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About This Document

Overview

This document is applicable to the candidates who are preparing for the HCIA-AI exam and the readers who want to understand the AI programming basics. After learning this guide, you will be able to perform basic AI programming with ModelArts.

Description

This guide contains two experiments, which are based on how to use ModelArts. It is hoped that trainees or readers can get started with deep learning and have the basic programming capability by ModelArts.

If you are in an area where Huawei Cloud and ModelArts service is not accessible, this chapter can be ignored, it is not necessary for passing the HCIA-AI V3.0 certification.

Background Knowledge Required

To fully understand this course, the readers should have basic Python programming capabilities, knowledge of data structures and deep learning algorithms.

Experiment Environment Overview

Huawei Cloud and ModelArts



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1 ExeML

1.1 Introduction

1.1.1 About This Experiment

ExeML, a service provided by ModelArts, is the process of automating model design, parameter tuning and training, and model compression and deployment with the labeled data. The process is free of coding and does not require your experience in model development, enabling you to start from scratch. This lab guides you through image classification, object detection, and predictive analytics scenarios.

Image classification is based on image content labeling. An image classification model can predict a label corresponding to an image, and is applicable to scenarios in which image classes are obvious.

1.1.2 Objectives

This lab uses three specific examples to help you quickly create image classification, object detection, and predictive analytics models. The flower recognition experiment recognizes flower classes in images.

1.1.3 Experiment Environment Overview

If you are a first-time ModelArts user, you need to add an access key to authorize ModelArts jobs to access Object Storage Service (OBS) on Huawei Cloud. You cannot create any jobs without an access key. The procedure is as follows:

Generating an access key: On the management console, move your cursor over your username, and choose Basic Information > Manage > My Credentials > Access Keys to create an access key. After the access key is created, the AK/SK file will be downloaded to your local computer. The following picture shows the steps.

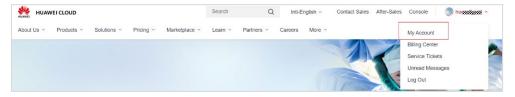




Figure 1-1 Huawei Cloud Homepage

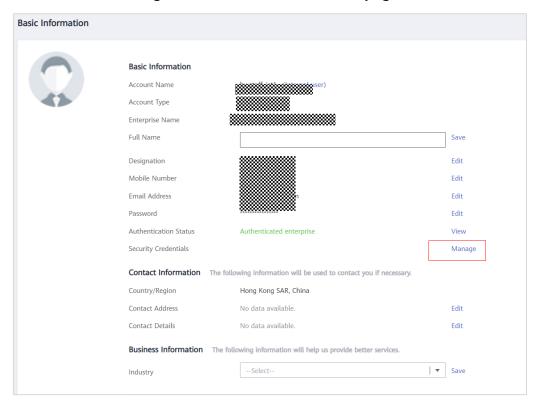


Figure 1-2 Basic Information Page

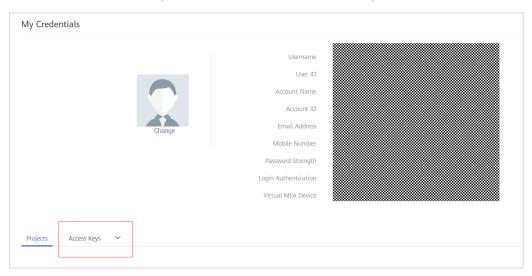


Figure 1-3 My Credentials Page

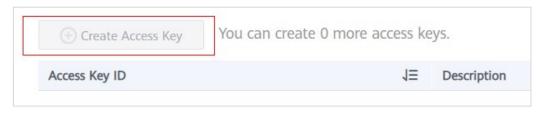




Figure 1-4 Create Access Key

 Configuring global settings for ModelArts: Go to the Settings page of ModelArts, and enter the AK and SK information recorded in the downloaded AK/SK file to authorize ModelArts modules to access OBS.

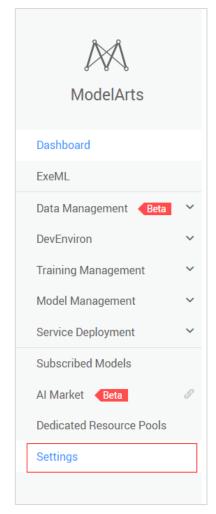


Figure 1-5 ModelArts Settings Page

1.2 Flower Recognition Application

The ExeML page consists of two parts. The upper part lists the supported ExeML project types. You can click Create Project to create an ExeML project. The created ExeML projects are listed in the lower part of the page. You can filter the projects by type or search for a project by entering its name in the search box and clicking.

