



Pneumonia Detection using Convolutional Neural Network

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Objective

To build a deep convolutional neural network to determine pneumonia (bacterial or viral) using chest x-ray scans

Motivation

- According to the WHO^[1], Pneumonia accounts for 15 percent of all deaths of children under five years old, killing 808,694 children in 2017
- Proposed method would help in the early detection of the disease
- Will help in bringing low cost diagnostic services to under - privileged people

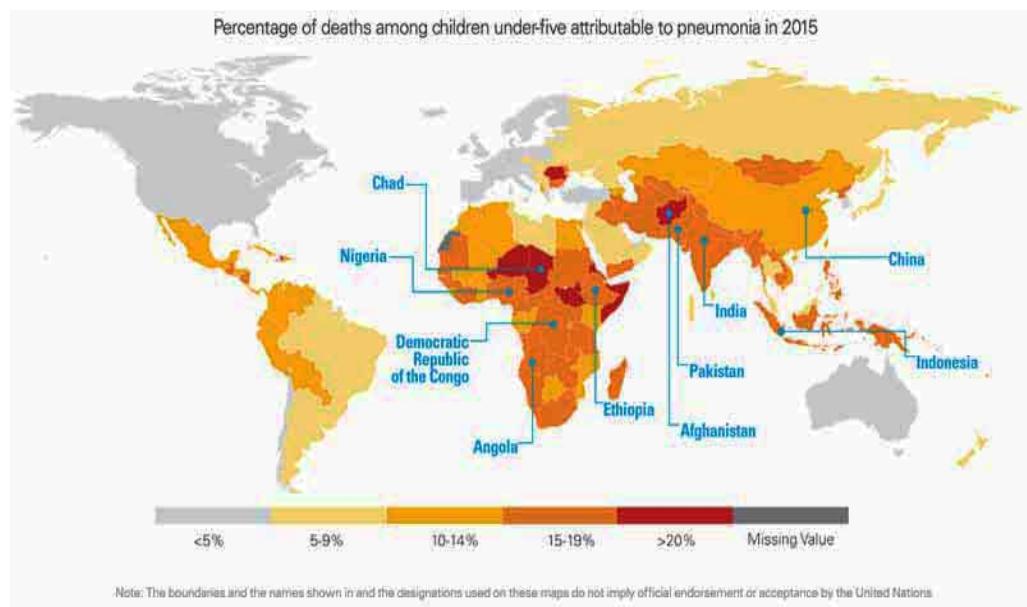


Figure 1: Percentage of deaths among children (less than 5) due to Pneumonia

CNN

- CNN's are proved to be exceptional when it comes to image classification
- 3 Layers: Convolutional Layers, Pooling Layers, Fully Connected Layers
- Faster training, needs fewer samples, reduces the chance of overfitting as compared to ANN
- Extensively used for medical image analysis

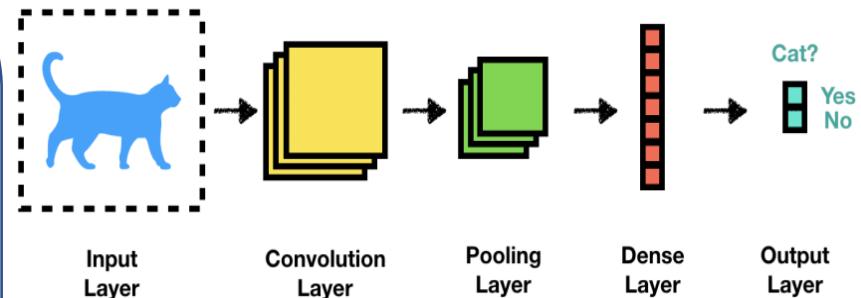


Figure 2: Basic CNN architecture

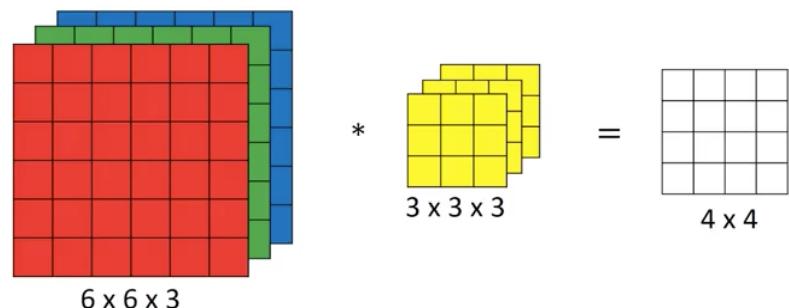


Figure 3: Convolutional operation

Proposed CNN architecture:

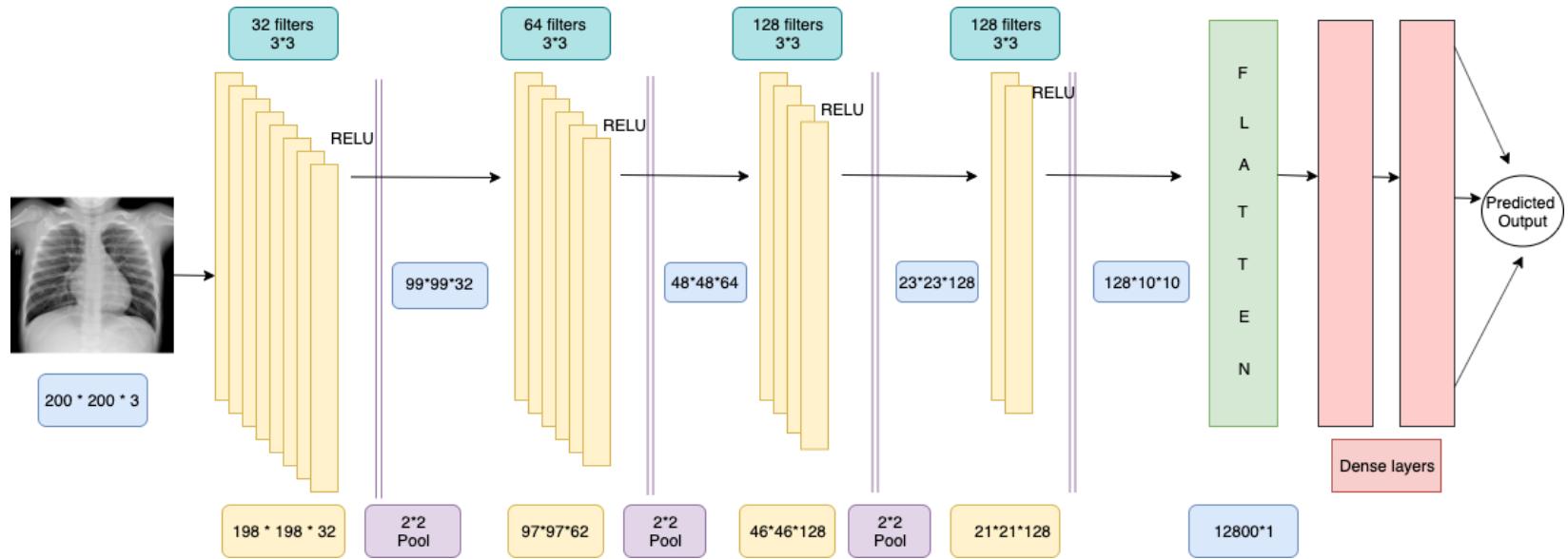


Figure 4: CNN model architecture

- 4 feature extractors, 1 flatten layer and 2 dense layers.
- A single feature extractor consists of one 2-D convolutional layer, a 2x2 max-pooling layer and ReLu activation.
- Architecture inspired from existing open source medical image classification models [2][3]

Initial CNN Results

- 50 epochs
- Test Data:
 - Accuracy: 0.75
 - Precision: 0.81
 - Recall: 0.71
 - F1 score: 0.72
 - Loss: 1.08
- Train Data:
 - Accuracy: 0.94
 - Loss: 0.16
- **Model is overfit !**

