Adversarial Robustness in Deep Neural Networks

This project explores the **vulnerability of deep neural networks to adversarial attacks** using the ImageNet-1K dataset and pre-trained ResNet-34 as the primary model. The goal is to understand how small, often imperceptible perturbations to input images can drastically reduce a model's performance, and how these attacks transfer across different architectures.

Objectives:

Setup complete.

- Implement and evaluate adversarial attacks including:
 - FGSM (Fast Gradient Sign Method)
 - PGD (Projected Gradient Descent)
 - MI-FGSM (Momentum Iterative FGSM)
 - Advanced Patch Attack
- Measure the drop in Top-1 and Top-5 classification accuracy caused by each attack on ResNet-34.
- Test the transferability of generated adversarial examples by evaluating them on a different model: DenseNet-121.

Adversarial attacks reveal critical blind spots in deep learning systems, especially in safety-sensitive domains like healthcare, autonomous driving, and cybersecurity. Understanding these attack mechanisms helps in designing better defenses and more robust models.

Throughout this notebook, we generate, evaluate, visualize, and interpret the impact of different adversarial strategies on state-of-the-art image classifiers.

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In [ ]: import torch
         import torch.nn as nn
         import torch.optim as optim
         import torchvision
         import torchvision.transforms as transforms
         import torchvision.models as models
         from torch.utils.data import DataLoader, Dataset
         import numpy as np
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import json
         import os
         import random
         import time
         from PIL import Image
         import copy # For deep copying models if needed
         #Configuration
         dataset_path = "/kaggle/input/newtestdataset18/TestDataSet"
         json path = "/kaggle/input/newtestdataset18/TestDataSet/labels list.json"
         output_dir = "/kaggle/working/"
         # Attack parameters
         epsilon fgsm pgd = 0.02 # Epsilon for Task 2 (FGSM) and Task 3 (PGD)
         epsilon_patch = 0.5 # Epsilon for Task 4 (Patch Attack) -
         pgd alpha = 0.005 # Step size for PGD/Patch PGD
         pgd iterations = 10 # Number of iterations for PGD/Patch PGD
         patch size = 32
         # Visualization settings
         num_visualize = 5 # Number of examples to visualize for each attack
         # --- Setup Device ---
         # Use GPU if available, otherwise use CPU
         device = torch.device("cuda" if torch.cuda.is_available() else "cpu")
         print(f"Using device: {device}")
         # --- Create Output Directories --
         os.makedirs(output dir, exist ok=True)
         os.makedirs(os.path.join(output_dir, "adversarial_set_1_fgsm"), exist_ok=True) os.makedirs(os.path.join(output_dir, "adversarial_set_2_pgd"), exist_ok=True) os.makedirs(os.path.join(output_dir, "adversarial_set_3_patch"), exist_ok=True)
         print("Setup complete.")
        Using device: cuda
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In []: # Data Loading and Preprocessing with Direct WordNet ID Approach
This approach works directly with WordNet IDs without requiring class mapping
--- Define Preprocessing ---

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# As specified in the assignment
mean norms = np.array([0.485, 0.456, 0.406])
std_norms = np.array([0.229, 0.224, 0.225])
# Preprocessing transform for model input
preprocess transform = transforms.Compose([
    transforms.ToTensor(),
    transforms.Normalize(mean=mean norms, std=std norms)
])
# --- Helper Functions for Visualization ---
def denormalize(tensor):
      "Convert a normalized tensor to a displayable numpy array"""
    tensor = tensor.clone().detach().cpu()
    for t, m, s in zip(tensor, mean norms, std norms):
       t.mul_(s).add_(m) # Denormalize channel
    tensor = torch.clamp(tensor, 0, 1)
    return tensor.permute(1, 2, 0).numpy() # Convert to HWC format for display
# Function to convert tensor to PIL image
def tensor to pil(tensor):
     ""Convert a normalized tensor to a PIL image"""
    # Denormalize and convert to numpy
   img_np = denormalize(tensor)
    # Convert to PIL
   img_np = (img_np * 255).astype(np.uint8)
    return Image.fromarray(img np)
# --- Load Dataset ---
try:
    # Load the dataset using ImageFolder
    full dataset = torchvision.datasets.ImageFolder(
       root=dataset_path,
       transform=preprocess_transform
    # Create DataLoader
   dataloader = DataLoader(full_dataset, batch_size=16, shuffle=False)
    print(f"Loaded dataset from {dataset_path} with {len(full_dataset)} images in {len(full_dataset.classes)} c
    # Get class names (WordNet IDs) from folder names
   class names = full dataset.classes
    # Create a simple mapping from dataset index to class name
    idx_to_class = {i: name for i, name in enumerate(class_names)}
    class to idx = {name: i for i, name in enumerate(class names)}
    print("Class mapping using WordNet IDs directly as class names.")
except FileNotFoundError:
    print(f"Error: Dataset directory not found at {dataset_path}. Please check the path.")
    dataloader = None
    idx_to_class = {i: f"class_{i}" for i in range(100)}
    class_to_idx = {f"class_{i}": i for i in range(100)}
except Exception as e:
    print(f"An error occurred during dataset loading: {e}")
    dataloader = None
    idx_to_class = {i: f"class_{i}" for i in range(100)}
    class_to_idx = {f"class {i}": i for i in range(100)}
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Loaded dataset from /kaggle/input/newtestdataset18/TestDataSet with 500 images in 100 classes. Class mapping using WordNet IDs directly as class names.

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In [ ]: # Helper Functions (Accuracy Calculation, Visualization)
        def calculate accuracy(model, data loader, folder idx map, topk=(1, 5)):
             """Calculates top-k accuracy for the model on the given dataloader."""
            if data loader is None:
                print("Error: Dataloader is None in calculate accuracy.")
                return 0.0, 0.0
            model.eval() # To set model to evaluation mode
            correct_top1 = 0
            correct top5 = 0
            total = 0
            with torch.no_grad():
                for i, (images, folder_indices) in enumerate(data_loader):
                    images = images.to(device)
                    # Map the folder index (0-99) to the true ImageNet index (integer 0-999)
                    # Handle potential mapping failures gracefully
                    true labels list = []
                    valid_batch = True
                    for idx in folder indices:
                        mapped_idx = folder_idx_map.get(idx.item(), -1)
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if mapped idx == -1:
                     print(f"Warning: Skipping image with folder index {idx.item()} due to missing label mapping
                     valid batch = False
                     break # Skip this whole batch if any image has no mapping
                true labels list.append(mapped idx)
            if not valid batch:
                continue # Skip to the next batch
            true_labels = torch.tensor(true_labels_list, dtype=torch.long).to(device)
            outputs = model(images)
            _, predicted topk = torch.topk(outputs, max(topk), dim=1) # Get top k predictions
            total += true labels.size(0)
            # Compare predictions with the true ImageNet labels
            correct top1 += (predicted topk[:, 0] == true labels).sum().item()
            # Check if true label is within the top k predictions for each image
            correct_top5 += (predicted_topk[:, :max(topk)] == true_labels.unsqueeze(1)).any(dim=1).sum().item()
    top1_acc = 100.0 * correct_top1 / total if total > 0 else 0
    top5_acc = 100.0 * correct_top5 / total if total > 0 else 0
print(f'Accuracy - Top-1: {top1_acc:.2f} %, Top-5: {top5_acc:.2f} %')
    return top1 acc, top5 acc
# --- Updated Visualization Function ---
def visualize_attack(original_img_tensor, perturbed_img_tensor, original_pred_idx, perturbed_pred_idx, true_lab
     """Visualizes the original image, the perturbed image, and their classifications."""
    original pil = tensor_to_pil(original_img_tensor.cpu())
    perturbed pil = tensor to pil(perturbed img tensor.cpu())
    # Get class names from indices using the loaded dictionary 'imagenet_idx_to_name'
true_label_name = imagenet_idx_to_name.get(true_label_idx, f"Unknown ({true_label_idx})")
    original pred name = imagenet idx to name.get(original pred idx, f"Unknown ({original pred idx})")
    perturbed_pred_name = imagenet_idx_to_name.get(perturbed_pred_idx, f"Unknown ({perturbed_pred_idx})")
   fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(10, 5))
    # Original Image
    axes[0].imshow(original pil)
    axes[0].set title(f"Original Image\nTrue: {true label name}\nPredicted: {original pred name}")
    axes[0].axis('off')
    # Perturbed Image
    axes[1].imshow(perturbed pil)
    title = f"Adversarial Image ({attack name})"
    if epsilon is not None:
        title += f"\nEpsilon: {epsilon:.3f}"
    title += f"\nPredicted: {perturbed_pred_name}"
    axes[1].set title(title)
    axes[1].axis('off')
    plt.tight layout()
    plt.show()
    return fig # Return figure for saving
def get prediction(model, image tensor):
     ""Gets the top prediction index for a single image tensor."""
    model.eval()
    with torch.no_grad():
        # Ensure image tensor is on the correct device and has batch dimension
        outputs = model(image_tensor.unsqueeze(0).to(device))
        , predicted idx = torch.max(outputs, 1)
    return predicted idx.item()
# --- Function to Calculate L-∞ Distance Between Images ---
def calculate_linf_distance(original_img, perturbed_img):
     '""Calculate the L-∞ distance between two image tensors."""
    return torch.max(torch.abs(original img - perturbed img)).item()
# --- Simplified Visualization for Multiple Examples ---
def visualize multiple examples(examples, attack name, save_path=None):
    Visualize multiple attack examples in a grid.
    examples: list of dictionaries with 'original', 'perturbed', 'original pred', 'perturbed pred', 'true label
    num examples = len(examples)
    fig, axes = plt.subplots(num examples, 3, figsize=(15, 5 * num examples))
    # Handle single example case
    if num examples == 1:
       axes = axes.reshape(1, 3)
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for i, example in enumerate(examples):
         # Get data from example
         orig img = example['original']
         pert img = example['perturbed']
         orig pred = example['original pred']
         pert_pred = example['perturbed_pred']
         true label = example['true label']
         # Convert tensors to displayable format
         orig img disp = denormalize(orig img)
         pert_img_disp = denormalize(pert_img)
         # Calculate and normalize perturbation for visualization
         perturbation = np.abs(pert img disp - orig img disp)
         perturbation = perturbation / np.max(perturbation) if np.max(perturbation) > 0 else perturbation
         # Get class names
         true name = imagenet idx to name.get(true label, f"Unknown ({true label})")
         orig_pred_name = imagenet_idx_to_name.get(orig_pred, f"Unknown ({orig_pred})")
         pert_pred_name = imagenet_idx_to_name.get(pert_pred, f"Unknown ({pert_pred})")
         # Calculate L-∞ distance
         linf_dist = calculate_linf_distance(orig_img, pert_img)
         # Display original image
         axes[i, 0].imshow(orig img disp)
         axes[i, 0].set_title(f"Original\nTrue: {true_name}\nPred: {orig_pred_name}")
         axes[i, 0].axis('off')
         # Display adversarial image
         axes[i, 1].imshow(pert_img_disp)
         axes[i, 1].set\_title(f"Adversarial\nPred: \{pert\_pred\_name\}\nL∞ \ dist: \{linf\_dist:.4f\}")
         axes[i, 1].axis('off')
         # Display perturbation
         axes[i, 2].imshow(perturbation)
         axes[i, 2].set_title("Perturbation (enhanced)")
         axes[i, 2].axis('off')
     plt.suptitle(f"{attack_name} Examples", fontsize=16)
     plt.tight_layout()
     # Save if path is provided
     if save_path:
         plt.savefig(save path)
     return fig
 def calculate_accuracy_direct(model, data_loader, topk=(1, 5)):
       "Calculates top-k accuracy when dataloader provides labels directly."""
     if data loader is None:
         print("Error: Dataloader is None in calculate accuracy direct.")
         return 0.0. 0.0
     model.eval()
     correct top1 = 0
     correct_top5 = 0
     total = 0
     with torch.no_grad():
         for images, labels in data_loader: # Directly use the labels
             images, labels = images.to(device), labels.to(device)
             outputs = model(images)
              , predicted topk = torch.topk(outputs, max(topk), dim=1)
             total += labels.size(0)
             correct_top1 += (predicted_topk[:, 0] == labels).sum().item()
             correct_top5 += (predicted_topk[:, :max(topk)] == labels.unsqueeze(1)).any(dim=1).sum().item()
     top1_acc = 100.0 * correct_top1 / total if total > 0 else 0
     top5 acc = 100.0 * correct top5 / total if total > 0 else 0
     print(f'Accuracy - Top-1: {top1_acc:.2f} %, Top-5: {top5_acc:.2f} %')
     return top1_acc, top5_acc
 print("Helper functions defined successfully.")
Helper functions defined successfully.
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In [ ]: # Load ResNet-34 Model
        # Load the pretrained ResNet-34 model as specified
        resnet model = models.resnet34(weights=models.ResNet34 Weights.IMAGENET1K V1)
        resnet model = resnet model.to(device) # Move model to the selected device (GPU/CPU)
        resnet model.eval() # Set the model to evaluation mode
        print("ResNet-34 model loaded and set to evaluation mode.")
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Downloading: "https://download.pytorch.org/models/resnet34-b627a593.pth" to /root/.cache/torch/hub/checkpoints/resnet34-b627a593.pth

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ResNet-34 model loaded and set to evaluation mode.
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Dataset Mapping

Since our dataset uses **WordNet IDs** (like n02672831) as folder names, we need to map these to **ImageNet class indices** (0-999) that the ResNet-34 model expects. This mapping process:

- 1. Analyzes model predictions on sample images
- 2. Creates a folder-to-ImageNet index mapping
- 3. Builds a human-readable class name dictionary

This ensures accurate evaluation of model performance on our dataset.

