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Detection of the bone fracture using image processing methods in MATLAB

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ABSTRACT

The bone fracture is a not unusual problem in human beings occurs because of excessive pressure is carried out on bone or simple accident and additionally because of osteoporosis and bone cancer. Therefore the correct prognosis of bone fracture is crucial elements in clinical subjects. In these paintings, X-ray/CT photos are used for bone fracture analysis. The goal of this task is to increase an image processing based totally efficient machine for a fast and correct category of bone fractures based totally on the facts won from the x-ray / CT. Images of the fractured bone are acquired from sanatorium and processing strategies like pre-processing, segmentation, face detection, and function extraction strategies are adopted. The processed pics may be in addition categorized into the fractured and no fractured bone and evaluate the accuracy of various strategies. This task is completely hired MATLAB as the programming device for loading photographs, photo processing, and user interface improvement. Results acquired to display the overall performance of the bone fracture detection system with a few barriers and top accuracy. FFT technique in MATLAB become carried out to the generated sound waves to have a look at the distinction between cracked and healthy bone by means of applying 200 Hz of the sampling frequency. The device might be useful for doctors and public alike on account that it's miles transportable, realistic, mobile and low cost. It has to be stated that the proposed device is not supposed for a substitute of widespread methodologies like X-Ray but alternatively will serve to be used as a preliminary detection segment, the fractured element is selected manually to conquer this disadvantage, the proposed technique detects the bone fracture automatically. The result shows that the proposed method of fracture detection is higher. The results show that algorithm is 89.6% correct and efficient.

1. INTRODUCTION

Bones are the strong organs within the human frame protecting many important organs consisting of brain, heart, lungs and different inner organs. The human frame has 206 bones with various shapes, size and systems. The largest bones are the femur bones, and the smallest bones are the auditory ossicles. Bone fracture is a common trouble in human beings. Bone fractures can arise because of coincidence or another case wherein excessive stress is implemented at the bones. There are one-of-a-kind kinds of bone fracture takes place are oblique, compound, comminuted, spiral, greenstick and transverse. There are one-of-a-kind styles of scientific imaging tools are available to detecting exceptional forms of abnormalities including X-ray, Computed Tomography (CT), Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), and ultrasound and so on. X-rays and CT are maximum frequently used in fracture diagnosis due to the fact it's miles the quickest and simplest way for the doctors to study the injuries of bones and joints. Doctors generally uses x-ray pictures to determine whether or not a fracture exists, and the region of the fracture. The database is DICOM images. In cutting-edge hospitals, scientific snap shots are saved inside the standard DICOM (Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine) format which incorporates text into the photographs. Any try to retrieve and show these snap shots must undergo PACS (Picture Archives and Communicati- onSystem) hardware.

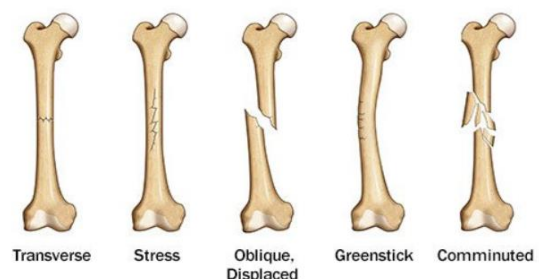


Fig. 1: Different types of bone fractures

Keywords—Pre-processing, Segmentation, Edge detection

2. LITERATURE SURVEY

2.1 Ensemble Systems for Automatic Fracture Detection

Lim, S. E., Xing, Y., Chen, Y., Leow, W. K., Howe, T. S., Png, M. A. et.al Fracture recognition based absolutely of photo arrangement is a region in regards to query who has determined in impersonation of be hard for the past a significant number decades. Restorative imaging is a field up to desire gives 'Quality social insurance' as a result of the sufferers by methods for the use of various programmed techniques or systems. Restorative imaging is sure over the zenith slants so much 'changed the essence of clinical prescription' at some phase in the most recent thousand years. Today, imaging or spreading cure are foundations over expulsion care. There is a developing enthusiasm for the span of the staying numerous years into finding symptomatic procedures in light of the fact those skeletal guideline infirmities [1]. Among it sicknesses, breaks identification yet treatment, as influences people on entire ages, is expanding regard between current societies. As of not long ago, X-Ray photographs were kept up as like solid film duplicate (like a photographic negative). Today, close to pictures are advanced documents that are put away electronically. These spared pictures are without trouble available at that point is as often as possible interestingly after corrupt X-Ray pics as a result of finding or confusion the board. Presently a-days, X-Ray machines birth very brilliant pictures for radiologists after decipher. X-Ray photo exhibit is a spot as has pulled in analysts for the past very little quite a while [2], [3], [4], [5]. Here arrangement is an example centre problem the spot the chief reason for existing is as per confine a draw in concerning pix of certain concerning the couple predefined classifications, in particular, typical yet broke bone. Combination classifiers and Multiple Classifier Systems (MCS) bear got sizeable enthusiasm among used insights [6], workstation study [7] yet test cognizance [8] for on 10 years. A few investigations show to that sum the work on consolidating incalculable lousy classifier designs of certain collected classifier that leads as per colossal valid statements into cluster generally execution upstairs its constituent givers [9]. The significant spotlight on it request is in congruity with plan a programmed gap recognition framework since identifying breaks in protracted bones past clear indicative X-beams the use of a succession of consecutive advances. The proposed Automatic Bone Fracture Detection System of Tibia Bones (ABFD-T) comprises more than three primary advances. They are, (I) Pre-Processing (ii) Segmentation (iii) Fracture recognition.

2.2 Combining classifiers for bone fracture detection in x-ray images

Lum, V. L. F., Leow, W. K., Chen, Y., Howe, T. S., Png, M. A. (2005) et.al In restorative applications, affectability in recognizing medicinal issues and exactness of the recognition (additionally called specificity) are two significant execution quantifies that are frequently in strife. Classifiers that are exceptionally delicate frequently do as such by trading off grouping precision. Then again, when the quantity of negative cases is a lot of enormous than the quantity of positive cases (i.e., those with therapeutic problems), a classifier can without much of a stretch accomplish high characterization exactness with low discovery rate. Such an issue is especially intense in our utilization of identifying femur (thigh bone) and sweep (arm bone) cracks in x-beam pictures [10, 11, 12]. Among 432 back to back instances of femur pictures got from a neighbourhood medical clinic, just about 12% of them contained cracked femurs. For span pictures, about 30% of 145 back to back cases analysed contained broke sweep bones.

Accordingly, a solitary classifier chipping away at a solitary component type can frequently accomplish high grouping precision yet poor crack recognition rate [11, 12]. In [11, 12], a basic democratic plan is utilized to consolidate the classifiers to improve both order exactness and identification affectability. In this paper, we present an investigation of the presentation of classifier blend in our application setting. Specifically, the probabilistic blend strategies proposed in [13] are tried and contrasted and the straightforward democratic plan utilized in [11, 12]. Test outcomes show that the adequacy of a strategy in improving both exactness and affectability relies upon both the idea of the technique just as the extent of negative examples in the test set.

2.3 Hierarchical classifiers for detection of fractures in x-ray images.

He, J. C., Leow, W. K., Howe, T. S. (2007) et.al Computer-supported analysis is an exceptionally dynamic field of research wherein PC frameworks are created to give a fast and exact conclusion. Numerous indicative methodology depend predominantly on a human master (experienced doctor) outwardly reviewing pictures produced by therapeutic imaging machines, for example, x-beam, Computed Tomography (CT) and Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) to identify various sorts of variations from the norm [14]. Such a system can be computerized utilizing picture handling procedures combined with AI calculations. The framework proposed in this work handle the issue of diagnosing cracks in long bones utilizing just x-beam pictures. X-beam pictures are one of the most widely recognized kinds of restorative pictures. Despite their couple of restrictions, they are usually utilized in bone crack discovery because of their minimal effort, fast, wide accessibility and convenience [15]. Despite the fact that the degree of subtleties gave by x-beam pictures is low contrasted with different sorts of medicinal pictures, for example, CT and MRI, it is sufficient for bone break location. Accordingly, this work depends just on x-beam pictures to analyze long bone breaks. A bone crack is an ailment where there is a break in the progression of the bones. Long bones may experience the ill effects of various kinds of breaks.

2.4 Removing salt-and-pepper noise from binary images of engineering drawings

Al-Khaffaf, H., Talib, A. Z., Salam, R. A. (2008) et.al The bone crack is a typical issue in people happens because of high weight is applied on bone or straightforward mishap and furthermore because of osteoporosis and bone malignancy. Along these lines the exact finding of bone break is significant angles in restorative field. In this work X-beam/CT pictures are utilized for bone crack examination. The point of this undertaking is to build up a picture preparing based proficient framework for a brisk and exact grouping of bone breaks dependent on the data picked up from the X-beam/CT pictures. Pictures of the cracked bone are gotten from clinic and handling systems like pre-preparing, division, edge location and highlight extraction techniques are received. The handled pictures will be additionally ordered into cracked and non-broke bone and think about the precision of various strategies. This venture is completely utilized MATLAB as the programming device for stacking picture, picture preparing and UI advancement. Results acquired exhibit the presentation of the bone crack location framework with certain constraints and great precision of 85%.

2.5 Bone Fraction Detection using Image Segmentation

Tanudeep Kaur 1, Anupam Garg 2 (2016) et.al the crack may characterize as a split or break in the bone [16]. Bone is

comprised of cells, protein strands, and minerals. Bones of our offer help to the body shape, and furthermore ensure the organs of the body, to give connections and development of the muscles. With the assistance of the bones, we can run, bounce, sit, stand, walk, bow, handle, and lift. Bones likewise shield our inward organs from the potential harm. The crack can happen in any bone of the body like wrist, lower leg, hip, rib, leg, chest, and so on. A break can be transversely, the long way, in a few spots, or into little or at least two pieces. Commonly, a bone break can be happened by the power or weight or tumble from vehicles and so forth. For the most part the specialists can look at the breaks effectively and take X-beams of the damage. Once in a while a break isn't clear in the X-beam pictures like in the wrist, hip, and stress cracks. To discover the break specialist plays out the few tests, similar to ultrasound, MRI, Computed tomography, Endoscopy, Medical photography or a bone filtering [17]. The [18], distinguish the presence of rheumatoid joint pain.

The initial step is to denoise the picture; by utilizing the middle channel the clamour is expelled. The subsequent stage is to standardize the picture through the histogram smoothing and utilized the division by utilizing the thresholding. At that point, the morphological activity of expansion and disintegration is utilized to the evacuation of the bone zone named as an area of intrigue. The following stage is limit location, to discover the edges of the bones by utilizing the shrewd edge discovery technique. In the event that the estimations of a determination are above than a particular range than rheumatoid joint pain can be certain. For the arrangement, the Neural Network is utilized. The information picture is pushed into the BMD Block, and afterward every one of the means is performed on the information picture. At that point remove the GLCM highlights of the information picture.

3. PROCESSING SYSTEM

3.1 Image Pre-processing

In PC supported conclusion of the restorative pictures, picture handling apparatuses for commotion expulsion, picture division and highlight extraction assume a significant job in the achievement of such frameworks. The X-beam/CT pictures are gotten from the clinic that contains ordinary just as broke bones pictures. In the initial step, applying pre-preparing procedures, for example, RGB to grayscale transformation and expel the noise from the picture by utilizing the middle channel.

3.2 Noise Removal

Noise can be characterized as undesirable pixels present in the picture that debase the nature of the picture. It very well may be composed as: $f(x, y) = g(x, y) + \eta(x, y)$ Where $f(x, y)$ is the boisterous picture, $g(x, y)$ is the first picture and $\eta(x, y)$ is the commotion present in the picture. There are various kinds of noise present in the picture are Gaussian commotion, Salt and pepper noise and so forth. Salt and pepper are one of the regular sorts of commotion present in x-beam pictures. This is by and large brought about by a disappointment in catch or transmission that is showing up in the picture as light and dark spots. It tends to be expelled by applying scientific change on the pictures. It saves the edges while expelling commotion. The middle channel is a nonlinear computerized sifting method, used to expel noise, for example, salt and pepper commotion.

3.3 Edge Detection

Edge location is a significant activity in picture handling that diminishes the quantity of pixels and spares the structure of the

picture by deciding the limits of articles in the picture. Edge location is the strategy for distinguishing focuses in a computerized picture at which the picture brilliance changes pointedly or, all the more officially, has discontinuities. The focuses at which picture brilliance changes pointedly are regularly sorted out into a lot of bended line fragments named edges. There are two general ways to deal with edge discovery that are regularly utilized are: angle and Laplacian. Angle technique utilizes the principal subsidiary of the picture, and the Laplacian strategy utilizes the second subordinate of the picture to discover edges. In our strategy use so bel edge indicator and it is an angle family.

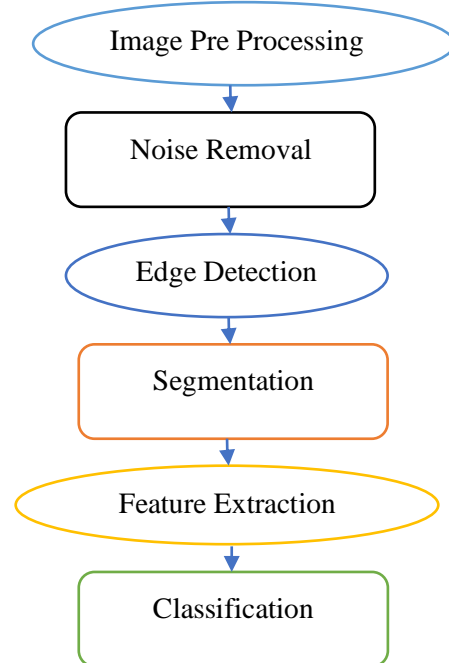


Fig. 2: The above figure shows the processing steps for Bone detection

3.4 Segmentation

Segmentation is the way toward partitioning the given picture into areas homogenous as for specific highlights as shading, power and so on. It is a basic advance in picture examination and finds object and limits (lines, bends and so on). The K-implies grouping strategy is utilized in this work. The reason for this calculation is limiting a goal work, which is supreme contrast work. In this calculation separation is squared or total contrast between a pixel and group focus is determined. The thing that matters is regularly founded on pixel force, shading, surface and area. The nature of the arrangement relies upon the underlying arrangement of bunches and estimation of k. After the division crop the picture and the region of break with some constraint.

3.4.1 Canny Edge Detection:

Canny edge detector is considered as superior edge identification administrator among the accessible administrators dependent on the test results. It recognizes swoon edges all the more productively even in loud picture and show street highlight. In this work, Canny technique is skilled to stamp every current edge in the picture and unsusceptible boisterous condition. Watchful edge recognition is a multistage calculation to identify a wide scope of edges in pictures.

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- a) The unique picture is smoothed executing with Gaussian channel. The outcome is a picture with less obscure. It is planned to acquire the genuine edges of the picture. The edge is identified with Sobel administrators for discovering flat (Gx) and vertical (Gy). Sobel bit in x and y headings are given as pursue:
- b) From that point forward, the inclination greatness and heading of the picture can be determined utilizing the accompanying conditions:

$$|G| = \sqrt{G_x^2 + G_y^2}$$

$$\Theta = \tan^{-1}(G_y/G_x)$$

- c) At that point, the calculation tracks along these areas and smothers any pixel that isn't at greatest called non-most extreme concealment. It is completed to jam all neighbourhood maxima in the inclination picture, erasing everything else this outcome in slim edges.
- d) The last advance is binarizing the picture pixels by applying two limit (lower and higher) values. The yield of non-maxima concealment still contains the neighbourhood maxima made by commotion. Subsequently, twofold thresholding is utilized for staying away from this issue. At the point when the edge pixels more noteworthy than the higher limit that are set apart as 1 and on the off chance that the edge pixel not exactly the lower edge, at that point it is set to 0. In the event that the edge pixel falls in the middle of the two limits and is nearby with higher pixel, at that point it is set to 1, else it is set to 0. The underneath figure shows the first picture.

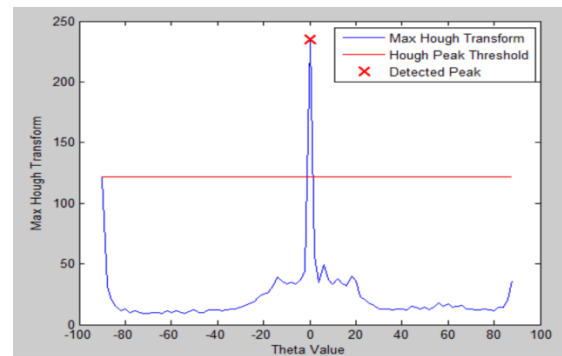


Fig. 3: Original image

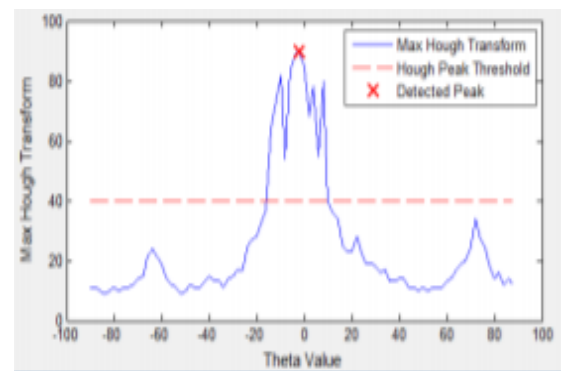
class. In proposed strategy, various sorts of classifier are utilized, for example, choice tree (DT) and neural system (NN) and metaclassifier. In view of the GLCM textural highlights, classifiers group the given picture into cracked and non-broke picture not battered



Fig. 4: The above shows Fracture Detection Results



(a) Fractured Bone Peak



(b) Non Fractured Bone Peak

Fig. 5: Hough Detection Results for Fracture and Non-Fracture image

3.5 Feature Extraction

Highlight extraction is the principle step in different picture handling applications. Dim Level Co-event Matrix is utilized for include extraction and determination. GLCM was characterized by Haralick et al. in 1973. GLCM is primary apparatus utilized in picture texture examination. Surfaces of a picture are perplexing visual examples that are made out of substances or districts with sub designs with the qualities of brilliance, shading, shape, size, and so on. GLCM is a factual method to demonstrate picture surface structure by measurably examining the example of the dark levels happens in connection to other dim levels. We utilize the Gray Level Co-event Matrix (GLCM) technique to separate textural highlights, for example, entropy, differentiate, relationship, homogeneity.

3.7 Classification

Order is a stage of information examination to contemplate a lot of information and sort them into various classes. Every classification has its very own attributes and the information that has a place with such class have similar properties of this

4. FUTURE WORK

In this paper our main future scope is an identify the bone fracture in the middle of the bone by using technique canny edge detection and so bel detector

5. CONCLUSION

A PC based examination systems for the recognition of bone crack utilizing X-beam/CT/MRI pictures has been exhibited in this work. It begins from the pre preparing to expel the noise and edge recognized by utilizing so bel edge indicator and multi wave locator. After the division the territory of the crack is determined. The technique has been tried on a lot of pictures and results have been assessed dependent on GLCM highlights. The Accuracy and proficiency of the crack identification calculation is 89.6%. There are a few impediments that it finds the crack just the level pictures and vertical pictures .It can't discover little breaks during the bones.

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