



Deep Learning Architectures

Diffusion model



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Source : <https://github.com/bentoml/stable-diffusion-bentoml>



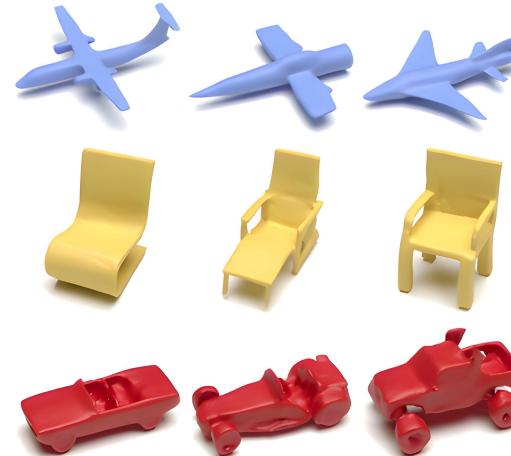
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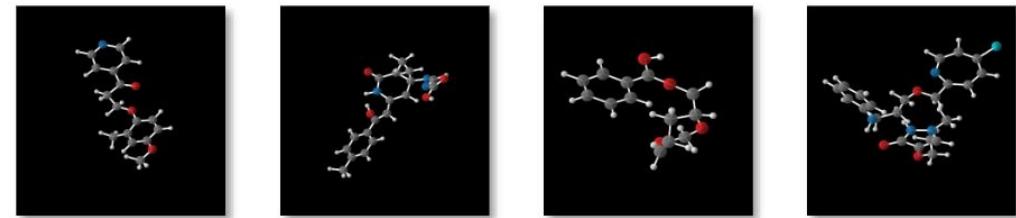
DPM Landscape



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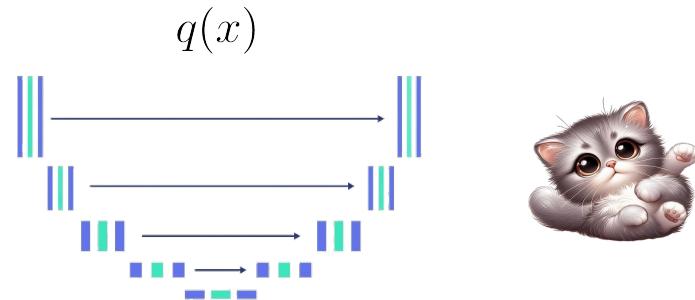
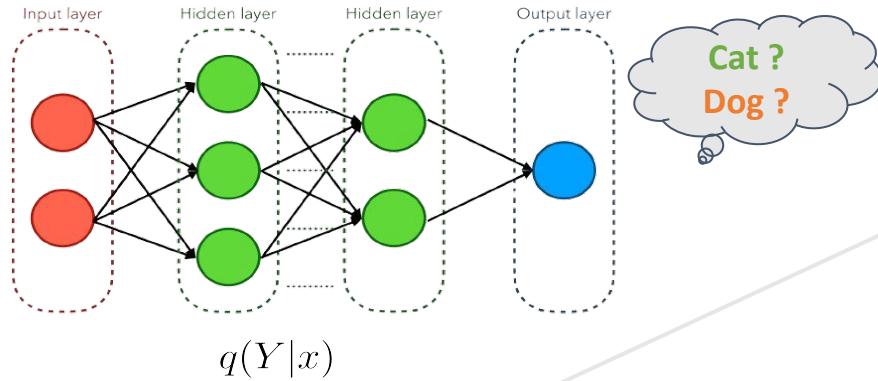


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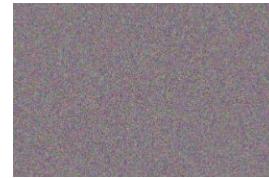
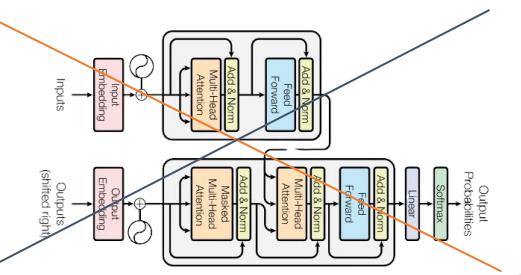
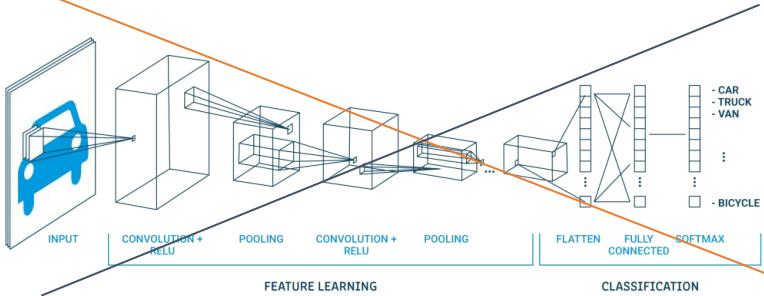


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Generation of videos, of molecules, of ...



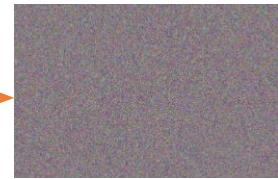
Generation vs Classification



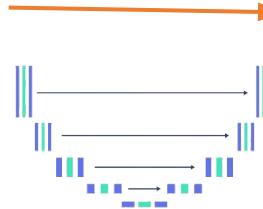
$$\mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$



$$q(x)$$



$$\mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

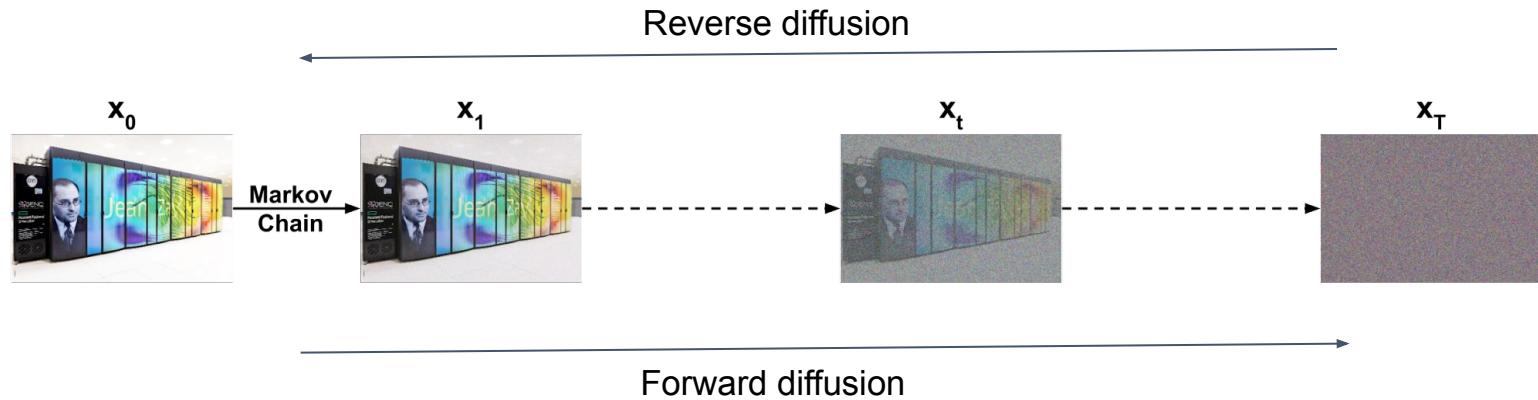


$$q(x)$$

CNN/Transformer/GNN vs Diffusion Model

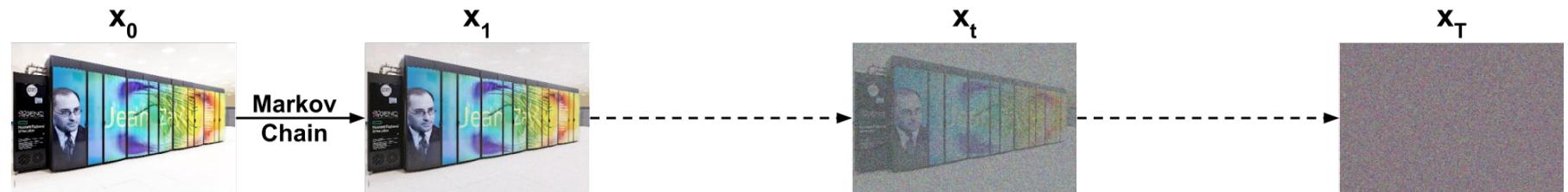
Denoising diffusion probabilistic models (DDPM) consist of two processes:

- Forward diffusion process that gradually adds noise to input
- Reverse denoising process that learns to generate data by denoising



DDPM Principle

Forward Diffusion Process



This process will add a small noise to any image gradually

$$\mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

si T très grand

$$0 \leq t \leq T \quad ; \quad T \text{ is a hyperparameter}$$

Forward Diffusion Process

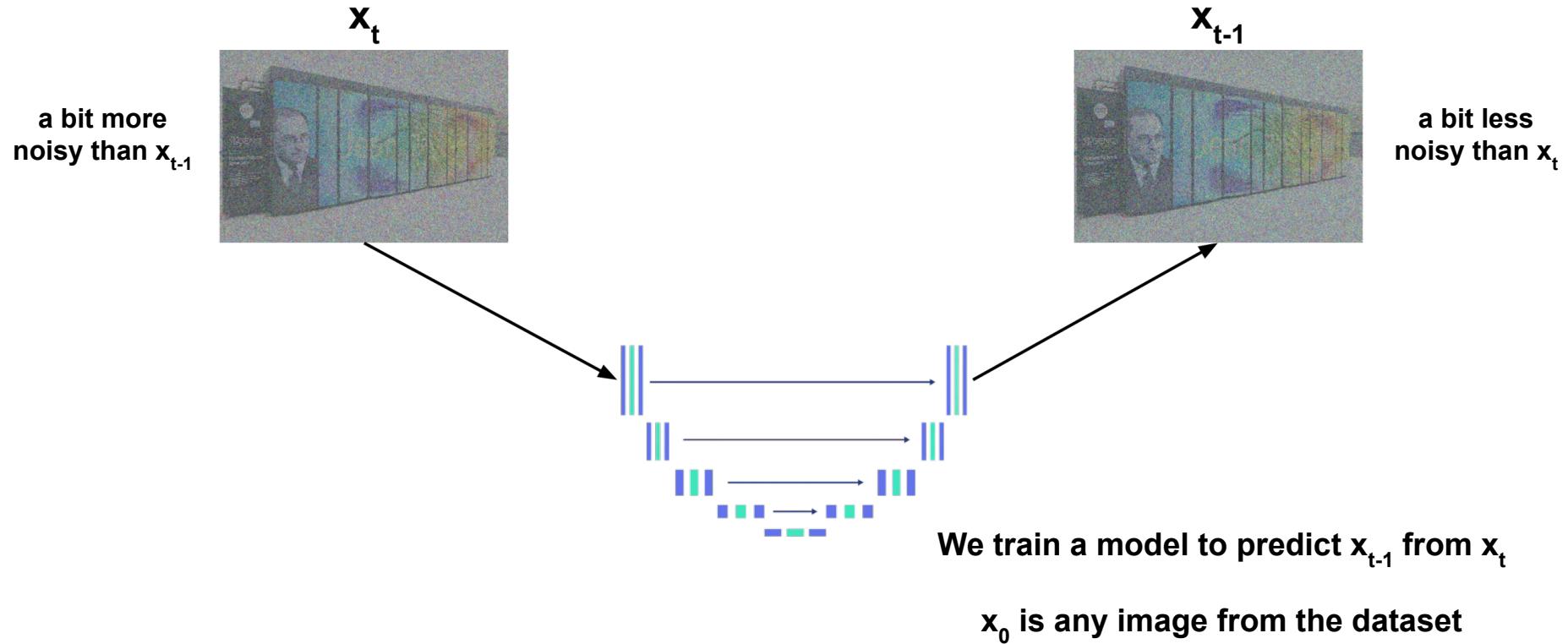


Denoising Diffusion Probabilistic
Models (DDPM)

Here we choose $T=1000$, but it can be different values (it's an hyperparameter)

