## Lecture 14: GAN: Loss Functions and De-convolution

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#### Generative Adversarial Network

- Another class of *Generative* models.
- The generation step is at the heart of this model.



Figure 17-15. A generative adversarial network

## Generative Adversarial Network

- **Generator**: A Neural Network which given some *random noise* it generates a *fake datapoint*.
- Discriminator: A Neural Network that given an image determines if it is real or fake.



Figure 17-15. A generative adversarial network

This is a game-theoretic modeling of the problem.

- Generator and Discriminator are both trying to outwit each other.
- In this process, the Generator learns to produce very good *fake data*.

- A Sampler S samples a vector z in the latent space using a normal distribution.
- The Generator G maps z to a data point.

$$\hat{x} = G(z)$$

- The Discriminator D gets  $\{\hat{x}, x\}$  where x is a training sample, i.e. a real datapoint.
- D outputs a probability for both  $\hat{x}$  and x of them being real (i.e. not generated by G)

$$\hat{y} = D(\hat{x})$$
  
 $y = D(x)$ 

• Note that  $\hat{y}$  and y are probabilities

Discriminator's Objective:

$$\min_{w(D)} \{-\log(D(x)) - \log(1 - D(G(z)))\}$$

Generator's Objective:

$$\max_{w(G)} \{ -\log(D(x)) - \log(1 - D(G(z))) \}$$



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- This is the cross-entropy loss
- The input x to the Discriminator is labeled 1 with probability 1/2.
- The predicted label is 1 with probability D(x)
- The generator has to maximize the discriminator's loss

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Discriminator's Loss:

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- We train in rounds
- The Generator produces a batch of fake data G(z) using random noise z.
- A batch of real data x and G(z) are both run through the discriminator, and loss - log(D(x)) - log(1 - D(G(z))) is computed.
- We then update D via a gradient descent step, keeping G fixed.

Generator's Objective:

$$\max_{w(G)} \{ -\log(D(x)) - \log(1 - D(G(z))) \}$$

Generator's Loss:

$$\log(1 - D(G(z)))$$



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- Next, the generator then produces a new batch of fake data G(z')
- These are processed by the discriminator to get the loss  $\log(1 D(G(z')))$ .
- We then update G by a gradient descent step, keeping D fixed.

#### Deep Convolutional Generator



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# Transposed Convolutions



Kernel

# Transposed Convolutions

2x2 convolution, stride of 1 and a pad of 0  $\,$ 

4 * 3 = 12
2 * 1 = 2
12 + 2 = 14



Output



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