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Object Echolocation using PyTorch and Deep Learning

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Abstract

The Deep Learning domain got its attention with the popularity of Image classification models, and the rest is history. Today, we are generating future tech just from a single image input. GAN models generate an image, image segmentation models mark regions accurately, and object detection models detect everything going on, like identifying the people in a busy street just from an ordinary CCTV camera. These achievements have truly paved the way for further research, and also acceptance of basic modeling practices into serious domains like the Medical field along with the arrival of Explainable AI. Image localization is an interesting application for me as it falls right between Image Classification and Object Detection. Whenever one has to get bounding boxes over a detected category for a project, people frequently jump to object detection and YOLO, which are great, but really overkill in my opinion if you are just doing classification and locating that single class. Let us dive deep into Image Localization: the concept, implementation in PyTorch, and possibilities.

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1. Introduction

1.1. Introduction

The Deep Learning domain got its attention. Object Echolocation is the task of locating an instance of a particular object category in an image, specifying a tightly cropped bounding box centered on the instance. GAN models generate an image, image segmentation models mark regions accurately, and object detection models detect everything going on, like identifying the people in a busy street just from an ordinary CCTV camera. These achievements have truly paved the way for further research, and also acceptance of basic modeling practices into serious domains like the Medical field along with the arrival of Explainable AI.

We are use two model *resnet50*, *efficientnetb7* for better results.

For object localization, we will need not just the image and label, but also the coordinates of the bounding box containing the object. We must use image annotation/object tagging tools for preparing such a dataset, and XML is a popular file format used to store coordinate values of each image.

1.2. Design Goals/Objective

Aim of this project to detect an object from an image and create Image-bounding box.

1. Aim to create a custom data-set class for Image-bounding box data-set.
2. Aim to increase images data-set by using AI.
3. Aim to create train function.
4. Aim to predict bounding box given any image.
5. Compare Prediction and draw bound box.

1.3. Library Uses

Pandas: *Pandas is a software library written for the Python programming language for data manipulation and analysis.*

NumPy: *NumPy is a library for the Python programming language, adding support for large, multi-dimensional arrays and matrices, along with a large collection of high-level mathematical functions to operate on these arrays.*

OpenCV: *OpenCV is a library of programming functions mainly aimed at real-time computer vision.*

Matplotlib: *It provides an object-oriented API for embedding plots into applications using general-purpose GUI toolkits like Tkinter, wxPython, Qt, or GTK.*

PyTorch: *PyTorch is an open source machine learning framework based on the Torch library, used for applications such as computer vision and natural language processing, primarily developed by Meta AI.*

Scikit-learn: *The sklearn library contains a lot of efficient tools for machine learning and statistical modeling including classification, regression, clustering and dimensionality reduction.*

2. Development/Implementation

2.1. Introduction

object detection models deal with a much bigger problem, and have to run classification for all the regions suggested by the initial region selection layer in certain architectures. Still, the idea that we can predict the coordinates like a regression problem is interesting.

2.2. Structure of the project:

1. Set up environment.
2. Configurations.
3. Collection data-set.
4. Understand the data-set.
5. Load data-set.
6. Augmentations.
7. Create Model.
8. Create train and test.
9. Evolution and Measurement.
10. Inference.

2.3. Implementation of Object Echolocation

Load the data, Define a Convolution Neural Network, Define a loss function. Train the model on the training data, Validation predict result.

