

ECE 60146: Homework 7

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1 Creating Your Own Multi-Instance Object Localization Dataset

To generate the multi-instance object localization dataset, I started by filtering out all images that contained at least one of any of the following classes – cat, bus, and pizza – with a total pixel area of greater than 40000 square-pixels, which ensures that any labeled objects are in the foreground of the image. This yielded 3954 images for the training dataset and 2059 images for the validation dataset respectively. I then filtered out duplicate images and standardized the image size of 256×256 . The latter step also required me to resize the bounding box information for any objects contained within a resized image. To track the updated annotations, I created a new COCO manifest annotations file for my specific, resized subset of the original COCO data. These steps are shown in Lines 33–68 of Listing 1.

Separately, to confirm the accuracy of my dataset, I wrote a plotting routine to generate a 3×3 grid of example images, with three images per class, as shown in Figure 1. The code for plotting is shown in Listing 2.

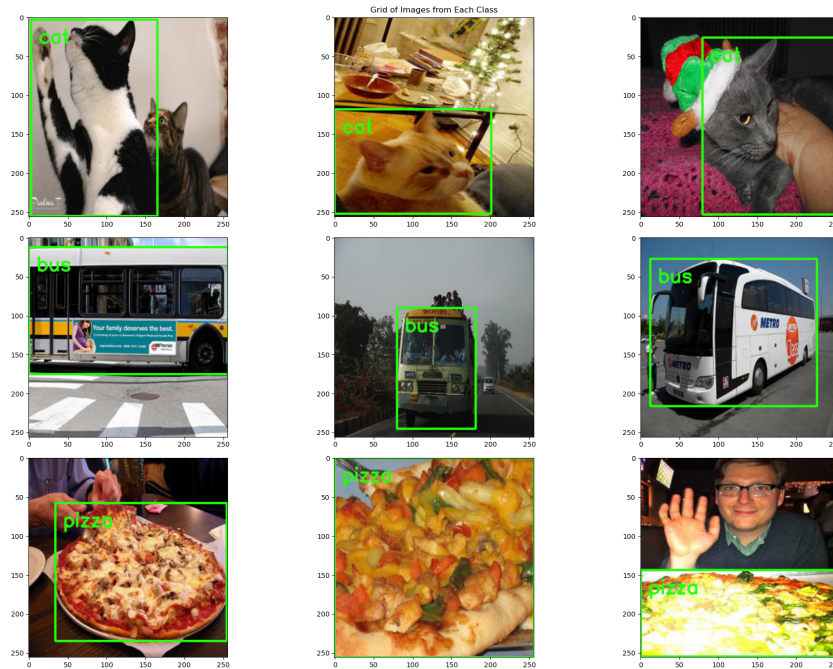


Figure 1: Example images and bounding boxes (green) from each of the three classes: cat (row 1), bus (row 2), and pizza (row 3)

Listing 1: Contents of `extract_images_coco.py`

```
1 from pycocotools.coco import COCO
2 from PIL import Image
```

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3 import json
4 import os
5
6 def save_image(img_dir, out_dir, img_name, new_size):
7     img_path = os.path.join(img_dir, img_name)
8     img = Image.open(img_path).resize(new_size)
9     img.save(os.path.join(out_dir, img_name))
10
11 def rescale_annotations(image, annotations, new_size):
12     for annotation in annotations:
13         annotation["bbox"][0] *= new_size[0] / image["width"]
14         annotation["bbox"][1] *= new_size[1] / image["height"]
15         annotation["bbox"][2] *= new_size[0] / image["width"]
16         annotation["bbox"][3] *= new_size[1] / image["height"]
17     return annotations
18
19 def write_json(json_dict, out_dir, filename):
20     with open(os.path.join(out_dir, filename), "w") as f:
21         f.write(json.dumps(json_dict))
22
23 def create_empty_manifest(dataset):
24     manifest = {
25         "info": dataset["info"],
26         "licenses": dataset["licenses"],
27         "categories": dataset["categories"],
28         "annotations": [],
29         "images": []
30     }
31     return manifest
32
33 if __name__ == "__main__":
34     # Set COCO dataset paths
35     #dataset_type = "train"
36     dataset_type = "val"
37     data_dir = "../Datasets/coco"
38     ann_file = os.path.join(data_dir, f"annotations/instances-{{dataset_type}}2014.json")
39     image_dir = os.path.join(data_dir, f"{{dataset_type}}2014")
40     output_dir = os.path.join("datasets", dataset_type)
41     os.makedirs(output_dir, exist_ok=True)
42
43     # Load COCO dataset
44     coco = COCO(ann_file)
45
46     # Build up a list of all the images that contain at least one of any category
47     categories = ["pizza", "cat", "bus"]
48     cat_ids = coco.getCatIds(catNms=categories)
49     img_ids = [coco.getImgIds(catIds=cat_id) for cat_id in cat_ids]
50     img_ids = set(x for xs in img_ids for x in xs) # unique list of images
51
52     # Filter the list of images by those containing objects above minimum size
53     counter = 0
54     new_size = (256, 256)
55     new_dataset = create_empty_manifest(coco.dataset)
56     for img_id in img_ids:
57         ann_ids = coco.getAnnIds(imgIds=img_id, catIds=cat_ids, iscrowd=False)
58         annotations = [ann for ann in coco.loadAnns(ann_ids) if ann["area"] > 40000]
59         if len(annotations):
60             image = coco.loadImgs(img_id)[0]
61             new_dataset["images"] += coco.loadImgs(img_id)
62             new_dataset["annotations"] += rescale_annotations(image, annotations, new_size)
63             save_image(image_dir, output_dir, image["file_name"], new_size)
64             counter += 1
65
66     # Write new annotations file to make later processing easier
67     print(counter)
68     write_json(new_dataset, output_dir, f"instances-{{dataset_type}}.json")

```

Listing 2: Plotting routine for 3x3 example grid

