

An Automated System of Identifying Kidney Stones using Darknet-19, a Deep Learning Model in MATLAB.

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Abstract

The excretory system depends on the kidneys, which are essential organs. The kidney is in charge of eliminating waste products from the body through urination. Kidney stones are currently the most frequent issue a person has with their kidneys. One in ten persons will receive a kidney stone diagnosis at some point in their lives. Hard deposits of calcium, salt, or other minerals that are not effectively eliminated through urine are known as kidney stones. Most kidney stones form in the region of the urinary tract. Kidney stones can be found using a variety of diagnostic techniques. Despite the fact that doctors have trouble detecting tiny stones, their position and size. In most of the hospitals, the size of kidney stones is detected manually. In order to reduce false negative results, improving diagnosis and to help the radiologists in identifying the accurate problem, we proposed an automated method to detect kidney stones using a deep learning model. In our project, we use darknet 19 (a deep learning model) for training the datasets and for feature extraction purpose. Using the extracted features, we can classify the images for predicting the accurate result. We can predict whether the kidney image is normal or abnormal, whether there is presence of kidney stones, kidney stone size and their location are found.

1. Introduction

Order gravestone discovery plays a vital part in the field of medical imaging, enabling accurate opinion, treatment planning, and monitoring of cases with renal maths. In recent times, deep literacy ways have shown great pledge in automating this discovery process, leading to increased effectiveness and bettered issues. One popular armature for object discovery tasks is Darknet- 19, a featherlight convolutional neural network (CNN) model. The Darknet- 19 armature consists of 19 convolutional layers followed by maximum- pooling layers and completely connected layers. These layers work in tandem to prize intricate features from input images and directly localize objects of interest. This makes Darknet-19 well- suited for order gravestone discovery, as it can effectively learn the visual patterns and characteristics associated with order monuments. To apply order gravestone discovery using the Darknet- 19 armature in MATLAB, the first step is to acquire a dataset of medical images containing order gravestone cases. It's essential

to have accurate reflections that specify the position and class of each order gravestone in the images. With a labeled dataset in hand, the coming step involves preprocessing the data. This generally includes resizing the images to a harmonious size, homogenizing pixel values, and unyoking the dataset into training and testing subsets. likewise, the reflections need to be converted into the needed format for training the Darknet- 19 model. Once the dataset is set, the Darknet- 19 model is configured in MATLAB. This involves defining the layers, specifying hyperparameters similar as learning rate and batch size, and setting up the optimization settings.

MATLAB's deep literacy frame provides a accessible interface for constructing and customizing the model according to specific conditions. Training the Darknet-19 model is a pivotal step in the process. During training, the model learns to fete the visual patterns and characteristics of order monuments by optimizing its parameters to minimize the discovery error. This is

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achieved through the iterative process of forward and backward propagation, where the model adjusts its weights and impulses grounded on the training data. After training, the performance of the trained model is estimated using applicable criteria similar as delicacy, perfection, recall, and mean average perfection (chart). These criteria give perceptivity into how well the model can descry order monuments and directly localize them. Evaluation helps in assessing the effectiveness of the trained model and making any necessary adaptations to ameliorate its performance. With a trained and estimated Darknet- 19 model, it's ready for conclusion on new, unseen medical images. In the conclusion phase, the model processes the input image and generates prognostications in the form of bounding boxes around the detected order monuments. These bounding boxes give information about the position and extent of the order monuments, abetting healthcare professionals in making informed opinions regarding opinion and treatment.

The perpetration of order gravestone discovery using the Darknet- 19 armature in MATLAB offers multitudinous benefits in the field of medical imaging. By automating the discovery process, healthcare professionals can save time and trouble, allowing for briskly and more accurate judgments. also, the automated discovery system can help in large- scale webbing programs, icing early discovery and timely treatment of order monuments. In conclusion, the Darknet- 19 armature in MATLAB provides an important frame for order gravestone discovery in medical images. By using deep literacy ways, accurate and effective discovery and localization of order monuments can be achieved. This technology has the implicit to significantly ameliorate patient care by abetting radiologists and croakers in the opinion and operation of renal maths.

