

Detach and Adapt:
Learning Cross-Domain Disentangled Deep Representation
for Image Synthesis and Classification

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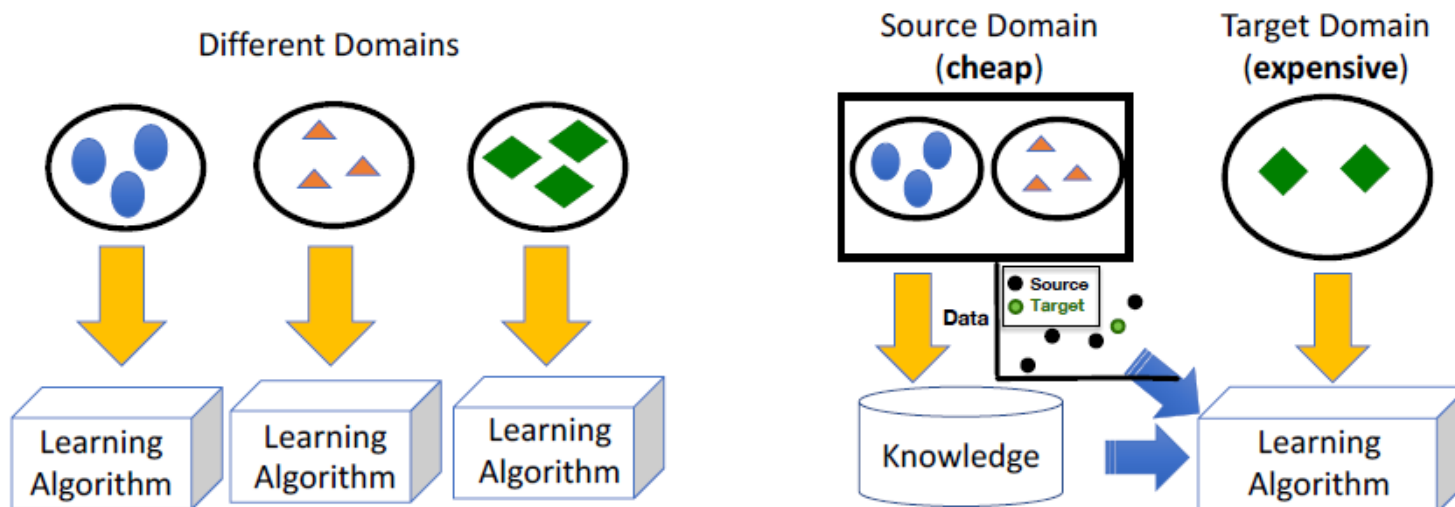
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(Traditional) Machine Learning vs. Transfer Learning

- Transfer Learning
 - Collecting/annotating data is typically **expensive**.
 - Improved learning & understanding in the **target domain** by leveraging knowledge from the **source domain**

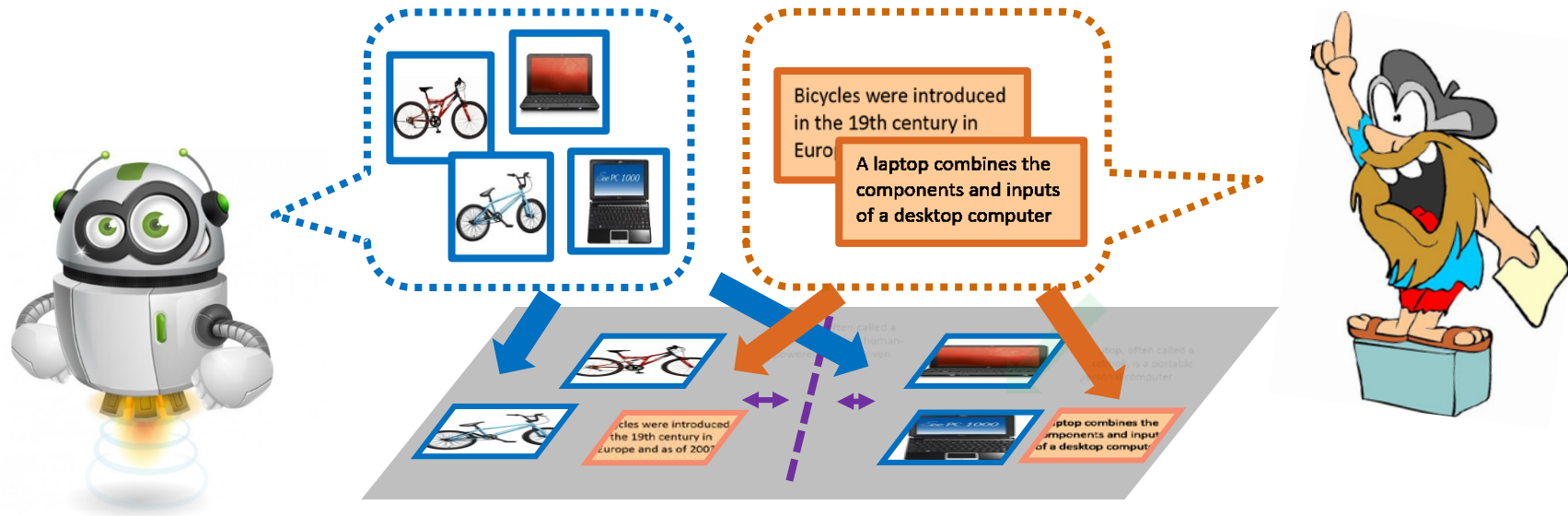


Research Focuses

- Transfer Learning for
 - Homogeneous/heterogeneous domain adaptation
 - Multi-label classification / zero-shot learning
 - Robust face recognition (e.g., cross-resolution, cross-modality, etc.)

Heterogeneous Domain Adaptation

- Deep Transfer Learning for Cross-Domain Data Classification
 - Learning from source & target-domain data described by distinct types of features



Heterogeneous Domain Adaptation (cont'd)

- Transfer Neural Trees (TNT)
 - Joint learning of **cross-domain mapping** F_S/F_T & **cl. layer** G (deep neural decision forest)
 - Propose **stochastic pruning** for G to avoid overfitting source-domain labeled data
 - Unique **embedding loss** for learning target-domain data in a *semi-supervised* setting



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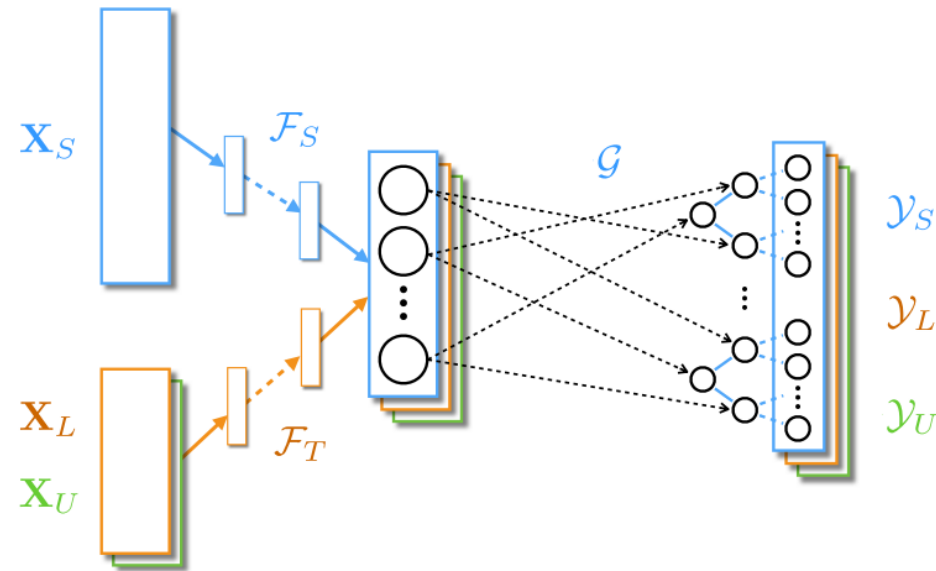
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Source-domain labeled data

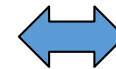
Target-domain labeled data

Target-domain unlabeled data



Multi-Label Classification

- Predicting multiple labels w/o using annotated ground truth info (e.g., bounding box)
- Learning across **image** and **label-domain data** + exploit **label co-occurrences**

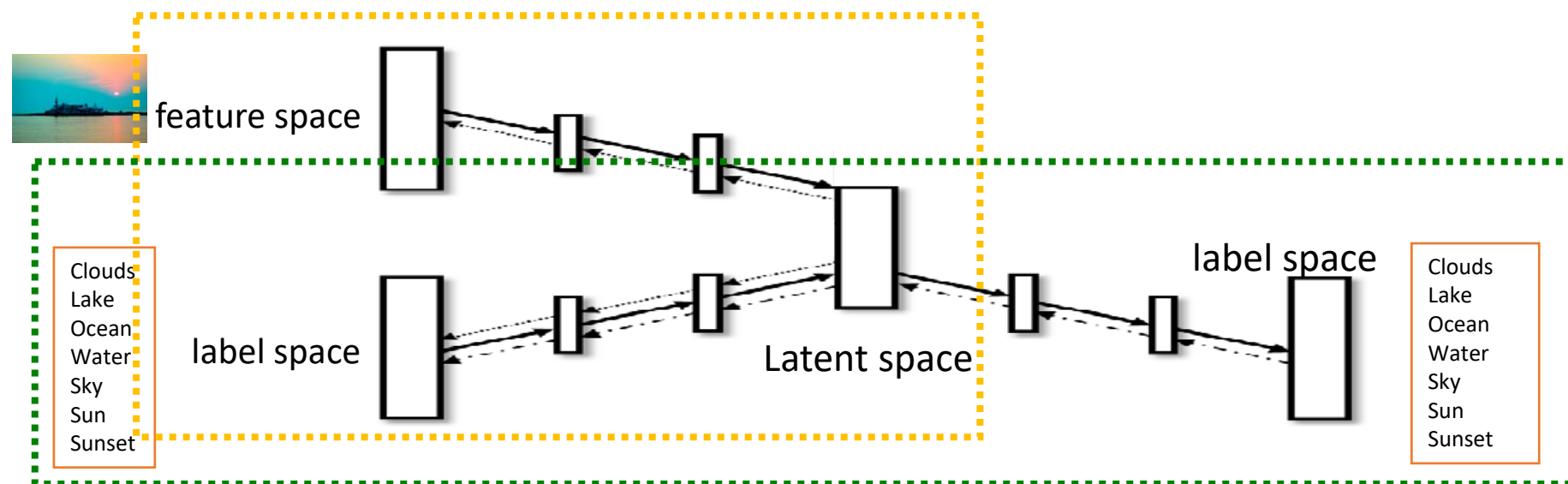


Labels:

Person
Table
Sofa
Chair
TV
Lights
Carpet
...