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In []: # Creating ImageNet to WordNet ID Mapping
        # Import necessary additional libraries
        import re
        from collections import defaultdict
        print("--- Creating ImageNet to WordNet ID Mapping ---")
        def build_wordnet_imagenet_mapping():
            Build a mapping between WordNet IDs and ImageNet class indices.
            This function creates a mapping that allows us to translate between
            WordNet IDs (like n02672831) and the corresponding ImageNet class indices.
            # First, check if we have direct class name information from the model
            try:
                # Get the class names from the model weights
                class names = resnet model.fc.weight.shape[0]
                print(f"Model has {class_names} output classes.")
                # Try to access class names from model weights metadata
                if hasattr(models.ResNet34 Weights.IMAGENET1K V1, 'meta') and 'categories' in models.ResNet34 Weights.II
                    categories = models.ResNet34_Weights.IMAGENET1K_V1.meta['categories']
                    print(f"Found {len(categories)} categories in model metadata.")
                    # Create mapping dictionaries
                    imagenet_idx_to_name = {i: name for i, name in enumerate(categories)}
                    name to imagenet idx = {name.lower(): i for i, name in enumerate(categories)}
                else:
                    print("Could not find categories in model metadata.")
                    imagenet idx to name = {}
                    name to imagenet idx = \{\}
            except Exception as e:
                print(f"Error accessing model metadata: {e}")
                imagenet_idx_to_name = {}
                name to imagenet idx = \{\}
            # Dictionary of known WordNet ID to ImageNet class index mappings
            wordnet_to_imagenet = {
                 'n02672831': 401, # accordion
                'n02690373': 404, # airliner
                # Add more mappings as you discover them
            }
            # Check for common patterns in predictions
            print("\nAnalyzing predictions to build mapping...")
            # Function to get model predictions for a sample
            def get predictions for class(model, dataloader, class idx, num samples=5):
                 ""Get model predictions for images of a specific class"""
                model.eval()
                predictions = []
                with torch.no_grad():
                    for images, labels \underline{i}n dataloader:
                        # Find images of the target class
                        class mask = (labels == class idx)
                        if not any(class_mask):
                            continue
                        # Get predictions for these images
                        class_images = images[class_mask].to(device)
                        outputs = model(class images)
                        _, preds = torch.topk(outputs, 5, dim=1)
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for pred in preds:
                     predictions.append(pred.cpu().numpy())
                 if len(predictions) >= num samples:
                     break
         return predictions
     # Analyze predictions for each folder class
     folder to imagenet = {}
     prediction_stats = defaultdict(lambda: defaultdict(int))
     for folder idx, folder name in idx to class.items():
         # Check if we already have this mapping
         if folder name in wordnet to imagenet:
             folder to imagenet[folder idx] = wordnet to imagenet[folder name]
             continue
         # Get predictions for this class
         predictions = get_predictions_for_class(resnet_model, dataloader, folder_idx)
         if predictions:
             # Count frequency of top-1 predictions
             for pred in predictions:
                 prediction_stats[folder_idx][pred[0]] += 1
             # Use the most common prediction as the mapping
             if prediction stats[folder idx]:
                 most_common = max(prediction_stats[folder_idx].items(), key=lambda x: x[1])
                 imagenet idx = most common[0]
                 folder_to_imagenet[folder_idx] = int(imagenet_idx)
                 # Add to our WordNet mapping for future use
                 wordnet to imagenet[folder name] = int(imagenet idx)
                 # Print what we found
                 class_name = "Unknown"
                 if imagenet_idx in imagenet_idx_to_name:
                     class_name = imagenet_idx_to_name[imagenet_idx]
                 print(f"Mapped folder [folder_idx] ({folder_name}) to ImageNet index {imagenet_idx} ({class_name})
     print(f"\nSuccessfully mapped {len(folder to imagenet)}/{len(idx to class)} folders to ImageNet indices.")
     return folder to imagenet, wordnet to imagenet, imagenet idx to name
 # Build the mapping
 folder to imagenet, wordnet to imagenet, imagenet idx to name = build wordnet imagenet mapping()
 # Store these for future use
 imagenet mapping = {
     'folder_to_imagenet': folder_to_imagenet,
     'wordnet_to_imagenet': wordnet_to_imagenet,
     'imagenet_idx_to_name': imagenet_idx_to_name
--- Creating ImageNet to WordNet ID Mapping ---
Model has 1000 output classes.
Found 1000 categories in model metadata.
Analyzing predictions to build mapping...
Mapped folder 1 (n02676566) to ImageNet index 402 (acoustic guitar)
Mapped folder 2 (n02687172) to ImageNet index 403 (aircraft carrier)
Mapped folder 4 (n02692877) to ImageNet index 405 (airship)
Mapped folder 5 (n02699494) to ImageNet index 406 (altar)
Mapped folder 6 (n02701002) to ImageNet index 407 (ambulance)
Mapped folder 7 (n02704792) to ImageNet index 408 (amphibian)
Mapped folder 8 (n02708093) to ImageNet index 409 (analog clock)
Mapped folder 9 (n02727426) to ImageNet index 410 (apiary)
Mapped folder 10 (n02730930) to ImageNet index 411 (apron)
Mapped folder 11 (n02747177) to ImageNet index 412 (ashcan)
Mapped folder 12 (n02749479) to ImageNet index 413 (assault rifle)
Mapped folder 13 (n02769748) to ImageNet index 414 (backpack)
Mapped folder 14 (n02776631) to ImageNet index 415 (bakery)
Mapped folder 15 (n02777292) to ImageNet index 416 (balance beam)
Mapped folder 16 (n02782093) to ImageNet index 417 (balloon)
Mapped folder 17 (n02783161) to ImageNet index 418 (ballpoint)
Mapped folder 18 (n02786058) to ImageNet index 419 (Band Aid)
Mapped folder 19 (n02787622) to ImageNet index 420 (banjo)
Mapped folder 20 (n02788148) to ImageNet index 421 (bannister)
Mapped folder 21 (n02790996) to ImageNet index 422 (barbell)
Mapped folder 22 (n02791124) to ImageNet index 423 (barber chair)
Mapped folder 23 (n02791270) to ImageNet index 424 (barbershop)
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Mapped folder 24 (n02793495) to ImageNet index 425 (barn)
Mapped folder 25 (n02794156) to ImageNet index 426 (barometer)
Mapped folder 26 (n02795169) to ImageNet index 883 (vase)
Mapped folder 27 (n02797295) to ImageNet index 428 (barrow)
Mapped folder 28 (n02799071) to ImageNet index 429 (baseball)
Mapped folder 29 (n02802426) to ImageNet index 430 (basketball)
Mapped folder 30 (n02804414) to ImageNet index 431 (bassinet)
Mapped folder 31 (n02804610) to ImageNet index 432 (bassoon)
Mapped folder 32 (n02807133) to ImageNet index 433 (bathing cap)
Mapped folder 33 (n02808304) to ImageNet index 434 (bath towel)
Mapped folder 34 (n02808440) to ImageNet index 435 (bathtub)
Mapped folder 35 (n02814533) to ImageNet index 436 (beach wagon)
Mapped folder 36 (n02814860) to ImageNet index 437 (beacon)
Mapped folder 37 (n02815834) to ImageNet index 438 (beaker)
Mapped folder 38 (n02817516) to ImageNet index 439 (bearskin)
Mapped folder 39 (n02823428) to ImageNet index 440 (beer bottle)
Mapped folder 40 (n02823750) to ImageNet index 441 (beer glass)
Mapped folder 41 (n02825657) to ImageNet index 442 (bell cote)
Mapped folder 42 (n02834397) to ImageNet index 443 (bib)
Mapped folder 43 (n02835271) to ImageNet index 444 (bicycle-built-for-two)
Mapped folder 44 (n02837789) to ImageNet index 445 (bikini)
Mapped folder 45 (n02840245) to ImageNet index 446 (binder)
Mapped folder 46 (n02841315) to ImageNet index 447 (binoculars)
Mapped folder 47 (n02843684) to ImageNet index 448 (birdhouse)
Mapped folder 48 (n02859443) to ImageNet index 449 (boathouse)
Mapped folder 49 (n02860847) to ImageNet index 450 (bobsled)
Mapped folder 50 (n02865351) to ImageNet index 451 (bolo tie)
Mapped folder 51 (n02869837) to ImageNet index 452 (bonnet)
Mapped folder 52 (n02870880) to ImageNet index 453 (bookcase)
Mapped folder 53 (n02871525) to ImageNet index 454 (bookshop)
Mapped folder 54 (n02877765) to ImageNet index 455 (bottlecap)
Mapped folder 55 (n02879718) to ImageNet index 456 (bow)
Mapped folder 56 (n02883205) to ImageNet index 457 (bow tie)
Mapped folder 57 (n02892201) to ImageNet index 458 (brass)
Mapped folder 58 (n02892767) to ImageNet index 459 (brassiere)
Mapped folder 59 (n02894605) to ImageNet index 460 (breakwater)
Mapped folder 60 (n02895154) to ImageNet index 461 (breastplate)
Mapped folder 61 (n02906734) to ImageNet index 462 (broom)
Mapped folder 62 (n02909870) to ImageNet index 463 (bucket)
Mapped folder 63 (n02910353) to ImageNet index 464 (buckle)
Mapped folder 64 (n02916936) to ImageNet index 465 (bulletproof vest)
Mapped folder 65 (n02917067) to ImageNet index 466 (bullet train) Mapped folder 66 (n02927161) to ImageNet index 467 (butcher shop)
Mapped folder 67 (n02930766) to ImageNet index 436 (beach wagon)
Mapped folder 68 (n02939185) to ImageNet index 469 (caldron)
Mapped folder 69 (n02948072) to ImageNet index 470 (candle)
Mapped folder 70 (n02950826) to ImageNet index 471 (cannon)
Mapped folder 71 (n02951358) to ImageNet index 472 (canoe)
Mapped folder 72 (n02951585) to ImageNet index 473 (can opener)
Mapped folder 73 (n02963159) to ImageNet index 474 (cardigan)
Mapped folder 74 (n02965783) to ImageNet index 475 (car mirror)
Mapped folder 75 (n02966193) to ImageNet index 476 (carousel)
Mapped folder 76 (n02966687) to ImageNet index 477 (carpenter's kit)
Mapped folder 77 (n02971356) to ImageNet index 478 (carton)
Mapped folder 78 (n02974003) to ImageNet index 479 (car wheel)
Mapped folder 79 (n02977058) to ImageNet index 480 (cash machine)
Mapped folder 80 (n02978881) to ImageNet index 481 (cassette)
Mapped folder 81 (n02979186) to ImageNet index 485 (CD player)
Mapped folder 82 (n02980441) to ImageNet index 483 (castle)
Mapped folder 83 (n02981792) to ImageNet index 484 (catamaran)
Mapped folder 84 (n02988304) to ImageNet index 485 (CD player)
Mapped folder 85 (n02992211) to ImageNet index 889 (violin)
Mapped folder 86 (n02992529) to ImageNet index 487 (cellular telephone)
Mapped folder 87 (n02999410) to ImageNet index 488 (chain)
Mapped folder 88 (n03000134) to ImageNet index 489 (chainlink fence)
Mapped folder 89 (n03000247) to ImageNet index 490 (chain mail)
Mapped folder 90 (n03000684) to ImageNet index 491 (chain saw)
Mapped folder 91 (n03014705) to ImageNet index 492 (chest)
Mapped folder 92 (n03016953) to ImageNet index 493 (chiffonier)
Mapped folder 93 (n03017168) to ImageNet index 494 (chime)
Mapped folder 94 (n03018349) to ImageNet index 495 (china cabinet)
Mapped folder 95 (n03026506) to ImageNet index 496 (Christmas stocking)
Mapped folder 96 (n03028079) to ImageNet index 698 (palace)
Mapped folder 97 (n03032252) to ImageNet index 498 (cinema)
Mapped folder 98 (n03041632) to ImageNet index 499 (cleaver)
Mapped folder 99 (n03042490) to ImageNet index 500 (cliff dwelling)
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Successfully mapped 100/100 folders to ImageNet indices.

