# dog\_app

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# 1 Convolutional Neural Networks

# 1.1 Project: Write an Algorithm for a Dog Identification App

In this notebook, some template code has already been provided for you, and you will need to implement additional functionality to successfully complete this project. You will not need to modify the included code beyond what is requested. Sections that begin with '(IMPLEMENTATION)' in the header indicate that the following block of code will require additional functionality which you must provide. Instructions will be provided for each section, and the specifics of the implementation are marked in the code block with a 'TODO' statement. Please be sure to read the instructions carefully!

**Note**: Once you have completed all of the code implementations, you need to finalize your work by exporting the Jupyter Notebook as an HTML document. Before exporting the notebook to html, all of the code cells need to have been run so that reviewers can see the final implementation and output. You can then export the notebook by using the menu above and navigating to **File -> Download as -> HTML (.html)**. Include the finished document along with this notebook as your submission.

In addition to implementing code, there will be questions that you must answer which relate to the project and your implementation. Each section where you will answer a question is preceded by a 'Question X' header. Carefully read each question and provide thorough answers in the following text boxes that begin with 'Answer:'. Your project submission will be evaluated based on your answers to each of the questions and the implementation you provide.

**Note:** Code and Markdown cells can be executed using the **Shift + Enter** keyboard shortcut. Markdown cells can be edited by double-clicking the cell to enter edit mode.

The rubric contains *optional* "Stand Out Suggestions" for enhancing the project beyond the minimum requirements. If you decide to pursue the "Stand Out Suggestions", you should include the code in this Jupyter notebook.

## Step 0: Import Datasets

Make sure that you've downloaded the required human and dog datasets:

Note: if you are using the Udacity workspace, you *DO NOT* need to re-download these - they can be found in the /data folder as noted in the cell below.

- Download the dog dataset. Unzip the folder and place it in this project's home directory, at the location /dog\_images.
- Download the human dataset. Unzip the folder and place it in the home directory, at location /lfw.

Note: If you are using a Windows machine, you are encouraged to use 7zip to extract the folder. In the code cell below, we save the file paths for both the human (LFW) dataset and dog dataset in the numpy arrays human\_files and dog\_files.

# 2 Setup

# 2.1 Useful imports

```
In [1]: # PyTorch related
        import torch
        import torch.nn as nn
        import torch.nn.functional as F
        import torchvision.models as models
        import torchvision.transforms as vtransforms
        import torchvision.datasets as datasets
        import torch.optim as optim
        import torch.nn.init as init
        import numpy as np
        import math
        # Image processing
        import cv2
        from PIL import ImageFile
        from PIL import Image
        # Python standard lib
        import random
        import os
        from glob import glob
        # Progress bar
        from tqdm import tqdm
        from tqdm import tqdm_notebook
        # DataViz
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        %matplotlib inline
```

# 2.2 Global parameters

```
In [2]: BATCH_SIZE = 64
        N_EPOCHS = 30
        EARLY_STOPPING = 5
        # ImageNet normalization stats
        IMAGENET\_STATS = {"mean": [0.485, 0.456, 0.406],}
                          "std":[0.229, 0.224, 0.225]}
        # To handle correpted images
        ImageFile.LOAD_TRUNCATED_IMAGES = True
        # check if CUDA is available
        # use_cuda = torch.cuda.is_available()
        device = "cuda" if torch.cuda.is_available() else "cpu"
In [3]: # load filenames for human and dog images
        human_files = np.array(glob("/data/lfw/*/*"))
        dog_files = np.array(glob("/data/dog_images/*/*/*"))
        # print number of images in each dataset
        print('There are %d total human images.' % len(human_files))
        print('There are %d total dog images.' % len(dog_files))
There are 13233 total human images.
There are 8351 total dog images.
```

# ## Step 1: Detect Humans

In this section, we use OpenCV's implementation of Haar feature-based cascade classifiers to detect human faces in images.

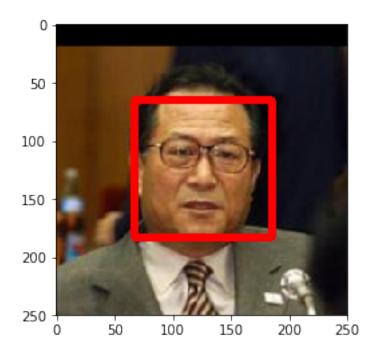
OpenCV provides many pre-trained face detectors, stored as XML files on github. We have downloaded one of these detectors and stored it in the haarcascades directory. In the next code cell, we demonstrate how to use this detector to find human faces in a sample image.

```
# get bounding box for each detected face
for (x,y,w,h) in faces:
    # add bounding box to color image
    cv2.rectangle(img,(x,y),(x+w,y+h),(0,0,255),5)

# convert BGR image to RGB for plotting
cv_rgb = cv2.cvtColor(img, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)

# display the image, along with bounding box
plt.imshow(cv_rgb)
plt.show()
```

Number of faces detected: 1



Before using any of the face detectors, it is standard procedure to convert the images to grayscale. The detectMultiScale function executes the classifier stored in face\_cascade and takes the grayscale image as a parameter.

