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## **ABSTRACT**

This project aims to develop a machine learning model that can accurately identify traffic signs in real-world images. The model utilizes a convolutional neural network (CNN) architecture to extract features from the input images and classify them into different traffic sign categories. The dataset used for training and testing the model is the German Traffic Sign Recognition Benchmark (GTSRB) dataset, which consists of more than 50,000 labeled images of 43 different traffic sign classes. The performance of the model is evaluated based on its accuracy in correctly classifying new, unseen images. The results show that the proposed model achieves high accuracy in traffic sign classification and has the potential to be deployed in real-world applications for improving road safety.

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## **ABBREVIATIONS**

<b>AES</b>	Advanced Encryption Standard
<b>ANN</b>	Artificial Neural Network
<b>CSS</b>	Cascading Style Sheet
<b>CV</b>	Computer Vision
<b>DB</b>	Data Base
<b>DNA</b>	Deoxyribo Neucleic Acid
<b>SQL</b>	Structured Query Language
<b>SVM</b>	Support Vector Machine
<b>UI</b>	User Interface

# **CHAPTER 1**

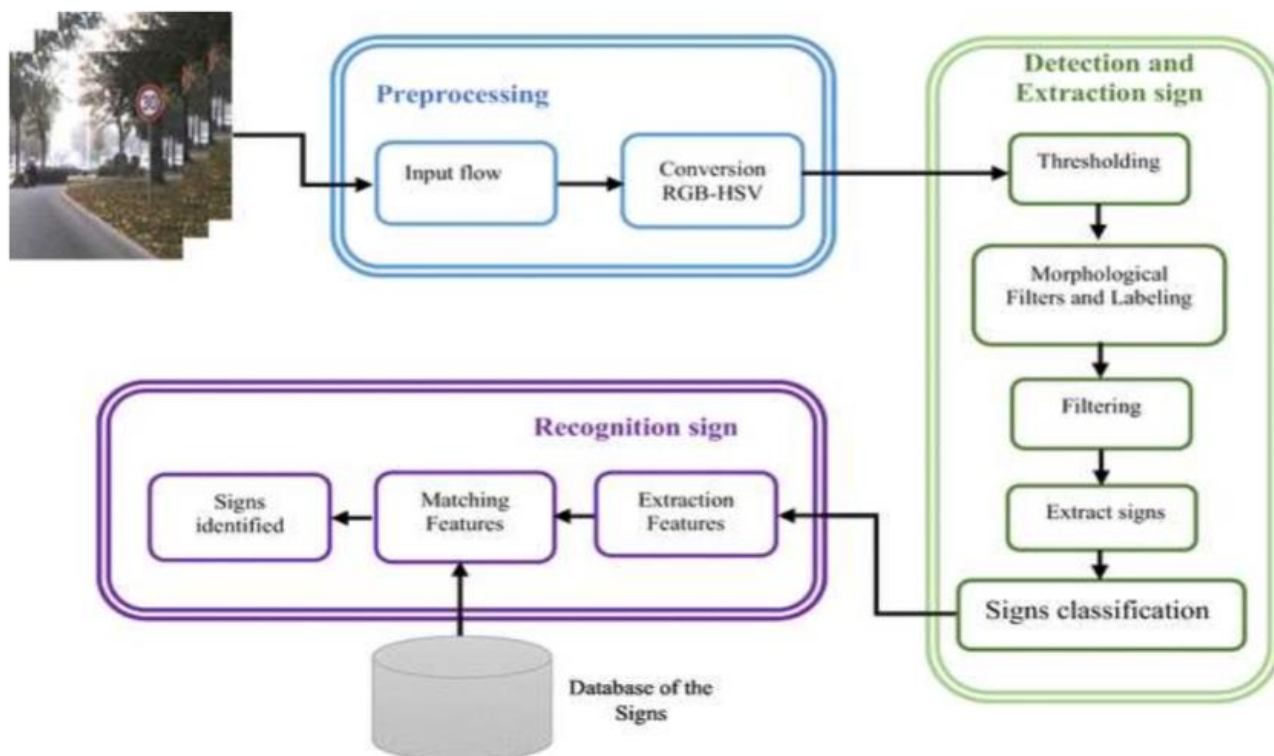
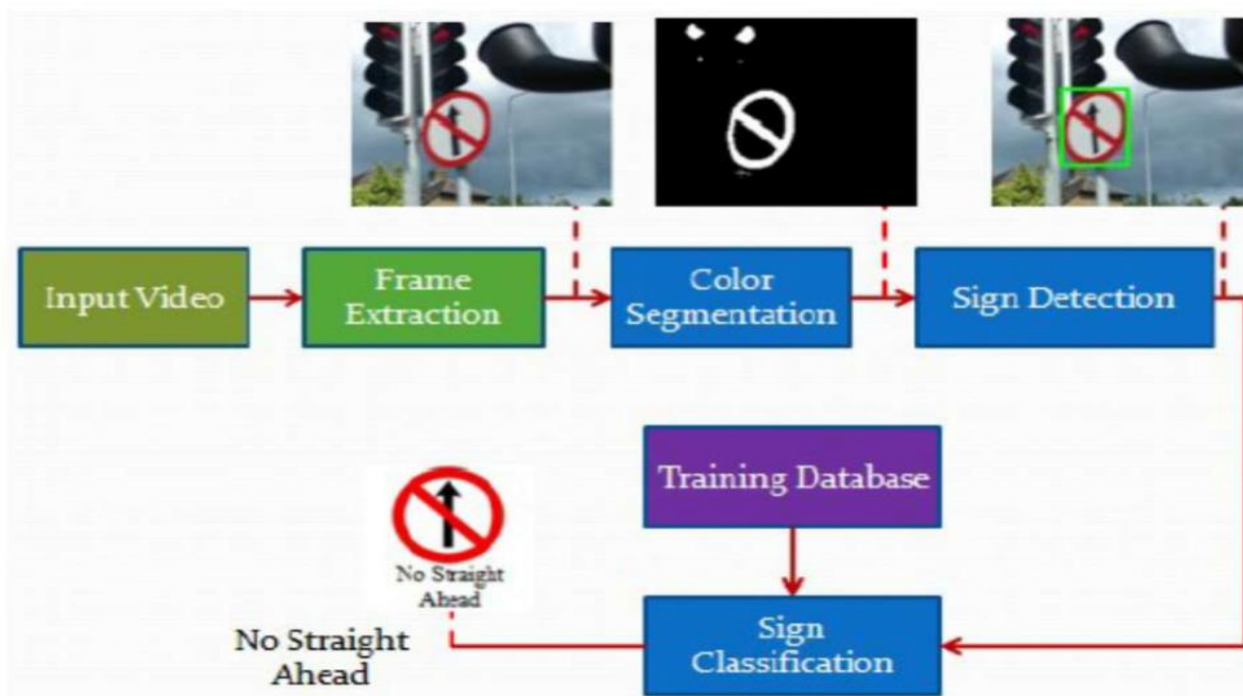
## **INTRODUCTION**

