

Data Augmentation for Aiding Pneumonia Classification

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THE PROBLEM

Current Approaches to Pneumonia Detection,
Augmentation for Aiding Classification

DRIVING MOTIVATIONS



**Accelerate medical diagnosis time
with end-to-end deep learning**



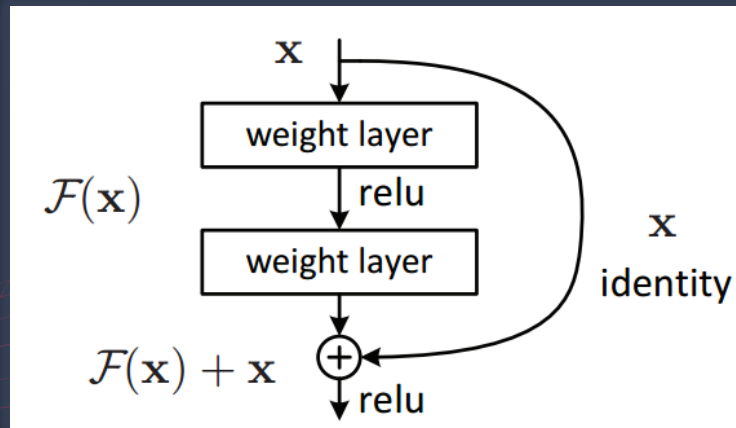
**Improve performance of current
pneumonia detection systems**



**Beneficial augmentation
techniques may generalize to
other tasks**

PREVIOUS WORK

- Great results w/ forms of ResNet
- Preprocessing techniques
- Modified AlexNet w/ handcrafted features
- Transfer learning
- Reducing computational cost



Shortcut connection in ResNet

OUR WORK

- Baseline architecture vs. Established architecture
- Established architecture trained w/ data augmentations
- Leverage PyTorch, WandB framework for testing



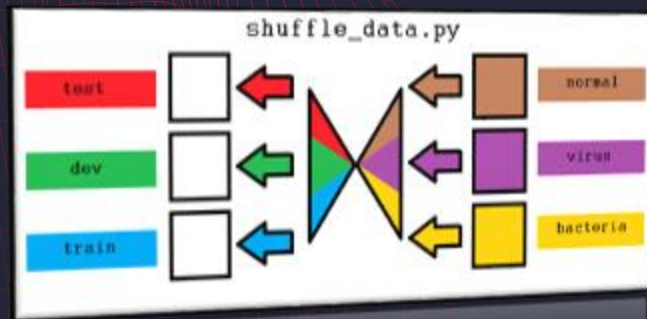
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METHODOLOGIES

Data, Metrics, Augmentation,
Architecture, Training

OUR DATA SET

- 5,863 Chest X-Ray Images
- Labeled as Bacterial Pneumonia, Viral Pneumonia, or Normal
- 60% Train, 20% Dev, 20% Test



ADVANTAGES:

- High resolution images
- Expert-verified labels

LIMITATIONS:

- Imbalanced
- Relatively small

OUR TASK: BINARY CLASSIFICATION

Metrics:

- F1 Score
- PR Curve



True Positive: Pneumonia



True Negative: Normal



AUGMENTATIONS

Geometric Augmentations

- Rotations
- Mirroring
- Translations
- Noise Injection

Original



Mirrored



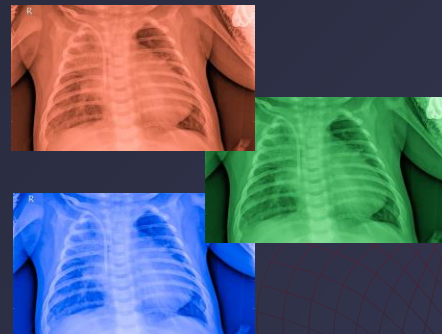
Photometric Augmentations

- Contrast
- Brightness
- Brightness & Contrast
- Color-space Transformations

Original



RGB Transforms



AUGMENTATIONS

Finalized on:

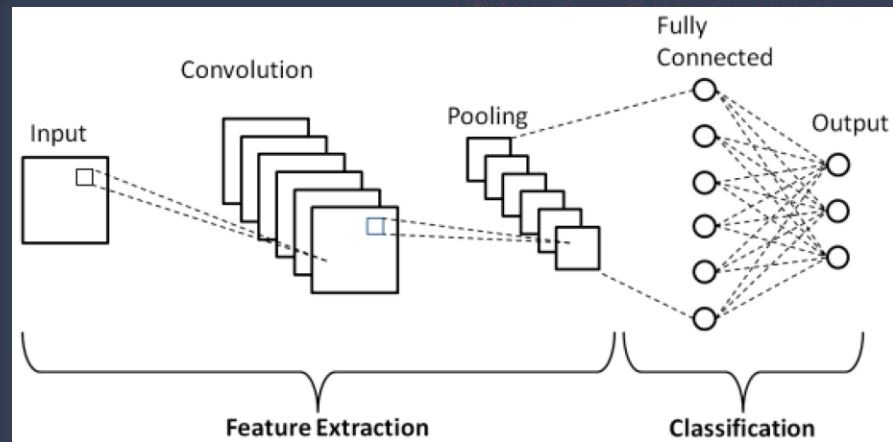
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BASELINE ARCHITECTURE

