

Project Title:

Pattern Sense: Classifying Fabric Patterns Using Deep Learning

Overview:

Fabric pattern classification plays a crucial role in textile, fashion, and e-commerce industries. This project proposes a deep learning solution to automatically classify fabric images into categories based on their visual patterns using Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs).

Objectives

- Develop an image classification model using CNN to detect fabric patterns.
 - Integrate the model with a user-friendly Flask-based web interface.
 - Enable real-time prediction by uploading images through the browser.
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Technologies Used

- Python 3.x
 - TensorFlow / Keras
 - OpenCV / PIL (Pillow)
 - NumPy / Matplotlib
 - Flask
 - HTML5 / CSS3
 - Bootstrap (Optional for UI)
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Project Structure

Pattern-Sense/

├─ app.py	# Flask app script
├─ model.h5	# Trained Keras model
├─ requirements.txt	# Python dependencies
├─ static/	
└─ styles.css	# Optional: CSS styles
├─ templates/	

— home.html	# Upload form
— result.html	# Prediction result page
— uploads/	# Temporarily stores uploaded images



Setup Instructions

1. **Clone the project**
Download or extract the ZIP into a local folder.
 2. **Create a virtual environment**
 3. `python -m venv venv`
 4. `source venv/bin/activate` # On Windows: `venv\Scripts\activate`
 5. **Install dependencies**
 6. `pip install -r requirements.txt`
 7. **Ensure model file is present**
The model.h5 file should be placed in the root project directory.
 8. **Run the app**
 9. `python app.py`
 10. **Visit the web app**
Open <http://127.0.0.1:5000> in your browser.
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How It Works

1. **User uploads an image** of a fabric.
 2. The server:
 - Preprocesses the image (resize to 224x224, normalize).
 - Loads the pretrained model (model.h5).
 - Runs prediction and maps it to the corresponding class name.
 3. The prediction result is shown on the result.html page.
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Key Functions (app.py)

- `@app.route('/')`: Loads the home page with the upload form.
- `@app.route('/upload', methods=['POST'])`: Handles file upload, image preprocessing, prediction, and rendering results.

Model Details

- **Input Shape:** 224x224x3
 - **Model Type:** Convolutional Neural Network (Keras Sequential)
 - **Training:** (Optional step, as pretrained model is used)
 - **Classes:** Pattern categories (e.g., stripes, polka dots, floral — based on training dataset)
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Features

- Simple and responsive UI
- Real-time fabric image classification
- Easy to deploy and extend
- Clean error handling for missing files and invalid formats