are obtained from LSTM output at each time step
- Initial patch covers the whole input image

$$(\tilde{g}_X, \tilde{g}_Y, \log \sigma^2, \log \tilde{\delta}, \log \gamma) = W(h^{dec})$$

$$g_X = \frac{A+1}{2}(\tilde{g}_X + 1)$$

$$g_Y = \frac{B+1}{2}(\tilde{g}_Y + 1)$$

$$\delta = \frac{\max(A, B) - 1}{N - 1} \tilde{\delta}$$

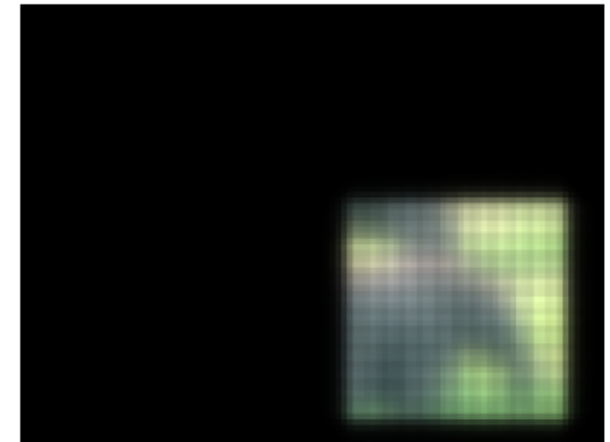
Read / Write Attention

- **Read** : from the A x B input image, to obtain an N x N attention patch

$$\text{read}(x, \hat{x}_t, h_{t-1}^{\text{dec}}) = \gamma[F_Y x F_X^T, F_Y \hat{x} F_X^T]$$

- **Write** : from the N x N attention patch, back to A x B input image

$$w_t = W(h_t^{\text{dec}})$$
$$\text{write}(h_t^{\text{dec}}) = \frac{1}{\hat{\gamma}} \hat{F}_Y^T w_t \hat{F}_X$$



DRAW : results

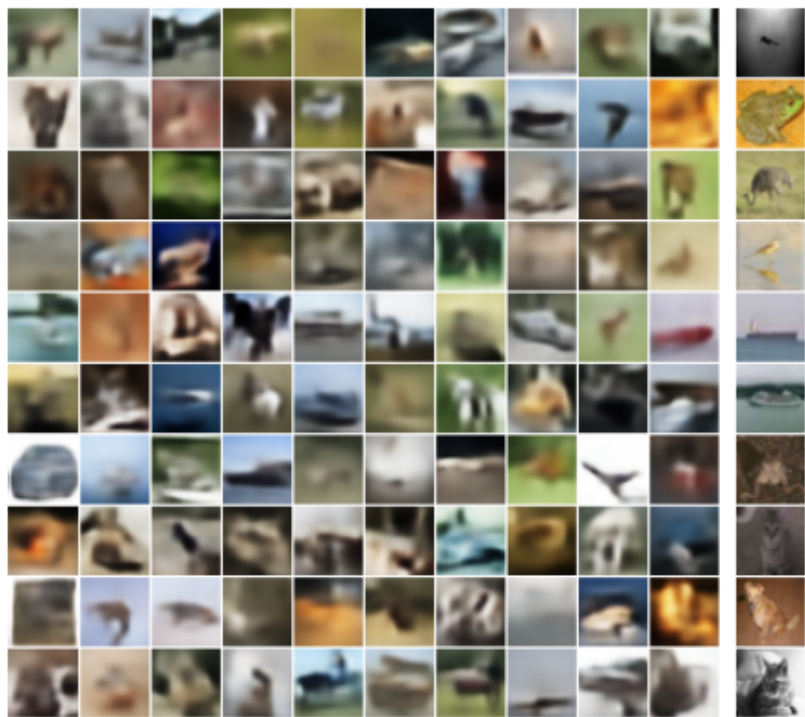


Figure 12. Generated CIFAR images. The rightmost column shows the nearest training examples to the column beside it.