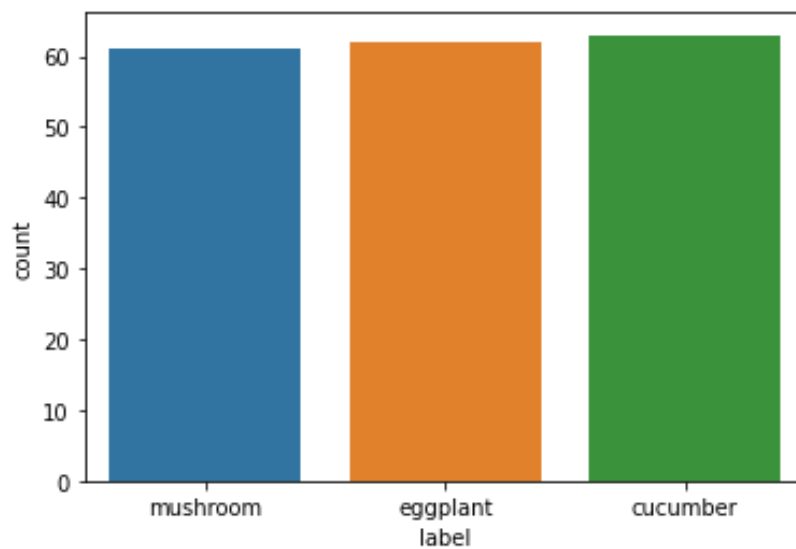
PyTorch Implementation Load library

	xmin	ymin	xmax	ymax	width	height
count	186.000000	186.000000	186.000000	186.000000	186.0	186.0
mean	36.150538	48.290323	193.252688	182.704301	227.0	227.0
std	25.524316	24.898749	23.673582	24.470030	0.0	0.0
min	1.000000	1.000000	88.000000	121.000000	227.0	227.0
25%	18.250000	29.000000	181.000000	165.000000	227.0	227.0
50%	29.000000	45.500000	197.500000	185.000000	227.0	227.0
75%	50.750000	67.000000	210.000000	201.000000	227.0	227.0
max	146.000000	136.000000	226.000000	227.000000	227.0	227.0

Data Visualization

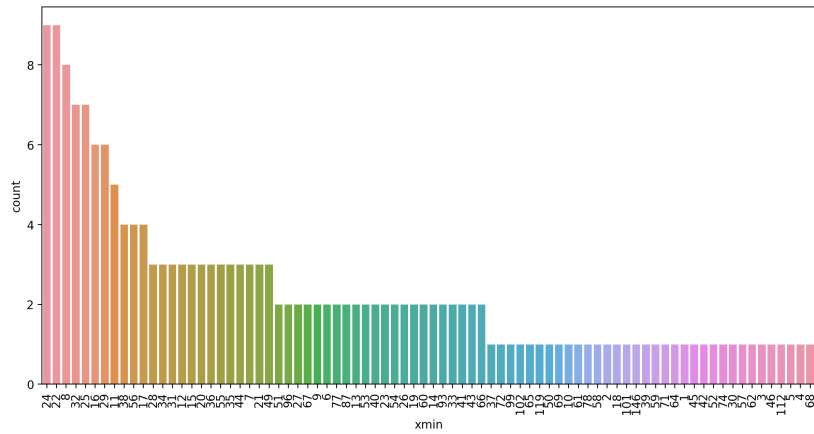
Excerpt of code 2.1: Data label

```
sns.countplot(data=df,x='label')
```



Excerpt of code 2.2: xmin ymin

```
plt.figure(figsize=(12,6),dpi=200)
sns.countplot(data=df,x='xmin',order=df['xmin'].value_counts
              ().index)
plt.xticks(rotation=90);
```



