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# **torchgan Documentation**

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# GETTING STARTED

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The `torchgan` package consists of various generative adversarial networks and utilities that have been found useful in training them. This package provides an easy to use API which can be used to train popular GANs as well as develop newer variants. The core idea behind this project is to facilitate easy and rapid generative adversarial model research.



Follow the following instructions to set up torchgan. Torchgan is tested and known to work on major linux distributions. If you face any problem with other operating systems feel free to file an issue.

### 1.1 Pip Installation

To install the last released version make a pip install.

```
$ pip3 install torchgan
```

For the latest version.

```
$ pip3 install git+https://github.com/torchgan/torchgan.git
```

### 1.2 Conda Installation

Installing via conda is currently unavailable. It will be available once we are at v0.1

### 1.3 Install from Source

```
$ git clone https://github.com/torchgan/torchgan
$ cd torchgan
$ python setup.py install
```





### 2.1 Mandatory Dependencies

- Numpy
- Pytorch 0.4.1
- Torchvision

### 2.2 Optional Dependencies

- TensorboardX : For Tensorboard Logging. Install using `pip install tensorboardX`.
- Visdom : For logging using Xisdom. Install using `pip install visdom`.



Nowadays there are a lot of repositories for training Generative Adversarial Networks in Pytorch, however, there are some challenges which still remain:

- Most of these are not documented
- Majority of them are not maintained
- They are built without considering the ease of usage in mind
- These are not properly tested and often are not supported by the newer releases of Pytorch
- There is no proper unified API among these repositories

The idea of this framework is to provide an elegant design to solve issues regarding training and visualizing GANs. The design principles of this framework are the following:

- A common unified API for designing GANs
- Well documented code and API
- Proper examples to facilitate ease of use
- Easy to integrate with your applications
- Provide a easy API for fast prototyping and research
- Provide advanced features without taking away the ability to customize from users
- Presence of popular loss functions, metrics and modules from cutting edge research



### 4.1 Contribution Guidelines

Contributions in all forms are always welcome. Follow the following guidelines while contributing :-

1. If contributing a new feature, first open an issue on github. Describe the feature and provide some references. Also clarify why it shall be a good feature to have in the core library and not simply as a representative example.
2. If submitting a bug fix, file the issue on github. Make sure the bug exists on the master.
3. If submitting a new model, open a PR in the model zoo repository. Follow the contribution guidelines present there.
4. Also feel free to submit documentation changes.

For you PR to be merged it must strictly adhere to the style guidelines, we use flake8 for that purpose. Also all existing tests must pass. No breaking changes will be accepted unless when we are making a change in the major version. Also be sure to add tests and documentation for any code that you submit.

### 4.2 Contributors

We are thankful to all our contributors! For a complete list of contributors, please see the official [Contributors List](#) on github.



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Starter Example

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As a starter example we will try to train a DCGAN on CIFAR-10. DCGAN is in-built into to the library, but let it not fool you into believing that we can only use this package for some fixed limited tasks. This library is fully customizable. For that have a look at the Examples.

But for now let us just use this as a small demo example

First we import the necessary files

```
import torch
import torchvision
from torch.optim import Adam
import torch.utils.data as data
import torchvision.datasets as dsets
import torchvision.transforms as transforms
import torchgan
from torchgan.models import DCGANGenerator, DCGANDiscriminator
from torchgan.losses import MinimaxGeneratorLoss, MinimaxDiscriminatorLoss,
from torchgan.trainer import Trainer
```

Now write a function which returns the data loader for CIFAR10.

```
def cifar10_dataloader():
    train_dataset = dsets.CIFAR10(root='./cifar10', train=True,
                                  transform=transforms.Compose([transforms.ToTensor(),
                                  ↪ transforms.Normalize(mean = (0.5, 0.5, 0.5), std_
                                  ↪ (0.5, 0.5, 0.5))])),
                                  download=True)
    train_loader = data.DataLoader(train_dataset, batch_size=128, shuffle=True)
    return train_loader
```

Now lets us create the Trainer object and pass the data loader to it.

```
trainer = Trainer({"generator": {"name": DCGANGenerator, "args": {"out_channels": 3,
↪ "step_channels": 16}, "optimizer": {"name": Adam, "args": {"lr": 0.0002, "betas":_
↪ (0.5, 0.999)}}},
```

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```
        "discriminator": {"name": DCGANDiscriminator, "args": {"in_channels
↪": 3, "step_channels": 16}, "optimizer": {"name": Adam, "args": {"lr": 0.0002,
↪"betas": (0.5, 0.999)}}}},
        [MinimaxGeneratorLoss(), MinimaxDiscriminatorLoss()],
        sample_size=64, epochs=20)

trainer(cifar10_dataloader())
```

Now log into tensorboard and visualize the training process.



## CHAPTER 6

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### License

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This layers subpackage is a collection of popular building blocks for GAN architectures. Currently the following blocks are supported:

- *Residual Blocks*
  - *ResidualBlock2d*
  - *ResidualBlockTranspose2d*
- *Densenet Blocks*
  - *BasicBlock2d*
  - *BottleneckBlock2d*
  - *TransitionBlock2d*
  - *TransitionBlockTranspose2d*
  - *DenseBlock2d*
- *Self Attention*
  - *SelfAttention2d*
- *Spectral Normalization*
  - *SpectralNorm2d*
- *Minibatch Discrimination*
  - *MinibatchDiscrimination1d*
- *Virtual Batch Normalization*
  - *VirtualBatchNorm*

## 7.1 Residual Blocks

### 7.1.1 ResidualBlock2d

**class** torchgan.layers.**ResidualBlock2d** (*filters, kernels, strides=None, paddings=None, non-linearity=None, batchnorm=True, shortcut=None, last\_nonlinearity=None*)

Residual Block Module as described in “Deep Residual Learning for Image Recognition by He et. al.”

The output of the residual block is computed in the following manner:

$$output = activation(layers(x) + shortcut(x))$$

where

- *x* : Input to the Module
- *layers* : The feed forward network
- *shortcut* : The function to be applied along the skip connection
- *activation* : The activation function applied at the end of the residual block

#### Parameters

- **filters** (*list*) – A list of the filter sizes. For ex, if the input has a channel dimension of 16, and you want 3 convolution layers and the final output to have a channel dimension of 16, then the list would be [16, 32, 64, 16].
- **kernels** (*list*) – A list of the kernel sizes. Each kernel size can be an integer or a tuple, similar to Pytorch convention. The length of the `kernels` list must be 1 less than the `filters` list.
- **strides** (*list, optional*) – A list of the strides for each convolution layer.
- **paddings** (*list, optional*) – A list of the padding in each convolution layer.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – The activation to be used after every convolution layer.
- **batchnorm** (*bool, optional*) – If set to `False`, batch normalization is not used after every convolution layer.
- **shortcut** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – The function to be applied on the input along the skip connection.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – The activation to be applied at the end of the residual block.

#### **forward** (*x*)

Computes the output of the residual block

**Parameters** **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 4D Torch Tensor which is the input to the Residual Block.

**Returns** 4D Torch Tensor after applying the desired functions as specified while creating the object.

## 7.1.2 ResidualBlockTranspose2d

```
class torchgan.layers.ResidualBlockTranspose2d (filters, kernels, strides=None,
                                              paddings=None, nonlinearity=None,
                                              batchnorm=True, shortcut=None,
                                              last_nonlinearity=None)
```

A customized version of Residual Block having Conv Transpose layers instead of Conv layers.

The output of this block is computed in the following manner:

$$\text{output} = \text{activation}(\text{layers}(x) + \text{shortcut}(x))$$

where

- *x* : Input to the Module
- *layers* : The feed forward network
- *shortcut* : The function to be applied along the skip connection
- *activation* : The activation function applied at the end of the residual block

### Parameters

- **filters** (*list*) – A list of the filter sizes. For ex, if the input has a channel dimension of 16, and you want 3 transposed convolution layers and the final output to have a channel dimension of 16, then the list would be [16, 32, 64, 16].
- **kernels** (*list*) – A list of the kernel sizes. Each kernel size can be an integer or a tuple, similar to Pytorch convention. The length of the kernels list must be 1 less than the filters list.
- **strides** (*list*, *optional*) – A list of the strides for each convolution layer.
- **padding**s (*list*, *optional*) – A list of the padding in each convolution layer.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – The activation to be used after every convolution layer.
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If set to `False`, batch normalization is not used after every convolution layer.
- **shortcut** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – The function to be applied on the input along the skip connection.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – The activation to be applied at the end of the residual block.

### forward(*x*)

Computes the output of the residual block

**Parameters** **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 4D Torch Tensor which is the input to the Transposed Residual Block.

**Returns** 4D Torch Tensor after applying the desired functions as specified while creating the object.

## 7.2 Densenet Blocks

### 7.2.1 BasicBlock2d

**class** torchgan.layers.**BasicBlock2d**(*in\_channels*, *out\_channels*, *kernel*, *stride=1*, *padding=0*, *batchnorm=True*, *nonlinearity=None*)

Basic Block Module as described in “Densely Connected Convolutional Networks by Huang et. al.”

The output is computed by concatenating the input tensor to the output tensor (of the internal model) along the channel dimension.

The internal model is simply a sequence of a Conv2d layer and a BatchNorm2d layer, if activated.

#### Parameters

- **in\_channels** (*int*) – The channel dimension of the input tensor.
- **out\_channels** (*int*) – The channel dimension of the output tensor.
- **kernel** (*int*, *tuple*) – Size of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **stride** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Stride of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **padding** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Padding to be applied on the input tensor.
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If True, batch normalization shall be performed.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Activation to be applied. Defaults to `torch.nn.LeakyReLU`.

#### **forward** (*x*)

Computes the output of the basic dense block

**Parameters** **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – The input tensor having channel dimension same as `in_channels`.

**Returns** 4D Tensor by concatenating the input to the output of the internal model.

### 7.2.2 BottleneckBlock2d

**class** torchgan.layers.**BottleneckBlock2d**(*in\_channels*, *out\_channels*, *kernel*, *stride=1*, *padding=0*, *bottleneck\_channels=None*, *batchnorm=True*, *nonlinearity=None*)

Bottleneck Block Module as described in “Densely Connected Convolutional Networks by Huang et. al.”

The output is computed by concatenating the input tensor to the output tensor (of the internal model) along the channel dimension.

The internal model is simply a sequence of 2 Conv2d layers and 2 BatchNorm2d layers, if activated. This Module is much more computationally efficient than the `BasicBlock2d`, and hence is more recommended.

#### Parameters

- **in\_channels** (*int*) – The channel dimension of the input tensor.
- **out\_channels** (*int*) – The channel dimension of the output tensor.
- **kernel** (*int*, *tuple*) – Size of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **stride** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Stride of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **padding** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Padding to be applied on the input tensor.

- **bottleneck\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – The channels in the intermediate convolutional layer. A higher value will make learning of more complex functions possible. Defaults to  $4 * \text{in\_channels}$ .
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If `True`, batch normalization shall be performed.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Activation to be applied. Defaults to `torch.nn.LeakyReLU`.

**forward** (*x*)

Computes the output of the bottleneck dense block

**Parameters** **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – The input tensor having channel dimension same as `in_channels`.

**Returns** 4D Tensor by concatenating the input to the output of the internal model.

### 7.2.3 TransitionBlock2d

**class** `torchgan.layers.TransitionBlock2d` (*in\_channels*, *out\_channels*, *kernel*, *stride=1*, *padding=0*, *batchnorm=True*, *nonlinearity=None*)

Transition Block Module as described in “Densely Connected Convolutional Networks by Huang et. al.”

This is a simple `Sequential` model of a `Conv2d` layer and a `BatchNorm2d` layer, if activated.

**Parameters**

- **in\_channels** (*int*) – The channel dimension of the input tensor.
- **out\_channels** (*int*) – The channel dimension of the output tensor.
- **kernel** (*int*, *tuple*) – Size of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **stride** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Stride of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **padding** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Padding to be applied on the input tensor.
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If `True`, batch normalization shall be performed.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Activation to be applied. Defaults to `torch.nn.LeakyReLU`.

**forward** (*x*)

Computes the output of the transition block

**Parameters** **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – The input tensor having channel dimension same as `in_channels`.

**Returns** 4D Tensor by applying the model on `x`.

### 7.2.4 TransitionBlockTranspose2d

**class** `torchgan.layers.TransitionBlockTranspose2d` (*in\_channels*, *out\_channels*, *kernel*, *stride=1*, *padding=0*, *batchnorm=True*, *nonlinearity=None*)

Transition Block Transpose Module is constructed by simply reversing the effect of Transition Block Module. We replace the `Conv2d` layers by `ConvTranspose2d` layers.

**Parameters**

- **in\_channels** (*int*) – The channel dimension of the input tensor.
- **out\_channels** (*int*) – The channel dimension of the output tensor.

- **kernel** (*int*, *tuple*) – Size of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **stride** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Stride of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **padding** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Padding to be applied on the input tensor.
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If `True`, batch normalization shall be performed.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Activation to be applied. Defaults to `torch.nn.LeakyReLU`.

**forward** (*x*)

Computes the output of the transition block transpose

**Parameters** **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – The input tensor having channel dimension same as `in_channels`.

**Returns** 4D Tensor by applying the model on `x`.

## 7.2.5 DenseBlock2d

**class** `torchgan.layers.DenseBlock2d` (*depth*, *in\_channels*, *growth\_rate*, *block*, *kernel*, *stride=1*, *padding=0*, *batchnorm=True*, *nonlinearity=None*)  
Dense Block Module as described in “Densely Connected Convolutional Networks by Huang et. al.”

**Parameters**

- **depth** (*int*) – The total number of blocks that will be present.
- **in\_channels** (*int*) – The channel dimension of the input tensor.
- **growth\_rate** (*int*) – The rate at which the channel dimension increases. The output of the module has a channel dimension of size `in_channels + depth * growth_rate`.
- **block** (*torch.nn.Module*) – Should be once of the Densenet Blocks. Forms the building block for the Dense Block.
- **kernel** (*int*, *tuple*) – Size of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **stride** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Stride of the Convolutional Kernel.
- **padding** (*int*, *tuple*, *optional*) – Padding to be applied on the input tensor.
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If `True`, batch normalization shall be performed.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Activation to be applied. Defaults to `torch.nn.LeakyReLU`.

**forward** (*x*)

Computes the output of the transition block transpose

**Parameters** **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – The input tensor having channel dimension same as `in_channels`.

**Returns** 4D Tensor by applying the model on `x`.



## 7.3 Self Attention

### 7.3.1 SelfAttention2d

**class** torchgan.layers.**SelfAttention2d**(*input\_dims*, *output\_dims=None*, *return\_attn=False*)  
 Self Attention Module as proposed in the paper “Self-Attention Generative Adversarial Networks by Han Zhang et. al.”

$$attention = softmax((query(x))^T * key(x))$$

$$output = \gamma * value(x) * attention + x$$

where

- *query* : 2D Convolution Operation
- *key* : 2D Convolution Operation
- *value* : 2D Convolution Operation
- *x* : Input

#### Parameters

- **input\_dims** (*int*) – The input channel dimension in the input *x*.
- **output\_dims** (*int*, *optional*) – The output channel dimension. If *None* the output channel value is computed as `input_dims // 8`. So if the `input_dims` is **less than 8** then the layer will give an error.
- **return\_attn** (*bool*, *optional*) – Set it to `True` if you want the attention values to be returned.

#### forward(*x*)

Computes the output of the Self Attention Layer

**Parameters** *x* (*torch.Tensor*) – A 4D Tensor with the channel dimension same as `input_dims`.

**Returns** A tuple of the `output` and the `attention` if `return_attn` is set to `True` else just the `output` tensor.

## 7.4 Spectral Normalization

### 7.4.1 SpectralNorm2d

**class** torchgan.layers.**SpectralNorm2d**(*module*, *name='weight'*, *power\_iterations=1*)  
 2D Spectral Norm Module as described in “Spectral Normalization for Generative Adversarial Networks by Miyato et. al.” The spectral norm is computed using `power_iterations`.

Computation Steps:

$$v_{t+1} = \frac{W^T W v_t}{\|W^T W v_t\|} = \frac{(W^T W)^t v}{\|(W^T W)^t v\|}$$

$$u_{t+1} = W v_t$$

$$v_{t+1} = W^T u_{t+1}$$

$$\text{Norm}(W) = \|Wv\| = u^T Wv$$

$$\text{Output} = \frac{W}{\text{Norm}(W)} = \frac{W}{u^T Wv}$$

**Parameters**

- **module** (*torch.nn.Module*) – The Module on which the Spectral Normalization needs to be applied.
- **name** (*str, optional*) – The attribute of the module on which normalization needs to be performed.
- **power\_iterations** (*int, optional*) – Total number of iterations for the norm to converge. 1 is usually enough given the weights vary quite gradually.

**Example**