Traffic sign classification using machine learning is a project that aims to automatically identify the traffic signs on the road, especially in real-time scenarios. The project involves training a machine learning model with a dataset of various traffic signs such as stop signs, speed limit signs, no entry signs, etc., to enable it to recognize and classify new traffic signs that are encountered.

The main goal of this project is to increase road safety by automating the process of identifying traffic signs. By utilizing computer vision techniques and machine learning algorithms, we can develop an intelligent system for detecting and classifying different types of traffic signs accurately.

This project has practical applications in autonomous driving technology, where self-driving cars need to recognize and interpret traffic signs efficiently. Additionally, it can also be used in advanced driver assistance systems (ADAS) to alert drivers when they miss important traffic signs.

Overall, this project is an excellent opportunity to learn about computer vision, machine learning, and their real-world applications in creating safer roads for everyone.





# LITERATURE SURVEY

**Overview of Traffic Sign Classification:** The literature survey should begin with an overview of traffic sign classification, its importance, and its applications. This section should include information about the various types of traffic signs, the challenges in their detection and recognition, and the potential benefits of using machine learning for classification.

**Traditional Approaches for Traffic Sign Detection and Recognition:** The literature survey should also cover traditional approaches for traffic sign detection and recognition, such as template matching, feature-based methods, and hybrid approaches. This section should provide insights into the limitations of these methods and the need for more advanced techniques.

**Machine Learning Techniques:** The literature survey should extensively cover machine learning techniques applied to traffic sign classification tasks. Supervised, unsupervised, and reinforcement learning approaches can be discussed, along with their strengths and weaknesses.

**Deep Learning Techniques and Architectures:** Given the current state-of-the-art in traffic sign classification, the literature survey should focus on deep learning techniques such as Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) and architectures like YOLO (You Only Look Once), SSD (Single Shot Detector), Faster R-CNN, and others.