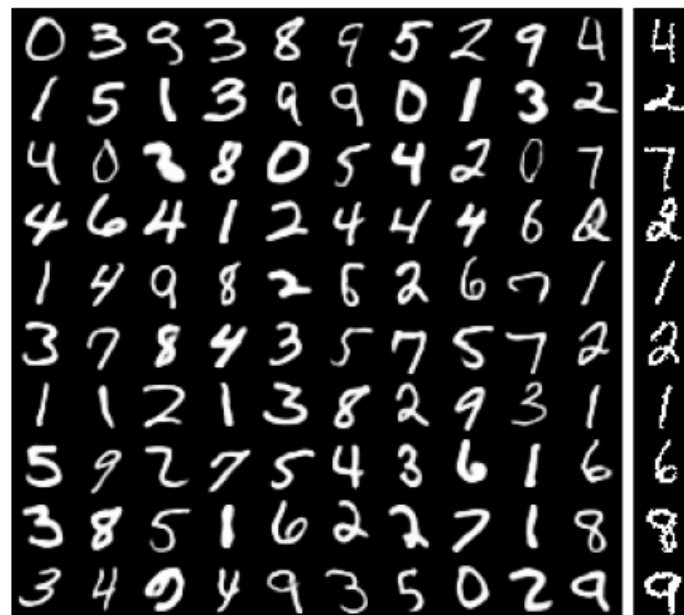
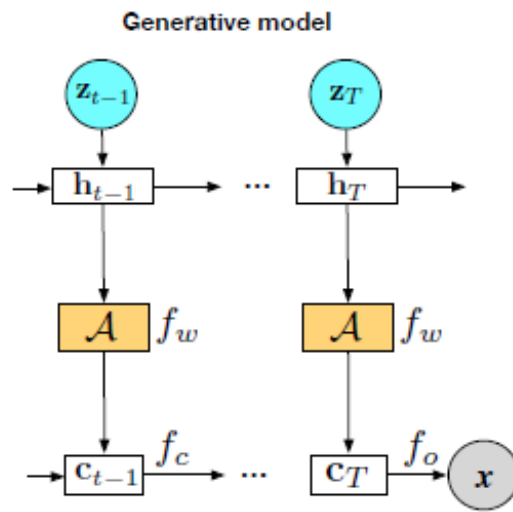


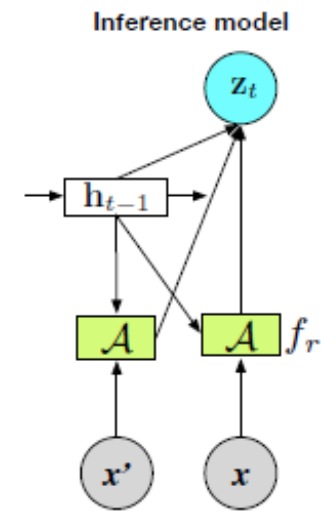
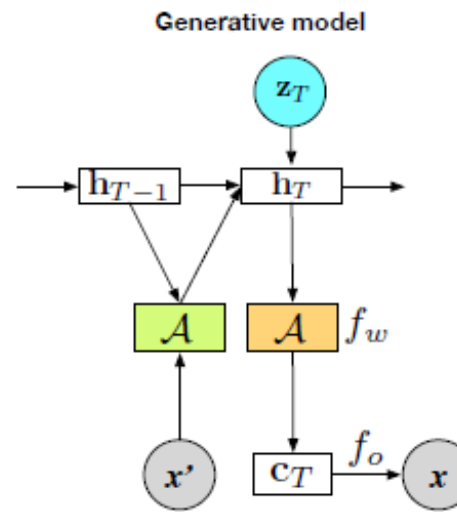
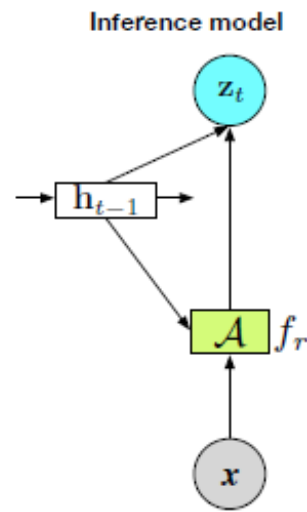
Figure 6. Generated MNIST images. All digits were generated by DRAW except those in the rightmost column, which shows the training set images closest to those in the column second to the right (pixelwise L^2 is the distance measure). Note that the network was trained on binary samples, while the generated images are mean probabilities.

