



Leveraging Off-the-shelf Diffusion Model for Multi-attribute Fashion Image Manipulation

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Motivation

- GAN-based attribute-editing models only support few attributes and lack scalability.
- Diffusion models have demonstrated superior performances both in sample quality and diversity.
- While properly annotated fashion dataset is rare, numerous generic diffusion models have their pretrained checkpoints publicly available.
- With limited data, training a classifier is generally easier than training a generative model.

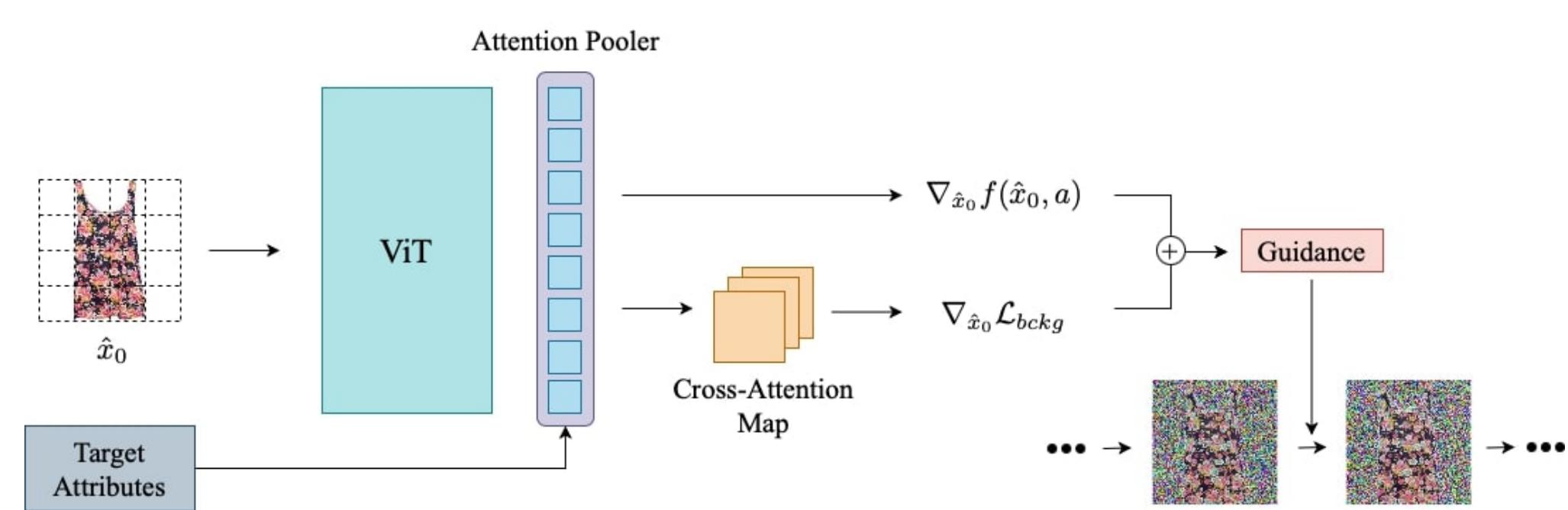


Evaluation

Empirical Findings from ViT Adaptation

| | Category | Fabric | Sleeve Length | Pattern | Gender | Fit | Collar | Neckline | Average |
|---------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Random Init. | End-to-End | 30.1 | 56.6 | 51.8 | 50.3 | 66.1 | 57.1 | 31.0 | 65.1 |
| Imagenet-pretrained | Attention-Pool Only | 85.4 | 58.7 | 84.8 | 76.1 | 95.0 | 66.4 | 91.4 | 84.4 |
| | Last2 | 67.0 | 52.8 | 78.9 | 48.5 | 74.6 | 59.7 | 81.6 | 78.1 |
| | Last4 | 44.8 | 52.8 | 60.8 | 45.0 | 82.0 | 58.6 | 76.1 | 76.2 |
| | Last6 | 43.1 | 52.1 | 73.0 | 44.0 | 77.4 | 54.9 | 76.0 | 71.1 |
| CLIP-pretrained | Attention-Pool Only | 86.3 | 60.2 | 84.9 | 80.4 | 95.8 | 69.9 | 91.0 | 83.3 |
| | Last6 | 87.2 | 67.9 | 84.4 | 87.2 | 97.4 | 70.9 | 75.3 | 78.0 |
| | Last12 | 85.6 | 67.8 | 83.2 | 86.4 | 97.1 | 69.9 | 78.5 | 76.5 |
| | Last18 | 82.3 | 66.8 | 79.7 | 83.2 | 95.9 | 68.4 | 72.9 | 73.7 |
| | Last24 | 51.7 | 61.9 | 70.4 | 61.5 | 84.7 | 61.9 | 41.6 | 65.1 |
| Imagenet-pretrained | No Aug. | 85.4 | 58.7 | 84.8 | 76.1 | 95.0 | 66.4 | 91.4 | 84.4 |
| | Random Aug. | 81.5 | 57.3 | 83.3 | 73.7 | 92.7 | 65.2 | 91.2 | 82.0 |
| CLIP-pretrained | No Aug. | 86.3 | 59.8 | 85.5 | 79.6 | 96.6 | 67.7 | 89.5 | 82.5 |
| | Random Aug. | 86.3 | 60.2 | 84.9 | 80.4 | 95.8 | 69.9 | 91.0 | 83.3 |

