

Bird Vocalization Classification

Bird species identification from recordings.



Overview



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Purpose

- Track bird migration patterns
- Bird identification for hobbyists



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Benefits

- Easier to capture sound than photos
- Easily distributable



03

Consumer Applications

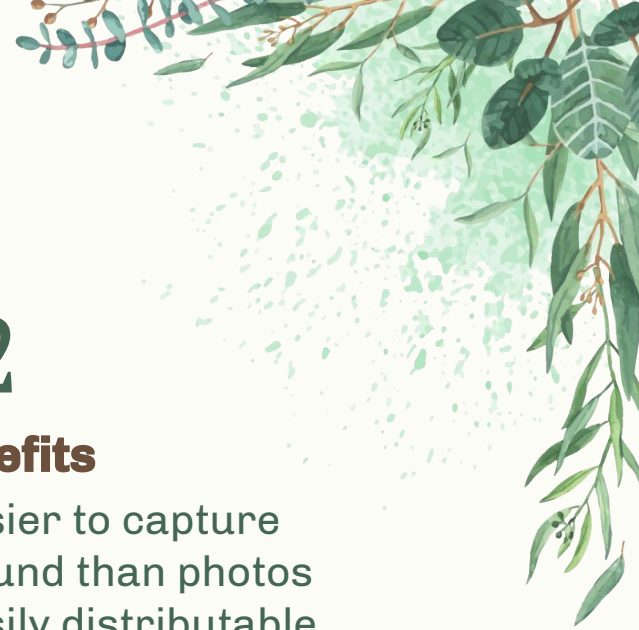
- Phone App
- eBird like systems



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Research Applications

- Automated bird migration tracking (at night)



