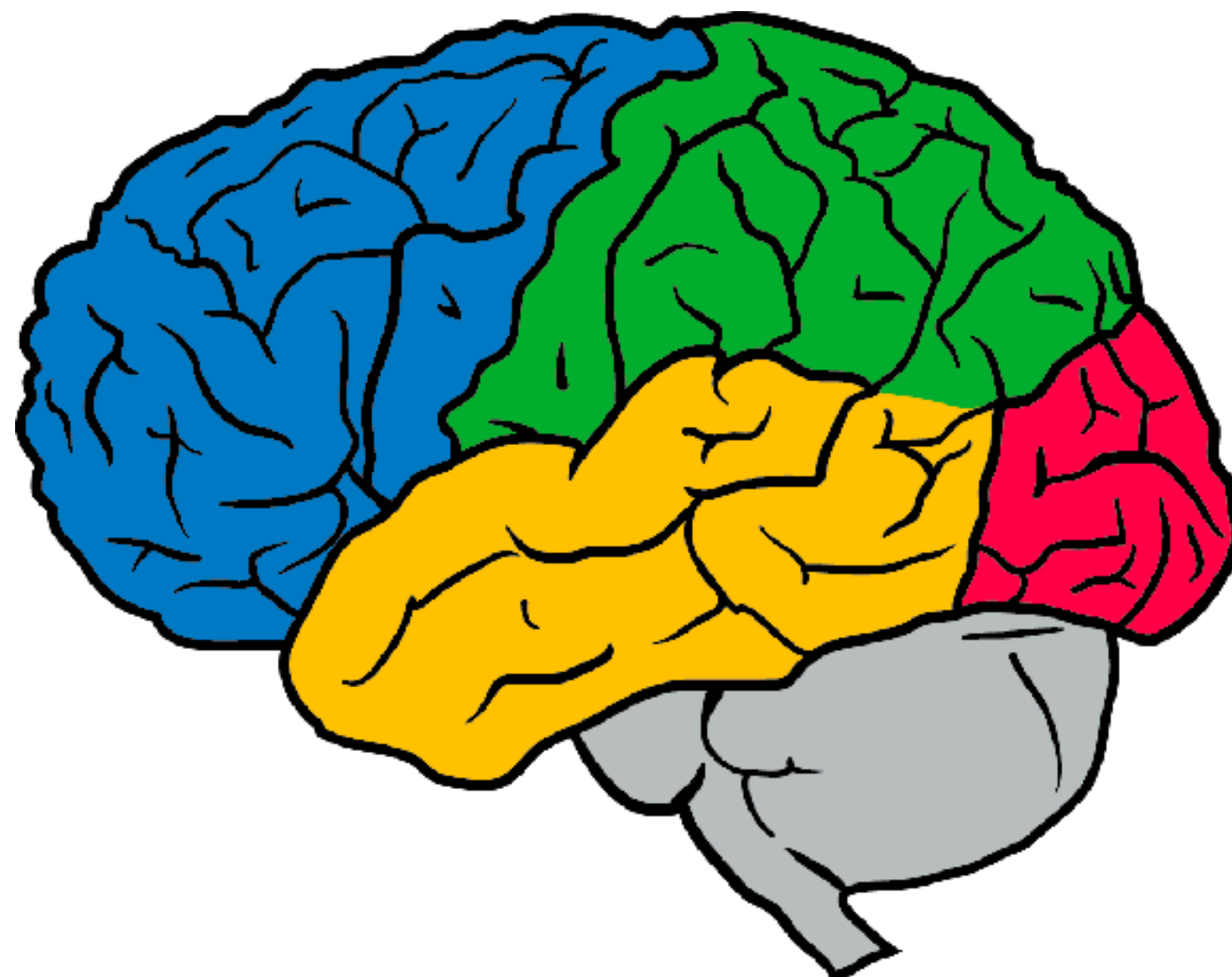


Generative Models I

Ian Goodfellow, Staff Research Scientist, Google Brain

MILA Deep Learning Summer School

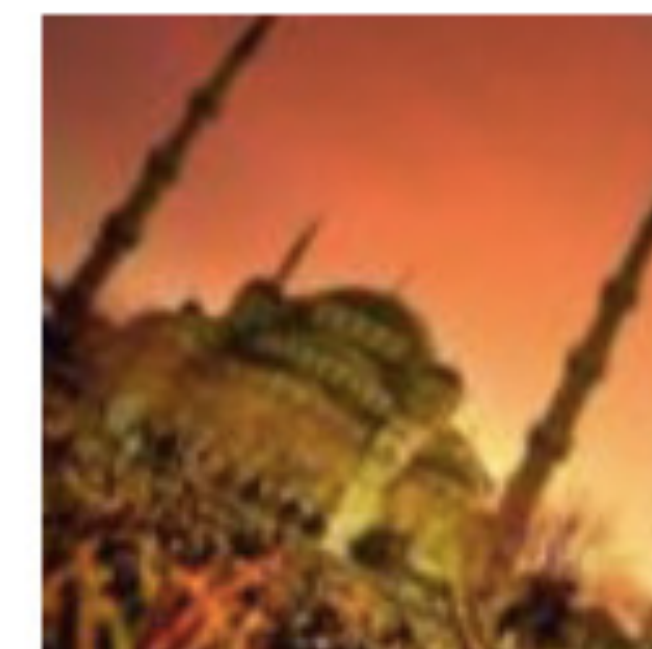
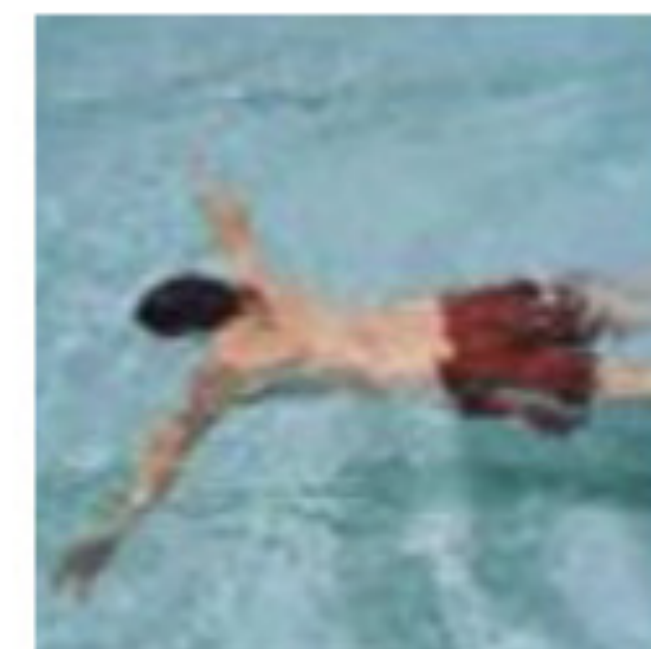
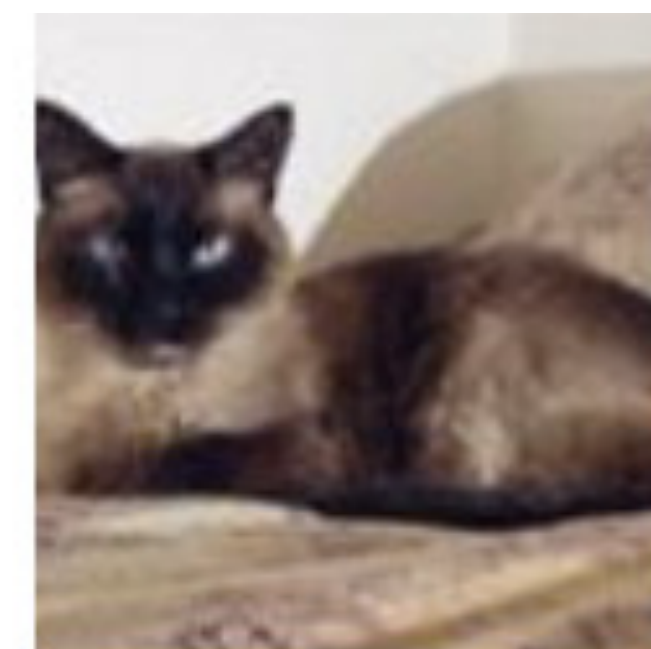
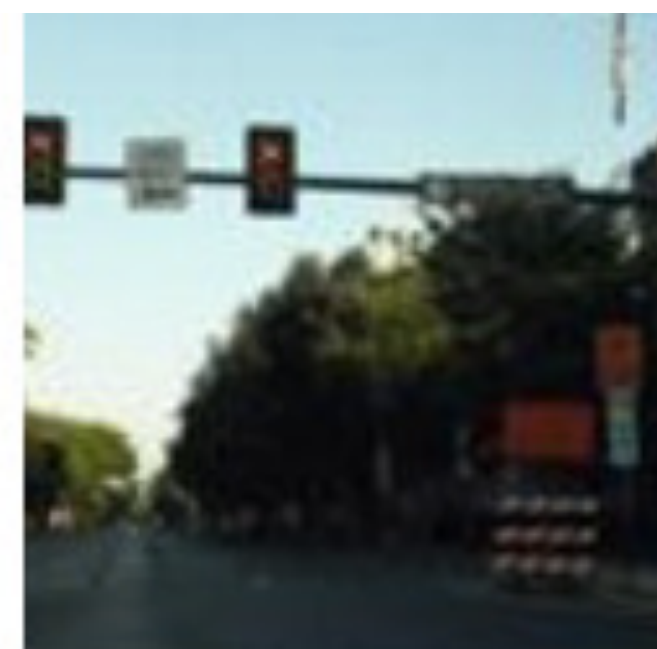
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Density Estimation



