

# Overview of the approach

In this iteration we have focussed on identifying the **category** of clothing in pictures and gone a little further by trying to extract additional features about them which we refer to as **attributes**. Attributes may be the type of material used , a style based identifier or a tag to mark what a piece of clothing is definitely not.

Take a look at the [category labels](#) , it covers a wide range of clothing wherein there are mainly three category types which are **upper body- 1**, **lower body- 2** and **full body- 3**. There are more specific labels for each category type which can be seen in the excel file shared.

The labels for [attributes](#) are available too where the main types used are based on **design - 1**, **sleeve type - 2**, **features of a dress - 3**, **type of neckline - 4**, **material - 5**, **fit type - 6**. Please take a look at the file for the labels under each attribute type.

Both of these are adjustable based on uniqlo's requirements, these are what I thought might be important for us to be able to identify.

Let's get started!

## Example 1

We first try to identify a pile of tees in a picture. If you remember our last result, something like this wasn't rightly identified as a piece of clothing.



```
[ Top1 Category Prediction ]  
Tee
```

However, now we are able to get an idea of the specific kind of clothing. Here the category prediction - **Tee** is correct.

The full results for category predictions can be seen below. Top 3 and Top 5 predictions are nothing but all the plausible predictions done by the model. This could be used in scenarios where there are more than one type of clothing in the picture.

```
[ Top1 Category Prediction ]  
Tee  
[ Top3 Category Prediction ]  
Tee  
Jersey  
Gauchos  
[ Top5 Category Prediction ]  
Tee  
Jersey  
Gauchos  
Hoodie  
Cutoffs
```

After being able to predict the right category we go on to predicting other attributes. We use a different model which is able to catch features like **material type - cotton**, **fit type - conventional**, features of a dress - **no\_dress**. The label no\_dress might be redundant here because we already know it is a tee.

```
[ Top3 Attribute Prediction ]  
cotton  
conventional  
no_dress
```

## Example 2

Here we try a picture which has a combination of upper and lower body clothing. This illustrates when top-3 or top-5 predictions may come in handy.



```
[ Top1 Category Prediction ]  
Blouse  
[ Top3 Category Prediction ]  
Blouse  
Cardigan  
Blazer  
[ Top5 Category Prediction ]  
Blouse  
Cardigan  
Blazer  
Dress  
Tee
```

The model gets the upper body category right - **blouse**. This result would have been better if in the top 3 it was able to catch chinos as well instead of blazer or cardigan. Another model is tried with the hope of getting the lower body category right. While it does identify **chinos** in the top 3 list, it doesn't get the upper body category right.

```
[ Top1 Category Prediction ]  
Gauchos  
[ Top3 Category Prediction ]  
Gauchos  
Tee  
Chinos  
[ Top5 Category Prediction ]  
Gauchos  
Tee  
Chinos  
Coverup  
Cape
```

When it comes to the attributes the model gets some good features like the **fit - conventional** and **sleeve type - long\_sleeve** as can be seen below.

```
[ Top3 Attribute Prediction ]  
no_dress  
conventional  
long_sleeve
```

The extended list of top 5 and top 10 attributes capture additional attributes like **type of neckline - crew and v**, **design - solid**, **material - cotton**. The attributes towards the bottom start becoming inaccurate however it would have been better if v\_neckline was higher up on the list before crew\_neckline. Also, the material may be cotton or chiffon but even as a human it is hard to tell what it might be, any guesses?

```
[ Top10 Attribute Prediction ]  
no_dress  
conventional  
long_sleeve  
cotton  
crew_neckline  
solid  
v_neckline  
short_sleeve  
sleeveless  
graphic
```

## Example 3

Here we try one with a full body clothing category and this is a picture from the [uniqlo catalogue](#) itself.



```
[ Top1 Category Prediction ]  
Dress  
[ Top3 Category Prediction ]  
Dress  
Romper  
Jumpsuit  
[ Top5 Category Prediction ]  
Dress  
Romper  
Jumpsuit  
Skirt  
Tee
```

The model gets it absolutely right in the top 1 list - **Dress**! Now, what attributes would we want to know about this dress?

In the results below we are able to predict useful attributes about the **fit - conventional**, **material - cotton**, **sleeve type - sleeveless**.

```
[ Top3 Attribute Prediction ]  
conventional  
cotton  
sleeveless
```

In the extended list we are able to get predictions about the **length of the dress - mini\_length** and **neckline - crew\_neckline** as well.

```
[ Top3 Attribute Prediction ]  
conventional  
cotton  
sleeveless  
[ Top5 Attribute Prediction ]  
conventional  
cotton  
sleeveless  
crew_neckline  
mini_length
```

Coming up - Flannel shirts example 4 !