Recognizing Facial Expressions Using a Convolutional Neural Network Model

Learning facial expressions from an image

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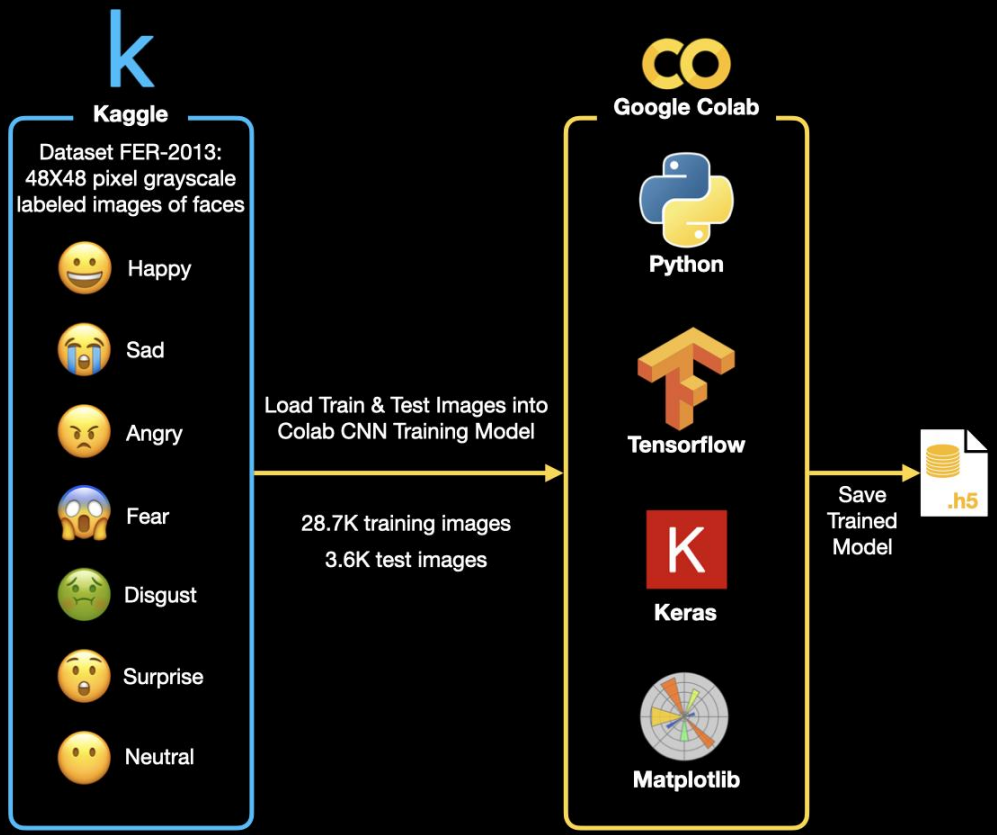
Emoji the Possibilities: Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) Model