The procedure for using ExeML is as follows:

- Creating a project: To use ModelArts ExeML, create an ExeML project first.
- Labeling data: Upload images and label them by class.
- Training a model: After data labeling is completed, you can start model training.



• Deploying a service and performing prediction: Deploy the trained model as a service and perform online prediction.

1.2.1 Creating a Project

Step 1 Create a project.

On the **ExeML** page, click **Create Project** in **Image Classification**. The **Create Image Classification Project** page is displayed.

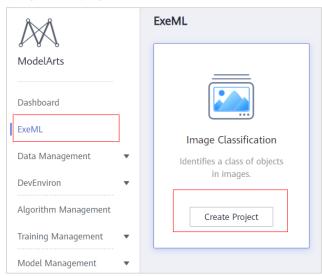


Figure 1-6 ModelArts ExeML

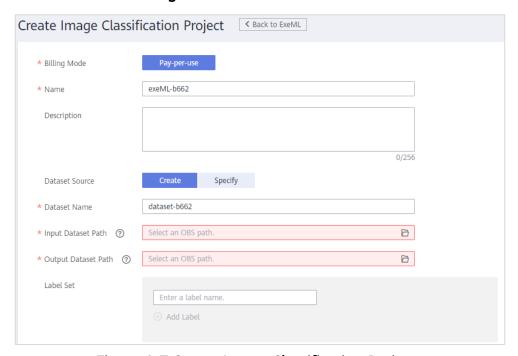


Figure 1-7 Create Image Classification Project

Parameters:



- Billing Mode: Pay-per-use by default
- Name: The value can be modified as required.
- **Description:** The value can be modified as required.
- **Dataset Name:** The value can be modified as required.
- Input Dataset Path: Select an OBS path for storing the dataset to be trained. Create an empty folder on OBS first (Click the bucket name to enter the bucket. Then, click Create Folder, enter a folder name, and click OK). Select the newly created OBS folder as the training data path. Alternatively, you can import required data to OBS in advance. In this example, the data is uploaded to the /modelarts-demo/autolearning/image-class folder.

For details about how to upload data, see: https://support.huaweicloud.com/enus/modelarts_faq/modelarts_05_0013.html.

To obtain the source data, visit: https://data-certification.obs.cn-east-2.myhuaweicloud.com/ENG/HCIA-AI/V3.0/modelarts-demo.rar

- Output Dataset Path: Select an OBS path for storing the dataset to be exported. Create an empty folder on OBS, the method of creation is the same as Input Dataset Path.
- Step 2 Confirm the project creation.

Click Create Project. The ExeML project is created.

1.2.2 Labeling Data

Step 1 Upload images.

After an ExeML project is created, the Label Data page is automatically displayed.

Click Add Image to add images in batches. The dataset path is modelarts-datasets-andsource-code/ExeML/flower-recognition-application/training-dataset. If the images have been uploaded to OBS, click Synchronize Data Source to synchronize the images to ModelArts.

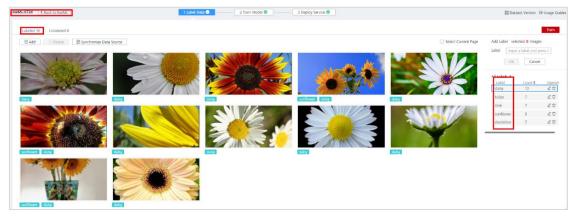


Figure 1-8 Upload Images

□ NOTE



- The images to be trained must be classified into at least two classes, and each class must contain at least five images. That is, at least two labels are available and the number of images for each label is not fewer than five.
- You can add multiple labels to an image.

Step 2 Label the images.

In area 1, click **Unlabeled**, and select one or more images to be labeled in sequence, or select **Select Current Page** in the upper right corner to select all images on the current page. In area 2, input a label or select an existing label and press **Enter** to add the label to the images. Then, click **OK**. The selected images are labeled.

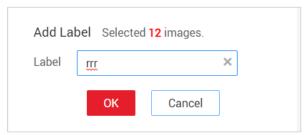


Figure 1-9 Label the Images

Step 3 Delete or modify a label in one image.

Click **Labeled** in area 1, and then click an image. To modify a label, click on the right of the label in area 2, enter a new label on the displayed dialog box, and click \checkmark . To delete a label, click \checkmark on the right of the label in area 2. See Figure 1-10.

