

Final Project Report Template

1. Introduction

1.1. Project overviews

- The project basically classifies the dog breeds using transfer learning. In this project CNN Architectures like VGG-16, Resnet-50, Inception and Xception. 1.2. Objectives
- The objective of the project is to classify the different breeds of dogs so as to solve the real-world problems.

2. Project Initialization and Planning Phase

2.1. Define Problem Statement

- The problem statement for the following project can be any of the below two:
- To create an online platform to categorize the dog breed available for adoption based on the uploaded image.
- A veterinarian needs assistance in identifying the breed of the dog brought in for health checkup.

2.2. Project Proposal (Proposed Solution)

| Project Overview | |
|-------------------|---|
| Objective | The objective of the project is to classify and identify the dog breed from images using transfer learning. |
| Scope | The project has a wider scope. The model can identify the provided 8 breeds of dog. To identify more breeds, we will need larger dataset. |
| Problem Statement | |
| Description | The problem statement that we worked on is Dog Breed Identification using the Transfer learning. |
| Impact | Solving the problem can make the users identify the dog breed accurately without any discomfort. |
| Proposed Solution | |
| Approach | The images are taken as input and the breed of the dog is identified. Different CNN architectures such as VGG-16, Resnet50, Inception and Xception were used to identify the breed. Among which Xception gave the best accuracy. So deployed the application with that model. |
| Key Features | The accuracy of the model is around 99.9% which makes the solution accurate and precise. |

2.3. Initial Project Planning

| Sprint | Functional Requirement (Epic) | User Story Number | User Story / Task | Story Points | Priority |
|----------|---|-------------------|---|--------------|----------|
| Sprint-1 | Project Initiation and Planning | USN-1 | Project is initiated and the planning is done | 2 | High |
| Sprint-2 | Data Collection and Preprocessing Phase | USN-2 | Data for the project is collected from Kaggle. It contains images of eight breeds of dog. | 1 | High |
| Sprint-3 | Model development | USN-3 | The transfer learning is used to build the models. VGG-16, | 2 | High |

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3. Data Collection and Preprocessing Phase

3.1. Data Collection Plan and Raw Data Sources Identified

| Section | Description |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Project Overview | The project identifies the breed of the dog when the image of the dog is uploaded as an input. |
| Data Collection Plan | The dataset has been collected from Kaggle. |
| Raw Data Sources Identified | The dataset is from Kaggle. It contains 8 different classes of breed. |

Raw Data Sources Template

| Source Name | Description | Location/URL | Format | Size | Access Permissions |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|---|--------|-------|--------------------|
| Dataset 1 | It contains 8 classes of dog breeds | https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/mohamedchahed/dog-breeds | Image | 86 MB | Public |

3.2. Data Quality Report

| Data Source | Data Quality Issue | Severity | Resolution Plan |
|-------------|---|----------|--|
| Kaggle | There are different number of images for different dog breeds | Low | Random function is used to separate the testing and training data which makes sure it is evenly distributed. |

3.3. Data Preprocessing

| Section | Description |
|-------------------|---|
| Data Overview | The dataset is from Kaggle. It contains 541 images with 8 classes. The eight classes of breed of dog are beagle, bulldog, dalmatian, german-shepherd, husky, labrador-retriever, poodle, rottweiler |
| Resizing | The image is resized into a target size of 224 x 224 x 3. |
| Normalization | Normalized pixel value between 0 to 1. |
| Data Augmentation | Applied Data augmentation techniques such as flipping, rotation, shifting, zooming, or shearing. |

| Data Preprocessing Code Screenshots | |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Loading Data | <pre># download dataset !kaggle datasets download -d 'mohamedchahed/dog-breeds' # unzip dataset !unzip dog-breeds.zip</pre> |
| Resizing | <pre># Define the image dimensions and batch size img_height = 224 img_width = 224</pre> |
| Normalization | <pre>train_datagen = ImageDataGenerator(rescale=1./255, rotation_range=20, width_shift_range=0.2, height_shift_range=0.2, shear_range=0.2, zoom_range=0.2, horizontal_flip=True) test_datagen = ImageDataGenerator(rescale=1./255)</pre> |
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4. Model Development Phase

