Research Area : Computer Vision

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Implementation of Data Augmentation Using Convolutional Neural Network for

Batik Classification, Chan Uswatun Khasanah; Ema Utami; Suwanto Raharjo,

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## Research Problem:

How the data Augmentations affect the classification result for batik dataset?

# Proposed Method:

A. Uswatun Khasanan et al proposed 8 data augmentations using CNN to classify batik

Table I Proposed data Augmentation Methods for batik

Augmentation Method	Result	Explanation ( From me )			
Brightness		Brightness was used for making image much more bright, in case there are some images were dark. When image too dark it prevents the neural network to learn the essential feature from the corresponding image			
Channel Shift		Channel Shifting was used to shift each pixel values randomly chosen from -N used to N pixels (but it could not below 0 above 255) the purpose of this shifting to generalize more better, since			

	simulate different lightning conditions or environments
Random erasing	Random Erasing was used for replacing some proportion of pixels from image with some uniform distribution. It enables the neural network to recognize objects even when they are partially occluded or missing from the image. One example when the batik input was ripped apart in the future.
Zoom	Zoom was used for taking care a problem when dealing with objects at different scales or resolutions. When this is applied through the whole neural network. The neural network will able to recognize the objects from the different resolutions, in which making the model generalization more well
Rotation	Rotation was used for taking care a problem with a different angle in the future input. Thus, it making the model much more better to generalize future inputs
Height Shift	Height shift was used for simulate variations in camera angle or subject movement, but the change only from its height. Whether the augmented image moved the image up or down.
Width Shift	Same as height shift, but the changes made from its own width. Whether the augmented image moved the image to the left left or right.
Shear	Shear was used to create a new perspective effect that simulates the appreance of the object from a different angle, so then the model was exposed to different range of viewing angles which

	can help improve its ability to generalize
	well to new data

# The value for each data augmentations, can be shown at table II below Table II Data Augmentation Value

Data	Value	Explanation(From me)		
Augmentation				
Width Shift	0.2	It means that allowed maximum horizontal shift will randomly chosen between -45 to 45 pixels from 224 width size.		
Height shift	0.2	It means that allowed maximum vertical shift will randomly chosen between -45 to 45 pixels from 224 height size.		
Shear	0.2	Image will randomly sheared by maximum of 20% of its width or its height		
Zoom	0.2	Image will randomly zoomed in or out by up to 20% of their original size. If the original size has size 224 x 224, a zoom value of 0.2 would allow for a maximum zoom of 45 pixels in either direction from the original size. So it could be (224+45) x (224+45) or (224-23) x (224-23)		
Random	P=0.5,	This was used to delete some portion of an image		
erasing	s_l=0.02, s_h=0.4, r l=0.3	by the given parameters.		
Brightness	[0.2,1.0]	Range for brightness		
Channel shift	100	The shifthing value for each channel is -100 to 100 pixels. It is applied for each pixels in an image.  Some example: Before channel shifting:  [[200, 100, 50], [150, 75, 25], [100, 50, 0]],  [[255, 255, 255], [0, 0, 0], [100, 100, 100]],  [[50, 150, 200], [25, 75, 150], [0, 50, 100]]]		
		After channel Shifting:		

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[[[160, 150, 100], [200, 125, 75], [75, 75, 50]],
[[255, 255, 205], [0, 50, 50], [155, 105, 155]],
[[25, 200, 150], [50, 100, 200], [150, 150, 100]]]
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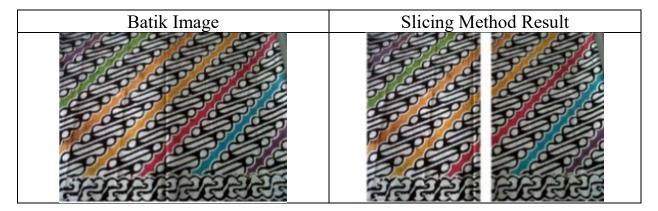
From table II we know that the proposed data augmentations are made for making the model generalize well in later study case of batik recognition. Here are the batik types that have been used by the researcher . Table III shows the batik types and it name

Table III Batik Types

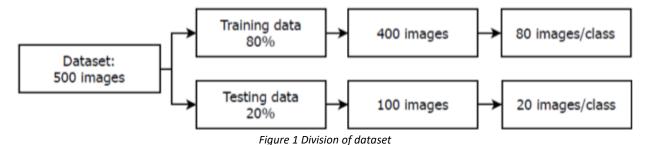
Batik types	Type name
	Ceplok
	Kawung
	Lereng
	Nitik
	Parang

Dataset was collected from the google images which consists of 50 pictures/class. The researcher also expand the dataset to 100 by using slicing method . Table IV shows the slicing method.