Now a survey of all data

Excerpt of code 2.3: Plot

```
sns.pairplot(df)
```

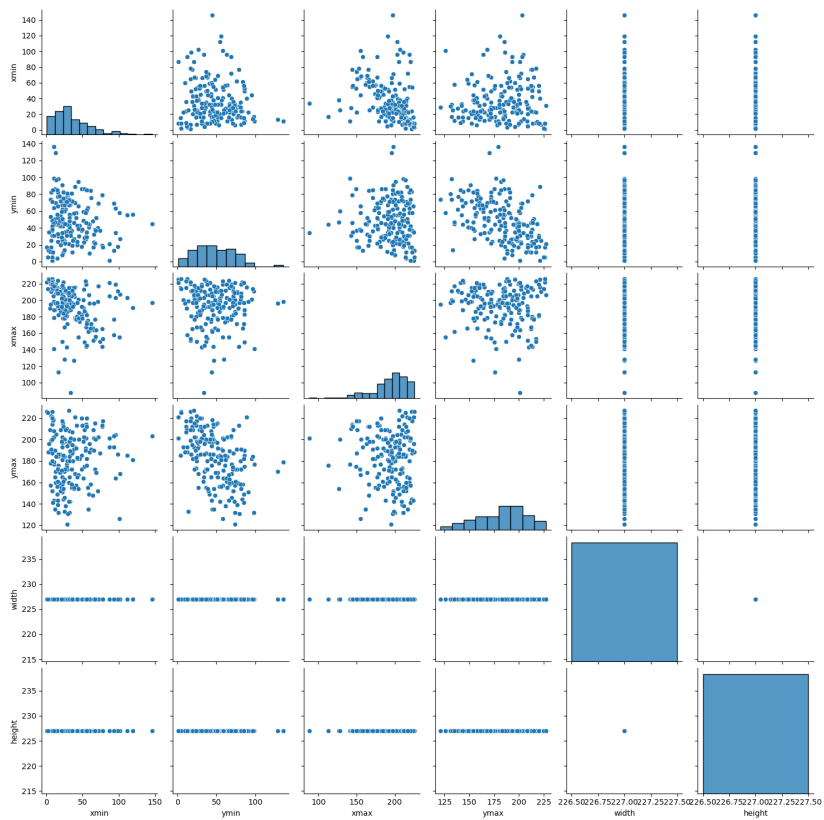


Figure 2.1: Full Data

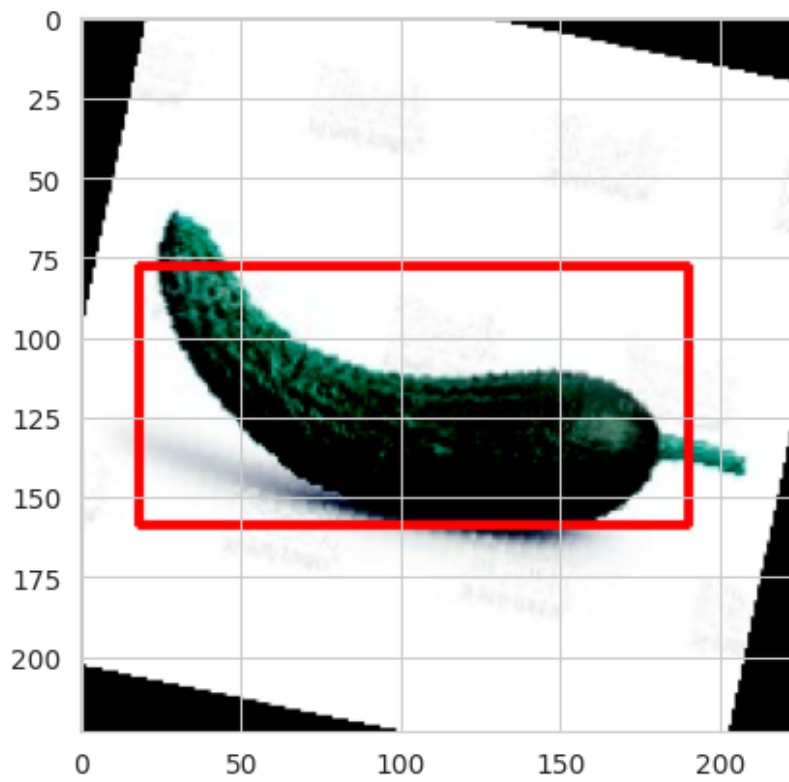


Figure 2.2: Box

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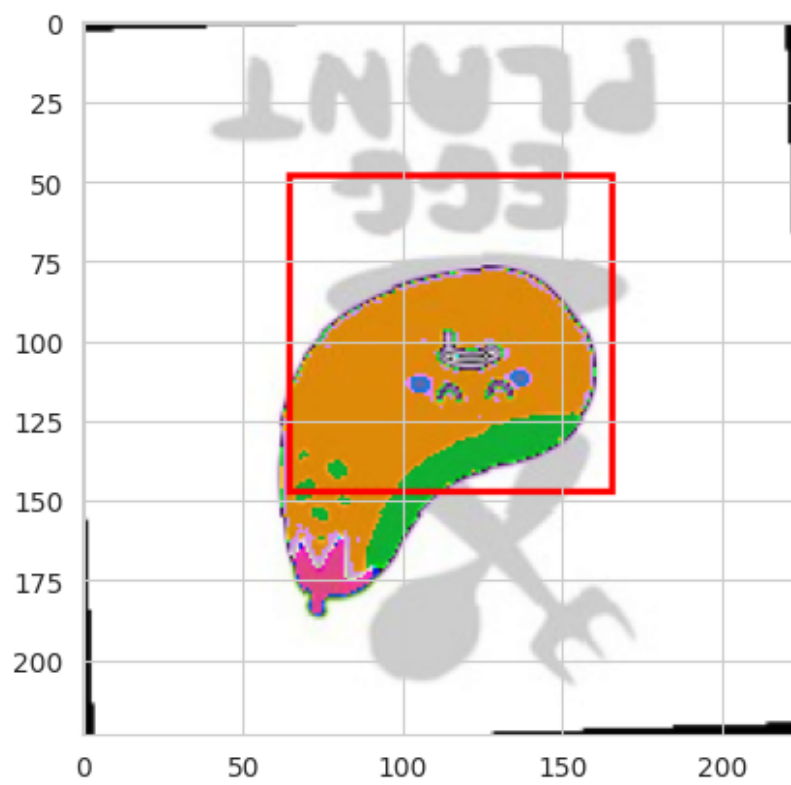


Figure 2.3: Box New Data

3. Performance Evaluation

3.1. Simulation Environment/ Simulation Procedure

Prerequisites

Supported Windows Distributions

- Windows 7 and greater; Windows 10 or greater recommended.
- Windows Server 2008 r2 and greater.

Supported macOS Version

- PyTorch is supported on macOS 10.15 (Catalina) or above.

Supported Linux Distributions

- PyTorch is supported on Linux distributions that use *glibc* $\geq v2.17$.

Python <https://www.python.org/>

Python 3.7 or greater is generally installed by default on any of our supported Linux distributions, which meets our recommendation.

Anaconda <https://anaconda.org/>

System Requirements

A minimum RAM size of 16GB is required(Simple task around 8 GB of RAM can be employed).

A minimum storage of 512GB SSD (Solid State Drive) that can handle a 1TB HDD (Hard Drive Device). (Note: External hard drives aren't a good alternative for internal hard drives).

Processor: An Intel Core i5 or i7 processor from the at last 6th generation is required.

3.2. Results and Discussions

3.2.1 Results

```
model.load_state_dict(torch.load('best_model.pt'))
model.eval()

with torch.no_grad():
    image, gt_bbox = valid_set[7] #(c, h, w)
    image = image.unsqueeze(0).to(DIVICE) #(bs, c, h, w)
    out_bbox = model(image)

utils.compare_plots(image, gt_bbox, out_bbox)
```

