Unsupervised Conditional Generation

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Domain X



Transform an object from one domain to another *without paired data* (e.g. style transfer)



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Approach 1: Direct Transformation



For texture or color change

Approach 2: Projection to Common Space



Larger change, only keep the semantics



Domain Y



Domain Y



Domain Y



Domain X







Become similar

to domain Y

Not what we want!

 D_Y

ignore input



Input image belongs to domain Y or not

scalar

Domain Y



Domain Y



The issue can be avoided by network design.

Simpler generator makes the input and output more closely related.

Input image belongs to domain Y or not

[Tomer Galanti, et al. ICLR, 2018]



Domain Y



Baseline of DTN [Yaniv Taigman, et al., ICLR, 2017]

[Jun-Yan Zhu, et al., ICCV, 2017]

Direct Transformation

as close as possible



Domain Y

as close as possible



Cycle GAN – Silver Hair

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Issue of Cycle Consistency

• CycleGAN: a Master of Steganography (隱寫術)

[Casey Chu, et al., NIPS workshop, 2017]



The information is hidden.



For multiple domains, considering starGAN

[Yunjey Choi, arXiv, 2017]





Depth-wise concatenation





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Target





Domain X



Training

Minimizing reconstruction error





Domain X



Training



Because we train two auto-encoders separately ...

The images with the same attribute may not project to the same position in the latent space.

Training



Sharing the parameters of encoders and decoders Couple GAN[Ming-Yu Liu, et al., NIPS, 2016] UNIT[Ming-Yu Liu, et al., NIPS, 2017]

Training



The domain discriminator forces the output of EN_X and EN_Y have the same distribution. [Guillaume Lample, et al., NIPS, 2017]

Training



Cycle Consistency:

Used in ComboGAN [Asha Anoosheh, et al., arXiv, 017]





Semantic Consistency:

Used in DTN [Yaniv Taigman, et al., ICLR, 2017] and XGAN [Amélie Royer, et al., arXiv, 2017]

世界二次元化

- Using the code: <u>https://github.com/Hi-</u> king/kawaii_creator
- It is not cycle GAN, Disco GAN



input











Voice Conversion



In the past





Speakers A and B are talking about completely different things.



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