

Breast cancer detection using machine learning for Early Diagnosis

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ABSTRACT

Breast cancer remains a significant global health concern, emphasizing the need for early and accurate diagnosis to improve patient outcomes. This project proposes an intelligent system aimed at automating breast cancer identification using ultrasound imaging and machine learning algorithm. The system begins with the collection of a diverse dataset comprising ultrasound images categorizing breast conditions into normal, benign, and malignant cases. Employing robust pre-processing techniques such as data augmentation, cropping, and resizing standardizes the images for subsequent analysis. Transfer learning models-VGG-19, Mobile Net, and Inception Net -are utilized to extract meaningful features from the ultrasound images, enhancing the efficiency of model training and evaluation. The dataset undergoes rigorous evaluation using 10-fold cross validation, ensuring robust model performance. Machine learning models including Convolutional Neural Network(CNN) is employed for breast cancer classification, fine-tuned to distinguish between benign and malignant tumors.

I.INTRODUCTION

Breast cancer signifies unique of the diseases that as more losses each year. Breast cancer is the utmost collective cancer amongst women universal secretarial for 25% of all cancer cases and pretentious 2.1 million persons in 2015 primary diagnosis suggestively rises the likelihoods of persistence.

The existing methods are Machine learning, method of training machines with data to make the decision for same conditions and its application can be observed in various domains such as medical, network, object identification and security etc. There are 2 machine learning types that is single and hybrid approaches as for instance Convolutional Neural Network(CNN).

Breast cancer has been ranked as the most common cancer among Indian women and accounts for 27% of all cancers in women. About

1 in 28 women are likely to develop breast cancer during their lifetime, In the urban areas, the incidence is 1 in 22 as compared to the rural areas where 1 in 60 women develop breast cancer. In India, the number of breast cancer cases are rising. According to 2018 report of breast cancer statistics, there are 1,62,468 new registered cases and 87,090 reported deaths.

II.EXISTINGSYSTEM

The existing system for breast cancer diagnosis using ultrasound imaging relies heavily on manual interpretation by radiologists, which can lead to variability and subjectivity in diagnostic outcomes. Currently, there is a lack of standardized automated systems that can efficiently and accurately classify breast tissue into normal, benign, and malignant categories based on ultrasound images. Most diagnostic processes involve visual inspection and subjective judgment, which may result in errors or delays in diagnosis. Moreover, existing automated systems often face challenges in handling the variability of ultrasound images, including differences in image quality, resolution, and patient demographics. These systems typically lack the robustness to generalize across diverse datasets and may not incorporate advanced machine learning techniques for feature extraction and classification. Therefore, there is a critical need for an advanced automated system, as proposed in this project that integrates deep learning, transfer learning, and ensemble methods to enhance diagnostic accuracy and efficiency in breast cancer detection using ultrasound imaging.

ADVANTAGES OF EXISTING SYSTEM

Early Detection & Improved Accuracy: ML algorithms can detect cancerous patterns at an early stage, improving survival rates. Reduces false positives and false negatives compared to traditional methods.

Faster Diagnosis: ML models can analyze mammograms, ultrasound, and histopathological images faster than human radiologists. Helps doctors make quicker decisions, reducing patient anxiety and waiting times.

Automation & Reduced Human Error: Reduces dependence on manual interpretation, minimizing errors due to fatigue or bias. Ensures consistent and repeatable results.

Cost-Effective Solution: Lower the cost of repeated tests by improving initial diagnosis accuracy. Reduces the need for expensive biopsies in non-cancerous cases.

Personalized Treatment Plans: AI models can predict cancer progression and help doctors customize treatment plans. Enables precision medicine by analyzing individual patient data.

DISADVANTAGES OF EXISTING SYSTEM

Data-Related Issues: Medical datasets often have a class imbalance, meaning fewer malignant cases than benign ones. This can lead to biased predictions. Patient data is highly sensitive, and improper handling can lead to ethical and legal issues. High-quality annotated medical images or histopathological data are scarce, impacting model accuracy.

