

▼ Deep Learning for Image Classification

Welcome to deep learning for image classification tutorial! **In this notebook, you will:**

- Learn the basics of PyTorch, a powerful but easy to use package for scientific computing
- Learn how to build and train a convolutional neural network for image classification

If you have never used jupyter notebooks, nor Colab notebooks, [here](#) is a short intro.

I. PyTorch Tutorial

We will briefly go through the basics of the PyTorch package, playing with toy examples.

If you know already how to use PyTorch, then you can directly go to the second part of the tutorial.

II. Training a classifier

In this part, we will train a Convolutional Neural Network to classify images of 10 different classes. We will evaluate how well the model performs on the test set.

III. Exploring CNN Architectures

This is the part where you get your hands dirty ;). Your mission is to experiment with different architectures and obtain the best accuracy on the test set!

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%matplotlib inline
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▼ Plotting functions and useful imports

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# Python 2/3 compatibility
from __future__ import print_function, division

import itertools
import time

import numpy as np
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