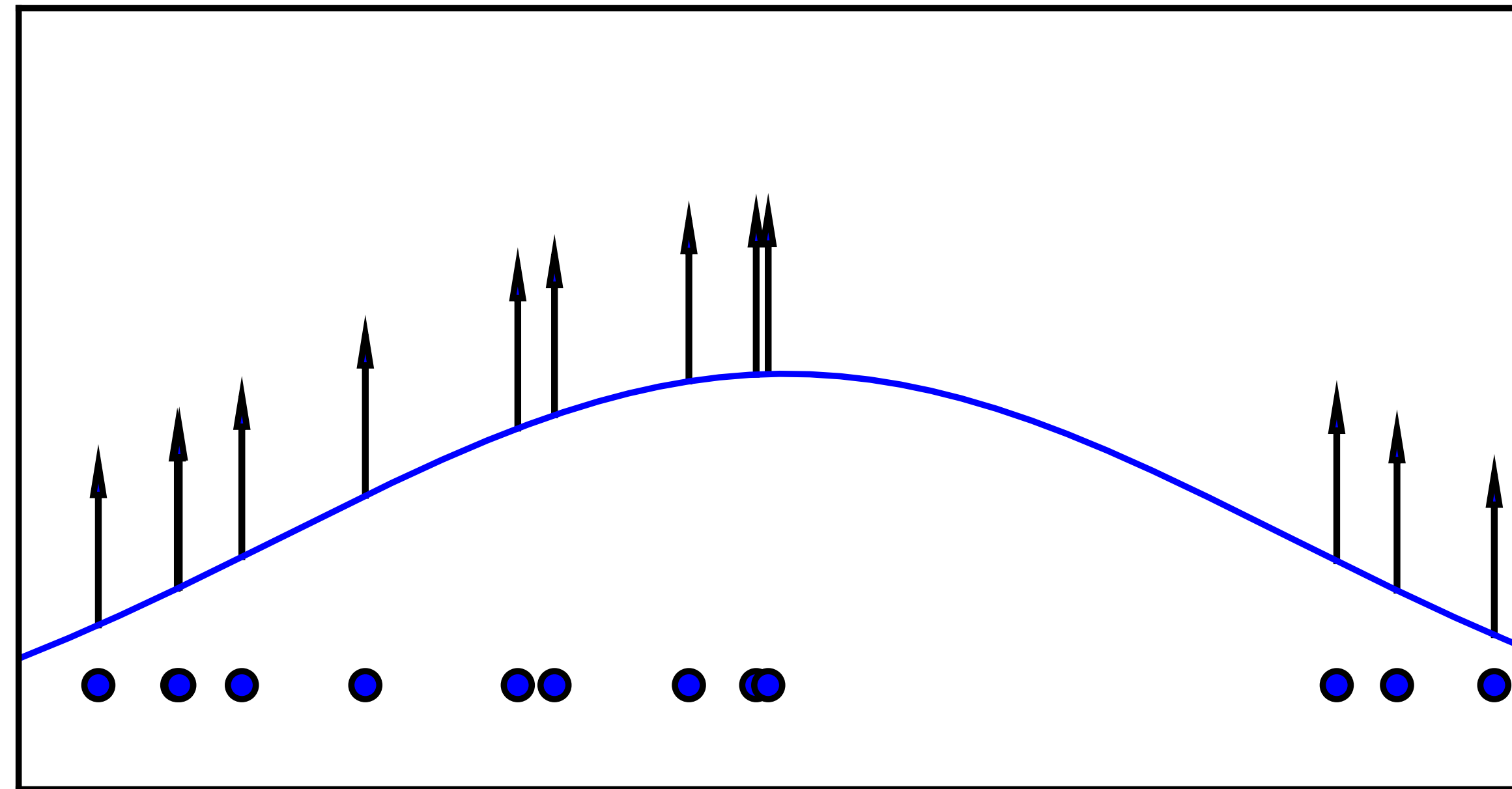
Sample Generation



Training examples

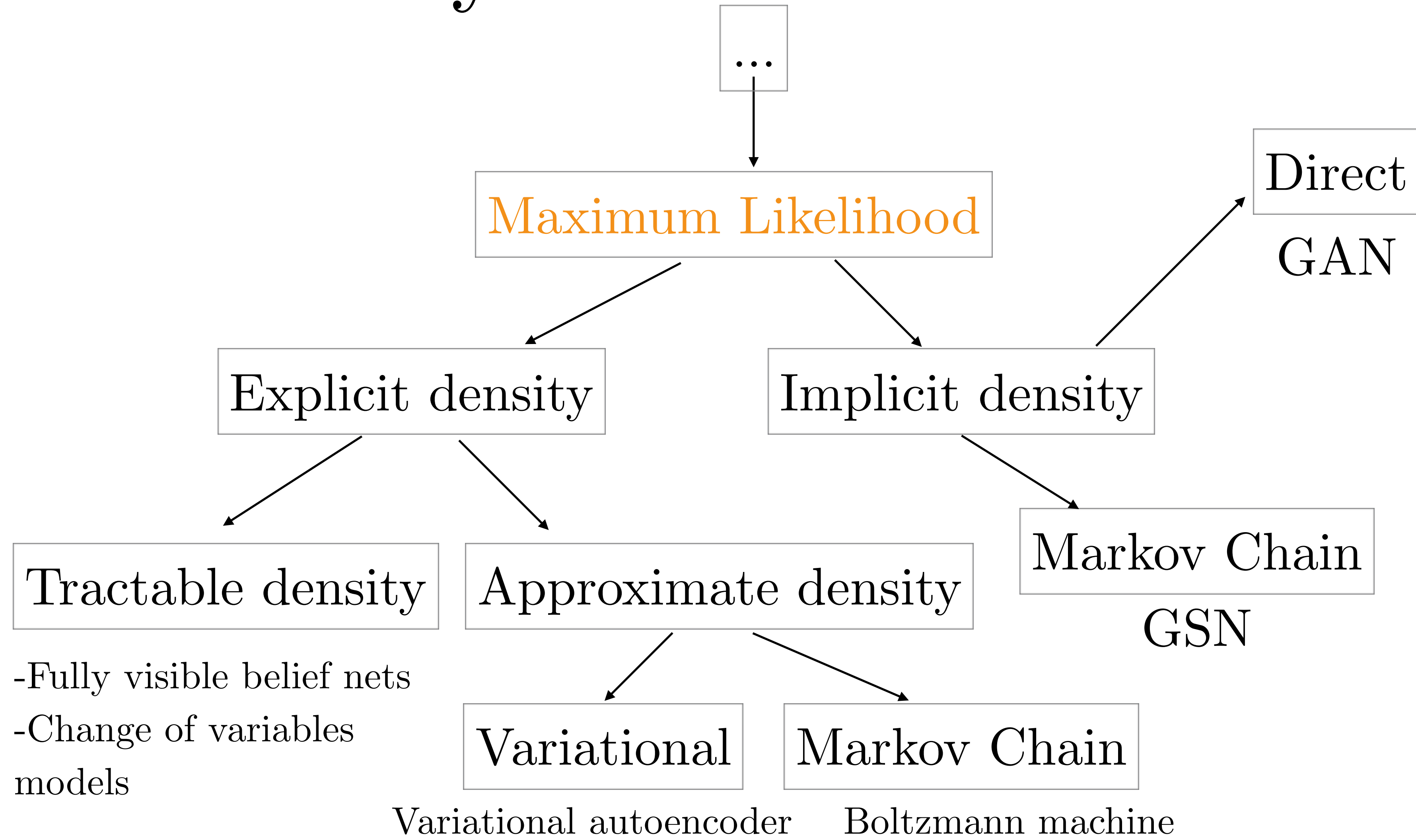
Model samples

Maximum Likelihood

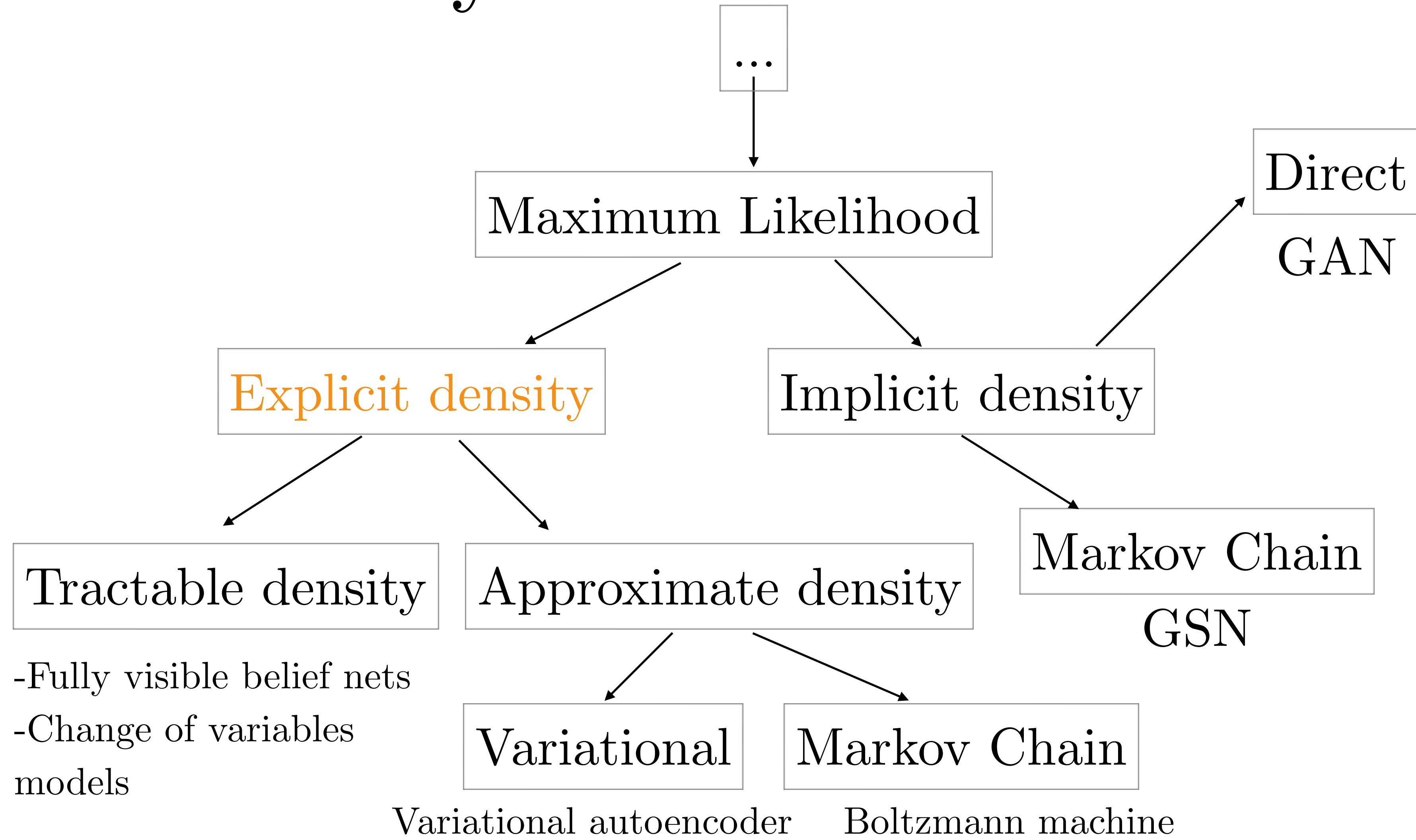


$$\theta^* = \arg \max_{\theta} \mathbb{E}_{x \sim p_{\text{data}}} \log p_{\text{model}}(\mathbf{x} \mid \theta)$$

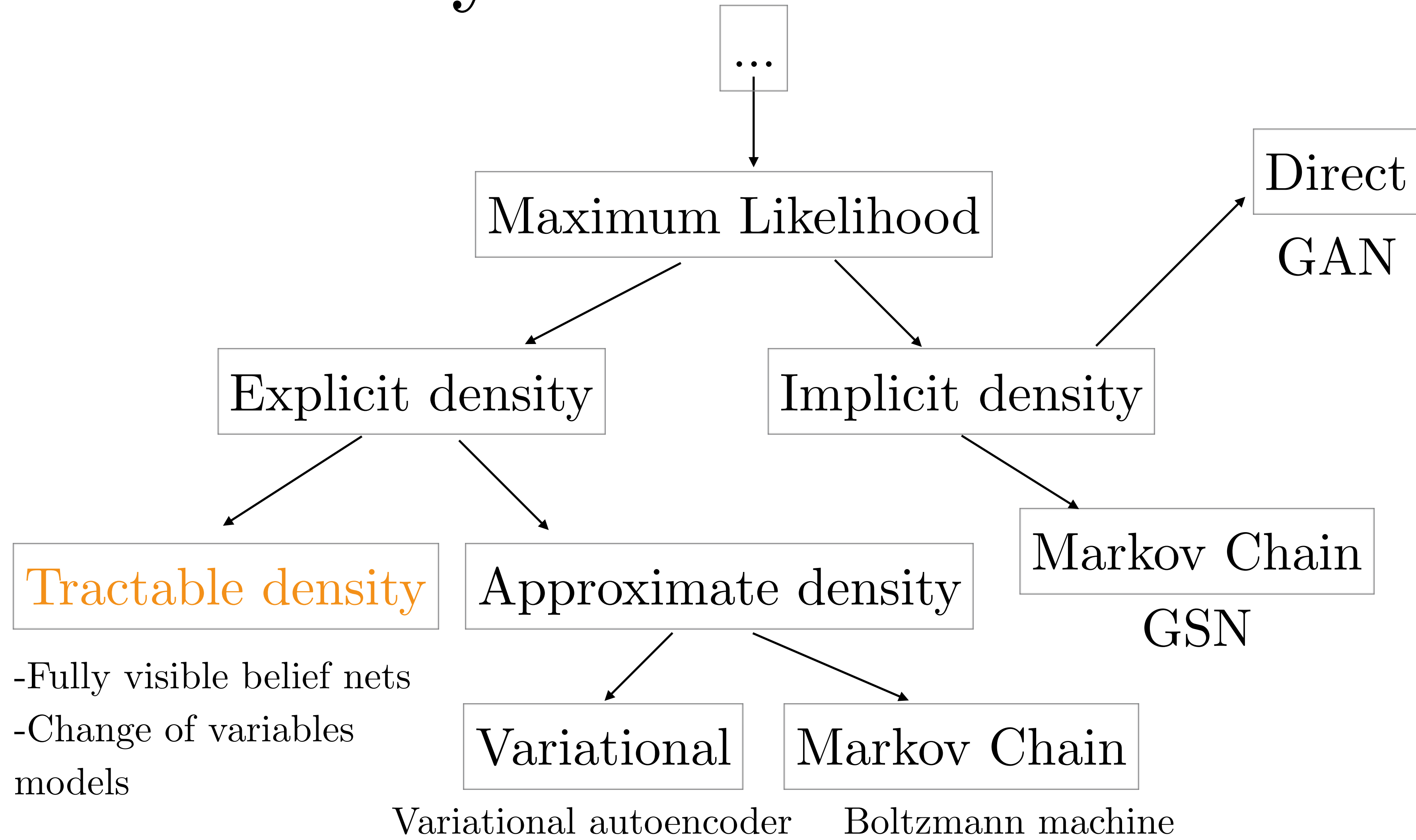
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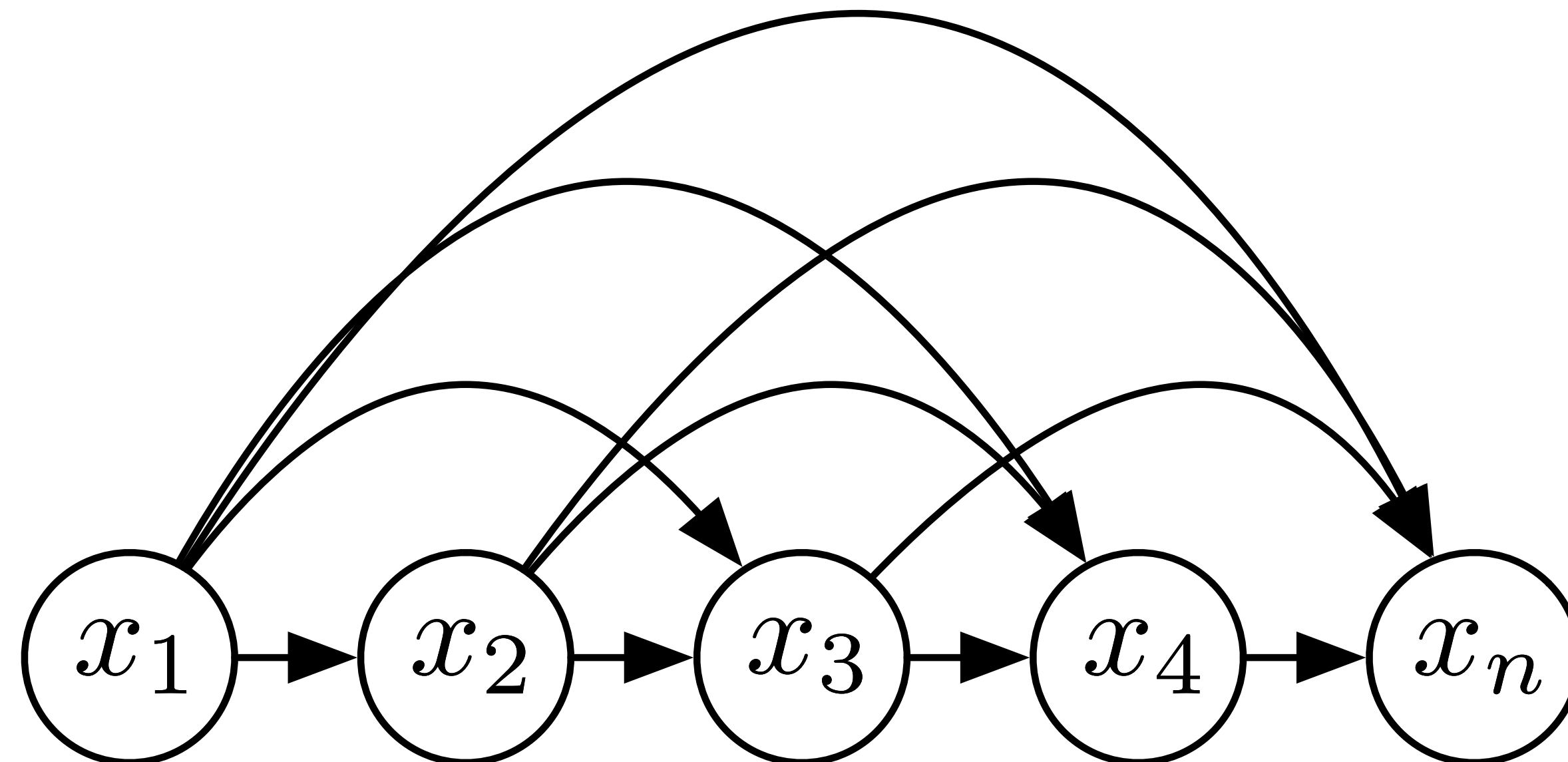
Taxonomy of Generative Models



Fully Visible Belief Nets

- Explicit formula based on chain (Frey et al, 1996)
rule:

$$p_{\text{model}}(\mathbf{x}) = p_{\text{model}}(x_1) \prod_{i=2}^n p_{\text{model}}(x_i \mid x_1, \dots, x_{i-1})$$



