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Abstract

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Image Caption generator is implemented using CNN (Convolutional Neural Networks) and LSTM (Long short term memory). The image features are extracted from Xception which is a CNN model trained on the image net dataset and then features are feed into the LSTM model which is responsible for generating the image captions. Libraries used are: tensor flow, keras, Pillow, numpy, tqdm and jupyterlab. In the initial phase the required dataset is collected, then preprocessing of the data extracting the feature vector from all images, Loading dataset for Training the model, Tokenizing the vocabulary, Create Data generator, Defining the CNN-RNN model, Training the model, Testing of model is done.

Outcome is, for the image provided by the user relevant caption is generated by the model in a natural language like English which can further be used. User will be giving the image to the model, the image features will be extracted using deep learning models and caption is be generated.

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Chapter 1: Introduction

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Chapter 2: Literature Review

2.1 Literature Survey

Marc Tanti, et al., [1], The key property of these models is that the CNN image features are used to predictions of the best caption to describe the image. However, this can be done in different ways and the role of the RNN depends in large measure on the mode in which CNN and RNN are combined.

Lukasz Kaiser, et al., [2], : Active memory model. The whole memory takes part in the computation at every step. Each element of memory is active and changes in a uniform way, e.g., using a convolution. Active memory is a natural choice for image models as they usually operate on a canvas. And indeed, recent works have shown that actively updating the canvas that will be used to produce the final results can be beneficial.

Vikram Mullachery, et al., [3], Image captioning is a much more involved task than image recognition or classification, because of the additional challenge of recognizing the interdependence between the objects/concepts in the image and the creation of a succinct sentential narration.

KelvinXn,et al.,[4], use a long short-term memory (LSTM) network that produces a caption by generating one word at every time step conditioned on a context vector, the previous hidden state and the previously generated words.

Oriol Vinyals, et al., [5], a generative model based on a deep recurrent architecture that combines recent advances in computer vision and machine translation and that can be used to generate natural sentences describing an image. The model is trained to maximize the likelihood of the target description sentence given the training image.

MD.Zakir Hossain,et al.,[6], comprehensive survey of deep learning for image captioning. First, we group the existing image captioning articles into three main categories :(1) Template-based Image captioning, (2) Retrieval-based image captioning, and (3) Novel image caption generation. The categories are discussed briefly in Section 2. Most deep learning based image captioning methods fall into the category of novel caption generation. Therefore, we focus

only on novel caption generation with deep learning. Second, we group the deep learning-based image captioning methods into different categories namely (1) Visual space-based, (2) Multimodal space-based, (3) Supervised learning, (4) Other deep learning, (5) Dense captioning, (6) Whole scene- based, (7) Encoder-Decoder Architecture-based, (8) Compositional Architecture-based, (9) LSTM (Long Short-Term Memory)language model-based, (10) Others language model-based, (11) Attention-Based, (12) Semantic concept-based, (13) Stylized captions, and (12) Novel object-basedimage captioning.

Haoran Wang et al.,[7], Attention mechanism, stemming from the study of human vision, is a complex cognitive ability that human beings have in cognitive neurology. When people receive information, they can consciously ignore some of the main information while ignoring other secondary information. This ability of self-selection is called attention. In natural language processing, when people read long texts, human attention is focused on keywords, events, or entities. A large number of experiments have proved that the attention mechanism is applied in text processing, for example, machine translation abstract generation text understanding text classification visual captioning and other issues, the results achieved remarkable, and the following describes the application of different attention mechanism methods in the image description basic framework introduced in the second part, so that its effect is improved. In neural network models, the realization of the attention mechanism is that it allows the neural network to have the ability to focus on its subset of inputs (or features)—to select specific inputs or features. The main part of the attention mechanism is the following two aspects: the decision needs to pay attention to which part of the input; the al- location of limited information processing resources to the important part.

N. Komal Kumar et al.,[8], The Proposed methodology for generating captions with the detection and recognition of objects using deep learning. It consists of object detection, feature extraction, Convolution Neural Network (CNN) for feature extraction and for scene classification, Recurrent Neural Network (RNN) for human and objects attributes, RNN encoder and a fixed length RNN decoder system. The input image is subject to the feature extraction using the feature_extraction command to extract the features in that image and captions are generated using the generate_desc command which takes parameters such as model, tokenizer, input image and length as input.

Pranay Mathur et al.,[9], customize and optimize our encoder-decoder model to function in a real-time environ- ment and to work on mobile devices. For this we use Google's numerical computation library, TensorFlow. The main advantage of using TensorFlow for any Deep Learning model is its data-flow graphs based computations, which basically comprise of nodes, representing mathematical op- erations and edges, representing the multidimensional data arrays (tensors) communicated between nodes. The flexible architecture of TensorFlow enabled us to deploy our model's computation on CPUs and GPUs and thus helped us utilize inherent parallelism in primitive operations and computations.

Longteng Guo et al.,[10], A single-model solution for multi-style image captioning (MSCap) is desired to generate visually grounded and any desired stylized captions for a given image, while multi-style captioning resources includ-ing images and multi-style captions are explored jointly for the single-model training. Typically, training such a mod- el requires fully annotated collections of aligned image- stylized-caption pairs (paired data) for each style. Howev- er, it is quite expensive to collect such paired multi-style captioning collections, especially when the numbers of im- ages and styles increase. Compared to annotating stylized captions for each image, it is much easier and cheaper to collect a corpus of stylized sentences without aligned images. Therefore, it is challenging but valuable to design a multi-style captioning model by exploring such unpaired multi-stylized data in addition to handily available factu- al image-caption paired data (e.g. MS COCO [22] dataset), which motivates our work.

Lakshminarasimhan Srinivasan et al.,[11], The Bleu metric is an algorithm for evaluating the performance of a machine translation system by grading the quality of text translated from one natural language to another

Sarthak Mehta[12], Picture subtitle generator could be an undertaking that includes PC vision and tongue preparing ideas to recognize the setting of an image and portray them during a tongue like English.

Convolutional Neural systems are particular profound neural systems which may process the data that has input shape kind of a 2D framework. Pictures are effectively spoken to as a 2D grid and CNN is inconceivably valuable inworking with pictures

Grishma Sharma et al.,[13], have used VGG-16 (Visual Geometry Group), which is a 16 convolutional layers model used for object recognition. For the second phase, we need to train our features with captions provided in the dataset. We are using two architectures LSTM (Long Short Term Memory) and GRU (Gated Recurrent Unit) for framing our sentences from the input images given. To get an estimation of which architecture is better we have used the BLEU (Bilingual Evaluation Understudy) score to compare the performances between LSTM and GRU.

Oriol Vinyals et al.,[14], The propose a neural and probabilistic framework to generate descriptions from images. Recent advances in statistical machine translation have shown that, given a powerful sequence model, it is possible to achieve state-of-the-art results by directly maximizing the probability of the correct translation given an input sentence in an "end-to-end" fashion – both for training and inference. These models make use of a recurrent neural network which encodes the variable length input into a fixed dimensional vector, and uses this representation to "decode" it to the de-sired output sentence. Thus, it is natural to use the same approach where, given an image (instead of an input sentence in the source language), one applies the same principle of "translating" it into its description.