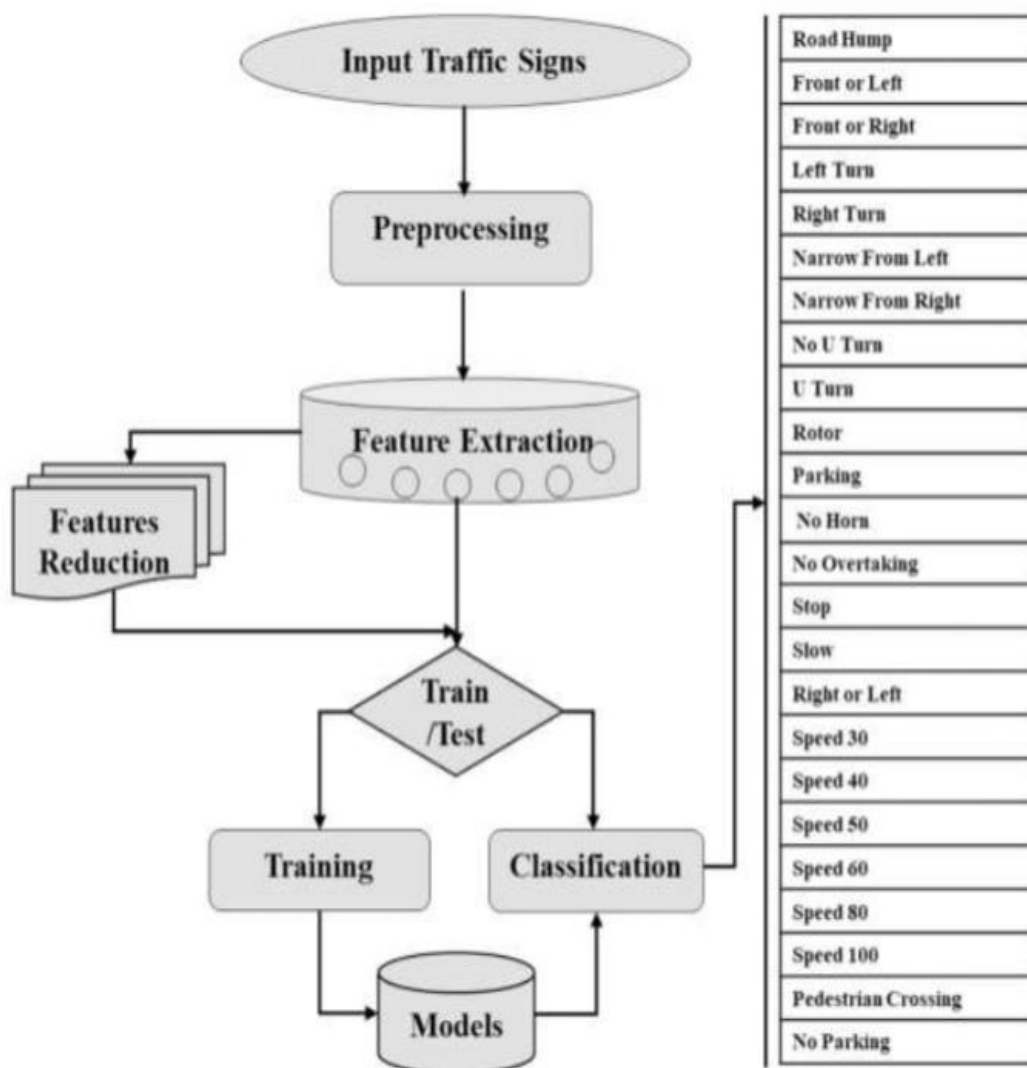
**Datasets for Traffic Sign Classification:** The literature survey should highlight relevant datasets used for training and evaluating traffic sign classification models. Popular datasets such as German Traffic Sign Recognition Benchmark (GTSRB), Belgium Traffic Sign Benchmark (BTSC), and others can be discussed.

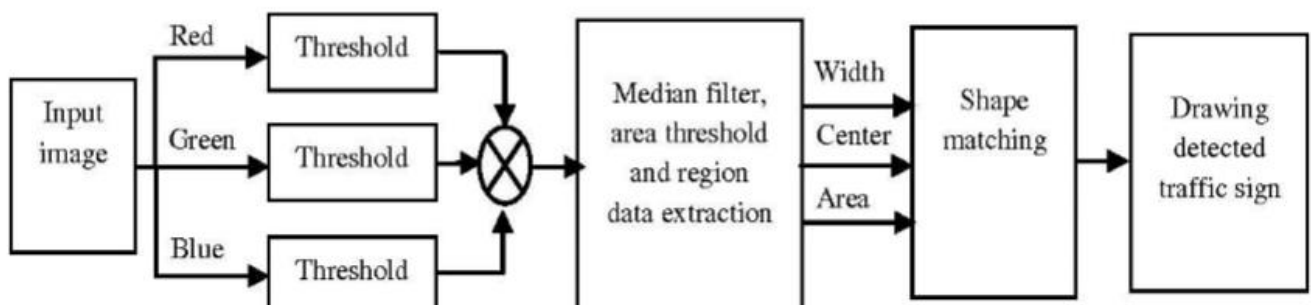
**Evaluation Metrics for Traffic Sign Classification:** The literature survey should also cover evaluation metrics used to assess the performance of traffic sign classification models, including accuracy, precision, recall, F1 score, and others.