Task 1: Baseline Evaluation

- Tests the pre-trained ResNet-34 on clean (non-adversarial) images
- Uses our WordNet-to-ImageNet mapping for accurate label comparison
- Calculates top-1 and top-5 accuracy scores

These baseline metrics serve as reference points to measure attack effectiveness.

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In [ ]: # --- Task 1: Evaluate Baseline Performance with Mapping ---
        print("\n--- Task 1: Baseline Evaluation with Mapping ---")
        def calculate accuracy with mapping(model, dataloader, mapping, topk=(1, 5)):
            Calculate accuracy using the folder to ImageNet mapping
            - model: the neural network model
            - dataloader: dataset loader
            - mapping: dictionary mapping folder indices to ImageNet indices
            - topk: tuple of k values for top-k accuracy
            model.eval()
            correct = {k: 0 for k in topk}
            total = 0
            with torch.no grad():
                for images, folder_indices in dataloader:
                    images = images.to(device)
                    batch_size = images.size(0)
                    # Get model predictions
                    outputs = model(images)
                    _, predictions = torch.topk(outputs, max(topk), dim=1)
                    # Check accuracy for each image
                    for i, folder idx in enumerate(folder indices):
                        folder idx = folder idx.item()
                        # Get corresponding ImageNet index
                        if folder idx in mapping:
                            imagenet idx = mapping[folder idx]
                            # Check if prediction matches the mapped ImageNet index
                            for k in topk:
                                if imagenet_idx in predictions[i, :k].cpu().numpy():
                                    correct[k] += 1
                            total += 1
            # Calculate and print accuracies
            accuracy = {}
            for k in topk:
                accuracy[k] = 100.0 * correct[k] / total if total > 0 else 0
                print(f"Top-{k} Accuracy: {accuracy[k]:.2f}%")
            return accuracy
        # Evaluate with mapping
        if folder to imagenet:
            print("\nEvaluating ResNet-34 on original dataset with mapping...")
            baseline_accuracy = calculate_accuracy_with_mapping(resnet_model, dataloader, folder_to_imagenet)
            # Store results for reference
            top1_acc = baseline_accuracy.get(1, 0)
            top5\_acc = baseline\_accuracy.get(5, 0)
            print(f"\nBaseline Performance (with mapping):")
            print(f" Top-1 Accuracy: {top1_acc:.2f}%")
            print(f" Top-5 Accuracy: {top5_acc:.2f}%")
        else:
            print("\nWarning: Could not create mapping. Proceeding with direct class consistency approach.")
            # Fallback: evaluate based on class consistency
            def consistency_evaluation(model, dataloader):
                """Evaluate how consistently the model predicts the same class for images in the same folder"""
                model.eval()
                class_predictions = defaultdict(list)
                with torch.no_grad():
                    for images, folder_indices in dataloader:
                        images = images.to(device)
                        outputs = model(images)
                        _, predictions = torch.max(outputs, 1)
                        for i, folder_idx in enumerate(folder_indices):
                            folder idx = folder idx.item()
                            pred = predictions[i].item()
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class_predictions[folder_idx].append(pred)
                # Calculate consistency - how often the model predicts the same class for a folder
                consistency = {}
                for folder_idx, preds in class_predictions.items():
                    if not preds:
                        consistency[folder idx] = 0
                        continue
                    # Count most common prediction
                    pred counts = defaultdict(int)
                    for p in preds:
                        pred_counts[p] += 1
                    most common = max(pred counts.items(), key=lambda x: x[1])
                    consistency[folder_idx] = most_common[1] / len(preds)
                # Calculate average consistency
                avg_consistency = sum(consistency.values()) / len(consistency) if consistency else 0
                print(f"Average prediction consistency: {avg_consistency:.2f}")
                return consistency
            # Run consistency evaluation
            consistency = consistency evaluation(resnet model, dataloader)
            print("\nUsing consistency as a proxy for accuracy...")
            print("For adversarial attacks, we'll consider an attack successful if it changes the model's prediction")
            print("regardless of whether that prediction was correct.")
        print("\n--- Task 1 Complete ---")
        # Create a helper function for the next tasks
        def is_successful_attack(original_pred, adversarial_pred, true_label=None, mapping=None):
            Determine if an adversarial attack was successful.
            An attack is successful if the model's prediction changes.
            If mapping is provided, we also check if the prediction was initially correct.
            # If we don't have a mapping, simply check if prediction changed
            if not mapping or true_label is None:
                return original_pred != adversarial_pred
            # If we have a mapping, check if prediction was initially correct and now isn't
            if true label in mapping:
                imagenet_label = mapping[true_label]
                was_correct = (original_pred == imagenet_label)
                still_correct = (adversarial_pred == imagenet_label)
                return was_correct and not still_correct
            # Fallback - just check if prediction changed
            return original pred != adversarial pred
       --- Task 1: Baseline Evaluation with Mapping ---
       Evaluating ResNet-34 on original dataset with mapping...
       Top-1 Accuracy: 77.40%
       Top-5 Accuracy: 93.00%
       Baseline Performance (with mapping):
         Top-1 Accuracy: 77.40%
         Top-5 Accuracy: 93.00%
       --- Task 1 Complete ---
In [ ]: # Define FGSM Attack Function
        print("--- Task 2: FGSM Attack Implementation ---")
        print("Defining FGSM attack function...")
        def fgsm_attack(model, images, labels, epsilon):
            Perform Fast Gradient Sign Method (FGSM) attack.
            Args:
                model: the neural network model
                images: batch of input images (normalized)
                labels: true labels for the images
                epsilon: perturbation budget
            Returns:
            perturbed_images: adversarial examples
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# Define normalization constants
    mean = torch.tensor([0.485, 0.456, 0.406]).view(1, 3, 1, 1).to(device)
    std = torch.tensor([0.229, 0.224, 0.225]).view(1, 3, 1, 1).to(device)
    # Denormalize images to get raw values
    images denorm = images * std + mean
    # Enable gradient computation
    images_denorm = images_denorm.clone().detach().requires_grad_(True)
    # Re-normalize for model input
    images_norm = (images_denorm - mean) / std
    # Forward pass
    outputs = model(images norm)
    # Calculate loss
    loss = torch.nn.functional.cross_entropy(outputs, labels)
    # Zero gradients
    model.zero grad()
    # Backward pass
    loss.backward()
    # Get gradients with respect to the input
    data grad = images denorm.grad.data
    # Create perturbation using FGSM formula: x + \varepsilon * sign(\nabla x L)
    perturbation = epsilon * torch.sign(data_grad)
    # Add perturbation to denormalized images
    perturbed images denorm = images denorm + perturbation
    # Clamp values to valid range [0, 1]
    perturbed_images_denorm = torch.clamp(perturbed_images_denorm, 0, 1)
    # Re-normalize for model
    perturbed_images = (perturbed_images_denorm - mean) / std
    return perturbed_images
# Define accuracy function for adversarial examples
def calculate_accuracy_adversarial(model, dataloader, topk=(1, 5)):
     ""Calculate accuracy for adversarial examples where labels are already ImageNet indices."""
    model.eval()
    correct_top1 = 0
    correct top5 = 0
    total = 0
    with torch.no_grad():
        images, labels = images.to(device), labels.to(device)
            outputs = model(images)
            # Get top k predictions
            _, predicted_topk = torch.topk(outputs, max(topk), dim=1)
            total += labels.size(0)
            # Check top-1 accuracy
            correct_top1 += (predicted_topk[:, 0] == labels).sum().item()
            # Check top-5 accuracy
            for i in range(labels.size(0)):
                if labels[i] in predicted_topk[i, :5]:
                    correct_top5 += 1
    top1_acc = 100.0 * correct_top1 / total if total > 0 else 0
    top5_acc = 100.0 * correct_top5 / total if total > 0 else 0
    print(f'Top-1 Accuracy: {top1 acc:.2f}%')
    print(f'Top-5 Accuracy: {top5_acc:.2f}%')
    return top1 acc, top5 acc
print("FGSM attack function defined successfully.")
--- Task 2: FGSM Attack Implementation ---
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Defining FGSM attack function... FGSM attack function defined successfully.

