# EE/CprE/SE 491 WEEKLY REPORT XY

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Group number: 20-18

*Project title:* Development of Image Analysis Algorithms for Crack Detection Using a Smartphone

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Team Members/Role: Akira Demoss, Maggie Dalton, Modeste Kenne, Nik Thota

#### **o Weekly Summary**

This week our team worked mostly towards creating a dataset with which we can train a base detection algorithm and create a prototype. We have still experienced problems with setting up individual development environments so that each member can train. Moving forward, we are discussing alternative solutions for working around these issues.

### • Past week accomplishments

- Nik
  - Edited Lightning Talk
    - Clipped together sound clips sent by other members and attached them to the appropriate slides
  - Fixed python path issue
    - Edited python paths to match the paths of other members
  - Continued work on trying to run example
    - Issues were found with darknet installation
- Maggie
  - Labeled images for the road dataset
    - Downloaded and learned to use labeling software
    - Placed bounding boxes around cracks to for training/testing a model to detect cracks
  - Worked on fixing model training issue
    - Redid the configuration files

- Recreated the project from scratch
- Akira
  - Documented steps for converting a tensorflow model to tensorflowlite, including steps for using tensorboard to analyze the input and output nodes of the network.
  - Helped team members debug code for training custom neural networks using darknet.
- Modeste
  - Installed SPICE client on my computer (windows) in order to connect to our Virtual Machine.
  - Set up virt-viewer client for graphical console
  - Set up a folder in our server that will be used to test images sent to server

### • Pending issues

- Maggie
  - Still having issues with the model from the previous week not detecting an object. Same issue where the detection executes but no bounding box is drawn.
  - Additional research has shown that the Google example that we were using to help create a prototype is outdated. Google has updated TensorFlowLite and the new additions would allow us to better utilize device hardware and make it easier to work with the algorithm on a mobile device.
- Nik
  - Issues with darknet installation
    - When running the example, an error is found with darknet
- Akira
  - Continued issue with converting the tensorflowlite file in a way that Java will accept it as a classifier.
- Modeste
  - Not yet able to transfer images to our server

### • Individual contributions

Name	Individual Contributions	Hours this period	Hours Cumulative
Akira Demoss	Documented steps for converting a frozen tensorflow graph to tensorflowlite and helped troubleshoot issues.	16	82
Maggie Dalton	Labeled images, fixing model training issue	23	74
Modeste Kenne	Install and set up require tools to process computation on images on the server	14	46

Nik Thota	Edited lightening talk and continued	15	50
	troubleshooting and progressing training		
	environment		

### Comments and extended discussion

# • Plans for the upcoming week

- Maggie
  - Label additional images
    - A larger dataset leads to a more accurate model
  - Begin working on a base for the Android application
    - Recreate the Google example with more a more current version of TensorFlowLite
    - Begin
- Nik
  - Work on fixing issues with darknet
  - Be able to run the example completely
    - This will mean the environment is ready to go
  - Revise Design Document
    - Using notes from our meeting with our TA, make necessary changes to the format and content of the document
    - Creating the final draft
- Akira
  - Create a dataset
    - Collect hundreds of images from multiple datasets to create a unique, diverse dataset of cracks and potholes in pavement taken from a car.
    - Train data from dataset
    - Evaluate the accuracy of the dataset
  - Work on training a multiclass object detector
- Modeste
  - Lookup other methods use for sending images on server
  - Create a new Android Studio project and implement new findings
  - Push all issues to Git repository

# Summary of weekly advisor meeting

Updated Bo on project progress. Discussed making project documents available for Professor Ceylan to access. Talked about possible need for borrowing a department-owned

Android phone for testing on a later date. Also began to discuss the possibility of the group joining Bo/Professor Ceylan once we have a prototype to test the accuracy. This would allow us to physically measure the detected crack.