In the above code, faces is a numpy array of detected faces, where each row corresponds to a detected face. Each detected face is a 1D array with four entries that specifies the bounding box of the detected face. The first two entries in the array (extracted in the above code as x and y) specify the horizontal and vertical positions of the top left corner of the bounding box. The last two entries in the array (extracted here as w and h) specify the width and height of the box.

#### 2.2.1 Write a Human Face Detector

We can use this procedure to write a function that returns True if a human face is detected in an image and False otherwise. This function, aptly named face\_detector, takes a string-valued file path to an image as input and appears in the code block below.

```
In [5]: # returns "True" if face is detected in image stored at img_path
    def face_detector(img_path):
        img = cv2.imread(img_path)
        gray = cv2.cvtColor(img, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
        faces = face_cascade.detectMultiScale(gray)
        return len(faces) > 0
```

#### 2.2.2 (IMPLEMENTATION) Assess the Human Face Detector

**Question 1:** Use the code cell below to test the performance of the face\_detector function.

- What percentage of the first 100 images in human\_files have a detected human face?
- What percentage of the first 100 images in dog\_files have a detected human face?

Ideally, we would like 100% of human images with a detected face and 0% of dog images with a detected face. You will see that our algorithm falls short of this goal, but still gives acceptable performance. We extract the file paths for the first 100 images from each of the datasets and store them in the numpy arrays human\_files\_short and dog\_files\_short.

Answer: (You can print out your results and/or write your percentages in this cell)

```
In [6]: from tqdm import tqdm
        human_files_short = human_files[:100]
        dog_files_short = dog_files[:100]
        #-#-# Do NOT modify the code above this line. #-#-#
        ## TODO: Test the performance of the face_detector algorithm
        ## on the images in human_files_short and dog_files_short.
        # Human Face Detection rate on human images
        human acc = 0
        # Human Face Detection rate on dog images
        dog_acc = 0
        for i in tqdm(range(100)):
            human_acc += int(face_detector(human_files_short[i]))
            dog_acc += int(face_detector(dog_files_short[i]))
        print("Human images:\tDetection rate:\t{:.1f}%".format(human_acc))
        print("Dog images:\tDetection rate:\t{:.1f}%".format(dog_acc))
100%|| 100/100 [00:43<00:00, 6.26it/s]
```

Human images: Detection rate: 98.0%
Dog images: Detection rate: 17.0%

We suggest the face detector from OpenCV as a potential way to detect human images in your algorithm, but you are free to explore other approaches, especially approaches that make use of deep learning:). Please use the code cell below to design and test your own face detection algorithm. If you decide to pursue this *optional* task, report performance on human\_files\_short and dog\_files\_short.

Check these data sets https://lionbridge.ai/datasets/5-million-faces-top-15-free-image-datasets-for-facial-recognition/

## Step 2: Detect Dogs

In this section, we use a pre-trained model to detect dogs in images.

#### 2.2.3 Obtain Pre-trained VGG-16 Model

The code cell below downloads the VGG-16 model, along with weights that have been trained on ImageNet, a very large, very popular dataset used for image classification and other vision tasks. ImageNet contains over 10 million URLs, each linking to an image containing an object from one of 1000 categories.

Given an image, this pre-trained VGG-16 model returns a prediction (derived from the 1000 possible categories in ImageNet) for the object that is contained in the image.

#### 2.2.4 (IMPLEMENTATION) Making Predictions with a Pre-trained Model

In the next code cell, you will write a function that accepts a path to an image (such as 'dogImages/train/001.Affenpinscher/Affenpinscher\_00001.jpg') as input and returns the index corresponding to the ImageNet class that is predicted by the pre-trained VGG-16 model. The output should always be an integer between 0 and 999, inclusive.

Before writing the function, make sure that you take the time to learn how to appropriately pre-process tensors for pre-trained models in the PyTorch documentation.

```
In [9]: def VGG16_predict(img_path, verbose=False):
            Use pre-trained VGG-16 model to obtain index corresponding to
            predicted ImageNet class for image at specified path
            Args:
                img_path: path to an image
            Returns:
                Index corresponding to VGG-16 model's prediction
            111
            ## TODO: Complete the function.
            ## Load and pre-process an image from the given img_path
            ## Return the *index* of the predicted class for that image
            img = Image.open(img_path)
            if verbose:
                print("Image infos {}, {}, {}".format(img.format, img.size, img.mode))
            img = img.convert(mode="RGB")
            transforms = vtransforms.Compose([vtransforms.Resize(256)
                                              , vtransforms.CenterCrop(224)
                                              , vtransforms.ToTensor()
                                              ,vtransforms.Normalize(IMAGENET_STATS["mean"],IMAGE
                                             1)
            img = transforms(img).unsqueeze(0)
            img = img.to(device)
            scores = VGG16(img)
            # predicted class index
            return scores.argmax(dim=1).item()
In [10]: images = ['images/American_water_spaniel_00648.jpg',
                   'images/Labrador_retriever_06455.jpg',
                   'images/Welsh_springer_spaniel_08203.jpg',
                   'images/Labrador_retriever_06449.jpg',
                   'images/Labrador_retriever_06457.jpg',
                   'images/Curly-coated_retriever_03896.jpg',
                   'images/Brittany_02625.jpg']
         sample_path = random.sample(images, 1)[0]
         class_idx = VGG16_predict(sample_path, verbose=True)
```

```
print("The predicted class for image {} is {}".format(sample_path, class_idx))
Image infos JPEG, (450, 664), RGB
The predicted class for image images/Brittany_02625.jpg is 215
```