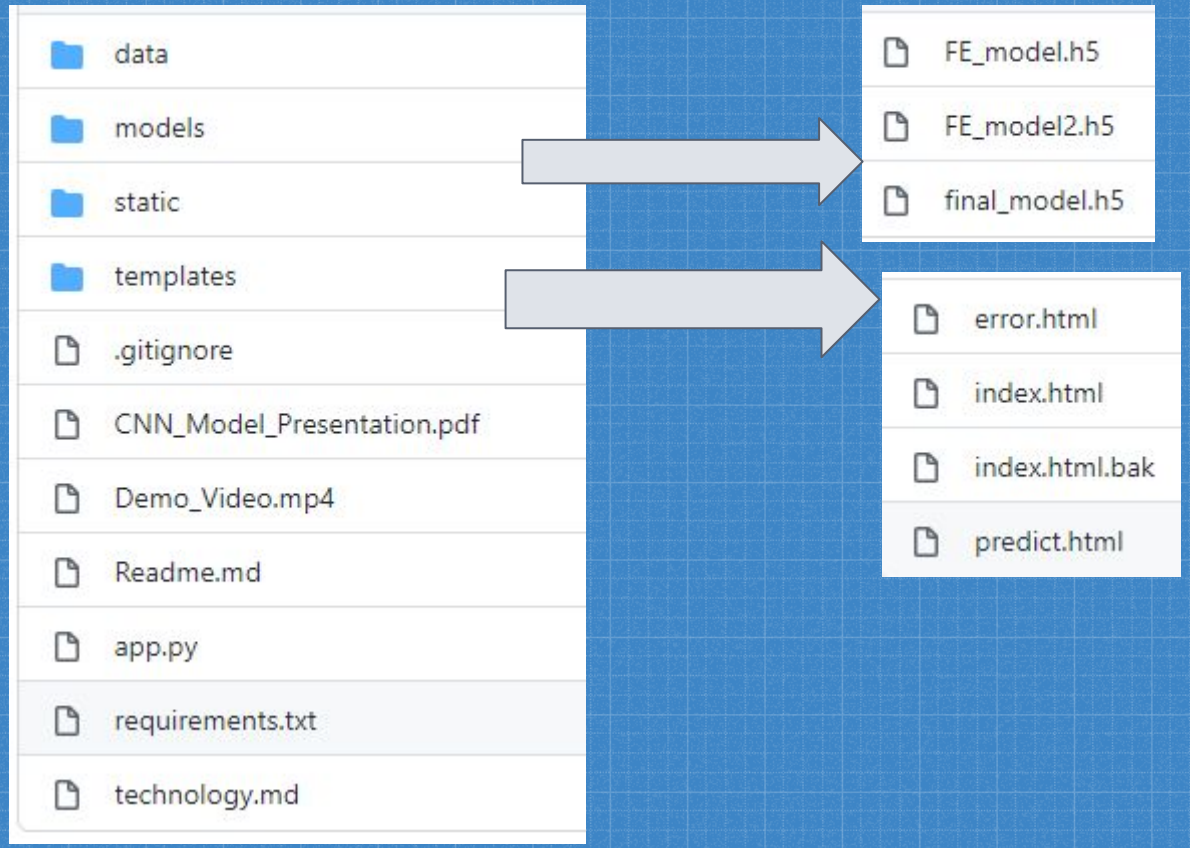


CNN Model Benefits

- Detects image features without human supervision
- High accuracy rate for image classification and recognition
- Proven effective with video and patterns in addition to face recognition

CNN Model Limitations

- Requires a relatively large data set to process and train the neural network
- Missing pixels can have a negative impact on the model verification process
- As CNN models typically have several layers, the training process can take hours even with computers that have a high performance GPU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CNN_Model_Presentation.pdf
Demo_Video.mp4
Readme.md
app.py
requirements.txt
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error.html
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                    <!-- Bring in image with buttons for upload new file and running
model-->
                    <!-- Add event listeners for the buttons -->

                    <h3>Image Selected</h3>

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message -->
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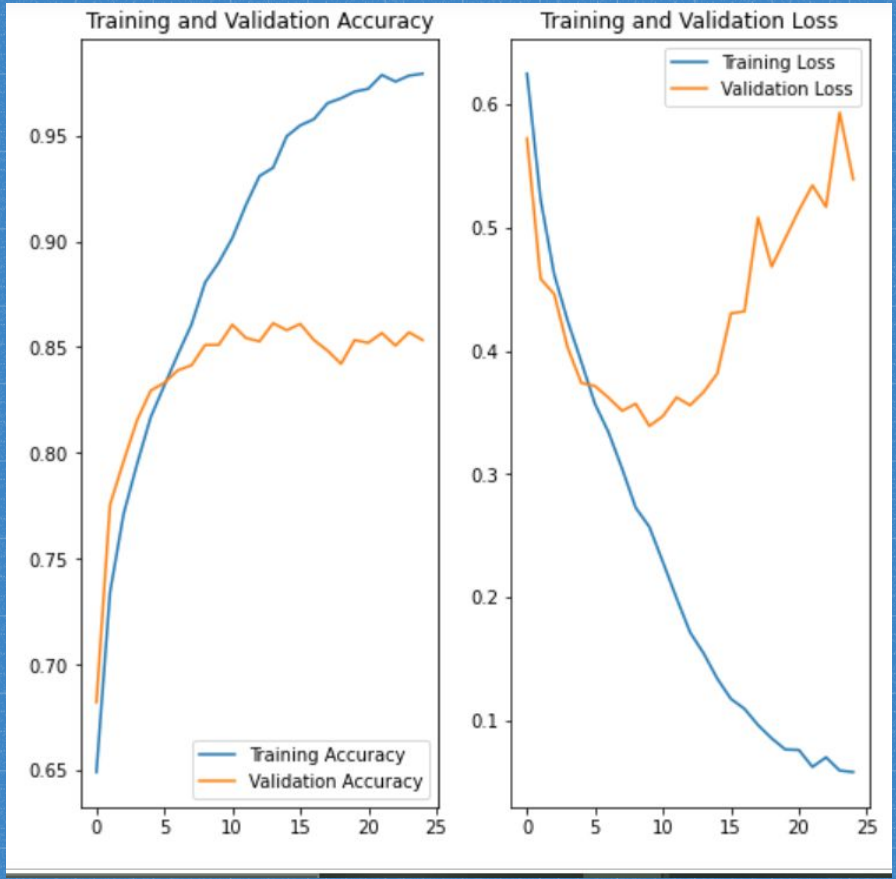
Accuracy Graphs



Final model:

loss: 1.0531

accuracy: 0.7403

Lessons Learned

All team members must have the same program versions installed

Tensorflow doesn’t work on a MAc M1

Assistance was required on the API solve

Future Enhancements

Augment the dataset with color images

Add functionality to incorporate an image taken from a camera

Ability to confirm model results

Create a database of classification results

Zoom plug-in to provide autistic people with a support tool that monitors the expressions of others on a Zoom call