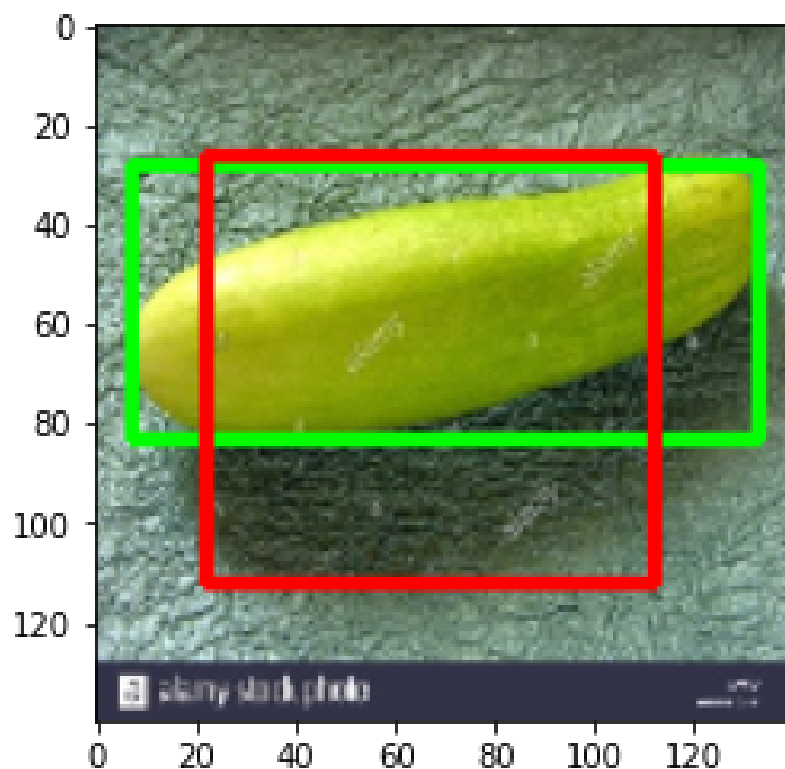


Figure 3.1: Final perdition

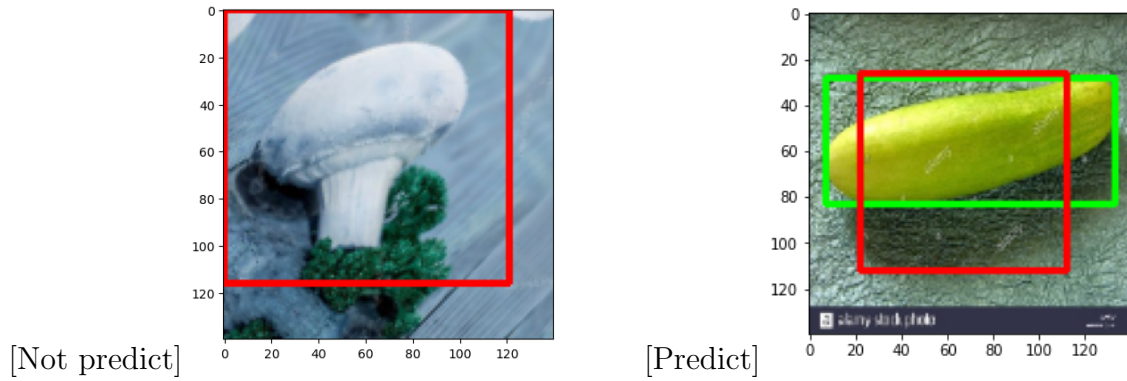


Figure 3.2: Compare side by side

3.2.2 Analysis and Outcome

We got a bounding box over the image. The best.pt file generate by pytorch then it predict the value red color is human generate light green color is predicted result.

In the prediction script, we get the model architecture first from our earlier network, and then we move the model to our preferred device: a GPU from our Gradient Notebook.

Once that's done we load the model's `state_dict()` as we had discussed earlier in the validation. We set the model to eval state, and use the preprocessing function to get the image ready to be fed to the model

A loss function computes a value that estimates how far away the output is from the target.

The main objective is to reduce the loss function's value by changing the weight vector values through backpropagation in neural networks.

4. Conclusiones

It is small data-set. But we increase the data using some library. Also some limitation in this system. Image localization as we have been discussing is an interesting field of study, and it is a bit more difficult to get accuracy in this compared to an image classification problem. Here we do not just have to get the classification right, but get a tight and correct bounding box too. Handling both makes it complex for the model, so improving the data set and architecture will help you there.

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