Multi-Label Classification (cont'd)

- **Canonical Correlated AutoEncoder (C2AE)** [AAAI'17]
 - Unique integration of **autoencoder** & **deep canonical correlation analysis (DCCA)**
 - **Autoencoder** in C2AE: label embedding + label recovery + label co-occurrence
 - **DCCA** in C2AE: joint feature & label embedding



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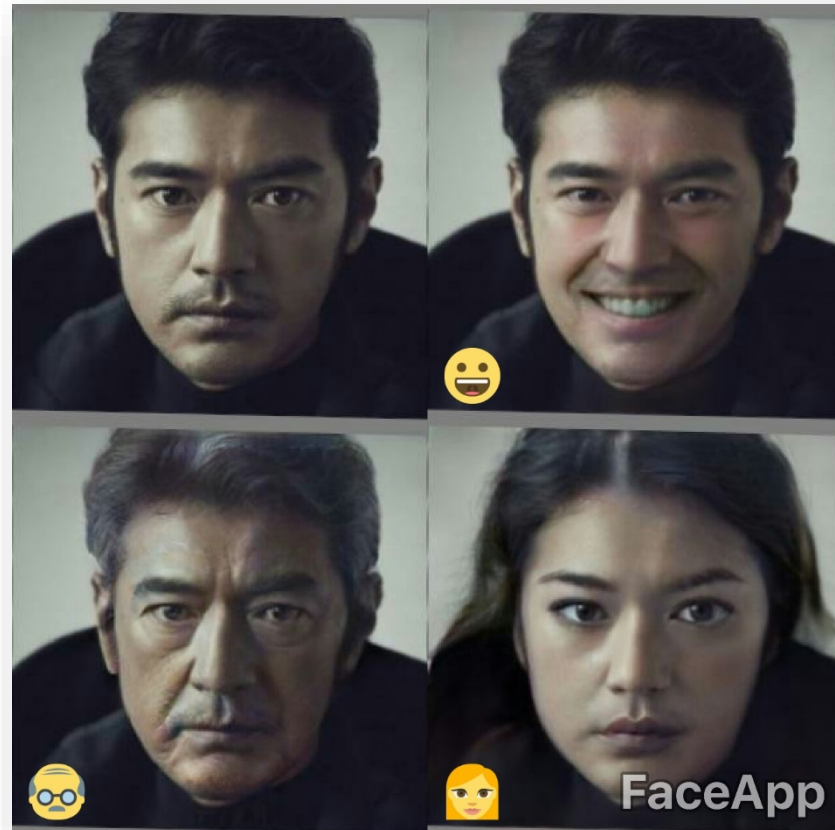
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FaceApp



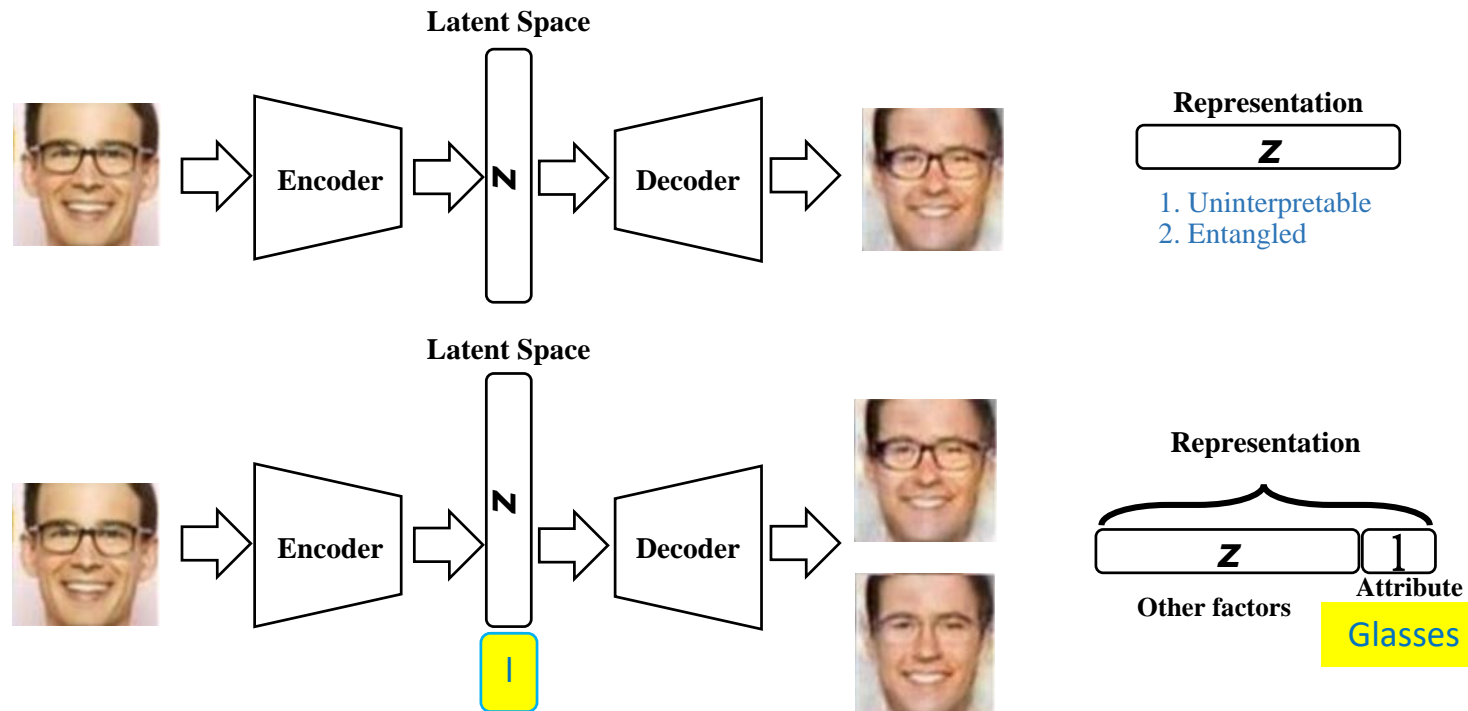
- Beyond putting a smile on your face
- Over 10M downloads

Input →



Introduction

- Feature Disentanglement:
 - Learn a **latent space** which factorizes the representation z into different **parts** (i.e., **attributes**) for describing the corresponding info (e.g., **identity**, **pose**, or **expression** of facial images).



Settings for Feature Disentanglement

- **Unsupervised Learning**

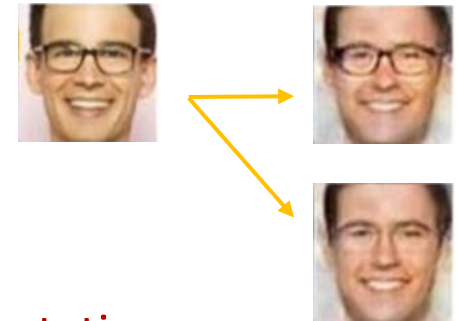
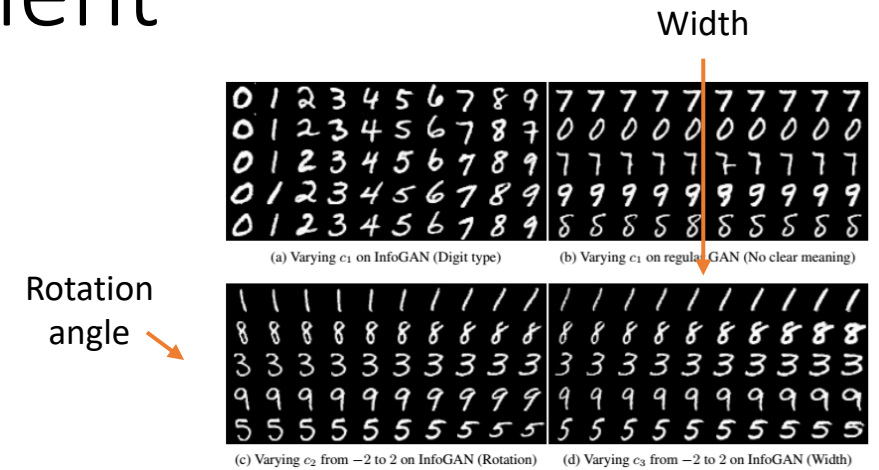
- Disentangling images *without* observing attribute info
- *No guarantee* in disentangling particular semantics

- **Supervised Learning**

- With supervision of image labels, disentangle the associated factor from feature representation
- Can manipulate the output image with label/attribute of interest accordingly.

