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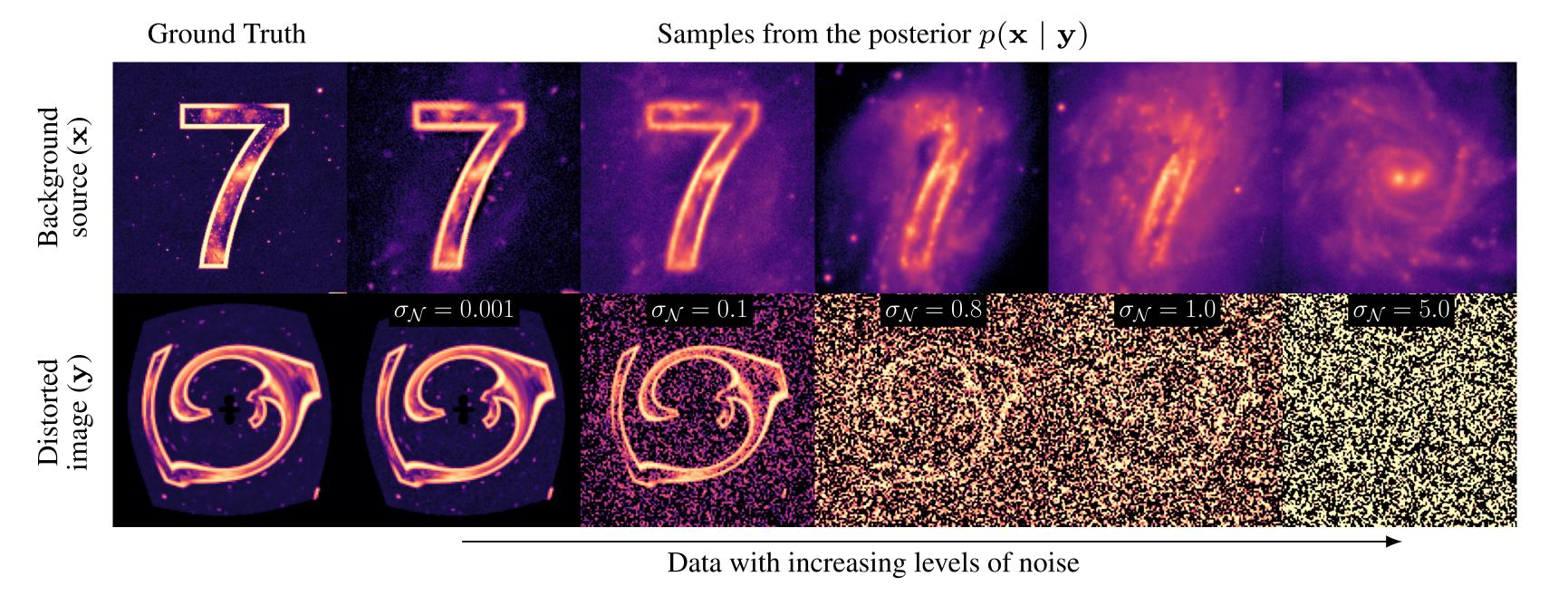
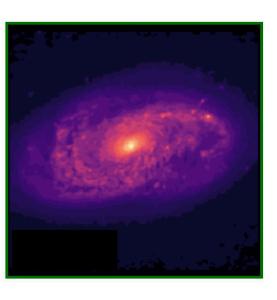


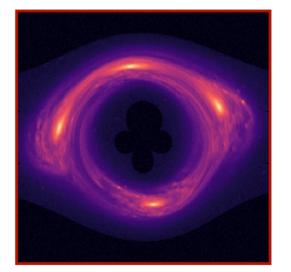
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### p(galaxies)





