

Table 2: Evaluation of Wasserstein-Filtered Data Augmentation on ISIC 2018 Dataset

Gen	Model	Acc	Prec	Rec	F1	Gen	Model	Acc	Prec	Rec	F1
3	Augmented	60.00	58.73	60.00	57.79	18	Augmented	48.57	61.77	48.57	47.52
	Wass	62.86	63.48	62.86	61.07		Wass	58.57	57.51	58.57	57.38
6	Augmented	45.71	45.69	45.71	44.48	21	Augmented	47.14	51.16	47.14	47.73
	Wass	57.14	63.81	57.14	56.76		Wass	64.29	65.19	64.29	63.63
9	Augmented	50.00	52.90	50.00	50.10	24	Augmented	55.71	52.91	55.71	51.67
	Wass	55.71	59.18	55.71	53.73		Wass	64.29	65.37	64.29	63.91
Baseline (Avg.)		52.32	56.64	52.32	51.88						

Performance metrics (%) on a 7-class skin cancer image dataset (ISIC 2018) [1] with 1,257 original training samples and varying numbers of generated images (Gen) from SD-XL, mixed at **strength=0.15** and **strength=0.8** (default: 0.75). Higher strength increases diversity but introduces suboptimal samples, requiring Wass filtering. Baseline: original samples (averaged across tasks); Augmented: unfiltered generated data; Wass: Wasserstein-filtered data, retaining the top 60% of images. Wass consistently enhances performance over the baseline.

[1] *Skin Cancer Classification Using Convolutional Neural Networks: Systematic Review*