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# Introduction To Adversarial Examples

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99.0% airliner

Biggio et al. 2013, "Evasion attacks against machine learning at test time" Szegedy et al. 2014, "Intriguing properties of neural networks" Goodfellow et al. 2015, "Explaining and Harnessing Adversarial Examples"

#### What is an Adversarial Example?

Perturbation Attack

• Originally coined by Szegedy et al., 2013:

"we find that applying an *imperceptible non-random* perturbation to a test image, it is possible to arbitrarily change the network's prediction.

... we term the so perturbed examples 'adversarial examples'"



### Outline

Today we will:



- See Adversarial Example
- Discuss what they are
- Learn how to generate them
- Learn how to (maybe) defend against them
- Learn about properties and advantages

## Brief recap on training neural networks





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# $L(f_{\theta}(x),y)$

purpose of loss: How "well" we classify

## Brief recap on training neural networks





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#### most common loss – CrossEntropy:

$$L(f_{\theta}(x), y) = -\log\left(\frac{e^{f_{\theta}(x)y}}{\sum_{j} e^{f_{\theta}(x)j}}\right)$$

 $L(f_{\theta}(x),y)$ 

### Brief recap on training neural networks





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### minimize loss:

 $L(f_{\theta}(x),y) \longrightarrow - \nabla_{\theta}L$ 









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want to fool classifier by changing  $\delta$ 





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want to fool classifier  $\rightarrow$  d measures "badness" by changing  $\delta$ 

$$d(f(x+\delta),y)$$



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want to fool classifier → used L to maximize "wellness" maximize "badness"?

# $L(f(x+\delta),y)$



### 89.7% pig

#### want to fool classifier $\rightarrow$ maximize L w.r.t $\delta$

$$L(f(x+\delta),y) \rightarrow \nabla_{\delta}L$$



-0.5 -1.0 -1.5 -2.0 -2.5 -3.0 -3.5 -4.0

1.0

0.5

-0.5

-1.0

15

1.0

0.5

-0.5

-1.5 -1.5

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#### want to fool classifier $\rightarrow$ maximize L w.r.t $\delta$

$$L(f(x+\delta),y) \rightarrow +\nabla_{\delta}L$$



#### 89.7% pig

want to fool classifier  $\rightarrow$  maximize L w.r.t x

 $L(f(x+\delta),y) \rightarrow + \nabla_x L$ input
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(just a technicality..)



#### 89.7% pig

#### want to fool classifier $\rightarrow$ maximize L w.r.t x

# $L(f(x+\delta),y) \longrightarrow \delta = +\nabla_x L$

#### Follow the gradient w.r.t x (the input image)



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# Did we generate an adversarial example? Need small $\delta...$



X + 10×∇xL: 44.7% pig X + 100×∇xL: 44.8% fireguard

#### We want small noise



"Enforcing  $\|\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} L\|_{\infty} < \varepsilon$ ":



 $\frac{\varepsilon}{\delta} = \varepsilon \cdot \operatorname{sgn}(\nabla_{x}L)$ 

# Fast Gradient Sign Method a.k.a FGSM (Goodfellow et al. 2015)

 $\star \delta = \max_{\|\delta\|_{\infty} \le \epsilon} L\left(f(x+\delta), y\right) \approx \max_{\|\delta\|_{\infty} \le \epsilon} L\left(f(x), y\right) + \nabla_{x} L \delta$ 

FGSM – example on MNIST

88691 92831 29230 47793 8191

# **Classifier**

model = nn.Sequential(
 nn.Conv2d(1, 16, 4, stride=2, padding=1),
 nn.ReLU(),
 nn.Conv2d(16, 32, 4, stride=2, padding=1),
 nn.ReLU(),
 Flatten(),
 nn.Linear(32 \* 7 \* 7, 100),
 nn.ReLU(),
 nn.Linear(100, 10)

FGSM - simple but vicious

Simple, Fast and Vicious Test Error: 98.7%

# FGSM (ε=0.1) Error: 40.0%

Pred: 4 Pred: 9 Pred: 9 Pred: 6 Pred: 4 Pred: 6 9 Pred: 2 Pred: 7 Pred: 7 Pred: 7 Pred: 2 Pred: 0  $\bigcirc$ Pred: 6 Pred: 3 Pred: 1 Pred: 3 Pred: 3 Pred: 9 7





source: https://adversarial-ml-tutorial.org/

Pred: 6

Pred: 9

Pred: 8







Pred: 4











Pred: 7





Pred: 2



Pred: 0

Pred: 3



Pred: 4



I want you to be 4!

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Train on adversarial examples (kind of augmentation)



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#### Adversarial Training - MNIST

	Test Accuracy	FGSM Accuracy
Standard Training	98.7%	40.7%
Adv. Training (FGSM)	97.2%	94.0%

### Did we solve the problem?

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  - Next: a better picture of AT (pictorially/optimization)
- Learn about properties and advantages









 $\mathbf{X}^{\mathrm{adv}} = \mathbf{X} + \epsilon \operatorname{sgn}(\nabla_X L(\mathbf{X}, y_{\mathrm{true}}))$ 









PAD
# Perturbation Attack (optimization)



Towards Deep Learning Models Resistant to Adversarial Attacks, Madry et al. 2018

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# Perturbation Attack (illustrations)



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Mental image alert! ("experimental" mental images could be horribly misleading)

# Perturbation Attack (better illustrations)





source: Atzmon et al. 2019, "Controlling Neural Level Sets"

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## PGD (a.k.a Iterated-GSM)



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## Attack Model:

$$S = \{\delta \mid \|\delta\|_{\infty} < \epsilon\}$$

# FGSM:



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# PGD:

$$X_0^{adv} = X$$

 $X_{N+1}^{adv} = X_N^{adv} + \alpha \operatorname{sign}(\nabla_X L(X_N^{adv}, y_{true}))$ = +