Fully Visible Belief Nets

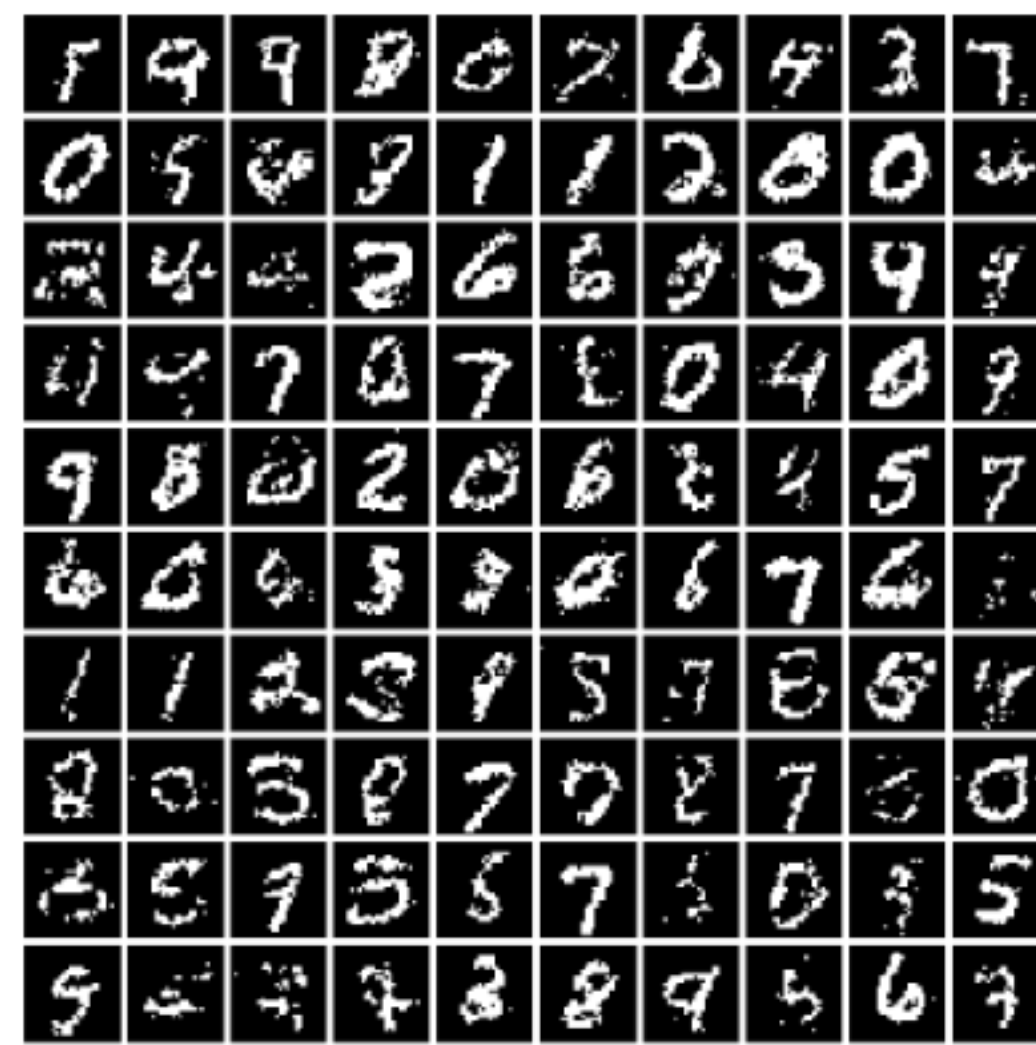
- Disadvantages:
 - $O(n)$ non-parallelizable sample generation runtime
 - Generation not controlled by a latent code

Notable FVBNs



NADE

(Larochelle et al 2011)



MADE

(Germain et al 2016)



PixelCNN

(van den Ord et al 2016)

“Autoregressive models”

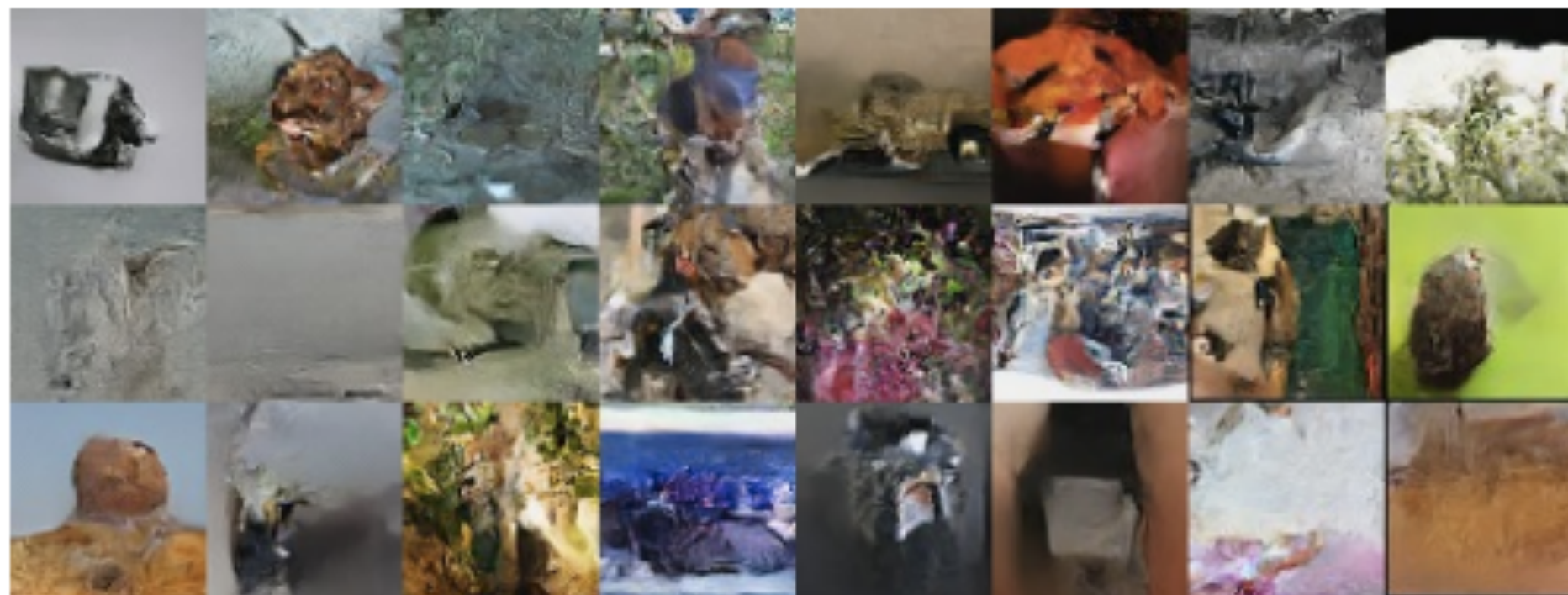
Change of Variables

$$y = g(x) \Rightarrow p_x(\mathbf{x}) = p_y(g(\mathbf{x})) \left| \det \left(\frac{\partial g(\mathbf{x})}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \right) \right|$$

e.g. Nonlinear ICA (Hyvärinen 1999)

Disadvantages:

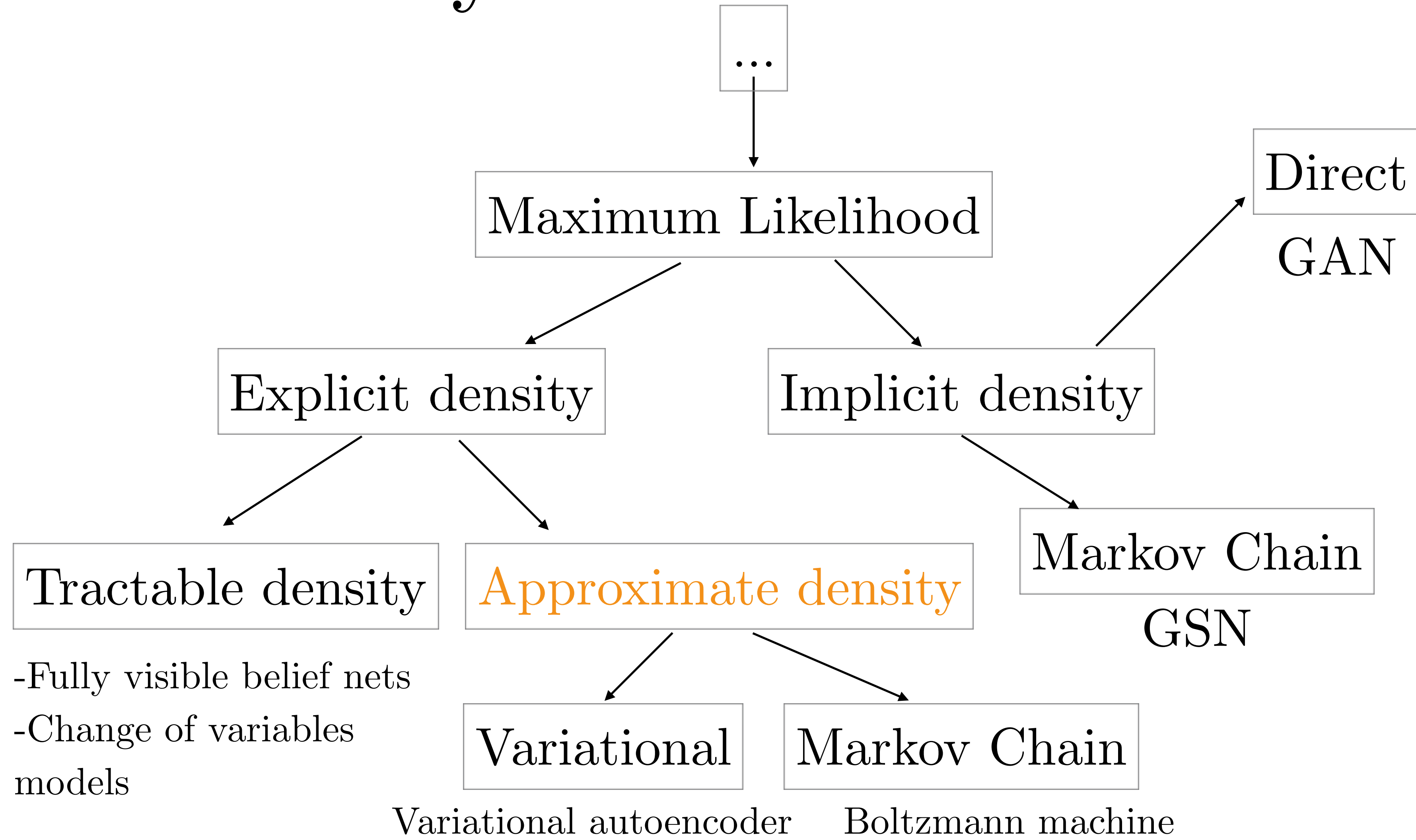
- Transformation must be invertible
- Latent dimension must match visible dimension



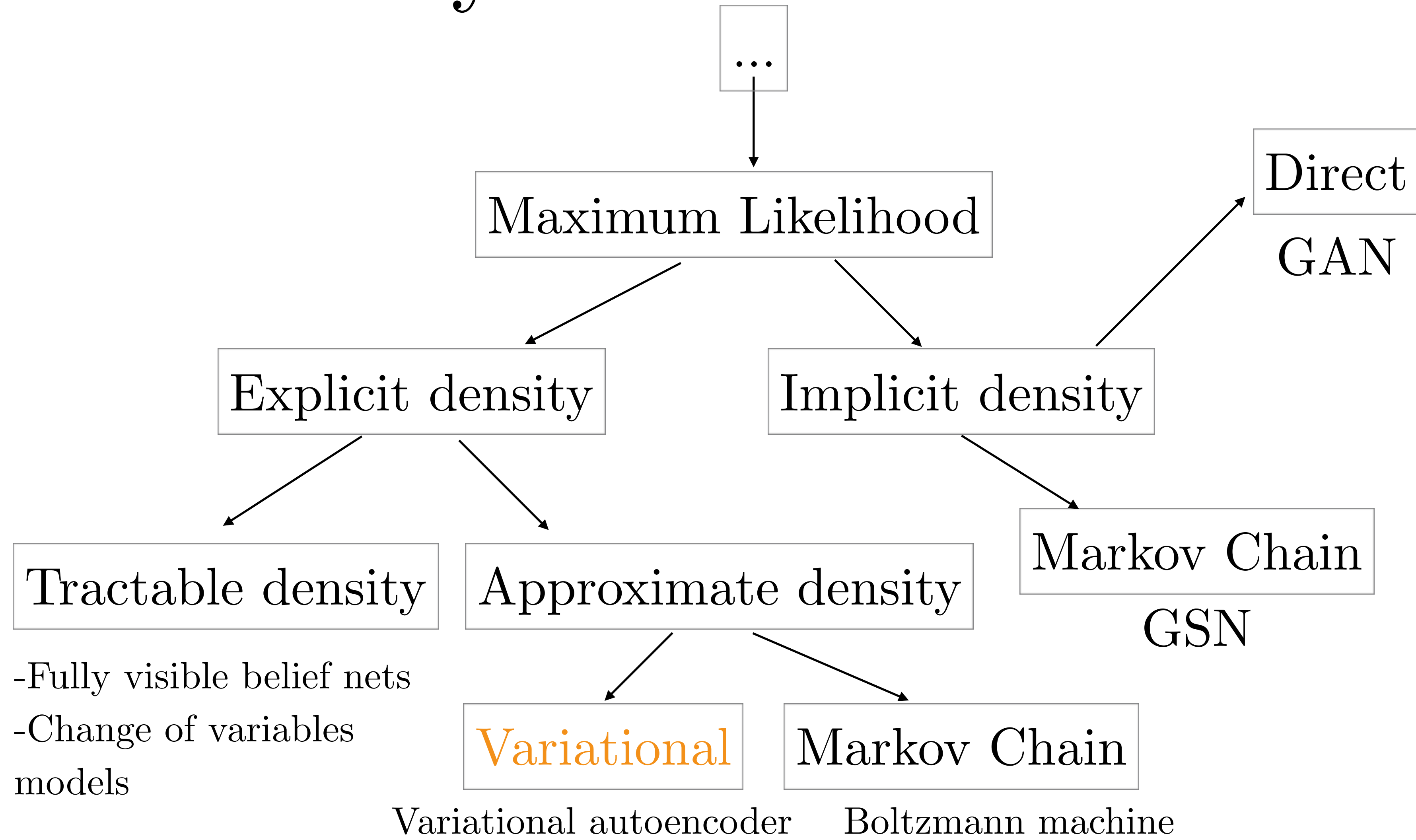
64x64 ImageNet Samples

Real NVP (Dinh et al 2016)

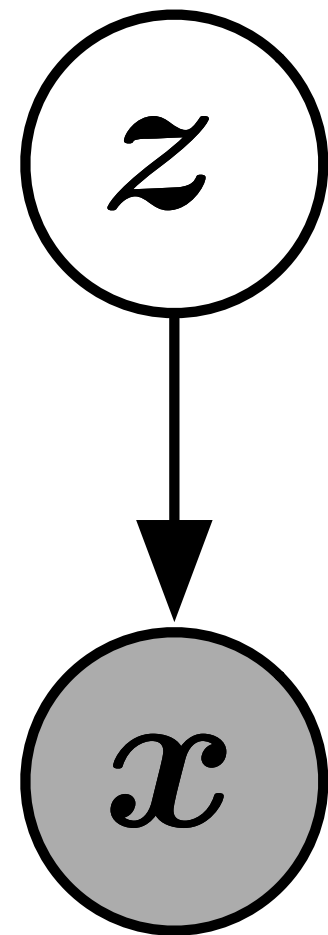
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Variational Learning



$$p_{\text{model}}(\mathbf{x}) = \int p_{\text{model}}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{z}) d\mathbf{z}$$

Latent variable models often have intractable density

Variational Bound

$$\begin{aligned}\log p(\mathbf{x}) &\geq \log p(\mathbf{x}) - D_{\text{KL}}(q(\mathbf{z}) \| p(\mathbf{z} | \mathbf{x})) \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{z} \sim q} \log p(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{z}) + H(q)\end{aligned}$$

Variational inference: maximize with respect to q

Variational learning: maximize with respect to parameters of p

Variational Autoencoder

(Kingma and Welling 2013, Rezende et al 2014)