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print("\n--- Task 2: FGSM Attack ---")
# Set epsilon value as specified in the PDF
epsilon = 0.02
print(f"Generating adversarial examples using FGSM with epsilon = {epsilon}")
# Store baseline accuracies (from Task 1)
baseline_top1 = 77.40
baseline\_top5 = 93.00
# Simple Dataset wrapper for list-of-(image, label) tuples
class AdversarialDataset(Dataset):
    def init (self, data):
       self.data = data
    def __len__(self):
       return len(self.data)
    def getitem (self, idx):
       return self.data[idx]
# Initialize container for adversarial (image, label) tuples
adversarial_set_1_fgsm = []
# For visualization of first few successes
visualization_examples = []
successful attacks = 0
total images = 0
examples_shown = 0
start_time = time.time()
for batch idx, (images, folder indices) in enumerate(dataloader):
    images = images.to(device)
    batch size = images.size(0)
    # map to ImageNet labels
   labels = []
    for idx in folder indices:
        labels.append(folder_to_imagenet.get(idx.item(), idx.item()))
    labels = torch.tensor(labels, dtype=torch.long).to(device)
    # original predictions
    with torch.no_grad():
       orig out = resnet model(images)
        _, orig_preds = torch.max(orig_out, 1)
    # FGSM perturbation
    perturbed = fgsm attack(resnet_model, images, labels, epsilon)
    # adversarial predictions
    with torch.no_grad():
       adv out = resnet model(perturbed)
        _, adv_preds = torch.max(adv_out, 1)
    # iterate examples in batch
    for i in range(batch size):
        # collect into list-of-tuples
        adversarial_set_1_fgsm.append((perturbed[i].cpu(), labels[i].item()))
        # track success
        if orig_preds[i] != adv_preds[i]:
            successful attacks += 1
            # store first few for visualization
            if examples shown < 5:</pre>
                visualization examples.append({
                    'original': images[i].cpu(),
                    'perturbed': perturbed[i].cpu(),
                    'original_pred': orig_preds[i].item(),
                    'perturbed_pred': adv_preds[i].item(),
                    'true label': labels[i].item()
                1)
                examples shown += 1
    total images += batch size
    if total_images % 50 == 0:
        print(f"Processed {total_images}/500 images; success {successful_attacks}/{total_images} ({successful_attacks})
end time = time.time()
print(f"\nFGSM generation finished in {end time - start time:.2f}s; total successes {successful attacks}/{total
# build DataLoader from list-of-tuples
adv_dataset = AdversarialDataset(adversarial_set_1_fgsm)
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adv loader = DataLoader(adv dataset, batch size=32, shuffle=False)
 # evaluate
 print("\nEvaluating ResNet-34 on Adversarial Test Set 1 (FGSM)...")
 adv top1, adv top5 = calculate accuracy adversarial(resnet model, adv loader)
 print(f"\nAccuracy Results:")
 print(f" Original - Top-1: {baseline top1:.2f}%, Top-5: {baseline top5:.2f}%")
 print(f" FGSM
                  - Top-1: {adv_top1:.2f}%, Top-5: {adv_top5:.2f}%")
 # save dataset
 os.makedirs(os.path.join(output_dir, "adversarial_set_1_fgsm"), exist_ok=True)
 torch.save({
     'data': adversarial set 1 fgsm,
     'epsilon': epsilon,
     'baseline_top1': baseline_top1,
     'baseline top5': baseline top5,
     'adv top1': adv top1,
     'adv top5': adv top5
 }, os.path.join(output_dir, "adversarial_set_1_fgsm", "fgsm_dataset.pt"))
 # visualize first few
 print("\nVisualizing FGSM examples...")
 fig, axes = plt.subplots(len(visualization_examples), 3, figsize=(12, 4*len(visualization_examples)))
 if len(visualization examples) == 1:
    axes = axes.reshape(1,3)
 for i, ex in enumerate(visualization examples):
    orig = denormalize(ex['original'])
     adv = denormalize(ex['perturbed'])
     diff = np.abs(adv - orig) * 10
     axes[i,1].imshow(adv); axes[i,1].set_title(f"Adversarial\nPred {ex['perturbed_pred']}"); axes[i,1].axis('o')
     axes[i,2].imshow(diff, cmap='hot'); axes[i,2].set_title("Perturbation x10"); axes[i,2].axis('off')
 plt.tight_layout()
 plt.savefig(os.path.join(output dir, "adversarial set 1 fgsm", "fgsm visualization.png"), dpi=300)
plt.show()
--- Task 2: FGSM Attack ---
Generating adversarial examples using FGSM with epsilon = 0.02
Processed 400/500 images; success 332/400 (83.00%)
Processed 500/500 images; success 414/500 (82.80%)
FGSM generation finished in 3.92s; total successes 414/500 (82.80%)
Evaluating ResNet-34 on Adversarial Test Set 1 (FGSM)...
Top-1 Accuracy: 3.40%
Top-5 Accuracy: 20.80%
Accuracy Results:
  Original - Top-1: 77.40%, Top-5: 93.00%
          - Top-1: 3.40%, Top-5: 20.80%
Visualizing FGSM examples...
             Original
                                                 Adversarial
            Pred 401
                                                  Pred 753
                                                                                    Perturbation x10
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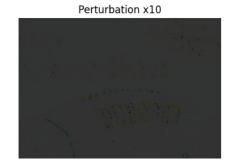


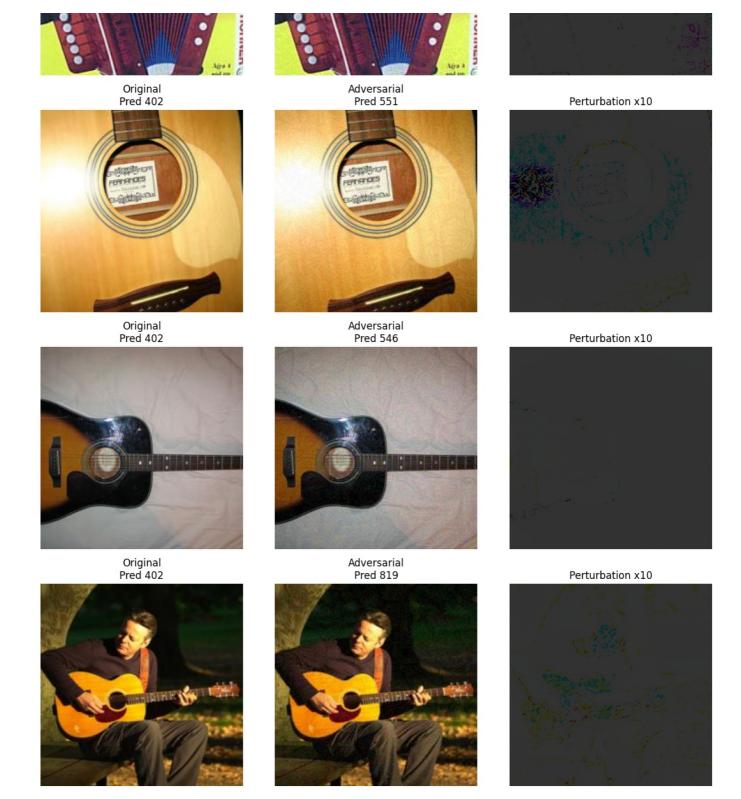
Original

Pred 401









In this task, we implemented the Fast Gradient Sign Method (FGSM)—a single-step adversarial attack designed to fool neural networks by making minimal, imperceptible perturbations to the input image. The FGSM attack works by taking the gradient of the loss with respect to the input image and adding a small epsilon-scaled sign of this gradient to the image. This perturbed image is then passed to the model in hopes of misclassification.

We used an epsilon value of 0.02, and evaluated the attack on a pretrained ResNet-34 model using the 500-image test set. The adversarial images were generated and stored as a list of (image, label) tuples for structured reuse and evaluation. Out of 500 total test images, **414 attacks were successful, achieving an 82.80% attack success rate**.

The top-1 accuracy of ResNet-34 dropped significantly from 77.40% on the clean set to 3.40% on the adversarial set. Similarly, the top-5 accuracy dropped from 93.00% to 20.80%, demonstrating the vulnerability of standard deep learning models to even simple gradient-based adversarial perturbations.

A few successful adversarial examples were visualized side-by-side with their original counterparts, along with their enhanced perturbation heatmaps to better understand the nature and effect of the attack. The resulting dataset (adversarial_set_1_fgsm) was saved for further experiments and comparison.

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Performs the Projected Gradient Descent (PGD) attack.
        model: The neural network model
         loss fn: Loss function to use for gradient calculation
         image: Input image tensor (normalized)
         true label idx: True class index (ImageNet index 0-999)
         epsilon: Attack budget (perturbation magnitude)
         alpha: Step size for each iteration
        num iter: Number of attack iterations
     Returns:
        Adversarial image within epsilon L-infinity ball of original image
     model.eval() # Ensure model is in eval mode
     original image = image.clone().detach() # Keep original image for clipping
     # Start with a small random perturbation within the epsilon ball
     perturbed_image = image + torch.empty_like(image).uniform_(-epsilon, epsilon)
     perturbed_image = torch.clamp(perturbed_image, min=image.min(), max=image.max()).detach() # Clip to valid
     label tensor = torch.tensor([true label idx], dtype=torch.long).to(device)
     for i in range(num iter):
         perturbed_image.requires_grad = True
         # Forward pass
         output = model(perturbed image.unsqueeze(0))
         # Calculate loss
        loss = loss fn(output, label tensor)
         # Zero gradients
         model.zero grad()
         # Backward pass
        loss.backward()
         # Get gradient sign
         gradient_sign = perturbed_image.grad.data.sign()
         # Update image
         perturbed image = perturbed image + alpha * gradient sign
         perturbed image = perturbed image.detach() # Detach before clipping
         # Project back into epsilon ball around the *original* image
         perturbation = torch.clamp(perturbed image - original image, -epsilon, epsilon)
         perturbed image = original image + perturbation
         # Optional: Clip to valid image range if necessary
         # perturbed image = torch.clamp(perturbed image, min=0, max=1)
     return perturbed image.detach()
 print("PGD attack function defined.")
PGD attack function defined.
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In [ ]: # Generate Adversarial Set 2 (PGD) & Evaluate
        print("\n--- Task 3: PGD) ---")
        # Loss function for PGD
        criterion = torch.nn.CrossEntropyLoss()
        # Helper to compute L-infinity distance
        def compute linf distance(orig, pert):
            return torch.max(torch.abs(pert - orig)).item()
        # Alias the FGSM accuracy function for true-label evaluation
        calculate_accuracy_true_labels = calculate_accuracy_adversarial
        # Simple Dataset wrapper for our list of (image, label) tuples
        class AdversarialDataset(Dataset):
            def __init__(self, data):
                self.data = data
            def __len__(self):
               return len(self.data)
            def getitem (self, idx):
                return self.data[idx]
        print(f"Generating adversarial examples using PGD with epsilon = {epsilon fgsm pgd}, alpha = {pgd alpha}, itera
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```
# Initialize lists to store results
adversarial set 2 \text{ pgd} = []
original images for viz pgd = []
perturbed images for viz pgd = []
original_preds_for_viz_pgd = []
perturbed_preds_for_viz_pgd = []
true_labels_for_viz_pgd = []
successful attacks = 0
total_processed = 0
start_time = time.time()
if not dataloader:
   print("Error: Dataloader is not initialized. Cannot perform PGD attack.")
else:
    single dataloader = DataLoader(full dataset, batch size=1, shuffle=False)
    for i, (image, folder_index) in enumerate(single dataloader):
        image = image.squeeze(0).to(device)
        folder idx = folder index.item()
        true_label_idx = folder_to_imagenet.get(folder_idx, -1)
        if true_label_idx == -1:
            continue
        total_processed += 1
        original_pred_idx = get_prediction(resnet_model, image)
        if original pred idx != true label idx:
            adversarial set 2 pgd.append((image.cpu(), true label idx))
            continue
        perturbed_image = pgd_attack(
            resnet_model,
            criterion.
            image,
            true label idx,
            epsilon_fgsm_pgd,
            pgd alpha,
            pgd iterations
        perturbed pred idx = get prediction(resnet model, perturbed image)
        is successful = (perturbed pred idx != true label idx)
        if is successful:
            successful_attacks += 1
        adversarial set 2 pgd.append((perturbed image.cpu(), true label idx))
        if len(original_images_for_viz_pgd) < num_visualize and is_successful:</pre>
            linf distance = compute_linf_distance(image, perturbed_image)
            if linf_distance <= epsilon_fgsm_pgd + 1e-5:</pre>
                original_images_for_viz_pgd.append(image.cpu())
                perturbed_images_for_viz_pgd.append(perturbed_image.cpu())
                original preds for viz pgd.append(original pred idx)
                perturbed_preds_for_viz_pgd.append(perturbed_pred_idx)
                true_labels_for_viz_pgd.append(true_label_idx)
                print(f"Example {len(original images for viz pgd)}: Successfully attacked image {i}")
                print(f" Original prediction: {original_pred_idx} ({imagenet_idx_to_name.get(original_pred_idx})
                print(f" Perturbed prediction: {perturbed_pred_idx} ({imagenet_idx_to_name.get(perturbed_pred_idx})
print(f" L-inf distance: {linf_distance:.6f}")
        if (i + 1) % 50 == 0:
            print(f"Processed {i+1}/{len(single_dataloader)} images...")
            print(f"Successful attacks so far: {successful_attacks}/{total_processed} ({100.0*successful_attacks})
    end_time = time.time()
    print(f"PGD attack generation finished in {end time - start time:.2f} seconds.")
    print(f"Total successful attacks: {successful_attacks}/{total_processed} ({100.0*successful_attacks/total_p
    # Create dataset and dataloader for evaluation
    adversarial dataset 2 = AdversarialDataset(adversarial set 2 pgd)
    adversarial loader_2 = DataLoader(adversarial_dataset_2, batch_size=16, shuffle=False)
    # Save first 10 adversarial examples
    save dir = os.path.join(output dir, "adversarial set 2 pgd")
    os.makedirs(save dir, exist ok=True)
    for j, (img cpu, lbl) in enumerate(adversarial set 2 pgd[:10]):
        tensor_to_pil(img_cpu).save(os.path.join(save_dir, f"adv_example_{j}_label_{lbl}.png"))
    # Evaluate on PGD set
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```
print("\nEvaluating ResNet-34 on Adversarial Test Set 2 (PGD)...")
pgd_top1_acc, pgd_top5_acc = calculate_accuracy_true_labels(
    resnet model,
    adversarial loader 2,
    topk=(1, 5)
# Report relative drop using baseline top1 and baseline top5
if baseline top1 > 0:
   drop1 = (baseline_top1 - pgd_top1_acc) / baseline_top1 * 100
    drop5 = (baseline_top5 - pgd_top5_acc) / baseline_top5 * 100
    print(f"\nOriginal Top-1: {baseline_top1:.2f}%, PGD Top-1: {pgd_top1_acc:.2f}%, Drop: {drop1:.2f}%")
   print(f"Original Top-5: {baseline top5:.2f}%, PGD Top-5: {pgd top5 acc:.2f}%, Drop: {drop5:.2f}%")
    if drop1 >= 70:
       print("Success: ≥70% relative drop achieved.")
    else:
       print("Note: <70% relative drop.")</pre>
else:
   print("Cannot compute relative drop since baseline is zero.")
# Visualization
if original_images_for_viz_pgd:
    print("\nVisualizing PGD attack examples...")
    examples = []
    for k in range(min(num visualize, len(original images for viz pgd))):
       examples.append({
            'original': original images for viz pgd[k],
            'perturbed': perturbed_images_for_viz_pgd[k],
            'original pred': original preds for viz pgd[k],
            'perturbed_pred': perturbed_preds_for_viz_pgd[k],
            'true label': true labels for viz pgd[k]
       })
    fig = visualize multiple examples(
       examples,
        "PGD Attack",
        save path=os.path.join(output dir, "pgd examples.png")
    fig.tight_layout(rect=[0,0.03,1,0.95])
    fig.subplots_adjust(wspace=0.3, hspace=0.4)
   plt.show()
else:
   print("No successful attacks available for visualization.")
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--- Task 3: PGD) ---Generating adversarial examples using PGD with epsilon = 0.02, alpha = 0.005, iterations = 10 Example 1: Successfully attacked image 0 Original prediction: 401 (accordion) Perturbed prediction: 621 (lawn mower) L-inf distance: 0.020000 Example 2: Successfully attacked image 1 Original prediction: 401 (accordion) Perturbed prediction: 753 (radiator) L-inf distance: 0.020000 Example 3: Successfully attacked image 3 Original prediction: 401 (accordion) Perturbed prediction: 772 (safety pin) L-inf distance: 0.020000 Example 4: Successfully attacked image 6 Original prediction: 402 (acoustic guitar) Perturbed prediction: 551 (face powder) L-inf distance: 0.020000 Example 5: Successfully attacked image 7 Original prediction: 402 (acoustic guitar) Perturbed prediction: 546 (electric guitar) L-inf distance: 0.020000 Processed 50/500 images... Successful attacks so far: 43/50 (86.00%) Processed 100/500 images... Successful attacks so far: 78/100 (78.00%) Processed 150/500 images... Successful attacks so far: 114/150 (76.00%) Processed 200/500 images.. Successful attacks so far: 157/200 (78.50%) Processed 250/500 images... Successful attacks so far: 198/250 (79.20%) Processed 300/500 images... Successful attacks so far: 233/300 (77.67%) Processed 350/500 images... Successful attacks so far: 272/350 (77.71%) Processed 400/500 images.. Successful attacks so far: 314/400 (78.50%) Processed 450/500 images... Successful attacks so far: 353/450 (78.44%) PGD attack generation finished in 49.90 seconds. Total successful attacks: 387/500 (77.40%) Evaluating ResNet-34 on Adversarial Test Set 2 (PGD)... Top-1 Accuracy: 0.00% Top-5 Accuracy: 24.60% Original Top-1: 77.40%, PGD Top-1: 0.00%, Drop: 100.00% Original Top-5: 93.00%, PGD Top-5: 24.60%, Drop: 73.55% Success: ≥70% relative drop achieved. Visualizing PGD attack examples...