# 2.2.5 (IMPLEMENTATION) Write a Dog Detector

While looking at the dictionary, you will notice that the categories corresponding to dogs appear in an uninterrupted sequence and correspond to dictionary keys 151-268, inclusive, to include all categories from 'Chihuahua' to 'Mexican hairless'. Thus, in order to check to see if an image is predicted to contain a dog by the pre-trained VGG-16 model, we need only check if the pre-trained model predicts an index between 151 and 268 (inclusive).

Use these ideas to complete the dog\_detector function below, which returns True if a dog is detected in an image (and False if not).

# 2.2.6 (IMPLEMENTATION) Assess the Dog Detector

**Question 2:** Use the code cell below to test the performance of your dog\_detector function.

- What percentage of the images in human\_files\_short have a detected dog?
- What percentage of the images in dog\_files\_short have a detected dog?

Answer: (see cell output)

Note

- The face\_detector is empirically reliable up to 98% on human images!
- The dog\_detector is empirically reliable up to 99% on dog images!

We suggest VGG-16 as a potential network to detect dog images in your algorithm, but you are free to explore other pre-trained networks (such as Inception-v3, ResNet-50, etc). Please use the code cell below to test other pre-trained PyTorch models. If you decide to pursue this *optional* task, report performance on human\_files\_short and dog\_files\_short.

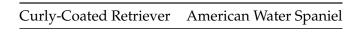
## Step 3: Create a CNN to Classify Dog Breeds (from Scratch)

Now that we have functions for detecting humans and dogs in images, we need a way to predict breed from images. In this step, you will create a CNN that classifies dog breeds. You must create your CNN *from scratch* (so, you can't use transfer learning *yet*!), and you must attain a test accuracy of at least 10%. In Step 4 of this notebook, you will have the opportunity to use transfer learning to create a CNN that attains greatly improved accuracy.

We mention that the task of assigning breed to dogs from images is considered exceptionally challenging. To see why, consider that *even a human* would have trouble distinguishing between a Brittany and a Welsh Springer Spaniel.

Brittany	Welsh Springer Spaniel	

It is not difficult to find other dog breed pairs with minimal inter-class variation (for instance, Curly-Coated Retrievers and American Water Spaniels).



Likewise, recall that labradors come in yellow, chocolate, and black. Your vision-based algorithm will have to conquer this high intra-class variation to determine how to classify all of these

different shades as the same breed.

data\_sets = {}

loaders\_scratch = {}

Yellow Labrador Chocolate Labrador

We also mention that random chance presents an exceptionally low bar: setting aside the fact that the classes are slightly imabalanced, a random guess will provide a correct answer roughly 1 in 133 times, which corresponds to an accuracy of less than 1%.

Remember that the practice is far ahead of the theory in deep learning. Experiment with many different architectures, and trust your intuition. And, of course, have fun!

# 2.2.7 (IMPLEMENTATION) Specify Data Loaders for the Dog Dataset

Use the code cell below to write three separate data loaders for the training, validation, and test datasets of dog images (located at dog\_images/train, dog\_images/valid, and dog\_images/test, respectively). You may find this documentation on custom datasets to be a useful resource. If you are interested in augmenting your training and/or validation data, check out the wide variety of transforms!

```
In [14]: ### TODO: Write data loaders for training, validation, and test sets
         ## Specify appropriate transforms, and batch_sizes
         try:
             assert set(os.listdir("/data/dog_images/train")) == set(os.listdir("/data/dog_image
         except AssertionError:
             print("Target across train and valid is not consistant")
         try:
             assert set(os.listdir("/data/dog_images/train")) == set(os.listdir("/data/dog_image
         except AssertionError:
             print("Target across train and test is not consistant")
         scratch_transforms_train = vtransforms.Compose([vtransforms.Resize(256)
                                                    , vtransforms.CenterCrop(224)
                                                    , vtransforms.RandomHorizontalFlip(p=0.2)
                                                    , vtransforms.RandomRotation(30)
                                                    , vtransforms.ToTensor()
                                                    ,vtransforms.Normalize([0.5,0.5,0.5],[0.5,0.5
                                                   ])
         scratch_transforms_test = vtransforms.Compose([vtransforms.Resize(256)
                                                    ,vtransforms.CenterCrop(224)
                                                    ,vtransforms.ToTensor()
                                                    ,vtransforms.Normalize([0.5,0.5,0.5],[0.5,0.5]
                                                   ])
```

```
if key == "train":
    transforms = scratch_transforms_train
else:
    transforms = scratch_transforms_test

data_sets[key] = datasets.ImageFolder(f"/data/dog_images/{key}", transform=transforloaders_scratch[key] = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(data_sets[key], batch_size=BATCE
```