Define a neural network that predicts optimal q
Define $p(z | x)$ via another neural network

Whole model can be fit via
maximization of a single objective
function with gradient- based
optimization

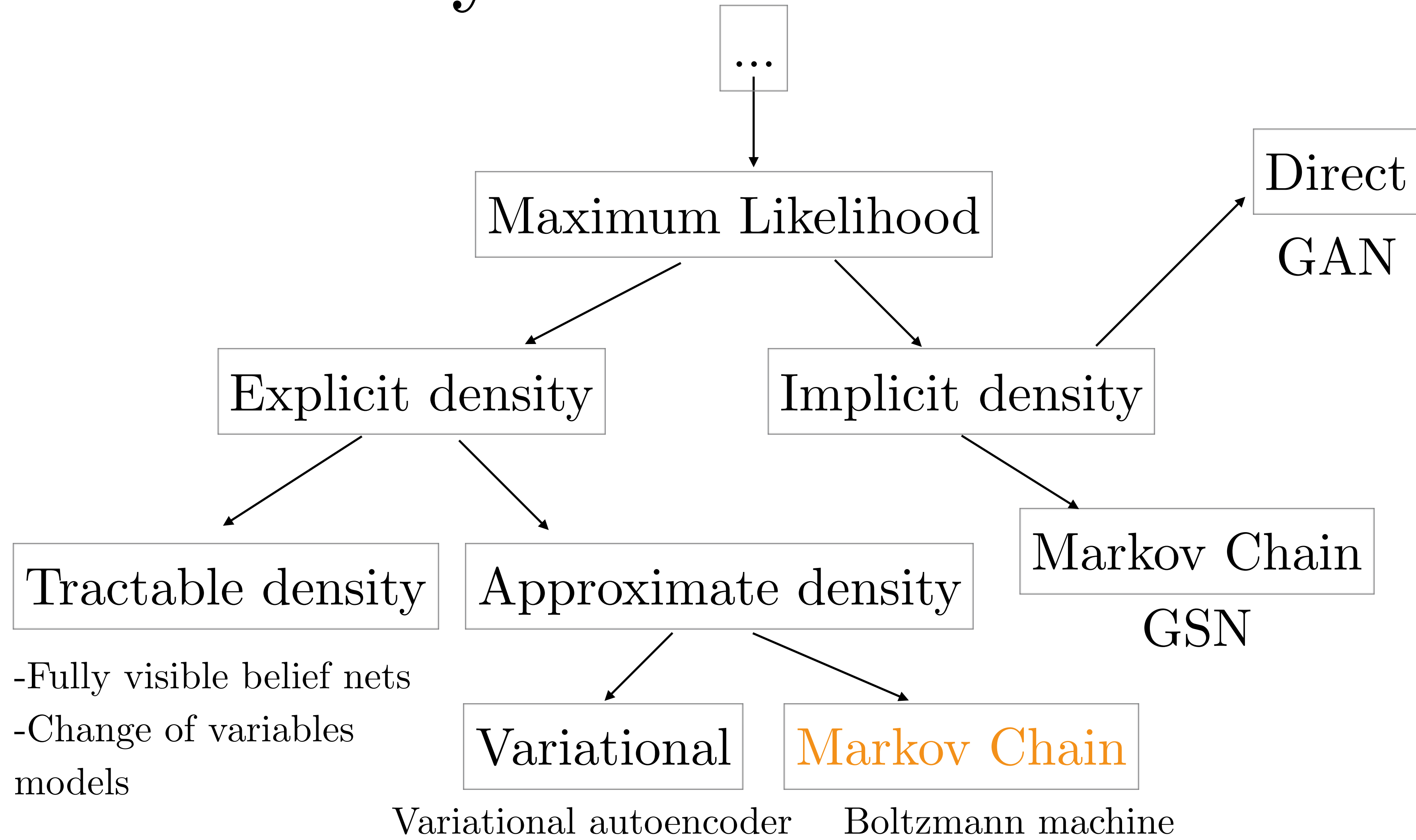


CIFAR-10 samples
(Kingma et al 2016)

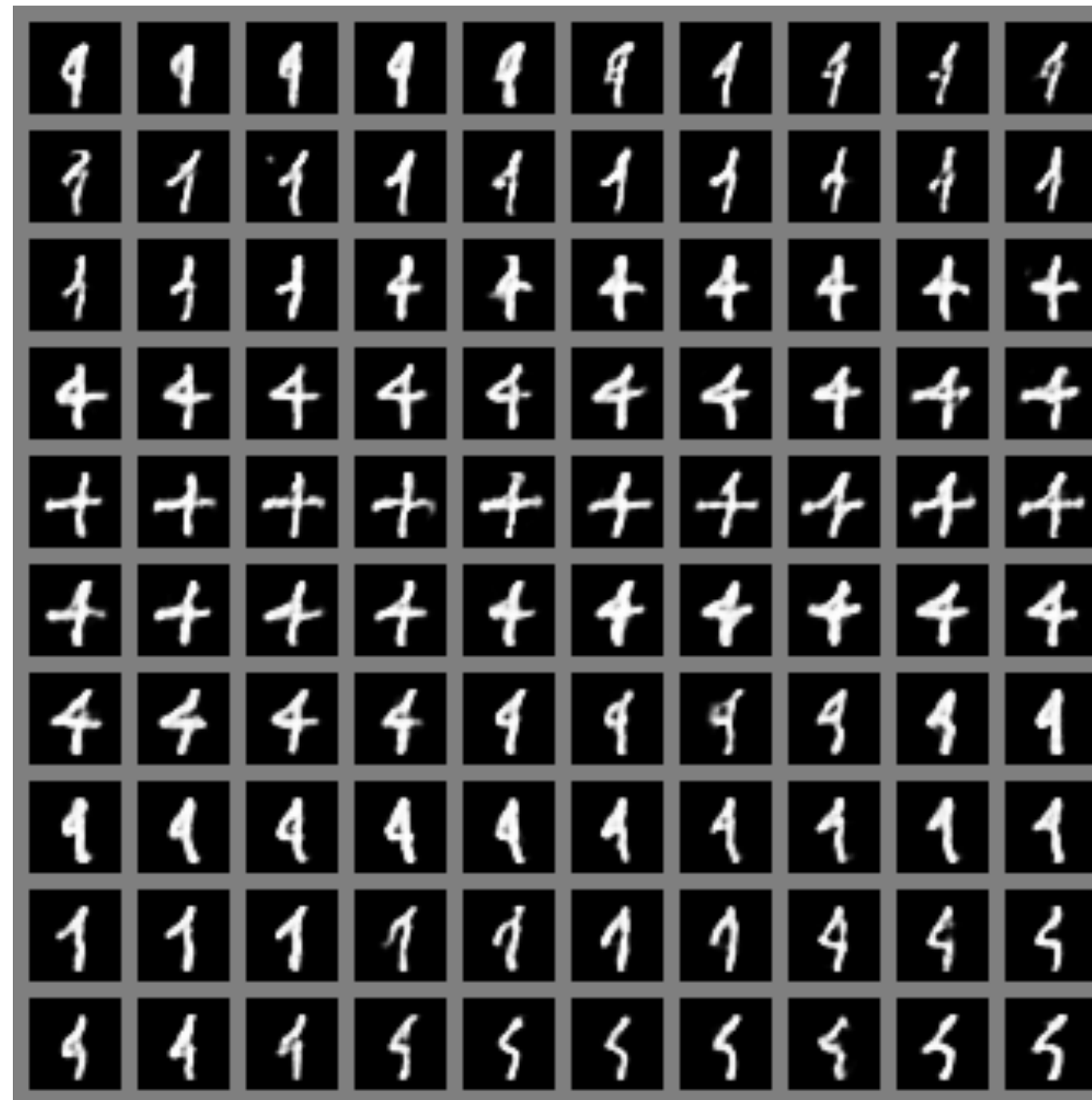
For more information...

- Max Welling will teach a lesson on variational inference

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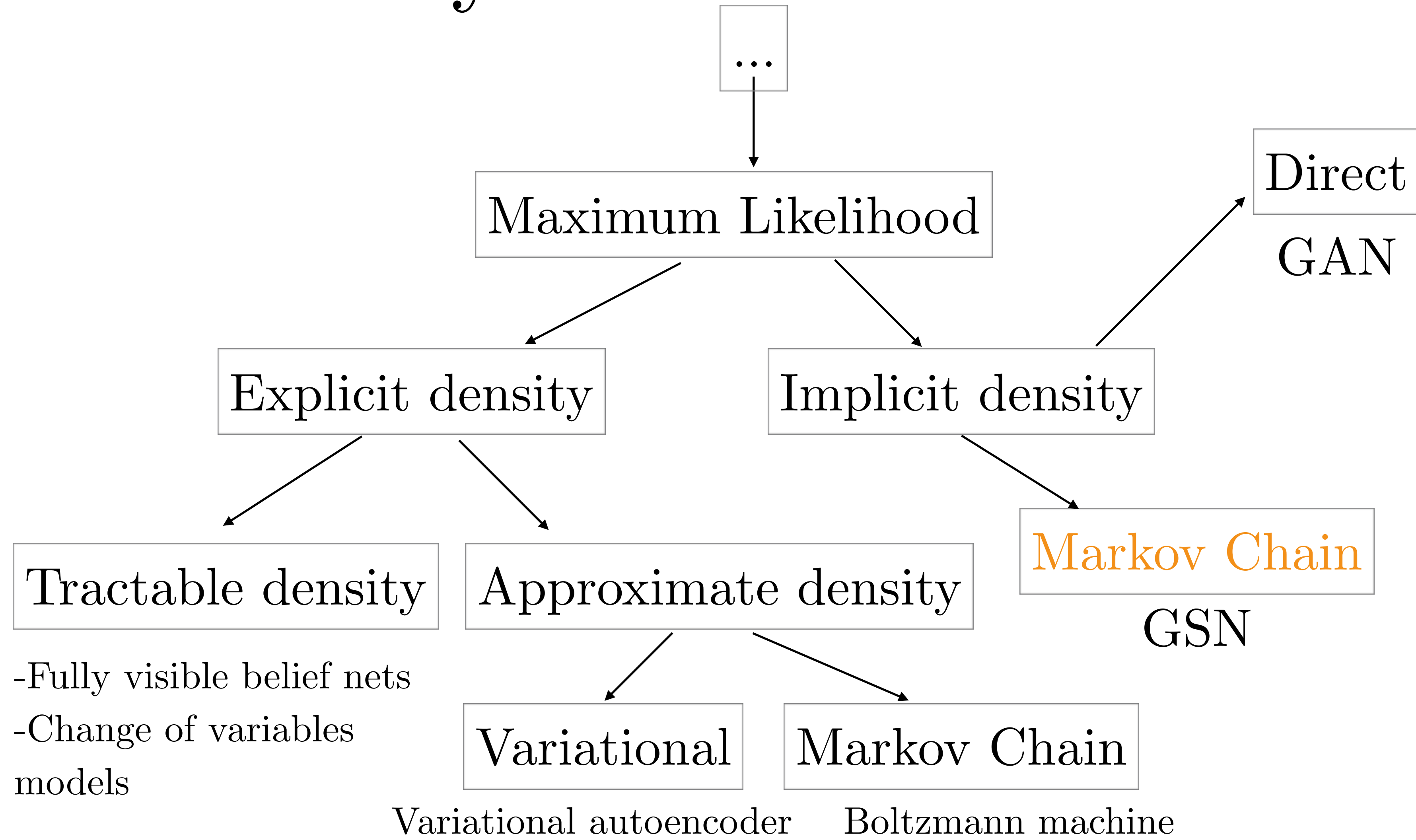


Deep Boltzmann Machines



(Salakhutdinov and Hinton, 2009)

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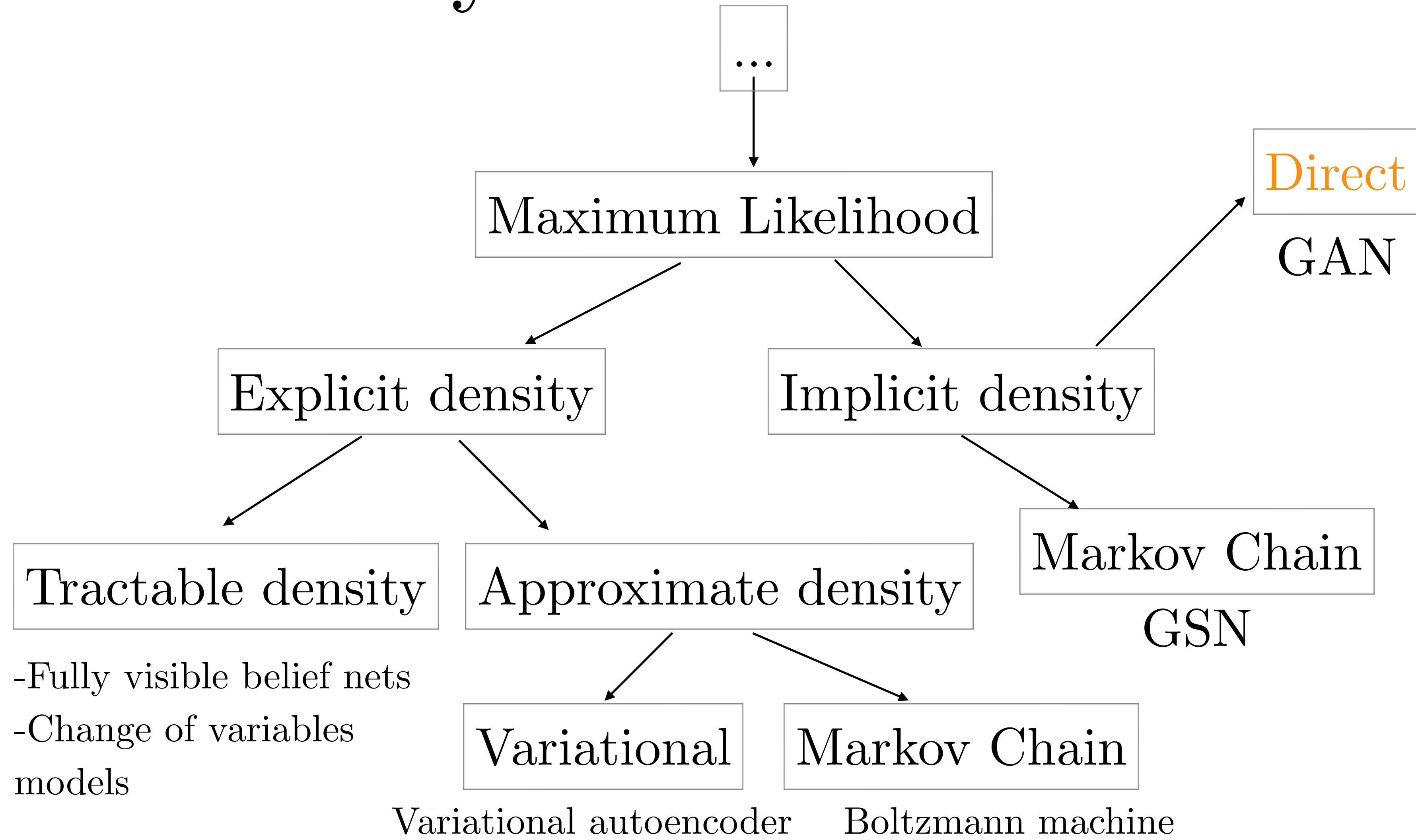