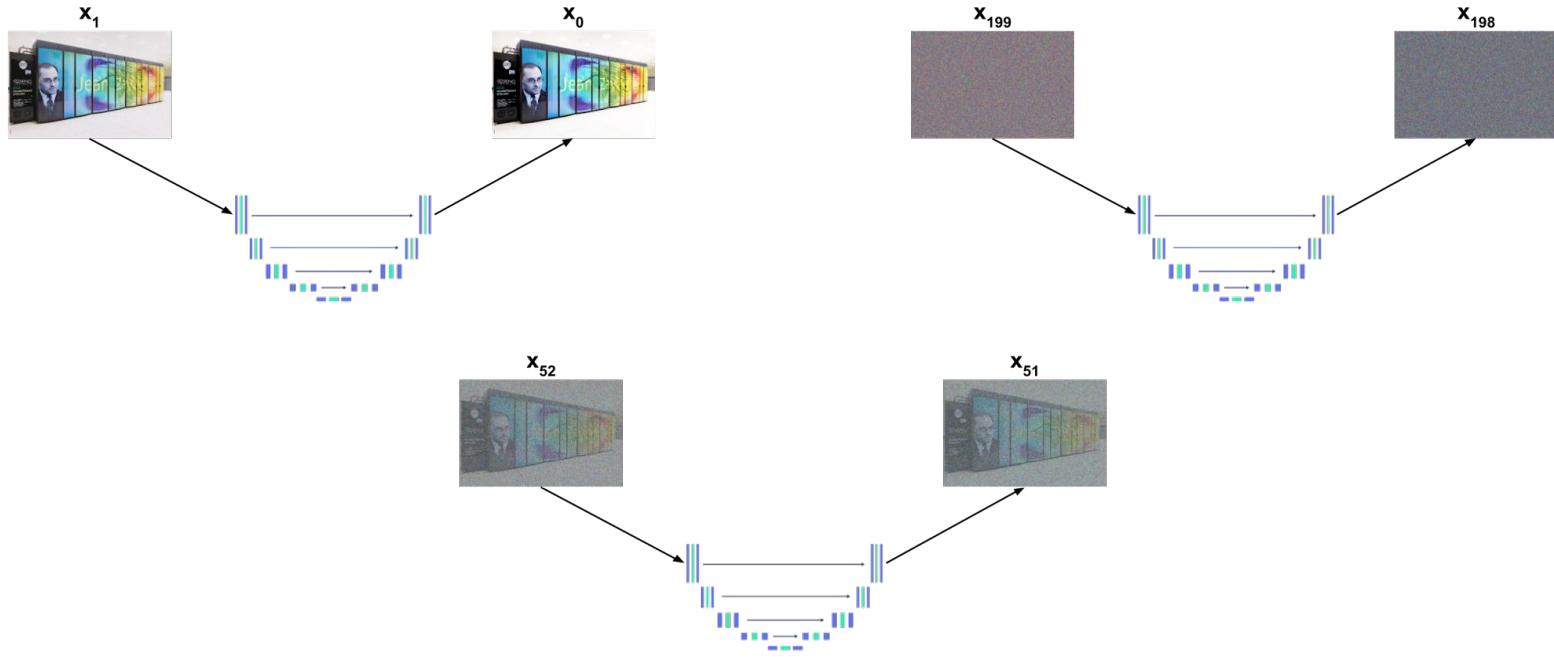
DDPM Principle 3

Reverse Diffusion Process



DDPM Principle 4

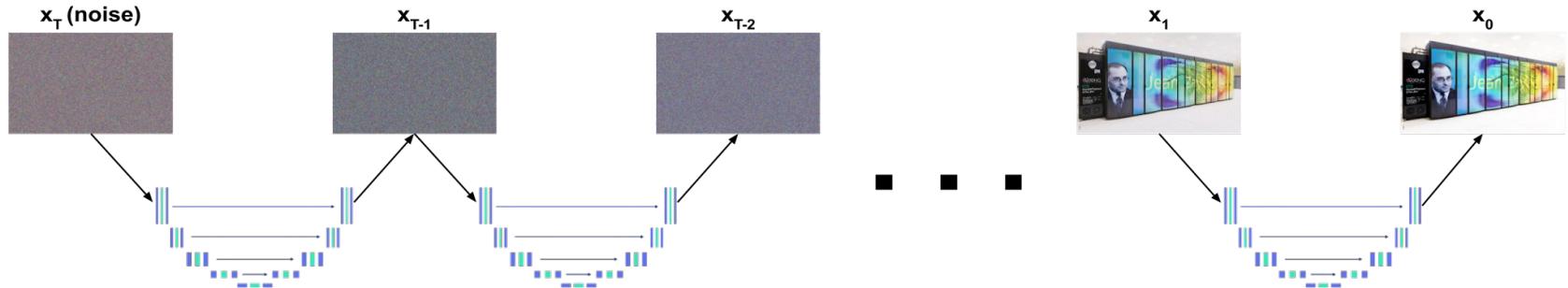
Reverse Diffusion Process



The same model must predict every x_{t-1} from x_t $Model(x_t, t)$

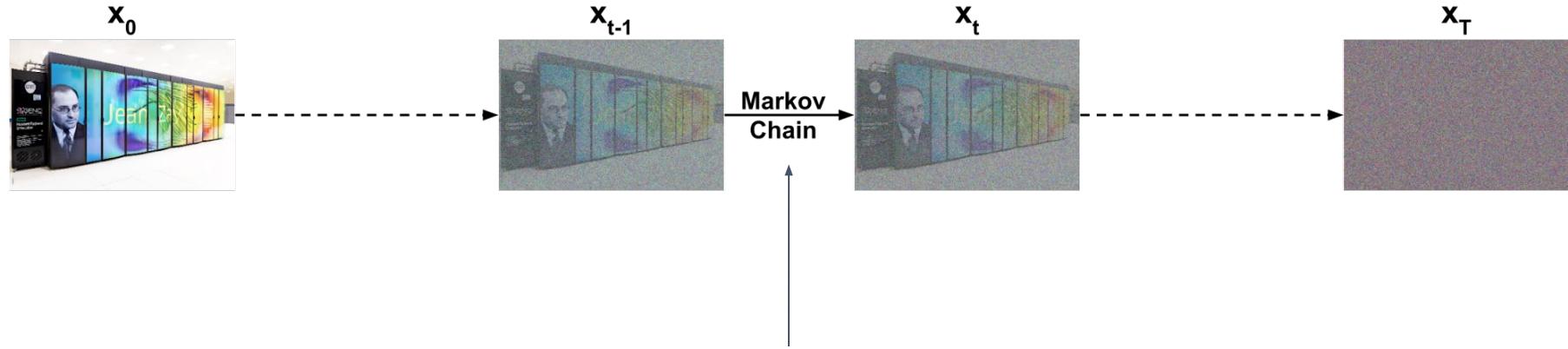
DDPM Principle 5

After the training, the model will generate images from Gaussian noise by following a sampling process :



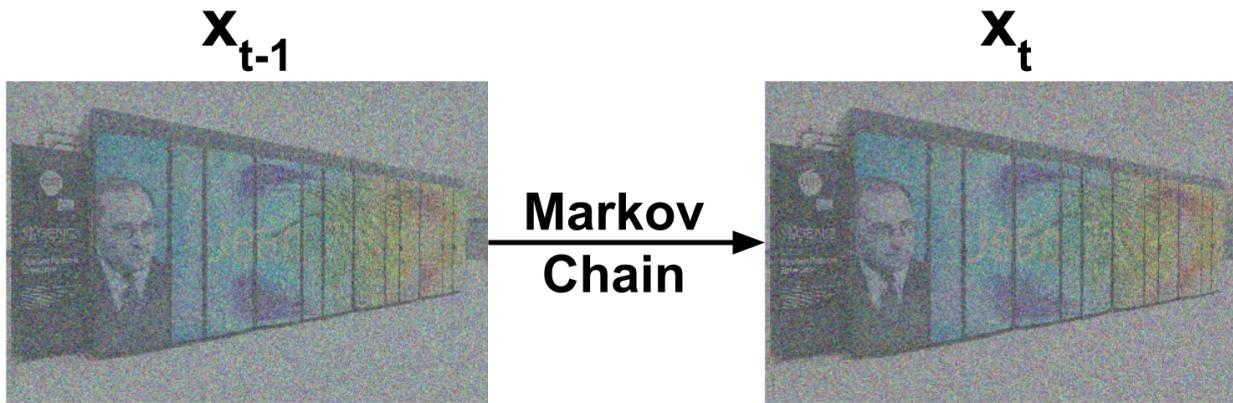
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torch.randn(4)
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DDPM Principle 6



$$q(x_t | x_{t-1}) := \mathcal{N}(x_t; \sqrt{1 - \beta_t} x_{t-1}, \beta_t I)$$

(β_t) is a hyperparameter



$$\mathcal{N}(x_t; \sqrt{1 - \beta_t}x_{t-1}, \beta_t I)$$

$$x_t = \sqrt{1 - \beta_t}x_{t-1} + \sqrt{\beta_t}z_{t-1}$$

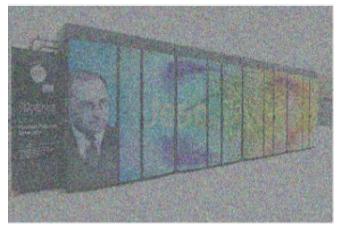
where $z_{t-1} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, I)$

`torch.randn(4)`



Forward diffusion 2

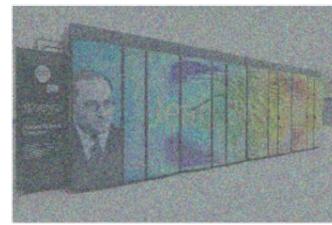
x_t



=

$$\sqrt{1 - \beta_t}$$

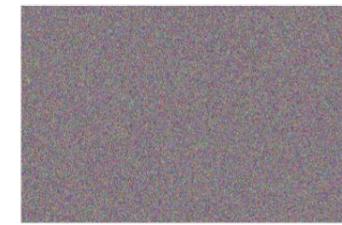
x_{t-1}

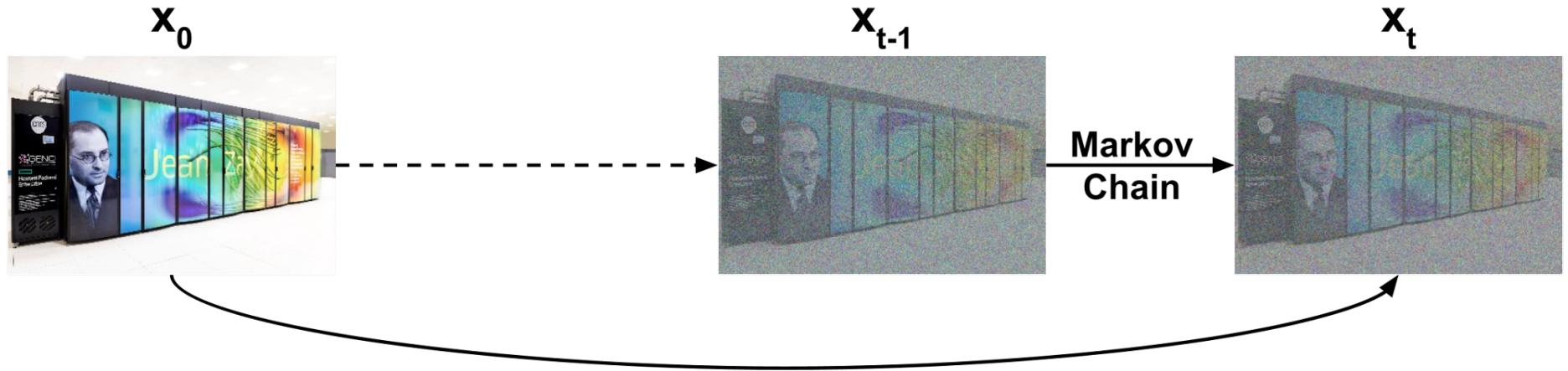


+

$$\sqrt{\beta_t}$$

Gaussian noise





$$q(x_t|x_0) = \mathcal{N}(x_t; \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}x_0, (1 - \bar{\alpha}_t)I)$$

$$\text{where } \bar{\alpha}_t = \prod_{i=1}^T (1 - \beta_i)$$

Forward diffusion 4



$$x_t = \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t} x_0 + \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t} z$$