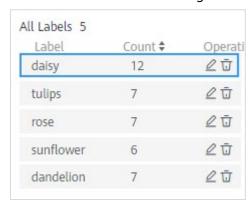


Figure 1-10 Delete or Modify Label in One Image

Step 4 Delete or modify a label in multiple images.

In area 2, click the label to be modified or deleted, and click \checkmark on the right of the label to rename it, or click \checkmark to delete it from multiple images. In the dialog box that is displayed, select **Delete label** or **Delete label and images that only contain this label**.



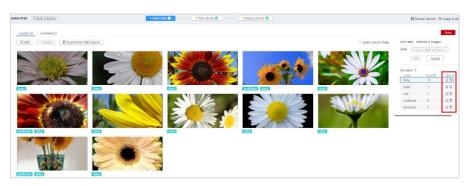


Figure 1-11 Delete or Modify a Label in Multiple Images

1.2.3 Training a Model

After labeling the images, you can train an image classification model. Set the training parameters first and then start automatic training of the model. Images to be trained must be classified into at least two classes, and each class must contain at least five images. Therefore, before training, ensure that the labeled images meet the requirements. Otherwise, the **Train** button is unavailable.

Step 1 Set related parameters.

You can retain the default values for the parameters, or modify Max Training Duration (h) and enable Advanced Settings to set the inference duration. Figure 1-12 shows the training settings.

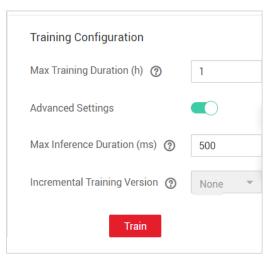


Figure 1-12 Training Configuration

Parameters:

Max Training Duration (h): If the training process is not completed within the
maximum training duration, it is forcibly stopped. You are advised to enter a larger
value to prevent forcible stop during training.



• Max Inference Duration (ms): The time required for inferring a single image is proportional to the complexity of the model. Generally, the shorter the inference time, the simpler the selected model and the faster the training speed. However, the precision may be affected.

Step 2 Train a model.

After setting the parameters, click **Train**. After training is completed, you can view the training result on the **Train Model** tab page.

1.2.4 Deploying a Service and Performing Prediction

Step 1 Deploy the model as a service.

After the model training is completed, you can deploy a version with the ideal precision and in the **Successful** status as a service. To do so, click **Deploy** in the **Version Manager** pane of the **Train Model** tab page. See Figure 1-13. After the deployment is successful, you can choose **Service Deployment > Real-Time Services** to view the deployed service.

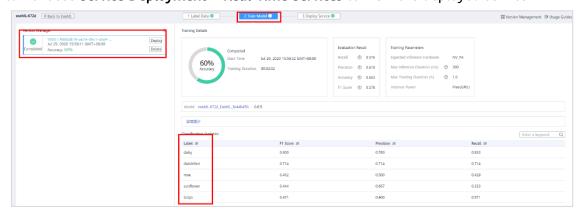


Figure 1-13 Train Model

Step 2 Test the service.

After the model is deployed as a service, you can upload an image to test the service. The path of the test data is **modelarts-datasets-and-source-code/ExeML/flower-recognition-application/test-data/daisy.jpg.**

On the **Deploy Service** tab page, click the **Upload** button to select the test image. After the image is uploaded successfully, click **Predict**. The prediction result is displayed in the right pane. See Figure 1-14. Five classes of labels are added during data labeling: tulip, daisy, sunflower, rose, and dandelion. The test image contains a daisy. In the prediction result, "daisy" gets the highest score, that is, the classification result is "daisy".





Figure 1-14 Deploy Service

2 Image Classification

2.1 Introduction

2.1.1 About This Experiment

This experiment is about a basic task in computer vision, that is image recognition. This experiment has been completed in chapter 4.Now, we will do this experiment on ModelArts with GPU.

2.1.2 Objectives

Upon completion of this task, you will be able to:

- Know how to use ModelArts to develop your own model
- Understand the advantages of deep neural network training with GPU acceleration

2.2 Procedure

2.2.1 Create a Notebook

Step 1 Create a Notebook



Open the **ModelArts Homepage** and select **DevEnviron** to create Notebook.



Figure 2-1 ModelArts Homepage

Click the Create button to Create the Notebook environment.



