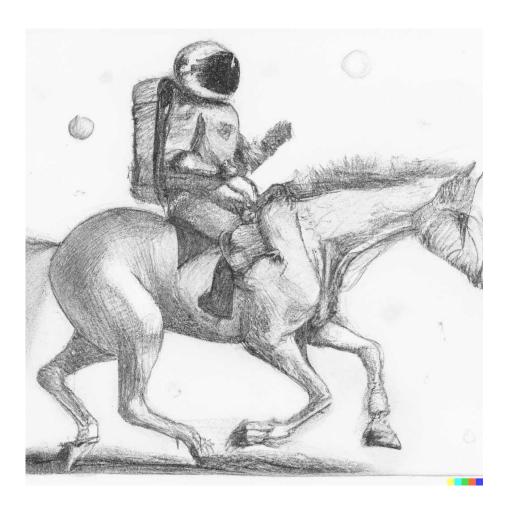
Generative Models & Determining Trained

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"An astronaut riding a horse in a photorealistic style"



"An astronaut riding a horse as a pencil drawing"

Goal

- Determining if a model has trained on some data
- This is important in two ways as DNNs are becoming commercialized
 - 1. Copyright aspect; even more important in generative models
 - 2. Metric aspect; the model's training efficiency, generalization performance, and the value of new data for it
- It seems worth, but is it possible?

Goal

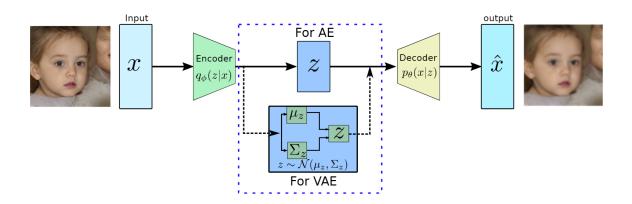
- My thoughts:
- In supervised learning, a model is forced to represent training data
- The model is optimized for the training data, not the true distribution
- The ideal generalization is difficult to achieve empirically
- It will be able to determine under appropriate constraints (but so what?)

Progress

- Studying generative models, especially VAE and Diffusion Model
- Naïve experiments and analysis attempts on simplified problem

VAE

- Variational Auto Encoder
- Let the latent of AE be indeterministic
- This will be some distribution (e.g. Gaussian RV)
- For encoder q(z|x) and decoder p(x|z), we want to know p(z|x)
- Indirectly perform MLE by applying variational inference ideas



VAE

$$\log p(\boldsymbol{x}) = \log p(\boldsymbol{x}) \int q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x}) d\boldsymbol{z} \qquad (\text{Multiply by } 1 = \int q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x}) d\boldsymbol{z}) \qquad (9)$$

$$= \int q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x}) (\log p(\boldsymbol{x})) d\boldsymbol{z} \qquad (\text{Bring evidence into integral}) \qquad (10)$$

$$= \mathbb{E}_{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log p(\boldsymbol{x}) \right] \qquad (\text{Definition of Expectation}) \qquad (11)$$

$$= \mathbb{E}_{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x},\boldsymbol{z})}{p(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \right] \qquad (\text{Apply Equation 2}) \qquad (12)$$

$$= \mathbb{E}_{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x},\boldsymbol{z})q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})}{p(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \right] \qquad (\text{Multiply by } 1 = \frac{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})}{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \right) \qquad (13)$$

$$= \mathbb{E}_{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x},\boldsymbol{z})}{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \right] + \mathbb{E}_{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log \frac{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})}{p(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \right] \qquad (\text{Split the Expectation}) \qquad (14)$$

$$= \mathbb{E}_{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x},\boldsymbol{z})}{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \right] + D_{\text{KL}}(q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x}) \parallel p(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})) \qquad (\text{Definition of KL Divergence}) \qquad (15)$$

$$\geq \mathbb{E}_{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x},\boldsymbol{z})}{q_{\phi}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \right] \qquad \text{ELBO} \qquad (\text{KL Divergence always} \geq 0) \qquad (16)$$

