Neural Networks and Deep Learning Project Report: [CIFAR-100 Image Classification]

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Dataset Chosen: Cifar-100

Objective:

The objective of this project is to develop a convolutional neural network (CNN) for image classification. The CNN will be trained on a large dataset of images and will be able to classify new images into one of a predefined set of categories

CNN Architecture:

Layer	Type	Output Shape	
$conv2d_2$	Conv2D	(None, 32, 32, 128)	
$conv2d_3$	Conv2D	(None, 32, 32, 128)	
max_pooling2d	MaxPooling2D	(None, 16, 16, 128)	
dropout	Dropout	(None, 16, 16, 128)	
$conv2d_4$	Conv2D	(None, 16, 16, 256)	
$conv2d_5$	Conv2D	(None, 16, 16, 256)	
max_pooling2d_1	MaxPooling2D	(None, 8, 8, 256)	
dropout_1	Dropout	(None, 8, 8, 256)	
conv2d_6	Conv2D	(None, 8, 8, 512)	
$conv2d_7$	Conv2D	(None, 8, 8, 512)	
max_pooling2d_2	MaxPooling2D	(None, 4, 4, 512)	
dropout_2	Dropout	(None, 4, 4, 512)	
flatten	Flatten	(None, 8192)	
dense	Dense	(None, 1000)	
dropout_3	Dropout	(None, 1000)	
dense 1	Dense	(None, 1000)	
dropout_4	Dropout	(None, 1000)	
dense 2	Dense	(None, 100)	

I have also used **Data Augmentation** to artificially increase the size of a training dataset

by creating new training examples from existing ones. This has helped me to increase the accuracy of the result.

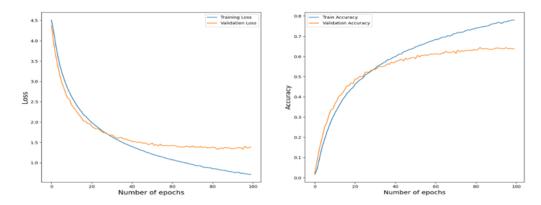
Results:

Validation Accuracy: 63.82 %

Test Accuracy: 63.84 %

Validation Loss: 1.38

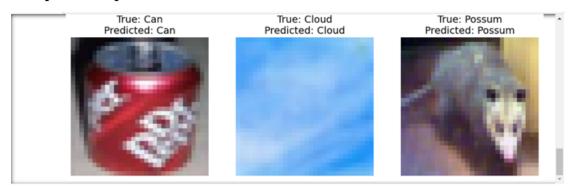
Test Loss: 1.38



Glimpse of prediction scores in each class:

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	precision	recall	f1-score	support				
Category 0	0.89	0.71	0.79	100				
Category 1	0.66	0.73	0.69	100				
Category 2	0.41	0.42	0.42	100				
Category 3	0.52	0.16	0.24	100				
Category 4	0.52	0.13	0.21	100				
Category 5	0.36	0.51	0.42	100				
Category 6	0.57	0.59	0.58	100				
Category 7	0.63	0.41	0.50	100				
Category 8	0.72	0.76	0.74	100				
Category 9	0.71	0.65	0.68	100				
Category 10	0.62	0.31	0.41	100				
Category 11	0.48	0.24	0.32	100				
Category 12	0.68	0.51	0.58	100				
Category 13	0.63	0.56	0.59	100				
Category 14	0.57	0.44	0.50	100				
Category 15	0.50	0.56	0.53	100				

Sampled Outputs



Conclusion

This project has successfully developed a (CNN) for image classification trained on Cifar-100 and was able to achieve an accuracy of 63.84%. This is a good result, given the complexity of the task. The CNN was able to correctly classify a wide variety of images, including animals, objects, and scenes. The project also investigated the use of data augmentation to improve the performance of the CNN.