```

58 if __name__ == "__main__":
59     """Create a 3x3 grid of images with each row showing three images of the same class"""
60     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
61     train_dataset = Dataset(dataset_type="train")
62     transform = tvn.Compose([
63         tvn.Normalize([-1.0, -1.0, -1.0], [2.0, 2.0, 2.0]),
64         tvn.ToPILImage()
65     ])
66
67     fig = plt.figure()
68     fig.set_tight_layout(True)
69     counts = {i: 0 for i in range(3)}
70     for i in range(len(train_dataset)):
71         image, bboxes, labels = train_dataset[i]
72         image = np.array(transform(image))
73         bbox = bboxes[0]
74         label = labels[0]
75         if counts[label] < 3:
76             [x, y, w, h] = bbox
77             image = cv2.rectangle(image, (int(x), int(y)), (int(x+w), int(y+h)), (36,255,12),
78                                     2)
79             image = cv2.putText(image, train_dataset.label_to_name(label),
80                                 (int(x + 10), int(y + 30)), cv2.FONT_HERSHEY_SIMPLEX, 0.8, (36,255,12), 2)
81             counts[label] += 1
82             plt.subplot(3,3,sum(counts.values()))
83             plt.imshow(image)
84         elif sum(counts.values()) > 8:
85             plt.suptitle("Grid of Images from Each Class")
86             plt.show()
87             break

```

2 Building Your Deep Network

For the multi-instance object localization task, I designed a network based on Professor Kak’s **NetForYolo** and **SkipBlock** architecture as provided in his **YOLOLogic** library. In my case, I decided to use the following YOLO parameters:

Grid Size	32×32 pixels
Number of Cells	8×8
Anchor Boxes	(5, 3, 1, 1/3, 1/5)
Number of Classes	3
Number of Learnable Parameters	59,177,664

Table 1: Table of **MyNetForYolo** Parameters

This results in a **yolo_tensor** that has the following shape:

```

yolo_tensor = [batch_size, number_of_cells, number_of_anchors, 5 + number_of_classes]
              = [batch_size, 64, 5, 8]

```

Note that I did **not** take Professor Kak’s approach of adding a ninth parameter to the **yolo_tensor** to represent the probability that no class is present in a given cell/anchor pair. I found that adding a ninth parameter hampered the performance of my network, as, given the sparsity of objects across all the cells/anchors, the probability mass would concentrate on this ninth parameter and prevent my network for detecting any objects. Also, after reviewing the original YOLO paper, I found that the ninth parameter seemed to contain redundant information, as the first parameter in the **yolo_tensor** is supposed to represent the “confidence” that an object lies in the given cell/anchor pair anyway. Instead, to detect the presence of an object, I thresholded the value of **yolo_tensor[:, :, :, 0]** (usually by 0.25, which I determined empirically

to work well). The network implementation is shown in Listing 3. Note: I originally shared this approach with others in this class in Question 245 on Piazza as “Anonymous Comp”. Others have since adopted the approach and found success.

Listing 3: Network Architecture for YOLO (yolo_network.py)

```

1 import torch
2 import torch.nn as nn
3 import numpy as np
4 from dataloader.coco import Dataset
5
6 class YoloParameters:
7     required_keywords = [
8         "yolo_interval",
9         "num_classes",
10        "epochs",
11        "batch_size",
12        "anchors",
13        "image_size",
14        "learning_rate",
15        "momentum",
16        "threshold",
17        "display_count"
18    ]
19
20    def __init__(self, **kwargs):
21        if not all(key in kwargs for key in self.required_keywords):
22            raise ValueError(f"Missing a required keyword! Required: {self.required_keywords}")
23
24        for key, value in kwargs.items():
25            setattr(self, key, value)
26
27        self.cells = (self.image_size[0] // self.yolo_interval, self.image_size[1] // self.yolo_interval)
28        self.num_cells = self.cells[0] * self.cells[1]
29        self.anchors = np.asarray(self.anchors)
30        self.num_anchors = self.anchors.size
31        self.device = torch.device("cuda:0")
32
33 class SkipBlock(nn.Module):
34     """Adapted from DLStudio.SkipBlock"""
35     def __init__(self, in_ch, out_ch, downsample=False, skip_connections=True):
36         super().__init__()
37         self.downsample = downsample
38         self.skip_connections = skip_connections
39         self.in_ch = in_ch
40         self.out_ch = out_ch
41         self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(in_ch, in_ch, 3, stride=1, padding=1)
42         self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(in_ch, out_ch, 3, stride=1, padding=1)
43         self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(in_ch)
44         self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(out_ch)
45         self.in2out = nn.Conv2d(in_ch, out_ch, 1)
46
47         if downsample:
48             ## Setting stride to 2 and kernel_size to 1 amounts to retaining every
49             ## other pixel in the image — which halves the size of the image:
50             self.downsampler1 = nn.Conv2d(in_ch, in_ch, 1, stride=2)
51             self.downsampler2 = nn.Conv2d(out_ch, out_ch, 1, stride=2)
52
53     def forward(self, x):
54         identity = x
55         out = self.conv1(x)
56         out = self.bn1(out)
57         out = nn.functional.relu(out)
58         out = self.conv2(out)
59         out = self.bn2(out)
60         out = nn.functional.relu(out)
61
62         if self.downsample:
63             identity = self.downsampler1(identity)
64             out = self.downsampler2(out)

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61         if self.skip_connections:
62             if (self.in_ch == self.out_ch) and (self.downsample is False):
63                 out = out + identity
64             elif (self.in_ch != self.out_ch) and (self.downsample is False):
65                 identity = self.in2out( identity )
66                 out = out + identity
67             elif (self.in_ch != self.out_ch) and (self.downsample is True):
68                 out = out + torch.cat((identity, identity), dim=1)
69         return out
70
71 class MyNetForYolo(nn.Module):
72     """Adapted from YOLOLogic.YoloObjectDetector.NetForYolo"""
73     def __init__(self, yolo, skip_connections=True, depth=2):
74         super().__init__()
75         self.depth = depth // 2
76         self.conv1 = nn.Conv2d(3, 64, 3, padding=1)
77         self.conv2 = nn.Conv2d(64, 64, 3, padding=1)
78         self.pool = nn.MaxPool2d(2, 2)
79         self.bn1 = nn.BatchNorm2d(64)
80         self.bn2 = nn.BatchNorm2d(128)
81         self.bn3 = nn.BatchNorm2d(256)
82         self.skip64_arr = nn.ModuleList()
83         for i in range(self.depth):
84             self.skip64_arr.append(SkipBlock(64, 64, skip_connections=skip_connections))
85         self.skip64ds = SkipBlock(64, 64, downsample=True, skip_connections=skip_connections)
86         self.skip64to128 = SkipBlock(64, 128, skip_connections=skip_connections)
87         self.skip128_arr = nn.ModuleList()
88         for i in range(self.depth):
89             self.skip128_arr.append(SkipBlock(128, 128, skip_connections=skip_connections))
90         self.skip128ds = SkipBlock(128, 128, downsample=True, skip_connections=skip_connections)
91         self.skip128to32 = SkipBlock(128, 32, skip_connections=skip_connections)
92         self.skip256_arr = nn.ModuleList()
93         for i in range(self.depth):
94             self.skip256_arr.append(SkipBlock(256, 256, skip_connections=skip_connections))
95         self.skip256ds = SkipBlock(256, 256, downsample=True, skip_connections=
96             skip_connections)
97         self.fc_seqn = nn.Sequential(
98             nn.Linear(8192, 4096),
99             nn.ReLU(inplace=True),
100             nn.Linear(4096, 2048),
101             nn.ReLU(inplace=True),
102             nn.Linear(2048, yolo.num_cells * yolo.num_anchors * (5+yolo.num_classes))
103         )
104     def forward(self, x):
105         x = self.pool(torch.nn.functional.relu(self.conv1(x)))
106         x = nn.MaxPool2d(2, 2)(torch.nn.functional.relu(self.conv2(x)))
107         for i, skip64 in enumerate(self.skip64_arr[: self.depth//4]):
108             x = skip64(x)
109         x = self.skip64ds(x)
110         for i, skip64 in enumerate(self.skip64_arr[ self.depth//4:]):
111             x = skip64(x)
112         x = self.bn1(x)
113         x = self.skip64to128(x)
114         for i, skip128 in enumerate(self.skip128_arr[: self.depth//4]):
115             x = skip128(x)
116         x = self.bn2(x)
117         x = self.skip128ds(x)
118         x = self.skip128to32(x)
119         x = x.view(-1, 8192)
120         x = self.fc_seqn(x)
121         return x

```

3 Training and Evaluating Your Network

3.1 Dataloading Logic

For dataloading, I used the annotations manifest I created when extracting the images to generate a custom Torch dataset for images, labels, and bounding boxes (Listing 4). I then wrapped that dataset in a Torch Dataloader instance to set batch size and shuffling of the data (Listing 5, Lines 175–182). As each batch of the dataset is loaded into the network, I wrote a method called `create_yolo_tensor` to encode the image’s bounding box and label into the expected output of the network. Important steps included:

- Assigning each object in the image to the nearest grid cell
- Assigned each object to the anchor box with the closest aspect ratio
- Converting bounding box position to pixels relative to the nearest grid cell (to keep values in $[-1, 1]$)
- Converting bounding box height/width to fractions of the overall image width (to keep values in $[0, 1]$)
- Assigning the object label with one-hot encoding
- Setting the confidence parameter to one with an object is present in a cell/anchor pair

Listing 4: Implementation of Custom Dataset (`dataloader_coco.py`)