By conducting a comprehensive literature survey, you can gain insights into the latest techniques, identify research gaps, and develop a better understanding of the scope of the project.

## **SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN**

- 1) Python: Python is a popular programming language for machine learning and deep learning tasks, and many machine learning libraries are available in Python.
- 2) Machine Learning Libraries: There are many machine learning libraries available in Python such as Scikit-learn, Tensor Flow, Keras, PyTorch which can be used for building machine learning models.
- 3) OpenCV: OpenCV is an open-source computer vision library that can be used for image processing tasks such as pre-processing images before training a model or detecting traffic signs in real-time.
- 4) Jupyter Notebook: Jupyter Notebook is an interactive notebook environment that allows you to run code and visualize data. It is often used for prototyping and testing machine learning models.
- 5) Git: Git is a version control system that allows you to track changes to your code and collaborate with others on a project.
- 6) IDEs: Integrated Development Environments (IDEs) like PyCharm, Visual Studio Code, or Spyder can help streamline development tasks such as debugging, code completion, and running tests.
- 7) Operating System: The choice of operating system will depend on the specific machine learning library you choose and personal preference. Most libraries are compatible with Windows, Linux, or macOS.





## **MODULES**

**Data acquisition:** This involves collecting images of traffic signs from various sources. The images can be collected using cameras or downloaded from online datasets.

**Data pre-processing:** This involves cleaning and preparing the data for use in the machine learning algorithms. The images may need to be resized, cropped, and normalized to ensure consistency and reduce noise.

**Feature extraction:** This involves extracting relevant features from the images that can be used to train the machine learning models. These features can include colour, shape, and texture.

**Model training:** This involves selecting an appropriate machine learning algorithm and training it on the extracted features. Common algorithms used in traffic sign classification include convolutional neural networks (CNNs) and support vector machines (SVMs).

**Model evaluation:** This involves testing the trained model on a separate dataset to evaluate its performance. Metrics such as accuracy, precision, and recall can be used to assess the performance of the model.

**Deployment:** Once a satisfactory model has been developed, it can be deployed in real-world applications such as autonomous vehicles or traffic control systems.

## METHODOLOGY

**Data collection:** Collect a dataset of traffic sign images from various sources, including cameras and online datasets.

**Data pre-processing:** Pre-process the data by resizing, cropping, and normalizing the images to ensure consistency and reduce noise.

**Feature extraction:** Extract relevant features from the images that can be used to train the machine learning model. These features can include color, shape, and texture.

**Model selection:** Select an appropriate machine learning algorithm and architecture for the task, Convolutional neural networks (CNNs) are commonly used for image classification tasks.

**Model training:** Train the selected machine learning model on the extracted features. Divide the dataset into training, validation, and testing sets to evaluate the performance of the model.

**Model evaluation:** Evaluate the performance of the trained model on the testing set using metrics such as accuracy, precision, and recall.

**Hyperparameter tuning:** Optimize the hyperparameters of the model to improve its performance.

**Deployment:** Deploy the trained model in real-world applications, such as autonomous vehicles or traffic control systems.

It's important to note that this is a high-level methodology and the specific steps may vary depending on the particular project and dataset. However, these steps provide a general framework for developing a traffic sign classification system using machine learning

## CODE AND TESTING

```
pip install tensorflow
pip install tensorflow keras
pip install tensorflow sklearn
pip install tensorflow matplotlib
pip install tensorflow pandas
pip install tensorflow pil
```

### Dataset exploration

Around 43 subfolders(ranging from 0 to 42) are available in our 'train' folder, and each subfolder represents a different class. We have an OS module that helps in the iteration of all the images with their respective classes and labels. To open the contents of ideas into an array, we are using the PIL library.

```
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import tensorflow as tf
from PIL import Image
import os
from sklearn.model_selection
import train_test_split
from keras.utils import to_categorical
from keras.models import Sequential
from keras.layers import Conv2D, MaxPool2D, Dense, Flatten, Dropout
data = []
labels = []
classes = 43
cur_path = os.getcwd()
for i in range(classes):
    path = os.path.join(cur_path, 'train', str(i))
    images = os.listdir(path)
    for a in images:
        try:
            image = Image.open(path + '\\' + a)
            image = image.resize((30,30))
            image = np.array(image)
            data.append(image)
            labels.append(i)
        except:
            print("Error loading image")
data = np.array(data)
labels = np.array(labels)
```

