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# Create Your Own Image Classifier


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Dear Student,

Great work passing this project. I am sure you have learnt a lot from this project. You have demonstrated great python skills and understanding of implementing neural networks in pytorch. Your code is absolutely fantastic. Keep up this great work !!

You have achieved really good accuracy on test set as well, since learning never stops, you can read further by going to the following links:

- [Comparison of Deep Learning Models for Image Classification](#)
- [Summary of the current state of Image Classification](#)

Best Wishes !!

## Files Submitted



The submission includes all required files. (Model checkpoints not required.)

Well done submitting all of the required files!

## Part 1 - Development Notebook



All the necessary packages and modules are imported in the first cell of the notebook

Well done organizing all of the import statements on the first cell of the notebook.



torchvision transforms are used to augment the training data with random scaling, rotations, mirroring, and/or cropping

Great work augmenting the training data, this will not only increase the data but also the trained model will be highly robust.



The training, validation, and testing data is appropriately cropped and normalized

Good work, normalizing the data using the mean and standard deviation of the flowers dataset



The data for each set (train, validation, test) is loaded with torchvision's ImageFolder

Good job, loading the dataset using ImageFolder . Also, you have written the code very concisely.



The data for each set is loaded with torchvision's DataLoader

Good job, loading the dataset using DataLoader correctly. I see that you are only shuffling the training data, which is a good practice, helps us avoid overfitting.



A pretrained network such as VGG16 is loaded from torchvision.models and the parameters are frozen

You have done a good job using pretrained Mobilenet v2 and you have frozen the parameters correctly.



A new feedforward network is defined for use as a classifier using the features as input

Your feedforward network is suitable for this task and dataset. You can experiment with deeper network, but do introduce dropout, batch-normalization or other forms of regularization layers because otherwise, the model will quickly start overfitting.



The parameters of the feedforward classifier are appropriately trained, while the parameters of the feature network are left static

Only the feedforward classifier is being appropriately trained while the feature network parameters are left static.



During training, the validation loss and accuracy are displayed

Well done clearly logging the validation loss and accuracy at each step!



The network's accuracy is measured on the test data

Good job achieving an accuracy of ~95% on the test dataset.



There is a function that successfully loads a checkpoint and rebuilds the model

Nicely done writing the load\_checkpoint method to successfully load the checkpoint and rebuild the model



The trained model is saved as a checkpoint along with associated hyperparameters and the class\_to\_idx dictionary

Great job saving the major hyperparameters in the checkpoint! This practice will make it easy to retrain your model in the future!



The predict function successfully takes the path to an image and a checkpoint, then returns the top K most probable classes for that image

Awesome job finding the top K classes along with the associated probabilities!



The process\_image function successfully converts a PIL image into an object that can be used as input to a trained model

Yes, the code has been modified to correctly resize, crop and normalize the image values. Excellent work with the implementation from scratch using PIL and numpy. Hope you have better understanding of what goes under the hood of pytorch transforms.



A matplotlib figure is created displaying an image and its associated top 5 most probable classes with actual flower names

Your plot of predicted probability is correctly implemented, well done !

## Part 2 - Command Line Application



train.py successfully trains a new network on a dataset of images and saves the model to a checkpoint

Your script is really good and shows you have worked all the possible cases and tested your code on various parameters. Great job !!



The training loss, validation loss, and validation accuracy are printed out as a network trains

Well done clearly logging the validation loss and accuracy at each step!



The training script allows users to choose from at least two different architectures available from `torchvision.models`

Good job with providing the support for two architectures. I also observe that unlike a lot of other students you are accessing input features using:

- `model.classifier.in_features`
- `model.fc.in_features`

This is a very good practice, as you can use the logic to expand the code to include more architectures.



The training script allows users to set hyperparameters for learning rate, number of hidden units, and training epochs

Good job you have provided command line option for all the hyperparameters asked in the specification.



The training script allows users to choose training the model on a GPU

Good job providing the support for gpu and handling the edge case of using gpu only if its available on the device, not because the user said so.



The predict.py script successfully reads in an image and a checkpoint then prints the most likely image class and it's associated probability

Predict script is very well implemented, also you have taken care of all the edge cases.



The predict.py script allows users to print out the top K classes along with associated probabilities

Awesome job finding the top K classes along with the associated probabilities!



The predict.py script allows users to use the GPU to calculate the predictions

Good job providing the support for gpu and handling the edge case of using gpu only if its available on the device, not because the user said so.



The predict.py script allows users to load a JSON file that maps the class values to other category names

You have correctly loaded the json file from the provided path using command line option. Good work !!



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