Generative Stochastic Networks

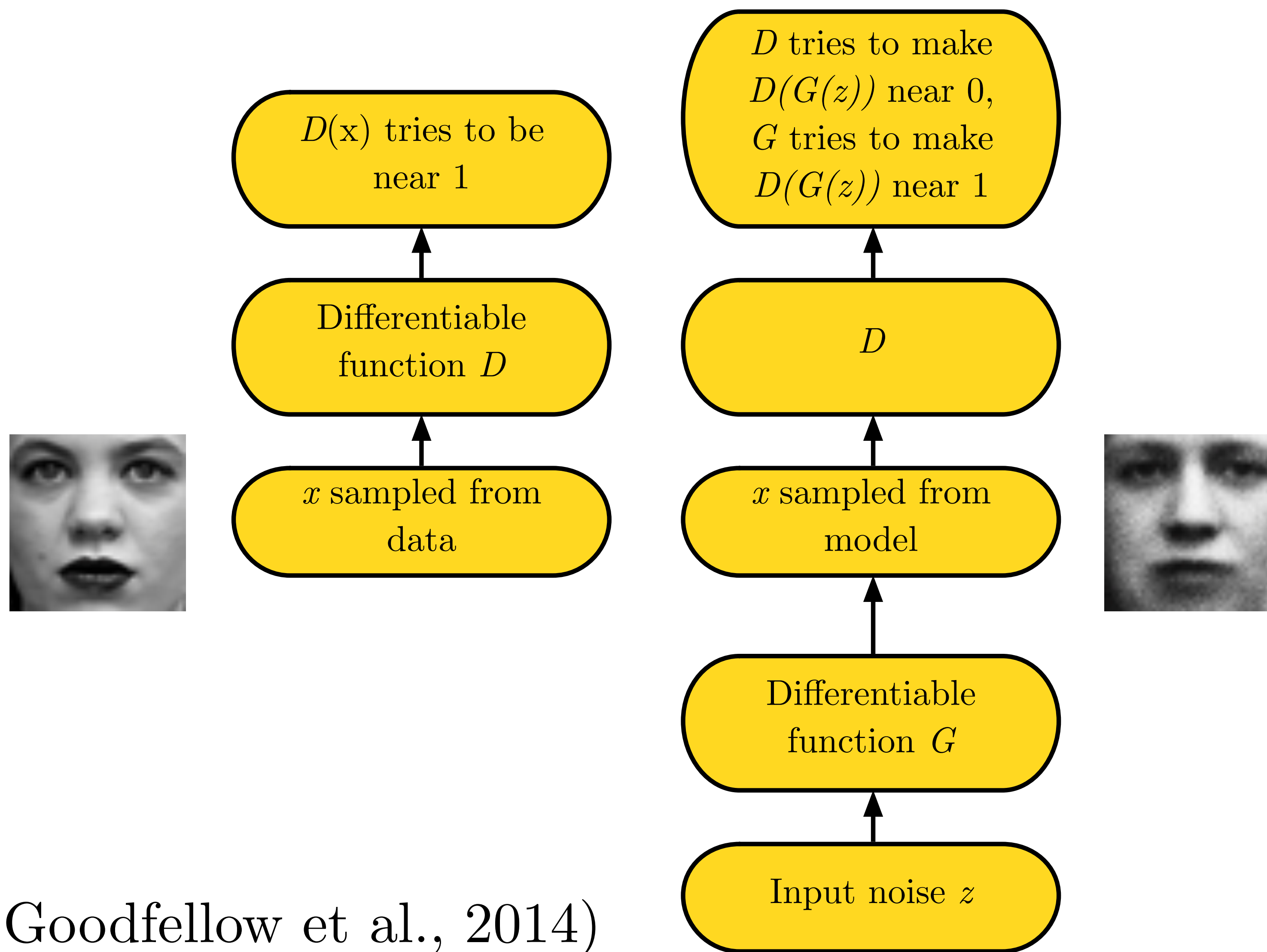


(Bengio et. al, 2013)

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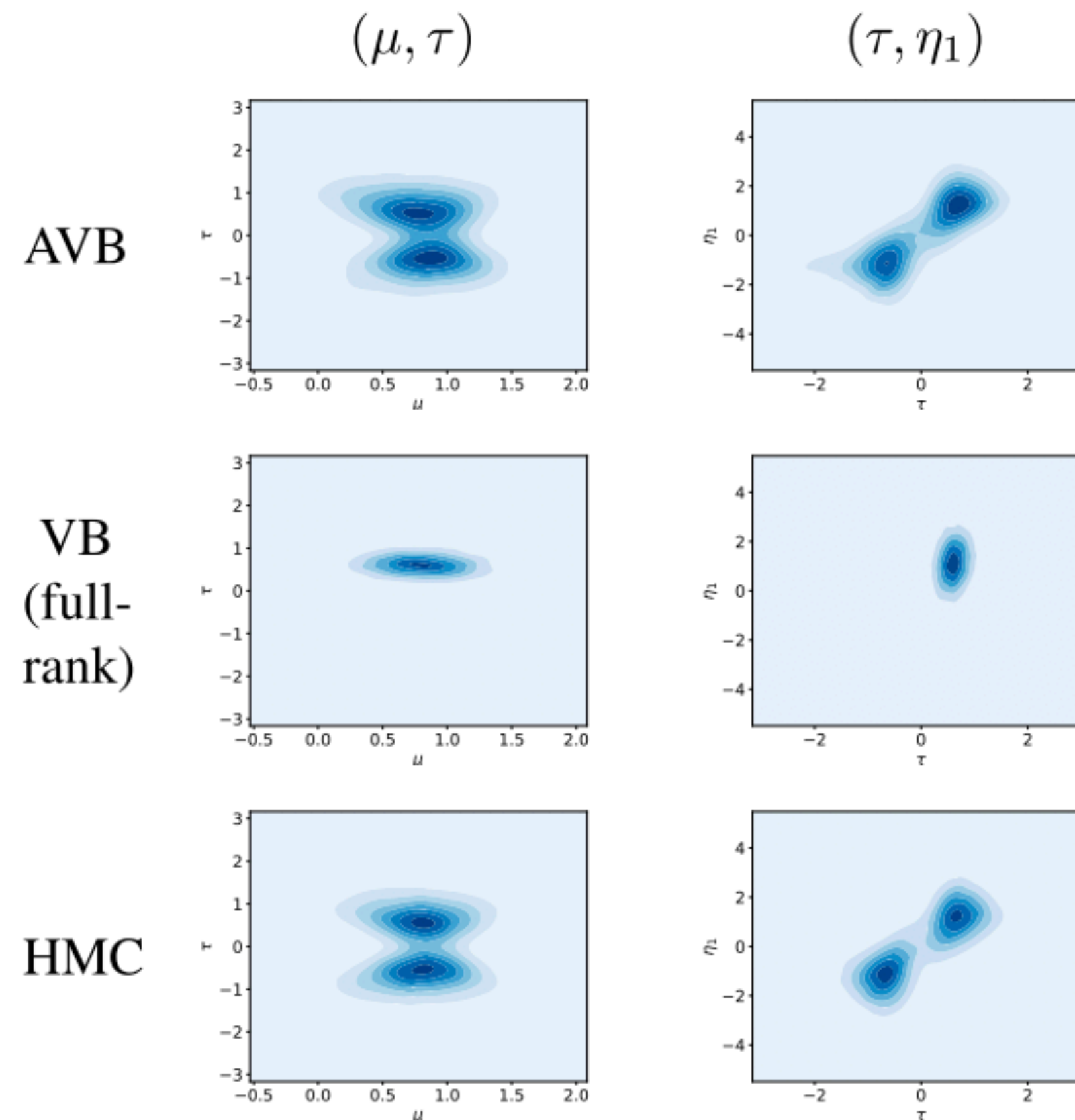


Generative Adversarial Networks



(Goodfellow et al., 2014)

Combining VAEs and GANs: Adversarial Variational Bayes



Related:

- Adversarial autoencoders
- Adversarially learned inference
- BiGANs

(Mescheder et al, 2017)

What can you do with generative models?

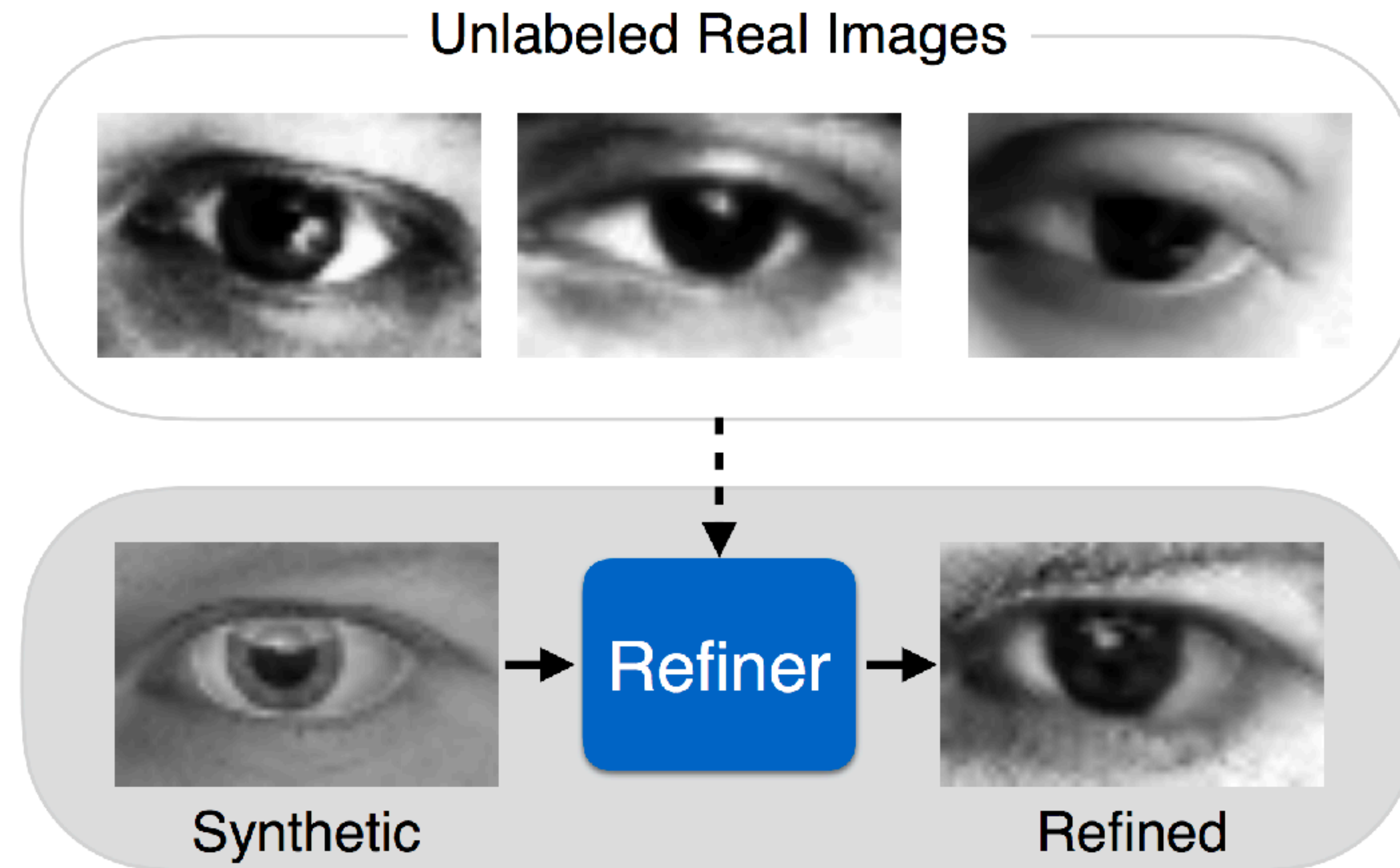
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TEACHING AID

Apple's first research paper tries to solve a problem facing every company working on AI



Generative models for simulated training data



(Shrivastava et al., 2016)

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What is in this image?



(Yeh et al., 2016)

Generative modeling reveals a face

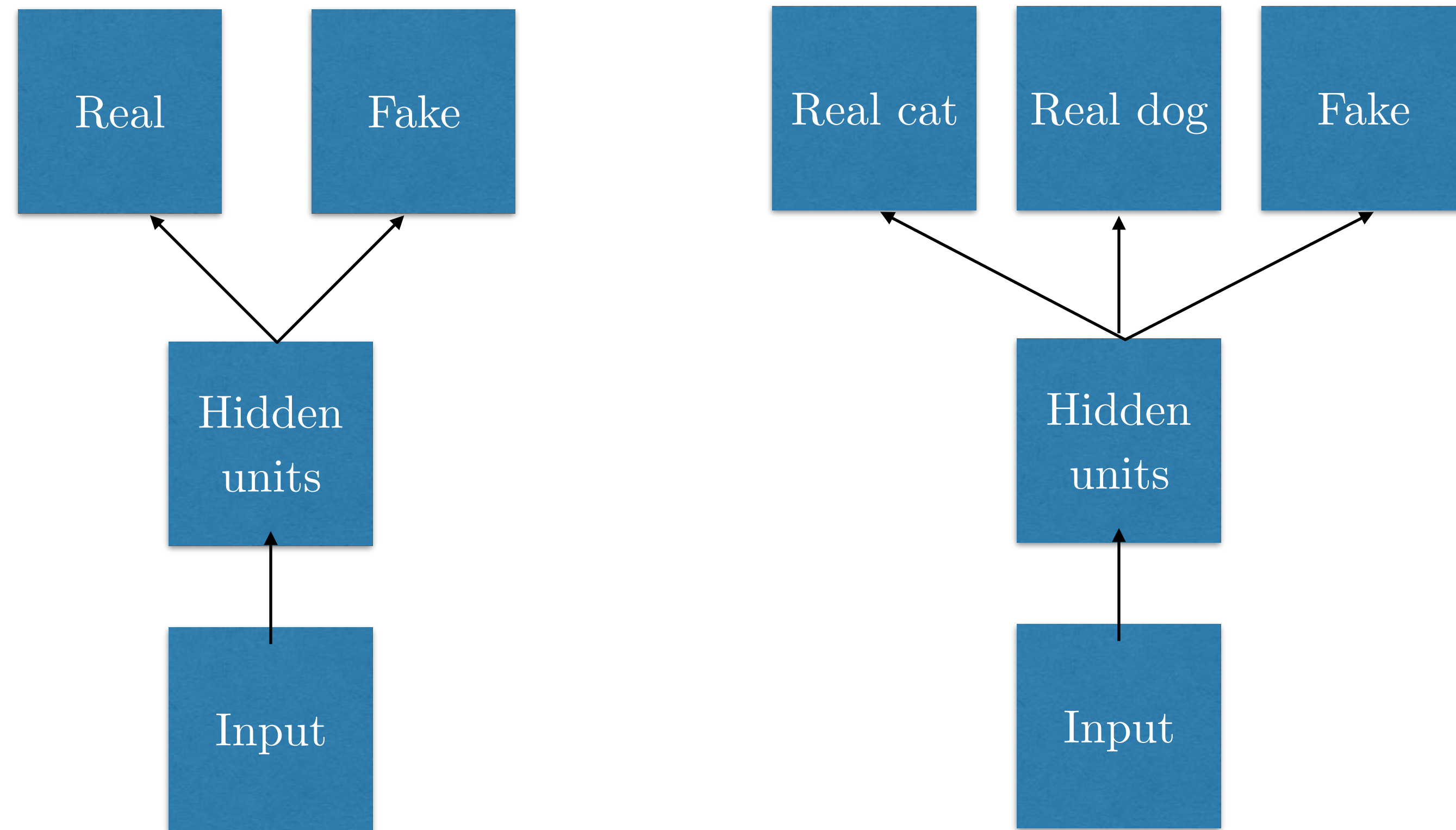


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Supervised Discriminator



(Odena 2016, Salimans et al 2016)