PGD (a.k.a Iterated-GSM)

Attack Model:
$$X_n^{adv}$$
 $\delta_n$  $S = \{\delta \mid \|\delta\|_{\infty} < \epsilon\}$  $n = 1$  $\mathbf{4}$ **PGD:** $n = 2$  $\mathbf{4}$  $\mathbf{X}_0^{adv} = \mathbf{X},$  $n = 2$  $\mathbf{4}$  $\mathbf{X}_{N+1}^{adv} = Clip_{X,\epsilon}\{\mathbf{X}_N^{adv} + \alpha \operatorname{sign}(\nabla_X L(\mathbf{X}_N^{adv}, y_{true}))\}$  $n = 3$  $\mathbf{4}$  $n = 4$  $\mathbf{4}$ 

# Adversarial Training

	Test Accuracy	FGSM Accuracy	PGD Accuracy
Standard Training	98.7%	40.7%	7.3%
Adv. Training (FGSM)	97.2%	94.0%	90.0%

# What can we do to defend?

# Adversarial Training

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Adv. Training (PGD)	98.0%	96.1%	95.9%

# Adversarial Training – Other Datasets

CIFAR10 (ResNet50)	Test	PGD ( $\epsilon = \frac{8}{255}$ )
Standard Training	95.25%	0.00%
Adv. Training (PGD 8/255)	87.03%	53.29%

ImageNet (ResNet50)	Test	PGD ( $\epsilon = \frac{8}{255}$ )
Standard Training	76.13%	0.01%
Adv. Training (PGD 8/255)	47.91%	19.52%

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**Black-Box Attacks** 



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source: https://twitter.com/will\_it\_breakyt

#### • Test set Accuracy

	ResNet-50	ResNet-101	ResNet-152	GoogLeNet	VGG-16
Top-5 accuracy	91.0%	91.7%	92.1%	89.0%	88.3%

#### • Accuracy under FGSM attack

	ResNet-152	ResNet-101	ResNet-50	VGG-16	GoogLeNet
ResNet-152	32%	55%	53%	47%	36%

Liu et al. 2016, "Delving into Transferable Adversarial Examples and Black-box Attacks" Niv Haim, DL4CV @ Weizmann

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ResNet-152	32%					
ResNet-101		33%				White-Box
ResNet-50			29%			FGSM
VGG-16				5%		
GoogLeNet					11%	

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ResNet-152		55%	53%	47%	36%
ResNet-101	56%		50%	46%	40%
ResNet-50	59%	53%		47%	38%
VGG-16	42%	39%	41%		21%
GoogLeNet	71%	74%	62%	53%	

Black-Box

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• Possible reason:





source: Ian Goodfellow on "Adversarial Examples and Adversarial Training," 2017-05-30, CS231n, Stanford University

• Possible reason:





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Adversarial Examples comes from the data:

Ilyas et al. 2019, "Adversarial Examples Are Not Bugs, They Are Features"



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# Adversarial Examples – The Bigger Picture Is this surprising?













## The Bigger Picture: Failure modes in machine learning

#### Intentionally-motivated failures

#### Unintended failures

Attack	Overview	Failure	Overview
Perturbation attack	Attacker modifies the query to get appropriate response	Reward Hacking	Reinforcement Learning (RL) systems act in unintended ways because of mismatch between state reward and true reward
Poisoning attack	Attacker contaminates the training phase of ML systems to get intended result	Side Effects	RL system disrupts the environment as it tries to attain its goal
Model Inversion	Attacker recovers the secret features used in the model by through careful queries	Distributional shifts	The system is tested in one kind of environment, but is unable to adapt to changes in other kinds environment
Membership Inference	Attacker can infer if a given data record was part of the model's training dataset or not	Natural Adversarial Examples	Without attacker perturbations, the ML system fails owing to hard negative mining
Model Stealing	Attacker is able to recover the model through carefully-crafted queries	Common Corruption	The system is not able to handle common corruptions and perturbations such as tilting, zooming noisy images.
Reprogramming ML system	Repurpose the ML system to perform an activity it was not programmed for	Incomplete Testing	The ML system is not tested in the realistic conditions that it is meant to operate in.
Adversarial Example	Attacker brings adversarial examples into physical domain to		

in Physical Domain subvertML system e.g: 3d printing special eyewear to fool facial

#### Source: https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/security/engineering/failure-modes-in-machine-learning

## Adversarial Examples - Summary

- Remember the bigger picture (many failures)
- Hard to attack (need to find AE in box)



Harder to defend (need to prove: no AEs in <u>all</u> box)

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# • Harder to defend (need to Evaluate: very hard to find AE in box)

• Coming next: Robustness beyond security

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# Follow $\nabla_{x}L(f(x),y)$ of Robust Model





bird

Standard





 $\ell_{\infty}$ -trained



dog



dog

 $l_2$ -trained



dog



cat

"Robustness May Be at Odds with Accuracy" (Tsipris et al. 2018)

#### Image synthesis with Robust Classifer



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#### Style Transfer with Robust Model



Nakano, "A Discussion of 'Adversarial Examples Are Not Bugs, They Are Features': Adversarially Robust Neural Style Transfer", Distill, 2019.



# What have we learnt today?

- Saw a few Adversarial Examples
- Discussed what they are
- How to attack: FGSM, PGD
- How to "defend": Adversarial training (AT)
- Optimization view of AT
- Black-Box attacks (transferability)
- Security-wise summary
- Surprising Visual properties of robust models (beyond security)



Sequences (RNN, Attention, ViT)

Monday:

