

CytoImageNet: A large-scale pretraining dataset for bioimage transfer learning

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CytoImageNet contains 890K microscopy images and 894 class

IMAGENET-1K CYTOIMAGENET # of Images 1.3 million images 890K images # of Classes 1000 classes 894 classes Source of Label Human annotated labels Metadata labels # of Channels 3 channel images (RGB) 1 channel images (grayscale)

Concatenating CytoImageNet-trained and ImageNet-trained features is the new state-of-the-art in bioimage transfer learning.

Downstream Microscopy Classification Tasks **CYCLoPs**

Natural scene images

Open-source images

Images of varying scale

Table 1. kNN accuracy using EfficientNetB0 penultimate layer features.

Microscopy images

Images from 40 open-source datasets

Images of varying scale (and rotation)

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Type of Images

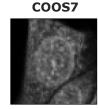
Source of Images

Properties

Human Cells Mechanism-Of-Action



Yeast Cells Subcellular Localization



Mouse Cells Subcellular Localization

Downstream Task	Random	ImageNet	CytoImageNet	<u>Fusion</u>
BBBC021	27.18%	83.50%	83.50%	86.41%
CYCLoPs	53.06%	68.47 %	65.19%	77.97 %
COOS7 Test Set 1	65.68%	88.87%	88.58%	94.80%
COOS7 Test Set 2	67.81%	88.93%	89.37%	95.07%
COOS7 Test Set 3	48.77%	75.91 %	65.97%	78.98 %
COOS7 Test Set 4	51.88%	82.19%	78.52%	87.47 %

Data Availability



CytoImageNet Pretraining yields useful features despite Poor Accuracy on the Validation Set.

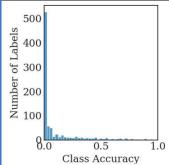


Table 2. EfficientNetB0 Validation Accuracy

Dataset	Top-1 Validation Accuracy		
ImageNet-1K [5]	77.1%		
CytoImageNet	11.32%		

402 of the 894 labels had **no** correctly predicted images in the CytoImageNet validation set.

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