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REAL AND FAKE FACE DETECTION

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PROJECT TITLE: REAL AND FAKE FACE DETECTION

PROPOSED MODELS:

- CNN (Residual Network with 50 layers- ResNet50)
- Vision Transformer (ViT)

INTRODUCTION:

The rapid advancements in image editing software have led to an increase in the creation and dissemination of fake images, including photoshopped faces that are often indistinguishable from the human eye. This poses significant challenges in various domains such as security, media, and social networks where the authenticity of images is crucial. Detecting fake faces is a critical task in combating misinformation, ensuring the integrity of visual content, and maintaining trust in digital interactions.

This project addresses the problem of real and fake face detection by leveraging state-of-the-art deep learning models, specifically ResNet50 and Vision Transformer (ViT). These models were selected due to their robust architectures and proven efficacy in image classification tasks. The dataset utilized comprises two distinct classes: 'Real' and 'Fake', where the 'Fake' images are high-quality photoshopped faces designed to deceive.

OBJECTIVES

- To develop and fine-tune ResNet50 and Vision Transformer (ViT) models for the task of real and fake face detection.
- To evaluate and compare the performance of these models using comprehensive metrics such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score.
- To determine the most effective model for this task, considering both performance and computational efficiency.

SIGNIFICANCE OF THE STUDY:

The ability to accurately detect fake faces has wide-ranging implications. In the context of social media, it helps in mitigating the spread of fake news and doctored images that can influence public opinion. In security systems, it enhances the reliability of facial recognition technologies used in authentication processes. Furthermore, in legal and investigative scenarios, the authenticity of visual evidence is paramount, making the detection of manipulated images essential.

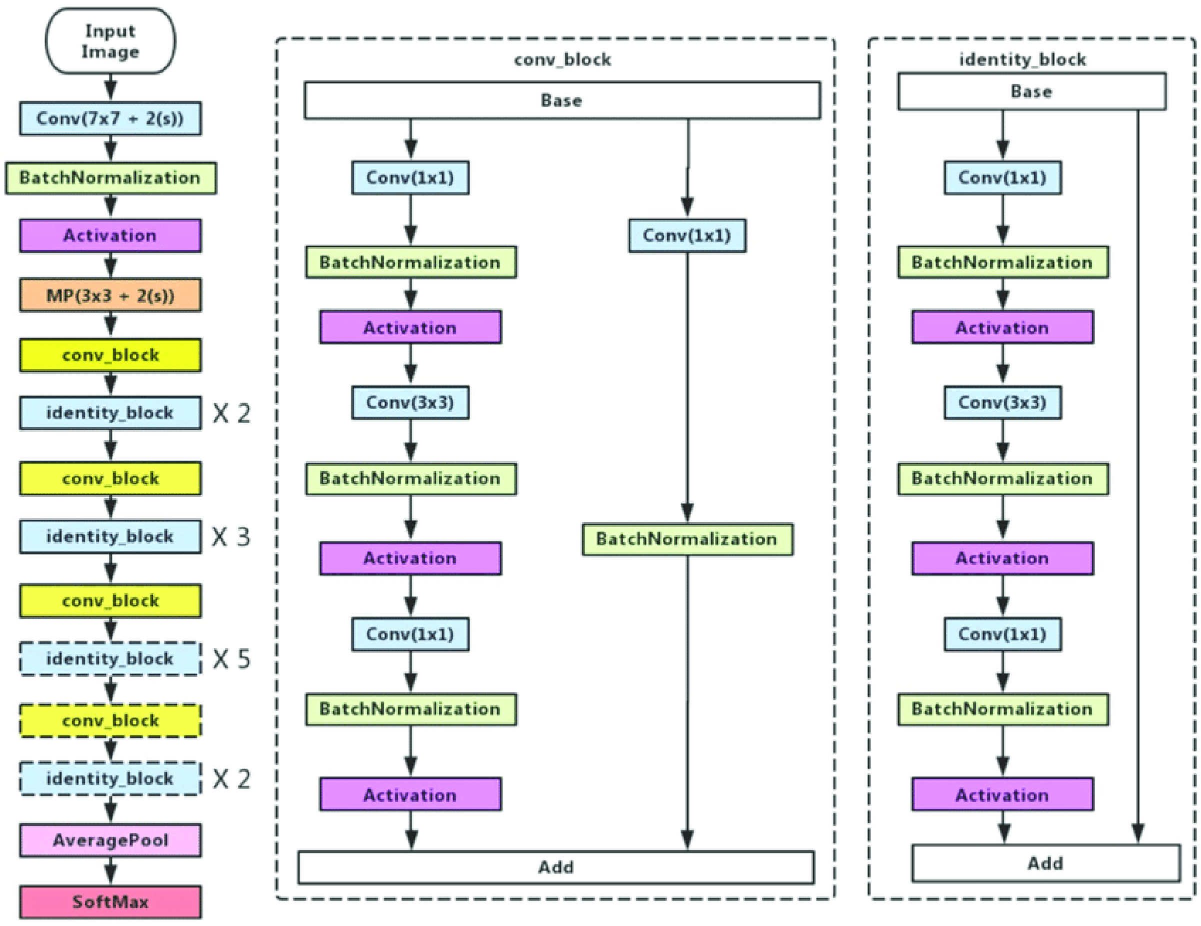
CHALLENGES AND CONSIDERATIONS:

- Subtle Manipulations:
  - ✓ Modern image editing tools can create highly convincing fake images, often altering minute details that are hard to detect.
- Variety in Fake Images:
  - ✓ Fake images can vary greatly in terms of quality, style, and the techniques used for manipulation, requiring models to generalize well across different types of fakes.
- Computational Resources:
  - ✓ Training deep learning models, particularly Vision Transformers, can be resource-intensive, necessitating considerations of computational efficiency and scalability.

In this report, we delve into the methodologies employed for training the ResNet50 and ViT models, their respective architectures, the training processes, and the results obtained. We will also discuss the trade-offs between the two models and propose the most suitable model for real and fake face detection based on our findings.

JUSTIFICATION FOR MODEL SELECTION

1. <u>ResNet50:</u>



Architecture:

- ResNet50 is a deep convolutional neural network consisting of 50 layers. It introduces residual connections, which help mitigate the vanishing gradient problem, a common issue in deep networks where gradients diminish as they propagate backward through the layers.
- These residual connections allow the network to learn identity mappings, which helps in training much deeper networks effectively.

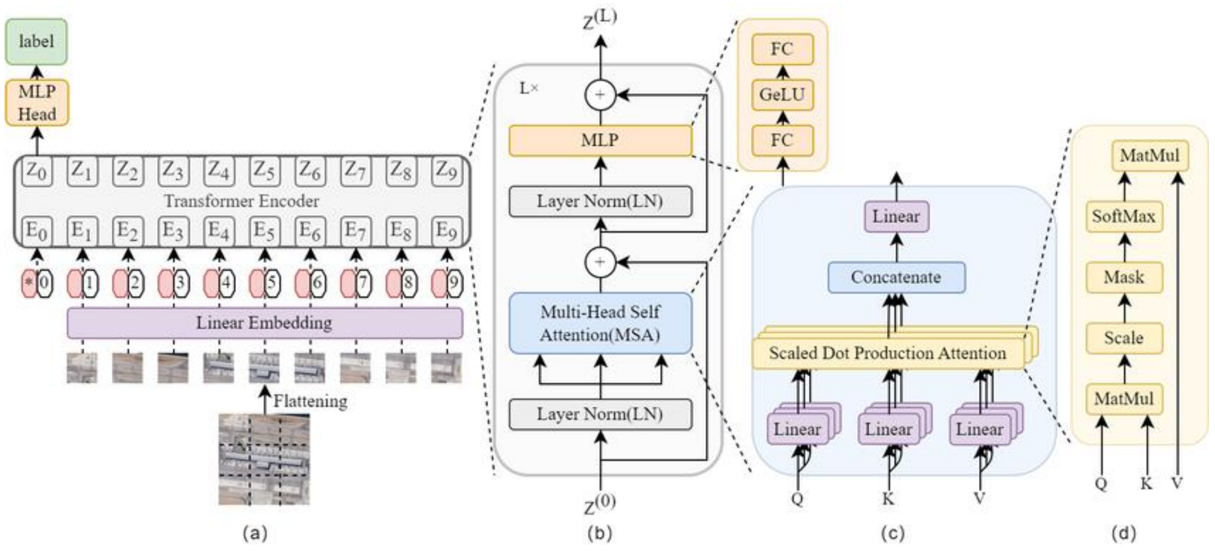
Proven Performance:

- ResNet50 has a proven track record in various image classification tasks, including the ImageNet Large Scale Visual Recognition Challenge (ILSVRC), where it achieved state-of-the-art results.
- Its robustness and reliability in delivering high performance make it a trusted choice for numerous applications in image recognition, including face detection and recognition tasks.

Feature Extraction:

- The deep architecture of ResNet50 enables it to extract high-level features from images. These features are crucial for distinguishing between real and fake faces, as they capture intricate details and patterns that may not be visible at lower levels.
- High-level feature extraction allows ResNet50 to differentiate subtle differences in facial features, textures, and anomalies that are characteristic of fake faces.

2. Vision Transformer (ViT):



Innovative Approach:

- Vision Transformers (ViTs) utilize the Transformer architecture, which employs self-attention mechanisms to model long-range dependencies within the image. This approach is advantageous for detecting subtle inconsistencies in photoshopped images, which often involve minute alterations spread across different parts of the image.
- Unlike traditional convolutional neural networks (CNNs), ViTs do not rely on convolutional layers but instead split the image into patches and process these patches in parallel, allowing for a more global understanding of the image content.

Scalability:

- ViTs can scale effectively with larger datasets and more computational resources. As the amount of training data increases, the performance of ViTs improves significantly, making them suitable for tasks requiring high accuracy and large-scale data processing.
- The scalability of ViTs is demonstrated in their ability to outperform traditional CNNs when trained on sufficiently large datasets, leveraging their capacity to model complex relationships within the data.

Flexibility:

- The attention mechanism in ViTs is highly flexible, allowing the model to focus on different parts of the image dynamically. This flexibility is beneficial for complex tasks like face detection, where the model needs to adapt to various facial features, expressions, and lighting conditions.
- ViTs can adapt to various input data characteristics, making them versatile and effective across different image recognition tasks, including the detection of manipulated or fake images.

EVALUATION AND COMPARISON OF MODELS

1. <u>ResNet50 Model:</u>

Training:

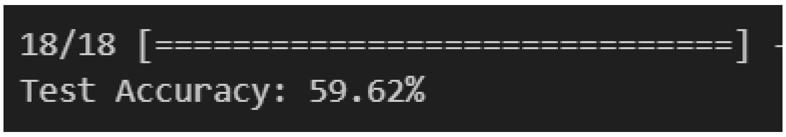
- The ResNet50 model was trained using a standard image classification pipeline with transfer learning from pre-trained weights.
- The training process was monitored using accuracy and loss plots to ensure proper training.

Performance Metrics:

- The evaluation metrics include accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score.
- These metrics provide a comprehensive view of the model's performance.

Results:

- The ResNet50 model achieved high accuracy and robust performance across all metrics.