4.1. Model Selection Report

| Model | Description |
|---------|---|
| Model 1 | This model is build using the VGG-16 architecture by applying transfer learning. The top layer is replaced with the dense layer with 8 neurons and sigmoid activation function. The model got an accuracy of 100 for 10 epochs. |
| Model 2 | This model is build using the ResNet-50 architecture by applying transfer learning. The top layer is replaced with the dense layer with 8 neurons and sigmoid activation function. The model got an accuracy of 42 for 10 epochs. |

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| Model 3 | This model is build using the Inception architecture by applying transfer learning. The top layer is replaced with the dense layer with 8 neurons and sigmoid activation function. The model got an accuracy of 28.5 for 10 epochs. |
| Model 4 | This model is build using the Xception architecture by applying transfer learning. The top layer is replaced with the dense layer with 8 neurons and sigmoid activation function. The model got an accuracy of 100 for 10 epochs. |

4.2. Initial Model Training Code, Model Validation and Evaluation Report

Initial Model Training

```
vgg16.fit(train_generator, validation_data = test_generator, epochs=10 )
```

```
resnet.fit(train_generator, validation_data = test_generator, epochs=10 )
```

```
inception.fit(train_generator, validation_data = test_generator, epochs=10 )
```

```
xception.fit(train_generator, validation_data = test_generator, epochs=10 )
```

Model Validation and Evaluation Report

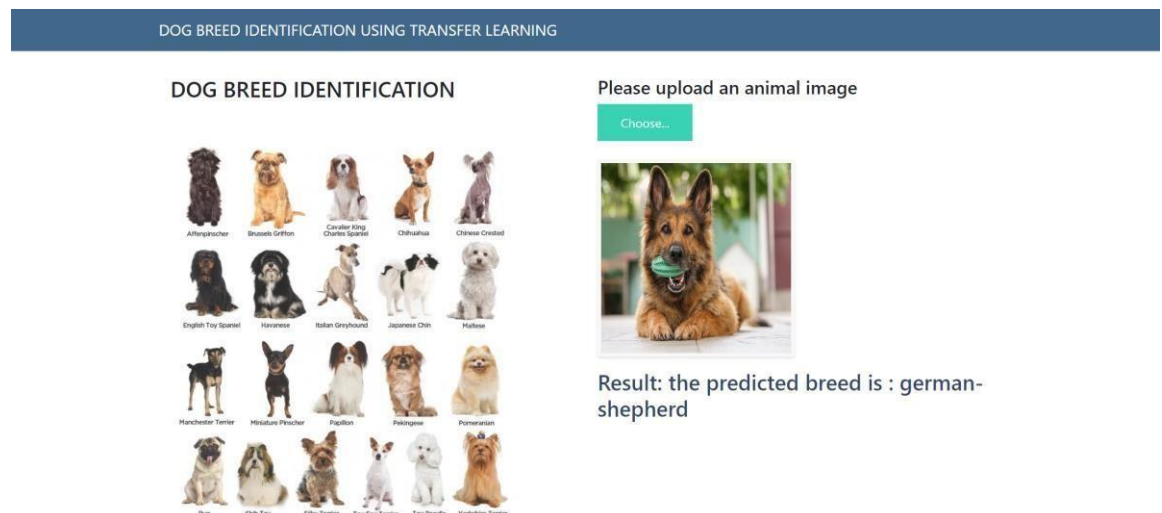
| Model | Tuned Hyperparameters |
|--------------------|---|
| Model 1(VGG-16) | Used Adam optimizer, which gave better accuracy than SGD and ran for 10 epochs. |
| Model 2(ResNet50) | Used Adam optimizer, which gave better accuracy than SGD and ran for 10 epochs. |
| Model 3(Inception) | Used Adam optimizer, which gave better accuracy than SGD and ran for 10 epochs. |
| Model 4(Xception) | Used Adam optimizer, which gave better accuracy than SGD and ran for 10 epochs. |

5.2. Final Model Selection Justification

| Final Model | Reasoning |
|--------------------|--|
| Model 4 (Xception) | This model gave batter accuracy than other models. |

6. Results

6.1. Output Screenshots



7. Advantages & Disadvantages

Advantages:

- Transfer learning leverages pre-trained models on large datasets (like ImageNet), allowing for quicker convergence and significantly reducing the time needed for training.

