# Implicit Class-Conditioned Domain Alignment for Unsupervised Domain Adaptation

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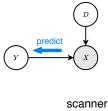
# Introduction: Unsupervised Domain Adaptation (UDA)

The setup of UDA:

- observed variable X
- labeling function f, labels Y = f(X)
- domain variable D
- The goal is to learn p(y|x) where

• 
$$\mathcal{D}_{S} = \{(x_{i}, f_{S}(x_{i}))\}_{i=1}^{n}$$
  
•  $\mathcal{D}_{T} = \{x_{j}\}_{j=1}^{m}$ 

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$$\mathcal{D}_{i} = \{x_{j}\}_{j}$$
  
•  $f_{2} = f_{-}$ 





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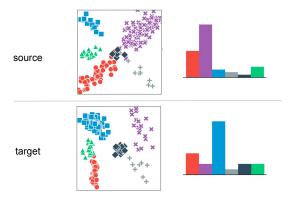
#### Motivations

- Applied motivation
- Theoretical motivation

### Applied Motivation

Challenges for applying UDA in real-world applications [Tan et al., 2019]:

- within-domain class imbalance;
- between-domain class distribution shift, aka, prior probability shift.



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### Theoretical Motivation: Empirical Domain Divergence

#### Definition ([Ben-David et al., 2010])

The  $\mathcal{H}\Delta\mathcal{H}$  divergence between two domains is defined as

$$d_{\mathcal{H}\Delta\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{S}},\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{T}}) = 2 \sup_{h,h'\in\mathcal{H}} |\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{T}}}[h\neq h'] - \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{S}}}[h\neq h']|,$$
(7)

#### Definition (mini-batch based empirical domain discrepancy)

Let  $\mathcal{B}_S$ ,  $\mathcal{B}_T$  be minibatches from  $\mathcal{U}_S$  and  $\mathcal{U}_T$ , respectively, where  $\mathcal{B}_S \subseteq \mathcal{U}_S$ ,  $\mathcal{B}_T \subseteq \mathcal{U}_T$ , and  $|\mathcal{B}_S| = |\mathcal{B}_T|$ . The empirical estimation of  $d_{\mathcal{H}\Delta\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{B}_S, \mathcal{B}_T)$  over the minibatches  $\mathcal{B}_S$ ,  $\mathcal{B}_T$  is defined as

$$\hat{d}_{\mathcal{H}\Delta\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{B}_{\mathcal{S}},\mathcal{B}_{\mathcal{T}}) = \sup_{h,h'\in\mathcal{H}} \left| \sum_{\mathcal{B}_{\mathcal{T}}} \left[ h \neq h' \right] - \sum_{\mathcal{B}_{\mathcal{S}}} \left[ h \neq h' \right] \right|.$$
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#### Theoretical Motivation: The Decomposition

#### Theorem (The decomposition of $\hat{d}_{\mathcal{H}\Delta\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{B}_S, \mathcal{B}_T)$ )

We define three disjoint sets on the label space:  $Y_C := Y_S \cap Y_T$ ,  $\overline{Y_S} := Y_S - Y_C$ , and  $\overline{Y_T} := Y_T - Y_C$ . We also define the following disjoint sets on the input space where  $\mathcal{B}_S^C := \{x \in \mathcal{B}_S \mid y \in Y_C\}, \ \mathcal{B}_S^{\overline{C}} := \{x \in \mathcal{B}_S \mid y \notin Y_C\}, \ \mathcal{B}_T^C := \{x \in \mathcal{B}_T \mid y \in Y_C\}, \ \mathcal{B}_T^{\overline{C}} := \{x \in \mathcal{B}_T \mid y \notin Y_C\}.$  The empirical  $\hat{d}_{\mathcal{H}\Delta\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{B}_S, \mathcal{B}_T)$  divergence can be decomposed into as the following:

$$\hat{d}_{\mathcal{H}\Delta\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{B}_{S},\mathcal{B}_{T}) = \sup_{h,h'\in\mathcal{H}} \left| \xi^{C}(h,h') + \xi^{\overline{C}}(h,h') \right|,$$
(9)