So we can sample a noised image at any time step directly from original image

Forward diffusion 5

β_t (the noise schedule) such that $q(\mathbf{x}_T | \mathbf{x}_0) \approx \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}_T; \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I})$
 $\beta_t \in (0, 1)$, β_t following a schedule $\beta_1 < \beta_2 < \dots < \beta_T$

Linear scheduling

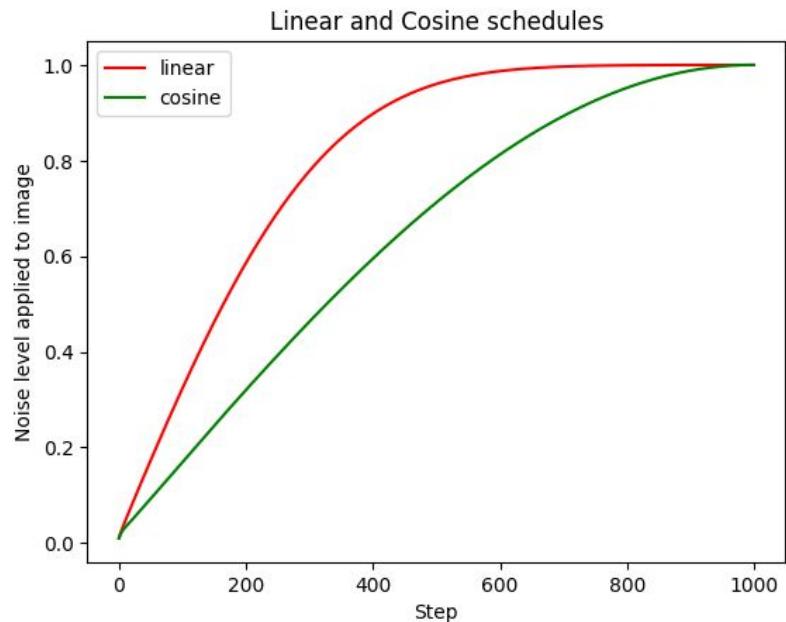
$$(\beta_1, \dots, \beta_T) = (\beta_1 + (t-1) * \frac{\beta_T - \beta_1}{T-1})_{t \in \{1\dots T\}}$$

0.02
0.0001
1000

Cosinus scheduling

$$\bar{\alpha}_t = \frac{f(t)}{f(0)}, \quad f(t) = \cos \left(\frac{t/T + s}{1+s} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \right)^2$$

$$\text{where } \bar{\alpha}_t = \prod_{i=1}^T (1 - \beta_i)$$



Beta scheduling

$$q(x_0)$$

Données

$$q(x_t|x_{t-1})$$

*Données bruitées
par un petit bruit
gaussien*



$$q(x_t|x_0)$$

$$q(x_{t-1}|x_t, x_0)$$



$$q(x_{t-1}|x_t) \quad ???$$

Computation 1

$$q(x_{t-1}|x_t, x_0) = \mathcal{N}(x_{t-1}; \tilde{\mu}_t(x_t, x_0), \tilde{\beta}_t I)$$

$$\tilde{\mu}_t(\mathbf{x}_t, \mathbf{x}_0) = \frac{\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t-1}}\beta_t}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t} \mathbf{x}_0 + \frac{\sqrt{\alpha_t}(1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t-1})}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t} \mathbf{x}_t \quad \tilde{\beta}_t = \frac{1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t-1}}{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t} \beta_t$$

$$q(x_t|x_0)$$

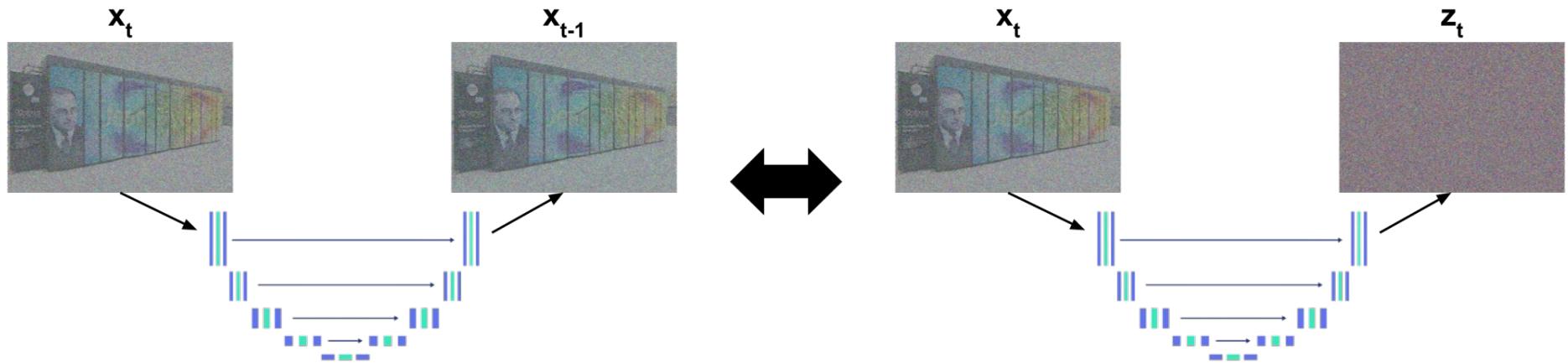
$$x_t = \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}x_0 + \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t}z_t$$



$$q(x_{t-1}|x_t, z_t)$$

$$\tilde{\mu}_t(\mathbf{x}_t, \mathbf{x}_0) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha_t}} (\mathbf{x}_t - \frac{\beta_t}{\sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t}} \mathbf{z}_t)$$

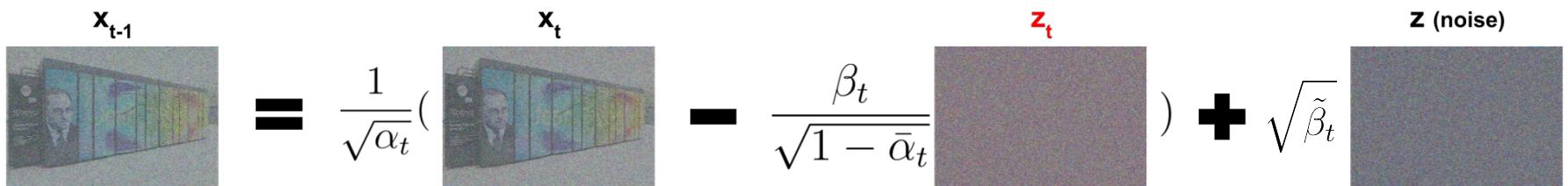
z_t ???