VAE

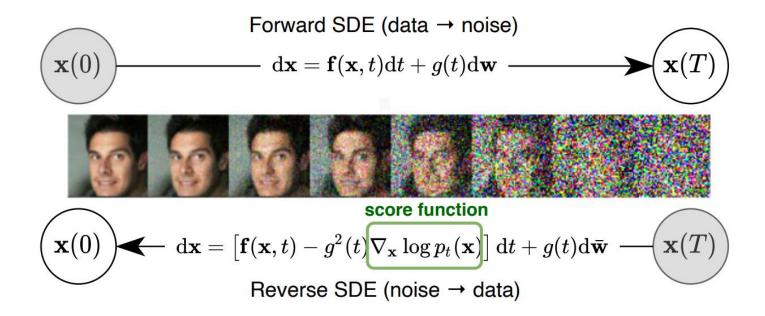
- "Increasing ELBO achieves MLE and posterior matching simultaneously"?
- What does MLE mean? Is it right to only grow the likelihood on training data?
- May fail to reduce true posterior matching term:
- When increasing ELBO, decreasing p.m. term is only guaranteed when θ is fixed!

$$\Theta \underbrace{\frac{\log p(\boldsymbol{x})}{q_{\boldsymbol{\phi}}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x},\boldsymbol{z})}{q_{\boldsymbol{\phi}}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \right] + \underbrace{D_{\mathrm{KL}}(q_{\boldsymbol{\phi}}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x}) \parallel p(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x}))}_{\text{true posterior matching term}} \Phi$$

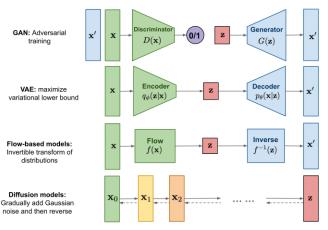
$$\geq \mathbb{E}_{q_{\boldsymbol{\phi}}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x},\boldsymbol{z})}{q_{\boldsymbol{\phi}}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \right] = \underbrace{\mathbb{E}_{q_{\boldsymbol{\phi}}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log p_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}|\boldsymbol{z}) \right] - \underbrace{D_{\mathrm{KL}}(q_{\boldsymbol{\phi}}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x}) \parallel p(\boldsymbol{z}))}_{\text{prior matching term}} \right]$$

$$\stackrel{\mathrm{ELBO}}{=} \underbrace{\mathbb{E}_{q_{\boldsymbol{\phi}}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x})} \left[\log p_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}|\boldsymbol{z}) \right] - \underbrace{D_{\mathrm{KL}}(q_{\boldsymbol{\phi}}(\boldsymbol{z}|\boldsymbol{x}) \parallel p(\boldsymbol{z}))}_{\text{prior matching term}} \right]}_{\text{prior matching term}}$$

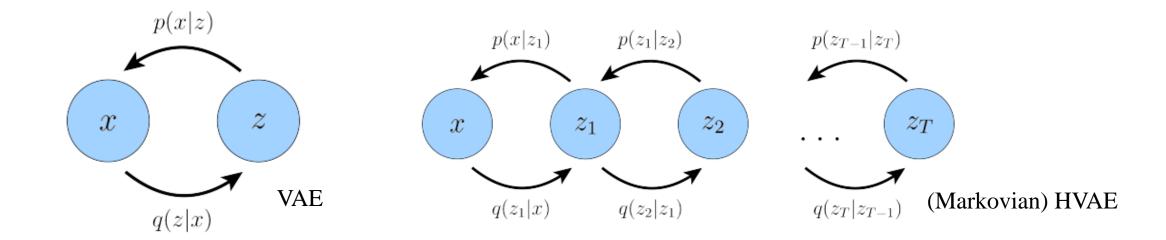
- Adding small Gaussians to a sample to make it a full Gaussian
- It requires a lot of steps



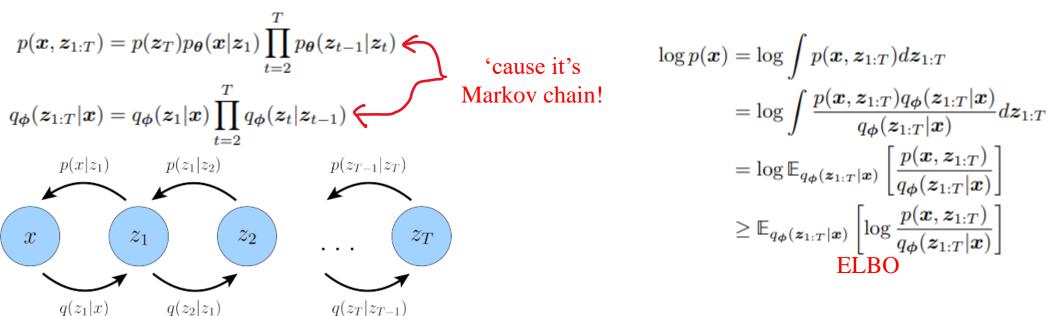
- Generative models convert data x to latent data z and then reconstruct them back to x or something similar
- Diffusion model is one of the score-based generative model
- The score is the gradient-log of the true data distribution $\nabla_x \log p(x)$
- There is a lot of math involved, but it is hard to know the meaning...
- Let us approach it from a different perspective and then come back



