



High-Fidelity Image Generation With Fewer Labels

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Unsupervised models are considerably less powerful



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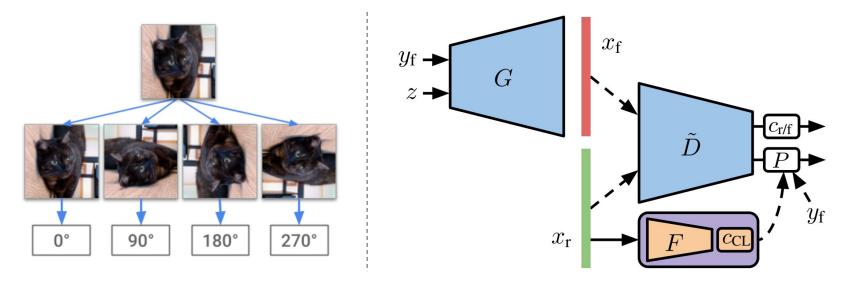
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This work: How to close the gap between conditional and unsupervised GANs?

Proposed methods: Overview

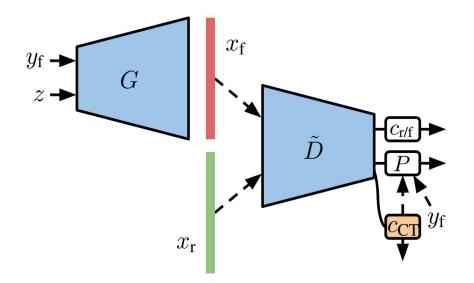
- Replace ground-truth labels with synthetic/inferred labels
 No changes in the GAN architecture required
- Infer labels for the real data using self-supervised and semi-supervised learning techniques

Proposed methods: Pre-training



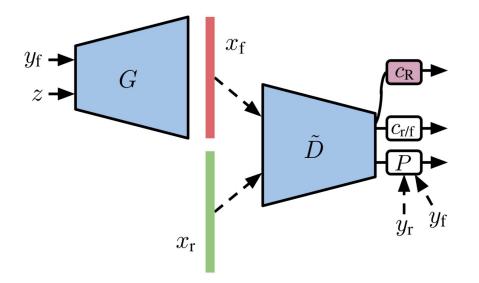
- 1. Learn a semantic representation *F* of the data using self-supervision by rotation prediction (Gidaris et al. 2018)
- 2. Clustering or semi-supervised learning on the representation F
- 3. Train GAN with inferred labels

Proposed methods: Co-training



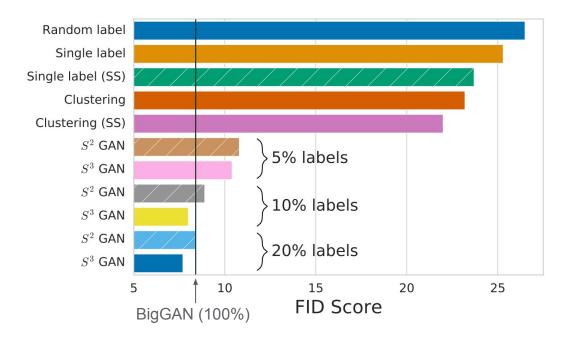
• Semi-supervised classification head on discriminator

Improve pre- and co-training methods



• Rotation-self supervision *during GAN training* (Chen et al. 2019)

Results



- Clustering (SS) is unsupervised SOTA (FID 22.0)
- S²GAN (20%) and S³GAN (10%) match BigGAN (100%)
- S³GAN (20%) outperforms BigGAN (100%) (SOTA)

Samples: BigGAN (our implementation) vs proposed

BigGAN (100%)



S³GAN (10%)

256 x 256 px

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Code, pretrained models and Colabs:



github.com/google/compare_gan

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