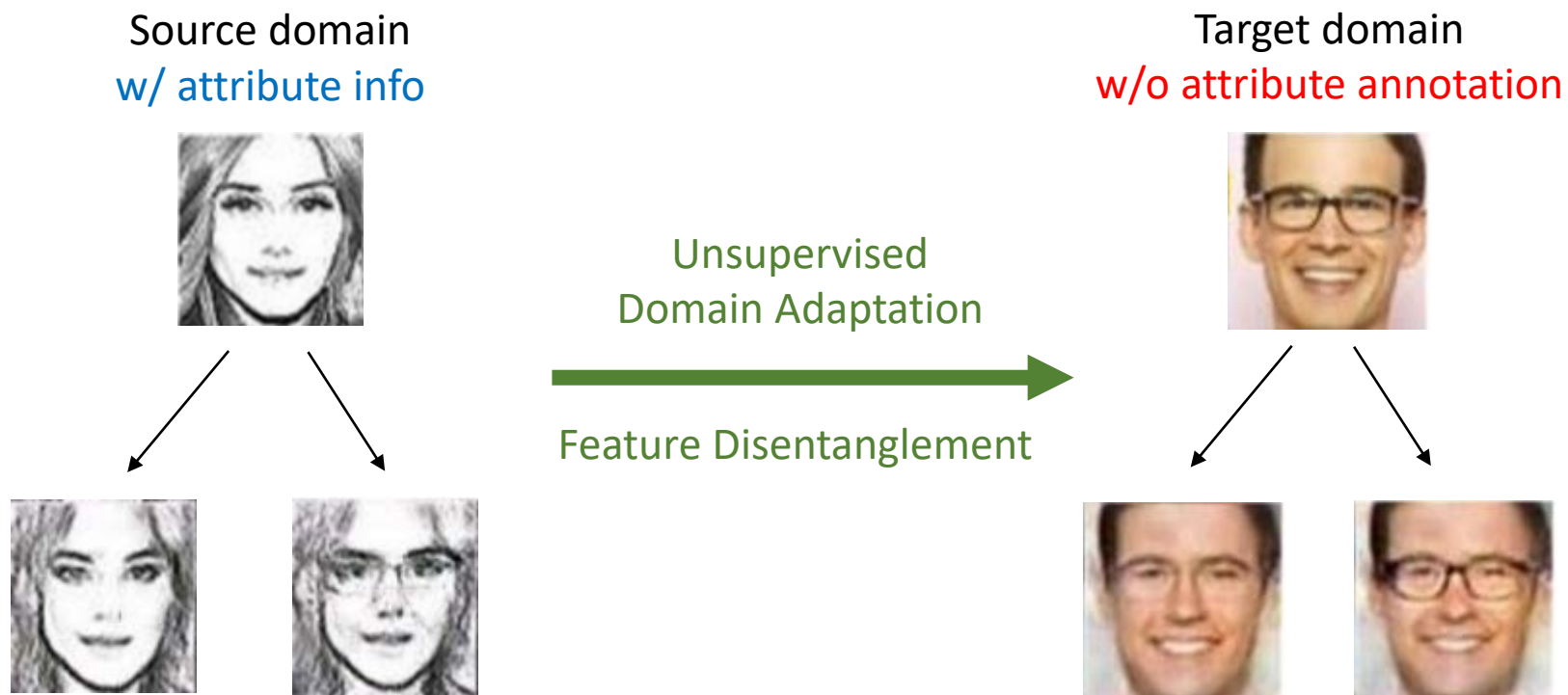
- **Ours: Cross-Domain Feature Disentanglement**

- Source-domain training data: existing annotated instances
- Target-domain data: no ground truth info, to be adapted/manipulated
- Can be viewed as either **semi-supervised learning**, or **unsupervised domain adaptation**



Our Goal

- A unified framework for **cross-domain feature disentanglement**, with only attribute supervision from the source domain.



Related Works

- Feature Disentanglement
 - Unsupervised: InfoGAN [1]
 - Supervised: AC-GAN [2]

- Unsupervised Cross-Domain Image Synthesis/Translation
 - Image synthesis: CoGAN [3]
 - Image translation: UNIT [4]

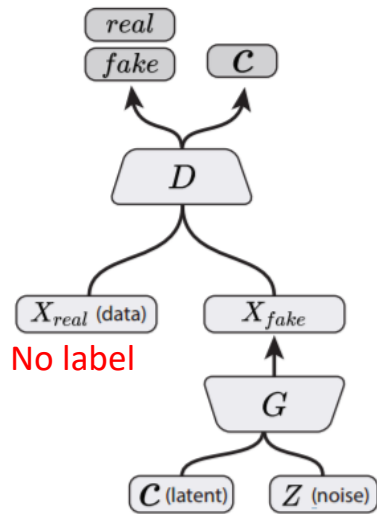
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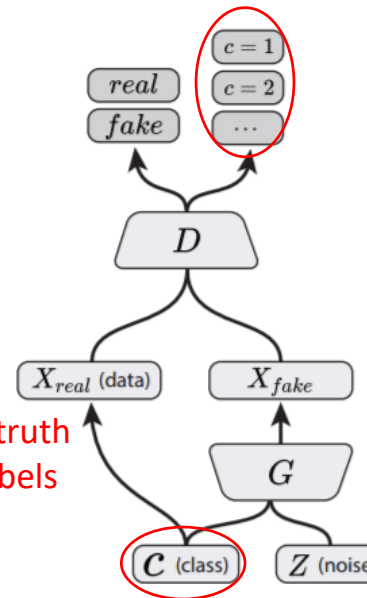
InfoGAN & AC-GAN (Unsup/Sup. Feature disentanglement)



InfoGAN (unsupervised)

$$\min_G \max_D V_I(D, G) = V(D, G) - \lambda I(c; G(z, c))$$

No label



AC-GAN (supervised)

$$L_S = E[\log P(S = \text{real} | X_{\text{real}})] + E[\log P(S = \text{fake} | X_{\text{fake}})]$$

$$L_C = E[\log P(C = c | X_{\text{real}})] + E[\log P(C = c | X_{\text{fake}})]$$

w/ ground truth attribute labels



(a) Varying c_1 on InfoGAN (Digit type)

(b) Varying c_1 on regular GAN (No clear meaning)



(c) Varying c_2 from -2 to 2 on InfoGAN (Rotation)

(d) Varying c_3 from -2 to 2 on InfoGAN (Width)



monarch butterfly

goldfinch

daisy

redshank

grey whale

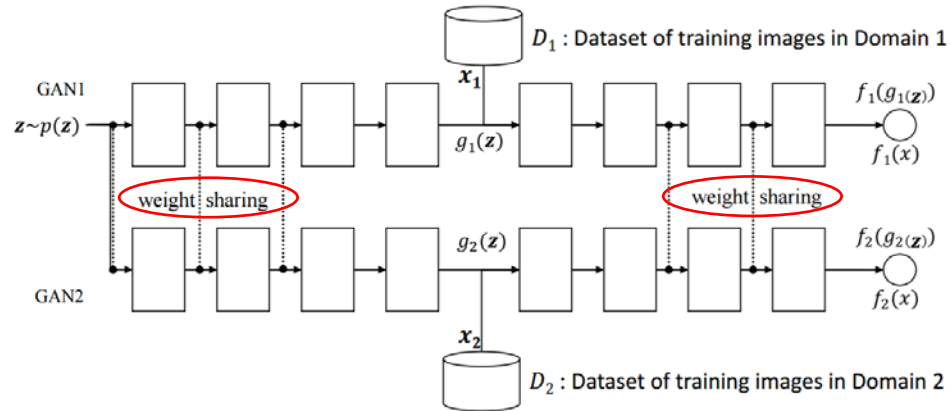
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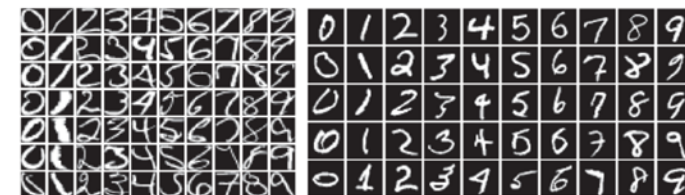
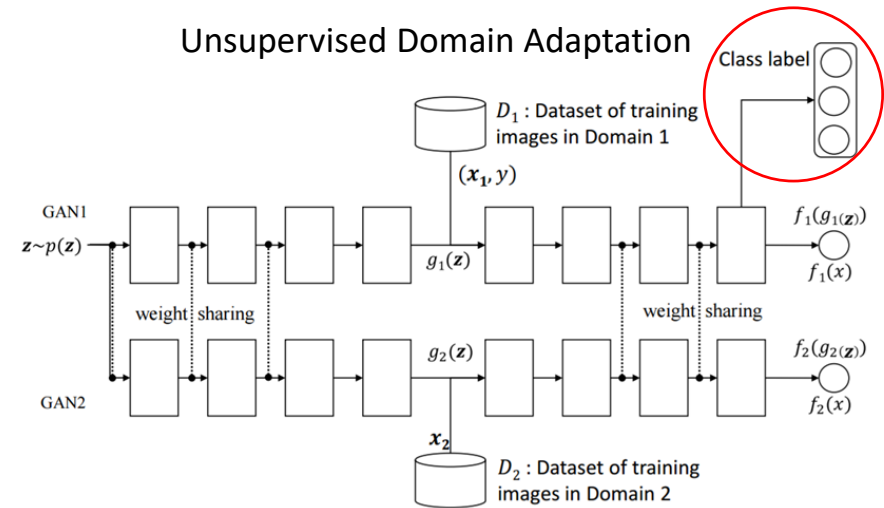
CoGAN (Unsupervised Cross-Domain Image Synthesis)

- Synthesize pairs of corresponding images
- Enforce weight-sharing constraints in high-level layers

Unsupervised Cross-Domain Image Synthesis



Unsupervised Domain Adaptation



(a) USPS

(b) MNIST

Task \ Method	[18]	[19]	[20]	[21]	CoGAN
MNIST→USPS	0.408	0.467	0.478	0.607	0.912 ±0.008
USPS→MNIST	0.274	0.355	0.631	0.673	0.891 ±0.008
Average	0.341	0.411	0.554	0.640	0.902

UNIT (Unsupervised Cross-domain Image Translation)

UNIT learns translation functions of mapping an image in one domain to another without any corresponding images across domains.