- A hierarchical structure in which several VAEs are connected
- This is called HVAE and is a generalization of VAE
- Like DNNs, HVAEs are likely to have more representation ability



- But it is too free to model; Let us set each VAE to be a Markov chain
- Then, given the original data $x = z_0$, for each time t and latent z_t , it can be modeled with encoders $q(z_t|z_{t-1})$ and decoders $p(z_{t-1}|z_t)$
- Model training can also be done with ELBO in the same way as VAE!



$$\log p(\boldsymbol{x}) = \log \int p(\boldsymbol{x}_{0:T}) d\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T} \qquad \bullet \text{ The third term is } \boldsymbol{x}$$

$$= \log \int \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x}_{0:T}) q(\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T} | \boldsymbol{x}_{0})}{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T} | \boldsymbol{x}_{0})} d\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T} \qquad \bullet \text{ Because it has to } \boldsymbol{x}$$

$$= \log \mathbb{E}_{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T} | \boldsymbol{x}_{0})} \left[\frac{p(\boldsymbol{x}_{0:T})}{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T} | \boldsymbol{x}_{0})} \right] \qquad \bullet \text{ How to be solve?}$$

$$\geq \mathbb{E}_{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T} | \boldsymbol{x}_{0})} \left[\log \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x}_{0:T})}{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T} | \boldsymbol{x}_{0})} \right]$$

- If T = 1, it is equivalent to ELBO in vanilla VAE
- The third term is very dominant in training cost!
- Because it has to be calculated T times and every KL divergence must be optimized simultaneously

$$\geq \mathbb{E}_{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T}|\boldsymbol{x}_{0})} \left[\log \frac{p(\boldsymbol{x}_{0:T})}{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{1:T}|\boldsymbol{x}_{0})} \right]$$

$$= \underbrace{\mathbb{E}_{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{1}|\boldsymbol{x}_{0})} \left[\log p_{\theta}(\boldsymbol{x}_{0}|\boldsymbol{x}_{1}) \right]}_{\text{reconstruction term}} - \underbrace{\mathbb{E}_{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{T-1}|\boldsymbol{x}_{0})} \left[D_{\text{KL}}(q(\boldsymbol{x}_{T}|\boldsymbol{x}_{T-1}) \parallel p(\boldsymbol{x}_{T})) \right] - \sum_{t=1}^{T-1} \underbrace{\mathbb{E}_{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{t-1},\boldsymbol{x}_{t+1}|\boldsymbol{x}_{0})} \left[D_{\text{KL}}(q(\boldsymbol{x}_{t}|\boldsymbol{x}_{t-1}) \parallel p_{\theta}(\boldsymbol{x}_{t}|\boldsymbol{x}_{t+1})) \right]}_{\text{consistency term}}$$

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 - 3. The latent in final step *T* must be a standard Gaussian
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- i.e., $X \sim N(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2)$, $Y \sim N(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2) \Rightarrow X + Y \sim N(\mu_1 + \mu_2, \sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2)$

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- Let $q(z_t|z_{t-1}) = N(z_t; \sqrt{\alpha_t}, (1 \alpha_t)I)$ for every t
- So $x_t = \sqrt{\alpha_t} x_{t-1} + \sqrt{1 \alpha_t} \epsilon$ where $\epsilon \sim N(\epsilon; 0, I)$

$$x_{t} = \sqrt{\alpha_{t}}x_{t-1} + \sqrt{1 - \alpha_{t}}\epsilon_{t-1}^{*}$$

$$= \sqrt{\alpha_{t}}\left(\sqrt{\alpha_{t-1}}x_{t-2} + \sqrt{1 - \alpha_{t-1}}\epsilon_{t-2}^{*}\right) + \sqrt{1 - \alpha_{t}}\epsilon_{t-1}^{*}$$

$$= \sqrt{\alpha_{t}}\alpha_{t-1}x_{t-2} + \sqrt{\alpha_{t} - \alpha_{t}}\alpha_{t-1}}\epsilon_{t-2}^{*} + \sqrt{1 - \alpha_{t}}\epsilon_{t-1}^{*}$$