```
>>> layer = SpectralNorm2d(Conv2d(3, 16, 1))
>>> x = torch.rand(1, 3, 10, 10)
>>> layer(x)
```

**forward** (\*args)

Computes the output of the module and applies spectral normalization to the name attribute of the module.

**Returns** The output of the module.

## 7.5 Minibatch Discrimination

### 7.5.1 MinibatchDiscrimination1d

**class** torchgan.layers.MinibatchDiscrimination1d(*in\_features, out\_features, intermediate\_features=16*)

1D Minibatch Discrimination Module as proposed in the paper “Improved Techniques for Training GANs by Salimans et. al.”

Allows the Discriminator to easily detect mode collapse by augmenting the activations to the succeeding layer with side information that allows it to determine the ‘closeness’ of the minibatch examples with each other

$$M_i = T * f(x_i)$$

$$c_b(x_i, x_j) = \exp(-\|M_{i,b} - M_{j,b}\|_1) \in \mathbb{R}.$$

$$o(x_i)_b = \sum_{j=1}^n c_b(x_i, x_j) \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$o(x_i) = [o(x_i)_1, o(x_i)_2, \dots, o(x_i)_B] \in \mathbb{R}^B$$

$$o(X) \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times B}$$

This is followed by concatenating  $o(x_i)$  and  $f(x_i)$

where

- $f(x_i) \in \mathbb{R}^A$  : Activations from an intermediate layer
- $f(x_i) \in \mathbb{R}^A$  : Parameter Tensor for generating minibatch discrimination matrix

#### Parameters

- **in\_features** (*int*) – Features input corresponding to dimension  $A$
- **out\_features** (*int*) – Number of output features that are to be concatenated corresponding to dimension  $B$
- **intermediate\_features** (*int*) – Intermediate number of features corresponding to dimension  $C$

**Returns** A Tensor of size  $(N, in\_features + out\_features)$  where  $N$  is the batch size

#### **forward** ( $x$ )

Computes the output of the Minibatch Discrimination Layer

**Parameters**  $\mathbf{x}$  (*torch.Tensor*) – A Torch Tensor of dimensions :math: (N, in\\_features)

**Returns** :math: (N, in\\_features + out\\_features) after applying Minibatch Discrimination

**Return type** 3D Torch Tensor of size

## 7.6 Virtual Batch Normalization

### 7.6.1 VirtualBatchNorm

**class** torchgan.layers.VirtualBatchNorm (*in\_features, eps=1e-05*)

Virtual Batch Normalization Module as proposed in the paper “Improved Techniques for Training GANs by Salimans et. al.”

Performs Normalizes the features of a batch based on the statistics collected on a reference batch of samples that are chosen once and fixed from the start, as opposed to regular batch normalization that uses the statistics of the batch being normalized

Virtual Batch Normalization requires that the size of the batch being normalized is at least a multiple of (and ideally equal to) the size of the reference batch. Keep this in mind while choosing the batch size in `torch.utils.data.DataLoader`` or use `drop_last=True``

$$y = \frac{x - E[x_{ref}]}{\sqrt{\text{Var}[x_{ref}] + \epsilon}} * \gamma + \beta$$

where

- $x$  : Batch Being Normalized
- $x_{ref}$  : Reference Batch

#### Parameters

- **in\_features** (*int*) – Size of the input dimension to be normalized
- **eps** (*float, optional*) – Value to be added to variance for numerical stability while normalizing

#### **forward** ( $x$ )

Computes the output of the Virtual Batch Normalization

**Parameters**  $\mathbf{x}$  (*torch.Tensor*) – A Torch Tensor of dimension at least 2 which is to be Normalized

**Returns** Torch Tensor of the same dimension after normalizing with respect to the statistics of the reference batch

This subpackage provides strong visualization capabilities using a variety of Backends. It is strongly integrated with the Trainer. The `Logger` supports a variety of configurations and customizations.

- *Backends*
- *Logger*
- *Visualization*
  - *Visualize*
  - *LossVisualize*
  - *GradientVisualize*
  - *MetricVisualize*
  - *ImageVisualize*

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**Note:** The `Logger` API is currently deeply integrated with the `Trainer` and hence might not be a very pleasant thing to use externally. However, work is being done to make them as much independent as possible and support extensibility of the `Logger`. Hence, this is expected to improve in the future.

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## 8.1 Backends

Currently available backends are:

1. **TensorboardX:** To enable this set the `TENSORBOARD_LOGGING` to 1. If the package is pre-installed on your system, this variable is enabled by default.

If you want to disable this then `os.environ["TENSORBOARD_LOGGING"] = "0"`. Make sure to do it before loading `torchgan`.

Once the logging begins, you need to start a tensorboard server using this code `tensorboard --logdir runs`.

2. **Visdom:** To enable this set the `VISDOM_LOGGING` to 1. If the package is pre-installed on your system, this variable is enabled by default.

If you want to disable this then `os.environ["VISDOM_LOGGING"] = "0"`. We recommend using visdom if you need to save your plots. In general tensorboard support is better in terms of the image display.

**Warning:** If this package is present and `VISDOM_LOGGING` is set to 1, then a server must be started using the command `python -m visdom.server` before the Training is started. Otherwise the code will simply crash.

3. **Console:** The details of training are printed on the console. This is enabled by default but can be turned off by `os.environ["CONSOLE_LOGGING"] = "0"`.

Add more backends for visualization is a work-in-progress.

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**Note:** It is the responsibility of the user to install the necessary packages needed for visualization. If the necessary packages are missing the logging will not occur or if the user tries to force it the program will terminate with an error message.

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**Note:** It is recommended to use only **1 logging service** (apart from the **Console**). Using multiple Logging services might affect the training time. It is recommended to use **Visdom** only if the plots are to be downloaded easily.

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## 8.2 Logger

```
class torchgan.logging.Logger(trainer, losses_list, metrics_list=None, visdom_port=8097,
                             log_dir=None, writer=None, nrow=8, test_noise=None)
```

Base Logger class. It controls the executions of all the Visualizers and is deeply integrated with the functioning of the Trainer.

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**Note:** The `Logger` has been designed to be controlled internally by the `Trainer`. It is recommended that the user does not attempt to use it externally in any form.

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**Warning:** This `Logger` is meant to work on the standard Visualizers available. Work is being done to support custom Visualizers in a clean way. But currently it is not possible to do so.

### Parameters

- **trainer** (`torchgan.trainer.Trainer`) – The base trainer used for training.
- **losses\_list** (`list`) – A list of the Loss Functions that need to be minimized. For a list of pre-defined losses look at `torchgan.losses`. All losses in the list must be a subclass of atleast `GeneratorLoss` or `DiscriminatorLoss`.

- **metrics\_list** (*list, optional*) – List of Metric Functions that need to be logged. For a list of pre-defined metrics look at `torchgan.metrics`. All losses in the list must be a subclass of `EvaluationMetric`.
- **visdom\_port** (*int, optional*) – Port to log using `visdom`. A default server is started at port 8097. So manually a new server has to be started if the port is changed. This is ignored if `VISDOM_LOGGING` is 0.
- **log\_dir** (*str, optional*) – Directory where TensorboardX should store the logs. This is ignored if `TENSORBOARD_LOGGING` is 0.
- **writer** (*tensorboardX.SummaryWriter, optional*) – Send a `SummaryWriter` if you don't want to start a new `SummaryWriter`.
- **test\_noise** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – If provided then it will be used as the noise for image sampling.
- **nrow** (*int, optional*) – Number of rows in which the image is to be stored.

**close** ()

Turns off the tensorboard `SummaryWriter` if it were created.

**get\_grad\_viz** ()

Get the `GradientVisualize` object.

**get\_loss\_viz** ()

Get the `LossVisualize` object.

**get\_metric\_viz** ()

Get the `MetricVisualize` object.

**register** (*visualize, \*args, mid\_epoch=True, \*\*kwargs*)

Register a new `Visualize` object with the `Logger`.

#### Parameters

- **visualize** (`torchgan.logging.Visualize`) – Class name of the visualizer.
- **mid\_epoch** (*bool, optional*) – Set it to `False` if it is to be executed once the epoch is over. Otherwise it is executed after every call to the `train_iter`.

**run\_end\_epoch** (*trainer, epoch, time\_duration, \*args*)

Runs the `Visualizers` at the end of one epoch.

#### Parameters

- **trainer** (`torchgan.trainer.Trainer`) – The base trainer used for training.
- **epoch** (*int*) – The epoch number which was completed.

**run\_mid\_epoch** (*trainer, \*args*)

Runs the `Visualizers` after every call to the `train_iter`.

**Parameters** **trainer** (`torchgan.trainer.Trainer`) – The base trainer used for training.

## 8.3 Visualization

### 8.3.1 Visualize

```
class torchgan.logging.Visualize (visualize_list, visdom_port=8097, log_dir=None,  
                                writer=None)
```

Base class for all Visualizations.

#### Parameters

- **visualize\_list** (*list*, *optional*) – List of the functions needed for visualization.
- **visdom\_port** (*int*, *optional*) – Port to log using visdom. The visdom server needs to be manually started at this port else an error will be thrown and the code will crash. This is ignored if VISDOM\_LOGGING is 0.
- **log\_dir** (*str*, *optional*) – Directory where TensorboardX should store the logs. This is ignored if TENSORBOARD\_LOGGING is 0.
- **writer** (*tensorboardX.SummaryWriter*, *optional*) – Send a *SummaryWriter* if you don't want to start a new *SummaryWriter*.