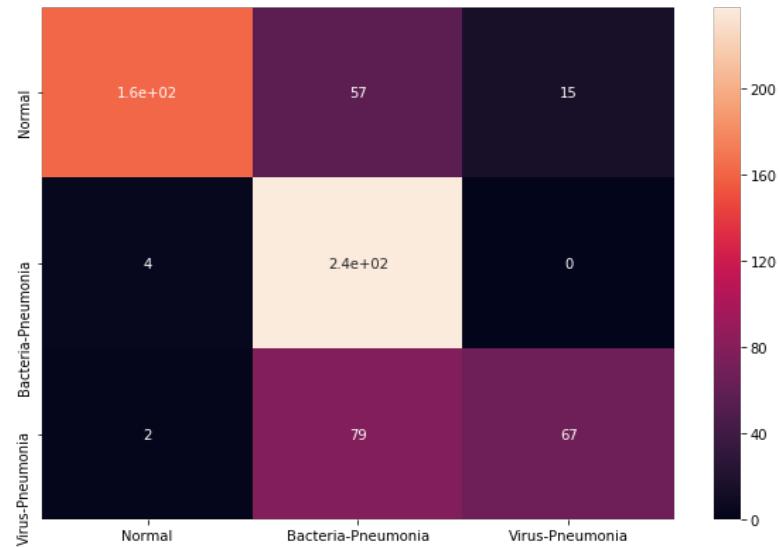


Figure 5: Confusion Matrix

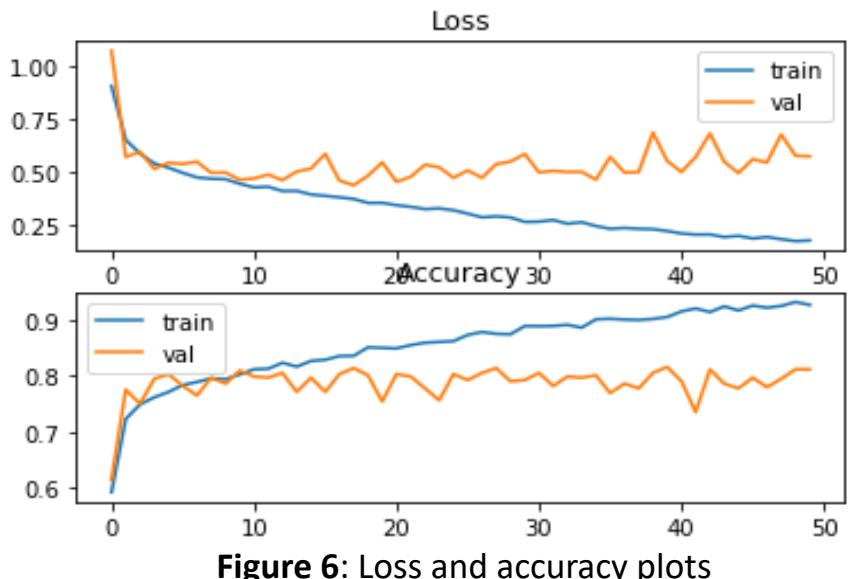


Figure 6: Loss and accuracy plots

Experiments

A) Data Augmentation

- A wide array of domain-specific transformations to synthetically expand a training set
- Significantly increase the diversity of data available for training models
- Common techniques involves cropping, padding, and horizontal flipping^[4]