2. Existing System

The discovery and identification of order monuments in medical imaging have been addressed in the being literature using CNN algorithms and the Keras frame, specifically using the Xception model in machine literacy. still, the current system has several limitations and downsides that need to be addressed to enhance its effectiveness and implicit clinical mileage. One of the primary downsides of the being system lies in the representation of data. Machine literacy algorithms generally bear structured data, limiting their connection to thousands of data points. When it comes to order

gravestone discovery, medical imaging datasets can correspond of a large number of images, making it grueling to reuse them efficiently using conventional machine learning approaches. thus, there's a need for bettered data representation ways that can handle the volume and complexity of medical imaging data, enabling more accurate and scalable order gravestone discovery. likewise, the being system's data analysis capabilities are limited to specific variables. While machine literacy algorithms can learn patterns and connections between variables, they might not capture all applicable information for order gravestone identification.

Medical imaging data can contain colorful features and characteristics that contribute to accurate opinion, similar as gravestone size, shape, position, and texture. Incorporating these different features into the analysis can enhance the performance and robustness of the order gravestone discovery system. also, complex issues related to order gravestone discovery bear more advanced results that go beyond the capabilities of traditional machine literacy. order gravestone discovery involves not only classifying the presence of monuments but also directly localizing their position within the feathers. This task requires precise spatial mapping and segmentation, which can be grueling to achieve using conventional machine learning algorithms alone. thus, the being system should be stoked with advanced ways similar as deep literacy and computer vision to overcome these limitations and achieve more accurate and comprehensive order gravestone identification. To address these downsides, unborn exploration in order gravestone discovery should concentrate on developing innovative approaches that can handle the high-dimensional and complex nature of medical imaging data. This can involve the integration of deep literacy infrastructures, similar as convolutional neural networks (CNNs), with advanced pre-processing ways to capture a broader range of features and ameliorate the delicacy of discovery. also, incorporating image segmentation algorithms can prop in precisely localizing order monuments, furnishing precious information for treatment planning and intervention. likewise, the application of transfer literacy can be salutary in perfecting the performance of order gravestone discovery systems. By using pre-trained models like Xception, which have been trained on large- scale image datasets, experimenters can take advantage of their learned features and acclimatize them to the task of order gravestone identification.

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Transfer literacy enables the system to generalize better, indeed with limited training data, and potentially overcome the challenges posed by lower medical imaging datasets. In conclusion, while the being system for order gravestone discovery using CNN algorithms and the Keras frame has shown pledge, it suffers from limitations related to data representation, data analysis capabilities, and the complexity of the problem at hand. Addressing these downsides requires advancements in data representation ways, objectification of comprehensive point analysis, and the integration of advanced ways similar as deep literacy and image segmentation. By addressing these limitations, the field of order gravestone discovery can make significant progress in perfecting opinion and case care, enabling accurate identification and localization of order monuments in medical imaging.

3. Literature Survey

This paper presents a new approach for the accurate discovery of order monuments using colorful imaging modalities. The main ideal of the study is to develop an automated opinion system that can precisely identify the presence of order monuments. The author focuses on coronal CTX-ray images as the primary imaging modality for analysis due to their capability to give comprehensive visualization of the feathers. To achieve accurate prognostications, the author integrates deep literacy ways, specifically employing the ImageNet model, a extensively used convolutional neural network armature. By using the pre-trained weights and learned features of the ImageNet model, the proposed system effectively excerpts applicable information from the CTX-ray images to make precise prognostications regarding the presence of order monuments. In addition, the author incorporates colorful image processing ways, including preprocessing way similar as image denoising, discrepancy improvement, and normalization, to enhance the quality and thickness of the CTX-ray images. also, segmentation algorithms are employed to precisely delineate order structures and insulate regions of interest where order monuments are likely to be present, thereby perfecting the delicacy and trustability of the gravestone discovery process. This automated opinion system offers multitudinous advantages, including reduced dependence on homemade interpretation, enhanced neutrality and thickness, increased effectiveness, and bettered vaticination performance. By using deep literacy and image processing ways, this system has the implicit to revise order gravestone discovery, leading to further

timely and accurate judgments, and eventually perfecting patient issues

Disadvantages:

- Limited generalizability.
- Overreliance on CT X-ray imaging.
- Interpretability and explainability.