Semi-Supervised Classification

MNIST (Permutation Invariant)

Model	Number of incorrectly predicted test examples for a given number of labeled samples			
	20	50	100	200
DGN [21]			333 ± 14	
Virtual Adversarial [22]			212	
CatGAN [14]			191 ± 10	
Skip Deep Generative Model [23]			132 ± 7	
Ladder network [24]			106 ± 37	
Auxiliary Deep Generative Model [23]			96 ± 2	
Our model	1677 ± 452	221 ± 136	93 ± 6.5	90 ± 4.2
Ensemble of 10 of our models	1134 ± 445	142 ± 96	86 ± 5.6	81 ± 4.3

(Salimans et al 2016)

Semi-Supervised Classification

CIFAR-10

Model	Test error rate for a given number of labeled samples			
	1000	2000	4000	8000
Ladder network [24]			20.40 ± 0.47	
CatGAN [14]			19.58 ± 0.46	
Our model	21.83 ± 2.01	19.61 ± 2.09	18.63 ± 2.32	17.72 ± 1.82
Ensemble of 10 of our models	19.22 ± 0.54	17.25 ± 0.66	15.59 ± 0.47	14.87 ± 0.89

SVHN

Model	Percentage of incorrectly predicted test examples for a given number of labeled samples		
	500	1000	2000
DGN [21]		36.02 ± 0.10	
Virtual Adversarial [22]		24.63	
Auxiliary Deep Generative Model [23]		22.86	
Skip Deep Generative Model [23]		16.61 ± 0.24	
Our model	18.44 ± 4.8	8.11 ± 1.3	6.16 ± 0.58
Ensemble of 10 of our models		5.88 ± 1.0	

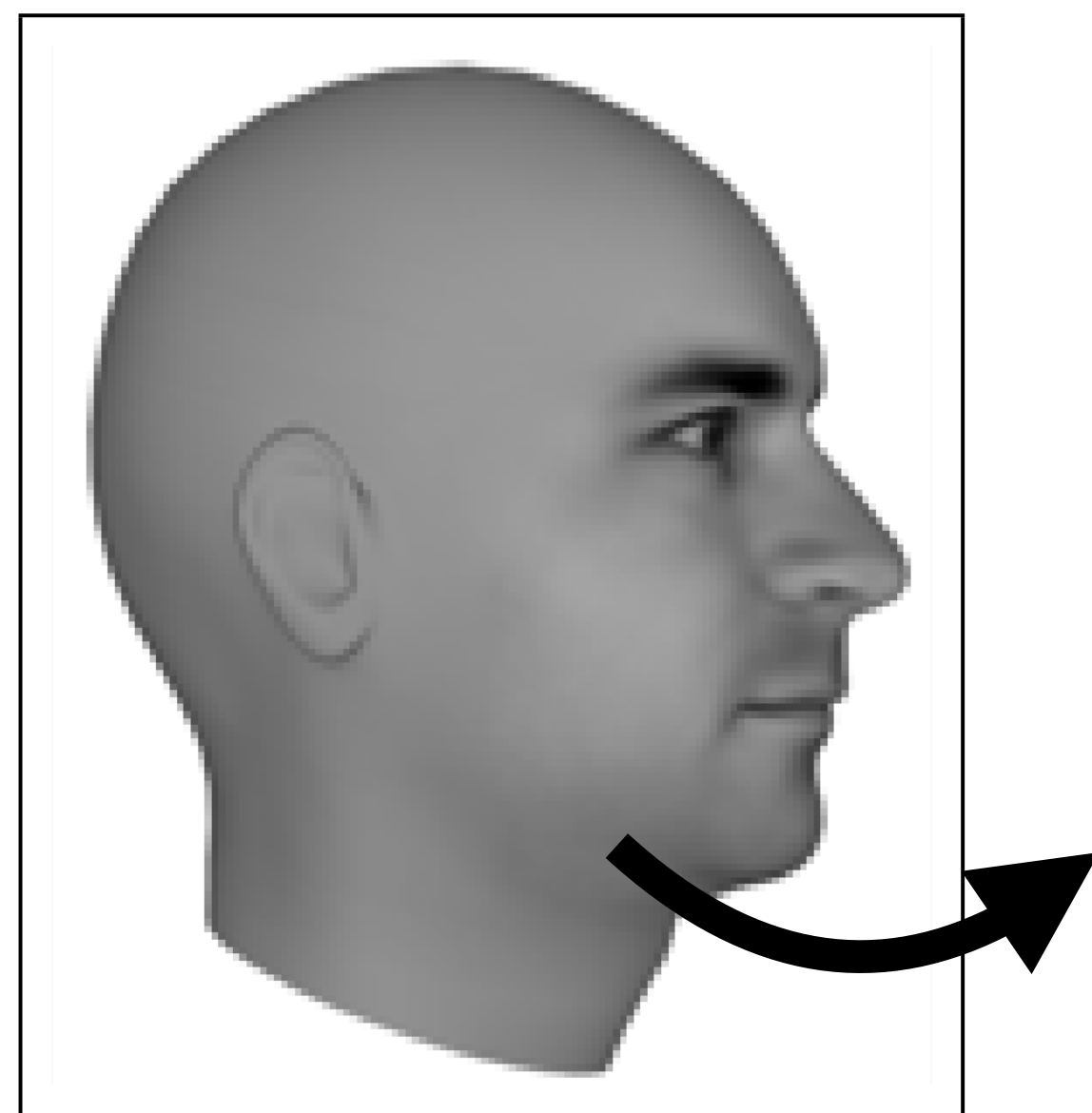
(Salimans et al 2016)

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Next Video Frame Prediction

Ground Truth

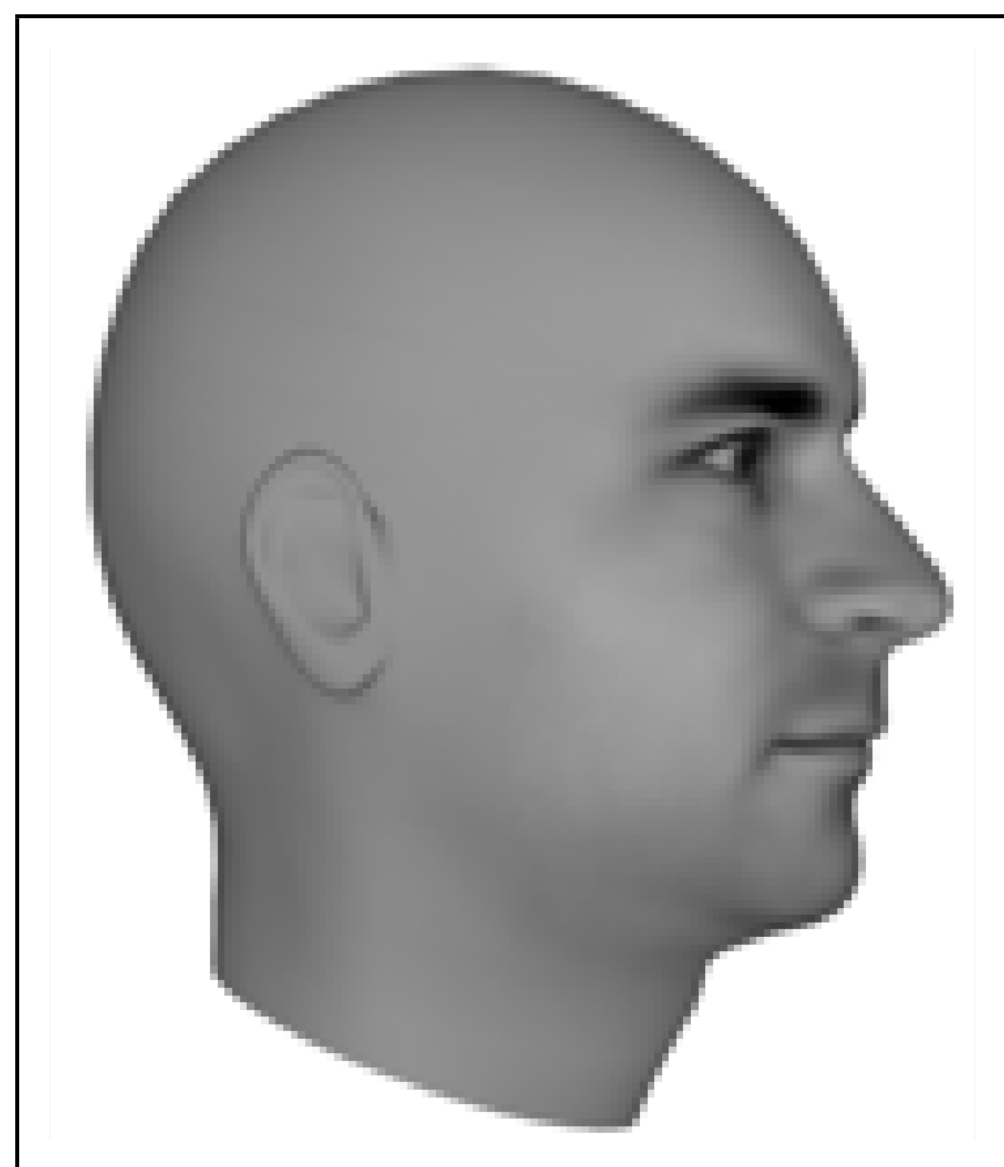


What happens next?

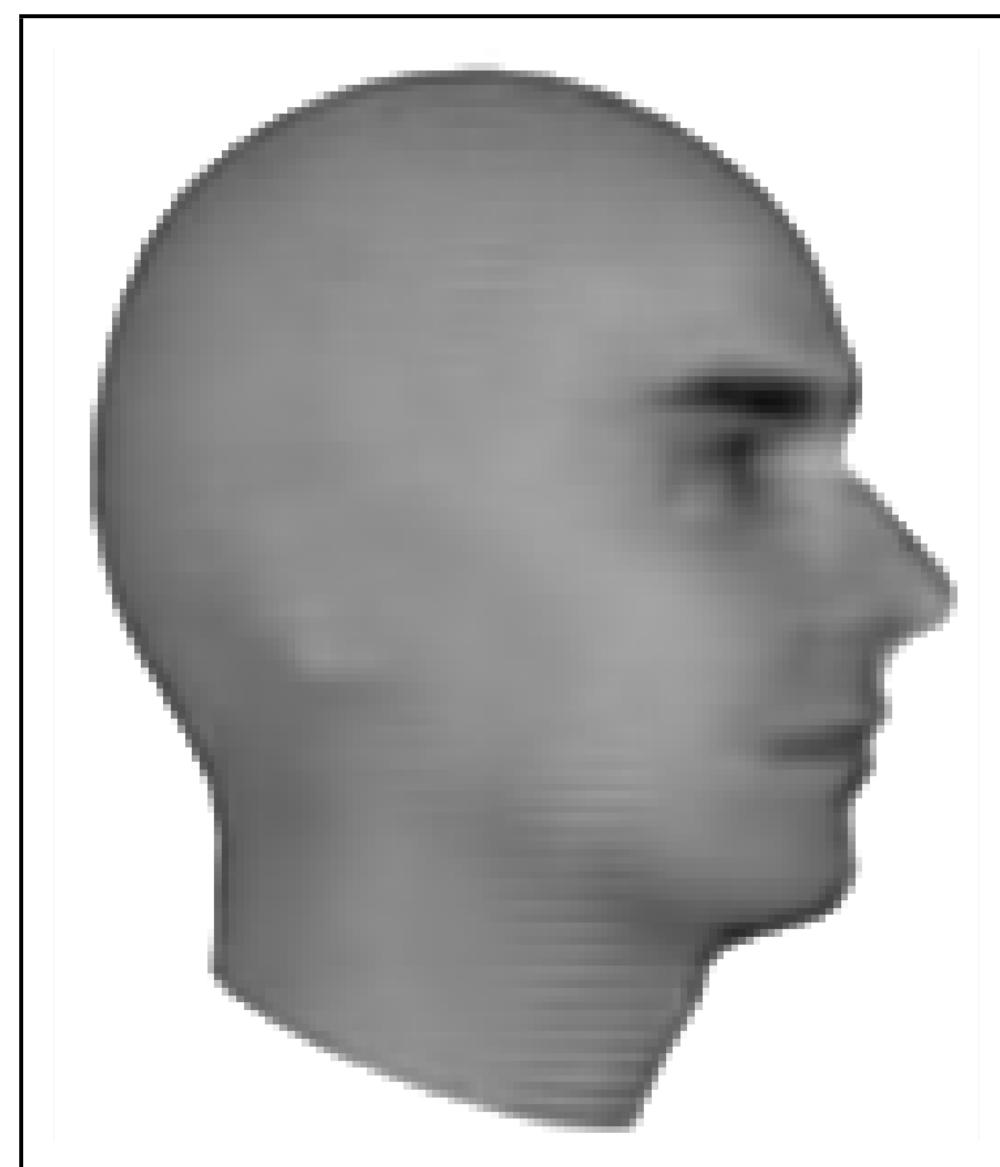
(Lotter et al 2016)