We can predict x_{t-1} by predicting z_t

$$\tilde{\mu}_t(\mathbf{x}_t, \mathbf{x}_0) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha_t}} \left(\mathbf{x}_t - \frac{\beta_t}{\sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t}} \mathbf{z}_t \right) \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha_t}} \left(x_t - \frac{\beta_t}{\sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t}} \mathbf{z}_\theta(\mathbf{x}_t, t) \right)$$

Our network



Reverse diffusion 2

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha_t}}(x_t - \frac{\beta_t}{\sqrt{1-\bar{\alpha}_t}} \boxed{\mathbf{z}_\theta(\mathbf{x}_t, t)}) \quad x_t = \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}x_0 + \sqrt{1-\bar{\alpha}_t} \boxed{z_t}$$

$$L_{\text{VLB}} = \mathbb{E}_{q(\mathbf{x}_{0:T})} \left[\log \frac{q(\mathbf{x}_{1:T} | \mathbf{x}_0)}{p_\theta(\mathbf{x}_{0:T})} \right] \geq -\mathbb{E}_{q(\mathbf{x}_0)} \log p_\theta(\mathbf{x}_0)$$

$$L_{\text{VLB}} = L_T + L_{T-1} + \cdots + L_0$$

$$L_t = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x}_0, \epsilon} \left[\frac{(1-\alpha_t)^2}{2\alpha_t(1-\bar{\alpha}_t)\|\Sigma_\theta\|_2^2} \|\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_t - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_\theta(\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}\mathbf{x}_0 + \sqrt{1-\bar{\alpha}_t}\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_t, t)\|^2 \right]$$

$$L_t^{\text{simple}} = \mathbb{E}_{t \sim [1,T], \mathbf{x}_0, \epsilon_t} \left[\|\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_t - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_\theta(\mathbf{x}_t, t)\|^2 \right]$$

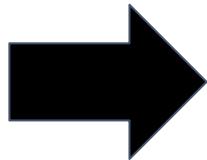
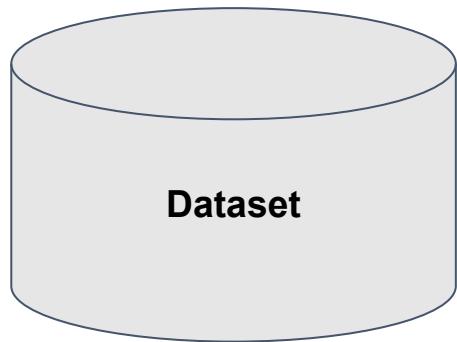
Algorithm 1 Training

- 1: **repeat**
 - 2: $\mathbf{x}_0 \sim q(\mathbf{x}_0)$
 - 3: $t \sim \text{Uniform}(\{1, \dots, T\})$
 - 4: $\boldsymbol{\epsilon} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I})$
 - 5: Take gradient descent step on

$$\nabla_{\theta} \left\| \boldsymbol{\epsilon} - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{\theta}(\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t} \mathbf{x}_0 + \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t} \boldsymbol{\epsilon}, t) \right\|^2$$
 - 6: **until** converged
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<https://arxiv.org/abs/2006.11239>

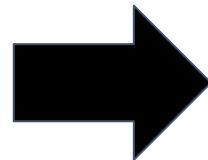




Training 2

**Uniform
distribution**

Between 1 and T



$t = 50$

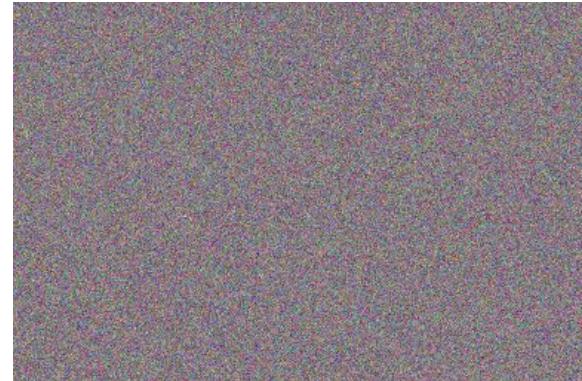
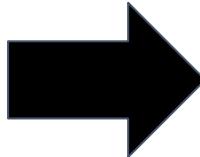
x_0



Training 3

\mathbf{z}_t ($= \epsilon$)

Gaussian distribution
Same shape than x_0

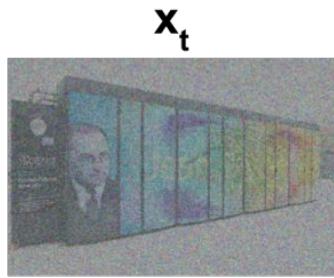


x_0



$t = 50$

Training 4



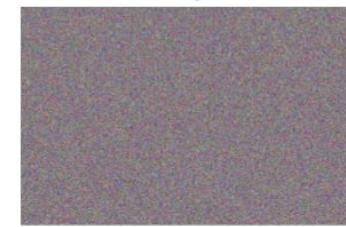
=

$$\sqrt{\alpha_t}$$



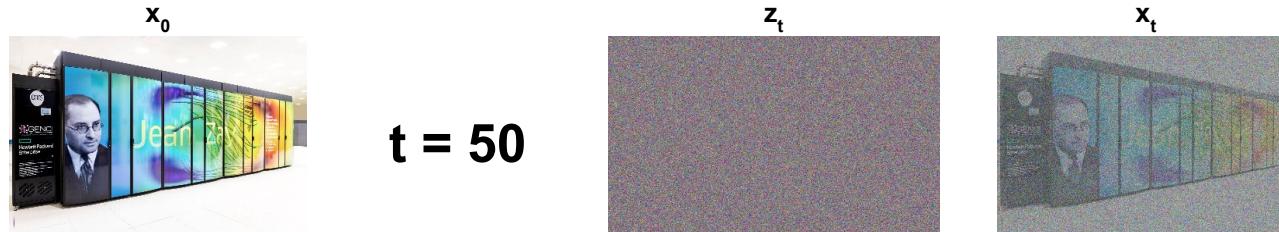
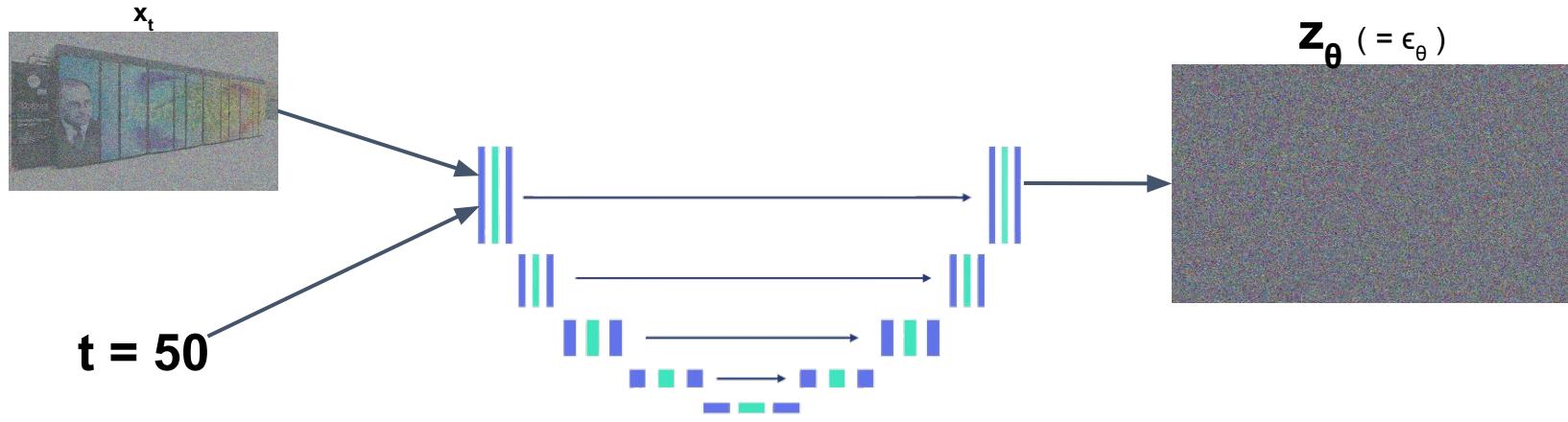
+

$$\sqrt{1 - \alpha_t}$$



$t = 50$



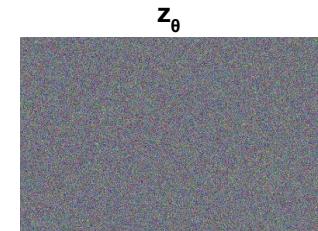
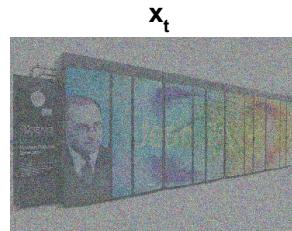