Sequential Generative Model

- Attention model : 2D Gaussian to Spatial Transformer
- Downsize the # of parameters by cutting the connection of canvas to hidden state
- Conditional generative model

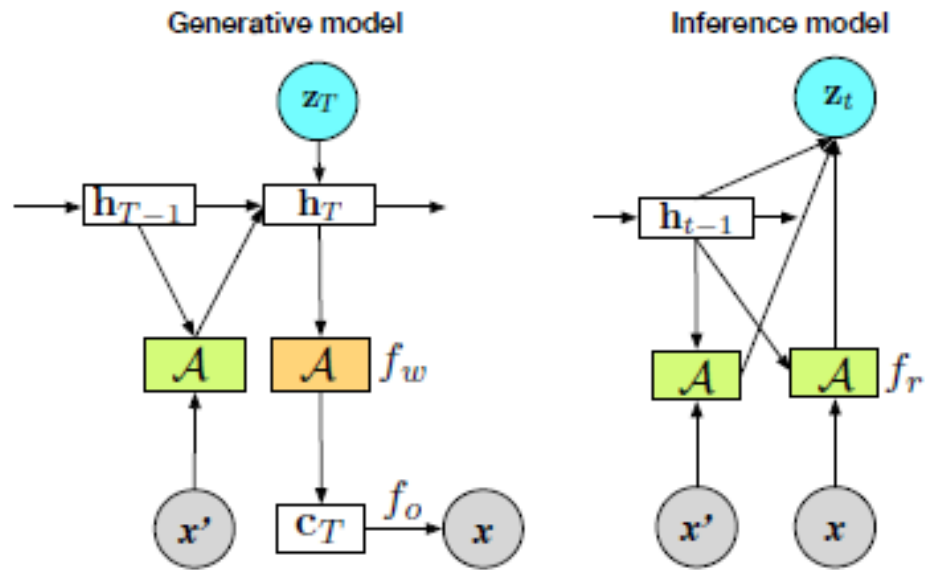


(a) Unconditional generative model.



(b) One-step of the conditional generative model.

Conditional Generative Model



(b) One-step of the conditional generative model.

Latent variables $\mathbf{z}_t \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{z}_t | \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I}) \quad t = 1, \dots, T$

Context $\mathbf{v}_t = f_v(\mathbf{h}_{t-1}, \mathbf{x}'; \theta_v)$

Hidden state $\mathbf{h}_t = f_h(\mathbf{h}_{t-1}, \mathbf{z}_t, \mathbf{v}_t; \theta_h)$

Hidden Canvas $\mathbf{c}_t = f_c(\mathbf{c}_{t-1}, \mathbf{h}_t; \theta_c)$

Observation $\mathbf{x} \sim p(\mathbf{x} | f_o(\mathbf{c}_T; \theta_o))$

$$f_c(\mathbf{c}_{t-1}, \mathbf{h}_t; \theta_c) = \mathbf{c}_{t-1} + f_w(\mathbf{h}_t; \theta_c),$$

$f \downarrow h$: LSTM, state transition

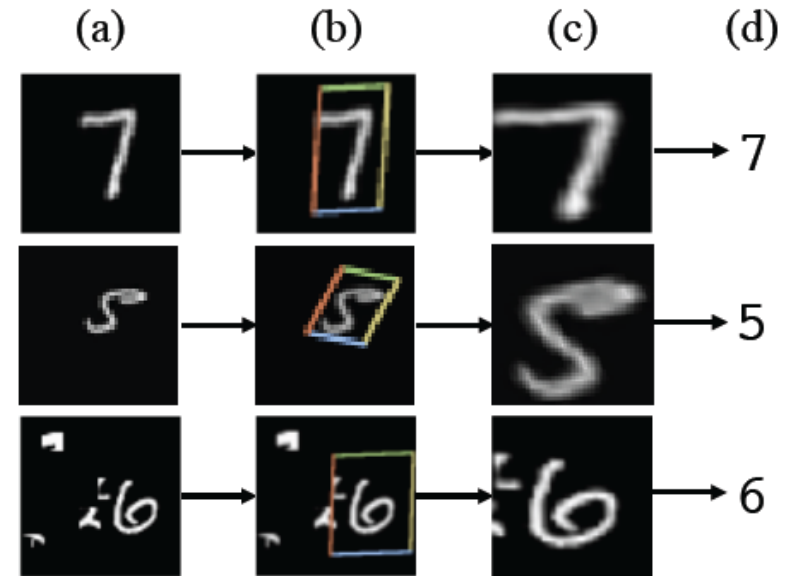
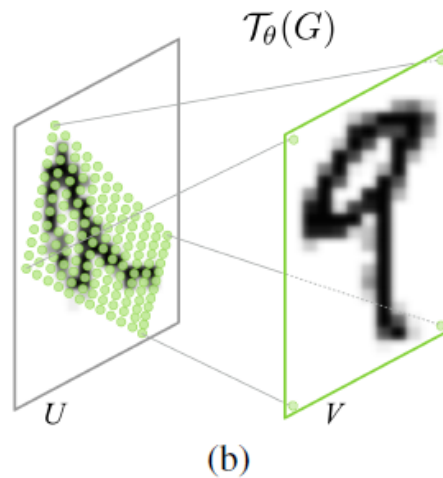
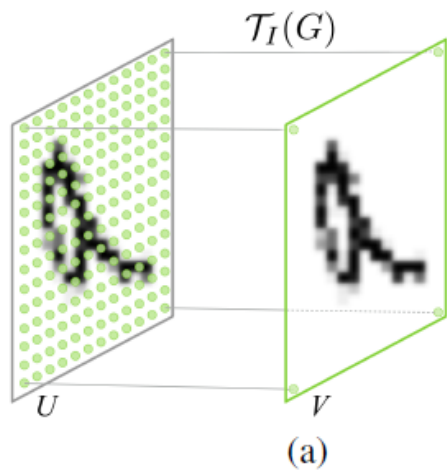
$f \downarrow c$: Additive Canvas