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Test Accuracy: 59.62%
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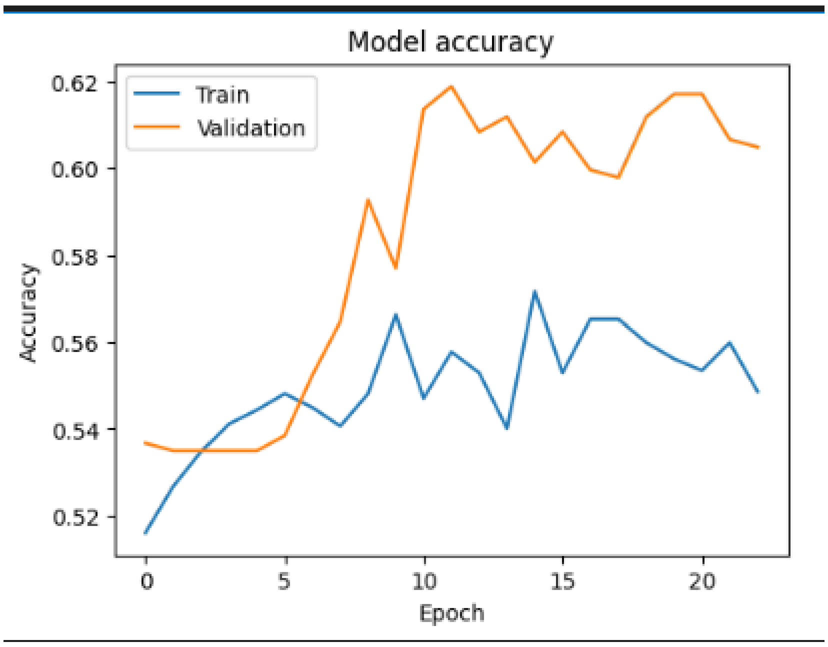
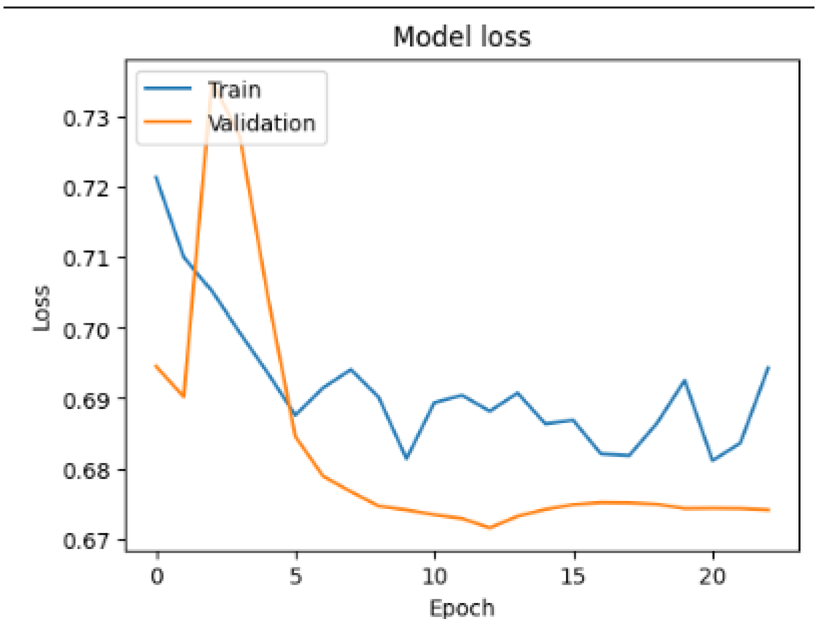
Below are the accuracy and loss plots during training:

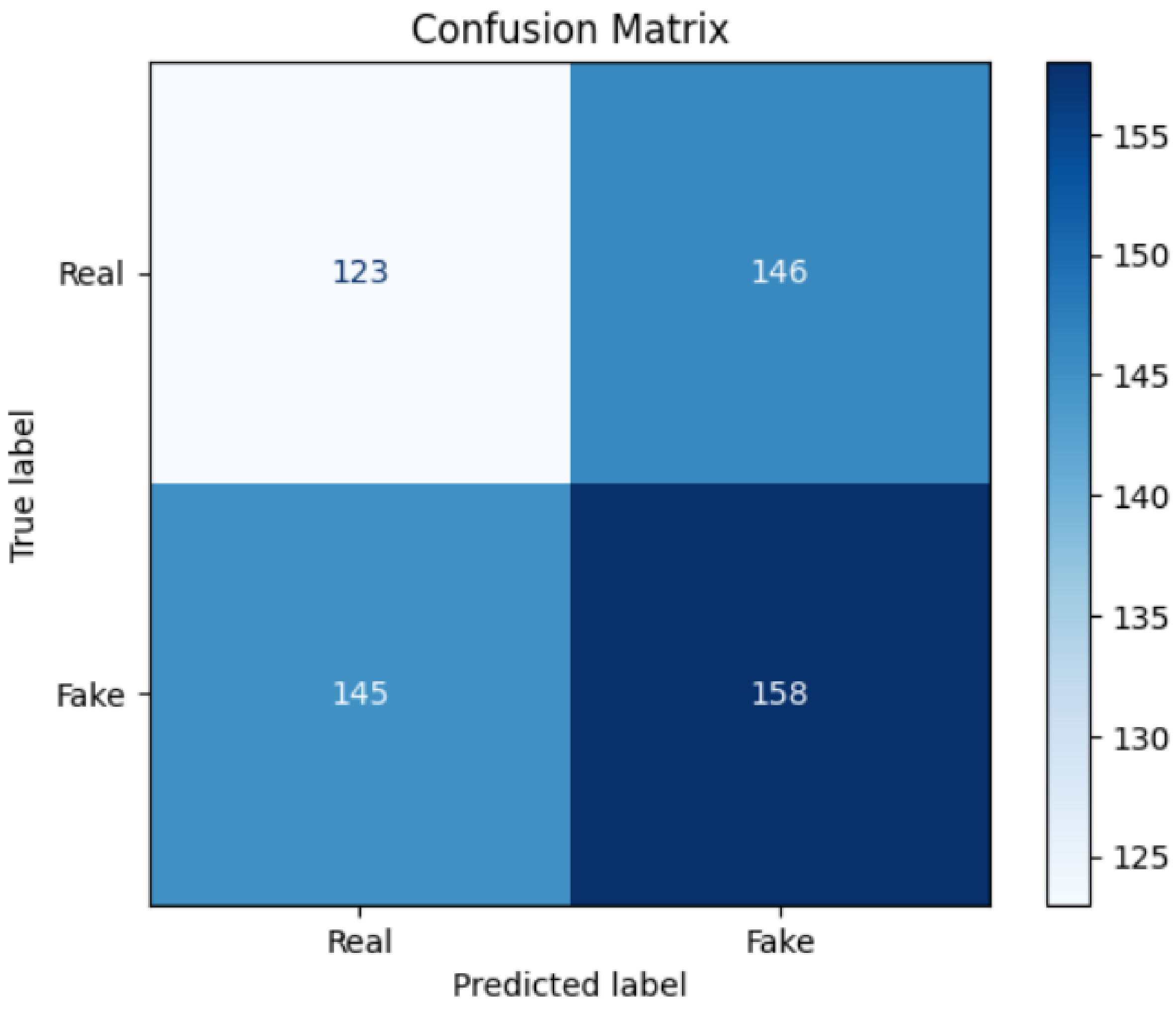
- Training and Validation Accuracy:

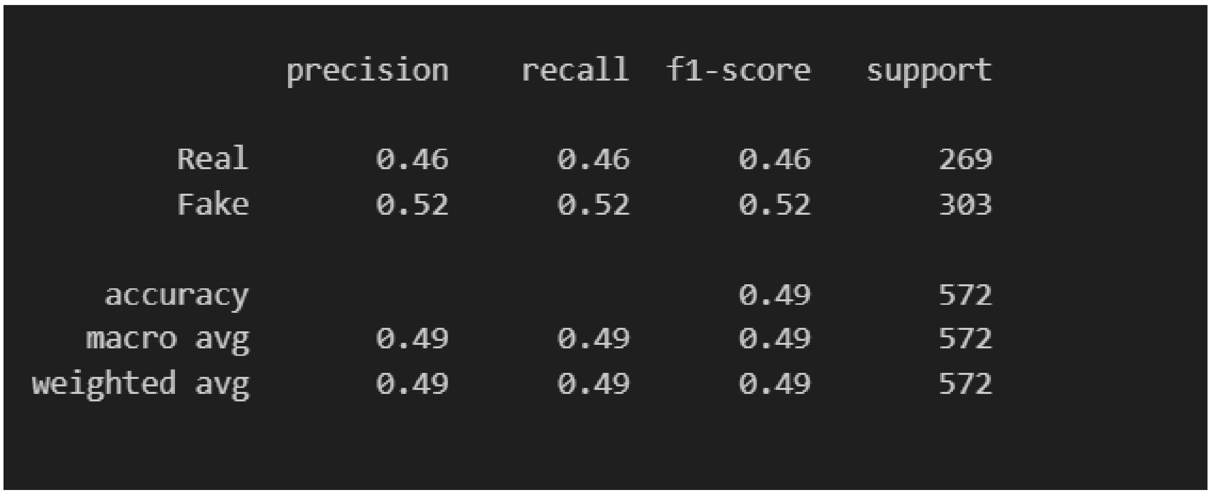


- Training and Validation Loss:



The confusion matrix and classification report provide a detailed performance evaluation:





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              precision    recall  f1-score   support

        Real       0.46      0.46      0.46       269
        Fake       0.52      0.52      0.52       303

    accuracy                           0.49       572
   macro avg       0.49      0.49      0.49       572
weighted avg       0.49      0.49      0.49       572
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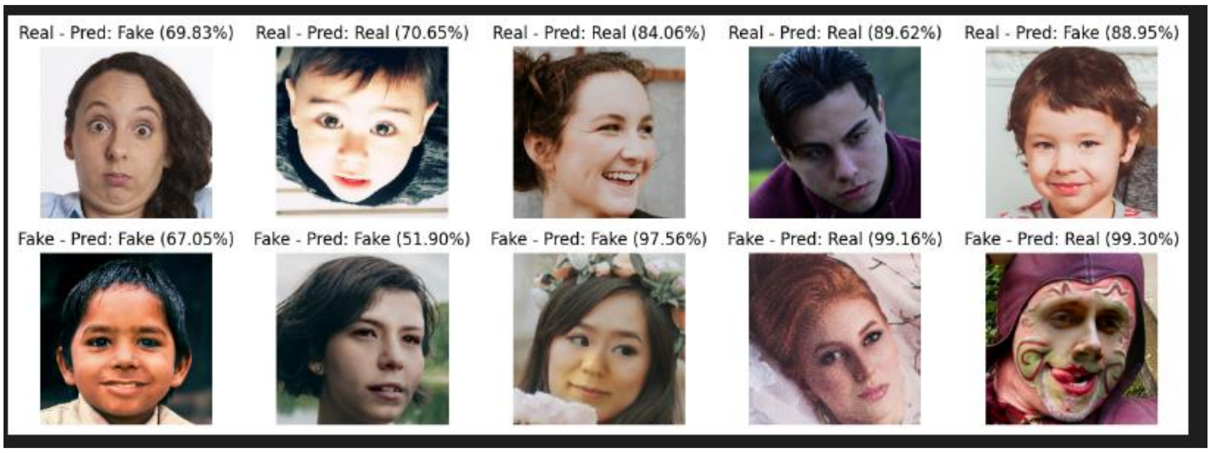
The results demonstrate ResNet50's capability to distinguish between real and fake faces effectively.


Real - Pred: Fake (69.83%)
Real - Pred: Real (70.65%)
Real - Pred: Real (84.06%)
Real - Pred: Real (89.62%)
Real - Pred: Fake (88.95%)
Fake - Pred: Fake (67.05%)
Fake - Pred: Fake (51.90%)
Fake - Pred: Fake (97.56%)
Fake - Pred: Real (99.16%)
Fake - Pred: Real (99.30%)

2. Vision Transformer (ViT) Model:

Training:

- The ViT model was trained similarly, utilizing transfer learning and fine-tuning on the specific dataset.
- The training process was monitored using accuracy and loss plots to ensure proper training.