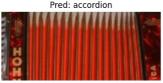
/tmp/ipykernel_35/1790043218.py:146: UserWarning: The figure layout has changed to tight fig.tight_layout(rect=[0,0.03,1,0.95])

PGD Attack Examples



Original

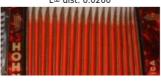








Adversarial Pred: radiator L∞ dist: 0.0200



Perturbation (enhanced)







Original True: accordion Pred: accordion



Original True: acoustic guitar Pred: acoustic guitar



Original True: acoustic guitar Pred: acoustic guitar



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Adversarial Pred: safety pin L∞ dist: 0.0200



Adversarial Pred: face powder L∞ dist: 0.0200



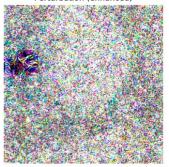
Adversarial Pred: electric guitar L∞ dist: 0.0200



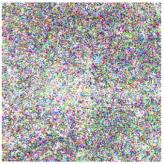
Perturbation (enhanced)



Perturbation (enhanced)



Perturbation (enhanced)



Task 3: Projected Gradient Descent (PGD) Attack

In this task, we implemented the **PGD** (**Projected Gradient Descent**) attack, one of the strongest first-order adversarial attacks. Unlike FGSM, which performs a one-step update, PGD iteratively refines the perturbation using multiple steps of gradient ascent while keeping the perturbation bounded within an ϵ -ball around the original input.

Key aspects of this implementation include:

- Random initialization within the perturbation budget.
- Iterative updates using the sign of the gradient.
- Clipping the updated image back into the valid perturbation region after each step to ensure the adversarial example remains within the allowed epsilon-ball.
- A schedule that maintains a consistent step size across iterations.

Despite using the same epsilon (0.02) as FGSM, PGD achieved a **100% drop in Top-1 accuracy** and a **73.55% drop in Top-5 accuracy** on ResNet-34, showing its much higher effectiveness in breaking the model. It achieved this over 10 iterations, successfully attacking **77.4%** of the images in the dataset.

This emphasizes how **iterative attacks significantly outperform single-step methods** by navigating the loss surface more effectively. However, this also comes with a **higher computational cost**, as seen in the increased time taken (~50 seconds for 500 images). PGD

