PedVis-VGG-16: A Fine-tuned deep convolutional neural network for pedestrian image classifications

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Problem Definition

Predict if pedestrian(s) exist in an image.







Pedestrian

Dataset

- It is a combined dataset.
- It is mostly based on INRIA Person Dataset.

References:

https://github.com/vinay0410/Pedestrian Detection (neg: 1218,pos: 2416)

https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/constantinwerner/human-detection-dataset (neg: 362,pos:559)

https://github.com/mahavird/Person-Detector-Dataset/tree/master/images (pos: 200)

https://github.com/RashadGarayev/PersonDetection.git (neg:4000,pos:2000)

Paper: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1QHTAheNuabj 5Vb7G2oSG6DsXUcdew96/view?usp=sharing

Dataset Analysis

PedVis Architecture:

Combined Dataset

Number of images for training: 9000

Validation: **1800 (20%)**

Number of classes: 2 (Negative and Positive)

Negative images: **5220** Positive images: **3780**

Number of images for testing: 1900

Number of classes: 2 (Negative and Positive)

Negative images: 1102

Positive images: **798**

Image Ratio in both sectors: **58:42(negative:positive)**

Proposed solution (architecture): PedVis VGG16

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| FC Block | AveragePooling2D | [3, 2, 512] | 0 |
| | Flatten | [3072] | 0 |
| | Dense | [1024] | 3146752 |
| | Dropout | [1024] | 0 |
| | Dense | [2] | 2050 |

VGG16 vs PedVis VGG16

| | | ConvNet C | onfiguration | | |
|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| A | A-LRN | В | C | D | E |
| 11 weight layers | 11 weight layers | 13 weight layers | 16 weight layers | 16 weight layers | 19 weight layers |
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| | | soft | -max | | |

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| | Dense | [1024] | 3146752 |
| | Dropout | [1024] | 0 |
| | Dense | [2] | 2050 |

Proposed solution (HyperParameters): PedVis VGG16

Epochs: 100

Optimizer: Adam

Loss function: Categorical Cross-Entropy

Learning Rate: 0.0001

Image_size : 224 x 128

Batch_Size: 32

Proposed Solution with Limited Dataset

Train_images: 6000

Validation_images: 1200 (20%)

Test_images: 730

Performance Scores:

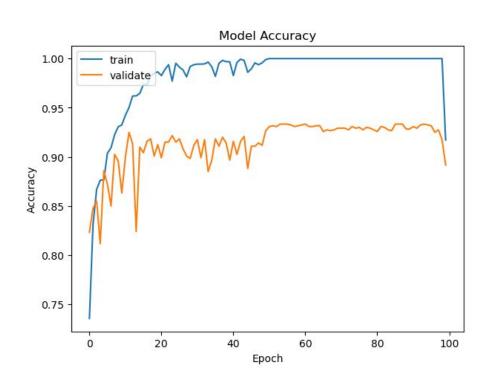
Accuracy: 0.9356164383561644

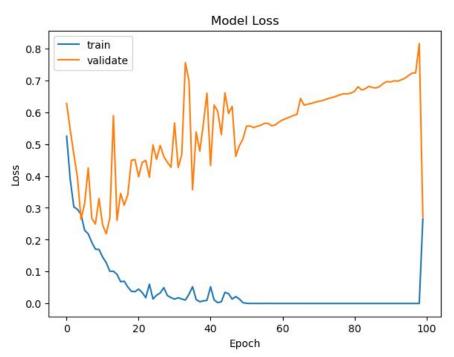
Precision: 0.8690095846645367

F1_score: 0.9204737732656515

Recall: 0.9784172661870504

Proposed Solution with Limited Dataset





Loss Function : Categorical Cross-Entropy

- Measures the difference between the predicted class probabilities and the true class probabilities.
- The intuition behind the categorical cross-entropy loss is to penalize the model for predicting a low probability for the correct class label.
- Rewards the model for predicting the correct class label with high probability and punishes the model for predicting the incorrect class label with low probability.

Formula for Categorical Cross-Entropy:

$$L(y, \hat{y}) = -\sum (y_i * log(\hat{y}_i))$$

where \mathbf{y} is a one-hot encoded vector representing the true class label and $\hat{\mathbf{y}}$ is the predicted probability distribution over all classes. The sum is taken over all classes.