Ilay Sutskever et al.,[15], a general end-to-end approach to sequence learning that makes minimal assumptions on the sequence structure. Our method uses a multilayered Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) to map the input sequence to a vector of a fixed dimensionality, and then another deep LSTM to decode the target sequence from the vector.

Kyunghyun cho et al., [16], propose a novel neural network model called RNN Encoder—Decoder that consists of two recurrent neural networks (RNN). One RNN encodes a sequence of symbols into a fixed-length vector representation, and the other decodes the representation into another sequence of symbols. The encoder and decoder of the proposed model are jointly trained to maximize the conditional probability of a target sequence given a source sequence. The performance of a statistical machine translation system is empirically found to improve by using the conditional probabilities of phrase pairs computed by the RNN Encoder—Decoder as an additional feature in the existing log-linear model. Qualitatively, we show that the proposed model learns a semantically and syntactically meaningful representation of linguistic phrases.

Dzmitry Bahdanau et al.,[17], two types of models. The first one is an RNN Encoder–Decoder (RNNencdec, Cho *et al.*, 2014a), and the other is the proposed model, to which we refer as RNNsearch. We train each model twice: first with the sentences of length up to 30 words (RNNencdec-30, RNNsearch-30) and then with the sentences of length up to 50 word (RNNencdec-50, RNNsearch-50). The encoder and decoder of the RNNencdec have 1000 hidden units each. The encoder of the RNNsearch consists of forward and backward recurrent neural networks (RNN) each having 1000 hidden units.

Kyunghyun Cho et al., [18], in the field of statistical machine translation (SMT), deep neural networks have begun to show promising results. (Schwenk, 2012) summarizes a successful usage of feedforward neural networks in the framework of phrase-based SMT system. Along this line of research on using neural net- works for SMT, this paper focuses on a novel neural network architecture that can be used as a part of the conventional phrase-based SMT system.

Jia-Yu Pan et al., [19], this paper interested in the following problem: "Given a set of images, where each image is captioned with a set of terms describing the image content, find the association between the image features and the terms". Furthermore, "with the association found, caption an unseen image". Previous works caption an image by captioning its constituting regions, by a mapping from image regions to terms.

Alex Krizhevsky, et al., [20], architecture -the net contains eight layers with weights; the first five are convolutional and the remaining three are fully connected. The output of the last fully-connected layer is fed to a 1000-way softmax which produces a distribution over the 1000 class labels. Our network maximizes the multinomial logistic regression objective, which is equivalent to maximizing the average across training cases of the log-probability of the correct label under the prediction distribution.

2 Existing and Proposed System

Existing approaches of image caption generator are using a condition random field for linking image and text.

Proposed a method of finding the objects and attributes from an image and using it to generate text with a conditional random field (CRF). The CRF is traditionally used for a structured prediction such as text generation. The use of CRF has limitations in generating text in a coherent manner with proper placement of prepositions. The results have proper predictions of objects and attributes but fail at generating good descriptions. Creating captions using image ranking method to rank the images followed by generating captions. The high-level information extracted from the ranked images can be used to generate the text. More images that are available for ranking, the better the results will be. Retrieving captions can be achieved by connecting encoders of image and text through a latent space. The first model in the image is the full model used for training. Visual features can also be used to generate sentences, or vice-versa.

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Methodology adopted in the proposed system is Image Caption generator is implemented using CNN (Convolutional Neural Networks) and LSTM (Long short term memory). The image features are extracted from Xception which is a CNN model trained on the image net dataset and then features are feed into the LSTM model which is responsible for generating the image captions. Libraries used are: tensor flow, keras, Pillow, numpy, tqdm and jupyterlab. In the initial phase the required dataset is collected, then preprocessing of the data extracting the feature vector from all images, Loading dataset for Training the model, Tokenizing the vocabulary ,Create Data generator, Defining the CNN-RNN model, Training the model ,Testing of model is done.

2.2 Tools and Technologies used

- IDE: Google Colab, Jupyter notebook, Visual Studio
- Web development Framework: Flask
- Deep Learning Framework: Keras, Tensorflow
- Web technologies: Bootstrap, HTML, CSS
- Database: MySQL

2.3 Hardware and Software Requirements

- CPU with at least 8GB RAM
- 1TB hard disk
- 2GB AMD RADEON GRAPHICS(GPU)
- Active internet connection
- Google Colab / Jupyter notebook

Chapter 3: Software Requirement Specifications

3.1 Introduction

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3.2 General Description

Product Perspective: Today lot of images are being clicked because of the digital era. People are clicking pictures and uploading on various social media platforms but they lack when they have to provide relevant caption to their images. It is very difficult for outwardly disabled individuals better comprehend the substance of pictures on the web. Image Caption Generator could help individuals with outwardly hindrance better comprehend visual information sources, along these lines going about as a right hand or a guide, this can help them by providing captions. It will also help people to generate relevant caption for their

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Product Functions: Application will take image uploaded by user and provide relevant caption.

User Characteristics: User should be able to upload image and get the appropriate caption. User can give feedback also.

General Constraints: Need dataset to train the model. The model is trained on dataset that has general images not domain specific.

Assumptions and Dependencies: Dataset is taken from Kaggle. This model highly dependent on training data.

3.3 Functional Requirement

In this application the user going to give the image to the model, the image features will be extracted using deep learning models and relevant caption will be generated.

3.3.1. Feature Extraction Module

- Input -Image dataset
- Process CNN (Convolution neural network) is used for extracting features from the image. Each input image will pass it through a series of convolution layers with filters (Kernals), ReLu activation function and Pooling. Xception is pre trained network, trained on more than a million images from the Image Net database. Xception is a convolutional neural network that is 71 layers deep. The pre-trained network can classify images into object categories, such as keyboard, mouse, pencil, and many animals. As a result, the network has learned rich feature representations for a wide range of images. The network has an image input size of 299x299x3.
- Output Features of image

3.3.2. Caption generation Module:

- Input -Feature Vector
- RNN (recurrent neural network) which is well suited for sequence prediction problems.

Process-LSTM will use the feature vector from CNN to generate a description of the image. It has proven itself effective from the traditional RNN by overcoming the limitations of RNN which had short term memory. LSTM can carry out relevant information throughout the processing of inputs and with a forget gate, it discards non-relevant information. The key to LSTMs is the cell state The LSTM does have the ability to remove or add information to the cell state, carefully regulated by structures called gates. Gates are a way to optionally let information through. They are composed out of a sigmoid neural net layer and a point wise multiplication operation. The sigmoid layer outputs numbers between zero and one, describing how much of each component should be let through. A value of zero means "let nothing through," while a value of one means "let everything through!"

• Output -Caption of the Image

3.3.3. Image handling Module

- Pillow is a Python Imaging Library (PIL), which adds support for opening, manipulating, and saving images. Pillow was announced as a replacement for PIL for future usage. Pillow supports a large number of image file formats including PNG, JPEG and JPG. This library provides extensive file format support, an efficient internal representation, and fairly powerful image processing capabilities.
- The core image library is designed for fast access to data stored in a few basic pixel formats. It should provide a solid foundation for a general image processing tool.