```
1 from pycocotools.coco import COCO
2 from PIL import Image
3 import os
4 import sys
5 import cv2
6 import torch
7 import numpy as np
8 import torchvision.transforms as tvt
9 import torch
10
11 class Dataset(torch.utils.data.Dataset):
12     def __init__(self, dataset_type):
13         # Generate list of all image_ids in the dataset_type=train or dataset_type=val
14         # dataset
15         self.data_dir = os.path.join("datasets", dataset_type)
16         self.coco = COCO(os.path.join(self.data_dir, f"instances_{dataset_type}.json"))
17         self.ids = [img["id"] for img in self.coco.dataset["images"]]
18
19         # Create map of COCO labels to zero-indexed labels for one-hot encoding
20         _, labels = self.load_annotations(self.ids)
21         self.label_map = {label: i for i, label in enumerate(set(labels))}
22         self.label_map_names = {i: self.coco.loadCats(label)[0]["name"] for label, i in self
23             .label_map.items()}
24
25         # Define method for converting PIL image format to [-1.0, 1.0] tensor
26         self.transform = tvt.Compose([
27             tvt.ToTensor(),
28             tvt.Normalize((0.5, 0.5, 0.5), (0.5, 0.5, 0.5))
29         ])
30
31     def __len__(self):
32         return len(self.ids)
33
34     def __getitem__(self, index):
35         img_id = self.ids[index]
36         image = self.load_image(img_id)
37         bboxes, labels = self.load_annotations(img_id)
38         mapped_labels = [self.label_map[label] for label in labels]
39         return image, bboxes, mapped_labels
40
41     def load_annotations(self, img_ids):
42         annotations = self.coco.loadAnns(self.coco.getAnnIds(img_ids, iscrowd=False))
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41         bboxes = [ann["bbox"] for ann in annotations]
42         labels = [ann["category_id"] for ann in annotations]
43         return bboxes, labels
44
45     def load_image(self, img_id):
46         info = self.coco.load_imgs(img_id)[0]
47         return self.transform(Image.open(os.path.join(self.data_dir, info["file_name"])).
48                                convert("RGB"))
49
50     def label_to_name(self, label):
51         return self.label_map_names[label]
52
53     def collate(batch):
54         images = torch.tensor(np.array([item[0] for item in batch]))
55         bboxes = [item[1] for item in batch]
56         labels = [item[2] for item in batch]
57         return images, bboxes, labels

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3.2 Training Logic

The training logic was fairly routine, except now I had to use multiple loss functions. Thankfully, Torch makes it easy to apply separate loss functions to the appropriate `yolo_tensor` parameters. The losses of each component were summed together to yield the total loss, as shown in Figure 2. To check the accuracy during training, I wrote a short method to convert the raw network outputs for confidence and classification into actual probabilities using Sigmoid and Softmax respectively. The check loop simply prints the ground truth labels/bboxes and predicted labels/bboxes, which allowed me to watch the convergence of the network in real time.