Table IV Slicing Method



The collected data will then divided by training and testing data. Figure 1 shows the division of dataset



From here we know that, the author does not used train-val-test method. Therefore the result from the testing dataset could not represent the whole batik motifs just yet.

## B. VGG-16 as pretrained method to classify batik

The author was used the VGG-16 by fine tuning the model. So then x layer will learn additional features from the input. In this research block5 convolutional layer was used. Table V shows the paramaters that were used by the model and figure ... show the visualization of trainable layers

Parameter	Value
Input_image	(224,224,3)
Optimizer	RMSprop
learning rate	1e-4 ( 0.0004)
Loss	Categorical CrossEntropy

Table V Model Parameters

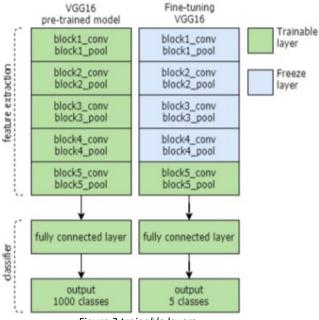


Figure 2 trainable layers

## **Experiment Result:**

The experiment was done by dividing the augmentations method into some group. Table VI shows the group and table VII shows the result for each combined augmentations

Table VI Group Augmentation

Without

Group	Data	Accuracy	With	data	Accuracy
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	Augmentation	Augmentation	-		data Augme	ntation
I	Width shift	97.92			95.83	
	Zoom	97.92				
	Rotation	96.88				
	Shear	96.88				
II	Height Shift	95.83			95.83	
	Random Erasing	95.83				
	Brightness	88.54				
	Channel Shift	83.33				
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From the table VI above we can see each augmentation resulted a different accuracy. The highest is width Shift and the lowest was Channel shift.

The author does not stated, whether the dataset was shuffled or not for each data augmentation. Therefore I could not say whether the resulted accuracy was accurate or not. But here I provide my analysis.

- Group 1 having a great improvement compared with group 2 and without data augmentation. This can happen because
  - Could be the distribution of the dataset
  - o The consistency of the resulted augmentation image
  - o Additional generalization from each augmentation that have a big impact compared with another augmentation methods, such as
    - Shear, Zoom, Rotation, width shift → Both have a similarity in which making the model much more better at learning different angles / scales/ resoultion.
- Without data augmentation
  - o Lack of additional generalization informations, therefore in some circumstances it does not work well at predicting some input images.
- Group 2 Lower accuracy compared without data augmentation
  - o This can be happen because it is too complex for the model to learn
    - Brightness -> The author does not stated wheter the brightness is applied to all dataset or not. But if so, then the input image that has a great brightness should not been increased the brightness rather it should decreased the brightness. If all is randomly increased or decreased. Therefore it could make the learning data more bias, in which leads to some model having a tendency into some brightness range
    - Channel Shift → Same as Brightness

Then the author combined each Group data augmentation into one. Table ... shows the resulted accuracy

The author stated grouping was based on the highest accuracy.

Model	Accuracy
Without data augmentation	95.83
Group II	96.88
Group I + II	97.92
Group I	98.96

TABLE VII Combined Group Augmentation

From here, we can say that. In this study, the data augmentation methods from group 1 much more reliable compared with group 2 and combined. Therefore, what we can

say that the angles and resolutions are matters for model to recognize the batik. But we cannot say that data augmentation methods from group 2 does not reliable. Since there is no indepth analysis within each data augmentation methods.