3.3.4. Full Stack Module:

Front end: Html, CSS, Bootstrap

Backend: Flask

Database: MySQL

• Input-User uploads and image on the Html page

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Process-That image is fetched from the webpage with the POST request through flask

and image is provided into the model. Model processes that image and generates the caption

that caption is rendered back with the image with the help of flask framework onto the web

page.

Output - User will get relevant caption for uploaded image.

3.4 External Interfaces Requirements

User Interface: User shall upload the image for which they want caption .It is done by

selecting image from local device and then clicking on upload button. After uploading user

shall click on Generate Caption button. Once after clicking the Generate button user will get

appropriate caption.

Software Interface: Application requires database to store information about user when user

gives feedback. This application is using MySQL database.

3.5 Non Functional Requirements

Memory: CPU with at least 8GB RAM

Performance requirements: GPU-(Tesla T4)

Scalability: For now the model is trained with 6000 images. The model is capable enough to

handle larger dataset.

Portability and compatibility: Model is compatible with all the operating systems. Such as

Microsoft Windows ,Linux etc.

Chapter 4: System Design

4.1 System Perspective /Architectural Design

4.1.1 Problem Specification: Image caption generator is a task that involves computer vision and natural language processing (NLP) concepts to recognize the context of an image and describe them in a natural language like English.

For the image provided by the user relevant caption will be generated by the model in a natural language like English which can further be used. User will be giving the image to the model, the image features will be extracted using deep learning models and relevant caption will be generated.

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4.1.2 Block Diagram: A block diagram is a diagram of a system in which the principal parts or functions are represented by blocks connected by lines that show the relationships of the blocks.

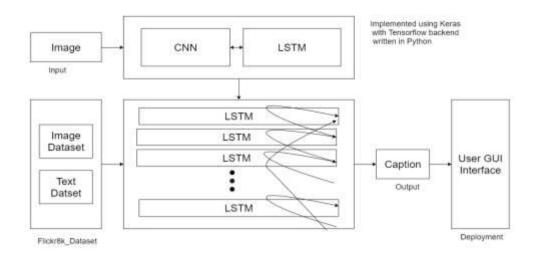


Fig 4.1.2 Block Diagram

- 1. User will upload the image
- 2. The CNN-RNN model is implemented using Keras and Tensorflow backend written in python.
- 3. Data from Flickr8_k is loaded into Model and model is trained. Once after getting new image it will generate caption based on previous data on which it is trained.
- 4. Finally the Caption is generated will be viewed to the user on User Interface.

Data definition/Dictionary: CNN-Convolutional Neural Network, LSTM-Long Short Term Memory, Computer Vision, NLP-Natural Language Processing, RNN -Recurrent Neural Network

Module specification: Feature Extraction Module, Caption generation Module, Image handling Module, Full Stack Module.

4.2 Context Diagram

The context diagram is used to establish the context and boundaries of the system to be modelled: which things are inside and outside of the system being modelled, and what is the relationship of the system with these external entities.

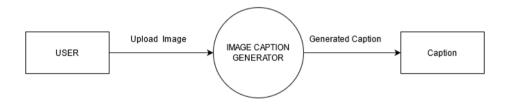


Fig 4.2 Context Diagram

- User will upload image to the system
- System will generate the caption for uploaded image
- Generated caption is shown to the user

Chapter 5: Detailed Design

5.1 System Design

- **5.1.1 Dynamic Model:** Dynamic Model involves states, events and state diagram (transition diagram) on the model. Main concepts related with Dynamic Model are states, transition between states and events to trigger the transitions. Predefined relationships in object model are aggregation (concurrency) and generalization.
- **5.1.1.1 Activity Diagram:** Activity diagram is basically a flowchart to represent the flow from one activity to another activity. The activity can be described as an operation of the system.

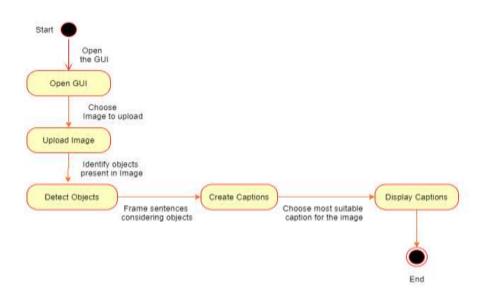


Fig 5.1.1.1 Activity Diagram

- Fig 5.1.1.1 represents Activity diagram where various activities of the user is mentioned, the activities are
 - User opens GUI
 - Uploads image
 - System will detect objects
 - Based on objects generate caption
 - Display caption to user

5.1.1.2 Sequence Diagram: A sequence diagram shows object interactions arranged in time sequence

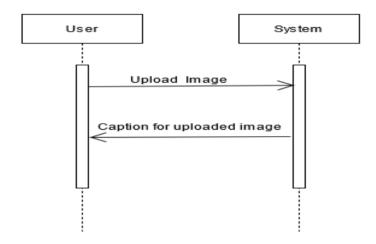


Fig 5.1.1.2 Sequence Diagram

Fig 5.1.1.2 represents sequence diagram where user will upload image to the system and get appropriate caption as the result.

5.1.2 Functional Model: Functional Model focuses on the how data is flowing, wheredata is stored and different processes. Main concepts involved in Functional Model are data, data flow, data store, process and actors. Functional Model in OMT describes the whole processes and actions with the help of data flow diagram (DFD).

Data Flow Diagrams: Data flow diagram describes flow of data through a system to perform certain functionality of a business.

Level 0:

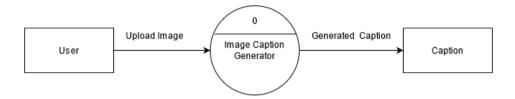


Fig 5.1.2.1 Data Flow Diagram Level 0

Fig 5.1.2.1 represents Level 0 dataflow diagram which is very basic level, where user uploads image to the Image Caption Generator system and get appropriate caption as Output.

Level 1:

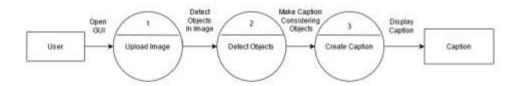


Fig 5.1.2.2 Data Flow Diagram Level 1

Fig 5.1.2.2 represents Level 1 dataflow diagram, which represents further details about different processes of the system.

- User will open GUI
- Upload Image process let the user to upload image
- Detect Objects process will detect objects from the uploaded image.
- Create Caption process will create the caption based on the detected objects.
- Finally the created caption will be displayed back to user.

Level 2:

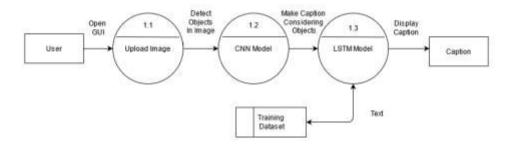


Fig 5.1.2.3 Data Flow Diagram Level 2

Fig 5.1.2.3 represents Level 2 dataflow diagram, which represents detailed description of processes involved,

- User opens GUI
- Upload Image process let the user to upload image
- CNN Model helps to detect objects in the image
- LSTM Model helps in generating caption based on detected objects.
- Finally Caption will be displayed to user.