Kidney stone is now a days a common health issue in people. Due to the presence of noise during scanning and imaging, there are inaccuracies found in the stone detection process. In this paper, the author implemented an automated system and grey level conversion of image processing to detect the presence of kidney stones in MRI and CT scan images. He uses RGB into grey level conversion methods

Disadvantages:

- Dependence on the specific conversion method
- Inability to leverage color-based features
- Sensitivity to image quality and noise

Kidney stone can be detected by urologists by using computed tomography (CT) images. Smaller kidney stones are not visible and hence they are impossible for urologists to detect. An automated diagnostic system can help urologists to detect small stones in the kidney. In this paper, the author proposed ExDark19, a new method for image classification. The author uses iterative neighbourhood component analysis (INCA) for selecting the features. Then, k-nearest neighbour classifier is applied to the features for classifying the images to detect kidney stones. He also trained the images with other pretrained networks and found a major difference in the results and accuracy. The results obtained with pretrained network and ExDark19 are not similar.

Disadvantages

- Sensitivity to training data and parameter settings
- Insufficient similarity with other innovative methods

Kidney stones are the formation of hard substances in the kidneys due to the deposit of minerals, salts, calcium deposits or due to uric acid formation. Diagnosing the kidney stone in the earlier stage is difficult. In ultrasound

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imaging, speckle noise will be more and it is difficult to detect the presence of kidney stone. In this paper, kidney stone is detected using image processing techniques. The author uses image processing techniques like pre-processing, morphological analysis, and segmentation. The results of these technique are evaluated and analysed to check whether the applied technique is efficient or not.

Disadvantages

- Difficulty in distinguishing kidney stones from surrounding tissues.
- Lack of clinical validation

4. Proposed System

In this paper, we present a new approach for the automated discovery of order monuments using deep literacy ways, specifically employing the CNN algorithm and the Darknet- 19 model. The main ideal of our exploration is to develop an effective and accurate system able of relating the presence of order monuments, as well as determining their size and position within the feathers. The Darknet- 19 model, an important deep literacy armature, is well- suited for this task as it possesses the capability to reuse and dissect a large volume of data. Its Artificial Neural Network (ANN) structure enables the model to learn and prize intricate features from medical images, thereby abetting in the identification and characterization of order monuments. By using the capabilities of Darknet- 19, we aim to enhance the individual process, furnishing precious information to healthcare professionals for accurate and timely treatment opinions. Two steps are taken by our automated system. First, we use a distinct dataset of medical images with instances of order monuments to train the Darknet-19 model. This dataset has gravestone size and location information that is strictly labelled. The algorithm develops the ability to recognise patterns and traits unique to order monuments during the training phase, which enhances its capacity to predict outcomes precisely. The extensive dataset may be reused with ease thanks to Darknet-19's large-scale processing capabilities, landing the minor variances and challenges of order gravestone finding.

After the Darknet-19 model has been trained, we go on to the analysis phase, where the system examines fresh, previously unviewed medical images to identify order monuments and provide details regarding their size and location.. By inputting these images into the trained

model, it undergoes a series of convolutional and pooling layers, rooting applicable features and relating regions of interest that potentially contain order monuments. The model also generates prognostications grounded on these linked regions, furnishing precious perceptivity into the presence, size, and position of the order monuments within the images.