$f \downarrow v$: read attention

$f \downarrow w$: write attention (Spatial Transformer)

Spatial Transformer

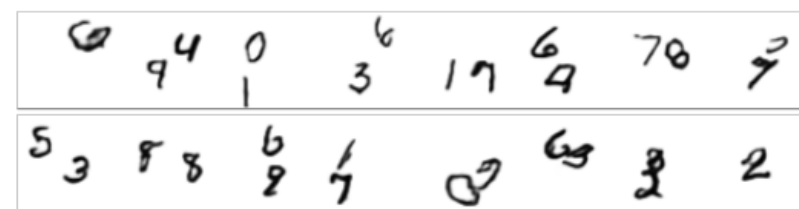
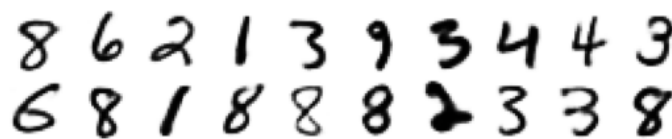
- Differentiable attention model with affine transformation
- Learn parameters of affine transform



Result comparison

Table 1. Test set negative log-likelihood on MNIST.

Model		Test NLL		
<i>From Gregor et al. (2015) and Burda et al. (20)</i>				
DBM 2hl		≈ 84.62		
DBN 2hl		≈ 84.55		
NADE		88.33		
DLGM-VAE		≈ 86.60		
VAE + HVI/Norm Flow		≈ 85.10		
DARN		≈ 84.13		
DRAW (64 steps, no attention)		≤ 87.40		
DRAW (64 steps, Gaussian attention)		≤ 80.97		
IWAE (2 layers; 50 particles)		≈ 82.90		
<i>Sequential generative models</i>				
Attention	Canvas	Steps	Train	Test NLL
Spatial tr.	CGRU	80	78.5	$\leq 80.5(0.3)$
Spatial tr.	Additive	80	80.1	$\leq 81.6(0.4)$
Spatial tr.	CGRU	30	80.1	$\leq 81.5(0.4)$
Spatial tr.	Additive	30	79.1	$\leq 82.6(0.5)$
Fully conn.	CGRU	80	80.0	$\leq 98.7(0.8)$



One-shot generalization : 3 tasks

- Task 1 : Unconditional free generation
- Task 2 : Generation of novel variations of a given exemplar
- Task 3 : Generation of representative samples from a novel alphabet

Result for task 1

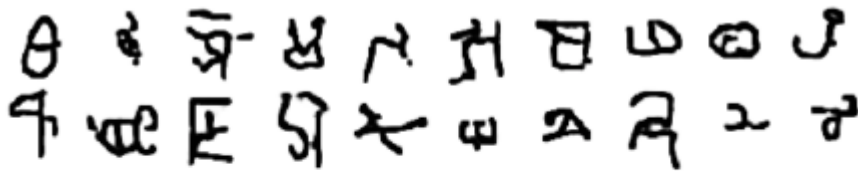


Figure 8. Unconditional samples for 52×52 omniglot (task 1).

