A deep learning image classification workflow for the RAMP

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Classification task

We are given a training data of labeled examples:

$$D_{\text{train}} = \{(x_i, y_i), i = 1 \dots \text{nb_examples}\}$$

where:

$$x_i \in \mathbb{R}^N, y_i \in \{1, 2, \dots, \text{nb_classes}\}, x_i \sim p(x), y_i \sim p(y|x = x_i)$$

we want to find a model **f*** that minimizes prediction error:

$$f^* = argmin_f \int L(f, x, y) p(x, y) dx dy \qquad L(f, x, y) = 1 \text{ if } f(x) \neq y$$

$$L(f, x, y) = 0 \text{ if } f(x) \neq y$$

Specifications of the workflow

- Deal with datasets that can't be stored in memory
- Support several deep learning frameworks
- Separate preprocessing and training/fitting
- Use CPU to load images into memory in parallel to GPU training

Workflow - user perspective

- Users submit two files:
 - image_preprocessor.py
 - batch_classifier.py

lmage preprocessor

Purpose: preprocess images (crop, resize, rotate, etc.)

```
import numpy as np
from skimage.transform import resize
def transform(x):
   if x.shape[2] == 4:
       x = x[:, :, 0:3]
   x = resize(x, (32, 32), preserve_range=True)
   x = x.transpose((2, 0, 1))
   # 'RGB'->'BGR'
   x = x[::-1, :, :]
   # Zero-center by mean pixel
   x[0, :, :] = 103.939
   x[1, :, :] = 116.779
   x[2, :, :] = 123.68
    return x
```

Batch classifier

Purpose: train neural nets on preprocessed images

```
from keras.models import Model
from keras.layers import Input
from keras.layers import Dense
from keras.layers import Convolution2D
from keras.layers import ZeroPadding2D
from keras.layers import MaxPooling2D
from keras.layers import Flatten
from keras.applications.vgg16 import VGG16
from keras.optimizers import Adam, SGD
class BatchClassifier(object):
   def __init__(self):
                                                 Builds train and valid generators
       self.model = build_model()
   def fit(self, gen_builder):
       gen_train, gen_valid, nb_train, nb_valid = gen_builder.get_train_valid_generators(batch_size=16, valid_ratio=0.1)
       self.model.fit_generator(
                                               Generator of tuples (X, y)
               qen_train,
               samples_per_epoch=nb_train,
               nb_epoch=3,
                                                 Generator of tuples (X, y)
               validation_data=gen_valid, ___
               nb_val_samples=nb_valid,
               verbose=1)
   def predict_proba(self, X):
       return self.model.predict(X)
def build_model():
    vgg16 = VGG16(include_top=False, weights='imagenet')
   #vgg16.trainable = False
   inp = Input((3, 224, 224))
   x = vgg16(inp)
   x = Flatten(name='flatten')(x)
   x = Dense(4096, activation='relu', name='fc1')(x)
   x = Dense(4096, activation='relu', name='fc2')(x)
   out = Dense(209, activation='softmax', name='predictions')(x)
   model = Model(inp, out)
   model.compile(loss='categorical_crossentropy', optimizer=SGD(lr=1e-4), metrics=['accuracy'])
   return model
```

Workflow - Internals

- 1) a chunk of (e.g. 1024) images are loaded into RAM
- 2) **transform** is applied to each image of the chunk
- 3) fit
 - loads a small mini-batch of (e.g. 32) images from the current chunk
 - Put the mini-batch into GPU memory
 - Updates neural net weights
 - repeat

RAMP: Pollinating insects classification



- Three editions
 - **First**: 21K training examples with 18 classes (all images resized to 64x64)
 - Accuracy went from 30% to 71%
 - Second: 21K training examples with 18 classes
 - Accuracy went from 30% to 96%
 - Third: 68K training examples with 209 classes
 - Accuracy went from 33% to 83%

Leaderboard of Second edition

Combined score: 0.959

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Leaderboard of Third edition

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aboucaud	pretrained_vgg16	0	0	0.265	3.293	0.01	4879	954	2017-05-30 09:24:56 Tue
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kegl	starting_kit_test	0	0	0.009	33.876	0.00	579	883	2017-05-25 12:19:01 Thu
deltabyte	basic_incep	0	0	0.006	34.320	0.00	10505	9844	2017-06-06 14:34:48 Tue