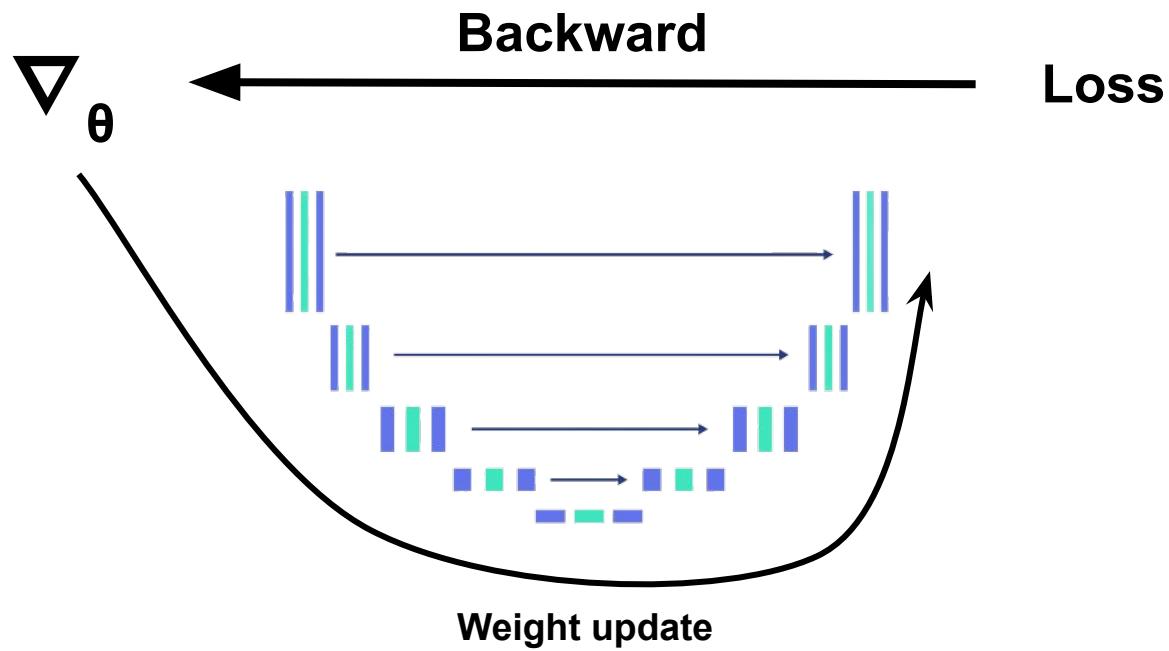
Training 6

$$\text{Loss} = \| z_t - z_\theta \|^2$$



$t = 50$





Algorithm 2 Sampling

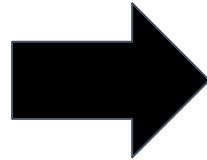
- 1: $\mathbf{x}_T \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I})$
- 2: **for** $t = T, \dots, 1$ **do**
- 3: $\mathbf{z} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I})$ if $t > 1$, else $\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{0}$
- 4: $\mathbf{x}_{t-1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha_t}} \left(\mathbf{x}_t - \frac{1-\alpha_t}{\sqrt{1-\bar{\alpha}_t}} \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_\theta(\mathbf{x}_t, t) \right) + \sigma_t \mathbf{z}$
- 5: **end for**
- 6: **return** \mathbf{x}_0

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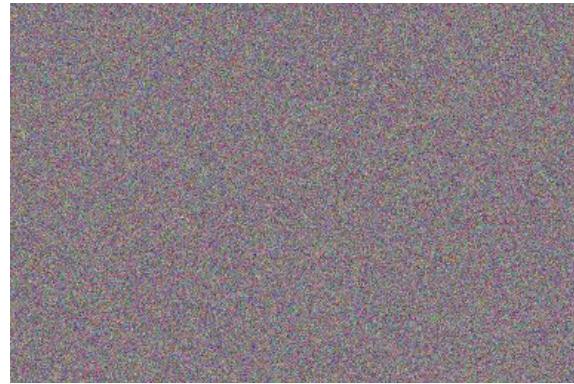


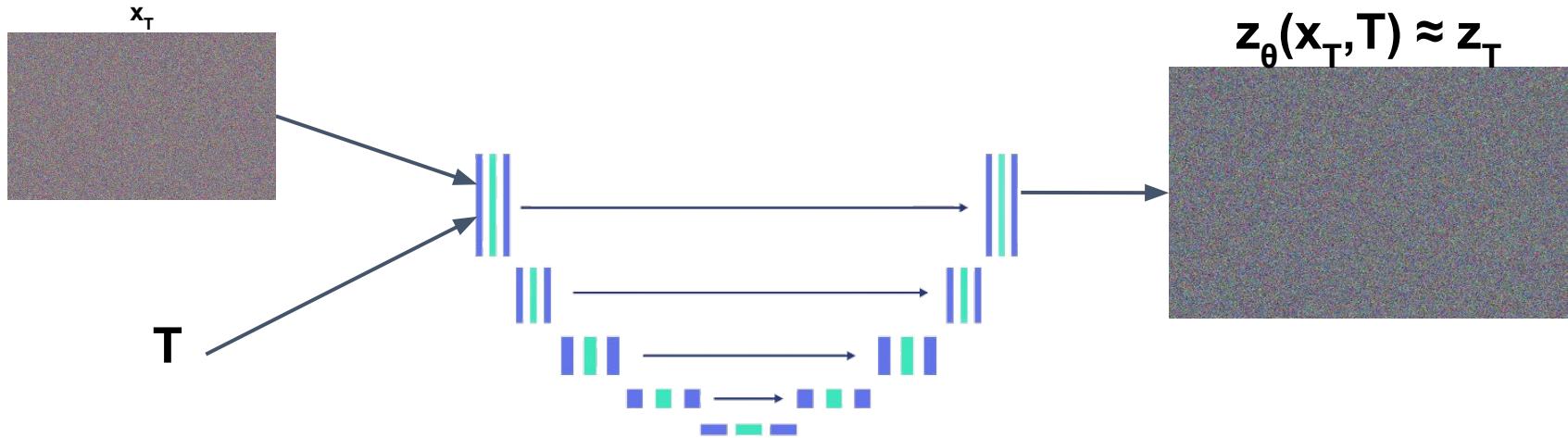
Gaussian distribution

Same shape than training dataset images



x_T

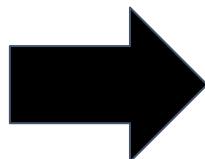




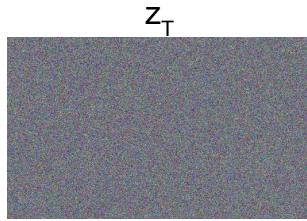
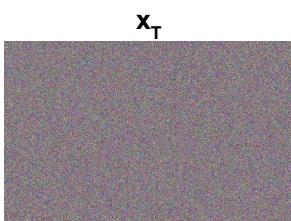
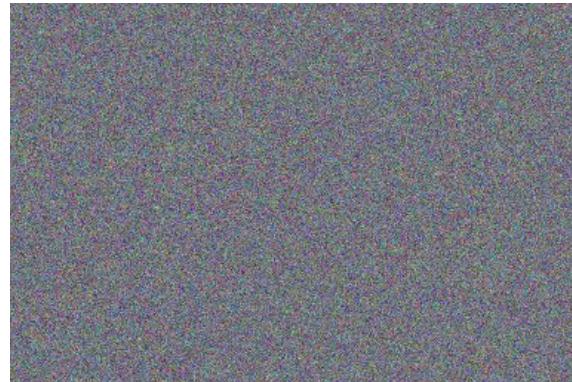
Sampling 3