Listing 5: Implementation of Training Logic (`train_network.py`)

```

1  import torch
2  import torch.nn as nn
3  import numpy as np
4  from dataloader_coco import Dataset
5  from yolo_network import YoloParameters, MyNetForYolo
6  import torch.optim as optim
7  import torchvision
8  import time
9  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
10
11  class Logger:
12      def __init__(self, filename):
13          self.file = open(filename, "w")
14          self.history = []
15
16      def write(self, *values):
17          self.history.append(values)
18          for value in values:
19              self.file.write("%.3f," % value)
20          self.file.write("\n")
21          self.file.flush()
22
23      def __del__(self):
24          self.file.close()
25
26  def create_yolo_tensor(yolo, bboxes, labels):
27      yolo_tensor = torch.zeros(yolo.batch_size, yolo.num_cells, yolo.num_anchors, 5+yolo.
28                               num_classes)
29      yolo_tensor[:, :, :, 3:5] = 0.75 # Make the prior assumption that bbox fills
30                                       most of cell
31      yolo_tensor[:, :, :, 5:] = 1.0/yolo.num_classes # Force uniform probability mass
32      for ibx in range(len(labels)):
33          for bbox, label in zip(bboxes[ibx], labels[ibx]):
34              # Find the nearest cell and determine the distance between the GT bbox and the
35              cell center

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33         bb_center = [
34             bbox[0] + 0.5*bbox[2],
35             bbox[1] + 0.5*bbox[3]
36         ]
37         nearest_cell = [
38             int(np.clip(bb_center[0] // yolo.yolo_interval, 0, yolo.cells[0]-1)),
39             int(np.clip(bb_center[1] // yolo.yolo_interval, 0, yolo.cells[1]-1))
40         ]
41         nearest_cell_center = [ (a+0.5)*yolo.yolo_interval for a in nearest_cell ]
42         delta = [ (a-b) / yolo.yolo_interval for a, b in zip(bb_center,
43             nearest_cell_center) ]
44         boxdims = [ a/b for a, b in zip(bbox[2:4], yolo.image_size) ]
45
46         # Determine the proper aspect ratio anchor box to use
47         aspect_ratio = bbox[2] / bbox[3]
48         if np.isnan(aspect_ratio):
49             anchor_idx = len(yolo.anchors)-1
50         else:
51             anchor_idx = np.argmin( np.abs(aspect_ratio - yolo.anchors) )
52
53         # Encode the GT object information in a vector
54         yolo_vector = torch.zeros(5 + yolo.num_classes)
55         yolo_vector[0] = 1
56         yolo_vector[1] = delta[0]
57         yolo_vector[2] = delta[1]
58         yolo_vector[3] = boxdims[0]
59         yolo_vector[4] = boxdims[1]
60         yolo_vector[5 + label] = 1
61         cell_idx = nearest_cell[1]*yolo.cells[0] + nearest_cell[0]
62         yolo_tensor[ibx, cell_idx, anchor_idx] = yolo_vector
63
64     return yolo_tensor
65
66 def run_training_loop(yolo, net, train_dataloader, label_map_func, display_labels=True,
67     display_images=False, debug=False):
68     criterion1 = nn.BCELoss(reduction="sum")
69     criterion2 = nn.MSELoss(reduction="sum")
70     criterion3 = nn.CrossEntropyLoss(reduction="sum")
71     logger = Logger("performance_numbers_model3.txt")
72     net = net.to(yolo.device)
73
74     number_of_learnable_params = sum(p.numel() for p in net.parameters() if p.requires_grad)
75     print(number_of_learnable_params)
76
77     optimizer = optim.Adam(net.parameters(), lr=yolo.learning_rate)
78     start_time = time.perf_counter()
79     elapsed_time = 0.0
80
81     print("\n\nStarting training loop...\n\n")
82     for epoch in range(yolo.epochs):
83         running_loss = 0.0
84         running_bceloss = 0.0
85         running_regloss = 0.0
86         running_labloss = 0.0
87         for i, (images, bboxes, labels) in enumerate(train_dataloader):
88             yolo_tensor = create_yolo_tensor(yolo, bboxes, labels).to(yolo.device)
89             images = images.to(yolo.device)
90
91             optimizer.zero_grad()
92             output = net(images)
93             predictions = output.view(-1, yolo_tensor.shape[1], yolo_tensor.shape[2],
94                 yolo_tensor.shape[3])
95
96             loss = torch.tensor(0.0, requires_grad=True).float().to(yolo.device)
97
98             ## Estimating presence/absence of object with the Binary Cross Entropy loss:
99             bceloss = criterion1(nn.Sigmoid()(predictions[:, :, :, 0]), yolo_tensor[:, :, :, 0])

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98         loss += bceloss
99
100     ## MSE loss for the regression params for the object bounding boxes:
101     regression_loss = criterion2(predictions[:, :, :, 1:5], yolo_tensor[:, :, :, 1:5])
102     loss += regression_loss
103
104     ## CrossEntropy loss for object class labels:
105     targets = yolo_tensor[:, :, :, 5:]
106     targets = targets.view(-1, yolo.num_classes)
107     targets = torch.argmax(targets, dim=1)
108     probs = predictions[:, :, :, 5:]
109     probs = probs.view(-1, yolo.num_classes)
110     class_labeling_loss = criterion3(probs, targets)
111     loss += class_labeling_loss
112
113     ## Backpropagation
114     loss.backward()
115     optimizer.step()
116
117     ## Update all running losses
118     running_loss += loss.item()
119     running_bceloss += bceloss.item()
120     running_regloss += regression_loss.item()
121     running_labloss += class_labeling_loss.item()
122
123     with torch.no_grad():
124         if i % yolo.display_count == yolo.display_count - 1:
125             current_time = time.perf_counter()
126             elapsed_time = current_time - start_time
127             print("\n[epoch:%d/%d, iter=%4d elapsed_time=%5d secs]" % (epoch+1, yolo
                .epochs, i+1, elapsed_time))
128
129             print(running_loss, running_bceloss, running_regloss, running_labloss)
130             logger.write(
131                 running_loss / yolo.display_count,
132                 running_bceloss / yolo.display_count,
133                 running_regloss / yolo.display_count,
134                 running_labloss / yolo.display_count
135             )
136             running_loss = 0.0
137             running_bceloss = 0.0
138             running_regloss = 0.0
139             running_labloss = 0.0
140
141             # Convert raw output to probabilities
142             predictions[:, :, :, 0] = nn.Sigmoid()(predictions[:, :, :, 0])
143             predictions[:, :, :, 5:] = nn.Softmax(dim=-1)(predictions[:, :, :, 5:])
144
145             # Show the detected labels
146             for ibx in range(predictions.shape[0]):
147                 detection_mask = predictions[ibx, :, :, 0] > yolo.threshold
148                 detections = predictions[ibx, detection_mask]
149                 detected_labels = [
150                     label_map_func(label.item()) for label in torch.argmax(
151                         detections[:, 5:], dim=-1)
152                 ]
153                 truth_mask = yolo_tensor[ibx, :, :, 0] == 1
154                 truth = yolo_tensor[ibx, truth_mask]
155                 truth_labels = [
156                     label_map_func(label.item()) for label in torch.argmax(truth
157                        [:, 5:], dim=-1)
158                 ]
159                 print(f"Batch: {ibx}")
160                 print(f"Truth: {truth_labels} {truth[:, 1:5]}")
161                 print(f"Detected: {detected_labels} {detections[:, 1:5]}\n")
162
163     torch.save(net.state_dict(), "saved_model3")

```

```

163 if __name__ == "__main__":
164     yolo = YoloParameters(
165         yolo_interval=32,
166         num_classes=3,
167         epochs=33,
168         batch_size=8,
169         anchors=(5.0, 3.0, 1.0, 1.0/3.0, 1.0/5.0),
170         image_size=(256,256),
171         learning_rate=1e-4,
172         momentum=0.9,
173         threshold=0.25,
174         display_count=100
175     )
176     train_dataset = Dataset(dataset_type="train")
177     train_dataloader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(
178         train_dataset,
179         batch_size=yolo.batch_size,
180         shuffle=True,
181         num_workers=2,
182         collate_fn=Dataset.collate
183     )
184
185     net = MyNetForYolo(yolo, depth=12)
186     run_training_loop(yolo, net, train_dataloader, label_map_func=train_dataset.
        label_to_name)

```

3.3 Testing Logic

The testing logic was slightly more involved. For each image and corresponding network output, I had to first determine if the network had actually detected any objects in the image. I did this using the threshold approach I described in the previous section. In my case, if the confidence parameter of a given cell/anchor pair exceeded 0.25, I declared an object present. Otherwise, I declared no object present. Next, I had to again convert the Yolo-encoded bounding boxes into image bounding boxes using the image grid and size parameters. Finally, I had to plot the ground-truth and detected image labels and bounding boxes on the image before displaying with `matplotlib`.