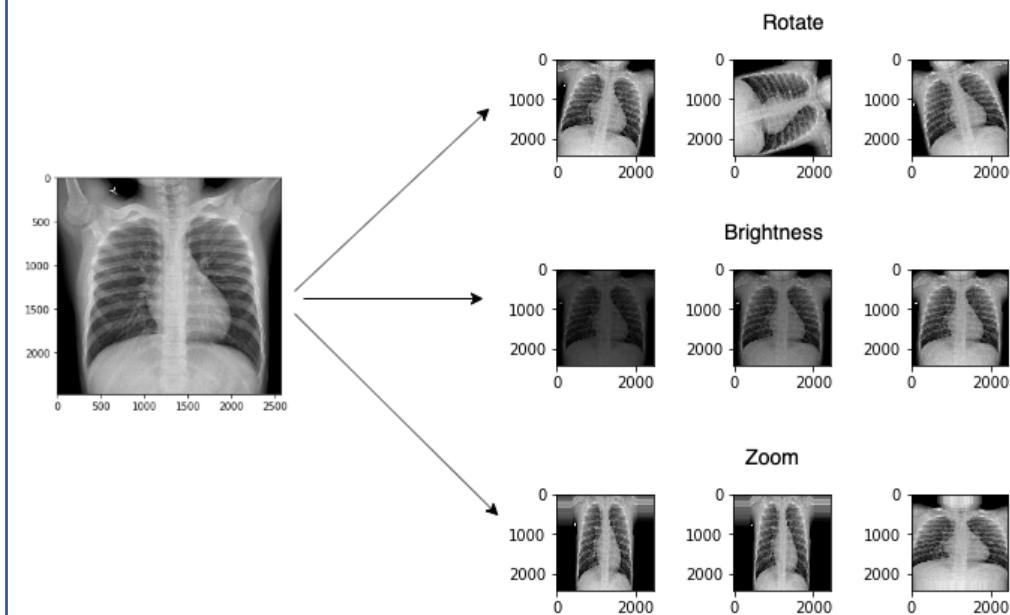
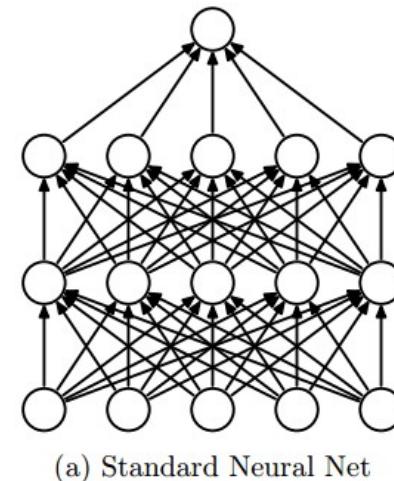


Figure 7: Data Augmentation

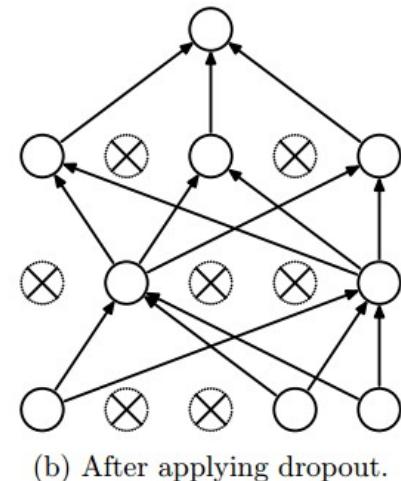
Experiments

B) Dropout

- Prevents all neurons in a layer from synchronously optimizing their weights
- Prevents all the neurons from converging to the same goal, thus decorrelating the weights^[5]
- The activations of the hidden units become sparse



(a) Standard Neural Net



(b) After applying dropout.

Figure 8: Dropout

Experiments

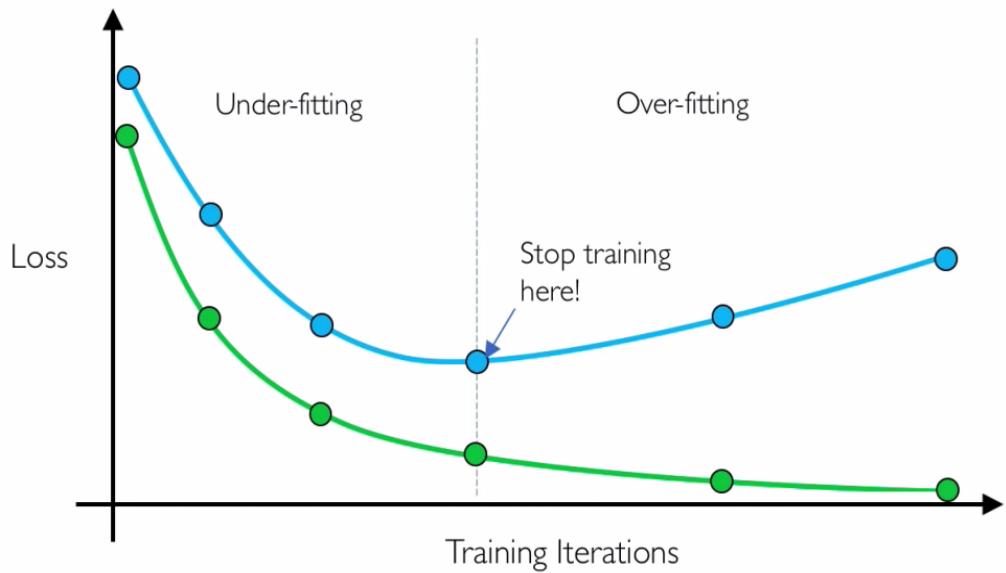


Figure 9: Early Stopping during training

C) Early-Stopping

- Sometimes, during training, the generalization gap starts to increase, instead of decreasing^[6]
- Generalization gap is the difference between training and validation error
- Model is overfitting
- Stop training when the generalization gap is getting worse