Gaussian distribution

Same shape than training dataset images

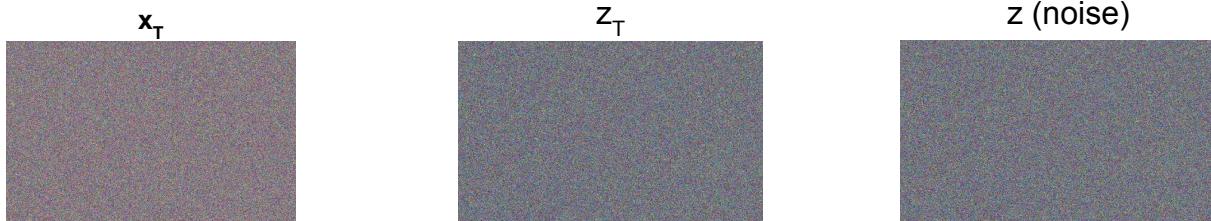


z (noise)



Sampling 3

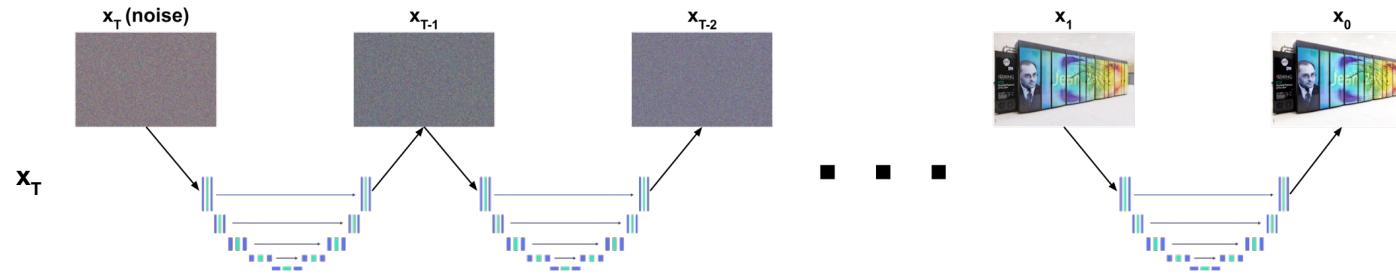
$$x_{T-1} \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha_T}} (x_T - \frac{\beta_T}{\sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_T}} z_\theta(x_T, T)) + \tilde{\beta}_T z \text{ (noise)}$$

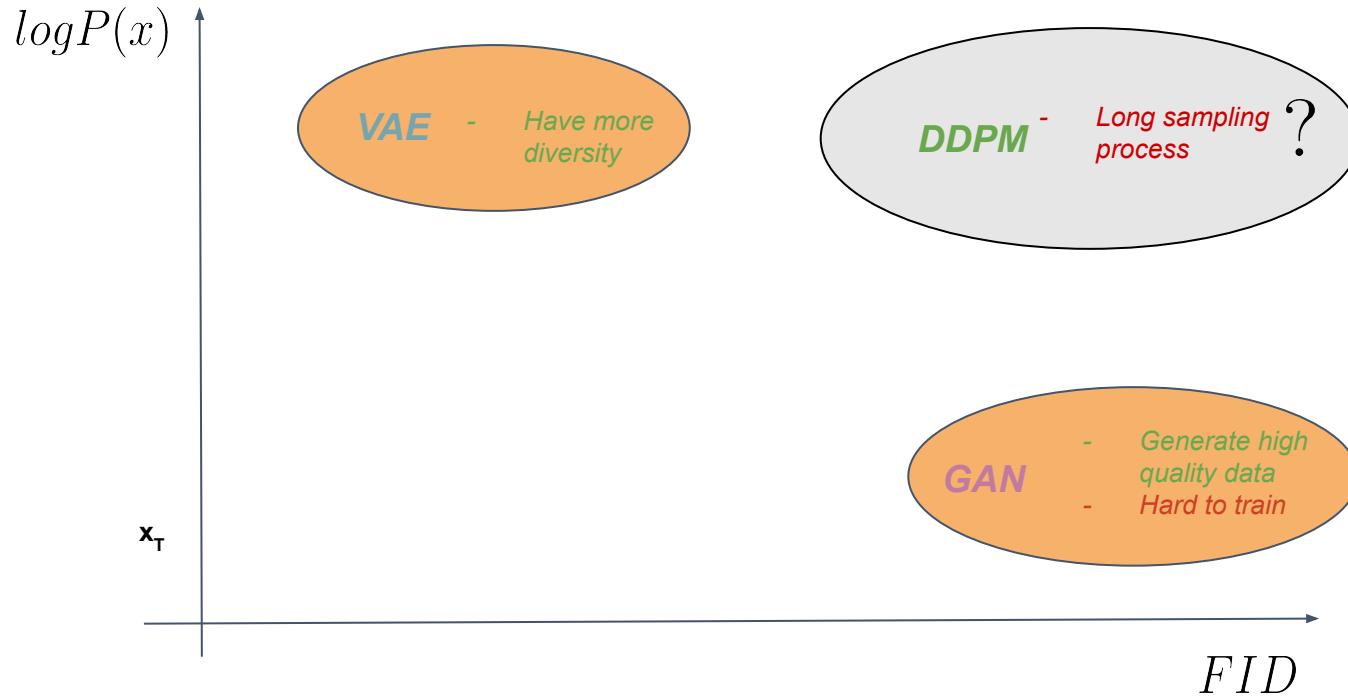


Sampling 4

and repeat !

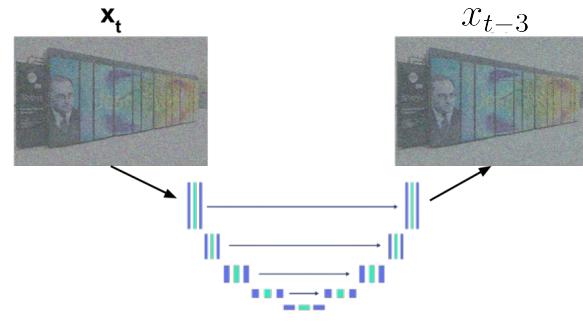
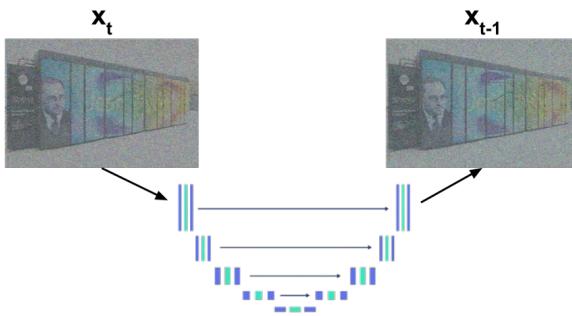
Don't generate x_T , replace it by x_{T-1} and T by T-1... and do it again T time.





Limitations :

"For example, it takes around 20 hours to sample 50k images of size 32 x 32 from a DDPM, but less than a minute to do so from a GAN on a Nvidia 2080 Ti GPU." (DDIM, 2021)



$$x_t = \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t} x_0 + \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t} z_t$$



$$x_{t-3} = \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t-3}} x_0 + \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t-3}} z$$

$$\frac{x_t - \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t} z_t}{\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}} = x_0$$

$$x_{t-3} = \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_{t-3}} * \frac{x_t - \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t} z_t}{\sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}} + \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_{t-3}} z$$

Reduce the sampling step

Generalisation to a bigger class of inverse process (non-Markovian)

$$q_\sigma(x_{t-1}|x_t, x_0) = \mathcal{N}(\sqrt{\alpha_{t-1}}x_0 + \sqrt{1 - \alpha_{t-1} - \sigma_t^2} \cdot \frac{x_t - \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}x_0}{\sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}_t}}, \sigma_t^2 I)$$

$$\sigma_t^2 = \tilde{\beta}_t \quad \Rightarrow \quad DDPM$$



Important :

Same network and training as a DDPM

$$q(x_t|x_0) = \mathcal{N}(x_t; \sqrt{\bar{\alpha}_t}x_0, (1 - \bar{\alpha}_t)I)$$