The Data



source

Files from Kaggle
and xeno-canto.org



61,284 mp3

65 Gb of compressed
audio data for
264 species

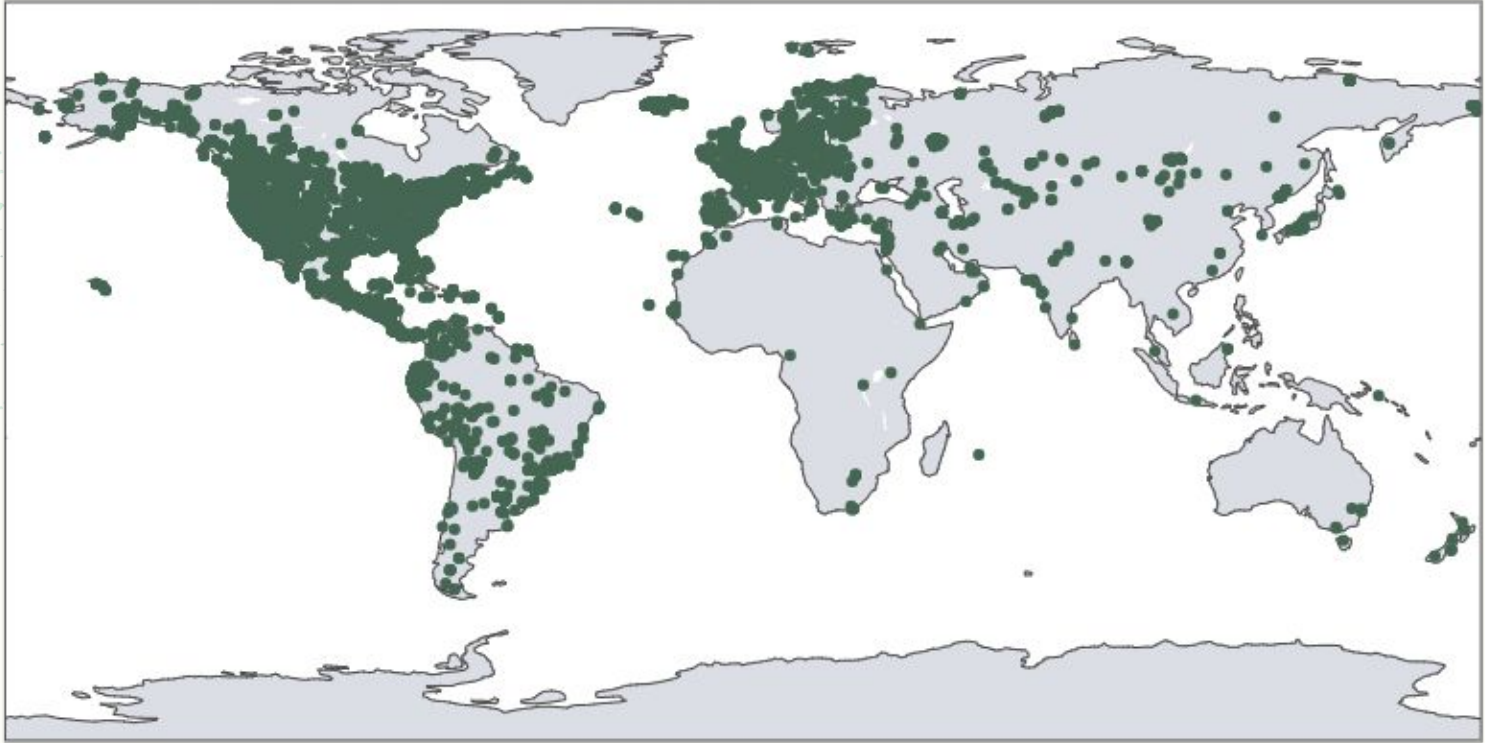


Varying Length

From 1 second to
38 minutes long

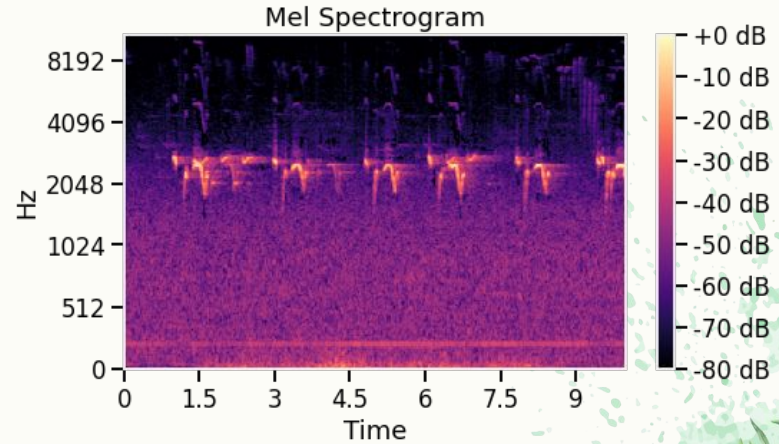
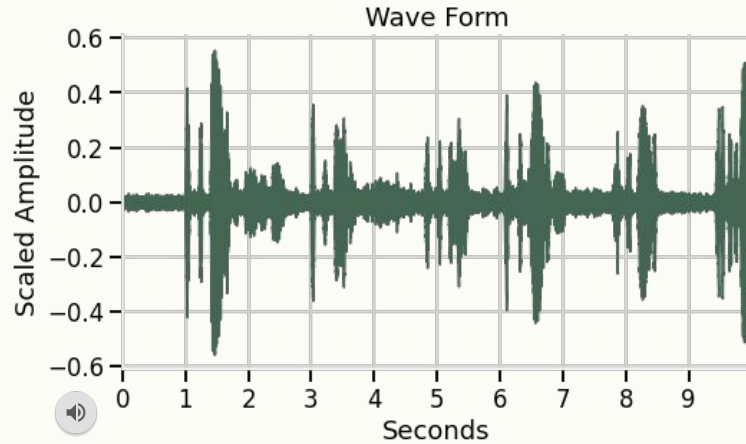


Recording Locations



Data Processing

- 10 Second samples
- Converted to Mel Spectrograms
- Pitch shifted and stretched



Modeling

31 Models

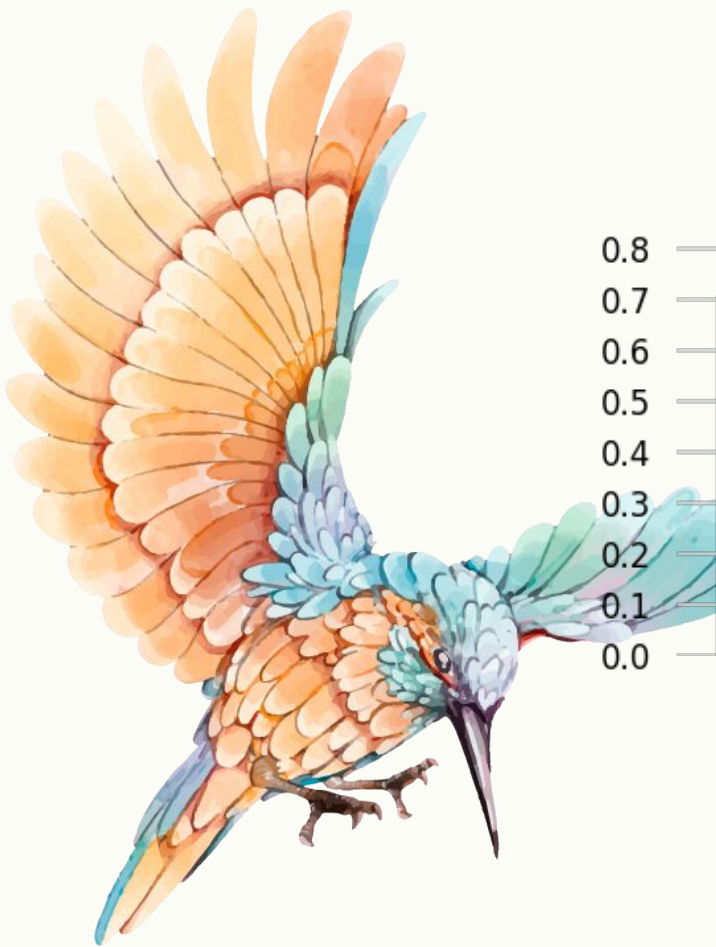
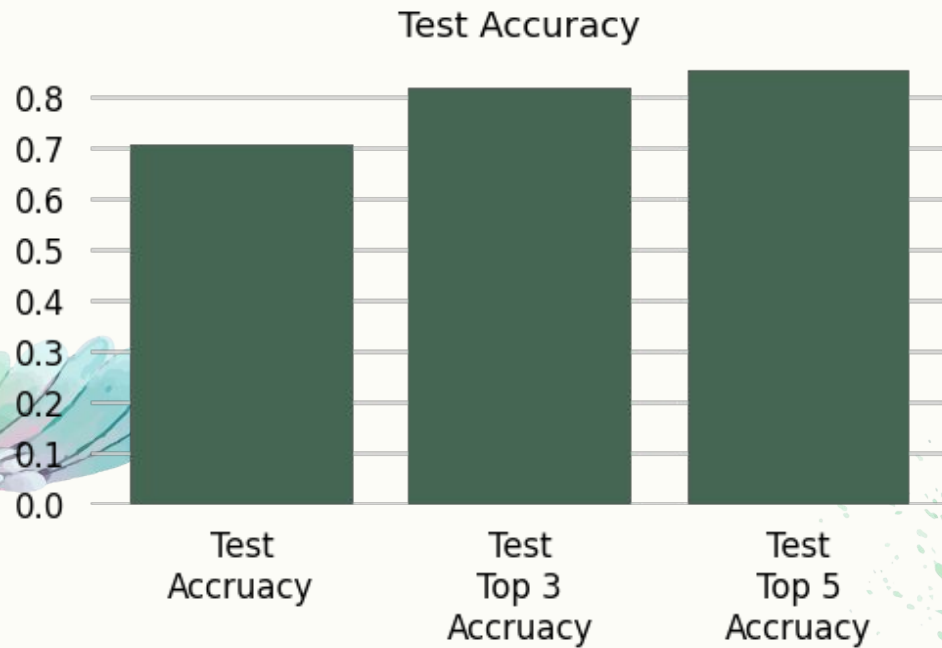


