

Homework #1

Object Detection



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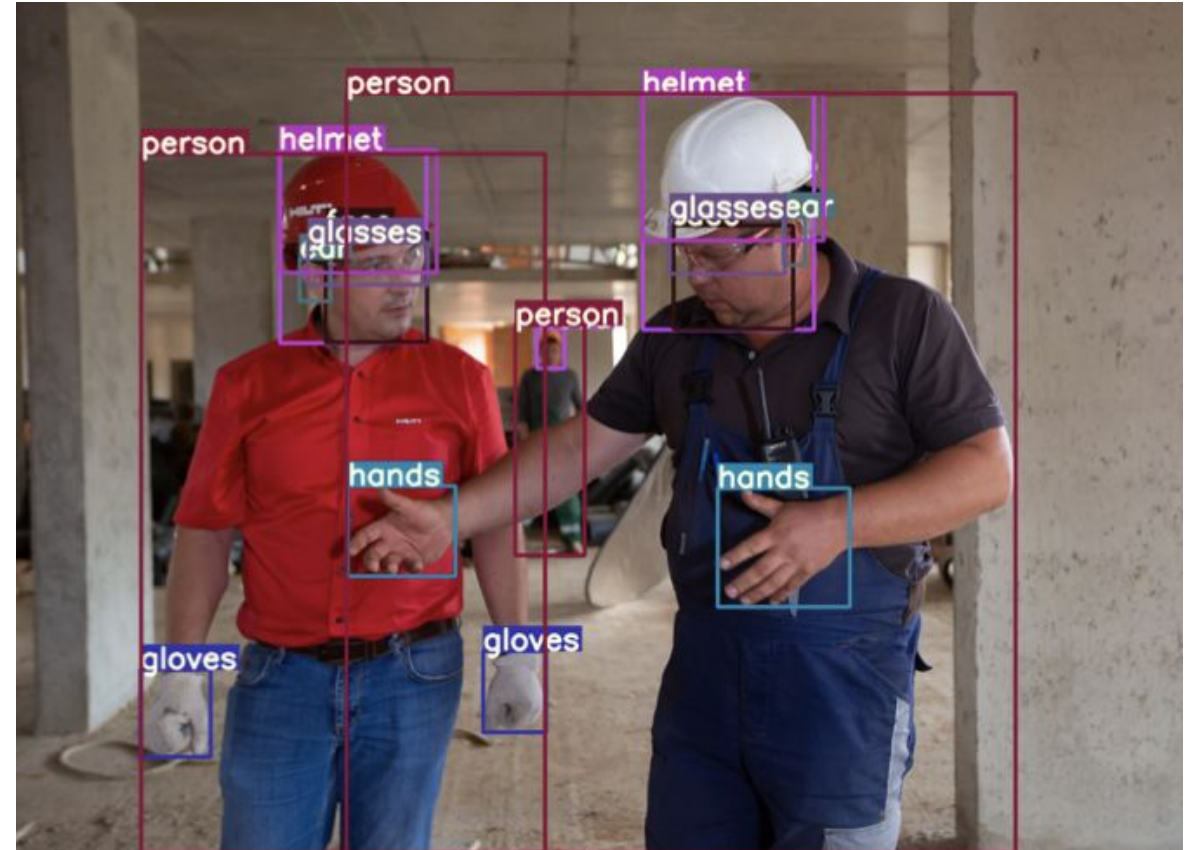
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HW1 - Object Detection

TOPIC: Object Detection for Occupational Injury Prevention

- Input: 2D RGB image
- Task: localization and classification
- Output: $N \times [\text{points}, \text{confidence}]$



- Model Constraints for this Homework
 - You must use either **Transformer-based** or **Mamba-based model**.
 - Failing to do so will result in a **deduction of 50 points**.
- Within these constraints, any method and pre-trained weights are allowed
- Recommended Model Structure