```
log_console ()
```

Console logging function. Needs to be defined in the subclass

Raises **NotImplementedError** –

```
log_tensorboard ()
```

Tensorboard logging function. Needs to be defined in the subclass

Raises **NotImplementedError** –

```
log_visdom ()
```

Visdom logging function. Needs to be defined in the subclass

Raises **NotImplementedError** –

```
step_update ()
```

Helper function which updates the step at the end of one print iteration.

### 8.3.2 LossVisualize

```
class torchgan.logging.LossVisualize (visualize_list, visdom_port=8097, log_dir=None,  
                                       writer=None)
```

This class provides the Visualizations for Generator and Discriminator Losses.

#### Parameters

- **visualize\_list** (*list*, *optional*) – List of the functions needed for visualization.
- **visdom\_port** (*int*, *optional*) – Port to log using visdom. The visdom server needs to be manually started at this port else an error will be thrown and the code will crash. This is ignored if VISDOM\_LOGGING is 0.
- **log\_dir** (*str*, *optional*) – Directory where TensorboardX should store the logs. This is ignored if TENSORBOARD\_LOGGING is 0.
- **writer** (*tensorboardX.SummaryWriter*, *optional*) – Send a *SummaryWriter* if you don't want to start a new *SummaryWriter*.

```
log_console (running_losses)
```

Console logging function. This function logs the mean generator and discriminator losses.



**Parameters `running_losses`** (*dict*) – A dict with 2 items namely, Running Discriminator Loss, and Running Generator Loss.

**`log_tensorboard`** (*running\_losses*)

Tensorboard logging function. This function logs the following:

- Running Discriminator Loss
- Running Generator Loss
- Running Losses
- Loss Values of the individual Losses.

**Parameters `running_losses`** (*dict*) – A dict with 2 items namely, Running Discriminator Loss, and Running Generator Loss.

**`log_visdom`** (*running\_losses*)

Visdom logging function. This function logs the following:

- Running Discriminator Loss
- Running Generator Loss
- Running Losses
- Loss Values of the individual Losses.

**Parameters `running_losses`** (*dict*) – A dict with 2 items namely, Running Discriminator Loss, and Running Generator Loss.

### 8.3.3 GradientVisualize

**class** torchgan.logging.**GradientVisualize** (*visualize\_list, visdom\_port=8097, log\_dir=None, writer=None*)

This class provides the Visualizations for the Gradients.

#### Parameters

- **`visualize_list`** (*list, optional*) – List of the functions needed for visualization.
- **`visdom_port`** (*int, optional*) – Port to log using visdom. The visdom server needs to be manually started at this port else an error will be thrown and the code will crash. This is ignored if `VISDOM_LOGGING` is 0.
- **`log_dir`** (*str, optional*) – Directory where TensorboardX should store the logs. This is ignored if `TENSORBOARD_LOGGING` is 0.
- **`writer`** (*tensorboardX.SummaryWriter, optional*) – Send a *SummaryWriter* if you don't want to start a new *SummaryWriter*.

**`log_console`** (*name*)

Console logging function. This function logs the mean gradients.

**Parameters `name`** (*str*) – Name of the model whose gradients are to be logged.

**`log_tensorboard`** (*name*)

Tensorboard logging function. This function logs the values of the individual gradients.

**Parameters `name`** (*str*) – Name of the model whose gradients are to be logged.

**`log_visdom`** (*name*)

Visdom logging function. This function logs the values of the individual gradients.

**Parameters** `name` (*str*) – Name of the model whose gradients are to be logged.

`report_end_epoch()`

Prints to the console at the end of the epoch.

`update_grads` (*name, model, eps=1e-05*)

Updates the gradient logs.

#### Parameters

- `name` (*str*) – Name of the model.
- `model` (*torch.nn.Module*) – Either a `torchgan.models.Generator` or a `torchgan.models.Discriminator` or their subclass.
- `eps` (*float, optional*) – Tolerance value.

### 8.3.4 MetricVisualize

**class** `torchgan.logging.MetricVisualize` (*visualize\_list, visdom\_port=8097, log\_dir=None, writer=None*)

This class provides the Visualizations for Metrics.

#### Parameters

- `visualize_list` (*list, optional*) – List of the functions needed for visualization.
- `visdom_port` (*int, optional*) – Port to log using `visdom`. The `visdom` server needs to be manually started at this port else an error will be thrown and the code will crash. This is ignored if `VISDOM_LOGGING` is 0.
- `log_dir` (*str, optional*) – Directory where TensorboardX should store the logs. This is ignored if `TENSORBOARD_LOGGING` is 0.
- `writer` (*tensorboardX.SummaryWriter, optional*) – Send a `SummaryWriter` if you don't want to start a new `SummaryWriter`.

`log_console()`

Console logging function. This function logs the mean metrics.

`log_tensorboard()`

Tensorboard logging function. This function logs the values of the individual metrics.

`log_visdom()`

Visdom logging function. This function logs the values of the individual metrics.

### 8.3.5 ImageVisualize

**class** `torchgan.logging.ImageVisualize` (*trainer, visdom\_port=8097, log\_dir=None, writer=None, test\_noise=None, nrow=8*)

This class provides the Logging for the Images.

#### Parameters

- `trainer` (*torchgan.trainer.Trainer*) – The base trainer used for training.
- `visdom_port` (*int, optional*) – Port to log using `visdom`. The `visdom` server needs to be manually started at this port else an error will be thrown and the code will crash. This is ignored if `VISDOM_LOGGING` is 0.
- `log_dir` (*str, optional*) – Directory where TensorboardX should store the logs. This is ignored if `TENSORBOARD_LOGGING` is 0.

- **writer** (*tensorboardX.SummaryWriter, optional*) – Send a *SummaryWriter* if you don't want to start a new *SummaryWriter*.
- **test\_noise** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – If provided then it will be used as the noise for image sampling.
- **nrow** (*int, optional*) – Number of rows in which the image is to be stored.

**log\_console** (*trainer, image, model*)

Saves a generated image at the end of an epoch. The path where the image is being stored is controlled by the *trainer*.

#### Parameters

- **trainer** (*torchgan.trainer.Trainer*) – The base trainer used for training.
- **image** (*Image*) – The generated image.
- **model** (*str*) – The name of the model which generated the image.

**log\_tensorboard** (*trainer, image, model*)

Logs a generated image in tensorboard at the end of an epoch.

#### Parameters

- **trainer** (*torchgan.trainer.Trainer*) – The base trainer used for training.
- **image** (*Image*) – The generated image.
- **model** (*str*) – The name of the model which generated the image.

**log\_visdom** (*trainer, image, model*)

Logs a generated image in visdom at the end of an epoch.

#### Parameters

- **trainer** (*torchgan.trainer.Trainer*) – The base trainer used for training.
- **image** (*Image*) – The generated image.
- **model** (*str*) – The name of the model which generated the image.



This losses subpackage is a collection of popular loss functions used in the training of GANs. Currently the following losses are supported:

- *Loss*
  - *GeneratorLoss*
  - *DiscriminatorLoss*
- *Least Squares Loss*
  - *LeastSquaresGeneratorLoss*
  - *LeastSquaresDiscriminatorLoss*
- *Minimax Loss*
  - *MinimaxGeneratorLoss*
  - *MinimaxDiscriminatorLoss*
- *Boundary Equilibrium Loss*
  - *BoundaryEquilibriumGeneratorLoss*
  - *BoundaryEquilibriumDiscriminatorLoss*
- *Energy Based Loss*
  - *EnergyBasedGeneratorLoss*
  - *EnergyBasedDiscriminatorLoss*
  - *EnergyBasedPullingAwayTerm*
- *Wasserstein Loss*
  - *WassersteinGeneratorLoss*

- *WassersteinDiscriminatorLoss*
- *WassersteinGradientPenalty*
- *Mutual Information Penalty*
- *Dragan Loss*
  - *DraganGradientPenalty*
- *Auxillary Classifier Loss*
  - *AuxiliaryClassifierGeneratorLoss*
  - *AuxiliaryClassifierDiscriminatorLoss*
- *Feature Matching Loss*
  - *FeatureMatchingGeneratorLoss*
- *Historical Averaging*
  - *HistoricalAverageGeneratorLoss*
  - *HistoricalAverageDiscriminatorLoss*

These losses are tested with the current available trainers. So if you need to implement you custom loss for using with the `trainer` it is recommended that you subclass the *GeneratorLoss* and *DiscriminatorLoss*.

**Warning:** The `override_train_ops` gets only the arguments that were received by the default `train_ops`. Hence it might not be a wise to use this very often. If this is used make sure to take into account the arguments and their order. A better alternative is to subclass the Loss and define a custom `train_ops`.

**Warning:** `train_ops` are designed to be used internally through the `Trainer`. Hence it is highly recommended that this function is not directly used by external sources, i.e. no call to this function is made outside the `Trainer`.

## 9.1 Loss

### 9.1.1 GeneratorLoss

**class** `torchgan.losses.GeneratorLoss` (*reduction='mean', override\_train\_ops=None*)  
Base class for all generator losses.

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**Note:** All Losses meant to be minimized for optimizing the Generator must subclass this.

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#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If none no reduction will be applied. If mean the outputs are averaged over batch size. If sum the elements of the output are summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`

**set\_arg\_map** (*value*)

Updates the `arg_map` for passing a different value to the `train_ops`.

**Parameters** **value** (*dict*) – A mapping of the argument name in the method signature and the variable name in the Trainer it corresponds to.

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**Note:** If the `train_ops` signature is `train_ops(self, gen, disc, optimizer_generator, device, batch_size, labels=None)` then we need to map `gen` to `generator` and `disc` to `discriminator`. In this case we make the following function call `loss.set_arg_map({"gen": "generator", "disc": "discriminator"})`.

---

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_generator, device, batch\_size, labels=None*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by most losses. Losses which have a different training procedure can either subclass it (**recommended approach**) or make use of `override_train_ops` argument.

The standard optimization algorithm for the generator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1. `fake = generator(noise)`
2. `value = discriminator(fake)`
3. `loss = loss_function(value)`
4. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
5. Run a step of the optimizer for generator

#### Parameters

- **generator** (`torchgan.models.Generator`) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (`torchgan.models.Discriminator`) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_generator** (`torch.optim.Optimizer`) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the generator.
- **device** (`torch.device`) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (`int`) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the `DataLoader` by the Trainer.
- **labels** (`torch.Tensor`, *optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

## 9.1.2 DiscriminatorLoss

**class** `torchgan.losses.DiscriminatorLoss` (*reduction='mean', override\_train\_ops=None*)

Base class for all discriminator losses.

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**Note:** All Losses meant to be minimized for optimizing the Discriminator must subclass this.

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#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If none no reduction will be applied. If mean the outputs are averaged over batch size. If sum the elements of the output are summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`

**set\_arg\_map** (*value*)

Updates the `arg_map` for passing a different value to the `train_ops`.

**Parameters value** (*dict*) – A mapping of the argument name in the method signature and the variable name in the Trainer it corresponds to.

---

**Note:** If the `train_ops` signature is `train_ops(self, gen, disc, optimizer_discriminator, device, batch_size, labels=None)` then we need to map `gen` to `generator` and `disc` to `discriminator`. In this case we make the following function call `loss.set_arg_map({"gen": "generator", "disc": "discriminator"})`.

---

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_discriminator, real\_inputs, device, labels=None*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by most losses. Losses which have a different training procedure can either subclass it (**recommended approach**) or make use of `override_train_ops` argument.

The standard optimization algorithm for the discriminator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1. `fake = generator(noise)`
2. `value1 = discriminator(fake)`
3. `value2 = discriminator(real)`
4. `loss = loss_function(value1, value2)`
5. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
6. Run a step of the optimizer for discriminator

#### Parameters

- **generator** (`torchgan.models.Generator`) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (`torchgan.models.Discriminator`) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_discriminator** (`torch.optim.Optimizer`) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the discriminator.
- **real\_inputs** (`torch.Tensor`) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (`torch.device`) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (`int`) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the `DataLoader` by the Trainer.
- **labels** (`torch.Tensor, optional`) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.



## 9.2 Least Squares Loss

### 9.2.1 LeastSquaresGeneratorLoss

**class** torchgan.losses.**LeastSquaresGeneratorLoss** (*reduction='mean', c=1.0, override\_train\_ops=None*)

Least Squares GAN generator loss from “Least Squares Generative Adversarial Networks by Mao et. al.” paper

The loss can be described as

$$L(G) = \frac{(D(G(z)) - c)^2}{2}$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $D$  : Discriminator
- $c$  : target generator label
- $z$  : A sample from the noise prior

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the outputs are averaged over batch size. If `sum` the elements of the output are summed.
- **c** (*float, optional*) – Target generator label.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`

#### forward (dgz)

Computes the loss for the given input.

**Parameters** **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

### 9.2.2 LeastSquaresDiscriminatorLoss

**class** torchgan.losses.**LeastSquaresDiscriminatorLoss** (*reduction='mean', a=0.0, b=1.0, override\_train\_ops=None*)

Least Squares GAN discriminator loss from “Least Squares Generative Adversarial Networks by Mao et. al.” paper.

The loss can be described as:

$$L(D) = \frac{(D(x) - b)^2 + (D(G(z)) - a)^2}{2}$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $D$  : Discriminator
- $a$  : Target discriminator label for generated image

- *b* : Target discriminator label for real image

**Parameters**

- **reduction** (*str*, *optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the outputs are averaged over batch size. If `sum` the elements of the output are summed.
- **a** (*float*, *optional*) – Target discriminator label for generated image.
- **b** (*float*, *optional*) – Target discriminator label for real image.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function*, *optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`

**forward** (*dx*, *dgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

**Parameters**

- **dx** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with real data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.
- **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

## 9.3 Minimax Loss

### 9.3.1 MinimaxGeneratorLoss

**class** torchgan.losses.**MinimaxGeneratorLoss** (*reduction='mean'*, *nonsaturating=True*, *override\_train\_ops=None*)

Minimax game generator loss from the original GAN paper “Generative Adversarial Networks by Goodfellow et. al.”

The loss can be described as:

$$L(G) = \log(1 - D(G(z)))$$

The nonsaturating heuristic is also supported:

$$L(G) = -\log(D(G(z)))$$

where

- *G* : Generator
- *D* : Discriminator
- *z* : A sample from the noise prior

**Parameters**

- **reduction** (*str*, *optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the outputs are averaged over batch size. If `sum` the elements of the output are summed.

- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`
- **nonsaturating** (*bool, optional*) – Specifies whether to use the nonsaturating heuristic loss for the generator.

**forward** (*dgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

**Parameters** **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

### 9.3.2 MinimaxDiscriminatorLoss