Simple Convolutional Neural Network

- One convolutional layer
- Activation
- Pooling
- Fully connected linear layer
- Output – classification



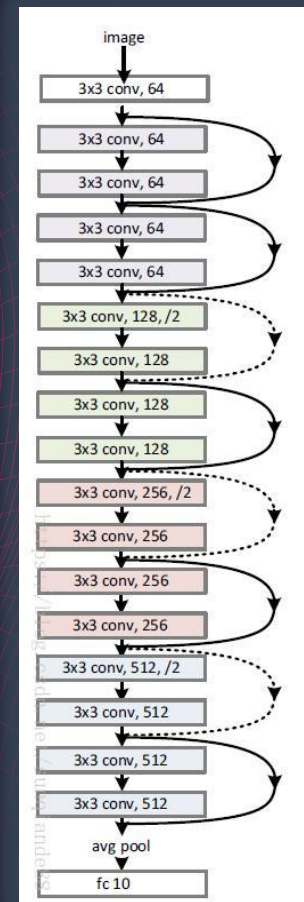
RESNET ARCHITECTURE

Residual Neural Networks

- Skip connections
- Prevents vanishing gradients
- Fewer layers when training
- Layers restored when feature spaced is learned
- Less prone to abnormalities within data

ResNet18

- 18 convolutional layers total
- Layers in blocks of four





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RESULTS & ANALYSIS

ResNet Performance,
Scores Across Augmentations,
Interpretation of Results

BASELINE vs RESNET

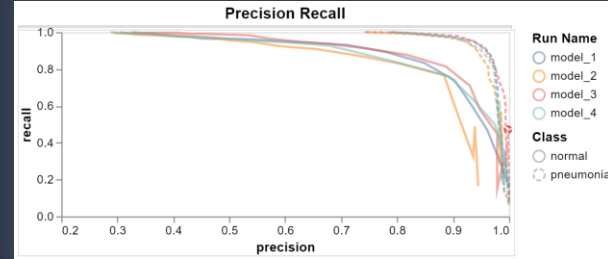
Actual

		Predicted	