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$$= \dots$$

$$= \sqrt{\prod_{i=1}^{t}\alpha_{i}x_{0}} + \sqrt{1 - \prod_{i=1}^{t}\alpha_{i}}\epsilon_{0}$$

$$= \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t}}x_{0} + \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t}}\epsilon_{0}$$

$$\sim \mathcal{N}(x_{t}; \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t}}x_{0}, (1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t})\mathbf{I})$$

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$$q(\boldsymbol{x}_{t-1}|\boldsymbol{x}_{t},\boldsymbol{x}_{0}) = \frac{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{t}|\boldsymbol{x}_{t-1},\boldsymbol{x}_{0})q(\boldsymbol{x}_{t-1}|\boldsymbol{x}_{0})}{q(\boldsymbol{x}_{t}|\boldsymbol{x}_{0})}$$

$$= \frac{\mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{x}_{t};\sqrt{\alpha_{t}}\boldsymbol{x}_{t-1},(1-\alpha_{t})\mathbf{I})\mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{x}_{t-1};\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t-1}}\boldsymbol{x}_{0},(1-\bar{\alpha}_{t-1})\mathbf{I})}{\mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{x}_{t};\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t}}\boldsymbol{x}_{0},(1-\bar{\alpha}_{t})\mathbf{I})}$$

$$\propto \mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{x}_{t-1};\underbrace{\frac{\sqrt{\alpha_{t}}(1-\bar{\alpha}_{t-1})\boldsymbol{x}_{t}+\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t-1}}(1-\alpha_{t})\boldsymbol{x}_{0}}{1-\bar{\alpha}_{t}}}_{\mu_{q}(\boldsymbol{x}_{t},\boldsymbol{x}_{0})},\underbrace{\frac{(1-\alpha_{t})(1-\bar{\alpha}_{t-1})}{1-\bar{\alpha}_{t}}}\mathbf{I}})$$

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$$\mu_{q}(\boldsymbol{x}_{t},\boldsymbol{x}_{0}) = \underbrace{\frac{\sqrt{\alpha_{t}}(1-\bar{\alpha}_{t-1})\boldsymbol{x}_{t} + \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t-1}}(1-\alpha_{t})\boldsymbol{x}_{0}}{1-\bar{\alpha}_{t}}}_{\text{prior matching term}} - \underbrace{\frac{(1-\alpha_{t})(1-\bar{\alpha}_{t-1})}{1-\bar{\alpha}_{t}}}_{\text{prior matching term}} \mathbf{I}$$

$$\mathbf{\mu}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}_{t},t) = \underbrace{\frac{\sqrt{\alpha_{t}}(1-\bar{\alpha}_{t-1})\boldsymbol{x}_{t} + \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t-1}}(1-\alpha_{t})\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}_{t},t)}{1-\bar{\alpha}_{t}}}_{\text{prior matching term}}$$

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- Set $p(x_{t-1}|x_t)$ to be Gaussian to reduce KL divergence
- Since the variance is only a function of t, we just take it

$$\frac{1}{2\sigma_q^2(t)} \frac{\bar{\alpha}_{t-1}(1-\alpha_t)^2}{(1-\bar{\alpha}_t)^2} \left[\|\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}_t,t) - \boldsymbol{x}_0\|_2^2 \right]
= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\bar{\alpha}_{t-1}}{1-\bar{\alpha}_{t-1}} - \frac{\bar{\alpha}_t}{1-\bar{\alpha}_t} \right) \left[\|\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}_t,t) - \boldsymbol{x}_0\|_2^2 \right]
= \frac{1}{2} \left(\operatorname{SNR}(t-1) - \operatorname{SNR}(t) \right) \left[\|\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}_t,t) - \boldsymbol{x}_0\|_2^2 \right]$$