Chapter 6: Implementation

6.1 Code Snippets

Index.html

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<html>
<head>
k rel="stylesheet" href="static/css/index.css"/>
k rel="preconnect" href="https://fonts.gstatic.com">
 link
href="https://fonts.googleapis.com/css2?family=Lato:ital,wght@0,100;0,300;0,400;0,700;0,
900;1,100;1,300;1,400;1,700;1,900&display=swap" rel="stylesheet">
 link
          href="https://fonts.googleapis.com/css2?family=Hachi+Maru+Pop&display=swap"
rel="stylesheet">
<script type='text/javascript'>
function preview_image(event)
var reader = new FileReader();
reader.onreload = function()
 var output = document.getElementById('output_image');
 output.src = reader.result;
reader.readAsDataURL(event.target.files[0]);
}
</script>
{% extends "base.html" %}
{% block body %}
<body class="body">
<div class="header-container">
```

```
<img src="https://user-images.githubusercontent.com/26179770/106359099-693e3380-6336-</pre>
11eb-8069-9e36f25de5ca.png"
         class="head-image"
         alt="HeaderImage"
      />
<h1 style="margin-top:20px;">Caption Generator</h1>
</div>
<form action="/" method="post" enctype="multipart/form-data">
<div id="wrapper"><br>
<input type="file" name="file1" accept="image/*" onchange="preview_image(event)"</pre>
required><br><br><br>
<div id="output_image"></div>
<br>>
 <input type="submit" class="button-text" value="GENERATE CAPTION">
</div>
</form>
<div class="output">
<img src="{{url_for('static',filename='files.jpg')}}" class="output_image"/>
</div>
<div
                                      style="margin-left:30px;">Generated
                                                                               Caption:
         class="caption-text"><h2
<i>{\{desc\}}</i></h2></div>
{% endblock %}
</body>
</html>
```

Imagecaptiongenerator.ipynb

```
import string
import numpy as np
from PIL import Image
import os
from pickle import dump, load
import numpy as np
from keras.applications.xception import
from keras.preprocessing.image import
```

from keras.applications.xception import Xception, preprocess_input from keras.preprocessing.image import load_img, img_to_array from keras.preprocessing.text import Tokenizer from keras.preprocessing.sequence import pad_sequences from keras.utils import to_categorical from keras.layers.merge import add from keras.models import Model, load_model from keras.layers import Input, Dense, LSTM, Embedding, Dropout

```
# small library for seeing the progress of loops.
from tqdm import tqdm_notebook as tqdm
tqdm().pandas()
#%%
```

```
# Loading a text file into memory
def load_doc(filename):
    # Opening the file as read only
```

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file = open(filename, 'r')
  text = file.read()
  file.close()
  return text
# get all imgs with their captions
def all_img_captions(filename):
  file = load_doc(filename)
  captions = file.split('\n')
  descriptions ={ }
  for caption in captions[:-1]:
     img, caption = caption.split('\t')
    if img[:-2] not in descriptions:
       descriptions[img[:-2]] = [ caption ]
     else:
       descriptions[img[:-2]].append(caption)
  return descriptions
#Data cleaning- lower casing, removing puntuations and words containing numbers
def cleaning_text(captions):
  table = str.maketrans(",",string.punctuation)
  for img, caps in captions.items():
     for i,img_caption in enumerate(caps):
       img_caption.replace("-"," ")
       desc = img_caption.split()
       #converts to lowercase
       desc = [word.lower() for word in desc]
       #remove punctuation from each token
       desc = [word.translate(table) for word in desc]
       #remove hanging 's and a
```

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desc = [word for word in desc if(len(word)>1)]
       #remove tokens with numbers in them
       desc = [word for word in desc if(word.isalpha())]
       #convert back to string
       img_caption = ' '.join(desc)
       captions[img][i]= img_caption
  return captions
def text_vocabulary(descriptions):
  # build vocabulary of all unique words
  vocab = set()
  for key in descriptions.keys():
     [vocab.update(d.split()) for d in descriptions[key]]
  return vocab
#All descriptions in one file
def save_descriptions(descriptions, filename):
  lines = list()
  for key, desc_list in descriptions.items():
    for desc in desc_list:
       lines.append(key + \t' + desc)
  data = "\n".join(lines)
  file = open(filename, "w")
  file.write(data)
  file.close()
# Set these path according to project folder in you system
dataset_text = "Flickr8k_text"
```

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dataset_images = "Flickr8k_Dataset/Flicker8k_Dataset"
#we prepare our text data
filename = dataset_text + "/" + "Flickr8k.token.txt"
#loading the file that contains all data
#mapping them into descriptions dictionary img to 5 captions
descriptions = all_img_captions(filename)
print("Length of descriptions =" ,len(descriptions))
#cleaning the descriptions
clean descriptions = cleaning text(descriptions)
#building vocabulary
vocabulary = text_vocabulary(clean_descriptions)
print("Length of vocabulary = ", len(vocabulary))
#saving each description to file
save_descriptions(clean_descriptions, "descriptions.txt")
#%%
"'def extract_features(directory):
    model = Xception( include_top=False, pooling='avg' )
    features = \{ \}
    for img in tqdm(os.listdir(directory)):
       filename = directory + "/" + img
       image = Image.open(filename)
       image = image.resize((299,299))
       image = np.expand_dims(image, axis=0)
       #image = preprocess_input(image)
       image = image/127.5
       image = image - 1.0
```

```
feature = model.predict(image)
       features[img] = feature
     return features
#2048 feature vector
features = extract_features(dataset_images)
dump(features, open("features.p","wb"))"
#%%
features=load(open("features.p","rb"))
#%%
#load the data
def load_photos(filename):
  file = load_doc(filename)
  photos = file.split("\n")[:-1]
  return photos
def load_clean_descriptions(filename, photos):
  #loading clean_descriptions
  file = load_doc(filename)
  descriptions = {}
  for line in file.split("\n"):
     words = line.split()
     if len(words)<1:
       continue
```

```
image, image_caption = words[0], words[1:]
     if image in photos:
       if image not in descriptions:
          descriptions[image] = []
       desc = '<start> ' + " ".join(image_caption) + ' <end>'
       descriptions[image].append(desc)
  return descriptions
def load_features(photos):
  #loading all features
  all_features = load(open("features.p","rb"))
  #selecting only needed features
  features = {k:all_features[k] for k in photos}
  return features
filename = dataset_text + "/" + "Flickr_8k.trainImages.txt"
#train = loading_data(filename)
train_imgs = load_photos(filename)
train_descriptions = load_clean_descriptions("descriptions.txt", train_imgs)
train_features = load_features(train_imgs)
#%%
#converting dictionary to clean list of descriptions
def dict_to_list(descriptions):
  all_desc = []
  for key in descriptions.keys():
```

```
[all_desc.append(d) for d in descriptions[key]]
  return all_desc
#creating tokenizer class
#this will vectorise text corpus
#each integer will represent token in dictionary
from keras.preprocessing.text import Tokenizer
def create_tokenizer(descriptions):
  desc_list = dict_to_list(descriptions)
  tokenizer = Tokenizer()
  tokenizer.fit_on_texts(desc_list)
  return tokenizer
# give each word an index, and store that into tokenizer.p pickle file
tokenizer = create_tokenizer(train_descriptions)
dump(tokenizer, open('tokenizer.p', 'wb'))
vocab\_size = len(tokenizer.word\_index) + 1
vocab_size
#%%
#calculate maximum length of descriptions
def max_length(descriptions):
  desc_list = dict_to_list(descriptions)
  return max(len(d.split()) for d in desc_list)
max_length = max_length(descriptions)
max_length
#%%
```

```
#create input-output sequence pairs from the image description.
#data generator, used by model.fit_generator()
def data_generator(descriptions, features, tokenizer, max_length):
  while 1:
    for key, description_list in descriptions.items():
       #retrieve photo features
       feature = features[key][0]
       input_image,
                        input_sequence,
                                                                 create_sequences(tokenizer,
                                            output_word =
max_length, description_list, feature)
       yield [[input_image, input_sequence], output_word]
def create_sequences(tokenizer, max_length, desc_list, feature):
  X1, X2, y = list(), list(), list()
  # walk through each description for the image
  for desc in desc_list:
    # encode the sequence
     seq = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences([desc])[0]
    # split one sequence into multiple X,y pairs
     for i in range(1, len(seq)):
       # split into input and output pair
       in_seq, out_seq = seq[:i], seq[i]
       # pad input sequence
       in_seq = pad_sequences([in_seq], maxlen=max_length)[0]
       # encode output sequence
       out_seq = to_categorical([out_seq], num_classes=vocab_size)[0]
       # store
       X1.append(feature)
       X2.append(in_seq)
       y.append(out_seq)
  return np.array(X1), np.array(X2), np.array(y)
```

```
#You can check the shape of the input and output for your model
[a,b],c = next(data_generator(train_descriptions, features, tokenizer, max_length))
a.shape, b.shape, c.shape
\#((47, 2048), (47, 32), (47, 7577))
#%%
from keras.utils import plot_model
# define the captioning model
def define_model(vocab_size, max_length):
  # features from the CNN model squeezed from 2048 to 256 nodes
  inputs1 = Input(shape=(2048,))
  fe1 = Dropout(0.5)(inputs1)
  fe2 = Dense(256, activation='relu')(fe1)
  # LSTM sequence model
  inputs2 = Input(shape=(max_length,))
  se1 = Embedding(vocab_size, 256, mask_zero=True)(inputs2)
  se2 = Dropout(0.5)(se1)
  se3 = LSTM(256)(se2)
  # Merging both models
  decoder1 = add([fe2, se3])
  decoder2 = Dense(256, activation='relu')(decoder1)
  outputs = Dense(vocab_size, activation='softmax')(decoder2)
  # tie it together [image, seq] [word]
  model = Model(inputs=[inputs1, inputs2], outputs=outputs)
  model.compile(loss='categorical_crossentropy', optimizer='adam')
```

```
# summarize model
  print(model.summary())
  plot_model(model, to_file='model.png', show_shapes=True)
  return model
#%%
# train our model
print('Dataset: ', len(train_imgs))
print('Descriptions: train=', len(train_descriptions))
print('Photos: train=', len(train_features))
print('Vocabulary Size:', vocab_size)
model = define_model(vocab_size, max_length)
epochs = 10
steps = len(train_descriptions)
# making a directory models to save our models
os.mkdir("models")
for i in range(epochs):
  generator = data_generator(train_descriptions, train_features, tokenizer, max_length)
  model.fit_generator(generator, epochs=1, steps_per_epoch= steps, verbose=1)
  model.save("models/model\_" + str(i) + ".h5")
```

