Sign Language Recognition

Why we chose this topic?

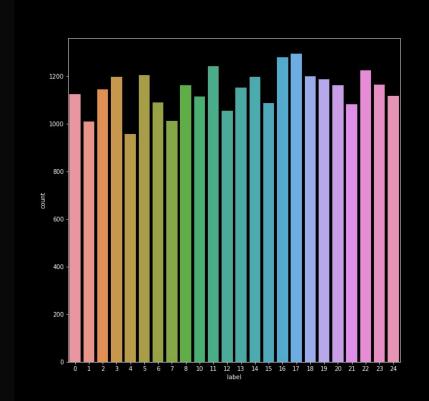
- Speech is the most common technique of communication
- Dumb people are the most impacted
- Sign language is used for conveying their thoughts to others

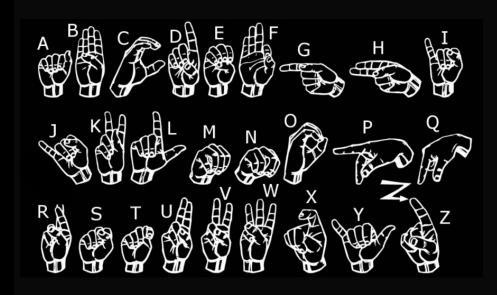


Data

- Training samples: 27455 images
- Testing samples: 7172 images
- Image dimension: 28 x 28 (784 pixels)
- Grayscale images
- Data source: Kaggle

Breaking it down





Some Examples



Preprocessing

- Rotation
- Blurring
- Normalization

- Zoom
- Flipping



Original Image



Rotated Image



Blurred Image

Validation Scheme

Training

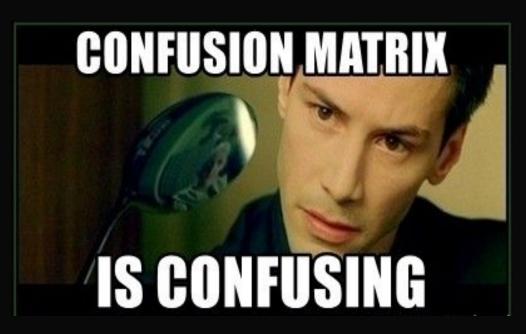
Testing data

Training (0.8)

Validation (0.2)

Scoring Metric





Modeling the Data

Decision Tree

XGBoost

CatBoost

ANN

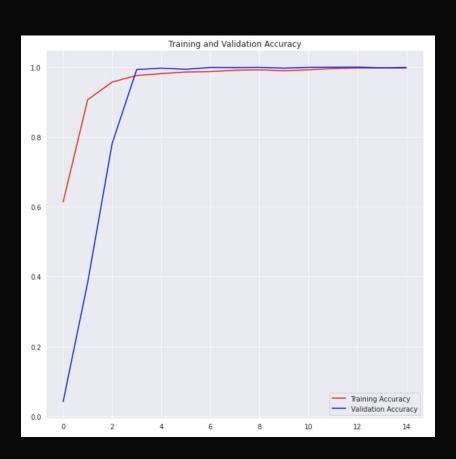
CNN

Results!

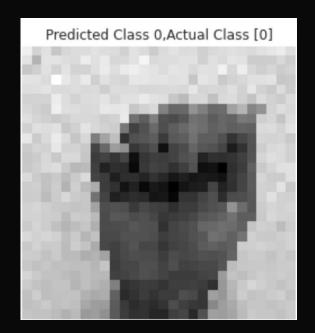
Model	Accuracy (%)	Time
Decision Tree	44.3	150 s
XGBoost	77.1	90 s
CatBoost	81.8	93 s
ANN	66.0	70 s
CNN	98.8	100 s

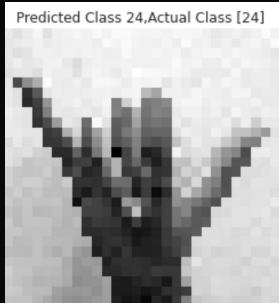


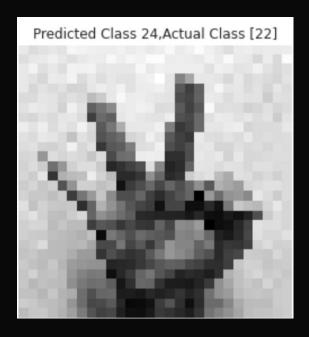
Training and validation accuracy of CNN

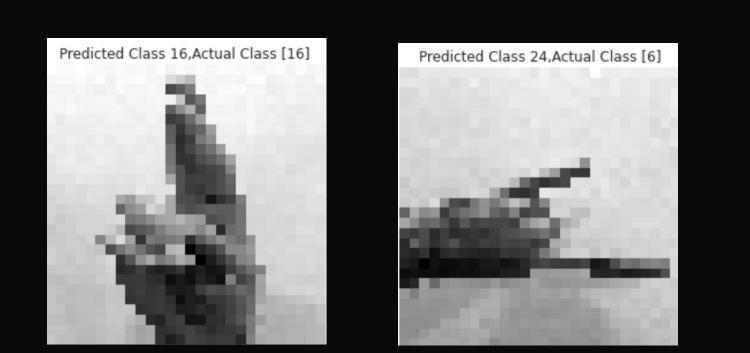


Testing on live data





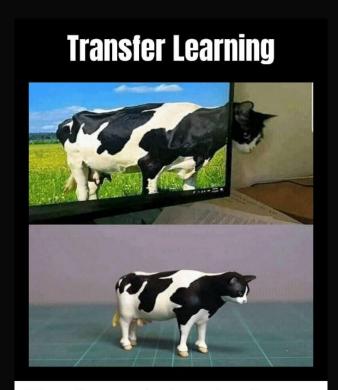




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There's transfer learning for you

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