**Question 3:** Describe your chosen procedure for preprocessing the data. - How does your code resize the images (by cropping, stretching, etc)? What size did you pick for the input tensor, and why? - Did you decide to augment the dataset? If so, how (through translations, flips, rotations, etc)? If not, why not?

#### Answer:

- My approach consists in stertching the image to 256 while preserving width/height ratio
  then center crop a 224 patch. I picked this size because PyTorch pretrained models expect at
  least 224 pixels inputs.
- I selected the following data augmentation only for training data:

for key in ("train", "valid", "test"):

- Random Horizontal flip
- Random Rotation

#### 2.2.8 (IMPLEMENTATION) Model Architecture

Create a CNN to classify dog breed. Use the template in the code cell below.

```
In [15]: # Overloading Conv2D weight initialization
    class Conv2d(nn.Conv2d):
        def __init__(self, *args, **kwargs):
        super(Conv2d, self).__init__(*args, **kwargs)

    def reset_parameters(self):
        init.kaiming_uniform_(self.weight, a=math.sqrt(5))
        if self.bias is not None:
            fan_in, _ = init._calculate_fan_in_and_fan_out(self.weight)
            bound = 1 / math.sqrt(fan_in)
            init.uniform_(self.bias, -bound, bound)

# define the CNN architecture
class Net(nn.Module):
    ### TODO: choose an architecture, and complete the class
    def __init__(self):
        super(Net, self).__init__()
```

```
self.features = nn.Sequential(Conv2d(3,16,3,padding=1)
                                                ,nn.ReLU()
                                                ,nn.MaxPool2d(2,2) # (16,112,112)
                                                ,Conv2d(16,32,3,padding=1)
                                                ,nn.ReLU()
                                                nn.MaxPool2d(2,2) # (32, 56,56)
                                                ,Conv2d(32,64,3, padding=1)
                                                nn.ReLU()
                                                nn.MaxPool2d(2,2) # (64, 28,28)
                                                ,Conv2d(64,128,3, padding=1)
                                                ,nn.ReLU()
                                                ,nn.MaxPool2d(4,4) # (128, 7, 7)
                 self.classifier = nn.Sequential(nn.Dropout(0.2)
                                                  ,nn.Linear(128*7*7, 1024)
                                                  , nn . Dropout (0.2)
                                                  ,nn.Linear(1024, 133)
             def forward(self, x):
                 ## Define forward behavior
                 x = self.features(x)
                 x = x.view(x.shape[0], -1)
                 x = self.classifier(x)
                 return x
         #-#-# You so NOT have to modify the code below this line. #-#-#
         # instantiate the CNN
         model_scratch = Net()
         # move tensors to GPU if CUDA is available
         model_scratch = model_scratch.to(device)
In [16]: print(model_scratch)
Net(
  (features): Sequential(
    (0): Conv2d(3, 16, kernel_size=(3, 3), stride=(1, 1), padding=(1, 1))
    (1): ReLU()
    (2): MaxPool2d(kernel_size=2, stride=2, padding=0, dilation=1, ceil_mode=False)
    (3): Conv2d(16, 32, kernel_size=(3, 3), stride=(1, 1), padding=(1, 1))
    (4): ReLU()
    (5): MaxPool2d(kernel_size=2, stride=2, padding=0, dilation=1, ceil_mode=False)
    (6): Conv2d(32, 64, kernel_size=(3, 3), stride=(1, 1), padding=(1, 1))
    (7): ReLU()
    (8): MaxPool2d(kernel_size=2, stride=2, padding=0, dilation=1, ceil_mode=False)
```

## Define layers of a CNN

```
(9): Conv2d(64, 128, kernel_size=(3, 3), stride=(1, 1), padding=(1, 1))
  (10): ReLU()
  (11): MaxPool2d(kernel_size=4, stride=4, padding=0, dilation=1, ceil_mode=False)
)
(classifier): Sequential(
  (0): Dropout(p=0.2)
  (1): Linear(in_features=6272, out_features=1024, bias=True)
  (2): Dropout(p=0.2)
  (3): Linear(in_features=1024, out_features=133, bias=True)
)
```

**Question 4:** Outline the steps you took to get to your final CNN architecture and your reasoning at each step.

# **Answer:**

I started with this architecture: - Features extractor - CONV(3,16,3) - ReLU - MaxPooling(2,2) - CONV(16,32,3) - ReLU - MaxPooling(2,2) - CONV(32,64,3) - ReLU - MaxPooling(2,2) - CONV(64,128,3) - ReLU - MaxPooling(2,2)

- Classifier
  - Dropout(0.2)
  - FC (25088, 8192)
  - Dropout(0.2)
  - FC (8192, 133)

But, the network hardly train at all. I suspected that the problem is with initialization and simplified it a bit by using MaxPooling layer of kernel 4 before the classifier input. So, I used He initialization that is the deault in PyTorch 1.5+ but not in PyTorch 0.4.0, the version on Udacity workspace.