- Finding the appropriate hyperparameter α can be done with NN
- But this is a bit questionable

$$SNR(t) = \exp(-\omega_{\eta}(t))$$

$$\frac{\bar{\alpha}_{t}}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t}} = \exp(-\omega_{\eta}(t))$$

$$\therefore \bar{\alpha}_{t} = \operatorname{sigmoid}(-\omega_{\eta}(t))$$

$$\therefore 1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t} = \operatorname{sigmoid}(\omega_{\eta}(t))$$

- Expression manipulation never ends...
- We can view the optimization problem of diffusion model in 3 aspects:
 - Training original data!

$$\underset{\boldsymbol{\theta}}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \frac{1}{2\sigma_q^2(t)} \frac{\bar{\alpha}_{t-1}(1-\alpha_t)^2}{(1-\bar{\alpha}_t)^2} \left[\|\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}_t,t) - \boldsymbol{x}_0\|_2^2 \right]$$

$$\underset{\boldsymbol{\theta}}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \frac{1}{2\sigma_q^2(t)} \frac{(1-\alpha_t)^2}{(1-\bar{\alpha}_t)\alpha_t} \left[\left\| \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_0 - \hat{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}_t, t) \right\|_2^2 \right]$$

$$\underset{\boldsymbol{\theta}}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \frac{1}{2\sigma_q^2(t)} \frac{(1-\alpha_t)^2}{\alpha_t} \left[\left\| \boldsymbol{s}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}_t, t) - \nabla \log p(\boldsymbol{x}_t) \right\|_2^2 \right]$$

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• Training the noise!
$$\underset{\theta}{\operatorname{arg min}} \frac{1}{2\sigma_q^2(t)} \frac{(1-\alpha_t)^2}{(1-\bar{\alpha}_t)\alpha_t} \left[\|\epsilon_0 - \hat{\epsilon}_{\theta}(x_t,t)\|_2^2 \right]$$
• Training the score!
$$\underset{\theta}{\operatorname{arg min}} \frac{1}{2\sigma_q^2(t)} \frac{(1-\alpha_t)^2}{(1-\bar{\alpha}_t)\alpha_t} \left[\|s_{\theta}(x_t,t) - \nabla \log p(x_t)\|_2^2 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Training the score!}$$

$$\underset{\theta}{\operatorname{arg min}} \frac{1}{2\sigma_q^2(t)} \frac{(1-\alpha_t)^2}{\alpha_t} \left[\|s_{\theta}(x_t,t) - \nabla \log p(x_t)\|_2^2 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow x_0 = \frac{x_t + (1-\bar{\alpha}_t)\nabla \log p(x_t)}{\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}} = \frac{x_t - \sqrt{1-\bar{\alpha}_t}\epsilon_0}{\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla \log p(x_t) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\bar{\alpha}_t}}\epsilon_0$$

- The score is the gradient-log of the true data distribution $\nabla_x \log p(x)$
- That is, for arbitrarily flexible and parameterizable function f called the energy function, arbitrarily flexible probability distribution:

$$p_{\theta}(\boldsymbol{x}) = \frac{1}{Z_{\theta}} e^{-f_{\theta}(\boldsymbol{x})}$$

- But normalizing constant Z can be difficult to compute tractably
- This can be fixed by setting 'the score' to gradient-log and finding the score instead $\nabla \log n = \nabla \log \left(\frac{1}{2} e^{-f_{\theta}(x)}\right)$

$$\nabla_{\boldsymbol{x}} \log p_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}) = \nabla_{\boldsymbol{x}} \log \left(\frac{1}{Z_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}} e^{-f_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x})}\right)$$

$$= \nabla_{\boldsymbol{x}} \log \frac{1}{Z_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}} + \nabla_{\boldsymbol{x}} \log e^{-f_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x})}$$

$$= -\nabla_{\boldsymbol{x}} f_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x})$$

$$\approx s_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x})$$

• Express the score as a DNN by optimizing the Fisher Divergence

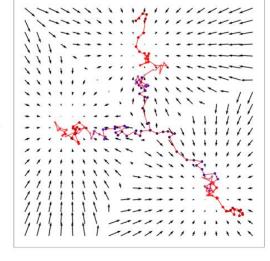
$$\mathbb{E}_{p(\boldsymbol{x})}\left[\left\|\boldsymbol{s}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}) - \nabla \log p(\boldsymbol{x})\right\|_{2}^{2}\right]$$
 ...and this is the vanilla score matching

