

# CS4243 - Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition - Mini Project

## Threat Image Classifier

### Group 30

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#### Dataset (cs4243\_smallest)

Still images from Dataset; No videos were processed.  
No of Classes: 3



Class: **Normal**      Class: **Carrying**      Class: **Threat**  
Sample: **1857**      Sample: **1535**      Sample: **1551**

#### Data Preprocessing

##### 1. Manual relabelling and removal of pollution



"Threat" → removed



"Carrying" → Threat

Class	Normal	Carrying	Threat
Count	1567	1021	540

##### 2. Manual undersampling to remove imbalance

Preferentially remove similar images



Class	Normal	Carrying	Threat
Count	500	500	500

#### Baseline CNN

##### 1. Baseline CNN implementation

Resize each image to **100x100** pixels  
Converted the images to **grayscale**  
**Randomised** selection from **unfiltered** dataset

5 convolutional layers, 2 dense layers  
Epochs = 10  
Actionactivation function = relu(for all layers), softmax (final)  
Optimiser = **Adam**

Training Accuracy: **66%**  
Validation Accuracy: **38%**

##### 1. CNN implementation with cleaned dataset

Hyperparameter tuning  
- Changed learning rate  
- **Higher** epochs

Training Accuracy: **86%**  
Validation Accuracy: **45%**

**Observed: Overfitting**

#### Combating Overfitting in CNN

##### 1. Data Augmentation

Introduce image transformations as a preprocessing layer in model



Transformations include:  
- Random zoom, horizontal and vertical flip, rotation  
Effectively **increase** size of **training dataset**

Training Accuracy: **76%**

Validation Accuracy: **59%**

##### 1. Add dropout after each layer

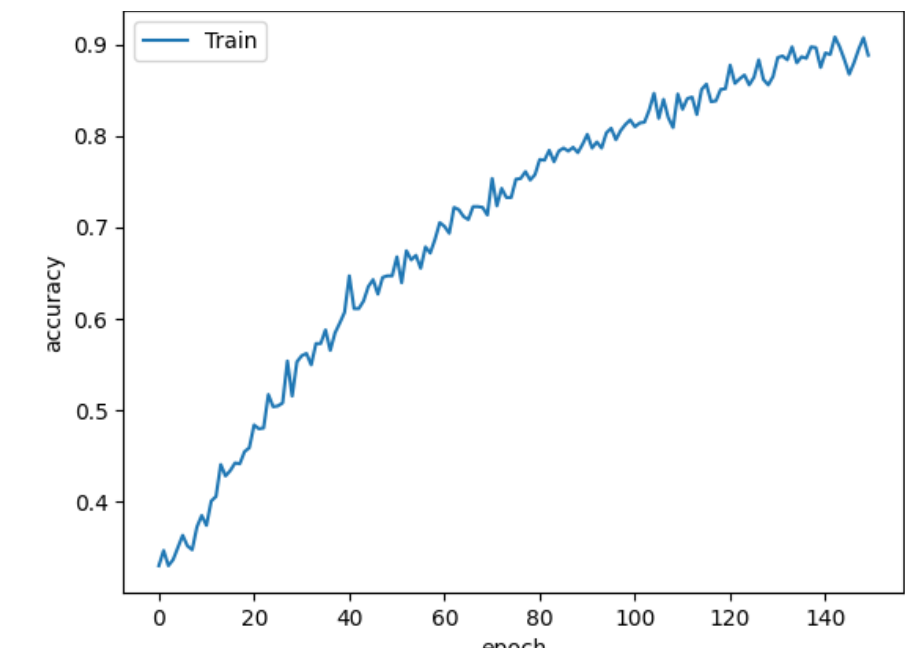
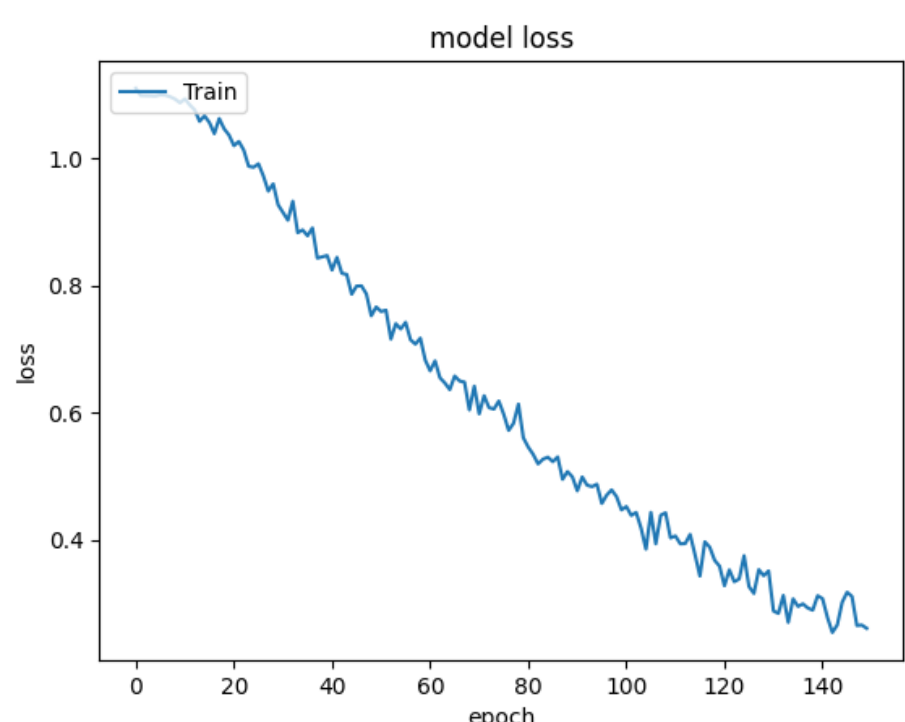
Add dropout in all layers incremental in levels of 20% to 40%.