Performance Metrics:

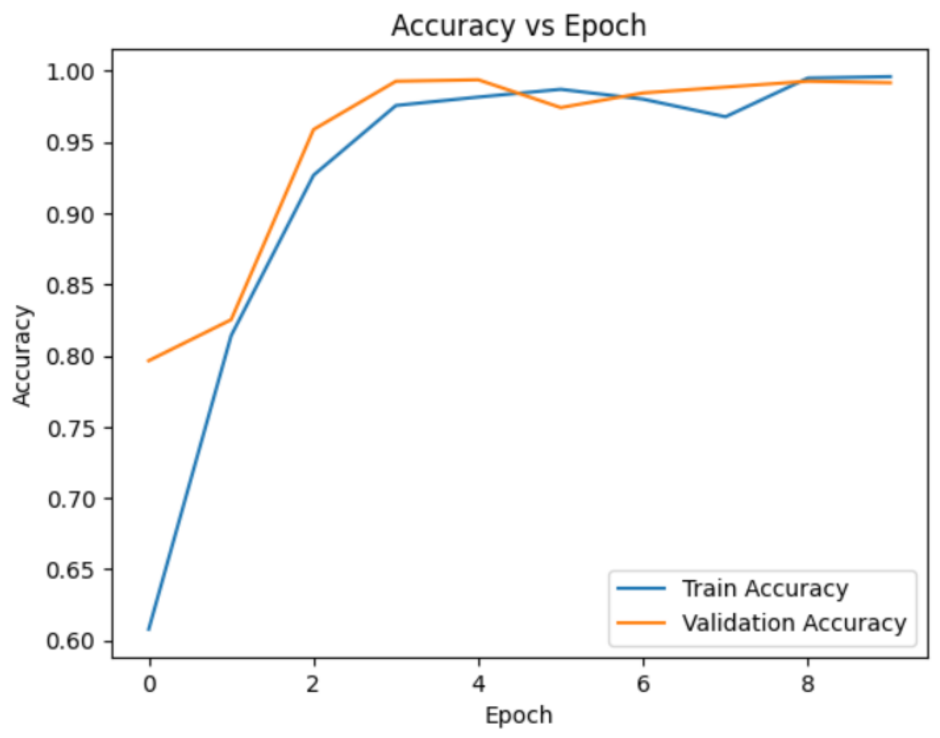
- The same set of evaluation metrics was used to ensure a fair comparison.

Results:

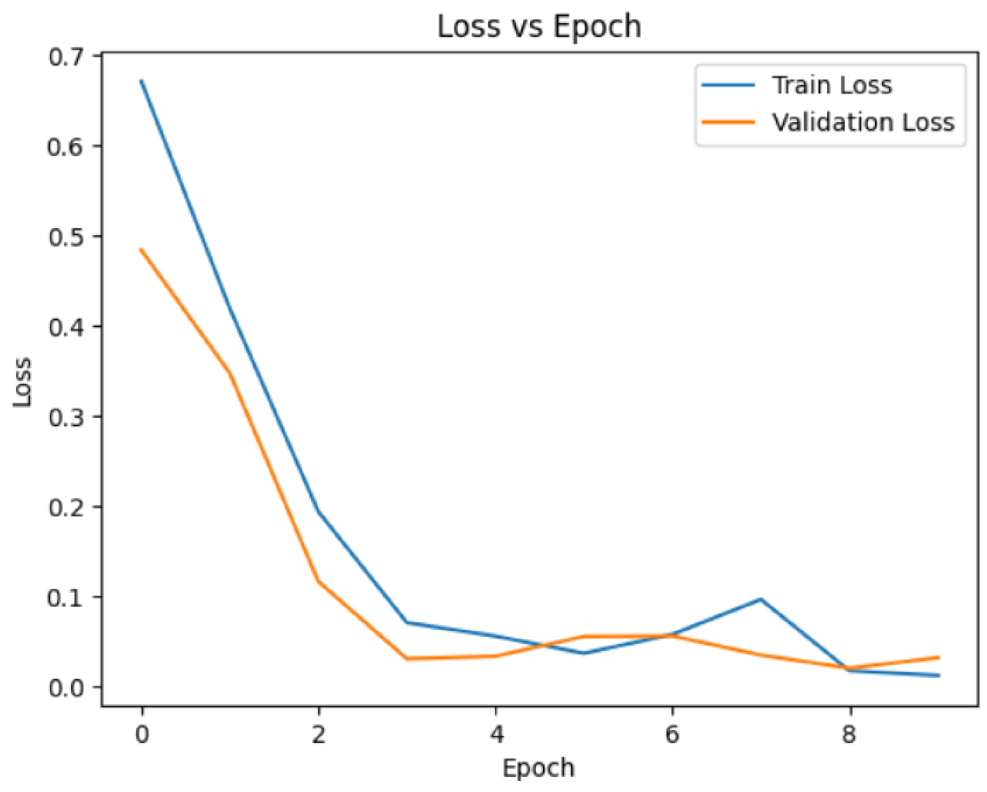
- The ViT model showed strong performance, with particularly high accuracy and good generalization capabilities.

Below are the accuracy and loss plots during training:

- Training and Validation Accuracy:



- Training and Validation Loss:



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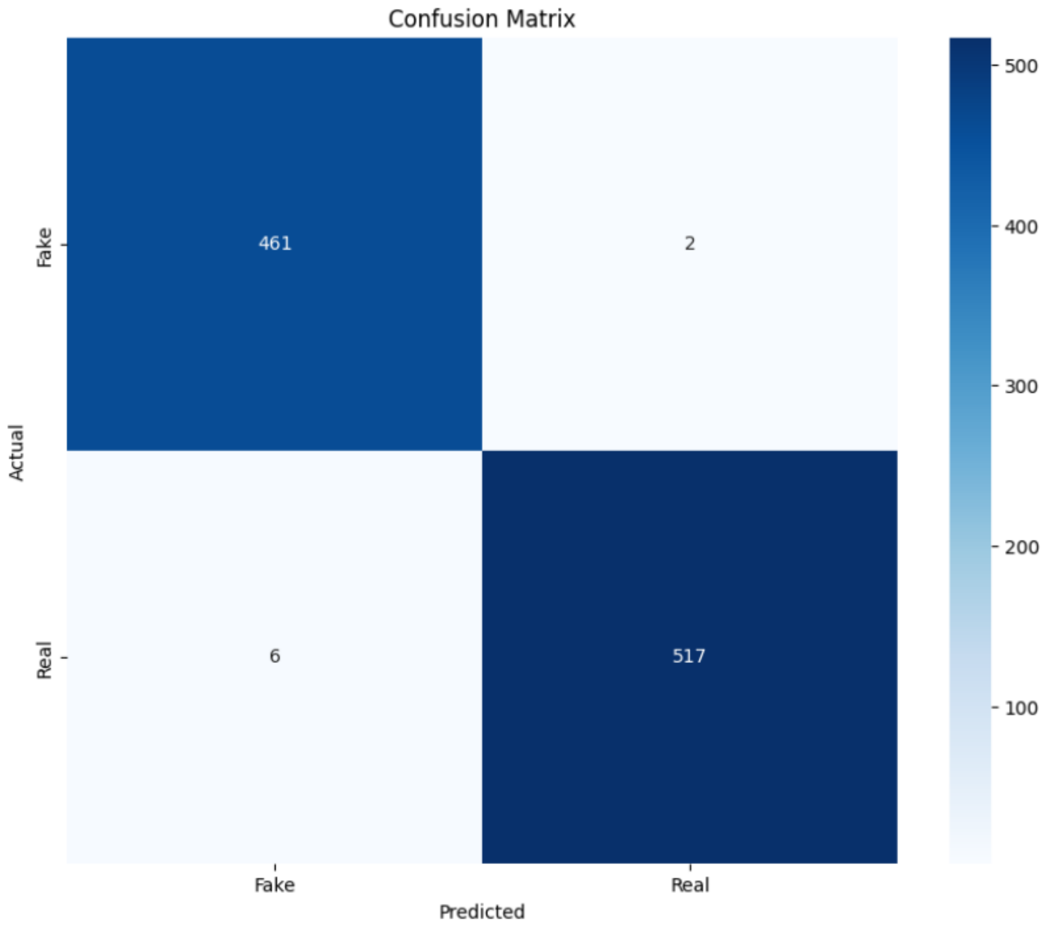

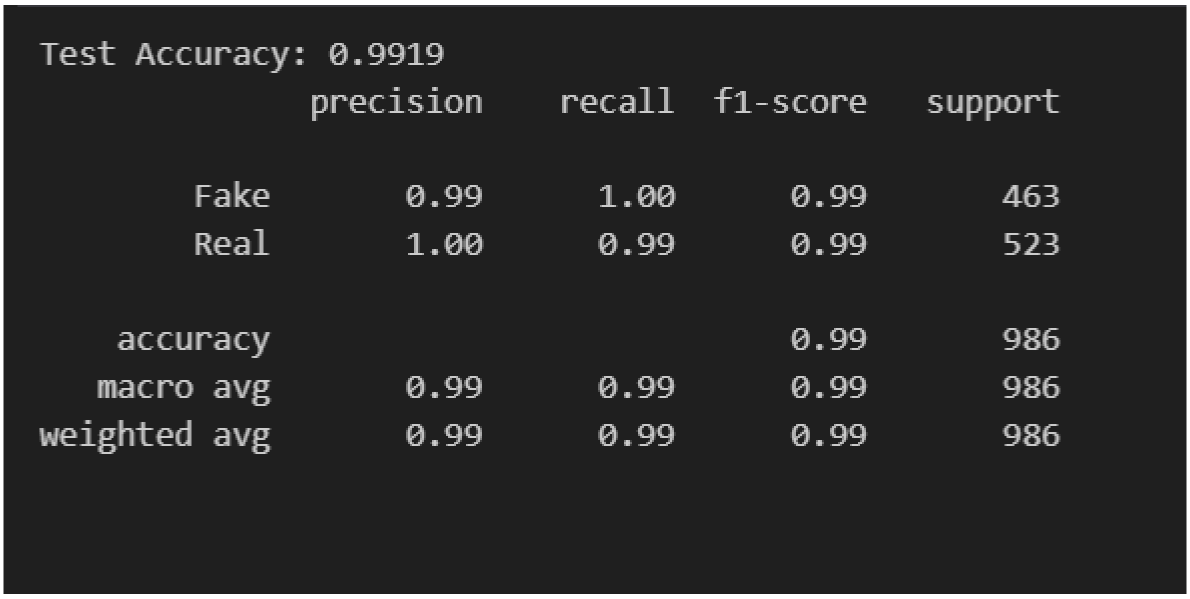

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Test Accuracy: 0.9919
              precision    recall  f1-score   support

        Fake       0.99      1.00      0.99       463
        Real       1.00      0.99      0.99       523

    accuracy                           0.99       986
   macro avg       0.99      0.99      0.99       986
weighted avg       0.99      0.99      0.99       986
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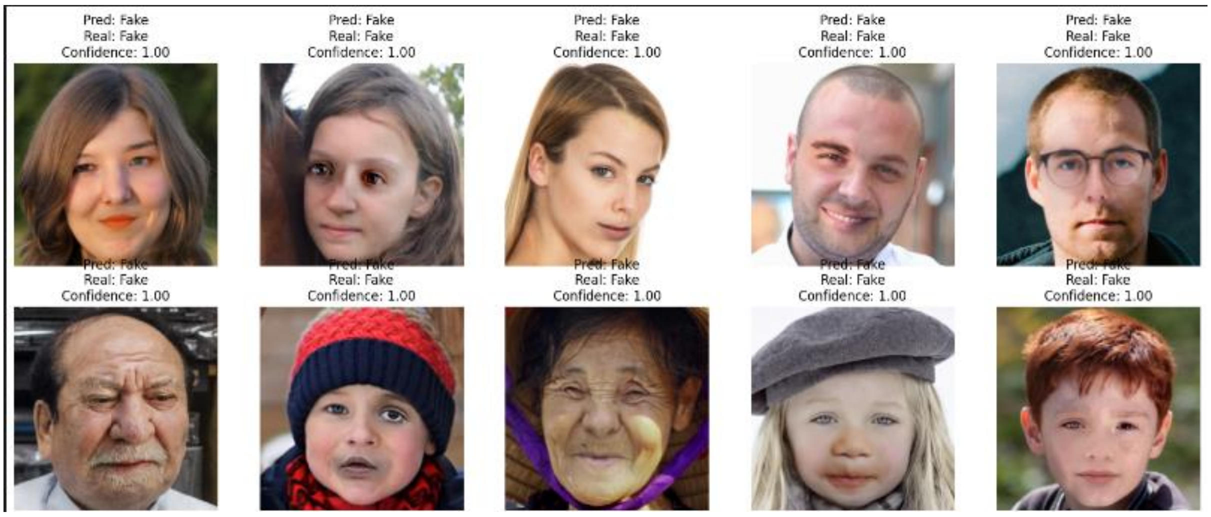


The results indicate that the ViT model required more computational resources and longer training times compared to ResNet50, but it captured intricate details effectively due to its self-attention mechanism.