A. Transformer based method

- DETR, deformable DETR

B. Mamba based method

- Vision-Mamba, Mamba-YOLO



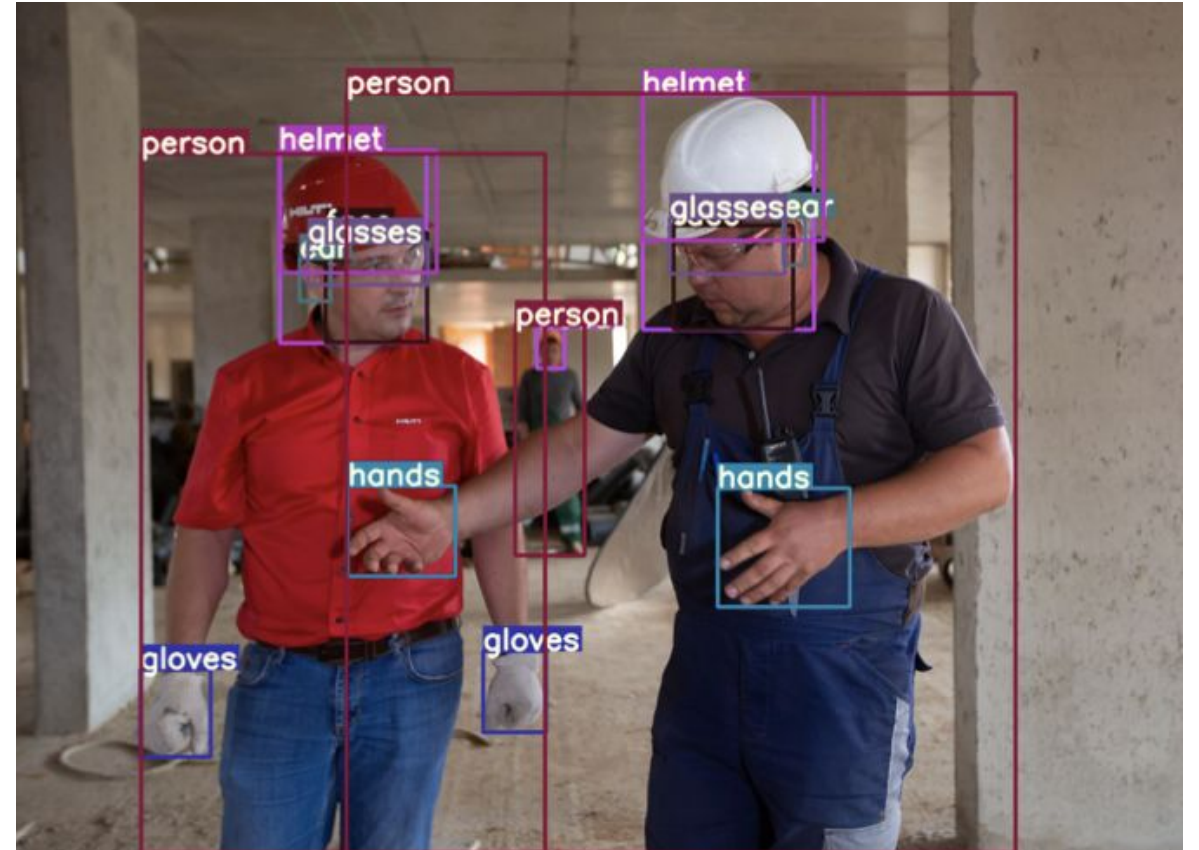
Dataset Description

- Download Link: [link](#)
- Training Set: 4319 images
- Validation Set: 2160 images
 - **DO NOT** use the validation set for training
- Testing Set: 1620 images
 - **DO NOT** try to find the ground truth
- Violating the rules on this page will result in a score of **zero**.
- If you are uncertain about the legitimacy of the usage, email the TAs for clarification

A Dataset Description

**The dataset
contains a total
of 17 categories.**

- 0 Person
- 1 Ear
- 2 Earmuffs
- 3 Face
- 4 Face-guard
- 5 Face-mask-medical
- 6 Foot
- 7 Tools
- 8 Glasses
- 9 Gloves
- 10 Helmet
- 11 Hands
- 12 Head
- 13 Medical-suit
- 14 Shoes
- 15 Safety-suit
- 16 Safety-vest