Performance Score (Adam Optimizer)

Parameters:

Epochs: 50

Optimizer : **Adam**

Loss function : Categorical Cross-Entropy

Learning Rate: 0.0001

Image_size : **128 x 128**

train_images: 7120

validation _images : 1780

test_images: 1890

Performance Score (Adam Optimizer)

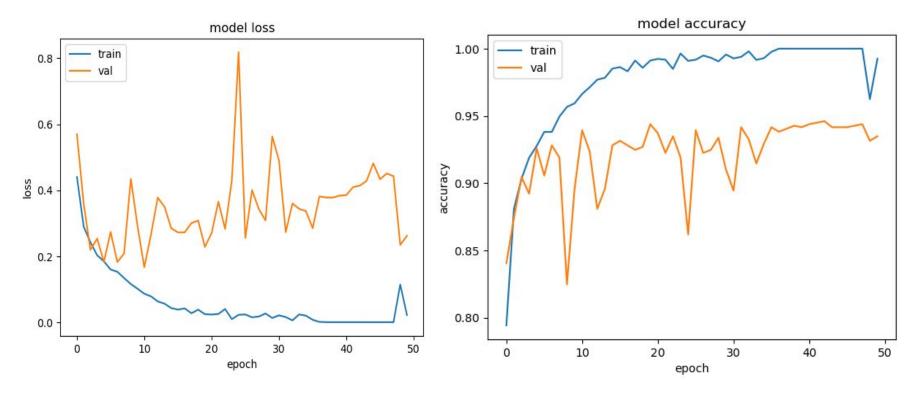
Accuracy: 0.8042328042328042

Recall: 0.80

F1_score: 0.79

Precision: 0.83

Training Score (Adam Optimizer)



Performance Score (SGD Optimizer)

Parameters:

Epochs: 50

Optimizer: **SGD**

Loss function : Categorical Cross-Entropy

Learning Rate: 0.001

Image_size : **128 x 128**

train_images: 7120

validation _images : 1780

test_images: 1890

Performance Score (SGD Optimizer)

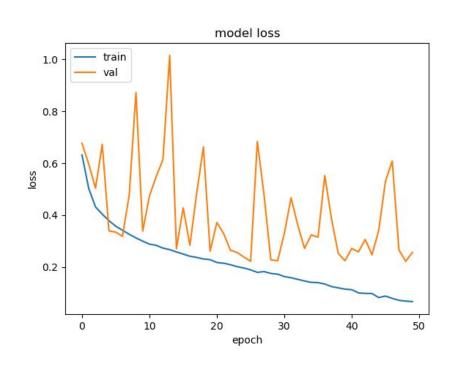
Accuracy: 0.7523809523809524

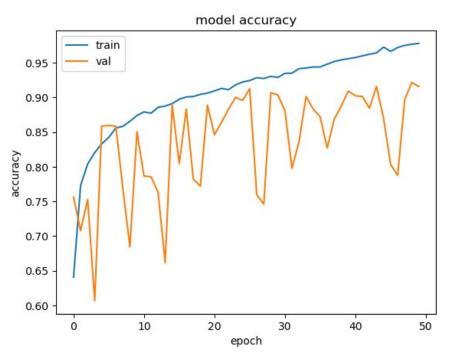
F1 Score: 0.6256

Recall: 0.4924433249370277

Precision: 0.8574561403508771

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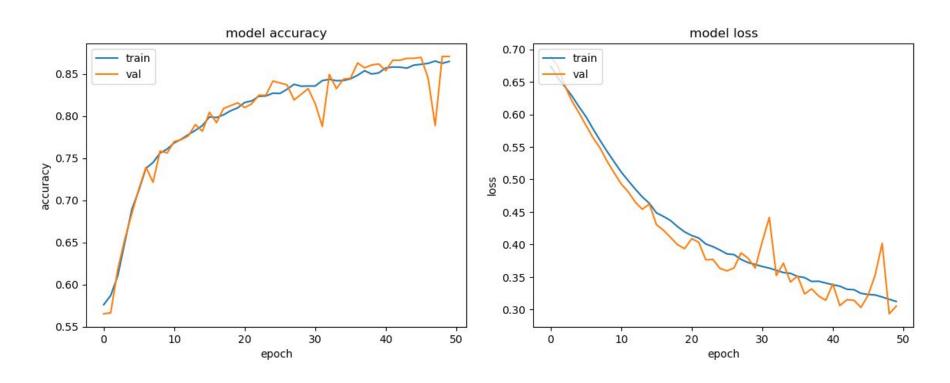
Accuracy: 0.6767195767195767

F1 Score: 0.47463456577816

Recall: 0.34760705289672544

Precision: 0.74796747967

Training Score(SGD Optimizer)