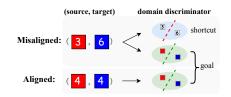
where

$$\xi^{C}(h,h') = \sum_{\mathcal{B}_{T}^{C}} \mathbb{1}\left[h \neq h'\right] - \sum_{\mathcal{B}_{S}^{C}} \mathbb{1}\left[h \neq h'\right],$$
(10)

$$\xi^{\overline{C}}(h,h') = \sum_{\mathcal{B}_{T}^{\overline{C}}} \mathbb{1}\left[h \neq h'\right] - \sum_{\mathcal{B}_{S}^{\overline{C}}} \mathbb{1}\left[h \neq h'\right].$$
(11)

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### Theoretical Motivation: Domain-Discriminator Shortcut



#### Remark (The domain discriminator shortcut)

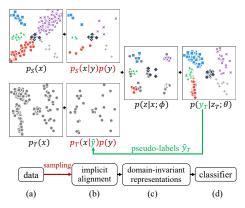
Let  $f_c$  be a classifier that maps x to a class label  $y_c$ . Let  $f_d$  be a domain discriminator that maps x to a binary domain label  $y_d$ . For the empirical class-misaligned divergence  $\xi^{\overline{C}}(h, h')$  with sample  $x \in \mathcal{B}_{\overline{S}}^{\overline{C}} \cup \mathcal{B}_{\overline{T}}^{\overline{C}}$ , there exists a domain discriminator shortcut function

$$f_d(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & f_c(x) \in \overline{Y_S} \\ 0 & f_c(x) \in \overline{Y_T}, \end{cases}$$
(12)

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such that the domain label can be solely determined by the domain-specific class labels. (More pronounced under imbalance and distribution shift.)

### Proposed Approach



- For  $p_S(x)$ , we sample  $x \sim p_S(x|y)p(y)$  based on the alignment distribution p(y)
- For p<sub>T</sub>(x), we sample a *class aligned* minibatch x ~ p<sub>T</sub>(x|ŷ)p(y) using identical p(y), with the help of pseudo-labels ŷ<sub>T</sub>

### Proposed Approach

5: # predict pseudo-labels for T

6: 
$$\hat{T} \leftarrow \{(x_i, \hat{y}_i)\}_{i=1}^M$$
 where  $x_i \in T$  and  $\hat{y}_i = f_c(x_i; \theta)$ 

7: # sample N unique classes in the label space

8: 
$$Y \leftarrow \text{draw } N \text{ samples in } \mathcal{Y} \text{ from } p(y)$$

- 9: # sample K examples conditioned on each  $y_j \in Y$
- 10: for  $y_j$  in Y do
- 11:  $(X'_S, Y'_S) \leftarrow \text{draw } K \text{ samples in } S \text{ from } p_S(x|y=y_j)$
- 12:  $X'_T \leftarrow \text{draw } K \text{ samples in } \hat{T} \text{ from } p_T(x|\hat{y} = y_j)$
- 13: end for
- 14: *# domain adaptation training on this minibatch*
- 15: train minibatch  $(X'_S, Y'_S, X'_T)$
- 16: end while

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- Simple to implement and is orthogonal to different domain discrepancy measures: DANN and MDD.

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#### Extending Implicit Alignment to MDD

MDD is defined as

$$d_{f,\mathcal{F}}(S,T) = \sup_{f'\in\mathcal{F}} \left( \operatorname{disp}_{\mathcal{D}_{T}}(f',f) - \operatorname{disp}_{\mathcal{D}_{S}}(f',f) \right),$$
(13)

where f and f' are two independent scoring functions that predict class probabilities, and disp(f', f) is a disparity measure between the scores provided by the classifiers f' and f.

