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# A robust learning approach for lung cancer detections in medical applications

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### **ABSTRACT**

Lung cancer deals with the disease categorized by uncontrolled development of a cell in lung tissues. If left unprocessed, this development can spread outside the lungs, straight, into other shares of the human body. The operation, radiation treatment, and scanning are used in the treatment of lung cancer. This paper deals with the efficient approach to detect automatic lung cancer at early or advance stages to notice the malignant nodes at earliest as healthy as suggesting developments so the doctors can be able to take corrective accomplishment to guard the patients after cancer at maximum initial stages.

**Keywords**— Support Vector Machines, Feature extraction, Principle Component Analysis

### 1. INTRODUCTION

The upsurge in health care prices is one of the most important problems in the world. Due to an increase in the world's population, the healthcare industries are facing several challenges as well as issues based on patient's severity is to be reduced and discover it former in a much more operative manner. Some of the hospitals are trying to improve and increase the efficiency of medical resource utilization in order to reduce health care cost. Lung cancers are a very common disease in India. With world health organization data statistics for 2014 giving an assessed occurrence figure of 2.1 million cases of lung cancers for India out of a global occurrence of about nine million. Sometimes it is very difficult to diagnose it at an initial level by physicians because symptoms of TB initial level and lung cancer are similar to any other normal disease [1].

Early and increased detection of all types of incident cases of tuberculosis and lung cancer remains elusive along with significant objective; it is to make sure both will reduce suffering for people. Prediction and diagnosis of these diseases at the initial phase is the immense problem in India and other Asian countries also. Several new approaches, which go past the customary passive event-discovering methods currently used are needed to make progress towards confirming all patient's which are having tuberculosis are recognized as well as linked to appropriate treatment [2].

Many researchers have already taken interest in classification procedure for discovering the reduced error rate and improved prediction rate. Classification is a procedure to allocate an object into predefined evaluations by estimating their membership into class rendering to attribute standards for that items. For making an important improvement in arrangement procedure many investigators have employed dissimilar approaches and adopt different known methods which are healthier than previous classical approaches but very few scholars have tried for classification process preceded by clustering or machine learning approaches. [3]

Although TB is the major disease and having similar symptoms like lung cancer, sometimes other diseases like Silicosis, Interstitial Lung Disease (ILD), are also having some symptoms. Hence the classification model which can predict lung cancer for patients having generic symptoms is needed. This prediction would be helpful for clinician doctor to provide better treatment [4]

### 2. DATA MINING

Data mining also is known as knowledge-discovery in databases (KDD) is a process of extracting potentially useful information from raw data. A software engine can scan large amounts of data and automatically report interesting patterns without requiring human intervention. Other knowledge discovery technologies are Statistical Analysis, OLAP, Data Visualization, and Ad hoc queries. Unlike these technologies, data mining does not require a human to ask specific questions [5].

Here is the list of areas where data mining is widely used:

- (a) Financial Data Analysis
- (b) Retail Industry
- (c) Telecommunication Industry
- (d) Biological Data Analysis
- (e) Intrusion Detection [6]

# 3. RELATED WORK

There are various efficient researches in medical applications in which the various researchers provide their best approaches. Some of them are going to discuss. U. Javed et al. [7] proposed

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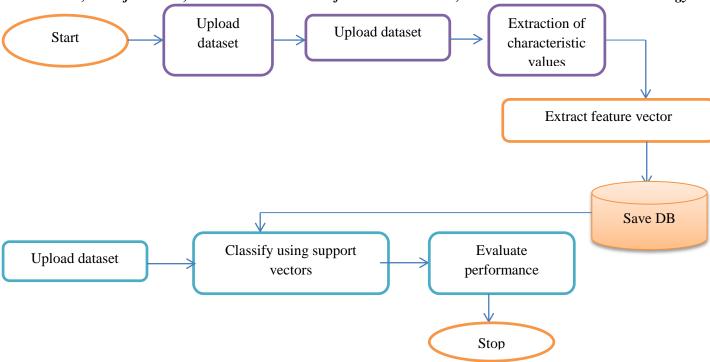


Fig. 1: Proposed flow diagram

a new way of working out best loads for the computed features. This recommended approach is usually tested with CE CT Lung pictures. Simulation effects and research exhibited that his or her recommended method indicates greater distinction exactness than the conventional SVM. Ada et al. [8] proposed a new mix of both approaches determined by attribute extraction and Principal Component Analysis (PCA) is usually presented intended for lung discovery throughout CT search within pictures. Gawade Prathamesh, Pratap and R.P. Chauhan et al. [9] proposed a review of techniques in which detection approaches are given for the detection of cancers. Unaffected and precise data is the basis of illness control ingenuities. S. Logesh Kumar, M. Swathy, S. Sathish, J. Sivaraman and M. Rajasekar et al. [10] proposed efficient methods were working to detect the tumorous cell of a lung using image preprocessing like Gabor filter, image division using watershed subdivision and feature extraction using MATLAB. Sruthi Ignatius, Robin Joseph, Jisha John, Dr Anil Prahladan et al. proposed different phases like pre-processing, segmentation, tumour detection. Their developed system deals with a better result than the current schemes, which would be helpful for the precise and early discovery of cancer.

### 4. PROPOSED METHODOLOGY

Figure 1 gives the proposed methodology.

### 5. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

Below are the results and discussion of the proposed work which shows the ability of the proposed system to be detected in an efficient manner.

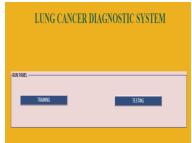


Fig. 2: Main Panel

Figure 2 shows the main panel in which the system is having a user interface controls using pushbuttons, panels. The system is divided into two main phases one is training and second is training. In this, the training consists of the learning of the system which deals with the extraction and normalization processes.

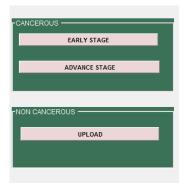


Fig. 3: Interface Panel

The above figure shows the categories of the lung cancer in which the dataset is uploaded after clicking on the pushbuttons. After clicking these pushbuttons the samples are uploaded and the extractions will take place. The panel deals with the feature vector extraction using component values which are also known as characteristic values.

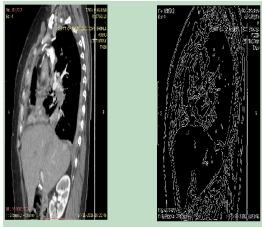


Fig. 4: Edge Detections

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Figure 4 shows the edge detections of the image samples which are uploaded for the training process. The edge detection is done using canny edge detection which extracts the edges in an efficient manner. The edges will detect the boundaries of the image samples through which the further processing of the image will be easy to compute.

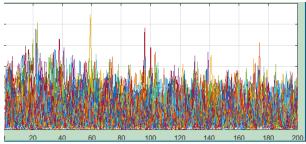


Fig. 5: Characteristic values

Figure 5 shows the characteristic values which are the feature values extracted in the training process and on the basis of which the classification is done. These are the eigenvalues which tell the high-intensity pixel values for the uploaded particular sample.



Fig. 6: Detection

Figure 6 shows the detection of the test sample that at which category it is belonging that the patient is having normal lungs or lung cancer. If it is having lung cancer then at which stage it is having

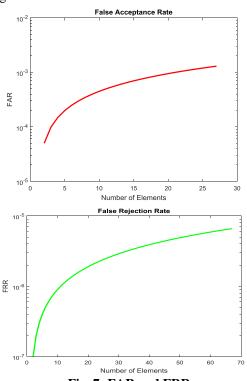


Fig. 7: FAR and FRR

Figure 7 shows the false acceptance rate and false rejection rate which act as the error probabilities. In this, the system is having fewer error probabilities which are coming very less to achieve high recognition rates

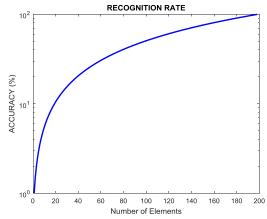


Fig. 8: Recognition Rate

Figure 8 shows the recognition rate which shows that our system is having high accuracy to detect the right category with fewer error probabilities

**Table 1: Developed Results** 

Parameter	Proposed
FAR	0.0011
FRR	$5.27 \times 10^{-6}$
Accuracy	99.31 %

**Table 2: Performance comparison** 

Parameter	Base [6]	Proposed
Accuracy	94.2 %	99.31 %

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