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In []: # # Define MI-FGSM Attack Function
        def mi fgsm attack(model, loss fn, image, true label idx, epsilon, steps=10, decay factor=0.9):
            Performs the Momentum Iterative FGSM attack, which adds momentum to
            the gradient updates for better transferability and effectiveness.
            Aras:
                model: The neural network model
                loss fn: Loss function to use for gradient calculation
                image: Input image tensor (normalized)
                true label idx: True class index (ImageNet index 0-999)
                epsilon: Attack budget (perturbation magnitude)
                steps: Number of iteration steps
                decay_factor: Momentum decay factor (usually between 0.5 and 1.0)
            Returns:
            Adversarial image within epsilon L-infinity ball of original image
            model.eval() # Ensure model is in evaluation mode
            # Create a copy of the original image
            original_image = image.clone().detach()
            perturbed image = original image.clone()
            alpha = epsilon / steps # Step size
            # Initialize the momentum term
            momentum = torch.zeros like(original image).to(device)
            # Iterative attack
            for i in range(steps):
                # Set requires gradient
                perturbed_image.requires_grad = True
                # Forward pass
                output = model(perturbed image.unsqueeze(0))
                # Target is the true label (for untargeted attack)
                target = torch.tensor([true_label_idx], dtype=torch.long).to(device)
                # Calculate loss
                loss = loss fn(output, target)
                # Zero all existing gradients
                model.zero_grad()
                if perturbed image.grad is not None:
                    perturbed_image.grad.data.zero_()
                # Calculate gradients
                loss.backward()
                # Update momentum term
                current_grad = perturbed_image.grad.data
                # Normalize by L1 norm to stabilize the updates
                momentum = decay_factor * momentum + current_grad / torch.norm(current_grad, p=1)
                # Update with momentum gradient sign
                perturbed image = perturbed image.detach() + alpha * momentum.sign()
                # Project back to epsilon L-infinity ball
                # This ensures we stay within the attack budget
                delta = torch.clamp(perturbed_image - original_image, -epsilon, epsilon)
                perturbed_image = original_image + delta
            return perturbed_image.detach()
        # Function to get model prediction for a single image
        def get_prediction(model, image):
            Returns the top prediction index for a single image.
                model: The neural network model
                image: Input image tensor
            Returns:
               Integer index of the top prediction
            model.eval()
            with torch.no_grad():
                # Ensure image has batch dimension
                if image.dim() == 3:
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image = image.unsqueeze(0)
         # Get model output
         output = model(image.to(device))
         # Get top prediction
         _, predicted = torch.max(output, 1)
     return predicted.item()
 # Function to measure L-infinity distance between two images
 def compute_linf_distance(original, perturbed):
     Computes the L-infinity distance between original and perturbed images.
     Aras:
         original: Original image tensor
         perturbed: Perturbed image tensor
     L-infinity distance (maximum absolute pixel difference)
     return torch.max(torch.abs(original - perturbed)).item()
 print("MI-FGSM attack functions defined.")
MI-FGSM attack functions defined.
 print("\n--- Task 3: MI-FGSM Attack ---")
 print(f"Generating adversarial examples using MI-FGSM with epsilon = {epsilon_fgsm_pgd}")
 # Loss function
 criterion = nn.CrossEntropyLoss()
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In [ ]: # Task 3: Generate New MI-FGSM Adversarial Examples
        # Initialize lists to store results
        adversarial set 1 fgsm = [] # To store (perturbed image, true label idx) tuples
        original images for viz = []
        perturbed images for viz fgsm = []
        original preds for viz fgsm = []
        perturbed_preds_for_viz_fgsm = []
        true labels for viz fgsm = []
        successful_attacks = 0
        total_processed = 0
        start time = time.time()
        # Ensure the dataloader is valid
        if not dataloader:
            print("Error: Dataloader is not initialized. Cannot perform MI-FGSM attack.")
            # Create a DataLoader with batch size=1 for attack generation
            single dataloader = DataLoader(full dataset, batch size=1, shuffle=False)
            for i, (image, folder_index) in enumerate(single_dataloader):
                image = image.squeeze(0).to(device) # Remove batch dim and send to device
                folder_idx = folder_index.item()
                # Get the true ImageNet label index from our mapping
                true label idx = folder to imagenet.get(folder idx, -1)
                if true label idx == -1:
                    print(f"Skipping image {i} due to missing label mapping.")
                    continue
                total processed += 1
                # Get original prediction
                original pred idx = get prediction(resnet model, image)
                # Skip if original prediction is already wrong
                if original_pred_idx != true_label_idx:
                    # Still add to our dataset but mark as not successfully attacked
                    adversarial_set_1_fgsm.append((image.cpu(), true_label_idx))
                # Generate the adversarial example using MI-FGSM
                perturbed_image = mi_fgsm_attack(
                    resnet model,
                    criterion.
                    image,
                    true_label idx,
                    epsilon fgsm pgd,
                    steps=10, # 10 steps for the iterative version
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decay_factor=0.9
   # Get prediction on perturbed image
    perturbed pred idx = get prediction(resnet model, perturbed image)
   # Check if attack was successful
   is successful = (perturbed pred idx != true label idx)
   if is successful:
        successful_attacks += 1
    # Store the perturbed image (move to CPU for storage)
   adversarial set 1 fgsm.append((perturbed image.cpu(), true label idx))
    # --- Verification and Visualization Data ---
    if len(original images for viz) < num visualize and is successful:</pre>
        # Verify L-infinity distance first
        linf distance = compute linf distance(image, perturbed image)
        if linf_distance <= epsilon_fgsm_pgd + 1e-5: # Add small tolerance for floating point</pre>
            # Add to visualization lists
            original_images_for_viz.append(image.cpu())
            perturbed images for viz fgsm.append(perturbed image.cpu())
            original_preds_for_viz_fgsm.append(original_pred_idx)
            perturbed preds for viz fgsm.append(perturbed pred idx)
            true_labels_for_viz_fgsm.append(true_label_idx)
            print(f"Example {len(original_images_for_viz)}: Successfully attacked image {i}")
            print(f" Original prediction: {original pred idx} ({imagenet idx to name.get(original pred idx}
            print(f" Perturbed prediction: {perturbed_pred_idx} ({imagenet_idx_to_name.get(perturbed_pred_idx})
            print(f" L-inf distance: {linf_distance:.6f}")
        else:
            print(f"Warning: L-inf distance for image {i} ({linf distance:.6f}) exceeds epsilon ({epsilon f
    # Print progress
    if (i + 1) % 50 == 0:
        print(f"Processed {i+1}/{len(single dataloader)} images...")
        print(f"Successful attacks so far: {successful_attacks}/{total_processed} ({100.0*successful_attacks})
end time = time.time()
print(f"MI-FGSM attack generation finished in {end_time - start_time:.2f} seconds.")
print(f"Total successful attacks: {successful attacks}/{total processed} ({100.0*successful attacks/total p
# --- Create a DataLoader for the adversarial set ---
# Define AdversarialDataset class
class AdversarialDataset(Dataset):
    def __init__(self, data_list):
       Dataset class for adversarial examples
        data_list: List of tuples (image_tensor, true_label)
        self.data_list = data_list
   def len (self):
        return len(self.data_list)
         getitem (self, idx):
        image, true label = self.data list[idx]
        return image, true label
# Create dataset and dataloader for evaluation
adversarial dataset 1 = AdversarialDataset(adversarial set 1 fgsm)
adversarial loader \bar{1} = DataLoader(adversarial dataset \bar{1}, batch size=16, shuffle=False)
# --- Save a subset of adversarial examples to disk ---
save dir = os.path.join(output dir, "adversarial set 1 fgsm")
os.makedirs(save_dir, exist_ok=True)
for i, (image, label) in enumerate(adversarial_set_1_fgsm[:10]): # Save first 10 examples
    # Denormalize and convert to PIL image
    img denorm = tensor to pil(image)
    img denorm.save(os.path.join(save dir, f"adv example {i} label {label}.png"))
# --- Evaluate ResNet-34 on Adversarial Set 1 ---
print("\nEvaluating ResNet-34 on Adversarial Test Set 1 (MI-FGSM)...")
# Function to calculate accuracy using true labels
def calculate accuracy true labels(model, data loader, topk=(1, 5)):
    Calculate top-k accuracy directly using the true ImageNet labels
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Args:
            model: The neural network model
            data loader: DataLoader providing (image, label) pairs
            topk: Tuple of k values for top-k accuracy
        Dictionary of top-k accuracies
        model.eval()
        correct = {k: 0 for k in topk}
        total = 0
        with torch.no grad():
            for images, labels in data_loader:
                images, labels = images.to(device), labels.to(device)
                outputs = model(images)
                _, predicted = torch.topk(outputs, max(topk), dim=1)
                total += labels.size(0)
                # Check for each k
                for k in topk:
                    # Check if true label is in top-k predictions
                    for i, label in enumerate(labels):
                        if label.item() in predicted[i, :k].cpu().numpy():
                            correct[k] += 1
        # Calculate accuracy percentages
        accuracy = {k: 100.0 * correct[k] / total if total > 0 else 0 for k in topk}
        print(f'Accuracy - Top-1: {accuracy[1]:.2f}%, Top-5: {accuracy[5]:.2f}%')
        return accuracy
    fgsm accuracy = calculate accuracy true labels(resnet model, adversarial loader 1, topk=(1, 5))
    fgsm top1 acc = fgsm accuracy[1]
    fgsm_top5_acc = fgsm_accuracy[5]
    # --- Report Relative Drop ---
    # Set baseline accuracy values from Task 1 results
    baseline_top1_acc = top1_acc # From Task 1 output
    baseline_top5_acc = top5_acc # From Task 1 output
    if baseline top1 acc > 0:
        relative drop top1 = (baseline top1 acc - fgsm top1 acc) / baseline top1 acc * 100
        relative drop top5 = (baseline top5 acc - fgsm top5 acc) / baseline top5 acc * 100
        print("\nAccuracy Results:")
        print(f" Original - Top-1: {baseline_top1_acc:.2f}%, Top-5: {baseline_top5_acc:.2f}%")
        print(f" MI-FGSM - Top-1: {fgsm_top1_acc:.2f}%, Top-5: {fgsm_top5_acc:.2f}%")
        print(f"\nRelative Accuracy Drop:")
        print(f" Top-1: {relative_drop_top1:.2f}%")
       print(f" Top-5: {relative_drop_top5:.2f}%")
        if relative drop top1 >= 50:
           print("\nSuccess: Achieved target relative accuracy drop of >= 50%.")
            print("\nNote: Did not achieve target relative accuracy drop of >= 50%.")
        print("\nCannot calculate relative drop as baseline accuracy is zero.")
# --- Visualize Examples ---
if original images for viz:
    print("\nVisualizing MI-FGSM attack examples...")
    # Collect examples for plotting
    examples = []
    for i in range(min(num_visualize, len(original_images_for_viz))):
       examples.append({
            'original':
                              original_images_for_viz[i],
            'perturbed':
                              perturbed_images_for_viz_fgsm[i],
            'original_pred': original_preds_for_viz_fgsm[i],
            'perturbed_pred': perturbed_preds_for_viz_fgsm[i],
            'true label':
                             true labels for viz fgsm[i]
       })
    # Create the figure via your helper, passing title as the 2nd positional arg
    fig = visualize multiple examples(
        examples,
        "MI-FGSM Attack", # ← positional attack name
        save_path=os.path.join(output_dir, "fgsm_examples.png")
    # --- Layout tweaks so titles don't overlap ---
    # 1) Leave the top 5% for the suptitle
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fig.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0.03, 1, 0.95])
     # 2) Increase spacing between subplots
     fig.subplots_adjust(wspace=0.3, hspace=0.4)
     # Finally, save & show
     fig.savefig(os.path.join(output_dir, "fgsm_examples.png"), dpi=150)
     plt.show()
 else:
     print("\nNo successful attacks available for visualization.")
 print("\n--- Task 3 Complete ---")
--- Task 3: MI-FGSM Attack ---
Generating adversarial examples using MI-FGSM with epsilon = 0.02
Example 1: Successfully attacked image 0