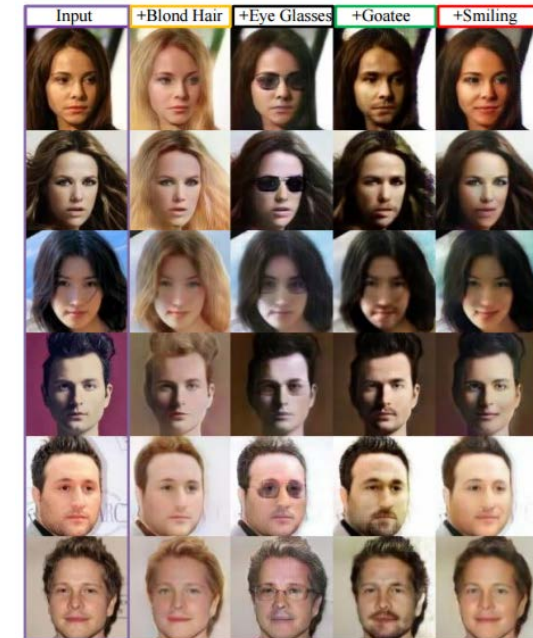
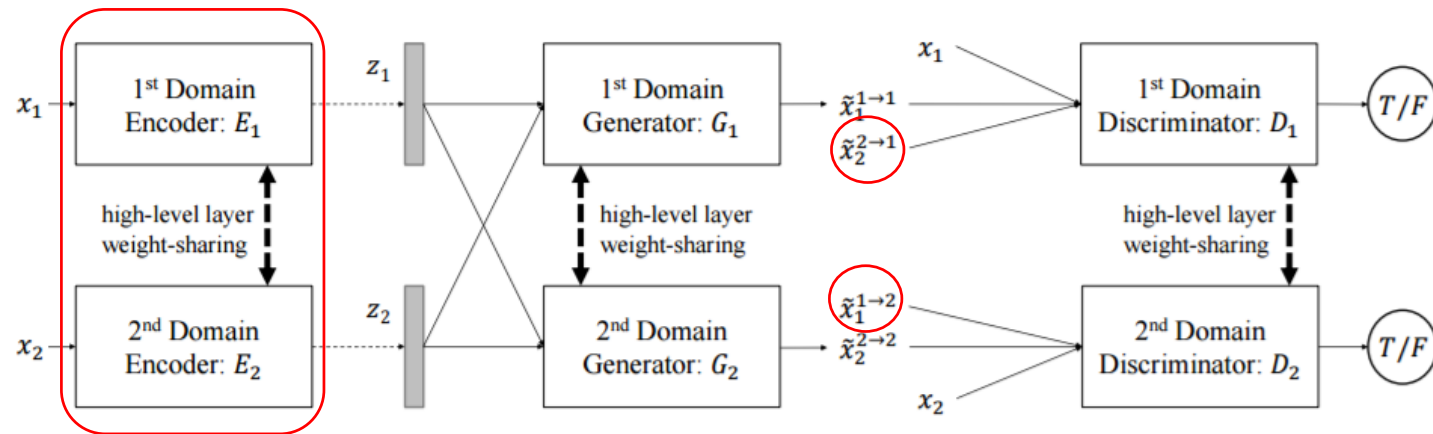


Table 2: UDA results on adapting from the SVHN domain to the MNIST domain. The results of the other algorithms were duplicated from (Taigman et al., 2017)

Method	Accuracy
SA (Fernando et al., 2013)	59.32%
DANN (Ganin et al., 2016)	73.85%
DTN (Taigman et al., 2017)	84.88%
UNIT (proposed)	90.53%

Proposed Method - Cross-Domain Disentanglement (CDD)

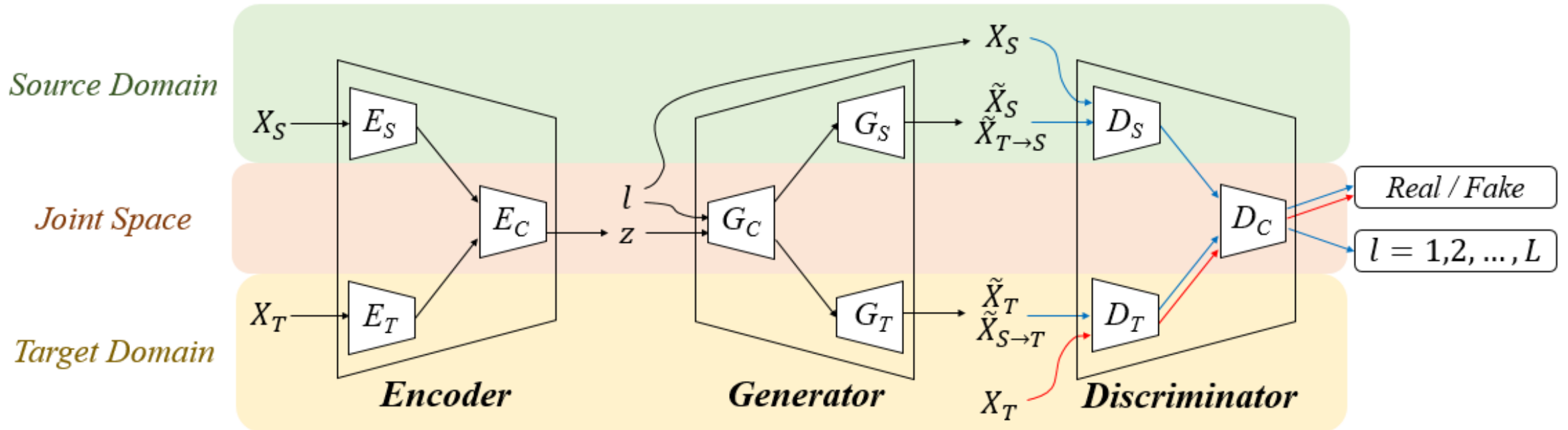
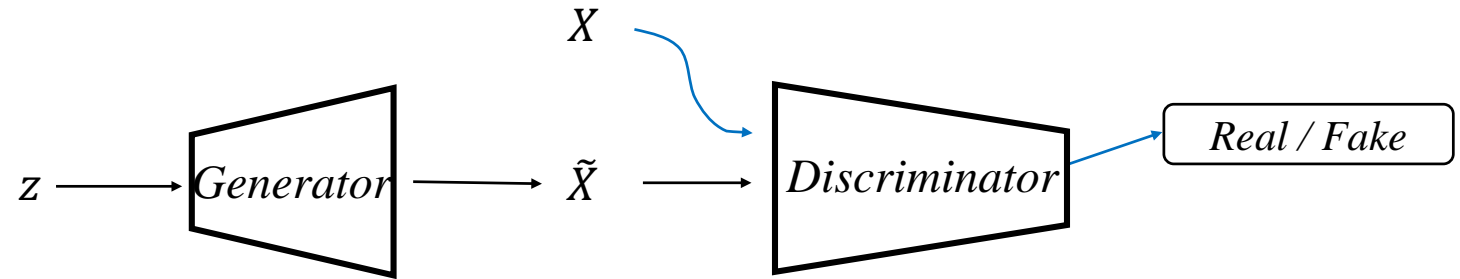


Figure: Overview of our proposed method

Proposed Method - Cross-Domain Disentanglement (CDD)

Generative Adversarial Network (GAN)



✓ Synthesize realistic images

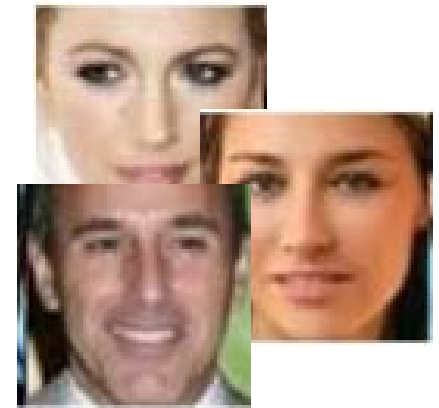
$$\mathcal{L}_{adv} = \mathbb{E}[\log(1 - D(\tilde{X}))] + \mathbb{E}[\log(D(X))]$$

Synthesized images \tilde{X}



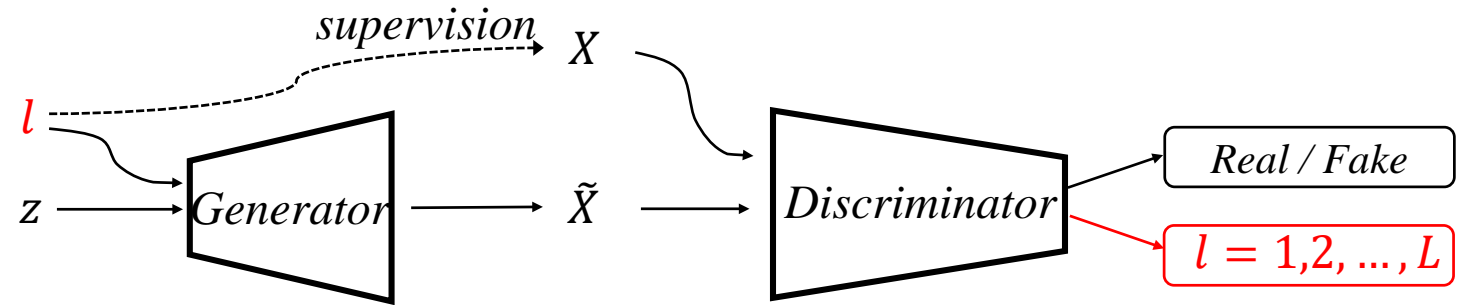
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Real images X