Figure 2-2 Create Notebook

Step 2 Configuration

Clicking the Create button, then you got the configuration page. Here are some parameters, explained as follows:

- Name: user-defined.
- Auto Stop: user-defined, it is recommended to estimate the usage time in advance.
- Work Environment: Here, TF2.1 is fixed, as shown in the figure 2-3.
- Instance Flavor: GPU: 1xV100 is recommended.



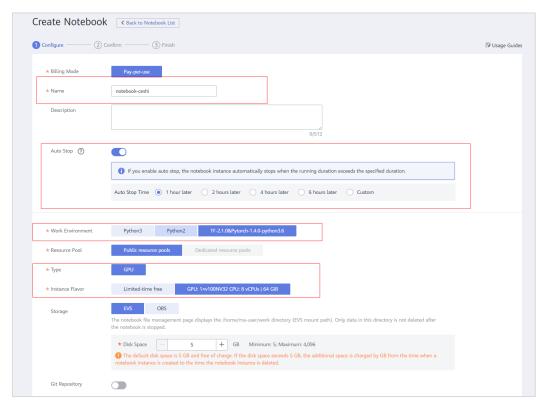


Figure 2-3 Notebook Configuration

Step 3 Finish

Then, at the bottom of this page, click Next button to finish creating notebook.

2.2.2 Open Notebook and Coding

Once the Notebook is created, the Notebook environment that you created will be listed on this page. The Notebook environment can be managed with the Open, Stop, and Delete buttons. Click Open to continue.



Figure 2-4 Open Notebook

This interface is a Notebook page, click the **New** button, and then click **TensorFlow-2.1.0** to create a New file, as shown on this figure.





Figure 2-5 Create a New File

This page is a Notebook's code editing interface and its base environment is TensorFlow2.1.0. You can start editing the code.



Figure 2-6 Notebook's Code Editing Interface

2.3 Experiment Code

2.3.1 Introducing Dependencies

Code:

```
import imageio
import numpy as np
import pickle
import os
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import tensorflow as tf
from tensorflow import keras
from tensorflow.keras import layers, optimizers, datasets, Sequential
from tensorflow.keras.layers import Conv2D,Activation,MaxPooling2D,Dropout,Flatten,Dense
```

2.3.2 Data Preprocessing

Code:

!wget https://data-certification.obs.cn-east-2.myhuaweicloud.com/ENG/HCIA-AI/V3.0/cifar-10-python.tar.gz



!tar -zxvf cifar-10-python.tar.gz

Code:

```
final_tr_data=[]
final_tr_label=[]
final_te_data=[]
final_te_label=[]
# Decompress, return the decompressed dictionary
def unpickle(file):
    fo = open(file, 'rb')
    dict = pickle.load(fo, encoding='latin1')
    fo.close()
    return dict
# Generate training set pictures. If you need png format, you only need to change the picture suffix
name.
for j in range(1, 6):
    dataName = "cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_" + str(j) # Read the data_batch12345 file in the
current directory. The dataName is actually the path of the data_batch file. The text and the script file
are in the same directory.
    Xtr = unpickle(dataName)
    print(dataName + " is loading...")
    for i in range(0, 10000):
         img = np.reshape(Xtr['data'][i], (3,32, 32)) # Xtr['data'] is picture binary data
         img = img.transpose(1, 2, 0)
         picName = \frac{train}{t} + \frac{str(Xtr['labels'][i])}{t} + \frac{t}{t} + \frac{str(i + (j - 1)*10000)}{t} + \frac{t}{jpg'} # Xtr['labels'] is
the label of the picture, the value range is 0-9. In this article, the train folder needs to exist and be in
the same directory as the script file.
         if not os.path.exists('./train'):
              os.mkdir('./train')
         imageio.imwrite(picName, img)
         final_tr_data.append(img)
         final_tr_label.append(Xtr['labels'][i])
    print(dataName + " loaded.")
print("test_batch is loading...")
# Generate test set images
testXtr = unpickle("cifar-10-batches-py//test_batch")
for i in range(0, 10000):
    img = np.reshape(testXtr['data'][i], (3,32, 32))
    img = img.transpose(1, 2, 0)
    picName = 'test//' + str(testXtr['labels'][i]) + '_' + str(i) + '.jpg'
    if not os.path.exists('./test'):
         os.mkdir('./test')
    imageio.imwrite(picName, img)
    final_te_data.append(img)
    final_te_label.append(testXtr['labels'][i])
print("test_batch loaded.")
```