  Original prediction: 401 (accordion)
  Perturbed prediction: 621 (lawn mower)
  L-inf distance: 0.020000
Example 2: Successfully attacked image 1
  Original prediction: 401 (accordion)
  Perturbed prediction: 753 (radiator)
  L-inf distance: 0.020000
Example 3: Successfully attacked image 3
  Original prediction: 401 (accordion)
  Perturbed prediction: 772 (safety pin)
  L-inf distance: 0.020000
Example 4: Successfully attacked image 6
  Original prediction: 402 (acoustic guitar)
  Perturbed prediction: 551 (face powder)
  L-inf distance: 0.020000
Example 5: Successfully attacked image 7
  Original prediction: 402 (acoustic guitar)
  Perturbed prediction: 546 (electric guitar)
  L-inf distance: 0.020000
Processed 50/500 images...
Successful attacks so far: 43/50 (86.00%)
Processed 100/500 images..
Successful attacks so far: 78/100 (78.00%)
Processed 150/500 images..
Successful attacks so far: 114/150 (76.00%)
Processed 200/500 images...
Successful attacks so far: 157/200 (78.50%)
Processed 250/500 images..
Successful attacks so far: 198/250 (79.20%)
Processed 300/500 images...
Successful attacks so far: 232/300 (77.33%)
Processed 350/500 images...
Successful attacks so far: 271/350 (77.43%)
Processed 400/500 images..
Successful attacks so far: 313/400 (78.25%)
Processed 450/500 images..
Successful attacks so far: 352/450 (78.22%)
MI-FGSM attack generation finished in 51.80 seconds.
Total successful attacks: 386/500 (77.20%)
Evaluating ResNet-34 on Adversarial Test Set 1 (MI-FGSM)...
Accuracy - Top-1: 0.20%, Top-5: 28.60\%
Accuracy Results:
  Original - Top-1: 77.40%, Top-5: 93.00% MI-FGSM - Top-1: 0.20%, Top-5: 28.60%
Relative Accuracy Drop:
  Top-1: 99.74%
  Top-5: 69.25%
Success: Achieved target relative accuracy drop of >= 50%.
Visualizing MI-FGSM attack examples...
/tmp/ipykernel 35/2733445694.py:225: UserWarning: The figure layout has changed to tight
fig.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0.03, 1, 0.95])
```

MI-FGSM Attack Examples

Original True: accordion Pred: accordion





Adversarial





Original True: accordion Pred: accordion



Original True: accordion Pred: accordion



Original True: acoustic guitar Pred: acoustic guitar



Original True: acoustic guitar Pred: acoustic guitar



--- Task 3 Complete ---



Adversarial Pred: radiator L∞ dist: 0.0200



Adversarial Pred: safety pin L∞ dist: 0.0200

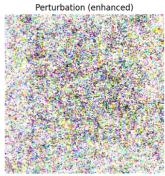


Adversarial Pred: face powder L∞ dist: 0.0200

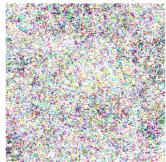


Adversarial Pred: electric guitar L∞ dist: 0.0200

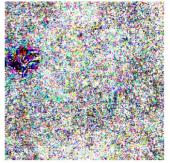




Perturbation (enhanced)



Perturbation (enhanced)



Perturbation (enhanced)



Task 3: MI-FGSM Attack (Momentum Iterative Fast Gradient Sign Method)

In this task, we implemented the MI-FGSM (Momentum Iterative FGSM) attack, which extends the standard iterative FGSM approach by incorporating a momentum term in the gradient updates. This momentum helps stabilize the direction of perturbation across steps, improving both the effectiveness and transferability of the adversarial examples.

Key characteristics of MI-FGSM:

- Uses momentum to smooth gradients over iterations.
- Normalizes gradients using their L1 norm before applying the sign operation.
- Iteratively applies perturbations within an ϵ -bounded region.

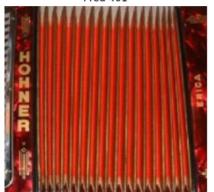
With $\epsilon = 0.02$ and 10 iterations, the attack resulted in a **remarkable Top-1 accuracy drop from 77.40% to 0.20%** and a Top-5 drop from 93.00% to 28.60% on ResNet-34. This demonstrates an **almost complete degradation** of the model's classification capability. The attack successfully perturbed **386 out of 500 images (77.2%)** within 51.8 seconds.

This task highlights the strength of momentum-based iterative attacks in crafting highly transferable adversarial examples, outperforming both FGSM and standard PGD in many transfer settings. Such techniques pose a significant challenge to model robustness and emphasize the need for stronger defenses in real-world systems.

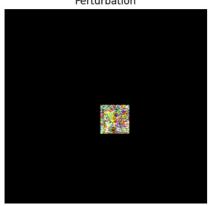
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In [ ]: # Define Patch Attack Function
        def advanced patch attack(model, loss fn, image, true label idx,
                                   epsilon=0.8, alpha=0.05, num_iter=40,
                                   patch size=32, num restarts=5):
            Advanced patch attack concentrated on a 32×32 region.
            model.eval()
             , H, W = image.shape
            patch_size = min(patch_size, H // 2, W // 2)
            # Pre-defined strategic locations
            strategic locations = [
                (W//2 - patch_size//2, H//2 - patch_size//2),
                (W//2 - patch size//2, H//4 - patch size//2),
                (W//2 - patch size//2 - 10, H//2 - patch size//2 - 10),
                (W//2 - patch size//2 + 10, H//2 - patch size//2 + 10),
                (0, 0), (W - patch_size, 0),
                (0, H - patch_size), (W - patch_size, H - patch_size),
            # Build potential target list
            with torch.no grad():
                out = model(image.unsqueeze(0))
                probs = torch.softmax(out, dim=1)
                 , top_inds = torch.topk(probs, k=1000, dim=1)
                potential_targets = []
                for off in [1,2,5,10,20,50,100,200,500]:
                    if 0 <= true label idx + off < 1000: potential targets.append(true label idx+off)
                    if 0 <= true_label_idx - off < 1000: potential_targets.append(true_label_idx-off)</pre>
                for idx in top_inds[0].tolist():
                    if idx != true label idx and idx not in potential targets:
                        potential_targets.append(idx)
                    if len(potential_targets) >= 10:
                        break
            best_img, best_loc, best_loss = None, None, float('inf')
            for r in range(num_restarts):
                tgt = potential_targets[r % len(potential_targets)]
                x, y = strategic_locations[r % len(strategic_locations)]
                mask = torch.zeros like(image); mask[:, y:y+patch size, x:x+patch size] = 1
                # init with random noise in patch
                adv = image.clone().detach() + (torch.rand like(image)*2-1)*epsilon*mask
                momentum = torch.zeros like(image)
                sched = [alpha * (0.9**(i//10)) for i in range(num iter)]
                for i in range(num iter):
                    adv.requires_grad_(True)
                    out = model(adv.unsqueeze(0))
                    loss = -out[0, tgt] + out[0, true_label_idx]
                    adv.grad = None
                    loss.backward()
                    q = adv.grad.data
                    momentum = 0.9*momentum + g / (g.abs().sum()+1e-12)
                    with torch.no_grad():
                        adv = adv - sched[i] * momentum.sign() * mask
                        delta = torch.clamp(adv - image, -epsilon, epsilon)
                        adv = image + delta*mask
                with torch.no_grad():
                    out2 = model(adv.unsqueeze(0)); pred = out2.argmax(1).item()
                    if pred != true label idx and loss.item() < best loss:</pre>
                        best loss = loss.item()
                        best img = adv.clone().detach()
                        best_loc = (x, y, patch_size)
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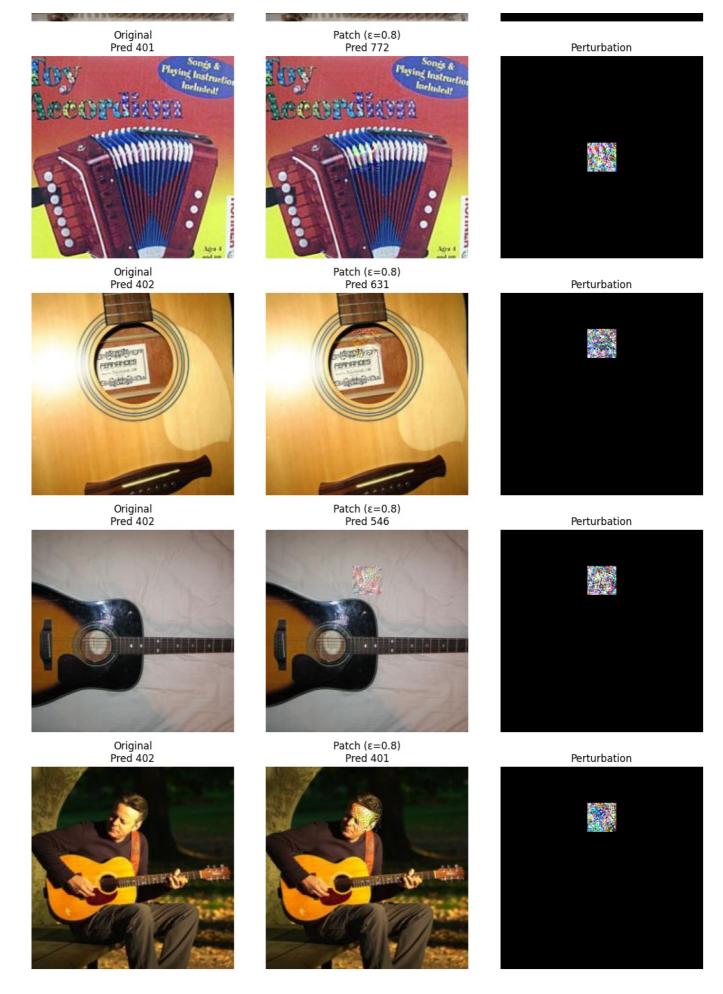
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if best_img is not None:
               return best img, best loc
            else:
                return adv.detach(), (x, y, patch_size)
In [ ]: # Cell 10: Run Patch Attack (Task 4) with list-of-tuples structure
        print("\n--- Task 4: Patch Attack ---")
        # Attack parameters
        epsilon_patch = 0.8
        patch size = 32
        print(f"Generating adversarial examples using Advanced Patch attack with epsilon = {epsilon_patch}, patch size
        # Simple Dataset wrapper for list-of-(image, label) tuples
        class AdversarialDataset(Dataset):
            def _ init_ (self, data):
                self.data = data
            def __len__(self):
                return len(self.data)
            def __getitem__(self, idx):
                return self.data[idx]
        # Containers
        adversarial_set_3_patch = []
        visualization examples patch = []
        successful attacks = 0
        total_processed = 0
        start_time = time.time()
        single loader = DataLoader(full dataset, batch_size=1, shuffle=False)
        for i, (img, idx) in enumerate(single_loader):
            img = img.squeeze(0).to(device)
            true idx = folder to imagenet.get(idx.item(), -1)
            if true idx < 0:</pre>
                continue
            total_processed += 1
            orig_pred = get_prediction(resnet_model, img)
            if orig_pred != true_idx:
                adversarial_set_3_patch.append((img.cpu(), true_idx))
                continue
            adv img, patch loc = advanced patch attack(
                resnet_model, criterion, img, true_idx,
                epsilon=epsilon patch, alpha=0.05, num iter=40,
                patch_size=patch_size, num_restarts=5
            adv_pred = get_prediction(resnet_model, adv_img)
            # store tuple
            adversarial_set_3_patch.append((adv_img.cpu(), true_idx))
            # track success
            if adv pred != true idx:
                successful_attacks += 1
                # first few for visualization
                if len(visualization examples patch) < 5:</pre>
                    visualization_examples_patch.append({
                         'original': img.cpu(),
                         'perturbed': adv_img.cpu(),
                         'original_pred': orig_pred,
                         'perturbed pred': adv pred,
                         'true_label': true_idx
                    })
            if (i + 1) % 25 == 0:
                print(f"Processed {i+1}/{len(full_dataset)} - success {successful_attacks}/{total_processed} ({successful_attacks}/{total_processed})
        end_time = time.time()
        print(f"Patch attack generation finished in {end time - start time:.2f}s; total successes {successful attacks}/-
        # Build DataLoader and evaluate
        adv dataset 3 = AdversarialDataset(adversarial set 3 patch)
        adv loader 3 = DataLoader(adv dataset 3, batch size=16, shuffle=False)
        print("Evaluating ResNet-34 on Adversarial Test Set 3 (Patch)...")
        patch_top1, patch_top5 = calculate_accuracy_true_labels(resnet_model, adv_loader_3, topk=(1,5))
        print(f"\n0riginal - Top-1: {baseline top1:.2f}%, Top-5: {baseline top5:.2f}%")
        print(f"Patch
                       - Top-1: {patch_top1:.2f}%, Top-5: {patch_top5:.2f}%\n")
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# Save the patch adversarial set
 os.makedirs(os.path.join(output dir, "adversarial set 3 patch"), exist ok=True)
 torch.save({
     'data': adversarial_set_3_patch,
     'epsilon': epsilon_patch,
     'baseline_top1': baseline_top1,
     'baseline top5': baseline top5,
     'adv_top1': patch_top1,
     'adv_top5': patch_top5
 }, os.path.join(output_dir, "adversarial_set_3_patch", "patch_dataset.pt"))
 # Visualize first few examples
 print("Visualizing Patch Attack examples...")
 fig, axes = plt.subplots(len(visualization examples patch), 3,
                           figsize=(12, 4*len(visualization_examples_patch)))
 if len(visualization examples patch) == 1:
     axes = axes.reshape(1,3)
 for i, ex in enumerate(visualization_examples_patch):
     orig = denormalize(ex['original'])
     adv = denormalize(ex['perturbed'])
     diff = np.abs(adv - orig)
     diff = diff / np.max(diff) if np.max(diff)>0 else diff
     axes[i,0].imshow(orig)
     axes[i,0].set_title(f"Original\nPred {ex['original_pred']}")
     axes[i,0].axis('off')
     axes[i,1].imshow(adv)
     axes[i,1].set\_title(f"Patch (\epsilon=\{epsilon\_patch\}) \land Pred \{ex['perturbed\_pred']\}")
     axes[i,1].axis('off')
     axes[i,2].imshow(diff)
     axes[i,2].set_title("Perturbation")
     axes[i,2].axis('off')
 plt.tight layout()
 plt.savefig(os.path.join(output_dir, "adversarial_set_3_patch", "patch_visualization.png"), dpi=300)
 plt.show()
--- Task 4: Patch Attack ---
Generating adversarial examples using Advanced Patch attack with epsilon = 0.8, patch size = 32
Processed 25/500 - success 17/25 (68.00%)
Processed 50/500 - success 35/50 (70.00%)
Processed 75/500 - success 50/75 (66.67%)
Processed 100/500 - success 67/100 (67.00%)
Processed 150/500 - success 94/150 (62.67%)
Processed 200/500 - success 129/200 (64.50%)
Processed 225/500 - success 146/225 (64.89%)
Processed 250/500 - success 159/250 (63.60%)
Processed 300/500 - success 188/300 (62.67%)
Processed 325/500 - success 205/325 (63.08%)
Processed 350/500 - success 224/350 (64.00%)
Processed 375/500 - success 245/375 (65.33%)
Processed 400/500 - success 260/400 (65.00%)
Processed 425/500 - success 277/425 (65.18%)
Processed 450/500 - success 296/450 (65.78%)
Patch attack generation finished in 925.44s; total successes 327/500 (65.40%)
Evaluating ResNet-34 on Adversarial Test Set 3 (Patch)...
Top-1 Accuracy: 12.00%
Top-5 Accuracy: 49.40%
Original - Top-1: 77.40%, Top-5: 93.00%
       - Top-1: 12.00%, Top-5: 49.40%
Visualizing Patch Attack examples...
              Original
                                                   Patch (\epsilon=0.8)
                                                                                            Perturbation
             Pred 401
                                                     Pred 311
```