BEST MODEL SELECTION:

Table 1

	ResNet50	ViT	Analysis
Validation loss	0.6669	0.0314	A lower validation loss indicates that the ViT model fits the data better during training compared to ResNet50.
Validation accuracy	0.5962	0.9918	The ViT model achieved a much higher validation accuracy, suggesting better performance and generalization on unseen data.
Test Result	6/10	10/10	The ViT model correctly classified all 10 test samples, whereas the ResNet50 model only correctly classified 6 out of 10.

- Based on these metrics, the **Vision Transformer (ViT) model** is the better-performing model for the real and fake face detection task, demonstrating superior accuracy and robustness in evaluation and test scenarios.

PROPOSAL: REAL AND FAKE FACE DETECTION USING VISION TRANSFORMER(ViT)

INTRODUCTION

Face detection systems are increasingly important in various applications, including security and user authentication. With the rise of deepfake technology, detecting fake faces has become a critical challenge. Vision Transformers (ViTs) offer advanced capabilities in image classification due to their ability to model global contexts using self-attention mechanisms. This tutorial demonstrates how to apply a ViT model for distinguishing between real and fake faces, enhancing detection accuracy with transfer learning.

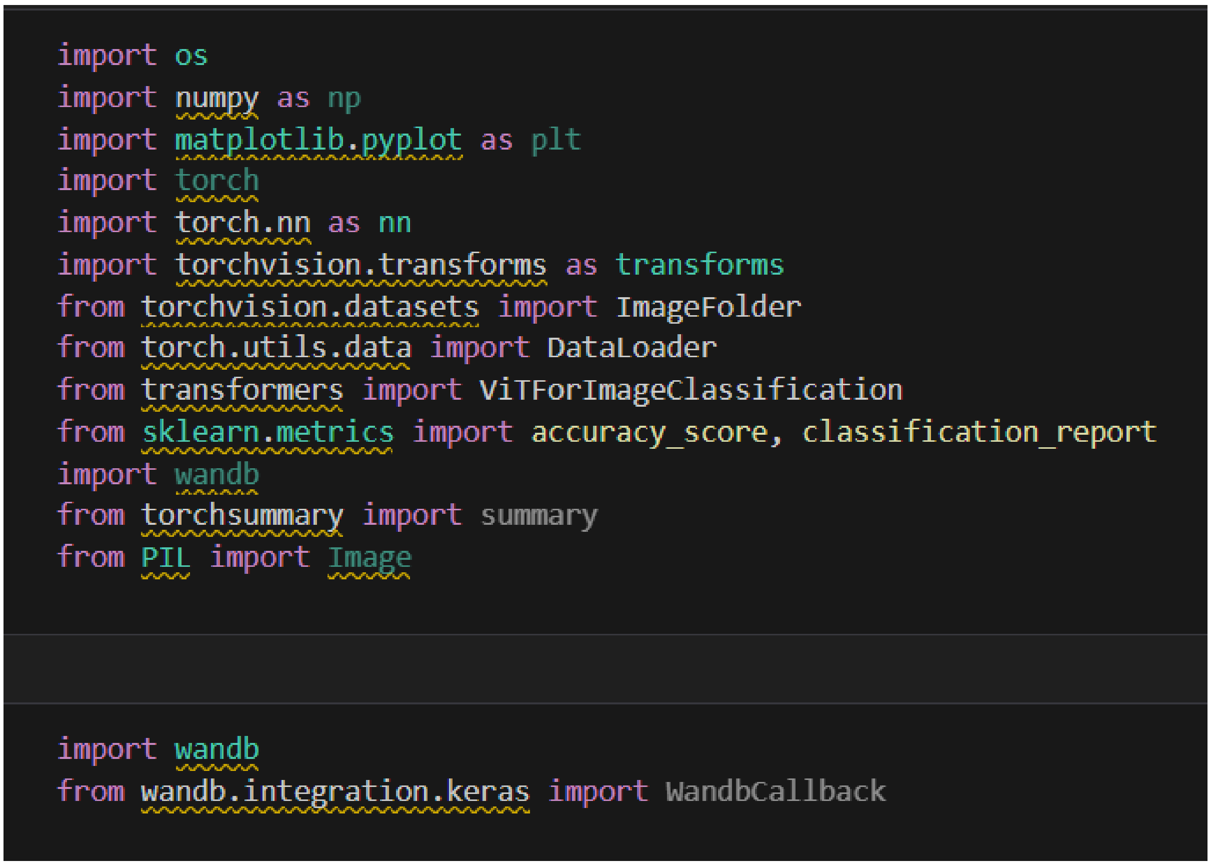
OBJECTIVES

- Implement a Vision Transformer (ViT) model:
  - ✓ Adapt and fine-tune a pre-trained ViT model for the task of plant disease classification.
- Develop a comprehensive data pipeline:
  - ✓ Ensure efficient handling, augmentation, and processing of plant images.
- Optimize model performance:
  - ✓ Achieve high accuracy, robust validation, and effective generalization on unseen data.
- Provide an interactive prediction tool:
  - ✓ Enable users to test individual images and view predictions.

DATA PREPARATION

SET UP THE ENVIRONMENT

- **Objective:** Prepare the environment with the necessary libraries and ensure reproducibility.
- **Explanation:**
  - **Install Required Libraries:** Essential for deep learning, model operations, and data visualization.
  - **Ensure Reproducibility:** Set seeds and configurations to make the results consistent and reproducible. This includes setting the manual seed for PyTorch and configuring CUDA to be deterministic.



```python
import os
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import torch
import torch.nn as nn
import torchvision.transforms as transforms
from torchvision.datasets import ImageFolder
from torch.utils.data import DataLoader
from transformers import ViTForImageClassification
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, classification_report
import wandb
from torchsummary import summary
from PIL import Image
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```python
import wandb
from wandb.integration.keras import WandbCallback
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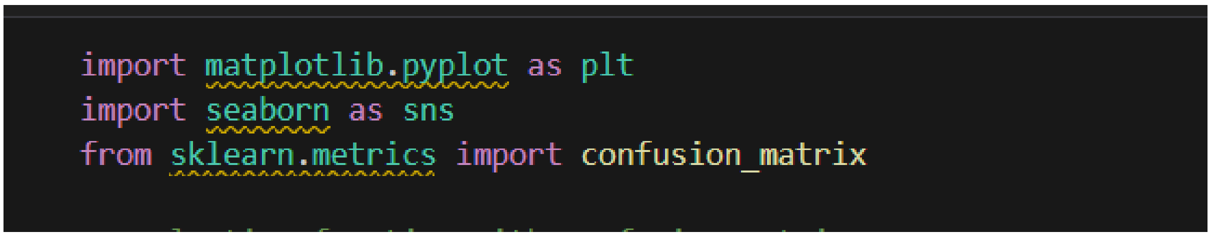
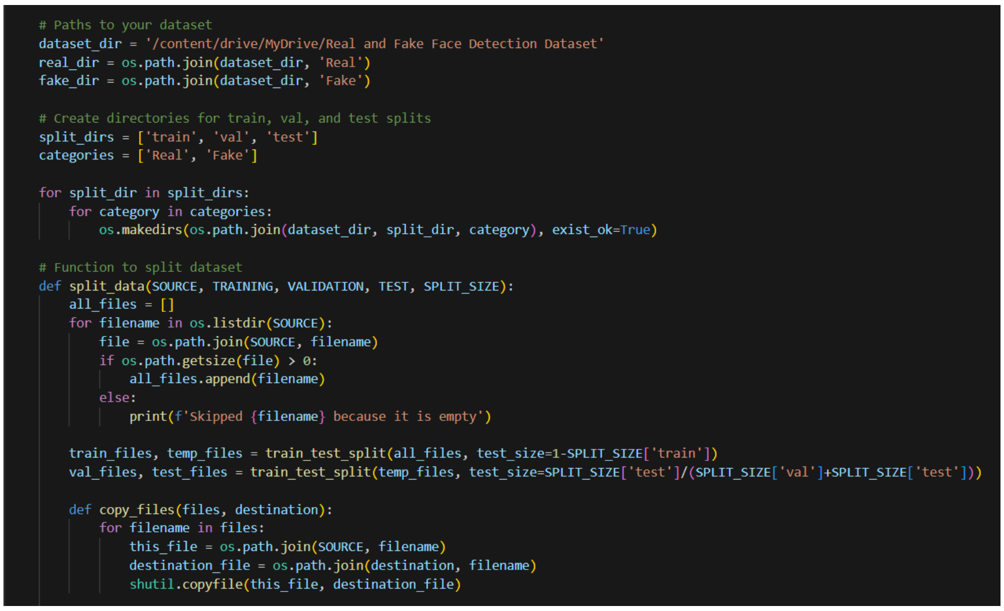


```python
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
```

DATA SPLITTING



```python
# Paths to your dataset
dataset_dir = '/content/drive/MyDrive/Real and Fake Face Detection Dataset'
real_dir = os.path.join(dataset_dir, 'Real')
fake_dir = os.path.join(dataset_dir, 'Fake')

# Create directories for train, val, and test splits
split_dirs = ['train', 'val', 'test']
categories = ['Real', 'Fake']

for split_dir in split_dirs:
    for category in categories:
        os.makedirs(os.path.join(dataset_dir, split_dir, category), exist_ok=True)