- Features extractor
  - CONV(3,16,3) ReLU MaxPooling(2,2)
  - CONV(16,32,3) ReLU MaxPooling(2,2)
  - CONV(32,64,3) ReLU MaxPooling(2,2)
  - CONV(64,128,3) ReLU MaxPooling(4,4)
- Classifier
  - Dropout(0.2)
  - FC (6272, 1024)
  - Dropout(0.2)
  - FC (1024, 133)

# 2.2.9 (IMPLEMENTATION) Specify Loss Function and Optimizer

Use the next code cell to specify a loss function and optimizer. Save the chosen loss function as criterion\_scratch, and the optimizer as optimizer\_scratch below.

#### 2.2.10 (IMPLEMENTATION) Train and Validate the Model

Train and validate your model in the code cell below. Save the final model parameters at filepath 'model\_scratch.pt'.

```
In [18]: def train(n_epochs, loaders, model, optimizer, criterion, save_path):
             """returns trained model"""
             # initialize tracker for minimum validation loss
             valid_loss_min = np.Inf
             # Counter: # of elapsed epochs since last validation loss decrease
             epoch_counter = 0
             for epoch in tqdm_notebook(range(1, n_epochs+1)):
                 # initialize variables to monitor training and validation loss
                 train loss = 0.0
                 valid_loss = 0.0
                 if epoch_counter >= EARLY_STOPPING:
                     print('Validatiion loss did not improve for {} epochs, Stopping training'.f
                     break
                 epoch_counter += 1
                 ###################
                 # train the model #
                 ####################
                 model.train()
                 for batch_idx, (data, target) in enumerate(loaders['train']):
                     # move to GPU
                     data, target = data.to(device), target.to(device)
                     ## find the loss and update the model parameters accordingly
                     optimizer.zero_grad()
                     scores = model(data)
                     loss = criterion(scores, target)
                     loss.backward()
                     optimizer.step()
```

```
train_loss += loss.item()
                 #########################
                 # validate the model #
                 #####################
                 model.eval()
                 correct = 0
                 total = 0
                 for batch_idx, (data, target) in enumerate(loaders['valid']):
                     # move to GPU
                     data, target = data.to(device), target.to(device)
                     ## update the average validation loss
                     with torch.no_grad():
                         scores = model(data)
                         loss = criterion(scores, target)
                         valid_loss += loss.item()
                         pred = scores.data.max(1, keepdim=True)[1]
                         # compare predictions to true label
                         correct += np.sum(np.squeeze(pred.eq(target.data.view_as(pred))).cpu().
                         total += data.size(0)
                 train_loss = train_loss/len(loaders["train"])
                 valid_loss = valid_loss/len(loaders["valid"])
                 # print training/validation statistics
                 print('Epoch: {} \tTraining Loss: {:.6f} \tValidation Loss: {:.6f} \tAccuracy:{
                     epoch,
                     train_loss,
                     valid loss,
                     100*correct/total
                     ))
                 ## TODO: save the model if validation loss has decreased
                 if valid_loss < valid_loss_min:</pre>
                     print("Validation decreased: {:.6f} --> {:.6f}\t[SAVING MODEL]".format(vali
                     valid_loss_min = valid_loss
                     torch.save(model.state_dict(),save_path)
                     epoch_counter = 0
             # return trained model
             return model
In [31]: # train the model
         model_scratch = train(N_EPOCHS, loaders_scratch, model_scratch, optimizer_scratch,
                                criterion_scratch, 'model_scratch.pt')
HBox(children=(IntProgress(value=0, max=30), HTML(value='')))
```