Experiments

Transfer learning: idea

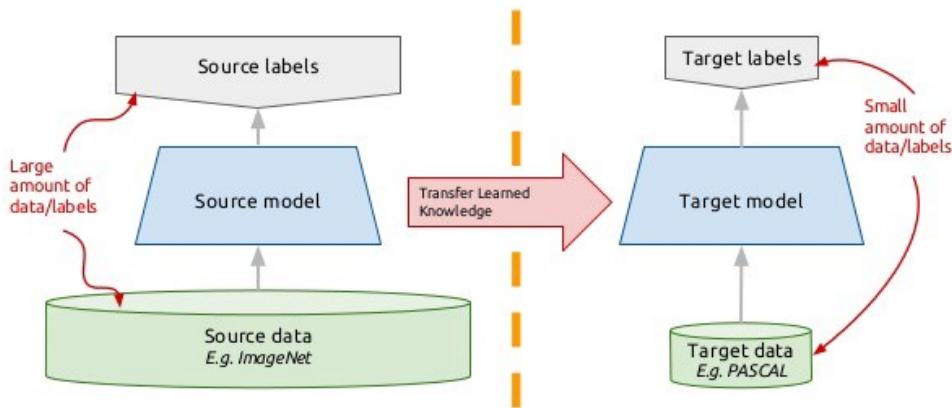


Figure 10: Transfer Learning

D) Transfer learning

- A model trained on one task is repurposed on a second related task[7]
- Less layers to train and thus quicker training of model and better generalization.
- Used pre-trained ImageNet model

Results(cnn + experiments)

- 50 epochs
- Test Data:
 - Accuracy: 0.854
 - Precision: 0.851
 - Recall: 0.835
 - F1 score: 0.839
 - Loss: 0.455
- Train Data:
 - Accuracy: 0.807
 - Loss: 0.442
- Model not overfit !