Training accuracy: **96%**

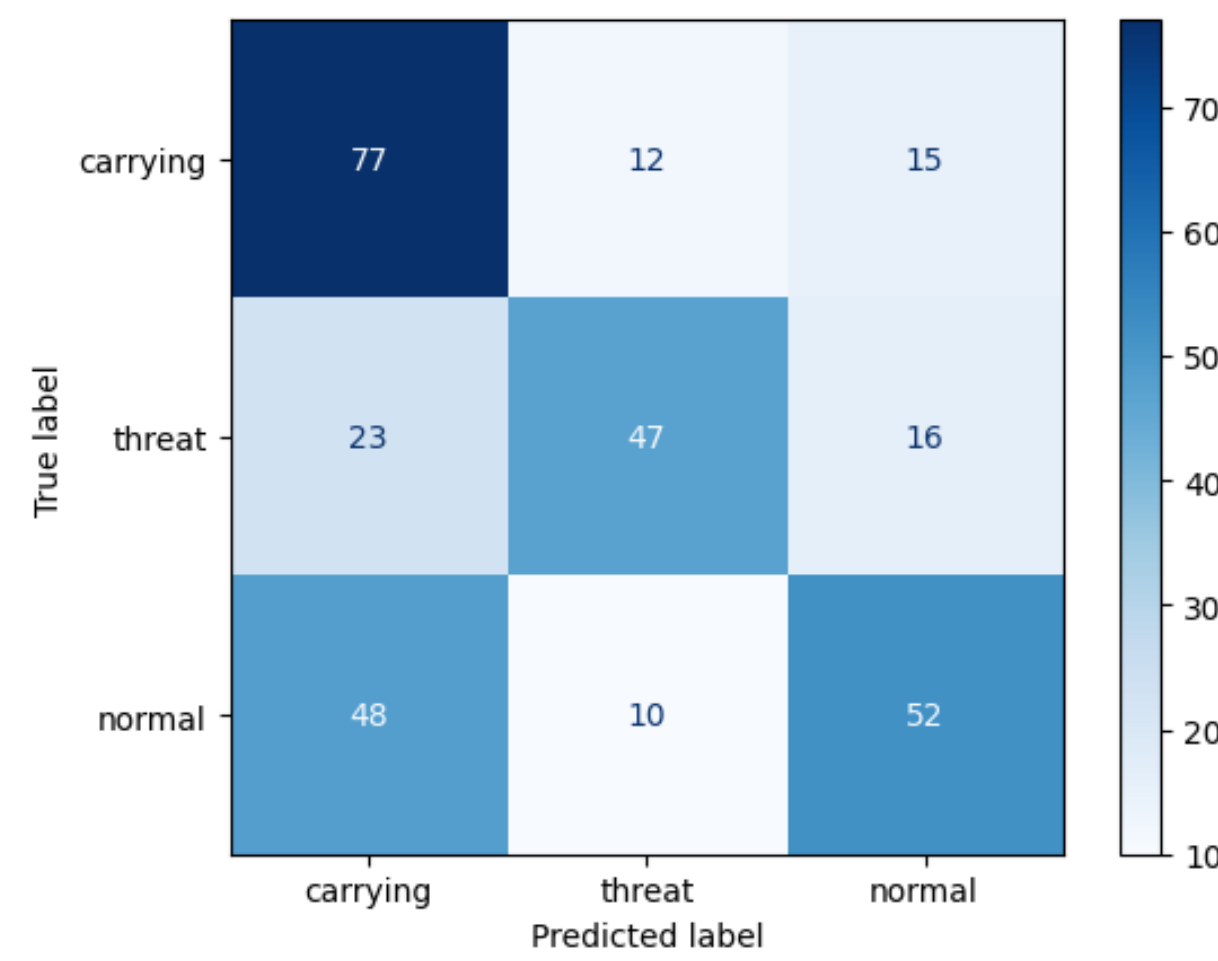
Validation Accuracy: **65%**

#### Conclusion:

**Despite increasing model accuracy and minimising overfit interval, we were able to reduce overfit but not eliminate it.**



F1 Score: 0.585474275880426  
Precision: 0.6093119048855037  
Recall: 0.5865411720062883  
(Macro Averages)



#### TRANSFER LEARNING - ResNet18

Pre-Trained Neural Network.  
18 layers with more than 1,000,000 images.

