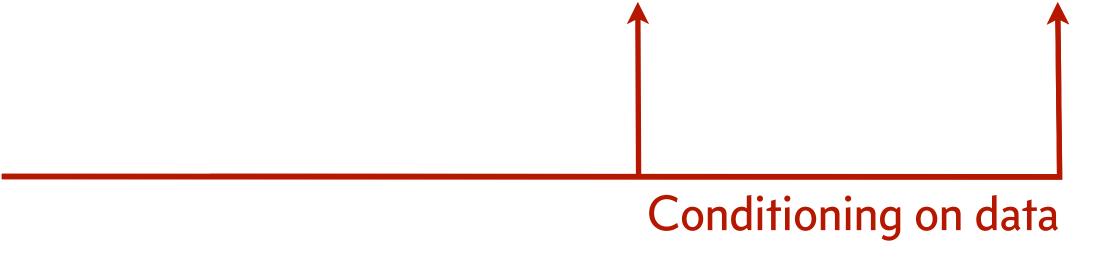
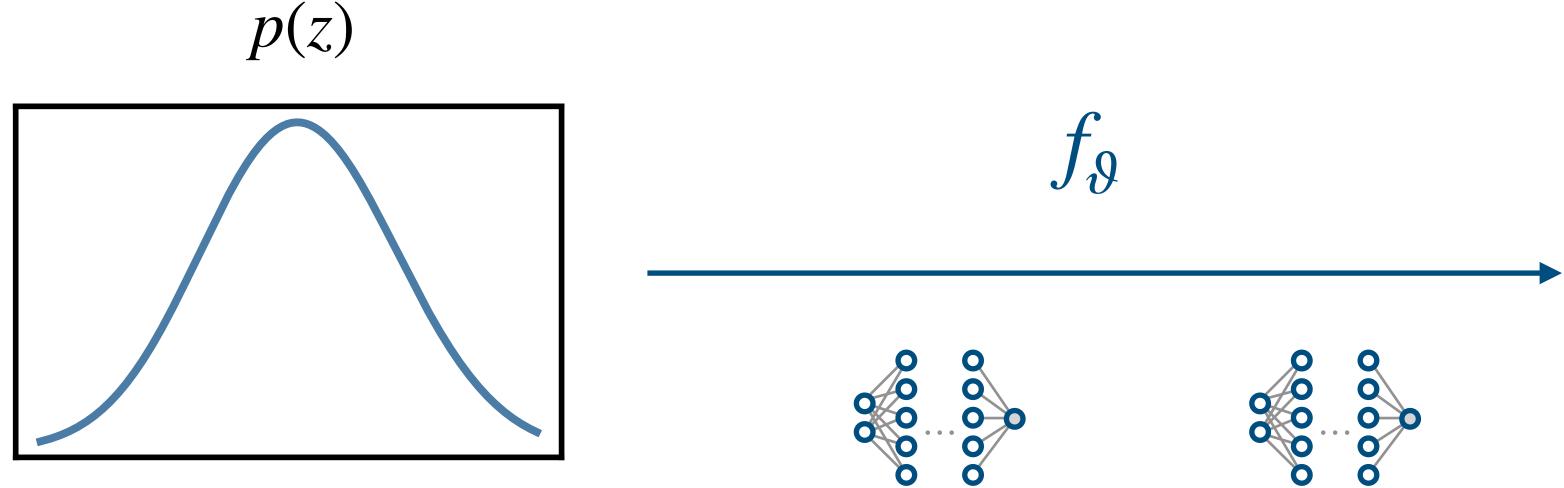
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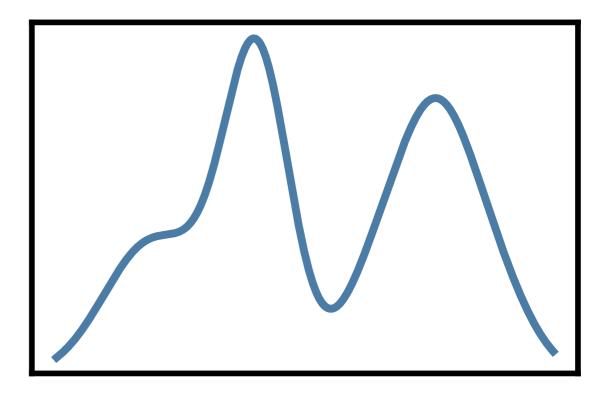


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Posterior distribution $p(\theta \mid x)$