app.py

```
from flask import Flask, render template, request
from flask.helpers import flash
from flask_sqlalchemy import SQLAlchemy
#from keras_applications.imagenet_utils import _obtain_input_shape
import numpy as np
from PIL import Image
#import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
#import argparse
from PIL.ImagePalette import load
from keras.models import Model, load_model
from pickle import dump, load
#import string
#import os
#from tqdm import tqdm
from keras.applications.xception import Xception, preprocess_input
#from keras.preprocessing.image import load_img, img_to_array
#from keras.preprocessing.text import Tokenizer
from keras.preprocessing.sequence import pad_sequences
#from keras.utils import to_categorical
#from keras.layers.merge import add
#from keras.layers import Input, Dense, LSTM, Embedding, Dropout
def extract_features(filename, model):
  try:
    image = Image.open(filename)
  except:
    print(
       "ERROR: Couldn't open image! Make sure the image path and extension is correct")
```

```
image = image.resize((299, 299))
  image = np.array(image)
  # for images that has 4 channels, we convert them into 3 channels
  if image.shape[2] == 4:
    image = image[..., :3]
  image = np.expand_dims(image, axis=0)
  image = image/127.5
  image = image - 1.0
  feature = model.predict(image)
  return feature
def word_for_id(integer, tokenizer):
  for word, index in tokenizer.word_index.items():
    if index == integer:
       return word
  return None
def generate_desc(model, tokenizer, photo, max_length):
  in text = "
  for _ in range(max_length):
     sequence = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences([in_text])[0]
     sequence = pad_sequences([sequence], maxlen=max_length)
    pred = model.predict([photo, sequence], verbose=0)
    pred = np.argmax(pred)
     word = word_for_id(pred, tokenizer)
    if word is None:
       break
    in_text += ' ' + word
    if word == 'end':
       break
```

```
return in text
max_length = 32
app = Flask(__name__)
app.config['SEND_FILE_MAX_AGE_DEFAULT'] = 1
app.config['SQLALCHEMY_TRACK_MODIFICATIONS'] = False
app.secret_key = b'_5\#y2L"F4Q8z\ln\xc]/
app.config['SQLALCHEMY_DATABASE_URI']
'mysql+pymysql://root:Skg@123!@localhost/flask_learning'
db = SQLAlchemy(app)
class Contact(db.Model):
  id = db.Column(db.Integer, primary_key=True)
  fname = db.Column(db.String(50), unique=False, nullable=False)
  lname = db.Column(db.String(50), unique=False, nullable=False)
  contact = db.Column(db.String(12), unique=True, nullable=False)
  email = db.Column(db.String(255), unique=True, nullable=False)
  msg = db.Column(db.String(100), unique=False, nullable=False)
@app.route('/')
def index():
  return render_template('index.html')
@app.route('/aboutus')
def aboutus():
  return render_template('aboutus.html')
```

```
@app.route('/contactus', methods=['GET', 'POST'])
def contactus():
  if(request.method == 'POST'):
    f_name = request.form.get('firstname')
    l_name = request.form.get('lastname')
    contactus = request.form.get('telnum')
    emailed = request.form.get('emailed')
    feedback = request.form.get('feedback')
    entry = Contact(fname=f_name, lname=l_name,
              contact=contactus, email=emailid, msg=feedback)
     db.session.add(entry)
     db.session.commit()
     flash("Feedback Received..We will get back to you very soon!!!", "success")
  return render_template('contactus.html')
@app.route('/', methods=['GET', 'POST'])
def prediction():
  if request.method == 'POST':
    file = request.files['file1']
    img_path = "./static/files.jpg"
    file.save(img_path)
    tokenizer = load(open("tokenizer.p", "rb"))
    model = load_model('models/model_9.h5')
     xception_model = Xception(include_top=False, pooling="avg")
    photo = extract_features(img_path, xception_model)
    img = Image.open(img_path)
```

```
description = generate_desc(model, tokenizer, photo, max_length)
"'result_dic = {
    'img_path': img_path,
    'caption': description
}'''
return render_template('index.html', desc=description)
app.run(debug=True)
```