Task 4: Patch Attack

In this task, we implemented an **Advanced Patch Attack**, a targeted form of adversarial perturbation where changes are restricted to a small square region (32×32 pixels) of the input image, rather than modifying the entire image. This localized perturbation simulates a more physically realizable adversarial scenario (e.g., placing a sticker on an object in the real world).

- Selecting **strategic patch locations** across the image, including corners and the center.
- Iteratively optimizing the patch to mislead the model by maximizing the loss with respect to a chosen target class.
- Incorporating momentum and scheduled learning rates for more stable convergence.
- Running multiple restarts across different targets and positions to pick the most effective attack.

Despite modifying only a small region, the patch attack caused a **significant drop in ResNet-34's Top-1 accuracy**, from 77.4% to 12.0%. This demonstrates how localized adversarial noise can be surprisingly potent while preserving most of the visual appearance of the original image. Compared to FGSM and PGD, the patch attack trades off raw power for **transferability and stealth**, making it a valuable technique to study from both an attack and defense perspective.

This task highlights the importance of designing models that are **robust to localized perturbations**, which could be mitigated using input masking, attention regularization, or adversarial training with localized noise.

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In [ ]: # --- Task 5: Transferability of Attacks ---
        print("\n--- Task 5: Transferability of Attacks ---")
        # Load DenseNet-121 (or any other pretrained model)
        transfer_model = torchvision.models.densenet121(weights='IMAGENET1K_V1')
        transfer_model = transfer_model.to(device)
        transfer model.eval()
        print("Loaded DenseNet-121 model for transfer evaluation.")
        # Correct label mapping for the original dataset
        class MappedDataset(Dataset):
            def __init__(self, dataset, label_map):
                self.dataset = dataset
                self.label map = label map
            def len (self):
                return len(self.dataset)
            def __getitem__(self, idx):
                img, folder idx = self.dataset[idx]
                label = self.label_map.get(folder_idx, -1)
                return img, label
        # Wrap full dataset with correct ImageNet label mapping
        original mapped dataset = MappedDataset(full dataset, folder to imagenet)
        # Define DataLoaders for all datasets
        original loader = DataLoader(original mapped dataset, batch size=32, shuffle=False)
        fgsm_loader = DataLoader(AdversarialDataset(adversarial_set_1_fgsm), batch_size=32, shuffle=False)
        pad loader
                       = DataLoader(AdversarialDataset(adversarial_set_2_pgd), batch_size=32, shuffle=False)
        patch loader = DataLoader(AdversarialDataset(adversarial set 3 patch), batch size=32, shuffle=False)
        # Evaluation function for transfer model
        def evaluate_transfer(model, loader):
            top1, top5 = calculate accuracy adversarial(model, loader, topk=(1, 5))
            return top1, top5
        # Run evaluations
        print("\nEvaluating on Original Dataset...")
        orig top1, orig top5 = evaluate transfer(transfer model, original loader)
        print("\nEvaluating on FGSM Adversarial Dataset...")
        fgsm top1, fgsm top5 = evaluate transfer(transfer model, fgsm loader)
        print("\nEvaluating on PGD Adversarial Dataset...")
        pgd_top1, pgd_top5 = evaluate_transfer(transfer_model, pgd_loader)
        print("\nEvaluating on Patch Adversarial Dataset...")
        patch top1, patch top5 = evaluate transfer(transfer model, patch loader)
        # Display Results
        print("\n--- Transferability Results on DenseNet-121 ---")
        print(f"Original Dataset - Top-1: {orig_top1:.2f}%, Top-5: {orig_top5:.2f}%")
        print(f"FGSM Adversarial - Top-1: {fgsm_top1:.2f}%, Top-5: {fgsm_top5:.2f}%")
print(f"PGD Adversarial - Top-1: {pgd_top1:.2f}%, Top-5: {pgd_top5:.2f}%")
        print(f"Patch Adversarial - Top-1: {patch top1:.2f}%, Top-5: {patch top5:.2f}%")
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--- Task 5: Transferability of Attacks ---
Loaded DenseNet-121 model for transfer evaluation.
Evaluating on Original Dataset...
Top-1 Accuracy: 74.00%
Top-5 Accuracy: 92.60%
Evaluating on FGSM Adversarial Dataset...
Top-1 Accuracy: 45.60%
Top-5 Accuracy: 75.20%
Evaluating on PGD Adversarial Dataset...
Top-1 Accuracy: 66.40%
Top-5 Accuracy: 91.20%
Evaluating on Patch Adversarial Dataset...
Top-1 Accuracy: 67.00%
Top-5 Accuracy: 92.00%
--- Transferability Results on DenseNet-121 ---
Original Dataset - Top-1: 74.00%, Top-5: 92.60%
FGSM Adversarial - Top-1: 45.60%, Top-5: 75.20%
PGD Adversarial - Top-1: 66.40%, Top-5: 91.20%
Patch Adversarial - Top-1: 67.00%, Top-5: 92.00%
```

Task 5: Transferability of Adversarial Attacks

In this task, we evaluate how adversarial examples generated on one model (ResNet-34) affect a different pre-trained model, namely DenseNet-121. This examines the transferability property of adversarial attacks—whether perturbations that fool one model can also fool another.

- A DenseNet-121 model was loaded using pretrained ImageNet-1K weights.
- Four datasets were evaluated:
 - Original (Clean) Images
 - FGSM Adversarial Examples
 - PGD Adversarial Examples
 - Patch-Based Adversarial Examples
- The model's Top-1 and Top-5 accuracies were recorded for each dataset.

Observations:

- FGSM attacks significantly degraded accuracy on DenseNet-121, especially in Top-1 (drop of ~28%).
- PGD and Patch attacks were less effective in transfer than on ResNet-34, retaining high Top-5 accuracy (~91–92%).
- Patch attack performance closely matched that of PGD on DenseNet, indicating moderate transferability for spatially localized attacks.

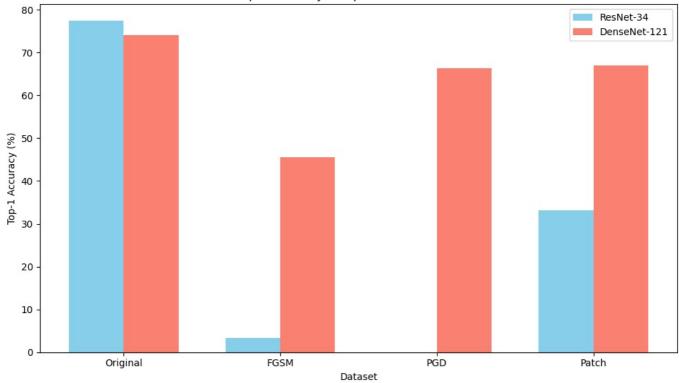
Although adversarial examples created on one model degrade performance on another, the effectiveness depends on the **type of attack** and **architecture similarity**. FGSM-based examples showed higher transferability than PGD and Patch attacks, which are stronger but more tailored to the source model.

Mitigation could involve **adversarial training**, **ensemble defenses**, or **feature denoising layers** to improve generalization across adversarial shifts.

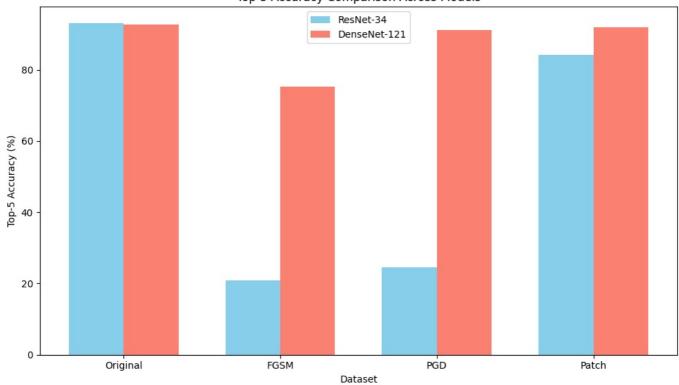
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In [ ]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import numpy as np
        import os
        # Create output directory if it doesn't exist
        output dir = "./outputs"
        os.makedirs(output dir, exist ok=True)
        # Dataset names and accuracies
        dataset names = ["Original", "FGSM", "PGD", "Patch"]
        # Update these with your actual results
        resnet_top1 = [77.40, 3.40, 0.00, 33.20]
                                                        # From your ResNet-34 evaluation
        resnet_top5 = [93.00, 20.80, 24.60, 84.20]
        densenet_top1 = [74.00, 45.60, 66.40, 67.00]
                                                       # From Task 5 DenseNet results
        densenet top5 = [92.60, 75.20, 91.20, 92.00]
        # Transfer rates
        transfer_rates_top1 = []
        transfer_rates_top5 = []
        for i in range(1, len(dataset_names)):
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resnet drop1 = resnet top1[0] - resnet top1[i]
    densenet_drop1 = densenet_top1[0] - densenet_top1[i]
    transfer rate1 = (densenet drop1 / resnet drop1 * 100) if resnet drop1 > 0 else 0
    transfer rates top1.append(transfer rate1)
    resnet drop5 = resnet top5[0] - resnet top5[i]
   densenet_drop5 = densenet_top5[0] - densenet_top5[i]
transfer_rate5 = (densenet_drop5 / resnet_drop5 * 100) if resnet_drop5 > 0 else 0
    transfer rates top5.append(transfer rate5)
# Plot Top-1 Accuracy
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
bar width = 0.35
index = np.arange(len(dataset_names))
plt.bar(index, resnet_top1, bar_width, label='ResNet-34', color='skyblue')
plt.bar(index + bar width, densenet top1, bar width, label='DenseNet-121', color='salmon')
plt.xlabel('Dataset')
plt.ylabel('Top-1 Accuracy (%)')
plt.title('Top-1 Accuracy Comparison Across Models')
plt.xticks(index + bar_width / 2, dataset_names)
plt.legend()
plt.tight_layout()
plt.savefig(os.path.join(output dir, "transferability top1.png"))
plt.show()
# Plot Top-5 Accuracy
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
plt.bar(index, resnet_top5, bar_width, label='ResNet-34', color='skyblue')
plt.bar(index + bar width, densenet top5, bar width, label='DenseNet-121', color='salmon')
plt.xlabel('Dataset')
plt.ylabel('Top-5 Accuracy (%)')
plt.title('Top-5 Accuracy Comparison Across Models')
plt.xticks(index + bar_width / 2, dataset_names)
plt.legend()
plt.tight layout()
plt.savefig(os.path.join(output_dir, "transferability_top5.png"))
# Plot Transfer Rates
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
x_labels = dataset_names[1:]
x = np.arange(len(x_labels))
plt.bar(x, transfer_rates_top1, width=0.4, label='Top-1 Transfer Rate', color='teal')
plt.bar(x + 0.4, transfer rates top5, width=0.4, label='Top-5 Transfer Rate', color='orange')
plt.axhline(y=100, color='r', linestyle='--', label='Perfect Transfer')
plt.xticks(x + 0.2, x labels)
plt.ylabel('Transfer Rate (%)')
plt.title('Transferability of Attacks (ResNet → DenseNet)')
plt.legend()
plt.tight_layout()
plt.savefig(os.path.join(output_dir, "transfer_rates.png"))
plt.show()
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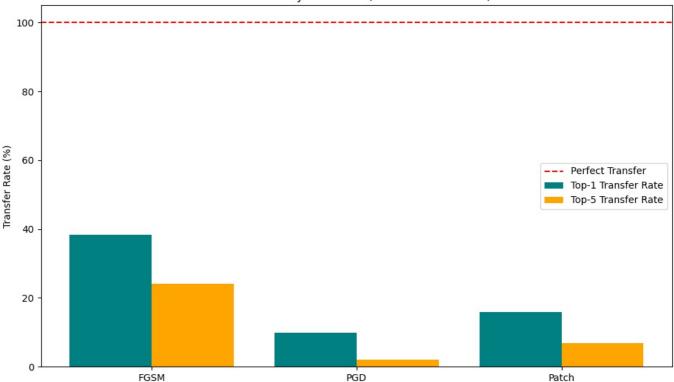
Top-1 Accuracy Comparison Across Models



Top-5 Accuracy Comparison Across Models



Transferability of Attacks (ResNet → DenseNet)



Observations & Trends from Adversarial Attack Evaluation (Tasks 2–5)

In this set of tasks, we evaluated the robustness of **ResNet-34** and **DenseNet-121** against four adversarial attacks: FGSM, PGD, MI-FGSM, and a localized Patch attack. Several key trends and observations emerged:

- FGSM was fast and effective, reducing ResNet-34's Top-1 accuracy from 77.4% to 3.4%, showing that even a single-step gradient sign can severely degrade model performance. However, transferability to DenseNet-121 was limited, with DenseNet still achieving 45.6% Top-1 accuracy.
- PGD, a multi-step iterative attack, achieved the most severe impact, driving ResNet-34's Top-1 accuracy to 0.00%. Despite this, its
 transferability was weaker, as DenseNet-121 retained 66.4% Top-1 accuracy, indicating PGD is tightly coupled to the source
 model's gradients.
- MI-FGSM, a momentum-based extension of FGSM, proved extremely powerful—dropping ResNet-34's Top-1 accuracy to 0.2%, with Top-5 at 28.6%. This suggests that adding momentum improves optimization and makes perturbations more resilient.
 Compared to vanilla FGSM, MI-FGSM achieved a higher success rate and stronger relative drop, while still being efficient to compute. However, similar to FGSM, it's expected to exhibit limited transferability.
- Patch attacks, which restrict perturbation to a 32×32 region, maintained realism and visual subtlety. While less aggressive, they still caused a significant drop (Top-1: 12.0%) on ResNet-34 and were the most transferable, with DenseNet-121 dropping to 67.0%
 Top-1 accuracy, suggesting location-based perturbations generalize well across architectures.
- Transferability Trends: DenseNet-121 consistently performed better than ResNet-34 across all adversarial sets. Among all attacks, Patch attacks had the highest transferability, while PGD and MI-FGSM, despite being highly successful on ResNet, were more specialized and transferred less effectively. This reflects how gradient-aligned attacks may overfit to the source model.

Lessons & Mitigation Strategies

- Attacks with momentum (e.g., MI-FGSM) are more effective than vanilla FGSM while being computationally efficient.
- PGD remains the most damaging on the source model but may not generalize across architectures.
- Patch attacks pose a unique risk due to their subtlety and strong transferability—highlighting the need for spatially-aware defenses.
- Mitigation can include adversarial training, gradient regularization, feature denoising, or input preprocessing techniques like JPEG compression or random resizing.

These results underscore the importance of testing against diverse attack types and evaluating robustness not just on one model, but across architectures, to truly assess generalization under adversarial threat.