As an additional measure, I wrote a short routine to determine if for a given image the network correctly or incorrectly detected all the objects in the image. I used this routine to assemble a “good” list and a “bad” list for each of the classes, thereby generating the image grids in Figures 3 and 4.

Listing 6: Implementation of Testing Logic (`test_network.py`)

```

1  import torch
2  import torch.nn as nn
3  import numpy as np
4  from dataloader.coco import Dataset
5  from yolo_network import YoloParameters, MyNetForYolo
6  import torchvision
7  import torchvision.transforms as tvf
8  import time
9  import cv2
10 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
11 from train_network import create_yolo_tensor
12
13 def filter_bboxes_and_labels(yolo_tensor, threshold, label_map_func):
14     truth_mask = yolo_tensor[:, :, 0] >= threshold
15     truth = yolo_tensor[truth_mask]
16     if truth.shape[0] > 0:
17         bboxes = truth[:, 1:5].tolist()
18         labels = [ label_map_func(label.item()) for label in torch.argmax(truth[:, 5:], dim
19                                     =-1) ]
19         cells = torch.arange(truth_mask.shape[0])[torch.any(truth_mask, dim=-1)].tolist()
20         return bboxes, labels, cells
21     return [], [], []
22

```

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23 def convert_yolo_to_image_bbox(yolo, yolo_bbox, yolo_cell):
24     cell_idxxs = [
25         yolo_cell % yolo.cells[0], # x
26         yolo_cell // yolo.cells[1] # y
27     ]
28     xc = (cell_idxxs[0] + yolo_bbox[0]) * yolo.yolo_interval
29     yc = (cell_idxxs[1] + yolo_bbox[1]) * yolo.yolo_interval
30     w = np.clip(yolo_bbox[2] * yolo.image_size[0], 0, yolo.image_size[0])
31     h = np.clip(yolo_bbox[3] * yolo.image_size[1], 0, yolo.image_size[1])
32     x = np.clip(xc - 0.5*w, 0, yolo.image_size[0])
33     y = np.clip(yc - 0.5*h, 0, yolo.image_size[1])
34     return x, y, w, h
35
36 def add_yolo_bboxes_to_image(yolo, image, yolo_bboxes, labels, cells, color=(36,255,12)):
37     for bbox, label, cell in zip(yolo_bboxes, labels, cells):
38         x, y, w, h = convert_yolo_to_image_bbox(yolo, bbox, cell)
39         image = cv2.rectangle(image, (int(x), int(y)), (int(x+w), int(y+h)), color, 2)
40         image = cv2.putText(image, label, (int(x+10), int(y+20)), cv2.FONT_HERSHEY_SIMPLEX,
41                             0.8, color, 2)
42     return image
43
44 def run_testing_loop(yolo, net, test_dataloader, label_map_func):
45     tensor_to_image = tv.t.Compose([
46         tv.Normalize([-1.0, -1.0, -1.0], [2.0, 2.0, 2.0]),
47         tv.ToPILImage()
48     ])
49     good_image_map = {a: [] for a in ["cat", "bus", "pizza"]}
50     good_images_per_class = 6
51     good_image_counter = 0
52     bad_image_map = {a: [] for a in ["cat", "bus", "pizza"]}
53     bad_images_per_class = 2
54     bad_image_counter = 0
55     for i, (images, bboxes, labels) in enumerate(test_dataloader):
56         yolo_tensor = create_yolo_tensor(yolo, bboxes, labels)
57         images = images.to(yolo.device)
58         with torch.no_grad():
59             output = net(images)
60             predictions = output.view(-1, yolo_tensor.shape[1], yolo_tensor.shape[2],
61                                     yolo_tensor.shape[3])
62             predictions[:, :, :, 0] = nn.Sigmoid()(predictions[:, :, :, 0])
63             predictions[:, :, :, 5:] = nn.Softmax(dim=-1)(predictions[:, :, :, 5:])
64             predictions = predictions.to("cpu")
65
66             for ibx in range(images.shape[0]):
67                 truth_bboxes, truth_labels, truth_cells = filter_bboxes_and_labels(
68                     yolo_tensor[ibx], 1.0, label_map_func)
69                 pred_bboxes, pred_labels, pred_cells = filter_bboxes_and_labels(predictions[
70                     ibx], yolo.threshold, label_map_func)
71                 this_image = np.array(tensor_to_image(images[ibx].to("cpu")))
72                 this_image = add_yolo_bboxes_to_image(yolo, this_image, truth_bboxes,
73                                                         truth_labels, truth_cells)
74                 this_image = add_yolo_bboxes_to_image(yolo, this_image, pred_bboxes,
75                                                         pred_labels, pred_cells, color=(255,0,0))
76
77                 # If we found the right classes, add this_image to the good list
78                 if all(plabel in truth_labels for plabel in pred_labels) and len(pred_labels)
79                     == len(truth_labels):
80                     not_added = True
81                     good_image_counter += 1
82                     for plabel in pred_labels:
83                         if len(good_image_map[plabel]) < good_images_per_class and not_added:
84                             :
85                             good_image_map[plabel].append(this_image)
86                             not_added = False
87
88                 # If we found the wrong classes (or none at all), add this_image to the bad
89                 list

```

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82         #if not any(plabel in truth_labels for plabel in pred_labels):
83         else:
84             not_added = True
85             bad_image_counter += 1
86             for tlabel in truth_labels:
87                 if len(bad_image_map[tlabel]) < bad_images_per_class and not_added:
88                     bad_image_map[tlabel].append(this_image)
89                     not_added = False
90
91     print(good_image_counter, bad_image_counter, good_image_counter + bad_image_counter)
92
93     if all(len(a) >= 0 for a in good_image_map.values()):
94         fig = plt.figure()
95         fig.set_tight_layout(True)
96         for row, image_set in enumerate(good_image_map.values()):
97             for col, image in enumerate(image_set):
98                 plt.subplot(len(good_image_map), good_images_per_class, row*
99                             good_images_per_class + col + 1)
100                 plt.imshow(image)
101     plt.suptitle("Grid of Successfully Identified Images")
102     plt.show()
103
104     if all(len(a) >= 0 for a in bad_image_map.values()):
105         fig = plt.figure()
106         fig.set_tight_layout(True)
107         for row, image_set in enumerate(bad_image_map.values()):
108             for col, image in enumerate(image_set):
109                 plt.subplot(len(bad_image_map), bad_images_per_class, row*
110                             bad_images_per_class + col + 1)
111                 plt.imshow(image)
112     plt.suptitle("Grid of Incorrectly Identified Images")
113     plt.show()
114
115 if __name__ == "__main__":
116     yolo = YoloParameters(
117         yolo_interval=32,
118         num_classes=3,
119         epochs=33,
120         batch_size=8,
121         anchors=(5.0, 3.0, 1.0, 1.0/3.0, 1.0/5.0),
122         image_size=(256,256),
123         learning_rate=1e-4,
124         momentum=0.9,
125         threshold=0.25,
126         display_count=100
127     )
128     test_dataset = Dataset(dataset_type="val")
129     test_dataloader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(
130         test_dataset,
131         batch_size=yolo.batch_size,
132         shuffle=True,
133         num_workers=2,
134         collate_fn=Dataset.collate
135     )
136
137     net = MyNetForYolo(yolo, depth=12)
138     net.load_state_dict(torch.load("saved_model3", weights_only=True))
139     net = net.to(yolo.device)
140     net.eval()
141
142     run_testing_loop(yolo, net, test_dataloader, label_map_func=test_dataset.label_to_name)