Model Limitations: Many ML models perform well on training data but fail to generalize effectively to new cases. Deep learning models, especially CNNs, often function as "black boxes," making it difficult for doctors to understand their decisions. Poor-quality mammograms or histopathological images can mislead the model, leading to incorrect classifications.

Ethical and Legal Concerns: If trained on biased datasets (e.g., more data from a particular ethnicity or age group), the model may not perform well on diverse populations.

III. PROPOSED SYSTEM

Breast Cancer Dataset: The process starts with a dataset containing medical records or biopsy data of breast cancer patients. **Preprocessing:** This step involves cleaning and preparing the dataset by handling missing values, normalizing data, and possibly performing transformations to enhance model performance.

Feature Selection: Relevant features (such as tumor size, shape, and texture) are chosen to improve accuracy and reduce computational complexity.

Data Partition: The dataset is split into training and testing sets to train the model and evaluate its performance.

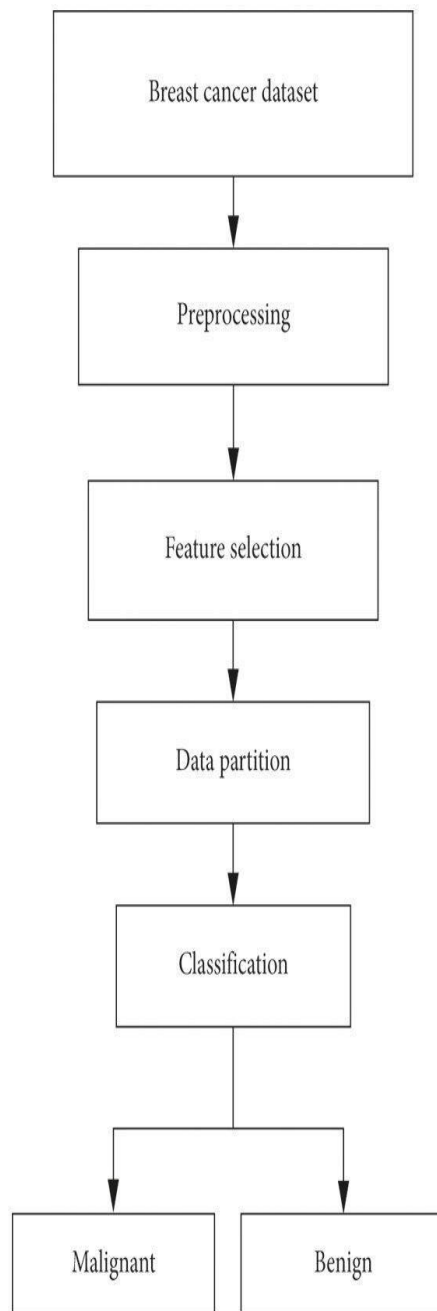
Classification: A machine learning algorithm (e.g., Convolutional Neural Network) is applied to classify the data into two categories: **Malignant:** Indicates cancerous tumors that require medical intervention.

Benign: Indicates non-cancerous tumors that are less harmful.

ADVANTAGES OF PROPOSED SYSTEM

Systematic Data Processing Improved Accuracy Efficient Data Handling Effective Model Training Better Decision-Making
Reduced Computational Complexity Scalability

DATAFLOW





MODULES

UserManagementModule
ImageAcquisition&PreprocessingModule Feature Extraction Module
Classification&DetectionModule
Result Analysis & Report Generation Module PatientRecord&HistoryManagementModule
Integration & Deployment Module.

IV.CONCLUSION

Breast cancer detection using machine learning has achieved successfully with accuracy up to 90.4%. By using this machine learning the output is effective and faster and reduces the complexity. Here we have used combination of classifiers & algorithms such as decision tree algorithm, random algorithm and logistic regression helped to achieve high accurate and efficient model. The results shown in decision tree classifiers prediction and in the actual classification of the patients which presenting ones as malignant (cancerous) and zeros as benign (non-cancerous).

This model can predict a greater number of correct values than negatives. By detecting the breast cancer at early stage, the cancer can be curable and the patients can avoid painful surgeries. The overall computational time for the preprocessing would be 3.5sec & the time for the processing stage would be around 5sec for the number of dataset considered, this time could vary depending upon the number of dataset that has been chosen.

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