## record the avaerage training loss, using something like

```
Epoch: 1
                 Training Loss: 4.884129
                                                   Validation Loss: 4.881108
                                                                                      Accuracy: 1.08
Validation decreased: inf --> 4.881108
                                                [SAVING MODEL]
                 Training Loss: 4.718988
Epoch: 2
                                                   Validation Loss: 4.526438
                                                                                      Accuracy:3.59
Validation decreased: 4.881108 --> 4.526438
                                                     [SAVING MODEL]
Epoch: 3
                 Training Loss: 4.333918
                                                   Validation Loss: 4.251754
                                                                                      Accuracy: 5.63
Validation decreased: 4.526438 --> 4.251754
                                                     [SAVING MODEL]
Epoch: 4
                 Training Loss: 4.081512
                                                   Validation Loss: 4.016020
                                                                                      Accuracy:7.78
Validation decreased: 4.251754 --> 4.016020
                                                     [SAVING MODEL]
                 Training Loss: 3.934852
                                                                                      Accuracy:9.82
Epoch: 5
                                                   Validation Loss: 4.036582
                 Training Loss: 3.765568
                                                   Validation Loss: 3.757045
                                                                                      Accuracy:9.46
Epoch: 6
Validation decreased: 4.016020 --> 3.757045
                                                     [SAVING MODEL]
Epoch: 7
                 Training Loss: 3.609126
                                                   Validation Loss: 3.841989
                                                                                      Accuracy:12.7
Epoch: 8
                                                                                      Accuracy: 13.1
                 Training Loss: 3.432876
                                                   Validation Loss: 3.694008
Validation decreased: 3.757045 --> 3.694008
                                                     [SAVING MODEL]
Epoch: 9
                 Training Loss: 3.306803
                                                   Validation Loss: 3.747915
                                                                                      Accuracy: 14.9
Epoch: 10
                  Training Loss: 3.185503
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.699211
                                                                                       Accuracy: 15.
                  Training Loss: 3.032308
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.600392
                                                                                       Accuracy: 15.
Epoch: 11
Validation decreased: 3.694008 --> 3.600392
                                                     [SAVING MODEL]
                  Training Loss: 2.932475
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.737147
                                                                                       Accuracy: 15.
Epoch: 12
Epoch: 13
                  Training Loss: 2.807554
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.551400
                                                                                       Accuracy:16.
Validation decreased: 3.600392 --> 3.551400
                                                     [SAVING MODEL]
Epoch: 14
                  Training Loss: 2.678659
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.771740
                                                                                       Accuracy: 17.
Epoch: 15
                  Training Loss: 2.572263
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.837673
                                                                                       Accuracy:16.
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.549975
Epoch: 16
                  Training Loss: 2.470902
                                                                                       Accuracy: 17.
Validation decreased: 3.551400 --> 3.549975
                                                     [SAVING MODEL]
                  Training Loss: 2.400993
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.661535
                                                                                       Accuracy: 17.
Epoch: 17
                  Training Loss: 2.285723
Epoch: 18
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.730840
                                                                                       Accuracy: 17.
Epoch: 19
                  Training Loss: 2.225770
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.787888
                                                                                       Accuracy: 18.
Epoch: 20
                  Training Loss: 2.103046
                                                    Validation Loss: 3.632658
                                                                                       Accuracy: 16.
Epoch: 21
                  Training Loss: 2.040761
                                                    Validation Loss: 4.141875
                                                                                       Accuracy: 16.
Validatiion loss did not improve for 4 epochs, Stopping training
```

#### 2.2.11 (IMPLEMENTATION) Test the Model

Try out your model on the test dataset of dog images. Use the code cell below to calculate and print the test loss and accuracy. Ensure that your test accuracy is greater than 10%.

```
In [20]: def test(loaders, model, criterion):
    # monitor test loss and accuracy
```

```
test_loss = 0.
             correct = 0.
             total = 0.
             model.eval()
             for batch_idx, (data, target) in enumerate(loaders['test']):
                 # move to appropriate device
                 data, target = data.to(device), target.to(device)
                 # forward pass: compute predicted outputs by passing inputs to the model
                 output = model(data)
                 # calculate the loss
                 loss = criterion(output, target)
                 # update average test loss
                 test_loss += loss.item()
                 # convert output probabilities to predicted class
                 pred = output.data.max(1, keepdim=True)[1]
                 # compare predictions to true label
                 correct += np.sum(np.squeeze(pred.eq(target.data.view_as(pred))).cpu().numpy())
                 total += data.size(0)
             print('Test Loss: {:.6f}\n'.format(test_loss/len(loaders["test"])))
             print('\nTest Accuracy: %2d%% (%2d/%2d)' % (
                 100. * correct / total, correct, total))
In [21]: # call test function
         test(loaders_scratch, model_scratch, criterion_scratch)
Test Loss: 3.740494
Test Accuracy: 18% (151/836)
```

## Step 4: Create a CNN to Classify Dog Breeds (using Transfer Learning)

You will now use transfer learning to create a CNN that can identify dog breed from images. Your CNN must attain at least 60% accuracy on the test set.

# 2.2.12 (IMPLEMENTATION) Specify Data Loaders for the Dog Dataset

Use the code cell below to write three separate data loaders for the training, validation, and test datasets of dog images (located at dogImages/train, dogImages/valid, and dogImages/test, respectively).

