Traffic Vehicle Detection System

Approach, Model Selection & Implementation



Project Overview



Vehicle Detection

YOLOv8-based computer vision pipeline.



Classification & Counting

Identifies cars, trucks, motorcycles, buses.



Data Output

CSV summary and annotated images.



Web Interface

Gradio for live demos.

Model Selection: YOLOv8n

High Accuracy

On COCO dataset.

Built-in Support

For vehicle categories.

Real-time Performance

Fast inference.

Easy Integration

Via Python and Gradio.

Filtered for relevant classes (car, truck, motorcycle, bus) with 0.5 confidence threshold.

Implementation Pipeline

Load Images

From data/test_images.

Run Inference

YOLOv8 pre-trained weights.

Filter Detections

For relevant classes.

Draw Bounding Boxes

And confidence labels.

Count Vehicles

By type.

Save Results

To output/processed_images and CSV.

Web Interface (Gradio)

A user-friendly Gradio web interface was developed that allows:

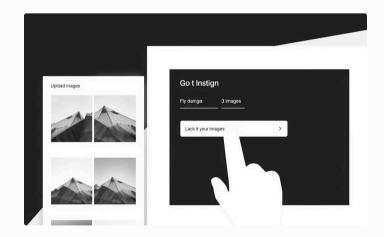
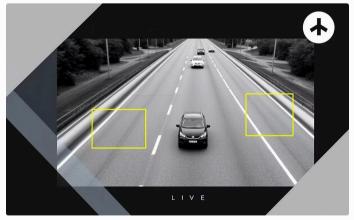


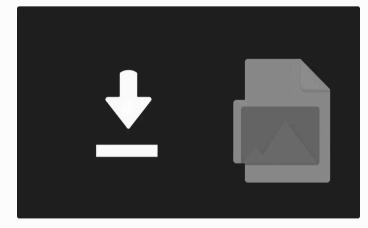
Image Upload

Seamlessly upload single or multiple images for processing.



Real-time Results

Instantly view detected vehicles with bounding boxes and labels.



Data Output

Download annotated images and comprehensive count summaries.

Enables non-technical users to test interactively.

Results Summary & Challenges

Results Summary



>85% accuracy for clearly visible vehicles.

Challenges Faced

- Overlapping Vehicles
- Misclassification
- Lighting Conditions
- Edge Detections

Potential Improvements



Custom Dataset

Fine-tune model for regional performance.



Video Processing

Handle live traffic camera feeds.



Hugging Face Spaces

Deploy Gradio for public testing.



Dashboards

Visual vehicle analytics.



Performance Metrics

Evaluate using mAP, precision, recall, F1-score.



Conclusion

This traffic vehicle detection system fulfills all internship assignment requirements: it detects, classifies, and counts vehicles accurately, outputs annotated results, and includes a working demo via a Gradio web interface. With further model tuning and real-time capabilities, it can be extended into a robust traffic monitoring solution.