- The score means the direction the log-likelihood increases
- The Score-based generative model borrows the idea of Langevin dynamics, a molecular system model that can represent molecular

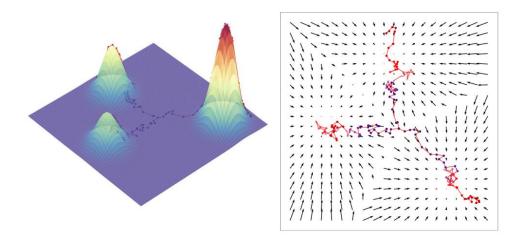
diffusion

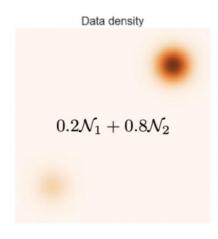
$$M\ddot{\mathbf{X}} = -\nabla U(\mathbf{X}) - \gamma M \dot{\mathbf{X}} + \sqrt{2M\gamma k_B T} \mathbf{R}(t)$$

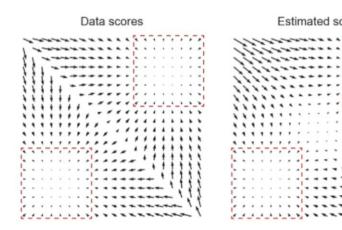
$$\boldsymbol{x}_{i+1} \leftarrow \boldsymbol{x}_i + c\nabla \log p(\boldsymbol{x}_i) + \sqrt{2c}\boldsymbol{\epsilon}, \quad i = 0, 1, ..., K$$



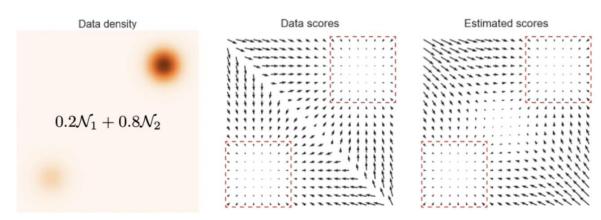
- It can estimate an intractable distribution $p_{\theta}(x) = \frac{1}{Z_{\theta}} e^{-f_{\theta}(x)}$
- But it is very computationally expensive and has various problems:
 - 1. Ill-defined when x lies on a low-dimensional manifold
 - 2. Not be accurate in low density regions
 - 3. Density is not reflected well (e.g., mixture model) ???







- This can be handled by adding Gaussians of different strengths
- The problem of computational cost is solved by estimating the scores of distributions made from noising samples
- Since Gaussian is defined in all spaces, it solves many problems
 - 1. Ill-defined when x lies on a low-dimensional manifold OK
 - 2. Not be accurate in low density regions somewhat ok
 - 3. Density is not reflected well (e.g., mixture model) ????



• Therefore, if we optimize all the Fisher Divergence at each noise level,

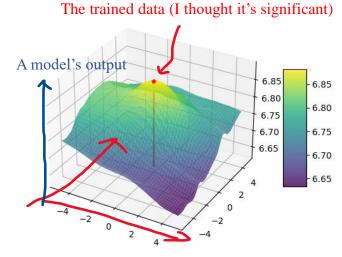
$$\underset{\boldsymbol{\theta}}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \sum_{t=1}^{T} \lambda(t) \mathbb{E}_{p_{\sigma_t}(\boldsymbol{x}_t)} \left[\left\| \boldsymbol{s}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x}, t) - \nabla \log p_{\sigma_t}(\boldsymbol{x}_t) \right\|_2^2 \right]$$

- $\underset{\boldsymbol{\theta}}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \sum_{t=1}^{I} \lambda(t) \mathbb{E}_{p_{\sigma_t}(\boldsymbol{x}_t)} \left[\|\boldsymbol{s}_{\boldsymbol{\theta}}(\boldsymbol{x},t) \nabla \log p_{\sigma_t}(\boldsymbol{x}_t) \|_2^2 \right]$ A similar expression emerges when solved from the HVAE perspective
- Furthermore, if we modify Langevin dynamics sampling in terms of simulated annealing:
 - Initialize from some fixed prior (e.g., uniform, gaussian)
 - Running Langevin dynamics for each $t = T, T 1, T 2 \dots$
 - The starting point of each step is the ending point of the previous one
- It can be perfectly modeled as a Markovian HVAE!

