# Classifying Good vs Bad NBA defense using COCO-SSD

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# **Description**

- For my project, I used the pre-trained TFJS COCO-SSD model.
- I used the model to detect the Person class, then gave the model footage of a basketball game.
- Multiple persons (players) are detected.
- The min distance between any bounding box is measured.
- The distance is then measured and a relevant color bounding box is created

## **CV Concepts**

- This project used a Pre-Trained TFJS model.
- No transfer learning was used, I used the currently existing classes in the model!
- COCO (Common Objects in Context) is a training dataset used to train this model.
- SSD (Single Shot MultiBox Detection) is the method of object detection used by this model.

## Video Implementation

- Convert downloaded mp4 files to webcam-like stream.
- Pass stream to COCO-SSD for prediction

JS

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# **Classification Algorithm**

- Bounding box coordinates are taken from predictions.
- If more than one box, compare the distance between the center of each box.
- Color the box on a scale generated from the distance.

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+ Math.round(parseFloat(predictions[n].score) * 100) // prediction score
     + (predictions[n].bbox[1] - 10) + 'px; width: '
     + (predictions[n].bbox[2] - 10) + 'px; top: 0; left: 0;'
  highlighter.style = 'left: ' + predictions[n].bbox[0] + 'px; top:
     + predictions[n].bbox[2] + 'px; height:
     + predictions[n].bbox[3] + 'px;
    let centerX1 = (predictions[n].bbox[0] + (predictions[n].bbox[0] + predictions[n].bbox[2])) / 2;
    let center1 = { x: centerX1, y: centerY1 };
    let centerY2 = ((predictions[n-1].bbox[1] + predictions[n-1].bbox[3]) + predictions[n-1].bbox[1]) / 2;
    let distance = Math.sqrt((dx * dx) + (dy * dy));
    if (distance < minDistance) {
     minDistance = distance;
  liveView.appendChild(highlighter);
  children.push(p);
distances.push(minDistance):
```

## Demo

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Wait for the COCO-SSD model to load, and then hit the "Classify Video" Button.

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