		Pneumonia	Normal
Pneumonia		807	47
Normal		37	279

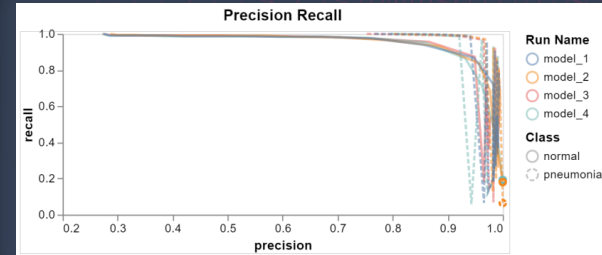
Actual

		Predicted	
		Pneumonia	Normal
Pneumonia		827	27
Normal		31	285

Results from Baseline Architecture

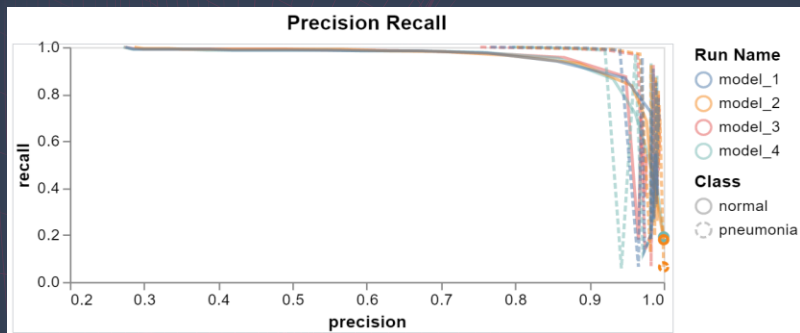


Results from ResNet18

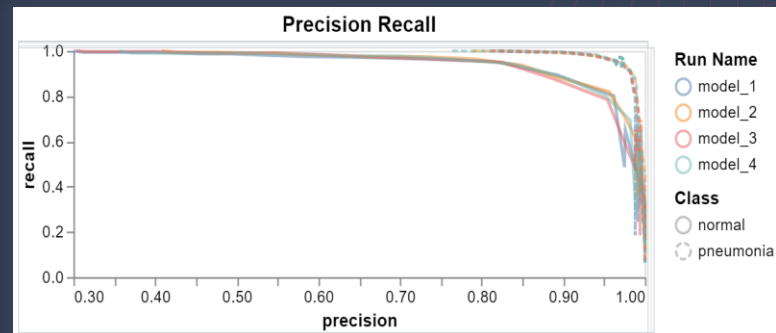


RESULTS ACROSS AUGMENTATIONS

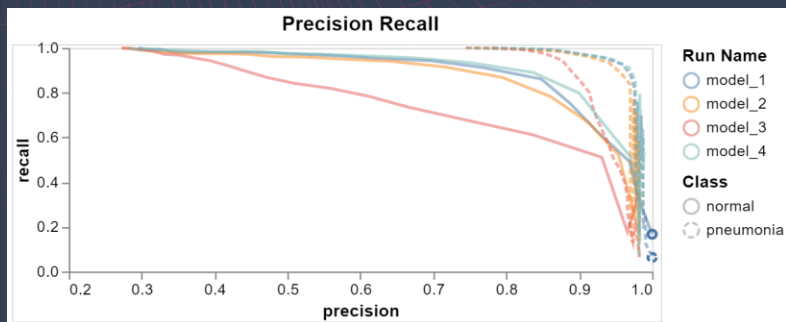
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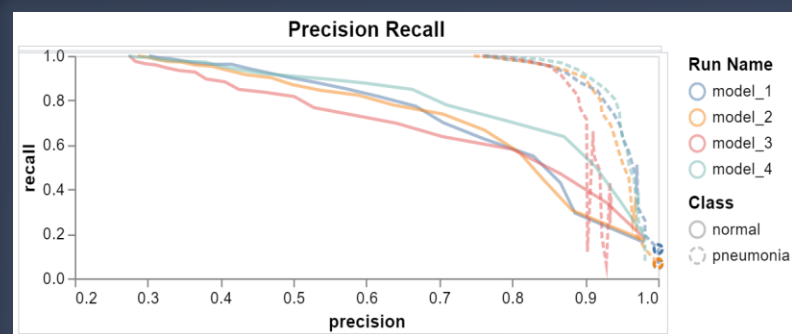
Rotation



Contrast

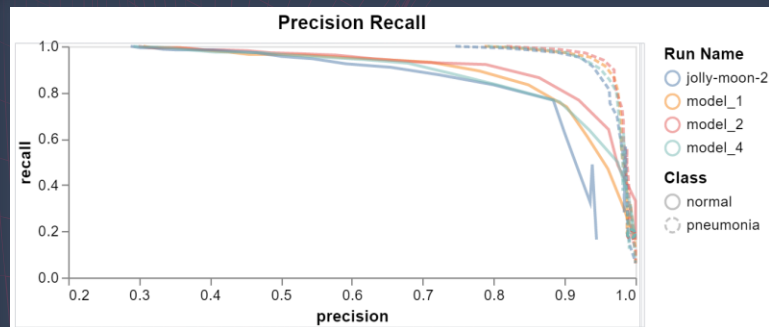


Brightness

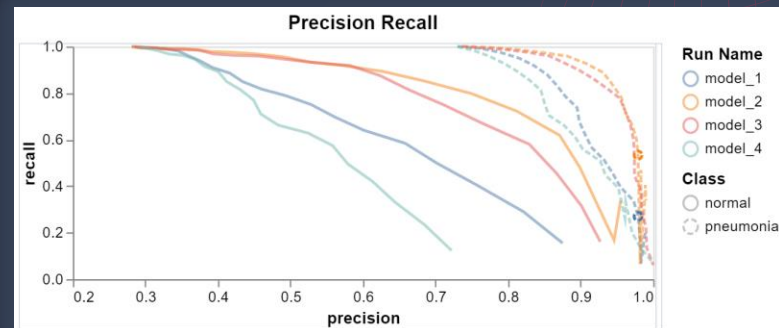


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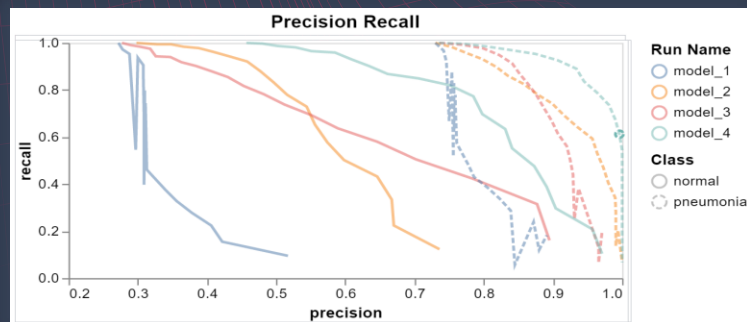
Contrast+Rotation