If you like, **you are welcome to use the same data loaders from the previous step**, when you created a CNN from scratch.

```
In [51]: ## TODO: Specify data loaders
         ### TODO: Write data loaders for training, validation, and test sets
         ## Specify appropriate transforms, and batch_sizes
         BATCH_SIZE = 32
         transfer_transforms_train = vtransforms.Compose([vtransforms.Resize(256)]
                                                    ,vtransforms.CenterCrop(224)
                                                    , vtransforms . RandomHorizontalFlip(p=0.2)
                                                    , vtransforms.RandomRotation(30)
                                                    , vtransforms.ToTensor()
                                                   , vtransforms.Normalize(IMAGENET_STATS["mean"],
                                                   1)
         transfer_transforms_test = vtransforms.Compose([vtransforms.Resize(256)
                                                    ,vtransforms.CenterCrop(224)
                                                    ,vtransforms.ToTensor()
                                                   , vtransforms.Normalize(IMAGENET_STATS["mean"],
                                                   1)
         data_sets = {}
         loaders_transfer = {}
         for key in ("train", "valid", "test"):
             if key == "train":
                 transforms = transfer_transforms_train
             else:
                 transforms = transfer_transforms_test
             data_sets[key] = datasets.ImageFolder(f"/data/dog_images/{key}", transform=transfor
             loaders_transfer[key] = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(data_sets[key], batch_size=BATC
```

#### 2.2.13 (IMPLEMENTATION) Model Architecture

Use transfer learning to create a CNN to classify dog breed. Use the code cell below, and save your initialized model as the variable model\_transfer.

**Question 5:** Outline the steps you took to get to your final CNN architecture and your reasoning at each step. Describe why you think the architecture is suitable for the current problem.

#### Answer:

Epoch: 10

The Dog breed dataset is a subset of ImageNet. Hence, using a state of the art CNN on ImageNet will likely perform well on this very similar task (133 classes instead of 1000 classes) with very few changes.

My approach is first freeze all pretrained network weights because the data set is similar. Then to replace the last classifier part (Fully connected layer) with a new one with an appropriate number of outputs and train it from scratch.

# 2.2.14 (IMPLEMENTATION) Specify Loss Function and Optimizer

Use the next code cell to specify a loss function and optimizer. Save the chosen loss function as criterion\_transfer, and the optimizer as optimizer\_transfer below.

#### 2.2.15 (IMPLEMENTATION) Train and Validate the Model

Train and validate your model in the code cell below. Save the final model parameters at filepath 'model\_transfer.pt'.

Epoch: 1 Training Loss: 2.341288	Validation Loss: 0.956635	Accuracy:74.1
Validation decreased: inf> 0.956635	[SAVING MODEL]	
Epoch: 2 Training Loss: 0.904459	Validation Loss: 0.706213	Accuracy:80.1
Validation decreased: 0.956635> 0.706213	[SAVING MODEL]	
Epoch: 3 Training Loss: 0.686605	Validation Loss: 0.605883	Accuracy:82.6
Validation decreased: 0.706213> 0.605883	[SAVING MODEL]	
Epoch: 4 Training Loss: 0.583509	Validation Loss: 0.597497	Accuracy:81.9
Validation decreased: 0.605883> 0.597497	[SAVING MODEL]	
Epoch: 5 Training Loss: 0.525998	Validation Loss: 0.616336	Accuracy:80.8
Epoch: 6 Training Loss: 0.485266	Validation Loss: 0.553858	Accuracy:81.7
Validation decreased: 0.597497> 0.553858	[SAVING MODEL]	
Epoch: 7 Training Loss: 0.429861	Validation Loss: 0.532566	Accuracy:81.6
Validation decreased: 0.553858> 0.532566	[SAVING MODEL]	
Epoch: 8 Training Loss: 0.392698	Validation Loss: 0.548948	Accuracy:81.4
Epoch: 9 Training Loss: 0.383288	Validation Loss: 0.509355	Accuracy:83.7
Validation decreased: 0.532566> 0.509355	[SAVING MODEL]	

Validation Loss: 0.580979

Accuracy:82.

Training Loss: 0.364495

```
In [55]: # load the model that got the best validation accuracy (uncomment the line below)
    if device == "cpu":
        model_transfer.load_state_dict(torch.load('model_transfer.pt', map_location=device)
    else:
        model_transfer.load_state_dict(torch.load('model_transfer.pt'))
```

#### 2.2.16 (IMPLEMENTATION) Test the Model

Try out your model on the test dataset of dog images. Use the code cell below to calculate and print the test loss and accuracy. Ensure that your test accuracy is greater than 60%.

```
In [56]: test(loaders_transfer, model_transfer, criterion_transfer)
Test Loss: 0.551788
Test Accuracy: 83% (694/836)
```

# 2.2.17 (IMPLEMENTATION) Predict Dog Breed with the Model

img = img.to(device)

scores = model\_transfer(img)