Resnet50(Architecture)

| layer name | output size | 18-layer | 34-layer | 50-layer | 101-layer | 152-layer |
|------------|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| conv1 | 112×112 | 7×7, 64, stride 2 | | | | |
| | | 3×3 max pool, stride 2 | | | | |
| conv2_x | 56×56 | $\left[\begin{array}{c} 3 \times 3, 64 \\ 3 \times 3, 64 \end{array}\right] \times 2$ | $\left[\begin{array}{c} 3 \times 3, 64 \\ 3 \times 3, 64 \end{array}\right] \times 3$ | $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 1, 64 \\ 3 \times 3, 64 \\ 1 \times 1, 256 \end{bmatrix} \times 3$ | $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 1, 64 \\ 3 \times 3, 64 \\ 1 \times 1, 256 \end{bmatrix} \times 3$ | $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 1, 64 \\ 3 \times 3, 64 \\ 1 \times 1, 256 \end{bmatrix} \times 3$ |
| conv3_x | 28×28 | $\left[\begin{array}{c} 3\times3, 128\\ 3\times3, 128 \end{array}\right] \times 2$ | $\left[\begin{array}{c} 3\times3, 128\\ 3\times3, 128 \end{array}\right] \times 4$ | $\left[\begin{array}{c} 1 \times 1, 128 \\ 3 \times 3, 128 \\ 1 \times 1, 512 \end{array}\right] \times 4$ | $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 1, 128 \\ 3 \times 3, 128 \\ 1 \times 1, 512 \end{bmatrix} \times 4$ | $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 1, 128 \\ 3 \times 3, 128 \\ 1 \times 1, 512 \end{bmatrix} \times 8$ |
| conv4_x | | [| $\left[\begin{array}{c} 3\times3,256\\ 3\times3,256 \end{array}\right]\times6$ | $\lfloor 1 \times 1, 1024 \rfloor$ | [1×1, 1024] | $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 1, 256 \\ 3 \times 3, 256 \\ 1 \times 1, 1024 \end{bmatrix} \times 36$ |
| conv5_x | 7×7 | $\left[\begin{array}{c} 3\times3,512\\ 3\times3,512 \end{array}\right]\times2$ | $\left[\begin{array}{c}3\times3,512\\3\times3,512\end{array}\right]\times3$ | $ \left[\begin{array}{c} 1 \times 1, 512 \\ 3 \times 3, 512 \\ 1 \times 1, 2048 \end{array}\right] \times 3 $ | $ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 1, 512 \\ 3 \times 3, 512 \\ 1 \times 1, 2048 \end{bmatrix} \times 3 $ | $ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 1, 512 \\ 3 \times 3, 512 \\ 1 \times 1, 2048 \end{bmatrix} \times 3 $ |
| 2 | 1×1 | average pool, 1000-d fc, softmax | | | | |
| FLO | OPs | 1.8×10^9 | 3.6×10^9 | 3.8×10^9 | 7.6×10^9 | 11.3×10 ⁹ |

Performance Score (Resnet50)

Parameters:

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Performance Score (Resnet 50)

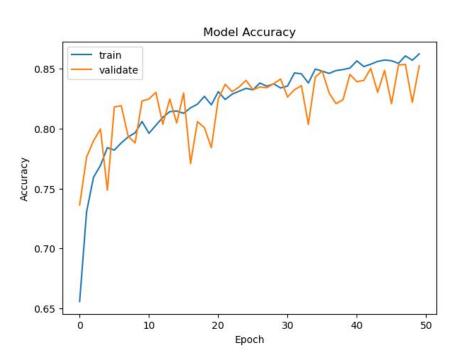
Accuracy:0.7074074074074074

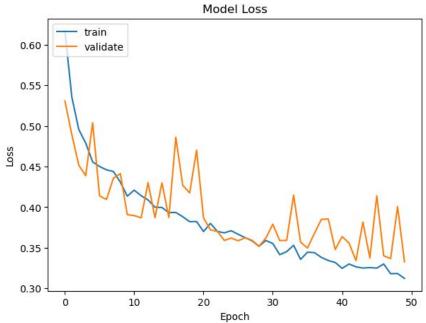
F1 Score: 0.5936811168258633

Recall: 0.5088161209068011

Precision: 0.7125220458553791

Training Score(Resnet50)





Performance Score (Incorporating VGG19)

Parameters:

Epochs: 50

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Loss function : Categorical Cross-Entropy

Learning Rate: 0.001

Image_size : **128 x 128**

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Performance Score (Incorporating VGG19)

