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Week 10: Assignment 10

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.

Due on 2024-10-02, 23:59 IST.

Assignment submitted on 2024-10-02, 15:56 IST

- 1) Why might Segment Anything (SAM) be particularly useful in data annotation tasks compared to traditional segmentation models? **1 point**
- ☐ It produces perfect segmentation masks.
 - ☒ It can adapt to segment any object, even those not seen during training
 - ☐ It requires less computational resources
 - ☐ It automatically labels all objects in an image without user input

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

It can adapt to segment any object, even those not seen during training

- 2) What is the primary advantage of using DETR (Detection Transformer) over traditional object detection methods? **1 point**
- ☐ DETR uses an anchor-based approach, which simplifies the object localization process.
 - ☒ DETR eliminates the need for region proposals and anchor boxes, simplifying the object detection pipeline.
 - ☐ DETR requires significantly fewer training epochs compared to traditional methods.
 - ☐ DETR can only detect objects in high-resolution images due to its reliance on self-attention mechanisms.

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

DETR eliminates the need for region proposals and anchor boxes, simplifying the object detection pipeline.

- 3) How does the patch size in a Vision Transformer impact performance? **1 point**
- ☒ Smaller patch sizes lead to better local feature extraction but increase computational cost.
 - ☐ Larger patch sizes always improve model performance.
 - ☐ Smaller patch sizes are computationally cheaper but may miss global context.
 - ☐ Patch size has no significant impact on model performance.

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

Smaller patch sizes lead to better local feature extraction but increase computational cost.

- 4) What is a key characteristic of the Swin Transformer that differentiates it from the standard Vision Transformer (ViT)? **1 point**
- ☐ Swin Transformer uses global attention throughout the entire image for every layer.
 - ☒ Swin Transformer employs a hierarchical structure with shifted windows for local attention, allowing it to scale to larger images.
 - ☐ Swin Transformer is designed exclusively for small image resolutions.
 - ☐ Swin Transformer eliminates the use of multi-head self-attention in favor of convolutional operations

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

Swin Transformer employs a hierarchical structure with shifted windows for local attention, allowing it to scale to larger images.

- 5) What is the purpose of the class token in a Vision Transformer? **1 point**
- ☐ It encodes the position of each image patch.
 - ☒ It serves as the representation of the entire image, which is used for classification.
 - ☐ It performs the same function as a softmax layer in traditional neural networks.
 - ☐ It stores the output of each transformer layer.

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

It serves as the representation of the entire image, which is used for classification.

- 6) Why do Vision Transformers often require large datasets for effective training? **1 point**
- ☐ They are inherently more data-efficient than CNNs.
 - ☒ They lack the inductive biases of convolutions, making them more reliant on data to learn structure.
 - ☐ Their self-attention mechanism directly reduces the need for large datasets.
 - ☐ They can overfit more easily without large datasets.

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

They lack the inductive biases of convolutions, making them more reliant on data to learn structure.

- 7) What is the primary challenge when training GANs? **1 point**
- ☐ Maximizing the discriminator loss.
 - ☒ Ensuring the generator and discriminator learn in balance.
 - ☐ Training the generator faster than the discriminator.
 - ☐ Reducing the number of parameters in the generator.

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

Ensuring the generator and discriminator learn in balance.

- 8) Which of the following best describes "mode collapse" in GANs? **1 point**
- ☐ The discriminator becoming too powerful.
 - ☒ The generator producing a limited variety of outputs.
 - ☐ The loss function of the discriminator diverging.
 - ☐ The generator generating random noise instead of real-like data.

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

The generator producing a limited variety of outputs.

- 9) What is the role of the latent space in a VAE? **1 point**
- ☐ It stores the compressed data.
 - ☐ It stores real-valued outputs of the decoder.
 - ☐ It represents the error between the input and output.
 - ☒ It captures a distribution of latent variables for data generation.

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

It captures a distribution of latent variables for data generation.

- 10) Which of the following statements are false? (Select all that apply) **1 point**
- ☐ Generative adversarial networks (GANs) generate sharper images compared to Variational AutoEncoders (VAE)
 - ☐ GAN is an example of an implicit density estimation model
 - ☒ Fully connected layers in mapping network of Style-GAN do not change the dimension of its input
 - ☒ The generator and discriminator are always trained together in a GAN

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

Fully connected layers in mapping network of Style-GAN do not change the dimension of its input

The generator and discriminator are always trained together in a GAN

- 11) What are the capabilities of these models? **1 point**
- 1) Discriminative model
- i) Assigns labels to data; Performs supervised feature learning
- 2) Generative model
- ii) Assigns labels while rejecting outliers; Generates new data conditioned on input labels
- 3) Conditional generative model
- iii) Detects outliers; Performs unsupervised feature learning; Samples to generate new data
- ☐ 1→iii, 2→i, 3→ii

- ☒ 1→i, 2→iii, 3→ii
☐ 1→ii, 2→iii, 3→i
☐ 1→i, 2→ii, 3→iii

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:
1→i, 2→ii, 3→ii

In a VAE, if the encoder outputs $\mu = [0.3, 0.1, 0.2, 0.4]$ and $\sigma = [0.1, 0.4, 0.2, 0.3]$, and c sampled from $N(0, I)$ is $[0.6, 0.2, 0.4, 0.1]$, then the latent value z given to the decoder is?

12) Element 1: _____

0.36

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 0.25

Accepted Answers:

(Type: Numeric) 0.36

0.25 points

13) Element 2: _____

0.18

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 0.25

Accepted Answers:

(Type: Numeric) 0.18

0.25 points

14) Element 3: _____

0.28

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 0.25

Accepted Answers:

(Type: Numeric) 0.28

0.25 points

15) Element 4: _____

0.43

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 0.25

Accepted Answers:

(Type: Numeric) 0.43

0.25 points