- Scores used:
 - Accuracy: L(f, x, y) = 1 if f(x) = y else 0
 - Negative log-likelihood : $L(f,x,y) = -\log f(y|x), f(y|x) \in [0,1]$
 - F1a: F1(class) = 2 * (precision * recall)/(precision + recall)

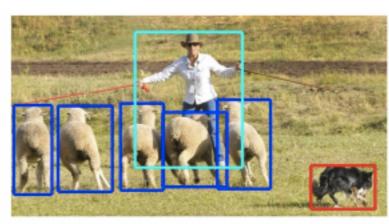
$$precision = \frac{true_positive}{true_positive + false_positive} \quad recall = \frac{true_positive}{true_positive + false_negative}$$

 $F1a = \text{proportion of classes with } F1 > \theta$, where $\theta = 0.5$

Object detection and segmentation in computer vision



(a) Image classification

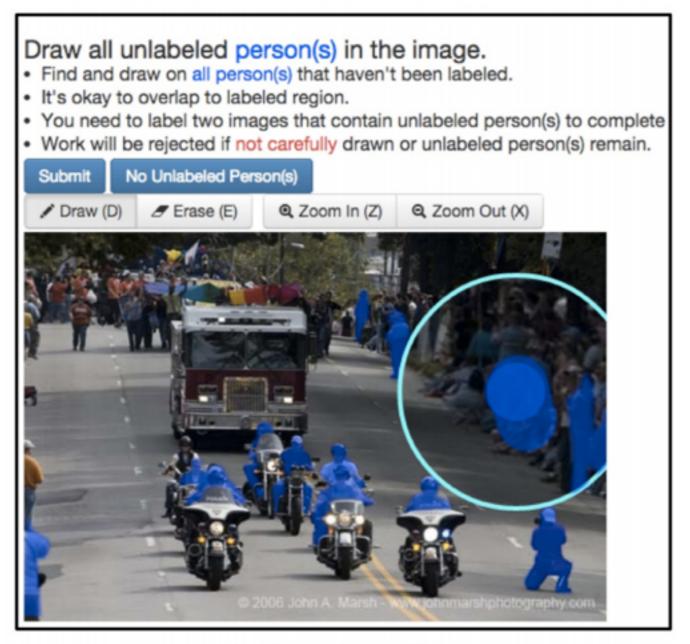


(b) Object localization



(c) Semantic segmentation

Object detection and segmentation in computer vision



(e) Crowd Labeling

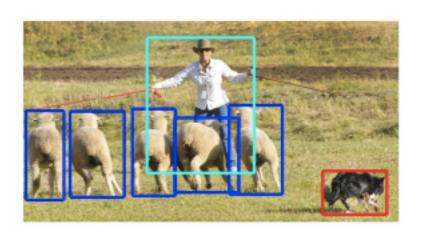
Object detection score

Input

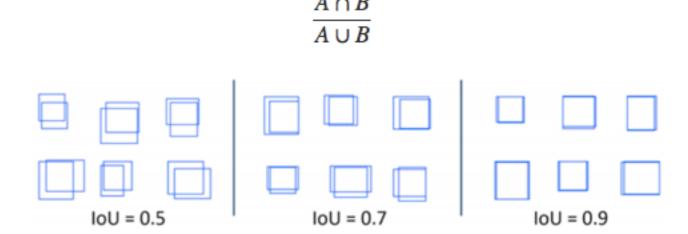


- Algorithm outputs a list of bounding box detections with confidences
- A detection is considered correct if intersection over union (IoU) overlap with ground truth > threshold (0.5)
- Evaluated by average precision per object class

Output



Intersection over Union (IoU), measures amount of overlap between two sets (in particular, for bounding boxes):



Segmentation score

Input



Output



Metrics We report four metrics from common semantic segmentation and scene parsing evaluations that are variations on pixel accuracy and region intersection over union (IU). Let n_{ij} be the number of pixels of class i predicted to belong to class j, where there are $n_{\rm cl}$ different classes, and let $t_i = \sum_j n_{ij}$ be the total number of pixels of class i. We compute:

- pixel accuracy: $\sum_i n_{ii} / \sum_i t_i$
- mean accuraccy: $(1/n_{\rm cl}) \sum_i n_{ii}/t_i$
- mean IU: $(1/n_{\rm cl}) \sum_i n_{ii} / \left(t_i + \sum_j n_{ji} n_{ii}\right)$
- frequency weighted IU: $(\sum_k t_k)^{-1} \sum_i t_i n_{ii} / (t_i + \sum_j n_{ji} n_{ii})$

Thank you for listening