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U-Net to predict segmentation in raster images

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Outline

- **Amazon Rainforest and deforestation**
- **Methodology**
- **Results**
- **Conclusions**

// Amazon rainforest



Deforestation in Rondônia state [5].

- **Amazon rainforest** deforestation[5].
- **Biodiversity loss** [5].
- **Deforestation increasement** [2][3][5][6][7].
- **Raster Images** available by tools created by **INPE** [6][7].

// Study Region and its Specifications

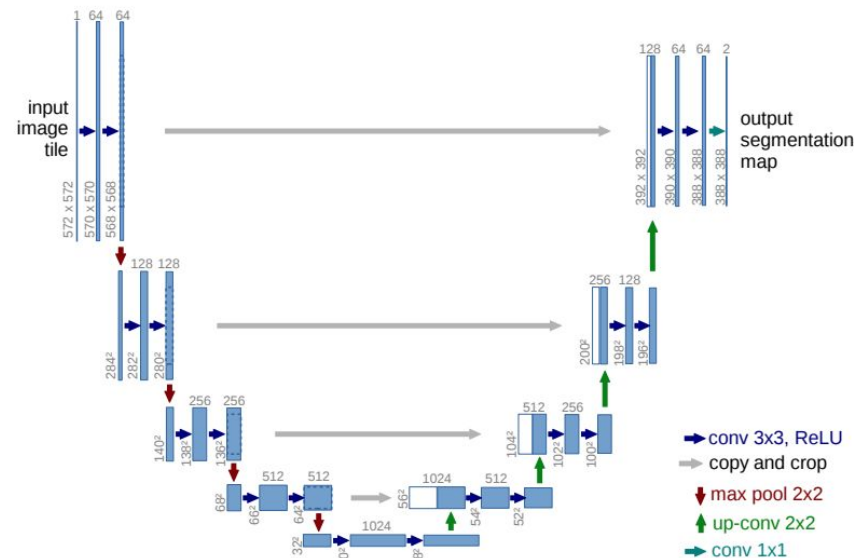
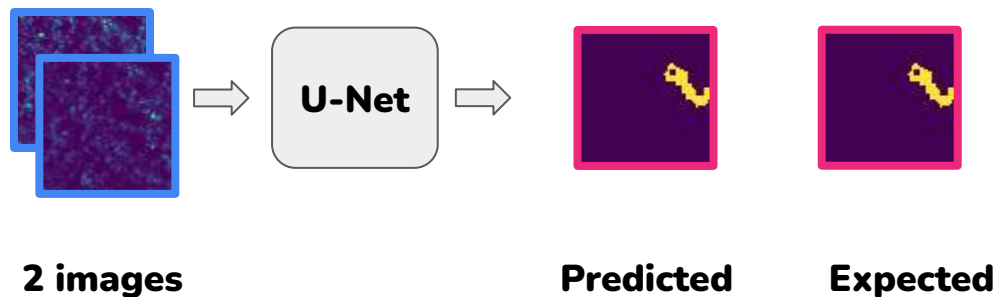
- **Jamari National Forest.**
- **State Rondônia.**
- **Images with 657x1196.**
- **X-band.**
- **June and October**

Table 1. Characteristics of the COSMO-SkyMed scenes used in this study.

Parameter	Specification
Platform	COSMO-SkyMed
Launch	June 2007
Swath	620 km
Wavelength	X-band
Polarization	HH
Number of satellites	4
Year	2018
Acquisition mode	Stripmap HIMAGE
Size	40 km × 40 km
Incidence angle	~55°
Spatial resolution	3 m × 3 m

// Methodology

- **U-Net [1].**
- **Deforestation Segmentation using U-Net [2].**
- **Patches with 64x64x1**



[1]

// Methodology

Grid Search (**Hyper Parameters Optimization**)

Tools:

- Optuna (Instances Parallelism).
- Tensorboard(Compile all the instances).
- Tensorflow Keras (Modeling).

Hyperparameters Evaluation:

- Filters number (32,64,128).