Proposed Method

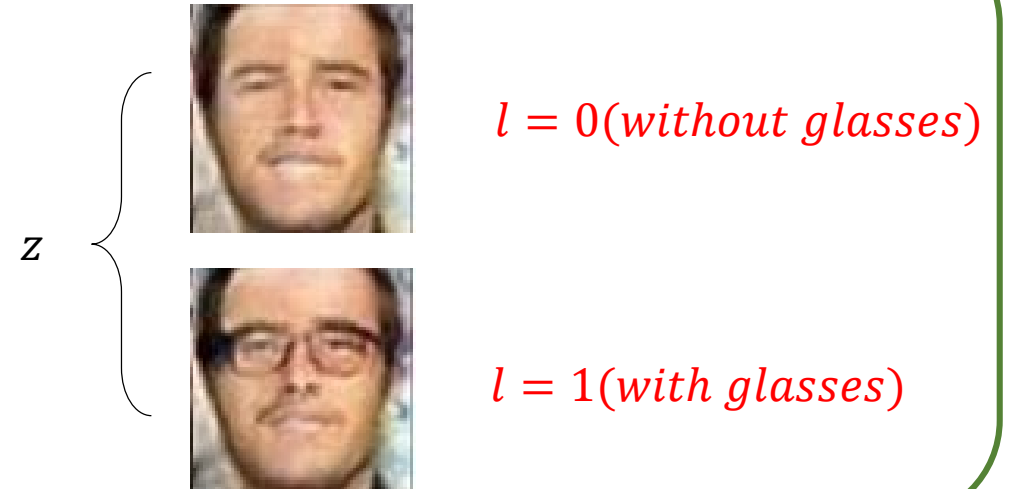
AuxiliaryClassifier-GAN (AC-GAN)



- ✓ *Synthesize* images conditioned on disentangled factor l
- ✓ Disentangle the specific factor l from the representation z

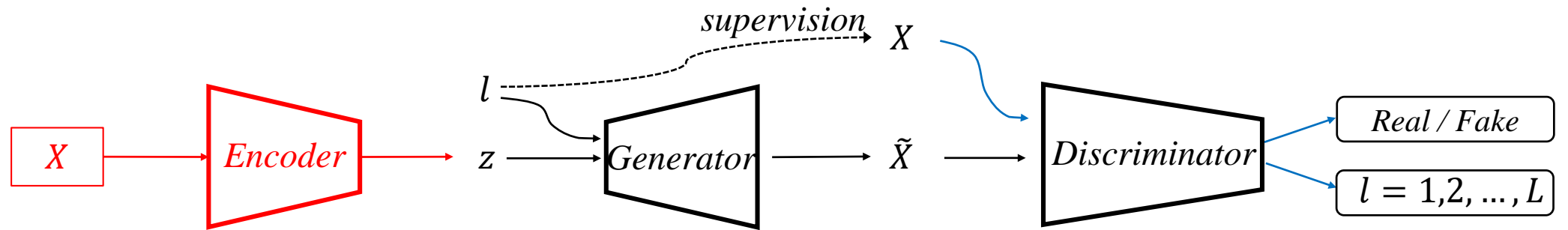
$$\mathcal{L}_{dis} = \mathbb{E}[\log(L = l|X)] + \mathbb{E}[\log(L = l|\tilde{X})]$$

Synthesized images \tilde{X}



Proposed Method

VAE + AC-GAN



- ✓ Translate the images conditioned on disentangled factor l

$$\mathcal{L}_{VAE} = \mathcal{L}_{perc} + KL(q_S(z|X) || p(z))$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{perc} = \|\Phi(X) - \Phi(\tilde{X})\|_F^2$$

Input images X



z

$l = 0$

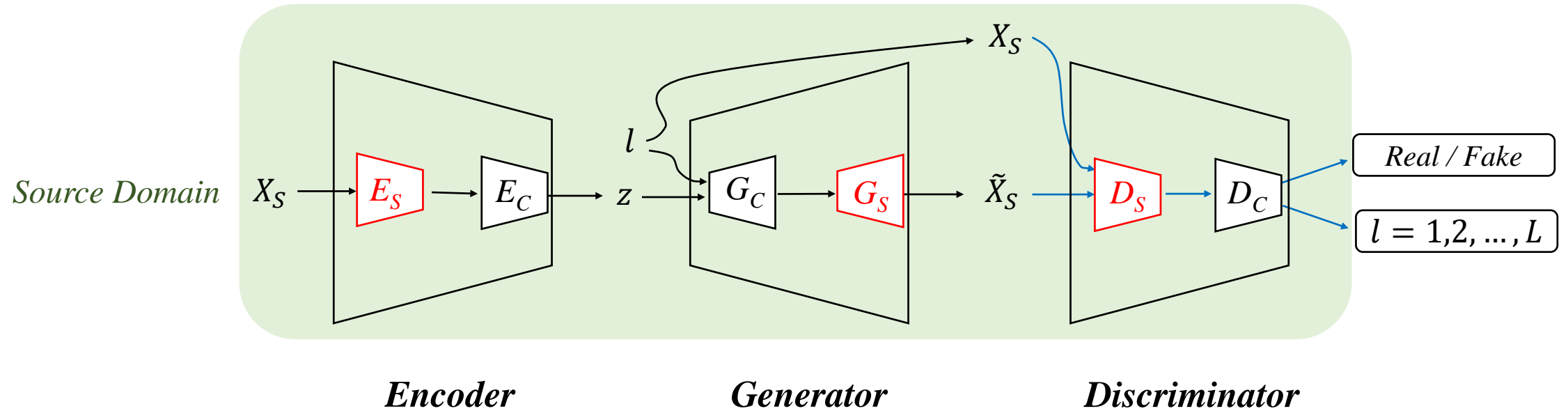
$l = 1$

Synthesized images \tilde{X}



Proposed Method

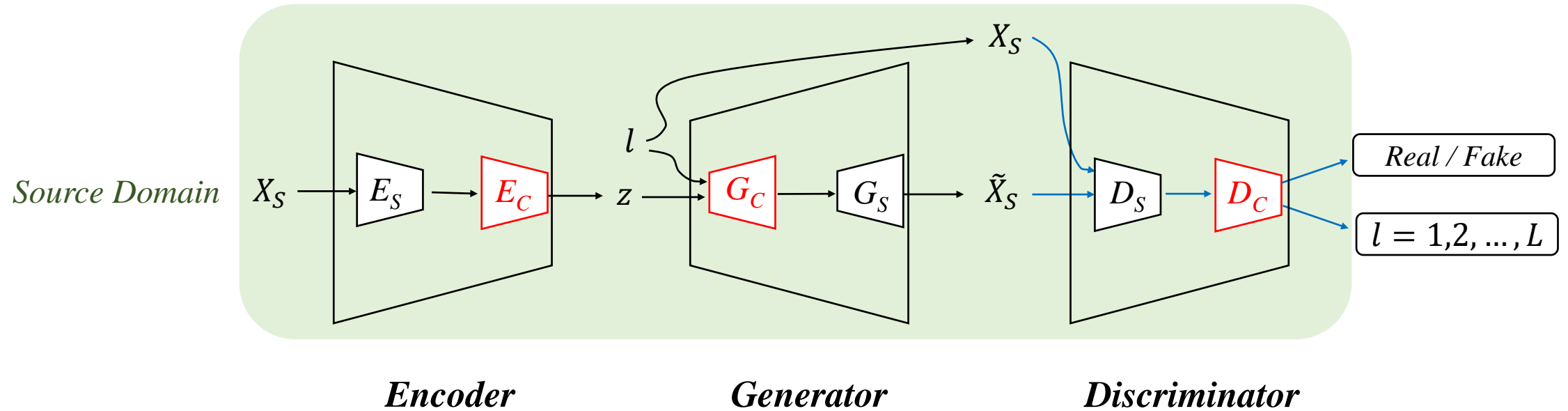
VAE + AC-GAN



✓ Divide the network into low-level and high-level layers.

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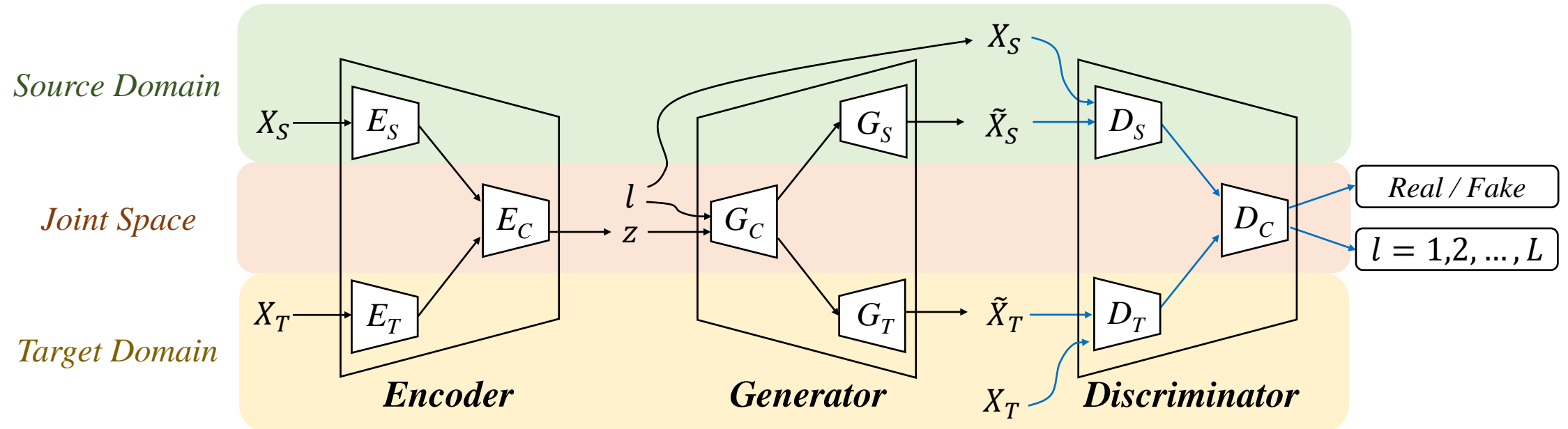
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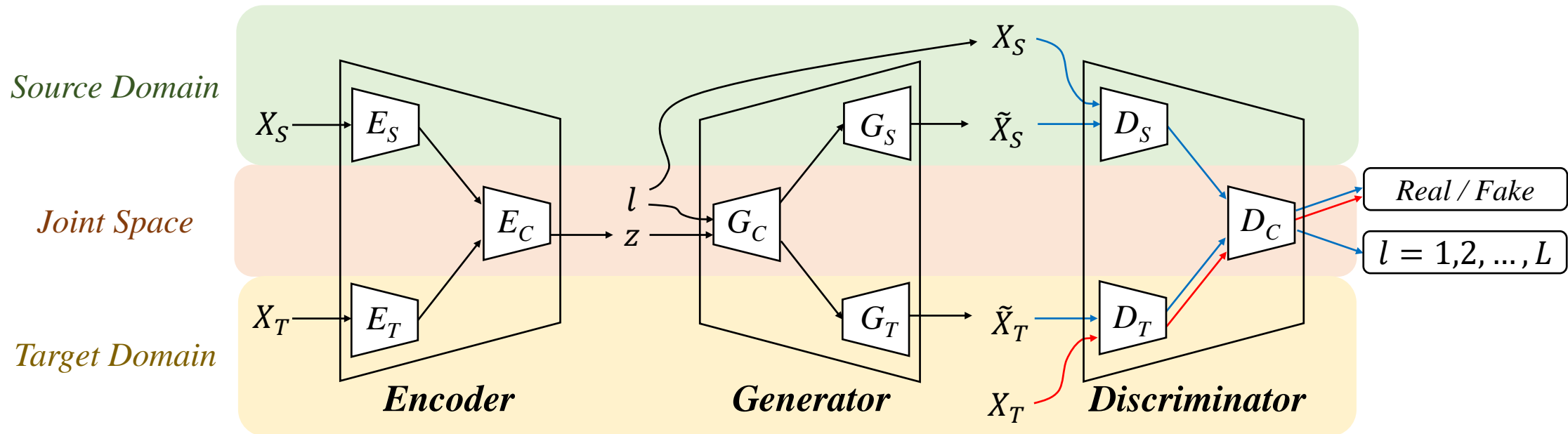
VAE + AC-GAN for cross-domain images