Changed the final layer to 3 (to represent classes).

Training Accuracy: **94%**

Validation Accuracy: **75%**

**In efforts to reduce overfit, added dropout of 0.2 to the final layer.**

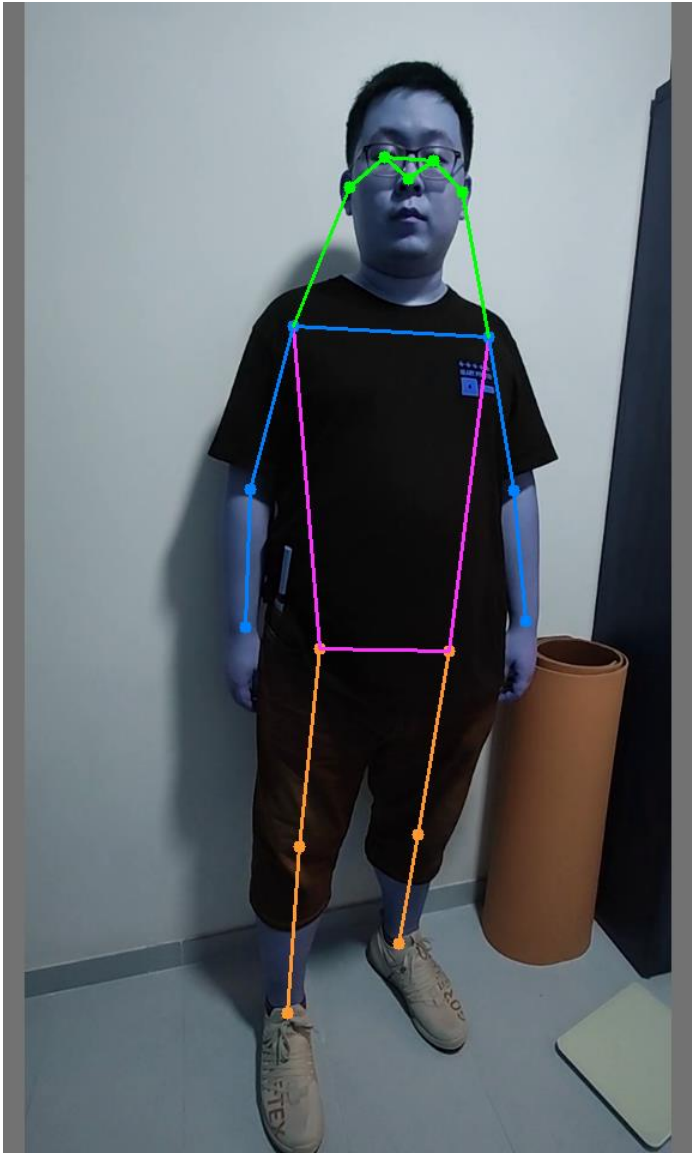
Training Accuracy: **80%**

Validation Accuracy: **78%**

#### Object Detection Techniques

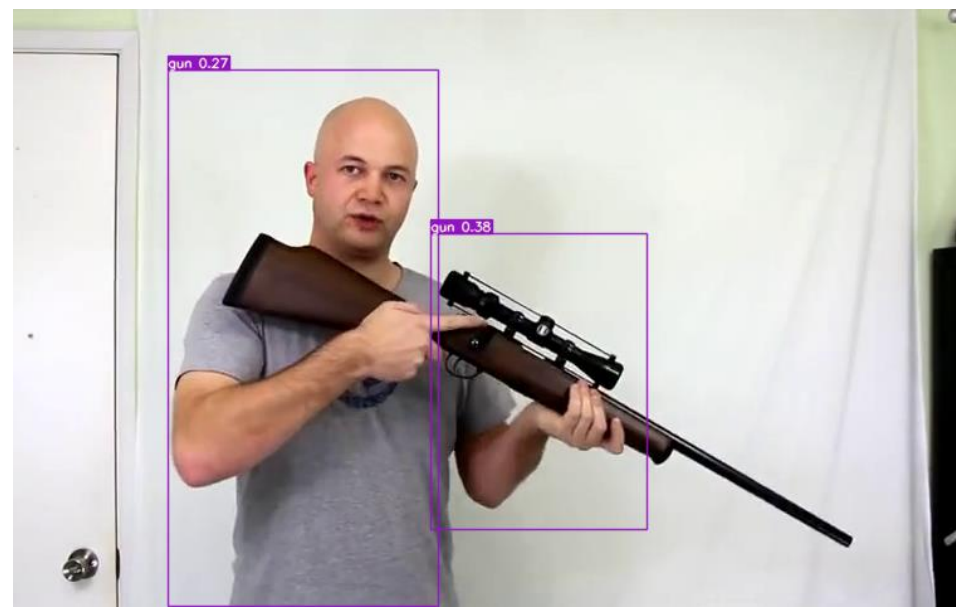
##### Pose Detection with YOLOv7

Processed dataset using YOLOv7 with pretrained model weights and used this new dataset with poses highlighted as **training dataset** for our **improved CNN** but no significant improvement in validation accuracy observed.



##### Object Detection with YOLOv7

Trained model on dataset of >8000 images with YOLOv7 labels  
Poor performance, likely due to insufficient epochs.



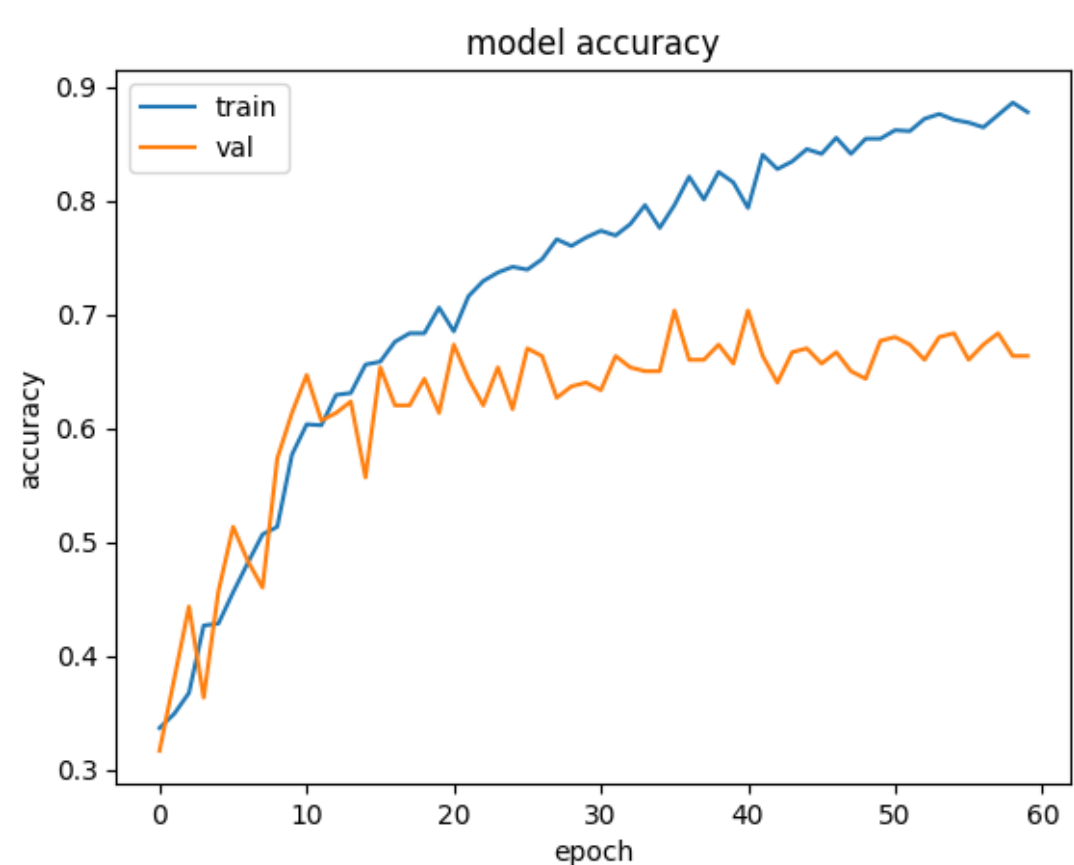
##### Object Detection with Region-based CNN (RCNN)

Using model with pre-trained weights on a dataset of only 333 images of pistols and rifles. Good performance in detection without labelling.



#### Using Object Detection to Crop Images

Using saved points from both **pose detection** and **weapon detection** to determine a new boundary to extract out the most important features and ignoring the surrounding environment.



Training CNN with previous enhancements on new dataset, accuracy is slightly increased.

Training Accuracy: **88%**  
Validation Accuracy: **68%**

#### MEMBER CONTRIBUTION

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