Motivation

The game GeoGuessr has players guess their location in Street View based on their surroundings. Is it possible to train a computer vision model to do the same?



GE GUESSR

Can you guess these countries?

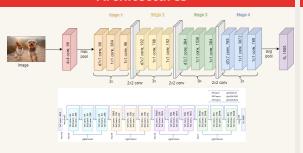


Goal

- Finetune advanced CNNs to correctly classify country and predict coordinates/distance from Street View images above chance levels
- 2. Compare performance of ConvNeXt and BiT at these tasks

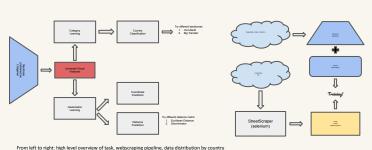


Architectures



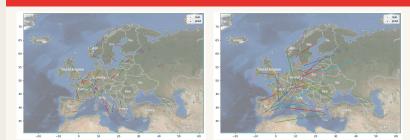
From top to bottom: ConvNext model and ResNet model used with BiT

Methodology

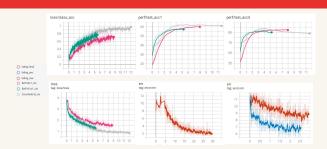




Results



From left to right: Positive and negative examples from ConvNeXt's lat-Ing prediction.



Top from left to right: train acc1, test acc1, test acc5

Bottom from left to right: classification loss, coordinate error, coordinate ablation

Method	Acc@	1 Acc@5	Acc@1	Acc@5
ConvNeXt-B	85.1%	97.9%	61.2%	86.6%
Bit-R50x1	63.4%	90.2%	59.0%	87.7%
BiT-R101x1	63.6%	91.0%	57.4%	86.3%
Method		error (degree)	loss	≤5 on Eval
Original from Imag	genet	8.8	63.6	24%
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Testing

Method	error (degree)	Acc@1	Acc@5
Euclidean	4.56	5%	20%
Discriminator	2.93	11%	36%

From top to bottom: classification accuracies of different backbones, errors in coordinate prediction, errors in distance prediction.

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