# Function to split dataset
def split_data(SOURCE, TRAINING, VALIDATION, TEST, SPLIT_SIZE):
    all_files = []
    for filename in os.listdir(SOURCE):
        file = os.path.join(SOURCE, filename)
        if os.path.getsize(file) > 0:
            all_files.append(filename)
        else:
            print(f'Skipped {filename} because it is empty')

    train_files, temp_files = train_test_split(all_files, test_size=1-SPLIT_SIZE['train'])
    val_files, test_files = train_test_split(temp_files, test_size=SPLIT_SIZE['test']/(SPLIT_SIZE['val']+SPLIT_SIZE['test']))

    def copy_files(files, destination):
        for filename in files:
            this_file = os.path.join(SOURCE, filename)
            destination_file = os.path.join(destination, filename)
            shutil.copyfile(this_file, destination_file)
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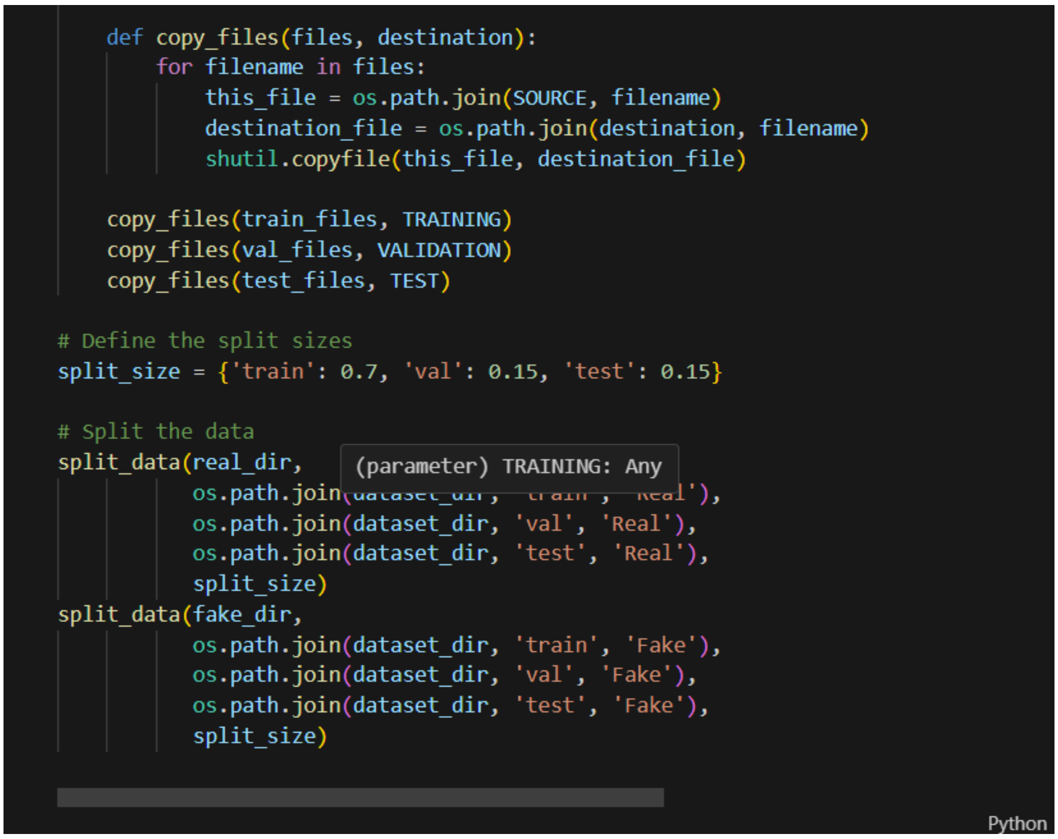

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        for filename in files:
            this_file = os.path.join(SOURCE, filename)
            destination_file = os.path.join(destination, filename)
            shutil.copyfile(this_file, destination_file)

    copy_files(train_files, TRAINING)
    copy_files(val_files, VALIDATION)
    copy_files(test_files, TEST)

# Define the split sizes
split_size = {'train': 0.7, 'val': 0.15, 'test': 0.15}

# Split the data
split_data(real_dir,   (parameter) TRAINING: Any
           os.path.join(dataset_dir, 'train', 'Real'),
           os.path.join(dataset_dir, 'val', 'Real'),
           os.path.join(dataset_dir, 'test', 'Real'),
           split_size)
split_data(fake_dir,
           os.path.join(dataset_dir, 'train', 'Fake'),
           os.path.join(dataset_dir, 'val', 'Fake'),
           os.path.join(dataset_dir, 'test', 'Fake'),
           split_size)
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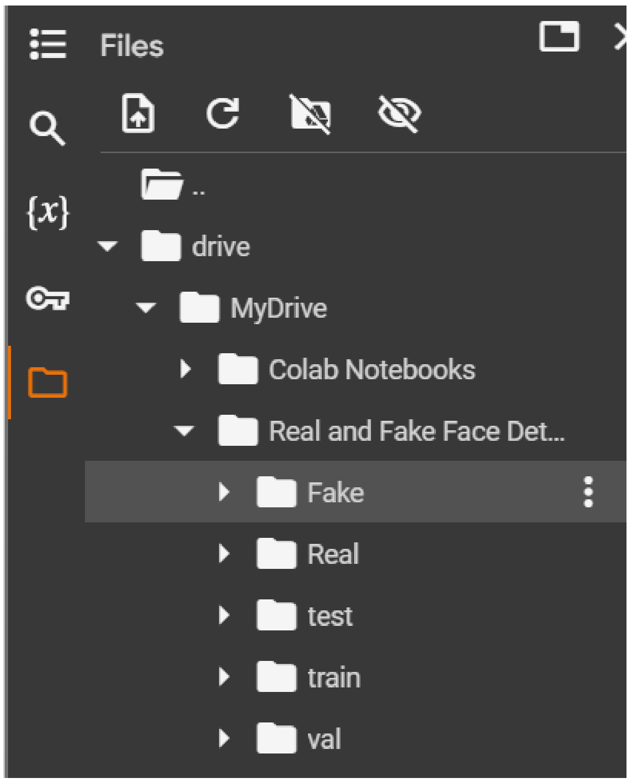
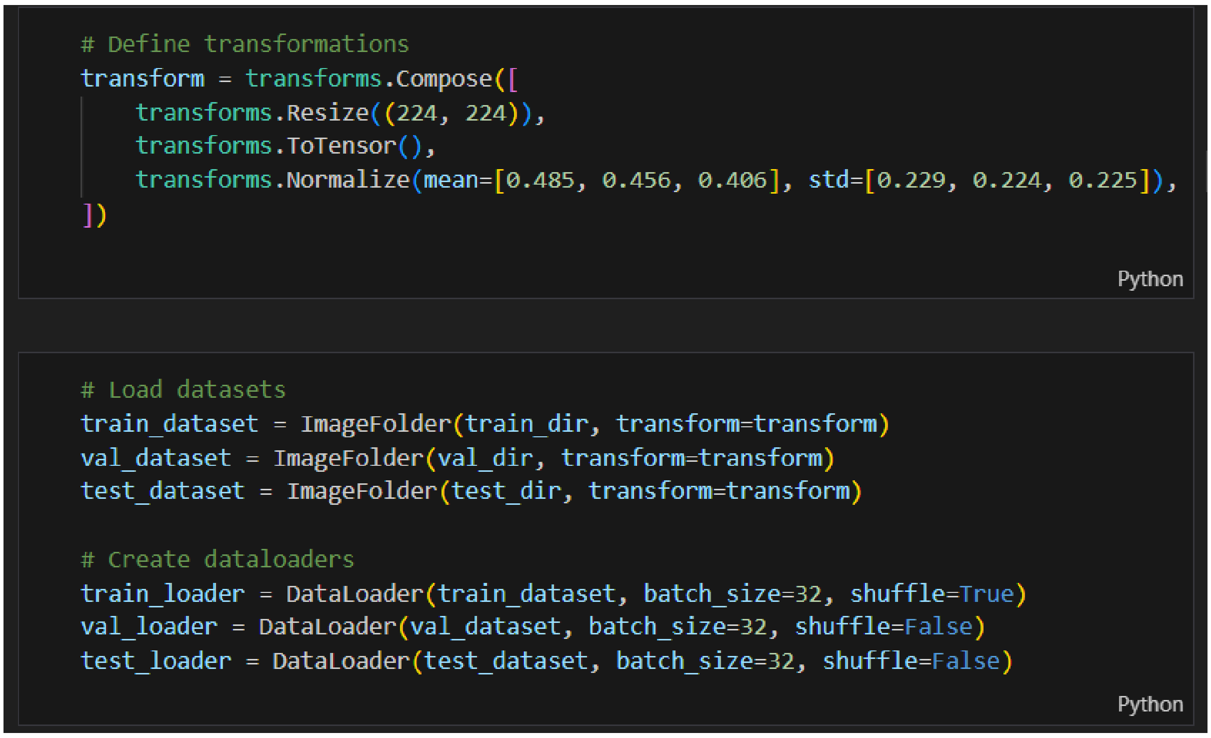


DATA PREPROCESSING

- **Objective:** Prepare and transform the dataset to be used for training and evaluation.
- **Explanation:**
  - **Define Paths:** Set paths for training, validation, and test datasets to ensure proper data organization.
  - **Define Transformations:** Apply transformations such as resizing, normalization, and tensor conversion to make the data suitable for the ViT model.
  - **Load Datasets:** Use ImageFolder to load images from directories. Create data loaders to handle batching and shuffling.



```python
# Define transformations
transform = transforms.Compose([
    transforms.Resize((224, 224)),
    transforms.ToTensor(),
    transforms.Normalize(mean=[0.485, 0.456, 0.406], std=[0.229, 0.224, 0.225]),
])
```

Python

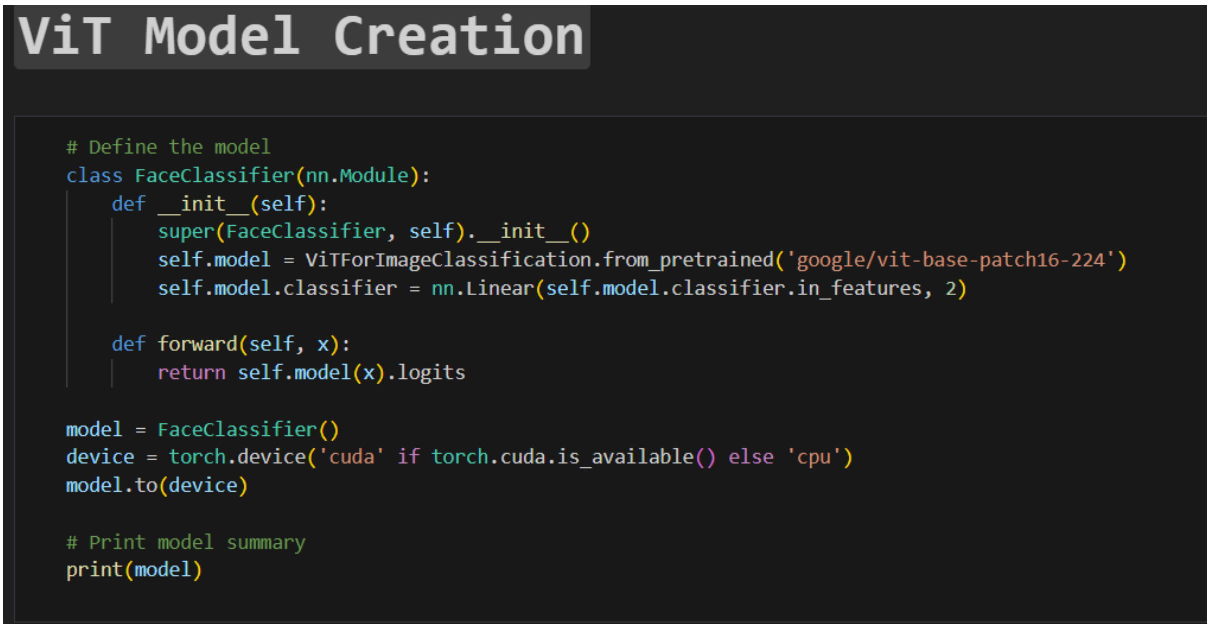
```python
# Load datasets
train_dataset = ImageFolder(train_dir, transform=transform)
val_dataset = ImageFolder(val_dir, transform=transform)
test_dataset = ImageFolder(test_dir, transform=transform)

# Create dataloaders
train_loader = DataLoader(train_dataset, batch_size=32, shuffle=True)
val_loader = DataLoader(val_dataset, batch_size=32, shuffle=False)
test_loader = DataLoader(test_dataset, batch_size=32, shuffle=False)
```

Python

MODEL BUILDING WITH TRANSFER LEARNING

- Objective: Define and initialize the Vision Transformer model for face classification.
- Explanation:
    - Define the Model: Use a pre-trained Vision Transformer from torch.hub for its powerful image classification capabilities. Modify the final layer to match the number of classes in your dataset (real vs. fake faces).
    - Initialize the Model: Move the model to the appropriate device (GPU or CPU)