Write a function that takes an image path as input and returns the dog breed (Affenpinscher, Afghan hound, etc) that is predicted by your model.

```
In [57]: ### TODO: Write a function that takes a path to an image as input
         ### and returns the dog breed that is predicted by the model.
         # list of class names by index, i.e. a name can be accessed like class_names[0]
         class_names = [item[4:].replace("_", " ") for item in data_sets['train'].classes]
         def predict_breed_transfer(img_path, verbose=False):
             # load the image and return the predicted breed
             img = Image.open(img_path)
             if verbose:
                 print("Image infos {}, {}, {}".format(img.format, img.size, img.mode))
             img = img.convert(mode="RGB")
             transforms = vtransforms.Compose([vtransforms.Resize(256)
                                               , vtransforms.CenterCrop(224)
                                               , vtransforms.ToTensor()
                                               , vtransforms.Normalize(IMAGENET_STATS["mean"], IMAG
                                               1)
             img = transforms(img).unsqueeze(0)
             # Move to appropriate device
```



Sample Human Output

```
# predicted class index
idx = scores.argmax(dim=1).item()
return class_names[idx]

In [58]: predict_breed_transfer("images/Labrador_retriever_06457.jpg")

Out[58]: 'Labrador retriever'
```

## Step 5: Write your Algorithm

Write an algorithm that accepts a file path to an image and first determines whether the image contains a human, dog, or neither. Then, - if a **dog** is detected in the image, return the predicted breed. - if a **human** is detected in the image, return the resembling dog breed. - if **neither** is detected in the image, provide output that indicates an error.

You are welcome to write your own functions for detecting humans and dogs in images, but feel free to use the face\_detector and human\_detector functions developed above. You are required to use your CNN from Step 4 to predict dog breed.

Some sample output for our algorithm is provided below, but feel free to design your own user experience!

# 2.2.18 (IMPLEMENTATION) Write your Algorithm

```
output = f"There is a dog in the image, it is most likely a {dog_breed}"
else:
    output = f"Hello human :) You resemble a lot to a {dog_breed}"
else:
    output = "Error"
return output
```

## Step 6: Test Your Algorithm

In this section, you will take your new algorithm for a spin! What kind of dog does the algorithm think that *you* look like? If you have a dog, does it predict your dog's breed accurately? If you have a cat, does it mistakenly think that your cat is a dog?

# 2.2.19 (IMPLEMENTATION) Test Your Algorithm on Sample Images!

Test your algorithm at least six images on your computer. Feel free to use any images you like. Use at least two human and two dog images.

**Question 6:** Is the output better than you expected:) ? Or worse:(? Provide at least three possible points of improvement for your algorithm.

**Answer:** (Three possible points for improvement)

The output is really good and classify all dog images correctly. This single RenNet 50 achieves 83% accuracy which is good but not excellent.

Next steps for improvements are : - Improve face detection algorithm by using deep learning based methods. - Improve dog breed classifier, by adding more layers in the classifier part - Ensembling several neural nets.

```
In [65]: ## TODO: Execute your algorithm from Step 6 on
         ## at least 6 images on your computer.
         ## Feel free to use as many code cells as needed.
         SIZE = 224
         input_files = glob("app_inputs/*")
         fig, axes = plt.subplots(len(input_files),2, sharex=True, sharey=True, figsize=(10,30))
         ## suggested code, below
         for i, img_path in enumerate(input_files):
             ax1 = axes[i,0]
             ax2 = axes[i,1]
             message = run_app(img_path)
             img = Image.open(img_path)
             w,h = img.size
             img = img.resize(size=(SIZE,int(SIZE*h/w)))
             ax1.imshow(img)
             ax1.set_axis_off();
             ax2.text(0.5, 0.5, message, ha='left', rotation=0, fontsize=15)
             ax2.set_axis_off();
```



There is a dog in the image, it is most likely a French bulldog



There is a dog in the image, it is most likely a Pharaoh hound



There is a dog in the image, it is most likely a Alaskan malamute



Hello human :) You resemble a lot to a Dogue de bordeaux



Hello human :) You resemble a lot to a Silky terrier



There is a dog in the image, it is most likely a Beagle



There is a dog in the image, it is most likely a Chihuahua



Hello human :) You resemble a lot to a Pomeranian

```
In [69]: # extract pre-trained face detector
         face_cascade = cv2.CascadeClassifier('haarcascades/haarcascade_frontalface_alt.xml')
         # load color (BGR) image
         img = cv2.imread("app_inputs/img_8.jpeg")
         # convert BGR image to grayscale
         gray = cv2.cvtColor(img, cv2.COLOR_BGR2GRAY)
         # find faces in image
         faces = face_cascade.detectMultiScale(gray)
         # print number of faces detected in the image
         print('Number of faces detected:', len(faces))
         # get bounding box for each detected face
         for (x,y,w,h) in faces:
             # add bounding box to color image
             cv2.rectangle(img,(x,y),(x+w,y+h),(0,0,255),5)
         # convert BGR image to RGB for plotting
         cv_rgb = cv2.cvtColor(img, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)
         # display the image, along with bounding box
         plt.imshow(cv_rgb)
         plt.show()
Number of faces detected: 1
```



In []: