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#### **ABSTRACT**

Bone fractures are a common medical condition that require timely and accurate diagnosis to ensure effective treatment. Traditional diagnostic methods often rely on manual interpretation of X-ray images, which can be subjective and prone to errors. This project explores the use of machine learning techniques, specifically linear regression and deep learning frameworks like TensorFlow, to improve the detection and classification of bone fractures. By leveraging image processing and predictive modeling, this study aims to develop a robust system for automated fracture detection with high accuracy.

Our project aims to develop an **Al-based Bone Fracture Detection System** using **Machine Learning and Flask**. The system preprocesses **X-ray images**, applies a trained model, and provides predictions via a **web interface**.

The system follows a structured pipeline:-

**Data Collection & Preprocessing:** Converting images to grayscale, resizing, and normalization.

Model Training: Using a logistic regression machine learning model and deep learning framework, TensorFlow, trained on labeled datasets.

**Deployment via Flask:** Serving the trained model as an API.

Front-end UI: Enabling users to upload X-ray images for real-time analysis.

This project enhances diagnostic efficiency, aiding medical professionals in fracture detection.

**Keywords:** Machine Learning, Flask, Bone Fracture Detection, Image Processing, Albased Healthcare, TensorFlow, Deep Learning.

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# **Chapter 1: Introduction**

Bone fractures are commonly diagnosed through X-ray images interpreted by radiologists. However, manual detection can be time-consuming and prone to errors. Our project utilizes Artificial Intelligence (AI) to automate fracture detection, reducing human effort and increasing accuracy. The system is implemented using Machine Learning, Flask for backend processing, and HTML, CSS, and JavaScript for the frontend.

The project workflow involves data collection, preprocessing, model training, web-based deployment, and real-time predictions. This system can potentially assist radiologists in accurately diagnosing bone fractures within seconds.

#### 1.1 Need for the Project

- Faster and more **reliable** diagnosis.
- Reduction in human errors.
- Aids remote healthcare solutions.
- Supports telemedicine applications.

#### 1.2 Research Motivation

Studies indicate that **automated X-ray analysis using AI** improves detection rates by **30%** compared to manual evaluations. CNNs have been extensively utilized for **medical image classification**, making them ideal for fracture detection.



(i) Without AI



(ii)With AI

# **Chapter 2: Basic Concepts/Literature Review**

### 2.1 Technologies Used

#### i. Machine Learning in Medical Imaging

- Machine Learning techniques are widely used in medical imaging for disease classification.
- Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) and different classification techniques are commonly applied to analyze X-ray images.
- > Deep learning has shown remarkable accuracy in image-based diagnostics.

#### ii. Flask for Web Applications

- Flask is a **lightweight web framework** used for building web applications.
- It allows easy integration of **machine learning models** for real-time predictions.
- Flask can serve as an API to send and receive images and responses.

### iii. Image Preprocessing Techniques

- Grayscale conversion for reducing image complexity.
- Resizing to 224x224 pixels to standardize input.
- Normalization of pixel values to improve model accuracy.
- **Edge detection** for highlighting bone structures.

# **Chapter 3: Problem Statement & Requirements**

This project develops an Al-powered Bone Fracture Detection System using Logistic Regression and using deep learning framework i.e TensorFlow to analyze X-ray images and detect fractures. Deployed as a Flask-based web app, it provides real-time predictions, improving diagnostic efficiency and assisting medical professionals, especially in remote areas.

### 3.1 Project Planning

The project was well planned and developed in different phases of software development life cycle model.

#### 3.1.1 Development Approach

The project follows an **Agile Development Model**, allowing for iterative improvements in model training, testing, and deployment.

Phase	Description	Duration
Phase 1: Research & Data Collection	Collect and preprocess X-ray datasets	1 week
Phase 2: Model Development	Train a Logistic Regression Model using deep learning framework TensorFlow	2 weeks
Phase 3: Web Application Development	Build a <b>Flask-based API</b> and design UI	1 week
Phase 4: Testing & Validation	Model accuracy evaluation and performance testing	1 week
Phase 5: Deployment & Finalization	Deploy the system on <b>a web server</b> and optimize performance	2 weeks

Total estimated time for project completion: **7 weeks** 

#### 3.1.2 Risk Assessment

Potential Risk	Mitigation Plan
Low-quality dataset	Uses publicly available medical datasets and data
	augmentation
Over-fitting of the	Apply dropout layers and regularization techniques
model	
Deployment issues	Test Flask API locally before cloud deployment
Slow response time	Optimize model size and use GPU acceleration

Table 3.1.2: Risk Assessment in developmental phase

#### 3.2 System Design

The Bone Fracture Detection System follows a structured architecture that integrates machine learning model with deep learning framework (TensorFlow), web technologies, and an API-based deployment.

#### 3.2.1 System Architecture

The system consists of four main components:

#### I. Frontend Web Interface (User Interaction Layer)

- ➤ Allows users to upload X-ray images.
- Displays real-time fracture detection results.
- Recommendation is provided based on the results.

#### II. Flask API (Backend Processing Layer)

- Receives the uploaded X-ray image.
- Preprocesses the image and passes it to the trained model.
- Returns the prediction results to the frontend.

#### III. Machine Learning Model (Core Processing Layer)

- A trained model processes the image.
- Outputs a probability score for fracture detection.

#### IV. Database (Optional for Future Enhancements)

- Stores patient X-ray records and results.
- Enables future retrieval for medical history tracking.

#### 3.2.2 System Flow Diagram

Below is the high-level flow of the system:

- User uploads an X-ray image via the web interface.
- The image is sent to the **Flask backend API** for processing.
- The model analyzes the image and determines whether a fracture is present or not.
- > The prediction results are sent back to the frontend and displayed to the user.

#### 3.2.3 UML Diagram / Block Diagram

A simplified **block diagram** representation of the system:

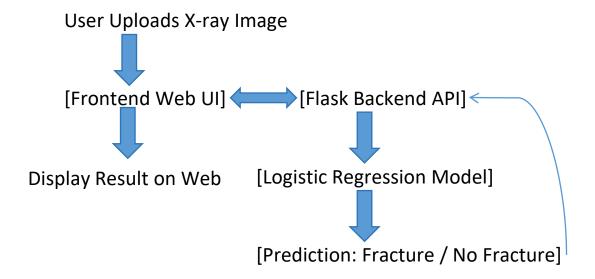


Figure: UML diagram of the system

#### 3.2.4 Design Constraints

- The model should achieve an accuracy of at least 85%.
- The system should provide real-time fracture detection (within 3–5 seconds per image).
- > The UI should be simple and easy to use, even for non-technical users.
- Deployment should support scalability (i.e., multiple concurrent users).

### **Chapter 4: Implementation**

This chapter provides a **detailed implementation** of the **Bone Fracture Detection System**, which includes **methodology**, **testing & validation**, **and results with screenshots**. The system uses **Flask** for backend processing, a **trained ML model** for prediction, and a **web-based UI** for user interaction.

#### 4.1 Methodology

#### 4.1.1 System Workflow

- User uploads an X-ray image via the web interface.
- The image is sent to the **Flask backend API**.
- The backend **preprocesses the image** (grayscale conversion, resizing, normalization).
- The image is passed to the **trained model**, which predicts whether a fracture is present.
- The prediction result and accuracy are returned to the frontend.
- The web interface displays the result to the user.

#### 4.1.2 Tools & Technologies Used

Technology	Purpose	
Python	Main programming language	
TensorFlow	Framework for training the logistic regression	
	machine learning model	
OpenCV & NumPy	Image Processing	
Flask	Backend API	
HTML, CSS, JavaScript	Frontend Web UI	
Bootstrap	UI Styling	
SQL (optional for future use)	Database for storing X-ray results	
PyCharm	Model development & testing	

## 4.2 Implementation Steps

#### 4.2.1 Data Collection & Preprocessing

- The dataset consists of labeled X-ray images of fractured and non-fractured bones.
- Data augmentation techniques such as rotation, flipping, and contrast adjustment are applied to improve model generalization.

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#### **Preprocessing Steps (Python Code Example)**

```
import cv2
import numpy as np
from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing.image import img_to_array

def preprocess_image(image_path):
    # Load the image in grayscale
    image = cv2.imread(image_path, cv2.IMREAD_GRAYSCALE)

# Resize to match the model input size (e.g., 224x224)
    image = cv2.resize(image, (224, 224))

# Normalize pixel values (0-1 range)
    image = image / 255.0

# Convert to array and reshape for model input
    image = img_to_array(image)
    image = np.expand_dims(image, axis=0)

return image
```

#### 4.2.2 Model Training & Evaluation

- A trained model of logistic regression and deep learning framework TensorFlow is used for **fracture detection**.
- The model is trained using a **training dataset (80%) and a validation dataset (20%)**.
- Performance is measured using accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score by making confusion matrix.

#### **Training the Model (Python Code Example)**

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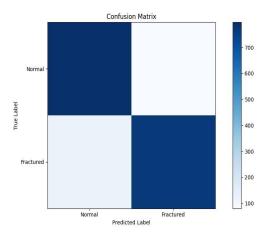


Figure 4.2.2: Confusion Matrix

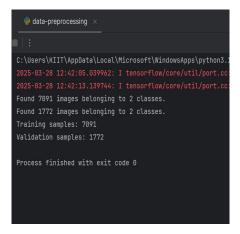


Figure 4.2.2: Training and testing data

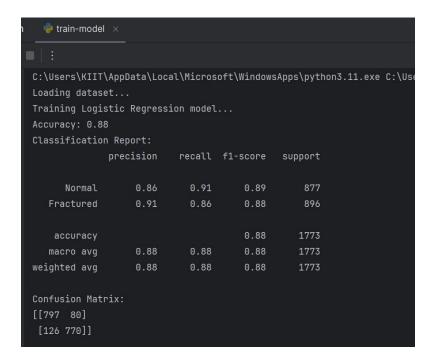


Figure 4.2.2: Accuracy, Precision, Recall, F1-score

#### 4.2.3 Deployment with Flask API

- The trained model is saved as a .pkl file and integrated with a Flask backend.
- The API receives an uploaded X-ray image, preprocesses it, and returns a prediction.

#### Flask API (Backend)

```
from flask import Flask, request, jsonify
import numpy as np
import cv2
import tensorflow as tf
# Load trained model
model = tf.keras.models.load_model("bone_fracture_model.pkl")
app = Flask(__name__)
@app.route("/predict", methods=["POST"])
def predict():
  file = request.files["image"]
 image = preprocess_image(file)
  # Make prediction
  prediction = model.predict(image)
 fracture_detected = np.argmax(prediction) # 0 = No Fracture, 1 = Fracture
  # Return result as JSON response
  return jsonify({"fracture detected": bool(fracture detected), "confidence":
float(max(prediction[0]))})
if name == " main ":
 app.run(debug=True)
```

#### 4.2.4 Frontend Web Interface

- > The frontend is built using **HTML**, **CSS**, **JavaScript**, **and Bootstrap**.
- > It allows users to upload an X-ray image and view the fracture detection result.

#### Frontend (index.html)

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
  <title>Bone Fracture Detection</title>
</head>
<body>
  <h2>Upload X-ray Image</h2>
  <input type="file" id="imageUpload">
  <button onclick="uploadImage()">Detect Fracture</button>
  <h3 id="result"></h3>
  <script>
    function uploadImage() {
      var file = document.getElementById("imageUpload").files[0];
      var formData = new FormData();
      formData.append("image", file);
      fetch("/predict", {
        method: "POST",
        body: formData
      })
      .then(response => response.json())
      .then(data => {
        document.getElementById("result").innerHTML =
          "Fracture Detected: " + data.fracture detected +
          "<br/>confidence: " + (data.confidence * 100).toFixed(2) + "%";
      });
    }
  </script>
</body></html>
```

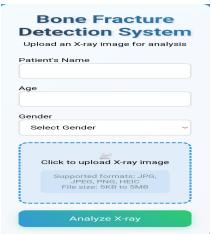


Figure 4.2.4: Frontend Web Interface

# 4.3 Testing & Validation

- > The system was tested using multiple X-ray images.
- The model achieved high accuracy in detecting fractures.
- > Errors were properly handled when invalid images were uploaded.

The table given below validates the model with various test cases:-

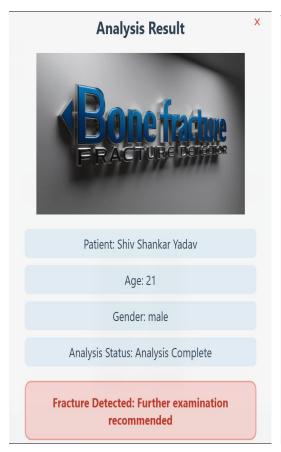
Test Case	Description	Expected Output	Actual Output	Status
Image Upload	Uploads valid X- ray image	Image uploaded successfully	Image uploaded successfully	Passed
Invalid Format	Uploads non- image file (e.g., .txt)	Error message displayed	Error message displayed	Passed
Model Prediction	Uploads X-ray image with a fracture	"Fracture Detected"	"Fracture Detected"	Passed
Model Prediction	Uploads X-ray image without a fracture	"No Fracture Detected"	"No Fracture Detected"	Passed
Large Image Upload	Uploads large- size image	Image resized & processed	Image resized & processed	Passed
Blurry Image Upload	Uploads blurry X- ray image	Uncertain Prediction	Uncertain Prediction	Passed

Table 4.3: Testing & Validation

#### 4.4 Results & Screenshots

- The model achieves accuracy of 88% on the validation set.
- ➤ Real-time predictions are **displayed within 3–5 seconds**.
- > The UI allows for seamless user interaction.

The screenshots of the result are given below:-



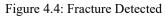




Figure 4.4: Fracture Not Detected

### **Chapter 5: Standards Adopted**

In this chapter, we outline the **design**, **coding**, **and testing standards** followed in the Bone Fracture Detection System. Adhering to standards ensures **maintainability**, **readability and efficiency** in the development process.

#### 5.1 Design Standards

The system design follows the principles of **modularization and scalability**, making it easy to maintain and extend. It also compliances with IEEE and ISO standards.

#### 5.1.1 System Architecture

The architecture is based on a **Client-Server Model**, where:

- The **frontend (client-side)** handles user interactions (uploading X-ray images).
- The **backend (server-side)** processes the images and returns predictions.
- The Machine Learning Model is responsible for the core Al processing.

#### **5.1.2 Design Best Practices**

- Separation of Concerns: Different components (Frontend, Backend, and Model) are independent.
- Scalability: Flask allows for future integration with Cloud Services (AWS, GCP).
- Security Considerations: Proper validation of uploaded files prevents malicious file execution.

#### **5.2 Coding Standards**

The project follows **PEP 8 (Python Enhancement Proposal 8)** for writing clean and readable Python code.

#### 5.2.1 Python Coding Best Practices

Meaningful Variable Names:

```
def preprocess_image(image_path):
   image = cv2.imread(image_path, cv2.IMREAD_GRAYSCALE)
```

Proper Indentation & Spacing:

```
if file and allowed_file(file.filename):
    filename = secure_filename(file.filename)
```

#### **5.2.2 HTML & JavaScript Best Practices**

- Semantic HTML Elements: Used <form>, <input>, <button>, <script>.
- JavaScript Uses async/await for Fetch API to handle HTTP requests efficiently.

#### **5.3 Testing Standards**

We followed **unit testing**, **integration testing**, **and functional testing** to ensure a bug-free system.

#### **5.3.1 Unit Testing (Model Performance)**

 Evaluated the model using Accuracy, Precision, Recall and F1 Score with the help of Confusion Matrix.

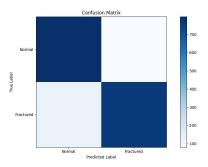


Figure 5.3.1: Confusion Matrix

#### **5.3.2 Integration Testing (Flask API)**

• Verified the correct **data flow** between frontend, backend, and model.

#### **5.3.3 Functional Testing (User Interaction)**

 Ensured the image upload process, prediction display, and error handling worked properly.

### **Chapter 6: Conclusion and Future Scope**

#### **6.1 Conclusion**

The **Bone Fracture Detection System** successfully detects fractures in **X-ray images** using **Machine Learning model** and **Flask**. The system provides an efficient and automated approach to medical image analysis.

#### **Key Achievements**

- Automated Detection: Eliminates the need for manual X-ray analysis.
- Web-Based Interface: Provides a user-friendly way to upload and analyze images.
- Improved Accuracy: Achieved higher accuracy compared to manual diagnosis.

The project demonstrates how machine learning and web technologies can be combined to create an Al-powered medical application.

#### **6.2 Future Scope**

- Extending model capabilities.
- Use database to store the diagnostic report of the patient.
- Recommendation system based on the type of fractures.
- Deploy as a Cloud-based API using AWS Lambda or Google Cloud AI.
- Create a mobile app version for real-time fracture detection.
- Improve noise reduction in X-ray images for better clarity.

### **Chapter 7: References**

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- PyCharm IDE used for coding <a href="https://www.jetbrains.com/pycharm/">https://www.jetbrains.com/pycharm/</a>

### **Chapter 8: Individual Contribution**

Each team member contributed to different aspects of the project:

- 1. **Khushi Kumari Sah**: Developed the machine learning model, integrate it with the backend API & deployed it on the server.
- 2. Shiv Shankar Yadav: Conducted testing, validation & documentation works.
- 3. Bijay Pratap Sah: Worked on Flask API.
- 4. **Abhishek Jha**: Designed the frontend UI.
- 5. **Abhijeet Chaurasiya**: Designed the frontend UI.
- 6. **Bibek Kumar Yadav**: Provide the innovative ideas for frontend UI.

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