In the end, we have to store every image with its corresponding labels into lists. A NumPy array is needed to feed the data to the model, so we convert this list into an array. Now, the shape of our data is (39209, 30, 30, 3), where 39209 represents the number of images, 30\*30 represents the image sizes into pixels, and the last 3 represents the RGB value(availability of coloured data).

```
print(data.shape, labels.shape)
#Splitting training and testing dataset
X_t1, X_t2, y_t1, y_t2 = train_test_split(data, labels, test_size=0.2, random_state=42)
print(X_t1.shape, X_t2.shape, y_t1.shape, y_t2.shape)
#Converting the labels into one hot encoding
y_t1 = to_categorical(y_t1, 43)
y_t2 = to_categorical(y_t2, 43)

#Building the model
model = Sequential()
model.add(Conv2D(filters=32, kernel_size=(5,5), activation='relu',
input_shape=X_train.shape[1:]))
model.add(Conv2D(filters=32, kernel_size=(5,5), activation='relu'))
model.add(MaxPool2D(pool_size=(2, 2)))
model.add(Dropout(rate=0.25))
model.add(Conv2D(filters=64, kernel_size=(3, 3), activation='relu'))
model.add(Conv2D(filters=64, kernel_size=(3, 3), activation='relu'))
model.add(MaxPool2D(pool_size=(2, 2)))
model.add(Dropout(rate=0.25))
model.add(Flatten())
model.add(Dense(256, activation='relu'))
model.add(Dropout(rate=0.5))
model.add(Dense(43, activation='softmax'))
#Compilation of the model
model.compile(loss='categorical_crossentropy', optimizer='adam', metrics=['accuracy'])

eps = 15
anc = model.fit(X_t1, y_t1, batch_size=32, epochs=eps, validation_data=(X_t2, y_t2))

#testing accuracy on test dataset
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
y_test = pd.read_csv("Test.csv")
labels = y_test["ClassId"].values
imgs = y_test["Path"].values
data=[]
for img in imgs:
    image = Image.open(img)
    image = image.resize((30,30))
```



```
data.append(np.array(image))
X_test=np.array(data)
pred = model.predict_classes(X_test)
#Accuracy with the test data
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
print(accuracy_score(labels, pred))
```

## **Output**

0.9532066508313539

```
model.save('traffic_classifier.h5')
```

## SOURCE CODE

```
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import cv2
import tensorflow as tf
from PIL import Image
import os
from sklearn.model_selection
import train_test_split
from keras.utils
import to_categorical
from keras.models
import Sequential, load_model
from keras.layers import Conv2D, MaxPool2D, Dense, Flatten,
Dropout
data = []
labels = []
classes = 43
cur_path = os.getcwd()
for i in range(classes):
    path = os.path.join(cur_path, 'train', str(i))
    images = os.listdir(path)
    for a in images:
        try:
            image = Image.open(path + '\\' + a)
            image = image.resize((30,30))
            image = np.array(image)
            data.append(image)
            labels.append(i)
        except:
            print("Error loading image")
data = np.array(data)
labels = np.array(labels)
print(data.shape, labels.shape)
X_t1,X_t2,y_t1,y_t2=train_test_split(data,labels,test_
size=0.2, random_state=42)
print(X_t1.shape, X_t2.shape, y_t1.shape, y_t2.shape)

y_t1 = to_categorical(y_t1, 43)
y_t2 = to_categorical(y_t2, 43)
model = Sequential()
```

```

model.add(Conv2D(filters=32,kernel_size=(5,5),
activation='relu', input_shape=X_train.shape[1:]))

model.add(Conv2D(filters=32,kernel_size=(5,5),
activation='relu'))
model.add(MaxPool2D(pool_size=(2, 2)))
model.add(Dropout(rate=0.25))
model.add(Conv2D(filters=64,kernel_size=(3,3),
activation='relu'))
model.add(Conv2D(filters=64,kernel_size=(3,3),
activation='relu'))

model.add(MaxPool2D(pool_size=(2, 2)))
model.add(Dropout(rate=0.25))
model.add(Flatten())
model.add(Dense(256, activation='relu'))
model.add(Dropout(rate=0.5))
model.add(Dense(43, activation='softmax'))
#Compilation of the model
model.compile(loss='categorical_crossentropy',
optimizer='adam', metrics=['accuracy'])
eps = 15
anc= model.fit(X_t1,y_t1,batch_size=32,epochs=eps, validation_
data=(X_t2, y_t2))
model.save("my_model.h5")
plt.figure(0)
plt.plot(anc.anc['accuracy'], label='training accuracy')
plt. plot(anc.anc['val_ accuracy'], label='val accuracy')
plt. title('Accuracy')
plt. xlabel('epochs')
plt. ylabel('accuracy')
plt. legend()
plt. show()
plt. figure(1)

plt. plot(history. history['loss'], label='training loss')
plt. plot(history. history['val_ loss'], label='val loss')
plt. title('Loss')
plt. xlabel('epochs')
plt. ylabel('loss')
plt. legend()
plt. show()

