

Mini project how we did it

Step 1: first know what we need to is the d.l

It mimics the human brain

Step 2: what architecture it follows

These are the cnn models

- ShuffleNet**

- SqueezeNet**

- EfficientNet B0**

- ResNet-50**

MobileNet

Step 3: why are we doing this project?

Normally there are no proper algorithms for finding the fruit quality by just using the [images](#) .so we want to fill that gap

“Possible questions”:

Q: What do you mean by “no proper algorithms”?

👉 *Most existing methods are not accurate or image-based.*

Q: Why is fruit quality classification important?

👉 *To reduce waste and ensure better quality for consumers.*

Q: Why use images instead of sensors?

👉 *Images are cheaper, faster, and non-destructive.*

Q: Why deep learning for this task

👉 *It automatically learns features and gives high accuracy.*

Q: What challenges do you expect?

👉 *Small datasets, class imbalance, and visual similarity.*

Q: What are the real-world uses?

👉 *Sorting machines, supermarkets, and mobile apps.*

Q: How does your project fill the gap?

👉 *It provides a practical image-based deep learning solution.*

Q: Which model performed best in your project?

👉 *MobileNet gave the highest classification accuracy*

Step 4: now first discuss about the cnn and later we can go deep into the project

Sure! Here's a **detailed yet easy-to-understand explanation of CNN (Convolutional Neural Network)** — including an example at the end.

🧠 **What is CNN?**

CNN (Convolutional Neural Network) is a type of **deep learning algorithm** that is **specially designed to work with images**.

Just like your brain processes visual patterns (like recognizing faces, objects, letters), CNN helps computers **see and understand images**.

🔍 **Why CNN for images?**






Normal neural networks (like dense layers) don't work well with large images — too many pixels = too many connections = slow & less accurate.

CNN solves this by:

- **Focusing on small image areas (features)** at a time
- **Reusing filters** to find patterns like edges, shapes, and textures

- Reducing the number of parameters
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Basic Layers in a CNN

1.  **Convolutional Layer**
 - Applies **filters (kernels)** to the image
 - Extracts **features** like edges, corners, textures
Example: Finds where the edges of an apple are
 2.  **ReLU Layer (Activation)**
 - Adds **non-linearity** so the model can learn complex patterns
Example: Helps distinguish between round (apple) and long (banana)
 3.  **Pooling Layer (usually MaxPooling)**
 - Reduces the image size (downsampling)
 - Keeps important information only
Example: Shrinks image from 100x100 to 50x50 while keeping key features
 4.  **Fully Connected Layer (Dense)**
 - Connects all neurons to make the final decision
Example: Predicts if it's a **fresh apple**, **rotten apple**, or **banana**
 5.  **Output Layer**
 - Gives the final **probabilities or classes**
Example: [0.9 fresh apple, 0.1 rotten apple]
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CNN Architecture Example (Simple)

Suppose you are building a fruit quality checker using CNN:

Input Image (e.g., 100x100 image of a mango)

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Conv Layer 1 → 16 filters detect edges

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ReLU Activation

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Max Pooling → reduce size
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Conv Layer 2 → more filters detect texture, color
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ReLU + Pooling again
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Flatten + Fully Connected Layer
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Output Layer → Predicts: Fresh Mango, Rotten Mango, Not Mango

Real-Life Example:

Let's say you input this picture:



CNN does the following:

- **Detects edges** (outline of the mango)
 - **Finds patterns** (dark spots, wrinkles)
 - **Summarizes features** (texture, shape)
 - **Classifies it as: "Rotten Mango"**
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Key Advantages of CNN:

- Learns features automatically
 - Requires fewer parameters than normal neural nets
 - Works great for **image classification**, **object detection**, **face recognition**, etc.
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Summary:

CNN is a powerful deep learning model that mimics the way humans see. It processes images through layers to detect patterns and classify objects.

Step 5:

We are classifying the fruits apple,banana,oranges

Training samples: 10901

Test samples: 2698

Split sizes:

- Train: 8720 samples
- Validation: 2181 samples
- Test: 2698 samples

ImageDataGenerator is used for:

- **Preprocessing + Augmentation** in one step
- Feeding data **in batches** during training
- Automatically **resizing, normalizing, and labeling** images

Summary:

You're using **ImageDataGenerator** to **create more diverse training images** by randomly altering them — which helps your CNN **learn better and perform well on new data**.