DDIM 1

$$\sigma_t^2 = \tilde{\beta}_t \quad \Rightarrow \quad DDPM$$

$$\sigma_t^2 = \eta \cdot \tilde{\beta}_t \quad \eta \in [0, 1]$$

$$\eta = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \text{DDIM}$$

S	CIFAR10 (32 × 32)					CelebA (64 × 64)				
	10	20	50	100	1000	10	20	50	100	1000
0.0	13.36	6.84	4.67	4.16	4.04	17.33	13.73	9.17	6.53	3.51
0.2	14.04	7.11	4.77	4.25	4.09	17.66	14.11	9.51	6.79	3.64
0.5	16.66	8.35	5.25	4.46	4.29	19.86	16.06	11.01	8.09	4.28
1.0	41.07	18.36	8.01	5.78	4.73	33.12	26.03	18.48	13.93	5.98
$\hat{\sigma}$	367.43	133.37	32.72	9.99	3.17	299.71	183.83	71.71	45.20	3.26

FID

DDIM 2



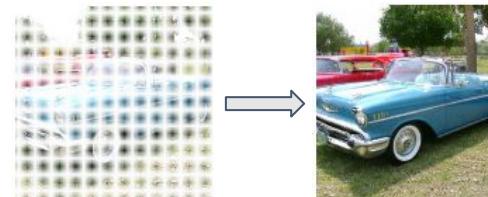
Diffusion models can solve a variety of tasks. We already know about image generation, as well as conditional image generation (for instance with a short paragraph describing the picture)

Other tasks:

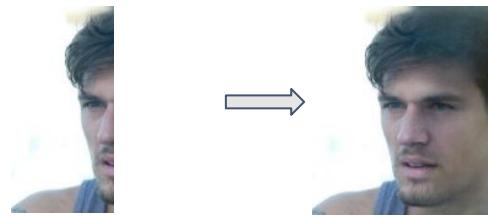
- Inpainting



- Super-resolution



- Outpainting



Other task 1

We can solve many of these tasks through the usage of a mask

→ Wide mask



→ Thin mask



→ Outer mask for expanding the image



→ Right side mask for halving the image



→ Every second pixel in both directions for super-resolution



→ Every second row of pixels for alternating lines

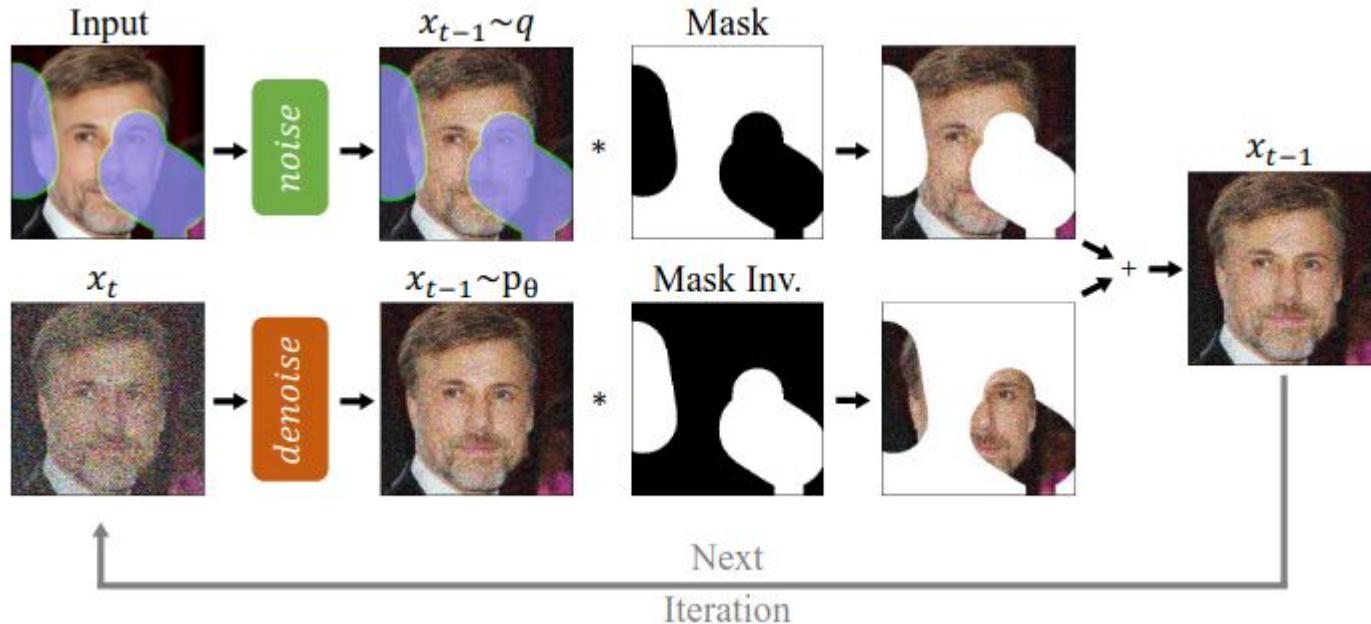


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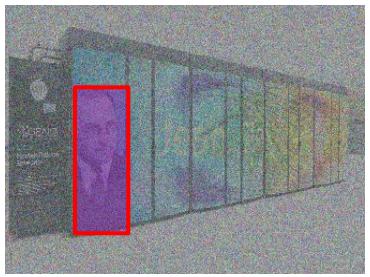
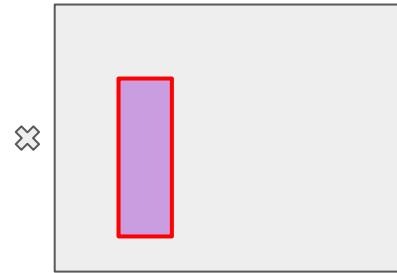
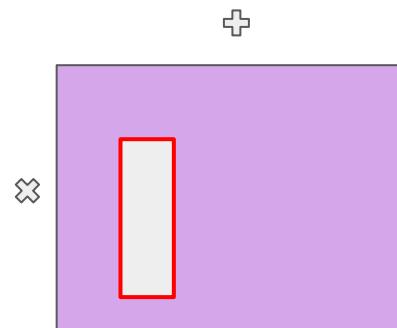
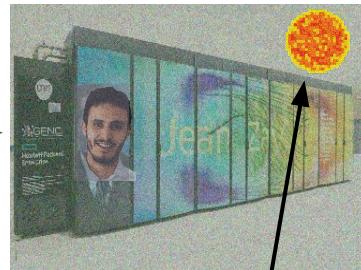
Other task 2

Step t :



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Other task 3

 x_0  x_t $+ \text{noise}$  $+ \text{diffusion}$  x_{t-1}

Other task 4

New artifacts added (in this coarse example, our diffusion model drew a sun), so we force the known background again!

Papers:

- Deep Unsupervised Learning using Nonequilibrium Thermodynamics (DPM) (<https://arxiv.org/abs/1503.03585>)
- Denoising Diffusion Probabilistic Models (DDPM) (<https://arxiv.org/abs/2006.11239>)
- Improved Denoising Diffusion Probabilistic Models (IDDPMP) (<https://arxiv.org/abs/2102.09672>)
- Denoising Diffusion Implicit Models (DDIM) (<https://arxiv.org/abs/2010.02502>)
- Diffusion Models Beat GANs on Image Synthesis (<https://arxiv.org/abs/2105.05233>)
- High-Resolution Image Synthesis with Latent Diffusion Models (LDM) (<https://arxiv.org/abs/2112.10752>)
- Repaint: Inpainting using denoising diffusion probabilistic models ([https://arxiv.org/pdf/2201.09865](https://arxiv.org/pdf/2201.09865.pdf))
- Diffusion Models in Vision: A Survey (<https://arxiv.org/abs/2209.04747>)
- Diffusion Models: A Comprehensive Survey of Methods and Applications(<https://arxiv.org/abs/2209.00796>)

Other resources:

- Lilian Weng's article (<https://lilianweng.github.io/posts/2021-07-11-diffusion-models>)
- Yang Song's article (<https://yang-song.net/blog/2021/score>)
- Outlier video (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HoKDTa5jHvg>)