```
class torchgan.losses.MinimaxDiscriminatorLoss (label_smoothing=0.0,           re-
                                             duction='mean',                 over-
                                             ride_train_ops=None)
```

Minimax game discriminator loss from the original GAN paper “Generative Adversarial Networks by Goodfellow et. al.”

The loss can be described as:

$$L(D) = -[\log(D(x)) + \log(1 - D(G(z)))]$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $D$  : Discriminator
- $x$  : A sample from the data distribution
- $z$  : A sample from the noise prior

#### Parameters

- **label\_smoothing** (*float, optional*) – The factor by which the labels (1 in this case) needs to be smoothed. For example, `label_smoothing = 0.2` changes the value of the real labels to 0.8.
- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the mean of the output. If `sum` the elements of the output will be summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – A function is passed to this argument, if the default `train_ops` is not to be used.

**forward** (*dx, dgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

#### Parameters

- **dx** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with real data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.
- **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

## 9.4 Boundary Equilibrium Loss

### 9.4.1 BoundaryEquilibriumGeneratorLoss

**class** torchgan.losses.**BoundaryEquilibriumGeneratorLoss** (*reduction='mean', override\_train\_ops=None*)

Boundary Equilibrium GAN generator loss from “BEGAN : Boundary Equilibrium Generative Adversarial Networks by Berthelot et. al.” paper

The loss can be described as

$$L(G) = D(G(z))$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $D$  : Discriminator

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If none no reduction will be applied. If mean the outputs are averaged over batch size. If sum the elements of the output are summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`

#### **forward** (*dgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

**Parameters** **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

### 9.4.2 BoundaryEquilibriumDiscriminatorLoss

**class** torchgan.losses.**BoundaryEquilibriumDiscriminatorLoss** (*reduction='mean', override\_train\_ops=None, init\_k=0.0, lambd=0.001, gamma=0.75*)

Boundary Equilibrium GAN discriminator loss from “BEGAN : Boundary Equilibrium Generative Adversarial Networks by Berthelot et. al.” paper

The loss can be described as

$$L(D) = D(x) - k_t \times D(G(z))$$

$$k_{t+1} = k_t + \lambda \times (\gamma \times D(x) - D(G(z)))$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $D$  : Discriminator

- $k_t$  : Running average of the balance point of G and D
- $\lambda$  : Learning rate of the running average
- $\gamma$  : Goal bias hyperparameter

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If none no reduction will be applied. If mean the outputs are averaged over batch size. If sum the elements of the output are summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`
- **init\_k** (*float, optional*) – Initial value of the balance point  $k$ .
- **lambd** (*float, optional*) – Learning rate of the running average.
- **gamma** (*float, optional*) – Goal bias hyperparameter.

#### **forward** (*dx, dgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

#### Parameters

- **dx** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with real data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.
- **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** A tuple of 3 loss values, namely the total loss, loss due to real data and loss due to fake data.

#### **set\_k** (*k=0.0*)

Change the default value of  $k$

**Parameters** **k** (*float, optional*) – New value to be set.

#### **train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_discriminator, real\_inputs, device, labels=None*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by boundary equilibrium loss.

The standard optimization algorithm for the discriminator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1.  $fake = generator(noise)$
2.  $value_1 = discriminator(fake)$
3.  $value_2 = discriminator(real)$
4.  $loss = loss\_function(value_1, value_2)$
5. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
6. Run a step of the optimizer for discriminator
7. Update the value of  $k$ .

#### Parameters

- **generator** (`torchgan.models.Generator`) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (`torchgan.models.Discriminator`) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.

- **optimizer\_discriminator** (*torch.optim.Optimizer*) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the discriminator.
- **real\_inputs** (*torch.Tensor*) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (*torch.device*) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **labels** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

**update\_k** (*loss\_real, loss\_fake*)

Update the running mean of k for each forward pass.

The update takes place as

$$k_{t+1} = k_t + \lambda \times (\gamma \times D(x) - D(G(z)))$$

**Parameters**

- **loss\_real** (*float*) –  $D(x)$
- **loss\_fake** (*float*) –  $D(G(z))$

## 9.5 Energy Based Loss

### 9.5.1 EnergyBasedGeneratorLoss

**class** torchgan.losses.**EnergyBasedGeneratorLoss** (*reduction='mean',* *override\_train\_ops=None*)

Energy Based GAN generator loss from “Energy Based Generative Adversarial Network by Zhao et. al.” paper.

The loss can be described as:

$$L(G) = D(G(z))$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $D$  : Discriminator
- $z$  : A sample from the noise prior

**Parameters**

- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the outputs are averaged over batch size. If `sum` the elements of the output are summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – A function is passed to this argument, if the default `train_ops` is not to be used.

**forward** (*dgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

**Parameters** **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_generator, device, batch\_size, labels=None*)

This function sets the `embeddings` attribute of the `AutoEncodingDiscriminator` to `False` and calls the `train_ops` of the `GeneratorLoss`. After the call the attribute is again set to `True`.

#### Parameters

- **generator** (`torchgan.models.Generator`) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (`torchgan.models.Discriminator`) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_generator** (`torch.optim.Optimizer`) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the generator.
- **device** (`torch.device`) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (`int`) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the `DataLoader` by the `Trainer`.
- **labels** (`torch.Tensor, optional`) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

## 9.5.2 EnergyBasedDiscriminatorLoss

**class** `torchgan.losses.EnergyBasedDiscriminatorLoss` (*reduction='mean', margin=80.0, override\_train\_ops=None*)

Energy Based GAN generator loss from “Energy Based Generative Adversarial Network by Zhao et. al.” paper

The loss can be described as:

$$L(D) = D(x) + \max(0, m - D(G(z)))$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $D$  : Discriminator
- $m$  : Margin Hyperparameter
- $z$  : A sample from the noise prior

**Note:** The convergence of EBGAN is highly sensitive to hyperparameters. The `margin` hyperparameter as per the paper was taken as follows:

Dataset	Margin
MNIST	10.0
LSUN	80.0
CELEB A	20.0
Imagenet (128 x 128)	40.0
Imagenet (256 x 256)	80.0

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If none no reduction will be applied. If mean the outputs are averaged over batch size. If sum the elements of the output are summed.
- **margin** (*float, optional*) – The margin hyperparameter.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`

**forward** (*dx, dgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

#### Parameters

- **dx** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with real data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.
- **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_discriminator, real\_inputs, device, batch\_size, labels=None*)

This function sets the `embeddings` attribute of the `AutoEncodingDiscriminator` to `False` and calls the `train_ops` of the `DiscriminatorLoss`. After the call the attribute is again set to `True`.

#### Parameters

- **generator** (*torchgan.models.Generator*) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (*torchgan.models.Discriminator*) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_discriminator** (*torch.optim.Optimizer*) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the discriminator.
- **real\_inputs** (*torch.Tensor*) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (*torch.device*) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (*int*) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the `DataLoader` by the `Trainer`.
- **labels** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

### 9.5.3 EnergyBasedPullingAwayTerm

**class** `torchgan.losses.EnergyBasedPullingAwayTerm` (*pt\_ratio=0.1, override\_train\_ops=None*)

Energy Based Pulling Away Term from “Energy Based Generative Adversarial Network by Zhao et. al.” paper.

The loss can be described as:

$$f_{PT}(S) = \frac{1}{N(N-1)} \sum_i \sum_{j \neq i} \left( \frac{S_i^T S_j}{\|S_i\| \|S_j\|} \right)^2$$

where

- *S* : The feature output from the encoder for generated images



- $N$  : Batch Size of the Input

#### Parameters

- **pt\_ratio** (*float, optional*) – The weight given to the pulling away term.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – A function is passed to this argument, if the default `train_ops` is not to be used.

**forward** (*dgz, d\_hid*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

#### Parameters

- **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.
- **d\_hid** (*torch.Tensor*) – The embeddings generated by the discriminator.

**Returns** scalar.

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_generator, device, batch\_size, labels=None*)

This function extracts the hidden embeddings of the discriminator network. The further computation is same as the standard `train_ops`.

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**Note:** For the loss to work properly, the discriminator must be a `AutoEncodingDiscriminator` and it must have a `embeddings` attribute which should be set to `True`. Also the generator `label_type` must be `none`. As a result of these constraints it is advisable not to use custom models with this loss. This will be improved in future.

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#### Parameters

- **generator** (*torchgan.models.Generator*) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (*torchgan.models.Discriminator*) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_generator** (*torch.optim.Optimizer*) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the generator.
- **device** (*torch.device*) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (*int*) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the `DataLoader` by the `Trainer`.
- **labels** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

## 9.6 Wasserstein Loss

### 9.6.1 WassersteinGeneratorLoss