Data augmentation:

- Default operations.
- Autoencoders.

How to select the best model ?

- Execution Time.
- Validation Error.
- Train Error.

Hardware:

CPU: **Intel(R) Xeon(R) Gold 5118 CPU @ 2.30GHz**

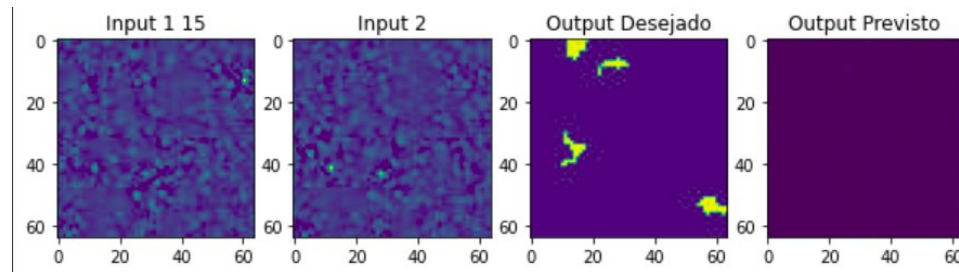
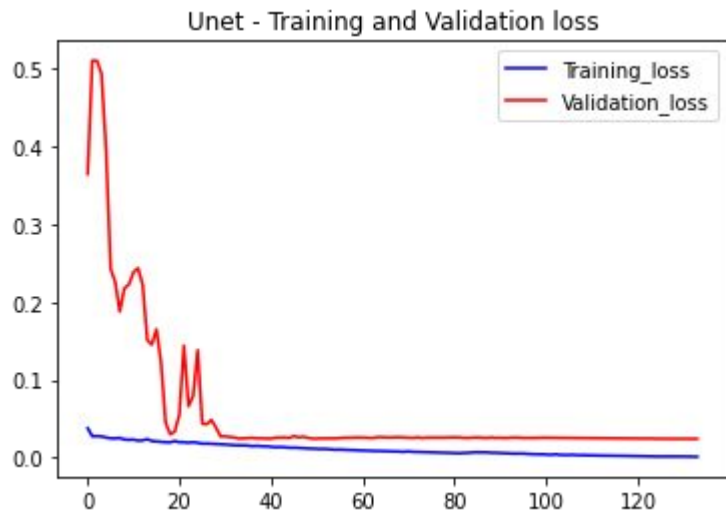
RAM: **755GB**

GPU: **4xNVIDIA Tesla V100 16GB**

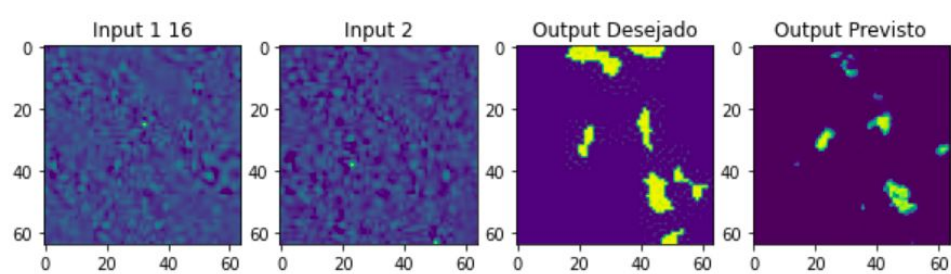
// Results

Final Model:

- Input shape: **64x64x2** (Two images)
- Output shape: **64x64x1**
- Filters: **128**



Worst case scenario



Best case scenario

// Conclusions

Segmentation

- U-Net do a great work.
- Locating the deforestation in most cases.

Machine Learning Techniques

- **Autoencoders** use was not possible because of the high number of gradient vanish or explosion.
- The initial objective was to compare the data augmentation brought by autoencoder with the default flip and rotation.

Data Augmentation

- Only used the default data augmentation (rotation and flip).

Thank You

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Documentation: [Tensorflow](#) / [Optuna](#) / [Tensorboard](#)