```

3.4 Performance

On the whole, the network is mostly functional as multi-object detector and localizer. I had an absolutely terrible time getting this network to converge. I think a large part of my issues were with the encoding of the `yolo_tensor`. Through proper scaling of parameters and dropping the extra probability mass term, I was able to improve my performance enough to converge to the model I have now, which is able to detect and localize with moderate success, as shown in the image grids below. When the model detects the presence of an object, it generally does well classifying it and determining an accurate bounding box. More often than not, though, the network struggles to detect the presence of any objects with the thresholding approach. At a threshold of 0.25, the network corrected the correct object (and proper number of objects) approximately 40% of the time. I think the issue is not that the network failed to detect, so much as my thresholding and bounding box selection method is lacking. My probability of false alarm is low, but my probability of detection is lower than I would like with this approach. With better investigation of the threshold term or some of the fancy multiple bounding box decisionmaking discussed on Piazza, I bet I could improve that score a lot.

I also suspect that I might be able to improve performance further by:

- Encoding all `yolo_tensor` parameters to be between 0 and 1. Scaling the bounding box parameters by cell size instead of image size allowed the height and width to exceed the range of $[-1, 1]$ and significantly reduced the performance of my network, as far as I could tell.
- Further investigating network layout and parameter counts. I would specifically like to implement the original YOLO network and test its performance on the same dataset.
- Increasing the number of training images, either through real data or augmentation.
- Investigating regularization as a method to avoid overfitting, as judging from the training loss vs testing loss performance, I definitely overtrained some of my earlier models.