6.2 Implementation

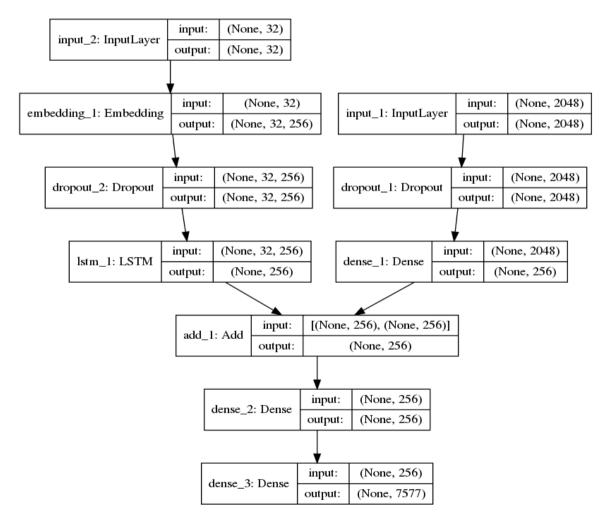


Fig 6.2.1 Result of CNN-RNN model

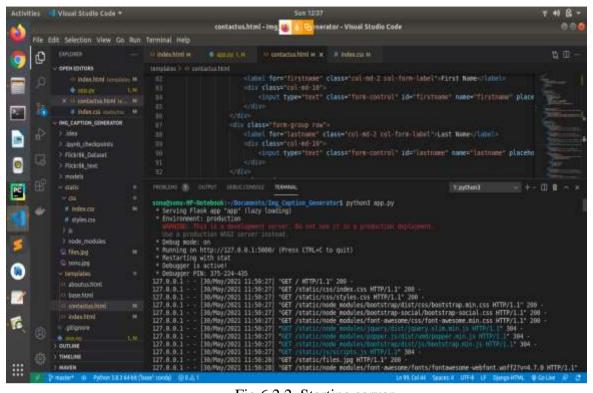


Fig 6.2.2 Starting server

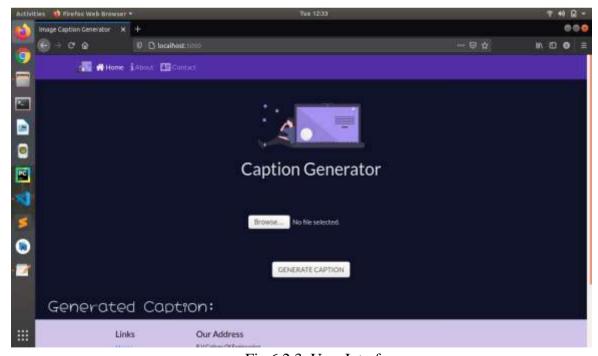


Fig 6.2.3 User Interface

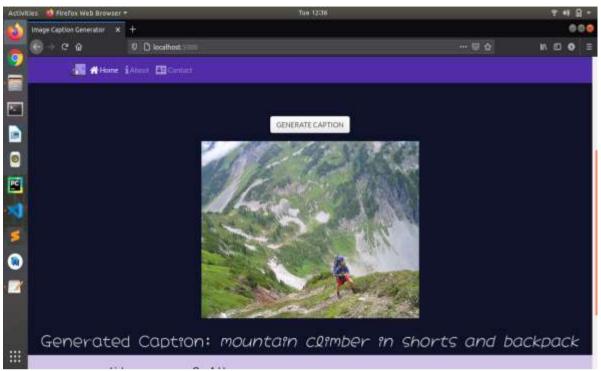


Fig 6.2.4 Caption of uploaded image

Chapter 7: Software Testing

White Box Testing:

Here we are testing internal operations of system, it involves testing of software code for flow of specific inputs through the code.

Unit Testing: Here individual units or components of software are tested the purpose is to validate that each unit of software code performs as expected .It is done in development phase of an application by developers.

Integration Testing:

Here individual units or components of the application's source codes are combined and tested as a group. The purpose is to expose errors in the interactions of different interfaces with one another. It is done after unit testing.

7.1 Test cases

7.1.1 Unit Testing:

Table 7.1.1 Test cases and Results for Unit Testing

Test	Description	Input	Expected	Actual	Remark
Case			Output	Output	
Id					
1	Able to import required libraries	Import statements	Able to import	Able to import	Pass
2	Check whether correct path is given for text and image files	Path	Correct path	Correct path	Pass
3	Check whether able to load and read text file	Load document function with file name	Able to load and read text file	Able to load and read text file	Pass
4	Check whether able to get all images	Get all images function with	Able to get images	Able to get images	Pass

	with their captions	file name			
5	Check Data cleaning	Function for removing punctuations, converting all text to lowercase and removing words that contain numbers.	Punctuations are removed, converted text to lowercase and removed words that contain numbers.	Punctuations are removed, converted text to lowercase and removed words that contain numbers.	Pass
6.	Check for Vocabulary building	Function that will separate all unique words and create vocabulary.	Able to build vocabulary	Able to build vocabulary	Pass
7.	Check for descriptions.txt file	Function that will create a list of all the descriptions that have been preprocessed and store them into a file	Descriptions.tx t file will be created to store all the captions	Descriptions.tx t file will be created	Pass
8	Check for Extraction of feature vector from all images	function extract_features() will extract features for all images and we will map image names with their respective feature array. Then we will dump the features dictionary into a "features.p"	features.p file	features.p file	Pass

		pickle file.			
9.	Check for loading the data for training model	Load Flickr_8k.trainI mages.txt, descriptions.txt and features.p	Data loaded	Data loaded	Pass
10.	Check for Tokenizing the vocabulary	Keras library provides us with the tokenizer function that we will use to create tokens from our vocabulary and save them to a "tokenizer.p" pickle file.	tokenizer.txt	Tokenizer.txt	Pass
11	Check data generator	create all of the input-output sequence pairs from the image's description	input-output sequence pairs	input-output sequence pairs	Pass
12	Check for CNN-RNN model	feature extractor model, LSTM sequence model, Merging both models	Model	Model	Pass
13	Check Training of model	define model function	Models contain trained model	Models contain trained model	Pass
14	Testing the model	Testing_caption_g enerator.py which will load the model and generate predictions	Caption	Caption	Pass

7.1.2 Integration Testing

Table 7.1.2 Test cases and Results for Integration Testing

Test	Description	Input	Expected	Actual	Remark
Case			Output	Output	
Id					
15	Integrate tested model and GUI and test as whole	Integrate model and GUI	Integrated system	Integrated system	Pass
16	Check whether user able to select Image	Select image from the local system	Image selected successfully	Image selected successfully	Pass
17	Check whether user able to upload Image	After selecting image click on Upload Image button	Image uploaded successfully	Image uploaded successfully	Pass
18	Check whether user able to get caption	Click on Generate Caption button	Appropriate caption	Appropriate caption	Pass
19	Check whether user will be able to give feedback	Add information and press submit button	Feedback Successful	Feedback Successful	Pass

7.2 Testing and Validations

For validating accuracy the concept of BLEU is used, BLEU stands for Bilingual Evaluation Understudy.