We introduce a masking scheme on f and f' defined as

$$\hat{d}_{f,\mathcal{F}}(\mathcal{B}_{S},\mathcal{B}_{T}) = \sup_{f'\in\mathcal{F}} \Big( \sum_{\mathcal{B}_{T}} \operatorname{disp}(f' \odot \omega, f \odot \omega) - \sum_{\mathcal{B}_{S}} \operatorname{disp}(f' \odot \omega, f \odot \omega) \Big),$$
(14)

where  $f \odot \omega$  denotes element-wise multiplication between the output of f and  $\omega$ . The alignment mask  $\omega$  is a binary vector that denotes whether the *i*-th class is present in the sampled classes Y (i.e., the classes that we intend to align in the current minibatch).

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#### Experiment Setup

Datasets:

- Office-31 [Saenko et al., 2010]
- Office-Home [Venkateswara et al., 2017]
  - standard [Venkateswara et al., 2017]: natrual imbalance
  - a balanced [Tan et al., 2019]
  - (a) "RS-UT" [Tan et al., 2019]
- VisDA2017 (synthetic→real) [Peng et al., 2017]
- MNIST and SVHN (ablation studies)

Baselines:

- Covariate and Label Shift CO-ALignment (COAL) [Tan et al., 2019]
- Explicit alignment [Liang et al., 2019b, Liang et al., 2019a]

PyTorch Code: https://github.com/xiangdal/implicit\_alignment

#### **Dataset Statistics**

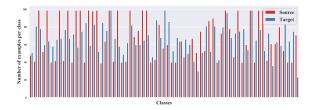


Figure: Class frequency of Cl→Rw, Office-Home (standard)

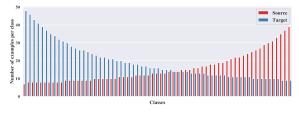


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#### Empirical Results: Office-Home (RS-UT)

Methods	Rw→Pr	Rw→Cl	Pr→Rw	Pr→Cl	Cl→Rw	Cl→Pr	Avg
Source Only <sup>†</sup>	69.77	38.35	67.31	35.84	53.31	52.27	52.81
BSP [Chen et al., 2019] <sup>†</sup>	72.80	23.82	66.19	20.05	32.59	30.36	40.97
PADA [Cao et al., 2018] <sup>†</sup>	60.77	32.28	57.09	26.76	40.71	38.34	42.66
BBSE [Lipton et al., 2018] <sup>†</sup>	61.10	33.27	62.66	31.15	39.70	38.08	44.33
MCD [Saito et al., 2018] <sup>†</sup>	66.03	33.17	62.95	29.99	44.47	39.01	45.94
DAN [Long et al., 2015] <sup>†</sup>	69.35	40.84	66.93	34.66	53.55	52.09	52.90
F-DANN [Wu et al., 2019] <sup>†</sup>	68.56	40.57	67.32	37.33	55.84	53.67	53.88
JAN [Long et al., 2017] <sup>†</sup>	67.20	43.60	68.87	39.21	57.98	48.57	54.24
DANN [Ganin et al., 2016] <sup>†</sup>	71.62	46.51	68.40	38.07	58.83	58.05	56.91
MDD (random sampler)	71.21	44.78	69.31	42.56	52.10	52.70	55.44
MDD (source-balanced sampler)	76.06	47.38	71.56	40.03	57.46	58.54	58.50
COAL [Tan et al., 2019] <sup>†,‡</sup>	73.65	42.58	73.26	40.61	59.22	57.33	58.40
MDD+Explicit Alignment (basic) <sup>‡</sup>	69.52	44.70	69.59	40.27	53.02	53.39	55.08
MDD+Explicit Alignment (moving avg.) <sup>‡</sup>	71.37	45.26	69.69	40.28	52.92	52.69	55.37
MDD+Explicit Alignment (curriculum) <sup>‡</sup>	70.02	45.48	69.71	40.86	53.26	52.99	55.39
MDD+Implicit Alignment	76.08	50.04	74.21	45.38	61.15	63.15	61.67

<sup>†</sup> Source: Data of these baseline methods are cited from [Tan et al., 2019].