Formulation



Pretrained ViT + Attention Pooler

- The [cls] token of a pretrained ViT only reasons about the **global semantics** of an image.
- For multi-attribute editing, our classifier should attend to **different local regions** of an image for each attribute.

Local Image Editing with Patch-level Attention

- Use the **cross-attention map** for each attribute token to identify the salient region (and the background).
- Impose typical **classifier guidance** as well as **background preservation loss** to only modify the relevant area.

Rich Attribute Set

| Attribute | #Classes | Class |
|---------------|----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Category | 16 | Coat, Jacket, Suit, Shirt, T-shirt, Jumper, Shorts, Trouser, Jean, Swimming, Jumpsuit, Pyjamas, Tracksuit, Bottoms, Tracksuit, Skirt, Dress, Buttondown, Cutaway, High, Hood, Kent, Lapel, Lined, Mandarin, Polo, Round, Shawl, Turndown, V-neck, Peter Pan, Volant, Shirt, Chin, Canvas, Crocheted, Denim, Fleece, Hardshell, Jersey, Jersey Lace, Lace, Mesh, Mesh Jersey, Rib, Softshell, Sweat, Leather |
| Collar | 17 | Bootcut, Flared, High waist, Jeggings, Large, Loose, Low, Oversize, Regular, Skinny, Slim, Small, Straight, Tailored, Tapered |
| Fabric | 14 | Male, Female |
| Fit | 15 | Boat, Backless, Cache-coeur, Henley, Low v-neck, Low round, Off-the-shoulder, Round, Square, V-neck, Envelope |
| Gender | 2 | Animal, Burnout, Camouflage, Checked, Marl, Color gradient, Colorful, Floral, Herringbone, Paisley, Photo, Pinstriped, Plain, Polka dot, Print, Striped |
| Neckline | 11 | 3/4, Spaghetti, Sleeveless, Elbow, Extra long, Extra short, Long, Short, Strapless |
| Pattern | 16 | Skirt |
| Sleeve Length | 9 | Category (Skirt) + Collar (Skirt) |