It is an algorithm, which has been used for evaluating the quality of machine translated text. We can use BLEU to check the quality of our generated caption.

BLEU compares the n-gram of the candidate translation with n-gram of the reference translation to count the number of matches. These matches are independent of the positions where they occur.

The more the number of matches between candidate and reference translation, the better is the caption.

Precision:

In terms generated caption, we define Precision as 'the count of the number of candidate translation words which occur in any reference translation' divided by the 'total number of words in the candidate translation.'

Precision = No. of candidate translation words occuring in any reference translation

Total no. of words in the candidate translation

Example:

Candidate 1: the the the the the the Candidate 2: the cat is on the mat Reference: The cat is on the mat

- The precision for candidate 1 is 2/7 (28.5%)
- The Precision for candidate 2 is 1(100%).

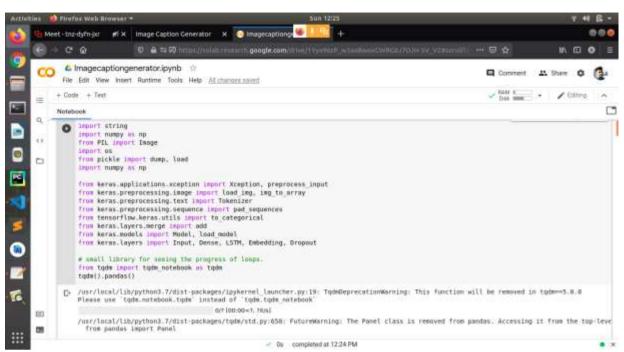


Fig 7.2.1 Importing required libraries

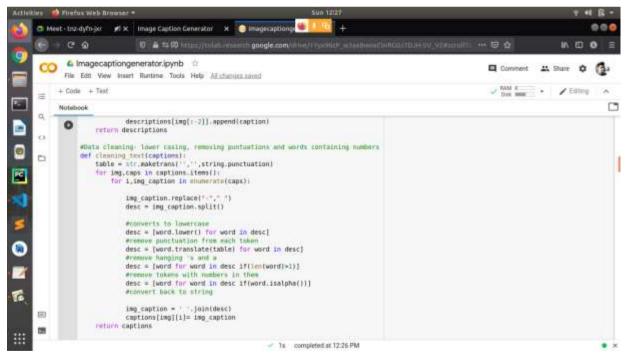
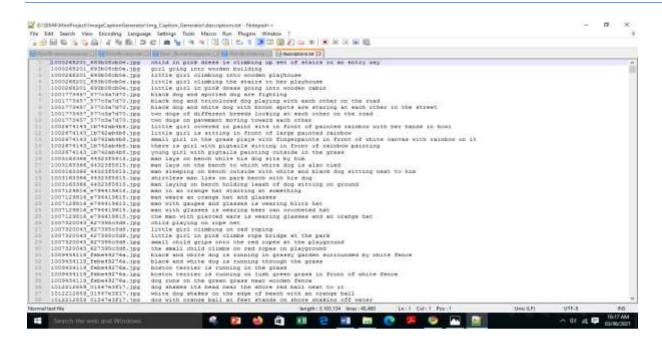