```
class torchgan.losses.WassersteinGeneratorLoss (reduction='mean', over-  
                                              ride_train_ops=None)  
    Wasserstein GAN generator loss from “Wasserstein GAN by Arjovsky et. al.” paper
```

The loss can be described as:

$$L(G) = -f(G(z))$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $f$  : Critic/Discriminator
- $z$  : A sample from the noise prior

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str*, *optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the mean of the output. If `sum` the elements of the output will be summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function*, *optional*) – A function is passed to this argument, if the default `train_ops` is not to be used.

#### **forward** (*fgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

**Parameters** **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

## 9.6.2 WassersteinDiscriminatorLoss

```
class torchgan.losses.WassersteinDiscriminatorLoss (reduction='mean', clip=None,  
                                                  override_train_ops=None)
```

Wasserstein GAN generator loss from “Wasserstein GAN by Arjovsky et. al.” paper

The loss can be described as:

$$L(D) = f(G(z)) - f(x)$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $f$  : Critic/Discriminator
- $x$  : A sample from the data distribution
- $z$  : A sample from the noise prior

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str*, *optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the mean of the output. If `sum` the elements of the output will be summed.
- **clip** (*tuple*, *optional*) – Tuple that specifies the maximum and minimum parameter clamping to be applied, as per the original version of the Wasserstein loss without Gradient Penalty.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function*, *optional*) – A function is passed to this argument, if the default `train_ops` is not to be used.

**forward** (*fx, fgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

**Parameters**

- **fx** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with real data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.
- **fgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_discriminator, real\_inputs, device, labels=None*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by wasserstein discriminator loss.

The standard optimization algorithm for the discriminator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1. Clamp the discriminator parameters to satisfy *lipschitz condition*
2. *fake = generator(noise)*
3. *value<sub>1</sub> = discriminator(fake)*
4. *value<sub>2</sub> = discriminator(real)*
5. *loss = loss\_function(value<sub>1</sub>, value<sub>2</sub>)*
6. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
7. Run a step of the optimizer for discriminator

**Parameters**

- **generator** (*torchgan.models.Generator*) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (*torchgan.models.Discriminator*) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_discriminator** (*torch.optim.Optimizer*) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the discriminator.
- **real\_inputs** (*torch.Tensor*) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (*torch.device*) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **labels** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

### 9.6.3 WassersteinGradientPenalty

**class** `torchgan.losses.WassersteinGradientPenalty` (*reduction='mean', lambda=10.0, override\_train\_ops=None*)

Gradient Penalty for the Improved Wasserstein GAN discriminator from “Improved Training of Wasserstein GANs by Gulrajani et. al.” paper

The gradient penalty is calculated as:

The gradient being taken with respect to  $x$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $D$  : Discriminator/Critic
- $\lambda$  : Scaling hyperparameter
- $x$  : Interpolation term for the gradient penalty

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str*, *optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the mean of the output. If `sum` the elements of the output will be summed.
- **lambda** (*float*, *optional*) – Hyperparameter lambda for scaling the gradient penalty.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function*, *optional*) – A function is passed to this argument, if the default `train_ops` is not to be used.

**forward** (*interpolate*, *d\_interpolate*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

#### Parameters

- **interpolate** (*torch.Tensor*) – It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.
- **d\_interpolate** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the discriminator with `interpolate` as the input. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

**train\_ops** (*generator*, *discriminator*, *optimizer\_discriminator*, *real\_inputs*, *device*, *labels=None*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by the Wasserstein Gradient Penalty.

The standard optimization algorithm for the discriminator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1.  $fake = generator(noise)$
2.  $interpolate = \epsilon \times real + (1 - \epsilon) \times fake$
3.  $d\_interpolate = discriminator(interpolate)$
4.  $loss = \lambda loss\_function(interpolate, d\_interpolate)$
5. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
6. Run a step of the optimizer for discriminator

#### Parameters

- **generator** (*torchgan.models.Generator*) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (*torchgan.models.Discriminator*) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_discriminator** (*torch.optim.Optimizer*) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the discriminator.
- **real\_inputs** (*torch.Tensor*) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (*torch.device*) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.

- **batch\_size** (*int*) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the DataLoader by the Trainer.
- **labels** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

## 9.7 Mutual Information Penalty

**class** torchgan.losses.**MutualInformationPenalty** (*lambda=1.0, reduction='mean', override\_train\_ops=None*)

Mutual Information Penalty as defined in “InfoGAN : Interpretable Representation Learning by Information Maximising Generative Adversarial Nets by Chen et. al.” paper

The loss is the variational lower bound of the mutual information between the latent codes and the generator distribution and is defined as

$$L(G, Q) = \log(Q|x)$$

where

- $x$  is drawn from the generator distribution  $G(z,c)$
- $c$  drawn from the latent code prior  $P(c)$

### Parameters

- **lambda** (*float, optional*) – The scaling factor for the loss.
- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If none no reduction will be applied. If mean the mean of the output. If sum the elements of the output will be summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – A function is passed to this argument, if the default `train_ops` is not to be used.

**forward** (*c\_dis, c\_cont, dist\_dis, dist\_cont*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

### Parameters

- **c\_dis** (*int*) – The discrete latent code sampled from the prior.
- **c\_cont** (*int*) – The continuous latent code sampled from the prior.
- **dist\_dis** (*torch.distributions.Distribution*) – The auxilliary distribution  $Q(c|x)$  over the discrete latent code output by the discriminator.
- **dist\_cont** (*torch.distributions.Distribution*) – The auxilliary distribution  $Q(c|x)$  over the continuous latent code output by the discriminator.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_generator, optimizer\_discriminator, dis\_code, cont\_code, device, batch\_size*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by most losses. Losses which have a different training procedure can either subclass it (**recommended approach**) or make use of `override_train_ops` argument.

The standard optimization algorithm for the generator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1.  $fake = generator(noise)$
2.  $value = discriminator(fake)$
3.  $loss = loss\_function(value)$
4. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
5. Run a step of the optimizer for generator

#### Parameters

- **generator** (`torchgan.models.Generator`) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (`torchgan.models.Discriminator`) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_generator** (`torch.optim.Optimizer`) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the generator.
- **device** (`torch.device`) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (`int`) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the DataLoader by the Trainer.
- **labels** (`torch.Tensor, optional`) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

## 9.8 Dragan Loss

### 9.8.1 DraganGradientPenalty

**class** `torchgan.losses.DraganGradientPenalty` (*reduction='mean', lambda=10.0, k=1.0, override\_train\_ops=None*)

Gradient Penalty for the DRAGAN discriminator from “On Convergence and Stability of GANs by Kodali et. al.” paper

The gradient penalty is calculated as:

$$\lambda \times (\|grad(D(x))\|_2 - k)^2$$

The gradient being taken with respect to  $x$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $D$  : Discriminator
- $\lambda$  : Scaling hyperparameter
- $x$  : Interpolation term for the gradient penalty
- $k$  : Constant

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (`str, optional`) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the outputs are averaged over batch size. If `sum` the elements of the output are summed.

- **lambda** (*float, optional*) – Hyperparameter  $\lambda$  for scaling the gradient penalty.
- **k** (*float, optional*) – Constant.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`

**forward** (*interpolate, d\_interpolate*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

#### Parameters

- **interpolate** (*torch.Tensor*) – It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.
- **d\_interpolate** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the discriminator with `interpolate` as the input. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_discriminator, real\_inputs, device, labels=None*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by the DRAGAN Gradient Penalty.

The standard optimization algorithm for the discriminator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1.  $interpolate = real + \frac{1}{2} \times (1 - \alpha) \times std(real) \times \beta$
2.  $d\_interpolate = discriminator(interpolate)$
3.  $loss = loss\_function(interpolate, d\_interpolate)$
4. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
5. Run a step of the optimizer for discriminator

#### Parameters

- **generator** (*torchgan.models.Generator*) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (*torchgan.models.Discriminator*) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_discriminator** (*torch.optim.Optimizer*) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the discriminator.
- **real\_inputs** (*torch.Tensor*) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (*torch.device*) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **labels** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

## 9.9 Auxillary Classifier Loss

### 9.9.1 AuxiliaryClassifierGeneratorLoss

**class** torchgan.losses.**AuxiliaryClassifierGeneratorLoss** (*reduction='mean', override\_train\_ops=None*)

Auxiliary Classifier GAN (ACGAN) loss based on a from “Conditional Image Synthesis With Auxiliary Classifier GANs by Odena et. al. “ paper

**Parameters** *reduction* (*str, optional*) –

**Specifies the reduction to apply to the output.** If *none* no reduction will be applied. If *mean* the outputs are averaged over batch size. If *sum* the elements of the output are summed.

**override\_train\_ops (function, optional):** A function is passed to this argument, if the default *train\_ops* is not to be used.

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_generator, device, batch\_size, labels=None*)

Defines the standard *train\_ops* used by the Auxiliary Classifier generator loss.

The standard optimization algorithm for the discriminator defined in this *train\_ops* is as follows (*label\_g* and *label\_d* both could be either real labels or generated labels):

1. *fake = generator(noise, label\_g)*
2. *value<sub>1</sub> = classifier(fake, label\_g)*
3. *value<sub>2</sub> = classifier(real, label\_d)*
4. *loss = loss\_function(value<sub>1</sub>, label\_g) + loss\_function(value<sub>2</sub>, label\_d)*
5. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
6. Run a step of the optimizer for discriminator

**Parameters**

- **generator** (*torchgan.models.Generator*) – The model to be optimized. For ACGAN, it must require labels for training
- **discriminator** (*torchgan.models.Discriminator*) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_discriminator** (*torch.optim.Optimizer*) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the discriminator.
- **real\_inputs** (*torch.Tensor*) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (*torch.device*) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (*int*) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the *DataLoader* by the *Trainer*.
- **labels** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.



## 9.9.2 AuxiliaryClassifierDiscriminatorLoss

**class** torchgan.losses.**AuxiliaryClassifierDiscriminatorLoss** (*reduction='mean',  
over-  
ride\_train\_ops=None*)

Auxiliary Classifier GAN (ACGAN) loss based on a from “Conditional Image Synthesis With Auxiliary Classifier GANs by Odena et. al. “ paper

### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If none no reduction will be applied. If mean the outputs are averaged over batch size. If sum the elements of the output are summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – A function is passed to this argument, if the default `train_ops` is not to be used.

**train\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, optimizer\_discriminator, real\_inputs, device, labels=None*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by the Auxiliary Classifier discriminator loss.

The standard optimization algorithm for the discriminator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows (label\_g and label\_d both could be either real labels or generated labels):

1.  $fake = generator(noise, label_g)$
2.  $value_1 = classifier(fake, label_g)$
3.  $value_2 = classifier(real, label_d)$
4.  $loss = loss\_function(value_1, label_g) + loss\_function(value_2, label_d)$
5. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
6. Run a step of the optimizer for discriminator

### Parameters

- **generator** (`torchgan.models.Generator`) – The model to be optimized. For ACGAN, it must require labels for training
- **discriminator** (`torchgan.models.Discriminator`) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_discriminator** (`torch.optim.Optimizer`) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the discriminator.
- **real\_inputs** (`torch.Tensor`) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (`torch.device`) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (`int`) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the DataLoader by the Trainer.
- **labels** (`torch.Tensor, optional`) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

## 9.10 Feature Matching Loss

### 9.10.1 FeatureMatchingGeneratorLoss

**class** torchgan.losses.**FeatureMatchingGeneratorLoss** (*reduction='mean'*, *override\_train\_ops=None*) *over-*  
 Feature Matching Generator loss from “Improved Training of GANs by Salimans et. al.” paper

The loss can be described as:

$$L(G) = \|f(x) - f(G(z))\|_2$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $f$  : An intermediate activation from the discriminator
- $z$  : A sample from the noise prior

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str*, *optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If none no reduction will be applied. If mean the outputs are averaged over batch size. If sum the elements of the output are summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function*, *optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`

**forward** (*fx*, *fgz*)

Computes the loss for the given input.

#### Parameters

- **dx** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with real data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.
- **dgz** (*torch.Tensor*) – Output of the Discriminator with generated data. It must have the dimensions (N, \*) where \* means any number of additional dimensions.

**Returns** scalar if reduction is applied else Tensor with dimensions (N, \*).

**train\_ops** (*generator*, *discriminator*, *optimizer\_generator*, *real\_inputs*, *device*, *labels=None*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used for feature matching.

The standard optimization algorithm for the generator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1.  $fake = generator(noise)$
2.  $value_1 = discriminator(fake)$  **where  $value_1$  is an activation of an intermediate** discriminator layer
3.  $value_2 = discriminator(real)$  **where  $value_2$  is an activation of the same intermediate** discriminator layer
4.  $loss = loss\_function(value_1, value_2)$
5. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
6. Run a step of the optimizer for generator

#### Parameters

- **generator** (`torchgan.models.Generator`) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (`torchgan.models.Discriminator`) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_generator** (`torch.optim.Optimizer`) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the generator.
- **real\_inputs** (`torch.Tensor`) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (`torch.device`) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **labels** (`torch.Tensor`, *optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

## 9.11 Historical Averaging

### 9.11.1 HistoricalAverageGeneratorLoss

**class** `torchgan.losses.HistoricalAverageGeneratorLoss` (*reduction='elementwise\_mean',  
override\_train\_ops=None,  
lambda=1.0*)

Historical Average Generator Loss from “Improved Techniques for Training GANs by Salimans et. al.” paper

The loss can be described as

$$\| -\frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^t [i] \|^2$$

where

- $G$  : Generator
- $\theta[i]$  : Generator Parameters at Past Timestep  $i$

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str, optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If none no reduction will be applied. If mean the outputs are averaged over batch size. If sum the elements of the output are summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function, optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`
- **lambda** (*float, optional*) – Hyperparameter lambda for scaling the Historical Average Penalty

**train\_ops** (*generator, optimizer\_generator*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by most losses. Losses which have a different training procedure can either subclass it (**recommended approach**) or make use of `override_train_ops` argument.

The standard optimization algorithm for the generator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1.  $fake = generator(noise)$
2.  $value = discriminator(fake)$

3.  $loss = loss\_function(value)$
4. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
5. Run a step of the optimizer for generator

#### Parameters

- **generator** (`torchgan.models.Generator`) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (`torchgan.models.Discriminator`) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_generator** (`torch.optim.Optimizer`) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the generator.
- **device** (`torch.device`) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (`int`) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the DataLoader by the Trainer.
- **labels** (`torch.Tensor`, *optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.

### 9.11.2 HistoricalAverageDiscriminatorLoss