✓ Share the **high-level** layers of *Encoder*, *Generator*, and *Discriminator*

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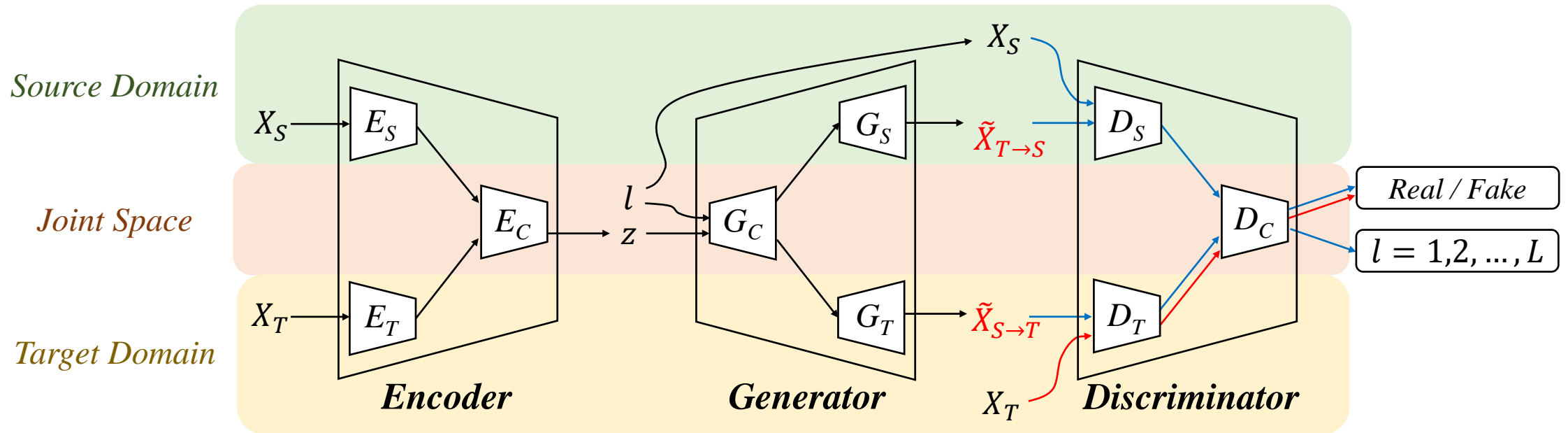


- ✓ **No attribute supervision** in the target domain.
- ✓ We only urge the synthesized data in target domain \tilde{X}_T to be disentangled.

$$\mathcal{L}_{dis}^T = \mathbb{E}[\log(L = l | \tilde{X}_T)]$$

Proposed Method

VAE + AC-GAN for cross-domain images

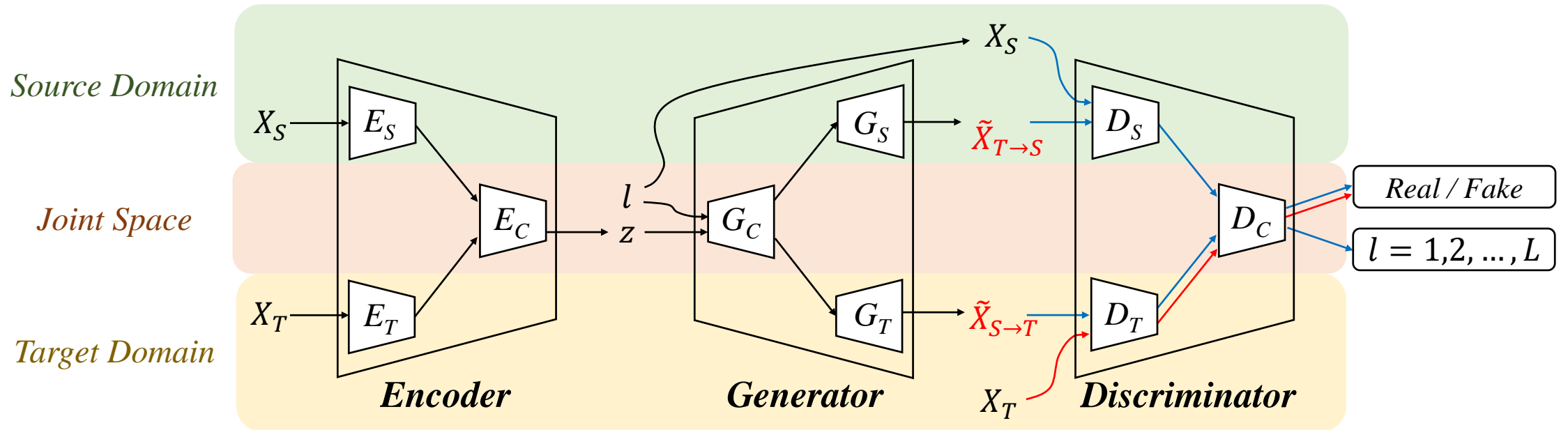


✓ Translate the images $\tilde{X}_{T \rightarrow S}$ and $\tilde{X}_{S \rightarrow T}$ across different domains.

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{adv}^{cd} &= \mathcal{L}_{adv}^{S \rightarrow T} + \mathcal{L}_{adv}^{T \rightarrow S}, \\ \mathcal{L}_{adv}^{S \rightarrow T} &= \mathbb{E}[\log(1 - D_C(D_T(\tilde{X}_{S \rightarrow T})))] + \mathbb{E}[\log(D_C(D_T(X_T)))], \\ \mathcal{L}_{adv}^{T \rightarrow S} &= \mathbb{E}[\log(1 - D_C(D_S(\tilde{X}_{T \rightarrow S})))] + \mathbb{E}[\log(D_C(D_S(X_S)))].\end{aligned}$$

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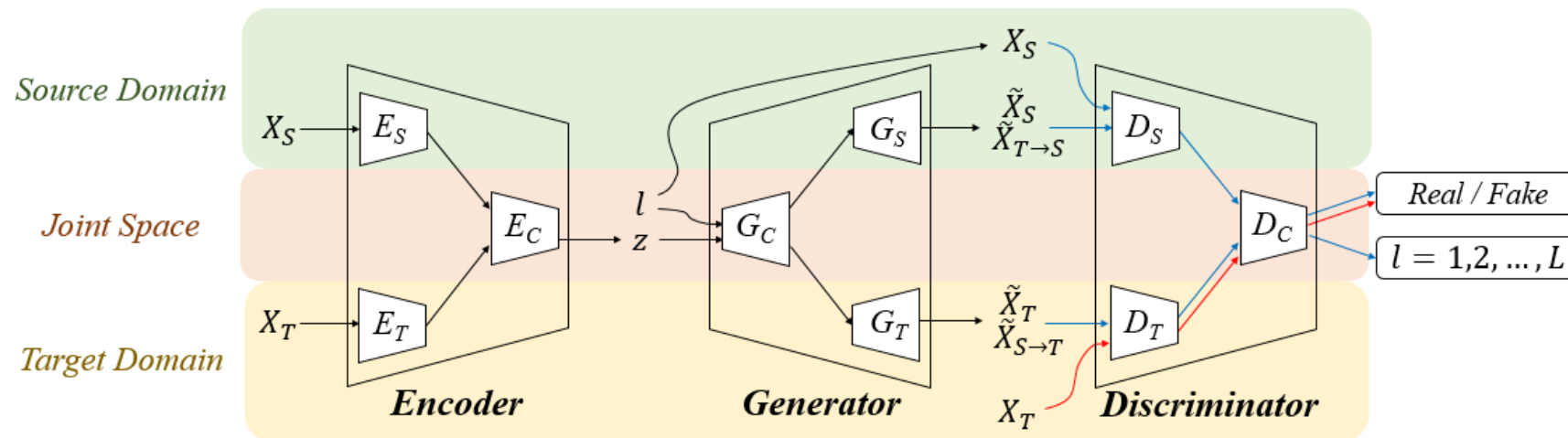


✓ Tie the disentangled factor l across domains with

$$\mathcal{L}_{dis}^{cd} = \mathbb{E}[\log(L = l | \tilde{X}_{S \rightarrow T})] + \mathbb{E}[\log(L = l | \tilde{X}_{T \rightarrow S})].$$