Azure Machine
Learning cloud

Drawing 10 second
random samples
from audio

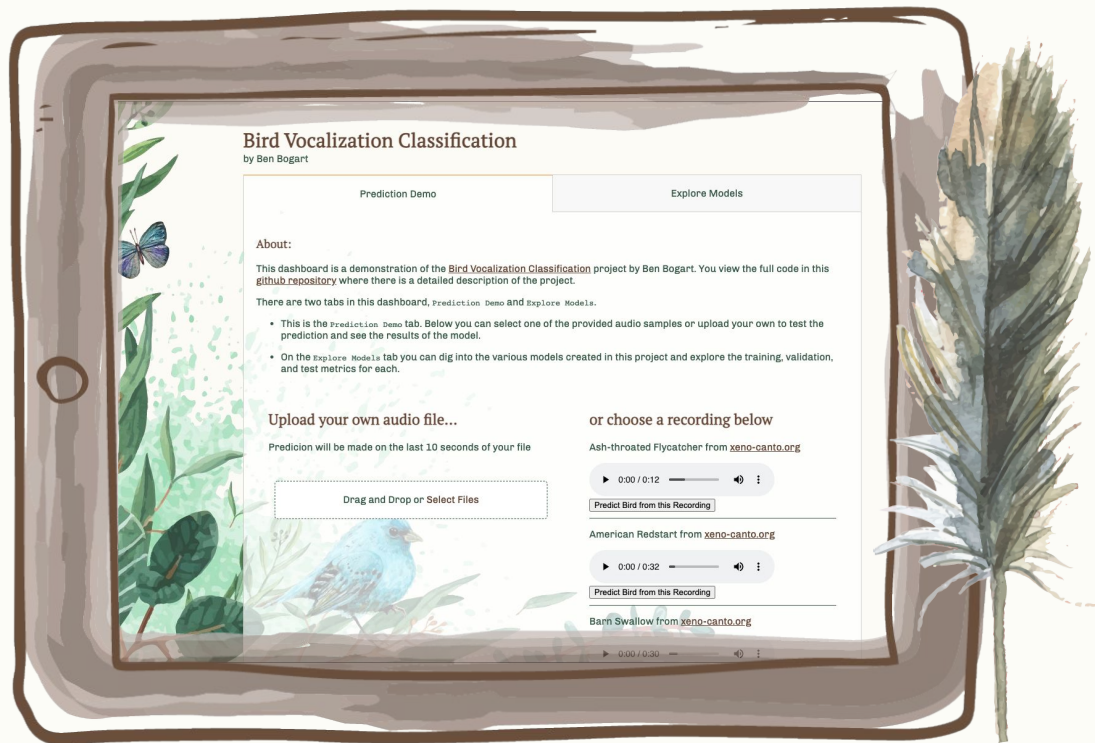


Performance



Deployment

<http://bird-vocalization.herokuapp.com/>



Upload recording



Pre-recorded samples




Detailed model statistics


Future Work



Develop Mobile App



Create Sound Event
Detection model



Test other model
architectures including
time based, and attention
based.



Thank You

Dashboard:

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