- In conclusion, the diffusion model can be interpreted as an
 - 1. Hierarchical VAE with strong constraints to deal with the computational cost
 - 2. Denoising score-based generative model with a clear, comprehensive explanation and great performance
- These are not separate but complementary to each other
- Approaching from different perspectives always gives good ideas!
- I hope this helped you get a rough understanding

- Diffusion models still have very important topics like SDE, but these are not fully understood. (too HARD for me!!!)
- Simple to understand, it seems to be an explanation that unifies the continuous Langevin dynamics process and the discrete DNN process
- The guidance (conditional one) is also possible (e.g., Image-Text)
- However, there are many other stories about these...
- For more details on this presentation, SDE, etc., see below:
 - Luo et al. "Understanding Diffusion Models: A Unified Perspective" [2208.11970]
 - Song et al. "Generative Modeling by Estimating Gradients of the Data Distribution" [1907.05600] (NCSN)
 - Ho et al. "Denoising Diffusion Probabilistic Models" [2006.11239] (DDPM)

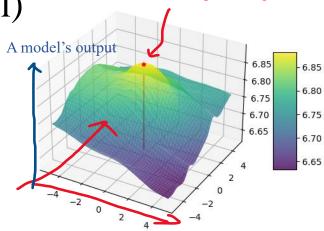
- This is one of the results of the experiment in the last presentation
- Simplifying the situation as a classification problem, let us determine whether the model has learned from that data
- Are there any significance features that only trained data have?
- Looking at the picture on the right
- Can we say that the data has been trained?



A plane in the data space (no dimensionality reduction!)

- At first glance, it seems trained (or maybe not)
- Can we set a specific metric?
- My thoughts: Find a feature that is significant compared to other points in the L_p norm hypersphere centered on the data

• A good candidate is logit (the output of the model)



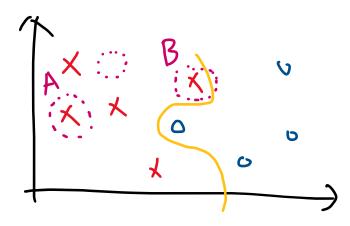
The trained data (I thought it's significant)

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- e.g., if the output of the data itself is noticeably higher than the output of Gaussian noises centered on that data, it has been trained
- Since the model is supervised by training data, the trained data itself will produce a higher output than its vicinity
- But...

If only this cat was trained, the output of it would be higher than the other cats (this can be seen as overfitting)

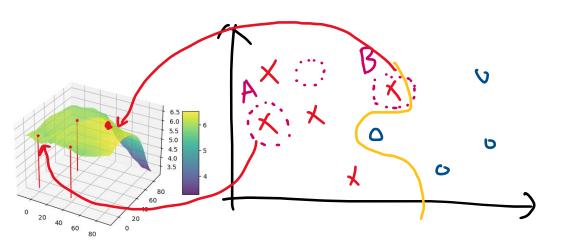
- Let us consider a simple binary classification problem
- According to the hypersphere hypothesis, both *A* and *B* should exhibit significant values (of metric) compared to their surroundings
- But B will be more significant than A, since B is close to the d.b.
- A might even have values same as C...

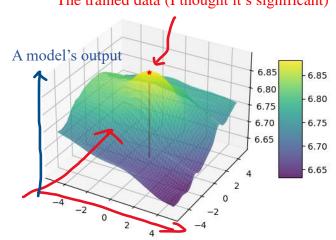


- Significant values can be found
- But we do not know if it is caused by just the supervision by that one sample or by others

• No matter how special it is, there is no guarantee that this really happened because of itself

The trained data (I thought it's significant)





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- However, I believe that the model has prints of the supervision
- In my opinion, the output of the input side of the model with less abstraction is more likely to be affected by the supervision
- But I doubt that this is a good direction
- As we move towards the input side of the model, less meaning is given, and more information is required...

- I might change the goal
- Even if I know all parameters of the model, it is difficult to determine
- If the constraint is not a single piece of data, but a small set of data, I can approach it from an adversarial attack perspective
- But it is more meaningful to determine for just one sample

Thank you for listening

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