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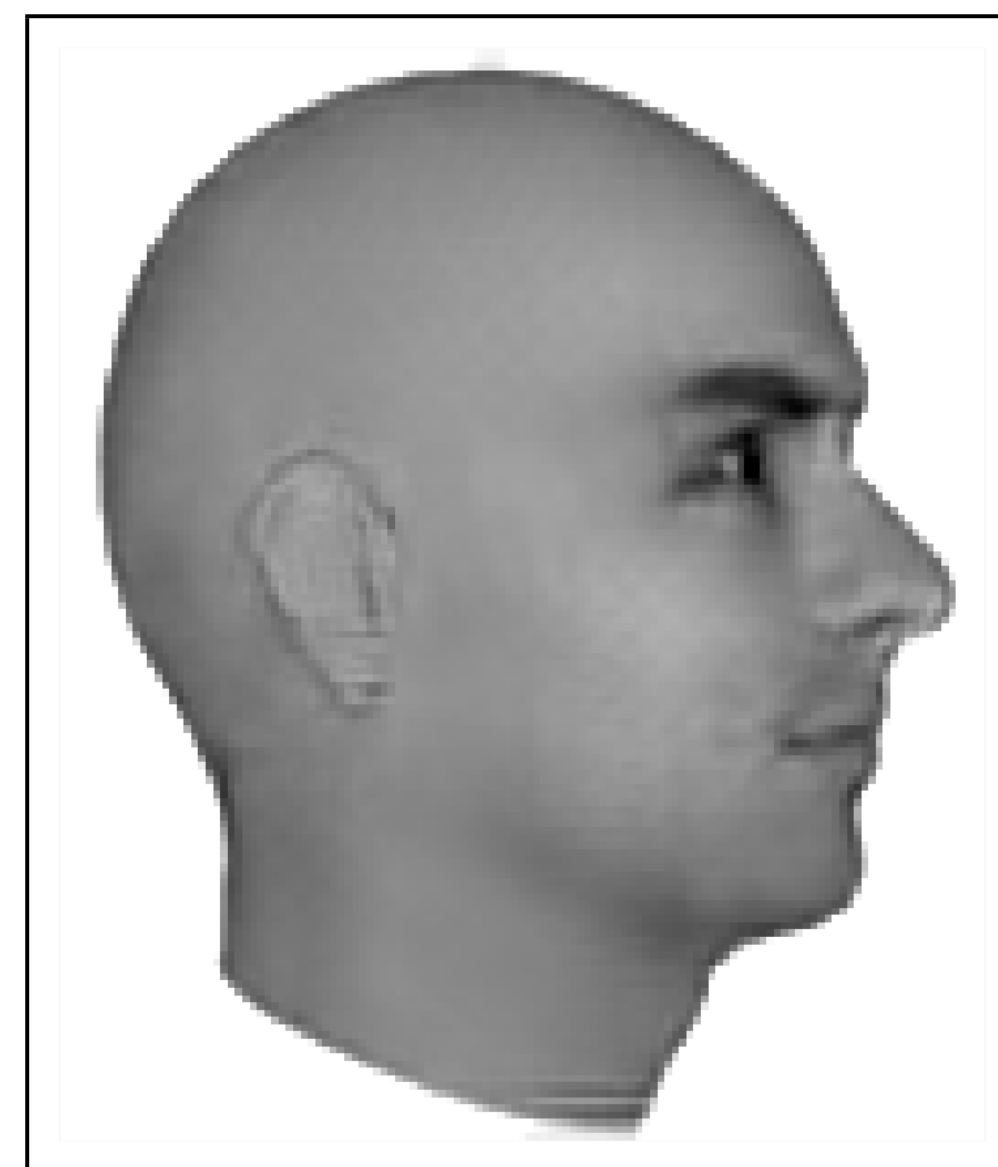
Ground Truth



MSE



Adversarial



(Lotter et al 2016)

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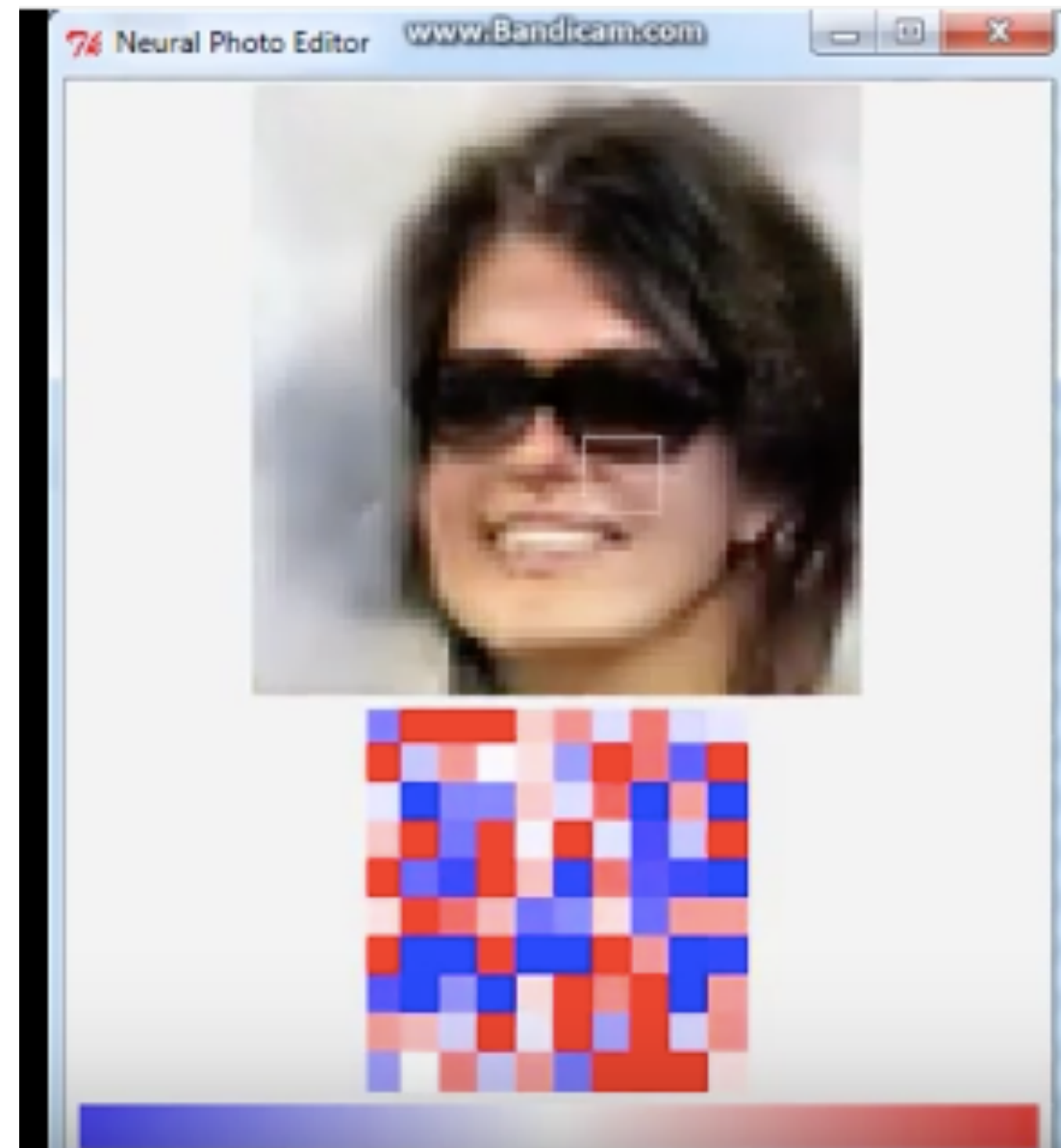
iGAN



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(Zhu et al., 2016)

Introspective Adversarial Networks



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(Brock et al., 2016)

Image to Image Translation



(Isola et al., 2016)

Unsupervised Image-to-Image Translation

Day to night



(Liu et al., 2017)

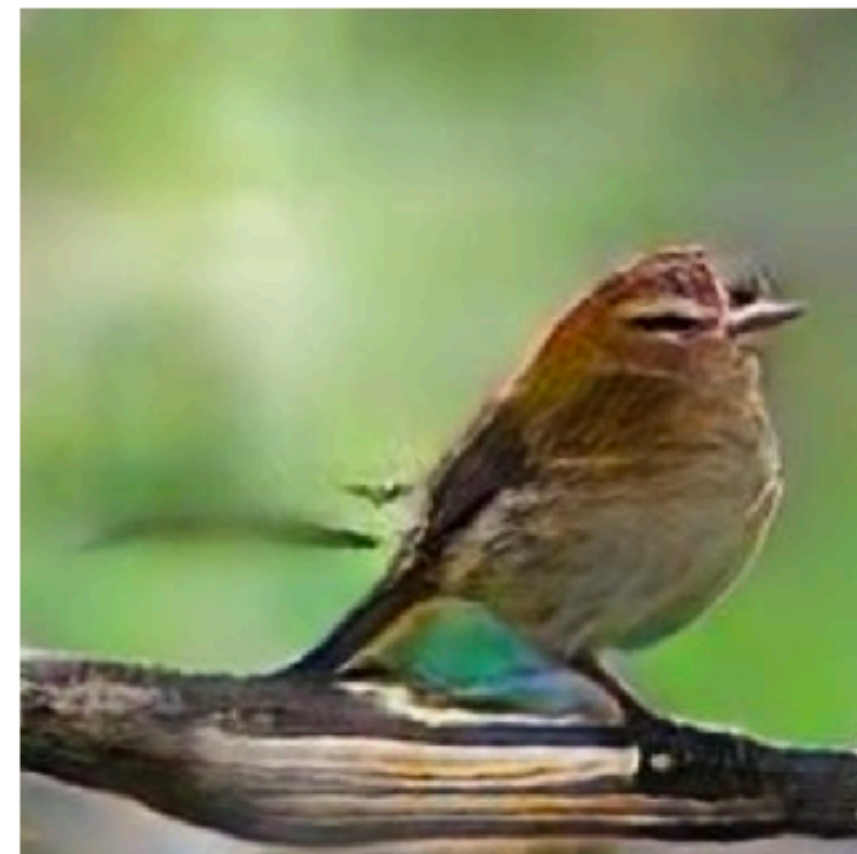
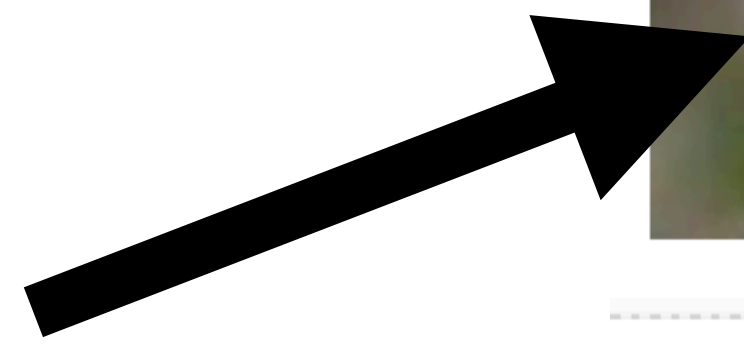
CycleGAN



(Zhu et al., 2017)

Text-to-Image Synthesis

This bird has a yellow belly and tarsus, grey back, wings, and brown throat, nape with a black face



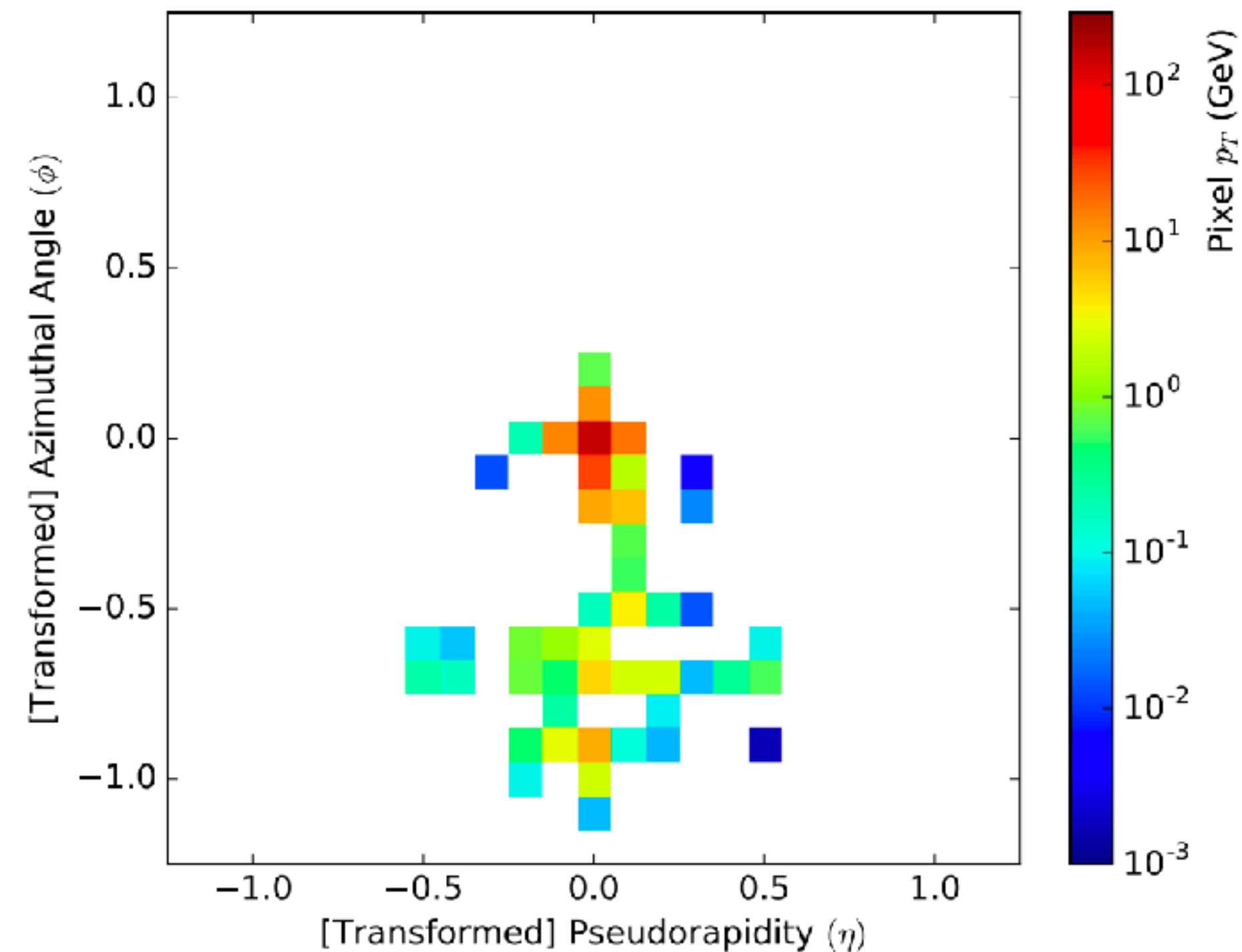
(Zhang et al., 2016)

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Simulating particle physics

Save millions of dollars of CPU time by predicting outcomes of explicit simulations

