Custom Image Classification Dataset & Model for Animal Recognition

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Introduction

- Create a custom dataset with 5 animal classes (Dog, Cow, Cat, Lamb, Zebra)
- Collect 100 images per class (from the internet or phone)
- Develop a model with at least 90% classification accuracy

Significance

- Automates animal classification
- Custom dataset makes it adaptable
- Useful in agriculture, veterinary AI, and animal monitoring

Dataset Collection

- 100 images per class (Total: 500 images)
- Sources: Google Images, Unsplash, Phone
- Organized into 5 labeled folders

Data Preprocessing

- Resized to 224×224 pixels
- Normalized pixel values (0-1)
- Applied augmentation (rotation, flipping, cropping)

Tools & Libraries Used

- TensorFlow/Keras (Model Training)
- OpenCV (Image Preprocessing)
- NumPy & Pandas (Data Handling)

Model Development - Initial Approach

- Implemented CNN model
- Achieved 85% accuracy initially
- Challenges: Overfitting, class imbalance

Next Steps for Improvement

- Use transfer learning (VGG16, ResNet)
- Improve hyperparameter tuning
- Apply cross-validation for better generalization

Evaluation Metrics

- Accuracy, Precision, Recall
- Test on validation set
- Optimize model based on performance

GitHub

 https://github.com/FahimMuntashir/animalclassifier

Conclusion

- Target: Achieve 90% accuracy
- Future Scope: Expand dataset, enhance augmentation, deploy as web app
- Teamwork: Continuous collaboration & improvement

References

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Q&A

- Any Questions?
- Thank You!