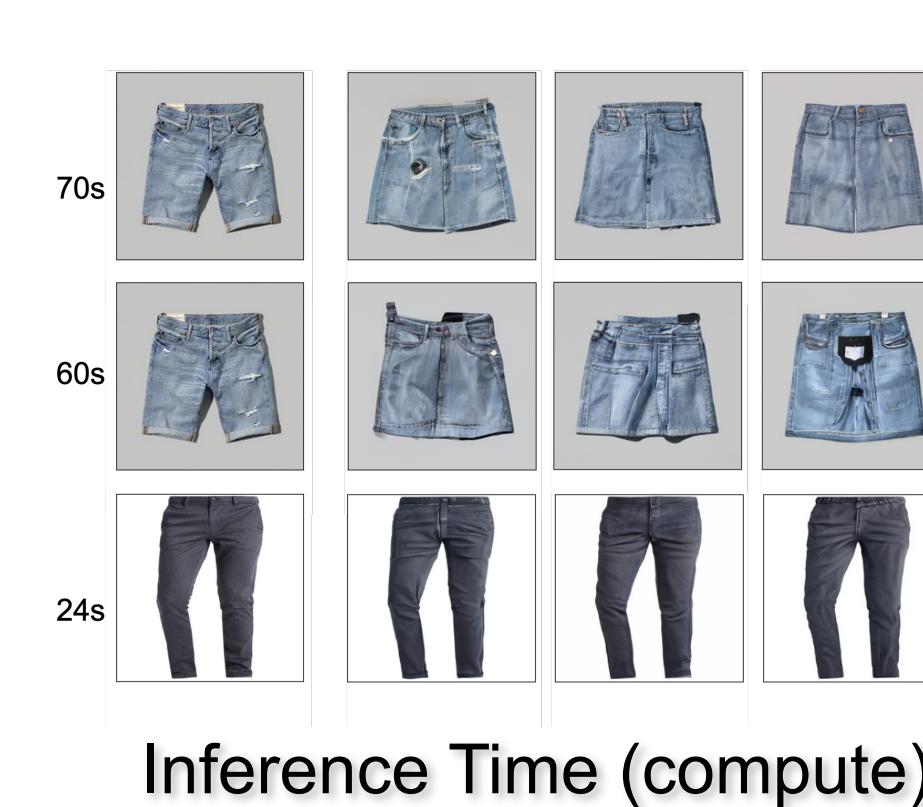
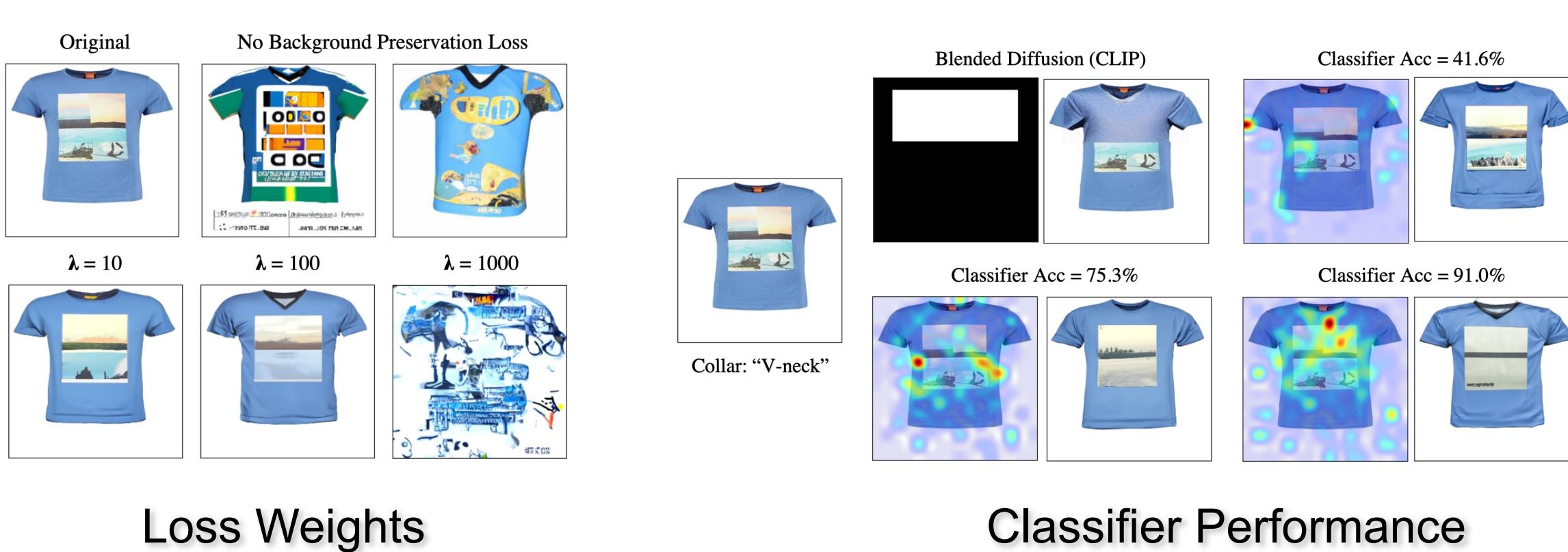
- With a relatively small (~100k) and visually distant dataset, training the attention pooler alone performs the best.

Qualitative Evaluations



- Our framework performs a wide range of attribute editing with a single model, producing realistic samples.

Ablations



- Better classifier provides not only superior semantic guidance but also more accurate attention map.
- Simple operations (e.g., texture) are more robust to the number of diffusion steps compared to more complex modifications (e.g., shape).