- Pre-trained models have learned rich feature representations, which can enhance the accuracy of the classification task, especially when dealing with limited data.
- Transfer learning can achieve good performance even with smaller datasets, which is beneficial if you don't have access to a large dataset of dog breeds.
- Using complex, deep networks (like ResNet, VGG) becomes feasible without the need to train them from scratch, making advanced architectures accessible.
- The features learned from a broad dataset can help the model generalize better to different types of dog breeds, improving robustness.

Disadvantages:

- Pre-trained models might not be specialized for the task of dog breed classification and may include features irrelevant to this specific task.
- There might be a difference between the source dataset (e.g., ImageNet) and the target dataset (dog breeds), causing a performance drop due to domain shift.
- Pre-trained models are often large and computationally expensive, which might not be suitable for deployment in resource-constrained environments.
- If the target dataset is very small, there's a risk of overfitting to the small dataset despite the use of pre-trained models.
- The quality of your results is heavily dependent on the pre-trained model you choose. If the pre-trained model is not well-suited to your specific task, performance can be suboptimal.

8. Conclusion

- The project uses transfer learning to identify the breed of the dog.
- The Exception architecture gave the best result.
- So, it is used for deploying in the Flask application

9. Future Scope

Enhanced Model Accuracy:

- Continued improvements in deep learning algorithms and architectures could lead to even higher accuracy in classifying dog breeds.

Real-Time Classification:

- Development of lightweight, efficient models that can run on mobile devices, enabling real-time classification through smartphone apps.

Integration with IoT:

- Combining dog breed classification with Internet of Things (IoT) devices, such as smart collars or home cameras, for continuous monitoring and identification.

Explainable AI:

- Incorporating explainability features to provide users with insights into how the model makes its decisions, increasing trust and usability.

10. Appendix

10.1. Source Code

```
import os
import shutil
import random
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import tensorflow as tf
```

```
from tensorflow.keras.layers import Dense
from tensorflow.keras.models import Model
from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing import image
from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing.image import ImageDataGenerator
```

```
train_dir = 'train'
test_dir = 'test'
```

```
img_height = 299
img_width = 299
batch_size = 32
train_datagen = ImageDataGenerator(
    rescale=1./255,
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        rotation_range=20,
    width_shift_range=0.2,        height_shift_range=0.2,
    shear_range=0.2,            zoom_range=0.2,
    horizontal_flip=True)
test_datagen = ImageDataGenerator(rescale=1./255)
```

```
train_generator = train_datagen.flow_from_directory(
    train_dir,
    target_size=(img_height, img_width),
    batch_size=batch_size,
    class_mode='categorical',
    color_mode='rgb')
```

```
test_generator = test_datagen.flow_from_directory(
    test_dir,
```

```
target_size=(img_height, img_width),
```

```
batch_size=batch_size,
```

```
class_mode='categorical',
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color_mode='rgb')
```

```
from tensorflow.keras.applications.xception import Xception
```

```
from tensorflow.keras.layers import Dense , Flatten from tensorflow.keras.models
```

```
import Model
```

```
xception= Xception(include_top = False,input_shape=(299,299,3))
```

```
for layer in xception.layers:
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```
    print(layer) for layer in xception.layers:
```

```
layer.trainable = False
```

```
x = Flatten()(xception.output) output =
```

```
Dense(8,activation = 'softmax')(x)
```

```
xception= Model(xception.input,output)
```

```
xception.compile(loss = 'categorical_crossentropy',optimizer = 'adam',metrics=['accuracy'])
```

```
xception.fit(train_generator,validation_data = test_generator,epochs=10 )
```

10.2. GitHub & Project Demo Link

- Github link

https://github.com/ssricharmika/Dog_Breed_identification_using_transfer_learning