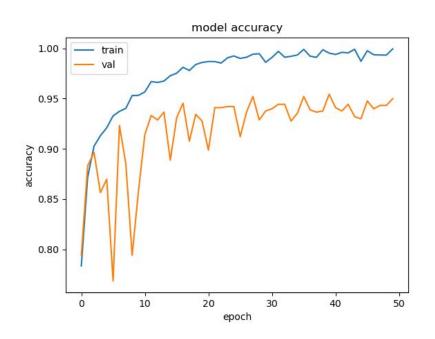
Accuracy: 0.8396825396825397

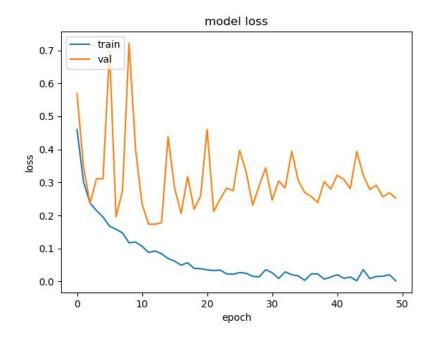
F1 Score: 0.84

Recall: 0.82

Precision: 0.85

Training Score (Incorporating VGG19)





Performance Score (One extra block of convolution)

Parameters:

Epochs: 50

Optimizer : **Adam**

Loss function: Categorical Cross-Entropy

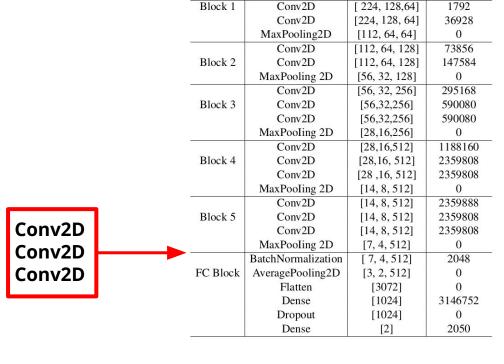
Learning Rate: 0.001

Image_size : **128 x 128**

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Layer

Output Shape | parameters

Performance Score (One extra block of convolution)

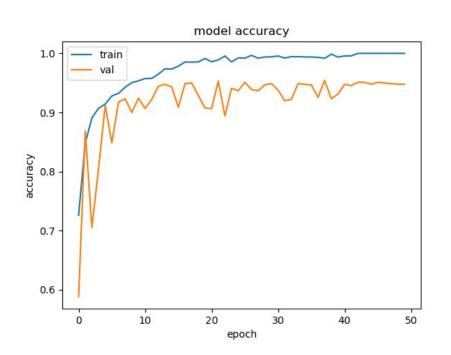
Accuracy: 0.828042328042328

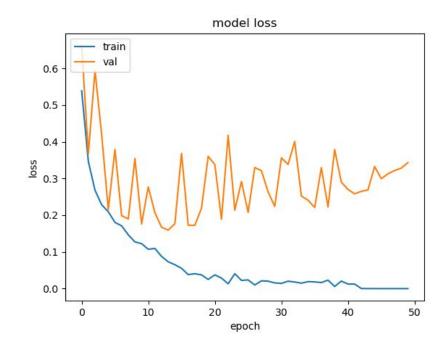
F1 Score: 0.82

Recall: 0.83

Precision: 0.84

Training Score (One extra block of Convolution)





Comparison

- 1.Adding one block to the PedVis architecture gives better values than the proposed PedVis Architecture with 9000 training dataset.
- 2.Learning rate = 0.0001 performs better than learning rate = 0.001.
- 3.Adam optimizer works better than SGD optimizer.
- 4.Image_size = (128,128) is given for accommodating more train images instead of image_size = (224,128) which gives less accuracy.
- 5.VGG-19 gives the best accuracy among PedVis and one-block added architecture.

Comparison with State-of-the-art methods

We used **Resnet-50**.

Performance metrics of Resnet-50 do not have a higher score than the proposed architecture for this dataset.

| | PedVis | Resnet-50 |
|-----------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Precision | 0.8690095846645367 | 0.7125220458553791 |
| F1_score | 0.9204737732656515 | 0.5936811168258633 |
| Recall | 0.9784172661870504 | 0.5088161209068011 |
| Accuracy | 0.9356164383561644 | 0.7074074074074 |

Challenges

Initial dataset was too small with 632 images to train, all having positive labels. So we
had to combine several datasets.

 All the models were run in Kaggle and we faced some memory issues which caused us to train on 6000 images, instead of 9000. Eventually, we solved this issue by reducing the input image size from (224 x 128) to (128 x 128)