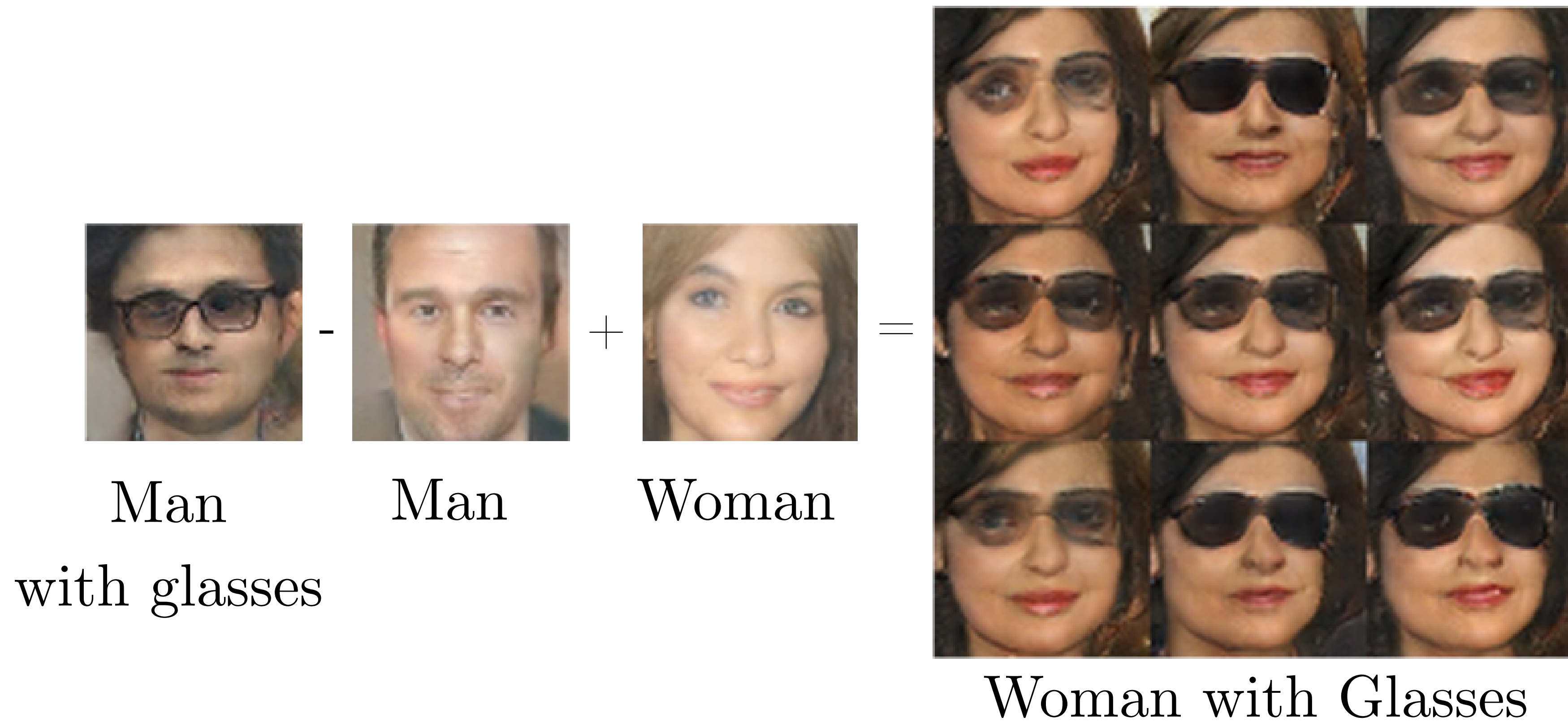


(de Oliveira et al., 2017)

What can you do with GANs?

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Vector Space Arithmetic



(Radford et al, 2015)

Learning interpretable latent codes / controlling the generation process



(a) Azimuth (pose)

(b) Elevation



(c) Lighting

(d) Wide or Narrow

InfoGAN (Chen et al 2016)

Plug and Play Generative Networks

- New state of the art generative model (Nguyen et al 2016)
- Generates 227×227 realistic images from all ImageNet classes
- Combines adversarial training, moment matching, denoising autoencoders, and Langevin sampling

PPGN Samples



redshank

ant

monastery



volcano

(Nguyen et al 2016)

PPGN for caption to image



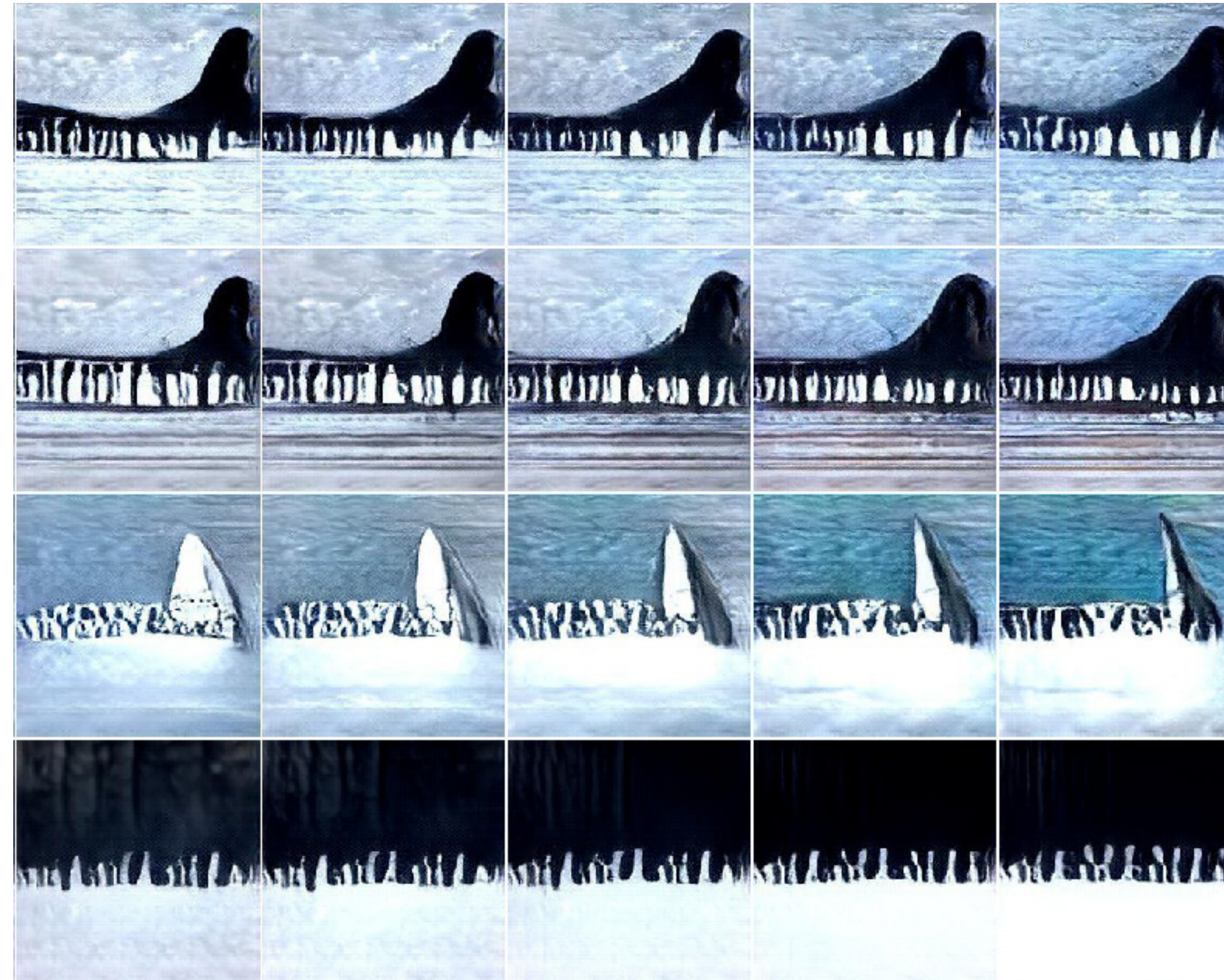
oranges on a table next to a liquor bottle

(Nguyen et al 2016)

Basic idea

- Langevin sampling repeatedly adds noise and gradient of $\log p(x, y)$ to generate samples (Markov chain)
- Denoising autoencoders estimate the required gradient
- Use a special denoising autoencoder that has been trained with multiple losses, including a GAN loss, to obtain best results

Sampling without class gradient



$\epsilon_1 = 0, \epsilon_2 = 1e-5$
(Nguyen et al 2016)

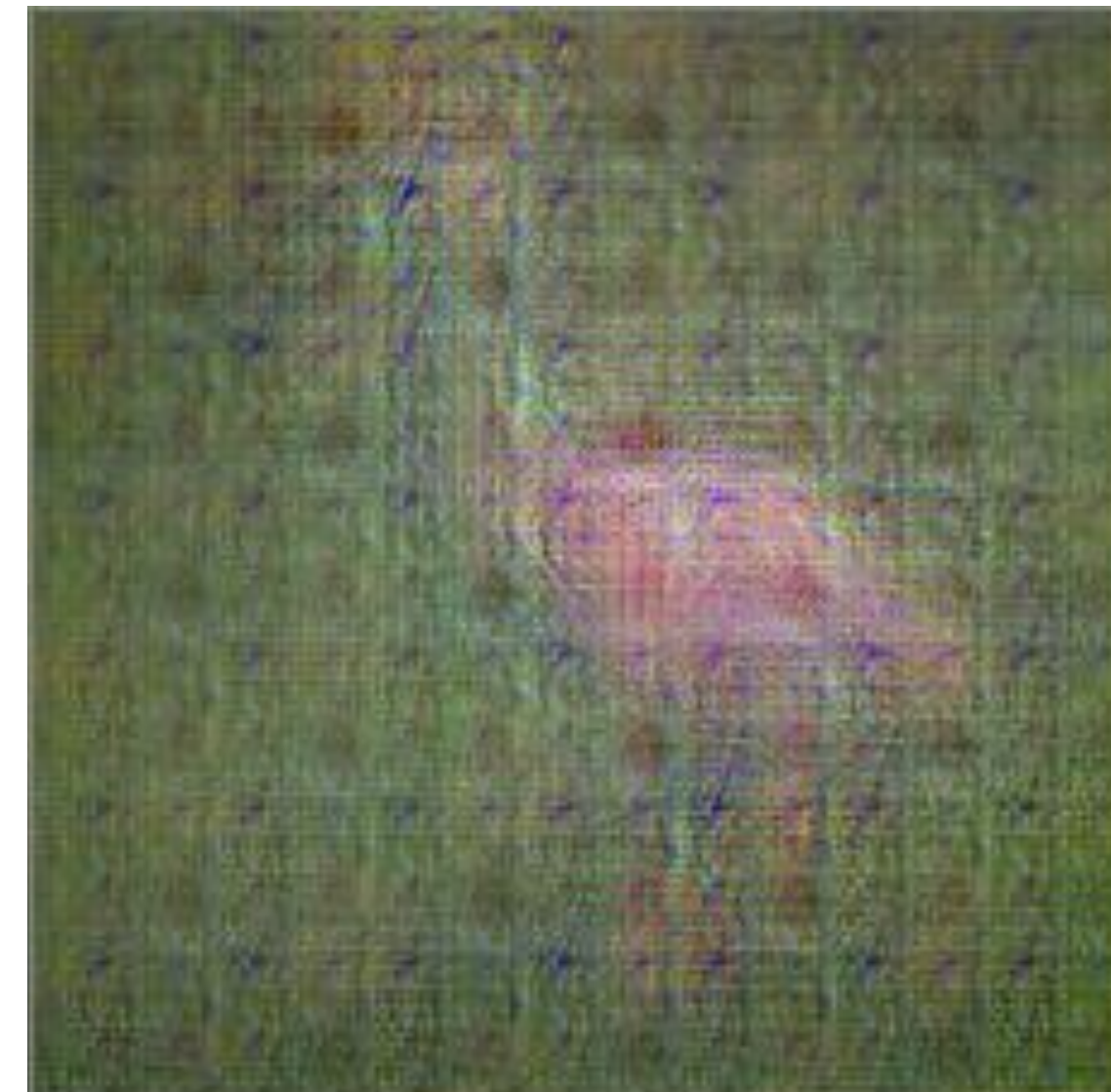
GAN loss is a key ingredient



Raw data



Reconstruction
by PPGN



Reconstruction
by PPGN
without GAN

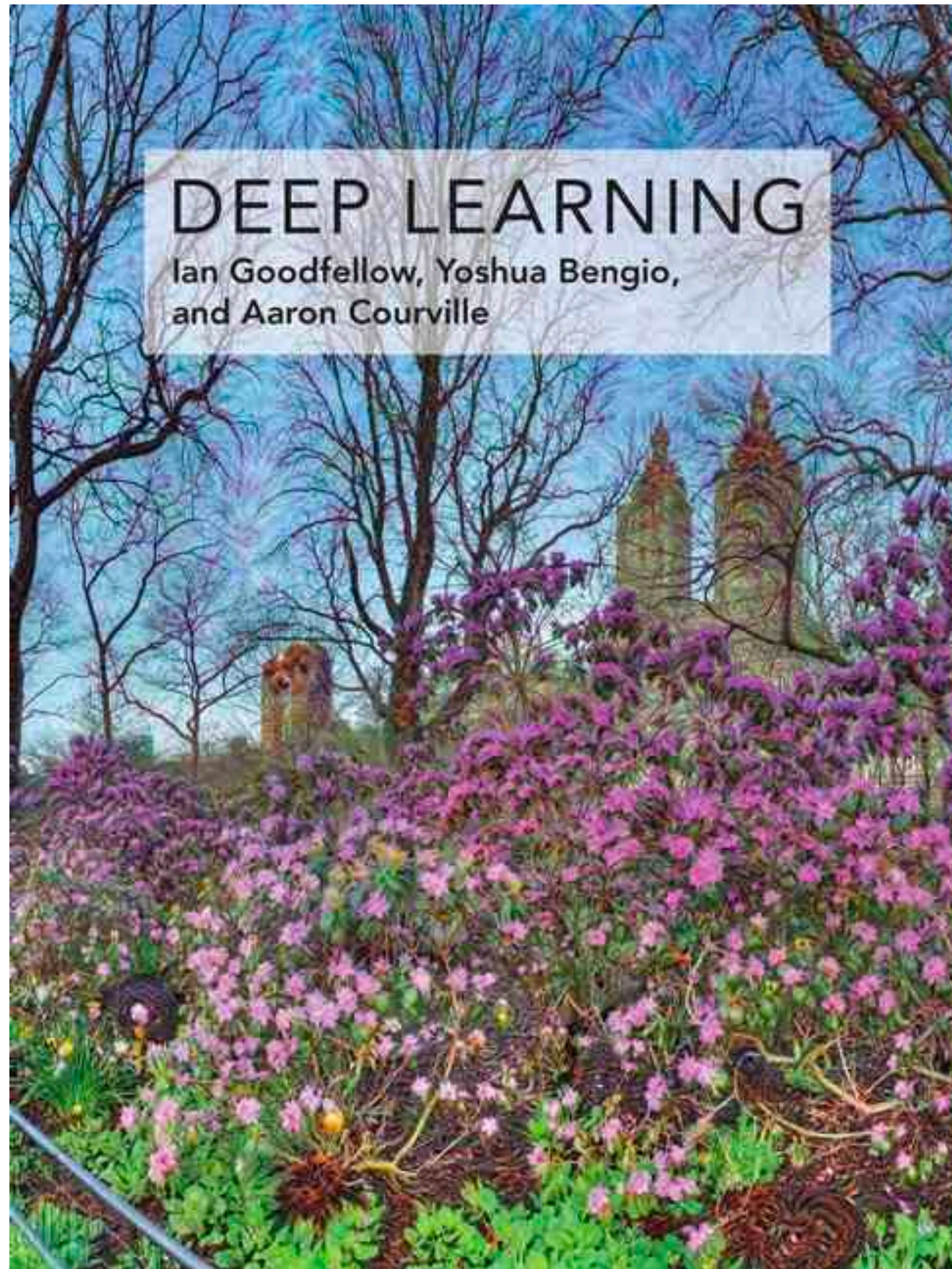
Images from Nguyen et al 2016

First observed by Dosovitskiy et al 2016

To be continued...

- Generative Models II will be taught by Aaron Courville

For more information...



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