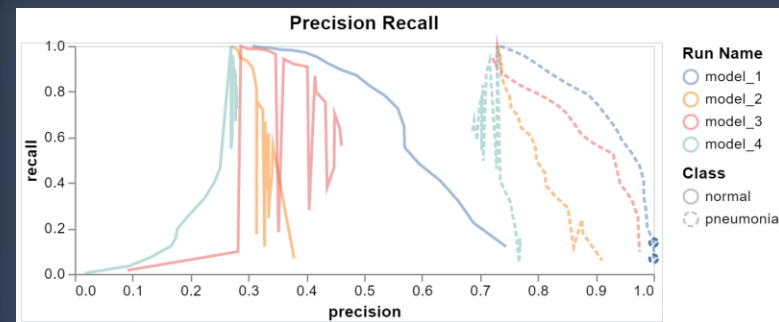
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Brightness+Contrast



Brightness+Contrast+Rotation



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CLOSING THOUGHTS

Takeaways,
Future Work

KEY TAKEAWAYS

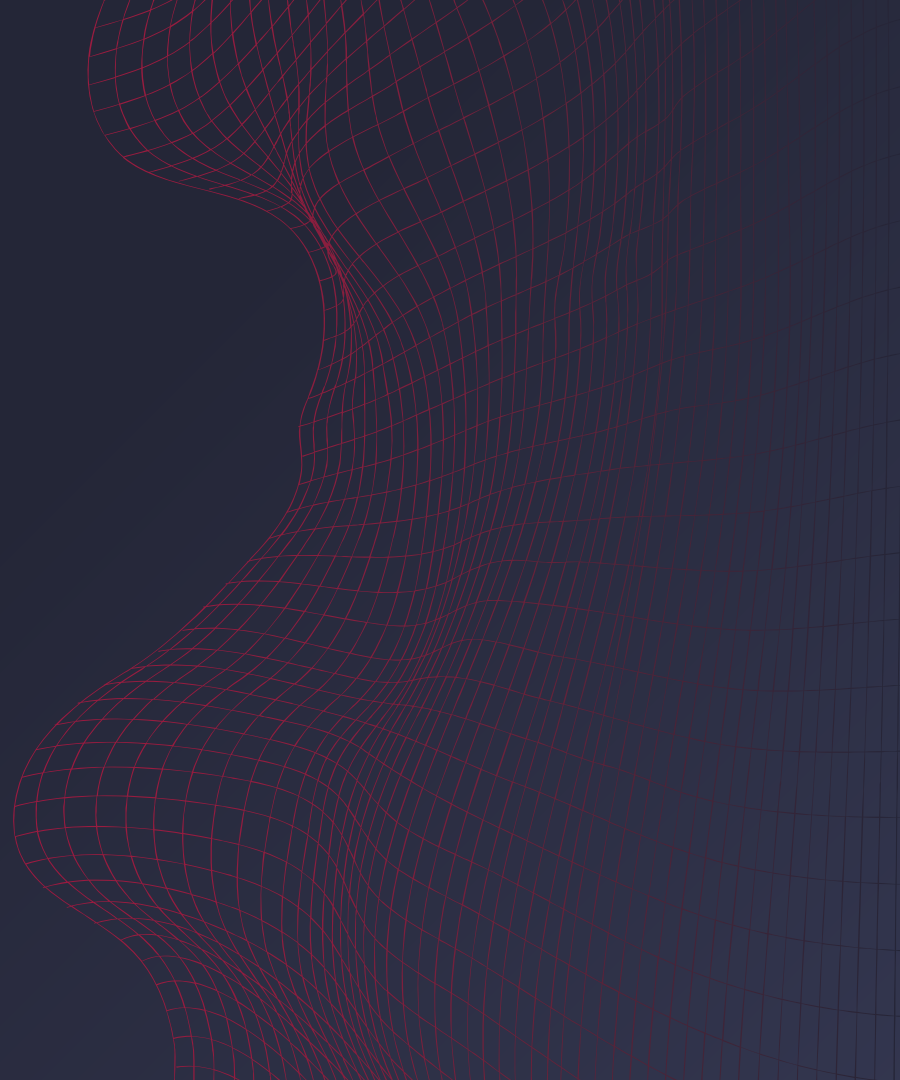
- ResNet18 still better than baseline
- Applicability of data augmentations
- Deep learning is hard



A visual representation of our team after
result analysis

FUTURE WORK

- Incorporate new data
- Apply augmentations differently
- Adjust augmentation parameters
- Use augmentations in different architectures





THANKS FOR LISTENING!

**** References available in report**

