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Implementation strategy document



Setup

- 1. Cloning baseline code
- 2. Creating a virtual environment
- 3. Installing dependencies
- 4. Installing Tensorflow Object Detection
- 5. Cloning pre-trained models

Data

- 1. Cloning images from Kaggle
- 2. Creating a training and testing partition

Training

- 1. Updating the LabelMap
- 2. Creating TF records
- 3. Updating transfer learning config
- 4. Training the model

Detecting plates

- 1. Detecting plates from an image
- 2. Detecting plates from video

Applying OCR

- 1. Splitting GPU
- 2. Setup EasyOCR
- 3. Applying detection thresholding
- 4. Extract image width and height
- 5. Loop through detections and apply OCR
- 6. Filtering algorithm
- 7. Final OCR function
- 8. Applying ANPR in real time

Saving results

- 1. Importing dependencies
- 2. Building a save function
- 3. Saving plates from video

Using the saved results in our application