Our approach offers several benefits over traditional homemade discovery styles. originally, the automated nature of the system reduces the reliance on private mortal interpretation, minimizing the possibility of mortal crimes and inconsistencies. also, the use of deep literacy ways allows for the analysis of a vast quantum of data in a fairly short period, enabling effective and timely discovery. likewise, by furnishing information about the size and position of the order monuments, our system assists healthcare professionals in treatment planning and decision- timber, leading to bettered patient care and issues. Yet, there are issues and regulations to take into account. The delicacy and performance of the automated system heavily calculate on the quality and diversity of the training dataset. shy representation of different types of order monuments and variations in image quality can potentially impact the system's effectiveness. likewise, the interpretability of deep literacy models like Darknet-19 remains a challenge, as the internal decision- making process isn't fluently resolvable. Addressing these limitations requires careful data collection, preprocessing, and evaluation, along with ongoing exploration in model interpretability. In conclusion, our proposed automated system exercising the CNN algorithm and Darknet- 19 model presents a promising approach for the discovery of order monuments. By using the capabilities of deep literacy, we aim to enhance the effectiveness and delicacy of gravestone identification, furnishing healthcare professionals with precious perceptivity into the presence, size, and position of order monuments. While farther exploration and confirmation are necessary, we believe that our automated system has the implicit to revise order gravestone discovery and contribute to bettered patient care in the field of urology.

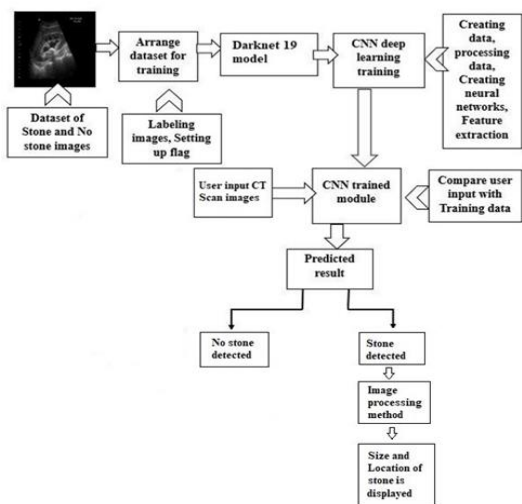


Figure 1. Proposed system architecture

5. Implementation

1) Selecting a pretrained network

In this project, the presence of kidney stone is detected by applying Deep neural network technique. CT kidney images are downloaded from online database. The database includes both normal and abnormal images (i.e., images with presence of kidney stone). We use Deep Network Designer App from MATLAB toolbox. From the Deep Network Designer, Darknet-19 model, a pretrained network is used for image classification. Darknet-19 is an open-source framework which is used for implementation of neural networks because of its high performance. Moreover, Darknet-19 is considered as the best deep learning network for object detection purposes.

Darknet-19 is a Convolution Neural Network (CNN) that consists of 19 convolution layers deep in it. This Darknet-19 is already trained with millions of images available in ImageNet database. The images can be split into 1000 various item groups using darknet-19. The Darknet-19 network model is installed into MATLAB.



Figure 2. shows Deep Network Designer toolbox in MATLAB containing pretrained networks

2) Importing Data

Darnet-19 network is taken for classification of kidney images. After choosing the pretrained Darknet-19 network, the two layers of the network are replaced with other two layers based on the input data. Our input data consists of only two classes namely normal and stone. Convolution layer 19 is changed into fully convoluted layer and the size of output is given as 2. The weight learn rate factor and bias learn rate factor are given as 1. The output layer of the network is also replaced by classification layer.

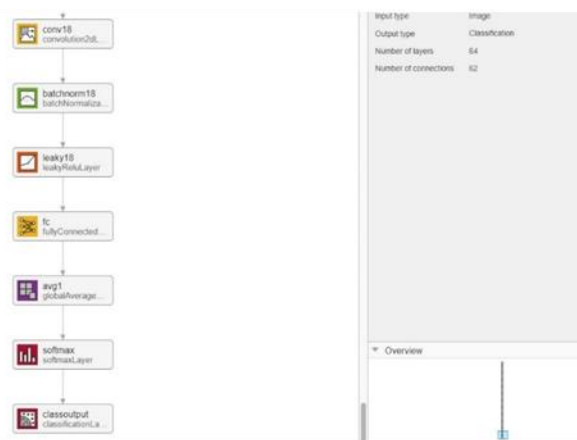


Figure 3. Shows the layers of Darknet-19 CNN architecture model.