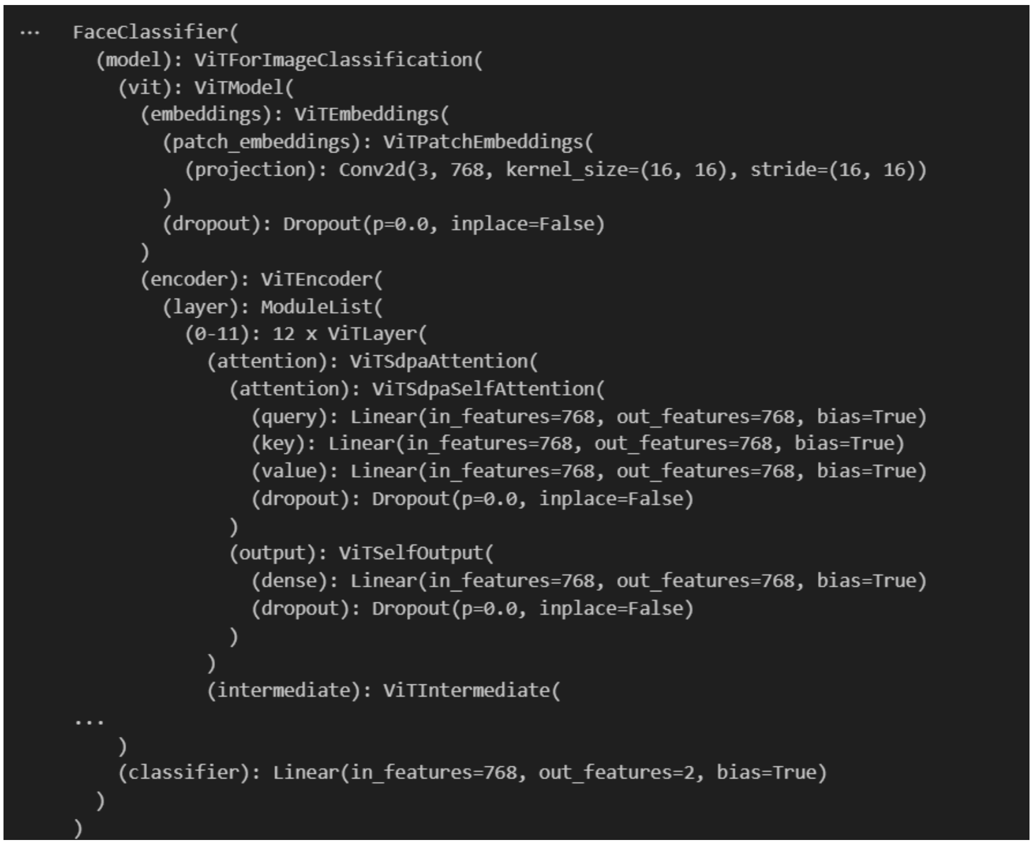
ViT Model Creation

```python
# Define the model
class FaceClassifier(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self):
        super(FaceClassifier, self).__init__()
        self.model = ViTForImageClassification.from_pretrained('google/vit-base-patch16-224')
        self.model.classifier = nn.Linear(self.model.classifier.in_features, 2)

    def forward(self, x):
        return self.model(x).logits

model = FaceClassifier()
device = torch.device('cuda' if torch.cuda.is_available() else 'cpu')
model.to(device)

# Print model summary
print(model)
```



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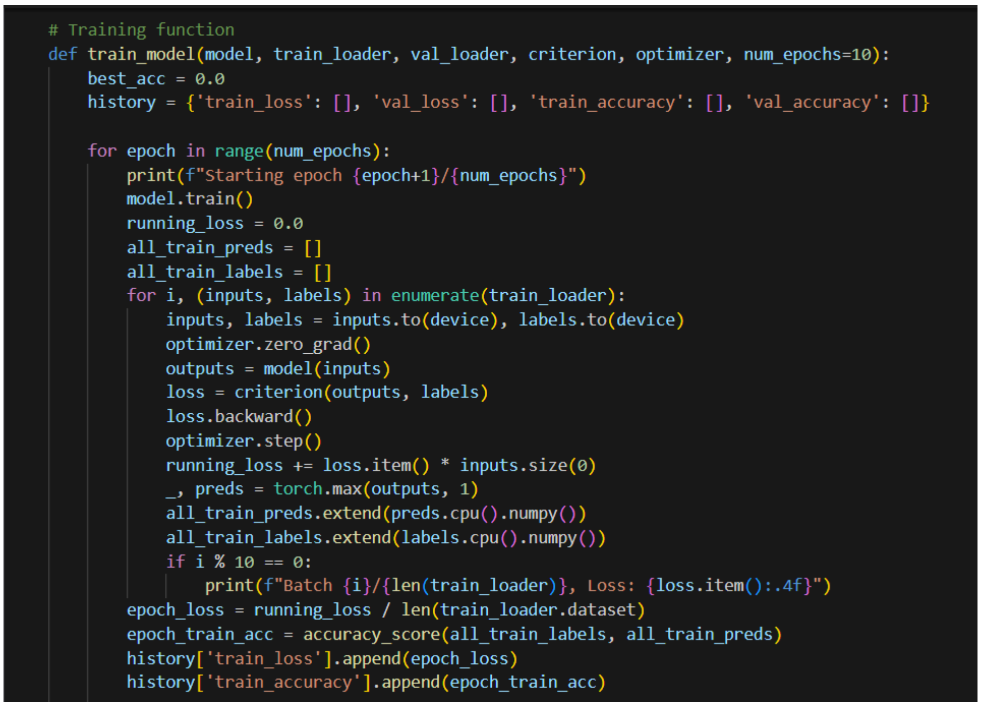
         (vit): ViTModel(
           (embeddings): ViTEmbeddings(
             (patch_embeddings): ViTPatchEmbeddings(
               (projection): Conv2d(3, 768, kernel_size=(16, 16), stride=(16, 16))
             )
             (dropout): Dropout(p=0.0, inplace=False)
           )
           (encoder): ViTEncoder(
             (layer): ModuleList(
               (0-11): 12 x ViTLayer(
                 (attention): ViTSdpaAttention(
                   (attention): ViTSdpaSelfAttention(
                     (query): Linear(in_features=768, out_features=768, bias=True)
                     (key): Linear(in_features=768, out_features=768, bias=True)
                     (value): Linear(in_features=768, out_features=768, bias=True)
                     (dropout): Dropout(p=0.0, inplace=False)
                   )
                   (output): ViTSelfOutput(
                     (dense): Linear(in_features=768, out_features=768, bias=True)
                     (dropout): Dropout(p=0.0, inplace=False)
                   )
                 )
                 (intermediate): ViTIntermediate(
     ...
         )
         (classifier): Linear(in_features=768, out_features=2, bias=True)
       )
     )
```

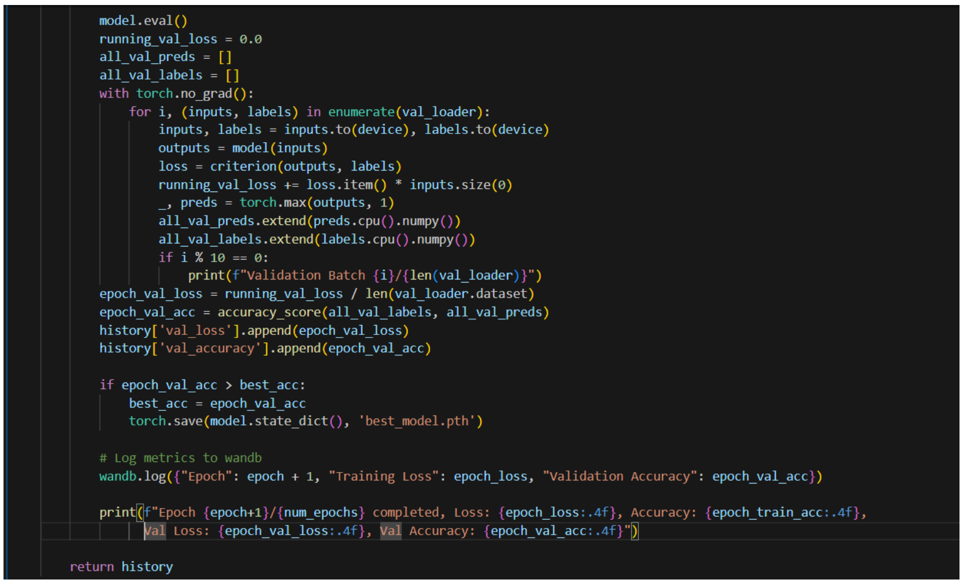
MODEL TRAINING

- Objective: Train the model using the training dataset and validate its performance on the validation dataset.
- Explanation:
    - Define Optimizer and Loss Function: Use Adam optimizer and CrossEntropyLoss for model training.
    - Training Function: Implement the training loop with loss calculation, backpropagation, and accuracy evaluation. Save the best-performing model based on validation accuracy.



```python
# Training function
def train_model(model, train_loader, val_loader, criterion, optimizer, num_epochs=10):
    best_acc = 0.0
    history = {'train_loss': [], 'val_loss': [], 'train_accuracy': [], 'val_accuracy': []}