Output:

```
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_1 is loading...
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_1 loaded.
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_2 is loading...
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_2 loaded.
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_3 is loading...
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_3 loaded.
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_4 is loading...
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_4 loaded.
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_5 is loading...
cifar-10-batches-py//data_batch_5 loaded.
test_batch is loading...
test_batch loaded.
```

Code:

```
final_tr_data=np.array(final_tr_data)
print(np.shape(final_tr_data))
y_train=np.array(final_tr_label).reshape(50000,1)
print(np.shape(final_tr_label))

final_te_data=np.array(final_te_data)
print(np.shape(final_te_data))
y_test=np.array(final_te_label).reshape(10000,1)
print(np.shape(final_te_label))
```

Output:

```
(50000, 32, 32, 3)
(50000,)
(10000, 32, 32, 3)
(10000,)
```

Show the first 9 images:

Code:

```
category_dict = {0:'airplane',1:'automobile',2:'bird',3:'cat',4:'deer',5:'dog',
                   6:'frog',7:'horse',8:'ship',9:'truck'}
#Show the first 9 images and their labels
plt.figure()
for i in range(9):
    #create a figure with 9 subplots
    plt.subplot(3,3,i+1)
    #show an image
    plt.imshow(final_tr_data[i])
    #show the label
    plt.ylabel(category_dict[final_tr_label[i]])
plt.show()
#Pixel normalization
x_train = final_tr_data.astype('float32')/255
x_test = final_te_data.astype('float32')/255
num_classes=10
```

Output:



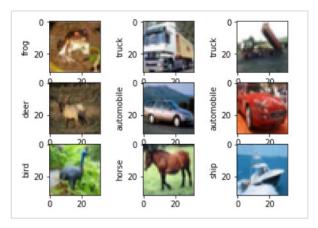


Figure 2-7 First 9 Images with Tags

2.3.3 Model Creation

Code:

```
def CNN_classification_model(input_size = x_train.shape[1:]):
    model = Sequential()
    #the first block with 2 convolutional layers and 1 maxpooling layer
    "Conv1 with 32 3*3 kernels
        padding="same": it applies zero padding to the input image so that the input image gets
fully covered by the filter and specified stride.
        It is called SAME because, for stride 1, the output will be the same as the input.
        output: 32*32*32'"
    model.add(Conv2D(32, (3, 3), padding='same',
               input_shape=input_size))
    #relu activation function
    model.add(Activation('relu'))
    #Conv2
    model.add(Conv2D(32, (3, 3)))
    model.add(Activation('relu'))
    #maxpooling
    model.add(MaxPooling2D(pool_size=(2, 2),strides =1))
    #the second block
    model.add(Conv2D(64, (3, 3), padding='same'))
    model.add(Activation('relu'))
    model.add(Conv2D(64, (3, 3)))
    model.add(Activation('relu'))
    #maxpooling.the default strides =1
    model.add(MaxPooling2D(pool_size=(2, 2)))
    #Before sending a feature map into a fully connected network, it should be flattened into a
column vector.
    model.add(Flatten())
    #fully connected layer
    model.add(Dense(128))
    model.add(Activation('relu'))
    #dropout layer.every neuronis set to 0 with a probability of 0.25
    model.add(Dropout(0.25))
```



```
model.add(Dense(num_classes))
#map the score of each class into probability
model.add(Activation('softmax'))

opt = keras.optimizers.Adam(lr=0.0001)

model.compile(loss='sparse_categorical_crossentropy', optimizer=opt, metrics=['accuracy'])
return model
model=CNN_classification_model()
model.summary()
```

Output:

Layer (type)	Output Shape				Param #
conv2d (Conv2D)	(None,	32,	32,	32)	896
activation (Activation)	(None,	32,	32,	32)	0
conv2d_1 (Conv2D)	(None,	30,	30,	32)	9248
activation_1 (Activation)	(None,	30,	30,	32)	0
max_pooling2d (MaxPooling2D)	(None,	29,	29,	32)	0
conv2d_2 (Conv2D)	(None,	29,	29,	64)	18496
activation_2 (Activation)	(None,	29,	29,	64)	0
conv2d_3 (Conv2D)	(None,	27,	27,	64)	36928
activation_3 (Activation)	(None,	27,	27,	64)	0
max_pooling2d_1 (MaxPooling2	(None,	13,	13,	64)	0
flatten (Flatten)	(None,	108	16)		0
dense (Dense)	(None,	128)		1384576
activation_4 (Activation)	(None,	128)		0
dropout (Dropout)	(None,	128)		0
dense_1 (Dense)	(None,	10)			1290
activation_5 (Activation)	(None,	10)			0
Total params: 1,451,434 Trainable params: 1,451,434 Non-trainable params: 0					