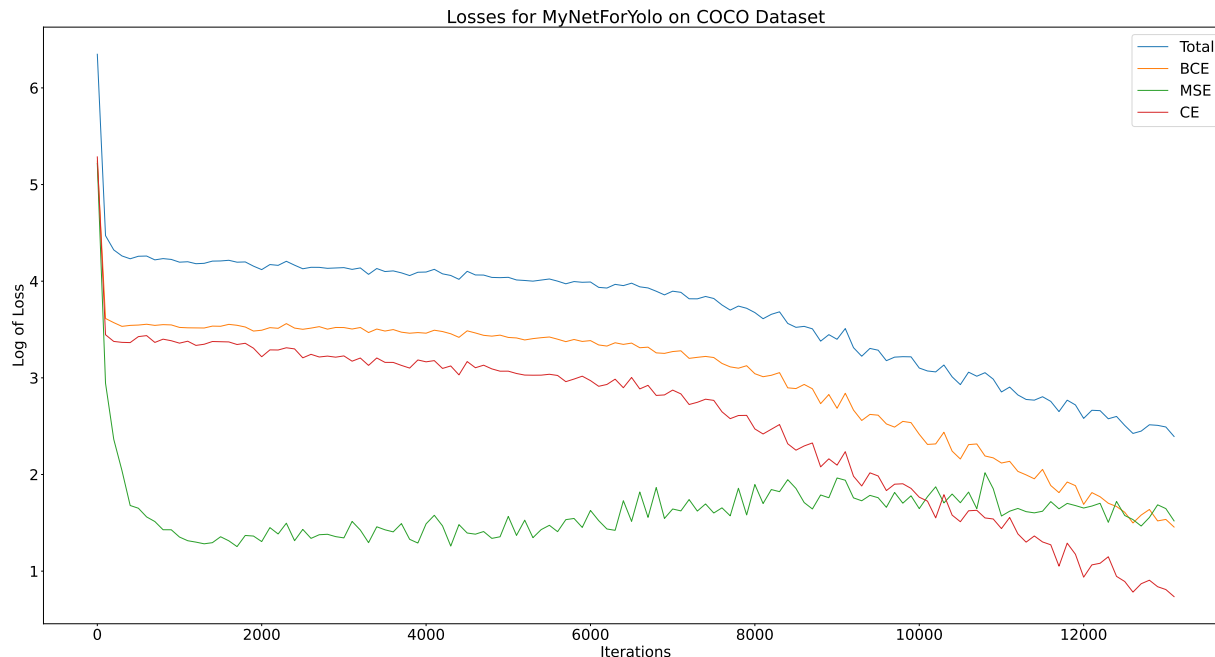


Figure 2: Training loss for each of the three loss functions in `MyNetForYolo`, where BCE is the binary cross-entropy loss for the confidence parameter, MSE is the mean-square error loss for bounding boxes, and CE is the cross-entropy loss for image classifier.

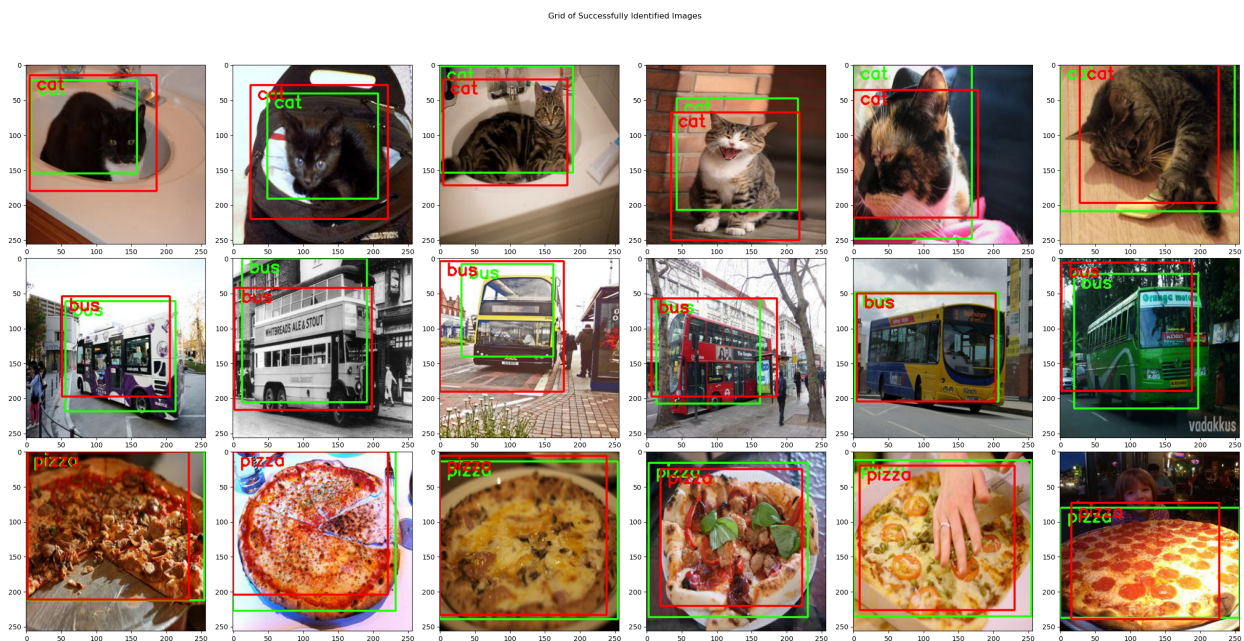


Figure 3: Examples of correctly identified images with ground-truth labels/bboxes in green and predicted labels/bboxes in red for each of the three classes: cat (row 1), bus (row 2), and pizza (row 3).

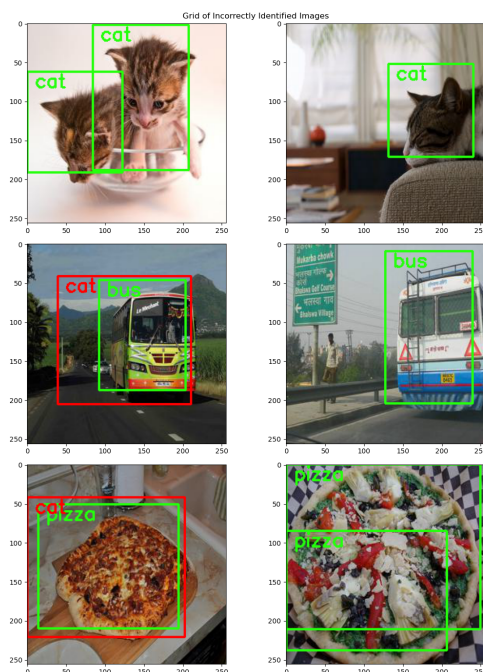


Figure 4: Examples of incorrectly identified images with ground-truth labels/bboxes in green and predicted labels/bboxes in red for each of the three classes: cat (row 1), bus (row 2), and pizza (row 3). For images where no red box appears, my network failed to detect the presence of any object in the image.