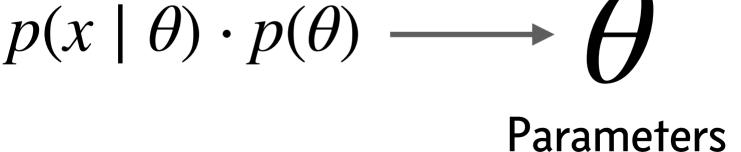


Density estimation

Optimize $\{g_{\varphi}, f_{\vartheta}\}$ simultaneously

Data



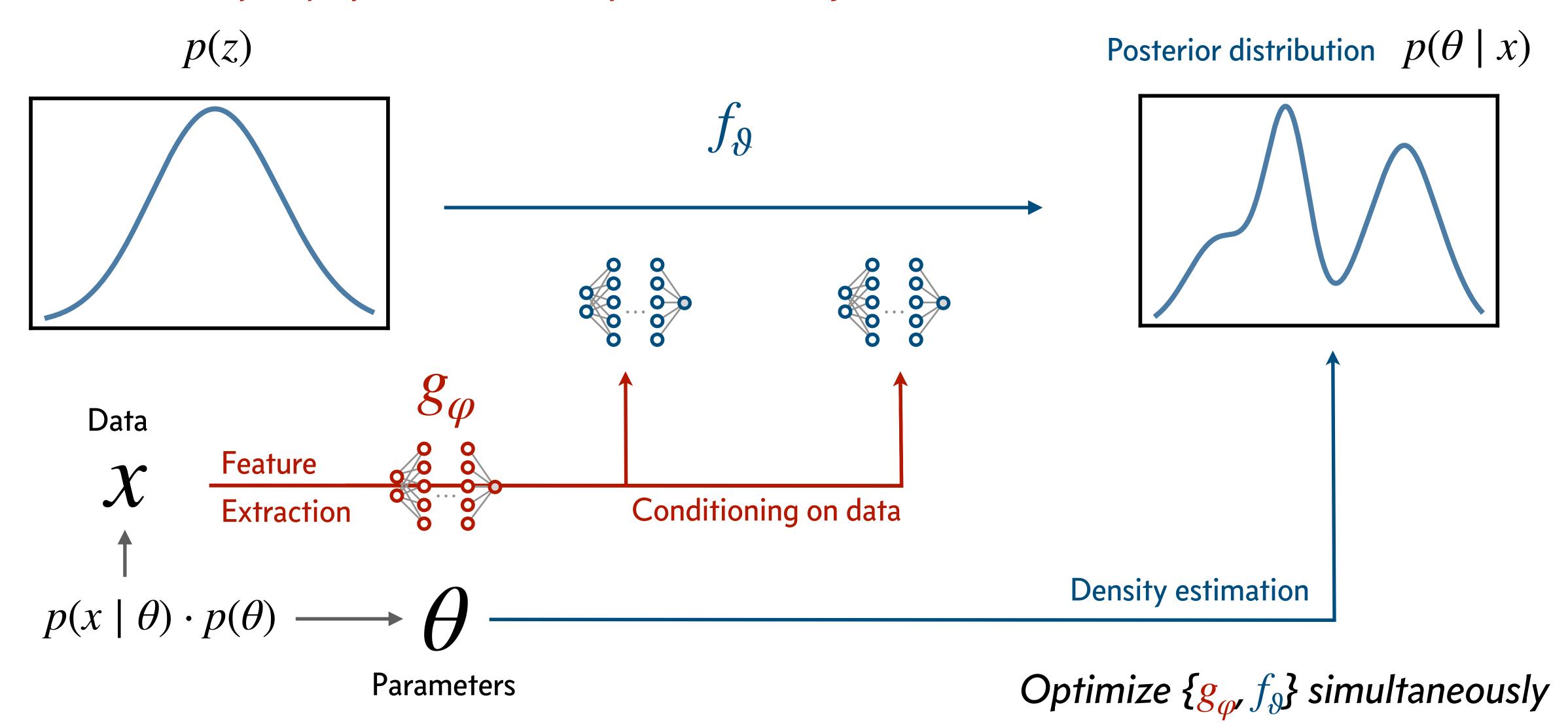


Feature

Extraction

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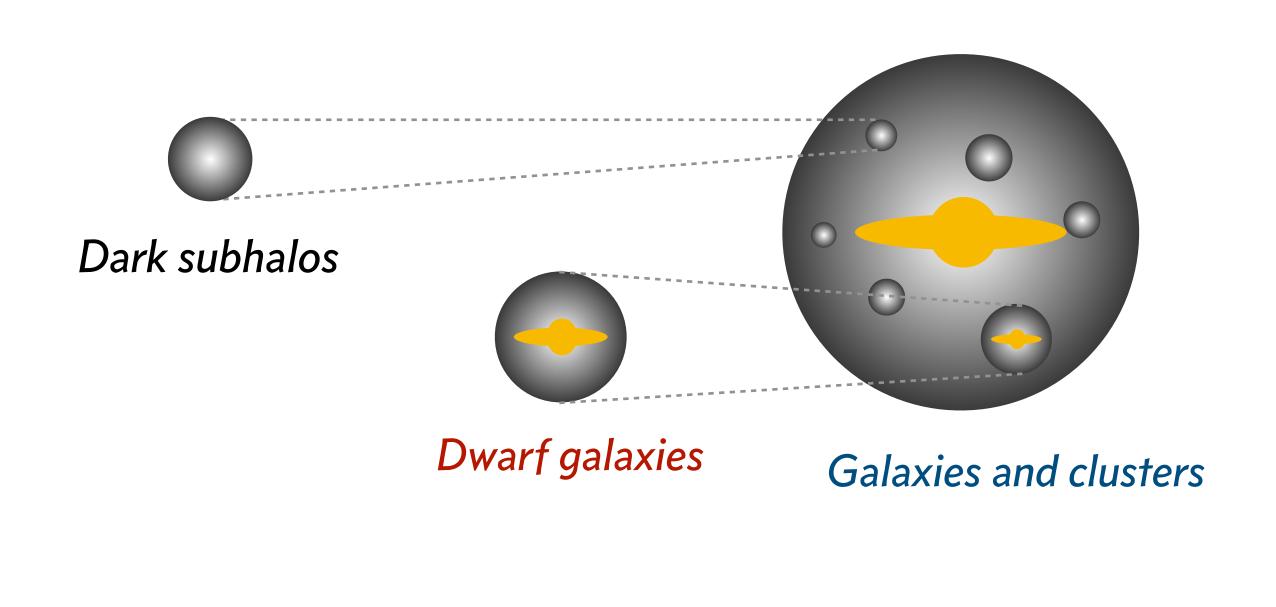
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Another application: extracting the dark matter distribution from dwarf galaxies

Dwarf galaxies are intermediate-sized galaxies well-suited for studying dark matter

[Nguyen, SM et al 2022]



Size/mass of dark matter subhalos