<sup>‡</sup> Methods using explicit class-conditioned domain alignment.

## Empirical Results: Office-31 (standard)

Method	$A \to W$	$D\toW$	$W\rightarrowD$	$A\rightarrowD$	$D\rightarrowA$	$W\rightarrowA$	Avg
Source only	68.4±0.2	96.7±0.1	99.3±0.1	$68.9{\pm}0.2$	$62.5{\pm}0.3$	60.7±0.3	76.1
DAN [Long et al., 2015]	80.5±0.4	97.1±0.2	99.6±0.1	78.6±0.2	63.6±0.3	62.8±0.2	80.4
DANN [Ganin et al., 2016]	82.0±0.4	96.9±0.2	99.1±0.1	79.7±0.4	68.2±0.4	67.4±0.5	82.2
ADDA [Tzeng et al., 2017]	86.2±0.5	96.2±0.3	98.4±0.3	77.8±0.3	69.5±0.4	$68.9 \pm 0.5$	82.9
JAN [Long et al., 2017]	85.4±0.3	97.4±0.2	99.8±0.2	84.7±0.3	68.6±0.3	70.0±0.4	84.3
MADA [Pei et al., 2018]	$90.0\pm0.1$	97.4±0.1	99.6±0.1	87.8±0.2	70.3±0.3	66.4±0.3	85.2
GTA [Sankaranarayanan et al., 2018]	89.5±0.5	97.9±0.3	99.8±0.4	87.7±0.5	72.8±0.3	71.4±0.4	86.5
MCD [Saito et al., 2018]	88.6±0.2	98.5±0.1	100.0±.0	92.2±0.2	69.5±0.1	69.7±0.3	86.5
CDAN [Long et al., 2018]	94.1±0.1	98.6±0.1	100.0±.0	92.9±0.2	71.0±0.3	69.3±0.3	87.7
MDD [Zhang et al., 2019]	94.5±0.3	98.4±0.1	100.0±.0	93.5±0.2	74.6±0.3	72.2±0.1	88.9
PACET [Liang et al., 2019b] <sup>‡</sup>	90.8	97.6	99.8	90.8	73.5	73.6	87.4
CAT [Deng et al., 2019] <sup>‡</sup>	94.4±0.1	98.0±0.2	100.0±0.0	90.8±1.8	72.2±0.2	70.2±0.1	87.6
MDD (source-balanced sampler)	90.4±0.4	98.7±0.1	99.9±0.1	90.4±0.2	$75.0 {\pm} 0.5$	73.7±0.9	88.0
MDD+Explicit Alignment <sup>‡</sup>	92.3±0.1	98.2±0.1	99.8±.0	92.3±0.3	74.6±0.2	72.9±0.7	88.4
MDD+Implicit Alignment	90.3±0.2	98.7±0.1	99.8±.0	$92.1{\pm}0.5$	75.3±0.2	74.9±0.3	88.8

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# Empirical Results: Office-Home (standard)