After replacing the network layers, the CT images input data is imported into the network. More than 500 images are used as input data for classification. After applying some augmentation settings for the data, the input data is being split into training data and testing(validation) data. Among the input images, 70% of images are taken for training and 30% are taken for validation. Now, the network separates the input data into two classes. i.e., Normal and Stone

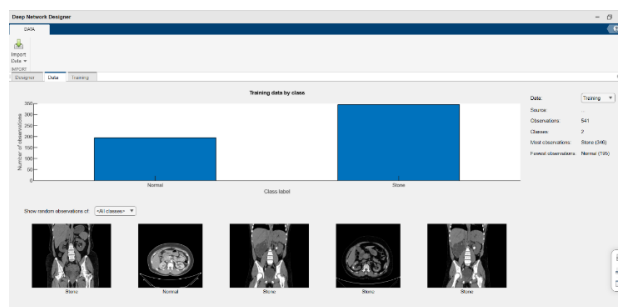


Figure 4. shows separation of training data into two classes.

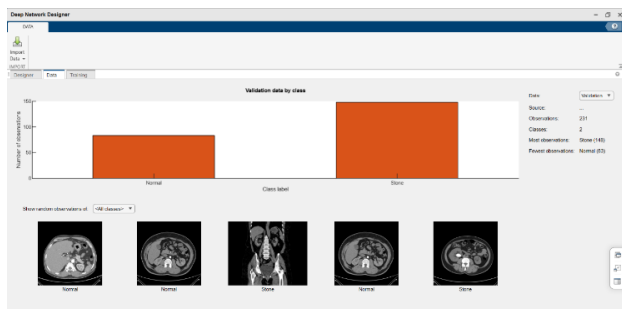


Figure 5. shows separation of validation data into two classes

3) Training the network

After importing the input data into the network, the network will prepare itself into the training mode. An optimization algorithm in deep learning known as ADAM (Adaptive Moment Estimation) is used to train the deep learning network. ADAM is the best and fastest network training algorithm. ADAM is an extension of stochastic gradient momentum. It is very efficient in training large number of datasets. ADAM requires very less memory. ADAM algorithm is a combination of both stochastic gradient momentum and RMS algorithm. Training options are need to be specified before starting the training progress. Initial learn rate is set to 0.001, Maximum Epoch level is 10 and the validation frequency is set to 20. The minimum batch size applied for the network is 120. After setting the appropriate training options, training progress will begin.

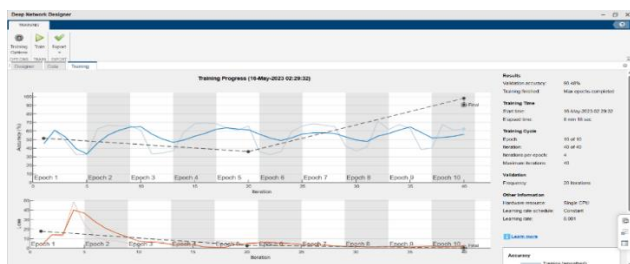


Figure 6. shows the training progress of Kidney CT image dataset

4) Testing / Validation

About 30% of data from input is used for validation / testing the trained neural network. The results of validation will be shown once the training progress is completely done. Our trained network has validation accuracy of 90.48%.

5) Classification

Now, the trained network will classify the images into Normal or Stone images. In classification process, the input images given to the code are different from those images used for training the dataset. We need to check whether our trained network is providing appropriate output. A MATLAB code is developed to predict the result. It will show whether the loaded input image is Normal image or Stone image.

6) Pre-processing

The steps of pre-processing are done to improve the quality of the image. In order to find out the features like size and location of stone in kidney CT images, pre-processing is necessary. The stages of pre-processing include image resizing, grey level transformation and binary image conversion. At first, the size of the original image is resized to 256x256. The resized image is then converted into grey scale image. The intensity levels in the original image are converted to grey level intensity values. The grey scale image is finally converted to binary image. The values in the binary image have only zero's and one's.