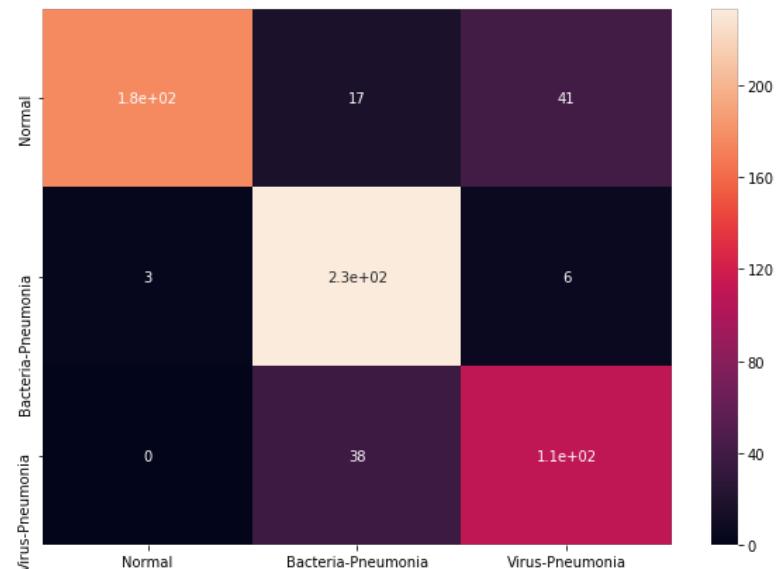


Figure 11: Confusion Matrix

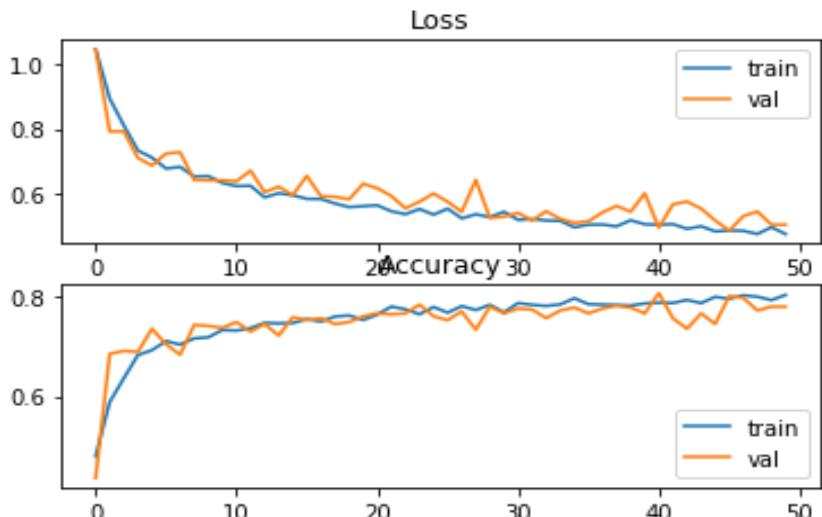
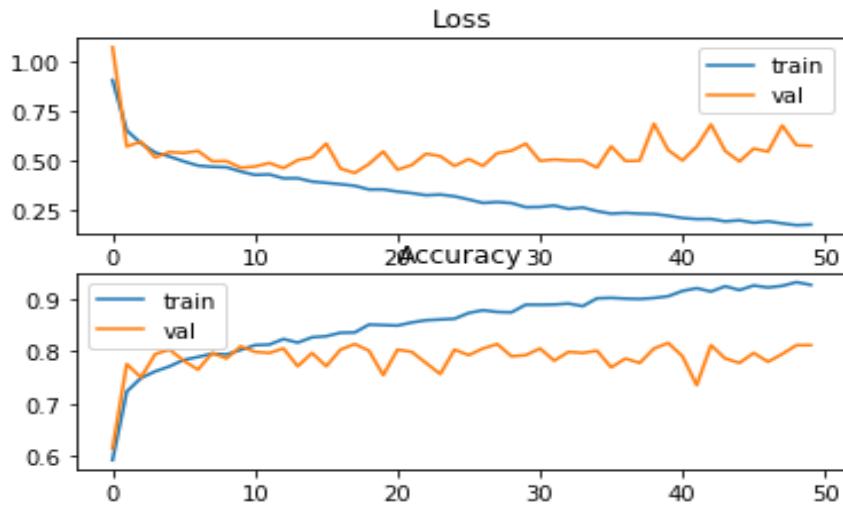


Figure 12: Loss and accuracy plots

Results(Comparisons)

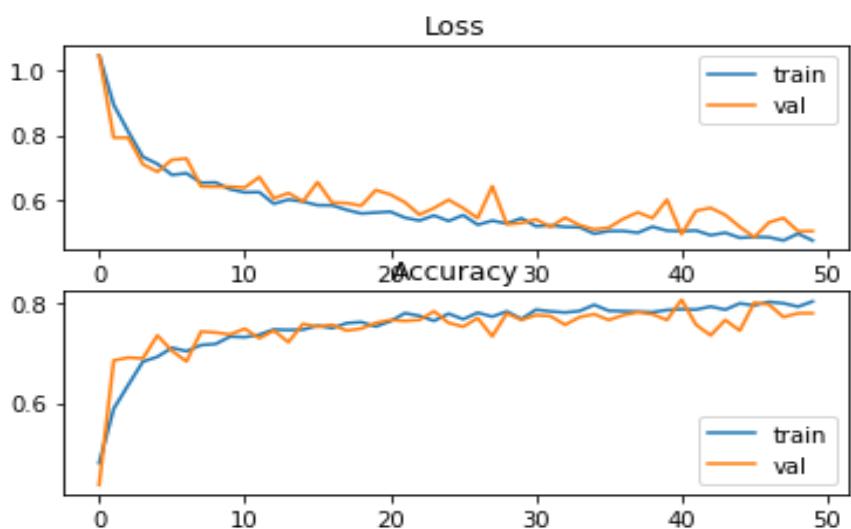
CNN Model

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CNN Model (with experiments)

- 50 epochs
- Test Data:
 - Accuracy: 0.89
 - Loss: 0.45
- Train Data:
 - Accuracy: 0.81
 - Loss: 0.442



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