## Paper Contribution:

- It provides insight for determining the data augmentation methods for batik study case. From what I get they are
  - o Rotation
  - o Zoom
  - Horizontal Shift
  - Vertical Shift
  - o Shear
  - o Zoom
  - Random erasing
- The data augmentation methods for batik provide a high overview which method is suitable for later study case
  - o If you need client to recognize the input image from randomly resolutions / angles then you should use
    - Zoom
    - Rotation
    - Shear

This is helpful since it can make the time efficient and model more simpler

## Paper Drawback/Limitation:

- It is only used the Accuracy metrics
- The authors not doing some kind of error analysis
- The dataset having same resolutions in the beginning
- The complex batik shape haven't been touched by the authors
- There's no explanation why choosing the 8 data augmentation methods and using model VGG-16

## Paper Title, Writer, Name of Journal/Conference and Publised Year:

VGG16 in Batik Classification based on Random Forest, <u>Dewa Made Sri Arsa</u>; <u>Anak Agung Ngurah Hary Susila</u>, <u>2019 International Conference on Information Management and Technology (ICIMTech)</u>, 2019

#### **Research Problem:**

How to achieve a better model generalization by using VGG-16 as feature extractor and Random forest as the classifier?

#### **Proposed Method:**

Here's the overview of the proposed method

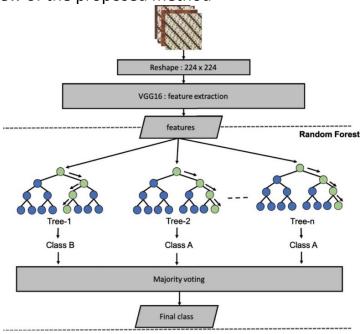


Figure 3 Proposed Method

- A. Deeplearning VGG 16 Model as Feature extractor
  Since VGG 16 is used as the feature extractor therefore all the layers will be
  freezed, the purpose of this step is to just extract the essential feature that
  are passed from layer to layer and then the outputted features will be feed
  into random forests.
- B. Random Forest as the classifier

Random forest was used as the classifier because each class only have 6 images, which in this case very tiny to be trained on VGG-16. Therefore, Random forest model was chose. To provide a reliable output class, majority voting from the random forests were done in this research. Gini Index Minima was used as the measure of impurity (Kemurnian).

O Analogy Impurity → Say you have different types of fruits ( oranges, apples, and banana ). The Gini index measures the impurity of the Fruit basket in terms of the variety of fruits. IF the basket contains only apples, the the Gini index is 0, perfect purity. On the other hand, if the basket contains an equal number of apples, oranges, and bananas, then the gini index is 0.5, equal proportions. Range value 0 - 1

The authors did not state other reasons why using random forest. In my perspective Knn should be used too as comparison, because of how the algorithm learn the pixels through neighboring. Since each batik has kinds of repeating pattern.

C. Experiment Setup

Figure 4 shows the dataset that was used by the author



The dataset consists of 50 batik images, in which 6 images per class, but the author did not tell what are their class names. The dataset was splitted into 80:20 proportion and was tested 20 times by the proposed model, table VIII shows the parameters that were used for diagnosing the model

Table VIII Classification Metrics

Parameter Name	Explanation			
Precision	Measures the proportions of			
	true positive among all positive			
	predicitions ( How often hunter			
	finds gold coins out of all the			
	objects he digs up )			
Recall	Measures the proportion of the			
	true positive among all actual			

	positive example ( How often hunter finds gold coins out of all the gold coins that are actually in the field )			
Accuracy	Measure the rate			
F1-Score	Combine f1 precision and recall into a signle number ( Hunter overall efficiency in finding Gold coins while avoiding digging up useless objects )			

#### **Experiment Result:**

TABLE IX Experiment Result

Method	Precision	Recall	F1-Score	Accuracy
Proposed	97.34 <u>+</u> 2.76	97.40 ± 2.50	97.03 ± 2.81	97.58±2.32
Method				
VGG-16	88.59 <u>+</u> 6.64	$89.31 \pm 6.64$	$88.48 \pm 6.56$	88.42 ± 6.63

From the table above, we can see that the proposed model have a great perfomance compared the VGG-16. This can be happen because of the random forest classifiers. By using gini index minima, the proposed model know in which what is the best random forest that can minimize the gini index, and also there is a majority voting, that made the output much more reliable. Unfortunately the author does not give an explanation regarding the majority voting. Therefore, we could not answer wheter or not its 50:50 / 70:30 / 60:40. Since those are important to interpret the proposed model.

## Paper Contribution:

- It gave a new perspective to tackled a small dataset by using pretrained model and then use the features for simple machine learning model
- It can be use as the baseline for creating a best model to classify batik, in order to create SOTA for batik model. That can be used for Style transfer later.

## Paper Drawback/Limitation:

- It does not provide some error analysis
- It is only used by a small dataset
- Classes does not defined clearly
- It does not explain the majority voting output in details