* Album Artwork Classification

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Problem Statement



Objective

Build a neural network that can classify an albums musical genre from its album artwork

Usefulness

Record companies and artists will be able to better understand what listeners the cover of their album is targeting

Data Collection

Album Genres billboard

- Collected using billboard.py
- Used billboard's album genre charts to define album genres
- Albums collected 8.2K:
 - o Rock 2.3 K
 - o Rap 1.2 K
 - o Country 1.2 K
 - o Jazz 1.5 K
 - Latin 1.5 K
 - o ✓ Holiday 0.5 K



Album Artwork



Collected Using Spotify's API and spotipy









^{*}Albums on multiple lists were removed from all lists

Example Data (try yourself)





















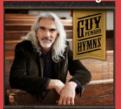
Genres:

- Rock
- Rap
- Country
- Jazz
- Holiday
- Latin

Example Data (answers)







Latin



Jazz





Country

Rap



Jazz



Rock





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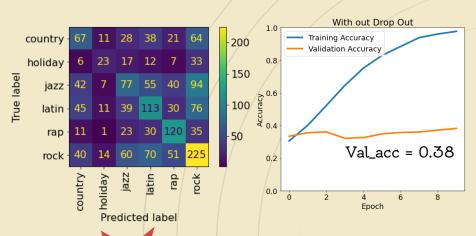




 80/20 Training/ Validation Split

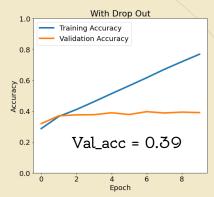
Model From Jaratch

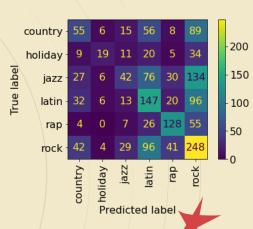
CNN no Drop Out





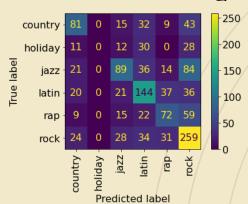
CNN with Drop Out





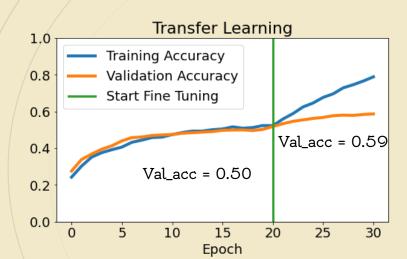
Transfer Learning

Pre Fine Tuning



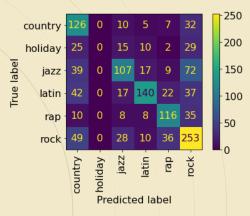


- Mobile Net V2
- Initially froze the base model
- Then allowed for some Training on Full Model





Post Fine Tuning





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