```

```
from sklearn.metrics
import accuracy_score
y_test = pd. Read_csv('Test.csv')
labels = y_test["Class Id"].values
imgs = y_test["Path"].values
data=[]
for img in imgs:
    image = Image. open(img)
    image = image. resize((30,30))
    data. append(np. array(image))
X_test= np. array(data)

pred = model.predict_classes(X_test)
from sklearn.metrics
import accuracy_score

print(accuracy_score(labels, pred))
model.save('traffic_classifier.h5')
```

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## APPENDIX C

### PLAGIARISM REPORT

#### Hybrid Application Based Skin Lesion Analyser using Deep Neural Networks

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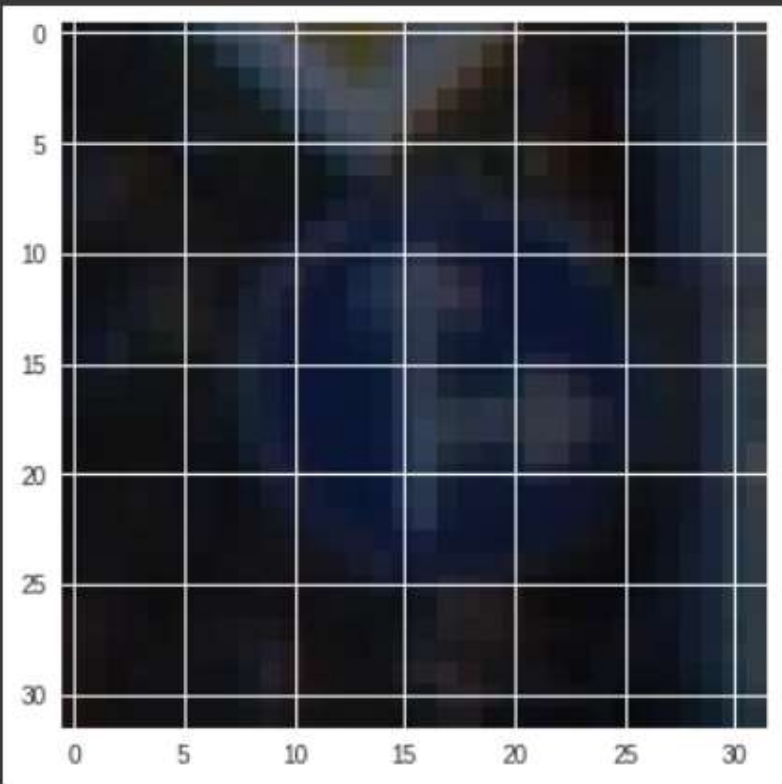
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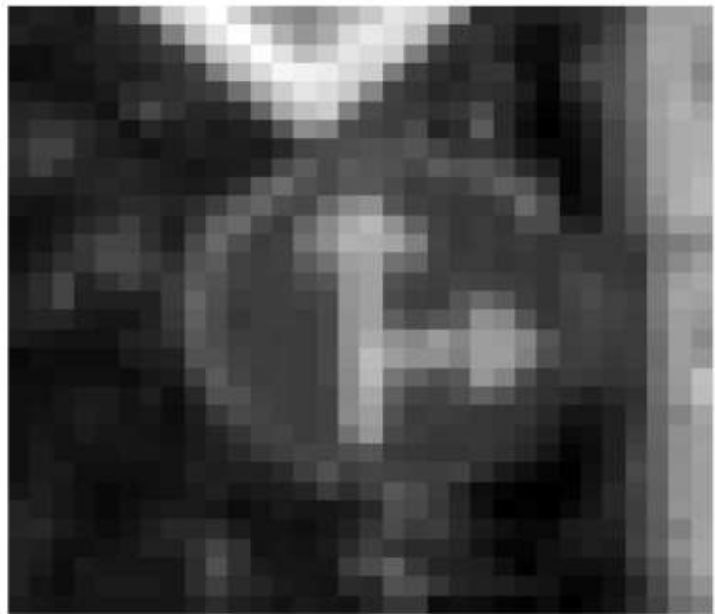
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# RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