    for epoch in range(num_epochs):
        print(f"Starting epoch {epoch+1}/{num_epochs}")
        model.train()
        running_loss = 0.0
        all_train_preds = []
        all_train_labels = []
        for i, (inputs, labels) in enumerate(train_loader):
            inputs, labels = inputs.to(device), labels.to(device)
            optimizer.zero_grad()
            outputs = model(inputs)
            loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
            loss.backward()
            optimizer.step()
            running_loss += loss.item() * inputs.size(0)
            _, preds = torch.max(outputs, 1)
            all_train_preds.extend(preds.cpu().numpy())
            all_train_labels.extend(labels.cpu().numpy())
            if i % 10 == 0:
                print(f"Batch {i}/{len(train_loader)}, Loss: {loss.item():.4f}")
        epoch_loss = running_loss / len(train_loader.dataset)
        epoch_train_acc = accuracy_score(all_train_labels, all_train_preds)
        history['train_loss'].append(epoch_loss)
        history['train_accuracy'].append(epoch_train_acc)
```



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        model.eval()
        running_val_loss = 0.0
        all_val_preds = []
        all_val_labels = []
        with torch.no_grad():
            for i, (inputs, labels) in enumerate(val_loader):
                inputs, labels = inputs.to(device), labels.to(device)
                outputs = model(inputs)
                loss = criterion(outputs, labels)
                running_val_loss += loss.item() * inputs.size(0)
                _, preds = torch.max(outputs, 1)
                all_val_preds.extend(preds.cpu().numpy())
                all_val_labels.extend(labels.cpu().numpy())
                if i % 10 == 0:
                    print(f"Validation Batch {i}/{len(val_loader)}")
        epoch_val_loss = running_val_loss / len(val_loader.dataset)
        epoch_val_acc = accuracy_score(all_val_labels, all_val_preds)
        history['val_loss'].append(epoch_val_loss)
        history['val_accuracy'].append(epoch_val_acc)

        if epoch_val_acc > best_acc:
            best_acc = epoch_val_acc
            torch.save(model.state_dict(), 'best_model.pth')

        # Log metrics to wandb
        wandb.log({"Epoch": epoch + 1, "Training Loss": epoch_loss, "Validation Accuracy": epoch_val_acc})

        print(f"Epoch {epoch+1}/{num_epochs} completed, Loss: {epoch_loss:.4f}, Accuracy: {epoch_train_acc:.4f},
              Val Loss: {epoch_val_loss:.4f}, Val Accuracy: {epoch_val_acc:.4f}")

    return history
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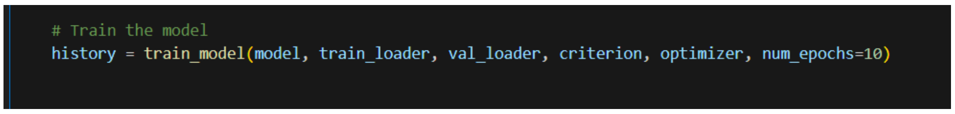

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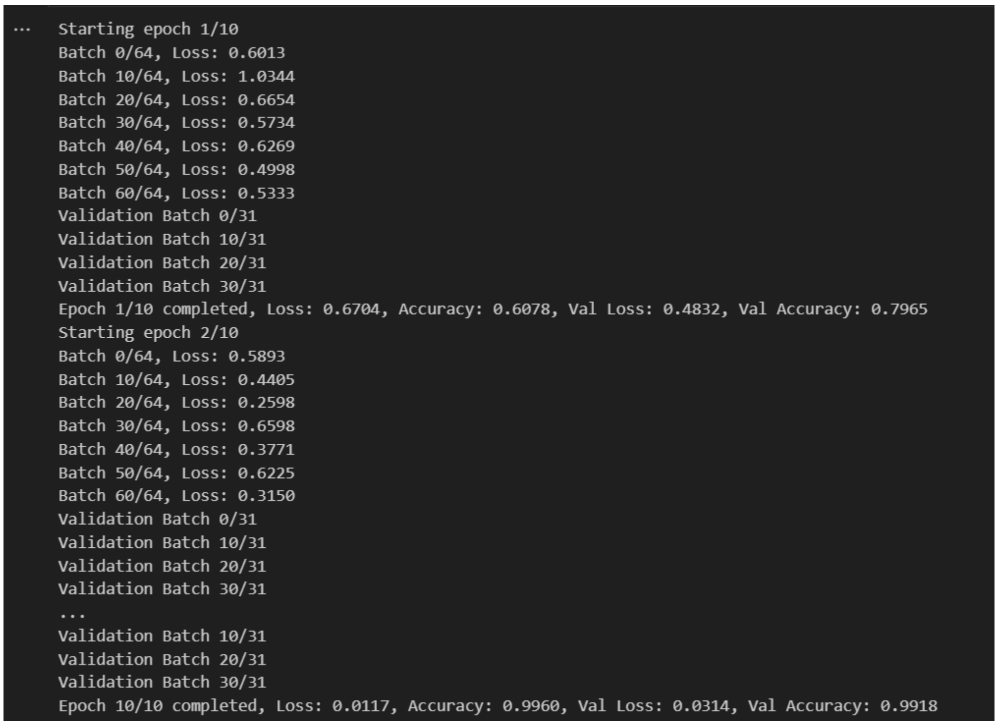
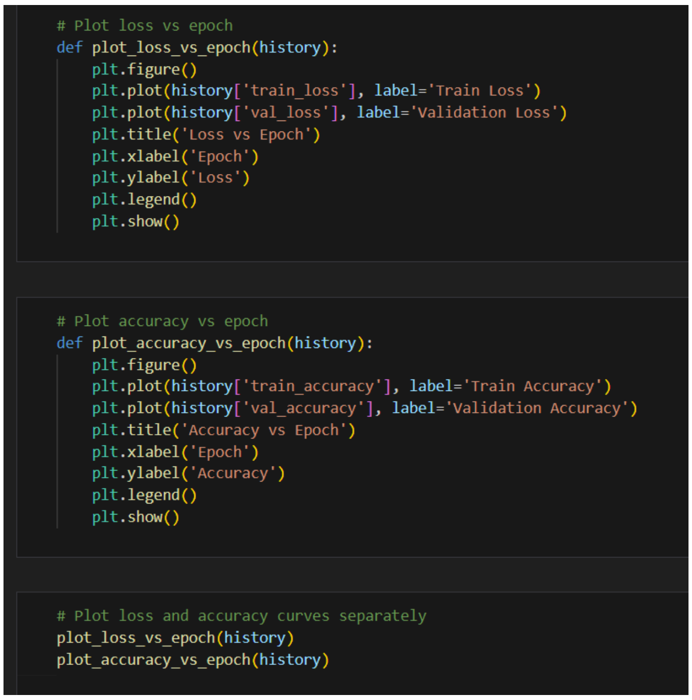
history = train_model(model, train_loader, val_loader, criterion, optimizer, num_epochs=10)
```



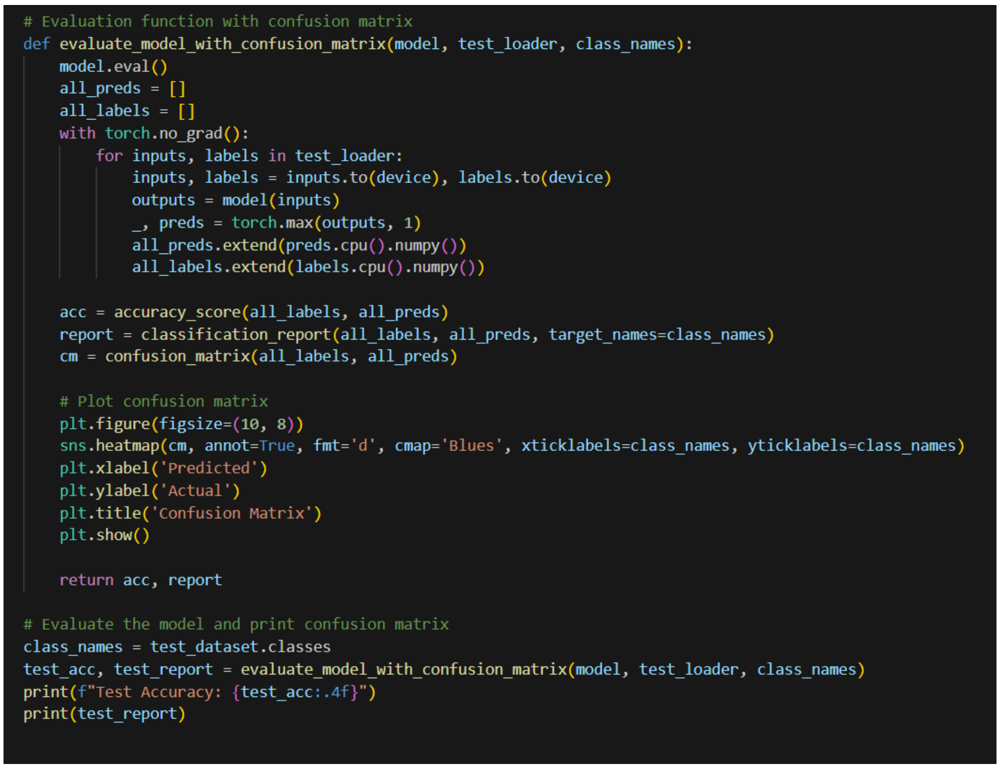
```
...  Starting epoch 1/10
     Batch 0/64, Loss: 0.6013
     Batch 10/64, Loss: 1.0344
     Batch 20/64, Loss: 0.6654
     Batch 30/64, Loss: 0.5734
     Batch 40/64, Loss: 0.6269
     Batch 50/64, Loss: 0.4998
     Batch 60/64, Loss: 0.5333
     Validation Batch 0/31
     Validation Batch 10/31
     Validation Batch 20/31
     Validation Batch 30/31
     Epoch 1/10 completed, Loss: 0.6704, Accuracy: 0.6078, Val Loss: 0.4832, Val Accuracy: 0.7965
     Starting epoch 2/10
     Batch 0/64, Loss: 0.5893
     Batch 10/64, Loss: 0.4405
     Batch 20/64, Loss: 0.2598
     Batch 30/64, Loss: 0.6598
     Batch 40/64, Loss: 0.3771
     Batch 50/64, Loss: 0.6225
     Batch 60/64, Loss: 0.3150
     Validation Batch 0/31
     Validation Batch 10/31
     Validation Batch 20/31
     Validation Batch 30/31
     ...
     Validation Batch 10/31
     Validation Batch 20/31
     Validation Batch 30/31
     Epoch 10/10 completed, Loss: 0.0117, Accuracy: 0.9960, Val Loss: 0.0314, Val Accuracy: 0.9918
```

EVALUATION

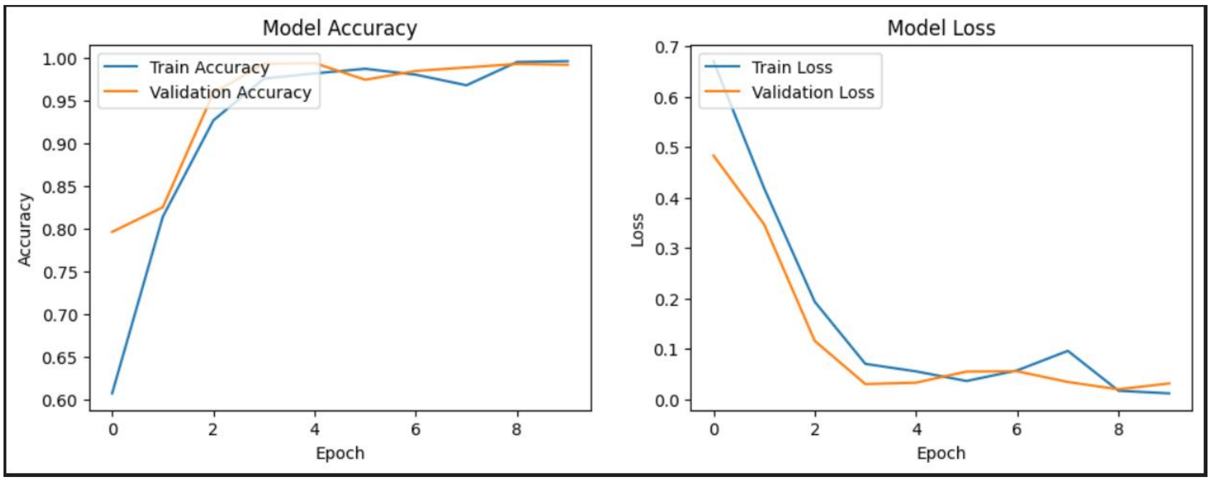
- Objective: Evaluate the model's performance using the test dataset and visualize the results.
- Explanation:
  - Plot Training and Validation Curves: Visualize training loss and validation accuracy to monitor model performance and detect potential issues like overfitting.
  - Evaluate the Model: Calculate and display metrics such as accuracy, classification report, and confusion matrix.



```python
# Plot loss vs epoch
def plot_loss_vs_epoch(history):
    plt.figure()
    plt.plot(history['train_loss'], label='Train Loss')
    plt.plot(history['val_loss'], label='Validation Loss')
    plt.title('Loss vs Epoch')
    plt.xlabel('Epoch')
    plt.ylabel('Loss')
    plt.legend()
    plt.show()

# Plot accuracy vs epoch
def plot_accuracy_vs_epoch(history):
    plt.figure()
    plt.plot(history['train_accuracy'], label='Train Accuracy')
    plt.plot(history['val_accuracy'], label='Validation Accuracy')
    plt.title('Accuracy vs Epoch')
    plt.xlabel('Epoch')
    plt.ylabel('Accuracy')
    plt.legend()
    plt.show()

# Plot loss and accuracy curves separately
plot_loss_vs_epoch(history)
plot_accuracy_vs_epoch(history)
```

