Dog Breed Identification

Using image classification models to identify dog breeds from pictures of man's best friend



Purpose

- For animal shelters/ pounds
- Humans aren't perfect





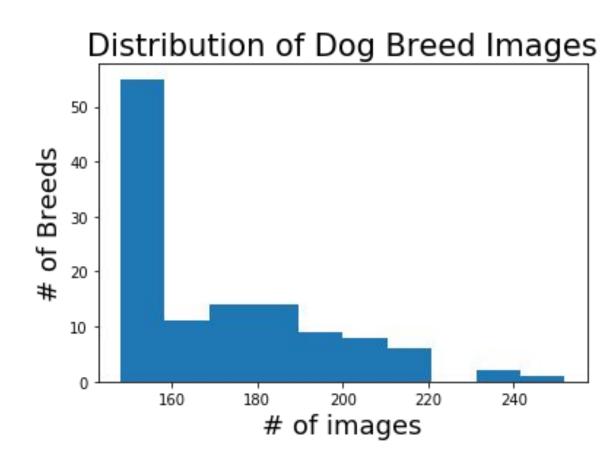
About the data

- From Stanford University

- 20,580 images of dogs

- 120 breeds

 At least 150 images per breed



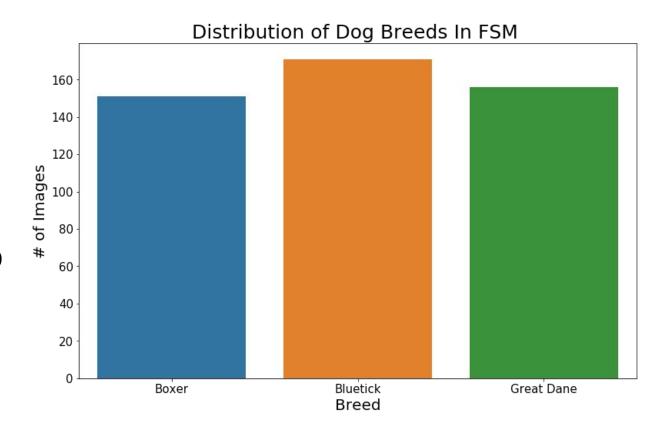
First Simple model

- 3/120 Breeds

- From training data

- Accuracy Score: 0.359

 Slightly better than random guessing



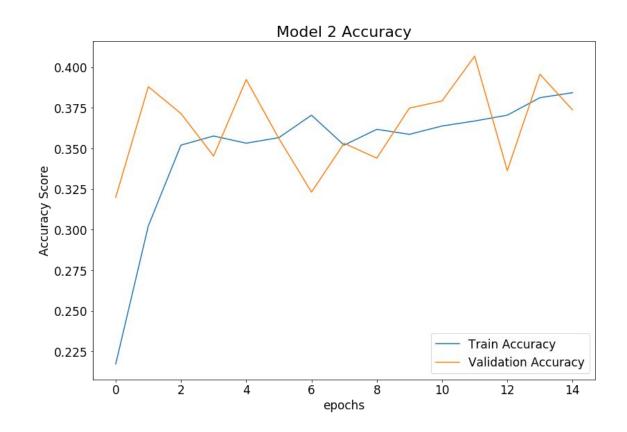
Model 2

- 5/120 breeds

- Accuracy: 0.383

- Val Accuracy: 0.374

Better than before



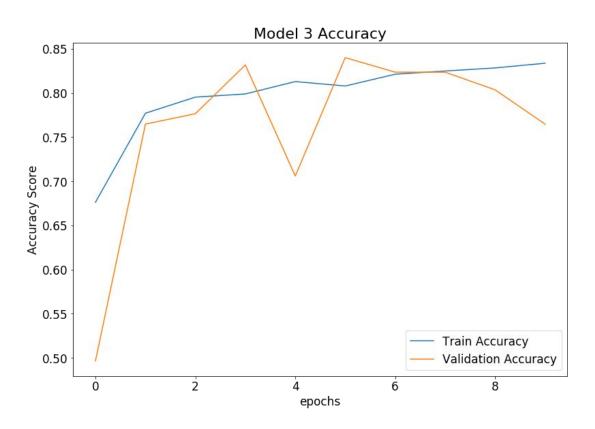
Model 3

- 2/120 breeds

- Accuracy: 0.840

- Val Accuracy: 0.765

- Significant improvement



The next steps

- Keep refining CNN's
- Better processing
- Use more features
- Deploy a web app

Sources

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