```
class torchgan.losses.HistoricalAverageDiscriminatorLoss (reduction='elementwise_mean',
                                                    over-
                                                    ride_train_ops=None,
                                                    lambda=1.0)
```

Historical Average Discriminator Loss from “Improved Techniques for Training GANs by Salimans et. al.” paper

The loss can be described as

$$\left\| -\frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^t [i] \right\|^2$$

where

- $G$  : Discriminator
- $\mathbf{theta}[i]$  : Discriminator Parameters at Past Timestep  $i$

#### Parameters

- **reduction** (*str*, *optional*) – Specifies the reduction to apply to the output. If `none` no reduction will be applied. If `mean` the outputs are averaged over batch size. If `sum` the elements of the output are summed.
- **override\_train\_ops** (*function*, *optional*) – Function to be used in place of the default `train_ops`
- **lambda** (*float*, *optional*) – Hyperparameter `lambda` for scaling the Historical Average Penalty

**train\_ops** (*discriminator*, *optimizer\_discriminator*)

Defines the standard `train_ops` used by most losses. Losses which have a different training procedure can either subclass it (**recommended approach**) or make use of `override_train_ops` argument.

The standard optimization algorithm for the discriminator defined in this `train_ops` is as follows:

1.  $fake = generator(noise)$
2.  $value_1 = discriminator(fake)$
3.  $value_2 = discriminator(real)$
4.  $loss = loss\_function(value_1, value_2)$
5. Backpropagate by computing  $\nabla loss$
6. Run a step of the optimizer for discriminator

#### Parameters

- **generator** (`torchgan.models.Generator`) – The model to be optimized.
- **discriminator** (`torchgan.models.Discriminator`) – The discriminator which judges the performance of the generator.
- **optimizer\_discriminator** (`torch.optim.Optimizer`) – Optimizer which updates the parameters of the discriminator.
- **real\_inputs** (`torch.Tensor`) – The real data to be fed to the discriminator.
- **device** (`torch.device`) – Device on which the generator and discriminator is present.
- **batch\_size** (`int`) – Batch Size of the data inferred from the DataLoader by the Trainer.
- **labels** (`torch.Tensor`, *optional*) – Labels for the data.

**Returns** Scalar value of the loss.



This subpackage provides various metrics that are available to judge the performance of GANs. Currently available metrics are:

- *Metric*
  - *EvaluationMetric*
- *Classifier Score*

## 10.1 Metric

### 10.1.1 EvaluationMetric

**class** torchgan.metrics.**EvaluationMetric**

Base class for all Evaluation Metrics

**calculate\_score** (*x*)

Subclasses must override this function and provide their own score calculation.

**Raises** **NotImplementedError** – If the subclass doesn't override this function.

**metric\_ops** (*generator, discriminator, \*\*kwargs*)

Subclasses must override this function and provide their own metric evaluation ops.

**Raises** **NotImplementedError** – If the subclass doesn't override this function.

**preprocess** (*x*)

Subclasses must override this function and provide their own preprocessing pipeline.

**Raises** **NotImplementedError** – If the subclass doesn't override this function.

**set\_arg\_map** (*value*)

Updates the `arg_map` for passing a different value to the `metric_ops`.

**Parameters value** (*dict*) – A mapping of the argument name in the method signature and the variable name in the Trainer it corresponds to.

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**Note:** If the `metric_ops` signature is `metric_ops(self, gen, disc)` then we need to map `gen` to `generator` and `disc` to `discriminator`. In this case we make the following function call `metric.set_arg_map({"gen": "generator", "disc": "discriminator"})`.

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## 10.2 Classifier Score

**class** `torchgan.metrics.ClassifierScore` (*classifier=None, transform=None, sample\_size=1*)

Computes the Classifier Score of a Model. Also popularly known as the Inception Score. The `classifier` can be any model. It also supports models outside of torchvision models. For more details on how to use custom trained models look up the tutorials.

### Parameters

- **classifier** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – The model to be used as a base to compute the classifier score. If `None` is passed the pretrained `torchvision.models.inception_v3` is used.

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**Note:** Ensure that the classifier is on the same device as the Trainer to avoid sudden crash.

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- **transform** (*torchvision.transforms, optional*) – Transformations applied to the image before feeding it to the classifier. Look up the documentation of the torchvision models for this transforms.
- **sample\_size** (*int*) – Batch Size for calculation of Classifier Score.

**calculate\_score** (*x*)

Computes the Inception Score for the Input.

**Parameters** **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – Image in tensor format

**Returns** The Inception Score.

**metric\_ops** (*generator, device*)

Defines the set of operations necessary to compute the ClassifierScore.

### Parameters

- **generator** (*torchgan.models.Generator*) – The generator which needs to be evaluated.
- **device** (*torch.device*) – Device on which the generator is present.

**Returns** The Classifier Score (scalar quantity)

**preprocess** (*x*)

Preprocessor for the Classifier Score. It transforms the image as per the transform requirements and feeds it to the classifier.

**Parameters** **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – Image in tensor format

**Returns** The output from the classifier.



This models subpackage is a collection of popular GAN architectures. It has the support for existing architectures and provides a base class for extending to any form of new architecture. Currently the following models are supported:

- *Vanilla GAN*
  - *Generator*
  - *Discriminator*
- *Deep Convolutional GAN*
  - *DCGANGenerator*
  - *DCGANDiscriminator*
- *Conditional GAN*
  - *ConditionalGANGenerator*
  - *ConditionalGANDiscriminator*
- *InfoGAN*
  - *InfoGANGenerator*
  - *InfoGANDiscriminator*
- *AutoEncoders*
  - *AutoEncodingGenerator*
  - *AutoEncodingDiscriminator*
- *Auxiliary Classifier GAN*
  - *ACGANGenerator*
  - *ACGANDiscriminator*

You can construct a new model by simply calling its constructor.

```
>>> import torchgan.models as models
>>> dcgan_discriminator = DCGANDiscriminator()
>>> dcgan_generator = DCGANGenerator()
```

All models follow the same structure. There are additional customization options. Look into the individual documentation for such capabilities.

## 11.1 Vanilla GAN

### 11.1.1 Generator

**class** torchgan.models.**Generator** (*encoding\_dims*, *label\_type='none'*)

Base class for all Generator models. All Generator models must subclass this.

#### Parameters

- **encoding\_dims** (*int*) – Dimensions of the sample from the noise prior.
- **label\_type** (*str*, *optional*) – The type of labels expected by the Generator. The available choices are 'none' if no label is needed, 'required' if the original labels are needed and 'generated' if labels are to be sampled from a distribution.

**\_weight\_initializer** ()

Default weight initializer for all generator models. Models that require custom weight initialization can override this method

**sampler** (*sample\_size*, *device*)

Function to allow sampling data at inference time. Models requiring input in any other format must override it in the subclass.

#### Parameters

- **sample\_size** (*int*) – The number of images to be generated
- **device** (*torch.device*) – The device on which the data must be generated

**Returns** A list of the items required as input

### 11.1.2 Discriminator

**class** torchgan.models.**Discriminator** (*input\_dims*, *label\_type='none'*)

Base class for all Discriminator models. All Discriminator models must subclass this.

#### Parameters

- **input\_dims** (*int*) – Dimensions of the input.
- **label\_type** (*str*, *optional*) – The type of labels expected by the Discriminator. The available choices are 'none' if no label is needed, 'required' if the original labels are needed and 'generated' if labels are to be sampled from a distribution.

**\_weight\_initializer** ()

Default weight initializer for all discriminator models. Models that require custom weight initialization can override this method

## 11.2 Deep Convolutional GAN

### 11.2.1 DCGANGenerator

```
class torchgan.models.DCGANGenerator (encoding_dims=100, out_size=32, out_channels=3,
                                     step_channels=64, batchnorm=True, non-
                                     linearity=None, last_nonlinearity=None, la-
                                     bel_type='none')
```

Deep Convolutional GAN (DCGAN) generator from “Unsupervised Representation Learning With Deep Convolutional Generative Aversarial Networks by Radford et. al.” paper

#### Parameters

- **encoding\_dims** (*int, optional*) – Dimension of the encoding vector sampled from the noise prior.
- **out\_size** (*int, optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be generated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **out\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in the output Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\dim z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .
- **batchnorm** (*bool, optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.
- **label\_type** (*str, optional*) – The type of labels expected by the Generator. The available choices are ‘none’ if no label is needed, ‘required’ if the original labels are needed and ‘generated’ if labels are to be sampled from a distribution.

```
forward (x, feature_matching=False)
```

Calculates the output tensor on passing the encoding  $x$  through the Generator.

#### Parameters

- **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 2D torch tensor of the encoding sampled from a probability distribution.
- **feature\_matching** (*bool, optional*) – Returns the activation from a predefined intermediate layer.

**Returns** A 4D torch.Tensor of the generated image.

### 11.2.2 DCGANDiscriminator

```
class torchgan.models.DCGANDiscriminator (in_size=32, in_channels=3, step_channels=64,
                                           batchnorm=True, nonlinearity=None,
                                           last_nonlinearity=None, label_type='none')
```

Deep Convolutional GAN (DCGAN) discriminator from “Unsupervised Representation Learning With Deep Convolutional Generative Aversarial Networks by Radford et. al.” paper

#### Parameters

- **in\_size** (*int*, *optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be evaluated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **in\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in the input Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\dim z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.
- **label\_type** (*str*, *optional*) – The type of labels expected by the Generator. The available choices are ‘none’ if no label is needed, ‘required’ if the original labels are needed and ‘generated’ if labels are to be sampled from a distribution.

**forward** (*x*, *feature\_matching=False*)

Calculates the output tensor on passing the image *x* through the Discriminator.

#### Parameters

- **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 4D torch tensor of the image.
- **feature\_matching** (*bool*, *optional*) – Returns the activation from a predefined intermediate layer.

**Returns** A 1D torch.Tensor of the probability of each image being real.

## 11.3 Conditional GAN

### 11.3.1 ConditionalGANGenerator

```
class torchgan.models.ConditionalGANGenerator (num_classes,          encoding_dims=100,  
                                              out_size=32,          out_channels=3,  
                                              step_channels=64,          batch-  
                                              norm=True,          nonlinearity=None,  
                                              last_nonlinearity=None)
```

Conditional GAN (CGAN) generator based on a DCGAN model from “Conditional Generative Adversarial Nets by Mirza et. al. “ paper

#### Parameters

- **num\_classes** (*int*) – Total classes present in the dataset.
- **encoding\_dims** (*int*, *optional*) – Dimension of the encoding vector sampled from the noise prior.
- **out\_size** (*int*, *optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be generated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **out\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in the output Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\dim z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .

- **batchnorm** (*bool, optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.

**forward** (*z, y*)

Calculates the output tensor on passing the encoding *z* through the Generator.

#### Parameters

- **z** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 2D torch tensor of the encoding sampled from a probability distribution.
- **y** (*torch.Tensor*) – The labels corresponding to the encoding *z*.

**Returns** A 4D torch.Tensor of the generated Images conditioned on *y*.

**sampler** (*sample\_size, device*)

Function to allow sampling data at inference time. Models requiring input in any other format must override it in the subclass.

#### Parameters

- **sample\_size** (*int*) – The number of images to be generated
- **device** (*torch.device*) – The device on which the data must be generated

**Returns** A list of the items required as input

## 11.3.2 ConditionalGANDiscriminator

```
class torchgan.models.ConditionalGANDiscriminator (num_classes,           in_size=32,
                                                in_channels=3, step_channels=64,
                                                batchnorm=True,     nonlinearity=None, last_nonlinearity=None)
```

Conditional GAN (CGAN) discriminator based on a DCGAN model from “Conditional Generative Adversarial Nets by Mirza et. al.” paper

#### Parameters

- **num\_classes** (*int*) – Total classes present in the dataset.
- **in\_size** (*int, optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be evaluated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **in\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in the input Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\text{dim } z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .
- **batchnorm** (*bool, optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.

**forward** (*x*, *y*, *feature\_matching=False*)

Calculates the output tensor on passing the image *x* through the Discriminator.

**Parameters**

- **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 4D torch tensor of the image.
- **y** (*torch.Tensor*) – Labels corresponding to the images *x*.
- **feature\_matching** (*bool*, *optional*) – Returns the activation from a predefined intermediate layer.

**Returns** A 1D torch.Tensor of the probability of each image being real.

## 11.4 InfoGAN

### 11.4.1 InfoGANGenerator

```
class torchgan.models.InfoGANGenerator (dim_dis, dim_cont, encoding_dims=100,  
                                         out_size=32, out_channels=3, step_channels=64,  
                                         batchnorm=True, nonlinearity=None,  
                                         last_nonlinearity=None)
```

Generator for InfoGAN based on the Deep Convolutional GAN (DCGAN) architecture, from “InfoGAN : Interpretable Representation Learning With Information Maximizing Generative Aversarial Nets by Chen et. al.” paper

**Parameters**

- **dim\_dis** (*int*) – Dimension of the discrete latent code sampled from the prior.
- **dim\_cont** (*int*) – Dimension of the continuous latent code sampled from the prior.
- **encoding\_dims** (*int*, *optional*) – Dimension of the encoding vector sampled from the noise prior.
- **out\_size** (*int*, *optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be generated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **out\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in the output Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\text{dim } z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.

### Example

```
>>> import torchgan.models as models  
>>> G = models.InfoGANGenerator(10, 30)  
>>> z = torch.randn(10, 100)
```

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```
>>> c_cont = torch.randn(10, 10)
>>> c_dis = torch.randn(10, 30)
>>> x = G(z, c_cont, c_dis)
```

**forward**(*z*, *c\_dis=None*, *c\_cont=None*)

Calculates the output tensor on passing the encoding *x* through the Generator.

#### Parameters

- **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 2D torch tensor of the encoding sampled from a probability distribution.
- **feature\_matching** (*bool*, *optional*) – Returns the activation from a predefined intermediate layer.

**Returns** A 4D torch.Tensor of the generated image.

## 11.4.2 InfoGANDiscriminator

```
class torchgan.models.InfoGANDiscriminator (dim_dis, dim_cont, in_size=32,
                                             in_channels=3, step_channels=64,
                                             batchnorm=True, nonlinearity=None,
                                             last_nonlinearity=None, latent_nonlinearity=None)
```

Discriminator for InfoGAN based on the Deep Convolutional GAN (DCGAN) architecture, from “[InfoGAN : Interpretable Representation Learning With Information Maximizing Generative Adversarial Nets](#) by Chen et. al.” paper

The approximate conditional probability distribution over the latent code  $Q(\mathbf{c}|\mathbf{x})$  is chosen to be a factored Gaussian for the continuous latent code and a Categorical distribution for the discrete latent code

#### Parameters

- **dim\_dis** (*int*) – Dimension of the discrete latent code sampled from the prior.
- **dim\_cont** (*int*) – Dimension of the continuous latent code sampled from the prior.
- **encoding\_dims** (*int*, *optional*) – Dimension of the encoding vector sampled from the noise prior.
- **in\_size** (*int*, *optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be evaluated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **in\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in the input Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\text{dim } z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.
- **latent\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the `dist_conv`. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.

## Example

```
>>> import torchgan.models as models
>>> D = models.InfoGANDiscriminator(10, 30)
>>> x = torch.randn(10, 3, 32, 32)
>>> score, q_categorical, q_gaussian = D(x, return_latents=True)
```

**forward** (*x*, *return\_latents=False*, *feature\_matching=False*)

Calculates the output tensor on passing the image *x* through the Discriminator.

### Parameters

- **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 4D torch tensor of the image.
- **feature\_matching** (*bool*, *optional*) – Returns the activation from a predefined intermediate layer.

**Returns** A 1D torch.Tensor of the probability of each image being real.

## 11.5 AutoEncoders

### 11.5.1 AutoEncodingGenerator

```
class torchgan.models.AutoEncodingGenerator (encoding_dims=100, out_size=32,
                                             out_channels=3, step_channels=64,
                                             scale_factor=2, batchnorm=True, non-
                                             linearity=None, last_nonlinearity=None,
                                             label_type='none')
```

Autoencoding Generator for Boundary Equilibrium GAN (BEGAN) from “BEGAN : Boundary Equilibrium Generative Adversarial Networks by Berthelot et. al.” paper

### Parameters

- **encoding\_dims** (*int*, *optional*) – Dimension of the encoding vector sampled from the noise prior.
- **out\_size** (*int*, *optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be generated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **out\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in the output Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\text{dim } z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .
- **scale\_factor** (*int*, *optional*) – The scale factor is used to infer properties of the model like `upsample_pad`, `upsample_filters`, `upsample_stride` and `upsample_output_pad`.
- **batchnorm** (*bool*, *optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module*, *optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.



- **label\_type** (*str, optional*) – The type of labels expected by the Generator. The available choices are ‘none’ if no label is needed, ‘required’ if the original labels are needed and ‘generated’ if labels are to be sampled from a distribution.

**forward** (*z*)

Calculates the output tensor on passing the encoding *z* through the Generator.

**Parameters** *z* (*torch.Tensor*) – A 2D torch tensor of the encoding sampled from a probability distribution.

**Returns** A 4D torch.Tensor of the generated image.

## 11.5.2 AutoEncodingDiscriminator

```
class torchgan.models.AutoEncodingDiscriminator (in_size=32, in_channels=3, encoding_dims=100, step_channels=64, scale_factor=2, batch_norm=True, nonlinearity=None, last_nonlinearity=None, energy=True, embeddings=False, label_type='none')
```

Autoencoding Generator for Boundary Equilibrium GAN (BEGAN) from “BEGAN : Boundary Equilibrium Generative Adversarial Networks by Berthelot et. al.” paper

**Parameters**

- **in\_size** (*int, optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be evaluated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **in\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in the input Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\dim z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .
- **scale\_factor** (*int, optional*) – The scale factor is used to infer properties of the model like `downsample_pad`, `downsample_filters` and `downsample_stride`.
- **batchnorm** (*bool, optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.
- **energy** (*bool, optional*) – If set to True returns the energy instead of the decoder output.
- **embeddings** (*bool, optional*) – If set to True the embeddings will be returned.
- **label\_type** (*str, optional*) – The type of labels expected by the Generator. The available choices are ‘none’ if no label is needed, ‘required’ if the original labels are needed and ‘generated’ if labels are to be sampled from a distribution.

**forward** (*x, feature\_matching=False*)

Calculates the output tensor on passing the image *x* through the Discriminator.

**Parameters**

- **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 4D torch tensor of the image.

- **feature\_matching** (*bool, optional*) – Returns the activation from a predefined intermediate layer.

**Returns** A 1D torch.Tensor of the energy value of each image.

## 11.6 Auxiliary Classifier GAN

### 11.6.1 ACGANGenerator

```
class torchgan.models.ACGANGenerator (num_classes, encoding_dims=100, out_size=32,  
                                     out_channels=3, step_channels=64, batchnorm=True,  
                                     nonlinearity=None, last_nonlinearity=None)
```

Auxiliary Classifier GAN (ACGAN) generator based on a DCGAN model from “Conditional Image Synthesis With Auxiliary Classifier GANs by Odena et. al. “ paper

#### Parameters

- **num\_classes** (*int*) – Total classes present in the dataset.
- **encoding\_dims** (*int, optional*) – Dimension of the encoding vector sampled from the noise prior.
- **out\_size** (*int, optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be generated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **out\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in the output Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\text{dim } z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .
- **batchnorm** (*bool, optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.

**forward** (*z, y*)

Calculates the output tensor on passing the encoding *z* through the Generator.

#### Parameters

- **z** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 2D torch tensor of the encoding sampled from a probability distribution.
- **y** (*torch.Tensor*) – The labels corresponding to the encoding *z*.

**Returns** A 4D torch.Tensor of the generated Images conditioned on *y*.

**sampler** (*sample\_size, device*)

Function to allow sampling data at inference time. Models requiring input in any other format must override it in the subclass.

#### Parameters

- **sample\_size** (*int*) – The number of images to be generated
- **device** (*torch.device*) – The device on which the data must be generated

**Returns** A list of the items required as input

## 11.6.2 ACGANDiscriminator

```
class torchgan.models.ACGANDiscriminator(num_classes, in_size=32, in_channels=3,
                                         step_channels=64, batchnorm=True, nonlinearity=None, last_nonlinearity=None)
```

Auxiliary Classifier GAN (ACGAN) discriminator based on a DCGAN model from “Conditional Image Synthesis With Auxiliary Classifier GANs by Odena et. al.” paper

### Parameters

- **num\_classes** (*int*) – Total classes present in the dataset.
- **in\_size** (*int, optional*) – Height and width of the input image to be evaluated. Must be at least 16 and should be an exact power of 2.
- **in\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in the input Tensor.
- **step\_channels** (*int, optional*) – Number of channels in multiples of which the DCGAN steps up the convolutional features. The step up is done as  $\dim z \rightarrow d \rightarrow 2 \times d \rightarrow 4 \times d \rightarrow 8 \times d$  where  $d = \text{step\_channels}$ .
- **batchnorm** (*bool, optional*) – If True, use batch normalization in the convolutional layers of the generator.
- **nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the intermediate convolutional layers. Defaults to `LeakyReLU(0.2)` when None is passed.
- **last\_nonlinearity** (*torch.nn.Module, optional*) – Nonlinearity to be used in the final convolutional layer. Defaults to `Tanh()` when None is passed.

```
forward(x, mode='discriminator', feature_matching=False)
```

Calculates the output tensor on passing the image  $x$  through the Discriminator.

### Parameters

- **x** (*torch.Tensor*) – A 4D torch tensor of the image.
- **mode** (*str, optional*) – Option to choose the mode of the ACGANDiscriminator. Setting it to ‘discriminator’ gives the probability of the image being fake/real, ‘classifier’ allows it to make a prediction about the class of the image and anything else leads to returning both the values.
- **feature\_matching** (*bool, optional*) – Returns the activation from a predefined intermediate layer.

**Returns** A 1D torch.Tensor of the probability of each image being real.



This subpackage provides ability to perform end to end training capabilities of the Generator and Discriminator models. It provides strong visualization capabilities using `tensorboardX`. Most of the cases can be handled elegantly with the default trainer itself. But if incase you need to *subclass* the trainer for any reason follow the docs closely.