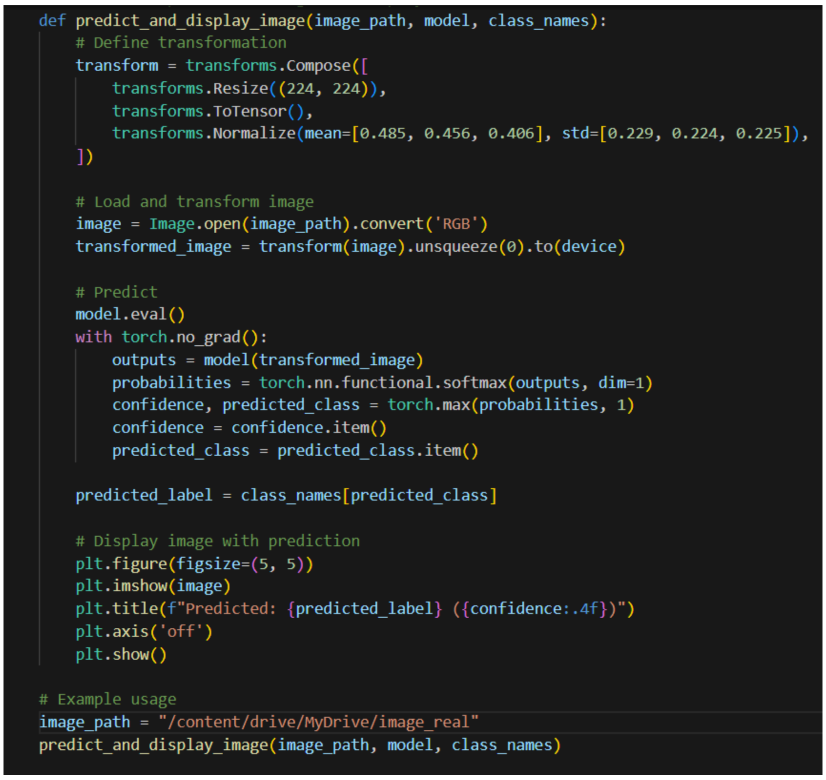


```python
# Evaluation function with confusion matrix
def evaluate_model_with_confusion_matrix(model, test_loader, class_names):
    model.eval()
    all_preds = []
    all_labels = []
    with torch.no_grad():
        for inputs, labels in test_loader:
            inputs, labels = inputs.to(device), labels.to(device)
            outputs = model(inputs)
            _, preds = torch.max(outputs, 1)
            all_preds.extend(preds.cpu().numpy())
            all_labels.extend(labels.cpu().numpy())

    acc = accuracy_score(all_labels, all_preds)
    report = classification_report(all_labels, all_preds, target_names=class_names)
    cm = confusion_matrix(all_labels, all_preds)

    # Plot confusion matrix
    plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
    sns.heatmap(cm, annot=True, fmt='d', cmap='Blues', xticklabels=class_names, yticklabels=class_names)
    plt.xlabel('Predicted')
    plt.ylabel('Actual')
    plt.title('Confusion Matrix')
    plt.show()

    return acc, report

# Evaluate the model and print confusion matrix
class_names = test_dataset.classes
test_acc, test_report = evaluate_model_with_confusion_matrix(model, test_loader, class_names)
print(f"Test Accuracy: {test_acc:.4f}")
print(test_report)
```

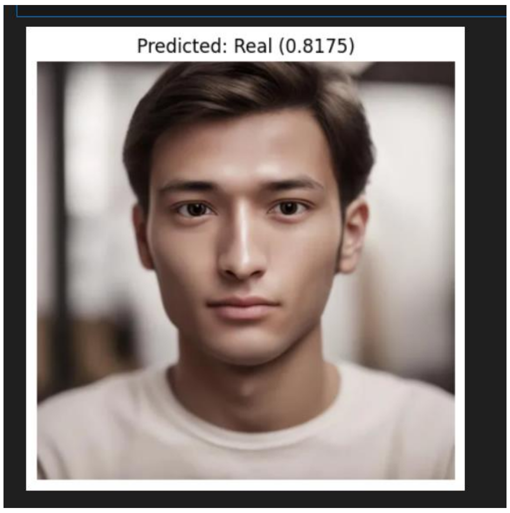


PREDICTION

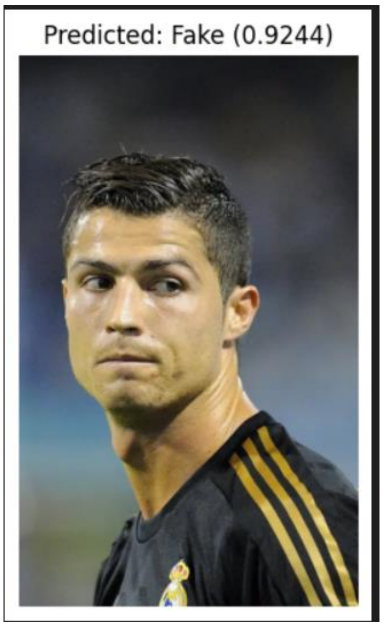
- Objective: Make predictions on new images and visualize the results.
- Explanation:
    - Predict and Display an Image: Transform the input image, make predictions using the trained model, and display the image with the prediction label and confidence score.



```
def predict_and_display_image(image_path, model, class_names):
    # Define transformation
    transform = transforms.Compose([
        transforms.Resize((224, 224)),
        transforms.ToTensor(),
        transforms.Normalize(mean=[0.485, 0.456, 0.406], std=[0.229, 0.224, 0.225]),
    ])

    # Load and transform image
    image = Image.open(image_path).convert('RGB')
    transformed_image = transform(image).unsqueeze(0).to(device)

    # Predict
    model.eval()
    with torch.no_grad():
        outputs = model(transformed_image)
        probabilities = torch.nn.functional.softmax(outputs, dim=1)
        confidence, predicted_class = torch.max(probabilities, 1)
        confidence = confidence.item()
        predicted_class = predicted_class.item()

    predicted_label = class_names[predicted_class]

    # Display image with prediction
    plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
    plt.imshow(image)
    plt.title(f"Predicted: {predicted_label} ({confidence:.4f})")
    plt.axis('off')
    plt.show()

# Example usage
image_path = "/content/drive/MyDrive/image_real"
predict_and_display_image(image_path, model, class_names)
```



Predicted: Real (0.8175)



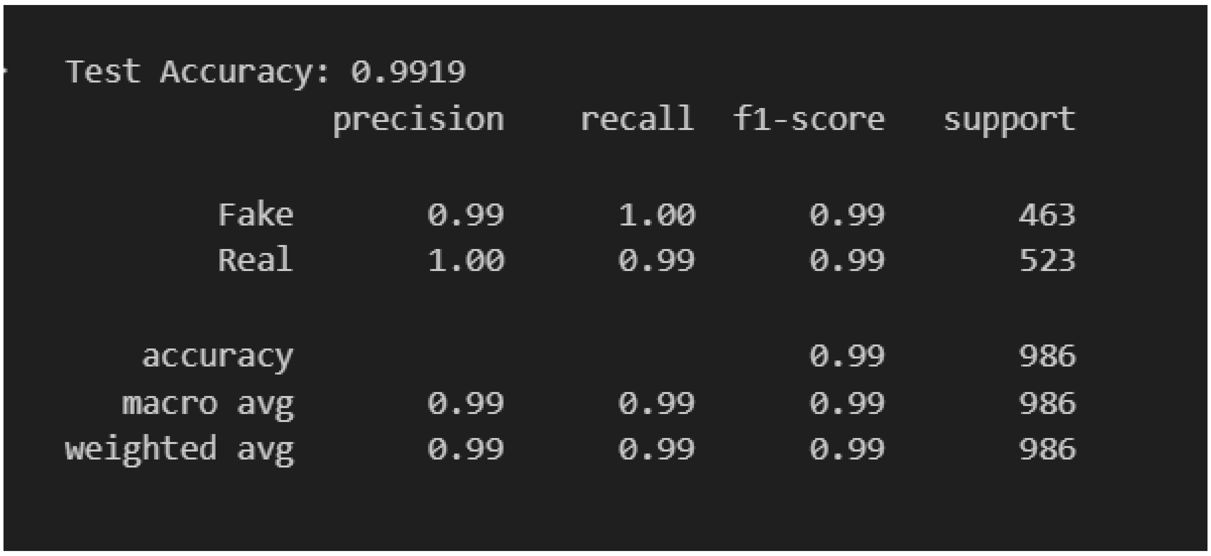
Predicted: Fake (0.9244)

SUMMARY

- Step 1:
  - Set Up the Environment - Ensure that all necessary libraries are installed and that the environment is configured for reproducibility.
- Step 2:
  - Data Preprocessing - Prepare and transform the dataset for use with the ViT model.
- Step 3:
  - Model Building with Transfer Learning - Define and initialize a Vision Transformer model with transfer learning.
- Step 4:
  - Model Training - Train the model with the prepared dataset and track its performance.
- Step 5:
  - Evaluation - Evaluate the trained model on test data, and visualize the results using plots and metrics.
- Step 6:
  - Prediction - Make predictions on new images and visualize the results to verify the model's performance.

EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- High Accuracy: Achieve competitive accuracy in classifying plant diseases.
- Robust Performance: Effective handling of diverse plant images and generalization to new data.
- User-Friendly Tool: Interactive prediction tool for end-users to test and validate images.



```
Test Accuracy: 0.9919
              precision    recall  f1-score   support

        Fake       0.99      1.00      0.99       463
        Real       1.00      0.99      0.99       523

    accuracy                           0.99       986
   macro avg       0.99      0.99      0.99       986
weighted avg       0.99      0.99      0.99       986
```

CONCLUSION:

The problem of fake face detection has become increasingly significant with the proliferation of deepfake technology and manipulated media. Deep learning models, particularly Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) and Vision Transformers (ViTs), have demonstrated remarkable performance in addressing this challenge.

1. **Effectiveness of Deep Learning Models:**

   - **ResNet50:**

     As a widely adopted CNN architecture, ResNet50 has shown robust performance in various image classification tasks, including fake face detection. Its deep residual learning framework helps in capturing complex features and patterns in facial images, making it effective in distinguishing between real and manipulated faces. The use of pre-trained ResNet50 models fine-tuned on specific fake face datasets, can significantly enhance detection accuracy and reliability.

   - **Vision Transformers (ViTs):**

     ViTs represent a novel approach by leveraging transformer-based architectures for image classification. Their ability to capture long-range dependencies and contextual information makes them particularly suitable for detecting subtle manipulations in facial images. ViTs have shown promising results in various image recognition tasks and hold the potential for advancing fake face detection by learning intricate features from the data.

2. **Advancements and Challenges:**
   - **Model Performance:**

     Both ResNet50 and ViTs have demonstrated high accuracy and robustness in detecting fake faces, outperforming traditional methods and shallow models. These models can effectively handle variations in face manipulations and deepfake techniques.

   - **Computational Complexity:**

     While deep learning models offer improved performance, they also come with increased computational requirements. Training these models, especially ViTs, requires significant resources and time. However, their ability to generalize well across different datasets often justifies this complexity.

3. **Future Directions:**
   - **Integration of Models:**

     Combining the strengths of CNNs and transformers could further enhance detection capabilities. Hybrid models or ensemble methods that leverage both ResNet50 and ViTs might offer superior performance by integrating different feature extraction mechanisms.

   - **Real-World Applications:**

As deepfake technology continues to evolve, it is crucial to continuously update and adapt detection models. Real-time applications, such as live video monitoring and social media content verification, require efficient and scalable solutions that can be integrated with existing systems.

4. **Ethical Considerations:**
   - **Privacy and Security:**

     The deployment of fake face detection models raises important ethical considerations regarding privacy and security. Ensuring that these models are used responsibly and do not infringe on individual privacy is paramount.

   - **Transparency:**

     Providing transparency in how these models are used and how decisions are made can help build trust and ensure ethical practices in the application of deepfake detection technologies.

In conclusion, deep learning models, particularly ResNet50 and Vision Transformers, represent powerful tools in the fight against fake faces and manipulated media. Their application not only enhances the ability to detect and mitigate deepfakes but also contributes to broader efforts in maintaining the integrity and authenticity of digital media. Ongoing research and development will be crucial in advancing these models and addressing the evolving challenges in this field.

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