Fig 7.2.2 Data Cleaning



7.2.3 Output of cleaning descriptions.txt

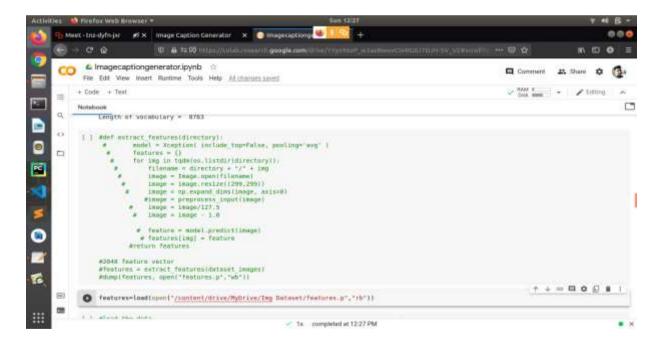


Fig 7.2.4 Feature Extraction: features stored in features.p

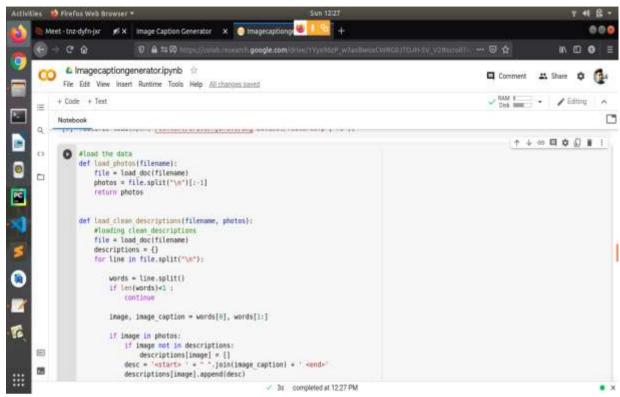


Fig 7.2.5.Loading dataset for training model

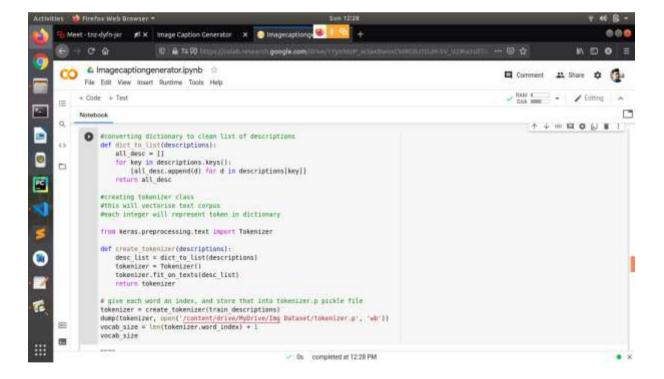


Fig 7.2.6. Tokenizing vocabulary

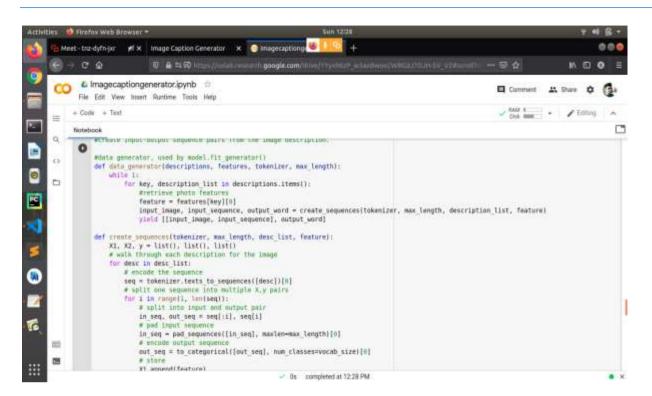


Fig 7.2.7 Data generator

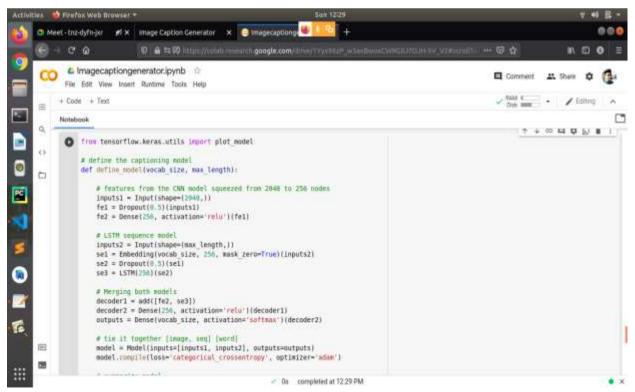


Fig 7.2.8 CNN-RNN Model

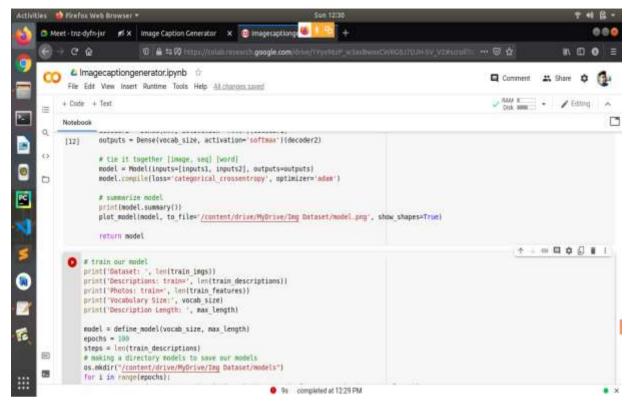


Fig 7.2.9 Training model

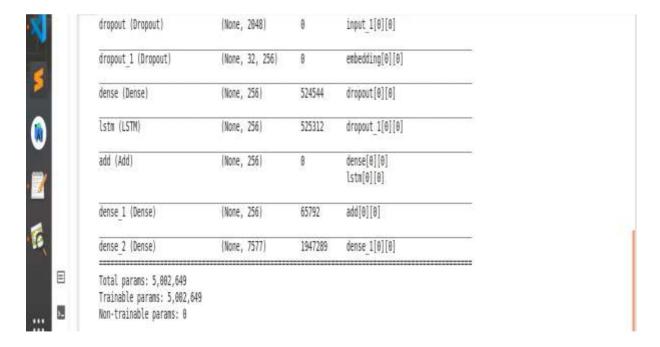


Fig 7.2.9.1 Training model output

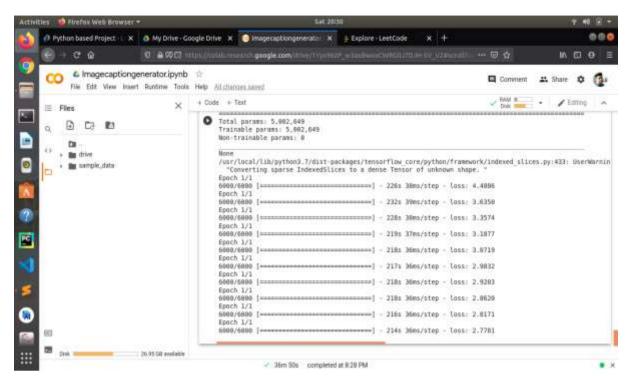


Fig 7.2.9.2 Training output

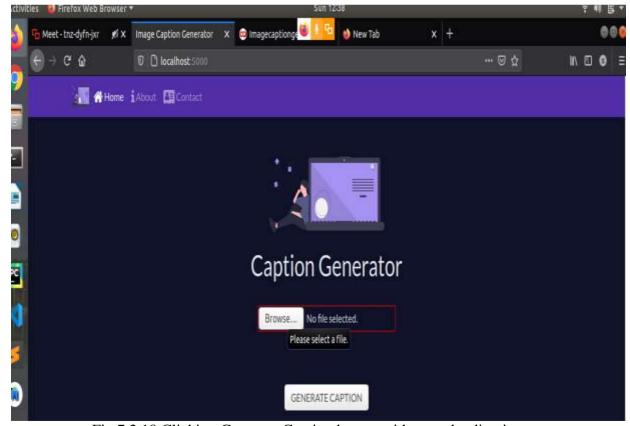


Fig 7.2.10 Clicking Generate Caption button without uploading image

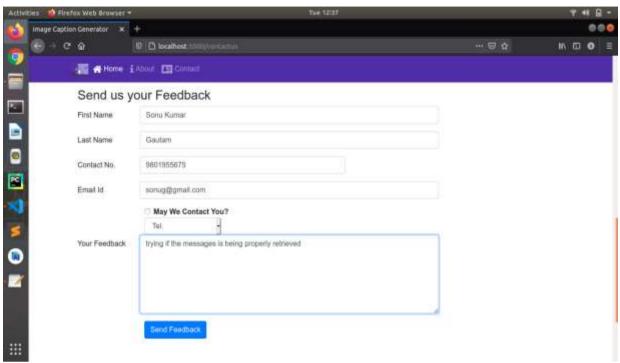


Fig 7.2.11 User Feedback Form

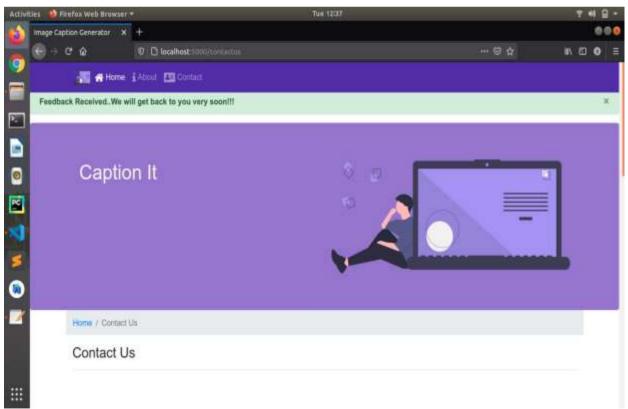


Fig 7.2.12 Response on Successful feedback

Chapter 8: Conclusion

Today lot of images are being clicked because of the digital era. People are clicking pictures and uploading on various social media platforms but they lack when they have to provide relevant caption to their images. It is very difficult for outwardly disabled individuals better comprehend the substance of pictures on the web. Image Caption Generator could help individuals with outwardly hindrance better comprehend visual information sources, along these lines going about as a right hand or a guide, this will help them by providing captions. It will also help people to generate relevant caption for their images that they would be uploading on social media. It could be used in domains such as Hospitals, Educational Institutions to generate caption from the images

The idea behind choosing the project was to learn the technologies which is being used in day to day life and is in very demand in the IT industries these days.

This project helps in understanding the deep learning aspects through which are able to demonstrate how computers learn to process visual data. Through this project have implemented deep learning concepts such as CNN-RNN model by building Image Caption Generator.

This project demonstrates that how process of generating caption for images works automatically at the fundamental level. Here basically user will upload image for which user wants to generate caption. The uploaded image is given to trained CNN-RNN model. Then the model will generate relevant caption and display it to the user. The main focus here is the foundation of computer vision which further provides the support of solving more real world problems.

Chapter 9: Future Enhancement

- The model can be trained with much larger dataset so that it provides more accurate results.
- Image is often rich in content .the model should be able to generate description corresponding to multiple main objects.
- This model can also be integrated with other domains such as hospital education and mainly in the field of social media. For an example when the user uploads an image on social media platform user is asked to provide captions, rather than user giving a caption this model is integrated with platform that suggests relevant caption according to image to the user.

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