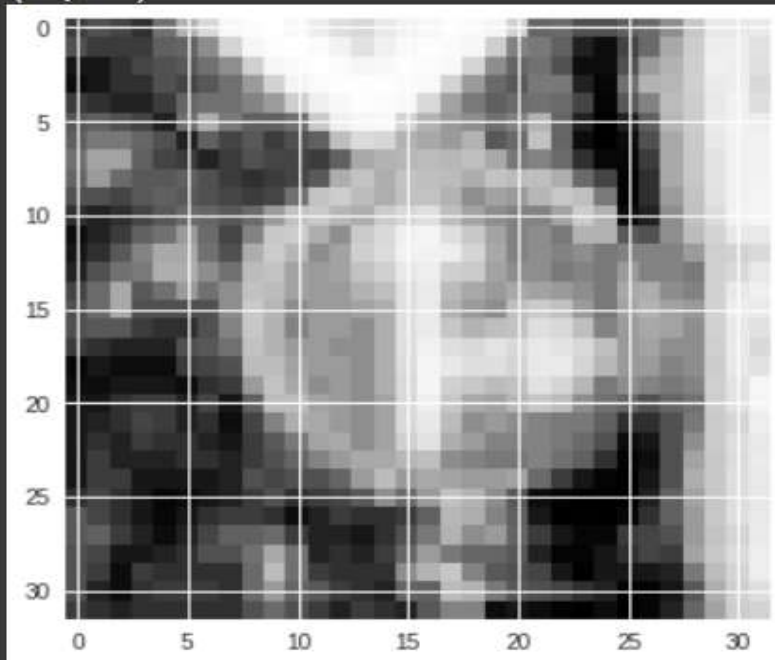
GREY SCALE

(32, 32)



NORMALIZE

(32, 32)





# RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

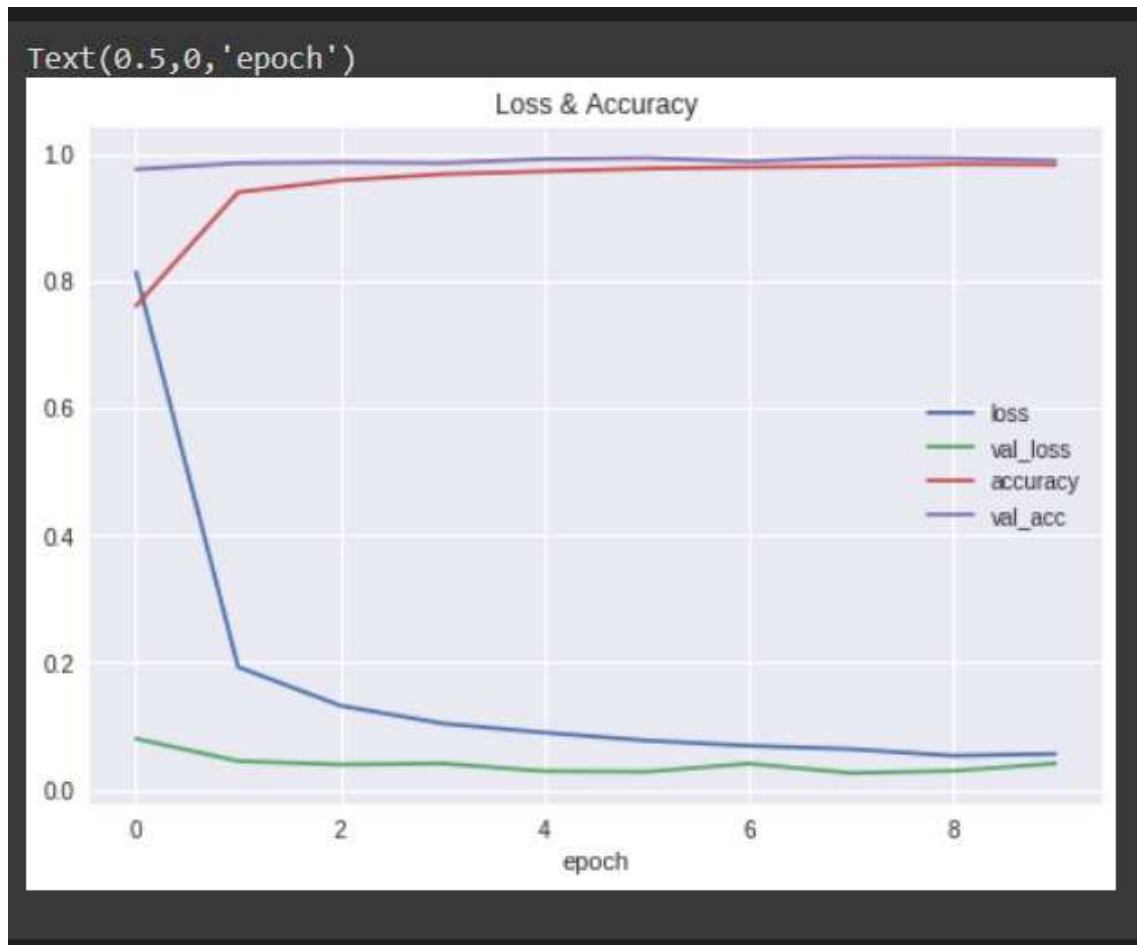
```
model = neural_model()
print(model.summary())
```