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VAE + AC-GAN for cross-domain images



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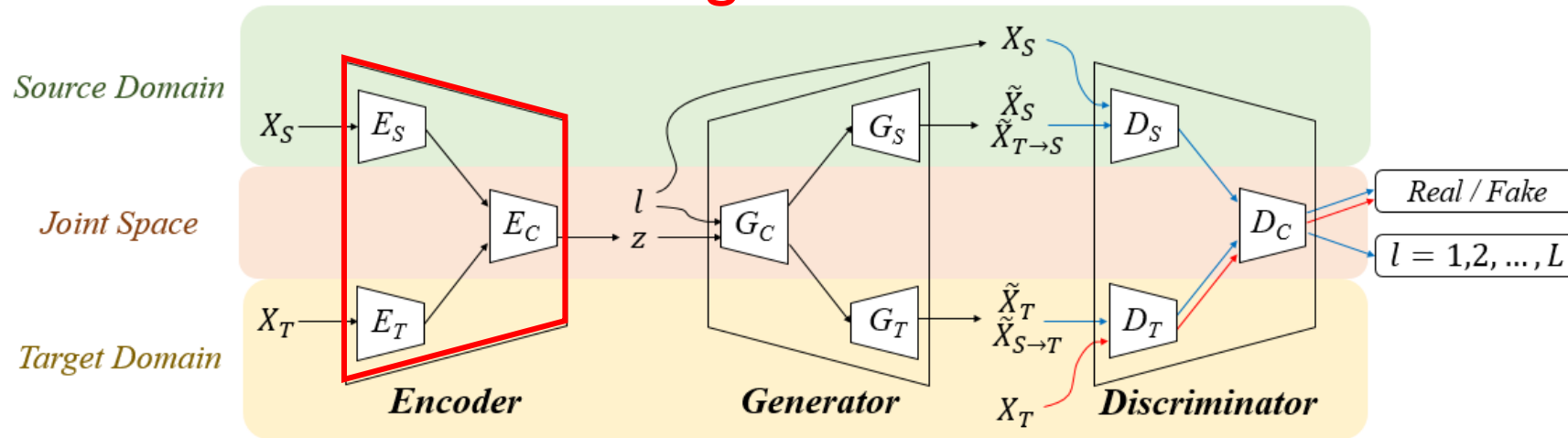
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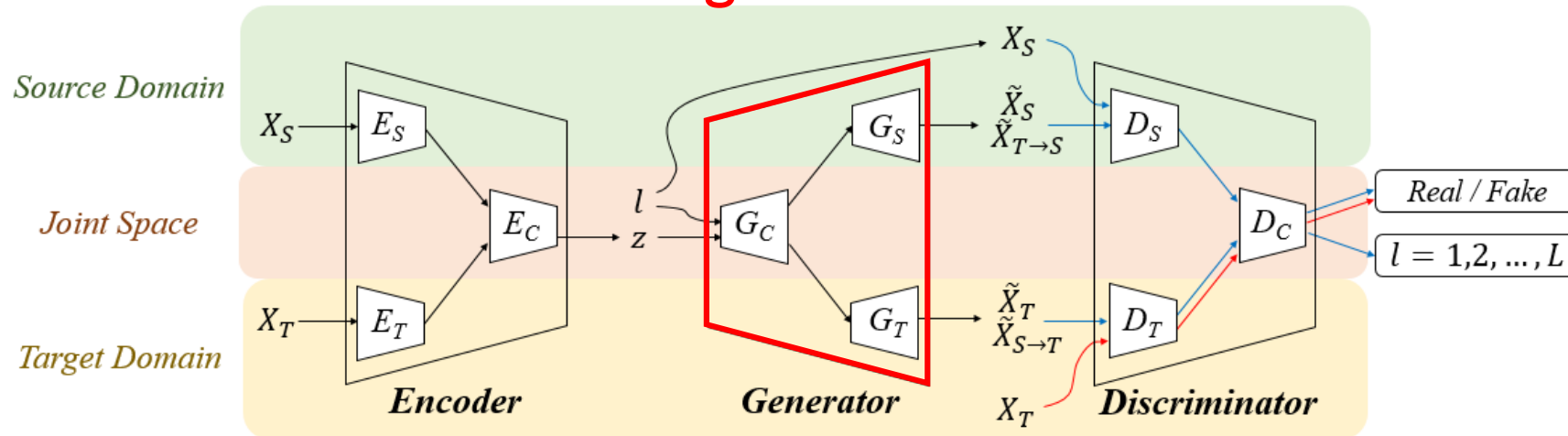
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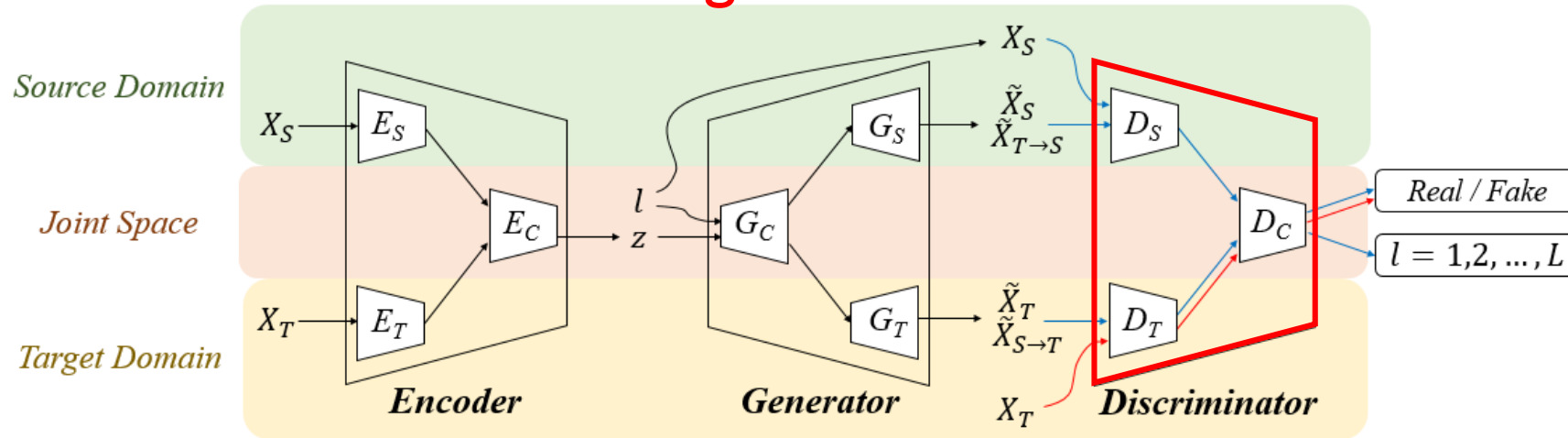
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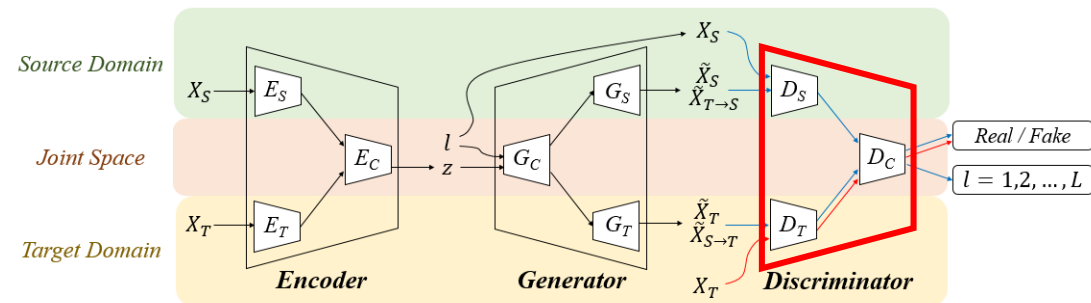
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Experiments

- Qualitative Evaluation:
 - Conditional image synthesis and translation
- Quantitative Evaluation:
 - Cross-domain attribute classification
- Dataset
 - CelebFaces Attributes dataset (CelebA)
 - A large-scale face dataset with 200K+ celebrity images with 40 facial annotated attributes

