Libraries:

- 1. **csv:** This library provides functions for reading and writing CSV files, which are used to read labels for classification models and log data to CSV files.
- 2. **copy:** The copy module provides functions for shallow and deep copying of objects. It's used for making copies of data structures like lists and dictionaries.
- 3. **argparse:** This library is used for parsing command-line arguments. It allows the script to accept arguments from the command line, making it more versatile.
- 4. **itertools:** This library provides functions for creating iterators for efficient looping. In this script, itertools.chain.from_iterable() is used to flatten a list of lists into a single list.
- 5. **collections.Counter:** This class is used for counting occurrences of elements in a list. It's used to find the most common finger gesture ID in the history.
- 6. **collections.deque:** This class implements a double-ended queue, which allows fast appends and pops from both ends. It's used to maintain a fixed-length history of hand landmarks and finger gesture IDs.
- 7. **cv2 (OpenCV):** OpenCV is a popular library for computer vision tasks. It's used extensively in this script for capturing video from the camera, image manipulation, drawing, and displaying frames.
- 8. **numpy:** NumPy is a library for numerical computing in Python. It provides support for multidimensional arrays and matrices, along with mathematical functions to operate on these arrays. It's used for various array manipulations and calculations in the script.
- 9. **mediapipe:** MediaPipe is an open-source framework for building multimodal applied ML pipelines. In this script, it's used for hand detection and landmark extraction.

Functions:

- 1. **get_args():** This function parses command-line arguments using argparse and returns the parsed arguments.
- 2. **main():** The main function of the script. It initializes the camera, loads models, processes frames, and displays visualizations.
- 3. **select_mode(key, mode):** This function takes a key press and the current mode as input and returns the selected mode based on the key press. It's used to change modes for logging keypoints or point history.
- 4. **calc_bounding_rect(image, landmarks):** This function calculates the bounding rectangle of the hand landmarks. It takes an image and detected landmarks as input and returns the coordinates of the bounding rectangle.
- 5. **calc_landmark_list(image, landmarks):** This function calculates the list of hand landmarks. It takes an image and detected landmarks as input and returns a list of landmark coordinates.
- 6. **pre_process_landmark(landmark_list):** This function preprocesses the hand landmarks for classification. It takes a list of landmark coordinates as input and returns a normalized, one-dimensional list.
- 7. **pre_process_point_history(image, point_history)**: This function preprocesses the hand landmark history for classification. It takes an image and a deque containing the history of landmarks as input and returns a normalized, one-dimensional list.
- 8. **logging_csv(number, mode, landmark_list, point_history_list**): This function logs the hand landmarks or point history to a CSV file based on the selected mode and number. It takes the mode, number, landmark list, and point history list as input.

- 9. **draw_landmarks(image, landmark_point):** This function draws landmarks on the image. It takes the image and a list of landmark coordinates as input and returns the image with landmarks drawn.
- 10.draw_bounding_rect(use_brect, image, brect): This function draws a bounding rectangle on the image if use_brect is True. It takes a flag indicating whether to use bounding rectangles, the image, and the bounding rectangle coordinates as input.
- 11.draw_info_text(image, brect, handedness, hand_sign_text, finger_gesture_text): This function draws information text on the image, including hand sign and finger gesture. It takes the image, bounding rectangle coordinates, handedness, hand sign text, and finger gesture text as input.
- 12.draw_point_history(image, point_history): This function draws the history of hand landmarks on the image. It takes the image and the history of landmarks as input and returns the image with landmarks drawn.
- 13.draw_info(image, fps, mode, number): This function draws information text about FPS and the current mode on the image. It takes the image, FPS, mode, and number as input and returns the image with information text drawn.

Some more functions

- 1. **cv.waitKey(delay):** This function waits for a key event for a specified amount of time (delay milliseconds). If a key is pressed within that time, it returns the ASCII value of the key. If no key is pressed, it returns -1. It's commonly used in OpenCV applications to introduce delays between frames and to capture key presses.
- 2. **cap.read():** This function reads a frame from the video capture object (cap). It returns a tuple (ret, frame), where ret is a boolean indicating whether the frame was successfully read, and frame is the read frame. It's used to capture frames from the camera in the main loop of the script.

- 3. **cv.flip(image, flipCode):** This function flips the input image around vertical, horizontal, or both axes based on the flipCode parameter. It's commonly used to create a mirror image of the captured frame, which is helpful for tasks like webcam applications where users expect to see themselves mirrored.
- 4. **cv.imshow(winname, image):** This function displays an image in a window with the specified name (winname). It takes the image (image) to be displayed as input. It's used to display frames or images in OpenCV applications.
- 5. **cap.release():** This function releases the video capture object (cap). It's used to release the camera or video file once it's no longer needed, freeing up system resources.
- 6. **cv.destroyAllWindows():** This function destroys all OpenCV windows that are currently open. It's used to clean up the GUI interface before exiting the application.
- 7. **cv.VideoCapture(device):** This function initializes the video capture object, allowing you to capture frames from a camera or video file. It takes an optional parameter device, which specifies the index of the camera to be used. If device is not provided, it defaults to 0, indicating the default camera on the system.
- 8. **cv.cvtColor(src, code):** This function converts an image from one color space to another. It takes two parameters: src, the input image, and code, the color space conversion code. In the code, cv.COLOR_BGR2RGB is used to convert the input image from the BGR color space to the RGB color space. This conversion is necessary because the hands.process() method from the MediaPipe library expects RGB images.
- 9. hands.process(image): This method processes the input image to detect hand landmarks using the MediaPipe Hands model. It takes an RGB image as input and returns the results of hand landmark detection. The results contain information about the detected hand landmarks, including their coordinates.
- 10.cv.rectangle(image, pt1, pt2, color, thickness): This function draws a rectangle on the image. It takes several parameters: image is the input image, pt1 is the coordinate of the top-left corner of the rectangle, pt2 is the coordinate of the bottom-right corner of the

rectangle, color is the color of the rectangle, and thickness is the thickness of the rectangle outline.

- 11.cv.circle(image, center, radius, color, thickness): This function draws a circle on the image. It takes parameters: image is the input image, center is the coordinate of the center of the circle, radius is the radius of the circle, color is the color of the circle, and thickness is the thickness of the circle outline.
- 12.cv.putText(image, text, org, fontFace, fontScale, color, thickness, lineType): This function draws text on the image. It takes parameters: image is the input image, text is the text string to be drawn, org is the coordinate of the bottom-left corner of the text string, fontFace is the font type (e.g., cv.FONT_HERSHEY_SIMPLEX), fontScale is the font scale factor, color is the color of the text, thickness is the thickness of the text stroke, and lineType is the type of line used for the text stroke.