**Gravitational lensing** 



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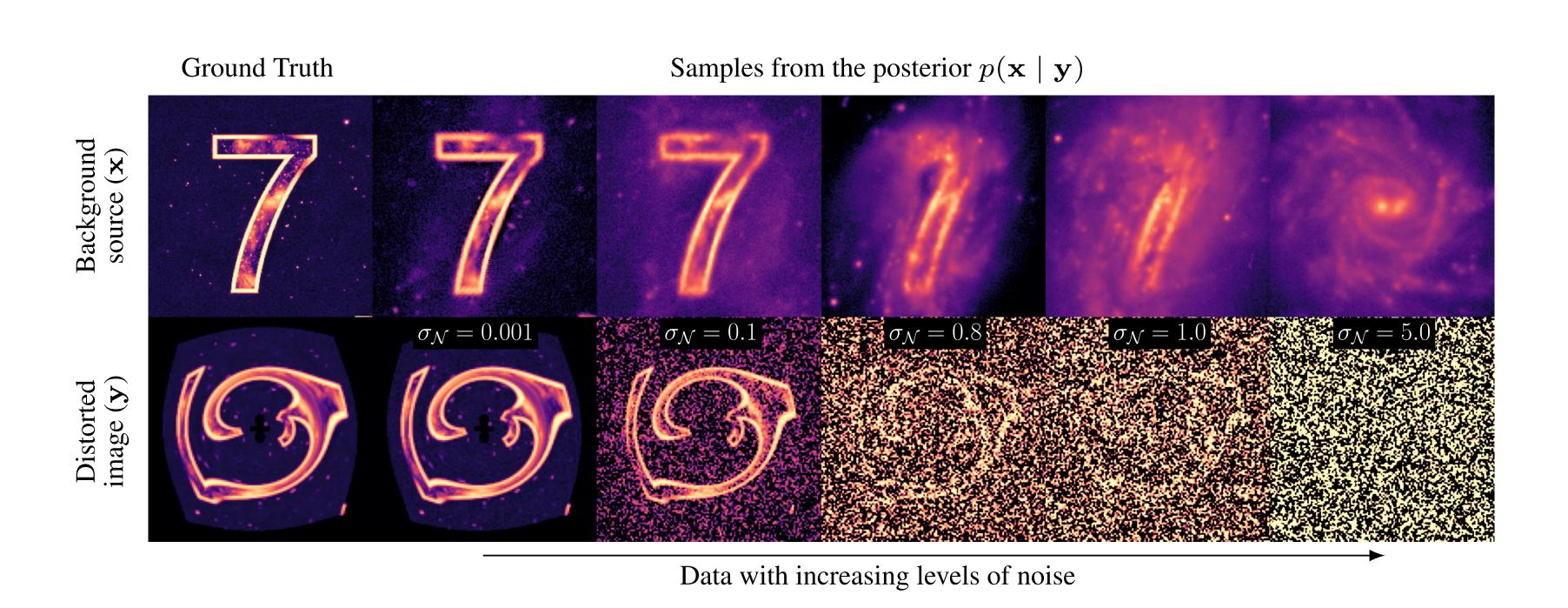
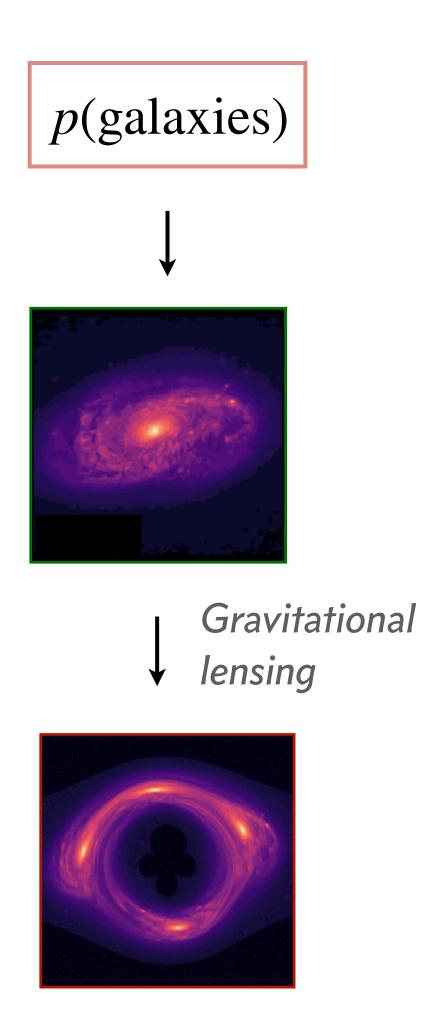


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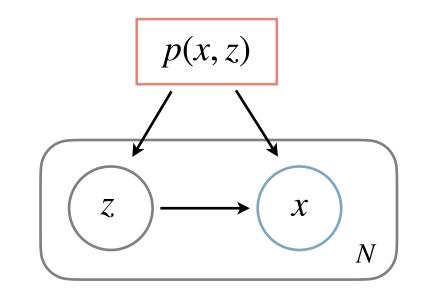


# Outline



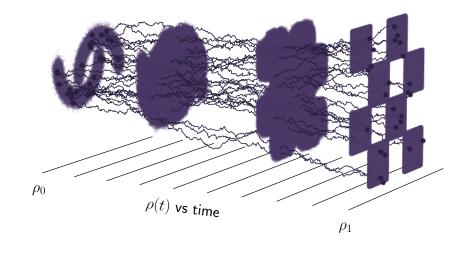


What is it, and what can it do for you?



### Variational auto encoders

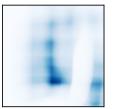
Latent-variable modeling, and compression is all you need



### Diffusion models

Models based on iterative refinement









Normalizing flows

Invertible transformations