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Dog Breed Classifier

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Hi

I've reviewed your previous submission. I won't repeat myself. I've checked that you have completed the required questions . Great.

You said adding Image Augmentation could be a good improvement and you are right. Keras provides a great tutorial: [How To Improve Deep Learning Performance](#)

Some interesting resources:

Pytorch is an excellent framework to learn too: https://pytorch.org/tutorials/beginner/transfer_learning_tutorial.html

Transfer learning could be used in NLP now. OpenAI released a framework: <https://openai.com/blog/gpt-2-6-month-follow-up/> and google too : <https://ai.googleblog.com/2018/11/open-sourcing-bert-state-of-art-pre.html>

Some cool stuff in RL: <https://openai.com/blog/openai-five/>

Keep up the great work

Sincerely

Leticia

Files Submitted

The submission includes all required files.

Step 1: Detect Humans

The submission returns the percentage of the first 100 images in the dog and human face datasets with a detected human face.

The submission opines whether Haar cascades for face detection are an appropriate technique for human detection.

Step 2: Detect Dogs

The submission returns the percentage of the first 100 images in the dog and human face datasets with a detected dog.

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

The submission specifies a CNN architecture.

The submission specifies the number of epochs used to train the algorithm.

The trained model attains at least 1% accuracy on the test set.

Step 5: Create a CNN to Classify Dog Breeds

The submission downloads the bottleneck features corresponding to one of the Keras pre-trained models (VGG-19, ResNet-50, Inception, or Xception).

The submission specifies a model architecture.

The submission details why the chosen architecture succeeded in the classification task and why earlier attempts were not as successful.

You answered the question 5.

The submission compiles the architecture by specifying the loss function and optimizer.

The submission uses model checkpointing to train the model and saves the model weights with the best validation loss.

The submission loads the model weights that attained the least validation loss.

The submission tests the model against the dataset and returns the test accuracy score.

Accuracy on the test set is 60% or greater.

The submission includes a function that takes a file path to an image as input and returns the dog breed that is predicted by the CNN.

Step 6: Write Your Algorithm

The submission uses the CNN from Step 5 to detect dog breed. The submission has different output for each detected image type (dog, human, other) and provides either predicted actual (or resembling) dog breed.

Step 7: Test Your Algorithm

The submission tests at least 6 images, including at least two human and two dog images.

You answered the question 6.

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