2.3.4 Model Training

Code:

```
from tensorflow.keras.callbacks import ModelCheckpoint
model_name = "final_cifar10.h5"
model_checkpoint = ModelCheckpoint(model_name, monitor='loss',verbose=1, save_best_only=True)

#load pretrained models
trained_weights_path = 'cifar10_weights.h5'
if os.path.exists(trained_weights_path):
    model.load_weights(trained_weights_path, by_name =True)
#train
```



model.fit(x_train,y_train, batch_size=32, epochs=10,callbacks = [model_checkpoint],verbose=1)

Output:

```
Train on 50000 samples
#8600/50000 [=======].] - ETA: 0s - loss: 1.6383 - accuracy: 0.4085
Epoch 00001: loss improved from inf to 1.63644, saving model to final_cifar10.h5
50000/50000 [=========] - 8s 150us/sample - loss: 1.6364 - accuracy: 0.4092
             [=======], ] - ETA: 0s - loss: 1.3157 - accuracy: 0.5334 loss improved from 1.63644 to 1.31575, saving model to final_cifar10.h5 [===========] - 5s 110us/sample - loss: 1.3157 - accuracy: 0.5335
49824/50000 [=
==>.] - ETA: Os - loss: 1.1694 - accuracy: 0.5867
49792/50000 [=======
4792/50000 [======], ] - ETA: 0s - loss: 0.9883 - accuracy: 0.6566 
Epoch 00005: loss improved from 1.06089 to 0.98766, saving model to final_cifar10.h5 
50000/50000 [=========] - 5s 109us/sample - loss: 0.9877 - accuracy: 0.6568
Epoch 6/10
49856/50000 [=
                                          ==>.] - ETA: Os - loss: 0.9272 - accuracy: 0.6754
50000/50000 [==
Epoch 7/10
49760/50000 [==
[======], ] - ETA: 0s - loss: 0.8252 - accuracy: 0.7100
loss improved from 0.87214 to 0.82465, saving model to final_cifar10.h5
[======] - 5s 109us/sample - loss: 0.8246 - accuracy: 0.7101
#988750000 [=======].] - ETA: Os - loss: 0.7775 - accuracy: 0.7288

Epoch 00009: loss improved from 0.82465 to 0.77777, saving model to final_cifar10.h5

50000/50000 [==========] - 5s 108us/sample - loss: 0.7778 - accuracy: 0.7287

Epoch 10/10
<tensorflow.python.keras.callbacks.History at 0x7f875ac078d0>
```

This experiment is performed on a laptop. The network in this experiment is simple, consisting of four convolutional layers. To improve the performance of this model, you can increase the number of epochs and the complexity of the model.

2.3.5 Model Evaluation

Code:

```
new_model = CNN_classification_model()
new_model.load_weights('final_cifar10.h5')
model.evaluate(x_test, y_test, verbose=1)
```

Output:

```
10000/10000 [========] - 1s 66us/sample - loss: 0.8327 - accuracy: 0.7134 [0.8326702466964722, 0.7134]
```

Predict on a single image.

Code:

```
#output the possibility of each class
new_model.predict(x_test[0:1])
```

Output:



```
array([[2.3494475e-03, 6.9919275e-05, 8.1065837e-03, 7.8556609e-01, 2.3783690e-03, 1.8864134e-01, 6.8611270e-03, 1.2157968e-03, 4.3428279e-03, 4.6843957e-04]], dtype=float32)
```

Code:

```
#output the predicted label
new_model.predict_classes(x_test[0:1])
```

Output:

```
array([3])
```

Plot the first 4 images in the test set and their corresponding predicted labels.

Code:

```
#label list
pred_list = []

plt.figure()
for i in range(0,4):
    plt.subplot(2,2,i+1)
    #plot
    plt.imshow(x_test[i])
    #predict
    pred = new_model.predict_classes(x_test[0:10])
    pred_list.append(pred)
    #Display actual and predicted labels of images
    plt.title("pred:"+category_dict[pred[i]]+" actual:"+ category_dict[y_test[i][0]])
    plt.axis('off')
plt.show()
```

Output:



Figure 2-8 The First 4 Images with Predicted Labels

2.4 Summary

This chapter describes how to build an image classification model based on ModelArts.