Grading Policies

- Baseline (validation set) (40%)
 - Simple baseline (20%) : 0.35 mAP
 - Strong baseline (20%) : 0.45 mAP
- Performance ranking (testing set) (30%)
 - Linear grading
- Report (30%)

- Evaluation Metric
 - We'll use the metric taught in class – Average Precision
 - Please refer to the course slides or this [intro](#)
 - The performance will be evaluated by this [function](#)

- mAP is used for all evaluation
 - i.e., AP at IoU = [50:5:95]

- 1) Draw the architecture of your object detector
 - In brief and clear
 - It would be fine to copy the figure from the paper
- 2) Implement details
 - e.g.: augmentation, loss function, parameter settings
- 3) Table of your performance for validation set (mAP, AP_{50} , AP_{75})
- 4) Visualization and discussion
 - Demonstrate the detection results, discussion for the long tail effect, etc.

- Deadline
 - 2024/10/16 (Wed.) 23:59
- Upload filename and format
 - hw1_<student-id>.zip (e.g. hw1_D12345678.zip)
- Submit to NTU cool
 - Do not upload the dataset (or 10 points will be deducted)

➤ Your submission should be a zipped file with the following structure:

- hw1_<student-id>.zip

- |-- hw1_<student-id> (Should contain this folder, not separate files)

- |----- hw1_<student-id>.pdf (Your report)

- |----- valid_<student-id>.json (Your prediction file of validation set)

- |----- test_<student-id>.json (Your prediction file of test set)

- |----- Codes for training and testing

- |----- README file

- Your environment details
 - How to run your code



Output JSON format

- sample_submission.json will be provided

```
{
  "IMG_8579_jpg.rf.1c60d2b975a7e600c88ec25f38c5b13d.jpg": {
    "boxes": [ ...
  ],
  "labels": [ ...
  ],
  "IMG_8571_MOV-3_jpg.rf.dcfbae1a6996c6208f63e848e7947ec4.jpg": { ...
  },
  "IMG_3185_jpeg_jpg.rf.82a017bce2929b7cb1e9104a0a22ffe7.jpg": { ...
  },
}
```

```
"labels": [
  2,
  2,
  1,
  2,
  1,
  2,
  2,
```

```
"boxes": [
  [
    151.28018188476562,
    424.45782470703125,
    183.20631408691406,
    514.0
  ],
```

- Check your performance on the validation set
 - \$ python eval.py <your_prediction.json> <valid_target.json>
 - The coordinate format for training set : **Normalized (x_center, y_center, width, height)**
 - The coordinate format for valid_target.json and the test set : **(x_min, y_min, x_max, y_max)**



Homework Guidelines

➤ **Step 1: Confirm the Model to Use**

- Determine if the model is Transformer-based or Mamba-based.
- Use resources like the official GitHub, PyTorch Lightning, or Transformers library.

➤ **Step 2: Adapt the Model for the Dataset**

- Check if pre-trained weights are available and identify how to fine-tune the model (e.g., modifying the output layer).
- **Confirm the model's input and output coordinate formats**
(may need preprocess or post-process).

➤ **Step 3: Fine-tune the Model on the Dataset**

- Set up the validation function and ensure model weights are saved.
- Monitor the training process to ensure loss convergence.

- **Step 4: Output Predictions for Validation and Test Sets**
 - Ensure the output JSON can be evaluated by `eval.py` for calculating the score.
 - Save files in the specified format: *`valid_<student-id>.json`* and *`test_<student-id>.json`*

- **Step 5: Write the Report and Submit**
 - Prepare the report and submit all necessary files according to the provided guidelines.



Useful Resources

- **Train HuggingFace DETR on Custom Dataset:** [Colab Notebook](#)
- **Transformers Tutorials:** [GitHub Repository](#)
- **Mamba-YOLO:** [GitHub Repository](#)
- **DINO:** [GitHub Repository](#)



Any Question

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