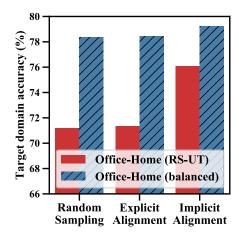
Method	$Ar{\rightarrow}Cl$	$Ar{\rightarrow} Pr$	Ar→Rw	$CI{\rightarrow}Ar$	Cl→Pr	$CI{\rightarrow}Rw$	Pr→Ar	Pr→Cl	Pr→Rw	Rw→Ar	$Rw{\rightarrow}CI$	Rw→Pr	Avg
Source only	34.9	50.0	58.0	37.4	41.9	46.2	38.5	31.2	60.4	53.9	41.2	59.9	46.1
DAN [Long et al., 2015]	43.6	57.0	67.9	45.8	56.5	60.4	44.0	43.6	67.7	63.1	51.5	74.3	56.3
DANN [Ganin et al., 2016]	45.6	59.3	70.1	47.0	58.5	60.9	46.1	43.7	68.5	63.2	51.8	76.8	57.6
JAN [Long et al., 2017]	45.9	61.2	68.9	50.4	59.7	61.0	45.8	43.4	70.3	63.9	52.4	76.8	58.3
CDAN [Long et al., 2018]	50.7	70.6	76.0	57.6	70.0	70.0	57.4	50.9	77.3	70.9	56.7	81.6	65.8
BSP [Chen et al., 2019]	52.0	68.6	76.1	58.0	70.3	70.2	58.6	50.2	77.6	72.2	59.3	81.9	66.3
MDD [Zhang et al., 2019]	54.9	73.7	77.8	60.0	71.4	71.8	61.2	53.6	78.1	72.5	60.2	82.3	68.1
MCS [Liang et al., 2019a] <sup>‡</sup>	55.9	73.8	79.0	57.5	69.9	71.3	58.4	50.3	78.2	65.9	53.2	82.2	66.3
MDD+Explicit Alignment <sup>‡</sup>	54.3	74.6	77.6	60.7	71.9	71.4	62.1	52.4	76.9	71.1	57.6	81.3	67.7
MDD (source-balanced sampler)	55.3	75.0	79.1	62.3	70.1	73.2	63.5	53.2	78.7	70.4	56.2	82.0	68.3
MDD+Implicit Alignment	56.2	77.9	79.2	64.4	73.1	74.4	64.2	54.2	79.9	71.2	58.1	83.1	69.5

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### Empirical Results: VisDA2017

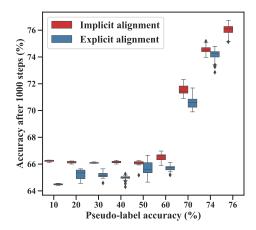
method	acc. (%)
JAN [Long et al., 2017]	61.6
GTA[Sankaranarayanan et al., 2018]	69.5
MCD [Saito et al., 2018]	69.8
CDAN [Long et al., 2018]	70.0
MDD [Zhang et al., 2019]	74.6
MDD+Explicit Alignment	67.1
MDD+Implicit Alignment	75.8

#### Ablation Studies: Implicit vs. Explicit Alignment



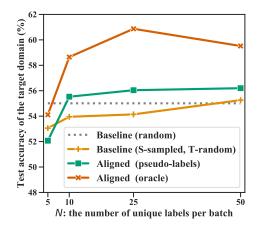
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#### Ablation Studies: Robustness to Pseudo-label Errors



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#### Ablation Studies: Class Diversity and Alignment



#### Interactions between class imbalance and distribution shift

#### Table: S-balanced, T-imbalanced.

	SVHN-	MNIST	MNIST	→SVHN
method	mild	extreme	mild	extreme
source only	67.4±7.3	66.3±3.3	32.5±2.9	28.2±2.3
DANN	$78.2{\pm}2.8$	$59.1 \pm 0.8$	20.9±6.0	$20.5 \pm 3.1$
DANN+implicit	88.6±0.7	82.2±2.1	32.4±2.1	28.9±3.3

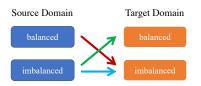
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DANN	82.0±0.7	$52.3{\pm}2.3$	23.4±3.6	$25.9{\pm}0.5$	
DANN+implicit	91.0±1.9	$87.1 \pm 2.6$	$34.9 \pm 0.5$	$31.1{\pm}2.9$	

#### Table: Both domains imbalanced.

	SVHN-	MNIST	MNIST	→SVHN
method	mild	extreme	mild	extreme
source only	60.9±5.2	51.2±5.9	30.6±1.3	27.1±1.7
DANN	67.6±0.8	40.5±5.5	$23.4{\pm}1.6$	$18.8{\pm}2.9$
DANN+implicit	88.6±0.6	$70.5 \pm 3.6$	36.3±2.5	$27.9{\pm}2.4$

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# Thank you!

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