7) Feature Extraction

In feature extraction, we are going to find out the location and size of stone in the kidney. Some morphological operations are applied in the input image. The grey scale image is dilated at the shape of a sphere at the range of 5. Then the holes in the image rather than kidney are filled. Region based segmentation method is applied to Kidney CT images. Using region of interest (ROI), the location of kidney stone is manually drawn in MATLAB. The properties of the marked region are found and the location of kidney stone is also identified.

6. Results and Discussion

In our design, we aimed to gain the physical parcels of an order gravestone, specifically fastening on determining its size. To achieve this, we employed order CT images as our primary source of information. As a starting point, we made the supposition that the compass of the order gravestone can serve as an approximation of its size. By using image analysis ways and dimension algorithms, we were suitable to prize the applicable information and calculate the compass of the order gravestone. Through scrupulous analysis and processing of the CT image, we determined that the size of the order gravestone in question measured 2.7 mm. This finding provides precious perceptivity into the physical characteristics of

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the order gravestone, easing a better understanding of its clinical significance and abetting healthcare professionals in treatment planning and decision- timber. It's important to note that while the compass serves as a accessible approximation for size, the factual confines and shape of the order gravestone may vary. thus, farther exploration and refinement of dimension ways are necessary to ameliorate delicacy and insure more precise characterization of order gravestone size. nevertheless, our design represents a significant step towards quantifying the physical parcels of order monuments using non-invasive imaging ways, which has the implicit to enhance the opinion, operation, and treatment of cases with order gravestone- related conditions.

1) CLASSIFICATION OF KIDNEY IMAGES



Figure 7. shows normal kidney image

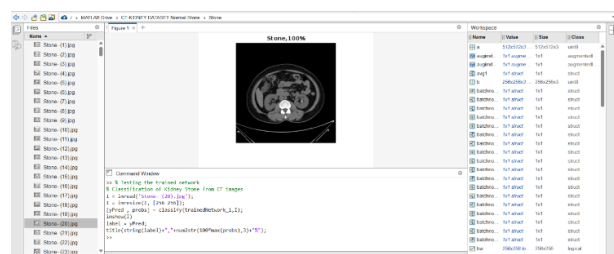


Figure 8. shows presence of kidney stone with 100% prediction



Figure 9. shows the properties of kidney stone

7. Conclusion

This method is carried out in MATLAB R2021a. This work proposes a Darknet 19 classification model to detect kidney stones from CT images. This work achieved high classification performance on CT images using a novel method developed (Darknet19) based on the concept of vision transform (ViT). The main purpose of Darknet19 is to attain high classification performance with a low time burden for the kidney stone detection problem. To realize this purpose, deep features have been generated using a commonly used deep light- weight network (DarkNet19) with transfer learning. Herein, trained DarkNet19 has been utilized as a feature generation function and global and local features are generated using this feature generation function. Global deep features are generated from the whole CT image and local deep features are generated from patches. By deploying the INCA chooser, excellent classification accuracy has been obtained using fewer features (138 features). To obtain maximum classification accuracy from the CNN, hyperparameters are tuned using Bayesian optimization. Our Darknet19 model will attain the accuracies of 99.22% and 99.71% using 10-fold CV and hold-out validation, respectively.

8. Future Works

In this design, we've developed a neural network algorithm that effectively detects order monuments in order CT images. We've also employed colorful pre-processing ways and segmentation algorithms to directly detect and determine the size of the order monuments. Our results have shown promising issues in terms of discovery delicacy. still, as part of our unborn work, we aim to further enhance our system and develop an automated result that can be stationed in real- time sanitarium settings, exercising real- time case data. By incorporating real- time data, our system will be suitable to acclimatize and ameliorate its performance grounded on the specific characteristics and variations observed in different cases. This will lead to advanced delicacy rates in detecting order monuments, allowing for timely intervention and treatment. We fete the significance of real- time discovery in clinical settings, where quick and accurate opinion plays a pivotal part in furnishing optimal case care. thus, our unborn work focuses on refining and optimizing our algorithm, integrating it with being sanitarium systems, and conducting expansive confirmation studies to insure its trustability and effectiveness in real- time scripts. By developing such an

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automated system, we aim to contribute to the advancement of medical technology and enhance the overall quality of care for cases with order gravestone-related conditions.

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