Layer (type)	Output Shape	Param #
conv2d_1 (Conv2D)	(None, 28, 28, 60)	1560
conv2d_2 (Conv2D)	(None, 24, 24, 60)	90060
max_pooling2d_1 (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 12, 12, 60)	0
conv2d_3 (Conv2D)	(None, 10, 10, 30)	16230
conv2d_4 (Conv2D)	(None, 8, 8, 30)	8130
max_pooling2d_2 (MaxPooling2D)	(None, 4, 4, 30)	0
flatten_1 (Flatten)	(None, 480)	0
dense_1 (Dense)	(None, 500)	240500
dropout_1 (Dropout)	(None, 500)	0
dense_2 (Dense)	(None, 43)	21543
Total params: 378,023		
Trainable params: 378,023		
Non-trainable params: 0		
None		

```
history = model.fit_generator(datagen.flow(X_train, y_train, batch_size = 50), steps_per_epoch = 2000, epochs = 10, validation_data = (X_val, y_val), shuffle=True)
```

Epoch 1/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 59s 29ms/step - loss: 0.8139 - acc: 0.7608 - val\_loss: 0.0807 - val\_acc: 0.9755  
Epoch 2/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 54s 27ms/step - loss: 0.1934 - acc: 0.9394 - val\_loss: 0.0454 - val\_acc: 0.9850  
Epoch 3/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 54s 27ms/step - loss: 0.1325 - acc: 0.9582 - val\_loss: 0.0399 - val\_acc: 0.9866  
Epoch 4/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 54s 27ms/step - loss: 0.1045 - acc: 0.9678 - val\_loss: 0.0416 - val\_acc: 0.9853  
Epoch 5/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 54s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0901 - acc: 0.9723 - val\_loss: 0.0295 - val\_acc: 0.9916  
Epoch 6/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 54s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0777 - acc: 0.9766 - val\_loss: 0.0287 - val\_acc: 0.9932  
Epoch 7/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 54s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0695 - acc: 0.9787 - val\_loss: 0.0414 - val\_acc: 0.9878  
Epoch 8/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 54s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0642 - acc: 0.9804 - val\_loss: 0.0266 - val\_acc: 0.9937  
Epoch 9/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 54s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0538 - acc: 0.9836 - val\_loss: 0.0301 - val\_acc: 0.9927  
Epoch 10/10  
2000/2000 [=====] - 55s 27ms/step - loss: 0.0568 - acc: 0.9827 - val\_loss: 0.0416 - val\_acc: 0.9893

# RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS



```
score = model.evaluate(X_test, y_test, verbose = 1)
print('Test Score', score[0])
print('Test Accuracy', score[1])
```

```
12630/12630 [=====] - 2s 138us/step
Test Score 0.16751343211778943
Test Accuracy 0.9666666666855438
```

# DISCUSSIONS

1)Dataset: The first discussion would be about the dataset. You will need a large dataset of labeled images of traffic signs to train your machine learning model. The dataset should be representative of the real-world distribution of traffic signs. You may discuss where to find such a dataset, how to curate it, and how to split it into training, validation, and test sets.

2)Model Selection: Next, you will need to decide on a suitable machine learning model for this task. There are several models that can be used for image classification, such as convolutional neural networks (CNNs), support vector machines (SVMs), and decision trees. You may discuss the pros and cons of each model and decide on the one that is best suited for your project.

3)Preprocessing: Before training your model, you may need to preprocess the images. This may include resizing, normalization, and data augmentation to increase the size of the dataset. You may discuss the various techniques for image preprocessing and which ones are most appropriate for this task.

4)Training and Evaluation: Once you have selected a model and preprocessed your dataset, you will need to train your model and evaluate its performance. You may discuss the various techniques for training and fine-tuning your model, such as transfer learning, and the metrics used for evaluation, such as accuracy, precision, and recall.

5)Deployment: Finally, you will need to deploy your model to a real-world environment. You may discuss the various options for deploying your model, such as deploying it on a web server or on a mobile device. You may also discuss how to monitor the performance of your model in a real-world setting and how to retrain it if necessary.

Overall, these are some of the key discussions that may arise when working on a traffic sign classification project using machine learning.

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