Results



S : faces w/o eyeglasses; T : faces w/ eyeglasses; l : attribute of smiling

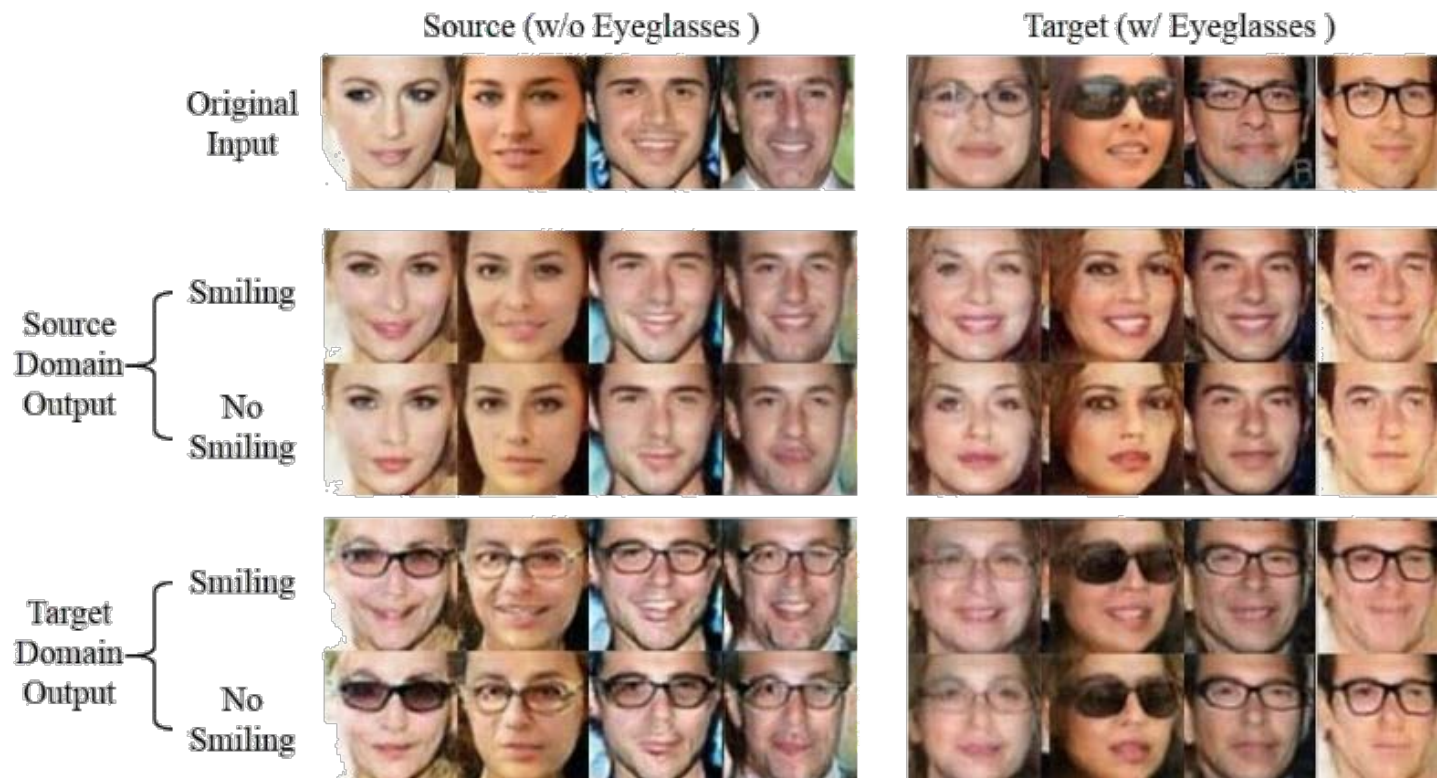


Table 1: Cross-domain classification results of face images with respect to the attribute of smiling. Source and target-domain test data are faces w/o eyeglasses and w/ eyeglasses, respectively.

Method		CoGAN	UNIT	Ours*	Ours
Accuracy (%)	Source	87.03	88.66	89.48	89.73
	Target	71.92	71.82	83.69	84.43

Results

S : real photo of faces; T : simulated sketch of faces; I : attribute of smiling

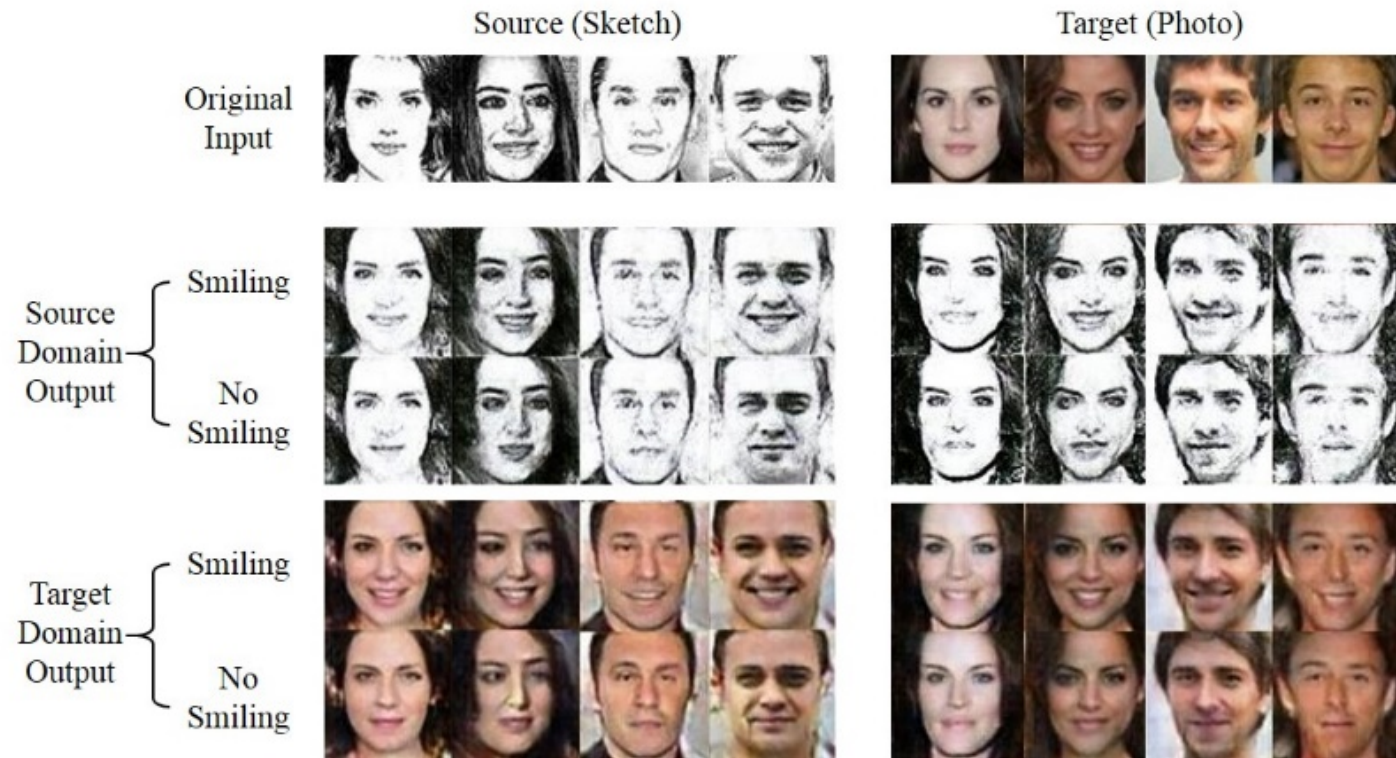


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Method		CoGAN	UNIT	Ours*	Ours
Accuracy (%)	Source	89.50	90.10	90.19	90.01
	Target	78.90	81.04	87.61	88.28

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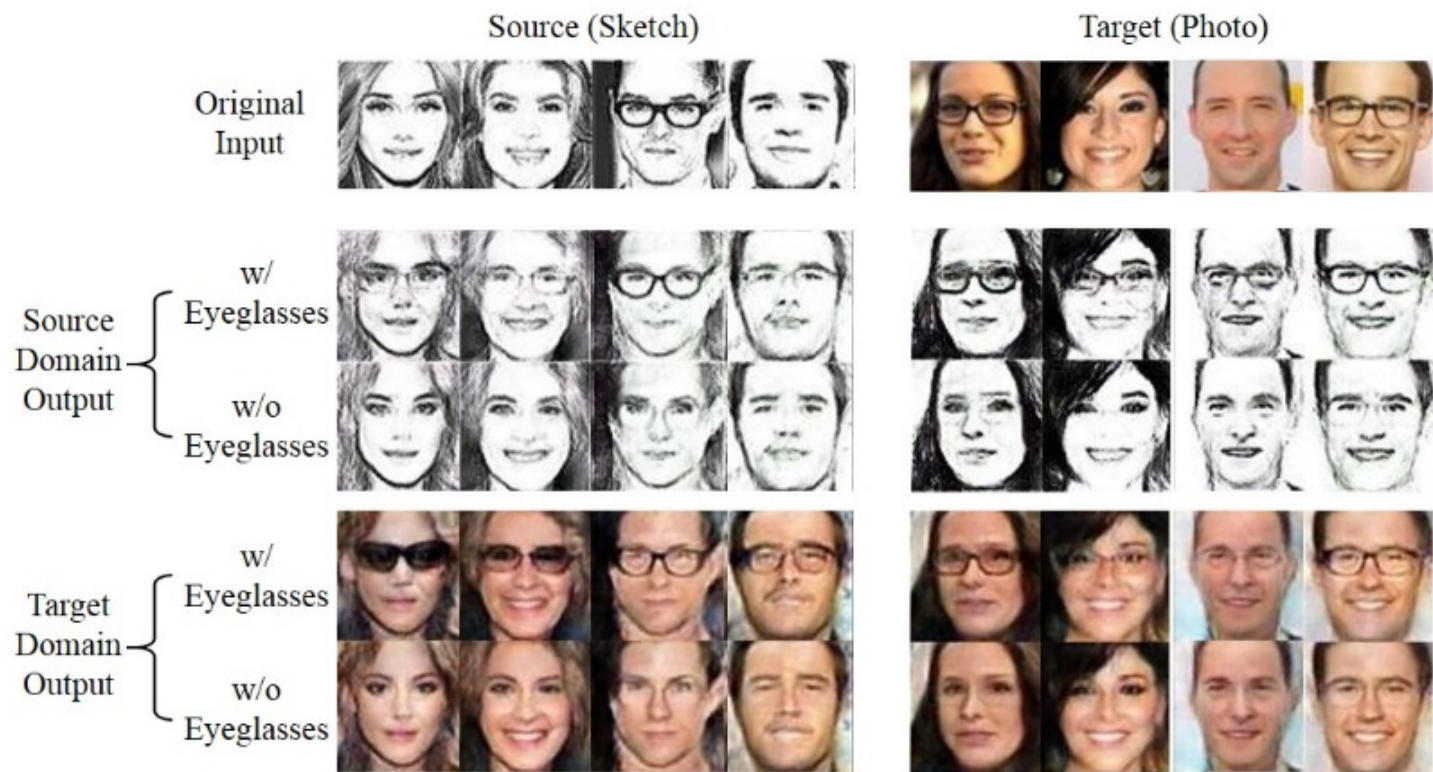


Table 3: Cross-domain classification results of face images with respect to the attribute of eyeglasses. Source and target-domain test data are sketch and photo faces, respectively.

Method		CoGAN	UNIT	Ours*	Ours
Accuracy (%)	Source	96.63	97.65	97.06	97.19
	Target	81.01	79.89	94.49	94.84

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