## 12.1 Base Trainer

```
class torchgan.trainer.BaseTrainer (losses_list,          metrics_list=None,          de-  
vice=<sphinx.ext.autodoc.importer._MockObject object>, ncritic=1, epochs=5, sample_size=8, check-  
points='./model/gan', retain_checkpoints=5, re-  
con='./images', log_dir=None, test_noise=None, nrow=8,  
**kwargs)
```

Base Trainer for TorchGANs.

**Warning:** This trainer is meant to form the base for all other Trainers. This is not meant for direct usage.

Features provided by this Base Trainer are:

- Loss and Metrics Logging via the `Logger` class.
- Generating Image Samples.
- Saving models at the end of every epoch and loading of previously saved models.
- Highly flexible and allows changing hyperparameters by simply adjusting the arguments.

Most of the functionalities provided by the Trainer are flexible enough and can be customized by simply passing different arguments. You can train anything from a simple DCGAN to complex CycleGANs without ever having to subclass this `Trainer`.

### Parameters

- **losses\_list** (*list*) – A list of the Loss Functions that need to be minimized. For a list of pre-defined losses look at `torchgan.losses`. All losses in the list must be a subclass of at least `GeneratorLoss` or `DiscriminatorLoss`.
- **metrics\_list** (*list, optional*) – List of Metric Functions that need to be logged. For a list of pre-defined metrics look at `torchgan.metrics`. All losses in the list must be a subclass of `EvaluationMetric`.
- **device** (*torch.device, optional*) – Device in which the operation is to be carried out. If you are using a CPU machine make sure that you change it for proper functioning.
- **ncritic** (*int, optional*) – Setting it to a value will make the discriminator train that many times more than the generator. If it is set to a negative value the generator will be trained that many times more than the discriminator.
- **sample\_size** (*int, optional*) – Total number of images to be generated at the end of an epoch for logging purposes.
- **epochs** (*int, optional*) – Total number of epochs for which the models are to be trained.
- **checkpoints** (*str, optional*) – Path where the models are to be saved. The naming convention is if checkpoints is `./model/gan` then models are saved as `./model/gan0.model` and so on.
- **retain\_checkpoints** (*int, optional*) – Total number of checkpoints that should be retained. For example, if the value is set to 3, we save at most 3 models and start rewriting the models after that.
- **recon** (*str, optional*) – Directory where the sampled images are saved. Make sure the directory exists from beforehand.
- **log\_dir** (*str, optional*) – The directory for logging tensorboard. It is ignored if `TENSORBOARD_LOGGING` is 0.
- **test\_noise** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – If provided then it will be used as the noise for image sampling.
- **nrow** (*int, optional*) – Number of rows in which the image is to be stored.

Any other argument that you need to store in the object can be simply passed via keyword arguments.

**complete** (*\*\*kwargs*)

Marks the end of training. It saves the final model and turns off the logger.

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**Note:** It is not necessary to call this function. If it is not called the logger is kept alive in the background. So it might be considered a good practice to call this function.

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**eval\_ops** (*\*\*kwargs*)

Runs all evaluation operations at the end of every epoch. It calls all the metric functions that are passed to the Trainer.

**load\_model** (*load\_path="", load\_items=None*)

Function to load the model and some necessary information along with it. List of items loaded:

- Epoch
- Model States
- Optimizer States
- Loss Information

- Loss Objects
- Metric Objects
- Loss Logs

**Warning:** An Exception is raised if the model could not be loaded. Make sure that the model being loaded was saved previously by `torchgan Trainer` itself. We currently do not support loading any other form of models but this might be improved in the future.

### Parameters

- `load_path` (*str*, *optional*) – Path from which the model is to be loaded.
- `load_items` (*str*, *list*, *optional*) – Pass the variable name of any other item you want to load. If the item cannot be found then a warning will be thrown and model will start to train from scratch. So make sure that item was saved.

### `optim_ops` ()

Runs all the schedulers at the end of every epoch.

### `save_model` (*epoch*, *save\_items=None*)

Function saves the model and some necessary information along with it. List of items stored for future reference:

- Epoch
- Model States
- Optimizer States
- Loss Information
- Loss Objects
- Metric Objects
- Loss Logs

The save location is printed when this function is called.

### Parameters

- `epoch` (*int*, *optional*) – Epoch Number at which the model is being saved
- `save_items` (*str*, *list*, *optional*) – Pass the variable name of any other item you want to save. The item must be present in the `__dict__` else training will come to an abrupt end.

### `train` (*data\_loader*, *\*\*kwargs*)

Uses the information passed by the user while creating the object and trains the model. It iterates over the epochs and the `DataLoader` and calls the functions for training the models and logging the required variables.

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**Note:** Even though `__call__` calls this function, it is best if `train` is not called directly. When `__call__` is invoked, we infer the `batch_size` from the `data_loader`. Also, we are certain not going to change the interface of the `__call__` function so it gives the user a stable API, while we can change the flow of execution of `train` in future.

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**Warning:** The user should never try to change this function in subclass. It is too delicate and changing affects every other function present in this `Trainer` class.

This function controls the execution of all the components of the `Trainer`. It controls the `logger`, `train_iter`, `save_model`, `eval_ops` and `optim_ops`.

**Parameters** `data_loader` (`torch.utils.data.DataLoader`) – A `DataLoader` for the trainer to iterate over and train the models.

`train_iter()`

Calls the `train_ops` of the loss functions. This is the core function of the `Trainer`. In most cases you will never have the need to extend this function. In extreme cases simply extend `train_iter_custom`.

**Warning:** This function is needed in this exact state for the `Trainer` to work correctly. So it is highly recommended that this function is not changed even if the `Trainer` is subclassed.

**Returns** An `NTuple` of the generator loss, discriminator loss, number of times the generator was trained and the number of times the discriminator was trained.

`train_iter_custom()`

Function that needs to be extended if `train_iter` is to be modified. Use this function to perform any sort of initialization that need to be done at the beginning of any train iteration. Refer the model zoo and tutorials for more details on how to write this function.

## 12.2 Trainer

```
class torchgan.trainer.Trainer (models,      losses_list,      metrics_list=None,      de-
                               vice=<sphinx.ext.autodoc.importer.MockObject      ob-
                               ject>,      ncritic=1,      epochs=5,      sample_size=8,      check-
                               points='./model/gan',      retain_checkpoints=5,      recon='./images',
                               log_dir=None,      test_noise=None,      nrow=8,      **kwargs)
```

Standard `Trainer` for various GANs. This has been designed to work only on one GPU in case you are using a GPU.

Most of the functionalities provided by the `Trainer` are flexible enough and can be customized by simply passing different arguments. You can train anything from a simple DCGAN to complex CycleGANs without ever having to subclass this `Trainer`.

### Parameters

- **models** (`dict`) – A dictionary containing a mapping between the variable name, storing the generator, discriminator and any other model that you might want to define, with the function and arguments that are needed to construct the model. Refer to the examples to see how to define complex models using this API.
- **losses\_list** (`list`) – A list of the Loss Functions that need to be minimized. For a list of pre-defined losses look at `torchgan.losses`. All losses in the list must be a subclass of at least `GeneratorLoss` or `DiscriminatorLoss`.
- **metrics\_list** (`list`, `optional`) – List of Metric Functions that need to be logged. For a list of pre-defined metrics look at `torchgan.metrics`. All losses in the list must be a subclass of `EvaluationMetric`.



- **device** (*torch.device, optional*) – Device in which the operation is to be carried out. If you are using a CPU machine make sure that you change it for proper functioning.
- **ncritic** (*int, optional*) – Setting it to a value will make the discriminator train that many times more than the generator. If it is set to a negative value the generator will be trained that many times more than the discriminator.
- **sample\_size** (*int, optional*) – Total number of images to be generated at the end of an epoch for logging purposes.
- **epochs** (*int, optional*) – Total number of epochs for which the models are to be trained.
- **checkpoints** (*str, optional*) – Path where the models are to be saved. The naming convention is if checkpoints is `./model/gan` then models are saved as `./model/gan0.model` and so on.
- **retain\_checkpoints** (*int, optional*) – Total number of checkpoints that should be retained. For example, if the value is set to 3, we save at most 3 models and start rewriting the models after that.
- **recon** (*str, optional*) – Directory where the sampled images are saved. Make sure the directory exists from beforehand.
- **log\_dir** (*str, optional*) – The directory for logging tensorboard. It is ignored if `TENSORBOARD_LOGGING` is 0.
- **test\_noise** (*torch.Tensor, optional*) – If provided then it will be used as the noise for image sampling.
- **nrow** (*int, optional*) – Number of rows in which the image is to be stored.

Any other argument that you need to store in the object can be simply passed via keyword arguments.

### Example

```
>>> dcgan = Trainer(
    {"generator": {"name": DCGANGenerator, "args": {"out_channels": 1,
↪ "step_channels":
        16}, "optimizer": {"name": Adam, "args": {"lr": 0.0002,
        "betas": (0.5, 0.999)}}},
    "discriminator": {"name": DCGANDiscriminator, "args": {"in_channels
↪ ": 1,
↪ "step_channels": 16}, "optimizer": {"var": "opt_
↪ discriminator",
        "name": Adam, "args": {"lr": 0.0002, "betas": (0.5,
↪ 0.999)}}}},
    [MinimaxGeneratorLoss(), MinimaxDiscriminatorLoss()],
    sample_size=64, epochs=20)
```

## 12.3 Parallel Trainer

```
class torchgan.trainer.ParallelTrainer(models, losses_list, devices, metrics_list=None,  
                                       ncritic=1, epochs=5, sample_size=8, checkpoints=  
                                       './model/gan', retain_checkpoints=5,  
                                       recon='./images', log_dir=None, test_noise=None,  
                                       nrow=8, **kwargs)
```

MultiGPU Trainer for GANs. Use the `Trainer` class for training on a single GPU or a CPU machine.

### Parameters

- **models** (*dict*) – A dictionary containing a mapping between the variable name, storing the generator, discriminator and any other model that you might want to define, with the function and arguments that are needed to construct the model. Refer to the examples to see how to define complex models using this API.
- **losses\_list** (*list*) – A list of the Loss Functions that need to be minimized. For a list of pre-defined losses look at `torchgan.losses`. All losses in the list must be a subclass of at least `GeneratorLoss` or `DiscriminatorLoss`.
- **devices** (*list*) – Devices in which the operations are to be carried out. If you are using a CPU machine or a single GPU machine use the `Trainer` class.
- **metrics\_list** (*list*, *optional*) – List of Metric Functions that need to be logged. For a list of pre-defined metrics look at `torchgan.metrics`. All losses in the list must be a subclass of `EvaluationMetric`.
- **ncritic** (*int*, *optional*) – Setting it to a value will make the discriminator train that many times more than the generator. If it is set to a negative value the generator will be trained that many times more than the discriminator.
- **sample\_size** (*int*, *optional*) – Total number of images to be generated at the end of an epoch for logging purposes.
- **epochs** (*int*, *optional*) – Total number of epochs for which the models are to be trained.
- **checkpoints** (*str*, *optional*) – Path where the models are to be saved. The naming convention is if `checkpoints` is `./model/gan` then models are saved as `./model/gan0.model` and so on.
- **retain\_checkpoints** (*int*, *optional*) – Total number of checkpoints that should be retained. For example, if the value is set to 3, we save at most 3 models and start rewriting the models after that.
- **recon** (*str*, *optional*) – Directory where the sampled images are saved. Make sure the directory exists from beforehand.
- **log\_dir** (*str*, *optional*) – The directory for logging tensorboard. It is ignored if `TENSORBOARD_LOGGING` is 0.
- **test\_noise** (*torch.Tensor*, *optional*) – If provided then it will be used as the noise for image sampling.
- **nrow** (*int*, *optional*) – Number of rows in which the image is to be stored.

Any other argument that you need to store in the object can be simply passed via keyword arguments.

### Example

```
>>> dcgan = ParallelTrainer(  
    {"generator": {"name": DCGANGenerator, "args": {"out_channels": 1,  
↪ "step_channels":  
        16}, "optimizer": {"name": Adam, "args": {"lr": 0.0002,  
        "betas": (0.5, 0.999)}}},  
    "discriminator": {"name": DCGANDiscriminator, "args": {"in_channels  
↪ ": 1,  
        "step_channels": 16}, "optimizer": {"var": "opt_  
↪ discriminator",  
        "name": Adam, "args": {"lr": 0.0002, "betas": (0.5,  
↪ 0.999)}}}},  
    [MinimaxGeneratorLoss(), MinimaxDiscriminatorLoss()],  
    [0, 1, 2],  
    sample_size=64, epochs=20)
```



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