For a video of the generation process, see [https://www.youtube.com/](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HQEI2xfTgm4)

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One-shot generalization : results

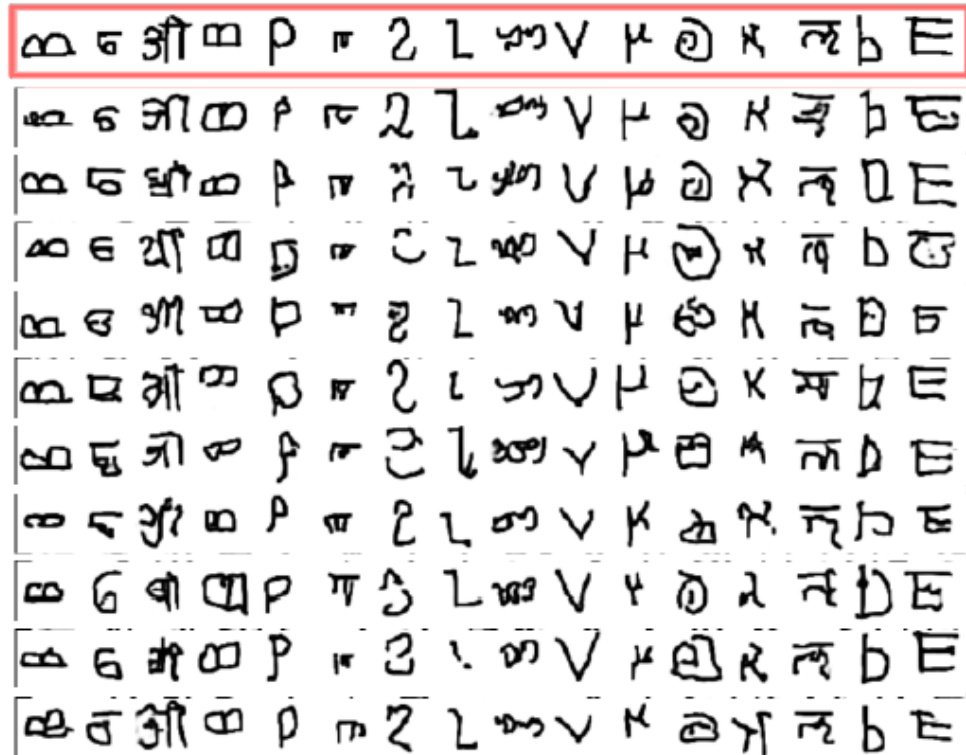


Figure 9. Generating new exemplars of a given character for the weak generalization test (task 2a). The first row shows the test images and the next 10 are one-shot samples from the model.

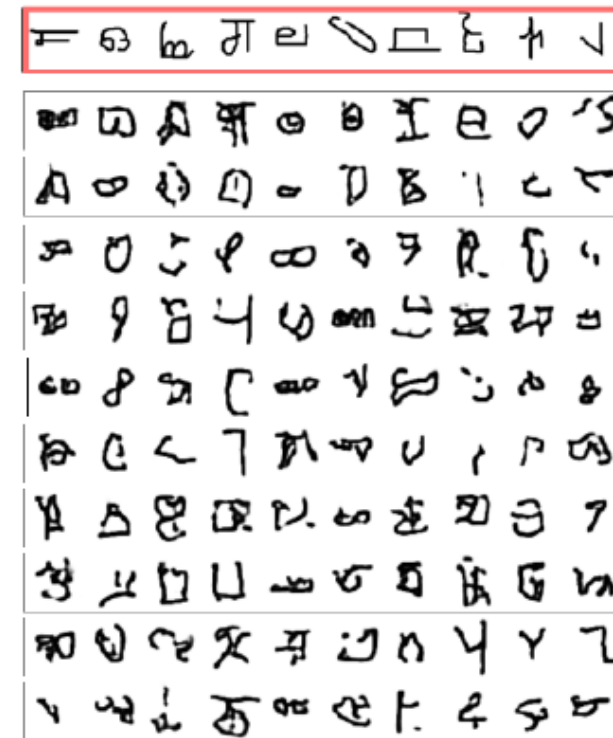


Figure 11. Generating new exemplars from a novel alphabet (task 3). The first row shows the test images, and the next 10 rows are one-shot samples generated by the model.

Thank you